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(CDMS)

Unlock the complex world of derivatives
with a globally respected Credential

CERTIFICATE IN DERIVATIVES MARKET STRATEGIES (CDMS)

The Certificate in Derivatives Market Strategies (CDMS) jointly offered by the National Institute of Securities Markets and Moody's Analytics is an internationally recognised certification that provides the knowledge and skills required to enter into and progress in a variety of roles that employ derivatives. With the CDMS in hand, individuals will be recognised for their specialised knowledge and qualifications in the advanced concepts of both, exchange-traded and over-the-counter (OTC) derivative investments and their applications.

The CDMS has now been restructured to provide a more efficient and customisable learning experience. The new CDMS now offers a flexible learning approach that:

- › Breaks up the learning into modules that can be purchased one at a time or as a whole bundle
- › Provides recognition for each module following completion of the module's online test, through a notice of completion
- › Covers international derivative concepts and applications while providing an Indian context
- › Can be easily accessed and studied through mobile devices



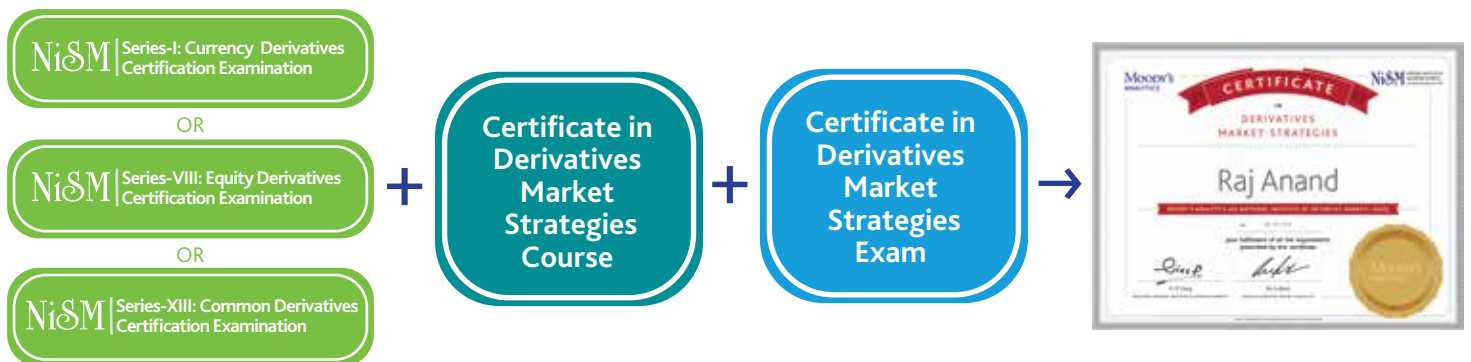
WHO DOES THIS PROGRAM BENEFIT?

The Certificate in Derivative Market Strategies (CDMS) is a globally recognised certification endorsed by individuals and corporate clients that encompasses the knowledge and skills required to enter into and progress in a variety of roles that employ derivatives such as:

- Trading desk professionals
- Retail and institutional sales staff
- Portfolio managers
- Research analysts
- Structured product developers
- Compliance officers
- Risk managers
- Back-office staff
- Treasury staff

LEARNING PATHWAYS

Candidates can choose to register for the full course at once (all modules) or register one module at a time. Candidates must complete the NISM certification examination before sitting for the CDMS proctored exam.





NISM'S DERIVATIVES CERTIFICATION EXAMINATIONS

NISM's Derivatives Certification Examination(s) will validate your staff's basic knowledge in exchange-traded options and futures. Therefore, successful completion of one of the following NISM Certification Examinations is required for earning the CDMS.

- NISM Series-I: Currency Derivatives Certification Examination; or
- NISM Series-VIII: Equity Derivatives Certification Examination; or
- NISM Series-XIII: Common Derivatives Certification Examination

However, this Certification is not a pre-requisite to enrolling in any of the CDMS modules or the bundle course. The new learning pathway provides full flexibility that suits your needs. Candidates must clear one of the above exams before appearing for the proctored CDMS exam.

CERTIFICATE IN DERIVATIVES MARKET STRATEGIES COURSE

Candidates successfully completing the NISM Derivatives Market Certificate Examination, all the modules in the CDMS course (in their order of preference) and the CDMS proctored exam, will be awarded the Certificate in Derivatives Market Strategies.

The Certificate in Derivatives Market Strategies (CDMS) will equip you with the globally recognised skills to unravel this complex subject into actionable knowledge that can be immediately applied in your current role or could assist in career progression. You will learn about exchange-traded and OTC derivatives and how to apply these products in a number of different settings including managing risk, engineering financial products and both conventional as well as alternative portfolio management.

CERTIFICATE IN DERIVATIVES MARKET STRATEGIES COURSE AND EXAM DETAILS

The course generally takes 60-80 hours of study. On average, candidates who are employed full-time can complete the course material in 3-6 months. Candidates who have more time to study, on average, can complete the course within 3 months. The new CDMS provides even more flexibility by allowing the candidate to follow the modular approach thus allowing for customised time-lines. After completing all of the modules specified and one of the three NISM certifications, the candidate will be eligible to register for the CDMS proctored examination, details of which are below.

Exam Format	Proctored Computer-based Examination
Question Format	60 Application-Based Multiple-Choice Questions
Exam Length	3 Hours
Passing Grade	60%

The online course can be completed in approximately 60-80 hours and can be accessed 24/7.

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ABOUT US

MOODY'S ANALYTICS

Moody's Analytics helps capital markets professionals respond to an evolving marketplace with confidence. Its Training and Certification division has been helping people build their skills in finance for more than 40 years. Moody's Analytics offers comprehensive training programs, industry recognised certificates and designations for financial professionals across the globe.

NISM

NISM is a leading provider of high-end professional education, certifications, training and research in Indian Financial Markets. NISM engages in capacity building among stakeholders in the securities markets through professional education, financial literacy, enhancing governance standards and fostering policy research.

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