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Ans. 1. Small farmers along with their families cultivate their own fields. Thus they provide the labour required for farming.

2. Medium and large farmers hire farm labourers to work on their fields.

3. Farm labourers come either from landless families or families cultivating small plots of land.

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Ans. In villages, there is huge competition for work among the labourers. They are ready to work even at low wages in the fields. This keeps their income at a low level. These labourers migrate to cities and towns in search of work. In cities, labourers are in great demand due to industries and construction work.

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Ans. Features

i. Manufacturing in Palampur involves very simple production methods and are done on a small scale.

ii. They are carried out mostly at home or in the fields with the help of family labour.

iii. Rarely are labourers hired.