

GANTT CHART

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On my way to the fair, I met 7 jugglers and a bear coming the other way. Every juggler had 6 cats. Every cat had 5 rats. Every rat had 4 houses. Every house had 3 mice. Every mouse had 2 louses. Every louse had a spouse.

How many in all were going to the fair?

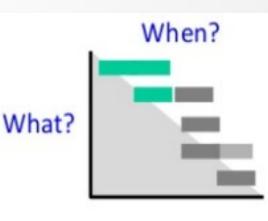




- DEFINE GANTT CHART
- PURPOSE OF GANTT CHART
- BENEFITS OF GANTT CHART
- VIDEO ON HOW TO MAKE A GANTT CHART

A GANTT CHART

- A visual representation that provides an instant overview of the status of a project.
- Outlines all activities involved in a project against a timescale
- Simply lists what needs to be done and when
- Great ways to manage project schedule simply and easily







Monitoring and tracking the progress.

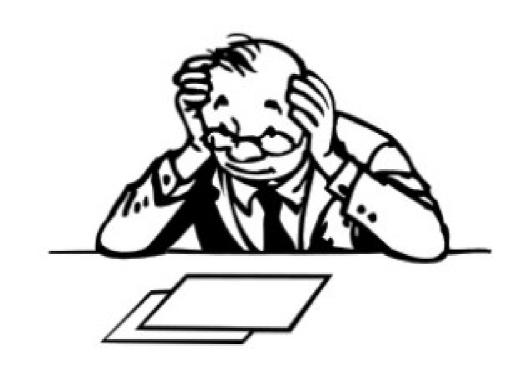
Identifying issues that can delay the project.

Serving as communication tools by:

Showing the team the progress they are making

Keeping management updated on project progress.

A Gantt chart can also be used to plan your personal projects and track your own targets.



Benefits:

- A simple way to schedule your activities.
- Allow to see how your project is performing at a glance.
- Allow to focus efforts and reacting quickly to unexpected situations.
- Allow you to communicate progress and issues as they arise.
- Help determining the needed resources.



A Gantt chart is a type of bar chart that shows the start and end dates of the your activities.

You can see in a Gantt chart:

- The activities (What?).
- The duration of activities (When?).
- The responsible person or team for completing each of them (Who?).
- The order in which they will be accomplished.

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A detailed Gantt chart can answer the following questions:

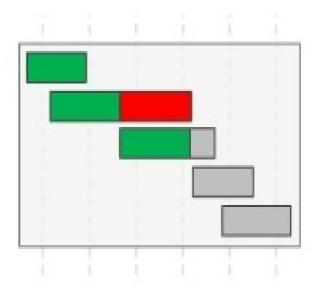
- What are the activities that must be accomplished?
- In what order?
- How long should they take?
- · Which activities are on time and which are no?
- Who should do them?
- What are the needed resources?
- What are the key stages and milestones?
- What are the relationships between the various activities (sequential or simultaneous)?
- What is the percentage of completion?



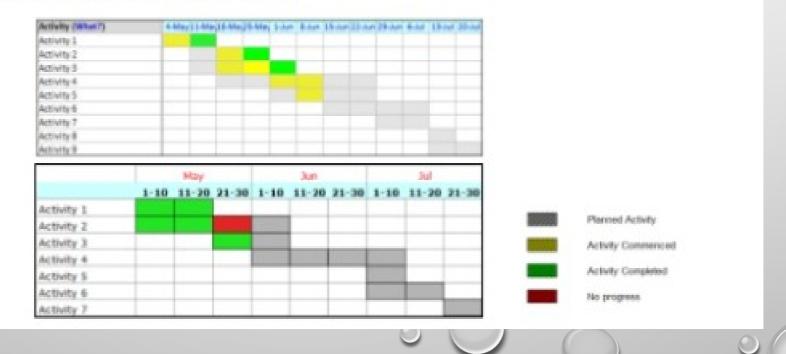
A Gantt chart is created by drawing horizontal bars to represent time duration of activities.

