CE1.4-R4: PROJECT MANAGEMENT

NOTE:

1.	Answer question 1 and any FOUR from questions 2 to 7.	
2.	Parts of the same question should be answered together and in the same	
	sequence.	

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 100

- 1.
- a) Define the term Software Project Management. How development and management of software projects is different from other type of development projects?
- b) List and explain three feasibility tests in brief.
- c) What is cash flow forecasting? When is it done and why is it needed?
- d) What is PERT? For what purpose is it used? Explain in brief.
- e) Define acceptance testing and explain it in brief.
- f) Describe structured and unstructured decision making in brief.
- g) Explain different types of contracts in brief.

2.

- a) What are the problems with software projects? Explain any three problems with brief description of each.
- b) Provide an outline of step wise project planning activities.

(9+9)

(7x4)

3.

 Describe outline of COCOMO model. Consider a system for online auctions for various products. It is decided that the system will comprise some modules. The modules and their expected sizes are as follows.

Login module	→ 200 LOC
Payment module	→ 200 LOC
Administrator interface module	\rightarrow 600 LOC
Seller functions module	\rightarrow 200 LOC
Buyer functions module	→ 500 LOC
View and bookkeeping module	→ 300 LOC
TOTAL	→2000 LOC

The total size of this software is estimated to be 2K LOC as shown above. Consider all other factors have a nominal rating. Also consider standard values of constants a (3.9) and b (0.91). Find out effort based on these information.

- b) Explain how algorithm cost model can be used for estimating software cost?
- c) How to perform variation and risk analysis for a software project?

(8+6+4)

- 4.
- a) Explain notion of activity network by giving suitable example.
- b) What is earned value analysis? Explain in detail.
- c) What is the relationship between software configuration management and software maintenance?

(6+6+6)

- a) What is return on investment? Define outline of return of investment? Calculate the return on investment (ROI) if average annual profit is Rs.10,000/- against the total investment of Rs. 1,00,000/-.
- b) What is a role of a Software Project Manager? Explain the role of various charts used for software project management?

(9+9)

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6.

- a) Explain risk mitigation, monitoring and management of risks while developing software.
- b) What are different types of resources required for a project? Give the resource requirements project cycle and explain in brief.
- c) Discuss in brief about software quality attributes/parameters.

(8+5+5)

7.

- a) What is meaning of Total Quality Management? What are advantages of TQM? Does ISO 9001 is aimed for TQM?
- b) Describe the meaning of Software Configuration Management (SCM). Write the benefits and various functions of SCM.
- c) Discuss agility and agile process.

(6+6+6)