

Port Number

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A **Port Number** is the logical address of each application or process that uses a network or the Internet to communicate. A port number uniquely identifies a network-based application on a computer. Each application/program is allocated a **16-bit** integer port number. This number is assigned automatically by the OS, manually by the user or is set as a default for some popular applications.

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