

COMPUTER NETWORKS (CS-303)

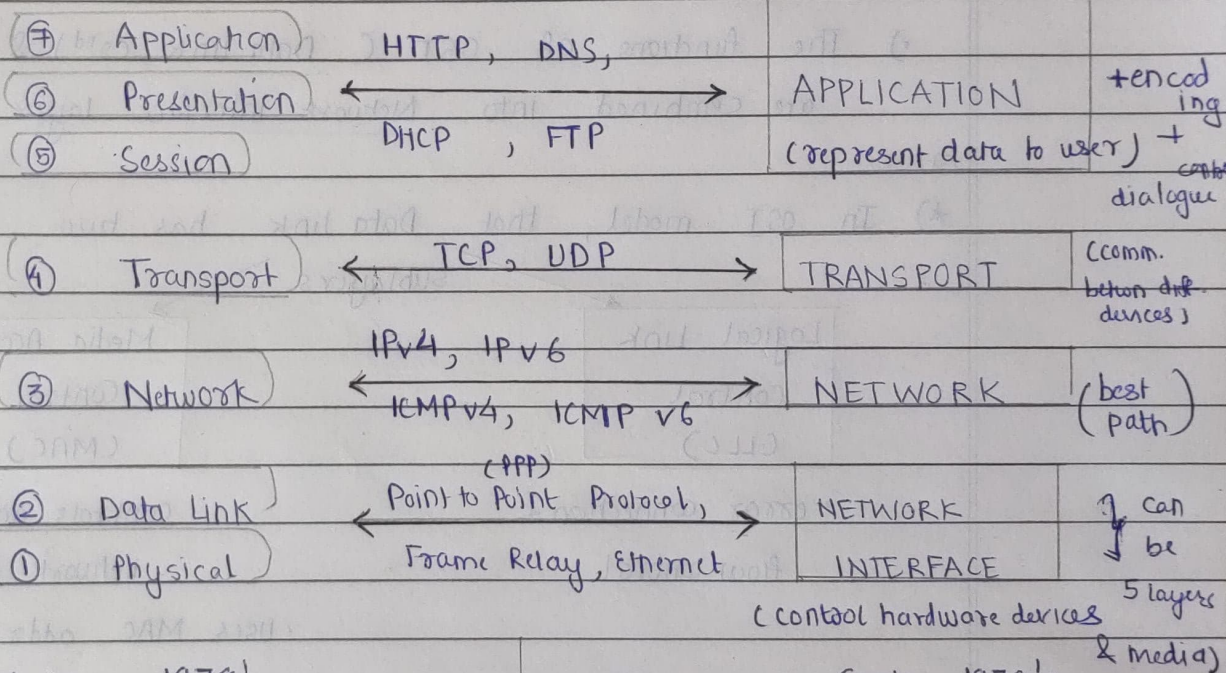
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1. > How do the layers of the internet model correlate to the layers of the OSI layers.

1. > OSI Reference Model Internet Model (TCP/IP)



(a) Developed in 1978's

(b) it has 7 layers

(c) correlated more accurately to actual process of communication over network

(d) OSI uses the network layer to define routing standards & protocols

(e) OSI model use two separate layers physical and data link to define the functionality of the bottom layers.

(f) Transport layer → Only connection oriented

(a) Early 1970's

(b) it has 4 layers

(c) TCP/IP doesn't offer any clear distinguishing points between services, interfaces and protocols

(d) IP uses only the internet layer.

(e) IP uses only one layer (link)

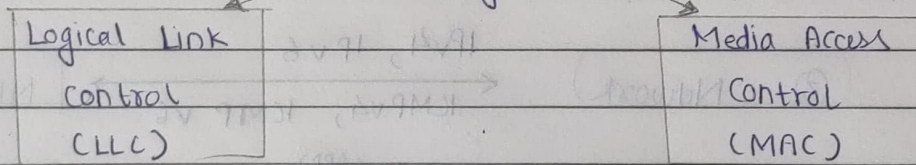
(f) Layer → connection-oriented and connectionless

•) The functions of all processes involved in top 3 OSI model layers (7.) Application 6.) Presentation 5.) Session) are combined into IP model (Application Layer)

•) The function of Transport and Network layers in OSI model is more likely as 3rd & 2nd layer of IP

•) The functions of OSI (Data link (2nd) & Physical layer (1st)) are combined into Network interface layer

*) In OSI model, that Data link has two sublayers



• error correction & flow control

• controls access to network media

• Uses MAC addr of NIC

Therefore, we can say both model are correlated to each other.

2.) How does information get passed from one layer to the next in the internet model?

2.) ① At the Physical layer, communication is direct between devices.

② At higher layers, communication must move down through the layers on sending devices, over to receiving device, and then back up through these layers.

③ Each layer in the sending device adds its own information to the message it receives from the layers just above it and passes the whole package to the layer just below it.

④ At layer 1, the entire package is converted to a form that can be transmitted to the received device.

⑤ At the receiving machine, the message is unwrapped layer by layer, with each process receiving and removing the data meant for it.

3. > How are OSI and ISO related to each other?

3. > ISO stands for International standard Organization which is a multinational organization that tries to standardize network communication protocols at the international levels.

OSI (open system Interconnection) is a model that ISO put together as a networking communication standard.

{ ISO → Organization OSI → model }

4. > Compare OSI and TCP/IP model.

OSI (7 layers)

① OSI refers to open system Interconnection

② OSI has 7 layers

③ OSI is developed by ISO (International standard organization)

④ OSI model provides clear distinction between interfaces, services & protocols

⑤ OSI uses Network layer to define routing standards and protocols

⑥ OSI → Transport layer is only connection-oriented

⑦ Minimum size of OSI header is

5 bytes

⑧ Model is highly used rarely.

TCP/IP (4 Layer)

① TCP/IP = Transmission Control Protocol ^{Internet Protocol}

② TCP/IP has 4 layers

③ Developed by ARPANET (Advanced Research Project Agency Network)

④ TCP/IP doesn't have clear distinction between services, interface & protocols

⑤ TCP/IP uses only Internet layer

⑥ Layer of TCP/IP both connection-oriented & connectionless

⑦ Minimum header size is 20 bytes

⑧ Model is highly used.

5. > What are headers and trailers, and how do they get added and removed?

5. > 1) Each layer in the sending machine adds its own information to the message it receives from the layer just above it and passes the whole package to the layer just below it.

2) The information is added in the form of headers or trailers.

→ Headers are information structures which identifies the information that follows, such as a block of bytes in communication.

→ Trailers is the information which occupies several bytes at the end of block of data being transmitted. They contain error-checking data which is useful for confirming the accuracy and status of transmission.

3) During communication of data, the sender appends the header and passes it to lower layer while receiver removes the header and passes it to upper layer.

Headers are added at 6, 5, 4, 3, 2 layer and trailer at layer 2.

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