

# Τεχνολογίες Διαδικτύου 2025-26 (DIT 315)

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# Διάρθρωση μαθήματος

- Διαλέξεις:
  - Θεωρία
  - Knowledge checks
  - Interactive exercises

# Διάρθρωση μαθήματος

- **Τελική εξέταση:**

- Quiz 20 ερωτήσεων (70%)
- Εργασία παρουσίασης ερευνητικών εργασιών στο state of the art των Τεχνολογιών Διαδικτύου (30%) → οδηγίες σε ξεχωριστό pdf
- Ποσοστό επιτυχίας: > 80%
- M.O. ~7.0-7.5
- Ύλη & Πλάνο εξετάσεων

- **Κυρίως σύγγραμμα:**

- KUROSE & ROSS, «Δικτύωση Υπολογιστών: Προσέγγιση από Πάνω προς τα Κάτω», 8η έκδοση, Εκδόσεις Γκιούρδας (Κεφάλαια 2, 6)
- KUROSE & ROSS, «Δικτύωση Υπολογιστών: Προσέγγιση από Πάνω προς τα Κάτω», 7η έκδοση, Εκδόσεις Γκιούρδας (Κεφάλαια 9)
- [https://gaia.cs.umass.edu/kurose\\_ross/index.php](https://gaia.cs.umass.edu/kurose_ross/index.php)

# Σχεδιάγραμμα μαθήματος (draft)

Διάλεξη A/A	ΠΕΡΙΕΧΟΜΕΝΟ ΔΙΑΛΕΞΗΣ	ΗΜΕΡΟΜΗΝΙΑ
2025		
1	<b>Εισαγωγή στα δίκτυα υπολογιστών και το διαδίκτυο:</b> Επίπεδα πρωτοκόλλων, ενθυλάκωση <b>Επίπεδο εφαρμογής:</b> Αρχές δικτυακών εφαρμογών, αρχιτεκτονική web	7/10
2	<b>Επίπεδο εφαρμογής:</b> πρωτόκολλα HTTP, FTP, web caching, cookies	14/10
3	<b>Επίπεδο εφαρμογής:</b> Ηλεκτρονικό ταχυδρομείο (SMTP, POP3, IMAP), υπηρεσία καταλόγου διαδικτύου (DNS)	21/10
4	<b>Επίπεδο εφαρμογής:</b> P2P διαμοιρασμός αρχείων, Διανομή αρχείων, βίντεο συνεχούς ροής και DASH, Netflix, YouTube	4/11
5	<b>Επίπεδο εφαρμογής:</b> Προγραμματισμός socket	18/11
6	<b>Δικτύωση πολυμέσων:</b> Δικτυακές εφαρμογές πολυμέσων, UDP συνεχούς ροής, HTTP συνεχούς ροής, Voice over IP	25/11
7	<b>Δικτύωση πολυμέσων:</b> SIP, RTP πρωτόκολλα, πολλαπλές κλάσεις υπηρεσίας, ενοποιημένες και διαφοροποιημένες υπηρεσίες (Diffserv, IntServ), Ποιότητα υπηρεσίας (Quality of Service - QoS), πρωτόκολλο δέσμευσης πόρων (RSVP)	2/12
8	Η ζωή μιας ιστοσελίδας (πρωτόκολλα στην «πράξη»), Wireshark	9/12
9	Επανάληψη	16/12
2026		
10	Παρουσίαση εργασιών φοιτητών 1/3	6/1
11	Παρουσίαση εργασιών φοιτητών 2/3	13/1
12	Παρουσίαση εργασιών φοιτητών 3/3 – αν χρειαστεί	20/1

