

Cameron's networking library(TCP)

Note: This library uses the library zlib, and I am not, nor do I claim to the writer of it.

Network:

CAMSNETLIB `int InitializeNetworking();`

Initializes networking.

Remarks:

- Must be called before you can do anything(lol)

Return value:

- Zero:
 - When function succeeds.
- Non Zero:
 - See WSASStartup.

CAMSNETLIB `int CleanupNetworking();`

Cleans up networking.

Return value:

- Zero:
 - When function succeeds.
- Non Zero:
 - See WSACleanup.

Remarks:

- Must be called for every InitializeNetworking call.

Client:

CAMSNETLIB `TCPClientInterface* CreateClient(cfunc func, void(*const disconFunc)(), int compression = 9, void* obj = nullptr);`

Parameters:

- Func - Pointer to a function with the following signature:
 - `void function(void* manager, void* client, BYTE* data, DWORD nBytes, void* obj)`
- disconFunc - Pointer to a function with the following signature:
 - `void function()`

- [optional] `compression` - This sets level what compression the client will compress data to send at. Value of 1-9.
- [optional] `Obj` - Pointer to a class object, that is passed to the `msghandler` function; it is mostly used in oop.

Creates, and initializes a client object.

Remarks:

- Must be called before you can do anything lol)
- A call to `DestroyClient` is required.

Return value:

- `TCPClientInterface*`

```
CAMSNETLIB void DestroyClient(TCPClientInterface*& client);
```

Destroys the specified client object.

```
virtual bool Connect(const LIB_TCHAR* dest, const LIB_TCHAR* port, float
timeOut = 5.0f) = 0;
```

Attempts to connect to the destination(IP address or hostname).

It waits/blocks until either:

- 1) A successful connection has been established.
- 2) Timeout period has returned

Return value:

- True:
 - When function succeeds.
- False:
 - If client is already connected, or function fails.

```
virtual void Shutdown() = 0;
```

Immediately shuts down connection to server, and performs cleanup.

It waits/blocks until function returns.

```
virtual void Disconnect() = 0;
```

Shuts down connection to server, and performs cleanup.

It does not wait/block.

```
virtual bool RecvServData() = 0;
```

Initializes socket, and receiving thread and starts receiving data from server.

Remarks:

- Must be called before you can send any type of data to server.

Return value:

- True:
 - When function succeeds.
- False:
 - If client is not connected.

```
virtual HANDLE SendServData(const char* data, DWORD nBytes) = 0;
```

Sends data to connected server.

Remarks:

- Handle must be closed after this is called either with `WaitAndCloseHandle`, or `CloseHandle`.

Return value:

- A handle to created send thread.

```
virtual void SendMsg(char type, char message) = 0;
virtual void SendMsg(const std::tstring& user, char type, char message) = 0;
```

Sends a message to connected server in the format of TYPE, MESSAGE.
These functions are wrappers to `SendServData`.

```
virtual void Ping() = 0;
```

Pings the server, should be called in message handler.

```
virtual void SetFunction(cfunc function) = 0;
```

Sets the clients function/message handler, it is called whenever a message is received.

```
virtual bool IsConnected() const = 0;
```

Return value:

- True:
 - If connected.
- False:
 - If not connected.

```
virtual Socket& GetHost() = 0;
```

Returns a reference to the connected socket.

Return value:

- Socket&

```
virtual void* GetObj() const = 0;
```

Returns a pointer to the object you specified in constructor.

Return value:

- Void*

Server:

```
CAMSNETLIB TCPServInterface* CreateServer(sfunc func, customFunc conFunc,
customFunc disFunc, USHORT maxCon = 20, int compression = 9, float
pingInterval = 30.0f, void* obj = nullptr);
```

Parameters:

- Func - Pointer to a function with the following signature:
 - void function(void* manager, void* client, BYTE* data, DWORD nBytes, void* obj)
- conFunc - Pointer to a function with the following signature:
 - void function(ClientData* data)
- disFunc - Pointer to a function with the following signature:
 - void function(ClientData* data)
- [optional] maxCon - The maximum amount of clients the server can support before it sends (TYPE_CHANGE, MSG_CHANGE_SERVERFULL) to the connecting client.
- [optional] compression - The level of compression the server will compress data to send at. Value of 1-9.
- [optional] pingInterval - The frequency the server sends ping messages to connected clients, to keep them from timing out.

