Network Computing courses

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Course details

Objectives

- How do *computers* communicate?
- What are the mechanisms **under** an HTTP request or a telegram message?
- Networks are all around us, better study them!

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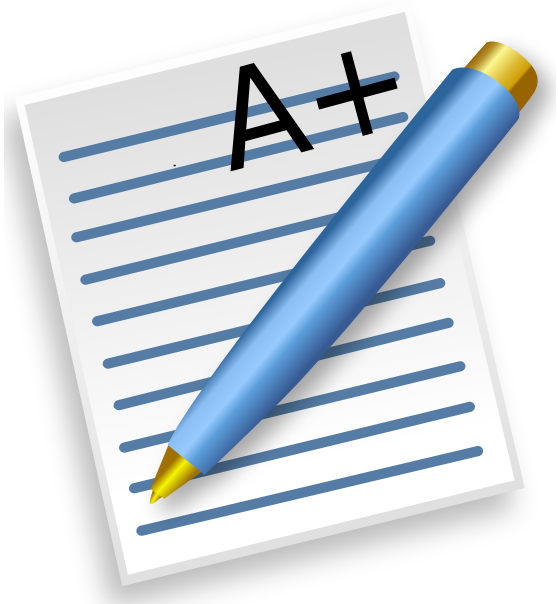

Evaluation

- Short test at the beginning of every lesson (5 min) ?
- Project
- Final exam (1 hour)
- All same weighting

Material

- Slides available at teaching.auzias.net (github too)

Presentation Outline

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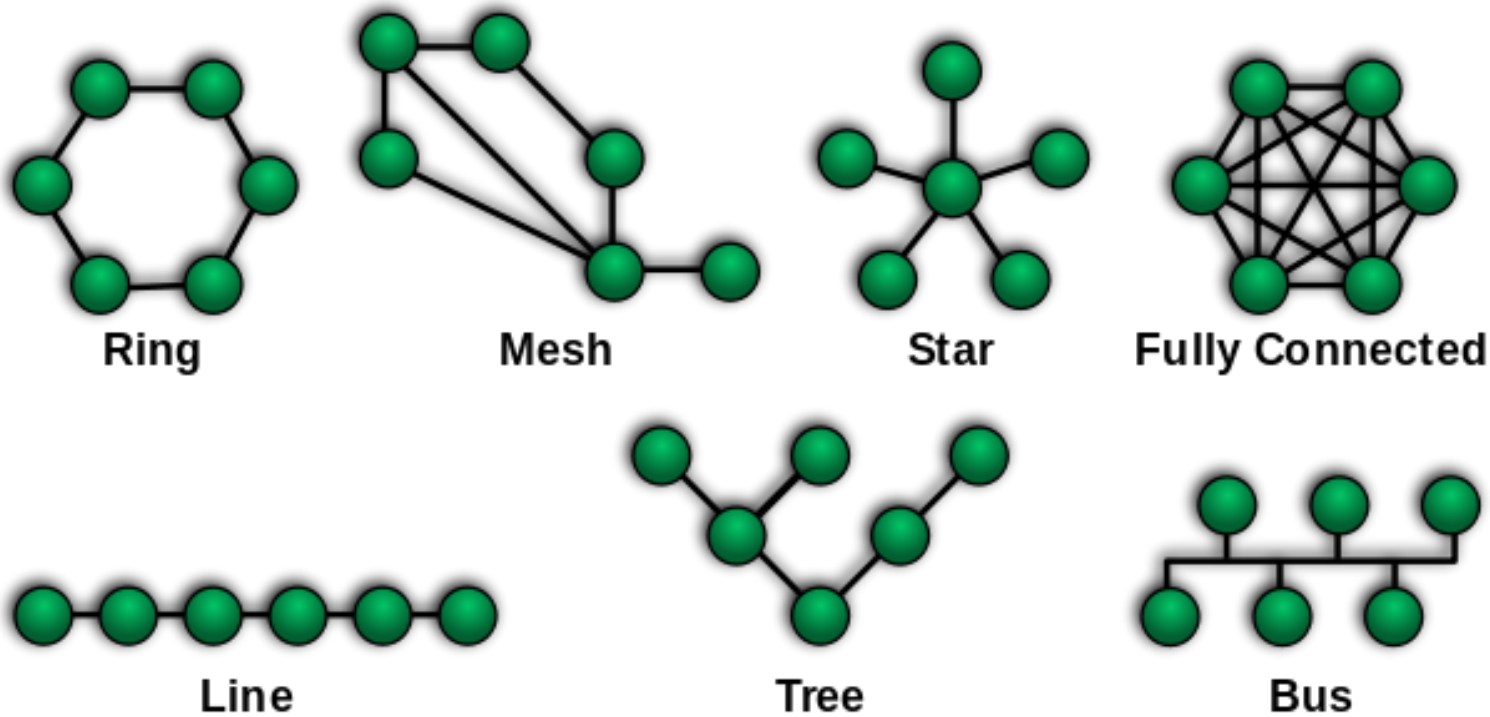

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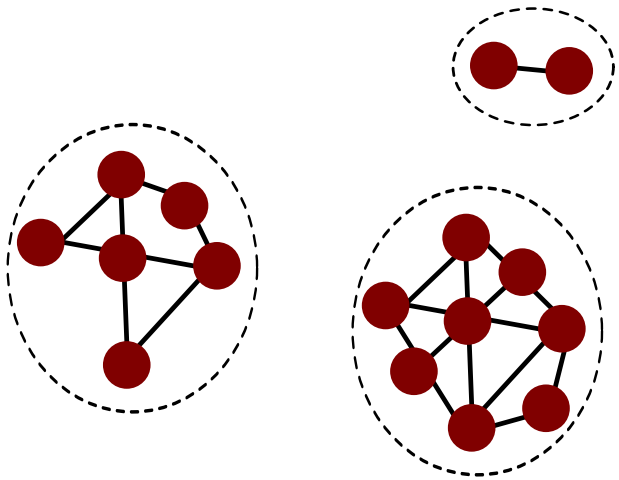

Figure: Disconnected MANET illustration [1]

