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Chapter 4

The Data Link Layer

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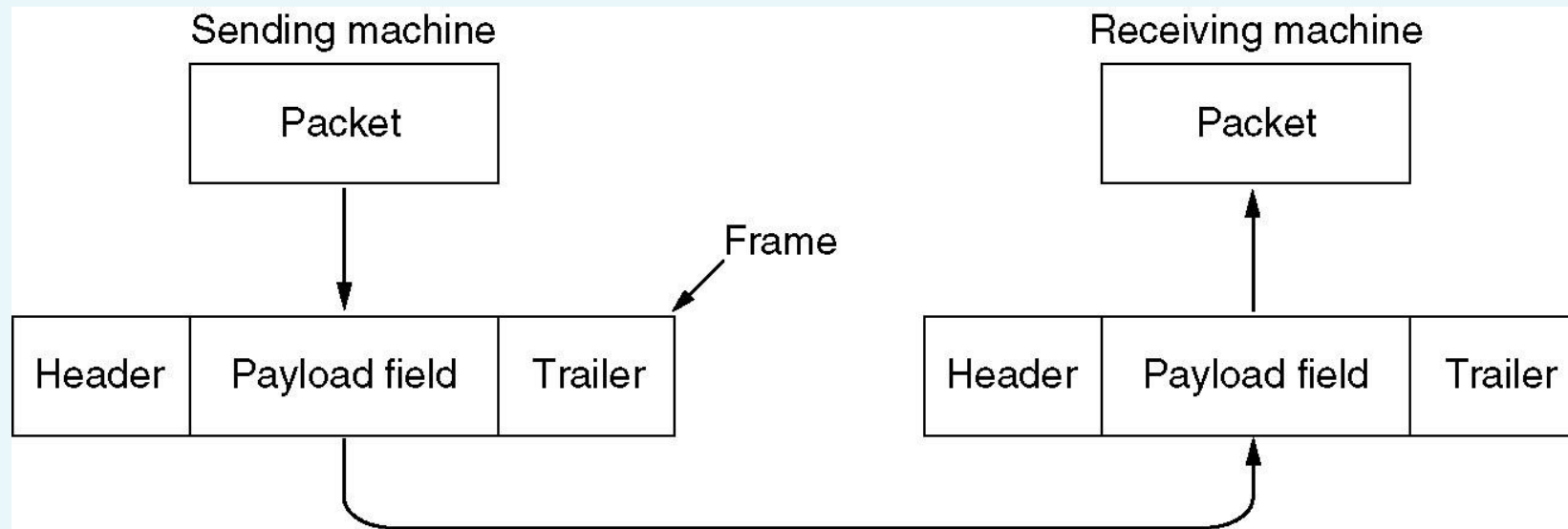
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Functions of the Data Link Layer

- Provide service interface to the network layer
- Dealing with transmission errors
- Regulating data flow
 - Slow receivers not swamped by fast senders

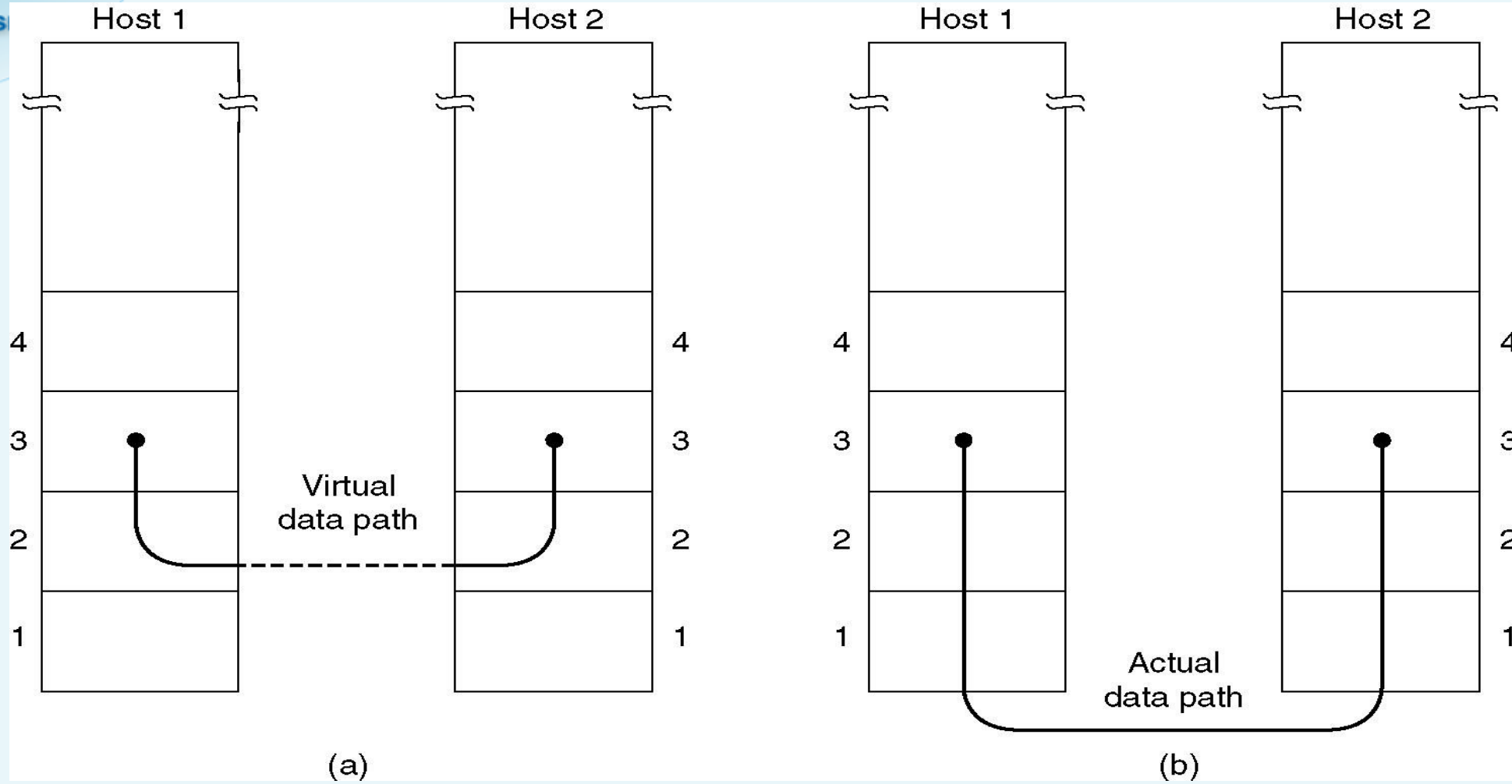
Functions of the Data Link Layer

- Providing services the Network layer
- Takes the packets from the network layer and encapsulates them into frames



Relationship between packets and frames.

Services Provided to Network Layer



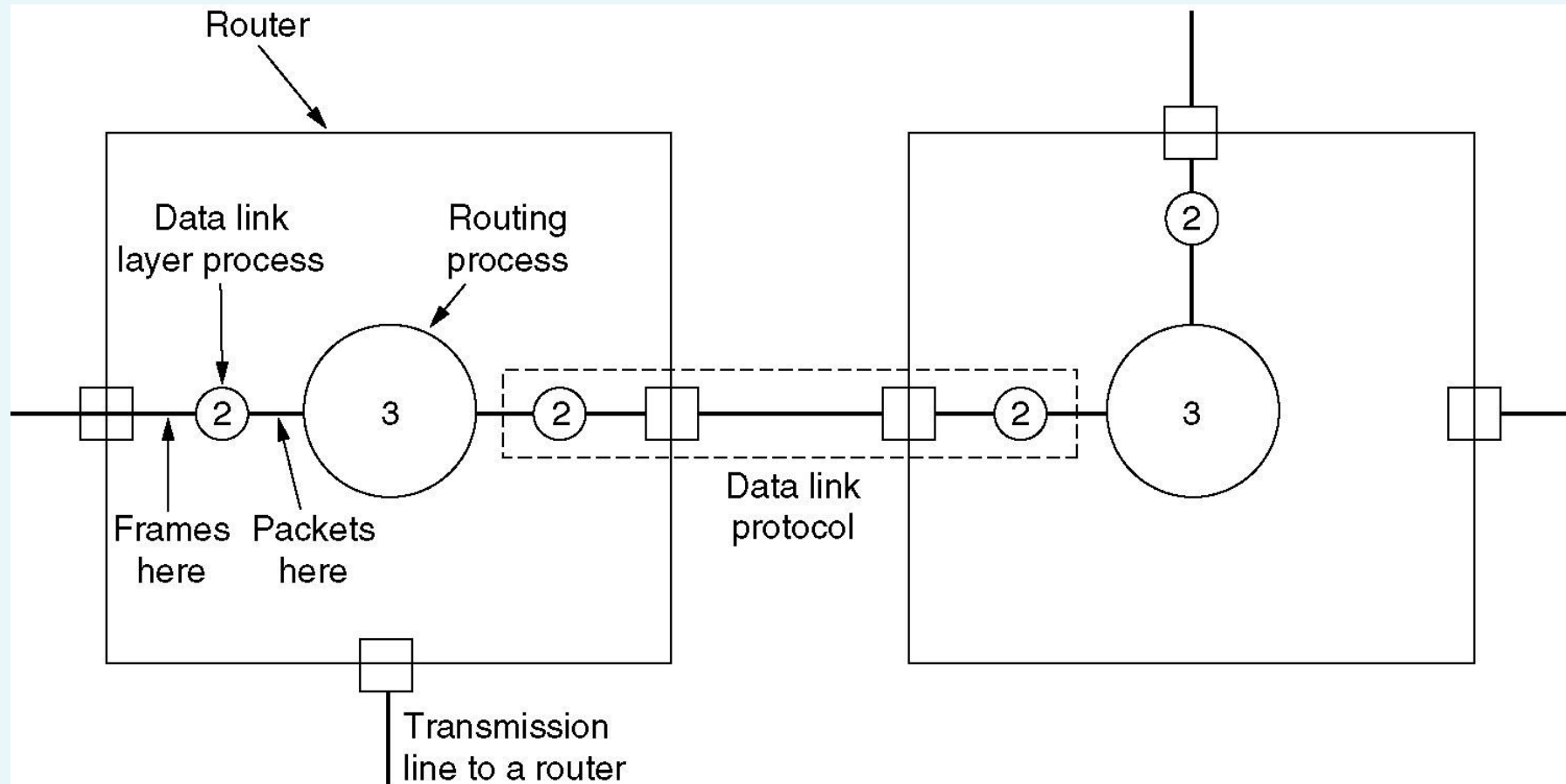
(a) Virtual communication

(b) Actual communication.



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Services Provided to Network Layer



Placement of the data link protocol.



Framing

- Bit stream received by the data link layer not guaranteed to be error free:
 - bits inversed
 - Number of bits received may be less than, equal to, or more than number of bits transmitted
- Data link layer:
 - Break up the bit stream into discrete frames
 - Compute a checksum and include the checksum in the sent frame
 - At the destination, the checksum is recomputed
 - If the computed checksum different from the one in the frame: an error occurred and takes steps to deal with it



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Framing

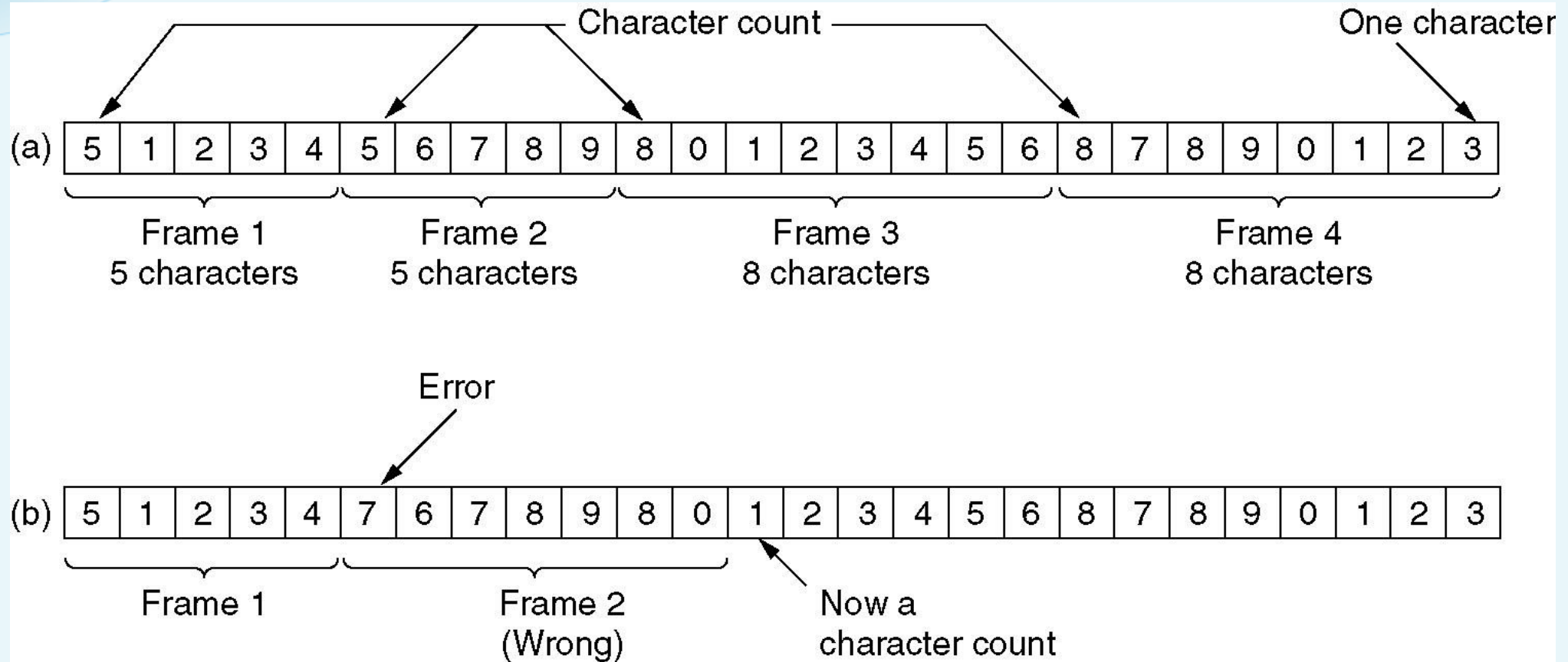
Framing methods

- Byte count
- Flag bytes with byte stuffing
- Flag bits with bit stuffing.



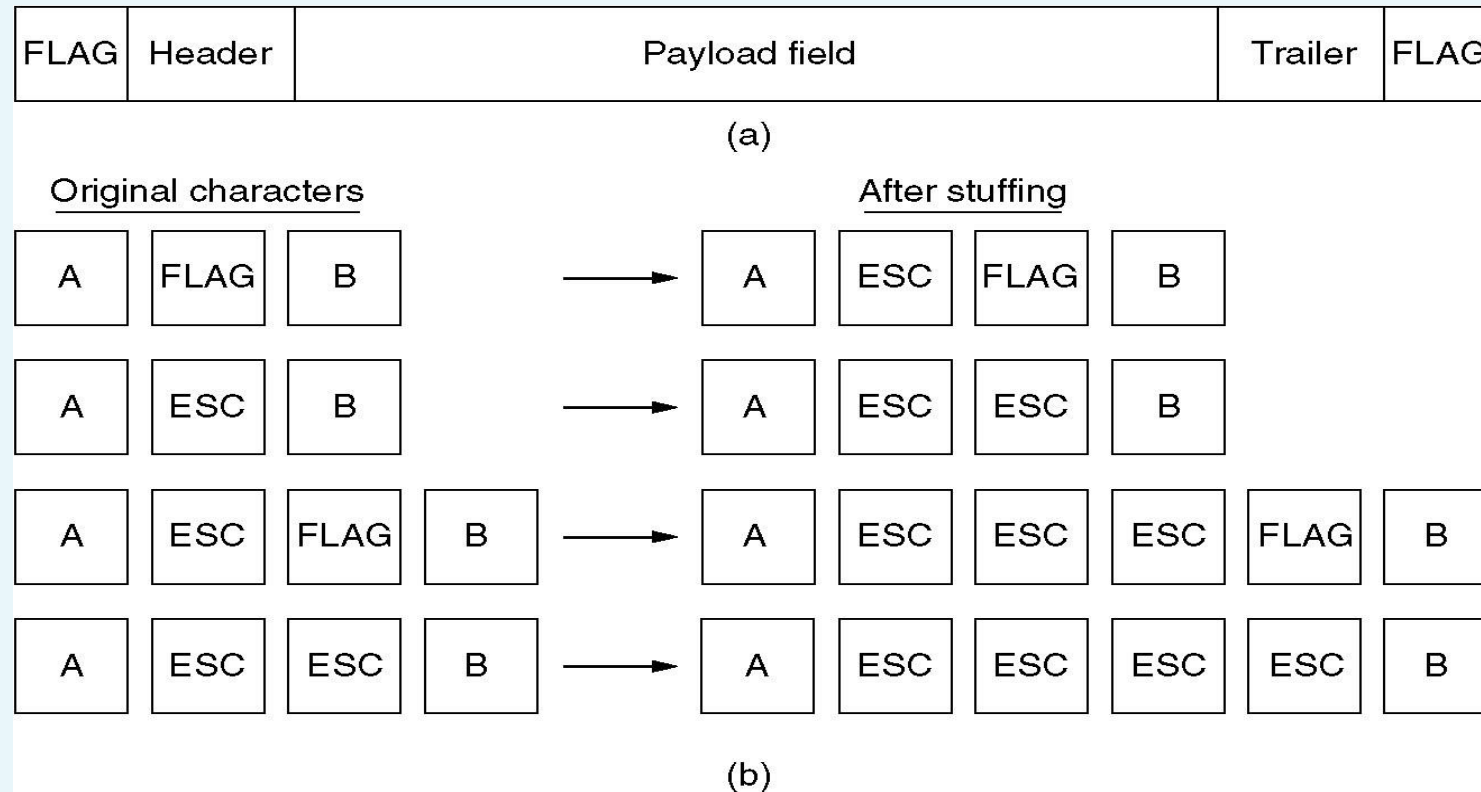
Framing

Framing methods: Character count



A character stream. (a) Without errors. (b) With one error.

