

# PMI

## Exam Questions PgMP

Program Management Professional (PgMP)



#### NEW QUESTION 1

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for the BHN Program. Your program has 122 stakeholders that you'll need to plan to communicate with. Considering the size of the program how many communication channels do you have in this program?

- A. 244
- B. 122
- C. 14,884
- D. 7,381

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 2

- (Topic 1)

What analysis type could you use in a program to compare the positive stakeholders and their position, power, and influence over your program to the same variable components of the negative stakeholders in your program?

- A. Sensitivity analysis
- B. Stakeholder analysis
- C. Monte Carlo simulation
- D. Force field analysis

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 3

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for the NHQ Program. Your program has a budget of \$4,500,000 and has lasted for two years. Your program has just completed its final deliverable and you're completing the final program closure processes. What document must the program customer must now sign as part of program closure?

- A. The customer must now sign the program scope.
- B. The customer must now sign the payment for the program work.
- C. The customer must now sign the certificate of program closure.
- D. The customer must now sign the operational transfer agreement.

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 4

- (Topic 1)

Marty is the project manager of the recently completed NHK Project. The project was deemed successful by the project customer and they have signed the formal acceptance documentation. Marty has written the final project report, released the project team, and completed the lessons learned documentation. What else should Marty do in the closure of the NHK Project?

- A. Summarize the project variance.
- B. Archive the project records.
- C. Summarize the project risks costs.
- D. Close the project office.

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 5

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your current program, which has just been initiated, needs to launch several projects in order to create all of the benefits of the program. What document do you need to create in order to initiate the projects within your program?

- A. Project charter
- B. Program charter
- C. Program scope statement
- D. Project preliminary scope statement

**Answer: A**

#### NEW QUESTION 6

- (Topic 1)

Your program exists within a matrix structure. Your program has eight projects that all share resources from around the organization. You are concerned that some of the project team members may be over allocated and want to create a chart that will reflect the utilization of resources. What kind of chart can show the utilization of project team members used in your program?

- A. Resource network diagram
- B. Resource breakdown structure
- C. Resource histogram
- D. Pareto chart

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 7

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following is not a template element that is designed to make the project more effective?

- A. Description of the work packages
- B. Required resources and skills
- C. Required actions to complete the project scope
- D. Contract file

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 8

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your current program, which has just started, has eight projects and many of the projects share resources such as equipment and people. Management has asked that you identify when the project resources will be utilized on each project within your program. They are worried some resources may be idle or overscheduled. What approach can you use to consider the availability of resources when the project managers begin sequencing their project activities?

- A. The project managers will use the critical path method for scheduling activities.
- B. The project managers will use PERT to schedule all activities.
- C. The project managers will use the critical chain method for scheduling activities.
- D. The project managers will create Gantt charts to schedule all activities.

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 9

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the JNH Program. Tom, a project manager in your program, has just completed his project and is ready to officially close his project. You agree that Tom's project is completed. What role do you play in Tom's project closure?

- A. You must ensure that the project sponsor closes the project.
- B. You must ensure that that the projects within the program have been closed at the project level.
- C. You must close the project before operations closes the project.
- D. You must ensure that the program management team closes the project for the project manager.

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 10

- (Topic 1)

You are the project manager for your organization. Your project team has finished the second phase of a seven-phase project. At the end of each phase, management must review the work your project team has completed and determine if the project should be allowed to continue. What name describes this type of end-of-phase review management is completing on your project?

- A. Quality control
- B. Kill point
- C. Phase review
- D. Audit

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 10

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Management has asked you to create a document that will capture the stakeholders concerns, perceived threats, and specific objectives about the program and its projects. What document is management asking you to create in this instance?

- A. Requirements document
- B. Project charter
- C. Business case
- D. Scope statement

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 13

- (Topic 1)

Part of your job as the program manager is to coach the project managers on their duties and goals. One of the project managers, Holly, is having trouble discerning the difference between quality assurance and quality control. She understands that she needs both to help you reach the program goals. Which statement best describes quality assurance for a project within your program?

- A. Quality assurance is an inspection-driven process to keep mistakes out of the project.
- B. Quality assurance is a prevention-driven process to keep mistakes out of the project.
- C. Quality assurance defines quality and sets goals for the project team.
- D. Quality assurance is an organization-wide process to do the work according the organizational goals and metrics.

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 18

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. You're currently working with the program director, Nancy Holmes, to define a new program and the benefits the program should create. Of the following, which is the best definition of a benefit a program creates?

- A. A benefit is an outcome of the constituent projects within a program.
- B. A benefit is a project and program deliverables that the organization may use immediately.
- C. A benefit is a deliverable of a program or project that is worth more than the cost to create the deliverable.
- D. A benefit is an outcome of actions and behaviors that provides utility to stakeholders.

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 21

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the HNG Program. This program has a budget at completion of \$2,345,900 and is expected to last two years. The program is currently 30 percent complete and you have spent \$789,000. The program is supposed to be 35 percent complete but do to some delays you're slightly behind schedule. Based on this information, how many pennies is the program losing per dollar invested in the program work?

- A. 17
- B. 11
- C. 15
- D. 14

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 26

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following is responsible to sign off on the closure documents of a project?

- A. Project team members
- B. Project Manager
- C. End user
- D. Sponsor

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 31

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Management has asked that you determine when resources, such as leased equipment, are no longer needed so that you may release the resources to save time, money, and utilization of resources within your program. What program management process is management asking you to perform?

- A. Contract administration
- B. Resource management
- C. Resource control
- D. Procurement management

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 32

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization and you need to define all of the program resources you'll need for your program. All of the following can be considered a program resource except for which one?

- A. A forklift
- B. Materials for the installation of a new server
- C. A positive risk response
- D. Gary, an application developer

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 36

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization and are planning the roles and responsibilities in your program. You would like to create a RACI chart for the program work. What does RACI mean?

- A. It is a roles and responsibilities chart that uses responsible, accountable, consult, and inform responsibilities as the chart legend.
- B. It is a roles and responsibilities chart that uses responsible, action, consult, and interest responsibilities as the chart legend.
- C. It is a roles and responsibilities chart that uses resource, action, contribute, inform responsibilities as the chart legend.
- D. It is a roles and responsibilities chart that uses responsible, accountable, contribute, and inform responsibilities as the chart legend.