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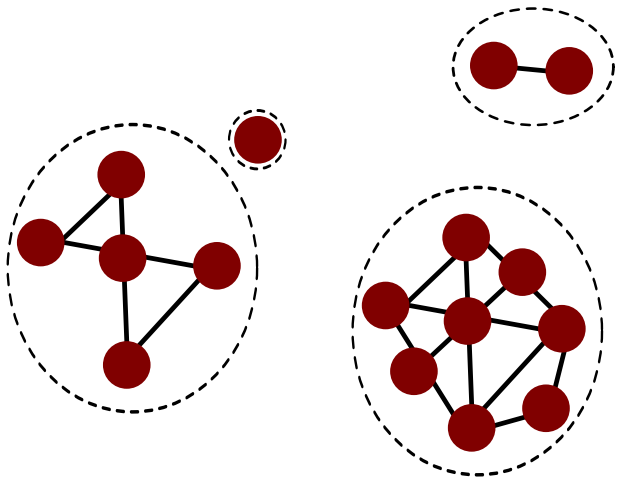

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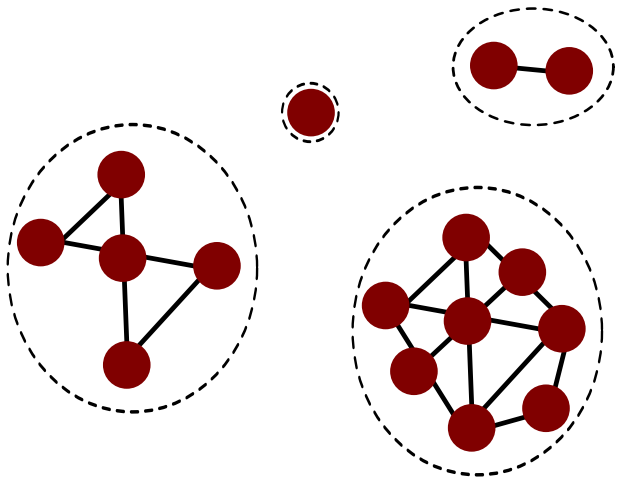

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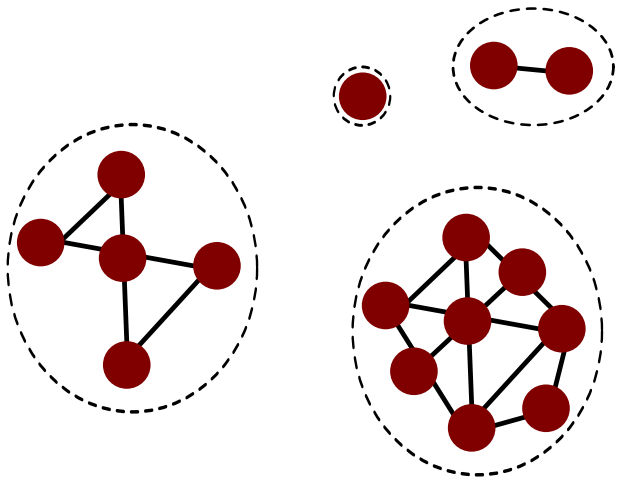

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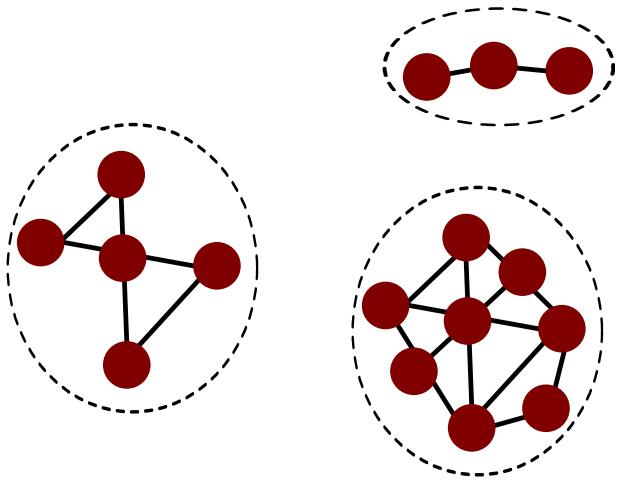

