POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN FINANCIAL MARKETS PRACTICE

Term-End Examination June, 2021

MFP-04: CURRENCY AND DEBT MARKETS

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 100

(Weightage: 70%)

Note: Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. Explain the evolution of Indian Foreign Exchange market. Describe the products traded in the Indian foreign currency market and differentiate between Over-the Counter (OTC) vs. Exchange Traded currency derivatives.
- **2.** Explain the theories of exchange rate determination and describe the economic factors that have an impact on the exchange rates.
- **3.** Discuss the functions and salient features of derivatives and describe Currency Swaps and Forward Rate Agreements (FRA).

- **4.** What are 'Option Greeks'? Explain the different types and discuss the different factors that impact the option valuation.
- 5. Explain the structure of Indian debt markets and describe the instruments issued in the debt market. Discuss the major reforms/innovations which have taken place in Indian Corporate and Government debt market.
- **6.** What is Money Market? How does it differ from Capital Market? Describe any five money market instruments.
- **7.** What is meant by 'Duration' of a Bond? How is the Duration and Modified Duration of a bond calculated?
- **8.** Write short notes on the following:
 - (a) Interest Rate Cap
 - (b) Total Return Swap
 - (c) Interest Rate Swaps
 - (d) Stress Testing