Master Course
Computer Networks
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Outline - Introductory Lesson

- Knowing each other
  - Who studies what?
  - What ist your background?
- Learning Outcomes
- Course Outline
- Organisational Formalities
- Overview
- Research
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1985-1992: Studies of Electrical Engineering, University of Stuttgart
1990: Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Télécommunications (ENST), Paris
1992-1996: PhD in Computer Science at University of Karlsruhe
1997: Postdoc at Institut Eurecom, Sophia Antipolis
1997-2002: Fraunhofer FOKUS, Berlin;
    Head of Competence Center Global Networking
2003-2008: Professor, University of Tübingen
Since April 2008: Professor, Technical University Munich

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Questions

- Who is new at TUM?

- Who studies what?
  - Master in Informatics?
  - Master in Informatics – English Track?
  - Master in Information Systems [Wirtschaftsinformatik]?
  - Master in Communications Engineering MSCE?
  - Other Master courses?
  - Bachelor in Informatics?
  - Bachelor in Informatics: Games Engineering
  - Bachelor in Information Systems [Wirtschaftsinformatik]?
  - Other courses?
More Questions

- Which previous relevant courses?
  - IN0010 - Grundlagen Rechnernetze und Verteilte Systeme?
  - Other Courses in Computer Networks?
  - iLab (Internet Lab)?
  - Other Networking Lab courses?
  - What else?

- Other related courses?
  - Network Security?
  - Peer-to-Peer Communications and Security?

- Other relevant skills?
  - C programming skills?
  - Setting up a (virtualized) unix / linux server?
  - Using up a (virtualized) unix / linux server?
Goals of the course

- Learn to take responsibility for yourself
- Think about the topics (do not aim just being able to repeat content of theses slides without deeper understanding)
- Learn to reflect on technical problems
- Learn to apply your knowledge
- Understand the principles
  - What is the essence to be remembered in some years?
  - What would you consider suitable questions in an exam?
- Learn from practical project performed during course
General Learning Outcomes

- Knowledge
  - Being able to reproduce facts

- Understanding
  - Being able to explain properties with own words

- Applying
  - Apply known methods to solve questions

- Analyzing
  - Identifying the inherent structure of a complex system

- Synthesis
  - Creating new solutions - from known elements

- Assessment
  - Identifying suitable criteria and perform assessment
Learning Outcomes
- what students are expected to acquire from the course

- Knowledge, Understanding, Applying
  - protocols:
    application layer, transport layer, network layer, data link layer
  - concepts:
    measurements, signalling, QoS, resilience
  - lectures, exercise questions
  - final examination

- Applying, Analyzing, Synthesis, Assessment
  - special context: network properties, TCP
  - tools: svn, measurement tools, ...
  - methods: plan solution, program, administer experiment setup, measure, reflect, document
  - course project
Course Overview (Tentative)

- Part 1: Internet protocols
  - Overview on Computer Networks
  - Link Layer
  - Internet Structure
  - Transport Layer
  - Application Layer

- Part 2: Advanced Concepts
  - Measurements
  - Quality of Service
  - Node Architectures and Mechanisms
  - Network Management
  - Signalling
  - Software-Defined Networking
  - Resilience
  - Design Principles and Future Internet
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Jim Kurose
University of Massachusetts, Amherst

Keith Ross
Polytechnic Institute of New York University
Books (2)

- A further book relevant for the course:
  Douglas Comer
  Internetworking With TCP/IP Volume 1:
  Principles Protocols, and Architecture,
  Addison-Wesley, 5th edition, 2005

Douglas Comer
Purdue University
Course organization

- **Time slots**
  - Monday, 10:15-11.45, MI 00.13.009A
  - Tuesday, 16:15-17.45, MI 00.13.009A

- **TUMonline**
  - registration required for access to course infrastructure
  - exam registration will be required

- **Questions and Answers / Office hours**
  - Prof. Dr. Georg Carle, carle@in.tum.de
    - After the course and upon appointment (typically Monday 18-19)
  - Oliver Gasser, gasser@net.in.tum.de
    - coordinates exercises
    - upon appointment, or just drop in

- **Course Material**
  - Slides made available online (may be updated during the course)
  - Additional supporting material will be provided during the course
Exercises

- Approach to exercises
  - Is new, may be adapted during course

- Exercises
  - Upon announcement, within time slots of the lecture.

