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# **Networks, Security, and Privacy**

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# Introduction

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- Layer 2 in the Internet model
- Responsible for moving messages (data) from one device (another physical node) over a link layer protocol
- Major functions of a data link layer protocol
  - Error Control
  - Flow Control
  - Link layer addressing

## Internet Model

Application

Transport

Network

Data Link

Physical

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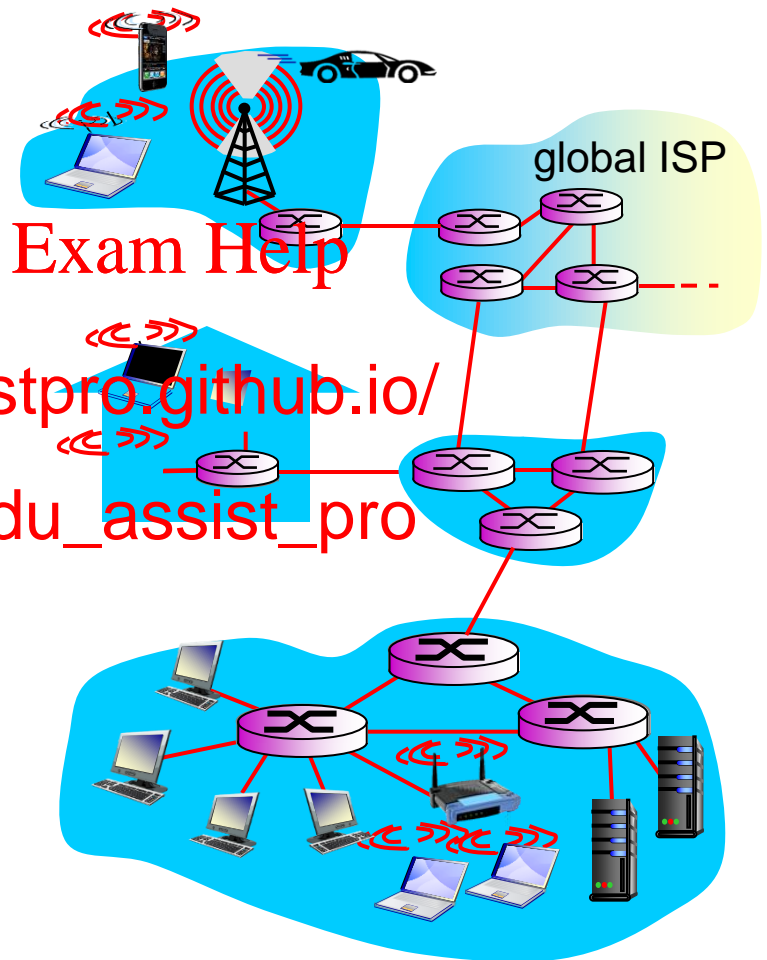
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# Introduction

## *terminology:*

- hosts and routers: **nodes**
- communication channels that connect adjacent nodes along communication
  - wired links
  - wireless links
  - LANs
- layer-2 packet: **frame**, encapsulates datagram



# Introduction

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❖ datagram transferred by different link protocols over different links:

- e.g., Ethernet on first link, frame r

intermediate 802.11 on last link

❖ each link protocol provides different services

- e.g., may or may not provide reliable data transfer over link

***transportation analogy:***

- trip from Palmerston North to Disney Land, LA

– Taxi: City center to PN airport

: PN to Auckland

: Auckland to LAX

X to Disney Land

- datagram

- transport segment = **communication link**

- transportation mode = **link layer protocol**

- travel agent = **routing algorithm**

# Link layer services

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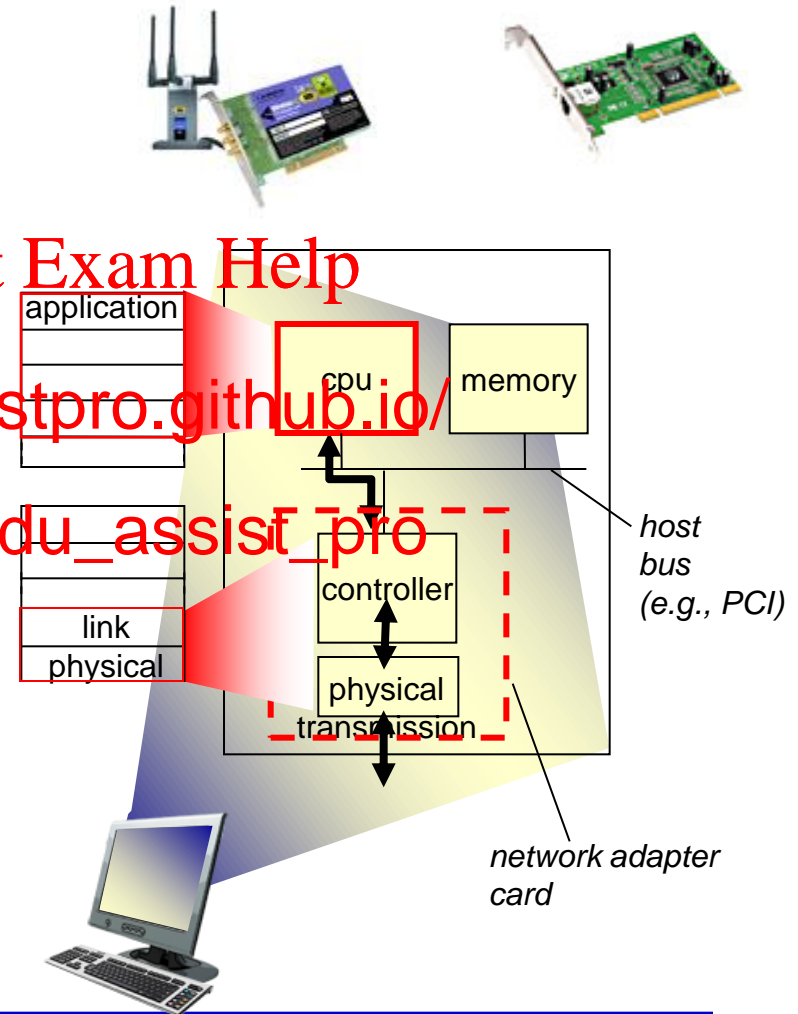
- ***framing, link access:***
    - encapsulate datagram into frame, adding header, trailer
    - “MAC” addresses used in frame headers to identify source and destination (IP address!)  
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  - ***flow control***
    - pacing between adjacent sending and receiving nodes  
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  - ***error detection:***
    - errors caused by signal attenuation, noise.
    - receiver detects presence of errors:
  - ***error correction:***
    - receiver identifies ***and corrects*** bit error(s) without resorting to retransmission
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# Where is the link layer implemented?

- in each and every host
- link layer implemented in “adaptor” (aka *network interface card* NIC) or on a chip

- Ethernet card; Ethernet
- implements link, physical layer

- attaches into host's system buses
- combination of hardware, software, firmware



# Data Link Layer

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- **Error Control**

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- **Link Address** Add WeChat edu\_assist\_pro

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# Error Control

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- Network errors
  - Types
    - Corrupted data
    - Lost data
  - Caused by humans) session (not
- Networks should be designed with:
  - Error prevention
  - Error detection
  - Error correction

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# Sources of Network Errors

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- **Line noise and distortion**
  - Major reason for errors and caused by several sources
  - More likely in electrical media and lower-end cables (e.
  - Undesirable
  - Degrades
  - Manifestation
    - Extra bits
    - Flipped bits
    - Missing bits

# Sources of Errors and Prevention

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Source of Error	What Causes It	How to Prevent or Fix
White Noise	Movement of electrons	Increase signal strength
Impulse Noise	Sudden increases in electricity (e.g., lightning)	Shield or move the wires
Cross-talk	Movement of wires	Increase the guardbands or move or shield the wires
Echo	Poor (misaligned) connections	Fix the connections or tune equipment
Attenuation	Gradual decrease in signal over distance	Use repeaters
Intermodulation noise	Signals from several circuits combine	Move or shield the wires

# Error Detection

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- Receivers need to know when the data transmitted is not correct
- Add “check value” (error detection value) to message



