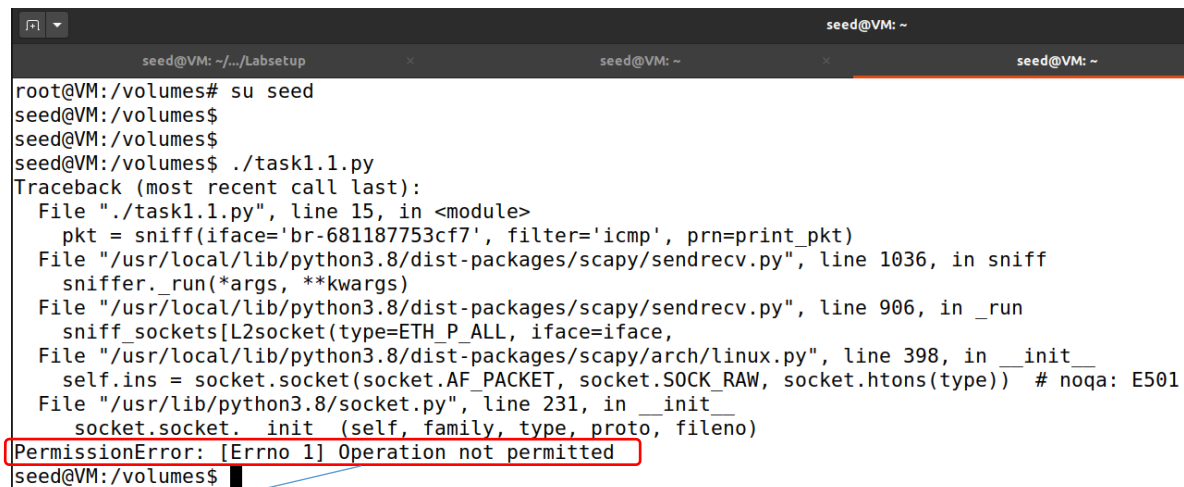


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Task 1.1: Sniffing Packets

Task 1.1.A (trying to execute the python code from the seed user):



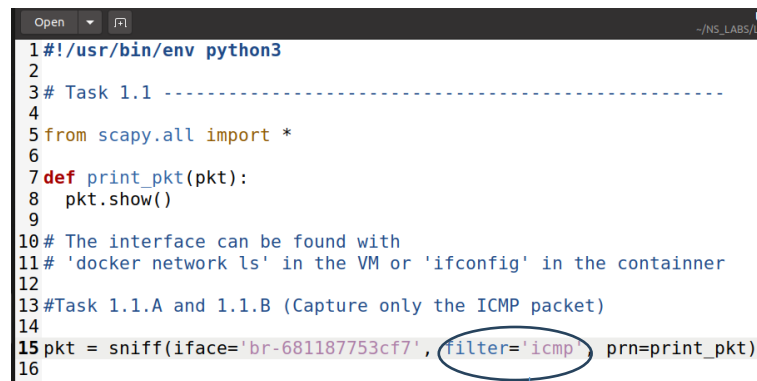
The terminal shows a sequence of commands and their output. The user 'seed' attempts to run './task1.1.py' but receives a 'PermissionError: [Errno 1] Operation not permitted'. A red box highlights this error message, and a blue arrow points from it to the explanatory text below.

```
root@VM:/volumes# su seed
seed@VM:/volumes$
seed@VM:/volumes$ ./task1.1.py
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "./task1.1.py", line 15, in <module>
    pkt = sniff(iface='br-681187753cf7', filter='icmp', prn=print_pkt)
  File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/dist-packages/scapy/sendrecv.py", line 1036, in sniff
    sniffer._run(*args, **kwargs)
  File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/dist-packages/scapy/sendrecv.py", line 906, in _run
    sniff_sockets[L2socket(type=ETH_P_ALL, iface=iface,
  File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/dist-packages/scapy/arch/linux.py", line 398, in __init__
    self.ins = socket.socket(socket.AF_PACKET, socket.SOCK_RAW, socket.htons(type)) # noqa: E501
  File "/usr/lib/python3.8/socket.py", line 231, in __init__
    socket.socket. init (self, family, type, proto, fileno)
PermissionError: [Errno 1] Operation not permitted
seed@VM:/volumes$
```

We observe that the user seed is not granted the permission to execute the code but on the other hand when we executed the code using the root user, we were successful. Therefore, by default, we need root privileges to sniff packets on the network using scapy.

Task 1.1B (Capture only the ICMP Packets):

Python code that will be used to perform the task:



The screenshot shows a Python script named 'task1.1.py'. Line 15, which contains the 'sniff' function call with the filter 'icmp', is highlighted with a blue oval. A blue arrow points from this oval to a red text box below.

```
1#!/usr/bin/env python3
2
3# Task 1.1 -----
4
5from scapy.all import *
6
7def print_pkt(pkt):
8    pkt.show()
9
10# The interface can be found with
11# 'docker network ls' in the VM or 'ifconfig' in the container
12
13#Task 1.1.A and 1.1.B (Capture only the ICMP packet)
14
15pkt = sniff(iface='br-681187753cf7', filter='icmp', prn=print_pkt)
16
```

Setting the filter to capture icmp packets.



The screenshot shows a terminal window with three tabs. The first tab is 'seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup', the second is 'seed@VM: ~/.../LAB01', and the third, which is active, is 'seed@VM: ~/.../volumes'. The active tab's content shows the command prompt 'root@VM:/volumes#' followed by the command './task1.1.py'.