**Answer: A**

#### NEW QUESTION 40

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. You have created a statement of work, request for proposal, and an invitation to a bidder's conference for 17 possible vendors. During the conference there were questions about your request for proposal and statement of work that led to clarifications. After the vendor

conference you should update what information to send back to the vendors?

- A. Request for bid documents
- B. Proposals
- C. Statement of work
- D. Program management plan

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 42

- (Topic 1)

Your company and a competing company have created a teaming agreement for an opportunity. Through this team agreement you and your competitor can complete a major program for a client. This is, technically, a risk response for both organizations. What type of risk response are you dealing with in this instance?

- A. Teaming
- B. Exploiting
- C. Accepting
- D. Sharing

**Answer: D**

#### NEW QUESTION 43

- (Topic 1)

Martha is sharing her experience of her last project as the project manager. She tells that when she presented customer a formal acceptance and sign-off document, they refused to sign, claiming that the product does not meet their expectation. Taking which of the following steps could have been prevented the situation? Each correct answer represents a complete solution. Choose all that apply.

- A. Performing quality inspections regularly
- B. Archiving sign-off at important milestones
- C. Documenting the requirements
- D. Completing the project behind the schedule

**Answer: ABC**

#### NEW QUESTION 46

- (Topic 1)

Joan is the program manager for her organization. Management has asked her to create a centralized reporting system to capture information on program work, risks, changes, benefits management, and other aspects of the program. What solution can Joan implement to capture, communicate, and record the information management wants?

- A. Program management information system
- B. Program management integrated change control
- C. Change control systems
- D. Program management plan execution

**Answer: A**

#### NEW QUESTION 50

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization and you're dealing with several issues about the materials used in the program. Right now, the issues have been assigned to issue owners for resolution in ten days. In the interim, what should you do with the issues?

- A. Nothing - the issue owners will manage all concerns with the issues.
- B. Record the issues in the issue register.
- C. Communicate the issue status with the program sponsor.
- D. Document the issues in the risk register.

**Answer: B**

#### NEW QUESTION 51

- (Topic 1)

Where are negative risks recorded?

- A. Negative risk register
- B. Risk management plan
- C. Risk register
- D. Issues log

**Answer: C**

#### NEW QUESTION 56

- (Topic 1)

Harriet is the program manager of a large program that has a high profile and visibility in her organization. Some of the stakeholders are negative and Harriet needs to work with these stakeholders to address their fears, perceived threats, and concerns about the program. Which communication method is considered to be the best approach for this scenario?

- A. Face-to-face
- B. Many-to-many
- C. Ad hoc conversation
- D. One-to-many

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 61

- (Topic 1)

You are a program manager for your organization. You have proposed a program to the management that will last four years and will cost \$35 million to create. Management has asked to see the program charter and the proposed costs and benefits of the program. Management agrees to your program charter and proposed to fund the program in increments at the completion of each milestone. What type of funding does management proposed for this program?

- A. Tentative
- B. Step funding
- C. Milestone approval
- D. Phase gate estimating

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 62

- (Topic 1)

Eric is the project manager of the NQQ Project and has hired the ZAS Corporation to complete part of the project work for Eric's organization. Due to a change request the ZAS Corporation is no longer needed on the project even though they have completed nearly all of the project work. Is Eric's organization liable to pay the ZAS Corporation for the work they have completed so far on the project?

- A. It depends on what the outcome of a lawsuit will determine.
- B. No, the ZAS Corporation did not complete all of the work.
- C. It depends on what the termination clause of the contract stipulates.
- D. Yes, the ZAS Corporation did not choose to terminate the contract work.

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 67

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. You and your program team have been creating and transferring the program benefits to operations as feasible in your program execution. The process of delivering the program's benefits describes what process in program management?

- A. Quality control
- B. Benefits management
- C. Direct and manage program execution
- D. Quality assurance

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 71

- (Topic 1)

What is the formula to determine earned value (EV) for a program?

- A. Percent complete times percent remaining in the program
- B. Percent completes time the program cost estimate
- C. Percent complete times the program budget at completion
- D. Percent complete times the program cost of labor and materials

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 76

- (Topic 1)

Part of program management is to identify what motivates your program team members. If you subscribe to Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs which need is at the top of the hierarchy?

- A. Physiological
- B. Safety
- C. Self actualization
- D. Esteem

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 77

- (Topic 1)

Terri is the program manager for her organization and she's working with Alice, a project manager in her program. Alice calls Terri and insists that she add a change to program scope. Terri agrees that the change should be entertained. What must Alice do to move forward with her change request?

- A. Add the change to the program scope herself, as she is a project manager
- B. Add the change request to the scope and complete integrated change control

- C. Document the change request in a change request form.
- D. Create a change request charter justifying the change request

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 80**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program has a budget of \$750,000 and is expected to last one year. The program is currently 30 percent complete and has spent \$245,000. The program is supposed to be 40 percent at this time. What is the schedule performance index (SPI) for this program?

- A. Negative ten percent
- B. .75
- C. \$300,000
- D. \$225,000

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 82**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program team has 43 people that all need to be monitored and controlled. You would like to create a standardized report that you can use to monitor, control, and record the performance of each staff member in your program. What type of report can you create that will help you track your staff and their performance?

- A. Performance reports
- B. Staff variance reports
- C. Exceptions report
- D. Lessons learned

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 86**

- (Topic 1)

Which one of the following is NOT a component of the risk monitoring and controlling process?

- A. Executing risk response plans
- B. Completing quantitative risk analysis
- C. Tracking identified risks
- D. Determining if new risks have developed

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 88**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Management is considering a new program but they are worried about the program risks that may affect the program success. You know that there are three positive risks responses and three negative risk responses that each risk can have. Management asks you which risk response would be most appropriate for a large risk event if they wanted to hire a third-party to own the risk event for the program. What risk event is most appropriate?

- A. Transference
- B. Mitigation
- C. Avoidance
- D. Sharing

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 92**

- (Topic 1)

Andy is the program manager of the HQN Program. This program is nearing its completion and there is still \$25,000 left in the program budget. Andy has asked the program team to identify some extra deliverables that can be included in the program scope to improve the program deliverable but also to use all of the funds in the budget. What term is assigned to the actions that Andy is trying to do in this instance?

