







Auxiliary Protocol

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Introduction

- IP provides communication between two remote hosts
- However, IP lacks error detection and reporting mechanisms
 - Auxiliary protocols are used to deal with these problems



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Address Resolution Protocol ARP











ARP



- Both IP address and MAC address are required to delivery packets in the Internet
- Question: how to determine destination MAC address by only knowing its IP address?
- A mechanism is needed to translate IP addresses to MAC addresses











ARP Table

- Each IP node (e.g., host, router, etc.) on LAN has an ARP table
- ARP Table: IP/MAC address mappings for some LAN devices
 - − < IP address; MAC address; TTL>
 - TTL (Time To Live): time after the address mapping will be expired (typically 20 min)

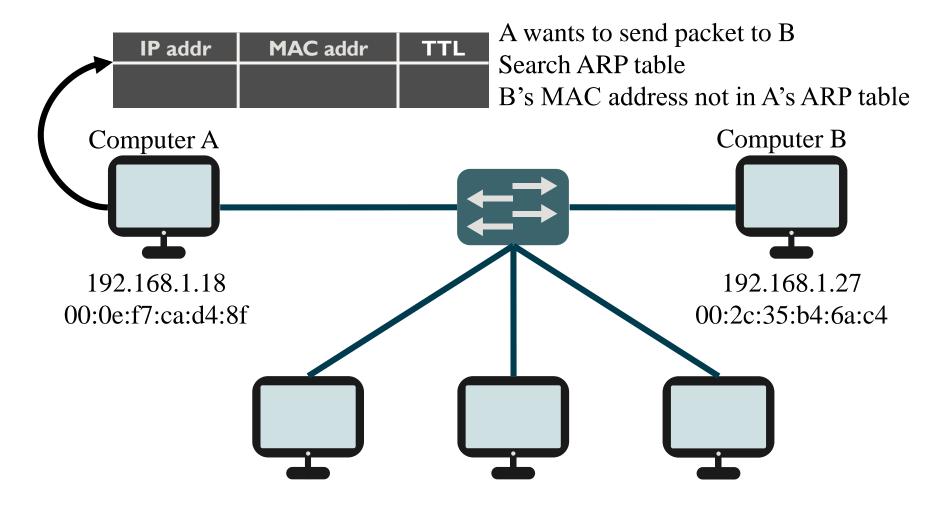








Example of ARP Process

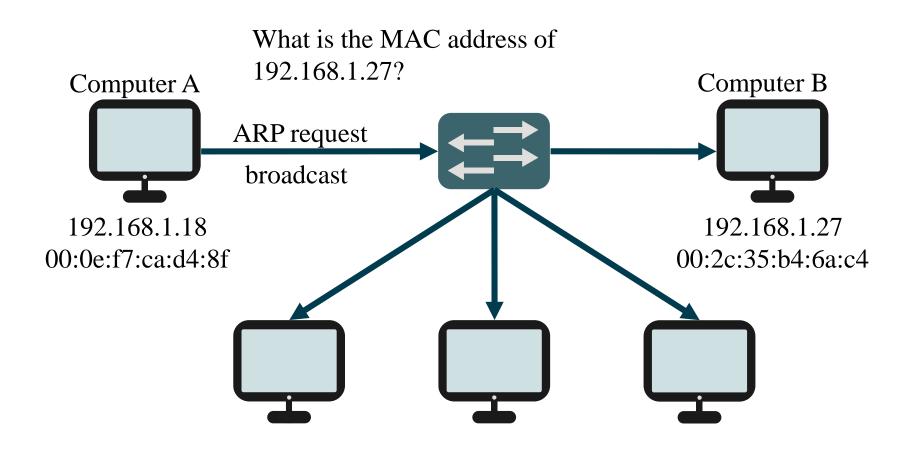








ARP Request



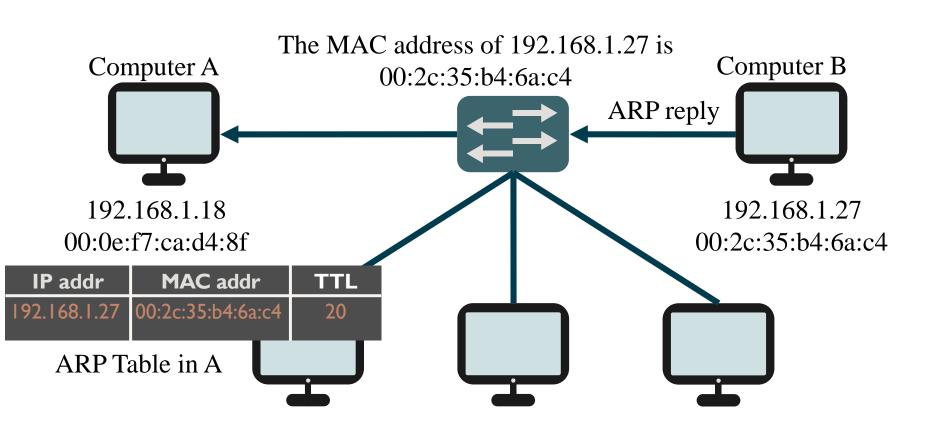








ARP Reply





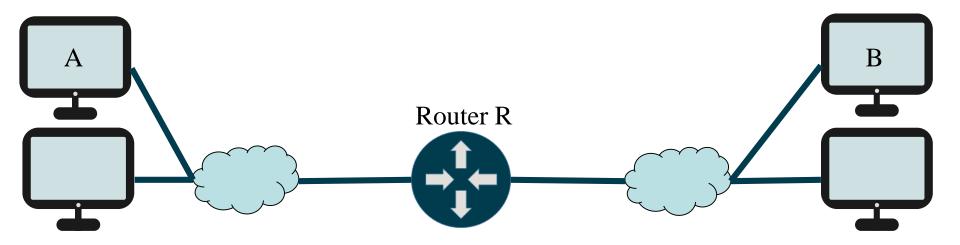






Routing to Another Subnet

- Sending a datagram from A to B via R
 - focus on IP (datagram) and MAC layer (frame) levels
 - assume that:
 - A knows B's IP address
 - A knows IP address of router R (how?)
 - A knows R's MAC address (how?)



