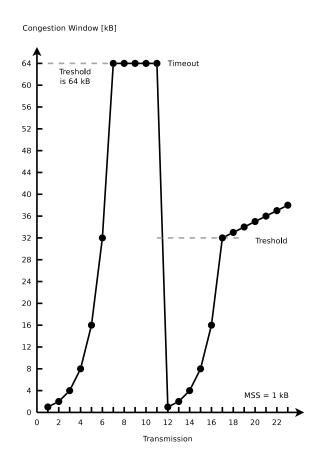
Exercise Sheet 5

Exercise 1 (Transport Protocols)

- 1. Explain the **differences** between TCP and UDP.
- 2. Describe **two examples**, where using the Transport Layer protocol TCP makes sense.
- 3. Describe **two examples**, where using the Transport Layer protocol UDP makes sense.
- 4. Describe what a socket is.
- 5. Describe what the Seq number in an TCP segment specifies.
- 6. Describe what the Ack number in an TCP segment specifies
- 7. Describe the **silly window syndrome** and its effect.
- 8. Describe the functioning of silly window syndrome avoidance.
- 9. Which two possible **reasons** for the occurrence of congestion in computer networks exist?
- 10. Why does the sender maintain **two windows** when using TCP and not just a single one?
- 11. Describe what the slow-start phase is.
- 12. Describe what the congestion avoidance phase is.
- 13. Mark in the figure both the slow-start phase and the congestion avoidance phase.



- 14. Describe what fast retransmit is.
- 15. Describe what fast recovery is.
- 16. The concept of TCP congestion control is called **AIMD** (= Additive Increase / Multiplicative Decrease). **Describe the reason** for the aggressive reduction and conservative increase of the congestion window.
- 17. Describe the functioning of a Denial-of-Service attack via **SYN flood**.

Exercise 2 (Header and Payload)

An application generates 40 bytes payload which is first packed into a single TCP segment, and then packed into a single IP packet. What is the percentage of header data in the IP packet and what is the percentage of application generated payload?

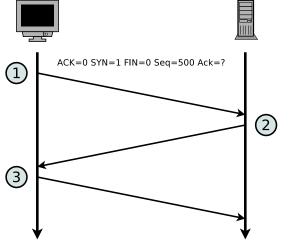
IP header	TCP header	Data of the application layer (message)

IP packet of the Network Layer

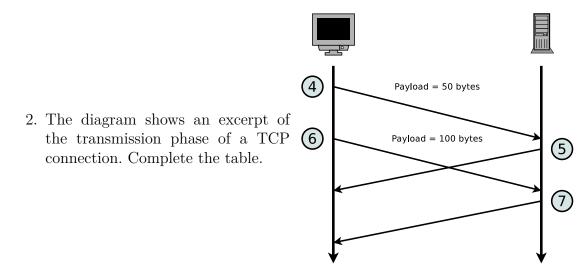
TCP segment of the Transport Layer

Exercise 3 (Transmission Control Protocol)

1. The diagram shows the establishment of a TCP connection. Complete the information in the table for TCP messages 2 and 3 according to TCP messages 1.

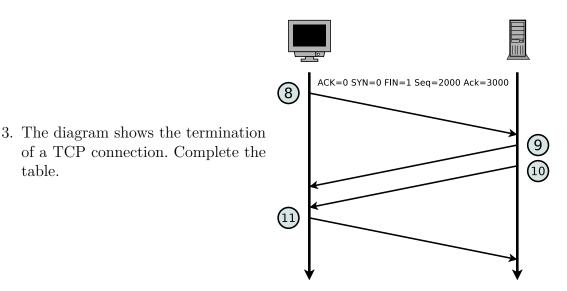


Message	ACK	SYN	FIN	Payload length	Seq number	Ack number
1	0	1	0	0	500	
2					1000	
3						



Message	ACK	SYN	FIN	Payload length	Seq number	Ack number
4	0			50	501	1001
5	1			0		
6	0			100		
7	1			0		

table.



Message	ACK	SYN	FIN	Payload length	Seq number	Ack number
8	0	0	1	0	2000	3000
9				0		
10				0		
11				0		

Exercise 4 (Devices in Computer Networks)

- 1. What network devices are used in computer networks?
- 2. Assign the devices to the layers of the hybrid reference model.

(Devices in Computer Networks) Exercise 5

What network device(s) is (are) used to...

- 1. connect networks with different logical address ranges?
- 2. transmit signals over long distances by modulating them to a carrier frequency in the ultra low frequency band?
- 3. connect physical networks?
- 4. extend the range of LANs?
- 5. connect wireless network devices in the infrastructure mode?
- 6. enable communication between networks, which use different protocols?

Exercise 6 (Reference Models)

For the network devices, protocols, transmission units, line codes and addressing schemes in the table, mark the corresponding layer of the **hybrid reference model**.

1 stands for the bottom layer and 5 for the top layer in the hybrid reference model. If more than just <u>one</u> layer are a correct answer, it is sufficient to select at least a single correct layer.

	Hybrid reference model layer					
	1	2	3	4	5	
4B5B						
Address Resolution Protocol (ARP)						
Alternate Mark Inversion (AMI)						
Autonomous Systems						
Border Gateway Protocol (BGP)						
Bridge						
Congestion control						
CSMA/CA						
CSMA/CD						
Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC)						
Distance vector routing protocols						
Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP)						
Ethernet						
File Transfer Protocol (FTP)						
Flow control						
Gateway						
Hub						
Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP)						
ICMP						
Internet Protocol (IP)						
Link state routing protocols						
Logical addresses						
Manchester-Code						
Media access control						
Modem						
Multilevel Transmission Encoding - 3 Levels						
Multiport Bridge						
Non-Return to Zero						
Open Shortest Path First (OSPF)						

	Hybrid reference model la			layer	
	1	2	3	4	5
Physical addresses					
Port numbers					
Reliable end-to-end data connection					
Repeater					
Router					
Routing Information Protocol (RIP)					
Security					
Spanning Tree Protocol (STP)					
Switch					
Telnet					
Transmission Control Protocol (TCP)					
User Datagram Protocol (UDP)					
Wireless LAN					

Exercise 7 (Protocols in Computer Networks)

Which protocol is used to...

- 1. provide congestion control and flow control?
- 2. resolves logical addresses into physical addresses?
- 3. avoid collisions inside physical networks?
- 4. provide routing within autonomous systems via the Bellman-Ford algorithm?
- 5. remote control computers in an encrypted way?
- 6. provide routing within autonomous systems via the Dijkstra algorithm?
- 7. assign the network configuration to network devices?
- 8. remote control computers in a unencrypted way?
- 9. realize connectionless inter-process communication?
- 10. resolves domain names into logical addresses?
- 11. detect collisions inside physical networks?
- 12. download and upload files in an unencrypted way?
- 13. exchange (deliver) emails?
- 14. exchange diagnostic and control messages?

15. reduce a computer network to a loop-free tree?