





# Java Networking





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### **Network Basics**

#### A Network is



- □ Represent interconnection of computing devices either by using cable or wireless devices for resources sharing.
- □ In network, there may be several computers, some of them receiving the services and some providing services to other.
- The computer which receives service is called a client.
- ☐ The computer which provides the service is called server.



# **Networking Terminology**

- □ **IP Address**: A unique identification number allotted to every device on a network.
- DNS (Domain Name Service): A service on internet that maps the IP addresses with corresponding website names.
- □ Port Number : 2 byte unique identification number for socket.
- URL (Uniform Resource Locator): Global address of document and other resources on the world wide web.
- TCP/IP: Connection oriented reliable protocol, highly suitable for transporting data reliably on a network.
- □ **UDP:** Transfers data in a connection less and unreliable manner



# **Network Programming**

- ☐ The term network programming refers to writing programs that execute across multiple devices (computers), in which the devices are all connected to each other using a network.
- ☐ java.net package provides many classes to deal with networking applications in Java
- ☐ Here there are few classes related to the connection and then identifying a connection
  - InetAddress
  - URL
  - URLConnection
- ☐ For making a actually communication (sending and receiving data) deal with few more classes like,
  - Socket
  - ServerSocket
  - DatagramPacket
  - DatagramSocket



### **InetAddress**

- InetAddress class belong to the java.net package.
- ☐ Using InetAddress class, it is possible to know the IP Address of website / host name
- InetAddress class is used to encapsulate both the numerical IP address and host name for the address.

**Commonly used methods of InetAddress class** 

Method	Description
<pre>public static InetAddress getByName(String host) throws UnknownHostException</pre>	Determines the IP address of a given host's name.
<pre>public static InetAddress getAllByName (String host) throws UnknownHostException</pre>	It returns an array of IP Addresses that a particular host name.
<pre>public static InetAddress getLocalHost() throws UnknownHostException</pre>	Returns the address of the local host.
public String getHostName()	it returns the host name of the IP address.
public String getHostAddress()	it returns the IP address in string format.

# InetAddress.getByName()

- ☐ The getByName() method takes host name (server name) and return InetAddress
- Which is nothing but the IP address of the server.

```
import java.net.*; //required for InetAddress Class
public class Address{
    public static void main(String[] args){
        try {
             InetAddress ip = InetAddress.getByName("www.darshan.ac.in");
             System.out.println("IP: "+ip);
        }catch(UnknownHostException e) {
             System.out.println(e);
        }
    }
}
```

#### Output

IP: www.darshan.ac.in/89.238.188.50



# InetAddress.getAllByName()

☐ The getAllByName() method returns an array of InetAddresses that represent all of the address that a particular host name.

```
import java.net.*; //required for InetAddress Class
public class Address{
    public static void main(String[] args){
    try {
         InetAddress addressList[] = InetAddress.getAllByName("wixnets.com");
         for(int i=0;i<addressList.length;i++){</pre>
              System.out.println(addressList[i]);
    }catch(UnknownHostException e) {
         System.out.println(e);
```

#### Output

```
wixnets.com/104.18.48.113
wixnets.com/172.67.198.137
wixnets.com/104.18.49.113
```



# InetAddress.getLocalHost()

- ☐ The getLocalHost() method takes local host name and return InetAddress
- ☐ Which is IP address and name of your current system.

#### Output

LocalHost: LAPTOP-NB4I63VB/10.254.3.79



# InetAddress: getHostName()

☐ The getHostName() method takes IP address and return host/ server name in string format.

```
import java.net.*; //required for InetAddress Class
public class Address{
    public static void main(String[] args){
        try {
             InetAddress ip = InetAddress.getByName("10.254.3.79");
             System.out.println("Hostname:"+ip.getHostName());
        }catch(UnknownHostException e) {
             System.out.println(e);
        }
    }
}
```

#### Output

Hostname: LAPTOP-NB4I63VB



# InetAddress: getHostAddress()

☐ The getHostAddress() method takes host name (server name) and return IP address in string format.

```
import java.net.*; //required for InetAddress Class
public class Address{
    public static void main(String[] args){
        try {
             InetAddress ip = InetAddress.getByName("www.darshan.ac.in");
             System.out.println("HostAddress: "+ip.getHostAddress());
        }catch(UnknownHostException e) {
             System.out.println(e);
        }
    }
}
```

