

GDP: Expenditure Approach

1. Which of the following is not a component of GDP?
 - a) Producer Price Index
 - b) Consumption
 - c) Net Exports
 - d) Government Purchases

2. If the base year is 2000, then real and nominal GDP in 2000 will be equal.
 - a) True
 - b) False

3. The expenditure approach to calculating GDP sums:
 - a) Consumer spending, gross private domestic investment, government transfers and exports minus imports.
 - b) Consumer spending, gross private domestic investment, government spending and exports minus imports.
 - c) Consumer spending, gross private domestic investment, government spending and imports minus exports.
 - d) Consumer spending, gross private domestic investment, government transfers and exports.

4. Net Exports refer to:
 - a) Exports plus imports
 - b) All the goods and services produced, minus those exported
 - c) Exports minus imports
 - d) All the goods and services produced, plus imports

Answers:

1. a. $GDP = C + I + G + (X - M)$
2. a. by definition
3. b. $GDP = C + I + G + (X - M)$
4. a. $Net\ Exports = Exports - Imports$

Where: **C = Consumption Expenditure**
 I = Investment Expenditure
 G = Government Expenditure
 X = Exports
 M = Imports
 (X - M) = Net Exports