

**MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME /
POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN FINANCIAL
MARKETS PRACTICE**

Term-End Examination

December, 2017

MFP-001 : EQUITY MARKETS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Weightage : 70%

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- Note : (i) Attempt any five questions.
(ii) All questions carry equal marks.*
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1. Explain the role of financial markets in an economy. Discuss the different segments of financial markets and explain their functions.
2. Explain the role of different Intermediaries that are involved in Primary market issuance and settlement of securities transactions.
3. Describe the process of "Application Supported by Blocked Amount" (ASBA) and discuss the advantages of applying through this method.
4. What is a 'Depository' ? Describe the settlement process involved in the depository system. Discuss the benefits of the depository system.
5. What do you understand by Cash flow statement ? What purpose does it serve ? Explain the components of cash flow statement. How does it differ from a Cash Budget ? Discuss.

6. Explain the meaning and significance of 'Technical Analysis'. Discuss the popular Charting Techniques for Technical Analysis.
 7. Why do the investors need to have trading strategies while investing in Financial Markets ? Explain the popular trading strategies and discuss the factors affecting them.
 8. What is meant by 'Portfolio Diversification' ? Why is it necessary ? Discuss the different Portfolio Diversification strategies.
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