*May add more!*

# Protocol “layers”

*Networks are complex,  
with many “pieces”:*

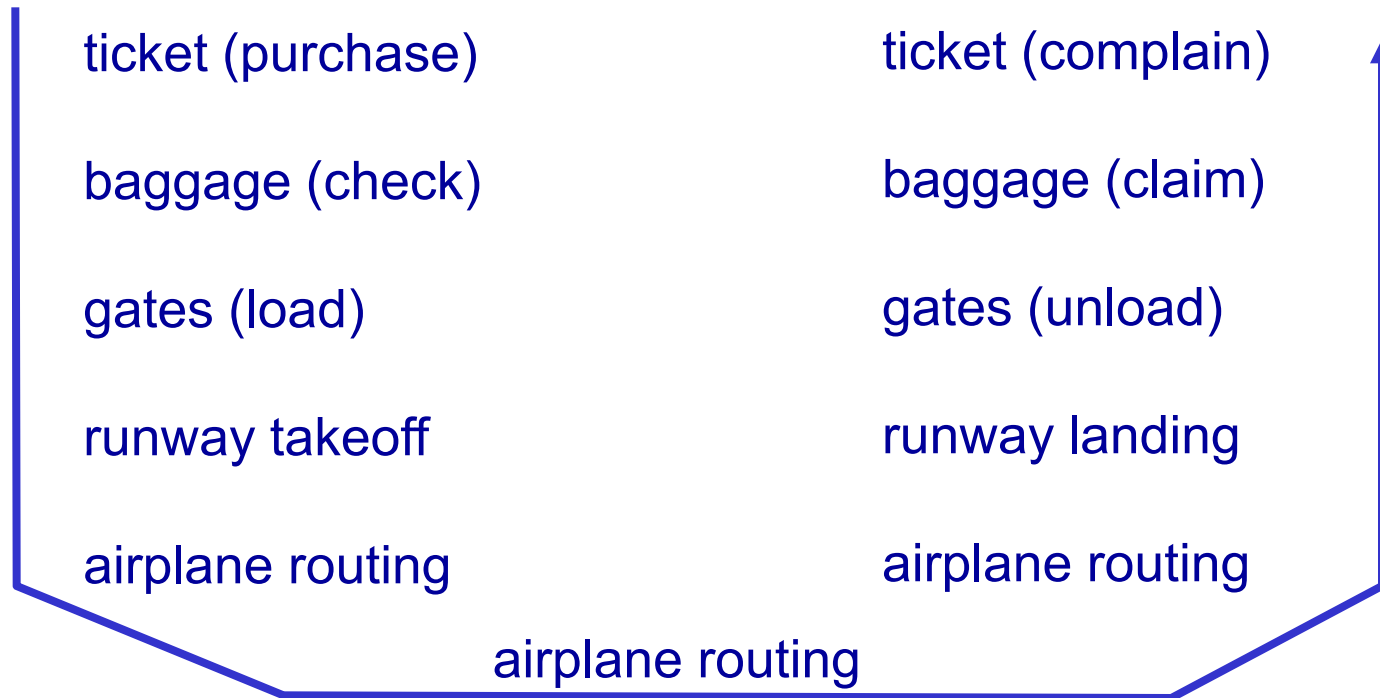
- hosts
- routers
- links of various media
- applications
- protocols
- hardware, software

*Question:*

is there any hope of  
*organizing* structure of  
network?

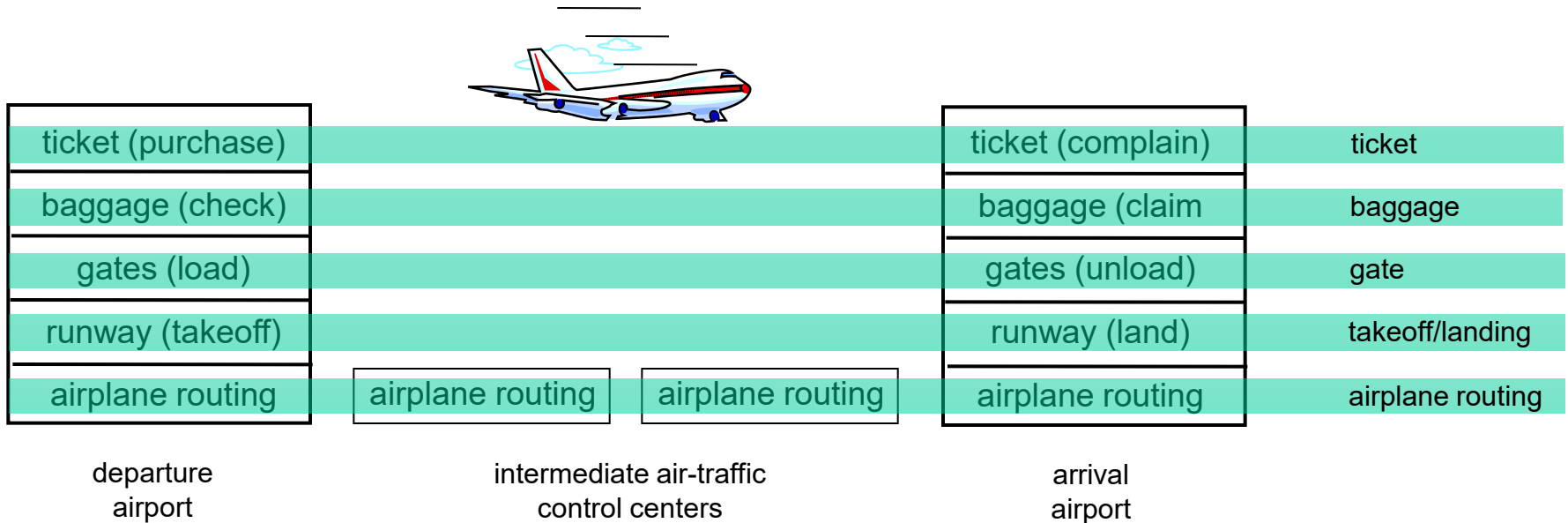
.... or at least our  
discussion of networks?

