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III B.Tech. II Semester Regular/Supplementary Examinations, May/June -2014

COMPUTER NETWORKS

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Time: 3 Hours Max Marks: 75

Answer any FIVE Questions All Questions carry equal marks

1. a) Compare narrow band and broadband ISDN.

b) What are various switching techniques? Explain.

[7+8]

- 2. a) List two ways in which the OSI reference model and the TCP/IP reference model are the same and also list two ways in which they differ.
 - b) Explain the four basic network topologies, and cite advantages of each type. [8+7]
- 3. Explain about sliding window protocols for noisy channels.

[15]

- 4. a) Why do we select UDP for voice transmission? Explain.
 - b) What is congestion? Explain any one of the congestion control techniques.
 - c) How do we provide QoS in switched networks?

[5+5+5]

- 5. a) What are some of the advantages and disadvantages are between static routes and dynamically configured routes?
 - b) Compare virtual circuit and Datagram subnets.

[8+7]

- 6. a) Consider the delay of pure ALOHA versus slotted ALOHA at low load which one is Less? Explain detail.
 - b) Sketch the Manchester encoding for the bit stream: 000110101.

[8+7]

- 7. a) Explain IPv4 classful and classless Addressing.
 - b) Compare and contrast the interior gateway and exterior gateway protocols.
- 8. Write short notes on
 - (i) FTP
 - (ii) SNMP
 - (iii) Domain Name Space.

[5+5+5]

[7+8]



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- 1. a) Compare the static and dynamic routing algorithms.
 - b) Explain Hierarchical routing algorithm.

[7+8]

- 2. a) List three advantages and three disadvantages of having international standards for network protocols. [8+7]
 - b) What is the difference between half-duplex and full-duplex transmission models.
- 3. a) Explain Framing, Error control and flow control mechanisms of data link layer.
 - b) Give the frame format of HDLC protocol.

[8+7]

- 4. a) Draw the cross-sectional diagrams of the following guided media:
 - (i) Coaxial cable
 - (ii) Fiber optic cable
 - b) Draw the protocol architectural diagram of ATM protocol.

[8+7]

- 5. a) Explain about the connection establishment and connection release at transport layer.
 - b) Explain TCP header format with neat diagram.

[8+7]

- 6. a) Describe the difference between subnetting and supernetting.
 - b) List and describe the difference between class A,B, and C Sublaer masks. [7+8]
- 7. a) Brief the general principles of congestion control.

[7+8]

- b) What is Internetworking? What is the role of network layer in Internetworking?
- 8. Write short notes on
 - (i) Multi Media.
 - (ii) Electronic mail.
 - (iii) Network security.

[5+5+5]



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1. a) Explain and compare various types of Multiplexing techniques.

b) Give the characteristics of guided and unguided media.

[7+8]

2. a) How do the layers of the internet model correlate to the layers of the OSI model?

b) How are OSI and ISO related to each other?

[7+8]

3. a) Explain how CRC method is used for error detection?

b) Illustrate the above with one example.

[8+7]

4. a) List out the services and applications of SCTP. Also compare TCP, UDP and SCTP Protocols.

b) Explain congestion control mechanisms used in TCP.

[10+5]

5. Explain DES algorithm with neat diagram.

[15]

6. a) Explain about the 802.11 protocol stack with neat diagram.

b) Write short note on Bluetooth architecture.

[10+5]

7. Write short notes on following

- (i) Shortest path routing.
- (ii) Flooding.

(iii) Distance vector routing.

[5+5+5]

8. a) What is congestion? Write general principles of congestion control.

b) Compare various Internet transport protocols.

[8+7]



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- 1. Draw the protocol suite diagram of TCP and compare it against the OSI Model. [15]
- 2. a) Compare and contrast a circuit-switched network and a packet switched networks.
 - b) What is the role of address field in a packet traveling through a virtual-circuit network?
 - c) Compare optical fiber cables with coaxial cables.

[5+5+5]

- 3. a) Compare various Internet transport protocols.
 - b) What are the various layers of ATM? Explain.

[7+8]

- 4. a) What is internetworking? Explain.
 - b) Discuss the functions of ATM transport protocols.

[8+7]

- 5. a) Draw and explain about the 802.11 frame structure.
 - b) Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of credits versus sliding window protocols. [8+7]
- 6. a) What is the primary purpose of the address resolution protocol(ARP).
 - b) Discuss about distance vector routing algorithm.
- 7. a) Explain IPV4 protocol header format.
 - b) Explain why most of the addresses in class A are wasted. Explain why is mediumsize or large-size corporation does not want a block of class C addresses. [8+7]
- 8. Write a brief note on:
 - (i) Integrated services
 - (ii) SNMP
 - (iii) Network Security.

[5+5+5]