

CN Lab (17CSL57)

Exp 09-10: Socket Programming using TCP and UDP

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Ex09-10 Resources

- References:
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 - <http://www.codejava.net/java-se/networking/java-udp-client-server-program-example>
 - <https://way2java.com/networking/server-to-client-using-udp/>
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 - <https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/working-udp-datagramsockets-java/>

Lab09/10 Program

- Program 09
 - Using TCP/IP sockets, write a client – server program to make the client send the file name and to make the server send back the contents of the requested file if present
- Program 10
 - Write a program on datagram socket for client/ server to display the messages on client side, typed at the server side.

Lab Program: UDP Server

- Lab program expectation: Server program
 - A UDP Server program that will communicate with many clients. It should act like a chat server.
 - Port number is taken from command line argument
 - IP is taken by default (all)
 - Whenever it receives data from a client, it should display the same on console (along with client id).
 - Server reads the user response from console (input terminal) and sends it to the client as the response
 - Server forever waits for the data from a client
 - The program runs for ever.
 - All method calls should be checked for errors

Lab Program: UDP Client

- Lab program expectation: Client program
 - A UDP client program that will communicate with a UDP Server
 - The input command line parameters are
 - Server IP Address
 - Server Port number
 - Ask user to enter the input text on console
 - Client sends the input to server on specified port
 - It should wait for the response from server
 - It should display the response received on terminal
 - The program runs till user enters “Exit”
 - All methods/system calls to be checked for errors

UDP Data Concepts

- Datagram packet
 - Fully contained message by itself
 - Unaware of any other packet
 - Contains source and destination address/port info
 - Either gets delivered in full or none (lost)
 - No guarantee of delivery time
- Java construct for receiving data packet:
 - `DatagramPacket(byte[] buf, int length)`
- Java construct for sending data packet:
 - `DatagramPacket(byte[] buf, int length, InetAddress address, int port)`

UDP Datagram Socket

- Datagram socket
 - An entity to communicate between two end points
- Java class constructors
 - <https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/java/net/DatagramSocket.html>
 - Socket for client (binds to arbitrary port)
 - `DatagramSocket()`
 - Socket for server (binds to specified port)
 - `DatagramSocket(int port)`
 - Socket for server (binds to specified port, and IP)
 - `DatagramSocket(int port, InetAddress laddr)`
- Error / exception
 - `SocketException`

Datagram Socket Methods

- To send the datagram packet
 - **send** (DatagramPacket p)
- To receive a datagram packet
 - **receive** (DatagramPacket p)
- Timeout (when waiting to receive)
 - **setSoTimeout** (int timeout)
 - On timeout, throws exception
 - SocketTimeoutException
- Closing the socket connection
 - **close** ()

Datagram Socket Errors

- Exceptions thrown on errors
 - `IOException`,
 - `PortUnreachableException`,
 - `SocketTimeoutException`
 - ?

UDP Client Template : Initialization

- `java udpClient 10.26.30.11 2345`
 - `arg[0]` : 10.26.30.11 (Server IP Address)
 - `arg[1]`: 2345 (Server port number)
- **Code snippet : initialization**

```
int port;  
InetAddress server;  
port = Integer.parseInt(arg[1]);  
server =  
InetAddress.getByName(arg[0]);  
DatagramSocket sock = new  
DatagramSocket();  
byte[] buffer = new Byte[1000];
```

UDP Client Template: Read Input

- Read message from input terminal

```
BufferedReader userIn =  
    new BufferedReader(new  
        InputStreamReader(system.in));  
  
System.out.println("Enter chat data:  
");  
String sentence = userIn.readLine()  
if (sentence.equals("Exit")) {  
    break;  
}  
sendbuf = sentence.getBytes();
```

UDP Client: Communication

- Read the data from console/Terminal
 - Code for reading from terminal
- Code snippet : sending and receiving data

```
DatagramPacket request = new  
DatagramPacket(sendbuf, sendbuf.length,  
address, port);  
socket.send(request);  
  
:  
  
DatagramPacket response = new  
DatagramPacket(recvpkt, recvpkt.length);  
socket.receive(response)  
String recvdata = new  
String(recvpkt.getData());
```

Errors/Exceptions

- Any socket operation when results in error, throws one of the following exceptions

```
} catch (SocketTimeoutException ex) {  
    s.o.p("Timeout error: " +  
ex.getMessage());  
    ex.printStackTrace();  
}  
catch (IOException ex) {  
    s.o.p("Client error: " +  
ex.getMessage());  
    ex.printStackTrace();  
}  
catch (InterruptedException ex) {  
    ex.printStackTrace();  
}
```

UDP Server Template

- `java udpServer 2345`
 - `arg[0]: 2345` (Server port number)

- **Code snippet : initialization**

```
int port;
```

```
port = Integer.parseInt(arg[0]);
```

```
DatagramSocket sock = new  
DatagramSocket(port);
```

```
byte[] buffer = new Byte[1000];
```

```
DatagramPacket request = new  
DatagramPacket(buffer, buffer.length);  
socket.receive(request)
```

