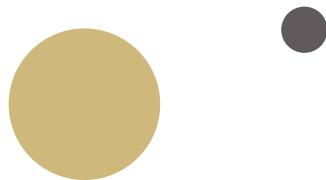




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# **CSCI 3403**

## **INTRO TO**

# **CYBERSECURITY**

Lecture: 12-2

Topic: Networking

Presenter: Matt  
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# Announcements

- Project 3 (final project) is posted
- Next homework will be posted Friday or Saturday
- Upcoming guest lecturers
  - From Proofpoint on 4/9
  - From Rule4 on 4/21
  - From Twitter on 4/23 (Andy Sayler)



# Final Exam, current picture

- Will probably happen
- If you get a 65% or higher on the final, the highest of your final and midterm will count for both scores
- Will be online Moodle quiz
- Will be open book, open note, open internet
  - NOT open friend
  - Will be different/harder in some ways to compensate
  - May be required to write basic scripts
- Note: This is subject to change



# Exam Extra Credit (Current picture. Will be finalized before next Tuesday)

- Research a topic that won't be discussed in class
- Get credit in one of the following ways
  - Record a 5-minute video explanation of your topic for up to 10%. Details to come soon
  - Present your topic for 5 minutes in recitation for up to 15%. Depending on demand, this may be first-come-first-serve. If you got an 85% or better on the midterm, please leave this for others
  - If you're selected as an outstanding project from recitation, give a 10-minute presentation for up to 25% (total)
- Percentages apply to your higher exam score



# Exam Extra Credit Criteria

- Will be graded on at least the following:
  - Interesting topic/information relevant to cybersecurity
  - Quality, professional preparation and presentation
  - Inspires the listener to want to learn more and provides resources to do so
  - Shows insight and depth in research presented in an appropriate manner for the given timeframe



# Some Extra Credit Potential Topics

- Network security
  - Wireless security, honeypots, cloud security, SIEM, Tor
- Applied security
  - OWASP Top 10, reverse engineering, penetration testing
- Crypto
  - Common crypto libraries, homomorphic encryption
- Windows
  - Windows/AD security, Windows CLI
- Miscellaneous
  - Ethics in security, auditing, data provenance
- Or anything else! Just run it by Matt or your TA



# Technology Recap 3/17 (Old stuff)

- Piazza is used for content-related questions
- Feedback: <https://forms.gle/WRUUbPkmFNsa6q3D6>
- Instructor/TA email is used for individual circumstances
- [cyber@Colorado.edu](mailto:cyber@Colorado.edu) is used for accommodations/logistical questions
- Moodle is used for assignments, slides, and additional resources



# Technology Recap 3/17 (New stuff)

- Calendar is used for holding all Zoom meetings, instructions, and meeting IDs
  - May contain due dates, but not guaranteed
- Lecture Zoom ID:  
<https://cuboulder.zoom.us/j/633893668>
  - This and others found in Google Calendar
- Lecture capture folder:  
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# **Networking**

# **Recap**



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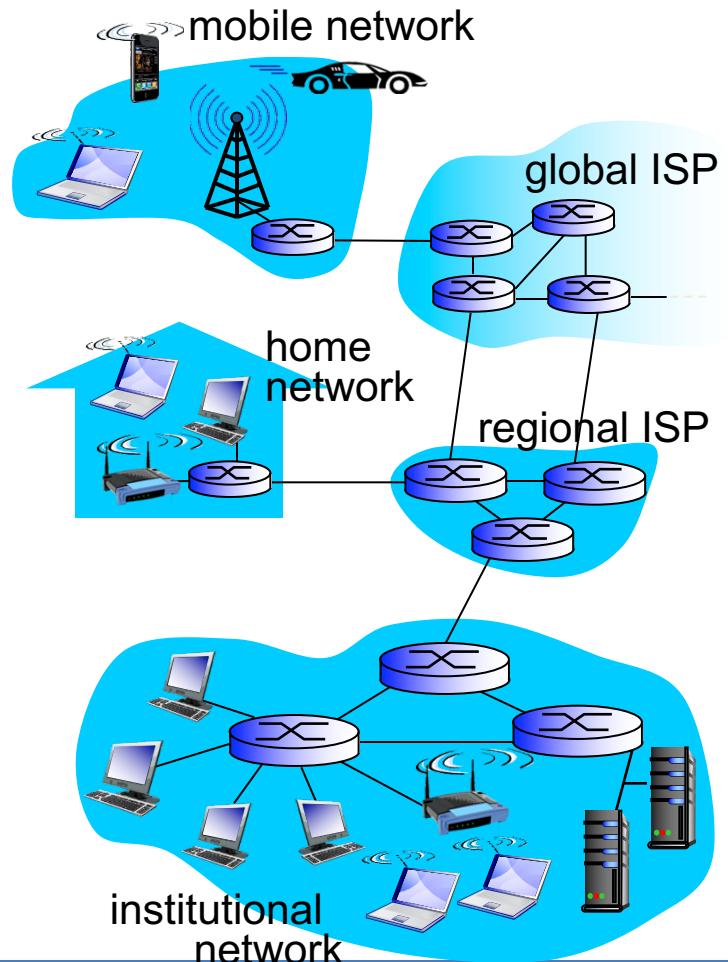
# Networking

- Computers talk to each other on the Internet
- We need to look at the following:
  - What's a computer network?
- We're looking at a computer network in terms of layers



# A Look at Network Structure:

- Network edge:
  - Hosts: clients and servers
  - Servers often in data centers
- Access networks, physical media: wired, wireless communication links
- Network core:
  - Interconnected routers
  - Network of networks



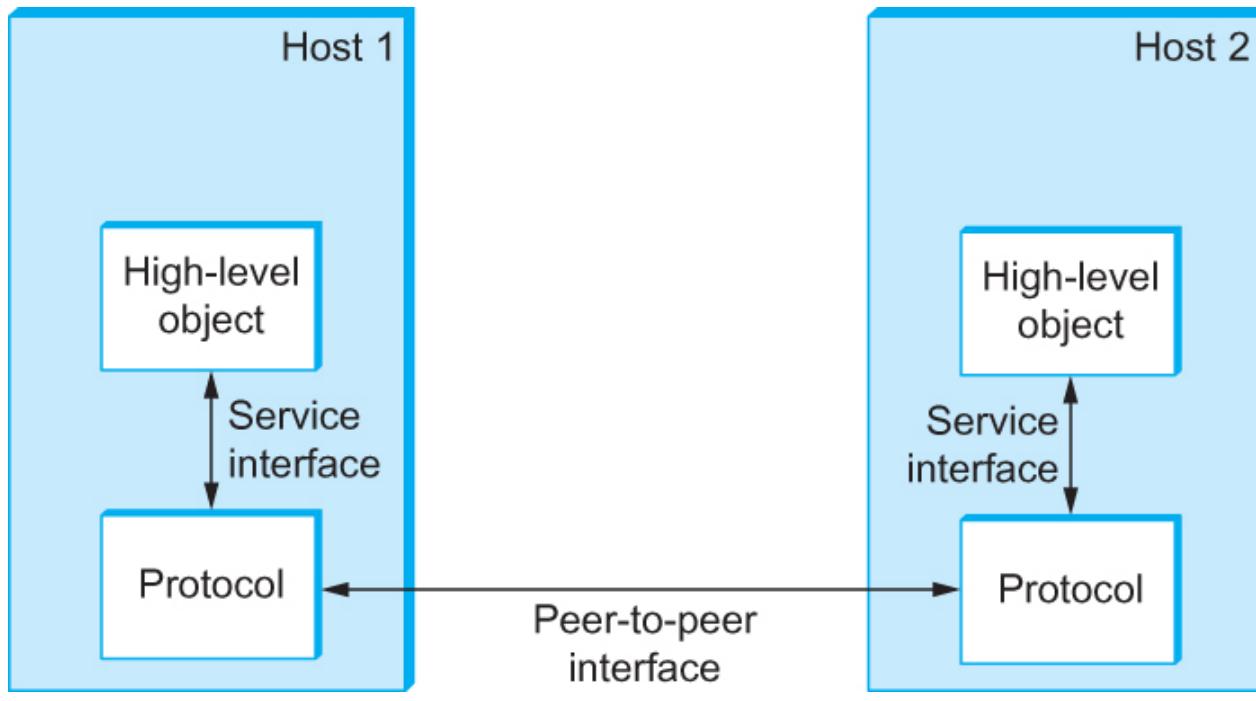
# What's a Protocol?

- Human protocols:
  - “What’s the time?”
  - “I have a question”
  - Introductions
- ... Specific messages sent
- ... Specific actions taken when messages received, or other events
- Network protocols:
  - Machines rather than humans
  - All communication activity in Internet governed by protocols

Protocols define format, order of messages sent and received among network entities, and actions taken on msg transmission, receipt



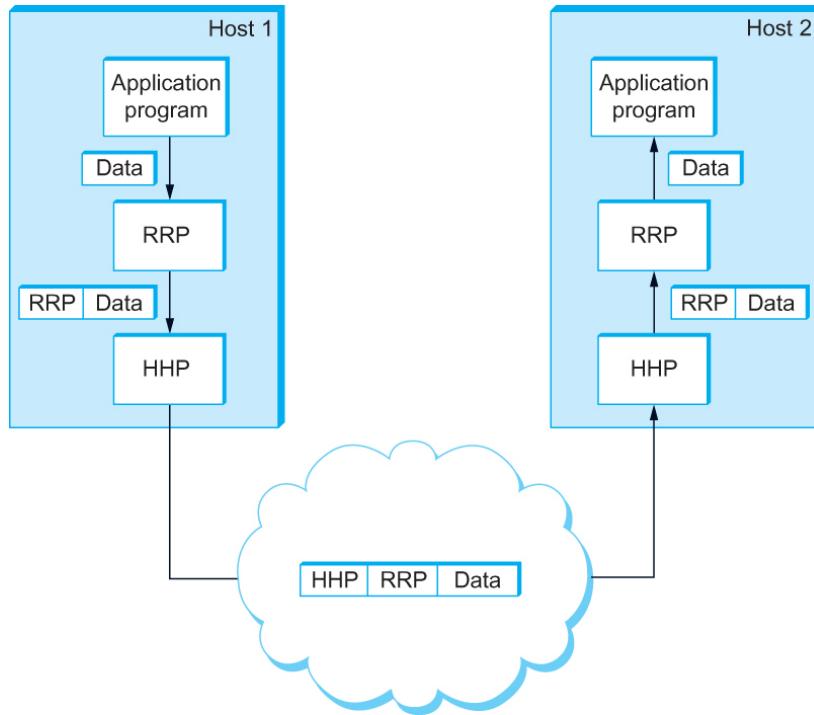
# Interfaces



Service and Peer Interfaces

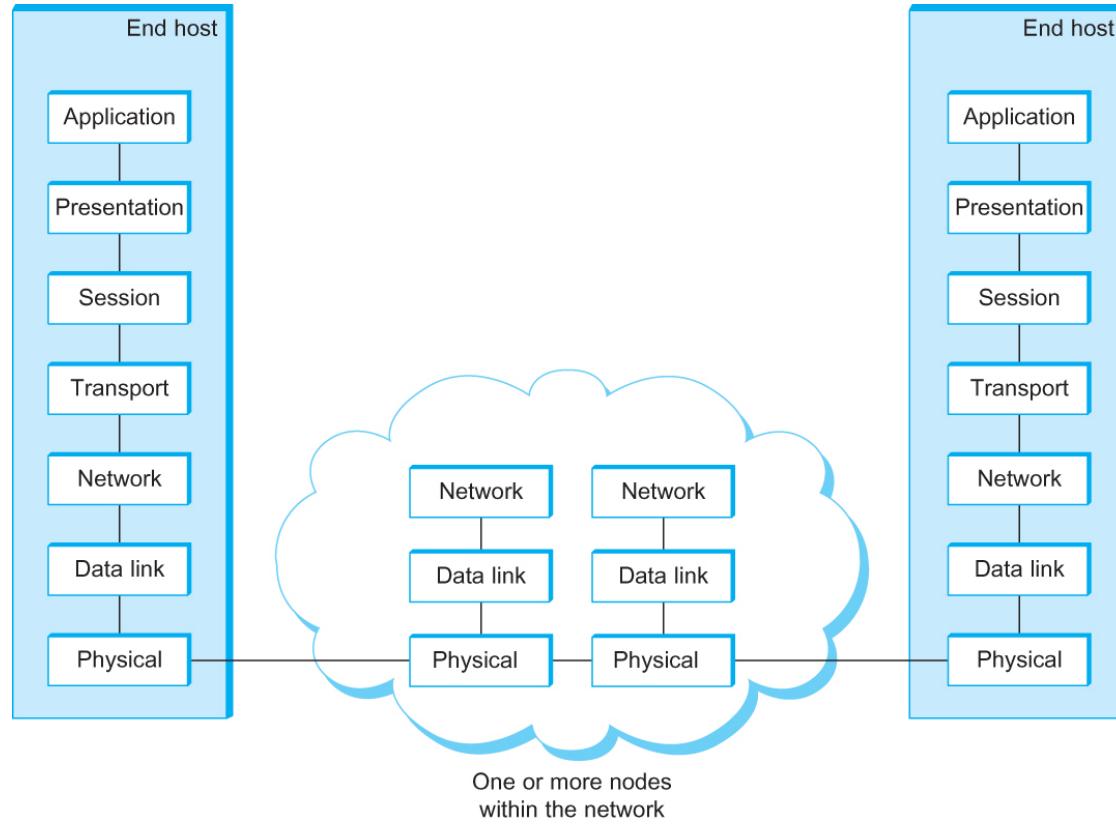


# Encapsulation



High-level messages are encapsulated inside of low-level messages





## The OSI 7-layer Model

### OSI – Open Systems Interconnection

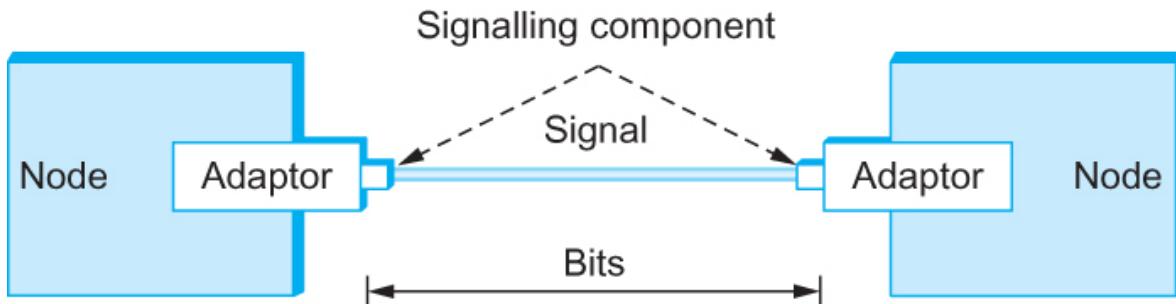


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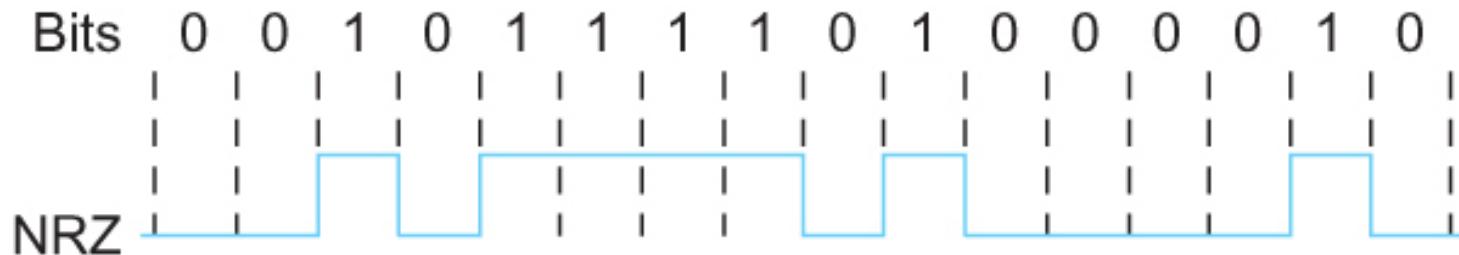
- Sends 1s and 0s across a physical/wireless link
- Ensure reliability
- Placing binary data on a link is called *encoding*
  - We will know that encoding exists, but not deal with it directly
- Provides framing
  - Gives metadata in order to better transmit (e.g. checksums, error detection/correction, number of bytes being transmitted in frame)
- Example: I want to send you 60 bytes of data. Here



# Encoding: Most Basic



Signals travel between signaling components; bits flow between adaptors



NRZ encoding of a bit stream



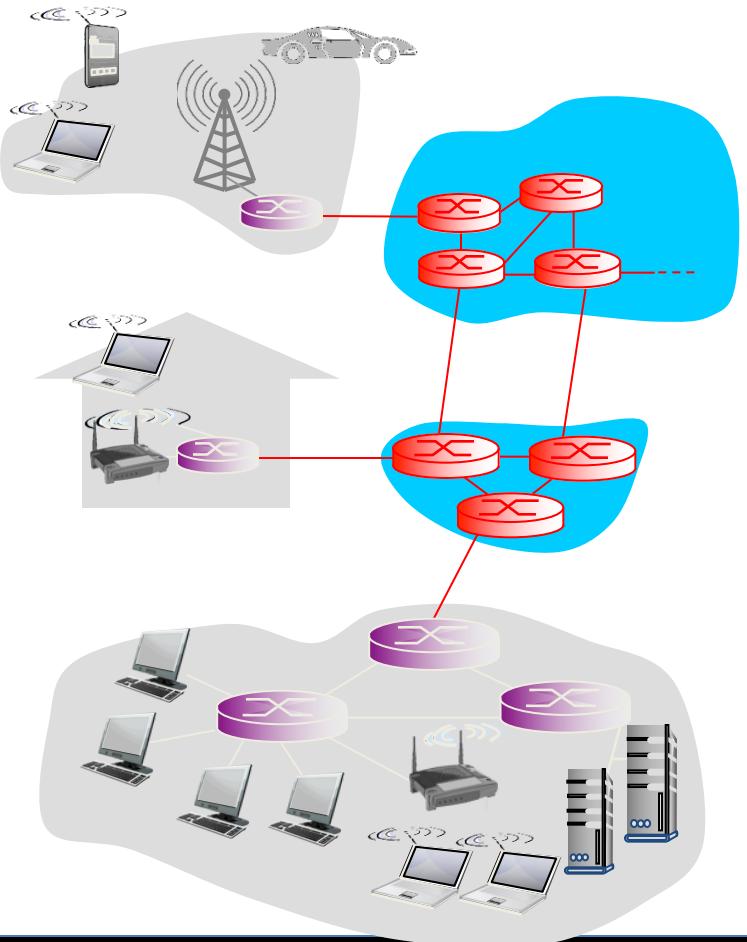
# Data Link Layer

- Provides some basic frame distribution
- Introduces *switching* and *bridging*, but not yet routing
  - We won't get caught up with these
- Begins providing scalability
- Transfers are performed based on the physical address of the recipient
  - Media Access Control (MAC)
- Example: Hello! You are directly connected to Bob, or know exactly how to get to him. Please deliver these 60 bytes of data to him

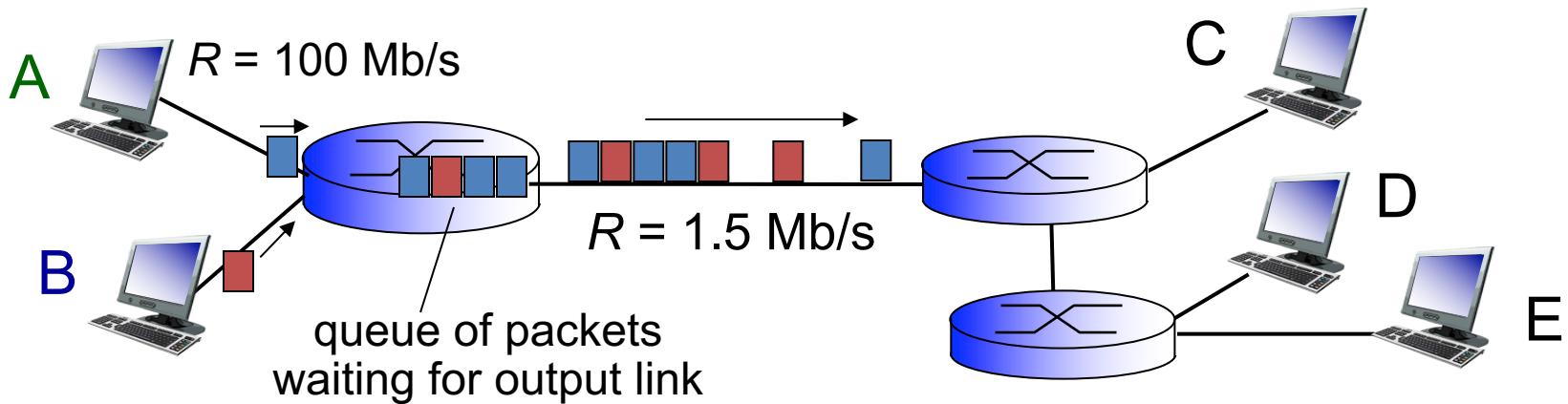


# The Network Core

- Mesh of interconnected routers
- Packet-switching: hosts break application-layer messages into packets
  - Forward packets from one router to the next, across links on path from source to destination
  - Each packet transmitted at full link capacity



# Packet Switching: Queueing Delay, Loss

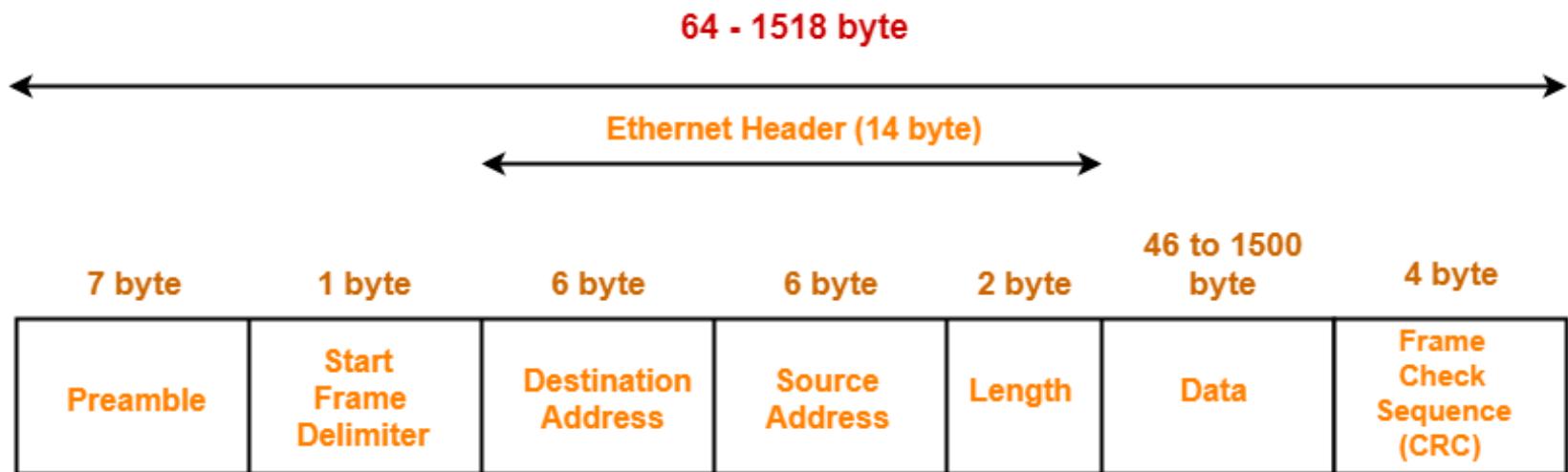


## Queuing and loss:

- If arrival rate (in bits) to link exceeds transmission rate of link for a period of time:
  - Packets will queue, wait to be transmitted on link
  - Packets can be dropped (lost) if memory (buffer) fills up



# Current Transmission Example



IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Frame Format

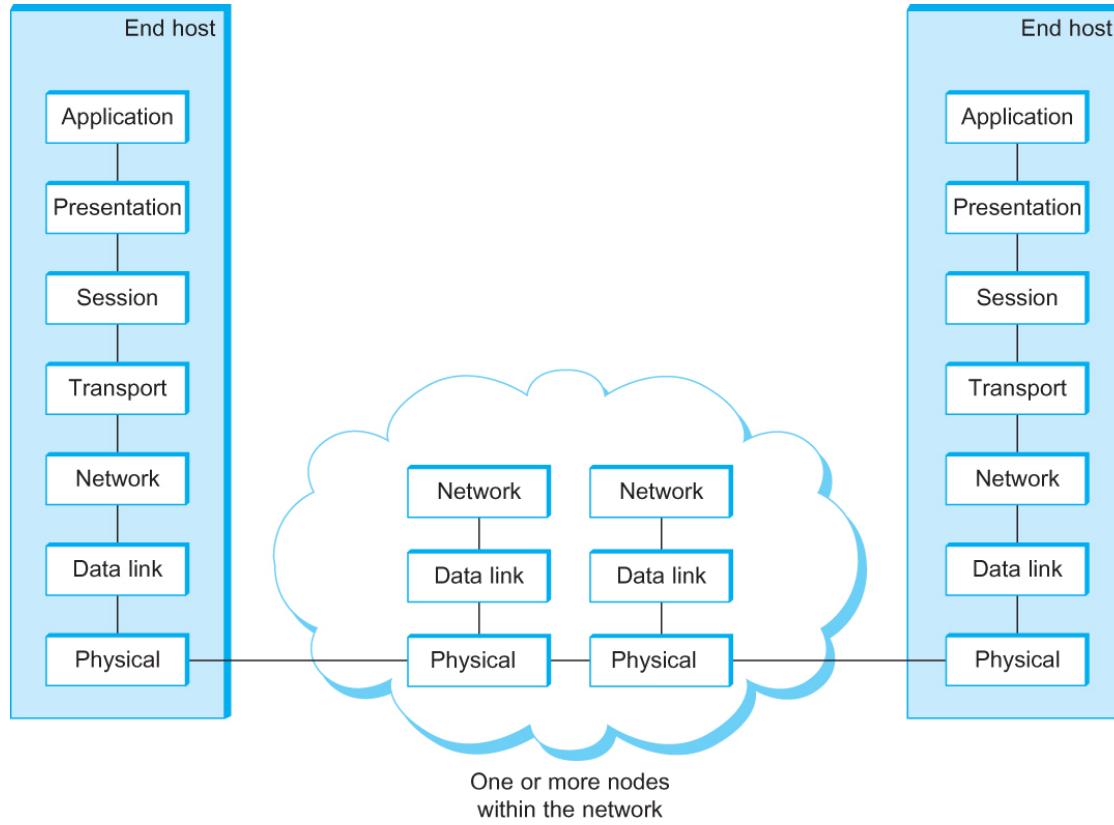


# Layer 3: Network Layer



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# Network Layer

- This is the “Internet of Internets”
- In the second layer, we see
- Protocols in this layer: **IP**
- Programs such as *ping* and *traceroute* operate here
- Transfers can no longer be done with physical address
  - Must use IP address
- Example: Here’s an address for Bob and 60B of data. Discuss with your neighbors to find a good route to Bob, then pass it along until it reaches him



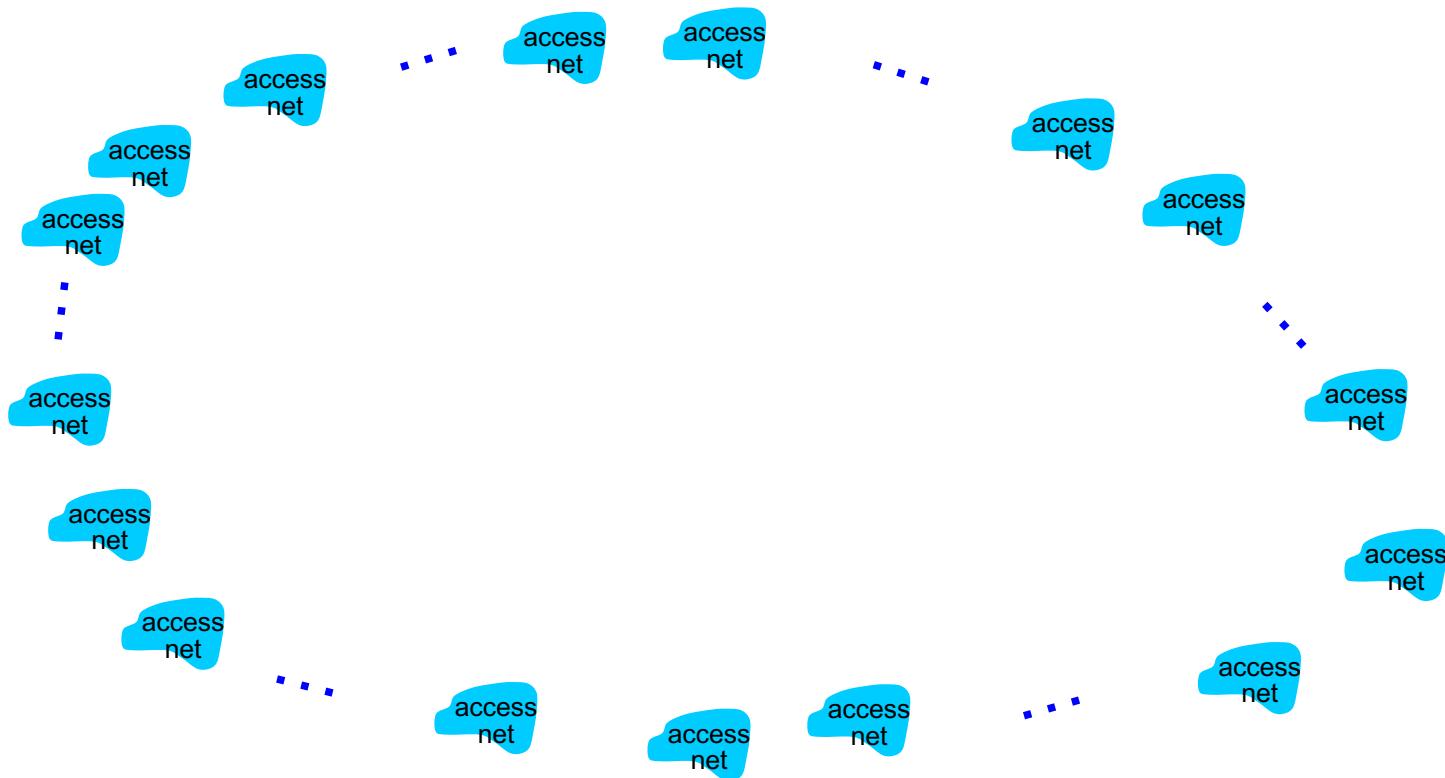
# Internet Structure: Network of Networks

- End systems connect to Internet via access ISPs (Internet Service Providers)
  - Residential, company and university ISPs
- Access ISPs in turn must be interconnected.
  - So that any two hosts can send packets to each other
- Resulting network of networks is very complex
  - Evolution was driven by economics and national policies
- Let's take a stepwise approach to describe current Internet structure



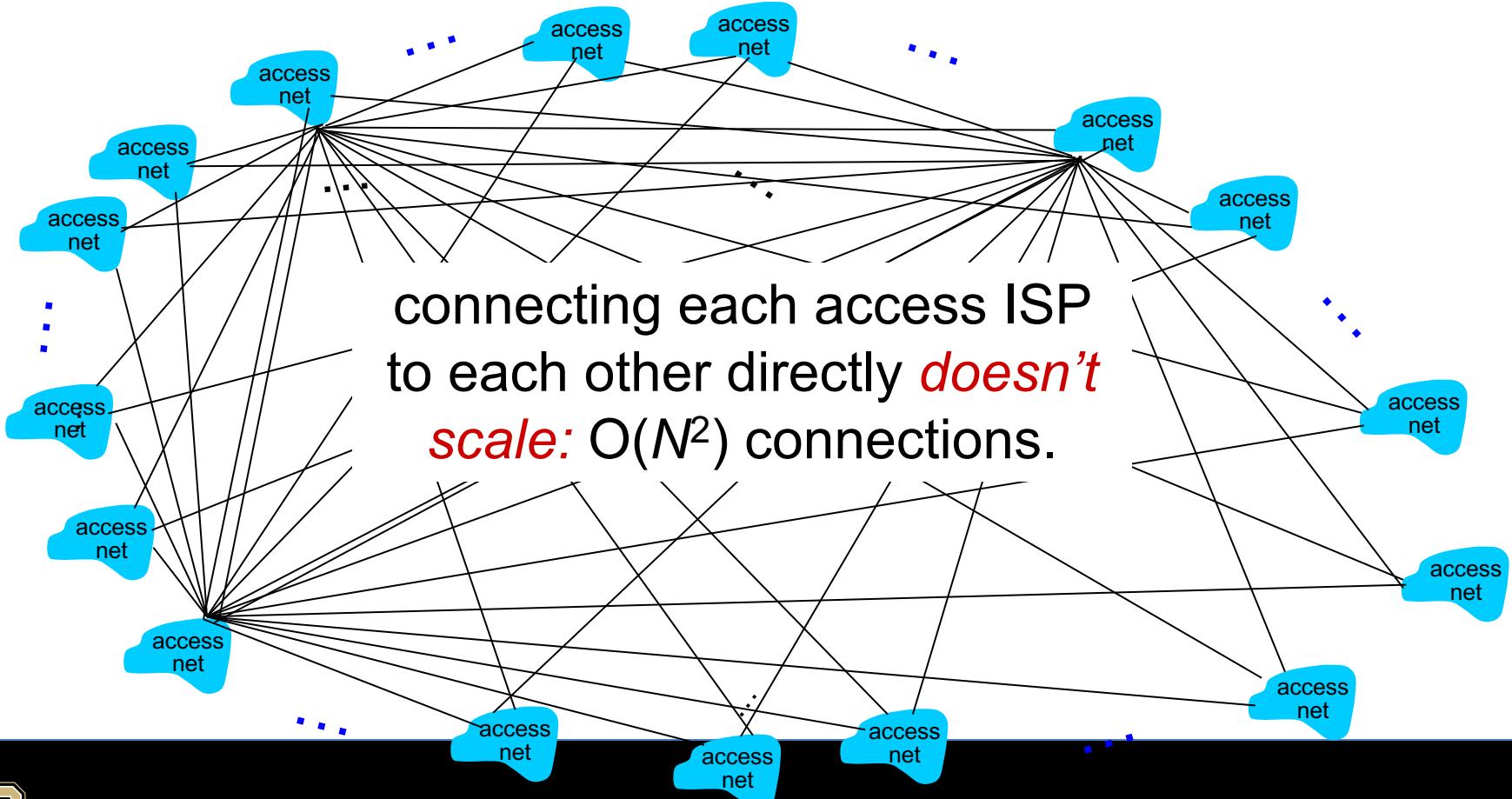
# Internet Structure: Network of Networks

**Question:** given millions of access ISPs, how to connect them together?



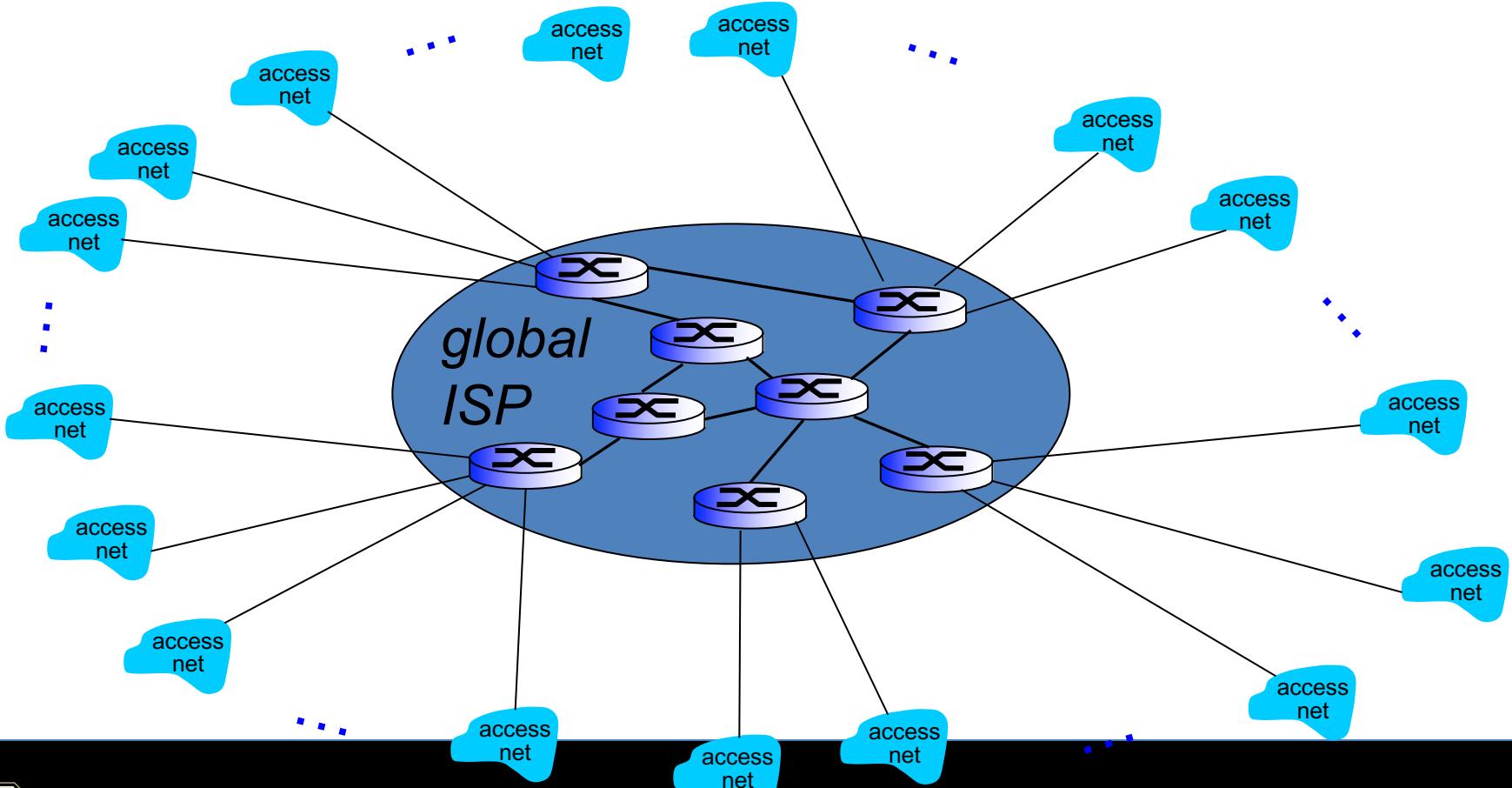
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**Option:** connect each access ISP to every other access ISP?



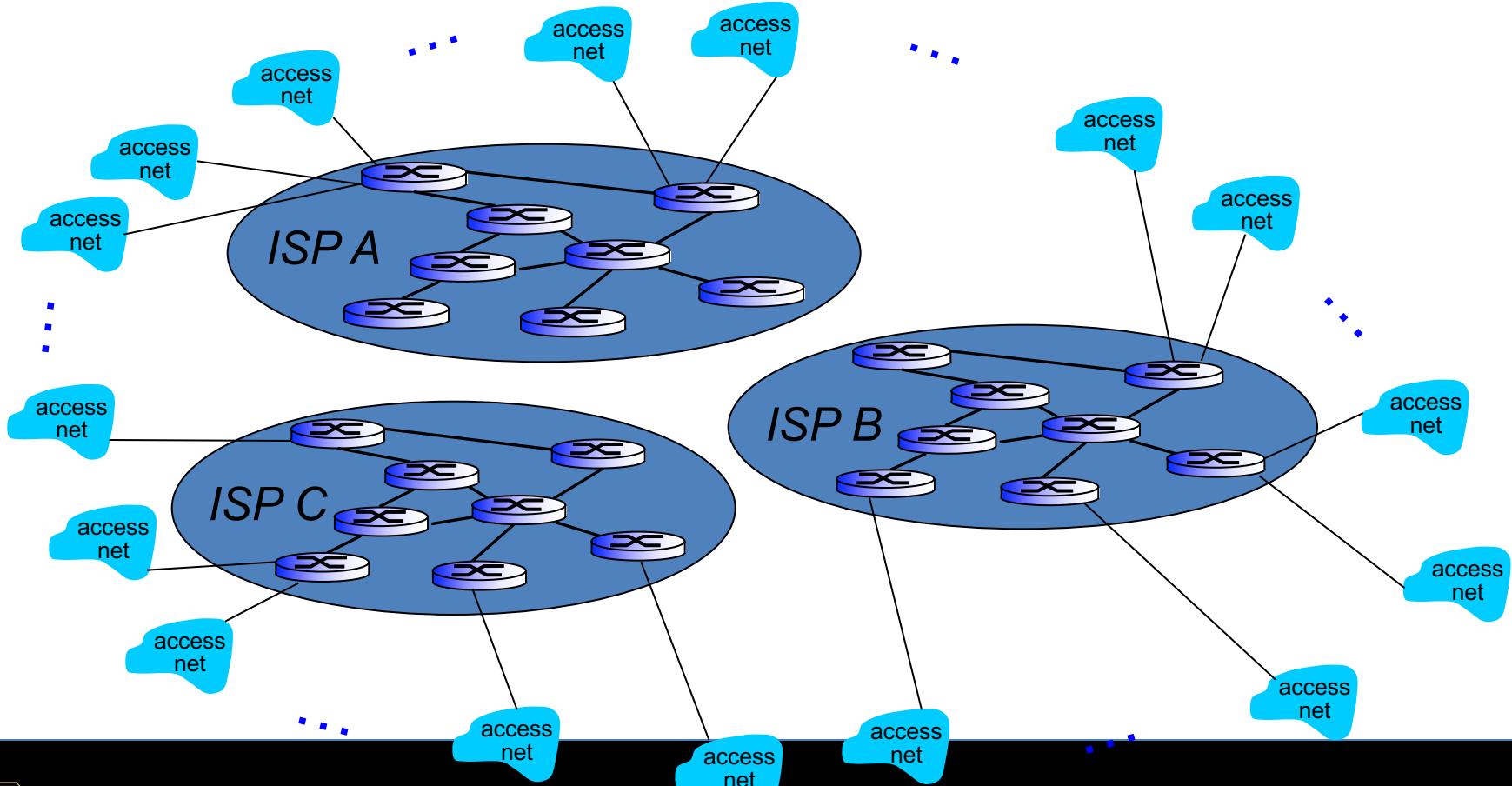
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**Option:** connect each access ISP to a global transit ISP?  
Customer and provider ISPs have economic agreement.



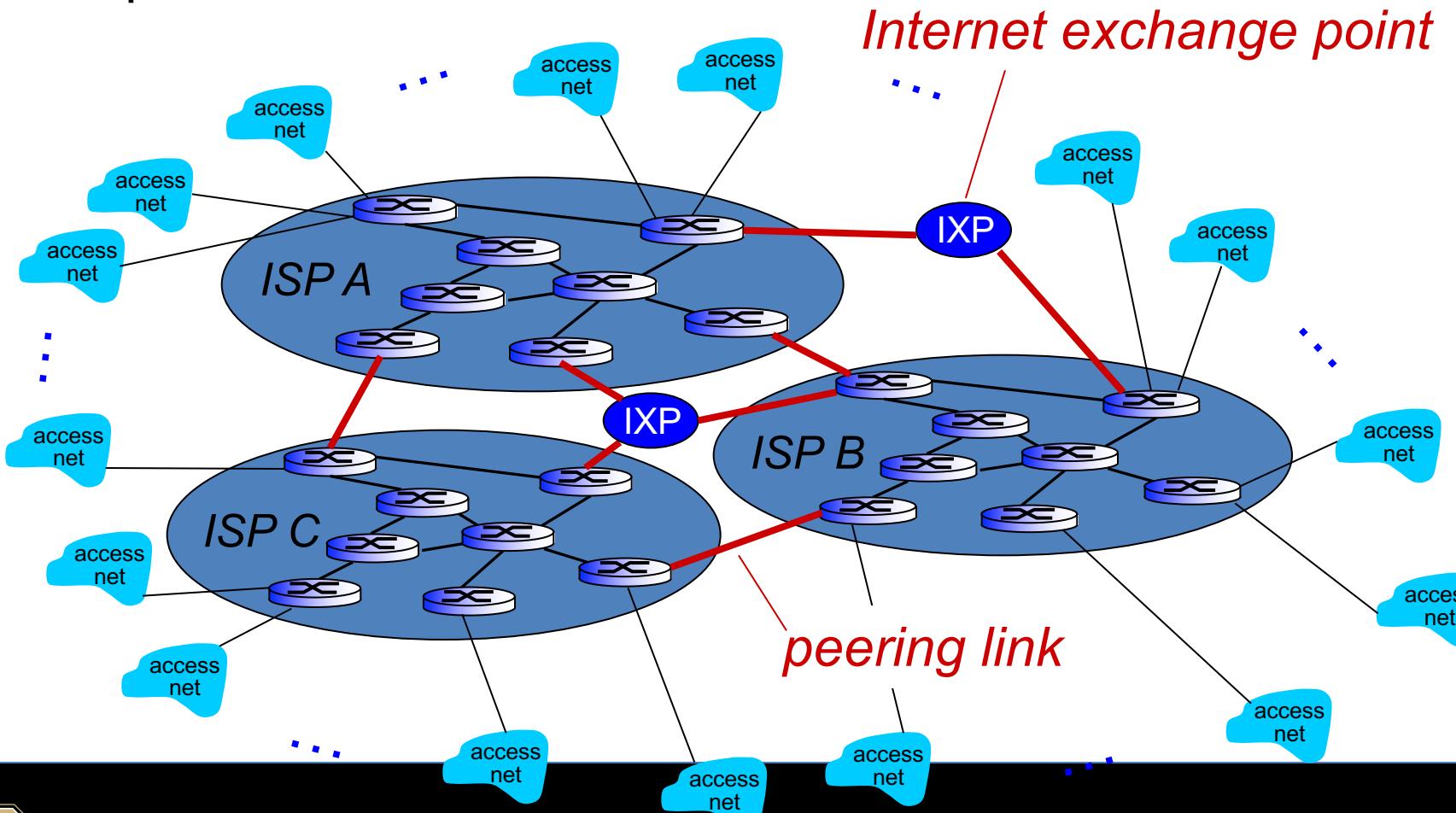
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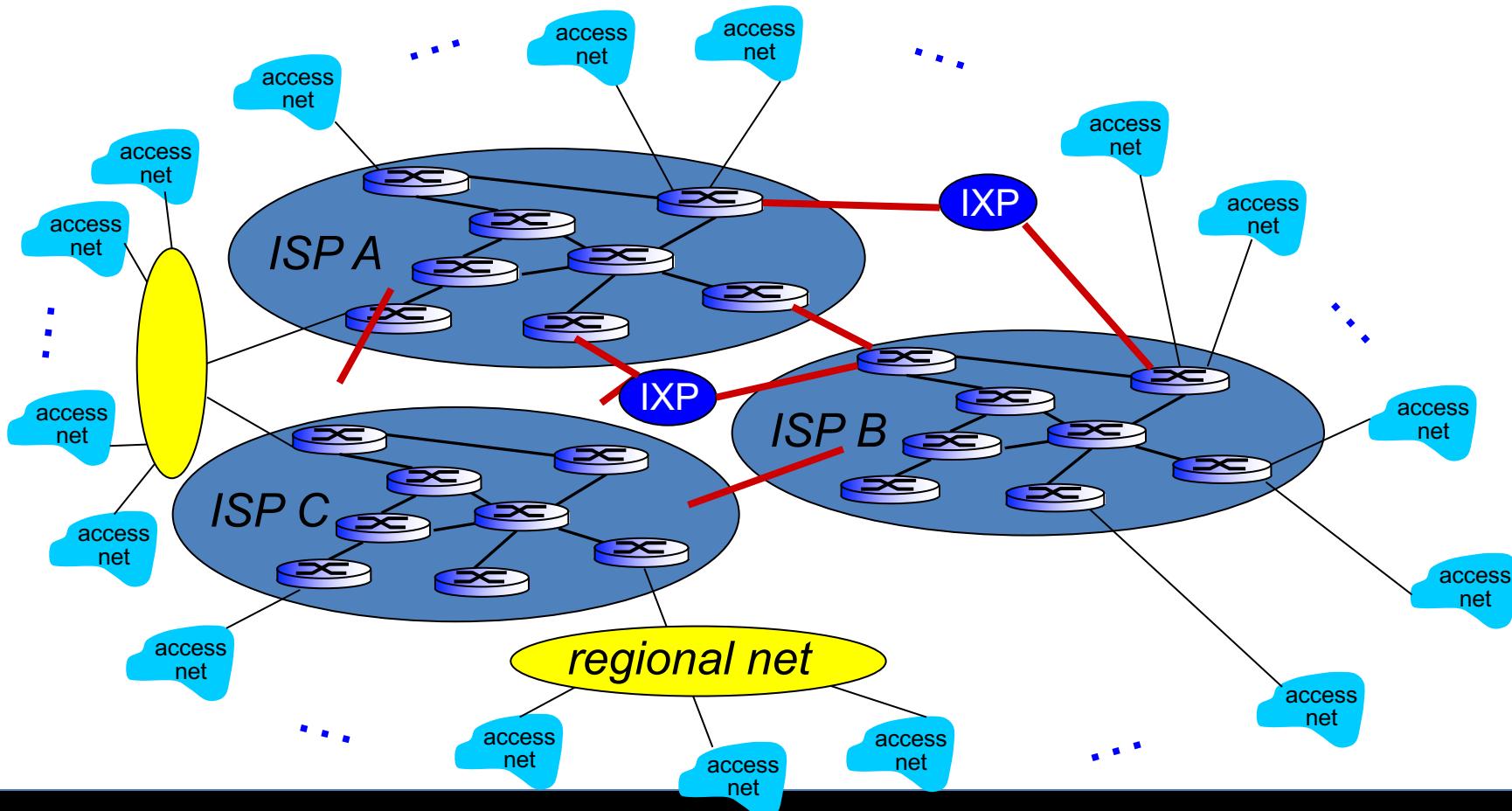
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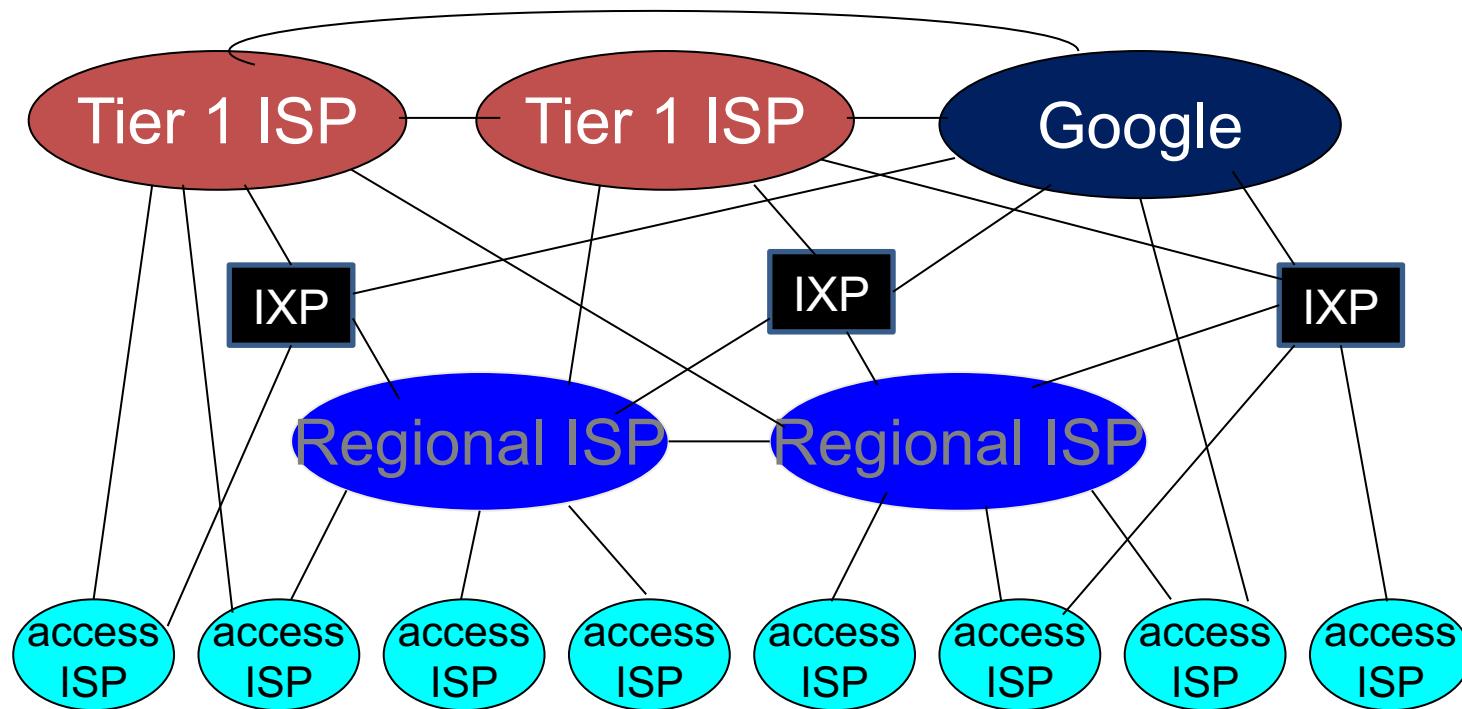


# Internet Structure: Network of Networks

...and regional networks may arise to connect access nets to ISPs



# Internet Structure: Network of Networks



- At center: small # of well-connected large networks
  - “Tier-1” commercial ISPs (e.g., Level 3, Sprint, AT&T, NTT), national & international coverage



# Interdomain Routing (BGP)

- Internet is organized as autonomous systems (AS) each of which is under the control of a single administrative entity
- Autonomous System (AS)
  - Corresponds to an administrative domain
  - Examples: University, company, backbone network
  - “Here’s some info, do what you want”
- A corporation’s internal network might be a single AS, as may the network of a single Internet service provider



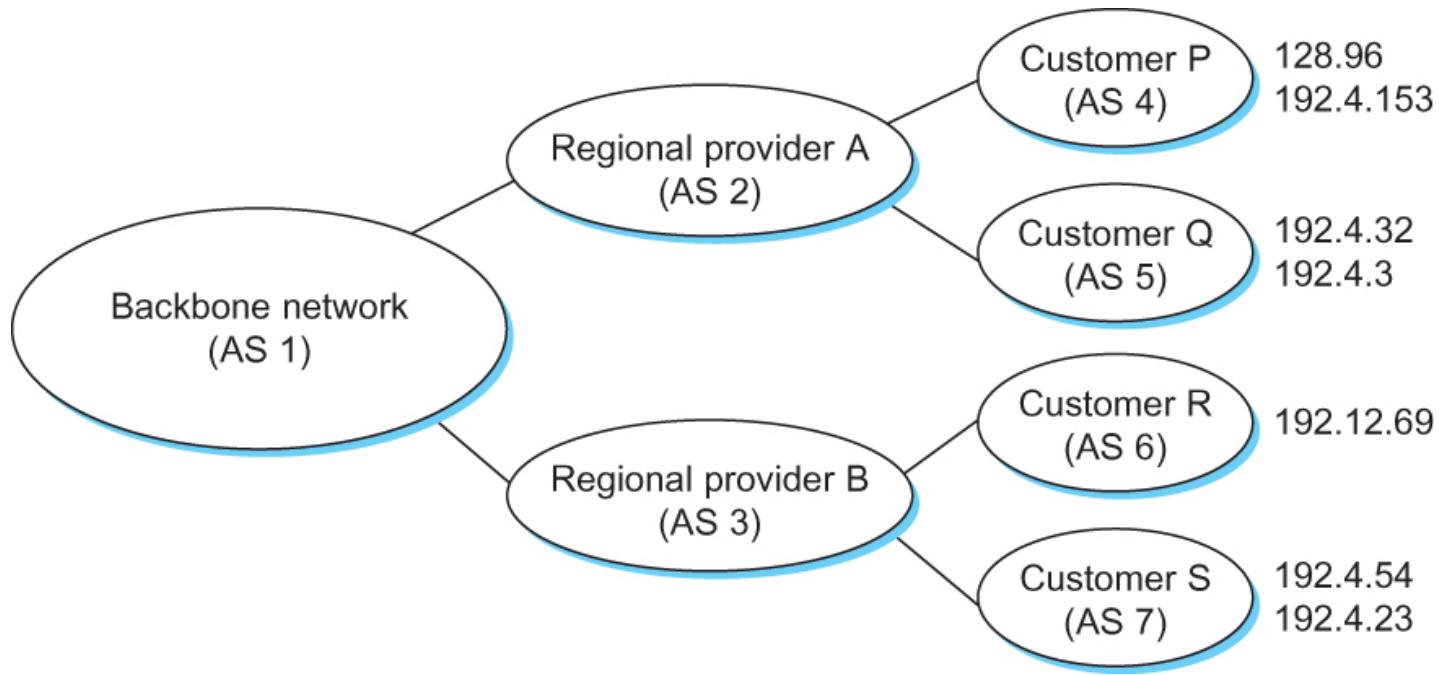
# Border Gateway Protocol (BGP)

Each AS has:

- One BGP speaker that advertises:
  - Local networks
  - Other reachable networks (transit AS only)
  - Gives path information
- In addition to the BGP speakers, the AS has one or more border “gateways” which need not be the same as the speakers
- The border gateways are the routers through which packets enter and leave the AS



# BGP Example



**Example of a network running BGP**



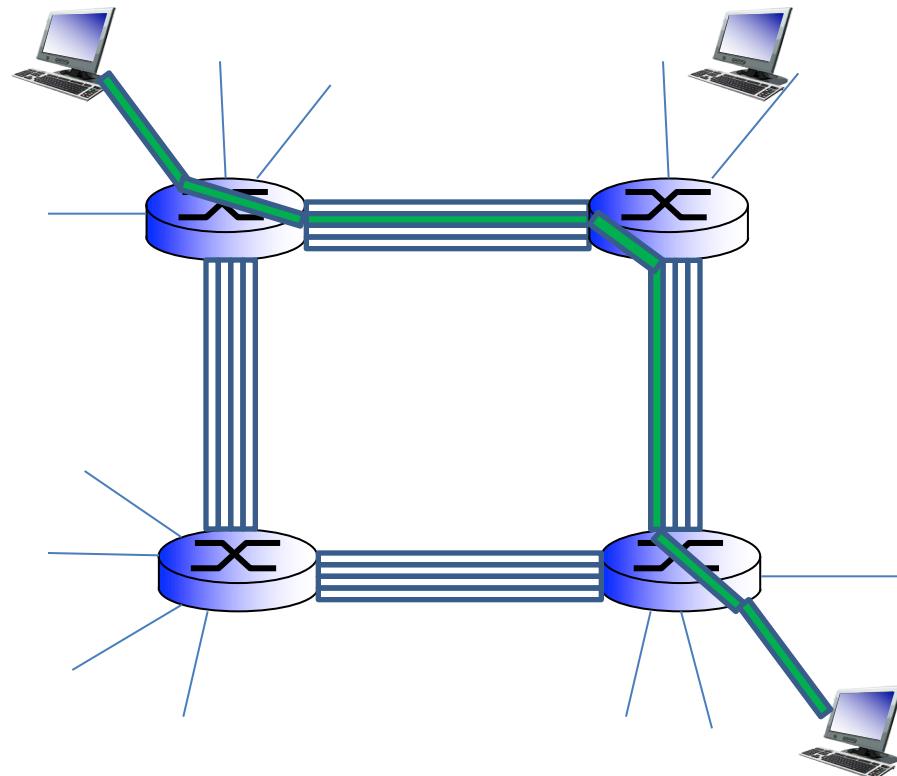
# BGP Example

- Speaker for AS 2 advertises reachability to P and Q
  - Network 128.96, 192.4.153, 192.4.32, and 192.4.3, can be reached directly from AS 2.
- Speaker for backbone network then advertises
  - Networks 128.96, 192.4.153, 192.4.32, and 192.4.3 can be reached along the path <AS 1, AS 2>.
- Speaker can also cancel previously advertised paths



# Alternative core: circuit switching

- End-end resources allocated to, reserved for “call” between source & destination:
- In diagram, each link has four circuits.
  - Call gets 2nd circuit in top link and 1st circuit in right link.
- Dedicated resources: no sharing
  - Circuit-like (guaranteed) performance
- Circuit segment idle if not used by call (no sharing)
- Commonly used in traditional telephone networks

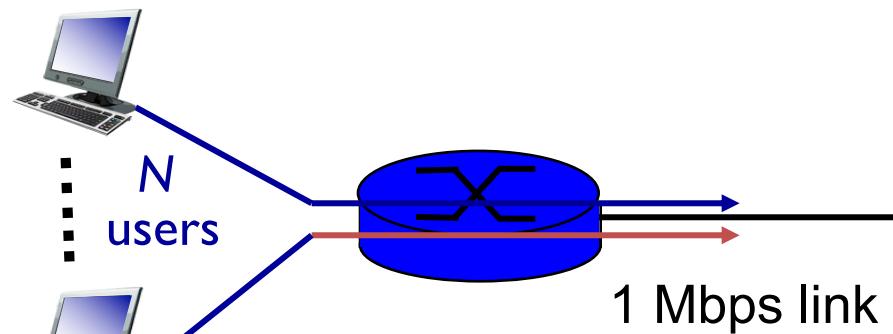


# Packet Switching Vs Circuit Switching

**Packet switching allows more users to use network!**

Example:

- 1 Mb/s link
- Each user:
  - 100 kb/s when “active”
  - active 10% of time
- Circuit-switching:
  - 10 users
- Packet switching:
  - With 35 users, probability > 10 active at same time is less than .0004 \*



# Packet Switching Vs Circuit Switching

**Is packet switching a “slam dunk winner?”**

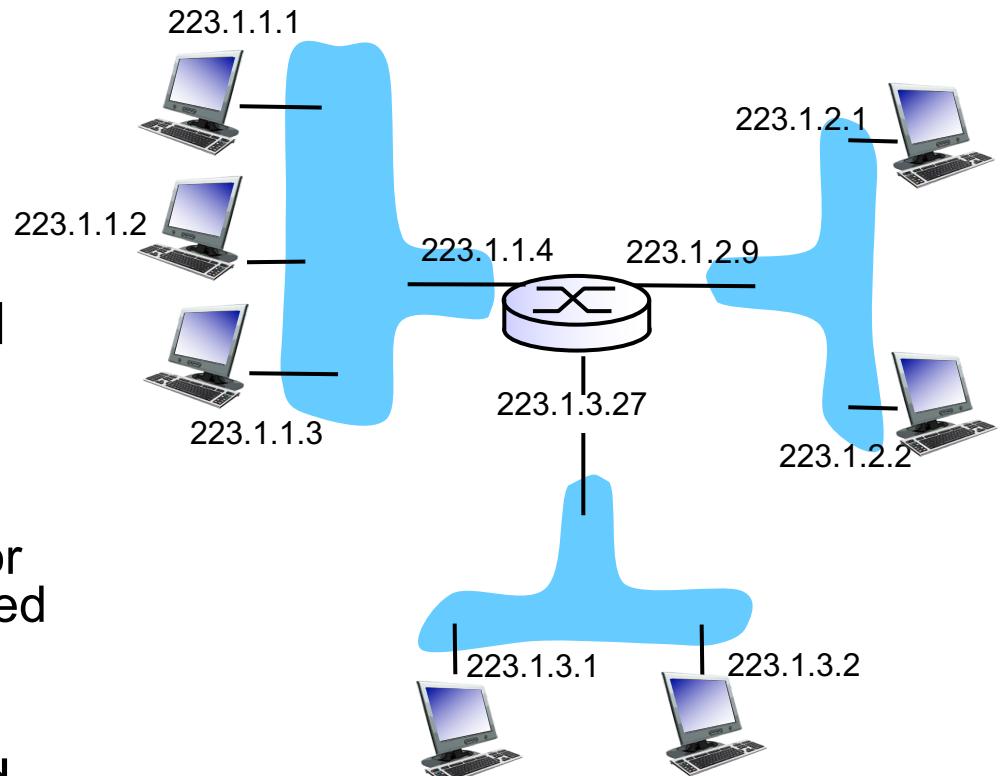
- Great for data that comes in bursts
  - Resource sharing
  - Simpler, no call setup
- Excessive congestion possible: packet delay and loss
  - Protocols needed for reliable data transfer, congestion control
- **Q:** How to provide circuit-like behavior?
  - Bandwidth guarantees needed for audio/video apps
  - Still an unsolved problem (chapter 7)

**Question:** Can you think of human analogies of reserved resources (circuit switching) versus on-demand allocation (packet-switching)?



# IP Addressing: Introduction

- IP address: 32-bit identifier for host, router interface
- Interface: connection between host/router and physical link
  - Router's typically have multiple interfaces
  - Host typically has one or two interfaces (e.g., wired Ethernet, wireless 802.11)
- IP addresses associated with each interface

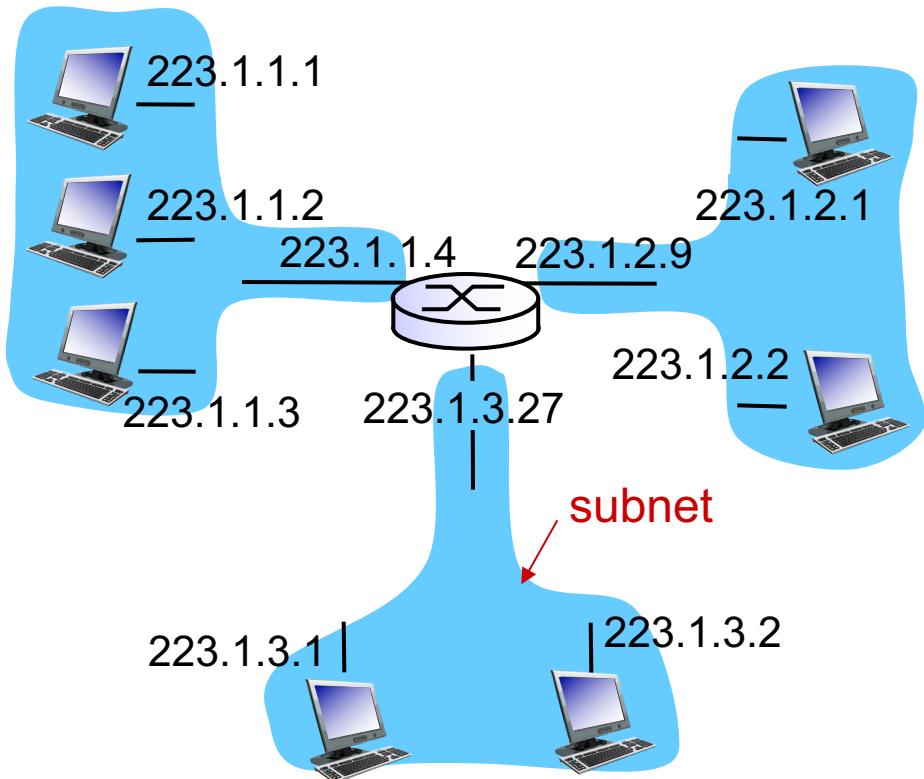


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# Subnets

- IP address:
  - Subnet part - high order bits
  - Host part - low order bits
- What's a subnet ?
  - Device interfaces with same subnet part of IP address
  - Can physically reach each other without intervening router



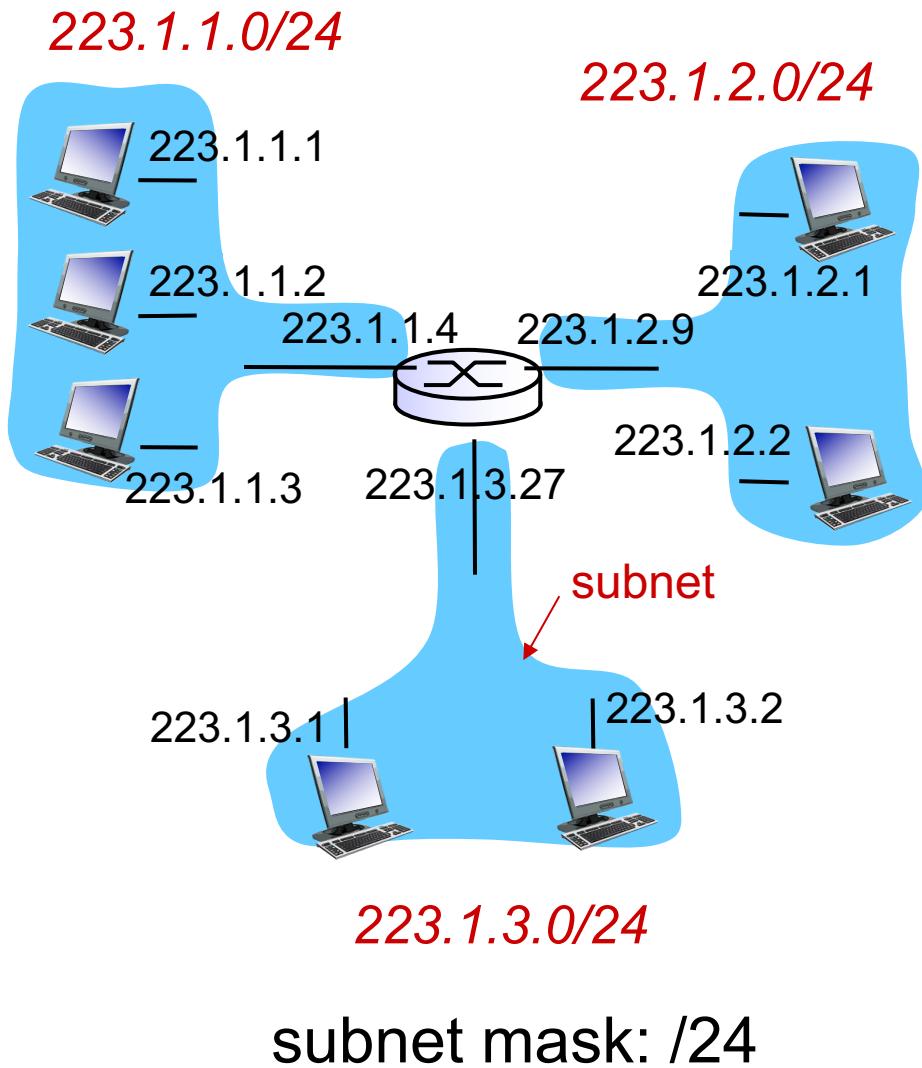
network consisting of 3 subnets



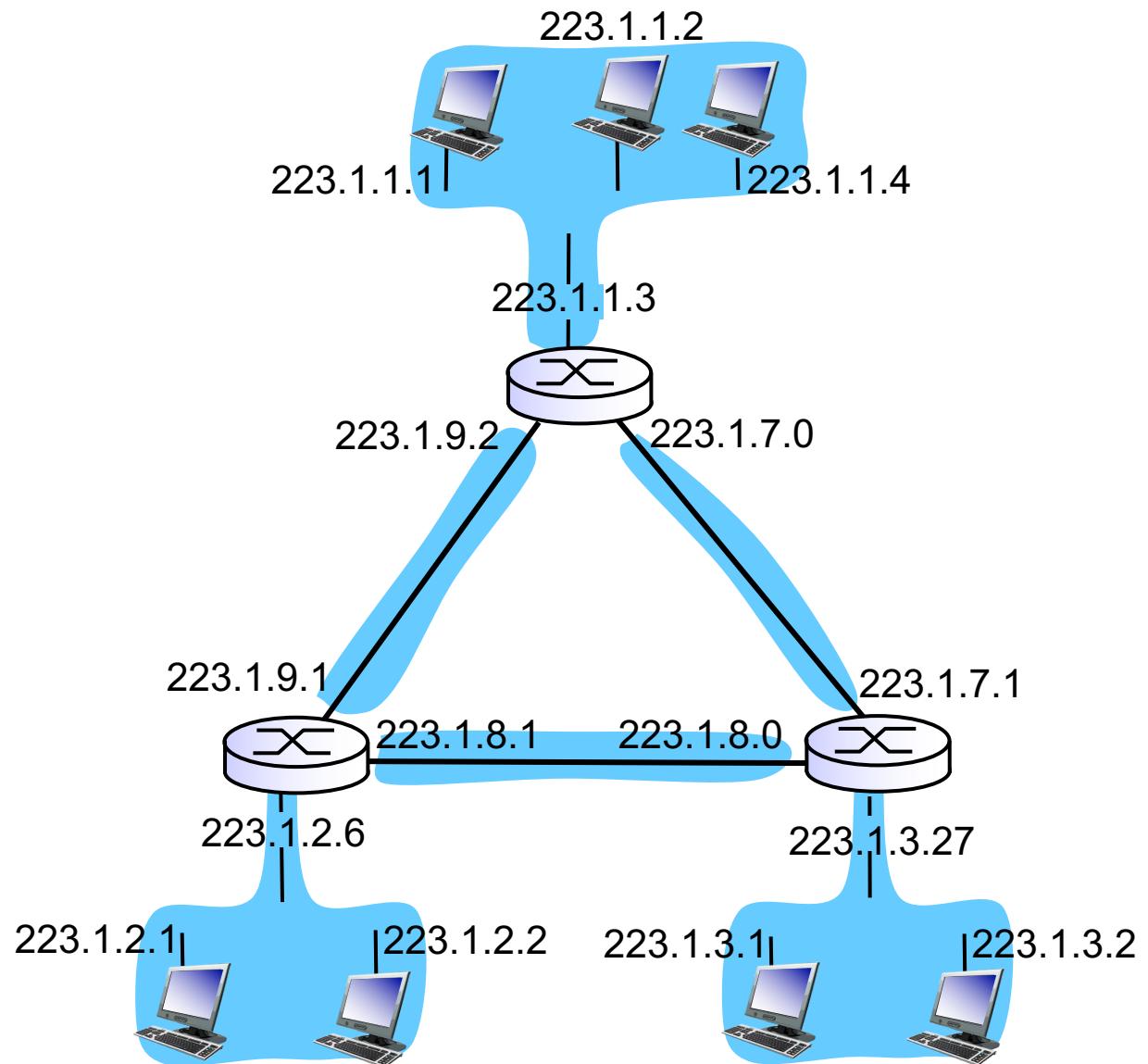
# Subnets

## Recipe

- To determine the subnets, detach each interface from its host or router, creating islands of isolated networks
  - Each isolated network is called a subnet



# Subnets



# IPv4 Addressing: CIDR

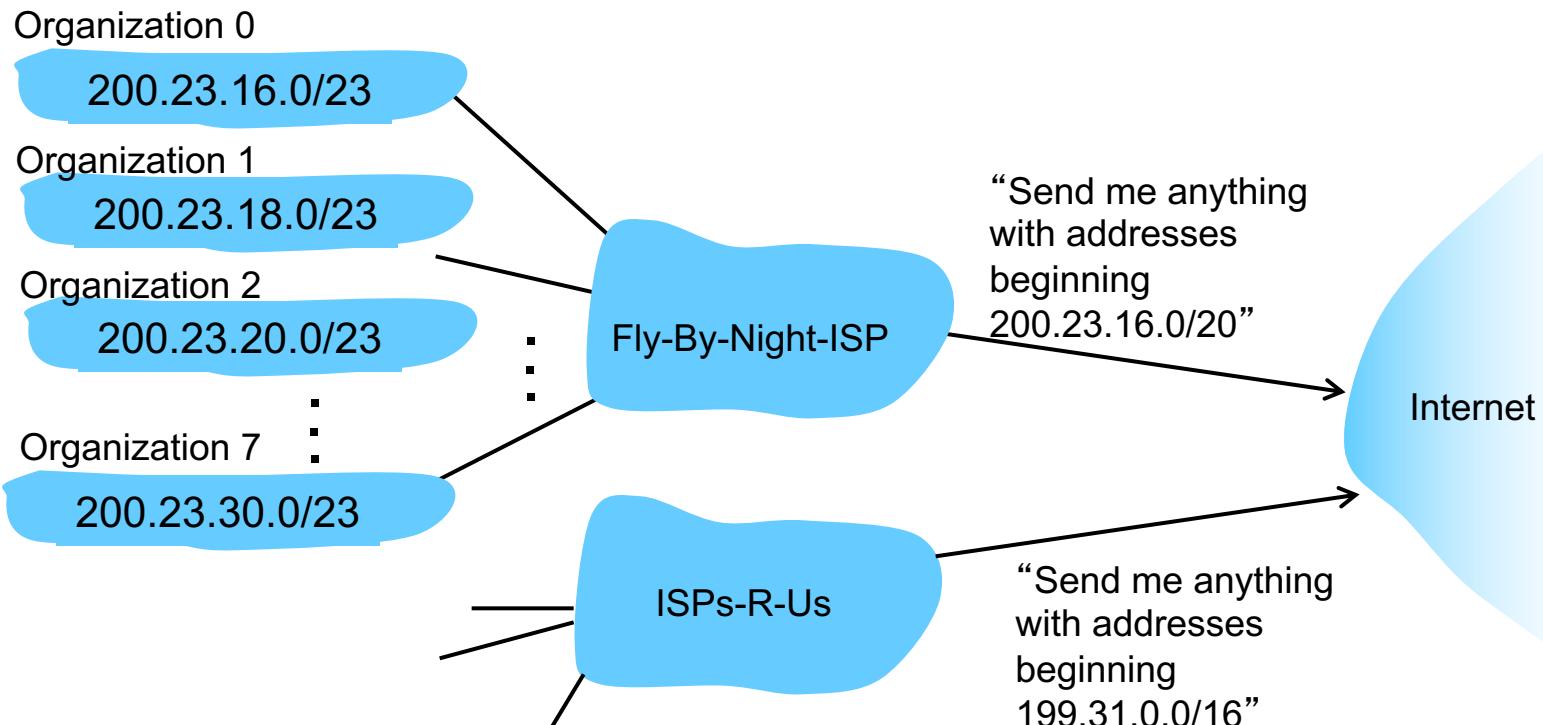
CIDR: Classless Inter-Domain Routing

- Subnet portion of address of arbitrary length
- Address format: a.b.c.d/x, where x is # bits in subnet portion of address



# Hierarchical Addressing: Route Aggregation

Hierarchical addressing allows efficient advertisement of routing information:



# IP Addressing: The Authority

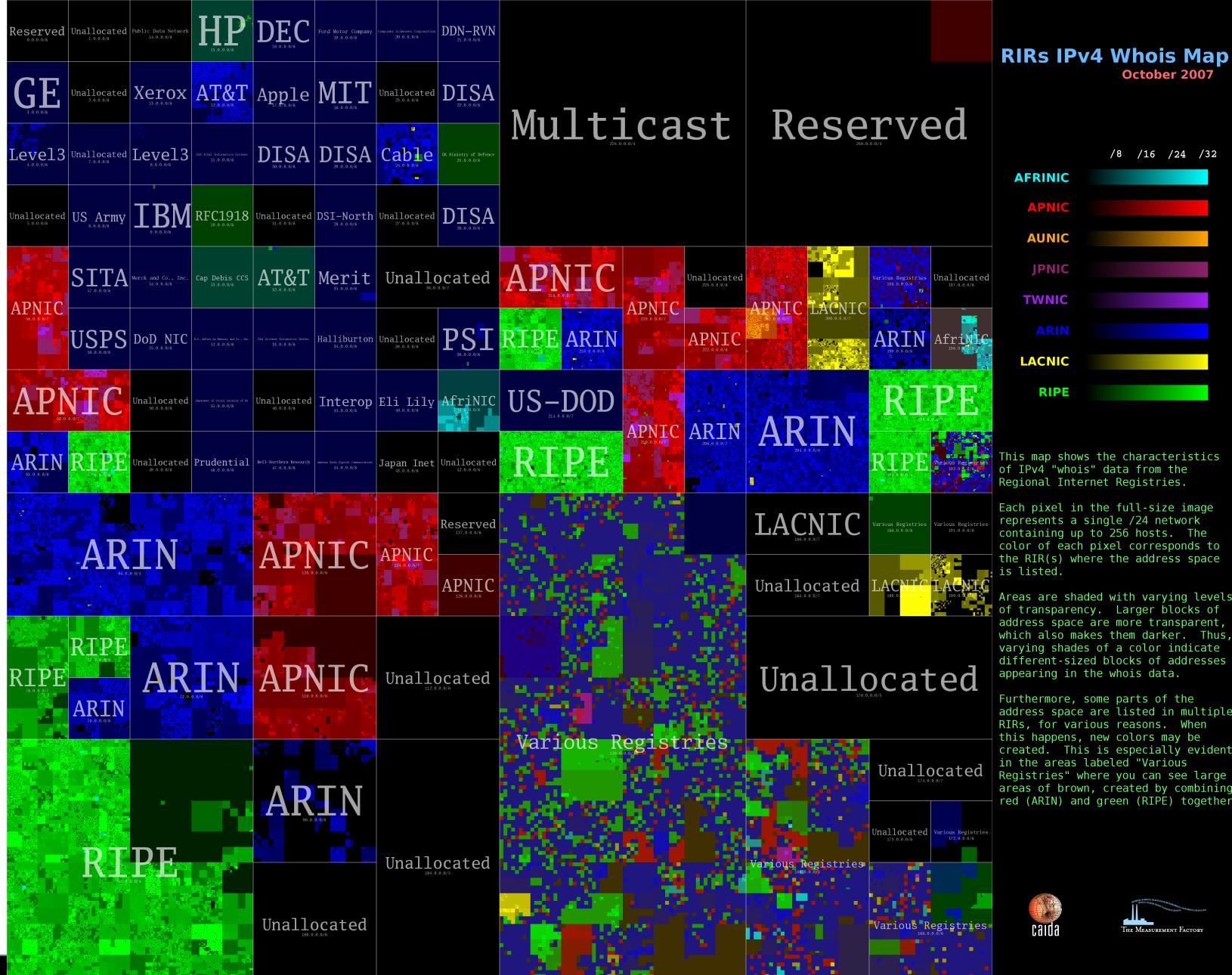
- **Q:** How does an ISP get block of addresses?
- **A:** ICANN: Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers <http://www.icann.org/>
  - Allocates addresses
  - Manages DNS
  - Assigns domain names, resolves disputes



# IPv4 vs IPv6

- The original internet only had a few hosts
- The address space was large at the time
- There are no more IPv4 addresses for use
- IPv6 was created to solve this problem
  - And it does!
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- Problems?
  - No “launch day”
  - People aren’t incentivized to switch since NATs came around

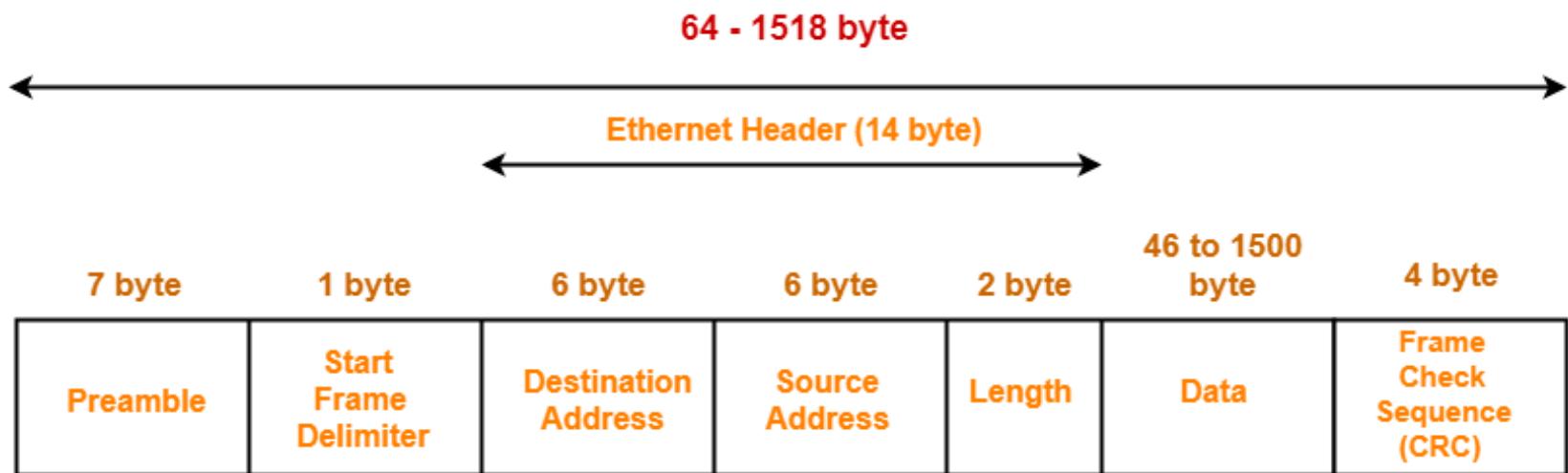


# Network Address Translators (NAT)

- A patch for lack of IP space
- Each residence has 20 devices, all have same IP
- Discussed more in recitation
- But first...



# Previous Packet Structure



IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Frame Format

\*Source: <https://www.gatevidyalay.com>



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# Current Packet Structure

0	4	8	16	19	31				
Version	IHL	Type of Service	Total Length						
Identification		Flags	Fragment Offset						
Time To Live	Protocol	Header Checksum							
Source IP Address									
Destination IP Address									
Options				Padding					

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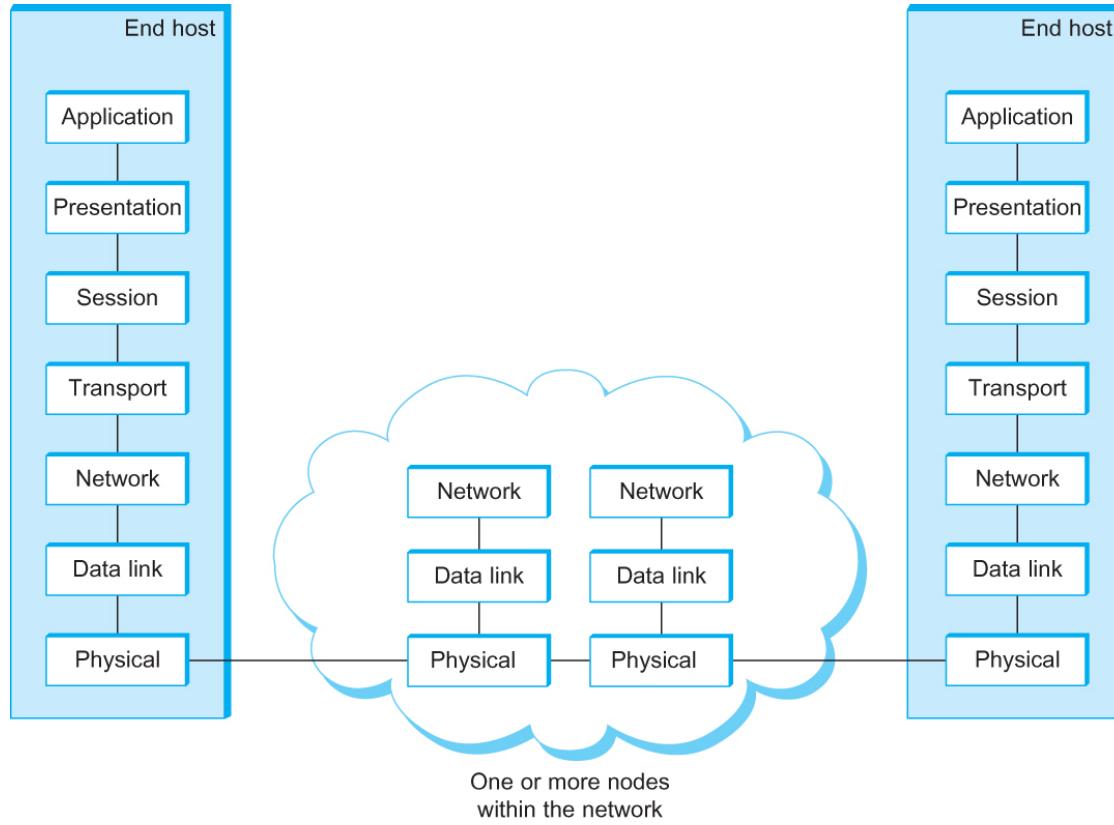
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# Layer 4: Transport Layer



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  - Our connections are unreliable
  - We can only direct info to a machine, not to different processes on that machine!



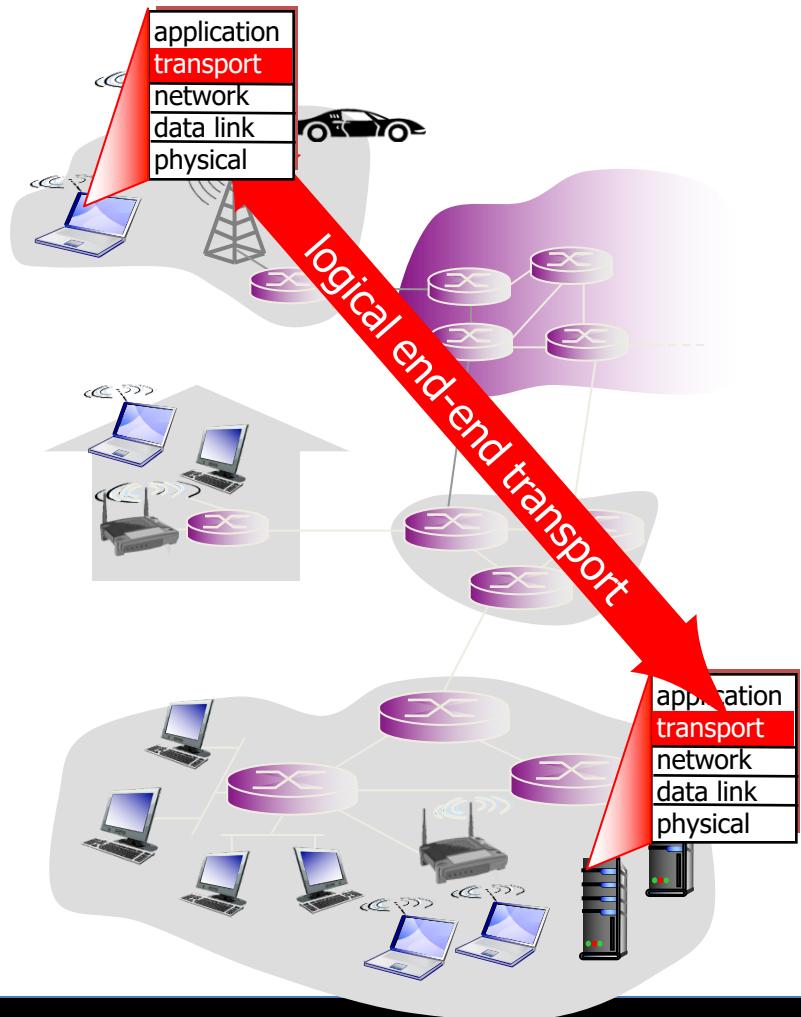
# Transport Layer

- Uses IP addressing to create services
  - Rather than simply delivering to a machine, we can run multiple services per machine
- Introduces the concept of ports for “process-to-process” communication
- Protocols in this layer: **TCP, UDP**
- Example: Bob has a service on port 80. Use the internet’s knowledge to deliver my 60B to him and wait for his confirmation



# Transport Services and Protocols

- Provide logical communication between app processes running on different hosts
- Transport protocols run in end systems
  - Send side: breaks app messages into segments, passes to network layer
  - Receiver side: reassembles segments into messages, passes to app layer
- More than one transport protocol available to apps
  - Internet: TCP and UDP



# Transport vs. Network Layer

- Network layer: logical communication between hosts
- Transport layer: logical communication between processes
  - Relies on, enhances, network layer services

## *Household Analogy:*

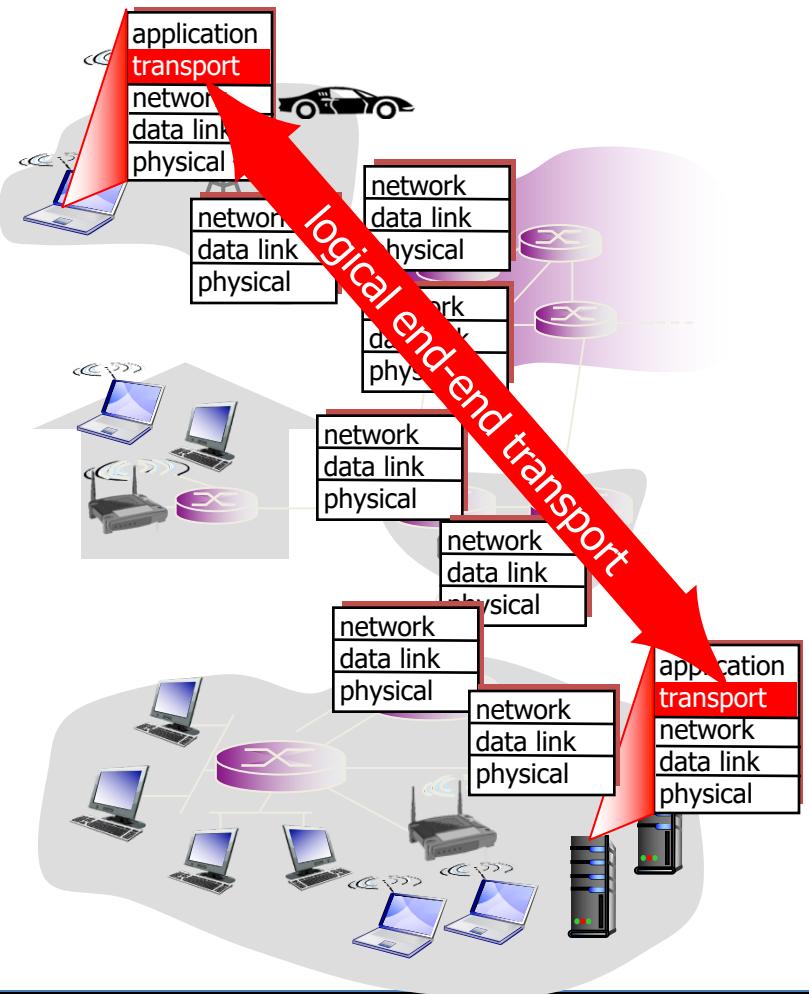
12 kids in Ann's house sending letters to 12 kids in Bill's house:

- hosts = houses
- processes = kids
- app messages = letters in envelopes
- transport protocol = Ann and Bill who demux to in-house siblings
- network-layer protocol = postal service



# Internet Transport-Layer Protocols

- Reliable, in-order delivery (TCP)
  - Congestion control
  - Flow control
  - Connection setup
- Unreliable, unordered delivery: UDP
  - No-frills extension of “best-effort” IP
- Services not available:
  - Delay guarantees
  - Bandwidth guarantees



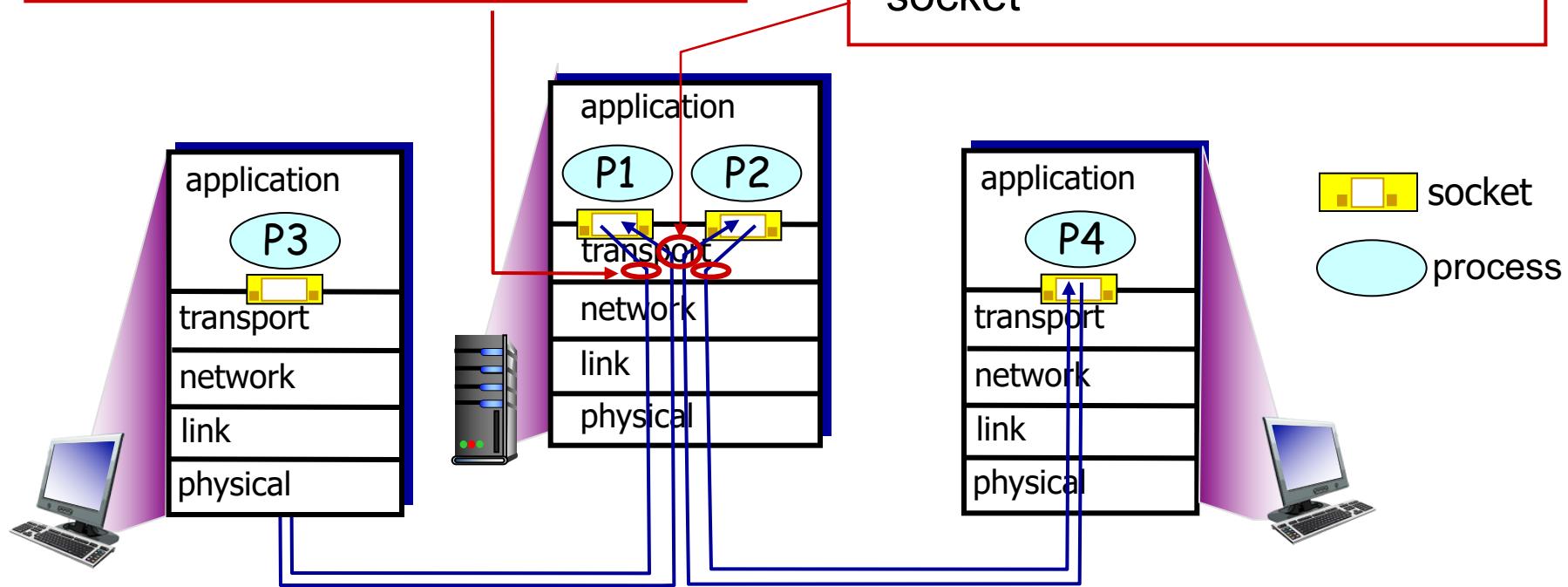
# Multiplexing and Demultiplexing

## *Multiplexing at Sender:*

Handle data from multiple sockets, add transport header (later used for demultiplexing)

## *Demultiplexing at Receiver:*

Use header info to deliver received segments to correct socket



# Socket

- What is a socket?
  - The point where a local application process attaches to the network
  - An interface between an application and the network
  - An application creates the socket
- The interface defines operations for
  - Creating a socket
  - Attaching a socket to the network
  - Sending and receiving messages through the socket
  - Closing the socket



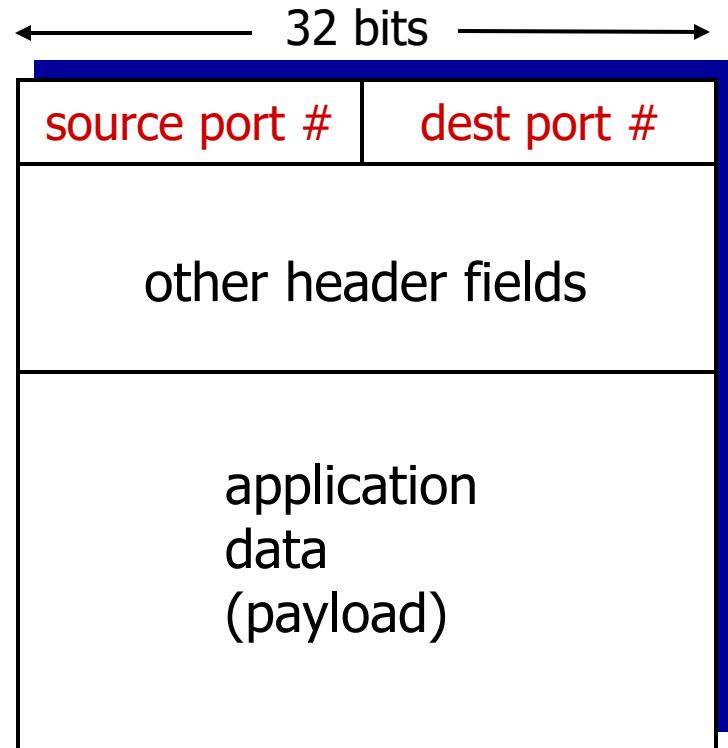
# Socket

- **Socket Family**
  - PF\_INET denotes the Internet family
  - PF\_UNIX denotes the Unix pipe facility
  - PF\_PACKET denotes direct access to the network interface (i.e., it bypasses the TCP/IP protocol stack)
- **Socket Type**
  - SOCK\_STREAM is used to denote a byte stream
  - SOCK\_DGRAM is an alternative that denotes a message-oriented service, such as that provided by UDP



# Connectionless Demultiplexing

- Host receives IP datagrams
  - Each datagram has source IP address, destination IP address
  - Each datagram carries one transport-layer segment
  - Each segment has source, destination port number
- Host uses IP addresses & port numbers to direct segment to appropriate socket



TCP/UDP segment format



# Connection-Oriented Demultiplexing

- TCP socket identified by 4-tuple:
  - Source IP address
  - Source port number
  - Dest IP address
  - Dest port number
- Demultiplexing: receiver uses all four values to direct segment to appropriate socket
- Server host may support many simultaneous TCP sockets:
  - Each socket identified by its own 4-tuple
- Web servers have different sockets for each connecting client
  - Non-persistent HTTP will have different socket for each request



# UDP: User Datagram Protocol

- “No frills,” “bare bones” Internet transport protocol
- “Best effort” service, UDP segments may be:
  - Lost
  - Delivered out-of-order to app
- Connectionless:
  - No handshaking between UDP sender, receiver
  - Each UDP segment handled independently of others
- UDP use:
  - Streaming multimedia apps (loss tolerant, rate sensitive)
  - DNS
  - SNMP
- Reliable transfer over UDP:
  - Add reliability at application layer
  - Application-specific error recovery!



# UDP Checksum

**Goal:** detect “errors” (e.g., flipped bits) in transmitted segment

## Sender:

- Treat segment contents, including header fields, as sequence of 16-bit integers
- Checksum: addition (one's complement sum) of segment contents
- Sender puts checksum value into UDP checksum field

## Receiver:

- Compute checksum of received segment
- Check if computed checksum equals checksum field value:
  - NO - error detected
  - YES - no error detected. But maybe errors nonetheless?

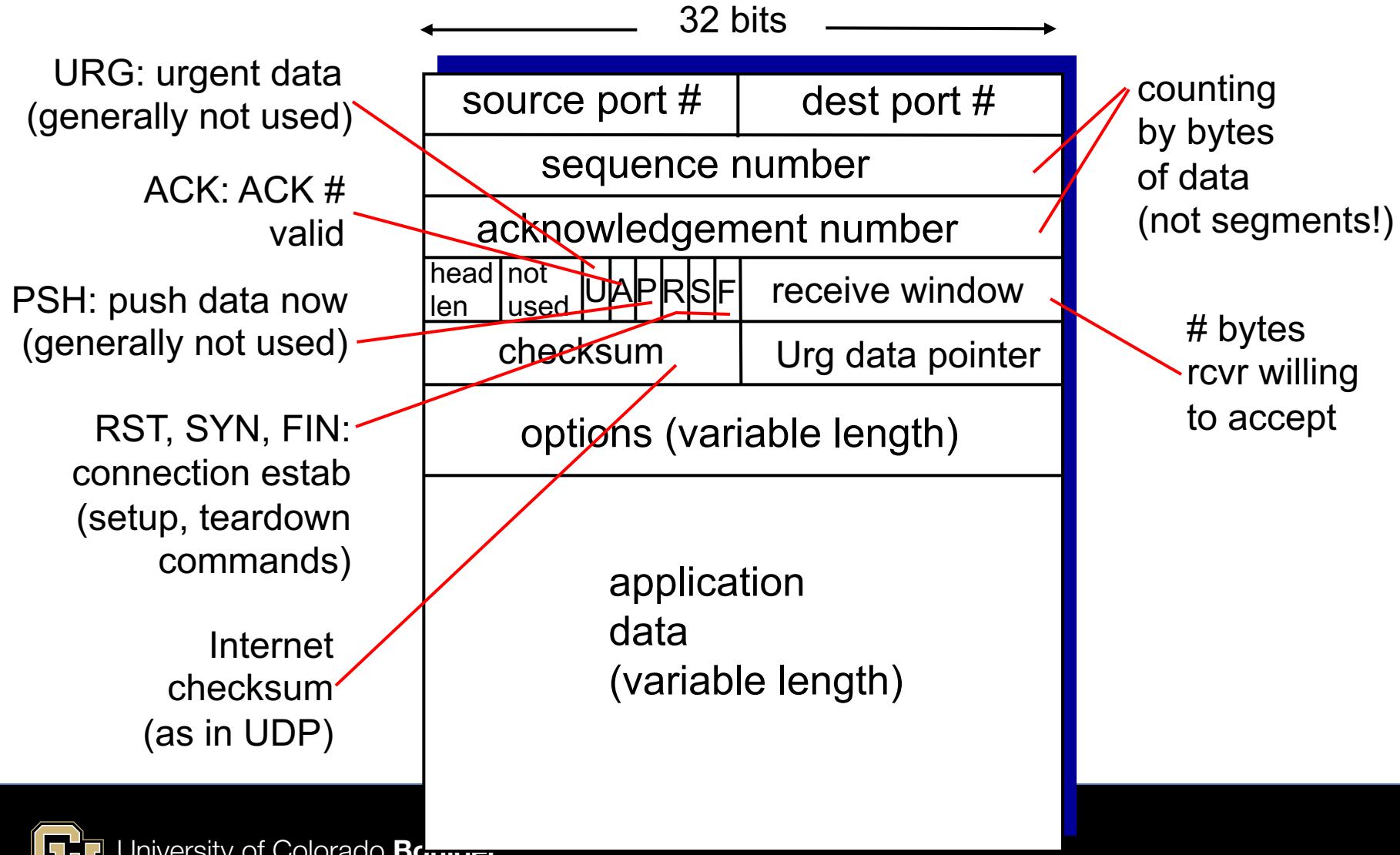


# TCP: Overview

- Point-to-point:
  - One sender, one receiver
- Reliable, in-order byte stream:
  - No “message boundaries”
- Pipelined:
  - TCP congestion and flow control set window size
- Full duplex data:
  - Bi-directional data flow in same connection
  - MSS: maximum segment size
- Connection-oriented:
  - Handshaking (exchange of control msgs) inits sender, receiver state before data exchange
- Flow controlled:
  - Sender will not overwhelm receiver



# TCP Segment Structure



# TCP Sequence Numbers, ACKs

Sequence numbers:

- Byte stream “number” of first byte in segment’s data

Acknowledgements:

- Seq # of next byte expected from other side
- Cumulative ACK

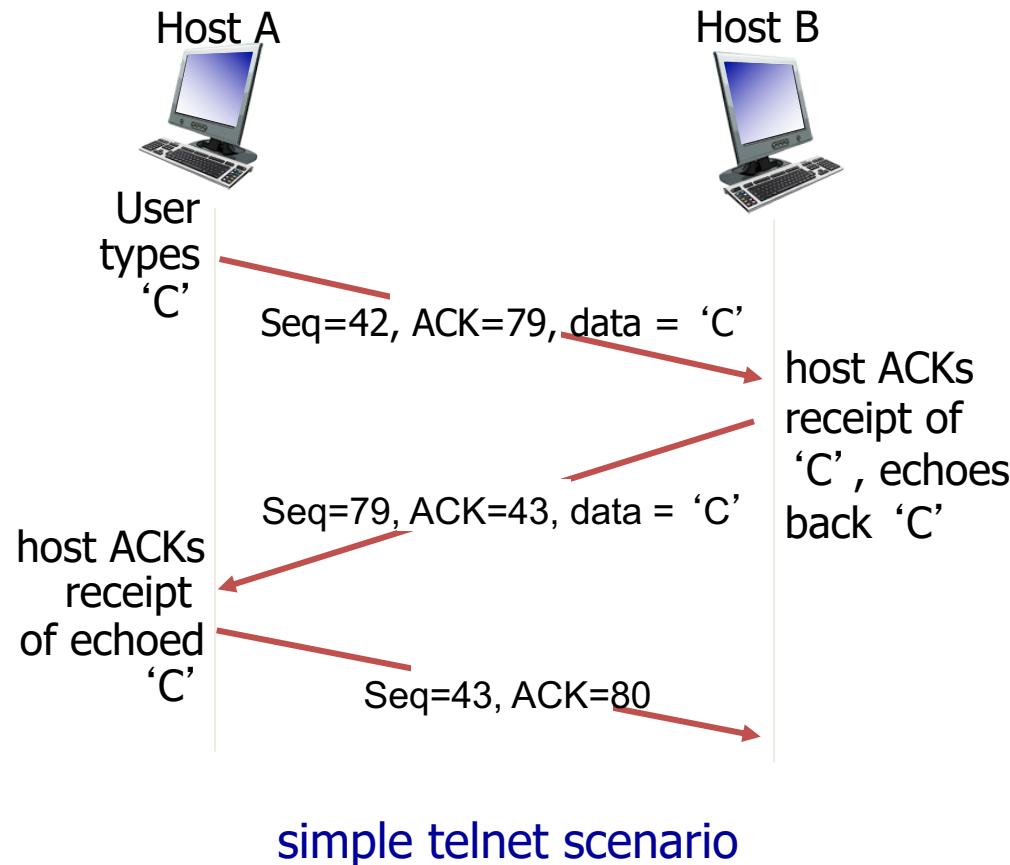
**Q:** How receiver handles out-of-order segments

**A:** TCP spec doesn’t say, - up to implementor



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# TCP Sequence Numbers, ACKs



# TCP Round-Trip Time (RTT), Timeout

**Q:** How to set TCP timeout value?

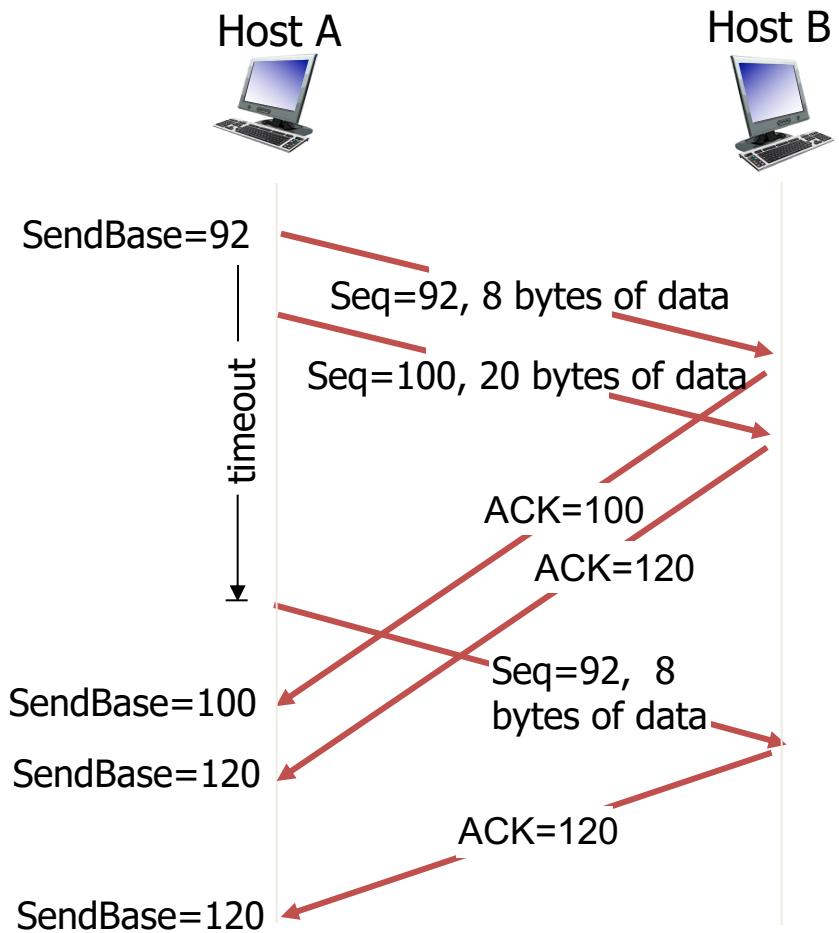
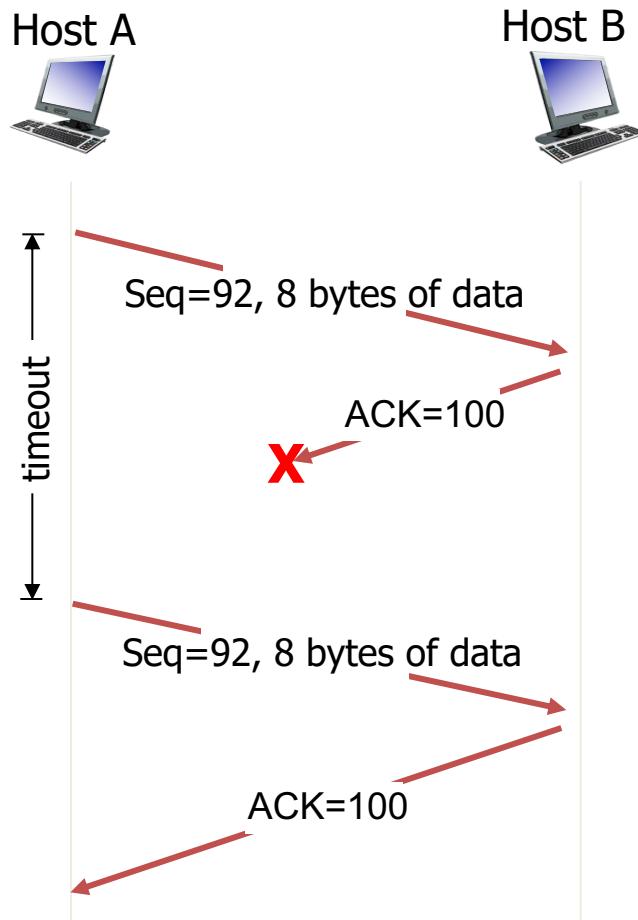
- Longer than RTT
  - But RTT varies
- Too short: premature timeout, unnecessary retransmissions
- Too long: slow reaction to segment loss

**Q:** How to estimate RTT?

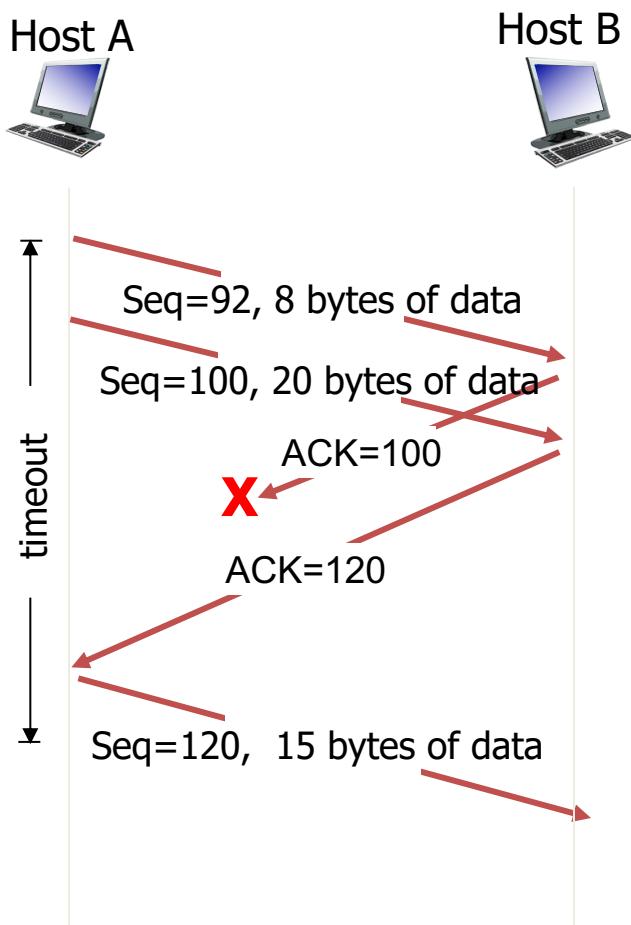
- SampleRTT: measured time from segment transmission until ACK receipt
  - Ignore retransmissions
- SampleRTT will vary, want estimated RTT “smoother”
  - Average several recent measurements, not just current SampleRTT



# TCP: Retransmission Scenarios

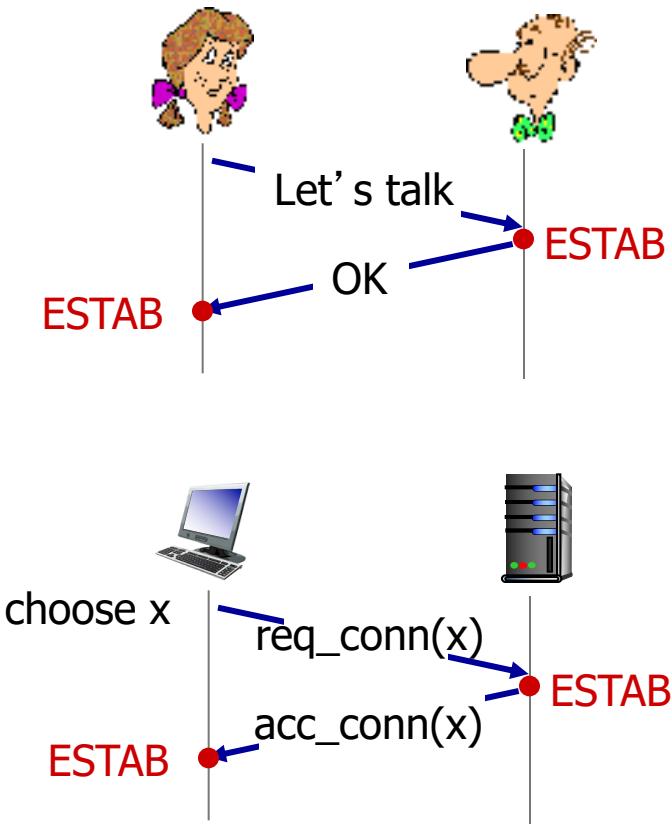


# TCP: Retransmission Scenarios



# Agreeing to Establish a Connection

2-way handshake:

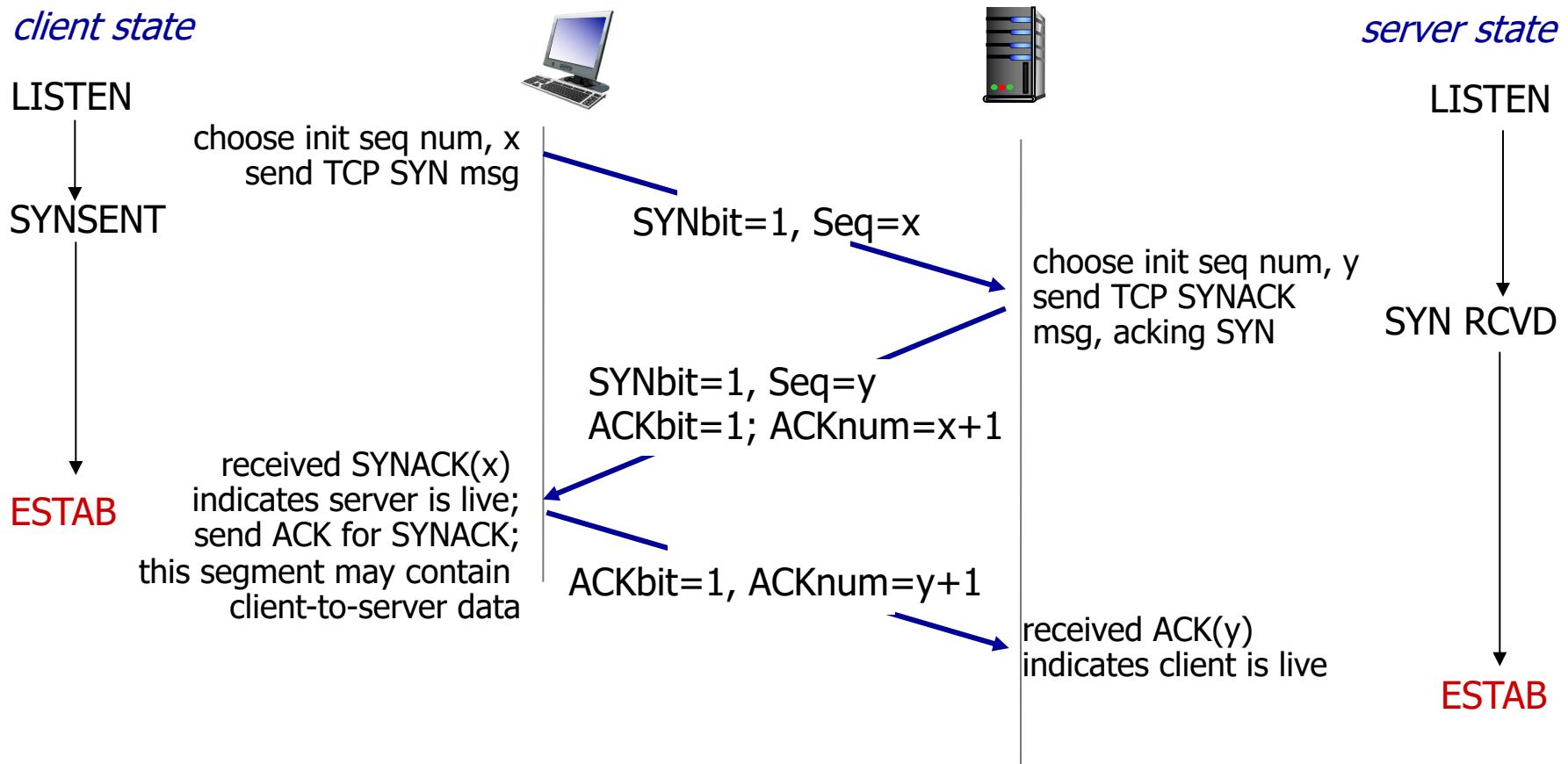


**Q:** Will 2-way handshake always work in network?

- Variable delays
- Retransmitted messages (e.g. `req_conn(x)`) due to message loss
- Message reordering
- Can't “see” other side



# TCP 3-Way Handshake

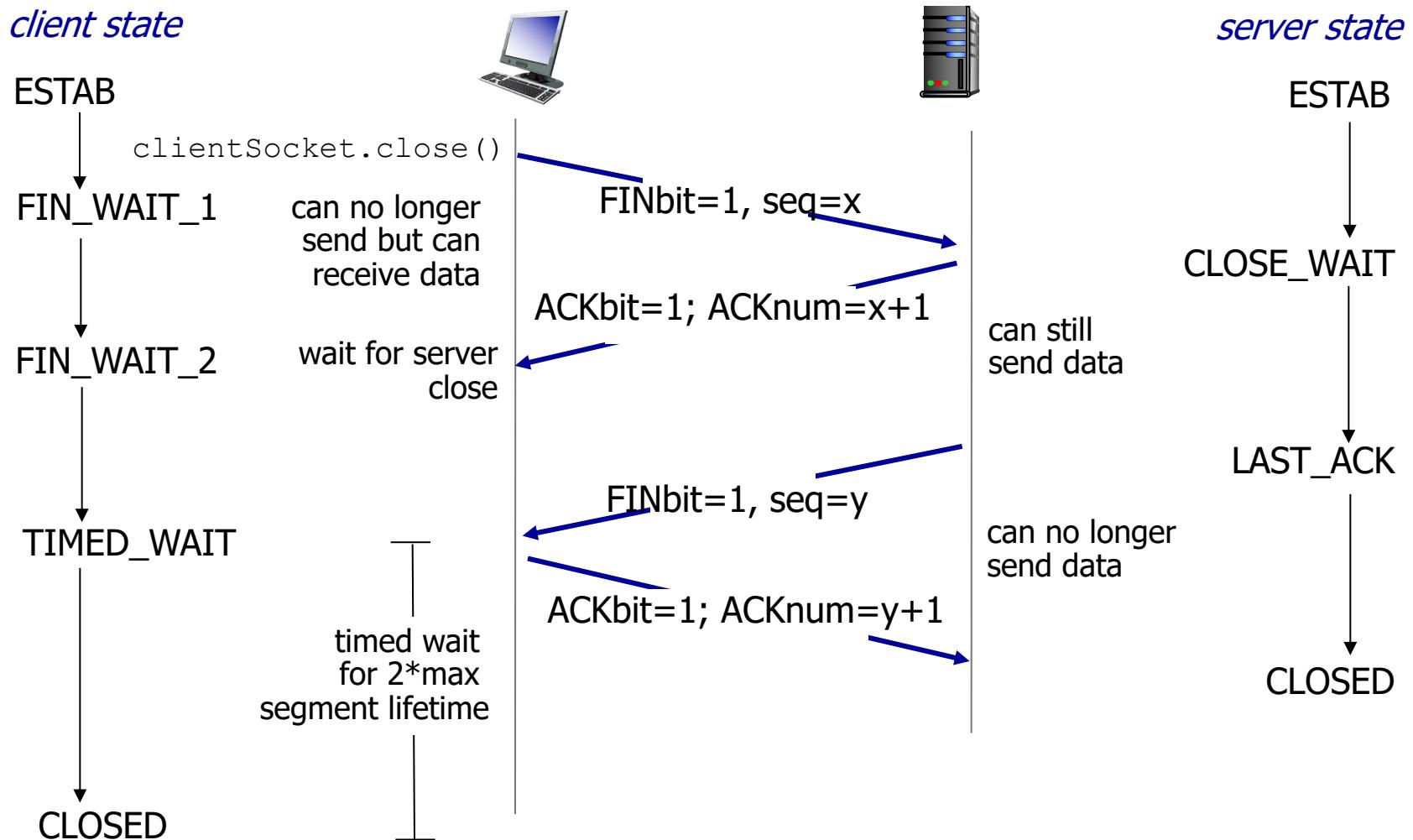


# TCP: Closing a Connection

- Client, server each close their side of connection
  - Send TCP segment with FIN bit = 1
- Respond to received FIN with ACK
  - On receiving FIN, ACK can be combined with own FIN
- Simultaneous FIN exchanges can be handled



# TCP: Closing a Connection



# Congestion Control

Congestion:

- Informally: “too many sources sending too much data too fast for network to handle”
- Different from flow control!
- Manifestations:
  - Lost packets (buffer overflow at routers)
  - Long delays (queueing in router buffers)

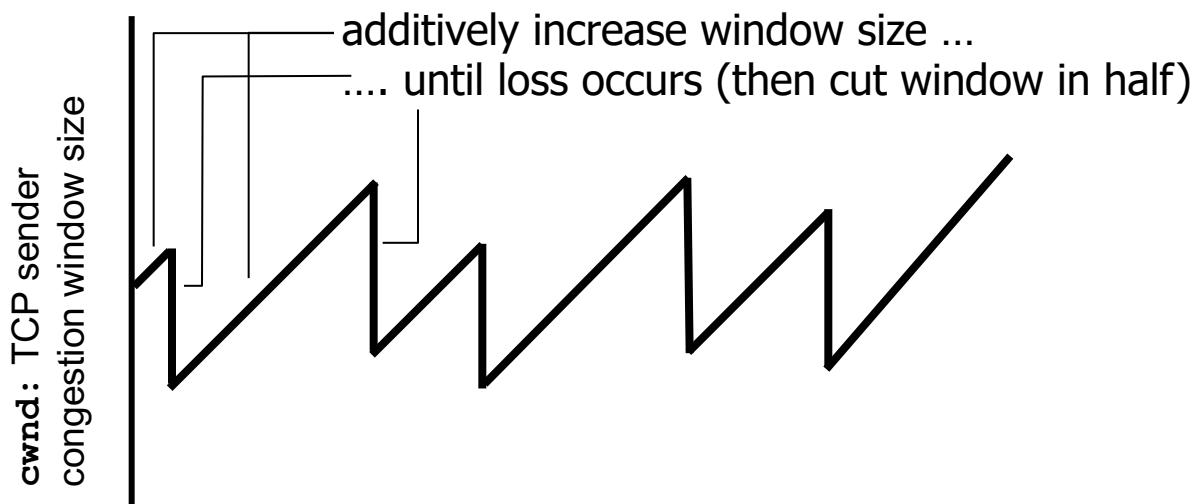


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# TCP Congestion Control: Additive Increase Multiplicative Decrease

- Approach: sender increases transmission rate (window size), probing for usable bandwidth, until loss occurs
- Additive increase: increase current window by 1 MSS every RTT until loss detected
- Multiplicative decrease: cut current window in half after loss

AIMD saw tooth behavior: probing for bandwidth



# TCP Reliable Data Transfer

- TCP creates reliable data transfer service on top of IP's unreliable service
  - Pipelined segments
  - Cumulative acks
  - Single retransmission timer
- Retransmissions triggered by:
  - Timeout events
  - Duplicate acks
- Regulates data transfer rates based on feedback from network to avoid excessive congestion



# Current Packet Structure

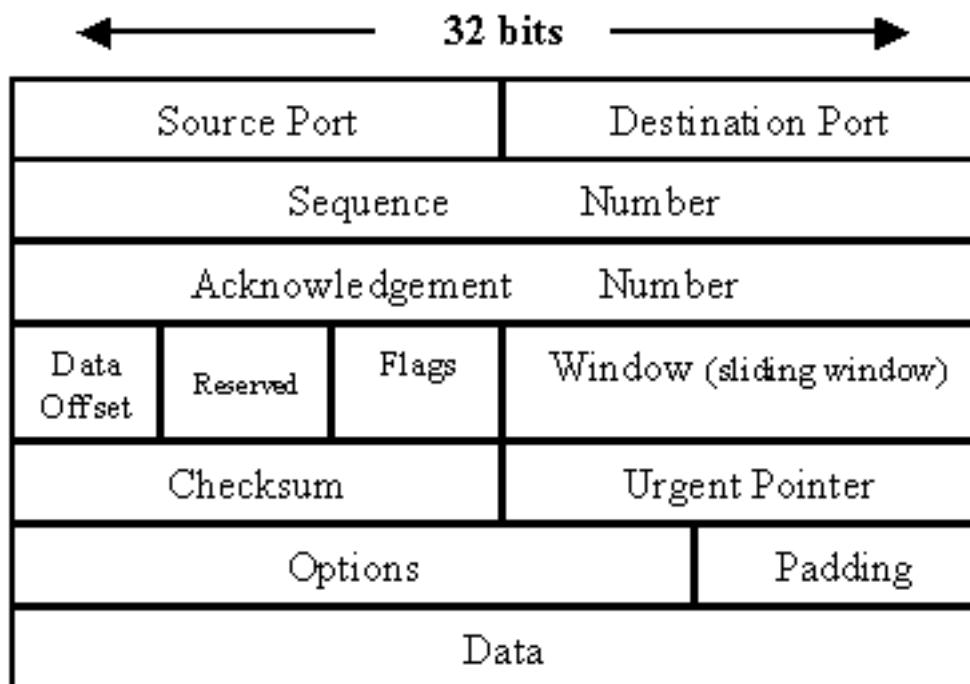
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Version	IHL	Type of Service	Total Length									
Identification		Flags		Fragment Offset								
Time To Live	Protocol		Header Checksum									
Source IP Address												
Destination IP Address												
Options				Padding								

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# Current Packet Structure



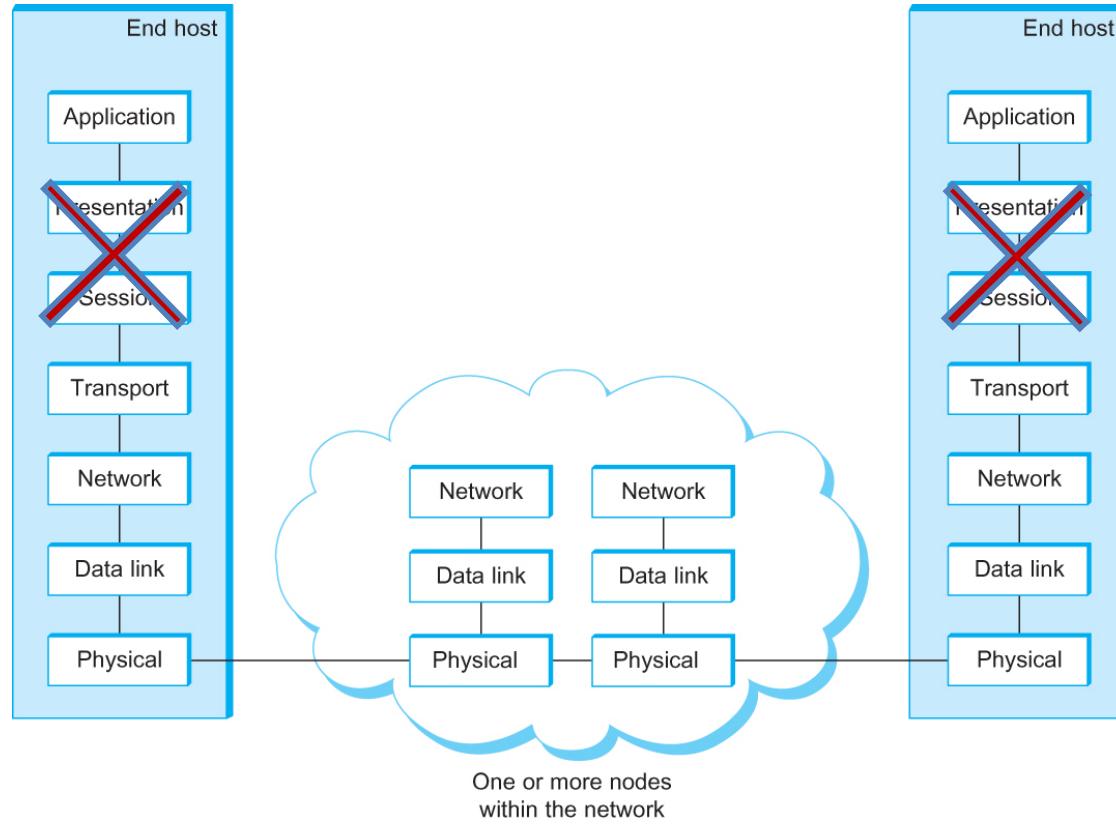
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# Layer 5: Application Layer



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## The OSI 7-layer Model

### OSI – Open Systems Interconnection



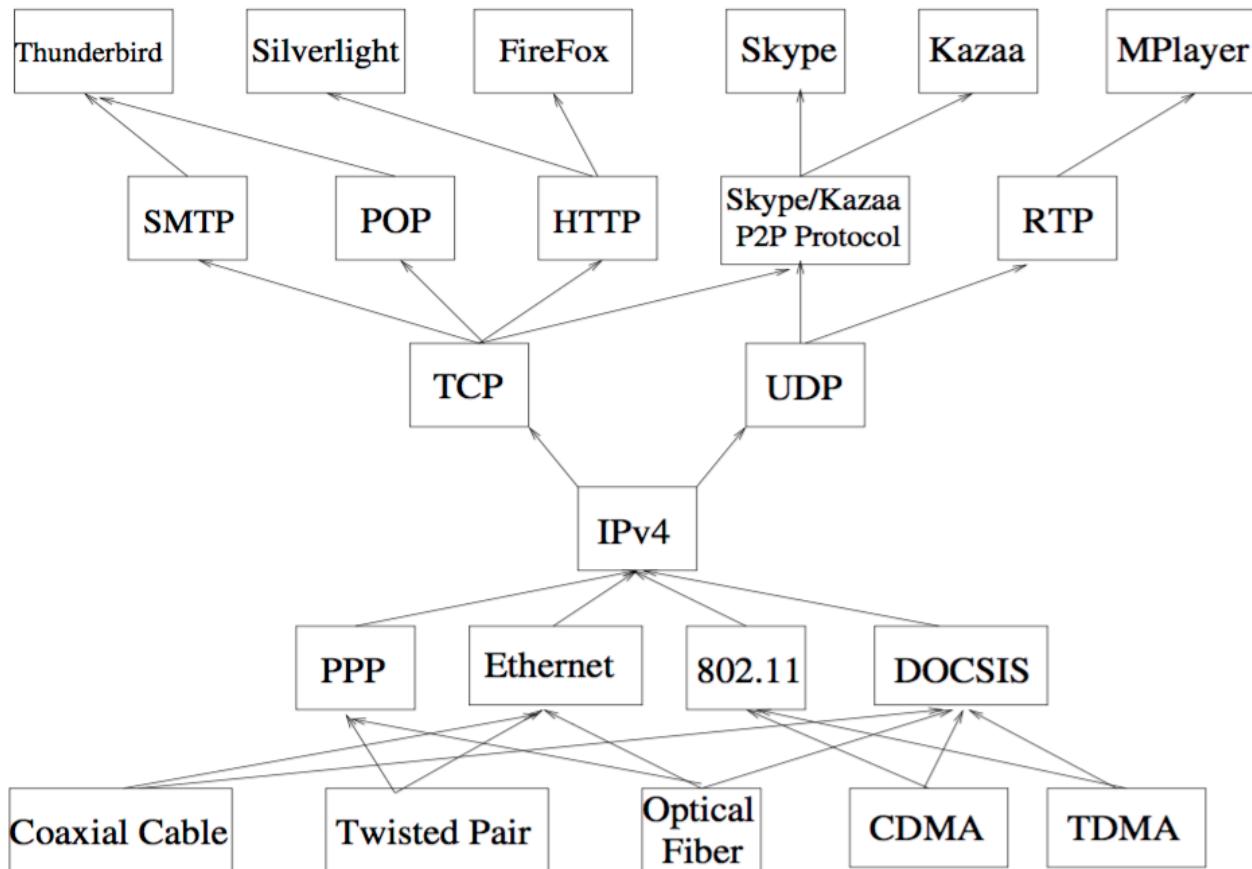
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# Application Layer

- Applications that use TCP/UDP to communicate
  - Anything that uses these is in the application layer
- Protocols in this layer: **DNS, HTTP, FTP, SMTP, POP, all their secure versions, and many, many more**
- Example: Bob is running an HTTP server on port 80. Here is my (hopefully encrypted) cookie and headers: I'd like to send a GET request to retrieve the homepage



# Protocol Hourglass



**Figure 1: An (incomplete) illustration of the hourglass Internet architecture.**



# First Look at Security



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# Network Security

- Field of network security:
  - How bad guys can attack computer networks
  - How we can defend networks against attacks
  - How to design architectures that are immune to attacks
- Internet not originally designed with (much) security in mind
  - Original vision: “a group of mutually trusting users attached to a transparent network”
  - Internet protocol designers playing “catch-up”
  - security considerations in all layers!



# Bad guys: Put Malware Into Hosts Via Internet

- Malware can get on host from:
  - Virus: self-replicating infection by receiving/executing object (e.g., e-mail attachment)
  - Worm: self-replicating infection by passively receiving object that gets itself executed
- Spyware malware can record keystrokes, web sites visited, upload info to collection site
- Infected host can be enrolled in botnet, used for spam. DDoS attacks



# There Are Bad People Out There!

**Q:** What can a “bad guy (or girl)” do?

**A** lot!

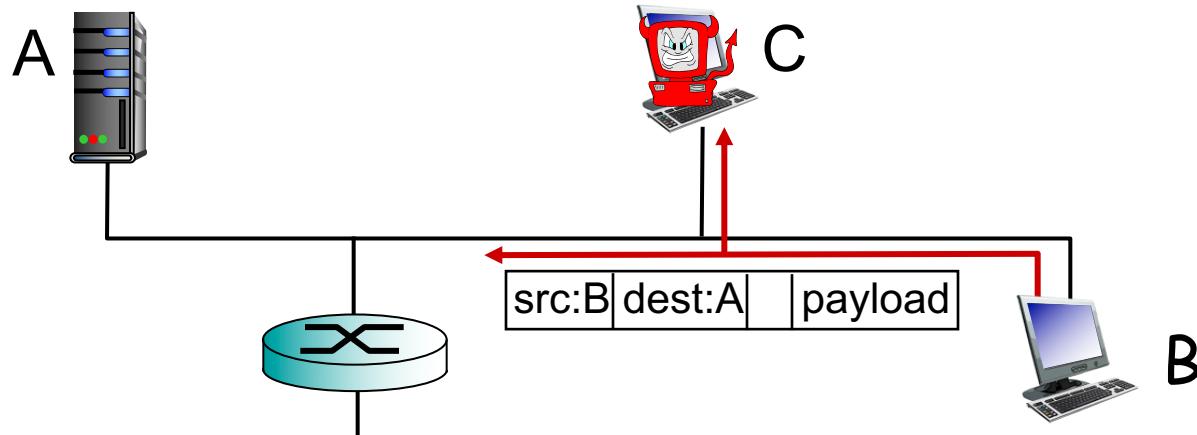
- Eavesdrop: intercept messages
- Actively insert messages into connection
- Impersonation: can fake (spoof) source address in packet (or any field in packet)
- Hijacking: “take over” ongoing connection by removing sender or receiver, inserting himself in place
- Denial of service: prevent service from being used by others (e.g., by overloading resources)



# Bad Guys Can Sniff Packets

Packet “sniffing”:

- Broadcast media (shared ethernet, wireless)
- Promiscuous network interface reads/records all packets (e.g., including passwords!) passing by

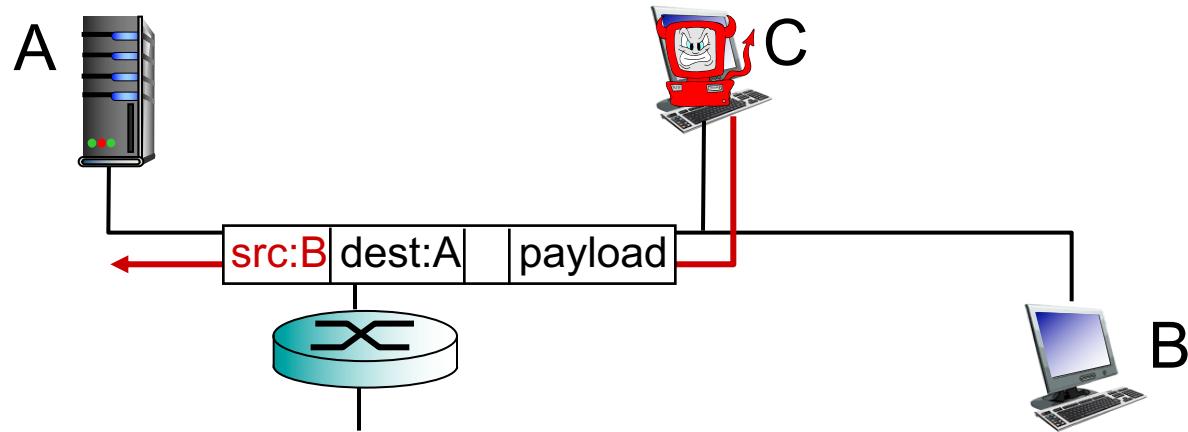


- Wireshark software is a (free) packet-sniffer

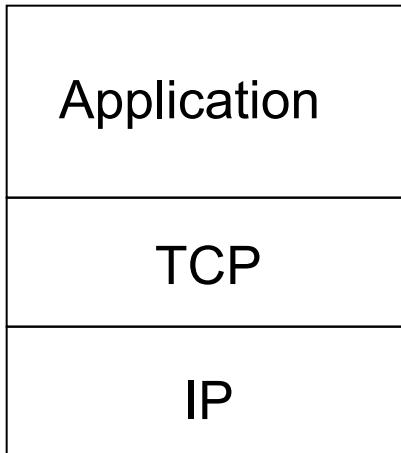


# Adversaries Can Use Fake Addresses

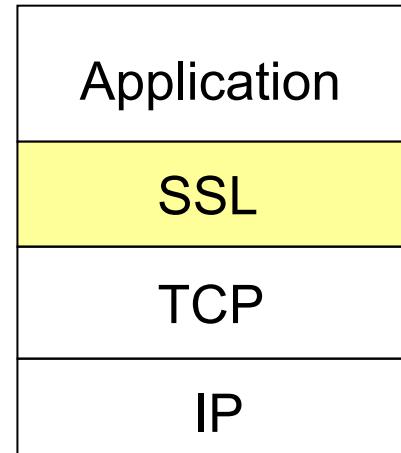
IP spoofing: send packet with false source address



# SSL And TCP/IP



*normal application*



*application with SSL*

- SSL provides application programming interface (API) to applications
- C and Java SSL libraries/classes readily available



# What Is Network-Layer Confidentiality?

Between two network entities:

- Sending entity encrypts datagram payload, payload could be:
  - TCP or UDP segment, ICMP message, OSPF message ...
- All data sent from one entity to other would be hidden:
  - Web pages, e-mail, P2P file transfers, TCP SYN packets ...
- “Blanket coverage”



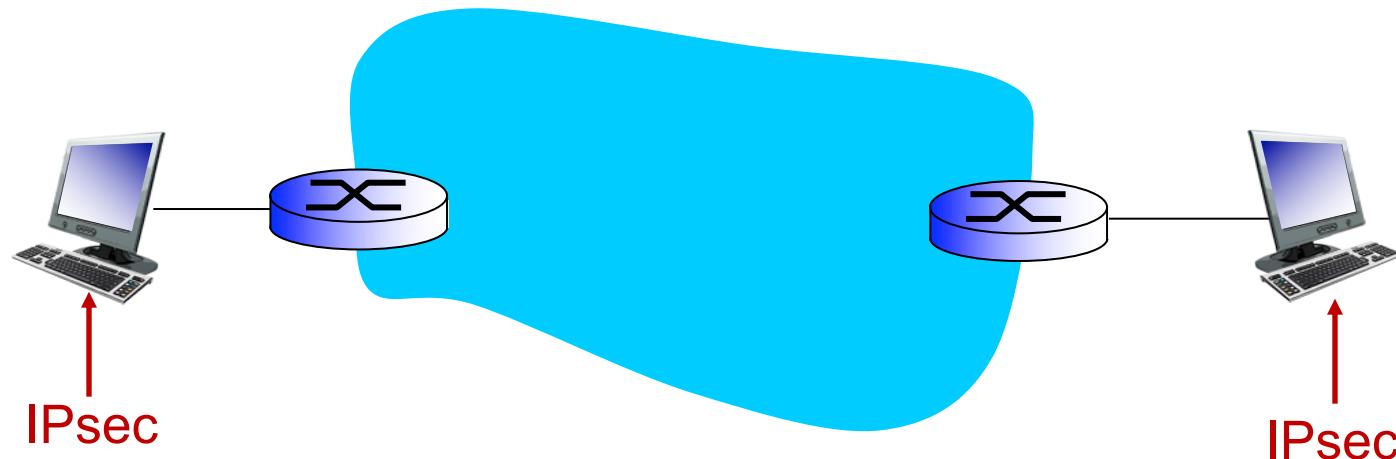
# Virtual Private Networks (VPNs)

## Motivation:

- Institutions often want private networks for security.
  - Costly: separate routers, links, DNS infrastructure.
- VPN: institution's inter-office traffic is sent over public Internet instead
  - Encrypted before entering public Internet
  - Logically separate from other traffic



# IPsec Transport Mode



- IPsec datagram emitted and received by end-system
- Protects upper level protocols

# Wireless Security

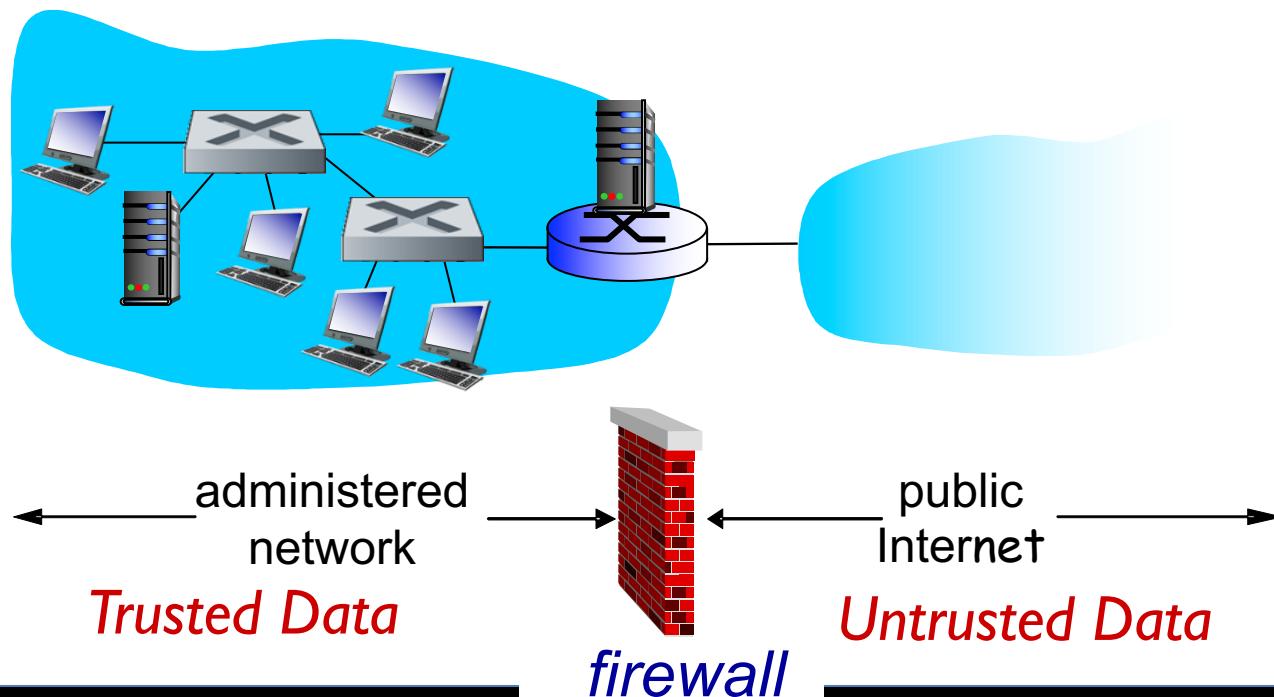
- Establish encryption to prevent traffic sniffing
- We won't have time to cover here
  - May make a good research project!
- The gist: WEP is bad; WPA is better; use WPA2



# Firewalls

## *Firewall*

isolates organization's internal net from larger Internet,  
allowing some packets to pass, blocking others



# Firewalls: Why

- Prevent denial of service attacks:
  - SYN flooding: attacker establishes many bogus TCP connections, no resources left for “real” connections
- Prevent illegal modification/access of internal data
  - E.g., attacker replaces CIA’s homepage with something else
- Allow only authorized access to inside network
  - Set of authenticated users/hosts
- Three types of firewalls:
  - Stateless packet filters
  - Stateful packet filters
  - Application gateways



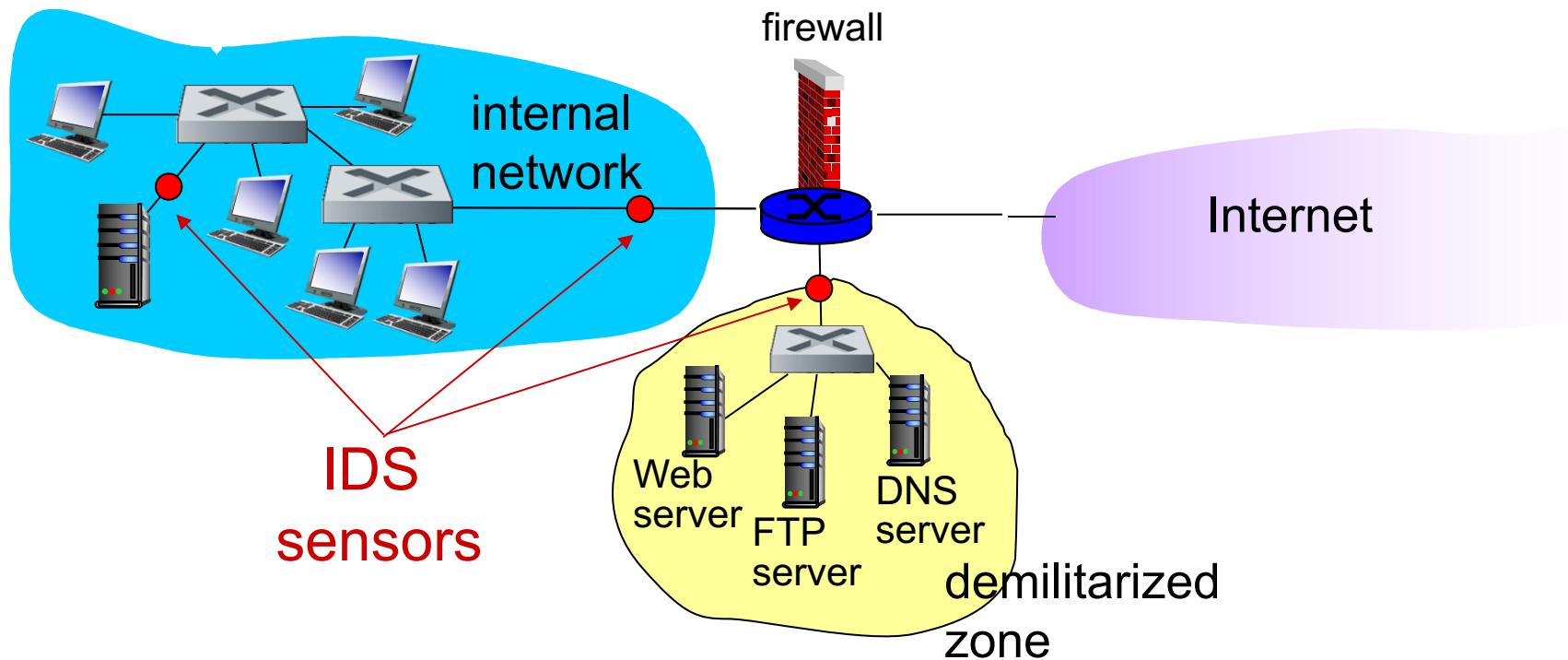
# Intrusion Detection Systems

- Packet filtering:
  - Operates on TCP/IP headers only
  - No correlation check among sessions
- IDS: Intrusion Detection System
  - Deep Packet Inspection (DPI): look at packet contents (e.g., check character strings in packet against database of known virus, attack strings)
  - Examine correlation among multiple packets
    - Port scanning
    - Network mapping
    - DoS attack



# Intrusion Detection Systems

- Multiple IDSs: different types of checking at different locations



# Memes and Jokes



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# Networking Joke (1)

- “Knock knock”
- “Who’s there?”
- “SYN flood”
- “SYN flood who?”
- “Knock knock”



# Networking Joke (2)

- “Did you hear about the chaos at the networking manufacturer?”



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# Networking Joke (2)

- “Did you hear about the chaos at the networking manufacturer?”
- It was Panic at the Cisco

"Hi, I'd like to hear a TCP joke."

"Hello, would you like to hear a TCP joke?"

"Yes, I'd like to hear a TCP joke."

"OK, I'll tell you a TCP joke."

"Ok, I will hear a TCP joke."

"Are you ready to hear a TCP joke?"

"Yes, I am ready to hear a TCP joke."

"Ok, I am about to send the TCP joke. It will last 10 seconds, it has two characters, it does not have a setting, it ends with a punchline."

"Ok, I am ready to get your TCP joke that will last 10 seconds, has two characters, does not have an explicit setting, and ends with a punchline."

"I'm sorry, your connection has timed out.

...Hello, would you like to hear a TCP joke?"





Kirk Bater

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This image is a TCP/IP Joke. This tweet is a UDP joke. I don't care if you get it.

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Do you want to hear a joke about TCP/IP?



7 replies



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Yes, I'd like to hear a joke about TCP/IP



iamkirkbater 5 months ago

Are you ready to hear the joke about TCP/IP?



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I am ready to hear the joke about TCP/IP



iamkirkbater 5 months ago

Here is a joke about TCP/IP.



iamkirkbater 5 months ago

Did you receive the joke about TCP/IP?



jkjustjoshing 5 months ago

I have received the joke about TCP/IP.



iamkirkbater 5 months ago

Excellent. You have received the joke about TCP/IP. Goodbye.



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# You vs the guy she tells you not to worry about.

UDP	TCP
Unreliable	Reliable
Connectionless	Connection-oriented
No windowing or retransmission	Segment retransmission and flow control through windowing
No sequencing	Segment sequencing
No acknowledgement	Acknowledge segments





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Due to Coronavirus (COVID-19) all TCP Applications are being converted to UDP to avoid handshake.

UDP is the way to go



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