- A. Value-added change requests
- B. Zero based budgeting
- C. Integrated change control
- D. Gold plating

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 96**

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following documents provides the mandate to execute the program within a certain timeline and also presents milestones for the delivery of products or incremental benefits?

- A. Program architecture baseline
- B. Program risk register
- C. Program WBS

D. Program charter

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 97**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the NHQ Program. You are working with your program team to ensure that the work in the program is done accurately and according to scope. You are also reviewing the team inspection process that will need to be done to ensure that the work is being done according to the scope. If the work is found to be defective it will need to be corrected before the program customers can inspect the work. What process are you completing to ensure that the work is done accordingly to scope?

- A. Quality control
- B. Scope verification
- C. Quality assurance
- D. Planning

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 100**

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following documents sets the project objectives?

- A. Project charter
- B. Project schedule
- C. Project scope statement
- D. Project organization chart

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 105**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program is about to be initiated and management is asking you for a document that will define all of the required resources, skills, and competencies you'll need in your program. What document defines the skills and competencies for a program?

- A. Staffing management plan
- B. Staffing pool description
- C. Program resources requirements plan
- D. Human resources management plan

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 107**

- (Topic 1)

Your program has 121 stakeholders that you'll need to communicate with. Your communications management plan defines how the communication should happen, what should be communicated, and the expected modality of the communications. You'll also need which one of the following as an input to the information distribution process in your program?

- A. Change requests
- B. Earned value management results
- C. Stakeholder analysis plan
- D. Performance reports

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 111**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the YGH Program. A vendor has recently completed his contracted work for your program. You agree that the vendor has completed the procured work so what document should you and the vendors now sign?

- A. Certificate of completion
- B. Proposal agreement
- C. Invoice
- D. Contract

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 114**

- (Topic 1)

What should a program manager do when a scope change has been approved that will drastically affect the program costs assuming that the costs will be added to the program budget?

- A. Adjust the cost baseline
- B. Communicate cost of the change to all stakeholders
- C. Adjust the quality baseline
- D. Communicate the change to all stakeholders

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 119**

- (Topic 1)

Your program has a budget at completion of \$1,550,000 and is expected to last one year.

Currently your program is 45 percent complete and has spent \$725,000. According to the program schedule you are actually to be fifty percent complete by this time, but due to some vendor delays your program is running just a bit late. Based on this information which is performing worse, the cost or schedule?

- A. The schedule is performing worse because the SPI is .90
- B. The cost is performing worse because the EAC is \$1,611,111.
- C. The schedule is performing worse because the SV is -\$27,500.
- D. The cost is performing worse because the CPI is .96.

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 122**

- (Topic 1)

Robert's program is slipping on its schedule and management has asked that Robert find a method to compress the duration of the program. What approach could Robert take that would not dramatically add risks to program if he added labor to the effort-driven activities within the program?

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

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 125**

- (Topic 1)

Donna is the project manager for her organization. She is preparing a plan to manage changes to the project should changes be requested. Her change management plan defines

the process for documenting, tracking, and determining if the changes should be approved or declined. What system is considered the parent of the change control system documented in Donna's plan?

- A. Quality Management System
- B. Change Control System
- C. Project Management Information System
- D. Integrated Change Control System

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 126**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your current program is to create a new recreational facility in your city. Franklin, the Chief Executive Officer, is concerned

about meeting all of the financial and schedule requirements of the proposed program. Martina, the mayor of your town, wants to make certain the program meets all safety requirements and building codes. Your supervisor, Mary Ann, is the Program Director, and she is concerned about the start date of your program.

Another stakeholder, Hal, is worried that your resources may be spread thin on the program as some of the resources are on multiple projects in your program. To whom will you report to in this program?

- A. Franklin
- B. Martina
- C. Hal
- D. Mary Ann

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 131**

- (Topic 1)

You are the project manager for your organization and are working with the project stakeholders and the business analyst to define all of the deliverables the project is to create. The stakeholders would like the option of adding more deliverables later in the project and keeping the requirements somewhat open for changes. You explain to the business analyst that you need a set of requirements that define exactly what needs to be delivered for the project. What document are you trying to create in this early stage of the project?

- A. Requirements technical documentation
- B. Project scope statement
- C. Project charter
- D. Detail design document

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 133**

- (Topic 1)

Kelly's program is slipping on its schedule. Management is worried that the program will be late and this will cost the organization several thousand dollars in fines and penalties. They've asked Kelly to use a schedule duration compression technique that will help the program finish on time. The technique that Kelly can use, however, should not add costs to the program. What duration compression technique should Kelly use in this instance?

- A. Crash the program
- B. Add lead time to the program
- C. Trim the program scope
- D. Fast track the program

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 135**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization that utilizes vendors from several different organizations. A vendor has submitted an invoice for the work they have completed in your program. You have reviewed the work results and agree with the vendor that their contractual obligation is complete. What should you do next in regard to the vendor's invoice?

- A. Approve the payment request
- B. Finalize the performance report
- C. Examine the contract
- D. Complete a financial audit of the work

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 139**

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. You have created a program that will create things for the organization throughout the program not only at program closure. All of the following are elements that you may transfer to the organization throughout the program's life cycle except for which one?

- A. Benefits
- B. Risk management outcomes
- C. Program personnel
- D. Outputs from team development

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 143**

- (Topic 2)

A risk response in a project in your program has actually caused new risks. What term is assigned to the new risks that a risk response has created?

- A. Reactionary risks
- B. Chain risks
- C. Secondary risks
- D. In flux risks

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 144**

- (Topic 2)

Part of program management is to understand how the communication model works in a program. The program manager must be able to effectively communicate with the program team and stakeholders. What component of the communication model is responsible for carrying the message?

- A. Medium
- B. Sender
- C. Decoder
- D. Encoder

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 145**

- (Topic 2)

A team member has made a mistake during the installation of a fixture in your program. You have requested that the team member should correct the problem so that the fixture is installed properly. Once the team members has corrected the problem what action should be taken next?

- A. Defect repair validation
- B. Lesson learned documentation
- C. Corrective actions
- D. Preventive actions

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 146**

- (Topic 2)

What is the primary purpose of a project kick-off meeting?

- A. To establish why the project has been initiated.
- B. To establish the direction and purpose of the project management plan.
- C. To establish the roles and responsibilities of the stakeholders.
- D. To establish who the project manager and project sponsor are for the project.

