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NEW QUESTION 1

- (Topic 1)

You are coaching Marcy, a new business analyst for your organization, on business analysis processes. Marcy is concerned about the define solution scope process, especially the implementation approach element. Which of the following statements best defines the implementation approach element for Marcy?

- A. The implementation approach is described in terms of the major features and functions that are to be included
- B. The implementation approach defines major business and technical dependencies that impose constraints to the effort to deploy the solution
- C. The implementation approach describes the new capabilities required to meet the business need
- D. The implementation approach describes how the chosen solution approach will deliver the solution scope

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 2

- (Topic 1)

Wanda is the business analyst for her organization and she is currently working on the specify and model requirements process. One of the elements of this process is the documentation of the textual requirements. Wanda must describe the capabilities of the solution, any conditions that must exist for the requirements to operate, and what third component of the textual requirement?

- A. Any constraints that may prevent the solution from fulfilling the requirement
- B. Write in the active voice
- C. Describe a situation or problem
- D. Express only one requirement at a time

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 3

- (Topic 1)

What plan includes the description of the scope of work, the deliverable Work Breakdown Structure, the activity list, and estimates for the business analysis activities?

- A. Project management plan
- B. Implementation plan
- C. Requirements management plan
- D. Business analysis plan

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 4

- (Topic 1)

Your organization is using a plan-driven approach to business analysis. What characteristic must be true of changes in the approach that your organization is using?

- A. All the changes only occur if they are less than an agreed factor, such as ten percent of the solution's overall cost or a percentage of the project's schedule
- B. All the changes only occur if they are less than ten percent of the solution's overall cost
- C. All the changes only occur if they are genuinely necessary
- D. Changes are generally not permitted in the plan-driven approach to business analysis

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 5

- (Topic 1)

When do change requests generally increase in a project?

- A. During the project's launch
- B. Towards the beginning of the project
- C. During the project scope management processes
- D. Towards the end of the project

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 6

- (Topic 1)

Donna is leading a brainstorming session for her organization. She has asked the participants in this group to come up with at least ten ideas for possible solutions to an identified problem. What is the problem with setting the goal as ten ideas for possible solutions in this session?

- A. The goal should be to come up with as many solutions as possible, not just ten ideas
- B. The goal should be to generate ten ideas within a set time period
- C. The goal should be to come up with the best solution for the problem, not ten ideas
- D. The goal should be to include everyone's input to the solution

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 7

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are creating the solution scope definition.

Which of the following should be included in the solution scope definition?

- A. Business case
- B. Technical dependencies
- C. Elicitation techniques
- D. Organization readiness assessment

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 8

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are with another business analyst, Steve, on the requirements elicitation for a new solution. You warn Steve that you'll need to be tracing the requirements in an effort to prevent scope creep. What is scope creep?

- A. The scope grows slightly larger as more requirements, often unneeded, are added to the scope
- B. The scope slips on the schedule which in turn delays the project delivery date
- C. Gold plating
- D. The scope shifts from the original intent of the business case

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 9

- (Topic 1)

Jane is the business analyst for her organization and she is completing passive observation to identify improvement opportunities in the workflow. She notices that some of the employees perform certain customer-facing activities in a different format than the other workers. Is this a problem that can be addressed as part of an improvement opportunity?

- A. It can be a problem as customers could become confused or frustrated because of the different approaches to the work
- B. It is not a problem unless there is a drop in sales so it should be left alone
- C. It can be a problem as the enterprise environmental factors always call for consistency in all processes
- D. It is not a problem unless the customer complains
- E. If Jane has not noticed the customers complaining then the process should be left alone

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 10

- (Topic 1)

What business analysis element tries to identify as many potential options as possible to meet the business objectives and fill identified gaps in capabilities?

- A. Ranking of approaches
- B. Decision analysis
- C. Documentation of assumptions and constraints
- D. Alternative generation

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 10

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization. You are currently identifying opportunities for a customer to improve their business processes. The customer wants to streamline their business efforts either through new technologies, better processes, or a combination of both. The customer demands, however, that the solution should not cost more than \$300,000 to implement and support for one year. What does the \$300,000 represent? A. Solution cost

- A. Budget
- B. Requirements
- C. Constraint

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 11

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are working with Virginia on the allocation of requirements for a new solution. You have assigned Virginia the task of breaking down the solution scope into smaller components for allocation. What technique have you asked Virginia to complete in this scenario?

- A. Decision analysis
- B. Business rules analysis
- C. Process modeling
- D. Functional decomposition

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 15

- (Topic 1)

All of the following stakeholders participate in the prioritization of requirements except for which one?

