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- Listed among **top 2%** researchers of the world in the years 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 declared by Stanford University in association with Elsevier.
- Received Best Teacher award for several times
- Interested in teaching, research and academic administration

EDUCATION

PhD (2014): Computer Science and Engineering,

SOA University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha

In 2023, SOA University got NIRF Rank 15 in university category, rank 49 in research institution category, and 27 in Engineering category, In 2022, SOA University Ranked in QS world ranking

M. Tech (2004): Computer Science and Engineering, First class

NIT, Rourkela, Odisha.

In 2023, NIT Rourkela got NIRF Rank 16 in Engineering category, rank 29 in research institution category

M.C.A (1999): Computer Application, First class

VSS University of Technology (formerly known as UCE), Burla, Odisha

UCE Burla is the first Government Engineering College in Odisha established in year 1956

B.Sc. (1995): Maths, Physics, Chemistry, First Class Hons and Distinction

Berhampur University, Berhampur, Odisha

TEACHING EXPERIENCE: 24 years after MCA, 19 years after M.Tech, 9 years after PhD.

Professor (8 Years and 6 months): From 01-06-2015 to till date.

Department of Computer Science and Engineering, KLEF, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh

Associate Professor (9 Years): From 01-06-2006 to 16-05-2015

Dept. of Computer Science and Information Technology, GMR Institute of Technology, Rajam, Andhra Pradesh

Assistant Professor (2 Years): From 05-07-2004 to 31-05-2006

Dept. of Computer Science and Information Technology, GMR Institute of Technology, Rajam, Andhra Pradesh

Lecturer (4 years and 9 months): From 01-10-1999 to 30-06-2002

Dept. of CSEA, IACR Engineering College, Rayagada, Odisha

APPRECIATIONS RECEIVED

- Received **appreciation letter** from Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation for the research contribution for the year 2020.
- Received **Best Teacher Award** from Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation for consistent high standards in academic practices during the academic year 2019-20
- Received **Distinguished researcher award** from Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation in December 2019
- Honored with **best teacher award** on 5th September 2014 from GMR Institute of Technology, Rajam.
- Received appreciation for successfully completion of course work with commendable classroom performance and university results, for academic years 2009-10, 2010-11 at GMRIT, Rajam.
- Invited as session chair for International Conference, ICCRC-2011, 21-23 March 2011, SRM Univ, Delhi.
- Received certificate of appreciation from Department of online learning, Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation for effectively conducting “Blockchain and Cryptocurrencies”, an online non-credit course during May-June 2020.

COURSES TAUGHT (to B. Tech and M. Tech students)

- Cryptography, Blockchain, Digital Forensics,
- Computer Networks, TCP/IP Protocol Suite
- Digital Logic Design, Computer Organization, Advanced Computer Architecture
- Data Structures, Design & Analysis of Algorithms, Advanced Data Structures
- C Programming, OOPs Through C++, OOPs Through Java
- OOAD Through UML, Software Testing Methodologies, Secure Coding
- Artificial Intelligence, Multi-Agent System, Simulation and Modeling

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE: Doing research since 2010 concurrently with teaching.

- Pursued PhD in the area of “**Digital image steganography**”, during 2010-2014. Have addressed several research problems like, (i) fall off boundary problem, (ii) range mismatch problem, (iii) fall in error problem, (iv) detection by RS analysis, (v) detection by pixel difference histogram analysis, and (vi) avoidance of unused blocks in adaptive PVD steganography.
- Present research interests are, (i) **watermarking for tamper detection**, and (ii) **Block chain technology**

RESEARCH IMPACT

- **Google scholar:** <https://scholar.google.co.in/citations?user=HEXTTRMAAAJ&hl=en>
- **Scopus:** <https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=37091536600>
- **Publons:** <https://publons.com/researcher/2326568/dr-gandharba-swain/>
- **Research gate profile:** <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Gandharba-Swain>
- **Orcid Id:** <https://orcid.org/0000-0001-6586-1432>

PUBLICATIONS

No. of articles authored = 91

- SCIE and Scopus indexed journal articles = 24
- ESCI and Scopus indexed journal articles = 19
- Scopus indexed journal articles = 17
- Scopus indexed book chapters = 2
- Scopus indexed conference articles = 18
- Google scholar indexed journal articles = 11

