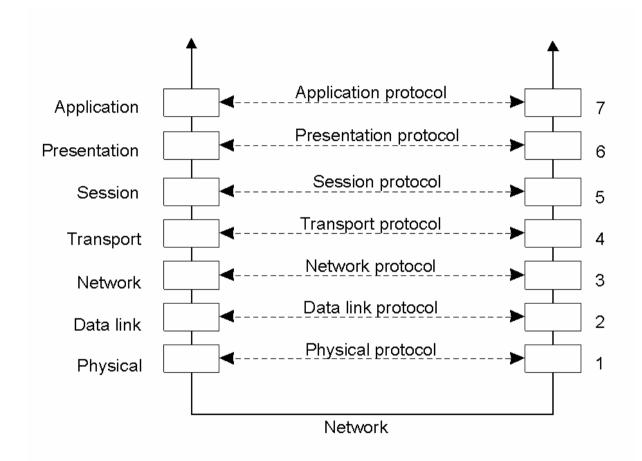
### Communication

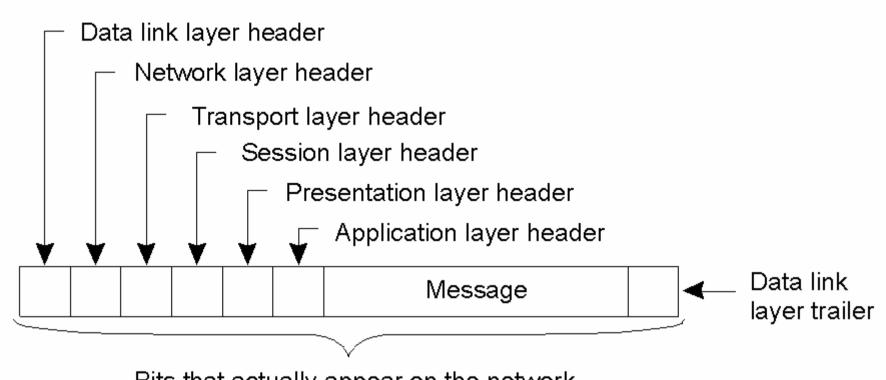
Chapter 2

## Layered Protocols (1)



Layers, interfaces, and protocols in the OSI model.

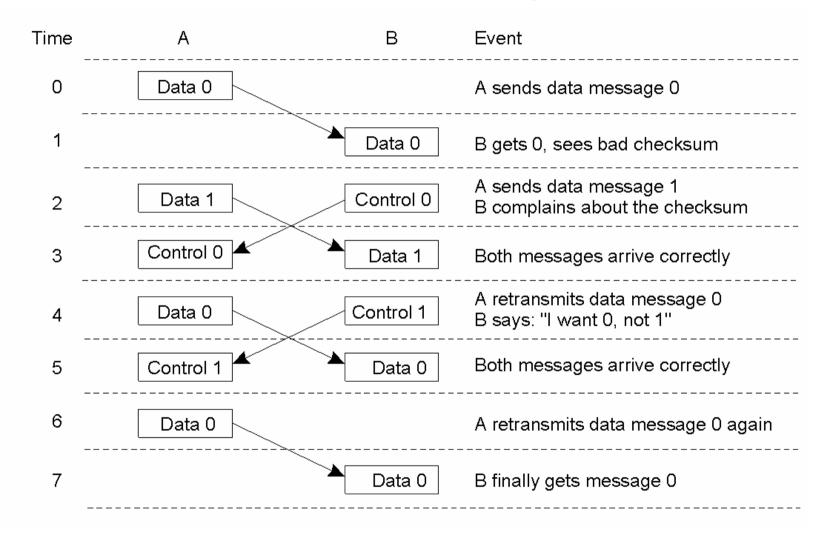
### Layered Protocols (2)



Bits that actually appear on the network

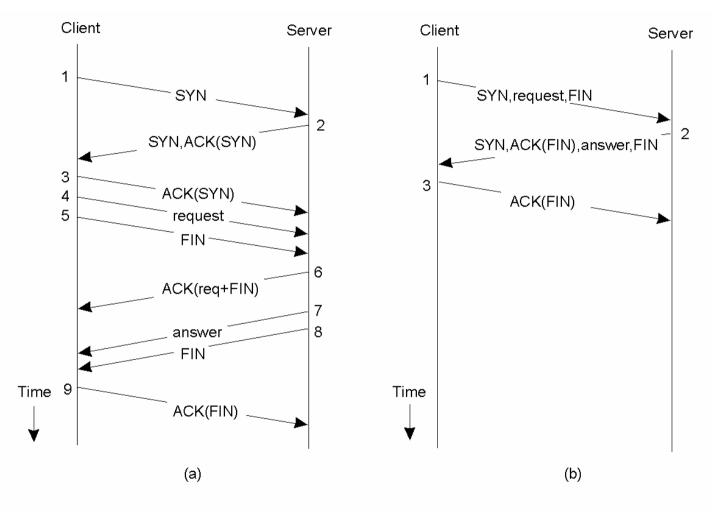
A typical message as it appears on the network.

### Data Link Layer



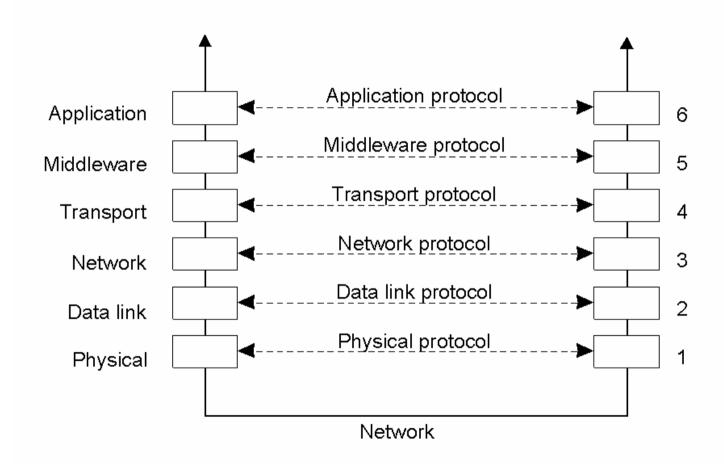
Discussion between a receiver and a sender in the data link layer.

