

**BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS  
(BCA) (Pre-Revised)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2016**

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**CS-68 : COMPUTER NETWORKS**

*Time : 2 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 60*

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**Note :** *Question number 1 is compulsory. Attempt any three questions from the rest.*

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1. (a) For  $n$  devices in a network, what are the number of cable links required for mesh and ring topologies in a full duplex mode ? 4
- (b) What is the responsibility of the network layer in OSI model ? 3
- (c) Discuss various multiplexing techniques. 3
- (d) Compare and contrast the selective repeat ARQ with Go-Back-N ARQ protocols. 4
- (e) What is the purpose of BGP ? 3
- (f) What are the two main categories of DNS messages ? 3
- (g) Which one has more complexity : a bridge or a router ? 3+1

- (h) How is an ATM virtual connection identified? 3
- (i) What are the various advantages of ISDN? 3
2. (a) Differentiate between hubs and switches. 4
- (b) What are the various communication modes in computer networks? 3
- (c) Illustrate packet switching. 3
3. (a) What are the benefits of ATM? 5
- (b) Explain the fields of TCP header. 5
4. (a) What is a collision in Ethernet? 5
- (b) Illustrate the use of UDP at transport layer. 2
- (c) How does RPC work? 3
5. Write short notes on the following:  $4 \times 2 \frac{1}{2} = 10$
- (a) DNS
- (b) Router
- (c) FDM
- (d) NFS
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