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**M.Com. BLUE ECONOMY AND MARITIME LAW/ M.Com. GLOBAL
BUSINESS OPERATIONS**

General Instructions

1. The Question Paper is having 100 Objective Questions, each carrying one mark.
2. The answers are to be (✓) 'tick marked' **only** in the "**Response Sheet**" provided.
3. **Negative marking : 0.25 marks** will be deducted for each wrong answer .

Time : 2 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

To be filled in by the Candidate									
Register Number	in Figures								
	in words								

Choose appropriate answer from the options in the questions.

(100 × 1 = 100 marks)

1. GST is a comprehensive tax regime covering
 - a) Goods
 - b) Services
 - c) Both goods and services
 - d) Goods, services and imports

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2. The authority to notify the rate of tax levied under CGST Act is
- a) Central Government
 - b) State Government
 - c) GST Council
 - d) Central Government as per the recommendations of the GST Council
3. In India at present the only direct tax is
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| a) Excise Duty | b) Income Tax |
| c) Sales tax | d) Customs duty |

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11. All the district co-operative banks operating in Kerala are amalgamated with Kerala State Co-operative Bank to form
- a) State Co-operative Bank
 - b) Kerala Bank
 - c) Kerala Co-operative Bank
 - d) None of the above
12. The Banking Regulation Act was passed in the year
- a) 1949
 - b) 1935
 - c) 1936
 - d) 1941
13. The regulatory body created with the aim of protecting the insurance policyholder's interest in India is
- a) TRAI
 - b) IRDA
 - c) LIC
 - d) None of these
14. Which State won the Hockey India Senior Women's National Championship 2022?
- a) Punjab
 - b) Odisha
 - c) Karnataka
 - d) Kerala
15. Which Indian chess player won the '2022 Reykjavik Open Tournament'?
- a) Bharath Subramaniyam
 - b) Mitrabha Guha
 - c) Praggnanandhaa. R
 - d) Raja Rithvik
16. The Official language of Daman and Diu is
- a) Gujarati
 - b) Tamil
 - c) Assamese
 - d) Urdu
17. The author of holy grantha Bhagavad Geetha is
- a) Krishna
 - b) Valmiki
 - c) Kalidas
 - d) Veda vyas

18. Which of the following words is plural?
a) Index b) Analysis
c) Criteria d) Crisis
19. The bacteria in milk are destroyed when it _____ heated to 80 degree Celsius.
a) is b) was
c) Will be d) Would be
20. Which of the following options is the closest in meaning to the phrase underlined in following sentence?
It is fascinating to see life forms cope with varied environmental conditions.
a) Adopt to b) Adapt to
c) Adpt in d) Accept with
21. Building has been built _____ the new plan.
a) accordance to b) in accordance with
c) for d) about
22. Word of the same sound is
a) Soundnyms b) Antonyms
c) Homonyms d) None of these
23. Choose the correct sentence.
a) Do you like a glass of water?
b) Would you like a glass of water?
c) Would you like the glass of water?
d) Do you like the glass of water?
24. The State/UT celebrated its first ever Beach Festival ‘I Sea PONDY-2022’ is
a) Puducherry b) Goa
c) Lakshadweep d) Andaman and Nicobar Islands

25. 'Hallmarking of Gold jewellery' is associated with
- a) Ministry of Mines
 - b) Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
 - c) Ministry of Commerce and Industry
 - d) Ministry of Home Affairs
26. The Indian Navy's First Training Squadron based at
- a) Visakhapatnam
 - b) Kochi
 - c) Mumbai
 - d) Chennai
27. The Article of the Indian constitution which deals with the disqualification of MPs from Lok Sabha or Rajya Sabha is
- a) Article 10
 - b) Article 20
 - c) Article 32
 - d) Article 102
28. Sachin Tendulkar hit his 100th international century against which among the following team?
- a) Sri Lanka
 - b) Bangladesh
 - c) Pakistan
 - d) South Africa
29. The President of International World Games Association is
- a) Jose Perurena Lopez
 - b) Andrew Parsons
 - c) Duane Kale
 - d) Robert Steadward
30. The headquarters of Swimming Federation of India is at
- a) Kolkata
 - b) Ahmedabad
 - c) Chandigarh
 - d) New Delhi
31. Every morning she _____ up early and gets ready for work.
- a) is waking
 - b) has woken
 - c) had woken
 - d) wakes

32. Change the active voice into passive voice:

I will clean the house every Saturday. The house _____ by me every Saturday.

