

Computer Networks - Nodes Connected to by wired or wireless links.

Basic characteristics of CN

(1) Fault tolerance

→ Continue working despite of failure

→ Ensure no loss of service

(2) Scalability

→ Grow based on need

→ Have good performance after growth

(3) Quality of service

→ Ability to set priorities

→ Manage data & traffic

(4) Security

→ ability to prevent

→ unauthorized access

→ forging

→ misuse

→ ability to provide

→ Confidentiality

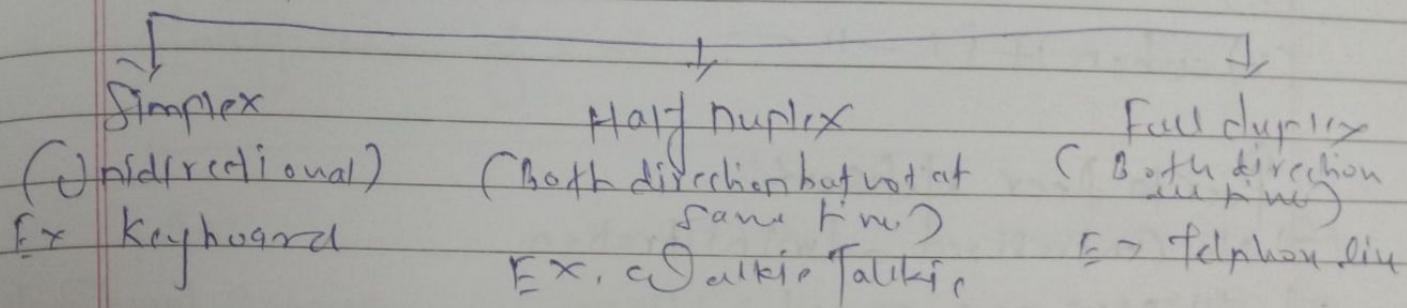
→ Integrity

→ availability

Data Communication

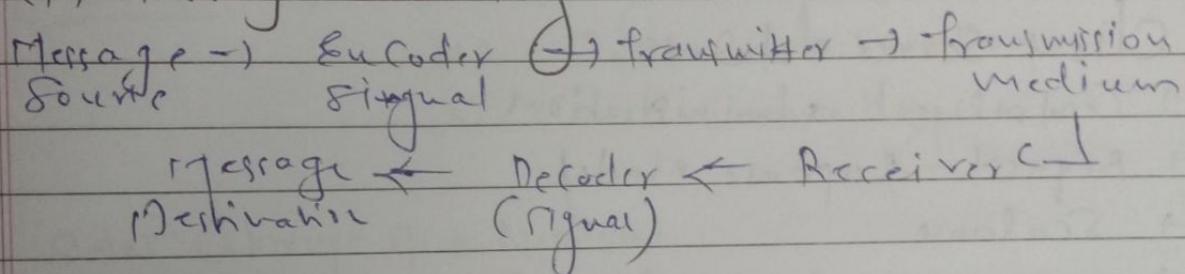
Data Communication is the exchange of data between two nodes via some form of line (transmission) such as a cable.

Data flow



Protocols - network communication
(Elements of protocol)

(1) Message encoding



(2) Message formatting & encapsulation

Agreed format

Encapsulate the info to identify the sender & the receiver
correctly

(3) Message size

long messages must be broken into smaller pieces
to travel across a network

(4) Message timing

flow control, response timeout

(5) msg delivery options

(1) Unicast

(2) Multicast

(3) Broadcast

Protocols

It determines

- (1) what is communicated
- (2) How it is -||-
- (3) when it is -||-

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Peer to Peer Network

- No centralized administration
- All peers are equal
- Simple sharing application
- Not scalable

Client Server Network

- Centralized administration
- Request - Response model
- Scalable
- Server may be overloaded

Components of CN

(1) Nodes -

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End nodes

Computers, VoIP Phones,
Security Cameras

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Intermediary nodes

Switches, Bridges, Hubs
Repeaters, Cell Towers

(2) Media

Dired Medium

Ethernet straight through cable,
Ethernet crossover cable, Fiber
Optic cable, Coaxial Cable.
USB cable

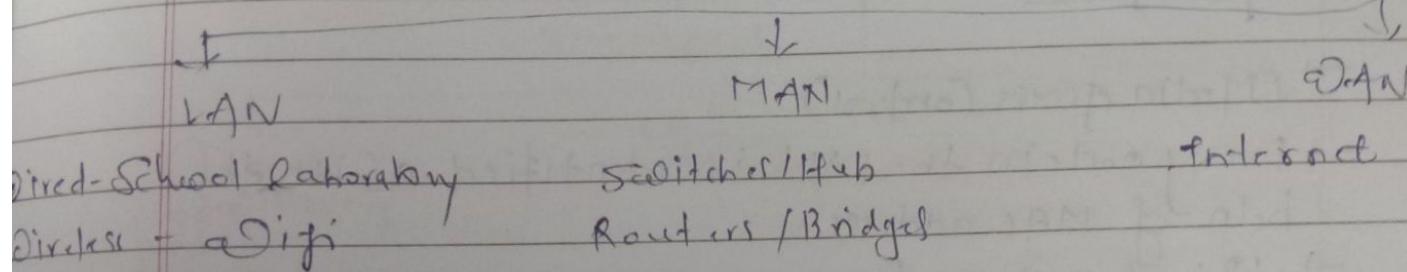
Wireless Medium

Infrared - TV remote
Radio - Bluetooth WiFi
Micro Waves - Cell phones
Satellite - GN

(g) Services

e-mail, online games & storage services
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Voice over IP, file sharing, Video telephony Date: 1/1

Classification of CN



- New trends
- (1) Bring Your Own Device
 - (2) Online Collaboration
 - (3) Cloud Computing

SAN (Storage Area Network)
Cloud Computing

Ring	Number of Nodes	No. of Cables	No. of ports/Device	Total number of ports in the network
Ring	N	N	2	$2 \times N$
Star	N	N	1	$2 \times N$
Mesh	$\frac{N(N-1)}{2}$	$\frac{N(N-1)}{2}$	N-1	$N(N-1)$

IP Address

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- IP - Internet protocol
- Every node in network is identified using IP address
- 0.0.0.0 to 255.255.255.255 (32 bits)
- Mac Address (Physical address)

→ MAC = Media Access Control

→ Every node in the LAN is identified with the help of MAC address

→ IP = location of a person

MAC = Name of person

→ Unique / Cannot be changed / Assigned by manufacturer

→ Ex : 70-20-84-00-ED-FC

→ Separator - hyphen, period, semicolon

Port Address

Friend sends you a parcel.

Reaching our city = Reaching our network (IP)

Reaching our apartment = Reaching the host (MAC)

Reaching right person = Reaching right process (Port)

→ In a node, many processes will be running

Every process in a node is uniquely identified using port numbers

→ Port = Communication endpoint.

