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Project Management: Basic

Code: CT92-701 Duration: 1 day

Series: Project Management

Fundamentals of project management

Projects, Project management processes

Characteristics

Project environment

Organisational structure

Project manager, Project team

Scope

Scope management, Scope planning

Scope definition and verification

Work breakdown structure

Scope change control

Time management

Time management variable

Understanding diagrams

Activity duration, Estimating techniques

Mathematical analysis techniques

Schedule control

Purpose, Schedule adherence

Estimating costs

Fundamentals of estimating costs Assign resources

Cost approximating

Fundamentals of cost approximating Cost-estimating techniques

Cost budgeting

Project budgeting

Cost control

Variance analysis

Completion calculations



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By completing this course, participants will learn how to:

- Identify the features and attributes of a project. Identify the steps and variables of the project management process.
- Identify the effect of environment and the various socioeconomic and organisational influences on a project. Identify the effect of organisational structure on a project. Identify critical functions, necessary skills, responsibilities, and challenges of a project manager. Choose a project team.
- Identify the components of scope management. Determine the actions involved in scope planning. Identify the process of scope definition and verification. Develop the work breakdown structure (WBS) and the work package. Identify need for scope change control.
- Identify the components of time management and the purpose of activity definition and sequencing. Convert an activity list into a network diagram. Estimate activity duration and work effort. Estimate the project duration by using estimating techniques. Use mathematical analysis techniques for schedule development.
- Identify the purpose of schedule control. Identify the importance of schedule adherence.
- Identify the necessary project resources by using WBS and other tools. Identify ways of assigning resources to activities.
- Use WBS & historical sources to approximate project costs. Apply cost estimating techniques.
- Use capital budgeting and depreciation methods for project budgeting. Control project costs. Calculate cost and schedule variance for variance analysis. Compute a project's estimate at completion (EAC) and variance at completion (VAC).

Prerequisites: None