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| a) Cleaned | b) will cleaned |
| c) will be cleaned | d) None of the above |

33. This must not happen again, _____ you will be dismissed.

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| a) or | b) but |
| c) and | d) so |

34. If Reena says, "Anjali's father Raman is the only son of my father-in-law Ramanand", then how is Piyu, who is the sister of Anjali, related to Ramanand?

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| a) Wife | b) Sister |
| c) Grand-daughter | d) Daughter |

35. Choose the number pair/group which is different from others.

1. 40 : 50
2. 30 : 36
3. 8 : 10
4. 28 : 35
5. 16 : 20

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| a) 8:10 | b) 40:50 |
| c) 30:36 | d) 28:35 |

36. Select the option that belongs to the category of words given below.

Cinema, Actor, Director

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| a) Book | b) Disease |
| c) Principal | d) Theater |

37. Four pairs of letter-cluster have been given out of which three are alike in some manner, while one is different. Choose the odd one

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| a) NVH-KUK | b) REA-ODD |
| c) CWX-AVZ | d) TXB-QWE |

38. The Governor of a State is appointed by the President on the advice of the
- a) Prime Minister
 - b) Vice-President
 - c) Chief Minister
 - d) Chief Justice
39. The total number of members nominated by the President to the Lok Sabha and the Rajya Sabha is
- a) 16
 - b) 8
 - c) 14
 - d) 2
40. The first woman Governor of a State in free India was
- a) Mrs. Indira Gandhi
 - b) Mrs. Vijaya Laxmi Pandit
 - c) Mrs. Sarojini Naidu
 - d) Mrs. Sucheta Kripalani
41. Which Article of the Constitution empowers the President to appoint a Commission to investigate the condition of backward classes in general and suggest ameliorative measures?
- a) Art 342
 - b) Art 340
 - c) Art 344
 - d) Art 339
42. Under whose advice the President of India declares Emergency under Article 352?
- a) Chief Ministers of all states
 - b) Prime Minister
 - c) Cabinet
 - d) Council of Ministers
43. Who appoints the Chairman of the UPSC?
- a) President
 - b) Speaker of Lok Sabha
 - c) Chief Justice of India
 - d) Prime Minister
44. Which of the following is a branch of statistics?
- a) Descriptive statistics
 - b) Inferential statistics
 - c) Industry statistics
 - d) Both (a) and (b)

45. Set A has 3 elements, and set B has 4 elements. Then the number of injective mappings that can be defined from A to B is
 - a) 144
 - b) 12
 - c) 24
 - d) 64
46. Find the mean of tossing 8 coins.
 - a) 2
 - b) 4
 - c) 8
 - d) 1
47. Mode is the
 - a) Middle most frequent value
 - b) Least frequent value
 - c) Maximum frequent value
 - d) None of these
48. Which of the following cannot be determined graphically?
 - a) Median
 - b) Mean
 - c) Mode
 - d) None of these
49. The analysis of labour turnover rates, performance appraisal, training programs and planning of incentives are examples of role of
 - a) Statistics in personnel management
 - b) Statistics in finance
 - c) Statistics in marketing
 - d) Statistics in production
50. The branch of statistics which considers the ratio scale and interval scale is considered as
 - a) Parametric statistics
 - b) Non-parametric statistics
 - c) Distribution statistics
 - d) Sampling statistics
51. Find the synonym of the following word Predominant
 - a) Prevailing
 - b) Inferior
 - c) Minor
 - d) Secondary

52. Find the synonym of the following word

Implied

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| a) Open | b) Latent |
| c) Explicated | d) Stated |

53. 'Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT)' is related with which institution?

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| a) World Bank | b) World Trade Organisation |
| c) NITI Aayog | d) World Economic Forum |

54. The 'Institute of Mathematical Sciences' is situated at

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| a) Mumbai | b) Mysuru |
| c) Chennai | d) Panaji |

55. The World Consumer Rights Day is observed on

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| a) 10 March | b) 12 April |
| c) 21 March | d) 15 March |

56. Who is known as father of Accountancy?

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| a) Batliboy | b) MC. Shukla |
| c) Luca Pacioli | d) George Terry |

57. Who wrote the book of "The Wealth of Nations"?

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| a) Alfred Marshal | b) Adam Smith |
| c) David Recardo | d) James |

58. The Need Heirarchy theory of motivation is developed by

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| a) Henry Fayol | b) Mc Gregor |
| c) Abraham Maslow | d) Herz berg |

