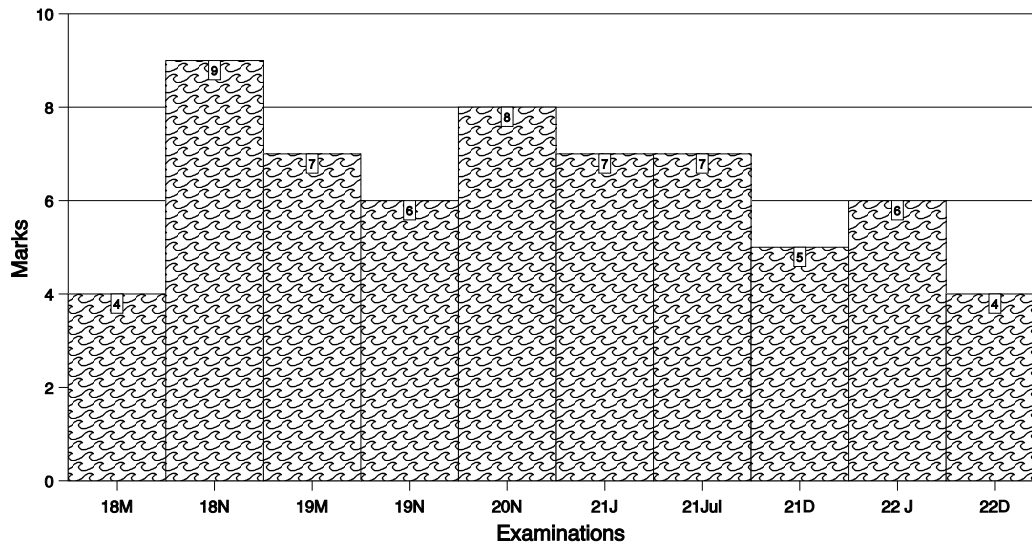


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## INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS AND BCK

Marks of Objective, Short Notes, Distinguish Between, Descriptive & Practical Questions

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[1] \_\_\_\_\_ is a feature of partnership form of business.

- (a) Separate legal entity from the firm
- (b) Limited scope for raising finance
- (c) The liability of a partner is limited to his contribution to capital
- (d) Registration of partnership is compulsory (1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(b)** Following are the essential features of a partnership form of business:

- (i) Can be started by minimum 2 persons.
- (ii) Can have maximum 10/20 persons.
- (iii) Scope for raising finance is limited.
- (iv) Formed for earning profit.
- (v) Liability of all partners is unlimited.
- (vi) Registration is voluntary.
- (vii) There exist a principal-agent relationship.

Thus, among the given options "**limited scope for raising finance**" is a feature of partnership form of business.

[2] \_\_\_\_\_ form of business is/are appropriate for retail business.

- (a) Sole proprietorship
- (b) Partnership
- (c) Company
- (d) Both (a) and (b) (1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(d)** Business providing direct services like retail business should be set up as sole proprietor; businesses requiring pooling of skills and funds should be set up as partnership, while manufacturing concerns of large size should be set up as companies.

Thus, both **sole proprietorship** and **partnership** form of business are appropriate for retail business.

- [3] Which one of the following does not have perpetual succession?  
(a) Company (b) Statutory Corporation  
(c) Sole Proprietorship (d) Co-operative Society (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) Perpetual succession means that the death / insolvency of any member of a concern does not affect its continuity. Thus, its legal entity is separate from its members. All except **sole proprietorship** are formed like a corporate form of organisation and thus, have perpetual succession.

- [4] In a Hindu Undivided Family, liability of \_\_\_\_\_ is unlimited.  
(a) Karta (b) Co-parceners  
(c) Both a and b (d) Neither a and b (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) In HUF, liability of all the co-partners is limited except Karta, thus, enabling more efficient management. Thus, the liability of **Karta** is unlimited.

- [5] In relation to business organisation structure, which one of the following is easy to form and wind up?  
(a) A company (b) A sole proprietorship  
(c) Statutory corporation (d) Public enterprises. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) One of the advantages of sole proprietorship form of business is that no legal formalities are required for its formation. It can be started with a small amount of capital. Similarly, its winding up also is completely dependant upon sole proprietor. Thus, **sole proprietorship** form of business have easy formation and winding up.

- [6] Which is not a feature of LLP?  
(a) Separate legal entity  
(b) All LLP have existence for fixed period.  
(c) Partners in an LLP are required to turn into an agreement  
(d) In an LLP, partners are not liable for the act of other partners. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) Following are the features of a limited liability partnership:

- (i) Body corporate.
- (ii) Separate Legal Entity.
- (iii) Perpetual Succession.
- (iv) Easy formation.
- (v) Flexible operations.
- (vi) No minimum capital contribution.
- (vii) Easy dissolution.
- (viii) Low cost of formation.
- (ix) No partner liable for other partner's act.
- (x) No restriction on maximum number of partners.
- (xi) Mutual rights and duties of partners are governed by an LLP agreement.

Thus, among the given options, option B i.e. "All LLP have existence for fixed period" is not a feature of LLP.

