

BSCIT

Network Security

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# Topics

1. Web Security Issues
2. Secure Socket Layers (SSL)
3. Transport Layer Security (TLS)
4. HTTPS (HyperText Transfer Protocols)
5. Secure Shell (SSH)

# 4.1 *Web Security* Issues

Secure

https://www.google.com.np/webhp?hl=en&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwiAwoah2bnXAhUIpl8KHdpfCvgQPAgD

Secure connection

Your information (for example, passwords or credit card numbers) is private when it is sent to this site.

Learn more

Cookies

30 in use

Location

Allow

Camera

Ask (default)

Microphone

Allow

Notifications

Ask (default)

JavaScript

Allow (default)

Flash

Detect (default)

Images

Allow (default)

Popups

Block (default)

Background Sync

Allow (default)

Automatic Downloads

Ask (default)

MIDI devices full control

Ask (default)

Site settings

Gmail

Images

Google

Google Search

I'm Feeling Lucky

Google offered in: नेपाली

Nepal

Advertising

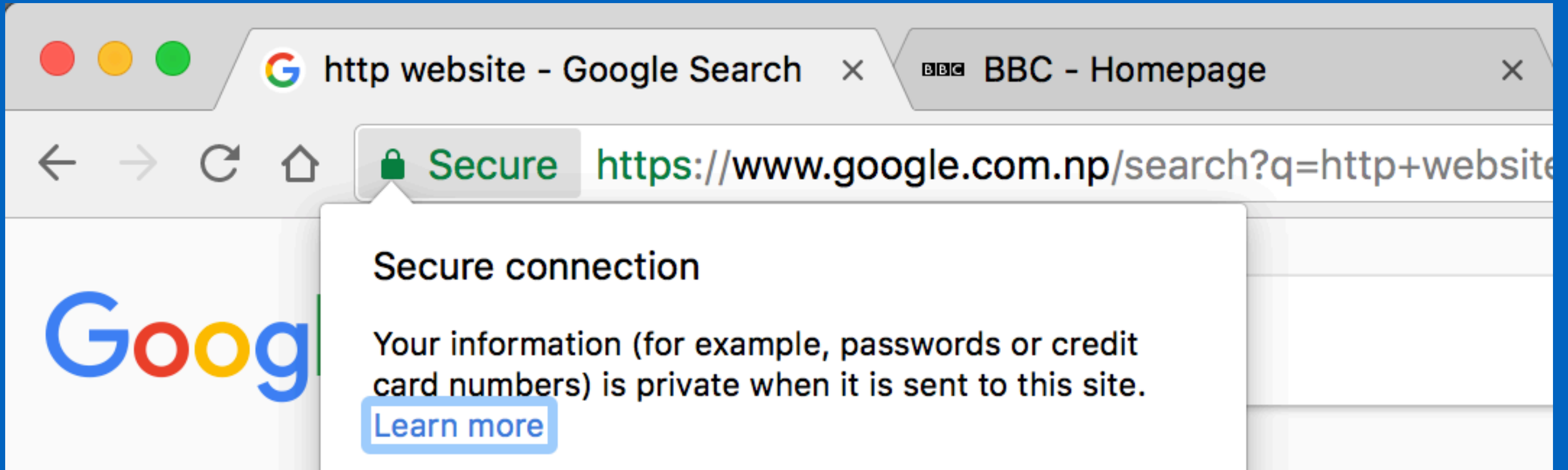
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http://  https://

# 4.1.1 Web Security Threats

## 4.1.2 Web Traffic Security Approaches



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# Two way of grouping Web Security Threats

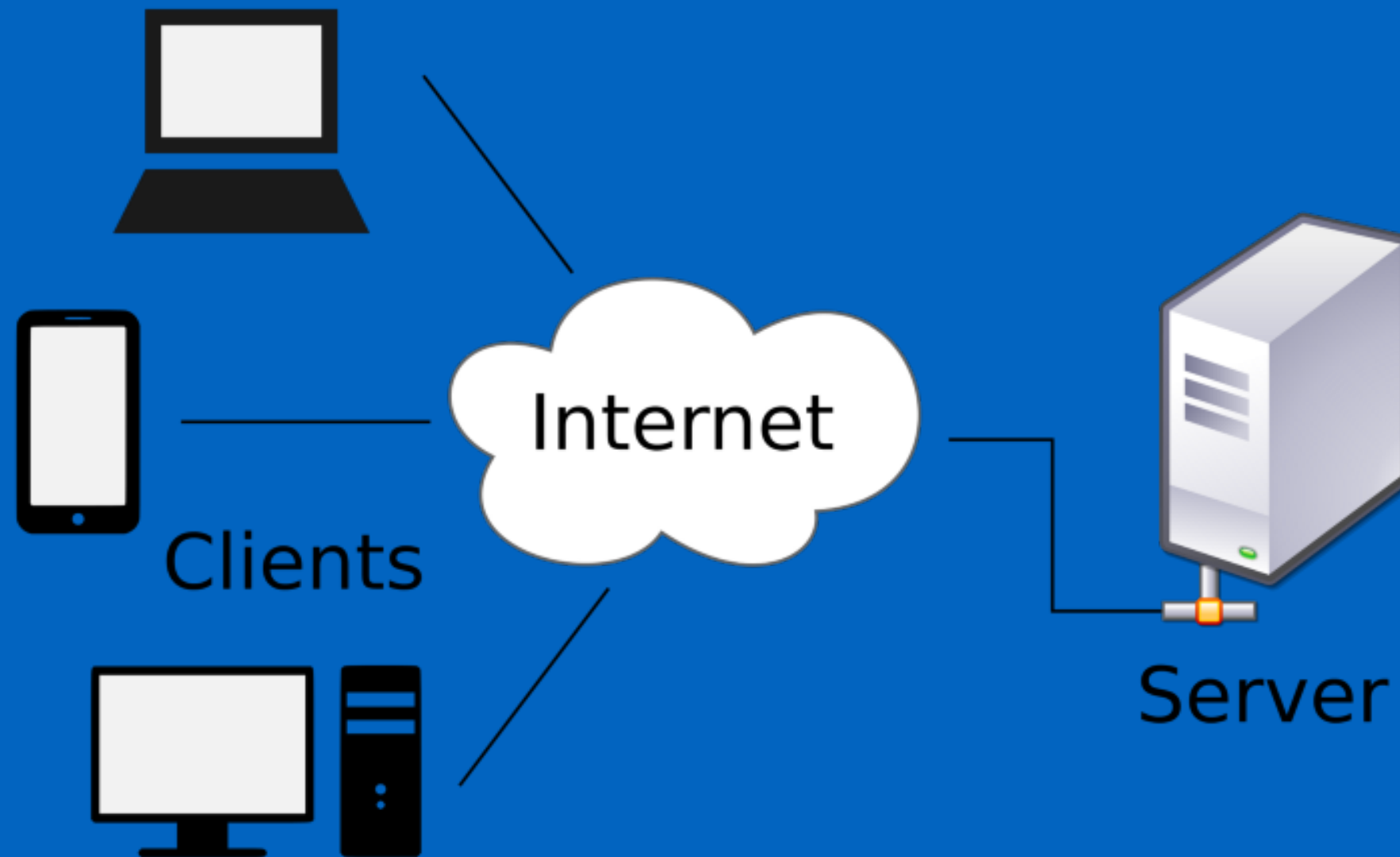
- > Nature of attack.
- > Location of Attack.

