

TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND NETWORK SECURITY

1. NETWORK ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN

1.1 Fundamental network concepts

- a. Simplex, half-duplex, and full-duplex communication
- b. LANs, WANs, MANs, and PANs
- c. Internet, Intranet, and Extranet

1.2 The OSI model

- a. Layer 1: Physical
- b. Layer 2: Data Link
- c. Layer 3: Network
- d. Layer 4: Transport
- e. Layer 5: Session
- f. Layer 6: Presentation
- g. Layer 7: Application

1.3 The TCP/IP model

- a. Network Access Layer
- b. Internet Layer
- c. Host-to-Host Transport Layer
- d. Application Layer
- e. MAC addresses
 - EUI-64 MAC addresses
- f. IPv4
- g. IPv6
- h. TCP
 - TCP ports
- i. UDP
- j. ICMP

1.4 Application-Layer TCP/IP protocols and concepts

- a. Telnet
- b. FTP
- c. SSH
- d. SMTP, POP, and IMAP
- e. DNS
- f. HTTP and HTTPS

1.5 LAN technologies and protocols

- a. Ethernet

1.6 WAN technologies and protocols

- a. T1s, T3s, E1s, and E3s
- b. Frame Relay
- c. MPLS

2. NETWORK DEVICES AND PROTOCOLS

2.1 Repeaters and hubs

2.2 Bridges

2.3 Switches

2.4 Routers

2.5 Firewalls

- a. Packet filter
- b. Stateful firewalls
- c. Proxy firewalls

- Application-Layer Proxy firewalls

- d. Modem

2.6 Intrusion Detection Systems and Intrusion Prevention Systems

2.7 Endpoint security

- a. Antivirus

- b. Application whitelisting

- c. Removable media controls

- d. Disk encryption

3. SECURE COMMUNICATIONS

3.1 Authentication protocols and frameworks

- a. PAP and CHAP

- b. 802.1X and EAP

3.2 VPN

- a. PPP

- b. IPsec

3.3 Remote meeting technology