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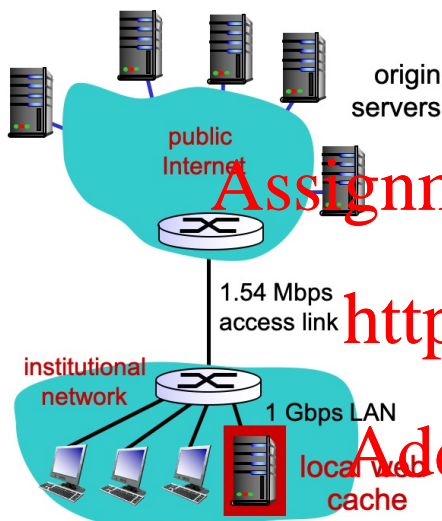
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Question 1

Correct

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Consider the topology below.



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Parameters:

Average Web object size: X kbit

Browser send an average N. of Lambda/s requests

The total web traffic on the Local Area Network is 1.5 Mbit/s

RTT to "origin servers": $RTT = 0.88$ seconds

LAN Delay = 0.002

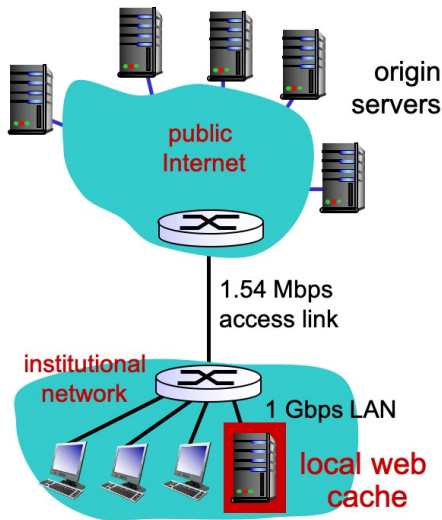
Cache hit rate: $H = 0.8$

please compute the average delay on the client browser

Answer: ✓

The correct answer is: 0.178000

The figure below represents the network topology for the company XYZ Ltd.



The network parameters are the following:

Average Web-object size: x kbit
N. of Web requests at same time: λ req/s
Total Local Area Network Traffic 1,5Mbit/s
RTT to any of the "origin server": $RTT=0.51$
Cache hit rate: $H=0.7$

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Compute the Link Utilization for the Access Link

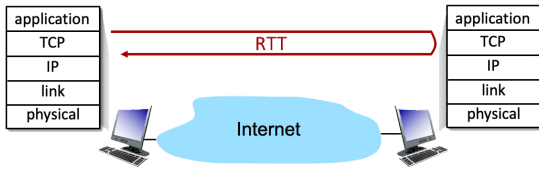
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Answer: x

The correct answer is: 0.29221



Let's consider the scenario in the figure below



a TCP connection at time T_0 has the following parameters:

$estimatedRTT = 2.7$

$DevRTT = 3.4$

$\alpha = 0.125; \beta = 0.25; G = 0$

the next 3 packets received have the following measured RTTs : $rttpk1=2.5$; $rttpk2=9.3$; $rttpk3=4.2$ respectively.

Compute:

1. **DevRTT** after receiving the first packet with $rttpk1=2.5$

Answer: ✓

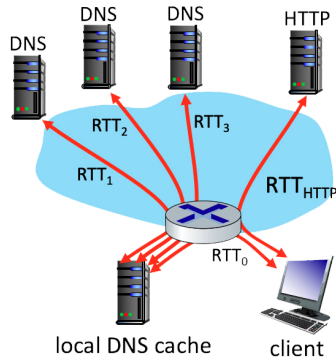
The correct answer is: 2.60

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Consider the following topology:



a Web user, performs a mouse click to fetch a web object:

the IP address associated with the requested URL is NOT stored in the local-host cache

The necessary DNS query goes through 4 DNS Servers;

the **first** DNS is contacted by the host is the "local DNS Cache" with $RTT = 5.2$ milliseconds; ~~ms~~;

the **second, third, and forth** DNS have $RTT_1 = 5.5$; $RTT_2 = 4.9$ $RTT_3 = 2.3$ milliseconds respectively;

The **RTT** between the host and the web server is $RTT_e = 9.3$ milliseconds;

the URL refers to a very small object and assume the object transmission time as negligible

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the time that elapses between the user click and the object rendering in the client browser assuming the transmission and rendering delays are negligible.

