<u>Assignment - 1</u> <u>Design Document - Computer Networks</u>

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GitHub Repository: https://github.com/DhairyaShah981/Networks Assignment1

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Introduction

In this assignment, I have tried to implement a python program using sockets that support the five commands: CWD (prints the current directory of the server), LS (prints the list of files/folders in the server folder), cd <> (changes the directory, and prints the changed directory), DWD <file> (downloads the file from the server to the client directory), UPD<file> (uploads a file from the client directory to the server directory).

ReadMe Instructions

My GitHub repository contains two folders: server and client. The client folder contains utilities.py and client.py. The server folder contains server.py, bruh.txt, and a folder named Images and utilities.py. After cloning the repository, you can open two command prompts and first run the server.py and then run the client.py to test the commands. You will get the outputs and prompts on both the client and server. You may note that I am currently implementing server and client on the same operating system, so it works like two processes communicating with each other. (Inter-Process Communication) Implementing the server on a different system can also work fine if we set the IP address accordingly.

Error Statements

Every assignment is incomplete without solving bugs and errors. While running the commands, you may run into some errors covered in the print statements; for example, KeyboardInterrupt, and ConnectionError are considered socket errors, or if your input is invalid, it prints 'Invalid command.' Specifically, in the cd command, if the path does not exist, it prints 'No such directory exists!'. In dwd and upd if the specified file is unavailable, it prints 'Socket Error,' and you can check the server terminal, which will show 'No such file exist.'

<u>Layers</u>

The system uses a template N layer model for Remote File Sharing (RFS) client and server. The top 3 layers are the File Service, Crypto Service, and the Networking layer:

1) File Sharing: To implement the above 5 commands, I am using a few inbuilt python functions from the os library, which, when called, invoke some system calls, which eventually give us the information about the server directory. The file-sharing layer is responsible for calling these Operating Systems APIs (Application Programming Interface), and implementing all the five RFS commands. The file-sharing layer moves the files and messages between the local and remote file systems. The files and messages are transferred from server to client and vice versa using sendall(), recv(1024), send_msg(), recv_msg().

The protocol design for this layer is as follows. For the cwd command, I used the os.getcwd() function, which gives the current directory, and then sent this as a message to the client. For the Is command, I used os.listdir() function, which gives the list of files/folders in the current directory and then sent this as a string message to the client. For the cd command, I changed the directory using os.chdir(path) and then sent the changed directory as a string message to the client. For the dwd command, I am first searching for the given file in the server directory, reading the whole file as string, sending it to the client as packets of size 1024, receiving the data in the client and writing the data in the new file made in the client folder. For the upd command, I am first searching for the given file in the client directory, reading the whole file as string, sending it to the server as packets of 1024, receiving the data in server and writing the data in the new file made in the server folder. All the functions for the first 3 commands are in the utilities.py, while for the upd and dwd the process is implemented in the server and client itself.

- 2) **Crypto Service**: Originally, the file transfer was implemented using only the utf-8 encoding, which encodes the characters into bytes. While decoding, the bytes were again converted to characters. As given in the assignment, I have introduced another encryption layer visible in the Wireshark dump. There are three modes of encryption available for the user: Plaintext, Substitute, and Transpose. The user is asked to input an integer from 1, 2, and 3 corresponding to the three encryption layers. Now in both server and client, I have implemented all the 5 commands in 3 'if conditions' (for three encryption layers).
 - a) Plaintext: In this encryption mode, the text doesn't change. Hence I have not defined a particular encryption function for this and implemented all the commands without encrypting and decrypting.

- b) **Substitute**: In this encryption mode, all the characters are offset by 2. While decrypting, the characters are offset by -2. Both the encrypt and decrypt functions are implemented in the utilities.py. In the functions, I loop through the message character by character and offset it by manipulating the ASCII values.
- c) **Transpose**: In this encryption mode, the message is simply reversed. There are two interpretations: should I reverse it completely or reverse it word by word? I realized later that reversing it word by word makes more sense in the encryption paradigm. In the function, I loop through the message word by word, reverse them, and append them to the encrypted message. Also, the encrypt and decrypt functions will be the same for the transpose encryption.
- 3) **Networking Layer**: My program runs on the foundations of the socket library, and that's why we call it a sockets program. When we create a sockets program, we use something that generally is called a sockets library. A sockets library consists of compile-time structures, statically linked support modules, and run-time support modules. In the client.py file, when I create a socket using: socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_STREAM), the first argument refers to the IPv4 address, and the second argument refers to the streaming socket, which is the TCP (Transmission Control Protocol). The TCP manages the networking layer whenever we invoke the in-built functions of the socket library. The TCP facilitates communication among the machines using their IP address through sockets. Apart from TCP, I could have used UDP, but in the lectures, I learned that UDP is an unreliable and connectionless protocol. In UDP, there is no function to ensure that data is received in the same order as it was transmitted.

Challenges Faced

The assignment was lengthy, not in terms of writing code but debugging. My friends and I spent hours debugging and managing the border cases. At one point, I felt the border cases are more than the mainstream cases. The first three commands were easy to implement, but I faced issues managing the edge cases of different path names while adding the encryption layer. Dwd and upd functions were also easy to implement at first without caring about the encryption and edge cases. Starting with the simple .txt file, which can only be read as strings by reading it as 'r' and writing as 'w' instead of 'rb' and 'wb,' for which it doesn't work. I had to implement it using strings because my encryption layer only accepts strings.

If the file name consisted of more than 1 word separated by spaces, my logic only took the first word from them, which threw an error at the start. That's why I traversed through the path and appended all the words in my filename. While downloading and uploading, I was prompted when the download was successful from the server, but the terminal didn't print that even after downloading. That prompt was written in the file itself. I solved this by adding an appropriate break statement. Transferring the messages in bytes and strings and encrypting and decrypting them at appropriate times was very cumbersome, and 1 small mistake cost me hours of debugging.

