

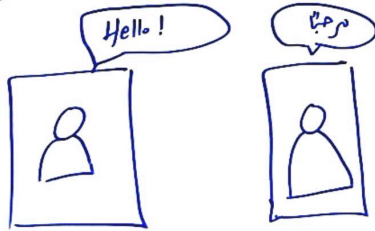
RJ-45

Registered Jack 45

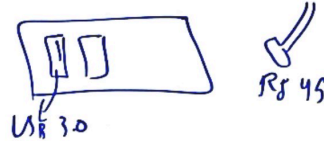
physical [e.g. connectors]

Ethernet: a collection of network protocols / standards → logical [e.g. IP]

→ why do we need network protocols



⇒ They can't understand each other



⇒ Sorry cable doesn't fit

Bit $\rightarrow 0$
1

Byte \Rightarrow series of 8 bits

Speed is measured in Bits

GB = 866

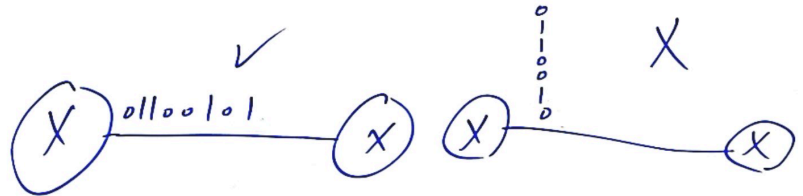
Giga Byte \uparrow Giga bit

1 Kilo bit = 2,000 bits

1 Mb = 2,000,000 bits

1 Gb = 2,000,000,000 bits

1 Tb = 2,000,000,000,000 bits



Ethernet standards

Defined in IEEE 802.3 standard in 1983

[Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers]

Copper Standards

Speed	Common Name	IEEE standard	Informal name	Maximum length
10 Mbps	Ethernet	802.3i	^{speed} 10 Base-T	100 m
100 Mbps	Fast Ethernet	802.3u	100 Base-T ↳ Baseband signaling	100 m
1 Gbps	Gigabit Ethernet	802.3ab	1000 Base-T ↳ Twisted Pair Cabling	100 m
10 Gbps	10 Gig Ethernet	802.3an	10G Base-T	100 m

Copper cables \Rightarrow UTP Cables

Unshielded

Twisted Pair

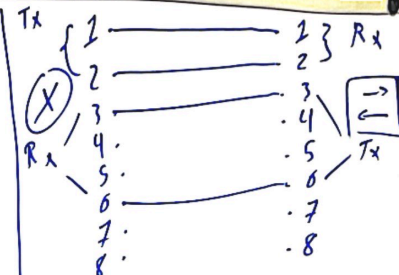
- \rightarrow No metallic shield
- \rightarrow Vulnerable to Electromagnetic Interference

\hookrightarrow Every 2 wires are twisted together to protect against EMI
* 4 Pairs

RJ-45 \Rightarrow 8 Pins

20 Base-T = 2 Pairs = 4 wires
100 Base-T

1000 Base-T
10G Base-T = 4 Pairs = 8 wires

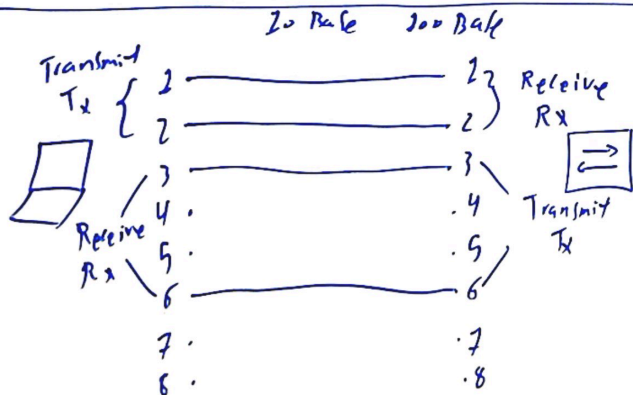


Straight through cable
 \hookrightarrow Each pin number connects to same pin on the other end

PC \times Switch \checkmark

Switch \times Router \checkmark

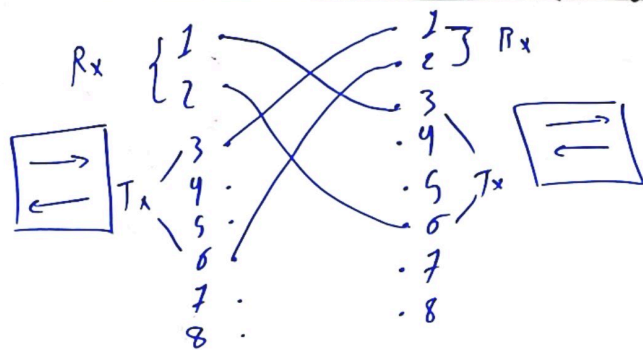
PC \times PC \times



Full Duplex

\hookrightarrow both devices

Can send & Receive at same time



Crossover Cable
 ↳ The wires are crossed over

The only different \Rightarrow



Tx	Rx
1,2	3,6
1,2	3,6
1,2	3,6
3,6	3,2

Auto MDI-X
 ↳ Allows devices to auto detect which pins their neighbouring device transmit data in to then adjust which pins they can transmit or receive data

1000 Base-T 10 GB Base-T
 Each Pair is Bidirectional

Pairs are :

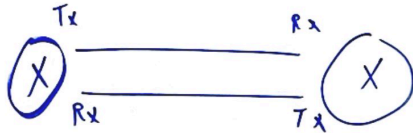
1,2 \Rightarrow Send & Receive
 3,6 \Rightarrow
 4,5 \Rightarrow
 7,8 \Rightarrow

Fiber optic Connections

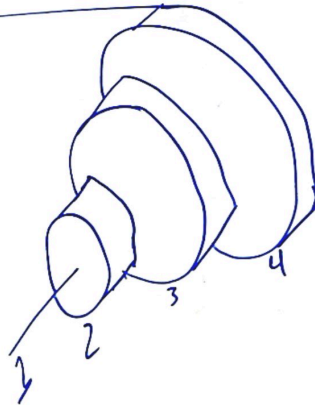
SFP Transceiver : connect fiber optic cables
Small Form-factor Pluggable

* Fiber optic Send Light over Glass fiber

* there are 2 connectors on each end
Transmit Receive



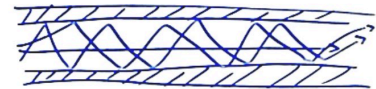
1. Fiber Glass Core itself
2. Cladding to reflect light
3. Protective buffer
4. outer Jacket of the cable



Single mode



multi mode



Multi mode

* Core diameter is wider

* Allows multiple angles (modes) of light

* UTP < Multi mode < Single mode
↳ in terms of maximum length

* Cheaper than single mode => later based
↳ LED-based SFP transmitters

Speed	Cable Type	IEEE Standard	Informal Name	Maximum Length
1 Gbps	Single / Multi	802.3z	1000 Base-LX	550 m Multi 5 km Single
10 Gbps	Multi	802.3ae	10 G Base-SR	400 m
10 Gbps	Single	802.3ae	10 G Base-LR	20 km
10 Gbps	Single	802.3ae	10 G Base-ER	30 km

on the back of the switch you see this:

10/100/1000 Base-T Port (24) - Ports are Auto-MDIX

- ↳ accepts 10 Base-T, 100 Base-T, 1000 Base-T
- ↳ RJ-45 only
- ↳ 24 ports
- ↳ can be connected straight forward even with another switch