The program is executed now, and is ready to capture the traffic

```
seed@VM: ~  
seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup seed@VM: ~/.../LAB01 seed@VM: ~/.../volumes seed@VM: ~  
root@09af0074f7b6:/# ping 10.9.0.5  
PING 10.9.0.5 (10.9.0.5) 56(84) bytes of data.  
64 bytes from 10.9.0.5: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.043 ms  
64 bytes from 10.9.0.5: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.116 ms  
^C  
--- 10.9.0.5 ping statistics ---  
2 packets transmitted, 2 received, 0% packet loss, time 1013ms  
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.043/0.079/0.116/0.036 ms  
root@09af0074f7b6:/#
```

```

seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup
seed@VM: ~/.../LAB01
seed@VM: ~/.../volumes

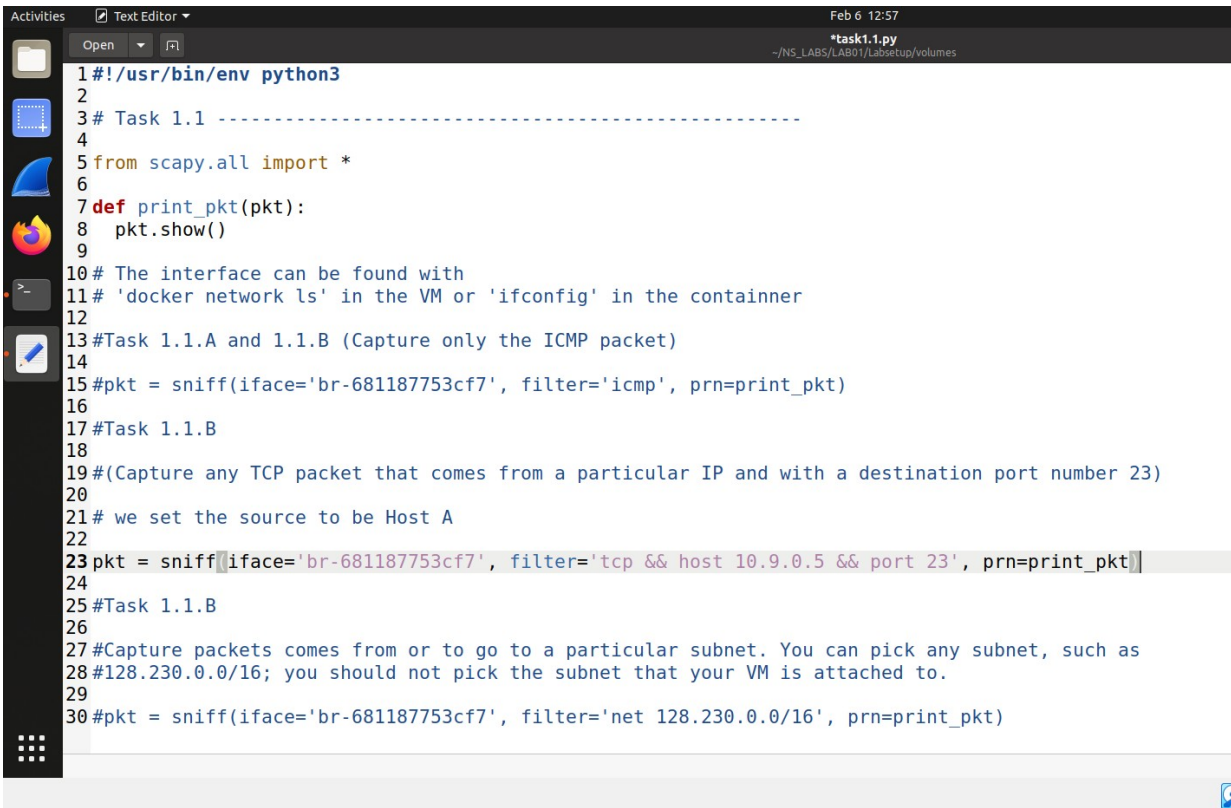
root@VM: /volumes# ./task1.1.py
###[ Ethernet ]###
  dst      = 02:42:0a:09:00:05
  src      = 02:42:0a:09:00:06
  type     = IPv4
###[ IP ]###
  version  = 4
  ihl      = 5
  tos      = 0x0
  len      = 84
  id       = 19910
  flags    = DF
  frag     = 0
  ttl      = 64
  proto    = icmp
  chksum   = 0xd8c6
  src      = 10.9.0.6
  dst      = 10.9.0.5
  \options \
###[ ICMP ]###
  type     = echo-request
  code     = 0
  chksum   = 0x3226
  id       = 0x43
  seq      = 0x1
###[ Raw ]###
      load      = '#z\xc2e\x00\x00\x00\x00\x15\xe3\x0b\x00\x00\x00\x00\x10\x11\x12\x13\x14\x1
1f !"#${&\'()*+,-./01234567'

```

Task 1.1.B

(Capture any TCP packet that comes from a particular IP and with a destination port number 23):

Python code that will be used to perform the task:



The screenshot shows a text editor window titled "Text Editor" with a file named "task1.1.py". The code is as follows:

```
1#!/usr/bin/env python3
2
3# Task 1.1 -----
4
5from scapy.all import *
6
7def print_pkt(pkt):
8    pkt.show()
9
10# The interface can be found with
11# 'docker network ls' in the VM or 'ifconfig' in the container
12
13#Task 1.1.A and 1.1.B (Capture only the ICMP packet)
14
15pkt = sniff(iface='br-681187753cf7', filter='icmp', prn=print_pkt)
16
17#Task 1.1.B
18
19#(Capture any TCP packet that comes from a particular IP and with a destination port number 23)
20
21# we set the source to be Host A
22
23pkt = sniff(iface='br-681187753cf7', filter='tcp && host 10.9.0.5 && port 23', prn=print_pkt)
24
25#Task 1.1.B
26
27#Capture packets comes from or to go to a particular subnet. You can pick any subnet, such as
28#128.230.0.0/16; you should not pick the subnet that your VM is attached to.
29
30pkt = sniff(iface='br-681187753cf7', filter='net 128.230.0.0/16', prn=print_pkt)
```



The screenshot shows a terminal window with three tabs: "seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup", "seed@VM: ~/.../LAB01", and "seed@VM: ~/.../volumes". The active tab is "seed@VM: ~/.../volumes". The prompt is "root@VM:~/volumes#" and the command executed is "./task1.1.py".

```
seed@VM: ~  
seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup x seed@VM: ~/.../LAB01 x seed@VM: ~/.../volumes x  
seed@09af0074f7b6:~$ telnet 10.9.0.6  
Trying 10.9.0.6...  
Connected to 10.9.0.6.  
Escape character is '^]'.  
Jbuntu 20.04.1 LTS  
09af0074f7b6 login: seed  
Password:  
Welcome to Ubuntu 20.04.1 LTS (GNU/Linux 5.4.0-54-generic x86_64)  
  
* Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com  
* Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com  
* Support:       https://ubuntu.com/advantage  
  
This system has been minimized by removing packages and content that are  
not required on a system that users do not log into.  
  
To restore this content, you can run the 'unminimize' command.  
Last login: Tue Feb  6 18:07:43 UTC 2024 from hostA-10.9.0.5.net-10.9.0.0 on pts/1  
seed@09af0074f7b6:~$
```

```
seed@VM: ~  
seed@VM: ~/.../Labsetup x seed@VM: ~/.../LAB01 x seed@VM: ~/.../volumes x  
dst      = 02:42:0a:09:00:06  
src      = 02:42:0a:09:00:05  
type     = IPv4  
###[ IP ]###  
  version = 4  
  ihl     = 5  
  tos     = 0x10  
  len     = 52  
  id      = 376  
  flags   = DF  
  frag    = 0  
  ttl     = 64  
  proto   = tcp  
  chksum  = 0x2520  
  src     = 10.9.0.5  
  dst     = 10.9.0.6  
  \options \  
###[ TCP ]###  
  sport   = 47376  
  dport   = telnet  
  seq     = 158327363  
  ack     = 1541739179  
  dataofs = 8  
  reserved = 0  
  flags   = A  
  window  = 501  
  chksum  = 0x1443  
  urgptr  = 0  
  options = [('NOP', None), ('NOP', None), ('Timestamp', (1670767146, 3877068584))]
```