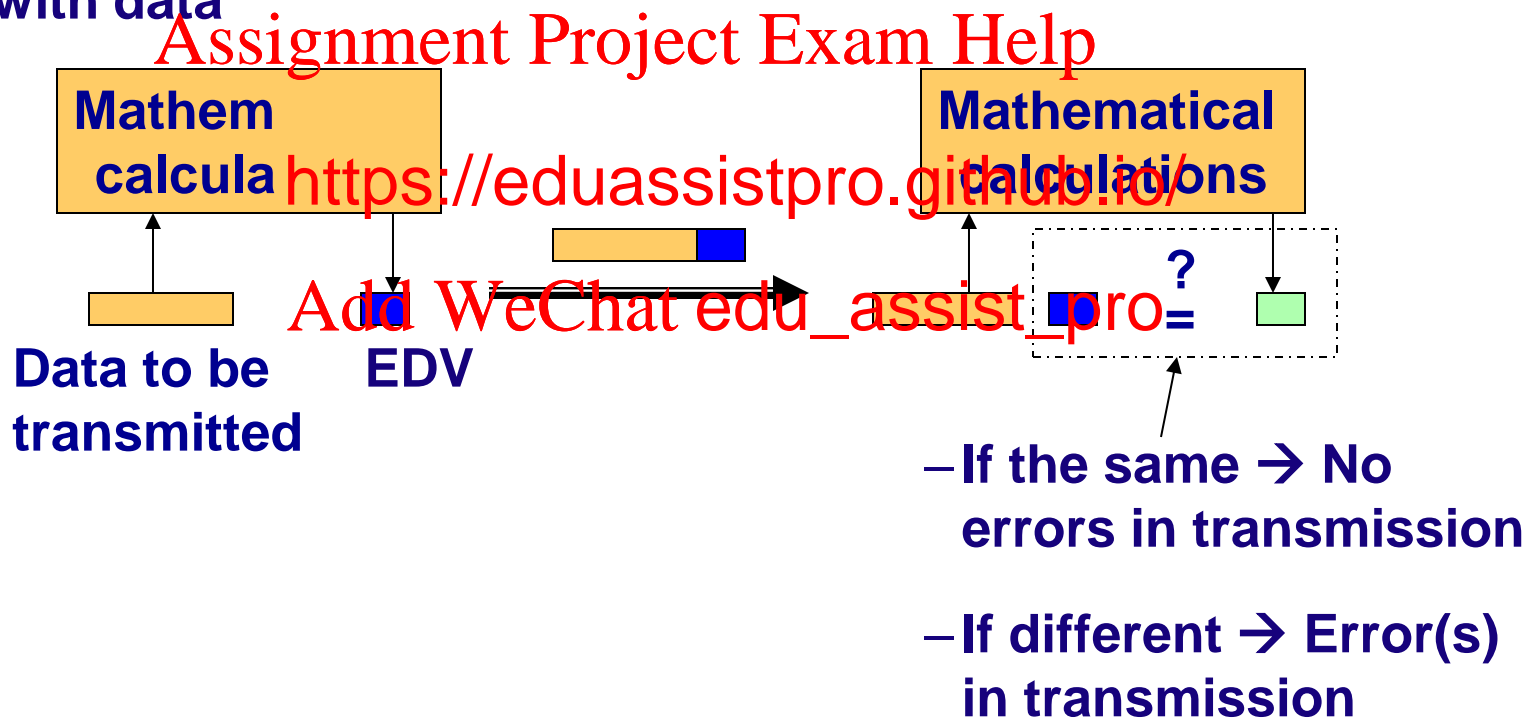
- Check value produced by mathematical formula
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# Error Detection

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Sender calculates an Error Detection Value (EDV) and transmits it along with data

Receiver recalculates EDV and checks it against the received EDV



# Error Detection Techniques

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- Parity checks
- Checksum
- Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC)

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# Parity Checking

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- One of the oldest and simplest
  - A single bit added to each character
    - Even parity: number of 1's remains even
    - Odd parity: number of 1's remains odd
  - Receiving e bit
    - If one bit h r the received parity bit will differ from the s one
  - Simple, but doesn't catch all errors
    - If two (or an even number of) bits have been transmitted in error at the same time, the parity check appears to be correct
    - Detects about 50% of errors
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# Examples of Using Parity

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To be sent: Letter V in 7-bit ASCII: 0110101

## EVEN parity

Add a bit so that  
number of all  
transmitted 1's  
EVEN

sender

receiver

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## ODD parity

Add a bit so that the  
number of all transmitted  
1's is ODD

sender

receiver

0110101

parity



# Checksum

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- A checksum (usually 1 byte) is added to the end of the message
- It is 95% effective

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- **Method:** <https://eduassistpro.github.io/>
  - Add decimal values of each byte in the message
  - Divide the sum by 255
  - The remainder is the checksum value

# CRC

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- **Cyclic redundancy check (CRC)**
  - Treats message as a single binary number
  - Divides by a preset number
  - Uses remainder
- **Preset number**  
remainder is the correct value of bits
- **Modes:**
  - CRC-16 (~99.998% error detection rate)
  - CRC-32 (>99.99999% error detection rate)

# Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC)

$$P / G = Q + R / G$$

Example:

P = 58

G = 8

Q = 7

R = 2

Message  
(treated as  
one long  
binary  
number)

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A fixed number  
(divisor) which  
determines the  
length of the R

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Remainder:

added to the  
message as EDV

It can be 8 bits, 16  
bits, 24 bits, or 32  
bits long

–CRC16 has R of 16  
bits

- Most powerful and most common
- Detects 100% of errors (if number of errors ≤ size of R)
  - Otherwise: CRC-16 (99.998%) and CRC-32 (99.9999%)

# Error Correction

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- Once detected, the error must be corrected
- Error correction techniques
  - Retransmission (or, backward error correction)
    - Simple
    - Automatic Repeat Request (ARQ) <https://eduassistpro.github.io/>
    - This can also provide flow control by limiting the number of messages sent
  - Forward Error Correction
    - Receiving device can correct incoming messages without retransmission

# Automatic Repeat reQuest (ARQ)

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- Process of requesting a data transmission be resent
- Main ARQ protocols
  - Stop and Wait ARQ (A half duplex technique)
    - Sender sends for acknowledgement next message
    - Receiver receives the message, then sends an acknowledgement next message
  - Continuous ARQ (A full duplex technique)
    - Sender continues sending packets without waiting for the receiver to acknowledge
    - Receiver continues receiving messages without acknowledging them right away

# Stop and Wait ARQ

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Sender

Receiver

Sends Packet A, then  
waits to hear from  
receiver.

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Sends  
acknowledgement

Sends the next  
packet (B)

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Sends negative  
acknowledgement

Resends the packet  
again

Sends  
acknowledgement

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# Continuous ARQ

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Sender sends packets  
continuously without  
waiting for receiver to  
acknowledge

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Not  
acknowledge

identify the packet  
being acknowledged.

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Receiver sends back  
a NAK for a specific  
packet to be resent.

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# Data Link Layer

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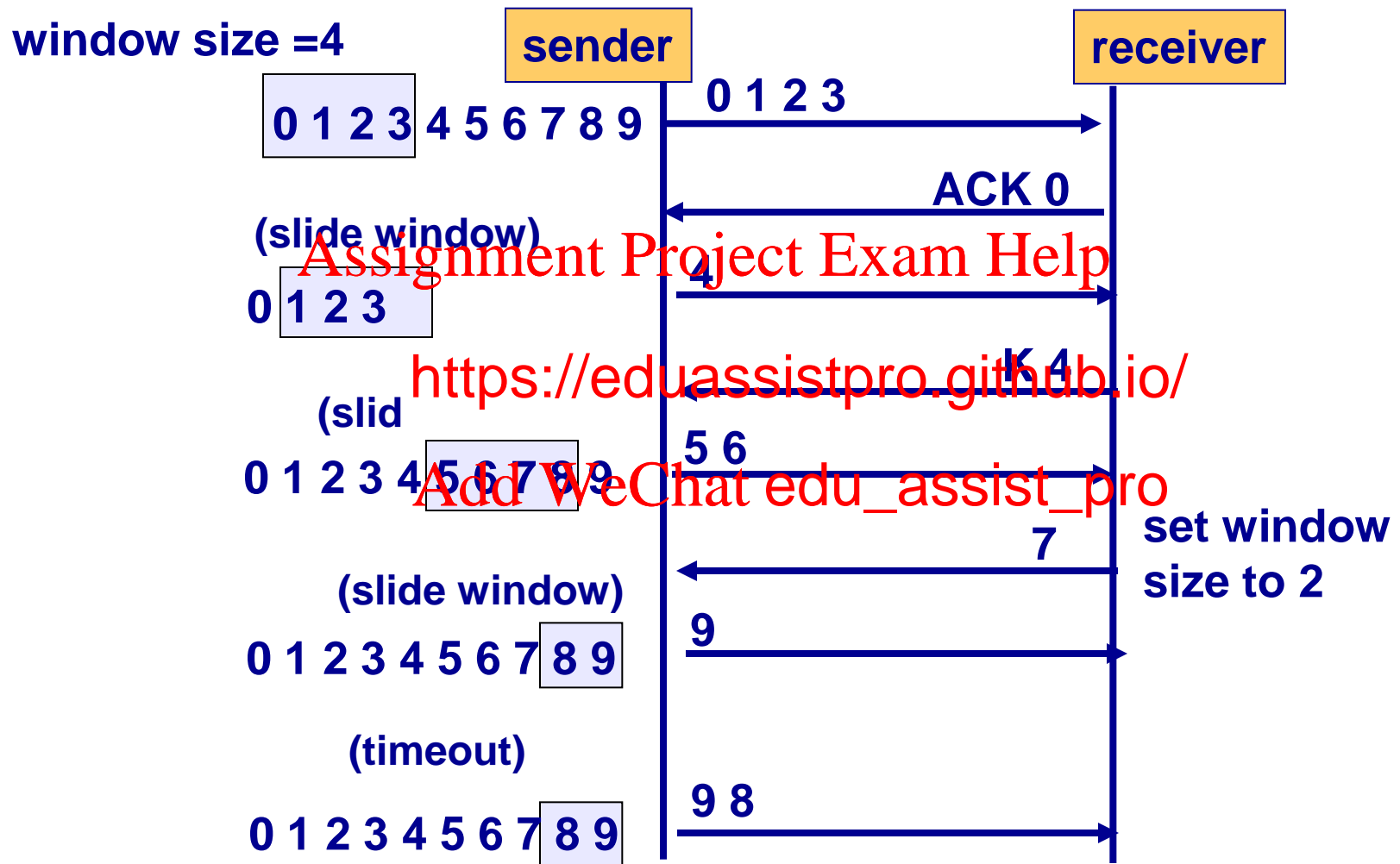


# Flow Control with ARQ

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- Ensuring that sender is not transmitting too quickly for the receiver
  - Stop-and-wait ARQ
    - Receiver ready to receive ACK when it is ready to send next frame
  - Continuous ARQ
    - Both sides agree on the size of the “sliding window”
      - Number of messages that can be handled by the receiver without causing significant delays

# Flow Control Example



# Forward Error Correction

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- Receiving device can correct incoming messages itself (without retransmission)
- Requires extra corrective information
  - Sent along with the data
  - Allows data to be corrected by the receiver
  - Amount of data 50-100% of the data
- Used in the following situations
  - One way transmissions (retransmission not possible)
  - Transmission times are very long (satellite)
  - In this situation, relatively insignificant cost of FEC

# Hamming Code – An FEC Example

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- A scheme by adding parity bit intelligently such that *one* erroneous bit can be detected and corrected
- Bit position is split into 'parity bit' position and 'data bit' position:  
  - parity bit occurs at positions 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, ...
  - data bit occurs at positions 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, ...
  - parity bit value calculation:
    - position 1 → check 1 bit, s (1) so forth (1, 3, 5, ...)
    - position 2 → check 2 bits, skip 2 bits (2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 11, ...)
    - position 4 → check 4 bits, skip 4 bits ( 4-7, 12-15, ...)

