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PROTOCOL	PORT	TCP/UDP port	OSI LAYER	DESCRIPTION	ATTACKS/ VULNERABILITES
IEEE 802.11	-	-	Physical	Specifies MAC & physical layer protocols for implementing WLAN Wi-Fi.	DoS by MAC address spoofing
PPTP (Point- to-Point Tunneling Protocol)	1723	Both	Data Link	Implements VPN; Uses TCP control channel and Generic Routing Encapsulation(GRE)	MitM; Bit flipping
L2TP (Layer 2 Tunneling Protocol)	1701	Both	Data Link	Extension of PPP; Uses UDP to avoid TCP meltdown problem.	DoS
PPP (Point to Point Protocol)	-	-	Data Link	Provides communication b/w 2 routers directly without any host or networking; Provides connection authentication, transmission encryption & compression.	Format string attack
ARP (Address Resolution Protocol)	-	-	Layer 2.5	Discovers the MAC address; Creates a communication in internal N/W.	ARP cache poisoning
RARP (Reverse Address Resolution Protocol)	-	-	Layer 2.5	Resolves MAC address to an IP address.	ARP Poisoning
ICMP (Internet Control Message Protocol)	-	-	Network	Used by ping & traceroute utility to report info. about network connectivity; Uses a data packet with 8- byte header; Each packet has a Type & Code; No port used as N/W software itself interprets all ICMP messages.	Ping sweep; Ping flood; ICMP tunneling; Forged ICMP redirects
IGMP (Internet Group Management Protocol)	-	-	Network	Used by TCP/IP suite to achieve dynamic multicasting; Class D IP addresses are used.	DoS
OSPF (Open Shortest Path First)	-	-	Network	Routing protocol for IP networks; Uses link state routing algorithm; Part of interior gateway protocols (IGPs).	DoS; Local authentication bypass
NAT (Network Address Translation)	-	-	Network	Maps one IP address space to another; Modifies network address in IP header of packets; Helps to conserve global address space.	DoS; Interception of internal & external traffic due to improper configuration.
PAT (Port Address Translation)	-	-	Network	Aka NAT overloading; Permits multiple devices on a LAN to be mapped to a single public IP address; Provides many-to-one relationship.	Discovery of intranet IP addresses.
IP (Internet Protocol)	-	-	Network	Provides the functions necessary to deliver a datagram from a source to a destination over an interconnected system of networks; No reliability, flow control & sequencing.	IP Spoofing
RIP (Routing Information Protocol)	520	UDP	Network	Dynamic routing protocol; Uses hop count to find the best path b/w source & destination.	DDoS reflection attacks.
IPSEC (IP Security)	1293	Both	Network	Provides data authentication, integrity, and confidentiality; 3 components: Encapsulating Security Payload, Authentication Header & Internet Key Exchange.	Bleichenbacher attack
TCP (Transmission Control Protocol)	0-65535	TCP	Transport	Connection oriented; Error checks & reporting; Acknowledgement; 20 byte header.	SYN flooding; TCP Reset; TCP Session hijacking

UDP (User Datagram Protocol)	0-65535	UDP	Transport	Connectionless; Error checks but no reporting; No acknowledgement; 8 byte header.	UDP flood attack.
NETBIOS (N/W Basic Input Output System)	137,138	Both	Session	Allows applications on separate computers to communicate over a local area network; Relies on API.	Information disclosure; Connection using null sessions
RPC (Remote Procedure Call)	530	Both	Session	Used for interprocess communication in client- server based applications.	XML-RPC attacks.
SMB (Server Message Block)	139,445	Both	Session	Enables user to access file on a server, or other application; CIFS was its early version.	Eternal Blue attack; Gives remote access; WannaCry & Petya.
SOCKS (Socket Secure)	1080	Both	Session	Exchanges network packets between a client and server through a proxy server; No compatibility issues unlike HTTP proxy.	Arbitrary command execution; DoS
RTP (Real- time Transport Protocol)	16384-32767	Both	Session	VoIP protocol; Delivers audio & video over IP networks.	RTP flooding attack; RTP bleed
SRTP (Secure Real-time Transport Protocol)	16384-32767	Both	Transport	Protect the privacy and integrity of real-time multimedia communications, such as voice and video, over IP networks.	Cryptographic attacks; Replay attacks; DoS; Man-in-the-middle
SSL (Secure Sockets Layer)	-	-	Presentation	Establishes encrypted communication b/w client & server.	BEAST; SSL Renegotiation
TLS (Transport Layer Security)	-	-	Presentation	Establishes encrypted communication b/w client & server.	DROWN; ROBOT; POODLE; Heartbleed
Kerberos	88	Both	Presentation	Provides security & authentication, Uses symmetric key distribution using symmetric encryption to access file server; Helps nodes to prove their identity to one another.	DoS; Arbitrary code execution; Buffer Overflow.
WPA (Wi-Fi Protected Access)	-	-	Presentation	Security standard that provides better encryption & authentication than WPA.	KRACK
MIME (Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions)	-	-	Presentation	Supports text in multiple character sets; as well as attachments of audio, video, apps & images.	XSS using MIME Sniffing
ECHO	7	Both	Application	Used for testing & measurement of round trip timings in IP networks; Server sends back identical copy of the data it received.	DoS
DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol)	67	UDP	Application	A network management protocol used to automate the process of configuring devices on IP networks.	Remote code execution; Bogus DHCP client & server
BOOTP (Bootstrap Protocol)	67,68	Both	Application	Older version of DHCP; Automatically assigns IP address to network devices from a configuration server.	BootpD; BOOTP server impersonation
HTTP (Hyper Text Transfer Protocol)	80	Both	Application	Used for communication over World Wide Web.	MitM attack

