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Ans 3,

Given link capacity = 1 Mbps.

1) TDMA  $\rightarrow$  0.1 second each slot.

2) "Taking turns" : adds a latency of 0.05 second before taking the turn.

a) A, B and C transmit 40 KB file for every one second.

Ans  $\Rightarrow$

TDMA (Time Division Multiple Access) is used because,

Each of the user generates a load of  
 $40 \text{ KB/sec} = 0.32 \text{ megabits/sec},$

which can be fully transmitted given the share of 0.33 megabits/sec available per user when partitioning the channel with TDMA.

Taking turns on the other hand, does not offer enough capacity for all the files to be transmitted.

$$3 * 0.32 + 3 * 0.05 = 1.11 \text{ sec} > 1 \text{ sec},$$

this will create extra overhead.

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(b). A transmits 80KB file for every one second, which B and C transmit 10KB file for every one seconds

Ans: option second "taking turns" because

using TDMA A cannot transmit 80KB, as  $80 \text{ KB/s} = 0.640 \text{ Megabits/sec} > 0.33 \text{ Megabits/sec}$ .

Other reason is that using TDMA, B & C waste 3 out of 4 slots.

By using turns and adding latency of 0.05 sec before taking turn.

have enough capacity to transmit all data

time taken

$$= 0.64 + 0.05 + 0.08 + 0.05 + 0.08 + 0.05$$

latency

$$= 0.95 \text{ sec}$$

$$10 \text{ KB/sec} = 0.08 \text{ Megabits/sec}$$