



The Evolution of Libnet

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Agenda

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 - Deficiencies
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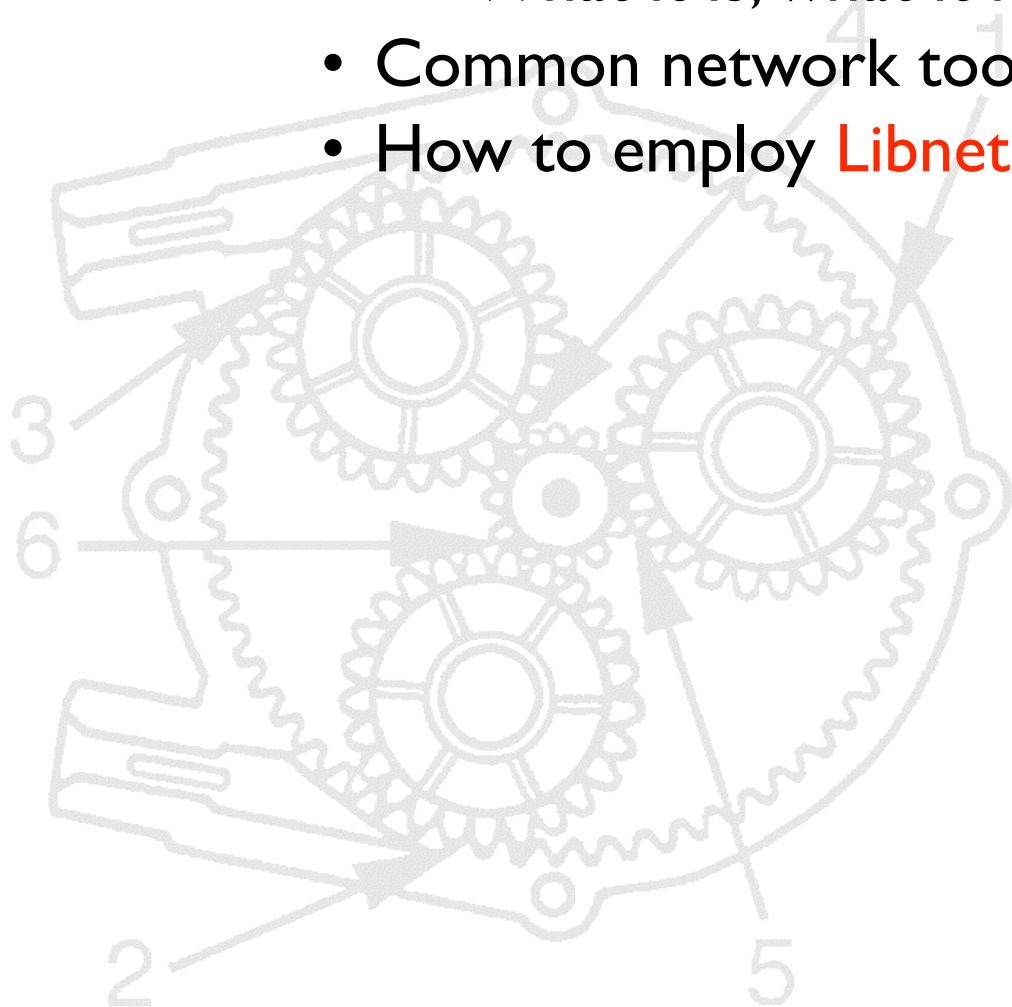
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 - Modern Network Infrastructure Security, Addison Wesley (2005)
- Previous books:
 - Building Open Source Network Security Tools, Wiley & Sons
 - Hacker's Challenge Book I, Osborne McGraw-Hill
 - Hacker's Challenge Book II, Osborne McGraw-Hill

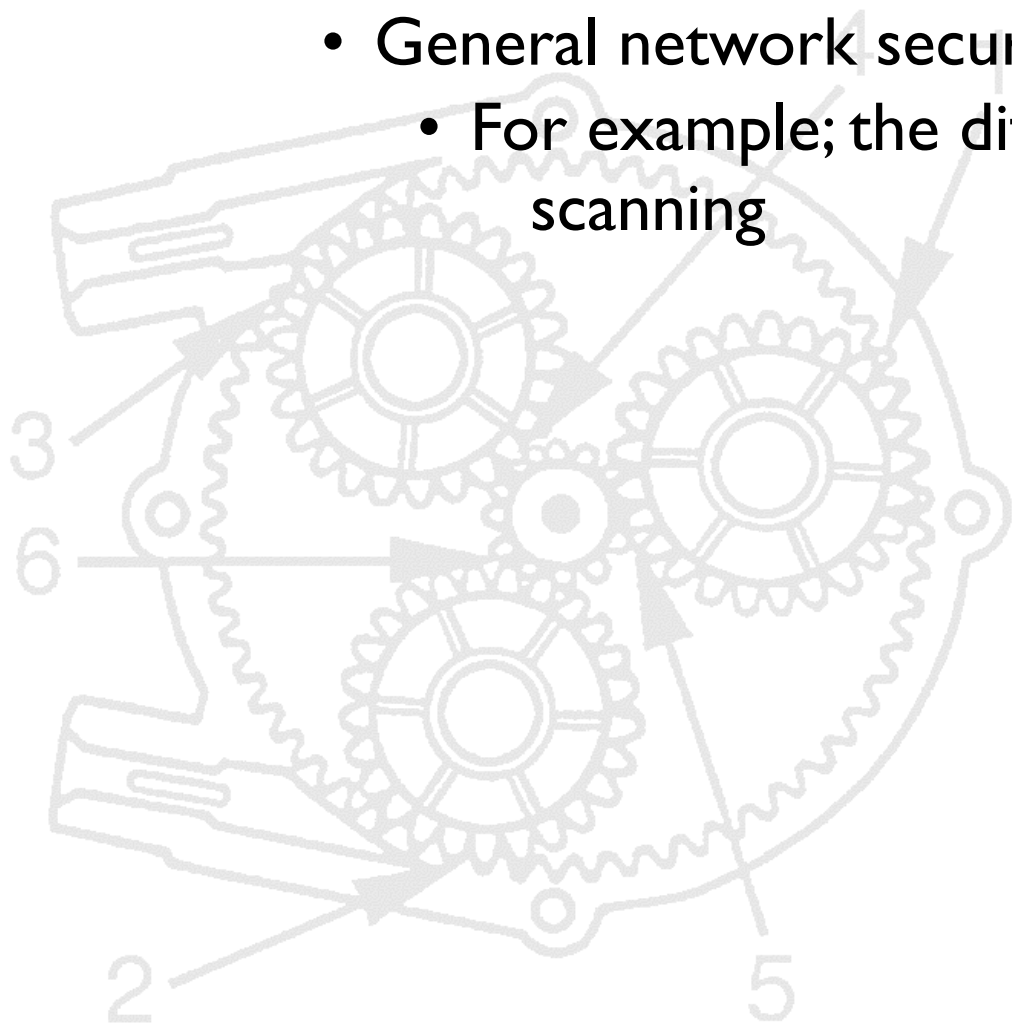
What you will learn today

- The **Libnet** programming library
 - What it is, what it isn't
- Common network tool techniques and how they are codified
- How to employ **Libnet** to rapidly build useful network security tools

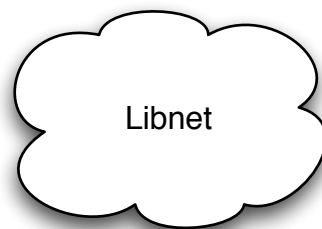


What you should already know

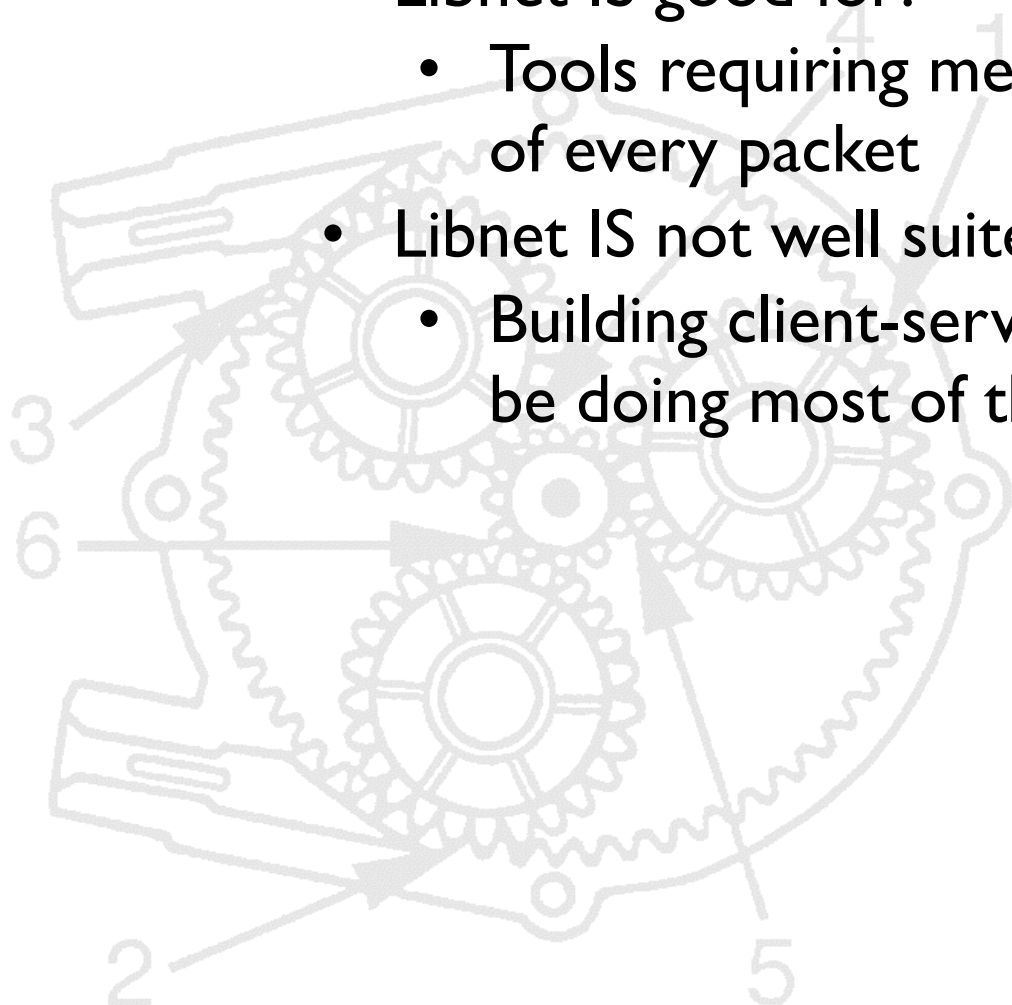
- The C programming language
- General understanding of the TCP/IP protocol suite
 - Primarily layers 1 – 3 (OSI layers 2 – 4)
- General network security concepts
 - For example; the difference between packet sniffing and port scanning



What is libnet?

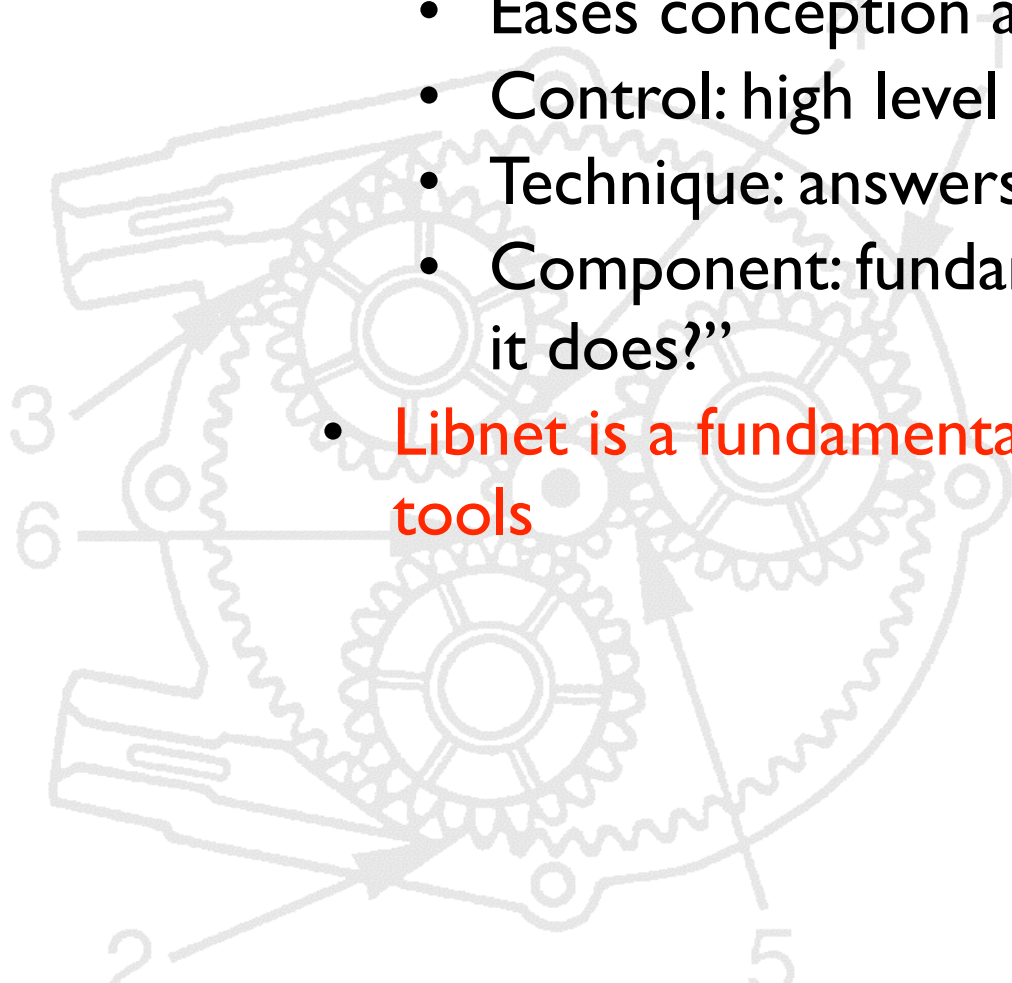


- A C Programming library for packet construction and injection
- The Yin to the Yang of libpcap
- Libnet's Primary Role in Life:
 - **A simple interface for packet construction and injection**
- Libnet IS good for:
 - Tools requiring meticulous control over every field of every header of every packet
- Libnet IS not well suited for:
 - Building client-server programs where the operating system should be doing most of the work



Components are building blocks

- Libnet is a **component**
 - That's nice. What is a component?
 - Before we define a component, let's talk about network security tools (toolkits are nice, but they're just enablers)
- A network security tool can be *modularized* and broken down into three layers: Control, Technique, Component
 - Eases conception and fast-tracks construction of tools
 - Control: high level abstract, delivery mechanism for techniques
 - Technique: answers "what does this tool do?"
 - Component: fundamental layer, answers "how does this tool do what it does?"
- **Libnet is a fundamental building block used to create network security tools**

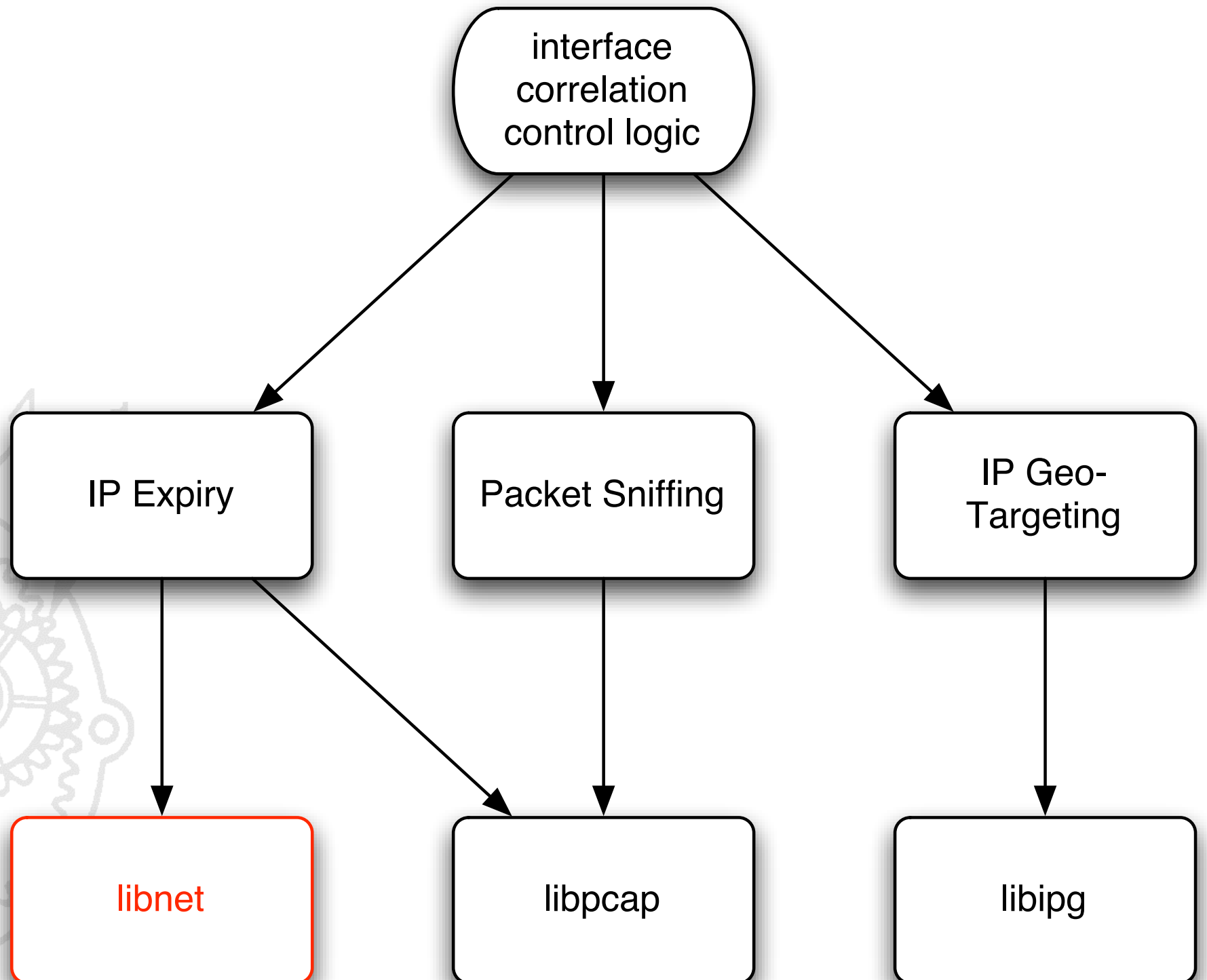


The Modular Model of Network Security Tools

Control Layer

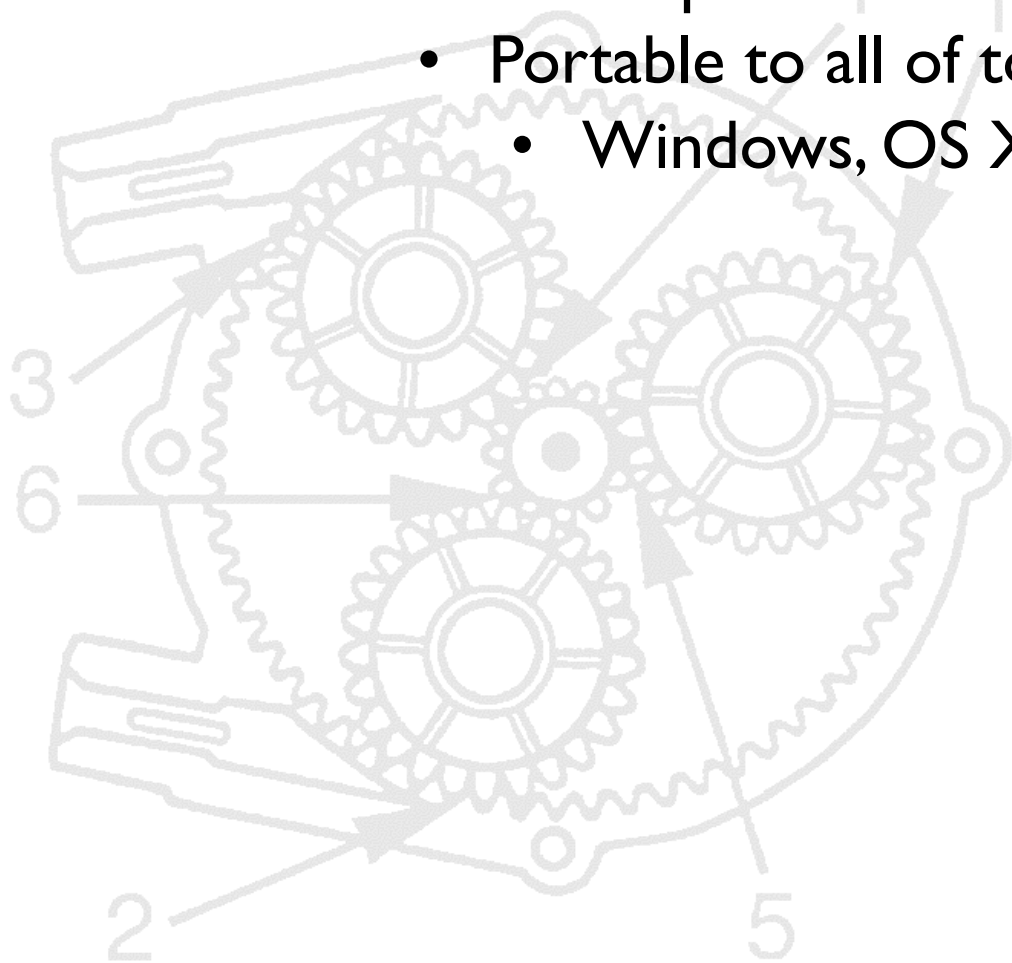
Technique Layer

Component Layer



What's inside of libnet?

