

Application characteristics

Continuous stream
(e.g., interactive voice)

Bursts of data
(most computer-to-computer data)

Response to load variations

Network Type

isochronous
(e.g., telephone network)

asynchronous
(e.g., Internet)

good match	wastes capacity	(hard-edged) either accepts or blocks call
variable latency upsets application	good match	(gradual) 1 variable delay 2 discards data 3 rate adaptation

Networks encounter a vast range of

- Data rates

- Propagation, transmission, queuing, and processing delays.

- Loads

- Numbers of users

Networks traverse hostile environments

- Noise damages data

- Links stop working

Best-effort networks have

- Variable delays

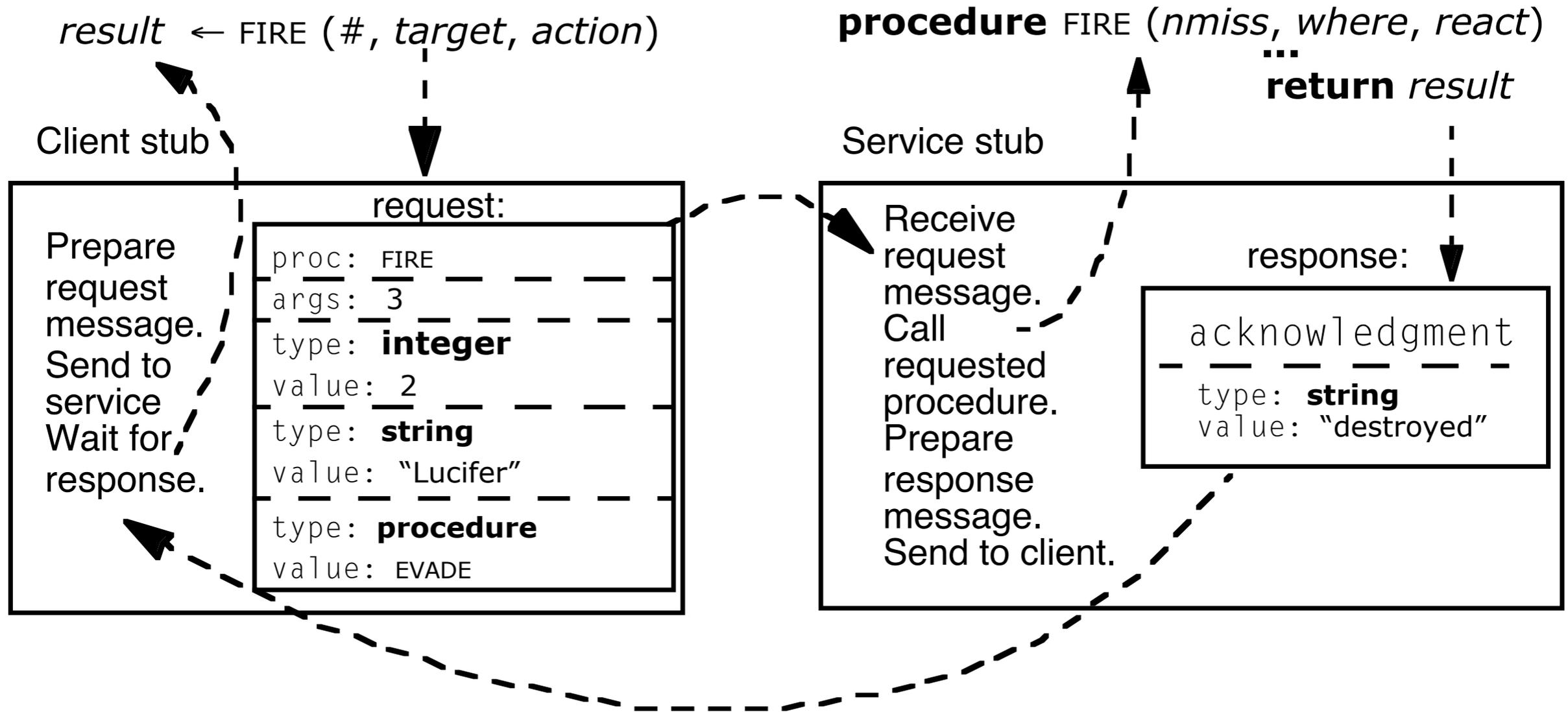
- Variable transmission rates

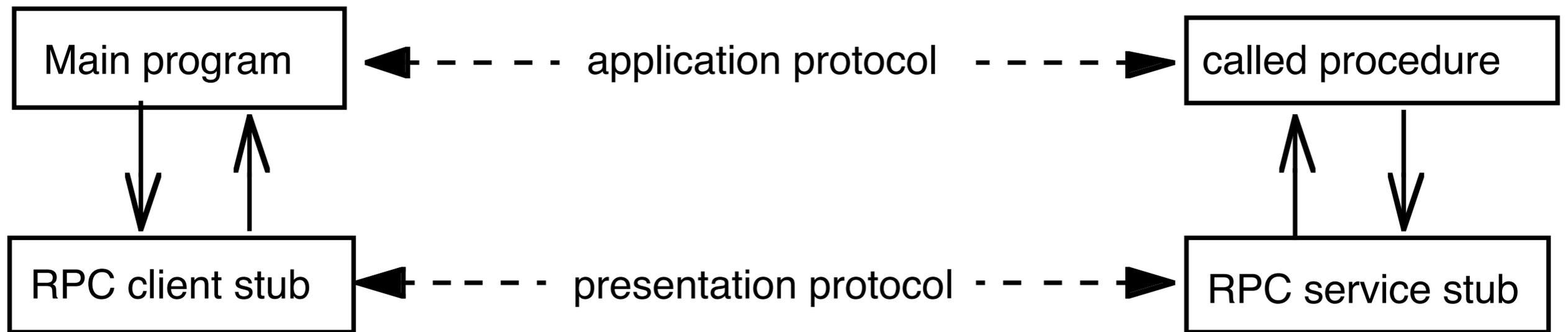
- Discarded packets

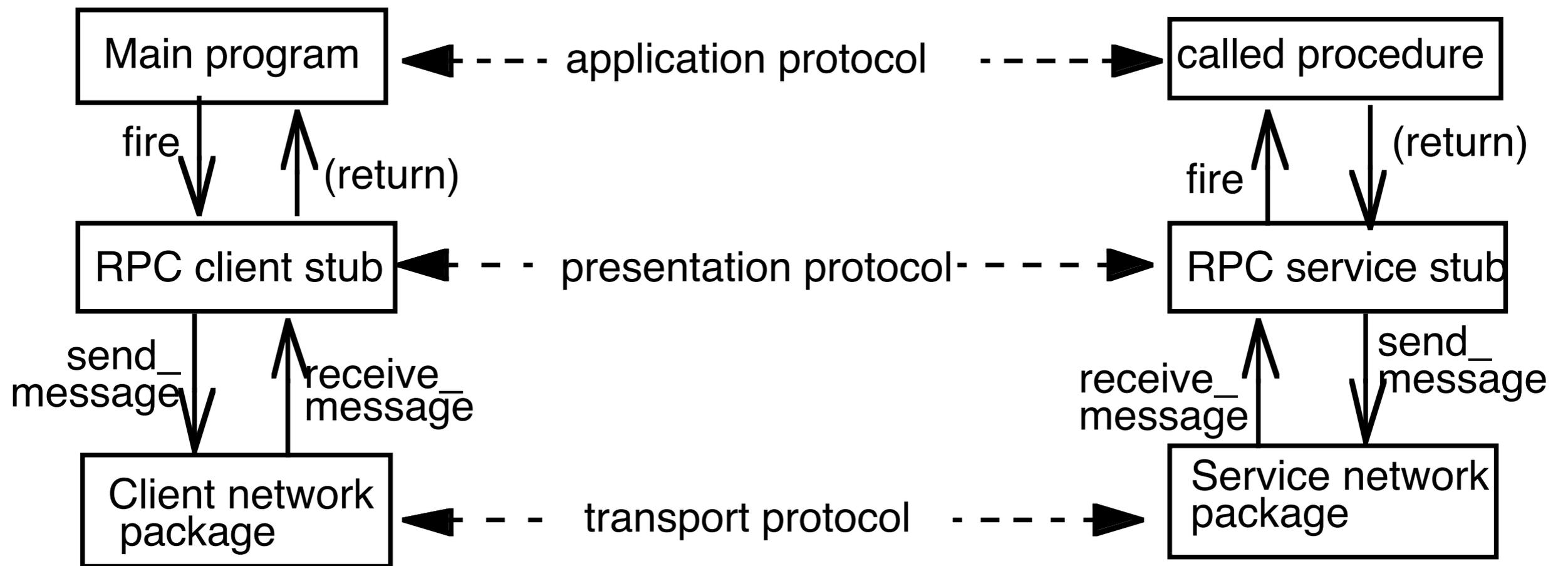
- Duplicate packets

- Maximum packet length

- Reordered delivery



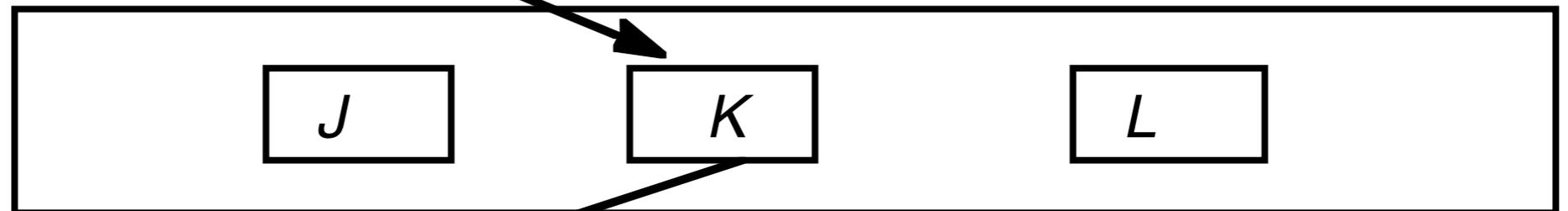




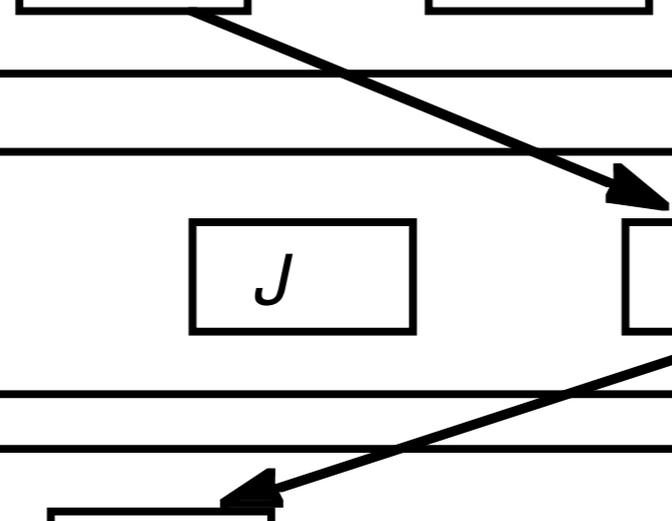
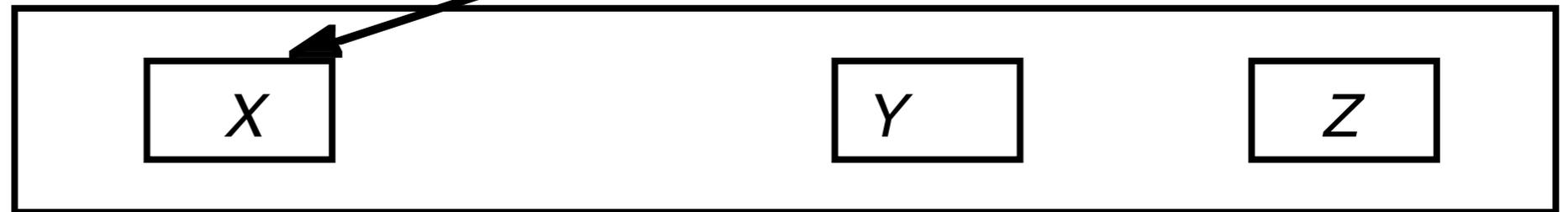
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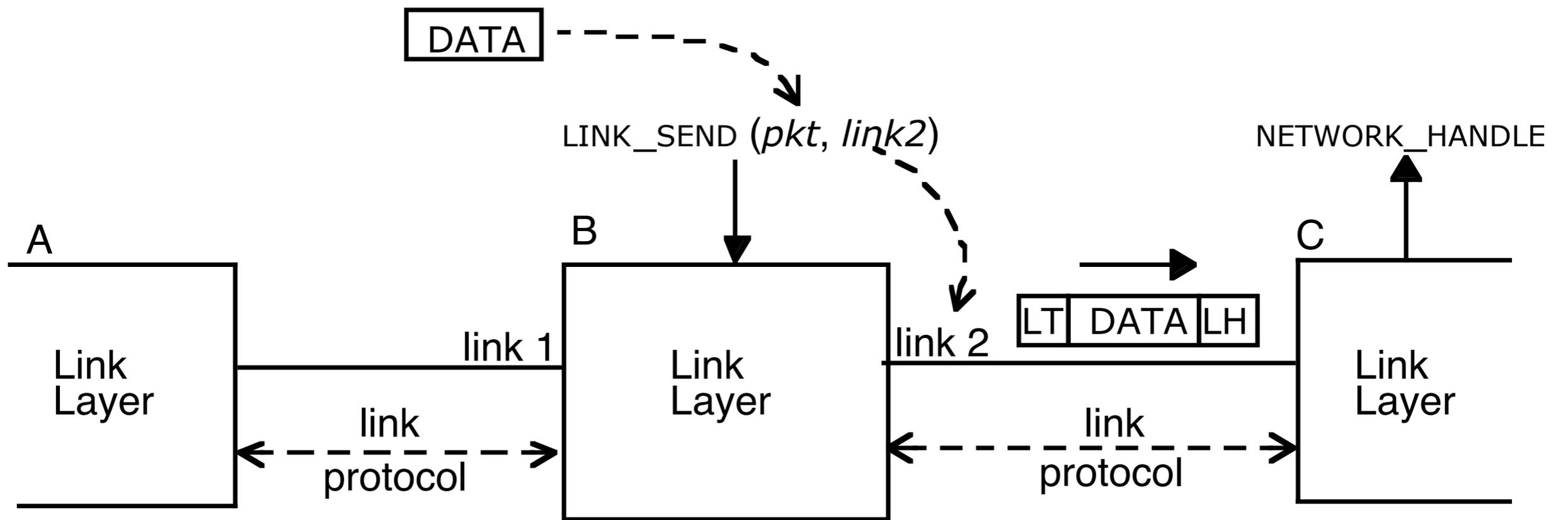