# Hamming Code – Example

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Data: 11011010

Even Parity

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Position	1	2					9	10	11	12
Data	1	1					1	0	1	0

P1 P2

P4

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P1: data at position 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 → 11111 (odd 1s) → Parity bit: 1

P2: data at position 3, 6, 7, 10, 11 → 10101 (odd 1s) → Parity bit: 1

P4: data at position 5, 6, 7, 12 → 1010 (even 1s) → Parity bit: 0

P8: data at position 9, 10, 11, 12 → 1010 (even 1s) → Parity bit: 0

Data sent: 111010101010

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# Hamming Code – Example

Data Received: 111010101110



Position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Data	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0

P1 P2

Check P1: data at position 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 (odd 1s) → Parity bit: 1  
- OK

Check P2: data at position 2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 11 (even 1s) → Parity bit: 0  
- Not OK

Check P4: data at position 5, 6, 7, 12 → 1010 (even 1s) → Parity bit: 0  
- OK

Check P8: data at position 9, 10, 11, 12 → 1110 (odd 1s) → Parity bit: 1  
- Not OK

Parity bit at position 2 and 8 are incorrect.  
The erroneous bit is placed at bit position  $2+8 = 10$

# Data Link Layer

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- **Error Control**

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- **Link Address** **Add WeChat edu\_assist\_pro**

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# Address Resolution

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- **Addresses exist at different layers**

Address Type	Example	Example Address
Application layer	Web address (URL)	www.indiana.edu
Network layer	I	9.79.78.193 (4 bytes)
Data link layer		0F-65-F8-33-8A (6 bytes)

- **Addresses may be resolved from one layer to another**



# Address Resolution

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- **Data Link Layer Address Resolution**
  - Identifying the MAC address of the next node (that packet must be forwarded)
  - Uses Address Resolution Protocol (ARP)

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# ARP name resolution

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- Identifying the MAC address by IP address
- Operation
  - Broadcast an ARP message to all nodes on a LAN asking which node has a certain IP address
  - Host with that IP address then responds by sending back its MAC address
  - Store this mapping
  - Send the message

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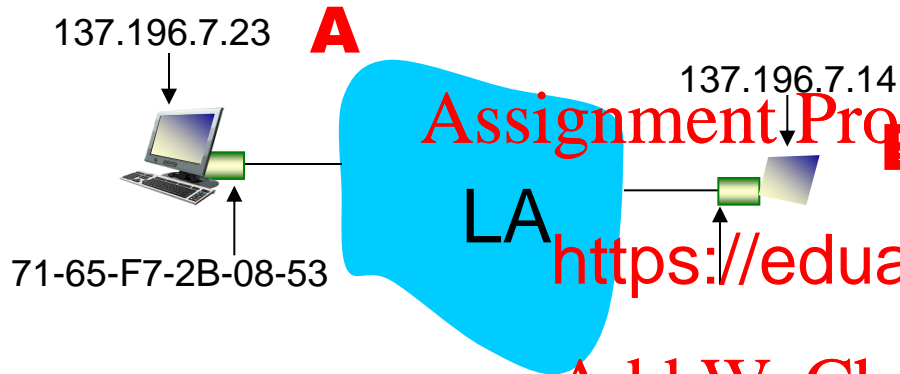
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# ARP: same LAN

**Question:** how to determine a MAC address knowing its IP address?



- A **broadcasts** ARP query packet, containing B's IP address

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	ARP query	ARP reply
Src IP address	137.196.7.23	137.196.7.14
Dest IP address	137.196.7.14	137.196.7.23
Src MAC address	71-65-F7-2B-08-53	58-23-D7-FA-20-B0
Dest MAC address	FF-FF-FF-FF-FF-FF	71-65-F7-2B-08-53

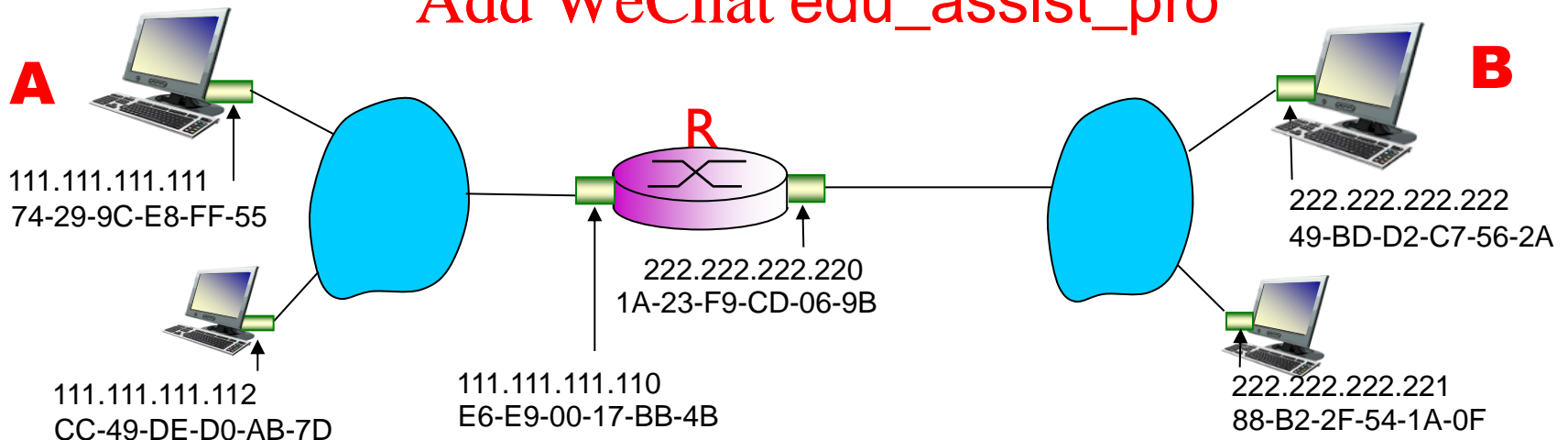
- s on LAN receive ARP query (broadcast)
- B receives ARP packet, replies to A with its (B's) MAC address
  - frame sent to A's MAC address (unicast)

# Addressing: routing to another LAN

walkthrough: **send datagram from A to B via R**

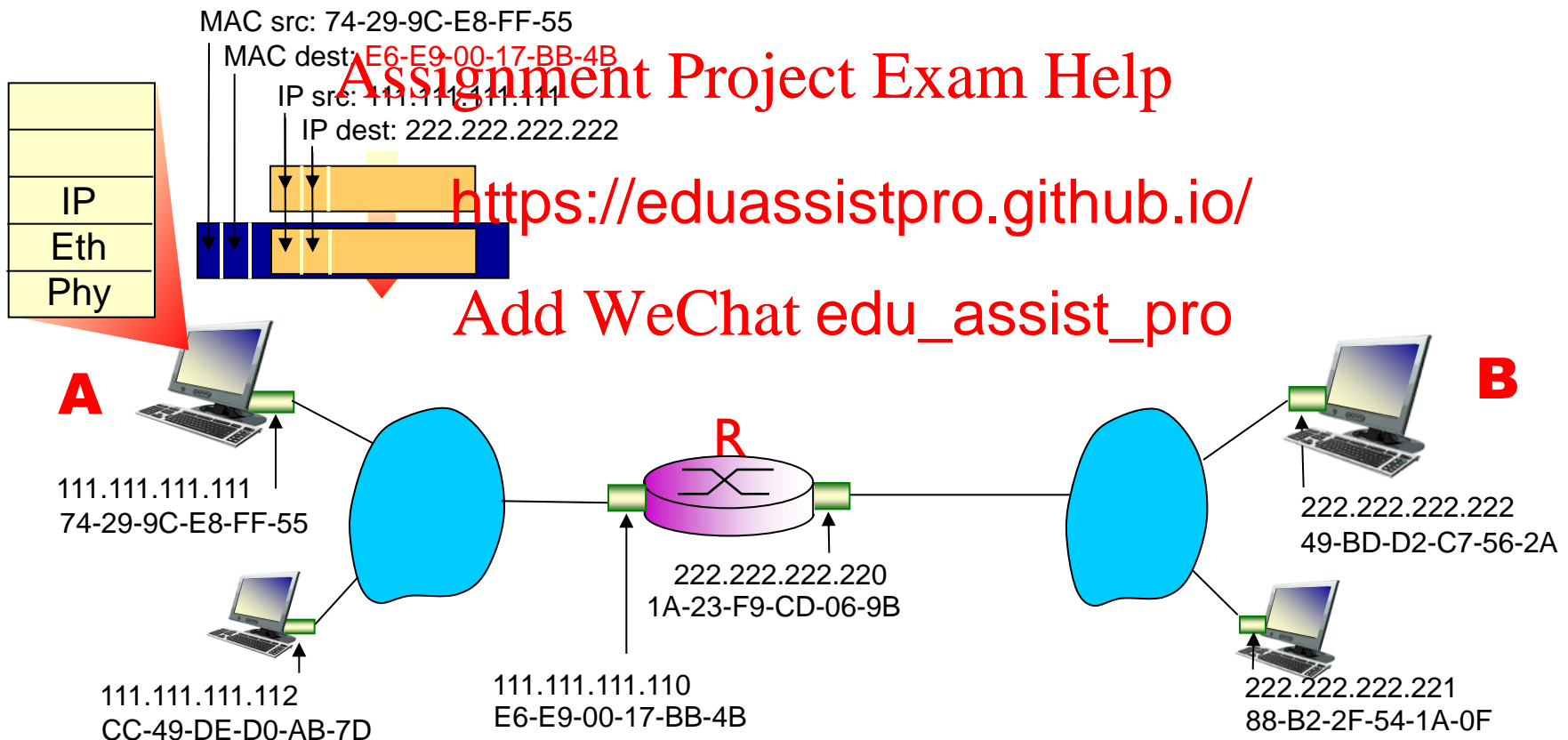
- focus on addressing – at IP (datagram) and MAC layer (frame)
- assume A knows B's IP address
- assume A knows hop router, R
- assume A knows <https://eduassistpro.github.io/>

