Chapter - 5 Network Layer

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Store-and-Forward Packet Switching In this type of network router stores packet and forward it to the appropriate destination. Router Carrier's equipment Process P1 Process P2 Prof. Vishal A. Polara

Outline

- Design Issues
- Routing Algorithms: Shortest Path routing, Flooding, Distance vector routing, Link state routing, Broadcast, multicast routing
- · Congestion Control Algorithms
- · Quality of Service, Internetworking
- IPv4 and IPv6.

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Services Provided to the Transport Layer

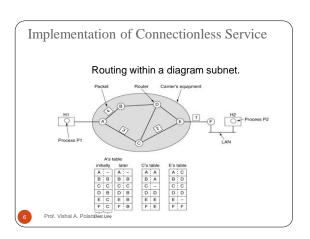
- Services should be *independent of router technology*.
- The transport layer should be *shielded from* (covered with) number, type and topology of routers present.
- The network addresses made available to transport layer should *use a uniform numbering plan*, even across LANs and WANs.

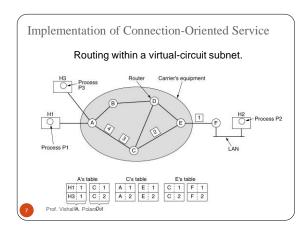
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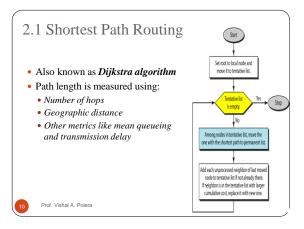
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1. Network Layer Design Issues

- · Following issues are possible while designing network
- · Store-and-Forward Packet Switching
- · Services Provided to the Transport Layer
- · Implementation of Connectionless Service
- · Implementation of Connection-Oriented Service
- · Comparison of Virtual-Circuit and Datagram Subnets







Comparison of Virtual-Circuit and Datagram Subnets

Issue	Datagram subnet	Virtual-circuit subnet
Circuit setup	Not needed	Required
Addressing	Each packet contains the full source and destination address	Each packet contains a short VC number
State information	Routers do not hold state information about connections	Each VC requires router table space per connection
Routing	Each packet is routed independently	Route chosen when VC is set up; all packets follow it
Effect of router failures	None, except for packets lost during the crash	All VCs that passed through the failed router are terminated
Quality of service	Difficult	Easy if enough resources can be allocated in advance for each VC
Congestion control	Difficult	Easy if enough resources can be allocated in advance for each VC

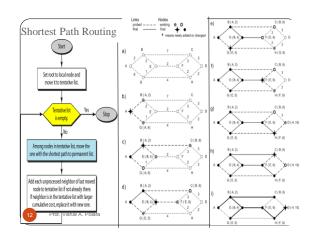
Steps

- It is non adaptive (static) routing algorithm.
- In this algorithm initially distance from each node is infinite.
- In this algorithm nodes divide into two sets: tentative and permanent.
- It finds the neighbors of a current node, makes them tentative, examines them and if they pass the criteria makes them permanent.
- After reaching the destination algorithm stop.

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2. Routing Algorithm

- ► <u>Static Algorithms (Non-Adaptive)</u>
- 1. Shortest-path routing.
- 2. Flooding.
- ► Dynamic Routing (Adaptive Routing)
- 1. Distance vector routing.
- 2. Link state routing.



2.2 Flooding

- · It is static routing algorithm.
- · Each router must have details of adjacent router.
- Sends data packet to all router except the one form where data come.
- Many duplicate packet will be arrived at destination end to eliminate this use counters at hops
- Problem: duplicates
- · Constraining the flood:
 - <u>Sequencing</u> Each packet is uniquely numbered at the source.
 - <u>Hop count</u> Each time a node passes on a packet, it decrements the value by one. When its value becomes '0', the packet is discarded. Hop count is equal to total numbers of node from source to destination.
- Selective flooding Exclude unreasonable links



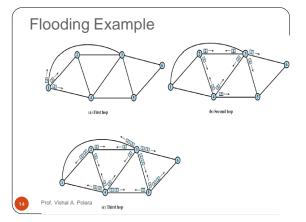
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2.3 Distance Vector Routing

- · It has three step: initialization, sharing, updating
- · During initialization each node know how to reach all other node which is immediately connected to it.
- · During sharing phase each node share their routing table to other node so other node can decide how to reach all the node which is not directly connected to it.
- · During updating phase each node update distance to the node which is not directly connected to it and add entry in third column (it will add entry of source node).
- · Node will create modified table from neighbor node and compare with old one and keeps the shortest one.



