



COMPUTER NETWORK HW2

TCP CONGEST CONTROL

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INTRODUCTION

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- Target
 - Application layer reliable transfer / congestion control
 - Implement TCP by **UDP**
 - Socket Programming

UDP	TCP
Unreliable Unordered delivery	Reliable In-order Delivery Congestion Control

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- You need to implement three components : the sender, receiver and agent.



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- Sender / Receiver
 - Send / receive file by UDP
 - Provide reliable transmission
 - Congestion control
- Agent
 - Forward Data & ACK packets
 - Randomly drop data packet
 - Compute loss rate

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- Reliable Transmission
 - Data & ACK
 - Time out & Retransmission
 - Sequence number
 - Completeness and correctness of transmitted file



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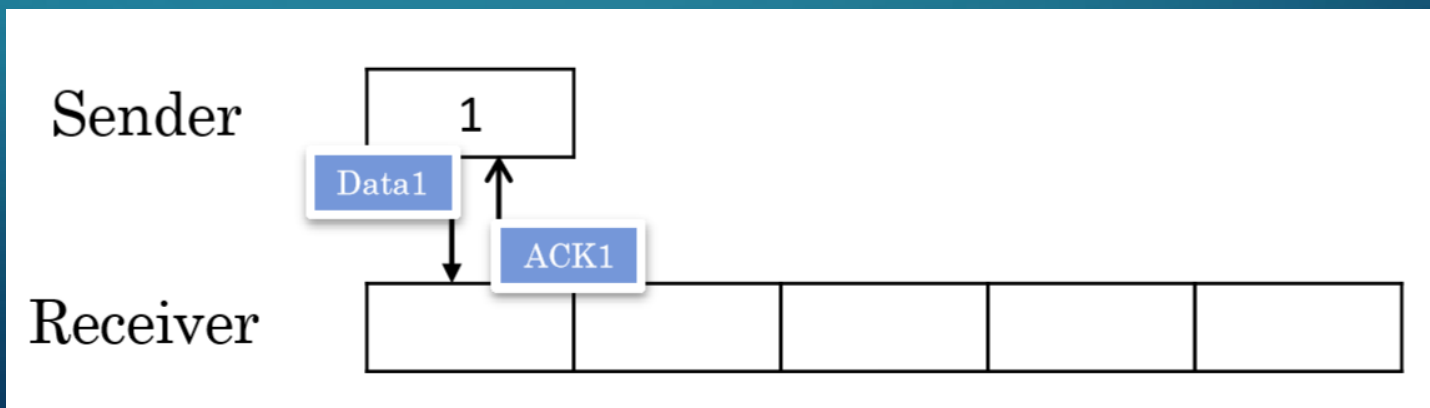
- Congestion control [*Sender side*]
 - Slow start
 - Send single packet in the beginning
 - When *below* the threshold, congestion window increase exponentially until packet loss, i.e., $1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow \dots$
 - When *larger than or equal to* the threshold, congestion window increase linearly until packet loss, i.e., $16 \rightarrow 17 \rightarrow 18 \rightarrow \dots$
 - Packet loss / time out
 - Set threshold to $\max \left(\left\lfloor \frac{\text{Congestion Window}}{2} \right\rfloor, 1 \right)$
 - Set Congestion window to 1
 - Retransmit
 - From the first “un-ACKED packet”

REQUIREMENT

- Buffer handling [*receiver side*]
 - Buffer Overflow
 - Drop packet if “out of range” of buffer
 - Flush (write) to the file
 - Only when *both buffer overflows and all packets in range are received.*

