

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE - SEMESTER-VIII EXAMINATION - SUMMER 2020

Subject Code: 2180611	Date: 29/10/2020
Subject Name: Construction 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.

			MARKS
Q.1	(a)	Define the Following: (1) Network (2) Work Breakdown Structure (3) Cost Slope	03
	(b)	What guidelines should be considered while creating a work breakdown structure?	04
	(c)	Enlist and explain the attributes leading to success and failure of a project.	07
Q.2	(a)	Which are the applications of funds flow statements?	03
	(b)	Discuss ABC analysis for material management.	04
	(c)	What is the difference between quality assurance & quality control in construction projects?	07
	(c)	What is value engineering? Illustrate the application of value engineering for a typical project of your choice.	07
Q.3	(a)	Define float. Differentiate free float and total float.	03
	(b)	(b) How should the Project Manager use Float on the project?	
	(c)	A construction company purchases 12,000 bags of cement annually. Each bag of cement costs Rs. 350/- and the cost incurred in procuring each lot is Rs. 200. The cost of carrying is 25 %. What is the most economical order quantity? What is the average inventory level? OR	07
Q.3	(a)	Differentiate between network diagram and time grid diagram.	03
~	(b)	Discuss with suitable example use of time grid diagram.	04
	(c)	Differentiate between CPM and PERT.	07

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(b) Explain working capital and its management.

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- (c) Illustrate with example the method of Graphical Solution to a Linear Programming Problem.

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OR

Q.4 (a) List the principles of safety in construction industry.

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(b) Explain the accident causation theory.

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(c) The following details are available regarding a project. Determine the critical path, the critical activities and the project completion time.

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Activity	Predecessor Activity	Duration (Weeks)
A	-	3
В	A	5
С	A	7
D	В	10
Е	С	5
F	D,E	4

Q.5 (a) What is linear programming? State its uses.

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(b) What are the advantages and limitations in using linear programming in construction management?

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(c) Discuss in brief, the resource allocation. Describe the methods for it.

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OR

Q.5 (a) Explain the term 'Job Layout'.

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(b) What are the factors affecting Job Layout?

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- (c) Write short note on (i) Bar Chart
- (ii) Cost time Tradeoff.

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