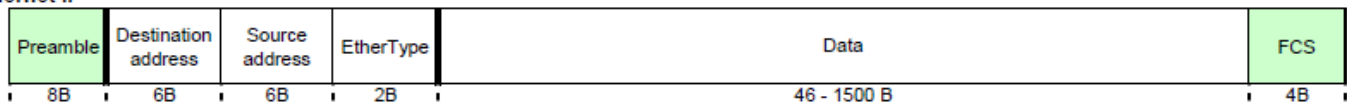
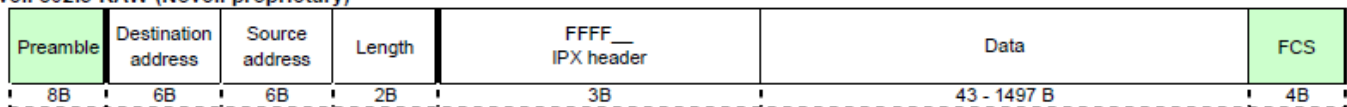


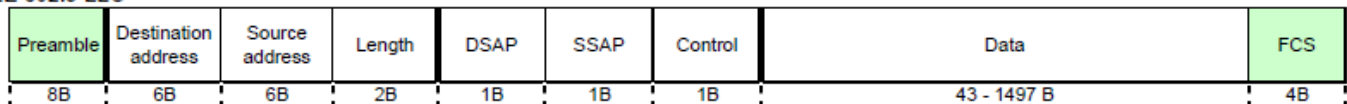
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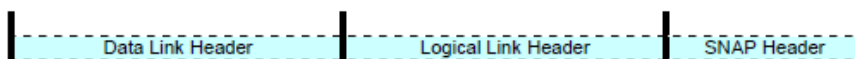
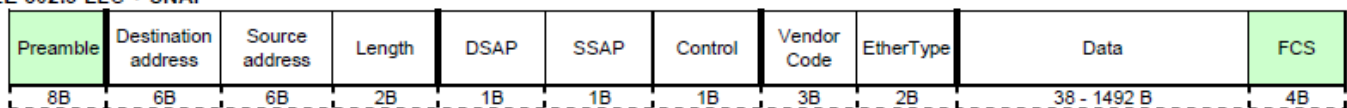
## Novell 802.3 RAW (Novell proprietary)



## IEEE 802.3 LLC



## IEEE 802.3 LLC + SNAP



## 802.2 LLC Service Access Points (SAPs)

### IEEE SAPs

Hex	Dec	Function
00	0	Null SAP
02	2	LLC Sublayer Management / Individual
03	3	LLC Sublayer Management / Group
06	6	IP (DoD Internet Protocol)
0E	14	PROWAY (IEC 955) Network Management, Maintenance and Installation
42	66	BPDU (Bridge PDU / 802.1 Spanning Tree)
4E	78	MMS (Manufacturing Message Service) EIA-RS 511
5E	94	ISI IP
7E	126	X.25 PLP (ISO 8208)
8E	142	PROWAY (IEC 955) Active Station List Maintenance
AA	170	SNAP (Sub-Network Access Protocol / non-IEEE SAPs)
E0	224	IPX (Novell NetWare)
F4	244	LAN Management
FE	254	ISO Network Layer Protocols
FF	255	Global DSAP

## EtherType values

google for "IANA Ether Types" for up-to-date list

Hex	Dec	Description
0200	0512	XEROX PUP
0201	0513	PUP Addr Trans
0800	2048	Internet IP (IPv4)
0801	2049	X.75 Internet
0805	2053	X.25 Level 3
0806	2054	ARP (Address Resolution Protocol)
8035	32821	Reverse ARP
809B	32923	Appletalk
80F3	33011	AppleTalk AARP (Kinetics)
8100	33024	IEEE 802.1Q VLAN-tagged frames
8137	33079	Novell IPX
86DD	34525	IPv6
880B	34827	PPP
8847	34887	MPLS
8848	34888	MPLS with upstream-assigned label
8863	34915	PPPoE Discovery Stage
8864	34916	PPPoE Session Stage

## UDP Header

Bit Number

1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 3  
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1

Source Port	Destination Port
Length	Checksum

### UDP Header Information

#### Common UDP Well-Known Server Ports

7 echo	138 netbios-dgm
19 chargen	161 snmp
37 time	162 snmp-trap
53 domain	500 isakmp
67 bootps (DHCP)	514 syslog
68 bootpc (DHCP)	520 rip
69 tftp	33434 traceroute
137 netbios-ns	

