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CRYPTOGRAPHY

Paper : EC 711

Full Marks : 100

Pass Marks : 30

Time : Three hours

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

Answer any five questions.

1. (a) Describe Feistel Encryption and Decryption with proper diagram. 8
- (b) Explain Triple DES with two keys and find out an expression for the output text. 6
- (c) Explain RC4 stream Cipher. 6
2. (a) Discuss various security attacks. 10

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- (b) Discuss the various security mechanisms mentioned in X.800 literature. 10
3. (a) Explain the working of Cipher Block Chaining Mode (CBC). 8
- (b) What is PGP ? Discuss its services. 3+9=12
4. (a) Explain how is hash function used to create digital signature. 7
- (b) What is MAC ? How is a MAC used to achieve confidentiality and authentication ? 3+7=10
- (c) Differentiate between block ciphers and stream ciphers. 3
5. (a) Discuss the RSA algorithm. 6
- (b) Explain the SSL Records Protocol. Describe its operation. 3+7=10
- (c) What are the various web security measures ? 4

6. (a) Explain Data confidentiality and Authentication. 4+4=8
- (b) Mention the IPsec services. 5
- (c) Discuss the ingredients of Symmetric Encryption. 7
7. (a) Write short notes on : 5×4=20
- (i) Caesar Cipher
- (ii) Differential cryptanalysis
- (iii) S/MIME
- (iv) Requirement of Digital Signature.