# FIT9137 Introduction to Computer Architecture and Networks

Week 9: Workshop on Network & Transport Layer

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# Today: Week-8 Workshop

How long

What?

15 mins Network Layer Routing &

Resolution

5 mins Flux Q&A

45 mins Activity 1:

(A.1)Static Routing

(A.2)Examine Network

**Routing** 

5 mins Take-home message

10 mins Overview of Transport Layer

and Flux Q&A

30 mins

**Activity 2: Transport** 

Layer

Why?

Recap from pre-class activities and

recorded videos

Recap

Static Routing

Dynamic Routing

Examine Network Routing

Conclusion

Recap on Transport Layer

Apply your knowledge in Transport Layer

Send and Receive Sequence numbers

Segment size and segment numbers

# Network + Transport Layer

### **Network Layer:**

- addressing and routing of packets
- connecting different networks

## **Transport Layer:**

- establish end-to-end channel
- reliable communication (segmenting + ARQ)
- addressing of individual applications

Layers
Application layer

Transport layer

Network layer

Data-link layer

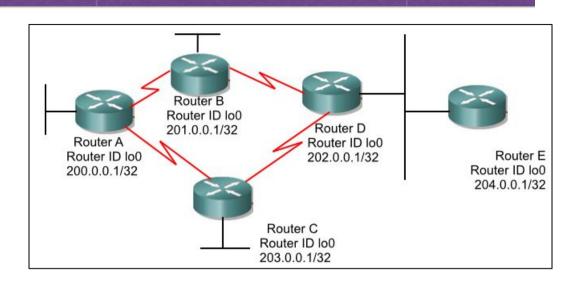
Physical layer

# The Network Layer: Routing

## Routers

#### Routers connect networks

- Internet is a network of networks!
- Most important piece of Internet infrastructure



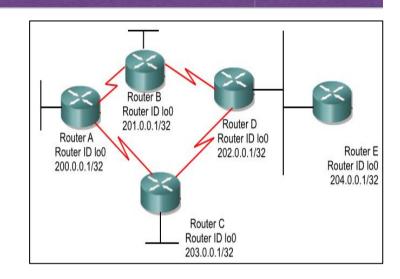
#### A router is a layer 3 device

- one IP address per interface, i.e. typically per subnet it is connected to
- Clients send packets to routers if destination is outside their own subnet
- Routers use IP address to determine over where the packet is sent next

