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SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION, 2018/2019 ACADEMIC SESSION COURSE TITLE: COMPUTER SECURITY TECHNIQUES

COURSE CODE: ECT 530

EXAMINATION DATE: 11TH JULY, 2019

COURSE LECTURER: ENGR. O. O AFOLABI

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TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER THREE QUESTIONS
- 2. SEVERE PENALTIES APPLY FOR MISCONDUCT, CHEATING, POSSESSION OF UNAUTHORIZED MATERIALS DURING EXAM.
- 3. YOU ARE <u>NOT</u> ALLOWED TO BORROW ANY WRITING MATERIALS DURING THE EXAMINATION.

Question 1

- a. Discuss the role of specification with relevant example in the life cycle of security. [6marks]
- b. Define the following terms in the context of cryptographic system: [3marks each]
 - i. Adversary
 - ii. Cryptanalysis
 - iii. Cryptosystem
- c. Compute the ciphertext of "SECURITY TECHNIQUES" with the implementation of the Rail Fence Cipher. [5marks]
- d. Identify the five frameworks of ethics in computer security. [10marks]

Question 2

- a. What is a digital signature? [3marks]
- b. Suppose Alice and Bob share a secret key k. Alice sends Bob m || {m}k (that is, the message and its encipherment under k). Is this a digital signature? Justify your response with detailed explanation. [4marks]
- c. Given a message m=35, p=7, q=13, e=5, d=29. Compute the digital signature for the message. [3marks]

Question 3

- a. Discuss the approach adopted in Challenge Response to address dictionary attack. [3marks].
- b. User *U* desire to authenticate himself to system *S*. *S* sends a random message m (the challenge) of value 12 to *U*, *U* and *S* have an agreed-on secret function f of value 6. Compute the value of the transformation *r* (response). [3marks]
- c. What is the key difference between the speaker verification technique and the verbal information verification technique? [4marks]

Ouestion 4

- a. Discuss the relevance of Global Positioning System (GPS) and Location Signature Sensor (LSS)
 in the context of Location-Based Authentication. [5marks]
- b. Reverse Engineering may defy Trade Secret protection. Illustrate this concept with respect to its applicability to computer programs. [5marks]

Question 5

- a. Discuss into some details the justification for patenting Computer Objects. 5marks
- b. State the five Performance Evaluation Metrics of a Good Video Encryption Algorithm. [5marks]

Question 6

- a. What are the key distinctions between Copyright, Patent and Trade Secret? 6marks
- c. Generate the corresponding Autokey Cipher from the plaintext "meet me at the corner" using the keyword "king". Given the following Tabula Recta. [4marks]

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