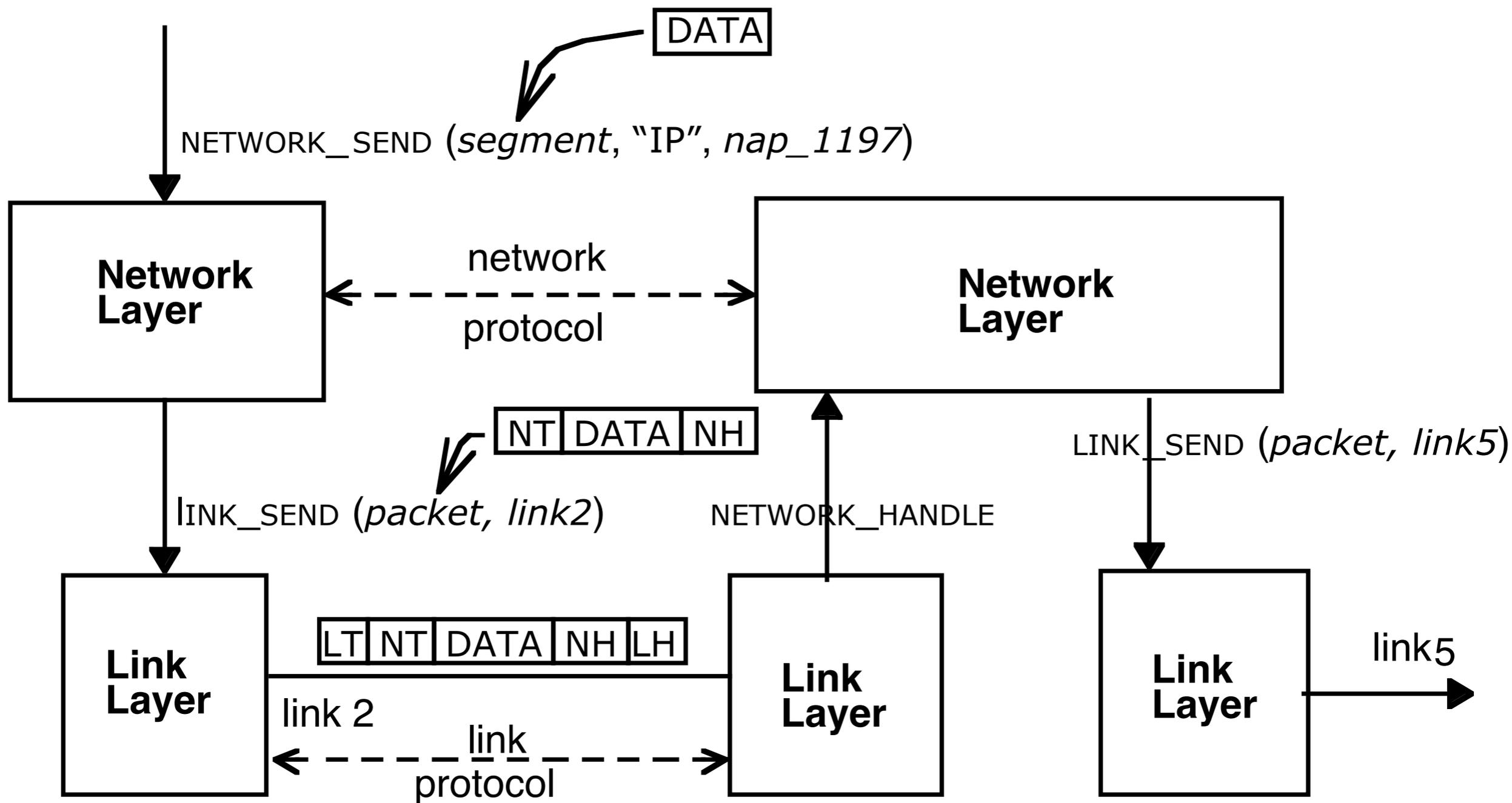
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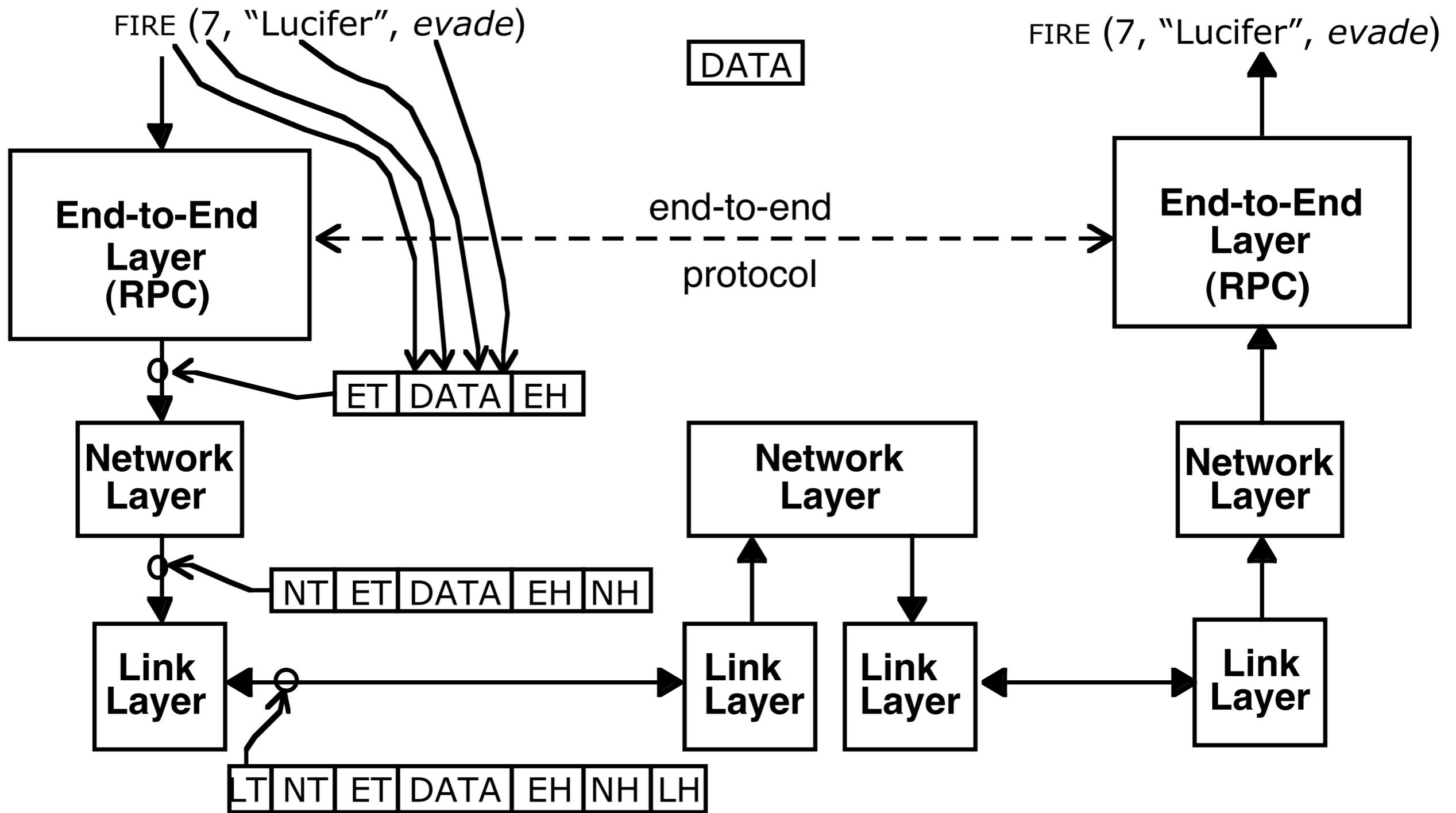


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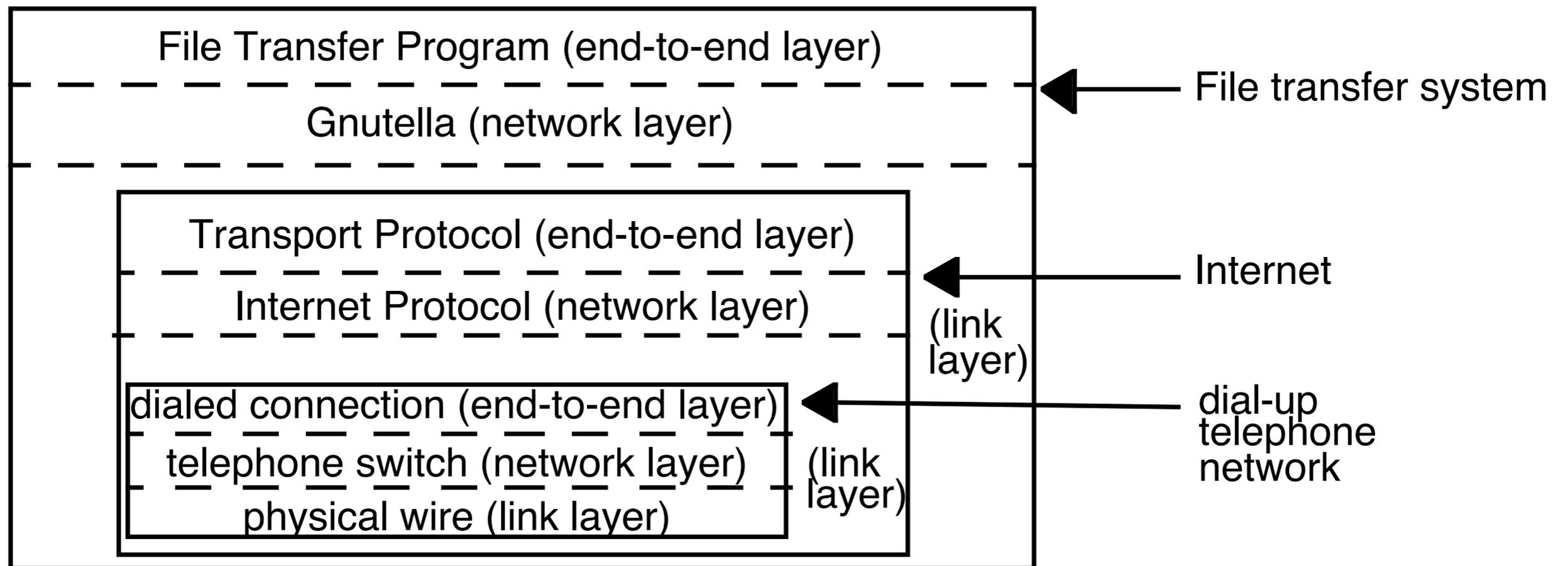


