

Data Communication Basics

→ Stallings Ch 3 & 4

Assume :-

⇒ Full Duplex

⇒ Digital Data

Attenuation :-

Transmitted Power = P_t Watts

Received Power = P_r —————

attenuation in dB is $10 \log \left(\frac{P_t}{P_r} \right)$

Noise :-

→ Thermal Noise will always be there but it is very predictable (White Noise)

→ Crosstalk : Design with distance

→ Impulse : Not predictable (like lightning rod)
Try to minimize the effect
Use metal shield and connect to ground (high cost)

SNR :-

$$SNR (\text{in dB}) = 10 \log \left(\frac{S}{N} \right)$$

Analog :- Use optical wire

Repeater :- Knows signal data is digital

Data vs Signal

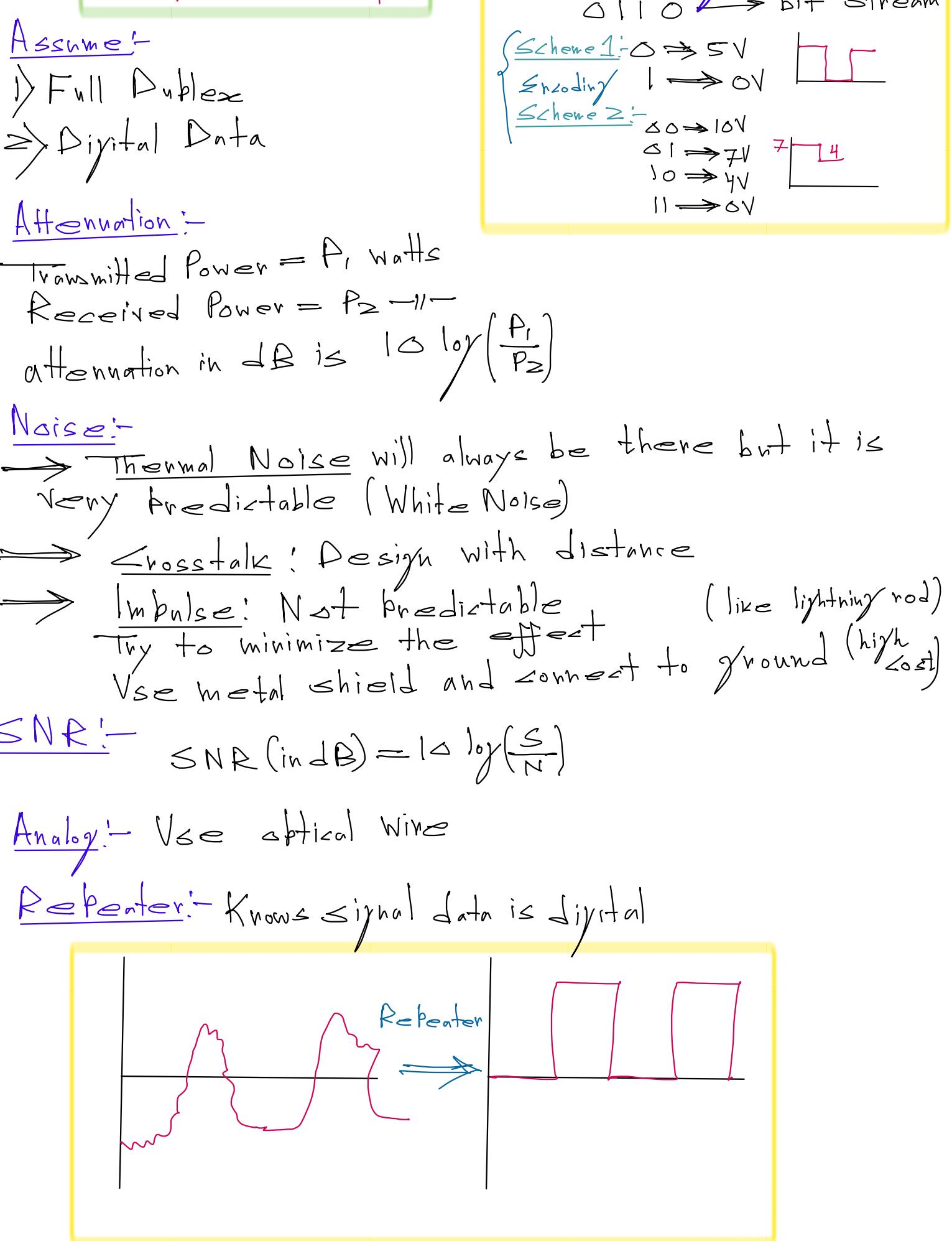
0 1 1 0 → bit stream

{ Scheme 1 :- 0 → 5V
Encoding / 1 → 0V



Scheme 2 :-

0 → 10V
1 → 7V
10 → 4V
11 → 0V

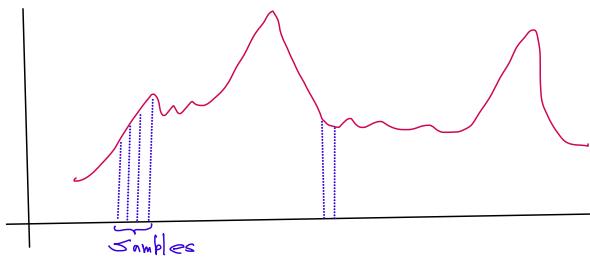


Where is data generated?

— digital data: doc file, email

— Analog data: audio

→ Comp N/W's nowadays carry only digital data



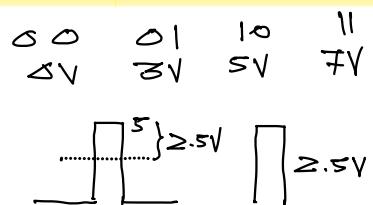
Each sample = 1 value in a continuous range encode each sample in K-bits

Send the bit pattern for each values.

Q. What is a good sampling rate?

→ Nyquist Sampling Theorem $\geq 2f$

$\leq 2B \log_2 M$ bits/sec



Shannon's Law

$\leq B \log_2 \left(1 + \frac{S}{N}\right)$ $\star \frac{S}{N}$ is not in dB

Transmission Medium

Twisted Pair, Optical Fibers.

