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Time duration: 3 hours (02.30 AM to 05.30 PM)  
Total Marks: 50  
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**General Instructions:**

- All the questions are compulsory.

- Q.1) (a) A 4000 km long trunk operates at 2 Mbps and is used to transmit 64-byte frames and uses sliding window protocol. If the propagation speed is 6  $\mu\text{sec/km}$ , how many bits should the sequence number field be?
- (b) A sliding window protocol is designed for a 2 Mbps point-to-point link to the moon which has a one way latency (delay) of 2 sec. Assuming that each frame carries 2 KB of data, what is the minimum number of bits needed for the sequence number?

5+5=10 marks

- Q.2) (a) A 20 Kbps satellite link has a propagation delay of 400 ms. The transmitter employs the "go back  $n$  ARQ" scheme with  $n$  set to 10. Assuming that each frame is 200 bytes long, what is the maximum data rate possible?
- (b) A 2 Mbps satellite link connects two ground stations. The altitude of the satellite is 36504 km and the speed of the signal is  $3 \times 10^8$  m/sec. What should be the packet size for a channel utilization of 50% for a satellite link using go back 127 sliding window protocol?

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- Q.3) (a) Consider a  $128 \times 103$  bits/sec satellited communication link with one way propagation delay of 100 msec. Selective Retransmission (repeat) protocol is used on this link to send data with a frame size of 2 KB. Neglect the transmission time of acknowledgment. What will be The minimum number of bits required for the sequence number field to achieve 100% utilization?
- (b) Describe HDLC protocol and PPP protocol with frame formats.

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Q.4) (a) Explain Classful and Classless Addressing System in IP Addressing.

(b) Suppose a network with IP Address 192.16.0.0. is divided into 2 subnets, find the number of hosts per subnet.

Also for the first subnet, find-

- (a) Subnet Address
- (b) First Host ID
- (c) Last Host ID
- (d) Broadcast Address

5+5=10 marks

Q.5) (a) Explain OSI reference model with neat diagram.

(b) Explain ALOHA.

5+5=10 marks