# Nature of attack.

- 1 Active Attack
- 2 Passive Attack

# Location of Attack.

# Client Server Architecture



# 3 Locations for attack

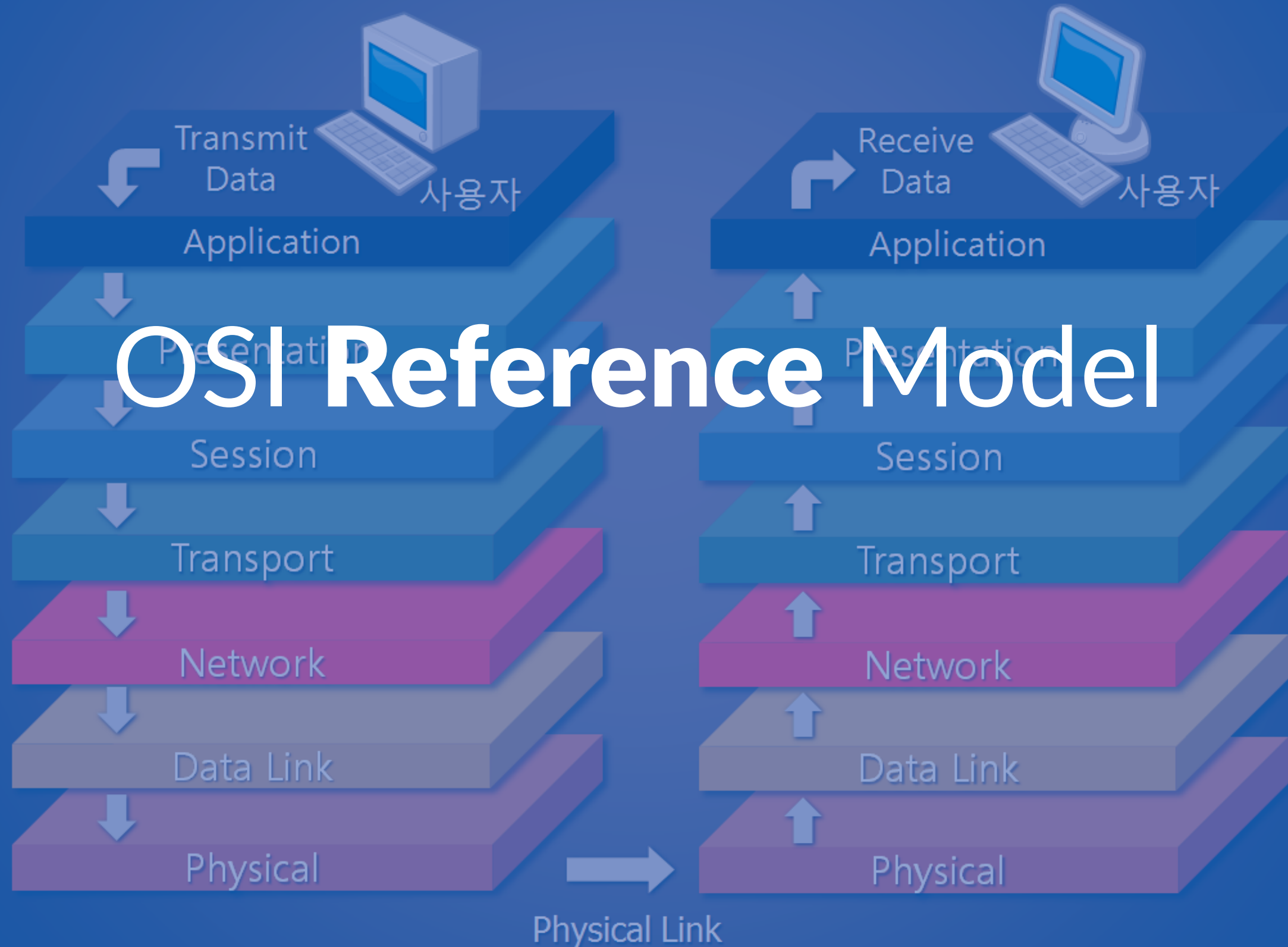
1. Client
2. Server
3. Network

# In the context of web

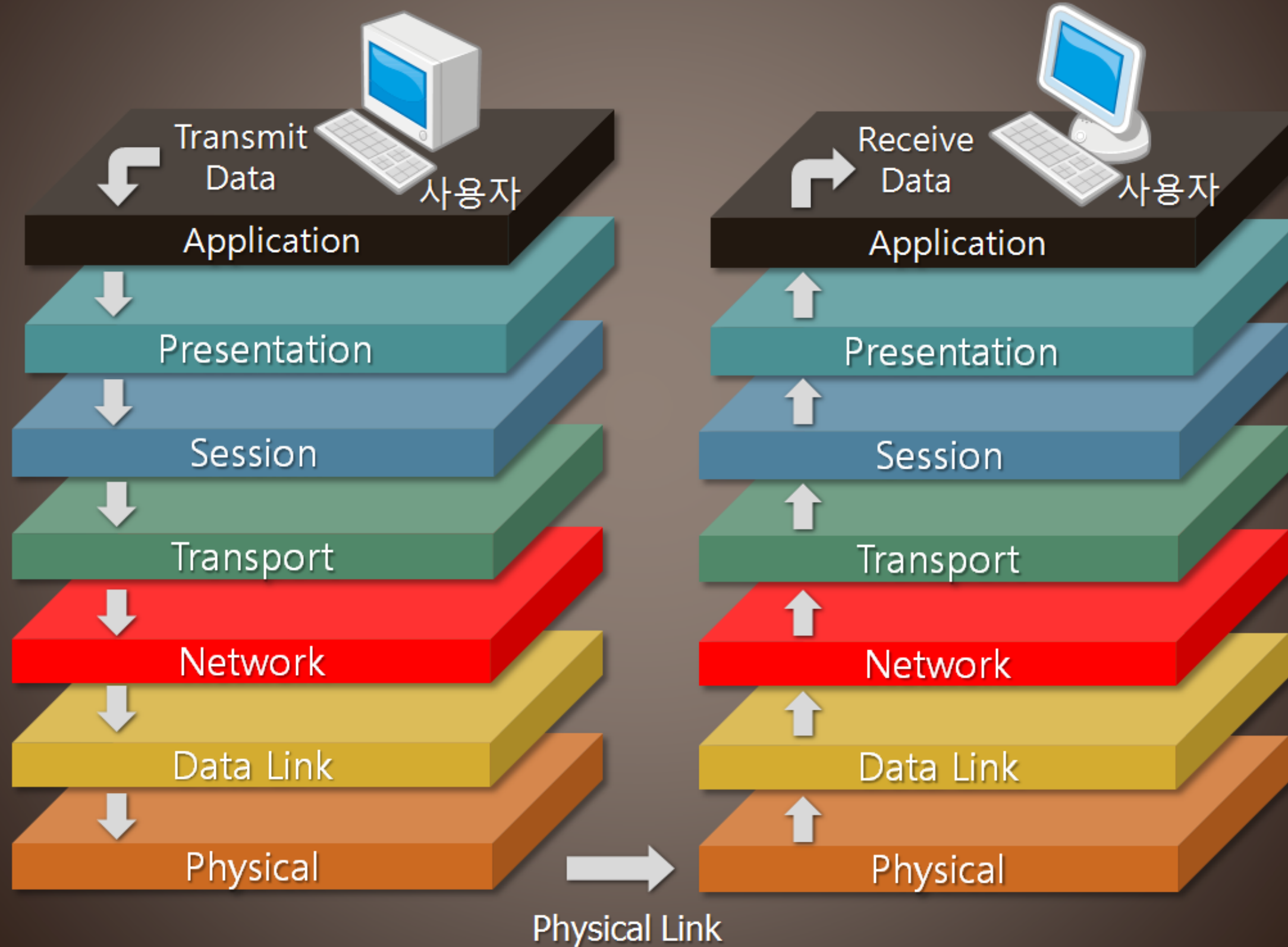
1. Web browser
2. Web server
3. Network traffic in between them

