Welcome to

CS 3516: Computer Networks

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Time: 9:00am –9:50am M, T, R, and F

Location: AK219 Fall 2018 A-term

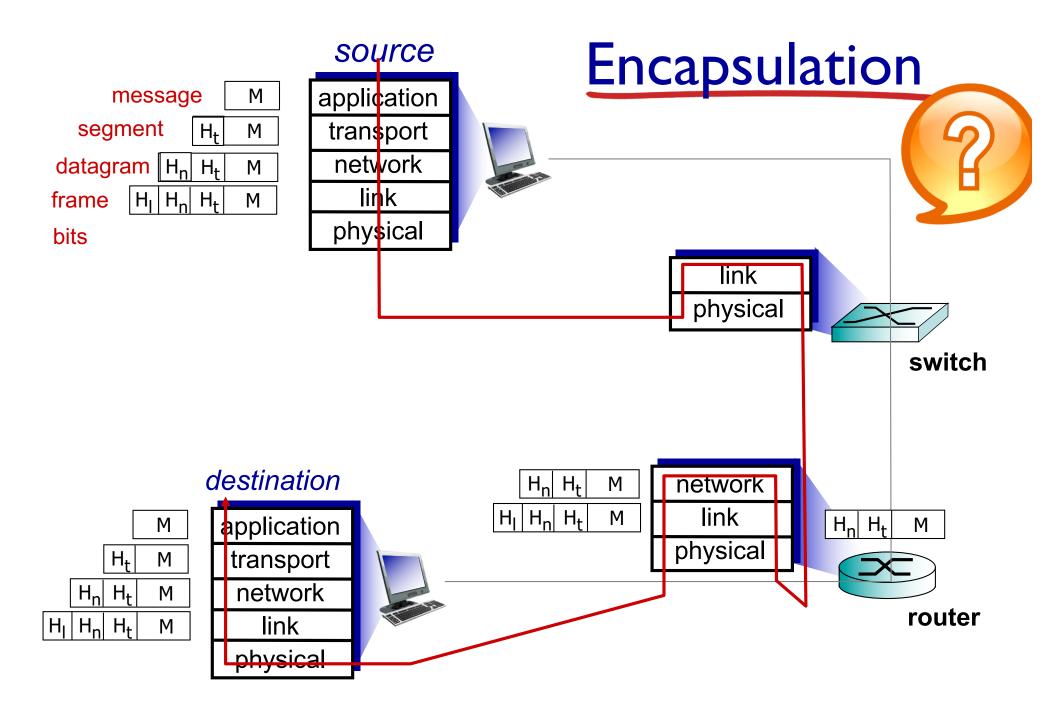
Lab 2 due today.

Grading by next Thu!

Quiz 4: Graded!

Proj I: Grading by next Tue!

Quiz 5: Grading By next Wed!



Chapter 3: Transport Layer

our goals:

- understand
 principles behind
 transport layer
 services:
 - multiplexing, demultiplexing
 - reliable data transfer

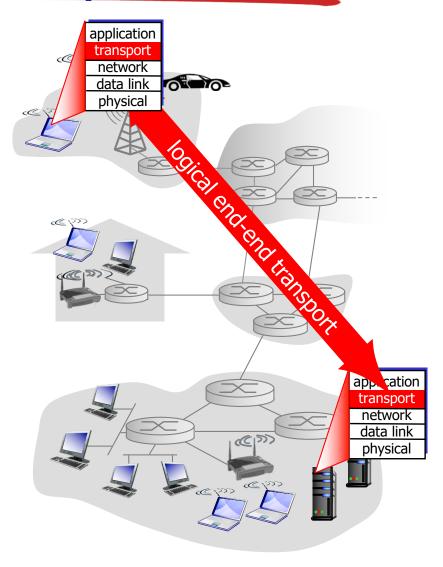
- learn about Internet transport layer protocols:
 - UDP: connectionless transport
 - TCP: connection-oriented reliable transport

Chapter 3 outline

- 3.1 transport-layer services
- 3.2 multiplexing and demultiplexing
- 3.3 connectionless transport: UDP

Transport services and protocols

- provide logical communication between app processes running on different hosts
- transport protocols run in end systems
 - send side: breaks app messages into segments, passes to network layer
 - rcv side: reassembles segments into messages, passes to app layer
- more than one transport protocol available to apps
 - Internet: TCP and UDP



