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**APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**  
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Course Code: EC407

Course Name: COMPUTER COMMUNICATION

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

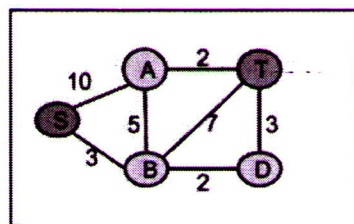
**PART A***Answer any two full questions, each carries 15 marks.*

Marks

- 1 a) Write in detail how all the layers in OSI model work together for networking. (10)
- b) Differentiate circuit switching and packet switching. (5)
- 2 a) Explain the architecture of IEEE 802.11 with suitable diagram. (10)
- b) Explain how framing is done by data link layer. (5)
- 3 a) Explain how error control is done in the data link layer. Give an example. (8)
- b) Explain different flow control mechanisms adopted by data link layer. (7)

**PART B***Answer any two full questions, each carries 15 marks.*

- 4 a) Explain classfull and classless addressing (5)
- b) Describe the functionalities of the network layer. Explain the IP packet format with a neat diagram. (10)
- 5 a) What is routing? Explain its different types. (5)
- b) Apply Dijkstra's Algorithm to find the shortest path from the source node S to all other nodes in the figure given below: (10)



- 6 a) What are the problems associated with distance vector protocols. How is it overcome in other routing protocols? (5)
- b) How can we distinguish a multicast address in IPv4 addressing? How can we do so in IPv6 addressing? With the help of an example, explain the CIDR scheme. (10)

**PART C***Answer any two full questions, each carries 20 marks.*

- 7 a) Draw the TCP segment header format. Explain the various fields in the TCP. (7)

segment header.

- b) What are the main features of UDP? Explain. (6)
- c) Explain the various congestion control mechanisms to alleviate congestion after it happens. (7)
- 8 a) Explain the services offered by TCP to the processes at the application layer. (5)
- b) With the help of a diagram, explain how users download the email message using POP3. (8)
- c) What is the need of the second layer of defence in a secured network environment? Explain. (7)
- 9 a) Explain the functionality of a) MIME b) SMTP c) HTTP. (6)
- b) Explain the handshake protocol used in SSL. (7)
- c) What is IPSec? Explain the two modes of operation of IPSec. (2+5)

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