#### Length

(Number of bytes in entire datagram including header;  
minimum value = 8)

#### Checksum

(Covers pseudo-header and entire UDP datagram)

## ARP

Bit Number

1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 3  
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1

Hardware Address Type		Protocol Address Type
H/w Addr Len	Prot. Addr Len	Operation
Source Hardware Address		
Source Hardware Addr (cont.)		Source Protocol Address
Source Protocol Addr (cont.)		Target Hardware Address
Target Hardware Address (cont.)		
Target Protocol Address		

### ARP Parameters (for Ethernet and IPv4)

#### Hardware Address Type

- 1 Ethernet
- 6 IEEE 802 LAN

#### Protocol Address Type

- 2048 IPv4 (0x0800)

#### Hardware Address Length

- 6 for Ethernet/IEEE 802

#### Protocol Address Length

- 4 for IPv4

#### Operation

- 1 Request
- 2 Reply

## DNS

Bit Number

1 1 1 1 1 1  
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5

ID.							
QR	Opcode	AA	TC	RD	RA	Z	RCODE
QDCOUNT							
ANCOUNT							
NSCOUNT							
ARCOUNT							
Question Section							
Answer Section							
Authority Section							
Additional Information Section							

### DNS Parameters

#### Query/Response

- 0 Query
- 1 Response

#### Opcode

- 0 Standard query (QUERY)
- 1 Inverse query (IQUERY)
- 2 Server status request (STATUS)

#### AA

- (1 = Authoritative Answer)

#### TC

- (1 = TrunCation)

#### RD

- (1 = Recursion Desired)

#### RA

- (1 = Recursion Available)

#### Z

- (Reserved; set to 0)

#### Response code

- 0 No error
- 1 Format error
- 2 Server failure
- 3 Non-existent domain (NXDOMAIN)
- 4 Query type not implemented
- 5 Query refused

#### QDCOUNT

- (No. of entries in Question section)

#### ANCOUNT

- (No. of resource records in Answer section)

#### NSCOUNT

- (No. of name server resource records in Authority section)

#### ARCOUNT

- (No. of resource records in Additional Information section.)



# TCP/IP and tcpdump

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## tcpdump Usage

```
tcpdump [-aenStvx] [-F file]  
[-i int] [-r file] [-s snaplen]  
[-w file] ['filter_expression']
```

- e Display data link header.
- F Filter expression in file.
- i Listen on int interface.
- n Don't resolve IP addresses.
- r Read packets from file.
- s Get snaplen bytes from each packet.
- S Use absolute TCP sequence numbers.
- t Don't print timestamp.
- v Verbose mode.
- w Write packets to file.
- x Display in hex.
- X Display in hex and ASCII.

## Acronyms

AH	Authentication Header (RFC 2402)	ISAKMP	Internet Security Association & Key Management Protocol (RFC 2408)
ARP	Address Resolution Protocol (RFC 826)	L2TP	Layer 2 Tunneling Protocol (RFC 2661)
BGP	Border Gateway Protocol (RFC 1771)	NNTTP	Network News Transfer Protocol (RFC 977)
CWR	Congestion Window Reduced (RFC 2481)	OSPF	Open Shortest Path First (RFC 1583)
DF	Don't Fragment bit (IP)	POP3	Post Office Protocol v3 (RFC 1460)
DHCP	Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (RFC 2131)	RFC	Request for Comments
DNS	Domain Name System (RFC 1035)	RIP	Routing Information Protocol (RFC 2453)
ECN	Explicit Congestion Notification (RFC 3168)	LDAP	Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (RFC 2251)
EIGRP	Extended IGRP (Cisco)	SKIP	Simple Key-Management for Internet Protocols
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IGMP	Internet Group Management Protocol (RFC 2236)	TFTP	Trivial File Transfer Protocol (RFC 1350)
IGRP	Interior Gateway Routing Protocol (Cisco)	TOS	Type of Service field (IP)
IMAP	Internet Message Access Protocol (RFC 2060)	UDP	User Datagram Protocol (RFC 768)
IP	Internet Protocol (RFC 791)		

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## ICMP

Bit Number

1111111111222222222233  
01234567890123456789012345678901

Type	Code	Checksum
Other message-specific information...		

