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Exercise 2: File Transfer using TCP

Objective:

Transfer a file from server to client using TCP socket programming.

Code:

Server:

```
#include < stdio.h>
#include < sys/types.h>
#include < sys/socket.h>
#include < netinet/in.h>
#include < string.h>
#include < fcntl.h>
```

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8 int main(int argc, char **argv){
      int len;
      int sockfd, newfd, n;
      struct sockaddr_in serveraddr, clientaddr;
11
      char buffer[1024], file_cont[1024];
      char str[1000];
      sockfd = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0);
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      if(sockfd < 0)</pre>
          perror("Error: Unable to create socket");
16
      bzero(&serveraddr, sizeof(serveraddr));
18
19
      serveraddr.sin_family = AF_INET;
20
      serveraddr.sin_addr.s_addr = INADDR_ANY;
21
      serveraddr.sin_port = htons(4500);
22
23
      if(bind(sockfd, (struct sockaddr*)&serveraddr, sizeof(
24
     serveraddr))<0)
          perror("Bind error");
25
26
      printf("\nWaiting for Client...\n");
      listen(sockfd, 2);
28
      len = sizeof(clientaddr);
30
      newfd = accept(sockfd, (struct sockaddr*)&clientaddr, &
     len);
      //Receiving the message
33
      n = read(newfd, buffer, sizeof(buffer));
      printf("\nFile to be transferred to Client: %s\n", buffer
     );
36
      int sourcefd = open(buffer, O_RDONLY);
37
      if(sourcefd == -1){
38
          printf("\nNo source file");
39
      }
40
      else{
41
          int readfd = read(sourcefd, file_cont, sizeof(
     file_cont));
          file_cont[readfd] = '\0';
43
          int w = write(newfd, file_cont, sizeof(file_cont));
44
45
          close(sourcefd);
46
      printf("\n File successfully transferred\n");
      close(sockfd);
```

Client:

```
1 #include < stdio.h>
2 #include < sys/types.h>
3 #include < sys/socket.h>
4 #include < netinet / in . h >
5 #include < string.h>
6 #include <fcntl.h>
8 int main(int argc, char** argv){
      int len;
      int sockfd, n;
10
      struct sockaddr_in serveraddr, clientaddr;
11
      char str[1000];
      char buffer[1024], file_cont[1024];
13
14
      sockfd = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_STREAM, 0);
      if(sockfd < 0)</pre>
16
          perror("Error: Unable to create socket");
18
      bzero(&serveraddr, sizeof(serveraddr));
20
      serveraddr.sin_family = AF_INET;
      serveraddr.sin_addr.s_addr = inet_addr(argv[1]);
22
      serveraddr.sin_port = htons(4500);
24
      if(bind(sockfd, (struct sockaddr*)&serveraddr, sizeof(
     serveraddr))<0)
          perror("Bind error");
26
27
      connect(sockfd, (struct sockaddr*)&serveraddr, sizeof(
     serveraddr));
      //Sending Message
29
      len = sizeof(clientaddr);
31
      printf("Enter the path of file: ");scanf(" %[^\n]",
     buffer);
      n = write(sockfd, buffer, sizeof(buffer));
```

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34
      listen(sockfd, 2);
35
      printf("\nFile successfully received\n");
36
      int r = read(sockfd, file_cont, sizeof(file_cont));
      printf("\nFile contents: %s\n", file_cont);
40
      int destfd = open("dest.txt", O_RDWR|O_CREAT);
41
      if(destfd == -1){
          printf("\nUnable to create destination file\n");
      }
      else{
45
          int writefd = write(destfd, file_cont, sizeof(
     file_cont));
          close(destfd);
47
          printf("\nFile Saved at: dest.txt\n");
48
      }
49
      close(sockfd);
50
      return 0;
51
52 }
```

Output:

Server:

Client:

```
1 Enter the path of file: ./source.txt
2
3 File successfully received
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```
5 File contents: hi this is from ssn cse
6 hello world
7 123
8 456
9 789
10 000
11
12 File Saved at: ./dest.txt
```