## M COM DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION (2021 ADMISSION ONWARDS) Second Semester – Faculty of Commerce Elective - Finance CM010203 INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND FINANCE

## MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

- Who coined the term Globalisation?
   a. Theodore Levitt b. Adam Smith c. David ricardo
- The process by which ideas, goods and services spread throughout the world.
   a. Liberalisation
   b. Privatisation
   c. Globalisation
- 3. The sharing of ideas and information between and through different countries.a. Social Globalisationb. Political globalisationc. Cultural Globalisation
- 4. Climate accords like the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Climate Agreement are related to a. Economic Globalisation **b. Ecological Globalization** c. Financial Globalisation
- 5. Those domestic companies who decide to exploit opportunities in foreign countries are calleda. International companiesb. Domestic companiesc. Multinational companies
- 6. Those factors or forces which attract the foreign firms to do business in Foreign marketa. Push factorsb. Pull factorsc. Reactive reasons
- 7. The compulsion in the domestic market such as saturation of the market, which prompts companies to internationalize.
   a. Pull factors
   b. Push factors
   c. Proactive reasons
- 8. In this approach, a domestic company may decide to exploit the opportunities abroad as a means of disposing surplus domestic production.
  - a. Ethnocentric b. Polycentric c. Regio centric
- 9. The approach which mostly focuses on the conditions of the host country in policy formulation, strategy implementation and operations are called
  a. Ethnocentric b. Polycentric c. Regio centric
  - a. Eunocentric **D. Forycentric** C. Kegio centre
- 10. An approach in which a company views the entire world as a single market and develops standardized marketing mix, projecting a uniform image of the company and its products, for the global market.
  - a. Geocentric b. Polycentric c. Ethnocentric
- 11. A company which produces, markets, invests and operates across the world are calleda. Transnationalb. Globalc. Multinational

- 12. Which of the following is not an Indian multinational company?a. ONGC b. Apollo Tyres c. Microsoft
- 13. Goods are first sold to an intermediary who then is responsible for the sale of these goods in the foreign market are called
  - a. Direct Exporting **b. Indirect Exporting** c. Intra-corporate transfers
- 14. A company directly selling goods from one country into others.a. Exportingb. Indirect Exportingc. Intra-corporate transfers
- 15. A firm in one country permits a firm in another country to use its intellectual property such as patents, trademarks, etc.
  - **a. Licensing** b. Franchising c. Intra-corporate transfers
- 16. The authorization granted by a company to sell or distribute its goods or services in a certain area is called
  - a. Licensing **b. Franchising** c. Contract manufacturing
- 17. Under this strategy, the company enters into a contract with a firm in the foreign market to manufacture or assemble the product as per its specifications.
  - a. Licensing b. Franchising c. **Contract manufacturing**
- 18. An agreement between two companies whereby one company provides managerial assistance, technical expertise and specialized services to the other company for an agreed period for monetary compensation.
  - a. Licensing **b. Management contracts** c. Contract manufacturing
- 19. A contract under which a firm agrees to fully design, construct and equip a manufacturing or business or service facility and turn the project to the purchaser ready for operation for a remuneration.
  - a. **Turnkey projects** b. Management contracts c. Contract manufacturing
- 20. A corporate investment that involves building a new entity in a foreign country
  - a. Greenfield investment b. Management contracts c. Contract manufacturing
- 21. The company which wants to enter foreign market sets up an enterprise in collaboration with a local firm in the host country.
  - a. Greenfield investment b. Management contracts c. Joint venture
- 22. Two companies of similar size combine to form a new single entity is calleda. Acquisition **b. Merger** c. Functional alliance
- 23. When one company purchases another company, it is called
  - a. Acquisition **b. Merger** c. Functional alliance

