

Transport service requirements: common apps

application	data loss	throughput	time sensitive?
file transfer/download	no loss	elastic	no
e-mail	no loss	elastic	no
Web documents	no loss	elastic	no
real-time audio/video	loss-tolerant	audio: 5Kbps-1Mbps video:10Kbps-5Mbps	yes, 10's msec
streaming audio/video	loss-tolerant	same as above	yes, few secs
interactive games	loss-tolerant	Kbps+	yes, 10's msec
text messaging	no loss	elastic	yes and no

Internet transport protocols services

TCP service:

- *reliable transport* between sending and receiving process
- *flow control*: sender won't overwhelm receiver
- *congestion control*: throttle sender when network overloaded
- *does not provide*: timing, minimum throughput guarantee, security
- *connection-oriented*: setup required between client and server processes

UDP service:

- *unreliable data transfer* between sending and receiving process
- *does not provide*: reliability, flow control, congestion control, timing, throughput guarantee, security, or connection setup.

Q: why bother? *Why* is there a UDP?

Internet transport protocols services

application	application layer protocol	transport protocol
file transfer/download	FTP [RFC 959]	TCP
e-mail	SMTP [RFC 5321]	TCP
Web documents	HTTP 1.1 [RFC 7320]	TCP
Internet telephony	SIP [RFC 3261], RTP [RFC 3550], or proprietary	TCP or UDP
streaming audio/video	HTTP [RFC 7320], DASH	TCP
interactive games	WOW, FPS (proprietary)	UDP or TCP

Application layer: overview

- Principles of network applications
- **Web and HTTP**
- E-mail, SMTP, IMAP
- The Domain Name System DNS
- P2P applications
- video streaming and content distribution networks
- socket programming with UDP and TCP



Web and HTTP

First, a quick review...

- web page consists of **objects**, each of which can be stored on different **Web servers**
- object can be HTML file, JPEG image, Java applet, audio file,...
- web page consists of **base HTML-file** which includes *several referenced objects*, each addressable by a **URL**, e.g.,