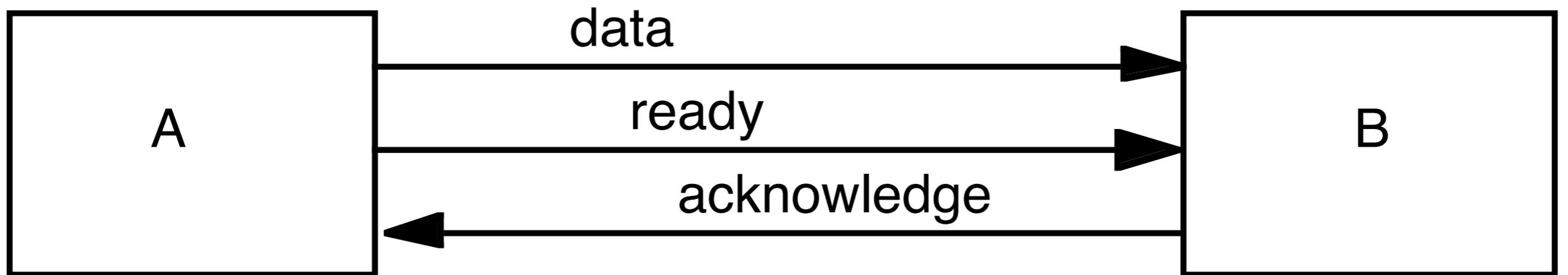


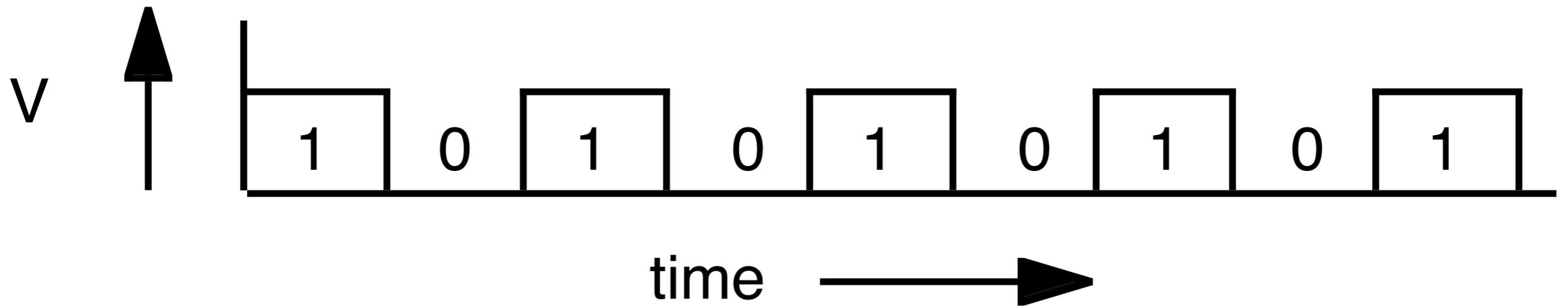


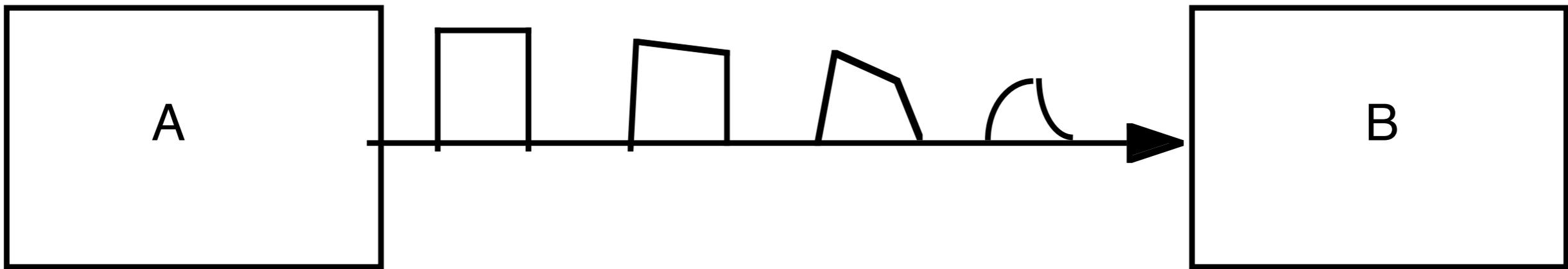
The end-to-end argument

The application knows best.









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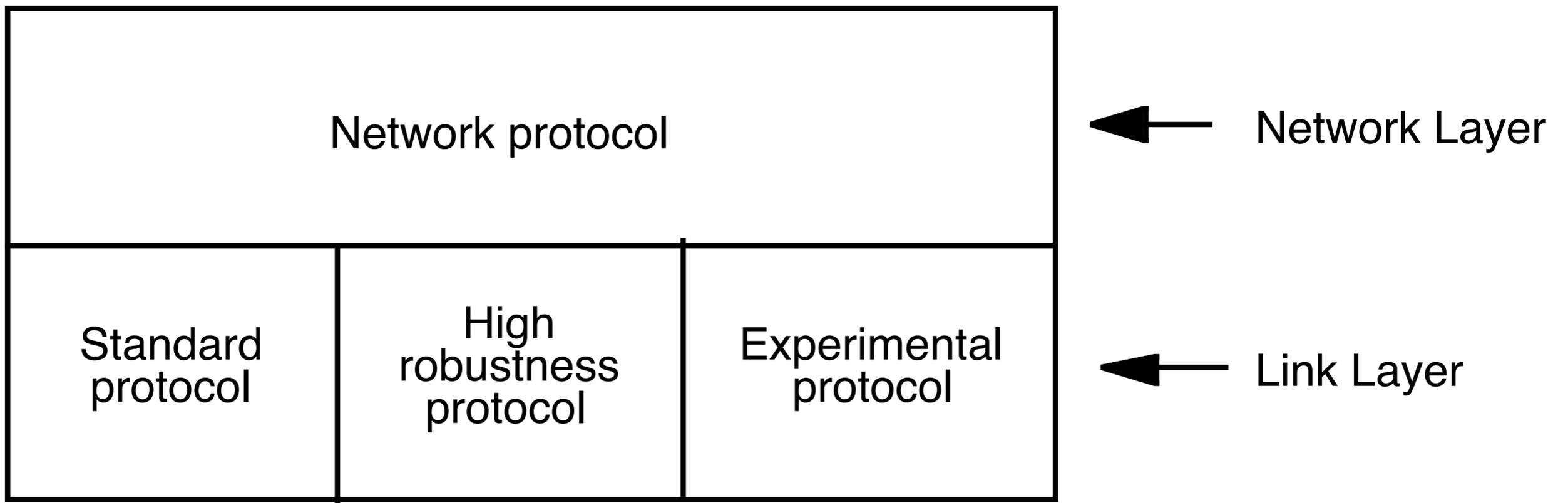
procedure FRAME_TO_BIT (frame_data, length)
  ones_in_a_row = 0
  for i from 1 to length do           // First send frame contents
    SEND_BIT (frame_data[i]);
    if frame_data[i] = 1 then
      ones_in_a_row ← ones_in_a_row + 1;
      if ones_in_a_row = 6 then
        SEND_BIT (0);           // Stuff a zero so that data doesn't
        ones_in_a_row ← 0;     // look like a framing marker
      else
        ones_in_a_row ← 0;
    for i from 1 to 7 do           // Now send framing marker.
      SEND_BIT (1)

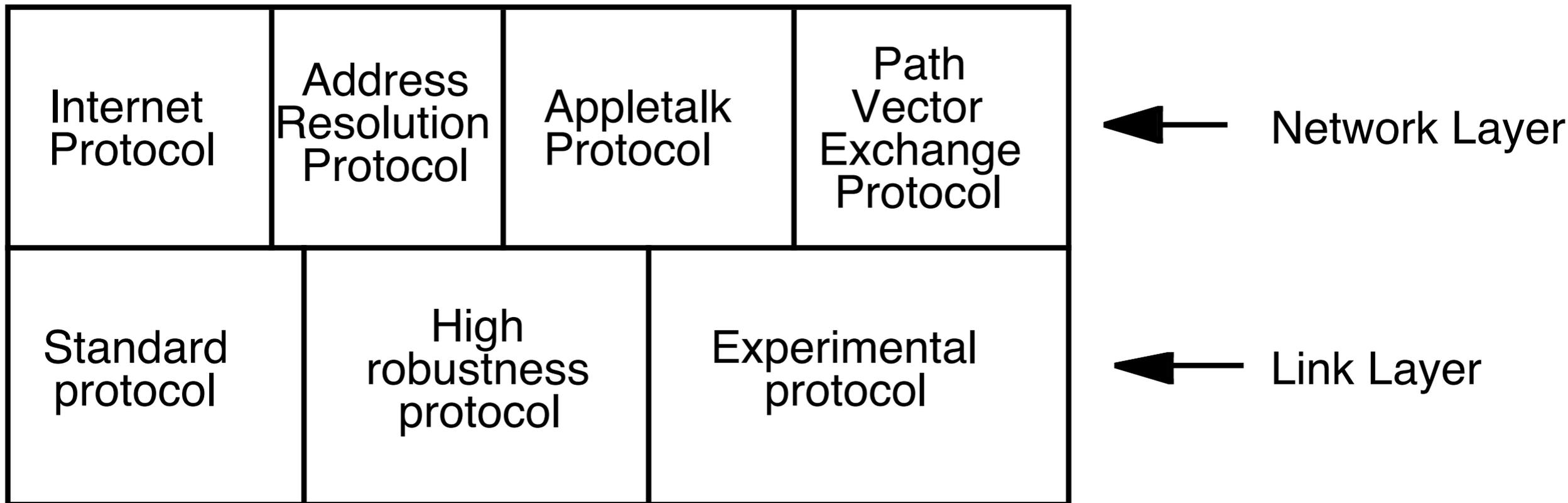
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procedure BIT_TO_FRAME (rcvd_bit)
  ones_in_a_row integer initially 0
  if ones_in_a_row < 6 then
    bits_in_frame ← bits_in_frame + 1
    frame_data[bits_in_frame] ← rcvd_bit
    if rcvd_bit = 1 then ones_in_a_row ← ones_in_a_row + 1
    else ones_in_a_row ← 0
  else // This may be a seventh one-bit in a row, check it out.
    if rcvd_bit = 0 then
      ones_in_a_row ← 0 // Stuffed bit, don't use it.
    else // This is the end-of-frame marker
      LINK_RECEIVE (frame_data, (bits_in_frame - 6), link_id)
      bits_in_frame ← 0
      ones_in_a_row ← 0

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procedure LINK_RECEIVE (received_frame, length, link_id)
  frame instance received_frame
  if CHECKSUM (received_frame.checked_contents, length) =
                                received_frame.checksum
    then // Pass good packets up to next layer.
      good_frame_count ← good_frame_count + 1;
      GIVE_TO_NETWORK_HANDLER (received_frame.checked_contents.payload,
                              received_frame.checked_contents.net_protocol);
    else bad_frame_count ← bad_frame_count + 1 // Just count damaged frame.

// Each network layer protocol handler must call SET_HANDLER before the first packet
// for that protocol arrives...

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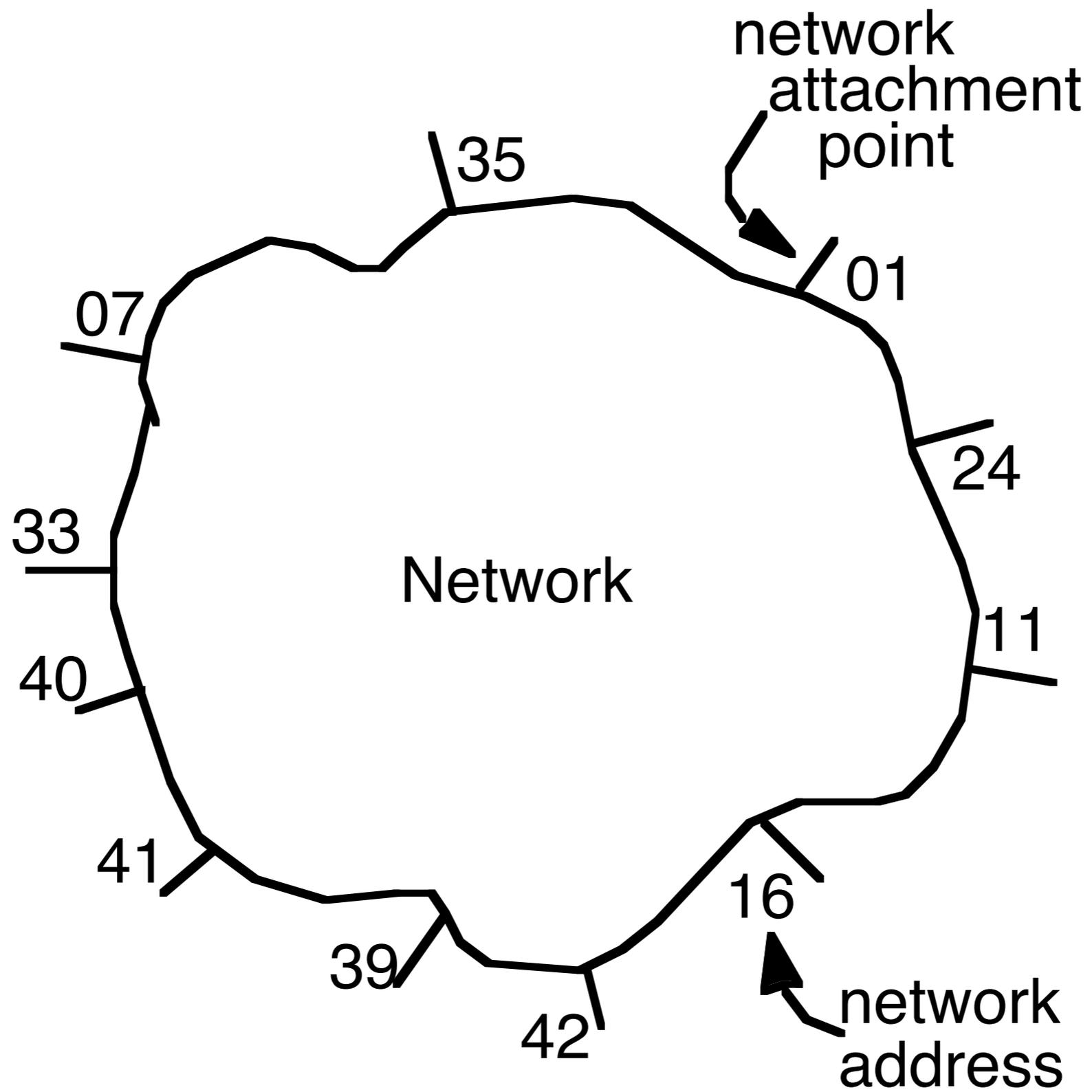
procedure SET_HANDLER (handler_procedure, handler_protocol)
  net_handler[handler_protocol] ← handler_procedure

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procedure GIVE_TO_NETWORK_HANDLER (received_packet, network_protocol)
  handler ← net_handler[network_protocol]
  if (handler ≠ NULL) call handler(received_packet, network_protocol)
  else unexpected_protocol_count ← unexpected_protocol_count + 1

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structure *packet*

bit_string *source*

bit_string *destination*

bit_string *end_protocol*

bit_string *payload*

procedure NETWORK_SEND (*segment_buffer, destination,*
network_protocol, end_protocol)

packet **instance** *outgoing_packet*

outgoing_packet.payload ← *segment_buffer*

outgoing_packet.end_protocol ← *end_protocol*

outgoing_packet.source ← MY_NETWORK_ADDRESS

outgoing_packet.destination ← *destination*

NETWORK_HANDLE (*outgoing_packet, net_protocol*)