#### Output

HostAddress: 89.238.188.50



# **Program**

# Write a program to accept a website name and return its IPAddress, after checking it on Internet

```
import java.net.*; //required for InetAddress Class
public class Address{
    public static void main(String[] args){
        try {
             InetAddress ip = InetAddress.getByName("www.darshan.ac.in");
             System.out.println("Host Name: "+ip.getHostName());
             System.out.println("IP Address:"+ ip.getHostAddress());
        }catch(UnknownHostException e) {
             System.out.println(e);
        }
    }
}
```

#### Output

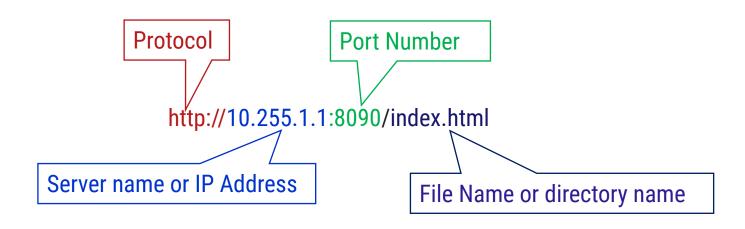
Host Name: www.darshan.ac.in

IP Address: 89.238.188.50



### URL

- ☐ Uniform Resource Locator
- ☐ URL provides an intelligible form to uniquely identify resources on the internet.
- ☐ URLs are universal, every browser uses them to identify resources on the web.
- ☐ URL Contains 4 components.
  - 1. Protocol (http://)
  - 2. Server name or IP address (www.darshan.ac.in)
  - 3. Port number which is optional (:8090)
  - 4. Directory resource (index.html)





### URL

- ☐ URL is represent by class URL in java.net package.
- ☐ Use following formats for creating a object of URL class

URL obj=new URL(String urlSpecifier) throws MalformedURLException

OR

URL obj=new URL(String protocol, String host, int port, String path) throws MalformedURLException

OR

URL obj=new URL(String protocol, String host, String path) throws MalformedURLException



# **URL** class methods

Method	Description
public String getProtocol()	it returns the protocol of the URL.
public String getHost()	it returns the host name of the URL.
public String getPort()	it returns the port number of the URL.
public String getFile()	it returns the file name of the URL.
<pre>public String getAuthority()</pre>	it returns the authority part of the URL.
public String toString()	it returns the string representation of the URL.
public String getQuery()	it returns the query string of the URL.
public String getDefaultPort()	it returns the default port of the URL.
<pre>public URLConnection openConnection()</pre>	it returns the instance of URLConnection i.e. associated with this URL.
public URI toURI()	it returns a <mark>URI</mark> of the URL.



## **Program**

# Write a program to get the Protocol, Host Name, Port Number, and Default File Name from given URL.

```
import java.net.*; //required for InetAddress Class
public class URLDemo{
     public static void main(String[] args){
    try {
         URI url=
         new URL("http://www.darshan.ac.in/DIET");
         System.out.println("Protocol: "+url.getProtocol());
         System.out.println("Host: "+url.getHost());
         System.out.println("Port : "+url.getPort());
         System.out.println("File: "+url.getFile());
    }catch(MalformedURLException e) {
         System.out.println(e);
```

#### Output

Protocol: http

Host: www.darshan.ac.in

Port: -1

File: /DIET



### **URLConnection**

- □ URLConnection class is useful to actually connect to a website or resource on a network and get all the details of the website.
- ☐ For example, to know the details of <a href="https://www.darshan.ac.in">www.darshan.ac.in</a>, we should pass its URL to the object of URL class.
- ☐ Then using openConnection() method, we should establish a connection with the site on internet.
- openConnection() method returns URLConnection object.

