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(FOR THE CANDIDATES ADMITTED

24UCF204

DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024ONLY)

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N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) : POLLACHI

END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : APRIL 2025

COURSE NAME: B.COM FINANCE

MAXIMUM MARKS: 75

SEMESTER: II

TIME : 3 HOURS

**PART - III**

**24UCF204 – FINANCIAL MARKETS AND INSTITUTIONS**

**SECTION – A**

**(10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)**

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.(K1)**

1. Treasury bills are issued by:
  - A. Commercial banks
  - B. The central government
  - C. State governments
  - D. Non-banking financial companies (NBFCs)
2. The secondary market is also known as the:
  - A. Primary market
  - B. Stock exchange
  - C. Money market
  - D. Over-the-counter market
3. SEBI was established in which year?  
A. 1990      B. 1992      C. 1988      D. 1995
4. Which type of mutual fund invests primarily in government securities and bonds?  
A. Equity Fund    B. Debt Fund  
C. Hybrid Fund    D. Index Fund
5. Venture capital is typically provided to:
  - A. Established companies
  - B. Early-stage and high-growth start-ups
  - C. Government organizations
  - D. Non-profit organizations

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES**

**(K2)**

6. Define Financial Markets.

7. What is meant by listing of securities?

8. Explain ALGO Trading

9. What is Merchant banking?

10. Define venture capital

**SECTION – B**

**(5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)**

**ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K3)**

11. a) State the features of organized financial markets.

**(OR)**

b) Find out the functions of Government Securities Market.

12. a) List out the methods of issue of new issues.  
**(OR)**  
b) Explain advantages of listing of securities.

13. a) Explain about BSE BOLT System.  
**(OR)**  
b) Outline the merits of online trading.

14. a) Differences between merchant bank and commercial bank.  
**(OR)**  
b) Elucidate the importance of mutual fund

15. a) Write the features of venture capital.  
**(OR)**  
b) Discover the scope of venture capital in India.

**SECTION – C**

**(5 X 8 = 40 MARKS)**

**ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.(K4 /K5)**

16. a) Examine the various composition of money market.  
**(OR)**  
b) Analyse the functions of financial system.

17. a) Discuss the various players in the new issue market.  
**(OR)**  
b) Explain the methods of trading in a stock exchange.

18. a) Point out the features and advantages of mobile trading.  
**(OR)**  
b) Deduce the functions of SEBI.

19. a) Evaluate the services of merchant banks.  
**(OR)**  
b) Categorize the different types of mutual funds.

20. a) Summarize the activities of venture capital funds.  
**(OR)**  
b) Outline the advantages and disadvantages of venture capital.

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