

Karnataka PGCET 2026 MBA

Question Paper (Memory-Based)

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General Instructions

- (i) The test is of 2 hours duration.
- (ii) Karnataka PGCET 2026 MBA Question Paper consists of 100 questions for 100 marks.
- (iii) Karnataka PGCET MBA Question Paper 2026 is divided into Computer Awareness, Analytical Ability and logical Reasoning, Quantitative Analysis, English language and General Knowledge questions.
- (iv) Each correct answer carries 1 mark and there is no negative marking for incorrect answers.

1. Choose the word that is most nearly opposite in meaning to the word "PROSPEROUS":

- (A) Affluent
- (B) Destitute
- (C) Thriving
- (D) Opulent

2. Identify the grammatically correct sentence:

- (A) Neither the manager nor the employees was aware of the meeting.
- (B) Neither the manager nor the employees were aware of the meeting.
- (C) Neither the manager or the employees was aware of the meeting.
- (D) Neither the manager or the employees were aware of the meeting.

3. Choose the exact meaning of the idiom "to spill the beans":

- (A) To drop something valuable
 - (B) To reveal a secret
 - (C) To act clumsily
 - (D) To cook a bad meal
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4. The repo rate in India is determined and regulated by which of the following organizations?

- (A) Ministry of Finance
 - (B) State Bank of India
 - (C) Reserve Bank of India (RBI)
 - (D) Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)
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5. Which Article of the Indian Constitution deals with the Right to Equality?

- (A) Article 14
 - (B) Article 19
 - (C) Article 21
 - (D) Article 32
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6. The Kyoto Protocol is an international treaty primarily aimed at:

- (A) Promoting global trade
 - (B) Reducing greenhouse gas emissions
 - (C) Eliminating nuclear weapons
 - (D) Protecting endangered marine life
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7. If 'WATER' is coded as 'YCVGT', how will 'FIRE' be coded in that language?

- (A) HKVG
- (B) HKTG

- (C) ILUG
 - (D) HKTH
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8. Pointing to a photograph, a man said, "I have no brother or sister but that man's father is my father's son." Whose photograph was it?

- (A) His own
 - (B) His son's
 - (C) His father's
 - (D) His nephew's
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9. A person walks 10 km North, turns right and walks 5 km. Then, he turns right again and walks 10 km. How far is he from the starting point and in which direction?

- (A) 5 km East
 - (B) 10 km West
 - (C) 5 km West
 - (D) 10 km East
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10. A and B together can do a piece of work in 12 days. A alone can do it in 20 days. In how many days can B alone do the work?

- (A) 24 days
 - (B) 30 days
 - (C) 32 days
 - (D) 36 days
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11. The average weight of a class of 30 students is 40 kg. If the teacher's weight is included, the average increases by 1 kg. What is the weight of the teacher?

- (A) 70 kg
 - (B) 71 kg
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- (C) 72 kg
 - (D) 75 kg
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12. What is the change in area of a rectangular field whose length is increased by 10% and breadth is decreased by 10%?

- (A) Increases by 1%
 - (B) Decreases by 1%
 - (C) Remains the same
 - (D) Increases by 10%
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13. What is the binary equivalent of the decimal number 25?

- (A) 11001
 - (B) 10101
 - (C) 11101
 - (D) 10011
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14. In computing, what does the acronym "GUI" stand for?

- (A) General Utility Interface
 - (B) Graphical User Interface
 - (C) Global Unified Interface
 - (D) Guided User Instructions
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15. Which of the following is considered system software rather than application software?

- (A) Microsoft Word
 - (B) Google Chrome
 - (C) Linux Operating System
 - (D) Adobe Photoshop
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