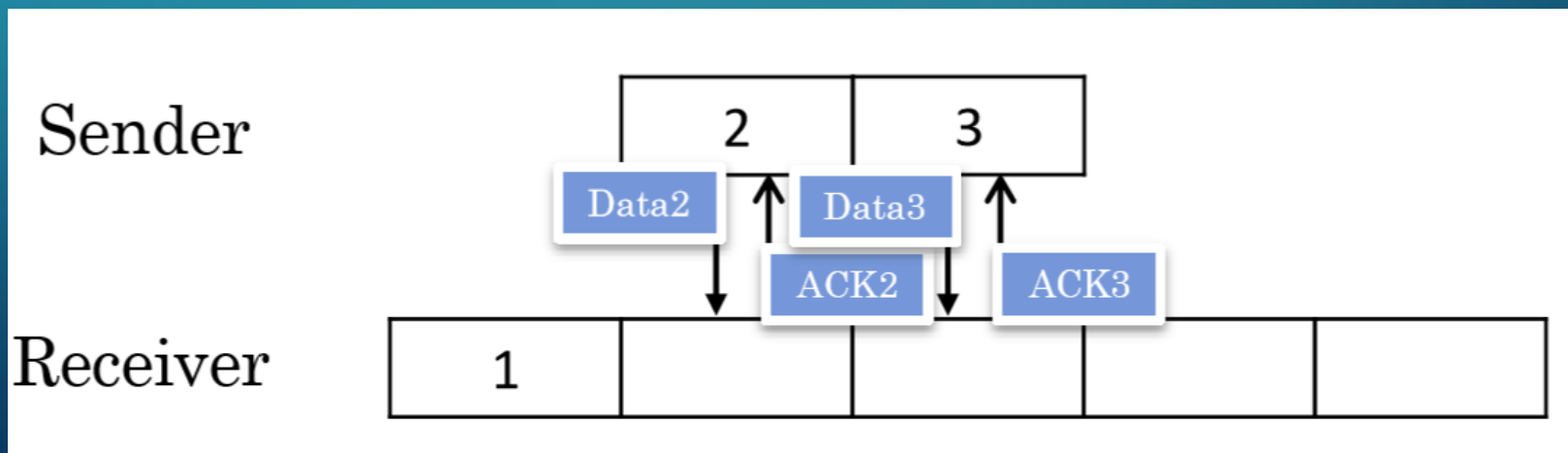
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- Example
 - Sender sends Data 1
 - Congestion window = 1. Threshold = 2
- Receiver sends ACK 1



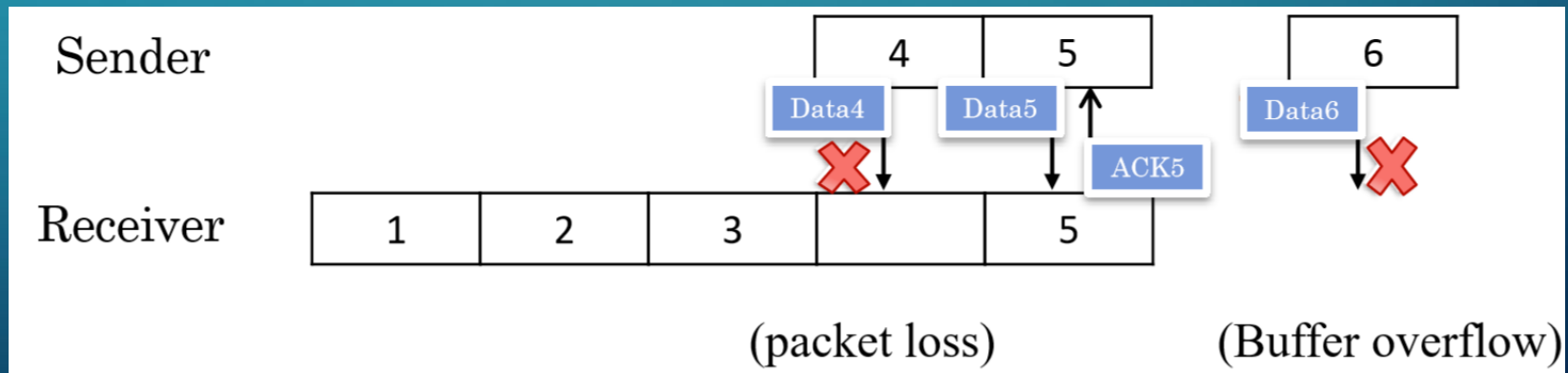
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- Example
 - Sender sends Data 2,3
 - Congestion window =2, Threshold =2;
 - Receiver sends ACK 2,3



