

Module ①

Introduction to Internet of Things

2 Marks

① Define Networking

Ans Networking refers to the linking of computers & communication devices which interconnect through a network & are separated by unique device identifiers

② What are the various parameters according to which computer networks are classified?

Ans Computer networks are classified according to various parameters ⇒

- ① Type of connection
- ② Physical Topology
- ③ Reach of the network

③ List the layers present in Internet protocol suite

Ans The 4 layers of Internet protocol suite are

- ① Link layer
- ② Internet layer
- ③ Transport layer
- ④ Application layer

④ What are the most commonly used traditional layered network modules?

Ans The most commonly used traditional layered network modules are:-

- ① Open Systems Interconnection (OSI-OSI)
- ② Internet protocol suite

⑤ Define IoT

Ans IoT (Internet of things) refers to network of physical objects i.e., things that are embedded with sensors, software & other technologies for the purpose of connecting & exchanging data with other devices & systems over the internet

1.11 what are types of physical topologies?

- ② @ List the layers of OSI Model (2m)
 ⑥ Draw the figure to show the networked communication
 b/w the two hosts following the OSI Model. (3m)

Ans

a) The layers of the OSI Model are

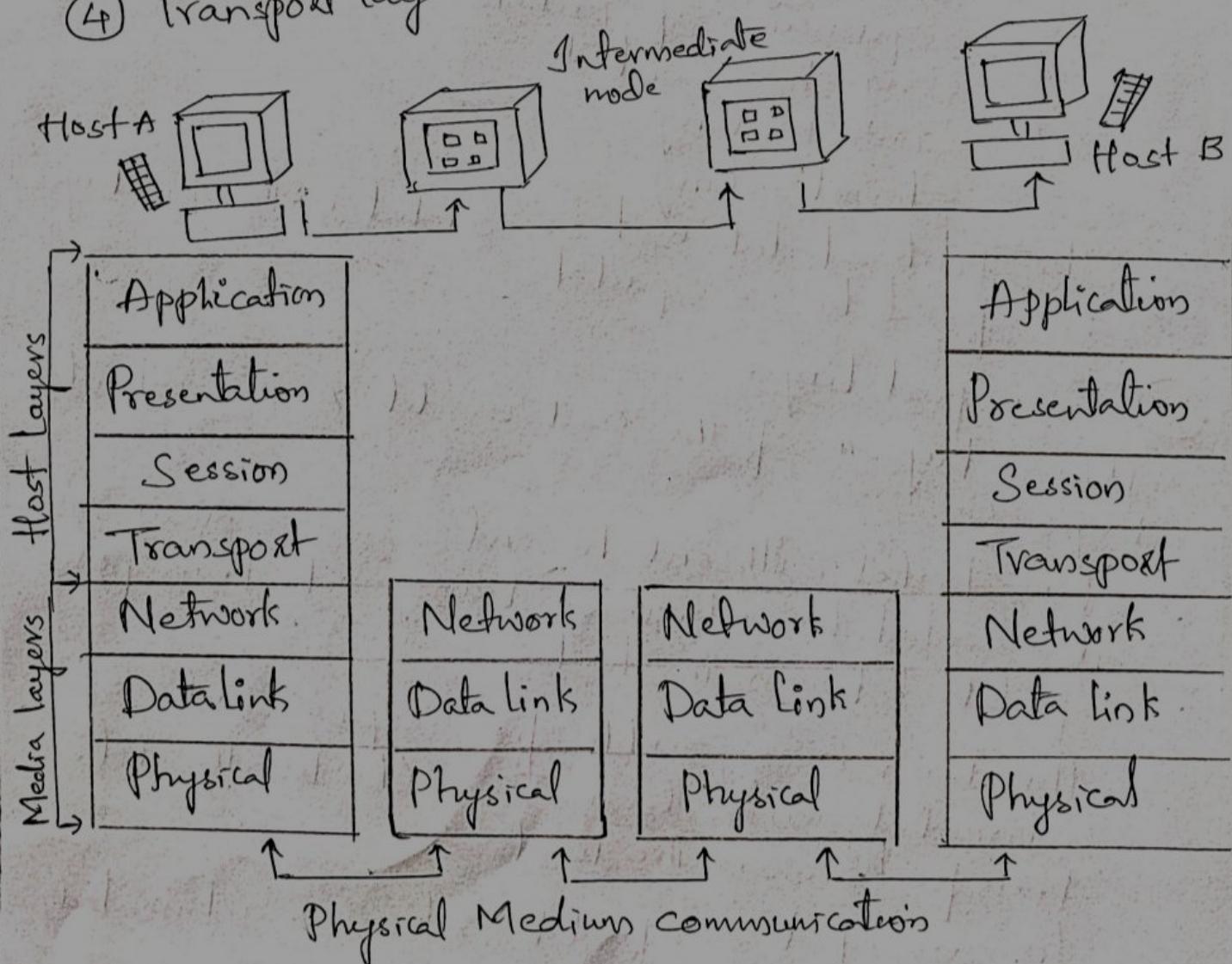
- ① Physical layer
- ② Data Link layer
- ③ Network layer
- ④ Transport layer

