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53 (CS 603) INFS

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INFORMATION SECURITY

Paper : CS 603

Full Marks : 100

Time : Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer **any ten** questions.

1. (a) Define Security services. List the categories of Security services. 5

- (b) Consider an Automated teller machine (ATM) in which users provide a Personal Identification Number (PIN) and a card for account access. Give examples of confidentiality, integrity and availability requirements associated with the system and in each case, indicate the degree of importance of the requirement. 5

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2. (a) What are symmetric and asymmetric key ciphers? Give examples. 5

(b) Modify Caesar Cipher to support the following 5 characters along with 26 english alphabet
"@, #, \$, %, &". 5

3. (a) What do you understand by substitution and transposition techniques? Give examples. 5

(b) Explain Playfair Cipher with example, take the key as CIPHER. 5

4. (a) Encrypt the message "SECURITY" using the Hill Cipher with the key

$$\begin{pmatrix} 9 & 4 \\ 5 & 7 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Show your calculations. 5

(b) Show the calculations for the corresponding decryption of the ciphertext to recover the original plaintext. 5

5. (a) What do you understand by a stream cipher and block cipher? 5

(b) Show how a n-bit-n-bit block cipher works. 5

6. (a) What do you understand by the terms Confusion and Diffusion? 5

(b) Explain the i^{th} round DES algorithm. 5

7. (a) What is the difference between modular arithmetic and ordinary arithmetic? 5

(b) Find : 5

(i) $500 \pmod{55}$

(ii) $125 \pmod{26}$.

8. (a) Determine $\gcd(24140, 16762)$. 5

(b) Using extended euclid algorithm, find the multiplicative inverse of $1234 \pmod{4321}$. 5

9. (a) What is Euler's Totient Function? 5

(b) Find $\phi(77)$ and $\phi(231)$. 8



10. (a) What are the roles of public key and private key in public cryptosystem? 5

(b) Explain RSA algorithm with example. 5

11. (a) Perform encryption and decryption using RSA algorithm for the following $p=7$; $q=11$; $e=17$ and $M=8$. 5

(b) In a public key system using RSA you intercept the ciphertext $C = 10$ sent to a user whose public key is $e=5$, $n=35$. What is the plaintext M ? 5

12. Write short notes on : (any two)

2x5=10

(a) Message Authentication Code

(b) Firewall

(c) Meet in the Middle Attack

(d) Masquerade.

