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**Feedback**

Congratulations! Your score on the Open assessment demonstrates you know some Scrum basics.

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**Question 1 of 30**

Who creates the Definition of Done?

**(choose the best answer)**

Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **A.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ✓ **A.** If it is not an organizational standard, the Scrum Team must create a Definition of Done appropriate for the product.
- B.** The Scrum Master since they are responsible for the productivity of the Developers.
- C.** The Scrum Team, in a collaborative effort where the result is the common denominator of all members' definitions.
- D.** The Product Owner since they are responsible for the product's success.

### Feedback

If the Definition of Done for an Increment is part of the standards of the organization, all Scrum Teams must follow it as a minimum. If it is not an organizational standard, the Scrum Team must create a Definition of Done appropriate for the product.

## Question 2 of 30

**True or False:** The purpose of a Sprint is to produce a valuable and useful Increment of working product.

Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **A.**

✓ **A.** True

**B.** False

### Feedback

The heart of Scrum is a Sprint, a timebox of one month or less during which a done, useful, and valuable working product Increment is created.

## Question 3 of 30

What is the role of Management in Scrum?

**(choose the best answer)**

Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **A.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ✓ **A.** Support the Product Owner with insights and information into high value product and system capabilities. Support the Scrum Master to cause organizational change that fosters empiricism, self-management, bottom-up intelligence, and intelligent product delivery.
- B.** Continually monitor staffing levels of the Scrum Team.
- C.** Identify and remove people that are not working hard enough.
- D.** Monitor the progress of the Developers on the Scrum Team.

### Feedback

Management has no active role in the actual product development through Scrum. However, management external to the Scrum Team is relevant in setting the vision and strategy to guide the overall direction of the organization.

## Question 4 of 30

**True or False:** It is mandatory that the product Increment be released to production at the end of each Sprint.

Correct answer: **B.**

You chose: **A.**

✗ **A.** True

→ **B.** False

### Feedback

The product Increment should be usable and releasable at the end of every Sprint, but it does not have to be released.

## Question 5 of 30

When might a Sprint be abnormally cancelled?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **B.**

You chose: **B.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A.** When the sales department has an important new opportunity.
- ✓ **B.** When the Sprint Goal becomes obsolete.
- C.** When it becomes clear that not everything will be finished by the end of the Sprint.
- D.** When the Developers feel that the work is too hard.

### Feedback

A Sprint could be cancelled if the Sprint Goal becomes obsolete. Only the Product Owner has the authority to cancel the Sprint.

## Question 6 of 30

Who is on the Scrum Team?

(choose the best three answers)

Correct answer: **A. B. C.**

You chose: **A. B. C.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ✓ **A.** Developers.
- ✓ **B.** The Scrum Master.
- ✓ **C.** The Product Owner.
- D.** Project Manager.

### Feedback

The Scrum Team consists of the Scrum Master, the Product Owner and Developers. The Scrum Team is a cohesive unit of professionals focused on one objective at a time, the Product Goal.

## Question 7 of 30

Why is the Daily Scrum held at the same time and same place?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **A.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ✓ **A.** The consistency reduces complexity.
- B.** The place can be named.
- C.** The Product Owner demands it.
- D.** Rooms are hard to book and this lets it be booked in advance.

### Feedback

The Daily Scrum is held at the same time and place each day to reduce complexity.

## Question 8 of 30

Which statement best describes Scrum?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **C**.

You chose: **C**.

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A.** A defined and predictive process that conforms to the principles of Scientific Management.
- B.** A cookbook that defines best practices for software development.
- ✓ **C.** A framework for creating complex products in complex environments.
- D.** A complete methodology that defines how to develop software.

### Feedback

Scrum is a lightweight framework that helps people, teams and organizations generate value through adaptive solutions for complex problems.

## Question 9 of 30

The timebox for a Daily Scrum is?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **B**.

You chose: **B**.

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A.** The same time of day every day.
- ✓ **B.** 15 minutes.
- C.** Two minutes per person.
- D.** 4 hours.
- E.** 15 minutes for a 4-week sprint. For shorter Sprints it is usually shorter.

### Feedback

The Daily Scrum is a 15-minute event for the Developers of the Scrum Team. The Scrum Master serves the Scrum Team by ensuring that all Scrum events take place and are positive, productive, and kept within the timebox.

## Question 10 of 30

Which statement best describes the Sprint Review?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **A.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ✓ **A.** It is when the Scrum Team and stakeholders inspect the outcome of a Sprint and figure out what to do next.
- B.** It is a demo at the end of the Sprint for everyone in the organization to check on the work done.
- C.** It is a mechanism to control Developer activity during a Sprint.

### Feedback

Every event in Scrum, besides the Sprint, which is a container for the other events, is an opportunity to Inspect and Adapt.

## Question 11 of 30

Which statement best describes a Product Owner's responsibility?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **D.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ➔ **A.** Optimizing the value of the work the Scrum Team does.
- B.** Keep stakeholders from distracting the Developers.
- C.** Directing the Developers.