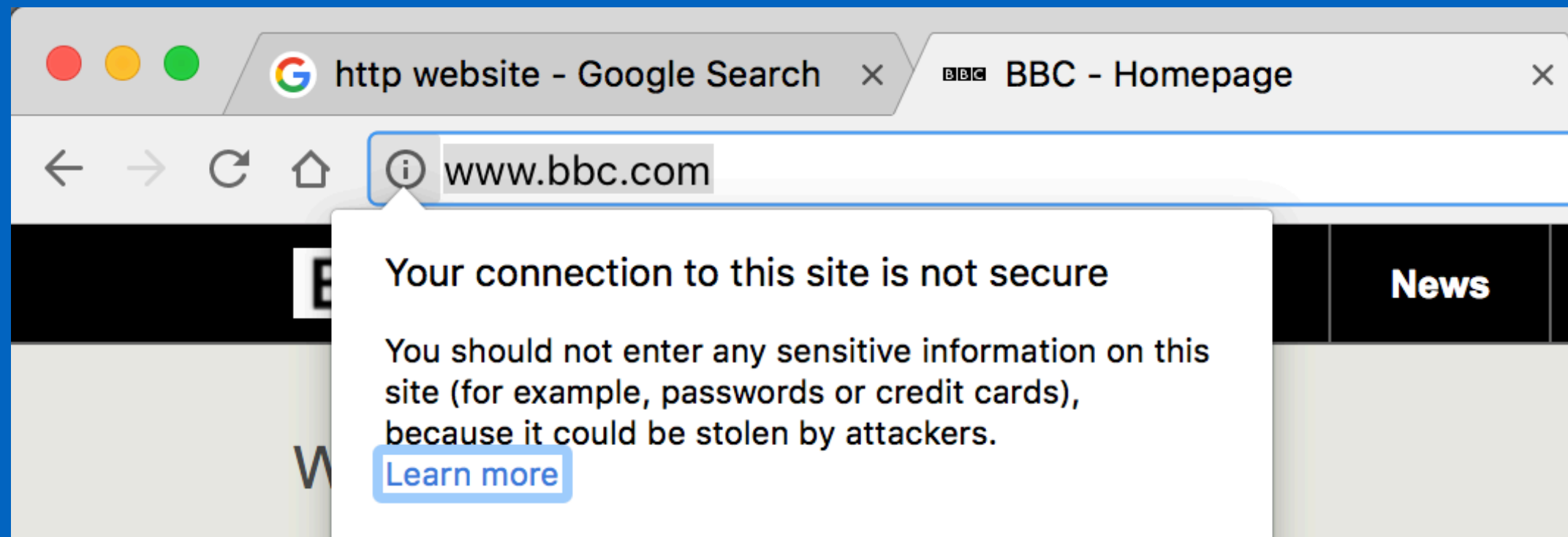
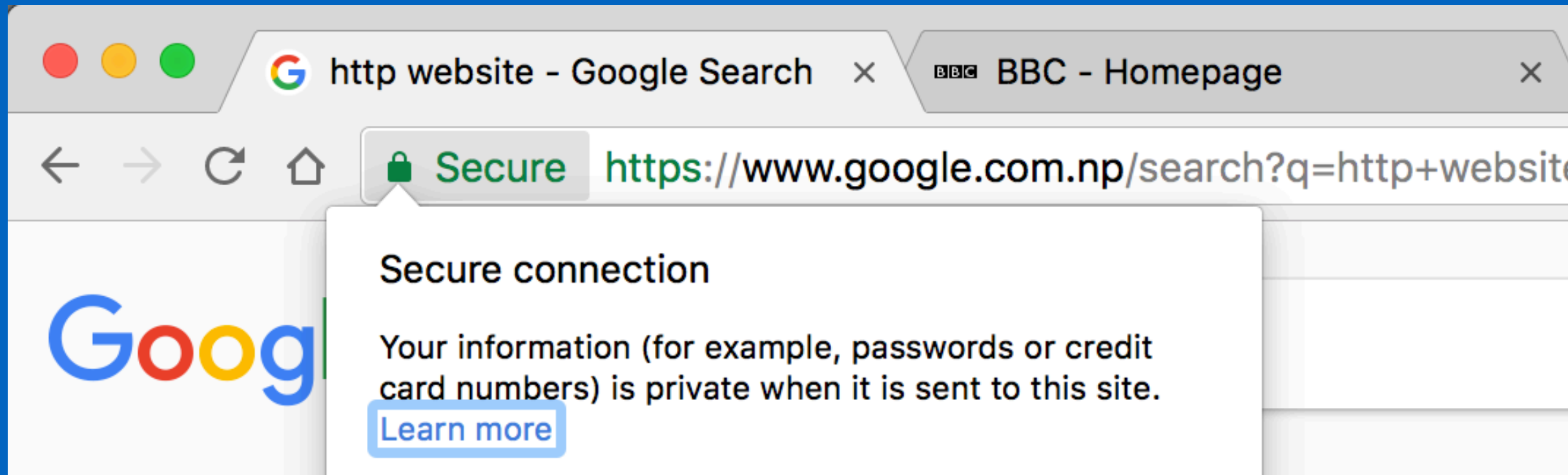


