

CS170–Spring 2013 — Solutions to Homework 1

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1.

(1.) **4.4 ms**

Time to transmit the packet:

$$t_p = 1200 \text{ bytes} \times \frac{8 \text{ bits}/\text{byte}}{4 \text{ Mbits/sec}} = 2.4 \text{ ms}$$

Latency:

$$l = \frac{600 \text{ km}}{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} = 2.0 \text{ ms}$$

Total Time:

$$l + t_p = 4.4 \text{ ms}$$

(2.) (a.) **21202 ms**

$$\text{number of chunks to be sent} = \frac{10MB}{1000 \text{ byte}} = 10^4 \text{ chunks}$$

$$\text{time to transmit file} = \frac{10^4 \times (1000 + 60) \text{ bytes}}{4 \text{ Mbps}} \times 1000 \text{ ms/sec} \times 8 \text{ bits/byte} + 2 \text{ ms} = 21202 \text{ ms}$$

(b.) **500 bytes/ms**

$$\text{goodput} = \frac{10^4 * (1000 + 60) \text{ bytes}}{21200 \text{ ms}} = 500 \text{ bytes/ms}$$

(3.) **6.81 ms**

$$\text{latency} = 2.2 \text{ ms}$$

$$\text{time for 1000 byte packet to reach B} = \frac{1000 \text{ bytes}}{4 \text{ Mbps}} + \text{latency} = 2 \text{ ms} + 2.2 \text{ ms}$$

$$\text{time to send ack} = \frac{80\text{bytes}}{4\text{Mbps}} = 0.160ms$$

total time for ack to arrive at A = $0.160ms + 2.2ms$

$$\text{total time} = 2ms + 2.2ms + 0.160ms + 2.2ms + 0.250ms = 6.81ms$$

(4.) **6560 ms**

$$\text{number of chunks} = \frac{10MB}{1000bytes} = 10^3 \text{chunks}$$

time for 1000 byte packet to reach B = $2.2ms + 2.0ms$

time for ACK to reach A = $2.2ms + 0.160ms$

$$\text{total time} = 10^3 \text{chunks} \times (2.2ms + 2.0ms + 2.2ms + 0.160ms) = 6560ms$$

2.(1.) 108 ms

$$\text{alice to a} = \frac{1500\text{bytes} \times 8\text{bits/byte}}{1\text{mbps}} + 2\text{ms} = 14\text{ms}$$

$$\text{a to b} = \frac{1500\text{bytes} \times 8\text{bits/byte}}{500\text{kbytes}} + 20\text{ms} = 44\text{ms}$$

$$\text{b to c} = \frac{1500\text{bytes} \times 8\text{bits/byte}}{1\text{mbps}} + 30\text{ms} = 42\text{ms}$$

$$\text{c to bob} = \frac{1500\text{bytes} \times 8\text{bits/byte}}{2\text{mbps}} + 20\text{ms} = 8\text{ms}$$

$$\text{total time} = 14 + 44 + 42 + 8 = 108\text{ms}$$

(2.) 184 ms

	Arrive	Depart
Alice	—	0ms
	—	12ms
	—	24ms
A	14ms	14ms
	26ms	46ms
	38ms	58ms
B	58ms	58ms
	90ms	120ms
	102ms	132ms
C	100ms	102ms
	162ms	164ms
	174ms	176ms
Bob	110ms	—
	172ms	—
	184ms	—

(3.) (a.) 15 packets(b.) 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 are dropped

(4.) **3/4ths of the packets are lost**

Half of the packets are lost from C to B and another half of *those* packets are lost from B to A. There are no packets lost from A to Alice because the bandwidth along that link is greater than B to A.

(5.) (a.) **204ms**

The bottleneck is at router A. So assuming A's queue fills up and the packet is the last in the queue, it will take $5 \times 24ms$ to transmit the packet and another 20ms to propagate to router B.

$$\text{total time} = 14ms + 5 \times 24ms + 20ms + 42ms + 8ms = 204ms$$

(b.) **252ms**

Using similar reasoning from part (a.), routers C and B drop packets. So if C's queue fills up, our packet from Bob will have to wait $5 \times 12ms$ before being transmitted. If B's queue fills up, from B to A, our packet will have to wait $5 \times 25ms$ before being transmitted. No packets are lost from A to Alice because the bandwidth is greater from A to Alice than from B to A.

$$\text{total time} = 8ms + 5 \times 12ms + 30ms + 5 \times 24ms + 20ms + 14ms = 252ms$$

3.

(1.) $\frac{M}{P} \times \frac{D}{B} + 2ms + (\frac{D}{B} + 2ms) \times (Z - 1)$
 Time for packets to travel from first switch to second switch

$$\frac{M}{P} \times \frac{D}{B} + 2ms$$

Since packets are transmitted as soon as they arrive at a switch, this is the additional delay to pass the first packet to the next router:

$$(\frac{D}{B} + 2ms)$$

There are $(Z - 1)$ switches so the total delay for passing the first packet is:

$$(\frac{D}{B} + 2ms) \times (Z - 1)$$

So the total time to send the file is:

$$\frac{M}{P} \times \frac{D}{B} + 2ms + (\frac{D}{B} + 2ms) \times (Z - 1)$$

(2.) $\frac{M}{P} \times \frac{D}{B} + 2ms + (h + 2ms) \times (Z - 1)$

The answer is similar to part (1.) except instead of waiting D/B to transmit, we only wait h .

(3.) $2 \times [(\frac{k}{B} + 2ms) \times Z] + \frac{M}{P} \times \frac{D}{B} + 2ms \times Z$

The time to send the setup packet from Alice to Bob and back is:

$$2 \times [(\frac{k}{B} + 2ms) \times Z]$$

The time to transmit the file is:

$$\frac{M}{P} \times \frac{D}{B} + 2ms \times Z$$

(4.) (a.)

- (b.) 1. There are a lot of routers between here and the destination which increases the latency. 2. Some ISPs will play “hot potato” where they reroute a packet as soon as it gets its. Where the packet is routed may not necessarily be the best route.

4.

(1.)

(2.)