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Time: 03 hours

Total Marks: 90

*[N.B. The figure in the right margin indicates the marks allocated for respective question.
Split answer of any question is not allowed.]*

Section-A

(Answer any **03(three)** from the following questions)

1. (a) What is multimedia? Why multimedia is important? Write some commanding application areas of multimedia system. 2+2+2
- (b) What key problems does a multimedia system have to deal with when handling multimedia data? Give a tentative solution of these problems. 3+2
- (c) What is dithering? Why it is necessary in multimedia activities? 2+2
2. (a) What is data compression? Differentiate between data compression and data deduplication. 1+3
- (b) Given the following portion from an 8x8 block from an image where numbers (0, 20, 50, 99) denote the gray-level intensities 2+4+2

99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99
20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	50	50	50	50	0	0
0	0	50	50	50	50	0	0
0	0	50	50	50	50	0	0
0	0	50	50	50	50	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

- i) What is the entropy H of this image?
- ii) Show step by step how to construct the Huffman code to encode the above four intensity values in this image. Show the resulting code for each intensity value.
- iii) Which variant of RLE is suitable for this image and why?
- (c) Why lossy compression exists in data compression even though some information is lost? 3
3. (a) Briefly explain how the LZW transform operates. What common compression methods utilize this transform? 3+2
- (b) Show how the LZW transform would be used to encode the following sequence of text based tokens: 5
ABCBCABCAADAB
- (c) How does the human eye sense color? What characteristics of the human visual system can be exploited for the compression of color images and video? 2+2
4. (a) Briefly outline the JPEG compression pipeline and the constituent compression algorithms employed at each stage in the pipeline. 6

- (b) What is the YIQ color model? Give an application in which this color model is mostly used and explain the reason. Given a color represented in RGB color space as $R = 34$, $G = 78$, $B = 50$, what is its representation in the YIQ color model? 1+2
- (c) Briefly describe the four basic types of data redundancy that data compression algorithms can apply to audio, image and video signals. 3
- (d) Draw the block diagram of 2-level hierarchical mode of JPEG image compression procedure. 3

Section-B

(Answer any 03(three) from the following questions)

1. (a) What is multimedia database? Describe how H.261 deals with temporal and spatial redundancies in video in details. 2+3
- (b) Briefly outline the basic principles of intra frame coding in video compression, as used in MPEG-2. 4
- (c) Briefly explain the MPEG-2 encoder and decoder for spatial scalability. 6
2. (a) What is the key difference between I-Frames, P-Frames and B-Frames? Why are I-frames inserted into the compressed output stream relatively frequently? 3+2
- (b) Explain RTSP for multimedia communication. 5
- (c) Briefly explain the basic principles of audio compression. 5
3. (a) Define macro block. Differentiate between interior and boundary macro block. 1+2
- (b) Given the following coding order of a group of frames in MPEG-2: I P B B B P B B B I B B B I P B P. What is the display order of the frames? 3
- (c) Differentiate between frame based coding and VOP based coding in video compression standard with necessary diagram(s). 5
- (d) Explain 2D logarithmic search for searching motion vector. 4
4. (a) What is the Quality of Service (QoS)? Discuss the important parameters needed to ensure QoS in internet and multimedia communication. 1+4
- (b) What is continuous media? Explain the characteristics that exploit in continuous multimedia data. 2+3
- (c) Define padding. Why padding is necessary in MPEG-4 video compression. Apply padding for the following macroblock. 2+1+2

56	57	56			
49	45	50			
					65
			65		
				34	
45	33			35	55