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127.0.0.1	127.0.0.13	HTTP	356	GET /index.html HTTP/1.1
127.0.0.13	127.0.0.1	TCP	66	http > 36159 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=291 Win=44800 Len=0 TSval=122259 TSecr=122
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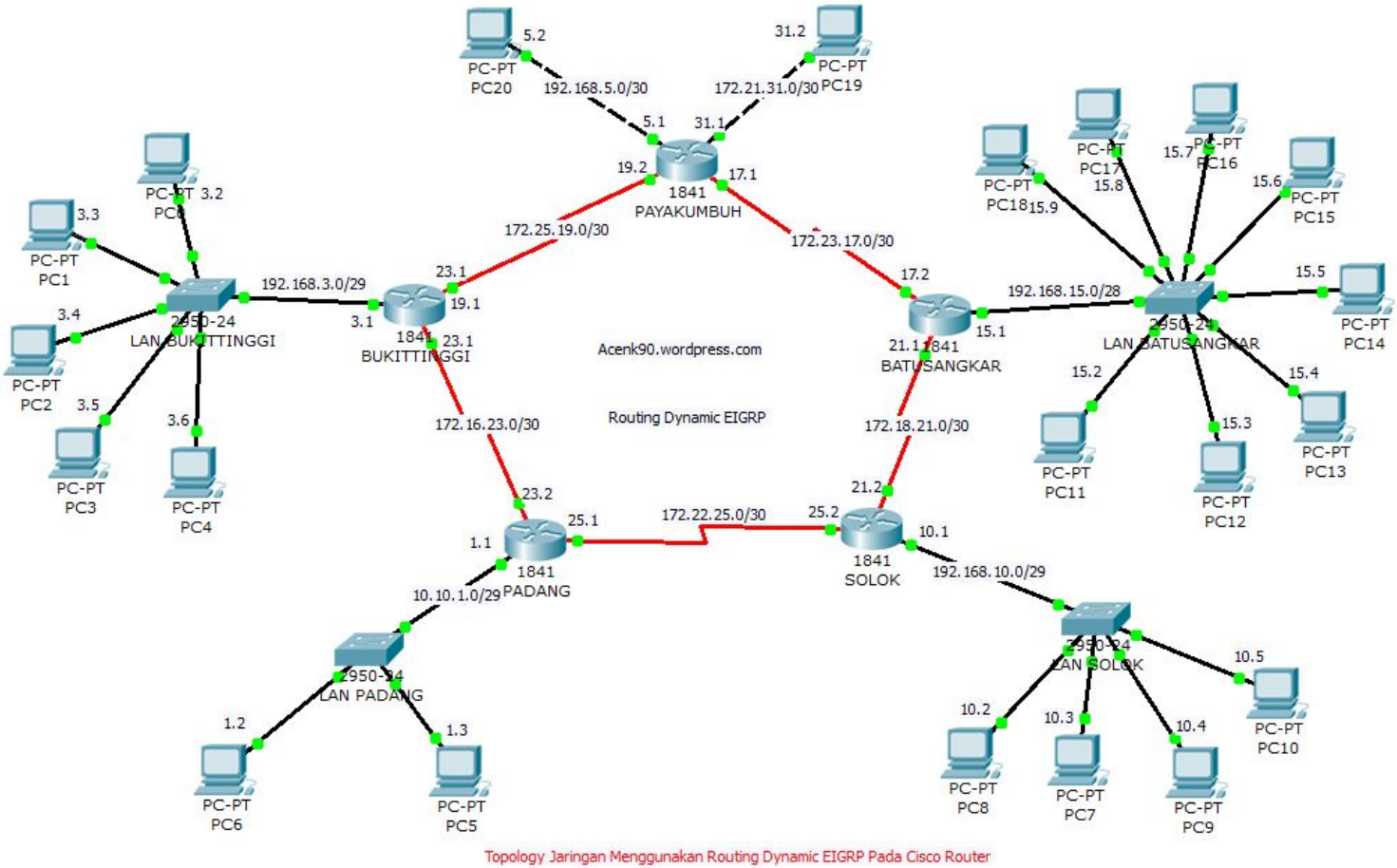
How do messages reach their destination?



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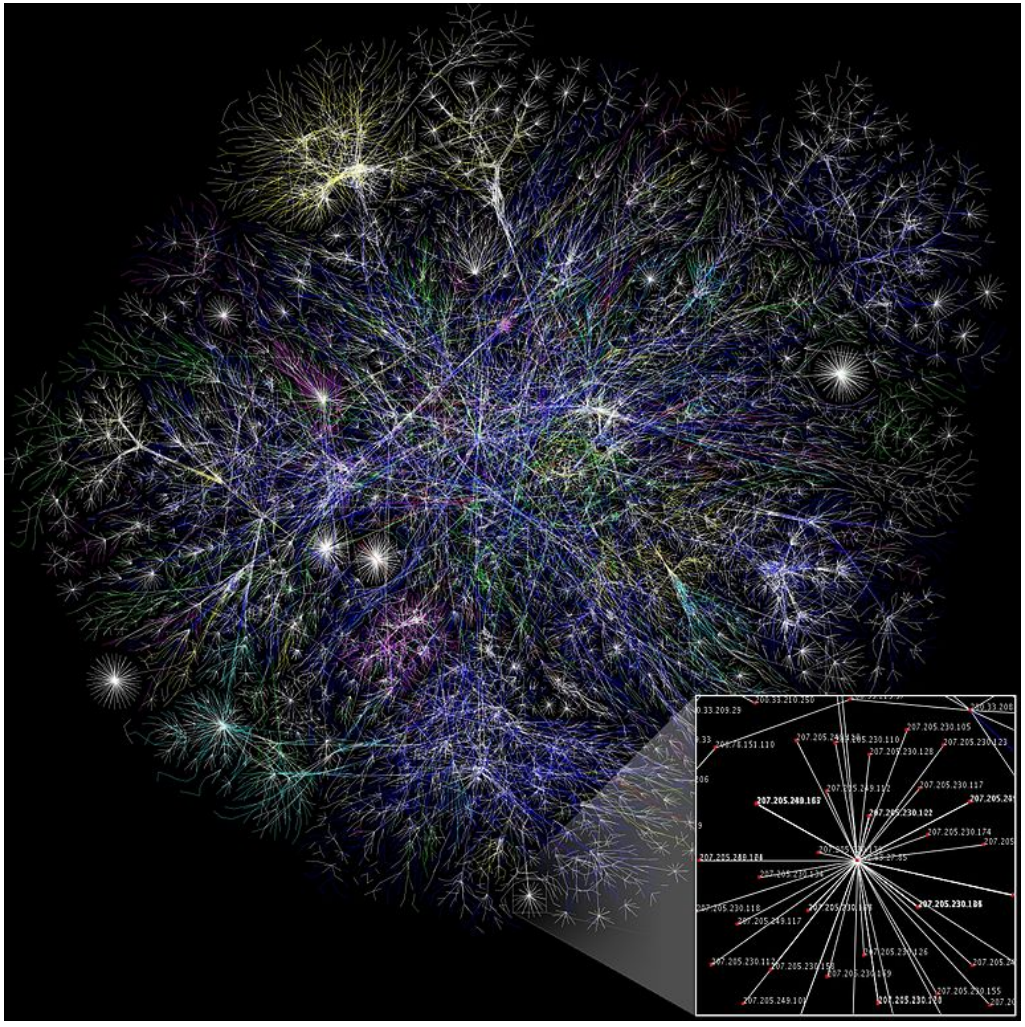

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How does it work? From signal to application...

