Lab Report No: 02

Lab Report on: Socket Program with python.

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Objective: Socket programming shows how to use socket APIs to establish communication links between remote and local processes. The processes that use a socket can reside on the same system or different systems on different networks. Sockets are useful for both stand-alone and network applications.

The processes that use a socket can reside on the same system or different systems on different networks. Sockets are useful for both stand-alone and network applications. Sockets allow you to exchange information between processes on the same machine or across a network, distribute work to the most efficient machine, and they easily allow access to centralized data. Socket application program interfaces (APIs) are the network standard for TCP/IP. A wide range of operating systems support socket APIs. i5/OSTM sockets support multiple transport and networking protocols. Socket system functions and the socket network functions are threadsafe.

<u>Server side</u>: Server-side network programming involves designing and implementing programs to be run on a server. Server-side applications run as processes on a dedicated physical machine, virtual machine, or cloud infrastructure. Server-side applications receive requests from the clients and perform tasks as requested by the clients.

Server side code:

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import socket # for socket
import sys

try:
    s = socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_STREAM)
    print "Socket successfully created"

except socket.error as err:
    print "socket creation failed with error %s" %(err)
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try:

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host_ip = socket.gethostbyname('www.google.com')

except socket.gaierror:

print "there was an error resolving the host"

sys.exit()

s.connect((host_ip, port))

print "the socket has successfully connected to google \on port == %s" %(host_ip)
```

Client side: In a client environment, each computer still holds (or can still hold) its (or some) resources and files. Other computers can also access the resources stored in a computer, as in a peer-to-peer scenario. One of the particularities of a client/server network is that the files and resources are centralized. This means that a computer, the server, can hold them and other computers can access them. Since the server is always ON, the client machines can access the files and resources without caring whether a certain computer is ON.

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Client side code:

# standard Python

sio = socketio.Client()

# asyncio

sio = socketio.AsyncClient()

sio.connect('http://localhost:127.0.0.1')

await sio.connect('http://localhost:127.0.0.1')

sio.event(namespace='/chat')

def my_custom_event(sid, data):

pass

@sio.on('connect', namespace='/chat')
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def on_connect():
    tracert( 172.18.4.1)
```

Output : Socket successfully created the socket has successfully connected to google on port == 80 to IP 172.18.4.1

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C:\>telnet 172.18.4.1
Trying 172.18.4.1 ...Open

User Access Verification

Username: shanto
Password:
DHK>ping 8.8.8.8
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PS C:\Users\USER> ping 8.8.8.8

Pinging 8.8.8.8 with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 8.8.8.8: bytes=32 time=103ms TTL=114
Reply from 8.8.8.8: bytes=32 time=79ms TTL=114
Reply from 8.8.8.8: bytes=32 time=109ms TTL=114
Reply from 8.8.8.8: bytes=32 time=100ms TTL=114

Ping statistics for 8.8.8.8:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
    Minimum = 79ms, Maximum = 109ms, Average = 97ms
PS C:\Users\USER>
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Windows PowerShell
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PS C:\Users\USER> ping 9.9.9.9

Pinging 9.9.9.9 with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 9.9.9.9: bytes=32 time=105ms TTL=53
Reply from 9.9.9.9: bytes=32 time=97ms TTL=53
Reply from 9.9.9.9: bytes=32 time=97ms TTL=53
Reply from 9.9.9.9: bytes=32 time=92ms TTL=53

Ping statistics for 9.9.9.9:

Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:

Minimum = 92ms, Maximum = 105ms, Average = 97ms

PS C:\Users\USER>
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Conclusion: Sockets are the endpoints of a bidirectional communications channel. Sockets may communicate within a process, between processes on the same machine, or between processes on different continents.

Sockets may be implemented over a number of different channel types: Unix domain sockets, TCP, UDP, and so on. The socket library provides specific classes for handling the common transports as well as a generic interface for handling the rest.