

CORE COURSE XIV: 6B15CSC-A INFORMATION SECURITY

SEMESTER	COURSE CODE	HOURS PER WEEK	CREDIT	EXAM HRS
6	6B15CSC-A	4	4	3

COURSE OUTCOME

CO1: To understand the need of information security and to master information security Concepts, mechanisms and services as well as issues related to information Security.

CO2: To be familiar with cryptography and its categories.

CO3: Distinguish public and private key crypto systems and familiarize the rsa crypto System.

CO4: To attain the knowledge of digital signature and its security services.

Unit I:

Introduction to Information Security-The need for Security, Principles of security - confidentiality, Authentications, Integrity, Non-repudiation.Types of attacks-Passive attacks, Active attacks, Virus, Worm, Trojan horse.Introduction to Cryptography and Steganography.

(15Hrs)

Unit II:

Symmetric Key Encipherment - Traditional symmetric Key Ciphers: Introduction-Kirchhoff's principle, cryptanalysis, categories of traditional ciphers; Substitution Ciphers- mono-alphabetic ciphers, polyalphabetic ciphers; Transposition Ciphers-key-less and keyed transposition ciphers, Stream and Block Ciphers.

(20Hrs)

Unit III:

DES: Data Encryption Standard:-Introduction, DES Structure-Initial and final permutations, DES function; Round Key Generation; Avalanche and completeness effect; Weak keys; Multiple DES- Double DES, Triple DES; Security of DES- Brute- force attack, Differential cryptanalysis, Linear cryptanalysis. Public key Cryptosystem: Principles of Public Key Cryptosystems; Applications of public Key Crypto systems,

Requirement for Public Key Cryptosystem, Public Key Cryptanalysis. RSA Algorithm–
Description of the Algorithm, The security of RSA

(18Hrs)

Unit IV:

Digital Signature:-Comparison between conventional and digital signature-Inclusion,
Verification, Relationship, Duplicity; Process-needs for keys, signing the digest;
Services-message authentication,message integrity, non-repudiation, confidentiality;
Digital signature Forgery and types;Digital Signature Schemes-RSA digital signature
scheme.

(19Hrs)

Books for Study:

1. Behrouz A. Forouzan and DebdeepMukhopadhyay, Cryptography And Network Security, 3rd Ed, McGraw Hill (Units I, II, IV)
2. William Stallings, Cryptography and Network Security - Principles and Practice Paperback, 7th Ed, Pearson (Unit III)

Books for Reference:

1. Bishop Matt, Introduction to Computer Security, Addison-Wesley,2004.
2. Pieprzyk Josef, Hardjono Thomas and Seberry Jennifer, Fundamentals of Computer Security, Springer, 2003.

Marks including choice:

Unit	Marks
I	10
II	20
III	15
IV	15