



Transport Layer Part I

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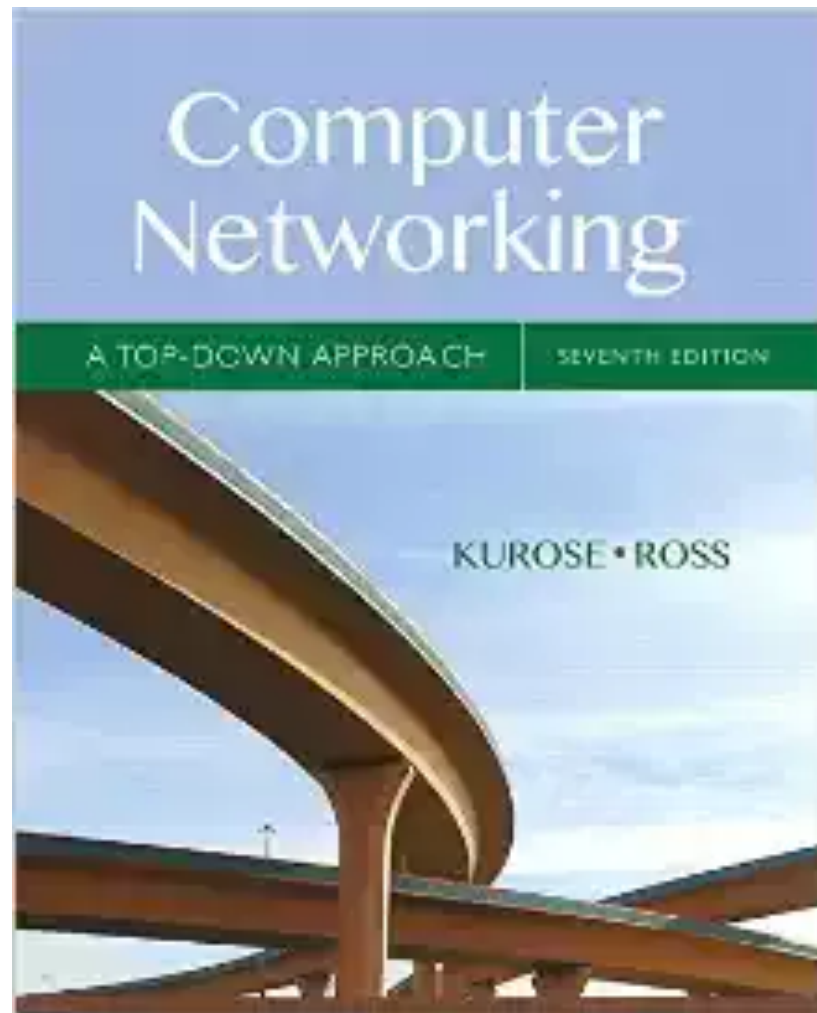
*“Monday when the foreman calls time,
I already got Friday on my mind ...”*

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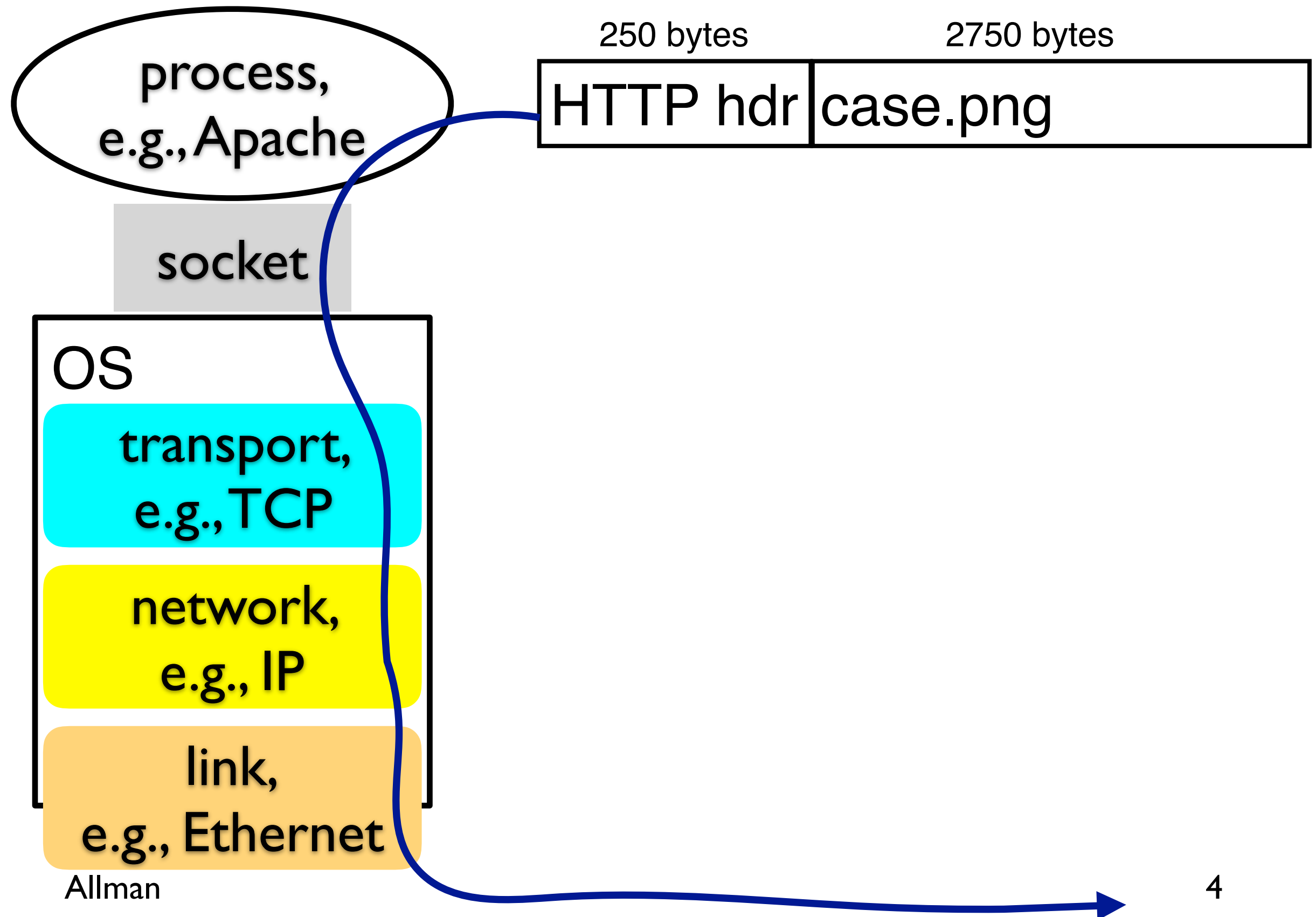
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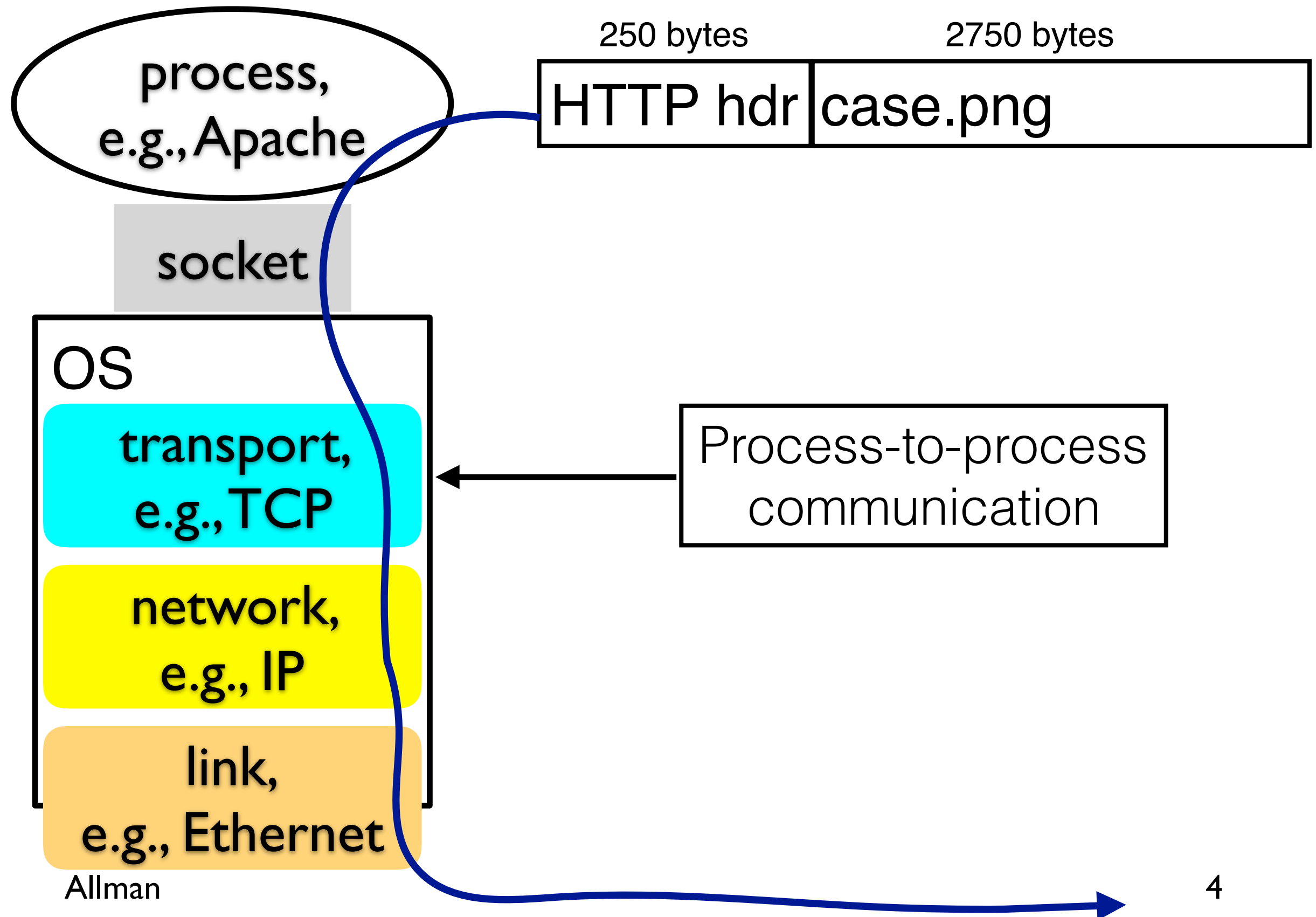


