

Assignment 1
Introduction to Socket Programming in C/C++

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Introduction

In this assignment, you will use sockets to implement a simple web client that communicates with a web server using a restricted subset of HTTP. The main objective of this assignment is to give you hands-on experience with UNIX sockets.

implementation

Class Parser:

- words opening; // enum to choose it's GET or POST.
- string directory; // store the directory of the file.
- string body; // store the body of the request in case of POST.
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- vector<string> main_parse(string s,string delim)
giving a string s and a delimiter, parse the string into a vector of strings by the delimiter.
- void parse_lines(vector<string> res)
vector <string> res is the output of main_parse, the method parses the first line and checks if it GET or POST, then the directory of the file, it then gets the headers, and then if POST it stores the body of request.

Class Http:

- Parser parser
- string message
to store the response
- void get_request(string directory)
In case of GET request, pass the directory of the file, determine if the file exists, if it exists call the ok_response and read the file then store it message, if it doesn't exist call not_found_response.
- void post_request(string directory, string body)
in case of POST request, pass the directory and the body of the request, create a file and store the body into it.
- void ok_response(string data)
store the HTTP/1.1 200 OK and the data into the message response.

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- void not_found_response()
store HTTP/1.1 404 NOT FOUND

Server

- Create a winsock connection
- Resolve the local address and port to be used by the server
`iResult = getaddrinfo(NULL, DEFAULT_PORT, &hints, &result);`
- Create a SOCKET for connecting to server
`ListenSocket = socket(result->ai_family, result->ai_socktype, result->ai_protocol);`
- bind a socket that has already been created to an IP address and port,
Setup the TCP listening socket
`iResult = bind(ListenSocket, result->ai_addr, (int)result->ai_addrlen);`
- After the socket is bound to an IP address and port on the system, the server must then listen on that IP address and port for incoming connection requests.
`iResult = listen(ListenSocket, MAX_CLIENTS);`
- Accept a client socket and assign this client to a thread

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while(true) {  
    cout << "server is waiting\n";  
    SOCKET ClientSocket = accept(ListenSocket, NULL, NULL);  
    counter++;  
  
    if (ClientSocket == INVALID_SOCKET) {  
        printf("accept failed with error: %d\n", WSAGetLastError());  
        closesocket(ListenSocket);  
        WSACleanup();  
        return 1;  
    }  
  
    thread(client_connect, ClientSocket).detach();  
}
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- Receive and send data with timeout
`iResult = recv(ClientSocket, recvbuf, recvbuflen, 0);`
`int iSendResult = send(ClientSocket, send_buff, tmp.size(), 0);`
- Timeout = number of max clients / number of active clients.

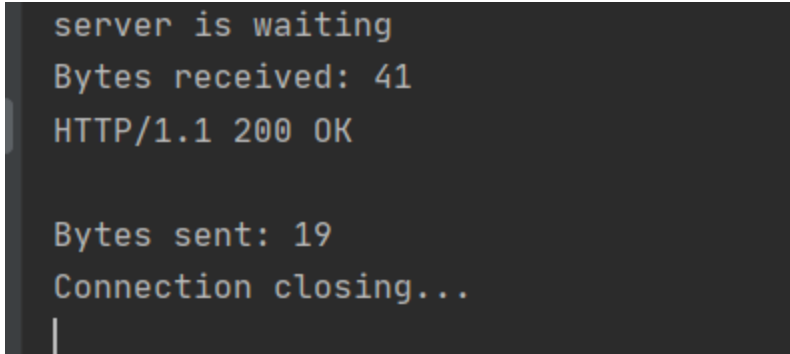
Client:

- Create a winsock connection
- Resolve the local address and port to be used by the server
`iResult = getaddrinfo(NULL, DEFAULT_PORT, &hints, &result);`
- Attempt to connect to an address until one succeeds.
- Create a SOCKET for connecting to server
`ConnectSocket = socket(ptr->ai_family, ptr->ai_socktype, ptr->ai_protocol);`
- Connect to the server.
`iResult = connect(ConnectSocket, ptr->ai_addr, (int)ptr->ai_addrlen);`
- Receive and send data.

Screenshots:

Posting a file => "POST /test.txt HTTP/1.1\r\n\r\n hello i'm ali"

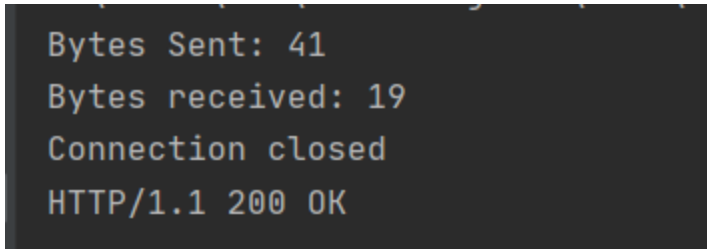
Server side:



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server is waiting
Bytes received: 41
HTTP/1.1 200 OK

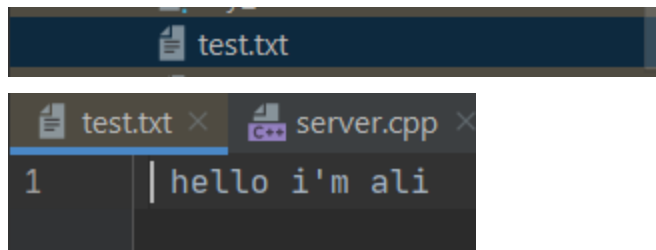
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Connection closing...
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Client side:

