
Comm Audio

Design Documentation

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APPLICATION DESIGN & DIAGRAMS

GUI Mockup

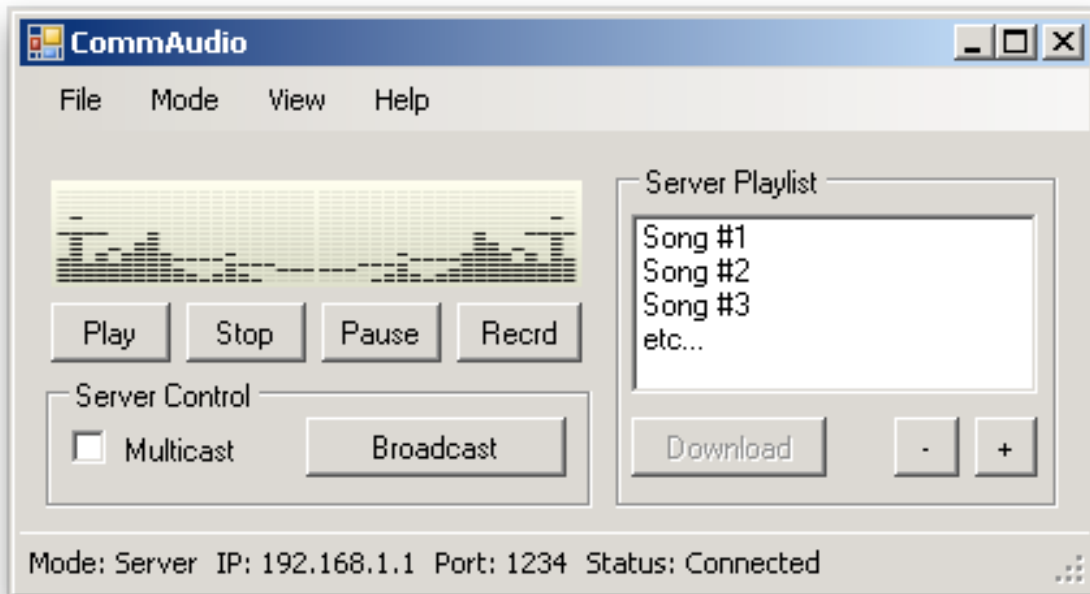


figure 1: Server Mode

We have decided to incorporate the client and server side of this project into a single application. As such, various aspects of the application will be enabled or disabled based on the mode in which the application is currently operating.

The main abilities of the client/server application is the ability to control what is currently streaming through the play/stop/pause functions. Additionally, the record function will cause all currently streaming/multicast sessions to cease and bring the application into recording mode.

All functions are available to the GUI while in server mode except for the download function, as it will always be the client that downloads from the server. Specific functions available to the server are as follows:

- Multicast – Set the server into multicast mode, allowing new client connections until the server begins to broadcast.
- Broadcast – Block all future client connections and begin broadcasting the playlist to currently connected clients.

- Add to Playlist (+) – Opens up the file dialogue box, allowing the user to select files to add to the playlist queue.
- Remove from Playlist (-) – Removes selected files from the playlist.

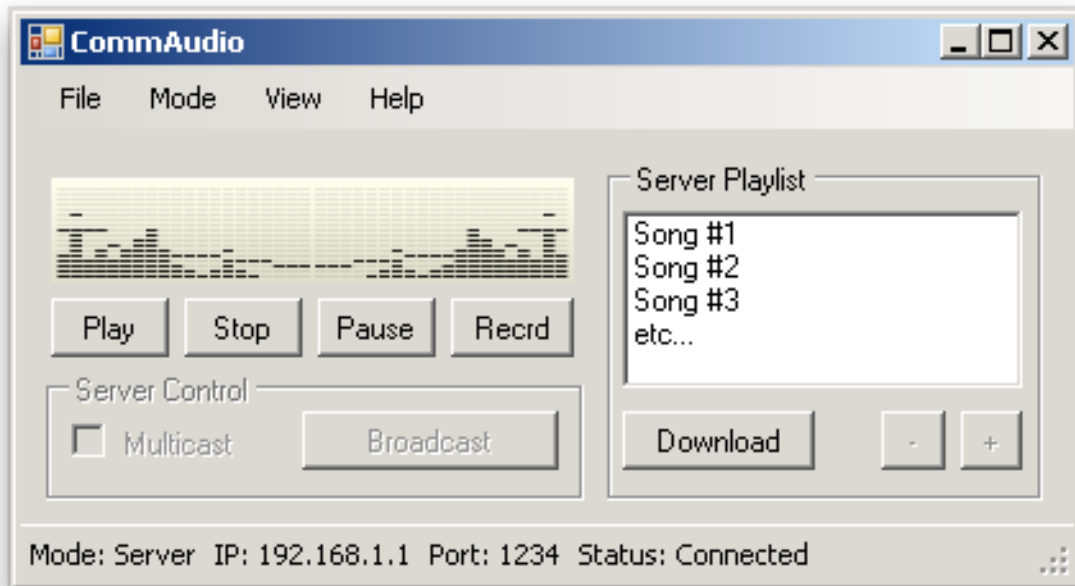


figure 2: Client Mode

While the application is in client mode, all server related functions are disabled, however, the previously disabled “Download” function, is enabled for the client. The download option, however, is only enabled if the client is in streaming mode with the server, not multicast mode. This function allows the client to download any of the selected songs in the playlist.

