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B. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH 2026

SEMESTER 6 : ECONOMICS

COURSE : 19U6CRECO13 : MONEY AND FINANCIAL SYSTEM

(For Regular 2023 Admission and Supplementary 2022/2021/2020/2019 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A

Answer All (1 mark each)

1. What is meant by online trading?
2. What is meant by a financial system?
3. Define NBFIs.
4. What is meant by an ETF?
5. What is meant by monetary base?
6. Define new issue market.
7. List out the major institutions in the money market.
8. Define private placement.
9. Define Insurance.
10. What is an acceptance house?

(1 x 10 = 10)

PART B

Answer any 8 (2 marks each)

11. What is near money? List out some examples.
12. How do you differentiate call money, notice money and term money?
13. List out some benefits of credit rating.
14. Distinguish between inside money and outside money.
15. Distinguish between warrants and options.
16. What is the meaning of Sensex and Nifty?
17. What is the difference between a provident fund and pension fund?
18. How does preference shares differ from common shares?
19. Distinguish between treasury bills and commercial papers.
20. Distinguish between debentures and bonds.

(2 x 8 = 16)

PART C

Answer any 5 (5 marks each)

21. Write a short note on the features of Indian money market.
22. Write a short note on depository receipts.
23. What is a mutual fund? Write a note on different types of mutual funds in India.
24. What are the features of venture capital investments?
25. Comment on the role and functions of financial markets.
26. What are the main reasons for the underdevelopment of Indian money market?
27. What is stock exchange? What are its functions.

(5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer any 2 (12 marks each)

28. Discuss the various methods of public issue in the primary market. Explain the process of book building.
29. Examine the role and functions of major credit rating agencies in India.
30. Discuss the major financial instruments of money market. Narrate the significance of these instruments for the smooth functioning of an economy.
31. Explain the structure and functioning of Indian financial system.

(12 x 2 = 24)