



Socket Programming Assignment



UDP PING AND HEARTBEAT IMPLEMENTATION



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INTRODUCTION



■ Overview

- **Purpose of the Project:** Introduce the basics of network programming.

- **Key Concepts:** Handling unreliable connections and simulating real-world network conditions.

■ Project Details

Ping Protocol: Allows a client to send data to a remote server and receive it back unchanged, helping determine round-trip times.

Server Behavior: Listens for incoming UDP packets and randomly decides whether to echo the data back or simulate packet loss artificially/explicitly .

PART-01

Implementing Client-Server pinger

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UDP PING SYSTEM - SERVER IMPLEMENTATION



■ Listen for Incoming UDP Packets:

The server continuously listens for incoming UDP packets from clients.

■ Simulate 30% Packet Loss:

To mimic real-world network conditions, the server randomly drops 30% of the incoming packets.

■ Respond with Capitalized Message:

For the packets that are not dropped, the server capitalizes the received message and sends it back to the client.

```
import random
from socket import * # Socket library

serverSocket = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM) # Create a UDP socket for the server
serverSocket.bind(('127.0.0.1', 12000)) # Set IP Add and port No of server to listen
print("Started UDP Server IP Address: 127.0.0.1 and Port: 12000") # Print string on screen
while True: # Run program forever
    rand = random.randint(1, 10) # Probability 100%
    message, address = serverSocket.recvfrom(1024)
    message = message.upper() # Convert client message to uppercase letter
    if rand < 4: # < 30% without reply message
        continue
    serverSocket.sendto(message, address) # Send the uppercase message back to the client
```

UDP PING SYSTEM - CLIENT IMPLEMENTATION



Send 10 Ping Messages

The client sends a total of 10 ping messages to the server.

Calculate RTT

For each successful ping (i.e., when a response is received), the client calculates the round-trip time (RTT).

Handle Timeouts

If no response is received within one second, the client assumes the packet was lost and handles the timeout accordingly.

```
import socket
import time
while True:
    start_key_press = input("\nPress any key to start...\n")
    print("-----")
    print("Starting Ping")
    print("-----\n")

    mysocket = socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_DGRAM) # Create a UDP socket for the client
    server_address = ('127.0.0.1', 12000) #Set
    mysocket.settimeout(1) # Sets a timeout value 1 seconds
    rtt = [] #To store the all rtt
    try:
        for i in range(1,11):
            start = time.time() # Start time send message to server
            message = 'Ping ' + str(i) + " " + time.ctime(start)
            try:
                sent = mysocket.sendto(message.encode("utf-8"), server_address)
                print("Sent " + message)
                data, server = mysocket.recvfrom(4096) # Maximum data received 4096 bytes i.e buffer size
                print("Received " + str(data))
                end = time.time()
                elapsed = end - start
                print("Time: " + str(elapsed * 1000) + " Milliseconds\n")
                rtt.append(elapsed)
            except socket.timeout:
                print("#" + str(i) + " Requested Timed out\n")
    finally:
        print("Finish ping, closing socket")
        print("-----")
        try:
            print("Statistics")
            print("Average RTT: " + str(sum(rtt) / len(rtt) * 1000) + " Milliseconds")
            print("Max RTT: " + str(max(rtt) * 1000) + " Milliseconds")
            print("Min RTT: " + str(min(rtt) * 1000) + " Milliseconds")
            print("Packet Loss: " + str((10 - len(rtt)) * 10) + "%")
            print("-----")
            mysocket.close()
        except:
            print("Server Is Down: No packets received")
            mysocket.close()
            continue
```

UDP PING SYSTEM - KEY FEATURES

Features:

- Simulates 30% packet loss.
- Calculates and displays RTT for each successful ping.
- Provides summary statistics (min, max, average RTT, packet loss rate).

Server

```
PS C:\Users\adity\Downloads\UDP Pinger> python server.py
Started UDP Server IP Address: 127.0.0.1 and Port: 12000
```

Client →

```
Sent Ping 5 Fri Sep 20 13:12:19 2024
Received b'PING 5 FRI SEP 20 13:12:19 2024'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent Ping 6 Fri Sep 20 13:12:19 2024
#6 Requested Timed out

Sent Ping 7 Fri Sep 20 13:12:20 2024
Received b'PING 7 FRI SEP 20 13:12:20 2024'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent Ping 8 Fri Sep 20 13:12:20 2024
Received b'PING 8 FRI SEP 20 13:12:20 2024'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent Ping 9 Fri Sep 20 13:12:20 2024
Received b'PING 9 FRI SEP 20 13:12:20 2024'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent Ping 10 Fri Sep 20 13:12:20 2024
Received b'PING 10 FRI SEP 20 13:12:20 2024'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Finish ping, closing socket
-----
Statistics
Average RTT: 0.22212664286295572 Milliseconds
Max RTT: 0.9996891021728516 Milliseconds
Min RTT: 0.0 Milliseconds
Packet Loss: 10%
-----
```

PART-02

Modify the client and server:
UDP Heartbeat

UDP HEARTBEAT SYSTEM - SERVER MODIFICATIONS



Calculate Time Difference

The server calculates the time difference between receiving the packet and the client's timestamp.

