

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
BE - SEMESTER-IV • EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2013

Subject Code: 141601**Date: 07-06-2013****Subject Name: Data Communication and Networking****Time: 10:30am – 01:00pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
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- Q.1** (a) i) Define the terms : data communication, protocol, network **03**
 iii) Compare and contrast radio wave and micro wave transmission media. **04**
 (b) i) Define the terms: signal, bandwidth, attenuation **03**
 ii) Compare and contrast a circuit-switched network and a packet-switched network. **04**
- Q.2** (a) i) Define the term: Shannon capacity. What does the Shannon capacity have to do with communication? **03**
 ii) What is PCM? Explain it in detail. **04**
 (b) Draw the layered architecture of OSI model and explain the functions of each layer. **07**
- OR**
- (b) Draw the layered architecture of TCP/IP model. List and explain the function of different protocol for each layer. **07**
- Q.3** (a) What is CRC? Explain it with example. **07**
 (b) List different techniques for digital-to-analog conversion. Explain any two in detail. **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) What is hamming distance? Explain hamming code method of error correction with example. **07**
 (b) What is multiplexing? List the multiplexing techniques. Explain any one in detail. **07**
- Q.4** (a) What is Ethernet? Explain Standard Ethernet layers in detail. **07**
 (b) What is the role of routing algorithm in internetworking? Explain distance vector routing in detail. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) Write short note on the following : Token Bus, FDDI **07**
 (b) List and explain different types of connecting devices in detail. **07**
- Q.5** (a) What is line coding? Categories different line coding schemes. Explain any two in detail. **07**
 (b) What is topology? Explain different types of network topologies. **07**
- OR**
- Q.5** (a) Explain the different ways of analog- to- analog conversion **07**
 (b) Briefly explain the following: LAN, MAN, WAN and Internet **07**
