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# Fifth Semester B.Com. Degree Examination, December 2021 First Degree Programme Under CBCSS

Open Course I: CO 1551.3/CC 1551.3/CX 1551.3/TT 1551.3

## **CAPITAL MARKET OPERATIONS**

(2018 & 2019 Admission)

(Common for Commerce/Commerce with Computer Application/Commerce and Tax Procedure and Practice/Commerce and Tourism and Travel Management)

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

#### SECTION - A

Answer all questions in one or two sentences. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. What are financial assets?
- 2. What are financial markets?
- 3. Write advantages of online stock market trading
- 4. What is sensex?
- 5. What is the nomination facility available in a demat account?
- 6. What is meant by fungibility of shares?
- 7. Who are retail investors?

- 8. What is meant by marketability or liquidity of a security?
- 9. Who are arbitrageurs?
- 10. What is the value of call option?

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$ 

### SECTION - B

Answer **any eight** questions in not exceeding one paragraph. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

- 11. What is Underwriting?
- 12. What is the role of a Merchant bank in a primary market?
- 13. What are the functions of The Registrar to an issue?
- 14. In a fresh issue of debentures, what is the role of debenture trustees?
- 15. What are the features of OTCEI?
- 16. What are the Advantages of Rolling Settlement?
- 17. Which are the different types of securities based on the rights in a company?
- 18. Who is 'Beneficial Owner' in the depository system?
- 19. What is a depository?
- 20. Which are the different short term investment vehicles?
- 21. What is meant by risk of an investor?
- 22. Write any two Differences between Investment and Speculation
- 23. What are put options?
- 24. What are Limitations of forwards?

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- 25. Write a note on Basis.
- 26. Who is Writer of an option?

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$ 

#### SECTION - C

Answer any six questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 27. What are the function of financial markets?
- 28. State the nature of gilt-edged market.
- 29. What are the roles of primary market?
- 30. What are the functions of stock exchange?
- 31. What are the weaknesses of stock exchanges in India?
- 32. Which are the different types of orders in share market?
- 33. What are the benefits of dematerialization?
- 34. What are the functions of a depository participant?
- 35. Who are the different types of speculators?
- 36. What are the features of options?
- 37. What are the distinctions between futures and forwards
- 38. How options are classified on the basis of their valuation?

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$ 

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## SECTION - D

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

- 39. Explain functions and characteristics of an efficient capital market.
- 40. Elaborate on the structure of Indian capital market.
- 41. Explain the performance of leading stock exchanges in India.
- 42. Explain the process of dematerialization.
- 43. How investors can be classified on different bases?
- 44. Explain the functions of derivatives.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$ 

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