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YEAR OF STUDY: **BACHELOR OF COMMERCE YEAR IV/LEVEL VII**
TITLE OF PAPER : **MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING II**
COURSE CODE : **AC 425 / IDE AC 505**
TOTAL MARKS : **100 MARKS**
TIME ALLOWED : **THREE HOURS**

INSTRUCTIONS

1. **There are four questions, answer all**
2. **Begin the solution to each question on a new page**
3. **The marks awarded for a question are indicated at the end of each question.**
4. **Show the necessary working**

Recommendations: Reading time should not exceed (15) minutes.

NOTE: **You are reminded that in assessing your work, account will be taken of accuracy of the language and general quality of expression, together with layout and presentation of your answer.**

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS : CALCULATOR

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QUESTION 1

The following information are given with the assumption in all cases, the investment has a useful life for 10 years. (25 marks)

No of Year	Annual Cash Inflow	Investment	Cost of Capital	IRR	NPV
1	E100 000	E449 400	14%	(a)	(b)
2	E70 000	(c)	14%	20%	(d)
3	(e)	E200, 000	(f)	14%	E35, 624
4	(g)	E300, 000	12%	(h)	E390, 000

REQUIRED:

From the above data calculate and write the blanks for each independent cases.

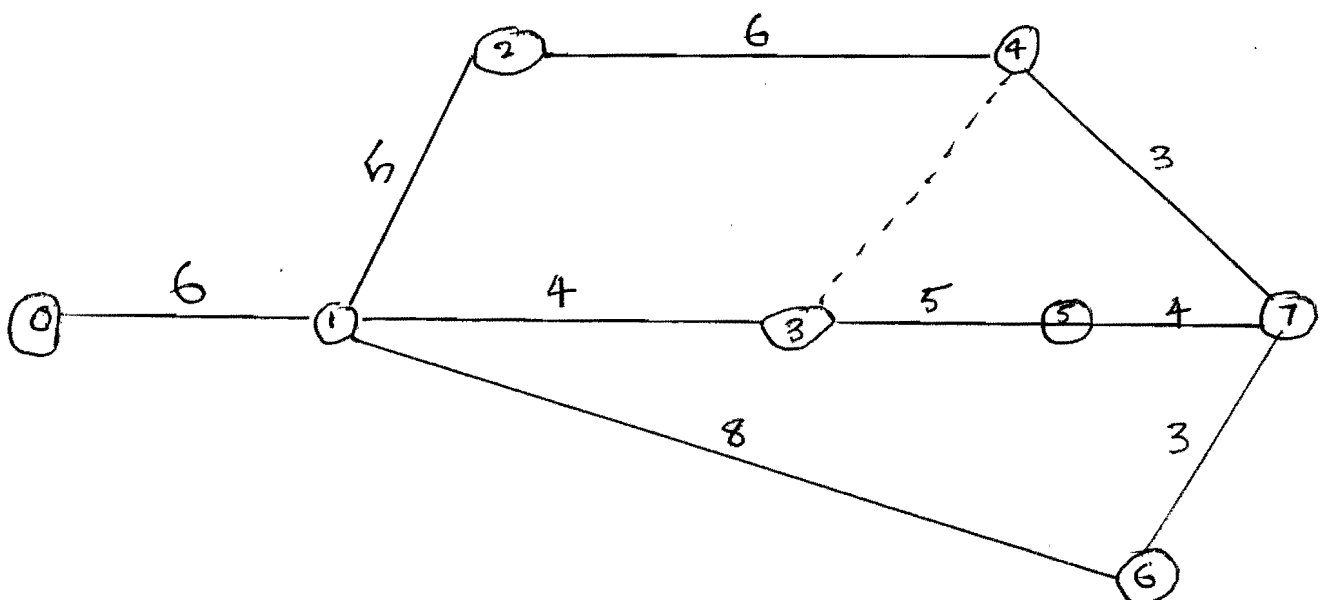
NB: Each solution should be accompanied by supporting computations.

QUESTION 2

Project Evaluating Review Techniques (PERT) network before crashing are given below.

The earliest completion times of each activity are also shown (indicated) in the chart

NB : The activity times (duration) are in weeks.



REQUIRED:

- (a) Compute the critical path in the network (10 marks)
- (b) (i) with reference to the Project Evaluating Review Technique (PERT) network in requirement and above compute the latest completion times for each event (5 marks)
- (ii) Compute the total slack in the network (5 marks)
- (iii) How can slack be utilised? (5 marks)

QUESTION 3**REQUIRED:**

Calculate and write the missing information in the following table are given below.

(25 marks)

Particulars	<u>Dept. A</u>	<u>Dept. B</u>	<u>Dept. C</u>
Sales	E60, 000	E75, 000	E100, 000
Operating income	(a)	E25000	(e)
Operating assets	E30, 000	(c)	E50, 000
Return on investment (ROI)	15%	10%	20%
Minimum required			
Rate of return	10%	(d)	(f)
Residual income	(b)	E5000	0

QUESTION 4

The management Accountant management asking for your assistance, how it can possible to find the production cost of its product at any activity level. (25 marks)

REQUIRED:

Write short note on the possible methods.