- 24. The agreement between two or more firms that unite to pursue the common set of goals but remain independent after the formation of the alliance.
  - a. **Strategic alliance** b. Production alliances c. Functional alliance
- 25. A form of international trade in which import of goods are paid for by exports of goods, instead of money payments.
  - a. **Counter trade** b. Piggybacking c. Merger
- 26. In this strategy, two companies form an alliance and both help each other to promote certain products which are complementary to each other but not competitive in nature.
  - a. Counter trade **b. Piggybacking** c. Merger
- 27. Exchange of goods or services directly for other goods or services without the use of money as means of purchase or payment.
  - a. Buy back b. Offset c. Barter
- 28. The first and oldest of all international trade theories, Mercantilism is related toa. David Ricardob. Adam Smithc. Thomas Mun
- 29. Who proposed Absolute Cost Advantage Theory of International Trade?a. David Ricardo **b. Adam Smith** c. Thomas Mun
- 30. Who developed the Theory of Comparative Cost Advantage?a. David Ricardo b. Adam Smith c. Thomas Mun
- 31. The Factor Endowment Theory of international trade is related toa. Heckscher-Ohlinb. David Ricardoc. Adam Smith
- 32. The product life cycle theory was propounded bya. Raymond Vernon b. Heckscher-Ohlin c. David Ricardo
- 33. Theory of National Competitive Advantage was developed bya. Michael Porter **b. Raymond Vernon** c. Heckscher-Ohlin
- 34. An economic practice whereby countries can import and export goods without fear of government intervention is called
  - a. Trade protection b. Free trade c. Exporting
- 35. It is the policy of the government ensuring protection to the domestic industries from foreign competition.a. Trade protection b. Free trade c. Exporting
- 36. A tax imposed on a commodity when goods are exported to another country.a. Import Dutyb. Export dutyc. Specific duty

- 37. A tax imposed on a commodity when goods are imported to a home country.
  - **a. Import Duty** b. Export duty c. Specific duty
- 38. When goods have been subsidized by foreign governments, home country imposes duty to counteract. Such duties are known asa. Import Duty.b. Export duty.c. Countervailing duties
  - a. Import Duty b. Export duty c. Countervailing duties
- 39. Duties which are levied as a fixed percentage of the value of the commodity imported/exported is called
  - a. Specific Duty b. Ad-valorem duty c.Countervailing duties
- 40. A duty which is a flat sum per physical unit of the commodity imported or exported.a. Specific Duty b. Ad-valorem duty c.Countervailing duties
- 41. A tax imposed on a commodity crossing the national frontier originating from, and designated for other countries.
  - a. Specific Duty b. Ad-valorem duty c. Transit duty
- 42. It is the restriction on the quantity of imports or exports.a. Quota b. Voluntary Export Restraint c. Administered controls
- 43. A quota on the export of product from a country may be imposed if the government feels that exports in excess of that will affect the interest of domestic consumers.
  - a. Import quota **b. Export quota** c. Tariff quota
- 44. This is to restrict the quantity of imports to protect the interests of domestic producers or conserve foreign exchange reserves.
  - a. Import quota b. Export quota c. Tariff quota
- 45. Under this, the imports of a commodity up to a specified volume are allowed duty free or at a special low rate; but any imports in excess of this limit are subject to duty or a higher rate of duty.
  - a. Import quota b. Export quota c. Tariff quota
- 46. A bilateral agreement between two governments under which the exporting country voluntarily agrees to restrict exports of the specified commodity to the importing country at the specified level.
  - b. Licensing b. Voluntary Export Restraints c. Tariff quota
- 47. A condition that requires some specific fraction of a product imported be produced domestically.a. Local content requirementb. Licensingc. Voluntary Export Restraints
- 48. It is a refusal to sell to a specific country.
  - **a. Embargo** b. Local content requirement c. Licensing

