

VEER NARMAD SOUTH GUJARAT UNIVERSITY
Proposed Syllabus
MCA(5TH Semester)
PAPER : 503 : Networking Essential & its Security
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1. Networking Essentials

1.1. Repeaters & Bridges

- 1.1.1. LAN expansion
- 1.1.2. Repeaters
- 1.1.3. Bridges
- 1.1.4. How Bridges work
- 1.1.5. Creating the routing table
- 1.1.6. Segmenting network traffic
- 1.1.7. Remote bridges
- 1.1.8. Differentiating between bridges and repeaters

1.2. Routers & Gateways

- 1.2.1. Routers
- 1.2.2. How routers work
- 1.2.3. Routing benefits
- 1.2.4. Routing protocols
- 1.2.5. Routing V/s Bridging
- 1.2.6. Brouters
- 1.2.7. Gateways
- 1.2.8. How Gateways work

1.3. Network Administration

- 1.3.1. Bottlenecks
- 1.3.2. Simple Network Management Protocol
- 1.3.3. Data Protection
- 1.3.4. Backup Methods
- 1.3.5. Testing & storage
- 1.3.6. Implementing a backup System
- 1.3.7. Uninterruptible power supplies
- 1.3.8. How Gateways work
- 1.3.9. Implementing fault tolerant systems
 - 1.3.9.1. RAID
 - 1.3.9.2. Sector Sparing

1.4. Advance WAN Transmission

- 1.4.1. Overview
- 1.4.2. Multiplexing, packet and circuit switching networks
- 1.4.3. X.25
- 1.4.4. Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM)
- 1.4.5. ISDN
- 1.4.6. SONET
- 1.4.7. SMDS**

2. Introduction to network security

3. Cryptography Techniques

- 3.1. Classical cryptography
- 3.2. Conventional cryptography
 - 3.2.1. DES
- 3.3. Public-key cryptography
 - 3.3.1. RSA
- 3.4. Digital signatures
 - 3.4.1. DSA

4. Security services

- 4.1. Message integrity
- 4.2. Confidentiality and authentication
- 4.3. Certification and key management
 - 4.3.1. PKI

5. Network security applications

- 5.1. IP security
 - 5.1.1. IPsec
- 5.2. Web security
 - 5.2.1. SSL, TLS, SET
- 5.3. Electronic mail security
 - 5.3.1. PGP, S/MIME)
- 5.4. SNMP security

6. Access control in computer networks

- 6.1. authentication protocols and services
 - 6.1.1. Kerberos and X.509
- 6.2. firewalls
- 6.3. Virtual Private Networks (VPNs).

7. System security

- 7.1 Intrusion detection
- 7.2 Viruses

8. Mobile system & E-commerce securities

- 8.1 3G security
- 8.2 e-payment systems
- 8.3 fair data exchange

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Proposed Syllabus
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PAPER : 504 : Network Administration(Linux)
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- 1. Networking and TCP/IP on Linux**
 - 1.1. Fundamentals of Linux Networking
 - 1.2. Fundamentals of TCP/IP on the Linux Operating System
 - 1.3. Advanced Linux TCP/IP Concepts
 - 1.4. Introduction to Dial-up Technologies

- 2. Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol**
 - 2.1. Introduction to BOOTP and DHCP
 - 2.2. Installing and Examining a Linux DHCP server
 - 2.3. Examining Additional DHCP Options and Configurations

- 3. Domain Name System**
 - 3.1. Introduction to the Domain Name System
 - 3.2. Installing and Configuring DNS**

- 4. The Network File System**
 - 4.1. Introduction to the Network File System
 - 4.2. Configuring NFS

- 5. Linux Remote Administration**
 - 5.1. Introduction to Remote Administration
 - 5.2. The Telnet Protocol
 - 5.3. The open secure Shell protocol

- 6. The Cron Daemon**
 - 6.1. Introduction to Automation
 - 6.2. Configuring the Cron Daemon

- 7. Samba**
 - 7.1. Introduction to Samba
 - 7.2. Cross-Platform Connectivity
 - 7.3. Installing and Configuring Samba**

- 8. Linux System-Wide Logging**
 - 8.1. Introduction to System-wide Logging
 - 8.2. Configuring System-Logging

- 9. The Network Information Service**

- 9.1. Introduction to NIS
- 9.2. Setting Up and Configuring an NIS server

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PAPER :505 : Wireless Network & Mobile Computing
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1. Introduction to Wireless Network

- 1.1. Introduction
- 1.2. Standards
- 1.3. Emerging Technologies

2. Introduction to Networking Technologies

- 2.1. OSI Basics
- 2.2. LAN Basics
- 2.3. LAN & WAN Protocols
- 2.4. Internet Protocol

3. Wireless LAN Technologies

- 3.1. Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum
- 3.2. Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum (DSSS)
- 3.3. Interference
- 3.4. RF Math
- 3.5. Service Sets
- 3.6. Mobile IP
- 3.7. Appropriate use and design of wireless Networking

4. Implementation

- 4.1. Multipath
- 4.2. Co-location
- 4.3. Power Variance Options
- 4.4. Power-over-Ethernet (PoE)
- 4.5. Earth Bulge
- 4.6. Fresnel Zone
- 4.7. Weather
- 4.8. Line of Site (LOS)

5. Physical and Mac Layers

- 5.1. Modulation & Bit coding
- 5.2. Fragmentation
- 5.3. SIFS / PIFS / DIFS / EIFS

6. Hardware configuration and implementation

- 6.1. Access Points
- 6.2. Bridges
- 6.3. Workgroup bridges
- 6.4. Wireless Residential Gateways
- 6.5. Host Connectivity
- 6.6. Antennas, Cables, & Connectors

7. Wireless LAN Security

- 7.1. Filtering
- 7.2. Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)
- 7.3. Wired Equivalent Privacy (WEP)
- 7.4. Risks

8. Introduction to Mobile Computing and Personal Communications Services

- 8.1. Mobility, Nomadic, Mobile and Ubiquitous computing
- 8.2. Mobile Computing Architecture
- 8.3. Mobile Computing Technologies (Hardware, Software, Communication)
- 8.4. PCS Architecture, Mobility Management, Network Signaling

9. GSM System Overview

- 9.1. Introduction
- 9.2. GSM Architecture, Mobility Management, Network Signaling

10. GPRS

- 10.1. Architecture
- 10.2. Network Nodes

11. WAP

- 11.1. Mobile Internet Standards, WAP Gateway and Protocols
- 11.2. WML

12. 3G Mobile Services

- 12.1. Introduction to International Mobile Telecommunications
- 12.2. WCDMA
- 12.3. Quality Services of 3G Technology

13. Introduction to WLL, Virtual Networks, Bluetooth, IR, Bluetooth Protocols

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