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## III Semester B.Com. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – O.B.E. -Regular/Supplementary/ Improvement) Examination, November 2024 (2019 to 2023 Admissions) Core Course (Optional)

3B04 COM (FINANCE - I): FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 40

## PART – A (Very Short Answer)

Answer any six questions from the following. Each question carries 1 mark.

 $(6 \times 1 = 6)$ 

- 1. What do you mean by Financing decision?
- 2. What is Reserve Margin?
- 3. What is Stock dividend?
- 4. What is implicit cost of capital?
- 5. What is trading on equity?
- 6. What is Net working capital?
- 7. What is stock split?
- 8. What is capital rationing?

## PART – B (Short Essay)

Answer any six questions from the following. Each question carries 3 marks.

 $(6 \times 3 = 18)$ 

- 9. Explain different concepts of working capital.
- 10. What are different working capital policies?





- 11. Discuss the following terms:
  - a) Dividend payout ratio
  - b) Permanent working capital
  - c) Dividend yield method.
- 12. What are the different methods used for calculating cost of equity?
- 13. X Ltd. has issued 10,000 equity shares of Rs. 100 each and 5,000 9% debentures of Rs. 100 each. The operating profit of the company during the year is Rs. 3,00,000. Compute Financial Leverage.
- 14. What are the assumptions of Net Operating Income Theory?
- 15. Why profit maximisation is considered as a major objective of Financial Management?
- 16. Discuss NPV method in capital budgeting.

## PART – C (Long Essay)

Answer any two questions from the following. Each question carries 8 marks.

 $(2 \times 8 = 16)$ 

- 17. X Ltd. proposes to install a new Machine in its plant at a cost of Rs. 20 Lakhs. The company expects that the investment will make additional cash inflow of Rs. 4 Lakhs per year. The company has another alternative in which a similar machine can be imported at a cost of Rs. 30 Lakhs and in that case, the annual cash inflow of the firm would increase by Rs. 8 Lakhs. Using Payback period method, advice the company as to which option should they adopt.
- 18. "Financial leverage acts as a lever to magnify the influence of fluctuations of operating income on EPS". Comment. Explain the importance of Financial Leverage.
- 19. A Ltd. gives the following details. Compute operating, financial and combined leverage. Sales Rs. 40 Lakhs; variable cost Rs. 25 Lakhs; Fixed cost Rs. 6 Lakhs; 10% debt of Rs. 30 Lakhs; and Equity capital of Rs. 45 Lakhs.