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**B.E. / B.TECH. DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2023**

Fourth Semester

**CS18403 – COMPUTER NETWORKS***(Common to CS & EE)***(Regulation 2018 / 2018A)****TIME: 3 HOURS****MAX. MARKS: 100**

COURSE OUTCOMES	STATEMENT	RBT LEVEL
CO 1	Understand the concepts of computer networks and Internet.	2
CO 2	Categorize different application layer level protocols based on user's request.	4
CO 3	Apply the knowledge of addressing scheme and various routing protocols in data.	3
CO 4	Examine the flow of information from one node to another node in the network.	4
CO 5	Distinguish the link, physical layers and error detection-correction of data.	5

**PART- A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)**

(Answer all Questions)

	CO	RBT LEVEL
1. Define networking.	1	1
2. Differentiate circuit-switching networks and packet-switching networks.	1	2
3. In what way IMAP and POP are differed?	2	1
4. Outline the functions of FTP.	2	2
5. What are the services provided by the transport layer?	3	1
6. How congestion occurs in a network?	3	1
7. Summarize the address range of IPv4 classless addressing.	4	2
8. Expand ICMP and write its functions.	4	2
9. What is parity checking?	5	1
10. Illustrate the use of ARP and RARP protocols in data link layer.	5	2

**PART- B (5 x 14 = 70 Marks)**

	Marks	CO	RBT LEVEL
11. (a) Draw the ISO-OSI architecture and organize the functions of each layer.	(14)	1	3
<b>(OR)</b>			
(b) Describe circuit-switching and packet-switching with an example.	(14)	1	3
12. (a) Define HTTP. Discuss HTTP request and response message formats in detail.	(14)	2	4

**(OR)**

- (b) Explain in detail how electronic mail application is carried out in a network. (14) 2 4  
 Also explain the protocols used in this application.
13. (a) Define UDP. Discuss the operations of UDP. Explain UDP checksum with one (14) 3 4  
 example.
- (OR)**
- (b) Compare TCP and UDP. Explain in detail about the different phases used in (14) 3 4  
 TCP connection.
14. (a) With a neat diagram explain distance vector routing and link state routing (14) 4 3  
 protocol.
- (OR)**
- (b) Illustrate RIP with an example network. (14) 4 3
15. (a) A message that is to be transmitted is represented by the polynomial (14) 5 3  
 $M(x)=x^5+x^4+x$  with a generating prime polynomial  $G(x)=x^3+x^2+1$ . Generate a  
 3-bit CRC code,  $C(x)$  which is to be appended to  $M(x)$ .
- (OR)**
- (b) Organize the functions of random access methods – ALOHA, CSMA, (14) 5 3  
 CSMA/CD & CSMA/CA.

**PART- C (1 x 10 = 10 Marks)**

(Q.No.16 is compulsory)

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| 16. How is congestion controlled? Explain in detail about congestion control mechanisms in transport layer. | (10)  | 3  | 5            |

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