



VII SEMESTER B.TECH. (COMPUTER AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING)

END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER 2017

SUBJECT: WIRELESS SENSOR AND AD-HOC NETWORKS [ICT 455]
REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM
(16/11/2017)

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

- ❖ Answer ANY FIVE FULL questions.
- ❖ Missing data if any, may be suitably assumed.

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| 1A. | List and explain design challenges of sensor networks. | 5 |
| 1B. | What is the relation between energy saving and sleep overhead? Derive an equation to prove the same. | 3 |
| 1C. | What are the different programming paradigms? Which is suitable for sensor nodes? Justify your answer. | 2 |
| 2A. | How does sink communicate with sensors? What are the different architectures available for WSN? Briefly explain each architecture. | 5 |
| 2B. | Why do nodes have mobility in a WSN scenario? What are the possible types of mobility? | 3 |
| 2C. | What is busy tone solution? How does it help random access protocols? | 2 |
| 3A. | Why do sensor nodes experience drift in the clock? What are the challenges to attain time synchronization in WSN? | 5 |
| 3B. | Compare S-MAC and SMACS protocols. | 3 |
| 3C. | What are the impacts of homogenous and heterogeneous sensors on node clustering? | 2 |
| 4A. | Describe the operations of directed diffusion data centric protocol to connect the sink with sensors. | 5 |
| 4B. | What are the route discovery, route expiry, and loop managing strategies used in AODV? | 3 |
| 4C. | "The localization protocols face several challenges for distributed location estimation". List those challenges. | 2 |
| 5A. | List and explain different attacks on physical sensor nodes. | 5 |
| 5B. | Define QoS attributes which are highly depend up on the application of WSN. | 3 |
| 5C. | What are voids or holes in Unicast location based routing? | 2 |
| 6A. | Differentiate between Mobile Ad-hoc network and WSN. | 5 |
| 6B. | What are the issues of NTP in a time synchronization process? | 3 |
| 6C. | List the deficiency of MACA protocol. | 2 |