`www.someschool.edu/someDept/pic.gif`

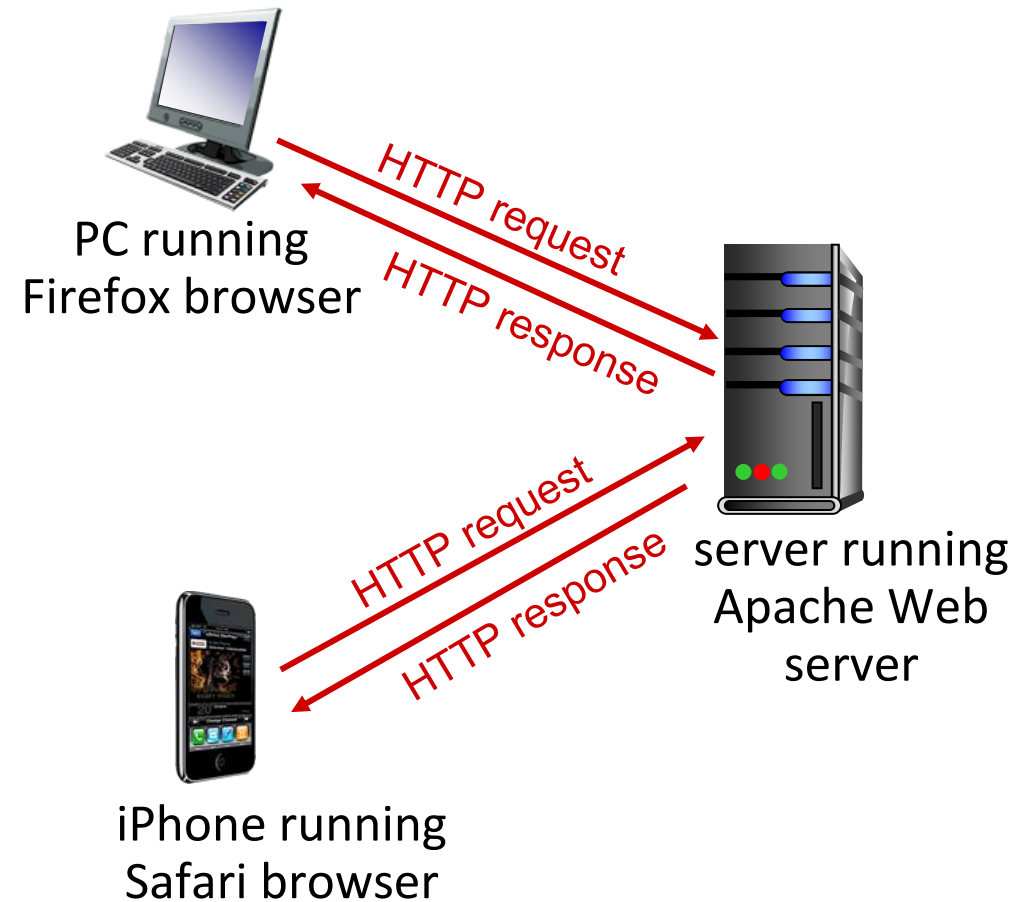
host name

path name

HTTP overview

HTTP: hypertext transfer protocol

- Web's application layer protocol
- client/server model:
 - *client*: browser that requests, receives, (using HTTP protocol) and “displays” Web objects
 - *server*: Web server sends (using HTTP protocol) objects in response to requests



HTTP overview (continued)

HTTP uses TCP:

- client initiates TCP connection (creates socket) to server, port 80
- server accepts TCP connection from client
- HTTP messages (application-layer protocol messages) exchanged between browser (HTTP client) and Web server (HTTP server)
- TCP connection closed

HTTP is “stateless”

- server maintains no information about past client requests

HTTP connections: two types

Non-persistent HTTP

1. TCP connection opened
2. at most one object sent over TCP connection
3. TCP connection closed

downloading **multiple objects** required **multiple connections**

Persistent HTTP

- TCP connection opened to a server
- **multiple objects** can be sent over **single TCP connection** between client, and that server
- TCP connection closed

Non-persistent HTTP: example

User enters URL: `www.someSchool.edu/someDepartment/home.index`
(containing text, references to 10 jpeg images)



1a. HTTP client initiates TCP connection to HTTP server (process) at `www.someSchool.edu` on port 80



1b. HTTP server at host `www.someSchool.edu` waiting for TCP connection at port 80 “accepts” connection, notifying client

2. HTTP client sends HTTP *request message* (containing URL) into TCP connection socket. Message indicates that client wants object `someDepartment/home.index`

