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**ST MARY'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), THRISSUR-20**

**I SEMESTER B A/B Sc /B Com/BBA/BCA/BSW (FYUGP) DEGREE EXAMINATION,  
November 2024**

**ECO1FM105 : Security Trading Practices  
2024 Admission Onwards  
(Credits: 3)**

**Time : 1.5 Hours**

**Maximum Marks : 50**

**Section A**

*[Answer All. Each question carries 2 Marks] (Ceiling: 16 Marks)*

1. What do you know about rights issue? [BTL1]
2. What is a financial market? [BTL1]
3. How will you differentiate between a diversified portfolio and a concentrated portfolio? [BTL4]
4. What is price-to-earnings ratio? [BTL1]
5. What are volume indicators in technical analysis? [BTL2]
6. Define capital gain tax. [BTL1]
7. How has Dematerialisation impacted the speed of stock market transactions? [BTL4]
8. List the types of risks in stock market. How does it affect stock investments? [BTL4]
9. How will you explain capital building through cumulative investment? [BTL3]
10. How does fear affect a trader's decision making process? [BTL4]

**Section B**

*[Answer All. Each question carries 6 Marks] (Ceiling: 24 Marks)*

11. Explain the significance of DIIs and FIIs as traders in the secondary market. [BTL3]
12. Discuss the structure of BSE and the objectives of BOLT system. [BTL4]
13. Identify and explain the different types of charts in technical analysis. [BTL3]
14. Discuss the major sectors in the secondary market and explain how sector performance impacts overall market trends. [BTL3]
15. Analyse how does diversification across multiple segments in a portfolio help in managing risk and improving returns. [BTL3]

**Turn Over**

### Section C

*[Answer any one. Each question carries 10 Marks] (1x10=10 Marks)*

16. Examine the role of derivatives in financial markets, and how do they impact risk? [BTL2]
17. Evaluate how fundamental analysis helps investors make informed decisions. [BTL5]

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