Type Name/Codes (Code=0 unless otherwise specified)

0	Echo Reply
3	Destination Unreachable
0	Net Unreachable
1	Host Unreachable
2	Protocol Unreachable
3	Port Unreachable
4	Fragmentation Needed & DF Set
5	Source Route Failed
6	Destination Network Unknown
7	Destination Host Unknown
8	Source Host Isolated
9	Network Administratively Prohibited
10	Host Administratively Prohibited
11	Network Unreachable for TOS
12	Host Unreachable for TOS
13	Communication Administratively Prohibited
4	Source Quench
5	Redirect
0	Redirect Datagram for the Network
1	Redirect Datagram for the Host
2	Redirect Datagram for the TOS & Network
3	Redirect Datagram for the TOS & Host
8	Echo
9	Router Advertisement
10	Router Selection
11	Time Exceeded
0	Time to Live exceeded in Transit
1	Fragment Reassembly Time Exceeded
12	Parameter Problem
0	Pointer indicates the error
1	Missing a Required Option
2	Bad Length
13	Timestamp
14	Timestamp Reply
15	Information Request
16	Information Reply
17	Address Mask Request
18	Address Mask Reply
30	Traceroute

## PING (Echo/Echo Reply)

Bit Number

1111111111222222222233  
01234567890123456789012345678901

Type (8 or 0)	Code (0)	Checksum
Identifier		Sequence Number
Data...		

## IP Header

Bit Number

1111111111222222222233  
01234567890123456789012345678901

Version	IHL	Type of Service	Total Length	
Identification			Flags	Fragment Offset
Time to Live	Protocol	Header Checksum		
Source Address				
Destination Address				
Options (optional)				

### IP Header Contents

```

Version
4 IP version 4

Internet Header Length
Number of 32-bit words in IP header; minimum
value = 5 (20 bytes) & maximum value = 15 (60 bytes)

Type of Service (PreDTRCx) --> Differentiated Services
Precedence (000-111) 000
D (1 = minimize delay) 0
T (1 = maximize throughput) 0
R (1 = maximize reliability) 0
C (1 = minimize cost) 1 = ECN capable
x (reserved and set to 0) 1 = congestion experienced

Total Length
Number of bytes in packet; maximum length = 65,535

Flags (xDM)
x (reserved and set to 0)
D (1 = Don't Fragment)
M (1 = More Fragments)

Fragment Offset
Position of this fragment in the original datagram,
in units of 8 bytes

Protocol
1 ICMP 17 UDP 57 SKIP
2 IGMP 47 GRE 88 EIGRP
6 TCP 50 ESP 89 OSPF
9 IGRP 51 AH 115 L2TP

Header Checksum
Covers IP header only

Addressing
NET_ID RFC 1918 PRIVATE ADDRESSES
0-127 Class A 10.0.0.0-10.255.255.255
128-191 Class B 172.16.0.0-172.31.255.255
192-223 Class C 192.168.0.0-192.168.255.255
224-239 Class D (multicast)
240-255 Class E (experimental)
HOST_ID
0 Network value; broadcast (old)
255 Broadcast

Options (0-40 bytes; padded to 4-byte boundary)
0 End of Options list 68 Timestamp
1 No operation (pad) 131 Loose source route
7 Record route 137 Strict source route

```

## TCP Header

Bit Number

1111111111222222222233  
01234567890123456789012345678901

Source Port		Destination Port	
Sequence Number			
Acknowledgment Number			
Offset (Header Length)	Reserved	Flags	Window
Checksum		Urgent Pointer	
Options (optional)			

### TCP Header Contents

<b>Common TCP Well-Known Server Ports</b>			
7 echo	110 pop3		
19 chargen	111 sunrpc		
20 ftp-data	119 nntp		
21 ftp-control	139 netbios-ssn		
22 ssh	143 imap		
23 telnet	179 bgp		
25 smtp	389 ldap		
53 domain	443 https (ssl)		
79 finger	445 microsoft-ds		
80 http	1080 socks		
<b>Offset</b>			
Number of 32-bit words in TCP header; minimum value = 5			
<b>Reserved</b>			
4 bits; set to 0			
ECN bits (used when ECN employed; else 00)			
CWR (1 = sender has cut congestion window in half)			
ECN-Echo (1 = receiver cuts congestion window in half)			
<b>Flags (UAPRSF)</b>			
U (1 = Urgent pointer valid)			
A (1 = Acknowledgement field value valid)			
P (1 = Push data)			
R (1 = Reset connection)			
S (1 = Synchronize sequence numbers)			
F (1 = no more data; Finish connection)			
<b>Checksum</b>			
Covers pseudoheader and entire TCP segment			
<b>Urgent Pointer</b>			
Points to the sequence number of the byte following urgent data.			
<b>Options</b>			
0 End of Options list	3 Window scale		
1 No operation (pad)	4 Selective ACK ok		
2 Maximum segment size	8 Timestamp		

**Options Headers (Hop-by-Hop Options and Destination Options)**

																<b>Bit Number</b>															
																1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1															

<b>Next Header</b>	<b>Hdr Ext Len</b>	
<b>Options</b>		

4  
  
8

**Next Header**  
8-bit identifier for the header immediately following this one. Uses the same codes as the main IPv6 header.

