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Exercise 1:

Type	description
A	Address record(32-bit IPV4)
CNAME	Canonical name record
MX	Mail exchange record
NS	Name server record
PTR	Pointer record
SOA	Start of [a zone of] authority record

Exercise 2:

Question 1: What transport layer protocol is being used by the DNS messages?

UDP

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length
15	4.951232	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	8
16	4.951638	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	11
17	4.952571	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	8
18	4.952953	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	13
19	4.953172	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	7
					19
20	4.969929	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	19

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> Frame 19: 71 bytes on wire (568 bits), 71 bytes captured (568 bits)
> Ethernet II, Src: IBM_10:60:99 (00:09:60:10:60:99), Dst: All-HSRP- routers_0
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 128.238.38.160, Dst: 128.238.29.22
    0100 .... = Version: 4
    .... 0101 = Header Length: 20 bytes (5)
> Differentiated Services Field: 0x00 (DSCP: CS0, ECN: Not-ECT)
    Total Length: 57
    Identification: 0x27a3 (10147)
> Flags: 0x0000
    Time to live: 128
    Protocol: UDP (17)
    Header checksum: 0xcde7 [validation disabled]
    [Header checksum status: Unverified]
    Source: 128.238.38.160
    Destination: 128.238.29.22
> User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 3742, Dst Port: 53
> Domain Name System (query)
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Question 2: What is the source and destination port for the DNS query message and the corresponding response?

Query: Source port: 3742
 Destination port: 53
 Response: Source port: 53
 Destination port: 3742

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length
15	4.951232	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	86
16	4.951638	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	118
17	4.952571	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	86
18	4.952953	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	136
19	4.953172	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	71
20	4.969929	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	196

> Frame 19: 71 bytes on wire (568 bits), 71 bytes captured (568 bits)
 > Ethernet II, Src: IBM_10:60:99 (00:09:6b:10:60:99), Dst: All-HSRP-routers_0 (01:00:5e:00:00:00)
 > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 128.238.38.160, Dst: 128.238.29.22
 0100 = Version: 4
 0101 = Header Length: 20 bytes (5)
 > Differentiated Services Field: 0x00 (DSCP: CS0, ECN: Not-ECT)
 Total Length: 57
 Identification: 0x27a3 (10147)
 > Flags: 0x0000
 Time to live: 128
 Protocol: UDP (17)
 Header checksum: 0xcd7e [validation disabled]
 [Header checksum status: Unverified]
 Source: 128.238.38.160
 Destination: 128.238.29.22
 User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 3742, Dst Port: 53
 > Domain Name System (query)

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length
15	4.951232	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	86
16	4.951638	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	118
17	4.952571	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	86
18	4.952953	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	136
19	4.953172	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	71
20	4.969929	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	196

> Frame 20: 196 bytes on wire (1568 bits), 196 bytes captured (1568 bits)
 > Ethernet II, Src: Cisco_83:e4:54 (00:b0:8e:83:e4:54), Dst: IBM_10:60:99 (00:09:6b:10:60:99)
 > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 128.238.29.22, Dst: 128.238.38.160
 0100 = Version: 4
 0101 = Header Length: 20 bytes (5)
 > Differentiated Services Field: 0x00 (DSCP: CS0, ECN: Not-ECT)
 Total Length: 182
 Identification: 0xb50e (46350)
 > Flags: 0x0000
 Time to live: 126
 Protocol: UDP (17)
 Header checksum: 0x4196 [validation disabled]
 [Header checksum status: Unverified]
 Source: 128.238.38.160
 Destination: 128.238.38.160
 User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 53, Dst Port: 3742
 > Domain Name System (response)

Question 3: To what IP address is the DNS query message sent? Is this the same as the default local DNS server?

IP address the DNS query message sent: 128.238.29.22.

