

Aliah University

End-Semester Examination (Even Semester) - 2025

(CSE 4th Year 8th Semester)

Subject Name: Cryptography and Network Security
Subject Code: CSEUGPC26

Full Marks: 80
Time: 3hrs

Group-A

(Answer all questions)

(5 × 2 = 10)

1.

- Define Cryptanalysis. [CO1, BL2]
- If 40 people need to communicate using symmetric key cryptography, then find out the numbers of symmetric keys needed. [CO3, BL5]
- Explain Transpositional cipher with example. [CO1, BL2]
- Convert the Given Text "SUNDAY" into cipher text using monoalphabetic substitution with key=3. [CO3, BL5]
- Define block cipher. [CO2, BL2]

Group-B

(Answer any five questions)

(5 × 6 = 30)

- Explain Rail Fence Cipher and polyalphabetic ciphers with example. (3+3=6) [CO2, BL3]
- Given the prime numbers $p=11$ and $q=17$. Try to find out N , e , d using RSA. (6) [CO3, BL5]
- Explain various types of passive attacks in details. (6) [CO5, BL4]
- Explain packet filter firewall and Proxy based firewall with diagram. (3+3=6) [CO5, BL4]
- Explain the reason for using nonce. Differentiate between block cipher and stream cipher. (2+4=6) [CO2, BL2]
- Prove that the result of $G^{xy} \bmod N$ is same as the result of $(G^x \bmod N)^y \bmod N$, using $G=5$, $x=2$, $y=3$ and $N=11$. (6) [CO3, BL5]

Group-C

(Answer any four questions)

4 × 10 = 40

- Describe the IDEA algorithm with neat diagram and explain the steps. (10) [CO3, BL4]
- Explain man in the middle attack with diagram. (10) [CO5, BL4]
- What is Kerberos? Explain Kerberos protocol in details. (2+8=10) [CO5, BL2]
- Write short note on Biometric Authentication, S/MIME and AH Protocol (3+3+4=10) [CO2, BL2]
- Illustrate Digital Signature with neat diagram. (10) [CO4, BL4]