<u>Limitations and Further Improvements</u>

My current program only supports the downloading and uploading .txt files because I am using 'r' and 'w', which can only read and write as strings. I tried implementing .png and .jpeg files by converting bytes to strings and vice versa, but the files got corrupted during the process. I found an online resource that says we can implement file transfer using a python library named 'Base64' which can convert an image to a string and vice versa. I haven't implemented it because of time constraints and some new bugs.

<u>References</u>

- I used the skeleton code of the server, client, and basic utilities like send_msg(), and recv_msg() from the book suggested by the professor. The skeleton code helped me how to set up an echo server and client on the same system.
- 2) For file transfer, I referred to this <u>resource</u>.
- 3) For the in-built os functions, I referred to the python documentation.

Command Prompt Screenshots of Output

Plaintext: cwd

Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 1

Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit cwd

Sent message: cwd

Received echo: C:\Users\DELL\cnass\server

Closed connection to server

Plaintext: Is

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Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 1

Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit

ls

Sent message: ls

Received echo: ['bruh.txt', 'Images', 'server.py', 'utilities.py', '__pycache__']

Closed connection to server
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Plaintext: cd Images

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Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040
Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 1
Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit
cd Images
Sent message: cd Images
Received echo: C:\Users\DELL\cnass\server\Images
Closed connection to server
```

Plaintext: dwd bruh.txt

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Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040
Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 1
Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit
dwd bruh.txt
Download Completed!
Closed connection to server
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Plaintext: upd bruh.txt

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Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040
Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 1
Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit
upd bruh.txt
Upload Completed!
Closed connection to server
```

Substitute: cwd

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Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 2

Type message, enter to send, 'exit' to quit cwd

Sent message: cwd

Received echo: C:\Users\DELL\cnass\server

Closed connection to server
```

Substitute: Is

```
Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 2

Type message, enter to send, 'exit' to quit

ls

Sent message: ls

Received echo: ['bruh.txt', 'Images', 'server.py', 'utilities.py', '__pycache__']

Closed connection to server
```

Substitute: cd Images

```
Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 2

Type message, enter to send, 'exit' to quit

cd Images

Sent message: cd Images

Received echo: C:\Users\DELL\cnass\server\Images

Closed connection to server
```

Substitute: dwd bruh.txt

```
Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040
Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 2
Type message, enter to send, 'exit' to quit
dwd bruh.txt
Download Completed!
Closed connection to server
```

Substitute: upd bruh.txt

