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# FIFTH SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2022

## B.Com.

## BCM 5B 10-FINANCE SPECIALIZATION I-FINANCIAL MARKETS AND SERVICES

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

Section A

Answer **all** questions. Each question carries 2 marks. Ceiling 25 marks.

- 1. What is a financial intermediary?
- 2. Define money market.
- 3. What are the types of treasury bills ?
- 4. Define mutual fund.
- 5. What is IPO?
- 6. What do you mean by right issue ?
- 7. What is an asset financing company?
- 8. What is fire Insurance ?
- 9. What do you mean by insider trading?
- 10. What is call or notice money?
- 11. Who is a Merchant banker ?
- 12. What is factoring ?
- 13. What is the concept leasing ?
- 14. Define call money market.
- 15. What is venture capital?

 $(15 \times 2 = 30 \text{ marks}; \text{Ceiling } 25 \text{ marks})$ 

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#### **Section B**

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Each question carries 5 marks. Ceiling 35 marks.

- 16. What are the functions of financial markets ?
- 17. Write the difference between Money Market and Capital Market.
- 18. Explain the features of open-ended mutual fund.
- 19. Briefly explain the services of merchant banks.
- 20. Discuss the difference between primary market and secondary market.
- 21. Explain the advantages of treasury bills.
- 22. Explain the general utility service of commercial banks.
- 23. Write briefly the features of hire purchase.

 $(8 \times 5 = 40 \text{ marks}; \text{Ceiling 35 marks})$ 

### Section D

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 24. What is a nonbanking company ? Explain the services rendered by NBFCs.
- 25. Briefly discuss the money market instruments available in India.
- 26. What are the reasons for poor performance of primary market in India?
- 27. Explain the importance of mutual fund.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ marks})$ 

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