Additionally, if the client is in streaming mode with the server, the client will have control over which songs in the playlist to play. This is done by selecting the songs in the playlist that the client wants to stream. When the client presses play, it will notify the server which songs to stream to the client.

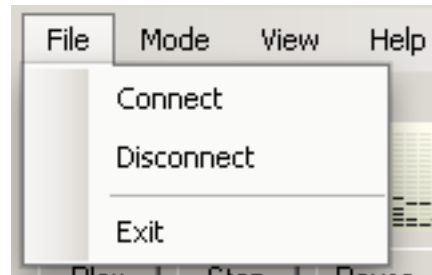


figure 3: File Menu

The file menu allows both the client and server to exit the application. However, the behaviour of the “Connect” and “Disconnect” menu items differ based on the mode for which the application is currently set.

While in server mode, the “Connect” menu item will cause the server to start listening for clients. Meanwhile, the “Disconnect” menu item will cause the server to stop listening for new clients and terminate any open connections.

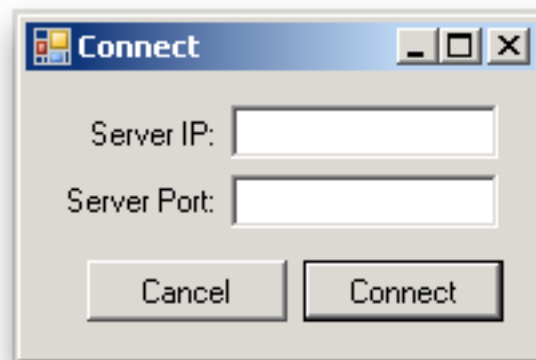


figure 4: Connection Options

If the application is in client mode, the “Connect” menu item will cause a connection options dialog open, prompting the client to enter the server’s IP address as well as the server’s port. By pressing “Connect” the application will first verify the correctness of the IP address and port and then test to see if a server exists at the specified port and IP address. If any of the settings are in error, or the server does not exist, an error message will be presented to the client, allowing the client to re-enter the connection settings and try again.

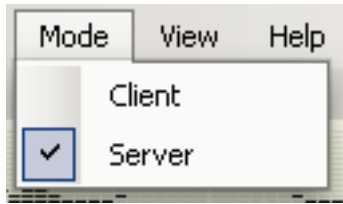


figure 5: Mode Menu

The mode menu allows the user to set whether the application is operating in client or server mode. Changing the application's mode will enable and disable any functions which are not relevant to that mode's operation. Additionally, the user will be unable to change the application's mode while the client or server is connected.

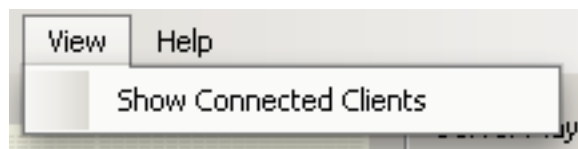


figure 6: View Menu

The view menu allows the user, while in server mode, to view a list of connected clients. This list will appear as a separate window that shows each client's IP address. This list will be updated dynamically, adding and removing clients from the list as they connect and disconnect.

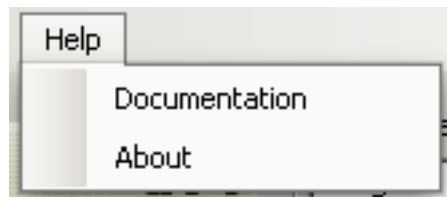


figure 7: Help Menu

The help menu allows the user to view the application's user documentation as well as an about box, which displays the applications version and the developers involved with the application.

The user documentation window will either be a rich text document that is opened through an external program (WordPad) or a built-in dialogue box.

Overview

This is the main overview of how our design documents are organized.

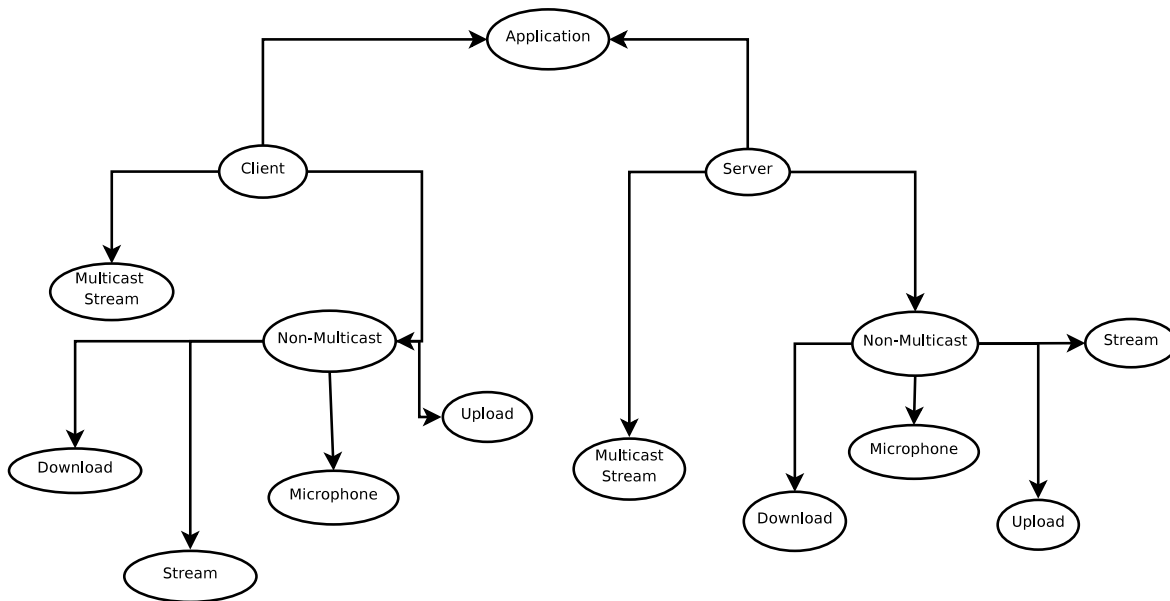


figure 8: Application Overview

When the application starts up you have the option of being a client or server.