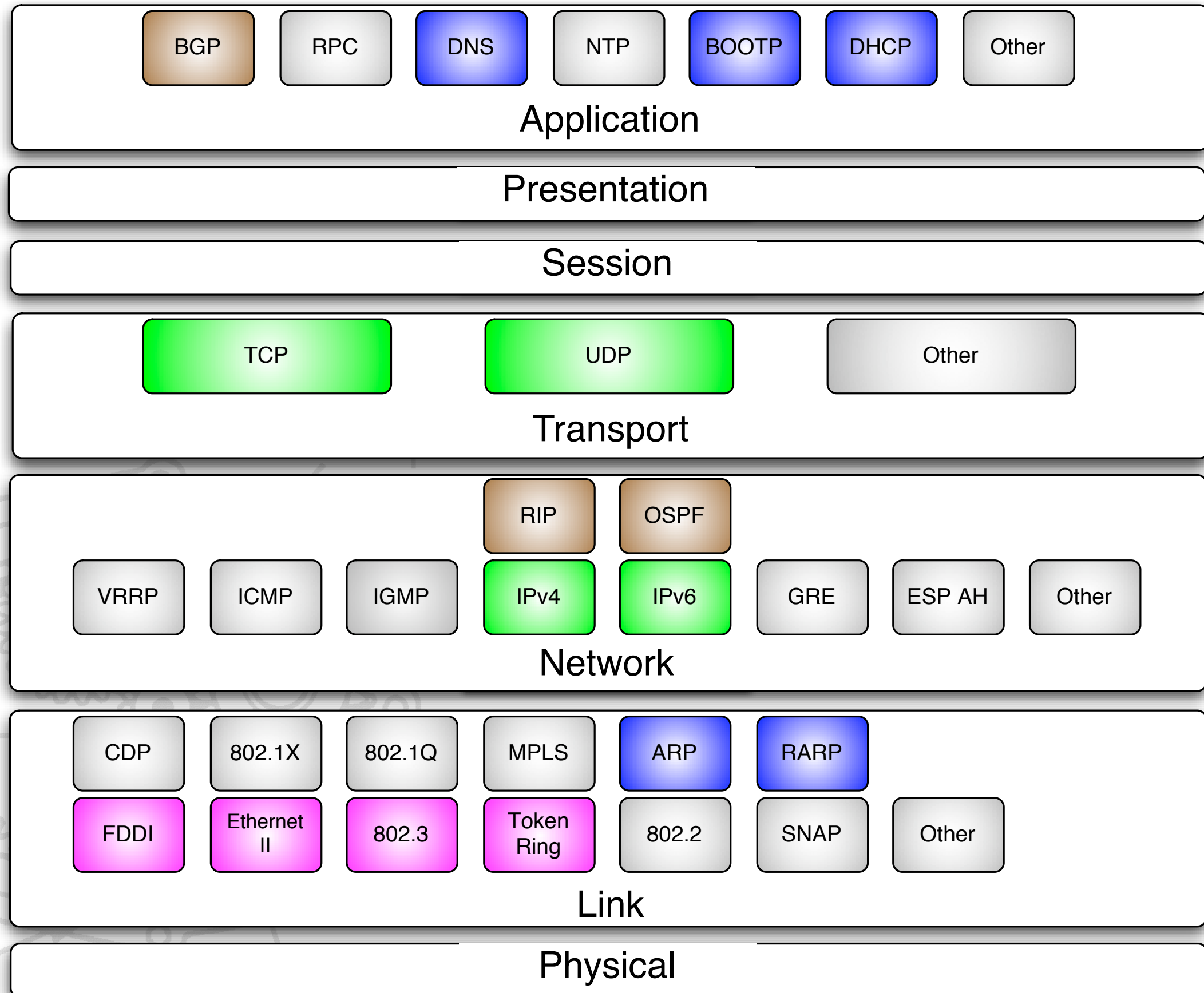
- As of libnet 1.1.2:
 - About 18,000 lines of C source code
 - 109 exported functions, 67 packet builder functions
 - Portable to all of today's hottest operating systems:
 - Windows, OS X, BSD, Linux, Solaris, HPUX



Why use libnet?

- **Portability**
 - Libnet is portable to all of our favorite and exquisitely cherished operating systems
- **Ease of Use**
 - As we will see, Libnet 1.1.x exports a braindead simple interface to building and injecting packets (4 easy steps)
- **Robustness**
 - Libnet supports all of today's in-demand protocols with more added all the time
 - More than 30 supported in Libnet 1.1.2 (see next slide)
 - Several link layers: Ethernet, Token Ring, FDDI, 802.11 *planned*
- **Open Source**
 - Licensing
 - Libnet is released under a BSD license meaning it is basically free to use
 - Response-time in bug fixes
 - Large user-base; bugs are fixed quickly

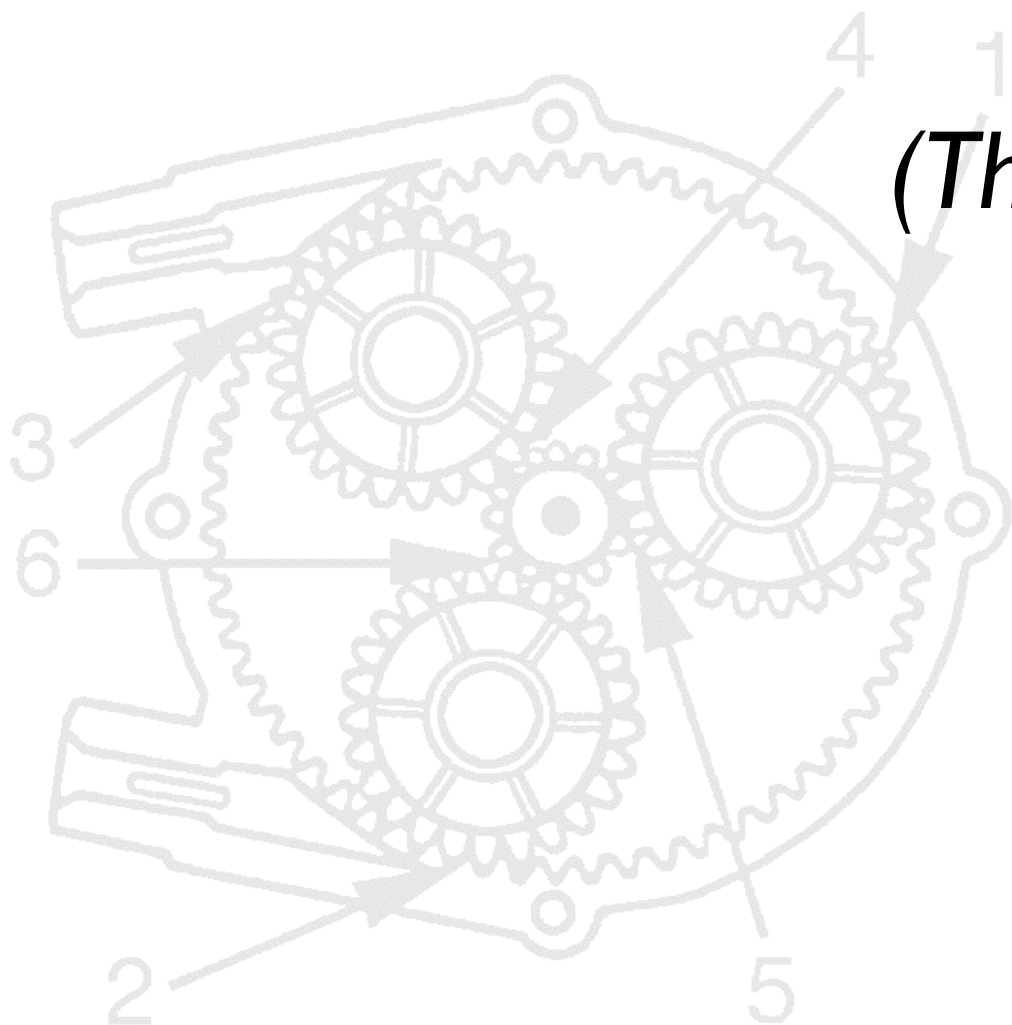
Libnet 1.1.x protocols



A brief history of Libnet

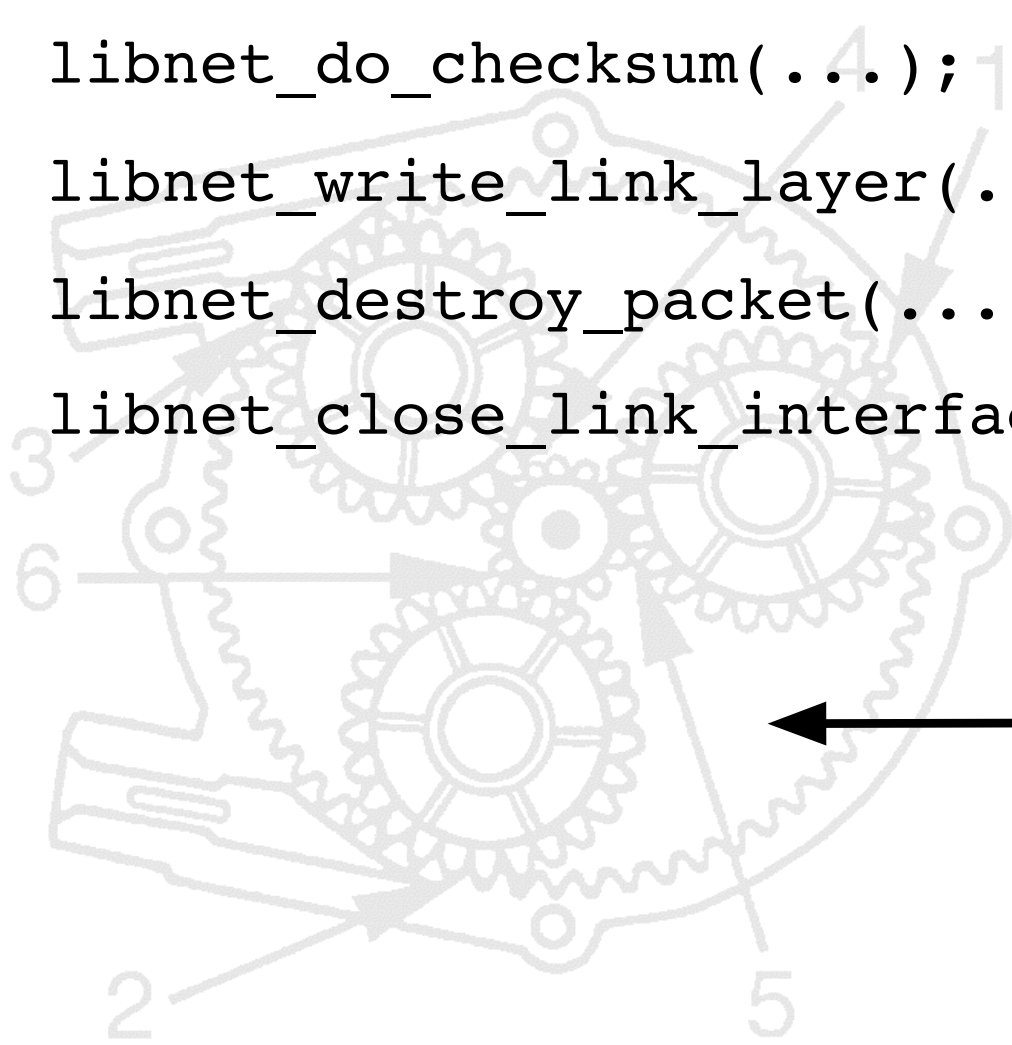
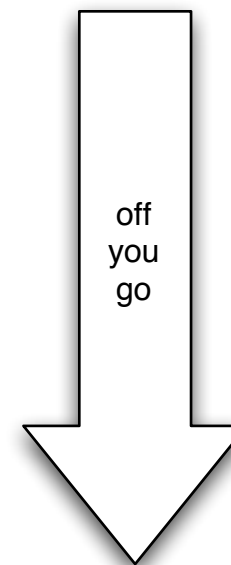
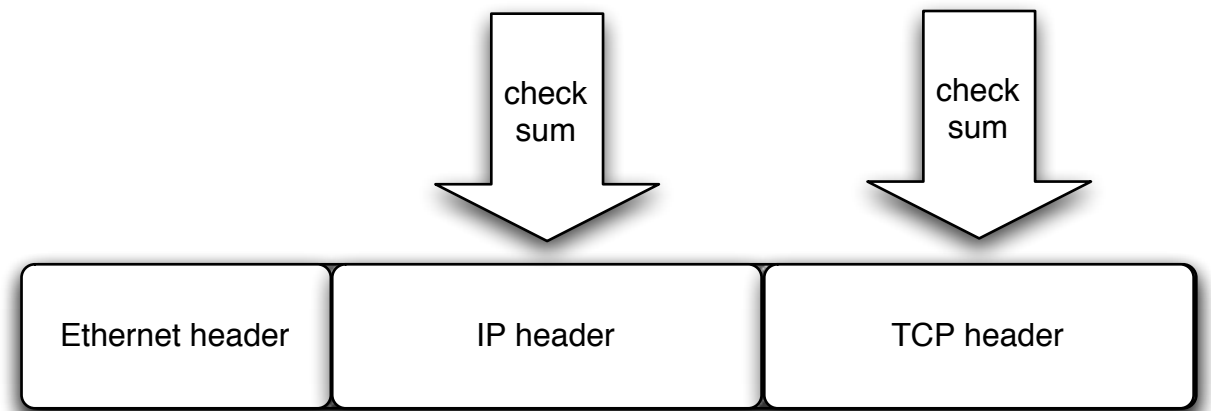
1998 - 2001

(The formative years)



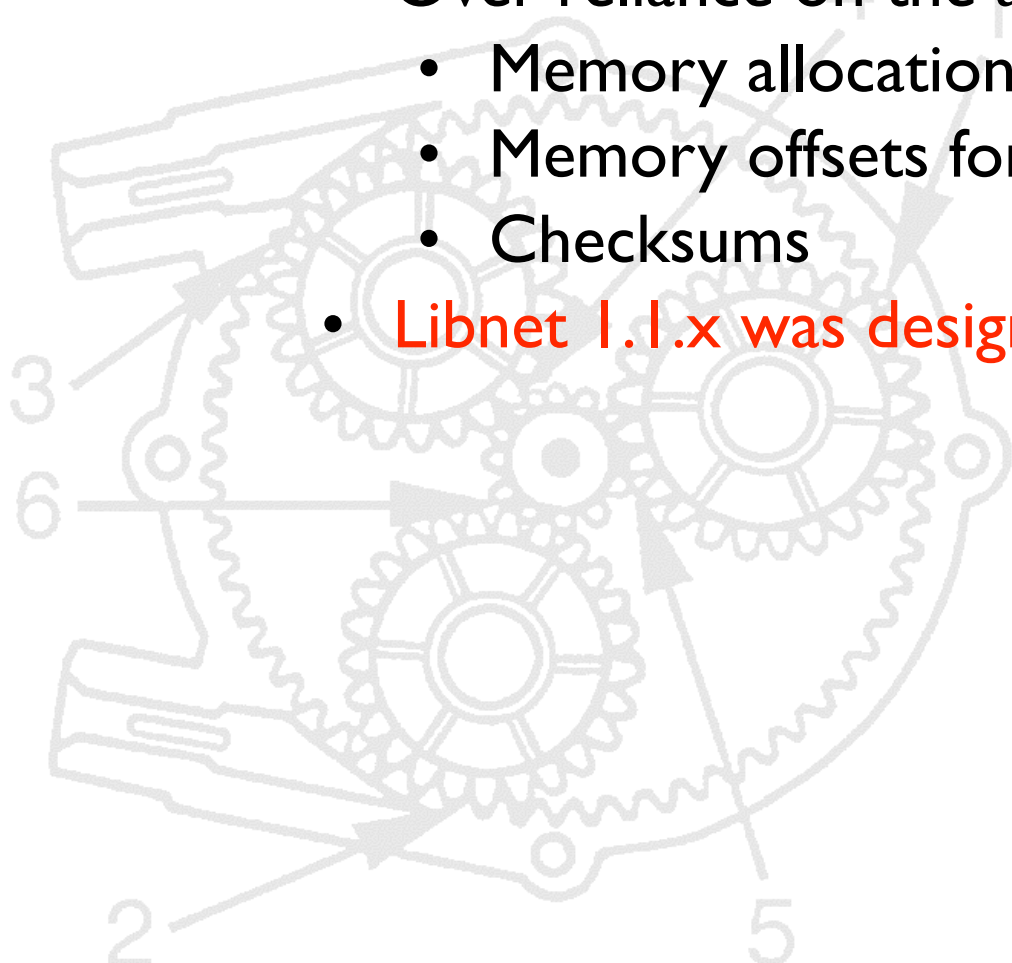
Libnet 1.0.x process

```
libnet_init_packet(...);  
libnet_open_link_interface(...);  
libnet_build_ip(...);  
libnet_build_ethernet(...);  
libnet_build_tcp(...);  
libnet_do_checksum(...);  
libnet_do_checksum(...);  
libnet_write_link_layer(...);  
libnet_destroy_packet(...);  
libnet_close_link_interface(...);
```



