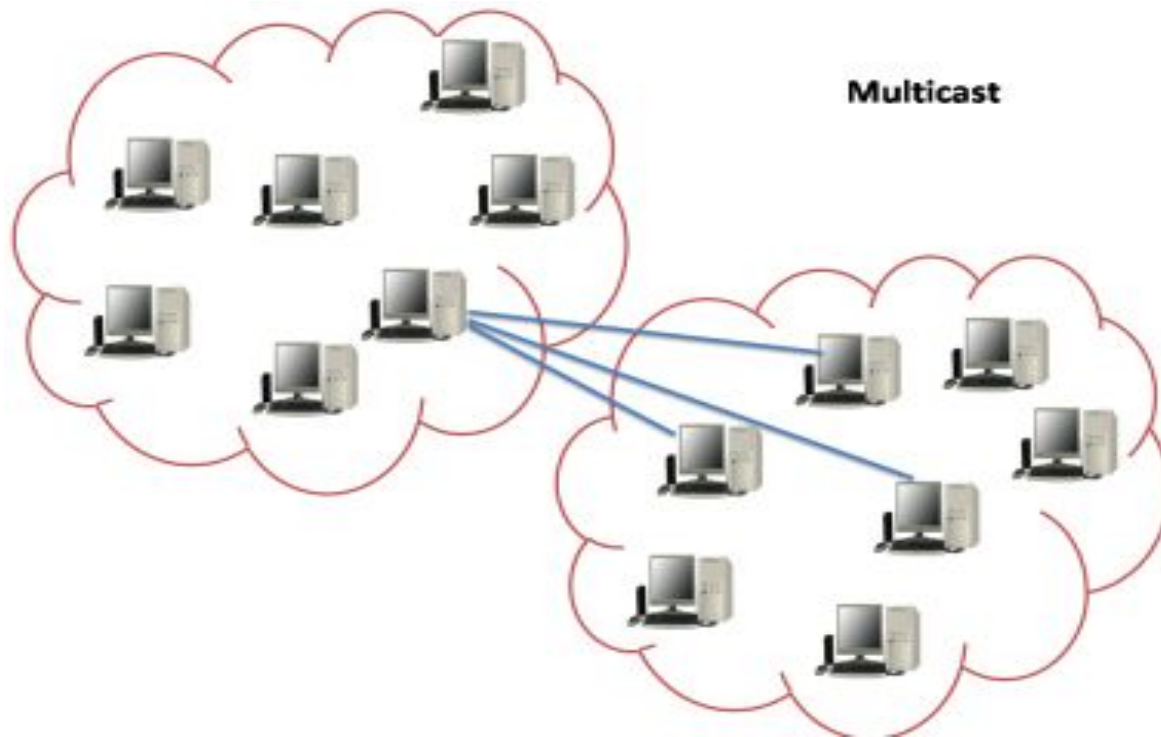


Socket Programming

Section 7

MULTICAST

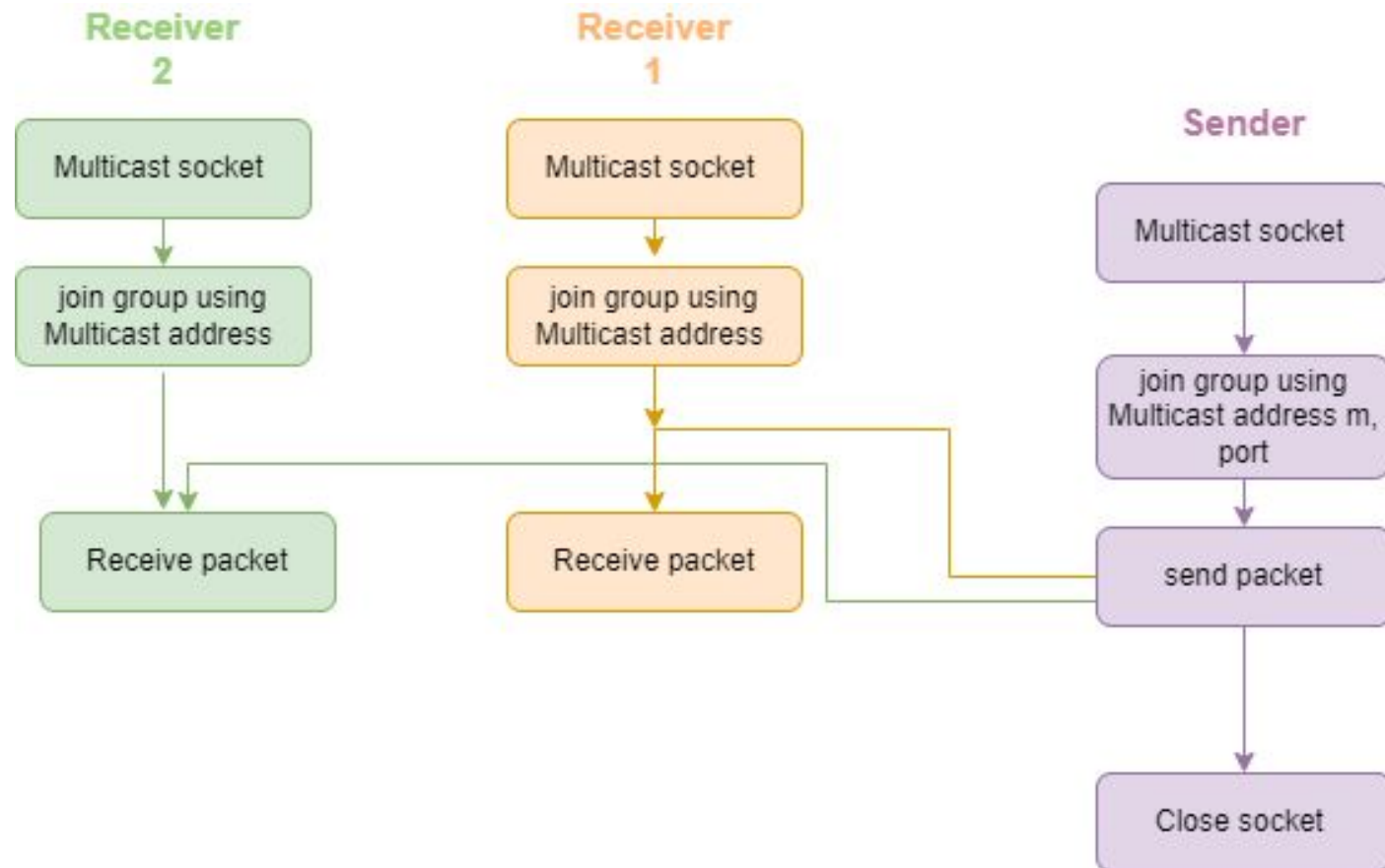
- Multicast is communication between a single **sender** and multiple **receivers** on a network..



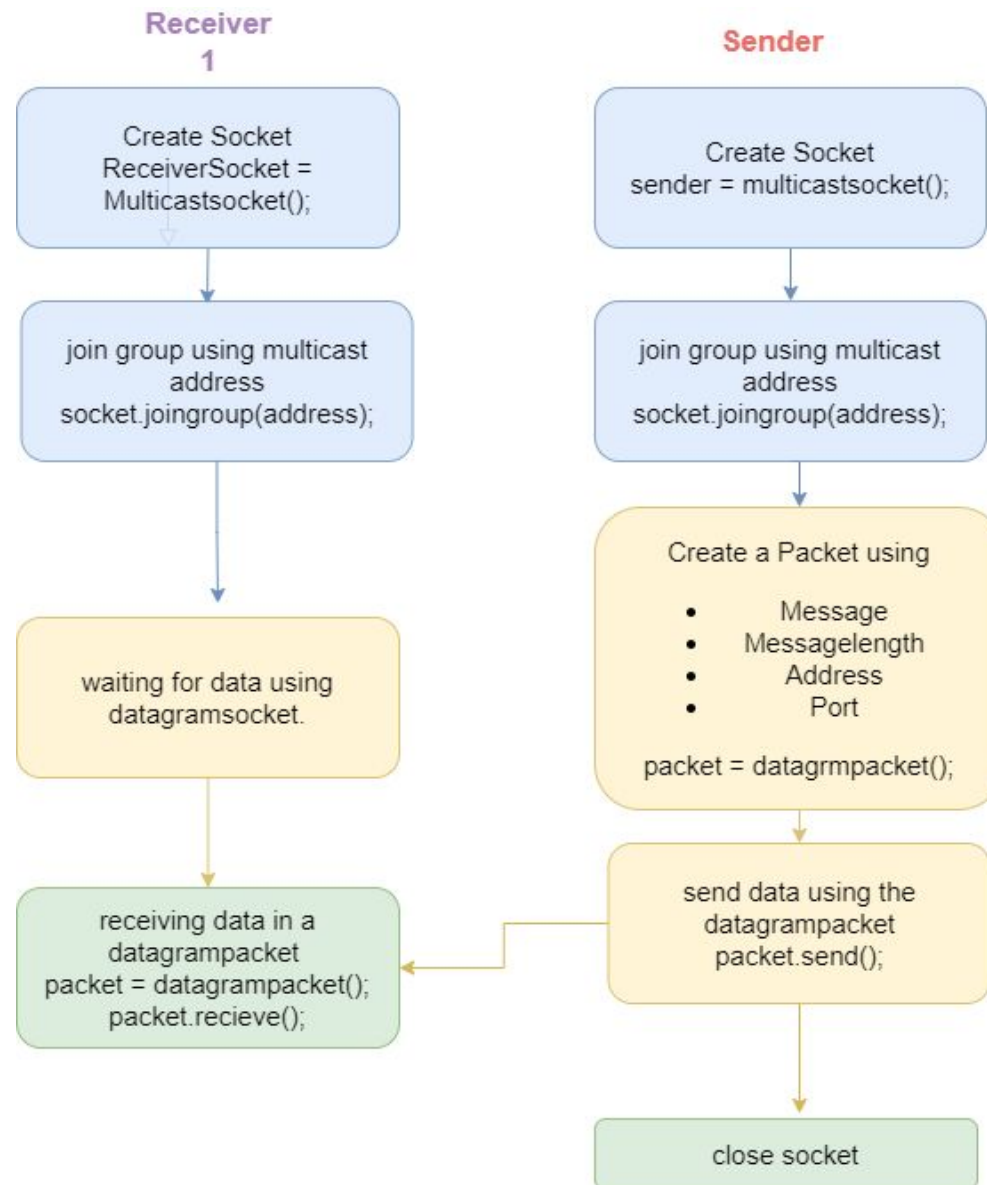
- The most common transport layer protocol to use multicast addressing is **User Datagram Protocol (UDP)**.
- A MulticastSocket is a (UDP) DatagramSocket, with additional capabilities for joining "groups" of other multicast hosts on the internet.