# Organization of air travel



- a series of steps

# Layering of airline functionality



**layers:** each layer implements a service

- via its own internal-layer actions
- relying on services provided by layer below

# Why layering?

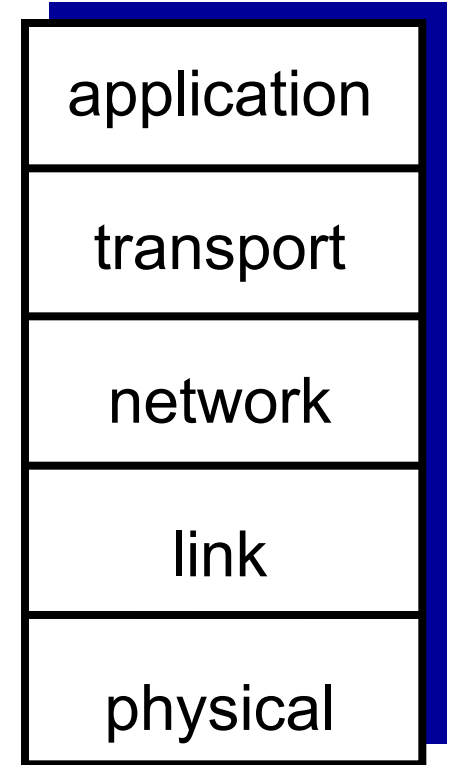
dealing with complex systems:

- explicit structure allows identification, relationship of complex system's pieces
  - layered *reference model* for discussion
- modularization eases maintenance, updating of system
  - change of implementation of layer's service transparent to rest of system
  - e.g., change in gate procedure doesn't affect rest of system



# Internet protocol stack

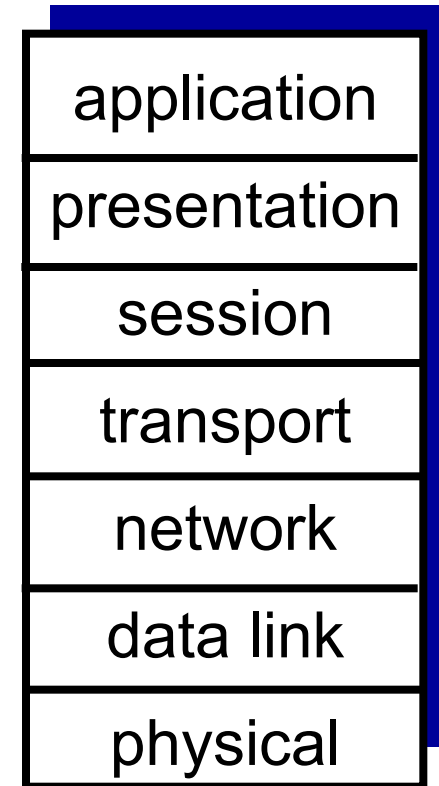
- *application*: supporting network applications
  - FTP, SMTP, HTTP
- *transport*: process-process data transfer
  - TCP, UDP
- *network*: routing of datagrams from source to destination
  - IP, routing protocols
- *link*: data transfer between neighboring network elements
  - Ethernet, 802.111 (WiFi), PPP
- *physical*: bits “on the wire”



# ISO/OSI reference model

Please do not  
throw sausage  
pizza away

- **presentation:** allow applications to interpret meaning of data, e.g., encryption, compression, machine-specific conventions
- **session:** synchronization, checkpointing, recovery of data exchange
- Internet stack “missing” these layers! Why?
  - these services, *if needed*, must be implemented in application



