

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**B.Ec DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2022
(Fourth Semester)**

Branch – INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

CRYPTOGRAPHY

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks (10 x 1 = 10)

- 1 Which of the following is not a principle of data security?

(i) Data Confidentiality	(ii) Data Integrity
(iii) Authentication	(iv) None of the above
- 2 Which of the following attacks is a passive attack?

(i) Masquerade	(ii) Modification of message
(iii) Denial of service	(iv) quadratic ciphers
- 3 In cryptography, the order of the letters in a message is rearranged by _____.

(i) transposition ciphers	(ii) substitution ciphers
(iii) both transpositional ciphers and substitution ciphers	(iv) quadratic ciphers
- 4 Cryptanalysis is used _____.

(i) to find some insecurity in a cryptographic scheme	(ii) to increase the speed
(iii) to encrypt the data	(iv) to make new ciphers
5. The first line of HTTP request message is called _____.

(i) Request line	(ii) Header line
(iii) Status line	(iv) Entity line
- 6 How many modes of operations are there in DES and AES?

(i) 4	(ii) 3
(iii) 2	(iv) 5
- 7 Which protocol is used to convey SSL related alerts to the peer entity?

(i) Alert protocol	(ii) Handshake protocol
(iii) Upper – Layer protocol	(iv) Change cipher spec protocol
8. The number of tests required to break the DES algorithm are _____.

(i) 2.8×10^{14}	(ii) 4.9×10^9
(iii) 1.84×10^{19}	(iv) 7.2×10^{16}
- 9 Network layer firewall has two sub- categories as _____.

(i) State full firewall and stateless firewall	(ii) Bit oriented firewall and packet firewall
(iii) Frame firewall and packet firewall	(iv) Network layer firewall and session layer firewall
- 10 Which of the statements are not true to classify VPN systems?

(i) Protocols used for tunneling the traffic	(ii) Whether VPNs are providing site-to-site or remote access connection.
(iii) Securing the network from bots and malwares.	(iv) Levels of security provided for sending and receiving data privately.

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SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a Discuss the needs of security in Cryptography.
OR
b Explain the principles of security.
- 12 a Evaluate Symmetric key Cryptography with example.
OR
b Enumerate the International Data Encryption Algorithm.
- 13 a Explain the RSA algorithm.
OR
b Discuss about Digital Certificate.
- 14 a Explain Time Stamping Protocol with example.
OR
b Discuss about Authentication Tokens.
- 15 a Write a brief note on Firewalls.
OR
b Explain Intrusion.

SECTION -C (40 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 8 = 40)

- 16 a Explain the security approach in cryptography.
OR
b Elaborate on Steganography.
- 17 a Trace out Data Encryption standard.
OR
b Explain AES.
- 18 a Briefly explain about Asymmetric key cryptography.
OR
b Trace out the Digital Signature with example.
- 19 a Compare and explain SSL vs SET.
OR
b Explain the biometric and token based authentication security.
- 20 a Explain the Virtual private networks in Cryptography.
OR
b Elucidate IP security with example.

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