  * NFS

 xdr_wrapstring, encodes null terminated string
 - type of xdr being encoded
 - length of string (so receiver can malloc appropriate buf)
 - bytes of string in network order
 - maybe a null @ end
 - simple parity/checksum/CRC @ end

 Server calls registerrpc()
 - prognum: program number (64 bits)
          defined in /etc/rpc
 - versum: version of this protocol/program
 - procnum: procedure no. within program
          1 (INIT), 2 (READ_OBJECT), 3 (WRITE_OBJ), 4 (FINISH), ...
 - input xdr procedure + void* data
 - output xdr procedure + void* data

 Every rpc service has its own program number, out of a large space (larger
 than 1024 reserved ports).
 - every computer runs a special broker called rpcsvc or portmapper

 - when client C wants to talk to server S for program P, it asks pormapper
   (on fixed port 111) on host S "what port number does program P runs on
   with version V"

 - then client knows which port on S to talk to for service P (and version V).

 NULL procedure: useful as liveness "ping" and to measure service RTT