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MCA (2013 and 2014 Batch) (Sem.-5) NETWORK SECURITY & ADMINISTRATION

Subject Code: MCA-502 Paper ID: [A3160]

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 100

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:

- 1. SECTIONS-A, B, C & D contains TWO questions each carrying TWENTY marks and students has to attempt any ONE question from each SECTION.
- SECTION-E is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWENTY marks in all.
- 3. Use of non-programmable scientific calculator is allowed.

SECTION-A

- 1. a) What are various active and passive security attacks?
 - b) Compare and contrast the man in the middle attack and masquerade.
- 2. a) How mono-alphabetic ciphers differ from Caesar ciphers? Justify with an example.
 - b) What are various conventional encryption principles?

SECTION-B

- 3. a) If p=11 and q=3, Using RSA algorithm ENCRYPT a message m=2.
 - b) Explain Cross-realm Authentication of Kerberos.
- 4. a) Discuss the working mechanism of digital signatures.
 - b) Explain directory Authentication Services.

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SECTION-C

- 5. a) What are various objectives of IP security? Give two examples.
 - b) What is the role of security payload in IP security? Explain.
- 6. a) Explain working principle of software firewall.
 - b) What are various steps to configure software firewall in windows?

SECTION-D

- 7. a) How PGP enhances the Email-security? Discuss its encryption policy.
 - b) What is the role of third party certificate in email security? Explain S/MIME.

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8. Describe the "bug" in the protocol, stating why some people consider it to be a bug and other people consider it not to be. (20)

SECTION-E

9. Write briefly:

- a) Meet in the middle attack.
- b) Transposition cipher v/s Playfair ciphers.
- c) "S/MIME supports message authentication and integrity". Comment on the statement.
- d) Discuss the length of key in different phases of DES.
- e) What is criterion for enhancing web security in SSL?
- f) Mono-alphabetic cipher. Give one example.
- g) What is VPN (Virtual Private Network)?
- h) Smurf attack v/s Phishing.
- i) Name the attributes of Digital Certificate Format X.509.
- j) What is Wiretapping?

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