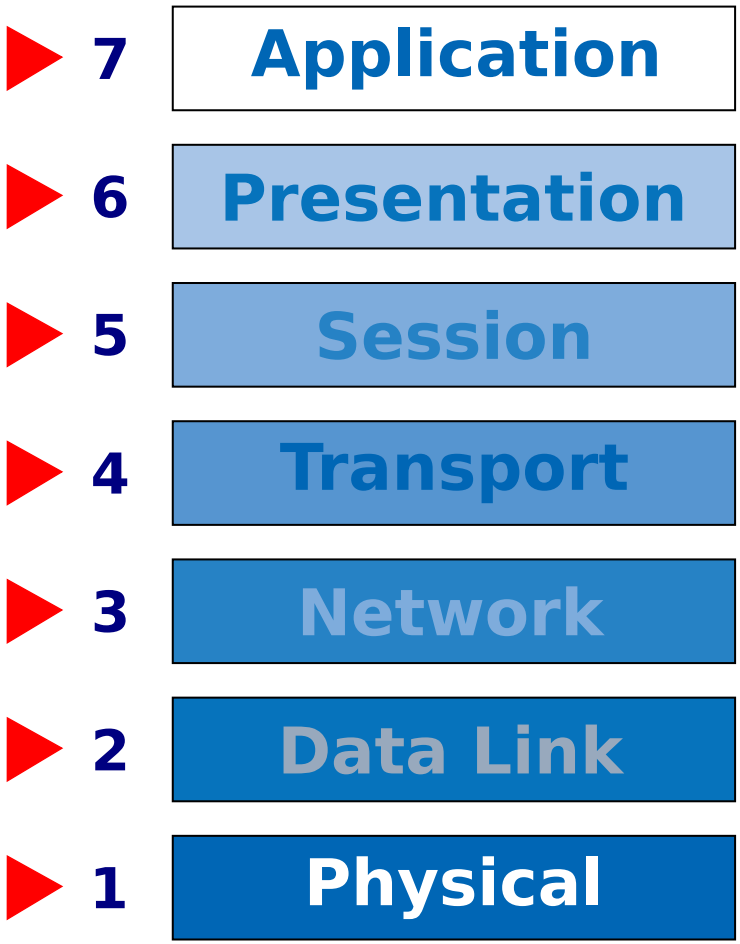

Figure: OSI model

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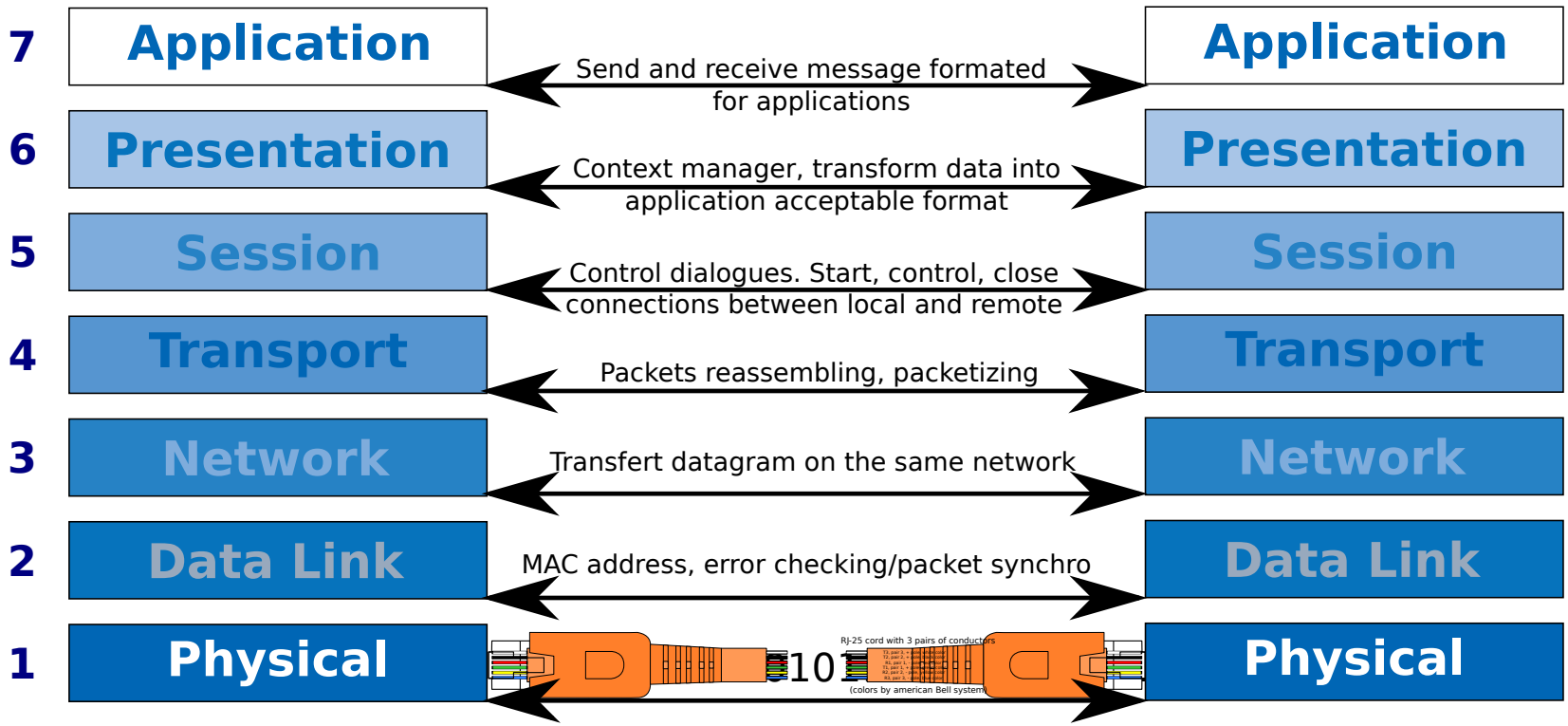