Task 1.1.B

(Capture packets comes from or to go to a particular subnet. You can pick any subnet, such as 128.230.0.0/16; you should not pick the subnet that your VM is attached to):

Python code that will be used to perform the task:

```
Open  [Q] *task1.1.py ~NS_LAB5/LAB01/LabSetup/volumes Save
1#!/usr/bin/env python3
2
3# Task 1.1 -----
4
5from scapy.all import *
6
7def print_pkt(pkt):
8    pkt.show()
9
10# The interface can be found with
11# 'docker network ls' in the VM or 'ifconfig' in the container
12
13#Task 1.1.A and 1.1.B (Capture only the ICMP packet)
14
15#pkt = sniff(iface='br-681187753cf7', filter='icmp', prn=print_pkt)
16
17#Task 1.1.B
18
19#(Capture any TCP packet that comes from a particular IP and with a destination port number 23)
20
21# we set the source to be Host A
22
23#pkt = sniff(iface='br-681187753cf7', filter='tcp && host 10.9.0.5 && port 23', prn=print_pkt)
24
25#Task 1.1.B
26
27#Capture packets comes from or to go to a particular subnet. You can pick any subnet, such as
28#128.230.0.0/16; you should not pick the subnet that your VM is attached to.
29
30pkt = sniff(iface='br-681187753cf7', filter='net 128.230.0.0/16', prn=print_pkt)

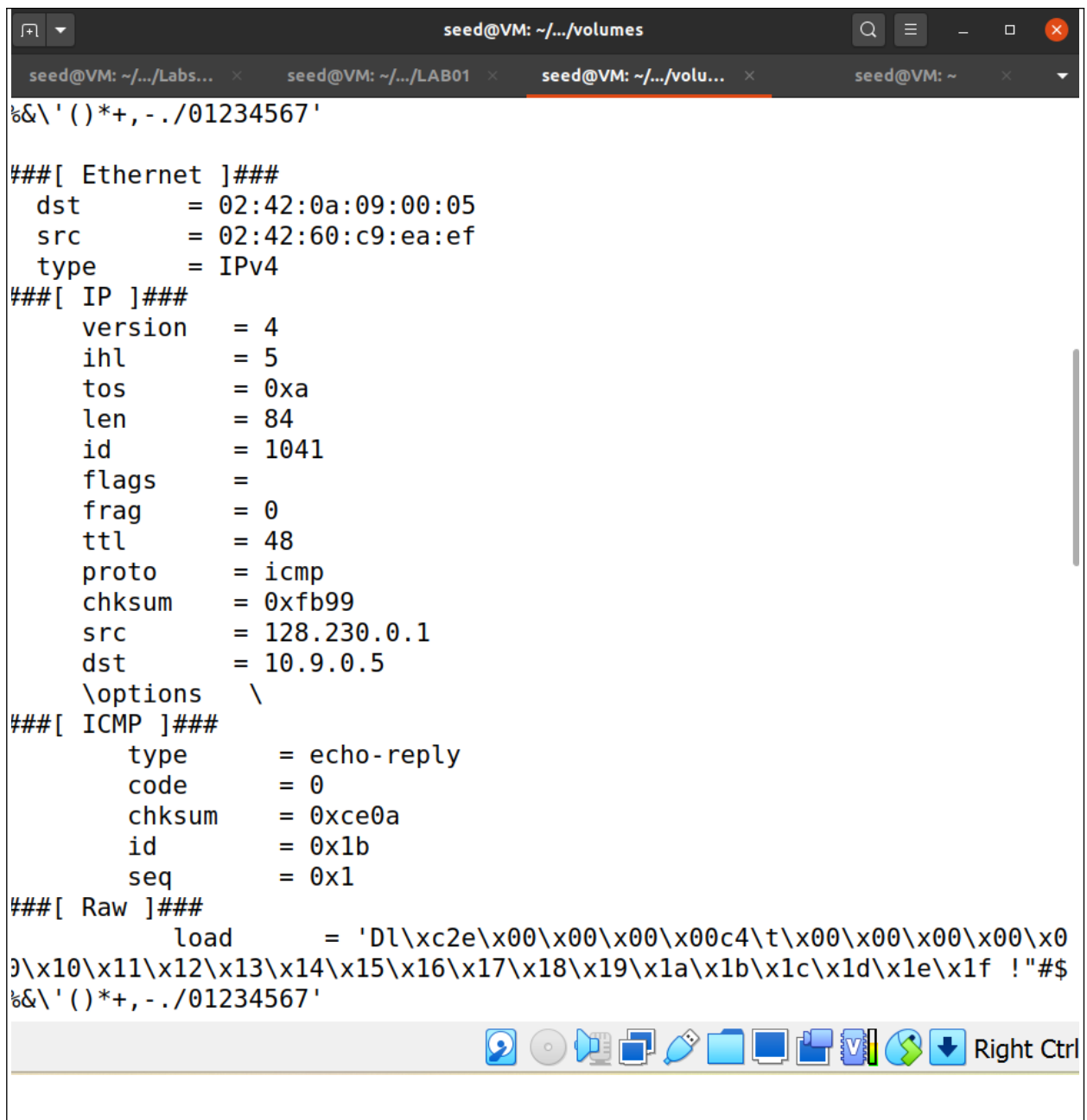
```

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```
seed@VM: ~/.../Labs... x seed@VM: ~/.../LAB01 x seed@VM: ~/.../volu... x seed@VM: ~ x
root@4f28c0392471:/# [02/06/24]seed@VM:~$ docksh 4f
root@4f28c0392471:/# ping 128.230.0.1
PING 128.230.0.1 (128.230.0.1) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 128.230.0.1: icmp_seq=1 ttl=48 time=208 ms
64 bytes from 128.230.0.1: icmp_seq=2 ttl=48 time=281 ms
^C
--- 128.230.0.1 ping statistics ---
2 packets transmitted, 2 received, 0% packet loss, time 1009ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 208.161/244.706/281.252/36.545 ms
root@4f28c0392471:/# █
```

```
seed@VM: ~/.../volumes
seed@VM: ~/.../Labs... x seed@VM: ~/.../LAB01 x seed@VM: ~/.../volu... x seed@VM: ~ x
%&\'()*+,-./01234567'

