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#### DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

## **QUESTION BANK**

# CS6551 – Computer Networks

# UNIT 1

#### PART A

- 1. Define Networks.
- 2. Define Internetworking and Intranetworking.
- 3. What is router or gateway?
- 4. Define routing.
- 5. What are Unicast, Multicast, and Broadcast?
- 6. What is Multiplexing and Demultiplexing?
- 7. What is Synchronous Time Division Multiplexing?
- 8. What is Frequency Division Multiplexing?
- 9. What is Statistical Multiplexing?
- 10. What are SAN, LAN, WAN and MAN?
- 11. List the three general classes of failure.
- 12. What are RRP and HHP?
- 13. Define Bandwidth and Latency.
- 14. What is transfer time?
- 15. Define frames.
- 16. What is Forward Error Detection?
- 17. What is Shanon's Theorem?
- 18. What is Frequency Hopping?
- 19. What is Spread Spectrum?
- 20. What are Manchester encoding, Differential Manchester?

- 1. Explain about Network Architecture with neat sketch on it.
- 2. Explain about OSI Architecture with neat sketch on it.
- 3. Explain about Internet Architecture with neat sketch on it.
- 4. Explain about Network software.
- 5. Explain about Performance of computer network.
- 6. Explain about Framing and its types.
- 7. Explain about Error Detection.



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- 8. Explain about Reliable transmission or Flow Control.
- 9. Explain about requirement of building a network.
- 10. Problems on Bandwidth and Latency.

# UNIT 2

#### **PART A**

- 1. What is repeater?
- 2. What is Media Access Control?
- 3. What is Exponential backoff?
- 4. What is Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing?
- 5. Define Signal to Noise Ratio.
- 6. What is Access Point?
- 7. What are Scanning and its four steps?
- 8. What is Bluetooth?
- 9. What is Piconet?
- 10. What is Gateway?
- 11. What are Switching and Bridging?
- 12. What is Virtual Circuit Switching?
- 13. Difference between Connectionless and Connection Oriented duplex.
- 14. What is hop by hop flow control?
- 15. What is Virtual Private Network?
- 16. Draw the sketch of IPv4 packet header.
- 17. What are TTL and MTU?
- 18. What is payload?
- 19. What are Class A, Class B and Class C?
- 20. What is Tunneling?

- 1. Explain about Ethernet (802.3).
- 2. Explain about Wi-Fi (802.11).
- 3. Explain about Bluetooth with its architecture.
- 4. Explain about Switching and Bridging.
- 5. Explain about Internet Protocol.
- 6. Explain about ARP.



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- 7. Explain about CIDR.
- 8. Explain about DHCP.
- 9. Explain about ICMP.
- 10. Problems about Ethernet LAN.

## UNIT 3

#### PART A

- 1. Difference between Forwarding and Routing.
- 2. What is Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP)?
- 3. List the two different classes of routing protocol.
- 4. What is distance vector routing?
- 5. What is Convergence?
- 6. What is Count to infinity problem?
- 7. What is Split horizon?
- 8. What is Split horizon with poison reverse?
- 9. What is RIP?
- 10. What is Link State Routing?
- 11. What is Reliable Flooding?
- 12. Draw the sketch of OSPF header format.
- 13. What is Load Balancing?
- 14. How can we compute delay for the packet?
- 15. What is Line Rate?
- 16. Difference between IPv4 and IPv6.
- 17. Draw the sketch of IPv6 Packet Header.
- 18. What is Network Address Translation?
- 19. What is Multicast?
- 20. What is Switching?

- 1. Explain about Switching and Forwarding.
- 2. Explain about RIP.
- 3. Explain about OSPF.
- 4. Explain about BGP.
- 5. Explain about Routing areas.
- 6. Explain about IPv6.



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- 7. Explain about Multicast.
- 8. Explain about DVMRP.
- 9. Explain about PIM.
- 10. Explain about Multicast address.

# UNIT 4

#### PART A

- 1. Define UDP.
- 2. Define TCP.
- 3. Difference between UDP and TCP.
- 4. Draw the sketch of TCP header format.
- 5. What are the three ways of handshake?
- 6. Draw the TCP State transmission control.
- 7. What is nagles algorithm?
- 8. What is RTT?
- 9. What is Estimated RTT?
- 10. What is Congestion Control?
- 11. What is RED?
- 12. What is Congestion Window?
- 13. What is AIMD?
- 14. What is Slow Start?
- 15. What is intergrated service?
- 16. What is Quality of service approaches?
- 17. What is admission control?
- 18. What is Differentiated service?
- 19. What is Expedicted forwarding?
- 20 What is assured forwarding?

- 1. Explain about the operation of TCP with neat sketch on it.
- 2. Explain about the concept of sliding window protocol.
- 3. Explain about UDP with neat sketch on it.
- 4. (i). Difference between UDP and TCP.
- (ii). Discuss flow control with an example.
- 5. Explain about the three way handshake protocol for connection establishment in TCP.



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- 6. Explain about the TCP congestion control.
- 7. Explain about the RED algorithm.
- 8. Explain about the concept of congestion avoidance in TCP?
- 9. Explain about the RSVP protocol with neat sketch.
- 10. Explain about the differentiated services.

## UNIT 5

#### **PART A**

- 1. What is SMTP?
- 2. What is HTTP?
- 3. What is DNS?
- 4. What is SNMP?
- 5. What is MIME?
- 6. What is IMAP?
- 7. What is IMAP state transition diagram?
- 8. What is URL?
- 9. List the TCP connection.
- 10. What is Management Information Box?
- 11. What is Web Service?
- 12. What is SOAP?
- 13. What is WSDL?
- 14. What is SIP?
- 15. What is Routing overlay?
- 16. What is hierarchy of name server?
- 17. What is name resolution?
- 18. What is GET and SET in SNMP?
- 19. What is B 2 B?
- 20 What is Message Exchange Pattern?

- 1. Explain about the Traditional applications.
- 2. Explain about the WSDL in web services.
- 3. Explain about the SOAP.
- 4. Explain about the SMTP.
- 5. Explain about the DNS.



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- 6. Explain about the SNMP.
- 7. Explain about the MIME.
- 8. Explain about the POP3.
- 9. Explain about the IMAP.
- 10. Explain about the HTTP.