**Hdr Ext Len**  
8-bit length of the Hop-by-Hop Options header in 8-octet units not including the first 8 octets, i.e., (length in octets-8)/8.

**Options**  
Variable-length field, containing the options.  
NOTE: length **must** be a multiple of 8 octets long.

**Option Encoding:**

																1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 ...															
<b>Option Type</b>								<b>Opt Data Len</b>								<b>Option Data</b>															
N W C T T T T T																															

Option Type	8-bit Identifier	
WW		indicate what to do if this option is not recognized:
00		skip this option and continue processing the header.
01		discard packet.
10		discard packet and send an ICMP Parameter Problem code 2 back to the source address pointing to the unrecognized Option Type.
11		discard packet and, if destination is not a multicast address, behave like type 10.
C		indicates whether the option data for this option can change en-route to the destination. Relevant if, in particular, an AH is present.
0		no change
1		can change
TTTT		rest of the option type code

**Opt Data Len**  
8-bit length of the Option Data field of this option, in octets.

**Option Data**  
Variable-length field.

**Options which must be implemented:**

I) Pad1 option, special case:  
 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
0

NOTE: no length or field values!

II) PadN option:  
 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5  

1
Opt Data Len
Option Data

**Routing Header (similar to IPv4 LSRR and RR options)**

*Bit Number*

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1
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```

tcpdump Usage

tcpdump [-aenstvwxX] [-F file]
[-i int] [-r file] [-s snaplen]
[-w file] ['filter_expression']

-e Display data link header.
-F Filter expression in file.
-i Listen on int interface.
-n Don't resolve IP addresses.
-r Read packets from file.
-s Get snaplen bytes from each packet
-S Use absolute TCP sequence numbers.
-t Don't print timestamp.
-v Verbose mode.
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**DNS**

**Bit Number**

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	1	1	1	1	1	1
										0	1	2	3	4	5

<b>ID.</b>									
QR	Opcode	AA	TC	RD	RA	Z	RCODE		
<b>QDCOUNT</b>									
<b>ANCOUNT</b>									
<b>NSCOUNT</b>									
<b>ARCOUNT</b>									
<b>Question Section</b>									
<b>Answer Section</b>									
<b>Authority Section</b>									
<b>Additional Information Section</b>									

**Query/Response**

- 0 Query
- 1 Response

**Opcode**

- 0 Standard query (QUERY)
- 1 Inverse query (IQUERY)
- 2 Server status request (STATUS)

**AA**

(1 = Authoritative Answer)

**TC**

(1 = TrunCation)

**RD**

(1 = Recursion Desired)

**RA**

(1 = Recursion Available)

**Z**

(Reserved; set to 0)

**Response code**

- 0 No error
- 1 Format error
- 2 Server failure
- 3 Non-existent domain (NXDOMAIN)
- 4 Query type not implemented
- 5 Query refused

**QDCOUNT**

(No. of entries in Question section)

**ANCOUNT**

(No. of resource records in Answer section)

**NSCOUNT**

(No. of name server resource records in Authority section)

**ARCOUNT**

(No. of resource records in Additional Information section).



IPv6 Header

Bit Number

01234567890123456789012345678901

Version

Traffic Class

Flow Label

Payload Length

Next Header

Hop Limit

Source Address

Destination Address

Version

4-bit Internet Protocol version number = 6.

Traffic Class

8-bit traffic class field (Experimental)  
Default = 0  
To be used for QoS and traffic prioritisation

Flow Label

20-bit flow label (Experimental)  
Default = 0  
Used in association with "traffic class" to label packets for QoS.

Payload Length

16-bit integer.  
Payload length in octets (packet - header)  
NOTE: extension headers are considered part of the payload!

Next Header

8-bit "selector". Identifies the type of header immediately following the IPv6 header.  
  
