

**Comments** Q1: Compulsory. Generally good answers. A key problem with some of the answers was that they didn't answer directly the question. For example: (b) asks why this is a common fallacy and some answers just discussed latency. Same, in (g) where some answers discussed the byzantine generals problem, or in (h) where some answers were just about replication.

Q2: A popular question, with about 90% of the students answering it. Generally good answers with the exception of (d) where several students missed the number of messages of the two algorithms.

Q3: Also a popular question, with over 85% of the students attempting it. Answers generally ok, although there were various miscalculations in (c), (d), (e), but not anything that would indicate a recurring problem.

Q4: Surprisingly few (about 25%) of the students answered this question. The answers were generally good.

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