59. MBO stands for
- a) Management by Options
 - b) Management by Objectives
 - c) Management by Optional
 - d) None of these
60. The number of subordinates a superior can manage effectively is called
- a) Controlling
 - b) Administration
 - c) Span of Control
 - d) Management
61. Which became the largest fast-moving consumer goods company of India, surpassing HUL?
- a) ITC Ltd
 - b) Godrej Consumer Products
 - c) Patanjali Ayurved
 - d) Adani Wilmar Ltd
62. Bangalore International Airport Ltd has partnered with _____ bank for a one-stop payment solution.
- a) HDFC Bank
 - b) Canara Bank
 - c) Kotak Mahindra Bank
 - d) ICICI Bank
63. The first bank introduced ATM in India is
- a) Punjab National Bank
 - b) British Bank of Middle East
 - c) HSBC
 - d) SBI
64. Which newspaper has the motto - Journalism of Courage?
- a) The Hindustan Times
 - b) The Washington Post
 - c) The Hindu
 - d) The Indian Express
65. Rahul Dravid is associated with the advertising campaign of _____ bank.
- a) Bank of Baroda
 - b) Bank of India
 - c) HSBC
 - d) HDFC

66. The Company which overtakes Apple as world's most valuable brand in 2023 is
 - a) Microsoft
 - b) Google
 - c) Walmart
 - d) Amazon
67. The Consumer Protection Act was passed in the year
 - a) 1984
 - b) 1986
 - c) 1990
 - d) 1994
68. Among the following, which one is called non-probability sampling?
 - a) Quota sampling
 - b) Cluster sampling
 - c) Systematic sampling
 - d) Stratified random sampling
69. The best measure of Central Tendency is
 - a) Arithmetic mean
 - b) Geometric mean
 - c) Harmonic mean
 - d) Mode
70. When the value of $r = +1$, the correlation is
 - a) Negative
 - b) Positive
 - c) Perfect positive
 - d) Perfect negative
71. The mode of the following series is _____. 3,5,8,5,4,5,9,3.
 - a) 3
 - b) 5
 - c) 4
 - d) 0
72. _____ analysis deals with the association between two or more variables.
 - a) Correlation
 - b) Regression
 - c) Skewness
 - d) Kurtosis
73. The regression equation of x on y is expressed as
 - a) $Y = a + b$
 - b) $Y = ab$
 - c) $Y = a + bx$
 - d) $y = a / bx$

74. What is the probability of picking a card that is red or black?
- a) 1
 - b) 2
 - c) 0
 - d) $1/2$
75. Bibliography given in a research report
- a) Shows vast knowledge of the researcher
 - b) Helps those interested in further research
 - c) Has no relevance to research
 - d) All the above
76. Formulation of hypothesis may not be required in
- a) Survey method
 - b) Historical studies
 - c) Experimental studies
 - d) Normative studies
77. When a research problem is related to heterogeneous population, the most suitable sampling method is
- a) Cluster Sampling
 - b) Stratified Sampling
 - c) Convenient Sampling
 - d) Lottery Method
78. Domestic trade and International trade differ because of
- a) Trade restrictions
 - b) Immobility of factors
 - c) Different government policies
 - d) All of the above
79. Government strategy regarding exporters and importers is called
- a) Commercial policy
 - b) Monetary policy
 - c) Fiscal policy
 - d) Finance policy
80. International trade indicates
- a) Trade between regions
 - b) Trade between countries
 - c) Trade between provinces
 - d) Both (a) and (c)

81. When imported products are more than exported goods, then _____ occurs.
- a) Trade deficit
 - b) Trade barrier
 - c) Trade surplus
 - d) None
82. The World Trade Organization is established in the year
- a) 1995
 - b) 1947
 - c) 1991
 - d) 1980
83. How many members are present in the WTO?
- a) 207
 - b) 195
 - c) 160
 - d) 164
84. The headquarters of the WTO is located at
- a) Austria
 - b) Geneva
 - c) New York
 - d) Washington DC
85. TRIPS (Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights) agreement is administered by the
- a) World Bank (WB)
 - b) United Nations Organization (UNO)
 - c) World Trade Organization (WTO)
 - d) United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD)
86. A tax applied as a percentage of the value of an imported good is known as
- a) Preferential tariff
 - b) Ad valorem tariff
 - c) Specific tariff
 - d) Mixed or compound tariff

87. Which of the following is a component of foreign capital?
- a) Direct inter government loans
 - b) Loans from international institutions (e.g. World Bank, IMF, ADB)
 - c) Soft loans for e.g. from affiliates of World Bank such as IDA
 - d) All the above
88. The leading country in respect of inflow of FDI to India is
- a) Mauritius
 - b) USA
 - c) Japan
 - d) UAE
89. In International Trade, IMF stands for
- a) International Monetary Fund
 - b) International Money Fund
 - c) International Market Fund
 - d) International Monetary Firm
90. ————— refers to purchase of goods from a foreign country.
- a) Foreign Trade
 - b) Export Trade
 - c) Import Trade
 - d) EXIM Trade
91. International trade contributes and increases the world
- a) Population
 - b) Inflation
 - c) Economy
 - d) Trade Barriers
92. ————— refers to the tax imposed on imports.
- a) Imported Tax
 - b) Tariffs
 - c) Subsidies
 - d) Import Quotas
93. EU stands for
- a) Export Union
 - b) European Union
 - c) EXIM Union
 - d) Export Unit