The IP address of the default DNS server for the host is 128.238.29.22. So they are the same.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length
15	4.951232	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	86
16	4.951638	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	118
17	4.952571	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	86
18	4.952953	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	136
19	4.953172	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	71
20	4.969929	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	196

> Frame 19: 71 bytes on wire (568 bits), 71 bytes captured (568 bits)
 > Ethernet II, Src: IBM_10:60:99 (00:09:6b:10:60:99), Dst: All-HSRP-routers_0 (01:00:5e:00:00:00)
 > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 128.238.38.160, Dst: 128.238.29.22
 0100 = Version: 4
 0101 = Header Length: 20 bytes (5)
 > Differentiated Services Field: 0x00 (DSCP: CS0, ECN: Not-ECT)
 Total Length: 57
 Identification: 0x27a3 (10147)
 > Flags: 0x0000
 Time to live: 128
 Protocol: UDP (17)
 Header checksum: 0xcd7e [validation disabled]
 [Header checksum status: Unverified]
 Source: 128.238.38.160
 Destination: 128.238.29.22
 User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 3742, Dst Port: 53
 > Domain Name System (query)

Question 4: How many “questions” are contained in the DNS query message? What “Type” of DNS queries are they? Does the query message also contain any “answers”?

One question.

Type A.

No “answer”.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
15	4.951232	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	86	Standard query
16	4.951638	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	118	Standard answer
17	4.952571	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	80	Standard query
18	4.952953	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	139	Standard answer
→ 19	4.953172	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	71	Standard query
← 20	4.969929	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	196	Standard answer


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> Frame 19: 71 bytes on wire (568 bits), 71 bytes captured (568 bits)
> Ethernet II, Src: Ibm_10:60:99 (00:09:6b:10:60:99), Dst: All-HSRP-routers_00 (00:00:00:00:00:00)
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 128.238.38.160, Dst: 128.238.29.22
> User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 3742, Dst Port: 53
▼ Domain Name System (query)
    Transaction ID: 0x0003
    > Flags: 0x0100 Standard query
        Questions: 1
        Answer RRs: 0
        Authority RRs: 0
        Additional RRs: 0
    ▼ Queries
        > www.mit.edu: type A, class IN
            [Response In: 20]
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Question 5: Examine the DNS response message. Provide details of the contents of the “Answers”, “Authority” and “Additional Information” fields. What can you infer from these?

Answer: mit.edu.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.7.22.83

Authority: mit.edu.edu: type NS, class IN, ns BITSY.mit.edu

mit.edu.edu: type NS, class IN, ns STRAWB.mit.edu

mit.edu.edu: type NS, class IN, ns W20NS.mit.edu

Additional Information: BITSY.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.72.0.3

STRAWB.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.71.0.151

W20NS.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.70.0.160

Detail of “Answers”: Answers contain a A type RR which list the detail of the host name, IP address etc

"Authority" list some RR of other Authority servers in type NS

"Additional Information" giving some type A RR of Authority servers list in "Authority"

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Inl
15	4.951232	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	86	St
16	4.951638	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	118	St
17	4.952571	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	80	St
18	4.952953	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	139	St
19	4.953172	128.238.38.160	128.238.29.22	DNS	71	St
20	4.969929	128.238.29.22	128.238.38.160	DNS	196	St

▼ Domain Name System (response)

Transaction ID: 0x0003

› Flags: 0x8580 Standard query response, No error

Questions: 1

Answer RRs: 1

Authority RRs: 3

Additional RRs: 3

▼ Queries

› www.mit.edu: type A, class IN

▼ Answers

› www.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.7.22.83

▼ Authoritative nameservers

› mit.edu: type NS, class IN, ns BITSY.mit.edu

› mit.edu: type NS, class IN, ns STRAWB.mit.edu

› mit.edu: type NS, class IN, ns W20NS.mit.edu

▼ Additional records

› BITSY.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.72.0.3

› STRAWB.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.71.0.151

› W20NS.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.70.0.160

[Request In: 19]

[Time: 0.016757000 seconds]

Exercise 3:

Question 1. What is the IP address of www.cecs.anu.edu.au. What type of DNS query is sent to get this answer?