# 7 Layers of the OSI Model

## Application

- End User layer
- HTTP, FTP, IRC, SSH, DNS

## Presentation

- Syntax layer
- SSL, SSH, IMAP, FTP, MPEG, JPEG

## Session

- Synch & send to port
- API's, Sockets, WinSock

## Transport

- End-to-end connections
- TCP, UDP

## Network

- Packets
- IP, ICMP, IPSec, IGMP

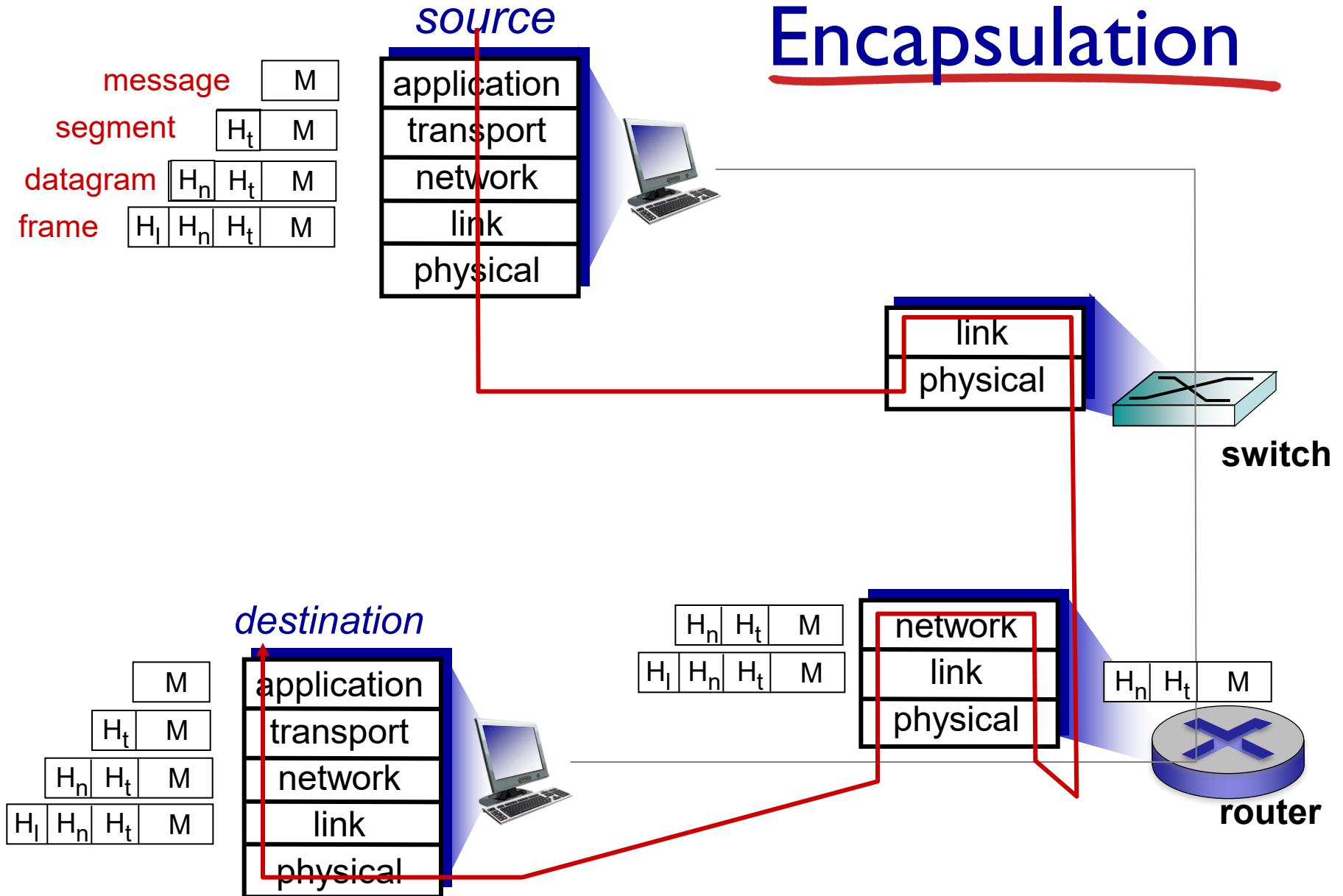
## Data Link

- Frames
- Ethernet, PPP, Switch, Bridge

## Physical

- Physical structure
- Coax, Fiber, Wireless, Hubs, Repeaters

# Encapsulation



# Chapter 2

## Application Layer

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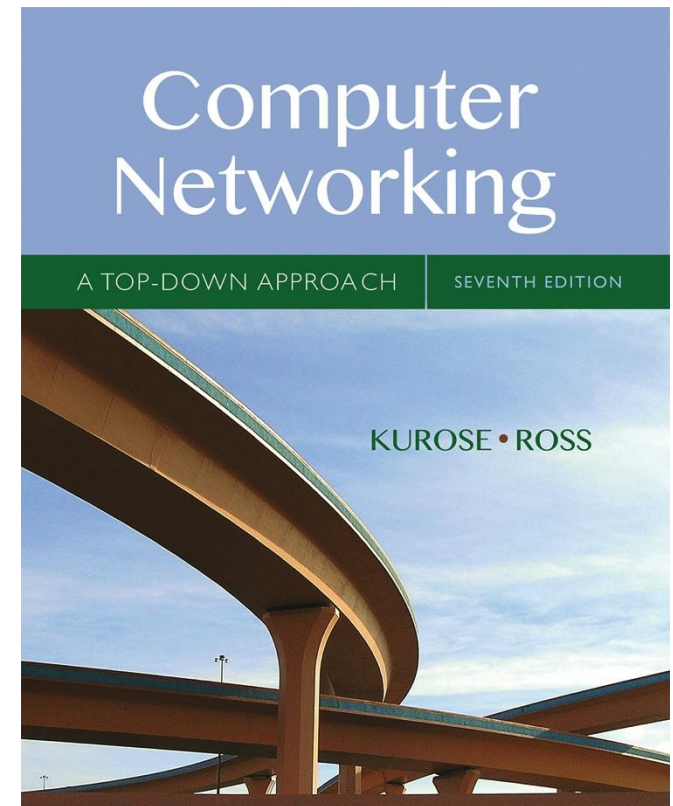
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## *Computer Networking: A Top Down Approach*

7<sup>th</sup> edition

Jim Kurose, Keith Ross

Pearson/Addison Wesley

April 2016

# Chapter 2: outline

## 2.1 principles of network applications

## 2.2 Web and HTTP

## 2.3 electronic mail

- SMTP, POP3, IMAP

## 2.4 DNS

## 2.5 P2P applications

## 2.6 video streaming and content distribution networks

## 2.7 socket programming with UDP and TCP

# Chapter 2: application layer

## our goals:

- conceptual, implementation aspects of network application protocols
  - transport-layer service models
  - client-server paradigm
  - peer-to-peer paradigm
  - content distribution networks
- learn about protocols by examining popular application-level protocols
  - HTTP
  - FTP
  - SMTP / POP3 / IMAP
  - DNS
- creating network applications
  - socket API

# Some network apps

- e-mail
- web
- text messaging
- remote login
- P2P file sharing
- multi-user network games
- streaming stored video (YouTube, Hulu, Netflix)
- voice over IP (e.g., Skype)
- real-time video conferencing
- social networking
- search
- ...
- ...