- A. Implementation subject matter expert
- B. Project team
- C. Domain subject matter expert

D. Project manager

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 18

- (Topic 1)

You are creating a model for your requirements. Which model type categorizes and describes the people who directly interact with a solution?

- A. Rules
- B. User classes, profiles, or roles
- C. Concepts and relationships
- D. Events

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 19

- (Topic 1)

What document defines the business needs, identifies key stakeholders, and describes the positive impact the solution will provide on the key stakeholders?

- A. Project charter
- B. Project scope statement
- C. Solution scope
- D. Vision statement

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 20

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization. You are preparing the business needs documentation for a new solution to an identified problem. Parts of your input for this process are the business goals and objectives set by your organization. What approach can you use to assess the business goal and their validity and longevity?

- A. Functional decomposition
- B. POLDAT
- C. SMART
- D. Root cause analysis

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 22

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization. Management wants you to prioritize the identified requirements by the requirements that have the highest likelihood of success. Why would management want you to prioritize the requirements with this factor even though some of the requirements may be difficult to implement?

- A. They want a fast return on investment
- B. They want to show early success in the implementation to the project stakeholder
- C. They don't understand the requirement
- D. They want to avoid penalties or fines due to a pending law

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 26

- (Topic 1)

You have identified a task in your task list that cannot be completed until the inspector for the project signs off on the initial deliverables. The inspector's signoff on the initial deliverables is called what?

- A. Assumption
- B. Dependency
- C. Milestone
- D. Constraint

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 30

- (Topic 1)

You are working with several business analysts to determine the solution approach for an identified problem. All of the following techniques are acceptable for identifying the solution approach except for which one?

- A. Benchmarking
- B. Decision analysis
- C. Risk analysis
- D. Brainstorming

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 33

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are to conduct stakeholder analysis. Which of the following statements best describes the conduct stakeholder analysis task?

- A. This task identifies organizations and lines of business that may be affected by a proposed initiative or who share a common business need
- B. This task identifies stakeholders who may be affected by a proposed initiative or who share a common business need
- C. This task identifies the organizations that are likely affected by a problem that a project must solve
- D. This task identifies the people who may be affected by a proposed initiative or who share a common business need

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 35

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization. Management has asked that you create a stakeholder map as part of the conduct stakeholder analysis process. What is a stakeholder map?

- A. A stakeholder map is a visual diagram that shows the connection among positive and negative stakeholder
- B. A stakeholder map is a visual diagram that illustrates where the stakeholders are geographically located
- C. A stakeholder map is a visual diagram that depicts the stakeholders' actions as responsible, accountable, consult, and inform
- D. A stakeholder map is a visual diagram that depicts the relationship of the stakeholders to the solution and to one another

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 38

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for the NGQ Company. Management is concerned that their company is not able to meet an identified business need with their current existing structure, people, processes and technology. They've asked you to complete an analysis of their organization's ability to meet the identified business need. What business analysis process are you completing for your organization?

- A. Determining the solution approach
- B. Assessing the capability gaps
- C. Requirements elicitation
- D. Verifying the requirements

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 40

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization. Gary and Janet, two key stakeholders in the project, are in disagreement over a requirement for the type of software to be installed on the server your solution calls for. What must happen in this instance before formal approval can be offered?

- A. The conflict will need to be resolved through research, resolution, or through a third-party mediation.
- B. Gary and Janet will need to determine who has seniority in the company to determine which requirement takes precedence.
- C. The conflict will need to be removed from the solution scope until Gary and Janet come to a solution.
- D. The business analyst will need to make a decision on which requirement is most appropriate.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 44

- (Topic 1)

You are creating the solution scope for an identified problem in your organization. You are working with several stakeholders during this process including the domain subject matter expert, the implementation subject matter expert, the project manager, and the sponsor. Which of these stakeholders will be responsible for writing the project scope?

- A. Domain subject matter expert
- B. Business analyst
- C. Project manager
- D. Sponsor

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 46

- (Topic 1)

Which one of the following is an example of a non-negotiable demand by a stakeholder during the requirements prioritization session?

- A. All requirements are ranked as high
- B. Communication
- C. All requirements are prioritized by cost-benefits ratio
- D. Cost

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 48

- (Topic 1)

You are completing enterprise analysis. Management has asked you to create a document that will help them create a go/no go decision to invest and move forward with a proposed project. What document does management want you to create?