```
Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040
Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 2
Type message, enter to send, 'exit' to quit
upd bruh.txt
Upload Completed!
Closed connection to server
```

Transpose: cwd

Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 3

Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit

cwd

Sent message: cwd

Received echo: C:\Users\DELL\cnass\server

Closed connection to server

Transpose: Is

Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 3

Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit

ls

Sent message: ls

Received echo: ['bruh.txt', 'Images', 'server.py', 'utilities.py', '__pycache__']

Closed connection to server

Transpose: cd Images

Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 3

Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit

cd Images

Sent message: cd Images

Received echo: C:\Users\DELL\cnass\server\Images

Closed connection to server

Transpose: dwd bruh.txt

Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 3

Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit

dwd bruh.txt

Download Completed!

Closed connection to server

<u>Transpose: upd bruh.txt</u>

Connected to 192.168.56.1:4040

Select any number from 1, 2, and 3: 3

Type message in encrypted mode, enter to send, 'exit' to quit

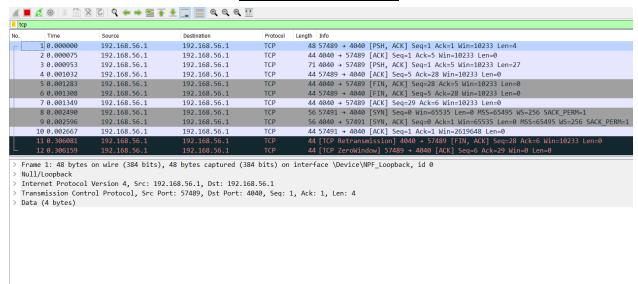
upd bruh.txt

Upload Completed!

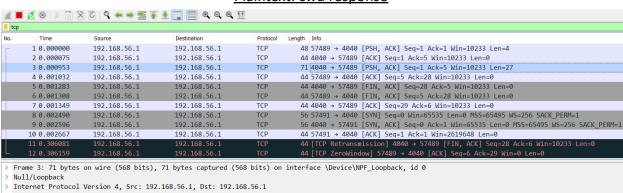
Closed connection to server

Wireshark Screenshots of Packets

Plaintext: cwd command



Plaintext: cwd response



- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 4040, Dst Port: 57489, Seq: 1, Ack: 5, Len: 27
- > Data (27 bytes)

0000 02 00 00 00 45 00 00 43 c4 f1 40 00 80 06 00 00E..C ...@.....
0010 c0 a8 38 01 c0 a8 38 01 0f c8 e0 91 39 1e 61 9a ...8...8.....9.a.
0020 7f 39 35 d7 50 18 27 f9 5f 60 00 00 43 3a 5c 55 ...95.P.'._'...c:\U
0030 73 65 72 73 5c 44 45 4c 4c 5c 63 6e 61 73 73 5c sers\UEL \capsace\UEL \capsace\UEL

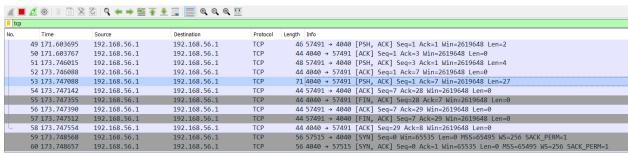
Substitute: cwd command

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tcp					
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length Info
	49 171.603695	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	46 57491 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=2
	50 171.603767	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57491 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=3 Win=2619648 Len=0
	51 173.746015	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	48 57491 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=3 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=4
	52 173.746088	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57491 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=0
	53 173.747088	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	71 4040 → 57491 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=27
	54 173.747142	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57491 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=7 Ack=28 Win=2619648 Len=0
	55 173.747355	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57491 [FIN, ACK] Seq=28 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=0
	56 173.747390	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57491 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=7 Ack=29 Win=2619648 Len=0
	57 173.747512	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57491 → 4040 [FIN, ACK] Seq=7 Ack=29 Win=2619648 Len=0
	58 173.747554	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57491 [ACK] Seq=29 Ack=8 Win=2619648 Len=0
	59 173.748568	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	56 57515 → 4040 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=65495 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1
	60 173.748657	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	56 4040 → 57515 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=65495 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1

- > Frame 51: 48 bytes on wire (384 bits), 48 bytes captured (384 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- > Null/Loopback
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 57491, Dst Port: 4040, Seq: 3, Ack: 1, Len: 4
- > Data (4 bytes)

0000 02 00 00 00 45 00 00 2c c4 fd 40 00 80 06 00 00E., .@..... 0010 c0 a8 38 01 c0 a8 38 01 e0 93 0f c8 03 41 9e d6 ...8...8.....A.. 0020 63 93 8b 4e 50 18 27 f9 49 ad 00 00 65 79 66 00 c...NP.' I...eyf.

Substitute: cwd response



- > Frame 53: 71 bytes on wire (568 bits), 71 bytes captured (568 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- > Null/Loopback
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 4040, Dst Port: 57491, Seq: 1, Ack: 7, Len: 27
- > Data (27 bytes)

Transpose: cwd command

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	tcp					
No.		Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length Info
	1	13 277.066335	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57515 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=3 Win=2619648 Len=0
	1	31 346.455647	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	48 57515 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=3 Ack=1 Win=327424 Len=4
	1	32 346.455737	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57515 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=0
	1	33 346.457802	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	71 4040 → 57515 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=27