- Transport layer is chapter 3

Data Flow



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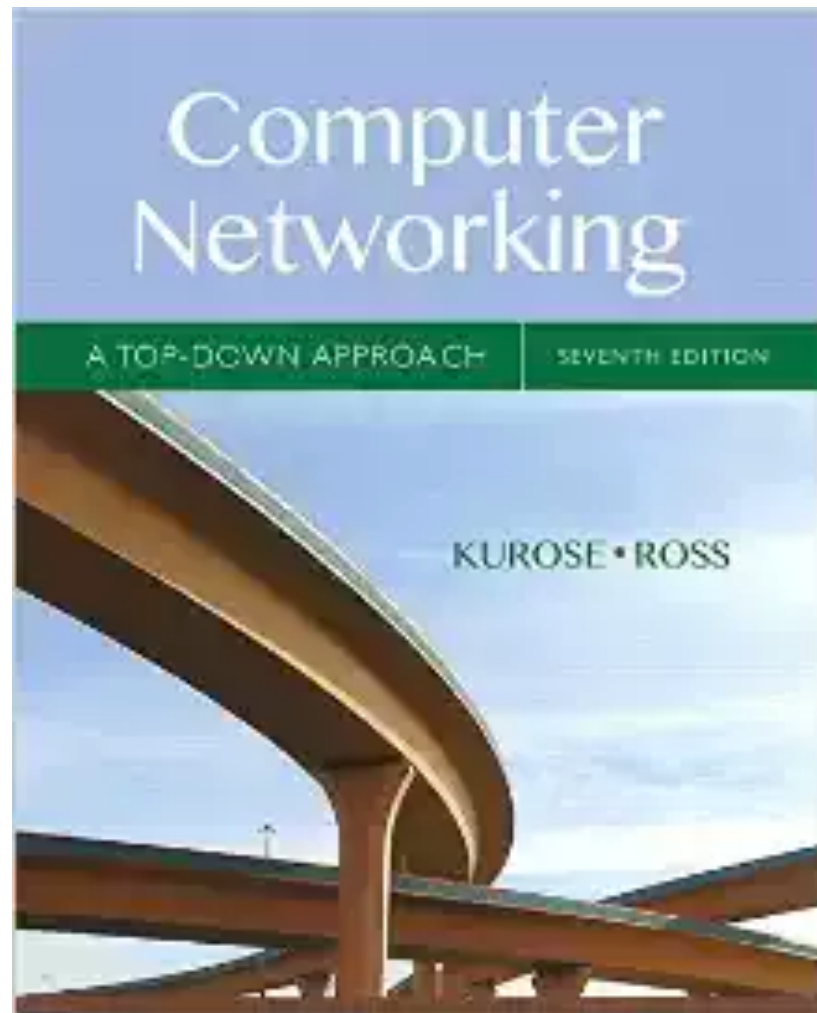


Transport Layer

Our goals:

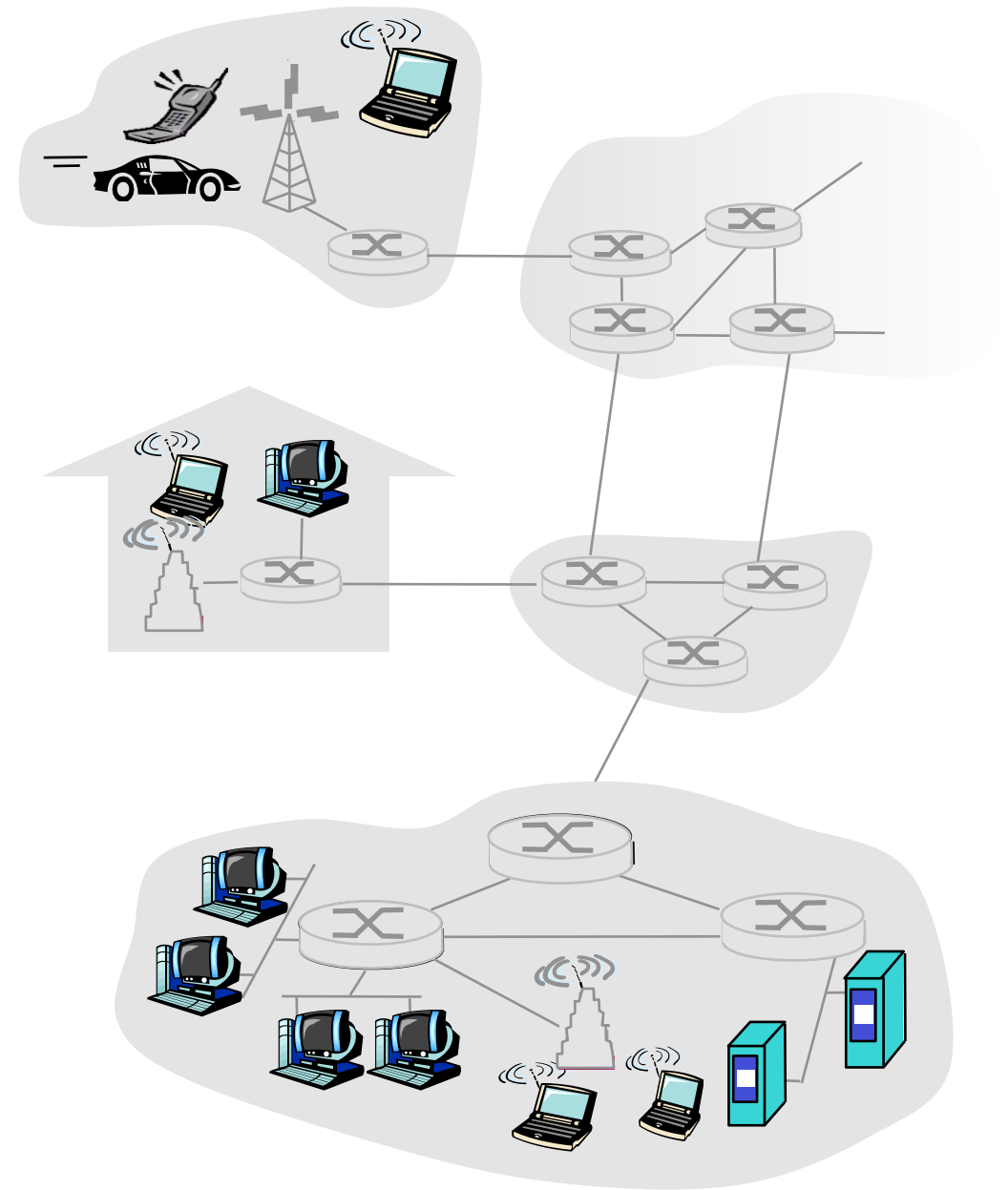
- ❖ understand principles behind transport layer services:
 - multiplexing/demultiplexing
 - reliable data transfer
 - flow control
 - congestion control (later)
- ❖ learn about transport layer protocols in the Internet:
 - UDP: connectionless transport
 - TCP: connection-oriented transport

