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Ph.D. IN MANAGEMENT (PHDMGMT)

Term-End Examination December, 2018

RMSE-001 : AREAWISE ADVANCED COURSE OF STUDY AND READINGS : FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 100

(Weightage): 50%

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

- 1. What is risk? What type of risk can be reduced by holding a large portfolio? Under what conditions will combining two or more assets in a portfolio create diversification benefits? Under what conditions will there be no benefits?
- 2. What do you understand by Net Present Value (NPV)? How is it computed? Will the net present value of a project always drop when the discount rate is increased? If not when might the NPV go up as the discount rate is increased.
- 3. Explain the Arbitrage Pricing Theory (APT). Why do the Capital Asset Pricing Model (CAPM) and Arbitrage Pricing Theory (APT) measure the undiversifiable risk differently?

- 4. What do you understand by Options? A protective Put is created when a long position in a stock is married to a long position in a put on that stock. What position in call options is equivalent to a protective put?
- 5. What do you understand by 'Financial Restructuring'? Discuss the factors that prompts the corporates to go for financial restructuring.
- 6. What do you understand by Relative Valuation? Discuss the various multiples used for relative valuation.
- 7. What do you understand by foreign exchange exposure? Discuss the various techniques used to manage transaction exposure.
- 8. Explain the following concepts in the context of Multiple Regression Analysis:
 - (a) R^2
 - (b) Multicollinearity
 - (c) Residual
 - (d) Stepwise regression