Libnet 1.0.x deficiencies

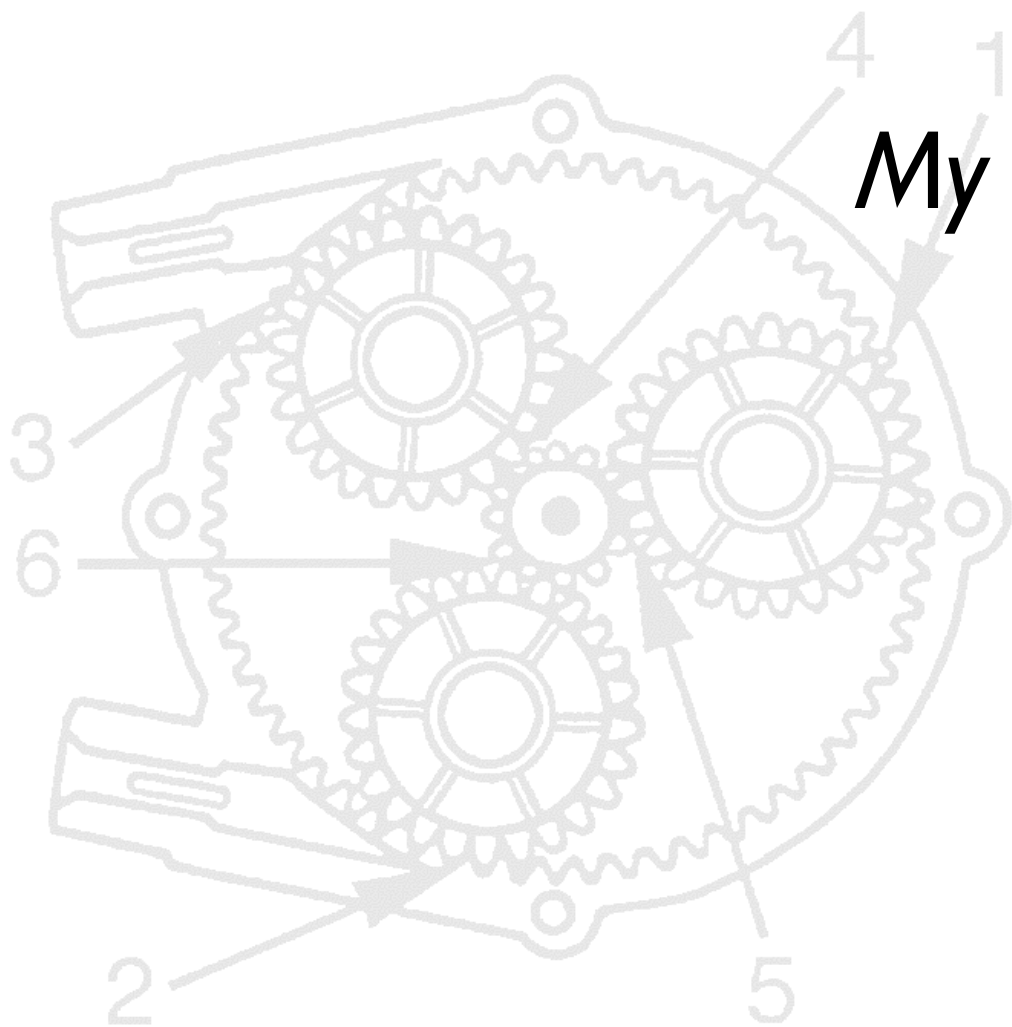
- Oh wow is that user-unfriendly
 - Too many steps in building a packet (up to 10!)
 - Too much to do, alot can go wrong
- No state maintenance
 - Couldn't track anything
- Over-reliance on the application programmer
 - Memory allocation / de-allocation
 - Memory offsets for packets
 - Checksums
- Libnet 1.1.x was designed to address all of these issues



Libnet 1.1.x

2001 - ...

My boy's all grown's up



Libnet 1.1.2 process

```
libnet_init(...);
```

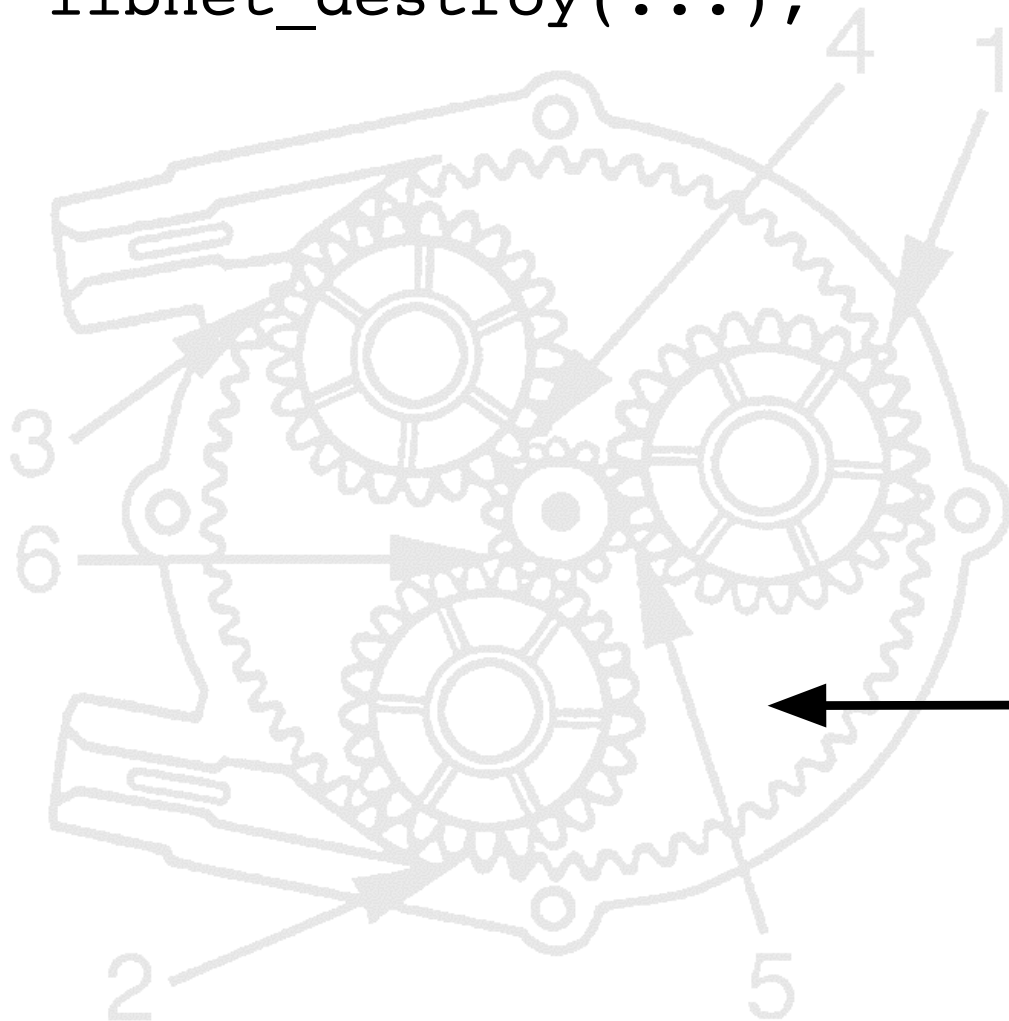
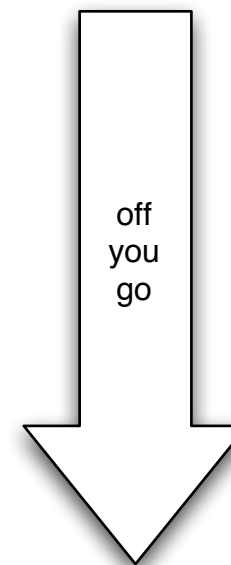
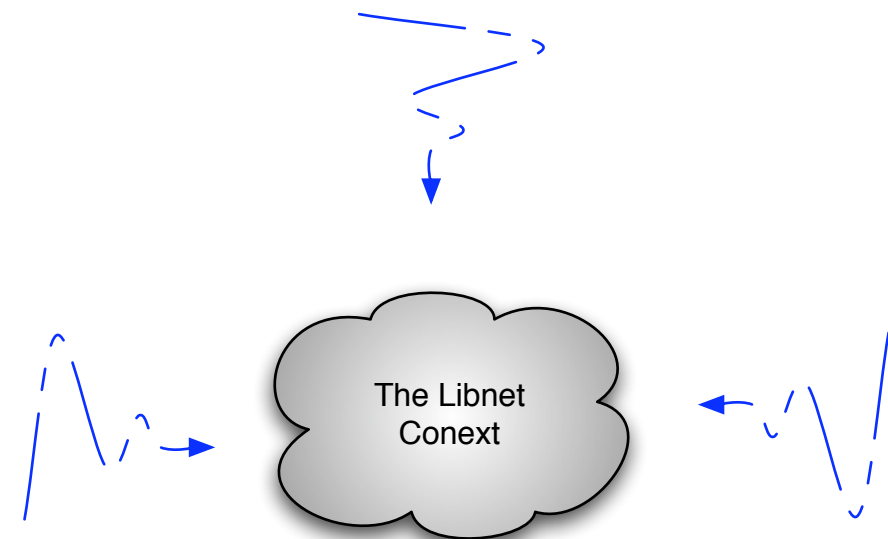
```
libnet_build_tcp(...);
```

```
libnet_build_ipv4(...);
```

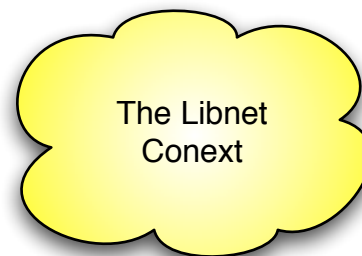
```
libnet_build_ethernet(...);
```

```
libnet_build_write(...);
```

```
libnet_destroy(...);
```

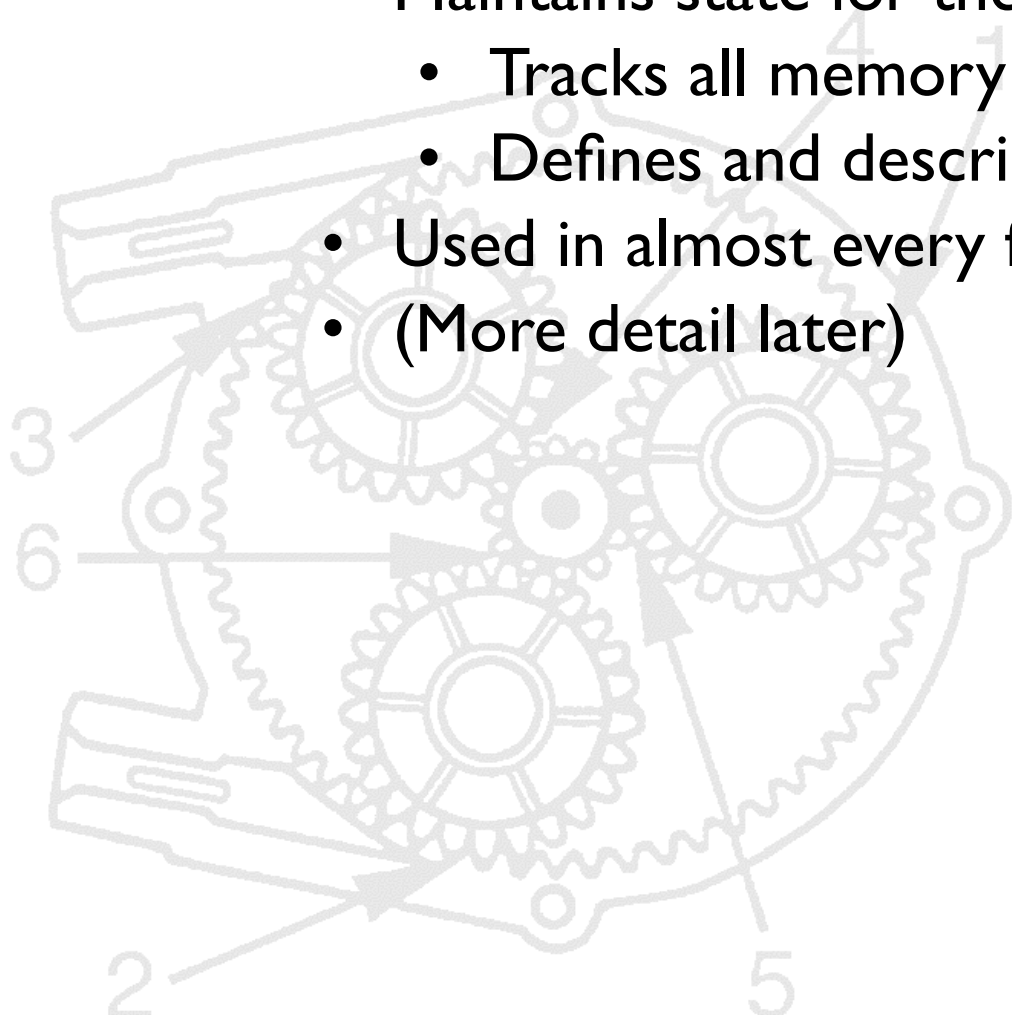


The libnet context

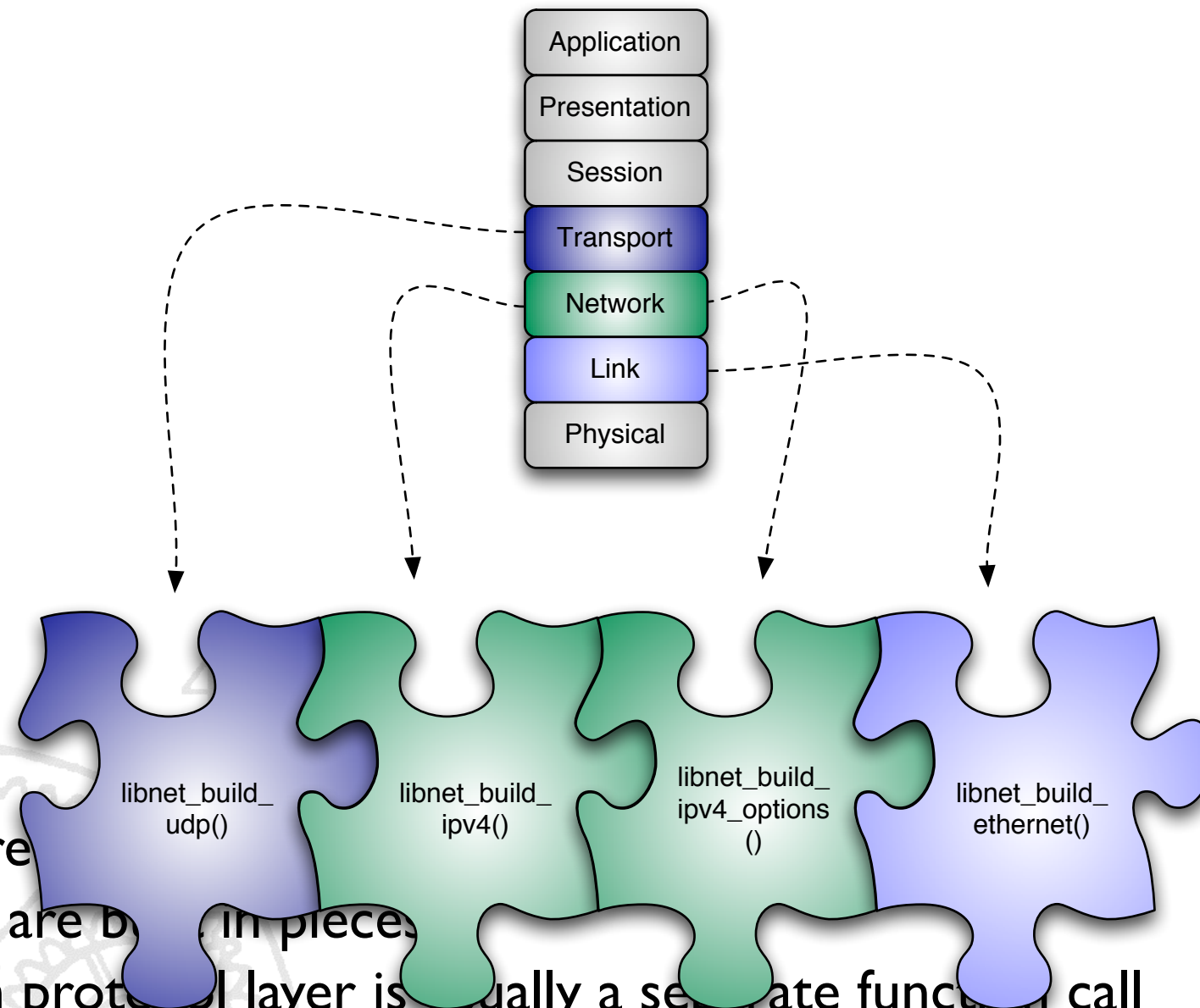


I'm super important

- Opaque monolithic data structure that is returned from `libnet_init()`;
 - “1”
- Maintains state for the entire session
 - Tracks all memory usage and packet construction
 - Defines and describes a libnet session
- Used in almost every function
- (More detail later)



