

# Lab 9: Sockets

CSE/IT 107

NMT Computer Science

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“I think there is a world market for maybe five computers.”

— Thomas J. Watson (Founder and Chairman, IBM)

“Judge a man by his questions, rather than his answers.”

— Voltaire

“The limits of your language are the limits of your world.”

— Ludwig Wittgenstein

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## 1 Introduction

## 2 Sockets

### 3 Exercises

#### Boilerplate

Remember that this lab *must* use the boilerplate syntax introduced in Lab 5, including the review exercises.

**rps.py** Write a program that connects to the server running at 104.131.56.87 port 50000 and plays a game of rock, paper, scissors. The server will send the following messages:

**username** Next message sent will be your client's display name.

**taken** The name sent is already in use. Repeat sending a name.

**wait** Game has not yet been found (waiting for another player). No response required.

**opponent <name>** A game has been found. The opponent's name will be inserted for "<name>". No response required.

**play** The next message sent should consist solely of "r", "p", or "s", depending on whether you wish to play rock, paper, or scissors.

**tie** Your opponent played the same as you, causing a tie. No response required.

**win** Your play beat your opponent's, so you won. The next message should consist solely of "y" or "n", indicating your desire to play again.

**lose** Your opponent's play beat yours, so you lost. The next message should consist solely of "y" or "n", indicating your desire to play again.

**disconnect** Your opponent disconnected at an unexpected time. The next message should consist solely of "y" or "n", indicating your desire to find a new opponent.

For each of these server responses, you need to display an appropriate message with a prompt for input if appropriate. For example, a "win" message might output "Congratulations, you beat <otherplayer>! Do you want to play again?"

## 4 Submitting

Files to submit:

- `sum.py` (Section 3)

You may submit your code as either a tarball (instructions below) or as a `.zip` file. Either one should contain all files used in the exercises for this lab. The submitted file should be named either `cse107_firstname_lastname_lab8.zip` or `cse107_firstname_lastname_lab8.tar.gz` depending on which method you used.

For Windows, use a tool you like to create a `.zip` file. The TCC computers should have 7z installed. For Linux, look at lab 1 for instructions on how to create a tarball or use the “Archive Manager” graphical tool.

**Upload your tarball or `.zip` file to Canvas.**