- A. Feasibility study
- B. Project scope
- C. Solution scope
- D. Business case

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 49

- (Topic 1)

You are preparing a business case for your organization to determine the justification of the costs of the solution in relation to benefits the solutions will bring the organization. You need four inputs to complete this process. Which one of the following is not an input that will help you write the business case?

- A. Feasibility study
- B. Stakeholder concerns
- C. Assumptions and constraints
- D. Business need

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 53

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for a large project for your organization. Your project has 65 stakeholders and this will greatly increase the complexity of the communication in this project. To demonstrate how complex this project and its communication will be, you show the management the number of communication channels in this project. How many channels exist in this project based on the number of stakeholders?

- A. 2080
- B. 4160
- C. 4225
- D. 65

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 54

- (Topic 1)

What element of the plan business analysis process affects the business analysis duties that need to be performed?

- A. The experience of the business analyst
- B. The experience of the project manager
- C. The expected completion date of the business analysis duties
- D. The type of project or initiative

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 58

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization. Management has asked that you create a model of the requirements so the stakeholders can better understand the requirements and the project as a whole. Which of the following statements best describes a model?

- A. Models are slices of the project solution
- B. Models simplify the requirements for common stakeholder
- C. Models are statistics for the return on investment, time saved, and other mathematic
- D. Models abstract and simplify reality

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 62

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for a solution that has 435 stakeholders. How many communication channels exist in this project?

- A. 188,790
- B. 189,225
- C. 94,395
- D. 435

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 66

- (Topic 1)

What part of defining the business needs process will evaluate the ends that the organization is seeking to achieve?

- A. Business goals and objectives
- B. Alternative identification
- C. Solution assessment
- D. Requirements

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 71

- (Topic 1)

You are hosting a collection of stakeholders from across the organization to identify the ideas and attitudes about your company's help desk. You want the stakeholders to honestly share their opinions about the help desk service so you can identify problems, solutions, and take actions to improve the service. What type of requirements elicitation activity is this?

- A. Stakeholder analysis
- B. Focus groups
- C. Workshop
- D. Root cause analysis

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 73

- (Topic 1)

Paul has been asked to complete SWOT analysis for his solution scope. What does SWOT analysis mean?

- A. Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Time
- B. Stakeholder Weaknesses, Organizational Threats
- C. Stakeholders Weaknesses, Organization, Threats
- D. Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 78

- (Topic 1)

Nancy has asked you to trace a particular requirement for her. What does 'to trace a requirement' mean? A. Tracing a requirement means to look at a requirement and the others to which it is related. It links risk, cost, quality, and scope elements to stakeholder and solution requirements to other artifacts created by the team and to solution components.

- A. Tracing a requirement means to look at a requirement and the others to which it is relate
- B. It links business requirements to stakeholder and solution requirements to other artifacts created by the team and to solution component
- C. Tracing a requirement means to look at a requirement and the others to which it is relate
- D. It links business requirements to components in the project's work breakdown structur
- E. Tracing a requirement means to track a requirements from its first identification all the way to its completion to see what issues, risks, costs, quality, and defects have surrounded the requirement

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 80

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization and working with Tim to identify the assumptions within the business solution. Which one of the following is an assumption?

- A. The vendor believes the hardware should arrive by December 1
- B. The software must be compatible with Windows Vista
- C. The software must cost less than \$99 per license
- D. The hardware must costs less than \$450 per uni

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 83

- (Topic 1)

When an organization is using a change-driven approach to business analysis, how are communications managed?

- A. Communications in a change-driven approach to business analysis focus more on the frequency of communicatio
- B. Communications in a change-driven approach typically use face-to-face channel
- C. Communications in a change-driven approach focus more on formal communication
- D. Communications in a change-driven approach are all ad ho

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 88

- (Topic 1)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are working on prioritizing the project requirements. Management has asked you to prioritize the requirements based on the cost-benefit analysis for the requirements' value to the organization. What basis for prioritization are you using in this instance?

- A. Business value
- B. Stakeholder agreement
- C. Likelihood of success
- D. Urgency

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 89

- (Topic 1)

Which conduct stakeholder analysis technique identifies stakeholder roles that may serve as a useful starting point for identifying actors and roles?

- A. Scope modeling
- B. Requirements workshops
- C. Scenario and uses cases and user stories
- D. Interviews

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 93

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are coaching Roberta on how business analysis works. Roberta is confused about what a business analysis methodology is during the business analysis planning and monitoring phase of the business analysis duties. What is a methodology?

