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**B.TECH. SEMESTER IV [IT]**

**SUBJECT: (IT407) COMPUTER AND COMMUNICATION NETWORKS**

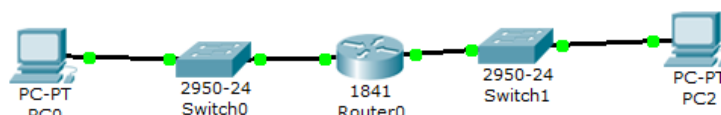
**Examination : Second Sessional**      **Seat No. : \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Date : 17/02/2018**      **Day : Saturday**  
**Time : 10:00 to 11:15**      **Max. Marks : 36**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Figures to the right indicate maximum marks for that question.
2. The symbols used carry their usual meanings.
3. Assume suitable data, if required & mention them clearly.
4. Draw neat sketches wherever necessary.

**Q.1 Do as directed. [12]**

- (a) How do TDMA and CDMA work? [2]
- (b) A pure ALOHA network transmits 200-bit frames on a shared channel of 200 kbps. What is the throughput if the system (all stations together) produces 500 frames per second? [2]
- (c) Station A needs to send a message consisting of 9 packets to Station B using a sliding window (window size 3) and go-back-n error control strategy. All packets are ready and immediately available for transmission. If every 5th packet that A transmits gets lost (but no acks from B ever get lost), then what is the number of packets that A will transmit for sending the message to B. [2]
- (d) If in a network, one host has an ip address 200.2.3.65/25. What are network address, first valid ip address, last valid ip address and broadcast address? [2]
- (e) What is the minimum and maximum size of an Ethernet frame? [1]
- (f) How many types of frames available in HDLC? Based on which field, system can identify the type of the frame? [2]
- (g) How many collision domains and broadcast domains are there in the given network? [1]



**Q.2 Attempt Any Two from the following questions. [12]**

- (a) Consider a selective repeat sliding window protocol that uses a frame size of 1 Kilobytes to send data on a 1.5 Mbps link with propagation delay of 50 msec. To achieve a link utilization of 60%, the minimum number of bits required to represent the sequence number field is \_\_\_\_\_. [6]
- (b) What are the authentication protocols are available in PPP? How do they work? [6]
- (c) The routing table of a router is shown below : [6]

Destination Network	Subnet Mask	Interface
128.96.170.0	255.255.254.0	A
128.96.168.0	255.255.254.0	B
128.96.166.0	255.255.254.0	C
128.96.164.0	255.255.254.0	D
0.0.0.0	Default	E

On which interface router forward the packet addressed 128.96.171.92 and 128.96.167.151 respectively?

- Q.3**
- (a) Why do we need spanning tree protocol in switched LAN? Take one example and show its uses. [6]
  - (b) Write short note on hidden station problem and exposed station problem in wireless LAN. [4]
  - (c) A and B are the only two stations on an Ethernet. Each has a steady queue of frames to send. Both A and B attempt to transmit a frame, collide, and A wins the first backoff race. At the end of this successful transmission by A, both A and B attempt to transmit and collide. What is the possible wait time for A and B? [2]

**OR**

- Q.3**
- (a) A network has a data transmission bandwidth of  $20 \times 10^6$  bits per second. It uses CSMA/CD in the MAC layer. The maximum signal propagation time from one node to another node is 40 microseconds. The minimum size of a frame in the network is \_\_\_\_\_ bytes. [4]
  - (b) How does communication take place using Point Coordination Function (PCF) and Distributed Coordination Function (DCF) in WLAN? Also discuss types of interframe spaces. [8]