- 49. It is an absolute restriction against the purchase and importation of certain goods from other countries.
  - a. Embargo b. Local content requirement c. Boycott
- 50. If a group of countries agree to abolish all trade restrictions and barriers among or charge low rates of tariffs in carrying out international trade, such a group is called **a. Free trade area**b. Customs union
  c. Economic union
- 51. The full or ultimate form of economic integration isa. Customs union **b. Political union** c. Economic union
- 52. It is the exchange of goods between two nations promoting trade and investment.a. Bilateral trade b. Multilateral trade c. Unilateral trade
- 53. These trade agreements are treaties of commerce between three or more nations.a. Bilateral trade b. Multilateral trade c. Unilateral trade
- 54. In this, the use of independent middlemen like brokers or agents to market the firm's products overseas.
  - a. Direct exporting b Indirect exporting c. Entrepot Trade
- 55. It occurs when a manufacturer or exporter sells directly to an importer or buyer located in a foreign market.
  - **a. Direct exporting** b Indirect exporting c. Entrepot Trade
- 56. It means importing goods from one country and exporting it to another country after adding some value to it.
  - a. Direct exporting b Indirect exporting c. Entrepot Trade
- 57. It is defined as the ratio of a country's import and export prices.a. Entrepot Trade **b. Terms of Trade** c. Unilateral trade
- 58. Net Barter/ Commodity Terms of Trade is related toa. F. W. Taussing b. David Ricardo c. Adam Smith
- 59. Gross Barter/ Commodity Terms of Trade is related toa. F. W. Taussing b. David Ricardo c. Adam Smith
- 60. Income Terms of Trade is related toa. F. W. Taussing b. David Ricardo c. G.S. Dorrance
- 61. Single Factorial Terms of Trade is related toa. F. W. Taussing b. J. Viner c. G.S. Dorrance
- 62. Double Factorial Terms of Trade is related toa. F. W. Taussing b. J. Viner c. G.S. Dorrance

- 63. Real cost Terms of Trade is related tob. F. W. Taussing b. J. Viner c. G.S. Dorrance
- 64. A statistical record that shows all economic transactions that occur between residents of a country and the rest of the world.
  - a. **Balance of payment** b. Balance of trade c. Merchandise account of exports.
- 65. It includes all transactions that increase or decrease the country's national income.
  - a. Current account b. Capital account c. Unilateral Payments Accounts
- 66. It records all such transactions which relate to purchase and sale of foreign assets and foreign liabilities during a year.
  - a. Current account **b. Capital account** c. Unilateral Payments Accounts
- 67. It includes government grants, compensation, private remittances, disaster relief, etc.
  - a. Current account b. Capital account c. Unilateral Payments Accounts
- 68. It represents the official sales of foreign currencies and other reserves to foreign countries or official purchase of foreign currencies or other reserves from foreign countries.
  - a. Capital account **b. Official settlements account** c. Unilateral Payments Accounts
- 69. The risk that the acts of sovereign government or government agencies affect to the lenders.a. Political riskb. Sovereign riskc. Transfer risk
- 70. It involves collecting various independent opinions and then averaging and measuring the dispersion of those opinions.
  - a. Checklist approach **b. Delphi technique** c. Quantitative analysis
- 71. The freedom of currency conversion related to capital inflows and outflows is known asa. Current account convertibility **b. Capital account convertibility** c. None of these
- 72. Selling the product at below the ongoing market price and/or at the price below the cost of production is called
  - a. Dumping b. Reverse dumping c. Price discrimination
- 73. When the product is sold at a price lower than the cost of production in the domestic market, it is called
  - a. Dumping b. Reverse dumping c. Price discrimination
- 74. The monopolist sells the product in a foreign market at a low price initially with a view to drive away the competitors and increase the price after the competitors leave the market and it is called a. Intermittent Dumping b. Persistent Dumping c. Predatory Dumping
- 75. The producer sells the excess stock in foreign countries at low price without reducing the price in domestic countries is called
  - a. Intermittent Dumping b. Persistent Dumping c. Predatory Dumping

