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Instructions for Candidates :

- (a) Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
- (b) Section-A is compulsory and carries 35 marks.
- (c) Attempt any four questions from Section-B.

Section-A

1. (a) A bit stream of 10111011 is to be transmitted using the standard CRC method having x^{3+1} as the generator polynomial. Show the actual bits transmitted. Suppose the 4th bit from the left gets inverted due to an error, check whether the error can be caught.

- (b) Ethernet requires that valid frames must be at least 64 bytes long. Give reasons for choosing the minimum frame size as 64 bytes. 2
- (c) Convert the IP address whose hexadecimal representation is C22F1582 to dotted decimal representation.
- (d) Explain briefly the following fields of the IP header : 4
- (i) Internet Header Length (IHL)
 - (ii) Identification,
 - (iii) DF & MF, and

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- (iv) TTL
- (e) Briefly discuss the following CSMA protocols :

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- (i) 1-persistence
- (ii) p-persistence and

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- (iii) non-persistence
- (f) Match the following to one or more layers of the TCP/IP model : 5

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- (i) Transmission of bit stream across physical medium
- (ii) Defines frames

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- 7. (a) Consider the following subnet where distance vector routing is used. The following information have just arrived at the router C:
 - (i) From B : (5,0,8,12,6,2)
 (ii) From D : (16,12,6,0,9,10) and,
 (iii) From E : (7,6,3,9,0,4)

The measured delays to B, D, and E, are 6, 3, and 5 respectively. Give the new routing table for C specifying both the delay and the outgoing line to use.



(b) Compare ARP and RARP.

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(c) What is MIME ? What problems does it solve ?

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- 4. (a) Television channels are 6 MHz wide. How many bits/sec can be sent if four-level digital signals are used ? Assume a noiseless channel.
 - (b) Explain briefly the terms : FDM, WDM, and TDM. 3
 - (c) What is the significance of the twisting in twisted-pair cable ? 2
 - (d) What is the purpose of cladding in an optical fiber ? 2
- (a) Explain the binary exponential back-off algorithm used in CSMA/CD protocols.
 - (b) There are five classes in IPv4 addressing. Give the identifiers for each of the classes.

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- (c) Explain the TCP header fields : URG, PSH, SYN, and FIN.
- 6. (a) What is HTTP ? Explain briefly two of its message types.
 - (b) What is an URL? Give an example to explain its parts. 3
 - (c) Briefly explain any three ICMP message types.
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- (iii) Reliable process-to-process message delivery
- (iv) Route Selection
- (v) Provides user services such as email and file transfer
- (g) What is the baud rate of classic 10-MbpsEthernet ? 2
- (h) Five channels, each with a 100-kHz bandwidth, are to be multiplexed together.
 What is the minimum bandwidth of the link, if there is a need for a guard band of 10-kHz between the channels to prevent interference ?
- (i) What does the following address mean and when are they used ?
 - (i) 0.0.0.0
 - (ii) 127.xx.yy.zz
 - (iii) 156.76.255.255

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- (j) Explain simplex, half-duplex, and full-duplex modes of communication.
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- (k) State the Nyquist sampling theorem for analog-to-digital conversion.

Section-B

- 2. (a) A system has an n-layer protocol hierarchy. Applications generate messages of length M bytes. At each of the layers, an h-byte header is added. What fraction of the network bandwidth is filled with headers ?
 - (b) Explain the concept of byte stuffing used for framing.
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(c) Define bandwidth of a signal. A periodic signal has a bandwidth of 20 Hz. The highest frequency is 60 Hz. What is the lowest frequency?

(d) What is the Nyquist sampling rate for each of the following signals ? 3

(i) A low-pass signal with bandwidth of 200 KHz ?

(ii) A band-pass signal with bandwidth of 200 KHz if the lowest frequency is 100 KHz ?

(a) Which characteristics of an analog signal are changed to represent the digital signal in each of the following digital-to-analog modulation?

(i) ASK	(ii)	FSK
(iii) PSK	(iv)	QAM

- (b) Why has the PCM sampling time been set at 125 µsec? 2
- (c) On which layer of the TCP/IP model does the following devices operate. Briefly state their functionality : 4

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- (i) Repeater
- (ii) Router
- (iii) Bridges
- (iv) Switches

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