[7] Gas Authority of India Limited is an example of:

- (a) Limited liability partnership
- (b) Private limited company
- (c) Public enterprise
- (d) None of the above. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) Public enterprises refers to business organisation owned, managed and controlled by local, central or State Government. Whole or most of the investment is made by government itself.

**Example: Gas Authority of India Limited**, Hindustan Machine Tools, etc.

**2013 - JUNE**

[8] Which one of the following is treated as a separate legal entity different from its members?

- (a) Sole proprietorship
- (b) Hindu undivided family
- (c) Partnership
- (d) Limited liability partnership. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(d) Limited Liability Partnership has a separate legal entity, liable to the full extent of its assets. The liability of the partner would be limited to their agreed contribution in the LLP.

Thus, **Limited Liability Partnership** is treated as separate legal entity, different from its members. In all other cases the entity and its members are same persons.

**2013 - DECEMBER**

[9] The choice of an appropriate form of business organisation largely depends upon:

- I. Ease of formation
- II. Continuity and stability
- III. Liability aspects

Correct option is —

- (a) I and II
- (b) II and III
- (c) I and III
- (d) I, II and III.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(d) Before selecting any form of business organisation, one must consider the following factors:

- (i) Easy formation
- (ii) Liability of owner
- (iii) Continuity and stability
- (iv) Capital Adequacy
- (v) Flexibility of operations
- (vi) Relationship between ownership, control & management.

Thus I, II and III i.e. Ease of formation, continuity and stability and liability aspects, all are considered while making choice of an

appropriate form of business organisation.

[10] Which form of business organisation has a separate legal entity?

- (a) Hindu Undivided Family (HUF)
- (b) Co-operative society
- (c) Partnership firm
- (d) Sole proprietorship. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(b)** Co-operative society possess the following characteristics–

- (i) Voluntary Association
- (ii) Separate legal entity
- (iii) Democratic management
- (iv) Service motive
- (v) Utilisation of surplus
- (vi) Cash Trading
- (vii) Fixed Rate of Return
- (viii) Government control
- (ix) Share Capital.

Thus, **co-operative society** has a separate legal entity.

**2014 - JUNE**

[11] What is the liability of each partner under LLP?

- (a) Limited
- (b) Unlimited
- (c) Partially Limited
- (d) None of the above (1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(a)** Under Limited Liability Partnership, as the name represents all the partners have a form of **limited** liability for each individual's protection within the partnership.

[12] Which of the following is not a form of organisation?

- (a) Partnership
- (b) Company
- (c) Partners
- (d) Sole Proprietorship (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) Partnership, Company, Sole proprietorship are forms of organisation while **partners** are the members of a partnership firm and not a form of business organisation.

[13] Who can be the head of Joint Hindu Family business?

- (a) Karta (b) Co-parcener  
(c) Manager (d) Director (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) According to the Hindu Law of Society, only Karta i.e. the eldest male member of the Hindu family can be the head of Joint Hindu Family Business. Hence **option (a)** is correct.

[14] Members of HUF are known as

- (a) Partners (b) Shareholders  
(c) Members (d) Co-parceners (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(d) HUF is a most peculiar form of business organisation in which the family possesses some inherited property. Its **members** are known as **Co-parceners**.

[15] Which amongst the following is a feature of LLP?

- (a) Separate legal entity (b) Unlimited liability  
(c) No perpetual succession (d) Not a body corporate (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) Following are the features of a LLP :

- (i) Body corporate
- (ii) Separate legal entity
- (iii) Perpetual succession
- (iv) Easy formation
- (v) Flexible operations
- (vi) No minimum capital contributions
- (vii) Easy dissolution
- (viii) Low cost of formation
- (ix) No partner liable for other partner's act
- (x) No restriction on maximum number of partners.
- (xi) Mutual rights and duties of partners are governed by an LLP

agreement.

Thus, among the given options, **option (a) i.e. Separate legal entity** is a feature of LLP.

[16] Head of HUF is known as –

- (a) Karta
- (b) Co-parceners
- (c) Manager
- (d) Head (1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(a)** HUF is the most peculiar form of business organisation in which the family possesses some inherited property and the head of the family, known as **Karta**, who manages its affairs.

[17] In case of HUF what are liabilities of Co-parcener and Karta –

- (a) Both have unlimited liability.
- (b) Co-parcener's liability is limited while Karta's liability is unlimited.
- (c) Karta's liability is limited while Co-parcener's liability is unlimited.
- (d) Both have limited liability. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(b)** In HUF, liability of all the co-parceners is limited except Karta, thus enabling more efficient management.

Thus, **liability of Karta is unlimited and co-parceners is limited.**

**2014 - DECEMBER**

[18] To form a partnership, the minimum capital contribution should be:

- (a) ₹ 1 Lakh
- (b) There is no minimum limit
- (c) ₹ 1 Crore
- (d) ₹ 5 Lakh. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(b)** In a partnership, there are no complicated legal formalities involved in the establishment of partnership business. The partners entered



into a partnership agreement can start their business, there is **no such any minimum capital contribution limit**. However, in case of sole proprietorship, the capital is limited to the savings of one owner or his borrowing capacity. Hence, **option B** is correct.