- 76. The monopolist sells the remaining production in foreign countries at a low price continuously is called
  - a. Intermittent Dumping b. Persistent Dumping c. Predatory Dumping
- 77. Investing capital in buying equities, bonds and other securities abroad is known asa. Foreign Portfolio Investmentb. Foreign Direct Investmentc. None of these
- 78. The investment made by a firm in a foreign country is calleda. Foreign Portfolio Investmentb. Foreign Direct Investmentc. None of these
- 79. Foreign firms taking control over domestic assets is termed asa. Inward FDIb. Outward FDIc. Vertical FDI
- 80. Domestic firms investing overseas and taking control over foreign assets is known asa. Inward FDIb. Outward FDIc. Vertical FDI
- 81. Direct investment in industries abroad so as to either provide inputs for the firm's domestic operations or sell its domestic outputs overseas is termed as
  a. Inward FDI
  b. Outward FDI
  c. Vertical FDI
- 82. A business firm conducts the same activities but in a foreign country is termed asa. Horizontal FDIb. Outward FDIc. Vertical FDI
- 83. General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) has its origin ina. 1947 b. 1949 c. 1950
- 84. The International Monetary Fund (IMF) came into existence ina. 1944 b. 1947 c. 1949
- 85. Special Drawing Rights are known asa. Paper gold b. Credit tranche c. Reserve tranche
- 86. Exposures related to companies' transactions in foreign currency are calleda. Economic exposureb. Transaction Exposurec. Translation exposure
- 87. It refers to the extent to which the firm's future cash flows gets affected due to the change in the foreign exchange rates along with the price changes.a. Economic exposureb. Transaction Exposurec. Translation exposure
- 88. It is the risk of loss suffered when stock, revenue, assets or liabilities denominated in foreign currency changes with the movement of the foreign exchange rates.
  - a. Economic exposure b. Transaction Exposure c. Translation exposure
- 89. It means paying an obligation in advance of the due date.
  - a. Lagging **b. Leading** c. Netting

- 90. It means delaying payment of an obligation beyond its due date.
  - a. Lagging b. Leading c. Netting
- 91. It is a contract to exchange cash flows over the life of the contact.a. Options b. Futures c. Swaps
- 92. It obligates one party to buy the underlying at a fixed price at a certain time in the future from a counter party.
  - a. Options b. Futures c. Forwards
- 93. It is a negotiable US certificate representing ownership of shares in a non-US company.a. IDRb. GDRc. ADR
- 94. It is a dollar denominated instrument tradable on stock exchange in Europe or the US or both.a. IDR b. GDR c. ADR
- 95. In Latin, 'Vostro' means

  a. Your account with us
  b. Our account with you
  c. Their account with you

  96. In Latin, 'Loro' means

  a. Your account with us
  b. Our account with you
  c. Their account with you

  97. In Latin, 'Nostro' means

  a. Your account with us
  b. Our account with you
  c. Their account with you
- 98. India was represented in the Bretton-woods conference by<br/>a. Sir C.D. Deshmukhb. Dr. Manmohan Singhc. P V Narasimha Rao
- 99. An exchange rate system whereby the rate of a currency is determined by the market forces of demand and supply.
  - a. Fixed **b. Flexible** c. Pegged exchange rate.
- 100. It refers to a system in which exchange rate for a currency is fixed by the government.a. Fixed b. Flexible c. Pegged exchange rate.
- 101. It is basically a promise by a bank to pay an exporter if all terms of the contract are executed properly.
  - a. Letter of credit b. Bank transfers c. Open account
- 102. It is a government aid designed to promote the economic development and welfare of developing countries.

a. **ODA** b. GDR c. ADR

103. World Trade Organisation (WTO) was established in<br/>a. 1994b. 1995c. 1996

104. TRIPS came into force in

a.	1994	b. 1995	c. 1996
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105. Any sign or any combination of signs capable of distinguishing the goods or services of one undertaking from those of other undertakings.

- **a.** Copy right **b. Trademark** c. Patent
- 106. It is a legal term describing rights given to creators for their literary and artistic worksa. Copy right b. Trademark c. Patent
- 107. It is aimed to ensure that the investments by foreign investors (MNCs) in host countries are not treated in a discriminatory manner.
  - a. **TRIMs** b. TRIPs c. GATS
- 108. The first multilateral agreement covering trade in services.a.TRIMsb. TRIPsc. GATS
- 109. These kinds of subsidies don't distort free trade or distort the free trade at a very minimal or negligible level.
  - a. **Green Box** b. Blue box c. Amber box
- 110. These subsidies aim to limit production by imposing production quotas or requiring farmers to set aside part of their land.
  - a. Green Box **b. Blue box** c. Amber box