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 148**

- (Topic 2)

An organization is considering a new program. The business analyst believes that the benefits to the organization would equate to \$1,550,000 in five years. If the rate of return for this program is six percent what is the maximum amount the organization should invest in this program?

- A. \$1,158,250
- B. It depends on the internal decision making process.
- C. \$2,074,249
- D. \$1,550,000

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 152**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and are coaching Bonnie, a project manager, who would like to be a program manager wants to know what a program is. Which one of the following statements best defines what a program is for Bonnie?

- A. A program is a collection of projects that work together to create one deliverable for the organization
- B. A program is a collection of projects managed to gain benefits for the organization; the organization could not realize the benefits of the project if they were managed independently.
- C. A program is a uniform set of goals that are too large to be managed as one independent project so the project is subdivided into multiple objectives led by multiple project managers and orchestrated by one program manager.
- D. A program is a large collection of projects lead by a single project manager.

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 157**

- (Topic 2)

At what point in the project is the risk of failing to achieve the project objectives the greatest?

- A. During project planning
- B. During the project execution
- C. At the project start
- D. At the end of the project

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 158**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and are coaching your project managers on the program's schedule. Alice wants to know what the schedule control process creates. All of the following are outputs of the schedule control process except for which one?

- A. Stakeholder communication information
- B. Schedule variances
- C. Program schedule updates
- D. Change requests

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 159**

- (Topic 2)

Gary is program manager for his organization. His current program is over budget and is slipping on the program schedule. Management has demanded a change to the program scope. What is the most likely type of change management would make to this program scope?

- A. A change to add additional funds to the program scope
- B. A change to reduce the program scope
- C. Anything that management demands
- D. A change to add additional time to the program schedule

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 162**

- (Topic 2)

What quality control chart compares two or more variables over time to determine how closely the variables may be related to one another?

- A. Run chart
- B. Scatter diagram
- C. Control chart
- D. Pareto diagram

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 165**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your project. You are working with the project managers regarding the procurement processes for their projects. You have ruled out one particular contract type because it is considered too risky for the program. Which one of the following contract types is usually considered to be the most dangerous for the buyer?

- A. Cost plus incentive fee
- B. Cost plus percentage of costs
- C. Time and materials
- D. Fixed fee

**Answer: B**

#### **NEW QUESTION 168**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager of the YHT Program. You have been working with a vendor in the program but have decided that the contract between your program and the vendor needs to be terminated. What two things must be documented if you wish to terminate a vendor's contract?

- A. Contract and the quality measurements for the vendor's work
- B. The scope verification document and the termination notice
- C. Contract and scope verification process documents
- D. Work that has been completed and uncompleted work

**Answer: D**

#### **NEW QUESTION 172**

- (Topic 2)

Ned is the program manager for his organization and he's considering some new materials for his program. He and his team have never worked with these materials before and he wants to ask the vendor for some additional information, a demon, and even some samples. What type of a document should Ned send to the vendor?

- A. RFI
- B. RFP
- C. RFQ
- D. IFB

**Answer: A**

#### **NEW QUESTION 173**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization. You have proposed a program that will cost \$750,000 and will last for four years. Management is concerned with the cost of the program in relation to the return your program will bring. If the rate of return is six percent what is the minimum value your project should return in four years based on the investment of the program?

- A. \$750,000
- B. \$795,000
- C. \$750,001
- D. \$946,857

**Answer: D**

#### **NEW QUESTION 178**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization. One of the projects within your program is to install 15,000 light fixtures throughout your organization's corporate campus. The new fixtures will save on electrical costs. Which one of the following choices is an ideal approach to quality assurance and the installation of the light fixtures for this project team?

- A. The cost and time of each installation should go down because of the learning curve.
- B. The project manager should work with the project team to understand how each fixture is to be installed.
- C. The project team members should develop their own system for installation of the fixtures.
- D. Use a checklist for the installation because it is repeatable work.

**Answer: D**

#### **NEW QUESTION 179**

- (Topic 2)

Which one of the following is the best definition of program quality?

- A. Satisfying the program scope, conforming to requirements, and ensuring a fitness for use.
- B. Working with the program team, project managers, and the project team members to ensure that the work is done accurately and correctly the first time.
- C. Creating the program scope statement exactly as the stakeholders have requested.
- D. Balancing the time, cost, and scope objectives of the project.

**Answer: A**

#### **NEW QUESTION 180**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and your team has reported on a new issue among your program stakeholders. You want to address this issue

as soon as possible, but it will need to be studied and reviewed. You recommend that Shirley, one of your program team members, study the issue and present a few solutions in a week's time. What else should you do with the issue?

- A. Determine the time and cost of researching the issue for resolution.
- B. Record the issue in the issue log.
- C. Document the issue in the lessons learned.
- D. Communicate with the stakeholders that you are addressing the issue.

**Answer: B**

#### **NEW QUESTION 182**

- (Topic 2)

Wan is the program manager for his organization. He has been hearing reports that some project team members are complaining about the number of hours they're required to work on the program's projects and that some scheduling of team assignments are conflicting with their regular operational duties. You investigate the problem and agree that many team members are being assigned too much work within a given time period. You decide to enforce resource leveling heuristics to thirty hours of project work per week maximum. What will likely happen to the program and projects?

- A. The schedule to complete the work will take longer.
- B. The cost of the program and project will increase.
- C. The risks of failure will increase.
- D. The morale of the project managers will decline.

**Answer: A**

#### **NEW QUESTION 185**

- (Topic 2)

There are five stages of team development. At which stage are there likely to be disagreements and struggle for roles in the program team?

- A. Adjourning
- B. Forming
- C. Confronting
- D. Storming

**Answer: D**

#### **NEW QUESTION 188**

- (Topic 2)

Hans is the program manager for his organization. His current project has seven constituent projects that each will create deliverables for the organization. Who is responsible for the project deliverables in this scenario?

- A. Project managers
- B. Hans
- C. Program director
- D. Hans and each project manager

**Answer: A**

#### **NEW QUESTION 193**

- (Topic 2)

Part of your job as the program manager is to coach the project managers on their duties and goals. One of the project managers, Holly, is having trouble discerning the difference between quality assurance and quality control. She understands that she needs both to help you reach the program goals. Which statement best describes quality control for a project within your program?

