Lab2: Net Ninny

Questions?

- How to handle 2-3-... word combinations? find() in the C++ library.
- Forking really necessary? Or threads okay? Threads are okay.
- State machine by character to parse the messages? Yes.

Teaching session

Advice

- use one port per msg on the client side (recv)
- backlog: 10
- if sending failed (check first), send again
- use the header Connection: close and enforce it on HTTP 1.1!
- look at Content-type: text in the response msg before parsing
- only filter urls and text!
- if abusive content found, send 301, then new request for the error page, then forward

Setup

- Set the browser to 127.0.0.1 + port number
- use port > 1024
- use only IPv4

Architecture

Server	Client
$\overline{{\rm get}\ {\rm GET}\ {\rm request}\ +\ {\rm forward}\ {\rm response}\ {\rm to}\ {\rm client}}$	send GET to server + get response
url filtering	content filtering

What needs to be done

Done

- Threads
- Server able to get requests
- Client able to get requests
- Client able to send request
- Client able to get response
- Constants file
- Constant content redirect response
- Exceptions
- Request as abstract object (get) with to_string method
- Response class with to_string method

Martin

- for the CHTTPRequest: method string getHost()
- for the CHTTResponse: method string getContentType(const string& header)
- for the CHTTResponse: method bool isTextContent(const string& header)
- parse the http: method, url, version, etc.
- replace Connection: keep-alive by Connection: close in the request

Lena

- Check for errors when the server uses the client
- Separate TCP and Server files
- Start report