Fall 2022: ITIS 6167/8167: Network Security

Project 1: Network Security Monitoring Tools

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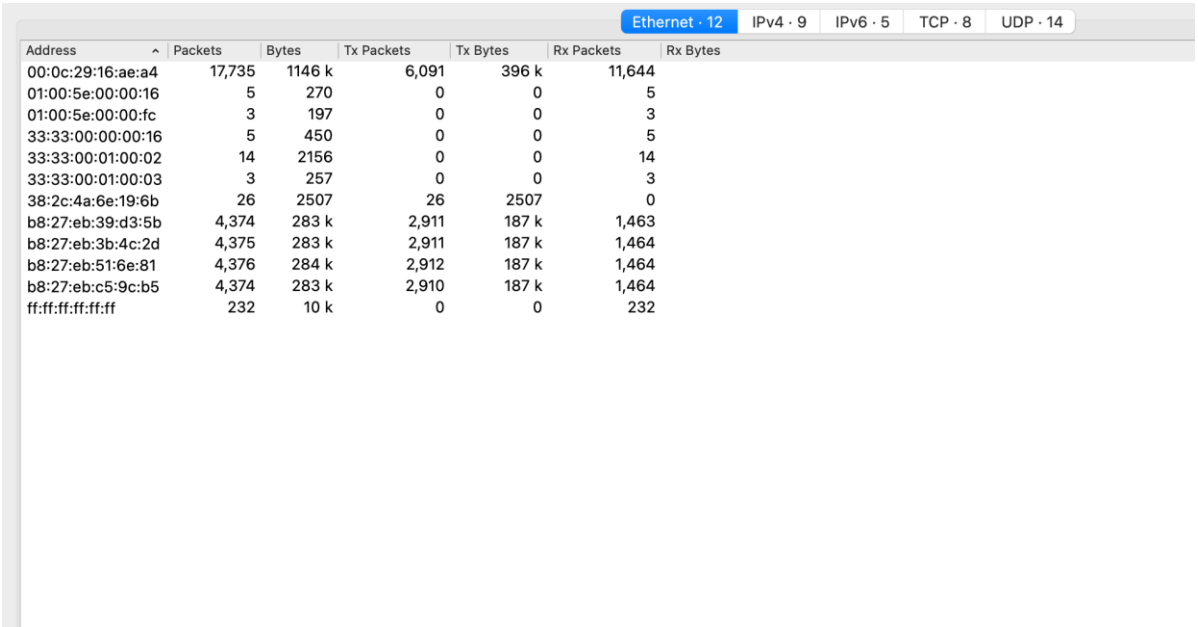
Task (1)

2. Use Wireshark to open the packet capture file that we provide. Please note that the file contains some Industrial Control System (ICS) network traffic that we capture. It uses a protocol called Modbus. You can use google to figure out the protocol and port number that Modbus uses.

In this capture file, please answer the following questions:

a) How many unique MAC addresses were on the network?

Answer: The total number of unique MAC addresses on the network are 12. Please refer the figure 2(a).



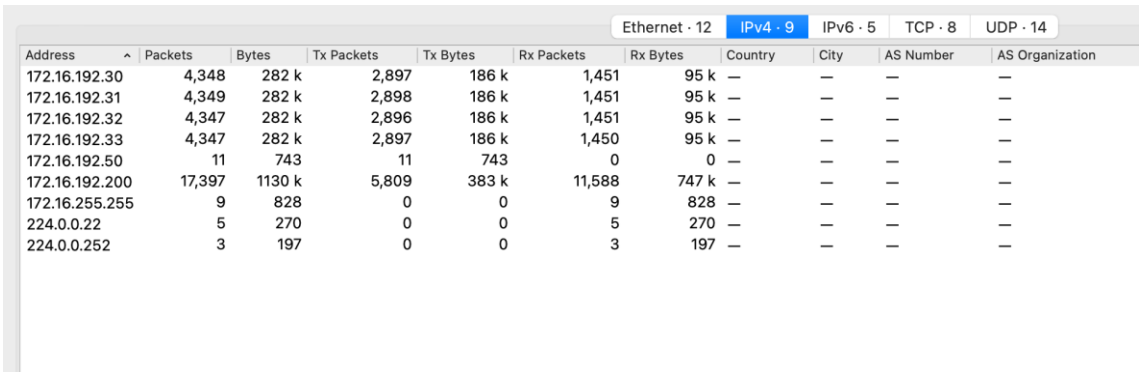
Ethernet · 12 | IPv4 · 9 | IPv6 · 5 | TCP · 8 | UDP · 14