- A. A methodology is an approach that the business analyst believes will work but it has not been proven to work yet in the business analysis domain
- B. A methodology is a short term endeavor to create a unique product or service
- C. A methodology is a formalized plan that describes how the business analyst will complete the elicitation of requirements
- D. A methodology is a formalized and repeatable business analysis approach

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 98

- (Topic 2)

Robert is the business analyst for his organization and he's working with several stakeholders to identify the business need for an opportunity. Robert needs to identify the stakeholder that will be responsible for authorizing the actions needed in order to meet the identified business need. Which stakeholder does Robert need to identify?

- A. Sponsor
- B. Customer
- C. Implementation Subject Matter Expert
- D. Regulator

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 101

- (Topic 2)

There are just three inputs to the assess proposed solution process. Which of the following is not one of the inputs for the assess proposed solution process?

- A. Decision analysis
- B. Requirements
- C. Assumptions and constraints
- D. Solution options

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 105

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and preparing to complete the requirements elicitation activities. Your manager wants to know when the requirements elicitation process will be completed. Which of the following responses best describes the nature of the requirements elicitation process?

- A. The schedule of the project determines the duration of the requirements elicitation process.
- B. The duration of the requirements elicitation activities is determined by the willingness of the project stakeholders to contribute to the requirements information
- C. The size of the project determines the duration of the requirements elicitation process
- D. Eliciting requirements is not a compartmentalized activity

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 108

- (Topic 2)

You are completing the requirements for vendor selection and need to create a procurement form that will ask the vendor to provide only a price for commercial-off-the-shelf solution. What type of procurement form will you need to provide to the vendor?

- A. Request for proposal
- B. Purchase order
- C. Request for information
- D. Request for quote

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 109

- (Topic 2)

It's often impossible or difficult to prove that the implementation of a solution will change the current state of an organization to the desired future state. The business analyst must document the characteristics and risk of the implementation of a solution in case the belief that the solution will achieve the desired results will prove invalid. What is the belief that the solution will create the desired effect for the organization called?

- A. Project
- B. Risk
- C. Assumption
- D. Model

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 114

- (Topic 2)

Management would like you to front-load the requirements with the most risk requirements. Why would management prefer the risky requirements first in the prioritization?

- A. So if the risk comes true the project will fail will little investment in the wor
- B. So if the risk comes true then the project manager can mitigate the risk even
- C. So if the risk comes true they'll receive the reward as soon as possibl
- D. So if the risk comes true then there's ample time to correct the proble

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 117

- (Topic 2)

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- C. A methodology is a formalized and repeatable business analysis approac
- D. A methodology is a formalized plan that describes how the business analyst will complete the elicitation of requirement

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 122

- (Topic 2)

What requirements elicitation involves carefully selected stakeholders and subject matter experts for a short, intensive period (usually for one to a few days) to define and document the requirements for a solution?

- A. Many-to-many interviews
- B. Requirements workshop
- C. Focus group
- D. Prototyping

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 124

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following statements best describes the purpose of the confirm elicitation results process?

- A. Validate that the stated requirements expressed by the stakeholders match the solution the organization has propose
- B. Validate that the stated requirements expressed by the stakeholders match the stakeholders' understanding of the problem and the stakeholders' need
- C. Validate that the stated requirements expressed by the stakeholders match the documented requirements of the project sponso
- D. Validate that the stated requirements expressed by the stakeholders match the project scop

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 127

- (Topic 2)

What requirements elicitation technique examines the available information, documentation, records, and history of a solution, organization, or cause to identify relevant information to the current business analysis duties?

- A. Benchmarking
- B. Dataflow diagrams
- C. Document analysis
- D. Requirements elicitation

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 128

- (Topic 2)

You are preparing the business case for a proposed solution in your organization. You need to identify several components for the business case including an assessment of the risks the solution may contain. Which one of the following is the best definition of a risk as it pertains to the business case?

- A. Risk is an uncertain event or condition that may have both positive and negative affects on the solutio
- B. Risk is an uncertain event that can cause the organization to lose more monies than it invests in the solutio
- C. Risk is a potential event that can cause the solution to fai
- D. Risks are threats to the organization's succes

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 131

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for THY Organization and you have gathered the requirements. You have presented the requirements to the stakeholders and they have approved your requirements. You are now working with Francie on recording the dependencies and relationships for each of the requirements. Why would you want to record the dependencies and relationships for the requirements?

- A. To help determine the sequence in which requirements are to be addressed
- B. To help determine which requirements carry the most risk
- C. To help determine the total cost for the solution to be implemented
- D. To help determine the total time for the solution to be implemented

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 136

- (Topic 2)

You are working with Tom, a key stakeholder, in your business analysis duties. Tom is asking you about the desired outcome for current business opportunity. Which one of the following is NOT an example of a desired outcome?

