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B.Com Part-III , Financial Derivatives-I Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)

1.....risk is a loss may occur from the failure of another party to perform according to the terms of a contract

a)Credit

b)Currency

c)Market

d)Liquidity

2. Financial derivatives includes?

a)Stock

b)Bonds

c)Future

d)None of these

3.By hedging a portfolio ; a bank manager

a)Reduces interest rate risk

b)Increases re investment risk

c)Increases exchange rate risk

d)None of these

4.A long contract requires that the investor

a)Sell securities in the futureb)Buy securities in the futurec)Hedge in the futured)Close out his position in the future

5. The disadvantage of swaps is that they

a)Lack of liquidityb)Suffer from default riskc)Both A & Bd)B only

6.Hedging by buying an option

a)Limitsgainb)Limitslossesc)Limitsgain & lossesd)Has no limit on losses

7.All other things held constant premium on options will increase when the

a)Exercise price increasesb)Volatility of the underlying assets failsc)Term to maturity increasesd)Both B & C

8.An option allowing the owner tosell an asset at a future date is a

a)Put optionb)Call optionc)Forward optiond)Future contract

9. Composite value of traded stocks group of secondary market is classified as

- a)Stock indexb)Primary indexc)Stock market index
- d)Limited liability index

10..... is theminimum amount which must be remained in a margin account

a)Maintenance marginb)Variation marginc)Initial margind)None of these

11. The number of future contract outstanding is called?

a)Liquidity b)Float c)Volume

d)Turnover

12. The amount paid for an option is the

a)Strike price

b)Discount

c)Premium

d)Yield

13. Futures contracts are more successful than interest rate forward contracts because they :

a) are less liquidb) have greater default riskc) are more liquidd) have an interest rate tied to the discount rate

14. The payoffs for financial derivatives linked to

a)Securities that will be issued in the future

b)The volatality of interest rates

c)previously issued securities

d)none of the above.

15. Which of the following is not a problem with an interest rate forward contract?

a)Low interest rate b)default risk c)lack of liquidity

d)finding a counterparty

Answer key : 1.(a). 2.(c). 3.(a). 4.(b). 5.(c). 6.(b). 7.(c). 8.(a). 9.(c). 10.(c). 11.(a). 12.(c)13. (c) 14. (c)15. (a)

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