###[ Ethernet ]###
dst      = 02:42:0a:09:00:05
src      = 02:42:60:c9:ea:ef
type     = IPv4
###[ IP ]###
version  = 4
ihl      = 5
tos      = 0xa
len      = 84
id       = 1041
flags    =
frag     = 0
ttl      = 48
proto    = icmp
chksum   = 0xfb99
src      = 128.230.0.1
dst      = 10.9.0.5
\options \
###[ ICMP ]###
type     = echo-reply
code     = 0
chksum   = 0xce0a
id       = 0x1b
seq      = 0x1
###[ Raw ]###
load     = 'Dl\xc2e\x00\x00\x00\x00c4\t\x00\x00\x00\x00\x0
0\x10\x11\x12\x13\x14\x15\x16\x17\x18\x19\x1a\x1b\x1c\x1d\x1e\x1f !"#
%&\'()*+,-./01234567'
```




```
seed@VM: ~/.../volumes
[02/06/24]seed@VM:~/.../volumes$ docksh a7
root@VM:/# ls
bin  dev  home  lib32  libx32  mnt  proc  run  srv  tmp  var
boot  etc  lib  lib64  media  opt  root  sbin  sys  usr  volumes
root@VM:/# cd volumes/
root@VM:/volumes# ./task1.1.py
###[ Ethernet ]###
  dst      = 02:42:60:c9:ea:ef
  src      = 02:42:0a:09:00:05
  type     = IPv4
###[ IP ]###
  version  = 4
  ihl      = 5
  tos      = 0x0
  len      = 84
  id       = 64623
  flags    = DF
  frag     = 0
  ttl      = 64
  proto    = icmp
  checksum = 0xb344
  src      = 10.9.0.5
  dst      = 128.230.0.1
  \options \
###[ ICMP ]###
  type     = echo-request
  code     = 0
  checksum = 0xc60a
  id       = 0x1b
  seq      = 0x1
```

Task 1.2: Spoofing ICMP Packets

Code of 1.2:

Spoofing involves concealing the true origin of a communication by making it appear as though it comes from a trusted source. In task 1.2, the goal is to employ Scapy, an interactive packet manipulation library in Python, to spoof ICMP echo requests and direct them towards a distinct Virtual Machine within the network.