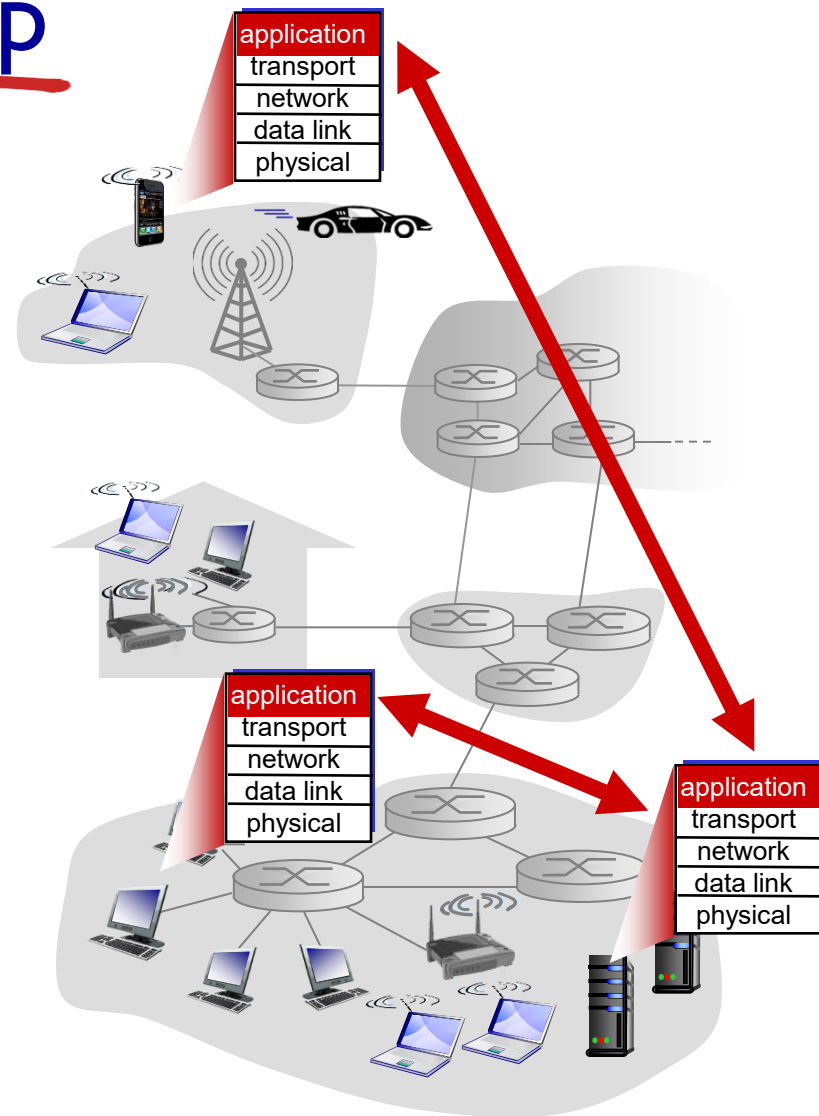
# Creating a network app

write programs that:

- run on (different) *end systems*
- communicate over network
- e.g., web server software communicates with browser software

no need to write software  
for network-core devices

- network-core devices do not run user applications
- applications on end systems allow for rapid app development, propagation

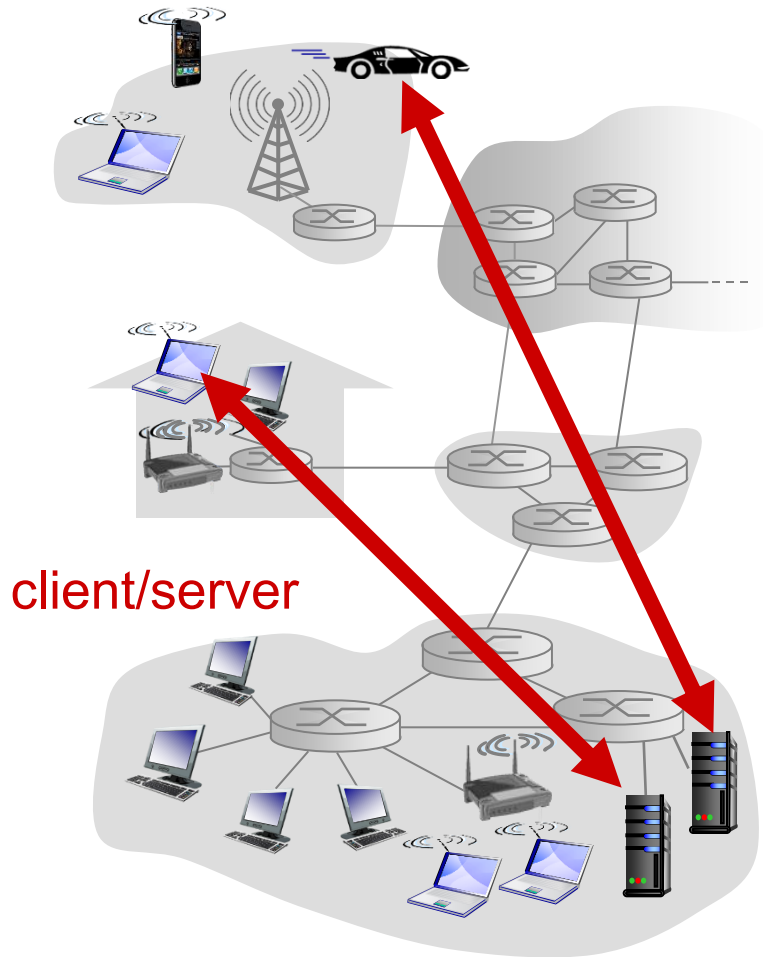


# Application architectures

possible structure of applications:

- client-server
- peer-to-peer (P2P)