Framing methods: Flag bytes and byte stuffing



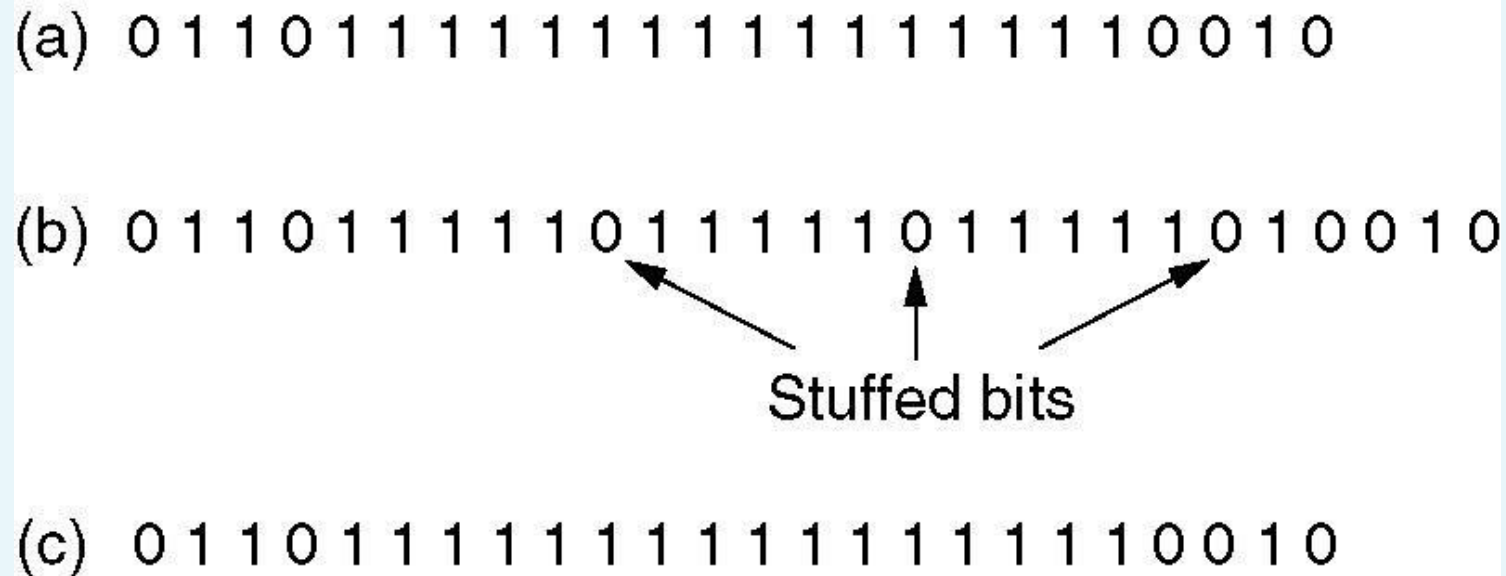
(a) A frame delimited by flag bytes.

(b) Four examples of byte sequences before and after stuffing.



Framing

Framing methods: **Flag bytes and byte stuffing**



Bit stuffing

(a) The original data.

(b) The data as they appear on the line.

(c) The data as they are stored in receiver's memory after destuffing.



Error Control

Make sure all frames eventually delivered to the network layer at the destination and in the proper order

- 1) Receiver sending back special control frames bearing positive or negative acknowledgements about the incoming frames:

Using acknowledgement frame

- 2) Avoiding the sender to be wait forever when acknowledge frame lost

Using a timer and time-out for each sent frame

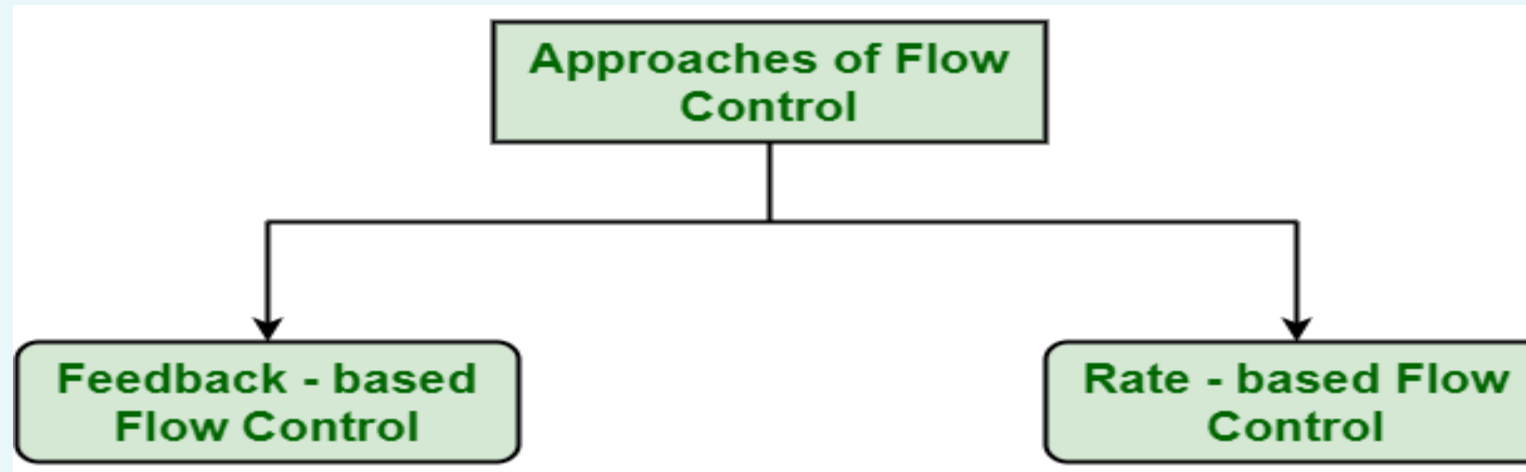
- 3) Avoiding frame duplication

Assign each sent frame a sequence number



Flow Control

- Prevent a sender to transmit frames faster than the receiver can accept them
- Two approaches



The receiver send back information to sender giving it permission to send more data or at least tell sender what the receiver doing

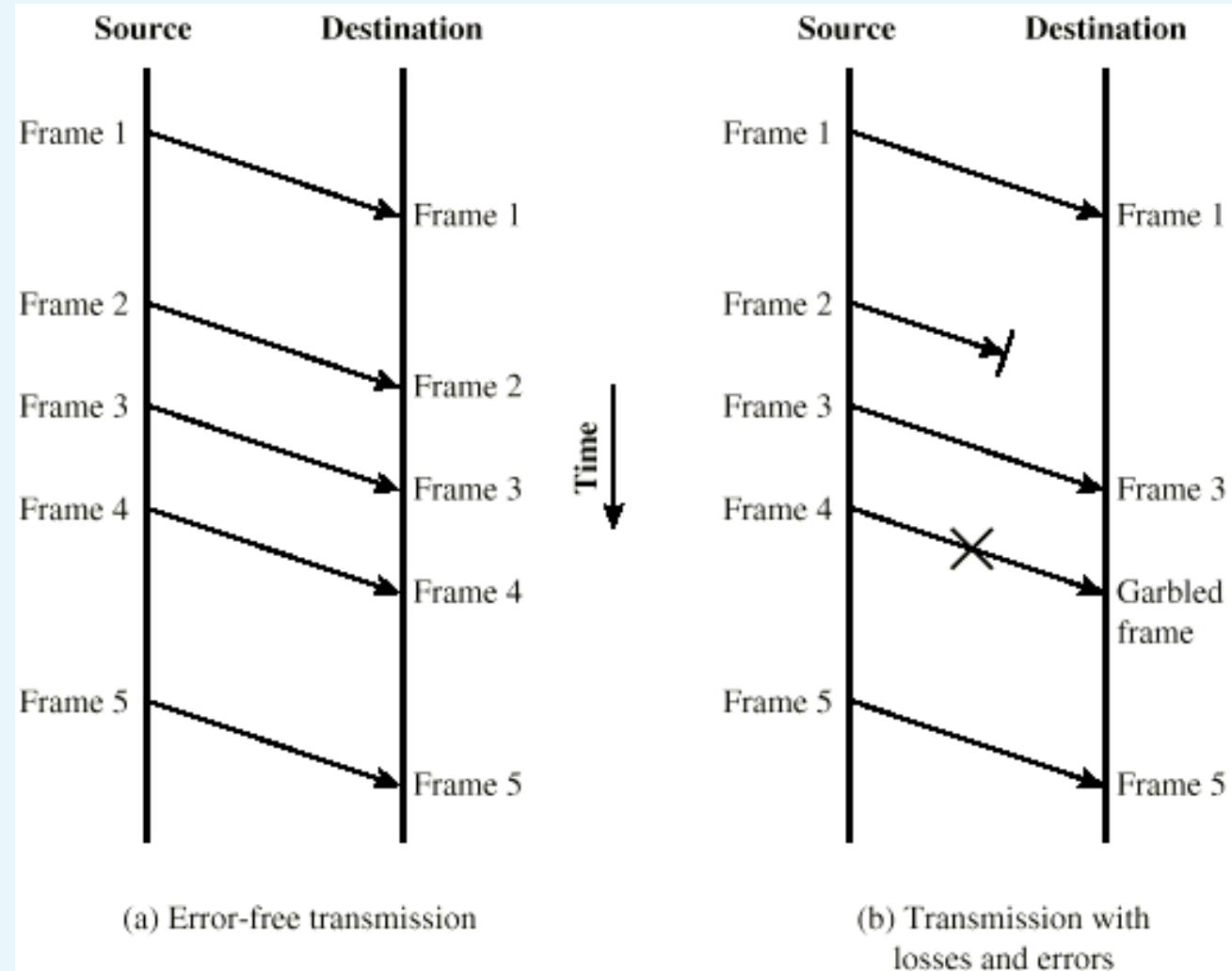
The protocol has a built-in mechanism that limits the rate at which senders may transmit data, without using feedback from the receiver



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Transmission errors





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Transmission errors

- Bit 1 becomes bit 0 and reversely
- Error rate

$\forall \tau = \text{Error bits} / \text{Transmitted bits}$

$\forall \tau : 10^{-5} \text{ to } 10^{-8}$

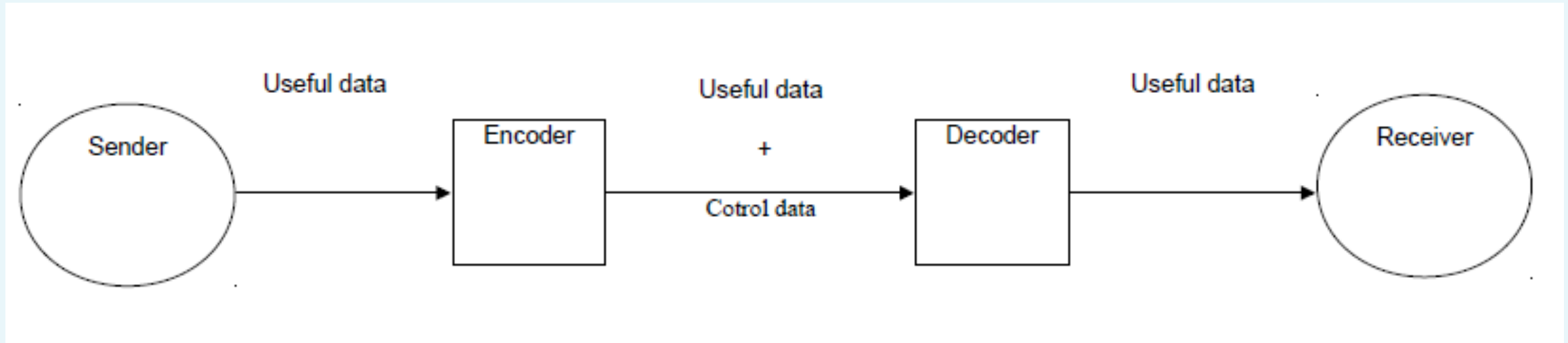
88% : error of one bit

10% : error of two adjacent bits

Error Control

Error Detection and Correction

- Error-Correcting Codes
- Error-Detecting Codes



- Sender: add control data into useful data for sending
- Receiver: decode control data to determine whether data has errors or not



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Error-Correcting Codes

Char.	ASCII	Check bits
H	1001000	00110010000
a	1100001	10111001001
m	1101101	11101010101
m	1101101	11101010101
i	1101001	01101011001
n	1101110	01101010110
g	1100111	01111001111
	0100000	10011000000
c	1100011	11111000011
o	1101111	10101011111
d	1100100	11111001100
e	1100101	00111000101

Order of bit transmission

Use of a Hamming code to correct burst errors.



Error Control

Error-Correcting Codes

Allow receivers to identify error data and correct error data

Hamming Code

- For each integer $m > 2$
 - Code exists with m parity bits and $2^m - m - 1$
- Basically
 - Parity bit for odd bits
 - Parity bit for each two bits
 - Parity bit for each four bits
 - Parity bit for each eight bits
 - Parity bit for each group of bits that are power of 2
 - 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, ...



Calculating Hamming Code

1. Mark all bit positions that are powers of two parity bit
1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, etc
2. All other bit positions are for the data to be encoded
3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, etc.
3. Each parity bit calculates the parity for some of the bits in the code word

The position of the parity bit determines the sequence of bits that it alternately checks and skips

Position 1: check 1 bit, skip 1 bit, check 1 bit, skip 1 bit, etc.
(1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, ...)

Position 2: check 2 bits, skip 2 bits, check 2 bits, skip 2 bits, etc.
(2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 11, 14, 15, ...)

Position 4: check 4 bits, skip 4 bits, check 4 bits, skip 4 bits, etc.
(4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22, 23, ...)

Position 8: check 8 bits, skip 8 bits, check 8 bits, skip 8 bits, etc.
(8-15, 24-31, 40-47, ...)

