

		King Saud University College of Computer and Information Sciences Computer Science Department	
		Course Code:	CSC 342
		Course Title:	Software Engineering
		Semester: 2	Fall 2017
			Midterm 1 Solution
Student Name:		
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Tick the Relevant	Computer Science B.Sc. Program ABET Student Outcomes	Question No. Relevant Is Hyperlinked	Covering %
	a) Apply knowledge of computing and mathematics appropriate to the discipline;	-----	-----
√	b) Analyze a problem, and identify and define the computing requirements appropriate to its solution	2-3-4	70%
√	c) Design, implement and evaluate a computer-based system, process, component, or program to meet desired needs;	---	---
√	d) Function effectively on teams to accomplish a common goal;	-----	-----
√	e) Understanding of professional, ethical, legal, security, and social issues and responsibilities;	-----	-----
	f) Communicate effectively with a range of audiences;	-----	-----
	g) Analyze the local and global impact of computing on individuals, organizations and society;	-----	-----
	h) Recognition of the need for, and an ability to engage in, continuing professional development;	-----	-----
√	i) Use current techniques, skills, and tools necessary for computing practices.	---	---
	j) Apply mathematical foundations, algorithmic principles, and computer science theory in the modeling and design of computer-based systems in a way that demonstrates comprehension of the tradeoffs involved in design choices;	-----	-----
√	k) Apply design and development principles in the construction of software systems of varying complexity;	---	---
√	General Question	1	30%

Exercise 1: (4.5 points)

True or False

- a. User requirements: Statements in high level language plus diagrams of the services the system provides and its operational constraints.
- b. Validation testing is intended to show that the software meets its requirements
- c. System requirements are a deliverable report.
- d. Computer-aided software engineering (CASE) one of the stages of software development.
- e. Spiral is often a good choice for larger systems with vague requirements and many alternatives for designing and coding.

Circle the correct answer(s)

- 1. Requirements engineering is an activity that intends to:
 - a. Satisfy the customers and users' needs.
 - b. Transform the unclear requirements resources into clear, precise, and consistent specifications.
 - c. Avoid the requirements confusion.
 - d. All of the above.
- 2. Risk assessment is considered in which of the following software process models?
 - a. Spiral model
 - b. Rational Unified Process
 - c. Incremental development
 - d. Waterfall model
- 3. Which of the following process models is best suited for the development of systems whose requirements are well known?
 - a. Agile
 - b. Incremental development
 - c. Waterfall
 - d. Spiral model
- 4. Which of the following is not a project management activity?
 - a. Project monitoring
 - b. Proposal writing
 - c. System designing
 - d. Project planning

Answer:

a	b	c	d	e	1	2	3	4
T	T	F	F	T	d	a	c	c

Exercise 2: (3 points)

Suppose a large project related to the "Student Registration System" is will be developed. The system has two major subsystems:

- The user interface subsystem which shall be implemented as simple HTML without frames or Java applets but the Dean wants to participate in the development of this subsystem.
- And the registration subsystem whose requirements are well known.

Suggest the most appropriate software process model that might be used as a basis for managing the development of the system. Giving reasons for your answer based on the type of system being developed.

Answer:

Incremental Process Model:

- User interface subsystem: Evolutionary Development
- Registration subsystem: Waterfall

Exercise 3: (3 points)

For the five requirement statements below, indicate what type of requirement it is, Functional (F), or Non Functional (NF: Product requirement, Organisational requirement, and External requirement).

- a. Customer can pay bill though ATM.
- b. System Y shall process a minimum of 8 transactions per second.
- c. The executable code of System Z shall be limited to 512Kbytes (Memory size of the system).
- d. User can print document easily.
- e. The system does not allow do display unethical pictures.
- f. The system shall be developed using an object oriented approach.
- g. Student can add and remove courses.
- ✔ h. The access permissions for system data may only be changed by the system's data administrator.
- i. The system shall not operate if the external temperature is below 4 degrees Celsius.
- j. Customer can transfer money throw the website of bank.

