

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2004 – 2005 & thereafter)
SUBJECT CODE: EC/MC/MF64

B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2008
BRANCH IV - ECONOMICS
SIXTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : MONEY AND FINANCE – INSTITUTIONS AND POLICY
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS: 100**

SECTION – A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS:
(10 X 3 = 30)

1. Define Money Market and Call Money Market?
2. Distinguish between Primary Deposits and Secondary Deposits?
3. Explain the Balance sheet of a Bank?
4. Differentiate between the Central Bank and the Commercial Banks?
5. Write a short note on NBFI.
6. What is Micro Credit?
7. What is Monetary Policy?
8. What is meant by Moral Suasion?
9. What is meant by SDR?
10. Explain International Liquidity?

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS:
(5 X 6 = 30)

11. Explain the characteristics of Money Market in India.
12. What are the functions of commercial banks?
13. What are the objectives the Central Bank of a country?
14. Explain Lead Bank Scheme?
15. What are the weaknesses of Commercial Banks in India?
16. What are the functions of World Bank?
17. Distinguish between Qualitative and Quantitative Credit Control Measures?

SECTION – C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS: (2 X 20 = 40)

18. Critically evaluate Banking and Financial reforms in India?
19. Explain the process of credit creation by commercial banks and how it affects economic Development?
20. Explain the role of micro – finance institutions in alleviating poverty.
21. Critically analyse the performance of IMF?