No of books authored = 2

No of patents published = 3

OUTCOME BASED EDUCATION-EXPERIENCE

- Course handout preparation and vetting using different BTLs, TLMs, and ALMs
- Bloom's taxonomy-based session plan and question paper setting
- Uniform course content delivery in multi-section courses
- Uniform evaluation strategy in multi-section courses

ADMINISTRATIVE/ CO-CURRICULAR RESPONSIBILITIES SHOULDERED

- Examination in-charge, ISO coordinator at GMR Institute of Technology, Rajam, Andhra Pradesh, India
- NBA and NAAC coordinator at GMR Institute of Technology, Rajam, Andhra Pradesh, India
- Course coordinator for multi-section courses, at Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation, AP, India
- Co-hort professor in-charge at Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation, Andhra Pradesh, India
- Research group head for network Security & Forensics research group, Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation, Andhra Pradesh, India
- HoD, Department of AI&DS, Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation

PhDs GUIDED = 5

1. **Aditya Kumar Sahu:** Registered no. 15303152, awarded PhD from K L University in June 2020. Thesis title: Development of higher embedding capacity and lower distortion image steganography techniques using the principles of LSB, LSB matching, PVD and modulus function
2. **Smita Chaudhari,** Registered no. 163030004, awarded PhD from K L University in April 2022, Thesis Title: Cloud Data Integrity and Security Preservation using Improved Cryptographic Algorithms.
3. **Reshma Sonar,** Registered no. 14303031, awarded PhD from K L University in July 2022 under my guidance, Thesis Title: Steganography and Steganalysis Techniques based on Fall off Boundary Problem, Unused Block Problem and Multi-directional Edges.
4. **B. Nanditha,** Registered no. 15303159, awarded PhD from K L University in September 2022 under my guidance. Title of thesis: Achieving Energy Efficiency of MANET by reducing the effect of Overhearing and Congestion.

5. **Snehalata Funde**, Registered no. 163030005. Title of research work: Path hiding privacy preserving approach for classified big data. **Thesis submitted in September 2022**

SCIE INDEXED ARTICLES = 24 (12 in Q1, 9 in Q2, 2 in Q3, and 1 in Q4)

1. **Gandharba Swain**, Adaptive pixel value differencing steganography using both vertical and horizontal edges, Multimedia Tools and Applications, **Springer**, 2016, 75(21), pp.13541-13556, p- ISSN: 1380 - 7501 , e-ISSN: 1573 -7721, indexed in **SCIE, SCOPUS**, IF: **2.7**, (Q1)
2. Ranjan K. Senapati, P.M.K. Prasad, **Gandharba Swain**, T.N. Shankar, Volumetric medical image compression using 3D listless embedded block partitioning, **Springer Plus**, 5(2100), pp.1-16, 2016, doi:10.1186/s40064-016-3784-y, ISSN:2193-1801, **indexed in SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF: **1.756**, (Q4)
3. Ratna Bhargavi, Ranjan K. Senapati, **Gandharba Swain**, Prasad PMK, Computerized diabetic patients image screening for lesion regions detection and grading, Biomedical Research, 2016, Special Issue: S443-S449, p-ISSN: 0970-938X , e-ISSN: 0976-1683, **indexed in SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF: **0.219**, (Q3)
4. Anita Pradhan, K. Raja Sekhar, and **Gandharba Swain**, Adaptive PVD steganography using horizontal, vertical, and diagonal edges in six-pixel blocks, Security and Communication Networks, **Wiley**, vol. 2017, pp.1-13, 2017. <https://doi.org/10.1155/2017/1924618>, p-ISSN: 1939-0114, e-ISSN: 1939-0122, **indexed in SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF: **1.96**, (Q2)
5. Anita Pradhan, K. Raja Sekhar, **Gandharba Swain**, Digital image steganography using LSB substitution, PVD, and EMD, Mathematical Problems in Engineering, **Hindawi**, pp.1-11, 2018, Article ID 1804953, <https://doi.org/10.1155/2018/1804953>, p-ISSN: 1024-123X, e-ISSN:1563-5147, **indexed in SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF: **1.43**, (Q2)
6. **Gandharba Swain**, High capacity image steganography using modified LSB substitution and PVD against pixel difference histogram analysis, Security and Communication Networks, **Wiley**, pp.1-14, 2018, Article ID 1505896, <https://doi.org/10.1155/2018/1505896>, p-ISSN: 1939-0114, e-ISSN: 1939-0122, **Indexed in SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF:**1.96**, (Q2)
7. **Gandharba Swain**, Adaptive and non-adaptive PVD steganography using overlapped pixel blocks, Arabian Journal for Science and Engineering, **Springer**, 43(12), pp.7549-7562, 2018, DOI: 10.1007/s13369-018-3163-9, p-ISSN:2193-567X, e-ISSN:2191-4281, **Indexed in SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF:**2.33**, (Q1)
8. **Gandharba Swain**, A data hiding technique by mixing MF PVD and LSB substitution in a pixel, Information Technology And Control, **Kaunas University of Technology**, Dec 2018, 7(4), pp.714-727, DOI 10.5755/j01.itc.47.4.19593, p-ISSN:1392-124X, e-ISSN:2335-884X, Indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF: 0.813, (Q3)
9. **Gandharba Swain**, Two new steganography techniques based on quotient value differencing with addition-subtraction logic and PVD with modulus function, Optik, **Elsevier**, 180(2019), pp.807-823, 2019, ISSN: 0030-4026, Indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF: 2.84, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijleo.2018.11.015>, (Q2)
10. **Gandharba Swain**, Very high capacity image steganography technique using quotient value differencing and LSB substitution, Arabian Journal for Science and Engineering, **Springer**, April 2019, 44(4), pp.2995-3004,