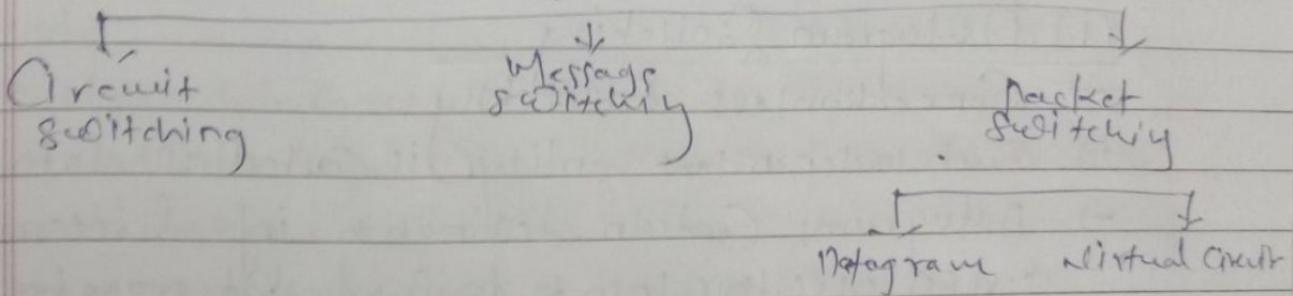
Key points

→ attach source IP address & destination

Switching techniques

- Switching in CN helps in deciding the bandwidth for data transmission if there are multiple paths in a larger network
- One to one Connection

Switching Techniques



(1) Circuit switching

3 phases

- (1) Connection establishment
- (2) Data transfer
- (3) Connection disconnection

(2) Message switching

→ store & forward mechanism

→ Message is transferred as a complete unit & forwarded using store & forward mechanism

at intermediary node
→ Not suited for streaming media & real-time application

(3) Packet switching

→ Internet is a packet switched network

→ Message is broken into individual chunks called as packets

→ Each packet is sent individually



- Each packet will have source & destination IP address with sequence number
- Sequence number will help to receiver to

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- Reorder the packets
- Detects missing packets
- Send acknowledgement

(i) Datagram Switching

- Connectionless Switching
- Each independent entity is called as datagram
- Datagrams contain destination info & intermediate device uses this info to forward datagram to right destination
- ~~Path~~ Here path is not fixed.
- Intermediate nodes take the routing decisions to forward the packets

(ii) Virtual Circuit

- Connection Oriented Switching
- A preplanned route is established before the messages are sent
- Call request & call accept packets are used to establish the connection between sender & receiver
- Path is fixed for the duration of a logical connection

Layering in CN

Layering - Decomposing the problem into more manageable components

- It provides more modular design
- Easy to troubleshoot

Role of Protocols in Layering

- protocols is a set of rules that governs data communication
- protocols in each layer governs the activities of the data communication

Layered Architecture

OSI Model

- open system interconnection → TCP / IP = transmission control
- Model for understanding & designing, protocol / internet protocol and network architecture i.e. flexible → was developed prior to OSI
- robust & interpretable → e.g. layers here do not match all
- developed by ISO → It is a hierarchical protocol
- Not a protocol model of interactive modules,
- only a guideline hence referred each of which provide a specific as OSI reference model functionality.
- ★ The purpose of OSI model is to show how to facilitate communication between two machines having diff OS (Linux, Ubuntu, Windows)
- has never fully implemented.

OSI Reference Model

- purpose of the OSI Model is to facilitate communication between diff systems without requiring changes to the logic of the underlying hardware & software

Layer	No	Name	Function	Protocol	Function	Protocol	Function	Protocol
Physical layer	1	Physical layer	Physical connection	Physical layer	Data link layer	Data link layer	Network layer	Network layer

Application Layer

- It enables the user to access the network resources
- Services provided by Application Layer
 - File transfer and access management
 - Mail services
 - Directory services

Presentation layer

- It is concerned with the syntax & semantics of the information exchanged between two systems
- Services
 - Translation
 - Encryption
 - Compression

Session layer

- Establishes, maintains, & synchronizes the interaction among communicating devices
- Services
 - Dialog Control
 - Synchronization

Transport layer

- It is responsible for process to process delivery of the entire message
- Services
 - Port addressing
 - Segmentation & Reassembly
 - Connection Control
 - End-to-End flow control
 - Error Control

Network Layer

- It is responsible for delivery of data from the original source to the destination network

- Services : • Logical addressing
• Routing

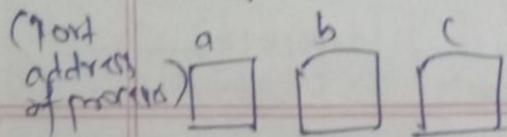
Data link layer

- Responsible for moving data (frames) from one node to another node.
- Services • Framing
• Physical addressing
• Flow control
• Error Control
• Access Control

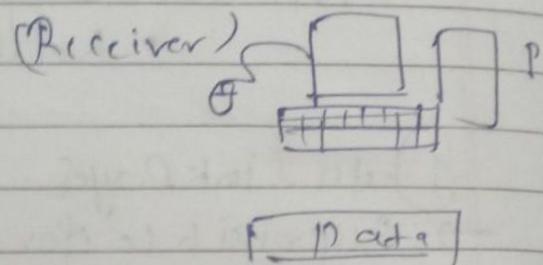
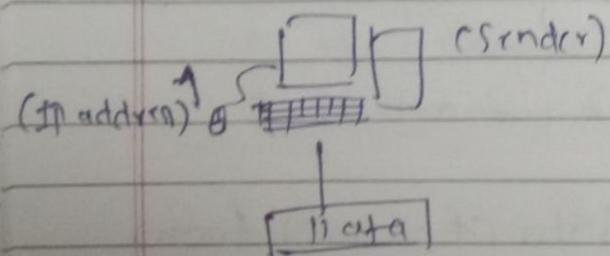
Physical Layer

- Responsible for transmitting bits over a medium
It also provides electrical & mechanical specifications
- Services • Physical characteristics of the media
• Representation of bits
• Data rate
• Synchronization of bits
• Line Configuration
• Physical Topology

Port addressing and IP addressing



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a | j | Data

IP

f | a | l | i | Data

A P | a | j | Data

NP

T A / D | a | j | Data

H₂ A P | a | j | Data | T₁

DLL →

Internet

H₂ = Source & destination Mac addresses

T₁ = Error Control

OSI vs TCP/IP

Application

HTTP, DNS,

Presentation

DHCP, FTP

Session

Application

Transport

TCP, UDP

Network

IPV4, IPV6,

Data Link

ICMP, PPP,

Physical

Frame Relay

Transport

Internet

Network Access

OSI Model

TCP/IP Model

Application - Represents data to the user, plus encoding & dialog control

Transport - Supports communication between diverse devices across diverse networks

Internet - Determining the best path through the networks

Network access - Controls the hardware devices and media that make up the network

Protocol Data Unit (PDU)

Protocol Data Units (PDUs) are named according to the protocols of the TCP/IP suite: data, segment, packet, frame & bits

Email Data

[Data | Data | Data]

Data

[T8] Data
(Transport Header)

Segment

[VID | VID | Data]

Packet

[FID | VID | VID | Data]

Frame
(Medium Dependent)

10110001100010011

Bits

Basic Networking Commands

- (1) ipconfig - Used to display and manage IP address assigned to the machine
- (2) ipconfig /all - To show info about your network adapter
- (3) ping - is the primary TCP/IP Command used to troubleshoot connectivity, reachability & name resolution
- (4) Traceroute - for displaying the time it takes for a packet of info to travel between a local Computer and destination IP address or domain
- (5) NS lookup - To find info about another comp with the ip address

