



**PAPER I**

**B. Tech.**

(SEM. VII) (ODD SEM.) EXAMINATION, 2009-10  
**CRYPTOGRAPHY & NETWORK SECURITY**

Time : **3 Hours**]

[Total Marks : **100**

**Note :** Answer all questions.

- 1** Attempt any **two** of the following : **2×10=20**
- (a) Differentiate between active and passive security threats.
  - (b) Explain the differential and linear cryptanalysis of data encryption standard.
  - (c) Explain the term cryptanalysis. Define types of cryptanalytic attacks based on what is known to the attacker.
- 2** Attempt any **two** of the following : **2×10=20**
- (a) ✓ Explain the Euclidean algorithm for finding the GCD of two numbers.
  - (b) ✓ Discuss the cryptanalysis of RSA technique.
  - (c) ✓ Explain how the distribution of secret key is facilitated by public key cryptography.

**3** Attempt any **two** of the following : **2×10=20**

- (a) ✓ Describe the structure of secure hash function.
- (b) ✓ Explain direct and arbitrated methods for digital signatures.
- (c) Explain authentication protocols for symmetric cipher system.

**4** Attempt any **two** of the following : **2×10=20**

- (a) ✓ Explain the structure of X.509 certificate.
- (b) Explain S/MIME.
- (c) ✓ Explain the structure of public and private keyrings.

**5** Attempt any **two** of the following : **2×10=20**

- (a) Explain the transport and tunnel mode operation of IPsec.
- (b) Explain secure socket layer (SSL) architecture. Also explain SSL record protocol.
- (c) Explain operation of trusted system technology for protection against malicious codes.