

# COL334: Assignment 1

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## 1 Networking Tools

### 1.a Local IP Address

To obtain the *IP address* of a device, running `ifconfig` gives the detailed information about the same.

### 1.a.i Router

The following output is obtained on running the command when connected to Wi-Fi router:

```
(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ ifconfig
lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING> mtu 65536
    inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0
    inet6 ::1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0x10<host>
    loop txqueuelen 1000 (Local Loopback)
    RX packets 11240 bytes 1174835 (1.1 MB)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 11240 bytes 1174835 (1.1 MB)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0

wlo1: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
    inet 192.168.0.108 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 192.168.0.255
    inet6 fe80::874d:859d:2bce:b0 prefixlen 64 scopeid 0x20<link>
    ether 90:78:41:1a:37:2c txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
    RX packets 1000035 bytes 656377742 (656.3 MB)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 570480 bytes 82750060 (82.7 MB)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
```

Figure 1: ifconfig on router

The first entry in the output, i.e., `lo`, is the **loopback connection** which is used to connect to ports on the same device.

The second entry, `wlo1`, is the relevant one and it contains information about the **Wi-Fi connection**. The *IP address* is the `inet` address: 192.168.0.108.

### 1.a.ii Mobile Hotspot

On connecting to mobile hotspot, following is the output of `ifconfig`:

```
(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ ifconfig
lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING> mtu 65536
    inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0
    inet6 ::1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0x10<host>
    loop txqueuelen 1000 (Local Loopback)
    RX packets 14843 bytes 1520846 (1.5 MB)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 14843 bytes 1520846 (1.5 MB)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0

wlo1: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
    inet 192.168.43.85 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 192.168.43.255
    inet6 fe80::8a49:3984:15e9:82d8 prefixlen 64 scopeid 0x20<link>
    ether 90:78:41:1a:37:2c txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
    RX packets 1313013 bytes 1020046830 (1.0 GB)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 691522 bytes 96924554 (96.9 MB)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
```

Figure 2: ifconfig on mobile hotspot

The *IP address* which is the `inet` address now has changed to: 192.168.43.85.

### 1.b IP Address of Different Servers

To obtain the *IP address* of servers, the `nslookup` command is used. This *IP address* depends on the **DNS server** being used.

### 1.b.i Google

```
(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ nslookup www.google.com 1.1.1.1
Server:      1.1.1.1
Address:     1.1.1.1#53

Non-authoritative answer:
Name:   www.google.com
Address: 142.250.182.132
Name:   www.google.com
Address: 2404:6800:4007:82c::2004

(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ nslookup www.google.com 8.8.8.8
Server:      8.8.8.8
Address:     8.8.8.8#53

Non-authoritative answer:
Name:   www.google.com
Address: 142.250.76.36
Name:   www.google.com
Address: 2404:6800:4007:817::2004
```

Figure 3: nslookup for Google using 2 different DNS servers

Using **Cloudflare 1.1.1.1** DNS server gave the *IP address* as 142.250.182.132, while using **Google Public DNS** server resulted in an *IP address* of 142.250.76.36.

### 1.b.ii Facebook

```
(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ nslookup www.facebook.com 1.1.1.1
Server:      1.1.1.1
Address:     1.1.1.1#53

Non-authoritative answer:
www.facebook.com canonical name = star-mini.c10r.facebook.com.
Name:   star-mini.c10r.facebook.com
Address: 157.240.192.35
Name:   star-mini.c10r.facebook.com
Address: 2a03:2880:f137:182:face:b00c:0:25de

(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ nslookup www.facebook.com 8.8.8.8
Server:      8.8.8.8
Address:     8.8.8.8#53

Non-authoritative answer:
www.facebook.com canonical name = star-mini.c10r.facebook.com.
Name:   star-mini.c10r.facebook.com
Address: 157.240.228.35
Name:   star-mini.c10r.facebook.com
Address: 2a03:2880:f168:81:face:b00c:0:25de
```

Figure 4: nslookup for Facebook using 2 different DNS servers

Using **Cloudflare 1.1.1.1** DNS server gave the *IP address* as 157.240.192.35, while using **Google Public DNS** server resulted in an *IP address* of 157.240.228.35.

### 1.c Ping (Pong)

To analyse the ping values, a script was written to **binary search** on different values of *packet size* and *TTL value*.

