

**Comments** Comments and Common Mistakes:

## Question 1:

Students largely did well in this question.

## Question 2:

For (a), some students are not able to provide a correct fix to the problem identified.

For (b), some students muddle up the two standard, IEEE802.11i and IEEE802.1x.

## Question 3:

Students largely did well in this question.

## Question 4:

Your answer should be given in the context of the scenario given in the question and for 4(c), common mistakes include:

the design is not an extension of the given protocol; the design does not support the delivery of e-goods; e-goods or other important protocol messages are not properly protected; e-goods not verified before payment authorisation is given; fair trade is not achieved; other flaws in the design.

## Some useful statistics:

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In total, 59 students sit in the exam.

Question 1: taken by 59 students, and the average mark is 70%;

Question 2: taken by 22 students, and the average mark is 52%;

Question 3: taken by 51 students, and the average mark is 79%;

Question 4: taken by 44 students, and the average mark is 49%;

The overall average mark = 62.5%.

8 (out of 59) failed to achieve the 50% passing mark.

39 (out of 59) students get results  $\geq 60\%$ .

28 (out of 59) students get results  $\geq 70\%$ .

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