Basics of Cisco Packet tracer

- Cisco - leading Company in networking
- An innovative & powerful networking simulation tool used for practice, discovery & troubleshooting

Hub

- Works at the physical layer
- Used to set up LAN
- Has multiple ports

→ Star topology

→ When a packet arrives at one port, it is copied to the other ports so that all segments of the LAN can see all packets

Note - Different devices - Ethernet straight cable
Same devices - Ethernet Cross Cable

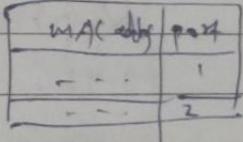
Pros

- (1) Cheaper than switches
- (2) works good for small network

Cons

- (1) Issues in broadcast
- (2) No memory

Switch

- Networking hardware that connects devices on a computer or network to establish a local area network.
- Unlike hub, switch has memory
- Stores MAC address table → 
- Layer 2 device for setting up LAN

Hub

- Layer 1 device (Physical layer)
- Has no memory
- Not an intelligent device
- Floods the network with broadcasting
- Security risks are high
- less efficient
- Half duplex
- Layer 2 device (Data link layer)
- Stores MAC address table
- Intelligent device
- Can do unicasting, multicasting, broadcasting
- Security risks are low
- more efficient
- Full duplex

Switch

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Basics of Router

- Networking device that forwards data packets between two Computer Network
- A router is connected to at least two network, commonly two LANs or a WAN or a LAN and its ISP's networks
- It is a layer 3 (Network layer) device
- Stores routing table

Switch

- (1) To connect many devices on a CN

To connect one local network to other

- (2) Operates at data link layer, Operates at Network layer
- (3) Has memory & stores MAC address, Has memory & stores routing table
- (4) Decisions are taken based on MAC address
- (5) Half / full duplex
- (6) LAN

Router

IP address

Full duplex

LAN, MAN, WAN

Repeater

- The data signals generally become too weak or corrupted if they tend to travel a long distance
- Repeater regenerates the signal over the same network
- It operates at the physical layer
- They do not amplify the signal
- It is a 2 port device

Basics of Bridge

- Bridge = Repeater + functionality of reading MAC address
- It is a layer 2 device
- Used for interconnecting two LANs on the same protocol
- It is a 2 port device

Types of Bridges

(1) Transparent Bridges

→ These are the bridges in which the stations are completely unaware of the bridge's existence

→ Re-configuration of the stations is unnecessary even if bridge is added or removed from network

(2) Source Routing Bridges

→ Here routing operation is performed by source station and frame specifies which route to follow

Various networking devices

Repeater, Hub, Switch, Bridge, Router, Multi-layer Switch, Router, Modem, Firewall

Fundamental principles of physical layer

- (1) Major function of the physical layer is to move data in the form of electromagnetic signal across a transmission medium
- (2) The data usable to a person or an application are not in a form that can be transmitted over a network
- (3) for ex, an image must first be changed to a form that transmission media can accept
- (4) to be transmitted, data must be transformed to electromagnetic signals

Signal

- It is a function that represents the variation of a physical quantity with respect to time
- Ex. Variation in temp of a city in one day i.e. 24 hrs
- Analog and Digital Signal

Analog Signal

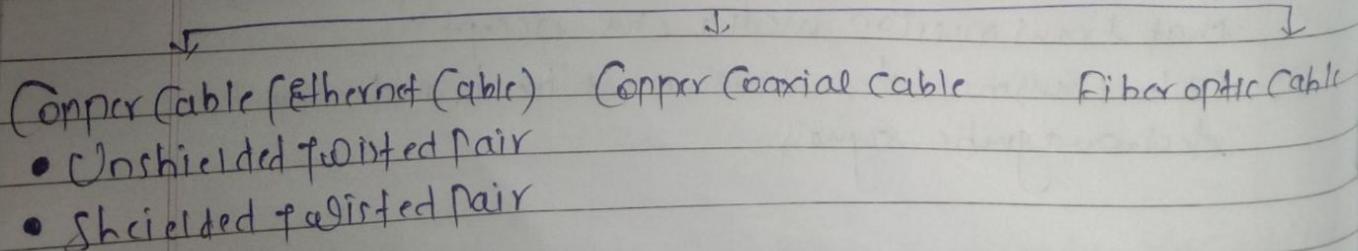
- Signal that can take any value in defined range
- All real life signals

Digital Signal

- Signal that can take one of the finite values at any given time
- Here we discrete both time & magnitude

Media	Physical Components	Signals
Copper Cable		electromagnetic signals
Fiber Optic Cable		• A light pulse regular • No light pulse irregular
Wireless Media		Radio waves

Directed Media



Physical Layer

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- Responsible for transmitting bits over a medium
- Services
 - Physical characteristics of media
 - Representation of bits
 - Data rate
 - Synchronization of bits
 - Line Config
 - physical topology
 - transmission media

Line Configuration

- In a network two or more nodes are connected by a communication link that can be wired or wireless
- for visualization links are imagined as a line between two points.
- for communication to happen, two nodes must be connected to the same link at the same time
- This is called as line Config or Connection

- Type →
- ① Point to Point
 - ② Multipoint Connection

Link layer Services

Data Link Layer

Responsible for moving data (frame) from one node to another node.

Services - framing, physical addressing, flow control, Error Control (ACK Control)

① Framing - The data link layer needs to pack bits into frames, so that each frame is distinguishable from one another.

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- Our postal ~~service~~ system practiced a type of framing
- The simple act of inserting a delimiter in an envelope separates one piece of info from another; the envelope serves as the delimiter

② Physical Addressing

- A frame is the encapsulation of the header & trailer info with the packet
- In the header, the source & destination mac address are dealt

③ Flow Control

- Flow Control is one of the duties of data link control sublayer
- The flow control in data link layer is end-to-end flow control
- Speed matching mechanism
- It co-ordinates the amount of data that can be sent before receiving an acknowledgement

④ Access Control

- Media Access Control

⑤ Error Control

- Error Detection & Correction

Sublayer of DLU

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Logical link Sublayer

- Takes the network protocol data & adds control info to help deliver the packet to the destination (Flow Control)
- Constitutes the lower sublayer of data link layer
- Implemented by hardware, typically in the Computer NIC
- Two primary responsibilities
 - Data encapsulation
 - Media Access Control

Data Encapsulation

- Frame assembly before transmission, frame disassembly upon reception of a frame
- MAC layer adds a header & trailer to the network layer PDU → Responsible for the placement of frames on the media & removal of frames from media
- Communicates directly with physical layer

Framing

- Framing in the data link layer separates a frame distinguishable from another frame
- Frame = Header + Network Layer PDU + trailer
- In packet switched network, the block of data called frame are exchanged between nodes, not bit stream
- When node A wishes to transmit a frame to node B it tells its adapter to transmit a frame from the node's memory
- This results in a sequence of bits being sent over the link.

→ The adaptor on node B then collects together the sequence of bits arriving on the link and deposits the corresponding frame Date 13/9/2018

Types

Fixed size framing

→ Here the size of the frame is fixed → Here the size of each frame may be different so the frame length acts as delimiter frame to be transmitted of the frame.

