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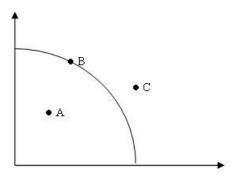
REVISION EXERCISE MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. Shawn sells his produce at the market and saves his money until he has enough to buy a tractor. Which of the following functions is money performing in this case.

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- (A) Store of value
- (B) Unit of account
- (C) Medium of exchange
- (D) Standard of deferred payment
- 2. Which of the following is true regarding the production possibilities frontier (PPF) presented below? (Section 1: Obj 6)



- (A) Point A represents an attainable combination.
- (B) Point C represents an inefficient combination.
- (C) Point B represents opportunity cost.
- (D) Point A represents an efficient combination.

- 3. An economy may operate outside the Production Possibility Frontier if: (Section 1: Obj 6)
 - (A) it is using up all its resources efficiently.
 - (B) it is trading with other countries.
 - (C) it is a command economy.
 - (D) if it is not using all its resources efficiently.
- 4. As resources are shifted from one industry to another on a PPF, this can be shown by: (Section 1: Obj 6)
 - (A) An inward shift of the PPF.
 - (B) An outward shift of the PPF.
 - (C) A movement along the PPF.
 - (D) A pivot of the PPF to the right.
- 5. The Government has decided to give a subsidy to chicken farmers. As a result of the granting of the subsidy it is expected that (Section 3: Obj 8)
 - (A) supply of chickens will increase
 - (B) supply of chickens will decrease
 - (C) demand for chickens will decrease
 - (D) price of chicken will increase
- 6. The Government has decided to impose an indirect tax on beef. As a result of the tax, it is expected that (Section 3: Obj 8)
 - (A) demand curve for beef will shift to the right
 - (B) demand curve for beef will shift to the left
 - (C) supply curve for beef will shift to the left
 - (D) supply curve for beef will shift to the right.
- 7. Which of the following features is NOT a characteristic of perfect competition? (Section 4: Obj 2)
 - (A) Freedom of entry and exit
 - (B) Selling of differentiated products
 - (C) Many buyers and many sellers
 - (D) Perfect knowledge of market conditions
- 8. According to economic theory, dumping of waste in rivers is an example of a (Section4:Obj 6)
 - (A) private good
 - (B) merit good
 - (C) negative externality
 - (D) positive externality
- 9. Which of the following is MOST likely to occur if there is an increase in the demand for laptops? (Section 3: Obj 8)
 - (A) The price of laptops will fall.
 - (B) The price of laptops will rise.
 - (C) The supply of laptops will fall.
 - (D) The price and supply of laptops will remain the same.

- 10. Which of the following BEST defines 'real national income'? (Section 6: Obj 8)
 - (A) The current value of output produced in a given year.
 - (B) The money value of national income.
 - (C) National income less depreciation.
 - (D) National income adjusted for inflation.
- 11. Which of the following national financial institutions only provides services to assist a specific industry? (Section 5: Obj 6)
 - (A) Commercial Bank
 - (B) Development Bank
 - (C) Credit union
 - (D) Insurance company
- 12. A Treasury bond is a long-term financial instrument issued by: (Section 5: Obj 7)
 - (A) Insurance companies
 - (B) Public companies
 - (C) Governments
 - (D) Cooperatives
- 13. The ability to carry an asset on you easily to conduct transactions is known as: (Section 5: Obj 3)
 - (A) Liquidity
 - (B) Divisibility
 - (C) Homogeneity
 - (D) Portability
- 14. Which of the following international institutions main purpose is to eliminate trade barriers among countries? (Section 7: Obj 1)
 - (A) International Monetary Fund
 - (B) World Trade Organization
 - (C) World Health Organization
 - (D) World Bank
- 15. Large firms benefit from employing sophisticated pieces of machinery. This is as a result of which of the following economies of scale? (Section 2, Obj 13)
 - (A) Technical
 - (B) Financial
 - (C) Commercial
 - (D) Risk-bearing
- 16. As a result of a world-wide health issue, individuals are worried about travelling abroad.

What is the most likely effect on the demand for air-travel? (Section 3: Obj 7)

- (A) A contraction of demand
- (B) An extension of demand
- (C) A decrease in demand
- (D) An increase in demand.

- 17. Due to Scientific research which advises that consumption of a certain brand of dog food is unsafe for dogs, what is the most likely effect on the market for dog food? (Section 3: Obj 7)
 - (A) A fall in demand for all dog food
 - (B) A fall in prices of dog food
 - (C) A rise in demand for alternative brands of dog food
 - (D) A rise in price of the named brand of pet food.
- 18. As a result of government regulations to stay-at-home for health and safety concerns, which of the following is most likely to happen in the market for restaurant meals? (Section 3: Obj 7)
 - (A) A decline in consumption of ALL food by households.
 - (B) A rise in innovative methods of supplying meals by restaurants.
 - (C) An increase in profits of all restaurants.
 - (D) A rise in number of new restaurants entering the industry.
- 19. Country W experienced a decline in tourist arrivals for the year. Which of the following will be recorded in the country's Balance of Payments Account? (Section 7: Obj 3)
 - (A) A debit in visible exports.
 - (B) A credit in invisible exports
 - (C) A debit in invisible exports
 - (D) A debit in capital inflows.
- 20. An increase in government's borrowing to finance additional expenditure on welfare and unemployment grants is most likely to result in: (Section 6: Obj 2)
 - (A) A Balance of Payments deficit
 - (B) A Balance of Payments surplus
 - (C) A Budget Deficit
 - (D) No change in the Budget.

ANSWER KEY

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