

**1st Sessional Examination 2017-18 ( Odd Semester)**

**Roll No.:**

**Subject Name:** Cryptography and Network Security

**Year/Branch:** 4<sup>th</sup>/I.T

**Subject Code:** NIT-701

**Max Time:** 1 Hours 30 Minute

**Max Marks:** 50

**SECTION-A**

**Q.1 Attempt all parts carry equal marks. Write answer of each part in short.**

- (a) Define steganography?
- (b) Define brute force attack?
- (c) What is the use of S-boxes in DES?
- (d) Explain the principle of cryptanalysis?
- (e) Differentiate between authentication and authorization.

**SECTION-B**

**Note: Attempt any five questions from this section.**

**Q.2** What is difference between diffusion and confusion?

**Q.3** Differentiate between Symmetric and Asymmetric cryptographic model.

**Q.4** Draw block diagram of DES cipher showing size of input/output of every block. How important is swapping step at the end of every round.

**Q.5** Write short notes on:

- (i) snooping (ii) Masquerading (iii) integrity (iv) denial of service.

**Q.6** What can be various applications of one pad ciphers?

**Q.7** Distinguish between block cipher and stream cipher.

**Q.8** Encrypt the message “meet me at the usual place at ten rather than eight oclock” using the Hill

cipher with the key  $\begin{pmatrix} 9 & 4 \\ 5 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$ . Show your calculations and the result.

**Q.9** Why is it important to study the Feistel Cipher?

**SECTION-C**

**Note: Attempt any two questions from this section.**

**Q.10** Using playfair matrix:

T	M	P	Q	S
Z	V	W	X	Y
E	O	C	U	R
F	N	A	B	D
L	G	H	I/J	K

Encrypt this message: “The enemy must be stopped at all costs. Do whatever is necessary. ”

**Q.11** What do you understand by Network Security Attacks? Describe active and passive security attacks.

**Q.12** Briefly describe the Hill Cipher. If a chosen plaintext attack can be mounted, it is easier to solve Hill Cipher. Describe such attack.