DCS-1-01T: Data Communication and Networks

Total Marks: 100 External Marks: 70 Internal Marks: 30 Credits: 4 Pass Percentage: 40%

Course: Data Communication and Networks			
Course Code: DCS-1-01T			
Course Outcomes (COs)			
After the completion of this course, the students will be able to:			
CO1	Understand the fundamental concepts in data communication and networking		
CO2	Explore real-world applications of principles of network design, topology, and the		
	OSI/TCP/IP model		
CO3	Develop the ability to identify and formulate problems related to computer network		
CO4	Apply networking knowledge to design and configure basic computer networks,		
	addressing schemes and Routing Protocols		
CO5	Describe the basic concepts, principles, and techniques for the development of networks		
	and trouble shooting		

Section A

Module	Module Name	Module Content
Module I	Basic concepts	Basic Concepts: Components of data communication,
		modes of communication, standards and organizations,
		Network Classification, Network Topologies;
		Transmission media, network protocol; layered network
		architecture.
Module II	Models	Models: Overview of OSI reference model; TCP/IP
		protocol suite. Physical Layer: Cabling, Network Interface
		Card, Transmission Media Devices- Repeater, Hub,
		Bridge, Switch, Router, Gateway; Transmission
		impairments.
Module III	Data Link Layer,	Framing techniques; Error Control; Flow Control
	Network Layer and	Protocols; Shared media protocols - CSMA/CD and
	Transport Layer	CSMA/CA.
		Virtual Circuits and Datagram approach, IP addressing
		methods – Sub netting; Routing Algorithms (adaptive and
		non-adaptive)
		Elements of transport protocols - Addressing, Connection
		establishment and release, Flow control and buffering,
		Transport services, Transport Layer protocol of TCP and
		UDP.

Module VI	Session Layer,	Session Layer: Design issues, remote procedure call.
	Presentation Layer,	Presentation Layer: Design issues, Data compression
	Application Layer	techniques, Cryptography
	and Network	Common Terms, Firewalls, Virtual Private Networks
	Security	

Books

- 1. B.A. Forouzan, "Data Communication and Networking", 4th Ed., Tata McGraw Hill, 2017.
- 2. A. S. Tanenbaum, "Computer Networks", 5th Ed., Pearson, 2011
- 3. D.E. Comer, "Internetworking with TCP/IP", vol. I, PHI, 2015
- 4. W. Stalling, "Data & Computer Communication", 8th Ed., PHI, 2013
- 5. D. Bertsekas, R. Gallager, "Data Networks", 2nd Ed., PHI, 1992