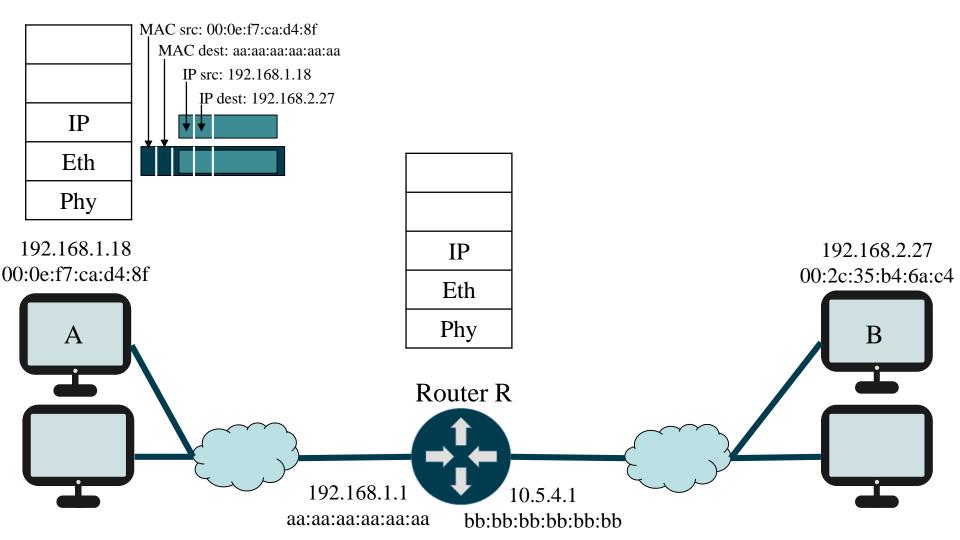








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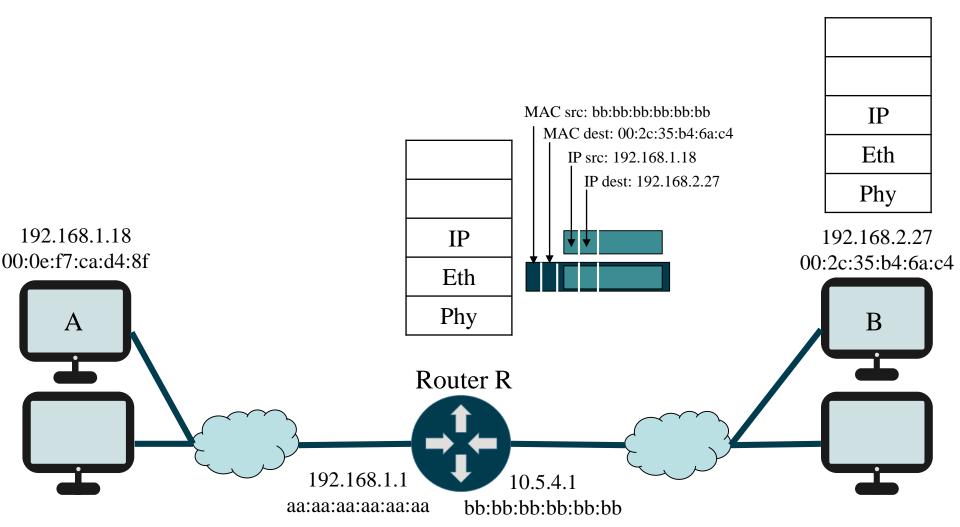








Routing to another subnet











Example of ARP Table



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C:\Users\user>arp -a			
介面: 192.168.0.2 0x4 網際網路網址 實體 192.168.0.1 10-b	·址 類型 ·f5-7b-0a-ab 動態		
192.168.0.255 ff-f	·29-fb-c3-f4 動態 ·ff-ff-ff-ff 靜態 ·5e-00-00-02 靜態		
224.0.0.22 01-0 224.0.0.251 01-0	·5e-00-00-16 靜態 ·5e-00-00-fb 靜態		
239.255.255.250 01-0	·5e-00-00-fc 靜態 ·5e-7f-ff-fa 靜態 ·ff-ff-ff-ff 靜態		







Type









ARP Packet Format

Hardware type (16 bits)		Protocol type (16 bits)	
Hardware address length (8 bits)	Protocol address length (8 bits)	Operation (16 bits)	
Sender HA (48 bits or other)			
Sender protocol address (32 bits or other)			
Target HA (48 bits or other)			
Target protocol address (32 bits or other)			







Internet Control Message Protocol











ICMP

- If a packet must be dropped by router due to
 - Destination is unreachable
 - TTL is zero
- ICMP is used to
 - Error reporting
 - Status query











ICMP

- Used by hosts & routers to communicate network-level information
 - Error reporting: unreachable host, network, port, protocol
 - Query message: echo request/reply (used by ping)
- Network-layer "above" IP:
 - ICMP messages carried in IP datagrams

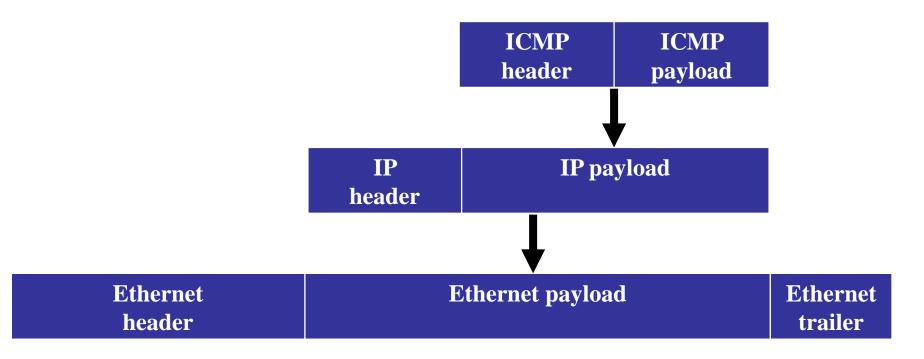








ICMP Format











ICMP Packet Format

Error reporting

Type (8 bits)	Code (8 bits)	Checksum (16 bits)	
Undefined or other (32 bits)			
Data section (IP header + 64 bits of original data)			