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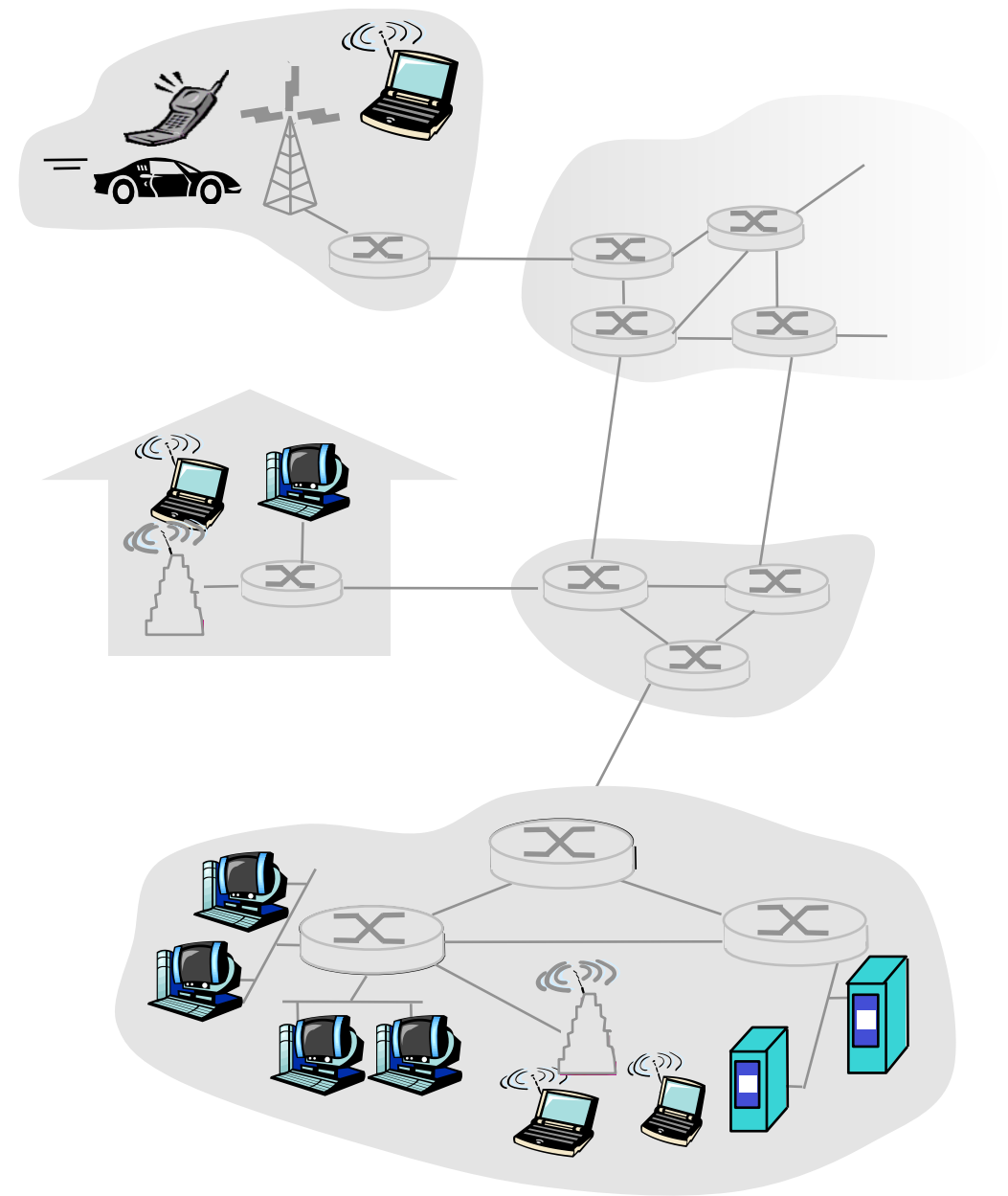
- 3.1: Transport Layer Services