The IP address is 150.203.161.98. The type is A.

```
wagner % dig www.cecs.anu.edu.au

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> www.cecs.anu.edu.au
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 53128
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 2, AUTHORITY: 10, ADDITIONAL: 12

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.cecs.anu.edu.au.      IN      A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.cecs.anu.edu.au.    1612    IN      CNAME   rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au.
rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au. 1437    IN      A       150.203.161.98

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
au.                      42829   IN      NS      s.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      r.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      a.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      d.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      u.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      q.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      c.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      b.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      v.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      t.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
a.au.                     6515    IN      A       58.65.254.73
a.au.                     22723   IN      AAAA   2407:6e00:254:306::73
b.au.                     47824   IN      A       58.65.253.73
b.au.                     3907    IN      AAAA   2407:6e00:253:306::73
c.au.                     57337   IN      A       162.159.24.179
c.au.                     48901   IN      AAAA   2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:18b3
d.au.                     378     IN      A       162.159.25.38
d.au.                     22723   IN      AAAA   2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:1926
q.au.                     75129   IN      A       65.22.196.1
q.au.                     53120   IN      AAAA   2a01:8840:be::1
r.au.                     16763   IN      A       65.22.197.1
r.au.                     12225   IN      AAAA   2a01:8840:bf::1

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Mon Aug 13 23:42:05 2018
;; MSG SIZE  rcvd: 498
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Question 2. What is the canonical name for the CECS ANU web server? What is its IP address? Suggest a reason for having an alias for this server.

Canonical name: rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au

Its IP address: 150.203.161.98.

Alias host name, are usually more memorable than canonical hostnames.

```
wagner % dig www.cecs.anu.edu.au

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> www.cecs.anu.edu.au
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 53128
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 2, AUTHORITY: 10, ADDITIONAL: 12

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.cecs.anu.edu.au.      IN      A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.cecs.anu.edu.au.    1612    IN      CNAME   rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au.
rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au. 1437    IN      A       150.203.161.98

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
au.                      42829   IN      NS      s.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      r.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      a.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      d.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      u.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      q.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      c.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      b.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      v.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      t.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
a.au.                     6515    IN      A       58.65.254.73
a.au.                    22723   IN      AAAA   2407:6e00:254:306::73
b.au.                     47824   IN      A       58.65.253.73
b.au.                     3907    IN      AAAA   2407:6e00:253:306::73
c.au.                     57337   IN      A       162.159.24.179
c.au.                    48901   IN      AAAA   2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:18b3
d.au.                     378     IN      A       162.159.25.38
d.au.                    22723   IN      AAAA   2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:1926
q.au.                     75129   IN      A       65.22.196.1
q.au.                    53120   IN      AAAA   2a01:8840:be::1
r.au.                     16763   IN      A       65.22.197.1
r.au.                    12225   IN      AAAA   2a01:8840:bf::1

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Mon Aug 13 23:42:05 2018
;; MSG SIZE  rcvd: 498
```

Question 3. What can you make of the rest of the response (i.e. the details available in the Authority and Additional sections)?

AUTHORITY SECTION contains some resource record in type NS. Their domain name are all "cecs.anu.edu.au." and their authority server name were list in the above picture.

In ADDITIONAL SECTION , there are A/AAAA type RR of those Authoritative DNS Server list in AUTHORITY SECTION which showing their IPv4 or IPv6 address

Question 4. What is the IP address of the local nameserver for your machine?

My local IP address: 129.94.242.2.

```
wagner % dig www.cecs.anu.edu.au

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> www.cecs.anu.edu.au
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 53128
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 2, AUTHORITY: 10, ADDITIONAL: 12

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.cecs.anu.edu.au.      IN      A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.cecs.anu.edu.au.    1612    IN      CNAME   rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au.
rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au. 1437    IN      A       150.203.161.98

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
au.                      42829   IN      NS      s.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      r.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      a.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      d.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      u.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      q.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      c.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      b.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      v.au.
au.                      42829   IN      NS      t.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
a.au.                     6515    IN      A       58.65.254.73
a.au.                    22723   IN      AAAA   2407:6e00:254:306::73
b.au.                     47824   IN      A       58.65.253.73
b.au.                     3907    IN      AAAA   2407:6e00:253:306::73
c.au.                     57337   IN      A       162.159.24.179
c.au.                    48901   IN      AAAA   2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:18b3
d.au.                     378     IN      A       162.159.25.38
d.au.                    22723   IN      AAAA   2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:1926
q.au.                     75129   IN      A       65.22.196.1
q.au.                    53120   IN      AAAA   2a01:8840:be::1
r.au.                     16763   IN      A       65.22.197.1
r.au.                    12225   IN      AAAA   2a01:8840:bf::1

