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# Tutorial - 3

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# Recap

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- IPv4
- IPv6
- NAT

Be sure to review the questions we did in the tutorials.

# How Internet works - Animation

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<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HOalqQAeaik>

# Some cool stuff

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1. Ping
2. Traceroute
  - a. 'tracert' on dos
  - b. 'traceroute' on linux

# Data Packets

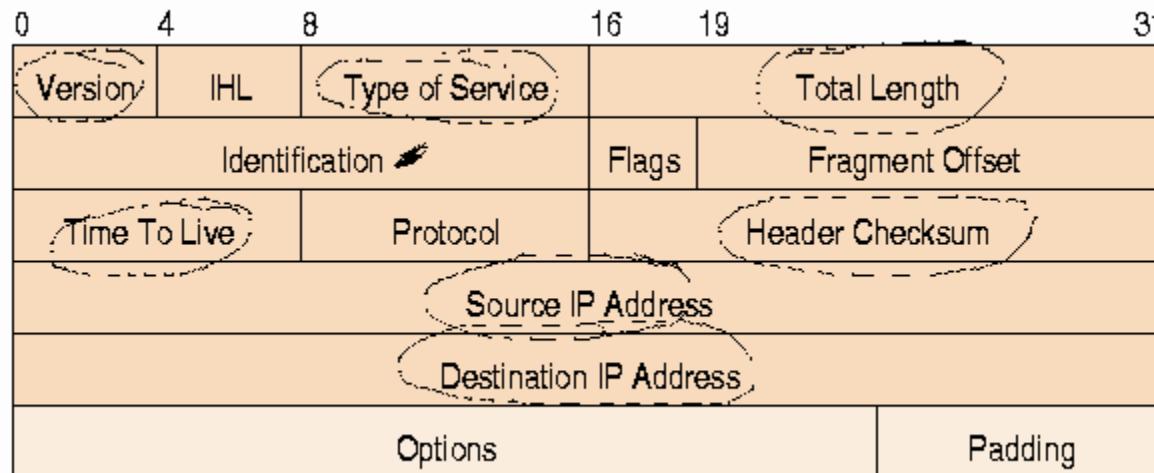
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- Formatted unit of data
- Carried by Packet switched network



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Complete info : [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Network\\_packet#Example:\\_IP\\_packets](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Network_packet#Example:_IP_packets)  
Brief explanation in this tutorial

# Easy ones

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- Version - IPv4, IPv6
- Total length
- Identification
- Source IP
- Destination IP

# Sometimes Packets get corrupted

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- Brief explanation of Parity Check method to recover from error
- Other ways
  - Parity
  - Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC)
  - 2s Complements

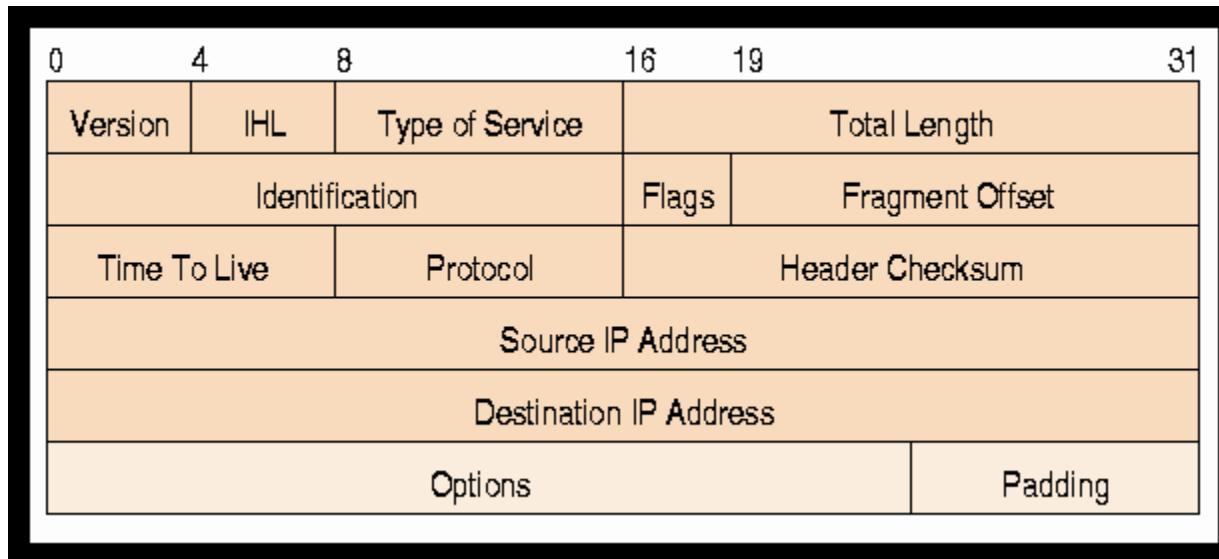
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BxCmS7NIDR4>

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- Now you understand “header checksum”



# Time to live

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- TTL
- Safeguard - to finish off wrongly directed packets
- The TTL count is decremented (by 1) each time a packet goes through a router

# Protocols

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- TCP
- UDP
- ICMP

# Reliable data transfer

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- Packets sometime get lost
- Sometimes packets arrive out of order
- need to recover from losses
  - Checksum
  - Retransmissions

# TCP

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- **Guarantees**
  - Error free data packet delivery
  - In order delivery

Suitable for applications which require error free data delivery

# UDP

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- Connectionless
- No connection establishment
- No acknowledgement and/or retransmission

Suitable for application which can tolerate  
some  
loss of packets

# Comparison

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| <b>TCP</b>  | <b>UDP</b>                     |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Reliable  | Unreliable                     |
| Connection-oriented                                       | Connectionless                 |
| Segment retransmission and flow control through windowing | No windowing or retransmission |
| Segment sequencing  | No sequencing                  |
| Acknowledge segments                                      | No acknowledgement             |