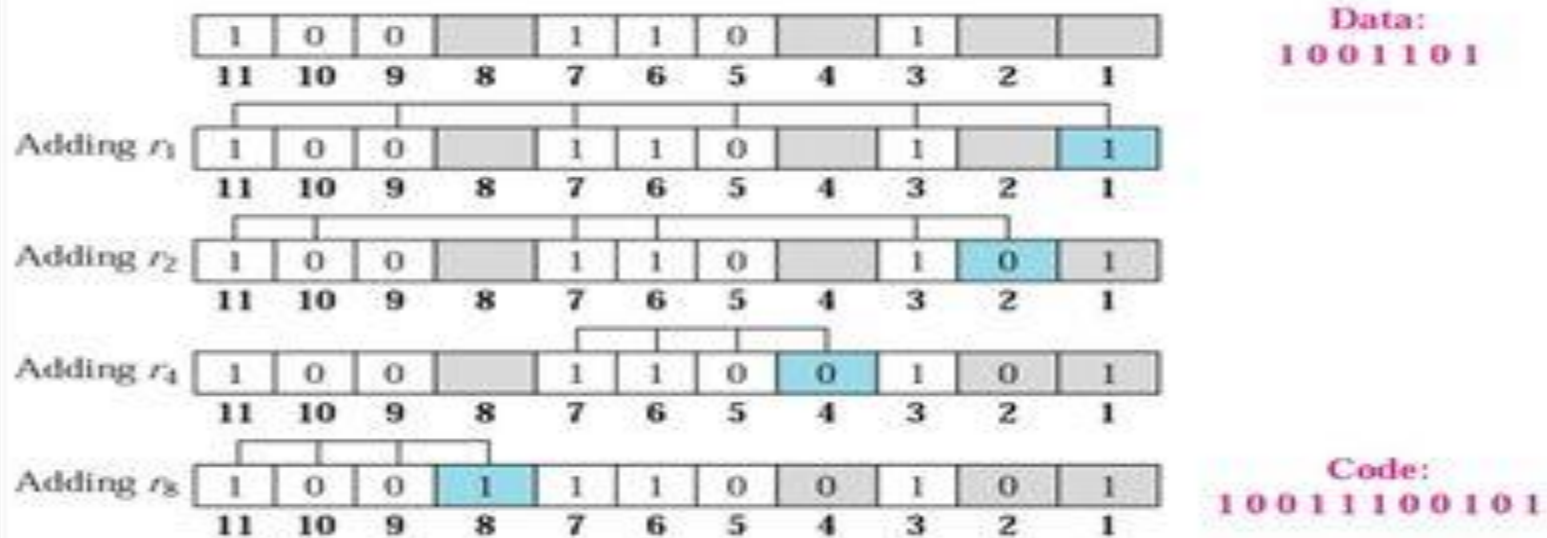
4. Set a parity bit to 1 if the total number of ones in the positions it checks is odd. Set a parity bit to 0 if the total number of ones in the positions it checks is even



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Error-Correcting Codes

Example: *Hamming Code*





Error Control

Error-Detecting Codes

- Allow receivers to determine whether received data has error or not
- If error is detected in received data, request for resending data
- Popular error-detecting codes
 - ✓ Parity checks
 - ✓ Check sum
 - ✓ Cyclic redundancy check



- xxxxxxx: Useful data need to be transmitted
- One parity bit is appended to useful data
- Transmitted stream of bits: xxxxxxxp
- Calculation of p
 - ✓ Event parity: xxxxxxxp consists of an event number of bits 1
 - ✓ Odd parity: xxxxxxxp consists of an odd number of bits 1

Detecting error in a stream of bits xxxxxxxp:

- In even parity check:
 - ✓ If there is an even number of bits 1 \rightarrow data xxxxxxx are error-free
 - ✓ Else data xxxxxxx has error
- In odd parity check:
 - ✓ If there is an odd number of bits 1 \rightarrow data xxxxxxx are error-free
 - ✓ Else data xxxxxxx has error

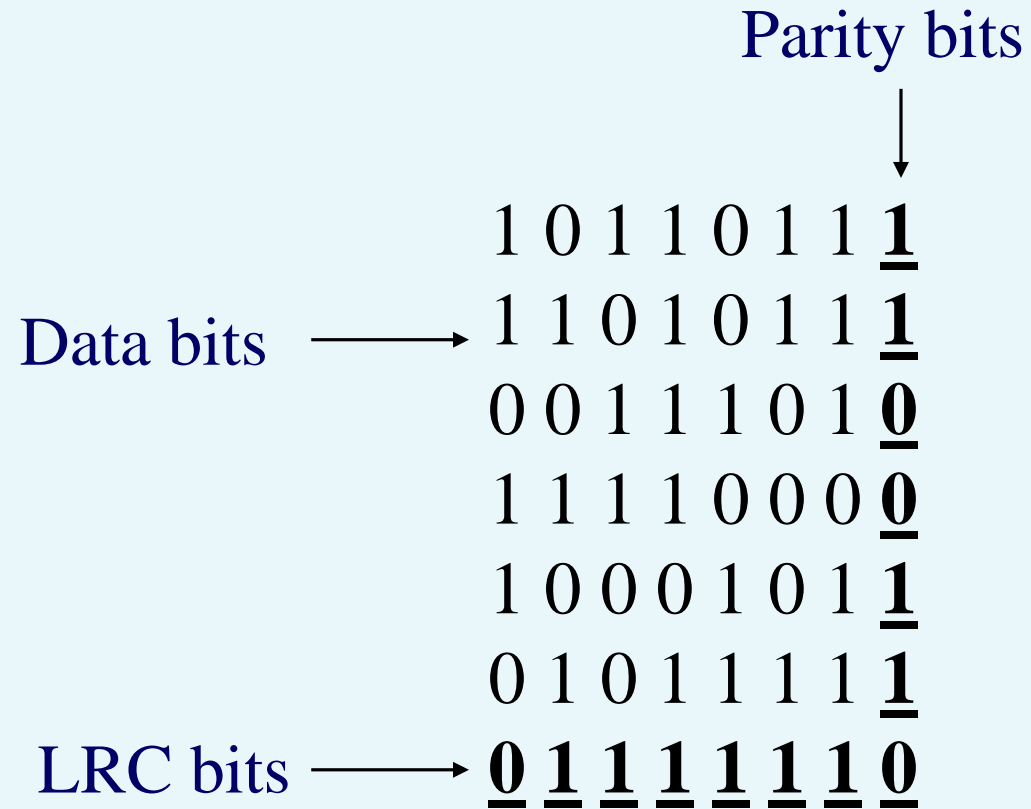
- Example: $G = 1110001$ are useful data
- Using even parity check:
 - ✓ $p=0$
 - ✓ Transmitted data: 11100010
- Different cases of received data:
 - ✓ 11100010 : 4 bits 1 \Rightarrow Error-free
 - ✓ 11000010 : 3 bits 1 \Rightarrow Error
 - ✓ 11000110 : 4 bits 1 \Rightarrow Error ???



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Error-Detecting Codes: Longitudinal Redundancy Check





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Error-Detecting Codes: **Cyclic Redundancy Check**

Different methods of implementation:

- Modulo 2,
- Polynomial
- Shift register
- Exclusive-or gate

- M: Message of k bits need to send
- F : frame check sequence of r bits (control data appended to M to detect error on M)
- $T = MF$: the transmitted frame of $(k + r)$ bits created by concatenating M and F, with $r < k$
- P ($r+1$ bits): a prior defined sequence
- F computed as follows:
 - 1) Appending r bits 0 to the end of M, or multiply M with 2^r
 - 2) Using binary division to divide $M \cdot 2^r$ by P .
 - 3) F is the remainder of the binary division

- Appending F to M to create transmitted frame T
 - ✓ Note: P has to be longer than F one bit and the values of its most significant bit and the least significant must be 1
- Receiver applies binary division to divide T by P:
 - ✓ No remainder: Error-free, M extracted from $(T - k)$ high order bits
 - ✓ Remainder existed: Transmission of T is error



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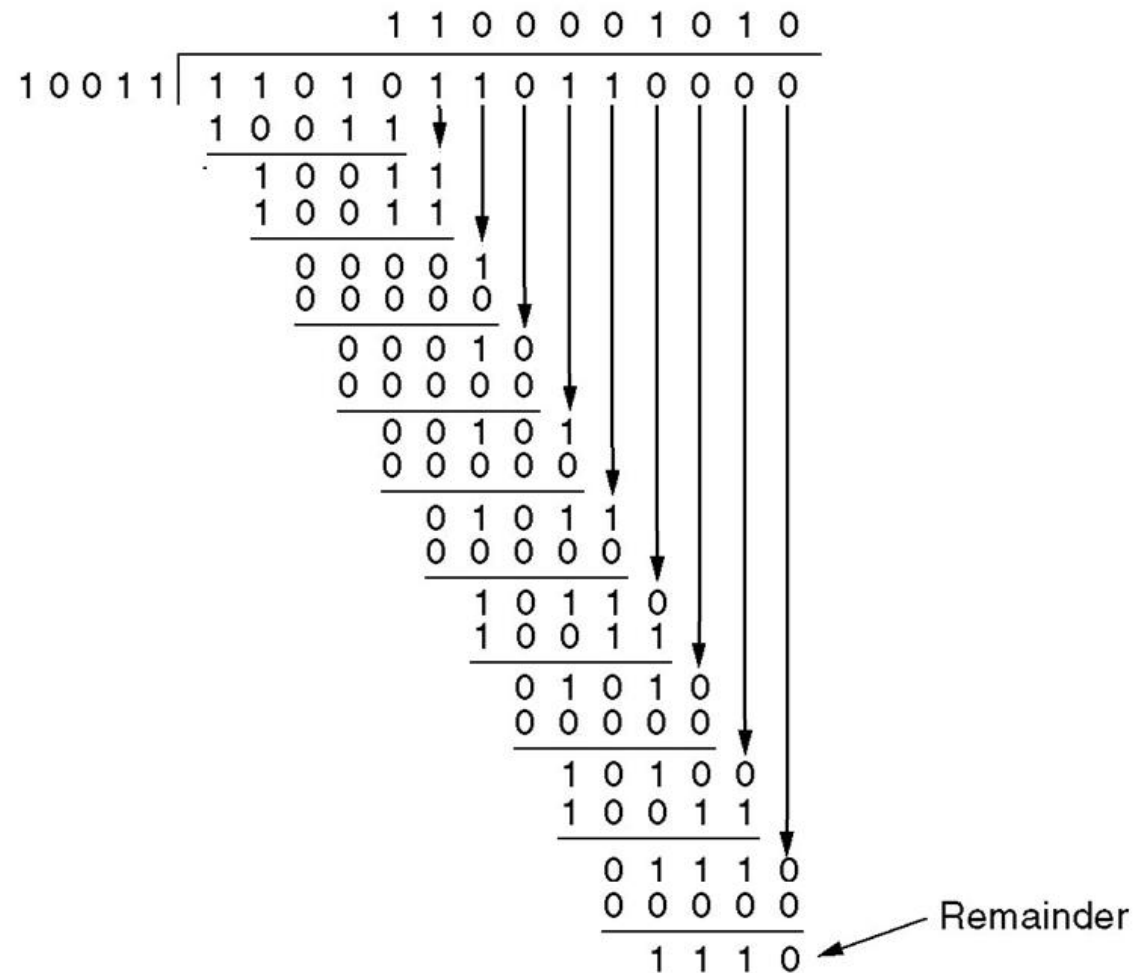
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Error-Detecting Codes: CRC-Modulo 2

Frame : 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1

Generator: 1 0 0 1 1

Message after 4 zero bits are appended: 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0



Transmitted frame
11010110111110

- $M = 1010001101$ ($k=10$ bits)
- $P = 110101$ ($r+1=6$ bits)
- Steps to calculate FCS ($r=5$ bits):
 - 1) Calculate $M \cdot 2^5 = 101000110100000$.
 - 2) Apply binary division to divide $M \cdot 2^5$ by P
Get remainder $F = \mathbf{01110}$
- Create transmitted frame
 - ✓ $T = M \cdot 2^r + F = 1010001101\mathbf{01110}$



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Error Control

Error-Detecting Codes: **CRC-Modulo 2**

- Bài tập 1: Bên gửi và nhận đa thống nhất chọn $P=110101$

Cho biết các khung T nhận được sau có lỗi hay không?

a) **$T=101.0001.1010.1110$**

b) **$T=101.0101.1010.1110$**



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Error-Detecting Codes: CRC-Polynomial

- Supposing that $M=110011$ and $P = 11001$, then M and P are represented by two following polynomials:
 - $M(x) = x^5 + x^4 + x + 1$
 - $P(x) = x^4 + x^3 + 1$
- Algorithm for computing the CRC is represented as follows:

$$\frac{X^r M(X)}{P(X)} = Q(X) + \frac{F(X)}{P(X)}$$

$$\Rightarrow T(X) = X^n M(X) + R(X)$$



Error Control

Error-Detecting Codes: CRC-Polynomial

- Popular versions of P

$$\text{CRC-12} = X^{12} + X^{11} + X^3 + X^2 + X + 1$$

$$\text{CRC-16} = X^{16} + X^{15} + X^2 + 1$$

$$\text{CRC-CCITT} = X^{16} + X^{12} + X^5 + 1$$

$$\text{CRC-32} = X^{32} + X^{26} + X^{23} + X^{22} + X^{16} + X^{12} + X^{11} + X^{10} + X^8 + X^7 + X + X^4 + X^2 + X + 1$$



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Error-Detecting Codes: **CRC-Polynomial**

- Example

$$M=1010001101, P=110101 \Rightarrow r=5$$

$$M(X) = X^9 + X^7 + X^3 + X^2 + 1$$

$$X^5 M(X) = X^{14} + X^{12} + X^8 + X^7 + X^5$$

$$P(X) = X^5 + X^4 + X^2 + 1$$

Compute

$$\frac{X^r M(X)}{P(X)} = Q(X) + \frac{F(X)}{P(X)} \Rightarrow F(X) = X^3 + X^2 + X^1 \quad \text{Or } F = 01110$$

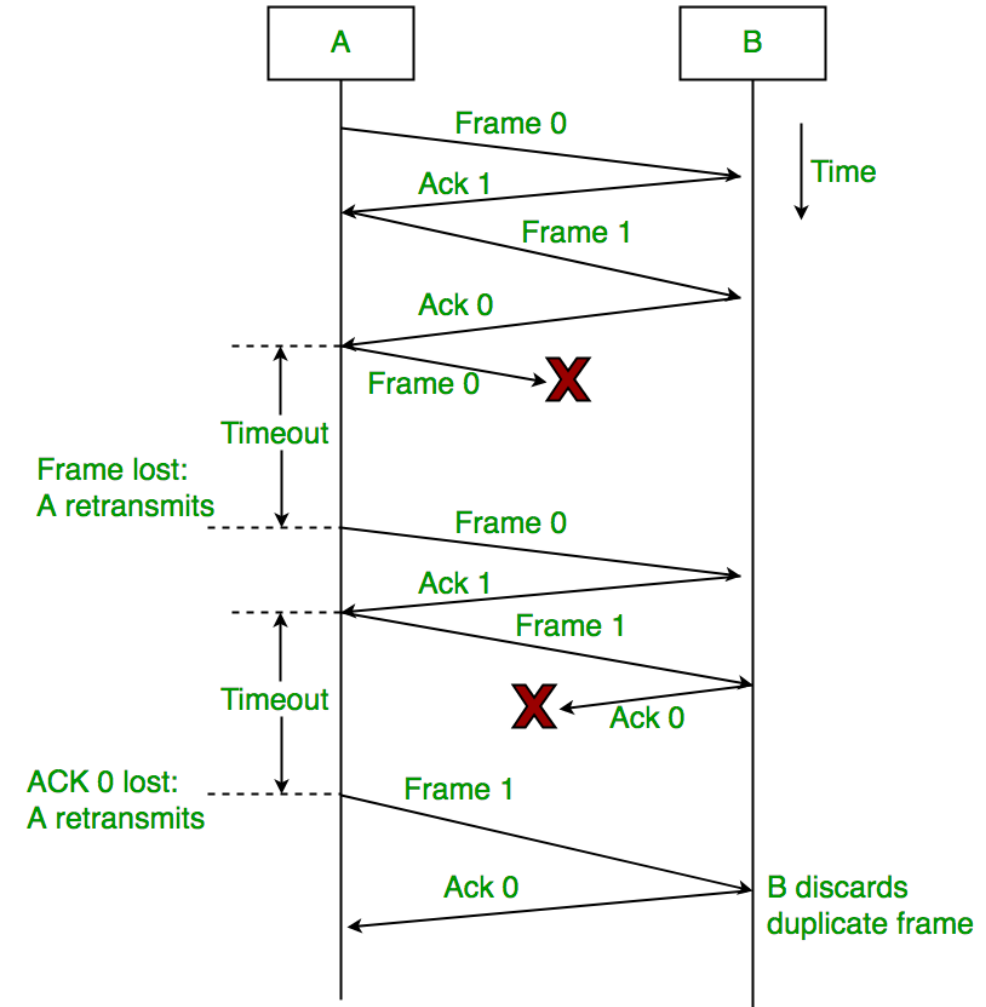
\Rightarrow Final transmission data: $T = 101000110101110$



Error Control

Stop and Wait protocol

- Sender doesn't know whether the frame was transmitted successfully.
 - ✓ Solution: **Use acknowledgement frame**
- Acknowledgement frame could be lost.
 - ✓ Solutions:
 - Timer.
 - Time-out
 - Resend
- Receiver receives duplicate frames
 - ✓ Solution: Assign a sequence number for each frame





