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Exam Questions DCDC-002

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NEW QUESTION 1

How is the slab and all below grade components prepared in new construction?

- A. with a continuously sealed rubberized moisture barrier
- B. using standard concrete mix without any additives
- C. only with steel reinforcement bars
- D. with waterproof vinyl tiles

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 2

What is the smoke development rating required for all materials hosted in a containment system?

- A. 150
- B. 300
- C. 450
- D. 600

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 3

What is the formula to find the maximum allowable cable depth in a non-solid bottom cable tray?

- A. $H = 50/1 + (L * 0.0007)$
- B. $H = 100/1 + (L * 0.0007)$
- C. $H = 150/1 + (L * 0.0007)$
- D. $H = 200/1 + (L * 0.0007)$

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 4

Which areas should generate a history of all access attempts and monitored by CCTV Security System?

- A. Only computer rooms
- B. Storage Areas
- C. Any concealed places
- D. Loading Docks
- E. Computer rooms, Loading docks, storage areas, Staging areas and Vendor Storage

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 5

what are 2 typical printer manufacturer environmental criteria?

- A. humidity and temperature
- B. lighting and sound level
- C. radioactivity measurement and electromagnetic interference
- D. electrical conductivity and soil contamination

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 6

What is the minimum separation distance for redundant utility service feeds

- A. 4 feet along entire route
- B. 22 feet along entire route
- C. 44 feet along entire route
- D. 66 Feet Along the Entire Route

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 7

What is the recommended clearance space required for hot and cold aisles in a data center?

- A. 1-2 feet
- B. 3-4 feet
- C. 5-6 feet
- D. 7-8 feet

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 8

What is the formula for reliability of components in parallel?

- A. $R = RA1 + RA2$
- B. $R = RA1 - RA2$
- C. $R = RA1 / RA2$
- D. $R = 1 - ([1-RA1] * (1-RA2))$

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 9

What is the minimum distance recommended between a data center's backup generator and the main data center building?

- A. 10 feet
- B. 20 feet
- C. 30 feet
- D. 40 feet

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 10

what is the second preference regarding utility service

- A. At least four circuits each from different distribution stations but fed via common feeders
- B. Two balanced feeds with different voltages derived from a single distribution station
- C. One balanced feeder coordinated with upstream backup feed
- D. At least One Circuit from two Separate Substations and Different Voltage Levels

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 10

What is the formula for reliability?

- A. $R = e^T$
- B. $R = e^{-T}$
- C. $R = T/e$
- D. $R = \log(T)$

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 13

What should be done with unused rack space?

- A. it should be filled with blanking devices to reduce non-functional airflow
- B. it should be used for additional storage purposes
- C. it should be left open to allow for better ventilation
- D. they should be turned off to save energy costs

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 15

What is the clearance required between the cold aisle and the CRAC unit?

- A. 2 feet
- B. 4 feet
- C. 6 feet
- D. 8 feet

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 20

Apart from Power usage effectiveness or P U E, and Data center infrastructure Efficiency Or D C i E, what other standardized measurements are there for data center efficiency?

- A. None of The Above.
- B. Energy efficiency Ratio.
- C. Return temperature index.
- D. All of the above

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 24

What is the benefit to locating the power distribution unit supporting equipment outside the computer room

- A. maintenanc
- B. activities are not taking place inside critical computer roomspace
- C. Allows for easier access by IT staff during maintenance tasks
- D. Enables greater energy efficiency

E. None of the above

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 26

What is the recommended floor loading capacity for a data center?

- A. 1000 lbs per s
- B. ft.
- C. 1250 lbs per s
- D. ft.
- E. 1500 lbs per s
- F. ft.
- G. 1750 lbs per s
- H. ft.
- I. 2000 lbs per s
- J. ft.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 31

What is the recommended humidity range for a data center?

- A. 20-30%
- B. 30-40%
- C. 40-50%
- D. 50-60%
- E. 60-70%

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 33

What are the 3 types of Authentication for access control?

- A. Type 4 - What you possess
- B. Type 5 - What you desire
- C. Type 6 - What you create
- D. Type 1 - What you have Type 2 - What you know Type 3 - What you are

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 37

what is the ANSI/TIA-942 typical range of pressure differential regarding positive pressure for data center.

- A. Less than or equal to $-0,1$ in water column (-25 Pa)
- B. More than $-0,005$ in wc ($< -1,24$ Pa), but less than or equal to $+0,05$ in wc ($+12,4$ Pa)
- C. More than $+3$ in wc (>746 Pa),but less than or equal to $+6$,in wc(1492 pa))
- D. Less Than $-4,+4$ inches water column(-1000 opa , $+100$ <pa>)

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 41

What is a possible downside to customer-owned maintenance holes?