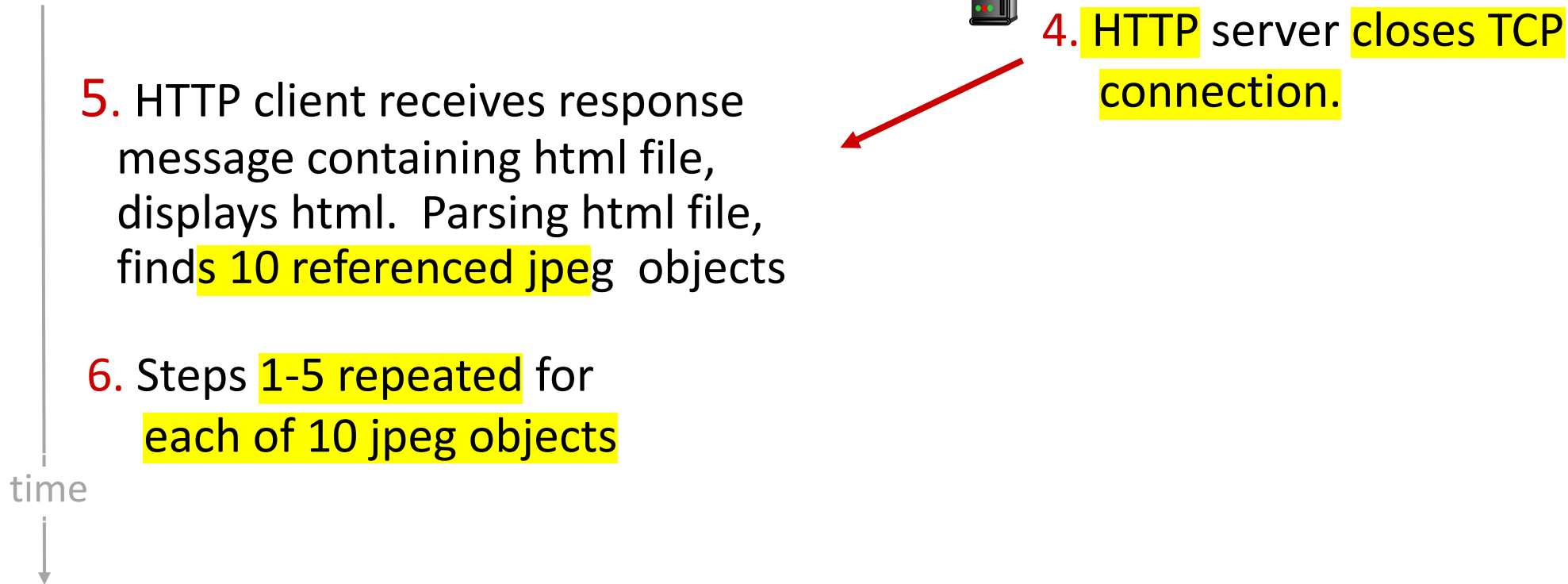
3. HTTP server receives *request message*, forms *response message* containing requested object, and sends message into its socket

time



Non-persistent HTTP: example (cont.)

User enters URL: `www.someSchool.edu/someDepartment/home.index`
(containing text, references to 10 jpeg images)

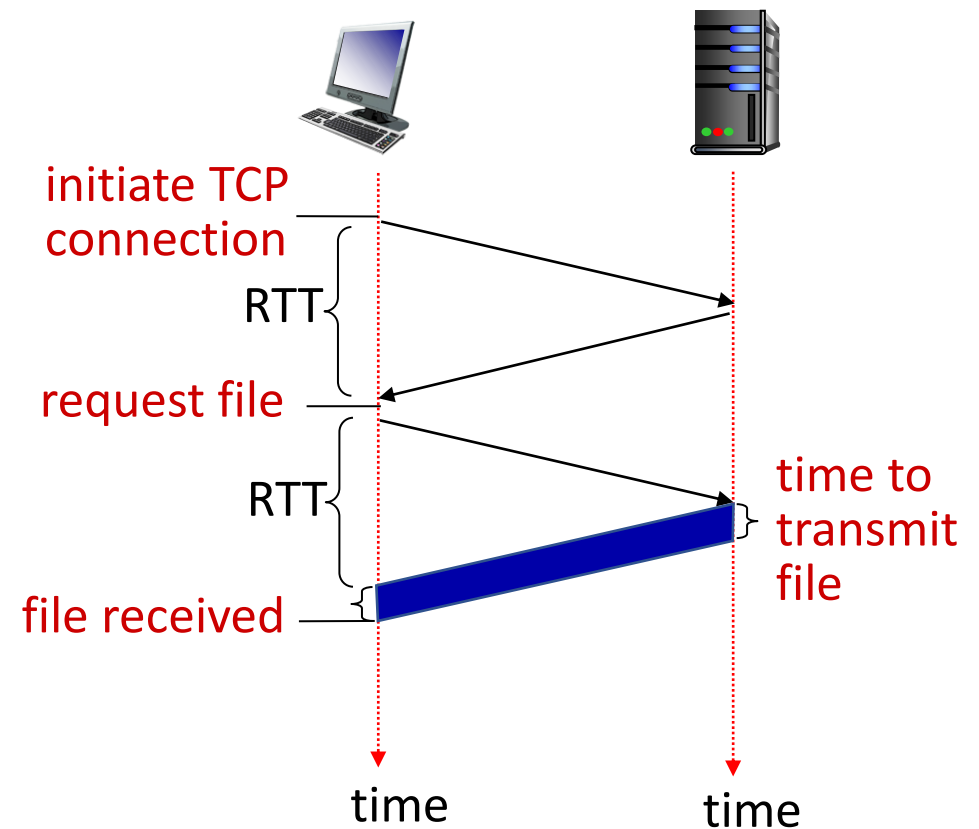


Non-persistent HTTP: response time

RTT (definition): time for a small packet to travel from client to server and back

