

NetRadio specifications

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Entities

Definition

A *message* is defined as:

```
object Message =
{ owner_id: (Multicaster.id | Client.id)
; num_mess: Nat < 9999
; content: Char[140]
}
```

A *multicaster* is defined as:

```
object Multicaster =
{ id: Char[8]
; comport: Nat < 9999
; castport: Nat < 9999
; castaddr: @
; messages: List[Message]
}
```

A *manager* is defined as:

```
object Manager =
{ comport: Nat < 9999
; max_multicaster: Nat < 99
; multicasters: List[Multicaster]
}
```

A *client* is defined as:

```
object Client = { id: Char[8] }
```

The protocol

All following connections will be in TCP except for the multicaster to the world.

Note

Each type is part of a “category” which is following a particular structure. The categories are separated by the number of field(s) accepted by the types.

Note that END is not part of the calculation in the number of field.

From *multicaster*..

..to the world

The broadcast is done by sending to the port `Multicaster.castport` at the address `Multicaster.castaddr` a message of the form:

```
0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "DIFF" | | NumMess | | Id | :
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
: | | Mess (140 bytes) | End |
```

```
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
```

```
NumMess := to_str Message.num_mess
(* to_str 120 -> "0120" *)
```

```
Id := complete_with_hashes Message.owner_id
(* complete_with_hashes "RADIO" -> "RADIO###" *)
```

```
Mess := complete_with_hashes Message.content
```

After each sending:

```
let increment num : Nat -> Nat = (num + 1) mod 9999
```

```
Message.num_mess <- increment Message.num_mess
```

.. to manager

A multicaster can register itself to a manager by sending to `Manager.comport`:

```
 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "REGI" | | Id | | Ip1 :
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
: | | Port1 |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| Ip2 | |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| Port2 | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
```

```
Id := complete_with_hashes Message.owner_id
(* complete_with_hashes "RADIO" -> "RADIO###" *)
```

```
Ip1 := addr_to_str Multicaster.castaddr
(* addr_to_str "127.0.0.1" -> "127.000.000.001" *)
```

```
Port1 := Multicaster.castport
```

```
Ip2 := addr_to_str @Multicaster
```

```
Port2 := Multicaster.comport
```

If the **registration succeeds**, the manager sends back **without closing the connection**:

```
 0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "REOK" | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+
```

Otherwise, **before closing the connection**, the manager responds:

```
 0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "RENO" | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+
```

From *manager*..

..to *multicaster*

A manager can test if a multicaster is still alive by sending:

```
0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+
| "RUOK" | End |
+---+---+---+---+
```

The multicaster needs to responds:

```
0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+
| "IMOK" | End |
+---+---+---+---+
```

If after a delay the multicaster doesn't respond or sends back a wrong answer, the manager removes it from its `Manager.multicasters` and closes the connection.

From *client*..

..to *multicaster*

Register a new message

A client can sends a message to broadcast by sending to `Multicaster.recvport`:

```
0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "MESS" | | Id | | :
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
: Mess (140 bytes) | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
```

```
Id := complete_with_hashes Client.id
(* complete_with_hashes "RADIO" -> "RADIO###" *)
```

Then, the multicaster sends back:

```
0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+
| "ACKM" | End |
+---+---+---+---+
```

Get the last broadcasted messages

A client can ask to a multicaster a list of its last messages by sending to `Multicaster.recvport`:

```
0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "LAST" | | NbMess | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
```

```
NbMess := to_str (length Multicaster.messages)
(* to_str 3 -> "003" *)
```

Then, the multicaster sends back `nb-mess` following the form:

```

0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "OLDM" | | NumMess | | Id :
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
: | | Mess (140 bytes) | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+

```

```

NumMess := to_str Message.num_mess
(* to_str 120 -> "0120" *)

```

```

Id := complete_with_hashes Message.owner_id
(* complete_with_hashes "RADIO" -> "RADIO###" *)

```

```

Mess := complete_with_hashes Message.content

```

In order to signal the end of the messages sending, the multicaster sends **before closing the connection**:

```

0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+
| "ENDM" | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+

```

Get the weather of a location

A client can ask to a multicaster the current weather of a location by sending to Multicaster.recvport:

```

0 1 2 3 0 1 ... 50 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "RWET" | | Location | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+

```

```

Location := complete_with_hashes (Message.content)

```

The response of the multicaster is done by sending as much as needed messages of the following format :

```

0 1 2 3 0 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
| "WETC" | | Content (140 bytes) | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+

```

```

Content := complete_with_hashes (resp_buffer)

```

In order to signal the end of the file, the multicaster sends **before closing the connection**:

```

0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+
| "PEOF" | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+

```

At any moment, if something goes wrong on the multicaster side, the multicaster sends **before closing the connection**:

```

0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+
| "WERR" | End |
+---+---+---+---+---+

```

..to manager

A client can ask to a manager a list of its multicasters by sending to `Manager.comport`:

```

0 1 2 3 0 1 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+
|  "LIST"  | End |
+---+---+---+---+

```

To which, the manager responds:

```

0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+
|  "LINB"  | | Ndf | End |
+---+---+---+---+

```

```

Ndf := to_str (length Manager.multicasters)
(* to_str 5 -> "05" *)

```

Followed by `length Manager.multicasters` messages of the form (before closing the connection):

```

0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3 (bytes)
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
|  "ITEM"  | |           Id           | | Ip1 :
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
:           | |   Port1   |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
|           Ip2           | |
+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+---+
|   Port2   | End |
+---+---+---+---+

```

```

Id := complete_with_hashes Message.owner_id
(* complete_with_hashes "RADIO" -> "RADIO###" *)

Ip1 := addr_to_str Multicaster.castaddr
(* addr_to_str "127.0.0.1" -> "127.000.000.001" *)

Port1 := Multicaster.castport

Ip2 := addr_to_str @Multicaster

Port2 := Multicaster.comport

Message

```