

SET C

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Sr. No. of Question Paper : **7567**
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Name of the Paper : **Entrepreneurial Finance**
Name of the Course : **BBA FIA**
Semester : **VI/VIII**
Duration : **3 Hours**
Maximum Marks : **90**

Instructions for candidates

- i. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper
- ii. Attempt Q1 and any four questions from the rest.
- iii. Part of the questions to be attempted together
- iv. Marks are indicated against each Question.

Q1. A health-tech startup, HealthAI, based in Bengaluru, is raising multiple rounds of funding. It's Initial Situation (Year 0) is that Founders own 100% (10 lakh shares) and no revenue yet. It goes for **ROUND 1: SEED (Year 1)** for the Investment of ₹2 crore at the pre-money valuation: ₹8 crore and 1× Participating Liquidation Preference (no cap).

In **ROUND 2: SERIES A (Year 2)** - Investment: ₹8 crore at pre-money valuation: ₹32 crore. An ESOP pool is created = **10% (pre-money basis)** with Same liquidation preference.

ROUND 3: SERIES B (Year 3 – DOWN ROUND) - Investment: ₹10 crore; Pre-money valuation: ₹20 crore; **Full ratchet anti-dilution for Series A**

EXIT (Year 5) - Startup is acquired for ₹100 crore

You are required to

5x6 = 30 marks

- a. Calculate **Post-money valuation & ownership at the end of Round 1.**
- b. Adjust valuation for ESOP and Calculate new ownership (Founders, Seed, Series A, ESOP) after Round 2.
- c. After Round 3 adjust Series A ownership using full ratchet and Compute revised cap table
- d. If All investors have: **1× Participating preference (no cap)** then Calculate payout to: Series B; Series A; Seed; and Founders
- e. If Exit happens at ₹25 crore, how much founder will get?

Q2. Critically evaluate the statement: "Incubators create entrepreneurs, accelerators create scalable businesses."
15 marks

Q3a. Explain key stages of startup financing (seed, early-stage, growth, late-stage) in details.

Q3b. Highlight challenges faced by startups in raising funds. **10 + 5 = 15 marks**

Q4. "Equity financing is expensive but flexible, while debt financing is cheaper but risky."

Discuss this statement in the context of startups and evaluate the two alternatives. **15 marks**

Q5. Discuss the role of government initiatives in startup financing in India. Evaluate their effectiveness in promoting innovation and entrepreneurship. **15 marks**

Q6. Write short notes on the followings:

5x 3 = 15 marks

- a. Angel Fund
- b. Private Equity
- c. Accelerator
- d. AIF
- e. Compulsory Convertible Debenture (CCD)

