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NETWORK

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Scenario Summary

-) Sensors: 1000
-) Packet size: 512 bytes
-) Rate: 1 packet / second / sensor
-) UDP + IP header size: 28 bytes
-) Error rate: 2%

QUESTION 1:

What is the total bandwidth used?

→ step-by-step explanation:

-) Each sensor 1 packet per second
-) Each packet contains 512 bytes of data
-) Total data per second = 1000 sensors \times 512 bytes

→ = 512,000 bytes / second

→ convert to kilobits: $512,000 \times 8 = 4,096,000$ bits/sec = 4096 Kbps

→ convert to Mbps: $4096 \div 1024 = 4.096$ Mbps

ANSWER:

Total bandwidth used is 4.096 Mbps
(only for data payload)

Final answer:

Question 2:

What is the header overhead if each UDP + IP header = 28 bytes?

Explanation

- Each packet also includes 28 bytes of header data (20 for IP + 8 for UDP)
- Total headers per second = 1000
packets/sec \times 28 bytes = 28,000 bytes/sec
- Convert to kilobits: $28,000 \times 8 = 224,000$
bits/sec = 224 Kbps

How many headers are sent per second?

Each of the 1000 sensors sends 1 packet per second

→ Total packets per second = 1000 packets

→ Each packet has 28 bytes of header

• So total header data = 1000×28 bytes
= 28,000 bytes/second

Convert to Bandwidth (bits/second)

• 1 byte = 8 bits

• 28,000 bytes = $28,000 \times 8 = 224,000$ bits/sec
= 224 Kbps

Final answer:

- Header overhead = 28,000 bytes/sec
or 224 kbps

Question 3:

How many packets are lost in a 1%
loss environment?

Explanation:

- with 1000 packets sent every second
- Lost packets/sec = 2% of 1000 = 0.02×1000
= 20 packets
- Over 1 minute: $20 \times 60 = 1200$ packets lost

Step-by-step calculation:

- Step 1: calculate packets sent per second

Each second send 1 packet/sec

→ Total = 1000 packets/sec

- Step 2: Apply packet loss rate

Packet loss rate = 2% = 0.02

→ Lost packets = 2% of 1000

→ Lost packets = $0.02 \times 1000 = 20$

packets per second

Answer:

20 packets are lost every second

- over 1 minute, 1,200 packets are lost
- over 1 hour, 72,000 packets are lost

Packet Loss Visualization

Time (1 sec)

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[1000 packets sent] → Network → x 20 lost,
✓ 980 received

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