- A. Implement new machinery to complete the work processes faster
- B. Increase sales
- C. Reduce costs
- D. Reduce time to deliver a product or service

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 141

- (Topic 2)

You are creating a model that shows how data moves through a system. Each function that modifies the data in any manner is identified, decomposed to smaller levels, and the system is completely described from start to storage. What type of a modeling technique are you using in this scenario?

- A. Functional decomposition
- B. Data flow diagramming
- C. Organization modeling
- D. Work decomposition

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 142

- (Topic 2)

What two factors must the business analyst consider when conducting stakeholder analysis?

- A. Influence and attitude
- B. Position and politics
- C. Politics and influence
- D. Attitude and position

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 146

- (Topic 2)

The RGQ Organization utilizes a change log. What is a change log?

- A. It is a document that records all change requests for the project
- B. It is a document that tracks all unauthorized changes to the project solution
- C. It is a document that tracks all characteristics and status of changes that have been received
- D. It is a document that tracks the changes that have been received, including their implementation to the project solution

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 149

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization. You are identifying new opportunities to improve upon your existing web services. Management is open to new opportunities as long as the changes do not take more than 60 days to implement. What type of a factor does the 60 day implementation represent?

- A. Technical constraint
- B. Schedule constraint
- C. Business constraint
- D. Assumption

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 151

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for a large project in your organization. You are working with Ben to create requirements packages to present to the stakeholders, the business analyst team, and to the project manager. Ben wants to know why you're creating requirements packages. What's the primary goal of developing a requirements package?

- A. To convey the cost, schedule, and risk information clearly
- B. To convey information clearly and in an understandable fashion

- C. To present the requirements in packages that are easy for the project team to accomplish in their project execution
- D. To help the project manager create the work breakdown structure

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 152

- (Topic 2)

What type of interview is the most common as part of requirements elicitation?

- A. Many-to-one
- B. Many-to-many
- C. One-to-one
- D. One-to-many

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 153

- (Topic 2)

Henry is the business analyst for his organization and is completing the conduct elicitation activity.

Part of this activity is to record the results of the requirements elicitation process. All of the following are acceptable elements for requirements documentation except for which one?

- A. Text message sent via a secured mobile phone
- B. Written documents describing the outcomes
- C. Visual or audio recordings
- D. Whiteboards

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 158

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for the NHQ Organization. Management has asked that you examine the workflow and internal processes for order fulfillment.

Specifically they'd like you to complete an in-depth analysis and documentation of the business problems and opportunities that may exist for the organization.

What business analysis knowledge area does this activity map to?

- A. Requirements elicitation
- B. Solution assessment and validation
- C. Enterprise analysis
- D. Requirements management and communication

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 160

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are working on prioritizing requirements.

What plan should guide you through this process?

- A. Risk management plan
- B. Project management plan
- C. Requirements management plan
- D. Scope management plan

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 164

- (Topic 2)

Herb is the business analyst for the HYY Organization. As Herb is completing the organize requirements process he recognizes that requirements typically need to answer one question for identification. What is the one interrogative that requirements should answer?

- A. What
- B. When
- C. Why
- D. How

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 165

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for a solution that has 435 stakeholders. How many communication channels exist in this project?

- A. 188,790
- B. 189,225
- C. 94,395
- D. 435

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 167

- (Topic 2)

Yolanda is the web designer for your company and you are the business analyst. You are working with Yolanda on a new website that your company will host. You'd like for her to create a mock-up of the website without spending much time on the actual workings behind the web interface. You'd like for her to show the customer how the website will look, some idea of the functionality of the website, and some basic graphics and colors so the customer can see the direction of the project.

What type of prototype are you asking Yolanda to create?

- A. Mock-up prototype
- B. Vertical prototype
- C. Storyboard prototype
- D. Horizontal prototype

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 171

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and you are working with Bill on creating a model. Bill is a little confused about all the different things a model can do for the stakeholders.

You explain to Bill that a model can do all of the following except for which one?

- A. Define the risk and reward for the requirements
- B. Categorize and create hierarchies of items
- C. Define boundaries for business domains
- D. Show business logic

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 172

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are planning the business analysis approach. One of the techniques you are considering for this undertaking is to rate the available methodologies against the organizational needs and objectives. Which of the following terms describes the business analysis technique that you are currently considering in this scenario?

- A. Structured walkthrough
- B. Decision analysis
- C. Cause-and-effect analysis
- D. Process modeling

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 176

- (Topic 2)

Paul is the business analyst for his organization. He is examining a single solution to determine if the solution he and his team have identified carries enough business value to justify its implementation. What business analysis process is Paul performing in this scenario?