- Exercise sheets
  - Will be distributed before exercise time slot
  - You will have deadlines to upload your solution sheet via svn

- Exercise solutions
  - Solutions will be explained in exercise time slots

- Exercise correction
  - You are expected to correct your own exercise solution and upload your corrected solution via svn by 2nd deadline

- Exercise bonus
  - Necessary condition to obtain a bonus of 0.3 in final exam that your solutions and/or corrections are sufficiently serious
Projects

- 2 projects offered
  - MiniNet project: Network emulation in a virtual machine
  - MeasrDroid project: measurement app that communicates with server

- Steps
  - Familiarize with infrastructure
  - Project plan
  - Software setup
  - Programming
  - Experiments
  - Documentation

- Your project deliverables will be graded
Infrastructure for Exercises and Project

- SVN
  - Every student receives an svn account
  - For exercises: allows you to submit your
    - Exercise solutions
    - Exercise corrections
  - For project
    - Allows to manage your code
    - Allows to submit your project deliverables

- Virtual machine
  - Every student receives a virtual machine
  - Hosted within the Autonomous System operated by chair I8
  - ssh keys for access to virtual machine provided by svn
Access to Course Infrastructure

- **What is the MyTUM-/LRZ-ID?**
  It is a 7 digit alphanumerical ID that you have been assigned at the begin of your study.

- **I don't know / forgot it, what should I do?**
  Logon to TUMOnline. Under "Resources", choose "E-mail Addresses". You find your MyTUM-ID below your alias addresses, e.g. **xa93kep@mytum.de**.

- **I don't have an ID, what can I do?**
  Get one. If you are an exchange student, you can register for an ID at the "Info Point" in the computer science building. In case you are not a student of TUM and also no exchange student (e.g. LMU), then we have problem. (In this case please write to: gasser@in.tum.de cc: carle@in.tum.de).
Examination and Grading

- Written exam at the end of the term
  - Key element for final grade

- Exercise bonus
  - bonus of 0,3 in final exam if your solutions and/or corrections are sufficiently serious & project submissions are sufficient

- Project
  - Submissions will be graded
  - Can give significant bonus (details will be announced) to your final exam
    → participation is expected

- Final exam
  - Date and location of written examination to be announced
Overview
Sources of Delay

- Transmission
- Propagation
- Nodal processing
- Queueing
Internet Structure

- Autonomous systems (AS level structure)
- Routers and hosts (IP level structure)
Network Layer - Routing

- Routing algorithms
  - Link state
  - Distance Vector
  - Hierarchical routing
- Routing in the Internet
  - RIP
  - OSPF
  - BGP
- Broadcast and multicast routing
Transport Layer Services

- Transport-layer services
- Multiplexing and demultiplexing

- Connectionless transport: UDP

- Connection-oriented transport: TCP
  - segment structure
  - reliable data transfer
  - flow control
  - connection management

- TCP congestion control

- SCTP
Pipelining for increased utilization

First packet bit transmitted, $t = 0$

Last bit transmitted, $t = L / R$

RTT

First packet bit arrives

Last packet bit arrives, send ACK

Last bit of 2\textsuperscript{nd} packet arrives, send ACK

Last bit of 3\textsuperscript{rd} packet arrives, send ACK

ACK arrives, send next packet, $t = RTT + L / R$

Increase utilization by a factor of 3!

$$U_{\text{sender}} = \frac{3 \ast L / R}{RTT + L / R} = \frac{0.024}{30.008} = 0.0008$$
Why is TCP fair?

