

Course: Computer and Communication Networks

Topic: Backbone network and Virtual LAN

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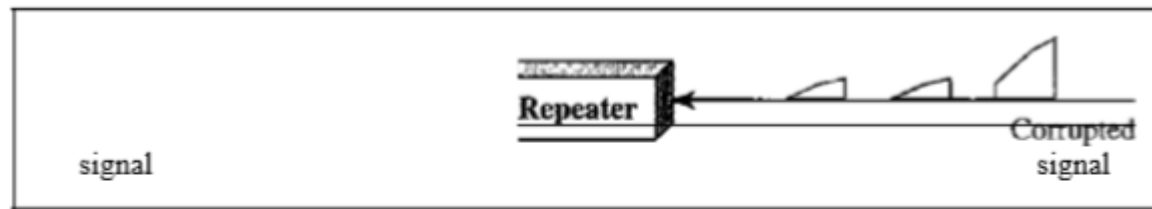
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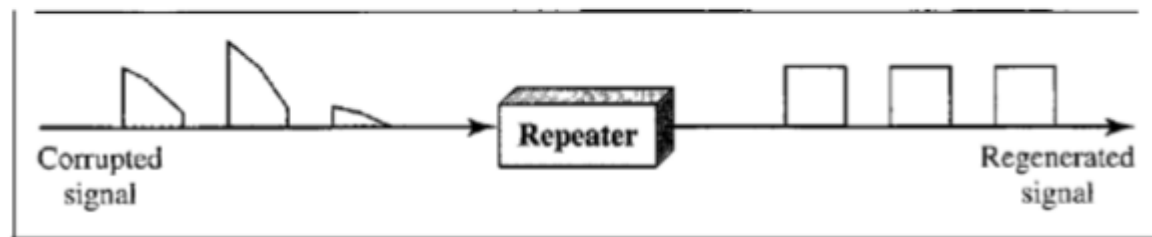


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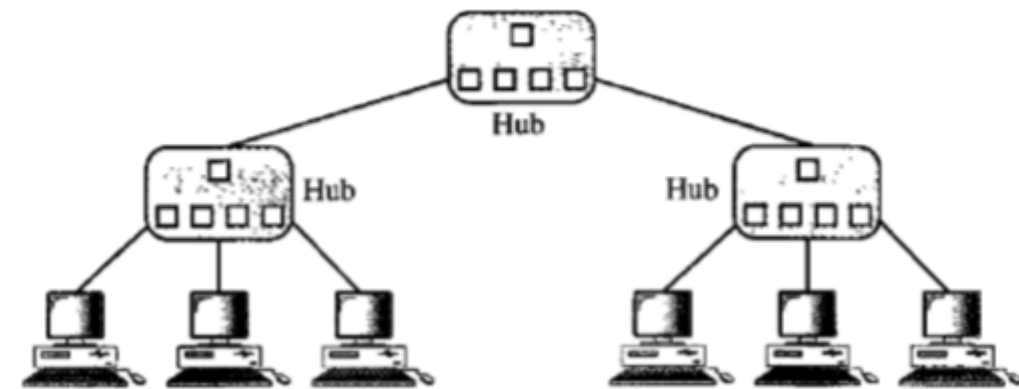
Connecting Devices



a. Right-to-left transmission.

