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COURSE NAME : CLIENT SERVER PROGRAMMING
COURSE CODE : BIT32803
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EXAMINATION DATE : DECEMBER 2013 / JANUARY 2014
DURATION : 3 HOURS
INSTRUCTION : ANSWER **ALL** QUESTIONS

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- Q1**
- (a) Explain the concept of client server with an example. (2 marks)
 - (b) Give **TWO(2)** differences between fat client and fat server. (4 marks)
 - (c) Explain **TWO(2)** advantages of tier programming. (2 marks)
- Q2**
- (a) Explain the function of:
 - (i) IMAP (2 marks)
 - (ii) POP (2 marks)
 - (iii) LDAP (2 marks)
 - (iv) Socket (2 marks)
 - (v) IMAP over SSL (2 marks)
 - (b) Explain **FIVE(5)** transparencies in distributed system. (10 marks)
- Q3** With appropriate diagram, propose suitable solutions for the following issues in client server communication:
- (a) Blocking (5 marks)
 - (b) Buffering (5 marks)
 - (c) Reliability (5 marks)
 - (d) Server Architecture (5 marks)

- Q4** (a) Explain when to use `urn` and `url`. (2 marks)
- (b) Explain how an HTTP 1.1 server knows when it has reached the end of a complete HTTP/1.1 request? (5 marks)
- (c) Given the following statement:
- HTML form with action "`http://csp.com/blah.cgi`", the method set to "`GET`", form fields with names "`id`" and "`nickname`", and the user types in the string "`khairul`" in the `id` textbox, and the string "`mr_K`" as the `nickname`.
- Show a valid HTTP 1.1 request that could be sent by the browser when the user submits a complete request form. (5 marks)
- Q5** (a) You had been assigned to develop a client server application that has performance boost and additional flexibility by a company.
- (i) Suggest a good socket type for your application based on request features. (2 marks)
- (ii) Justify your answer in **Q5(a)(i)**. (6 marks)
- (b) A company has hired you to develop a web based application. It must have sufficient security elements to protect the users and the server data.
- (i) Proposed security elements to be used in this application. (4 marks)
- (ii) Justify your answer in **Q5(b)(i)**. (8 marks)



Q6 Write **TWO(2)** programs called `client` and `server` using criteria listed in Figure **Q6(a)** to produce output as in Figure **Q6(b)**.

```
Client's IP address : 161.10.15.90
Server's IP address : 161.10.1.1
Port for communication : DO NOT use (1) well known ports or (2) registered ports
Only allow 5 simultaneous clients' connections.
Use UDP protocol
Read data of maximum size of 256 bytes
No buffer
Limit the service to 3 hours only
Messages from client will starts with "<message from client>"
Messages from server will starts with "<message from server>"
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Figure Q6(a)

```
server
This is server MAIN screen
...waiting for CLIENT request
<message from client> Client ONE is connected
Connection closed ...

client
This is client's ONE screen
<message from server> You are now connected to server BIT32803!
Already connected to server
Connection closed ...
```

Figure Q6(b)

(20 marks)

-END OF QUESTION-

