INTRODUCTION TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS
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CIRCUIT SWITCHED NETWORK

- In Circuit Switch, a fixed communication path (channel) is established between caller n called party.
- * The path was formed by two wires completing end to end electrical circuit for communication.
- If the channel fails, the communication disrupts.

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- * Referred to as Connection Oriented Services
 - + Connection oriented services needs handshaking before starting the communication
 - + Handshaking: is the exchange of information between devices before initiating the communication.

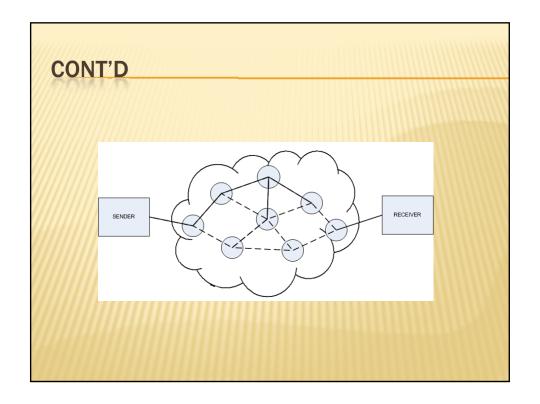


PACKET SWITCHED NETWORK

- Break the data in to Chunks (Packets)
- These packets are transmitted from caller to the receiver over the network
- Packets do not necessarily follow a fixed path way from source to destination
- Routing algorithm are used to direct the packets from caller to called party.
- The only time a route is changes is when a path is blocked

CONT'D

- * Considered as Connection-less Service
 - + Connection-less service does not requires handshaking before transmission of data
 - + It work fine with data as they have no fixed path and no guarantee of packets delivery between source and destination.
 - + Voice must arrive in sequence.



CAS V CCS

CAS (Channel associated signaling)

- + Also referred as in band Signaling
- Uses the same transmission facility channel for Voice and Signaling
- + Sub-types: Line Signaling, Register Signaling.

CCS

CCS (Common Channel Signaling)

- + Also Referred to as out of band signaling
- Voice and signaling information travels on separate path.
- + Uses one channel for signaling other for voice.
- + Example: SS7 Signaling

TYPE OF EXCHANGES

- Local Exchange: Customer is directly connected the local exchange. Lines from homes and businesses terminate at a local exchange
- Tandem Exchange: It interconnects a group of local exchanges
 - + National Tandem Exchange (between different cities)
 - + Regional Tandem Exchange (with in the city)
- International Gateway (Transit Exchange): is a telephone switch that forms the gateway between a national telephone network and one or more other international gateway exchanges, thus providing cross-border connectivity