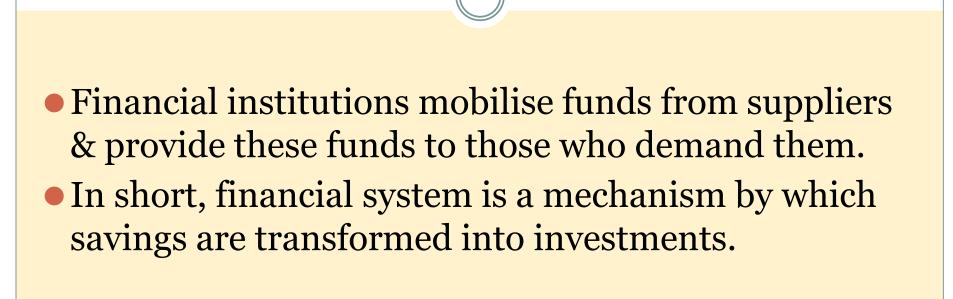
# OVERVIEW AND STRUCTURE OF INDIAN FINANCIAL SYSTEM



#### <u>Introduction</u>:-

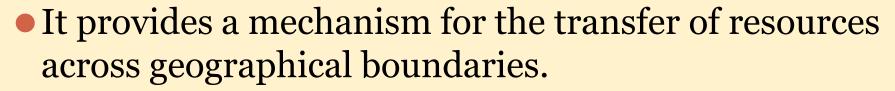
- The financial system is a set of complex and closely connected or intermixed institutions, agents, practises, markets, transactions, claims and liabilities in the economy.
- It consists of specialised and non-specialized institutions.



# Features of financial system:-



- It links the servers and investors.
- It helps in mobilizing and allocating the savings efficiently and effectively.
- It plays a crucial role in economic development through saving-investment process.
- It helps to monitor corporate performance.



- It provides a mechanism for managing uncertainty and controlling risk.
- It promotes the process of capital formation.

#### **INDIAN FINANCIAL SYSTEM:-**

• From financial Neutrality to Financial Activism.

Neutral

**No Effect** 

Activism

Change in economy

From Financial Volatility to Financial Stability.

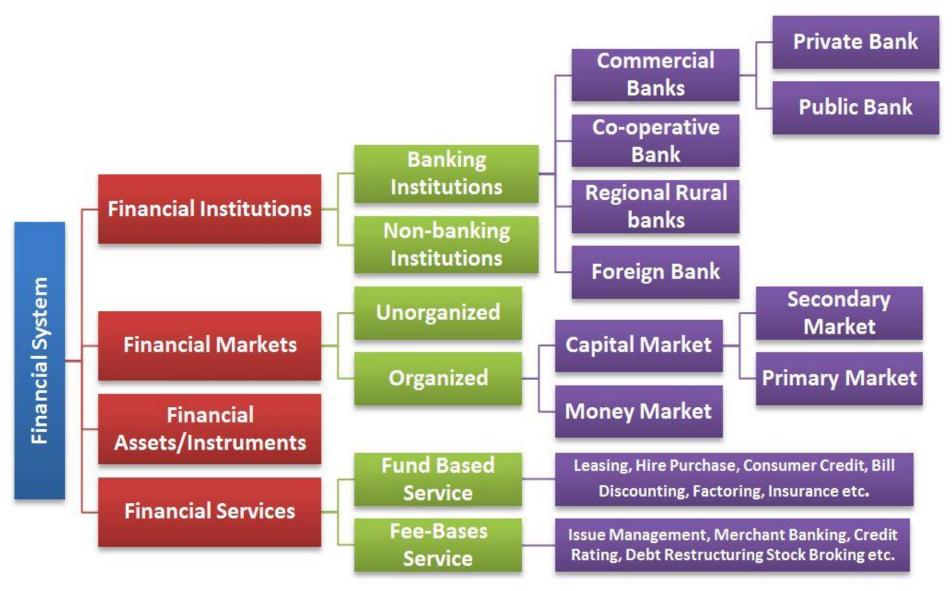
Volatility

**Movement/ momentum** 

Financial Stability.

Stability: centre stage in economic policy

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- Organisational structure of financial system includes components i.e., Financial Markets, Financial Instruments & Market Participants.
- Financial market provide channels for allocation of savings to investment.
- The financial market have two major components;
  the money market & capital market.
- The main participants in the call money market are commercial banks, cooperative banks & primary dealers.

# Functions of Financial System:-

- Savings Function: Financial intermediaries encourage savings. Providing profit for the public savings
- Wealth Function: Array of financial instruments.
  Providing a means to store purchasing power until a final usage.
- Liquidity Function: Financial markets and intermediaries provide trading systems for making financial assets more liquid.

# Functions of Financial System:-

- Transferring resources across time and space
- Economic Development
- Payment function: providing a mechanism for making payments to purchase goods and services
- Risk Function: The financial system provides risk sharing by giving savers and borrowers ways to reduce the uncertainty to which they are exposed.

# Role of government in development of financial system:-

- In 1947 there was no financial institutional mechanism in the country.
- After independence, the government adopted mixed economic system.
- The government started creating new financial institutions to supply finance both for agricultural and industrial development.
- Nationalisation of Financial Institutions

#### **Establishment of Development Banks:-**

- 1. Industrial Finance Corporation of India (IFCI) 1948
- 2. State Finance Corporations (SFCs) 1951
- 3. Industrial Development Bank of India (IDBI) 1964
- 4. Industrial Credit and Investment Corporation of India (ICICI) 1955
- 5. Unit Trust of India (UTI)
- 6. Industrial Reconstruction Bank of India (IRBI)/ Industrial Investment Bank of India (IIBI) (1973 -1997)
- 7. Export-Import (EXIM) Bank of India 1982

#### Constituents of Indian Financial System:-

- Financial Markets
- Financial Institutions
- Financial Instruments
- Financial assets
- Financial Services

#### **Characteristics of Financial Services:-**

- Intangibility
- Customer Orientation
- Inseparability
- Perishability
- Dynamism

# Types of Financial Services:-

- Banks
- Insurance
- Mutual Funds
- Merchant Banking
- Venture Capital
- Factoring
- Forfeiting

# Scope of Financial Services:-

• Fund based services.:-

This Services are related to the fund transfer from one place to another place & one person to another person.

Non-fund services (or fee-based services) :-

Financial service companies or financial intermediaries provide services on the basis of Non-fund activities also.

# Fund Based Services:-

- Equipment leasing /lease financing
- Hire purchase
- Bill discounting
- Venture capital
- Housing finance
- Insurance services
- Factoring
- Forfaiting
- Mutual Fund

#### Non-Fund Based financial services:-

- Merchant Banking
- Credit Rating
- Stock broking
- Custodial services
- Loan syndication
- Securitization [of debt]

# Financial Innovation:-

- Financial Innovation
- Types of financial innovation
  - financial system
  - Process innovations
  - Product innovations

### Challenges faced by financial sector:-

- Issue of consolidation
- Issue of Import
- Reducing the cost of funds
- Issue of credit
- Issue of management of NPA
- Issue of Management of Risk

#### Challenges in payment and settlement systems:-

- Governance issues
- Corporate Debt Market
- Long-term Financing/ Infrastructure Financing
- Venture Capital