### Client-Server TCP



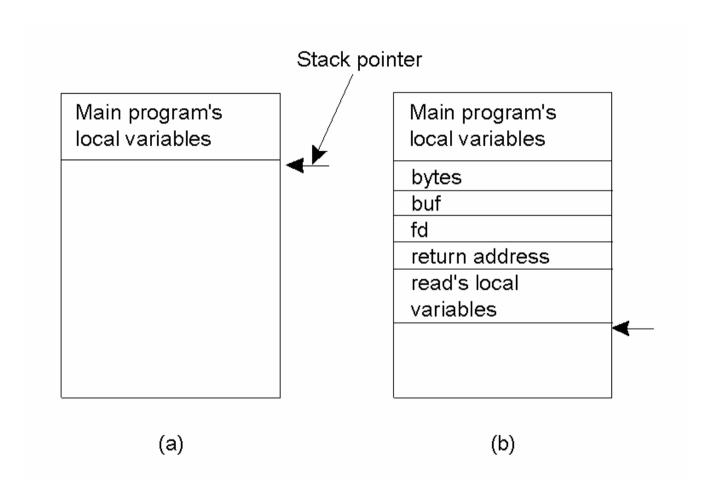
- a) Normal operation of TCP.
- b) Transactional TCP.

### Middleware Protocols



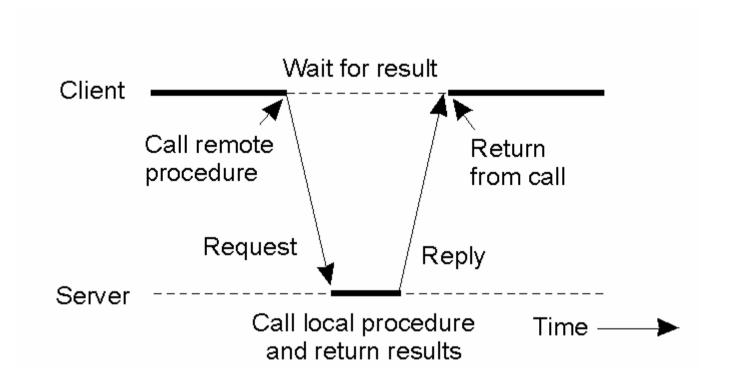
An adapted reference model for networked communication.

### Conventional Procedure Call



- a) Parameter passing in a local procedure call: the stack before the call to read
- b) The stack while the called procedure is active

### Client and Server Stubs

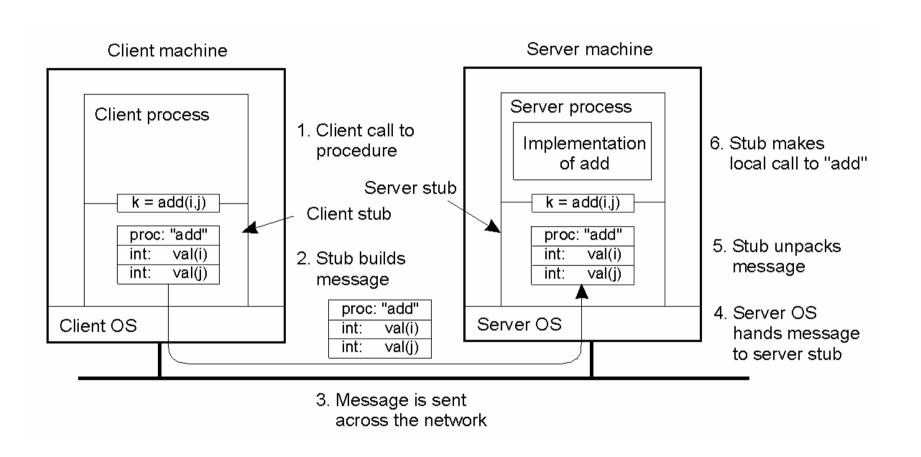


Principle of RPC between a client and server program.

### Steps of a Remote Procedure Call

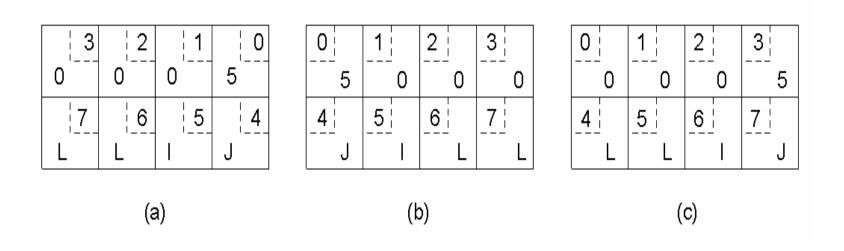
- 1. Client procedure calls client stub in normal way
- 2. Client stub builds message, calls local OS
- 3. Client's OS sends message to remote OS
- 4. Remote OS gives message to server stub
- 5. Server stub unpacks parameters, calls server
- 6. Server does work, returns result to the stub
- 7. Server stub packs it in message, calls local OS
- 8. Server's OS sends message to client's OS
- 9. Client's OS gives message to client stub
- 10. Stub unpacks result, returns to client

## Passing Value Parameters (1)



Steps involved in doing remote computation through RPC

## Passing Value Parameters (2)



- a) Original message on the Pentium
- b) The message after receipt on the SPARC
- c) The message after being inverted. The little numbers in boxes indicate the address of each byte

### Parameter Specification and Stub Generation

- a) A procedure
- b) The corresponding message.

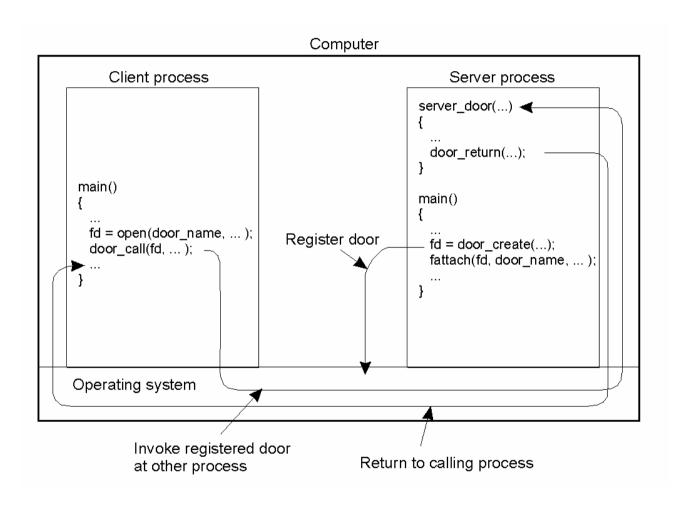
```
foobar( char x; float y; int z[5] ) { .... }
```

(a)

foobar's local variables		
	Х	
у		
5		
z[0]		
z[1]		
z[2]		
z[3]		
z[4]		