- A. fire risk near data center property
- B. susceptibility to theft or damage by unauthorized personnel
- C. poor aesthetic appearance around facility exterior
- D. leaks leading to water infiltration into data center

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 44

What type of slope is considered too extreme for a data center site?

- A. 5%
- B. 10%
- C. 15%
- D. 20%

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 45

What is the most common type of automatic transfer switch?

- A. Closed transition

- B. Open transition
- C. Delayed transition
- D. Soft load transition

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 48

what is another main function of the entrance room?

- A. to house the telecommunications main grounding busbar
- B. to store backup telecommunication devices
- C. as a dedicated location outside building
- D. None of these

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 52

What is the flame index spread rating required for all materials hosted in a containment system?

- A. 10
- B. 25
- C. 50

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 55

what is the most common energy storage solution and what are the two types

- A. Lithium-ion battery, sealed and unsealed
- B. Flywheel, vertical and horizontal
- C. Supercapacitor, cylindrical and prismatic
- D. Lead-acid battery, vented and valve regulated Nickel-cadmium battery, vented and valve regulated

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 57

What is the acceptable dew point level in a data center according to TIA-942?

- A. 60 degrees
- B. 65 degrees
- C. 69.8 degrees
- D. 75 degrees
- E. 80 degrees

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 59

Why do larger data centers require more H DAs?

- A. to ensure maximum horizontal cable lengths are not exceeded and to avoid cable congestion
- B. to reduce energy consumption and carbon footprint
- C. to increase server processing speed by minimizing latency
- D. to provide redundancy and failover mechanisms

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 63

What's conservative' hydrogen maximum flow rate per minute for battery.

- A. 500 cm/m²
- B. 21 cm/m²
- C. 61 cm/m²
- D. None of these answer

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 65

What is the Fourth Preference Regarding Utility Service?

- A. At least two circuits from one substation fed via alternative power grid
- B. Two balanced feeds with different voltages derived from a single distribution station
- C. One circuit from one substation, separate paths
- D. At least four circuits each from different distribution stations but fed via common feeders

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 70

According to TIA-942, what is the low temperature that must be maintained in a data center?

- A. 60 degrees
- B. 65 degrees
- C. 68 degrees
- D. 70 degrees
- E. 75 degrees

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 72

What is the ASHRAE TC 9.9 recommended range for static pressure in a data center?

- A. 0.01-0.05 inches water gauge
- B. 0.05-0.1 inches water gauge
- C. 0.1-0.15 inches water gauge
- D. 0.15-0.2 inches water gauge

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 77

what are the two rooms that may require 2 exits?

- A. the electrical Room and battery room
- B. Equipment Room and Security Rooms
- C. Mechanical Room and Electrical
- D. Computing rooms And Storage rooms
- E. Water Supply Rooms

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 79

What is typically considered the demarcation point for electrical utility at a data center?

- A. The transformer
- B. The UPS
- C. The generator
- D. The switchboard

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 81

What is the low temperature that must be maintained in a data center according to NEB standards?

- A. 55 degrees
- B. 60 degrees
- C. 65 degrees
- D. 70 degrees
- E. 75 degrees

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 84

what additional fuel filtering is required for generators in class F3 and F4 facilities

- A. two-stage, spin-on-type fuel filters
- B. four stage, paper-type fuel filters
- C. five stage, mesh type fuel filters
- D. three stage, spin-on-type fuel filters

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 88

Where should telecom cabling be routed under an access floor?

- A. In the cold aisle
- B. Above the access floor
- C. In the plenum space
- D. In the equipment room
- E. In the office area

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 93

where should the telecommunications room for the operations center be located

- A. inside the computer room
- B. within a designated telecommunication space outside of computer rooms
- C. on another floor entirely from the operations center
- D. in an offsite location

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 95

What is the difference between a hot aisle and a cold aisle containment system?

- A. Hot aisle containment system encloses the hot aisle to prevent mixing with the cold air while cold aisle containment system encloses the cold aisle to prevent mixing with the hot air
- B. Hot aisle containment system is more efficient in terms of cooling than cold aisle containment system
- C. Cold aisle containment system is more cost-effective than hot aisle containment system
- D. Hot aisle containment system is more flexible and adaptable to changing needs than cold aisle containment system

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 97

How do you calculate thermal load in a data center?