Transport services and protocols



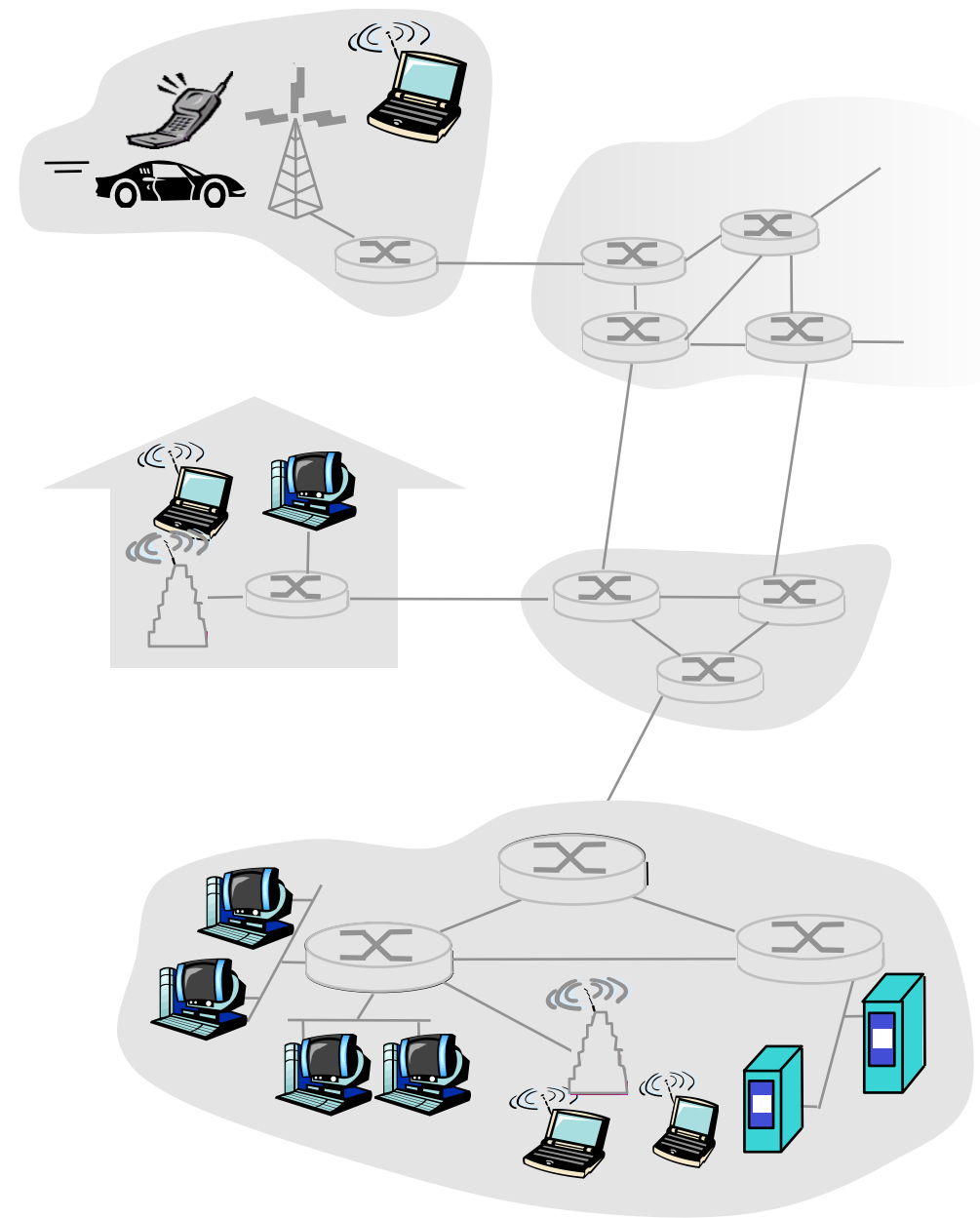
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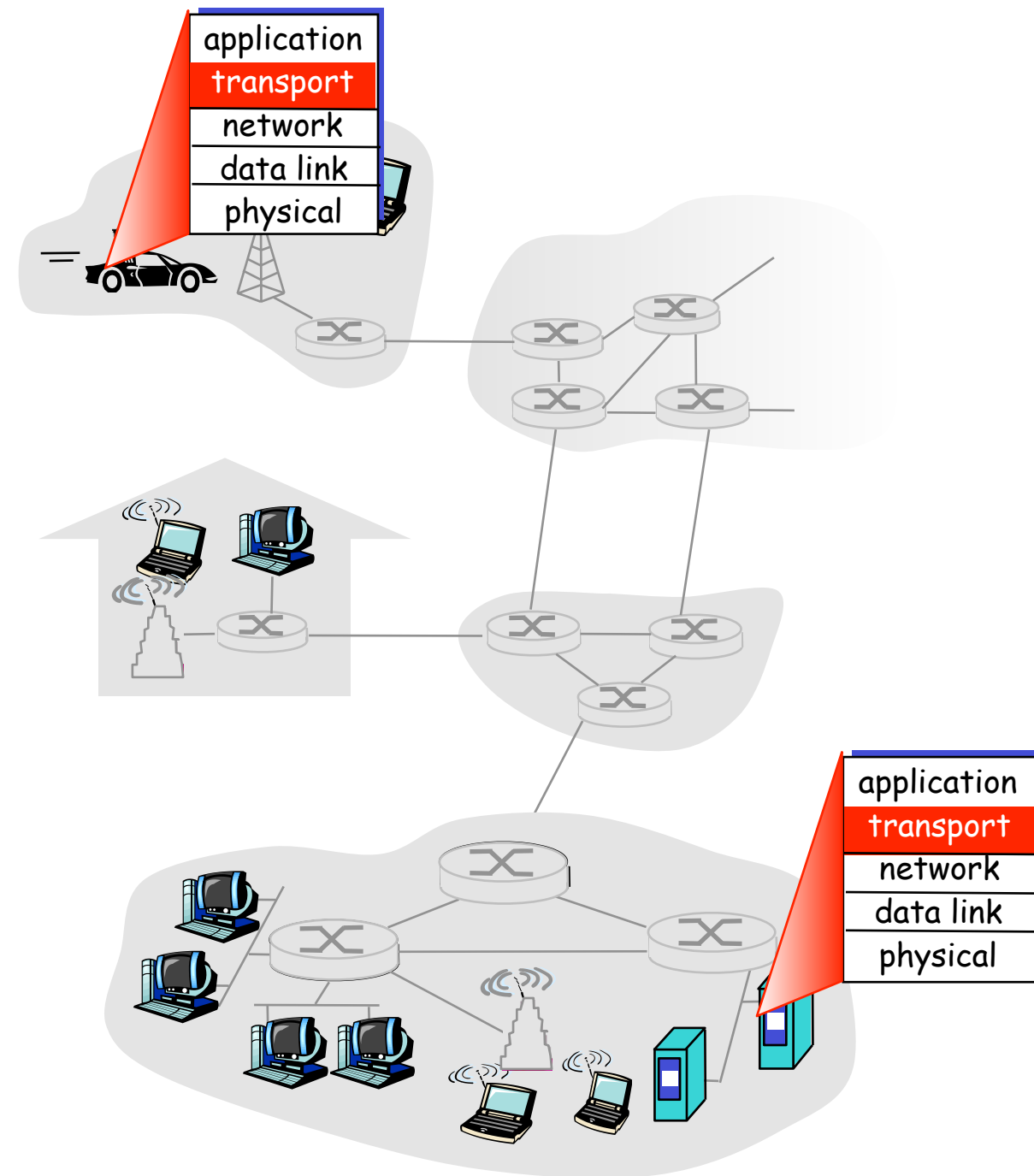
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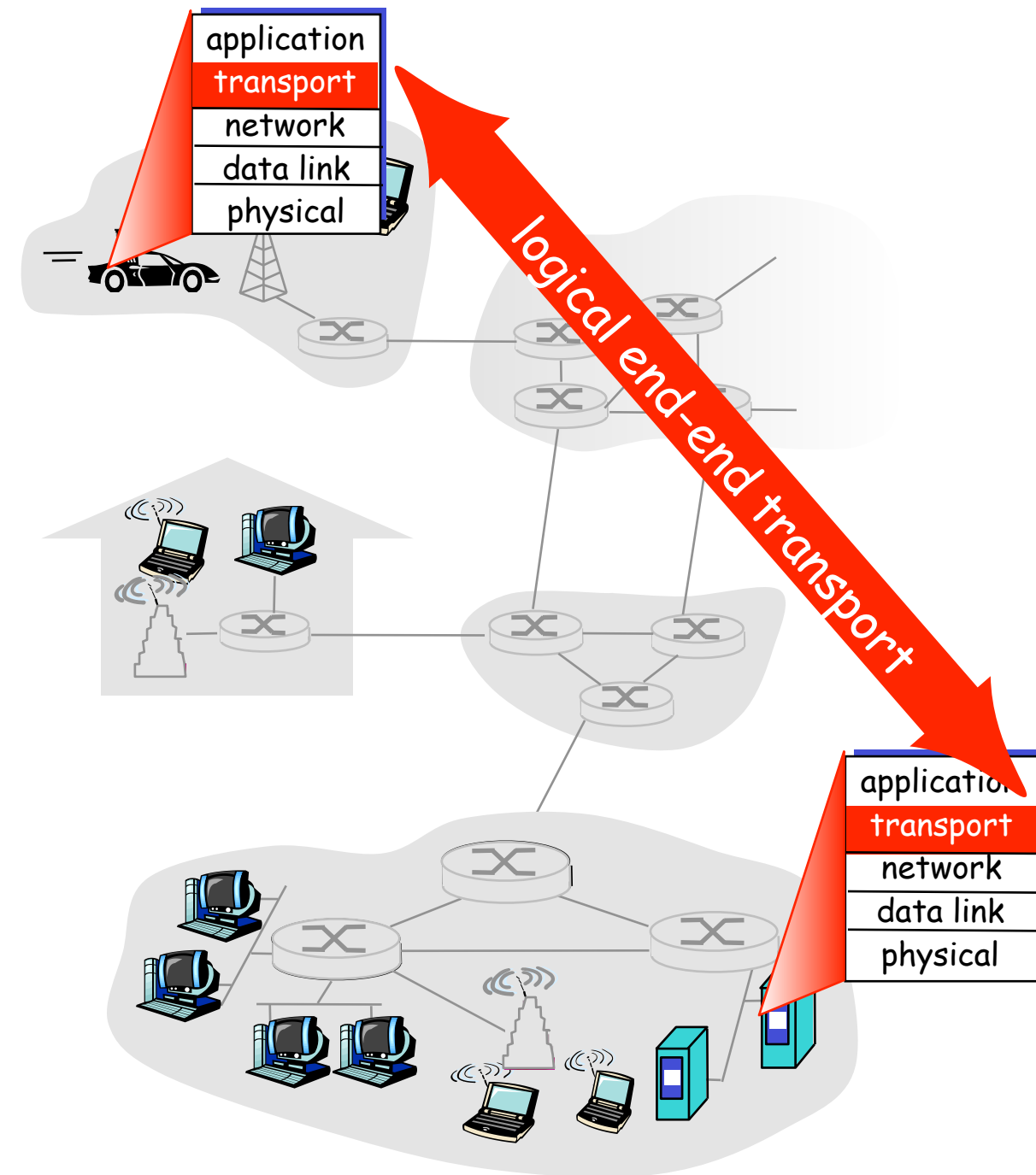
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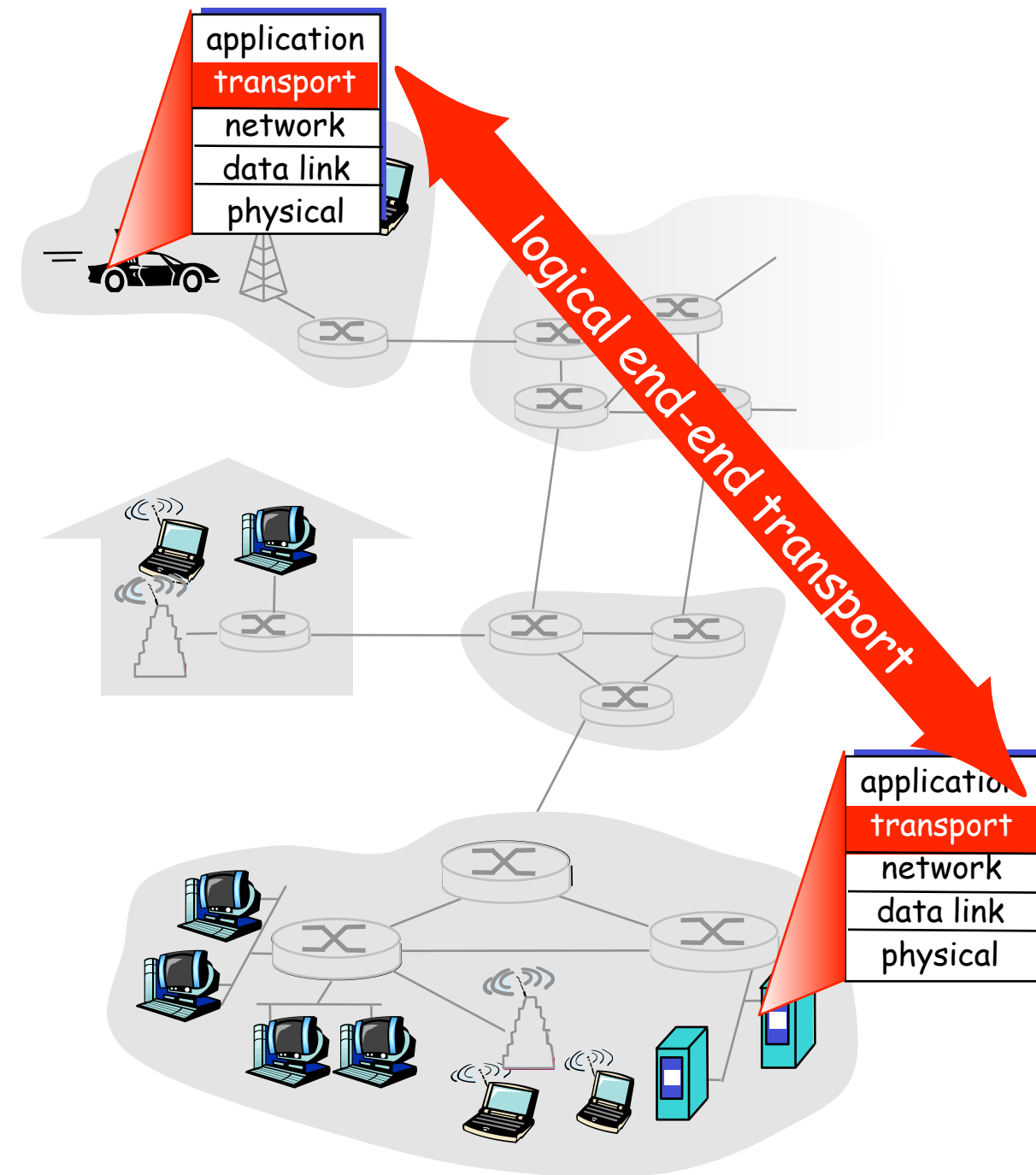