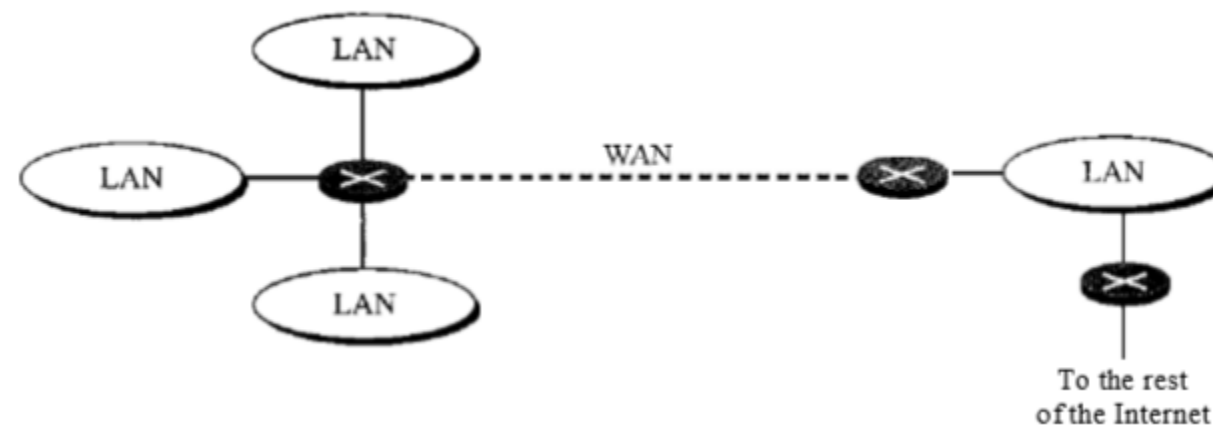


b. Left-to-right transmission.



Repeater

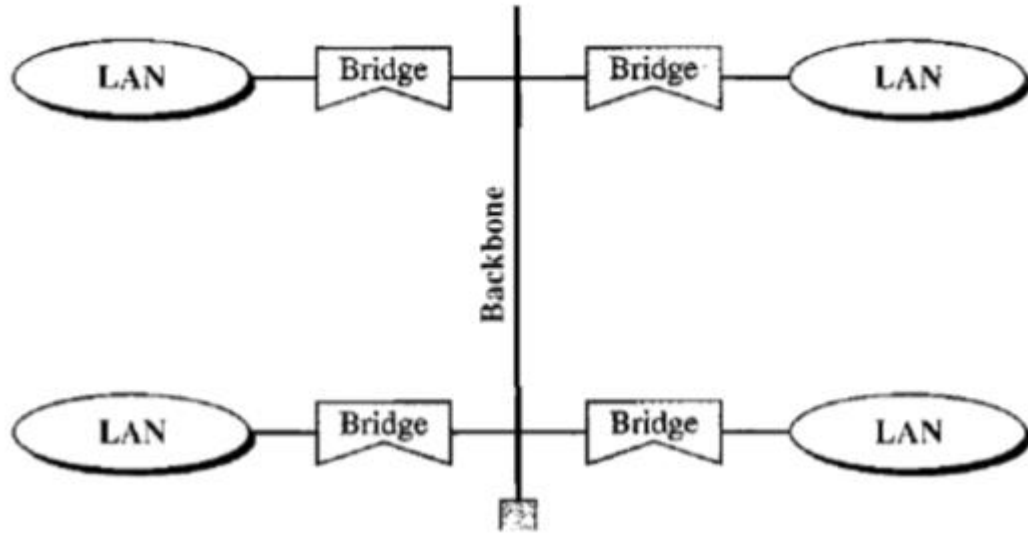
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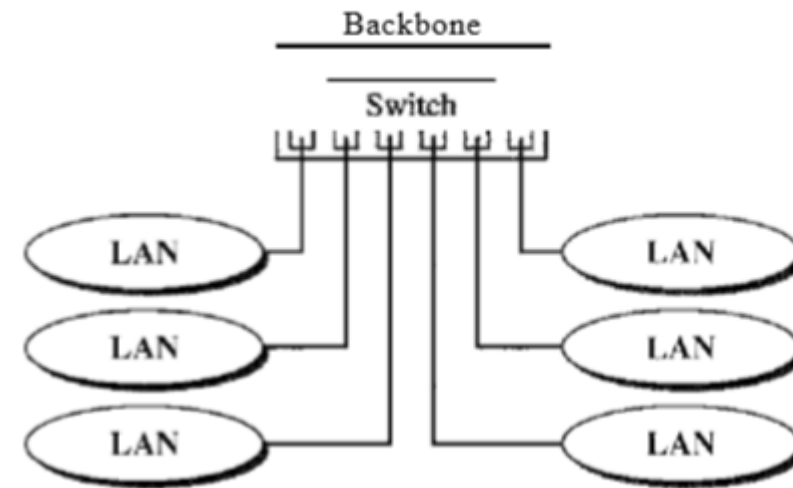
Backbone network