Some examples:  
0 Hop-by-Hop Options (NOTE: special processing)  
43 Routing (Type 0)  
44 Fragment  
50 Encapsulating Security Payload  
51 Authentication  
58 ICMPv6  
59 No next header  
60 Destination Options  
  
Standard headers inherited from IPv4:  
6 TCP  
17 UDP

Hop Limit

8-bit unsigned integer. Decrementd by 1 by each node that forwards the packet.  
The packet is discarded if Hop Limit is decremented to zero.

Source Address

128-bit source address

Destination Address

128-bit destination address  
NOTE: not necessarily the final destination if a Routing header is present!

TCP Header

Bit Number

01234567890123456789012345678901

Source Port

Destination Port

Sequence Number

Acknowledgment Number

Offset  
(Header Length)

Reserved

Flags

Window

Checksum

Urgent Pointer

Options (optional)

Common TCP Well-Known Server Ports

7 echo110 pop3

19 chargen111 sunrpc

20 ftp-data119 rmtcpd

21 ftp-control139 netbios-ssn

22 ssh143 imap

23 telnet179 bgp

25 smtp389 ldap

53 domain443 https (ssl)

79 finger445 microsoft-ds

80 http1080 socks

Offset

Number of 32-bit words in TCP header; minimum value = 5

Reserved

4 bits; set to 0  
ECN bits (used when ECN employed; else 00)  
CWR (1 = sender has cut congestion window in half)  
ECONO (1 = receiver cuts congestion window in half)

Flags (UAPRSF)

U (1 = Urgent pointer valid)

A (1 = Acknowledgement field value valid)

P (1 = Push data)

R (1 = Reset connection)

S (1 = Synchronize sequence numbers)

F (1 = no more data; Finish connection)

Checksum

Covers pseudoheader and entire TCP segment

Urgent Pointer

Points to the sequence number of the byte following urgent data.

Options

0 End of Options list3 Window scale

1 No operation (pad)4 Selective ACK ok

2 Maximum segment size8 Timestamp

UDP Header

Bit Number

01234567890123456789012345678901

Source Port

Destination Port

Length

Checksum

Common UDP Well-Known Server Ports

7 echo138 netbios-dgm

19 chargen161 snmp

37 time162 snmp-trap

53 domain500 isakmp

67 bootps (DHCP)514 syslog

68 bootpc (DHCP)520 rip

69 tftp33434 traceroute

137 netbios-ns

Length

(Number of bytes in entire datagram including header; minimum value = 8)

Checksum

(Covers pseudo-header and entire UDP datagram)

ICMPv6 (header type 58)

Bit Number

01234567890123456789012345678901

Type

Code

Checksum

Message Body

Type

Code

10 no route to destination

11 communication administratively prohibited

2 (not assigned)

3 address unreachable

4 port unreachable

20 packet too big message, message body contains MTU of next hop link.

30 hop limit exceeded in transit

11 fragment reassembly time exceeded

40 erroneous header field encountered

11 unrecognized "Next Header" type encountered

21 unrecognized IPv6 option encountered

1280 echo request

1290 echo reply

Fragment Header

Bit Number

01234567890123456789012345678901

Next Header

Reserved

Fragment Offset

Res

M

Identification

Next Header

8-bit identifier for the header immediately following this one. Uses the same codes as the main IPv6 header.

Reserved

8-bit reserved field. Initialized to zero for transmission; ignored on reception.

Fragment Offset

13-bit unsigned integer. The offset, in 8-octet units, of the data following this header, relative to the start of the data which can be fragmented of the original packet. Note that the IPv6 header and extensions headers which need to be processed at every hop cannot be fragmented! [This is known as the "Unfragmentable Part" in IPv6 jargon].

Res

2-bit reserved field. Initialized to zero for transmission; ignored on reception.

M flag

1 = more fragments; 0 = last fragment.

Identification

32 bits identifier for reassembly.

Checksums

Bit Number

01234567890123456789012345678901

Source Address

Destination Address

Upper-Layer Packet Length

Must be Zero (MBZ)

Next Header

The IPv6 header does not include checksums on the assumption that if checksumming is required then it will be done via an AH header which provides cryptographically strong authentication (and hence a checksum) of the whole packet. There remains an issue with upper-layer protocols, for example TCP and UDP which include a checksum calculation. In particular the "pseudo-header" to be used in IPv6 TCP/UDP checksum calculations is:

Note: unlike IPv4 the UDP checksum is compulsory when carried over IPv6!