Answer: ✖

The correct answer is: 36



Consider a Stop and Wait Protocol. Compute the link utilization using the following parameters:

Packet Length in Bits $L=8000$

Link Rate $R=1000000000$

Round Trip Time $RTT=0.5988$

Answer: ✓

The correct answer is: $1.3359875e-5$

Question 6

Correct

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Performances in a Stop-and-wait protocol are a function of the following parameters:

1/ Packet Length L bits

2/ Transmission Rate R bit/s

3/ Round Trip Time RTT seconds.

Considering the following values:

$L=1491$

$R=4$

$RTT=\{rtt\}$

Compute the transmission delay

Answer: ✓

The correct answer is: 373

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Compute the average throughput of the following TCP Connection:

Average TCP Window in bytes $W=62$

RTT=0.78 seconds

Use the formula for average TCP throughput described in the book.

Answer: ✖

The correct answer is: 59.62

Question 8

Incorrect

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TCP Implements:

- ☐ a. Distance Vector Forwarding
- ☐ b. A congestion control always exponential
- ☒ c. A link state based congestion control forwarding
- ☐ d. None of the Answers is Correct.

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The correct answer is: None of the Answers is Correct.

**The Slow Start algorithm in TCP:**

Select one:

- ☐ a. Limits the TCP flip-flop effect
- ☐ b. Finds the minimum geometric distance between two congestion algorithms
- ☒ c. Defines formally way the optimal congestion cost given the network parameters ✖
- ☐ d. None of the answers is correct.
- ☐ e. Probes the initial available bandwidth for a TCP connection through an exponential growth of the window.

The correct answer is: Probes the initial available bandwidth for a TCP connection through an exponential growth of the window.

Question 10

Incorrect

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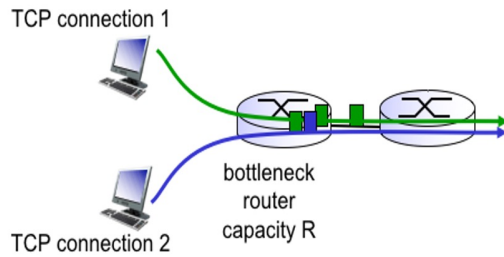
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TCP Reno implements:

Select one:

- ☒ a. A linear slow start algorithm ✖
- ☐ b. An exponential congestion control algorithm
- ☐ c. A hierarchical data forwarding algorithm
- ☐ d. An Additive Increase Multiplicative decrease Congestion Control algorithm
- ☐ e. None of the presented answers is correct

The correct answer is: An Additive Increase Multiplicative decrease Congestion Control algorithm



A TCP connection is considered Fair if:

Select one:

- ☐ a. None of the presented answers is correct.
- ☐ b. Computes a RTT estimation based only on the sending side.
- ☐ c. Computes the distance between the fast-retransmit window and the minimum window.
- ☒ d. Computes the congestion window based on the RTT.

The correct answer is: None of the presented answers is correct.

Question 12

Correct

1.00 points out of 1.00

The UDP protocol: (check the most appropriate):

Select one:

- ☐ a. provides a reliable transport service
- ☐ b. is connection oriented
- ☐ c. none of the presented answers is correct.
- ☐ d. is not used to transport data
- ☒ e. is connectionless

The correct answer is: is connectionless



A client HTTP requests a web page to a server using HTTP. The web page consists in:

1 base html file + 10 additional objects.

