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17EC744

Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Feb./Mar. 2022

Cryptography

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Prove that $[(a \bmod n) + (b \bmod n)] \bmod n = (a + b) \bmod n$. (07 Marks)
- b. Consider $f(x) = x^3 + x^2 + 2$ and $g(x) = x^2 - x + 1$.
Find : i) $f(x) + g(x)$ ii) $f(x) * g(x)$ iii) $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$. (07 Marks)
- c. State the axioms of groups and rings. (06 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. List and explain the properties of modular arithmetic. (07 Marks)
- b. Define the term divisibility. State the properties of divisibility for integers. (07 Marks)
- c. Find $\gcd[a(x_2), b(x_1)]$ for $a(x) = x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$ and $b(x) = x^4 + x^2 + x + 1$. (06 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. With an example, explain playfair cipher. (10 Marks)
- b. With a block diagram, explain Fiestal encryption and decryption. (10 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. With an example, explain how transposition technique when applied on the plaintext. (10 Marks)
- b. With a neat diagram, explain DES encryption and decryption and key generation. (10 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Explain how to design and analyze, stream cipher with respect to linear complexity and correlation immunity. (10 Marks)
- b. With schematic of AES structure, explain the operation of AES. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Design and explain the stream cipher using the following LF – SR.
i) Geffe generators
ii) Bilateral Stop and Go-generator. (10 Marks)
- b. With neat diagram, explain the AES key expansion. (10 Marks)

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

Module-4

- 7 a. State Fermat's theorem. Prove that $a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$. (07 Marks)
b. Write an elaborate note on Man-in-the-Middle attack. (07 Marks)
c. Define what is an Abelian Group. (06 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. State and prove Euler's theorem. (06 Marks)
b. Explain Diffie – Hellman key exchange. (07 Marks)
c. Write a note on elliptic curve over real numbers. (07 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Explain digital signature algorithm. (10 Marks)
b. Explain in detail how N-Hash function is obtained. (10 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Explain in detail secure Hash algorithm. (10 Marks)
b. Explain in detail MD5 hash function. (10 Marks)
