

[5155]-19
M.E. (Computer Engineering)
INFORMATION AND NETWORK SECURITY
(Semester -I) (2008 Pattern) (Elective -II)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 100

Instructions to candidates:

- 1) Answer any three questions from each section.*
- 2) Answer to the two sections should be written in separate books.*
- 3) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.*
- 4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.*
- 5) Use of logarithmic tables, slide rule, mollier charts, electronic pocket calculator and steam table is allowed.*
- 6) Assume suitable data, if necessary.*

SECTION -I

- Q1)** a) What is information security policy? Describe various steps necessary for creating information security policy. **[7]**
- b) Explain main provisions in cyber laws with respect to information and network security. **[7]**
- c) Describe various threat scenarios. **[4]**
- Q2)** a) Enlist and explain various requirements a public key cryptosystems need to fulfil to be a secure algorithm? **[8]**
- b) Describe DES Design criteria and explain purpose of the S-boxes in DES? **[8]**
- Q3)** a) What is access control? Explain with suitable example logical and physical access control. **[8]**
- b) Explain in detail different protections provided by secure socket layer?[8]

Q4) Write short notes on (any three) [16]

- a) Issues in multi-level secure systems
- b) Fragmentation vulnerabilities
- c) Encryption principals
- d) Privacy and data protection

SECTION -II

Q5) a) Enlist and explain various Routing algorithm vulnerabilities. [10]

- b) Describe different ways in which password transmitted over a telnet connection can be captured. Discuss secure alternatives. [8]

Q6) a) What is network partitioning? Explain with respect to firewalls. [8]

- b) Explain the difference between a packet-filtering router and a stateful inspection firewall. [8]

Q7) a) What are the essential properties and requirements for a digital signature? [8]

- b) Describe different methods and procedures for security in wireless networks. [8]

Q8) Write short notes on (any three) [16]

- a) Discrete logarithm problem
- b) Session key management
- c) Secure routing interoperability
- d) Time stamping and reliable ordering of events