Data transfer b/w two machines

Synchronization

Framing

Synchronous Transmission

0-5V
1-5V Suppose

0101 → [] [] [] no problem

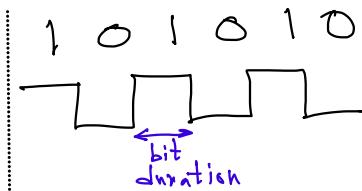
0000 → [] [] [] problem

1111 → [] [] [] problem

Bad encoding

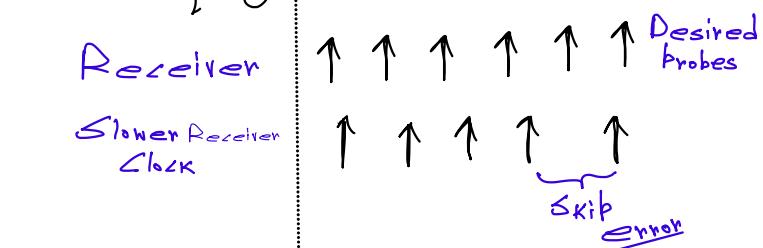
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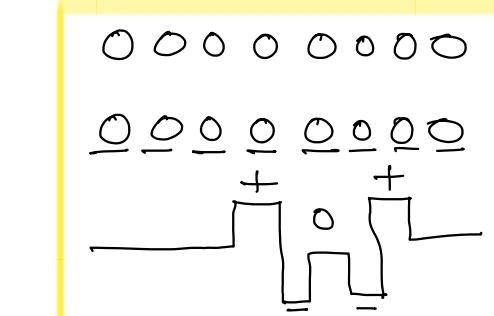
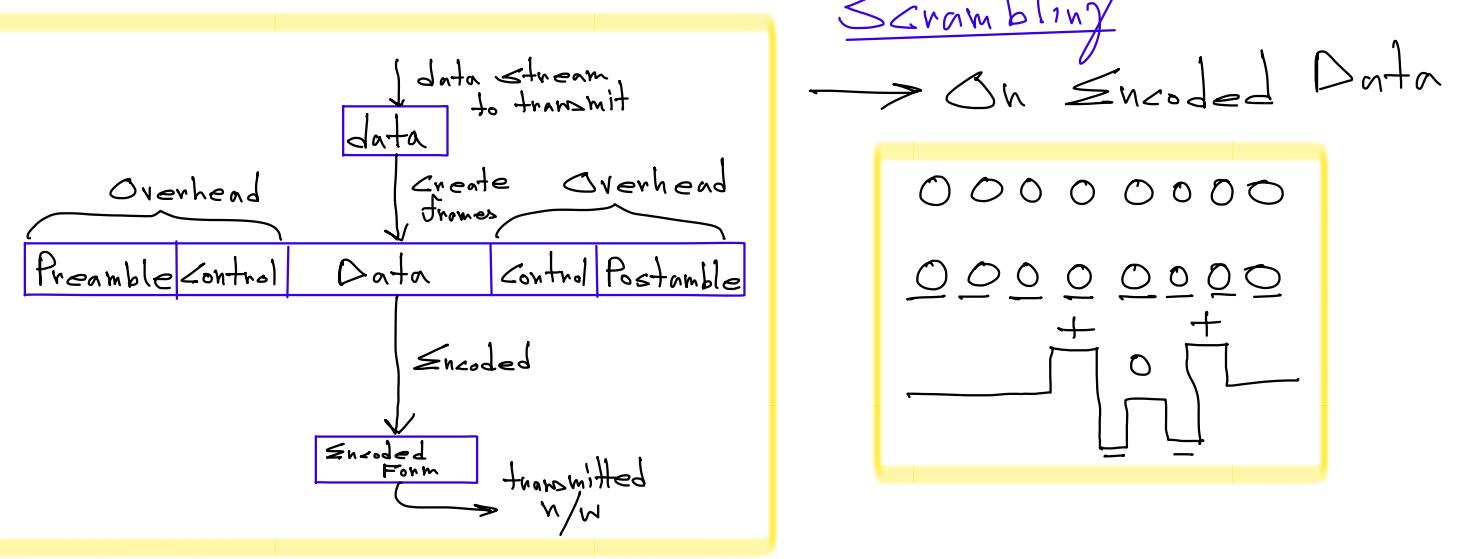
Data
Signal
 $t=0$



