





UNDER GRADUATE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2022

Fifth Semester

Open Course—FINANCIAL INVESTMENT
(Offered by the Board of Studies in Commerce)
[2013—2016 Admissions]

Time: Three Hours Maximum Marks: 80

Part A

Answer **all** questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Define Financial risk.
- 2. What do you mean by insolvency risk?
- 3. Explain the term 'deposits'.
- 4. What is floating rate bond?
- 5. Define Call moeny.
- 6. What is REPO?
- 7. What is meant by private placement?
- 8. What is price band?
- 9. What is a depository?
- 10. What do you mean by insider trading?

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Part B

Answer any **eight** questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Explain the meaning of systematic risks.
- 12. Define speculation.
- 13. Distinguish between Savings deposits and Current deposits.
- 14. Write a short note on deep discount bond.
- 15. What is a commercial paper?
- 16. Write a short note on GDR.
- 17. Define undewriting.

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- 18. Write a note on book-building process.
- 19. What do you mean by forward contract?
- 20. What do you mean by stock market index?
- 21. What are the objectives of NSE?

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$

Part C

Answer any **six** questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 22. Define investment. Distinguish between Fixed income bearing securities and Variable income bearing securities.
- 23. Explain the different types of systematic risks.
- 24. Define public deposits. What are its advantages and disadvantages?
- 25. Discuss the importance of Commercial bill market.
- 26. Distinguish between money market and capital market.
- 27. Explain the functions of new issue market.
- 28. Examine the recent trends in primary market in India.
- 29. Explain the functions of NSDL.
- 30. Define futures. Describe the features of future contracts.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24)$

Part D

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 31. List down the various money market instruments and bring out their features.
- 32. Define mutual fund. What are the risk associated with mutual fund?
- 33. Explain the functions of stock exchange.
- 34. What is primary market? Explain the role of intermediaries in primary market.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

