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SUBJECT: COMPUTER COMMUNICATION AND NETWORKS (CSE 311)
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TIME: 3 HOURS

MAX.MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates

- Answer **any five** full questions.

- 1.A. What are the two reasons for using layered protocols? What is the one possible disadvantage of using layered protocols?
- 1.B. What do you mean by interlacing? Explain in detail with the required diagram and example.
- 1.C. Distinguish between attenuation distortion and delay distortion. How the effect of delay distortion can be minimized? (3+4+3)
- 2.A. The digital signal is to be designed to permit 160 kbps for a bandwidth of 20 KHz. Determine (a) number of levels and (b) S/N ratio
- 2.B. For the bit stream 01100000000100001100, sketch the waveforms for:
a) B8ZS b) HDB3
- 2.C. With a neat diagram explain graded-index multimode optical fiber. Is it the most suitable among all the types of optical fiber for large distance communications? Justify your answer. (2+3+5)
- 3.A. Given the data stream 1011000111. Draw the in-phase and the quadrature phase (in details) using QPSK.
- 3.B. Explain asynchronous transmission. Show the effect of timing error in the same.
- 3.C. Consider a frame consisting of two characters of four bits each. Assume that the probability of bit error is 10^{-3} and that it is independent for each bit.
a. What is the probability that the received frame contains at least one error?
b. Now add a parity bit to each character. What is the probability? (4+3+3)
- 4.A. Write an expression with a neat timing diagram for the line utilization for a sliding window protocol, assuming a window size of N.
- 4.B. Mention any four differences between Go-back-N ARQ and selective reject ARQ.
- 4.C. Four channels are multiplexed using TDM. If each channel sends 100 bytes/s and we multiplex 1 byte per channel, show the frame traveling on the link, the size of the frame, the duration of a frame, the frame rate, and the bit rate for the link. (3+4+3)

- 5.A. Measurement of a slotted ALOHA channel with an infinite number of users shown that 10 percent of the slots are idle.
- What is the channel load, G ?
 - What is the throughput?
 - Is the channel under loaded or over loaded?
- 5.B. Explain the binary exponential backoff algorithm used in IEEE 802.3 for LANs.
- 5.C. Assume stations with addresses 0101, 0110, 1011, 1101 and 1110 are all trying to access the channel. Show how the conflict is resolved using binary countdown collision-free protocol. (3+3+4)
- 6.A. Explain in detail any six comparisons between datagram network and virtual circuit network.
- 6.B. Write the full routing table and hierarchical routing table for the router 1A as shown in the Fig. 6.B. below:

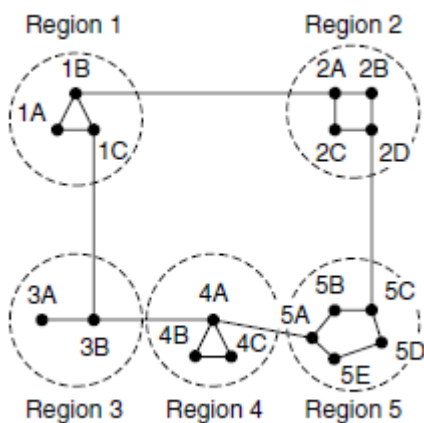


Figure 6.B.

- 6.C. Explain three methods to avoid duplicate packets generated by flooding algorithm. (3+4+3)
