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Wireshark Lab: HTTP
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1. Is your browser running HTTP version 1.0 or 1.1? What version of HTTP is the server running?

My browser is running HTTP/1.1

2. What languages (if any) does your browser indicate that it can accept to the server?

My browser accepts en-US, en.

3. What is the IP address of your computer? Of the gaia.cs.umass.edu server?

My Ip address is: 10.18.98.174.
gaia.cs.umass.edu is 128.119.245.12

4. What is the status code returned from the server to your browser?

I get a 200 OK status code.

5. When was the HTML file that you are retrieving last modified at the server?

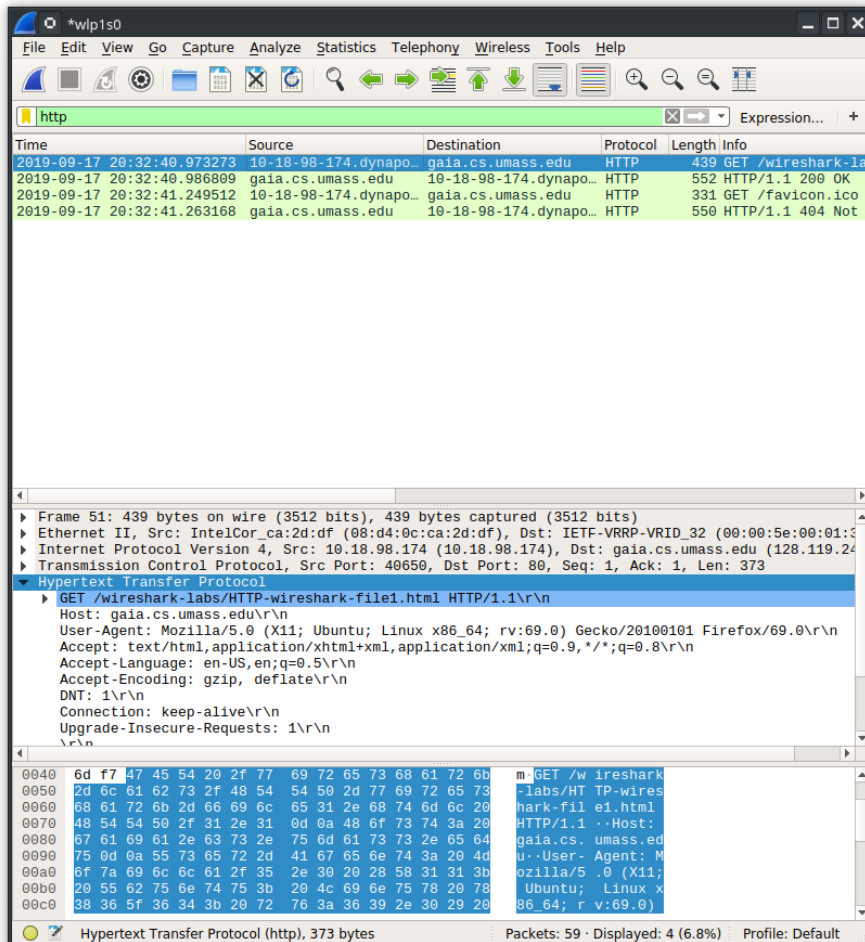
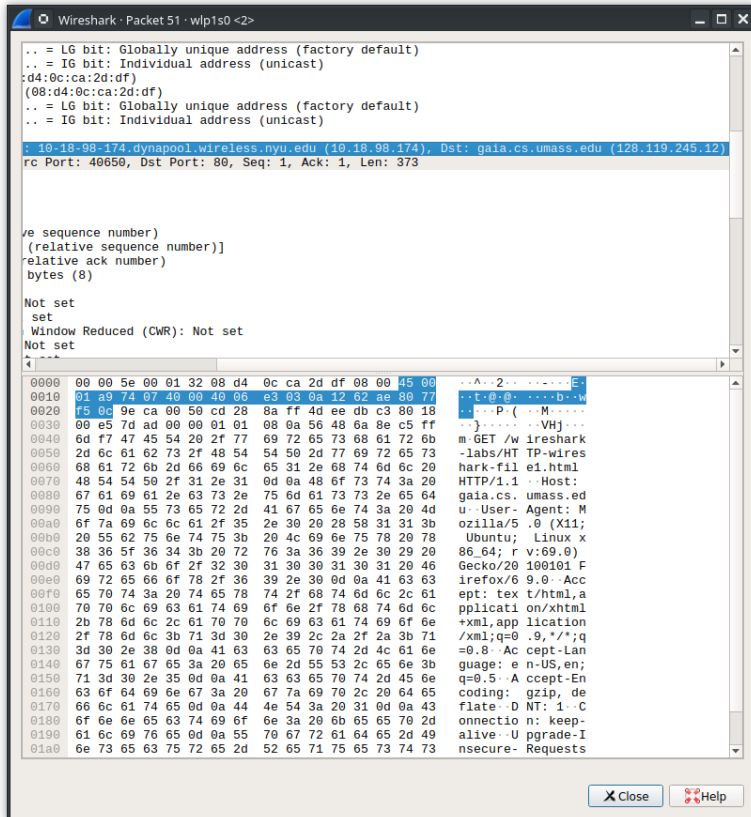
It was last modified Tue, 17 Sep 2019

