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CS433 Assignment-2

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Question 1

(a)

The above commands were used to add the routing paths connecting the routers. info(net['r1'].cmd("ip route add 10.1.0.0/24 via 10.100.0.2 dev r12"))#12 info(net['r2'].cmd("ip route add 10.0.0.0/24 via 10.100.0.1 dev r21"))#21 info(net['r3'].cmd("ip route add 10.0.0.0/24 via 10.101.0.3 dev r31"))#31 info(net['r1'].cmd("ip route add 10.2.0.0/24 via 10.101.0.4 dev r13"))#13 info(net['r2'].cmd("ip route add 10.2.0.0/24 via 10.102.0.6 dev r23"))#23 info(net['r3'].cmd("ip route add 10.1.0.0/24 via 10.102.0.5 dev r32"))#32

This part of the code uses the cmd method to execute a command on a router. ip route add 10.2.0.0/24 via 10.101.0.4 dev r13: adds a route to the routing table. It specifies that traffic destined for the IP subnet 10.2.0.0/24 should be sent via the next hop address 10.101.0.4 and the outgoing network interface r13.

```
mininet> pingall

*** Ping: testing ping reachability

d1 -> d2 d3 d4 d5 d6 r1 r2 r3

d2 -> d1 d3 d4 d5 d6 r1 r2 r3

d3 -> d1 d2 d4 d5 d6 r1 r2 r3

d4 -> d1 d2 d3 d5 d6 r1 r2 r3

d5 -> d1 d2 d3 d4 d6 r1 r2 r3

d6 -> d1 d2 d3 d4 d5 r1 r2 r3

r1 -> d1 d2 d3 d4 d5 r1 r2 r3

r2 -> d1 d2 d3 d4 d5 d6 r1 r3

r3 -> d1 d2 d3 d4 d5 d6 r1 r2

*** Results: 0% dropped (72/72 received)
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Fig 1.1

(b)

Capturing the packets through switch 1 for router 1

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol I	Length Info	
NO.						
	1 0.000000000	fe80::3c93:22ff:fe0		ICMPv6		Solicitation from 3e:93:22:03:3a:49
	2 8.187485192	fe80::541b:5cff:fe9	ff02::2	ICMPv6	70 Router	Solicitation from 56:1b:5c:9a:b0:f8
	3 14.334384354	fe80::dc16:81ff:fe4	ff02::2	ICMPv6	70 Router	Solicitation from de:16:81:4c:27:aa
	4 16.383014617	fe80::34a7:73ff:fe0	ff02::2	ICMPv6	70 Router	Solicitation from 36:a7:73:0e:a7:7d
	5 118.788398366	fe80::3c93:22ff:fe0	ff02::2	ICMPv6	70 Router	Solicitation from 3e:93:22:03:3a:49
	6 129.020681322	fe80::541b:5cff:fe9	ff02::2	ICMPv6	70 Router	Solicitation from 56:1b:5c:9a:b0:f8
	7 159.740173215	fe80::34a7:73ff:fe0	ff02::2	ICMPv6	70 Router	Solicitation from 36:a7:73:0e:a7:7d
	8 159.740750102	fe80::dc16:81ff:fe4	ff02::2	ICMPv6	70 Router	Solicitation from de:16:81:4c:27:aa

(c)

```
mininet> d1 traceroute d6
traceroute to 10.2.0.252 (10.2.0.252), 30 hops max, 60 byte packets
1 10.0.0.1 (10.0.0.1) 4.320 ms 3.862 ms 3.834 ms
2 10.101.0.4 (10.101.0.4) 3.823 ms 3.810 ms 3.802 ms
3 10.2.0.252 (10.2.0.252) 6.632 ms 6.611 ms 6.561 ms
```

Fig 1.3 Default Route (d1 \rightarrow r1 \rightarrow r3 \rightarrow d6)

```
s1 s2 s3 ...
*** Starting CLI:
mininet> d1 traceroute d6
traceroute to 10.2.0.252 (10.2.0.252), 30 hops max, 60 byte packets
1 10.0.0.1 (10.0.0.1) 5.098 ms 5.075 ms 5.090 ms
2 10.100.0.2 (10.100.0.2) 5.098 ms 5.102 ms 5.109 ms
3 10.101.0.4 (10.101.0.4) 5.115 ms 5.120 ms 5.138 ms
4 10.2.0.252 (10.2.0.252) 12.973 ms 12.980 ms 12.986 ms
```

Fig 1.4 Changed Route (d1 \rightarrow r1 \rightarrow r2 \rightarrow r3 \rightarrow d6)

\rightarrow iperf

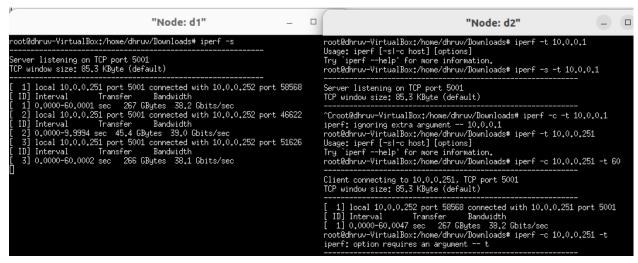
Before changing the default route -

```
"Node: d1"