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2.3 Distance Vector Routing

- · When to share?
- · Periodic update: a node sends its routing table, normally every 30s, in a periodic update.
- · Triggered update: a node sends its two column routing table to its neighbors anytime there is a change in its routing table. This is called triggered update.
 - · A node receives a table from a neighbor, resulting in changes in its own table after updating.
 - · A node detects some failure in the neighboring links which results in a distance change to infinity.

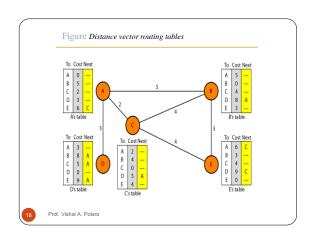


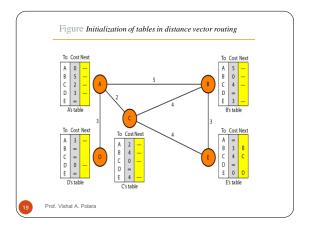
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2.3 Distance Vector Routing

- It is dynamic routing (adaptive) algorithm.
- In this algorithm each router maintain routing table. This tables are updated by exchanging information with the neighbors.
- It is also known as bell men ford and ford-fulkerson algorithm.
- In distance vector routing, each router maintains a routing table indexed by, and containing one entry for, each router in the subnet. This entry contains two parts: the preferred outgoing line to use for that destination and an estimate of the time or distance to that destination.
- Metric is hop, queue and delay.



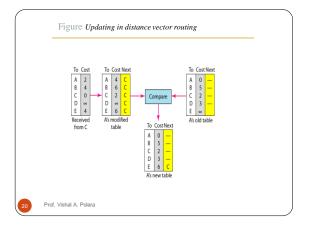




2.3 Distance Vector Routing solution

- Split Horizon: Another solution is called split horizon. If according to its table node B think that optimum path to reach X from A then it will not advertise this information to A. it comes from A.
- · Split Horizon and poison reverse:
- The distance vector protocol uses a timer, and if there is no news about a route, the node deletes the route from its table.
 when node B in the previous scenario eliminate the route to X from its advertisement to A. here node B still advertise the value for X but with value as infinite that means value comes from A





2.3 Distance Vector Routing prob & sol.

- Three node instability: in this case no guarantee of stability.
- X-A---B ----C----A
- If X is not reachable node A send this to B and C, B will receive and update table but C will not receive so it assume that there is a path to X. C sends its routing table to B, B is fooled here so it update table there is a route from C, after a while B advertise to A and A will be fooled.
- Now loop continues. The loop stops when the cost in each node reaches infinity.



2.3 Distance Vector Routing Problem &sol.

• Two Node instability:

- If there are two node at the A and B who knows how to reach X at beginning. Now the link between A and X fails. Node A changes its table, if A can send its table to B immediatelly, everythin is fine
 - For ex. X----A is connection
- But if B sends its routing table to A it will create a problem, here A assumes that there is a path from B to X. now A send its routing table to B so cost of reaching X increases gradually until it reaches infinity.
- Solution:
- Defining Infinity:
- Define distance between each node is 1 and 16 as infinity that means it cannot use for large system. The size of the network in each direction cannot exceed 15 hops.



2.4 Link State Routing

Each router must do the following:

- 1. Discover its neighbors, learn their network address.
- 2. Measure the delay or cost to each of its neighbors.
- 3. Construct a packet telling all it has just learned.
- 4. Send this packet to all other routers.
- 5. Compute the shortest path to every other router.

Dijkstra's algorithm is run to find the shortest path to each routers.

1.Learning About the neighbors

- In this step router will learn about its neighbors.
- It send hello message to all other node on point to point line. Then the router on the other end is expected to send back a reply telling who it is.
- These names must be globally unique because when a distant router later hears that three routers are all connected to F, it is essential that it can determine whether all three mean the same F.
- When two or more routers are connected by a LAN, the situation is slightly more complicated.



Measuring Line Cost A subnet in which the East and West parts are connected by two lines. West East G

3. Building Link State packets

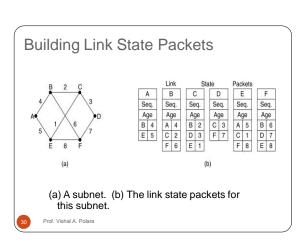
- After Collecting all the information each router to build packet containing data.
- Packet start with identity of sender, followed by sequence number and age, and list of neighbors. For each neighbor delay is also given.
- It is easy to build packet but it is difficult to determine when to build.
- Normally it is build periodically at regular intervals.
 Another way to build them when some significant event occurs. Such as line or neighbor going down.



