

CSCI 4210 OPERATING SYSTEMS

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## INTER-PROCESS COMMUNICATION (IPC)

Inter-process communication (IPC) requires the following:

1. Synchronization
2. Protocol (i.e., how is communication to occur between the endpoints?)
3. Precision
4. Data marshalling (i.e., translating from “host format” to “network format”)

## OSI REFERENCE MODEL

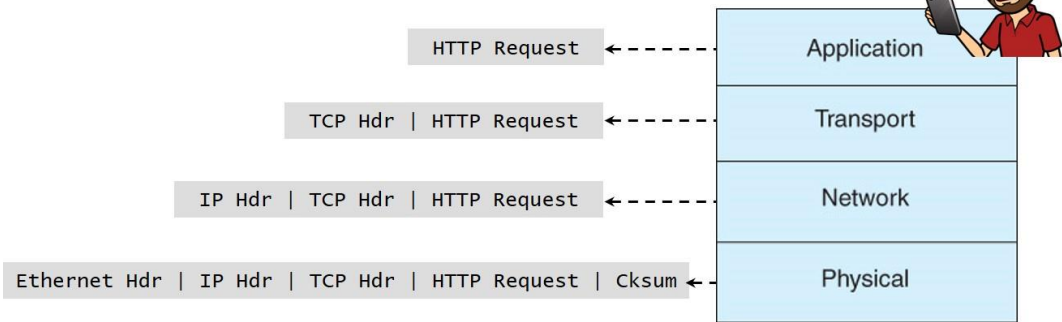
Open Systems Interconnection (OSI) Reference Model (~1984)

Standardization of how communication should occur across a network, describing where and how network protocols fit together with one another

A seven-layer protocol stack that supports interoperability of networking components:

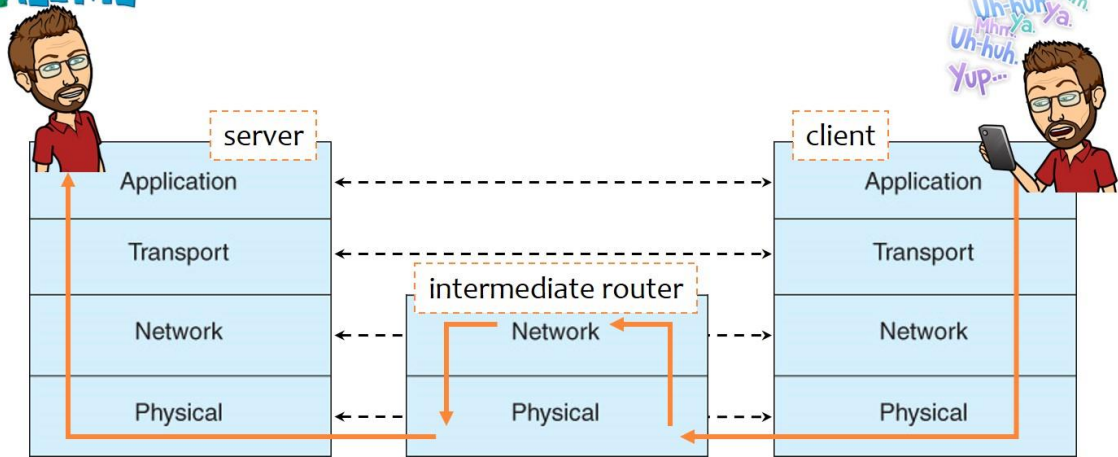
- Layer 7: Application (e.g., HTTP, HTTPS, NFS, SMTP, SNMP, TELNET)
- Layer 6: Presentation (e.g., SSL, FTP, SSH)
- Layer 5: Session (e.g., RPC) [HTTP: <http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2616.txt>]
- Layer 4: Transport (e.g., TCP, UDP)
- Layer 3: Network (e.g., IP, ICMP, ARP, OSPF)
- Layer 2: Data Link (e.g., MAC)
- Layer 1: Physical (e.g., Ethernet, Frame Relay, IEEE 802.11)

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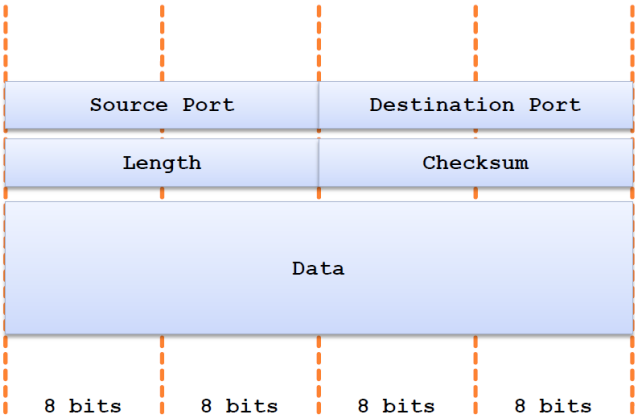
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# UDP DATAGRAM STRUCTURE

