R19IT303 - CRYPTOGRAPHY AND CYBER SECURITY QUESTION BANK

UNIT – I PART-A

- 1. Specify the four categories of security threats.
- 2. Explain active and passive attack with example.
- 3. Define integrity and non-repudiation.
- 4. Differentiate symmetric and asymmetric encryption?
- 5. Define cryptanalysis.
- 6. Define security mechanism.
- 7. Define steganography.
- 8. Why does a network need security?
- 9. Define confidentiality and authentication.
- 10. Define cryptography.
- 11. Compare Substitution and Transposition techniques.
- 12. Define Diffusion & Confusion.
- 13. Define Multiple Encryption.
- 14. Specify the design criteria of a block cipher.
- 15. Define Reversible mapping.
- 16. Specify the basic task for defining a security service.
- 17. Define network security.
- 18. Define computer security.
- 19. What are Hill cipher merits and demerits?

PART-B

- 1. Explain the following: (a) Playfair cipher. (8) (b) Vernam cipher in detail. (8)
- 2. Explain simplified DES with example. (16)
- 3. Write short notes on: (i) Steganography (16)
- 4. Explain classical encryption techniques in detail. (16)
- 5. Write short notes on: (a) Security services (8) (b) Feistel cipher structure (8)
- 6. Explain the OSI security architecture. (16)
- 7. (a) Explain various transposition ciphers in detail. (8) (b) Explain the basic principle of rotor machine. (8)
- 8. Explain in detail about Feistel cipher with diagram. (16)
- 9. (a) Explain classical encryption techniques with symmetric cipher model. (12) (b) Explain steganography in detail. (4)
- 10. Convert "MEET ME" using Hill cipher with the key matrix. Convert the cipher text back to plaintext.
- 11. Write short notes on block cipher modes of operation.
- 12. (i) Discuss any four substitution techniques and list their merits and demerits. (16)
- 13. Explain in detail about various types of attacks.
- 14. Explain in detail about various services provided by X.800.
- 15. Explain in detail about various mechanisms provided by X.800.
- 16. Briefly explain the design principles of block cipher. (8)
- 17. Write short notes on: (i) Fermat and Euler's theorem (8) (ii) Chinese Remainder theorem (8)
- 18. Discuss with neat sketch a network security model. (8)