POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN FINANCIAL MARKETS PRACTICE

Term-End Examination

June, 2016

MFP-003: COMMODITY MARKETS

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 100

(Weightage:70%)

Note: Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. What are commodity markets? Discuss the benefits of trading in commodity markets.
- 2. Describe the regulatory framework for future delivery in commodity markets in India and discuss the statutory functions of Forward Market Commission.
- 3. Explain the various measures adopted by the Commodity Exchanges for the purpose of the Exchange Risk Management.
- **4.** Explain the 'Delivery and Settlement' procedure for commodity trades on exchange.

- 5. What are the important base metals traded internationally on commodity exchanges? Write a short note on any two base metals.
- 6. What is 'Emissions Trading'? Discuss the use of futures on carbon credits for mitigating risk of increasing costs in control of pollution.
- 7. Explain the concept of convenience field and the theory of storage.
- 8. How are commodity futures contracts priced? What is the meaning of cost of carry, contango and backwardation?