2.Measuring line cost

- In this step router will calculate delay to its neighbors.
- Each router will send ECHO packet to calculate delay.
 When this packet comes back at source it will divide total time by 2 and note down the time as delay.
- It is also calculated based on delay between to two line heavily loaded and lightly loaded. It will select line which is lightly loaded.
- In the figure CF path is longest and EI is smallest so all traffic follows EI path.

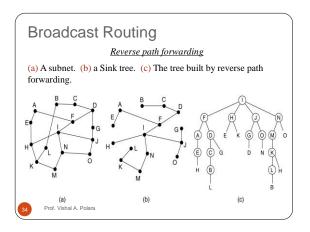




4. Distributing the link state packets

- Fundamentally flooding is used to distribute packets. It keeps track of all packet and source. It will check packet if it is new then it will forward to all except one from whom it comes. If duplicate it is discarded.
- First problem is sequence number wrap around or completed.
- Second problem if router get crashed, it will lose track of sequence numbers. If it start with 0 next packet will be rejected as a duplicate.
- Third problem is if sequence number is corrupted.
- Solution of this problem is adding age after sequence number which is decremented once per second. When age hits 0 information from that router is discarded.





5. Computing the new routes

- Once a router has accumulated a full set of link state packets, it can construct the entire subnet graph because every link is represented.
- Dijkstra's algorithm can be run locally to construct the shortest path to all possible destinations

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2.6 Multicast Routing

- It is used when all are not interested to receive the message.
- In this technique there are group of router and message will be send to specific group only.

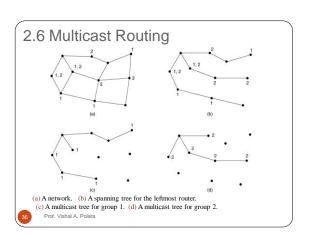
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2.5 Broadcast Routing

It is the process of "Sending a packet to all destinations simultaneously". Various methods are:

- > Send packet to each destination
- > Flooding point-to-point routing algorithm
- ➤ Multidestination routing new packet for each output line to be used. (Each output line will contain the destination address that are to use that line)
- ➤ A spanning tree is a subset of the subnet that includes all the routers but contains no loops
- > Reverse path forwarding





3. Congestion Control

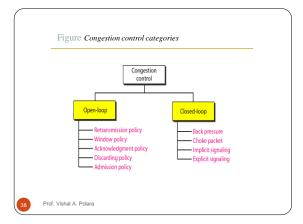
- Congestion control refers to techniques and mechanisms that can either prevent congestion, before it happens, or remove congestion, after it has happened.
- > In general, we can divide congestion control mechanisms into two broad categories:
- open-loop congestion control (prevention): It is applied to prevent congestion before it happens.
- closed-loop congestion control (removal): it is applied to alleviate congestion after it happens.



Close Loop Congestion control

- 1. Backpressure: In this technique congested node stops receiving data from the immediate upstream node or nodes.
- Backpressure is a node to node congestion control that starts with a node an propagates, in the opposite direction of data flow
- It is applied only to virtual circuit network. In which each node knows the upstream node from which a flow of data is coming.
- 2. Chock Packet: A choke packet is a packet sent by a node to the source to inform it of congestion.
- In chock packet method the warning is from the router which has encountered congestion, to the source station directly.



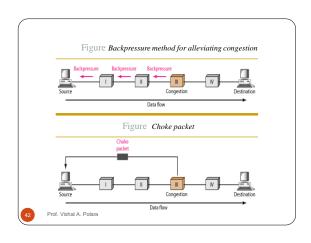


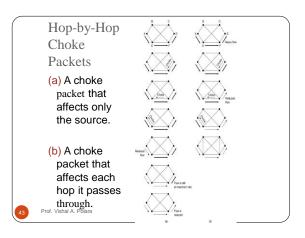
Close Loop Congestion control

- 3. Implicit Signaling: in this technique there is no communication between the congested node or nodes and the source.
- The source guesses that there is a congestion somewhere in the network from other symptoms.
- For example if source will not get an acknowledgment for a while it assumes that there is a congestion.
- 4. Explicit Signaling: The node that experience congestion will send signal to source or destination.
- In this technique no separate packet is used, signal is included in the packets that carry data.
- Backward signaling: bit sent to source in reverse direction to inform congestion
- Forward signaling: bit sent in same direction to receiver
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Open Loop Congestion control

- 1. Retransmission Policy: Retransmission can create congestion when packet get lost. To prevent it retransmission times must be designed to optimize efficiency and at the same time prevent congestion.
- 2. Window policy: the type of window also create congestion. It
 is better to use selective repeat instead of go back N.
- 3. Acknowledgement Policy: the acknowledgment by receiver also affect congestion. In this case receiver will not send acknowledgement for every packet it receive which will slow down the receiver.
- 4. Discarding Policy: packet must me discarded by router to prevent congestion. For example in audio transmission less sensitive packets is discarded when congestion occurs.
- 5. Admission Policy: In this case router will check all resources before establishing virtual circuit. If there is congestion it will not allow to get admission in circuit.