Send Information Back

This time difference is sent back to the client.

Send the Response

If the value of `rand < 4`, The server will drop that packet .

```
import random
from socket import * #socket Library
import time #time Library

serverSocket = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_DGRAM) # Create a UDP socket for the server
serverSocket.bind(('127.0.0.1', 12000)) # IP and Port no of Server to listen
print("Started UDP Server IP Address: 127.0.0.1 and Port: 12000") # Print string on screen

while True: # Run program forever
    rand = random.randint(1, 10) # random number between 0 and 10
    message, address = serverSocket.recvfrom(1024)
    recv_time = time.time() # Record the time the message was received
    if rand < 4: # < 30% without reply message
        continue
    seq_num, timestamp = message.decode().split()
    timestamp = float(timestamp)
    time_diff = recv_time - timestamp
    response_message = f'{seq_num} {time_diff}'
    serverSocket.sendto(response_message.encode(), address) # Send the time difference back
```

UDP HEARTBEAT SYSTEM - CLIENT MODIFICATIONS

Send Heartbeat Messages

The client sends up to 1000 heartbeat messages to the server.

Detect Server Downtime

The client detects server downtime after 3 consecutive missed responses.

Provide Detailed Statistics

The client provides detailed statistics, including packet loss rate and round-trip time (RTT).

```
import socket
import time # Import time library

consecutive_misses = 0 # Track consecutive missing responses
max_misses = 3 # Maximum allowed consecutive misses

while True:
    start_key_press = input("\nPress any key to start...")

    print("-----")
    print("Starting Heartbeat")
    print("-----\n")

    mysocket = socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_DGRAM) # Create a UDP socket for the client
    server_address = ('127.0.0.1', 12000) # Set IP Address and Port Number of Socket
    mysocket.settimeout(1) # Sets a timeout value 1 seconds
    rtt = [] # Create an empty list to store round trip time
    try: # Infinite loop to continuously send messages to the server
        for i in range(1000): # Adjust the range as needed
            start = time.time() # Start time send message to server
            message = f"{i} {start}"
            try:
                sent = mysocket.sendto(message.encode("utf-8"), server_address)
                print("Sent " + message)
                data, server = mysocket.recvfrom(4096) # Maximum data received 4096 bytes i.e buffer
                print("Received " + str(data))
                end = time.time()
                elapsed = end - start
                print("Time: " + str(elapsed * 1000) + " Milliseconds\n")
                rtt.append(elapsed)
                consecutive_misses = 0 # Reset consecutive misses on successful response
            except socket.timeout:
                print("#" + str(i) + " Requested Timed out\n")
                consecutive_misses += 1
                if consecutive_misses >= max_misses:
                    print("Server is assumed to be down after 3 consecutive misses.")
                    break
    finally:
        print("Finish heartbeat, closing socket")
        print("-----")
        print("Statistics")
        if rtt:
            print("Average RTT: " + str(sum(rtt) / len(rtt) * 1000) + " Milliseconds")
            print("Max RTT: " + str(max(rtt) * 1000) + " Milliseconds")
            print("Min RTT: " + str(min(rtt) * 1000) + " Milliseconds")
            print("Packet Loss: " + str((1000 - len(rtt)) * 100 / 1000) + "%")
            print("-----")
            mysocket.close()
```

UDP HEARTBEAT SYSTEM - KEY FEATURES



Features:

- Simulates 30% packet loss.
- Identifies server downtime after 3 consecutive missed responses.
- Provides summary statistics (min, max, average RTT, packet loss rate).
- The server calculates and reports the time difference between receiving the packet and the client's timestamp.

Server

```
PS C:\Users\adity\Downloads\UDP Pinger\part2> python server2.py
Started UDP Server IP Address: 127.0.0.1 and Port: 12000
```

Client →

```
Sent 43 1726820517.3813171
#43 Requested Timed out

Sent 44 1726820518.3919091
Received b'44 0.0'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent 45 1726820518.3929527
Received b'45 0.0'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent 46 1726820518.3939083
Received b'46 0.0'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent 47 1726820518.3939083
Received b'47 0.0'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent 48 1726820518.3939083
#48 Requested Timed out

Sent 49 1726820519.4032137
#49 Requested Timed out

Sent 50 1726820520.4138696
#50 Requested Timed out

Server is assumed to be down after 3 consecutive misses.
Finish heartbeat, closing socket
-----
Statistics
Average RTT: 0.2472996711730957 Milliseconds
Max RTT: 1.0364055633544922 Milliseconds
Min RTT: 0.0 Milliseconds
Packet Loss: 96.4%
```

WHY WE CHOOSE 1000 ITERATIONS ?