[19] The Karta in Joint Hindu Family business has:

- (a) Unlimited liability
- (b) Joint liability
- (c) Limited liability
- (d) No liability for debts. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) The liability of the co-parceners is limited, except for that of the Karta. This makes the Karta to manage the business in the most efficient manner. Thus, the Karta in Joint Hindu Family business has **unlimited liability**.

2015 - JUNE

[20] Which corporation has both characteristics i.e. of a partnership and of a separate legal entity?

- (a) Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)
- (b) Company
- (c) Partnership
- (d) Statutory Body. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) A Limited Liability Partnership, popularly known as LLP combines the advantages of both the company i.e. separate legal entity and partnership into a single form of organization.

2015 - DECEMBER

[21] What is Karta's liability in HUF?

- (a) Limited
- (b) Unlimited
- (c) Limited by guarantee
- (d) None of these (1 mark)

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**Answer:**

(b) The liability of the co-parceners is limited, except for that of the Karta. This make the Karta to manage the business in the most efficient manner. Thus, the Karta in Joint Hindu family business has **unlimited** liability.

[22] Liability of other Co-parceners are:

- (a) Limited upto the extent of share except Karta
- (b) Unlimited upto the extent of share except Karta
- (c) Unlimited
- (d) Limited

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) The liability of each member of the hindu undivided family business is limited to the extent of his share in the business while karta has unlimited liability.

2016 - JUNE

[23] The liability of each member of the Hindu Undivided Family business is:

- (a) Limited to a sum as declared by him in general public
- (b) Unlimited
- (c) Limited to the extent of his share in the business except karta
- (d) Limited to the extent of his share in the business including that of karta.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) The liability of each member of the Hindu Undivided Family business is **limited to the extent of his share in the business except karta**. This makes the Karta to manage the business in the most efficient manner.

2016 - DECEMBER

[24] The affairs of a company is overseen by:

- (a) Shareholders
- (b) Employees
- (c) Board of Directors
- (d) Dividend Holders.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) A company is a voluntary association of people carrying on business. It is a Artificial Legal person whose management is separated from ownership. Ownership lies with shareholders who contribute share capital and management lies with the **Board of Directors** who oversee the affairs of company.

[25] In case of Hindu Undivided Family, the individual share of each co-parcener:

- (a) depends upon his efficiency
- (b) keeps changing on the death or birth of co-parcener
- (c) is fixed
- (d) keeps changing annually

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) In a Hindu Undivided Family Business, the share of each Co-parcener **is fixed** but is liable to change due to death or birth of any member in the family.

[26] The size and structure of business depend on many factors which (are):

- (a) In the control of enterprises
- (b) Arbitrary and random
- (c) Range from internal to external factors which are beyond the control of enterprises
- (d) Beyond the control of enterprises.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) The Size and Structure of Business depend upon factor such as:  
(a) District Ownership

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- (b) Lawful Business
- (c) Separate Status
- (d) Deals in Goods and Services
- (e) Risk involvement

They are all **in the control of enterprise.**

[27] Limited Liability Partnership is constituted under\_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) The Companies Act, 2013
- (b) Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008
- (c) Partnership Act, 1932
- (d) None is applicable.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (b) Limited Liability Partnership, the world wide recognized form of business organisation has been introduced in India by the way of **Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008.**

**2017 - JUNE**

[28] Sole proprietary business is suitable when market is:

- (a) Non Existent
- (b) National
- (c) Local
- (d) Global

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (c) The sole proprietorship business is most suitable where the market for the product is small and local, where the capital requirement is small and the risk involvement is not too heavy. Thus, Option C is correct.

[29] Limited liability partnership is constituted under\_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Companies Act, 2013
- (b) Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008
- (c) Partnership Act, 1932
- (d) None is applicable

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (b) Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008 came into effect by way of

notification dated 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2009. Thus it is governed by **Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2008**.

**2018 - MAY**

[30] CSR stands for:

- (a) Cash Security Ratio
- (b) Cash Supply Ratio
- (c) Corporate Social Responsibility
- (d) Consumer Satisfaction Ratio

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(c)** CSR stands for “**Corporate Social Responsibility**” i.e. accountability of the management towards the stakeholder.

[31] LLP has:

- (a) Liability of Partners is Limited
- (b) In case of fraud, liability of partners becomes unlimited
- (c) It was incorporated under LLP Act, 2008
- (d) All of the above.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(d)** LLP is a hybrid model which contains features of both company and partnership firm. It is a limited liability association where liability of partner's is limited. In case of fraud by LLP, the liability of partners becomes unlimited. LLP must be incorporated under LLP, Act,2009. Hence, all the above are its features.

[32] Which of the following is correct?

- (a) Max. no. of members is 50 in case of private limited company.
- (b) Freely transferable shares in case of private limited company
- (c) Max. no. of members - 200 in case of private limited company.
- (d) None of the above.

(1 mark)

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**Answer:**

(c) In case of Private Limited Co. the maximum no. of members can be 200. Shares in a private co. are not freely transferable but subject to certain restrictions.

[32] In HUF:

- (a) Liability of Karta is limited
- (b) No liability of Karta
- (c) Liability of Karta is unlimited
- (d) Liability of everyone is unlimited (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) In case of HUF, the liability of Karta is unlimited and that of coparcener is limited.