DOI: 10.1007/s13369-018-3372-2, p-ISSN:2193-567X, e-ISSN:2191-4281, **Indexed in SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF:2.33, (Q1)

11. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, An optimal information hiding approach based on pixel value differencing and modulus function, *Wireless Personal Communications*, **Springer**, May 2019, p- ISSN:0929-6212, e-ISSN:1572-834X, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11277-019-06393-z>, indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF: 1.67, (Q2)
12. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, High fidelity based reversible data hiding using modified LSB matching and pixel difference, *Journal of King Saud University- Computer and Information Sciences* **Elsevier**, 2019, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jksuci.2019.07.004>, Indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF=8.83, issn:1319-1578, (Q1)
13. P. Patro, K. Kumar, G.S. Kumar, **Gandharba Swain**, Similarity and wavelet transform based data partitioning and parameter learning fuzzy neural network, *Journal of King Saud University-Computer and Information Sciences*, **Elsevier**, 2020, Indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF=8.83, issn:1319-1578, (Q1)
14. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, Monalisa Sahu, J. Hemalatha, Multi-directional block based PVD and modulus function image steganography to avoid FOBP and IEP, *Journal of Information Security and Applications* **Elsevier**, vol.58, 102808, 2021, Indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF=4.96, ISSN: 2214-2126, (Q1)
15. Reshma Sonar, **Gandharba Swain**, Steganography based on quotient value differencing and pixel value correlation, *CAAI Transactions on Intelligence Technology*, 2021, **IET/Wiley**, indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF=7.98, ISSN:2468-6557, Online ISSN: 2468-2322, (Q1)
16. **Gandharba Swain**, Anita Pradhan, Image Steganography using remainder replacement, adaptive QVD and QVC, *Wireless Personal Communications*, 2021, **Springer**, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11277-021-09131-6>, p- ISSN:0929-6212, e-ISSN:1572-834X, indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF: 1.67, (Q2)
17. S. Chaudhari, **Gandharba Swain**, Towards lightweight provable data possession for cloud storage using indistinguishability obfuscation, **IEEE Access**, vol. 10, pp. 31607-31625, 2022, indexed in **SCOPUS, and SCIE**, IF:3.47, ISSN: **2169-3536**, doi: 10.1109/ACCESS.2022.3159699, (Q1)
18. S N V J Devi Kosuru, **Gandharba Swain**, Naveen Kumar, Anita Pradhan, Image tamper detection and correction using Merkle tree and remainder value differencing, *Optik*, **Elsevier**, 261(2022), 169212, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijleo.2022.169212>, ISSN: 0030-4026, Indexed in **SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF:2.84, (Q2)
19. Dipak Bhayyaji Khadse, **Gandharba Swain**, Data hiding and integrity verification based on quotient value differencing and Merkle tree, *Arabian Journal for Science and Engineering*, **Springer**, 2022, p-ISSN:2193-567X, e-ISSN:2191-4281, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13369-022-06961-9>, **Indexed in SCOPUS, SCIE**, IF:2.33, doi: <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13369-022-06961-9>, (Q1)
20. Snehalata Funde, Gandharba Swain, Big Data Privacy and Security Using Abundant Data Recovery Techniques and Data Obliviousness Methodologies, **IEEE Access**, vol.10, pp.105458-105484, 2022, indexed in **SCOPUS, and SCIE**, IF:3.47, ISSN:2169-3536, doi:10.1109/ACCESS.2022.3211304, (Q1)
21. Naveen Kumar, D. Reddy Edla, Dinesh Dash, Gandharba Swain, T. N. Shankar, Energy-efficient and delay-sensitive-based data gathering technique for multi-hop WSN using path-constraint mobile element, **Wireless**