Receiver

Slower Receiver
Clock



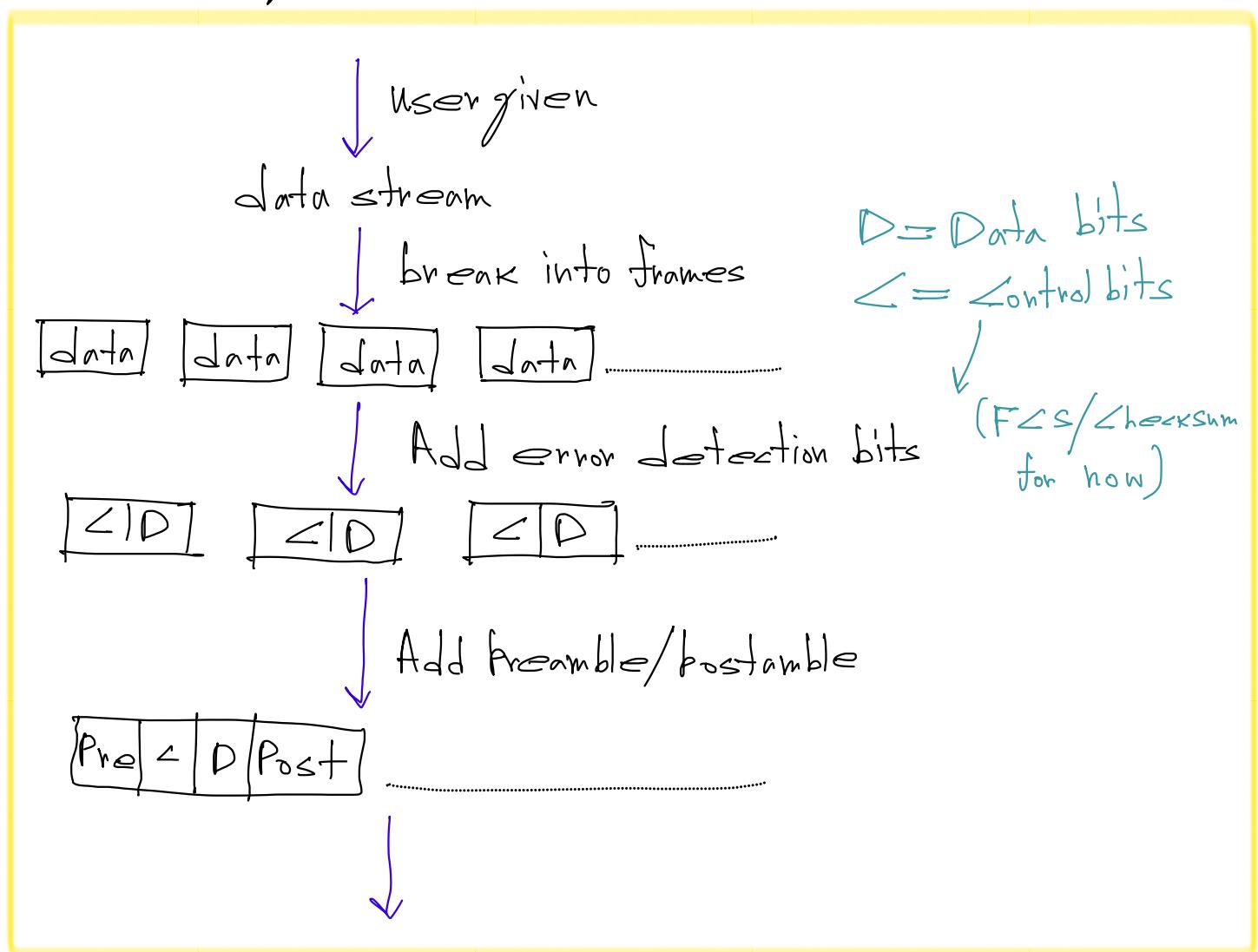


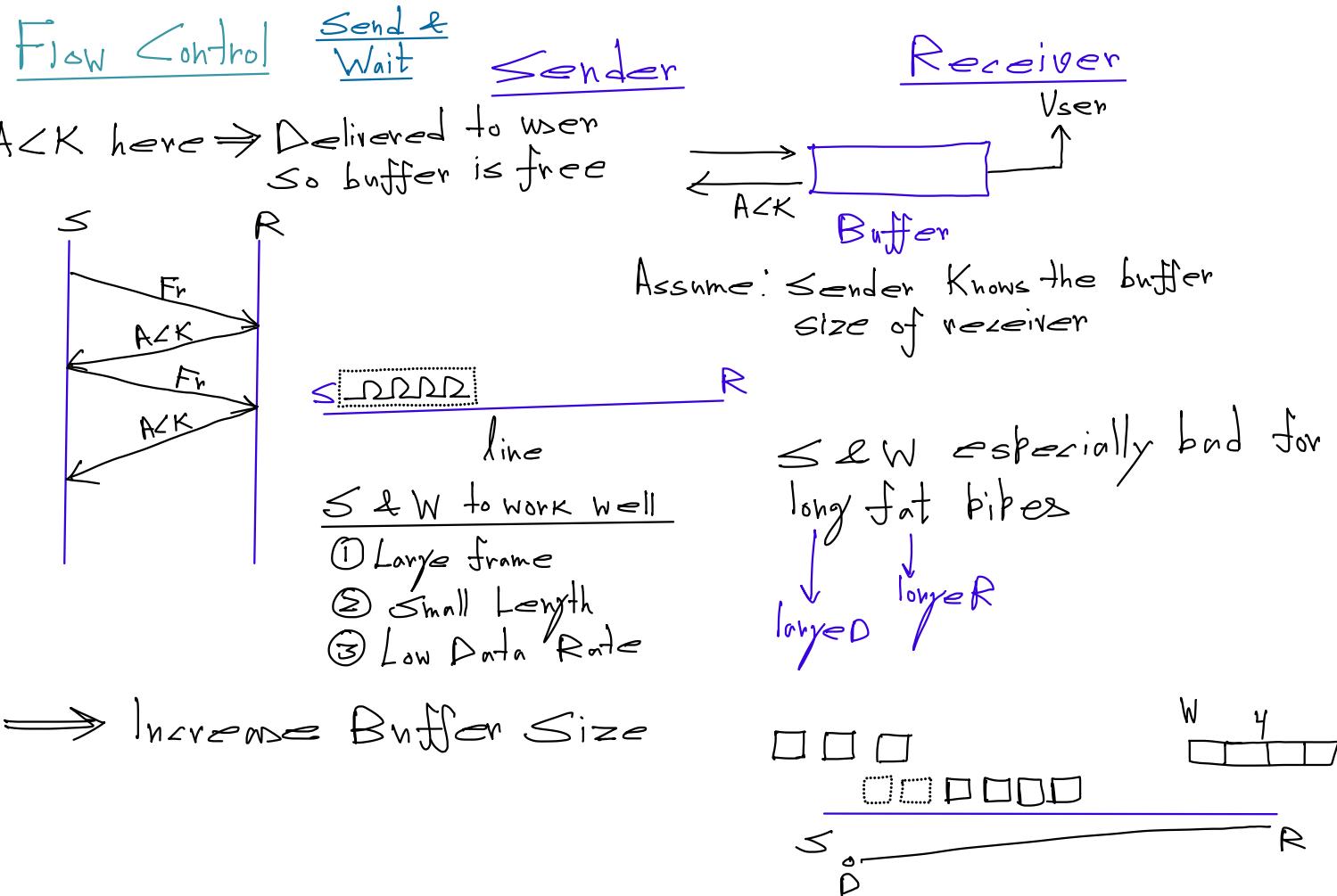
Preamble:-

- Indicate start of frame
- Synchronize the clock.
- Stop bit used to forcibly bring back to idle voltage.

Error Detection

→ Error detecting bits but in control





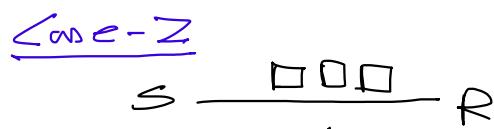
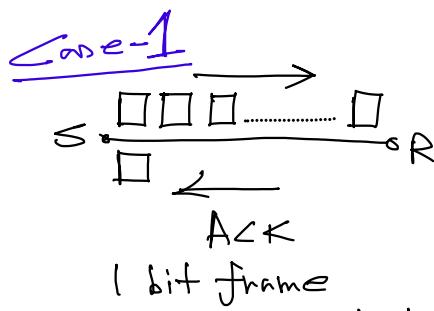
Sliding Window:

Window size = no of frames that can be sent without receiving ACK.

Assumptions so far:-

① No Error

Line utilization:



W runs out before 1 RTT

$$\text{link utilization} = W \times \text{link utilization of S\&W}$$

$$= \frac{W \times L}{(\frac{L}{R} + \frac{2P}{V})R}$$

W here = # of frames that can be sent out in 1 RTT
Link utilization = 1

Error Control:

