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IT403: Cryptography

Minor Examination (Session 2024–25)

Maximum Time: 1.5 Hours Max Marks: 25

Note: Attempt all questions. Neat diagrams are expected where necessary.

- 1. Explain the differences between classical ciphers and modern block ciphers. Give one example of each. (5 Marks)
- 2. Encrypt the plaintext ATTACK using a Rail Fence cipher with depth = 3. Show all steps. (5 Marks)
- 3. In RSA, p = 11, q = 13, e = 7. (a) Compute n and $\phi(n)$. (b) Find the private key d. (c) Encrypt message M = 9. (8 Marks)
- 4. What is Diffie–Hellman key exchange? Explain with a small numerical example. (4 Marks)
- 5. Write short notes on: (a) Avalanche Effect in DES (b) Digital Signatures (3 Marks)