HTTP response time (per object):

- one RTT to initiate TCP connection
- one RTT for HTTP request and first few bytes of HTTP response to return
- object/file transmission time



Non-persistent HTTP response time = 2RTT + file transmission time

Persistent HTTP (HTTP 1.1)

Non-persistent HTTP issues:

- requires 2 RTTs per object
- OS overhead for *each* TCP connection
- browsers often open multiple parallel TCP connections to fetch referenced objects in parallel

Persistent HTTP (HTTP1.1):

- server leaves connection open after sending response
- subsequent HTTP messages between same client/server sent over open connection
- client sends requests as soon as it encounters a referenced object
- as little as one RTT for all the referenced objects (cutting response time in half)

HTTP request message

- two types of HTTP messages: *request, response*
- **HTTP request message:**
 - ASCII (human-readable format)

request line (GET, POST,
HEAD commands)

header
lines

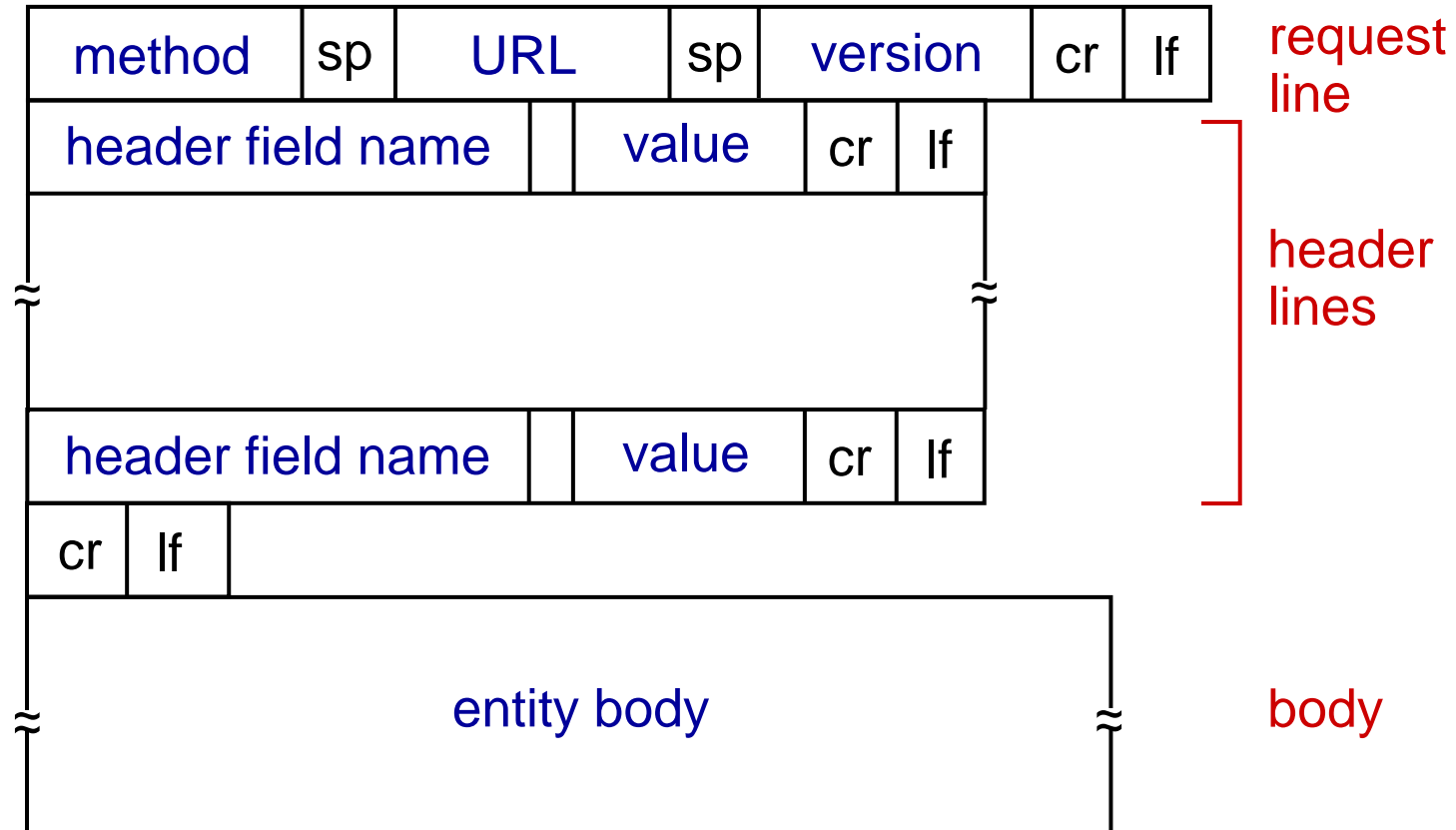
carriage return character
line-feed character

```
GET /index.html HTTP/1.1\r\n
Host: www-net.cs.umass.edu\r\n
User-Agent: Firefox/3.6.10\r\n
Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml\r\n
Accept-Language: en-us,en;q=0.5\r\n
Accept-Encoding: gzip,deflate\r\n
Accept-Charset: ISO-8859-1,utf-8;q=0.7\r\n
Keep-Alive: 115\r\n
Connection: keep-alive\r\n
\r\n
```