4.1 Quality of service improved technique

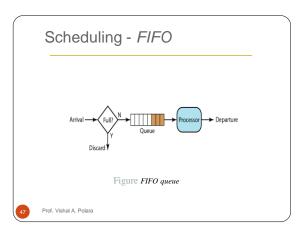
- 1. Scheduling:
- FIFO queuing: first in, first out queuing packets wait in buffer until the node is ready to process them. If the average arrival rate I higher than the average processing rate, the queue will fill up and new packets will be discarded. For example wait at bus stop.
- **Priority Queuing:** In this technique priority class is assigned to packets. The packet in higher priority queue are processed first.
- there is a drawback if there is a continuous flow in high priority queue. The packets in the lower priority queues will never a chance to be processed.
- Weighted Fair Queuing: It is like priority queue class is assigned to packet but here higher priority means weight, if weights are 3.2, and 1, there packets are processed from the first queue, two from send and one from third queue.

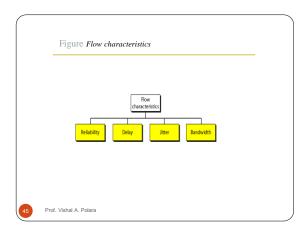


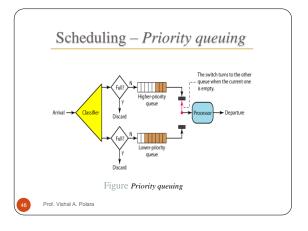
4. Quality of service

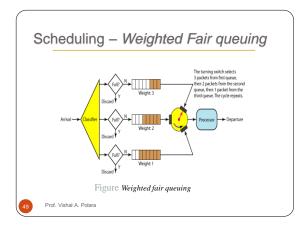
- Flow Characteristics:
- 1. Reliability: It means lose of packet. If packet lose is less than reliability is more. For example it is required in mail, file transfer etc.
- 2. Delay: source to destination delay is not good for voice communication.
- 3. Jitter: Jitter is the variation in delay for packets belonging to the same flow. For example if four packet sent at 1,2,3 and 4 second it arrive at 21,22,23,24 then there is a same delay 20.
- high jitter means difference between delay is large.
- 4. Bandwidth: different applications need different bandwidths.
 Video conferencing require millions of bit to sent while mail doesnot.

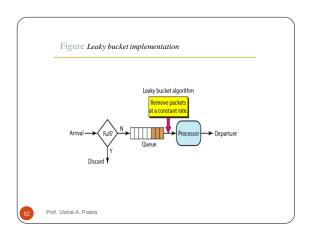












4.1 Quality of service improved technique

- 2. Traffic Shaping
- It is a mechanism to control the amount and the rate of the traffic sent to the network.
- Leaky Bucket: It is used to smooth out busty traffic.
- Flow is not depend on input, output flow is constant.
- Here busty chunks are stored in the bucket and sent out at an average rate.
- It can also prevent congestion. It is also used for FIFO queue.
 If the traffic consists of fixed size packets ,the process removes a fixed number of packets from the queue at each tick of the clock. If the traffic consists of variable length packets the fixed output rate must be based on the number of bytes or bits..

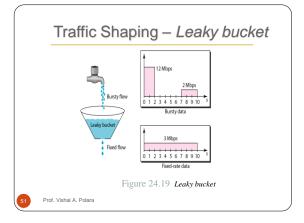


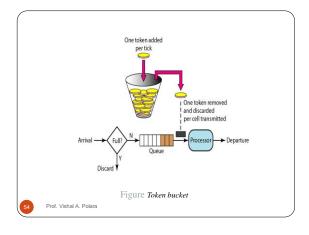
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4.1 Quality of service improved technique

- Token Bucket: the leaky bucket is very restrictive. It does not credit and idle host.
- If host does not have data bucket becomes empty. If the host has busty data the leaky bucket allows only an average rate.
- In token bucket algorithm allow idle host to accumulate credit for the future in the form of tokens.
- For each tick of the clock the system sends n tokens to the bucket.
 The system removes one token for every cell(or byte) of data sent.
- For example if n is 100 and the host is idle for 100 ticks. The bucket collect 10,000 tokens.
- Here host can send busty data as long as the bucket is not empty.
- It can be easily implemented using counter. Each time token is added counter in incremented by 1 and each time data is sent counter is decremented by 1.

