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M.E. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOV/DEC 2022

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M.E. - Computer Science and Engineering (with Specialization in Networks)

20PCNEL309 - CRYPTOGRAPHY AND WIRELESS NETWORK SECURITY

(Regulations 2020)

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

**PART - A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

**Marks,**  
**K-Level, CO**

1. Distinguish between attack and threats. 2,K1,CO1
2. Specify the components of encryption algorithm. 2,K1,CO1
3. Perform the encryption for the plaintext M=88 using RSA algorithm p=17, q=11 and the public component e=7. 2,K3,CO2
4. How digital signatures differ from authentication protocols? 2,K4,CO2
5. List out the services provided by PGP. 2,K2,CO3
6. Differentiate TLS and SSL security. 2,K4,CO3
7. Give the security issues in wireless environment. 2,K4,CO4
8. Define risk mitigation. 2,K1,CO4
9. List any four security issues in 2G system. 2,K2,CO5
10. Explain I- mode in GSM security. 2,K2,CO5

**PART - B (5 × 13 = 65 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

11. a) Explain classical encryption techniques with symmetric cipher and hill cipher model. 13,K2,CO1  

**OR**

b) (i) Define steganography. Describe the various techniques used in steganography. 7,K2,CO1  
(ii) Describe triple DES and its applications. 6,K2,CO1
12. a) Describe RSA Algorithm and perform encryption & decryption for the following: p=7, q=11, e=7 and m=9. 13,K3,CO2  

**OR**

b) Explain the digital signature standard with necessary diagrams in detail. 13,K2,CO2

K1 – Remember; K2 – Understand; K3 – Apply; K4 – Analyze; K5 – Evaluate; K6 – Create

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13. a) (i) What is Kerberos? Analyze how it provides authenticated service. 7,K4,CO3  
(ii) Explain the format of the X.509 certificate. 6,K1,CO3

**OR**

- b) Illustrate Intrusion Detection System (IDS) in detail with suitable diagram. 13,K4,CO1
14. a) Explain the architecture of IEEE 802.11 WLAN and elaborate the security requirements of it. 13,K2,CO4

**OR**

- b) Describe the user scenario architecture and protocol stack of Bluetooth technology. 13,K2,CO4
15. a) Demonstrate the GSM architecture and its security methods in brief. 13,K2,CO5

**OR**

- b) (i) Discuss authentication and key agreement in 3G. 7,K2,CO5  
(ii) How will you achieve confidentiality and data integrity in 4G communication systems? 6,K2,CO5

**PART - C (1 × 15 = 15 Marks)**

16. a) (i) Explain briefly Diffie-Hellman key exchange algorithm with its merits and demerits. 10,K3,CO2  
(ii) Explain public key and when it is preferred. 5,K3,CO2

**OR**

- b) Illustrate the functions of firewall and describe any three types of firewall with neat diagram. 15,K3,CO3