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India Has Too Much Rice

News in levels (level 1) - A2

Listening Comprehension Quiz

Listen to the audio and choose the best answer for each question.

1. How was the food situation in India sixty years ago?

☐ **A.** India grew too much food.

☐ **B.** India did not have enough food.

☐ **C.** India sold food to other countries.

2. What did scientists do to help solve the food problem?

☐ **A.** They made stronger plants.

☐ **B.** They bought food from Thailand.

☐ **C.** They stopped farming rice.

3. What is one problem India faces today because of its big success?

☐ **A.** Farmers do not want to grow crops.

☐ **B.** People cannot buy rice in stores.

☐ **C.** Storage rooms are full of extra rice.

4. Why are countries like the United States and Thailand angry?

☐ **A.** Indian rice is too cheap.

☐ **B.** India refuses to sell its rice.

☐ **C.** Indian rice is very expensive.

5. What natural resource does growing so much rice use too much of?

☐ **A.** Sun

☐ **B.** Water

☐ **C.** Land

6. Why do government leaders continue paying the farmers?

☐ **A.** Because they need to be friends with them.

☐ **B.** Because the storage rooms are empty.

☐ **C.** Because scientists asked them to.

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