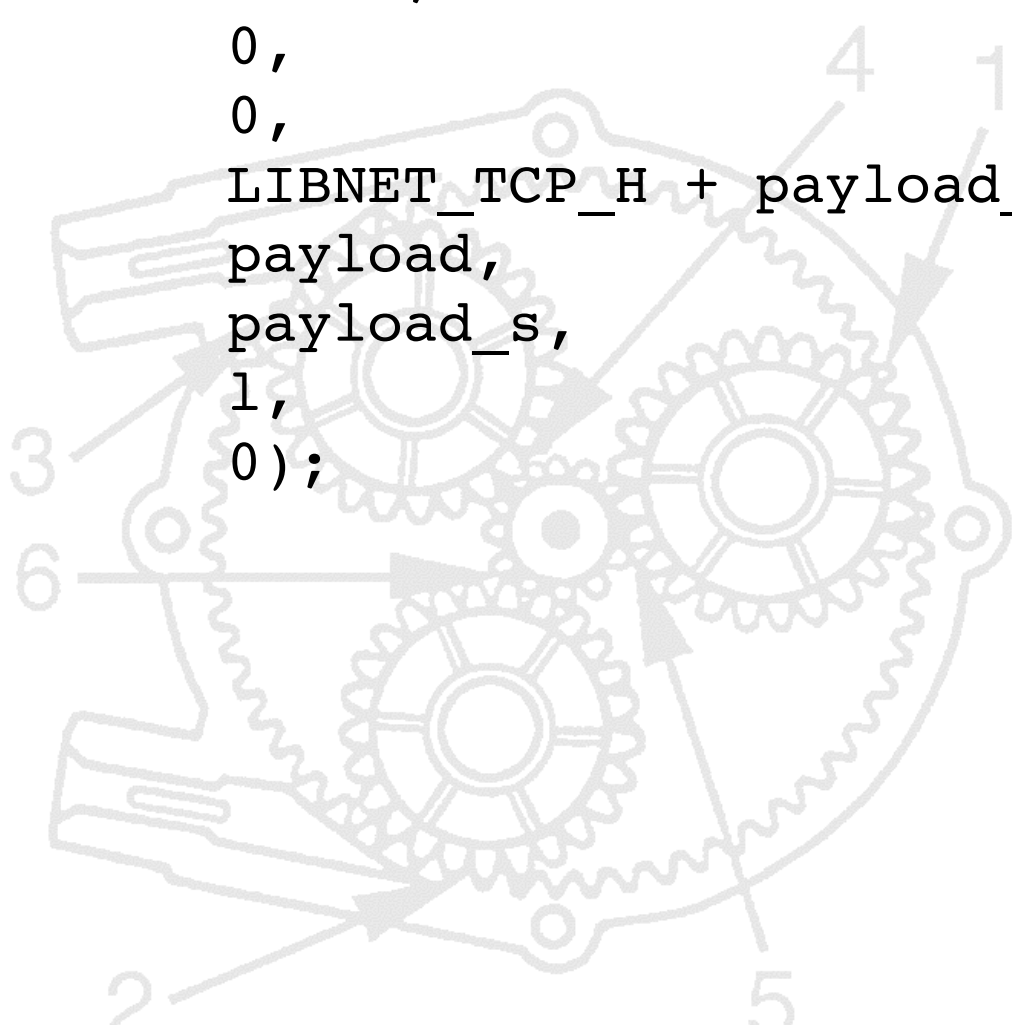
Packet construction



- The core
- Packets are built in pieces
 - Each protocol layer is usually a separate function call
 - Generally two - four function calls to build an entire packet
- Packet builders take arguments corresponding to header values
- Approximates an IP stack; must be called in order
 - From the highest on the OSI model to the lowest
- A successful call to a builder function returns a **ptag**

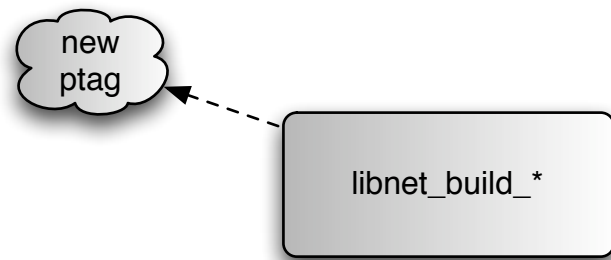
Packet construction

```
tcp = libnet_build_tcp(  
    src_prt,  
    dst_prt,  
    0x01010101,  
    0x02020202,  
    TH_SYN,  
    32767,  
    0,  
    0,  
    LIBNET_TCP_H + payload_s,  
    payload,  
    payload_s,  
    1,  
    0);
```

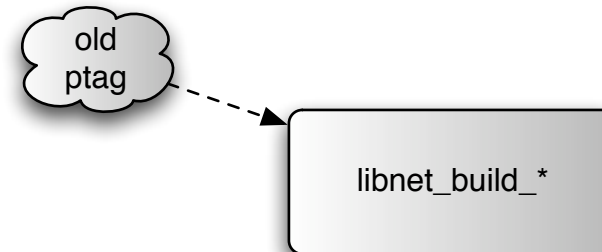


```
/* source port */  
/* destination port */  
/* sequence number */  
/* acknowledgement num */  
/* control flags */  
/* window size */  
/* checksum */  
/* urgent pointer */  
/* TCP packet size */  
/* payload */  
/* payload size */  
/* context */  
/* ptag */
```

Ptags and Pblocks



Creating a new protocol block; a new ptag is returned



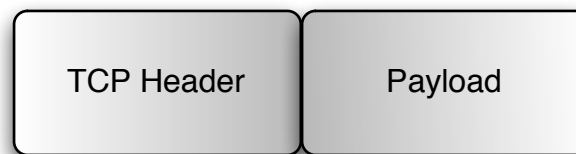
Modifying an existing protocol block; an old ptag is passed in

- Protocol Tag == ptag
- Protocol Block == pblock
- Protocol Tags (ptags) used to track Protocol Blocks (pblocks)
 - Whenever a new packet piece is built it is stored in a pblock and a new ptag is returned
 - Whenever an existing packet piece is modified, an old ptag is used
 - Looped packet updating
- Ptags are handled directly by the user, pblocks are not

```
tcp = libnet_build_tcp(  
    src_prt,  
    dst_prt,  
    0x01010101,  
    0x02020202,  
    TH_SYN,  
    32767,  
    0,  
    0,  
    LIBNET_TCP_H + payload_s,  
    payload,  
    payload_s,  
    1,  
    0);
```

```
/* source port */  
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/* sequence number */  
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/* payload size */  
/* context */  
/* ptag */
```

The payload interface



- A simple interface to append arbitrary payloads to packets
 - TCP, UDP, ICMP, IP
- **All** packet builder functions support this interface
- Use is optional

```
tcp = libnet_build_tcp(  
    src_prt,  
    dst_prt,  
    0x01010101,  
    0x02020202,  
    TH_SYN,  
    32767,  
    0,  
    0,  
    LIBNET_TCP_H + payload_s,  
    payload,  
    payload_s,  
    1,  
    0);
```

```
/* source port */  
/* destination port */  
/* sequence number */  
/* acknowledgement num */  
/* control flags */  
/* window size */  
/* checksum */  
/* urgent pointer */  
/* TCP packet size */  
/* payload */  
/* payload size */  
/* context */  
/* ptag */
```

Wire injection methods

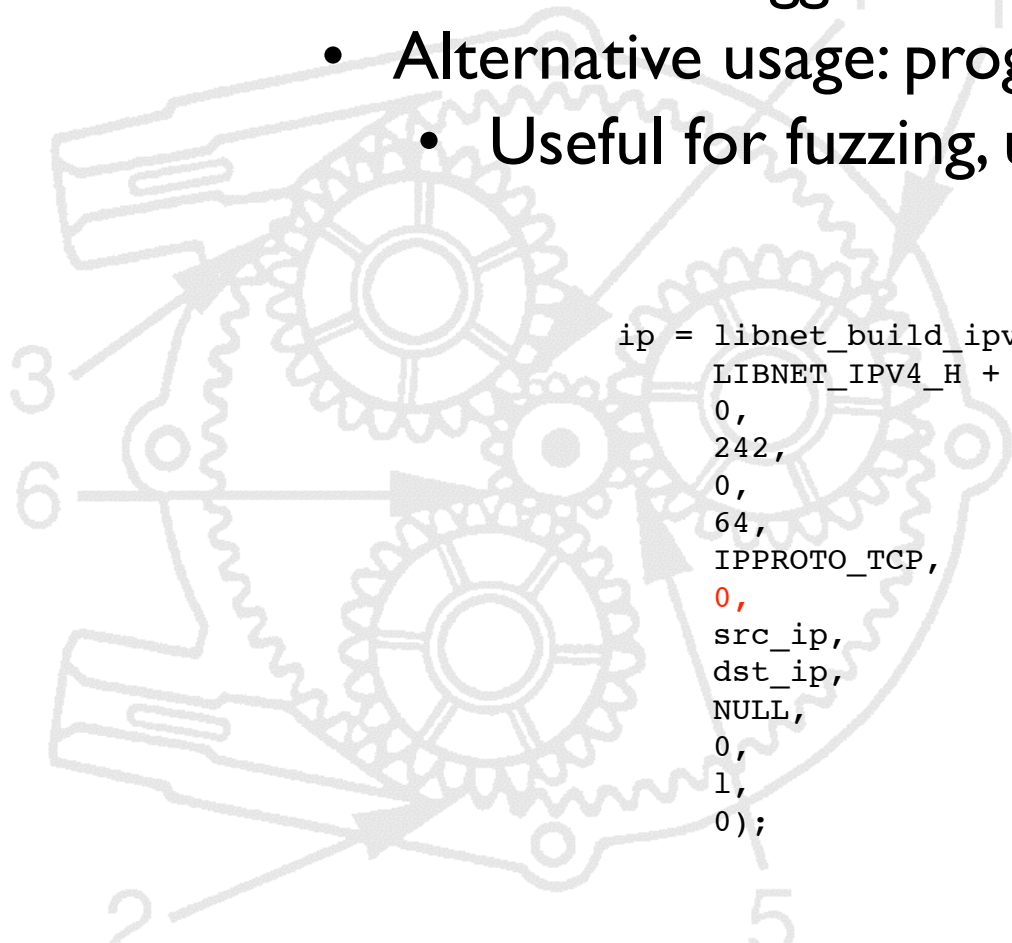
- **Raw socket interface** (less complex)
 - Mid-level interface, packets built at the IP layer and above
 - No link header needs to be built
 - Removes all routing and interface decisions
 - Useful for “legitimate” packet tools that do not need to spoof address information
 - Packet passes through kernel’s IP stack
 - Routing, checksums, firewalls all an issue
 - Less than granular level of control (next slide)
- **Link layer interface** (more complex)
 - Low-level interface, packets built at the link layer
 - Packet does not pass through the kernel’s IP stack
 - Sovereign control of every field of the packet
 - All address and routing information needs to be provided
 - Some operating systems stamp outgoing MAC address of the Ethernet header (this is bypassable)

Raw Socket Non-Sequitur

	IP Fragmentation	IP Total Length	IP Checksum	IP ID	IP Source	Max size before kernel complains
Linux 2.2+	Performed if packet is larger than MTU	Always filled in	Always filled in	Filled in if left 0	Filled in if left 0	1500 bytes
Solaris 2.6+	Performed if packet is larger than MTU; Sets DF bit		Always filled in			
OpenBSD 2.8+	Performed if packet is larger than MTU		Always filled in			

Packet checksums

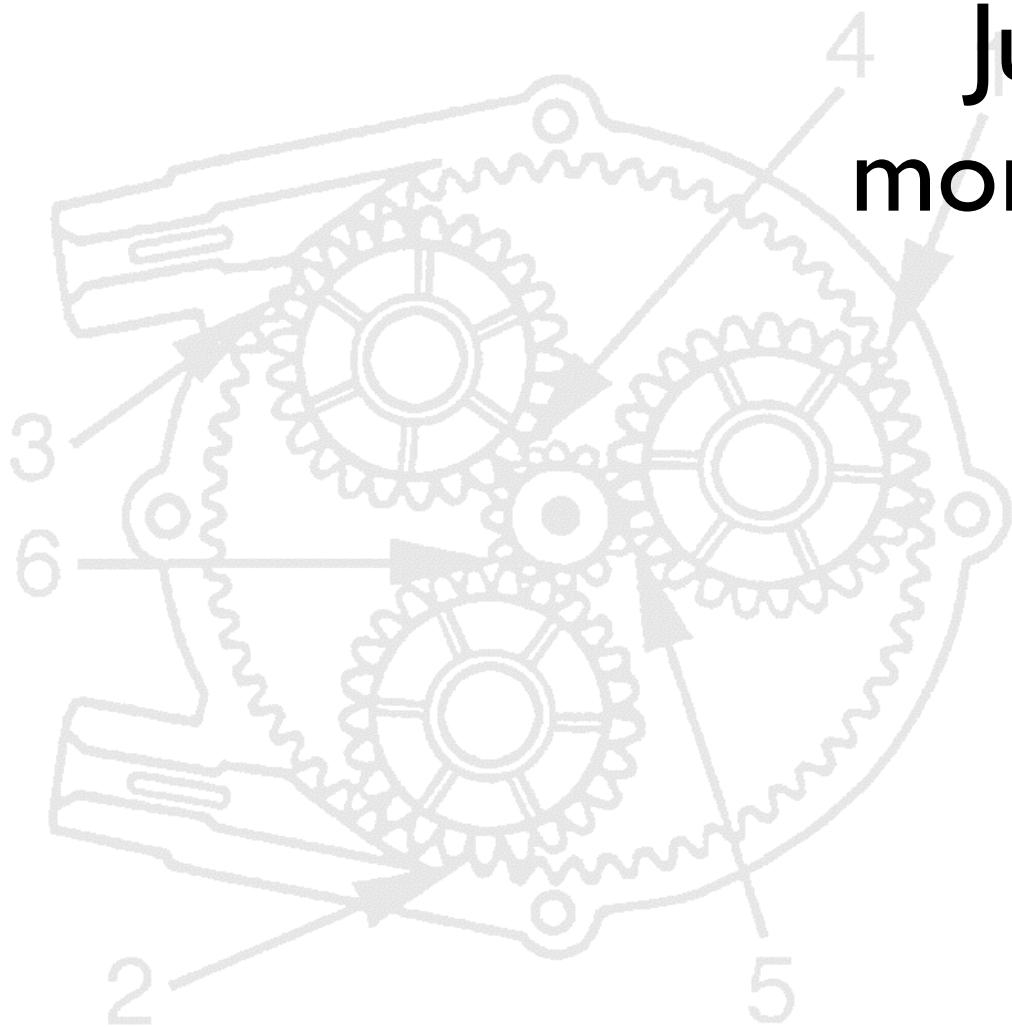
- Programmer no longer has to worry about checksum computation
- Common usage: programmer specifies a “0”; libnet autocomputes
 - Can be toggled off to use checksum of “0”
- Alternative usage: programmer specifies value, libnet uses that
 - Useful for fuzzing, using pre-computed checksums



```
ip = libnet_build_ipv4(
    LIBNET_IPV4_H + LIBNET_TCP_H + payload_s, /* length */
    0, /* TOS */
    242, /* IP ID */
    0, /* IP frag */
    64, /* TTL */
    IPPROTO_TCP, /* protocol */
    0, /* checksum */
    src_ip, /* source IP */
    dst_ip, /* destination IP */
    NULL, /* payload */
    0, /* payload size */
    1, /* context */
    0); /* ptag */
```


Libnet 1.1.x Functions

Just some of the
more important ones



Initialization

```
libnet_t *  
libnet_init(int injection_type, char *device, char *err_buf);
```

Initializes the libnet library and create the environment	
SUCCESS	A libnet context suitable for use
FAILURE	NULL, <code>err_buf</code> will contain the reason
<code>injection_type</code>	LIBNET_LINK, LIBNET_RAW4
<code>device</code>	"fxp0", "192.168.0.1", NULL
<code>err_buf</code>	Error message if function fails

```
l = libnet_init(LIBNET_LINK, "fxp0", err_buf);  
if (l == NULL)  
{  
    fprintf(stderr, "libnet_init(): %s", errbuf);  
}
```

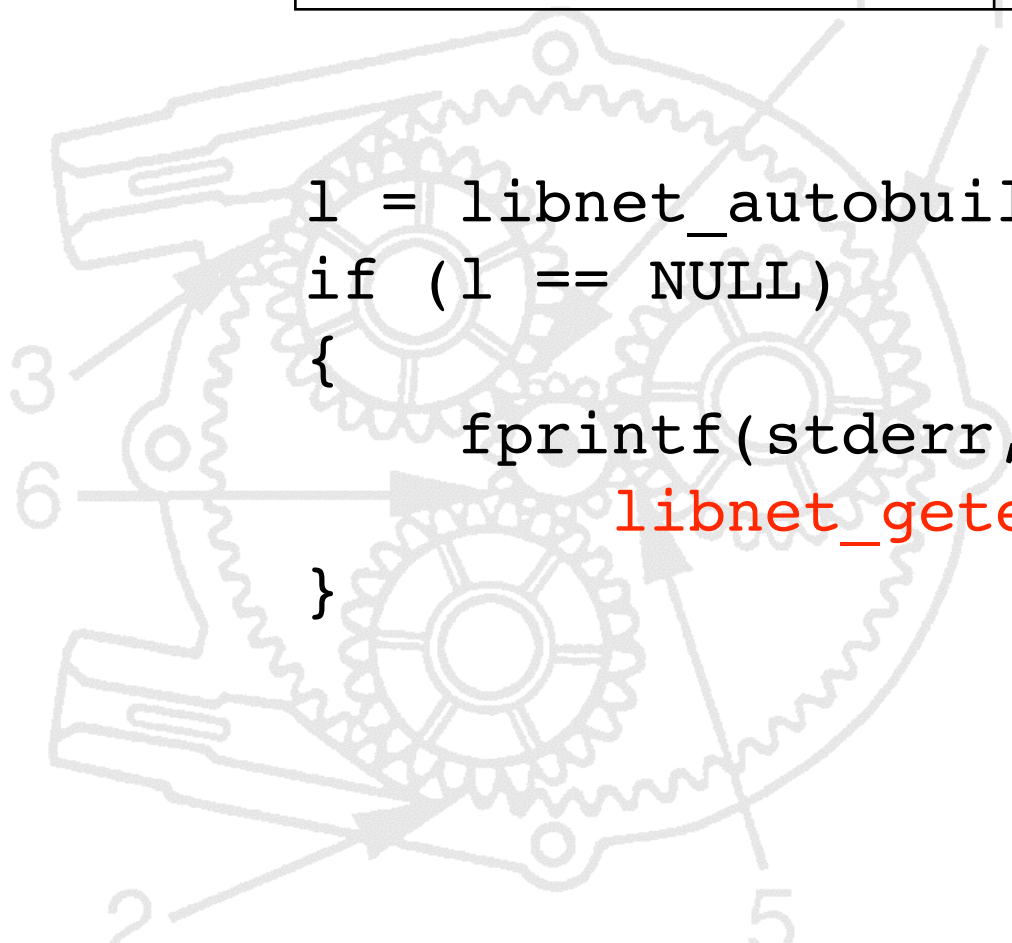
Device (interface) selection

- Happens during initialization
- `libnet_init(LIBNET_LINK, "fxp0", errbuf);`
 - Will initialize libnet's link interface using the `fxp0` device
- `libnet_init(LIBNET_LINK, "192.168.0.1", errbuf);`
 - Will initialize libnet's link interface using the device with the IP address `192.168.0.1`
- `libnet_init(LIBNET_LINK, NULL, errbuf);`
 - Will initialize libnet's link interface using the first "up" device it can find
- `libnet_getdevice(1);`
- `libnet_init(LIBNET_RAW4, NULL, errbuf);`
 - Under the Raw socket interface no device is selected
 - Exception: Win32 does this internally since it is built on top of Winpcap
- New: devices with no IP address can be specified for use (stealth)

Error handling

```
char *  
libnet_geterror(libnet_t *1);
```

Returns the last error message generated by libnet	
SUCCESS	An error string, NULL if none occurred
FAILURE	This function cannot fail
1	The libnet context pointer



```
1 = libnet_autobuild_ipv4(len, IPPROTO_TCP, dst, 1);  
if (1 == NULL)  
{  
    fprintf(stderr, "libnet_autobuild_ipv4(): %s",  
        libnet_geterror(1));  
}
```

