

CRYPTOGRAPHY & NETWORK SECURITY

(Information Technology)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART – A
(Compulsory Question)

- 1 Answer the following: (10 X 02 = 20 Marks)
- List and define the two related concepts covered by the term “Integrity”.
 - Encrypt the following message using Caesar Cipher: meet me after the toga party.
 - Find the greatest common divisor of 2740 and 1760 using Euclidean algorithm.
 - Define Group and Commutative Group.
 - Define the following properties related to cryptographic hash functions:
(i) One-way property. (ii) Collision-free property.
 - Write the requirements for digital signatures.
 - What is the difference between a session key and a master key?
 - List the requirements of Kerberos.
 - Mention the SSL session state parameters.
 - What are the advantages of Packet Filters?

PART – B

(Answer all five units, 5 X 10 = 50 Marks)

UNIT – I

- 2 (a) Draw the Symmetric Cipher model. What are the two requirements for secure use of symmetric encryption?
(b) Based on choice of what parameters and design features, the exact realization of a Feistel network depends. Explain.

OR

- 3 With neat diagrams, describe the block cipher modes of operations and give typical applications of each.

UNIT – II

- 4 (a) Write the Miller-Rabin test algorithm.
(b) Explain why RSA works.

OR

- 5 Explain Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange and give an example.

UNIT – III

- 6 (a) What types of attacks are addressed by message authentication? Explain in detail.
(b) Illustrates the overall operation of HMAC and explain.

OR

- 7 (a) List and explain the threats associated with a direct digital signature scheme.
(b) With a neat diagram explain the Digital Signature Model.

UNIT – IV

- 8 Draw the formats of X.509 certificate and certificate revocation list and explain each field of the certificate.

OR

- 9 (a) Why does PGP generate a signature before applying compression?
(b) Give the format of PGP public key ring and explain each field.

UNIT – V

- 10 Explain the two protocols defined by IPSec.

OR

- 11 Write short notes on the following:
- Buffer overflows
 - Worms
 - Virus