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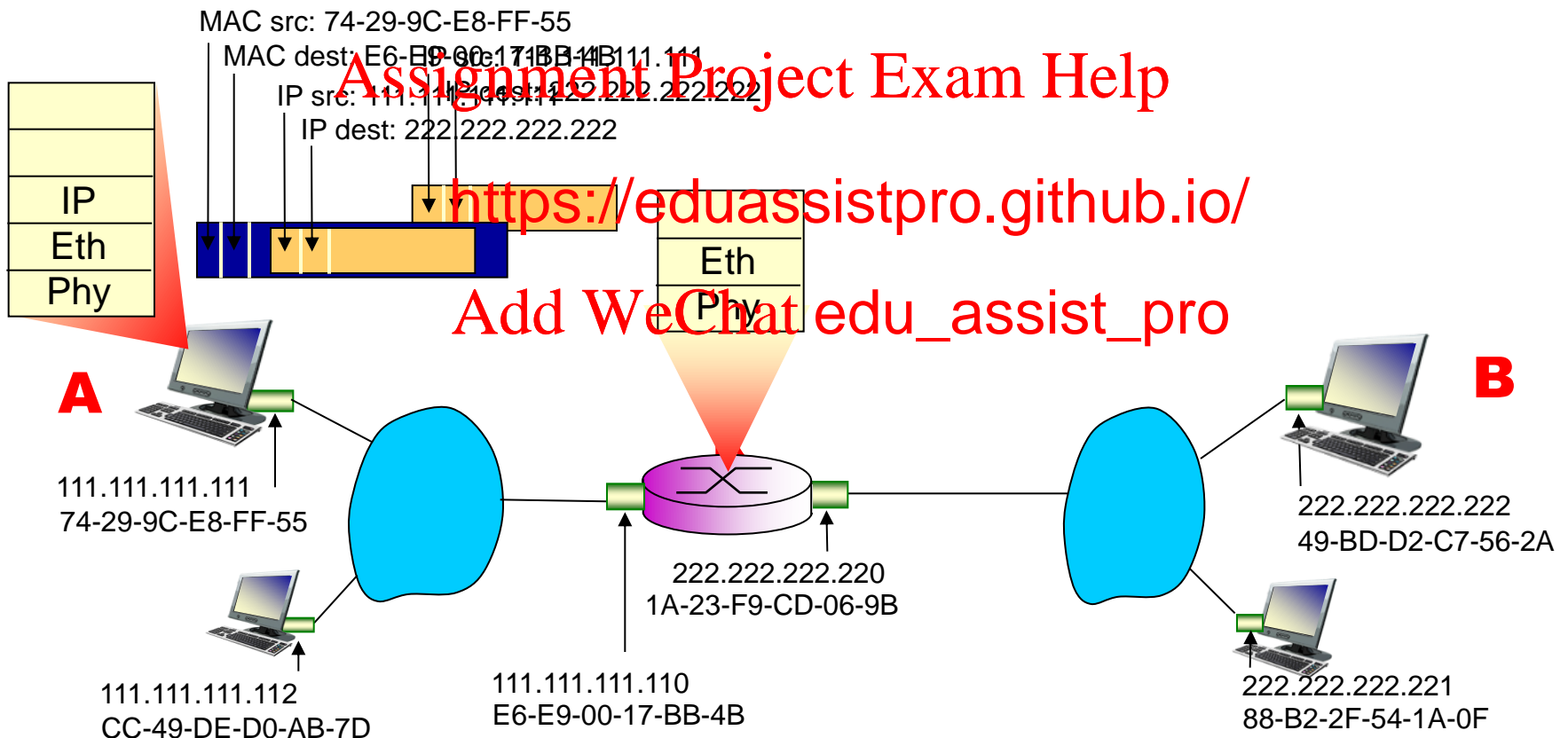
# Addressing: routing to another LAN

- ❖ A creates IP datagram with IP source A, destination B
- ❖ A creates link-layer frame with R's MAC address as dest, frame contains A-to-B IP datagram



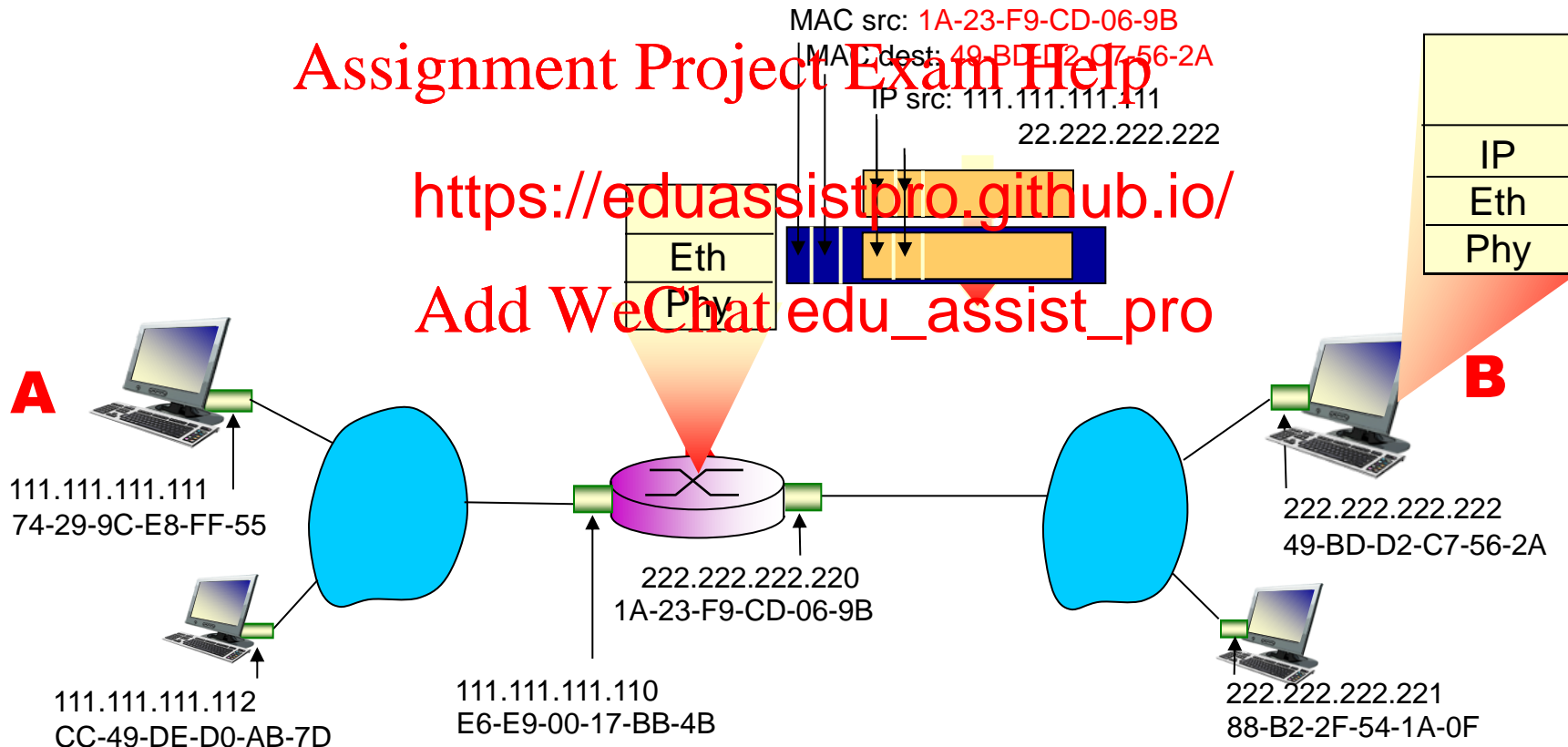
# Addressing: routing to another LAN

- ❖ frame sent from A to R
- ❖ frame received at R, datagram removed, passed up to IP