If you are the client you can either be a multicast or non-multicast client. Multicast clients can only stream the music being played by the server whereas non-multicast clients can upload, have a microphone conversation or download which consists of streaming or saving the file.

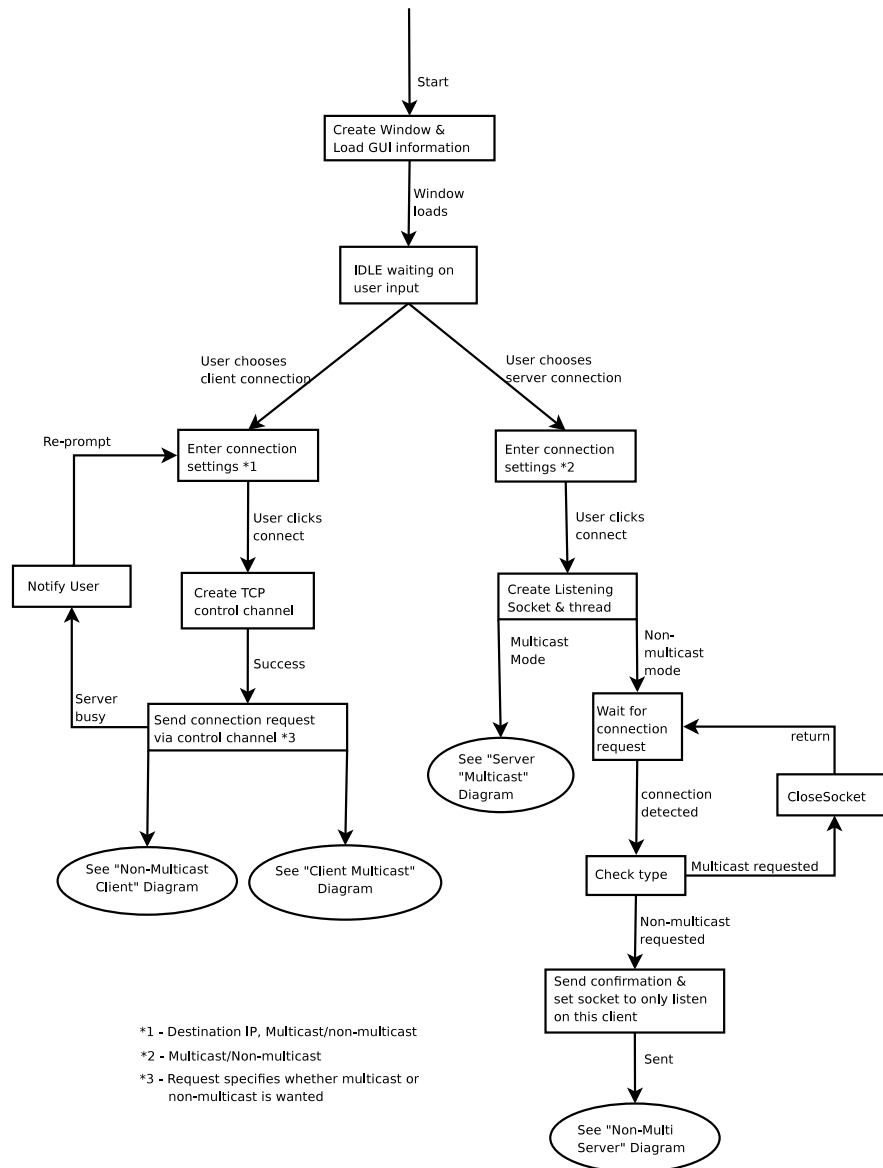
If you decide to be the server you can also be multicast or non-multicast. If the server is multicast all it does is play the songs to the IP's in the multicast IP group. Non-multicast servers can stream a song to a client, have a microphone conversation or download songs from the client. The server-side download portion of the overview symbolizes the server handling how the clients download.

***Note:** Wherever a UDP socket is created along with a new service thread, the thread that initialized them goes to the `wndProc` listening for messages.

****Note:** The rectangles are states and the ellipses are connection points to another diagram.

Application

This is the main entry point for the program. The program waits for the user to enter the settings which calls the corresponding functions. The server is started first and waits for