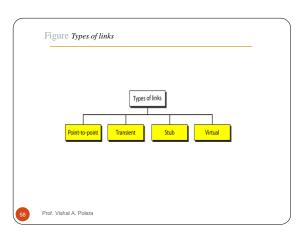






- 4.1 Quality of service improved technique
- 3. Resource Reservation: A flow of data needs resources such as buffer, bandwidth, CPU time.
- Quality of service improved if resources are reserve before task.
- 4. Admission Control: Admission control refers to the mechanism use by router or a switch to accept or reject a flow based on predefined parameters called flow specifications.
- it check the availability of new connection based on load.

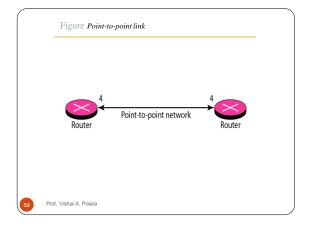


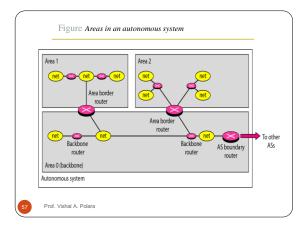


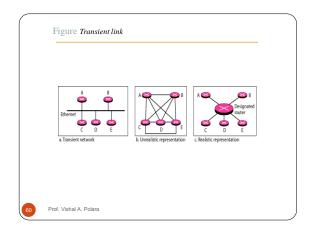
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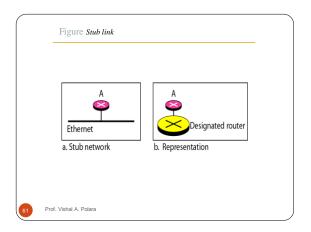
- · Open Shortest Path First
- <u>Areas</u> Collection of networks, host and routers all contained within an autonomous system
- · Area Border routers
- · Backbone & Backbone routers
- · Virtual link
- · Area identification
- Metric
- · Types of links

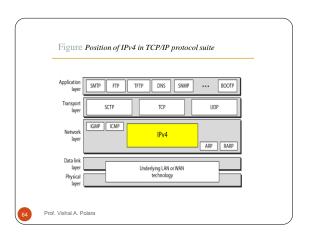


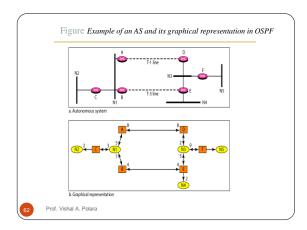


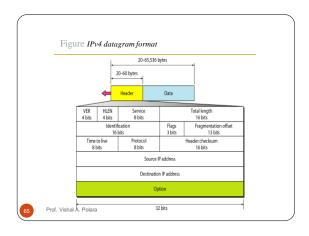












5. Internetworking (IPv4 and IPv6)

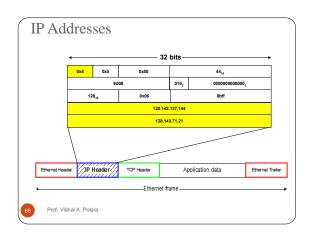
• Internetwork is made of five networks: four LANs and one WAN.

• Internet is made of four sub network 4 LAN and 1 WAN.

• IP is connection less so it will not provide reliability.

• IPv4 is also connection less it will not provide flow control and error control.

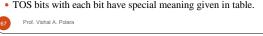
• To provide reliability it must be used with TCP.

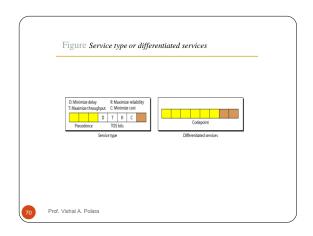


IPv4 Header

- Version(VER): it is a 4 bit field defines the version of the iPv4 Protocol.
- Header Length(HLEN): this 4 bit field defines the total length of the datagram header in 4 byte words.
- Header length is from 20 to 60 byte so when it is minimum 20 bytes, header length is 5 (5 * 4=20).
- Service: it is of 8 bit. In this interpretation first 3 bits are called precedence bits. The next 4 bits are called type of service(TOS) bits.
- · Precedence is used to defined priority of datagram at the time of congestion.
- TOS bits with each bit have special meaning given in table.







IPv4 Header

- Total Length: this is a 16 bit field that defines the total length of the IPv4 datagram in bytes.
- · Length of data is coming from upper layer can be calculated using
- Length of data = total length header length
- Identification: it is 16 bit field identifies a datagram origination from source.
- Flags: this is a 3 bit field. The first bit is reserved. The second bit is called the do not fragment bit. If its value is 1. don't fragment. Third bit is called more fragment bit. If its value is 1, it means the datagram is not the last fragment, there are more fragments after this one.



