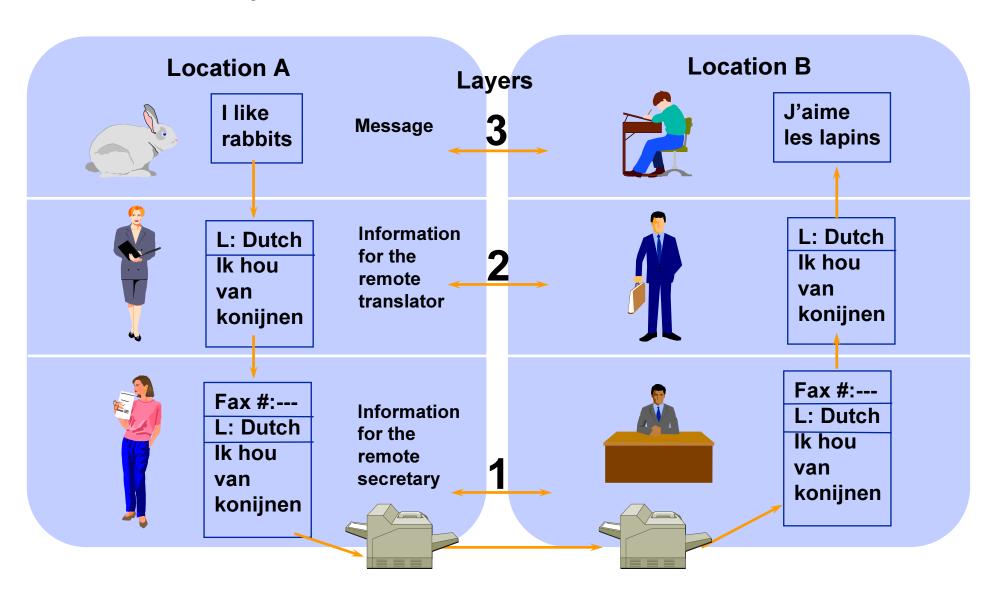
OSI Reference Model

Layered Communication



Why a Layered Network Model?

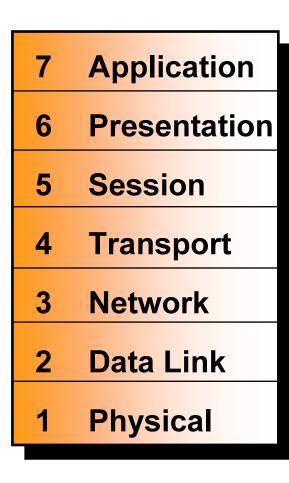
Application Presentation Session **Transport** Network **Data Link Physical**

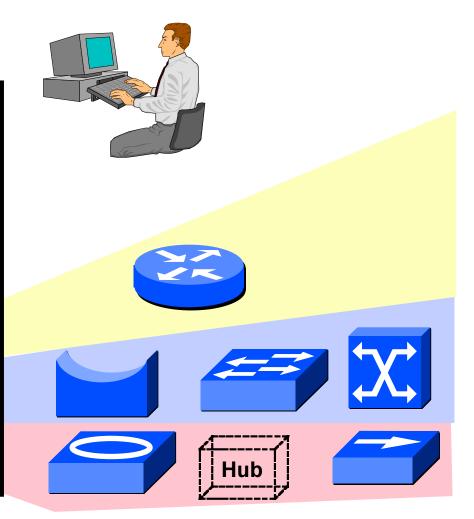
- Reduces complexity (one big problem to seven smaller ones)
- Standardizes interfaces
- Facilitates modular engineering
- Assures interoperable technology
- Accelerates evolution
- Simplifies teaching and learning

Devices Function at Layers

NIC Card







Host Layers

Application

Presentation

Session

Transport

Network

Data Link

Physical

Host layers: Provide accurate data delivery between computers

Role of Application Layers

		Examples
Application	• User interface	FTP
Presentation	How data is presentedSpecial processing such as encryption	ASCII EBCDIC JPEG
Session	 Keeping different applications' data separate 	Operating System/ Application Access Scheduling
Transport		_
Network		
Data-Link		
Physical		6

Media Layers

Application

Presentation

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Data Link

Physical

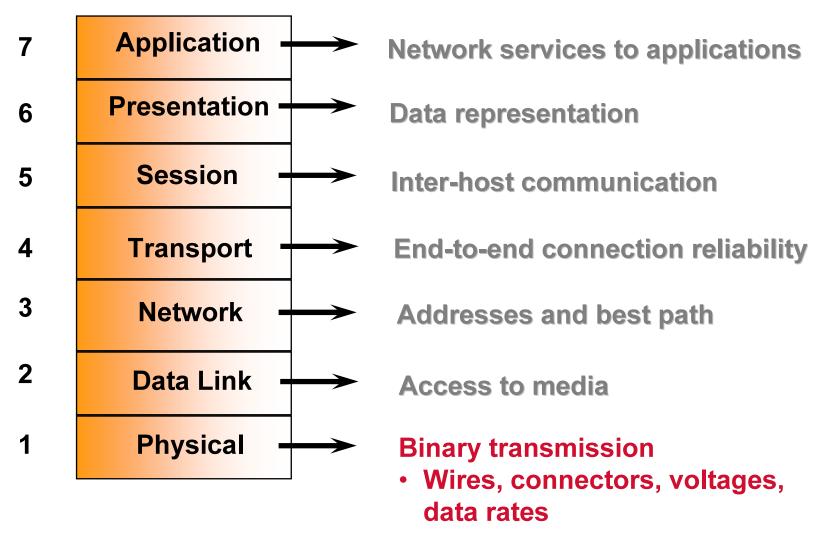
Host layers: Provide accurate data delivery between computers