Transport vs. network layer

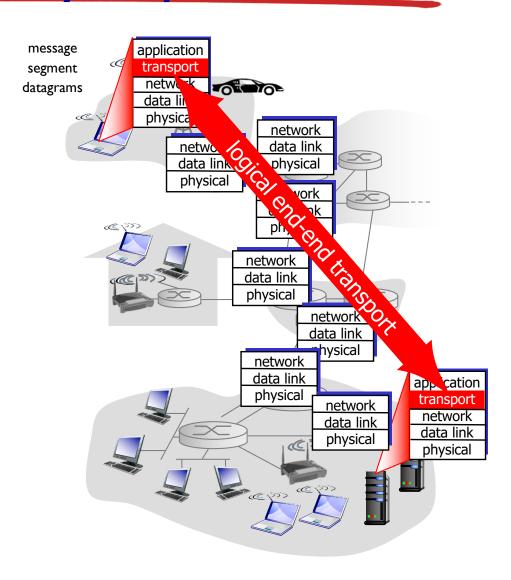
- network layer: logical communication between hosts
- transport layer: logical communication between processes
 - relies on, enhances, network layer services

household analogy:

- 12 kids in Ann's house sending letters to 12 kids in Bill's house:
- hosts = houses
- processes = kids
- app messages = letters in envelopes
- transport protocol = Ann and Bill who demux to inhouse siblings
- network-layer protocol = postal service

Internet transport-layer protocols

- reliable, in-order delivery (TCP)
 - retransmission
 - congestion control
 - flow control
 - connection setup
- unreliable, unordered delivery: UDP
 - no-frills extension of "best-effort" IP



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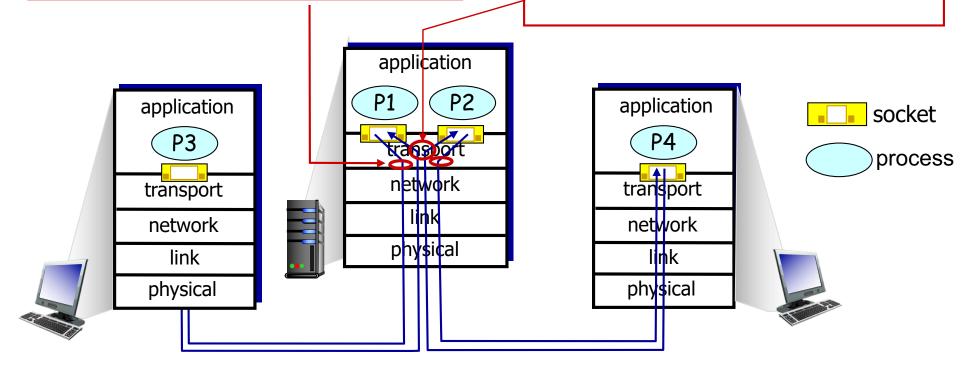
Multiplexing/demultiplexing

multiplexing at sender:

handle data from multiple sockets, add transport header (later used for demultiplexing)

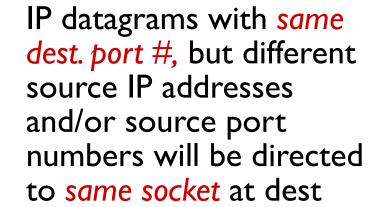
- demultiplexing at receiver: -

use header info to deliver received segments to correct socket

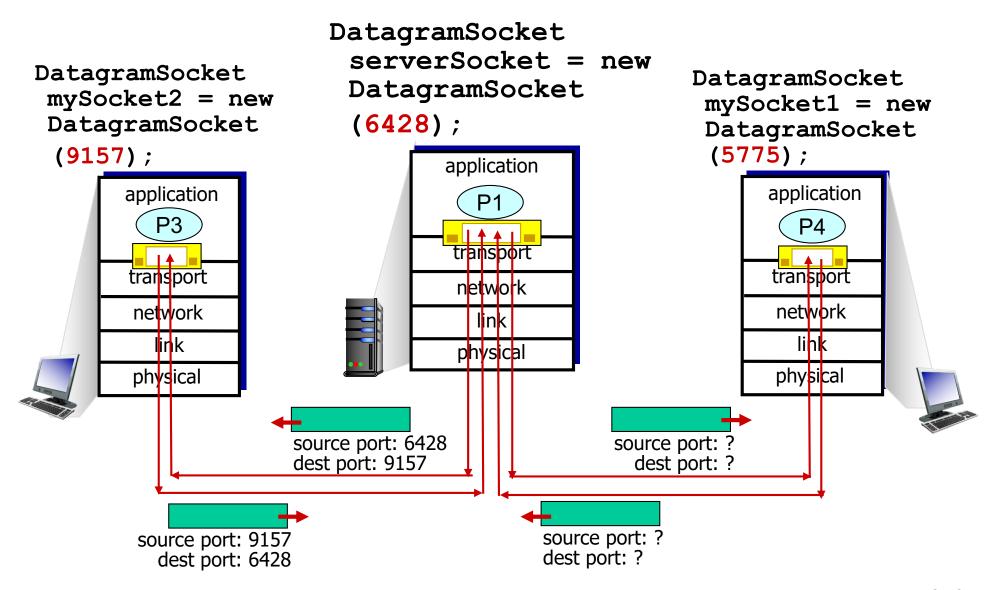


Connectionless demultiplexing

- when host receives UDP segment:
 - checks destination port # in segment
 - directs UDP segment to socket with that port #



