

Roll No.....

EC-601

B.E. VI Semester

Examination, December 2012

Data Communication and Networks

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Minimum Pass Marks :35

*Note : 1. Attempt any one question from each unit.
2. All questions carry equal marks.*

UNIT-I

- 1) a) Compute the channel capacity of a noisy channel having bandwidth 4kHz and SNR = 0 dB. (10)
- b) Discuss the types of addresses used in an internet employing TCP/IP protocol. (10)

OR

- 2) Discuss the functions and features of each layer of OSI Model. How does it differ from TCP/IP model? Enlist some similarities also. (20)

UNIT-II

- 3) a) Differentiate between synchronous and asynchronous TDM. (10)
- b) Compare datagram and virtual circuit packet switching techniques. (10)

OR

- 4) a) List the advantages and disadvantages of FDM. (10)
- b) Give a short account of different Digital subscriber lines (DSL). (10)

UNIT-III

- 5) a) Explain the main functions of Datalink control layer. (10)

- b) What is parity Checking? How is parity generated? (10)

OR

- 6) a) Distinguish between Go-back-N and selective repeat ARQ protocols. (10)

- b) Why framing of the bit stream necessary? Explain different framing techniques? (10)

UNIT - IV

- 7) a) Explain how the throughput doubles when slotted ALOHA is used instead of pure ALOHA? (10)

- b) Enlist the types of CSMA protocols. Name and explain the types of cables used in CSMA/CD. What types of encoding schemes are used in CSMA/CD? (10)

OR

- 8) a) Compare FDMA, TDMA and CDMA. (10)

- b) Draw and explain the frame format used in IEEE 802.4 Token Bus LAN. (10)

UNIT - V

- 9) a) Differentiate static and dynamic routing. (10)

- b) What is the use of bridges in internetworks? Explain the advantages and disadvantage of bridges? (10)

OR

- 10) a) Explain how routing is done using Dijkstra's algorithm. (10)

- b) Compare IP_v4 and IP_v6 . (10)