⑤ Session Layer

⑥ Presentation Layer

⑦ Application Layer

b)



Q) Explain the following characteristics of IoT

a) Dynamic & Self Adapting

b) Self - configuring

Ans a) Dynamic & self - adapting

IoT devices and systems have the capability to dynamically adapt with the changing contexts and take actions based on their

- operating conditions

- user's context

- sensed environment

Ex:- Surveillance sys, comprising several surveillance cameras, surveillance camera can adapt their modes based on whether it is day or night mode

- cameras can switch their modes from lower resolution to higher resolution when any motion is detected & alert nearby cameras to do the same

b) Self - configuring

IoT devices may have self - configuring capability allowing a large no. number of devices to work together to provide certain functionality

Ex:- Weather monitoring

These devices have the ability to

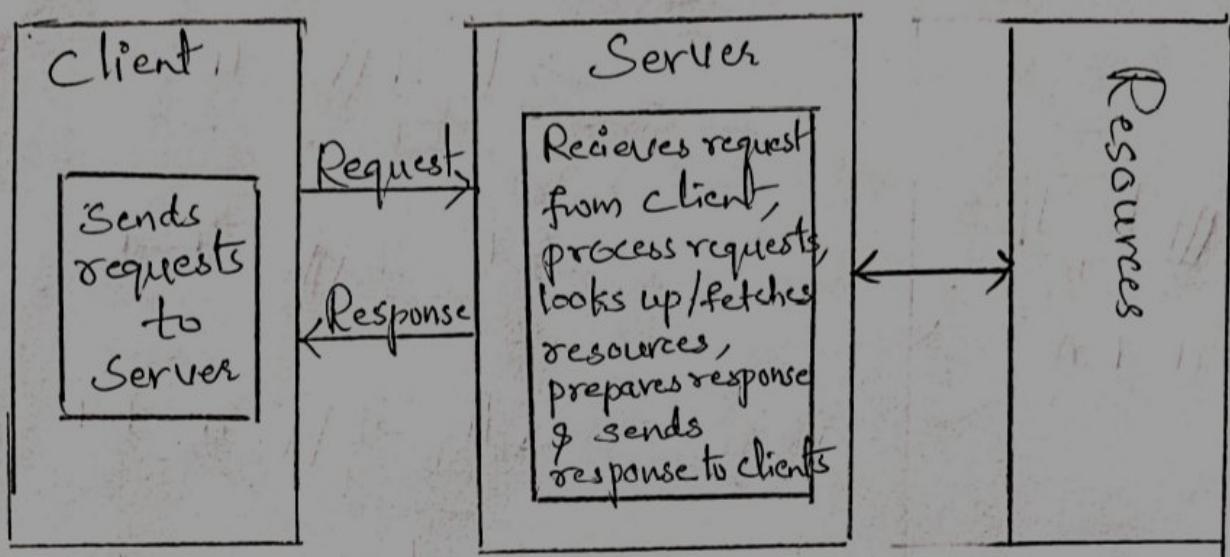
- configure themselves

- Setup networking

- fetch latest software upgrades with minimal manual or user interconnection

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Describe the working of Request - Response IoT communication Model

Ans

Request response is a communication model in which the client sends requests to the server & the server responds to the requests.

When the server receives the requests,

- it decides how to respond.
- fetches the data
- retrieves resource representations
- prepares the response
- then sends the response to the client

If it is a stateless communication Model & each pair of request-response pair is independent of others.

- Ques
- (Q) Explain the Internet Protocol suite in detail & illustrate its layered architecture with a neat diagram.