The size of the transmitted packet is always 28 bytes larger than the size set using the **-s** command. This is the header data which has the same structure for all packets.

### 1.c.i Packet Size

**IITD** The maximum packet size that can be pinged is 29116 (+28) bytes.

**Google** The maximum pingable packet size is only 68 (+28) bytes.

**Facebook** The maximum packet size that is pinged is 1452 (+28) bytes.

### 1.c.ii Time To Live (TTL) Value

**IITD** The smallest TTL value achieved is 12 hops.

**Google** The least number of hops taken to ping Google is 8 hops.

**Facebook** Facebook is reached within atleast 10 hops.

### 1.d traceroute

#### 1.d.i IITD

**Router** Running traceroute to **IITD** using router gave no response:

```
traceroute to www.iitd.ac.in (103.27.9.24), 64 hops max
 1  192.168.0.1  0.897ms  0.707ms  0.738ms
 2  * * *
 3  * * *
 4  14.142.71.205  6.728ms  3.405ms  7.705ms
 5  * * *
 6  14.140.210.22  31.739ms  59.348ms  43.518ms
 7  * * *
 8  * * *
 9  * * *
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```

**Router + VPN** Running traceroute using *IITD VPN* was successful and gave the following trace:

```

traceroute to www.iitd.ac.in (10.10.211.212), 64 hops max
 1  10.54.16.1  33.066ms  31.264ms  38.566ms
 2  10.7.1.24  43.527ms  31.737ms  33.720ms
 3  10.10.211.212  31.988ms  31.566ms  32.533ms

```

#### 1.d.ii [Google](#)

**Router** The trace obtained was:

```

traceroute to www.google.com (142.250.195.68), 64 hops max
 1  192.168.0.1  0.917ms  1.146ms  0.765ms
 2  * * *
 3  183.83.248.26  2.044ms  3.249ms  2.161ms
 4  * * *
 5  183.82.12.70  3.566ms  2.411ms  2.189ms
 6  108.170.253.97  18.613ms  22.689ms  20.718ms
 7  142.251.55.73  16.569ms  15.059ms  16.694ms
 8  108.170.253.97  24.064ms  53.537ms  18.354ms
 9  142.251.55.75  16.038ms  14.557ms  38.061ms
10  142.250.195.68  16.217ms  17.874ms  15.328ms

```

**Mobile Hotspot** The trace now obtained was:

```

traceroute to www.google.com (142.250.77.100), 64 hops max
 1  192.168.43.1  79.318ms  0.976ms  0.871ms
 2  * * *
 3  10.50.108.129  46.436ms  28.415ms  35.397ms
 4  10.51.185.237  19.708ms  23.982ms  34.774ms
 5  125.18.109.37  30.757ms  62.044ms  23.968ms
 6  182.79.239.197  38.869ms  33.425ms  50.627ms
 7  72.14.208.234  64.566ms  44.386ms  38.511ms
 8  * * *
 9  142.251.55.222  49.079ms  35.311ms  58.332ms
10  108.170.253.103  41.313ms  34.322ms  39.976ms
11  74.125.242.129  35.876ms  57.069ms  41.281ms
12  142.250.77.100  37.079ms  39.846ms  38.868ms

```

### 1.d.iii Observations

The following observations were made when running `traceroute`:

1. Three packets are pinged for each hop value to *display consistency, or a lack thereof, in the route*
2. The router at the second hop value doesn't ping when using the default (no additional options) `traceroute` command
3. Different routes are followed when using different networks to access the same URL

### 1.d.iv Changes to Improve Tracing

1. Traceroute by default uses **UDP** which is unreliable and hence many servers do not respond to it. To avoid this issue, `-I` flag can be used, which uses **ICPM echo** as the packet instead.

