

Expt 2 Aim: Study of different types of network cables

2) Understand different types of network cable.

Different types of cables used in networking are:

- 1) Unshielded twisted pair cable
- 2) Shielded twisted pair cable
- 3) Coaxial cable
- 4) Fibre optic cable.

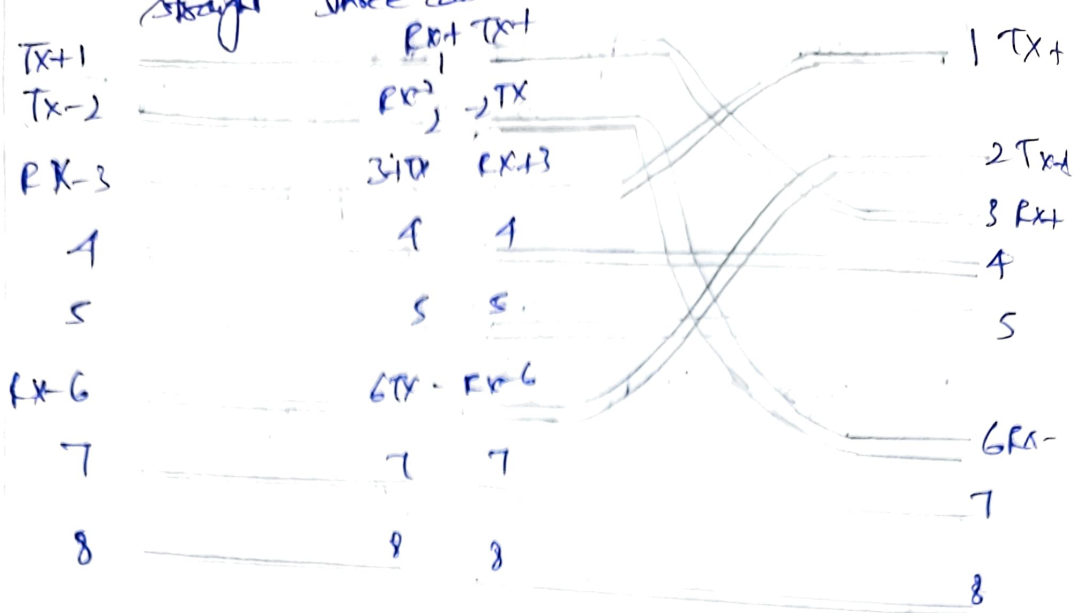
Cable Type	Category	Maximum data Transmission	Advantages/ disadvantages	Application/ use
	Category 3	10Gbps	Advantages: 1) Cheaper in cost	10base-T ethernet
UTP	Category 5	upto 100Mbps	2) Easy to install as they have a smaller overall diameter	fast ethernet, gigabit ethernet
	Category 5e	1Gbps	Disadvantages:- 1) More prone to EMI & noise	fast ethernet, gigabit ethernet

STP	Category 6 6a	10 Gbps	<u>Advantages:-</u> 1) Shielded 2) Faster than UTP 3) Less susceptible to noise	Gigabit ethernet, 10G ethernet (35m)
SSTP	Category 7	10 Gbps	<u>Disadvantages:-</u> 1) Expensive 2) Greater installation effort	Gigabit ethernet, 10G ethernet (100m)
Coaxial cable	RG-6 RG-59 RG-11	10-100 Mbps	<u>Advantages:-</u> 1) High bandwidth 2) Immune to interference <u>Disadvantages:-</u> 1) Limited distance 2) Cost 3) Size is bulky	Speed of signal is 500m television network High speed internet connections
Fibre optic cable	Single mode multimode	100 Gbps	<u>Advantages:-</u> 1) High speed 2) High security <u>Disadvantages:-</u> 1) Expensive 2) Requires	Maximum distance of fibre optics cable is around 100meters.

b) Make your own ethernet over a cable:-

Tools & port needed:-

ethernet cabling, CAT5e is certified for gigabit support, ~~but~~ CAT5 cabling works as well just over.



Student description:-

1) cross cable: connects diff types of devices (pc to switch, router)

straight cable: connects similar device (pc to pc, switch to switch)

2) cross cable

3) straight cable

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Result:-

Thus the program is executed & output is verified.