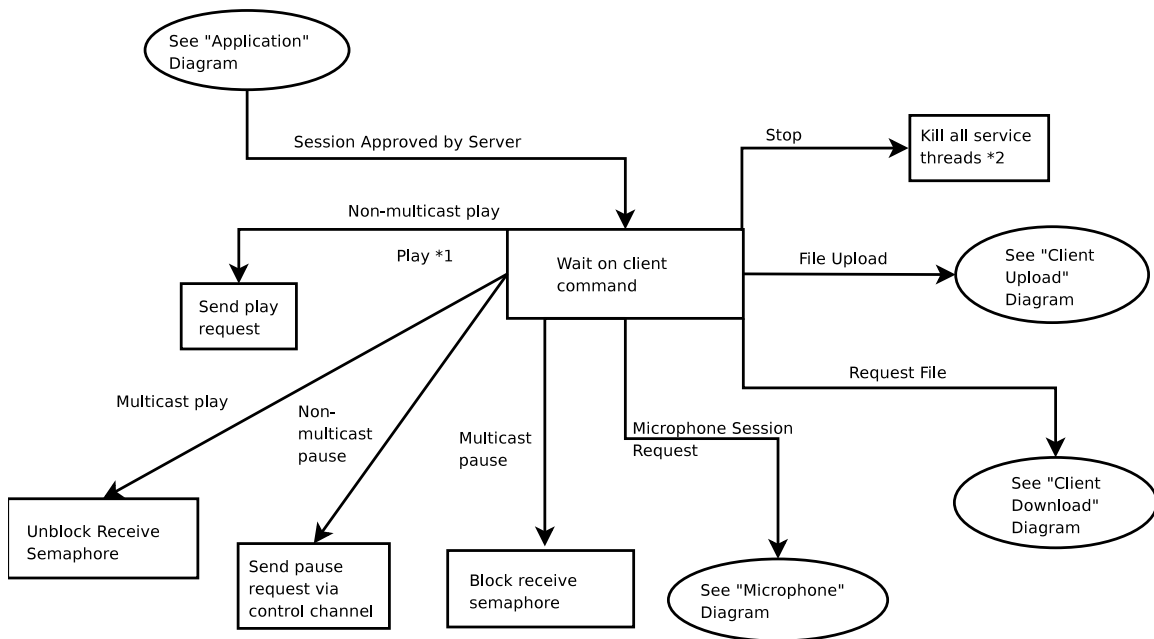


client connections. If it's the correct type of connection, it will accept, otherwise it will send a busy message.

figure 9: Application

Client Main

The following diagram is how the client deals with the server while in non-multicast mode. The client's input is from what the user selects and is sent to the server via a server control channel.



*1 - Options only available during a non-multicast audio stream

*2 - Server will automatically assume that client has pressed stop since it can no longer read from the control channel

figure 12: Client Main

Client Download

Handles the download for both multicast and non-multicast as well as streaming or save to disk. If it's streaming we use UDP otherwise we use the control channel. The client chooses to download a song, depending if it's multicast or non-multicast determines the outcome. The server will send an EOF message when it is done sending the file(s). If there are multiple files, the server will take out the EOF message between songs until the last one.