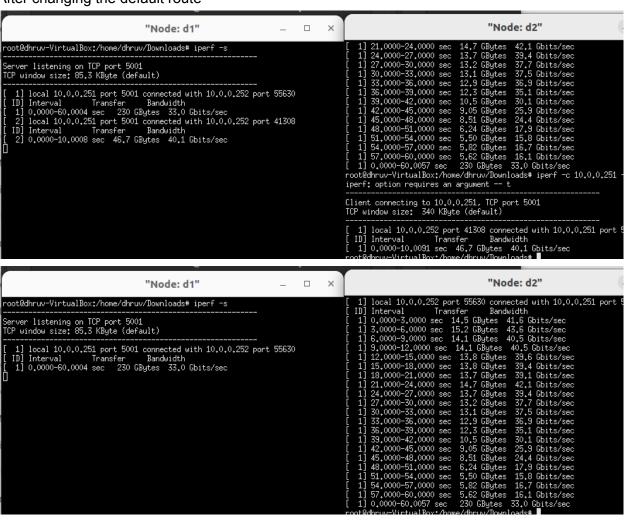
"Node: d2"

"Node:
```

Fig 1.5



After changing the default route -



By doing iperf, it can be seen that the transfer and bandwidth have decreased as we changed the default path of the routers.

Before changing the default route -

```
mininet> d1 ping d6
PING 10.2.0.252 (10.2.0.252) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=1 ttl=62 time=4.40 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=2 ttl=62 time=0.350 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=3 ttl=62 time=0.106 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp seq=4 ttl=62 time=0.097 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=5 ttl=62 time=0.091 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=6 ttl=62 time=0.078 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=7 ttl=62 time=0.096 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=8 ttl=62 time=0.077 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=9 ttl=62 time=0.077 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=10 ttl=62 time=0.089 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=11 ttl=62 time=0.107 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=12 ttl=62 time=0.104 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=13 ttl=62 time=0.084 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=14 ttl=62 time=0.145 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=15 ttl=62 time=0.076 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=16 ttl=62 time=0.109 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=17 ttl=62 time=0.085 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=18 ttl=62 time=0.096 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=19 ttl=62 time=0.084 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=20 ttl=62 time=0.103 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=21 ttl=62 time=0.082 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=22 ttl=62 time=0.079 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=23 ttl=62 time=0.105 ms
^C
 --- 10.2.0.252 ping statistics ---
23 packets transmitted, 23 received, 0% packet loss, time 22499ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.076/0.292/4.404/0.878 ms
```

After changing the default route -

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rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.069/0.158/2.3/1/0.336 ms
mininet> d1 ping d6
PING 10.2.0.252 (10.2.0.252) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=1 ttl=62 time=2.51 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=2 ttl=62 time=2.75 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp_seq=3 ttl=62 time=0.492 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp seq=4 ttl=62 time=0.098 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp seq=5 ttl=62 time=0.092 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp seq=6 ttl=62 time=0.083 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp seq=7 ttl=62 time=0.136 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp seq=8 ttl=62 time=0.097 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp seq=9 ttl=62 time=0.111 ms
64 bytes from 10.2.0.252: icmp seq=10 ttl=62 time=0.085 ms
^C
--- 10.2.0.252 ping statistics ---
10 packets transmitted, 10 received, 0% packet loss, time 9156ms
```

By pinging it can be seen that the time to ping the first packet has reduced from 4.5 milliseconds to 2 milliseconds.

(d) We have made a change in the routing path between d1 and d6. This change is visible in the routing tables of r1 and r2 routers in the below two images. For part (a)

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mininet> r1 route -n Kernel IP routing table								
Destination		Genmask	Flans	Metric	Ref	lise	Iface	
10.0.0.0	•	255.255.255.0	U		0		rs1	
10.1.0.0		255.255.255.0			0		г12	
		255.255.255.0			0		г13	
10.100.0.0		255.255.255.0		0	0		г12	
10.101.0.0		255.255.255.0	Ŭ	0	0		г13	
mininet> r2 ro		233.233.233.0	•		•	·	. 13	
	Kernel IP routing table							
	Gateway	Genmask	Flans	Metric	Ref	lise	Iface	
10.0.0.0		255.255.255.0		0	0		г21	
		255.255.255.0			0		rs2	
1		255.255.255.0			0		г23	
10.100.0.0		255.255.255.0	U	0	0		Γ21	
,		255.255.255.0	Ü	0	0		г23	
		233.233.233.0	Ü	•	•	·	123	
mininet> r3 route -n Kernel IP routing table								
	Gateway	Genmask	Flans	Metric	Ref	lise	Iface	
10.0.0.0			_	0	0		r31	
10.1.0.0					0		г32	
10.2.0.0		255.255.255.0	U	0	0		rs3	
		255.255.255.0	U		0		r31	
10.101.0.0		255.255.255.0	U	0	0		г32	
mininet> pina		233.233.233.0	U	0	0	U	132	
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For part (c)

