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Snapshot of a Traceroute execution to capture UDP packets:

Answer No 1:

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83 6.... 192.168.0.18
                               239.255.255.250
                                                   SSDP
                                                             NOTIFY * HTTP/1.1
▶ Frame 73: 70 bytes on wire (560 bits), 70 bytes captured (560 bits) on interface 0
Ethernet II, Src: Apple_0c:6b:03 (a0:99:9b:0c:6b:03), Dst: Netgear_f6:28:ea (50:6a:03:f6:28:ea)
  Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.16, Dst: 128.119.245.12
▼ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 33877 (33877), Dst Port: 33435 (33435)
      Source Port: 33877
      Destination Port: 33435
       [Expert Info (Chat/Sequence): Possible traceroute: hop #1, attempt #1]
             [Possible traceroute: hop #1, attempt #1]
             [Severity level: Chat]
             [Group: Sequence]
      Length: 36
     Checksum: 0xc278 [validation disabled]
         [Good Checksum: False]
         [Bad Checksum: False]
      [Stream index: 1]
```

From the snapshot above, we can see that the UDP packets has four fields namely

- 1. Source Port
- 2. Destination Port
- 3. Length
- 4. Checksum

Answer No 2:

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  User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 33877 (33877), Dst Port: 33435 (33435)
      Source Port: 33877
   ▼ Destination Port: 33435
       ▼ [Expert Info (Chat/Sequence): Possible traceroute: hop #1, attempt #1]
             [Possible traceroute: hop #1, attempt #1]
             [Severity level: Chat]
             [Group: Sequence]
      Length: 36
   ▼ Checksum: 0xc278 [validation disabled]
          [Good Checksum: False]
          [Bad Checksum: False]
      [Stream index: 1]
Data (28 bytes)
                              9b 0c 6b 03 08 00 45 00
0000 50 6a 03 f6 28 ea a0 99
                                                        Pj..(... ..k...E.
0010 00 38 84 56 00 00 01 11 ff 22 c0 a8 00 10 80 77
                                                        .8.V.... ."....w
0020 f5 0c 84 55 82 9b 00 24 c2 78 00 00 00 00 00 00
                                                        ...U...$ .x.....
```

From the packet contents field, we see that the UDP header is Total 8 Bytes Long.

1. Source Port : 2 Bytes

2. Destination Port : **2** Bytes

3. Length: 2 Bytes4. Checksum: 2 Bytes

Answer No 3:

The value of the Length Field in the UDP header in the Length of the Total packet at transport layer. That includes the Header size of UDP header and the Payload for the Application later, i.e. the data. In our case we have,

UDP Header: 8 bytes Payload Data: 28 Bytes

Hence Total = 28 + 8 = 36 bytes as seen in the image below.

