

BCS Foundation Certificate in Business Analysis Exam

Questions & Answers Demo

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Question: 1

Given the cashflows below, which of the following is correct?

Item	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4
Hardware cost	100.000			
Software cost	50,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Maintenance cost	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Savings	50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000

A. The project pays back in year 4 of the project.

B. The project does not pay back within the four year period.

C. The project pays back in year 2 of the project.

D. The project pays back in year 3 of the project.

Answer: B

Question: 2

The required competencies of a business analyst are classified into three categories. Which of the following is one of these three categories?

A. Management Qualities.

- B. Business Knowledge.
- C. IT Skills
- D. Project Skills.

Answer: B

Question: 3

When should benefits realisation be carried out?

- A. Immediately at the end of the project.
- B. At the beginning of the project.
- C. At the end of the finalised feasibility study.
- D. Months or years after the end of the project.

Answer: D

Question: 4

Which of the following statement is TRUE about the process view of an organisation?

- A. It focuses on the customer of the organisation.
- B. It focuses solely on the internal view of the organisation.
- C. It focuses on the functions of an organisation.
- D. It focuses on the organisational structure.

Answer: A

Question: 5

As part of an investigation a Business Analyst has devised a form for users of an existing system to use to keep track of the tasks they undertake during their working day. Which of the following describes this investigation technique?

- A. Special purpose records,
- B. Scenario analysis.
- C. Questionnaires.
- D. Activity sampling.

Answer: A

Question: 6

On a class diagram, what do the multiplicities represent?

- A. The number of attributes held within each class.
- B. The minimum and maximum number of operations in each class.
- C. The minimum and maximum number of objects in each class.
- D. The business rules for an association between two classes.

Answer: D

Question: 7

A well formed requirement is said to comply with which of the following acronyms?

A. MOSCOW.

- B. SMART.
- C. OSCAR.
- D. MOST.

Answer: B

Question: 8

Which stage in the waterfall model is considered as several separate stages in the V model?

A. Development.

B. Analysis.

- C. Testing.
- D. Design.

Answer: C

Question: 9

Which of the following terms may be used to describe the attitude of a stakeholder who is NOT in favour of the project but is probably not actively opposed to it?

A. Opponent.

B. Neutral.

C. Critic.

D. Blocker.

Answer: C

Question: 10

It has been suggested that five clerical posts can be abolished when a new computer system is implemented. Under which category of costs or benefits will this be recorded?

A. Tangible costs.

B. Tangible benefits.

C. Intangible costs.

D. Intangible benefits.

Answer: B