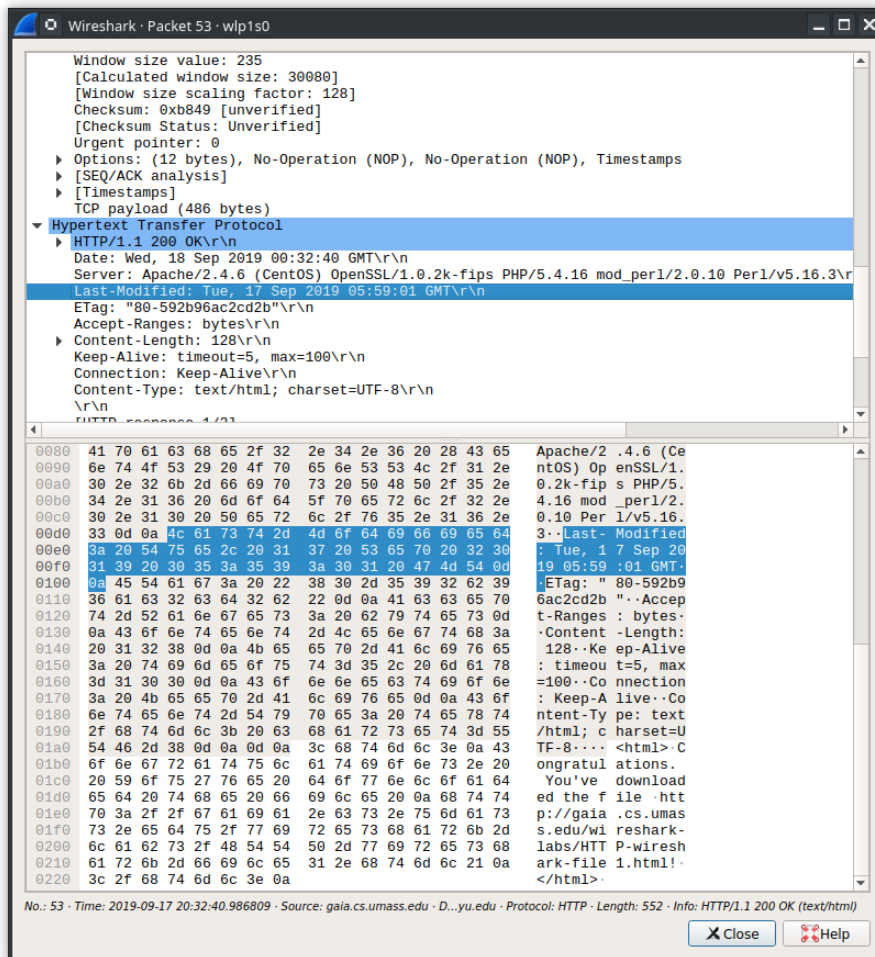
6. How many bytes of content are being returned to your browser?

