Reading list for the midterm exam of CMSC 621, Spring 2021.
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From our textbook Distributed Systems: Principles and Paradigms (3rd Edition) by Andrew S. Tanenbaum and Maarten Van Steen:

- Chapter 1
- Chapter 2 (except for section 2.4)
- Chapter 3 (except 3.3, 3.4 past the “object servers” on pg 133)
- Chapter 4 (except DCE RPC pgs 188-193).
- Chapter 5 (except LDAP -285-288)
- Chapter 6.1

From papers and handouts posted on the class website’s notes:

- Epidemic Algorithms for Replicated Database Maintenance by Demers et al.
- CHORD: A scalable peer-to-peer lookup protocol for Internet Applications by Stoica et al. [excluding section V.]