URL obj=new URL(String urlSpecifier) throws MalformedURLException URLConnection conn=obj.openConnection();



## **URLConnection class methods**

Method	Description
public int getContentLength()	it returns the size in bytes of the content as a int.
public long getContentLengthLong()	it returns the size in bytes of the content as a long.(Added by JDK 7)
<pre>public String getContentType()</pre>	it returns the content-type of the resource.
public long getDate()	it returns the time and date of the response in milliseconds.
public long getExpiration()	it returns the expiration time and date of the resource.
public String getHeaderField(int index)	it returns the value of specific index position.
<pre>public String getHeaderField(String fieldName)</pre>	it returns the value of the header field whose name is specified by field name.
<pre>public InputStream getInputStream() throws IOException</pre>	Returns an input stream that reads from open connection.
<pre>public OutputStream getOutputStream() throws IOException</pre>	Returns an output stream that writes into open connection.



### **Program**

#### Write a program to display the details and page contents of your website.

```
import java.net.*; //required for InetAddress Class
import java.io.*;
import java.util.*;
public class URLConnectionDemo{
   public static void main(String[] args){
     try {
          URL url=new URL("https://www.w3schools.com/html/default.asp");
          URLConnection con = url.openConnection();
              System.out.println("Date: " + new Date(con.getDate()));
              System.out.println("Content-type: " + con.getContentType());
              System.out.println("Expiry: " + con.getExpiration());
              System.out.println("Length of content: " + con.getContentLength());
             if(con.getContentLength()>0){
           int ch;
           InputStream in=con.getInputStream();
           while ((ch=in.read())!=-1) {
              System.out.print((char)ch);
     }catch(MalformedURLException e) {
          System.out.println(e);
```

#### Output

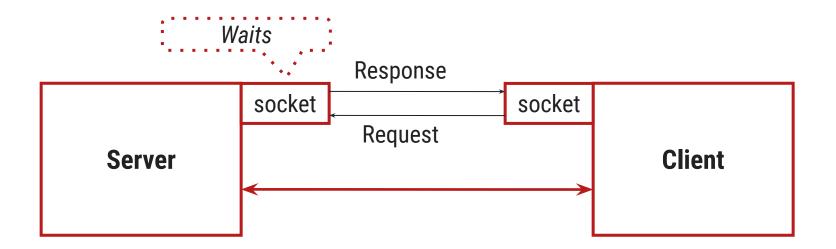
```
Date: Wed Jan 27 10:22:47 IST 2021
Content-type: text/html
Expiry: 1611737567000
Length of content: 62188

<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en-US">
<head>
<title>HTML Tutorial</title>
<meta charset="utf-8">
<meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1">
...
...
<![endif]-->
</body>
</html>
```



### **Client - Server Architecture**

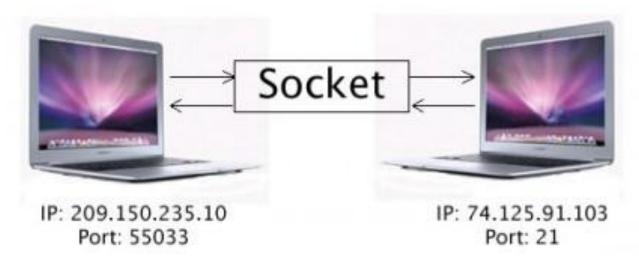
- ☐ A Client-Server Architecture consists of two types of components: clients and servers.
- ☐ A server component is waiting for requests from client components.
- □ When a request is received, the server processes the request, and then send a response back to the client.





### **Socket Overview**

- "A socket is one endpoint of a two-way communication link between two programs running on the network."
- ☐ A **Socket** is combination of an IP address and a port number.
- ☐ A socket is bound to a port number so that the TCP layer can identify the application that data is destined to be sent to.



- ☐ There are two kinds of TCP sockets in java.
- ☐ One is for server, and other is for client.
- ☐ The Socket class is for clients, and ServerSocket class is for server.