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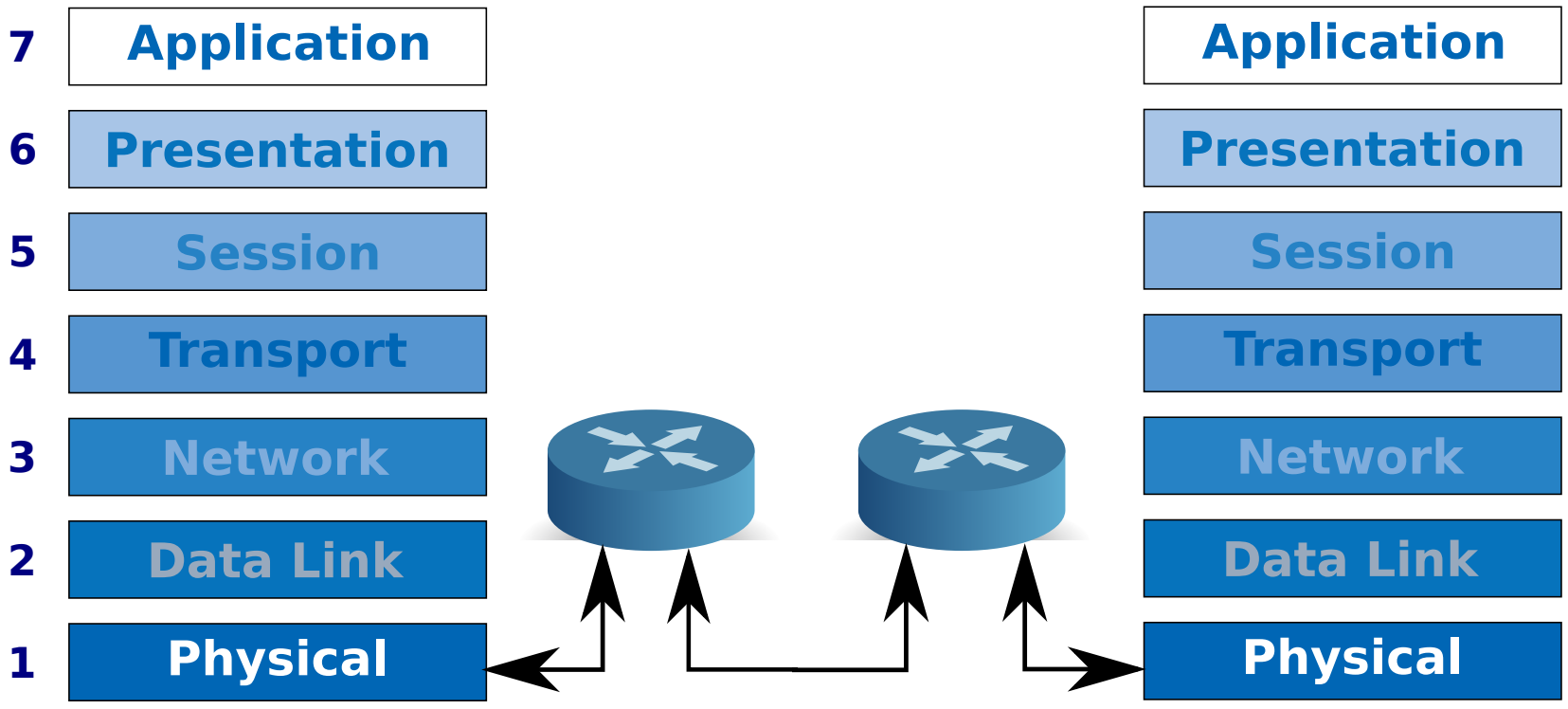

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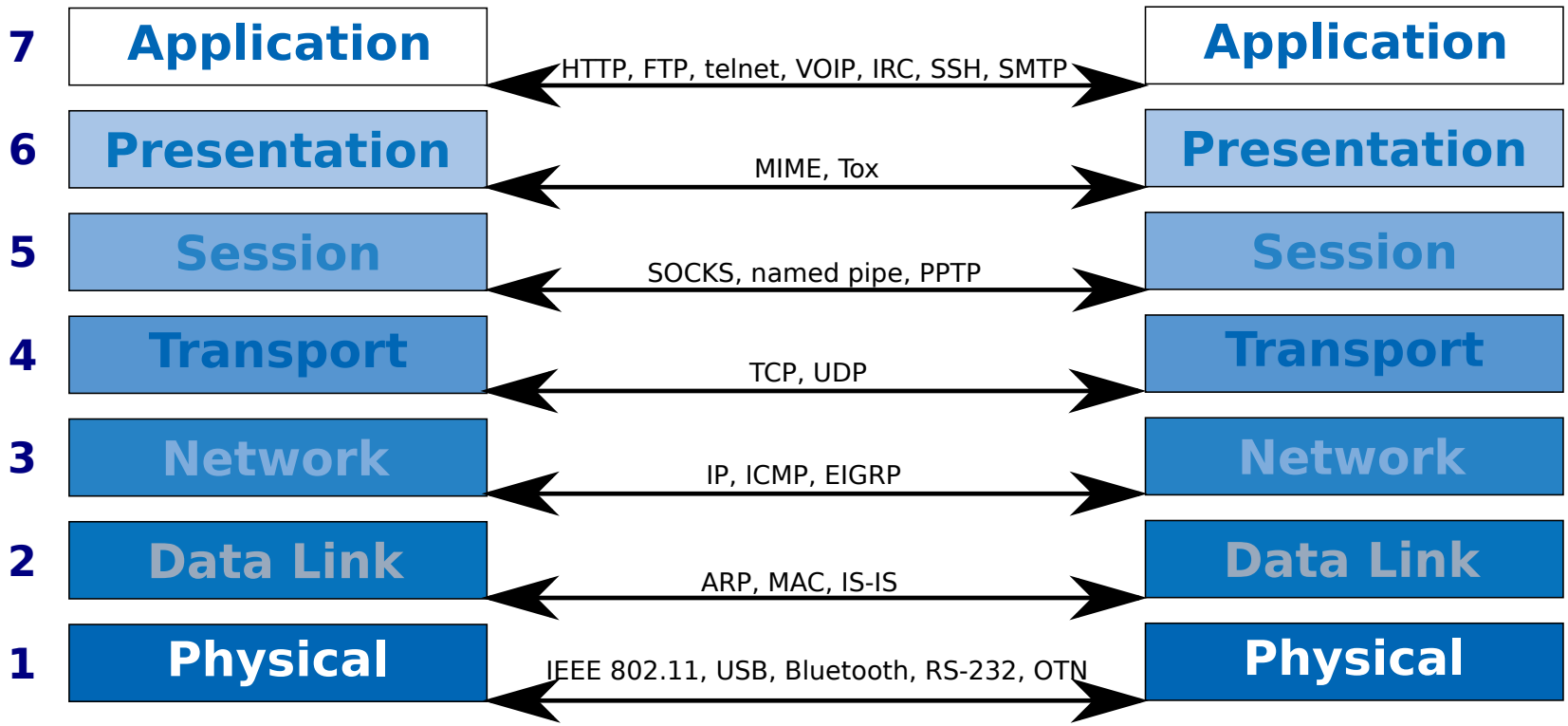

