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# Fourth Semester M.Com. (IBM) Degree <br> Examination, September/October 2022 <br> (Choice Based Credit System) COMMERCE <br> Advanced Financial Management 

Time : 3 Hours
Max. Marks : 70

## SECTION - A

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 10 marks. Answer to the question should not exceed 5 Pages.

1. How wealth maximization objectives superior to profit maximization objective? Explain.
2. Explain the position of call option holder with change in price on either side.
3. Describe the steps involved in capital budgeting.
4. Discuss the different approaches to deal uncertainty.
5. Bring out and explain different sources of financing.
6. Explain the causes of sickness in Indian Industries.
7. XYZ Ltd. earn Rs. 10 share. Capitalization rate and return on investment are 10 percent and 12 percent respectively. Determine the optimum dividend payout ratio and the price of the shares at the payout. According to Walter's model, when a company can maximize its share price if its return on investment changes either side?

## SECTION - B

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks. Answer to the question should not exceed 7 pages.
8. Bring out and explain the factors influencing dividend policy of a firm.

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9. There are two firms U Ltd. and L Ltd. having same NOI of Rs. 20,000 except that $L$ Ltd. is a levered company having a debt of Rs. 1,00,000 at 7 percent and cost of equity of U Ltd. and L Ltd. are 10 percent and 18 percent respectively. Compute how arbitrage process will work.
10. At the beginning of first year, a business enterprise is trying to decide between two potential investments.
Required : Assuming a required rate of return of $10 \%$ p.a. evaluate the investment proposals under: (a) return on investment, (b) payback period, (c) discounted payback period and d) profitability index .

The forecast details are given below.

|  | Proposal A <br> Rs. | Proposal B <br> Rs. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Cost of investment | 20,000 | 28,000 |
| Life | 4 Years | 5 Years |
| Scrap value | Nil | Nil |
| Net income (after depreciation and tax) |  |  |
| $1^{\text {st }}$ Year | 500 | Nil |
| $2^{\text {nd }}$ Year | 2,000 | 3,400 |
| $3^{\text {rd }}$ Year | 3,500 | 3,400 |
| $4^{\text {th }}$ Year | 2,500 | 3,400 |
| $5^{\text {th }}$ Year | Nil | 3,400 |

It is estimated that each of the alternative projects will require an additional working capital of Rs. 2,000, which will be received back in full after the end of each project. Depreciation is provided using the straight line method and discount rate is 10 percent.