The file data size is 128 bytes.

7. By inspecting the raw data in the packet content window, do you see any headers within the data that are not displayed in the packet-listing window? If so, name one

All of the headers can be displayed in the raw data.





8. Inspect the contents of the first HTTP GET request from your browser to the server. Do you see an “IF-MODIFIED-SINCE” line in the HTTP GET?

If-Modified-since line does not appear in the capture.

9. Inspect the contents of the server response. Did the server explicitly return the contents of the file? How can you tell?

The content is displayed in line-based text data field.

10. Now inspect the contents of the second HTTP GET request from your browser to the server. Do you see an “IF-MODIFIED-SINCE:” line in the HTTP GET? If so, what information follows the “IF-MODIFIED-SINCE:” header?

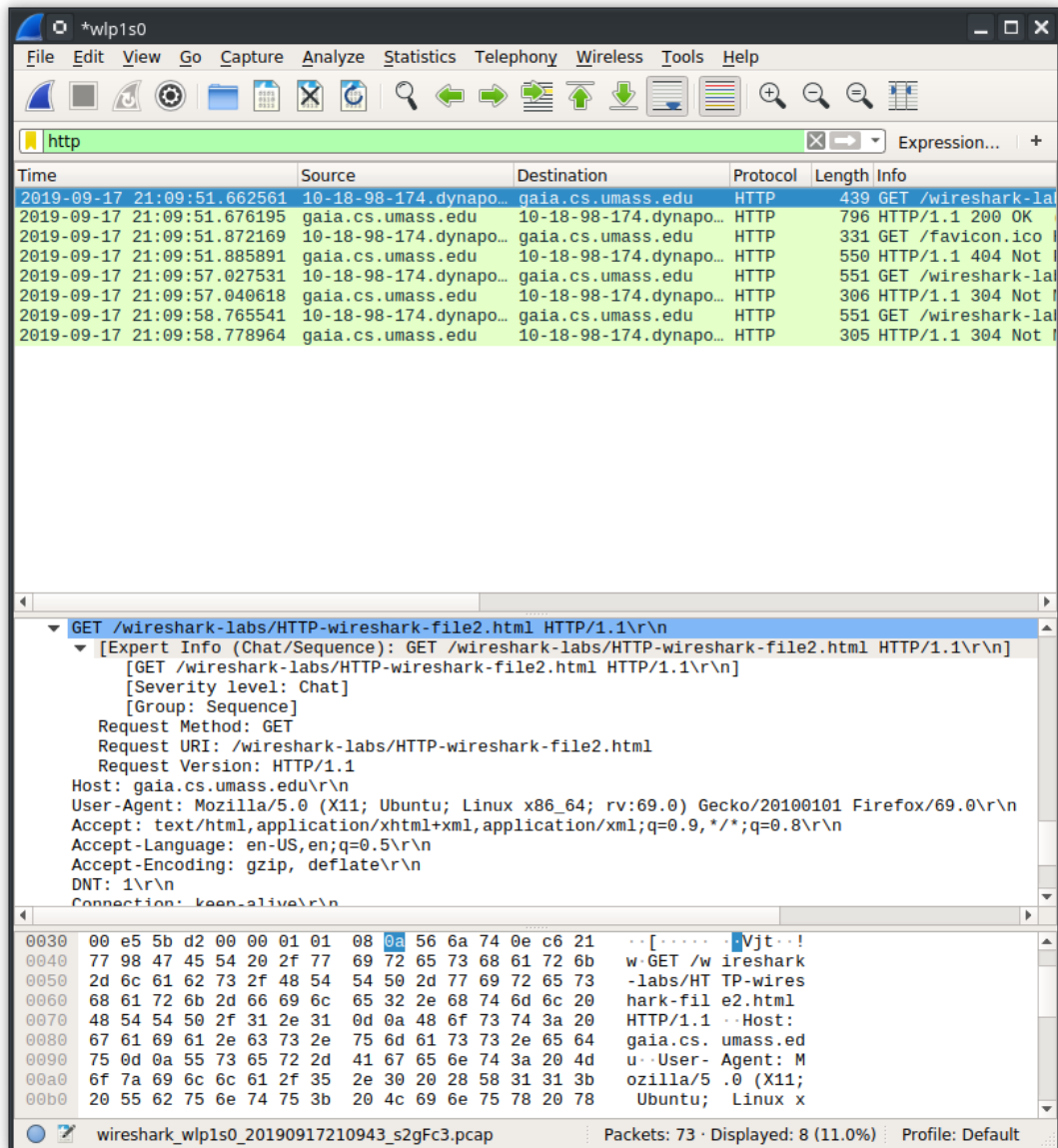
If-Modified-Since: Tue, 17 Sep 2019 05:59:01 GMT\r\n

