

Study Group Participant Name: _____

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1. Which of the following statements is false?
 - a) A business analyst is any person who performs business analysis tasks described in the BABOK® Guide, no matter their job title or organizational role.
 - b) Business analysts are responsible for discovering, synthesizing, and analyzing information from a variety of sources within an enterprise, including tools, processes, documentation, and stakeholders.
 - c) The business analyst is responsible for eliciting the actual needs of stakeholders- which frequently involves investigating and clarifying their expressed desires- in order to determine underlying issues and causes.
 - d) ****The business analyst makes decisions on the final solution that must be implemented in order to meet the functional requirements**

2. What are the six core concepts that make up the Business Analysis Core Concept Model?
 - a) ****Change, Need, Solution, Stakeholder, Value, and Context.**
 - b) Change, Risk, Solution, Stakeholder, Value, and Context.
 - c) Change, Need, Constraint, Stakeholder, Value, and Context.
 - d) Change, Need, Solution, Stakeholder, Scope, and Context.

3. Which of the following is not an example of a non-functional requirement?
 - a) ****All existing seven-digit phone numbers must be converted to ten-digit phone numbers that include area code before the telemarketing team will be able to use the new auto-dialer feature of the solution.**
 - b) 98% of sandwich orders within a given day at a submarine sandwich chain restaurant must be correct.
 - c) An airlines flights must not be delayed by more than 30 minutes 90% of the time over a given month.
 - d) It must take no more than 15 seconds to perform a database search.

4. Brenda, the BA, has elicited this requirement: ~~The~~the teacher must be able to record a student's marks in all of their subjects for a given school term.+ Which of the following is an appropriate type of design to use in order to represent the requirement?
 - a) Business Capability Model
 - b) Decision Tree
 - c) ****Screen mockup**
 - d) Functional decomposition

5. Which of the following is NOT a step of the Plan Business Analysis Communication task?
 - a) Determine communication frequency
 - b) Determine communication formality
 - c) Consider geographic distribution of stakeholders
 - d) **Identify stakeholders

6. Ben, the BA, is working with a group of stakeholders who have never worked with a BA before. They are uncertain about the business analysis activities that Ben is performing and why they are being performed, particularly where it involves their participation. They think that some of the activities are a waste of time. To address their concerns, Ben decided to conduct performance analysis to ensure that his BA activities were continuing to deliver value to those stakeholders. Which BA core concept is Ben addressing?
 - a) Risk
 - b) Stakeholders
 - c) **Value
 - d) Context

7. If a BA decides on a business analysis approach where solution iterations are defined to arrive at a best solution, what type of business analysis approach is this?
 - a) Recursive
 - b) Analytical
 - c) Predictive
 - d) **Adaptive

8. What are the inputs to the Plan Business Analysis Governance task?
 - a) **Plan Business Analysis Approach and Stakeholder Engagement Approach
 - b) Plan Business Analysis Approach and Conduct Elicitation
 - c) Communicate Business Analysis Information and Stakeholder Engagement Approach
 - d) Assess Risks and Plan Business Analysis Approach

9. Which of the following is not a common requirements attribute?
 - a) Absolute reference
 - b) Priority
 - c) **Preference
 - d) Complexity

10. What is the output of the Identify Business Analysis Performance Improvements task?
 - a) **Business Analysis Performance Assessment
 - b) Business Analysis Approach
 - c) Business Analysis Information Management Plan
 - d) Lessons Learned