# **MODULE 4**

- 1. Explain the connection procedure followed in client server communication
- In C programming, socket programming is used for client-server communication.
- The necessary headers for socket programming in your C program. The most common headers are <sys/socket.h> for socket functions and <netinet/in.h> for internet address manipulation.

**Create Socket:** Both the client and server need to create a socket. The server creates a socket using the socket() system call. The client also creates a socket in a similar manner.

#### Server:

```
int server_socket = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0);
if (server_socket < 0) {
    perror("Socket creation failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}
Client:
int client_socket = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0);
if (client_socket < 0) {
    perror("Socket creation failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}</pre>
```

**Specify Server Address:** In the client program, specify the address of the server to connect to. This includes the IP address and port number. In the server program, define and bind the server address.

```
struct sockaddr_in server_address;
server_address.sin_family = AF_INET;
server_address.sin_port = htons(PORT); // Port number
server_address.sin_addr.s_addr = INADDR_ANY; // IP address
```

```
Connect: In the client program, use the connect() system call to connect to the server.
if (connect(client_socket, (struct sockaddr *)&server_address, sizeof(server_address)) < 0) {
  perror("Connection failed");
  exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}
Accept: In the server program, use the bind() system call to bind the socket to a specific
address and port. Then use the listen() system call to listen for incoming connections. Finally,
use the accept() system call to accept a connection request.
if (bind(server_socket, (struct sockaddr *)&server_address, sizeof(server_address)) < 0) {
  perror("Binding failed");
  exit(EXIT FAILURE);
if (listen(server socket, BACKLOG) < 0) {
  perror("Listen failed");
  exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
int client_socket = accept(server_socket, (struct sockaddr *)&client_address,
(socklen t*)&address length);
if (client socket < 0) {
  perror("Acceptance failed");
  exit(EXIT FAILURE);
Communication: Once the connection is established, the client and server can communicate
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by sending and receiving data using send() and recv() system calls.

**Close Connection:** After communication is complete, close the sockets using close() system call.

## 2. What is the use of bind() function in socket programming?

In socket programming in C, the bind() function is used to associate a socket with a specific network address, typically the address of the host machine and a port number on that host.

### Source code:

```
struct sockaddr_in server_address;
server_address.sin_family = AF_INET;
server_address.sin_addr.s_addr = INADDR_ANY; // Listen on all interfaces
server_address.sin_port = htons(PORT); // Port number