HTTPS (Hyper Text Transfer Protocol Secure)	443	Both	Application	HTTPS with SSL for security.	SSL Stripping; DROWN attack
FTP (File Transfer Protocol)	20,21	Both	Application	File transfer, Uses TCP, hence file delivery is guaranteed.	Brute force attack; Packet capture; Anonymous authentication; Directory traversal attack
FTPS (FTP with SSL)	989,990	Both	Application	Uses command channel & opens new connections for data transfer; Requires a certificate.	MitM
SFTP (SSH File Transfer Protocol)	22	Both	Application	Uses encrypted credentials to authenticate; SSH keys can also be used to authenticate.	Brute force attack
POP3 (Post Office Protocol)	110,995	Both	Application	Store-and-forward client/server protocol; Deletes mail on server as soon as user has downloaded it.	Buffer overflow in POP3 servers can cause DoS.
SSH (Secure Shell)	22	Both	Application	Cryptographic network protocol for operating network services securely over an unsecured network.	Static SSH keys; Embedded SSH keys can provide backdoor.
Telnet (TELEcommun ication NETwork)	23	Both	Application	Allows to connect to remote computers over a TCP/IP network.	Brute force; Stealing credentials by sniffing; SSH and SMTP banner grabbing.
NTP (Network Time Protocol)	123	Both	Application	Synchronizes clock among devices.	NTP Amplification DDoS attack.
IMAP/S (Internet Message Access Protocol)	143; 993	Both	Application	Allows user to create folders & assign messages to folders; User can obtain just the message header (useful in low-bandwidth connection).	Password spraying attacks.
DNS (Domain Name System)	53	Both	Application	Resolute names in TCP/IP network.	Typosquatting; DNS Poisoning.
SOAP (Simple Object Access Protocol)	80	Both	Application	XML based messaging protocol to exchange info; Characteristics: extensibility, neutrality & independence.	SOAP injection; Unauthenticated remote access
SNMP/S (Simple Network Management Protocol)	161; 162	Both	Application	Allows network manager to monitor networking equipment & remotely modify settings & configuration.	Sniffing of plain text password; Modification of packet header.
SMTP (Simple Mail Transfer Protocol)	25; 465	Both; TCP	Application	Transfers mail from sender's mail server to recipient's mail server.	Account enumeration; E-mail header disclosures; Helps find internal IPs.
SMTP/S (Simple Mail Transfer Protocol Secured)	465, 587	TCP	Application	Secure version of SMTP, and it provides encryption and authentication mechanisms to protect the confidentiality and integrity of email messages.	Man-in-the-middle; Spoofing; DoS; Brute-force
SNTP (Simple Network Time Protocol)	123	-	Application	Used when full implementation of NTP is not needed; Synchronizes a computer's system time with a server that has already been synchronized by a source such as a radio, satellite receiver or modem; Supports unicast, multicast and anycast operating modes.	DoS via a crafted NTP packet.
RFB (Remote Frame Buffer)	5900	Both	Application	Used by VNC (Virtual N/W computing) [only TCP port used]; Graphical desktop sharing system; Used in technical support.	Stack buffer overflow; Information disclosure.

RDP (Remote Desktop Protocol)	3389	Both	Application	Provides GUI to connect to another computer.	Reverse RDP attack; Sabotage sandboxes.
TFTP (Trivial File Transfer Protocol)	69	Both	Application	A lockstep FTP; Allows a client to get a file from or put a file onto a remote host.	No encryption & authentication; TFTP server spoofing.
NFS (Network File System)	2049	Both	Application	Allows a user to access files over a computer network much like local storage is accessed.	Elevation of privilege; Arbitrary code execution.
SIP/S (Session Initiation Protocol)	5060; 5061	Both; TCP	Application	Used for initiating, maintaining & terminating real-time sessions; VoIP protocol.	Registration hijacking; Message tampering.
LDAP/S (Lightweight Directory Access Protocol)	389; 636	Both	Application	An open, vendor-neutral, industry standard application protocol for accessing and maintaining distributed directory information services over an IP network.	LDAP injection; DoS; NULL Base querying