- A. IT Thermal Output + Cooling System
- B. IT Thermal Output + Lighting System
- C. IT Thermal Output + PDU System
- D. IT Thermal Output + Cooling System + Lighting System
- E. IT Thermal Output + Cooling System + Lighting System + PDU System

Answer: E

NEW QUESTION 101

What is the highest allowable elevation for a data center site?

- A. 2,500 ft
- B. 5,000 ft
- C. 7,500 ft
- D. 10,000 ft
- E. 12,500 ft

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 105

where should the vendor storage area be located?

- A. far away from loading dock
- B. inside data center
- C. offsite
- D. adjacent or near secured loading dock

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 108

what is the minimum thickness of an elevated floor topping over metal flutes?

- A. 2 inchmhes
- B. 3 Inches
- C. 4 Inches
- D. 1,5 Inchess

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 111

What is an automatic static transfer switch used for?

- A. Switching between multiple utility power sources
- B. Switching between utility and generator power sources
- C. Switching between different generator power sources
- D. Switching between AC and DC power sources

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 113

What is the distance from the bottom of the access floor to the bottom of the cable tray?

- A. 6 inches
- B. 7 inches
- C. 8 inches
- D. 9 inches
- E. 10 inches

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 116

What is the switch gear in an electrical distribution design responsible for?

- A. Transforming voltage
- B. Delivering power directly to the server racks
- C. Transferring control between utility and generator
- D. Managing cooling systems

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 118

What is minimum recommended generator fuel storage amount?

- A. enough to run 4 to 16 hours at full load
- B. enough to run 24 to 36 hours at full load
- C. enough to run 48-72 hours at full load
- D. enough to run up-to a week at full load

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 123

What is the recommended headroom for overhead cable tray?

- A. 3"
- B. 6"
- C. 9"
- D. 12"

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 125

What is the difference between a single bus and a dual bus power distribution system?

- A. Single bus has only one power source while dual bus has two independent power sources
- B. Single bus is more reliable than dual bus
- C. Dual bus is more cost-effective than single bus
- D. Single bus is more flexible and adaptable to changing needs than dual bus

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 130

What is the recommendation regarding row length?

- A. Do not exceed 20 racks in length and dead-end rows not to exceed ten racks long
- B. Maximum twenty-five racks in each row only
- C. Ten Racks in Length
- D. None
- E. All

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 131

What is the appropriate fire rating requirements for an ITE space?

- A. 1/2 hour
- B. 1 hour
- C. 2 hours
- D. 3 hours

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 133

What are three reasons for locating the power distribution unit outside the computer room?

- A. removes maintenance item, removes a source of heat, allows P D U to occupy less expensive space
- B. reduces cable congestion, prevents water damage, provides better access points
- C. increases cooling efficiency, eliminates fire hazard, minimizes noise pollution

D. lowers electricity costs, improves network speed, enhances security measures

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 135

What is the maximum recommended number of racks in an aisle?

- A. 20 racks
- B. 10 racks
- C. 30 racks
- D. 40 racks

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 139

What is the recommended amount of fuel supply needing to be available to a class F2 data center?

- A. 12 hours
- B. 18 hours
- C. 24 hours
- D. 30 hours
- E. 36 hours

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 141

What are main concepts in choosing location of the entrance room?

- A. If possible, it should be very close, and, in the computer room distance limitations for T1,T3,E1,and E3 circuits,
- B. Should not be near to Data Center
- C. Dedicated location outside building
- D. All of these

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 146

What is the clearance required for the hot aisle width?

- A. 2 ft
- B. 4 ft
- C. 6 ft
- D. 8 ft

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 148

What level should the battery room be on?

- A. Grade Level
- B. Upper floor
- C. Lower Floor
- D. None
- E. All

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 149

What 3 standards books should be followed for data center grounding and bonding?

- A. TIA 942, TIA 607 and IEEE 1100
- B. UL 467, UL 96A and NFPA 70
- C. TIA 568, ANSI/TIA-606-B and TIA 568-C.1
- D. ASHRAE Standard 90.1, ASHRAE Standard 62.1 and ASHRAE Standard 55

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 152

What is recommended size ratio of Secure Storage Area?

- A. 5% of Computer Room Space
- B. 10% or greater than Available Floor Space
- C. 15-20% more than Computer Room's Cross Sectional Area
- D. 10% of Computer Room's Net Square Footage
- E. None Of These

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 155

What specific power consumption should be used to measure PUE?

- A. What can directly support operations without including power utilization How much energy a particular device utilizes per unit of time?
- B. only that which directly supports the data center like electrical distribution and cooling equipment
- C. Maximal consumption across all measured devices in a specified amount of time.
- D. Proportion between IT subsystem's input vs output capacities over some period

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 156

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