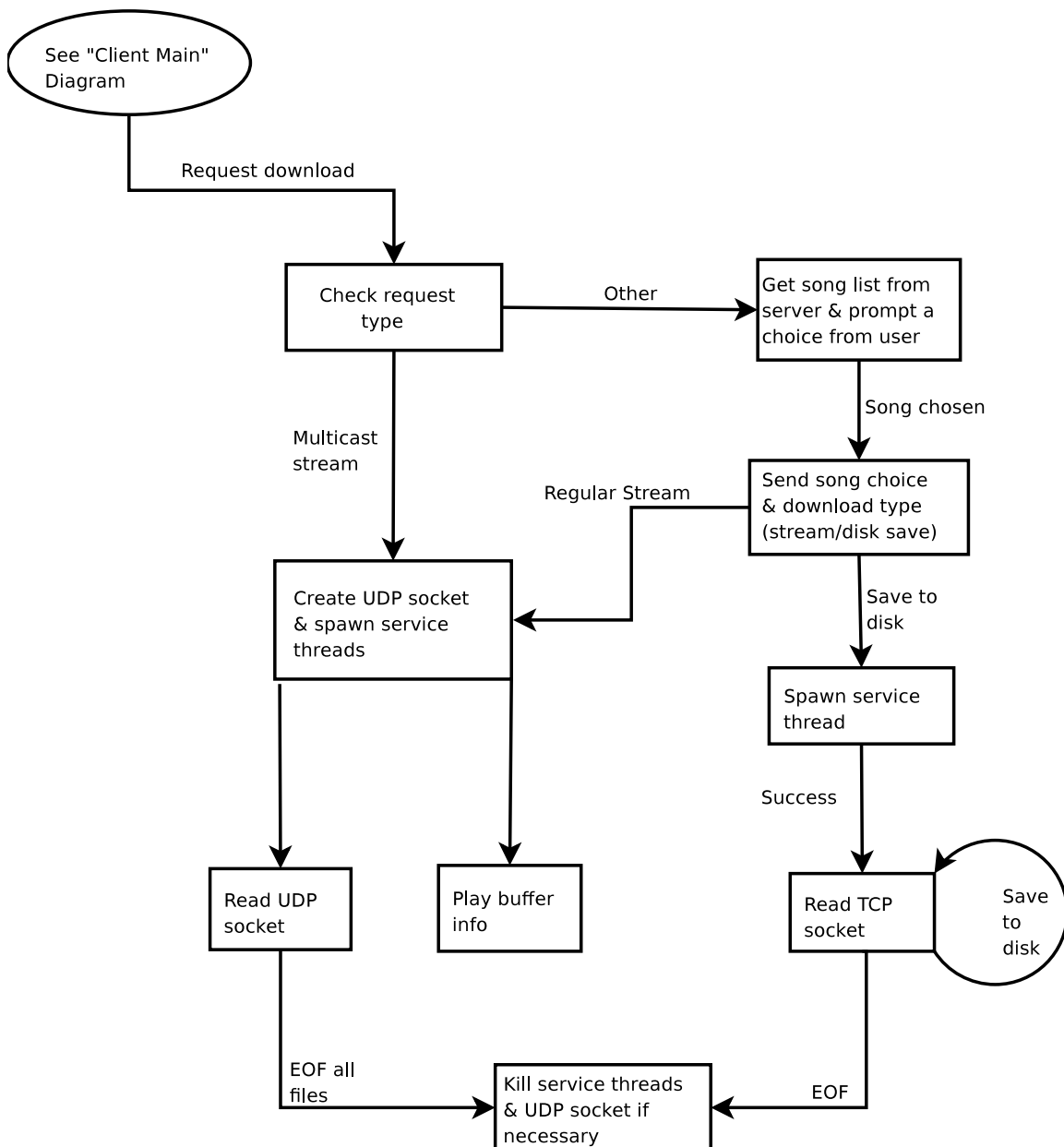


figure 10: Client Download

Server Download

This diagram shows how the server handles a download request from the client. By the time we get here, the server has already accepted the client connection so there is no need to send a confirmation to the client, acknowledging the request. Instead we just send the song list and wait for the user's song choice and whether they choose to stream or save the file. If stream was chosen then the server will use UDP whereas if save is chosen then it will use the control channel.

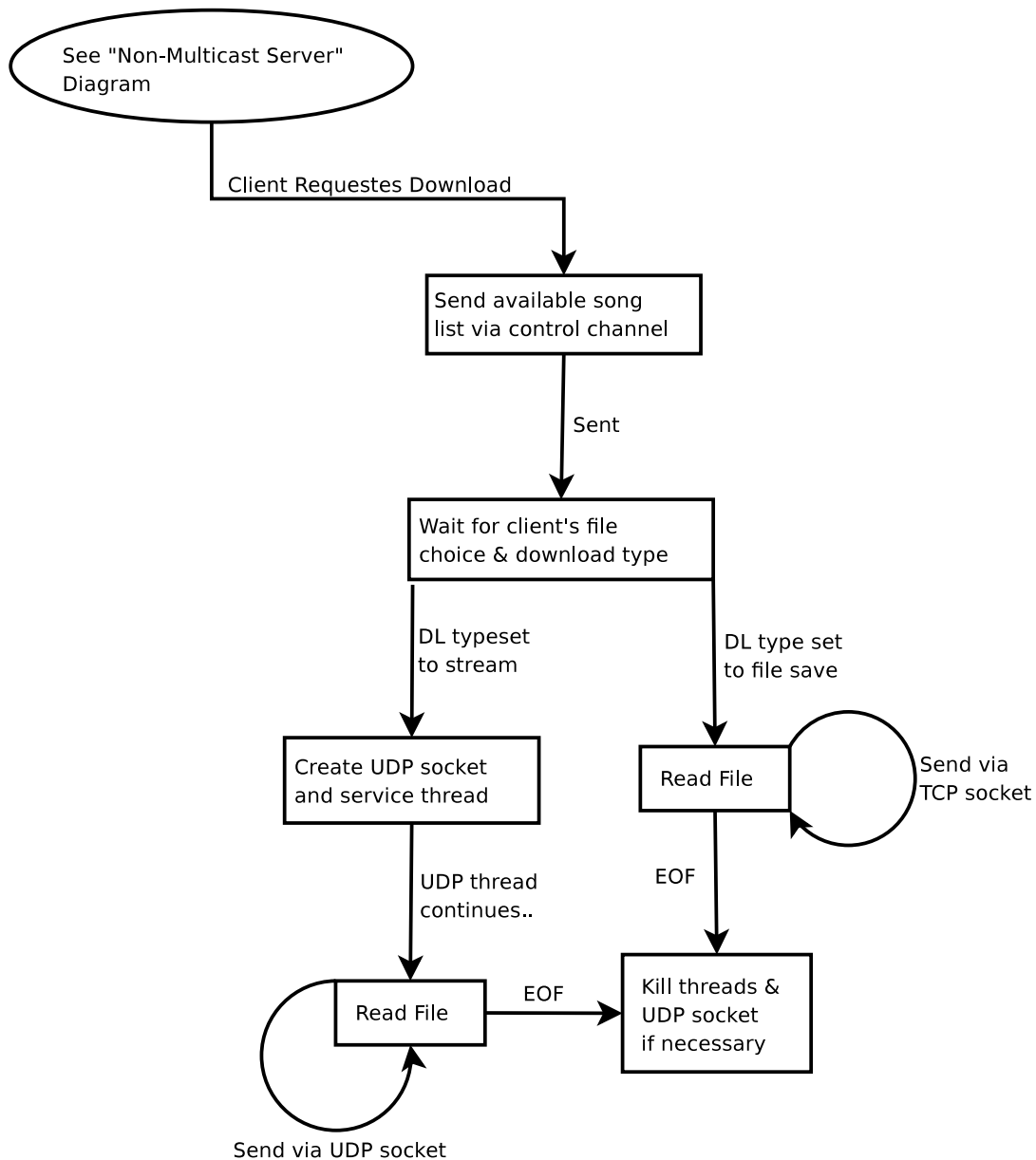


figure 11: Server Download

Non-multicast Server

This diagram shows how the server responds to client input via the control channel while the server is in streaming mode (non-multicast mode).