# OSI 7 Layer



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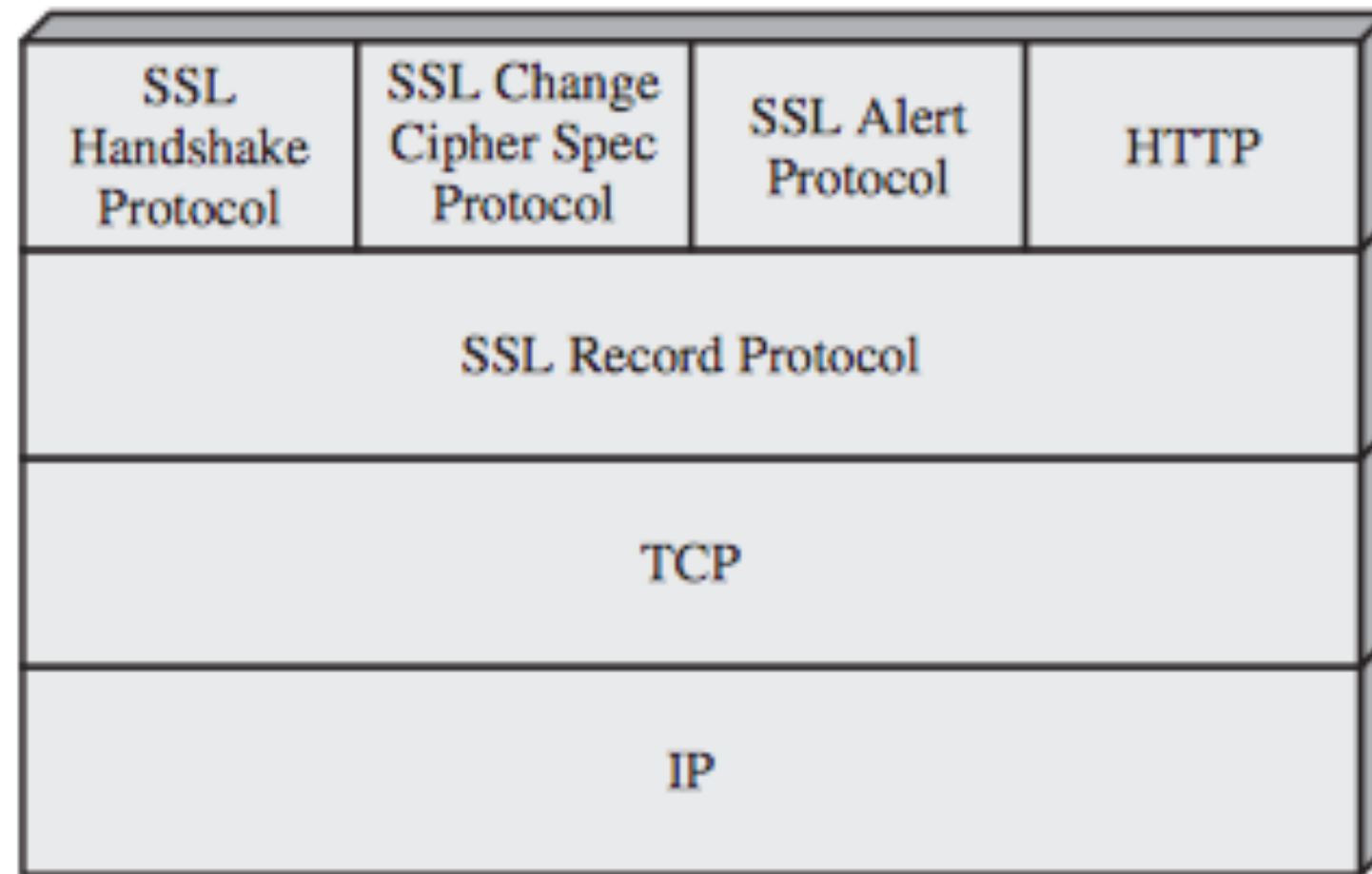
# SSL History

- SSL V1
- SSL V2
- SSL V3 / TLS V1.0
- TLS V1.1
- TLS V1.2 (Latest)
- TLS V1.3 (Draft)

# SSL Concepts

- SSL Connection
- SSL Session

# SSL Architecture



**Figure 16.2** SSL Protocol Stack

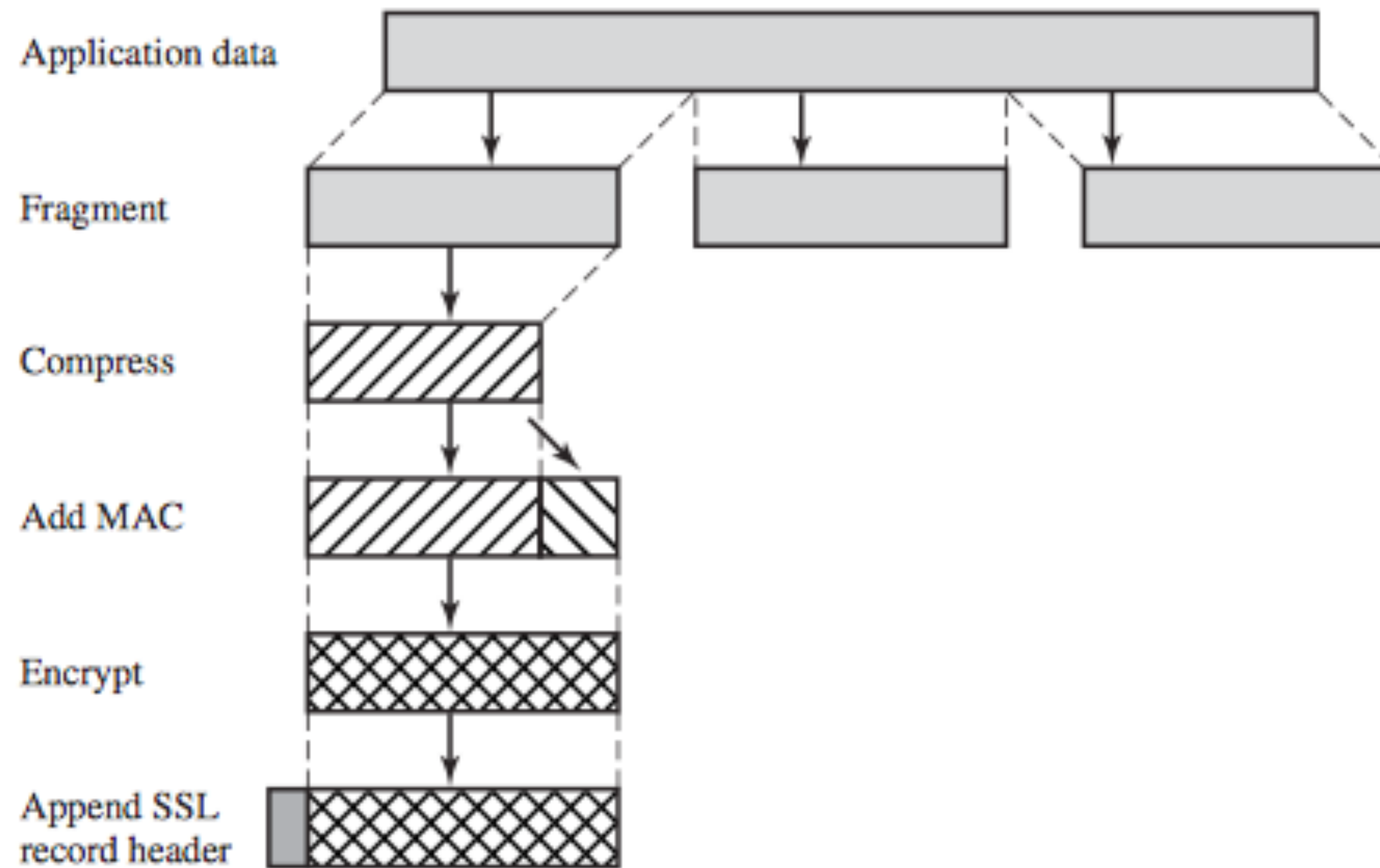
# SSL Architecture

- SSL Record Protocol
  1. The Change Cipher Spec Protocol
  2. The Alert Protocol
  3. The Handshake Protocol

