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Seventh Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2024/Jan.2025

Cryptography

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

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

Module-1

- 1 a. Contrast between the following pair of terms:
 - i) Cryptography and cryptanalysis
 - ii) Monoalphabetic and polyalphabetic cipher
 - iii) Substitution and transposition cipher
 - iv) Symmetric and asymmetric key cipher
 - v) Stream and block cipher. (10 Marks)
- b. Decrypt the message "MTPAECNGHAQP" using keyword "COMPUTER" using playfair cipher. Explain play fair cipher and also listing the rules to be followed. Use I and J count as one letter [use in one box]. (10 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Encrypt and decrypt the word "MUMBAI" by hill cipher using the key matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
(10 Marks)
- b. Explain the DES encryption and decryption algorithm. (10 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Explain the Public Key Cryptosystem and its applications. (10 Marks)
- b. Perform encryption and decryption using RSA for the following values: $P = 3$, $q = 11$, $e = 7$ and $M = 2$. Also indicate public key and private key. (10 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Explain Diffie-Hellman key exchange algorithm. (10 Marks)
- b. In Diffie-Hellman key exchange algorithm common prime $q = 71$ and primitive root $\alpha = 7$, user A's private key $X_A = 5$ and user B's private key $X_B = 12$, find:
 - i) Public key Y_A
 - ii) Public key Y_B
 - iii) Common key (10 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Explain Elliptic Curve Cryptography [ECC] algorithm. (10 Marks)
- b. Illustrate symmetric key distribution using asymmetric encryption. (10 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Explain the following mechanisms of distribution of public keys.
 - i) Public announcement
 - ii) Publicly available directory
 - iii) Public key authority. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the process of exchange of public key certificates and its requirements. (10 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Explain X.509 certificate format. (10 Marks)
b. Explain Kerberos overview in detail. (10 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. How PGP can be used for exchange of message? (10 Marks)
b. What is S/MIME? Explain the functions provided by it. (10 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. What are IP security benefits, applications and IP services? (10 Marks)
b. Discuss the encapsulating security payload with respect to IP sec. (10 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Differentiate between transport and tunnel mode security associations. (10 Marks)
b. Discuss basic combinations of security associations. (10 Marks)