Error Control

Duplex data transmission

- Stop and Wait: Simplex data transmission
- Need to achieve duplex data transmission to exploit maximum channel capacity
- Principle for achieving duplex data transmission:
 - ✓ Define frame types: DATA, ACK, NACK
 - ✓ Using **piggyback** technology

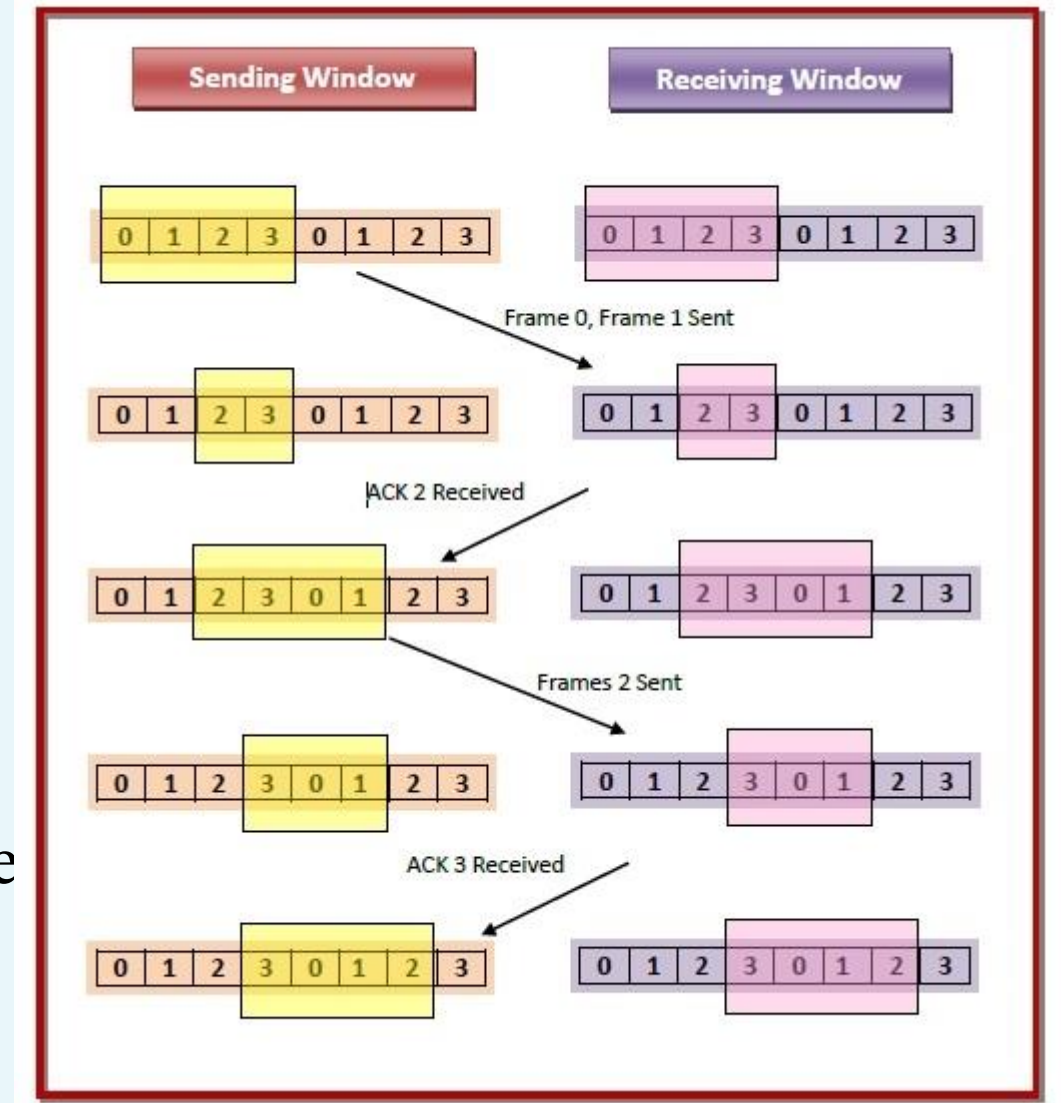


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Sliding Window Protocols

- Sliding window protocol allows a sender to send multiple frames before waiting for acknowledgement
- Sending Windows:** used by sender to monitor sent frames that acknowledgement frames are being waited for
- Receiving Windows: used by receiver to monitor the frames that are permitted to receive



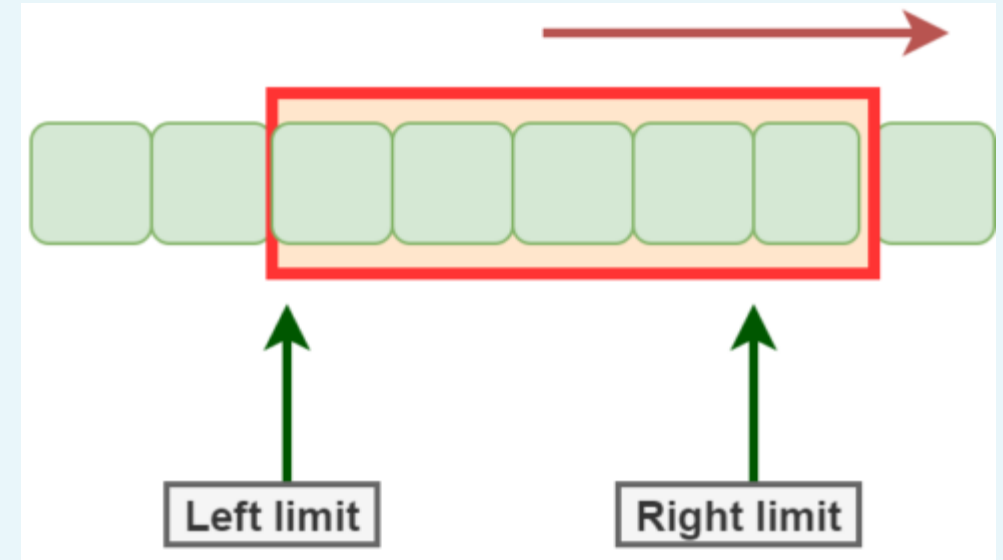


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Sliding Window Protocols

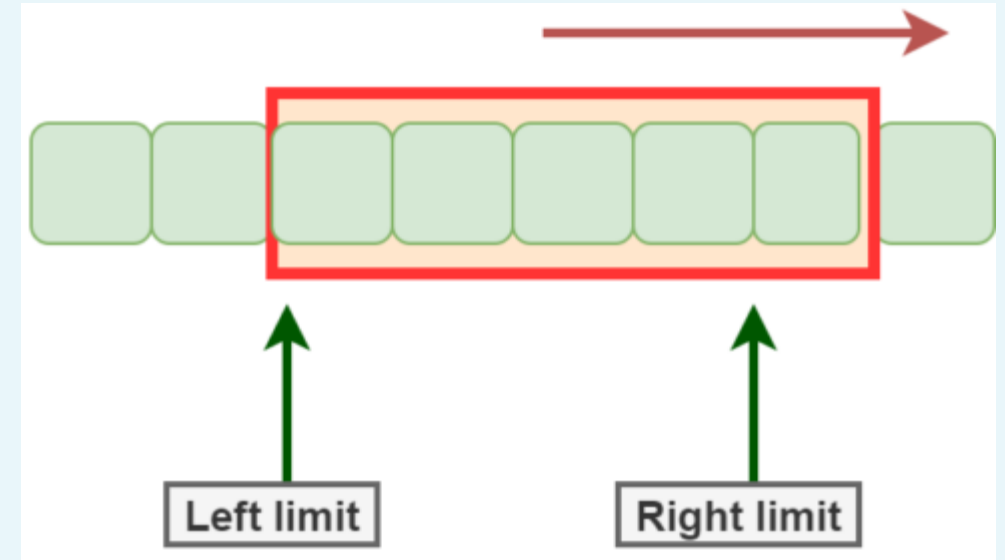
- Two leaves:
 - ✓ Front and back
 - ✓ Move the same direction
 - ✓ The size of the windows from the back to the front
- For sending window:
 - ✓ Portions inside the window represent the sequence numbers of frames sent and waiting for acknowledgements
 - ✓ Portions outside the window represent the sequence numbers of frames can send.
 - ✓ The size of the window not larger than the maximum size of the window



Error Control

Sliding Window Protocols

- For receiving window:
 - ✓ the positions inside its sliding window represent the sequence numbers of frame the receiver permitted to receive
- Maximum size of a sliding window represents the size of buffer for storing temporarily received frames before processing them
- Supposing that the receiver has a buffer of 4 frame sizes, then the maximum size of the sliding window will be 4.

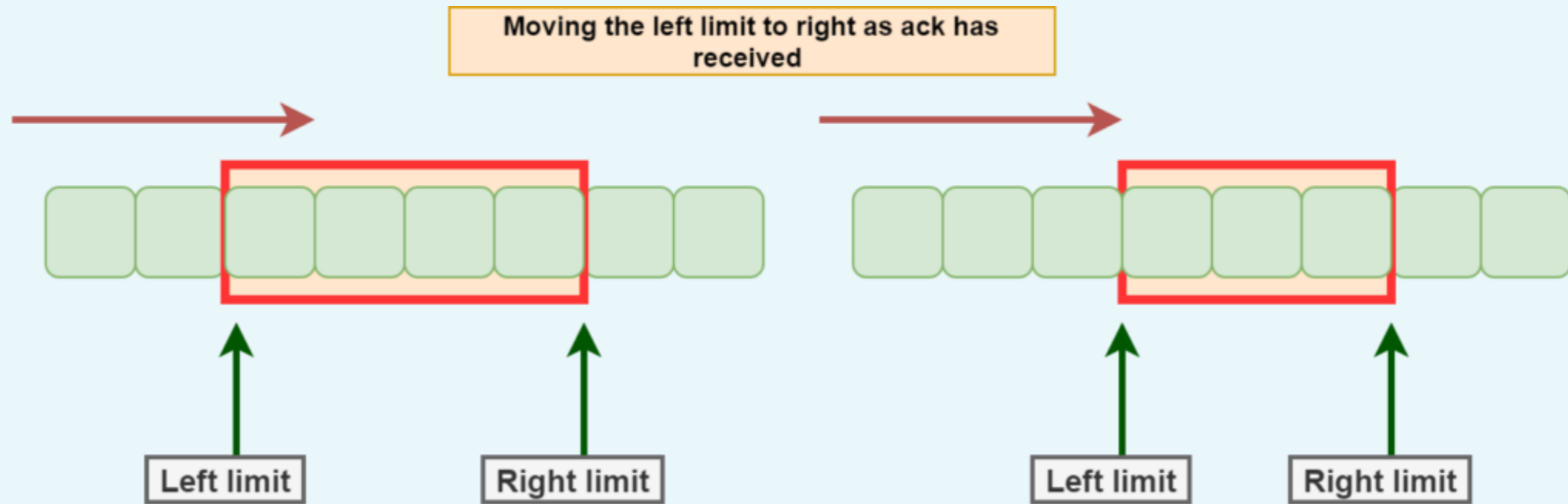




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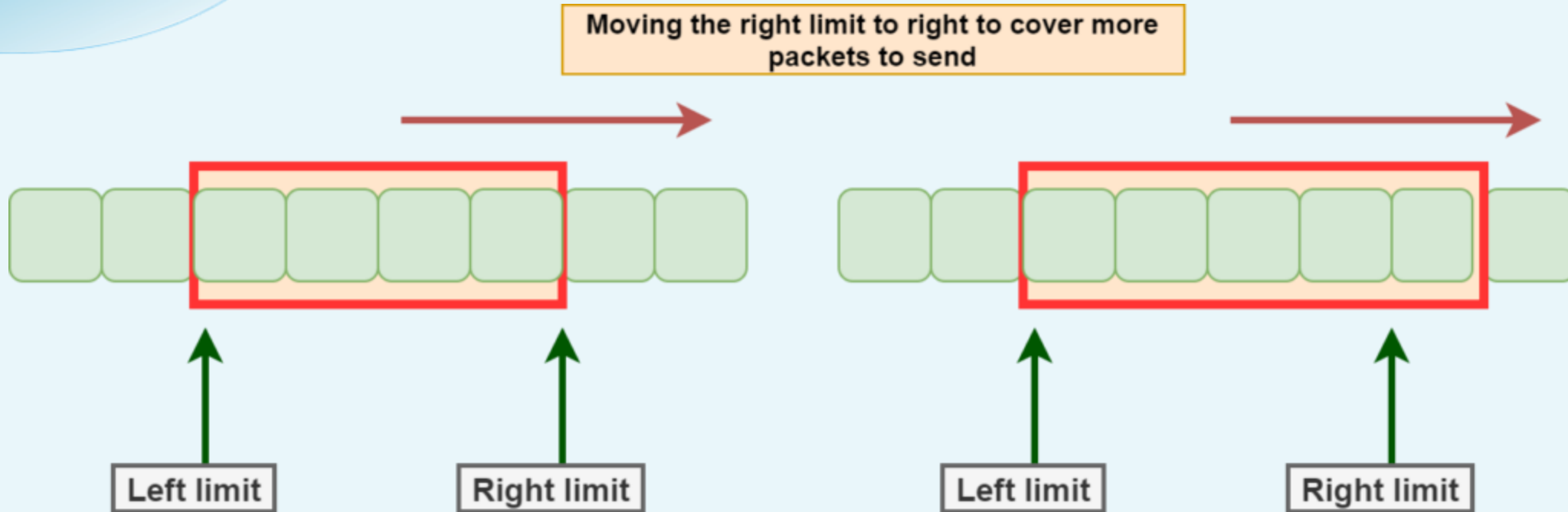
Sliding Window Protocols





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Sliding Window Protocols



- The smallest size is 0
- The largest size is $2^k - 1$: k is number of bits for sequence number



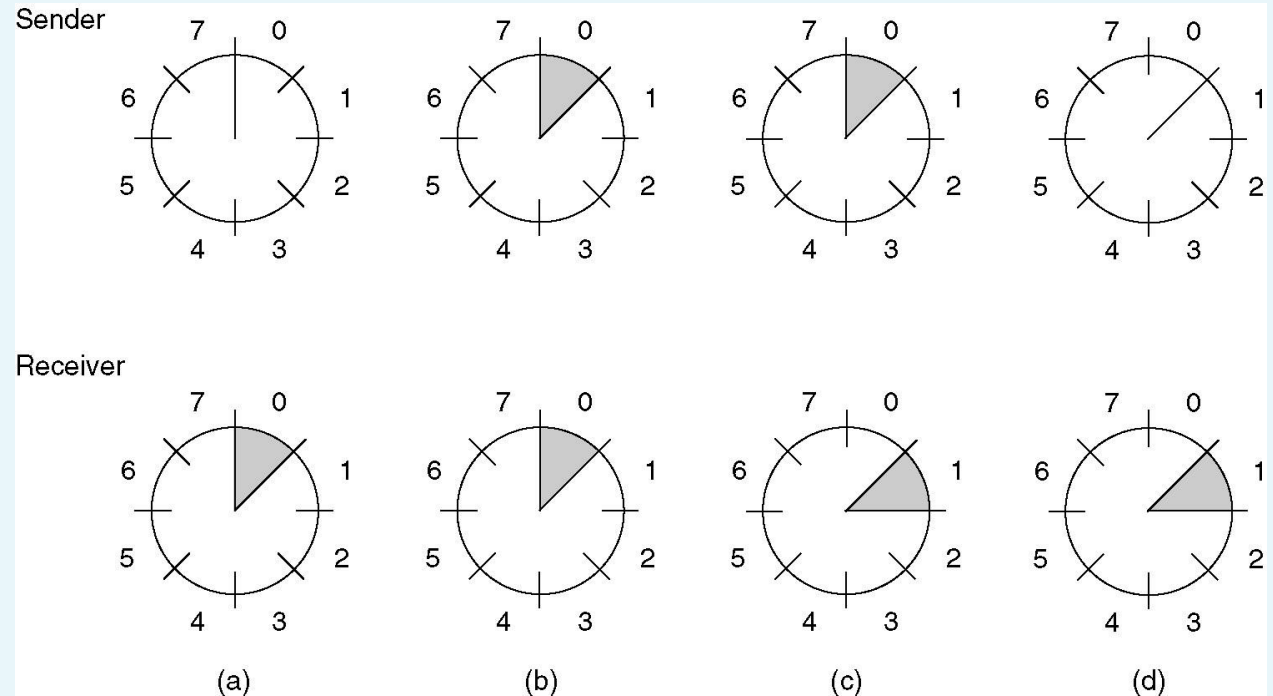
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Sliding Window Protocols

A sliding window of size 1, with a 3-bit sequence number.