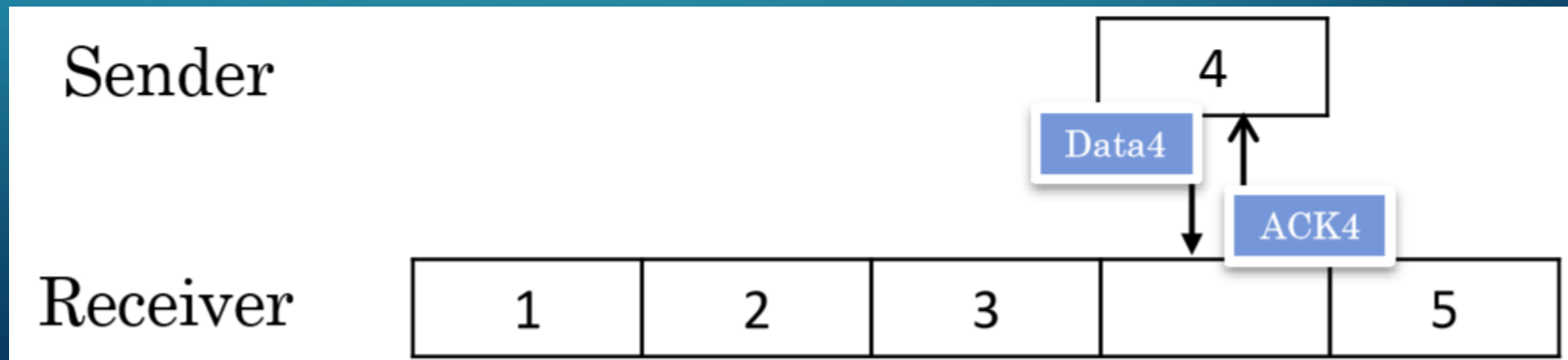
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- Sender sends Data 4,5,6
 - Congestion window =3; Threshold =2;
 - Receiver Sends ACK 5, drops Data 6



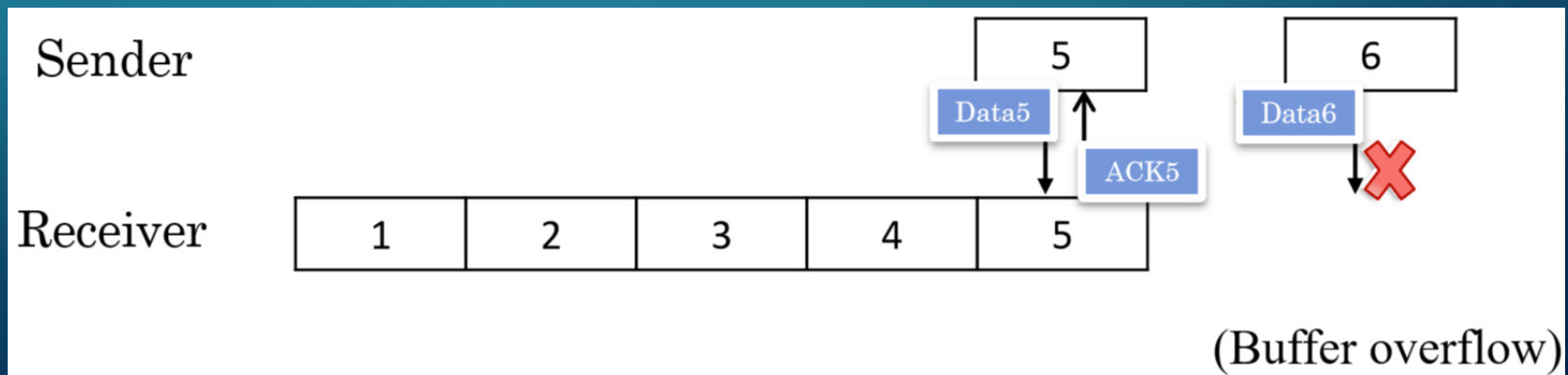
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- Example
 - Sender sends Data 4;
 - Congestion window = 1, Threshold = 1
 - Receiver sends ACK 4;



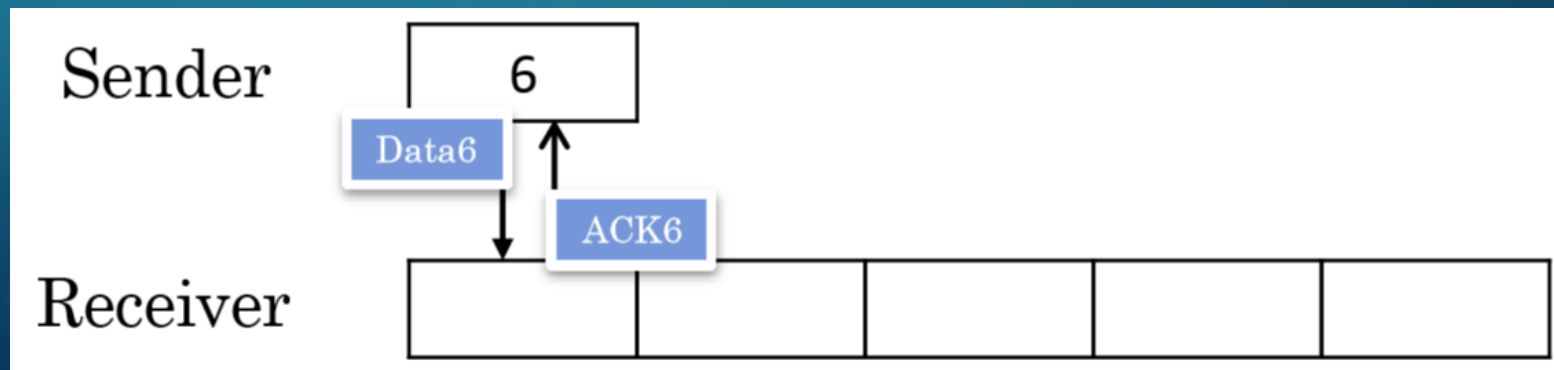
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- Example
- Sender sends Data 5,6
- Congestion window = 2, Threshold = 1;
- Receiver sends ACK 5, drops Data 6, flush buffer ()



