

APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
FIRST SEMESTER M.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2015

Computer Science and Engineering
(Computer Science and Systems Engineering)
04CS6413 Computer Systems Engineering

Max. Marks : 60

Duration: 3 Hours

Part A(Answer all ,each carrying 3 marks)

- 1.What is the importance of Complexity in engineering?
- 2.What is meant by RPC?
- 3.What are the problems created by congestion?
- 4.What do you mean by the term availability?
- 5.What is the need for Atomicity?
- 6.What do you mean by consistency?
- 7.How is the issue of old data solved in DNS?
- 8.How do you enforce authenticity?

[03 * 08 =24 Marks]

Part B(Answer all,each carrying 6 marks)

9. Explain the importance of Systems engineering in Computer Science?
Or
- 10.Explain the various factors adding to the complexity of a system.
- 11.Explain the working of DNS
Or
- 12.Explain the concept of virtual addresses and modularity
- 13.Explain the methods used to control congestion
Or
- 14.Explain about the evolution of modularity in Intel X86 architecture.
- 15.What are the challenges faced and their resolution in Ethernet to internet transactions?
Or
- 16.Explain the relevance of redundancy in fault tolerance.
- 17.Explain about the atomicity in Machine languages
Or
- 18.Explain about atomicity enforcement for threads.
- 19.Explain the concept of cache coherence.
Or
- 20.Explain the concept of message confidentiality.

[06 * 06 =36 Marks]