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4a.	Discuss in detail the various (parts) components of Balance of Payment.	10	L4	CO2	PO2
b.	Explain the various factors influencing international trade flows.	10	L2	CO2	PO5
5 a.	Briefly discuss the three most popular derivative instruments.	10	L4	CO3	PO3
b.	The annual interest rate in U.S is 9 percent and in Europe is 10				
	percent the Euro spot rate is 2.065\$ and 3 months forward rate				
	1.0998\$.				
	i) Does interest rate parity exist?	10	L2	CO3	PO4
	ii) Can US firm benefit from investing funds in Europe using CIA?				
	iii) Can a European subsidiary of a US firm benefit by investing funds				
	in the US through CIA?				
	OR				
6 a.	Explain the purchasing power parity theory and the rationale	10	T 1	CO4	DO2
	behind it.	10	LI	CO4	PO2
b.	You have called your foreign exchange trader and asked for				
	quotations on the spot, one - month three - month and six - month.				
	The trader has responded with the following:				
	\$ 0.024479/81 3/5 8/7 13/10				
	i) What does this mean in terms of dollars per Euro?				
	ii) If you wished to pay spot Euro, how much would you have to pay	10	T 1	CO4	PO3
	in dollars?	10	LI	0.04	105
	iii) If you wanted to purchase spot US dollars, how much would you				
	have to pay in Euro?				
	iv) What is the premium or discount in the one, three and six – month				
	forward rates in annual percentages? (Assume you are buying				
	Euros).				
7 a.	Differentiate between transaction Exposure & economic exposure.	10	L5	CO5	PO4
b.	i) Given the following data US / JPY 103.49 / 111.56 and Euro /				
	JPY 139.44 / 143.789. Estimate the cross rate of USD / EUR.				
	ii) Estimate the % spread from the following information				
	Spot rate 45.7385/ 93 INR	10	L4	CO5	PO2
	1 month forward rate 20/25				
	3 month forward rate 30/28				
	6 month forward rate 45/48				

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- 8 a. Explain the various methods to reduce exchange rate risk
 - b. Shine products is the Canadian affiliate of a US manufacturing company. Its balance sheet, in thousands of Canadian dollars, for January 1, 2021 is shown below.

The January 2021 exchange rate was C\$ 1.6/\$.

Shine products balance sheet (Thousands of C\$).

Assets		Liabilities and Net wort	
Cash	C\$ 1,00,000	Current liabilities	C\$ 60,000
Accounts receivable	2,20,000	Long – term debt	1,60,000
Inventory	3,20,000	Capital stock	6,20,000
Net plant & Equipment	2,00,000		
Total	8,40,000		8,40,000

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Determine shine products accounting exposure on January 1, 2022, using the current rate method / monetary / non-monetary method.

	PART - B Case Study is compulsory				
9.	LSE corporation hedges a portfolio of German government bonds				
	with a six – month forward contract. The current spot rate is Euro.				
	65\$ and the 180 – day forward rate is DM. 61/\$. At the end of the				
	six- month period the bonds have raisen in value by 3.50% (in Euro				
	terms), and the spot rate is now Euro. 45/\$				
a.	If the bonds earn interest at the annual rate of 5% paid semi –				
	annually. What is the LS. Corporations total dollar return on the	10	L1	CO4	PO2
	hedged bonds?				
b.	Calculate the return on the bonds without hedging?	5	L4	CO4	PO4
c.	Calculate the true cost of the forward contract?	5	L4	CO4	PO2

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