**2018 - NOVEMBER**

[33] The Logo of Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) is suggestive of \_\_\_\_\_ .

- (a) Integrity
- (b) Vigilance
- (c) Professional
- (d) None of these (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) The logo of the institute from the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) is suggestive of the **vigilance** expected from the CAs.

[34] When FERA is converted into a FEMA:

- (a) 1934
- (b) 1928
- (c) 1999
- (d) 1997 (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA), 1999 that replaced the Foreign Exchange Regulation Act (FERA), 1973.

[35] Which is not a merit of LLP?

- (a) Designated partners have to do all compliance
- (b) Separate Legal entity
- (c) Both (a) & (b)
- (d) None of the above.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) Designate Partner i.e. ensure the compliances however, in comparison with the companies, the compliances are fewer and simpler is **the limitation of the LLP**

[36] Income tax Act, HUF cannot earn which type of

- (a) Profit
- (b) Salary
- (c) House Property
- (d) Other Sources.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) According to Income Tax Act, HUF cannot earn **salary** of any kind.

[37] HUF \_\_\_\_\_ be formed by a group of people who do not constitute a family.

- (a) cannot
- (b) can
- (c) should not
- (d) may

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) HUF, **cannot** be formed by a group of people who do not constitute a family. It can only be formed by a family

[38] No. of directors in a private company.

- (a) 2
- (b) 3
- (c) 5
- (d) 7

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) There are only **2 directors in every private company.**

[39] Economic, Activities are driven cause of \_\_\_\_\_ ?

- (a) Self-Interest
- (b) Self-less motive
- (c) Human welfare
- (d) Self satisfaction

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) Economic activities are said to be driven by rationality or self interest and non-economic activities are driven out by human welfare therefore, human welfare is not included in economic activities.

[40] Economic activities do not include

- (a) Profit earning
- (b) Emotional sentimental
- (c) Self interest
- (d) Livelihood motive

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) Economic activities Involves activities done for money or money's worth therefore it will not include emotional sentiment as it is done out of love and affection.

[41] The choice of an appropriate form of business organisation depends upon:

- (i) Ease of formation
  - (ii) Liability of aspects
  - (iii) Capital adequacy
- (a) Only I
  - (b) Only III
  - (c) I & III
  - (d) I, II & III

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(d) The choice of an appropriate form of business organisation depends upon:

1. Ease of formation
2. Liability aspects



3. Capital structure  
Therefore I, II, and III all the characteristics are followed.

2019 - MAY

- [42] The Companies Act, 2013 provides registration for
- (a) One person company
  - (b) Small company
  - (c) Dormant company
  - (d) All of the above
- (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(d) Companies Act, 2013 provides matters related to incorporation of various types of companies in India, including Small company, Dormant Company and One Person Company.

Thus option (d) is correct.

- [43] Which of the following is not a feature of LLP?
- (a) Every partner is agent of LLP
  - (b) Legal entity separate from its partners
  - (c) Registrar of firm is the administering authority
  - (d) No limit on maximum no. of partners
- (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) Following are the features of LLP form of business.

- (a) Limited Liability
- (b) Legal entity separate from its partners
- (c) Registered under Limited Liability Partnership Act, 2009.
- (d) Every partner of LLP is only agent of the firm.
- (e) Minimum 2 and no limit on maximum number of partners.

Thus, **option (c)** – Registrar of firm is not the administering authority. It is governed by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.

- [44] Business as a Institution is
- (a) Job creator
  - (b) Job seeker
  - (c) Both

(d) None of the above (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) Business as an institution generates employment opportunities for job seekers. Thus, business in itself is the **Job creator**.

[45] Which of the following is part of HUF?

(a) Hindu and Sikh Family

(b) Parsi Family

(c) Both (a) and (b)

(d) None of the above

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) The definition of HUF in addition to Hindus also includes Buddhist, Jain, Parsi and Sikh families as well. Thus option (c) is correct.

[46] Which of the following is organic objective of business?

(a) Fitness of Human Resources

(b) Community Service

(c) Effective waste handling and disposal

(d) Economic Value Added

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) Organic objectives of Business includes Survival, health (age of assets, **fitness of human resources**) diversification of capabilities.

[47] Which of the following statement is correct with respect to HUF

(a) HUF earns income from salary

(b) Four successive generations of an undivided family

(c) HUF enjoys a separate entity status under Income Tax Act, 1961

(d) All of the above

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) HUF is an entity that enjoys a **separate entity status under the Income Tax Act, 1961**. It cannot earn income from salary. The three successive generations of an undivided family are known as HUF.

[48] The attribute of a profession does not include.

(a) Certificate of service from government

(b) Self imposed code of conduct

- (c) Rendering of specialised nature of services
- (d) All of the above (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) Profession is rendering of services of specialized nature for a fee under a certificate of practice that also has self imposed code of conduct of the examination and assessment body. Thus, **certificate of service from government** is not the attribute of a profession.

2019 - NOVEMBER

[49] What are features of BCK?

- (a) Sustainability
- (b) Technical
- (c) Sociology
- (d) Economic (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) BCK means Business and Commercial Knowledge which deals with accounting and finance, operations, human behaviour (psychology) sociology, laws, economics ethics etc. all these includes the features of BCK. It also includes sustainability of the factors of environment.