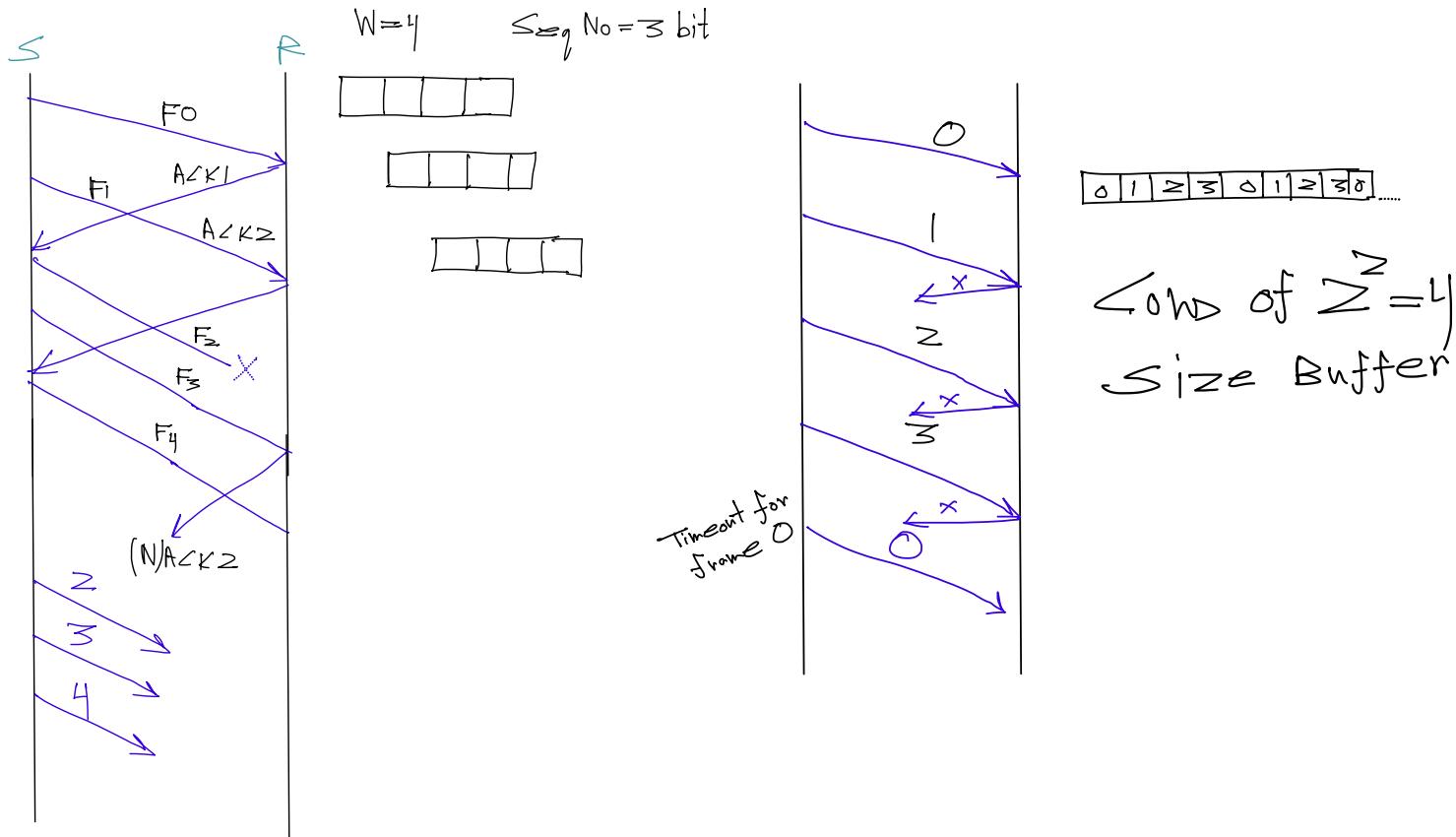
Line utilization of S&W ARQ

$$= \frac{\text{line utilization of S\&W with no error}}{\text{Expected no of transmission per frame}} = (1-p) \text{ lineout of S\&W}$$

Suppose p = prob that a frame will be lost/damaged

$$\text{Expected \# of transmission} = (1-p) \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} i p^i = \frac{1}{(1-p)}$$

Go-back-N-ARQ :



Q) When should the receiver send an ACK?

- On Receipt
- or
- On Delivery to user

It depends!!

Flow Control:-

Purpose of ACK = Indicate Buffer availability

So, we sent ACK on delivery to user

Error Control:-

Purpose of ACK = indicate frame is received correctly at receiver

So, should ACK on receipt (before delivery even)

But then what about buffer?
