- Q.1 Which of the following is not the key difference between VANET and MANET.
 - a. The high relative speed of mobile node
 - b. Limited Redundancy
 - c. Self-Organizing
 - d. Rapid topology changes

Answer: C

- Q.2 Which of the following is a key requirement of VANET?
 - a. Mobility
 - b. Scalability
 - c. Fairness
 - d. All of the above

Answer: D

Q.3 What is Routing in VANET?

- I. Convention, or standard, controls how nodes decide which way to route packets between computing devices.
- II. Packet communication between nodes either directly or through intermediate nodes without fixed infrastructure.
 - a. Only I
 - b. Only II
 - c. Both I and II
 - d. Neither I nor II

Answer: C

- Q.4 In VANET network source nodes initiate the route discovery when it needs to send the packet. This type of routing is called
 - a. OLSR
 - b. DSDV
 - c. ZRP
 - d. AODV

Answer: AODV

- Q.5 Which of the following is the characteristic of VANET?
 - a. Static Topology
 - b. Wired communication
 - c. Fixed infrastructure
 - d. Mobility Modeling and Prediction

Answer: D

Q.6 The routing protocols are classified based on

- a. Routing information update mechanism
- b. Protocol Routing topology

- c. Utilization of specific resources
- d. Processing Utilization

Answer: D

- Q.7 The first protocol designed for the ad hoc network?
 - a. The wireless routing protocol(WRP)
 - b. Destination sequenced distance-vector routing (DSDV)
 - c. Optimized Link State Routing (OLSR)
 - d. Dynamic source routing protocol (DSR)

Answer: B

- Q.8 In the AODV routing protocol the route is discovered when
 - a. When the network is established
 - b. While packet in transmission
 - c. Determine if and when needed
 - d. Pre-selected route followed

Answer: C

- Q.9 Select the correct option for VANET characteristics
 - I. Topology: Variable, Nodes join and leave the network very frequently
 - II. Connection life: short, depending on the road infrastructure condition
- III. Connectivity: Permanent, end to end connectivity assured
- IV. RSU provides connectivity between two vehicle nodes.
 - a. All the options are correct
 - b. Only I, II and III
 - c. Only I, II and IV
 - d. Only I, II

Answer: C

- Q.10 Which of the following is the driver-oriented applications of VANET
 - a. Incident management and collision avoidance
 - b. Tourist information
 - c. Packet route selection
 - d. Road traffic and safety information

Answer: D

- Q. 11 A ad hoc network is called VANET only when
 - a. Vehicle to infrastructure is possible
 - b. The driver gets the traffic information in real-time
 - c. Vehicle to Vehicle communication is possible
 - d. Vehicle to Roadside sensor communication is possible

Answer: C

- Q.12 Which of the following is not a communication technology used in VANET
 - a. Dedicated Short Range Communication

- b. Wireless Access on Vehicular Environment
- c. IEEE 802.11p
- d. None of the Above

Answer: D

Q.13 Explain the application of VANET where an accident happened at a road junction and information is broadcasted in the nearby vehicles.

Answer: Different answers are possible.

Q.14 Explain different types of radio access technologies with their advantages and disadvantages.

- DSRC (Dedicated Short Range Communications)- short range wireless technology
 - ASTM Standard E2213-03, based on IEEE 802.11a
 - name of the 5.9 GHz Band allocated for the ITS communications
 - DSRC standards suite is based on multiple cooperating IEEE standards
- IEEE 802.11p includes DSRC
 - based on ASTM Standard E2213-03- developed for vehicular communications
- WAVE (Wireless Access in Vehicular Environments)
 - mode of operation used by IEEE 802.11 devices to operate in the DSRC band
 - the core design aspects of DSRC is Wireless Access in Vehicular Networks (WAVE) corresponding to IEEE 1609.1/.2/.3/.4
- DSRC Devices
 - IEEE 802.11 systems using the WAVE mode of operation in the DSRC band
- IEEE P1556
 - WAVE IEEE P1609 Layer 3-7 (OSI)
 - DSRC: EEE 802.11p, ASTM 2213

Q.15 Define three components of the VANET.

Answer: Road Side Unit (RSU), On-Board Unit (OBU), and Application Unit (AU)

- RSU- Road Side Unit
- OBU On-board Unit
- AU Application Unit
- Typically
 - RSU hosts applications that provides services
 - OBU is a peer device that uses the services
- The applications may reside in the RSU or in the OBU (provider/user model)
 - OBU
 - set of sensors to collect and process the information
 - sending information as messages to other Vs or RSUs
 - Vehicle: may host n≥1 AUs that use the applications offered by the provider, supported by OBU connection capabilities
- The RSU can also connect to the Internet or to another server which allows AU's from multiple vehicles to connect to the Internet

OBU basic requirements and responsibilities :

- A RF antenna + wireless channel (communication -other OBUs and RSUs)
- Software to run a specific VANET network stack
- Data forwarding on behalf of other OBUs

Control functions:

- routing, network congestion, control, data security, and IP mobility
- A user I/F to exchange information with the end user, or a connection with a device that has a user I/F
- A mechanism to generate safety messages to be shared with other OBUs and RSUs
 - these messages can come
 - · directly from the user
 - · or from automatic processing of sensory data

On-Board Unit (OBU) (Ref [13] Saini)

- HW device mounted on the vehicle
- It communicates with other OBUs and RSUs (~router)

Typical structure:

- transceiver, RF antenna
- processor
- read/write memory
- user interface
- A Vehicle Control Unit (VCU) coordinates with the OBU to collect/disseminate vehicular statistics.
- Other OBU I/Fs: (e.g. USB and Bluetooth), to connect to other devices on the vehicle, for example: laptops, smartphones and PDAs
- GPS sensor
- A network stack runs on the processor to provide the abstraction of VANET

RSU- Road Side Unit

- antenna, processor, and read/write memory
- wireless and wired I/Fs to communicate with OBUs, other RSUs and the Internet
- It can extends the coverage area of OBUs through data forwarding
- RSUs are installed (optimization multi-criteria problem!)
 - along the roads, mainly near intersections and gas stations
 - locations of high vehicle density

Main functionalities of an RSU

- RF, high power, and long-range antenna
- Support access to wired channels, (coax, cable or optical fiber cable, with Ethernet-like protocols)
- Network stack to run a VANET specific network, link and L1 protocols
- Forwarding data packets to OBUs in its range and other RSUs
- Aggregation of safety information from OBUs through safety applications and alarming incoming OBUs
- GW to provide Internet connectivity to OBUs
- Standards to be supported: IEEE 802.11p, and all four IEEE 1609 protocols