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(SEM. VIII) EVEN THEORY EXAMINATION 2012-13 CRYPTOGRAPHY AND NETWORK SECURITY

Time : 3 Hours

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Total Marks : 100

Note :- (i) Attempt ALL questions.

- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- (iii) Notations/ Symbols/ Abbreviations used have usual meaning.
- (iv) Make suitable assumptions, wherever required.
- Attempt any four parts of the following :
 - (a) Explain the following terms :
 - (i) Replay attack
 - (ii) Traffic analysis
 - (iii) Access Control
 - (iv) Message Integrity
 - (v) Trojan Horse.
 - (b) Discuss the strengths of pure substitution cipher and pure transposition cipher against statistical analysis.
 - (c) List various modes of operation of block ciphers. Give advantages and disadvantages of each.
 - (d) Prove that if plaintext block and encryption key are complemented in DES then resulting ciphertext block of DES encryption is also complemented.

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- (e) What are the characteristics of a Fiestal Cipher?
- (f) Explain the concept of differential cryptanalysis. You may choose suitable example for illustration.
- 2. Attempt any four parts of the following :
 - (a) Determine all invertible residue classes modulo 25 and determine their inverses.
 - (b) Define Group, Semi Group and Sub Group. Determine all the primitive roots of 13.
 - (c) Write RSA algorithm for encryption and decryption and explain the reasons behind choice for various parameters of the algorithm.
 - (d) Discuss the design of S-Box of AES. How it differs from the S-Boxes of DES.
 - (e) Using Fermat's theorem, obtain $3^{201} \mod 11$.
 - (f) Write and explain the Miller Rabin primality test. Apply Miller-Rabin Algorithm using base 2 to test whether the number 561 is composite or not.
- 3. Attempt any two parts of the following :
 - (a) Consider a *n*-bit hash function H. H is applied to k random inputs. Prove that probability of at least one duplicate (i.e. H(x) = H(y) for some distinct x, y) is more than $\frac{1}{2}$ for $k = \sqrt{2^n}$.
 - (b) What properties should a digital signature scheme satisfy ? Describe the Signature generation process of Digital Signature Standard.

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- (c) (i) What is difference between weak collision resistance and strong collision resistance ?
 - (ii) What is the order of effort required to launch birthday attack on SHA.
 - (iii) With DSS, why do signatures of the same message, signed on different occasions, differ ?
- 4. Attempt any two parts of the following :
 - (a) Describe how Diffie-Hellman algorithm used for key exchange is vulnerable to man in the middle attack ?
 Determine the shared secret key in a Diffie Hellman scheme with a common prime 71 and primitive root 7. Given the private keys of the communicating parties A and B are 5 and 12 respectively.
 - (b) What were the requirements defined for Kerberos. Write and explain the sequence of message exchanges in Kerberos Version 4.
 - (c) Give a general format of PGP message. Why does PGP generate a signature before applying compression ?
- 5. Write short notes on any two of the following :
 - (a) Secure Electronic Transaction (SET)
 - (b) Firewalls
 - (c) Intrusion detection.

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