Using the Green Book

Use the FGDC Workbook to complete the following tasks and answer the questions below.

With a pack of post-it flags and a printed version of the workbook in front of you, go through the *Green Book* and bookmark the seven main sections and three supporting sections. (If you're using an electronic version of the book, become familiar with how the bookmarks work on the left-hand side of the screen.)

1. What are the seven main sections of FGDC metadata?

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2. What are the three supporting sections?

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3. What is the definition for the data element *West Bounding Coordinate* (Section 1)?

4. What is the definition for the compound element *Description* (Section 1)?

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5. What data elements make up the compound element *Description*?

6. What is the domain for the data element *Process Date* (Section 2)?

7. What is the domain for the data element *Address Type* (Section 10)?

8. Name one compound element from Section 2 that can be repeated.

9. Name one data element from Section 8 that can be repeated.

10. Is the data element *Abstract* (Section 1) mandatory? Explain how you came to this conclusion.

11. Is the data element *Ellipsoid Name* (Section 4) mandatory? Explain how you came to this conclusion.

12. What is the short name for the compound element *Direct Spatial Reference Method*?

13. What is the data type for the data element *Abscissa Resolution* (Section 4)?