

Multiple Choice (1-10)

1. Which of the following is NOT a dimension of data quality?

- a) Accuracy
- b) Timeliness
- c) Visibility
- d) Completeness

Answer: c) Visibility

2. What does “data completeness” refer to?

- a) Data that is always correct
- b) Data that is timely
- c) Data that has all required fields and values
- d) Data that follows business rules

Answer: c) Data that has all required fields and values

3. Which of these best defines “data accuracy”?

- a) Data that looks good in a report
- b) Data that reflects real-world conditions correctly
- c) Data that is frequently updated
- d) Data that contains no null values

Answer: b) Data that reflects real-world conditions correctly

4. Which tool is commonly used for data profiling?

- a) Excel
- b) SQL Server
- c) Talend
- d) Google Docs

Answer: c) Talend

5. What is the first step in improving data quality?

- a) Data cleansing
- b) Data visualization
- c) Data profiling
- d) Data encryption

Answer: c) Data profiling

6. Which of the following best describes “data governance”?

- a) Encrypting data
- b) Backing up data
- c) Managing the availability, usability, and security of data
- d) Formatting data

Answer: c) Managing the availability, usability, and security of data

7. Data deduplication is a technique used to:

- a) Encrypt sensitive information
- b) Remove redundant data

- c) Back up databases
- d) Create data visualizations

Answer: b) Remove redundant data

8. Which of the following is a consequence of poor data quality?

- a) Improved analytics
- b) Better decision-making
- c) Customer dissatisfaction
- d) Reduced compliance risk

Answer: c) Customer dissatisfaction

9. What does the term “data lineage” refer to?

- a) The ownership of data
- b) The security level of data
- c) The history of data from origin to current state
- d) The future use of data

Answer: c) The history of data from origin to current state

10. Which role is typically responsible for maintaining data quality in an organization?

- a) Front-end developer
- b) Data steward
- c) UX designer
- d) Software tester

Answer: b) Data steward

True/False (11-15)

11. Data quality is only important in large organizations.

Answer: False

12. Timely data is always high-quality data.

Answer: False

13. Standardization helps maintain consistency across datasets.

Answer: True

14. Data profiling involves analyzing data to understand its structure and quality.

Answer: True

15. Data cleansing only involves removing errors from data.

Answer: False (It may also involve correcting, enriching, and transforming data.)

Short Answer (16-20)

16. What is a data quality rule?

Answer: A condition that defines expected patterns or values in data to ensure its quality.

17. **Name two tools commonly used for data quality assessment.**

Answer: Examples: Talend, Informatica, Microsoft Data Quality Services, OpenRefine.

18. **What is the main goal of data quality management?**

Answer: To ensure that data is accurate, complete, consistent, timely, and relevant for its intended use.

19. **Why is metadata important in data quality?**

Answer: It provides context and meaning to data, helping users understand structure, source, and usage.

20. **Give one example of how poor data quality can impact a business.**

Answer: Sending marketing emails to incorrect or outdated addresses, resulting in poor customer experience and wasted resources.