Answer:

a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j
F	Pr	Or	F	Ex	Or	F	F	O	F

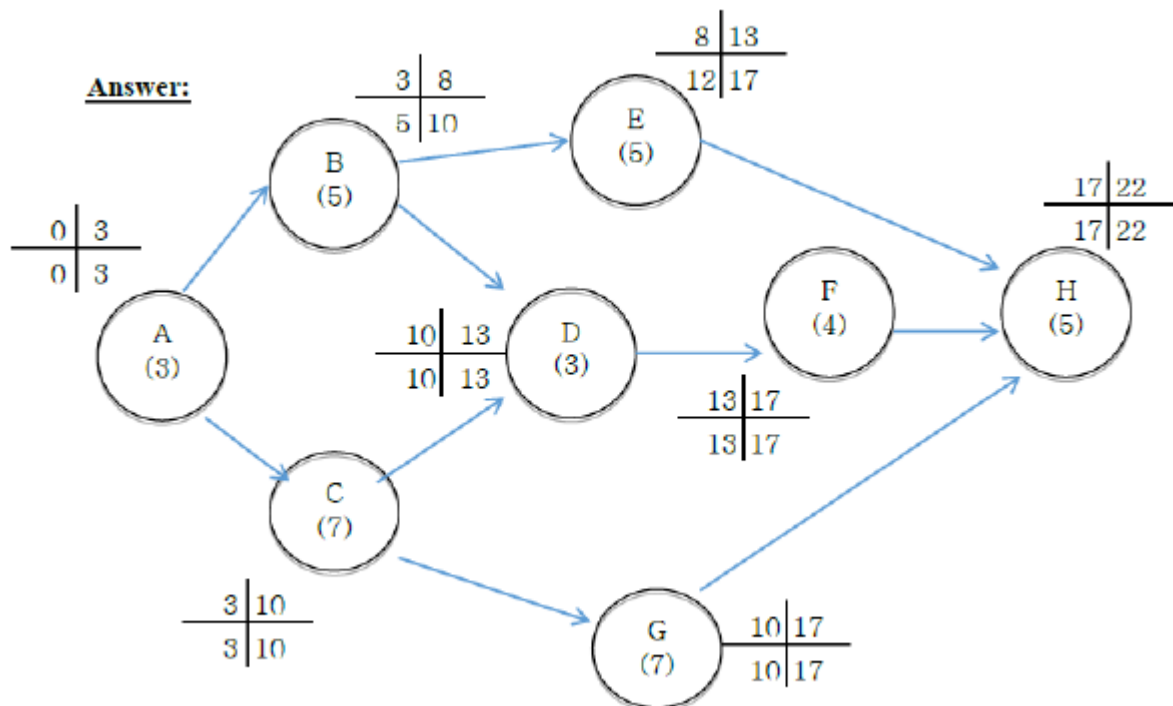
Exercise 4: (4,5 points)

Consider a project with the following activities. Times are given in weeks.

Activity	Preceding	Time (week)
A	--	3
B	A	5
C	A	7
D	B, C	3
E	B	5
F	D	4
G	C	7
H	E, F, G	5

1. Draw the network activity diagram and find the earliest and the latest start/finish time for each activity?
2. Identify critical path.
3. If activity E is delayed by 5 weeks, will the project completion time be affected? Justify your answer.
4. If activity F is delayed by 5 weeks, will the project completion time be affected? Justify your answer.

Answer:



- 1.
2. There are 2 critical paths: A-C-D-F-H and A-C-G-H

3. Yes, the project will be delayed. The slack of activity E is 4, and it can be delayed by 4 weeks without affecting the project. If it delays by more than 4 weeks the project will be delayed.
4. Yes, the project will be delayed. Activity F is part of the critical path, and any delays in activity F will affect the project.

Result					
Question No.	Relevant Student Outcome	SO is Covered by %	Full Mark	Student Mark	Assessor's Feedback
2	b	20%	3		
3		20%	3		
4		30%	4.5		
1	General	30%	4.5		
Totals		100%	15		
<p>I certify that the work contained within this assignment is all my own work and referenced where required.</p> <p>Student Signature: _____ Date: _____</p>					<p>Feedback Received:</p> <p>Student Signature: _____ Date: _____</p>