	1	34 346.457887	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57515 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=7 Ack=28 Win=2619648 Len=0
	1	35 346.458503	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57515 [FIN, ACK] Seq=28 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=0
	1	36 346.458563	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57515 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=7 Ack=29 Win=2619648 Len=0
	1	37 346.460117	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57515 → 4040 [FIN, ACK] Seq=7 Ack=29 Win=2619648 Len=0
L	1	38 346.460188	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57515 [ACK] Seq=29 Ack=8 Win=2619648 Len=0
	1	39 346.462318	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	56 57523 → 4040 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=65495 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1
	1	40 346.462437	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	56 4040 → 57523 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=65495 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1
	1	41 346.462541	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57523 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=0
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- > Frame 131: 48 bytes on wire (384 bits), 48 bytes captured (384 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0 > Null/Loopback

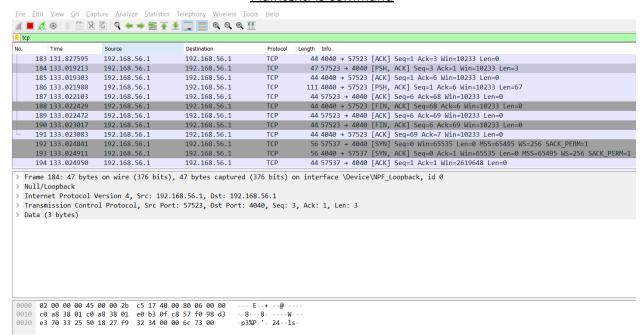
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
 > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 57515, Dst Port: 4040, Seq: 3, Ack: 1, Len: 4
- > Data (4 bytes)

Transpose: cwd response

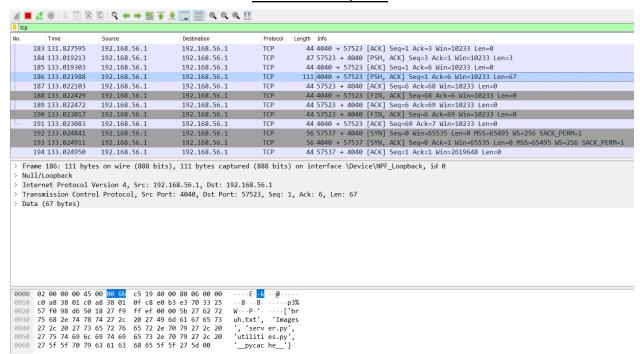
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No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length Info
	113 277.066335	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57515 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=3 Win=2619648 Len=0
	131 346.455647	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	48 57515 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=3 Ack=1 Win=327424 Len=4
	132 346.455737	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57515 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=0
	133 346.457802	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	71 4040 → 57515 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=27
	134 346.457887	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57515 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=7 Ack=28 Win=2619648 Len=0
	135 346.458503	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57515 [FIN, ACK] Seq=28 Ack=7 Win=2619648 Len=0
	136 346.458563	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57515 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=7 Ack=29 Win=2619648 Len=0
	137 346.460117	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57515 → 4040 [FIN, ACK] Seq=7 Ack=29 Win=2619648 Len=0
L	138 346.460188	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 57515 [ACK] Seq=29 Ack=8 Win=2619648 Len=0
	139 346.462318	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	56 57523 → 4040 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=65495 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1
	140 346.462437	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	56 4040 → 57523 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=65495 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1
	141 346.462541	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 57523 → 4040 [ACK] Seg=1 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=0

- > Frame 133: 71 bytes on wire (568 bits), 71 bytes captured (568 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- Null/Loopback
- > MUIT/Loopback > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1 > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 4040, Dst Port: 57515, Seq: 1, Ack: 7, Len: 27
- > Data (27 bytes)

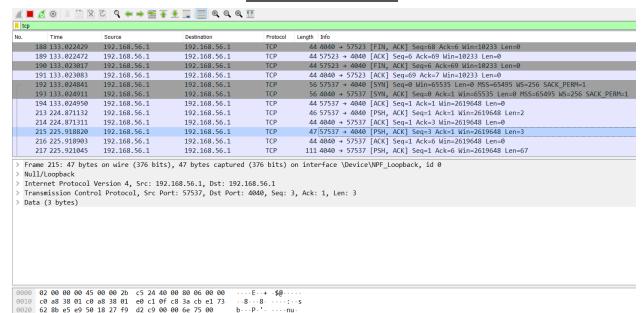
Plaintext: Is command



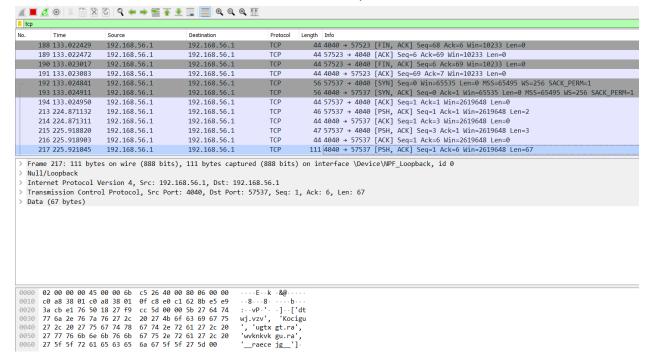
Plaintext: Is response



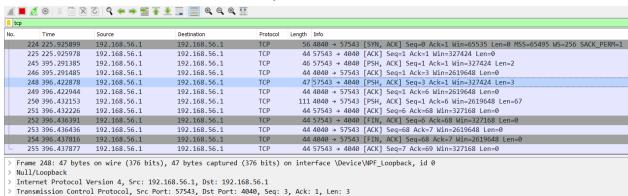
Substitute: Is command



Substitute: Is response

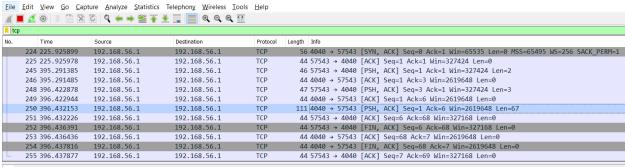


Transpose: Is command



02 00 00 00 45 00 00 2b c5 31 40 00 80 06 00 00 --8---8----o-a --H-P----s1-

Transpose: Is response

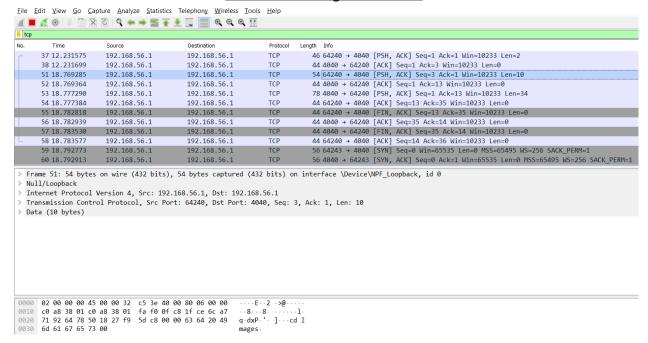


- Frame 250: 111 bytes on wire (888 bits), 111 bytes captured (888 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- Null/Loophack
- Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 4040, Dst Port: 57543, Seq: 1, Ack: 6, Len: 67
- Data (67 bytes)

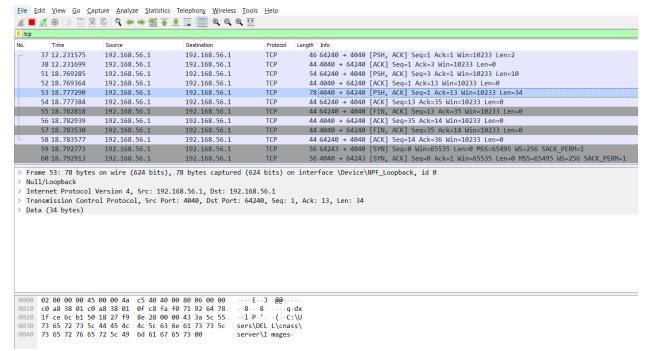
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02 00 00 00 45 00 00 6b c5 33 40 00 80 06 00 00
                                                                        0010 c0 a8 38 01 c0 a8 38 01 0f c8 e0 c7 94 1e 48 a2
0020 6f cf 61 d9 50 18 27 f9 ed 3a 00 00 2c 27 74 78
                                                                                    ·:··.'tx
0030 74 2e 68 75 72 62 27 5b 20 2c 27 73 65 67 61 6d 0040 49 27 20 2c 27 79 70 2e 72 65 76 72 65 73 27 20
                                                                         t.hurb'[ ,'segam
                                                                         I','yp. revres
                                                                         ,'yp.sei tilitu'
]'__ehca cyp__'
0050 2c 27 79 70 2e 73 65 69 74 69 6c 69 74 75 27 20
       5d 27 5f 5f 65 68 63 61 63 79 70 5f 5f 27 00
```