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procedure NETWORK_HANDLE (net_packet, net_protocol)
  packet instance net_packet
  if net_packet.destination  $\neq$  MY_NETWORK_ADDRESS then
    next_hop  $\leftarrow$  LOOKUP (net_packet.destination, forwarding_table)
    LINK_SEND (net_packet, next_hop, link_protocol, net_protocol)
  else
    GIVE_TO_END_LAYER (net_packet.payload,
                       net_packet.end_protocol, net_packet.source)
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Segment presented to the network layer



Packet presented to the link layer

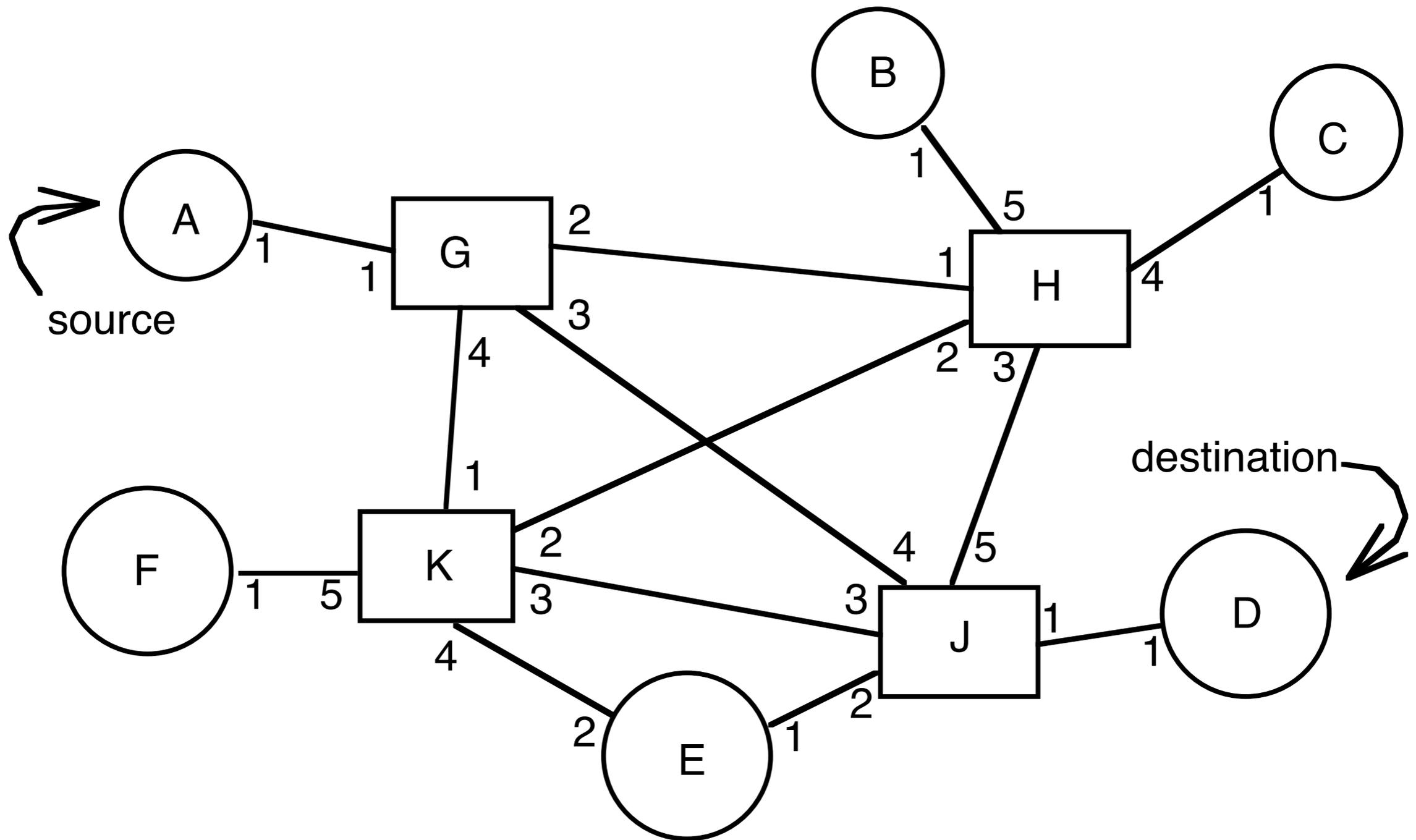


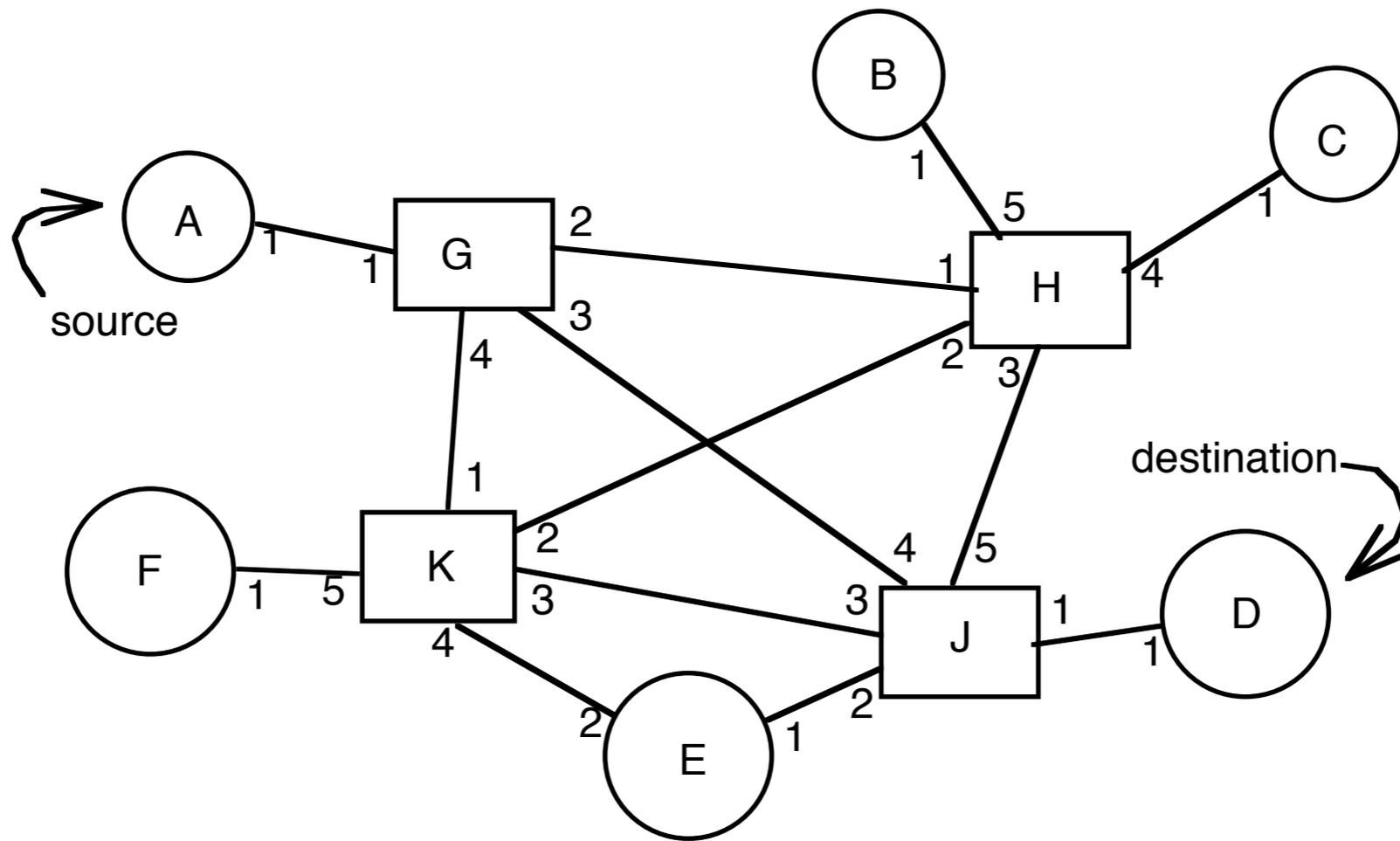
Frame appearing on the link



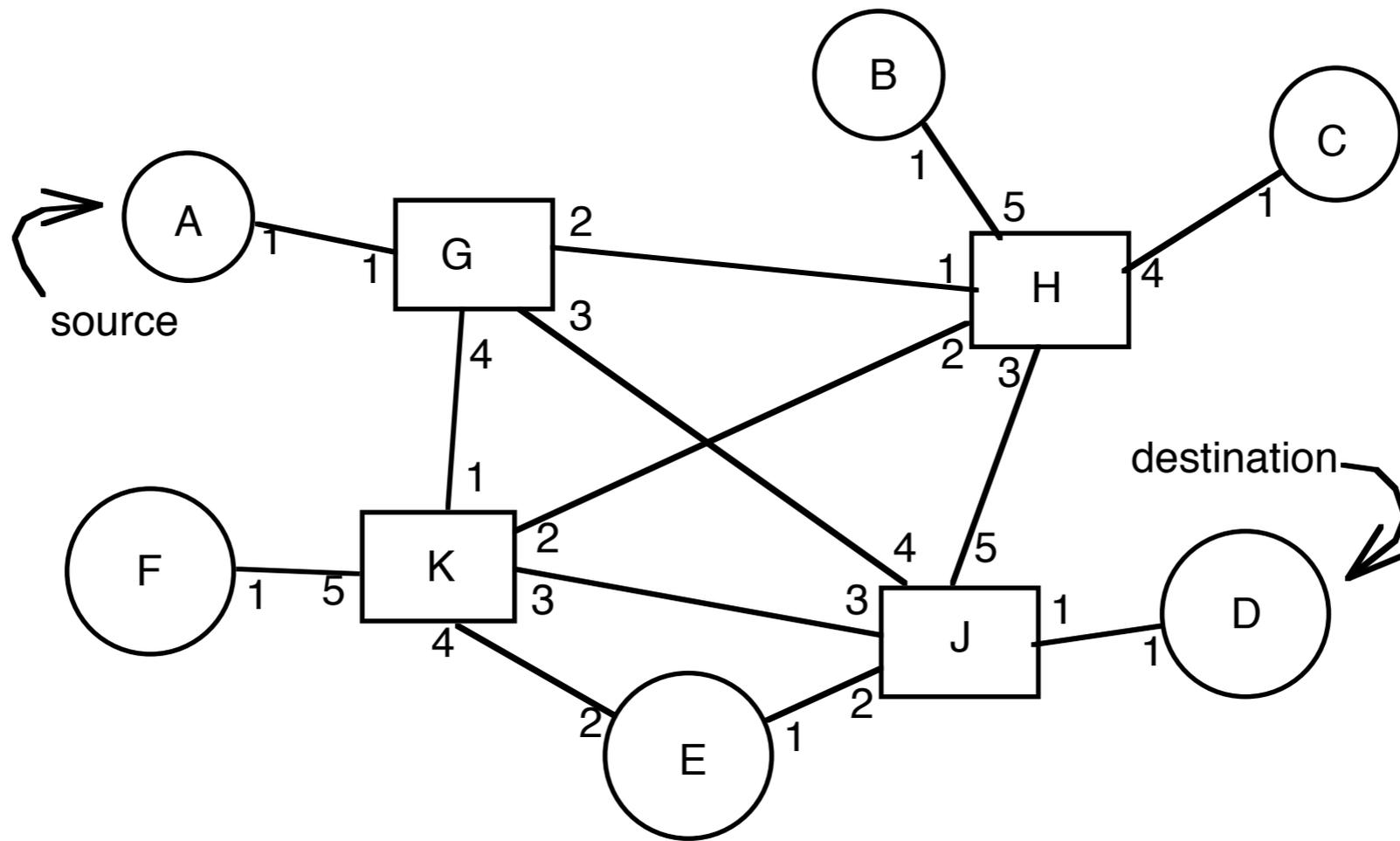
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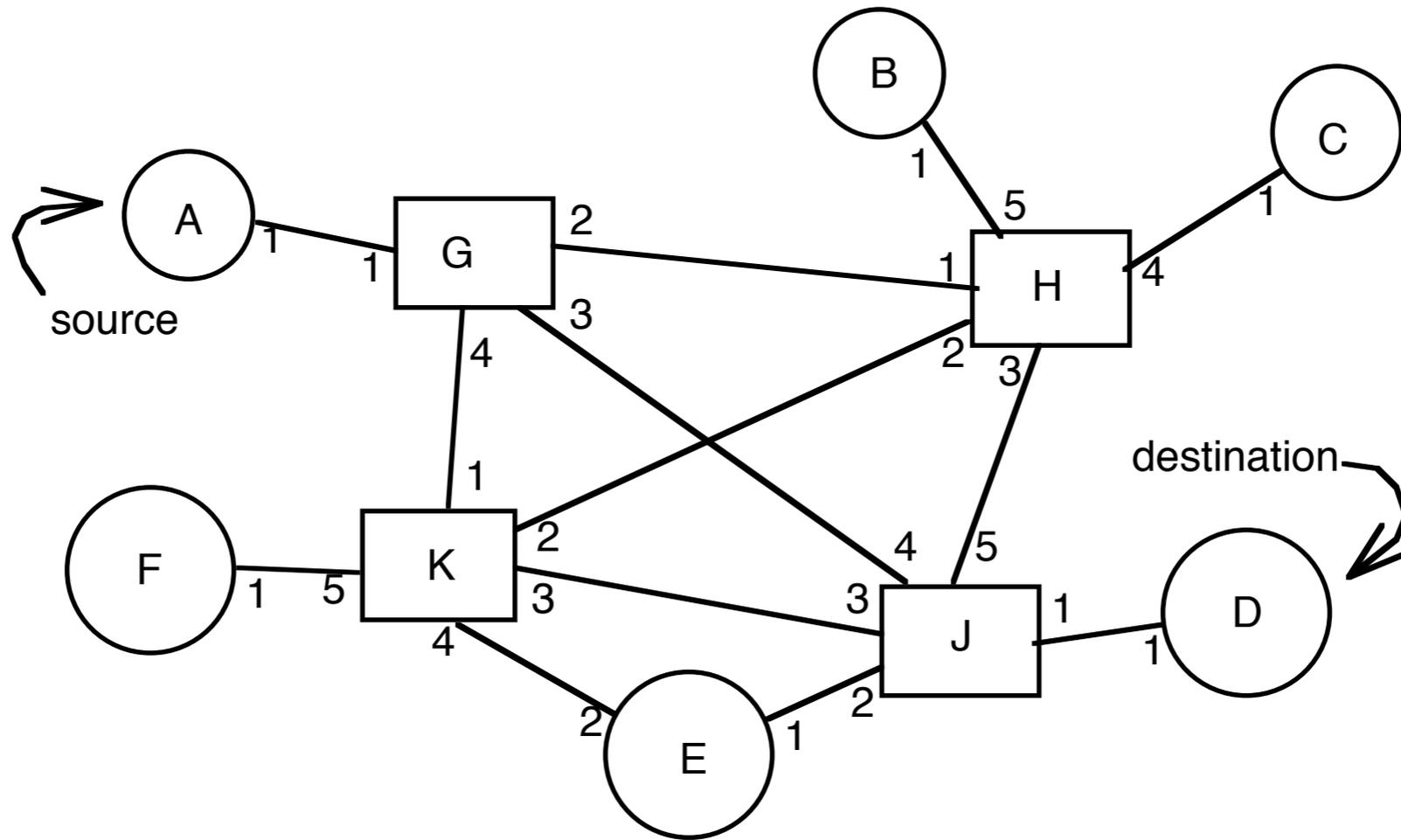