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User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 33877 (33877), Dst Port: 33435 (33435)
     Source Port: 33877
   ▼ Destination Port: 33435
      ▼ [Expert Info (Chat/Sequence): Possible traceroute: hop #1, attempt #1]
            [Possible traceroute: hop #1, attempt #1]
            [Severity level: Chat]
            [Group: Sequence]
     Length: 36
    Checksum: 0xc278 [validation disabled]
         [Good Checksum: False]
         [Bad Checksum: False]
      [Stream index: 1]
▶ Data (28 bytes)
                                                     Pj..(... ..k...E.
.8.V.... ."....w
1000 50 6a 03 f6 28 ea a0 99
                            9b 0c 6b 03 08 00 45 00
0010 00 38 84 56 00 00 01 11 ff 22 c0 a8 00 10 80 77
1020 f5 0c 84 55 82 9b 00 24 c2 78 00 00 00 00 00 00
                                                     ...U...$ .x.....
...... ......
1040 00 00 00 00 00 00
                                                     . . . . . .
```

Answer No 4:

The maximum no. of length that can be represented by the 2 byte long Length Field in the header of UDP is = $2^{16} - 1 = 65535$

In this Length, 8 bytes are always reserved for the UDP header, so the effective payload size is = 65535 - 8 = 65527 Bytes

Answer No 5:

The Source Port Field is having 2 bytes received to be represented(Similar to the Length field above).

Hence, the total source ports that can be supported is $2^{16} - 1 = 65535$

Thus, the largest possible no. for a source port = 65535

Answer No 6:

The Value of the UDP Protocol is seen in the "Protocol" field of the corresponding IP Header.

The Decimal value of UDP protocol No: 17 The Hex value of UDP protocol No: 0x11

The Snapshot below shown:

▶ DITTERENTIATED SERVICES FIELD: WXWW (DSCP: CSW, ECN: NOT-ECI)

Total Length: 56

Identification: 0x8456 (33878)

► Flags: 0x00

Fragment offset: 0

► Time to live: 1
Protocol: UDP (17)

▶ Header checksum: 0xff22 [validation disabled]

Source: 192.168.0.16

Destination: 128.119.245.12 [Source GeoIP: Unknown]
[Destination GeoIP: Unknown]

Answer No 7:

The Checksum field is calculated as the 16 bit one's complement of the one's complement sum of a *pseudo header of information from the IP header, the UDP header, and the data,* padded with zero octets at the end (if necessary) to make a multiple of two bytes. It's set to 0xffff if calculated to be zero.

[Source - wikipedia]

Answer No 8:

DHCP Discover Message Over UDP:

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                          Destination
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       57 3.... 0.0.0.0 255.255.255 DHCP ... DHCP Discover - Transaction ID 0x4ab751cf
       58 3.... 192.168.0.1 192.168.0.18

59 3.... 0.0.0.0 255.255.255

66 4.... 192.168.0.1 192.168.0.18
                                                        DHCP ... DHCP Offer - Transaction ID 0x4ab751cf
DHCP ... DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0x4ab751cf
                                                        DHCP ... DHCP ACK - Transaction ID 0x4ab751cf
      954 18... 192.168.0.18 192.168.0.1
                                                        DHCP ... DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0x4e05eae4
      974 19... 192.168.0.1
                                 192.168.0.18
                                                        DHCP ... DHCP ACK
                                                                                   - Transaction ID 0x4e05eae4
     1051 27... 192.168.0.18 192.168.0.1
                                                         DHCP ... DHCP Release - Transaction ID 0xe4c36604
     1133 41... 0.0.0.0 255.255.255 DHCP ... DHCP Discover - Transaction ID 0xe74f1580 1134 41... 192.168.0.1 192.168.0.18 DHCP ... DHCP Offer - Transaction ID 0xe74f1580
Frame 57: 342 bytes on wire (2736 bits), 342 bytes captured (2736 bits) on interface 0
▶ Ethernet II, Src: Dell_19:80:f2 (00:23:ae:19:80:f2), Dst: Broadcast (ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff)
▶ Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 0.0.0.0, Dst: 255.255.255.255
▼ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 68 (68), Dst Port: 67 (67)
      Source Port: 68
      Destination Port: 67
      Length: 308
   ▼ Checksum: 0x0145 [validation disabled]
          [Good Checksum: False]
           [Bad Checksum: False]
       [Stream index: 4]
▶ Bootstrap Protocol (Discover)
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DHCP Offer to the above Discover Over UDP:

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No. Time Source Destination Protocc Le Info
         57 3.... 0.0.0.0 255.255.255 DHCP ... DHCP Discover - Transaction ID 0x4ab751cf
         58 3... 192.168.0.1 192.168.0.18 DHCP ... DHCP Offer - Transaction ID 0x4ab751cf
      59 3... 0.0.0.0 255.255.255 DHCP ... DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0x4ab751cf 66 4... 192.168.0.1 192.168.0.18 DHCP ... DHCP ACK - Transaction ID 0x4ab751cf 954 18... 192.168.0.18 192.168.0.1 DHCP ... DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0x4e05eae4 974 19... 192.168.0.1 192.168.0.18 DHCP ... DHCP ACK - Transaction ID 0x4e05eae4 1051 27... 192.168.0.18 192.168.0.1 DHCP ... DHCP Release - Transaction ID 0xe4c36604
      1133 41... 0.0.0.0 255.255.255 DHCP ... DHCP Discover - Transaction ID 0xe74f1580 1134 41... 192.168.0.1 192.168.0.18 DHCP ... DHCP Offer - Transaction ID 0xe74f1580
▶ Frame 58: 342 bytes on wire (2736 bits), 342 bytes captured (2736 bits) on interface 0
Ethernet II, Src: Netgear_f6:28:ea (50:6a:03:f6:28:ea), Dst: Dell_19:80:f2 (00:23:ae:19:80:f2)
▶ Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.1, Dst: 192.168.0.18
 ▼ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 67 (67), Dst Port: 68 (68)
        Source Port: 67
        Destination Port: 68
        Length: 308
     ▼ Checksum: 0xba84 [validation disabled]
             [Good Checksum: False]
             [Bad Checksum: False]
         [Stream index: 5]
▶ Bootstrap Protocol (Offer)
```