The backbone is just one switch



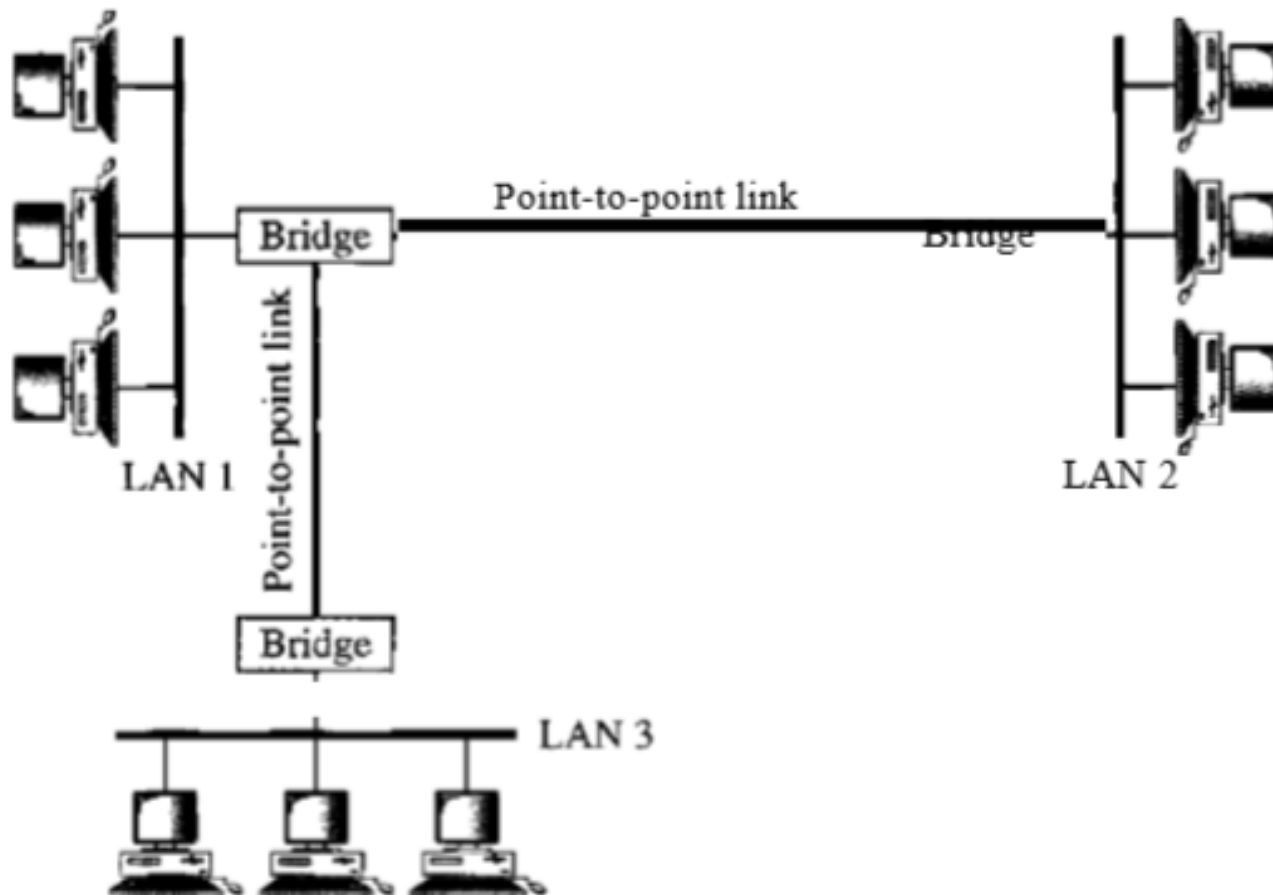
Bus Backbone

The topology of the backbone is a bus.
Which can use one of the protocols that
support a bus topology such as 10Base5
or 10Base2