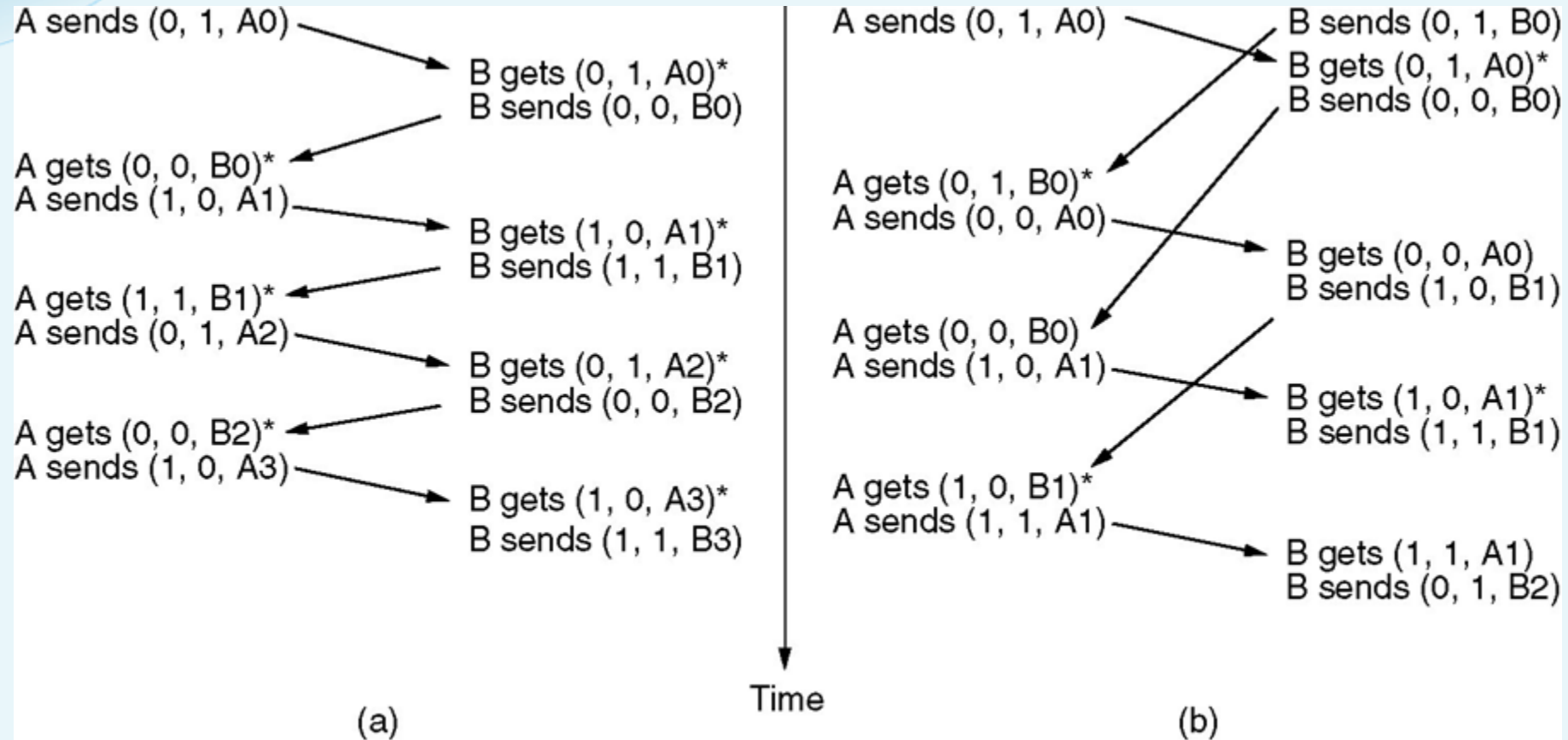
- (a) Initially.
- (b) After the first frame has been sent.
- (c) After the first frame has been received.
- (d) After the first acknowledgement has been received.





Error Control

Sliding Window Protocols



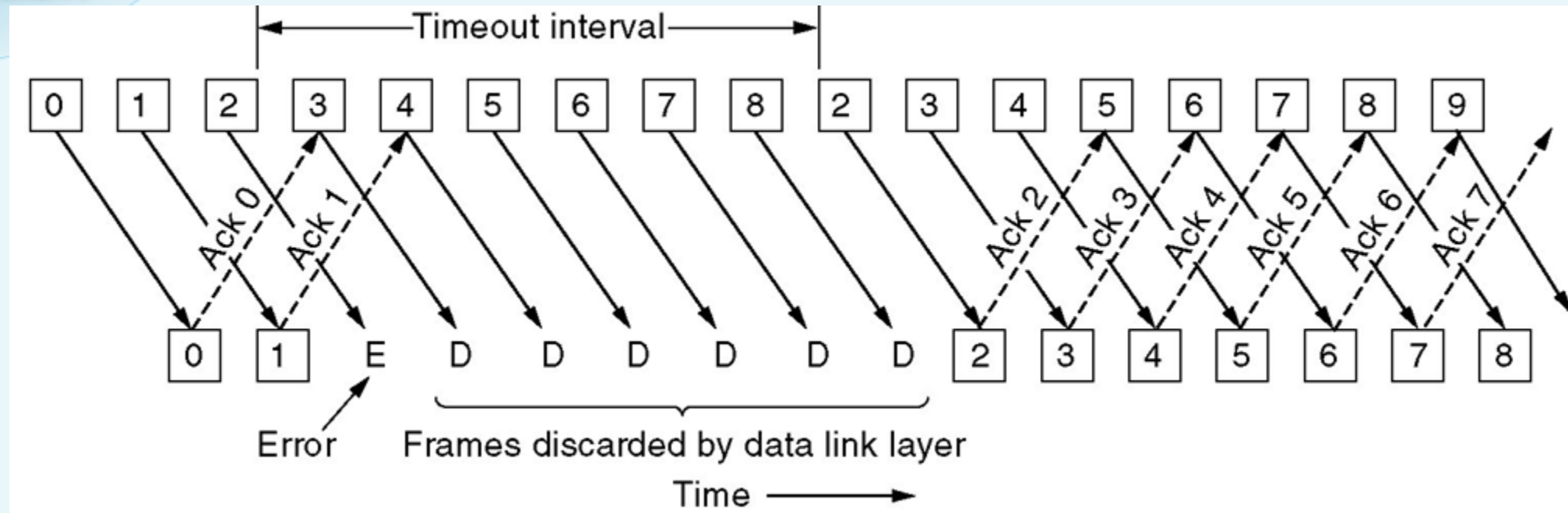
The notation is (seq, ack, packet number).

An asterisk indicates where a network layer accepts a packet.



Error Control

Sliding Window Protocols: Go Back N

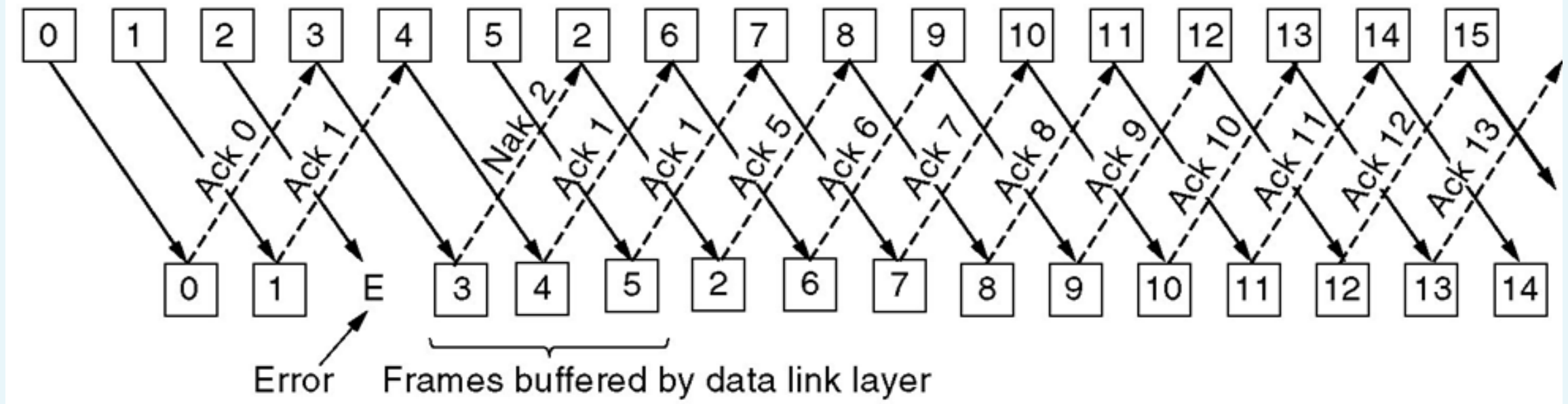


- When a receiver receives an error frame it discards the frame.
- Because there is no acknowledgement frame for the error frame:
 - ✓ A time-out event for this error frame
 - ✓ The sender resends the error frame and all the following frames



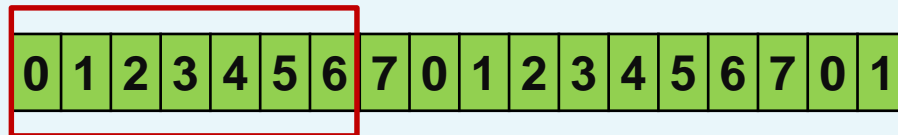
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Sliding Window Protocols: **Selective Repeat**



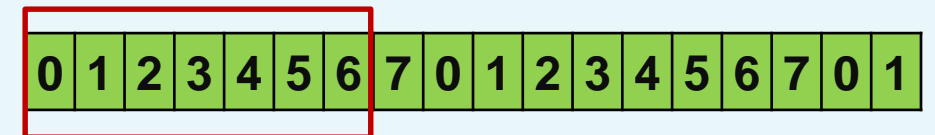
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 - ✓ The frames numbered from 0-7
 - ✓ The maximum sliding window is 7

Sender



Sent and waiting for
Acknowledgement for
frames 0,1,2,3,4,5,6

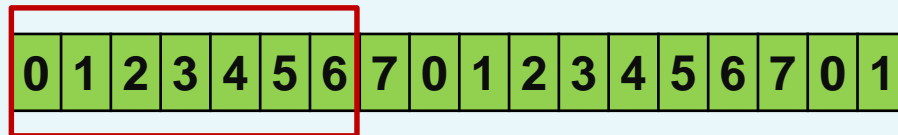
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Ready receiving frames 0,1,2,3,4,5,6

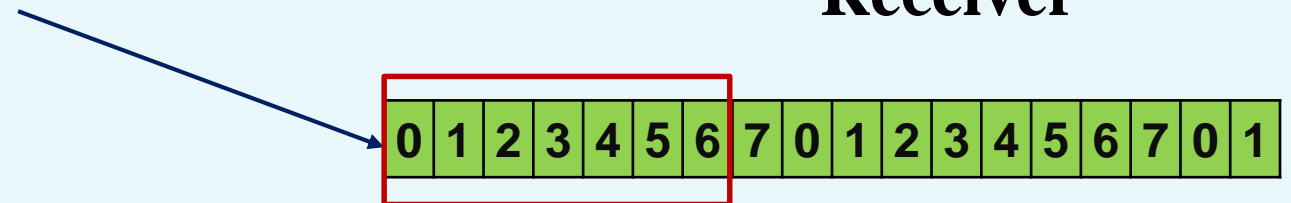
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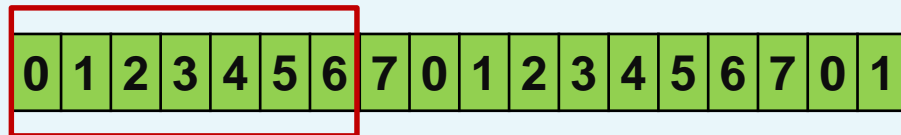
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Frames 0,1,2,3,4,5,6 received
Checking Error

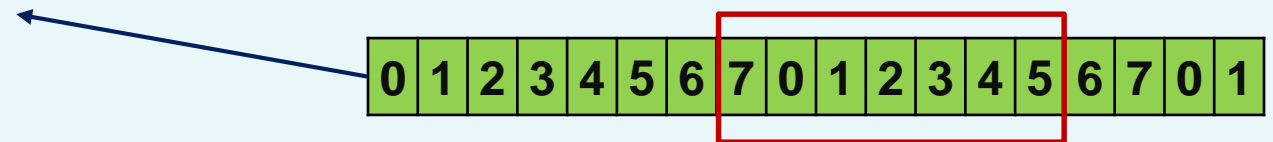
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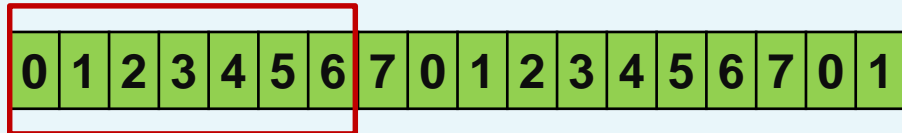
- 1) Frames 0,1,2,3,4,5,6 error-free
- 2) Sending ACK for these frames
- 3) Move the receiving windows for accept new frames



Receiver

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Sender



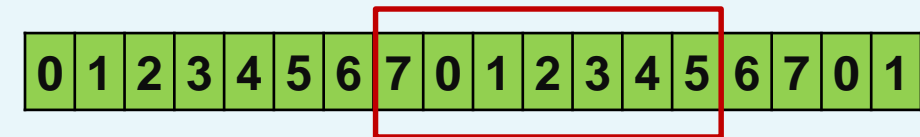
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Transmission error



ACK frame not reaches sender

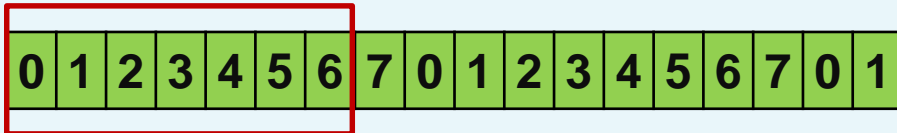
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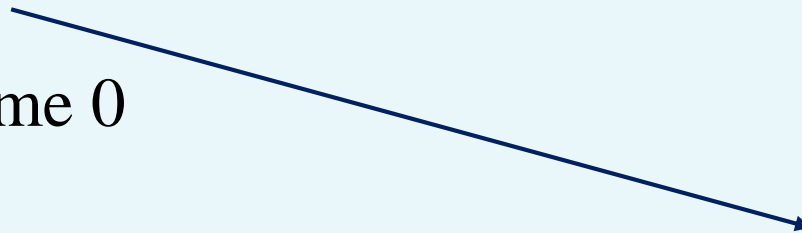
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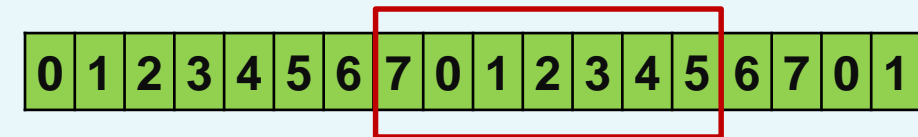
Time-out for frame 0

Resend frame 0

Waiting ACK for frames 0-6



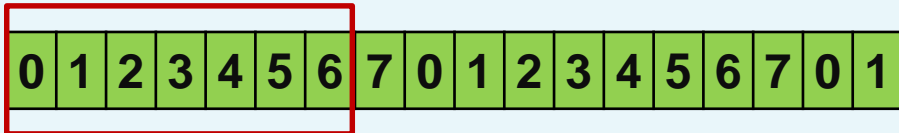
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Receiver

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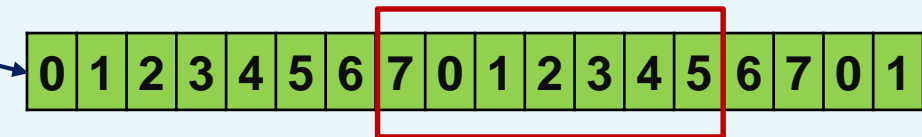
Time-out for frame 0

Resend frame 0

Waiting ACK for frames 0-6

Ready receiving Frames 7,0,1,2,3,4,5
Frame 0 arrives:

- ✓ It is in the receive window
- ✓ Receive frame 0
- ✓ Duplicate frame 0



Receiver



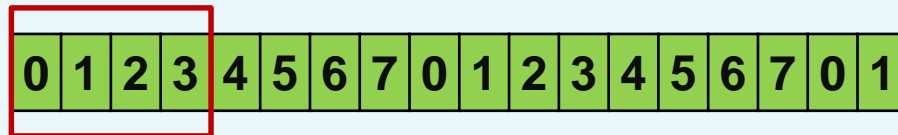
Error Control

Sliding Window Protocols: **Maximum sliding window size**

- The new receiving windows must not overlap the old
- Maximum size of sliding window just half of the frame sequence number
- Example:
 - If 3 bits used for frame sequence number then Maximum size of sliding window is $2^3/2=4$
 - If 4 bits used for frame sequence number then Maximum size of sliding window is $2^4/2=8$

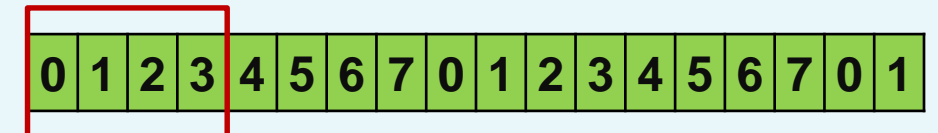
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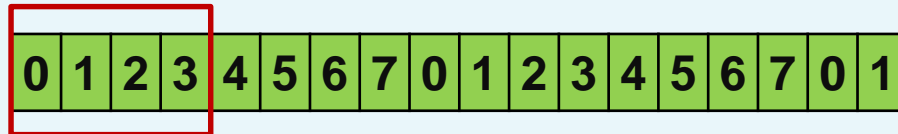
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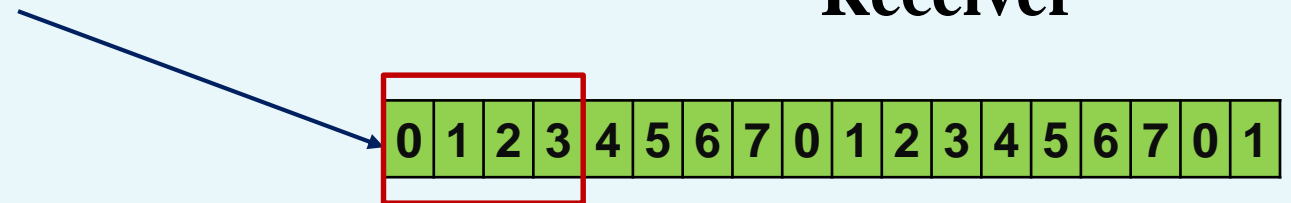
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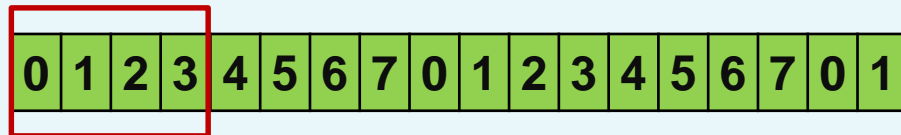
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Frames 0,1,2,3 received
Checking Error

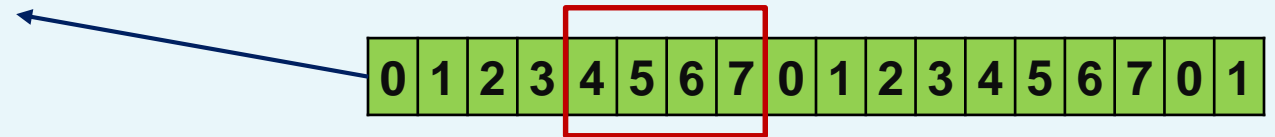
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Sender



Sent and waiting for
Acknowledgement for
frames 0,1,2,3

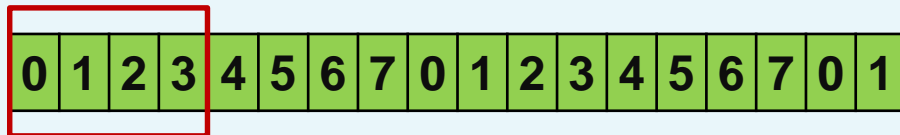
- 1) Frames 0,1,2,3 error-free
- 2) Sending ACK for these frames
- 3) Move the receiving windows for accept new frames 4,5,6,7



Receiver

- 3 bits sequence number
 - ✓ The frames numbered from 0-7
 - ✓ The maximum sliding window is 4

Sender



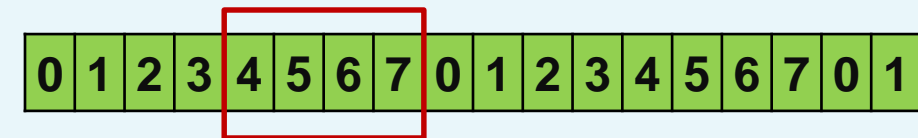
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Transmission error



ACK frame not reaches sender

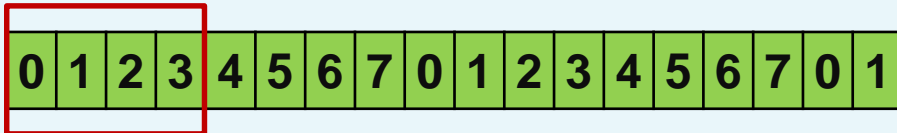
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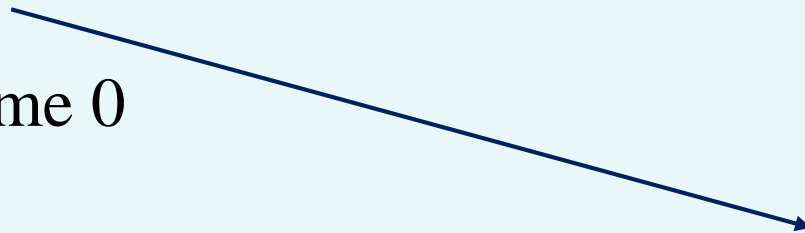
Sender



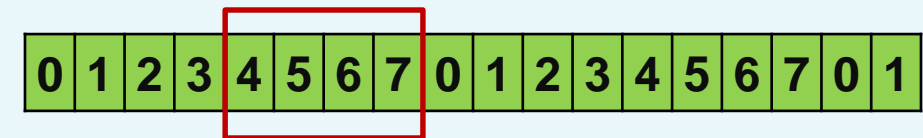
Time-out for frame 0

Resend frame 0

Waiting ACK for frames 0-3



Ready receiving Frames 4,5,5,6



Receiver



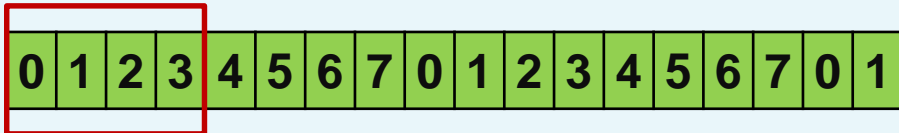
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Error Control

Sliding Window Protocols: **Maximum sliding window size**

- 3 bits sequence number
 - ✓ The frames numbered from 0-7
 - ✓ The maximum sliding window is

Sender



Time-out for frame 0

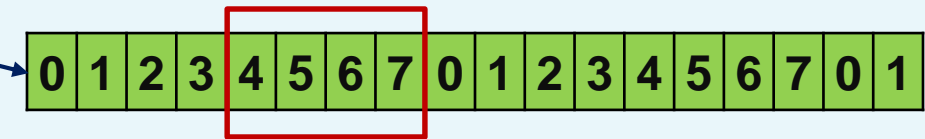
Resend frame 0

Waiting ACK for frames 0-3

Ready receiving Frames 4,5,6,7

Frame 0 arrives:

- ✓ It is not in the receive window
- ✓ Discard it



Receiver



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Error Control

Sliding Window Protocols: **the size off the buffer**

- Size of buffer is just equal to the maximum size of receiving window.
- Example: If 3 bits used for the sequence number of frames (from 0 to 7):
 - ✓ The maximum size of receiving window is $2^3/2 = 4$
 - ✓ The size of the buffer is also 4



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Error Control

Sliding Window Protocols: Time to send acknowledgement frames

- Piggy-back: Attach acknowledgement into data frame
- In case the receiver has no data to send back to the sender
 - ✓ Start a timer for each received frame
 - ✓ Time-out event occurs, send an acknowledgement frame



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Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control

- A transmission protocol used at the data link layer (layer 2) of the OSI model
- HDLC protocol embeds information in a data frame that allows devices to control data flow and correct errors.
- HDLC is an ISO standard developed from the Synchronous Data Link Control (SDLC) standard proposed by IBM in the 1970's.
- HDLC is a bit oriented protocol that supports both half-duplex and full-duplex communication over point to point & multipoint link.



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Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Station Types**

- For any **HDLC communications session**, one station is designated primary and the other secondary
- Primary station
 - ✓ Control connection links
 - ✓ Send frames as commands
 - ✓ Maintain many logical links to secondary station
- Secondary station
 - ✓ Controlled by primary station
 - ✓ Send frames as responses to correspondent commands
- Combined station
 - ✓ Play both roles of Primary station and Secondary station
 - ✓ Can send commands or responses



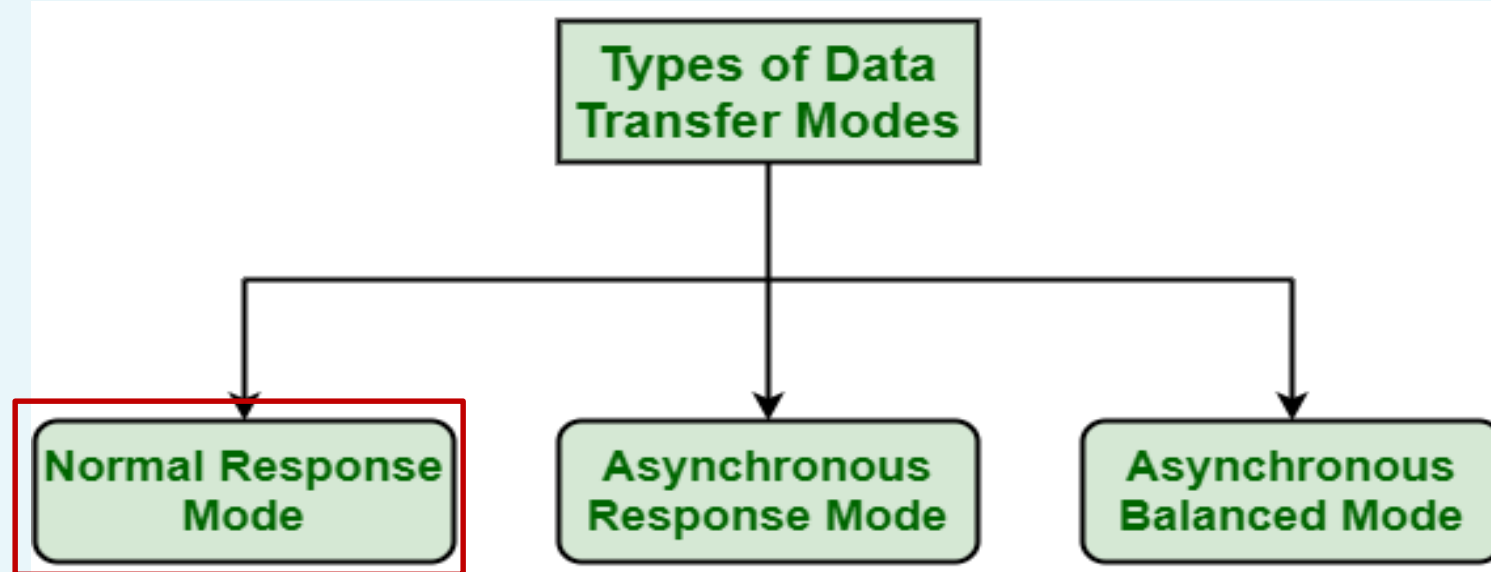
Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Link Configuration**

- Unbalanced configuration
 - ✓ One Primary station and one or many secondary stations
 - ✓ Support full duplex and half duplex
- Balanced configuration
 - ✓ Two combined stations
 - ✓ Support full duplex and half duplex

Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Transfer Modes**



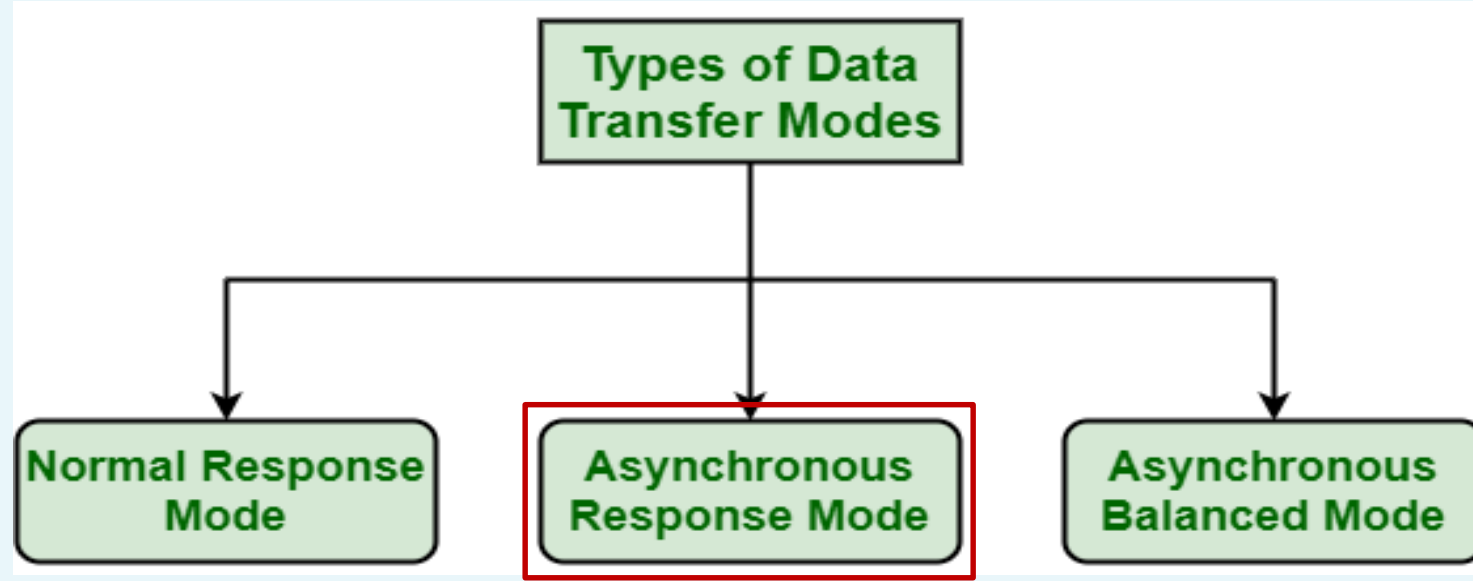
- Use unbalanced configuration
- Primary station initializes a data transmission to a secondary station
- A secondary station can only transfer data in form of the responses to the requests of primary station



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Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Transfer Modes**



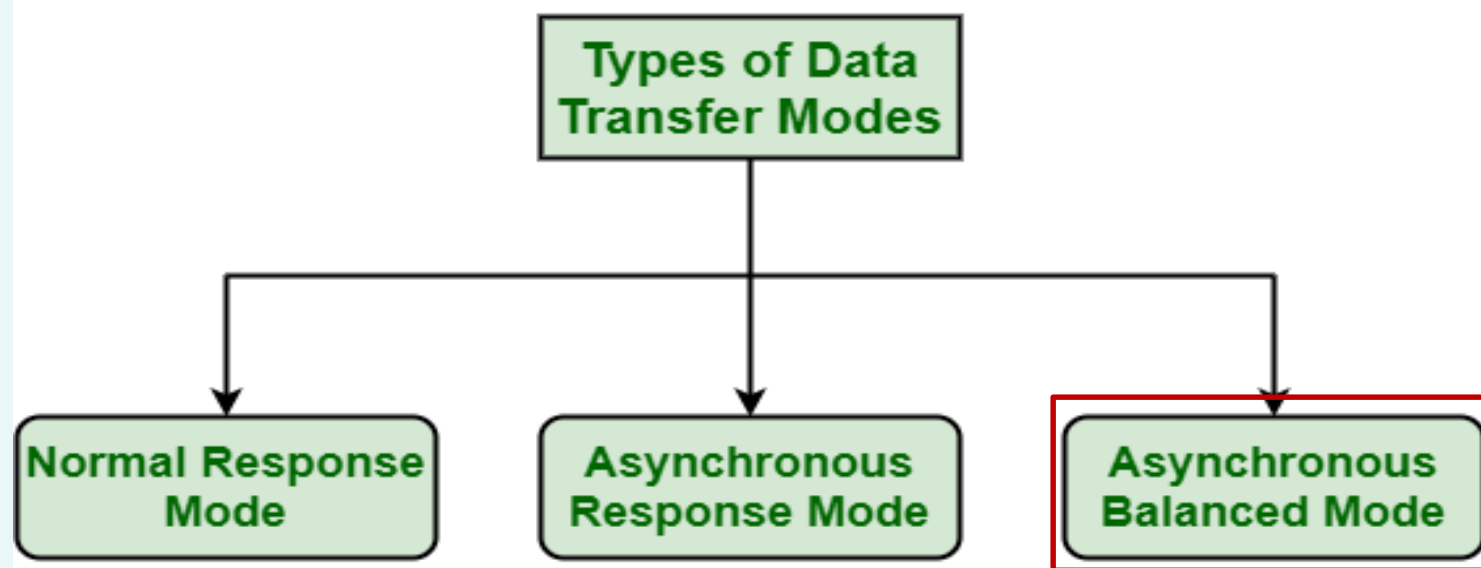
- Use balanced configuration
- All stations can initialize a data transmission without a permission from a primary station
- Used popularly



