

CSL332	NETWORKING LAB	CATEGORY	L	T	P	Credit	Year of Introduction
		PCC	0	0	3	2	2

Preamble:






















The course enables the learners to get hands-on experience in network programming using Linux System calls and network monitoring tools. It covers implementation of network protocols and algorithms, configuration of network services and familiarization of network simulators. This helps the learners to develop, implement protocols and evaluate its performance for real world networks.

Prerequisite: Sound knowledge in Programming in C, Data Structures and Computer Networks

Course Outcomes: After the completion of the course the student will be able to

CO#	Course Outcomes
CO1	Use network related commands and configuration files in Linux Operating System. (Cognitive Knowledge Level: Understand).
CO2	Develop network application programs and protocols. (Cognitive Knowledge Level: Apply)
CO3	Analyze network traffic using network monitoring tools. (Cognitive Knowledge Level: Apply)
CO4	Design and setup a network and configure different network protocols. (Cognitive Knowledge Level: Apply)
CO5	Develop simulation of fundamental network concepts using a network simulator. (Cognitive Knowledge Level: Apply)

Mapping of course outcomes with program outcomes

	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10	PO11	PO12
CO1												
CO2												
CO3												

CO4												
CO5												

Abstract POs defined by National Board of Accreditation			
PO#	Broad PO	PO#	Broad PO
PO1	Engineering Knowledge	PO7	Environment and Sustainability
PO2	Problem Analysis	PO8	Ethics
PO3	Design/Development of solutions	PO9	Individual and teamwork
PO4	Conduct investigations of complex problems	PO10	Communication
PO5	Modern tool usage	PO11	Project Management and Finance
PO6	The Engineer and Society	PO12	Lifelong learning

Assessment Pattern

Bloom's Category	Continuous Assessment Test (Internal Exam) Marks in percentage	End Semester Examination Marks in percentage
Remember	20	20
Understand	20	20
Apply	60	60
Analyze		
Evaluate		
Create		

Mark Distribution

Total Marks	CIE Marks	ESE Marks	ESE Duration
150	75	75	3 hours

Continuous Internal Evaluation Pattern:

Attendance	: 15 marks
Continuous Evaluation in Lab	: 30 marks
Continuous Assessment Test	: 15 marks
Viva voce	: 15 marks

Internal Examination Pattern:

The Internal examination shall be conducted for 100 marks, which will be converted to out of 15, while calculating Internal Evaluation marks. The marks will be distributed as, Algorithm - 30 marks, Program - 20 marks, Output - 20 marks and Viva - 30 marks.

End Semester Examination Pattern:

The End Semester Examination will be conducted for a total of 75 marks and shall be distributed as, Algorithm - 30 marks, Program - 20 marks, Output - 20 marks and Viva- 30 marks.

Operating System to Use in Lab	: Linux
Compiler/Software to Use in Lab	: gcc, NS2
Programming Language to Use in Lab	: Ansi C

Fair Lab Record:

All the students attending the Networking Lab should have a Fair Record. Every experiment conducted in the lab should be noted in the fair record. For every experiment, in the fair record, the right hand page should contain experiment heading, experiment number, date of experiment, aim of the experiment, procedure/algorithm followed, other such details of the experiment and final result. The left hand page should contain a print out of the respective code with sample input and corresponding output obtained. All the experiments noted in the fair record should be verified by the faculty regularly. The fair record, properly certified by the faculty, should be produced during the time of End Semester Examination for the verification by the examiners.

Syllabus

***Mandatory**

(Note: At least one program from each topic in the syllabus should be completed in the Lab)

1. Getting started with the basics of network configuration files and networking commands in Linux.*
2. To familiarize and understand the use and functioning of system calls used for network programming in Linux.*
3. Implement client-server communication using socket programming and TCP as transport layer protocol*
4. Implement client-server communication using socket programming and UDP as transport layer protocol*
5. Simulate sliding window flow control protocols.* (Stop and Wait, Go back N, Selective Repeat ARQ protocols)
6. Implement and simulate algorithm for Distance Vector Routing protocol or Link State Routing protocol.*
7. Implement Simple Mail Transfer Protocol.
8. Implement File Transfer Protocol.*
9. Implement congestion control using a leaky bucket algorithm.*
10. Understanding the Wireshark tool.*
11. Design and configure a network with multiple subnets with wired and wireless LANs using required network devices. Configure commonly used services in the network.*
12. Study of NS2 simulator*

Networking Lab-Practice Questions

1.
 - a) View the configuration, including addresses of your computers network interfaces.
 - b) Test the network connectivity between your computer and several other computers.
 - c) View the active TCP connections in the computer after visiting a website.
 - d) Find the hardware/MAC address of another computer in the network using ARP.
2. Write the system calls used for creating sockets and transferring data between two nodes.
3.
 - a) Implement a multi-user chat server using TCP as transport layer protocol.
 - b) Implement a simple web proxy server that accepts HTTP requests and forwarding to remote servers and returning data to the client using TCP

4. Implement a Concurrent Time Server application using UDP to execute the program at a remote server. Client sends a time request to the server, server sends its system time back to the client. Client displays the result.
5.
 - a) Implement Stop-and-Wait ARQ flow control protocol.
 - b) Implement Go-Back--N ARQ flow control protocol.
 - c) Implement Selective Repeat ARQ flow control protocol.
6. Implement Distance Vector Routing algorithm or Link State Routing algorithm..
7. Implement Simple Mail Transfer Protocol.
8. Develop a concurrent file server which will provide the file requested by a client if it exists. If not, the server sends appropriate message to the client. Server should also send its process ID (PID) to clients for display along with the file or the message.
9. Implement leaky bucket algorithm for congestion control.
10.
 - a) Using Wireshark, Capture packets transferred while browsing a selected website. Investigate the protocols used in each packet, the values of the header fields and the size of the packet.
 - b) Using Wireshark, observe three way handshaking connection establishment, three way handshaking connection termination and Data transfer in client server communication using TCP.
 - c) Explore at least the following features of Wireshark: filters, Flow graphs (TCP), statistics, and protocol hierarchies.
11. Design and configure a network (wired and wireless LANs) with multiple subnets using required network devices. Configure at least three of the following services in the network- TELNET, SSH, FTP server, Web server, File server, DHCP server and DNS server.
12.
 - a) The network consists of TCP source node (n0) and destination node (n1) over an area size of 500m x 500m. Node (n0) uses Agent/TCP/Reno as the sending TCP agent and FTP traffic source. Node (n1) is the receiver of FTP transfers, and it uses Agent/TCP sink as its TCP-agent for the connection establishment. Run the simulation for 150 seconds and show the TCP window size in two static nodes scenario with any dynamic routing protocol. Run the script and analyze the output graph for the given scenario.
 - b) Simulate the transmission of ping messages over a star network topology consisting of 'n' nodes and find the number of packets dropped due to congestion using NS2simulator.
 - c) Simulate Link State Protocol or Distance Vector Routing protocol in NS2.

Reference Books:

1. W. Richard Stevens, Bill Fenner, Andy Rudoff, UNIX Network Programming: Volume 1, The Sockets Networking API, 3rd Edition, Pearson, 2015
2. Lisa Bock, Learn Wireshark: Confidently navigate the Wireshark interface and solve real-world networking problems, Packt Publishing, 2019
3. Teerawat Issariyakul, Ekram Hossain, Introduction to Network Simulator NS2, 2nd Edition, Springer, 2019