- A. Assess organizational readiness
- B. Define transition requirements
- C. Allocate requirements
- D. Assess proposed solution

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 180

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for a large project that will create new software for the entire organization. This new software will affect all of the administrative assistants in the organization schedule meetings, reserve facilities, and share calendars. There are approximately 2,400 administrative assistants in your organization and not all of these people can attend requirements gathering workshops. What approach can you use to manage and gather requirements from these 2,400 administrative assistants?

- A. You can meet with a small group of administrative assistants and assume their requirements are reflective of the remaining group of administrative assistant
- B. You will need to meet with all of the administrative assistants as part requirements elicitation
- C. You can meet with a small group of administrative assistants that will serve as representatives for the remaining administrative assistant
- D. You can meet with the administrative assistants' manager

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 184

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are working on a solution that will connect several databases to a web application. You are concerned that the databases may not be operable with the software solution a programmer is recommending. What requirements elicitation technique can help you determine the interoperability of the software, the databases, and the web application?

- A. Benchmarking
- B. Interviews
- C. Interface analysis
- D. Usage considerations

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 186

- (Topic 2)

Which solution scope technique can help the business analyst understand the scope of the work by breaking down the scope into smaller work products?

- A. Interface analysis
- B. User stories
- C. Functional decomposition
- D. Scope modeling

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 187

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and need a method to requirements elicitation from nearly 12,000 stakeholders. You want a method to quickly capture this group's feelings and thoughts to identify what the majority of this group needs and wants in a new solution your organization may create. What requirements elicitation technique can be used in this scenario?

- A. Interviews
- B. Trend analysis
- C. Focus groups
- D. Surveys

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 188

- (Topic 2)

Your organization needs to adapt to the change economy, new technologies, and an increase in competition in order to survive. They've asked you to complete a business analysis approach that will help them change their organizational policies in order to achieve their goals and objectives. What business analysis technique has this organization asked you to complete?

- A. Focus groups
- B. Business rules analysis
- C. Brainstorming
- D. Root cause analysis

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 191

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are trying to determine the best solution for an identified problem. You have determined that you could create a software solution using inhouse resources for \$65,000 and with an ongoing support of \$5,600 per month. A vendor offers you a quote that they can create the software for \$49,000 with an ongoing support of \$6,100 per month. Which solution should you choose?

- A. Create the software if you'll keep the solution less than 32 month
- B. Create the software if you'll use the solution longer than 32 month
- C. There is not enough information to determine which solution is financially better
- D. Buy from the vendor if you'll keep the solution longer than 32 month

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 195

- (Topic 2)

You are the business analyst for your organization and are preparing to conduct stakeholder analysis. As part of this process you realize that you'll need several inputs. Which one of the following is NOT an input you'll use for the conduct stakeholder analysis task?

- A. Enterprise architecture
- B. Enterprise environmental factors
- C. Organizational process assets
- D. Business need

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 200

- (Topic 2)

Bob and Susan are business analysts for their organization. They are examining two materials that could be used in an upcoming project. They are testing the materials and measuring the results of each test to compare the materials to each other. This process will help Bob and Susan determine which material is best for their upcoming project. What type of process are Bob and Susan completing with these materials?

- A. Feasibility study
- B. Stress test
- C. Alternative identification
- D. Benchmarking

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 205

- (Topic 2)

What element of the conduct elicitation activity is tracked to provide a basis for future planning?

- A. Time actually spent eliciting the requirements
- B. Number of stakeholders that did not participate in the requirements elicitation
- C. Cost of actually eliciting the requirements
- D. Changes that entered the scope throughout the requirements elicitation activities

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 206

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following chart shows the correlation between project team members and the work they've been assigned to complete?

- A. Pie chart
- B. Responsibility Assignment Matrix (RAM) chart
- C. Gantt chart
- D. RACI chart

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 211

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following processes includes tasks and roles, risk categories, schedules for risk management activities, definitions of probability and impact, and the stakeholders' tolerances?

- A. Risk management plan
- B. Risk register
- C. Risk analysis
- D. Risk response plan

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 212

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following establishes organizational checks and balances with a proper segregation of front, back, and middle office functions for effective risk management?

- A. Risk response plan
- B. Risk analysis
- C. Risk management plan
- D. Risk governance

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 213

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following inputs of Monitor and Control Risks acquires information from performance measurements and evaluates it to provide variance analysis and forecasting?

