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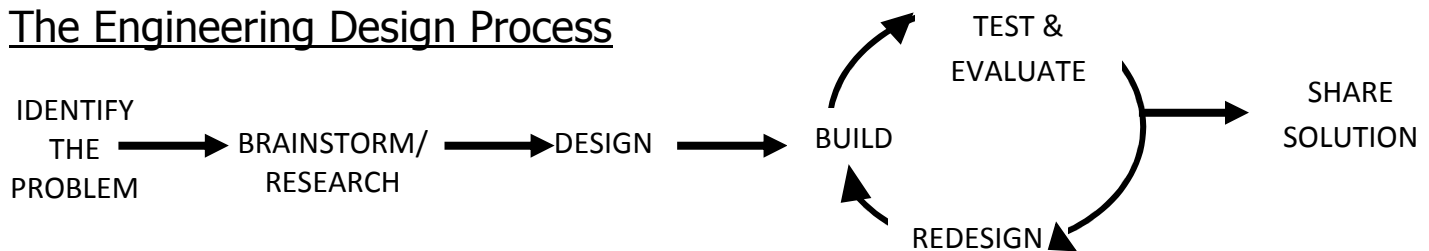
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Complete the following problems to help you get ready for the test:

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## The Engineering Design Process



Match each of the steps of the Engineering Design Process to its definition.

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|------------------------------------|---|
| 1. _____ Identify the Problem      | A. She decided to first try diluted vinegar.  |
| 2. _____ Brainstorm                | B. Instead of using the store-bought products, she decided to try some other household products that she had around her house. She looked through her cabinets and came up with a number of ideas of products that she could try using. |
| 3. _____ Design                    | C. After applying that to the stove top and scrubbing for a little bit, it did remove the grease.   |
| 4. _____ Build a Prototype         | D. She ended up writing an email to all of her friends about what had worked in case they were having the same problem themselves.  |
| 5. _____ Test and Evaluate         | E. She mixed the 2 tablespoons of baking soda with a tablespoon of water in a small dish.   |
| 6. _____ Re-designing              | F. The cleaners that she bought from the store just never seemed to cut through the grease on her stove top very well.  |
| 7. _____ Re-build                  | G. She took a spray bottle and filled it up half way with vinegar and the other half with water.  |
| 8. _____ Re-test and Re-evaluate   | H. After that she decided to try making a paste of water and baking soda.   |
| 9. _____ Share Solution/Conclusion | I. She sprayed the stove top, dried it off and determined that it still did not take off the grease as good as she wanted.  |

Use the following scenario to answer questions 10 and 11:

You and your engineering colleagues designed a juice box. The juice box has been out on the market for a few months but your superiors are already pushing for a new and improved container. You and your colleagues then design the juice pouch. Using the design process of an engineer, write about what you and your colleagues went through at each step of the design process. Put yourselves in the shoes of an engineer (it is ok to make up data).

10. Given the following scenario, walk me through **each** of the steps of the design process. **Pretend that you are the engineer on the project.**
11. Identify as many constraints that you can think of that you might run into for the scenario above.
12. Which of the following best defines the word constraint?  
A. Restriction                      B. Opportunity                      C. Idea                      D. Option
13. The organized and orderly approach to solving problems is known as the \_\_\_\_.  
a. engineering design process                      c. aesthetic process  
b. building design process                      d. architectural process
14. **True or False:** Constraints make coming up with an engineering design more difficult.