94. ASEAN stands for
- a) The Association of Southeast American Nations
 - b) The Association of Southeast Asian Nations
 - c) The Agreement of Southeast American Nations
 - d) The Agreement of Southeast Asian Nations
95. Which of the following dances of Kerala was called by Jawahar Lal Nehru as poor man's Kathakali?
- a) Chavittunatakam
 - b) Kolkalli
 - c) Ottamthullal
 - d) Kootiyattam
96. The institution which conducts 'Abhyaas' programme to guide students in Competitive Examination is
- a) ISRO
 - b) IIT-Kharagpur
 - c) All India Radio News
 - d) DD News
97. The headquarters of the Border Roads Organisation (BRO) located at
- a) Ladakh
 - b) Guwahati
 - c) Nainital
 - d) New Delhi
98. India recently established a 'Business Commission' to fast-track free trade agreement (FTA), with
- a) UAE
 - b) UK
 - c) Australia
 - d) Japan
99. The Head quarters of Central Statistical Organization is at
- a) Mumbai
 - b) New Delhi
 - c) Kolkatha
 - d) Chennai
100. The regulatory body in the field of capital market in India is
- a) TRAI
 - b) RBI
 - c) SEBI
 - d) None of the above
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ANSWER SHEET

1	A	B	C	D	E	26	A	B	C	D	E	51	A	B	C	D	E	76	A	B	C	D	E
2	A	B	C	D	E	27	A	B	C	D	E	52	A	B	C	D	E	77	A	B	C	D	E
3	A	B	C	D	E	28	A	B	C	D	E	53	A	B	C	D	E	78	A	B	C	D	E
4	A	B	C	D	E	29	A	B	C	D	E	54	A	B	C	D	E	79	A	B	C	D	E
5	A	B	C	D	E	30	A	B	C	D	E	55	A	B	C	D	E	80	A	B	C	D	E
6	A	B	C	D	E	31	A	B	C	D	E	56	A	B	C	D	E	81	A	B	C	D	E
7	A	B	C	D	E	32	A	B	C	D	E	57	A	B	C	D	E	82	A	B	C	D	E
8	A	B	C	D	E	33	A	B	C	D	E	58	A	B	C	D	E	83	A	B	C	D	E
9	A	B	C	D	E	34	A	B	C	D	E	59	A	B	C	D	E	84	A	B	C	D	E
10	A	B	C	D	E	35	A	B	C	D	E	60	A	B	C	D	E	85	A	B	C	D	E
11	A	B	C	D	E	36	A	B	C	D	E	61	A	B	C	D	E	86	A	B	C	D	E
12	A	B	C	D	E	37	A	B	C	D	E	62	A	B	C	D	E	87	A	B	C	D	E
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14	A	B	C	D	E	39	A	B	C	D	E	64	A	B	C	D	E	89	A	B	C	D	E
15	A	B	C	D	E	40	A	B	C	D	E	65	A	B	C	D	E	90	A	B	C	D	E
16	A	B	C	D	E	41	A	B	C	D	E	66	A	B	C	D	E	91	A	B	C	D	E
17	A	B	C	D	E	42	A	B	C	D	E	67	A	B	C	D	E	92	A	B	C	D	E
18	A	B	C	D	E	43	A	B	C	D	E	68	A	B	C	D	E	93	A	B	C	D	E
19	A	B	C	D	E	44	A	B	C	D	E	69	A	B	C	D	E	94	A	B	C	D	E
20	A	B	C	D	E	45	A	B	C	D	E	70	A	B	C	D	E	95	A	B	C	D	E
21	A	B	C	D	E	46	A	B	C	D	E	71	A	B	C	D	E	96	A	B	C	D	E
22	A	B	C	D	E	47	A	B	C	D	E	72	A	B	C	D	E	97	A	B	C	D	E
23	A	B	C	D	E	48	A	B	C	D	E	73	A	B	C	D	E	98	A	B	C	D	E
24	A	B	C	D	E	49	A	B	C	D	E	74	A	B	C	D	E	99	A	B	C	D	E
25	A	B	C	D	E	50	A	B	C	D	E	75	A	B	C	D	E	100	A	B	C	D	E

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