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B.A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION OCTOBER 2017**SEMESTER –5: ECONOMICS (CORE COURSE)****COURSE: 15U5CRECO10 - : ECONOMICS OF FINANCIAL MARKETS***(For Regular 2015 admission)*

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART AAnswer **all** questions in one or two sentences.Each question carries **1** mark

1. Primary Market
2. NASDAQ
3. Futures
4. Treasury Bill
5. Gilt Edged Securities
6. ESOP
7. Commercial Paper
8. Non-Bank financial Intermediaries
9. Underwriters
10. QIB's

(1 x 10 = 10)

PART BAnswer **any eight** of the following in three or four sentences.Each question carries **2** Marks.

11. Distinguish between ADR and GDR
12. Sketch the structure of the financial system
13. Write a short note on mutual funds
14. What are Pension Funds?
15. Distinguish between IPO and FPO
16. What are the features of the money market
17. Discuss the types of Preference Shares
18. Discuss the objectives of UTI
19. Distinguish between DFIs and FIIs
20. What are blue chip Shares

(2 x 8 = 16)

PART C

Answer **any five** of the following not exceeding one page

Each question carries **5** marks.

21. Examine the role of RBI in Indian Money market.
22. Discuss the process of book building.
23. Explain the structure of Indian money market.
24. Explain the role of SEBI in Indian capital market.
25. Give a brief account of the insurance companies in India.
26. Explain the different types of Derivatives.
27. Discuss the role of merchant banks in the capital market. (5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer **any two** of the following not exceeding four pages.

Each question carries **12** marks.

28. Discuss the various methods of marketing securities in the primary market?
29. Explain the importance of credit rating and highlight the main credit rating institutions in India?
30. Examine the different money market instruments and discuss the components of the money market?
31. What is a stock exchange? Explain the functions of the stock exchanges in India? (12 x 2 = 24)
