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B.E. - (Computer) (Sem - VIII) (Revised Course 2019-2020)

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Cryptography Techniques for Network Security

[Time: 3:00 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 100]

- Instructions:**
- 1. Answer any two full questions from PART A, Answer any two full questions from PART B, and any one full question from Part C**
 - 2. Draw neat diagram wherever necessary**
 - 3. Assume Suitable data if required**

PART A

- Q1**
- a. Explain the different types of attacks that can be performed on Encrypted Messages (10)**
 - b. Prove asymmetric key encryption can be achieved using two prime numbers 7 & 11 (5)**
 - c. Explain in brief different types of Steganography Techniques (5)**
- Q2**
- a. If the Cipher text obtained is **oeochemmormworwot** in round 2, with a key of order 4,6,1,2,5,3 apply simple columnar transposition to get the plain text back. (10)**
 - b. With an appropriate diagram explain AES (10)**
- Q3**
- a. Illustrate man in the middle attack if Alice and Bob are using Diffie Hellman Key exchange algorithm & prefers to use value of $n=11$ & $g=7$ and Tom is a attacker using values $x=8$ & $y=6$, Alice using $x=3$ & Bob using $y=9$ (10)**
 - b. Encrypt using Hill cipher the plain text message "retreat now" using the key phrase "backup" and a 3×3 matrix (10)**

PART B

- Q4** **a.** Explain in detail SHA 512 **(10)**
 b. Explain the verification and the signing process of a Digital Signature **(10)**
- Q5** **a.** Justify the use of Hash function in a Digital Signature **(5)**
 b. Explain the process of exchange of public key certificates **(5)**
 c. Write a note on the functions and Cryptographic algorithms supported by S/MIME **(10)**
- Q6** **a.** With a neat diagram explain MAC based on Hash function (HMAC) **(10)**
 b. Explain X.509 certificate format **(5)**
 c. State the applications of Cryptographic hash functions **(5)**

PART C

- Q7** **a.** Explain the Encryption and decryption process of DES **(10)**
 b. Explain different types of Block cipher modes **(10)**
- Q8** **a.** Explain the following with respect to Kerberos version 4 **(10)**
 i. Authentication service Exchange to obtain ticket-granting ticket
 ii. Ticket granting service exchange to obtain service granting ticket
 iii. Client/Server Authentication exchange to obtain service
 b. Explain the process of PGP Message Generation and Reception **(10)**