- The IP address that defines a multicast group is a Class D address (224.0. 0.0 to 239.255. 255.255).
- Any packet that's addressed to one of these IP addresses is automatically assumed to be a multicast, and is delivered according to the multicast recipient group.

Multicast sockets



Multicast socket programming in java



Multicast socket file transfer from sender

```
public class Sender {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception{  
        // TODO Auto-generated method stub  
  
        MulticastSocket m = new MulticastSocket();  
        InetAddress add = InetAddress.getByName("224.1.1.1");  
        int port = 9999;  
        m.joinGroup(add);  
        FileInputStream fi = new FileInputStream("D://Sockets.txt");  
        byte []b = new byte[2000];  
        fi.read(b,0,b.length);  
        DatagramPacket dp = new DatagramPacket(b, b.length,add,port);  
        m.send(dp);  
        m.close();  
  
    }  
}
```

Multicast socket file transfer to Receiver1

```
public class Reciever {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception{  
        // TODO Auto-generated method stub  
        MulticastSocket m = new MulticastSocket(9999);  
        InetAddress add = InetAddress.getByName("224.1.1.1");  
        m.joinGroup(add);  
        byte [] bi = new byte[2000];  
        FileOutputStream fo = new FileOutputStream("D://Receiver1.txt");  
        DatagramPacket dp = new DatagramPacket(bi, bi.length);  
        m.receive(dp);  
        fo.write(bi);  
    }  
}
```


Multicast socket file transfer to Receiver2

```
public class reciever2 {  
    public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception{  
        // TODO Auto-generated method stub  
        MulticastSocket m = new MulticastSocket(9999);  
        InetAddress add = InetAddress.getByName("224.1.1.1");  
        m.joinGroup(add);  
        byte [] bi = new byte[2000];  
        FileOutputStream fo = new FileOutputStream("D://Receiver2.txt");  
        DatagramPacket dp = new DatagramPacket(bi, bi.length);  
        m.receive(dp);  
        fo.write(bi);  
    }  
}
```

Received files

	Name	Date modified	Type	Size
★	Codeblocks	4/9/2022 3:47 PM	File folder	
★	ECLIPSE	2/26/2022 11:43 PM	File folder	
★	kids	4/16/2022 6:10 PM	File folder	
★	Pro_2019	9/25/2020 3:28 PM	File folder	
★	Tenorshare	2/24/2021 11:04 PM	File folder	
!02	work	4/6/2022 9:52 AM	File folder	
	Sockets	4/17/2022 8:43 PM	Text Document	2 KB
	Receiver2	4/17/2022 9:21 PM	Text Document	2 KB
	Receiver1	4/17/2022 9:21 PM	Text Document	2 KB