

SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR
(AUTONOMOUS)

B.Tech. III Year I Semester Regular Examinations December-2025

WIRELESS SENSOR NETWORKS

CSE (Internet of Things and Cyber security Including Block Chain Technology)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART-A

(Answer all the Questions 10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

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| 1 | a | Write two advantages of wireless sensor networks. | CO1 | L1 | 2M |
| | b | Differentiate between homogeneous and heterogeneous sensor networks. | CO2 | L2 | 2M |
| | c | Differentiate between MANET and WSN. | CO1 | L2 | 2M |
| | d | Mention two challenges in implementing WSN in real-time applications. | CO2 | L1 | 2M |
| | e | List the classifications of MAC protocols. | CO4 | L1 | 2M |
| | f | Write the significance of IEEE 802.15.4 standard in WSN. | CO4 | L1 | 2M |
| | g | What is data fusion in the context of WSN? | CO3 | L1 | 2M |
| | h | Write two parameters that define the quality of a sensor network. | CO3 | L1 | 2M |
| | i | State the need for gateway in WSN communication. | CO6 | L1 | 2M |
| | j | What is TinyOS? | CO6 | L1 | 2M |

PART-B

(Answer all Five Units 5 x 10 = 50 Marks)

UNIT-I

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| 2 | a | Explain the fundamental concept of wireless sensor networks with neat diagrams. | CO1 | L2 | 5M |
| | b | Examine the advantages of deploying WSNs over conventional wired networks. | CO1 | L4 | 5M |

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| 3 | a | Compare the architectures of traditional networks and wireless sensor networks. | CO1 | L4 | 5M |
| | b | Discuss how constraints such as energy, bandwidth, and scalability affect the design of wireless sensor networks. | CO2 | L4 | 5M |

UNIT-II

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| 4 | a | Discuss enabling technologies such as MEMS, low-power radios, and energy-efficient protocols in the development of WSNs. | CO2 | L2 | 5M |
| | b | Describe how energy efficiency is addressed by enabling technologies in sensor networks. | CO2 | L2 | 5M |

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| 5 | | Design a conceptual framework that integrates MANET with WSN for disaster management. | CO1 | L6 | 10M |
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UNIT-III

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| 6 | a | Explain the classification of MAC protocols in detail with suitable examples. | CO4 | L2 | 5M |
| | b | Design a scenario using S-MAC for energy-efficient communication in a sensor network. | CO4 | L6 | 5M |

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| 7 | | Explain the working mechanism of IEEE 802.15.4 standard and its importance in WSN. | CO4 | L2 | 10M |
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UNIT-IV

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| 8 | a | Explain the working principle of dissemination protocols for large sensor networks. | CO3 | L2 | 6M |
| | b | Explain with examples how real-time traffic support is critical for mission applications. | CO3 | L2 | 4M |

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| 9 | a | Create a conceptual model for secure data dissemination in healthcare sensor networks. | CO3 | L6 | |
| | b | Discuss the differences between data dissemination and data gathering with examples. | CO3 | L2 | |

UNIT-V

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| 10 | a | Discuss the role of gateways in enabling WSN-to-Internet communication. | CO6 | L2 | |
| | b | Analyze the differences between WSN-to-Internet and Internet-to-WSN communication. | CO6 | L4 | |

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| 11 | a | Explain the design principles of wireless sensor networks with suitable examples. | CO6 | L2 | |
| | b | Illustrate the need for gateways with a real-world WSN application example. | CO6 | L2 | |

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