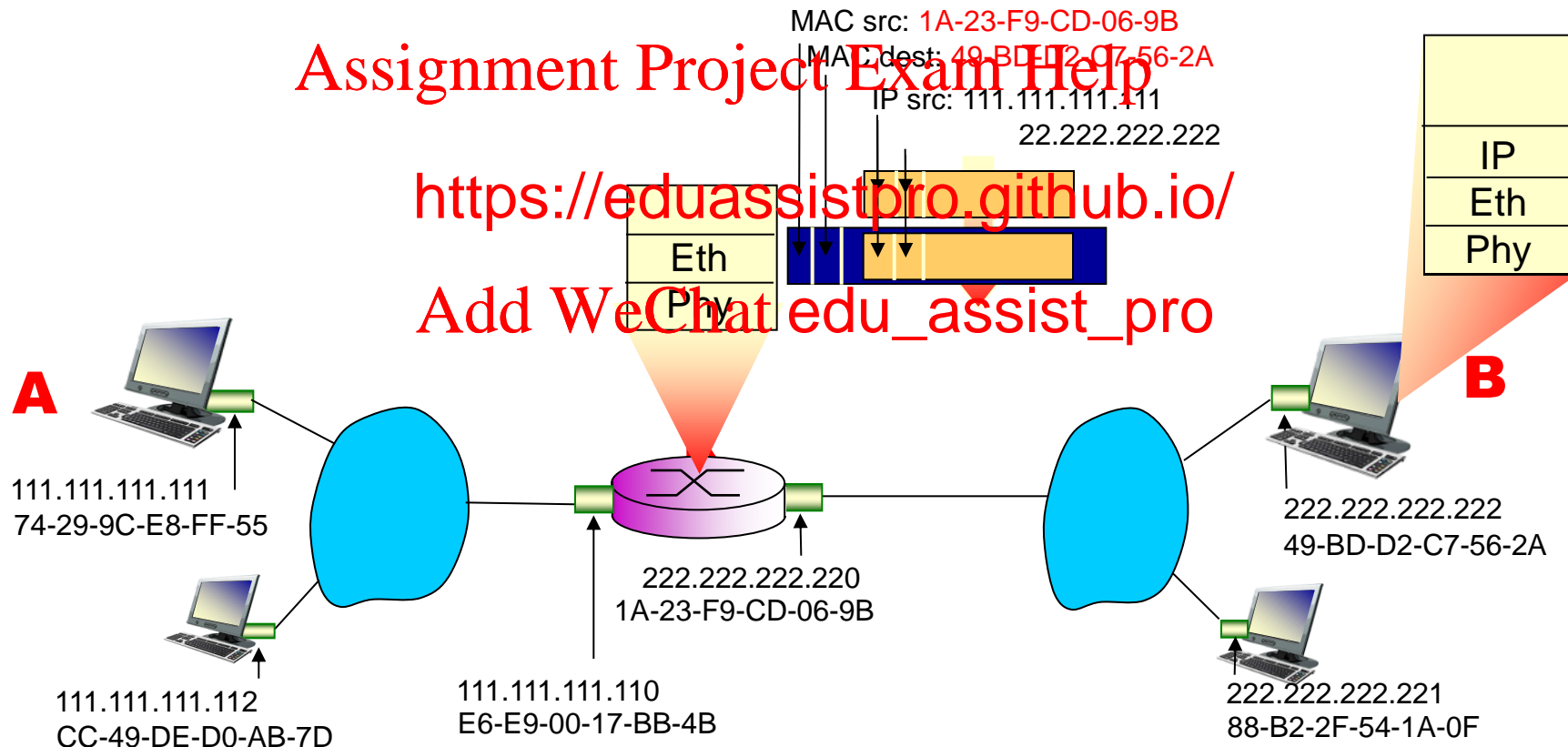
# Addressing: routing to another LAN

- ❖ R forwards datagram with IP source A, destination B
- ❖ R creates link-layer frame with B's MAC address as dest, frame contains A-to-B IP datagram



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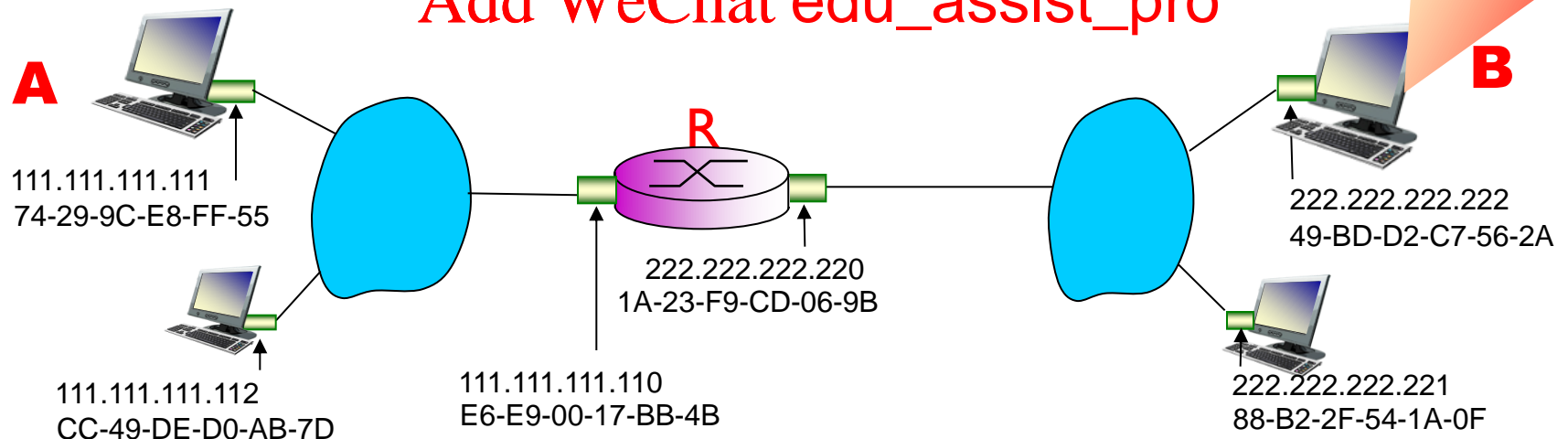
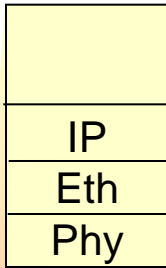
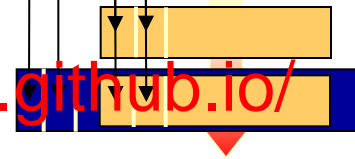
- ❖ R forwards datagram with IP source A, destination B
- ❖ R creates link-layer frame with B's MAC address as dest, frame contains A-to-B IP datagram

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MAC src: 1A-23-F9-CD-06-9B  
MAC dest: 49-BD-D2-C7-56-2A  
IP src: 111.111.111.111  
IP dest: 222.222.222.222



# Ethernet

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“dominant” wired LAN technology:

- cheap \$20 for NIC
- first widely used LAN technology
- simpler, ch and ATM
- kept up wit <https://eduassistpro.github.io/> – 10 Gbps

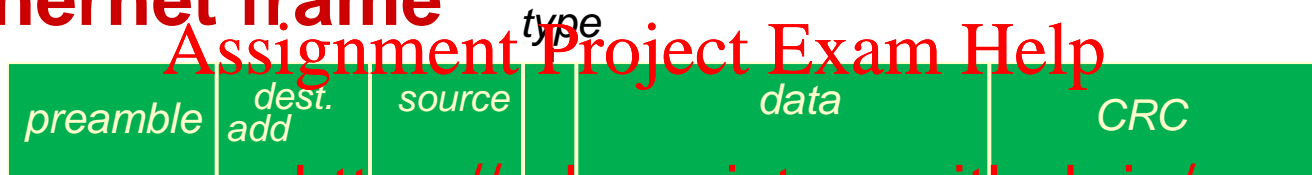
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# Ethernet frame structure

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sending adapter encapsulates IP datagram  
(or other network layer protocol packet) in

## Ethernet frame



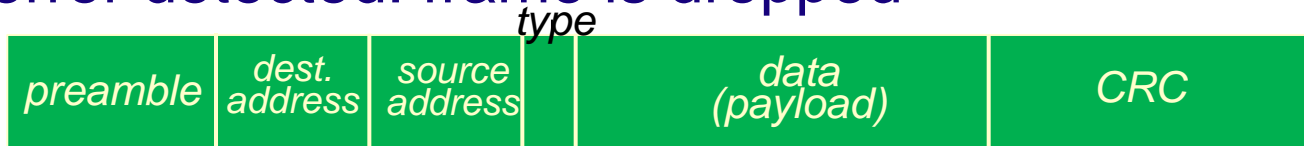
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- 7 bytes with pattern 10101011 followed by one byte with pattern 10101011
  - used to synchronize receiver, sender clock rates
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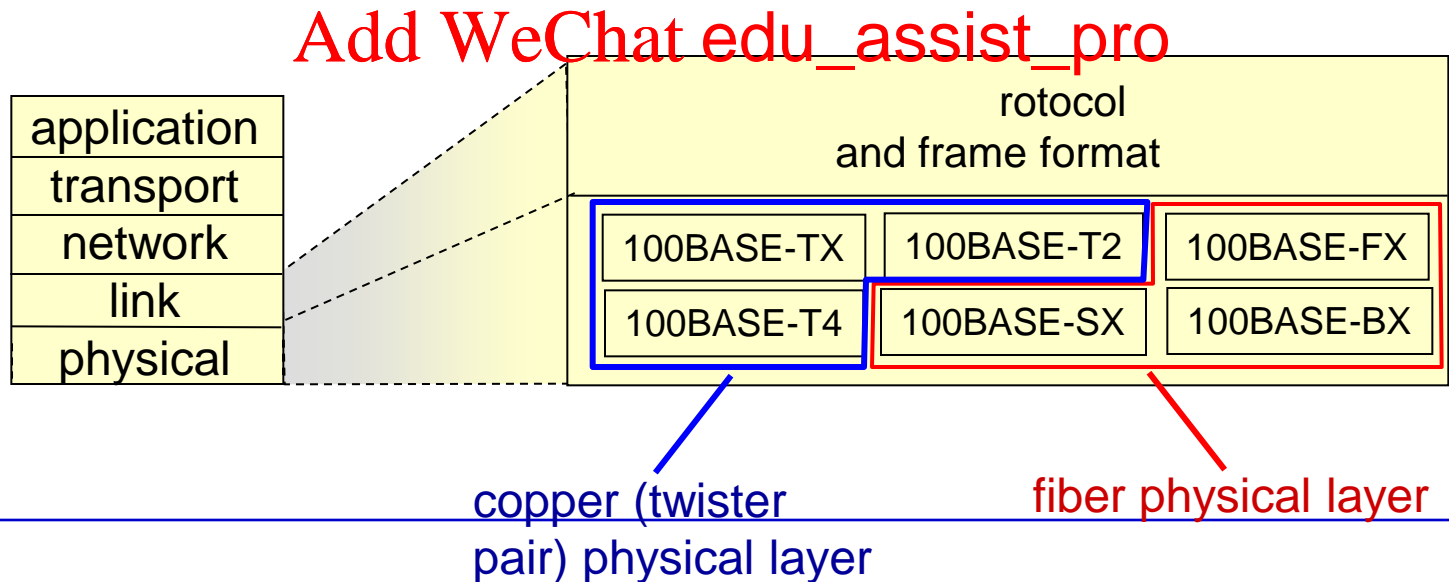
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- ❖ **addresses:** 6 byte source, destination MAC addresses
  - if adapter receives frame with matching destination address, or with broadcast address (e.g. ARP packet), it passes it to the network layer protocol
  - otherwise, it is dropped
- ❖ **type:** indicates higher layer protocol (mostly IP but others possible, e.g., X, AppleTalk)
- ❖ **CRC:** cyclic redundancy check at receiver
  - error detected: frame is dropped