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mininet> r1 route -n Kernel IP routing table							
Destination	Gateway	Genmask	El age	Metric	Dof	llea	Iface
10.0.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0			
				•	0		rs1
10.1.0.0	10.100.0.2	255.255.255.0	UG	0	0		г12
10.2.0.0	10.100.0.2	255.255.255.0	UG	0	0		г12
10.100.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0	0	_	г12
10.101.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0	0	0	г13
mininet> r2 rou							
Kernel IP routi	ng table						
Destination	Gateway	Genmask	Flags	Metric	Ref	Use	Iface
10.0.0.0	10.100.0.1	255.255.255.0	UG	0	0	0	г21
10.1.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0	0	0	rs2
10.2.0.0	10.102.0.6	255.255.255.0	UG	0	0	0	г23
10.100.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0	0	0	г21
10.102.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0	0	0	г23
mininet> r3 rouote -n							
bash: rouote: command not found							
mininet> r3 route -n							
Kernel IP routing table							
Destination	Gateway	Genmask	Flags	Metric	Ref	Use	Iface
10.0.0.0	10.102.0.5	255.255.255.0	UG	0	0		г32
10.1.0.0	10.102.0.5	255.255.255.0	UG	0	0		г32
10.2.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0	0		rs3
10.101.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	Ü	0	0		r31
10.102.0.0	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.0	U	0	0		г32
minipots	0.0.0.0	233.233.233.0	0	0	0	U	132

Question 2

(a)

I opened Mininet in Kali Linux using these commands: "openvswitch-switch start" and "Is
 -1 /var/run/openswitch". Then I ran the python file containing the above topology "sudo mn --custom router.py --topo custom".

```
-(dchops⊗kali)-[~/Desktop]
$ sudo mn -- custom q2.py -- topo custom
*** No default OpenFlow controller found for default switch!
*** Falling back to OVS Bridge
*** Creating network
*** Adding controller
*** Adding hosts:
h1 h2 h3 h4
*** Adding switches:
s1 s2
*** Adding links:
(h1, s1) (h2, s1) (h3, s2) (h4, s2) (s1, s2)
*** Configuring hosts
h1 h2 h3 h4
*** Starting controller
*** Starting 2 switches
s1 s2 ...
*** Starting CLI:
mininet>
```

```
mininet> pingall

*** Ping: testing ping reachability

h1 → h2 h3 h4

h2 → h1 h3 h4

h3 → h1 h2 h4

h4 → h1 h2 h3

*** Results: 0% dropped (12/12 received)
```

Fig 2.2: On doing "pingall" we can see all hosts can send packets to each other.

Now I implemented a simple TCP client-server system with the ability to perform file
operations and directory navigation. The communication between the client and server
can be encrypted using different modes (plaintext, substitution cipher, and transpose
cipher). I made 3 files: client.py, server.py and utilities.py.

TCP Client (client.py):

- Connection Setup: The client continuously connects to a specified server IP address and port. H4 in this case(10.0.0.4)
- User Interaction: The user selects an encryption mode (plaintext, substitution cipher, transpose cipher).
- Command Handling: The client sends commands to the server, including file download/upload (dwd/upd), changing the directory (cwd), listing directory contents (ls), and exiting (exit)
- Encryption and Decryption: Based on the selected encryption mode, the client encrypts messages before sending and decrypts received messages.

TCP Server (server.py):

- Connection Setup: The server listens on a specified IP address and port, waiting for incoming client connections.
- Client Handling: When a client connects, the server processes commands received from the client based on the selected encryption mode.
- Command Execution: Server executes commands such as changing the directory, listing directory contents, and handling file download/upload.
- Encryption and Decryption:Server uses encryption and decryption based on the selected encryption mode.

Shared Utilities (utilities.py):

Contains utility functions for sending and receiving messages, creating a listening socket, and handling the current directory.

Overall Flow:

- Client-Server Interaction: Clients connect to the server, select an encryption mode, and send commands. The server receives commands, executes them, and sends back responses.
- File Operations: Clients can download/upload files, and the server handles these operations.
- Directory Navigation: Commands like changing the directory and listing directory contents are supported.
- Encryption Options: Clients and servers can use different encryption modes for secure communication.

Parameters like congestion control algorithm could be added while running the iperf command. Configuration could be set up as required using "xterm". Link loss is mentioned in the code itself of q2.py.

(b) On running the client on H1 and the server on H4 for different congestion control algorithms → BBR: Avg throughput = Transfer / interval

= 10.3Mbps

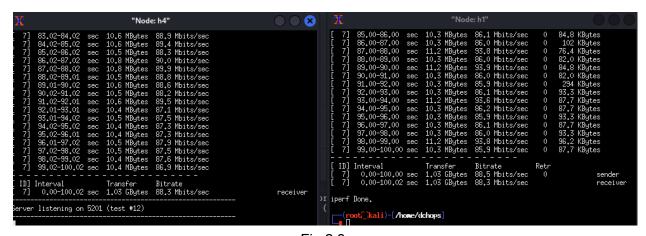


Fig 2.3

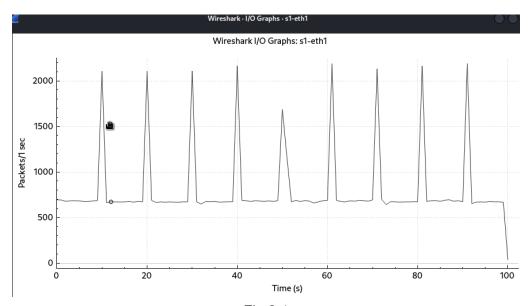
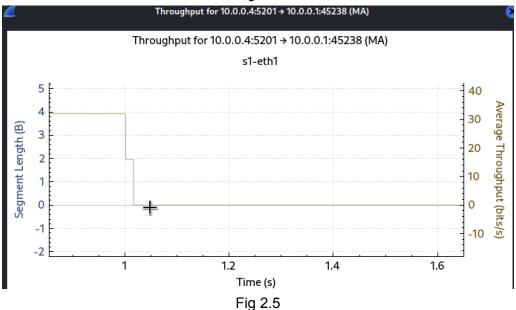


