

M. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH 2026**SEMESTER 4 : ECONOMICS****COURSE : 24P4ECOT18EL : CAPITAL MARKET***(For Regular 2024 admission)*

Time : Three Hours

Max. Weights: 30

PART A**Answer any 8 questions****Weight: 1**

1. What is meant by bluechip shares? (U)
2. What is discounting? (U)
3. Define private placement (U)
4. What is meant by cash flow statement? (U)
5. Explain the relation between Rate of Interest and security prices. (U)
6. Who is a Qualified Institutional Investor? (U)
7. Define 'term bonds'. (U)
8. What is meant by GDR? (U)
9. Consumption is an act of sacrificing saving- Explain (U)
10. What are depository receipts? (U)

(1 x 8 = 8)**PART B****Answer any 6 questions****Weights: 2**

11. Write a note on Net Present Value. (U)
12. Write an essay on the major stock market indices in India and abroad. (U)
13. Write a note on the concept of value in the stock market (U)
14. Investment climate determines the investment alternatives in a country - Discuss. (E)
15. Explain the need for savings and investment. (U)
16. What are the types of portfolio management services? (U)
17. Comment on the functions of stock exchanges in India. (An)
18. Discuss the role and functions of capital market in Indian context (E)

(2 x 6 = 12)**PART C****Answer any 2 questions****Weights: 5**

19. Consider the following situations-
 - (a) An investor has some amount of money with him. He would like to know the future value of that money if he invests that money at a particular rate of interest.
 - (b) An investor knows the expected rate of return on an investment and the future cash flows. He would like to know the present sum of money which should be invested. (A)
 Which are the techniques the investor is going to use in these situations? Explain them in detail.
20. Explain the theoretical analysis of stock valuation (An)
21. Examine the role and importance of capital market in an economy. (An)

22. Write a note on the need for credit rating. Also explain the major functions of credit rating agencies operating in India.

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(5 x 2 = 10)

OBE: Questions to Course Outcome Mapping

CO	Course Outcome Description	CL	Questions	Total Wt.
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Cognitive Level (CL): Cr - CREATE; E - EVALUATE; An - ANALYZE; A - APPLY; U - UNDERSTAND; R - REMEMBER;