

I Semester M.Com. (FA)/M.F.A. Examination, January/February 2018 (CBCS)

Paper - 1.6: FINANCIAL MARKETS AND SERVICES

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

SECTION - A

Answer any seven sub-questions. Each question carries two marks.

 $(7 \times 2 = 14)$

- 1. a) What is performance guarantee?
 - b) State the functions of FOREX market.
 - c) Who are the participants in call money market?
 - d) Distinguish CP and CD.
 - e) What is offer for sale?
 - f) What are 'A' group securities?
 - g) What are Leveraged lease?
 - h) Define mutual fund.
 - i) What are the functions of Monetary Policy Committee?
 - j) What is meant by exposure norms of banks?

SECTION-B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 5 marks:

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

- 2. Explain the features of financial instruments.
- 3. Explain the functions of DFHI.
- 4. Bring out the differences between financial and operating leases.
- 5. Explain the areas covered under "CAMELS" rating.
- 6. Explain the features of futures contract.
- 7. Explain the role of merchant bankers in financial market.



SECTION - C

Answer any three questions. Each question carries 12 marks.

 $(3 \times 12 = 36)$

- 8. Explain in detail Basel II and III accords covering capital adequacy for banks.
- 9. Discuss the role of venture capital in industrial development.
- 10. Explain the various types of factoring.
- 11. Describe the advantages of depository system.
- 12. What is credit rating? Bring out the advantages of credit rating in financing high value loans.