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**CS/MCA/SEM-2/MCA-201/2010  
2010**

**DATA COMMUNICATION AND COMPUTER NETWORK**

Time Allotted : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

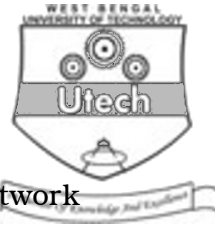
**GROUP – A**

**( Multiple Choice Type Questions )**

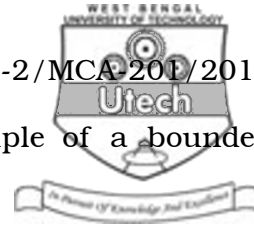
1. Choose the correct alternatives for the following :

10 × 1 = 10

- i) One important characteristic of the hub architecture of ARC-net is
  - a) directionalized transmission
  - b) access control and addressing
  - c) multiple virtual network
  - d) alternate routing.
- ii) The geostationary satellite used for communication systems
  - a) rotates with the earth
  - b) remains stationary relative to the earth
  - c) is positioned over equator
  - d) all of these.



- iii) FDDI is a
- a) ring network
  - b) star network
  - c) mesh network
  - d) bus based network.
- iv) Which organization draws up standards for modems ?
- a) CCITT
  - b) BELL
  - c) AT and T
  - d) Hayes.
- v) Which company developed the TCP/IP protocol for networking ?
- a) IBM
  - b) DEC
  - c) NOVELL
  - d) DARPA.
- vi) ALOHA
- a) is used for channel allocation problem
  - b) is used for data transfer
  - c) is buffering
  - d) all of these.
- vii) A terminal multiplexer has six 1200 bps terminals and  $n$  300 bps terminals connected to it. The outgoing line is 9600 bps. The maximum value of  $n$  is
- a) 4
  - b) 16
  - c) 8
  - d) 28.
- viii) Routers function in which layers ?
- a) Physical and data link
  - b) Physical, data link and network
  - c) Data link and network
  - d) Network and transport.



ix) Which of the following is an example of a bounded medium ?

- a) Coaxial cable
- b) Waveguide
- c) Fibre optic cable
- d) All of these.

x) Coaxial cable has conductors with

- a) a common axis
- b) equal resistance
- c) the same diameter
- d) none of these.

**GROUP – B**

**( Short Answer Type Questions )**

Answer any *three* of the following.  $3 \times 5 = 15$

- 2. Explain baseband transmission and broadband transmission.
- 3. Define Multiplexing. Explain Time-Division Multiplexing with proper diagram.  $1 + 4$
- 4. Write the differences between the following :  $2 \frac{1}{2} + 2 \frac{1}{2}$ 
  - a) TDM and FDM
  - b) MAC-Addressing and IP-Addressing.
- 5. Explain DQDB in detail.
- 6. Explain Multipath Fading in Network.



**GROUP – C**

**( Long Answer Type Questions )**

Answer any *three* of the following.  $3 \times 15 = 45$

7. a) How does FDDI differ from 802.5 Token Ring Network?  
b) Television channels are 8 MHz wide. How many bits/sec can be sent if eight-level digital signals are used? Assume signal-to-noise ratio channel as 30 dB.  
c) Explain the Frame format of 802.5 LAN.  $5 + 5 + 5$
8. a) Write the priority scheme of Token Bus LAN.  
b) Write the differences between Token Bus and Token Ring Network.  
c) Explain how Token Ring works.  $5 + 5 + 5$
9. a) What are bit rate and baud rate?  
Establish the relationship between these two.  
b) Describe transmission modes.  $5 + 10$
10. a) What is HDLC? Explain NRM and ABM.  
b) What is Byte stuffing?  
c) Generate the CRC code for the data word of 1100 10101. The divisor is 10101.  $5 + 3 + 7$
11. Write short notes on any *three* of the following :  $3 \times 5$ 
  - a) Flooding
  - b) PCM
  - c) X.21
  - d) UDP
  - e) Frame relay.

