

Schedule Health Checklist

A quick technical read on whether a programme is sound — before its dates are trusted.

Who it's for: Planners and controls reviewers checking any Primavera P6 programme.

When to use it: On any baseline or update you need to rely on.

Areas: Logic · leads & lags · Constraints & float · Durations & dates · Critical-path tests · CPLI & BEI

Work down the list; a "No"/unchecked item is a question to resolve, with the finding recorded alongside.

- ☐ Missing logic $\leq 5\%$ (activities without a predecessor and successor)
- ☐ Leads (negative lag) = 0
- ☐ Lags $\leq 5\%$ of relationships
- ☐ Finish-to-start relationships $\geq 90\%$
- ☐ Hard constraints $\leq 5\%$ and justified
- ☐ High float (> 44 days) $\leq 5\%$
- ☐ Negative float = 0, or explained and being recovered
- ☐ High duration (> 44 days) $\leq 5\%$
- ☐ No invalid dates (actuals in the future / forecasts in the past)
- ☐ Resources assigned where the method requires
- ☐ Missed tasks within tolerance
- ☐ Critical-path test passes (a deliberate large delay moves the finish)
- ☐ CPLI ≈ 1.0 or better
- ☐ BEI ≈ 0.95 or better

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