carriage return, line feed
at start of line indicates
end of header lines

* Check out the online interactive exercises for more
examples: http://gaia.cs.umass.edu/kurose_ross/interactive/

HTTP request message: general format



Other HTTP request messages

GET method: (Read)

- include user data in URL field of HTTP GET request message

POST method: (Create)

- web page often includes form input
- user input sent from client to server in entity body of HTTP POST request message

`www.somesite.com/animalsearch?monkeys&banana`

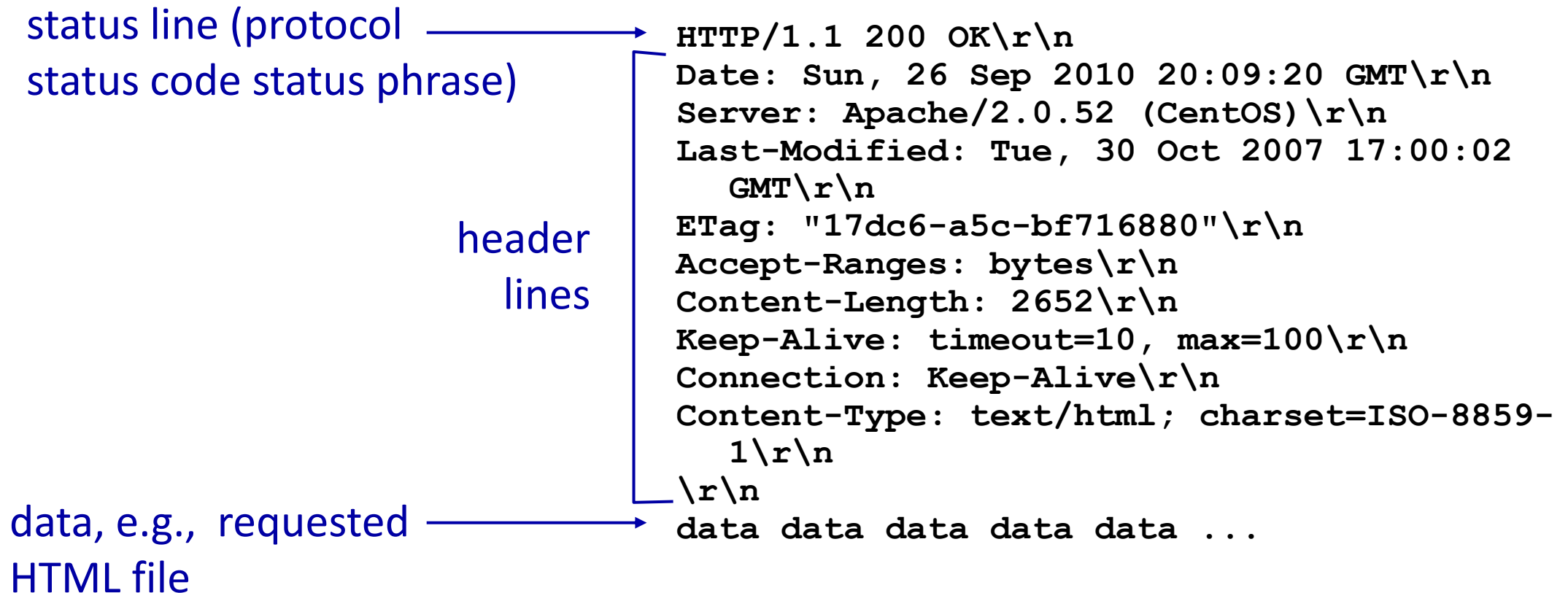
HEAD method: (only header)

