

35. The following are sales promotional techniques EXCEPT:
 A Free samples
 B Trade fairs
 C Television
 D Competition.
36. An organization whose management is democratically elected is called:
 A Public company
 B Public corporation
 C Co-operative society
 D Partnership.
37. A practice whereby goods are sold below the cost price in a department store is known as:
 A Price leadership
 B Loss leadership
 C Breaking bulk
 D Profits maximization.
38. Nationalization of industry means that its ownership becomes that of:
 A Tax payers
 B Shareholders
 C Indigenes
 D State.
39. The name given to a mail that is marked with a Blue cross, given a serial number and sealed with wax is called:
 A Registered post
 B Recorded delivery
 C Express delivery
 D Ordinary post.
40. Which of the facilities below can enable the customer to withdraw money even when a bank has closed?
 A A cheque
 B Standing order
 C Cash Dispenser
 D Direct debit.
41. A means of transport which is NOT easily affected by weather condition is:
 A Road
 B Sea
 C Rail
 D River
42. The banking facility that can be used to pay many creditors with one cheque called?
 A Certified cheque
 B Standing order
 C Credit transfer
 D Bank draft.
43. A refund of duties on goods meant for re-exportation is called:
 A Discount
 B Excise drawback
 C Subsidies
 D Customs drawback.
44. A contract of charter of a ship for a particular journey is:
 A Time charter
 B Demise charter
 C Voyage Charter
 D Demurrage.
45. When a customer is granted an overdraft, interest will be paid on the:
 A Whole amount
 B Extra amount overdrawn
 C Amount drawn
 D Amount overdrawn.
46. Goods were bought for 200,000 CFAF on the 01/01/2013 with these payment terms: 5% 7days, 2½ % 15days.
 What will be the cash discount if payment was made on the 13/01/13?
 A 10,000 CFAF
 B 5,000 CFAF
 C 20,000 CFAF
 D 50,000 CFAF.
47. Limited liability implies that shareholders are:
 A Liable to the debts of the company up to their personal properties.
 B Liable to the debts of the company up to their liabilities.
 C Liable to the debts of the company up to their capital contributed.
 D NOT liable to the debts of the company.
48. A factor that will NOT determine the location of a warehouse is:
 A Location of factory
 B Operating cost
 C Cost of goods
 D Cost of construction.
49. Goods liable for duties are stored in which warehouse?
 A Bonded
 B State
 C Border
 D Private.
50. The document used when an independent carrier is hired to deliver goods is called?
 A Debit note
 B Delivery note
 C Consignment note
 D Credit note.

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1. As a legal entity, a joint stock company can:
 - A Close at any time
 - B Not operate without a certificate of trading
 - C Open at anytime
 - D Sue and be sued.

2. The document that shows the quantity of goods that enter and leave a store is:
 - A Bin card
 - B Invoice
 - C Delivery note
 - D Statement of account.

3. The amount the assured receives if he decides to discontinue his life policy is known as:
 - A Refunded value
 - B Claim
 - C Surrender value
 - D Indemnification.

4. Which of these documents needs acceptance to guarantee payments?
 - A Bank credit
 - B Letter of credit
 - C Letter of hypothecation
 - D Bill of exchange.

5. A document showing details of goods and passengers carried in a ship or aircraft is known as:
 - A Bill of lading
 - B Airway bill
 - C Manifest
 - D Indent.

6. Which Act of parliament discourages misleading advertisement?
 - A Sales of Goods Act
 - B Unfair Trading Act
 - C Trade Description Act
 - D Advertising Act.

7. The act of stealing goods from a shop is described as:
 - A Shopping theft
 - B Shop lifting
 - C Organized theft
 - D Theft.

8. Loss leaders facilities are commonly offered by:
 - A Supermarkets
 - B Hypermarkets
 - C Department stores
 - D Multiple shops.

9. Which of the risks below is NOT covered by a fire policy?
 - A Lightning
 - B Explosion of domestic boilers
 - C War
 - D Damage by smoke.