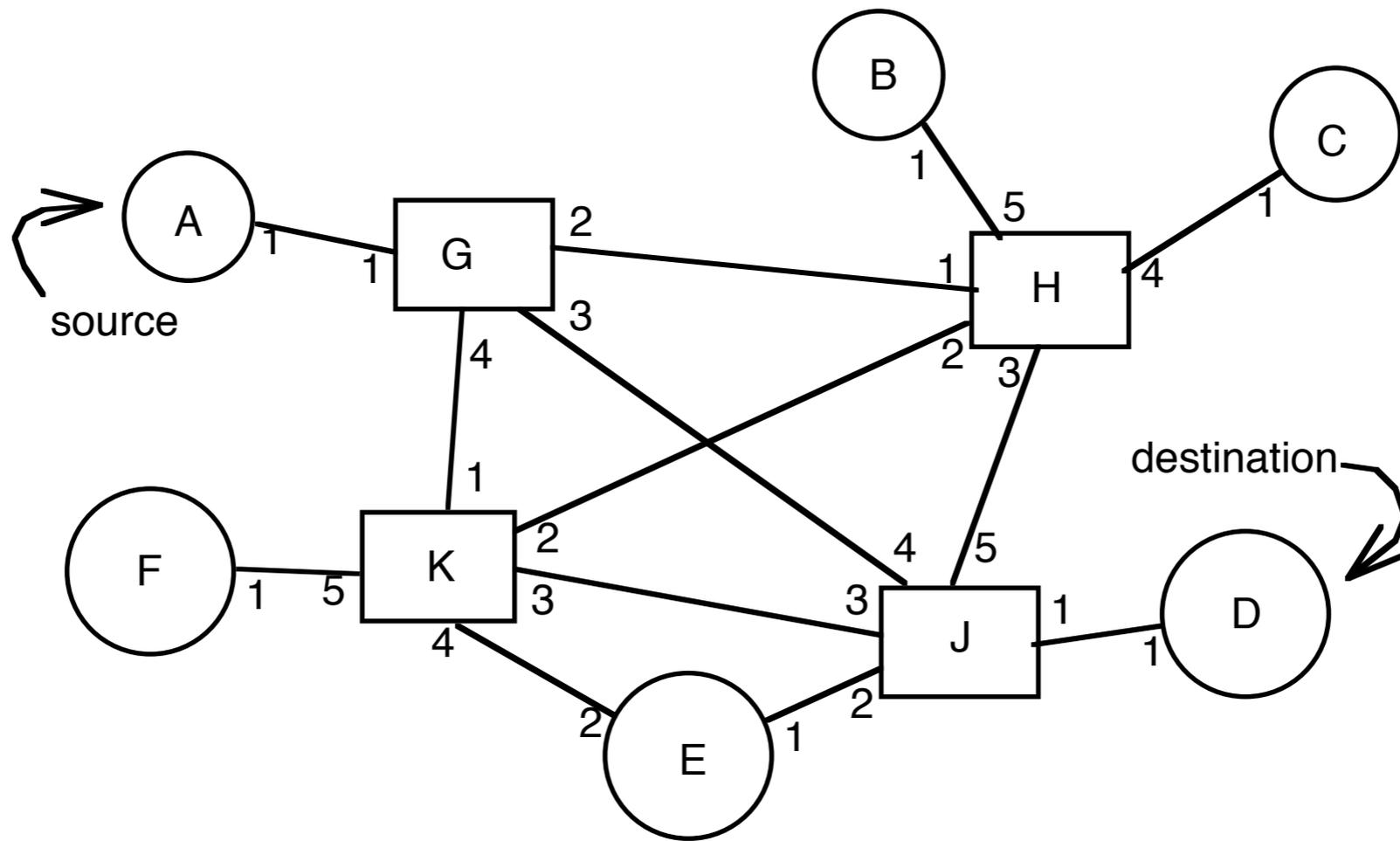
destination	link
A	end-layer
all other	1



destination	link
A	1
B	2
C	2
D	3
E	4
F	4
G	end-layer
H	2
J	3
K	4



to	path
G	<>



From A,
via link 1

to	path
A	<>

From H,
via link 2:

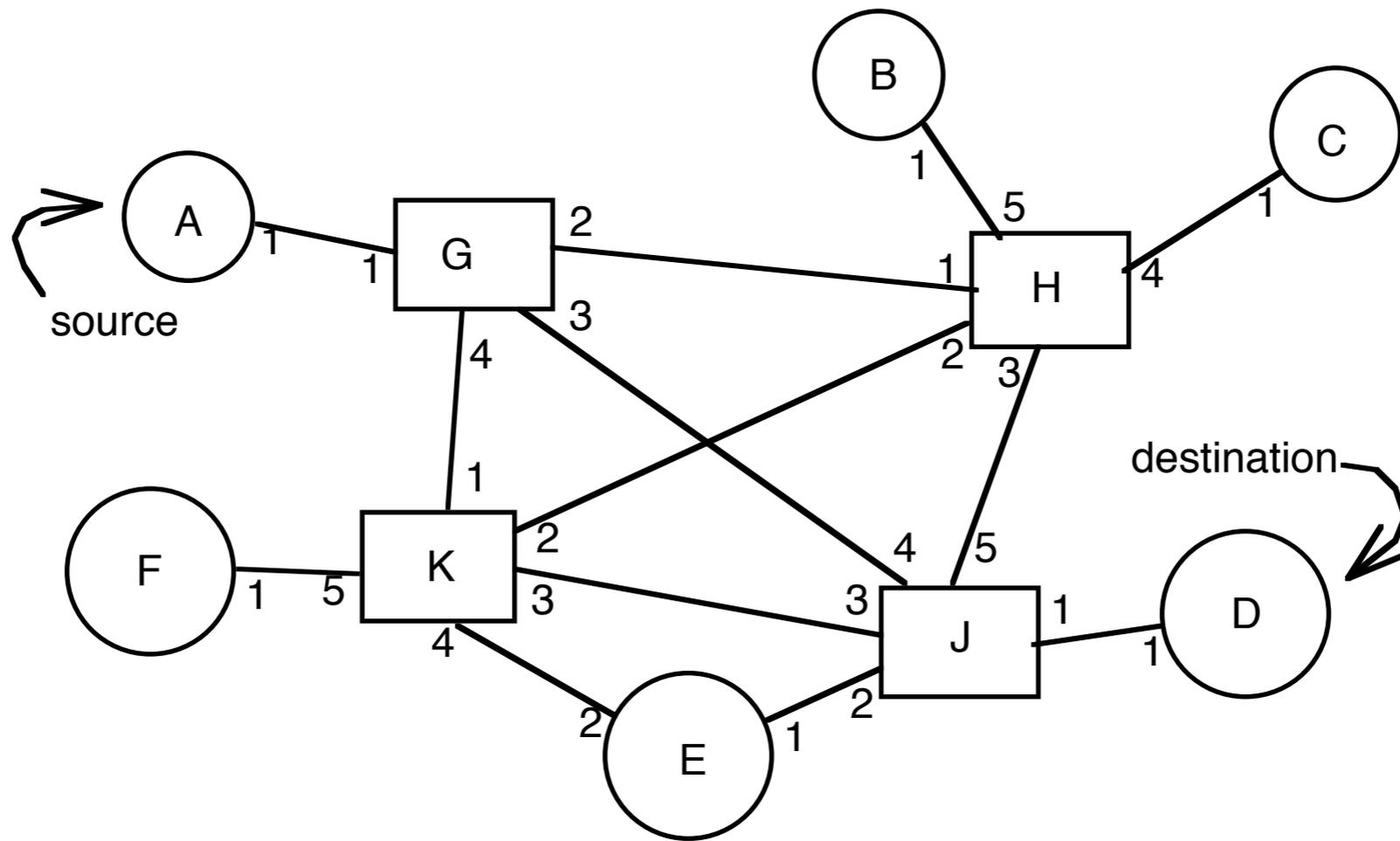
to	path
H	<>

From J,
via link 3:

to	path
J	<>

From K,
via link 4:

to	path
K	<>

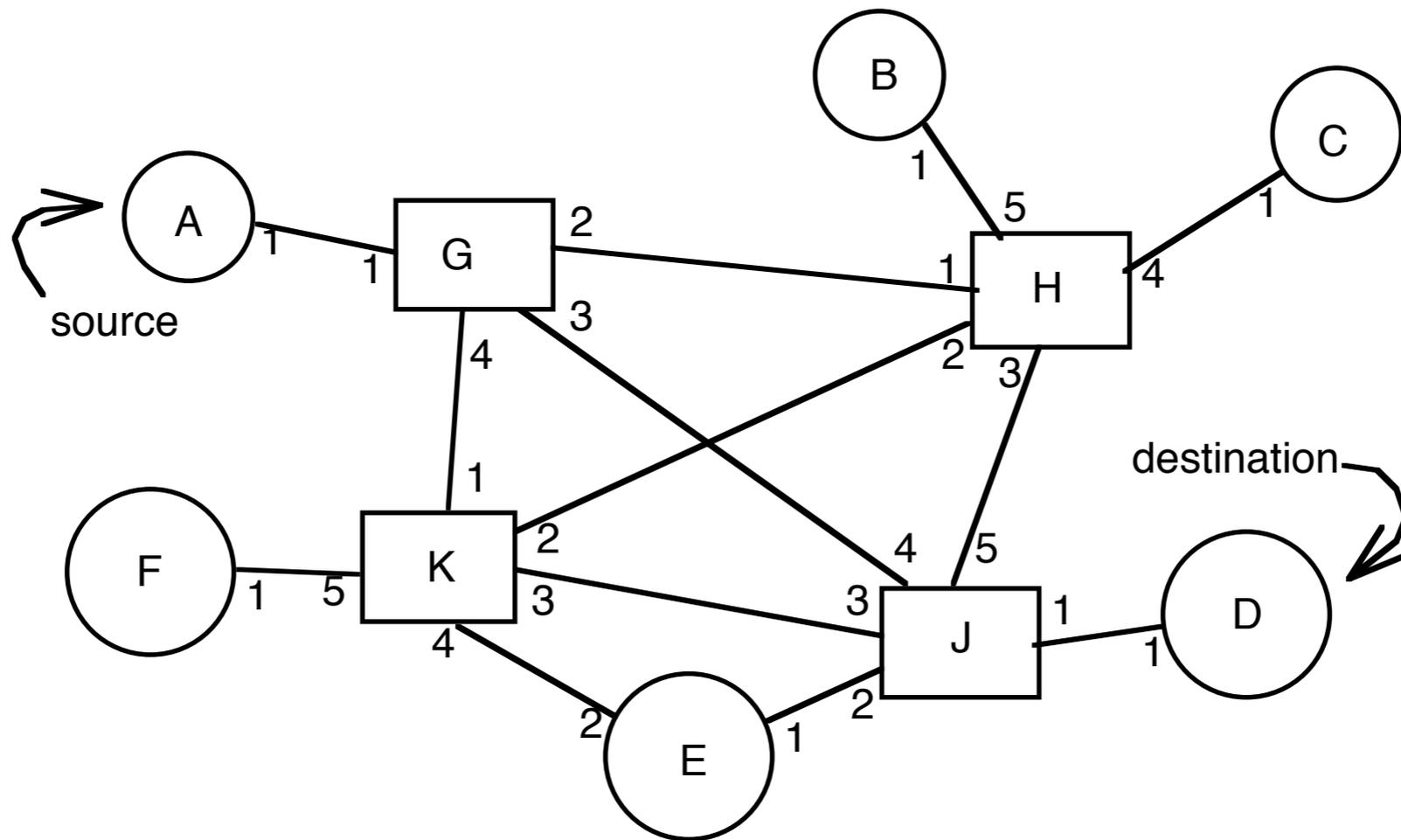


path vector

to	path
A	<A>
G	<>
H	<H>
J	<J>
K	<K>

forwarding table

to	link
A	1
G	end-layer
H	2
J	3
K	4



From A,
via link 1

to	path
A	<>
G	<G>

From H,
via link 2:

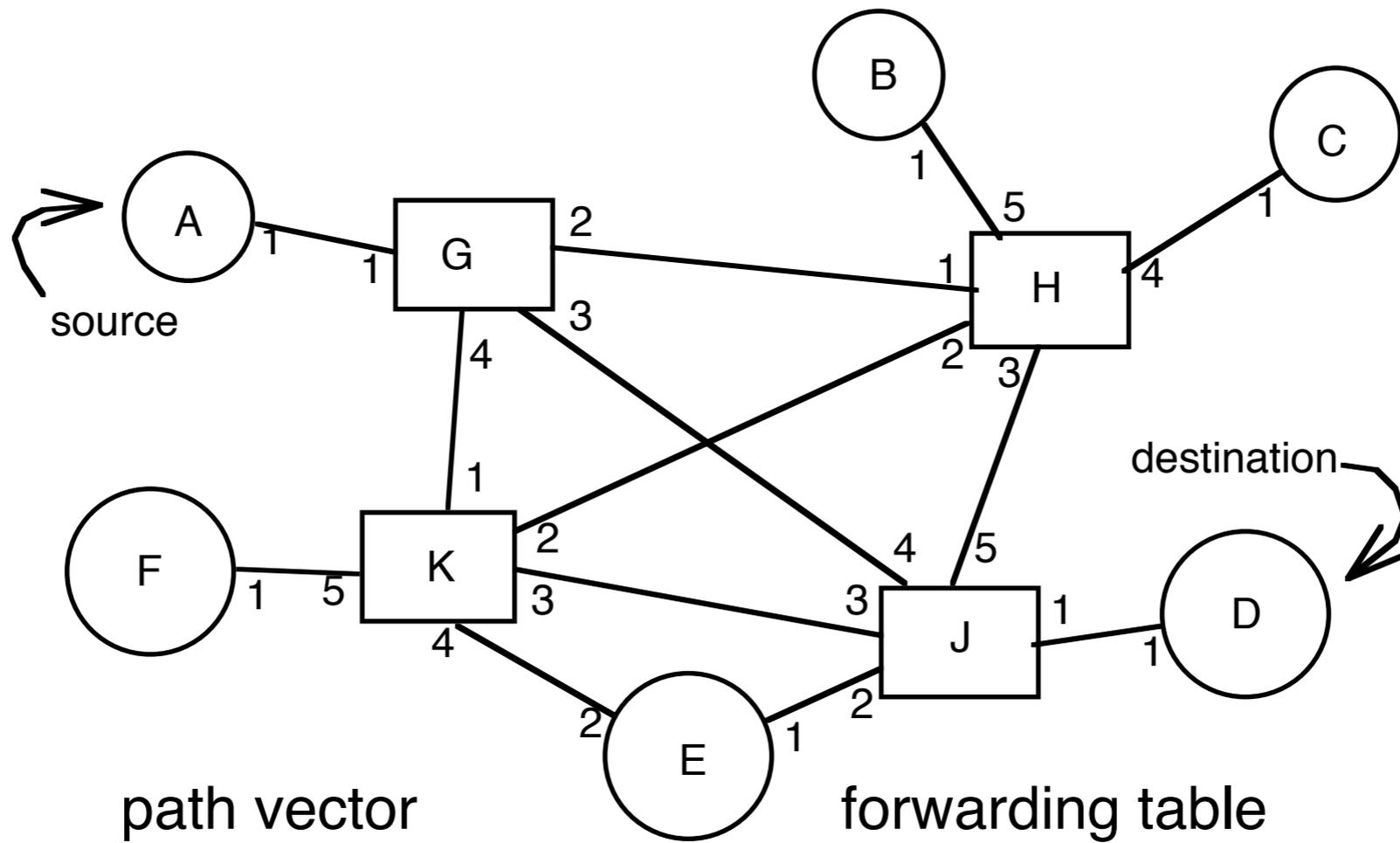
to	path
B	
C	<C>
G	<G>
I	<>
J	<J>
K	<K>

From J,
via link 3:

to	path
D	<D>
E	<E>
G	<G>
I	<H>
J	<>
K	<K>

From K,
via link 4:

to	path
E	<E>
F	<F>
G	<G>
H	<H>
J	<J>
K	<>



to	path
A	A
B	H, B
C	H, C
D	J, D
E	K, E
F	K, F
G	G
H	H
I	H
J	J
K	K

to	link
A	1
B	2
C	2
D	3
E	3
F	3
G	4
H	end-layer
I	2
J	3
K	4

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// Maintain routing and forwarding tables.
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vector associative array           // vector[d_addr] contains path to destination d_addr  
neighbor_vector instance of vector // A path vector received from some neighbor  
my_vector instance of vector      // My current path vector.  
addr associative array           // addr[j] is the address of the network attachment  
                                     // point at the other end of link j.  
                                     // my_addr is address of my network attachment point.  
                                     // A path is a parsable list of addresses, e.g. {a,b,c,d}
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procedure main()                       // Initialize, then start advertising.  
    SET_TYPE_HANDLER (HANDLE_ADVERTISEMENT, exchange_protocol)  
    clear my_vector;                       // Listen for advertisements  
    do occasionally                       // and advertise my paths  
        for each j in link_ids do      // to all of my neighbors.  
            status ← SEND_PATH_VECTOR (j, my_addr, my_vector, exch_protocol)  
            if status ≠ 0 then             // If the link was down,  
                clear new_vector         // forget about any paths  
                FLUSH_AND_REBUILD (j)    // that start with that link.
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procedure HANDLE_ADVERTISEMENT (adv, link_id) // Called when an adv arrives.
  addr[link_id] ← GET_SOURCE (adv) // Extract neighbor's address
  neighbor_vector ← GET_PATH_VECTOR (adv) // and path vector.
  for each neighbor_vector.d_addr do // Look for better paths.
    new_path ← {addr[link_id], neighbor_vector[d_addr]} // Build potential path.
    if my_addr is not in new_path then // Skip it if I'm in it.
      if my_vector[d_addr] = NULL) then // Is it a new destination?
        my_vector[d_addr] ← new_path // Yes, add this one.
      else // Not new; if better, use it.
        my_vector[d_addr] ← SELECT_PATH (new_path, my_vector[d_addr])
  FLUSH_AND_REBUILD (link_id)

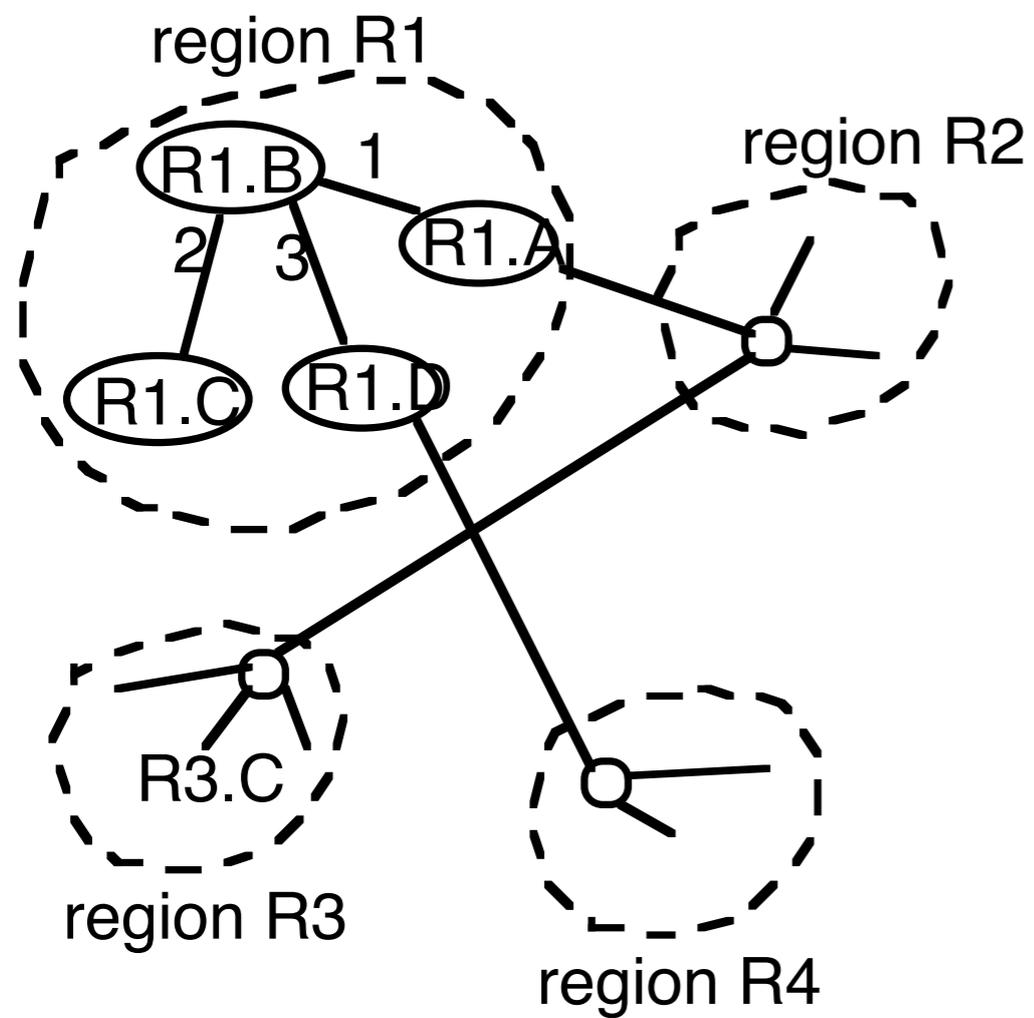
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procedure SELECT_PATH (new, old)           // Decide if new path is better than old one.
  if first_hop(new) = first_hop(old) then return new // Update any path we were
                                                    // already using.
  else if length(new) ≥ length(old) then return old // We know a shorter path, keep
  else return new                                 // OK, the new one looks better.

procedure FLUSH_AND_REBUILD (link_id)      // Flush out stale paths from this neighbor.
  for each my_vector, d_addr
    if first_hop(my_vector[d_addr]) = addr[link_id] and new_vector[d_addr] = NULL
      then
        delete my_vector[d_addr]           // Delete paths that are not still advertised.
  REBUILD_FORWARDING_TABLE (my_vector, addr) // Pass info to forwarder.

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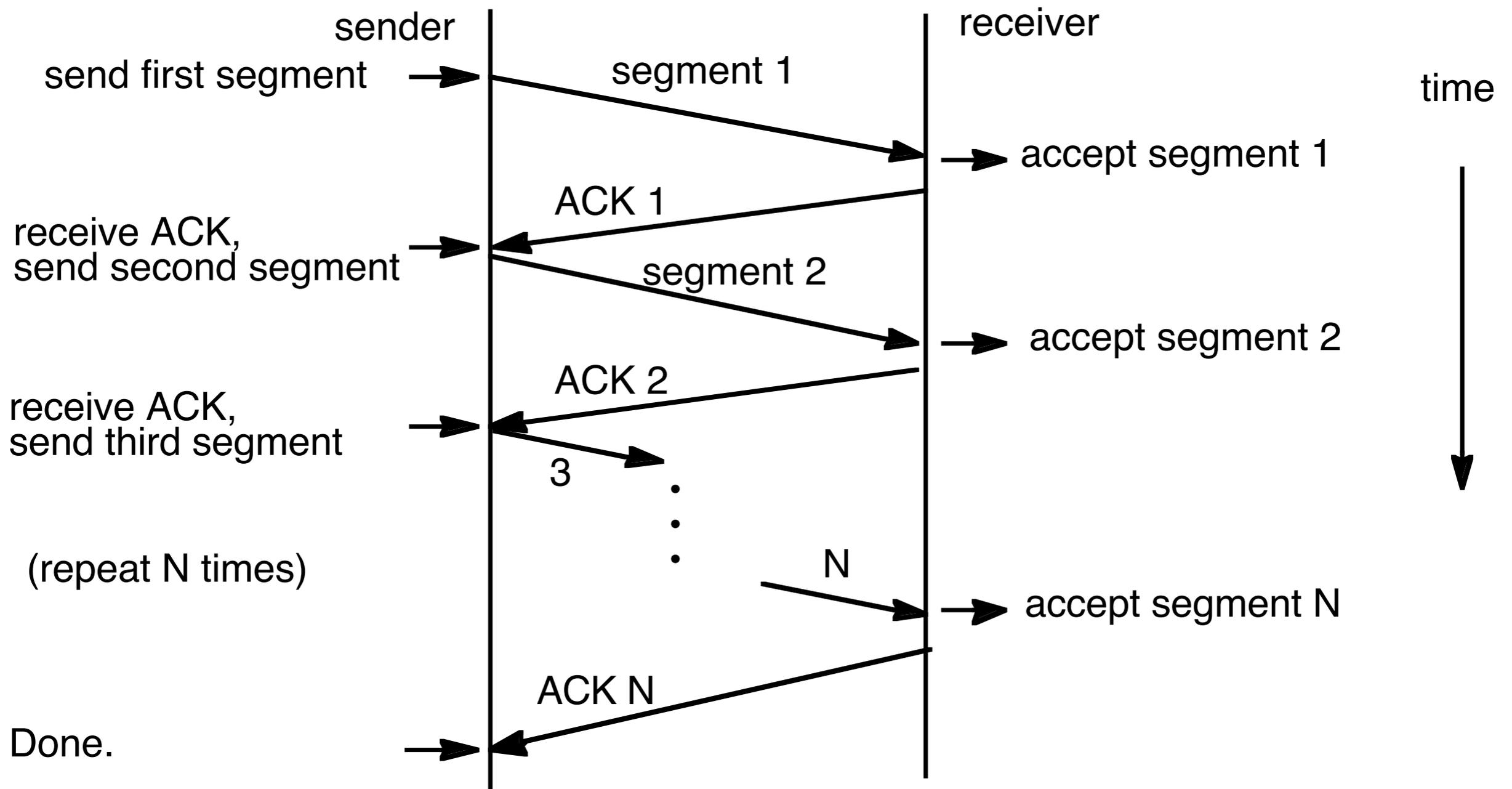
forwarding table in R1.B