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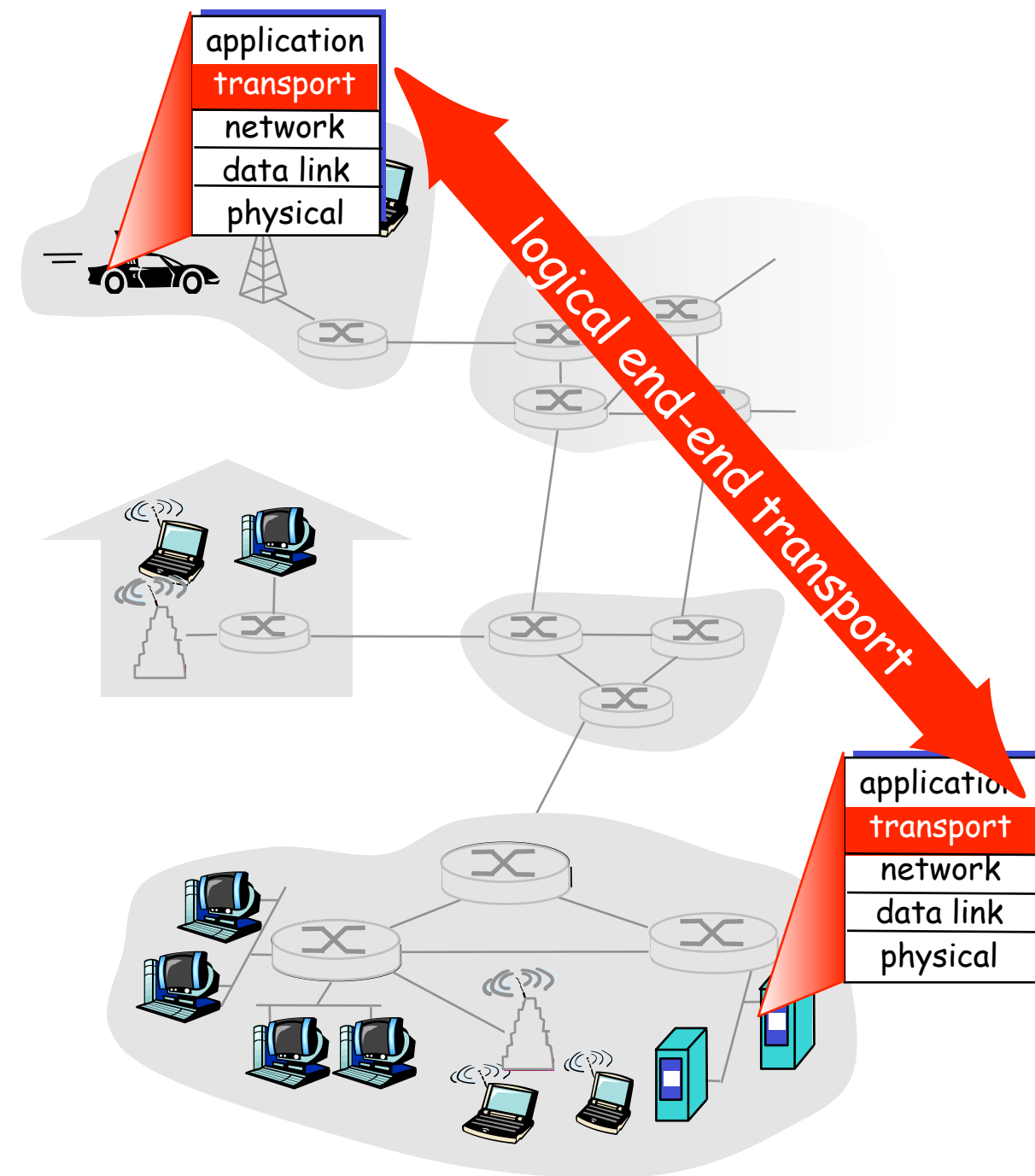
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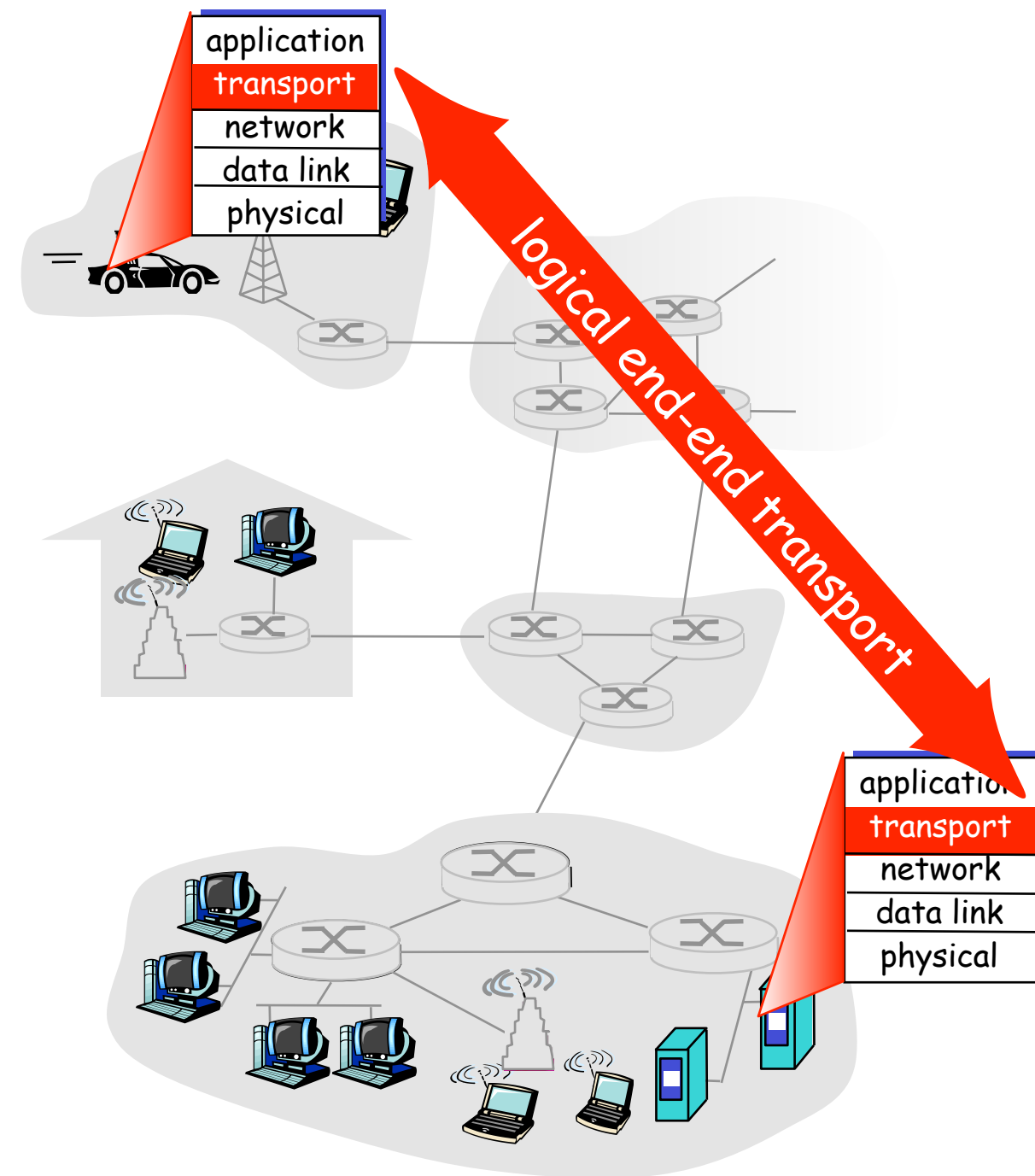
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- ❖ more than one transport protocol available to apps
 - Internet: TCP and UDP



