SEMESTER S6

FOUNDATIONS OF CRYPTOGRAPHY

Course Code	OECST613	CIE Marks	40
Teaching Hours/Week (L: T:P: R)	3:0:0:0	ESE Marks	60
Credits	3	Exam Hours	2 Hrs. 30 Min.
Prerequisites (if any)	None	Course Type	Theory

Course Objectives:

1. Develop a foundational understanding of mathematical concepts in cryptography,
2. Gain comprehensive knowledge of cryptographic methods.
3. Understand the principles and need for computer security.

SYLLABUS

Module No.	Syllabus Description	Contact Hours
1	Integer Arithmetic – Divisibility, Greatest Common Divisor Euclid's and Extended Euclid's Algorithm for GCD; Modular Arithmetic – Operations, Properties, Polynomial Arithmetic; Algebraic Structures – Group Ring Field.	9
2	Prime numbers and Prime Factorisation - Primitive Roots, Existence of Primitive Roots for Primes, Fermat's Theorem, Primality Testing, Euler's Theorem, Euler's Totient Function, Discrete Logarithms, Modular Arithmetic, Chinese Remainder Theorem.	9
3	Principles of security - Types of Security attacks, Security services, Security Mechanisms; Cryptography - Introduction, cryptographic notations, substitution techniques, Transposition Techniques, limitations of classical cryptography.	9
4	Symmetric key Ciphers - Block Cipher principles & Algorithms- DES, AES, Differential and Linear Cryptanalysis; Asymmetric Key Ciphers- RSA, ECC; Hash Functions - MD5, SHA-1.	9

Course Assessment Method

(CIE: 40 marks, ESE: 60 marks)

Continuous Internal Evaluation Marks (CIE):

Attendance	Assignment/ Microproject	Internal Examination-1 (Written)	Internal Examination- 2 (Written)	Total
5	15	10	10	40

End Semester Examination Marks (ESE)

In Part A, all questions need to be answered and in Part B, each student can choose any one full question out of two questions

Part A	Part B	Total
• 2 Questions from each module. • Total of 8 Questions, each carrying 3 marks **(8x3 =24 marks)**	• Each question carries 9 marks. • Two questions will be given from each module, out of which 1 question should be answered. • Each question can have a maximum of 3 subdivisions. **(4x9 = 36 marks)**	**60**

Course Outcomes (COs)

At the end of the course students should be able to:

Course Outcome		Bloom's Knowledge Level (KL)
CO1	Explain the integer arithmetic operations including divisibility and GCD algorithms, modular arithmetic operations and properties, polynomial arithmetic, and algebraic structures such as groups, rings, and fields.	**K2**
CO2	Describe the number theory concepts essential for cryptographic applications and mathematical problem-solving.	**K2**
CO3	Explain the security principles, types of attacks, and protective measures, alongside a thorough understanding of cryptographic techniques and their applications in securing data.	**K2**
CO4	Discuss symmetric and asymmetric key cryptography, including block cipher principles, algorithms, public key cryptosystems, and hash functions	**K2**

Note*: K1- Remember, K2- Understand, K3- Apply, K4- Analyse, K5- Evaluate, K6- Create*

CO-PO Mapping Table (Mapping of Course Outcomes to Program Outcomes)

	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10	PO11	PO12
CO1	2	2										2
CO2	2	2										2
CO3	2	2										2
CO4	2	2										2

Note: *1: Slight (Low), 2: Moderate (Medium), 3: Substantial (High), -: No Correlation*

Text Books				
Sl. No	**Title of the Book**	**Name of the Author/s**	**Name of the Publisher**	**Edition and Year**
1	Cryptography & Network Security	Behrouz A. Forouzan	McGraw Hill	3/e, 2007
2	Security in Computing	Charles P. Pfleeger, Shari L. Pfleeger, Jonathan Margulies	Prentice Hall	5/e, 2015
3	Introduction to Cryptography: Principles and Applications	H. Delfs, H. Knebl	Springer	1/e, 2002
4	A Classical Introduction to Cryptography: Applications for Communications Security	Serge Vaudenay	Springer	1/e, 2009

Reference Books				
Sl. No	**Title of the Book**	**Name of the Author/s**	**Name of the Publisher**	**Edition and Year**
1	Cryptography and Network Security	William Stallings	Pearson Education	7/e,2017

Video Links (NPTEL, SWAYAM…)	
Module No.	**Link ID**
1	https://archive.nptel.ac.in/courses/111/101/111101137/
2	https://nptel/courses/video/106105031/L17.html
3	https://onlinecourses.nptel.ac.in/noc22_cs90/preview