# **IBM COG-185**

# **IBM Cognos 8 Migration Professional Exam**

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# **QUESTION NO: 1**

From a technical perspective, which three applications can be upgraded rather than converted or migrated? (Choose three.)

- A. Visualizer
- B. Decisionstream
- C. NoticeCast
- D. Metrics Manager
- E. Transformer

Answer: B,D,E Explanation:

#### **QUESTION NO: 2**

When would a customer use Compress & Optimize?

- **A.** When similar reports can be consolidated into a single report.
- B. When batches of BI reports can be moved over quickly to IBM Cognos 8.
- **C.** When reports or models were not properly maintained and are no longer valid.
- **D.** When dealing primarily with Impromptu Reports and Catalogs.

Answer: A Explanation:

#### **QUESTION NO: 3**

Which two statements describe a successful migration? (Choose two.)

- **A.** Pre-assessments, fact-finding, investigation, and execution are iterative approaches rather than a one-time activity.
- **B.** Identify specific goals for the migration project, and then ensure that the migration meets expectations and adds value to your business intelligence environment.
- **C.** Educate yourself and customers about IBM Cognos 8 and then evaluate the current IBM Cognos Series 7 applications.
- **D.** Use and leverage the Cognos Solution Implementation Methodology (CSIM) Migration Roadmap of detailed activities and deliverables for a migration project.

Answer: A,B



# **Explanation:**

#### **QUESTION NO: 4**

Which technical migration approach reflects using an offshore approach for additional savings of time and money?

- A. Lift & Shift
- **B.** Hybrid
- C. Compress & Optimize
- D. Expand & Purge

Answer: A Explanation:

#### **QUESTION NO: 5**

The recommended approach to migration consists of five steps. Four of the steps are shown below: -- Create new applications in IBM Cognos 8 -- Continue using applications in IBM Cognos Series 7 environment -- Migrate applications to IBM Cognos 8 -- Migrate multiple applications to one application Which step is missing?

- A. Lift & Shift
- B. Set up interoperability
- C. Compress & Optimize
- D. Perform training and education

Answer: B Explanation:

# **QUESTION NO: 6**

If your customer has not yet started a migration project, which migration path should they follow from Series 7.3 to IBM Cognos 8.3?

- **A.** Upgrade Series 7 content from version 3 to version 4, and use the 8.3 version of the migration tools to migrate from version 4 to 8.3
- B. Migrate Series 7.3 content to IBM Cognos 8.3 and then upgrade to IBM Cognos 8.4



- **C.** Upgrade Series 7 content from version 3 to version 4, and use the 8.4 version of the migration tools to migrate to 8.4
- D. Migrate Series 7.4 content to IBM Cognos 8.4 using the migration tools

Answer: A Explanation:

### **QUESTION NO: 7**

Which two rules describe how PowerPlay Client reports are migrated? (Choose two.)

- **A.** Reporter reports are migrated according to PowerPlay Excel behavior.
- **B.** Explorer reports are migrated according to PowerPlay Web behavior.
- C. Reporter reports are migrated according to PowerPlay Client behavior.
- **D.** Explorer reports are migrated according to PowerPlay Client behavior.

Answer: B,C Explanation:

### **QUESTION NO: 8**

When migrating an Impromptu catalog, an xml file that uses the same file name already exists in the target location. What will the migration process do?

- A. Create a new folder called "migration" that includes the migrated xml file.
- **B.** Create a new file to include a date time stamp.
- C. Abort the process and write to the log file.
- **D.** Replace the existing file.

Answer: D Explanation:

# **QUESTION NO: 9**

Which three chart types are supported when migrating a chart type within an Impromptu Report? (Choose three.)

A. Pie



- B. Bubble
- C. Radar
- D. Hi-low close
- E. Gantt

Answer: A,B,C Explanation:

# **QUESTION NO: 10**

With regards to Impromptu Catalog mapping, which statement is true?

- A. Catalog, Report, and File pick list prompts are migrated to value prompts.
- **B.** Impromptu table columns with the IsKey attribute set to "true" become query items with the usage attribute set to "fact".
- **C.** HotFiles and Snapshots are migrated, however User Defined Functions (UDFs) are not migrated.
- **D.** Security filters for table aliases are not migrated.

Answer: D Explanation:

# **QUESTION NO: 11**

You want to run the IBM Cognos 8 migration command line tool. From which directory is the IBM Cognos 8 migration command line tool (deploytoc8) run?

- A. migs7
- B. migration
- C. migs7service
- D. migdeploy

Answer: D Explanation:

#### **QUESTION NO: 12**

Which file must be modified to expose IBM Cognos Series 7 content directly into IBM Cognos 8?