Presentation on TCP/IP

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Outline

- A. Origins and Backgrounds
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- E. Transmission Control Protocol (TCP)

Origins and Backgrounds

TCP/IP became a hot issue was because of e-mail and WWW service during 1980's and 1990's, respectively.

World Wide Web (WWW): Server-Client Structure In 1980's, trying to improve science research conduct

Origins and Backgrounds

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HTTPd (HTTP deamon) (Server & Client)
⇒ Netscape (Client)
⇒ Apache (A Patch Server), dominates after 1996
    Internet Technology: "Individually"
    e.g. Ethernet & Token Ring (IBM)
    ⇒ APARNET, cooperating with Berkeley
    implanting TCP/IP developed in 1980's
    into BSD Unix computers
    IEEE standard : Ethernet & Internet
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Before dwelling into this subject, we first see what comprises the web:

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1 node: devices with IP
2 server: forming responses
3 client (workstation)
4 router/gateway: connection of
two different "groups" devices
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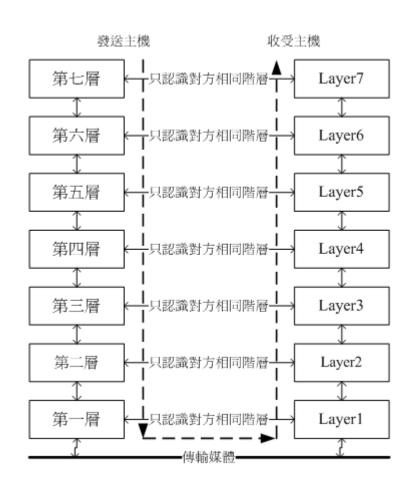
Now let's see what's in OSI:

By definition:

closer to HW: layer 1 closer to SW: layer 7

No matter Tx/Rx, they know only the same layer of each other

Package flow: $(Tx) 7\sim 1 \Rightarrow (Rx) 1\sim 7$



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Layer 1 Physical Layer
    binary decode/encode, Tx/Rx
Layer 2 Data Link Layer
(a)closer to HW:
    MAC(Media Access Control): packet type
(b)clsoer to SW:
    LLC(Logical Link Control): managing segments
    from upper layers, transforming to MAC form
 Layer 3 Network Layer
 1 Definition of IP (Internet Protocol)
 2 Defining connections between computers
   (create/stop/maintain)
 3 Concept of route
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Layer 4 Transport Layer

connection technology (TCP, UDP) for Rx/Tx
to ensure all segments can reach target
correctly; packaging segments (big->small)

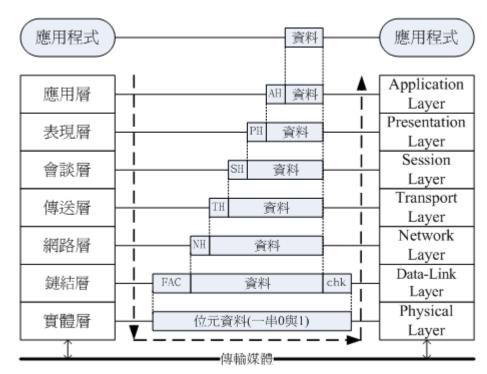
Layer 5 Session Layer

- 1 Ensure Internet connection creation
- 2 Define connection/disconnection between two ports (connection between two computers)

Layer 6 Presentation Layer

transform formats of typical applications into standard Internet formats, defining transforms between Internet ervices/programs

Layer 7 Application Layer
defining how apps can
receive/transmit to apps
and final representation
to the users; archive and
encryption=> speed and
Security; encoding/
decoding



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Why TCP/IP?

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WHY?
Since OSI is to "rigorous", it's hard to write programs based on this interface
=> blocking further developments
=> simplifying OSI into only 4 layers

1990's email and www
=> current Internet Networks
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IP abstraction (from OSI:7 to IP:4)
1 Network Access Layer
    data->device
2 Internet Layer
    adding IP headers, routing information
3 Transport Layer
    point-to-point connection
    control dataflow
    ensure data to destination correctly
  => TCP/UDP
4 Application Layer
    interface between applications,
    providing connections needed
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IP packaging
  32bits(IPv4); 128bits (IPv6)
32/8=4 partitions e.g. 192.168.1.3
(analogy to broadcast in streets)
InterNIC: 5 classes of IPs
  Class A: 0.xxx.xxx.xxx
  Class B:128.xxx.xxx.xxx
  Class C:192.xxx.xxx.xxx
  Class D:224.xxx.xxx.xxx
  Class E:240.xxx.xxx.xxx
Note. InterNIC (Network Information Center)
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in IPv4:
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- 1 Public IP: connect to Internet
- 2 Private IP: LAN connections
 (private IP is also for the fear
 that IPv4 is not enough)

