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**BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024**

**2023 ADMISSIONS REGULAR**

**SEMESTER III - CORE COURSE COMMERCE**

**CO3C09B23 - Financial Markets and Operations**

**Time : 3 Hours**

**Maximum Marks : 80**

**Part A**

**I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 2 marks**

**(10x2=20)**

1. Discuss the term Repo Rate.
2. Enumerate Financial Markets.
3. Explain Bonus Issue.
4. Differentiate between Rights Issue and Bonus Issue.
5. Explain dematerialisation.
6. Explain Online Trading.
7. Describe Private Equity.
8. Recall what are MMMFs.
9. Explain Close-ended schemes of mutual fund.
10. Describe why forwards are known as OTC contracts.
11. Discuss any two features of forward contract.
12. Differentiate between put option and call option.

**Part B**

**II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks**

**(6x5=30)**

13. Give the features of money market.
14. Give a brief account of the types of preference shares
15. State the types of private placement.
16. Discuss the forms of Underwriting in detail.
17. Describe the operations of BSE.
18. Differentiate between Primary Market and Secondary Market.
19. Explain the types of mutual funds schemes on the basis of their structure.
20. Explain features of Options.
21. Describe the advantages of Forwards and Futures.

**Part C**

**III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 15 marks**

**(2x15=30)**

22. Discuss "The role of SEBI is developmental and regulatory"
23. Discuss the methods of floating new issues.
24. Evaluate the abilities and activities of the types of speculators of stock exchange in forecasting the price movements.
25. Elucidate the benefits of mutual funds.