

<b>Subject :</b>	<b>SEHH2238 : Computer Networking</b>
<b>Lab/Tutorial :</b>	<b>Session 10 : Network Security</b>

### A. Symmetric Cryptography

1. In symmetric-key cryptography, how many secret keys are needed, if every person in a group of 10 people needs to communicate with
  - a) Every other person in another group of 10 people
  - b) Every other person in the same group
2. Encrypt the message "THIS IS AN EXERCISE" using a shift cipher with a key of 20. Ignore the space between words.
3. Encrypt "INTERNET" using a transposition cipher with the following key: 4 3 1 5 2.

### B. Security

What are the DO's and DON'Ts for handling accounts & passwords?

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### C. Asymmetric Cryptography

4. (Optional) In RSA, given two prime numbers  $p=19$  and  $q=23$ , find  $n$  and  $\phi$ . Choose  $e = 5$  and try to find  $d$ , such that  $e$  and  $d$  meet the criteria.
5. What is danger in choosing 2 as the public key  $e$  in RSA?