Networking with Linux Lab Module 2: Client Server Network topology using NS-3

Assignment 11: Program to simulate FTP using TCP protocol

Aim: To develop a program that simulates FTP (File Transfer Protocol) using the TCP (Transmission Control Protocol) protocol

Theory: TCP Protocol

TCP (Transmission Control Protocol) is one of the main protocols of the Internet Protocol Suite. It operates at the transport layer and facilitates reliable, ordered, and error-checked delivery of data between devices over a network.

To simulate FTP (File Transfer Protocol) using the TCP (Transmission Control Protocol) protocol, you would need to create a client-server architecture where the client initiates requests for file transfers and the server responds accordingly. The client would establish a TCP connection with the server, send commands for file retrieval or storage, and the server would perform the requested operations, ensuring reliable data transfer over the TCP connection.

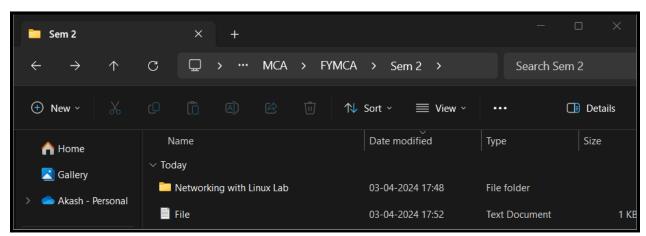
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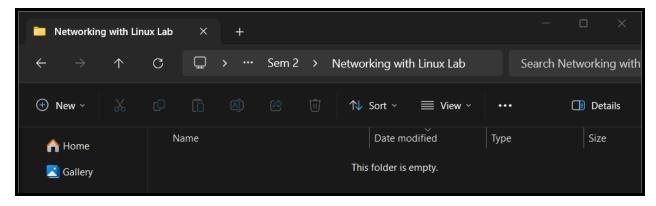
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> TCPServer.java
package TCP;
import java.net.*;
import java.io.*;
public class TCPServer {
       public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
              ServerSocket serverSocket = new ServerSocket(4002);
              Socket socket = serverSocket.accept();
              System.out.println("Server Connected ...");
              // Find Location of the file
              FileInputStream
                                             fileInputStream
                                                                                           new
FileInputStream("C:\\Users\\itsak\\Downloads\\MCA\\FYMCA\\Sem 2\\File.txt");
              // Show File Size
              byte[] fileBytes = new byte[2500]:
              // Start Reading File from 0th line to last
              fileInputStream.read(fileBytes, 0, fileBytes.length);
              // Convert file to stream to send to client
              OutputStream outputStream = socket.getOutputStream();
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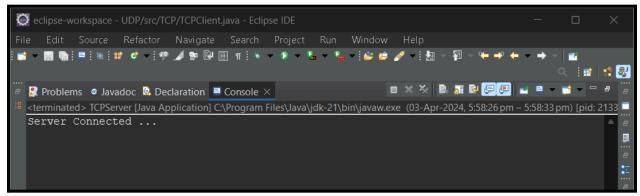
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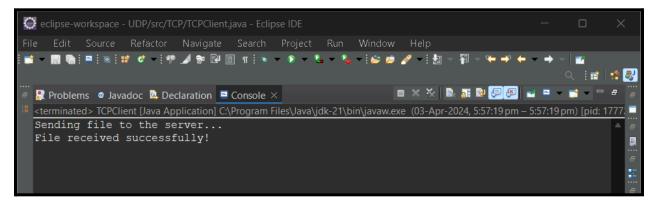
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outputStream.write(fileBytes, 0, fileBytes.length);
> TCPClient.java
package TCP;
import java.io.*;
import java.net.*;
public class TCPClient {
       public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
              byte[] buffer = new byte[25004];
               Socket socket = new Socket("localhost", 4002);
              System.out.println("Sending file to the server...");
               InputStream inputStream = socket.getInputStream();
              FileOutputStream
                                              fileOutputStream
                                                                                           new
FileOutputStream("C:\\Users\\itsak\\Downloads\\MCA\\FYMCA\\Sem
                                                                         2\\Networking
                                                                                           with
Linux Lab\\File.txt");
              inputStream.read(buffer, 0, buffer.length);
              fileOutputStream.write(buffer, 0, buffer.length);
              System.out.println("File received successfully!");
              fileOutputStream.close();
              socket.close();
}
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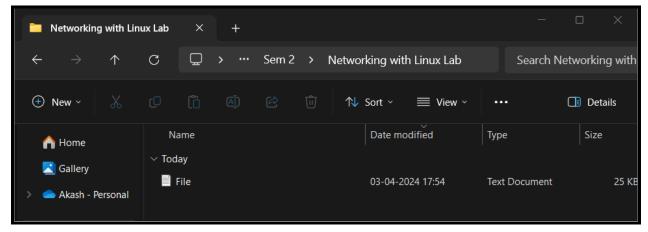
Output:

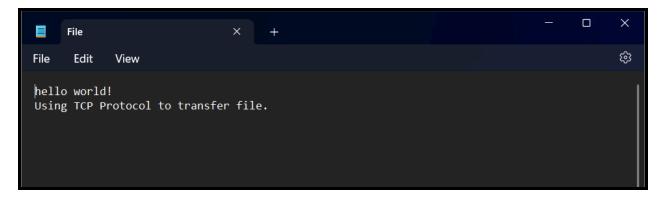












Conclusion: Implementing FTP simulation using TCP protocol allows for understanding and experimenting with file transfer mechanisms over a network.