



IV Semester M.Com. Examination, June/July 2018
(CBCS)

COMMERCE

AT/FB – 4.1 : Commodity Markets
(Common to AT and FB)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

SECTION – A

Answer any seven questions out of ten. Each question carries two marks. (7×2=14)

1. a) What is derivative contract ?
- b) What are customized contracts ?
- c) What is cash settlement ?
- d) Who is market maker ?
- e) Define Cartels.
- f) Who are speculators ?
- g) Define commodity market.
- h) Name two leading commodity exchanges of India.
- i) What do you understand by E-auction ?
- j) What are the different types of margins payable on futures ?

SECTION – B

Answer any four questions out of six. Each question carries five marks. (4×5=20)

2. Quote the difference between commodity derivative and financial derivative.
3. Explain the functioning of New Electronic Market for Agricultural commodities in India.
4. Explain the role of SEBI in regulating commodity exchange.
5. Explain the importance of grading and standardization of commodities trading on NCDX or MCX.
6. Explain the methods of evaluating international investment decision.
7. Briefly explain various international commodity agreement with reference to agricultural crops.

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SECTION – C

Answer any three questions out of six. Each question carries twelve marks.

(3×12=36)

8. Explain the role of commodity exchanges in India.
9. Discuss the implications of WTO provisions in agricultural commodity trading.
10. Explain the role of forward market commission in regulation of commodities exchanges in India.
11. Explain the concept of quality assurance. Why quality is considered to be much importance? Discuss the methods of quality assurance.
12. Explain the cause and effects of the failure of national spot exchange.

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