# Client-server architecture



## server:

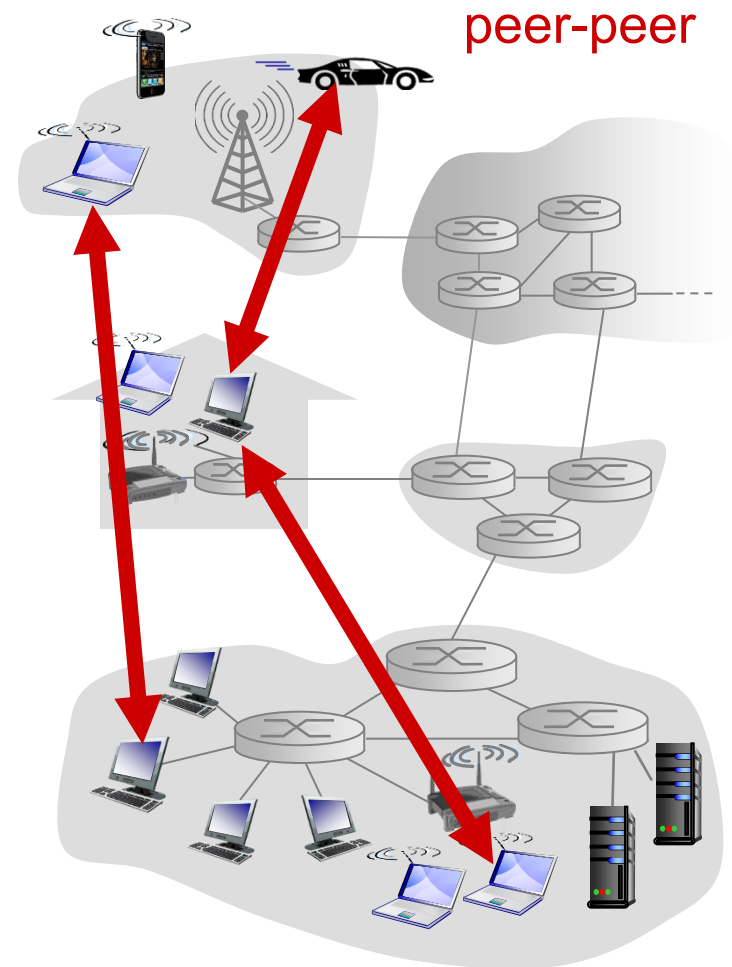
- always-on host
- permanent IP address
- data centers for scaling

## clients:

- communicate with server
- may be intermittently connected
- may have dynamic IP addresses
- do not communicate directly with each other

# P2P architecture

- no always-on server
- arbitrary end systems directly communicate
- peers request service from other peers, provide service in return to other peers
  - *self scalability* – new peers bring new service capacity, as well as new service demands
- peers are intermittently connected and change IP addresses
  - complex management



# Processes communicating

*process*: program running within a host

- within same host, two processes communicate using **inter-process communication** (defined by OS)
- processes in different hosts communicate by exchanging **messages**

clients, servers

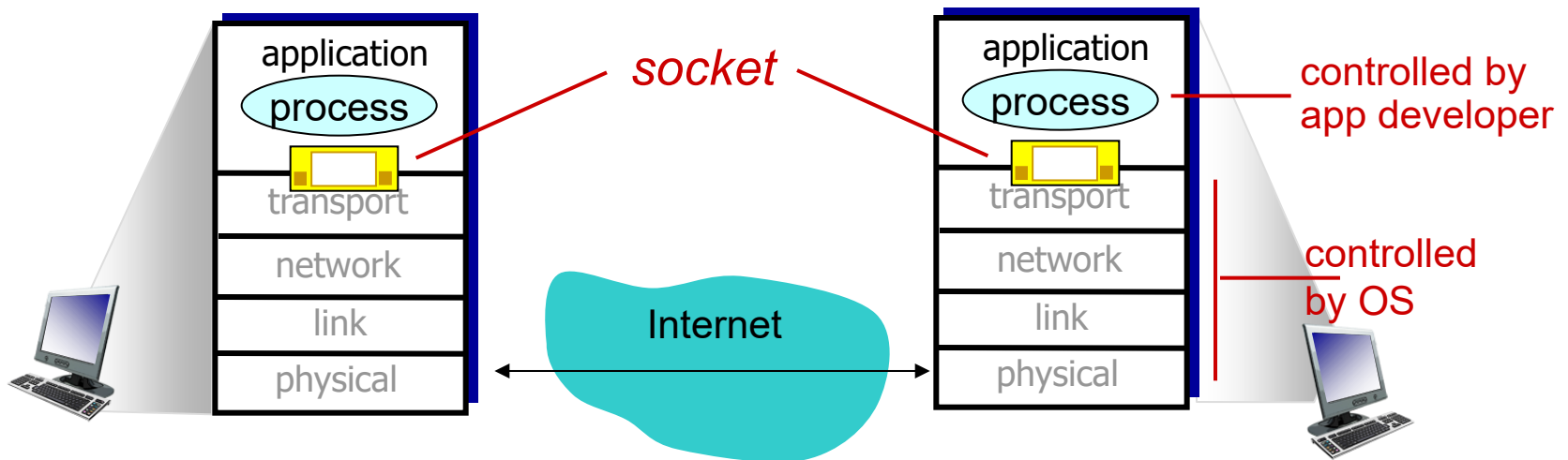
*client process*: process that initiates communication