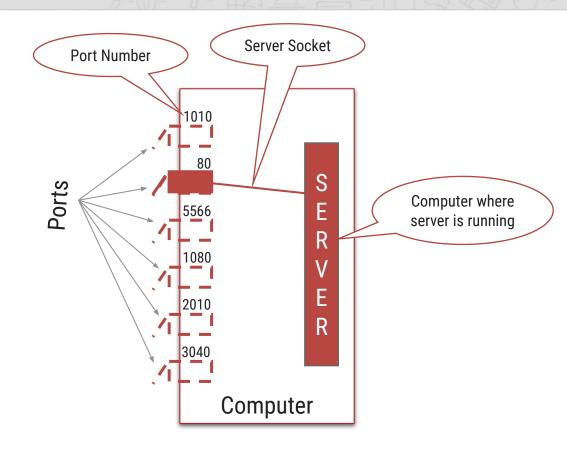


### **Socket Overview**

- ☐ The server is just like any ordinary program running in a computer.
- ☐ Each computer is equipped with some ports.
- ☐ The server connects with port.
- This process is called binding to a port.
- The connection is called a server socket.

The Java code for creating server in Network Programming:

ServerSocket ss = new ServerSocket(80)



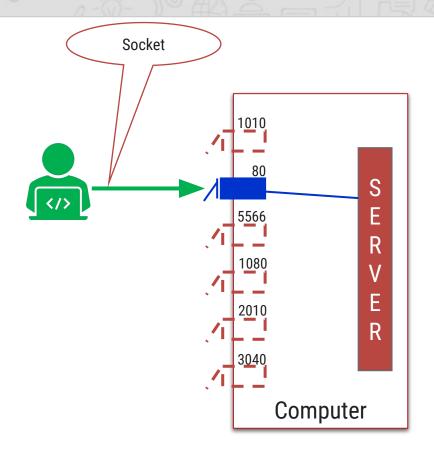


### **Socket Overview**

- ☐ Server is waiting for client machine to connect.
- □ Now, client come for communication with server.
- ☐ In the next step the client connects to this port of the server's computer.
- ☐ The connection is called a (client) socket.
- Now, connection is established between client and server.
- ☐ Every time a client is found, its Socket is extracted, and the loop again waits for the next client.

The Java code for creating socket at client side.

Socket sock = new Socket("www.darshan.ac.in",80);





# TCP/IP socket setup at Client & Server side

At server side, create server socket with some port number using ServerSocket class of java.net package.

```
ServerSocket ss=new ServerSocket(int port);
```

- □ Now, we should make the server wait till a client accepts connection, this is done using accept() method.
- ☐ This object is used to establish communication with the clients

```
Socket s=ss.accept();
```

- ☐ At client side, create socket with host name and port number using Socket class.
- Use following formats for creating a object of Socket class.

```
Socket s=new Socket(String hostName, int port);
```

OR

Socket s=new Socket(InetAddress ipAddress, int port);



### Sockets class method

■ Socket defines several instance method.

Method	Description
<pre>public InetAddress getInetAddress()</pre>	Returns the address of the Socket object.
public int getPort()	Returns the remote port to which the invoking Socket object is connected
public int getLocalPort()	Returns the local port number.
<pre>public InputStream getInputStream() throws IOException</pre>	Returns an input stream that reads(receive) data from this open connection.
<pre>public OutputStream getOutputStream() throws IOException</pre>	Returns an output stream that writes(send) data to open connection.
<pre>public void connect(SocketAddress endpoint, int timeout)</pre>	Connects this socket to the server with a specified timeout value.



# (I/O) package in Java

- ☐ In Java, streams are the sequence of data that are read from the source and written to the destination.
- ☐ The java.io package contains nearly every class you might ever need to perform input and output (I/O) in Java.
- ☐ There are two type of Streams
  - InPutStream The InputStream is used to read data from a source.
  - ☐ OutPutStream The OutputStream is used for writing data to a destination.
  - ☐ PrintStream it formats the primitive values as text





# **Creating a Server That Sends Data**

☐ Create a server socket with port number

```
ServerSocket ss=new ServerSocket (8070);
```

Waiting for establish a connection with client

```
Socket s=ss.accept();
```

□ For sending a data attach output stream to the server socket using getOutputStream() method.

```
OutputStream obj=s.getOutputStream();
```

Create PrintStream object to send data into the socket

```
PrintStream ps=new PrintStream(obj);
```