Fig 2.4



BBR focuses on probing for available bandwidth and adjusting its sending rate accordingly. It tries to utilize the available bandwidth efficiently without causing congestion. The graph might show a more consistent throughput compared to Cubic.

 \rightarrow Cubic, Avg throughput =Transfer / interval =9.94Mbps

```
"Node: h1
                                                            "Node: h4"
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receiver
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7]
        Interval Transfer Bitrate 0.00-100.02 sec 994 MBytes 83.4 Mbits/sec
                                                                                                                                          receiver
                                                                                                                                                                or iperf Done.
erver listening on 5201 (test #11)
                                                                                                                                                                       root[kali)-[/home/dchops]
```

Fig 2.6

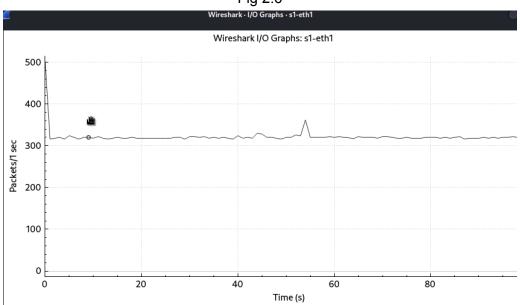


Fig 2.7

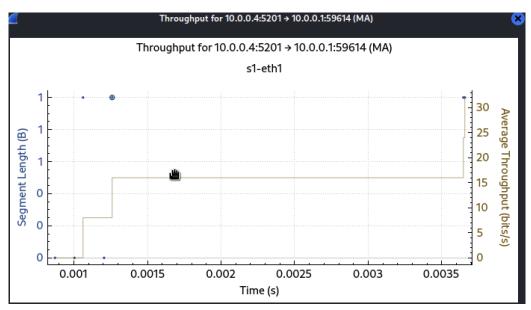


Fig 2.8

Cubic aggressively increases its sending rate until packet loss is detected. After that, it rapidly reduces the rate to avoid congestion. The graph might show bursts of high throughput followed by sharp drops.

→ Reno, Avg throughput = Transfer / Interval =10.375Mbps

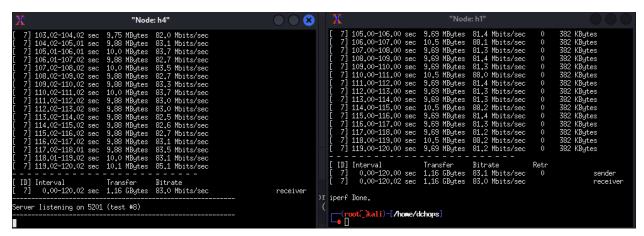


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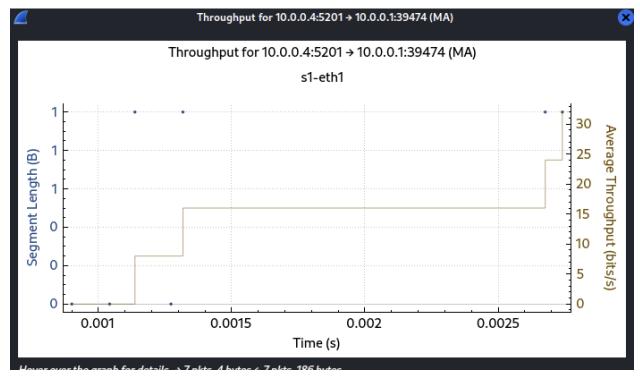


Fig 2.10

Reno is an older congestion control algorithm. It increases its sending rate slowly and sharply reduces it upon packet loss. The graph shows a more gradual increase in throughput compared to Cubic, with less aggressive rate changes.

→ Vegas, Avg throughput =Transfer/interval =11.4Mbps

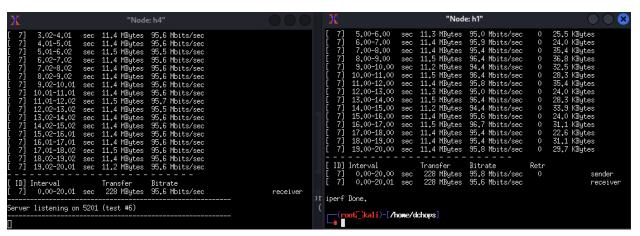


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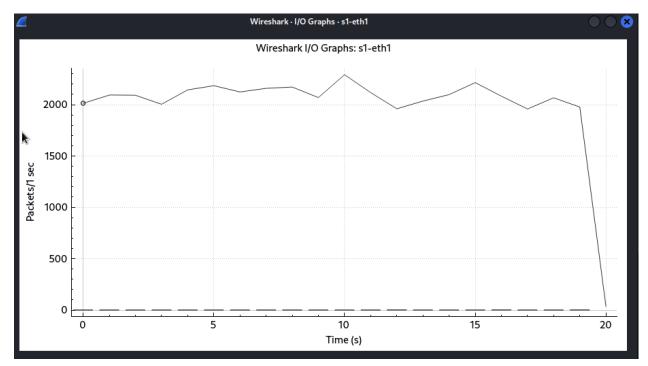


Fig 2.12

Vegas uses an estimate of the round-trip time and aims to keep the network operating at the point where the delay begins to increase due to congestion. The graph shows a steady increase in throughput with fewer abrupt drops.

