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Assignment 3

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed. **Due on 2016-08-10, 23:59 IST.**

Submitted assignment

1) Which of the following statements is false?

1 point

- IPRs are immensely significant for sharing the innovation, encouraging creativity and building consumer trust
- In the age of digitization new challenges appeared in managing the copyrights, when the consumer is the creator
- Marginal cost of copying is infinite
- The administration of copyright laws is extremely difficult

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

Marginal cost of copying is infinite

2) Piracy is a function of the market for the copyrighted materials, the more _____ the market is, the more limited piracy will be.

1 point

- Strong
- Weak
- Limited
- Diverse

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

Weak

3) Match the following:

1 point

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|--|-------------------------------------|
| A. Losses of US \$ 1 Billion | i. Music piracy |
| B. 40 billion files illegally shared in 2008 | ii. Korean DVD market |
| C. 40 % of the global copyright market | iii. US share of copyright industry |
| D. 11.25 % of GDP | iv. Software piracy |

- A-i, B-ii, C-iii, D-iv
- A-i, B-ii, C-iv, D-iii
- A-ii, B-i, C-iii, D-iv
- A-ii, B-i, C-iv, D-iii

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

A-ii, B-i, C-iv, D-iii

4) Which of the following statements is incorrect? 1 point

- Application and use of cell and molecular biology for the transformation, modification and enrichment of produce or methods comes under biotechnology.
- Patent system has conferred intellectual property protection to innovations in biotechnology, however, has initiated confrontation of the interests of public and private parties.
- Activists and some farmers alleged that Monsanto and other companies have resorted to unfair patent protection to exploit the natural rights of farmers.
- Pharmaceutical patents have decreased the cost of essential and life savings drugs.

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

Pharmaceutical patents have decreased the cost of essential and life savings drugs.

5) In _____ the government permits third parties to manufacture the patented products without the approval of the owner of the patent. 1 point

- Quota system
- Open general licensing
- Compulsory licensing
- Patent system

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

Compulsory licensing

6) What are the two forms of protection of traditional knowledge? 1 point

- A. Defensive
- B. Positive
- C. Constructive
- D. Negative

- A and D
- A and C
- B and C
- A and B

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

A and B

7) Which of the following statements is correct? 1 point

- Monsanto sells leading seeds brands, technology, herbicides etc. across countries, entered India in 2000.
- India started using GM cotton seeds since 2005.
- Monsanto introduced Bt technology in India in 1990s and was officially approved in 2002
- Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) Treaty took place in 2002.

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

Monsanto introduced Bt technology in India in 1990s and was officially approved in 2002

8) _____ are protected through International Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants (UPOV Convention) set up on 2 Dec, 1961 and revised in 1972, 1978 and 1991. 1 point

- Copyrights
- Plant Breeders Rights

- Patents
- Geographical indications

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

Plant Breeders Rights

9) Piracy and sales are simultaneously related to each other: piracy _____ legitimate sales from copyright owners, but sales determine the extent of piracy. **1 point**

- Counterfeiting
- Correlate
- Increases
- Crowd out

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

Crowd out

10) Which of the following is/are measure taken to reduce online piracy by the private sector? **1 point**

- The Copyright Alert System (CAS)
- The Trust Accountability Group's Brand Integrity Program Against Piracy (TAG Anti-Piracy Program)
- In-house Software Asset Management (SAM) program
- All

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

All

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