Call print() or println() method to send data.

```
ps.println(str);
```

Close the connection.

```
ss.close(); //close ServerSocket
s.close(); //close Socket
ps.close(); // //close PrintStream
```



# **Creating a Client That Receiving Data**

☐ Create a Socket object with server address and port number

Socket s=new Socket("localhost",8070);

- For receiving data attach input stream to the socket, using getInputStream() method InputStream inStr=s.getInputStream();
- ☐ To read the data from socket, we can take the help of BufferedReader

  BufferedReader br=new BufferedReader(new InputStreamReader(inStr));
- □ Reade data from BufferedReader object using read() or readLine() method.
   □ String receivedMessage = br.readLine();
- Close the connection.

br.close(); //close BufferReader
s.close(); //close Socket



## **Program**

Write a program to create server for the purpose of sending message to the client and also write client side program, which accept all the strings sent by the server.

```
import java.net.*;
import java.io.*;
public class MyServer{
public static void main(String[] args){
 try {
      ServerSocket ss = new ServerSocket(888);
     Socket s = ss.accept();
      OutputStream obj = s.getOutputStream();
      PrintStream ps = new PrintStream(obj);
      ps.println("Hello client");
      ss.close(); //close ServerSocket
      s.close(); //close Socket
      ps.close(); //close Printstream
     } catch (IOException ex) {
     ex.printStackTrace();
```

```
import java.net.*;
import java.io.*;
public class MyClient {
public static void main(String[] args){
 try {
     Socket s=new Socket("localhost",888);
     InputStream inStr=s.getInputStream();
     BufferedReader br=new BufferedReader(new
InputStreamReader(inStr));
     String receivedMessage = br.readLine();
     System.out.println("Message: "+receivedMessage);
     br.close(); //close BufferReader
     s.close(); //close Socket
    } catch (IOException ex) {
     ex.printStackTrace();
}}
```

Output

Message: Hello client



# **Datagrams**

- □ Datagrams are bundles of information passed between machines.
- □ A datagram is an independent, self-contained message sent over the network whose arrival, arrival time, and content are not guaranteed.
- □ Once the datagram has been released to its intended target, there is no assurance that it will arrive or even that someone will be there to catch it.
- ☐ When the datagram is received, there is no assurance that it hasn't been damaged in transit or that whoever sent it is still there to receive a response
- □ Java implements datagrams on top of the UDP (User Datagram Protocol) protocol by using two classes:
  - DatagramPacket object is the data container.
  - DatagramSocket is the mechanism used to send or receive the DatagramPackets.



# **DatagramSocket**

- DatagramSocket class represents a connection-less socket for sending and receiving datagram packets.
- Use following formats for creating a object of DatagramSocket class

```
DatagramSocket ds=new DatagramSocket() throws SocketException;
```

☐ it creates a datagram socket and binds it with the available Port Number on the localhost machine.

DatagramSocket ds=new DatagramSocket(int port) throws SocketException

☐ it creates a datagram socket and binds it with the given Port Number.

DatagramSocket ds=new DatagramSocket(int port,InetAddress ipAddress) throws SocketException

☐ it creates a datagram socket and binds it with the specified port number and host address.



# **DatagramSocket class method**

□ DatagramSocket defines several instance method.

Method Description	
<pre>public InetAddress getInetAddress()</pre>	If the socket is connected, then the address is returned.
public int getPort()	Returns the number of the port to which the socket is connected.
public int getLocalPort()	Returns the local port number.
public boolean isBound()	Returns true if the socket is bound to an address.
public boolean isConnected()	Returns true if the socket is connected to a server.



# **DatagramPacket**

- Java DatagramPacket is a message that can be sent or received.
- ☐ If you send multiple packet, it may arrive in any order.
- Additionally, packet delivery is not guaranteed.
- Use following formats for creating a object of DatagramPacket class

```
DatagramPacket dp=new DatagramPacket(byte data[],int size)
```

- ☐ it specifies a buffer that will receive data and the size of a packet.
- ☐ It is used for receiving data over a DatagramSocket

```
DatagramPacket dp=new DatagramPacket(byte data[], int offset,int size)
```

☐ Allows you to specify an offset into the buffer at which data will be stored.

```
DatagramPacket dp=new DatagramPacket(byte data[], int size, InetAddress ipAddress, int port)
```

☐ It's transmits packets beginning at the specifies a target address and port, which are used by a DatagramSocket to determine where the data in the packet will be sent.