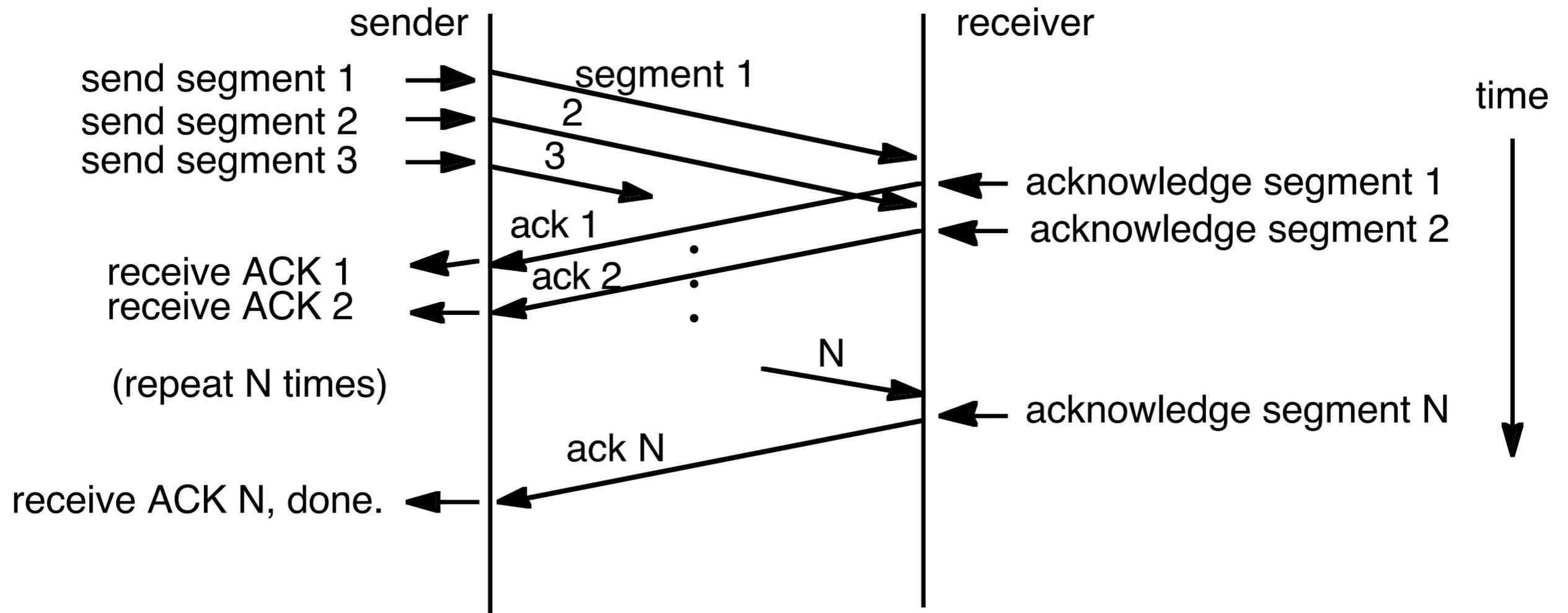
region forwarding section

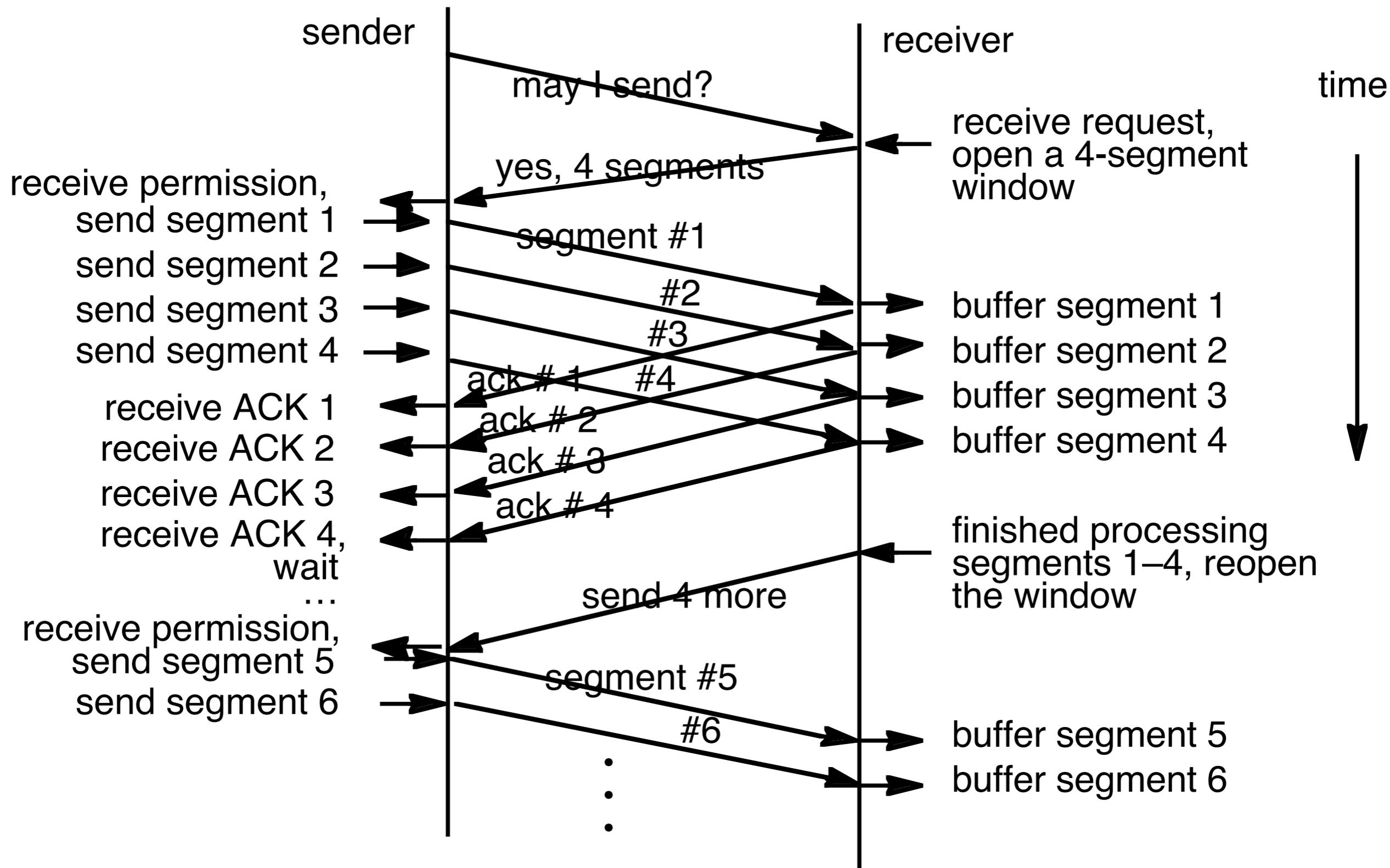
to	link
R1	local
R2	1
R3	1
R4	3

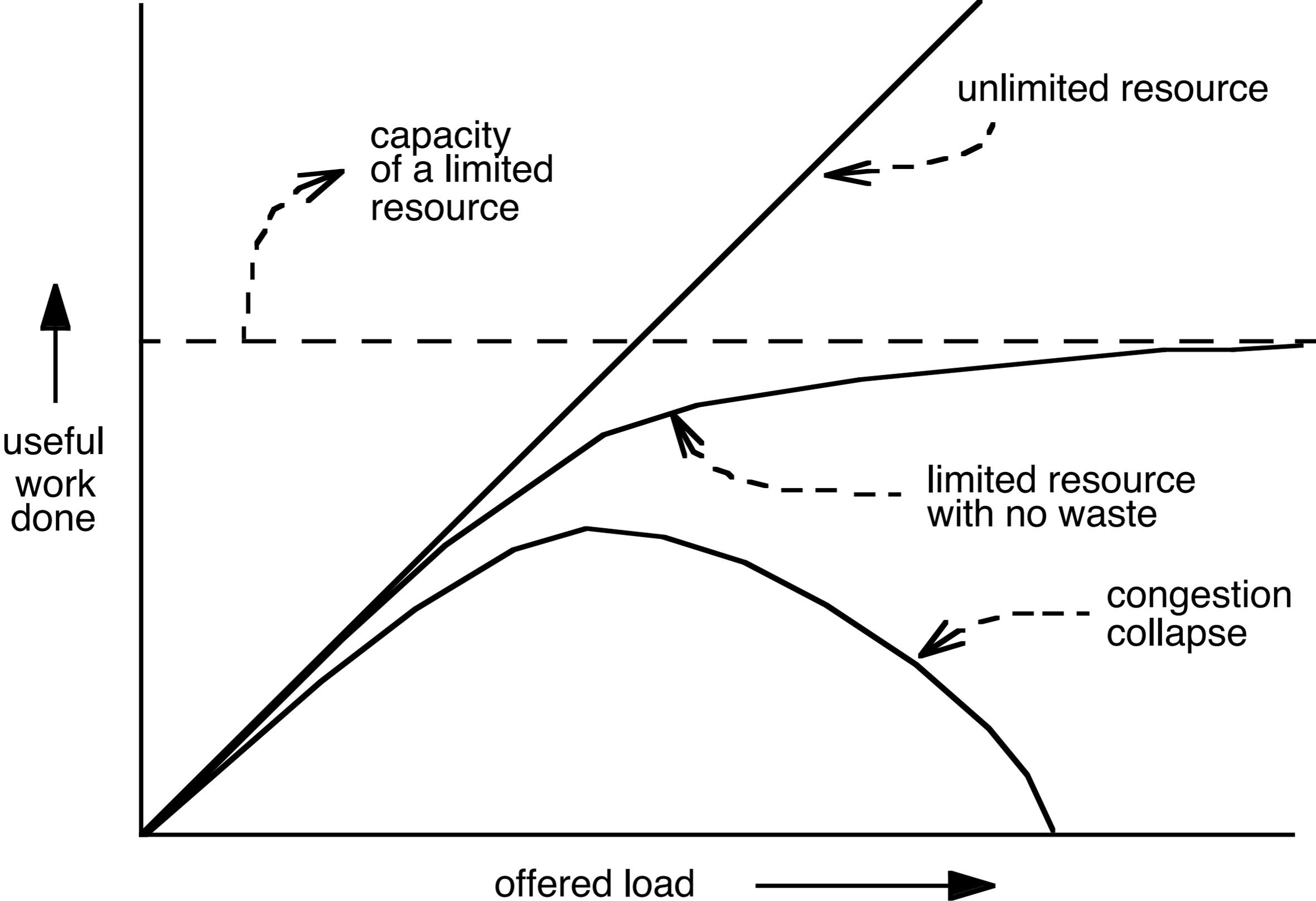
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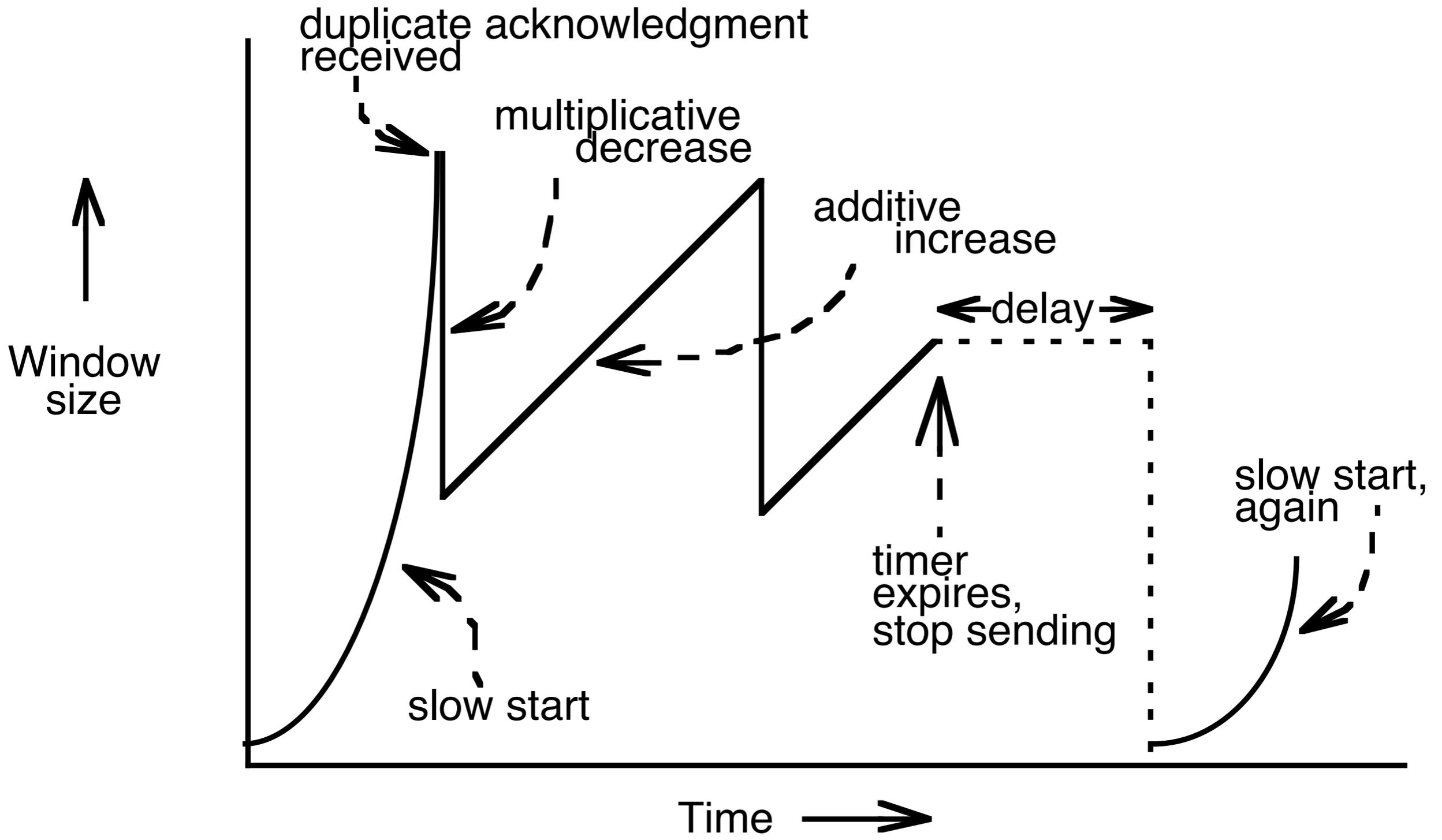
to	link
R1.A	1
R1.B	end-layer
R1.C	2
R1.D	3