```

(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ traceroute -I www.google.com
traceroute to www.google.com (142.250.195.68), 64 hops max
 1  192.168.0.1  1.546ms  1.630ms  1.024ms
 2  * 10.130.32.1  4.614ms  1.909ms
 3  183.83.248.26  1.988ms  1.701ms  1.996ms
 4  * * *
 5  183.82.14.34  63.377ms  14.587ms  15.804ms
 6  108.170.253.97  16.010ms  18.774ms  128.830ms
 7  142.251.55.75  14.710ms  14.681ms  15.408ms
 8  142.250.195.68  15.114ms  16.164ms  126.416ms
(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ traceroute www.google.com
traceroute to www.google.com (142.250.195.68), 64 hops max
 1  192.168.0.1  0.819ms  0.914ms  0.761ms
 2  * * *
 3  183.83.248.26  129.476ms  29.347ms  124.676ms
 4  * * *
 5  183.82.12.70  236.536ms  14.760ms  5.351ms
 6  108.170.253.97  15.767ms  16.244ms  124.473ms
 7  142.251.55.75  14.460ms  14.193ms  16.321ms
 8  108.170.253.97  18.632ms  15.917ms  124.911ms
 9  142.251.55.73  15.590ms  15.062ms  17.840ms
10  142.250.195.68  15.005ms  15.080ms  154.859ms

```

Figure 5: `traceroute` with and without `-I` flag (for Google)

- Using the `-I` flag also permits finding the route for some websites (such as [IITD](http://www.iitd.ac.in)) which is impossible without the flag.

```
(base) sayam2@sayam2-Inspiron-7591:~$ traceroute -I www.iitd.ac.in
traceroute to www.iitd.ac.in (103.27.9.24), 64 hops max
 1  192.168.0.1  1.309ms  1.422ms  1.131ms
 2  10.130.32.1  1.971ms  4.176ms  4.310ms
 3  * * *
 4  14.142.71.205  7.806ms  1.898ms  1.781ms
 5  * * *
 6  14.140.210.22  28.884ms  28.104ms  125.913ms
 7  * * *
 8  * * *
 9  * * *
10  103.27.9.24  27.160ms  135.094ms  28.671ms
```

Figure 6: `traceroute` for [IITD](http://www.iitd.ac.in) with `-I` flag

- To find the best value of the *RTT*, the number of iterations can be increased to establish a stable communication with each router and have a larger success rate of ping.

## 2 Packet Analysis

### 2.a DNS Filter for [Apache](http://www.apache.org)

After the actual DNS query for [http://apache.org](http://www.apache.org), a few DNS queries are made to various Google services (such as YouTube, ad services, etc). These are (mostly) because of the YouTube embeds and other browser/website services. The DNS query for [http://apache.org](http://www.apache.org) looks like:

```
Frame 22: 81 bytes on wire (648 bits), 81 bytes captured (648 bits) on interface wlo1, id 0
Ethernet II, Src: IntelCor_1a:37:2c (90:78:41:1a:37:2c), Dst: 84:d8:1b:13:0f:e8 (84:d8:1b:13:0f:e8)
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.108, Dst: 192.168.0.1
User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 46824, Dst Port: 53
Domain Name System (query)
  Transaction ID: 0x7e31
  Flags: 0x0100 Standard query
  Questions: 1
  Answer RRs: 0
  Authority RRs: 0
  Additional RRs: 1
  Queries
    apache.org: type A, class IN
  Additional records
    <Root>: type OPT
    [Response In: 23]
```

Figure 7: DNS query for [Apache](http://www.apache.org)

The response is received in 68.7 milliseconds:

```

> Frame 23: 97 bytes on wire (776 bits), 97 bytes captured (776 bits) on interface wlo1, id 0
> Ethernet II, Src: 84:d8:1b:13:0f:e8 (84:d8:1b:13:0f:e8), Dst: IntelCor_1a:37:2c (90:78:41:1a:37:2c)
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.1, Dst: 192.168.0.108
> User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 53, Dst Port: 46824
- Domain Name System (response)
  Transaction ID: 0x7e31
  > Flags: 0x8180 Standard query response, No error
  Questions: 1
  Answer RRs: 1
  Authority RRs: 0
  Additional RRs: 1
- Queries
  > apache.org: type A, class IN
- Answers
  > apache.org: type A, class IN, addr 151.101.2.132
- Additional records
  > <Root>: type OPT
[Request In: 22]
[Time: 0.068673199 seconds]

```

Figure 8: DNS response for [Apache](#)

## 2.b HTTP Filter for [Apache](#)

24 requests were made for the loading of the webpage to the IP address. 6 additional requests were made to two separate Google IP addresses (3 each). The requests were such that each response yielded a single *file* such as:

- text/html
- text/css
- text/javascript (requested from Google)
- application/javascript
- application/pkix-cert (requested from Google)
- font/woff2
- PNG
- JPEG JFIF image

All of the responses yielded a status code of 200 (except for two responses which were both to Google and they yielded status codes of 204 and 404).



27	1.975610834	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	485 GET / HTTP/1.1
37	1.994902925	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	318 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/html)
58	1.059822585	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	388 GET /css/min.bootstrap.css HTTP/1.1
83	2.177832759	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	2677 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/css)
108	2.183633680	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	381 GET /css/styles.css HTTP/1.1
109	2.184326185	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	439 GET /img/asf-estd-1990-logo.jpg HTTP/1.1
125	2.193779924	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	374 GET /js/jquery-2.1.1.min.js HTTP/1.1
138	2.196663761	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	435 GET /img/support-apache.jpg HTTP/1.1
136	2.197684724	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	464 GET /img/trillions-and-trillions/why-apache-thumbnail.jpg HTTP/1.1
137	2.197721901	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	472 GET /img/trillions-and-trillions/apache-everywhere-thumbnail.jpg HTTP/1.1
146	2.205258354	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	158 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/css)
158	2.209509597	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	367 GET /js/bootstrap.js HTTP/1.1
183	2.212144432	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	2188 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
208	2.214834586	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1555 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (application/javascript)
227	2.220703313	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	367 GET /js/slideshow.js HTTP/1.1
229	2.223105439	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	2388 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
238	2.223162361	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1833 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
238	2.223213594	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	4649 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
262	2.232163284	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	368 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (application/javascript)
264	2.23251496	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	478 GET /img/trillions-and-trillions/trillions-and-trillions-thumbnail.jpg HTTP/1.1
266	2.234716880	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	472 GET /img/trillions-and-trillions/apache-innovation-thumbnail.jpg HTTP/1.1
267	2.235685265	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	432 GET /img/2020-report.jpg HTTP/1.1
268	2.235711856	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	430 GET /img/community.jpg HTTP/1.1
269	2.236499914	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	435 GET /img/the-apache-way.jpg HTTP/1.1
271	2.237581547	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	906 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (application/javascript)
273	2.242488978	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	430 GET /img/apachecon.jpg HTTP/1.1
328	2.254445543	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	3768 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
345	2.257593546	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1938 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
369	2.266899169	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	439 GET /logos/res/knox/default.png HTTP/1.1
378	2.267363261	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	443 GET /logos/res/geronimo/default.png HTTP/1.1
393	2.412614293	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	2418 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
414	2.413984913	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	5036 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
425	2.414878572	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1217 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
458	2.424921918	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	448 GET /logos/res/james/default.png HTTP/1.1
451	2.425859186	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	444 GET /logos/res/incubator/default.png HTTP/1.1
452	2.425141276	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	439 GET /logos/res/spot/default.png HTTP/1.1
558	2.442393899	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	2848 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (PNG)
565	2.443885898	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	399 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (PNG)
586	2.498891761	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	635 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (PNG)
605	2.497229495	192.168.0.108	142.250.196.14	HTTP	389 GET /cse-157cx-0807834832411776421:5eqshrgx2u HTTP/1.1
624	2.576057389	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	440 GET /fonts/glyphicons-halflings-regular.woff2 HTTP/1.1
633	2.597785848	142.250.196.14	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1882 HTTP/1.1 404 Not Found (text/html)
654	2.597953816	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1635 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (PNG)
659	2.598824427	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	2668 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (PNG)
812	2.858168280	192.168.0.108	216.239.32.29	HTTP	321 GET /gslr/gslr1.crt HTTP/1.1
826	3.010809446	216.239.32.29	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1481 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (application/pkix-cert)
848	3.014368394	192.168.0.108	216.239.32.29	HTTP	328 GET /repo/certs/gts1.der HTTP/1.1
859	3.026909885	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	3373 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (JPEG JFIF image)
861	3.033794821	216.239.32.29	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1040 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (application/pkix-cert)
871	3.041865987	192.168.0.108	216.239.32.29	HTTP	329 GET /repo/certs/gts1a.der HTTP/1.1
872	3.063249266	216.239.32.29	192.168.0.108	HTTP	2098 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (application/pkix-cert)
896	3.285424975	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1438 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (font/woff2)
1738	4.028584495	192.168.0.108	142.250.196.14	HTTP	383 GET /adsense/search/async-ads.js HTTP/1.1
1787	4.718120692	192.168.0.108	142.250.77.142	HTTP	434 GET /generate_204 HTTP/1.1
1818	4.733622986	142.250.77.142	192.168.0.108	HTTP	149 HTTP/1.1 204 No Content
1838	4.737862384	142.250.196.14	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1383 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/javascript)
2088	5.721687136	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	433 GET /favicon/favicon.ico HTTP/1.1
2090	5.827658225	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	2222 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (PNG)
2092	5.846887587	192.168.0.108	151.101.2.132	HTTP	439 GET /favicon/favicon-32x32.png HTTP/1.1
2094	5.865688796	151.101.2.132	192.168.0.108	HTTP	1516 HTTP/1.1 200 OK (PNG)

Figure 9: Entire list of HTTP requests and responses for Apache

## 2.c Time to Download the Webpage

The total time taken is defined as:

$$time(last\ HTTP\ response) - time(first\ DNS\ query)$$

On evaluating, the time is obtained to be  $(5.865 - 1.888)s = 3.977s$

## 2.d HTTP Filter for CSE IITD

On applying the *HTTP* filter for <http://www.cse.iitd.ac.in>, there is a single response with error code 301, which means that the webpage has been **Moved Permanently**. The response contains a webpage which *redirects* to <https://www.cse.iitd.ac.in>. The communications over *HTTPS* are done over **TLS** which first includes initiating connection, encryption handshake and then sharing of information securely.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
+	6 0.067594854	192.168.0.108	103.27.9.152	HTTP	493	GET / HTTP/1.1
+	8 1.173145331	103.27.9.152	192.168.0.108	HTTP	889	HTTP/1.1 301 Moved Permanently (text/html)

