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BE - SEMESTER-IV • EXAMINATION – WINTER 2013

Subject Code: 141601**Date: 19-12-2013****Subject Name: Data Communication and Networking****Time: 02:30 pm to 05:00 pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) What is OSI model? Explain duties of different layers of OSI model in detail. **07**
(b) Explain various network topologies with advantages and disadvantages. **07**

- Q.2** (a) Write short note on pulse code modulation. **07**
(b) Write short note on the following **07**
1) Repeater 2) Throughput 3) Attenuation

OR

- (b) List out different types of methods for digital-to-digital conversion. Explain all methods under polar scheme with example. **07**

- Q.3** (a) (i) What are the differences between a port address, a logical address, and a physical address **04**
(ii) Differentiate cable modem and 56K modem **03**
(b) What is Multiplexing? Explain Frequency Division Multiplexing and Time Division Multiplexing. **07**

OR

- Q.3** (a) Explain the function of DTE and DCE with example. Explain Null Modem in detail with diagram. **07**
(b) Explain Shannon Capacity and Nyquist Theorem with example. **07**
- Q.4** (a) Explain various Error Detection Mechanism in data communication. **07**
(b) Construct a systematic (7, 4) cyclic code using generator polynomial $g(x) = x^3 + x^2 + 1$. Consider a data vector d=1001. **07**

OR

- Q.4** (a) Explain the following LANs: **07**
1. Token ring 2. Ethernet
(b) Explain the following **07**
1. FDDI
2. Routing devices

- Q.5** (a) Write short note on (a) Router and (b) Gateway **07**
(b) List functions of Presentation Layer and explain any two. **07**

OR

- Q.5** (a) Differentiate distance vector and link state routing algorithm. **07**
(b) Differentiate circuit switching and packet switching. **07**
