#### ADDRESS RESOLUTION PROTOCOL (ARP)

Simulate ARP using socket programming.

## **Server should perform the following:**

- 1. Consider the server as a host or a router.
- 2. Enter hosts/routers' IP address and MAC address.
- 3. Listen for any number of client (for broadcasting purpose)
- 4. Enter the packet details received from a host or its own packet to sent to a destination.

The details are:

- i. Source IP address
- ii. Source MAC address
- iii. Destination IP address
- iv. 16 bit data
- 5. Develop an ARP Request packet which is to be broadcasted to all clients. Query packet should contain

SourceIP | SourceMAC | DestinationIP

6. When an ARP Reply is received with the Destination MAC address, send the packet to the corresponding destination with format

SourceIP | SourceMAC | DestinationIP|Destination MAC Address|16 bit data

7. Also check the validity of IP and MAC address.

### **Client should do the following:**

- 1. Can have any number of clients(depends on the backlog). A single program is enough for any number of clients.
- 2. Enter the clients own IP and MAC.
- 3. When an ARP Request packet is received check whether the Destination IP is its own IP.
- 4. If not no reply.
- 5. If yes respond with ARP Reply packet.

SourceIP | SourceMAC | DestinationIP | DestinationMAC

6. Then receive the packet from the server and display it.

## **Sample Input and Output**

#### <u>Server</u>

Enter the details of packet received.

Destination IP :155.157.65.128

Source IP :123.128.34.56

Source MAC :AF-45-E5-00-97-12

16 bit data :1011110000101010

Developing ARP Request packet

123.128.34.56 | AF-45-E5-00-97-12 | 155.157.65.128

The ARP Request packet is broadcasted.

Waiting for ARP Reply...

ARP Reply received 123.128.34.56 | AF-45-E5-00-97-12 |

155.157.65.128| 45-DA-62-21-1A-B2

Sending the packet to : 45-DA-62-21-1A-B2

Packet Sent: 123.128.34.56 | AF-45-E5-00-97-12 |

155.157.65.128 | 45-DA-62-21-1A-B2 | 011110000101010

Client 1

Enter the IP address : 165.43.158.158

Enter the Mac address : 09-DF-90-26-6C-09

ARP Request Received : 123.128.34.56 | AF-45-E5-00-97-12 | 155.157.65.128

IP address does not match.

Client 2

Enter the IP address : 155.157.65.128

Enter the Mac address : 45-DA-62-21-1A-B2

ARP Request Received : 123.128.34.56 | AF-45-E5-00-97-12 | 155.157.65.128

IP address matches

ARP Reply Sent : 123.128.34.56 | AF-45-E5-00-97-12 |

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155.157.65.128| 45-DA-62-21-1A-B2

Received Packet is : 123.128.34.56 | AF-45-E5-00-97-12 |

155.157.65.128| 45-DA-62-21-1A-B2 | 011110000101010

# Client 3

Enter the IP address : 15.143.158.18

Enter the Mac address : 19-0F-01-63-C7-D4

ARP Request Received : 123.128.34.56 | AF-45-E5-00-97-12 | 155.157.65.128

IP address does not match.

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