This is the same as previous captured packet.

11. What is the HTTP status code and phrase returned from the server in response to this second HTTP GET? Did the server explicitly return the contents of the file? Explain.

The status code of the second response is 304 Not Modified.
The server does not return contents.

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12. How many HTTP GET request messages did your browser send? Which packet number in the trace contains the GET message for the Bill of Rights?

There was only one HTTP GET request. It was packet number 98 in my trace.

13. Which packet number in the trace contains the status code and phrase associated with the response to the HTTP GET request?

In my trace the response was packet number 102.

14. What is the status code and phrase in the response?

The status code and phrase was 200 OK

15. How many data-containing TCP segments were needed to carry the single HTTP response and the text of the Bill of Rights

There was 2 reassembled tcp segments

The image shows a Wireshark packet capture window titled "Wireshark · Packet 102 · wlp1s0 <2>". The packet list on the left shows "2 Reassembled TCP Segments (4861 bytes): #100(2576), #102(2285)". The packet details pane shows the structure of the HTTP response:

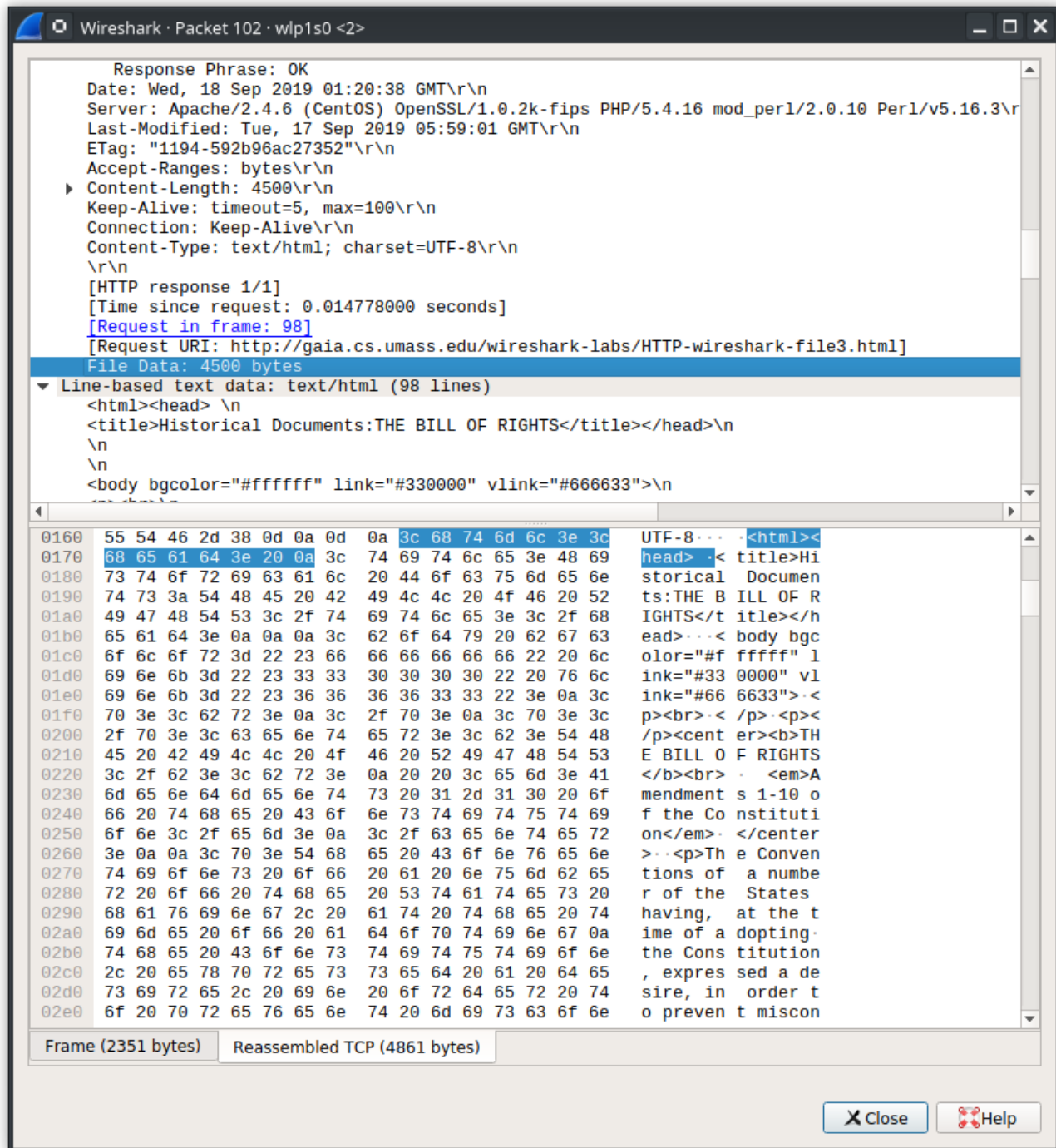
- Checksum: 0xeb57 [unverified]
- [Checksum Status: Unverified]
- Urgent pointer: 0
- Options: (12 bytes), No-Operation (NOP), No-Operation (NOP), Timestamps
- [SEQ/ACK analysis]
- [Timestamps]
- TCP payload (2285 bytes)
- TCP segment data (2285 bytes)
- [2 Reassembled TCP Segments (4861 bytes): #100(2576), #102(2285)]
- Hypertext Transfer Protocol
- HTTP/1.1 200 OK\r\n
- [Expert Info (Chat/Sequence): HTTP/1.1 200 OK\r\n]
- [HTTP/1.1 200 OK\r\n]
- [Severity level: Chat]
- [Group: Sequence]
- Response Version: HTTP/1.1
- Status Code: 200
- [Status Code Description: OK]
- Response Phrase: OK
- Date: Wed, 18 Sep 2019 01:20:38 GMT\r\n
- Server: Apache/2.4.6 (CentOS) OpenSSL/1.0.2k-fips PHP/5.4.16 mod_perl/2.0.10 Perl/v5.16.3\r\n
- Last-Modified: Tue, 17 Sep 2019 05:59:01 GMT\r\n
- ETag: "1194-592b96ac27352" (Apache/2.4.6 (CentOS) OpenSSL/1.0.2k-fips PHP/5.4.16 mod_perl/2.0.10 Perl/v5.16.3)

The packet bytes pane shows the raw data of the response, starting with "HTTP/1.1 200 OK" and followed by the headers and the body of the HTML document. The status code "200" and phrase "OK" are clearly visible in the details pane.

Frame (2351 bytes) Reassembled TCP (4861 bytes)

Bytes 54-144: Server (http.server)