10. Which of the following is involved in mail services in Cameroon?
 - A CAMTEL
 - B INTEL CAM
 - C CAMPOST
 - D MINPOSTEL.

11. Advertising that targets the general public is called:
 - A Mass advertising
 - B Competitive advertising
 - C Direct advertising
 - D Indirect advertising.

12. What term below will NOT mean the same as the needs of an enterprise?
 - A Resources
 - B Elements of production
 - C Output
 - D Input.

13. A request to an agent abroad to buy goods from a specific producer is known as:
 - A Open indent
 - B Indent
 - C Foreign order
 - D Close indent.

14. The document that shows evidence of payment is:
 - A Receipt
 - B Promissory note
 - C Invoice
 - D Postal order

15. The formula "sales – costs of goods sold" gives:
 - A Net sales
 - B Gross profits
 - C Net turnover
 - D Net worth.

16. Given that the cost of goods sold is 12,000,000 CFAF, and the average stock is 5,000,000 CFAF, then the rate of turnover is:
 - A 2 times
 - B 2.4 times
 - C 24 times
 - D 12 times.

17. The cost that do not change as output varies in the short-run is called?
 - A Opportunity cost
 - B Social cost
 - C Fixed cost
 - D Direct cost

18. A written agreement for the hiring of a ship is called:
 - A Affreightment
 - B Contract policy
 - C Freight policy
 - D Charter party.

19. A cheque signed by a bank on behalf of its client to guarantee payment is called:
 A Negotiable cheque
 B Non negotiable cheque
 C Certified cheque
 D Crossed cheque.
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20. The choice of an advertising medium depends on the following factors EXCEPT:
 A Cost of medium
 B Effectiveness of medium
 C Target market
 D Location of medium.
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21. The real owners of a company are:
 A Ordinary shareholders
 B Preference shareholders
 C Debentures holders
 D Participating preference shareholders.
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22. Imported goods are stored in bonded warehouses in order to await:
 A Payments of transport charges
 B Collection
 C Demand
 D Payment of duties.
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23. Who fills and signs a cheque?
 A Drawer
 B Drawee
 C Payee
 D Customer.
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24. The main purpose of a bill of lading in sea transport is that it allows:
 A Ownership of goods to be claimed
 B Goods to be transported by sea
 C Goods to be transported abroad
 D Transfer of ownership of goods.
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25. Working capital is calculated as:
 A Gross profits – expenses
 B Current assets – current liabilities
 C Total assets – current assets.
 D Total assets – debtors.
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26. The insurance firm that caters for the welfare of workers as governed by the Cameroon labour code is:
 A Beneficial Life Insurance
 B National Social Insurance Fund
 C Coling All Life Insurance
 D Satellite Insurance Company.
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27. Commerce as a branch of production is concerned with:
 A Changing location of goods and services
 B Distributing goods and services
 C Changing the form of goods
 D Changing the ownership of goods.
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28. Electrical engineering is a specialized occupation in which branch of production?
 A Manufacturing
 B Industry
 C Commerce
 D Direct Services.
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29. All of the following have limited liabilities EXCEPT
 A Ordinary shareholders
 B Underwriters
 C Sleeping partners
 D Preference shareholders.
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30. A document sent by a potential buyer to many suppliers at the same time is called:
 A Order form
 B Advice note
 C Letter of enquiry
 D Pro forma invoice.
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31. Which of the following resources of an enterprise will be subject to depreciation?
 A Land
 B Capital
 C Labour
 D Entrepreneur.
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32. Which of the following is granted when a customer operates a current account?
 A Short term loan
 B Discount
 C Long term loan
 D Overdraft.
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33. A recent development in the transportation of goods which is meant to reduce handling cost is by the use of:
 A Pallet
 B Tight Security
 C Fork lift.
 D Cranes.
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34. A grouping of shipping companies to protect their common interest is:
 A Conference
 B Charter party
 C Baltic exchange
 D Shipping Association.