

IV B.Tech I Semester Regular Examinations, November - 2016

MOBILE COMPUTING

(Common to Computer Science & Engineering and Information Technology)

Time: 3 hours**Max. Marks: 70***Question paper consists of Part-A and Part-B**Answer ALL sub questions from Part-A**Answer any THREE questions from Part-B*

PART-A (22 Marks)

1. a) Explain the role of HLR entity of a GSM network. [3]
- b) Describe the advantages and disadvantages of WLAN. [4]
- c) Discuss the concept of tunneling and encapsulation. [4]
- d) Why standard TCP is not suitable for wireless networks? [3]
- e) List out the advantages of data broadcast over point-to-point access. [4]
- f) Describe features of MIDP 3.0? [4]

PART-B (3x16 = 48 Marks)

2. a) Show with a diagram the steps involved in a mobile terminated call (a station calling a mobile station) in GSM. [8]
- b) Give reasons for a handover in GSM and the problems associated with it. Discuss the typical steps for handover are and what types of handover can occur? [8]
3. a) Compare SDMA, FDMA, TDMA and CDMA. [8]
- b) How can we avoid hidden and exposed terminal problems? Explain. [8]
4. a) Discuss in detail about Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol. [8]
- b) Explain mechanism for IP packet delivery using mobile IP concept. [8]
5. a) Explain in detail about push based data delivery mechanisms. [8]
- b) Explain the following selective tuning and indexing techniques: [8]
 - i). Directory method
 - ii). Flexible indexing method
6. a) Explain about power aware computing. [8]
- b) Explain Query-processing architecture for processing a query using distributed databases? [8]
7. a) Draw the Bluetooth protocol stack and explain the core protocols. [8]
- b) Write about J2ME in briefly. [8]

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PART-A (22 Marks)

1. a) Explain the role of SIM, HLR, and VLR in GSM network. [4]
- b) What is the reason for the failure of CSMA/CD in wireless networks? [3]
- c) Discuss the design goals of Mobile IP. [3]
- d) What are the advantages and disadvantages of push based mechanism. [4]
- e) What are the QoS issues? [4]
- f) How is MIDP defined from J2ME? [4]

PART-B (3x16 = 48 Marks)

2. Explain about GPRS system in detail. [16]
3. a) Explain classical Aloha and slotted Aloha with a neat sketch. [8]
- b) Explain about CDMA. [8]
4. a) Explain in detail about IP-in-IP encapsulation. [8]
- b) Describe the process of optimization in mobile IP with a suitable timeline diagram. [8]
5. a) Explain the concept of cache invalidation mechanisms. [8]
- b) Explain in detail about context aware computing. [8]
6. Explain selective tuning and indexing techniques. [16]
7. a) Write short notes on WAE. [8]
- b) Explain in detail AODV routing algorithm for MANETS. [8]



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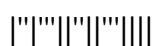
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PART-A (22 Marks)

1. a) Give reasons for a handover in GSM and the problems associated with it. [4]
- b) Describe several versions in CSMA. [3]
- c) What is basic purpose of DHCP? Name the entities of DHCP. [4]
- d) How and why does I-TCP isolate problems on the wireless link? [4]
- e) What are the advantages and disadvantages of hybrid mechanism? [3]
- f) Describe the applications of MANETs. [4]

PART-B (3x16 = 48 Marks)

2. With neat sketch of GSM architecture, discuss the key features of GSM systems. [16]
3. a) Compare the features of SDMA, FDMA, TDMA, and CDMA with their advantages and disadvantages. [8]
- b) Draw and discuss the protocol architecture of IEEE 802.11. [8]
4. a) Describe the process of IP Packet delivery with neat sketch. [10]
- b) Define care of address (COA) and what are the two different possibilities for the location of COA? [6]
5. a) Explain snooping TCP. What are its advantages and disadvantages? [8]
- b) Explain Mobile TCP. How does a supervisory host send TCP packets to the mobile node and to a fixed TCP connection? [8]
6. a) Discuss about communication asymmetry with the help of a diagram. [8]
- b) Explain the Hash based and Index based selective tuning and indexing techniques. [8]
7. a) Explain in detail about protocol architecture of WAP. [8]
- b) Distinguish the MANETs from cellular mobile networks. [8]



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PART-A (22 Marks)

1. a) What are the functions of authentication and encryption in GSM? [4]
- b) Distinguish between FDMA and TDMA. [4]
- c) How can DHCP be used for mobility and support of mobile IP? [3]
- d) List advantages of hoarding the data at mobile device. [3]
- e) Explain directory method. [4]
- f) Describe the properties of MANET. [4]

PART-B (3x16 = 48 Marks)

2. a) Where and when can collisions occur while accessing the GSM system? Compare possible collisions caused by data transmission in standard GSM, HSCSD and GPRS. [8]
- b) Explain the applications of mobile computing. [8]
3. a) Explain in detail about IEEE 802.11 MAC Data frames. [8]
- b) Discuss in detail about CDMA. [8]
4. a) How does mobile IP work? What are the challenges with mobile IP with respect to high speed mobility? How does cellular IP solve some of these challenges? [8]
- b) Explain the fields of the header in ICMP messages. What are the uses of ICMP messages on the internet? [8]
5. a) Describe transaction oriented TCP. [8]
- b) Explain ACID transaction rules that should be maintained by database transactional models to achieve data integrity? [8]
6. a) Explain the functions of pull based mechanisms with a neat sketch. [8]
- b) Explain Index-based method. [8]
7. a) Describe Dynamic source routing protocol with an example. [8]
- b) Write short notes on Windows CE. [8]