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NOIDA INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY, GREATER NOIDA

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MBA

SEM: III - THEORY EXAMINATION (2021 - 2022)

Subject: Security and Portfolio Management

Time: 03:00 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

General Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory. It comprises of three Sections A, B and C.
 - Section A - Question No- 1 is objective type question carrying 1 mark each & Question No- 2 is very short type questions carrying 2 marks each.
 - Section B - Question No- 3 is Long answer type - I questions carrying 6 marks each.
 - Section C - Question No- 4 to 8 are Long answer type - II questions carrying 10 marks each.
 - No sheet should be left blank. Any written material after a Blank sheet will not be evaluated/checked.

SECTION A

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1. Attempt all parts:-

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| 1-a. | How many companies are included in the SENSEX? (CO1) | 1 |
| | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 30 2. 50 3. 111 4. 25 | |
| 1-b. | The term Bullish indicates: (CO1) | 1 |
| | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Positive price action 2. Negative price action 3. Neutral price action 4. None of these. | |
| 1-c. | In EIC approach, E stands for earnings of the company (CO2) | 1 |
| | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. TRUE 2. FALSE | |
| 1-d. | Double top and triple top patterns are bearish in nature (CO2) | 1 |
| | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. TRUE 2. FALSE | |
| 1-e. | A bond that makes no coupon payments (and thus is initially priced at a deep discount to par value) is called a ----- bond.(CO3) | 1 |
| | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Treasury 2. municipal | |

- 3. floating rate
- 4. zero-coupon
- 1-f. EPS depends on net profit available to..... Shareholders.(CO3) 1
 - 1. Equity
 - 2. Preference
 - 3. Debenture
 - 4. Both A and B
- 1-g. What does the standard deviation measure?(CO4) 1
 - 1. The gain on the investment
 - 2. the holding period
 - 3. Risk
 - 4. amount of dividend
- 1-h. Systematic risk is diversifiable (CO4) 1
 - 1. TRUE
 - 2. FALSE
- 1-i. The ----- measures the reward to volatility tradeoff by dividing the average portfolio excess returned by the standard deviation of returns (CO5) 1
 - 1. Jensen measure
 - 2. Treynor measure
 - 3. Sharpe measure
 - 4. none of these
- 1-j. The final phase in Portfolio Management is of (CO5) 1
 - 1. Security Analysis
 - 2. Portfolio Revision
 - 3. Portfolio Evaluation
 - 4. Portfolio Execution

2. Attempt all parts:-

- 2-a. Explain risk as a characteristic of investment. (CO1) 2
- 2-b. Explain the bearish trend. (CO2) 2
- 2-c. Explain the concept of zero coupon bond. (CO3) 2
- 2-d. Explain how the number of input data estimates required in Markowitz model calculated. (CO4) 2
- 2-e. Explain reward to variability ratio. (CO5) 2

SECTION B

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3. Answer any five of the following:-

- 3 Explain elements of risk. (CO1) 6
- 3 What are the two statistical methods used for calculation of Beta? (CO1) 6
- 3-c. Explain the hypothesis of Dow theory (CO2) 6
- 3-d. Explain the merits of technical analysis as a tool of security analysis. (CO2) 6

- 3-e. The investment decision of the fundamental analyst is based on the relationship between market price and intrinsic value. Explain (CO3) 6
- 3-f. Explain the risk return calculation of a portfolio with more than two securities. (CO4) 6
- 3-g. Distinguish between Sharpe ratio and Treynor ratio. (CO5) 6

SECTION C

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4. Answer any one of the following:-

- 4-a. Calculate the expected return and standard deviation of returns for ITC Ltd. with the following details: (CO1) 10

Possible returns	Probability of occurrence
-15	0.10
-5	0.10
0	0.10
10	0.15
15	0.20
20	0.20
25	0.15

- 4-b. Explain different components of systematic risk and unsystematic risk. (CO1) 10

5. Answer any one of the following:-

- 5-a. Describe different types of price charts used by technical analyst. (CO2) 10
- 5-b. Explain EIC concept in reference to fundamental analysis of share valuation. (CO2) 10

6. Answer any one of the following:-

- 6-a. The value of a bond is equal to the present value of its expected cashflows. Explain with an example (CO3) 10
- 6-b. Explain the equity valuation model which assumes that dividends will grow at the same rate into the indefinite future. (CO3) 10

7. Answer any one of the following:-

- 7-a. Explain the impact of covariance on portfolio risk when security returns are perfectly positively correlated, negatively correlated and uncorrelated. (CO4) 10
- 7-b. The following information is available in respect of 4 portfolios: (CO4) 10

Portfolio	Expected return	Standard Deviation
I	13%	0.08
II	10%	0.06
III	17%	0.13
IV	20%	0.18

The risk free rate is 6% . Which portfolio is best in terms of expected return using Sharpe ratio.

8. Answer any one of the following:-

- 8-a. Explain the difference between ETFs and mutual funds.(CO5) 10
- 8-b. The actual return realised from a fund is 12% with beta coefficient being 0.7. The market return is 15% and the risk free rate is 7%. Calculate the expected return and the differential return. (CO5) 10