> Data (3 bytes)

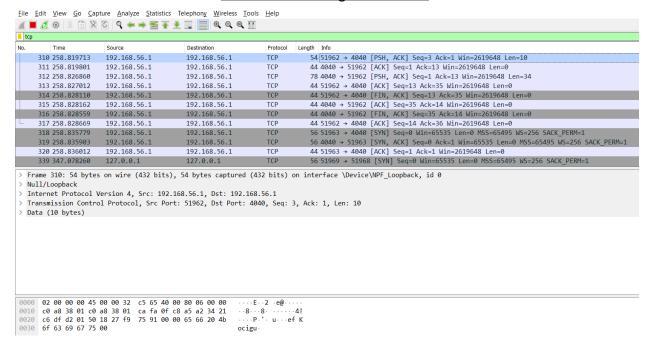
Plaintext: cd Images command



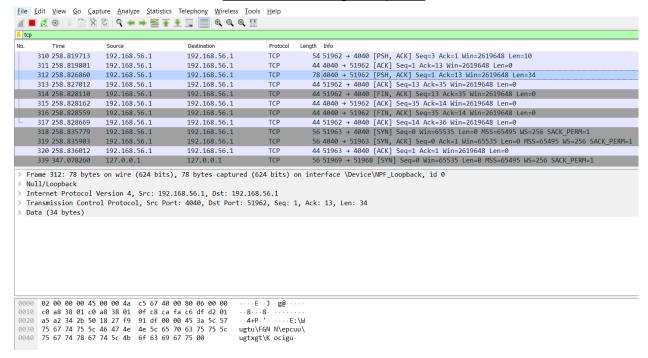
Plaintext: cd Images response



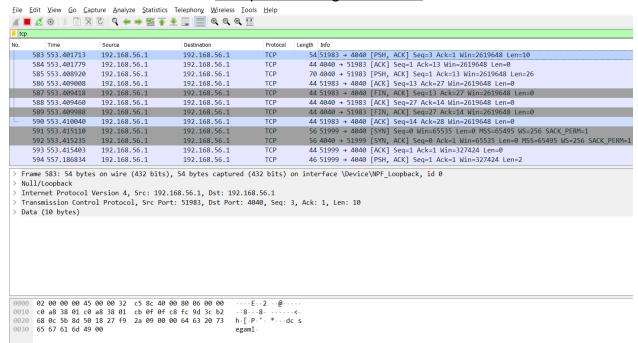
Substitute: cd Images command



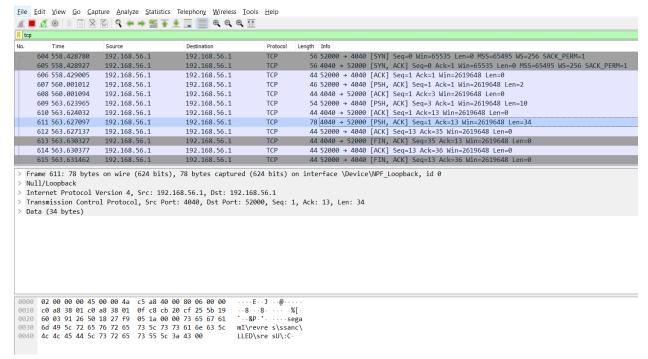
Substitute: cd Images response



Transpose: cd Images command



Transpose: cd Images response



Plaintext: dwd bruh.txt command

	<u></u>										
tcp											
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length Info						
	355 96.045274	127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	TCP	44 52114 → 52115 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11 Win=2619648 Len=0						
	356 96.045296	127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	TCP	44 52114 → 52115 [FIN, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11 Win=2619648 Len=0						
	357 96.045317	127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	TCP	44 52115 → 52114 [ACK] Seq=11 Ack=2 Win=2619648 Len=0						
	358 96.834357	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	57 52108 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=3 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=13						
	359 96.834434	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 52108 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=0						
	360 96.836279	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	64 4040 → 52108 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=20						
	361 96.836324	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 52108 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=16 Ack=21 Win=2619648 Len=0						
	362 96.836440	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	64 4040 → 52108 [PSH, ACK] Seq=21 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=20						
	363 96.836486	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 52108 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=16 Ack=41 Win=2619648 Len=0						
	364 96.836817	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 52108 [FIN, ACK] Seq=41 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=0						
	365 96.836853	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 52108 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=16 Ack=42 Win=2619648 Len=0						
	366 96.836951	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 52108 → 4040 [FIN, ACK] Seq=16 Ack=42 Win=2619648 Len=0						

- > Frame 358: 57 bytes on wire (456 bits), 57 bytes captured (456 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- > Null/Loopback
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 52108, Dst Port: 4040, Seq: 3, Ack: 1, Len: 13
- > Data (13 bytes)

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0000 02 00 00 00 45 00 00 35 c5 be 40 00 80 06 00 00 ...E.5 .@....

0010 c0 a8 38 01 c0 a8 38 01 cb 8c 0f c8 52 27 82 59 ..8...8....R'.Y

0020 e9 58 48 fd 50 18 27 f9 6c ec 00 00 64 77 64 20 .XH-P.' l...dwd

0030 62 72 75 68 2e 74 78 74 00 .XH-P.' l...dwd

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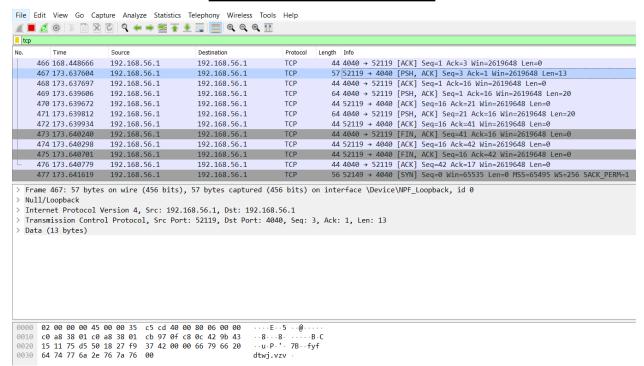
Plaintext: dwd bruh.txt response

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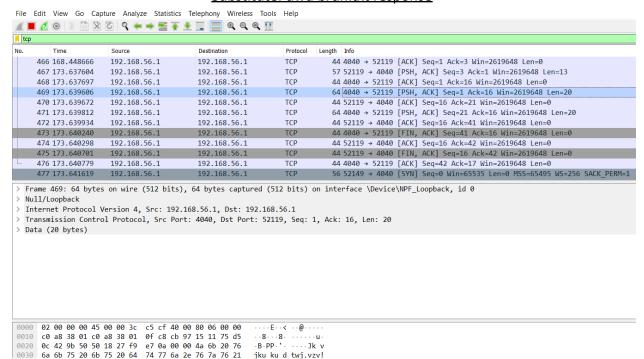
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No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length Info							
	355 96.045274	127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	TCP	44 52114 → 52115 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11 Win=2619648 Len=0							
	356 96.045296	127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	TCP	44 52114 → 52115 [FIN, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11 Win=2619648 Len=0							
	357 96.045317	127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	TCP	44 52115 → 52114 [ACK] Seq=11 Ack=2 Win=2619648 Len=0							
	358 96.834357	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	57 52108 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=3 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=13							
	359 96.834434	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 52108 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=0							
	360 96.836279	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	64 4040 → 52108 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=20							
	361 96.836324	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 52108 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=16 Ack=21 Win=2619648 Len=0							
	362 96.836440	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	64 4040 → 52108 [PSH, ACK] Seq=21 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=20							
	363 96.836486	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 52108 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=16 Ack=41 Win=2619648 Len=0							
	364 96.836817	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 4040 → 52108 [FIN, ACK] Seq=41 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=0							
	365 96.836853	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 52108 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=16 Ack=42 Win=2619648 Len=0							
	366 96.836951	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44 52108 → 4040 [FIN, ACK] Seq=16 Ack=42 Win=2619648 Len=0							