— Send additional info with Buffer info

Go-back-N Wait to receive a msg

Receiver:-

On receive of a frame X

Case-I:- X is heat expected frame. Send ACK X+1
Update heat frame to expect

Case-II:- X is not the expected frame. Drop X. Send NACK X
Okay to not send

Sender:- Send initial frame after window. Wait to receive a frame. Or receipt of frame.

Case I:- frame is ACK X.

Move window. Send new frame if applicable

Case II:- frame is NACK X.

Send X & all frames sent after X

On timeout, Resend Y & all frames after Y

Data Frame

header	seq	<CRC	Data

ACK Frame

header	data
type	<CRC> Seq No

Assumption:-

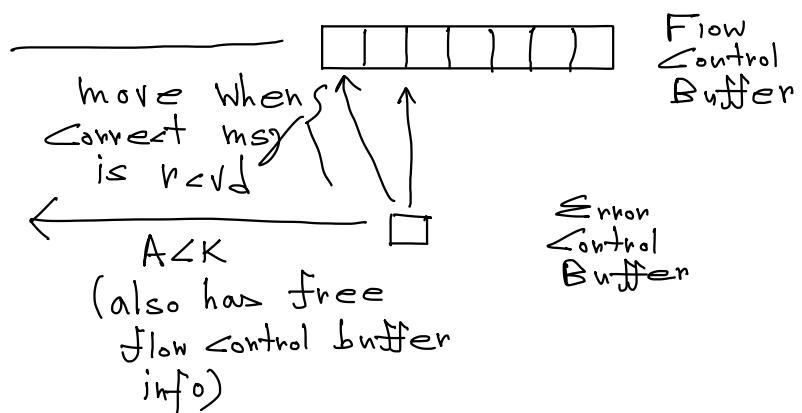
Error Control:- ACK sent when receiver receives it
(So how to handle flow control with error control?)