# SSL Record Protocol

- Services
  - Message Integrity using MAC
  - Confidentiality using Symm. Enc.
- Operation (6 Steps)





**Figure 16.3** SSL Record Protocol Operation

# Operation (6 Steps)

1. App Data from Application Layer
2. Fragmentation
3. Compass
4. Add MAC
5. Encrypt
6. Add SSL Record Header

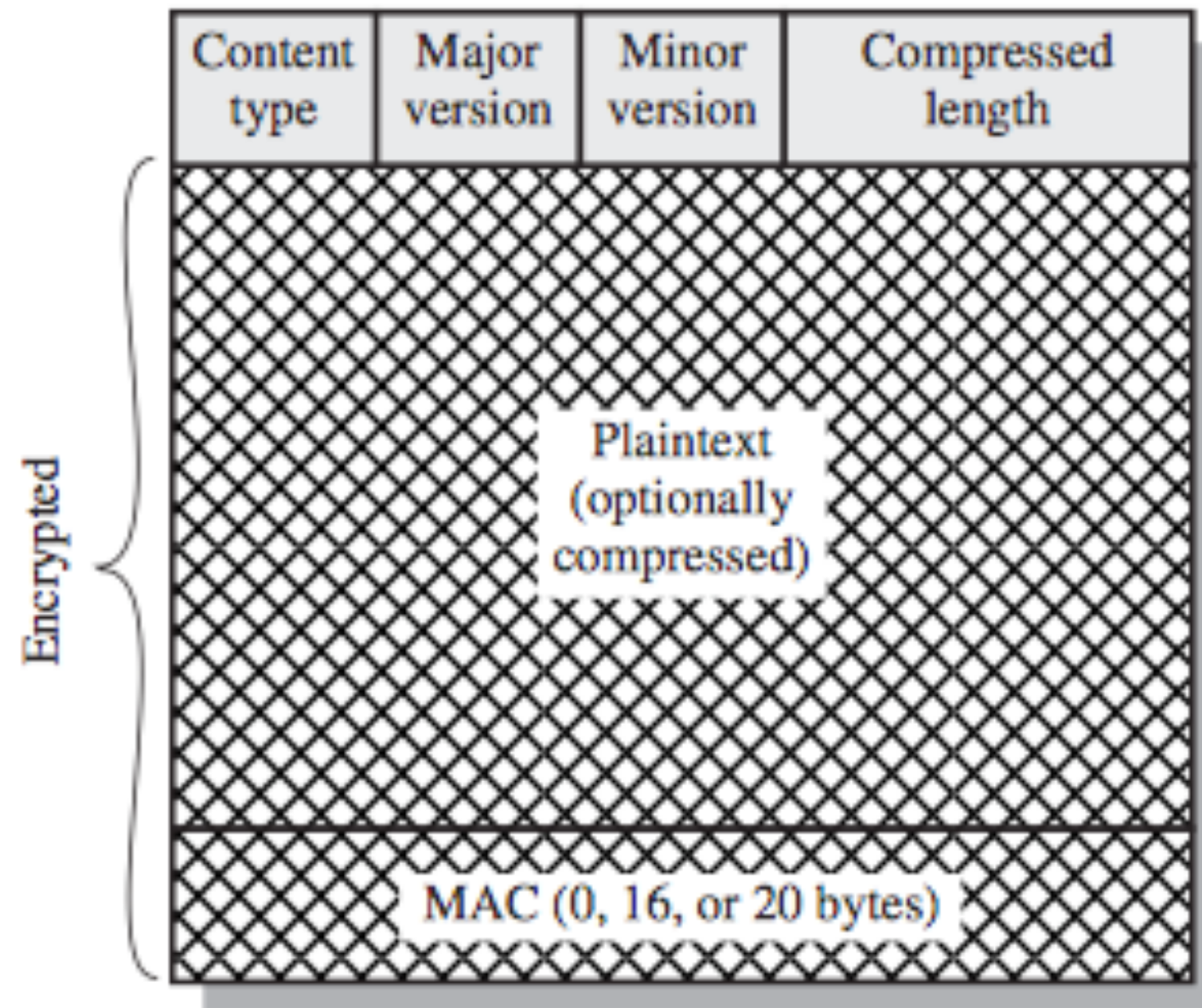


Figure 16.4 SSL Record Format

# SSL Record Header

- Content Type ('text/html', 'audio/mp3', 'image/png')
- Major Version
- Minor Version
- Compressed Length

# SSL Record Protocol

- 1. The Change Cipher Spec Protocol
- 2. The Alert Protocol
- 3. The Handshake Protocol

1 byte



(a) Change Cipher Spec Protocol

1 byte

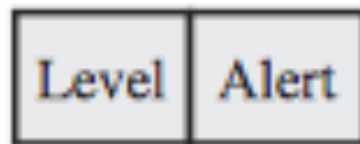
3 bytes

$\geq 0$  bytes



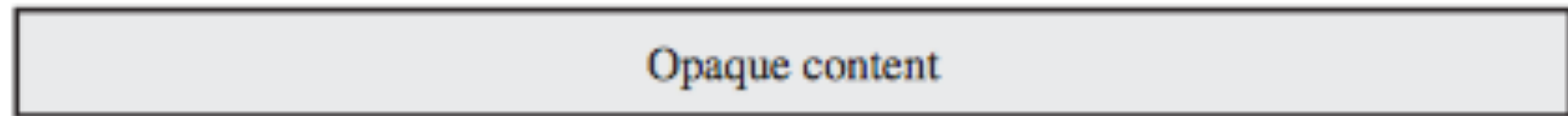
(c) Handshake Protocol

1 byte 1 byte



(b) Alert Protocol

$\geq 1$  byte



(d) Other Upper-Layer Protocol (e.g., HTTP)

**Figure 16.5** SSL Record Protocol Payload

# 1. The Change Cipher Spec Protocol

- Simplest
- Consists of single message
- Single Byte with Value 1
- Causes the pending state to be copied into the current state, which updates the cipher suite to be used on this connection.