Two competing sessions:
- Additive increase gives slope of 1, as throughput increases
- Multiplicatively decreasing decreases throughput proportionally

In the diagram:
- Equal bandwidth share
- Connection 1 throughput vs. Connection 2 throughput
- Congestion avoidance: additive increase
- Loss: decrease window by factor of 2

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Network Measurements

- Introduction
- Architecture & Mechanisms
- Protocols
  - IPFIX (Netflow Accounting)
  - PSAMP (Packet Sampling)
- Scenarios
Monitoring Probe

- Standardized data export
- Monitoring Software
- HW adaptation, [filtering]
- OS dependent interface (BSD)
- Network interface
Data Plane and Control Plane

Routing algorithm

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Value in arriving packet’s header

Forwarding = data plane

Routing = control plane
First-Generation IP Routers
Software Defined Networking

- Example: OpenFlow Switch architecture, Stanford University
- Concept: separation of switch fabric, and switch control
- Allows for cheap switches, centrally controlled by switch manager
  - Assessment: suitable for low-latency data center communication

The Stanford Clean Slate Program
http://cleanslate.stanford.edu

OpenFlow Switch specification

Controller

OpenFlow Switch

Secure Channel

Flow Table

PC

hw

sw

...
NAT Traversal

- One of several NAT traversal solutions: relaying (e.g. used in Skype)
  - NATed client establishes connection to relay node
  - External client connects to relay node
  - relay node forwards packets between two connections

1. connection to relay initiated by NATted host
2. connection to relay initiated by client
3. relaying established

Client

138.76.29.7
NAT router

10.0.0.1
Quality-of-Service Support

- Link virtualization
- Providing multiple classes of service
- Providing Quality-of-Service (QoS) guarantees
- QoS Architectures
  - Integrated Services
  - Differentiated Services
**Signaling**

Signaling: exchange of messages among network entities to enable (provide service) to connection/call

- Before, during, after connection/call
  - call setup and teardown (state)
  - call maintenance (state)
  - measurement, billing (state)
- Between
  - end-user <-> network
  - end-user <-> end-user
  - network element <-> network element
- Examples
  - Q.921, SS7 (Signaling System no. 7): telephone network
  - Q.2931: ATM
  - RSVP (Resource Reservation Protocol)
  - H.323: Internet telephony
  - SIP (Session Initiation Protocol): Internet telephony
Design principles and Future Internet

- Network design principles
  - common themes: indirection, virtualization, multiplexing, randomization, scalability
  - implementation principles
  - network architecture: the big picture, synthesis

- Future Internet approaches
Teaching and Research at Chair for Network Architectures and Services
Teaching

- Lectures
  Summer Semester:
  - Introduction to Computer Networking and Distributed Systems (IN0010), 6 ECTS – 3L+2E (3 h/week lectures, 2 h/week exercises), Bachelor Level
  - Peer-to-Peer-Systems and Security (IN2194), 5 ECTS – 3L+1E, Master
  - Discrete Event Simulation (IN2045), 4 ECTS – 2L+1E, Master
  Winter Semester:
  - Master Course Computer Networks (IN2097), 5 ECTS – 3L+1E, Master
  - Network Security (IN2101), 5 ECTS – 3L+1E, Master

- Seminars, 4 ECTS – 2S (2 h/week seminar)
  - Seminar – Network Architectures and Services: Network Hacking (IN0013)
  - Advanced Seminar - Innovative Internet Technologies and Mobile Communications (IN8901)
  - Advanced Seminar – Future Internet (IN8901)
  - Advanced Seminar – Sensor Networks(IN0014), with Prof. Baumgarten

- Lab Courses, 8 ECTS
  - Bachelor Practical Course – Internet Lab (IN0012)
  - Master Practical Course – Computer Networks (IN2106)
Selected Activities

- EU Projects
  - Project Intermon - INTER-domain QoS Monitoring, modelling and visualisation
  - Project Mobility and Differentiated Services in a Future IP Network
  - Project DIADEM Firewall - High-Speed Distributed Firewalling
  - Project ResumeNet – Resilient Future Internet
  - Project SecFuNet – Security of Future Networks
  - Project EINS – Network of Excellence in Internet Science

- National Projects
  - Siemens, Nokia 3GET, Scalenet, SelfMan
  - BMBF AutHoNe, BaaS, ANSII, SASER, Peeroscope

- Scientific Committees
  - COST263 “Quality of future Internet Services”
  - COST290 “Wireless Multimedia Networks”
  - COST703 “Data Traffic Monitoring and Analysis for future networks”
  - IFIP Working Group 6.2 “Network and Internetwork Architecture”
  - IEEE Technical Committee on High Speed Networking

- Internet-Standardisation
  - IETF: IPFIX, PSAMP, NSIS, P2PSIP
  - IRTF: AAAArch: Authentication, Authorisation and Accounting Architecture