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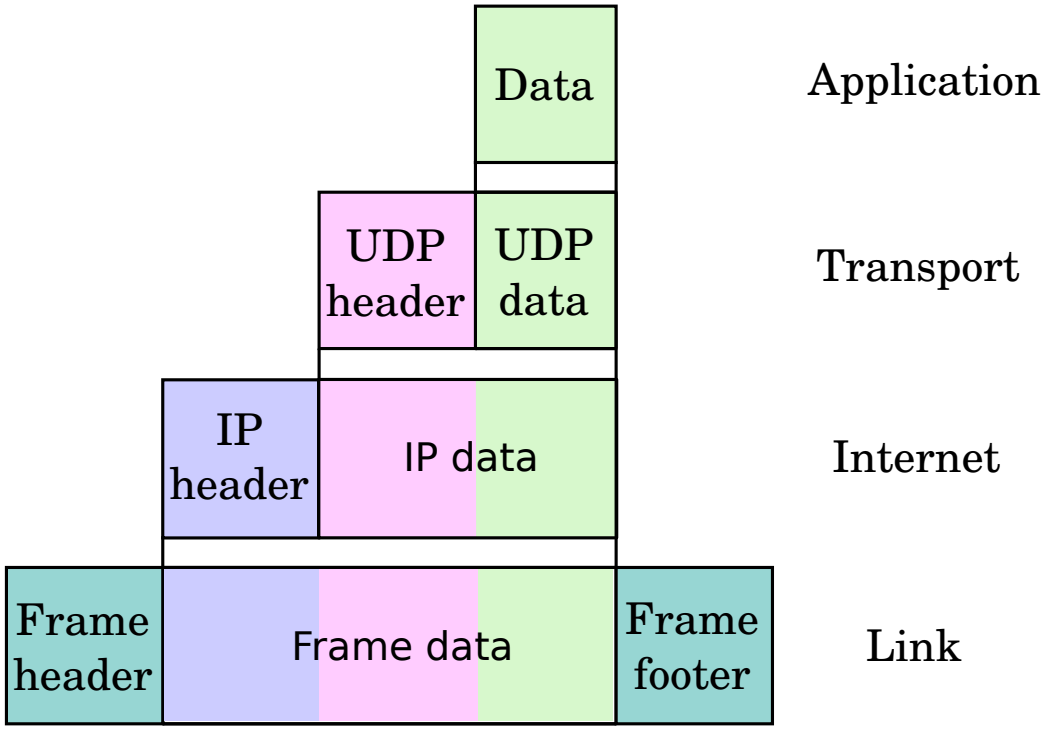

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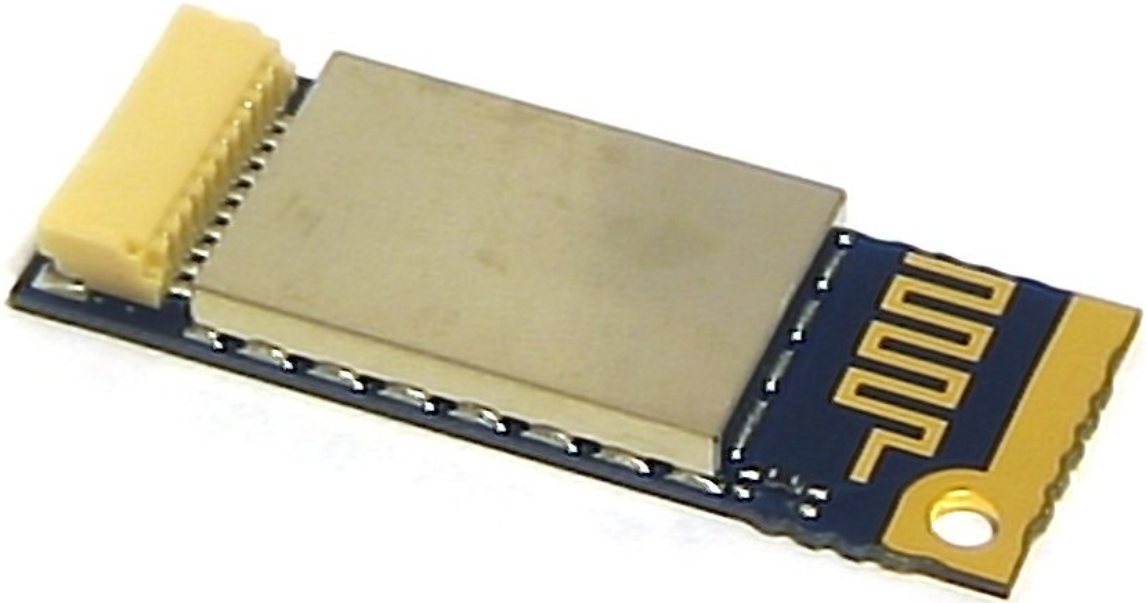