- > Frame 360: 64 bytes on wire (512 bits), 64 bytes captured (512 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- > Null/Loopback
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 4040, Dst Port: 52108, Seq: 1, Ack: 16, Len: 20
- > Data (20 bytes)

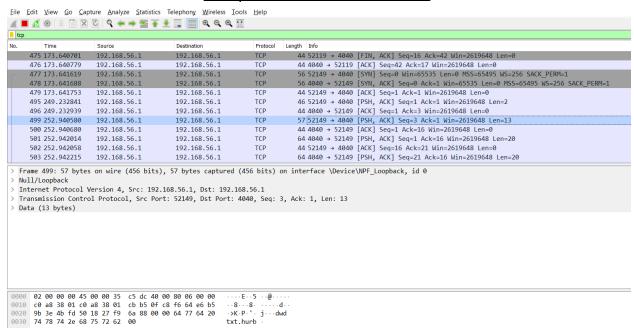
Substitute: dwd bruh.txt command



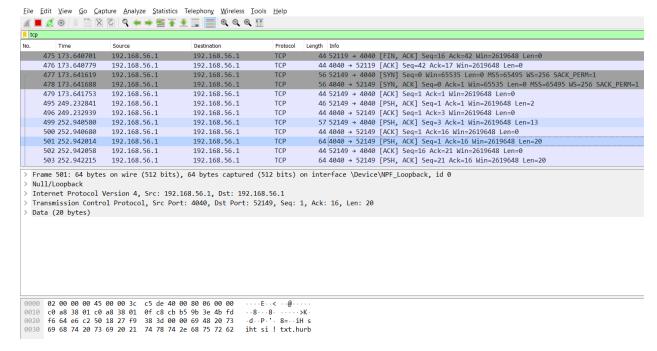
Substitute: dwd bruh.txt response



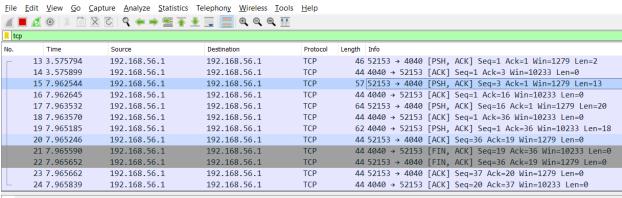
Transpose: dwd bruh.txt command



Transpose: dwd bruh.txt response

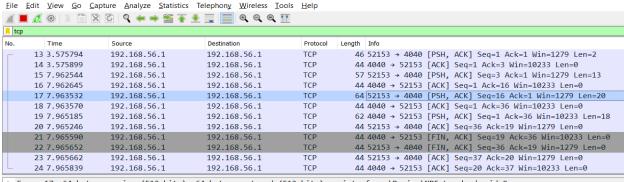


Plaintext: upd bruh.txt command



- > Frame 15: 57 bytes on wire (456 bits), 57 bytes captured (456 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- > Null/Loopback
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 52153, Dst Port: 4040, Seq: 3, Ack: 1, Len: 13
- > Data (13 bytes)

Plaintext: upd bruh.txt response



- > Frame 17: 64 bytes on wire (512 bits), 64 bytes captured (512 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- > Null/Loopback
- Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 52153, Dst Port: 4040, Seq: 16, Ack: 1, Len: 20
- > Data (20 bytes)

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0000 02 00 00 00 45 00 00 3c c5 ed 40 00 80 06 00 00 ...E..< 0000 0010 c0 a8 38 01 c0 a8 38 01 cb b9 0f c8 6f a9 73 3a ...8...8....o·s:
0020 30 b0 b9 84 50 18 04 ff 7f 51 00 00 48 69 20 74 0...P...Q..Hit
0030 68 69 73 20 69 73 20 62 72 75 68 2e 74 78 74 21 his is b ruh.txt!
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Substitute: upd bruh.txt command



I tcp										
		Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info			
	325	299.067471	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	46	52225 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=2			
	326	299.067562	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=3 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	327	304.197182	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	57	52225 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=3 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=13			
	328	304.197264	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	329	304.198260	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	64	52225 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=16 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=20			
	330	304.198299	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	331	304.203949	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	62	4040 → 52225 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=18			
	332	304.204021	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	52225 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=36 Ack=19 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	333	304.204597	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	52225 → 4040 [FIN, ACK] Seq=36 Ack=19 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	334	304.204648	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225 [FIN, ACK] Seq=19 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	335	304.204655	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225 [ACK] Seq=20 Ack=37 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	336	304.204749	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	52225 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=37 Ack=20 Win=2619648 Len=0			

- > Null/Loopback
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 52225, Dst Port: 4040, Seq: 3, Ack: 1, Len: 13
- > Data (13 bytes)

0000 02 00 00 00 45 00 00 35 c6 0a 40 00 80 06 00 00 ...E.5 .@.....
0010 c0 a8 38 01 c0 a8 38 01 cc 01 0f c8 ce bd 9a 87 .8...8.......
0020 e5 d8 a2 13 50 18 27 f9 67 19 00 00 77 72 66 20P.' g...wrf 0030 64 74 77 6a 2e 76 7a 76 00 dtwj.vzv -

Substitute: upd bruh.txt response

<u>F</u>ile <u>E</u>dit <u>V</u>iew <u>G</u>o <u>C</u>apture <u>A</u>nalyze <u>S</u>tatistics Telephon<u>y</u> <u>W</u>ireless <u>T</u>ools <u>H</u>elp