Ex:- Go-back-N

Sender:-

Send Window

= min (Go-back-N
Window
for buffer at
receiver)



Scenarios:-

ACK > Buff=0. When buffer available send ACK > Buff=1

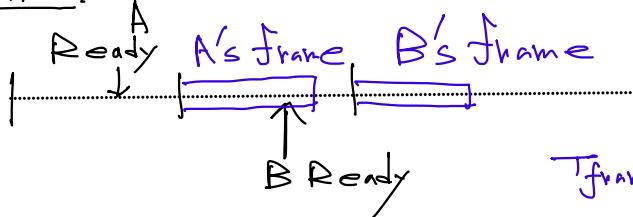
Transmission through Shared Medium

Multiplexing:— FDM, TDM, WDM

Contention Based Protocols:

ALOHA:

Time :-

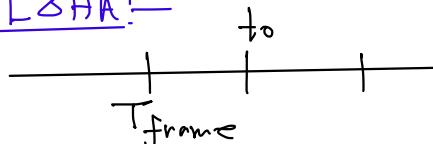


Vulnerable Time:

Time duration in which another frame transmission will cause a collision.

Say, a is transmitting a frame starting from to
 $T_{frame} = \text{Time for transmission of 1 frame}$

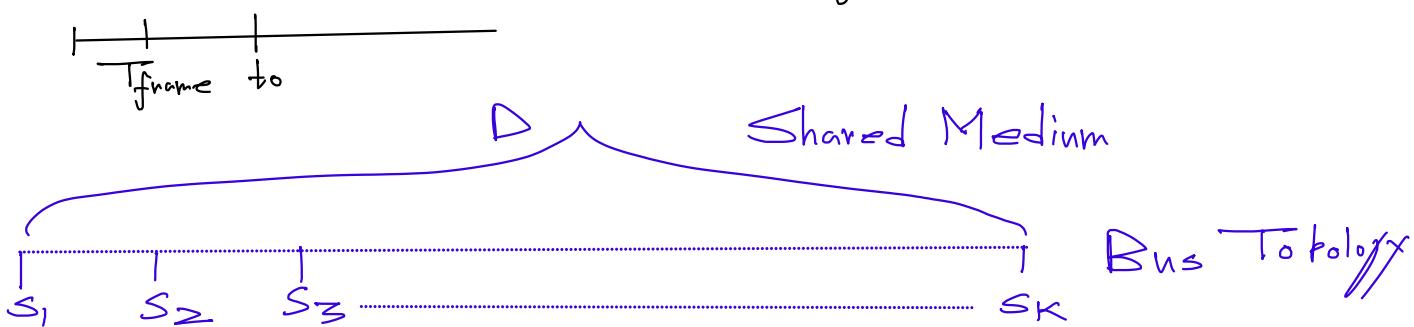
ALOHA:



$$\text{Vulnerable Time} = \geq T_{frame}$$

SLOTTED ALOHA:

$$V.\text{Time} = T_{frame}$$

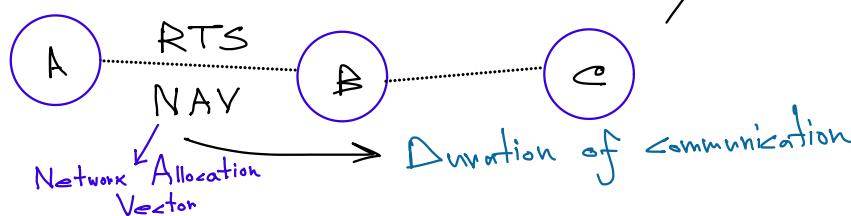


S_1, \dots, S_k furthest station

Q.) Network with multiple nodes. Identify destination from source

- ⇒ Send a packet looking for the destination of the form ($\geq i$, timeout) to neighbours
- ⇒ Every receiver of it reduces the value by 1. If 0, then don't retransmit.
- ⇒ Try with $j=0, 1, 2, \dots$ Expanding Horizon