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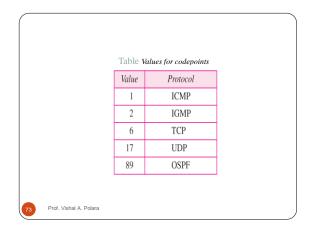
Table Types of service TOS Bits Description 0000 Normal (default) 0001 Minimize cost Maximize reliability 0010 0100 Maximize throughput 1000 Minimize delay Prof. Vishal A. Polara

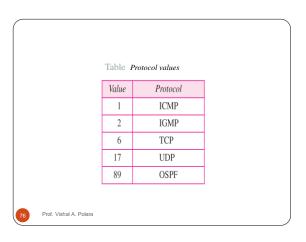
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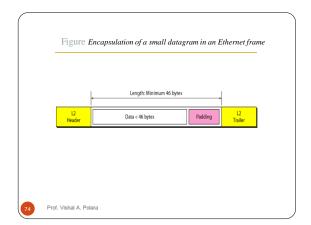
- Fragmentation offset: this is 13 bit field shows the relative position of this fragment with respect to the whole datagram.
- Ex. Datagram 0 to 3999 first fragment 0 to 1399 offset is 0/8=0, second fragment 1400 to 2799, offset is 1400/8=175 same last.
- Time to live: A datagram has a limited lifetime in its travel through an internet. It holds the timestamp. It is discarded after completion of time stamp.
- Protocol: it is 8 bit filed defines the higher level protocol that uses the services of the IPv4 layer.
- Checksum: Use for error detection.
- · Source address and destination address: it is 32 bit field defines the IPv4 address of source.

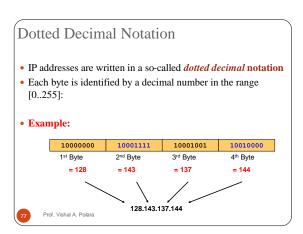


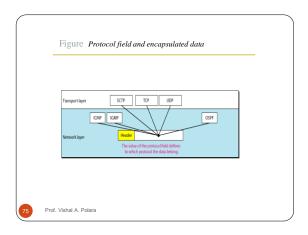


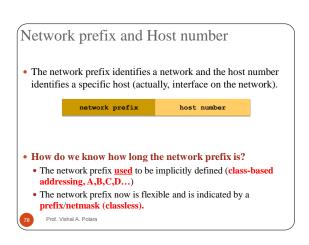








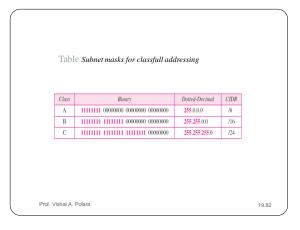


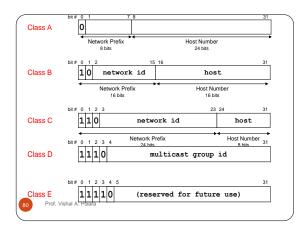


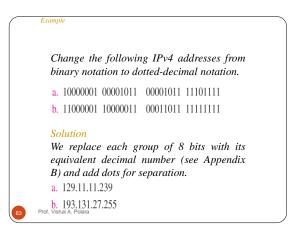
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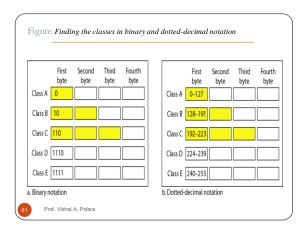
- When Internet addresses were standardized (early 1980s), the Internet address space was divided up into classes:
 - Class A: Network prefix is 8 bits long
 - Class B: Network prefix is 16 bits long
 - Class C: Network prefix is 24 bits long
- Each IP address contained a key which identifies the class:
 - Class A: IP address starts with "0"
 - Class B: IP address starts with "10"
 - Class C: IP address starts with "110"

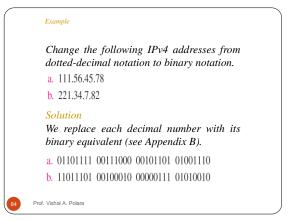












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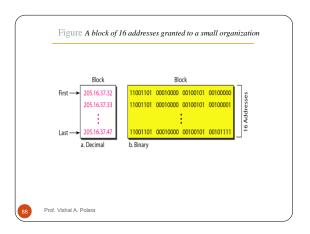
Find the error, if any, in the following IPv4

- a. 111.56.045.78
- b. 221.34.7.8.20
- c. 75.45.301.14
- d. 11100010.23.14.67

Solution

- a. There must be no leading zero (045).
- b. There can be no more than four numbers.
- c. Each number needs to be less than or equal to 255.
- d. A mixture of binary notation and dotted-decimal notation is not allowed.





