

III Semester M.Com. (FA) Degree Examination, May/June 2023 (CBCS Scheme) (2021 – 22) COMMERCE (Financial Analysis) Paper – 3.2 : Security Analysis and Portfolio Management

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 70

SECTION - A

- Answer any seven sub-questions out of ten. Each question carries two
 marks. (7×2=14)
 - a) Define Money Market Securities.
 - b) What are Hybrid Instruments?
 - c) Explain Efficient Market Hypothesis.
 - d) State the fixed and variable income securities.
 - e) What is Renko chart? Where is it used?
 - f) Define the term Speculation.
 - g) What are the technical indicators used in stock market?
 - h) Explain Portfolio Management.
 - i) Enumerate the relationship between Risk and Return.
 - j) Describe Global Mutual Funds.

SECTION - B

Answer any four questions out of six. Each question carries five marks. (4×5=20)

- 2. Bring out the difference between Investment and Hedging.
- 3. Equal amount of investment is made in portfolio consisting of securities X and Y. Standard Deviation of X is 12.43%; Standard Deviation of Y is 16.54%; Correlation coefficient is 0.82; what shall be the Covariance?
- Describe Technical Analysis. Bring out the various modern tools for technical analysis.
- 5. Write a note on International Fund Management.
- 6. Briefly analyze the evaluation strategies under MM Model.
- 7. Define the purpose of CAPM. Enumerate its assumptions.



SECTION - C

Answer any two questions out of four. Each question carries twelve marks.
(2×12=24)

- 8. State Investment decision process. What factors should an investor consider while making investment decision?
- 9. Explain Dow Theory. Discuss its relevance in analysis of securities.
- 10. Critically analyze the Harry Markowitz Optimum Portfolio Theory with suitable examples.
- 11. Write a note on Global Mutual Funds. Explain the relationship between trends in global market and domestic markets.

SECTION - D

- 12. Answer the following skill based question, carrying twelve marks. (1×12=12)
 - a) Calculate beta factor for the following and expected returns (using CAPM) and offer your comments. Return on Government Securities was 6%.

Year	Return from A Ltd. (%)	Return from B Ltd. (%)	Return from Market (%)
1	13	14	12
2	12	12	14
3	14	14 11	
4	16	15	14

b) Data on a mutual fund is given below:

Fund Name	Mean Return	Std. Deviation	Beta
A	10%	25%	0.75
Market Index	16%	20%	1.00

The risk free rate is 9%, calculate Treynor, Sharpe and Jensen measures of Fund A.

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