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## B. Tech. EXAMINATION, 2020

(Eighth Semester)

(B Scheme) (Re-appear Only)

ECE, EEE

ECE404B

## DATA COMMUNICATIONS AND NETWORK

Time: 2½ Hours] [Maximum Marks: 75]

Before answering the question-paper candidates should ensure that they have been supplied to correct and complete question-paper. No complaint, in this regard, will be entertained after the examination.

**Note**: Attempt *Four* questions in all. All questions carry equal marks.

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- **1.** (a) Discuss ncessary criteria for effective and efficient network.
  - (b) What are three major classes of guided media? Discuss briefly.
  - (c) What are the advantages of distributed processing ?
- **2.** (a) What are the various transmission impairments? Discuss any one in detail.
  - (b) Explain the following terms:Bandwidth, Throughput, Latency andBandwidth-delay product.
- **3.** (a) What is the purpose of scrambling?
  - (b) Encode 10110110011 into NRZ-L and NRZ-I encoding schemes.
  - (c) What are the transmission modes of a data communication system ? Explain.

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- **4.** (a) What is statistical TDM? Explain, how it is advantageous as compared to standard TDM system.
  - (b) Explain in terms of data link control and physical layer control. How are error and flow accomplished in synchronous time division multiplexing?
- **5.** (a) Compare and contrast a circuit-switched network and a packet-switched network.
  - (b) Discuss in detail various phases involved in packet travelling through a virtualcircuit network.
- **6.** (a) Define framing and discuss, why it is needed.
  - (b) Discuss Piggybacking and its usefulness.
  - (c) Discuss the efficiency of stop and wait ARQ protocol.

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- 7. (a) What tasks are performed by physical and data link layers?
  - (b) What is peer-to-peer process?
  - (c) If data link layer can detect errors between hops, why another checking mechanism is required at transport layer?
- **8.** (a) Discuss in detail various fields of 02.3 MAC frame.
  - (b) What are the common standard Ethernet implementations? Discuss in detail.