- Networks, Springer**, August 2023, indexed in **SCOPUS, and SCIE**, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11276-023-03457-8>, (Q2)
22. S. N. V. J. Devi Kosuru¹, Anita Pradhan, K. Abdul Basith, Reshma Sonar, Gandharba Swain, Digital Image Steganography with Error Correction on Extracted Data, **IEEE Access**, August 2023, indexed in **SCOPUS, and SCIE**, <https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/10198401>, (Q1)
 23. Erukala Suresh Babu, Mekala Srinivasa Rao, Gandharba Swain, A Kousar Nikhath, Rajesh Kaluri, Fog-Sec: Secure end-to-end communication in fog-enabled IoT network using permissioned blockchain system, *International Journal of Network Management*, Wiley, Aug 2023, , indexed in **SCOPUS, and SCIE**, <https://doi.org/10.1002/nem.2248>, (Q2)
 24. R Yelchuri, Alaa O Khadidos, Adil O Khadidos, A M Alshareef, G Swain, J K Dash, Deep semantic feature reduction for efficient remote sensing Image Retrieval, *IEEE ACCESS*, **IEEE Access**, October 2023, indexed in **SCOPUS, and SCIE**, <https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/abstract/document/10285367>, (Q1)

ESCI & SCOPUS INDEXED JOURNAL ARTICLES =19 (3 in Q2, 11 in Q3, and 5 in Q4)

1. **Gandharba Swain**, Saroj Kumar Lenka, A technique for secret communication using a new block cipher with dynamic steganography, *International Journal of Security, and Its Applications*, **SERSC**, Vol. 6, No.2, pp.1-12, **2012**. ISSN: 1738-9976, indexed in **SCOPUS, ESCI**, SNIP=0.497, (Q4)
2. **Gandharba Swain**, Steganography in Digital images using maximum difference of neighboring pixel values, *International Journal of Security and Its Applications*, **SERSC**, Vol.7, No.6, pp.285-294, **2013**, ISSN: 1738-9976, indexed in **SCOPUS, ESCI**, SNIP=0.497, (Q4)
3. **Gandharba Swain**, Saroj Kumar Lenka, A novel steganography technique by mapping words with LSB array, *International Journal of Signal and Imaging Systems Engineering*, vol.8, no.1, pp.115-122, **2015**, **Inderscience**, e-ISSN: 1748-0701, p-ISSN: 1748-0698, indexed in **SCOPUS, ESCI**, SNIP=0.411, (Q4)
4. **Gandharba Swain**, Digital image steganography using eight directional PVD against RS analysis and PDH analysis, *Advances in Multimedia*, **Hindawi**, pp.1-13, 2018, Article ID 4847098, p-ISSN:1687-5680, e-ISSN:1687-5699, Indexed in **SCOPUS, ESCI**, SNIP=0.953, <https://doi.org/10.1155/2018/4847098>, (Q3)
5. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, Digital image steganography using bit flipping, *Cybernetics and Information Technologies*, **DE GRUYTER**, 18(1), pp.69-80, March, 2018, p-ISSN:1311-9702, e-ISSN:1314-4081, Indexed in **SCOPUS, ESCI**, SNIP=0.953, DOI: 10.2478/cait-2018-0006, (Q2)
6. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, An improved data hiding technique using bit differencing and LSB matching, *Internetworking Indonesia Journal*, 10(1), pp.17-21, June, 2018, ISSN: 1942-9703, **Indexed in SCOPUS, ESCI**, SNIP=0.257, (Q4)
7. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, Pixel overlapping image steganography using PVD and modulus function, *3D Research*, **Springer**, 9(40), pp.1-14, September, 2018, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13319-018-0188-5>, e-ISSN: 2093-6731, indexed in **SCOPUS, ESCI**, SNIP=1.384, (Q3)
8. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, Digital image steganography using PVD and modulo operation, *Internetworking Indonesia Journal*, Dec 2018, 10(2), pp.3-13, ISSN: 1942-9703, Indexed in **Scopus, ESCI**,