[50] There can be partnership between:

- (a) Natural person
- (b) Partnership firm
- (c) Artificial person
- (d) Any combination of natural person and artificial person (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) A partnership implies contractual co-ownership of business. It is a relationship between two or more persons who agree to share the profits of a business. The business may be carried on by all or by some of the partners (called active partners) for and on behalf of all.

[51] Which is not part of HUF?

- (a) Muslim family
- (b) Sikh
- (c) Jain
- (d) Hindu

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) Hindu Undivided Family (HUF) business, family members may naturally join each other in business. In contrast, in a Muslim family if the siblings wish to associate in a business, they will have to do it contractually e.g. Partnership Agreement.

[52] Which of these is not a characteristics of LLP?

- (a) LLP is administered by the registering state authority
- (b) Not involves mutual agency function
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) None

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) Characteristics of Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) are:

- (a) LLP is administered by the registering authority named Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA).
- (b) Limited liability no personal liability of partner, except in case of fraud.
- (c) Incorporation is mandatory.
- (d) It is a legal entity separate, from its partners.
- (e) Every partner of LLP is only agent of firm.

[53] Which of the followings shares the relationship between the partners of LLP?

- (a) Unlimited liability
- (b) Mutual agency between all partners
- (c) Partners are agents of firm only
- (d) None

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (c) Limited liability partnership's features are:

- (a) Limited liability no personal liability of partner, except in case of fraud.

- (b) Incorporation is mandatory.
- (c) It is a legal entity separate, from its partners.
- (d) Every partner of LLP is only agent of firm.

[54] 'A partnership may not be formed to carry on:

- (a) Any trade
- (b) Profession
- (c) Occupation
- (d) Social enterprise

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(d) Social enterprise**

Partnership implies contractual co-ownership of business. It is a relationship between two or more persons who have agreed to share the profits of a business. A partnership cannot be formed for non-business purpose. However, the word business here includes every trade, occupation and profession. For example, many accounting/auditing and legal firms are organised as partnership firms.

**2020 - NOVEMBER**

[55] Which of the following is not an economic activity?

- (a) Land owner compensate the tiller of land in form of food grain
- (b) Doctor consulting his own family
- (c) Online teaching
- (d) Consumption of food items

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

**(b) Doctor consulting his own family is not an economic activity rest are the economic activities.**

[56] Intellectual property rights and copy rights is an example of which of following key factor of PESTLE Matrix?

- (a) Social
- (b) Technological
- (c) Economic
- (d) Political

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) Intellectual property rights and copy rights is an example of Technological key factor of PESTLE Matrix.

[57] According to Income Tax Act, which of the following cannot be a source of income for HUF?

- (a) Income from salary
- (b) Income from house property
- (c) Income from business and profession
- (d) Income from other sources (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) Income from salary, according to Income-tax Act, cannot be a service of Income for HUF.

[58] What is popular psychological motive in case of profession as an economic occupation?

- (a) Service to clients
- (b) Economic achievement
- (c) Source of livelihood
- (d) Membership of professional body (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) Service to clients is a psychological motive in case of professional as an economic occupation.

[59] Limited liability partnership is:

- (a) Non mutual agency
- (b) Hybrid form of business organization
- (c) Social and environment concern
- (d) Public sector (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) LLP is a hybrid form of business organization as it contains the features of both partnership and company form of business.

[60] Perpetual succession indicates\_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Registration of partnership firm is compulsory
- (b) Limited scope for using fund
- (c) Separate legal, separate from its members
- (d) Liability of the partners is limited to his contribution to capital

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) Perpetual succession indicates separate legal entity, from its members.

[61] Which of the following is the recently introduced form of business organizations in India under Companies Act, 2013?

- (a) LLP
- (b) Sole Proprietorship
- (c) OPC
- (d) Private Limited Company

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) Companies Act, 2013 have given the permission for the formation of OPC's (One Person Companies).

[62] Which of the following is a Hybrid form of Business Organization?

- (a) Company
- (b) HUF
- (c) LLP
- (d) Partnership

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) LLP is a hybrid form of business organization as it contains the features of both partnership and company form of business.

**2021 - JANUARY**

[63] The occupation in which people work for others and get remunerated in return is known as :

- (a) Business
- (b) Employment
- (c) Profession
- (d) Industry

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) Employment

The Occupation in which people work for others and get remunerated in return is known as employment.

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[64] Which of the following statements characterizes the best non-economic activities?

- (a) Non-economic activities do not require any investment of resources
- (b) These activities do not entail any operational costs.
- (c) These activities are undertaken by ascetics
- (d) The underlying purpose of these activities (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (d)** The underlying purpose of these activities is not earning of livelihood but social satisfaction.

Non-economic activity characterises point no. **(d)**

[65] Maximum no. of members in LLP is :

- (a) 10
- (b) 15
- (c) 20
- (d) No Limit (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (d)** No Limit

Maximum no. of members of LLP is No limit.