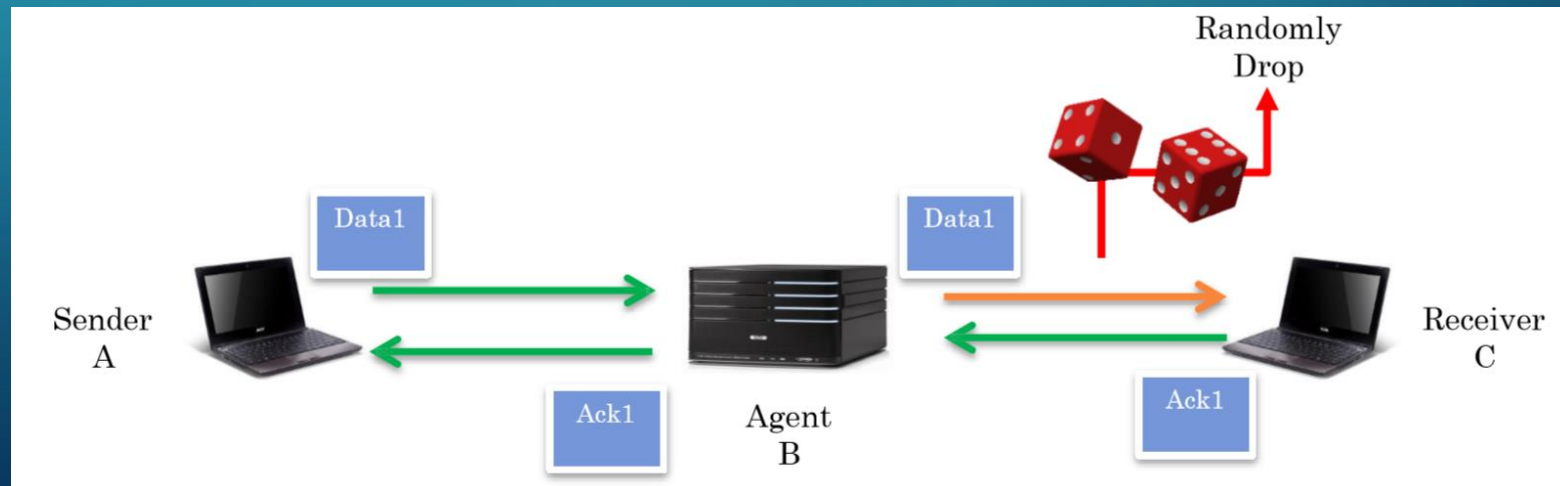
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- Example
 - Sender sends Data 6
 - Congestion Window = 1; Threshold = 1
 - Receiver sends ACK 6
 - And so on....



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- Agent
 - Forward data and ACK packets
 - Randomly drop data packet [**DO NOT DROP ACK PACKETS**]
 - Compute loss rate
 - $\frac{\text{Dropped data packets}}{\text{Total data packets}}$



REQUIREMENT

- Show Message
 - Sender
 - send, recv, data, ack, fin, finack, sequence number, time out, resnd, winSize, threshold
 - Receiver
 - send, recv, data, ack, fin, finack, sequence number, ignr, drop, flush
 - Agent
 - get, fwd, data, ack, fin, finack, sequence number, drop, loss rate