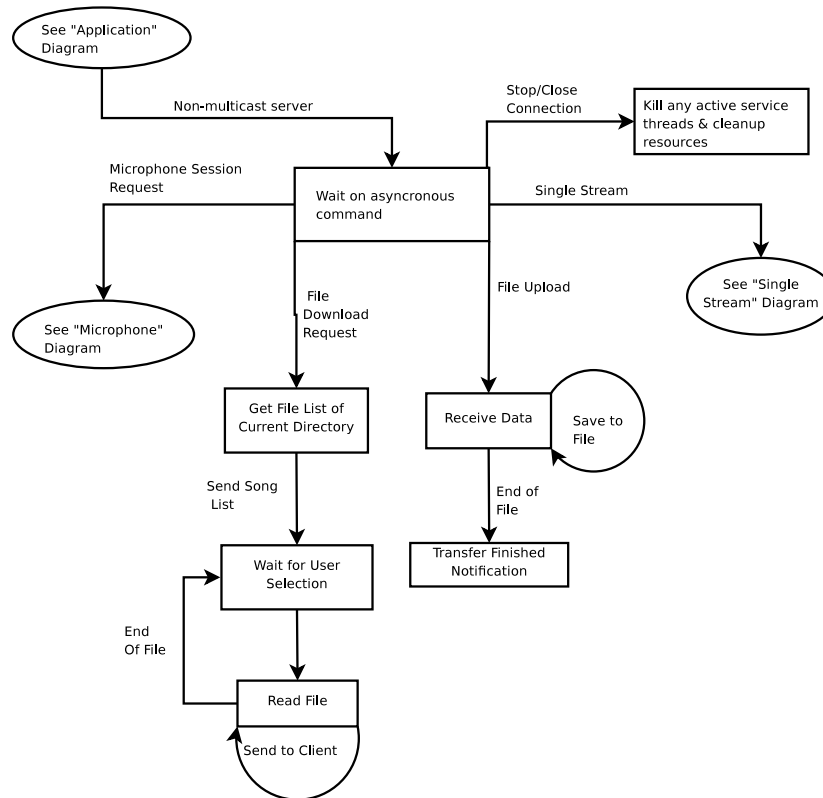


figure 13: Non-multicast Server

Non-Multicast Main

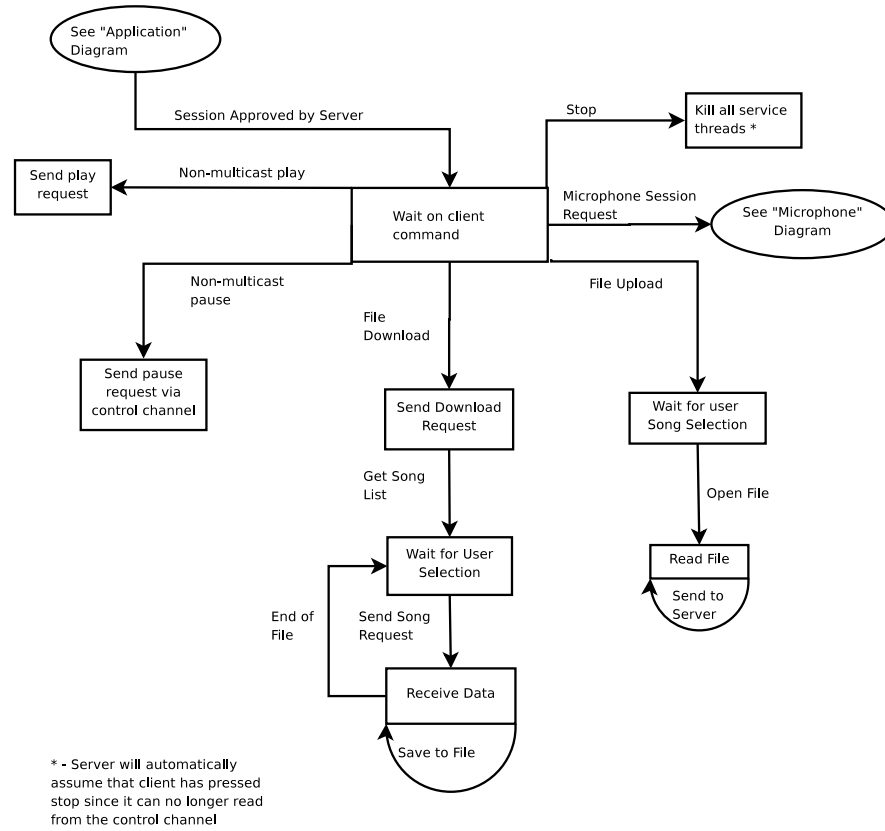


figure 14: Multicast Server

Microphone

This diagram shows how the client/server works when there is a microphone connection. Since it's a two way connection in which both can send and receive, it will be the same on the client and server.

Note: since the main thread is still getting user input, the send thread will act similar to a multicast server in that when we press pause it will block the receive semaphore on the client. This way the client can prevent feedback caused by sending the data that he/she is receiving through the speakers (noise).

