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Telekooperation 1: Exercise WS15/16

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TK1 - EXERCISE

- Solution 5th Exercise
- 6th Theory Exercise





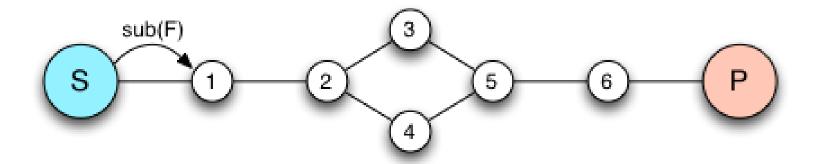


Illustration 1: Routing network

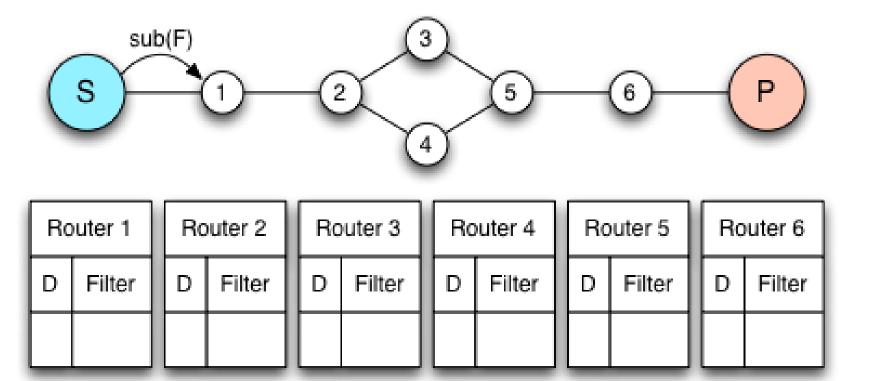
Consider the routing network in illustration 1. Apply the algorithm "Routing with Subscriptions".

1) Subscriber S sends a subscription to router 1 with filter F.

Describe the flow of the subscriptions between the routers, i.e. write down all routing tables in each step and paint the graph with the current flowing subscription also in each step.

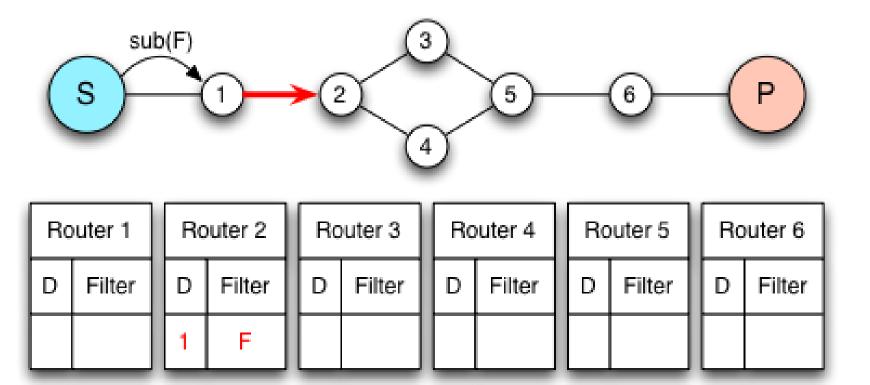






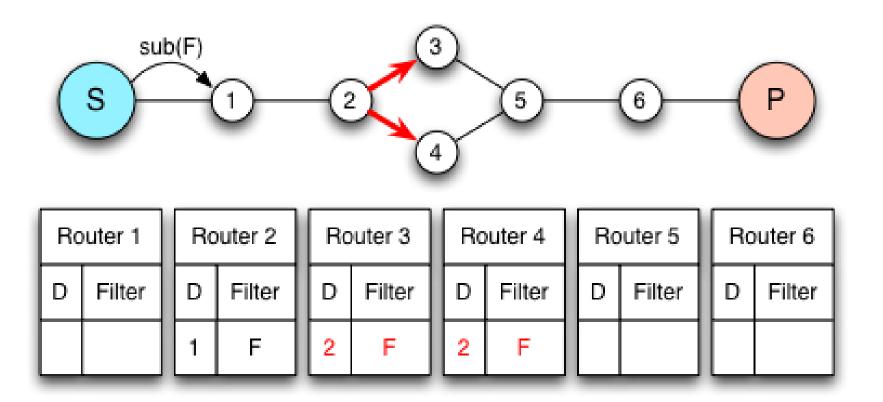








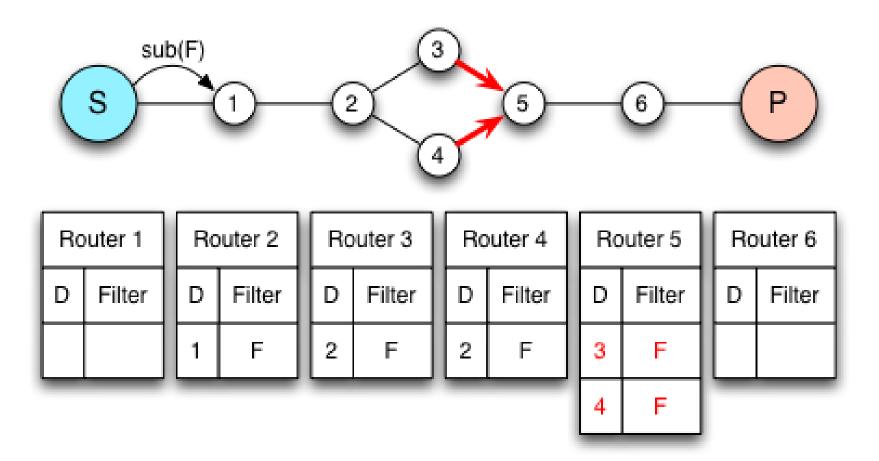




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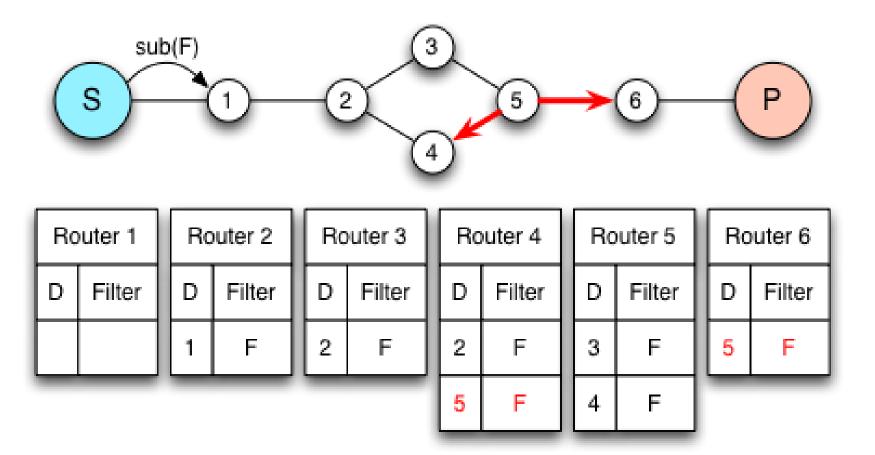




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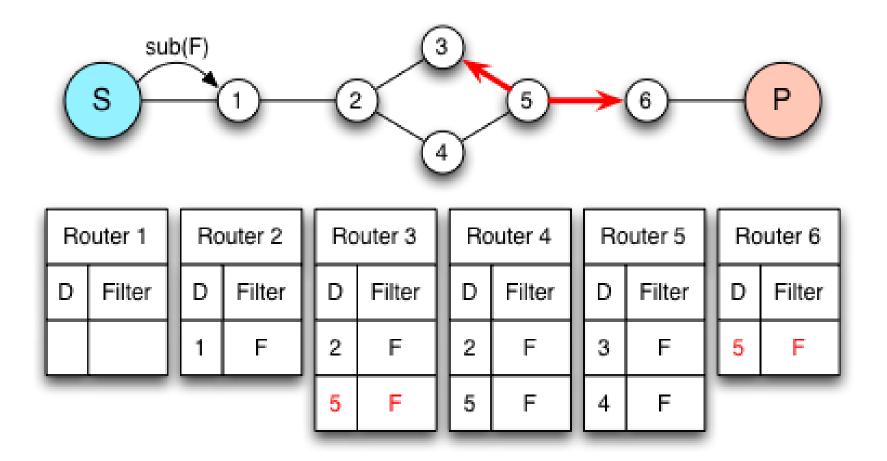




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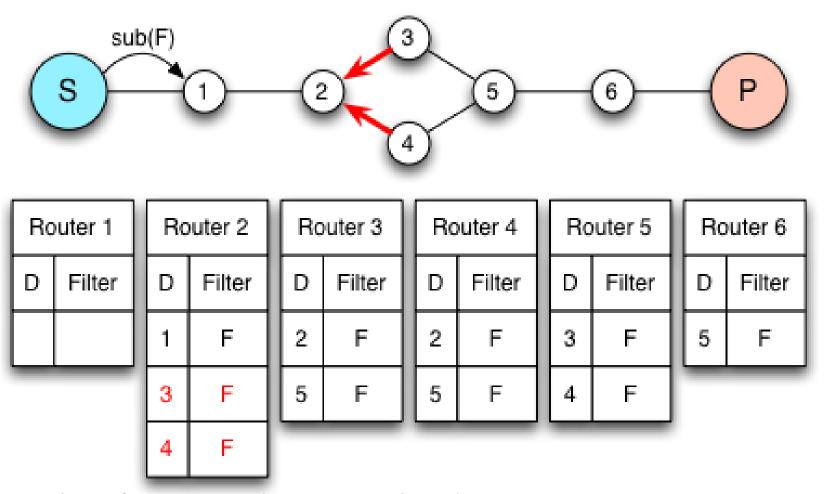




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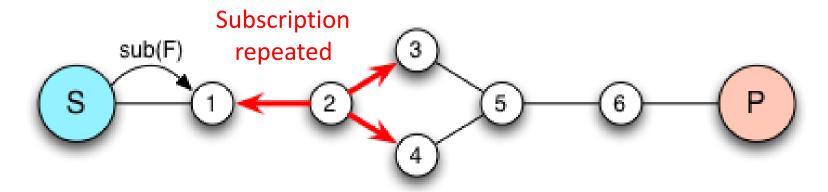




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ı	Router 1		Router 2		Router 3		Router 4		Router 5		Router 6	
ı	D	Filter										
ı	2	F	1	F	2	F	2	F	3	F	5	F
			3	F	5	F	5	F	4	F	_	
			4	F								





All routing tables.

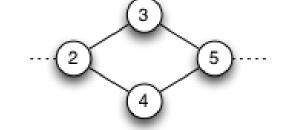
Source	Dest	Request	Filter
1	2	sub	F
2	3	sub	F
2	4	sub	F
3	5	sub	F
4	5	sub	F
5	6	sub	F
5	4	sub	F
5	3	sub	F
3	2	sub	F
4	2	sub	F
2	1	sub	F

and so on ...

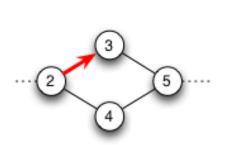




- 2) Which problem arises and why? Give a solution to avoid this problem
- The subscriptions start to circulate
- Because the graph is not acyclic



- Solution
 - Subscriptions are only forwarded if they change the current routing table



Ro	uter 2	Router 3			
D	Filter	D	Filter		
1	F	2	F		
3	F	5	F		
4	F				

Entry already exists

no updating, no forwarding

⇒ Algorithm terminates





- 3) Arises an equivalent problem if P sends a notification? Give also a solution if this is the case.
- Yes, also the notification starts to circulate
- Solution
 - Time-To-Live-Counter in notification
 - Every router remembers which notifications he has seen



Task 2: Addressing (4 P.)



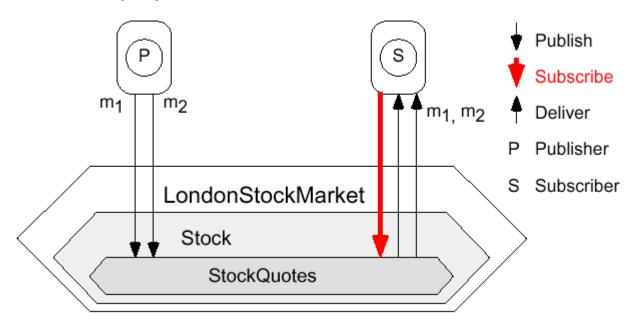
Consider the four different types of Addressing in Publish/Subscribe Systems without Concept-Based Addressing.

- 1) How can a Subscriber subscribe in each type of Addressing?
- 2) Assume a Subscriber subscribes on a Publish/Subscribe System. How is the filtering realized in each type of Addressing?





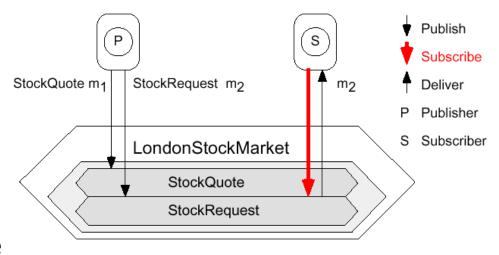
- Channel-based Addressing (=Topic-based)
 - Interested parties can subscribe to a channel
 - Application posts messages explicitly to a specific channel
 - Channel Identifier is only part of message visible to event service
 - There is no interplay between two different channels

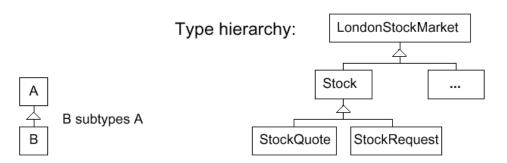






- Type-based Addressing
 - Similar to channel-basedPub/Sub with hierarchies
 - Supports subtype tests (instanceof)
 - Good integration of middleware& language, type safety







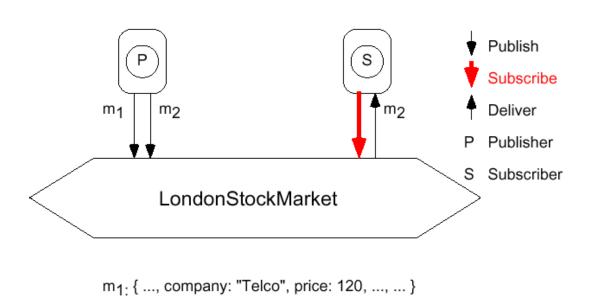


- Subject-based Addressing
 - Notifications contain a well-known attribute the subject that determines their address
 - Subscriptions express interest in subjects by some form of expressions to be evaluated against the subject
 - Subject is
 - List of strings (TIB/Rendezvous, JEDI)
 - Properties: Typed Key/Value-Pairs (JMS)
 - Subject (= header of notification) is visible to event service, remaining information is opaque
 - Subscription is
 - (Limited form of) Regular Expressions over Strings (TIB, JEDI)
 - (Limited form of) SQL92 Queries (JMS)
 - Filtering is done in the Router Network!
 - Limited form of Content-based Subscription





- Content-based Subscription
 - Domain of filters extended to the whole content of notification
 - More freedom in encoding data upon which filters can be applied
 - More information for event service to set up routing information



m₂: { ..., company: "Telco", price: 90 , ..., ... }



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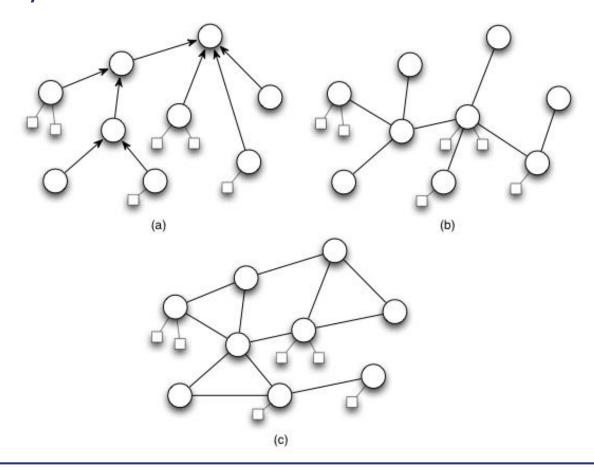
Type of Addressing	How subscribe?	How filtering?	
Channel-based	By providing the channel name	By string comparison	
Subject-based	By providing an expression on the entries of the message header (subject), e.g., regular expressions or SQL92 Queries	By evaluating the expression with the message header	
Content-based	By providing an expression over the data object	By evaluating the expression with the data object	
Type-based	By providing the expected object type	By type testing (instanceof)	



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