

ITS413 – Quiz 6

Name: _____

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Question 1 [6 marks]

True or false:

- a) If the availability of a torrent is 0.90 then 90% of the peers in the swarm have a complete copy of the torrent. TRUE FALSE
- b) An indexer will normally implement a web server, and maintains a list of peers downloading and uploading a torrent. TRUE FALSE
- c) A .torrent file will contain the address of the tracker as well as information about the file(s) in the torrent. TRUE FALSE
- A peer that has downloaded 200 pieces of a 300 piece torrent is considered a *leech*. TRUE FALSE
- d) A client peer sends a Request message to request a *piece* of a torrent from a remote peer. TRUE FALSE
- e) If peer X is choked by peer Y, then peer Y cannot download any blocks from peer X. TRUE FALSE

Question 2 [2 marks]

- a) Explain an advantage of a Peer-to-Peer system [1 mark]
- b) Explain a disadvantage of a Peer-to-Peer system. [1 mark]