

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER-VIII • EXAMINATION – SUMMER • 2015****Subject Code: 182506****Date: 05/05/2015****Subject Name: Managing Projects****Time: 10.30AM-01.00PM****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** What is manpower balancing? Solve the following example of project scheduling. Obtain a schedule which minimize the peak manpower requirement and also smooth out period to period variation of manpower requirement, **14**

Activity	Duration (Weeks)	Manpower Requirement
1-2	4	9
1-3	8	5
2-3	10	6
3-4	9	8
2-4	6	6
3-5	5	12
4-5	7	7

- Q.2** (a) Define scope of the project and develop a work breakdown structure of the project of your choice. **07**
- (b) Describe the different attributes of the project. **07**
- OR**
- (b) Explain stages of project life cycle with neat sketch **07**
- Q.3** (a) Describe various appraisal methods in project scanning and selection with suitable example **07**
- (b) What is Gantt chart? Explain applications of Gantt chart with suitable case problem. **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) Describe investment appraisal techniques with suitable examples **07**
- (b) What are the techniques can be used to determine the optimum investment schedule for a company? Explain them in detail. **07**
- Q.4** (a) Explain different types of risks involved in projects with suitable example. **07**
- (b) Discuss various components of project planning in detail. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) Explain different attributes and measures for the success & failure of project. **07**
- (b) What is matrix organization structure of a project organization? Describe different levels of matrix organization in detail. **07**

**Q.5**

Consider the network for a small maintenance project in the following table. All given times are in days.

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Job	Initial node	Final node	Optimistic time	Pessimistic time	Most likely time
A	1	2	1	3	2
B	1	4	4	6	5
C	1	3	4	5	3
D	2	6	2	4	3
E	2	4	1	3	2
F	3	4	2	4	3
G	3	5	6	15	7
H	4	6	4	6	5
I	4	7	5	15	8
J	4	5	1	3	2
K	5	7	2	4	3
L	6	7	6	15	10

- (i) Draw the PERT diagram representing project
- (ii) What is the critical path and what is the total slack time in the network?
- (iii) What is the expected time for 68%, 95% and 98% completion limits?

**OR****Q.5**

- (a) Explain project control stage with suitable case problem
- (b) Write a short note on crashing of the project.

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