



Centre for Distance Learning

(Approved by Joint Committee of UGC-AICTE-DEC)

Third Floor, Balaji Metro Plaza, Dondaparthy Main Road, Visakhapatnam-530 016.

Phone: 0891-2866455, 2866466, 8179681900, E-mail: cdl@gitam.edu

MPDBA 401-RESEARCH METHODOLOGY & BUSINESS ANALYTICS

ASSIGNMENT – I 5 X 3 =15 Marks

- 1.Explain the meaning and importance of research
- 2.Write the precautions one should take while preparing the research report.
- 3.Explain the concept of Hypothesis
- 4.Distinguish between primary and secondary data
- 5.What do you understand by pre-testing of a questionnaire?

ASSIGNMENT – II 5 X 3 =15 Marks

6. Briefly describe the various types of research with their merits and limitations.
7. Test the dependence between Type of Hair and eye color of the individuals using the following information:

Type of Hair	Eye color				Total
	Blue	Green	Brown	Black	
Blonde	20	15	18	14	67
Red	11	4	24	2	41
Brown	9	11	36	18	74
Black	8	17	20	4	49
Total	48	47	98	38	231

8. Briefly describe the various types of research designs
9. Can the following two sample be regarded as coming from the same normal population?

Sample	Size	Sample mean	Sum of squares of deviations from mean
1	10	12	120
2	12	15	314

10. What is meant by Business Analytics? Define it. Explain its concepts?

MPDFM 403- MANAGEMENT CONTROL SYSTEMS

ASSIGNMENT – I 5 X 3 =15 Marks

1. Discuss the various approaches for the study of management control system
2. Write a short note on the following
 - i. Hierarchy of control process
 - ii. Essentials of designing management control system
3. Explain and comment critically upon the benefits of profit decentralization.
4. Enlist the different methods that can be used for valuing the fixed assets in an investment centre and critically examine the merits and demerits that are associated with each of such method
5. Explain the various steps that need to be followed by a company in organizing budgetary control system?

ASSIGNMENT – II 5 X 3 =15 Marks

6. Explain the various components of different compensation plans?
7. What are the main features of Balanced score card? How is it different from traditional performance measurement system? Explain
8. Explain the impact of TQM process on management control system of an organization
9. Discuss the characteristics of non-profit organizations
10. Discuss the legal and regulatory framework of corporate governance for management control in India

MPDFM 404- INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

ASSIGNMENT – I 5 X 3 =15 Marks

- 1.Explain the factors which affect international trade flows.
- 2.Describe the various funding facilities through which IMF provides BOP support to its member countries
- 3.Explain the role and importance of different market participants in the foreign exchange market
- 4.Explain the most important features of FEMA
- 5.What do you mean by external commercial borrowings? Explain the procedure to be followed for obtaining external commercial borrowings

ASSIGNMENT – II 5 X 3 =15 Marks

- 6.Explain the different bases of international tax system.
- 7.Explain the different types of credit meant for financing foreign trade.
- 8.Explain methods of international capital budgeting.
- 9.Explain the factors affecting international portfolio investment.
- 10.Discuss the salient features of international cash management in a multinational group.

NOTE:

- 1) Last date for submission of assignments for all the courses / papers is- 14.10.2017**
- 2) Non-submission of assignments as per the scheduled date mentioned above attracts a fine of Rs. 200/- upto 25.10.2017 per each assignment of a course / paper and under any circumstances the assignments will not be accepted from 26th October, 2017.**
- 3) Assignments are to be written in the Book-lets provided by CDL and other formats are not accepted.**
- 4) Answer all 10 questions, in a single book only.**

MPDFM 405- FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES

ASSIGNMENT – I 5 X 3 =15 Marks

- 1.What is derivatives? Explain its significance and types.
2. Derivatives are effective risk management tools. Comment on the statement.
- 3.Explain how the forward price is determined. What is the role of spot price in determining forward price?
4. Explain the futures trading mechanism. How is price determined in the futures market?
5. Distinguish between Bull spreads, Bear spreads and Butterfly spreads. Compare them with examples.

ASSIGNMENT – II 5 X 3 =15 Marks

- 6.Distinguish between straddles, strangles, strips and straps. Compare them with examples.
- 7.“Option contracts are relatively are more safe derivative instruments”. Explain How?
- 8.Consider the following data:
stock price = Rs.70, Months to expiration=3 months, Risk-free rate of interest=10% p.a., Standard deviation of stock=40%, Exercise price= Rs.75, Option type=European call. Calculate the value of call option as per Black-scholes model.
- 9.What is swaps? Describe the mechanism of Interest rate swaps.
- 10.Discuss the nature of currency swaps and explain different types of currency swaps.