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1. Which of the following is the most necessary set of skills and knowledge for a data engineer?

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- ☒ Client service skills
- ☐ Communication and presentation skills
- ☐ Higher mathematics such as calculus
- ☐ Domain-specific knowledge

✗ Incorrect
Incorrect. Please refer to the Understanding the Role of a Data Engineer video.

2. What is a characteristic function that data scientists do?

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- ☐ Model data and design data pipelines
- ☒ Mine data and translate it into actionable insights.
- ☐ Build machine learning models.
- ☐ Make business decisions based on data and other factors.

✗ Incorrect
Incorrect. Please refer to the Understanding the Role of a Data Engineer video.

3. What kind of growth is predicted in the data engineering field?

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- ☒ Very high growth
- ☐ Minimal, but steady
- ☐ High, but only in the United States
- ☐ About 80%

✓ Correct
Correct. Some sources have predicted 50% year-over-year increase.

4. In what field(s) do data scientists commonly work?

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- ☐ Technology
- ☐ Academia
- ☐ Many different fields
- ☒ Mathematics and statistics

✗ Incorrect
Incorrect. Please refer to the Opportunities in Data Engineering video.

5. What is a good source of portfolio content?

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- ☐ Examples found online
- ☐ Work for previous employers covered by an NDA
- ☐ Unfinished projects

☐ Omitted projects

☒ Freelance work

✓ Correct

Correct. Many people work as freelancers to gain experience, and if you have permission, you can include freelance work as part of your portfolio.

6. What is a good way to decide which skills to highlight in your portfolio?

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☐ Asking friends

☐ Using a template

☒ Reading job listings

☐ Including everything you've worked on

✓ Correct

Correct. To build a portfolio for the job you want, start by understanding which skills you will need to demonstrate by studying current job listings.

7. If you decide to build a new project to include in your portfolio, what is good advice?

1 / 1 point

☒ Use GitHub to host your projects.

☐ Real-world data sets are messy – it's best to avoid them for good results.

☐ Use whatever ideas come to mind since almost anything you work on will be interesting.

☐ Don't visit data science communities; you don't want to accidentally plagiarize an idea.

✓ Correct

Correct. GitHub is accessible and familiar to most professionals in technical fields.

8. Should you include hobbies and interests on your resume?

1 / 1 point

☐ Some are okay – it helps potential employers know you better.

☐ Always, to provide a more well-rounded view of a potential candidate.

☒ Only if you have limited experience or skills relevant to the job.

☐ No, never.

✓ Correct

Correct. Hobbies can help flesh out your skills if they are not strong but can be distracting if they're unrelated to the job.

9. What is usually the largest part of your resume?

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☒ Work experience

☐ Contact information

☐ Skill summary

☐ Education

✓ Correct

Correct. The work experience section is usually the largest part of your resume.

10. What is a good way to make your resume work well with search engine optimization (SEO) and applicant tracking system (ATS) software?

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☐ Add alt-text to every image, photo, and graphic you use.

☒ Use very specialized vocabulary and jargon.

☐ Use and repeat as many keywords as possible.

☐ Add large image files.



Incorrect

Incorrect. Please refer to the Draft Your Resume video.