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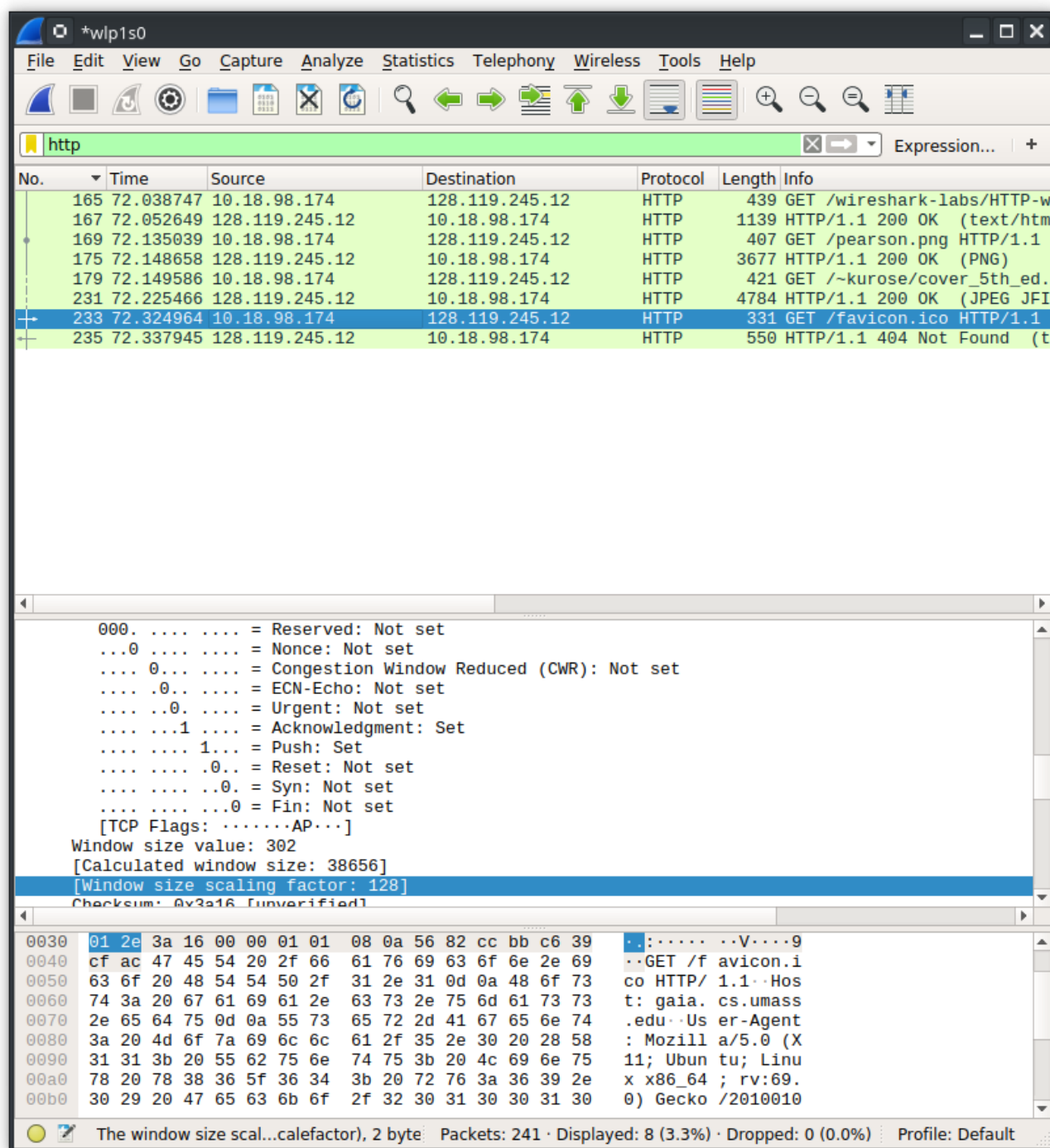
16.How many HTTP GET request messages did your browser send? To which Internet addresses were these GET requests sent?

My browser sent 4 HTTP GET requests.

The requests were sent to gaia.cs.umass.edu (128.119.245.12)

17.Can you tell whether your browser downloaded the two images serially, or whether they were downloaded from the two web sites in parallel? Explain

They were sent serially over two ports: 44112 and 44110.



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18.What is the server's response (status code and phrase) in response to the initial HTTP GET message from your browser?

My initial response was 401 unauthorized.

19.When your browser's sends the HTTP GET message for the second time, what new field is included in the HTTP GET message?

The Authorization field is included in the HTTP GET message. It is decoded in credentials.
Authorization: Basic d2lyZXNoYXJrLXN0dWRlbnRzOm5ldHdvcm5=\r\n
Credentials: wireshark-students:network

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