

Homework Number: 9

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For this code, everything starts with `sudo iptables` because we are using the `iptables` command in Linux to configure settings of the firewall, and `sudo` is required because changing the firewall requires the permissions of a super user. In the first step, every rule is cleared and deleted from all 4 of the tables, allowing us to start fresh when creating the rules for the firewall. Next, we make a rule for the input chain of the filter table to accept packets from `f1.com`, using `-s` to denote that an address is coming next. Next, in the postrouting chain of the nat table, we use the `masquerade` target to change every outgoing IP to my own machine's IP. Next, I add a rule to the forward chain of the filter table, telling it for every tcp packet, that it limits the amount of syn packets it will accept to 1 per second, to stop nonstop scanning of ports. The next step defends against SYN-flooding by adding a rule to the forward chain of the filter table, telling it for tcp protocols, to limit SYN packets to one a second once the machine has reached 500 requests. The `limit-burst` flag places the limit where the `limit` flag, which denotes the amount of requests it will connect with per second, will start. I should point out that for the two rules I just mentioned, the `--syn` is the same as the above, looking for the SYN, ACK, FIN, and RST flags to be unset in the tcp header, except it looks for the SYN flag to be set, which is why it defends against SYN-Flooding and not scanning and vice-versa. The next two rules are for the input and output chains, which accept anything generated locally because the `lo` interface after the `-i` and `-o` respectively says this rule applies to locally generated packets only. The next rule is for the prerouting chain chain on the nat filter, which uses the `dport` flag to tell the rule that any tcp header who's destination port is 8888 will be redirected with the `REDIRECT` target to port 25565. To only allow ssh connections to `engineering.purdue.edu`, there is a filter on both the output and input chains on the filter table, using the destination port 22 because that is the port for SSH connections, and then the respective `-d` or `-s` for destination or source, respectively, to `engineering.purdue.edu`, whose ip address is 128.46.104.20. The added new field in the state output is because outgoing connections could also be new, and would thus also need to be accepted. The last rule is on all chains of the filter table, dropping any packets with the `drop` target, and must be done last as to not drop every packet.

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huynh38@Ubuntu:~/Documents$ ./firewall404.sh
[sudo] password for huynh38:
Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for huynh38:
huynh38@Ubuntu:~/Documents$ sudo iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source                destination
ACCEPT     all  --  67.199.248.13          anywhere
ACCEPT     all  --  67.199.248.12          anywhere
ACCEPT     all  --  anywhere              anywhere
ACCEPT     tcp  --  128.46.104.20          anywhere             tcp dpt:ssh state
ESTABLISHED
DROP       all  --  anywhere              anywhere

Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source                destination
ACCEPT     tcp  --  anywhere              anywhere             tcp flags:FIN,SYN
,RST,ACK/NONE limit: avg 1/sec burst 5
ACCEPT     tcp  --  anywhere              anywhere             tcp flags:FIN,SYN
,RST,ACK/SYN limit: avg 1/sec burst 500
DROP       all  --  anywhere              anywhere

Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source                destination
ACCEPT     all  --  anywhere              anywhere
ACCEPT     tcp  --  anywhere              128.46.104.20        tcp dpt:ssh state
NEW,ESTABLISHED
DROP       all  --  anywhere              anywhere
huynh38@Ubuntu:~/Documents$
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procmail: Closing brace unexpected
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From msprvs1=19451XFA_yV0k=bounces-1@nyt.mail.e.sparkpost.com Tue Mar 28 14:18:08 2023
Subject: Thanks for signing up for the Next Pandemic newsletter.
Folder: spamFolder 15657

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From bounces+17515008-1ba6-ece404i0=ecn.purdue.edu@spf.dm-jdq6zply.sgl.convertkit.com Tue Mar 28 14:18:22 2023
Subject: [Action needed] Please confirm your subscription!
Folder: spamFolder 26294

New message log:
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