

B3.5-R3: NETWORKING AND MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS

NOTE:

1. Answer question 1 and any FOUR from questions 2 to 7.
2. Parts of the same question should be answered together and in the same sequence.

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 100

1.

- a) In the OSI model, how are PDUs, SDUs and IDUs related?
- b) What are the reasons of fading in cellular mobile communication?
- c) Show the block schematic diagram of a direct sequence CDMA receiver.
- d) Why is CSMA/CD not useful in WLANs?
- e) Show the schematic diagram of a V-SAT network.
- f) How is GPRS different from GSM?
- g) Show the main modules in the WLL reference model.

(7x4)

2.

- a) Explain and illustrate TDMA technique. What are the limitations of TDMA systems?
- b) In a slotted ALOHA find the load to obtain the maximum throughput.
- c) Compare circuit and packet switching.

(9+4+5)

3.

- a) Show the frequency allocation plan and explain frame and multi-frame in GSM systems.
- b) A transmitter radiates at sinusoidal carrier frequency of 2000MHz. A mobile receiver is moving directly towards the transmitter at 100 km per hour. Compute the received carrier frequency.

(9+9)

4.

- a) Differentiate between slow and fast frequency hopping. How is a frequency hopping system implemented and provides anti-jamming capability?
- b) Discuss Bluetooth Protocol and show its architecture.

(9+9)

5.

- a) Why is power control necessary in CDMA systems but not in GSM systems? Justify your answer using multiplexing schemes.
- b) How are handoffs in cellular mobile communication affected by handoff threshold and minimum acceptable signal level? Illustrate Hard Handoff and Soft Handoff in cellular mobile communication systems.

(9+9)

6.

- a) Using appropriate diagrams, illustrate all the events in IEEE 802.11 protocol for mobile adhoc WLANs. What is the use of RTS-CTS exchange in the above protocol?
- b) What is the need for mobile IP and how is it implemented?

(9+9)

7.

- a) Discuss the components and architecture in Wireless Access Protocol (WAP). How does an application use WAP which requires reliability but no security?
- b) How do signaling and application processes interact with layers in DECT protocol? What type of multiple access is used in DECT and how?

(9+9)