Address resolution

u_int32_t

```
libnet_name2addr4(libnet_t *l, char *host_name, u_int8_t use_name);
```

Converts a IPv4 presentation format hostname into a big endian ordered IP number	
SUCCESS	An IP number suitable for use with libnet_build_*
FAILURE	-1, which is technically "255.255.255.255"
l	The libnet context pointer
host_name	The presentation format address
use_name	LIBNET_RESOLVE, LIBNET_DONT_RESOLVE

```
3 dst = libnet_name2addr4(l, argv[optind], LIBNET_DONT_RESOLVE);
6 if (dst == -1)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "libnet_name2addr4(): %s", libnet_geterror(l));
}
```

Address resolution

char *

```
libnet_addr2name4(u_int32_t address, u_int8_t use_name);
```

Converts a big endian ordered IPv4 address into a presentation format address

SUCCESS	A string of dots and decimals or a hostname
FAILURE	This function cannot fail
address	The IPv4 address
use_name	LIBNET_REOLVE, LIBNET_DONT_RESOLVE

```
printf("%s\n", libnet_addr2name4(i, LIBNET_DONT_RESOLVE));
```

Packet construction: UDP

libnet_ptag_t

```
libnet_build_udp(u_int16_t sp, u_int16_t dp, u_int16_t len,  
u_int16_t sum, u_int8_t *payload, u_int32_t payload_s, libnet_t *l,  
libnet_ptag_t ptag);
```

Builds a UDP header	
SUCCESS	A ptag referring to the UDP packet
FAILURE	-1, and libnet_get_error() can tell you why
sp	The source UDP port
dp	The destination UDP port
len	Length of the UDP packet (including payload)
sum	Checksum, 0 for libnet to autofill
payload	Optional payload
payload_s	Payload size
l	The libnet context pointer
ptag	Protocol tag

Packet construction: IPv4

libnet_ptag_t

```
libnet_build_ipv4(u_int16_t len, u_int8_t tos, u_int16_t id,  
u_int16_t frag, u_int8_t ttl, u_int8_t prot, u_int16_t sum,  
u_int32_t src, u_int32_t dst, u_int8_t *payload,  
u_int32_t payload_s, libnet_t *l, libnet_ptag_t ptag);
```

Builds an IPv4 header	
SUCCESS	A ptag referring to the IPv4 packet
FAILURE	-1, and libnet_get_error() can tell you why
len	Length of the IPv4 packet (including payload)
tos	Type of service bits
id	IP identification
frag	Fragmentation bits
ttl	Time to live
prot	Upper layer protocol
sum	Checksum, 0 for libnet to autofill
src	Source IP address

Packet construction: IPv4

libnet_ptag_t

```
libnet_build_ipv4(u_int16_t len, u_int8_t tos, u_int16_t id,  
u_int16_t frag, u_int8_t ttl, u_int8_t prot, u_int16_t sum,  
u_int32_t src, u_int32_t dst, u_int8_t *payload,  
u_int32_t payload_s, libnet_t *l, libnet_ptag_t ptag);
```

Builds an IPv4 header	
SUCCESS	A ptag referring to the UDP packet
FAILURE	-1, and libnet_get_error() can tell you why
dst	Destination IP address
payload	Optional payload
payload_s	Payload size
l	The libnet context pointer
ptag	Protocol tag

Packet construction: Ethernet

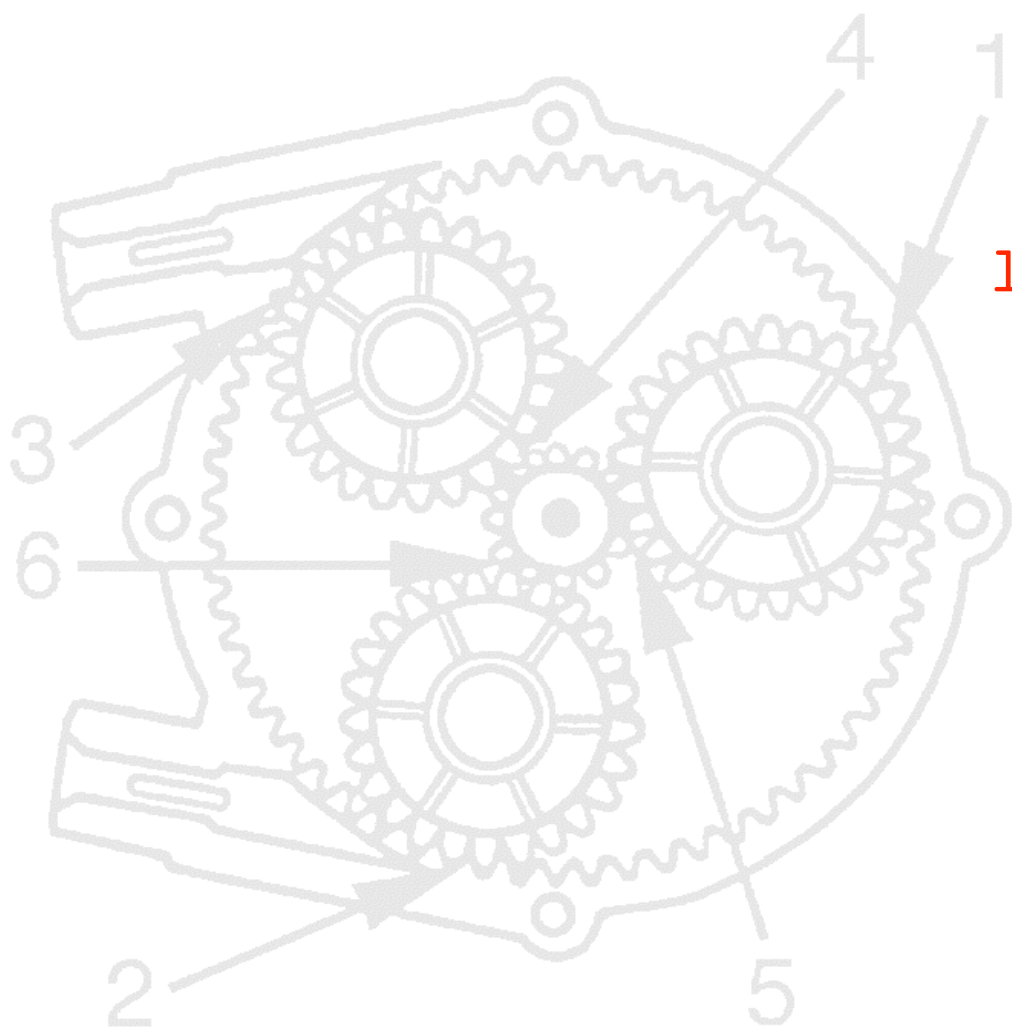
```
libnet_ptag_t  
libnet_build_ethernet(u_int8_t *dst, u_int8_t *src,  
u_int16_t type, u_int8_t *payload, u_int32_t payload_s, libnet_t *l,  
libnet_ptag_t ptag);
```

Builds an Ethernet header	
SUCCESS	A ptag referring to the Ethernet frame
FAILURE	-1, and <code>libnet_get_error()</code> can tell you why
dst	Destination ethernet address
src	Source ethernet address
type	Upper layer protocol type
payload	Optional payload
payload_s	Payload size
l	The libnet context pointer
ptag	Protocol tag

Shutdown

```
void  
libnet_destroy(libnet_t *l);
```

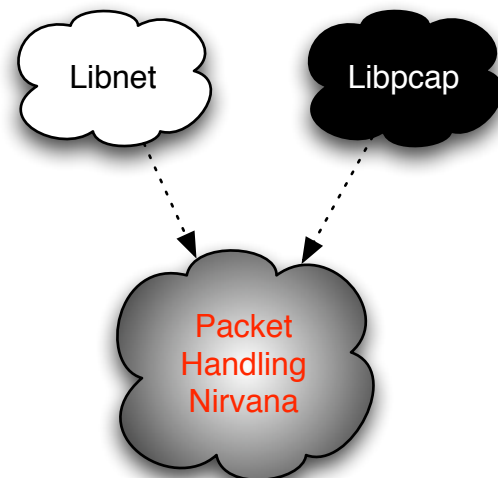
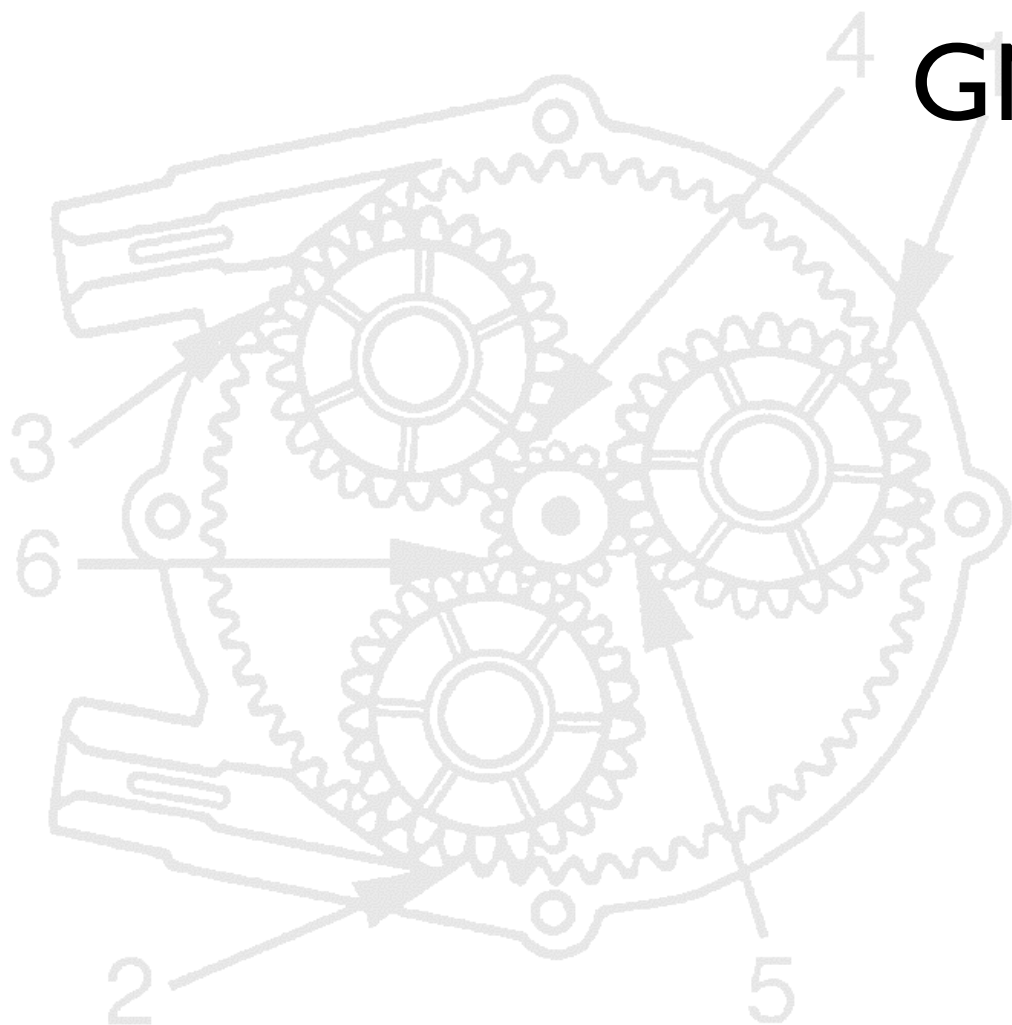
Shuts down the libnet environment	
l	The libnet context pointer



```
libnet_destroy(l);
```

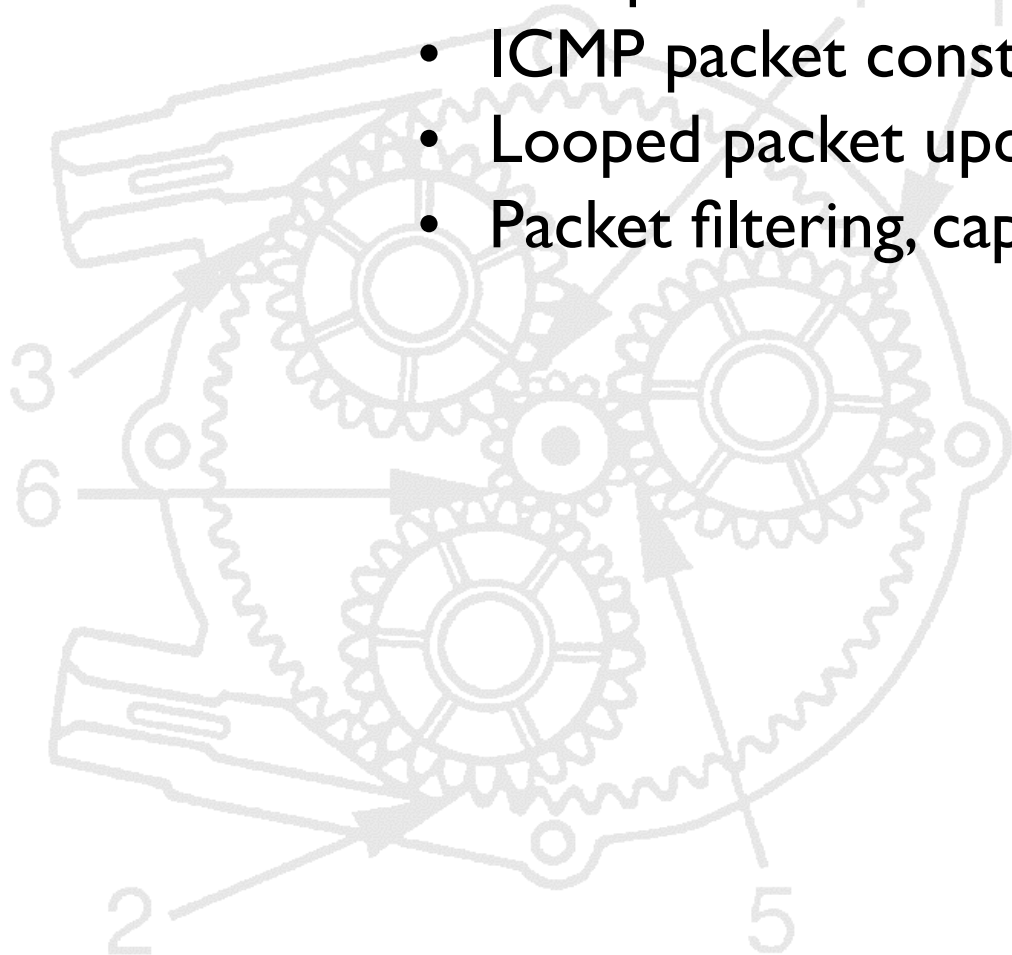
Libnet with other components

GNIP: A *poor man's* ping



A simple application

- Simple ping client
- 250 lines of source
- Illustrates some of libnet's (and libpcap's) core concepts
 - IPv4 packet construction
 - ICMP packet construction
 - Looped packet updating
 - Packet filtering, capturing and dissection



Libpcap packet filter
(same as tcpdump)

Monolithic context
variables

Side effect of closed
interface

```
#include <libnet.h>
#include <pcap.h>
```

```
#define GNIP_FILTER "icmp[0] = 0"
```

```
void usage(char *);
```

```
int
```

```
main(int argc, char **argv)
```

```
{
```

```
    libnet_t *l = NULL;
```

```
    pcap_t *p = NULL;
```

```
    u_int8_t *packet;
```

```
    u_int32_t dst_ip, src_ip;
```

```
    u_int16_t id, seq, count;
```

```
    int c, interval = 0, pcap_fd, timed_out;
```

```
    u_int8_t loop, *payload = NULL;
```

```
    u_int32_t payload_s = 0;
```

```
    libnet_ptag_t icmp = 0, ip = 0;
```

```
    char *device = NULL;
```

```
    fd_set read_set;
```

```
    struct pcap_pkthdr pc_hdr;
```

```
    struct timeval timeout;
```

```
    struct bpf_program filter_code;
```

```
    bpf_u_int32 local_net, netmask;
```

```
    struct libnet_ipv4_hdr *ip_hdr;
```

```
    struct libnet_icmpv4_hdr *icmp_hdr;
```

```
    char errbuf[LIBNET_ERRBUF_SIZE];
```

```
while((c = getopt(argc, argv, "I:i:c:")) != EOF)
```

```
{
```

```
    switch (c)
```

```
    {
```

```
        case 'I':
```

```
            device = optarg;
```

```
            break;
```

```
        case 'i':
```

```
            interval = atoi(optarg);
```

```
            break;
```

```
        case 'c':
```

```
            count = atoi(optarg);
```

```
            break;
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

```
c = argc - optind;
```

```
if (c != 1)
```

```
{
```

```
    usage(argv[0]);
```

```
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
```

```
}
```

Libnet Phase One

Libnet context

Pcap context

Setup pcap filter
(ICMP ECHO only)

Resolve IP address

```
/* initialize the libnet library */
l = libnet_init(LIBNET_RAW4, device, errbuf);
if (l == NULL)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "libnet_init() failed: %s", errbuf);
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}

if (device == NULL)
{
    device = pcap_lookupdev(errbuf);
    if (device == NULL)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "pcap_lookupdev() failed: %s\n", errbuf);
        goto bad;
    }
}

/* handcrank pcap */
p = pcap_open_live(device, 256, 0, 0, errbuf);
if (p == NULL)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "pcap_open_live() failed: %s", errbuf);
    goto bad;
}

/* get the subnet mask of the interface */
if (pcap_lookupnet(device, &local_net, &netmask, errbuf) == -1)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "pcap_lookupnet(): %s", errbuf);
    goto bad;
}

/* compile the BPF filter code */
if (pcap_compile(p, &filter_code, GNIP_FILTER, 1, netmask) == -1)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "pcap_compile(): %s", pcap_geterr(p));
    goto bad;
}

/* apply the filter to the interface */
if (pcap_setfilter(p, &filter_code) == -1)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "pcap_setfilter(): %s", pcap_geterr(p));
    goto bad;
}

