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### **QUESTION NO: 1**

The five parts of the fundamental test process have a broad chronological order. Which of the options gives three different parts in the correct order?

- **A.** Implementation and execution, planning and control, analysis and design.
- B. Analysis and design, evaluating exit criteria and reporting, test closure activities.
- C. Evaluating exit criteria and reporting, implementation and execution, analysis and design.
- **D.** Evaluating exit criteria and reporting, test closure activities, analysis and design.

#### **ANSWER: B**

## **Explanation:**

All other answers have at least one stage of the fundamental test process in the wrong sequence.

### **QUESTION NO: 2**

Since the system is in the medical domain and therefore in the safety critical area, testing needs to be rigorous and evidence is required that the system has been adequately tested. Identify THREE measures that would typically be part of the test approach in this domain and which are not always applicable in other domains! 1 credit

- **A.** High level of documentation
- B. Failure Mode and Effect Analysis (FMEA) sessions
- C. Traceability to requirements
- D. Non-functional testing
- E. Master test planning
- F. Test design techniques
- G. Reviews

## **ANSWER: A B C**

### **QUESTION NO: 3**

A bank is developing a new service that will be delivered via the web. The user interactions are defined as a set of use cases and the service is designed to be available continuously 24/7. In view of the challenging characteristics of the service the test manager has decided that the code should be thoroughly tested at component level.

Which of the following test types will be required during the development? [K2]

- **A.** Functional testing to test security at the system level, load testing at the system level to ensure the system availability is acceptable, regression testing at all levels, structure based testing at the component level only
- **B.** Functional testing to test the use cases at component level, reliability testing to test availability at the integration level, regression testing at the system testing level only, structure based testing at all levels
- **C.** Functional testing of the use cases at system level, load testing at component level to ensure availability is acceptable, regression testing at the system and acceptance levels only, and structure based testing at the integration level only
- **D.** Functional testing to test security at the acceptance level, load testing at the acceptance test level to ensure availability is acceptable, regression testing at the acceptance level only to ensure late changes are made correctly, and structure based testing at the component level

ANSWER: A

### **QUESTION NO: 4**

Consider the typical objectives of testing. Which of the following metrics can be used to measure the effectiveness of the testing process in achieving one of those objectives? 1 credit

- A. Average number of days between defect discovery and resolution
- B. Percentage of requirements covered
- C. Lines of code written per developer per day
- D. Percentage of test effort spent on regression testing

ANSWER: B

## **QUESTION NO: 5**

Which of the following would you least expect to form part of the analysis of initial tool costs? 1 credit

- A. Integration with other tools
- B. Learning time required to use the new tool
- C. Tool portability
- D. Evaluation of suitable tools

ANSWER: C

## **QUESTION NO: 6**

In the MASPAR case study ..?

A. Security failures were the result of untested parts of code

- **B.** The development team achieved complete statement and branch coverage but missed a serious bug in the MASPAR operating system
- C. An error in the code was so obscure that you had to test the function with almost every input value to find its two special-case failures
- **D.** All the above

**ANSWER: C** 

## **QUESTION NO: 7**

Identify THREE items that would be part of the work-breakdown structure showing the key testing activities for the acceptance test project. 2 credits (for 2 out of 3 correct 1 credit)

- A. Test planning, test case preparation and test execution for each of the four iterations
- B. Work should be explicitly allocated to test completion, test management, installation and to training on using the system
- **C.** Activities to deploy the system in the user environment
- **D.** Regression testing in the second, third and fourth iterations
- E. Development activities for unit and integration testing
- F. Reviews on requirements documentation
- G. Defining test environment requirements for system testing

ANSWER: A B D

## **QUESTION NO: 8**

Which of the following is not a quality characteristic listed in ISO 9126 Standard?

- A. Functionality
- B. Usability
- C. Supportability
- D. Maintainability

**ANSWER: C** 

## **QUESTION NO: 9**

Which of the following is most likely to be a benefit of using static techniques?