- requests headers (only) that would be returned *if* specified URL were requested with an HTTP GET method.

PUT method: (update)

- uploads new file (object) to server
- completely replaces file that exists at specified URL with content in entity body of POST HTTP request message

HTTP response message



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HTTP response status codes

- status code appears in 1st line in server-to-client response message.
- some sample codes:

200 OK

- request succeeded, requested object later in this message

301 Moved Permanently

- requested object moved, new location specified later in this message (in Location: field)

400 Bad Request

- request msg not understood by server

404 Not Found

- requested document not found on this server

505 HTTP Version Not Supported

Wireshark Basics & Demo



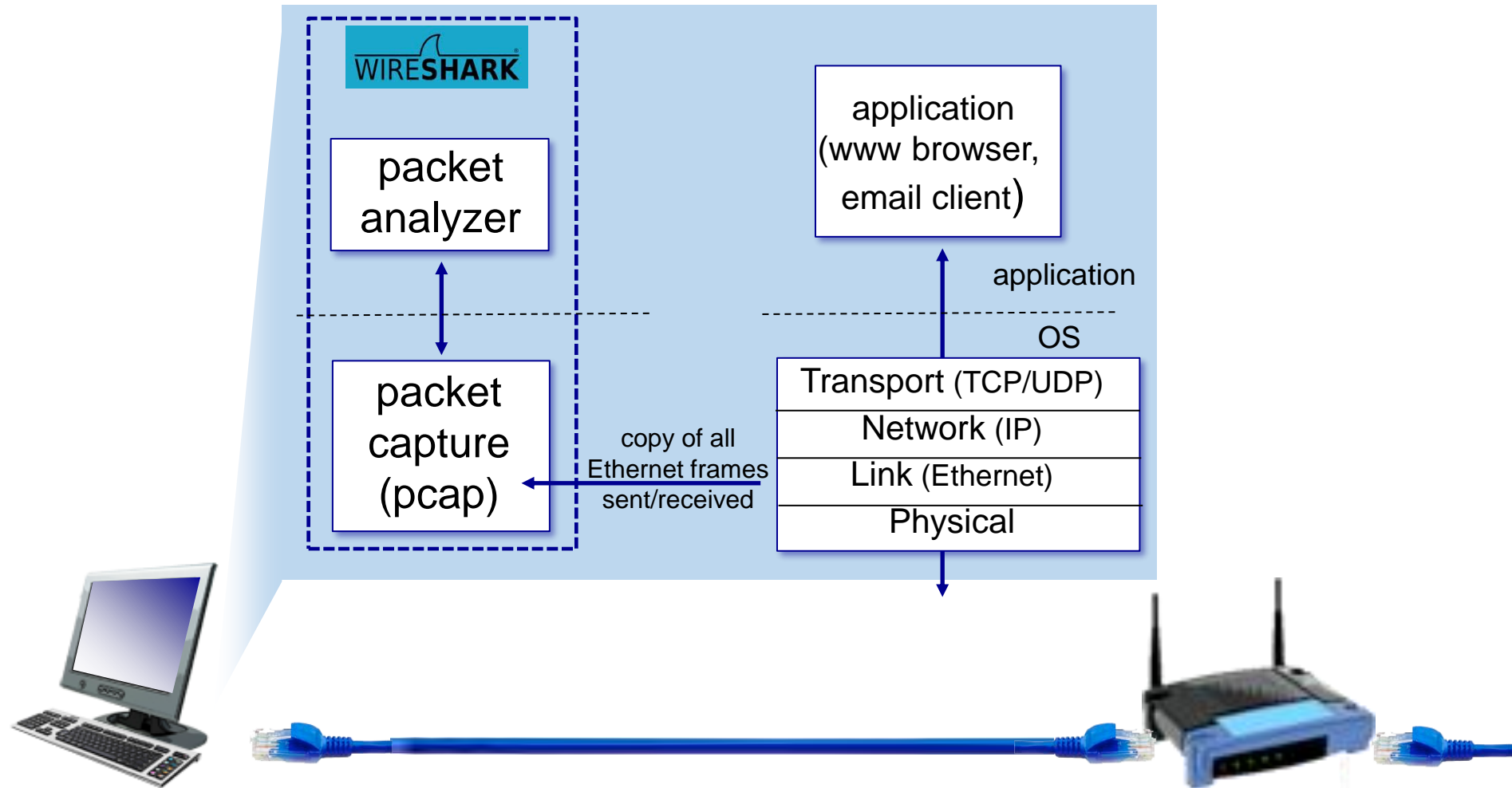
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Wireshark