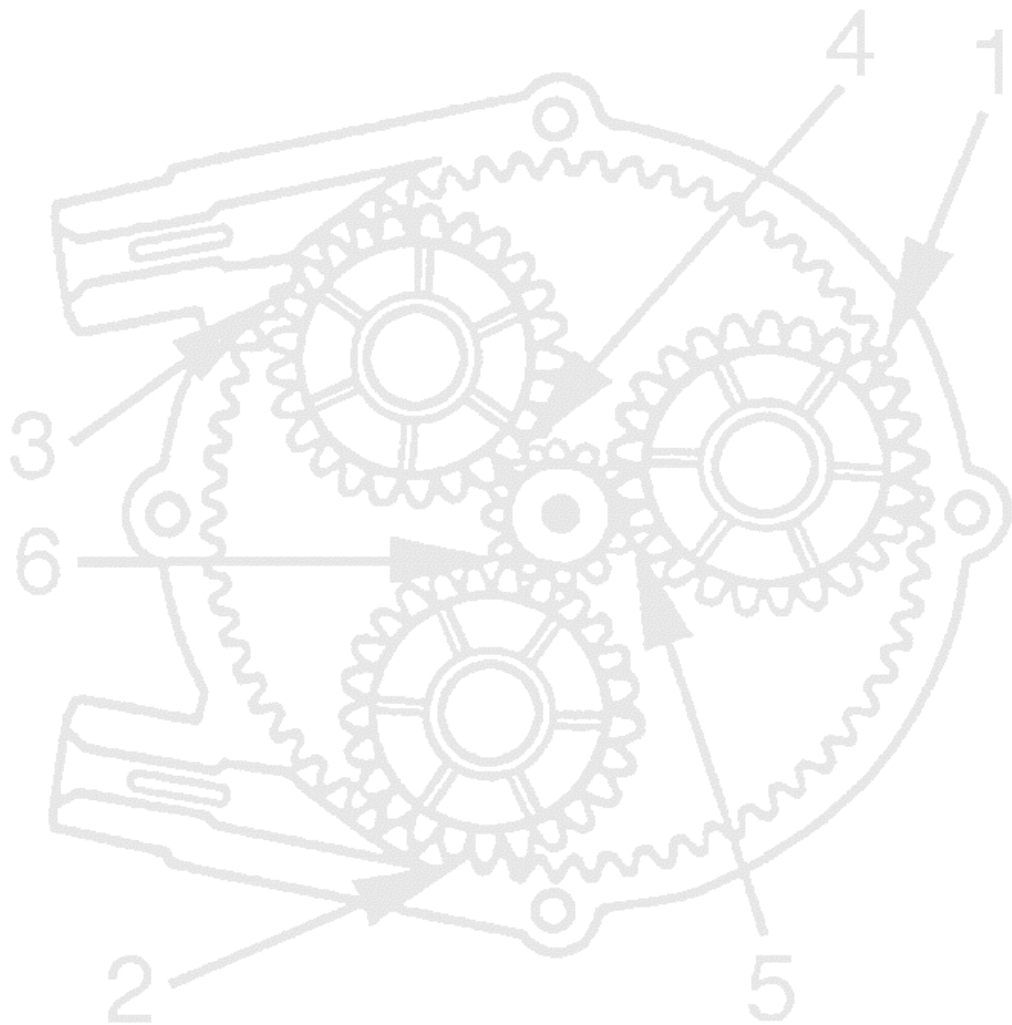
dst_ip = libnet_name2addr4(l, argv[optind], LIBNET_RESOLVE);
if (dst_ip == -1)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "Bad destination IP address (%s).\n",
        libnet_geterror(l));
    goto bad;
}
```

Get source IP
address

```
src_ip = libnet_get_ipaddr4(1);
if (src_ip == -1)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "Can't determine source IP address (%s).\n",
        libnet_geterror(1));
    goto bad;
}

interval ? interval : interval = 1;
timeout.tv_sec = interval;
timeout.tv_usec = 0;
pcap_fd = pcap_fileno(p);

fprintf(stderr, "GNIP %s (%s): %d data bytes\n",
    libnet_addr2name4(dst_ip, 1), libnet_addr2name4(dst_ip, 0),
    LIBNET_IPV4_H + LIBNET_ICMPV4_ECHO_H + payload_s);
```



Libnet Phase Two

```
loop = 1;
for (id = getpid(), seq = 0, icmp = LIBNET_PTAG_INITIALIZER; loop; seq++)
{
    icmp = libnet_build_icmpv4_echo(
        ICMP_ECHO,                /* type */
        0,                        /* code */
        0,                        /* checksum */
        id,                       /* id */
        seq,                      /* sequence number */
        payload,                  /* payload */
        payload_s,                /* payload size */
        1,                       /* libnet context */
        icmp);                   /* ptag */
    if (icmp == -1)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "Can't build ICMP header: %s\n",
            libnet_geterror(1));
        goto bad;
    }

    ip = libnet_build_ipv4(
        LIBNET_IPV4_H + LIBNET_ICMPV4_ECHO_H + payload_s, /* length */
        0,                                                  /* TOS */
        id,                                                  /* IP ID */
        0,                                                  /* IP Frag */
        64,                                                  /* TTL */
        IPPROTO_ICMP,                                       /* protocol */
        0,                                                  /* checksum */
        src_ip,                                              /* source IP */
        dst_ip,                                              /* destination IP */
        NULL,                                                /* payload */
        0,                                                  /* payload size */
        1,                                                  /* libnet context */
        ip);                                                 /* ptag */
    if (ip == -1)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "Can't build IP header: %s\n", libnet_geterror(1));
        goto bad;
    }

    c = libnet_write(1);
    if (c == -1)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "Write error: %s\n", libnet_geterror(1));
        goto bad;
    }
}
```

Important: Note
ptag usage!

Libnet Phase Three

Interface multiplexing

"Is this a response"
logic

Libnet Phase Four

```
FD_ZERO(&read_set);
FD_SET(pcap_fd, &read_set);

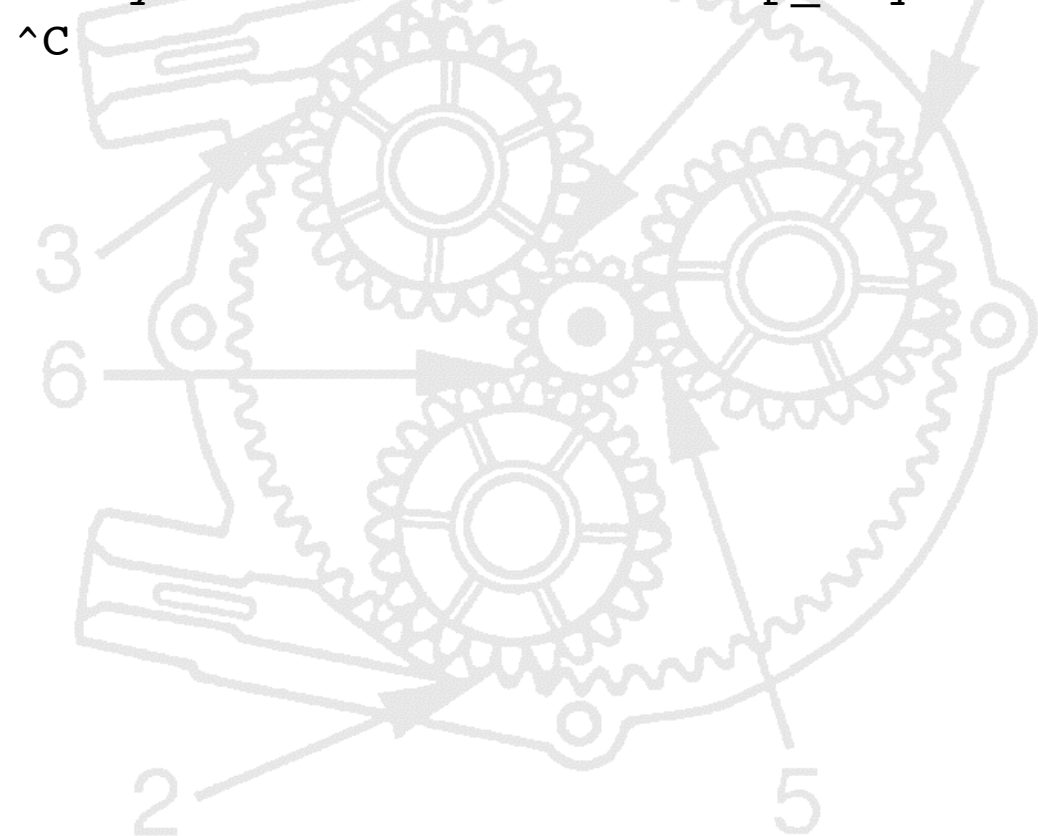
for (timed_out = 0; !timed_out && loop; )
{
    c = select(pcap_fd + 1, &read_set, 0, 0, &timeout);
    switch (c)
    {
        case -1:
            fprintf(stderr, "select() %s\n", strerror(errno));
            goto bad;
        case 0:
            timed_out = 1;
            continue;
        default:
            if (FD_ISSET(pcap_fd, &read_set) == 0)
            {
                timed_out = 1;
                continue;
            }
            /* fall through to read the packet */
    }
    packet = (u_int8_t *)pcap_next(p, &pc_hdr);
    if (packet == NULL)
    {
        continue;
    }

    ip_hdr = (struct libnet_ipv4_hdr *) (packet + 14);
    icmp_hdr = (struct libnet_icmpv4_hdr *) (packet + 14 +
        (ip_hdr->ip_hl << 2));
    if (ip_hdr->ip_src.s_addr != dst_ip)
    {
        continue;
    }
    if (icmp_hdr->icmp_id == id)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "%d bytes from %s: icmp_seq=%d ttl=%d\n",
            ntohs(ip_hdr->ip_len),
            libnet_addr2name4(ip_hdr->ip_src.s_addr, 0),
            icmp_hdr->icmp_seq, ip_hdr->ip_ttl);
    }
}

libnet_destroy(l);
pcap_close(p);
return (EXIT_SUCCESS);
```

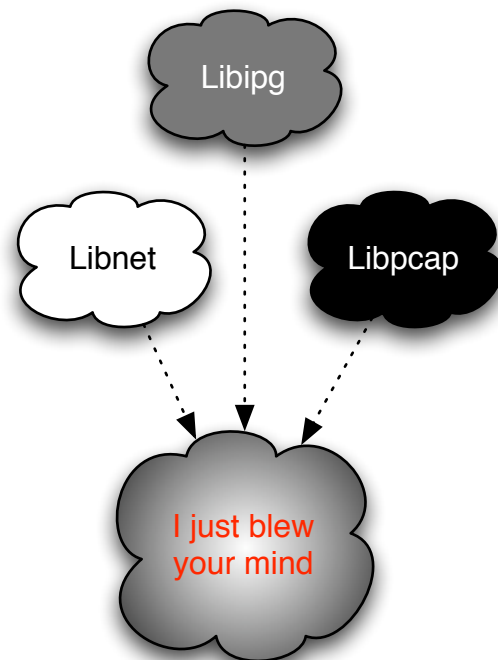
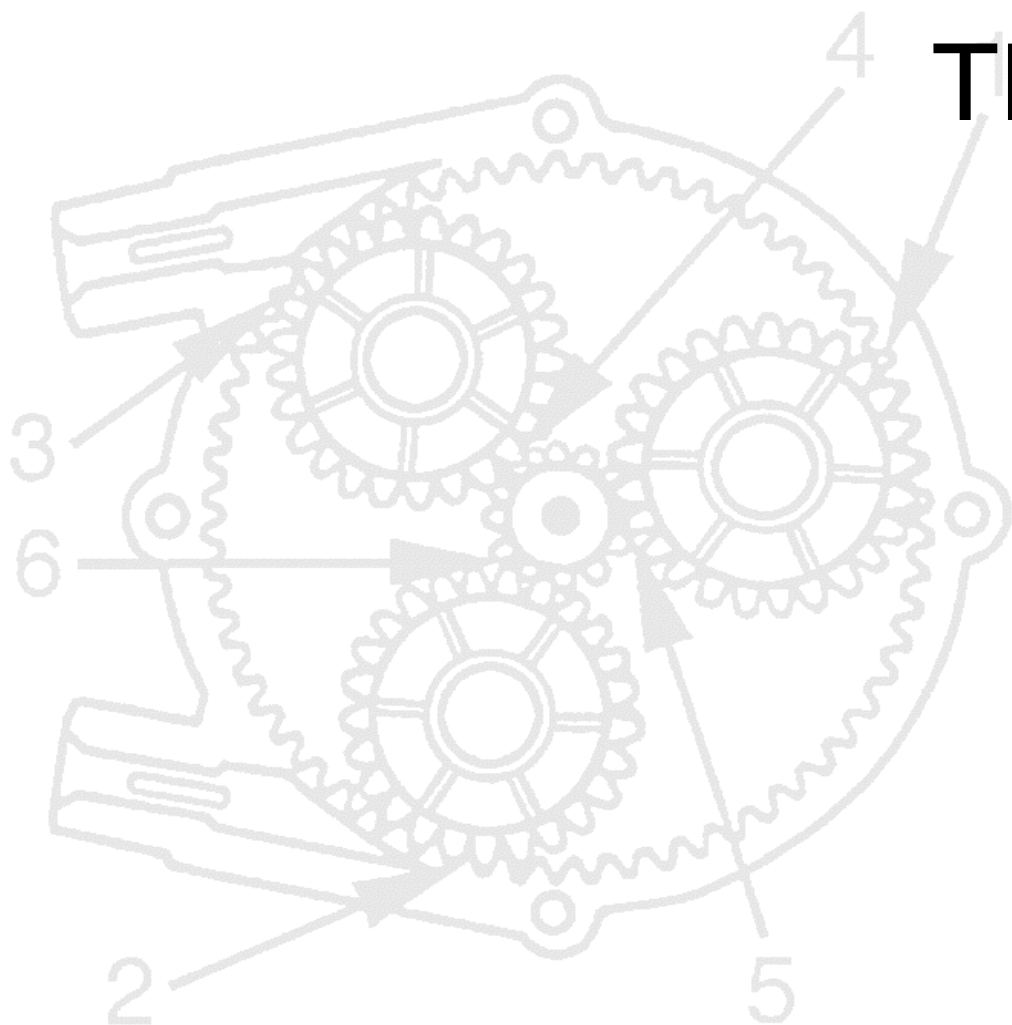
GNIP output

```
[rounder:Projects/misc/] root# ./gnip 4.2.2.2
GNIP vns-c-bak.sys.gtei.net (4.2.2.2): 28 data bytes
28 bytes from 4.2.2.2: icmp_seq=0 ttl=247
28 bytes from 4.2.2.2: icmp_seq=1 ttl=247
28 bytes from 4.2.2.2: icmp_seq=2 ttl=247
28 bytes from 4.2.2.2: icmp_seq=3 ttl=247
28 bytes from 4.2.2.2: icmp_seq=4 ttl=247
^C
```



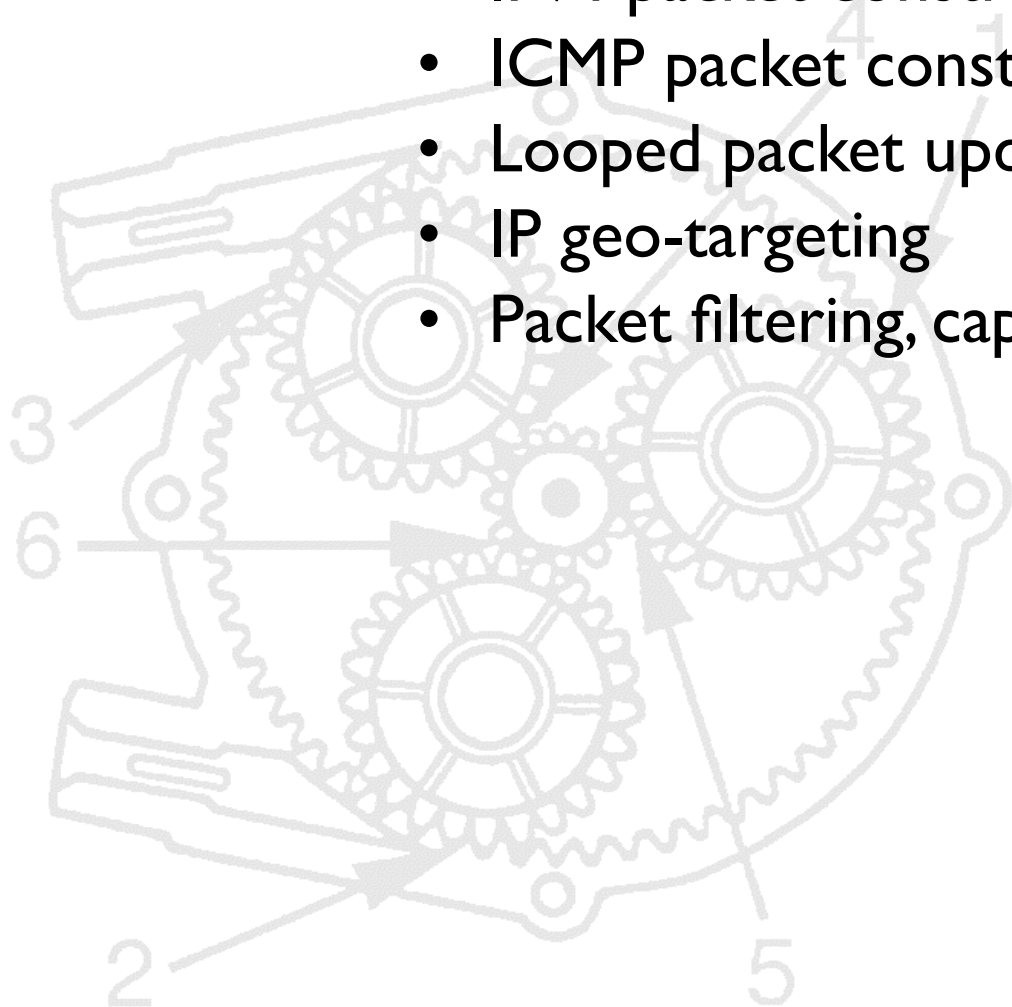
Libnet with other components

TRIG: *A rich man's traceroute*



A simple application

- Simple traceroute client with geo-targeting of IP addresses
- 280 lines of source
- Illustrates more of libnet's, libpcap's) core concepts
 - IPv4 packet construction
 - ICMP packet construction
 - Looped packet updating
 - IP geo-targeting
 - Packet filtering, capturing and dissection



Monolithic context
variables

Side effect of closed
interface

```
#include <libnet.h>
#include <pcap.h>
#include "../libipg.h"

int
do_lookup(u_int32_t ipn, ipgeo_t *ipg);

u_int8_t do_cc, do_country, do_city, do_region, do_isp, do_lat, do_long;

int main(int argc, char **argv)
{
    pcap_t *p = NULL;
    libnet_t *l = NULL;
    ipgeo_t *ipg = NULL;
    time_t start;
    u_char *packet;
    int c, ttl, done;
    char *device = NULL;
    extern char *optarg;
    extern int optind;
    struct pcap_pkthdr ph;
    libnet_ptag_t icmp, ip;
    u_int32_t dst_ip;
    struct libnet_icmpv4_hdr *icmp_h;
    struct libnet_ipv4_hdr *ip_h, *oip_h;
    char errbuf[LIBNET_ERRBUF_SIZE];

    printf("Trig 1.0 [geo-targeting traceroute scanner]\n");
    do_cc = do_country = do_city = do_region = do_isp = do_lat = do_long = 0;
    while ((c = getopt(argc, argv, "i:CcyrLl")) != EOF)
    {
        switch (c)
        {
            case 'i':
                device = optarg;
                break;
            case 'C':
                do_cc = 1;
                break;
            case 'c':
                do_country = 1;
                break;
            case 'y':
                do_city = 1;
                break;
            case 'L':
                do_lat = 1;
                break;
            case 'l':
                do_long = 1;
                break;
            case 'r':
                do_region = 1;
                break;
        }
    }
}
```

Libnet Phase One

Libnet context

Pcap context

Libipg context

Resolve IP address