SNIP=0.257., (Q4)

9. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, A novel n-rightmost bit replacement image steganography technique, 3D Research, **Springer**, 10(2), pp.1-18, March 2019, e-ISSN:2093-6731, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13319-018-0211-x>, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=1.384, (Q3)
10. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, A novel multi-stego image based data hiding method for gray scale image, *Pertanika Journal of Science & Technology*, **Universiti Putra Malaysia**, May 2019, 27(2), pp.739-754, p-ISSN:0128-7680, e-ISSN:2231-8526, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.48, (Q3)
11. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, Data hiding using adaptive LSB and PVD technique resisting PDH and RS analysis, *International Journal of Electronic Security and Digital Forensics*, **Inderscience**, 2019, 11(4), pp.458-476, p- ISSN:1751-911X, e-ISSN:1751-9128, Indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.632, DOI: 10.1504/IJESDF.2019.10021739, (Q2)
12. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, Reversible steganography using Dual-Layer LSB matching, *Sensing and Imaging*, **Springer**, 21(1), pp.1-21, 2020, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11220-019-0262-y>, Indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.585, issn: 1557-2072, (Q3)
13. Reshma Sonar, **Gandharba Swain**, Multi-Directional Pixel difference histogram analysis based on pixel blocks of different sizes, *Sensing and Imaging*, **Springer**, pp.1-32, 22(11), pp.1-33, 2021, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11220-021-00334-6>, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.585, issn: 1557-2072, (Q3)
14. Smita Chaudhari, **Gandharba Swain**, Efficient and secure group based collusion resistant public auditing scheme for cloud storage, *International Journal of Advanced Computer Science and Applications*, (**SAI**) 12(3), pp.472-481, 2021, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.528, ISSN:2158-107X, online ISSN: 2156-5570, (Q3)
15. Smita Chaudhari, **Gandharba Swain**, Privacy preserving dynamic provable data possession with batch update for secure cloud storage, *International Journal of Advanced Computer Science and Applications*, **SAI**, 12(6), pp.589-598, 2021, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.528, ISSN:2158-107X, online ISSN: 2156-5570, (Q3)
16. Dipak Bhayyaji Khadse, **Gandharba Swain**, Data hiding using quotient value differencing and remainder value substitution avoiding incorrect extraction problem, *Sensing and Imaging*, **Springer**, 22(39), 2021, pp.1-21, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11220-021-00360-4>, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.585, issn: 1557-2072, (Q3)
17. Snehalata K. Funde, **Gandharba Swain**, HORAM: Hybrid oblivious random access memory scheme for secure path hiding in distributed environment, *International Journal of Advanced Computer Science and Applications*, **SAI**, 12(11), pp.546-553, 2021, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.528, ISSN:2158-107X, online ISSN: 2156-5570, (Q3)
18. Reshma Sonar, **Gandharba Swain**, A hybrid steganography technique based on RR, AQVD and QVC, *Information Security Journal: A Global Perspective*, 2022, **Taylor and Francis**, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.986, ISSN: 1939-3555 Online ISSN: 1939-3547, (Q2)

19. Snehalata K. Funde, **Gandharba Swain**, Data recovery approach with optimized Cauchy coding in distributed storage system, International Journal of Advanced Computer Science and Applications, **SAI**, 13(6), pp.620-629, 2022, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **ESCI**, SNIP=0.528, ISSN:2158-107X, online ISSN: 2156-5570, (Q3)

