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## Theory of Information and Communication

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### Unit 2- Test 2.2

Here are the same fill-in-the-blank questions with two options, one correct and one incorrect:

1. According to Buckland, information can be classified into three dimensions: information as \_\_\_\_\_, information as knowledge, and information as object.

- **(process)** / (object)

2. In digital environments, the concept of a document is expanded to include forms like memes, which are often considered \_\_\_\_\_ documents.

- **(ephemeral)** / (physical)

3. Information as \_\_\_\_\_ refers to the communicated knowledge that has the potential to change the individual's understanding or knowledge.

- **(knowledge)** / (process)

4. The digital world introduces the idea of the document having a \_\_\_\_\_ nature, allowing documents to be linked and navigated through hypertext.

- **(hypertextual)** / (physical)

5. One of the main differences between information and \_\_\_\_\_ is that communication requires a response from the recipient, while information does not.

- **(communication)** / (data)

6. Buckland's definition of information as \_\_\_\_\_ suggests that information can be physically or virtually embodied in mediums like books or digital files.

- **(object)** / (process)

7. In the field of documentation, the primary function of the discipline is to mediate between information senders and \_\_\_\_\_ to ensure communication.

- **(receivers)** / (creators)

8. Documents, in their traditional sense, have a physical dimension, but in the digital age, they also have a \_\_\_\_\_ dimension due to their ability to be modified and reproduced.

- **(multimedia)** / (static)

9. The term "Information Society" is difficult to define because of the growing \_\_\_\_\_ of the concept of information and its different interpretations.

- **(complexity)** / (simplicity)

10. A meme can be considered a \_\_\_\_\_ document because it is a new form of expression in the digital culture, despite its ephemeral nature.

- **(digital)** / (traditional)