UDP Server: Identify Client

- Code snippet : initialization

```
InetAddress client =  
request.getAddress();  
int clientPort = request.getPort();  
// display client IP and Port  
s.o.p(client.toString()+": " +  
clientPort);
```

UDP Server: Identify Client

- Get response from user on server console to send

```
BufferedReader userIn =  
    new BufferedReader(new  
        InputStreamReader(system.in));  
String sentence = userIn.readLine();  
sendbuf = sentence.getBytes();  
response = DatagramPacket(sendbuf,  
    sendbuf.length, address, port);  
socket.send(response);
```


Basic UDP Server and Client

- `nc -u -l 3333`
 - Runs an UDP Server on port 3333
- `nc -u 10.26.30.11 3333`
 - Run an UDP Client and connect to a UDP server running on 10.26.33.11 on port 3333.
- Running java program
 - `javac UDPClient.java`
 - `javac UDPServer.java`
 - `java -classpath . UDPClient`
 - `java -classpath . UDPServer`

Template Programs

- Template programs
- UDPClientTemplate.java
- UDPServerTemplate.java
- How to use Template programs
 - Copy them to UDPClient.java, UDPServer.java
 - Fill in the lines with ??
 - Do all the error checking and throw exceptions
 - The sample program template does not have any error checking.
 - Run the program and test the server with multiple clients.

Program Expectation.

- The UDP server program should run for ever.
- Your UDP client and server should be able to work with nc
- Your UDP client should be able to work with your UDP Server.
- Your UDP Client should be able to work with any one's UDP server and vice versa,
- Your program should not crash with any bad user input.
- UDP Server program should be able to work with multiple clients concurrently.
- Do all required validation and check all exceptions.

TCP Template Programs

- Example: Java client server datagram programs
 - TCPClientTemplate.java
 - TCPClient.java (Later)
- TCPServerTemplate.java
- TCPServer.java (Later)
- TCP Server variations: handling concurrent clients
 - TCP server: one thread for each client
 - TCP server using select.

Lab Program: TCP Server

- Lab program expectation: Server program
 - A TCP Server program that will communicate with many clients. It should act like a chat server.
 - Port number is taken from command line argument
 - IP is taken by default (all)
 - It receives a filename (with path) from client.
 - Server reads the file content from the file and sends it to the requesting client.
 - Server forever waits for a client request
 - The program runs for ever.
 - All method calls should be checked for errors

Lab Program: TCP Client

- Lab program expectation: Client program
 - A TCP client program that will communicate with a TCP Server
 - The input command line parameters are
 - Server IP Address
 - Server Port number
 - List of filename(s)
 - Client sends the filename(s) to server on specified port, one at a time.
 - It should wait for the response (file content) from the server. If file doesn't exist, server sends “-1”.
 - It should write received content into the file.
 - All methods/system calls to be checked for errors

TCP Data Concepts

- Stream packet
 - Data is delivered in stream of bytes
 - Each client connection is identified by a new socket (file handle).
 - Doesn't need server or client address after the connection is made.
- Key Java classes for sending files over TCP
 - OutputStream
 - InputStream
 - BufferedReader
 - Socket
 - ServerSocket
 - File
 - PrintWriter

TCP Socket

- **Java class constructors**
 - `https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/technotes/guides/net/index.html`
 - **Socket for client**
 - `sock = new Socket(serverIPAddress, serverPort)`
 - **Socket for server (binds to specified port)**
 - `ssock = new ServerSocket(serverport, backlog)`
- **Error / exception**
 - `SocketException`

Stream Socket Methods

- **To send the filename as TCP data**

```
ostream=sock.getOutputStream();  
printwriter=new  
PrintWriter(ostream,true);  
printwriter.println(filename);
```

- **To receive data by server**

```
csock = ssock.accept()  
clientIP =  
csock.getInetAddress().getHostAddress();  
clientPort = csock.getPort();  
istream = csock.getInputStream();  
sockReader = new BufferedReader(new  
InputStreamReader(istream));  
filename = sockReader.readLine();
```

TCP Server : Reading from File

- Checking if file exists

```
tmpfile = new File(filename);  
if (! tmpfile.exists() ) {  
    pwrite.println(-1);  
    csock.close();  
}
```

TCP Server : Reading from File

- Reading file content and sending to client

```
ostream = csock.getOutputStream();  
PrintWriter pwrite=new  
PrintWriter(ostream, true);  
fileReader = new BufferedReader(new  
FileReader(filename));  
String str;  
while((str=fileReader.readLine()) !=  
null) {  
    pwrite.println(str);  
}
```

TCP Client & Server Invocation

- `java tcpClient 10.26.30.11 2345 f1 f2...`
 - `arg[0]` : `10.26.30.11` (Server IP Address)
 - `arg[1]`: `2345` (Server port number)
 - `arg[2]` to `arg[n]`: list of files
- `java tcpServer 2345`
 - `arg[0]`: `2345` (Server port number)
- Use `nc` to test TCP Server
 - `nc 10.26.30.11 2345`
`file1.txt`
 - it should display content of file or (-1 if file does not exist)

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Summary

- UDP Sockets
- TCP Sockets
- Template programs
- Actual programs