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- 1 There are currently more than 190 nations in the United Nations. How many were there originally?
(Input the correct number; then push the ENTER button.)
- 2 Two of the benefits of Sea Power include:
(Input all that apply, then push the ENTER button.)
 - A Not as limited by geographical features and political constraints
 - B Can establish a line of defense close to national shores
 - C Can easily replenish fuel, stores and ammunition at sea whenever required
 - D Access to an unlimited resource in drinking water
- 3 Which of the following countries is leading the way in making use of the supply of energy ocean tides supply?
 - A U.S.A.
 - B England
 - C France
- 4 How far along is humankind in its search for knowledge of the ocean's depths?
 - A There is not much more to explore.
 - B We have just scratched the surface.
 - C We have a thorough understanding of the seas.
- 5 The presence of mobile sea forces near land areas where conflict threatens to break out
 - A Deterrence
 - B Obviation
 - C Embankment
- 6 The vessels of a nation that are engaged in commerce
 - A Strategic Forces
 - B Captain's Fleet
 - C Merchant Marine
- 7 A nation having at least one shoreline bordering on international waters
 - A Border nation
 - B Littoral nation
 - C Aqua nation

- 8 Which of the following is NOT one of the chokepoints areas for the passage of oil between the Persian Gulf and Europe?
 - A The Suez Canal
 - B The Cape of Good Hope
 - C The Strait of Malacca
 - D All of these are important chokepoint areas for the passage of oil between the Persian Gulf and Europe.
 - E None of these are important chokepoint areas for the passage of oil between the Persian Gulf and Europe.
- 9 Which of the following is one of the two major political developments since World War II that has increased the importance of the oceans?
 - A The capability of sea power to reach far inland
 - B The creation of the United Nations
 - C The effect of global warming on the oceans
 - D The rapid increase in the number of new nations
 - E Nuclear weapons and nuclear powered ships and submarines
- 10 The ocean area which has become a naval operating area only since the advent of the nuclear submarine is the
 - A Indian Ocean
 - B Arctic Ocean
 - C Afro-Asian Ocean
 - D Atlantic Ocean
 - E Pacific Ocean
- 11 What is the body of water at the southern tip of Africa called?
 - A The Cape of Good Hope
 - B The Suez Canal
 - C The Strait of Gibraltar
 - D The Strait of Malacca
 - E The Turkish Straits
- 12 What is another word for Sea-Farming?
 - A Aquaculture
 - B Water Farming
 - C Fish Farming
 - D Fish Factory Ships
 - E Oceanography

- 13 The tactic of "vertical envelopment" has become possible because of what invention?
- A The V-22 Osprey Aircraft
 - B The parachute
 - C The observation balloon
 - D The helicopter
 - E The jet aircraft
- 14 With regards to sea power, tactical mobility can be defined as the ability to
- A turn and accelerate rapidly in the water.
 - B project power inland with naval gunfire and aviation assets.
 - C easily replenish fuel, stores, and ammunition at sea.
 - D move naval forces quickly and disperse whenever and however necessary.
- 15 The Mediterranean Sea is a part of which main ocean area?
- A Atlantic
 - B Pacific
 - C Arctic
 - D Afro-Asian
- 16 The two major technological developments since World War II are
- A increased inland reach of sea power and nuclear power.
 - B nuclear power and exploitation of the continental shelf.
 - C exploitation of the continental shelf for minerals and increased inland reach of sea power.
 - D none of the above.
- 17 The Afro-Asian Ocean includes the
- A South Atlantic and Indian Oceans.
 - B North and South Pacific Oceans.
 - C North and South Atlantic Oceans.
 - D South Pacific and Indian Oceans.
- 18 The Afro-Asian Ocean is especially important to us today because its sea lanes
- A can be interdicted by enemy submarines.
 - B carry the bulk of the foreign oil from the Middle East.
 - C are vulnerable to unfriendly nations in southern Africa.
 - D are connected to the Mediterranean by the Suez Canal.

19 Sea power enables

- A geographic and political mobility by a nation.
- B tactical and sustained mobility by a naval force.
- C projection of power on, over, under, and from the seas.
- D All of the above are correct.

20 Insofar as natural resources are concerned, the United States

- A is completely self-sufficient.
- B must impart a small quantity of materials.
- C must import only oil.
- D must import much oil and other strategic materials.

Answer Key: NS3-M1U1C1 - The Importance of Sea Power (Exam)

Question:	Answer
1	51 (+/- 2)
2	AC
3	C
4	B
5	A
6	C
7	B
8	C
9	D
10	B
11	A
12	A
13	D
14	D
15	A
16	A
17	A
18	B
19	D
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