(c) On running the client on H1, H2, H3 simultaneously and the server on H4.

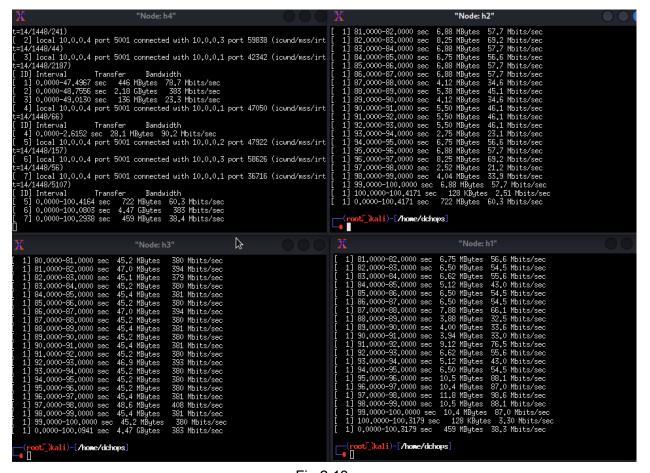


Fig 2.13
Wireshark I/O Graphs: s2-eth2

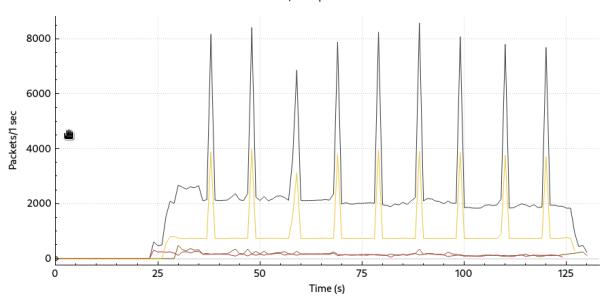


Fig 2.14

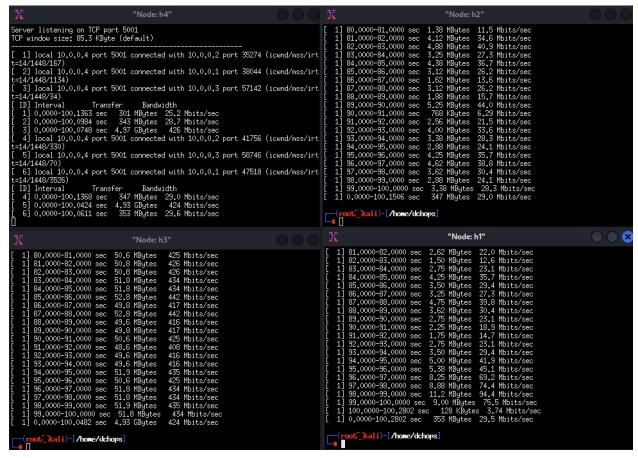


Fig 2.15



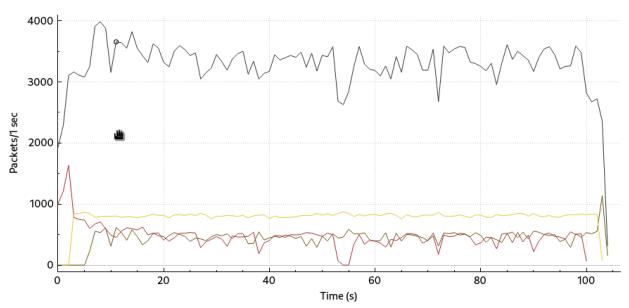


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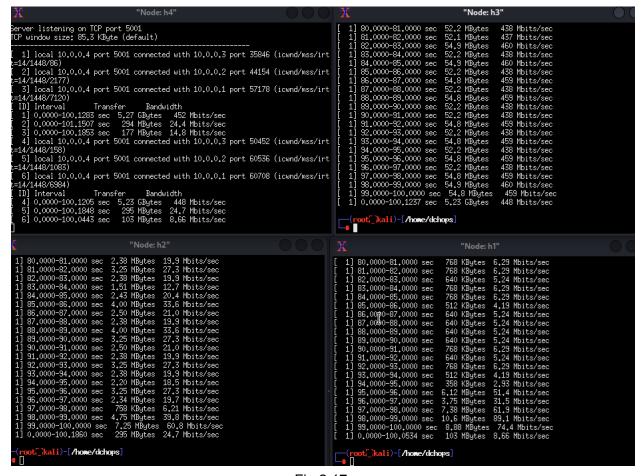