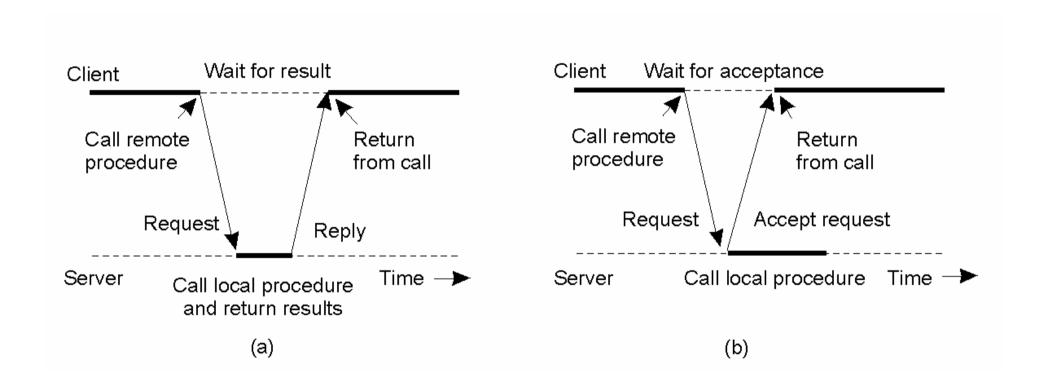
(b)

### Doors



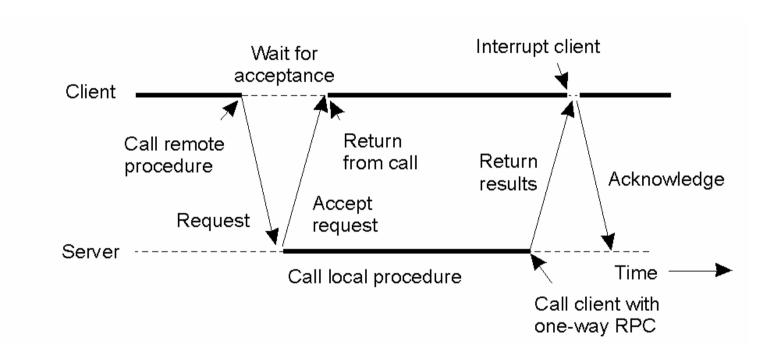
The principle of using doors as IPC mechanism.

## Asynchronous RPC (1)



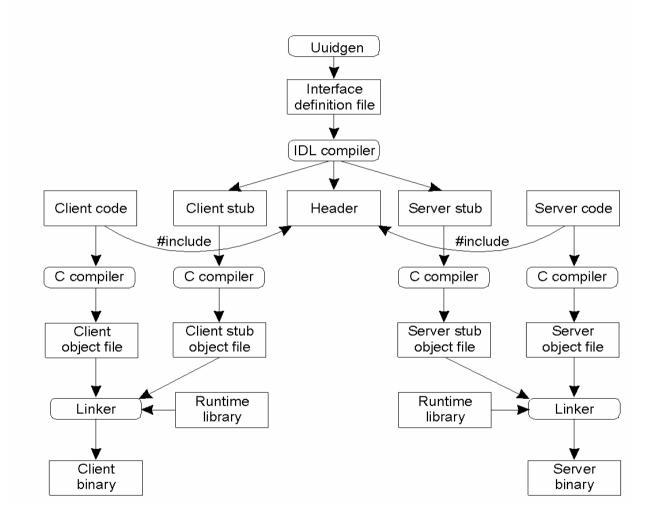
- a) The interconnection between client and server in a traditional RPC
- b) The interaction using asynchronous RPC

### Asynchronous RPC (2)



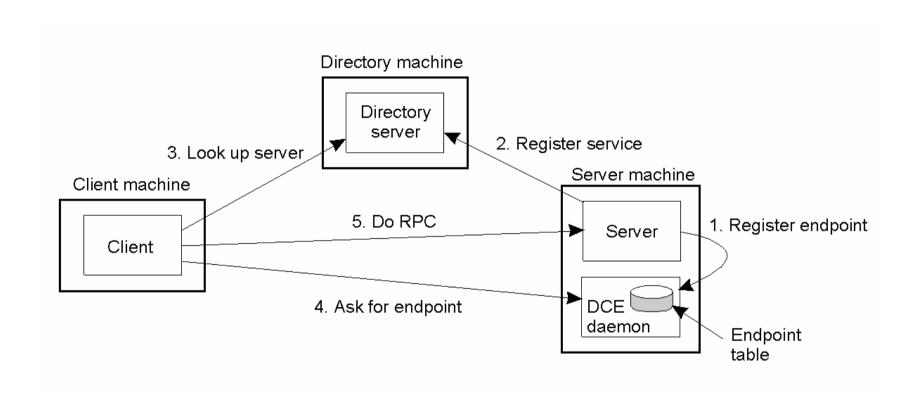
A client and server interacting through two asynchronous RPCs

### Writing a Client and a Server



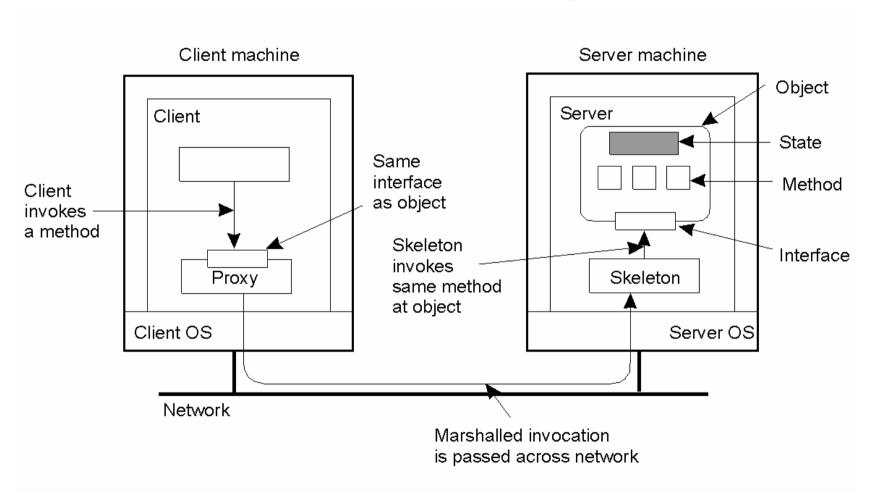
The steps in writing a client and a server in DCE RPC.

### Binding a Client to a Server



Client-to-server binding in DCE.

