

Programme Name	Master of Commerce
Semester	Fourth
Paper No	4.5
Course Code	
Course Name	DISSERTATION / PROJECT REPORT (Compulsory)
Course Type	Core
Effective from	DECEMBER 2012
Objective	To understand the basic concepts, methods and system of research and to develop the understanding of importance of research in the development of our country in general and our life in particular.

Unit No.	Topic No.	Content	Hrs.	Marks	Credit
		DISSERTATION / PROJECT REPORT (Compulsory)		100	04

Dear Students,

As you are aware, you would be required to prepare and submit a ‘Dissertation / Project Report’, make Presentation and appear before the Panel of Examiners for Viva -Voce Examinations.

Please keep in mind following important points.

1. The selection of a topic of the Dissertation / Project Report” should be related to your subject of specialization.
2. You would be required to select any Faculty Member as your “Guide” to help you by providing necessary guidance that would be required in submission of the Dissertation / Project Report.
- 3 You are advised to submit ‘A Brief Dissertation / Project Report Proposal’ duly signed by you and your Guide consisting of following.
 - ☐ Rationale of the Research Study
 - ☐ Objectives of the Research Study
 - ☐ Scope & Coverage of the Research Study
 - ☐ Hypotheses of the Research Study [Optional]
 - ☐ Research Design of the Research Study
 - ☐ Research Methodology: [It shall include following]
 - o Sources of Information:
 - o Secondary Data:[Sources]
 - o Primary Data:[Methods & Research Instru ments to be used]
 - o Sampling Decisions (A Sampling Frame, A Representative Sampling Unit, Sampling Design/ Approach & Sampling Method, Sampling Media, Sample Size)
 - o Data Analysis & Interpretation
 - o Significance of the Research Study
 - o Contribution to Knowledge
 - o Limitations of the Research Study, if any

4. You would be required to prepare and submit minimum of One Hard Copy and Soft Copy [CD] of your Dissertation / Project Report and PowerPoint Presentation. You are advised to prepare two additional copies that would be required for yourself and your Guide.
5. You would be required to carry hard copy of your Dissertation / Project Report at the time of Vive-Voce examinations.
6. You have to submit your Dissertation / Project Report to the university before you take university examination of Semester - IV. The Project Report once submitted will not be returned to the student. You are advised to go illustrative list provided by your guide to select a topic for your Dissertation / Project Report.

Suggested Topics for Dissertation / Project Report

1. Analysis of Capital structure of any public limited company. Manufacturing of Service preferably for a period of five years or more.
2. Study of financial Control and Accounting System of a public limited company.
3. Study of Cost-Pricing Inter-relationship in any one unit of manufacturing of service nature.
4. A comparative study of return on investment of at least three units having a paid up capital of Rs. 50 Lac each and for a period of five years or more.
5. Social Audit : Its nature, scope, report and accounting implications.
6. Taxation Laws and Accounting policies.
7. Study of Project Appraisal of a profit or non -profit enterprise.
8. Study of Budgetary Control System of an enterprise.
9. Review of Literature on any one of the following aspects :
 - A. Behavioral aspects of Accounting
 - B. Human Resource Accounting
 - C. Inflation Accounting
 - D. Value Added Accounting
 - E. Social Accounting
10. A study of role of Management Accountant in an Enterprise.
11. A study of emerging dimensions of Finance Function in an Industry.
12. A study of Management of Public Issues (Strategic decisions).
13. A study of Dividend Policy as viewed by shareholders
14. A study of Borrowers' view point in regard to advancing by a financial institution.
15. A study of determinants of Investment Behaviour
16. A study of Inflation Accounting Practices
17. A study of Human Resource Accounting Practices
18. Accounting for Leases
19. Performance Evaluation of Banking Services with special reference to Customer awareness.
20. Examining : Trends in International Accounting Research
21. Environmental Accounting and Costing
22. Productivity and Capacity utilization in an Industry
23. Value creation and cost control in any corporate entity

In addition to these broad areas, specific topics in other areas also may be selected by the students with the consent of the Guide and approval of the University.