

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

BCom DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025  
(Sixth Semester)

Branch – COMMERCE WITH COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

**SECURITIES MARKETS**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

**SECTION-A (5 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(5 x 1 = 5)

1. An investor aims
  - (i) To earn income
  - (ii) To ensure safety of funds
  - (iii) To hedge against inflation
  - (iv) All of the above
2. The following are the participants in the securities market
  - (i) Underwriters
  - (ii) Debenture Trustees
  - (iii) Venture capital funds
  - (iv) All of the above
3. Which entity provides novation
  - (i) NSCCL
  - (ii) NSE
  - (iii) NSDL
  - (iv) CDSL
4. A company making a public issue of securities has to file a draft prospectus
  - (i) RBI
  - (ii) SEBI
  - (iii) Ministry of Finance
  - (iv) None of the above
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Performs novation for transactions in Government Securities.
  - (i) Clearing corporation of India ltd
  - (ii) National securities clearing corporation ltd.
  - (iii) national stock exchange(NSE)
  - (iv) National depository services ltd

**SECTION - B (15 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 3 = 15)

6. a) Bring out the natures of securities market.  
OR  
b) Write short notes on stock market.
7. a) Narrate the history of Stock market.  
OR  
b) State the functions of stock exchange.
8. a) What are the problems faced on online trading investors?  
OR  
b) What is DEMAT?
9. a) Mention any five objectives of Commodities market.  
OR  
b) State the advantages of Commodities market.
10. a) What are the uses of trading in commodities market?  
OR  
b) What is mean by mechanism in commodities market?

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**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**

Answer any Three questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

11. Distinguish between primary market and secondary market.
12. Explain the role of SEBI.
13. What is mean by speculations? Briefly explain the types of speculations.
14. Discuss out the various functions of commodities market.
15. Briefly explain the efficiency of commodities market.

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