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DOMINANCE OF AGRICULTURE AND ALLIED ACTIVITIES-A BOOST OR A DRAG ON INDIAN ECONOMY

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Introduction

Indian Economy is classified in three major sectors:

1. **Agriculture & Allied Sector:** This sector includes forestry and fishing also. This sector is also known as the primary sector of the economy. At the time of Indian independence this sector had biggest share in the Gross Domestic Product of India. But year by year its contribution goes on declining and currently it contributes only 17% of Indian GDP at current prices. It is worth to mention that agriculture sector provides jobs to around 53% population of India.
2. **Industry Sector:** This sector includes 'Mining & quarrying', Manufacturing (Registered & Unregistered), Gas, Electricity, Construction and Water supply. This is also known as the secondary sectors of the economy. Currently it is contributing around 31% of the Indian GDP (at current prices).
3. **Services Sector:** Services sector includes 'Financial, real estate & professional services, Public Administration, defence and other services, trade, hotels, transport, communication and services related to broadcasting. This sector is also known as tertiary sector of the economy. Currently this sector is contributing around 53% of the Indian GDP.

Agriculture is the cultivation of animals, plants, fungi, and other life forms for food, fiber, bio-fuel and other products used to sustain life. The Webster's New International Dictionary describes agriculture as "the art or science of cultivating the ground, including rearing and management of livestock, husbandry, farming, etc. and also including in its broad sense farming, horticulture, forestry, butter and cheese-making etc."

In Bouvier's Law Dictionary quoting the Standard Dictionary "agriculture" is defined as "the cultivation of soil for food products or any other useful or

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