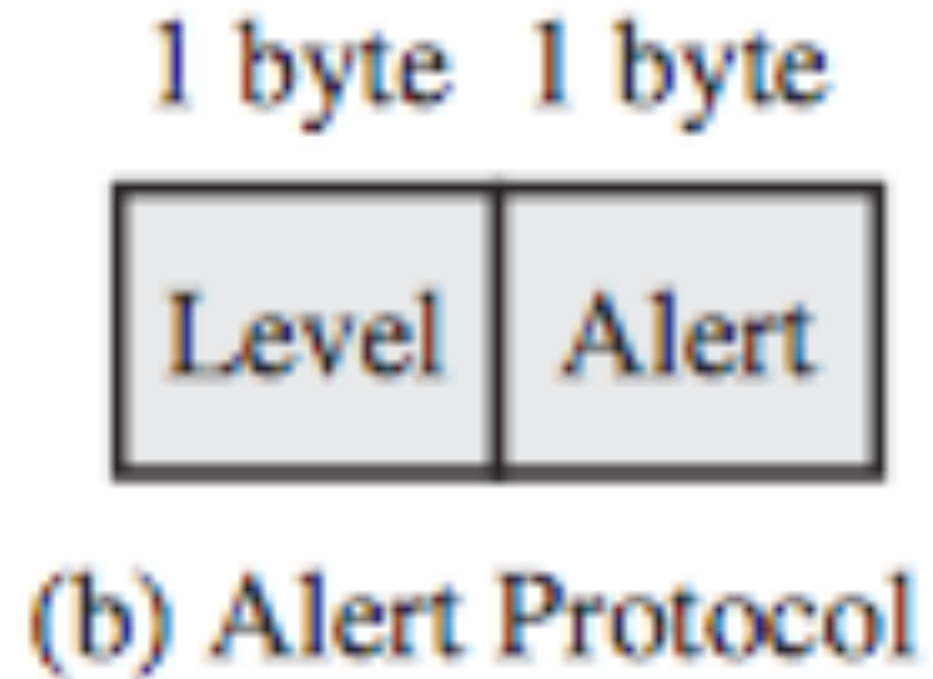
1 byte



(a) Change Cipher Spec Protocol

## 2. Alert Protocol

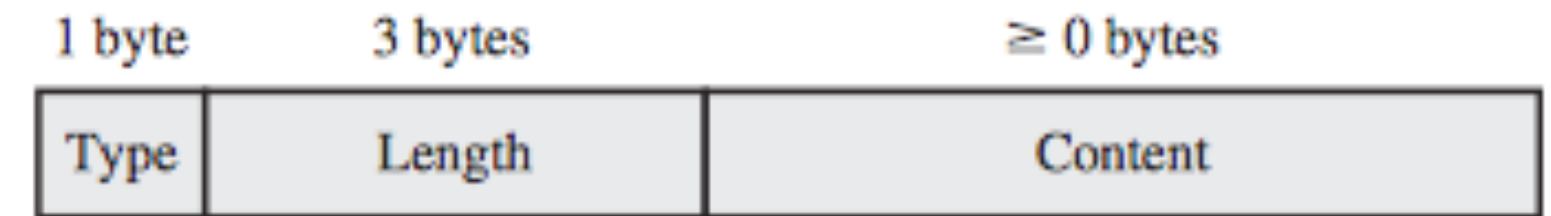
- Convey SSL alerts to the peer-entity
- 2 Bytes
- First Byte - Denotes level of the message
  - Warning
  - Fatal
- Alert code for specific alert





# 3. Handshake Protocol

- Size: Minimum 4 Bytes
- *Type* (1B) indicates one of 10 SSL Handshake Protocol Message Types
- *Length* (3B) indicates length of message in Bytes
- *Content* ( $\geq 0$ B) indicates the parameters associated with the messages



(c) Handshake Protocol

**Table 16.2** SSL Handshake Protocol Message Types

Message Type	Parameters
<b>hello_request</b>	null
<b>client_hello</b>	version, random, session id, cipher suite, compression method
<b>server_hello</b>	version, random, session id, cipher suite, compression method
<b>certificate</b>	chain of X.509v3 certificates
<b>server_key_exchange</b>	parameters, signature
<b>certificate_request</b>	type, authorities
<b>server_done</b>	null
<b>certificate_verify</b>	signature
<b>client_key_exchange</b>	parameters, signature
<b>finished</b>	hash value

# 4 Phases of SSL Handshake

1. Establish Security Capabilities
2. Server Authentication and Key Exchange
3. Client Authentication and Key Exchange
4. Finish