```
1  from scapy.all import *
2
3  a = IP()
4  a.src = '1.2.3.4'
5  a.dst = '10.9.0.6'
6  b = ICMP()
7  pkt = a/b
8  send(pkt)
9
10 ls(a)
11 |
```

The provided code demonstrates the process of spoofing a packet using Scapy. Firstly, the Scapy library was imported to utilize its features in the code. On Line 3, an IP object was created and assigned to variable A. Variable A was then given a source address (Line 4), which masks the original source address, and a destination address (Line 5). Subsequently, an ICMP object was created and assigned to variable B (Line 6). The ICMP object was encapsulated within the IP object using a "/" (Line 7) and sent to the destination network (Line 8). The `ls(a)` command was employed to list the fields and their descriptions for the specified packet.

Testing of 1.2:

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
13	2024-02-06 03:1...	10.9.0.1	10.9.0.6	ICMP	42	Echo (ping) request id
14	2024-02-06 03:1...	10.9.0.6	10.9.0.1	ICMP	42	Echo (ping) reply id
15	2024-02-06 03:1...	02:42:0a:09:00:06	02:42:1c:b6:f6:d4	ARP	42	Who has 10.9.0.1? Tell
16	2024-02-06 03:1...	02:42:1c:b6:f6:d4	02:42:0a:09:00:06	ARP	42	10.9.0.1 is at 02:42:1c
17	2024-02-06 03:1...	02:42:1c:b6:f6:d4	Broadcast	ARP	42	Who has 10.9.0.6? Tell
18	2024-02-06 03:1...	02:42:0a:09:00:06	02:42:1c:b6:f6:d4	ARP	42	10.9.0.6 is at 02:42:0a

Wireshark allows us to visualize the communication between the source and the target destination. In the provided image, the non-spoofed packet is depicted, revealing the message's source as 10.9.0.1 (Line 13).

19	2024-02-06 03:1...	1.2.3.4	10.9.0.6	ICMP	42	Echo (ping) request id
20	2024-02-06 03:1...	10.9.0.6	1.2.3.4	ICMP	42	Echo (ping) reply id
21	2024-02-06 03:1...	02:42:0a:09:00:06	02:42:1c:b6:f6:d4	ARP	42	Who has 10.9.0.1? Tell
22	2024-02-06 03:1...	02:42:1c:b6:f6:d4	02:42:0a:09:00:06	ARP	42	10.9.0.1 is at 02:42:1c

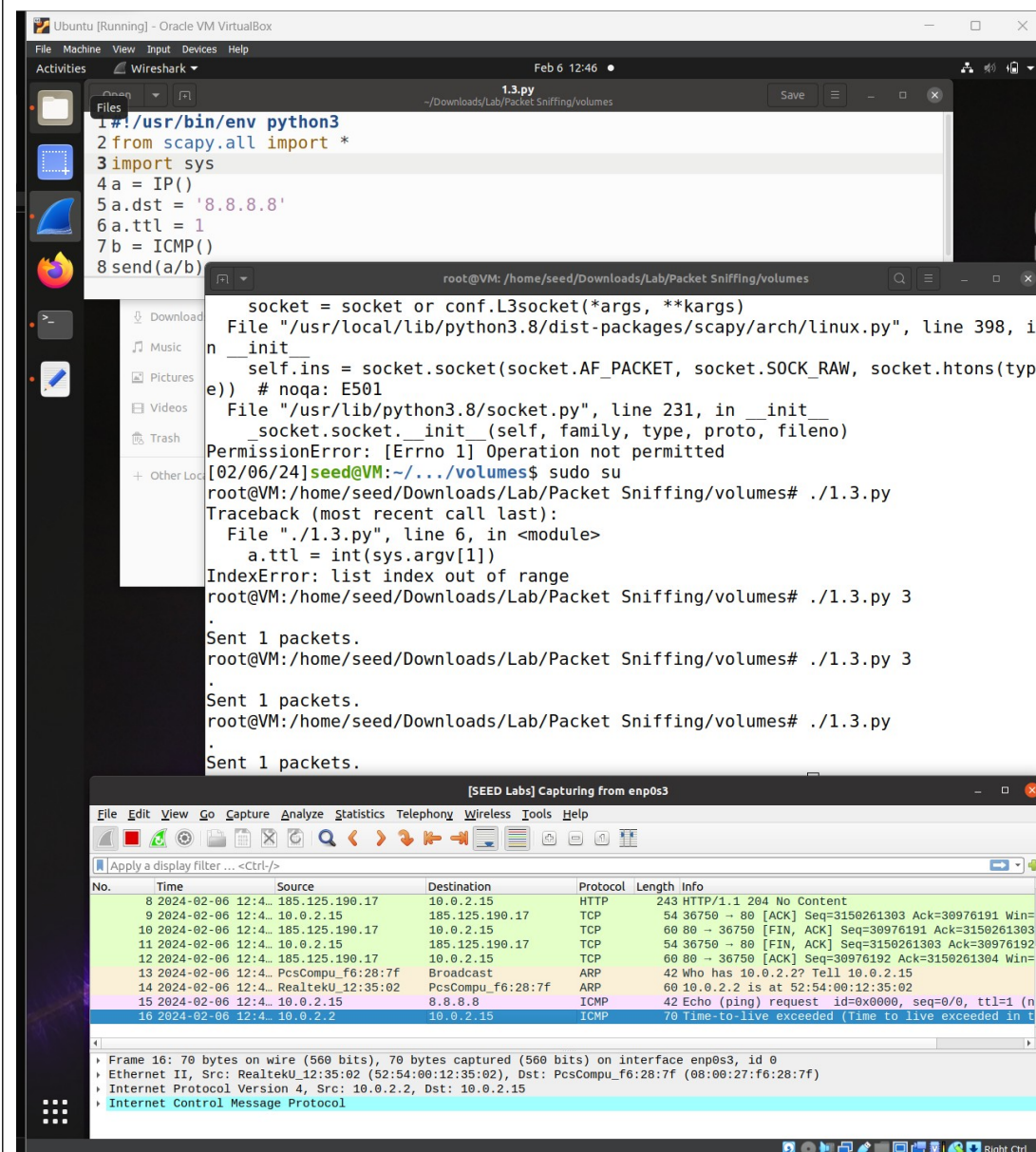
Upon executing the program, the source address was altered to 1.2.3.4 (Line 19), effectively concealing the original source address. It is interesting to see that this manipulation showcases the potential vulnerabilities and security implications associated with spoofing, highlighting the importance of understanding and securing network communications.

Task 1.3: Traceroute

In this task our objective is to estimate the distance between the source (sender) and the destination (receiver), we do this by increasing the TTL (Time To Live) parameter from 1 till the package reach the destination, which will give us the probable route of the packet in the certain time frame and also the estimated distance between the attacking machine and Google's DNS Servers. We will use Wireshark to verify this.

In the figure below, the destination has an IP address of '8.8.8.8'. We used `chmod a+x 1.3.py` to grant permission for the python file and `./1.3.py` to run the file.

While the TTL=1, Wireshark captured the traffic as TTL exceeded which means that the package did not reach the destination and we got a reply from a router.



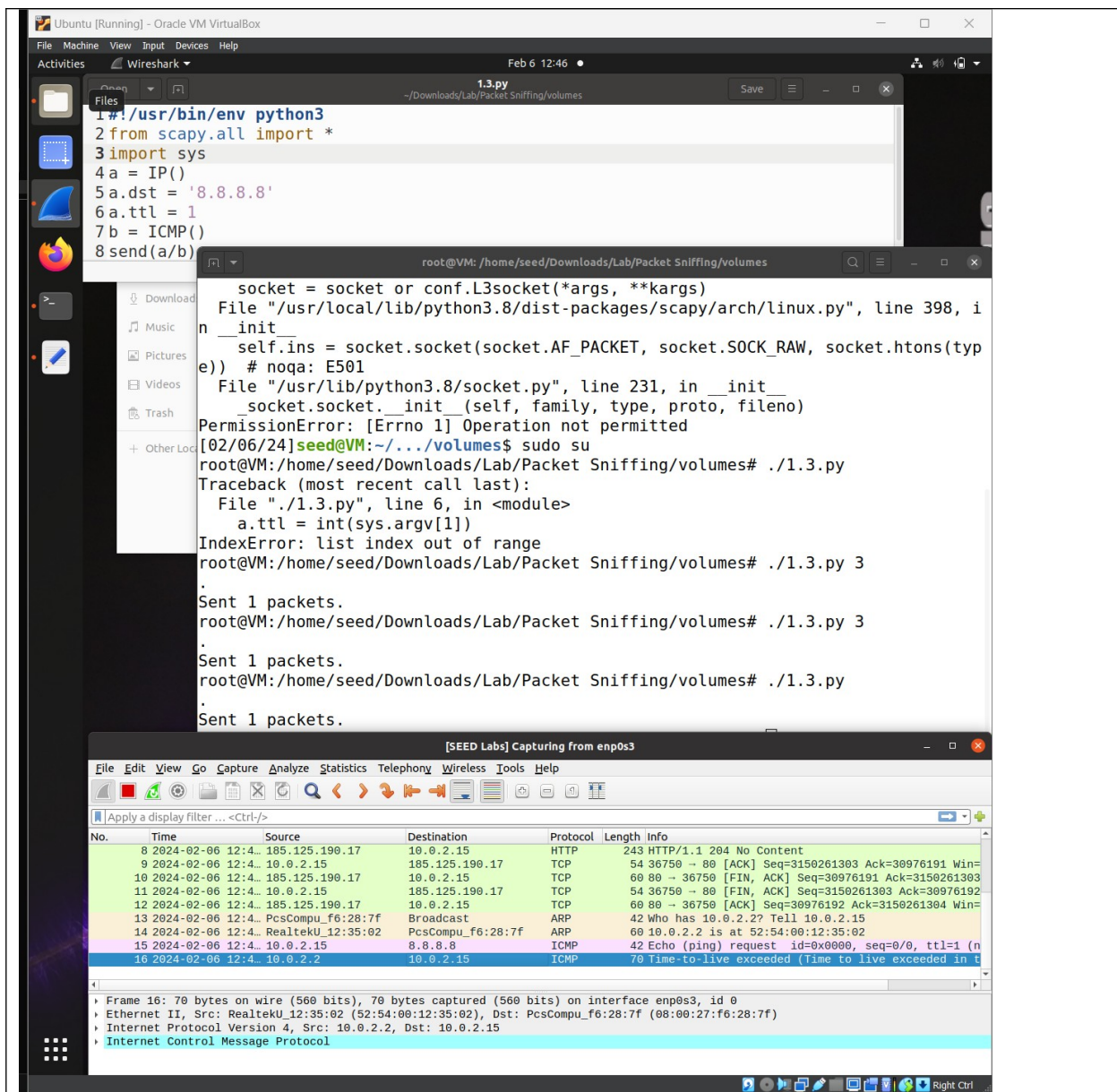
The screenshot shows a terminal window in an Ubuntu VM and the Wireshark network packet analyzer. The terminal window displays the execution of a Python script named `1.3.py` which attempts to perform a traceroute to the IP address `8.8.8.8` using ICMP. The script sets the destination IP to `8.8.8.8` and the TTL to 1. The terminal output shows a `PermissionError` when running the script as root, followed by a successful execution of `./1.3.py` which sends 1 packet. The Wireshark interface shows the captured traffic on the `enp0s3` interface. The packet list shows several HTTP and TCP packets, followed by an ICMP Echo (ping) request from `10.0.2.2` to `8.8.8.8` with a TTL of 1. The packet details pane shows the ICMP Echo request with a sequence number of 0 and a TTL of 1. The packet bytes pane shows the raw data of the ICMP Echo request.