Figure: Bluetooth card

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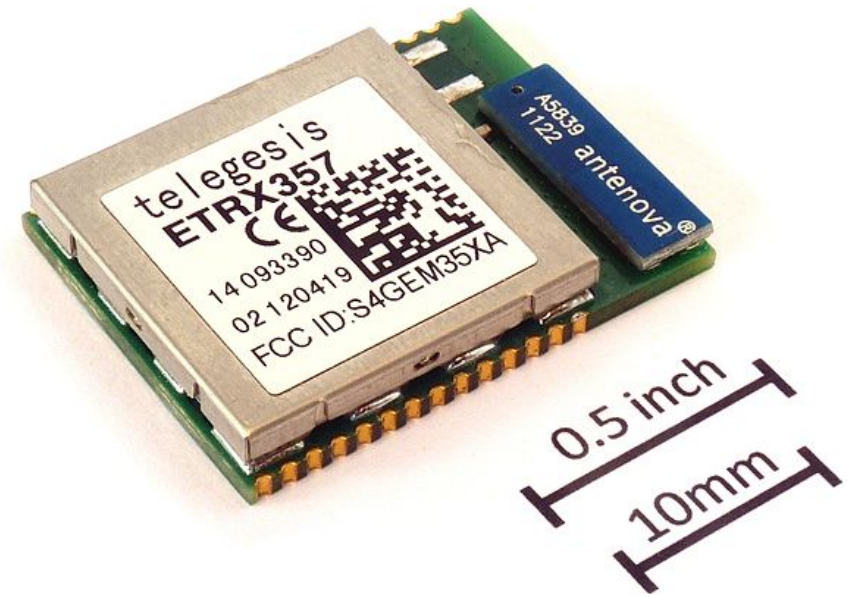

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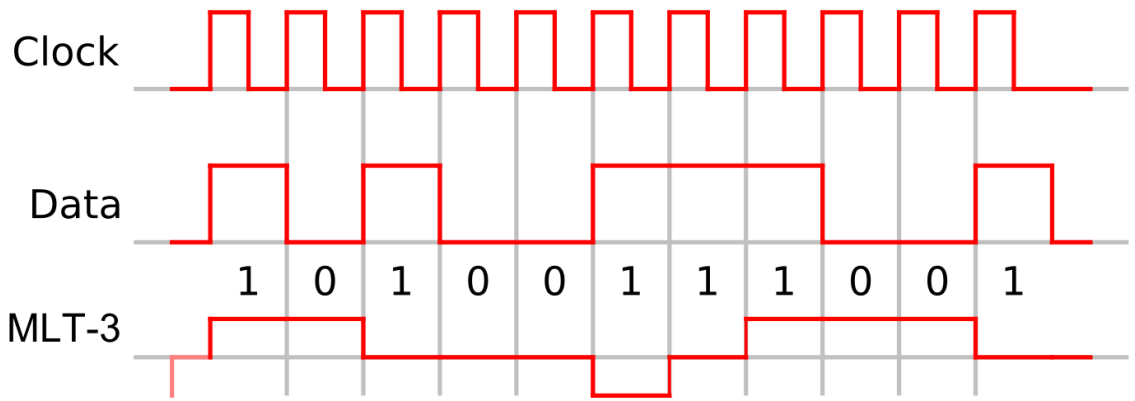

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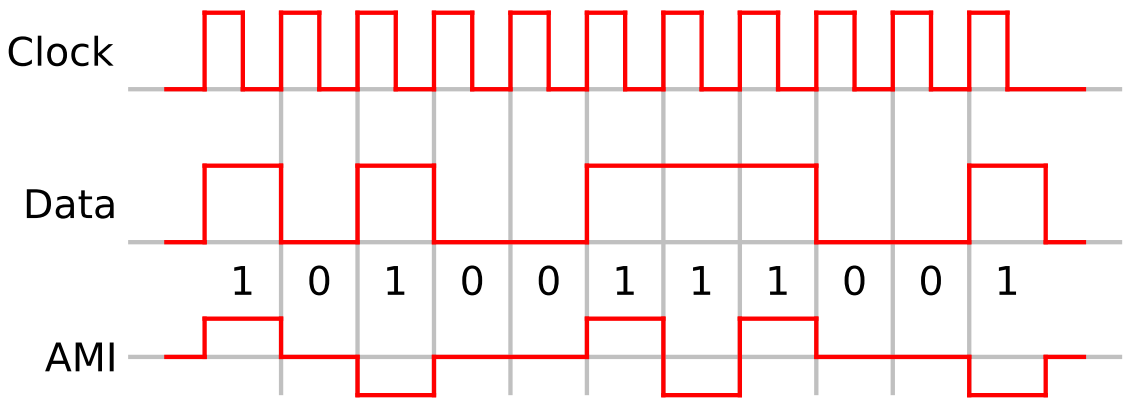

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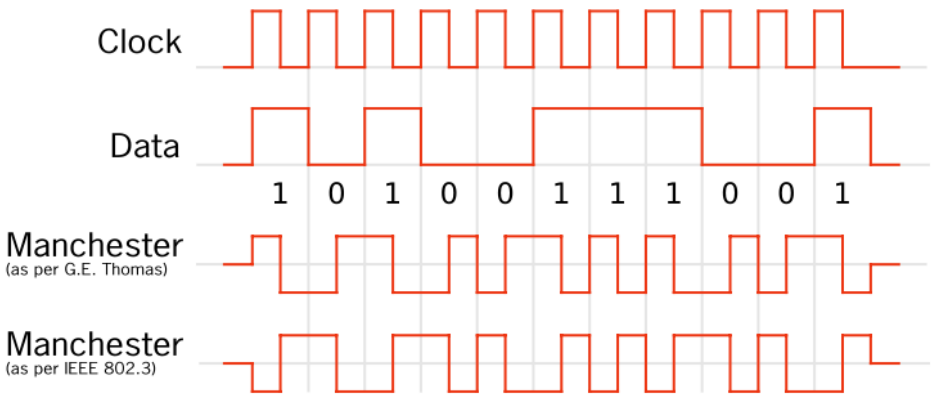

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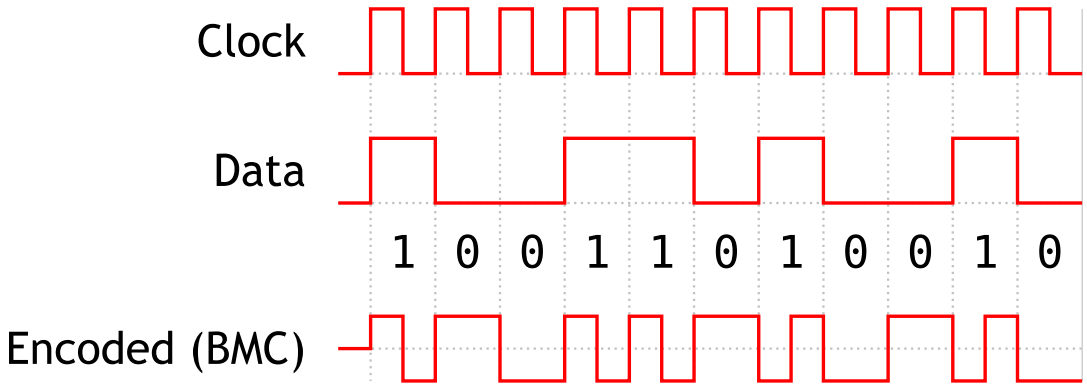