## Distributed Objects



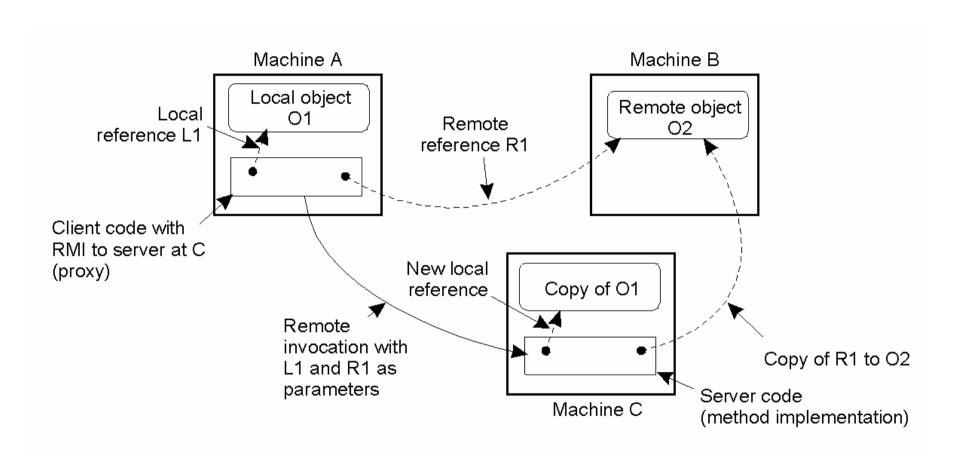
Common organization of a remote object with client-side proxy.

## Binding a Client to an Object

```
Distr_object* obj ref;
                                         //Declare a systemwide object reference
obj ref = \dots;
                                         // Initialize the reference to a distributed object
obj ref-> do something();
                                         // Implicitly bind and invoke a method
                               (a)
Distr object objPref;
                                         //Declare a systemwide object reference
Local_object* obj_ptr;
                                         //Declare a pointer to local objects
obj ref = \dots;
                                         //Initialize the reference to a distributed object
obj_ptr = bind(obj_ref);
                                         //Explicitly bind and obtain a pointer to the local proxy
obj_ptr -> do_something();
                                         //Invoke a method on the local proxy
                               (b)
```

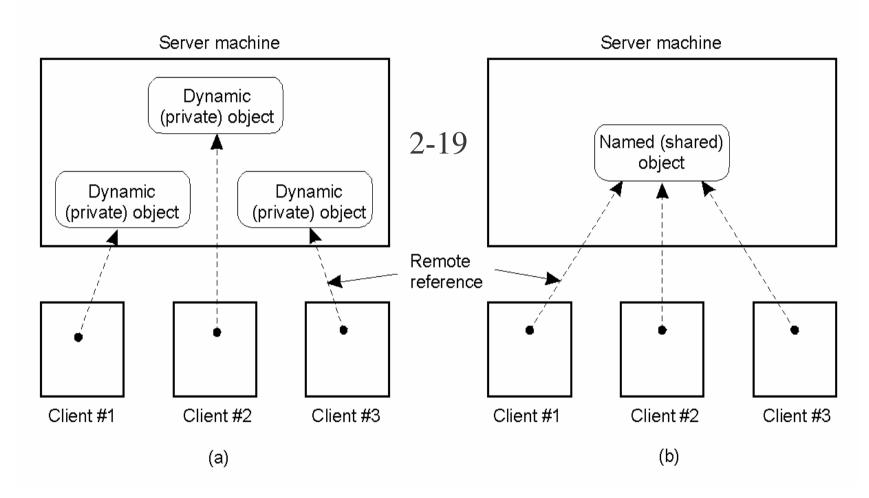
- a) (a) Example with implicit binding using only global references
- b) (b) Example with explicit binding using global and local references

## Parameter Passing



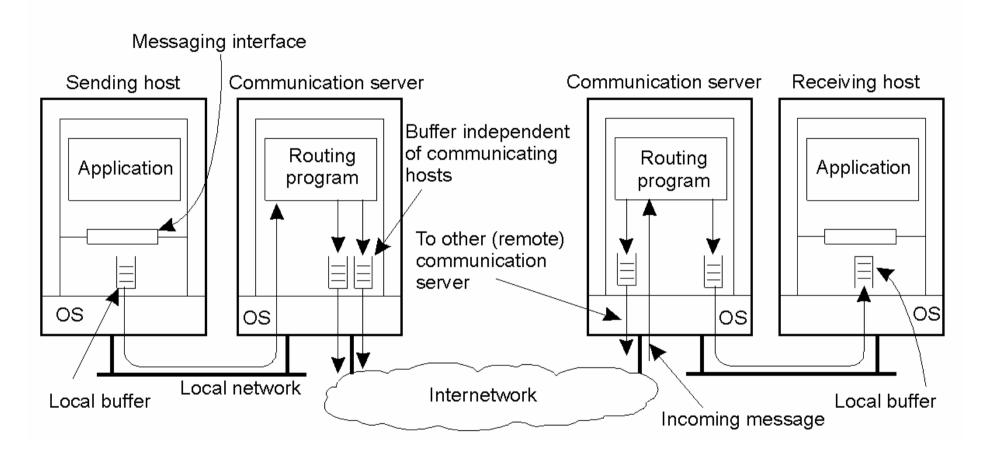
The situation when passing an object by reference or by value.

## The DCE Distributed-Object Model



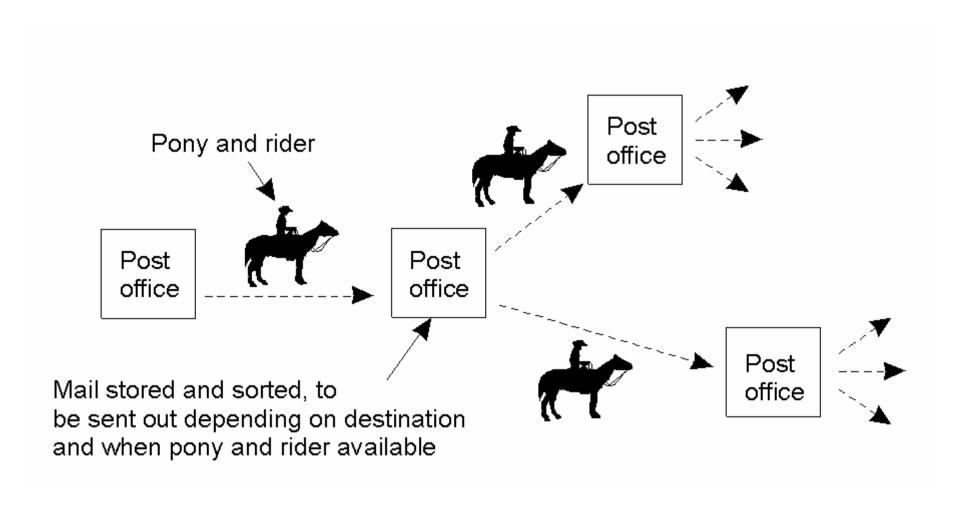
- a) Distributed dynamic objects in DCE.
- b) Distributed named objects