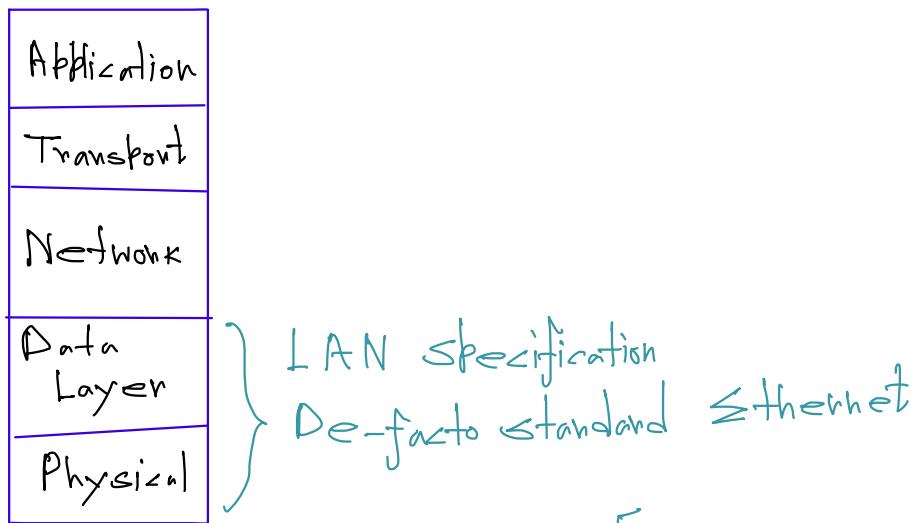
Collision Avoidance:— IFS → Encode Priority



Header → Source | Destination (RTS) <T>

Data Layering:- ➤ Ensure Reliable communication

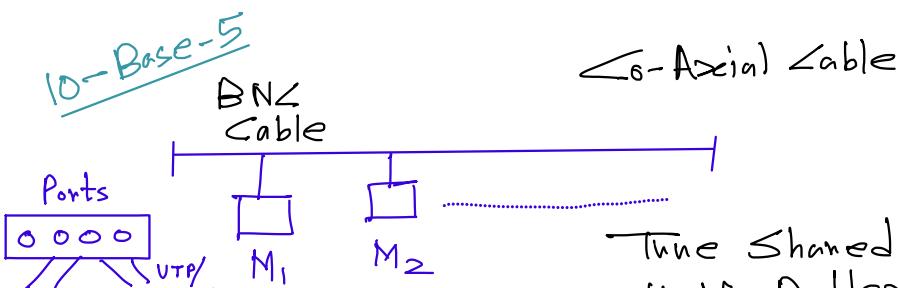
TCP/IP Stack:-



First Ethernet

Next! 10-BASE-3

Hubs! Basically a repeater with / Added features



Co-Axial Cable

True Shared Half-Duplex
<SMA/CD>
Exactly as studied

Physical Layer Devices

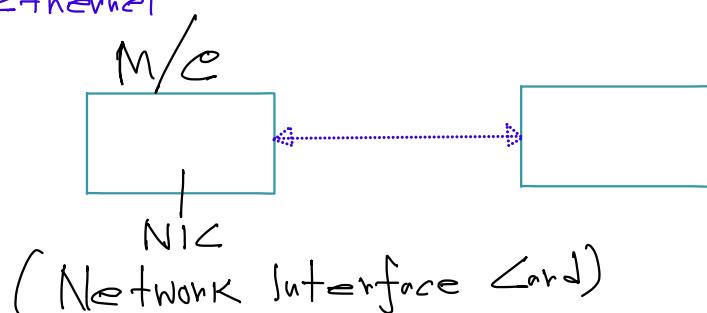
⇒ Will receive a signal on one port, amplify it & send to all other ports (broadcast)
⇒ Collision Detection at hub

Frame Format:-

Ethernet

1010... - 10101011 → Start of Data

Each Ethernet NIC has a MAC Address.



IP → DA, SA