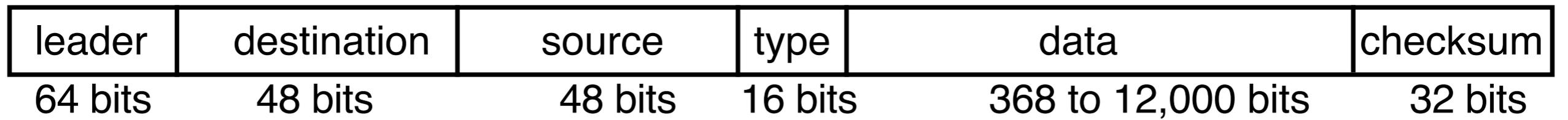


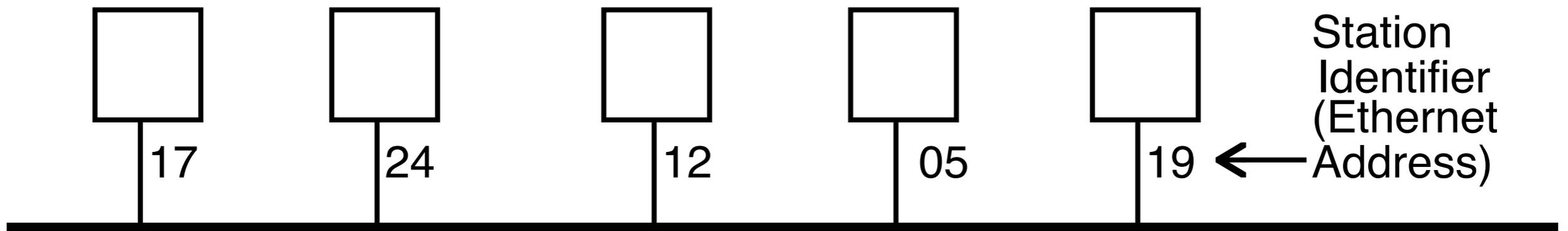




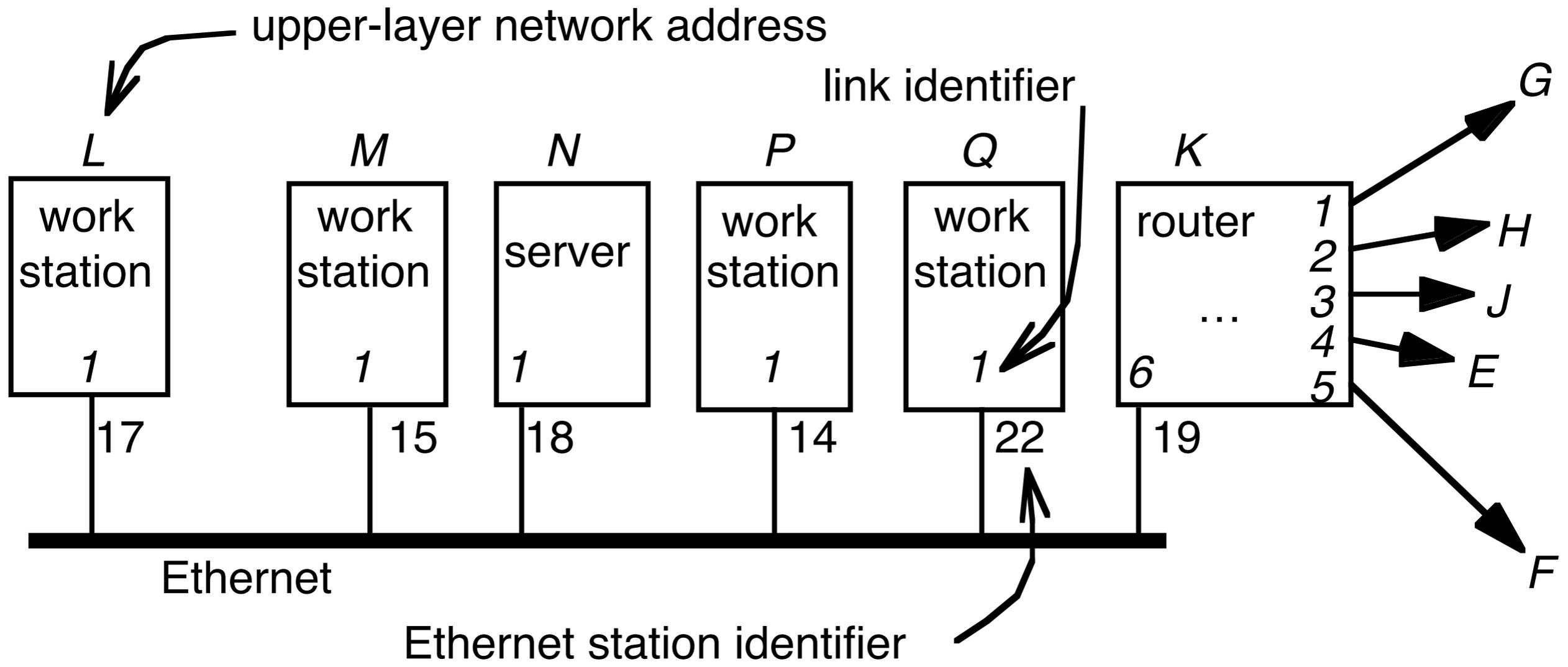


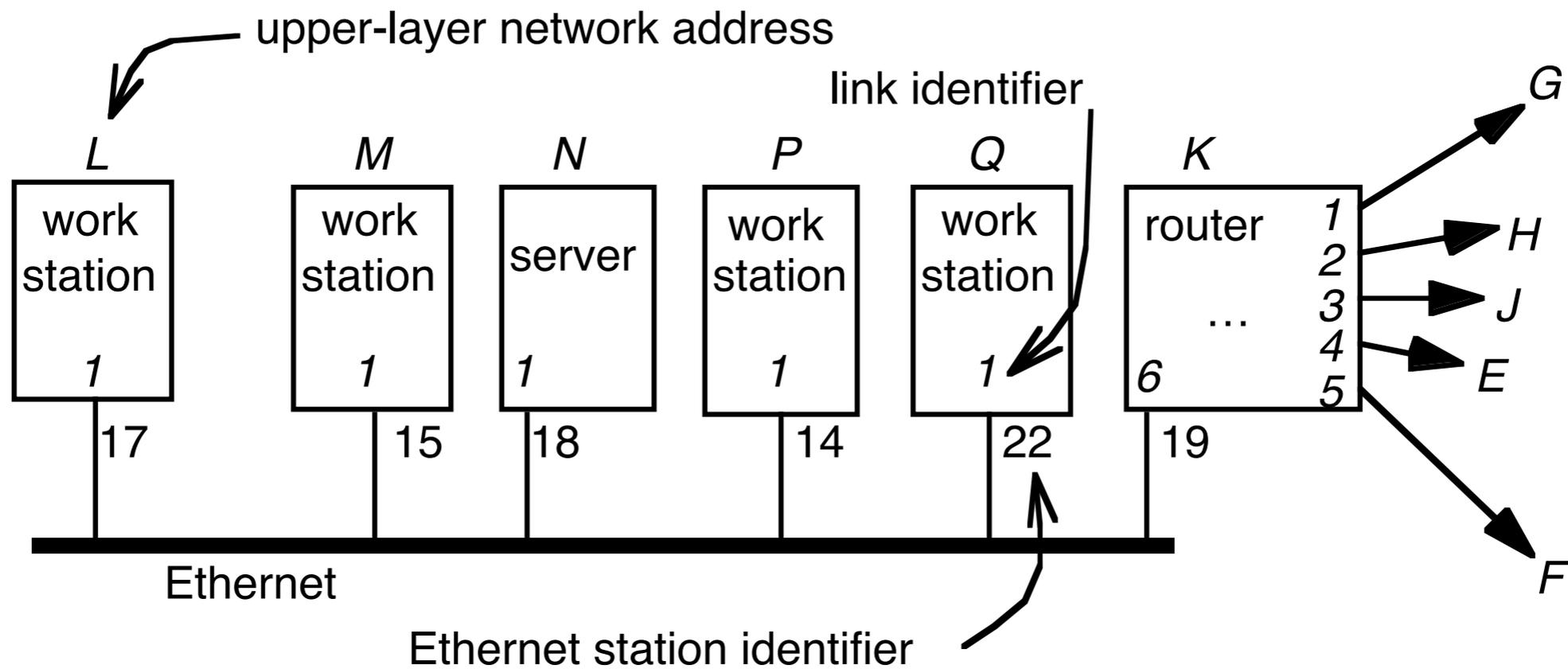




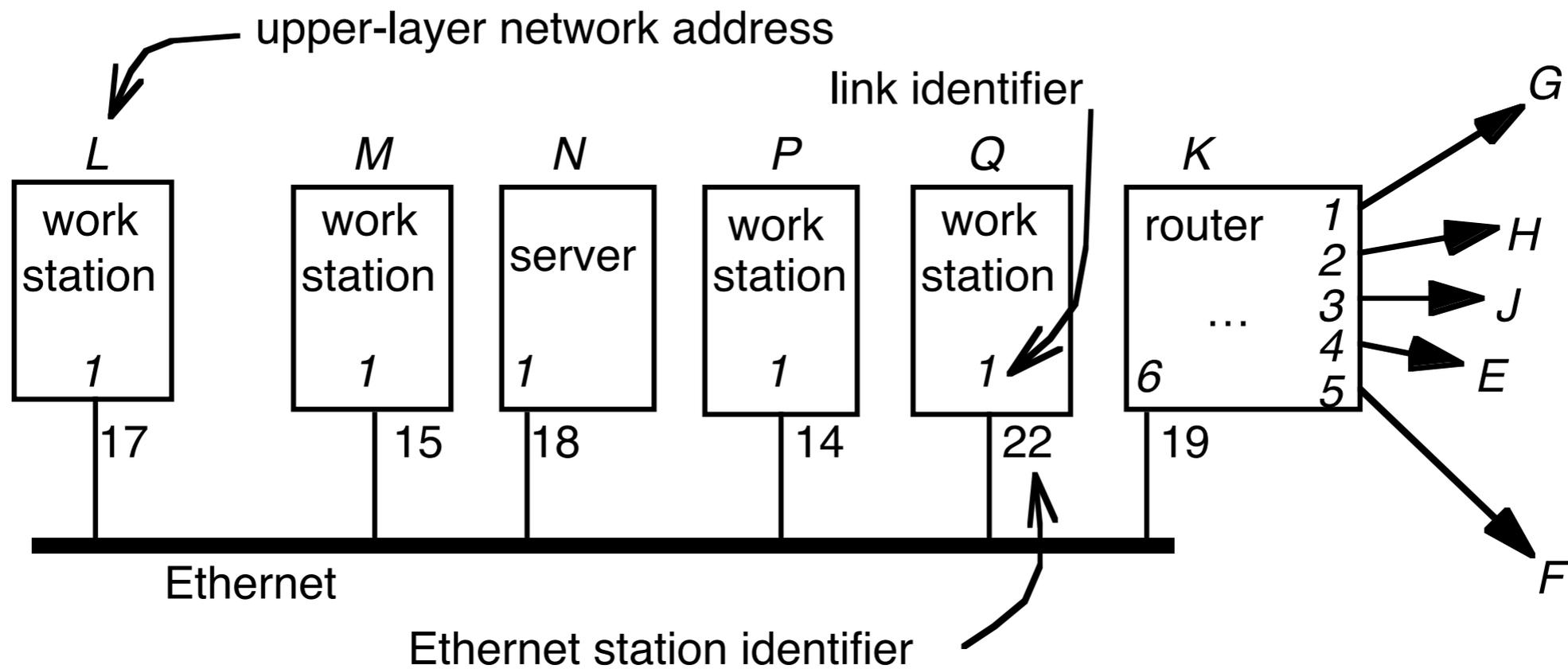


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procedure ETHERNET_HANDLE (net_packet, length)  
  destination ← net_packet.target_id  
  if destination = my_station_id or destination = BROADCAST_ID then  
    GIVE_TO_END_LAYER (net_packet.data,  
                      net_packet.end_protocol,  
                      net_packet.source_id)  
  else  
    ignore packet
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internet address	Ethernet/ station
<i>M</i>	enet/15
<i>N</i>	enet/18
<i>P</i>	enet/14
<i>Q</i>	enet/22
<i>K</i>	enet/19
<i>E</i>	enet/19



internet address	Ethernet/station
<i>M</i>	enet/15

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