Star Backbone

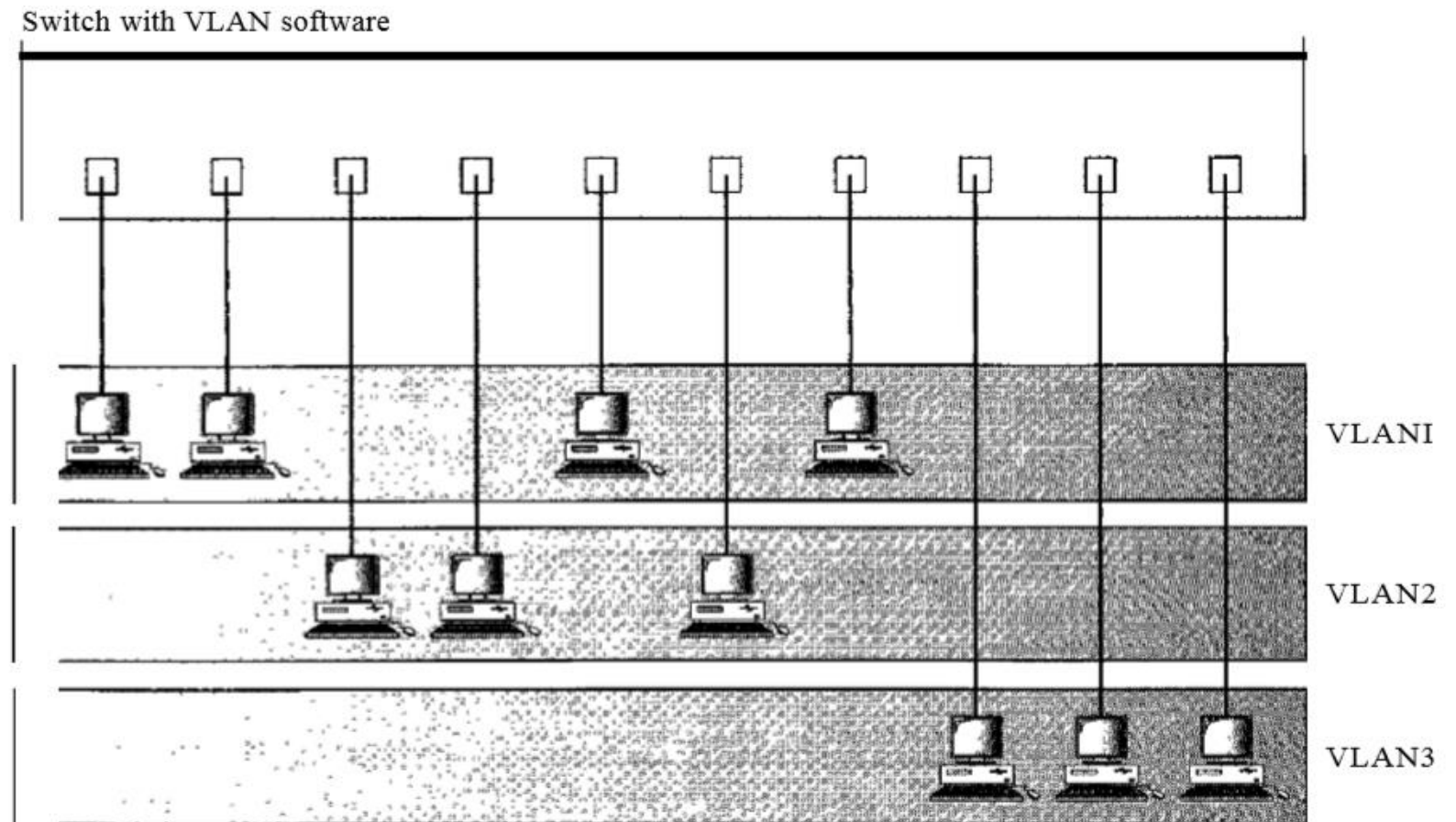
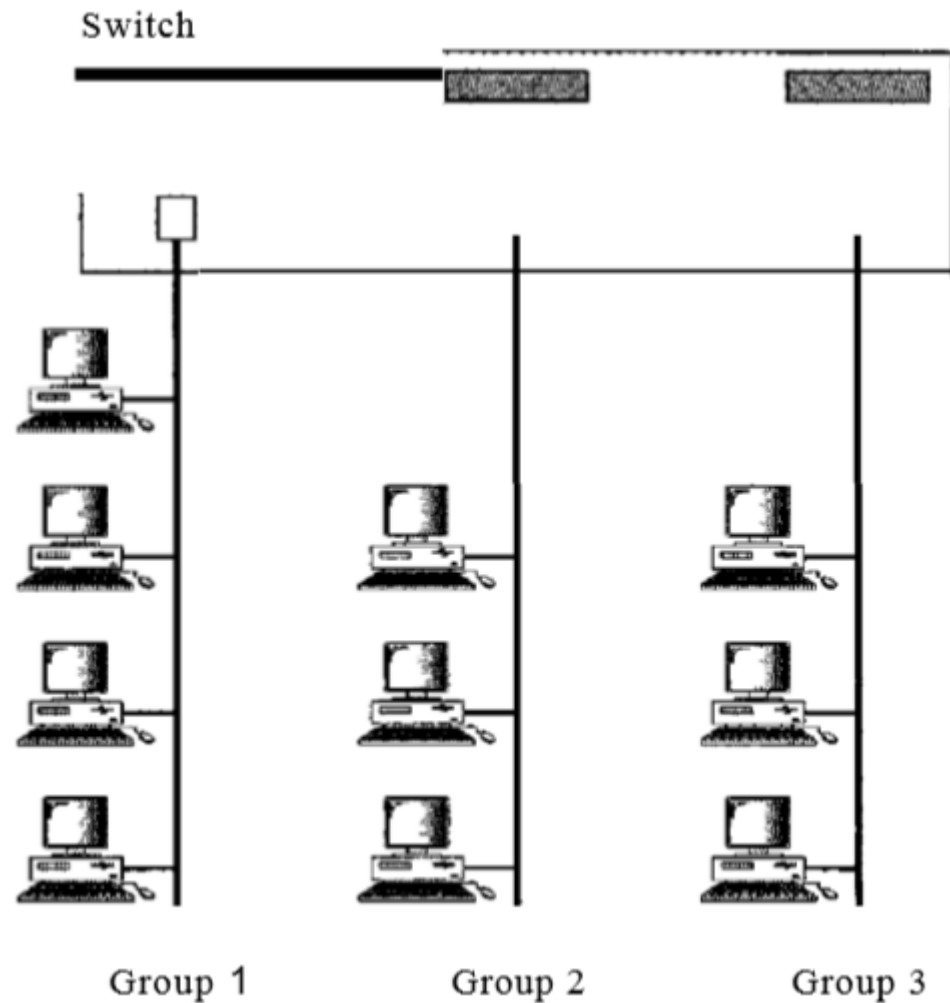
Backbone network



A point-to-point link acts as a LAN in a remote backbone connected by remote bridges.

Connecting remote LANs with bridges

Virtual LAN



A switch connecting three LANs

The whole idea of VLAN technology is to divide a LAN into logical, instead of physical, segments

Virtual LAN

