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# B.M.S. College of Engineering, Bengaluru-560019

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## June / July 2025 Semester End Main Examinations

**Programme: B.E.**

**Semester: V**

**Branch: Computer Science and Engineering**

**Duration: 3 hrs.**

**Course Code: 23CS5PCCON**

**Max Marks: 100**

**Course: Computer Networks**

**Instructions:** 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.  
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

Important Note: Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.			<b>UNIT - I</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>PO</b>	<b>Marks</b>
	1	a)	Identify the 5 components of a data communication system. Explain simplex, half-duplex and full-duplex, modes of communication.	CO1	PO1	6
		b)	Analyze as to OSI model is considered less successful in practical implementations compared to the TCP/IP model? Compare the key differences between the OSI model and the TCP/IP model in terms of structure, functionality, and real-world adoption.	CO1	PO1	7
		c)	Explain the concept of scrambling and describe the different techniques of scrambling in details.	CO1	PO1	7
			<b>OR</b>			
	2	a)	Differentiate between circuit switched network and packet switched network with the help of a neat diagram and example.	CO1	PO1	6
		b)	Illustrate 2B/1Q, 8B/6T, and 4D-PAM5 with suitable diagrams.	CO2	PO2	7
		c)	Categorize the four basic topologies in terms of line configuration. Given 'n' devices in a network identify the number of links required for a mesh , ring, bus and star topologies?	CO1	PO1	7
			<b>UNIT – II</b>			
	3	a)	Explain with a Flow diagram the three persistence methods used in CSMA	CO2	PO2	7
		b)	Given the dividend 1001 and the divisor 1011, show the generation of the CRC codeword at the sender site.	CO2	PO2	6
		c)	Explain the controlled-access methods used in Multiple access Protocols.	CO2	PO2	7

		<b>OR</b>			
4	a)	A sender needs to send the four 16-bit words (A7A2)16, (CABF)16, (903A)16, and (A123)16. 1. Find the checksum at the sender site. 2. Find the checksum at the receiver site if there is no error. 3. Find the checksum at the receiver site if the second data item is changed to OxCABE. 4. Find the checksum at the receiver site if the second data item is changed to OxCABE and the third data item is changed to Ox913A.	CO3	PO3	7
	b)	A pure ALOHA network transmits 200-bit frames on a shared channel of 200 kbps. What is the throughput if the system (all stations together) produces a. 1000 frames per second? b. 500 frames per second? c. 250 frames per second?	CO3	PO3	7
	c)	Explain with a neat flow diagram CSMA/CA the interframe space, the contention window, and acknowledgments,	CO3	PO3	6
		<b>UNIT - III</b>			
5	a)	Discuss the transition methods from IPv4 to IPv6. Illustrate these methods with suitable diagrams.	CO3	PO3	7
	b)	Discuss the working of RIP Algorithm and the performance of RIP.	CO3	PO3	7
	c)	Analyze the three types of Autonomous Systems (ASs) based on their connection to other ASs, and show how this type of AS affect the operation of interdomain routing protocols?	CO3	PO3	6
		<b>OR</b>			
6	a)	Discuss the following with respect to IPV6 1. IPv6 datagram 2. Fragmentation and Reassembly	CO3	PO3	7
	b)	Describe the format of DHCP messages, and discuss the dynamic allocation of IP address using DHCP?	CO2	PO2	7
	c)	Discuss the ICMPv6 different protocol messages and neighbor discovery message	CO2	PO2	6
		<b>UNIT – IV</b>			
7	a)	Explain User Datagram and UDP Services.	CO3	PO3	7
	b)	The following is the content of a UDP header in hexadecimal format.CB84000D001C001C a. What is the source port number? b. What is the destination port number? c. What is the total length of the user datagram? d. What is the length of the data? e. Is the packet directed from a client to a server or vice versa? f. What is the client process?	CO3	PO3	7

		c)	Elaborate the following services offered by TCP to the processes at the application layer (i) TCP segments, (ii). Sending and receiving buffers.	CO3	PO3	<b>6</b>
			<b>OR</b>			
	8	a)	How does TCP implement flow control between the sending TCP and the receiving TCP, and why is the feedback mechanism primarily concentrated on the feedback sent from the receiving TCP to the sending TCP rather than involving the receiving process?	CO2	PO2	<b>7</b>
		b)	Illustrate with a neat diagram the TCP Connection Data transfer and Connection termination using three-way handshaking.	CO3	PO3	<b>7</b>
		c)	Illustrate how Go-Back-N Protocol different from the Selective-Repeat Protocol?	CO3	PO5	<b>6</b>
			<b>UNIT - V</b>			
	9	a)	Identify the different identifiers in URL and list the different types of web documents?	CO1	PO1	<b>7</b>
		b)	Analyze the data transmission in DNS for the following different types of files (i). Original document (ii). Image (iii) Referenced file.	CO2	PO2	<b>7</b>
		c)	Explain DNS message format with a neat diagram?	CO1	PO1	<b>6</b>
			<b>OR</b>			
	10	a)	Explain request and response messages format in HTTP.	CO2	PO2	<b>7</b>
		b)	Explain the concept of SNMP with a neat diagram and elaborate on Managers and Agents with basic ideas.	CO2	PO2	<b>7</b>
		c)	Write a note on Creating and Storing Cookies using an online inventory system.	CO3	PO3	<b>6</b>

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