

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2023****Subject Code:3164014****Date:11-12-2023****Subject Name:Construction Project Planning and Management****Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks:70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

**MARKS**

- Q.1** (a) What are the functions of construction management? **03**  
 (b) Differentiate CPM and PERT methods. **04**  
 (c) Write a note on Resource Smoothing with suitable example. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Define the scope of construction management. **03**  
 (b) Explain the step-by-step planning of a construction project. **04**  
 (c) What are the floats in the CPM method. Explain all the floats with suitable example. **07**

**OR**

- (c) Crash the project with the activities shown in the table below by 2 days with minimum costing. The indirect cost for the project is 800 Rs per Day. **07**

Activity	Normal		Crash	
	Time (days)	Cost (Rs)	Time (days)	Cost (Rs)
1-2	8	25000	6	30000
1-3	4	15000	2	18000
2-4	2	5000	1	6000
2-5	10	10000	5	16000
3-4	5	10000	1	18000
4-5	3	9000	1	4000

- Q.3** (a) What is BETA distribution. Where is it used? **03**  
 (b) Explain time cost optimization of networks. **04**  
 (c) For the activities of a project shown in the table, what is the probability of the project to be completed in 25 days? **07**

Activity	Predecessor Activity	Time		
		Optimistic	Most likely	Pessimistic
A	--	2	5	14
B	--	1	10	12
C	A	0	0	6
D	A	1	4	7
E	C	3	10	15
F	D	3	5	7
G	B	1	2	3
H	E, F	5	10	15
I	G	3	6	9

**OR**

- Q.3** (a) Explain the significance of Network updating. **03**  
(b) Explain resource allocation with suitable example. **04**  
(c) A canal construction project has a list of tasks to be completed with the below tabulated time estimates. **07**

Activity	Activity Name	T <sub>0</sub> (days)	T <sub>m</sub> (days)	T <sub>p</sub> (days)
1-2	A	4	6	8
1-3	B	2	3	10
1-4	C	6	8	16
2-4	D	1	2	3
3-4	E	6	7	8
3-5	F	6	7	14
4-6	G	3	5	7
4-7	H	4	11	12
5-7	I	2	4	6
6-7	J	2	9	10

- A. Draw the project Network.  
B. Find the Critical path.  
C. Find the probability of the project to be completed in 19 days.

- Q.4** (a) What is scheduling? **03**  
(b) Write a short note on the application of Line Of Balance method. **04**  
(c) Generate Work Breakdown Structure for the construction of a portion of 15 km long National Highway. Show all the activities up to level 1 and any one activity up to level 4. **07**

**OR**

- Q.4** (a) Explain the use of a bar chart in a infrastructure project. **03**  
(b) What are the stakeholders in a bridge construction project? **04**  
(c) Generate Work Breakdown Structure for the construction of an International School up to level 2 in all the activities. **07**

- Q.5** (a) Differentiate AOA and AON. **03**  
(b) Define the terms: (A) Crashing of an activity (B) Indirect Cost (C) Cash inflow (D) Resource smoothing. **04**  
(c) Draw AOA diagram for the activities shown in the table given below. Determine critical path and duration of the project. **07**

Activity	Predecessor Activity	Duration in weeks
A	--	6
B	--	2
C	--	9
D	A, B	4
E	B	7
F	D	5
G	D, E	10
H	C, F, G	8
I	C, G	3
J	H, I	2

**OR**

- Q.5** (a) Define Controlling in project management? **03**  
(b) Enlist minimum 8 activities with suitable duration and sequence in the construction of a steel bridge over a running railway line. **04**  
(c) Draw AON network diagram for the activities shown in the table given below. Determine critical path and duration of the project. **07**

Activity	Predecessor Activity	Duration in weeks
A	--	6
B	--	2
C	--	9
D	A, B	4
E	B	7
F	D	5
G	D, E	10
H	C, F, G	8
I	C, G	3
J	H, I	2

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