Variable size framing

Consequently, it does not require additional mechanism additional boundary bits to identify, are kept to mark the end of the start and of the frame of one frame of the beginning of other

Various Framing Approach

Bit oriented approach

1) It simply views the frame as a collection of bits
2) Not transmitted as a sequence of bits that can be interpreted in the upper layer both as text or as multimedia data

Byte oriented approach

1) Each frame is viewed as a collection of Byte
2) Byte oriented protocol - B1 SYNC, BDCMP, PPP

3) Bit oriented protocol -

HDL (↔ High level Data link control)

Clock Based framing

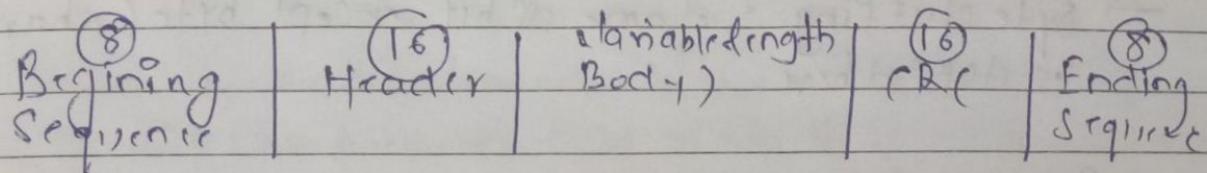
Ex. SONET (Synchronous Optical Network)

High-level Data link Control (HDLC)

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- Developed by IBM
- SDLC was later standardised by the ISO as the HDLC
- Bit Oriented Protocol
- Frame format



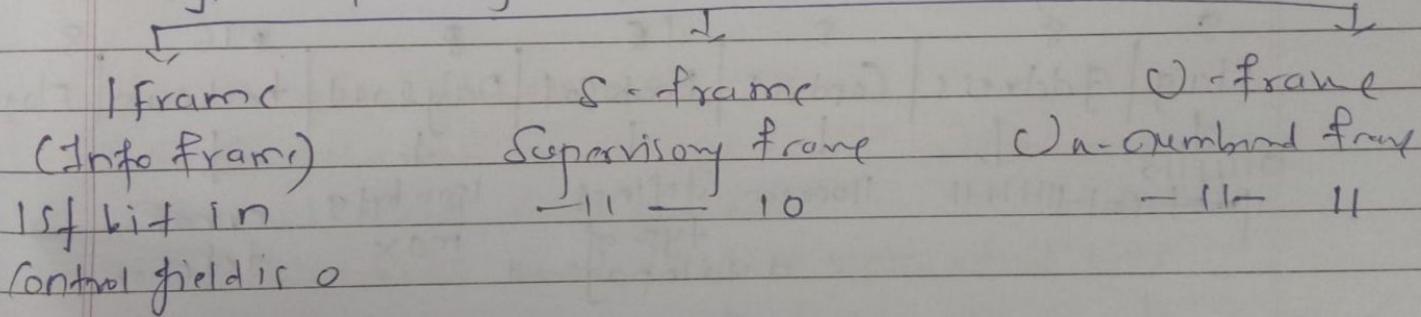
Beginning & ending sequence = 0111110

Header - Address & Control field

Body - Payload

CRC - Cyclic Redundancy check - Error Detection

- types depending on Control field.



Bit Stuffing

If the data part is any part of data is frame as beginning or ending sequence in HDLC i.e. 0111110 error is caused. So in data part 0 is stuffed after 5 consecutive ones.

BISYNC Protocol

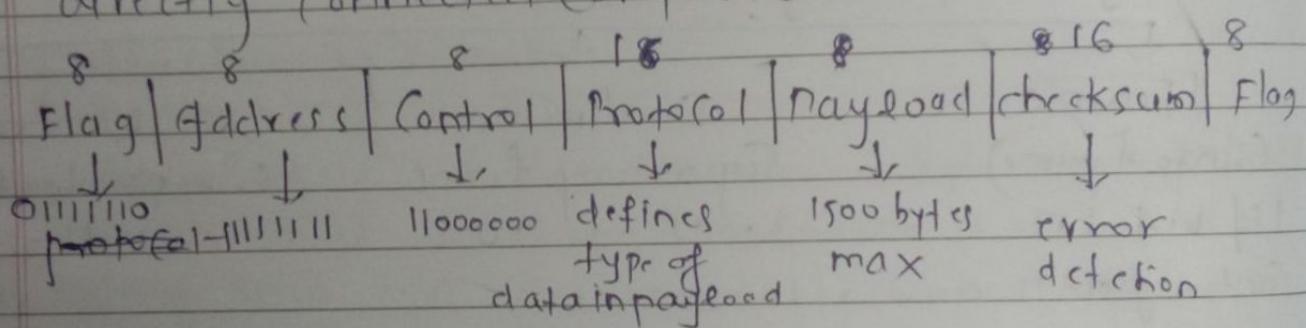
- Sentinel approach
- Developed by IBM
- Also preferred at BSC

SYN	SYN	SCH	Header	STX	Body	ETX	CRC
8	8	8		8		8	16

→ Byte stuffing - Same as bit except byte (character) is stuffed here

Point to Point Protocol

- 1) WAN and data link layer protocol
- 2) Used in broadband communications having heavy loads and high speed
- 3) Used to transmit multiprotocol data b/w two directly connected computers



4) Byte stuffing

DCCMP

- 1) Byte oriented communication protocol
- 2) Developed by Digital Equipment Corporation
- 3) It is a byte Counting approach.
- 4) Count field in the frame format.

SYN	SYN	Class (Protocol)	Count	Header	Body	CRC
8	8	8	14	4	2	16

* If the Count field gets Corrupted then the end of the frame would not be correctly detected by the receiver

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Error Detection.

error - 1) Error caused during transmission is transmission error

2) Error detection & correction are implemented at data link or transport layer of the OSI model

Types of Error

(1) Bit error - Single bit ~~error~~ in data is changed

(2) Burst error - More than 1 bit in data is been Corrupted.

How to detect the errors?

- Error detector or correct errors, added to send some extra bits with the data
- the extra bits are called as redundant bits
- Error detection means to decide whether the received data is correct or not without having a copy of the original msg
- If the redundant bits are same in sender & receiver side there is no error

Error Correction

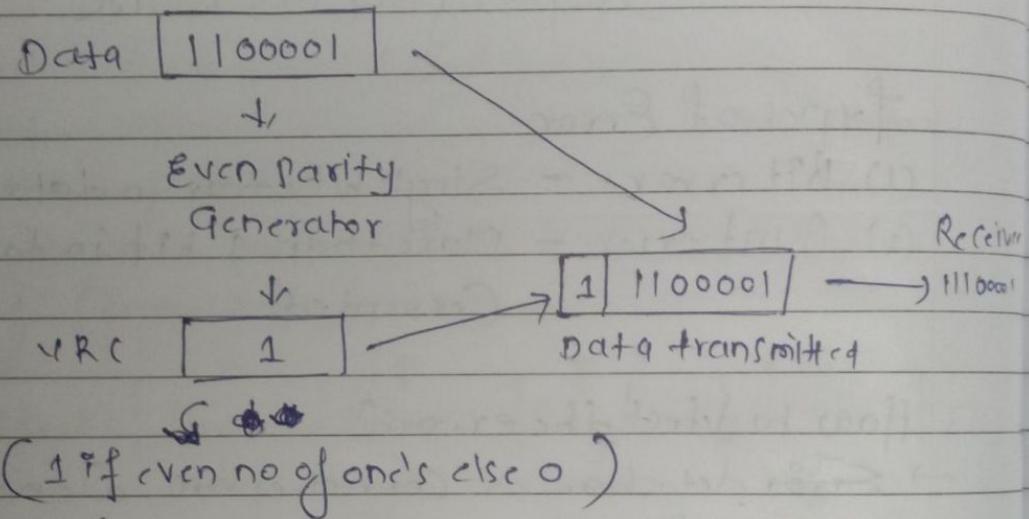
(1) Retransmission of the entire data unit

(2) Receiver can use an error-correcting code, which automatically corrects certain errors

Error Detection Techniques

- (1) Vertical Redundancy Check (VRC)
- (2) Longitudinal Redundancy Check (LRC)
- (3) Checksum
- (4) Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC)

(VRC) Vertical Redundancy Check (Parity check)



Performance of VRC

- (1) It can detect single bit error
- (2) It can detect burst error only if the number of errors is odd

Longitudinal Redundancy Check (2d parity)

- (1) Here a block of bits is organized in rows & columns
- (2) the parity bit is calculated for each column & sent along with the data
- (3) the block of parity acts as the redundant bits

- Ex. Find LRC & data that could be transmitted for the data blocks 1100111 1101101 0011100, 1010100*1
 → for each column even 1's = 0
 odd 1's = 1

(i) Arrange data in Columns

1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1
LRC → 1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0

Data transmitted =

| 10101010 | 10101001 -
 LRC Data

Performance of LRC

- LRC ↑ is the likelihood of detecting burst errors
- If two bits in one data unit are damaged & two bits in exactly the same position in another data unit are also damaged, the LRC checker will not detect an error

Checksum

- (1) Break the original message in to K numbers of blocks with n bits in each block
- (2) Sum all the K datablocks
- (3) Add the carry to the sum if any
- (4) Do 1's Complement to the sum → checksum

Ex. Data = 10011001 11100010 00100100 10000100

$$\begin{array}{r}
 100011001 \\
 111000100 \\
 + 00100100 \\
 \hline
 100010001
 \end{array}$$

+ → 10

Checksum - 0010001001

Checksum operation at receiver side,

~~* Sum all data blocks & checksum
if the result is all 0's accepted else rejected~~

CRC (Cyclic Redundancy Check)

Ex. Find the CRC for the data blocks 100100 with the divisor 1101. (Divisor will be known to both sender & receiver) → steps.

- (1) Find the length of the divisor
- (2) Append l-1 bits to the original message
- (3) Perform binary division operation
- (4) Remainder of the division = CRC.

Note - The CRC must of l-1 bits

Divisor
↓

Quotient

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$$\begin{array}{r} \text{1101} \\ \text{xor } 1101 \\ \hline \text{01000} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1101} \\ \text{01010} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1101} \\ \text{01110} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1101} \\ \text{00110} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1101} \\ \text{01001} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1101} \\ \text{00001} \end{array}$$

∴ $\boxed{0001} \rightarrow \text{Remainder (CRC)}$

$$\therefore \text{Data transmitted} = 100100001$$

Error detection in CRC

Divide divisor with data-transmitted. If the remainder is all zero receiver detects there are no errors.

Q) The msg 11001001 is to be transmitted using CRC polynomial $x^4 + 1$ to protect it from errors.

Find transmitted msg

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{11001001} \\ \hline \text{1001} | \text{11001001} \\ \text{1001} \downarrow \\ \text{01011} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1001} \downarrow \\ \text{001000} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1001} \\ \text{0001100} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1001} \\ \text{010010} \\ | \quad | \quad | \quad | \\ \text{1001} \end{array}$$

Network Performance

It is measured by Bandwidth, throughput, & latency (delay)

- * ~~if a highway is designed to take load of 1000 cars but takes only 100 due to traffic~~
∴ the bandwidth is 1000 cars/min (capability)
∴ the throughput is 100 cars/min (reality)

Bandwidth

- Maximum amount of data transmitted per second
- ~~it is given by the number of bits that can be transmitted over the network in a certain period of time.~~

Wired Networks

BW in bits/sec

Ex. Gigabit Ethernet has
bw of 1 Gbps

Wireless Networks

BW in Hz

Ex. Average of frequencies used to transmit signals which is measured in Hz

Throughput

- Actual amount of data that passes through the medium
- It is a measure of how fast we can actually send the data through a network
- In a link $T \leq B$ (T = throughput, B = Bandwidth)
- The sender may have BW of 1 Mbps but may be connected to a receiver with BW of 200 kbps
This means we cannot send more than 200 kbps through this link.

Latency (Delay)

It defines how long it takes for an entire msg to completely arrive at the destination from the time the first bit is sent out from the source

Latency = transmission delay + propagation delay
+ queuing delay + processing delay

t_D = time taken to place the complete data packet on transmission medium

$$t_D = \frac{\text{Message size}}{B \times C}$$

t_D = time taken by msg to go from device A to B

$$t_D = \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Propagation speed}}$$

Q_D = The time needed for each intermediate or end device to hold the msg before it can be processed.

It is not a fixed factor, it changes with load imposed on network

It increase with heavy traffic in network

t_D = time taken by node to process the msg

Bandwidth-Delay Product

If defines the number of bits that can fill the link
length = delay

$$\text{Cross section} = B \times C \quad \text{Volume} = B \times W \times D \times L$$

link

Q Consider that the link capacity of a channel is 512 Kbps & round trip delay time is 1000 ms

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{The bandwidth product} &= 512 \text{ Kbps} \times 1000 \text{ m} \\
 &= 512 \times 1000 \text{ bits/sec} \times 1000 \times 10^3 \text{ m} \\
 &= 512000 \text{ bits} \\
 &= 64000 \text{ bytes} \\
 &= 62.5 \text{ kilobytes } (\frac{1}{1024})
 \end{aligned}$$

(Q) what is RTT if distance b/w two points is 11000 km
 Assume propagation speed to be $2.4 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \rightarrow RTT &= \frac{\text{distance}}{v_p} \\
 &= \frac{11000 \times 1000 \text{ m}}{2.4 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}} \\
 &= \frac{11}{22400} \\
 RTT &= 0.005 \text{ sec}
 \end{aligned}$$

Round trip time

(a) It is the length of time it takes for a signal to be sent plus the length of time it takes to receive that signal's acknowledgement.

$$RTT = 2 \times RTT$$

Flow Control

- Speed matching mechanism
- It is a set of procedures that tells the sender how much data it can transmit before it must wait for an acknowledgement from the receiver
- Receiver has limited incoming speed of memory. It must inform the sender before the limits are reached

Flow Control Protocols

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Noisy channels

- Simplex
- Stop & Wait

Noisy channels

- Stop & Wait ARQ
- Go-Back-N ARQ
- Selective repeat ARQ

Stop & Wait protocol

- (1) It provides unidirectional data transmission with flow control facilities but without error control facilities
- (2) Idea - after transmitting one frame, the sender waits for an acknowledgement before transmitting the next frame

Primitives of Stop & Wait protocol

Sender side \rightarrow ~~Rule 1~~ Send one data packet at a time

~~Rule 2~~ Send the next packet only after receiving ack for the previous

Receiver side \rightarrow ~~Rule 1~~ Received consumer data packet
~~Rule 2~~ After that ack need to be sent

Problems

- (1) Problems due to lost data (sender & receiver wait for ack for infinite number of time if any data packet is lost)
- (2) Due to lost ack (- - -)
- (3) Problems due to delayed ack / data
After timeout on sender side, a delayed ack might be wrongly considered as ack of some other data packet

Stop and Wait ARQ (Automatic Repeat Request)

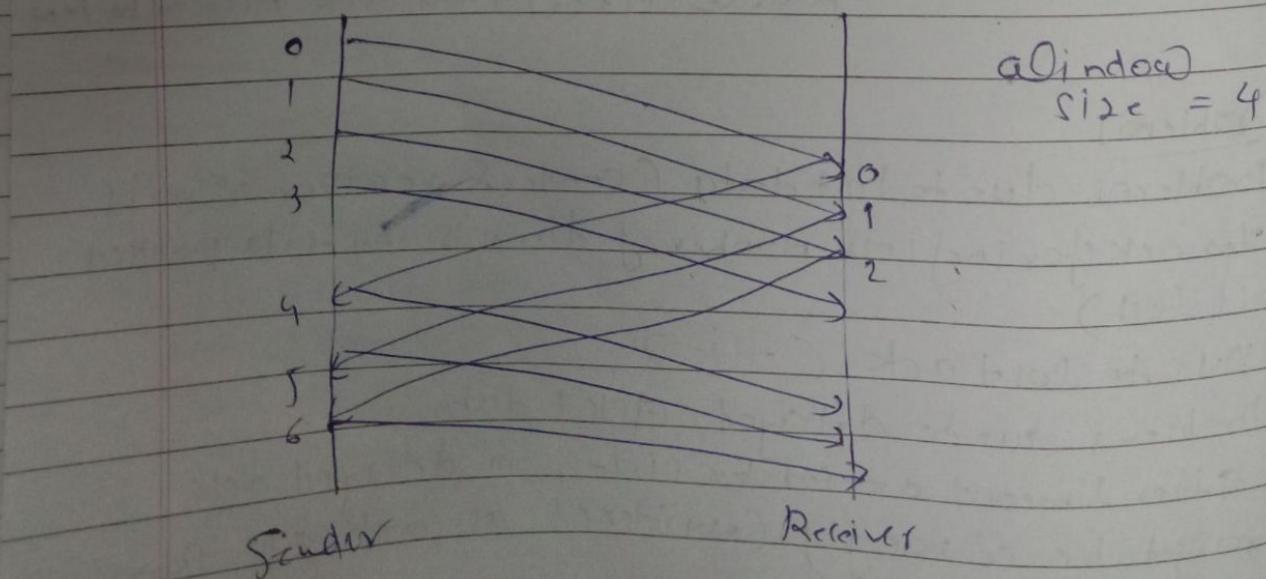
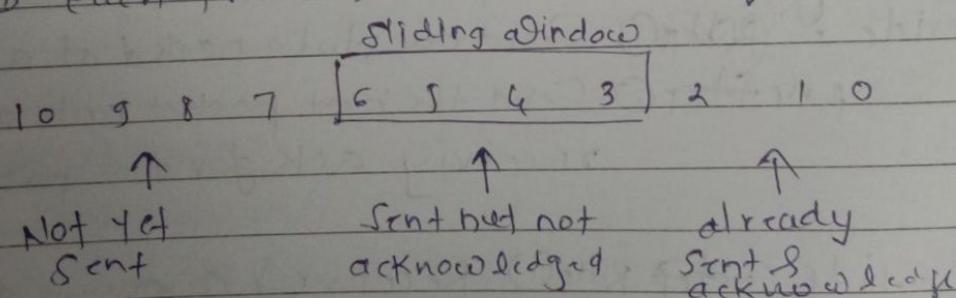
- Same as Stop & Wait but if the acknowledgement does not arrive after a certain period of time, the sender times out & retransmits the original frame.
- Stop & Wait ARQ = Stop & Wait + timeout timer + sequence number

Sliding Window Protocol

- Drawbacks of ARQ
- Stop & Wait \Rightarrow
- ① One frame at a time
 - ② Poor utilization of bandwidth
 - ③ Poor performance

Sliding Window Protocol

- ① Can send multiple frames at a time
- ② No. of frames to be sent is based on window size
- ③ Each frame is numbered \rightarrow sequence number

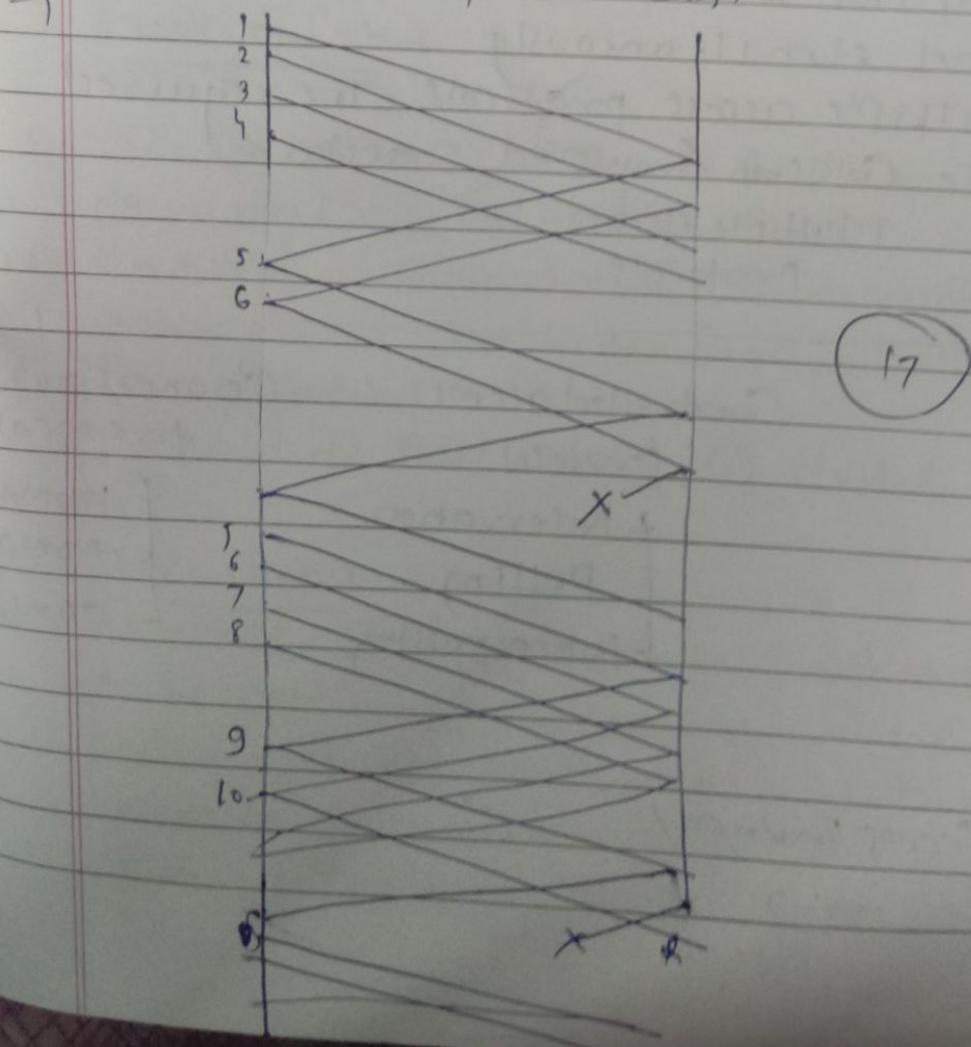


Go-Back-N ARQ

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- 1) N is sender window size.
- 2) If the acknowledgement of a frame is not received within an agreed upon time period, all frames in the current window are transmitted.
- 3) For Ex. if the sending window size is 4 (2^2) then the sequence numbers will be 0, 1, 2, 3, 0, 1, 2, 3, ...
4) The number of bits in the sequence number is 2. To generate the binary sequence 00, 01, 10, 11

Q. If host A wants to send 10 frames to Host B. The hosts agreed to go with Go Back-N. How many frames are transmitted by Host A. If every 6th frame that is transmitted by Host A is either corrupted or lost.



Selective Repeat ARQ.

- (1) In Selective Repeat ARQ, only the erroneous or lost frames are retransmitted, while correct frames are discarded after receiving & buffered.
- (2) The receiver while keeping track of sequence number buffers the frames in memory & sends NACK for only frame which is missing or damaged.

$$\text{Optimal Window Size} = \frac{\text{Bandwidth} \times \text{Delay}}{\text{Packet Size}}$$

Multiple Access Protocol

- (1) If there is a dedicated link between the sender & the receiver then data link control layer is sufficient. However if there is no dedicated link present then multiple stations can access the channel simultaneously.
- (2) Hence multiple access protocols are required to decrease collision & avoid cross talk.

Multiple Access Protocols

Random access protocol

- + ALOHA
- + CSMA
- + CSMA/CD
- + CSMA/CA

Controlled access protocol

- + Reservation
- + Polling
- + Token passing

Channelization protocol

- + FDMA
- + TDMA
- + CDMA

Random Access Protocol



- (3) Every station is same
- (4) If more than one station tries to send, there is an access conflict (collision) & the frames will be either destroyed or modified.

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Controlled Access protocols

- (1) In controlled access, the stations consult one another to find which station has the right to send.
- (2) A station cannot send unless it has been authorized by other stations.

Channelization

It is a multiple-access method in which the available bandwidth of a link is shared in time, frequency, or through code, between diff stations.

Pure Aloha

- (1) It was actually designed for WLAN but it is also applicable for shared medium.
- (2) In this, multiple stations can transmit data at the same time & hence lead to collision & data being garbled.
- Types ① Pure Aloha ② Slotted Aloha

Pure Aloha

- (1) It allows stations to transmit whenever they have data to be sent.
- (2) When a station sends data it waits for an acknowledgement for a random amount of time (called back-off time) and re-sends the data.

- (3) Since diff stations wait for diff amount of time
probability of further collision decreases
- (4) The throughput of pure aloha is max because frames are of uniform length
- (5) Whenever two frames try to occupy If the 1st bit of a new frame overlaps with just the last bit of a frame almost finished, both frames will be totally destroyed & both will have to be retransmitted later

$$\text{Vulnerable time} = 2 \times t_{fr}$$

Throughput = $G \times e^{-2G}$; where G is the number of stations claim to transmit in the same time

$$\text{Max throughput} = 0.184 \text{ for } G = 0.5 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

Slotted Aloha

Pure Aloha

- (1) Any station can transmit any station can transmit the data at any time data at the beginning of any slot
- (2) The time is continuous, the time is discrete & globally not globally synchronized synchronized

Slotted Aloha

$$\text{Collision may occur} = 2 \times t_{fr} = t_{fr}$$

- (4) Probability of successful

$$\text{Transmission of data packet} = G \times e^{-2G} = G \times e^{-G}$$

$$(5) \text{ Max efficiency} = 18.4\% \quad (G=1) = 36.8\% \quad (G=1)$$

- (6) Simplicity in implementation, reduces the no. of collisions to half & doubles the efficiency of pure aloha

CSMA Protocol

→ Carrier Sense Protocol

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- To minimize the chance of collision & therefore, for the performance, the CSMA method was developed.
- Principle - Sense before transmit or Listen before talk.
- Carrier can be busy or idle.
- The possibility of Collision still exists because of propagation delay; a station may sense the medium & find it idle, only because the first bit sent by another station has not yet been received.

Types

Persistent	Non-persistent	Persistent
Sense continuously	Sense after every random slot of time	channel is idle & transmits with probability P

CSMA/CD ① Collisions can be detected by looking at the power or pulse width of the received signal & comparing it to the transmitted signal.

② After a station detects a collision, it aborts its transmission, waits a random period of time & then tries again.

$$\text{③ efficiency} = \frac{1}{1 + 6.44 \times q} \quad \alpha = \frac{P_D}{T_t}$$

④ distance for efficiency test

$$T_{\text{slot}} = RTT \text{ of } 1 \text{ bit}$$

$$T_{\text{slot}} = 2 \times T_p$$

CSMA/CA

→ Nodes attempt to avoid collisions by beginning transmission only after the channel is ^{Page No.} ~~spotted to be idle~~

Reservation

→ Station needs to make reservation before sending data

Polling

→ One master node gives chance to every other node in round robin fashion to transmit the max data they can

Token passing

Other node receives a token, it holds onto the token only if it has some frames to transmit

Channelization

~~either~~ available bandwidth of a link is shared in time, frequency or through code between diff stations

Frequency Division MA
(BW is divided into bands
that are separated by
guard bands)

time division MA
The bw is just one
channel that is
time shared b/w
diff stations

Code Division MA
One channel
carrying all
transmissions
simultaneously (Multiplexing)

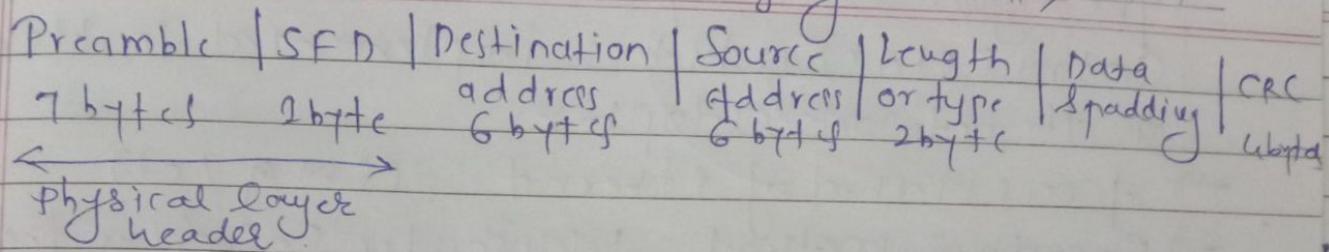
Switch

- Most widely used wired LAN technologies
- Operates in data link & physical layers

Ethernet frame format

Preamble : 56 bits of alternating 1s & 0s

SFD: Start frame delimiter, flag (101010) Page No. _____ Date: _____



Data/padding - Max len = 46 bytes

Max len = 1500 bytes

frame length - 119u = 64 by 18

$$\text{max} = 1518 \text{ bytes}$$

Ethernet Address Ex - 06:01:02:01:21:2B - 6 bytes.

