

UG Exam Performance Feedback

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COMP38411 Cryptography and Network Security

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Comments Q1: Overall, students did well in this question. To gain the full mark, one needs to gain a thorough understanding of the authentication topic.
Q2: This question involves the design of a certification protocol. The most important design issue here is how to achieve secure binding of these essential items: the requester's ID information, private key and public key.
Q3: Students did well in this question.

Some useful statistics:

In total, 125 students sat in the exam.
Question 1: the average mark is 61%;
Question 2: the average mark is 58%;
Question 3: the average mark is 72%;
The overall average mark = 64%.