- A. Quality control is a management-driven effort to plan the work properly so the work is done according to plan.
- B. Quality control is an inspection-driven process to keep mistakes out of the customers' hands.
- C. Quality control is a management-driven policy to do the work correctly the first time.
- D. Quality control is an inspection-driven process to prove the existence of the requirements.

**Answer: B**

#### **NEW QUESTION 197**

- (Topic 2)

Mary Anne is the program manager for her organization. In her program there are six projects. One of the projects in her program has been performing well. It is on schedule and has no cost or schedule variances. Mary Anne has decided, however, that her program needs to be terminated. Which one of the following is a likely reason why the project should be terminated?

- A. The program scope has changed.
- B. The scope is not being met as planned due to scope creep.
- C. The project resources are not completing their project tasks as assigned.
- D. The project scope has changed from the original intent of the project

**Answer: A**

#### **NEW QUESTION 201**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and are reviewing several proposed change requests for your program. Mary, a stakeholder, who has made a

change request is asking why it is taking you so long to review the change. You tell her that you must perform integrated change control to review each change request. What is integrated change control?

- A. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's knowledge areas.
- B. It is the review of the impact of the change on the time, cost, scope, and quality baselines.
- C. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's triple constraints.
- D. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's Iron Triangle.

**Answer: A**

#### **NEW QUESTION 206**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for the GHT Program for your company. This program has a budget at completion of \$789,000 and is currently 40 percent complete, though it was scheduled to be 50 percent at this time. Your program has spent \$325,000 of the budget to date. Based on this information, how many pennies is your program losing per dollar spent on the work?

- A. 11
- B. 20
- C. 3
- D. 1

**Answer: C**

#### **NEW QUESTION 210**

- (Topic 2)

You are the project manager of a construction project. You have to close a phase of the project. Which is the only technique (or tool) available in the Close Project or Phase process?

- A. Change control meetings
- B. Project management information system
- C. Expert judgment
- D. Observations

**Answer: C**

#### **NEW QUESTION 213**

- (Topic 2)

In your program you must adhere to Six Sigma as part of your organization's enterprise environmental factors. There is terminology, reports, and measurements that you are expected to use as part of your program. Six Sigma is an example of what program management process?

- A. Quality control
- B. Process improvement
- C. Scope verification
- D. Quality assurance

**Answer: D**

#### **NEW QUESTION 218**

- (Topic 2)

Holly is the program manager for her program. She is creating with her team a plan that will address how the program team will achieve program goals based on who the program will need to interact with in the program. This plan should define all of the people, groups, and other entities the program needs to interact with in order to move the program forward. On what plan is Holly working?

- A. Stakeholder management plan
- B. Communications management plan
- C. Human resource management plan
- D. Interface management plan

**Answer: D**

#### **NEW QUESTION 220**

CORRECT TEXT - (Topic 2)

What schedule analysis simulation tool allows you, the project manager, to review possible combinations of events such as optimistic, most likely and pessimistic outcomes for your project?

- A. pert
- B. gert
- C. pmis
- D. Monte Carlo

**Answer: D**

#### **NEW QUESTION 221**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and are working with Tracy, one of the project managers in your program. Tracy is having some trouble understanding the concept of the critical path in her project's network diagram. Which one of the following is the best definition of the critical path?

- A. It is the path that carries the most risk of project failure.
- B. It is the path that reveals the earliest date the project can finish.
- C. It is the path with the most important activities in the project.
- D. It is the duration of all the project activities if the labor is summed.

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 226**

- (Topic 2)

You are hosting a meeting with all of the vendors that have received a copy of your statement of work. In this meeting, you'll be discussing the statement of work, clarifying the details, and answering any questions nos the vendors may have about the project. What is this meeting called?

- A. Sales meeting
- B. Select sellers process
- C. Bidder conference
- D. Negotiations

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 227**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and you're coaching Tom, an aspiring program manager, on program management. Tom is curious about controlling communications. Which one of the following is an output of the communications control process?

- A. Approved change requests
- B. Communications management plan
- C. Stakeholder analysis charts
- D. Performance reports

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 229**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager of the BHG Program. One of the projects in your program will be using new materials that are somewhat untested. You are worried that there may be delays and waste because the project team is unaware of how to accurately use these materials. You elect to send the people that will be using the new materials through training on how to complete their project work. You also allow them to purchase some of the materials to experiment on their use before the actual project work is to be done. You want to ensure that mistakes don't enter the project. What type of action have you provided in this scenario?

- A. This is an example of a corrective action.
- B. This is an example of quality assurance.
- C. This is an example of a preventive action.
- D. This is an example of team development.

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 232**

- (Topic 2)

Gary is the program manager for his organization. His current program has 432 stakeholders, some of which are external to his organization. He would like to create a chart that identifies each stakeholder's opinion of the program, influence over program decisions, their requirements and affect on program priorities, and other information. What kind of chart should Gary create in this instance?

- A. Resource breakdown structure
- B. Resource management chart
- C. Stakeholder analysis chart
- D. RACI chart

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 235**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for a construction program. In this program you are requiring that all workers adhere to the identified safety requirements. Some of the work in the program you've decided is too risky for the program team members so you've hired specialists to manage the dangerous work. The outsourcing of the dangerous work to a specialist is what type of risk response?

- A. Avoidance
- B. Mitigation
- C. Transference
- D. Enhancing

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 236**

- (Topic 2)

Which one of the following is not an output of the direct and manage program execution process?

- A. Results of program work
- B. Program budget

- C. Change requests
- D. Request to terminate the program

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 237**

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for a large program in your matrix organization. You need to define when the resources in your program will be brought into the program and then released from the program so that the project managers, operational managers, and your program team can plan accordingly. What program management plan defines when resources are needed, how the resources will be obtained, and how the resources may be released from the program?

- A. Procurement management plan
- B. Resource management plan
- C. Team management plan
- D. Schedule management plan

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 239**

- (Topic 2)

If a program has a budget of completion of \$550,000, is 25 percent complete, and has spent \$135,000 what is the cost variance (CV)?

- A. .99
- B. -\$2,500
- C. \$2,500
- D. 1.02

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 244**

- (Topic 2)

What is a stakeholder analysis chart?

