1. What is the default interaction behavior in Power BI when selecting a data point on a visual?

- a) Filter
- b) Highlight
- c) Drill-through
- d) Cross-highlight

Answer: d) Cross-highlight

Explanation: By default, Power BI performs **cross-highlighting**, where the selected data point emphasizes the corresponding data in related visuals while maintaining the full dataset view.

2. What is the primary purpose of slicers in Power BI?

- a) To filter data directly on a visual.
- b) To create calculated columns.
- c) To establish relationships between tables.
- d) To improve query performance.

Answer: a) To filter data directly on a visual.

Explanation: Slicers are interactive elements that allow users to filter data on visuals dynamically.

3. Which visual is best suited for comparing the proportion of categories in a dataset?

- a) Line chart
- b) Bar chart
- c) Pie chart
- d) Scatter plot

Answer: c) Pie chart

Explanation: Pie charts are designed to display proportions of categories as parts of a whole.

4. What is the role of bookmarks in Power BI?

- a) To save filter settings and visual states.
- b) To create relationships between tables.

- c) To export reports to PDF.
- d) To connect to external data sources.

Answer: a) To save filter settings and visual states.

Explanation: Bookmarks allow users to save specific views, including applied filters and the state of visuals, for later use.

5. Which feature allows users to drill down into hierarchical data in Power BI visuals?

- a) Focus mode
- b) Drill-through
- c) Expand/Drill-down buttons
- d) Filters pane

Answer: c) Expand/Drill-down buttons

Explanation: Drill-down buttons let users navigate hierarchical data levels, such as Year \rightarrow Quarter \rightarrow Month.

6. What is the purpose of tooltips in Power BI?

- a) To export data from visuals.
- b) To display additional information when hovering over a visual.
- c) To apply conditional formatting.
- d) To sort data in visuals.

Answer: b) To display additional information when hovering over a visual.

Explanation: Tooltips show extra context or data when the user hovers over a data point.

7. What type of chart is most effective for showing trends over time?

- a) Bar chart
- b) Line chart
- c) Pie chart
- d) Treemap

Answer: b) Line chart

Explanation: Line charts are ideal for visualizing trends across a timeline, such as sales growth over months.

8. In Power BI, how can you format data points conditionally?

- a) By using the Formatting Pane.
- b) By enabling Conditional Formatting in the field's properties.
- c) By applying filters to the visual.
- d) By using slicers.

Answer: b) By enabling Conditional Formatting in the field's properties.

Explanation: Conditional Formatting allows customization of visual elements based on field values or rules.

9. What is the purpose of the Q&A visual in Power BI?

- a) To allow natural language queries.
- b) To automate report creation.
- c) To create relationships dynamically.
- d) To export dashboards.

Answer: a) To allow natural language queries.

Explanation: The Q&A visual enables users to type questions in natural language to generate visuals automatically.

10. Which type of filter affects all visuals on a report page by default?

- a) Visual-level filter
- b) Page-level filter
- c) Report-level filter
- d) Slicer

Answer: b) Page-level filter

Explanation: Page-level filters are applied to all visuals on the specific report page.

11. What does the decomposition tree visual allow users to do?

- a) Drill down into data hierarchies.
- b) Compare data trends.
- c) Display proportions of categories.
- d) Analyze performance over time.

Answer: a) Drill down into data hierarchies.

Explanation: The decomposition tree allows dynamic exploration of data hierarchies to identify contributing factors.

**12. What is the function of sync slicers in Power BI?

- a) To create synchronized animations.
- b) To apply slicer selections across multiple pages.
- c) To enable advanced data modeling.
- d) To improve report performance.

Answer: b) To apply slicer selections across multiple pages.

Explanation: Sync slicers ensure consistent filtering across different report pages.

13. Which visual is best for showing correlations between two numerical variables?

a) Bar chart

b) Scatter plot

c) Line chart

d) Funnel chart

Answer: b) Scatter plot

Explanation: Scatter plots display the relationship or correlation between two numeric fields.

14. What does enabling "drill-through" allow users to do in Power BI?

- a) Create interactive tooltips.
- b) Navigate to a detailed page based on a specific data point.
- c) Generate calculated measures.
- d) Apply row-level security.

