TCP/IP MODEL

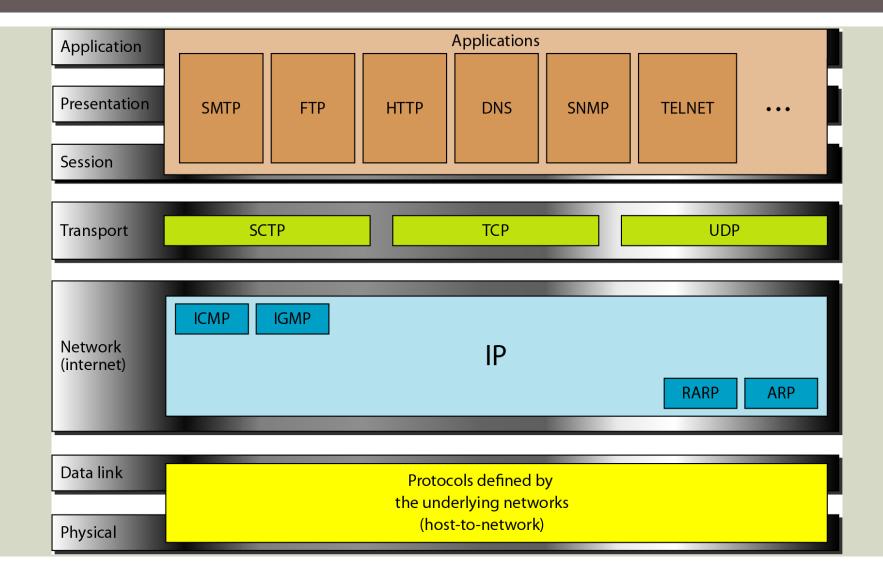
The layers in the TCP/IP Model do not exactly match those in the OSI model. The original TCP/IP protocol suite was defined as having four layers: host-to-network, internet, transport, & application. However, when TCP/IP is compared to OSI, we can say that the TCP/IP protocol suite is made of five layers: physical, data link, network, transport, & application.

Topics discussed in this section:

Physical and Data Link Layers

Physical and Data Link Layers
Network Layer
Transport Layer
Application Layer

TCP/IP AND OSI MODEL



ADDRESSING

Four levels of addresses are used in an internet employing the TCP/IP protocols: physical, logical, port, and specific.

Topics discussed in this section:

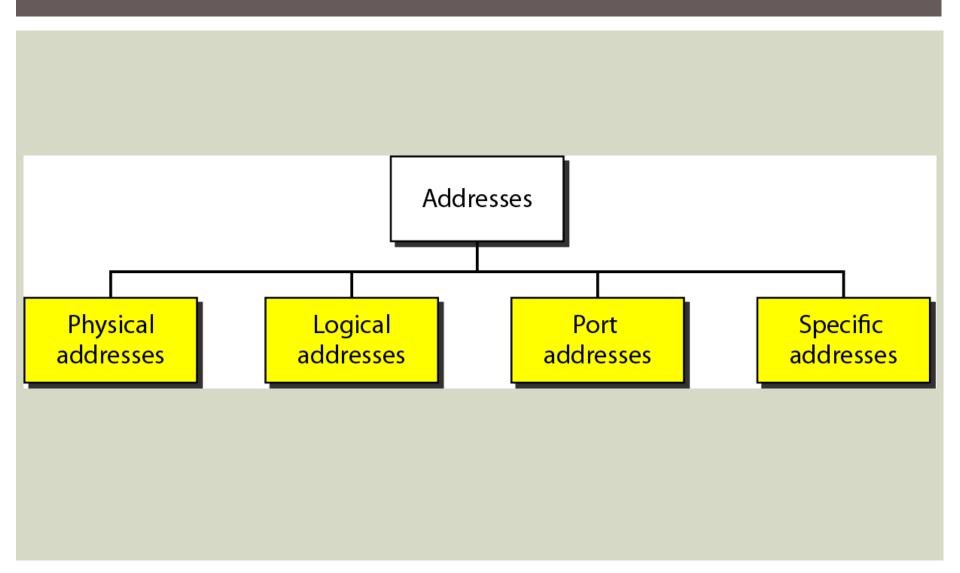
Physical Addresses

Logical Addresses

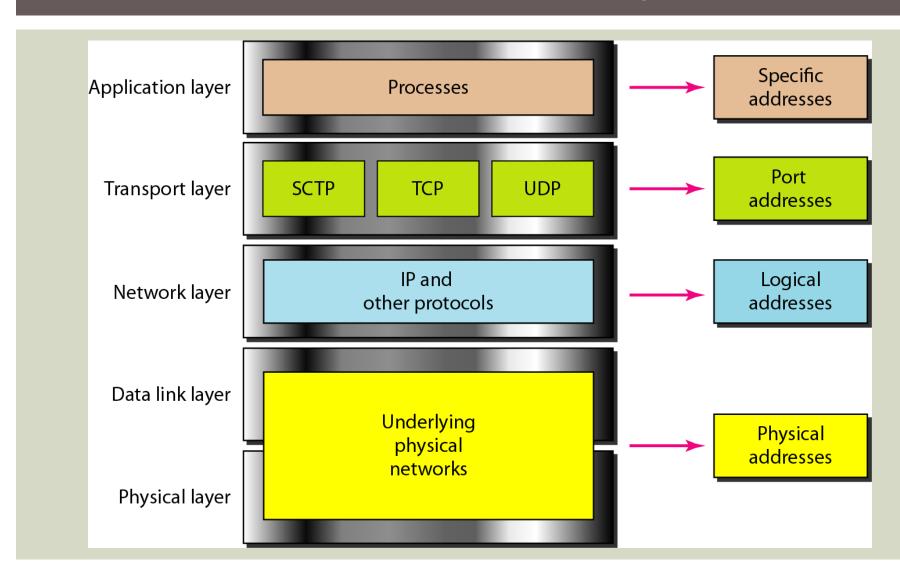
Port Addresses

Specific Addresses

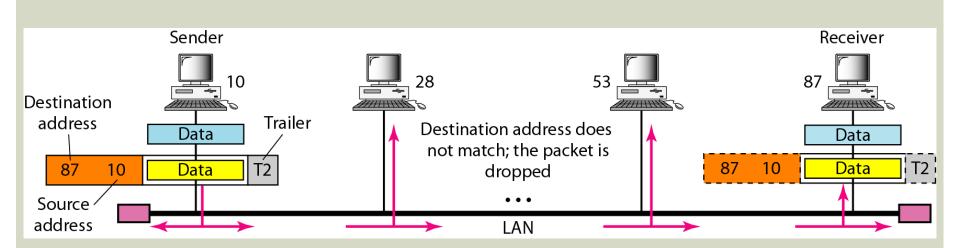
ADDRESSES IN TCP/IP



RELATIONSHIP OF LAYERS AND ADDRESSES IN TCP/IP



PHYSICAL ADDRESSES



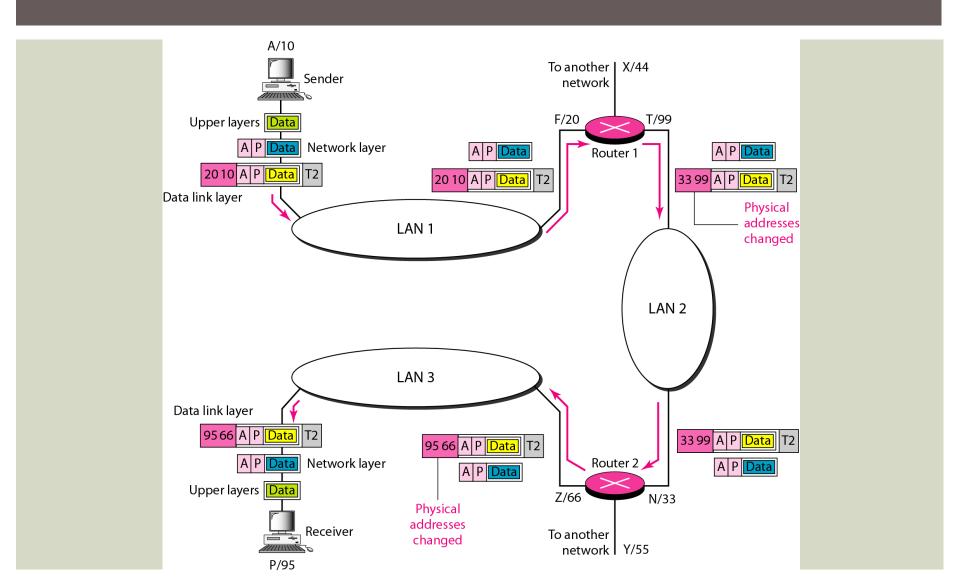
PHYSICAL ADDRESSES

Most local-area networks use a 48-bit (6-byte) physical address written as 12 hexadecimal digits; every byte (2 hexadecimal digits) is separated by a colon, as shown below:

07:01:02:01:2C:4B

A 6-byte (12 hexadecimal digits) physical address.

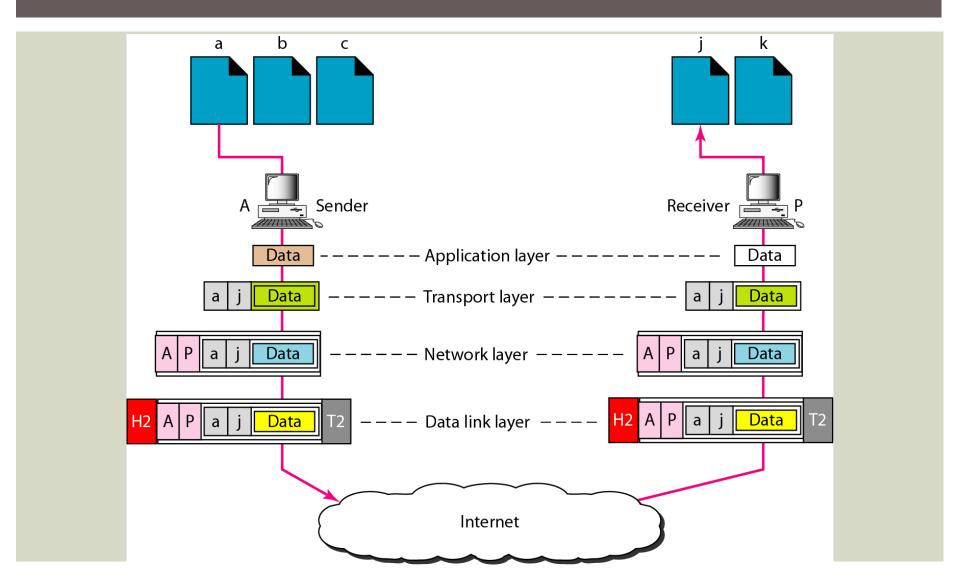
IP ADDRESSES (LOGICAL)



NOTE

The physical addresses will change from hop to hop, but the logical addresses usually remain the same.

PORT ADDRESSES



NOTE

A port address is a 16-bit address represented by one decimal number as shown.

753 or 80

A 16-bit port address represented as one single number.