In the above pair of Discover and Offer packets of DHCP sent over UDP, we can see that the **Source Port of the sent packet is the Destination Port of the Reply packet and vice versa** in the UDP Headers. This shows how transport layer routes the packets to appropriate programs running on the application layer.

Answer To the Bonus Question:

The Packet Received (Experimented using IPERF in Mac):

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14392 3... 192.168.0.13
                                     192.168.0.16
                                                                     ... 64860 → 5001 Len=12
                                                                   ... 64860 → 5001 Len=12
    14393 3... 192.168.0.13
                                     192,168,0,16
                                                      UDP
                                                          UDP ... 64860 → 5001 Len=12
    14394 3.... 192.168.0.13
                                    192,168,0,16
    14395 3... 192.168.0.13
                                   192.168.0.16
                                                          UDP ... 64860 → 5001 Len=12
       Protocol: UDP (17)
    ▶ Header checksum: 0x4246 [correct]
       Source: 192.168.0.13
       Destination: 192.168.0.16
       [Source GeoIP: Unknown]
       [Destination GeoTP: Unknown]
▼ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 64860 (64860), Dst Port: 5001 (5001)
       Source Port: 64860
       Destination Port: 5001
       Length: 20
   ▼ Checksum: 0x0812 [correct]
           [Calculated Checksum: 0x0812]
           [Good Checksum: True]
           [Bad Checksum: False]
       [Stream index: 3]
▼ Data (12 bytes)
       Data: 00005b89571c11f70006a0bd
0000 a0 99 9b 0c 6b 03 60 f8 1d aa 88 68 08 00 45 00 ....k.`...h..E
0010 00 28 b7 11 00 00 40 11 42 46 c0 a8 00 0d c0 a8 .(....@. BF.....
0020 00 10 fd 5c 13 89 00 14 08 12 00 00 5b 89 57 1c ...\.................[.W
                                                               ...\.... ....[.W.
0030 11 f7 00 06 a0 bd
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We Have the following fields for the checksum calculation(in 16 bit splits, IN HEX):

SOURCE IP PART 1 : C0 A8 SOURCE IP PART 2 : 00 0D

DESTINATION IP PART 1 : C0 A8 DESTINATION IP PART 2 : 00 10 UDP PACKET LENGTH : 00 14

UDP PROTOCL NO: 00 11 SOURCE PORT: FD 5C

DEST PORT: 13 89 LENGTH: 00 14 DATA 1: 00 00 DATA 2: 5B 89

DATA 3: 57 1C DATA 4: 11 F7 DATA 5: 00 06 DATA 6: A0 BD

Adding up all of the above, we get = 3F7EA

Carry = 3

Adding 3 to F7EA WE GET = F7EA + 3 = F7ED

In binary, F7ED is = 1111 0111 1110 1101

Now, one's compliment of F7ED = 0000 1000 0001 0010

Which is = **0812 in Hex.**

In the snapshot above, we see that the value of the checksum field is = **0812** So, we see that the calculation says that checksum is correct, so does Wireshark.