- ✗ D. Managing the project and ensuring that the work meets the commitments to the stakeholders.

**Feedback**

The Product Owner is accountable for maximizing the value of the product and the work of the Scrum Team.

## Question 12 of 30

The Product Backlog is ordered by:

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: D.

You chose: C.

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A. Items are randomly arranged.
- B. Size, where small items are at the top and large items are at the bottom.
- ✗ C. Least valuable items at the top to most valuable at the bottom.
- ➔ D. Whatever is deemed most appropriate by the Product Owner.
- E. Risk, where safer items are at the top, and riskier items are at the bottom.

**Feedback**

The Product Owner is accountable for effective Product Backlog management. The Product Backlog is an emergent, ordered list of what is needed to improve the product. It is the single source of work undertaken by the Scrum Team.

## Question 13 of 30

What does it mean to say that an event has a timebox?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: C.

You chose: C.

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A. The event must take at least a minimum amount of time.
- B. The event must happen at a set time.
- ✓ C. The event can take no more than a maximum amount of time.
- D. The event must happen by a given time.

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**Feedback**

Timeboxed events are events that have a maximum duration.

## Question 14 of 30

When does the next Sprint begin?

(choose the best answer)

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Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **A.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ✓ A. Immediately after the conclusion of the previous Sprint.
- B. When the Product Owner is ready.
- C. Immediately following the next Sprint Planning.
- D. Next Monday.

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**Feedback**

A new Sprint starts immediately after the conclusion of the previous Sprint.

## Question 15 of 30

What are two ways a Scrum Master serves to enable effective Scrum Teams?

(choose the best two answers)

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Correct answer: **C. D.**

You chose: **A. D.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*



- ✗ A. By starting and ending the meetings at the proper time.
- B. By keeping high value features high in the Product Backlog.
- ➔ C. By facilitating Developer decision-making.
- ✓ D. By removing impediments that hinder the Scrum Team.

#### Feedback

The Scrum Master serves the Scrum Team in several ways. Facilitation and removing impediments are examples of ways a Scrum Master helps a team become more effective.

## Question 16 of 30

Who is responsible for managing the progress of work during a Sprint?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: B.

You chose: B.

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A. The Product Owner.
- ✓ B. The Developers.
- C. The Scrum Master.
- D. The most junior member of the team.

#### Feedback

The Developers use the Daily Scrum to inspect progress toward the Sprint Goal and to inspect how progress is trending toward completing the work in the Sprint Backlog.

## Question 17 of 30

The Developers should have all the skills needed to:

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: C.

You chose: C.

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A. Do all of the development work, except for specialized testing that requires additional tools and environments.
- B. Complete the project as estimated when the date and cost are committed to the Product Owner.
- ✓ C. Turn the Product Backlog items they select into an Increment of useful and valuable product functionality.

#### **Feedback**

The Developers are a group of professionals who do the work of delivering an Increment of done product at the end of each Sprint. As a team, Developers have all of the skills necessary to create a product Increment.

## **Question 18 of 30**

What is the main reason for the Scrum Master to be at the Daily Scrum?

**(choose the best answer)**

Correct answer: **B.**

You chose: **B.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A. To gather status and progress information to report to management.
- ✓ B. They do not have to be there; they only need to ensure the Developers have a Daily Scrum.
- C. To write down any changes to the Sprint Backlog, including adding new items, and tracking progress on the burn-down.
- D. To make sure every team member answers the three questions.

#### **Feedback**

The Scrum Master only ensures that all Scrum events take place and are positive, productive, and kept within the timebox.

## **Question 19 of 30**

The timebox for the Sprint Planning event is?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **C**.

You chose: **C**.

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A.** 4 hours.
- B.** Monthly.
- ✓ **C.** 8 hours for a monthly Sprint. For shorter Sprints it is usually shorter.
- D.** Whenever it is done.

#### **Feedback**

Sprint Planning is timeboxed to a maximum of eight hours for a one-month Sprint. For shorter Sprints, the event is usually shorter.

## Question 20 of 30

Who has the final say on the order of the Product Backlog?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **B**.

You chose: **B**.

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A.** The Developers.
- ✓ **B.** The Product Owner.
- C.** The Scrum Master.
- D.** The Stakeholders.
- E.** The CEO.

#### **Feedback**

The Product Owner is the sole person responsible for ordering the Product Backlog.

## Question 21 of 30

The timebox for the Sprint Review is:

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **C.**

You chose: **C.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A.** 2 hours.
- B.** 1 day.
- ✓ **C.** 4 hours for a monthly Sprint. For shorter Sprints it is usually shorter.
- D.** 4 hours and longer as needed.
- E.** As long as needed.

### Feedback

Sprint Review is a maximum four-hour timeboxed event for one-month Sprints. For shorter Sprints, the event is usually shorter.

## Question 22 of 30

**True or False:** When multiple Scrum Teams work together on the same product, each team should maintain a separate Product Backlog.

