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COMPUTER SCIENCE

(Major)

Paper: 5.3

(Computer Network)

Full Marks: 60

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

1. Answer the following questions:

 $\times 7 = 7$

- (a) Name one routing algorithm which takes into account the current network load.
- (b) What is the type of communication between a computer and a keyboard?
- (c) Which layer involves the task of data encryption, data compression and data description?
- (d) Name one fragmentation related field in an IPv4 datagram.

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- (e) In which topology, there is need of a central controller or hub?
- (f) Which application layer protocol is used by electronic mails?
- (g) How many bytes does an IP address consume?
- 2. Answer the following questions very briefly:

 $2 \times 4 = 8$

- (a) Mention two examples of simplex communication.
- (b) What is character stuffing?
- (c) What is acknowledged connectionless service?
- (d) What is the need of routing protocols?
- **3.** Answer any *three* from the following questions: 5×3=15
 - (a) Differentiate between star topology and bus topology.
 - (b) Explain one-bit sliding window protocol.
 - (c) Explain how congestion is controlled in virtual circuit subnet.

- (d) What are the layers of ISO-OSI reference model? Explain the functions of any one of them.
- (e) Explain how is Telnet useful as compared to stand-alone system access.

Answer any three questions from Question Nos. **4** to **9**: 10×3=30

- **4.** How is TCP/IP abbreviated? Explain all layers of TCP/IP reference model.
- 5. Explain Stop-and-Wait protocol in Simplex kind of communication system.
- **6.** Differentiate between persistent and non-persistent CSMA. Explain CSMA/CD (CSMA with collision detection).
- 7. Explain Link State Routing Protocol with its all phases.
- **8.** Explain Overprovisioning, Buffering and Traffic shaping for achieving good Quality of Service (QoS).
- 9. Explain the functions of each of the following : Repeater; Bridge; Switch; Router and Gateway

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