Transport vs. network layer

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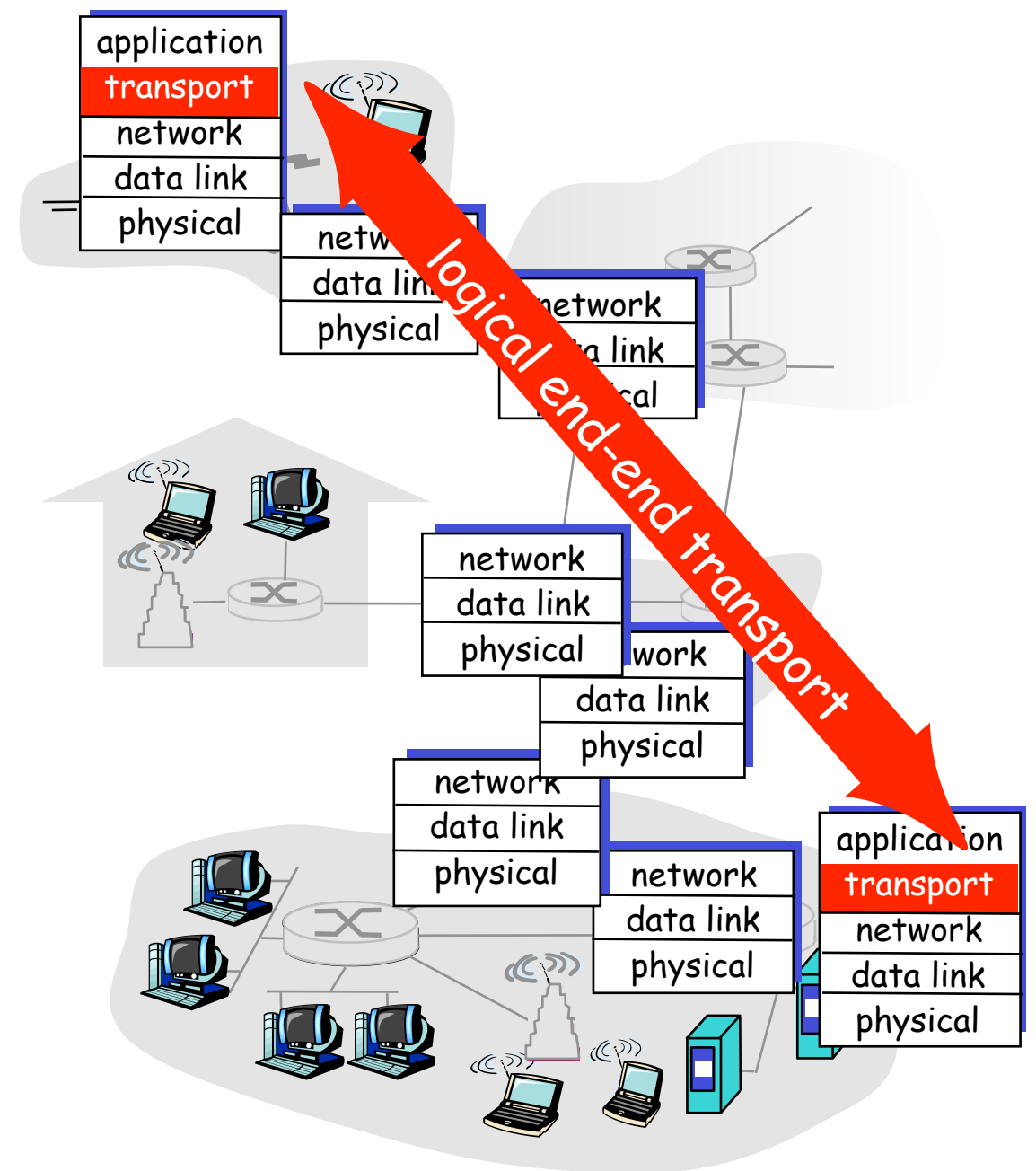
❖ network layer: logical communication between hosts

❖ transport layer: logical communication between processes

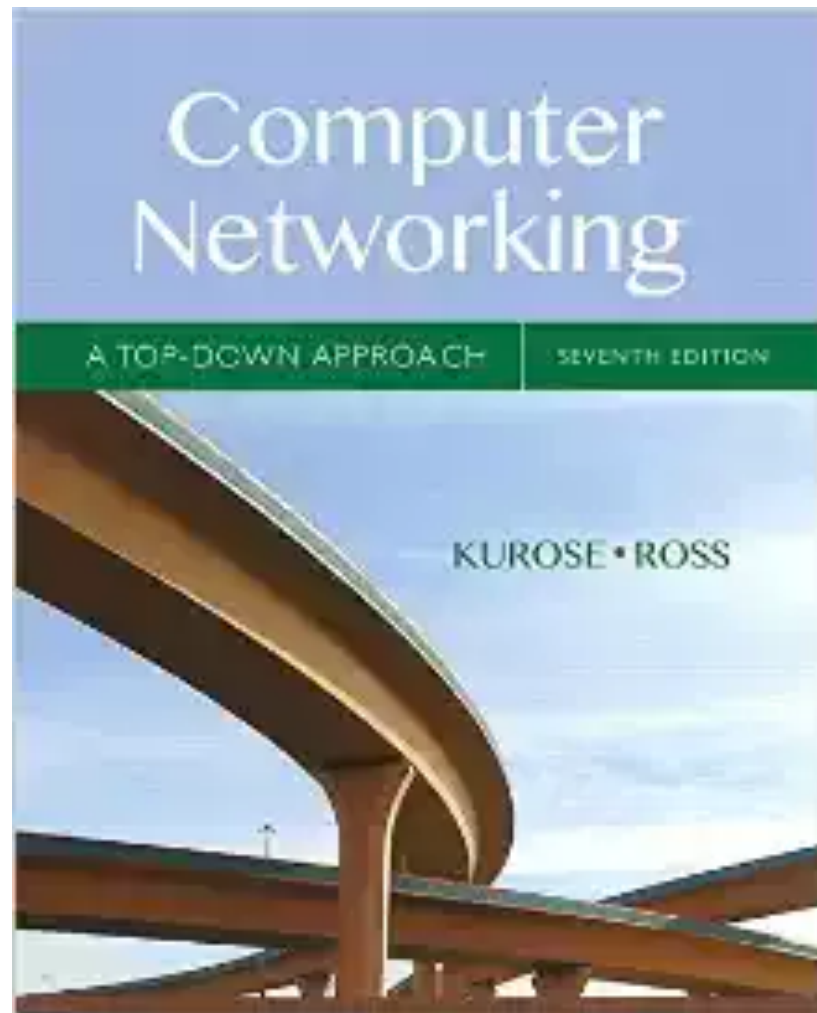
- relies on, enhances, network layer services

