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# M.Com. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2020 II Year IV Semester Advanced Financial Management

Time: 3 Hours Max.marks:75

#### **Section A** $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ Marks

#### Answer any **TEN** questions

- 1. What is meant by Financial Management?
- 2. Mention any two objectives of Financial Management.
- 3. What do you understand by 'Time Value of Money'?
- 4. State the meaning of Sensitivity Analysis.
- 5. Write a short note on Marginal Cost of Capital.
- 6. What is meant by Dividend Policy?
- 7. State Traditional Approach to Capital structure.
- 8. What do you mean by Operating Leverage?
- 9. What is a Credit Policy?
- 10. Write a note on Working Capital Management.
- 11. A Project costs Rs.20,00,000 and yields annually a profit of Rs.3,00,000 after depreciation at  $12\frac{1}{2}$  but before tax at 50%. Calculate pay- back period.
- 12. From the following information, calculate operating leverage:

No. of units produced and sold : 30,000 Selling price per unit : Rs.20 Variable cost per unit : Rs.10

Fixed cost per unit at current level of sales is Rs.5.

## **Section B** $(5 \times 5 = 25)$ Marks

# Answer any **FIVE** questions

- 13. State briefly the significance of Financial Management.
- 14. Explain the various methods of evaluating capital expenditure decisions.
- 15. What are the factors influencing working capital requirements?

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16. An investment of Rs.10,000 (having scrap value of Rs.500) yields the following returns:

Year	1	2	3	4	5
CFAT	4,000	4,000	3,000	3,000	2,500

The cost of capital is 10%. Is the investment desirable? Discuss it according to NPV method assuming the P.V. factors for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th year. – 0.909, 0.826, 0.751, 0.683 and 0.620 respectively.

- 17. The earnings per share of a company are Rs.12. The cost of equity capital is 10%. The rate of return on investment is 15%. Compute the market price per share under Waltor's model if payout is (a) 50% (b) 75%
- 18. Martin Ltd. has the following capital structure:

Rs. 25,000 Equity shares of Rs.10 each 2,50,000 2,000 9% Pref. Shares of Rs.100 each 2,00,000 3,000 10% Debentures of Rs.100 each 3,00,000

The company's EBIT is Rs.1,25,000. Calculate the financial leverage assuming that the company is in 40% tax bracket.

19. Rose Ltd. is engaged in customer retailing. You are required to estimate its working capital requirements from the following data:

Project annual sales Rs.9,00,000 Percentage of net profit to cost of sales 20% Average credit allowed to debtors 1 month Average credit allowed by creditors 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  months Average stock carrying (in terms of sales requirements) 2 months Add 10% to allow for contingencies.

**Section C** 
$$(2 \times 15 = 30)$$
 Marks

## Answer any **TWO** questions

- 20. Discuss the role of Finance manager in changing scenario.
- 21. X Ltd. is considering investing in a project requiring a capital outlay of Rs.8,00,000. Forecast for annual net incomes after depreciation but before tax are as follows:

Year	1	2	3	4	5
Profit (Rs.)	4,00,000	4,00,000	3,20,000	3,20,000	1,60,000

Depreciation may be taken as 20% on original cost and taxation at 50% of net income.

You are required to evaluate the project according to each of the following methods:

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(a) Pay back method , (b) Rate of return on average investment method and

(c) NPV method taking cost of capital as 10%.

22. A company was recently formed to manufacture a new product. It has the following capital structure:

		Rs.
(i)	9% Debenture	10,00,000
(ii)	7% Preference shares	4,00,000
(iii)	Equity shares(48,000 shares)	16,00,000
(iv)	Retained earnings	10,00,000
		40,00,000

The market price of equity share is Rs.80. A dividend of Rs.8 per share is proposed. The company has marginal tax rate of 50% and shareholder's individual tax rate is 25%. Compute after tax weighted average cost of capital of the company.

23. Godrej company sells goods in the home market and earns a gross profit of 20% on sales. Its annual figures are as follows. Sales Rs.3,00,000; Materials used Rs.1,08,000; Wages Rs.96,000; Manufacturing expenses Rs.30,000; Administrative expenses Rs.1,20,000; Depreciation Rs.12,000; Selling expenses Rs.18,000.

#### Additional information:

- (a) Credit given by suppliers 2 months
- (b) Credit allowed to customers 1 month
- (c) Lag in payment of wages  $\frac{1}{2}$ month
- (d) Lag in payment of administrative expenses 1 month.
- (e) Selling expenses are paid quarterly in advance.
- (f) Raw materials and finished goods are in stock for 1 month
- (g) Cash balance estimated to be maintained at Rs.30,000.

You are required to prepare a statement of working capital requirement.