

**MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION  
FOURTH SEMESTER  
MANAGEMENT OF FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES  
MBA-404C**

Duration : 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

**[ PART-A: Objective ]**

Time : 20 min.

Marks : 20

*Choose the correct answer from the following:*

*1X20=20*

1. Derivative is a financial product whose value is derived from -----
  - a. Financial Market
  - b. Financial Security
  - c. Underlying Asset
  - d. None of the above
2. ----- contract is traded in over the counter
  - a. Forward
  - b. Futures
  - c. Option
  - d. All of the above
3. One of the most important services provided by the derivatives is to control, avoid, shift and manage efficiently different types of ----- through various strategies.
  - a. Price
  - b. Risk
  - c. Return
  - d. All of the above
4. ----- serve as barometers of the future trends in prices which result in the discovery of new prices both on the spot and futures markets.
  - a. Forward contract
  - b. Futures contract
  - c. Option contract
  - d. Swap contract
5. The term ----- refers to the financial instruments whose value is determined on the basis of the price movement of the equity.
  - a. Equity Derivatives
  - b. Commodity Derivatives
  - c. Financial Derivatives
  - d. None of the above
6. Financial derivatives include:
  - a. Stocks
  - b. Commodity
  - c. Real Estate
  - d. All of the above
7. Which of the following are the benefits of commodity futures?
  - a. Price discovery
  - b. Faster dissemination of information
  - c. Reducing cost of credit
  - d. All of the above
8. The derivatives which confers a right without an obligation to buy or sell another asset is ----
  - a. Forward derivatives
  - b. Future derivatives
  - c. Option derivatives
  - d. Swap derivatives
9. A right to buy the underlying asset at predetermined price within specified interval of time



- a. Call option  
c. Both 'a' & 'b'
- b. Put option  
d. None of the above
10. A right to sell the underlying asset at predetermined price within a specified interval of time  
a. Call option  
c. Both 'a' & 'b'
- b. Put option  
d. None of the above
11. The person who obtains the right to buy or sell but has no obligation to perform is called  
a. Holder  
c. Seller
- b. Write  
d. All of the above
12. The predetermined price at the time of buying/writing of an option at which it can be exercised is called  
a. premium  
c. Spot price
- b. Strike price  
d. All of the above
13. The binomial model of stock price movements is a -----  
a. Binary Model  
c. Double movement model
- b. Discrete time model  
d. All of the above
14. The right to exercise the option is valid for a limited period of time. The latest time when the option can be exercised is called  
a. Strike date  
c. Both 'a' & 'b'
- b. Maturity date  
d. None of the above
15. A ----- is a derivative contract where two parties agreed to performance contract on cash flows in near futures.  
a. Swap  
c. Option
- b. Future  
d. forward
16. A ----- swap is a swap where exchanged cash flows are dependent on the price of an underlying commodity  
a. Fixed-Floating swap  
c. Both 'a' and 'b'
- b. Commodity-for-interest swap  
d. None of the above
17. The index of National Stock Exchange is .....  
a. Sensex  
c. S&P 500
- b. Nifty  
d. S&P CNX
18. The market risk factors like: changes in the interest rates, Inflation rates, government trade policies, economic activities, political factors, changes in tax laws etc. is known as -----  
a. Systematic risk  
c. External risk
- b. Unsystematic risk  
d. Internal risk
19. Funds managers or money managers use stock index futures basically for three purposes, they are .....

- a. Hedging, asset allocation & yield enhancement  
b. Hedging, speculation & arbitrageur  
c. Risk, return & security  
d. None of the above

20. A ..... futures contract deals with buying or selling of the face value of a stock index  
a. Stock Index  
b. Sensex  
c. Nifty  
d. None of the above

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**( PART-B : Descriptive )**

Time: 2 HRS 40 MINS

Marks : 50

[ Answer question no.(1) & any four (4) from the rest ]

1. Given the following information about a Share: 10  
Current market price: Rs 50  
Annual volatility: 30%  
Risk-free interest rate: 10%  
Find out the value of 3-month call option using Black Scholes Model with exercise price of  
(a) Rs 40  
(b) Rs 50 and  
(c) Rs 60

*Note: Area under the standard normal distribution [N(d)]*

| <i>d</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>d</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>d</i> | <i>0</i> |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 0.0      | 0.500    | 0.7      | 0.7580   | 1.4      | 0.9192   |
| 0.1      | 0.5398   | 0.8      | 0.7881   | 1.5      | 0.9332   |
| 0.2      | 0.5793   | 0.9      | 0.8159   | 1.6      | 0.9452   |
| 0.3      | 0.6179   | 1.0      | 0.8413   | 1.7      | 0.9554   |
| 0.4      | 0.6554   | 1.1      | 0.8643   | 1.8      | 0.9641   |
| 0.5      | 0.6915   | 1.2      | 0.8849   | 1.9      | 0.9713   |
| 0.6      | 0.7291   | 1.3      | 0.9032   | 2.0      | 0.9772   |

2. What is a Derivative? Explain the different types of financial derivatives. 3+7=10
3. Explain Pricing Futures on Investment Asset (Cost of Carry Model) and Pricing Futures on Consumption Asset. 5+5=10
4. Explain Cash-and-Carry Arbitrage and Reverse Cash-and-Carry Arbitrage. 4+6=10
5. Explicate Call Option and Put Option with the help diagram. And also justify the Binomial Option Pricing Model using three different investors as an example at three different scenarios. 4+6=10
6. What is a Swap? Explain the different types of Swap. 3+7=10
7. What is a Commodity Swap? Explain the Types, Structure and Valuing of Commodity Swap. 3+7=10
8. Briefly explain the concept of Stock Index. Explain Stock Index Futures as a Portfolio Management Tool. 3+7=10

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