Each object is $L=200$ [kbit] long. The link between the client and the server is bi-directional with a Rate $C=100$ [kbit/s].

The TCP control messages and the GET request are $m=100$ [bit] long. The propagation delay is $\tau = 100$ [ms].

Compute the time needed for the client to fetch the web page and the 10 linked objects assuming that the client is operating in NON persistent mode

Select one:

- ☐ a. 12.215 [s]
- ☐ b. 27 [s]
- ☐ c. 26.433 [s]
- ☒ d. 27.534 [s]
- ☐ e. None of the presented answers is correct.



The correct answer is: 26.433 [s]

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Question 14

Correct

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The TCP transport protocol is:

Select one:

- ☐ a. window-less
- ☒ b. Connection Oriented
- ☐ c. Connection-Less
- ☐ d. None of the presented answers is correct.
- ☐ e. Provides an unreliable service



The correct answer is: Connection Oriented



TCP connection is established :

Select one:

- ☐ a. using a best effort protocol
- ☐ b. none of the presented answers is correct
- ☒ c. using a three way handshake protocol
- ☐ d. by a forced connection
- ☐ e. using a dual backup connection protocol



The correct answer is: using a three way handshake protocol

Question 16

Correct

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UDP is used mainly in the following case:

Select one:

- ☐ a. Files and Executables
- ☒ b. VoIP and Streaming
- ☐ c. None of the presented answers is correct
- ☐ d. email
- ☐ e. VID (Very Important Data)



The correct answer is: VoIP and Streaming

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What application protocol is used to transfer web-pages?

Select one:

- ☐ a. SSH
- ☒ b. http
- ☐ c. DNS
- ☐ d. None of the presented answers is correct
- ☐ e. telnet



The correct answer is: http

Question 18

Correct

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What is the protocol used for sending e-mails?

Select one:

- ☐ a. None of the presented answers is correct
- ☐ b. DHCP
- ☐ c. POP3
- ☒ d. SMTP
- ☐ e. Telnet



The correct answer is: SMTP

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Correct

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Which protocol is used to secure the connection and encrypt the data in HTTPS?

Select one:

- ☐ a. None of the presented answers is correct
- ☒ b. SSL
- ☐ c. STP
- ☐ d. DHCP
- ☐ e. SSH



The correct answer is: SSL

Question 20

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UDP Header is:

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Select one:

- ☒ a. 8 bytes long
- ☐ b. 64 bytes long
- ☐ c. None of the presented answers is correct
- ☐ d. 32 bytes long
- ☐ e. 16 bytes Long

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The correct answer is: 8 bytes long



A communication can be defined reliable if:

Select one:

- ☐ a. Errors must be corrected
- ☐ b. noise must be compensated
- ☐ c. Errors must be detected
- ☒ d. ALL of the presented statements must be true at the same time



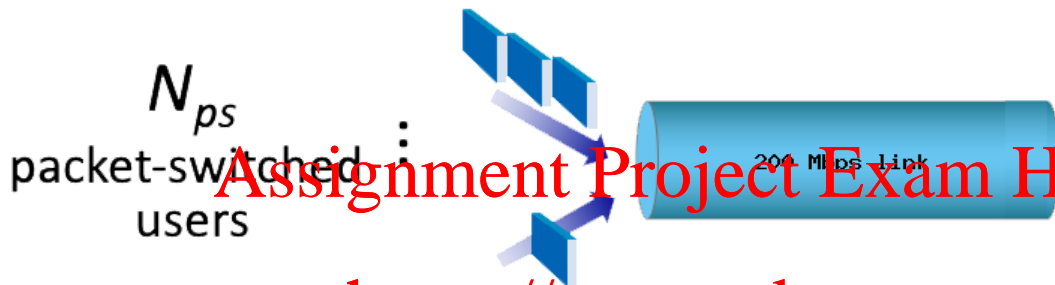
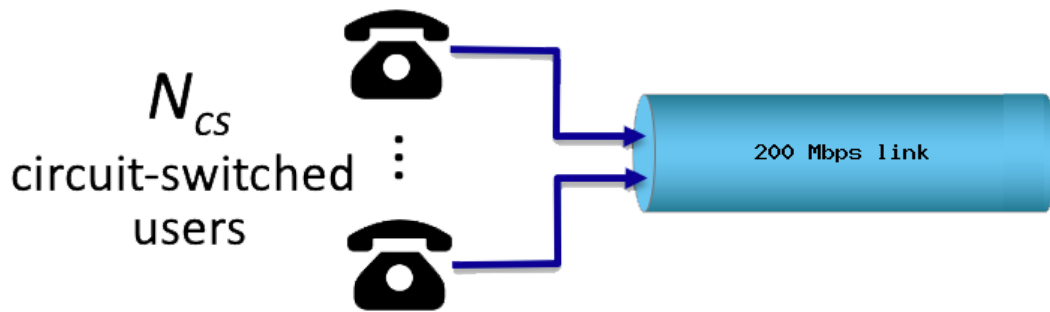
The correct answer is: ALL of the presented statements must be true at the same time