```

Frame 8: 889 bytes on wire (6472 bits), 889 bytes captured (6472 bits) on interface wlo1, id 0
  Ethernet II, Src: 84:d8:1b:13:0f:e8 (84:d8:1b:13:0f:e8), Dst: IntelCor_1a:37:2c (90:78:41:1a:37:2c)
  Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 103.27.9.152, Dst: 192.168.0.108
  Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 80, Dst Port: 80490, Seq: 1, Ack: 428, Len: 743
  Hypertext Transfer Protocol
    Line-based text data: text/html (9 lines)
    <!DOCTYPE HTML PUBLIC "-//IETF/DTD HTML 2.0/EN">\n
    <html><head>\n
    <title>301 Moved Permanently</title>\n
    </head><body>\n
    <h1>Moved Permanently</h1>\n
    <p>The document has moved <a href="https://www.cse.iitd.ac.in/">here</a>.</p>\n
    <hr>\n
    <address>Apache/2.4.7 (Ubuntu) mod_auth_kerb/5.4 PHP/5.5.9-1ubuntu4.20 OpenSSL/1.0.1f mod_wsgi/3.4 Python/3.4.3 Server at www.cse.iitd.ac.in Port 80</address>\n
    </body></html>\n

```

Figure 10: HTTP request and response for <http://www.cse.iitd.ac.in>

## 3 Implementing Traceroute

### 3.a Explanation of the Code

To implement `traceroute`, socket programming was used to send an *ICMP* echo request (type = 8) and receive the response from the server setting different hop values. Breaking down the main part of the `ping` function:

```
80         t = time.time()
81         sock.sendto(packet, (DEST, 1))
82         response, (addr, _) = sock.recvfrom(1024)
83         t = (time.time() - t) * 1000
```

The above code sends the packet and receives it, computing the *RTT* too.

```
84         if checksum(response) != 0:
85             raise socket.timeout
86         code = struct.unpack("B", response[20:21])[0]
87         rtt[ttl].append([t, addr, code])
88         reached |= code == 0
```

The checksum is verified to be 0 and then the first byte of the **header** is analysed. This contains the type of the packet, which equals 0 on a successful echo and 11 on TTL exceeded.

The remaining code inside the `ping` function involves setting the *TTL value* and printing relevant information.

### 3.b Working of the Code

#### 3.b.i [GitHub](#)

[GitHub](#) is used since it has considerable number of hops with routers on the way both responding and not responding. The output and plot of the traceroute looks like:

```
Traceroute starting for www.github.com (13.234.176.102)
1      (192.168.0.1) 1.19      18.62      2.60
2      (10.130.32.1) 9.21      1.74      1.59
3      (183.83.248.26) 10.68      2.39      6.32
4      (183.82.14.78) 19.69      120.93     17.46
5      (99.83.69.114) 23.17      17.28     19.87
6      (150.222.219.128) 126.26      18.12     15.96
7      (150.222.219.137) 15.89      15.50     137.79
8      *          *          *
9      (54.239.45.102) 27.68      25.22     26.25
10     *          *          *
11     (52.95.67.164) 78.17      39.11     136.33
12     (52.95.64.222) 25.50      27.56     149.62
13     (52.95.64.223) 29.82      29.91     142.83
14     (52.95.67.171) 30.80      30.49     139.91
15     (52.95.67.182) 29.70      30.19     144.63
```

16	*	*	*		
17	*	*	*		
18	*	*	*		
19	*	*	*		
20	*	*	*		
21	(13.234.176.102)	30.12	29.57	29.40	

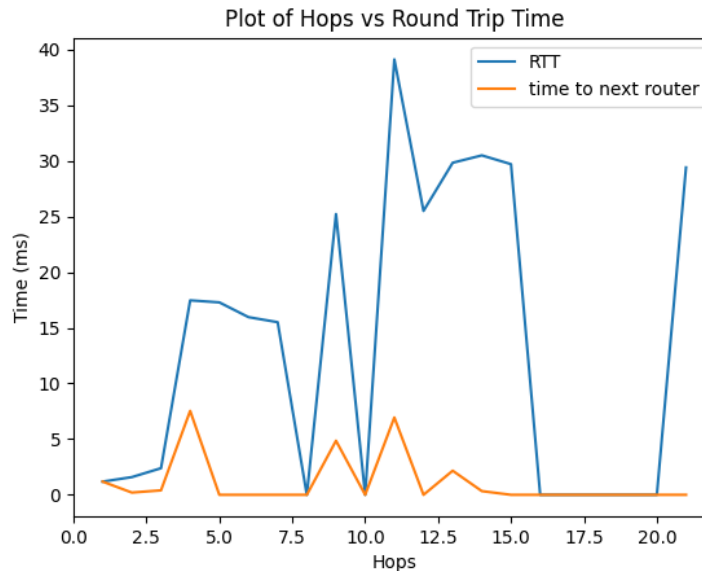


Figure 11: Plot for [GitHub](#)

### 3.b.ii IITD

The output for [IITD](#) is also added to the report to show the proper handling of the termination condition, i.e., when the *header type* does not equal ICMP *echo* even if the returned *IP address* matches (reference to [this](#) Piazza post). The output and plot are as follows:

Traceroute starting for www.iitd.ac.in (103.27.9.24)				
1	(192.168.0.1)	5.37	5.96	2.40
2	(10.130.32.1)	2.41	2.74	1.53
3	*	*	*	
4	(14.142.71.205)	3.80	1.65	2.10
5	*	*	*	
6	(14.140.210.22)	99.03	26.99	26.11
7	*	*	*	
8	*	*	*	
9	*	*	*	
10	(103.27.9.24)	28.21	27.72	27.85
11	(103.27.9.24)	27.87	27.85	87.41

12	(103.27.9.24)	27.69	29.59	27.74
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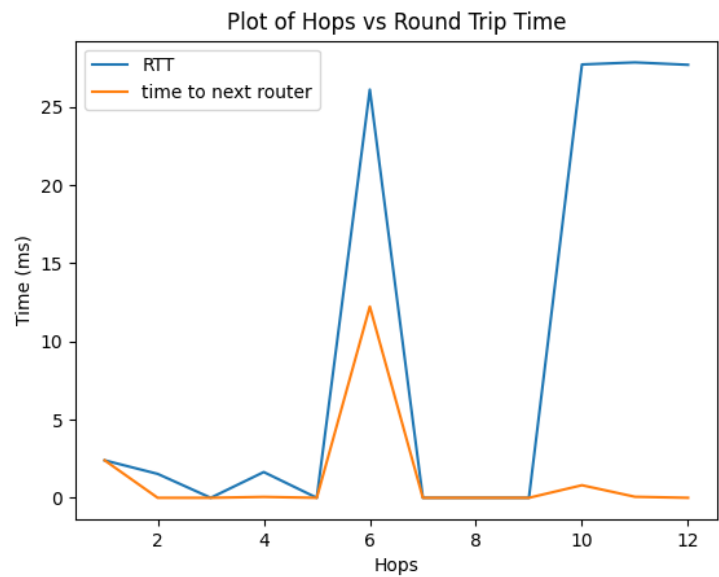


Figure 12: Plot for IITD