Fig 2.17

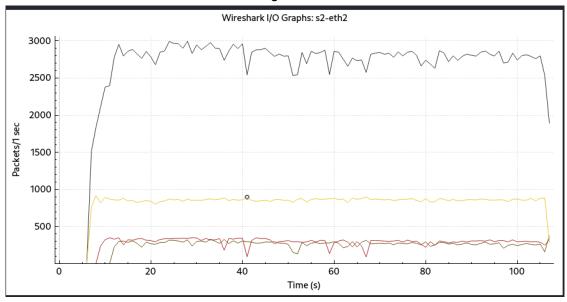


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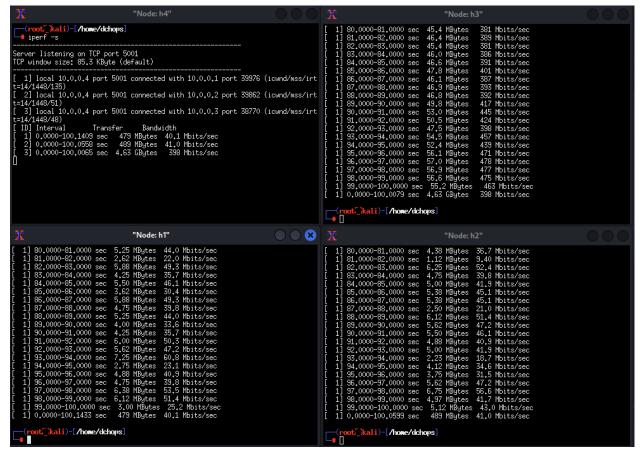
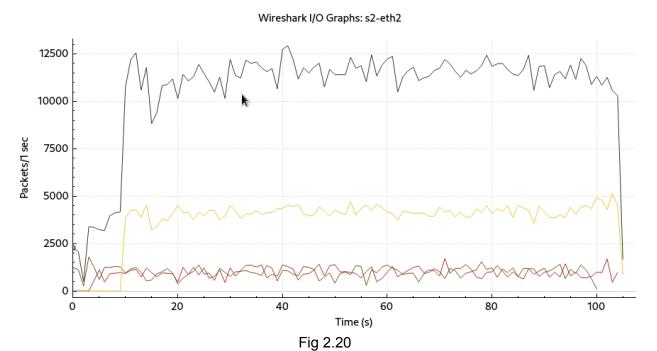


Fig 2.19



Different colors show no. of packets by a specific client. Yellow-h3 red-h2 and golden is h1.

As seen the avg throughput is decreased due to multiple clients connected to same server, for each congestion control scheme for h1 throughput is decreased from the previous part.

 \rightarrow Throughput table

Congestion control type	h1	h2	h3
BBR	4.59	7.22	44.7
cubic	2.95	3.47	49.3
reno	1.03	2.95	52.3
vegas	4.79	1.00	46.3

- (d) after configuring the tink loss parameter of the middle link (s1 s2) to 1% and running the experiment in (b).
- → BBR, Avg throughput= 10.2Mbps

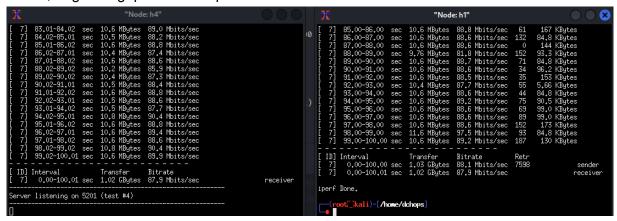


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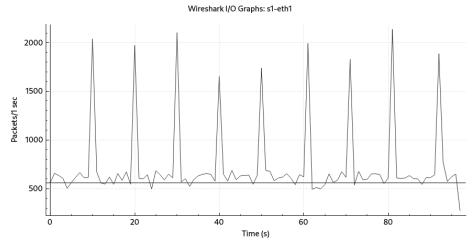


Fig 2.22

Throughput for 10.0.0.4:5201 → 10.0.0.1:44052 (MA)

s1-eth1

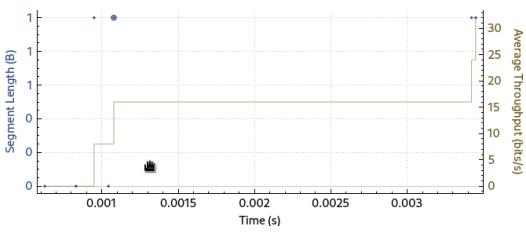


Fig 2.23

\rightarrow Cubic , Avg throughput=9.36Mbps

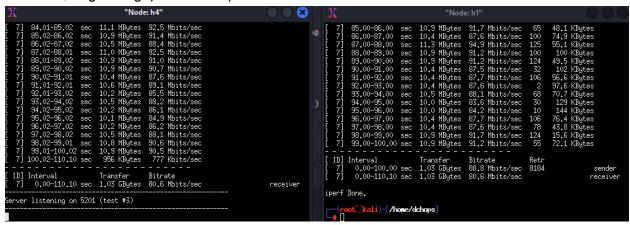


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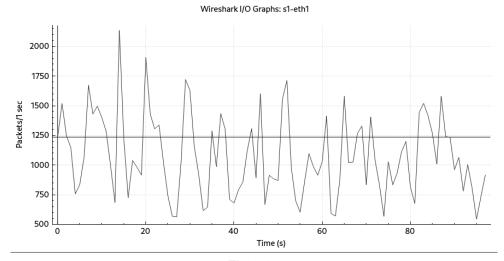


