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Programme: B.E.

Branch: Computer Science and Engineering

Course Code: 21CS7PEBLC

Course: Block Chain

Semester: VII

Duration: 3 hrs.

Max Marks: 100

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

UNIT - I

- 1 a) Illustrate the steps used in Digital signature scheme. **4**
- b) Explain Turing Complete with an example and discuss blockchain applications are Turing Complete. **6**
- c) With a neat diagram discuss architecture and goals of Hadoop distributed file system. **10**

UNIT - II

- 2 a) Explain distributed consensus. **4**
- b) Explain the life of the transaction in blockchain application with an example. **6**
- c) Differentiate between Blockchain and Database. List any 5 blockchain use cases. **10**

OR

- 3 a) Explain Mining mechanism used in blockchain. **4**
- b) With a neat diagram explain structure of Bitcoin blockchain. **6**
- c) Analyze why blockchain forks. Explain different types of forks with example. **10**

UNIT - III

- 4 a) Discuss Ethereum Wallet with an example. Explain how to create wallet, the different ethereum networks available, using wallet and view all the transactions. **10**
- b) With a neat diagram explain ethereum state trie architecture and block header. **10**

OR

- 5 a) In solidity what is Contract definition and syntax of functions. Explain the set of all keywords that specify the function's visibility and affect the behavior of the function. **10**

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) Explain the different predefined global variables(objects) that can be accessed when a contract is executed in the EVM. **10**

UNIT - IV

- 6 a) Consider the kind of attack used in DAO hack, discuss the vulnerability and preventative techniques of such attack. **10**
- b) Discuss how blockchain solves problems in current DNS systems, workings of a blockchain DNS and list any three of popular blockchain DNS software. **10**

UNIT - V

- 7 a) Compare and discuss the methods to reduce energy consumption in blockchain. **10**
- b) Write the Python implementation of simplified Proof-of-Work algorithm. **10**