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Mon Aug 13 23:42:05 2018
;; MSG SIZE  rcvd: 498
```

Question 5. What are the DNS nameservers for the “cecs.anu.edu.au” domain (note: the domain name is cecs.anu.edu.au and not www.cecs.anu.edu.au)? Find out their IP addresses? What type of DNS query is sent to obtain this information?

The nameservers: ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au 150.203.161.36
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au 150.203.161.50
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au 150.203.161.38

The type of DNS query is sent to obtain this information: NS

```
wagner % dig cecs.anu.edu.au NS

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> cecs.anu.edu.au NS
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 23327
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 6

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;cecs.anu.edu.au.           IN      NS

;; ANSWER SECTION:
cecs.anu.edu.au.        1741    IN      NS      ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au.
cecs.anu.edu.au.        1741    IN      NS      ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au.
cecs.anu.edu.au.        1741    IN      NS      ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au.    2041    IN      A       150.203.161.36
ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au.    749     IN      AAAA    2001:388:1034:2905::24
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au.    2041    IN      A       150.203.161.50
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au.    1741    IN      AAAA    2001:388:1034:2905::32
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au.    1766    IN      A       150.203.161.38
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au.    1741    IN      AAAA    2001:388:1034:2905::26

;; Query time: 14 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Tue Aug 14 00:24:04 2018
;; MSG SIZE  rcvd: 219
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Question 6. What is the DNS name associated with the IP address 149.171.158.109? What type of DNS query is sent to obtain this information?

The DNS name: www.engineering.unsw.edu.au

engplws008.ad.unsw.edu.au

engplws008.eng.unsw.edu.au

The type of DNS query is sent: PTR

```
wagner % dig -x 149.171.158.109

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> -x 149.171.158.109
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 6186
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 3, ADDITIONAL: 6

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;109.158.171.149.in-addr.arpa. IN PTR

;; ANSWER SECTION:
109.158.171.149.in-addr.arpa. 2615 IN PTR www.engineering.unsw.edu.au.
109.158.171.149.in-addr.arpa. 2615 IN PTR engplws008.ad.unsw.edu.au.
109.158.171.149.in-addr.arpa. 2615 IN PTR engplws008.eng.unsw.edu.au.

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
158.171.149.in-addr.arpa. 9815 IN NS ns3.unsw.edu.au.
158.171.149.in-addr.arpa. 9815 IN NS ns2.unsw.edu.au.
158.171.149.in-addr.arpa. 9815 IN NS ns1.unsw.edu.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.unsw.edu.au. 1179 IN A 129.94.0.192
ns1.unsw.edu.au. 6116 IN AAAA 2001:388:c:35::1
ns2.unsw.edu.au. 1179 IN A 129.94.0.193
ns2.unsw.edu.au. 1179 IN AAAA 2001:388:c:35::2
ns3.unsw.edu.au. 1179 IN A 192.155.82.178
ns3.unsw.edu.au. 6116 IN AAAA 2600:3c01::f03c:91ff:fe73:5f10

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Tue Aug 14 00:28:41 2018
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 330
```

Question 7. Run dig and query the CSE nameserver (129.94.242.33) for the mail servers for Yahoo! Mail (again the domain name is yahoo.com, not www.yahoo.com). Did you get an authoritative answer? Why? (HINT: Just because a response contains information in the authoritative part of the DNS response message does not mean it came from an authoritative name server. You should examine the flags in the response to determine the answer)

No, I didn't get an authoritative answer because "aa", which means getting authoritative answer does not include in the flag. This is because it does not have authority for the CSE domain.

```
wagner % dig @129.94.242.33 yahoo.com

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> @129.94.242.33 yahoo.com
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 27963
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 6, AUTHORITY: 5, ADDITIONAL: 8

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;yahoo.com.           IN      A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
yahoo.com.        1800    IN      A      98.138.219.231
yahoo.com.        1800    IN      A      98.138.219.232
yahoo.com.        1800    IN      A      72.30.35.9
yahoo.com.        1800    IN      A      72.30.35.10
yahoo.com.        1800    IN      A      98.137.246.7
yahoo.com.        1800    IN      A      98.137.246.8

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
yahoo.com.       139159   IN      NS      ns5.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.       139159   IN      NS      ns1.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.       139159   IN      NS      ns4.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.       139159   IN      NS      ns2.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.       139159   IN      NS      ns3.yahoo.com.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.yahoo.com.    15239   IN      A      68.180.131.16
ns1.yahoo.com.    43046   IN      AAAA     2001:4998:130::1001
ns2.yahoo.com.    296875   IN      A      68.142.255.16
ns2.yahoo.com.    38777   IN      AAAA     2001:4998:140::1002
ns3.yahoo.com.    58962   IN      A      203.84.221.53
ns3.yahoo.com.    62719   IN      AAAA     2406:8600:b8:fe03::1003
ns4.yahoo.com.    303679   IN      A      98.138.11.157
ns5.yahoo.com.    289750   IN      A      119.160.253.83

;; Query time: 168 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.33#53(129.94.242.33)
;; WHEN: Tue Aug 14 00:33:36 2018
;; MSG SIZE  rcvd: 377
```