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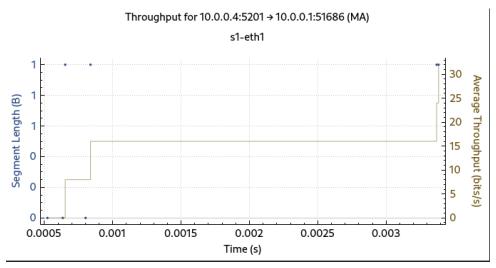


Fig 2.26

→ Reno, Avg throughput=10.2Mbps

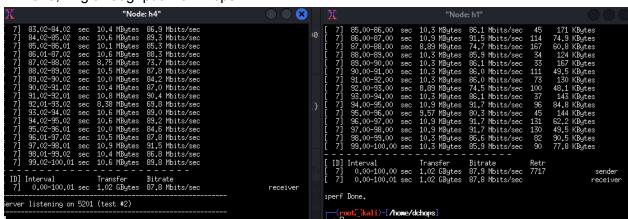


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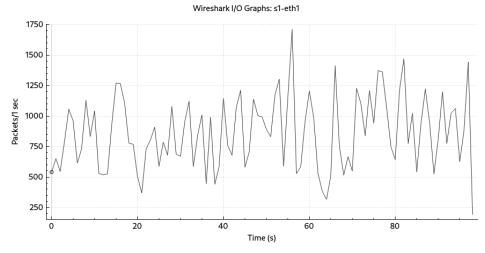


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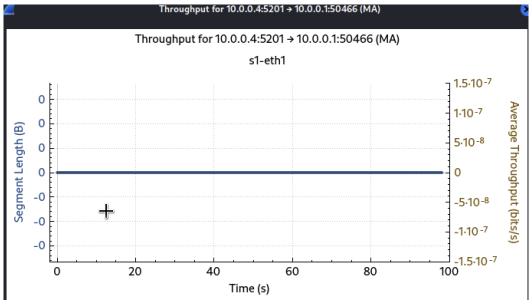
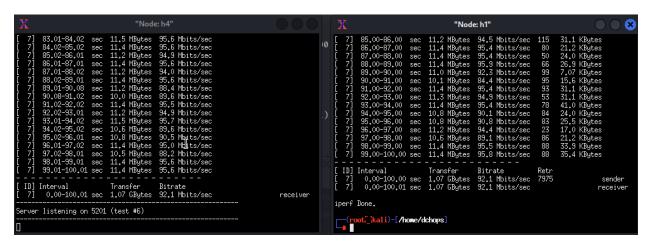


Fig 2.29

→ Vegas, Avg throughput=10.7Gbps



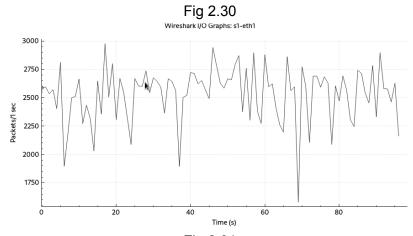


Fig 2.31



Time (s) Fig 2.32

0.00175

0.002

0.00225

0.0025

After configuring the tink loss parameter of the middle link (s1 - s2) to 3% and running the experiment in (b).

0.0015

 \rightarrow Bbr, Avg throughput=9.59Mbps

0.00075

0.001

0.00125

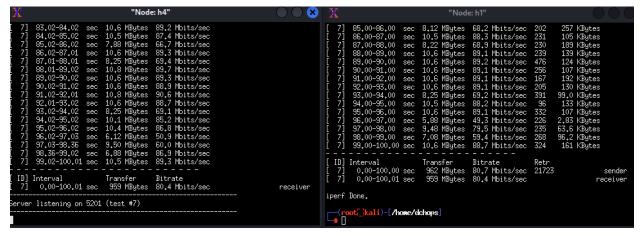
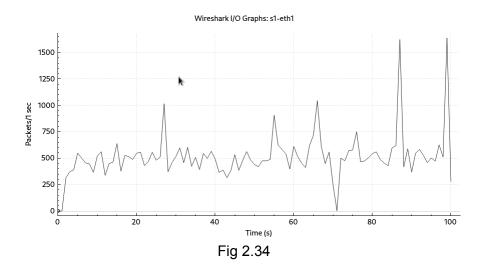


Fig 2.33



Throughput for 10.0.0.4:5201 → 10.0.0.1:51200 (MA)

