



B.E / B.TECH. DEGREE EXAMINATIONS: NOV/DEC 2023

(Regulation 2018)

Fifth Semester

COMMON TO ALL BRANCHES

U18CSR5213: Ethical Hacking and Network Defense

COURSE OUTCOMES

CO1: Describe the legal and ethical requirements related to ethical hacking.

CO2: Understand the vulnerabilities, mechanisms to identify vulnerabilities/threats/attacks.

CO3: Perform penetration & security testing.

CO4: Examine the different tools and techniques that ethical hackers employ.

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the Questions: -

PART A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

(Answer not more than 40 words)

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| 1. Define attack and its types. | CO1 | [K ₁] |
| 2. Compare White Hat hackers with Black Hat hackers. | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 3. Explain what a "whois domain lookup" is and how it contributes to internet management. | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| 4. List the different port scanning techniques. | CO2 | [K ₁] |
| 5. Explain "Man-in-the-Middle (MitM) attack", outlining its potential impact on communication and data security. | CO2 | [K ₂] |
| 6. Define what an "IP sniffer" is and how it can be utilized to capture and analyze network traffic. | CO2 | [K ₁] |
| 7. Show how a web server works? | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| 8. Explain Cross-site scripting. | CO3 | [K ₂] |
| 9. List the type of DNS spoofing. | CO4 | [K ₂] |
| 10. Mention any four wireless hacking techniques. | CO4 | [K ₂] |

Answer any FIVE Questions: -

PART B (5 x 16 = 80 Marks)

(Answer not more than 400 words)

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| 11. a) Illustrate the five phases of ethical hacking and explain each phases in detail. | 8 | CO1 | [K ₂] |
| b) Summarize the different types of hacker's profile with their role. | 8 | CO1 | [K ₂] |

12.	a)	Identify the skill required for an ethical hacker.	8	CO2	[K ₂]
	b)	Describe any four tools used in Reconnaissance or Foot printing process with its syntax.	8	CO2	[K ₂]
13.	a)	Summarize the steps involved in information gathering process.	8	CO2	[K ₂]
	b)	Identify the objective of scanning and summarize the various type of scanning available.	8	CO2	[K ₂]
14.	a)	Explain HTTP tunneling technique and IP Spoofing technique.	8	CO2	[K ₂]
	b)	Identify various options available in Nmap switches with its description.	8	CO2	[K ₂]
15.	a)	Infer the purpose of SQL injection attack.	8	CO3	[K ₂]
	b)	Explain the working process of ARP and identify the countermeasures for ARP spoofing and poisoning.	8	CO3	[K ₂]
16.	a)	Outline the different phases of session hijacking and how to prevent session hijacking?	8	CO4	[K ₂]
	b)	Explain the various wireless hacking techniques.	8	CO4	[K ₂]