*server process*: process that waits to be contacted

- aside: applications with P2P architectures have client processes & server processes

# Sockets

- process sends/receives messages to/from its **socket**
- socket analogous to door
  - sending process shoves message out door
  - sending process relies on transport infrastructure on other side of door to deliver message to socket at receiving process



# Addressing processes

- to receive messages, a process must have *identifier*
- host device has unique 32-bit IP address
- Q: does IP address of host on which process runs suffice for identifying the process?
  - A: no, *many* processes can be running on same host
- *identifier* includes both **IP address** and **port numbers** associated with process on host.
- example port numbers:
  - HTTP server: 80
  - mail server: 25
- to send HTTP message to gaia.cs.umass.edu web server:
  - **IP address**: 128.119.245.12
  - **port number**: 80

# Port versus socket

Port	Socket
Port specifies a number that is used by a program in a computer.	A socket is a combination of IP address and port number.
A program running on different computers can use the same port number. Hence port numbers can't be used to identify a computer uniquely.	It identifies a computer as well as a program within the computer uniquely.
Port number is used in the transport layer.	Sockets are involved in the application layer. A socket is an interface between the transport and application layer.
Port uses a socket to drop the data to a correct application.	A server and a client uses a socket to keep an eye on the data request and responses.



# What transport service does an app need?

## data integrity

- some apps (e.g., file transfer, web transactions) require 100% reliable data transfer
- other apps (e.g., audio) can tolerate some loss

## timing

- some apps (e.g., Internet telephony, interactive games) require low delay to be “effective”

## throughput

- some apps (e.g., multimedia) require minimum amount of throughput to be “effective”
- other apps (“elastic apps”) make use of whatever throughput they get

## security

- encryption, data integrity, authentication...

# Transport service requirements: common apps

application	data loss	throughput	time sensitive
file transfer	no loss	elastic	no
e-mail	no loss	elastic	no
Web documents	no loss	elastic	no
real-time audio/video	loss-tolerant	audio: 5kbps-1Mbps video: 10kbps-5Mbps	yes, 100' s msec
stored audio/video	loss-tolerant	same as above	
interactive games	loss-tolerant	few kbps up	yes, few secs
text messaging	no loss	elastic	yes, 100' s msec
			yes and no

# Internet transport protocols services

## TCP service:

- *reliable transport* between sending and receiving process
- *flow control*: sender won't overwhelm receiver
- *congestion control*: throttle sender when network overloaded
- *does not provide*: timing, minimum throughput guarantee, security
- *connection-oriented*: setup required between client and server processes

## UDP service:

- *unreliable data transfer* between sending and receiving process
- *does not provide*: reliability, flow control, congestion control, timing, throughput guarantee, security, or connection setup,

Q: why bother? Why is there a UDP?

# Internet apps: application, transport protocols

<b>application</b>	<b>application layer protocol</b>	<b>underlying transport protocol</b>
e-mail	SMTP [RFC 2821]	TCP
remote terminal access	Telnet [RFC 854]	TCP
Web	HTTP [RFC 2616]	TCP
file transfer	FTP [RFC 959]	TCP
streaming multimedia	HTTP (e.g., YouTube), RTP [RFC 1889]	TCP or UDP
Internet telephony	SIP, RTP, proprietary (e.g., Skype)	TCP or UDP

# Securing TCP

## TCP & UDP

- no encryption
- cleartext passwds sent into socket traverse Internet in cleartext

## SSL

- provides encrypted TCP connection
- data integrity
- end-point authentication

## SSL is at app layer

- apps use SSL libraries, that “talk” to TCP

## SSL socket API

- cleartext passwords sent into socket traverse Internet encrypted
- Now TLS

# App-layer protocol defines

- **types of messages exchanged,**
  - e.g., request, response
- **message syntax:**
  - what fields in messages & how fields are delineated
- **message semantics**
  - meaning of information in fields
- **rules** for when and how processes send & respond to messages

## **open protocols:**

- defined in RFCs
- allows for interoperability
- e.g., HTTP, SMTP

## **proprietary protocols:**

- e.g., Skype, Zoom

**THANK YOU!**