Answer: b) Navigate to a detailed page based on a specific data point.

Explanation: Drill-through allows users to focus on detailed data for a selected category by navigating to another page.

15. What is the purpose of KPI visuals in Power BI?

- a) To track and display progress toward a measurable goal.
- b) To compare multiple categories.
- c) To show correlations between datasets.
- d) To summarize data with hierarchies.

Answer: a) To track and display progress toward a measurable goal.

Explanation: KPI visuals highlight key metrics and their performance against a target value.

16. What is the role of the "Focus Mode" option in Power BI?

- a) To filter data in a visual.
- b) To export the data behind a visual.
- c) To enlarge a visual for better viewing.
- d) To apply conditional formatting.

Answer: c) To enlarge a visual for better viewing.

Explanation: Focus mode expands a single visual to occupy the entire screen, aiding detailed analysis.

17. Which visual is commonly used to represent data across geographical regions?

- a) Line chart
- b) Pie chart
- c) Map visual
- d) Table

Answer: c) Map visual

Explanation: Map visuals are designed to display data points geographically.

18. How can you apply row-level security (RLS) to a Power BI report?

- a) By creating conditional slicers.
- b) By defining roles and associating them with DAX expressions.
- c) By enabling report-level filters.
- d) By using sync slicers.

Answer: b) By defining roles and associating them with DAX expressions.

Explanation: Row-level security restricts data access for users based on roles defined using DAX filters.

19. What does the "Edit Interactions" feature in Power BI allow you to do?

- a) Modify visual types.
- b) Set how visuals interact with each other.
- c) Enable cross-report sharing.
- d) Create custom tooltips.

Answer: b) Set how visuals interact with each other.

Explanation: The **Edit Interactions** feature lets users define whether visuals filter, highlight, or ignore interactions from other visuals.

20. What is the primary purpose of the "Funnel Chart"?

- a) To display hierarchical data.
- b) To show proportions of a whole.
- c) To represent stages in a process or pipeline.
- d) To show trends over time.

Answer: c) To represent stages in a process or pipeline.

Explanation: Funnel charts are ideal for visualizing data as it flows through stages, such as sales pipelines.

21. Which visual would you use to display hierarchical data in Power BI?

- a) Matrix
- b) Treemap
- c) Scatter Plot
- d) Funnel

Answer: b) Treemap

Explanation: A treemap uses nested rectangles to display hierarchical data, where each level is represented by size and color.

22. What does the "Fields" pane in Power BI allow you to do?

- a) Connect to external data sources.
- b) Format visual styles.
- c) Drag fields to create visuals and filters.
- d) Apply conditional formatting to visuals.

Answer: c) Drag fields to create visuals and filters.

Explanation: The "Fields" pane lists all data model fields, enabling users to drag them into the canvas or filter pane to create visuals or filters.

23. Which feature allows users to view detailed data behind a visual?

- a) Export data
- b) Drill-through
- c) Drill-down
- d) Show as table

Answer: d) Show as table

Explanation: "Show as table" displays the data behind a visual in tabular format directly in Power BI.

**24. What is the primary advantage of using Hierarchy slicers?

- a) They filter data without affecting other visuals.
- b) They allow filtering at multiple levels of a hierarchy.
- c) They provide advanced analytics.
- d) They replace drill-through pages.

Answer: b) They allow filtering at multiple levels of a hierarchy.

Explanation: Hierarchy slicers let users filter data across multiple levels, such as Year \rightarrow Quarter \rightarrow Month.

25. Which Power BI visual is ideal for showing data composition across different categories?

- a) Stacked column chart
- b) Line chart
- c) Gauge
- d) Scatter plot

Answer: a) Stacked column chart

Explanation: Stacked column charts display the composition of data by stacking different categories in a column.

26. What is the purpose of the "Analyze" option in visuals?

- a) To create relationships.
- b) To identify and explain trends or anomalies.
- c) To format visual elements.
- d) To filter data globally.

Answer: b) To identify and explain trends or anomalies.

Explanation: The "Analyze" feature uses AI to explain increases, decreases, and trends in data.

