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COMMERCE

(Speciality)

Course : 601

(Financial Services)

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

(New Course)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 24

1. (a) Fill in the blanks :

1×4=4

(i) _____ has been set up mainly to provide a secondary market in government securities.

(ii) The National Securities Depository Ltd. was formed in the year _____.

(iii) Ratings are expressed in ____.

(iv) In operating lease, the risk of obsolescence is borne by the ____.

(b) Write True or False :

1×4=4

(i) Portfolio management is a kind of fund-based service.

(ii) In financial lease, the contracts are cancellable either by the lessor or by the lessee.

(iii) Venture capitalists share the risk in the business.

(iv) Loan syndication refers to getting term loans for projects from consortium.

2. Write short notes on any four of the following :
4×4=16

(a) Merchant bank

(b) Benefits of depository services

(c) Sale and leaseback

(d) CRISIL

(e) SEBI

(f) Features of financial services

3. (a) Discuss in detail the methodology adopted by credit rating agencies in India.

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Or

(b) What is credit rating? Discuss the role of credit rating agencies in the industrial development of a country.

4+10=14

4. (a) How does leasing help the lessee? What are its limitations?

7+7=14

Or

(b) Discuss about various types of lease.

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5. (a) What are custodial services? How do they help the development of financial market in the country?

4+10=14

Or

(b) Give an account on the nature and function of depositories.

5+9=14

(4)

6. (a) What is portfolio management? Explain the principles of portfolio management.

4+10=1

Or

- (b) What are the features of venture capital? Discuss its disadvantages. 8+6=1