#### Persistence and Synchronicity in Communication (1)



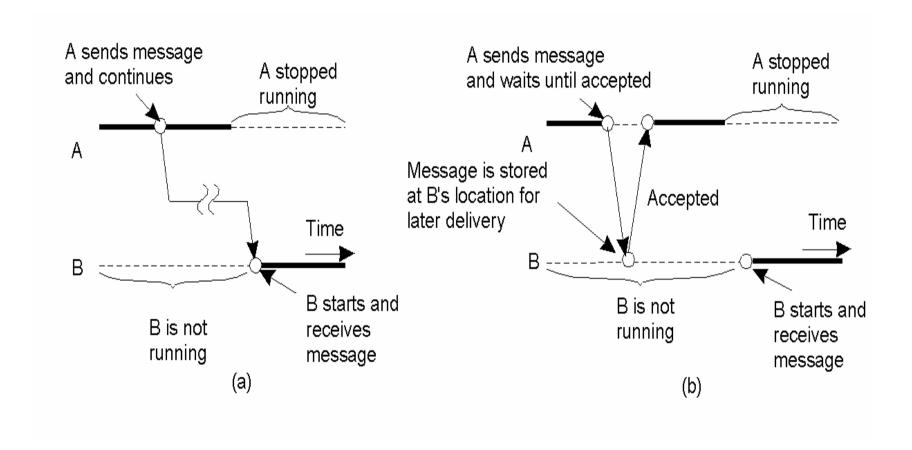
General organization of a communication system in which hosts are connected through a network

#### Persistence and Synchronicity in Communication (2)



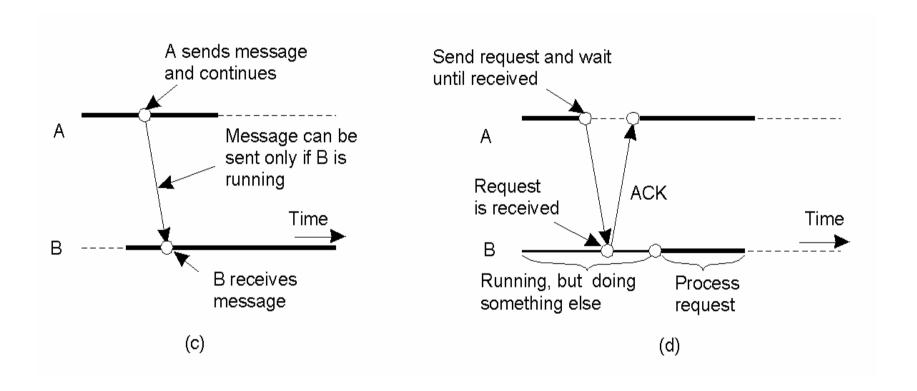
Persistent communication of letters back in the days of the Pony Express.

#### Persistence and Synchronicity in Communication (3)



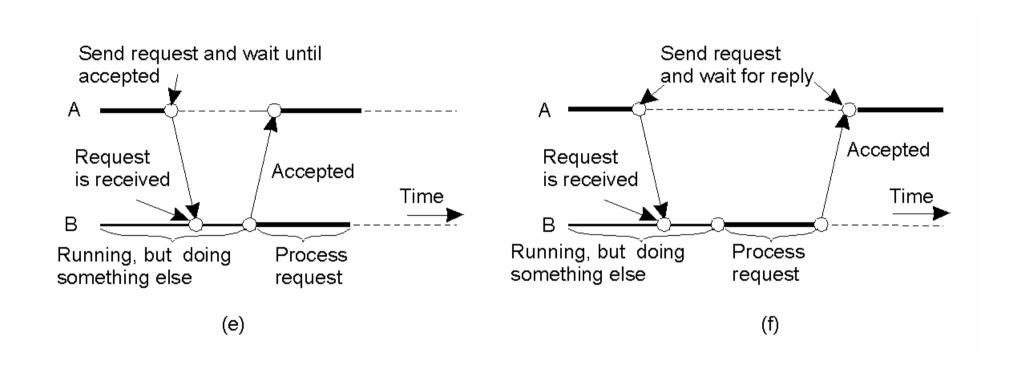
- a) Persistent asynchronous communication
- b) Persistent synchronous communication

#### Persistence and Synchronicity in Communication (4)



- c) Transient asynchronous communication
- d) Receipt-based transient synchronous communication

#### Persistence and Synchronicity in Communication (5)



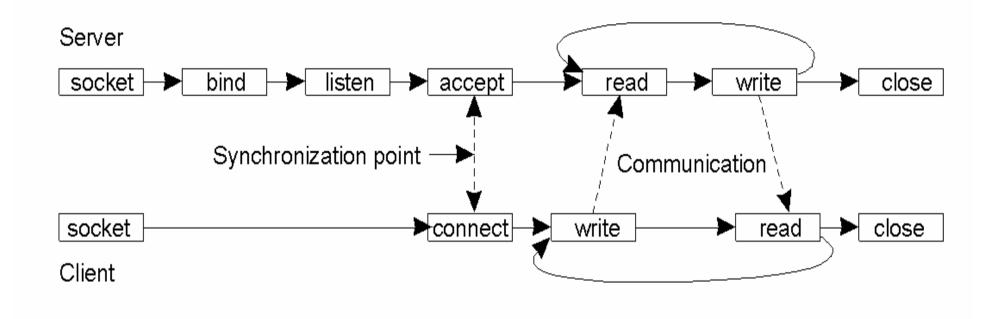
- e) Delivery-based transient synchronous communication at message delivery
- f) Response-based transient synchronous communication

# Berkeley Sockets (1)

Primitive	Meaning	
Socket	Create a new communication endpoint	
Bind	Attach a local address to a socket	
Listen	Announce willingness to accept connections	
Accept	Block caller until a connection request arrives	
Connect	Actively attempt to establish a connection	
Send	Send some data over the connection	
Receive	Receive some data over the connection	
Close	Release the connection	

Socket primitives for TCP/IP.