# 802.3 Ethernet standards: link & physical layers

- **many** different Ethernet standards
  - common MAC protocol and frame format
  - different speeds: 2 Mbps, 10 Mbps, 100 Mbps, 1 Gbps, 10 Gbps
  - different physical media, e.g., copper, fiber, cable

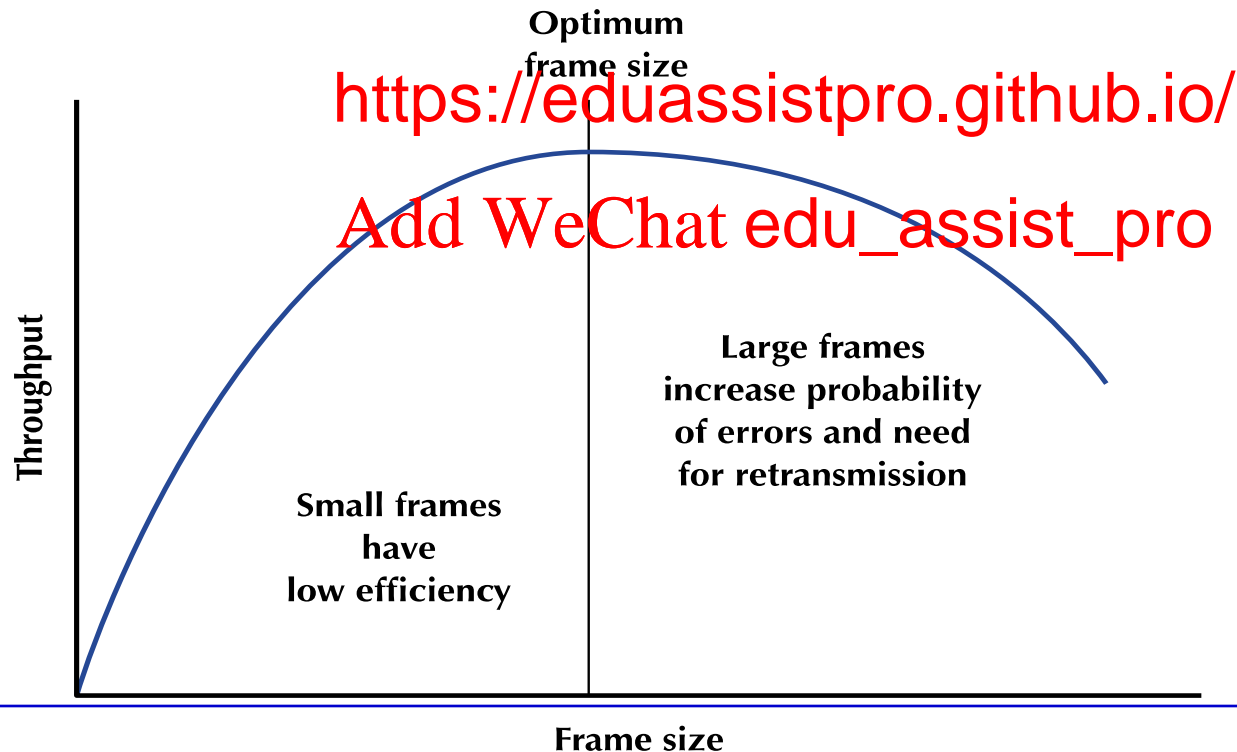


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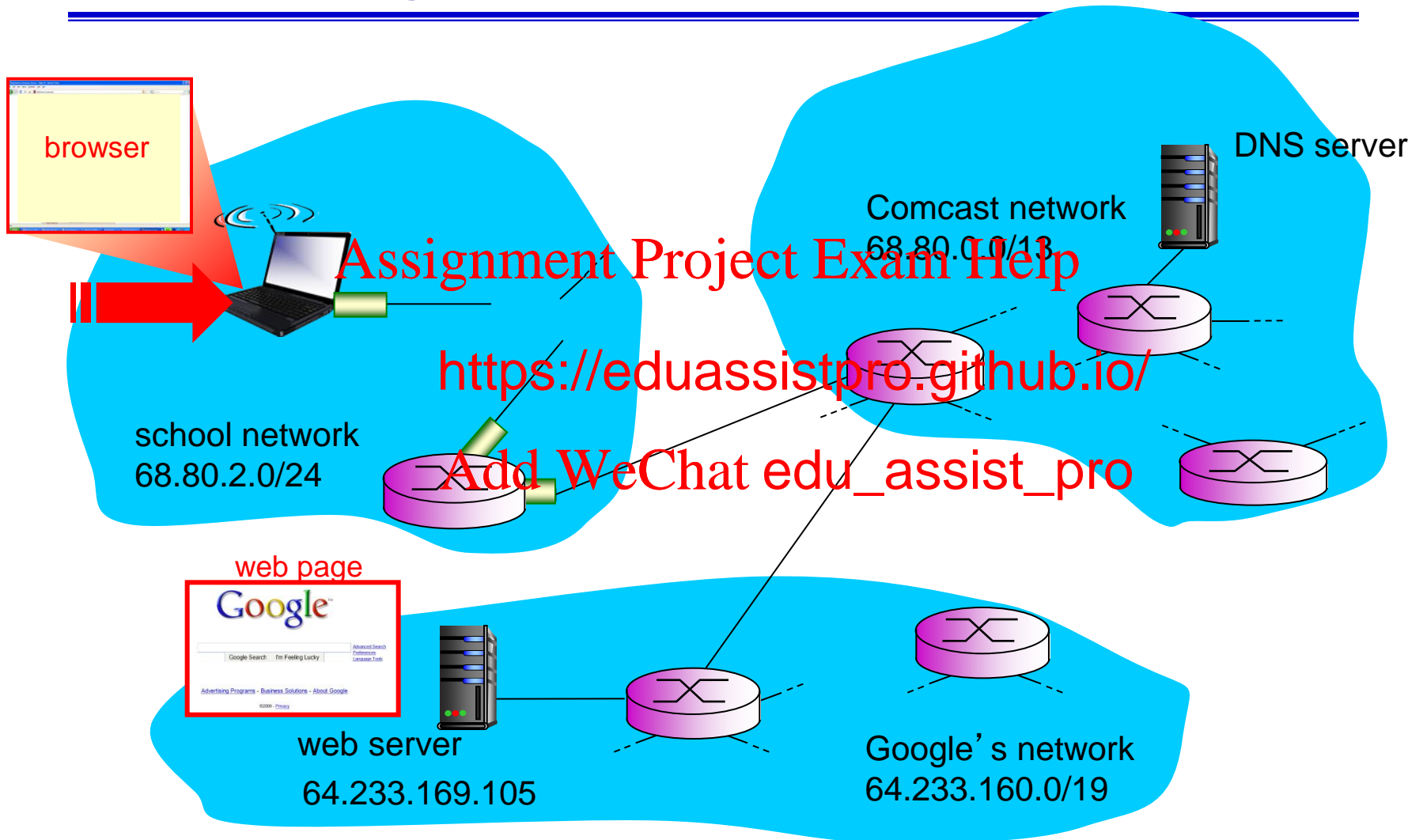
$$\text{Transmission efficiency} = \frac{\text{\# of information bits}}{\text{\# of information + overhead bits}}.$$

