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Summary Lecture

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TCP/IP model

Physical

Developed by DARPA, 1970~



A bottom-up approach

- Principles of digital communications
 - From electrical signals to bits to packets
- Using the physical infrastructure
 - Network access
- Finding your way
 - Addressing, routing
- Making use of it all
 Applications



Layer concept



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Analog vs Digital

- Analog \rightarrow continuous
- Digital \rightarrow discrete



Digitalization of analog signals

- Performed in three steps:
- 1. Sampling
 - Discretization in time
- 2. Quantization
 - Discretization in amplitude
- 3. Encoding
 - Binary representation of amplitude levels

Sampling

 The process of discretizing the time of a continuous function.



Nyquist Sampling Theorem

• If s(t) is a band limited signal with highest frequency component F_{max} , then s(t) is uniquely determined by the samples $s_n = s(nT)$ if and only if

$$F_s = \frac{1}{T} \ge 2F_{\max}$$

• The signal can be reconstructed with

$$s(t) = \sum_{n} s_{n} \sin c \left(\frac{t - nT}{T} \right)$$

• F_{max} is the Nyquist frequency and F_s the Nyquist rate

How sampling rate affects the result



a. Nyquist rate sampling: $f_s = 2 f$



b. Oversampling: f_s = 4 f



Quantization



Encoding

• Representation of quantized samples in bits



Digital signal transmission

Signals coded by changes in voltage amplitude



Non-Return-to-Zero (NRZ-L)

- 0 = high voltage amplitude
- 1 = low voltage amplitude



- Twice as bandwith-efficient than RZ
- Synchronisation problem

Manchester Coding

• Combines NRZ with a clock pulse



Differential Manchester

- 0 = Inversion at the beginning of the bit
- 1 = No inversion at the beginning of the bit



Transmission impairment

- When a signal travels on a link, it deteriorates due to transmission impairment.
 - Attenuation
 - Distortion
 - Noise
- Digital: repeaters vs. Analog: amplifiers

Average signal power Average noise power

Attenuation

• Loss of energy



Distortion

• Change in signal shape due to differences in propagation delay



Noise

• Corruption due to e.g. thermal noise (a.k.a. white noise) or crosstalk



Digital transmission

- Preferred method today
 - Data mostly digital
 - Repeaters better than amplifiers
 - Digital multiplexing easier than analog
 - Security implementations easier

Data flow concepts



Multiplexing

- Why?
 - Two computers transmitting data on a link cannot do this simultaneously on the same frequencies with the same coding scheme.



Multiplexing of links

- Physical links need to be shared.
- They are divided into several channels.



Space-Division Multiplexing (SDM)

- Used in fibre-optic cables
- Each channel uses one optical fibre.



Frequency-Division Multiplexing (FDM)

- Analog multiplexing technique
- Physical link divided into frequency bands
- Each channel uses a unique carrier frequency.



Wavelength-Division Multiplexing (WDM)

- Analog multiplexing technique
- Combines optical signals



Time-Division Multiplexing (TDM)

- Digital multiplexing technique
- Each channel occupies a time slot on the link.





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Underlying LAN or WAN technology

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Data Link Layer

- Medium Access Control
 - Access to network
- Logical Link Control
 - Node-to-node error and flow control

Link layer protocols

Link layer protocols

- Error detection
 - All errors must be detected
- Error correction
 - Receiver must get correct data
- Flow control
 - Receiver must not be overloaded

Framing

- Physical layer \rightarrow bitstream
- Link layer \rightarrow frames
- We need logical transmission units
 - Synchronisation points
 - Switching between users
 - Error handling

Data from upper layer

Variable number of bits

01111110	Header	01111010110 ••• 11011110	Trailer	01111110
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Error control

- Data assumed error-free by higher layers
 - Errors occur at lower layers (physical)
 - Job for LLC layer
- Extra (redundant) bits added to data
 - Generated by an encoding scheme from data



Error types



Error detection process


Error detection schemes

- Simple parity-check code
- Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC)
- Checksum

