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Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2015 Network Security

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting atleast TWO questions from each part.

PART - A

1 a. Explain X.800 security mechanisms, in detail.

(10 Marks)

b. Differentiate between active and passive attacks.

(04 Marks)

c. In S –DES, 10 bit key is 1011010011 find the sub keys k_1 and k_2 if: $P_{10} = 35274101986$; $P_8 = 637485109$.

(06 Marks)

2 a. Decrypt the cipher text "CQSUBJNR" using Hill cipher technique with the key:

 $\begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 \\ 19 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$. Find the plain text [Hint: a = 0, b = 1, --- z = 25].

(10 Marks)

b. How are the disadvantages of ECB mode of operation overcome in the CBC mode of operation? (10 Marks)

3 a. Perform encryption and decryption using RSA if p = 7, q = 11, e = 13 and M = 5. (08 Marks)

b. Explain the public key distribution of secret key with confidentiality and authentication.

(04 Marks)

c. With neat schematics, explain message authentication code.

(08 Marks)

4 a. What is a digital signature? List the properties and requirements of digital signature.

(10 Marks)

b. Discuss the various approaches of one – way authentication protocol.

(10 Marks)

PART – B

- 5 a. What are the services provided by SSL record protocol for SSL connections? Explain overall operation of SSL record protocol. (10 Marks)
 - b. List and explain the SET participants with neat diagram.

(10 Marks)

6 a. Explain the techniques used for intrusion.

(06 Marks)

b. Write short notes on honey pots.

(04 Marks)

c. Explain password selection strategies in detail.

(10 Marks)

7 a. Write short notes on Trojan horses.

(05 Marks)

b. Explain the various phases that a virus undergoes during its life time.

(05 Marks)

c. Discuss the two most important advanced antivirus techniques.

(10 Marks)

- 8 a. List and explain the different attacks on packet filtering routers along with appropriate counter measures. (10 Marks)
 - b. Explain briefly the concept of trusted systems.

(10 Marks)

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