The following steps describe how to set up Glasnost on Measurement Lab.

- 1. Get a planetlab account.
- 2. create a ssh key pair. for that purpose type in the terminal "ssh-keygen -t rsa" and follow the instructions, use a passphrase. Once done the keys will be stored in the ".ssh" directory of the working directory.
- 3. Log on to your planetlab account and click on "My account". There is a link for uploading keys. Upload the public key from your .ssh directory.
- 4. you can ssh to the a m-lab node. there are two ways.

Firstly you can use a mpi-sws machine which is whitelisted and you can normally conncet through ssh using your private key. The command in this case is "ssh -i <path to your private key> mpisws_broadband@ <m lab node name>".

Or

use the port 806 from any machine by using "ssh -p 806 -i <path to your private key>mpisws_broadband@ <m lab node name>"

- 5. Now install these following libraries in your local machine. I have used ubuntu as my platform. You can also build Glasnost on a MPI-SWS Linux box (e.g., on the odin or loki cluster or a Linux desktop) which should have these libraries pre-installed.
 - zlib
 - libpcap (>0.8)
 - libmicrohttpd
 - curl (not needed as a snapshot is included in SVN)
- 6. to download the source files do: svn co https://svn.mpi-sb.mpg.de/NS/nets/network_transparency/code/mlab/glasnost/
- 7. go to the glasnost directory and run "make static". The executable "gserver" is created.
- 8. Create a directory named temp and copy gserver to it. Also copy the following files from SVN: install.sh, boot.sh, watchdog.sh, GlasnostReplayer.jar, GlasnostReplayerMac.jar, cleanup.pl, datapull_rename.pl, rsyncd.conf. In temp, create the subdirectories logs, glasnost, and scripts. Copy protocols.spec from SVN to the scripts subdirectory.
- 9. Go to the directory temp and run "sudo chmod 777 *".
- 10. use scp to copy all files and folders of directory "temp" in the m-lab node directory "/home /mpisws_broadband/".

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- 10. ssh to the m lab node as told in point 4.
- 11. run "/sbin/ifconfig -a" and see which interface is attached with ip.

in my case it shows something like

eth0 Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr 00:22:19:56:2A:4C

UP BROADCAST RUNNING MULTICAST MTU:1500 Metric:1

RX packets:1255582159 errors:0 dropped:1660 overruns:0 frame:0

TX packets:1981240315 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0

collisions:0 txqueuelen:1000

RX bytes:1937578705 (1.8 GiB) TX bytes:2521086132 (2.3 GiB)

Interrupt:16 Memory:f8000000-f8012100

eth0:2560 Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr 00:22:19:56:2A:4C

inet addr:80.239.142.205 Bcast:80.239.142.255

Mask:255.255.255.192

UP BROADCAST RUNNING MULTICAST MTU:1500 Metric:1

Interrupt:16 Memory:f8000000-f8012100

So in my case interface is "eth0:2560" (as eth0 is not configured, thus not usable). This interface binds to the static and exclusive IP address of this M-Lab slice.

- 12. change the "ETH=eth0" line in watchdog.sh file. In my case I changed it to "ETH=eth0:2560"
- 13. run sudo ./install.sh

After this, the M-Lab node should be set up.

The node can now be tested here: http://loki10.mpi-sws.mpg.de/bb/glasnost-test.php You have to enter the IP address of the ethernet interface of the slice (e.g., here 80.239.142.205).

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