



Assignment-3

Dial-a-Song



Assignment Motivation

- ▶ **Understanding SIP protocol (in a practical way)**
 - Questions like: why certain headers are needed, purpose etc?
- ▶ **Working with real world devices**
 - Writing program that interact with real world devices
- ▶ **If you have to design a protocol in future**
 - it helps to have practical experience of working (code) with protocols



Assignment Overview

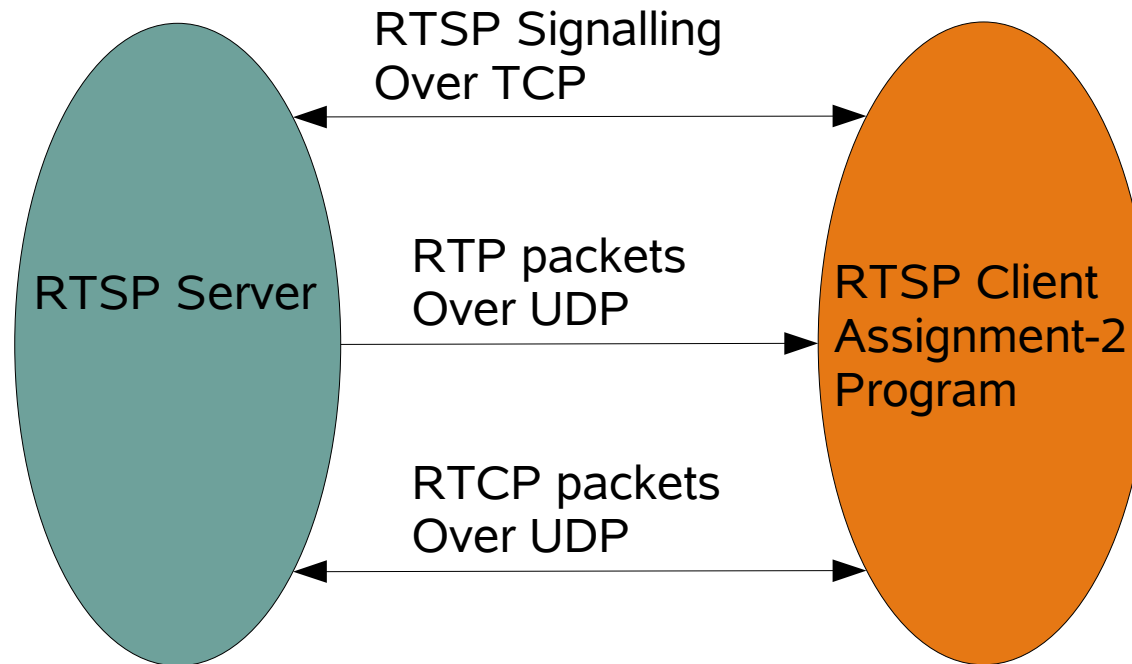
- ▶ A SIP Client calls a specific SIP user-id and gets a music stream to its terminal
- ▶ Can be considered as a **Music-On-Demand** service (assignment does not require video support, but if supported could also be considered a Video-On-Demand Service)
- ▶ Using SIP for On-Demand service seems an interesting idea.
- ▶ Components Involved:
 - A SIP softphone
 - Example: kphone, X-lite - Can be freely downloaded
 - A RTSP server (already UP and running at Netlab)
 - `rtsp://130.233.154.184:8554/song1.wav`
 - The assignment program that interacts with both the above components



Assignment Details

- ▶ Must be able to handle requests from a chosen SIP client
 - Your program need to pose as a SIP server
 - Building a complete SIP server is **not** the task (neither possible in the given time)
 - Need to have functionality to successfully establish a voice call
 - i.e. functionality to process and respond REGISTER, INVITE, ACK and BYE messages
 - SIP Clients support both signalling over TCP and UDP
 - Choose one, that you prefer to implement (TCP or UDP)
- ▶ Interface with the Assignment-2
 - Getting the media stream from the RTSP server. (would use the Assignment-2 RTSP Client functionality)
 - But the media stream destination need to be specified as SIP client

