

B.Com. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2016**Fourth Semester****Core Course 12—FINANCIAL SERVICES**

(Common for Model I, Model II, and UGC sponsored B.Com Degree Programmes)

(2013 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Section A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

1. What do you mean by financial services ?
2. What is venture capital ?
3. What is NAV ?
4. Who is a lessor ?
5. What do you mean by full factoring ?
6. What do you mean by cross boarder lease ?
7. Who is bridge finance ?
8. What is exchange traded fund ?
9. Name any two credit rating agencies in India.
10. What is factoring ?

(10 × 1 = 10)

Section B

Answer any eight questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

11. What is meant by open ended mutual funds ?
12. What is meant by credit rating ?
13. What is a mutual fund? How does it function ?
14. What do you mean by securitization ?
15. Elucidate the importance of credit rating.
16. What do you mean by bill discounting? How is it different from factoring ?
17. Describe the features of financial lease.
18. Merchant banker acts as a portfolio manager as well. How ?

Turn over

19. Who is a financial intermediary and what is his role ?
20. What are the benefits of mutual funds to investors ?
21. What do you mean by sale and lease back ?
22. How is a share different from a mutual fund unit ?

(8 × 2 = 16)

Section C

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

23. What is CRISIL? Explain the rating procedure of CRISIL.
24. Explain the fee based financial services.
25. What do you mean by venture capital? Explain its features.
26. What are the functions of a merchant banker ?
27. What are the benefits of leasing to lessor and lessee ?
28. Explain the securitization procedure.
29. Differentiate maturity factoring and advance factoring.
30. What are the functions of mutual funds ?
31. Explain early stage financing by venture capital firms.

(6 × 4 = 24)

Section D

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

32. What do you mean by leasing ? Explain the different types of lease.
33. Explain the different mutual fund options or plans in India.
34. Explain the various financial services performed by merchant banker in capital market.
35. What is credit rating ? Explain the procedure of credit rating.

(2 × 15 = 30)