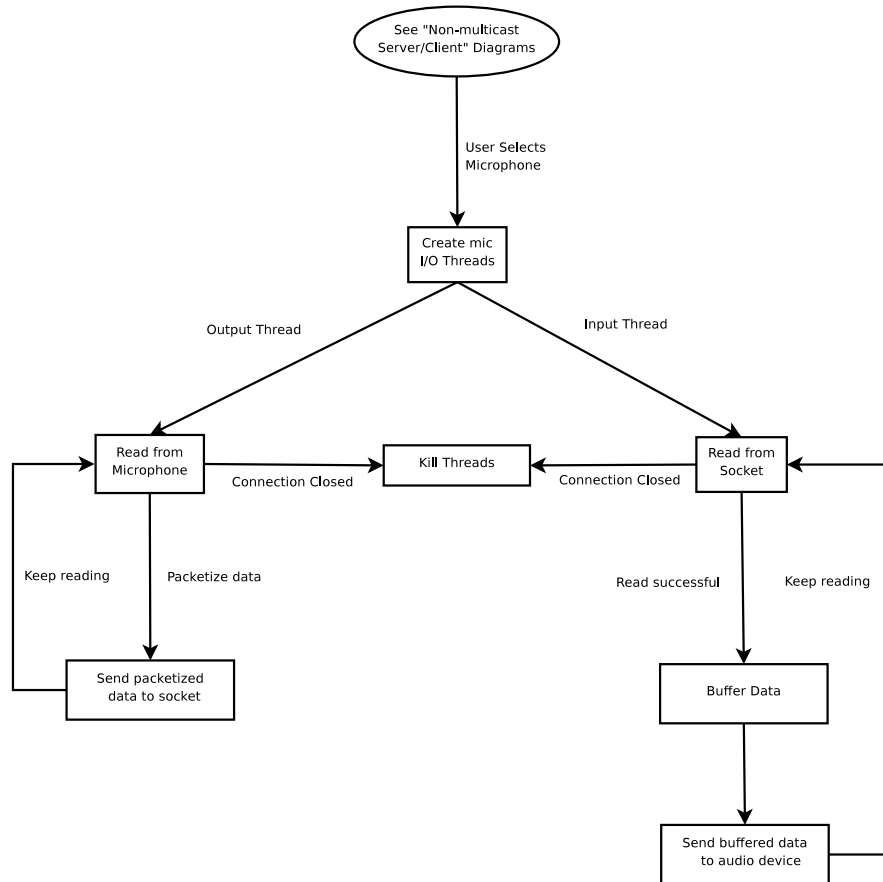


figure 15: Microphone

Client & Server Multicast

These diagrams show how the client and server manage multicasting.

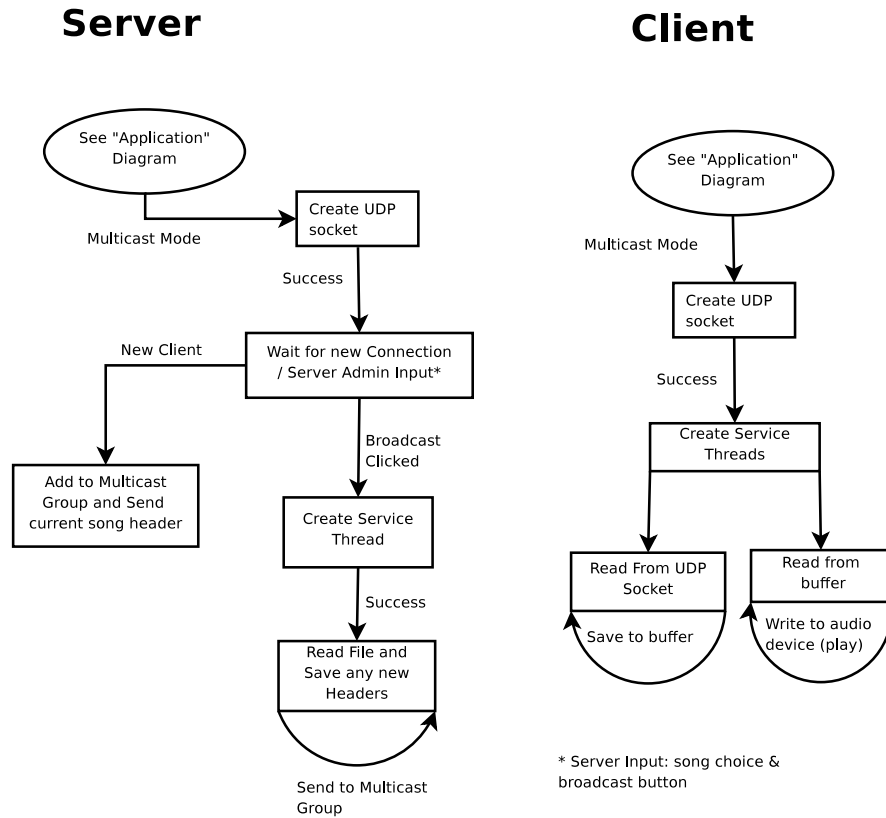


figure 16: Client Upload & Server Download (from Client)

PSEUDO-CODE

Application

OnCommand_start

```
case FILE_CONNECT
    call setup_server(tcpSocket)
    call setup_server (udpSocket)
case FILE_DISCONNECT
    sockClose
    Enable/Check menu items
    Update status bar (disconnected)
case FILE_EXIT
    PostQuitMessage
case CLIENT
    Update CI Struct to Client
    create Socket
    enable Menu Items
case SERVER
    Update CI Struct to Server
    Create Socket
    EnableMenu items
case SINGLE_UPLOAD
    Update CI Struct
    CheckMenu items
case SINGLE_STREAM
    Update CI Struct
    CheckMenu items
```

case MULTI_STREAM

Update CI Struct

CheckMenu items

case FILE_LOCAL

check Busy flag

if OK set busy flag to true

Browse files

OnCommand_end

Non-Multicast Client

client_main start

user inputs/requests:

Non-Multicast Play (only available during a stream)

send play request to server via control channel

Non-multicast Pause

send pause request to server via control channel

File Upload

call client_upload function

Microphone Session

send microphone request to server via control channel

if accepted

call microphone function

File Download

call client_download function

File Upload

call server_download function

Stop

kill all service threads & UDP socket (if exists)

client_main end

Non-multicast Server

nm_server start

client requests:

Stop/Close connection

kill all send threads

cleanup resources (such as sockets)

Single Stream

call sendStream function

File Upload

call server_download function

File Download

call client_download function

Microphone

call microphone function

nm_server end

Client Download

client_download start

get song list from the server
send the server our song choice
while receiving song data
write to a file

client_download end

Server Download

server_download start

User selects song
while not end of file
send song data to server

server_download end

Multicast Server

serverMulticast start

create UDP socket

Wait for new Connection/Broadcast button

If new client

add to Multicast Group

If Broadcast pushed

Create Thread

Read file and save new headers

send to Multicast group

serverMulticast end

Microphone

sendMicrophone start

if Microphone

call mic_record_begin function

Create Thread for receiveMicThread

sendMicrophone end

receiveMicThread start

allocate data blocks

receive data via UDP

call writeAudio function

receiveMicThread end

mic_record_begin start

allocate buffers and wave headers

Initialize structs

Open the input audio device

mic_record_begin end

Initial Setup/Helper Functions

Main start

set and register the window properties
create the window
enter wndProc message loop

Main end

wndProc start

switch messages:

HANDLE_MSG(WM_CREATE)

call OnCreate

HANDLE_MSG(WM_SIZE)

call OnSize

HANDLE_MSG(WM_COMMAND)

call OnCommand

HANDLE_MSG(WM_PAINT)

call OnPaint

HANDLE_MSG(WM_CLOSE)

call OnClose

HANDLE_MSG(WM_SOCKET)

call OnSocket

HANDLE_MSG(WM_DESTROY

call OnDestroy

wndProc_end

OnCreate_start

Initialize window

Setup CONNECTION_INFO struct

OnCreate_end

udp_services_start

create UDP socket

create service threads

thread 1:

play information stored in buffer

thread 2:

read UDP socket & store in buffer

if we have read to EOF on all files

kill service threads

kill UDP socket

udp_services_end

OnPaint_start

Begin/end paint

OnPaint_end

OnDestroy_start

PostQuitMessage

OnDestroy_end

OnSocket_start

switch WSAEvent

case FD_ACCEPT

sockAccept()

case FD_CLOSE

sockClose()

case FD_CONNECT

sockConnect()

case FD_READ

tcp_sockRead()

case FD_WRITE

writeTCPsock()

OnSocket_end

Socket Functions

sockAccept start

```
    SOCKET s  
    s = accept()
```

sockAccept end

sockClose start

```
    close socket
```

sockClose end

sockConnect start

```
    error checking connection  
    -already connected  
    -couldn't connect  
    -timed out
```

sockConnect end

tcp_sockRead start

```
    if Server  
        if Single Upload  
            call client_download  
            recv() first packet to determine type  
  
        if Single Download  
            call server_download  
  
        if Single Stream  
            Check if previous stream thread is open
```

```

        call sendStream thread
    if Microphone
        *****

    Set request type

if Client
    if Single Download
        call client_download
    if Single Stream
        get Song listing
    if Microphone
        *****

tcp_sockRead end

writeTCPsock start
    clear the buffer
    Set request type
    Send request type

    if Single Upload
        call server_download
    if Microphone
        *****

writeTCPsock end

```

Local Play Functions

localSong_Init start

```
    initialize DeviceType to "waveaudio"
    initialize ElementName to the file
    if Opening the device for file input fails
        error
    else
        set the DeviceID to proper device
        Send Play message to the device
```

localSong_Init end

localSong_Pause start

```
    if DeviceID is ok
        Send pause message to device
```

localSong_Pause end

localSong_Play start

```
    if DeviceID is ok
        send Play message to device
```

localSong_Play end

localSong_Stop start

```
    if DeviceID is ok
        Send stop message
        Send close message
```

localSong_Stop end

Setup Client

setup_client start

```
WSAStartup();  
  
create TCPSocket/UDPSocket  
  
set SO_REUSEADDR so we can reuse the port  
  
WSAAsyncSelect on CONNECT, WRITE, READ and CLOSE  
  
Initialize SOCKADDR_IN struct
```

setup_client end

Setup Server

setup_server start

```
WSAStartup()  
  
create TCPSocket  
  
Set SO_REUSEADDR so we can reuse port  
  
initialize SOCKADDR_IN struct  
  
bind the address to the socket  
  
Listen for 5 connections  
  
WSAAsyncSelect on READ, ACCEPT and CLOSE
```

setup_server end

Streaming (Multicast/Single Client) Functions

receiveStream start

```
    allocate block variables

    Initialize Critical Section

    While receiving

        if Single Stream

            send Play signal to server

            receive data from server

            if buffer contains header

                update the waveform header

                reopen the audio device

            call writeAudio function

        Wait for audio to complete

        free the allocated blocks

        delete critical section
```

recieveStream end

sendStream start

```
    Open the file to be sent

    if Single Stream

        wait for initial UDP packet to determine address

    While not EOF

        Read the file
```

```
    if Multicast

        if last file chunk read contained a header

            save the header information

        if new client connects

            send header to client

    send data to client

    if Single Stream

        wait for next packet request from client

    if Multicast

        wait for audio to finish playing

sendStream end

writeAudio start

    while there is data to process

        if header is already prepared

            unprepare header

        prepare new header

        play the sound

writeAudio end
```