Problems with Classful IP Addresses

The original classful address scheme had a number of problems
 Problem 1. Too few network addresses for large networks

Problem 2. Two-layer hierarchy is not appropriate for large networks

Problem 3. Inflexible. Assume a company requires 2,000 addresses Class A and B

Problem 4: Exploding Routing Tables: Routing on the backbone Internet needs to

have an entry for each network address. In 1993, the size of the routing tables started

addresses are overkill Class C address is insufficient (requires 8 Class C addresses)

· Class A and Class B addresses are gone

Fix #2: Classless Interdomain Routing (CIDR)

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Class A and Class B addresses
• Fix #1: Subnetting

to outgrow the capacity of routers.

Example

Find the class of each address.

- *a.* <u>0</u>00000001 00001011 00001011 11101111
- *b*. <u>110</u>00001 10000011 00011011 11111111
- c. 14.23.120.8
- d. 252.5.15.111

Solution

- a. The first bit is 0. This is a class A address.
- b. The first 2 bits are 1; the third bit is 0. This is a class C address.
- c. The first byte is 14; the class is A.
- d. The first byte is 252; the class is E.



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Table Number of blocks and block size in classfull IPv4 addressing

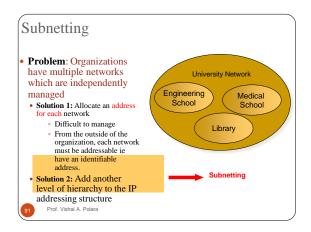
Class	Number of Blocks	Block Size	Application
A	128	16,777,216	Unicast
В	16,384	65,536	Unicast
С	2,097,152	256	Unicast
D	1	268,435,456	Multicast
Е	1	268,435,456	Reserved

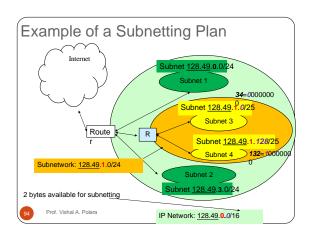
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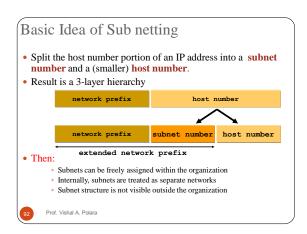
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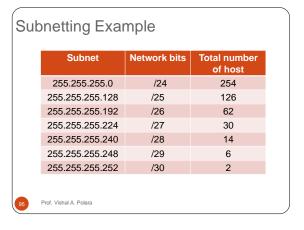
Problem 5. The Internet is going to outgrow the 32-bit addresses

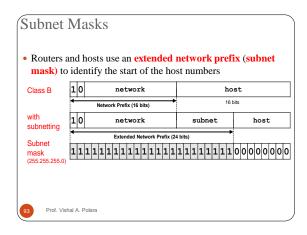
Fix #3: IP Version 6





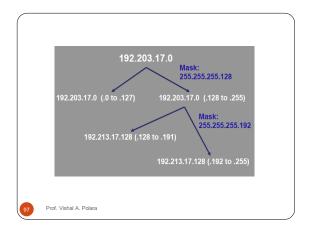


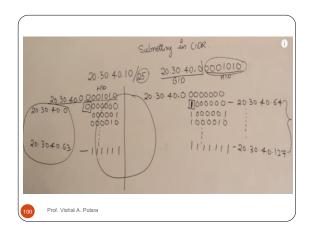




Subnetting Example

- An organization with 4 departments has the following IP address space: 192.168.1.0/24. As the systems manager, you are required to create subnets to accommodate the IT needs of 4 departments. The subnets have to support to 100, 50, 25, and 05 hosts respectively. What are the 4 subnet network numbers?
- Solution:
 - 192.168.1.0/25 (255.255.255.128) total 126 ip
 - 192.168.1.0/26 (255.255.255.192) total 62 valid ip
 - 192.168.1.0/27.(255.255.255.224) total 30 ip
 - 192.168.1.0/29. (255.255.255.248) total 6 ip

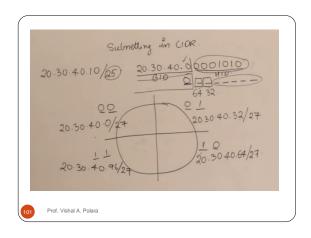


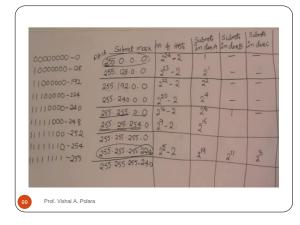


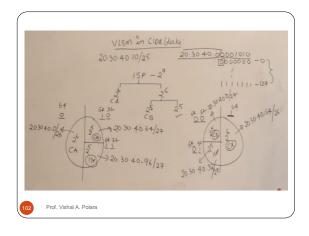
CIDR rule

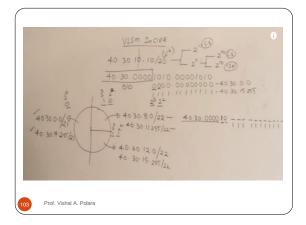
- · All IP address should be continuous.
- It must be of 2^n.
- First IP address in the block should be entirely divided by size of block.
 - For example: 100.1.2.32 to 100.1.2.47