```
case 's':
    do_isp = 1;
    break;
}
}

c = argc - optind;
if (c != 2)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "usage:\t%s\t\t\t [-i interface][-Ccyrs] host file\n",
        argv[0]);
    goto done;
}

if (do_cc == 0 && do_country == 0 && do_city == 0 && do_region == 0 &&
    do_isp == 0 && do_lat == 0 && do_long == 0)
{
    printf("No IP geo-targeting?\n");
}

l = libnet_init(LIBNET_RAW4, NULL, errbuf);
if (l == NULL)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "libnet: %s\n", errbuf);
    return (EXIT_FAILURE);
}

p = pcap_open_live(device, 60, 0, 500, errbuf);
if (p == NULL)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "pcap: %s\n", errbuf);
    return (EXIT_FAILURE);
}

ipg = ipgeo_init(argv[optind + 1], 0, errbuf);
if (ipg == NULL)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "ipgeo: %s\n", errbuf);
    return (EXIT_FAILURE);
}

dst_ip = libnet_name2addr4(l, argv[optind], LIBNET_RESOLVE);
if (dst_ip == 0)
{
    fprintf(stderr, "libnet: %s\n", libnet_geterror(l));
    goto done;
}
```

Libnet Phase Two

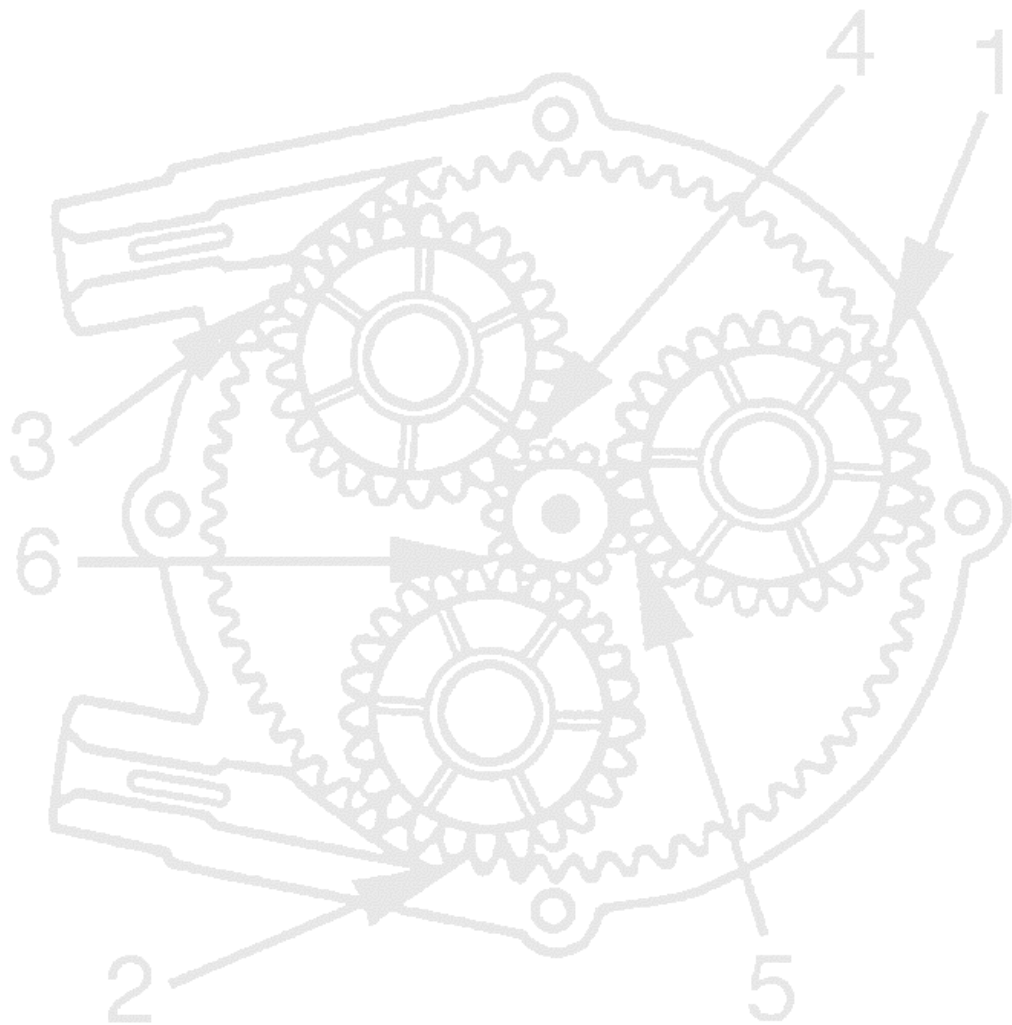
Libnet Phase Three

Important: Note
ptag usage!

```
for (done = icmp = ip = 0, ttl = 1; ttl < 31 && !done; ttl++)
{
    icmp = libnet_build_icmpv4_echo(
        ICMP_ECHO,                /* type */
        0,                        /* code */
        0,                        /* checksum */
        242,                      /* id */
        ttl,                      /* sequence */
        NULL,                     /* payload */
        0,                        /* payload size */
        1,                        /* libnet context */
        icmp);                    /* libnet id */
    if (icmp == -1)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "libnet: %s\n", libnet_geterror(1));
        return (EXIT_FAILURE);
    }
    ip = libnet_build_ipv4(
        LIBNET_IPV4_H + LIBNET_ICMPV4_ECHO_H, /* length */
        0,                                    /* TOS */
        242,                                /* IP ID */
        0,                                  /* IP Frag */
        ttl,                                /* TTL */
        IPPROTO_ICMP,                      /* protocol */
        0,                                  /* checksum */
        libnet_get_ipaddr4(1),             /* src ip */
        dst_ip,                            /* dst ip */
        NULL,                              /* payload */
        0,                                  /* payload size */
        1,                                  /* libnet context */
        ip);                                /* libnet id */
    if (ip == -1)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "libnet: %s\n", libnet_geterror(1));
        return (EXIT_FAILURE);
    }
    c = libnet_write(1);
    if (c == -1)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "libnet: %s\n", libnet_geterror(1));
        return (EXIT_FAILURE);
    }

    fprintf(stderr, "%02d: ", ttl);
}
```


"Is this a response"
logic

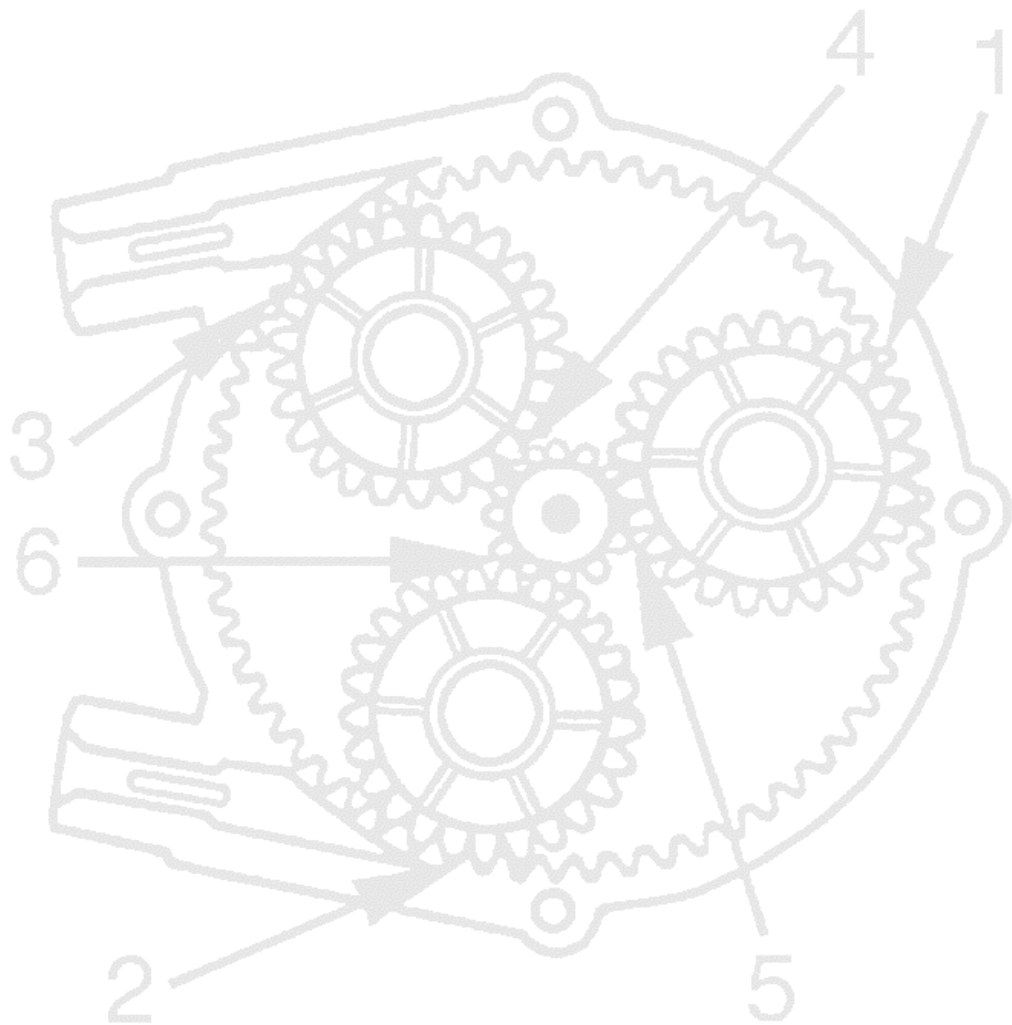


```
/* read loop */
for (start = time(NULL); (time(NULL) - start) < 2; )
{
    packet = (u_char *)pcap_next(p, &ph);
    if (packet == NULL)
    {
        continue;
    }
    /* assume ethernet here for simplicity */
    ip_h = (struct libnet_ipv4_hdr *) (packet + 14);
    if (ip_h->ip_p == IPPROTO_ICMP)
    {
        icmp_h = (struct libnet_icmpv4_hdr *) (packet + 34);
        /* expired in transit */
        if (icmp_h->icmp_type == ICMP_TIMXCEED &&
            icmp_h->icmp_code == ICMP_TIMXCEED_INTRANS)
        {
            oip_h = (struct libnet_ipv4_hdr *) (packet + 42);
            if (oip_h->ip_id == htons(242))
            {
                fprintf(stderr, "%s ",
                    libnet_addr2name4(ip_h->ip_src.s_addr, 0));
                if (do_lookup(ip_h->ip_src.s_addr, ipg) == -1)
                {
                    fprintf(stderr, "ipgeo: %s\n", ipgeo_geterror(ipg));
                }
                break;
            }
        }
        /* terminal response */
        if (icmp_h->icmp_type == ICMP_ECHOREPLY)
        {
            if (icmp_h->icmp_id == 242 && icmp_h->icmp_seq == ttl)
            {
                fprintf(stderr, "%s ",
                    libnet_addr2name4(ip_h->ip_src.s_addr, 0));
                if (do_lookup(ip_h->ip_src.s_addr, ipg) == -1)
                {
                    fprintf(stderr, "ipgeo: %s\n", ipgeo_geterror(ipg));
                }
                done = 1;
                break;
            }
        }
    }
}
```

```

int
do_lookup(u_int32_t ipn, ipgeo_t *ipg)
{
    if (ipgeo_lookup(ipn, 0, ipg) == -1)
    {
        return (-1);
    }
    if (do_cc)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "%s ", ipgeo_get_cc(ipg));
    }
    if (do_country)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "%s ", ipgeo_get_country(ipg));
    }
    if (do_city)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "%s ", ipgeo_get_city(ipg));
    }
    if (do_region)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "%s ", ipgeo_get_region(ipg));
    }
    if (do_isp)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "%s ", ipgeo_get_isp(ipg));
    }
    if (do_lat)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "%.4f ", ipgeo_get_lat(ipg));
    }
    if (do_long)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "%.4f ", ipgeo_get_long(ipg));
    }
    fprintf(stderr, "\n");
    return (1);
}

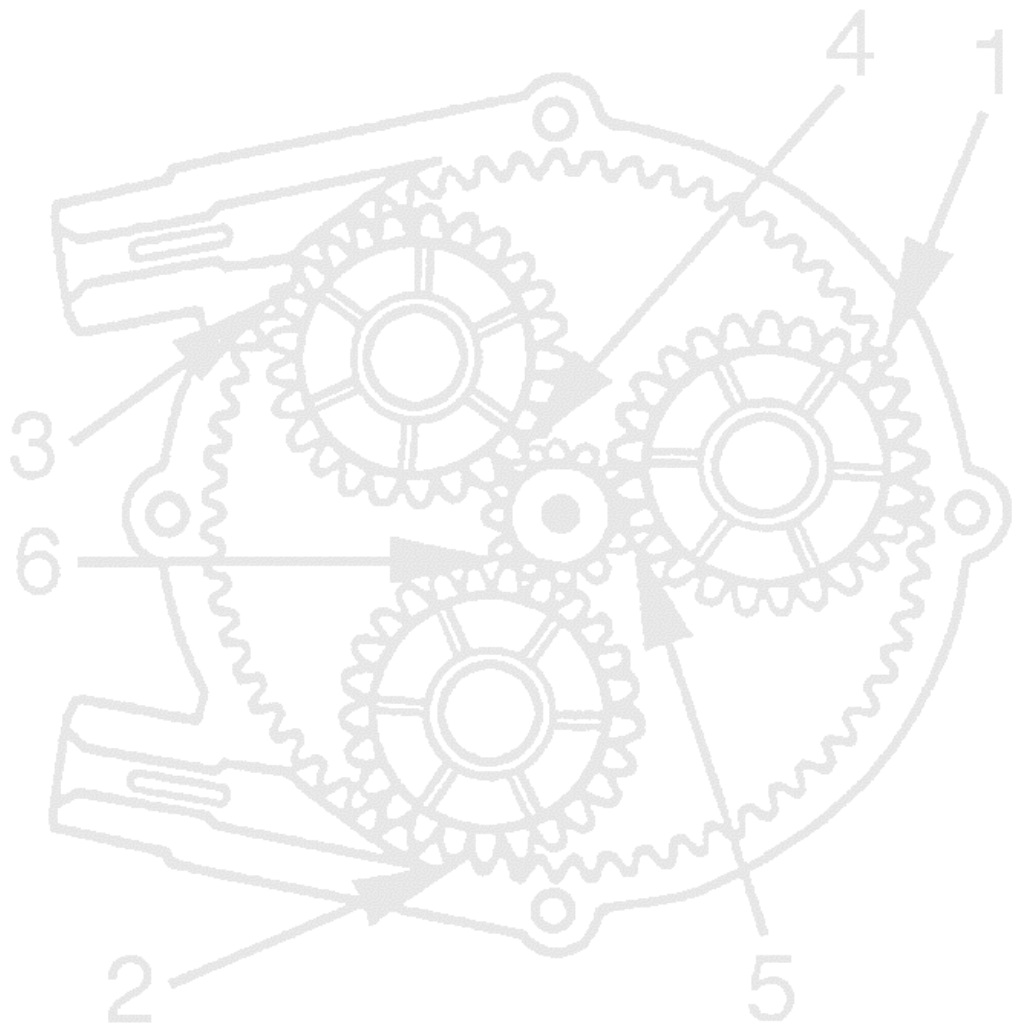
```



Libnet Phase Four



```
done:
    if (l)
    {
        libnet_destroy(l);
    }
    if (p)
    {
        pcap_close(p);
    }
    if (ipg)
    {
        ipgeo_destroy(ipg);
    }
    return (EXIT_SUCCESS);
}
```



TRIG output

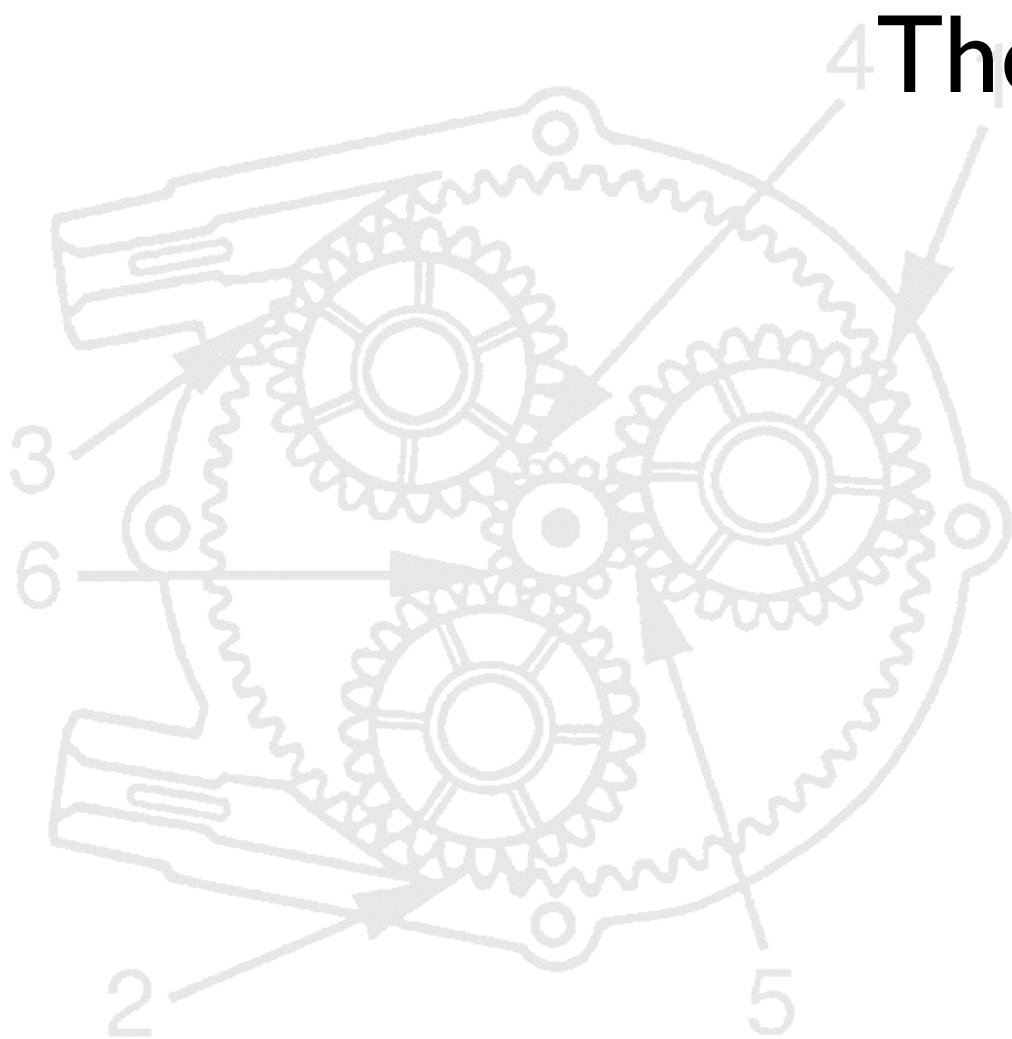
```
[rounder:Projects/libipg/sample] root# ./trig -ien1 -LlCry 4.2.2.2 ../../IP-COUNTRY-REGION-CITY-LATITUDE-LONGITUDE-ISP-FULL/IP-COUNTRY-REGION-CITY-LATITUDE-LONGITUDE-ISP.CSV
```