## Berkeley Sockets (2)



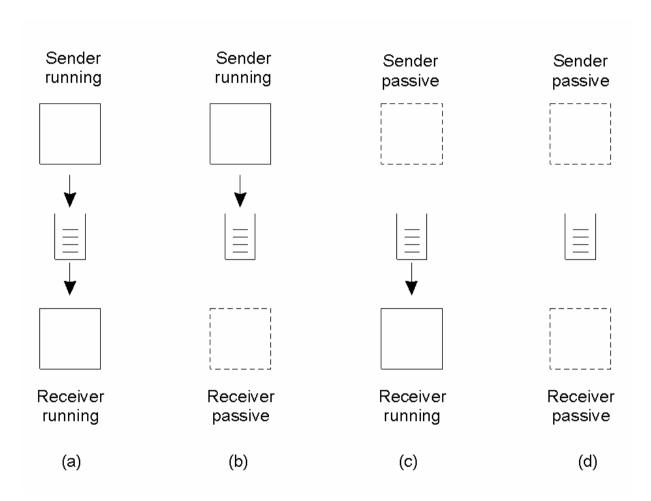
Connection-oriented communication pattern using sockets.

## The Message-Passing Interface (MPI)

Primitive	Meaning	
MPI_bsend	Append outgoing message to a local send buffer	
MPI_send	Send a message and wait until copied to local or remote buffer	
MPI_ssend	Send a message and wait until receipt starts	
MPI_sendrecv	Send a message and wait for reply	
MPI_isend	Pass reference to outgoing message, and continue	
MPI_issend	Pass reference to outgoing message, and wait until receipt starts	
MPI_recv	Receive a message; block if there are none	
MPI_irecv	Check if there is an incoming message, but do not block	

Some of the most intuitive message-passing primitives of MPI.

# Message-Queuing Model (1)



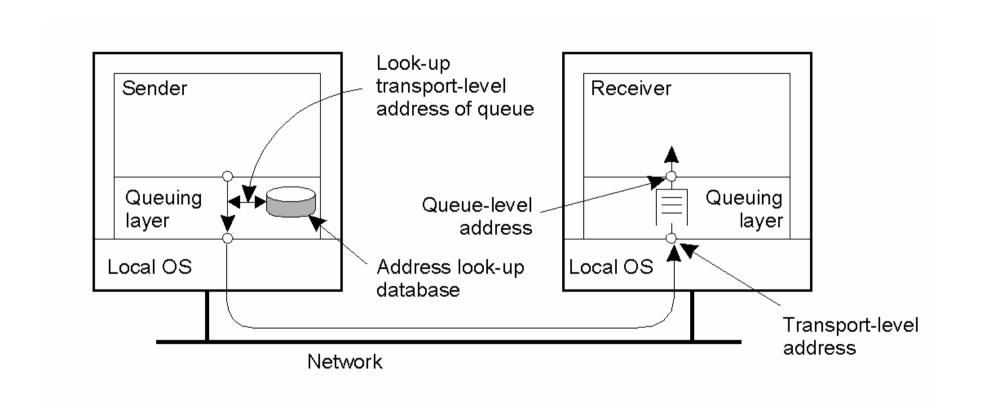
Four combinations for loosely-coupled communications using queues.

# Message-Queuing Model (2)

Primitive	Meaning
Put	Append a message to a specified queue
Get	Block until the specified queue is nonempty, and remove the first message
Poll	Check a specified queue for messages, and remove the first. Never block.
Notify	Install a handler to be called when a message is put into the specified queue.

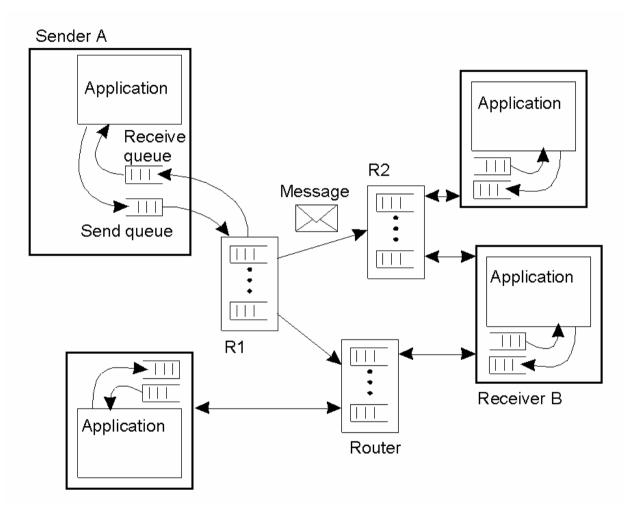
Basic interface to a queue in a message-queuing system.

#### General Architecture of a Message-Queuing System (1)



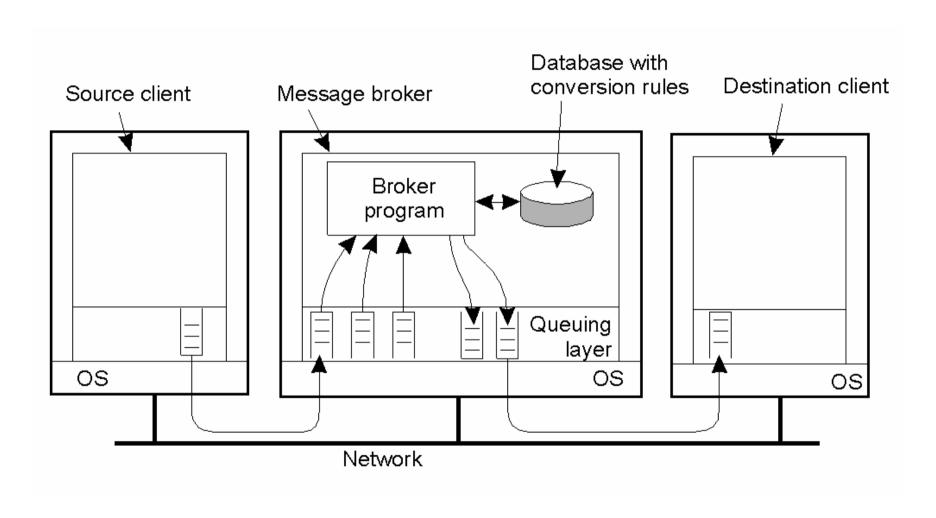
The relationship between queue-level addressing and network-level addressing.

