Feature:

- 1. Server is IP Protocol independent, it can handle both IPv4 and IPv6 addresses.
- 2. Client may open a socket with 'ai_family' = AF_INET or AF_INET6.

Technical:

- 1. Client may open a socket with 'ai_family' = AF_INET/AF_INET6.
- 2. Client uses getaddrinfo to get the address family information depending on the ipv4 or ipv6 address given as input.
- 3. Server opens a IPv6 socket with address family 'in6addr_any'.
- 4. Server will listen to any IP address and stores the client information in 'sockaddr_storage'.

Reference:

http://man7.org/linux/man-pages/man2/socket.2.html

http://man7.org/linux/man-pages/man3/getaddrinfo.3.html

http://man7.org/linux/man-pages/man3/getnameinfo.3.html

http://pubs.opengroup.org/onlinepubs/009696699/basedefs/sys/socket.h.html

http://www.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/ssw_i5_54/rzab6/xacceptboth.htm

Screenshots:

Server accepts both Ipv4 and Ipv6 clients.

michail@n:~/cn/C516MTECH11089_Submission_Assignment2/Part_C_Protocol_Independent\$ gcc server.c -o server michail@n:~/cn/C516MTECH11089_Submission_Assignment2/Part_C_Protocol_Independent\$./server 2222 Handling Client: |::fff:127.0.0.1|, port: |60821|

michail@m:-/cn/CS16MTECH11009_Submission_Assignment2/Part_C_Protocol_Independent\$ gcc client.c -o client michail@m:-/cn/CS16MTECH11009_Submission_Assignment2/Part_C_Protocol_Independent\$./client ::1 2222 Type string: Hello Server, I am IPv6 Client Received: Hello Server, I am IPv6 Client Type string: