

Modeling and Simulation

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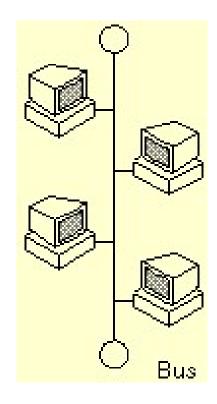
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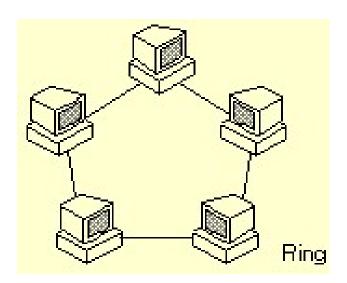
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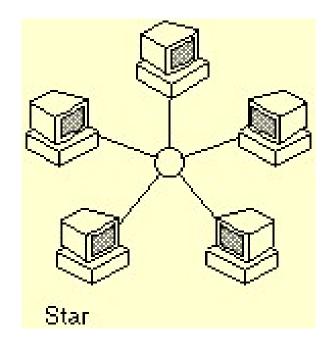
- Topology
- Protocol
- Architecture

Topology:

The geometric arrangement of a computer system. Common topologies include a <u>bus</u>, <u>star</u>, and <u>ring</u>.







Protocol: The protocol defines a common set of rules and signals that computers on the network use to communicate. One of the most popular protocols for LANs is called Ethernet. Another popular LAN protocol for PCs is the IBM token-ring network.

Architecture

 Networks can be broadly classified as using either a peer-to-peer or client/server architecture.

Q1: ____ is the geometric arrangement of a computer system.

- a) processing
- b) manipulation
- c) Topology
- d) instructions



- Q2: Another popular LAN protocol for PCs is the IBM _____network.
- a) bus
- b) software
- c) Database
- d) token-ring

Q3: The _____defines a common set of rules and signals that computers on the network use to communicate.

- a) business
- b) decision
- c) protocol
- d) None of these

Q4: Common topologies include

- a) WAN
- b) LAN
- c) WEB
- d) bus

Q5: _____ is used to categorize different types of networks:

- a) WAN
- b) LAN
- c) WEB
- d) Architecture