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# **MBA DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2024**

### **Fourth Semester**

Faculty of Management Science
Master of Business Administration

### **Elective - MB800406 - BEHAVIOURAL FINANCE**

2019 Admission Onwards 7D05A6B3

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 60

#### Part A

Answer any **five** questions. Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. List the features of behaviorally biased man.
- 2. What is Loss aversion bias?
- 3. What is certainty overconfidence?
- 4. Explain illusion of validity.
- 5. Describe base rate neglect.
- 6. What is Self attribution bias?
- 7. Who are active investors?

 $(5\times2 = 10 \text{ Marks})$ 

#### Part B

Answer any five questions. Each question carries 6 marks.

- 8. Explain the features of prospect theory.
- 9. State the differences between behavioural finance micro and behavioural finance macro.
- 10. Describe the various behavioural biases.
- 11. Infer in detail about various emotional biases.
- 12. Research indicates that stock market forecasters are also overconfident. Do they learn from their mistakes? Discuss.



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- 13. What is representativeness bias? What are the ways the investor got affected by the bias?
- 14. Discuss the role of cognitive psychology in understanding the behavior of financial markets.

 $(5 \times 6 = 30 \text{ Marks})$ 

#### Part C

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries **10** marks.

Question number 17 is compulsory.

- 15. Explain about the various behavioural biases faced by investors with suitable examples.
- 16. Discuss how confirmation bias can be used in financial decisions.

## **Compulsory Question**

17. What evidence is there that people do not diversify enough? Why is it that this occurs?

What is the simplest way to "buy" a high level of diversification in an equity portfolio?

(2×10 = 20 Marks)