- [optional] Obj - Pointer to a class object, that is passed to the msghandler function; it is mostly used in oop.

Creates, and initializes a server object.

Remarks:

- Must be called before you can do anything(lol)
- A call to DestroyServer is required.

Return value:

- `TCPServInterface*`

```
CAMSNETLIB void DestroyServer(TCPServInterface*& server);
```

Destroys the specified server object.

```
virtual bool AllowConnections(const LIB_TCHAR* port) = 0;
```

Binds host socket, and creates a thread that waits for connections to the server.

Remarks:

- Must be called before you can send any type of data to server.

Return value:

- True:
 - If function succeeds.
- False:
 - If function has already been called.
 - If function fails.

```
virtual HANDLE SendClientData(const char* data, DWORD nBytes, Socket addr,
bool single) = 0;
virtual HANDLE SendClientData(const char* data, DWORD nBytes, Socket* pcs,
USHORT nPcs) = 0;
virtual HANDLE SendClientData(const char* data, DWORD nBytes,
std::vector<Socket>& pcs) = 0;
```

Sends data to specified clients.

Remarks:

- Handle must be closed after this is called either with `WaitAndCloseHandle`, or `CloseHandle`.
- First overload, the value of `single` determines what the function does
 - If `single` is true it sends only to address specified.
 - If `single` is false, and `addr` is not connected, it sends to all clients currently connected to the server.
 - If `single` is false, and `addr` is connected, it sends to all clients, excluding the `addr` specified.

Return value:

- A handle to created send thread.

```
virtual void SendMsg(Socket pc, bool single, char type, char message) = 0;
virtual void SendMsg(Socket* pcs, USHORT nPcs, char type, char message) = 0;
virtual void SendMsg(std::vector<Socket>& pcs, char type, char message) = 0;
virtual void SendMsg(const std::tstring& user, char type, char message) = 0;
```

Sends a message to specified clients in the format of TYPE, MESSAGE.
These functions are wrappers to `SendClientData`.

```
virtual ClientData* FindClient(const std::tstring& user) const = 0;
```

Return value:

- A pointer to the `ClientData`, specified by `user`.

```
virtual void Shutdown() = 0;
```

Immediately shuts down all connections to server, and performs cleanup.
It waits/blocks until function returns.

```
virtual ClientData** GetClients() const = 0;
```

Return value:

- A pointer to the array of clients.

```
virtual USHORT ClientCount() const = 0;
```

Return value:

- Returns the number of connected clients.

```
virtual void SetPingInterval(float interval) = 0;
```

Sets the interval at which the server pings the clients.

```
virtual bool MaxClients() const = 0;
```

Return value:

- True:
 - If number of connected clients is at the maximum number of clients.
- False:
 - If number of connected clients is less than maximum clients.

```
virtual bool IsConnected() const = 0;
```

Return value:

- True:
 - If listening socket has been binded.
- False:
 - If listening socket has not been binded.

```
virtual Socket& GetHost() = 0;
```

Returns a reference to the connected socket.

Return value:

- Socket&

```
virtual void* GetObj() const = 0;
```

Returns a pointer to the object you specified in constructor.

Return value:

- Void*

Other:

```
CAMSNETLIB void WaitAndCloseHandle(HANDLE& hnd);
```

Waits for the specified handle to be triggered, then closes the specified handle.

Server and Client auto handled messages

Key:

-Checkmarks mean auto handled.

TYPE	MESSEAGE	SERVER	CLIENT	ADDITIONAL DATA
TYPE_PING (0)	MSG_PING (0)	Sent to client every X seconds. ✓	Needs to be handled in message handler.	NONE
TYPE_CHANGE (-128)	MSG_CHANGE_SERVERFULL (-128)	Sent to client when server is full. ✓	Needs to disconnect client in message handler.	NONE
TYPE_CHANGE (-128)	MSG_CHANGE_DISCONNECT (-127)	Sent to all clients when any user/pc disconnects ✓	Optionally handled on client.	const LIB_TCHAR* includes NULL char

Notice:

THIS IS A UNICODE BUILD ATTEMPTS TO USE MULTIBYTE/ASCII WILL RESULT IN A CRASH.