- A. Risk register
- B. Work performance information
- C. Performance report
- D. Project management plan

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 217

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following software development life cycles is a methodology that divides the project into phases, and the project manager focuses on control of time, cost, and scope?

- A. Spiral
- B. Agile
- C. Waterfall
- D. Incremental

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 219

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is a narrative description of the work required for the project?

- A. Contract work breakdown structure (CWBS)
- B. Work breakdown structure (WBS)
- C. Contract statement of work (CSOW)

D. Statement of work (SOW)

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 220

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is a visual decomposition of the program scope and the resources needed in order to create the things defined within the program scope?

- A. Resource breakdown structure (RBS)
- B. product breakdown structure (PBS)
- C. Budgeted Cost of Work Scheduled (BCWS)
- D. Work Breakdown Structure (WBS)

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 224

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following roles approves the project scope statement, phase gate reviews, solution validations, scope changes, and project success criteria?

- A. Project manager
- B. Subject matter expert
- C. Solution owner
- D. Stakeholder

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 229

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is the process of analyzing the areas of a project that are most affected by risk?

- A. Risk Identification
- B. Risk Urgency Assessment
- C. Risk Categorization
- D. Risk Analysis

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 230

- (Topic 3)

The _____, an output of the define scope process, does document the process and criteria for accepting completed products.

- A. Statement of Work
- B. Contract
- C. Project scope statement
- D. Project management plan

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 234

- (Topic 3)

Holly is the business analyst for her organization. Management has asked Holly to create a document that will define solution alternatives and how each identified solution may provide an expected business benefit to meet the identified business need. Management has asked Holly to provide data and statistics in this document to support her claims and findings. What type of document is management asking Holly to create?

- A. Vision statement
- B. Project scope statement
- C. Feasibility study
- D. Current state assessment

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 237

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following roles approves the project scope statement, phase gate reviews, solution validations, scope changes, and project success criteria?

- A. Project manager
- B. Subject matter expert
- C. Solution owner
- D. Stakeholder

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 242

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following quantitative risk analysis techniques relies on experience and past data to compute the probability and impact of risks on project

objectives?

- A. Probability distribution
- B. Sensitivity analysis
- C. Modeling and simulation
- D. Interviewing

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 245

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following techniques involves coordinating and collaborating with other credible sources in risk?

- A. Risk identification
- B. Risk management
- C. Risk communication
- D. Risk analysis

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 246

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following document is created first after project is awarded and statement of work is handed over to the project manager?

- A. Work breakdown structure (WBS)
- B. WBS dictionary
- C. Project scope statement
- D. Project charter

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 251

- (Topic 3)

When does the lessons learned document is updated?

- A. At planning phase.
- B. At execution phase.
- C. At closing phase.
- D. Throughout the project lifecycle.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 253

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following charts is important to ensure that the roles and responsibilities of those involved in a task are tracked?

- A. Pie chart
- B. Line chart
- C. RACI chart
- D. Gantt chart

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 254

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following processes is must at the end of each project phase to determine the completeness of the project work and to gain the customer's acceptance to move the project forward?

- A. Scope verification
- B. Inspection of key results
- C. Quality control
- D. Phase gate review

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 258

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following processes is used by organizations to set the risk tolerance, identify the potential risks, and prioritize the tolerance for risk?

- A. Risk communication
- B. Risk identification
- C. Risk analysis
- D. Risk management

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 261

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following defines how the project scope should be created, executed, monitored and controlled, and then validated?

- A. Scope variance plan
- B. Scope management plan
- C. Staffing management plan
- D. Schedule management plan

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 265

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is the process of defining and analyzing the dangers to individuals, businesses, and government agencies posed by potential natural and human-caused adverse events?

- A. Risk analysis
- B. Risk identification
- C. Risk management
- D. Risk communication

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 268

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following reports is generated whenever the project is slipping off the project schedule and includes an explanation of the problem?

- A. Status report
- B. Schedule variance report
- C. Delay report
- D. Cost variance report

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 272

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following directs the improvement efforts to those areas that will have the biggest impact?

- A. Flowchart
- B. Gantt chart
- C. Pareto diagram
- D. User Documentation

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 277

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is a procurement document?

- A. Project Work Breakdown Structure
- B. Project charter
- C. Vision document
- D. Invitation for bid

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 281

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following types of elicitation allows each stakeholder to freely discuss their role in a particular process?

- A. Focus group
- B. Structured interview
- C. Quick Interview
- D. Unstructured interview

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 286

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following roles helps assess the data requirements of a project, identifies data assets, and helps the project team complete data modeling requirements?