- **Install Wireshark**
- For installing wireshark in Ubuntu system type in the following command in the terminal:
- **\$ sudo apt-get install wireshark**
- For further details you can refer: <https://www.wireshark.org/download.html>

How Wireshark works?



Wireshark Cont..

Usage: `wireshark [options] ... [<infile>]`

Capture interface:

```
-i <interface>, --interface <interface>
                                name or idx of interface (def: first non-loopback)
-f <capture filter>            packet filter in libpcap filter syntax
-s <snaplen>, --snapshot-length <snaplen>
                                packet snapshot length (def: appropriate maximum)
-p, --no-promiscuous-mode
                                don't capture in promiscuous mode
-k
                                start capturing immediately (def: do nothing)
-S
                                update packet display when new packets are captured
-l
                                turn on automatic scrolling while -S is in use
-I, --monitor-mode             capture in monitor mode, if available
-B <buffer size>, --buffer-size <buffer size>
                                size of kernel buffer (def: 2MB)
-y <link type>, --linktype <link type>
                                link layer type (def: first appropriate)
--time-stamp-type <type>       timestamp method for interface
-D, --list-interfaces          print list of interfaces and exit
-L, --list-data-link-types
```

Cont..

an exact multiple of NUM secs

Input file:

`-r <infile>, --read-file <infile>`

set the filename to read from (no pipes or stdin!)

Processing:

`-R <read filter>, --read-filter <read filter>`

packet filter in Wireshark display filter syntax

`-n` disable all name resolutions (def: all enabled)

`-N <name resolve flags>` enable specific name resolution(s): "mnNtdv"

`-d <layer_type>==<selector>,<decode_as_protocol> ...`

"Decode As", see the man page for details

Example: `tcp.port==8888,http`

Wireshark Cont..

To start capture

- `$ sudo wireshark -i wlan0` => wireless interface
- `$ sudo wireshark -i eth0` => wired interface

To save file

- `$ sudo mkdir wireshark`
- `$ cd wireshark`
- `$ sudo wireshark -i wlan0 -w test`

Specify duration for capture

- `$ sudo wireshark -i wlan0 -w test -a duration:10` (time in seconds)

To read

- `$ sudo wireshark -r test`

Cont..

