

MCA/M08
Computer Networks
MCA -202

Time : 3 Hours

MM:50

Note:- Attempt Five questions in all, selecting One question from each unit. All questions carry equal marks.

UNIT-I

- 1(a) Why is Layered architecture preferred in network? Discuss various key design issues and functions of layers. 5
- (b) Compare and contrast OSI with TCP/IP. 5
- 2(a) Write and explain Circuit Switching, Message switching and Packet Switching 5
- (b) If a binary signal is sent over 6-kHZ channel, Whose signal to noise ratio is 40DB, What is the maximum achievable data transfer rate? 5
- 3(a) Discuss collision free protocols in detail. 5
- (b) Differentiate High Speed LAN with DQDB 5

UNIT-II

- 4 Differentiate
(i) Protocol data Unit (PDU) and service data Unit(SDU)
(ii) TDM and FDM
(iii) Topologies and Protocols
(iv) WAN and Internet 10
- 5(a) Explain sliding window protocol in detail with the concept of piggybacking. 5
- (b) Draw Manchester encoding for bit-stream 5
- 6(a) Explain pure ALOHA and slotted ALOHA. Drive expression of throughput for slotted Aloha. 5
- (b) Explain 802.5 Token Ring protocols in detail. 5

UNIT-III

- 7(a) What are the two primary services provided by IP? Give IP header format and explain each field in detail. 5
- (b) Explain in detail different routing techniques. 5
- 8 Differentiate
(i) Half duplex and full duplex transmission
(ii) Base band and Broad band transmission media
(iii) Persistence and non-persistence protocols.

- (iv) GSM and CDMA technologies. 10
- 9 Why error control is required in data transmission? How errors can be detected and corrected? 10
- 10 Write notes on following:
- (a) X.25
 - (b) UDP
 - (c) ISDN
 - (d) SMTP 10