■ Bernoulli Trial Model:

Success (Packet Received) Probability: ($p = 0.7$)

Failure (Packet Lost) Probability: ($q = 1 - p = 0.3$)

■ Recurrence Relation: $E_n = \frac{2}{p}E_{n-1} + \frac{1}{p}$

■ Probability of one instance of 3 consecutive failure in Different Sample Sizes

For 10 Requests : 2.7%

For 100 Requests :
79.03%

For 1000
Requests:99.99%

Expected Value = 174 pings

Running On Different System



Troubleshooting and Solutions

■ Network Connection

Difficulty in pinging the server. So, We Connected server and client to the same network.

■ Firewall Configuration

Server port not open for UDP traffic. So, Added CN_port with UDP and port number 12000 in the firewall and opened it to listen.

■ Success

Server became available to ping successfully

Network Connection

Firewall Configuration

Success

Running On Different System

Q1 - Pinger

The screenshot shows a terminal window with the following content:

```
server1.py client2.py < server2.py
part2 > client2.py > ...
9 consecutive_misses = 0 # Track consecutive missing responses
10 max_misses = 5 # Maximum allowed consecutive misses
11
12 while True:
13     start_key_press = input("\nPress any key to start...")
14
15     print("-" * 40)
16     print("Starting Heartbeat")
17     print("-" * 40 + "\n")
```

Below the code, the terminal tabs are visible: PROBLEMS, OUTPUT, DEBUG CONSOLE, TERMINAL (which is selected), SQL CONSOLE, and COMMENTS.

In the terminal pane, the command PS C:\Users\abhaydagar\OneDrive\Desktop\CN Assignment> & C:/Users/abhaydagar/OneDrive/Desktop/CN Assignment/part2/server2.p
.11.exe "c:/Users/abhaydagar/OneDrive/Desktop/CN Assignment/part2/server2.p
Started UDP Server IP Address: 192.168.40.238 and Port: 12000 is run, followed by a blank line.

```
File Edit Selection View Go Run ...
Explorer (Ctrl+Shift+E) DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS POLYGLOT NOTEBOOK COM

Sent 19 1726824881.0026543
Received b'19 -2.5680248737335205'
Time: 17.786502838134766 Milliseconds

Sent 20 1726824881.0204408
Received b'20 -2.57106351852417'
Time: 22.707462310791016 Milliseconds

Sent 21 1726824881.0431483
Received b'21 -2.569854736328125'
Time: 23.543357849121094 Milliseconds

Sent 22 1726824881.0666916
#22 Requested Timed out

Sent 23 1726824882.0795221
#23 Requested Timed out

Sent 24 1726824883.0896091
#24 Requested Timed out

Server is assumed to be down after 3 consecutive misses.
Finish heartbeat, closing socket
-----
Statistics
Average RTT: 16.215955509858972 Milliseconds
Max RTT: 29.31976318359375 Milliseconds
Min RTT: 0.0 Milliseconds
Packet Loss: 98.3%
-----
Press any key to start... █
⊗ 0 △ 0 ⌂ 0
```

Q2 - HeartBeat

```
server1.py
part1 > server1.py > ...
    import random
PROBLEMS   OUTPUT   DEBUG CONSOLE   TERMINAL   SQL CONSOLE   COMMENTS
> < TERMINAL
○ PS C:\Users\abhaydagar\OneDrive\Desktop\CN Assignment & C:/Users/abhaydagar/OneDrive/Desktop/CN Assignment/part1/part1.exe "c:/Users/abhaydagar/OneDrive/Desktop/CN Assignment/part1/part1.py"
Started UDP Server IP Address: 192.168.40.238 and Port: 12000
```

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File Edit Selection View Go Run ... PROBLEMS OUTPUT DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS POLYGLOT NOTEBOOK COMMENTS

PS C:\Users\adity\Desktop\CN Assignment> python -u "c:\Users\adity\Desktop\CN Assignment\part1\client1.py"
Press any key to start...
-----
Starting Ping
-----
Sent Ping 1 Fri Sep 20 15:01:01 2024
Received b'PING 1 FRI SEP 20 15:01:01 2024'
Time: 7.605314254760742 Milliseconds

Sent Ping 2 Fri Sep 20 15:01:01 2024
#1 Requested Timed out

Sent Ping 3 Fri Sep 20 15:01:02 2024
Received b'PING 3 FRI SEP 20 15:01:02 2024'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent Ping 4 Fri Sep 20 15:01:02 2024
Received b'PING 4 FRI SEP 20 15:01:02 2024'
Time: 0.0 Milliseconds

Sent Ping 5 Fri Sep 20 15:01:02 2024
#4 Requested Timed out

Sent Ping 6 Fri Sep 20 15:01:03 2024
Received b'PING 6 FRI SEP 20 15:01:03 2024'
Time: 16.146421432495117 Milliseconds

Sent Ping 7 Fri Sep 20 15:01:03 2024
#6 Requested Timed out
```

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION

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