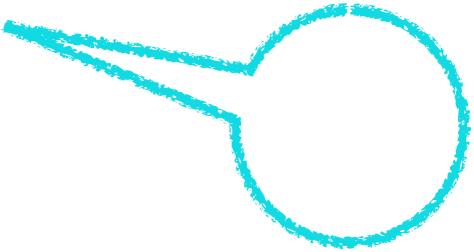


### semantics of message



### arguments



#### not used since Dec 2017

```
void send_packet(apacket* p, atransport* t) {
   p->msg.magic = p->msg.command ^ 0xffffffff;
   // compute a checksum for connection/auth packets for compatibility reasons
    if (t->get_protocol_version() >= A_VERSION_SKIP_CHECKSUM) {
       p->msg.data_check = 0;
    } else {
        p->msg.data_check = calculate_apacket_checksum(p);
```



## protocol message format

semantics of message

```
struct amessage {
              uint32
                                      /* command identifier constant
arguments
                    void send_packet(apacket* p, atransport* t) {
                        p->msg.magic = p->msg.command ^ 0xffffffff;
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                       // compute a checksum for connection/auth packets for compatibility reasons
                        if (t->get_protocol_version() >= A_VERSION_SKIP_CHECKSUM) {
                           p->msg.data_check = 0;
              uint3
                       } else {
                           p->msg.data_check = calculate_apacket_checksum(p);
              uint3
                       data_check; // /* checksum of data payload
              uint32_t magic;
                                      /* command ^ 0xfffffff
         };
```

# message types

Code constant	Name	Use
A_CNXN	CONNECT	Setup a connection for a new client request
A_AUTH	AUTH	Authenticate a client to a device
A_OPEN	OPEN	Start a new stream
A_OKAY	READY	Indicate that far side is ready to accept more data
A_WRTE	WRITE	Send data for a specific stream
A_CLSE	CLOSE	Close a specific stream; sending side done or no more data available