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SUPPLEMETARY EXAMINATION PAPER

July - **2017**

DEGREE / YEAR OF STUDY: BACHELOR OF COMMERCE YEAR III (PART-TIME)

Title of Paper

PRINCIPLES OF FINANCE

Course Code

IDE AC: 213 (Part – Time) July 2017

Total Marks

100

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Time Allowed

THREE HOURS

Instructions

- (i) There are **FOUR** Questions Answers to All
- (ii) Begin the solutions to each Question on a New page
- (iii) The marks awarded for each question are indicated at the end of the question
- (iv) Show all your workings
- (v) Calculations are to be made to zero decimal places of accuracy, unless otherwise Instructed.

RECOMMENDATION: Reading time should not exceed fifteen minutes

Note:

You are reminded that in assessing your work, account will be taken of accuracy of the language and general quality of expression, together with layout and presentation of your answer.

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SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

: CALCULATOR

QUESTION NO.01

i. Define financial management. Explain the importance of financial management.

(Marks: 15)

ii.. Explain the process of financial management.

(Marks: 10)

QUESTION NO.02

i. Explain different financial tools of financial management.

(Marks:10)

ii. What do you mean by risk? Explain different types of risk in a company.

(Marks: 15)

QUESTION NO.03

The following is the balance sheet of a company as on 31-12-2016. (Marks:25)

Liabilities	Amount	Assets	Amount
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Equity share capital	3, 00,000	Land &buildings	1, 50,000
Preference share capital	1,00,000	Plant & machinery	3, 00,000
Reserves	1, 50,000	Investment	1,00,000
Profit &loss A/c	50,000	Goodwill	1,00,000
Debentures	2, 00,000	Furniture	1,00,000
Long – Term Loans	2, 00,000	Stock	1, 50,000
Creditors	1, 00,000	Debtors	1, 50,000
Other current liabilities	1,00,000	Bills Receivable	50,000
		Cash in hand	50,000
		Cash at bank	50,000
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Income statement of the company for the year ended 31-12-2016

Particulars	Amount
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Sales	6, 00,000
_ Cost of Sales	4, 00,000
Gross Profit	2, 00,000
_ Operating Expenses	1,00,000
Net profit	1, 00,000
_ Income Tax	50,000

From the above the data calculate and interpret of the following ratios.

- 1, Current Ratio
- 2, Liquidity Ratio
- 3, Stock Turnover Ratio
- 4, Debt Equity Ratio
- 5. Gross Profit Ratio
- 6. Net Profit Ratio
- 7, Fixed Assets Turnover Ratio
- 8, Proprietor Ratio
- 9, Solvency Ratio
- 10. Fixed Assets to Net worth Ratio

QUESTION NO.04

- i. Explain different sources of long term –finance. (Marks:10)
- ii. What do you mean by financial plan? Explain different types of keyFactors to determine financial plan. (Marks: 15)