

**UNDERGRADUATE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2019****Fifth Semester****Open Course—INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT**

(Offered by the B.O.S. in Management)

[2013—2016 Admissions]

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

**Part A***Answer all questions.**Each question carries 1 mark.*

1. Expand MMMF.
2. Define sub-broker.
3. Give the meaning of risk.
4. What do you mean by security analysis ?
5. What is capital market ?
6. Expand BSE.
7. What is market risk ?
8. Give any two indirect investment alternatives.
9. What are secondary securities ?
10. What is zero coupon bonds ?

(10 × 1 = 10)

**Part B***Answer any eight questions.**Each question carries 2 marks.*

11. What is Employee Provident Fund Scheme ?
12. Give any four objectives of investment in securities.
13. What is offer for sale ?
14. Name the constituents of a financial system.
15. What are whole life policies ?
16. Write short note on 'Jobbers'.
17. List out some close ended schemes.
18. What is single premium policy ?

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19. Name the active institutional investors in India.
20. What do you mean by derivatives ?
21. Mention four causes of risk.
22. What is investment trust ?

(8 × 2 = 16)

### Part C

*Answer any six questions.  
Each question carries 4 marks.*

23. Differentiate between Shares and Debentures.
24. What do you mean by a stock exchange ? Give its characteristics.
25. Discuss the investment schemes for NRIs.
26. Distinguish between Commercial paper and Certificate of deposit.
27. Explain the factors affecting investment decision.
28. Explain the direct investment alternatives available to an investor.
29. What are the problems of mutual funds in India ?
30. Discuss the advantages of issue of bonus shares.
31. "No investment is risk free." Comment.

(6 × 4 = 24)

### Part D

*Answer any two questions.  
Each question carries 15 marks.*

32. What are the objectives of investments ? Also describe features of an investment programme.
33. Explain marketing of securities. Explain different methods of marketing of corporate securities.
34. What do you mean by mutual fund ? Discuss the different types of mutual funds.
35. What are the features of the units of the UTI ? What are the advantages of buying the units of UTI ?

(2 × 15 = 30)