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B. COM DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION : MARCH 2023

SEMESTER 4 : COMMERCE

COURSE : 19U4RCOM16: FINANCIAL SERVICES

(For Regular - 2021 Admission and Improvement / Supplementary - 2020 / 2019 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A

Answer any 10 (2 marks each)

1. What does rating symbols convey?
2. What are non banking financial companies?
3. Define leasing.
4. What is securitisation function?
5. What is portfolio management?
6. How is factoring classified on the basis of credit risk?
7. What is underwriting of public issues?
8. Who is an originator?
9. What is meant by rating surveillance?
10. What is loan syndication?
11. What is second round financing?
12. What is harvesting?

(2 x 10 = 20)

PART B

Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

13. Briefly explain the structure of venture capital funds.
14. Why credit rating is required ? Explain.
15. What are the factors required for the success of the venture capital industry in India?
16. Briefly explain the core functions of financial service providers.
17. Discuss the modern activities of financial services?
18. What is equipment leasing? Describe its classification.
19. Give a short description of CRISIL.
20. Briefly explain the factors affecting the choice of mutual funds.

(5 x 5 = 25)

PART C

Answer any 3 (10 marks each)

21. Give an account as to how mutual funds are classified.
22. Describe the procedure followed by the credit rating agencies for giving rating symbols for debt instruments.
23. Briefly explain the functions of merchant bankers.
24. What are the advantages and disadvantages of leasing to its various stake holders?
25. How does venture capital funds contribute to the development of India?

(10 x 3 = 30)