- A. It is a matrix that identifies who must communicate with whom.
- B. It is a matrix that documents the stakeholders' requirements, when the requirements were created, and when the fulfillment of the requirements took place..
- C. It is a matrix that documents stakeholders' threats, perceived threats, and communication needs.
- D. It is a matrix that identifies all of the stakeholders and to whom they must report to.

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 249**

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following is not a phase of program life cycle?

- A. Program Initiation
- B. Program Closure
- C. Program Setup
- D. Program Planning
- E. Delivery of Program Benefits
- F. Pre-program Preparation

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 250**

- (Topic 3)

You are the project manager for the GGG Project and are about to close the project kick off meeting. All of the project team members and the key stakeholders are in attendance. What final item should you talk about before closing the meeting?

- A. Discuss the importance of the project scope.
- B. Thank everyone for attending.
- C. Discuss the action items and the importance of the items being completed as planned.
- D. Remind everyone that you're the project manager if they have QUESTION NOS.

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 254**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program is about to being initiated and management is asking you for a document that will define all of the required resources, skills, and competencies you'll need in your program. What document defines the skills and competencies for a program?

- A. Staffing management plan
- B. Staffing pool description
- C. Program resources requirements plan
- D. Human resources management plan

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 259**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for the JQN Program in your organization. There have been some delays in your schedule and you're about to perform some schedule control activities. Which one of the following will not help you as you perform schedule control?

- A. Change requests
- B. Forecasts
- C. Earned value management
- D. Performance reports

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 264**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following statements are true regarding program scope statement?

- A. It defines all the work and only the required work for the program.
- B. It formally authorizes the program.
- C. It sets authorities and limits for the program manager and team.
- D. It represents a common understanding of the program for the purpose of facilitating communication among the stakeholders.

**Answer: ACD**

**NEW QUESTION 265**

- (Topic 3)

What document should you provide to the vendors if you're only interested for a set fee for their materials?

- A. IFB
- B. RFP
- C. RFI
- D. SOW

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 268**

- (Topic 3)

A new program is being initiated for the HNQ Organization. The program manager is working with the business analyst and management to define several attributes of the program. All of the following are identified during program initiation except for which one?

- A. Program benefits
- B. Program risk
- C. Program scope
- D. Link to organizational strategy

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 269**

- (Topic 3)

You are a program manager for an environmental program. The program involves installation of windmill across the country. During execution of the project, a stakeholder raises a change request to add an additional module with the existing installation. The program governance board has approved the change request. Which of the following is true regarding this scenario?

- A. The new Program Master Schedule is created containing the approved changes.
- B. Separate project is made to ensure that the approved changes are included in the program.
- C. Project charter is upgraded to include the approved changes in the program.
- D. The Program Master Schedule is updated to reflect the changes.

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 274**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your current program has a budget at completion of \$3,450,000 and is expected to last two years. The program is currently 30 percent complete and has spent ten percent more than what it should have to arrive at this point in the program schedule. Based on this information, what is estimate at completion (EAC) for this program?

- A. \$2,656,500
- B. There is not enough information to know.
- C. \$3,795,000
- D. \$1,035,000

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 278**

- (Topic 3)

You are a program manager for a large construction program. You need to ensure that the projects in the program are in accordance with the schedule. You are tracking start and finish dates for them. Which of the following processes are you on?

- A. Monitor and Control Program Performance
- B. Monitor and Control Program Scope
- C. Report Program Performance
- D. Monitor and Control Program Schedule

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 279**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following shows the ratio between a task's budgeted and actual costs?

- A. To-Complete Performance Index (TCPI)
- B. Schedule Variance (SV)
- C. Schedule Performance Index (SPI)
- D. Cost Performance Index (CPI)

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 283**

- (Topic 3)

There are 1,500 doors to be installed in Tom's program. Each of the 1,500 doors is required by the building code to swing into the room rather than swing out into the hallways. It has come to Tom's attention that part of the team installing the doors has installed nearly 200 doors to swing into the hallway rather than into the rooms. Tom instructs the team to fix the problem. What type of action has Tom taken in this instance?

- A. Scope control
- B. Defect repair validation
- C. Team development
- D. Defect repair

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 288**

- (Topic 3)

If a risk has a probability of 60 percent and an impact of -\$57,000 what will the expected monetary value of the risk event be?

- A. -\$34,200
- B. -\$57,000
- C. -9,500
- D. You will need to know the utility function of the organization to determine this.

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 293**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following risk response planning techniques is associated with threats and seeks to reduce the probability of occurrence, or impact of risk below an acceptable threshold?

- A. Risk avoidance
- B. Risk transference
- C. Risk mitigation
- D. Risk acceptance

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 298**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and are planning the roles and responsibilities in your program. You would like to create a RACI chart for the program work. What does RACI mean?

- A. It is a roles and responsibilities chart that uses responsible, action, consult, and interest responsibilities as the chart legend.
- B. It is a roles and responsibilities chart that uses resource, action, contribute, inform responsibilities as the chart legend.
- C. It is a roles and responsibilities chart that uses responsible, accountable, contribute, and inform responsibilities as the chart legend.
- D. It is a roles and responsibilities chart that uses responsible, accountable, consult, and inform responsibilities as the chart legend.

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 303**

- (Topic 3)

Which one of the following is not considered one of the three components of the Iron Triangle?

- A. Time
- B. Cost
- C. Scope
- D. Quality

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 308**

- (Topic 3)

Your program is to construct a new condo building in Chicago. You and the project managers are working together to define the project assumptions about the program. Which one of the following is an example of an assumption for this program?

- A. Deadlines for project milestones
- B. Building codes
- C. A predetermined program budget
- D. Weather

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 310**

- (Topic 3)

After program closure, the lessons learned document becomes the part of ?

- A. The risk register
- B. The company's organizational process assets
- C. The program's performance record
- D. The program charter

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 312**

- (Topic 3)

An organization is considering a new program. The program has a cost of \$1,950,000 and will last for three years. What is the minimum future value this organization should expect to receive from this program if it is initiated and the rate of return is six percent?

- A. \$2,322,481
- B. \$1,950,000
- C. \$1,950,001
- D. \$2,067,000

**Answer: A**

**NEW QUESTION 314**

- (Topic 3)

What percentage of communication is nonverbal?

