Question 1.1

Because the tcp2 has 100 ms delay from n0 to n5 and tcp1 only has 60 ms delay from n3 to n5. Tcp2 take longer time to reach so it takes a larger bandwidth.

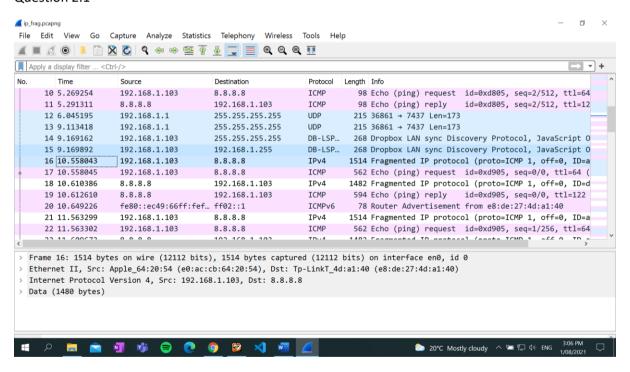
Question 1.2

Because it is in slow start phase. The windows size increases exponentially.

Question 1.3

Between 0.5-2 seconds, the tcp1 is in the slow start phase. Then after 2 seconds, the tcp1 share the bandwidth with tcp2, so it can not have higher bandwidth.

Question 2.1



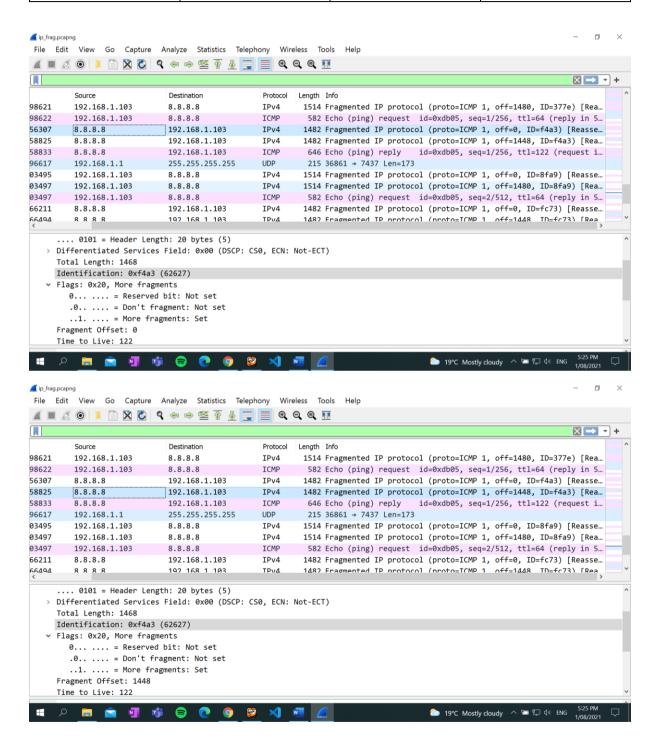
The data size 2000 and 3500 bytes. Because the maximum transmission unit is 1500 bytes. 2 segments have been created.

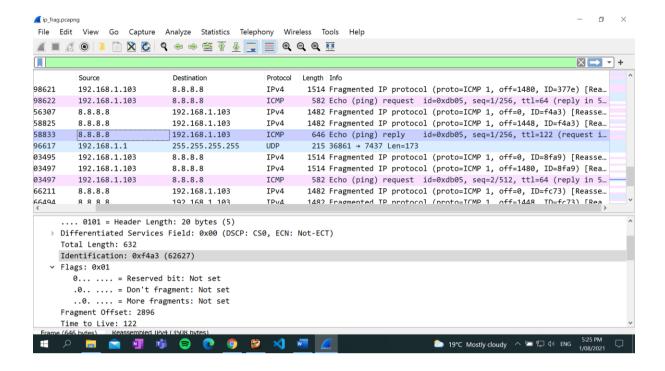
Question 2.2

Yes, it does. Because the maximum transmission unit is 1500 bytes.

Question 2.3

ID	Flag	Length	Offset
0xf4a3	0x20, more arguments	1468	0
0xf4a3	0x20, more arguments	1468	1448
0xf4a3	0x01	632	2896





Question 2.4

For the incoming traffic of it, no fragmentation of fragments occurred. For the outcoming traffic of it, we do not know because we only need to fragment it to our maximum transmission unit.

Question 2.5

Because we are not tracking the fragments, the entire packet will be discarded and the sender have to retransmit it again.

Question 3.1

For route 1:

n0 communicates with other nodes. The route it flows is n0->n1->n4->n5. It does not change.

For route 2:

n2 communicates with other nodes. The route it flows is n2->n3->n5. It does not change.

Question 3.2

At time 1.0, the orientation of link n1->n4 is set to down. Route 1 can not reach n5 and the packets from it are waiting at n1. Route 2 can still reach n5. The routes do not change.

At time 1.2, the orientation of link n1->n4 is set to up. both route 1 and route 2 can reach n5. The routes do not change.

Question 3.3

Yes, I noticed additionally traffic. At time 1.0, the link between n1 to n4 is set to down. route 1 uses the new route n0->n1->n2->n3->n5. At time 1.2, the link between n1 to n4 is set to up. Route 1 changes back to its original route.

Question 3.4

Route 1 uses the new route n0-n1-n2-n3-n5. It is because the cost of route n0-n1-n4-n5 was 3, but its cost increases to 5 after we set the cost of link n1-n4 to 3. The cost of the new route n0-n1-n2-n3-n5 is 4 and it is less than the original route, with distance-vector routing protocol, route 1 uses the new route instead.

Question 3.5

Before change:

n0->n1->n4->n5 has a cost of 5

n2->n1->n4->n5 has a cost of 5

n2->n3->n5 has a cost of 2

Route 1 will use n0->n1->n2->n3->n5, route 2 will use n2->n3->n5.

After comment:

n0->n1->n4->n5 has a cost of 4

n2->n1->n4->n5 has a cost of 4

n2->n3->n5 has a cost of 4

Route 1 will use n0->n1->n2->n3->n5, route 2 will split equally between n2->n1->n4->n5 and n2->n3->n5. The uncommented lines change the cost of links and route 2 will split the data between n2->n1->n4->n5 and n2->n3->n5.