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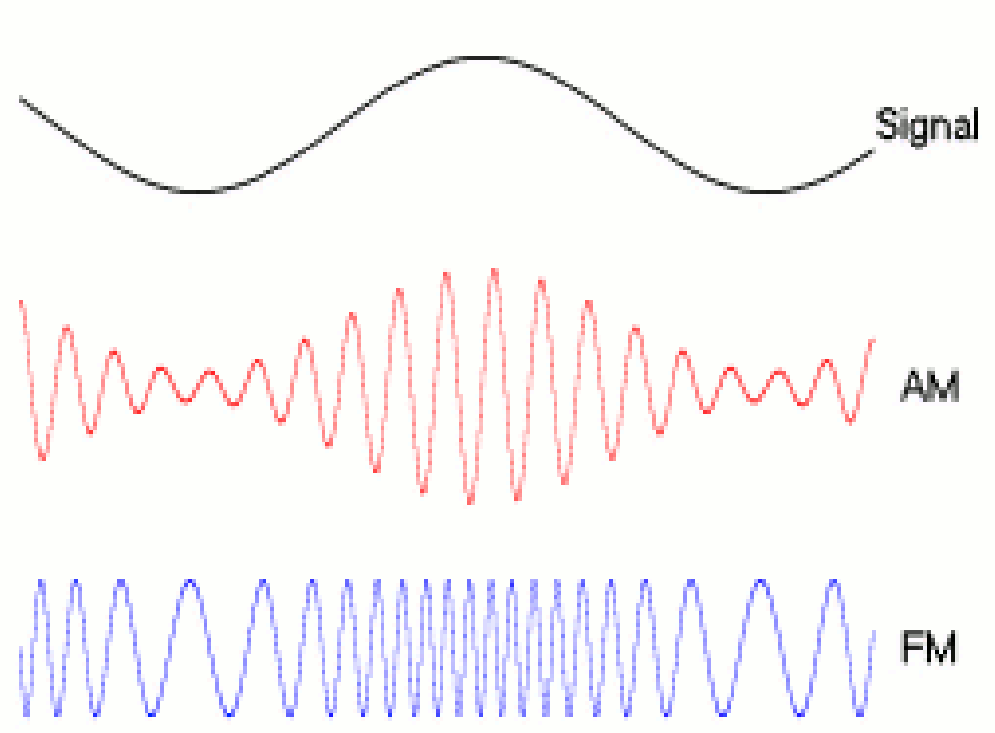

Figure: Amplitude and phase modulation

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Correction: MDPC

Raw data to send: 0x01 02 03 04

0x01	0x02	0x03
0x03	0x04	0x07
0x04	0x06	

Figure: Data received with MDPC

Data sent (with MDPC): 0x01 02 03 03 04 07 04 06

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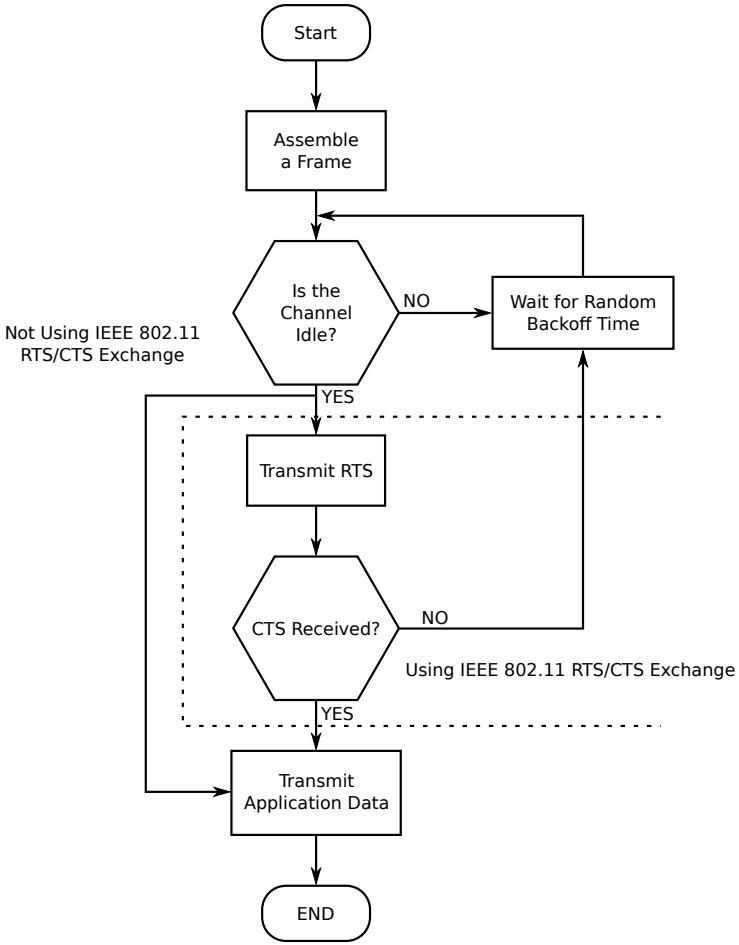

Figure: CSMA CA

Layer 2 Ethernet packet

MAC dest. (6)	MAC src. (6)	VLAN tag* (4)	Ethertype (2)
Payload (42-1500)		Frame check sequence (4)	

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optional, Content (size in bytes)

Ethertype 0x	**Protocol**
0800	IPv4
0806	ARP
0842	Wake-on-LAN
86dd	IPv6

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ARP example

0000	ff	ff	ff	ff	ff	ff	fa	ba	ba	00	ab	ab	af	08	06	00	01
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