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## 2° Parcial

Lea el siguiente texto y realice las actividades a continuación.

# What is Torrenting? Is it Safe? Is it illegal? Are you likely to be caught?



Looking to find out more about torrenting? We explain exactly what torrenting is, how to torrent **safely**, and what to do if you get caught.

Torrenting is the act of downloading and uploading files through the BitTorrent network. Instead of downloading files to a central server, torrenting involves downloading files from other users' devices on the network. Conversely, users upload files from their own devices for other users to download.

Torrenting is the most **popular** form of peer-to-peer (P2P) file-sharing, and it requires torrent management software to connect to the BitTorrent network. Such software can be downloaded for free for a number of different devices.

Everyone downloading or uploading the same file is called a peer, and collectively they are known as a swarm. Because of how BitTorrent works, a peer can download a file from several other users at once, or upload a file to multiple other users simultaneously.

Torrenting is often associated with piracy because it's frequently **used** to share files that are protected by copyright, including movies, games, music, and software. However, torrenting has many legitimate uses as well, such as lessening the load on centralized **servers** by distributing the hosting burden among users.

Adaptado de: <https://www.comparitech.com/blog/vpn-privacy/is-torrenting-safe-illegal-will-you-be-caught/#:~:text=Torrenting%20is%20the%20act%20of,for%20other%20users%20to%20download.>

1. Observe el siguiente fragmento: *"We explain exactly what torrenting is, how to torrent safely, and what to do if you get caught"*. ¿Cuál de las siguientes opciones contiene cuatro palabras conceptuales? Elija la opción correcta.

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- a. Explain – do – and – get
- b. caught – do – get – exactly
- c. do – safely – to – torrent

2. Observe el siguiente fragmento: *"Such software can be downloaded for free for a number of different devices"*. ¿Cuáles son las palabras estructurales? Elija la opción correcta.

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- a. Such – a – for - of
- b. Such – be- for – free
- c. Number – for – can – be

3. Observe el siguiente fragmento: *"Torrenting is often associated with piracy because it's frequently used to share files that are protected by copyright, including movies, games, music, and software."*. ¿Qué opción contiene sólo sustantivos? Elija la opción correcta.

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- a. frequently – movies – files – copyright
- b. Music – software - piracy – files
- c. Used – games – piracy – music

4. Identifique a que categoría pertenecen las siguientes palabras conceptuales resaltadas en el texto:

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-SAFELY: \_\_\_\_\_

-SERVER: \_\_\_\_\_

-USED: \_\_\_\_\_

-POPULAR: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Observe el siguiente bloque nominal e indique su núcleo *"the act of downloading and uploading files"*.

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NUCLEO: \_\_\_\_\_

Identifique que tipo de modificadores posee:

- a. pre-modificadores
- b. Post-modificadores
- c. Pre y post-modificadores.

6. Observe el siguiente fragmento: *"Torrenting has many legitimate uses"*.

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- Indique bloques verbales y nominales.
- Identifique sus núcleos y sus pre y/o post-modificadores si los hubiese.

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7. Traduzca la oración del punto 6 al español teniendo en cuenta la división de bloques realizada.

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8. Observe los siguientes fragmentos y marque con una cruz aquellos que considere definiciones. Subraye el verbo o frase verbal que las evidencia:

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- ☐ a. Torrenting is the act of downloading and uploading files through the BitTorrent network.
- ☐ b. Torrenting is often associated with piracy.
- ☐ c. Torrenting has many legitimate uses as well.
- ☐ d. Everyone downloading or uploading the same file is called a peer.
- ☐ e. Collectively they are known as a swarm.

9. De acuerdo al texto, explique en español: ¿En qué caso es legal hacer uso del torrent?

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86-95 points= 9	70-75 points= 7	56-65 points= 5	0-49 points= 2	