#### **MPUC**

# **University Examinations 2011**

# SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF TECHNOLOGY IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY-BTECH.ICT 11 M2

EIT 4201: NETWORK DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION
August 2011 TIME: 2 HOURS

#### INSTRUCTIONS

This paper contains five questions

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions

## Paper 1

#### **QUESTION 1**

- (a) Outline THREE main methods of a bridge in computer networks

  3 Marks
- (b) State THREE main methods that are used to identify and analyze a customer's existing network environment.

3 Marks

- (c) State any SIX structured design methodologies 3 Marks
- (d) Outline any EIGHT Criteria for selecting LAN devices

or selecting LAN devices 4

- (e) Name FOUR enterprise requirement that may affect the choice of the network design 4 Marks
- (f) State FOUR types of information that need to be gathered about the existing network.

  4 Marks
- (g) Explain FOUR benefits of wireless network

4 Marks

(h) State any THREE security risks in wireless networks

3 Marks

(i) Describe Access Control List ACL

2 Marks

## **QUESTION 2**

(a)

- i. State TWO network design approaches
- ii. Describe each of the design approaches in (a) (i) above
- iii. iii) Describe ONE advantages of each of the network design approaches in (a) (i)
- iv. (iv) Describe ONE disadvantage of each of the network design approaches in (a) (i) 10 Marks
- (b)Outline any SIX specific steps involved in any network design project.

  6 Marks
- (c) State any FOUR WAN technologies that are available for connecting enterprise resources

  Marks

## **QUESTION 3**

- (a) Describe any FOUR common types of technical constraints that a network designer may encounter 8 Marks
- (b) Describe any SIX computer network planning steps
  12 Marks

# **QUESTION 4**

(a) Outline THREE major classes of IPv4 addresses Marks

3

- (b)(i) Describe subnet masking
  - (ii) Distinguish between sub-net and super-net masking
  - (iii) Describe Variable Length Subnet Masking
    - 5Marks
- (c) Explain any EIGHT network trouble shooting steps
  4 Marks
- (d) Describe FOUR network troubleshooting tools

8 Marks

# **QUESTION 5**

(a) Describe any FOUR data gathering process needs that are considered in any new planned services, applications, and features required for the new or upgraded network

8 Marks

- (b) Outline any FOUR details that should be included in implementation plan documentation: 4 Marks
- (c) Explain any FOUR goals of network design

8 Marks