Simple Parity-Check Code

- Extra bit added to make the total number of 1s in the codeword
 - Even \rightarrow even parity
 - $\text{Odd} \rightarrow \text{odd parity}$

dataword

codeword



- Problem?
 - Can detect an odd number of errors

Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC)

• Predefined shared *divisor* to calculate codeword



CRC: Polynomial representation

- The dataword of k bits is represented by a polynomial, d(x).
- The degree of the polynomial is *k*-1.





a. Binary pattern and polynomial

CRC: The principle

- Objective: Send a dataword *d(x)* of k bits represented by a polynomial of degree *k*-1.
- **Given**: Generator polynomial *g(x)* of degree *m*.
- Find: Remainder polynomial *r(x)* such that:
 c(x) = d(x) · x^m + r(x)

can be divided by g(x) without remainder.

- Codeword *c(x)* will then be sent to the receiver.
- r(x) has degree m-1 or less, and CRC has m bits.

CRC: How it works

- Sender:
 - 1. Generate $b(x) = d(x) \cdot x^m$
 - 2. Divide b(x) by g(x) to find r(x)
 - 3. Send c(x) = b(x) + r(x)
- Receiver:
 - 1. Divide c'(x) = c(x) + e(x) by g(x)
 - 2. Check remainder r'(x) \rightarrow if 0 data correct, c(x) = c'(x)
 - 3. Remove CRC bits from codeword to get dataword

Example: CRC derivation

• For dataword **1001**, derive CRC using generator **1011**.

- Data polynomial:
- Generator polynomial:
- Dividend:
- Codeword polynomial:
- CRC polynomial:

 $d(x) = x^{3}+1$ $g(x) = x^{3}+x+1$ $b(x) = d(x) \cdot x^{3} = x^{6}+x^{3}$ $c(x) = d(x) \cdot x^{3} + r(x)$ r(x) = ?

Example: CRC derivation



Checksum

 The checksum is used in the Internet by several protocols although not at the data link layer.

• The main principle is to divide the data into segments of n bits. Then add the segments and use the sum as redundant bits.

Checksum process



Example: Checksum



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Error and flow control

 The basic principle in error and flow control is that the receiver acknowledges all correctly received packets.



The need for flow control

 The receiver must be able to handle all recieved frames. If the transmission rate is too high, the receiver may become overloaded and drop frames due to full buffers.



Stop-and-wait ARQ

- Send and wait
 - Keep time
 - Wait for ACK
 - Retransmit
- Automatic repeat request
 - Frames (SEQ++)
 - Acknowledgements (SEQ+1)
 - Mismatch = problem!

Stop-and-wait ARQ flow diagram



Stop-and-wait ARQ inefficiency

- Too much waiting
- Solution
 - Keep the pipe full
 - But not too full



- Size matters
- Window size < 2^m



Sliding window



a. Send window before sliding



b. Send window after sliding

Go-back-N ARQ flow diagram



Go-back-N ARQ window size



a. Window size < 2^m

b. Window size = 2^m

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Concept of shared medium



- Not for wired media any longer
- Wireless LAN (WLAN) share wireless medium.



Data transfer on a shared medium



The computer with the right destination address copies the packet and delivers it to the application.

Medium Access Control (MAC)

• Set of rules for sending (and receiving) data in a multiple access network



Controlled access protocols

- Stations consult one another to find which station has the right to send.
- A station cannot send unless it has been authorized by other stations.

• Used in different parts of the mobile networks.

Random access protocols

- No station superior to another
- No station in control of another

• A station with data to send uses a procedure to decide whether or not to send

Random access: ALOHA

- Multiple-access method of ALOHANET
 - One of the first WLAN in the world
 - Devloped by the University of Hawaii (1970)





Pure ALOHA

- Stations share one frequency band
- Mainframe sends data on another frequency (broadcast channel)
- A station sends a frame whenever it has a frame to send.
- If the station receives an ACK from the mainframe on the broadcast channel, the transmission is successful.
- If not, the frame needs to be retransmitted.