#### General Architecture of a Message-Queuing System (2)



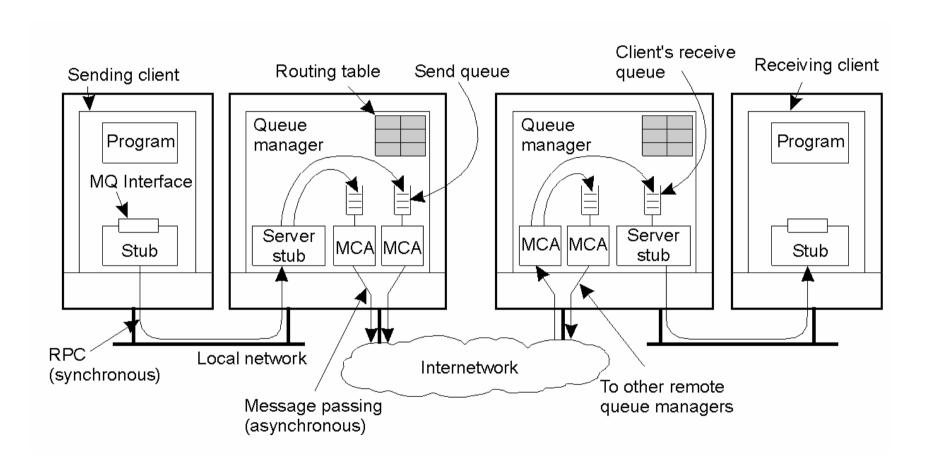
The general organization of a message-queuing system with routers.

### Message Brokers



The general organization of a message broker in a message-queuing system.

## Example: IBM MQSeries



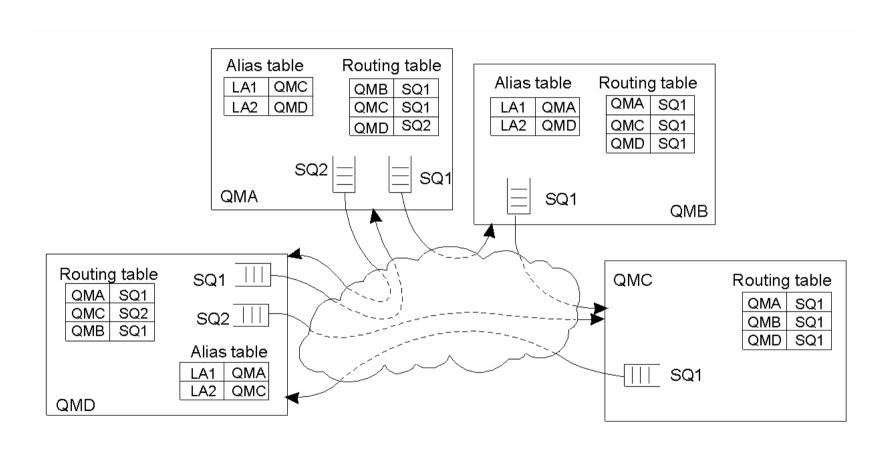
General organization of IBM's MQSeries message-queuing system.

### Channels

Attribute	Description	
Transport type	Determines the transport protocol to be used	
FIFO delivery	Indicates that messages are to be delivered in the order they are sent	
Message length	Maximum length of a single message	
Setup retry count	Specifies maximum number of retries to start up the remote MCA	
Delivery retries	Maximum times MCA will try to put received message into queue	

Some attributes associated with message channel agents.

## Message Transfer (1)



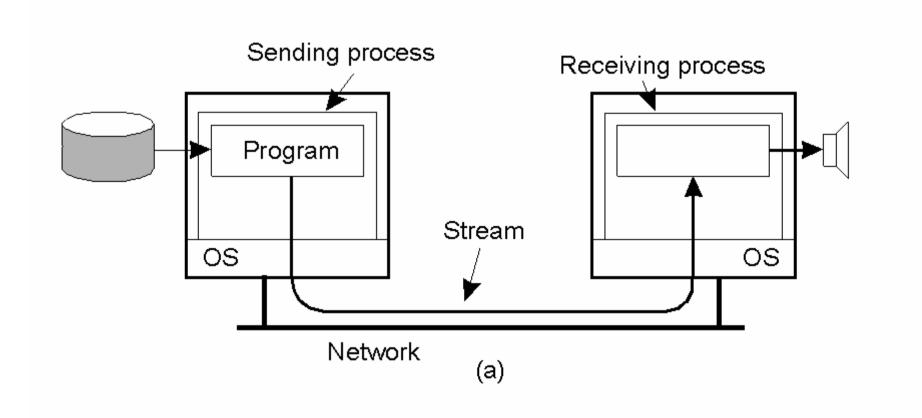
The general organization of an MQSeries queuing network using routing tables and aliases.

## Message Transfer (2)

Primitive	Description	
MQopen	Open a (possibly remote) queue	
MQclose	Close a queue	
MQput	Put a message into an opened queue	
MQget	Get a message from a (local) queue	

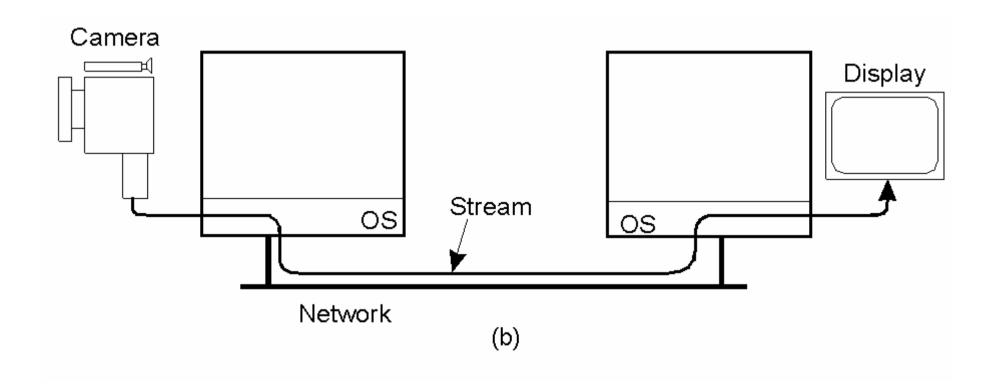
Primitives available in an IBM MQSeries MQI

### Data Stream (1)



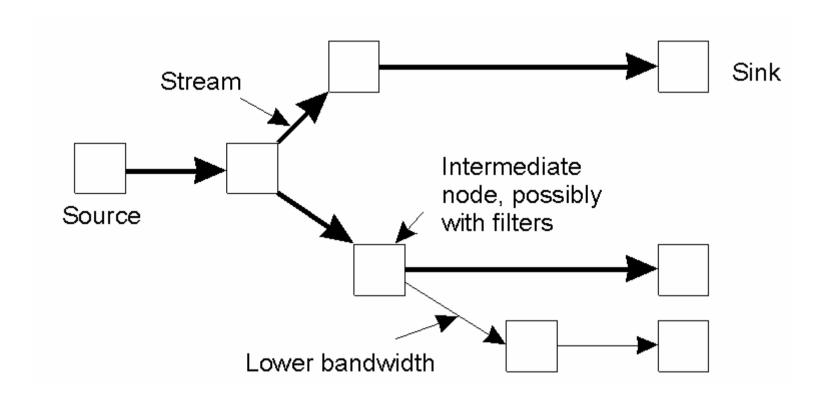
Setting up a stream between two processes across a network.