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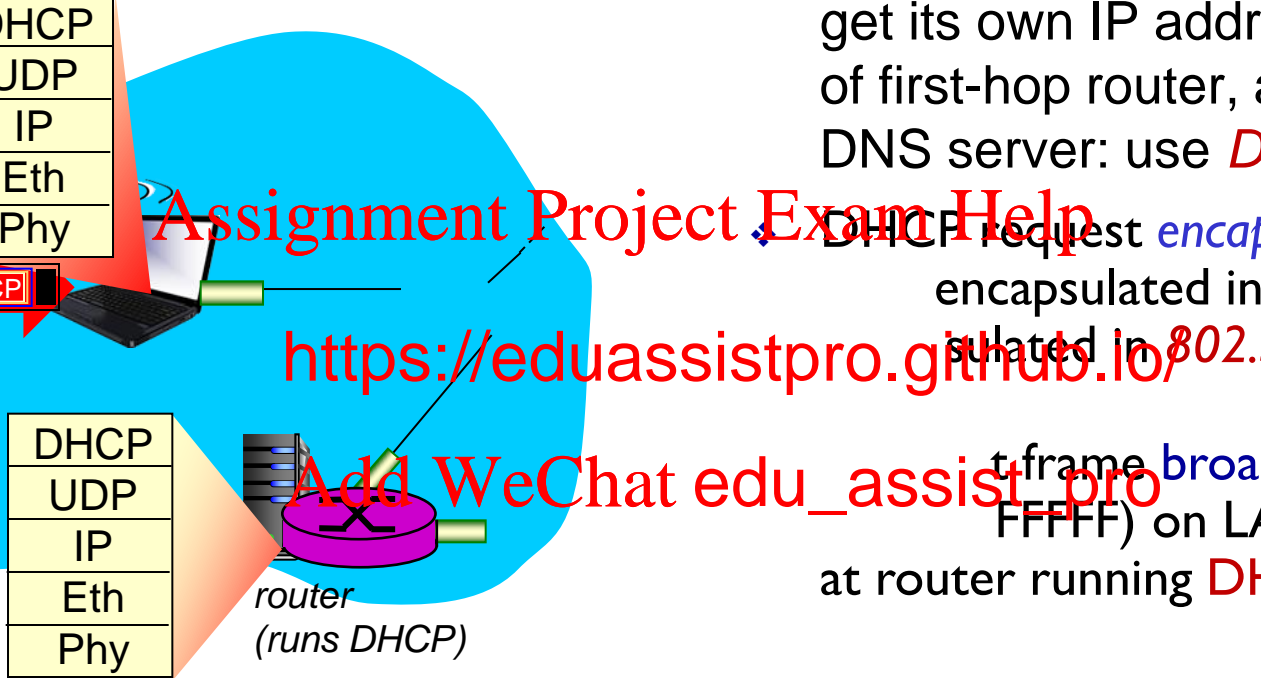
Frame size effects on throughput



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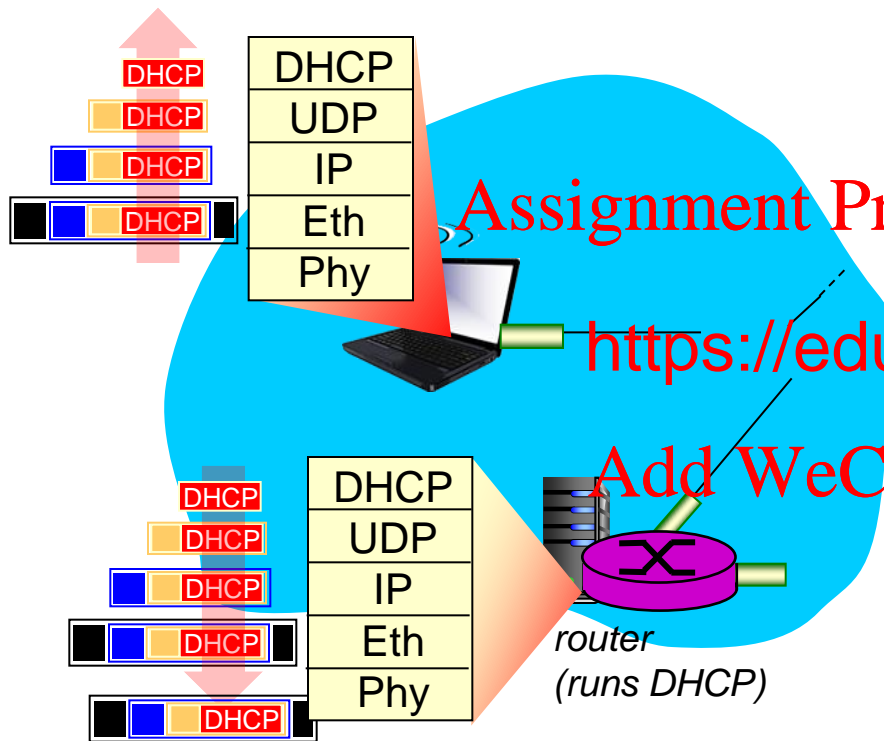
## ❖ connecting laptop



- ❖ connecting laptop needs to get its own IP address, addr of first-hop router, addr of DNS server: use **DHCP**
- ❖ DHCP request **encapsulated** in encapsulated in **IP**,  
encapsulated in **802.3 Ethernet** frame **broadcast** (dest: FFFF) on LAN, received at router running **DHCP** server
- ❖ Ethernet **demuxed** to IP demuxed, UDP demuxed to DHCP



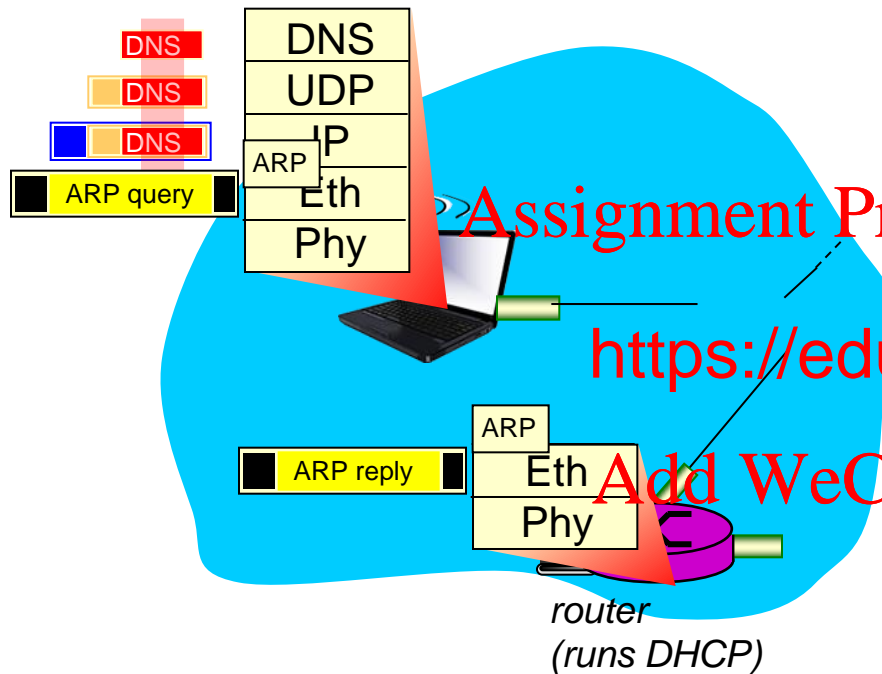
# A day in the life... connecting to the Internet



- ❖ DHCP server formulates DHCP ACK containing client's IP address, IP address of first-hop router for client, name & IP address of DNS server  
multiplexing at  
( ) through
- ❖ DHCP client receives DHCP ACK reply

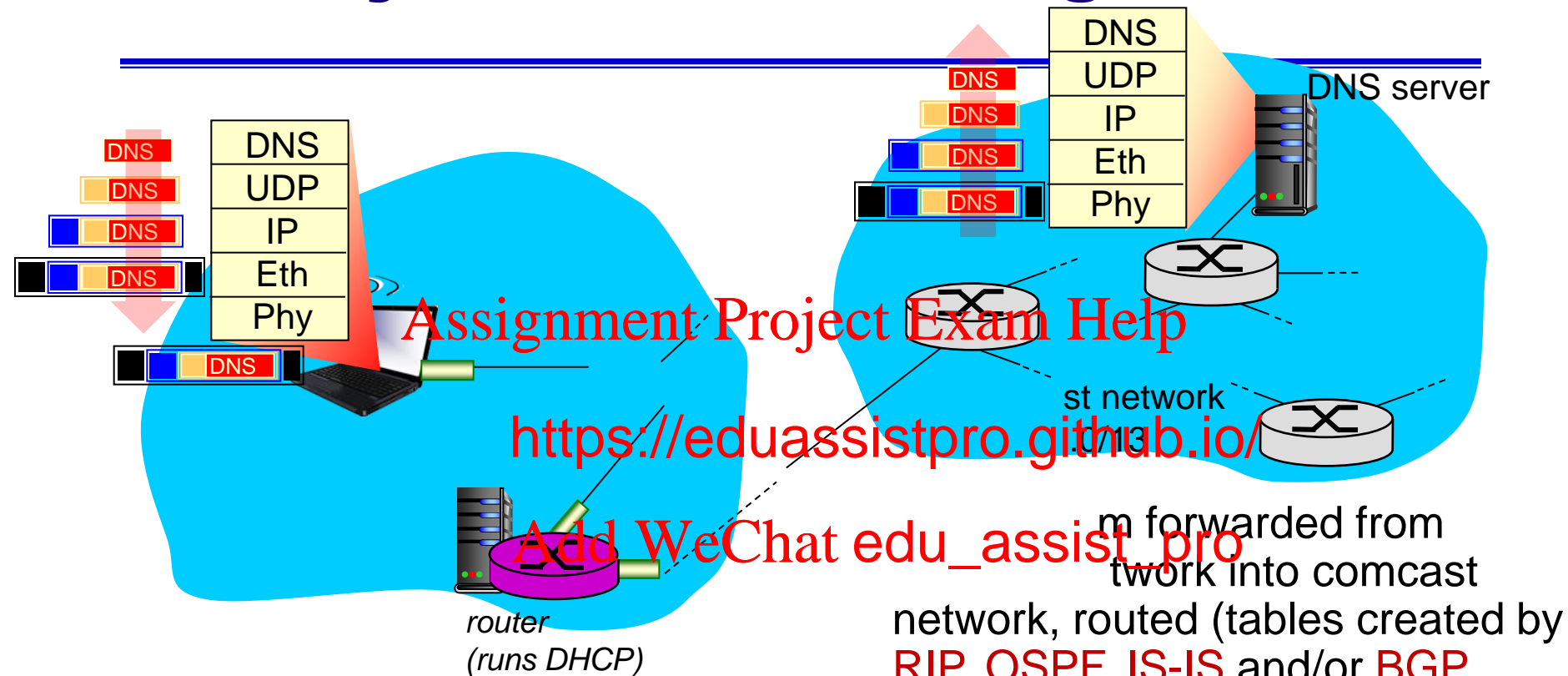
*Client now has IP address, knows name & addr of DNS server, IP address of its first-hop router*