# Routing

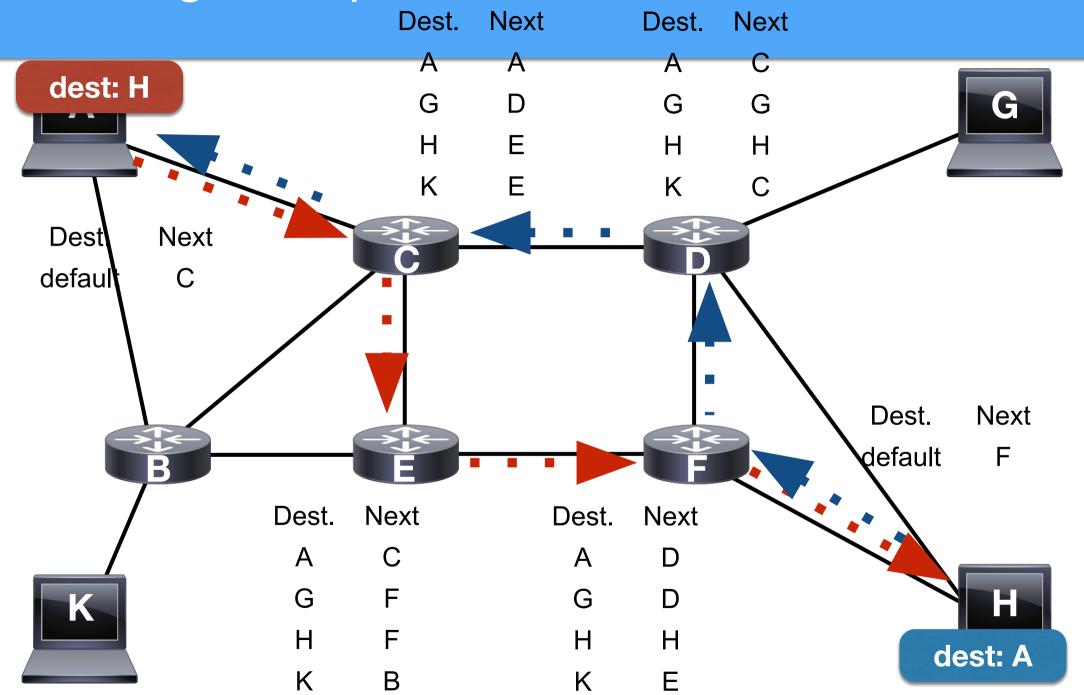
## For each incoming packet, the router

looks at the packet's destination IP address



- consults the routing table: to which other router should I send a packet for this destination, or can I deliver it directly?
- if destination not in table: send to default gateway
- if no default gateway configured: packet can't be routed and is dropped

## Routing example



## Types of decentralised routing

### Static routing: Activity A

- Network manager prepares fixed routing tables
  - Manually updated when the network changes
  - Used in simple networks that don't change a lot

## **Dynamic routing: Activity A**

- Routers exchange information to build routing tables dynamically
- Initial tables can be set up by network managers

# Dynamic routing algorithms

#### **Distance vector**

Exchange information about **distance to destination**, choose **shortest route** 

- EIGRP (Enhanced Interior Gateway Routing Protocol)
- RIP (Routing Information Protocol)
- BGP (Border Gateway Protocol)

#### **Link state**

Exchange information about **quality of links**, choose **fastest route** 

OSPF (Open Shortest Path First)

## FLUX Question: WIFI

Your WiFi/ADSL modem at home is often called a **WiFi Router**. What kind of routing does it perform?

- 1. Static routing, all packets are routed to my ISP.
- 2. BGP routing, it connects my AS at home to the internet.
- Link-state routing, to compensate for sometimes poor quality of ADSL connections.
- **4. No routing**, the name is just used for marketing reasons.

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## FLUX Question: Routing

A \_\_\_\_\_ routing table contains information entered manually.

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- A. static
- B. dynamic
- C. hierarchical
- D. none of these options

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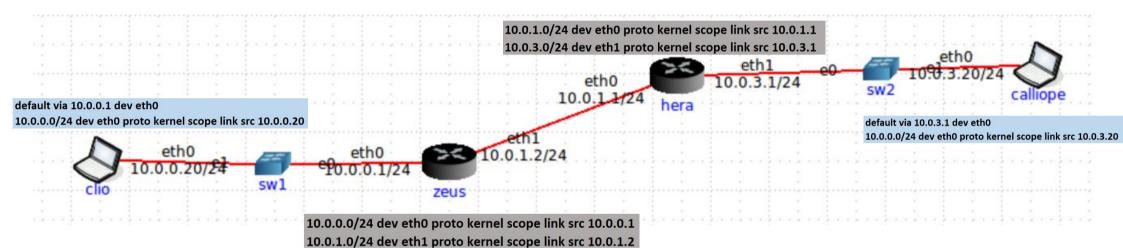
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## **ACTIVITY A**

