



10EC831

Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2019/Jan.2020

Distributed System

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART – A

- 1 a. What is a distributed system? Give examples of distributed systems and explain in brief. (10 Marks)
b. Discuss the various challenges in the design of distributed system. (10 Marks)
- 2 a. Explain the challenges of distributed system. (10 Marks)
b. Describe software layers briefly. (10 Marks)
- 3 a. Describe the characteristics of inter process communication. (04 Marks)
b. Explain the Request Reply Protocol (RRP) based on trio of communication primitives. (10 Marks)
c. List out some outstanding issues related to datagram communication. (06 Marks)
- 4 a. List the characteristics of inter process communication and explain each. (10 Marks)
b. What is a socket? Write a java program for UDP client sends a message to the server and gets a reply. (10 Marks)

PART – B

- 5 a. Explain cipher block chaining and stream ciphers. (12 Marks)
b. Explain the digital signature with public keys. (08 Marks)
- 6 a. Describe digital signatures with public keys. (10 Marks)
b. Describe Cipher block chaining with cryptographic algorithm. (10 Marks)
- 7 a. With suitable diagrams, explain bully election algorithm. (08 Marks)
b. What are the performance metrics for mutual exclusion? Explain. (06 Marks)
c. List and explain the ordered multicast communication. (06 Marks)
- 8 a. List out the POA design goals? Explain the POA architecture. (10 Marks)
b. Write short notes on :
 - i) CORBA event service
 - ii) Failure model. (10 Marks)

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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.