CS2105

- 1. Compute the CRC for the bits 10101010 using the generator G = 1001. (Answer: 101)
- 2. (Modified from KR, Chapter 5, P7) In this problem, we explore some of the properties of CRC. For the generator G = 1001,
  - (a) why can it detect any single bit error in data D?
  - (b) can the above G detect any odd number of bit errors? why? (Hint: any number with odd number of ones cannot be divisible by 11).
- 3. Nodes A and B are accessing the same shared medium using CSMA/CD, with a proagation delay of 245 bit times between them. The minimum frame size is 64 bytes. Suppose node A begins transmitting a frame and, before it finishes, node B begins transmitting a frame.
  - (a) What is the minimum possible time taken by A to finish transmission?
  - (b) When is the latest time, by which B can begin its transmission?
  - (c) Can A finish transmitting before it detects that B has transmitted?

Express all your answers above in the unit of bit time.

4. (KR, Chapter 5, P19) Suppose nodes A and B are on the same 10 Mbps Ethernet segment, and the propagation delay between two nodes is 245 bit times. Suppose A and B send frames at the same time, the frames collide, and then A and B choose different values of K in the CSMA/CD algorithm. Assuming no other nodes are active, can the retransmission from A and B collide?

Work out the following example. Suppose A and B begin transmission at t = 0 bit times. They both detect collisions at t = 245 bit times. Suppose  $K_A = 0$  and  $K_B = 1$ . At what time does B schedule its retransmission? At what time does A begin transmission? (Note that a node must wait for an idle channel after returning to Step 2 – see protocol.) At what time does A's signal reach B? Does B refrain from transmitting at its scheduled time?