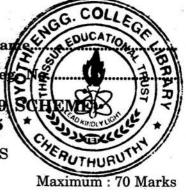


Time: Three Hours



## Part A

Answer all questions.

- 1. What is multiplexing?
- 2. What do you mean by routing?
- 3. Bring out the use of subnetting.
- 4. What is the use of DVMRP protocol?
- 5. Enumerate the duties of transport layer.

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$ 

## Part B

Answer any four questions.

- 6. Write short notes on resilient packet ring.
- Explain the mechanism of routing for mobile hosts.
- 8. Explain in detail about reliable flooding mechanism.
- 9. Discuss about CIDR technique and its benefits.
- 10. Explain the situation where a virtual private network is created. How does a virtual private network work.
- 11. Explain in detail about the process of triggering transmission.

 $(4 \times 5 = 20 \text{ marks})$ 

## Part C

Answer all questions.

12. (a) Discuss in detail about the physical properties and access protocols of 802.3 Ethernet.

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- (b) Explain in detail about the working mechanism of circuit switching technology.
- 13. (a) Discuss in detail about the working of bridges and routers.

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(b) Explain in detail about distance vector and link state routing mechanisms.

14. (a) Explain in detail about IP version 4 and IP version 6.

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- (b) Discuss in detail about explicit routing technique.
- 15. (a) Explain in detail about the end-to-end issues and connection establishment and termination issues in reliable byte stream TCP protocol.

Or

(b) Explain in detail bulk transfer and request/reply mechanisms of remote procedure calls.

 $(4 \times 10 = 40 \text{ marks})$