## TMC-204(3)

## M. C. A. (FIRST SEMESTER) MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION, March, 2024

SOFTWARE PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Time: 1½ Hours

**Maximum Marks: 50** 

- Note: (i) Answer all the questions by choosing any *one* of the sub-questions.
  - (ii) Each sub-question carries 10 marks.
- 1. (a) Define project. How is software project different from other types of projects?

  Elaborate with the help of suitable examples. (CO1)

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(b) Elaborate the role of management in software. Discuss the activities covered by software project management. (CO1)

2. (a) Consider a library management system with functionalities for inquires, book return, book issue and fine collection.

Discuss the steps for project planning with respect to library management system?

Elaborate with the help of flow diagram.

(CO1)

OR

- (b) Compare and contrast traditional and modern approaches of software development. Elaborate with the help of suitable example. (CO1)
- 3. (a) Why cost and benefit analysis is important?

  Also elaborate the terms: (CO2)
  - (i) Net present value and
  - (ii) Payback period

OR

(b) Consider a software project with annual profit of \$8000 and total investment of \$4300. Calculate the return on investment of the project. (CO2)

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4. (a) Define Risk. Discuss the different methods for risk evaluation. (CO2)

OR

- (b) Which software process model is best suited for risk management? Explain the model. Describe how the model is used to layout the objectives, risks, and plans for quality improvement. (CO2)
- 5. (a) If you have to develop a word processing software product, what process models will you choose? Justify your answer.

(CO2)

OR

(b) Discuss the agile model with respect to real life example. Also, mention the two perspectives on scaling of agile methods. Discuss scrum in detail. (CO2)

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