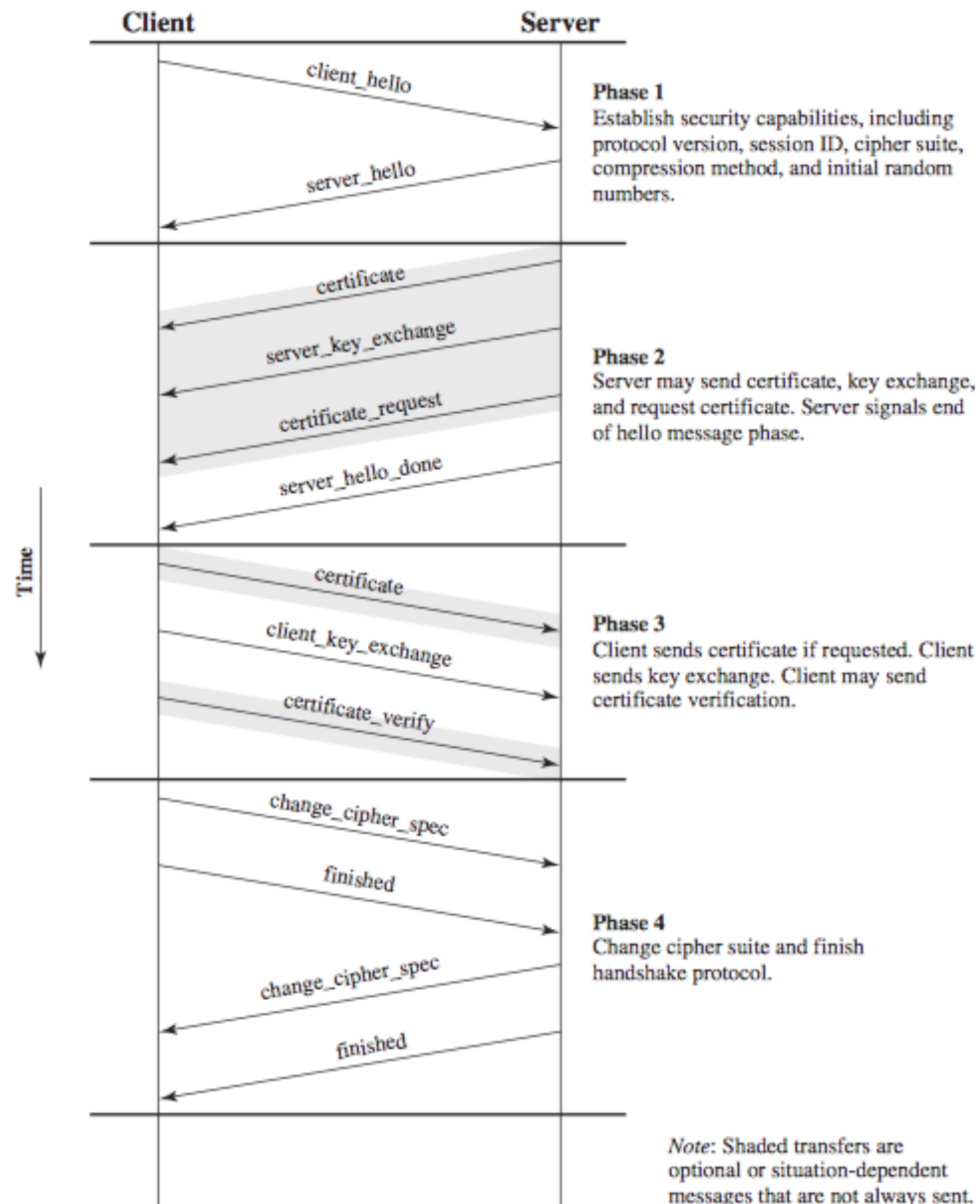
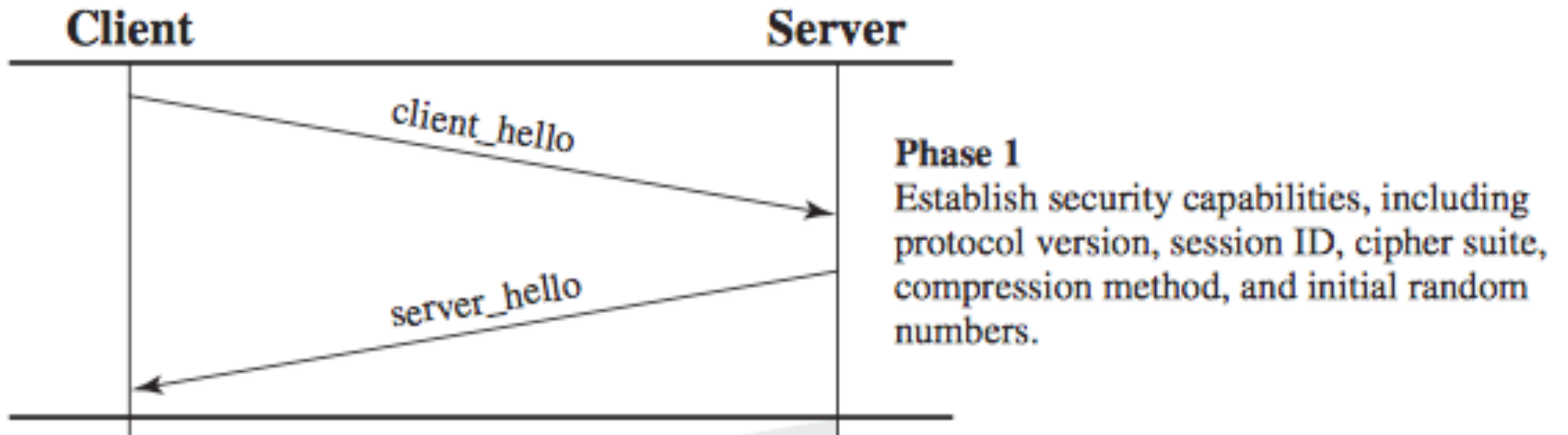
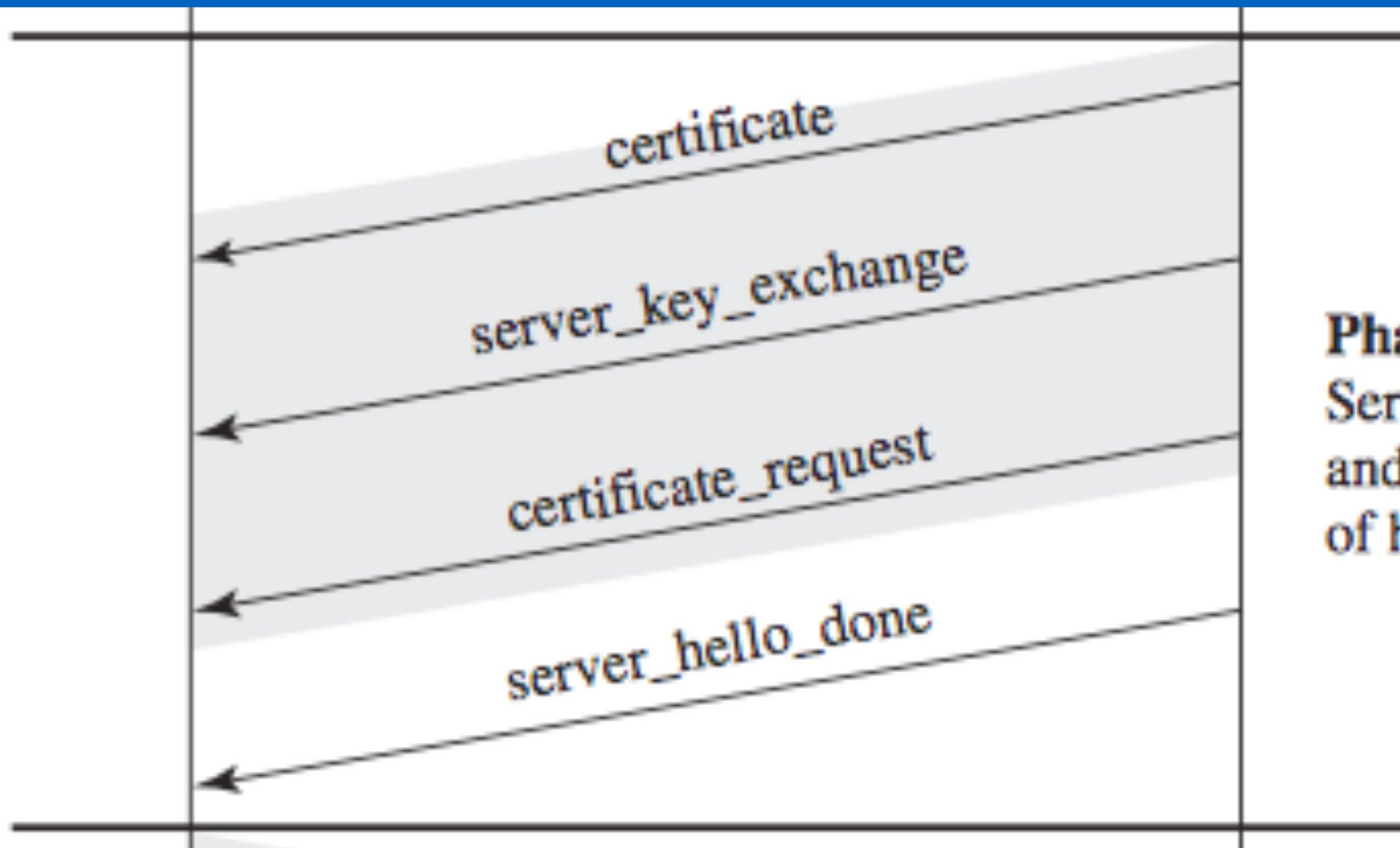