Question 8. Repeat the above (i.e. Question 7) but use one of the nameservers obtained in Question 5. What is the result?

I use 150.203.161.38. I didn't get the answer either.

```
wagner % dig @150.203.161.38 yahoo.com

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> @150.203.161.38 yahoo.com
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: REFUSED, id: 13038
;; flags: qr rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 0
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;yahoo.com.           IN      A

;; Query time: 7 msec
;; SERVER: 150.203.161.38#53(150.203.161.38)
;; WHEN: Tue Aug 14 00:41:24 2018
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 27
```

Question 9. Obtain the authoritative answer for the mail servers for Yahoo! mail. What type of DNS query is sent to obtain this information?

First, get the authoritative nameservers for the yahoo.com using NS type.

Then, query one of the authoritative nameservers for yahoo.com using MX type.

```
wagner % dig yahoo.com NS

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> yahoo.com NS
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 5585
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 5, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 8

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;yahoo.com.           IN      NS

;; ANSWER SECTION:
yahoo.com.      60640   IN      NS      ns3.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.      60640   IN      NS      ns5.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.      60640   IN      NS      ns2.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.      60640   IN      NS      ns4.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.      60640   IN      NS      ns1.yahoo.com.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.yahoo.com.  33542   IN      A       68.180.131.16
ns1.yahoo.com.  130299  IN      AAAA    2001:4998:130::1001
ns2.yahoo.com.  295935  IN      A       68.142.255.16
ns2.yahoo.com.  17301   IN      AAAA    2001:4998:140::1002
ns3.yahoo.com.  42333   IN      A       203.84.221.53
ns3.yahoo.com.  61779   IN      AAAA    2406:8600:b8:fe03::1003
ns4.yahoo.com.  302739  IN      A       98.138.11.157
ns5.yahoo.com.  292462  IN      A       119.160.253.83

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Tue Aug 14 00:49:16 2018
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 281
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wagner % dig @ns3.yahoo.com yahoo.com MX

; <>> DiG 9.7.3 <>> @ns3.yahoo.com yahoo.com MX
; (2 servers found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 53440
;; flags: qr aa rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 5, ADDITIONAL: 8
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available

;; QUESTION SECTION:
;yahoo.com.           IN      MX

;; ANSWER SECTION:
yahoo.com.          1800    IN      MX      1 mta5.am0.yahoodns.net.
yahoo.com.          1800    IN      MX      1 mta6.am0.yahoodns.net.
yahoo.com.          1800    IN      MX      1 mta7.am0.yahoodns.net.

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
yahoo.com.         172800  IN      NS      ns1.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.         172800  IN      NS      ns5.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.         172800  IN      NS      ns3.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.         172800  IN      NS      ns4.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.         172800  IN      NS      ns2.yahoo.com.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.yahoo.com.     86400   IN      AAAA    2001:4998:130::1001
ns2.yahoo.com.     86400   IN      AAAA    2001:4998:140::1002
ns3.yahoo.com.     86400   IN      AAAA    2406:8600:b8:fe03::1003
ns1.yahoo.com.    1209600  IN      A       68.180.131.16
ns2.yahoo.com.    1209600  IN      A       68.142.255.16
ns3.yahoo.com.    1209600  IN      A       203.84.221.53
ns4.yahoo.com.    1209600  IN      A       98.138.11.157
ns5.yahoo.com.    1209600  IN      A       119.160.253.83

;; Query time: 396 msec
;; SERVER: 2406:8600:b8:fe03::1003#53(2406:8600:b8:fe03::1003)
;; WHEN: Tue Aug 14 00:49:50 2018
;; MSG SIZE  rcvd: 360
```

Question 10. In this exercise you simulate the iterative DNS query process to find the IP address of your machine (e.g. lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au).

