

Indian Maritime University
(A Central University, Govt of India)
End Semester Examinations – June 2024
Programme Name: B Tech (ME)
Semester: VII

Subject Code: UG11T3703
Subject Name: IMO-Maritime Conventions & Classification Societies

Date: 19.06.2024

Max Marks: 70

Duration: 03 Hrs

Pass Marks: 35

General Instructions

- (i) All Sections (A, B & C) are to be attempted.
(ii) Options, if any, are specified in respective section.

Section A

Choose the correct option and write in the answer sheet. [1 x 10 = 10 marks]

1. National Maritime Day is celebrated in India on
A. 2 October B. 14 November C. 5 April D. 25 June
2. The most important result of the loss of the Titanic was the first international conference on the safety of life at sea, held in London in
A. 1912 B. 1914 C. 1929 D. 1948
3. Plimsoll Act was related to
A. Lifeboat requirements B. Carriage of dangerous goods
C. Marine Pollution Prevention D. Draught of water marks
4. "Fall of Roman Empire till "Voyages of Discovery" is known as
A. Ancient History B. Medieval History
C. Modern History D. Nautical History
5. Contiguous Zone extends seawards, from baseline up to
A. 12 NM B. 24 NM C. 200 NM D. 350 NM
6. The first and oldest specialised agency of United Nations was
A. WHO B. IMO C. ILO D. ICAO
7. International Chamber of Shipping (ICS) has a sister organisation called
A. ISF B. BIMCO C. ITF D. INTERCARGO
8. *Lloyd's of London*, generally known simply as *Lloyd's*, is a/an
A. Insurance company B. Classification Society
C. Insurance & reinsurance market D. Banking Group
9. Class renewal surveys/special surveys are carried out at an interval of
A. 1 year B. 2.5 years C. 5 years D. 10 years
10. Concentrated Inspection Campaign (CIC) by PSC MOU takes place yearly over a period of
A. 1 months B. 3 months C. 6 months D. 9 months

Section B

Answer all questions of Part B. Each question carry 2 marks.

11. What are the broad overarching subjects that falls under maritime history?
12. Write short notes on "Exclusive Economic Zone" w.r.t UNCLOS.
13. What does IACS do?
14. Defines "Wreck" as per "Nairobi International Convention on the Removal of Wrecks".
15. List the set of services provided by the Baltic Exchange.

Section C

Answer any 5 questions (out of 7) from Part C. Each question carry 10 marks.

16. a. Write detailed notes on IMO. [4 marks]
b. With reference to MLC 2006 discuss "Title 1. Minimum Requirements for Seafarers to Work on a Ship". [6 marks]
17. What are the four main categories of IMO Conventions? Describe following four stages of an IMO Convention:
 - a. Developing a Convention
 - b. Adopting a Convention
 - c. Entry in to force of a Convention
 - d. Enforcement/Implementation of a Convention [10 marks]
18. a. In which conditions a ship-owner is exempt from oil pollution liability under 1992 Protocol of CLC? [3 marks]
b. What is weakness of Bunker Convention w.r.t ship-owners' limit of liability? [3 marks]
c. Discuss "Special Compensation" under "International Convention on Salvage". [4 marks]
19. a. "Singapore is a premier global hub port." Justify the statement. [3 marks]
b. List the purposes of ICS. [3 marks]
c. What are the roles of Flag State w.r.t "Article 91: Nationality of Ships" and "Article 92: Status of Ships" of UNCLOS. [4 marks]
20. a. Discuss "Continuous Machinery Survey" under Classification Society. [5 marks]
b. With reference to M.S. Rule, discuss responsibilities of "recruitment and placement services". [5 marks]
21. a. With reference to the ISM Code, discuss company verification, review and evaluation. [4 marks]
b. List the important changes to the STCW Convention and Code under Manila Amendments adopted on 25th June 2010. [6 marks]
22. a. With reference to SOLAS, explain additional safety measures for bulk carriers. [5 marks]
b. What are the Ballast Water Management standards? [5 marks]