Sender

```
send    data    #1,      winSize = 1
recv    ack      #1
send    data    #2,      winSize = 2
send    data    #3,      winSize = 2
recv    ack      #2
recv    ack      #3
send    data    #4,      winSize = 3
send    data    #5,      winSize = 3
send    data    #6,      winSize = 3
recv    ack      #5
time    out,      threshold = 1
resnd   data    #4,      winSize = 1
recv    ack      #4
resnd   data    #5,      winSize = 2
resnd   data    #6,      winSize = 2
recv    ack      #5
time    out,      threshold = 1
resnd   data    #6,      winSize = 1
recv    ack      #6
send    fin
recv    finack
```

Agent

```
get    data    #2
fwd    data    #2,    loss rate = 0.0000
get    data    #3
fwd    data    #3,    loss rate = 0.0000
get    ack     #2
fwd    ack     #2
get    ack     #3
fwd    ack     #3
get    data    #4
drop   data    #4,    loss rate = 0.2500
get    data    #5
fwd    data    #5,    loss rate = 0.2000
get    data    #6
fwd    data    #6,    loss rate = 0.1667
get    ack     #5
fwd    ack     #5
get    data    #4
fwd    data    #4,    loss rate = 0.1429
get    ack     #4
fwd    ack     #4
get    data    #5
fwd    data    #5,    loss rate = 0.1250
get    data    #6
fwd    data    #6,    loss rate = 0.1111
get    ack     #5
fwd    ack     #5
get    data    #6
fwd    data    #6,    loss rate = 0.1000
get    ack     #6
fwd    ack     #6
get    fin
fwd    fin
get    finack
fwd    finack
```

Receiver

recv	data	#1
send	ack	#1
recv	data	#2
send	ack	#2
recv	data	#3
send	ack	#3
recv	data	#5
send	ack	#5
drop	data	#6
recv	data	#4
send	ack	#4
ignr	data	#5
send	ack	#5
drop	data	#6
flush		
recv	data	#6
send	ack	#6
recv	fin	
send	finack	
flush		

REQUIREMENT

- Settings
 - Sender
 - Arguments: IP, Port, path of source file,... etc.
 - Default threshold: **16**
 - Input file may include binary file or text file.
 - Receiver
 - Arguments: IP, port ,path of destination file, ... etc.
 - Default buffer size: **32**
- Agent
 - Arguments: IP, port, loss rate, ... etc.

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- Settings
 - File Size
 - More than 0.5 MB (500 KB)
 - Data packet size (payload)
 - 1 KB
 - Time out
 - Less than or equal to 1 sec ($\leq 1 \text{ sec}$)

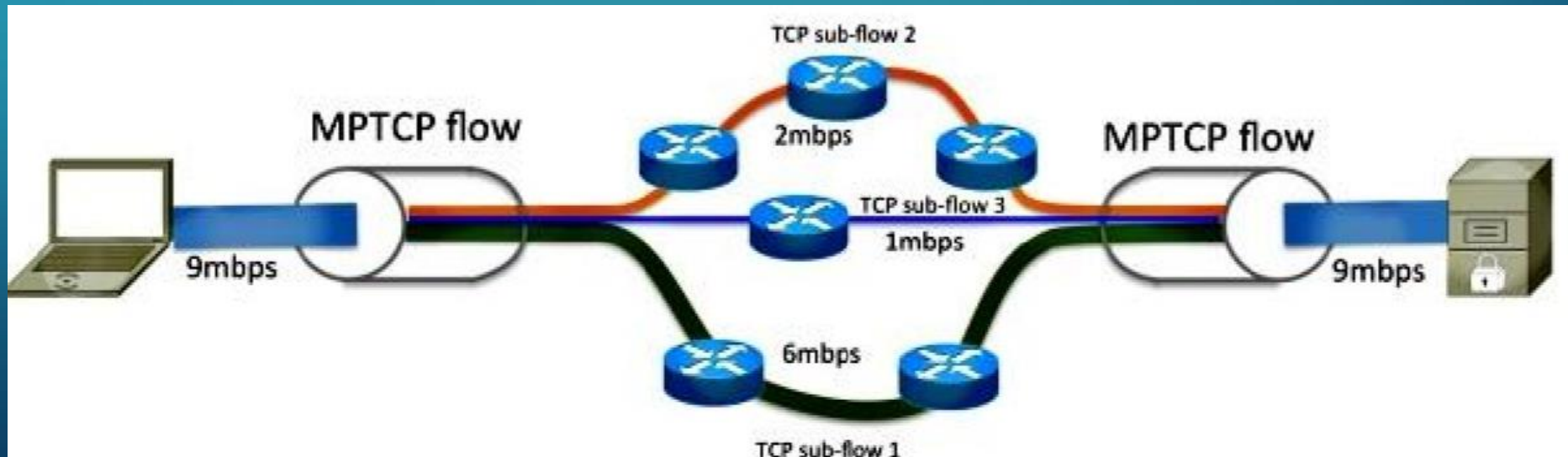
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- Document
 - Format
 - A4, at most 2 pages
 - Digital PDF file only, “report. pdf”
 - Program
 - Execution environment(library or framework)
 - Design
 - Details of your design (flow chart)
 - Difficulties and Solutions

