



Lab 8

Computer Communication Networks

TCP & UDP



The lab's schedule

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General Instructions

- ✚ The final report will be based on the answers of this document.
- ✚ Remember to pay attention to the "Final report submission" in the Introduction Lab.
- ✚ Most of the laboratory experiments based on the book: *"Mastering Networks: An Internet Lab Manual"*
- ✚ For each exercise, it is recommended to **read it all to understand the main idea before you do it.**
- ✚ IP address is composed of four octets ("octet1.octet2.octet3.octet4").
In our Labs all IP addresses will be according to the Network Figure, except *octet2*.
***Octet2* will be according to the pair's number ("10.X.0.1", $X = \text{pair's number}$).**
- ✚ Write the number X clearly on the title page of your final report.

Reading Material

As always, focus on the subjects found in the **Preliminary Questions** section, **not** all subjects found in the links!

For the quiz you can read only from:

- ✚ Read about UDP: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/User_Datagram_Protocol
- ✚ Read about TCP: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Transmission_Control_Protocol

For the rest of the lab (no need to read for the quiz):

- ✚ A nice example of the Sliding window mechanism (Selective Repeat):
[http://www.ccs-labs.org/teaching/rn/animations/gbn_sr/ \](http://www.ccs-labs.org/teaching/rn/animations/gbn_sr/)
- ✚ Read about the command/program ttcp: <http://linux.die.net/man/1/ttcp>
- ✚ Read about TCP stream graphs (you will use those in part 2 of this lab)
https://www.wireshark.org/docs/wsug_html_chunked/ChStatTCPStreamGraphs.html

Preliminary Questions

- ✚ Describe the fields of a TCP segment and a UDP datagram.
- ✚ Describe the error detection method of TCP and UDP protocols.
- ✚ Describe the process of 3-way handshake.
 - In your answer consider various situations such that the connection is not successful.
- ✚ Briefly explain what are the main differences between TCP and UDP?
- ✚ Briefly explain about the fairness considerations that each protocol keeps.
 - For TCP, two examples of these are: Congestion control and Flow control.

The practical section

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