- **For Filters**
 - \$ sudo wireshark -r test -R "ip.src == 192.168.0.8"
 - \$ sudo wireshark -r test -R "ip.src == 192.168.0.8 && ip.dst == 192.168.0.4"
 - \$ sudo wireshark -r test -R "ip.src == 192.168.0.8 || ip.src == 192.168.0.4"
- Please find below all the list of filters
 - **Cheatsheet for filters:**
http://packetlife.net/media/library/13/Wireshark_Display_Filters.pdf
 - **Cmd line help:**
https://www.wireshark.org/docs/wsug_html_chunked/ChCustCommandLine.html

Wireshark Display Filters

WIRESHARK DISPLAY FILTERS - PART 1 packetlife.net

Ethernet			ARP	
eth.addr	eth.len	eth.src	arp.dst.hw_mac	arp.proto.size
eth.dst	eth.lg	eth.trailer	arp.dst.proto_ipv4	arp.proto.type
eth.ig	eth.multicast	eth.type	arp.hw.size	arp.src.hw_mac
			arp.hw.type	arp.src.proto_ipv4
			arp.opcode	
IEEE 802.1Q			TCP	
vlan.cfi	vlan.id	vlan.priority	tcp.ack	tcp.options.qs
vlan.etype	vlan.len	vlan.trailer	tcp.checksum	tcp.options.sack
			tcp.checksum_bad	tcp.options.sack_le
			tcp.checksum_good	tcp.options.sack_perm
			tcp.continuation_to	tcp.options.sack_re
			tcp.dstport	tcp.options.time_stamp
			tcp.flags	tcp.options.wscale
			tcp.flags.ack	tcp.options.wscale_val
			tcp.flags.cwr	tcp.pdu.last_frame
			tcp.flags.ecn	tcp.pdu.size
			tcp.flags.fin	tcp.pdu.time
			tcp.flags.push	tcp.port
			tcp.flags.reset	tcp.reassembled_in
			tcp.flags.syn	tcp.segment
			tcp.flags.urg	tcp.segment.error
			tcp.hdr_len	tcp.segment.multipletails
			tcp.len	tcp.segment.overlap
			tcp.nextseq	tcp.segment.overlap.conflict
IPv4				
ip.addr	ip.fragment.overlap.conflict			
ip.checksum	ip.fragment.toolongfragment			
ip.checksum_bad	ip.fragments			
ip.checksum_good	ip.hdr_len			
ip.dsfield	ip.host			
ip.dsfield.ce	ip.id			
ip.dsfield.dscp	ip.len			
ip.dsfield.ect	ip.proto			
ip.dst	ip.reassembled_in			
ip.dst_host	ip.src			
ip.flags	ip.src_host			
ip.flags.df	ip.tos			
ip.flags.mf	ip.tos.cost			
ip.flags.rb	ip.tos.delay			
ip.frag_offset	ip.tos.precedence			
ip.fragment	ip.tos.reliability			
ip.fragment.error	ip.tos.throughout			

UDP		
udp.checksum	udp.dstport	udp.srcport
udp.checksum_bad	udp.length	
udp.checksum_good	udp.port	
Operators	Logic	
eq or ==	and or &&	Logical AND
ne or !=	or or	Logical OR
gt or >	xor or ^^	Logical XOR
lt or <	not or !	Logical NOT
ge or >=	[n] [...]	Substring operator
le or <=		

https://packetlife.net/media/library/13/Wireshark_Display_Filters.pdf

Wireshark cont..

Promiscuous mode Vs non-promiscuous mode

Collecting Statistics/summary in wireshark

Wireshark I/O graph

References for Wireshark

- [Wireshark User's Guide: Version 3.7.3](#)
- **Here are some basics on how to get started with Wireshark**
 - https://www.wireshark.org/docs/wsug_html_chunked/
 - <http://www.howtogeek.com/104278/how-to-use-wireshark-to-capture-filter-and-inspect-packets/>
- Youtube videos for beginners:
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TkCSr30UojM>
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jvuil1Leg6w&t=9s>