[66] HUF cannot comprise member of :

- (a) Jain
- (b) Hindu and Sikh family
- (c) Buddhist family
- (d) Muslim family (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (d)** Muslim family

HUF can not comprise members of Muslim family

[67] Maximum no. of members in banking firm is :

- (a) 10
- (b) 15
- (c) 20
- (d) 25 (1 mark)



**Answer:**

(a) 10

Maximum number of members in banking firms is 10.

[68] The liability of members of HUF business is :

- (a) Unlimited
- (b) Limited to a sum as declared by him in general public
- (c) Limited to the extent of his share in the business including that of Karta
- (d) Limited to the extent of his share in the business except Karta

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(d) Limited to the extent of his share in the business except Karta.

The Liability of members of HUF business is limited to the extent of his share in the business except Karta.

[69] Which is not a feature of LLP?

- (a) Separate legal entity
- (b) Partners in an LLP are required to enter into an agreement
- (c) All LLP have existence for fixed period
- (d) In an LLP, Partners are not liable for the act of other partner

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) All LLP have existence for fixed period.

LLP do not have a existence for fixed period.

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[70] Human activities distinguishable by presence of the livelihood motives are known as:

- (a) Economic activities
- (b) Non economic activities
- (c) Emotional activities
- (d) Sentimental activities

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) All that we do to earn a living comprise economic activity. Rest of the referred are non economic activities. Economic activity are distinguishable merely by the presence of the livelihood motive.

[71] Which one of the following is an organic objective of business?

- (a) Fitness of human resources
- (b) Economic value added
- (c) Sanitation
- (d) Water and soil quality (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) Fitness of human resources are organic objective because organic objective are for survival, health, growth, diversification of capabilities. Example:- age of assets, reserves capital.

[72] A company created for a future project and has no significant accounting transaction is called as:

- (a) Shall company
- (b) Commercial company
- (c) One person company
- (d) Dormant company (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (d) Dormant company is formed and registered under Company Act, 2013 (Section 455) for a future project to hold an asset or intellectual property and has no significant accounting transaction are known as inactive or dormant company.

[73] Which of the following is not a feature of limited liability partnership?

- (a) Incorporation is mandatory
- (b) It is a legal entity
- (c) Limited liability
- (d) Autonomy of being own boss (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (d) Features of Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) are liability of partners of LLP are limited, separate legal entity, perpetual succession and LLP is hybrid form of company and partnership. Autonomy of being own boss is not a feature of LLP.

[74] In Business and Commercial Knowledge (BCK) vocabulary, 'strategy' is originally belongs to which discipline?

- (a) Animal Psychology
- (b) Military
- (c) Biology
- (d) Economics (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) BCK vocabulary, 'Strategy' is originally belongs to military discipline just as the armies at war develop strategies to out mart each other likewise, business draw their strategies to beat their competitors.

[75] Which of the following is not a feature of private company?

- (a) There are no restrictions on transfer of shares.
- (b) Minimum no. of directors are 2
- (c) Private company are exempted from constituting various committees of Boards of Directors.
- (d) It can start business upon incorporation. (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) In private company features are:-

- (i) minimum directors are 2.
- (ii) maximum number of members are- 200.
- (iii) It can start business upon incorporation.

So, There are no restrictions on transfer of shares is not a feature of private company.

[76] Under which Act a HUF enjoys a separate entity status?

- (a) Partnership Act
- (b) Companies Act
- (c) Income Tax Act
- (d) GST Act (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) A HUF enjoys a separate entity status under Income Tax Act. HUF cannot earn income from salary. Three successive generations of an undivided family is known Hindu Undivided Family (HUF).

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[77] Which of the following is not included in BCK lexicon?

- (a) Y 2 Z
- (b) B 2 B
- (c) B 2 C
- (d) 24 X7 (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) BCK domains are ever evolving and expanding. **For example**, information and communications technology has introduced several terms in the lexicon of BCK e.g. 24X7, B2B, B2C, BPO, etc.

[78] What is the most popular psychological motive of profession?

- (a) Economic objective
- (b) Profit
- (c) Service to clients & society
- (d) Fulfilling the dreams (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (c) Service to clients and society is the most popular psychological motive of profession.

[79] A company with 2 shareholders and 2 directors can be -

- (a) Public Company
- (b) Private Company
- (c) Publically Traded Company
- (d) Company (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (b) A company having 2 shareholders and 2 directors can be called as private company.

[80] The term 'usual occupation' in market terminology refers to-

- (a) Infrequent transactions
- (b) Regular transactions
- (c) One- time transactions
- (d) No transactions (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (b) The term 'usual occupation' in market terminology refers to 'regular transaction.'

[81] Which of the following is a Non-economic activity?

- (a) Housewife cooking food for her family
- (b) Doctor attending to patients in his clinic
- (c) Worker working in a Factory
- (d) Praying to God.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) Housewife cooking food for her family

**Explanation:** Activities which are undertaken to satisfy social, religious cultural and sentimental requirements are called non-economic activities. A mother cooking for her family is the example of non-economic activities. The object of these activities is not to earn monetary gain or reward.

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[82] Which of the following is hybrid form of business

- (a) LLP
- (b) Partnership
- (c) Sole Proprietorship
- (d) Company

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (a) The features of limited liability partnership
  - (a) Mandatory Incorporation
  - (b) Separate Legal EntityMakes it a hybrid form of business.

