TCS-591

B. TECH. (CSE) (FIFTH SEMESTER) MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION, Oct., 2023

COMPUTER SYSTEM SECURITY

Time: 1½ Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

- Note: (i) Answer all the questions by choosing any *one* of the sub-questions.
 - (ii) Each sub-question carries 10 marks.
- 1. (a) What do you mean by Buffer overflow attack? Explain with the help of a block diagram how the buffer over flow attack takes place. Also state the solutions to solve this attack. (CO1)

OR

(b) Explain in detail about the following:

(CO1)

- (i) Sandboxing and Isolation
- (ii) Fuzzing

2. (a) Write in detail about the tools and techniques used for Vulnerability Detection. (CO1)

OR

- (b) State and explain about any four tools and techniques used for writing robust application software. (CO1)
- 3. (a) Explain in detail about the following:

(CO1)

- (i) Dirty COW attack
- (ii) Return-to-libe attack

OR

(b) What do you mean by Race Condition Vulnerability? State the solutions available to mitigate his vulnerability.

(CO2)

4. (a) Explain in detail about the following:

(CO2)

- (i) Shellshock Attack
- (ii) Heartbleed Attack

OR

(b) State and explain about any *two* software security vulnerabilities along with their protective measures. (CO2)

5. (a) Write in detail about the tools and techniques available for writing robust application software. (CO1)

OR

(b) Explain in detail about the following:

(CO1)

- (i) User Privilege Management
- (ii) Access Control