



# COMSATS INSTITUTE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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Department of Management Sciences

## MIDTERM EXAMINATION

Course Subject: Project Management (MS)

Marks: 25

Date: Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> December 2006

Time: 1.5 Hours

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- i. Please attempt **both** questions. They carry equal marks.
- ii. **Do not** write unnecessary details, it will be considered as negative point.
- iii. Mobile phones, laptops, calculators, digital diaries and other electronic devices are **not** permitted in the examination hall

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**Question 1:** Projects are crucial for the ensuring the survival and growth of organizations. Discuss this assertion. In attempting this question, consider also the opportunities created by and the challenges facing projects from a holistic perspective which includes both the internal and external environment of the organization.

**Question 2:** Is a methodology needed for managing projects? Discuss. How would a project management methodology look like and why?

**Remember: Focus on quality rather quantity!**

**Good Luck!**