ACTIVITIES

ACTIVITY 4.1

1. Consider the following multimedia communication scenario:

a. There are 2 RTP end systems (A and B) and a PBX

- b. The PBX is both relaying the signalling and the media (it acts as a RTP entity)
- c. The PBX modifies the SDP content in order to anchor the media

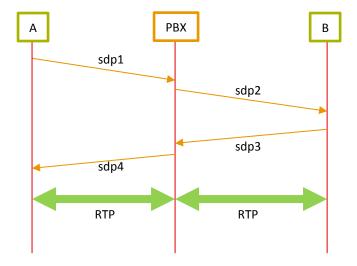
2. A supports the following media and encodings:

a. Audio: A-law, iLBCb. Video: H.261c. Text: T.140

3. B supports the following media and encodings:

a. Audio: A-lawb. Video: H.261

- 4. A performs an SDP exchange with the PBX and, as a consequence of it, an audio/video session is established between A and the PBX. The PBX performs a SDP exchange with B and, as a consequence of it, an audio/video session is established between the PBX and B. The PBX acts as an RTP proxy and relays the received RTP to/from A/B.
- 5. The flow and exchanged SDP messages are shown next:



SDP1:

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v=0
o=a 2890844526 2890844526 IN IP4 a.lab.example.com
s=
c=IN IP4 a.lab.example.com
t=0 0
m=audio 49170 RTP/AVP 8 97
a=rtpmap:8 PCMA/8000
a=rtpmap:97 iLBC/8000
m=video 51372 RTP/AVP 31
a=rtpmap:31 H261/90000
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SDP2:

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v=0
o=b 2808772211 2808772211 IN IP4 pbx.lab.example.com
s=
c=IN IP4 pbx.lab.example.com
t=0 0
m=audio 49170 RTP/AVP 8 97
a=rtpmap:8 PCMA/8000
a=rtpmap:97 iLBC/8000
m=video 51372 RTP/AVP 31
a=rtpmap:31 H261/90000
```

SDP3:

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v=0
o=a 2808899564 2808899564 IN IP4 b.lab.example.com
s=
c=IN IP4 b.lab.example.com
t=0 0
m=audio 49170 RTP/AVP 8
a=rtpmap:8 PCMA/8000
m=video 51372 RTP/AVP 31
a=rtpmap:31 H261/90000
```

<u>SDP4</u>:

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v=0
o=b 2808661122 2808661122 IN IP4 pbx.lab.example.com
s=
c=IN IP4 pbx.lab.example.com
t=0 0
m=audio 49170 RTP/AVP 8
a=rtpmap:8 PCMA/8000
m=video 51372 RTP/AVP 31
a=rtpmap:31 H261/90000
```

6. Consider we now want to re-arrange the existing media session such that now it flows directly between A and B (instead of between A and PBX and between PBX and B). This is a common arrangement in commercial PBXs, which may get out of the media path if it is not required to offer specific services (eg. recording)

a. What would be the SDP exchange necessary to enable this rearrangement? Provide a sequence diagram including a valid content for the SDP messages.

NOTE: The sessions in A and B should just be modified (not destroyed and re-created)

ACTIVITY 4.2

- 1. Read chapters 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the RFC 3261 (base SIP specification)
- 2. With regards the SIP flow described in chapter 4, please answer the following questions:
 - a. What SIP messages are carrying the SDP exchange?
 - b. How can Atlanta proxy route the INVITE message to the Biloxi proxy?
 - c. How is the 2000K response routed from Bob to Biloxy
 - d. How is the ACK message routed from Alice to Bob?