Correct answer: **B.**

You chose: **B.**

- A.** True
- ✓ **B.** False

### Feedback

Products have one Product Backlog, regardless of how many Scrum Teams are used. Any other setup makes it difficult for the Developers to determine what they should work on.

## Question 23 of 30

**True or False:** The Scrum Team must choose at least one high priority process improvement item, identified during the Sprint Retrospective, and place it in the Sprint Backlog.

Correct answer: **B.**

You chose: **B.**

**A.** True

✓ **B.** False

#### **Feedback**

An earlier version of the Scrum Guide prescribed the practice of placing one improvement in the Sprint Backlog. This was removed in the 2020 update to the Scrum Guide because it was felt to be too prescriptive. However, if this practice provides value to you then you should adopt it. It is simply not prescribed anymore, but can still be valuable.

## Question 24 of 30

How much work must the Developers complete for each Product Backlog item they select for a Sprint?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **D.**

You chose: **D.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

**A.** Analysis, design, programming, testing and documentation.

**B.** All development work and at least some testing.

**C.** As much as it can fit into the Sprint.

✓ **D.** Enough so that each Product Backlog item they select meets the Definition of Done.

#### **Feedback**

The purpose of each Sprint is to deliver useful and valuable Increments that adhere to the Scrum Team's current Definition of Done.

## Question 25 of 30

Which of the following are examples of a Scrum Team practicing Scrum poorly or not exhibiting traits of a self-managing Scrum Team?

(choose the best three answers)

Correct answer: **B. E. F.**

You chose: **B. E. F.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ☐ **A.** The Developers have all the skills they need to create a valuable, useful Increment.
- ☒ **B.** Stakeholders attend the Daily Scrum to check on the Scrum Team's progress.
- ☐ **C.** The Developers create their own Sprint Backlog, reflecting all work that is required to meet the Definition of Done.
- ☐ **D.** The Developers are collaboratively selecting their own work during the Sprint.
- ☒ **E.** The Developers invite external stakeholders to the Sprint Planning to ask them how to turn a Product Backlog item into an Increment via a complete and detailed Sprint Backlog.
- ☒ **F.** The Developers are working within the boundaries of their organizations functional description and nicely handing off work from analyst to developer to tester to integration.

#### **Feedback**

- The Daily Scrum is for the Developers. It should not be used by external stakeholders to check progress.
- During Sprint Planning the Scrum Team should be crafting the Sprint Goal based on the set of Product Backlog items selected for the Sprint. The Developers identify the necessary work to meet the Sprint Goal.
- Scrum Team members do not have titles, and no sub-teams; such as testing, architecture, or operations are recognized. Accountability belongs with the Scrum Team as a whole, regardless of whether team members have specialized skills.

## **Question 26 of 30**

Upon what type of process control is Scrum based?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **B.**

You chose: **B.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ☐ **A.** Defined
- ☒ **B.** Empirical

- C. Hybrid
- D. Complex

#### **Feedback**

Scrum is founded on empirical process control theory, or empiricism. Empiricism asserts that knowledge comes from experience and making decisions based on what is observed.

### Question 27 of 30

An organization has decided to adopt Scrum, but management wants to change the terminology to fit with terminology already used. What will likely happen if this is done?

**(choose the best answer)**

Correct answer: **D.**

You chose: **D.**

- A. Without a new vocabulary as a reminder of the change, very little change may actually happen.
- B. The organization may not understand what has changed with Scrum and the benefits of Scrum may be lost.
- C. Management may feel less anxious.
- ✓ D. All of the above.

### Question 28 of 30

When is a Sprint over?

**(choose the best answer)**

Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **A.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ✓ A. When the timebox expires.
- B. When the Product Owner says it is done.
- C. When all the tasks are completed.

D. When all Product Backlog items meet their Definition of Done.

#### Feedback

Sprints are fixed length events of one month or less to create consistency. A new Sprint starts immediately after the conclusion of the previous Sprint.

### Question 29 of 30

The CEO asks the Developers to add a "very important" item to a Sprint that is in progress. What should the Developers do?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **B.**

You chose: **B.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- A. Add the item to the current Sprint without any adjustments.
- ✓ B. Inform the other members of the Scrum Team so the team can decide what to do.
- C. Add the item to the current Sprint and drop an item of equal size.
- D. Add the item to the next Sprint.

#### Feedback

The items selected for a Sprint have been selected as most valuable with the Product Owner. The items serve the Sprint's goal. No changes should be made that endanger the Sprint Goal. No one external to the Scrum Team can force changes on the Developers.

### Question 30 of 30

What is the typical size for a Scrum Team?

(choose the best answer)

Correct answer: **A.**

You chose: **A.**

*This question displayed answers in random order during the test.*

- ✓ A. 10 or fewer.



**B.** 9.

**C.** 7 plus or minus 2.

**D.** Minimum of 7.

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***Feedback***

A Scrum Team is small enough to remain nimble and large enough to complete significant work within a Sprint, typically 10 or fewer people. Generally smaller teams communicate better and are more productive