

ECDL Module 1 Handout 6

1. What makes up a computer network?
2. Explain the difference between LAN and WLAN.



3. Mention two advantages of having networked computers.
4. Give an example of a client/server situation.
5. Define the Internet.
6. Mention three services offered by the Internet.
7. What is the need of search engines?



8. Apart from Google, give two other examples of search engines.
9. Give an example of uploading data and another example of downloading data.
10. Which unit is used to measure data transfer rate?
11. What does the data transfer rate affect?
12. Mention two differences between dial-up and broadband.

13. State what PSTN and ADSL stand for.



14. Apart from a phone line, mention three other communication methods which allow computers to connect to the Internet.

15. Why is a modem required to connect to the Internet?