# Sending DatagramPacket by DatagramSocket

□ Create a DatagramSocket object.

```
DatagramSocket ds=new DatagramSocket ();
```

☐ Create a InetAddress object with reciver's ip address

```
InetAddress ip = InetAddress.getByName("Reciver Address");
```

- □ For sending a data create DatagramPacket object and pass the data within constructure,
- Also specify the size of data, address of receiver with port number

```
DatagramPacket dp=new DatagramPacket(byte data[], int size, InetAddress ipAddress, int port)
```

Call send() method of DatagramSocket and pass DatagramPacket into method.

```
ds.send(dp);
```

Close the connection.

```
ds.close(); //close DatagramSocket
```



# Receiving DatagramPacket by DatagramSocket

☐ Create a Datagram Socket object with specific port number.

DatagramSocket ds=new DatagramSocket (int port);

- ☐ Create a byte array for store a receive data, working like a buffer byte[] buffer = new byte[1024];
- For receiving a data create Datagram Packet object and pass buffer and buffer size in constructor

DatagramPacket dp=new DatagramPacket(buffer,1024)

□ Call receive() method of DatagramSocket and pass DatagramPacket into method.

ds.receive(dp);

☐ Call getData() method of DatagramPacket for reading data.

String str = new String(dp.getData(),0,dp.getLength());

Close the connection.

ds.close(); //close DatagramSocket



### **Program**

#### Write a program to create Sender and Receiver for connectionless communication.

```
import java.net.*;
import java.io.*;
public class UDPSender {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
     try {
       DatagramSocket ds=new DatagramSocket();
       String str="Message from Sender";
       InetAddress ip=InetAddress.getByName("localhost");
       DatagramPacket dp=new DatagramPacket(str.getBytes(),
str.length(), ip, 6666);
       ds.send(dp);
       ds.close();
    } catch (Exception ex) {
       ex.printStackTrace();
```

```
import java.net.*;
import java.io.*;
public class UDPReceiver {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
     try {
       DatagramSocket ds = new DatagramSocket(6666);
       byte buffer[] = new byte[1024];
       DatagramPacket dp = new DatagramPacket(buffer, 1024);
       ds.receive(dp);
       String str = new String(dp.getData(),0,dp.getLength());
       System.out.println("Receive: "+str);
       ds.close();
     } catch (Exception ex) {
       ex.printStackTrace();
```

#### Output

Message: Message from Sender



# **Important Questions: GTU**

1	What is Server Socket? Explain in detail with an example. Discuss the difference between the Socket and ServerSocket class.	[Win-16] [Win-17] [Sum-18]
2	What is Datagram Socket? Explain in detail with example.	[Win-16]
3	Write a TCP or UDP client and server program to do the following: Client send : Welcome to Gujarat Technological UNIVERSITY Response from Server: ytisrevinu LACIGOLONHCEt TARAJUg TO EMOCLEW	[Sum-16] [Win-16] [Win-18]
4	Write a client-server program using TCP or UDP where the client sends 10 numbers and server responds with the numbers in sorted order.	[Sum-16]
5	Write a TCP Client-Server program to get the Date & Time details from Server on the Client request.	[Sum-15] [Win-16] [Sum-19]
6	Write a client server program using TCP where client sends two numbers and server responds with sum of them.	[Win-15] [Win-17]
7	Write a client server program using TCP where client sends a string and server checks whether that string is palindrome or not and responds with appropriate message.	[Sum-17] [Sum-18]



# **Important Questions: GTU**

8	Write a sample code for client send a "Hello" message to server. [4]	[Win-19]
9	Write a client-server program using TCP sockets to echo the message send by the client.[7]	[Sum-19]
10	Explain the following classes with their use. i. URLConnection class ii. DatagramSocket (iii) DatagramPacket class [3]	[Sum-19]