First, find the name server (query type NS) of the "." domain (root domain).

Query this nameserver to find the authoritative name server for the "au." domain.

Query this second server to find the authoritative nameserver for the "edu.au." domain.

Now query this nameserver to find the authoritative nameserver for "unsw.edu.au".

Next query the nameserver of unsw.edu.au to find the authoritative name server of cse.unsw.edu.au.

Now query the nameserver of cse.unsw.edu.au to find the IP address of your host.

How many DNS servers do you have to query to get the authoritative answer?

I need 6 DNS servers to query to get the authoritative answer.

Ask my local DNS server for root server: dig NS

Ask root for au. DNS server: dig NS au @f.root-servers.net

Ask au. for edu.au DNS server: dig NS edu.au @u.au

Ask edu.au for unsw.edu.au DNS server: dig NS unsw.edu.au @t.au

Ask unsw.edu.au for cse.unsw.edu.au DNS server: dig NS cse.unsw.edu.au
@ns3.unsw.edu.au

Ask maestro orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au for lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au: dig NS
lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au @maestro orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au

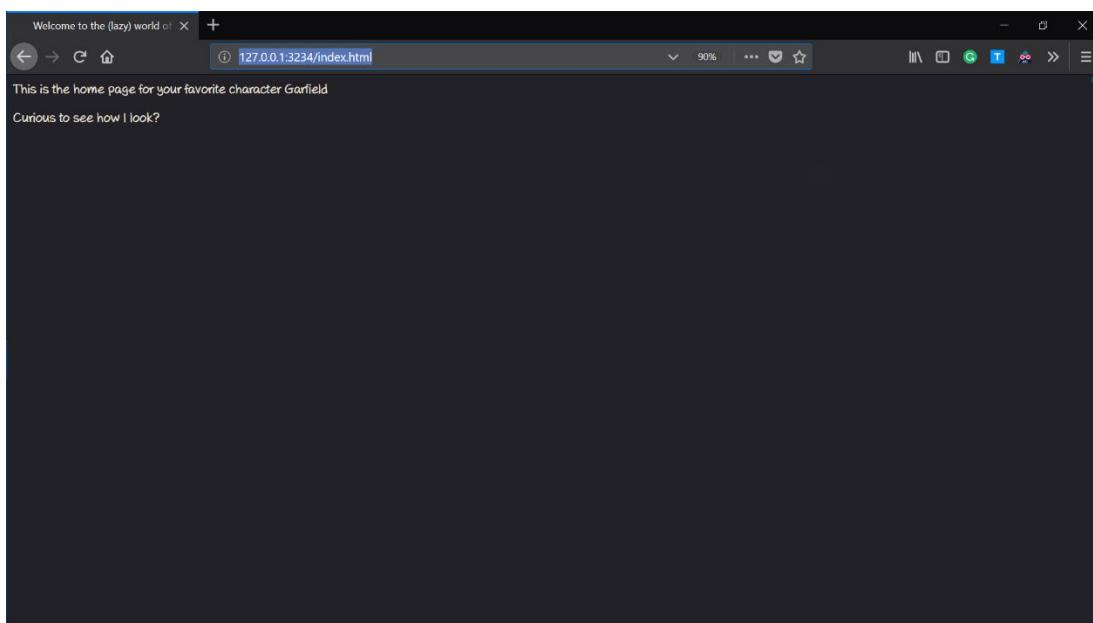
My machine IP address: 129.94.210.20

Question 11. Can one physical machine have several names and/or IP addresses associated with it?