By looking at the chart, you can see:

- The sequence of the activities.
- How long each activity takes.
- Compare the planned and actual duration of the activities.



- Can be drawn by hand.
- Can be implemented using spreadsheet applications.
- If you need more elaborated features, you might want to go for a project management software.



Example:

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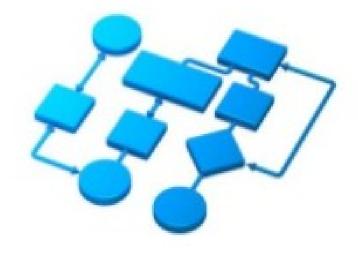
Activity	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Responsible
Select the team			1			
Define objectives						
Define operational definitions			1		Each bar shows	
Develop a data collection plan			1		activity duration,	
Present plan to management		•			start and	end dates
Train data collectors						/
Assess measurement system						
Initiate data collection			4		~	
Analyze and interpret data			1			
Submit summary of findings					\diamond	

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Approach:

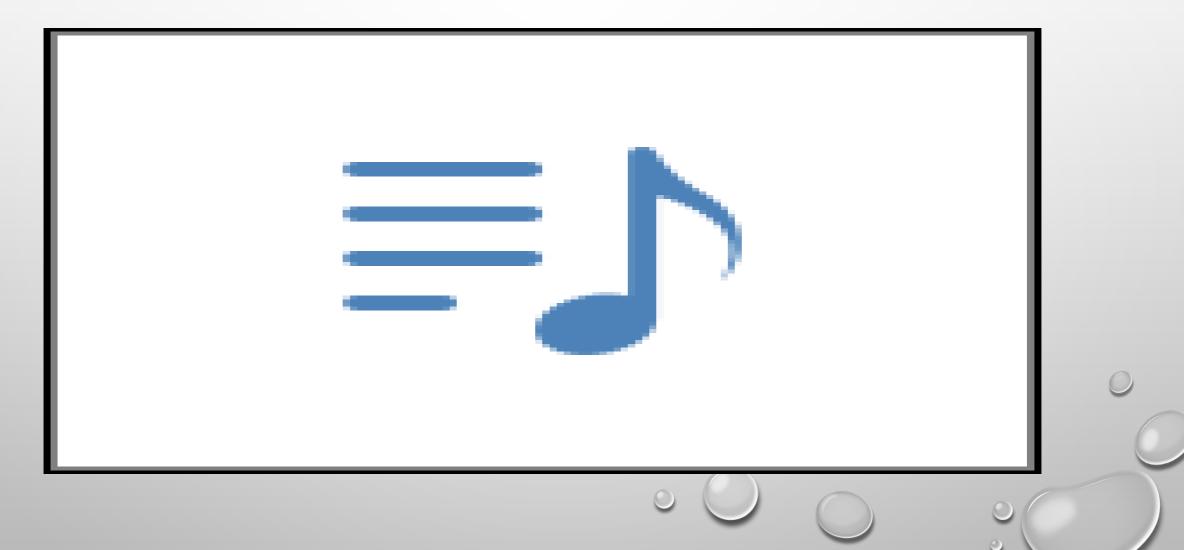
- Identify the major categories and all the required work to be completed (use WBS).
- Record all activities by sequence of completion.
- Estimates the start date and the time required for each activity.
- Draw horizontal bars to represent the activities and their durations.
- Assign responsibilities.
- Identify milestones and recourses.
- As the project progresses, update the chart to reflect changes as soon as they occur.



Gantt Chart

	June 2013 - January 2014	February 2014	March 2014 - June 2014	June 2015 - November 2015	September 2015 - November 2015	December 2015 - March 2016	April 2016	May 2016
Preparation of thesis proposal								
Presentation of thesis proposal								
Preparation & Submission of thesis application to ethics committee								
Data collection								
Data analysis								
Report writing								
Submission of thesis								
Presentation of thesis								

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