[83] Contractual co-ownership of a business is known as-

- (a) HUF
- (b) Company
- (c) Partnership
- (d) Sole proprietorship

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) A partner is considered a co-owner of a business entity that is legally recognised, by law a partnership is a business relationship between two or more individuals called partners of partnership is based on contractual relationship among partners.

[84] The number of minimum members in private company

- (a) 1
- (b) 2
- (c) 5
- (d) 7

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(b) Minimum number of members in a private company are 2.

[85] Profit is earned from which-

- (a) Business
- (b) Profession
- (c) Employment
- (d) None of the above

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(a) Business is the best source of livelihood for generating profit.

[86] A company created for a future project and has no significant accounting transaction is called as

- (a) Shall company
- (b) Commercial company
- (c) One person company
- (d) Dormant company

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(d) The incorporation of a dormant company that may be created for a future project or to hold an asset or intellectual property and has no significant accounting transaction.

[87] Which of the following is not a feature of a private company.

- (a) There are the restriction on transfer of shares.
- (b) Minimum number of directors are 2.
- (c) The liabilities of its partners is unlimited.
- (d) It has a perpetual succession.

(1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) The liabilities of its partners is unlimited

**Explanation:** Features of a Private Limited Company

- Members - minimum of two members, maximum members limit

is 200.

- Number of directors- a minimum of two directors, maximum number of directors is 15.
- Limited liability.
- Perpetual succession.

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- [88] Which of the following is not the correct feature of partnership?
- (a) Agreement (b) Two or more person  
(c) Profit sharing (d) Working together (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (d) Partnership implies contractual co-ownership of a business. It is a relationship b/w 2 or more persons who agree to share profits as well as losses of a business. The contract an agreement enforceable at law-called 'deed' in the essence of a partnership, called partnership deed.

- [89] Domain in simpler terms means :
- (a) An Object  
(b) An Area  
(c) A Subject  
(d) A Knowledge (1 mark)

**Answer:**

- (c) Oxford online, dictionary defines the term 'domain' as a specified sphere of knowledge. Domain in similar term means, a subject. Following that, the sphere of knowledge the subject about business & commerce is vast, eclectic & ever-evolving & expanding.

- [90] The Companies Act, 2013 also provides for incorporation of such a Company that may be created for a future project or to hold an asset or intellectual property and has no significant accounting transaction. Name the Company :
- (a) One Person Company (OPC)  
(b) Small Company  
(c) Dormant Company

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(d) Banking Company (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) The Companies Act, 2013 provides for incorporation of a dormant company that may be created for a future project or to hold an asset or intellectual property & has no significant accounting transaction.

[91] In which type of economic activity the source of income is profits?

(a) Profession

(b) Employment

(c) Business

(d) Both (b) and (c) (1 mark)

**Answer:**

(c) Business comprises of income which is generated through profits.

## PRACTICE QUESTIONS OF MCQ

[1] Which of the following is a form of business organisation?

(a) Temple

(b) Church

(c) Partnership

(d) Mosque.

**Answer:**

(c) Partnership

[2] Following is not a characteristic of business organisation:

(a) Discontinuity of operations

(b) Distinct ownership

(c) Lawful business

(d) Risk involvement.

**Answer:**

(a) Discontinuity of operations



[3] \_\_\_\_\_ is a form of business that is owned, managed and controlled by an individual.

- (a) Partnership
- (b) Company
- (c) HUF
- (d) Sole Proprietorship.

**Answer:**

**(d) Sole Proprietorship**

[4] Individual owning and running the business is known as:-

- (a) Single owner
- (b) Sole Trader
- (c) Single Trader
- (d) Businessman.

**Answer:**

**(b) Sole Trader**

[5] Which is the oldest business form?

- (a) Partnership
- (b) HUF
- (c) Sole Proprietorship
- (d) Co-operative Society.

**Answer:**

**(c) Sole Proprietorship**

[6] Which of the following would have unlimited liability?

- (a) Co-operative Society
- (b) Company
- (c) Sole Proprietorship
- (d) Shareholders.

**Answer:**

**(c) Sole Proprietorship**

[7] Which of the following is an advantage of sole proprietorship?

- (a) Easy formation
- (b) Maintenance of business secrecy
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) None of the above.

**Answer:**

**(c) Both (a) and (b)**

- [8] Which of the following has most stable existence?  
(a) Sole proprietorship                      (b) Partnership  
(c) Company                                      (d) HUF.

**Answer:**

**(c) Company**

- [9] Which form of organisation is only found in India?  
(a) HUF  
(b) Co-Operative Society  
(c) Joint Stock Company  
(d) Governmental Undertaking.

**Answer:**

**(a) HUF**

- [10] What is the maximum strength of HUF—  
(a) 10    (b) 20  
(c) 100    (d) No limit.

**Answer:**

**(d) No limit**

- [11] The business affairs are managed by the head of the family, known as—  
(a) Co-parcener  
(b) Owner  
(c) Shareholder  
(d) Karta.

**Answer:**

**(d) Karta**

- [12] Only coparcener can become a Karta, This statement is—  
(a) True    (b) False  
(c) Partly true                                      (d) Partly false.