- A. Fewer performance defects.
- **B.** Productivity improvements in the development process.
- **C.** More efficient regression testing.
- **D.** Quick return on investment in static analysis tools.

## **ANSWER: B**

## **Explanation:**

Although the other options might be seen as benefits they are not amongst the most likely benefits. Option (B) is the benefit that is most likely to be realized.

## **QUESTION NO: 10**

Which THREE activities would be valid steps during the development of the test strategy?2 credits (2 out of 3 correct 1 credit)

- A. Identify test staff members that will be involved in the system test
- B. Define test career paths
- C. Understand the software development life cycle used by the software house
- D. Assess the testing that needs to be done to minimize the risks
- E. Issue the test strategy document for review
- F. Define a master test plan template
- G. Perform a project risk analysis

## ANSWER: C D E

## **QUESTION NO: 11**

The introduction of reviews and inspections has often failed as a process improvement action. Identify the THREE most important measures that should be taken to reduce the risk that this test process improvement will fail. 2 Credits (for 2 out of 3 correct 1 credit)

- A. Process ownership and experienced moderators who drive the inspection process.
- B. Management support
- C. Training of those involved
- D. The availability of stands and processes
- E. Usage of a more traditional software development lifecycle

- F. Alignment with software process improvement
- G. Using a reference model, e.g. TMMi

### **ANSWER: A B C**

## **QUESTION NO: 12**

A system calculates the amount of customs duty to be paid:

- No duty is paid on goods value up to, and including, \$2,000.
- \_ The next \$8,000 is taxed at 10%.
- The next \$20,000 after that is taxed at 12%.
- \_ Any further amount after that is taxed at 17%.

To the nearest \$, which of these groups of numbers fall into three DIFFERENT equivalence classes?

- **A.** \$20,000 \$20,001 \$30,001
- **B.** \$2,000 \$2,001 \$10,000
- **C.** \$2,000 \$8,000 \$20,000
- **D.** \$1,500 \$2,000 \$10,000

## **ANSWER: C**

## **QUESTION NO: 13**

Select THREE issues from the options provided that should at least be raised. 1 credit

- **A.** Has there been sufficient comparison of tools?
- **B.** What are the problems we are trying to address?
- **C.** Do we have a set of tool requirements to validate the tool against?
- **D.** How will the implementation be organized?
- E. Which project will be selected to perform the tool pilot?
- **F.** Is customized training available?
- **G.** How will the change process be managed?

## **ANSWER: A B C**

## **QUESTION NO: 14**

Which TWO of the review types below are the BEST fitted (most adequate) options to choose for reviewing safety critical components in a software project? Select 2 options.

- A. Informal review.
- B. Management review.
- C. Inspection.
- D. Walkthrough
- E. Technical Review

ANSWER: C E

#### **QUESTION NO: 15**

During test process improvement it is recommended to use standards where possible. Standards originate from various sources and they cover different subjects in relation to testing Pick TWO sources of software standards, useful to software testing from the ones mentioned below. 1 credit

A. ISO 9126-1 'Software engineering- Product quality Part 1:

Quality model' is an international standard, that provides a basis on which to define quality assurance solutions.

B. ISA 4126-1 'Software engineering- Product quality Part 1:

Quality model' is an international standard, that provides a basis on which to define quality assurance solutions.

- **C.** BS-7925-2 'Software testing. Software component testing is a national standard used internationally. It covers a number of testing techniques that may be useful both on component testing level and on system testing level.
- **D.** SY-395-01 'Standard for East Coast Hospital software' is a regional standard adapted from a national one. Besides hospital software, this standard ought to be used also by other types of software system in the region.
- **E.** IEEE 829 'standard for software test documentation' is an international standard to be following mandatory by all testing origination regardless of lifecycle models.

**ANSWER: A C**