

MIT ACADEMY OF ENGINEERING

Department of Computer Engineering

Cryptography and Information Security

Subject code: 2304324L

Guidelines and Rubrics for CIS Practical Exam

Subject: Cryptography & Information Security

Exam Type: Project Demonstration + Presentation + Viva

Date: 29th November

Venue: H302

Reporting Time: 9:00 AM (Sharp)

Team Size: 4–5 Students

Total Marks: 30

All the students are informed to strictly follow the CIS Practical- project examination guidelines. Exam is scheduled on 29th November at 9:00 AM in H302.

1. Each group must design and implement a mini-project related to **Cryptography, Network Security, or Information Security**. The project must involve:

- **A working implementation/demo**
- **Use of security concepts from the syllabus**
- **A presentation summarizing the work**
- **Viva** to evaluate individual contribution

2. **Team Guidelines:**

- You are not allowed to change/ add team members on the day of exam. Team detail mentioned in the shared google sheet is considered as final team.
- Every member must present for at least 1–2 minutes.
- Each member must answer at least 1 viva question.
- Marks will be deducted if contribution appears uneven.

3. Exam Flow:

We will follow google sheet sequence for the evaluation. ie. the first team from the sheet will come first for the evaluation. **Unavailability of the team, on the said time will be treated as ABSENT. No excuses will be entertained for change in sequence of the team.**

4. Rubrics: 30 Marks

Category	Excellent	Good	Average	Below Average	Poor	Marks
1. Problem Definition & Relevance (5 Marks)	Clear, well-defined problem; strong relevance to cryptography/security; innovative; measurable objectives. (5 marks)	Clear problem ; relevance explained; some novelty. (4 marks)	Basic statement; limited justification. (3 marks)	Vague scope; weak relevance. (2 marks)	No clarity or copied topic. (0–1 marks)	/5
2. Technical Design & Architecture (5 Marks)	Detailed architecture; correct crypto/security selection; proper diagrams;	Good design; clear diagrams; correct concept	Basic design with limited depth. (3 marks)	Minimal diagrams; weak justification	Incorrect or missing architecture. (0–1 marks)	/5

	threat model included; high depth. (5 marks)	usage. (4 marks)		tion. (2 marks)		
3. Implementation Quality & Working Output (10 Marks)	Fully working project; stable output; real crypto/securit y implementation; technically strong; innovative. (9–10 marks)	Mostly working ; minor issues; correct security concept s. (7–8 marks)	Partially working; basic output. (5–6 marks)	Incomplete; mostly theoret ical. (3–4 marks)	No working output or copied code. (0–2 marks)	/10
4. Presentation & Communication (5 Marks)	Clear, confident; strong explanation of concepts; clean slides; smooth demo. (5 marks)	Good clarity; structur ed flow; small gaps. (4 marks)	Basic presentat ion; lacks clarity in parts. (3 marks)	Poor slides; weak delivery . (2 marks)	No preparati on; unable to explain. (0–1 marks)	/5
5. Viva + Individual Contribution (5 Marks)	All members answer confidently; deep understanding ; clear ownership of work. (5 marks)	Most answer well; fair contribu tion. (4 marks)	Some understa nding; uneven contributi ons. (3 marks)	Weak answer s; 1–2 membe rs domina te. (2 marks)	No understandi ng; no visible contributi on. (0–1 marks)	/5