```
1#!/usr/bin/env python3
2from scapy.all import *
3import sys
4a = IP()
5a.dst = '8.8.8.8'
6a.ttl = 1
7b = ICMP()
8send(a/b)
```

```
socket = socket or conf.L3socket(*args, **kwargs)
File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/dist-packages/scapy/arch/linux.py", line 398, in
__init__
    self.ins = socket.socket(socket.AF_PACKET, socket.SOCK_RAW, socket.htons(typ
e)) # noqa: E501
File "/usr/lib/python3.8/socket.py", line 231, in __init__
    socket.socket.__init__(self, family, type, proto, fileno)
PermissionError: [Errno 1] Operation not permitted
[02/06/24]seed@VM:~/.../volumes$ sudo su
root@VM:/home/seed/Downloads/Lab/Package Sniffing/volumes# ./1.3.py
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "./1.3.py", line 6, in <module>
    a.ttl = int(sys.argv[1])
IndexError: list index out of range
root@VM:/home/seed/Downloads/Lab/Package Sniffing/volumes# ./1.3.py 3
.
Sent 1 packets.
root@VM:/home/seed/Downloads/Lab/Package Sniffing/volumes# ./1.3.py 3
.
Sent 1 packets.
root@VM:/home/seed/Downloads/Lab/Package Sniffing/volumes# ./1.3.py
.
Sent 1 packets.
```

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
8	2024-02-06 12:4...	185.125.190.17	10.0.2.15	HTTP	243	HTTP/1.1 204 No Content
9	2024-02-06 12:4...	10.0.2.15	185.125.190.17	TCP	54	36750 → 80 [ACK] Seq=3150261303 Ack=30976191 Win=
10	2024-02-06 12:4...	185.125.190.17	10.0.2.15	TCP	60	80 → 36750 [FIN, ACK] Seq=30976191 Ack=3150261303
11	2024-02-06 12:4...	10.0.2.15	185.125.190.17	TCP	54	36750 → 80 [FIN, ACK] Seq=3150261303 Ack=30976192
12	2024-02-06 12:4...	185.125.190.17	10.0.2.15	TCP	60	80 → 36750 [ACK] Seq=30976192 Ack=3150261304 Win=
13	2024-02-06 12:4...	PcsCompu_f6:28:7f	Broadcast	ARP	42	Who has 10.0.2.2? Tell 10.0.2.15
14	2024-02-06 12:4...	RealtekU_12:35:02	PcsCompu_f6:28:7f	ARP	60	10.0.2.2 is at 52:54:00:12:35:02
15	2024-02-06 12:4...	10.0.2.15	8.8.8.8	ICMP	42	Echo (ping) request id=0x0000, seq=0/0, ttl=1 (n
16	2024-02-06 12:4...	10.0.2.2	10.0.2.15	ICMP	70	Time-to-live exceeded (Time to live exceeded in t

Frame 16: 70 bytes on wire (560 bits), 70 bytes captured (560 bits) on interface enp0s3, id 0
Ethernet II, Src: RealtekU_12:35:02 (52:54:00:12:35:02), Dst: PcsCompu_f6:28:7f (08:00:27:f6:28:7f)
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 10.0.2.2, Dst: 8.8.8.8
Internet Control Message Protocol



Even after Increasing the TTL to 2 and analyzing the captured network traffic we can see that TTL has exceeded the limit.

The screenshot shows an Ubuntu VM running Oracle VM VirtualBox. A terminal window displays the execution of a Python script named `1.3.py`. The script attempts to send ICMP echo requests to `8.8.8.8` with a TTL of 2, then 3. The terminal output shows a `PermissionError` when running `sudo su`, followed by a `Traceback` when running the script. The script successfully sends 1 packet for each TTL value.

Below the terminal, the Wireshark interface is shown, capturing traffic on the `enp0s3` interface. The packet list shows four captured packets:

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
1	2024-02-06 12:4...	PcsCompu_f6:28:7f	Broadcast	ARP	42	Who has 10.0.2.2? Tell 10.0.2.15
2	2024-02-06 12:4...	RealtekU_12:35:02	PcsCompu_f6:28:7f	ARP	60	10.0.2.2 is at 52:54:00:12:35:02
3	2024-02-06 12:4...	10.0.2.15	8.8.8.8	ICMP	42	Echo (ping) request id=0x0000, seq=0/0, ttl=2
4	2024-02-06 12:4...	192.168.10.1	10.0.2.15	ICMP	70	Time-to-live exceeded (Time to live exceeded in

Even after Increasing the TTL to 3 and analyzing the captured network traffic we can see that TTL has exceeded the limit.

The screenshot shows a terminal window in an Ubuntu VM. The terminal displays the execution of a Python script named `1.3.py`. The script uses the `scapy` library to create an ICMP packet with a destination IP of `8.8.8.8` and a TTL of 3. The script is run multiple times, and the output shows that the packet is sent successfully. The terminal also shows the execution of the `Wireshark` command, which opens the network traffic capture interface.

```

1#!/usr/bin/env python3
2from scapy.all import *
3import sys
4a = IP()
5a.dst = '8.8.8.8'
6a.ttl = 3
7b = ICMP()
8send(a/b)

```