if (bind(server_socket, (struct sockaddr *)&server_address, sizeof(server_address)) < 0) {
    perror("Binding failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
}</pre>
```

### 3. What is Datagram Socket?

In C programming, specifically in socket programming, a datagram socket is a type of socket that provides connectionless communication. It is also known as a "datagram-oriented socket" or "connectionless socket." Datagram sockets are commonly used with the User Datagram Protocol (UDP).

Key points about datagram sockets:

Connectionless Communication: Unlike stream sockets, which provide a reliable, connection-oriented communication channel (such as TCP), datagram sockets offer connectionless communication. This means that there is no established connection between the sender and receiver before data transmission.

**Unreliable Transmission:** Datagram sockets provide unreliable transmission of data. This means that there is no guarantee of delivery, order, or duplication prevention of the transmitted data. It's up to the application to handle these concerns if necessary.

**No Persistent Connection:** With datagram sockets, each datagram (or packet) is sent individually and may take a different route to reach its destination. There is no persistent connection between the sender and receiver as in stream sockets.

Simple and Lightweight: Datagram sockets are often simpler and more lightweight than stream sockets. They are suitable for applications where low overhead and real-time delivery are more important than reliability, such as multimedia streaming, online gaming, DNS (Domain Name System), and SNMP (Simple Network Management Protocol).

**Usage:** Datagram sockets are typically created using the socket() system call with the appropriate address family (e.g., AF\_INET for IPv4) and socket type (e.g., SOCK\_DGRAM for datagram sockets). After creating the socket, you can use functions like sendto() and receive datagrams, respectively.

4. Write a server/client model socket program to exchange hello message between them.

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Server Program:
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```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/socket.h>
#include <netinet/in.h>
#define PORT 8080
#define BUFFER SIZE 1024
int main() {
  int server_socket, client_socket;
  struct sockaddr in server address, client address;
  int client address len = sizeof(client address);
  char buffer[BUFFER SIZE] = {0};
  char *hello message = "Hello from server";
  // Create server socket
  if ((server_socket = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0)) == 0) {
```

```
perror("Socket creation failed");
    exit(EXIT FAILURE);
  }
  // Initialize server address structure
  server address.sin family = AF INET;
  server_address.sin_addr.s_addr = INADDR_ANY;
  server address.sin port = htons(PORT);
  // Bind the socket to the server address
  if (bind(server socket, (struct sockaddr *)&server address, sizeof(server address)) < 0) {
    perror("Bind failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  // Listen for incoming connections
  if (listen(server socket, 3) < 0) {
    perror("Listen failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  // Accept incoming connection
  if ((client_socket = accept(server_socket, (struct sockaddr *)&client_address, (socklen_t
*)&client_address_len)) < 0) {
    perror("Acceptance failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  // Receive data from client
  if (recv(client_socket, buffer, BUFFER_SIZE, 0) < 0) {</pre>
```

```
perror("Receive failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  printf("Client: %s\n", buffer);
  // Send hello message to client
  if (send(client socket, hello message, strlen(hello message), 0) < 0) {
    perror("Send failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  printf("Hello message sent to client\n");
  // Close sockets
  close(client_socket);
  close(server_socket);
  return 0;
Client Program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/socket.h>
#include <netinet/in.h>
#include <arpa/inet.h>
#define PORT 8080
```

```
#define SERVER_IP "127.0.0.1"
#define BUFFER SIZE 1024
int main() {
  int client socket;
  struct sockaddr in server address;
  char buffer[BUFFER SIZE] = {0};
  char *hello message = "Hello from client";
  // Create client socket
  if ((client socket = socket(AF INET, SOCK STREAM, 0)) == 0) {
    perror("Socket creation failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  // Initialize server address structure
  server address.sin family = AF INET;
  server address.sin port = htons(PORT);
  // Convert IPv4 and IPv6 addresses from text to binary form
  if (inet_pton(AF_INET, SERVER_IP, &server_address.sin_addr) <= 0) {
    perror("Invalid address/ Address not supported");
    exit(EXIT FAILURE);
  } // Connect to server
  if (connect(client_socket, (struct sockaddr *)&server_address, sizeof(server_address)) < 0)
{
    perror("Connection failed");
    exit(EXIT FAILURE);
  }
```

```
// Send hello message to server
  if (send(client socket, hello message, strlen(hello message), 0) < 0) {
    perror("Send failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  printf("Hello message sent to server\n");
  // Receive data from server
  if (recv(client_socket, buffer, BUFFER_SIZE, 0) < 0) {
    perror("Receive failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  printf("Server: %s\n", buffer);
  // Close socket
  close(client_socket);
  return 0;}
5. Write a TCP server-client program to check if a given string is Palindrome
Server Program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/socket.h>
#include <netinet/in.h>
```

```
#define PORT 8080
#define BUFFER SIZE 1024
int isPalindrome(char *str) {
  int len = strlen(str);
  for (int i = 0; i < len / 2; i++) {
    if (str[i] != str[len - i - 1]) {
       return 0; // Not a palindrome
    }
  return 1; // Palindrome
int main() {
  int server_socket, client_socket;
  struct sockaddr_in server_address, client_address;
  int client address len = sizeof(client address);
  char buffer[BUFFER SIZE] = {0};
  char *response;
  // Create server socket
  if ((server_socket = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0)) == 0) {
