

(Following Paper ID and Roll No. to be filled in your Answer Book)

PAPER ID : 2897

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B. Tech.

(SEM. VIII) THEORY EXAMINATION 2011-12

DATA COMMUNICATION NETWORKS

Time : 3 Hours

Total Marks : 100

Note :- Attempt all questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Attempt any four parts : (5×4=20)
 - (a) Differentiate between circuit switching and packet switching using suitable diagram.
 - (b) Write short note on Ethernet.
 - (c) Explain OSI reference model with suitable diagram.
 - (d) Differentiate between FDM and TDM giving suitable examples.
 - (e) Write short note on transmission media.
 - (f) What do you understand by connection oriented services ? Compare it with connectionless services giving suitable examples.

2. Attempt any four parts : (5×4=20)
 - (a) Why do we use layered protocols ? Give at least two reasons.
 - (b) Explain in short IEEE standard 802 for LAN.

- (c) Write short notes on error control and flow control.
- (d) Explain framing in detail.
- (e) What are the major problems in allocating the channel ?
- (f) Explain ALOHA in detail.
3. Attempt any **two** parts : (2×10=20)
- (a) Explain in detail virtual circuit and datagram subnets.
- (b) What do you understand by Routing Algorithms ? Write and explain any one of Routing Algorithm.
- (c) Explain in detail different types of Bridges. Write short notes on Routers and Gateways.
4. Attempt any **two** parts : (2×10=20)
- (a) What are the different elements of transport protocols ? Also explain how do we establish a connection.
- (b) Explain with the help of suitable diagram the TCP Segment Header. Also explain TCP Connection Management.
- (c) Discuss design issues for the Transport Layer.
5. Attempt any **two** parts : (2×10=20)
- (a) Explain the relationship between Data Rate and Bandwidth. Also explain synchronous data communication with relevant examples.
- (b) What is the use of Bit stuffing in data ? What do you mean by pipe lining ? Explain it with suitable examples.
- (c) Write short notes on DNS and HTTP.