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## Module 1 Review

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1. Which of these are desirable characteristics of a software design? **Choose the three correct answers.**

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☒ maintainability

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Code should be maintainable, which means the code can be modified or extended easily.

☒ flexible

✓ **Correct**

Correct! We strive to make code flexible, which is to say that it can be adapted for new requirements

☐ tight coupling

☒ reusability

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Software designers hate to repeat themselves. If code is reusable, then there is less overall coding to do.

2. Identify two outcomes of the design process. **Choose the two correct answers.**

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☒ technical design

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Technical design gets even closer to the actual implementation.

☐ design plan

☐ code implementation

☒ conceptual design

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Conceptual design covers the early part of design, where the problem is translated into a high-level solution.

3. You are writing out a CRC card for a bank machine component. Under which section should you put "Track Cash Remaining."

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☐ Risk

☐ Class

☐ Collaborator

☒ Responsibility

✓ **Correct**

Correct! One of the responsibilities of this bank machine is to track how much money it has left.

4. Which two of these are likely to be a part of conceptual design?

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☐ Methods

☒ Mockups

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Mockups help the designers decide on relationships between components.

☒ CRC Cards

✓ **Correct**

Correct! CRC cards are used to get a sense of the classes, components, etc. that your design may have.

☐ Abstract data types

5. When during the design process are you likely to produce CRC cards the most?

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☐ after releasing the software

☒ conceptual design

☐ technical design

☐ customer meetings

✓ **Correct**

Correct! CRC cards are most often created and used in conceptual design, especially when the team is almost ready to transition into technical design.

6. Which of the following are examples of non-functional requirements? **Choose the three correct answers.**

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☐ purpose

✓ ☒ availability

✓ **Correct**

Correct! That the functions of the system are available for use is as important as the functions themselves. Remember that the function is the system's reason for being.

✓ ☒ security

✓ **Correct**

Correct. The security of a system and how it protects data may be as important as its function. Remember that the function is the system's reason for being.

✓ ☒ performance

✓ **Correct**

Correct. The speed and responsiveness of a system is often as important as what its actual function is! Remember that the function is the system's reason for being.

7. Select the three categories of objects generally present in object-oriented software.

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☐ tool

✓ ☒ entity

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Entity objects are the backbone of the system, and often correspond to real life objects.

✓ ☒ boundary

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Boundary objects typically interface with another system.

✓ ☒ control

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Control objects manage the interactions of other objects.

8. An object which is responsible for showing data to the user could be considered which category of object?

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☐ control

☐ entity

☐ representation

✓ ☒ boundary

✓ **Correct**

Correct! This object interacts with another "system" (the user), so it is considered a boundary object.

9. You are planning a Professor class as part of your software design. Which of these will you consider a collaborator? **Choose the two correct answers.**

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☐ Teach Course

✓ ☒ Course

✓ **Correct**

Correct! Typically the Professor will have to teach a course, so a course object is likely to be a collaborator.

☐ Track Employment Status

✓ ☒ Student

✓ **Correct**

Correct! The student and professor classes will likely be collaborators.

10. What is a requirement of this form called? "As a \_\_\_\_, I want to \_\_\_\_, so that \_\_\_\_".

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☐ conceptual mockup

☐ entity abstraction

☐ key concept

✓ ☒ user story

✓ **Correct**

Correct! User stories help you to identify the functional requirements of the system.

11. You are a programmer creating software for a bank machine system. Which section of a CRC card for the bank machine component will the "User" go into?

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- ☐ Object
- ☐ Class
- ☒ Collaborator
- ☐ Responsibility

✓ Correct

Correct! Users collaborate with the bank machine component.

12. During conceptual design, you will talk about... (Choose the three correct answers):

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☒ mockups

✓ Correct

Correct. Mockups are important for customer communication and to start to think about the architecture.

☐ technical diagrams

☒ tradeoffs

✓ Correct

Correct. Every design decision involves trade-offs, even in the early stages of design.

☒ requirements

✓ Correct

Correct! Customer requirements of what the system should be and do are the start for all discussions of the design.