27. Which Power BI visual allows users to simulate dynamic calculations with "What If" parameters?

- a) Gauge
- b) Table
- c) Line and clustered column chart
- d) Slicer

Answer: d) Slicer

Explanation: A slicer with "What If" parameters enables users to adjust dynamic values and observe their impact on calculations.

28. What type of chart is most suitable for analyzing part-to-whole relationships?

- a) Line chart
- b) Waterfall chart
- c) Funnel chart
- d) Donut chart

Answer: d) Donut chart

Explanation: A donut chart, similar to a pie chart, effectively visualizes parts of a whole while leaving space for labels in the center.

29. How do you apply a default filter to a report in Power BI?

- a) Use a slicer.
- b) Add a page-level filter.
- c) Use the Edit Interactions feature.
- d) Apply filters in the Fields pane.

Answer: b) Add a page-level filter.

Explanation: Page-level filters apply a default filtering context to all visuals on a specific page.

30. What is the main use of a waterfall chart?

- a) To show proportions.
- b) To visualize cumulative effects of positive and negative values.

- c) To track trends over time.
- d) To analyze geographical data.

Answer: b) To visualize cumulative effects of positive and negative values.

Explanation: A waterfall chart shows how individual values contribute to a total over time or categories.

31. Which feature allows you to link visuals to pages for detailed analysis in Power BI?

- a) Drill-through
- b) Bookmarks
- c) Slicers
- d) Tooltip

Answer: a) Drill-through

Explanation: Drill-through enables navigation to detailed pages based on the selected data point in a visual.

32. How can you create a custom tooltip in Power BI?

- a) Use the Field Properties pane.
- b) Enable the Tooltip option and design a report page as a tooltip.
- c) Use slicers as overlays.
- d) Define roles in the Model view.

Answer: b) Enable the Tooltip option and design a report page as a tooltip.

Explanation: Custom tooltips provide additional information by linking visuals to specifically designed report pages.

33. What does enabling "Interactivity" between visuals achieve?

- a) Synchronizes slicers across pages.
- b) Allows visuals to influence each other's filters dynamically.
- c) Disables page-level filters.
- d) Applies row-level security.

Answer: b) Allows visuals to influence each other's filters dynamically.

Explanation: Visual interactivity ensures that actions in one visual (e.g., selection) affect other related visuals.

34. What is the role of a scatter chart in Power BI?

- a) To show trends over time.
- b) To visualize data correlations.
- c) To summarize hierarchical data.
- d) To display performance metrics.

Answer: b) To visualize data correlations.

Explanation: Scatter charts plot two numeric variables to show their relationship.

35. How can you optimize performance in Power BI reports?

- a) Add multiple slicers to a report.
- b) Reduce the number of visuals on a single page.
- c) Use full dataset imports for every report.
- d) Disable Edit Interactions.

Answer: b) Reduce the number of visuals on a single page.

Explanation: Overloading a page with visuals can slow down report performance, so minimizing their count improves efficiency.

36. What is the significance of the gauge visual in Power BI?

- a) To track trends over time.
- b) To show hierarchical data.
- c) To indicate progress toward a specific goal.
- d) To visualize part-to-whole relationships.

Answer: c) To indicate progress toward a specific goal.

Explanation: Gauges represent a single value's progress toward a target.

37. How can you apply sorting to visuals in Power BI?

- a) Use the Fields pane.
- b) Use the Visual Header options.
- c) Click on the ellipsis (...) in the visual and select Sort By.
- d) Enable Conditional Formatting.

Answer: c) Click on the ellipsis (...) in the visual and select Sort By.

Explanation: Sorting controls are accessible from the visual's options menu.

38. What does the tooltip in a matrix visual display by default?

- a) Total row count.
- b) Cell-level data values.
- c) Column summaries.
- d) Data model details.

Answer: b) Cell-level data values.

Explanation: Tooltips in a matrix provide detailed values for the selected cell.

39. Which visual is best suited for showing category rankings?

- a) Line chart
- b) Stacked bar chart
- c) Funnel chart
- d) Horizontal bar chart

Answer: d) Horizontal bar chart

Explanation: Horizontal bar charts are effective for comparing and ranking categorical data.

