CS321: Computer Networks Tutorial 3

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Q1 How many IP prefixes does the Internet have? How many unique ASes?

We can check for the number of unique prefixes and number of unique ASes by iterating on the file row by row and putting the values in a set and then finding the length of the set.

Number of Prefixes: 525483 Number of Unique ASes: 34

Q2 An institute (referred to as Insti-A henceforth) owns four /24s in the range 103.21.124.0 - 103.21.127.255. List all the routing table entries (prefixes and corresponding AS paths) that correspond to Insti-A in the routing table.

We can check for all prefixes (by iterating in the file) that end with /24 and out of all such prefixes if one lies in the range 103.21.124.0 - 103.21.127.255 then we can append it to a list and print in the end.

Find the list of all table routing corresponding to insti-A entries at the end of this pdf.

PS: A better-formatted version of the table can be found here.

Q3 From the AS path information above, figure out how many ISPs Insti-A buys network service from. Write down their AS numbers, and names.

The last number in the AS path is the destination. So, if we iterate backwards, the first number that is different from the destination is the ASN of the ISP.

We find the number of unique ISPs from all the AS paths and then find the name of the ISP using either whois or <u>bgpview</u> API.

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Number of ISPs of Inst A: 3

ASN ISP Name

55410 VIL-AS-AP

4755 TATACOMM-AS

55824 NKN-CORE-NW
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Q4 Find out the top 10 ASes that have the highest degree in the routing table. Look up their names from whois. Can you guess what these ASes are from their names?

For each AS in the AR Path, we add the next AS it is connected to in the graph (a set) then, in the end, we calculate the degree for each of the AS and sort it in descending order.

Here are the top 10 ASes with the highest degree in the routing table:

AS	Name
174	COGENT-174
3356	LEVEL3
6939	HURRICANE
7018	ATT-INTERNET4
4323	CENTURYLINK-LEGACY-TWTC
209	CENTURYLINK-US-LEGACY-QWEST
701	UUNET
6461	ZAYO-6461
3549	LVLT-3549
9002	RETN-AS

These ASes look like either ISPs or a really large organization.

Table for Q2:

Number of Routing tables enties for Inst A: 130		
Routing table entries	s for Inst A:	
Prefixes	AS Path	
103.21.124.0/24	11537 7660 7660 7660 24287 24490 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	8492 9002 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	3561 1299 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	1239 1299 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	293 3257 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	701 1299 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	2914 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	1668 3257 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	37100 6453 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	13030 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
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103.21.124.0/24	3130 2914 15412 18101 9885 55824 132423	
103.21.124.0/24	7660 24287 24490 55824 132423	
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