Pure ALOHA: Frames



Pure ALOHA: Collisions



Slotted ALOHA

- Time divided into slots
- Each slot contains one frame in time
- A station can only send at the beginning of a slot.

Slotted ALOHA: Frames



Slotted ALOHA: Colllisions



Carrier Sense Multiple Access (CSMA)

- Listen to (sense) medium before sending
- If medium occupied (busy), wait
 - 1-persistent
 - Non-persistent
 - P-persistent

Persistence methods



a. 1-persistent



b. Nonpersistent



Keep sensing and send as soon as channel idle

Wait random, sense again, send if idle

Transmit with probability p, sense with 1-p, wait if busy

c. p-persistent

CSMA: Vulnerable time





• Collisions?

CSMA with Collision Detection (CSMA/CD)

- CSMA has no collision procedure
- CSMA/CD developed to handle collisions


CSMA/CD: Collision detection

- Monitors medium after sending a frame
- Abort transmission and send a jamming signal if collision detected



CSMA/CD: Minimum frame size

- Sending station must be able to detect a collision *before* transmitting the frame's last bit
- Frame transmission time must be at least two times maximum propagation time
- Colliding signal can propagate to sending station before the last bit is transmitted.

Ethernet frame structure



Ethernet MAC address

06:01:02:01:2C:4B

6 bytes = 12 hex digits = 48 bits

• ipconfig /all

Network addresses

- In a network, all stations need an address so that the data can reach the right destination.
- All computers connected to a standard LAN have a unique physical address.

Evolution of Ethernet

• Collision domains





a. Without bridging



Switched Ethernet



Full-duplex switched Ethernet





Wireless LAN

- Popularity of Internet **↑**
- Popularity of mobility $m{\uparrow}$



- Basically: A change in medium
- Media access technology becomes important

Hidden terminal problem

- Infamous in wireless networks
- Prevents collision detection



CSMA with Collision Avoidance (CSMA/CA)



Interframe space

- Do not send immediately when medium idle
- Wait a period of time (interframe space, IFS)
 - A distant station may have already started transmitting
- If, after IFS time, channel still idle, send



Contention window

- Amount of time divided into slots
- Pick a random number of slots as waiting time
- During waiting time, if channel becomes busy, defer transmission and restart timer when channel idle again



RTS/CTS/ACK

• Solution to hidden terminal problem



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Host-to-host delivery

• Multiple applications even on the same host



Network layer

L3



Network layer: Routing



Routing

- Choosing the optimal path
 - Using a cost metric
- Sharing information
 - Central
 - Distributed
- Algorithms
 - Rules and procedures
 - Updates



Packet-switched routing

- Choosing the optimal path
 - Using a cost metric



Router

- Internetworking device
 - Passes data packets between networks
 - Checks Network Layer addresses
 - Uses Routing/forwarding tables



Routing algorithm

- Find route with least cost between source and destination.
- Update routing tables



Network layer protocols

- We need a universal address system. This is called the *network address*.
- We need rules for data forwarding. This is called *routing*.
- We need entities connecting several networks together and forwarding data between them. These are called *routers*.

Internet Protocol

IPv4

- Addressing scheme
 - Hierarchy
 - Configuration
 - Lookup
- Datagram format

IPv6

- Larger address space
- Better header format
 - Extendible
 - More secure
- Support for QoS



IPv4 addresses

- 32 bits = 4 bytes
- $2^{32} = (2^8)^4 = 256^4 = 4\ 294\ 967\ 296$
- Classful vs. classless hierarchy
- 1000000 00001011 00000011 00011111 Notations 128.11.3.3 Dotted decimal - Slash (CIDR) byte byte byte byte n Prefix

length

Classful addressing

• Five address classes defined: A, B, C, (D and E)



Classful addressing

• Organizations can only get addresses in one of the predefined blocks.