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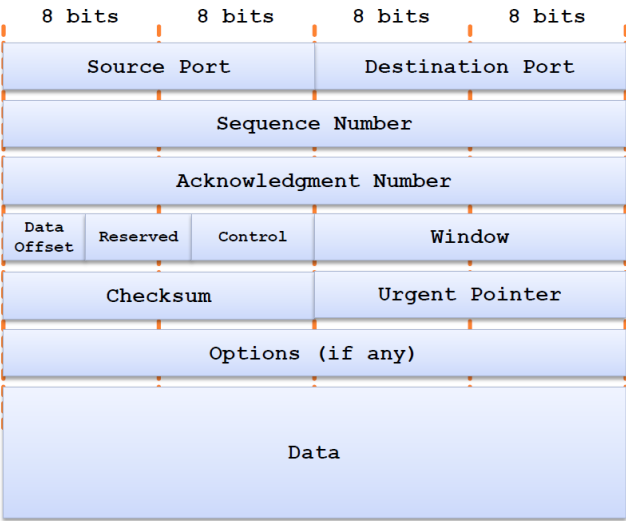
- User Datagram Protocol (UDP):
- Connection-less
  - Unreliable (i.e., no re-sending of dropped datagram)
  - Simple
  - Low overhead



# TCP SEGMENT STRUCTURE

<https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc793>

- Transmission Control Protocol (TCP):
- Connection-oriented
  - Reliable (i.e., re-sending of dropped packets, sequencing and reordering of packets, general error checking)
  - Overhead



# IP DATAGRAM STRUCTURE

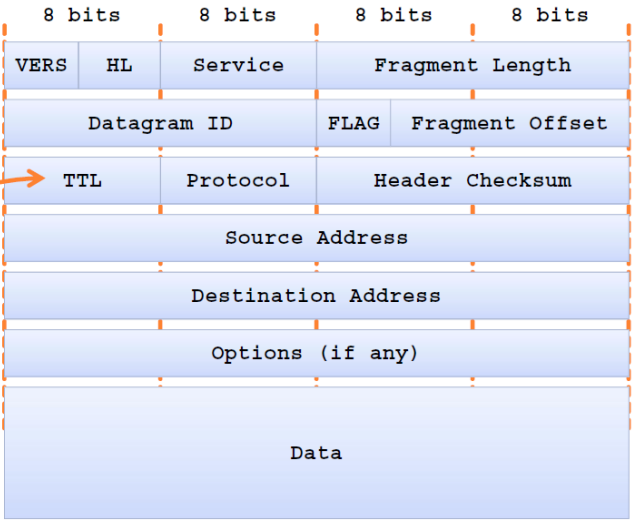
<https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc1122>

Internet Protocol (IP):

Connection-less

Unreliable (i.e., no re-sending of dropped datagrams)

Provides host-to-host delivery of datagrams

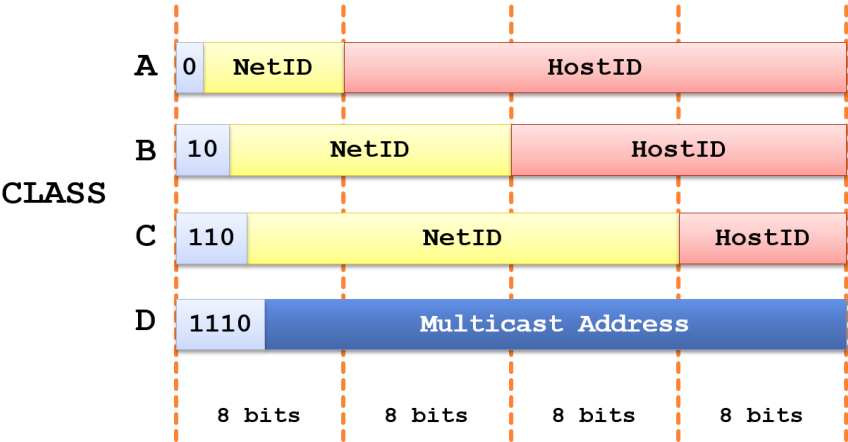


# IP ADDRESSES

Each IP address contains information about what network the destination host is on, which enables routing to occur at intermediate “hops” (i.e., routers) along the path from a source endpoint to the destination endpoint

NETWORK CLASS	LEADING BITS	# of NETWORKS	# of HOSTS	NETWORK/HOST BIT FIELDS
CLASS A	0...	128	16,777,214	8 / 24 bits
CLASS B	10...	16,384	65,534	16 / 16 bits
CLASS C	110...	2,097,152	254	24 / 8 bits
CLASS D	1110...	n/a	n/a	n/a
MULTICAST				

# DECODING IP ADDRESSES



# SUBDIVIDING INTO SUBNETS

