



**PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY**  
**SCHOOL OF LEADERSHIP, BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY**  
**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF**  
**BACHELOR OF COMMERCE**

**JANUARY –APRIL 2021**

**CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU**

**DEPARTMENT: BUSINESS**

**COURSE CODE: CFN304**

**COURSE TITLE: PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT**

**EXAM DATE: TUESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2021**

**TIME: 8:00AM-11:00AM**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Answer question ONE and ANY other THREE questions  
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**EXAMINATION 2020/2021**

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**CFN304: PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT AND ANALYSIS - ONLINE**

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**SECTION A: COMPULSORY**

**QUESTION ONE (10mks)**

- a) Define the following terms
  - i. Investing (1 Marks)
  - ii. Financing (1 Marks)
  - iii. Portfolio (1 Marks)
- b) Discuss TWO main features of stock (2 Marks)
- c) Suppose dividends in year 5 will be \$5 per share and dividends are expected to grow at a rate of 5% per year, in infinity. If the required rate of return is 8%, what is the current value of a share of stock? (5 Marks)

## SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

### QUESTION TWO (10mks)

- a) Explain Market Efficiency Hypothesis (2 Marks)
- b) Discuss the differences between Capital Asset Pricing Model (CAPM) and the Arbitrage Pricing Theory (APT) (8 Marks)

### QUESTION THREE (10mks)

Use the following information to calculate the sample covariance of X and Y  
(10 Marks)

| Year | Excelsior Corp. Annual Return<br>(percent) (X) | Adirondack Corp. Annual Return<br>(percent) (Y) |
|------|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| 2008 | 1                                              | 3                                               |
| 2009 | -2                                             | 2                                               |
| 2010 | 3                                              | 4                                               |
| 2011 | 0                                              | 6                                               |
| 2012 | 3                                              | 0                                               |

### QUESTION FOUR (10mks)

- a) Discuss THREE types of bonds (3 Marks)
- b) Differentiate between fundamental analysis and technical analysis (2 Marks)
- c) The callable bond has a par value of 100 LT, 8% coupon rate and five years to maturity. The bond makes annual interest payment. Investors purchased this bond for 90 LT when it was issued in May 2008. What is the yield-to-maturity of this bond?  
(5 Marks)

### QUESTION FIVE (10mks)

- a) Discuss the difference between covariance and correlation coefficient (2 Marks)
- b) Elaborate THREE types of derivatives available to investor (3 Marks)
- c) The following Trading and Profit and Loss Account of Fantasy Ltd. for the year 31/03/2000 below. Calculate:
  - i. Gross Profit (1 Mark)
  - ii. Expenses Ratio (1 Mark)
  - iii. Net Profit Ratio (1 Mark)
  - iv. Inventory Turnover Ratio (1 Mark)
  - v. Operating Ratio (1 Mark)

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| Particular                   | Rs.      | Particular                 | Rs.      |
|------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|----------|
| To Opening Stock             | 76,250   | By Sales                   | 5,00,000 |
| " Purchases                  | 3,15,250 | " Closing stock            | 98,500   |
| " Carriage and Freight       | 2,000    |                            |          |
| " Wages                      | 5,000    |                            |          |
| " Gross Profit b/d           | 2,00,000 |                            |          |
|                              | 5,98,500 |                            | 5,98,500 |
| To Administration expenses   | 1,01,000 | By Gross Profit b/d        | 2,00,000 |
| " Selling and Dist. expenses | 12,000   | " Non-operating incomes:   |          |
| " Non-operating expenses     | 2,000    | " Interest on Securities   | 1,500    |
| " Financial Expenses         | 7,000    | " Dividend on shares       | 3,750    |
| Net Profit c/d               | 84,000   | " Profit on sale of shares | 750      |
|                              | 2,06,000 |                            | 2,06,000 |

### QUESTION SIX (10mks)

- a) Discuss the concept of mental accounting and investing (2 Marks)
- b) Comment the differences between investment in financial and physical assets using following characteristics:
  - i. Divisibility (1 Mark)
  - ii. Liquidity (1 Mark)
  - iii. Holding period (1 Mark)
  - iv. Information ability (1 Mark)
- c) Investment management processes can be disclosed by FIVE-step procedure. Discuss (4 Marks)