**Answer:**

**(a) True**

- [13] Karta's liability is—  
(a) Limited  
(b) Unlimited  
(c) Limited by guarantee

(d) None of the above.

**Answer:**

**(b)** Unlimited

[14] What is the maximum number of partners in any partnership firm?

(a) 10

(b) 20

(c) 50

(d) No limit.

**Answer:**

**(c)** 50

[15] Mutual agency is an important feature of—

(a) HUF

(b) Joint Stock Company

(c) Partnership

(d) Co-operative Society.

**Answer:**

**(c)** Partnership

[16] Company have a perpetual succession and work under a common seal. This statement is—

(a) True

(b) False

(c) Partly True

(d) Partly False.

**Answer:**

**(a)** True

[17] Company is managed by shareholders.

(a) True

(b) False

(c) Sometimes

(d) None of the above.

**Answer:**

**(b)** False

[18] Statutory body is a body that is created under an Act enacted by

(a) Association of people

(b) Association of ministers

(c) Both (a) and (b)

(d) Judiciary.

**Answer:**

(b) Association of ministers

[19] In which of the following, the ownership of venture is reflected by ownership of shares or stock?

- (a) HUF
- (b) Partnership
- (c) Corporations
- (d) Trusts.

**Answer:**

(c) Corporations

[20] LLP Act, 2008 came into effect on—

- (a) 31/4/2009
- (b) 31/3/2008
- (c) 31/3/2009
- (d) 31/4/2008.

**Answer:**

(c) 31/3/2009

[21] For having direct control over the business activities, which form is preferred—

- (a) Partnership
- (b) Sole proprietorship
- (c) HUF
- (d) Company.

**Answer:**

(b) Sole proprietorship

[22] Which is not a characteristic of sole proprietorship?

- (a) No sharing of profit and loss
- (b) One-man's capital
- (c) Less legal formalities
- (d) Association of persons.

**Answer:**

(d) Association of persons.

[23] What are the characteristics of HUF?

- (a) Governed by Hindu Law
- (b) Continuity
- (c) Fluctuating share of each member
- (d) All of these.

**Answer:**

**(d)** All of these

[24] Which is not an advantage of Joint Hindu Family business.

- (a) Limited resources
- (b) Continued existence
- (c) Freedom in managing
- (d) Assured share in profit.

**Answer:**

**(a)** Limited resources

[25] The companies are governed by which Act?

- (a) Indian Contract Act, 1872
- (b) Partnership Act, 1932
- (c) Indian Company Act, 2013
- (d) None of these.

**Answer:**

**(c)** Indian Company Act, 2013

[26] What are the advantages of company?

- (a) Great stability
- (b) Limited liability
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) None of these.

**Answer:**

**(c)** Both (a) and (b)

[27] LLP, this forms of organisation has been introduced in India by way of?

- (a) LLP Act, 2009
- (b) LLP Act, 2008
- (c) LLP Act, 1932
- (d) None of these.

**Answer:**

**(b)** LLP Act, 2008

[28] Direct motivation, maintenance of business secrets, close personal relations etc are the advantages of

- (a) Partnership
- (b) Limited liability partnership
- (c) HUF
- (d) Sole Proprietorship

**Answer:**

**(d)** Sole Proprietorship

[29] The profit share of coparceners in a HUF

- (a) Depends on the Capital Contributed
- (b) Depends on the decision of Karta
- (c) Is equal
- (d) None of the above

**Answer:**

**(c)** Is equal

[30] In case of death of a Co-parceners

- (a) The wife of the deceased Co-parcener can demand partition
- (b) Wife can become the co-parcener
- (c) The wife can claim share of profit
- (d) All of the above

**Answer:**

**(c)** The wife can claim share of profit

[31] Which of the following statement is true in respect of a HUF?

- (a) The liability of co-parceners is limited
- (b) The liability of Karta is unlimited
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) Neither (a) nor (b)

**Answer:**

**(c)** Both (a) and (b)

[32] Which of the following statements is true

- (a) The creditors can claim the entire debt from any of the partner
- (b) The partners can share profits in any ratio as agreed
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) Neither (a) nor (b)

**Answer:**

**(c)** Both (a) and (b)

[33] Registration of Partnership is not compulsory but beneficiary.

- (a) True
- (b) Partly True
- (c) False
- (d) Partly False

**Answer:**

**(a)** True

- [34] In case of death of a partner
- (a) The partnership dissolves
  - (b) The partnership firm dissolves
  - (c) Both (a) and (b)
  - (d) Neither (a) nor (b)

**Answer:**

**(a)** The partnership dissolves

- [35] Greater Permanency, limited liability, ease of transfer of ownership are the advantages of
- (a) HUF
  - (b) LLP
  - (c) Sole Proprietorship
  - (d) Company

**Answer:**

**(d)** Company

- [36] Lack of secrecy, promotion of frauds, separation of ownership from management are the disadvantages
- (a) Partnership
  - (b) LLP
  - (c) Company
  - (d) All of the above

**Answer:**

**(c)** Company

- [37] The maximum number of partners in a LLP are
- (a) No limit
  - (b) 50
  - (c) 100
  - (d) 20

**Answer:**

**(a)** No limit