

Assignment 7

Project Management

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1. The four types of project closures are _____.

- a) extinction, addition, integration, and aggravation
- b) extinction, addition, integration, and starvation
- c) extinction, inclination, integration, and starvation
- d) extinction, addition, implementation, and starvation

Ans: b

2. When a decision is made to terminate a project by extinction, the most noticeable event is that _____.

- a) all activity on the substance of the project ceases
- b) all organizational activity related to the project ceases
- c) all further expenditures related to the project are immediately blocked
- d) all activity on the project ceases

Ans: a

3. Closures that are typically the result of conflict between senior managers, one of whom may be terminated along with the project, are known as _____.

- a) political closures
- b) closure by addition
- c) closure by integration
- d) conflict closures

Ans: a

4. The _____ is a thorough examination of the management of a project, its methodology and procedures, its records, its properties, its budgets and expenditures, and its degree of completion. It may deal with the project as a whole, or only with a part of the project.

- a) ethical audit
- b) project methodology
- c) project audit

d) project well-check

Ans: c

5. Audits done early in the project lifecycle are often focused on _____.

- a) technical issues
- b) management issues
- c) financial issues
- d) personnel issues

Ans: a

6. During the audit, the auditor/evaluator must maintain _____ and treat all materials gathered as confidential until the audit is formally released.

- a) political and technical independence
- b) political independence
- c) technical independence
- d) technical dependence

Ans: a

7. Control is focused on three elements of a project. They are _____.

- a) scope, quality, and customer satisfaction
- b) performance, delivery, and cost
- c) scope, cost, and time
- d) cost, time, and customer satisfaction

Ans: c

8. Two of the most common limits on the depth of an investigation and level of detail presented in an audit report are _____.

- a) the personality of the auditor and cooperation received
- b) scope and objectives
- c) word processing support and existing documentation
- d) money and time

Ans: d

9. The closure process is all of the following except which one?

- a) Always complicated
- b) Almost always inevitable
- c) Never easy
- d) Straight-forward

Ans: d

10. Which of the following is not a common task for a closure manager?

- a) ensuring completion of the work
- b) redistributing personnel materials, and equipment
- c) communicating with all stakeholders why the project was terminated
- d) overseeing the closing of the project's books

Ans: c