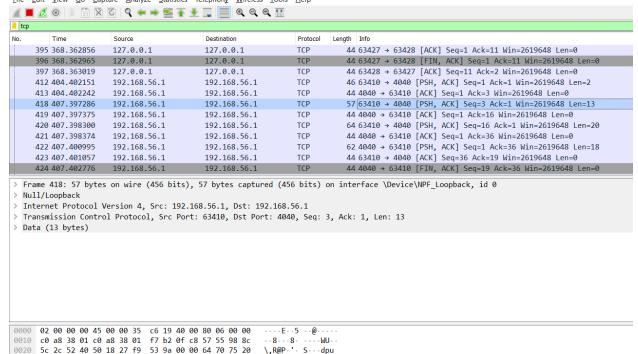
tc	tcp											
No.		Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info					
	325	299.067471	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	46	52225 → 4040	[PSH, AC	CK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=2			
	326	299.067562	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225	[ACK] Se	eq=1 Ack=3 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	327	304.197182	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	57	52225 → 4040	[PSH, AC	CK] Seq=3 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=13			
	328	304.197264	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225	[ACK] Se	eq=1 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	329	304.198260	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	64	52225 → 4040	[PSH, AC	CK] Seq=16 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=20			
	330	304.198299	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225	[ACK] Se	eq=1 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	331	304.203949	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	62	4040 → 52225	[PSH, AC	CK] Seq=1 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=18			
	332	304.204021	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	52225 → 4040	[ACK] Se	eq=36 Ack=19 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	333	304.204597	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	52225 → 4040	[FIN, AC	CK] Seq=36 Ack=19 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	334	304.204648	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225	[FIN, AC	CK] Seq=19 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=0			
	335	304.204655	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	4040 → 52225	[ACK] Se	eq=20 Ack=37 Win=2619648 Len=0			
L	336	304.204749	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.1	TCP	44	52225 → 4040	[ACK] Se	eq=37 Ack=20 Win=2619648 Len=0			

- > Frame 329: 64 bytes on wire (512 bits), 64 bytes captured (512 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_Loopback, id 0
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1
- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 52225, Dst Port: 4040, Seq: 16, Ack: 1, Len: 20
- > Data (20 bytes)

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0000 02 00 00 00 45 00 00 3c c6 0c 40 00 80 06 00 00 ...E..< ...@.....
0010 c0 a8 38 01 c0 a8 38 01 cc 01 0f c8 ce bd 9a 94 ...8...8.......
0020 e5 d8 a2 13 50 18 27 f9 27 db 00 00 4a 6b 20 76 ...P.'.'..Jk v
0030 6a 6b 75 20 6b 75 20 64 74 77 6a 2e 76 7a 76 21 jku ku d twj.vzv!
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Transpose: upd bruh.txt command

<u>F</u>ile <u>E</u>dit <u>V</u>iew <u>G</u>o <u>C</u>apture <u>A</u>nalyze <u>S</u>tatistics Telephon<u>y W</u>ireless <u>T</u>ools <u>H</u>elp



Transpose: upd bruh.txt response

txt.hurb -

<u>F</u>ile <u>E</u>dit <u>V</u>iew <u>G</u>o <u>C</u>apture <u>A</u>nalyze <u>S</u>tatistics Telephon<u>y</u> <u>W</u>ireless <u>T</u>ools <u>H</u>elp tcp Time Destination Protocol Length Info 395 368.362856 127.0.0.1 127.0.0.1 44 63427 → 63428 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11 Win=2619648 Len=0 TCP 396 368.362965 127.0.0.1 127.0.0.1 TCP 44 63427 → 63428 [FIN, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=11 Win=2619648 Len=0 127.0.0.1 127.0.0.1 44 63428 → 63427 [ACK] Seq=11 Ack=2 Win=2619648 Len=0 397 368.363019 TCP 412 404.402151 192.168.56.1 192.168.56.1 46 63410 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seg=1 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=2 TCP 413 404,402242 192.168.56.1 192.168.56.1 TCP 44 4040 → 63410 [ACK] Seg=1 Ack=3 Win=2619648 Len=0 57 63410 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=3 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=13 418 407.397286 192.168.56.1 192.168.56.1 TCP 419 407 397375 192.168.56.1 192,168,56,1 TCP 44 4040 → 63410 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=16 Win=2619648 Len=0 420 407.398300 192,168,56,1 64 63410 → 4040 [PSH, ACK] Seq=16 Ack=1 Win=2619648 Len=20 192,168,56,1 TCP 421 407, 398374 192,168,56,1 192,168,56,1 TCP 44 4040 → 63410 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=0 192.168.56.1 192.168.56.1 422 407.400995 TCP 62 4040 \rightarrow 63410 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=18 423 407,401057 192,168,56,1 192,168,56,1 TCP 44 63410 → 4040 [ACK] Seq=36 Ack=19 Win=2619648 Len=0 424 407.402776 192.168.56.1 192.168.56.1 44 4040 → 63410 [FIN, ACK] Seq=19 Ack=36 Win=2619648 Len=0

- > Frame 420: 64 bytes on wire (512 bits), 64 bytes captured (512 bits) on interface \Device\NPF Loopback, id 0
- > Null/Loopback
- > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 192.168.56.1

0020 5c 2c 52 40 50 18 27 f9 53 9a 00 00 64 70 75 20

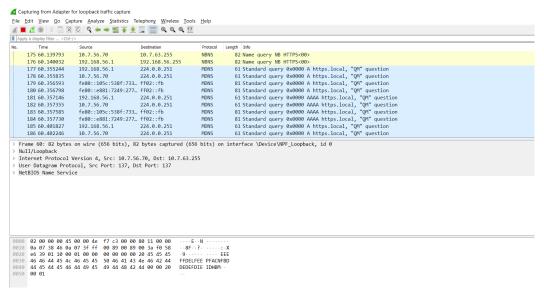
0030 74 78 74 2e 68 75 72 62 00

- > Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 63410, Dst Port: 4040, Seq: 16, Ack: 1, Len: 20
- > Data (20 bytes)