- A. 45 percent
- B. 55 percent
- C. 50 percent
- D. 90 percent

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 315**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and are working with your team to identify stakeholders in the program. Where should the identified stakeholders and their information be recorded?

- A. Stakeholder matrix
- B. Communications management plan
- C. Requirements traceability matrix
- D. Stakeholder registry

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 319**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following can be used to help you or other project managers on future projects?

- A. Sponsor
- B. Charter
- C. Stakeholder
- D. Documentation

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 324**

- (Topic 3)

You work as a program manager for a large construction program. Your program includes constructing hotels across the country. You collect information on the status of the program. During comparison with the original plan you find the 200 hotels have been completed as against 275 hotels planned as of today. In which program process are you working on?

- A. Monitor and Control Program Scope

- B. Monitor and Control Project Performance
- C. Monitor and Control Program Schedule
- D. Manage Program Issues

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 326**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following statements are true regarding the Monitoring and Controlling Program Risks process? Each correct answer represents a complete solution. Choose all that apply.

- A. Risk Monitoring and Control is an ongoing process for the life of the program.
- B. Planned risk responses should be continuously monitored for new and changing risks.
- C. Monitoring reduces the impact of risk by identifying, analyzing, reporting, and managing risks on a continuous basis.
- D. It is the process of selecting the most suitable response to reduce the threats to the program objectives.

**Answer:** ABC

**NEW QUESTION 331**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and are about to execute your procurement management plan. You need to procure materials for your program and you want only the vendor to provide you with a price for the goods you need to procure. What type of a document should you provide to the vendor in this scenario?

- A. Statement of work
- B. Request for quote
- C. Proposal
- D. Program charter

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 336**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager of the NHQ Program. The program has reached its final deliverable and the certificate of completion has been created for the program. What else should you, the program manager, create at this time?

- A. Operational transfer plan
- B. Program closure reports
- C. Life cycle costing estimates
- D. Lessons learned documentation

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 341**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for the GHT Program for your company. This program has a budget at completion of \$789,000 and is currently 40 percent complete, though it was scheduled to be 50 percent at this time. Your program has spent \$325,000 of the budget to date. Based on this information, how many pennies is your program losing per dollar spent on the work?

- A. 20
- B. 3
- C. 1
- D. 11

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 345**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following is used to build consensus through rounds of anonymous surveys?

- A. The Pareto chart
- B. The Delphi technique
- C. The Monte Carlo simulation
- D. The Gantt chart

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 350**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and you're dealing with several issues about the materials used in the program. Right now, the issues have been assigned to issue owners for resolution in ten days. In the interim, what should you do with the issues?

- A. Record the issues in the issue register.
- B. Communicate the issue status with the program sponsor.
- C. Document the issues in the risk register.
- D. Nothing - the issue owners will manage all concerns with the issues.

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 353**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following tools/techniques keep program managers and executives informed of the program's progress?

- A. Component analysis
- B. Expert judgment
- C. Review meetings
- D. Capacity planning

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 357**

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for a new software development program. One of the developers has been adding extra fields for information in the software that was not part of the original program scope. While the fields are a good idea, the customer did not ask for the information and some time has been wasted on this work that was not in the program scope. This is an example of which one of the following terms?

- A. Preventive action
- B. Corrective action
- C. Gold plating
- D. Program scope change

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 361**

- (Topic 3)

You are a program manager for a large construction program. You need to ensure that the projects in the program are in accordance with the schedule. You are tracking start and finish dates for them. Which of the following processes are you on?

- A. Report Program Performance
- B. Monitor and Control Program Scope
- C. Monitor and Control Program Schedule
- D. Monitor and Control Program Performance

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 364**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following increases when one fast tracks the project?

- A. Resource
- B. Risk
- C. Cost
- D. Communication

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 366**

- (Topic 3)

Paul is the program manager for his company. He along with his team is working on the Monitor and Control Program Changes process. The process will need several inputs. Which one of the following items is NOT an input to the Monitor and Control Program Changes process in the program management?

- A. Change request log
- B. Approved change requests
- C. Change requests
- D. Program management plan

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 369**

- (Topic 3)

What does RACI stand for?

- A. Responsible, Account, Confirm, Inform
- B. Responsible, Accountable, Consult, Inform
- C. Roles, Accountable, Confirm, Inform
- D. Roles, Action, Consult, Inform

**Answer:** B

**NEW QUESTION 374**

- (Topic 3)

Who makes Go/No-Go decisions during phase gate reviews?

- A. Program Governance board
- B. Program Manager
- C. Board of Project Managers
- D. Stakeholders

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 376

- (Topic 3)

Robert is the program manager for his organization which operates in a matrix structure.

Resources in Robert's program will be utilized on several projects in and out of his program. He wants to be certain that all of the resources will be planned accordingly and that the project managers communicate with one another about when the resources will be needed and utilized in the projects. What plan should Robert create along with the project managers to ensure that the resources are scheduled and managed effectively?

- A. Schedule management plan
- B. Resource management plan
- C. Program management calendar
- D. Resource calendar

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 378

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager of HYH Program for your organization. Your program is to create a new sports arena for your city within 12 months. Your program has seven projects and you've worked with all of the project managers before. Even though you've worked with the project managers before you still need to define the authority of the project managers and their projects. What document names the project manager for the project?

- A. Program human resource management plan
- B. Project charter for each project
- C. Program management charter
- D. Project scope statement

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 382

- (Topic 3)

All of the following are benefits of a program except for which one?

- A. Projects can operate independently of one another.
- B. Resource management in a program allows resources to be shared across all projects in the program.
- C. The program manager can use the same approach in stakeholder management for all projects in the program.
- D. All projects follow the policies of the program and organization.

**Answer:** A

#### NEW QUESTION 386

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and you are dealing with your program stakeholders. You are explaining to them, along with your program team, how certain activities in the program may cause delays in the schedule if the associated risk events come into play. The cost of impact of the risk events are minimal, but the schedule impacts could be bigger. The stakeholders are concerned about delaying the schedule beyond a given due date for the program. They would like you to determine if it is possible to add more labor, use a higher grade of material, or hire some consultants to ensure the risks do not occur in the program. They are not much concerned about the cost of the solution as long as the solution or identified risks do not delay the program completion. What type of risk response are your program stakeholders recommending in this situation?