# A day in the life... ARP (before DNS, before HTTP)



- ❖ before sending HTTP request, need IP address of `www.google.com`:  
DNS
- ❖ DNS query created, encapsulated in UDP, encapsulated in IP, encapsulated in Eth. To send frame need MAC address of first hop interface: ARP broadcast, received by router, router replies with ARP reply giving MAC address of router interface
- ❖ client now knows MAC address of first hop router, so can now send frame containing DNS query

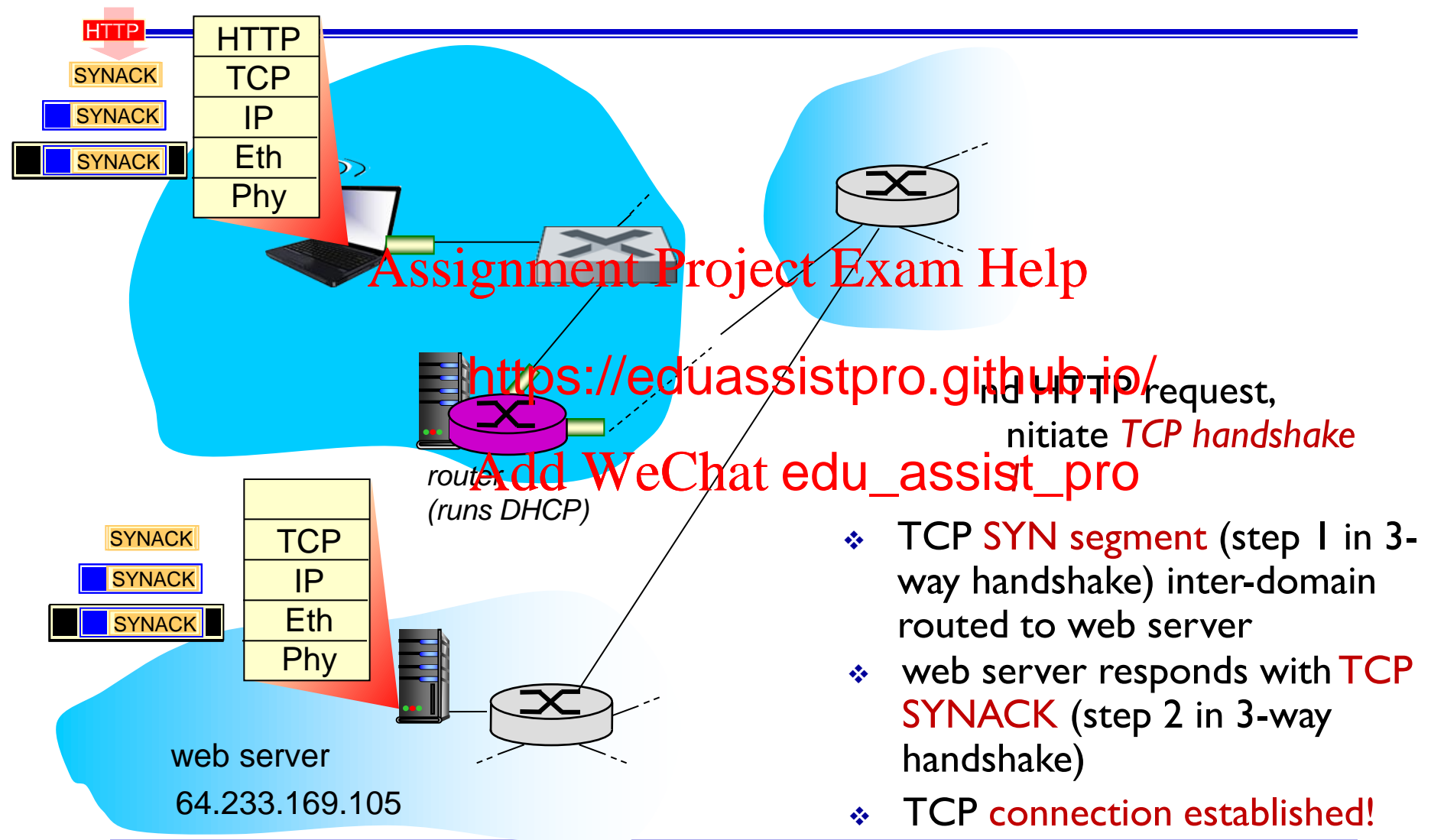
# A day in the life... using DNS



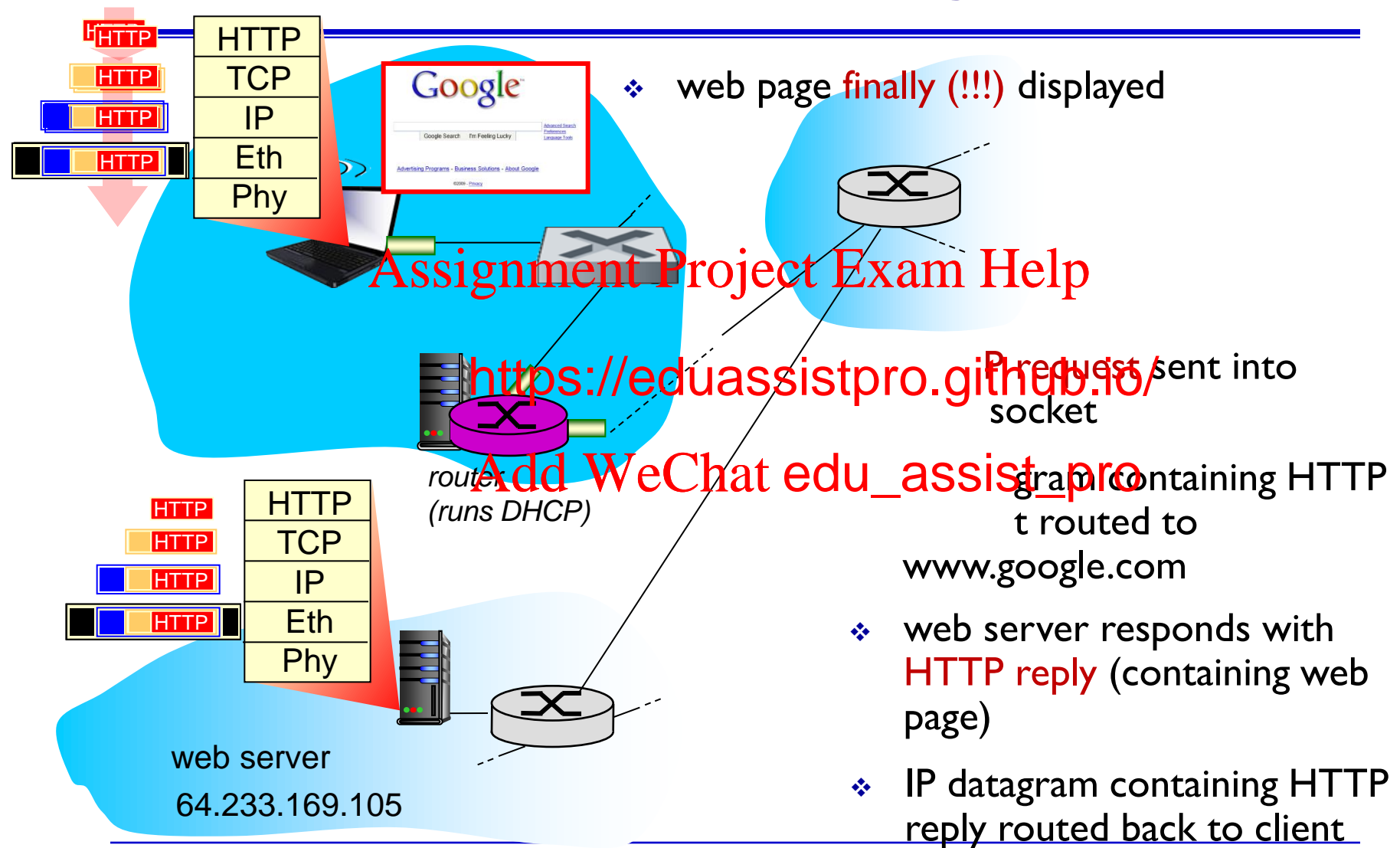
- ❖ IP datagram containing DNS query forwarded via LAN switch from client to 1<sup>st</sup> hop router

- ❖ demux'ed to DNS server
- ❖ DNS server replies to client with IP address of www.google.com

# A day in the life...TCP connection carrying HTTP



# A day in the life... HTTP request/reply



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