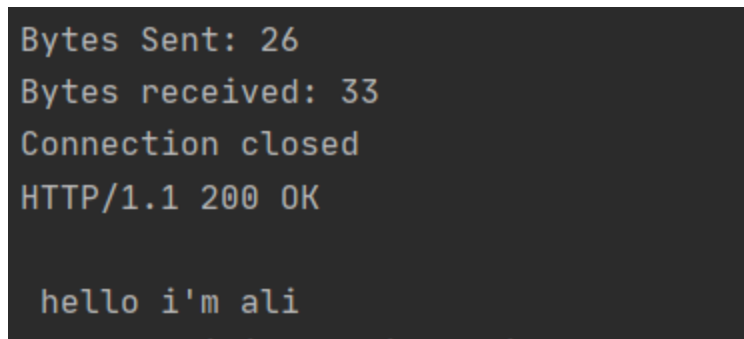


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Bytes Sent: 41
Bytes received: 19
Connection closed
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
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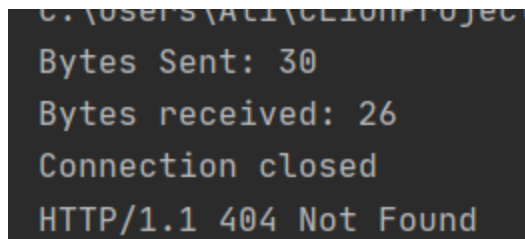
The file created successfully



"GET /test.txt HTTP/1.1\r\n\r\n"

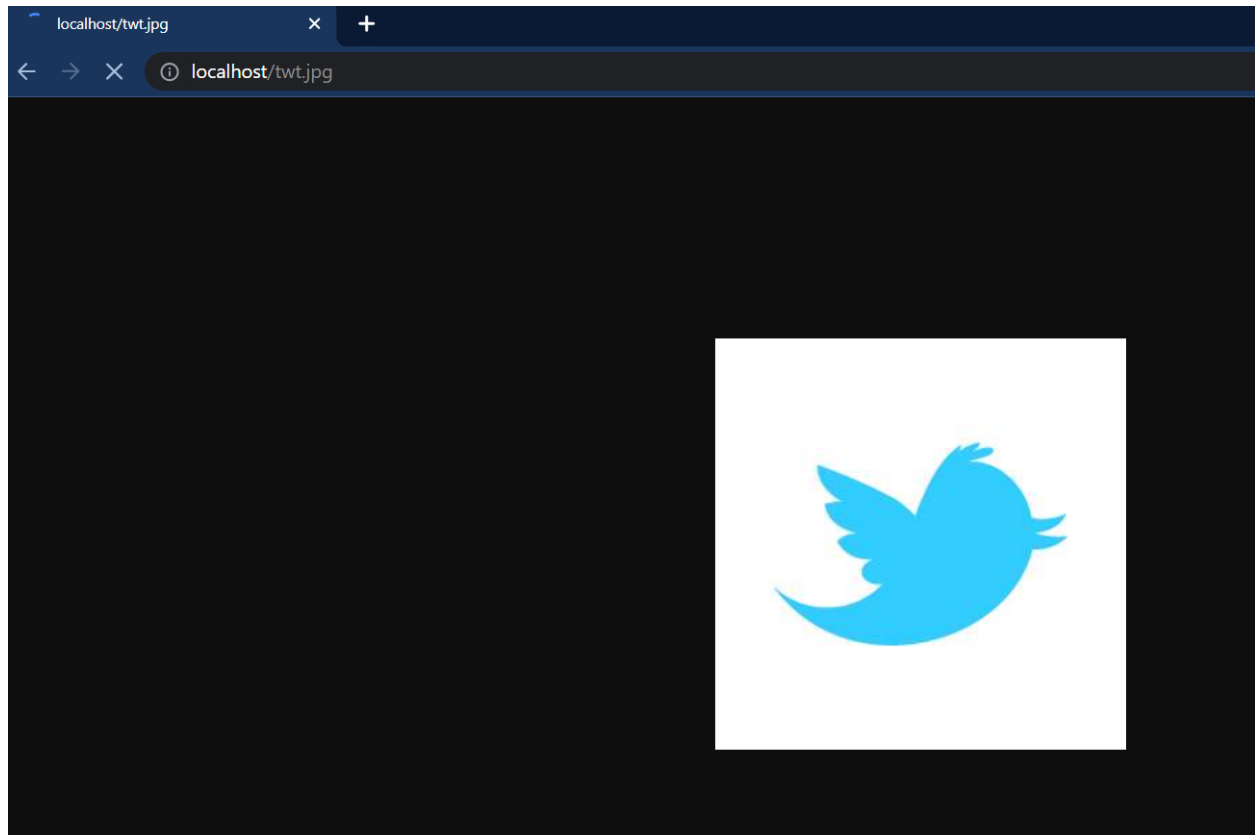


"GET /notfound.txt HTTP/1.1\r\n\r\n"



Using browser:

Get a picture



GET html and css files