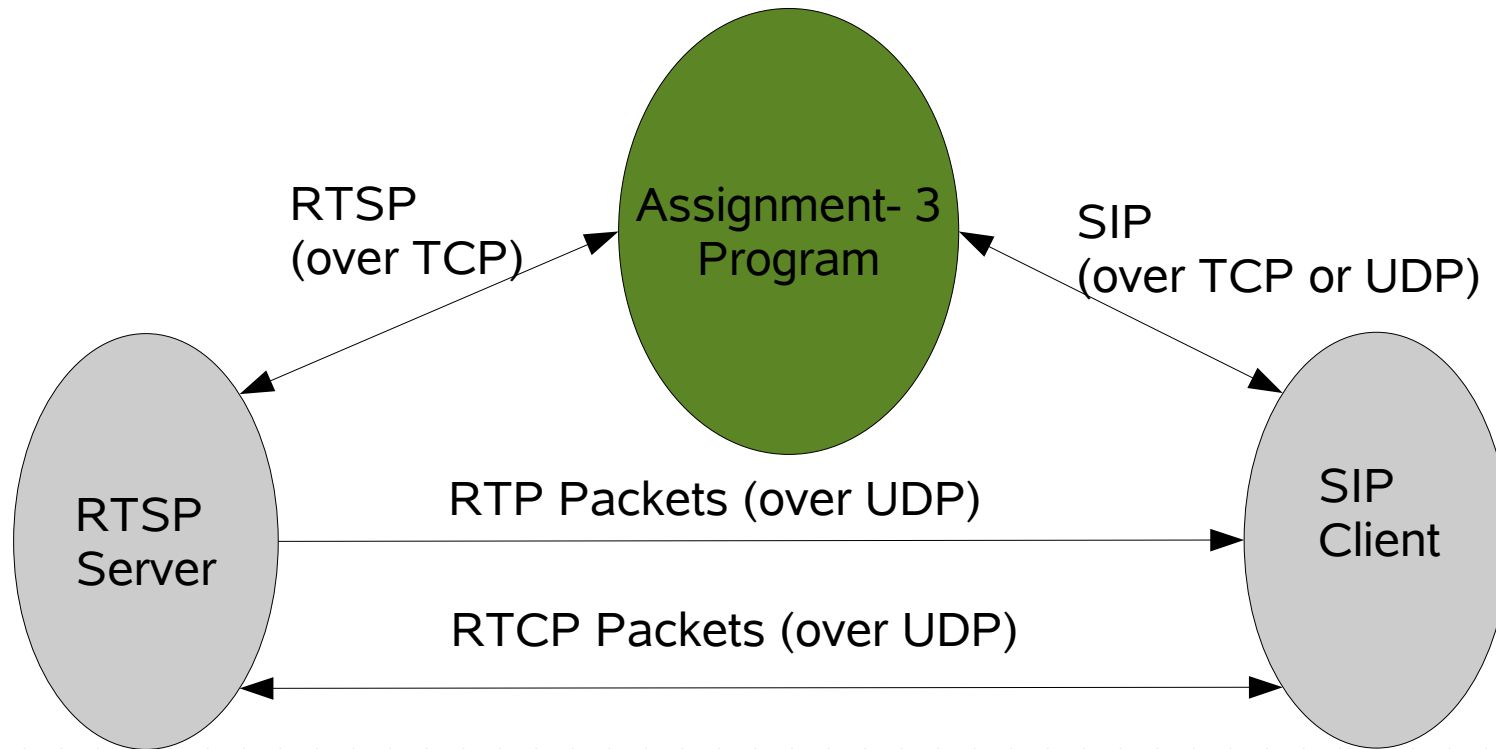
Recap: Assignment-2 Overview



Hints:

1. DESCRIBE Response contains SDP description (SDP parameters carry media format details)
2. SETUP Request and Response carries address parameters

Assignment-3 Overview



- ▶ In Assignment-2, the media data was received by RTSP client.
- ▶ But in Assignment-3, the media data destination need to be redirected

Hints: Media format in SIP response need to be based on what RTSP server provides



Program Execution Flow

- ▶ SIP client calls your Assignment-3 program.
 - SIP user-id *sip://song1@address.com*
- ▶ Receive the call
 - Extracts the user-id. (song1)
- ▶ Initiates RTSP session with the media server (but the media destination need to be modified)
 - *rtsp://130.233.154.184:8554/song1.wav*
- ▶ After receiving PLAY response from RTSP Server, send 200 OK to the SIP client.
- ▶ Now the media is played at the SIP Client
- ▶ Also, take care of ending the session cleanly



SIP clients

▶ X-Lite

- <http://www.counterpath.net/x-lite.html>
- OS support: Windows, Linux and Mac

▶ kphone

- Download from <http://www.wirlab.net/kphone/kphone-4.2.tar.gz>
- Source code available

There are many other clients available, you are free to choose your SIP client.



Submission guidelines

(for both Assignment 2 and 3)

- ▶ All required source files
- ▶ A readMe file with details on compilation and execution instructions
- ▶ Brief comment about your assignment (approx. 1 page)
 - Implementation issues faced
 - Comments/Suggestions/Complaints, if any
 - Extra features if any
 - Anything that you would like to tell us
- ▶ There shall be a demo of the submitted assignments
 - Demo date, yet to be finalized.
 - Follow announcements in Noppa
 - Deadline: One Final Deadline for both Assignment 2 and 3
 - January 9th 2009 (No extension possible, So start early)