

BACHELOR IN COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

Term-End Examination

June, 2008

CS-68 : COMPUTER NETWORKS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 75

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

1. (a) Define the term "Network". Explain three different types of networks. 10
- (b) Explain Spanning tree bridges and Source routing bridges. 10
- (c) Explain the guided and unguided transmission media. 10
2. (a) What is a Modem ? List the five standards defined for modem communication. Also, explain the two states of Modem. 10
- (b) Distinguish between analog and digital signal transmission. 5
3. (a) Explain virtual circuit and datagram subnets. 10
- (b) Distinguish between baseband and broadband communication. 5
4. (a) Explain the two types of ISDN services, in detail. 10
- (b) Explain the format of a TCP header. 5

5. (a) Explain the function of Transport layer and the transport control mechanism. 10
- (b) Write a short note on the compatibility of ATM as technology. 5