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# JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD MBA IV Semester Examinations, December - 2019 INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

Time: 3hours Max.Marks:75

**Note:** This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 25 marks. Answer all questions in Part A. Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

## PART - A $5 \times 5$ Marks = 25

1.a) Explain the Evolution of International Financial System. [5]

- b) Explain the concept of Balance of Payments (BOP). And discuss the different accounts of BOP. Can a country run a current account deficit (surplus) indefinitely? Give reasons.
- c) Briefly explain the Foreign Exchange Management Act. [5]
- d) How does government influence exchange rate? Explain briefly. [5]
- e) Why are China and India emerging as attractive centers for foreign direct investment in recent years? [5]

# PART - B $5 \times 10 \text{ Marks} = 50$

- 2.a) Briefly discuss why international trade takes place. Do factors affecting international trade also affect international capital movements? Explain.
  - b) Explain the factors responsible for growing importance of International Financial Management. [5+5]

## OR

- 3.a) The changing international financial system poses new challenge for financial managers in developing countries." Elaborate.
  - b) Explain with the help of an imaginary illustration, how capital budgeting decisions of any MNC may be different from domestic firms. [5+5]
- 4. Critically examine Purchasing Power Parity Theory with the help of suitable examples. [10]

## OR

- 5.a) What do you mean by 'Foreign Exchange Market'? Discuss the role played by the main participants in this market.
  - b) Explain briefly and illustrate with an example, the chain method of making out cross rates. [5+5]
- 6. Explain the need for foreign exchange exposure management. Discuss the various external exposure management techniques that are to manage the exchange rate .

[10]

## OR

- 7.a) The exchange rate for Japanese Yen is \$0.0069 per Yen, and a call option has a strike price of \$0.0065. An investor has two Yen call options. If investor exercises the call option, how much profit would she realize?
  - b) Explain briefly about quotes in spot and forward market. [5+5]

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8.	Discuss briefly the techniques available for currency risk management.	[10]
	OR	

- 9. Suppose that the expected rates of inflation in Chile and United States are 33.1 percent and 10 percent, respectively and the spot price of the Chilean peso is \$0.0025.
  - a) What are nominal interest rates necessary to produce expected real interest rates of 5 percent in each country?
  - b) What expected value of the peso one year from now does the purchasing power parity theory imply?
  - c) If someone offers to sell you pesos for delivery in one year, what will you be willing to pay?
- 10.a) Distinguish between 'Foreign Direct Investment' (FDI) and 'Portfolio Investment' and discuss the different strategies of portfolio investment.
  - b) Mention the recent amendments of EXIM policy. [5+5]

11. Write a brief note highlighting special problems of developing countries in financing foreign trade. Also indicate possible ways out. [10]

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