# WHAT'S A PROTOCOL?

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Definition 2

### **NETWORK PROTOCOL**

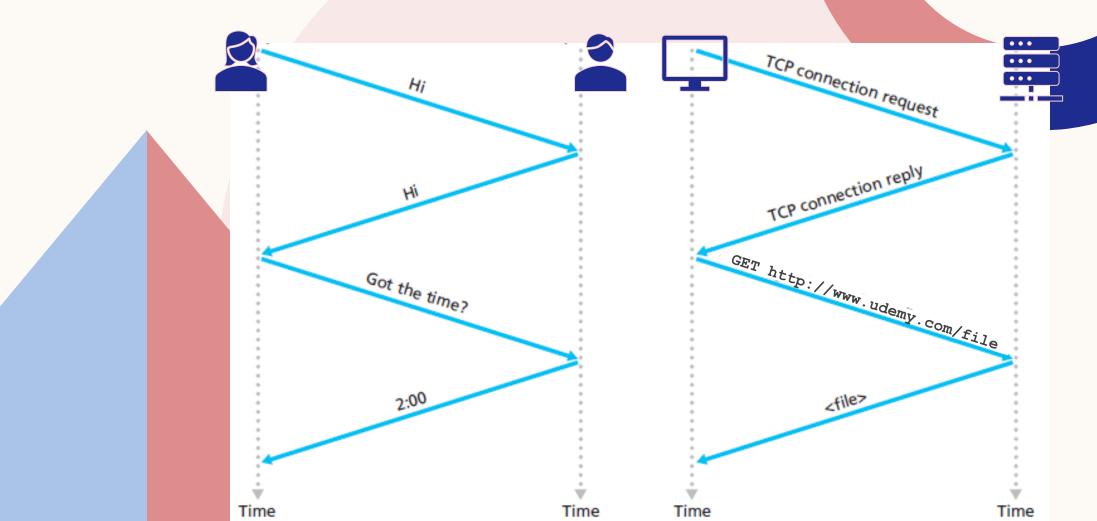
A network protocol is an established set of rules that determine how data is transmitted between different devices in a network.

## A HUMAN ANALOGY

Alice and Bob

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Alice and Bob vs. Client and Server



#### **POPULAR PROTOCOLS**

**TCP** 

HTTP

**SMTP** 

**FTP** 

**TELNET** 

a popular communication protocol which is used for communicating over a network short for Hyper Text
Transfer Protocol, the
main protocol for
website browsing.
Secure version is HTTPS
– HTTP Secure

Simple mail transport Protocol (SMTP): SMTP is designed to send and distribute outgoing E-Mail. File Transfer Protocol
(FTP): FTP allows users
to transfer files from one
machine to another.
Types of files may
include program files,
multimedia files, text
files, and documents,
etc.

The connecting process here is termed as remote login. The system which requests for connection is the local computer, and the system which accepts the connection is the remote computer

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