Query (e.g., echo request/reply)

Type (8 bits)	Code (8 bits)	Checksum (16 bits)	
Identifier	(16 bits)	Sequence number (16 bits)	
Data section (Option Data)			









ICMP Message Types

ICMP type	Description	Error reporting	Query
0	Echo reply (to ping)		✓
3	Destination unreachable	✓	
4	Source quench	✓	
5	Redirect	✓	
8	Echo request		✓
9	Router advertisement		✓
10	Router solicitation		✓
11	Time exceeded	✓	
12	Parameter problem	✓	





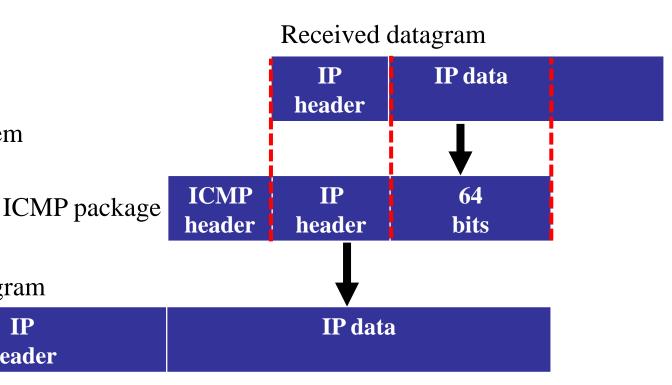






Error Reporting

- Report problems (5 types)
 - Destination unreachable
 - Source quench
 - Redirect
 - Time exceeded
 - Parameter problem



Send datagram

IP header









Query

- Get specific information
 - Echo Request / Reply
 - Ping, Traceroute
 - Router Advertisement
 - Router Solicitation
 - Timestamp Request / Reply
 - Synchronize, Delay, Host Time









Traceroute

- Source sends series of UDP segments to dest
 - First has TTL =1
 - Second has TTL=2, etc.
 - Unlikely port number 📙
- When nth datagram arrives to nth router
 - Router discards datagram
 - And sends to source an ICMP message (type 11, code 0)
 - Message includes name of router & IP address
 - When ICMP message arrives, source calculates RTT
 - Traceroute does this 3 times











Traceroute (cont.)

- Stopping criterion
 - UDP segment eventually arrives at destination host
 - Destination returns ICMP "destination unreachable" packet (type 3, code 3)
 - When source gets this ICMP, stops



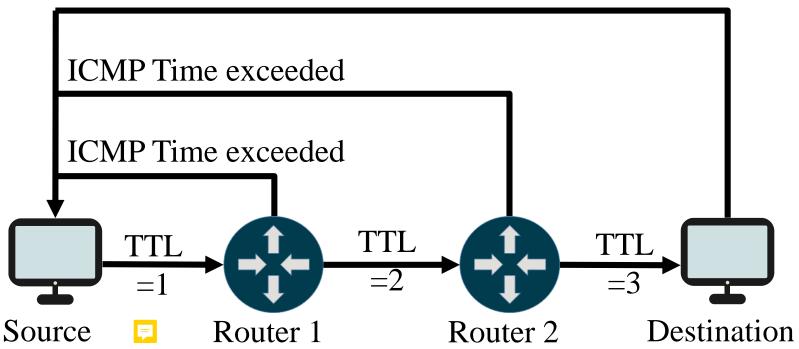






An Example of Traceroute

ICMP Destination unreachable













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