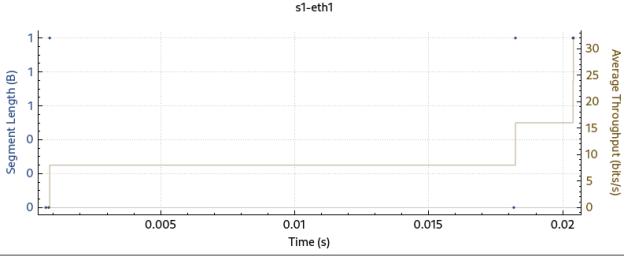


Fig 2.35

→ Cubic, Avg throughput=7.88Mbps

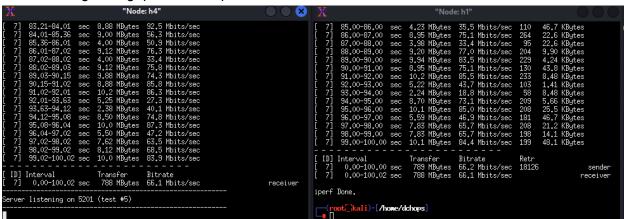


Fig 2.36

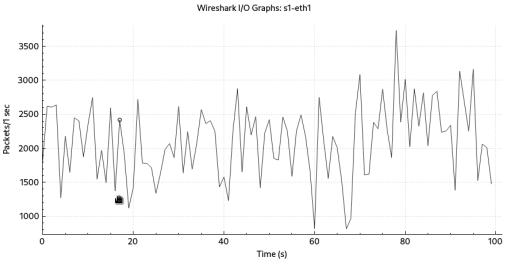


Fig 2.37

Throughput for 10.0.0.4:5201 → 10.0.0.1:42536 (MA)



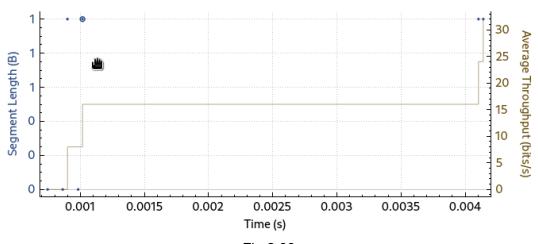


Fig 2.38

→ Reno, Avg throughput=9.40Mbps

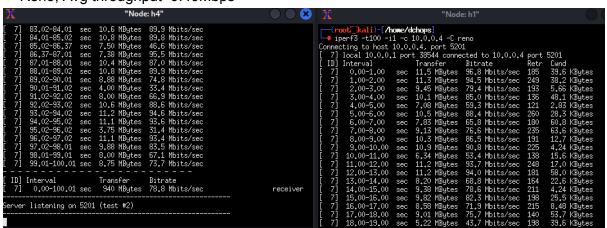


Fig 2.39

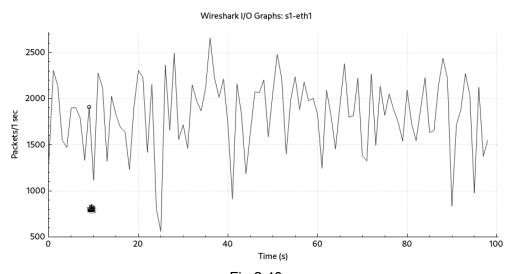
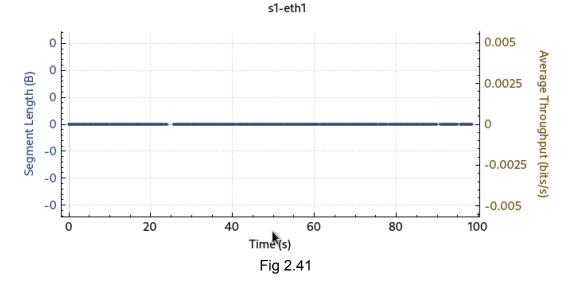


Fig 2.40 Throughput for 10.0.0.4:5201 \rightarrow 10.0.0.1:38544 (MA)



$\rightarrow \text{Vegas, Avg throughput=6.37Mbps}$

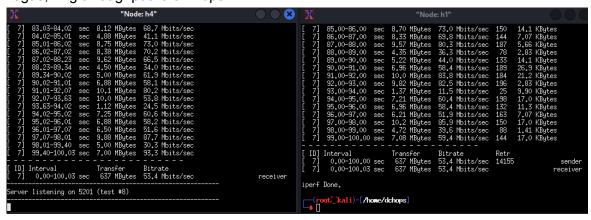
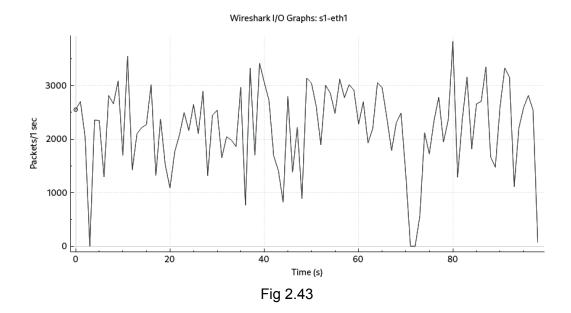
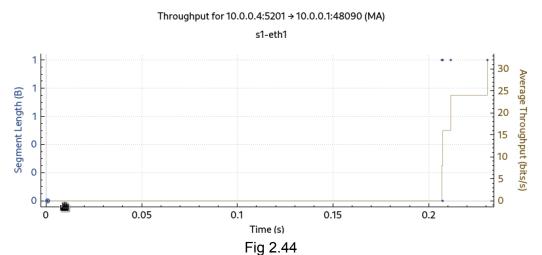


Fig 2.42





As the link loss parameter is increased from 1 to 3, avg throughput for each scheme is reduced. It is because if the loss increases, retransmissions increase, and therefore, the actual throughput decreases.