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However, only "Classes" will be inefficient
(think of broadcasting)
⇒ Netmask (Subnet Mask):
   25-bit NetID & 7-bit HostID
    Class A:255.0.0.0
    Class B:255.255.0.0
    Class C:255,255,255,0
(.0: server; .255: broadcast)
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when a pair of (IP,Netmask) is achieved
=> AND operation=> NetID
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This can be seen as a smart way to use IP address more efficiently, and two cases are considered in the following:

- when the network domain contains too many IPs
- when the network domain is too small

Case 1: too large network domain

Transfer NetID bits to HostID to divide the IPs into many small groups, nut with less amount of HostIPs (Ethernet connects to around 1200 clients/PCs at a time)

We should save at least 2 bits for HostID and we'll leave only 2 IPs available (00 for server and 11 for broadcast) Note in LAN applications we need to save at least 3 bits

Case 2: too small network domain

We can use Classless Inter-Domain Routing (CIDR, 不分級IP) to develop "Supernet" The netmask length is arbitrary (VLSM)

If we have an IP like this: 192.168.1.1/18 then

- 3 supernets: 192.168.1.1/21
- 3 subnets: 192.168.1.1/15

Ethernet Protocol: CSMA/CD

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CSMA/CD(IEEE 802.3 standard):
Carrier Sense Multiple Access with Collision Detection
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card: hardware address
transition: card-to-card
=> no. == MAC (not able to modify)
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Ethernet Protocol: CSMA/CD

- 1 Carrier Sense:
 before sending packets, make sure
 nobody's using it
- 2 Multiple Access:
 all machines connected to the hub
 can reach the data => encryption
- 3 Collision Detection:

 no data sending at the same time,
 retry if collided

Ethernet Protocol: CSMA/CD

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A large packet -> a few small packets (1500B per time) in MAC format

46~1500B (64B for collision detection) (<46B, add some additional bits)

=> Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU)
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Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) 網路位址解析
&& Reverse ARP (RARP)
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=> ARP table: recording MAC
 (last for 20 minutes)

ICMP (enclosed in IP packets) 網際網路訊息控制協定 error detection/report, ensuring connection status and connection correctness

Address Resolution Protocol (ARP)

- 1 Every client will build an ARP form in ARP
 cache, recording IP and hardware address (MAC)
 (with a finite life time)
- 2 Broadcast ARP packet if IP's hardware address is NOT found in the table
- 3 If IP's hardware address is correct, take the request and save/update the ARP table and reply
- 4 Update table (server)=> start transmission
- 5 Sending end don't get ARP reply: failed

Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP)

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Main functions: (covered by HW mostly)
- server exist?
- connection; take care of router data
- redirection
- data flow control

connection status: (Type, Code)

Note. about PING in Linux
- echo-request(type8), echo-reply(type0)
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Domain Name System (DNS)

machine name to machine IP

a full set of settings to connect to Internet
IP, Netmask, Network, Broadcast, Gateway, DNS
=> only IP, Netmask, Default Gateway, DNS

If we have multiple DNS servers, then the retrieved IP is randomly chosen from one of the DNS servers=> important to synchronize all servers: Master v.s. Slave

- Master: renew by user (by hands)
- Slave: synchronization or noticing larger serial number (means newer)

Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP)

IP setups controlled by DHCP server,
taking care of DHCP request from client
=> Automatic/Dynamic allocation

Suitable for DHCP:

- a lot of mobile devices or PC in this area NOT suitable for DHCP:
- no DHCP server or few devices

DHCP should be setup along with a DNS server to efficiently recognizing all clients

UDP (User Datagram Protocol 用戶資料協定)

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no response no severe check (used with TCP)
(faster than TCP since no three-way handshake)
=> good for immediate data transfer
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(applicable when the correctness of the data is NOT of much importance, e.g. webcam or LIVE)

連接導向TCP v.s. 非連接導向UDP ensure to destination correctly

TCP headers

- * Source/Destination Port
- * Sequence Number: 封包拆裝
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- * code (control flag): 6 bits (1:on)
- URG (Urgent)
- ACK (Acknowledge) (response packet)

TCP Three-way handshake

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A. Sending packets: request for connection SYN=1(主動連線) & say, Sequence number=10001 (port>1024) B.Packet sending/transmission: provide packets with SYN=1 ack = 10001 + 1 = 10002 (for client confirmation) Server output: Sequence=20001, for example, wait for response from client
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Reference

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