Connectionless demux: example

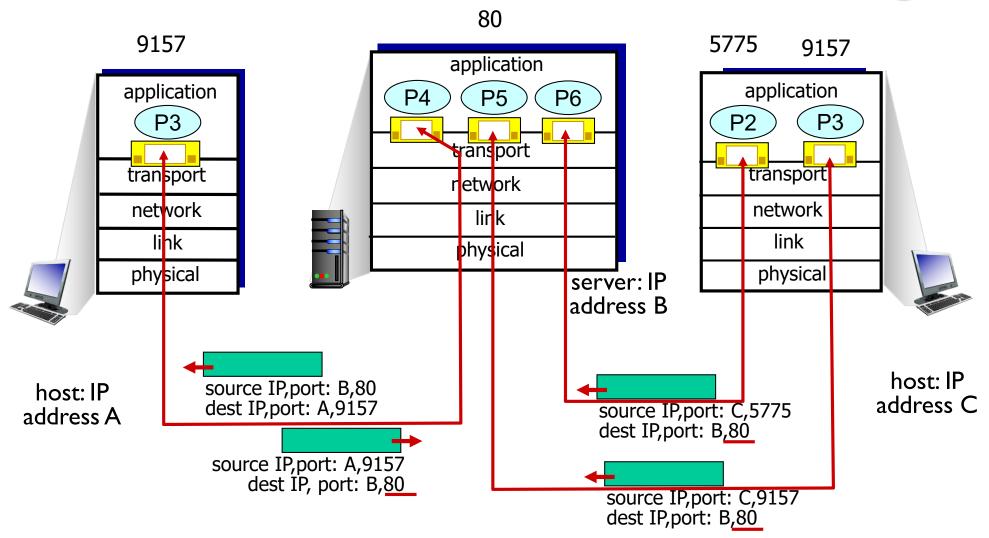


Connection-oriented demux

- TCP socket identified by 4-tuple:
 - source IP address
 - source port number
 - dest IP address
 - dest port number
- demux: receiver uses all four values to direct segment to appropriate socket

- server host may support many simultaneous TCP sockets:
 - each socket identified by its own 4-tuple

Connection-oriented demux: examp



three segments, all destined to IP address: B, dest port: 80 are demultiplexed to *different* sockets

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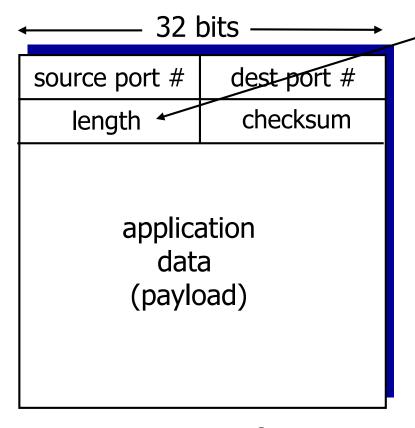
UDP: User Datagram Protocol [RFC 768]

- "best effort" service,UDP segments may be:
 - lost
 - delivered out-of-order to app
- connectionless:
 - no handshaking between UDP sender, receiver
 - each UDP segment handled independently of others

UDP use:

- streaming multimedia apps (loss tolerant, rate sensitive)
- DNS
- reliable transfer over UDP:
 - add reliability at application layer
 - application-specific error recovery!

UDP: segment header (8 bytes header)



UDP segment format

length, in bytes of UDP segment, including header



why is there a UDP?

- no connection establishment (which can add delay)
- simple: no connection state at sender, receiver
- small header size
- no congestion control:
 UDP can blast away as fast as desired

UDP checksum

Goal: detect "errors" (e.g., flipped bits) in transmitted segment

sender:

- treat segment contents, including header fields, as sequence of 16-bit integers
- checksum: addition (one's complement sum) of segment contents
- sender puts checksum value into UDP checksum field

receiver:

- compute checksum of received segment
- check if computed checksum equals checksum field value:
 - NO error detected
 - YES no error detected. But maybe errors nonetheless? More later

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Internet checksum: example



example: add two 16-bit integers

												1 0					
wraparound	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1 →
sum checksum												1 0					

Note: when adding numbers, a carryout from the most significant bit needs to be added to the result

Questions?