```

root@VM:/home/seed/Downloads/Lab/Package Sniffing/volumes# ./1.3.py
Traceback (most recent call last):
  File "./1.3.py", line 6, in <module>
    a.ttl = int(sys.argv[1])
IndexError: list index out of range
root@VM:/home/seed/Downloads/Lab/Package Sniffing/volumes# ./1.3.py 3
.
Sent 1 packets.
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root@VM:/home/seed/Downloads/Lab/Package Sniffing/volumes#

```

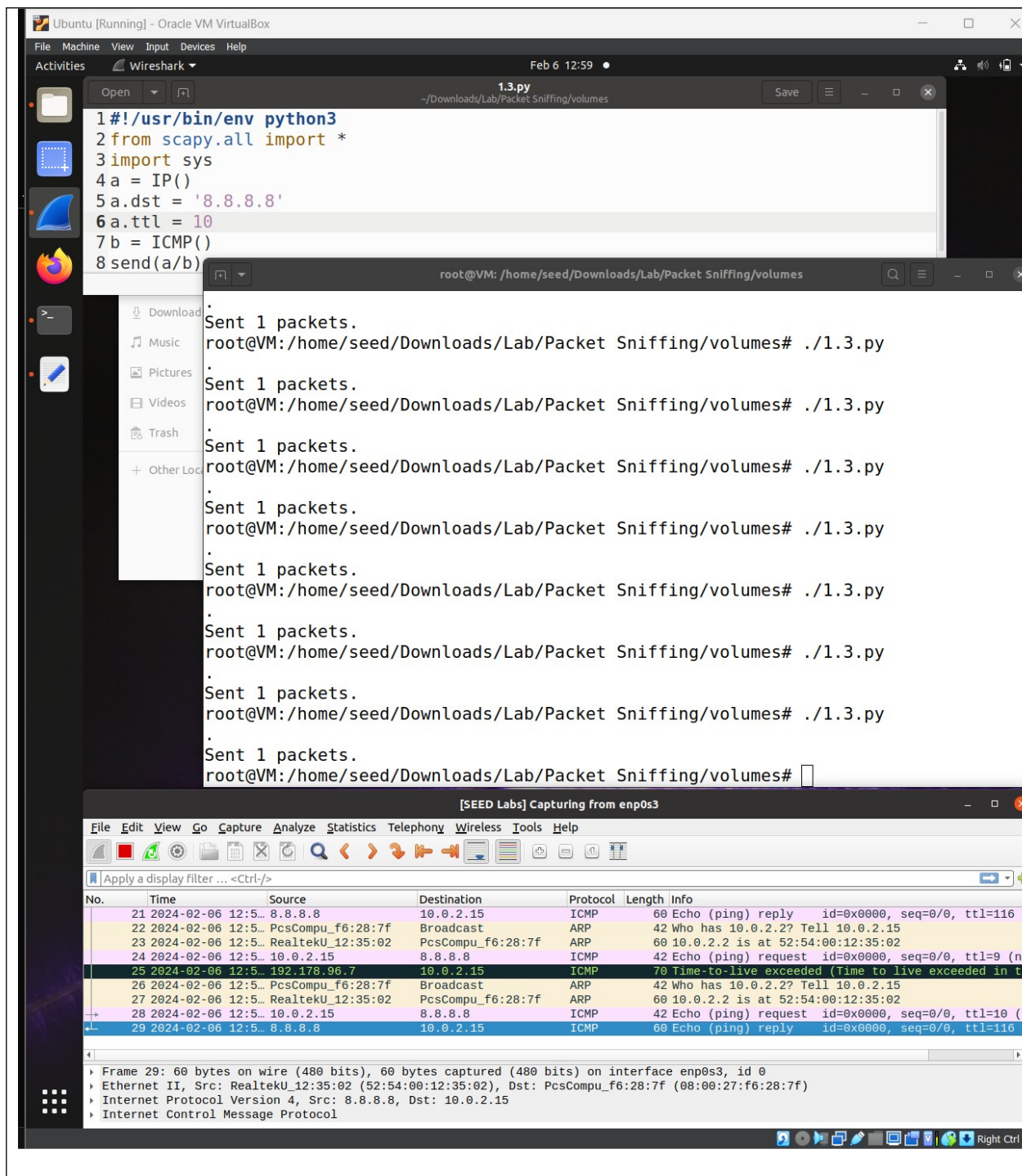
The Wireshark window shows the captured network traffic. The packet list table is as follows:

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
1	2024-02-06 12:5...	PcsCompu_f6:28:7f	Broadcast	ARP	42	Who has 10.0.2.2? Tell 10.0.2.15
2	2024-02-06 12:5...	RealtekU_12:35:02	PcsCompu_f6:28:7f	ARP	60	10.0.2.2 is at 52:54:00:12:35:02
3	2024-02-06 12:5...	10.0.2.15	8.8.8.8	ICMP	42	Echo (ping) request id=0x0000, seq=0/0, ttl=3 (n
4	2024-02-06 12:5...	192.168.100.1	10.0.2.15	ICMP	70	Time-to-live exceeded (Time to live exceeded in t

The packet details pane shows the following information for the selected packet (Frame 4):

- Frame 4: 70 bytes on wire (560 bits), 70 bytes captured (560 bits) on interface enp0s3, id 0
- Ethernet II, Src: RealtekU_12:35:02 (52:54:00:12:35:02), Dst: PcsCompu_f6:28:7f (08:00:27:f6:28:7f)
- Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.100.1, Dst: 10.0.2.15
- Internet Control Message Protocol

We keep increasing the TTL till when we get a reply from the source address being the same as the destination “8.8.8.8” (10 in our case), further analysis could be done to get rough estimation on the distance between the two devices.



Task 1.4: Sniffing and-then Spoofing

In this task, the Sniffing and spoofing techniques have been combined to be able to detect sent packets from a host in the same LAN (in this case the Host is Host A and the packets will be ICMP echo request packets), and then spoof and edit these packets source or destination.

The following Python code was used to detect and spoof the packets, for each IP we had to test for this task we made a customized my_filter variable to add it as a filter to our sniff() function.

```
root@VM:/volumes# cat task1-4.py
#!/bin/env python3
from scapy.all import *
def spoof_pkt(pkt):
    #Sniffing actual packet
    if ICMP in pkt and pkt[ICMP].type==8:
        print("Original packet.....")
        print(f"source IP: {pkt[IP].src}")
        print(f"distination IP: {pkt[IP].dst}")

    #Spoofing
    ip= IP(src=pkt[IP].dst, dst=pkt[IP].src, ihl=pkt[IP].ihl)
    icmp= ICMP(type=0, id=pkt[ICMP].id, seq=pkt[ICMP].seq)
    data= pkt[Raw].load
    newpkt= ip/icmp/data
    print("Spoofed paclet....")
    print(f"source IP: {newpkt[IP].src}")
    print(f"distination IP: {newpkt[IP].dst}")
    send(newpkt, verbose=0)
my_filter = 'icmp and host 1.2.3.4'
#my_filter = 'icmp and host 10.9.0.99'
#my_filter = 'icmp and host 8.8.8.8'
pkt= sniff(iface='br-b224dc88f0e9' , filter=my_filter , prn=spoof_pkt )

root@VM:/volumes#
```

The program starts with a shebang #!/bin/env python3, which specifies the Python 3 interpreter to use.

We defined a spoof_pkt function to handle the incoming packets. It first checks if the packet is an ICMP packet (type 8 is an ICMP echo request). If true, it prints information about the original packet, such as source and destination IP. It then creates a new packet (newpkt) by swapping the source and destination IP addresses, creating a new ICMP packet with type 0 (ICMP echo reply), and copying the payload data from the original packet.

Then information about the spoofed packet is printed and sent using the send function from scapy.

In lines 18- 20. We made packet filter (my_filter) to capture ICMP packets with especific destination IP addresses (1.2.3.4, 10.9.0.99, and 8.8.8.8).

In line 21, We use the sniff function to capture packets on the specified network interface

which is in this case (br-b224dc88f0e9) based on the defined filter. When a packet is captured, the spoof_pkt function is called to process and spoof the packet.

First, through Host A, we try to ping 1.2.3.4, Which is a non-existing host on the internet.

First we run our program in the attacker machine, and ping 1.2.3.4 in the host machine:

```
[02/06/24]seed@VM:~/.../volumes$ dockps
d88ad44f7307  seed-attacker
d5fd3507245a  hostB-10.9.0.6
3c7127f484a7  hostA-10.9.0.5
[02/06/24]seed@VM:~/.../volumes$ docksh 3c7
root@3c7127f484a7:/# ping 1.2.3.4
PING 1.2.3.4 (1.2.3.4) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=54.5 ms
64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=19.8 ms
64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=22.1 ms
^C
--- 1.2.3.4 ping statistics ---
3 packets transmitted, 3 received, 0% packet loss, time 2005ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 19.842/32.162/54.529/15.842 ms
root@3c7127f484a7:/#
```

And below we can see the attacker machine sniffing the packets and spoofing them, which explains why host A is receiving the “fake” replies from host 1.2.3.4

```
root@VM:/volumes# task1-4.py
Original packet.....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 1.2.3.4
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 1.2.3.4
distination IP: 10.9.0.5
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 1.2.3.4
Original packet.....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 1.2.3.4
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 1.2.3.4
distination IP: 10.9.0.5
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 1.2.3.4
Original packet.....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 1.2.3.4
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 1.2.3.4
distination IP: 10.9.0.5
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 1.2.3.4
```

If we observe more, we can see that the requests are being routed through the attacker machine through the `ip route get 1.2.3.4` command: (10.9.0.1 is the IP of our attacker machine)

```
root@3c7127f484a7:/# ip route get 1.2.3.4
1.2.3.4 via 10.9.0.1 dev eth0 src 10.9.0.5 uid 0
cache
```

```

root@VM:/volumes# ip a
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN group default qlen 1000
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
    inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
    inet6 ::1/128 scope host
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
2: enp0s3: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc fq_codel state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 08:00:27:fb:1b:32 brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    inet 10.0.2.15/24 brd 10.0.2.255 scope global dynamic noprefixroute enp0s3
        valid_lft 76949sec preferred_lft 76949sec
    inet6 fe80::31a9:3e10:1f64:b336/64 scope link noprefixroute
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
3: br-b224dc88f0e9: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc noqueue state UP group default
    link/ether 02:42:2f:82:c9:64 brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    inet 10.9.0.1/24 brd 10.9.0.255 scope global br-b224dc88f0e9
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
    inet6 fe80::42:2fff:fe82:c964/64 scope link
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever

```

Secondly, we attempt to sniff and spoof a non-existent host in the same LAN, 10.9.0.99
We can see that we couldn't detect nor spoof the packets.

```

root@3c7127f484a7:/# ping 10.9.0.99
PING 10.9.0.99 (10.9.0.99) 56(84) bytes of data.
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=1 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=2 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=3 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=4 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=5 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=6 Destination Host Unreachable
^C
--- 10.9.0.99 ping statistics ---
8 packets transmitted, 0 received, +6 errors, 100% packet loss, time 7175ms
pipe 4
root@3c7127f484a7:/# arp -a
VM (10.9.0.1) at 02:42:2f:82:c9:64 [ether] on eth0
hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6) at 02:42:0a:09:00:06 [ether] on eth0
? (10.9.0.99) at <incomplete> on eth0
root@3c7127f484a7:/#

```

Since both Host A and Host 10.9.0.99 should exist in the same LAN (in theory), the protocol used will be ARP, and since host 10.9.0.99 does not have a MAC address – the missing MAC address is shown as <incomplete>. Therefore, the arp prevents the packets from being sent through the LAN.

Finally, we try to ping a real existing host, 8.8.8.8, which is the primary DNS server for Google DNS.

Before we show what happens after running task1-4.py, we will first ping 8.8.8.8 normally.

```

root@3c7127f484a7:/# ping 8.8.8.8
PING 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=56 time=20.4 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=56 time=20.8 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=3 ttl=56 time=22.8 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=4 ttl=56 time=18.9 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=56 time=31.0 ms
^C
--- 8.8.8.8 ping statistics ---
5 packets transmitted, 5 received, 0% packet loss, time 4014ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 18.887/22.763/30.981/4.293 ms
root@3c7127f484a7:/# ip route get 8.8.8.8
8.8.8.8 via 10.9.0.1 dev eth0 src 10.9.0.5 uid 0
    cache
root@3c7127f484a7:/#

```

Now again with the sniff and spoof program running:

```

root@3c7127f484a7:/# ping 8.8.8.8
PING 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=56 time=27.0 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=63.4 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=56 time=19.0 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=24.6 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=3 ttl=56 time=19.6 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=22.3 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=4 ttl=64 time=26.0 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=4 ttl=56 time=73.9 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=56 time=17.9 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=20.2 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=6 ttl=64 time=26.9 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=6 ttl=56 time=27.7 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=7 ttl=56 time=20.7 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=7 ttl=64 time=32.0 ms (DUP!)
^C
--- 8.8.8.8 ping statistics ---
7 packets transmitted, 7 received, +7 duplicates, 0% packet loss, time 6022ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 17.860/30.095/73.894/16.330 ms
root@3c7127f484a7:/# ip show route get 8.8.8.8
Object "show" is unknown, try "ip help".
root@3c7127f484a7:/# ip route get 8.8.8.8
8.8.8.8 via 10.9.0.1 dev eth0 src 10.9.0.5 uid 0
    cache
root@3c7127f484a7:/#

```

```
root@VM:/volumes# task1-4.py
Original packet.....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 8.8.8.8
distination IP: 10.9.0.5
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Original packet.....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 8.8.8.8
distination IP: 10.9.0.5
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Original packet.....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 8.8.8.8
distination IP: 10.9.0.5
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Spoofed paclet....
source IP: 10.9.0.5
distination IP: 8.8.8.8
Original packet.....
```

We notice that there are duplicated reply packets, indicated by the (DUP!) at the end of some of the packets received. This happens when 2 packets with the same sequence number arrive at the same host. The most likely reason for this is that the destination exists and is also receiving the packets and sending echo replies just like our attacker machine. This might also be the case because in both cases, the packets are routed through our attacker machine (10.9.0.1) as shown through the `ip route get 8.8.8.8` command.