Media layers: Control physical delivery of messages over the network

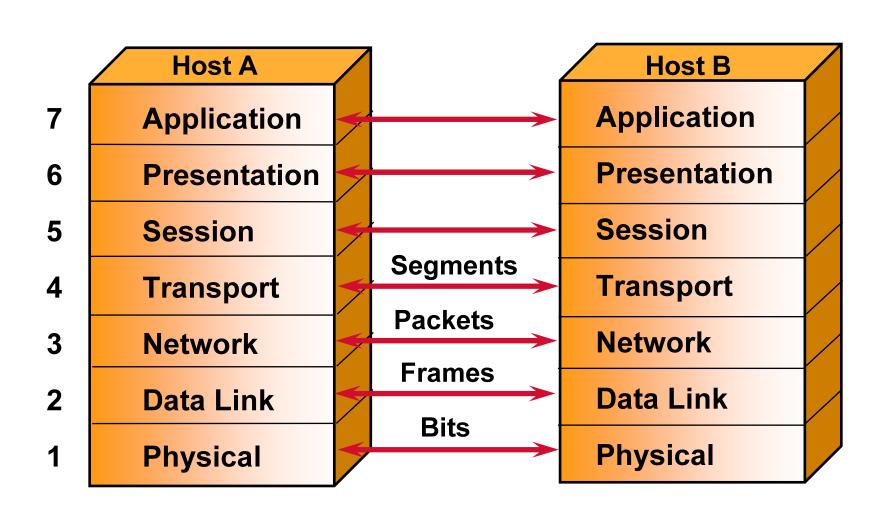
Role of Data Flow Layers

Application		
Presentation		F
Session		Examples ———
Transport	 Reliable or unreliable delivery Error correction before retransmit 	TCP ➤ UDP SPX
Network	Provide logical addressing that routers use for path determination	> IP IPX
Data-Link	 Combines bits into bytes and bytes into frames Access to media using MAC address Error detection, not correction 	> 802.3/802.2 HDLC
Physical	 Move bits between devices Specifies voltage, wire speed, and pinout cables 	➤ EIA/TIA-232 V.35 8

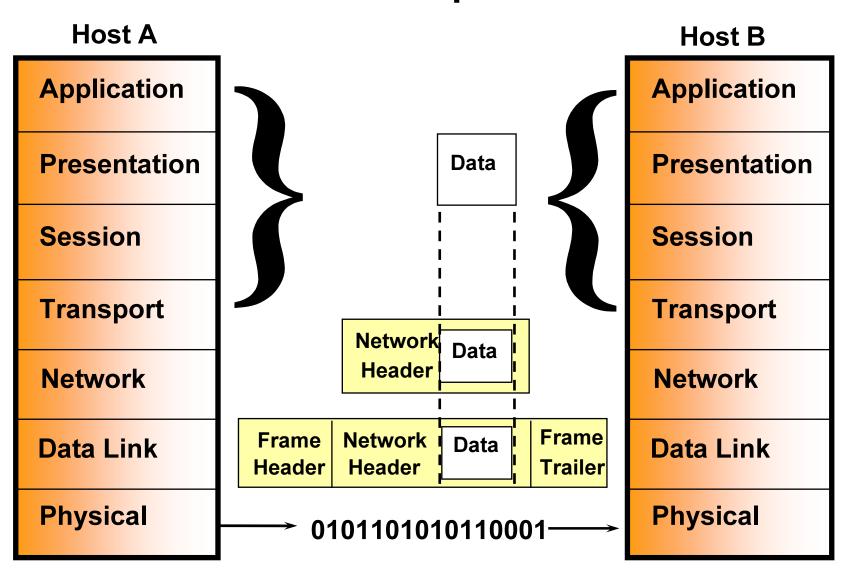
Layer Functions



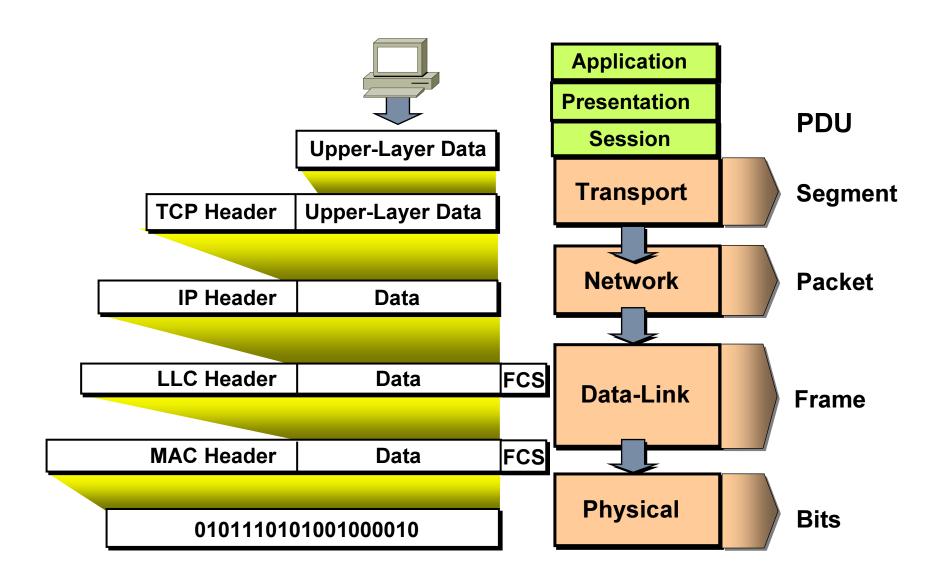
Peer-to-Peer Communications



Data Encapsulation



Encapsulating Data



De-encapsulating Data