Class	Number of Blocks	Block Size	Application
А	128	16,777,216	Unicast
В	16,384	65,536	Unicast
С	2,097,152	256	Unicast

Classless addressing





Exercise: Classless addressing

- CIDR = slash notation with mask /n
- 205.16.37.39/28



Problems with IPv4

- Address space too small
- Not designed for real-time applications
- No support for encryption and authentication



IPv6 addresses

- 128 bits = 16 bytes
- $2^{128} = 2^{32} \cdot 2^{96} > 3 \cdot 10^{35}$
- Notations



Global unicast addresses

• Identify individual computers



IPv6 and QoS

Flow label

- Identification of a stream
 - TCP sessions
 - Virtual connections
- Processing
 - Flow label table
 - Forwarding table
- Routing
 - Algorithms still necessary
 - But not run for every packet!

Traffic class

- Classification of packets
 - Queueing schemes
 - Relation to delay
 - TCP vs. UDP
 - Congestion-controlled
 - Non-congestion-controlled
- Other protocols
 - RTP
 - RSVP

CROSS-

LAYER?

Forwarding: Address aggregation



Mask	Network address	Next-hop address	Interface
/26	140.24.7.0		m0
/26	140.24.7.64		m1
/26	140.24.7.128		m2
/26	140.24.7.192		m3
/0	0.0.0.0	Default	m4

Mask	Network address	Next-hop address	Interface
/24	140.24.7.0		m0
/0	0.0.0.0	Default	m1

Routing table for R2

Routing table for R1

Forwarding: Longest mask matching



Routing table for R1

Mask	Network address	Next-hop address	Interface
/26	140.24.7.192		m0
/??	???????	?????????	m1
/0	0.0.0.0	Default	m2

Routing table for R3
Address Resolution Protocol (ARP)

- Mapping of IP addresses to MAC addresses
- Internet
 - Network of networks connected by routers
- Routers/hosts need information
 - Logical (IP) \rightarrow physical (MAC)



ARP request and reply



a. ARP request is broadcast



b. ARP reply is unicast

ARP example



Four use cases for ARP



Case 1. A host has a packet to send to another host on the same network.



Case 2. A host wants to send a packet to another host on another network. It must first be delivered to a router.



Case 3. A router receives a packet to be sent to a host on another network. It must first be delivered to the appropriate router.



Case 4. A router receives a packet to be sent to a host on the same network.

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TCP/IP model and data units CORRECTION



Network vs. Transport Layer



Transport Layer

- Communication between applications
- Process-to-process delivery
- Client/server concept
 - Local host
 - Remote host
- Transport Protocol
 - Even more end-to-end

Transport Layer



Physical communication

Transport protocol

 Encapsulates application data and ensures that it is sent to the correct receiving application to be decapsulated and used



Socket addresses

• Combination of IP address & port number

- Unique for each process on the host



Port number ranges



Addressing the processes

- Port numbers
 - Organised by IANA



IP addresses and port numbers



Logical and port addresses



Addressing in TCP/IP



Transmission Control Protocol (TCP)

- Connection-oriented
 - Sessions
 - Byte stream service
 - Sequence numbers
- Reliable
 - Flow control
 - Error control
 - Retransmissions
 - Congestion control



Connection-oriented service



Connection establishment



Data transfer



Connection termination



Error control

- Reliable transport layer service: TCP
- Unreliable network layer service: IP

Error is checked in these paths by the data link layer
Error is not checked in these paths by the data link layer



Error control in TCP

- Checksum
- Acknowledgement
 - ACK recieved data
- Retransmission
 - After time-out
 - After 3 duplicate ACK

Normal operation



Lost segment



Fast retransmission



Summary and comparison: QoS

Multimedia Performance Requirements

- Sensitive to:
 - Delay
 - Jitter
- Not so sensitive to:
 - Packet loss
 - Corrupted packets

vs. Characteristics of TCP

- Sensitive to:
 - Lost or corrupted packets
- Not so sensitive to:
 - Delay
- No multicasting!

So, what about UDP?