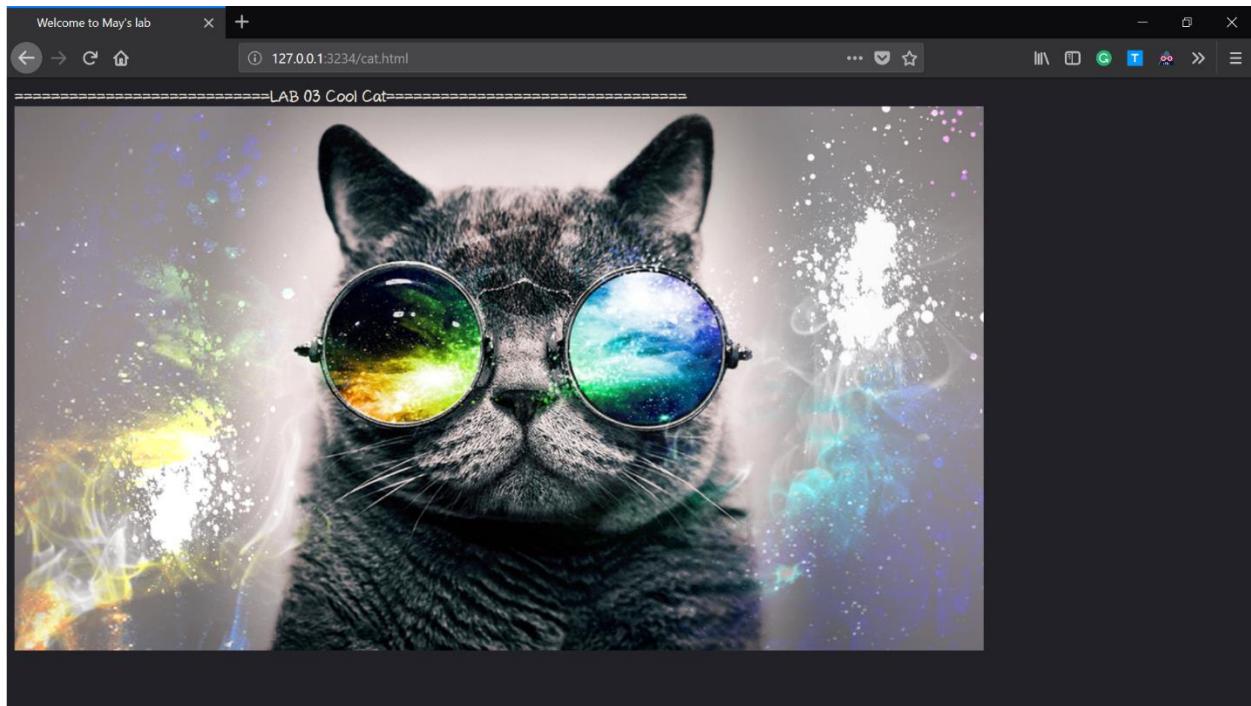
Yes, a machine may have several network interfaces. Moreover, a network interface can have several IP address associated with it at any given time. An IP address may have associated with several names (the additional host names are known as "aliases"). To obtain the canonical name for the machine, use dig with query type= cname.

(*) Exercise 4: (port: 3234)