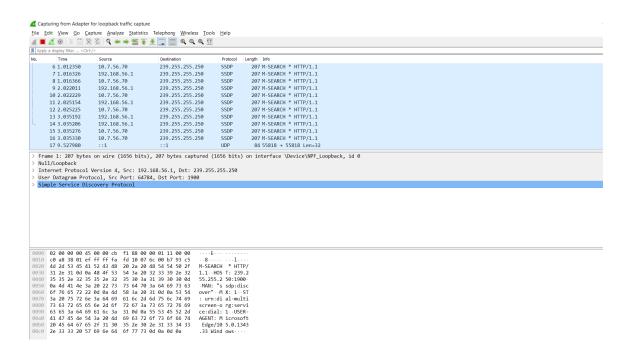
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     02 00 00 00 45 00 00 3c c6 1b 40 00 80 06 00 00
0010 c0 a8 38 01 c0 a8 38 01 f7 b2 0f c8 57 55 98 99
                                                             · · 8 · · · 8 · · · · · WU · ·
      5c 2c 52 40 50 18 27 f9 32 48 00 00 69 48 20 73
                                                            \,R@P-'- 2H--iH s
0030 69 68 74 20 73 69 20 21 74 78 74 2e 68 75 72 62 iht si! txt.hurb
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Part 3: Network Tools

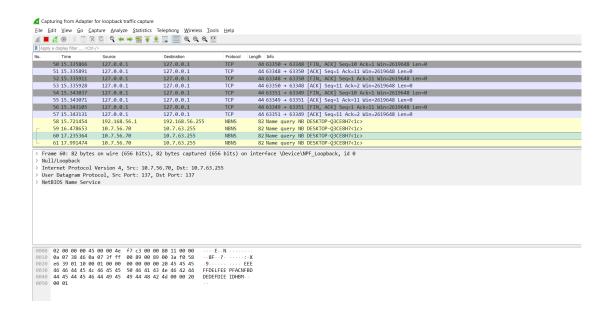
- **5) a)** List at-least 5 different network protocols that we have not discussed so far in the classroom and describe in 1-2 sentences the operation/usage of protocol and its layer of operation and indicate the associated RFC number if any
- a) MDNS: Multicast DNS (mDNS) protocol resolves hostnames to IP addresses within small networks that do not include a local name server. Its RFC number is 6762.



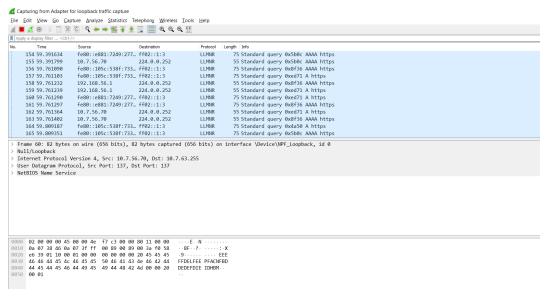
b) <u>SSDP</u>: The Simple Service Discovery Protocol (SSDP) is a network protocol based on the Internet protocol suite for advertisement and discovery of network services and presence information.



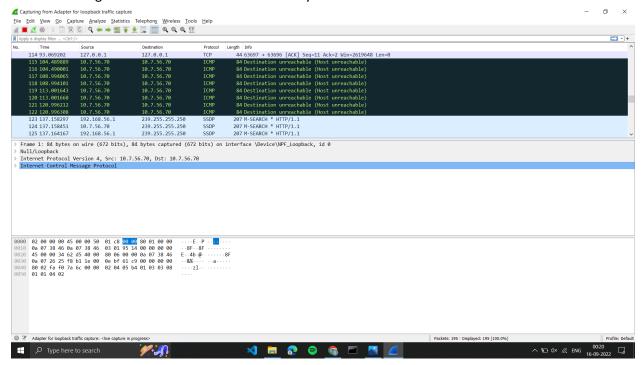
c) <u>NBNS</u>: NBNS stands for NetBIO Name Service, which is a protocol for name resolution. NBNS performs the same function as LLMNR, but using UDP broadcast packets instead of multi cast packets. Its RFC number is 1001.



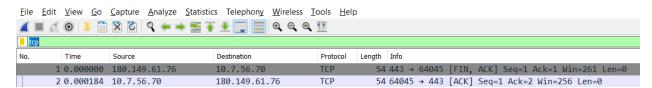
d) LLMNR: The Link-Local Multicast Name Resolution (LLMNR) is a protocol based on the Domain Name System (DNS) packet format that allows both IPv4 and IPv6 hosts to perform name resolution for hosts on the same local link. Its RFC number is 4795.



e) ICMP: The Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP) is a network layer protocol used by network devices to diagnose network communication issues. ICMP is mainly used to determine whether or not data is reaching its intended destination in a timely manner. Its RFC number is 792.



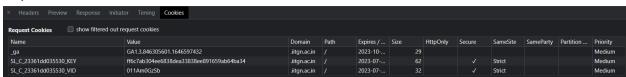
5) b) Identify any one connection and try to estimate the RTT of that connection.



To find RTT I filtered all the TCP connections and in the view menu, and in the Time Display Format, I selected the seconds since the previously displayed bracket. Therefore in the screenshot it is clear that the RTT is 0.000184 seconds.

5) c) List the cookies and identify the characteristics of the cookies setup when you visit ims.iitgn.ac.in and also when you login to the student portal.

<u>Ims in normal Google Chrome:</u> Found 3 cookies out of which 2 are secure. None of the cookies are http only.



<u>Ims through logging in Icognito tab:</u> Found 1 cookie in the incognito tab which is not secure. The cookie is http only.



<u>Ims through logging in normal Google Chrome:</u> Found 4 cookies in the normal browser after signing in out of which 2 are secure. 1 cookie is http only.

