

ASSIGNMENT SET - II**Department of Nutrition****Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya****Subject- Food Technology, Nutrition and Management****Semester- IV****Paper Code: FTNM42****[INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND ITS MANAGEMENT]****Answer all the questions**

1. What are some key policy considerations in protecting intellectual property at the national level?
2. How does the protection of intellectual property rights vary from one country to another, and what are the international demands in this regard?
3. What are the main types of intellectual property, and how have they evolved over time?
4. Can intellectual property rights be considered as human rights? Explain the arguments for and against this perspective.
5. What is a patent, and how does it differ from other forms of intellectual property protection?
6. Can you explain the key provisions of the Indian Patents Act, 1970, and the significant amendments made to it over the years?
7. What is considered patentable subject matter in Indian patent law, and are there any exceptions to patentability?

8. What are the primary criteria for determining the patentability of an invention in India?
9. What is the conceptual basis of copyright, and how does it differ from other forms of intellectual property protection?
10. Can you provide an overview of international conventions and treaties related to copyright and neighboring rights?
11. What are the key provisions of the Indian Copyright Act, 1957, and its amendments? How has it evolved over time?
12. What does the content of trademark rights entail, and how do these rights vary from one jurisdiction to another?
13. How does the principle of exhaustion of rights apply to trademarks, and what are its implications for international trade?
14. Explain the concept of assignment and licensing of trademarks, and how do they affect trademark ownership and usage?
15. Can you provide an overview of the international conventions and agreements that pertain to the protection of geographical indications?
16. What are the main provisions of the Geographical Indications of Goods (Registration and Protection) Act, 2000 in India, and how does it promote the protection of geographical indications?
17. Can you explain the main provisions of the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Act, 2001, in India and its objectives?
18. What is the role and function of the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Authority and Registry in India?
19. How does the registration process for plant varieties work under this Act, and what is meant by "essentially derived varieties"?
20. What is the duration of protection granted to registered plant varieties, and how does registration affect the rights of breeders and farmers?

21. What is the primary purpose of "The Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmer's Rights Act, 2001," and how does it impact plant breeders and farmers in India?
22. Can you explain the role and functions of the Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers' Rights Authority and the Registry established under this act?