Internet transport-layer protocols

- ❖ reliable, in-order delivery (TCP)
 - congestion control
 - flow control
 - connection setup
- ❖ unreliable, unordered delivery: UDP
 - no-frills extension of "best-effort" IP
- ❖ services not available:
 - delay guarantees
 - bandwidth guarantees



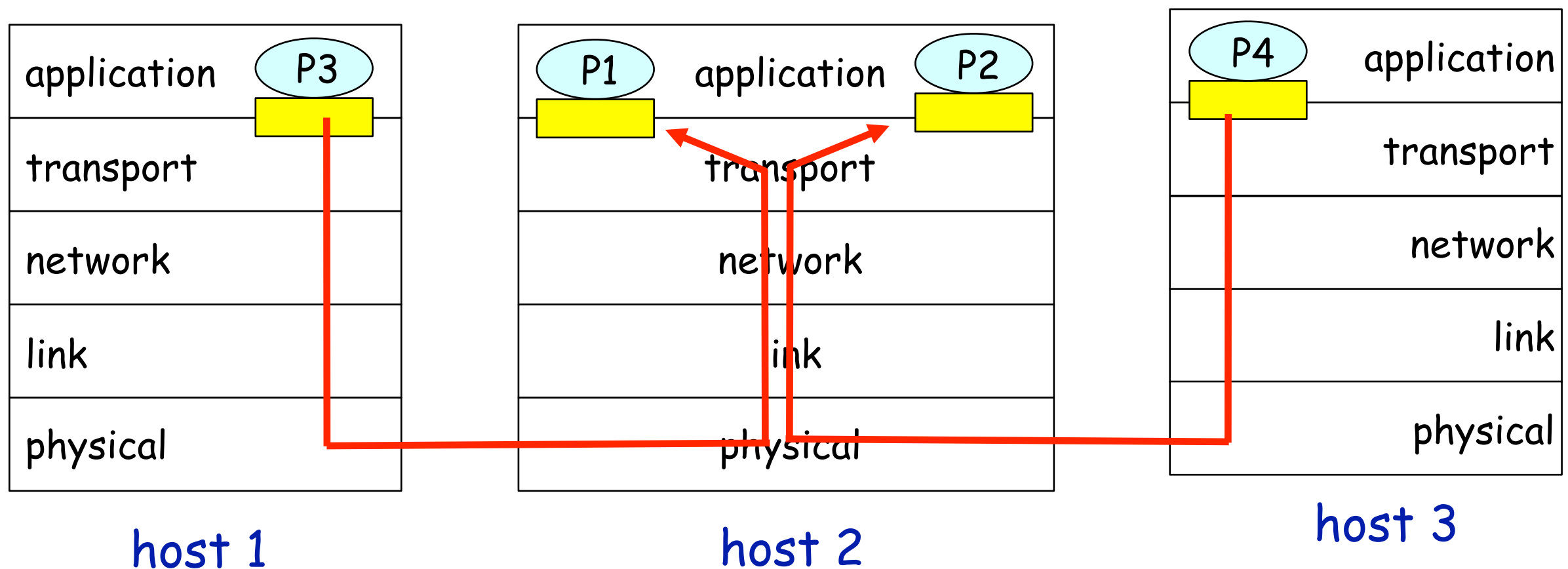
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- 3.2: Multiplexing and Demultiplexing

Multiplexing/demultiplexing

 = socket  = process



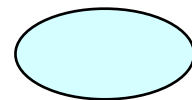
Multiplexing/demultiplexing

Multiplexing at send host:

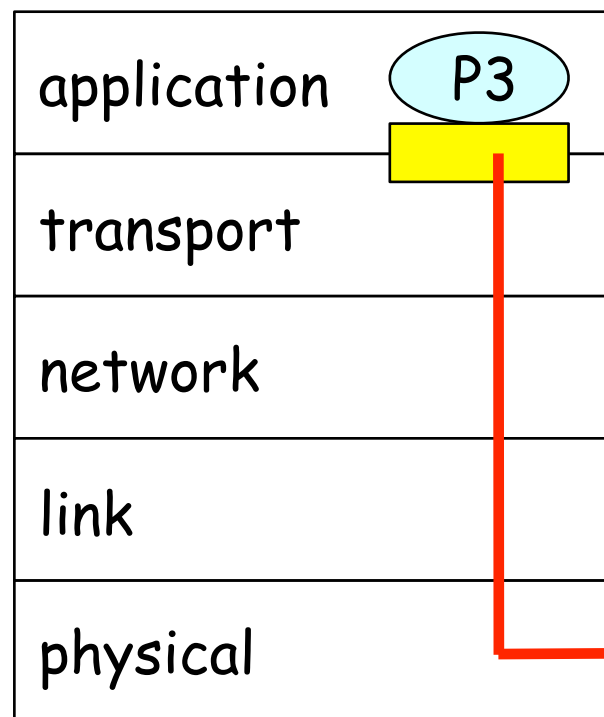
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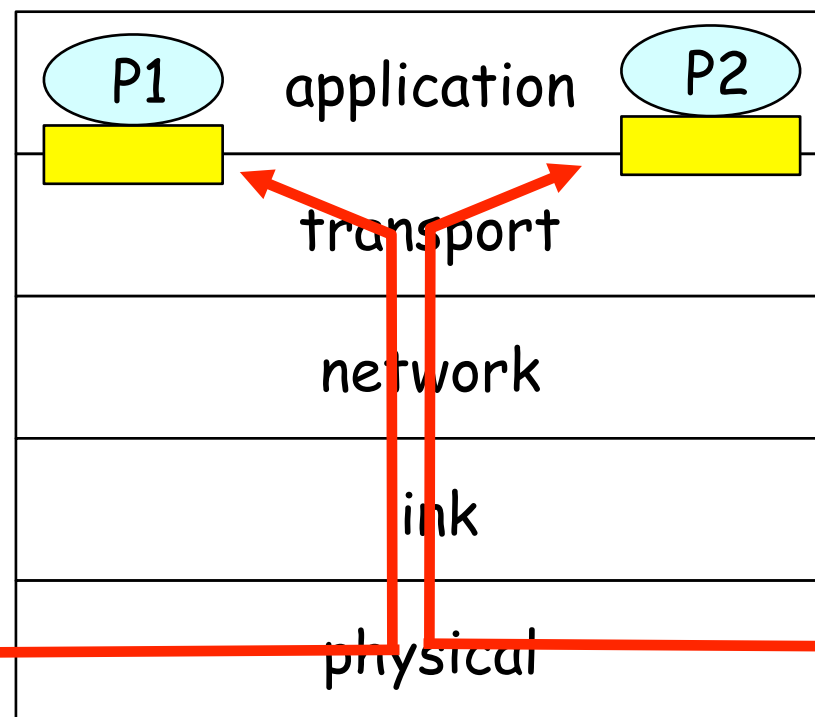
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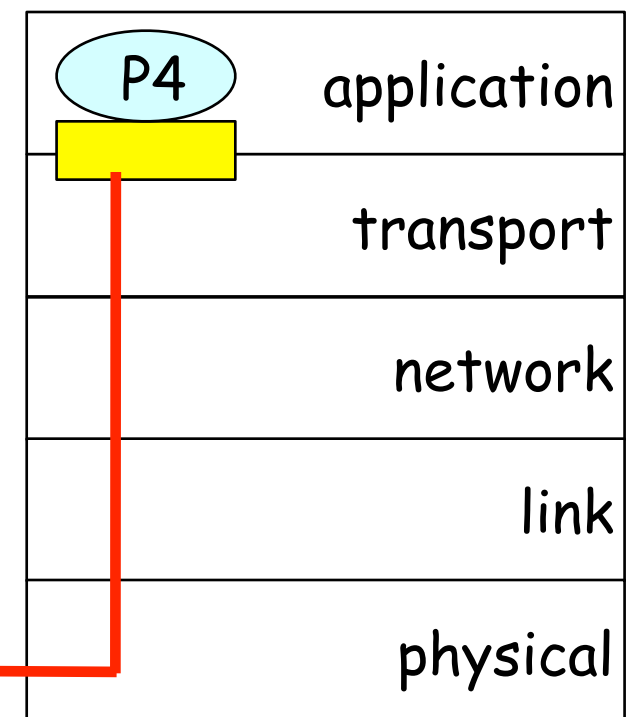
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host 1



