

MICROSOFT PROJECT 2007 ESSENTIALS

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COURSE LENGTH: 1.0 DAYS

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FOREWORD

Project is a sophisticated project management software program that can help project managers with planning, assigning resources, tracking progress, managing budgets, and analysing workloads for projects.

OUTCOMES

- Open and close Project
 - Understand the Interface
 - Create a blank project
 - Create a project from a template
 - Open and close project files
 - Add tasks to a project
 - Set constraints on tasks
 - Understand key terms
 - View task information
 - Sort and filter tasks
 - Understand Task Indicators
 - Split tasks
 - Link and unlink tasks
 - Create summary and sub tasks
 - Create recurring tasks
 - Understand resources
 - Add and view resource information
 - Assign resources to tasks
 - Level resources
 - Understand different task and resource views, including the Team Planner
 - Use the Tools tabs and format the Timescale
 - Create a baseline
 - Update tasks and update the project
 - Understand the Project Status date
 - View the critical path
 - Use change highlighting
 - Create basic and visual reports
 - Compare projects
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MODULES

Lesson 1: Getting Started

- Workshop Objectives

Lesson 2: Opening and Closing Project

- Opening Project
- Understanding the Interface
- Creating a Blank Project

- Creating a Project from a Template
- Opening and Closing Files
- Closing Project

Lesson 3: Your First Project

- Creating a Basic Project
- Adding Tasks to Your Project
- Setting Constraints on Tasks

Lesson 4: Adding Tasks

- Understanding Key Terms
- Viewing Task Information
- Sorting and Filtering Tasks
- Understanding Task Indicators
- Sorting and Filtering Tasks
- Understanding Task Indicators

Lesson 5: Advanced Task Operations

- Splitting Tasks
- Linking and Unlinking Tasks
- Creating Summary and Sub Tasks
- Creating Recurring Tasks

Lesson 6: Adding Resources

- Understanding Resources
- Adding Resources
- Viewing Resource Information
- Assigning Resources to Tasks
- Leveling Resources

Lesson 7: Other Ways to View Project Information

- The Team Planner
- Important Task Views
- Important Resource Views
- Using the Tools Tabs
- Formatting the Timescale

Lesson 8: Managing Your Project Status

- Creating a Baseline
- Updating Tasks
- Updating the Project
- About the Project Status Date

Lesson 9: Updating and Tracking Your Progress

- Viewing the Critical Path
- Using Change Highlighting
- Using the Task Inspector Pane

Lesson 10: Creating Reports

- Creating Basic Reports
- Creating a Visual Report
- Comparing Projects

Lesson 11: Adding the Finishing Touches

- Checking Your Spelling
- Using the Page Setup Dialog
- Printing a Project
- E-mailing a Project
- E-Mailing Your Notes
- Printing Your Notes
- Creating a PDF

Lesson 12: Wrapping Up

- Words from the Wise

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