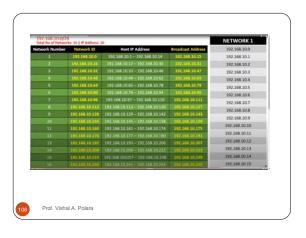




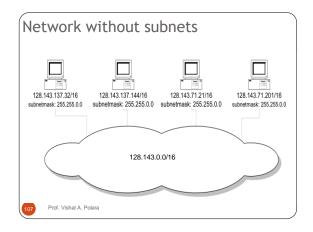








How to find ip is on same network or not · Perform AND operation of Ip of A with subnet of B for network • To find network id of A or B. perform AND operation with Ia and Sa. Prof. Vishal A. Polara

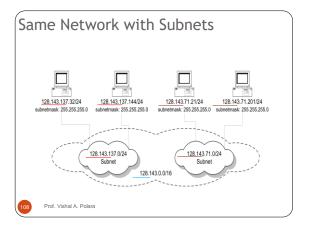


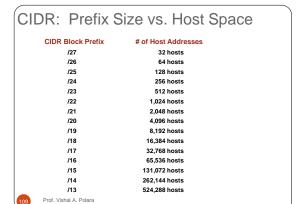
• With subnetting, IP addresses use a 3-layer hierarchy: Network Subnet

Host

Advantages of Subnetting

- •Improves efficiency of IP addresses by not consuming an entire address space for each physical network.
- Reduces router complexity. Since external routers do not know about subnetting, the complexity of routing tables at external routers is reduced.





Example

A block of addresses is granted to a small organization. We know that one of the addresses is 205.16.37.39/28. What is the first address in the block?

Solution

The binary representation of the given address is
11001101 00010000 00100101 00100111

If we set 32–28 rightmost bits to 0, we get
11001101 00010000 00100101 00100000
or

205.16.37.32

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In IPv4 addressing, a block of addresses can be defined as

x.y.z.t /n

in which x.y.z.t defines one of the addresses and the /n defines the mask.

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The last address in the block can be found by setting the rightmost 32 - n bits to 1s.

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The first address in the block can be found by setting the rightmost 32 - n bits to 0s.

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Example

Find the last address for the block in previous example.

Solution

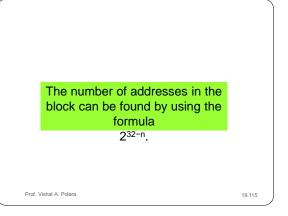
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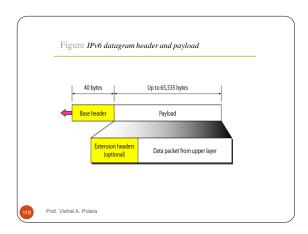
If we set 32 - 28 rightmost bits to 1, we get
11001101 00010000 00100101 00101111

or 205.16.37.47

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Example

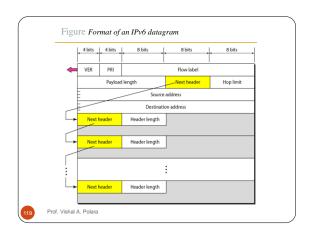
Find the number of addresses in previous example

Solution

The value of n is 28, which means that number of addresses is 2^{32-28} or 16.

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IPv6

• IP Version 6

- Is the successor to the currently used IPv4
- Specification completed in 1994
- Makes improvements to IPv4 (no revolutionary changes)
- One (not the only!) feature of IPv6 is a significant increase in size of the IP address to 128 bits (16 bytes)
 - IPv6 will solve for the foreseeable future the problems with IP addressing



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IPv6 Header

- Version: it is the version number of IP
- Priority: it is 4 bit filed defines the priority of the packet with respect to traffic congestion
- Flow Label: it is a 3 byte field that is designed to provide special handling for particular flow of data.
- Payload length: it is 2 byte defines the length of the ip datagram excluding the base header
- Next header: it is an 8 bit field defining the header that follows base header.
- Hop limit: it is 8 bit hop limit like TTL in ipv4.
- Source address and destination address: 16 byte (128 bit) internet adders that identifies the original source and destination.