host 2



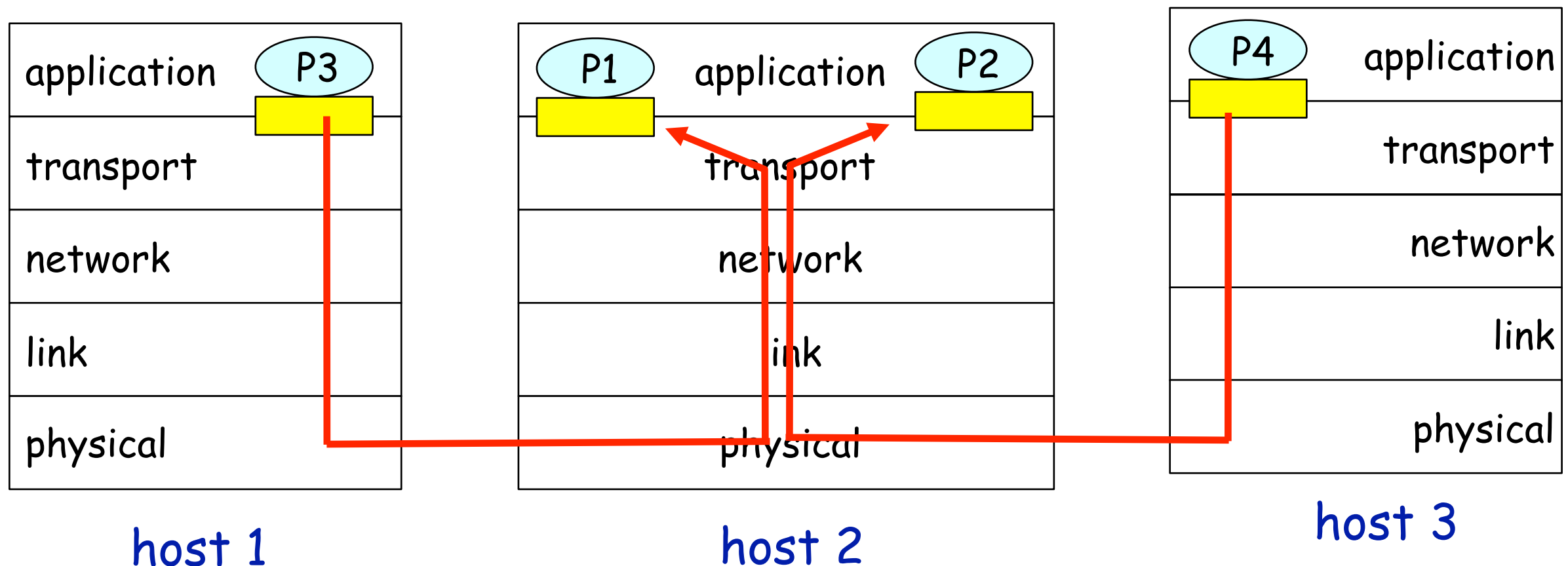
host 3

Multiplexing/demultiplexing

Demultiplexing at rcv host:
delivering received segments
to correct socket

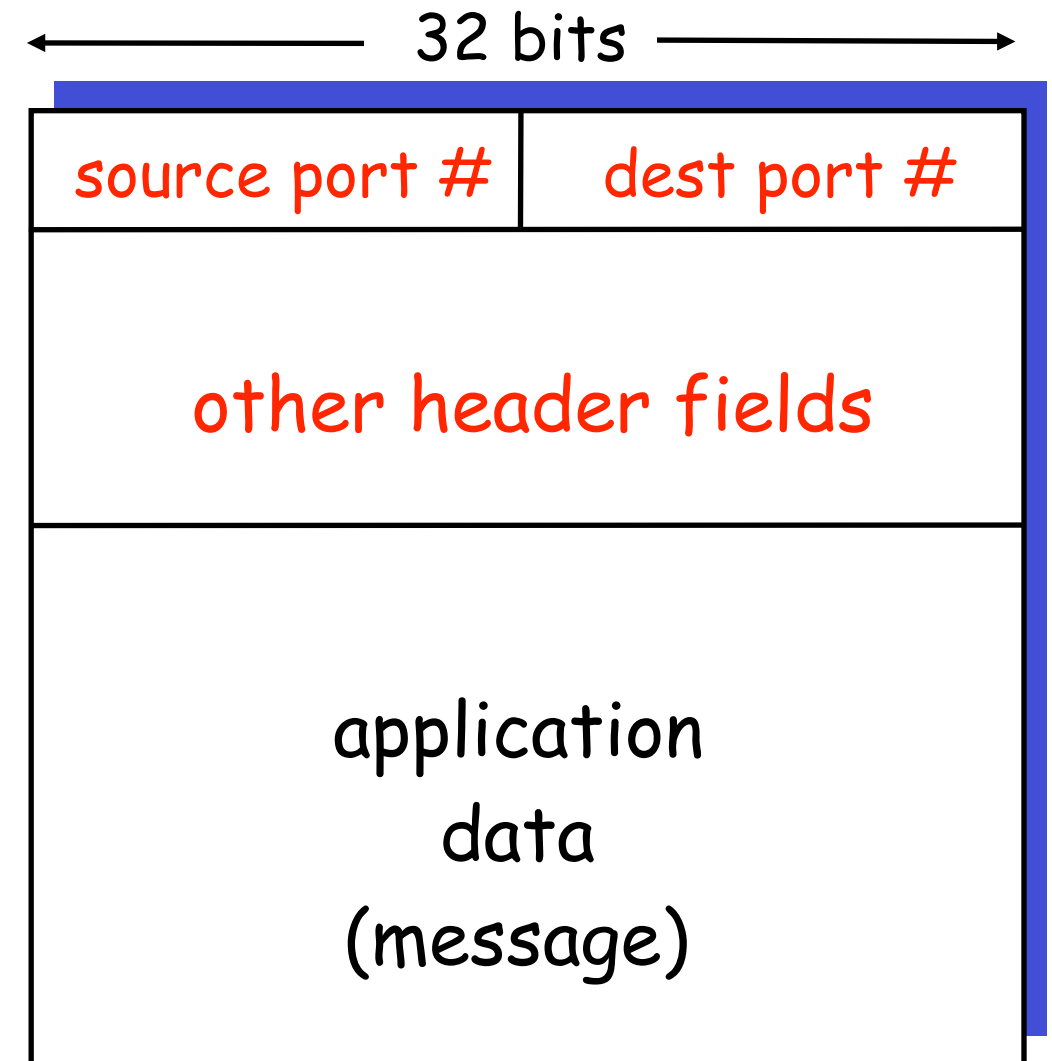
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How demultiplexing works

- ❖ host receives IP datagrams
 - each datagram has source IP address, destination IP address
 - each datagram carries 1 transport-layer segment
 - each segment has source, destination port number
- ❖ host uses IP addresses, IP protocol number & port numbers to direct segment to appropriate socket



TCP/UDP segment format
(red = transport header)