- 1. What are the challenges faced by multiple access mechanism?
- 2. List three strategies used to coordinate a multiple channel access and briefly describe their functions
- 3. What are the advantages of using a static channel allocation?
- 4. What is the main task of MAC protocols?
- 5. List and describe three main categories of MAC protocols for wireless networks
- 6. List and describe three main categories of MAC protocols for V2X networks
- 7. List two requirements of MAC protocols imposed by the highly dynamic nature of V2X networks
- 8. Explain how the pure ALOHA protocol works
- 9. Derive the efficiency of pure ALOHA protocol
- 10. Show that the maximum efficiency of pure ALOHA is 1/2e. Hint:  $\lim_{N\to\infty}(1-\frac{1}{N})^N=1/e$
- 11. A group of N vehicles shares a 6 Mbit/s pure ALOHA channel. Each vehicle generates at a constant rate of 800-byte packet every 100 msec. What is the maximum value of N?
- 12. How does the slotted ALOHA protocol work?
- 13. Derive the efficiency of slotted ALOHA protocol
- 14. Show that the maximum efficiency of slotted ALOHA is 1/e. Hint:  $\lim_{N\to\infty} (1-\frac{1}{N})^N = 1/e$
- 15. A small slotted ALOHA system has N customers, each of whom has a probability  $p=\frac{1}{N}$  of transmitting during any slot (both new and retransmission). What is the channel throughput as a function of N? Evaluate this expression numerically for N=2,4,10,100,200 and  $N\to\infty$
- 16. List three reservation-based MAC Protocols
- 17. Explain how the time division multiple access (TDMA) works
- 18. What are the main limitations of TDMA?
- 19. How does the frequency division multiple access (FDMA) work?
- 20. What are the main limitations of FDMA?
- 21. What is the cause of frequency shifts in V2X networks?
- 22. Give a brief comparison between TDMA and FDMA
- 23. How does the code division multiple access (CDMA) work?

- 24. Give a main limitation of CDMA
- 25. How does the closed-loop power control is used in CDMA work?
- 26. Give an example highlighting the CDMA coding
- 27. How does the carrier sense multiple access (CSMA) work?
- 28. How are priorities of different frame types modeled in IEEE 802.11p?
- 29. Consider a V2X network consisting of two stations A and B having each one single packet to send which belongs to access categories AC\_VO and AC\_VI, respectively. After the busy channel becomes clear, station A and B draw a CW of 3 and 1, respectively. Calculate the channel access time observed by both stations. Assume a time slot  $T_{slot} = 13\mu s$ . Both stations are within the same communication range.
- 30. Why does the CW is doubled after each packet/ACK collision in unicast transmissions?
- 31. Why does the CW never be doubled in broadcast transmissions?
- 32. Explain the hidden- and exposed terminal problem
- 33. How is the hidden terminal problem solved in unicast transmission?