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Quiz – Chapter 1: Quality Audits
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- 1. Which of the following best defines a quality audit?**
 - A. An inspection of products to verify conformance to specifications
 - B. A systematic, independent, and documented process to gather evidence against criteria
 - C. A review of employee performance to ensure accountability
 - D. A regulatory enforcement action performed by government agencies

- 2. A customer visits a supplier to confirm their ability to meet quality requirements. What type of audit is this?**
 - A. First-party audit
 - B. Second-party audit
 - C. Third-party audit
 - D. Compliance audit

- 3. Which of the following is the broadest in scope?**
 - A. Product audit
 - B. Process audit
 - C. System audit
 - D. Compliance audit

- 4. Which type of audit is most often required for certification to ISO 9001?**
 - A. Supplier Product audit
 - B. First-party System audit
 - C. Third-party registration audit
 - D. Follow-up audit

- 5. Which type of audit focuses on verifying conformity to laws, regulations, and contractual requirements?**
 - A. Performance audit
 - B. Compliance audit
 - C. Supplier audit
 - D. System audit

- 6. An organization decides to combine its quality and environmental audits into a single event. What type of audit is this?**
- A. Process audit
 - B. Desk audit
 - C. Integrated audit
 - D. Supplier audit
- 7. Which of the following would most likely have the narrowest audit scope?**
- A. System audit
 - B. Process audit
 - C. Product audit
 - D. Supplier audit
- 8. What type of audit is performed to confirm a system's compliance with regulatory or customer requirements?**
- A. Product audit
 - B. Process audit
 - C. Compliance audit
 - D. Performance audit

Solutions

- #1: B – A quality audit is a systematic, independent, documented process.
- #2: B – A customer auditing its supplier = second-party audit.
- #3: C – A system audit covers the entire QMS, the broadest scope.
- #4: C – Certification requires a third-party registration audit.
- #5: B – Compliance audits focus on regulatory/legal adherence.
- #6: C – An Integrated audit would include a combination of focus areas.
- #7: C – Product audits tend to be the narrowest in scope..
- #8: C – A compliance audit would be used to confirm compliance to a regulatory requirement.