

B.Tech DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2024

Fifth & Sixth Semester

18ECE224T - CRYPTOGRAPHY AND NETWORK SECURITY

(For the candidates admitted during the academic year 2018-2019 to 2021-2022)

Note:

- i. **Part - A** should be answered in OMR sheet within first 40 minutes and OMR sheet should be handed over to hall invigilator at the end of 40th minute.
- ii. **Part - B** and **Part - C** should be answered in answer booklet.

Time: 3 Hours**Max. Marks: 100**

PART - A (20 × 1 = 20 Marks)

Answer all Questions

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1.	In symmetric key cryptography, the secret key is kept by _____ (A) sender (B) receiver (C) sender and receiver (D) Intruder	1	1	1
2.	In cryptography, the order of the letters in a message is rearranged by _____ (A) Substitution ciphers (B) Transpositional ciphers (C) Repudiation (D) Replay	1	1	1
3.	What is data encryption standard (DES)? (A) Block cipher (B) Stream cipher (C) Bit cipher (D) Byte cipher	1	1	1
4.	What is the maximum size of the key in blowfish algorithm? (A) 256 bits (B) 512 bits (C) 56 bytes (D) 48 bytes	1	1	1
5.	A curve over Z_p , we use a cubic equation in which the variables and coefficients all take on values in the set of integers from 0 through $p-1$ and in which calculations are performed modulo p is called as _____ (A) Prime curve (B) Binary curve (C) Elliptic curve (D) Trapezoidal curve	1	1	1
6.	Man-in-the-middle attack can endanger security of Diffie-Hellman method if two parties are not (A) Authenticated (B) Joined (C) Submitted (D) Separated	1	1	2
7.	The multiplicative inverse of 550 mod 1769 is _____ (A) 434 (B) 224 (C) 550 (D) 1	1	1	2
8.	If three points on an elliptic curve lies on a straight line their sum is _____ (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 6 (D) 3	1	1	2
9.	SHA-1 has a message digest of _____ (A) 160 bits (B) 512 bits (C) 628 bits (D) 820 bits	1	1	2
10.	Which of the following is not a property of Hash function? (A) Pre-Image Resistance (B) Compression (C) Fixed length output (D) Fixed length input	1	1	2

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| 11. What is a one-way password file? | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| (A) A scheme in which the password is jumbled and stored | | | |
| (B) A scheme in which the password is XOR with a key and stored | | | |
| (C) A scheme in which the hash of the password is stored | | | |
| (D) A scheme in which the password is passed through a PRF, which is then stored | | | |
| 12. For an n-bit tag and a k-bit key, the level of effort required for brute force attack on a MAC algorithm is _____ | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| (A) 2^k | | | |
| (B) 2^n | | | |
| (C) $\text{Min}(2^k, 2^n)$ | | | |
| (D) $2^{k/2^n}$ | | | |
| 13. IPsec is designed to provide security at the _____ | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| (A) Transport layer | | | |
| (B) Network layer | | | |
| (C) Application layer | | | |
| (D) Session layer | | | |
| 14. An attempt to make a computer resource unavailable to its intended users is called _____ | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| (A) Denial-of-service attack | | | |
| (B) Virus attack | | | |
| (C) Worms attack | | | |
| (D) Botnet process | | | |
| 15. For a client-server authentication, the client requests from the KDC a _____ for access to a specific asset. | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| (A) token | | | |
| (B) local | | | |
| (C) ticket | | | |
| (D) user | | | |
| 16. Pretty good privacy (PGP) is used in _____ | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| (A) Browser security | | | |
| (B) Email security | | | |
| (C) FTP security | | | |
| (D) WiFi security | | | |
| 17. SPI stands for _____ | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| (A) Scalable payload index | | | |
| (B) Scalable parameter index | | | |
| (C) Security physical index | | | |
| (D) Security parameters index | | | |
| 18. _____ algorithm is used for data encryption in GSM. | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| (A) A7 | | | |
| (B) A5 | | | |
| (C) A3 | | | |
| (D) A1 | | | |
| 19. A multilevel security enforces _____ rules. | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| (A) No read down and no read up | | | |
| (B) No read up and no write down | | | |
| (C) No read up and no write up | | | |
| (D) No read down and no write down | | | |
| 20. A _____ replicate itself and send copies to another computer across network connections. | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| (A) Trojan horse | | | |
| (B) Bacteria | | | |
| (C) Virus | | | |
| (D) Worms | | | |

PART - B ($5 \times 4 = 20$ Marks)

Answer **any 5** Questions

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| 21. Discuss in brief about security attacks. | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| 22. Explain Rail Fence Encryption with Example. | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| 23. Find the gcd (161,28) using Extended Euclidean algorithm. | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| 24. Users A and B use the Diffie Hellman key exchange technique, a common prime $q=11$ and a primitive root $\alpha=7$. If user B has private key is 6, find his public key? | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| 25. Illustrate the Process of PGP. | 4 | 1 | 4 |
| 26. Explain Password Management Techniques. | 4 | 1 | 5 |

27. Illustrate the Firewall types.

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PART - C (5 × 12 = 60 Marks)

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Answer **all** Questions

28. (a) Perform encryption and decryption using Hill cipher method. Plain Text : VLKH , Key : ACTW.

12 1 1

(OR)

(b) Describe the working steps of Blowfish with neat diagrams.

29. (a) Perform encryption and decryption using RSA Algorithm for the following. Plain text=88, e=7, p=17, q=11.

12 1 2

(OR)

(b) Explain in detail the Elliptic curve cryptography.

30. (a) Explain in detail about MD-5 Algorithm in detail.

12 1 3

(OR)

(b) Explain in detail the generation and verification processes of Digital Signature standard.

31. (a) Illustrate the working of Kerberos V4 with its dialogues.

12 1 4

(OR)

(b) Explain the AH and ESP protocols of IPSec with neat sketches.

32. (a) Explain the Password Selection Strategies. Also illustrate the UNIX password protection scheme.

12 1 5

(OR)

(b) Explain in detail about Reference monitor concept and show how Trojan attack can be detected.

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