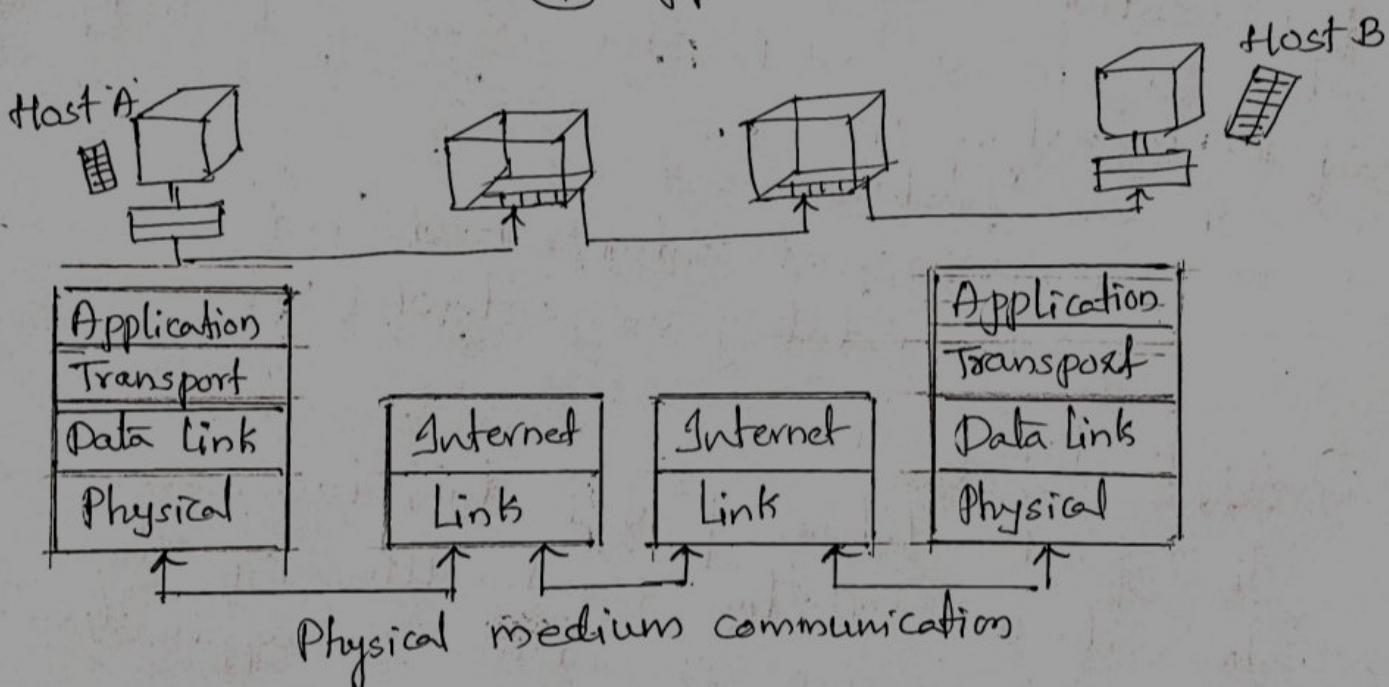
Ans

Internet protocol suite is the conceptual framework that provides levels of abstraction for ease of understanding & development of communication.

It is also called as TCP/IP suite.

It has 4 layers →

- ① Link layer
- ② Internet layer
- ③ Transport layer
- ④ Application layer



① Link layer

- The first & base layer of the TCP/IP protocol suite is also known as the N/w Interface layer
- It is similar to physical & data link layer of OSI model
- It enables transmission of TCP/IP packets over the physical medium

② Internet layer

It is similar to network layer of OSI model & is responsible for addressing, address translation, data packaging, data disassembly & assembly, routing end packet delivery, tracking operations, ARP, IP, ICMP, IGMP

③ Transport layer

It is similar to the transport layer of OSI model
It is tasked with the functions of error control, flow control, congestion control, segmentation & addressing in an end-to-end manner & is independent of the underlying NW.

The core protocols used are

- ① Transport control protocol (TCP)
- ② User datagram protocol (UDP)

④ Application layer

The functionalities of application layer are similar with the collective functionalities of the OSI Model's session, presentation & application layer.

This layer enables an end-user to access the services of the underlying layers & defines the protocols for the transfer of data.

- ② List and explain the components of IoT networking?

Ans

The components of IoT networking are

- ① IoT node
- ④ IoT WAN
- ② IoT router
- ⑤ IoT gateway
- ③ IoT LAN
- ⑥ IoT proxy

IoT Node:-

- These are the networking devices within an IoT LAN.
- Each of these devices is typically made up of a sensor, a processor and a radio which communicates within the network infrastructure.
- Nodes may be connected to other nodes inside a LAN directly or by means of a common gateway for that LAN.

Connections outside the LAN are through gateways and proxies

(ii) IoT Router

- An IoT Router is a piece of networking equipment that is primarily tasked with the routing of packets between the various entities in the IoT network.
- It keeps the traffic flowing correctly within the network.
- A router can be repurposed as a gateway by enhancing its functionalities.

(iii) IoT LAN

- Local Area Network (LAN) enables local connectivity within the purview of a single gateway.
- They consist of short-range connectivity technologies.
- IoT LANs may or may not be connected to the Internet.
- They are localized within a building or an organization.

(iv) IoT WAN

- Wide Area Network (WAN) connects various network segments such as LANs.
- They are typically organizationally & geographically wide with their operational range lying between a few kilometers to hundreds of kilometers.

(v) IoT Gateway

- An IoT Gateway is simply a router connecting the IoT LAN to a WAN or the internet.
- Gateways can implement several LANs & WLANs.

Their primary task is to forward packets between the LANs & WANs & the IP layer using only layer 3.

(v) IoT-Proxy

- Proxies actively lie on the application layer of IoT performs application layer functions between the IoT nodes & other entities.
- Application layer proxies are a means of providing security to the network entities under it, it helps to extend the addressing range of the network.

2marks
Q What is M2M?
Ans M2M (Machine to Machine) is a system of connected machines & devices, which can talk amongst themselves without any human intervention.

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Q Define Cyber physical system.
Ans Cyber physical system is a closed control loop system for sensing, processing & actuation using a feedback mechanism.