- A. Database analyst
- B. End user
- C. Subject matter expert
- D. Information architect

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 287

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following defines the deliverable the customer is expecting?

- A. Project charter
- B. Procurement management plan
- C. Product scope statement
- D. Project network diagram

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 288

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following tasks does not rely on other activities, and no other activities rely on this task completing?

- A. Analysis task
- B. Independent task
- C. Predecessor task
- D. Dependent task

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 293

- (Topic 3)

The business process model is also known as _____.

- A. Organization model
- B. Activity model
- C. Relational model
- D. Data flow model

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 298

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is described in the statement below?

"It shows the history and pattern of variation. It is a line graph that shows data points plotted in the order in which they occur. They show trends in a process over time, variation over time, or declines or improvements in a process over time. Trend analysis is performed using them."

- A. Cause and effect diagram
- B. Histogram
- C. Run chart
- D. Pareto chart

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 302

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following captures all of the activities within a business, the inputs and outputs of each activity, and the required resources to complete each activity?

- A. Business scenario
- B. Business process model
- C. Business architecture
- D. Business case

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 306

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following process groups occurs at the beginning of the project?

- A. Executing
- B. Planning
- C. Initiating
- D. Controlling and Monitoring
- E. Closing

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 310

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following authorizes the project to exist within the organization?

- A. Project charter
- B. Project network diagram
- C. Project integration management
- D. Project boundaries

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 315

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is the comparison of planned project results with actual project results?

- A. Variance analysis
- B. Cost-benefit analysis
- C. Statistical Sampling
- D. Trend analysis

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 316

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following techniques involves attempting to make and numerically determine the probability of various adverse events and measuring the likely extent of the losses?

- A. Risk analysis
- B. Qualitative risk analysis
- C. Risk assessment
- D. Quantitative risk analysis

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 318

- (Topic 3)

As a program manager, you decided to overlap two phases of your program. Which of the following terms best describe your act?

- A. Lead time
- B. Rolling
- C. Fast tracking
- D. Crashing

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 321

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is the process of identifying and assessing factors that may jeopardize the success of a project or the achievement of a goal?

- A. Risk analysis
- B. Risk identification
- C. Risk retention
- D. Risk communication

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 323

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is the formal acceptance of the project?

- A. A project review
- B. A sign-off
- C. Risk assessment
- D. Inspection trend analysis

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 328

- (Topic 3)

Which one of the following diagrams when properly laid out is always laid in a left to right display to properly reflect the chronology of all project work?

- A. Influence diagram
- B. Project schedule network diagram
- C. Arrow diagramming method
- D. Time-scaled schedule network diagram

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 332

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following phases is the first step towards creating a business continuity plan?

- A. Business Continuity Plan Development
- B. Scope and Plan Initiation
- C. Business Impact Assessment
- D. Plan Approval and Implementation

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 335

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following models demonstrates the attributes, operations, and relationship to entities within the solution?

- A. Entity Relationship
- B. Data dictionary
- C. Class model
- D. CRUD matrix

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 336

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following defines how the project will be estimated, budgeted, and how changes to cost will be managed?

- A. Cost management plan
- B. Cost variance reports
- C. Control chart
- D. Coercive power

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 338

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is a quality control chart to track trends in project execution?

- A. Control chart
- B. RACI chart
- C. PERT chart
- D. Pareto chart

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 340

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following requires that all parties in the conflict must give up something?

- A. Barrier
- B. Problem solving
- C. Withdrawal
- D. Compromising

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 343

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following processes can start with the source of problems or with the problem itself?

- A. Risk estimation
- B. Risk analysis
- C. Risk management
- D. Risk identification

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 348

- (Topic 3)

_____ is a process to determine the completeness of the project work and to gain the customer's acceptance to move the project forward.

- A. Phase gate review
- B. Inspection of key results
- C. Verify scope
- D. Quality control

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 350

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following roles works with the project team to understand the deliverables and then teaches the users of the deliverables how to utilize the project's product?

- A. End user
- B. Database analyst
- C. Stakeholder
- D. Trainer

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 353

- (Topic 3)

In risk analysis, which of the following can be identified as a consequence of a disaster?

- A. Loss of operating capability
- B. Loss of goodwill
- C. Loss of competitive edge
- D. Loss of stockholder confidence

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 354

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is mandatory in most software development projects?

- A. Communication Management plan
- B. Disaster recovery plan
- C. Test plan
- D. Procurement plan

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 359

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is a conversation between one or more speakers centering on one specific topic?

- A. Feedback loop
- B. Presentation
- C. Survey
- D. Formal requirements review

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 360

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