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Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Transfer Modes**



- Use unbalanced configuration
- Secondary can initialize a data transmission without a permission from a primary
- Primary maintains connections
- Used rarely



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Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Frame structure**

Bits	8	8	8	≥ 0	16	8
	0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0	Address	Control	Data	Checksum	0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0

- Synchronous transmission
- One frame structure for both data and control

Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Frame structure**

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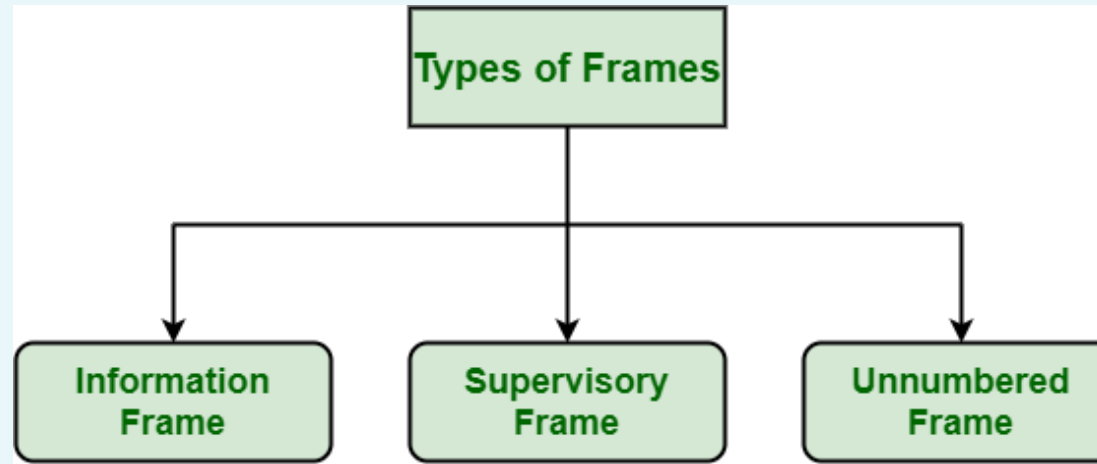
- One frame structure for both data and control
- **Flag (8 bit):** 01111110 , uses bit stuffing technique
- **Address (8 bit):** Address of secondary station permitted to transfer or receive frames
- **Control (8bit):** Type of frames
- **Data (128-1024 bytes):** Data to transfer
- **FCS (Frame Check Sequence- 16 bit):** $\text{CRC-CCITT} = X^{16} + X^{12} + X^5 + 1$



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Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Types of Frames**



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I: Information	0	N (S)			P/F	N (R)		
S: Supervisory	1	0	S		P/F	N (R)		
U: Unnumbered	1	1	M		P/F	M		

N (S): Send Sequence Number

S: Supervisory Function Bits

N (R): Receive Sequence Number

M: Unnumbered Function Bits

P/F: Poll/Final Bit



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Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Types of Frames**

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S: Supervisory	1	0	S		P/F	N (R)		
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N (S): Send Sequence Number S: Supervisory Function Bits N (R): Receive Sequence Number

M: Unnumbered Function Bits P/F: Poll/Final Bit

Poll/Final Bit:

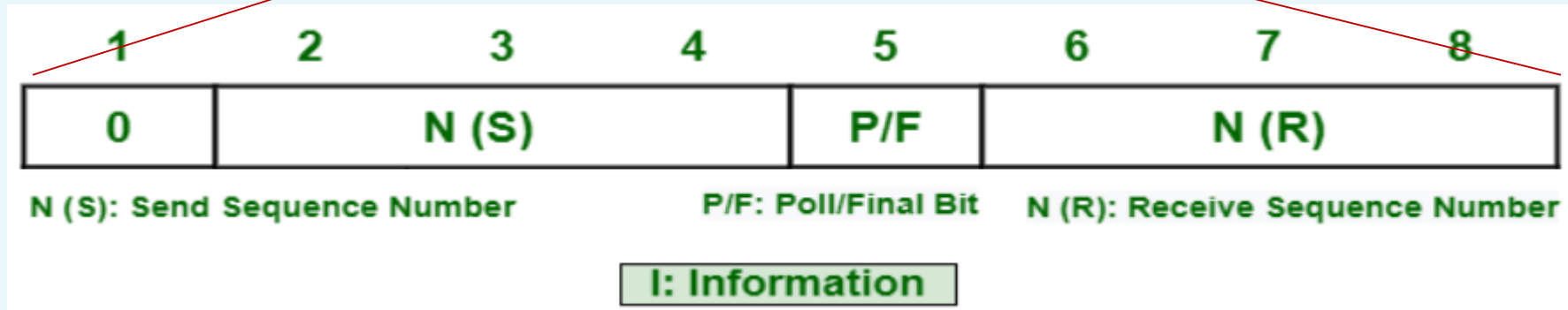
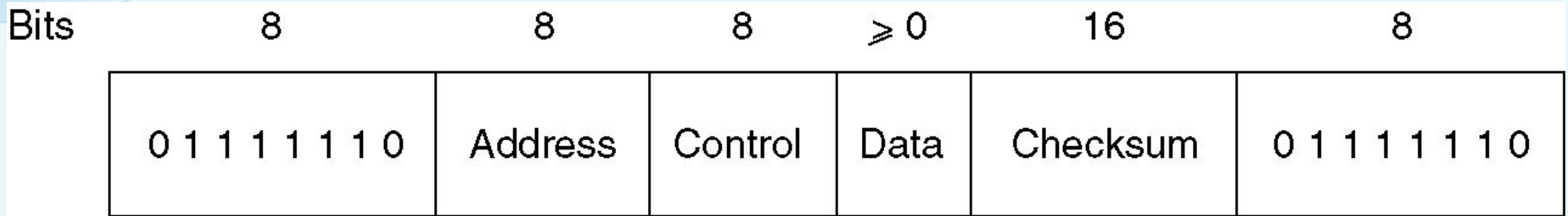
- Frame sent by a primary station to secondary: Poll
- Frame sent by secondary to a primary: Final



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Example Data Link Protocols

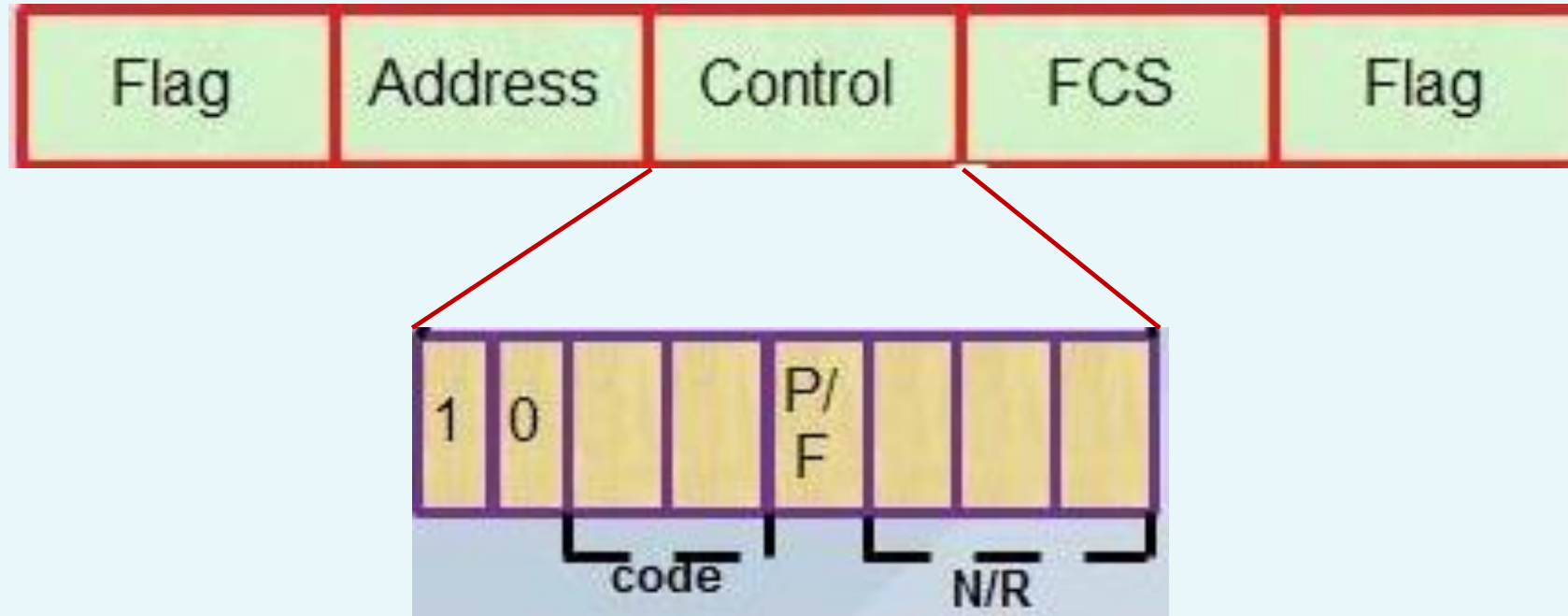
High Level Data Link Control: **Types of Frames**



- I-frames carry user's data and acknowledgement about user's data.

Example Data Link Protocols

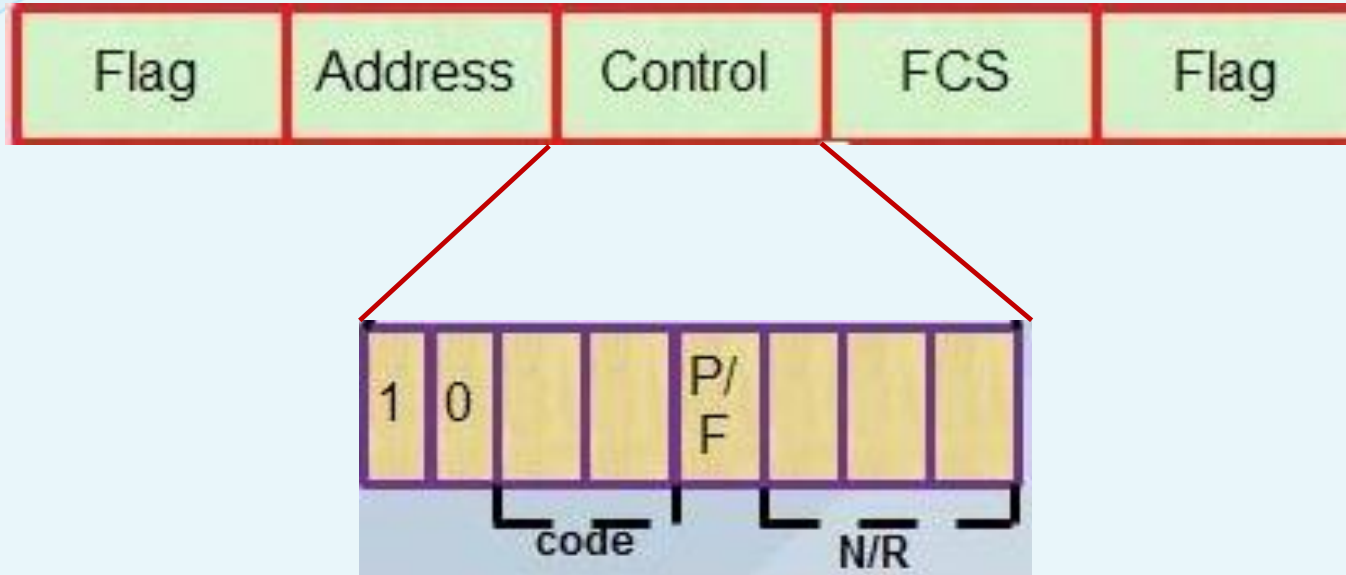
High Level Data Link Control: **Types of Frames**



- S-frame carries control information, primarily data link layer flow and error controls
- There is no N(S) field in control field of S-frame as S-frames do not transmit data.

Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Types of Frames**



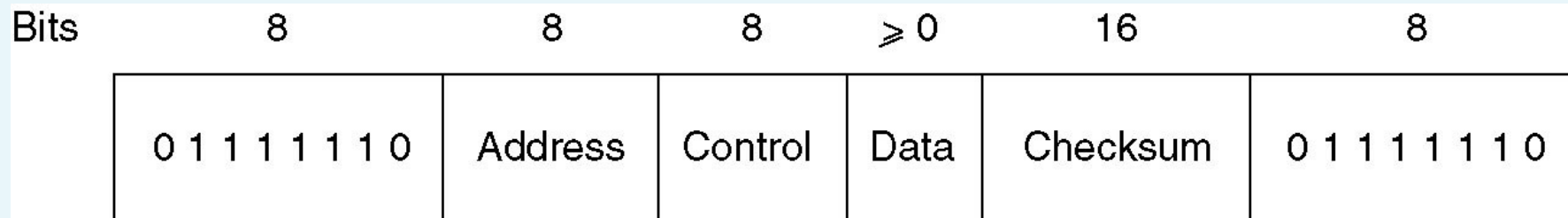
Types of S-frame

Code	Command
00	RR Receive Ready
01	REJ Reject
10	RNR Receive Not Ready
11	SREJ Selective Reject

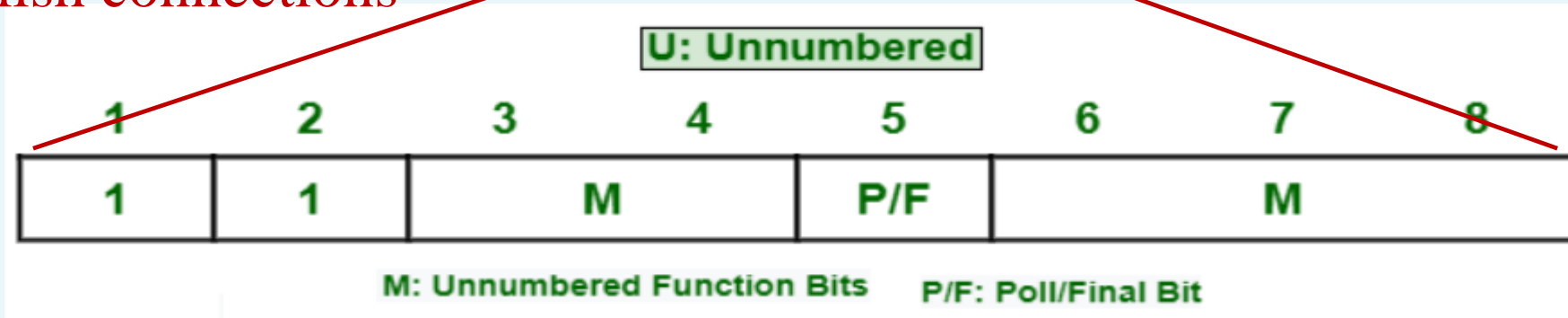
- RR: Acknowledge frames when no I-frames available to piggyback the ACK
- REJ: Send a NAK when error has occurred.
- RNR: not ready to receive frame N(R)
- SREJ: request to retransmit the frame indicated in the N(R) subfield.

Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Types of Frames**



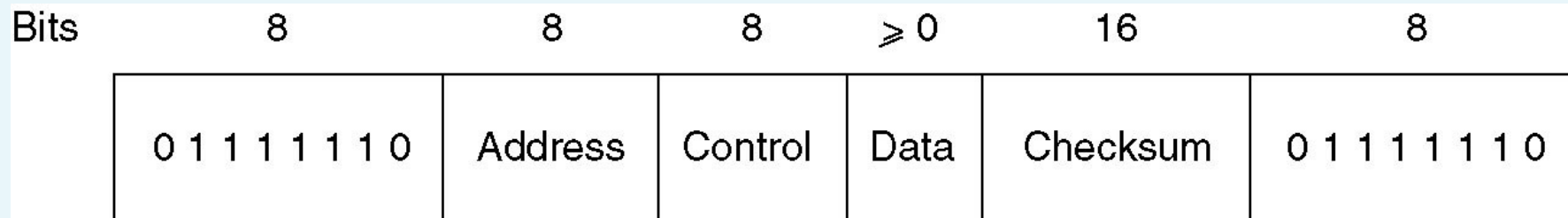
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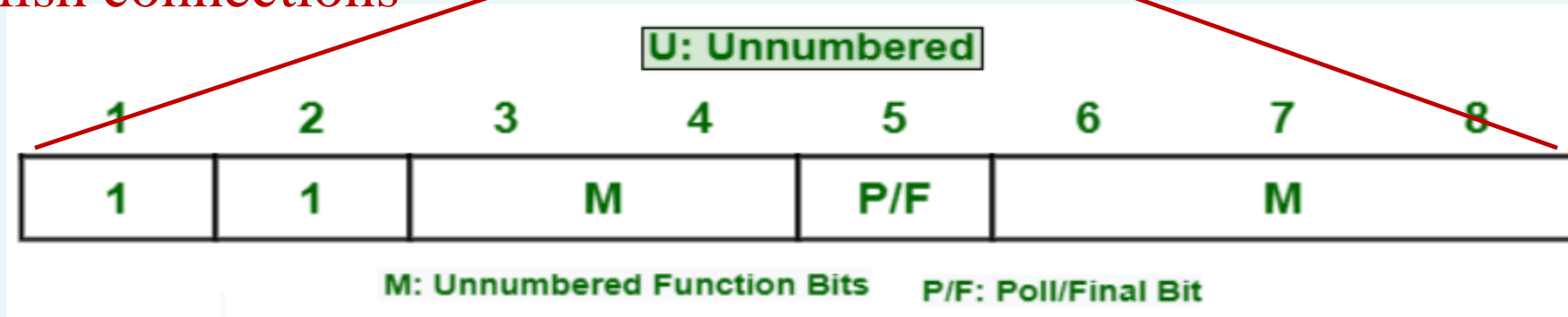
- 1111P100: Setup connection in Balanced mode (Set Asynchronous Balanced Mode)
- 1100P001: setup connection in Normal response mode (Set Normal Response Mode)
- 1111P000: setup connection in Asynchronous response mode (Set Asynchronous Response Mode)

Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: Types of Frames



Used to establish connections



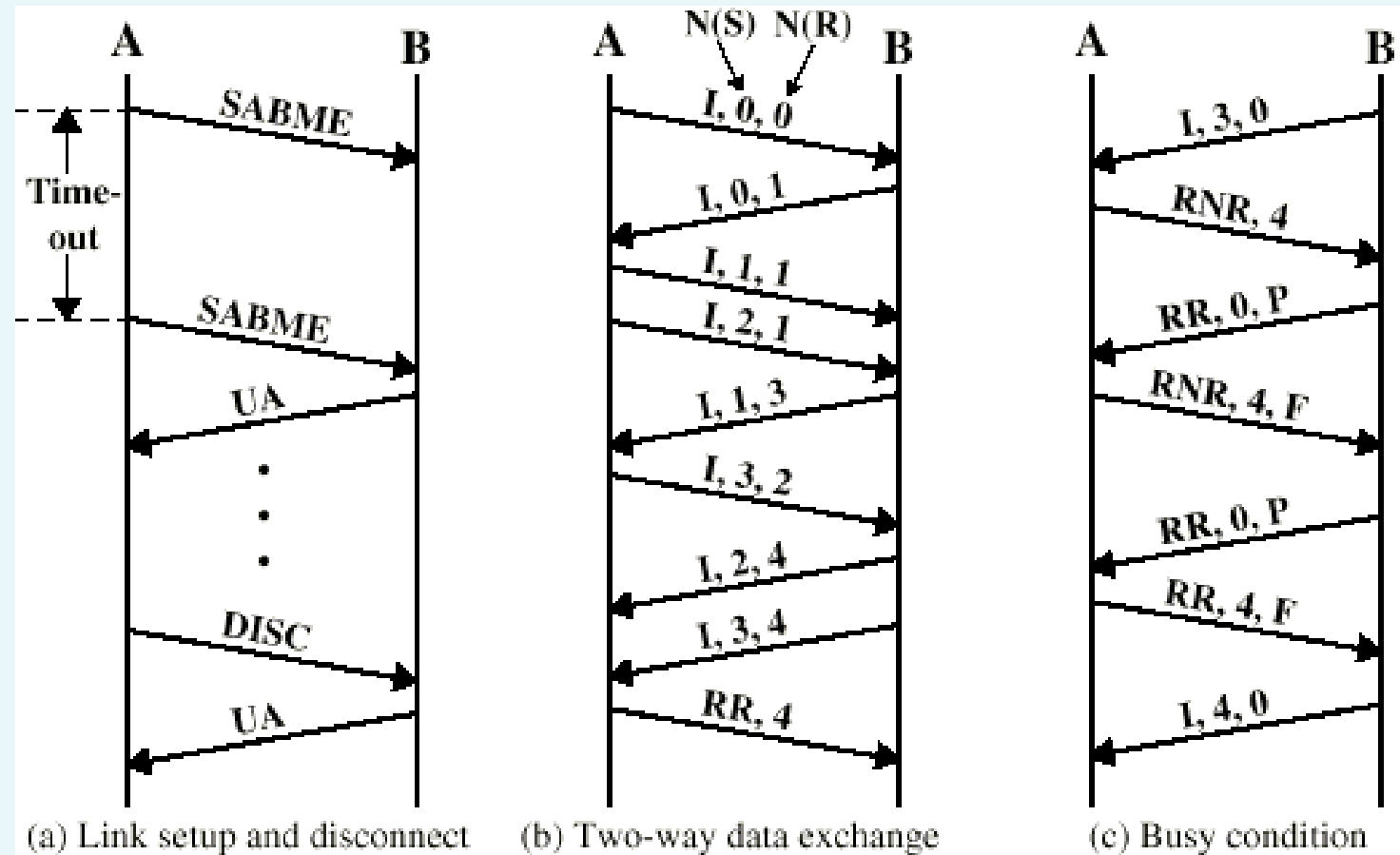
- 1100P010: requests to release a connection (DISC - Disconnect)
- 1100F110: Accepted all above U commands (UA - Unnumbered Acknowledgment)
- 1100F001: doesn't accept a well-received command (CMDR/FRMR - Command Reject/Frame Reject)



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Example Data Link Protocols

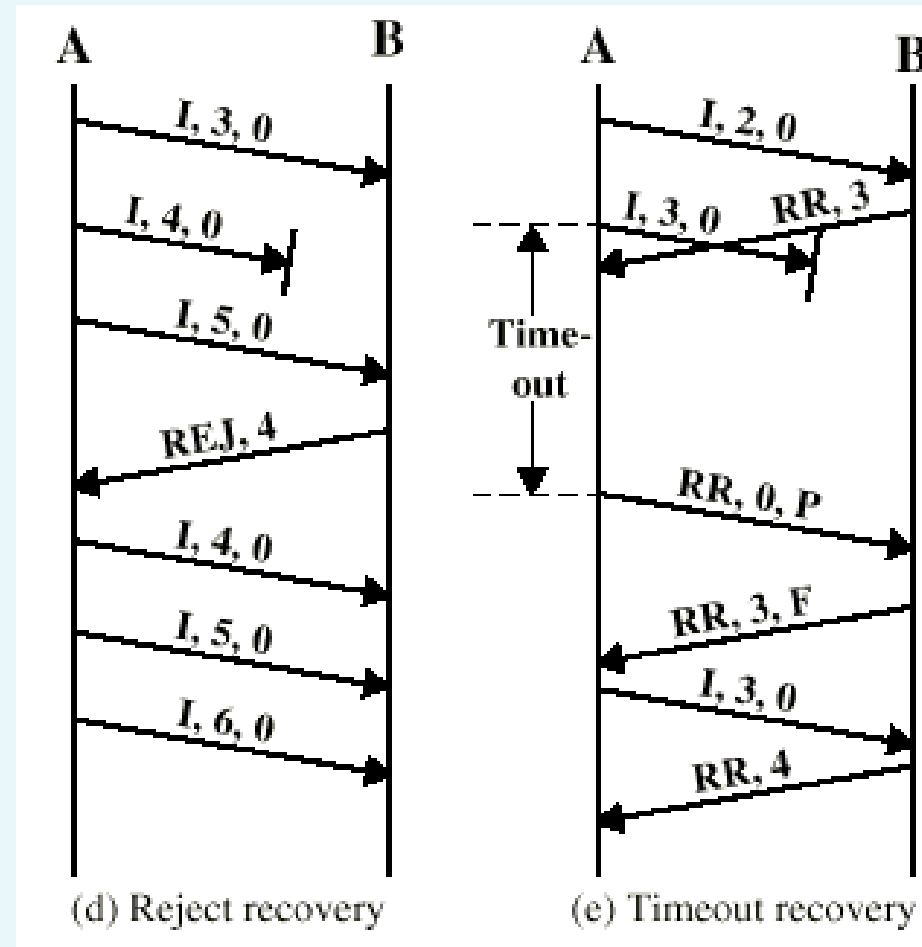
High Level Data Link Control: **Scenarios**





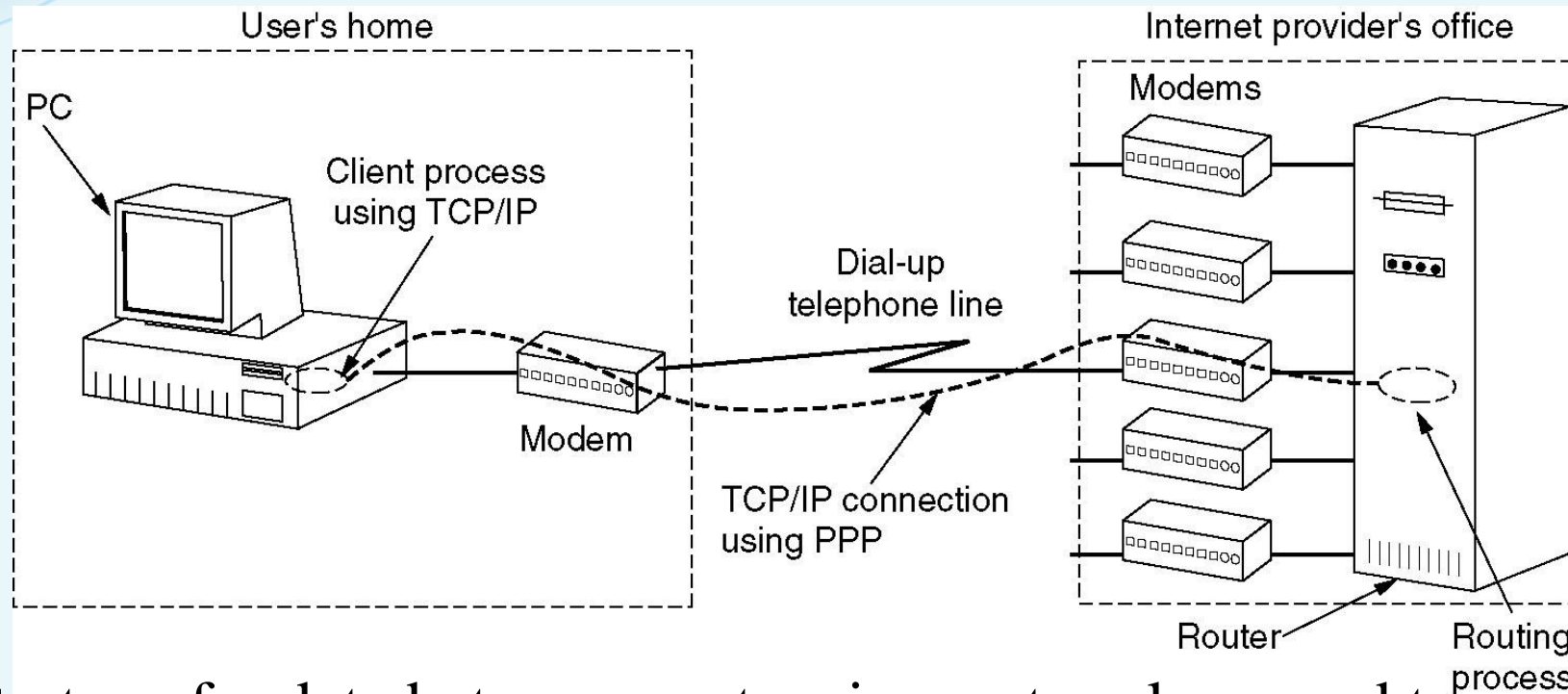
Example Data Link Protocols

High Level Data Link Control: **Scenarios**



Example Data Link Protocols

PPP – Point to Point Protocol

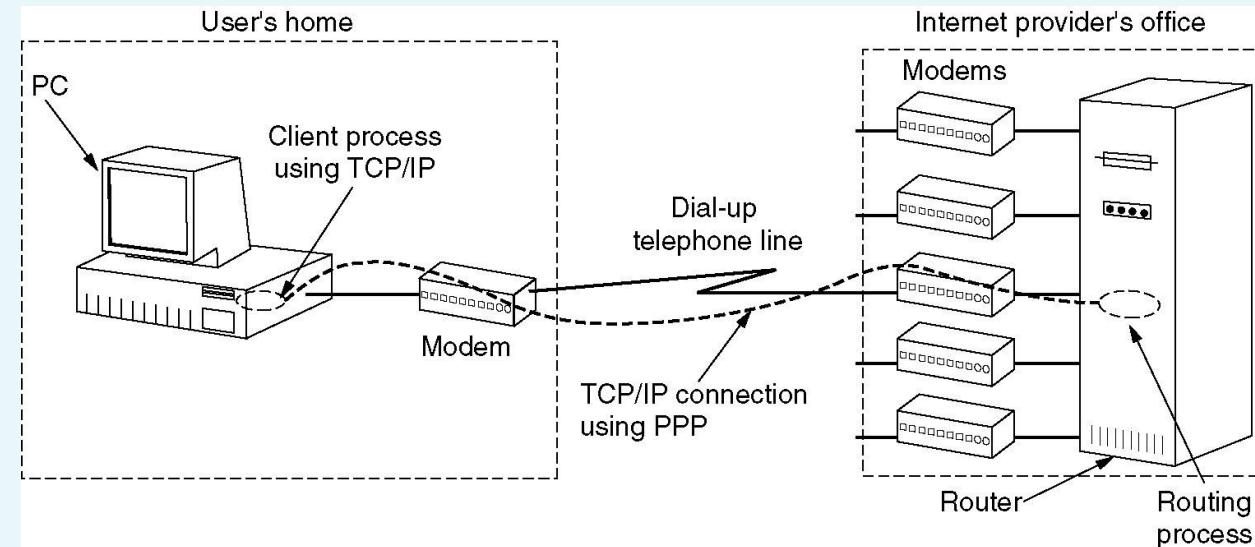


- Used to transfer data between routers in a network or used to connect user's home machine to a network of a Internet Service Provider (ISP)
- LCP (Link Control Protocol).
- NCP (Network Control Protocol): choose network protocol used by network layer

Example Data Link Protocols

PPP – Point to Point Protocol

- LCP (Link Control Protocol):
 - ✓ Establishing the link between two devices
 - ✓ Maintaining this established link
 - ✓ Configuring this link
 - ✓ Terminating this link after the transfer
- NCP (Network Control Protocol): negotiating the parameters and facilities for the network layer. Examples:
 - ✓ **Internet Protocol Control Protocol (IPCP)**: establishes and configures Internet Protocol (IP) over a PPP link.
 - ✓ **IPv6 Control Protocol (IPV6CP)**: configures the IPv6 addresses



Example Data Link Protocols

PPP – Point to Point Protocol

Bytes	1	1	1	1 or 2	Variable	2 or 4	1
	Flag 01111110	Address 11111111	Control 00000011	Protocol	<div>}}</div> Payload <div>}}</div>	Checksum	Flag 01111110

- **Address field:** always 11111111 (the broadcast address *i.e.* all the stations accept this frame)
- **Control field:** Uses the format of the U-frame (unnumbered) in HDLC
- **Protocol field:** specify the kind of packet in the data field
- **Data field:** It carries user data or other information.
- **FCS field:** The frame checks sequence.



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