

**Metcalfe’s Law** The value of a network grows  $O(n^2)$ , where  $n$  is the number of nodes in a network.

**Baud Rate** The number of signal changes per second.

**Bandwidth** The bits per second that can be transmitted.

Data Rate = Baud Rate (symbols/second)×log<sub>2</sub> (# of distinct symbols)

**Simple and Inexpensive** Ethernet is simple and inexpensive to implement.

**Shared Medium** All devices on a network share the same medium. (Defunct)

**Carrier Sense Multiple Access w/ Collision Detection (CSMA/CD)**

Devices listen before transmitting. If collision detected, devices wait a random amount of time before retransmitting. (Defunct)

**MAC** Consists of 48 bits, with the first 24 bits being the Organizationally Unique Identifier (OUI).

**Broadcast Address** FF : FF : FF : FF : FF : FF

**Multicast Address** First bit 1.

(e.g. 01 : 00 : 5E : 00 : 00 : 01)

**Local Address** Second-least sig. bit 1.

(e.g. 02 : 00 : 00 : 00 : 00 : 01)

Application	HTTP, FTP, ...
Transport	TCP, UDP
Internet	Datagrams
Link	MAC, Frames
Physical	Ethernet, WiFi

all 0s		This host
all 0s	host	Host on network
all 1s		Local broadcast
net	all 1s	Net broadcast
127	any	Loopback

Device	Function	Layer	Key Characteristics
Repeater	Amplifies or regenerates signals to extend transmission distance	Physical	Signal Amplification
Hub	Connects devices in a network, broadcasting data to all devices	Data Link	Simple, No intelligence / learning
Bridge	Filters traffic between two networks, forwards based on MAC		Reduces collision domains
Switch	Smart HUB that forwards based on MAC		Learns MAC addresses

**DHCP** Dynamic IP assignment, uses UDP (server 67, client 68).

**Mail Submission Agent (MSA)** Submits mail to the Mail Transfer Agent (MTA).

**Mail Transfer Agent (MTA)** Transfers mail between servers.

**Mail Delivery Agent (MDA)** Delivers mail to the recipient’s mailbox.

**Mail Retrieval Agent (MRA)** Retrieves mail from the mailbox.

**Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP)** Used by the MSA and MTA.

**Internet Message Access Protocol (IMAP)** Used by the MRA, allows for marking email as read.

**Post Office Protocol 3 (POP3)** Used by the MRA, worse IMAP.

01631		0410162431	
SOURCE PORT		DESTINATION PORT	
LENGTH		CHECKSUM / 0	
DATA ...			
081631		0410162431	
SOURCE IP		DESTINATION IP	
Zero		PROTO UDP/TCP LENGTH	

SOURCE PORT		DESTINATION PORT	
SEQUENCE NUMBER			
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT NUMBER			
HLEN	RESV	FLAGS	WINDOW
CHECKSUM		URGENT POINTER	
OPTIONS (IF ANY)			PADDING
DATA ...			

**socket** Creates a socket

**bind** Assigns an address to a socket

**listen** Marks a socket as passive

**accept** Accepts a connection request

**connect** Initiates a connection

**send** Sends data

**recv** Receives data

**close** Closes the socket

**Flow Control**

**Silly Window Syndrome** Data sent in inefficiently small chunks (high overhead). Either delay ACK and ad 0 window size (Clark’s), or buffer data (Nagle’s).

Valid ports are [1, 65535], with [1, 1023] being privileged.

$RTT = \alpha \cdot RTT + (1 - \alpha) \cdot RTT_{sample}$

$Timeout = \beta \cdot RTT$

Upon Timeout :  $Timeout = \gamma \cdot Timeout$

**Congestion Control**

**Slow Start** Exponentially increase window, till congestion window size.

**Congestion Avoidance** Linear increase in window size.

**Karn’s Algorithm** Multiply timeout by  $\gamma$  upon timeout.

**Classful Addressing**

Class A	0XXXXXXXX	/8
Class B	10XXXXXXXX	/16
Class C	110XXXXX	/24
Class D	1110XXXX	/31
Class E	1111XXXX	/32

‘This’ network’ host bits 0.  
Broadcast host bits 1.

**RED**

**TCP**

- Connection-oriented
- Stream-based
- Reliable
- High Overhead

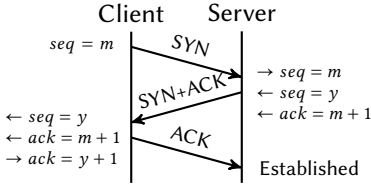
**Server**

- socket
- bind
- listen
- accept
- send / recv
- close

**Client**

- socket
- connect
- send / recv
- close

**TCP**



**UDP**

- Connectionless
- Message-based
- Unreliable
- Low Overhead

**Server**

- socket
- bind
- recvfrom
- sendto
- close

**Client**

- socket
- sendto
- recvfrom
- close

0		8		16		31	
VERS	HLEN	SERVICE TYPE		TOTAL LENGTH			
IDENTIFICATION				FLAGS	FRAGMENT OFFSET		
TTL		PROTOCOL		HEADER CHECKSUM			
SOURCE IP							
DESTINATION IP							
IP OPTIONS (IF ANY)						PADDING	
DATA ...							

Preamble	Destination Address	Source Address	Frame Type	Frame Data	CRC
8 octets	6 octets	6 octets	2	46 - 1500 octets	4 octets