

Question 1**1 / 1 pts**

According to the General Accounting Office, the relationship between the difficulty of managing a software project to the number of lines of code is:

- ☐ Constant: the number of lines of code does not influence difficulty
- ☐ Log-N: as the number of lines of code increases, the complexity increases marginally
- ☐ Linear: the difficulty of managing a software project is directly proportional to the number of lines of code
- ☒ Exponential: doubling the number of lines of code increases the management complexity by a factor greater than 2

Question 2**1 / 1 pts**

According to Bershoff, what should be the goal of a software developer?

- ☒ Meet the needs of the stake holders
- ☐ Produce the highest quality product practical
- ☐ Generate a product that maximizes profits
- ☐ Work in an ethically and morally responsible way
- ☐ Advance the discipline of software engineering

Question 3**1 / 1 pts**

Where did Bersoff get his attributes of product integrity?

- ☒ Bersoff and two others
- ☐ McCall
- ☐ Boehm
- ☐ ISO 9126
- ☐ Weiss

Question 4**5 / 5 pts**

Which of the following are attributes that characterize product integrity? Hint: this is in the first page of the Bersoff article.

- ☒ Affordability
- ☒ Functionality
- ☒ Accountability
- ☒ Performance efficiency
- ☒ Meets delivery requirements
- ☐ Changeability
- ☐ Accuracy
- ☐ Flexibility
- ☐ Reliability
- ☐ Maintainability

Question 5**1 / 1 pts**

According to Bershoff, who takes prime responsibility for the success of a software product?

- ☒ Developer
- ☐ Manager
- ☐ Client
- ☐ Stake Holder
- ☐ User
- ☐ Sponsor
- ☐ Tester

Question 6

8 / 8 pts

Those who assess whether a product fulfills its objectives

Test & Evaluation ▼

Those who insure a product meets pre-specified standards during development

Quality Assurance ▼

Take a concept from the beginning through the development life cycle.

Development ▼

Those who illuminate to management the state of the development process

Product Assurance ▼

Those who assign, allocate, and control project resources

Project Management ▼

Those who make sure the product meets standards (functional and performance) and the standards themselves are stated and interpreted correctly

Verification & Validation ▼

A software engineer fulfilling one of three basic disciplines: project management, development, or product assurance

Developer ▼

Those who manage the setup of the software system throughout the system life cycle,

Configuration Management ▼

Question 7**6 / 6 pts**

Bersoff users many acronyms to describe the SCM process. Match the acronym with the definition.

A collection of people who determine whether a given change request should be accepted

CCB ▼

The process of managing changes in a software system

SCM ▼

A request in written form to alter a software system

ECP ▼

Initially a document but later code fulfilling a request to change the software system

SCI ▼

A tool, usually software, used to help manage changes in the software system

PSL ▼

Computer program components, either completed or in the process of being developed, used to meet the needs of a change request

DO ▼

Question 8**3 / 3 pts**

Select all that are true about the SCM process.

- ☒ As the SCM moves forward in time, the number and complexity of SCIs generally increase
- ☐ Software change requests that are not part of the original requirement specifications are not allowed in the SCM process
- ☒ The PSL should provide Archive and Auditing services
- ☐ All DOs must be part of a SCI
- ☒ One of the purposes of the CCB is the approve or disapprove ECPs