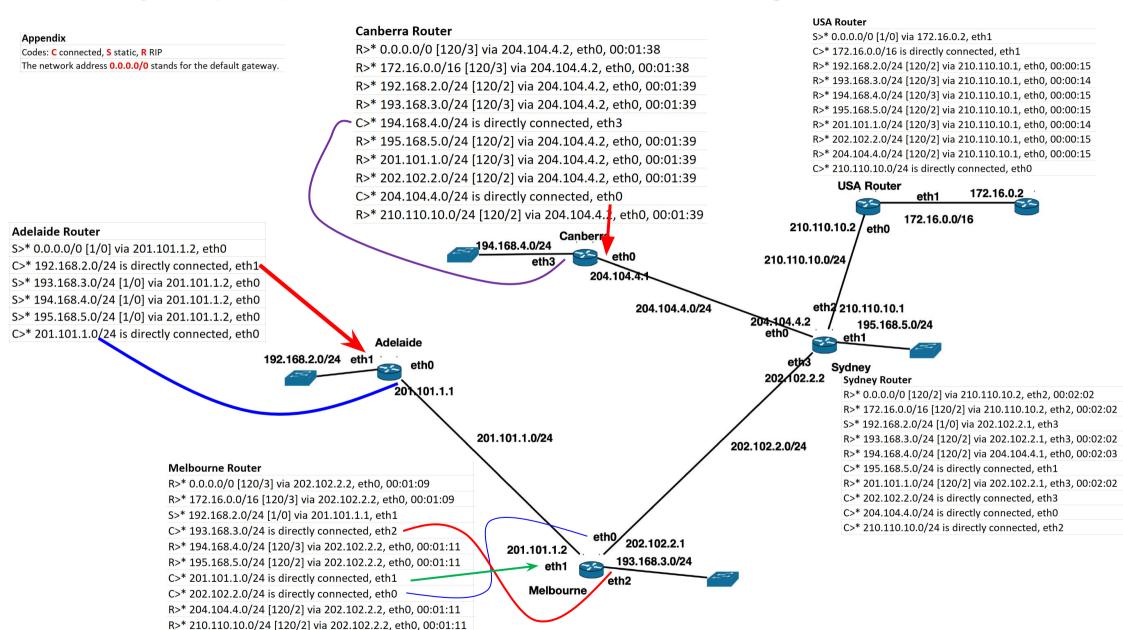
## **Download the following file inside VM:**

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Xw9HPk PmfOoi19ARfSU2yASJP3\_XCAxV/view

## Activity 1: (A.1) - Static Routing



## **Activity 1: (A.2) - Examine Network Routing**



# The Transport Layer: TCP / UDP

## TCP: A reliable end-to-end channel

Layers

Application layer

Transport layer

Network layer

Data-link layer

Physical layer

## Transmission Control Protocol (TCP)

#### **Connection-oriented**

- A virtual circuit is established between two devices
- To the application it always looks like a point-topoint full duplex connection
- Messages split into segments for transmission

#### Reliable

- Errors are detected and corrected
- Segments are re-assembled in the correct order

Used by e.g., HTTP, SMTP, IMAP, SSH.....

## TCP

### **TCP** implements segmentation

large application layer messages are split into segments

### How fast to send segments?

 Sending too many at once may overload receiver or intermediate path with lower bandwidth

### How to decide the segment size?

- Sending too large segments requires IP to fragment
- Large segments also increase errors

# TCP session Management

Server Client 3185 | 0 SYN 3-way 734 | 3186 SYN, ACK handshake 3186 | 735 ACK 3186 | 735 some data 3195 | 735 more data data transmission 735 | 3205 ACK (full duplex) 735 | 3205 thanks! 3205 | 742 ACK 3205 | 742 FIN 742 | 3206 ACK 4-way handshake 742 | 3206 FIN 3206 | 743 ACK

## FLUX Question:

Which of the following are **NOT** the characteristics of UDP?

A. UDP is connection oriented.

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B. UDP is unreliable.

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C. UDP is at the transport layer.

D. UDP uses no acknowledgements.



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## **ACTIVITY B**

## Next week: Application Layer

- Architectures: client-server, multi-tier, peer-to-peer
- World Wide Web: HTTP and HTML
- Email: SMTP, POP, IMAP

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