    perror("Socket creation failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  // Initialize server address structure
  server address.sin family = AF INET;
  server address.sin addr.s addr = INADDR ANY;
  server address.sin port = htons(PORT);
```

```
// Bind the socket to the server address
  if (bind(server socket, (struct sockaddr *)&server address, sizeof(server address)) < 0) {
    perror("Bind failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  // Listen for incoming connections
  if (listen(server socket, 3) < 0) {
    perror("Listen failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  // Accept incoming connection
  if ((client_socket = accept(server_socket, (struct sockaddr *)&client_address, (socklen_t
*)&client_address_len)) < 0) {
    perror("Acceptance failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  // Receive data from client
  if (recv(client socket, buffer, BUFFER SIZE, 0) < 0) {
    perror("Receive failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  printf("Received string from client: %s\n", buffer);
  // Check if string is palindrome
  if (isPalindrome(buffer)) {
    response = "Palindrome";
  } else {
    response = "Not a Palindrome";
  }
  // Send response to client
  if (send(client_socket, response, strlen(response), 0) < 0) {
```

```
perror("Send failed");
    exit(EXIT FAILURE);
  printf("Response sent to client\n");
  // Close sockets
  close(client socket);
  close(server_socket);
  return 0;
Client program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/socket.h>
#include <netinet/in.h>
#include <arpa/inet.h>
#define PORT 8080
#define SERVER_IP "127.0.0.1"
#define BUFFER_SIZE 1024
int main() {
  int client socket;
  struct sockaddr_in server_address;
  char buffer[BUFFER_SIZE] = {0};
  char *input_string;
  printf("Enter a string to check if it's a palindrome: ");
  fgets(buffer, BUFFER_SIZE, stdin);
  input_string = strtok(buffer, "\n"); // Remove trailing newline
```

```
// Create client socket
if ((client socket = socket(AF INET, SOCK STREAM, 0)) == 0) {
  perror("Socket creation failed");
  exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
// Initialize server address structure
server address.sin family = AF INET;
server address.sin port = htons(PORT);
// Convert IPv4 and IPv6 addresses from text to binary form
if (inet_pton(AF_INET, SERVER_IP, &server_address.sin_addr) <= 0) {
  perror("Invalid address/ Address not supported");
  exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
// Connect to server
if (connect(client_socket, (struct sockaddr *)&server_address, sizeof(server_address)) < 0)
  perror("Connection failed");
  exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
// Send string to server
if (send(client_socket, input_string, strlen(input_string), 0) < 0) {</pre>
  perror("Send failed");
  exit(EXIT FAILURE);
printf("String sent to server\n");
// Receive response from server
if (recv(client socket, buffer, BUFFER SIZE, 0) < 0) {
  perror("Receive failed");
  exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
```

```
printf("Response from server: %s\n", buffer);
  // Close socket
  close(client_socket);
  return 0;
6. Write an example to demonstrate UDP server-client program
UDP Server Program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/socket.h>
#include <netinet/in.h>
#define PORT 8080
#define BUFFER_SIZE 1024
int main() {
  int server_socket;
  struct sockaddr_in server_address, client_address;
  int client_address_len = sizeof(client_address);
  char buffer[BUFFER_SIZE] = {0};
  // Create server socket
  if ((server_socket = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM, 0)) == 0) {
    perror("Socket creation failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
```

```
// Initialize server address structure
  server address.sin family = AF INET;
  server address.sin addr.s addr = INADDR ANY;
  server_address.sin_port = htons(PORT);
  // Bind the socket to the server address
  if (bind(server socket, (struct sockaddr *)&server address, sizeof(server address)) < 0) {
    perror("Bind failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  }
  printf("UDP Server listening on port %d\n", PORT);
  // Receive data from client
  while (1) {
    int bytes_received = recvfrom(server_socket, buffer, BUFFER_SIZE, 0, (struct sockaddr
*)&client_address, (socklen_t *)&client_address_len);
    if (bytes received < 0) {
      perror("Receive failed");
      exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
    }
    printf("Received from client: %s\n", buffer);
    // Echo back to client
    if (sendto(server_socket, buffer, bytes_received, 0, (struct sockaddr *)&client_address,
client address len) < 0) {
      perror("Send failed");
      exit(EXIT FAILURE);
    }
```

```
}
  // Close socket
  close(server_socket);
  return 0;
UDP Client Program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/socket.h>
#include <netinet/in.h>
#include <arpa/inet.h>
#define PORT 8080
#define SERVER IP "127.0.0.1"
#define BUFFER_SIZE 1024
int main() {
  int client_socket;
  struct sockaddr_in server_address;
  char buffer[BUFFER_SIZE] = {0};
  char *message = "Hello from client";
  // Create client socket
  if ((client_socket = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM, 0)) == 0) {
    perror("Socket creation failed");
    exit(EXIT FAILURE);
  // Initialize server address structure
```

```
server address.sin family = AF INET;
  server address.sin port = htons(PORT);
  // Convert IPv4 and IPv6 addresses from text to binary form
  if (inet_pton(AF_INET, SERVER_IP, &server_address.sin_addr) <= 0) {
    perror("Invalid address/ Address not supported");
    exit(EXIT FAILURE);
  // Send message to server
  if (sendto(client_socket, message, strlen(message), 0, (struct sockaddr *)&server_address,
sizeof(server_address)) < 0) {</pre>
    perror("Send failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  printf("Message sent to server\n");
  // Receive response from server
  int bytes_received = recvfrom(client_socket, buffer, BUFFER_SIZE, 0, NULL, NULL);
  if (bytes received < 0) {
    perror("Receive failed");
    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);
  printf("Response from server: %s\n", buffer);
  // Close socket
  close(client_socket);
  return 0;
```