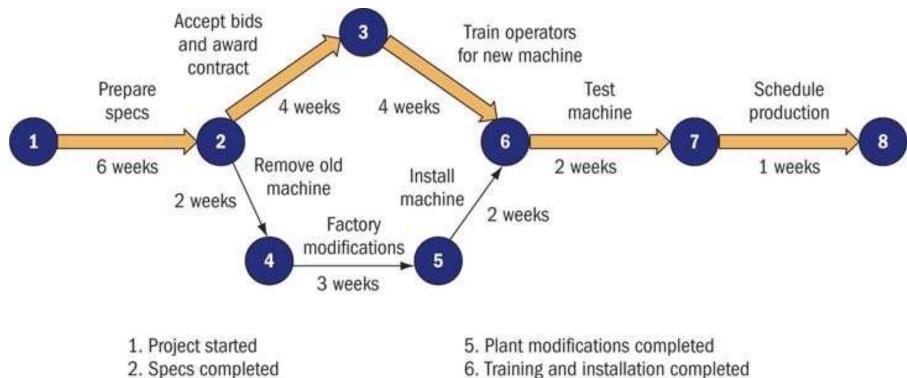
Gantt Chart

Invoice Number	Quantity Desired	September					October				November				December			
		2	9	16	23	30	7	14	21	28	6	13	20	27	4	11	18	25
C18952	6,250																	
C19033	4,800																	
C19147	3,850																	
C19186	5,250																	
C19203	3,700																	

PERT Diagram



- 3. Contract awarded
- 4. Old machine removed

6. Training and installation completed

Critical path

- 7. Testing completed
- 8. Project completed

Importance of Quality

- A good or service free of deficiencies.
- Poor quality can account for 20% loss in revenue.
- Benchmarking is the process of analyzing other firms' best practices.
- Quality control is measuring goods and services against established quality standards.
- Many companies evaluate quality using the <u>Six</u> Sigma concept.
 - A company tries to make error-free products 99.9997%
 of the time, a tiny 3.4 errors per million opportunities.