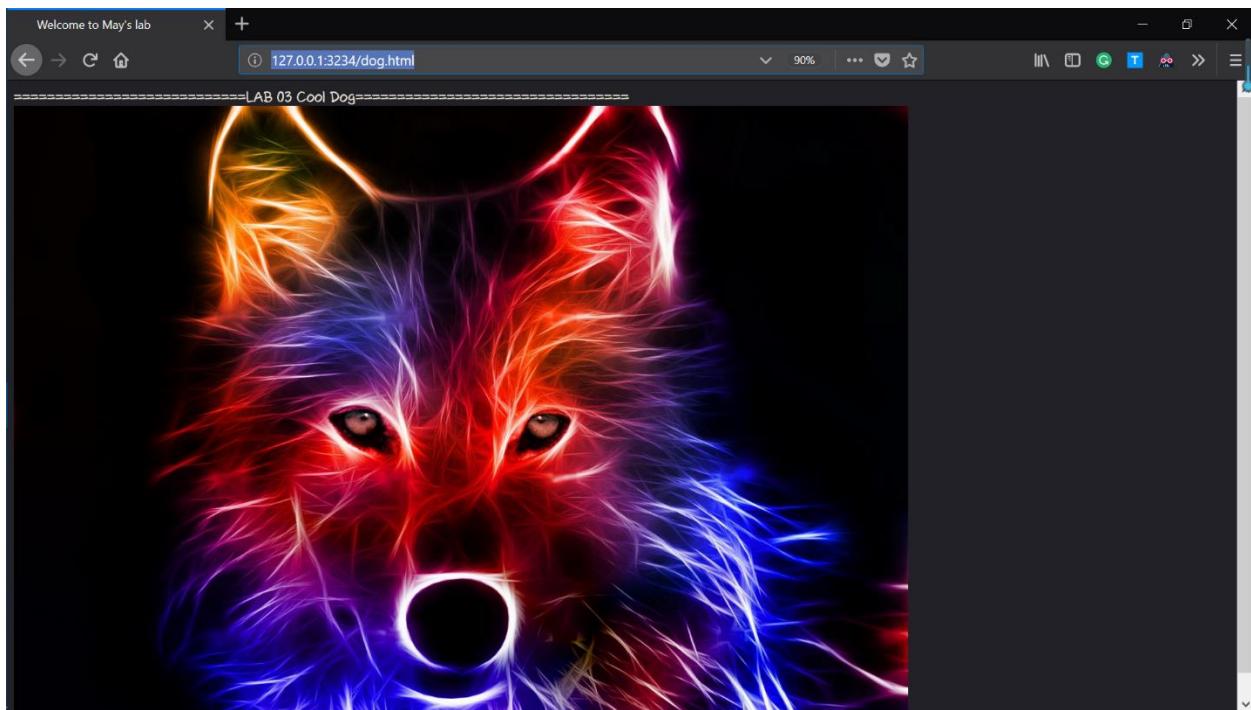
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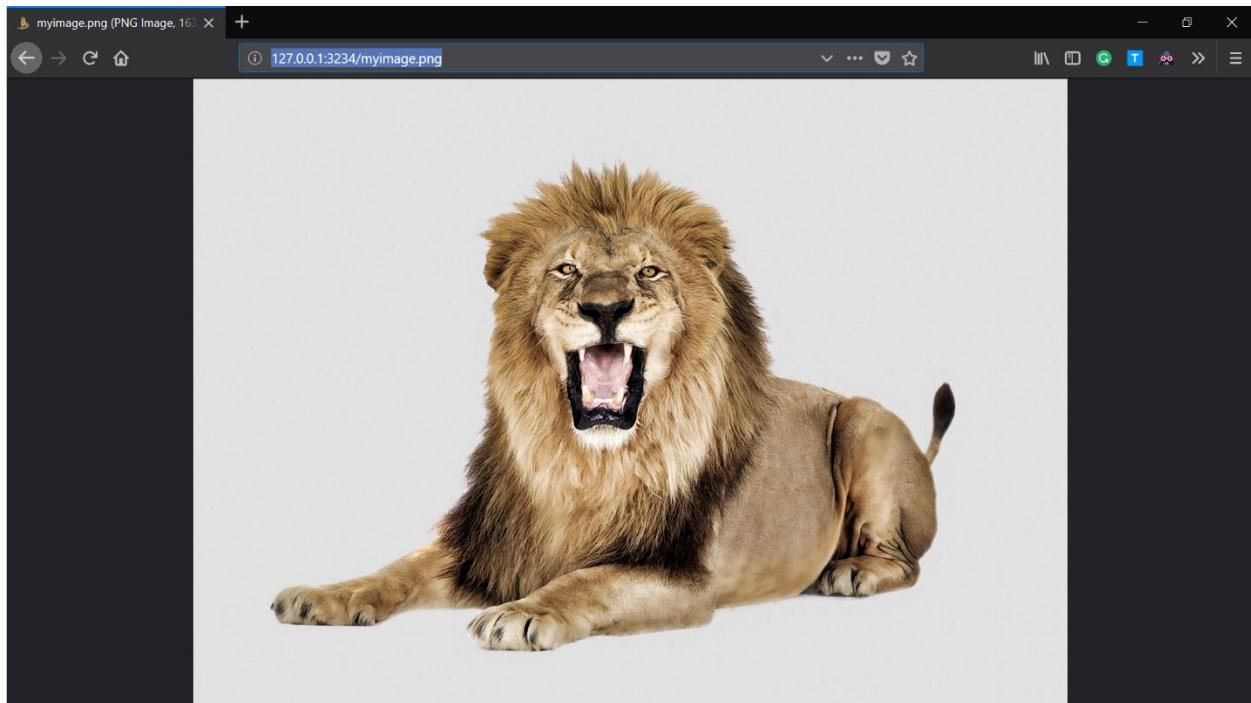
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