→ the least significant bit of the first byte defines the type of address

→ If the bits is 0, the address is unicast also multicast

→ If all bits are 1 then it is broadcast address

Hexadecimal to Binary

Hexadecimal	0 1 2 3 ... 9 A B C D E F
Decimal	0 1 2 3 ... 9 10 11 12 13 14 15

Ex. S B1c

0101 / 11 1011

$$= 01011011_2$$

→ In an binary Ethernet address in each byte 1st 4 digits
represents as a hexa decimal digit & the next four the
other digit

Ethernet transmitter Algo

Access protocol for Ethernet

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- The algo is commonly called Ethernet's Media Access Control (MAC) which is implemented in Hardware on the network adapter
- access method of Ethernet: CSMA/CD
- Encoding method: Manchester Encoding technique for converting data bits into signals
- Ethernet transmitter algo - CSMA 1-persistent protocol

Runt frame - A frame with less than min length of 64 bytes

- Caused by collision, malfunctioning network card,
- buffer underrun, duplex mismatch or software issues

Exponential backoff - Every time the adapter detects collision it doubles the waiting time

Ethernet Pros

- Most widely used protocol
- Inexpensive
- All nodes are equal
- Simple maintenance & administration
- Cable, harris robust to noise
- ∵ quality of data doesn't degrade, not suitable for client-server architecture

Ethernet Cons

- Under heavy loads too much of the network's capacity is wasted by collisions

- It does not hold good for real time & interactive applications

- As network cannot set priority, still
 - No ack

Wireless Fidelity (Wi-Fi)

- CSMA/CA
- Nodes
 - Infrastructure Mode
 - Ad-hoc & WiFi Direct
- Instead of all nodes being created equal, some nodes are allowed to roam & some are connected to a wired network infrastructure. They are called access points (AP) & they are connected to each other by a so-called distribution system.
 - Access points - towers etc.
 - Nodes - devices

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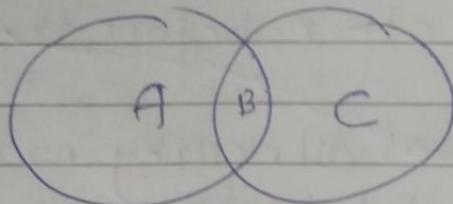
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Active scanning - when node searches for access point
Passive scanning - when access points advertising themselves

Wi-Fi frame format

See in video

Hidden Terminal Problem



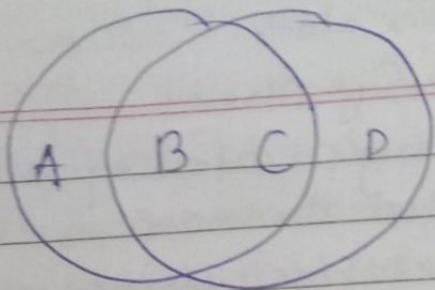
- A & C both want to communicate to B & both are unaware of each other or they are out of each other's range
- Collision will happen at B (But unlike Ethernet, neither A nor C will be aware of this collision)
- A & C are said to be hidden nodes w.r.t each other

Solution - Multiple Access Collision avoidance (MACA)

- RTS & CTS

Exposed terminal problem

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- Suppose B is sending to A. Node C is aware of this communication because it hear B's transmission
- It would be a mistake for C to conclude that it cannot transmit to anyone just because it can hear B's transmission
- Suppose C wants to transmit to node D
- This is not a problem since C's transmission to D will no interfere with A's ability to receive from B

Solution - MACA

MACA

(RTS &CTS frame)

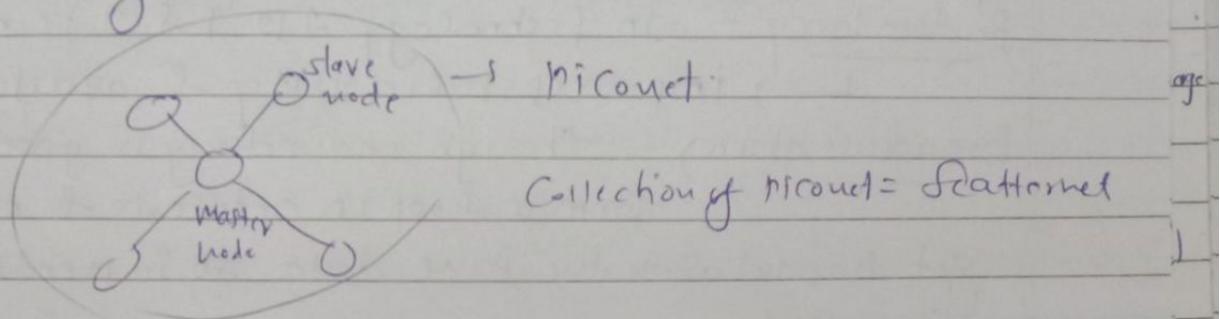
- Key idea - Sender & Receiver exchange control frames with each other before the sender actually transmits any data
 - this exchange informs all nearby nodes that a transmission is about to begin (RTS)
 - Sender transmits a Request to send which includes how long the sender expects to hold the medium, length of the data etc
 - Receiver replies with a Clear to send (CTS) this frame (which) this length field back to the Sender
- ★ — The idea of using ACK in MACA is proposed = MACA(ACK)
- receiver sends an ACK to sender after receiving a frame
 - All nodes must wait for ACK before trying to transmit

- If RTS Collision happens it will not be detected & exponential backoff algo will be used

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IEEE 802.15 Bluetooth

- Circles technology for exchanging data for building Personal Area Network (PANs)



Pros - Low cost, Easy to use, penetrate through walls, devices can ad-hoc connection immediately without any delay, It is used for voice & data transfer
Cons - low security, slow transfer, small range.

Bluejacking - Unauthorized access of info from a devices device through a bluetooth connection

VLAN

- It is a logical partition of a layer 2 network
- Multiple partitions can be created, allowing for multiple VLANs to co-exist
- Each VLAN is a broadcast domain, usually with its own IP network
- VLANs are mutually isolated & packets can only pass between them via a router
- The partitioning of the layer 2 network takes place inside a layer 2 device, usually via a switch
- The hosts grouped within a VLAN are unaware of the VLAN's existence

Benefits - Security, cost reduction, Better performance, shrink broadcast domains, improved efficiency, simpler project & application management.

Types of VLAN - Data VLAN, default VLAN, native VLAN, etc.

Spanning Tree Protocol

Redundancy - In technology 2 is 1 & 2 is none
→ improves reliability & availability

Broadcast storm - Though redundancy is good it may form a loop in network & network may get flooded with the same data so it needs to be controlled

STP - was created to prevent loops

- Switches send probes into the network (called (BPDU) Bridge protocol data unit to discover loops. If they receive these back loop is present
- BPDU ~~also~~ helps to elect the root bridge
- All switches will find the best way to reach the root bridge and the redundant links will be blocked
- This redundant links will only be active if the existing links or ports go down

Socket programming

(1) Socket function - `socket (address, type, protocol)`
family socket bound
of socket to be created

(2) Connect function - `connect (socket name, socket address, size)`

(3) receive function - `recv (socket name, data structure, size of info to be saved)`

(4) close (socket name) - to close the socket