

# Computer Networks Midterm

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1. Give the full name of the following acronyms. (15%)
  - (a) ISP
  - (b) HTTP
  - (c) DNS
  - (d) SMTP
  - (e) POP3
2. What are the five layers in the Internet protocol stack? (10%)
3. Please give a description of how recursive queries work on DNS. (10%)
4. Consider sending a packet from a sending host to a receiving host over a fixed route. List the delay components in the end-to-end delay. (8%)
5. List the underlying transport protocol name (TCP or UDP) for each of the following network-application services and briefly explained the reasons. (8%)
  - (a) Video conferencing.
  - (b) DNS service.
  - (c) E-Mail.
  - (d) Web service.
6. Suppose Host A wants to send a large file to Host B. This path from Host A to Host B has four links, of rates  $R_1 = 500kbps$ ,  $R_2 = 3Mbps$ ,  $R_3 = 2Mbps$ , and  $R_4 = 4Mbps$ . Suppose the file is 12MB.
  - (a) How long will it take to transfer the file to Host B (use message switching)? (5%)
  - (b) How long does it take to send the file to host B (use circuit switching)? Please use the bottleneck link as the link transmission rate, each link uses TDM with 24 slots/sec, and to establish the end-to-end circuit takes 500 msec. (5%)
7. (14%) Please see Figure 1 and answer the following questions.

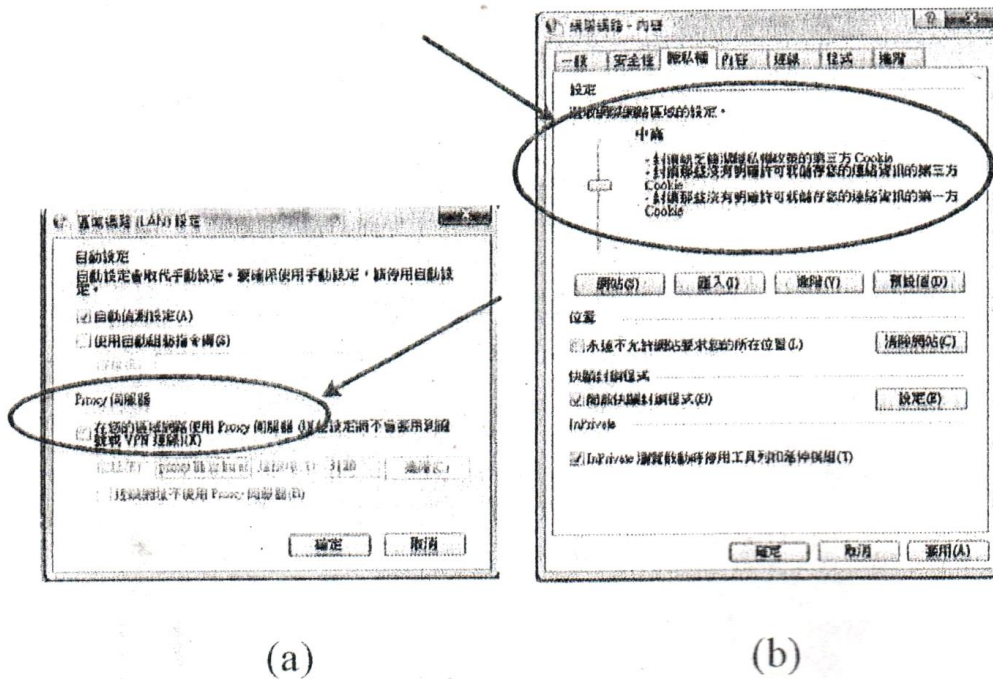


Figure 1:

(a) What is the Cookie in web service and what can it do? (5%)

(b) Which part is the network setting for Cookie in Windows 7 (Figure 1(a) or Figure 1(b))? (2%)

(c) What advantages does a proxy cache have? (5%)

(d) Which part is the network setting for Proxy cache in Windows 7 (Figure 1(a) or Figure 1(b))? (2%)

8. (6%)

(a) What is the network service that uses 80 as the well-known port number of a server? (3%)

(b) What is the network service that uses 25 as the well-known port number of a server? (3%)

9. Please list the e-mail protocols (SMTP or POP3) used in each of the communication links of Figure 2. (6%)

10. Please see the Figure 3 and then to answer each of the following questions. (13

(a) Which packet (the packet number) is to query the IP address of domain name "www.nctu.edu.tw"? (2%)

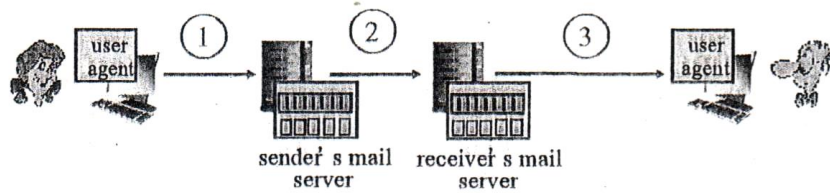


Figure 2:

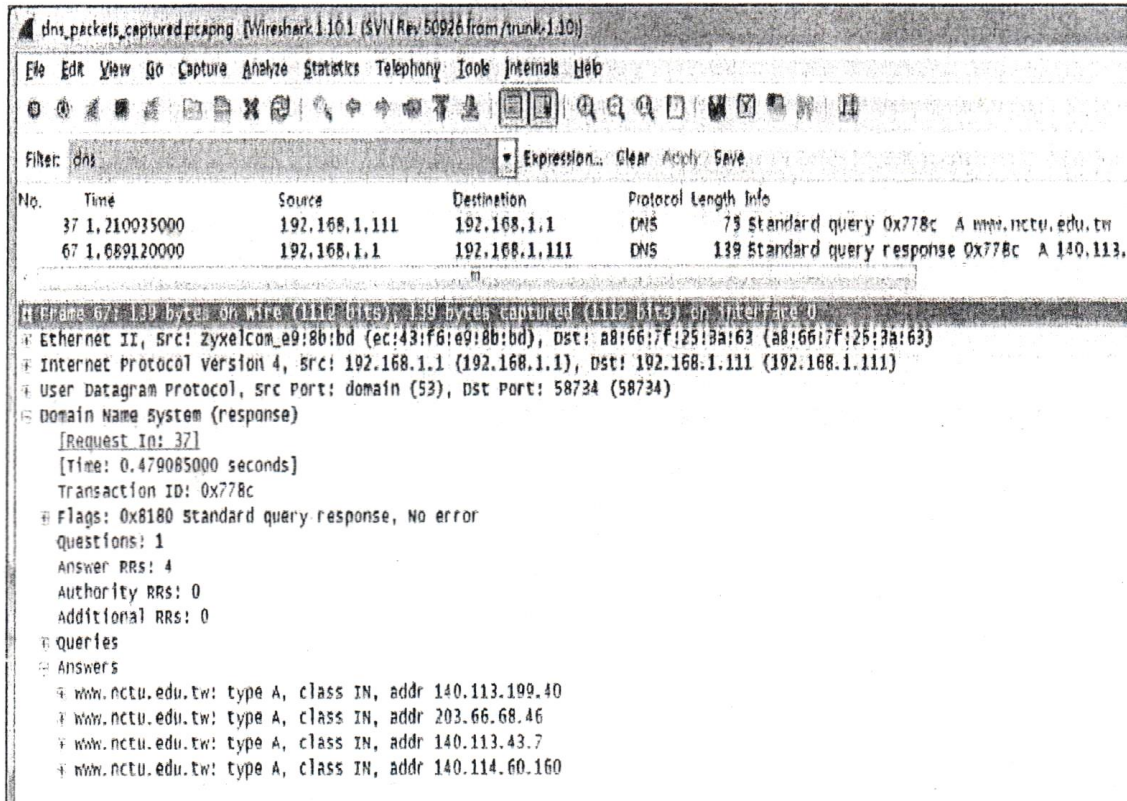


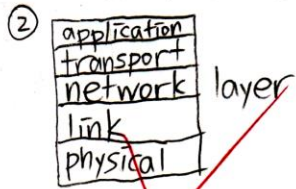
Figure 3:

- What is the source port of DNS response message? (2%)
- Which IP address of domain name "www.nctu.edu.tw" will directly communicate with the browser? (2%)
- Please use this example to explain how does a DNS server to equally distribute traffic load among servers? (7%)

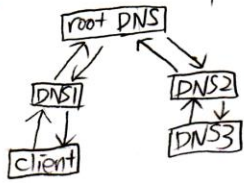


# 詳解

- ① (a) Internet Service Provider (b) Hyper-text Transfer Protocol  
 (c) Domain Name System (d) Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (e) Post Office Protocol ver3



③



先問 DNS1, 它不知道, 並幫我問 root DNS, 它也  
 不知道, root 幫 DNS1 問 DNS2, DNS2 也不知道, DNS2  
 問 DNS3 後終於知道了, 並把結果告訴 DNS2 → root DNS  
 → DNS1 → client

- ④ Queue delay, Transmission delay, Propagation delay, Processing delay

- ⑤ (a) UDP, 因為要速度快 (b) UDP, 因為要速度快 (c) TCP, 因為不能重組 (d) TCP, 因為不能重組

⑥ A  $\frac{500\text{Kbps}}{62.5\text{KB/s}} + \frac{3\text{Mbps}}{384\text{KB/s}} + \frac{2\text{Mbps}}{256\text{KB/s}} + \frac{14\text{Mbps}}{512\text{KB/s}}$  B  $12\text{MB} = 12288\text{KB}$

(a)  $\frac{12288}{62.5} + \frac{12288}{384} + \frac{12288}{256} + \frac{12288}{512} = 196.608 + 32 + 48 + 24 = 300.608\text{秒}$

(b)  $\frac{12288}{62.5} \times 24 + 0.005 = 196.608 \times 24 + 0.005 = 4718.592 + 0.005 = 4718.597\text{秒}$

- ⑦ (a) 記錄使用者的設定、登入狀態、瀏覽過的頁面 (b) Figure 1 (b)  
 (c) 如果很多人要去同一個網站, 就直接從 proxy cache 下載就好, 加快  
 速度 (d) Figure 1 (a)

- ⑧ (a) HTTP (b) SMTP ⑨ @SMTP @SMTP @POP3

- ⑩ (a) 37 (b) 53 (c) 140, 113, 199, 40 (d) 它會平均分配所有使用者到4台伺服器  
 how?