```
Trig 1.0 [geo-targeting traceroute scanner]
```

```
01: 66.123.162.113 US SAN RAMON CALIFORNIA 37.7661 -121.9730
02: 63.203.35.65 US SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA 37.7002 -122.4060
03: 63.203.35.17 US SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA 37.7002 -122.4060
04: 64.161.1.30 CA MONTREAL QUEBEC 45.5000 -73.5830
05: 64.161.1.54 CA MONTREAL QUEBEC 45.5000 -73.5830
06: 144.223.242.81 US KANSAS CITY MISSOURI 39.1749 -94.5804
07: 209.245.146.245 US UNKNOWN UNKNOWN 0.0000 0.0000
08: 209.244.3.137 US BROOMFIELD COLORADO 39.9135 -105.0930
09: 64.159.4.74 US SAN CLEMENTE CALIFORNIA 33.4322 -117.5780
10: 4.24.9.142 EG CAIRO AL QAHIRAH 30.0500 31.2500
11: 4.2.2.2 US PROVIDENCE RHODE ISLAND 41.8231 -71.4204
```

Libnet 1.1.x Internals

The stuff that makes
it go



Introduction to the context

fd
injection_type
protocol_type
pblock_end
link_type
link_offset
aligner
device
stats
ptag_state
label
errbuf
total_size

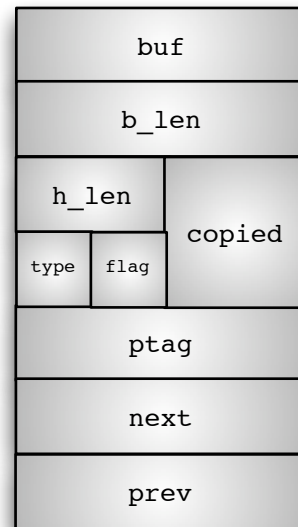


Libnet Context

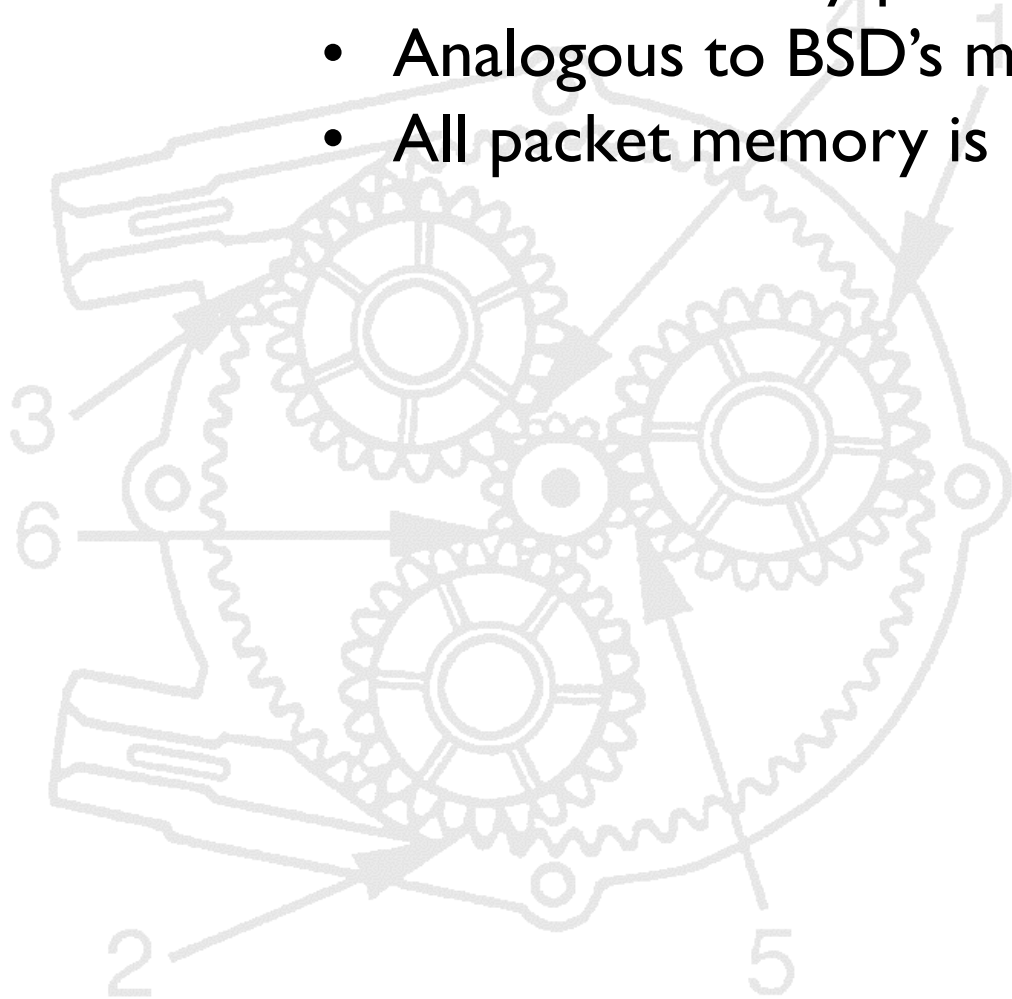
Remember me?

- We've already met.
- Something you don't know: Libnet supports a multiple packet interface
- The "context queue" interface
 - A multiple context interface

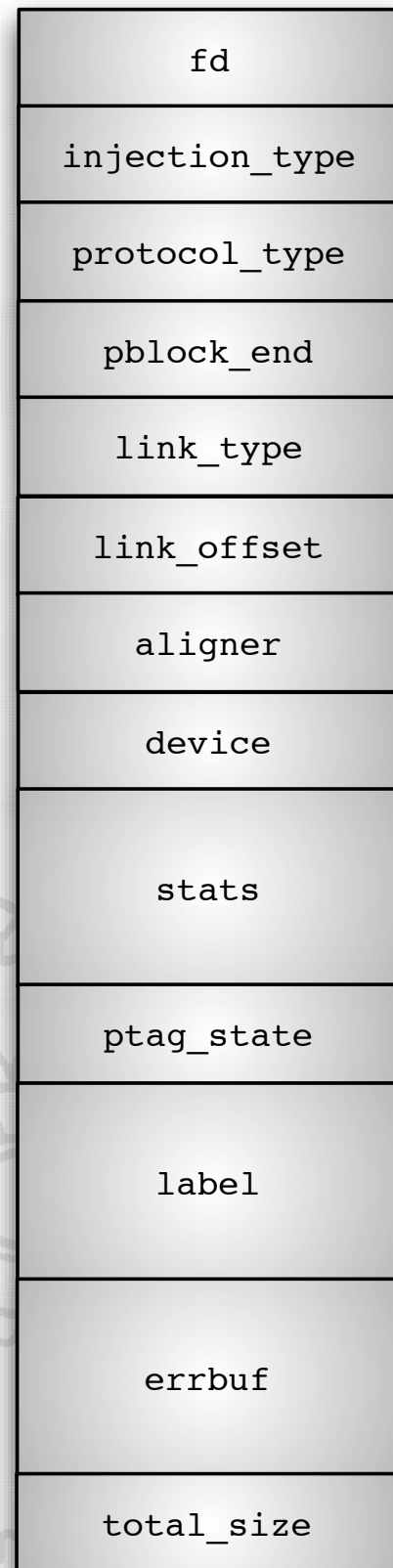
Introduction to the pblock



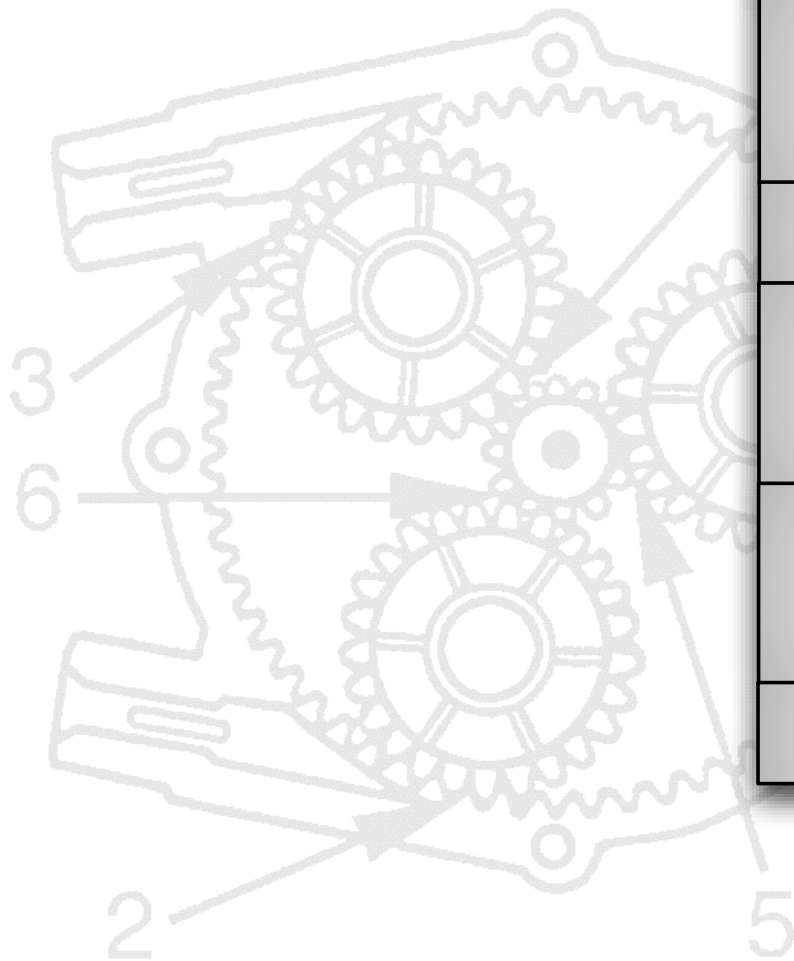
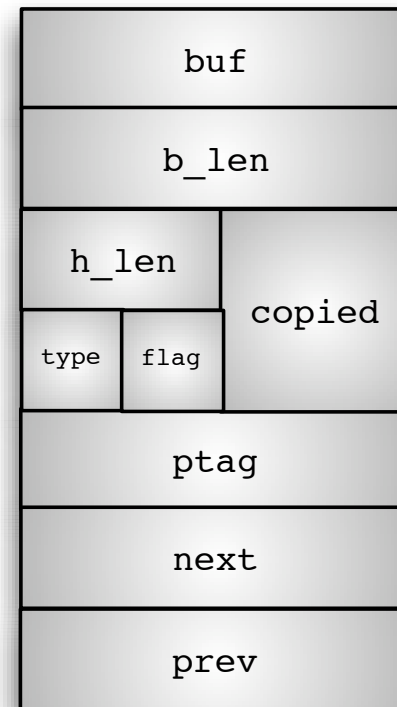
- Libnet's internal packet buffer system
- Header to every packet piece
- Analogous to BSD's mbuf
- All packet memory is handled with one of these babies



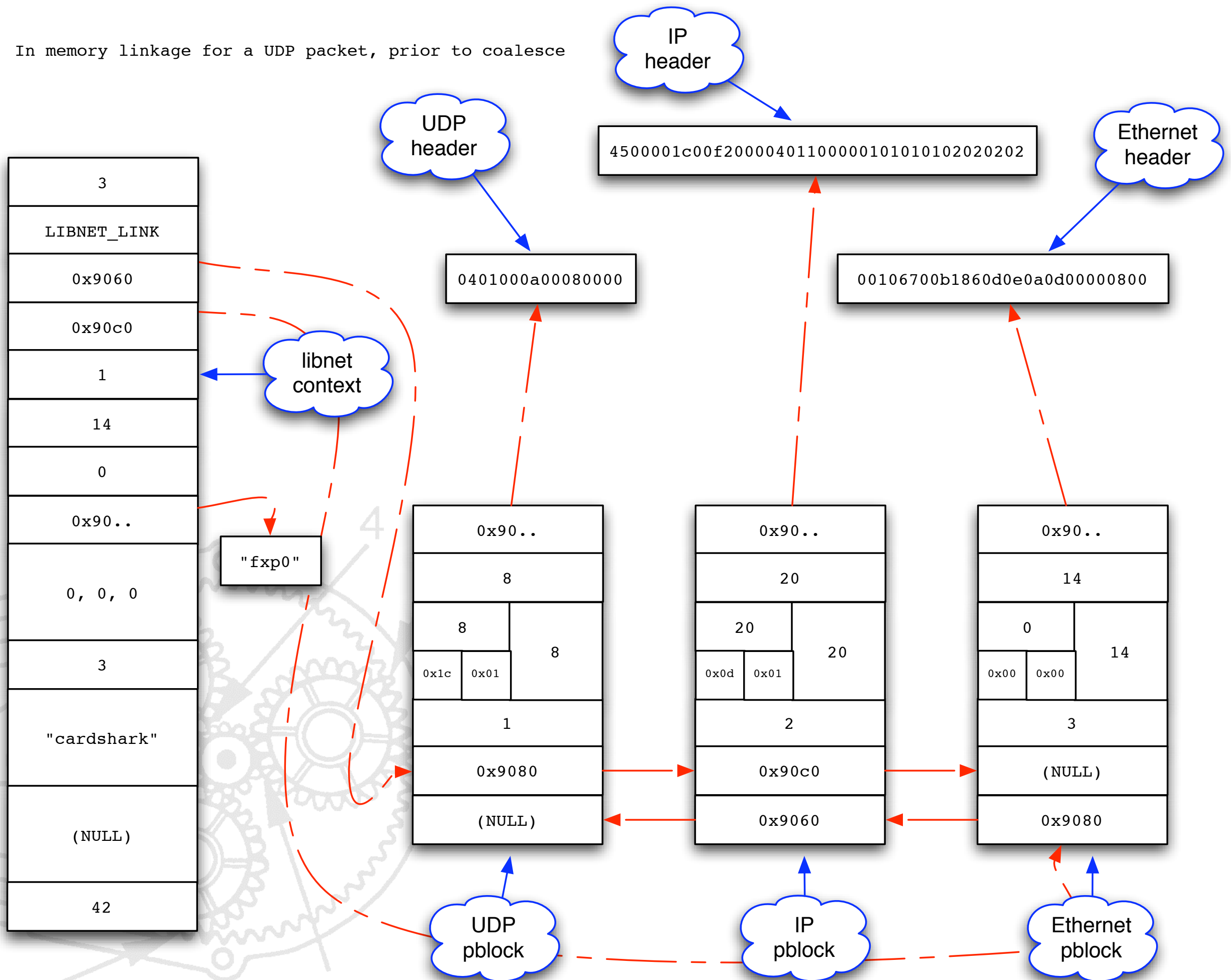
The Libnet Context
384 Bytes



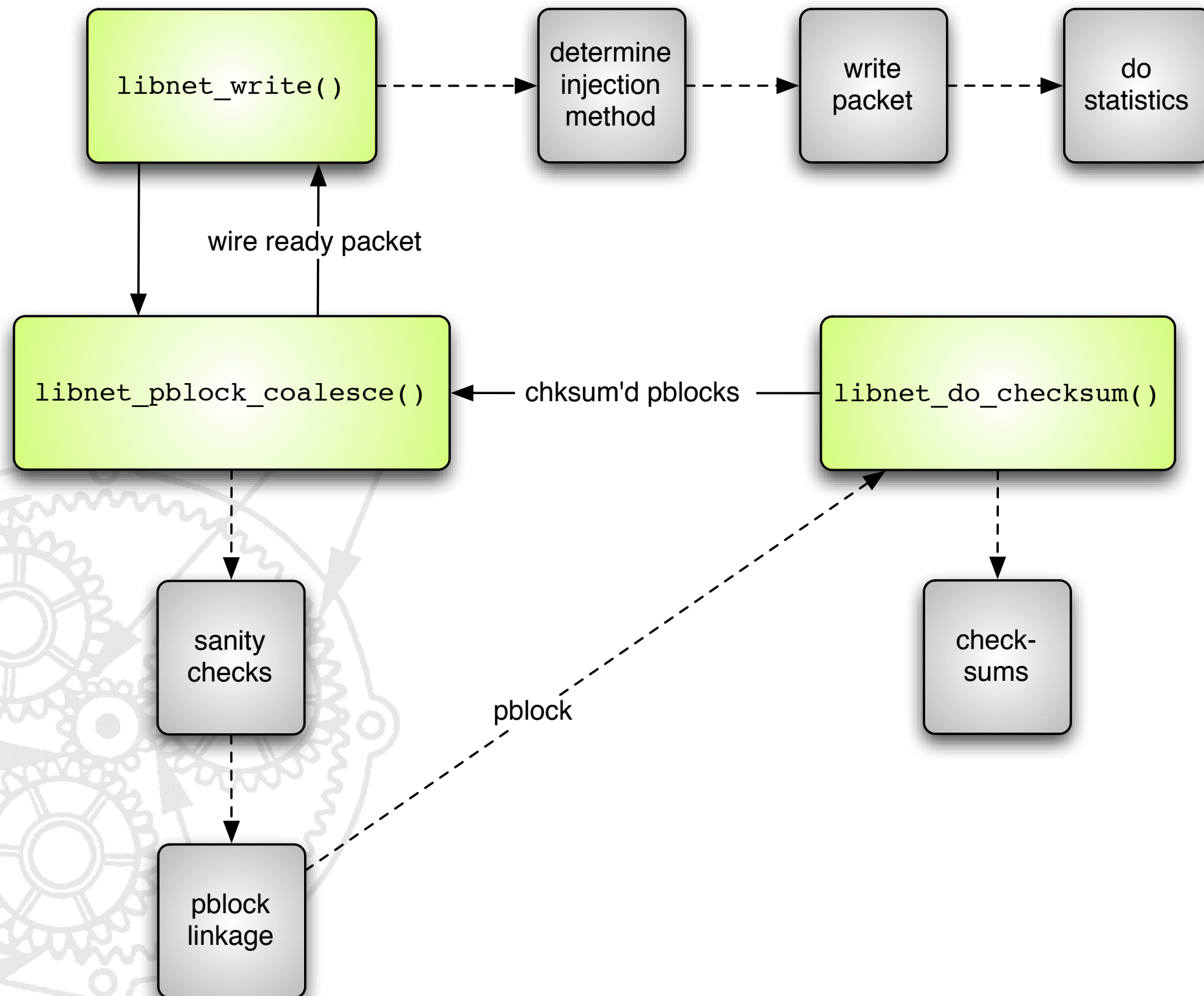
The Libnet Protocol Block
28 Bytes



In memory linkage for a UDP packet, prior to coalesce



Internal packet injection logic



Who uses Libnet?

- Ettercap
 - A multipurpose sniffer / interceptor / logger for a switched LAN
 - <http://ettercap.sourceforge.net>
- Firewalk
 - A gateway portscanning tool
 - <http://www.packetfactory.net/firewalk>
- ISIC
 - IP stack integrity checker
 - <http://www.packetfactory.net/ISIC>
- Snort
 - A lightweight network intrusion detection system
 - <http://www.snort.org>
- Tcpreplay
 - Replays saved tcpdump files at arbitrary speeds
 - tcpreplay.sourceforge.net

Tell your story walking

- We're done.
- Questions? Comments?
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