40. What is the significance of the Matrix visual?

- a) It shows trends over time.
- b) It enables row and column grouping for multi-dimensional analysis.
- c) It compares data proportions.
- d) It displays numerical data across geographical locations.

Answer: b) It enables row and column grouping for multi-dimensional analysis.

Explanation: Matrix visuals allow grouping by rows and columns, ideal for summarizing hierarchical data.

41. Which Power BI visual is best for analyzing the progression of a metric over stages in a hierarchy?

- a) Decomposition tree
- b) Line chart
- c) Scatter plot
- d) Area chart

Answer: a) Decomposition tree

Explanation: The decomposition tree allows you to break down a metric by hierarchical levels dynamically, helping to analyze contributions and progressions.

42. What is the purpose of using the "Apply all slicers" button in Power BI?

- a) To clear all slicer selections on a page.
- b) To synchronize slicer selections across all pages.
- c) To confirm slicer selections on multiple visuals.
- d) To apply slicer settings only to one visual.

Answer: c) To confirm slicer selections on multiple visuals.

Explanation: The "Apply all slicers" button ensures slicer selections are applied simultaneously across multiple visuals for consistent filtering.

43. How does the Al Insights feature in Power Bl help users?

- a) By automating data imports.
- b) By applying machine learning models to data.
- c) By integrating visuals with SQL queries.
- d) By suggesting data transformations.

Answer: b) By applying machine learning models to data.

Explanation: Al Insights integrates advanced analytics, such as detecting anomalies or running pre-trained machine learning models directly on data.

44. What is the purpose of the "Drill mode" toggle in a visual?

- a) To enable synchronized filtering.
- b) To allow navigation across report pages.
- c) To drill down or up through hierarchical data in a visual.
- d) To optimize the report for mobile layout.

Answer: c) To drill down or up through hierarchical data in a visual.

Explanation: Drill mode enables users to explore data at different levels of a hierarchy, such as Year \rightarrow Quarter \rightarrow Month.

45. How can you create a dynamic title for a visual in Power BI?

- a) Use a custom DAX measure.
- b) Create a tooltip with a calculated column.
- c) Use the "Fields" pane to modify the title.
- d) Apply row-level security filters.

Answer: a) Use a custom DAX measure.

Explanation: A dynamic title is created using a DAX measure that outputs a text value based on data or slicer selections, and it's applied in the title settings.

46. What does enabling "Row Subtotals" in a Matrix visual achieve?

- a) It adds a calculated column.
- b) It displays totals for each row group.
- c) It applies filters automatically to rows.
- d) It enables hierarchical grouping.

Answer: b) It displays totals for each row group.

Explanation: Row subtotals summarize values within row groups, providing aggregated insights.

47. How can you link Power BI reports across multiple dashboards?

- a) By using custom URL links in buttons.
- b) By enabling drill-through filters.
- c) By integrating Power BI with DAX Studio.
- d) By applying field parameters.

Answer: a) By using custom URL links in buttons.

Explanation: Custom URL links added to buttons or text boxes can link users to specific reports, dashboards, or external resources.

48. Which feature is most effective for identifying outliers in a dataset?

- a) KPI Visual
- b) Scatter Plot with AI Insights
- c) Stacked Column Chart
- d) Treemap

Answer: b) Scatter Plot with Al Insights

Explanation: Scatter plots, combined with Al Insights, highlight outliers and anomalies using advanced statistical methods.

49. What is the purpose of using the mobile layout view in Power BI?

- a) To enhance interactivity between visuals.
- b) To optimize the dashboard for smaller screens.

- c) To create drill-through pages.
- d) To export reports in mobile format.

Answer: b) To optimize the dashboard for smaller screens.

Explanation: The mobile layout view lets you adjust the arrangement of visuals for better viewing on mobile devices.

50. How does the Power BI Performance Analyzer help in improving reports?

- a) By summarizing the overall dataset statistics.
- b) By providing recommendations for enhancing report visuals.
- c) By measuring the performance of individual visuals and identifying bottlenecks.
- d) By exporting visuals into optimized formats.

Answer: c) By measuring the performance of individual visuals and identifying bottlenecks.

Explanation: The Performance Analyzer tracks the time taken by visuals to render, enabling optimization by identifying slow-loading visuals or queries.