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Consider the two scenarios below (Circuit Switching e Packet Switching)



The link capacity R is 200Mbps

In the "Circuit Switching" scenario each user requires 20Mbps

in the "Packet Switching" scenario a user uses 20Mbps and transmits 20% of the time

Compute the Maximum number of contemporary users in the Circuit Switching scenario

Select one:

- ☒ a. 10
- ☐ b. 15
- ☐ c. 20
- ☐ d. 8

The correct answer is: 10



Assuming TCP segments of 1500 bytes. How many segments are necessary to achieve full utilization of a link with:

Capacity = 10Gbit/s

RTT= 100ms

recall the link utilization formula.

Answer: 8334



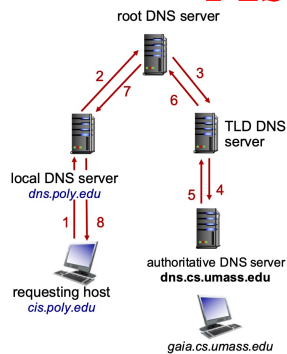
The correct answer is: 83333

Question 24

Correct

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What type of DNS query is depicted by the figure below



Answer: recursive



The correct answer is: recursive

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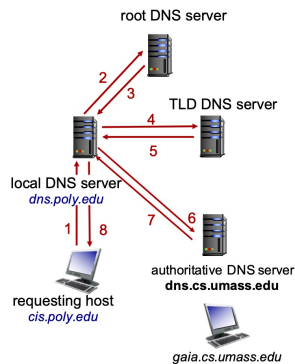
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What type of DNS query is in the Figure?



Answer: iterative



The correct answer is: iterative

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Question 26

Correct

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In slow start: TCP doubles the congestion window at every R.T.T.

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Select one:

☒ True ✓☐ False

The correct answer is 'True'.

Question 27

Correct

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Internet is built on ISP connected in a hierarchically

Select one:

☒ True ✓☐ False

The correct answer is 'True'.

Correct

1.00 points out of 1.00

The DNS protocol is used to send and receive e-mail but only from a smartphone

Select one:

- ☐ True
- ☒ False ✓

The correct answer is 'False'.

Question 29

Correct

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TCP control algorithms are known as AIMD because they use AI to decide the congestion window size

Select one:

- ☐ True
- ☒ False ✓

The correct answer is 'False'.

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Question 30

Incorrect

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When TCP reaches the "slow start threshold" the protocol switches from the slow-start to "congestion-avoidance". The congestion window behavior goes from exponential to logarithmic.

Select one:

- ☒ True ✗
- ☐ False

The correct answer is 'False'.



Flow control algorithms in in UDP are known as BBR (best basic rate) as they perform the best flow-control.

Select one:

- ☐ True
- ☒ False ✓

The correct answer is 'False'.

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