

ALP 2411

LAND EVALUATION II

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Answer all questions. Illustrate your answers as necessary.

1. a) Describe the principles which guide/ underlie the:

- i) USBR System ii) USDA - SCS Land capability Classification

b) Discuss the similarities between the USBR System and the FAO-Framework for land evaluation.

2. a) Define the following terms;

- iii. Arable land iii) Irrigable lands
iv. Payment capacity iv) Land class

b) Describe the following :

- i) Irrigable classes of USBR System (1-4) (1-4)
ii) Arable classes of the USDA-SCS land capability system

4. a. Define the terms:

- i. land evaluation iii. Land Utilization Type (L.U.T)
ii. Matching iv. Land use planning

d. Give a detailed description of the criteria used to select a diagnostic criteria in a given evaluation

e. Discuss the importance of some six major key attributes employed to describe land utilization types

Describe the matching process in land evaluation

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are arable lands under ground water & other irrigation
plan in the writer & other instructor will be provided