BONUS

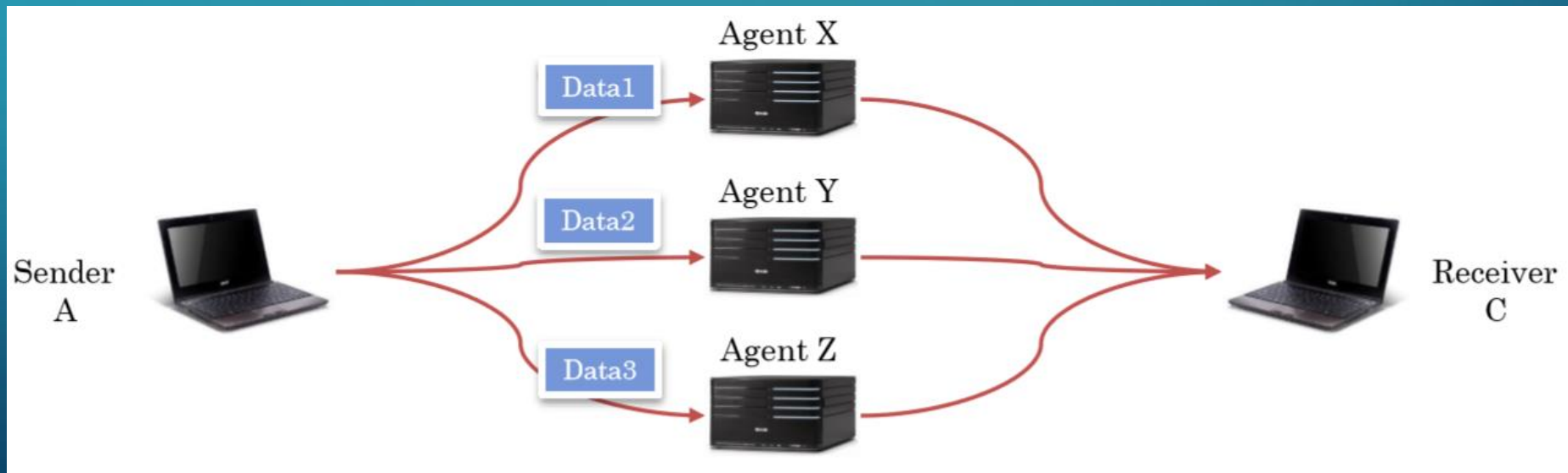
- Multipath TCP

- Separate single data flow to multiple sub-flows
- Higher throughput
- Cisco: MPTCP and Product Support Overview <http://goo.gl/MJm6Uz>



BONUS

- Multipath TCP
 - Architecture for this homework
 - Send different packets to different paths



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GRADING AND SUBMISSION

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- Grading (100%+10%)
- Basic requirement (10%)
 - Socket programming with UDP
 - Language: C
 - Without crash
- Reliable transmission (20%) (page 7)
- Congestion control (25%) (page 8)
- Buffer handling (15%) (page 9)
- Agent (10%) (page 16)
- Message format (5%) (page 17)
- Document (5%) (page 23)
- Demo (10%) (page 28)
- Bonus (+10%)
 - Multipath TCP (page 25)

GRADING AND SUBMISSION

- Demo (10%)
 - Please fill demo form (will be announced on course website)
 - Before deadline of homework 2
 - Come to demo on time
 - Discount for those are not on time
- For those who did not fill demo form
 - You can come to demo on the dates listed in demo form if there exists an empty time slot, or we have free time when you come.
 - We do not encourage you to demo except for the dates listed in demo form.
 - You will get ZERO score for this homework if you don't demo.

GRADING AND SUBMISSION

- Submission
- Deadline
 - 2017/1/7 (Tue.) 23:59 (UTC+8)
 - Late submission: 20% off per day
- Naming
 - [Student ID].zip Ex: r04944032.zip