- A. Avoidance
- B. Mitigation
- C. Transference
- D. Workaround

**Answer:** B

#### NEW QUESTION 387

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following represents the duration of activities against a calendar?

- A. Pie chart
- B. Scatter chart
- C. Gantt chart
- D. Pareto chart

**Answer:** C

#### NEW QUESTION 389

- (Topic 3)

Communication is large percentage of program execution as the program manager must communicate with the appropriate stakeholders. In larger programs face-

to-face communication is not always possible. When emails are used what verbal aspect of communication is lost?

- A. Barriers
- B. Noise
- C. Nonverbal
- D. Paralingual

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 392**

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following can be an effective tool during quality control to help determine the how the problem occurred?

- A. Rework
- B. Flowcharting
- C. Trend Analysis
- D. Pareto Diagram

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 397**

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization. Management has asked you to create a document that will capture the stakeholders concerns, perceived threats, and specific objectives about the program and its projects. What document is management asking you to create in this instance?

- A. Business case
- B. Scope statement
- C. Requirements document
- D. Project charter

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 398**

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program has a budget of \$750,000 and is expected to last one year. The program is currently 30 percent complete and has spent \$245,000. The program is supposed to be 40 percent at this time. What is the cost performance index for this program?

- A. .83
- B. -\$20,000
- C. .91
- D. Negative ten percent

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 400**

- (Topic 4)

Kelly's program is slipping on its schedule. Management is worried that the program will be late and this will cost the organization several thousand dollars in fines and penalties. They've asked Kelly to use a schedule duration compression technique that will help the program finish on time. The technique that Kelly can use, however, should not add costs to the program. What duration compression technique should Kelly use in this instance?

- A. Crash the program
- B. Add lead time to the program
- C. Trim the program scope
- D. Fast track the program

**Answer: D**

**NEW QUESTION 402**

- (Topic 4)

Which of the following individual should respond to the risk with the preplanned risk response?

- A. Key stakeholder
- B. Project manager
- C. Risk owner
- D. Project sponsor

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 406**

- (Topic 4)

An organization supports both programs and projects for various industries. What is a portfolio?

- A. A portfolio describes the organization of related projects, programs, and operations.
- B. A portfolio is the total amount of funds that have been invested in programs, projects, and operations.
- C. A portfolio describes all of the monies that are invested in the organization.
- D. A portfolio describes any project or program within one industry or application area.

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 411**

CORRECT TEXT - (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization and you are trying to determine the possible outcomes of a risk event. You're analyzing the risk event's worst case scenario, most likely scenario, and optimistic scenario to simulate the possible affects of the risk on the program's cost, time, and scope ramifications. What simulation technique are you using in this situation?

- A. Decision tree analysis
- B. Force field analysis
- C. Monte Carlo simulation
- D. Sensitivity analysis

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 413**

- (Topic 4)

Which project management meeting allows stakeholders to meet one another and to learn about the project?

- A. Project kick-off meeting
- B. Project authorization meeting
- C. Project status meeting
- D. Project scope review

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 414**

- (Topic 4)

As a Program Manager, you decide to take the team on an outing where they can work together through challenges, learn teamwork, and get to know one another. This is an example of what process?

- A. Storming
- B. Forming
- C. Team development
- D. Cost of quality

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 415**

- (Topic 4)

You work as a program manager for a large construction program. Your program includes constructing hotels across the country. You collect information on the status of the program. During comparison with the original plan you find the 200 hotels have been completed as against 275 hotels planned as of today. In which program process are you working on?

- A. Monitor and Control Program Scope
- B. Monitor and Control Program Schedule
- C. Monitor and Control Project Performance
- D. Manage Program Issues

**Answer:** C

**NEW QUESTION 420**

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization and are reviewing several proposed change requests for your program. Mary, a stakeholder, who has made a change request is asking why it is taking you so long to review the change. You tell her that you must perform integrated change control to review each change request. What is integrated change control?

- A. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's triple constraints.
- B. It is the review of the impact of the change on the time, cost, scope, and quality baselines.
- C. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's Iron Triangle.
- D. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's knowledge areas.

**Answer:** D

**NEW QUESTION 423**

- (Topic 4)

Which of the following terms is used for a schedule compression technique where two activities that were previously scheduled to start sequentially start at the same time?

- A. Fast tracking
- B. Compressing
- C. Float
- D. Crashing

**Answer:** A

**NEW QUESTION 424**

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager of the BHG Program. One of the projects in your program will be using new materials that are somewhat untested. You are worried that there may be delays and waste because the project team is unaware of how to accurately use these materials. You elect to send the people that will be using the new materials through training on how to complete their project work. You also allow them to purchase some of the materials to experiment on their use before the actual project work is to be done. You want to ensure that mistakes do not enter into the project. What type of action have you provided in this scenario?

- A. This is an example of quality assurance.
- B. This is an example of a corrective action.
- C. This is an example of a preventive action.
- D. This is an example of team development.

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 428**

- (Topic 4)

Gary is the program manager for his organization. His current program has 432 stakeholders, some of which are external to his organization. He would like to create a chart that identifies each stakeholder's opinion of the program, influence over program decisions, their requirements and affect on program priorities, and other information. What kind of chart should Gary create in this instance?

- A. Resource management chart
- B. Stakeholder analysis chart
- C. RACI chart
- D. Resource breakdown structure

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 430**

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization and management has asked you to be certain to finalize the lessons learned documentation for your program. When will the lessons learned documentation be created?

- A. Lessons learned are created at each program deliverable.
- B. Lessons learned are created during the program closure.
- C. Lessons learned are created during the program archive.
- D. Lessons learned are in program execution.

**Answer: B**

**NEW QUESTION 433**

- (Topic 4)

As a program manager you must also understand the project management lifecycle and the project lifecycle. What is the difference between the two?

- A. The project management lifecycle and the project lifecycle are the same thing.
- B. The project management lifecycle is comprised of the phases initiating, planning, executing, monitoring and controlling, and closing.
- C. The project lifecycle is comprised of phases that are unique to the project work.
- D. The project management lifecycle is universal to all projects and the project lifecycle is unique to each project.
- E. The project management lifecycle is unique to each project while the project lifecycle is universal to all projects.

**Answer: C**

**NEW QUESTION 435**

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