

- N.B. : (1) Question No.1 is compulsory
(2) Write any three questions from Q. 2 to Q.6.
(3) Draw a neat diagram if necessary.

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| Q1 | Solve any four | 20 |
| | a Describe classful addressing. | |
| | b Explain the working of HFC. | |
| | c Compare star, bus, and mesh topology. | |
| | d Compare Telnet and SSH. | |
| | e Describe various networking devices in computer networks and map them to their respective OSI model layers. | |
| Q2 | a What is the purpose of ICMP? Explain all message types of ICMP. | 10 |
| | b Explain Pure and Slotted ALOHA with neat diagrams. | 10 |
| Q3 | a Explain wired transmission media and compare them. | 10 |
| | b An ISP is granted a block of addresses starting with 150.80.0.0/16. The ISP needs to distribute this address to two groups of customers as follows: | 10 |
| | a. The first group has 200 medium-sized businesses: each needs 128 addresses. | |
| | b. The second group has 400 small business customers: each needs 16 addresses. | |
| | c. The third group has 2048 households: each needs 4 addresses | |
| | Design the subblocks and determine how many addresses are available after these allocations. | |
| | a Differentiate between TCP and UDP. | 10 |
| | The following is the dump of the UDP header in hexadecimal format. 0632 000D 001C E217 | |
| Q4 | a. What is the source port number? | |
| | b. What is the destination port number? | |
| | c. What is the total length of the user datagram? | |
| | d. What is the length of data? | |
| | e. Is the packet directed from the client to the server or vice versa? | |
| | b Explain ARQ error control mechanisms and compare them. | 10 |
| | a Draw the IPV4 header and explain the meaning of various associated fields. | 10 |
| Q5 | Differentiate between IPV4 and IPV6 | |
| | b Explain Distance Vector Routing. What is the Two-Node Instability Problem, and how can it be mitigated? | 10 |
| Q6 | Write a short note on (Solve any 2) | 20 |
| | a TCP Header Format | |
| | b DHCP | |
| | c CSMA/CD | |