### Data Stream (2)



Setting up a stream directly between two devices.

### Data Stream (3)



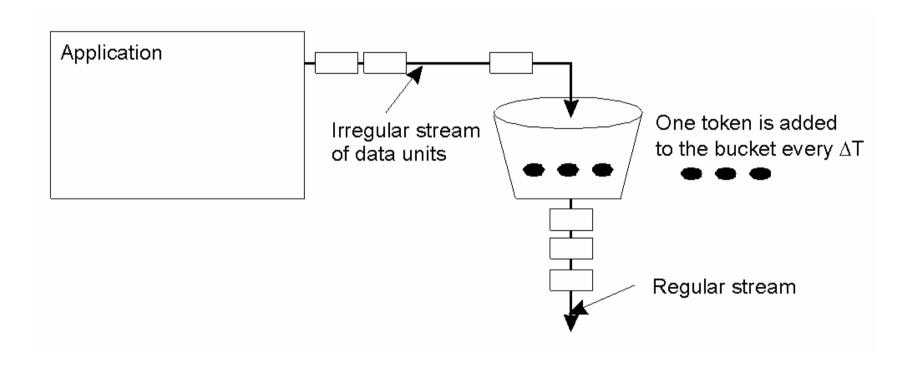
An example of multicasting a stream to several receivers.

# Specifying QoS (1)

Characteristics of the Input	Service Required
•maximum data unit size (bytes)	•Loss sensitivity (bytes)
<ul><li>Token bucket rate (bytes/sec)</li></ul>	•Loss interval (μsec)
•Toke bucket size (bytes)	<ul> <li>Burst loss sensitivity (data units)</li> </ul>
•Maximum transmission rate	<ul> <li>Minimum delay noticed (μsec)</li> </ul>
(bytes/sec)	<ul> <li>Maximum delay variation (μsec)</li> </ul>
	•Quality of guarantee

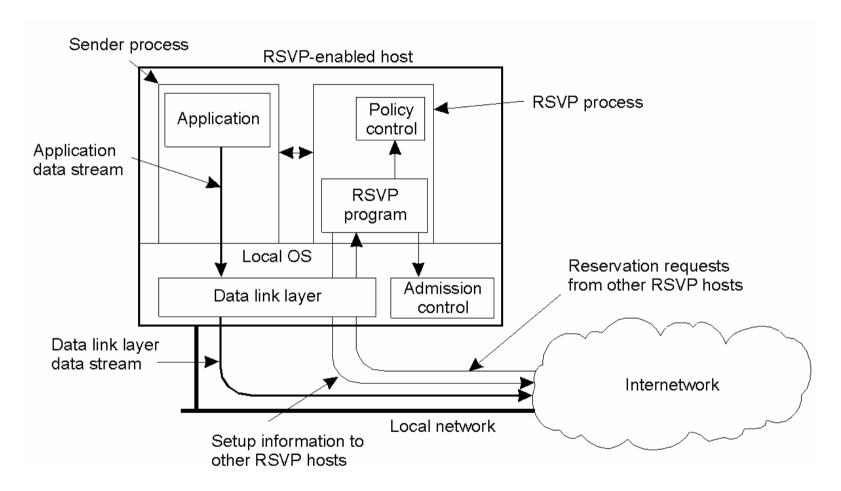
A flow specification.

# Specifying QoS (2)



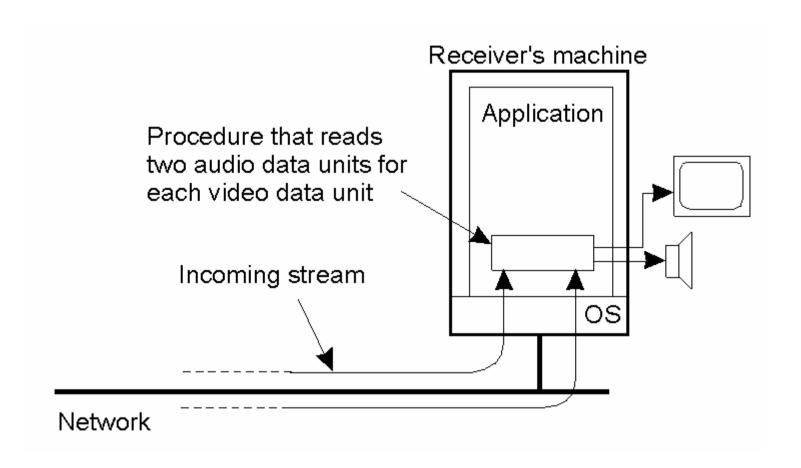
The principle of a token bucket algorithm.

## Setting Up a Stream



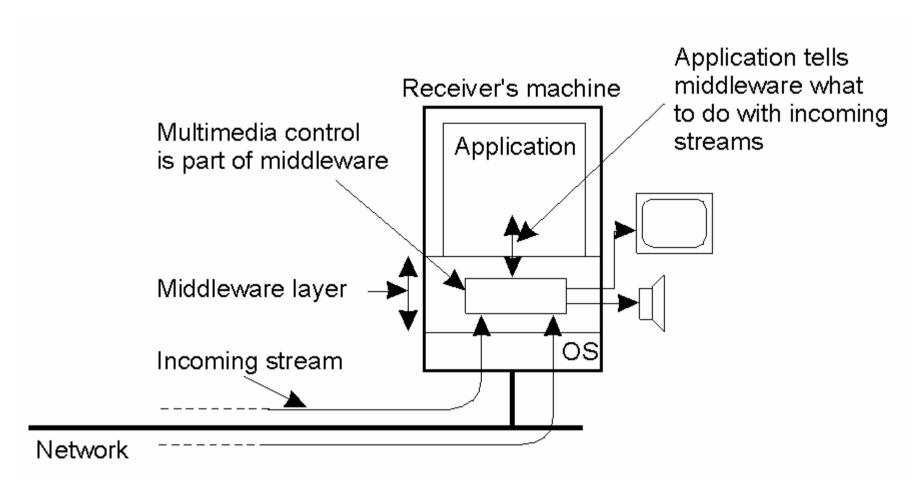
The basic organization of RSVP for resource reservation in a distributed system.

### Synchronization Mechanisms (1)



The principle of explicit synchronization on the level data units.

## Synchronization Mechanisms (2)



The principle of synchronization as supported by high-level interfaces.