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- 9. (a) What do you mean by congestion control? Explain the concept of token bucket in congestion controlling.
 - (b) Describe in brief service provided by TCP.
 - (c) How is a secret key cryptography different from public key cryptogaphy?

(2+3)+4+3=12

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DATA COMMUNICATION & COMPUTER NETWORKS (MCAP 2102)

Time Allotted: 3 hrs Full Marks: 70

Figures out of the right margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to answer Group A and any 5 (five) from Group B to E, taking at least one from each group.

Candidates are required to give answer in their own words as far as practicable.

Group – A (Multiple Choice Type Questions)

1. Choose the correct alternative for the following:

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- (i) Which of the following is an example of a bounded medium?
 - (a) Coaxial cable

(b) Wave guide

(c) Fiber optic cable

- (d) All of these.
- (ii) The physical layer is responsible for
 - (a) Line coding

(b) Channel coding

(c) Modulation

- (d) All of the mentioned.
- (iii) In asynchronous serial communication the physical layer provides
 - (a) start and stop signalling
 - (b) flow control
 - (c) both start & stop signalling and flow control
 - (d) None of the mentioned.
- (iv) The technique of temporarily delaying outgoing acknowledgements so that they can be hooked onto the next outgoing data frame is called
 - (a) Piggybacking
 - (b) Cyclic redundancy check
 - (c) Fletcher's checksum
 - (d) None of the mentioned.
- (v) Which one of the following is the multiple access protocol for channel access control?
 - (a) CSMA/CD

(b) CSMA/CA

(c) Both CSMA/CD & CSMA/CA

(d) None of the mentioned.

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- (vi) A subset of a network that includes all the routers but contains no loops is called
 - (a) Spanning tree

(b) Spider structure

(c) Spider tree

(d) None of the mentioned

- (vii) ICMP is primarily used for
 - (a) error and diagnostic functions
 - (c) forwarding

- (b) addressing
- (d) none of the mentioned
- (viii) Which of these is not applicable for IP protocol?
 - (a) Is connectionless

(b) Offer reliable service

(c) Offer unreliable service

- (d) None of the mentioned.
- (ix) Which one of the following is an internet standard protocol for managing devices on IP network?
 - (a) Dynamic host configuration protocol
 - (b) Simple network management protocol
 - (c) Internet message access protocol
 - (d) Media gateway protocol.
- (x) Multiple object can be sent over a TCP connection between client and server in
 - (a) Persistent HTTP

(b) Nonpersistent HTTP

(c) Both (a) and (b)

(d) None of the mentioned.

Group - B

- 2. (a) What is a line coding? What are the advantages of line code?
 - (b) With a neat diagram, write down the PCM technique for analog-to-digital modulation.
 - (c) Explain the types of transmission modes.

$$(1+2)+6+3=12$$

- 3. (a) What is Multiplexing? Explain different types of Multiplexing.
 - (b) Explain the characteristics Shielded twisted pair (STP) and Unshielded twisted pair (UTP) cable.
 - (c) Find the minimum bandwidth for an FSK signal transmitting at 2000 bps transmission is in half-duplex mode, and the carriers are separated by 3000Hz.

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Group - C

- 4. (a) Write down the steps involved in CRC calculation.
 - (b) Construct the Hamming code for the bit sequence 1001101.
 - (c) Describe why in Selective Repeat ARQ, the size of the sender and receiver window must be at most one-half of 2m, where m is the number of data bits.

$$3 + 5 + 4 = 12$$

- 5. (a) Explain how a collision is detected in CSMA/CD with the help of a Diagram. Justify the use of jamming signal in CSMA/CD.
 - (b) Which MAC protocol is suitable for MAN? Explain with diagram the medium access control principle of DQDB.

$$(4 + 2) + (1 + 5) = 12$$

Group - D

- 6. (a) A block of addresses is granted to a small organization. One of the addresses is 205.16.37.39/28.
 - (i) What is the first address in the block?
 - (ii) What is the last address in the block?
 - (iii) Find the total number of addresses in the block
 - (b) Subnet the Class C IP Address 205.11.2.0 so that you have 30 subnets.
 - (i) Find the subnet mask.
 - (ii) How many hosts can each subnet have?
 - (c) What is the role of ARP and RARP protocol in data communication?

- 7. (a) Discuss different routing techniques in brief.
 - (b) Write about Packet Format in ARP?
 - (c) Which fields of the IP header change from router to router?

5+5+2=12

Group – E

- 8. (a) How does MIME enhance SMTP?
 - (b) Give the format of HTTP request message and explain.
 - (c) Discuss the basic model of FTP.

4+4+4=12