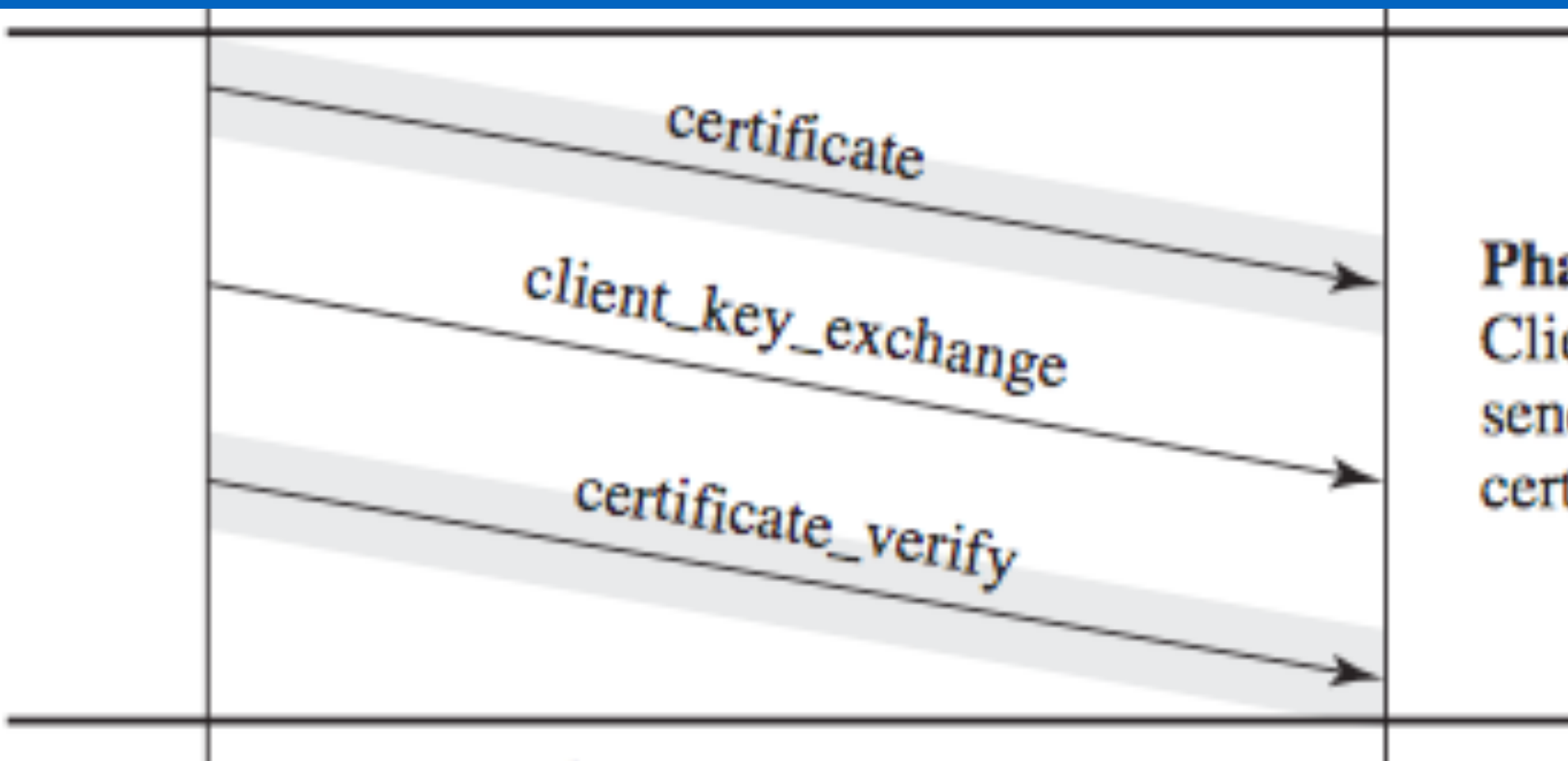
Figure 16.6 Handshake Protocol Action





### Phase 2

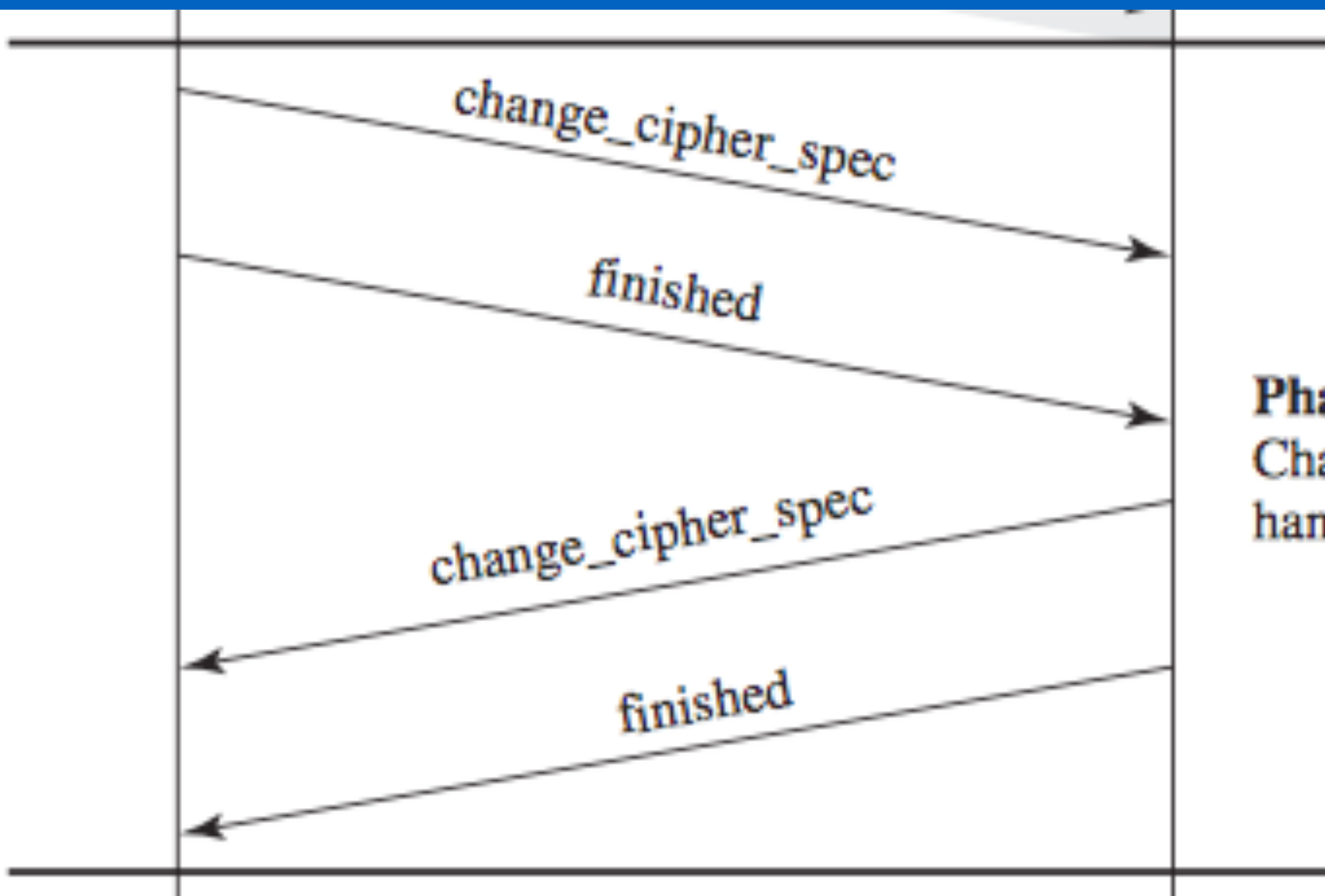
Server may send certificate, key exchange, and request certificate. Server signals end of hello message phase.



### Phase 3

Client sends certificate if requested. Client sends key exchange. Client may send certificate verification.





**Phase 4**  
Change cipher suite and finish  
handshake protocol.



# Transport Layer Security (TLS)