User Datagram Protocol (UDP)

- Connectionless
 - Independent datagrams
 - No sessions
- Unreliable
 - No error control
 - No flow control
- Process-to-process



Connectionless service



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Mapping host name to IP address

- Application protocols use host names
- TCP/IP protocol suite uses IP addresses
- Mapping from host name to IP addresses

• Domain Name System (DNS)



- Domain name space
- Domain name resolution
- <u>www.lth.se</u> \equiv 130.235.209.220

Domain Name System (DNS)

- Internet's telephone book: Address \leftrightarrow name
 - One of the most important systems on the Internet



Domain names and labels



Country domains



Hierarchy of domain name servers

• 13 logical root name servers

- implemented by 376 physic al servers



Domain name resolution

- Action of address mapping
 - Client = resolver
 - Server = DNS
- One server cannot have all the answers!
 - How to ask others?
 - What to do with the answer?
- Caching
 - Remember what you've learned!
Recursive resolution



Iterative resolution





(1)



(2)

(3)





(4)

7. IP = 194.52.54.47

Obtaining an IP address

• Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol

- Application layer

- DHCP
 - IP address
 - Allocation from pool or static
 - Network mask
 - Default gateway
 - DNS server(s)

DHCP operation

Server



DHCP states



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Application layer paradigms

- Client-server paradigm
 - WWW, Online games, Web TV, Facebook
- Peer-to-peer paradigm
 - BitTorrent, Voddler, Skype
- Some applications use both paradigms
 - Spotify

Client/server paradigm

- Most early applications were based on it
 - http
 - ftp
 - e-mail



World Wide Web (WWW)

- Web documents (pages)
 - HyperTextMarkup Language (HTML) for static pages
 - Script languages (PHP, ASP, JSP, CGI etc.) for dynamic
- Universal Resource Locator (URL)
 - Standard way to identify location of web documents
 - protocol://host:port/path
- HyperText Transfer Protocol (HTTP)
 - Protocol to retrieve documents from a web server

Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP)

- Text-based protocol
- Two basic types of messages
 - Requests and Responses
- Sets up and uses a TCP connection



Document retrieval



Cookies

- Original WWW was stateless
 - Each request/response treated separately
 - No history of previous messages
- Cookies
 - store information about client
 - introduce concept of a user session
- Implementation (creation and storage) of cookies can be different, but same concept



File Transfer Protocol (FTP) - 1971

Control connection

- Open for entire session
- Commands & responses
 - ASCII

Data connection

• New one for each file



FTP

TCP session





Legend



Electronic mail (e-mail) - 1971





E-mail: server architecture



Performance challenges

- Client/server archictures
 - Standardized protocols like HTTP
 - Heavy traffic load on network infrastructure
 - Unicast transmission
 - Delays due to overloaded access networks
 - Single point of failure

Peer-to-peer (P2P) paradigm

Centralised

• Directory server



Decentralised

- Overlay network
 - Logical on top of physical
- A) unstructured
 - Nodes linked randomly
 - Queries flood network
- B) structured
 - Nodes linked with rules (DHT)
 - More efficient query resolving
- Initial list of nodes provided

P2P example: BitTorrent

- Group of peers work together to give all peers a copy of shared file.
 - Torrent (metadata about file and tracker)
 - Tracker (server with info on swarm)
 - Swarm (file-sharing group with seeds and leechers)
 - Seed (down-and uploader within swarm)
 - Leecher (downloader within swarm)
- No downloading whole file from one peer

Tracker

• Provides list of peers for given torrent



Note: Peers 2 and 4 are seeds; others are leeches.

Evolution of Internet usage

Traffic volumes generated by users



J. Li, A. Aurelius, V. Nordell, M. Du, Å. Arvidsson, M. Kihl: **A five year perspective of traffic pattern evolution in a residential broadband access network** ²⁰¹⁵ 12-11 Future Network & Mobile Summit 2012

This concludes our lectures. Thank you for your attendance.



Subject Familiarity Survey

Routing algorithms, protocols

Address resolution

Frames, packets, IP addresses

Error detection, flow control

Bridges, switches, routers

Internet protocols

Medium access control

Modulation, coding

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