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# M. COM DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - OCTOBER 2022 <br> SEMESTER 1 : COMMERCE COURSE : 16P1COMT03 : FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT PRINCIPLES <br> (For Supplementary - 2020/2019/2018/2017 / 2016 Admissions) 

Time : Three Hours
Max. Marks: 75
PART A
Answer any 10 (2 marks each)

1. Compare and contrast Discounting and Compounding
2. What is Debt?
3. What is average cost of capital?
4. What do you meant by Dividend ?
5. State the difference between Debenture and Bond.
6. Compare and contrast Explicit cost and implicit cost.
7. What is systematic risk?
8. What is financial structure?
9. What do you meant by Traditional theory?
10. What is meant by Optimum capital structure?
11. What is investment decision?
12. What is Contribution?

## PART B

## Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

13. "Profit maximisation approach is not operationally feasible". Discuss.
14. State the difference between Gross working capital and Net working capital
15. State the importance of financial planning
16. What is financial risk? How does it arise?
17. The equity capitalisation rate of TR Ltd is $18 \%$. The company needs further capital of ₹ $5,00,000$. It has been estimated that the equity capitalisation rate would be:
(a) $16 \%$, if the company issues debentures of ₹ $1,00,000$
(b) $16.5 \%$, if the company issues debentures of $₹ 3,00,000$
(c) $17 \%$, if the company issues debentures of ₹ $5,00,000$

The net operating income of the company, after additional investment of ₹ $5,00,000$ would be ₹ $1,50,000$. Compute total value of the firm, value of equity and the overall cost of capital.
The interest on debenture under option:
(a) will be $10 \%$
(b) will be $12 \%$
(c) will be $14 \%$

Based on the Traditional theory of capital structure, give your suggestions.
18. Calculate the Degree of Operating Leverage, Degree of Financial Leverage and the Degree of Combined Leverage for the following firms and interpret the results.

| Firm | P | Q | R |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Output | $3,00,000$ | 75,000 | $5,00,000$ |
| 2. Fixed costs (₹) | $3,50,000$ | $7,00,000$ | 75,000 |
| 3. Unit variable costs (₹) | 1.00 | 7.50 | 0.10 |
| 4. Interest expenses (₹) | 25,000 | 40,000 | - |
| 5. Unit selling price (₹) | 3.00 | 25.00 | 0.50 |

19. What are various of Capital investment decisions?
20. A company has a sale of $₹ 2,00,000$. The variable costs are $40 \%$ of the sales, while the fixed costs amounted to ₹ 60,000.
The amount of interest on long term debt is ₹ 20,000.
Calculate the combined leverage and illustrate its impact if sales increases by 5\%

## PART C

Answer any 3 (10 marks each)
21. What is financial management? State its importance.
22. The following is the data regarding two companies ' A " and ' B ' belonging to the same equivalent risk class:

|  | Company A | Company B |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Number of ordinary shares | $1,00,000$ | $1,50,000$ |
| $8 \%$ Debentures | 50,000 | - |
| Market Price per share | Rs. 1.30 | Rs. 1.00 |
| Profit before interest | Rs. 20,000 | Rs. 20,000 |

All profits after paying debenture interest are distributed as dividends.
You are required to explain how under M \& M approach, an investor holding 10\% of shares in company ' A " will be better off in switching his holdings to Company ' B '
23. A company has to make a choice between 2 projects namely $A$ and $B$. The inital capital outlay of two projects are $₹ 1,35,000$ and $₹ 2,40,000$ respectively for $A$ and $B$. There will be no scrap value at the end of the life of both the projects. The opportunity cost of capital of the company is $16 \%$. The annual incomes are as under:-

| Year | Project A (₹) | Project B (₹) | Discounting factor at 16\% |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| 1 | - | 60,000 | 0.862 |
| 2 | 30,000 | 84,000 | 0.743 |
| 3 | $1,32,000$ | 96,000 | 0.641 |
| 4 | 84,000 | $1,02,000$ | 0.552 |
| 5 | 84,000 | 90,000 | 0.476 |

Calculate the following, for each project -
(1) Discounted Payback period
(2) Profitability Index
(3) Net Present Value
24. Explain the techniques of evaluating a project's financial viability
25. What are the determinants of Capital Structure of a Company?