SCOPUS INDEXED JOURNAL ARTICLES = 17 (3 in Q2, 6 in Q3, 8 in Q4)

1. **Gandharba Swain**, Digital image steganography using nine-pixel differencing and modified LSB substitution, Indian Journal of Science and Technology, Vol.7, No.9, pp.1444-1450, 2014, ISSN print:0974-6846, e-ISSN: 0974-5645, Indexed in **SCOPUS**, **Zoological Record (WOS)**, SNIP=0.582, (Q4)
Doi: 10.17485/ijst/2014/v7i9.27
2. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, A review on LSB substitution and PVD based image steganography techniques, Indonesian Journal of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, **IAES**, vol. 2, no. 3, 2016, pp. 712-719, p-ISSN: 2502-4752, e-ISSN: 2502-4760, indexed in **SCOPUS**, SNIP=0.513, (Q3)
3. K. Spurthy, Srinivas Rao T, Satyabrata P. atro, T.N. Shankar, **G. Swain**, Ranjan K. Senapati, Intrusion detection system in MANETS with ELGAMAL digital signature, Far East Journal of Electronics and Communications, **Pushpa Publishing House**, 2016, 16(3), pp.511-525, ISSN: 0973-7006, indexed in **SCOPUS**, SNIP=0.619, (Q4)
4. Anita Pradhan, K. Raja Sekhar, **Gandharba Swain**, Digital image steganography based on seven way pixel value differencing, Indian Journal of Science and Technology, 9(37), 2016, pp.1-11, doi: 10.17485/ijst/2016/v9i37/88557, p-ISSN:0974-6846, e-ISSN: 0974-5645, indexed in **SCOPUS**, **Zoological Record (WOS)**, SNIP=0.582, (Q4)
5. Anita Pradhan, K. Raja Sekhar, **Gandharba Swain**, Digital image steganography combining LSB substitution with five way PVD in 2×3 pixel blocks, International Journal of Pharmacy & Technology, 8(4), pp.22051-22061, 2016, ISSN:0975-766X, indexed in **SCOPUS**, SNIP=0.277, (Q4)
6. S. Jagadeesh, Riaz Shaik, **Gandharba Swain**, K. Rahul, User Authentication in Internet of Things: A Survey, International Journal of Pharmacy & Technology, 8(4), pp.22036-22050, 2016, ISSN:0975-766X, indexed in **SCOPUS**, SNIP=0.277, (Q4)
7. A. K. Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, Information hiding using group of bits substitution, International Journal on Communications Antenna and Propagation, **Praise Worthy Prize**, 7(2), pp.162-167, 2017, p-ISSN: 2039-5086, e-ISSN: 2039-5094, indexed in **SCOPUS**, SNIP=0.537, (Q2)
8. M. Naga Vamsi Krishna, N. Sai Harsha, K. V. D. Kiran, **Gandharba Swain**, Optimization of energy aware path routing protocol in wireless sensor networks, International Journal of Electrical and Computer Engineering, **IAES**, 7(3), 2017, pp. 1268~1277, ISSN: 2088-8708, DOI: 10.11591/ijece.v7i3.pp1268-1277, indexed in **SCOPUS**, SNIP=0.688, (Q2)
9. Hingoliwala Hyder Ali, **Gandharba Swain**, Improving QOS parameters in wireless sensor network, ARPN Journal of Engineering and Applied Sciences, 13(8), pp.2873-2880, April, 2018, ISSN 1819-6608, Indexed in **SCOPUS**, SNIP=0.374, (Q3)

10. N. Koteswara Rao, **Gandharba Swain**, A systematic study of security challenges and infrastructures for internet of things, International Journal of Engineering & Technology, Sept 2018, 7 (4.36), pp.700-706, ISSN:2227-524X, indexed in **SCOPUS**, DOI: 10.14419/ijet.v7i4.36.24226, SNIP=0.47, (Q4)
11. Aditya Kumar Sahu, **Gandharba Swain**, Dual stego-imaging based reversible data hiding using improved LSB matching, International Journal of Intelligent Engineering and Systems, **INASS**, 2019, 12(5), pp.63-73, doi: 10.22266/ijies2019.1031.07, Indexed in **SCOPUS**, SNIP=0.488, issn:2185-3118, (Q3)
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