Address	Packets	Bytes	Tx Packets	Tx Bytes	Rx Packets	Rx Bytes
00:0c:29:16:ae:a4	17,735	1146 k	6,091	396 k	11,644	
01:00:5e:00:00:16	5	270	0	0	5	
01:00:5e:00:00:fc	3	197	0	0	3	
33:33:00:00:00:16	5	450	0	0	5	
33:33:00:01:00:02	14	2156	0	0	14	
33:33:00:01:00:03	3	257	0	0	3	
38:2c:4a:6e:19:6b	26	2507	26	2507	0	
b8:27:eb:39:d3:5b	4,374	283 k	2,911	187 k	1,463	
b8:27:eb:3b:4c:2d	4,375	283 k	2,911	187 k	1,464	
b8:27:eb:51:6e:81	4,376	284 k	2,912	187 k	1,464	
b8:27:eb:c5:9c:b5	4,374	283 k	2,910	187 k	1,464	
ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff	232	10 k	0	0	232	

Figure 2(a): Total 12 MAC addresses

b) How many unique IP addresses were on the network (IPv4 and IPv6)?

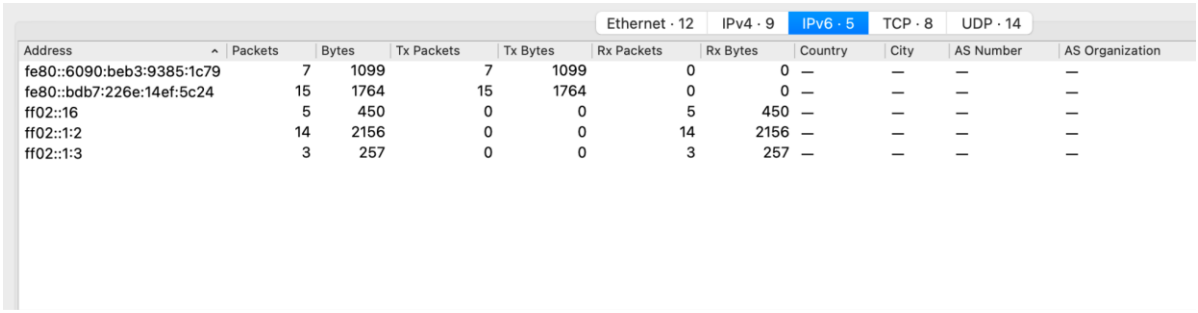
Answer: The total number of unique IP addresses on the network of IPV4 were 9 whereas the total number of IPV6 addresses are 5. So, the total number of unique IPV4 and IPV6 addresses are 14. Please refer the figure 2(b1) and figure 2(b2).



Ethernet · 12 | IPv4 · 9 | IPv6 · 5 | TCP · 8 | UDP · 14

Address	Packets	Bytes	Tx Packets	Tx Bytes	Rx Packets	Rx Bytes	Country	City	AS Number	AS Organization
172.16.192.30	4,348	282 k	2,897	186 k	1,451	95 k	—	—	—	—
172.16.192.31	4,349	282 k	2,898	186 k	1,451	95 k	—	—	—	—
172.16.192.32	4,347	282 k	2,896	186 k	1,451	95 k	—	—	—	—
172.16.192.33	4,347	282 k	2,897	186 k	1,450	95 k	—	—	—	—
172.16.192.50	11	743	11	743	0	0	—	—	—	—
172.16.192.200	17,397	1130 k	5,809	383 k	11,588	747 k	—	—	—	—
172.16.255.255	9	828	0	0	9	828	—	—	—	—
224.0.0.22	5	270	0	0	5	270	—	—	—	—
224.0.0.252	3	197	0	0	3	197	—	—	—	—

Figure 2(b1): Total number of IPV4 addresses are 9



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Address	Packets	Bytes	Tx Packets	Tx Bytes	Rx Packets	Rx Bytes	Country	City	AS Number	AS Organization
fe80::6090:beb3:9385:1c79	7	1099	7	1099	0	0	—	—	—	—
fe80::bdb7:226e:14ef:5c24	15	1764	15	1764	0	0	—	—	—	—
ff02::16	5	450	0	0	5	450	—	—	—	—
ff02::1:2	14	2156	0	0	14	2156	—	—	—	—
ff02::1:3	3	257	0	0	3	257	—	—	—	—

Figure 2(b2): Total number of IPV6 addresses are 5

c) What were the two UDP protocols used?

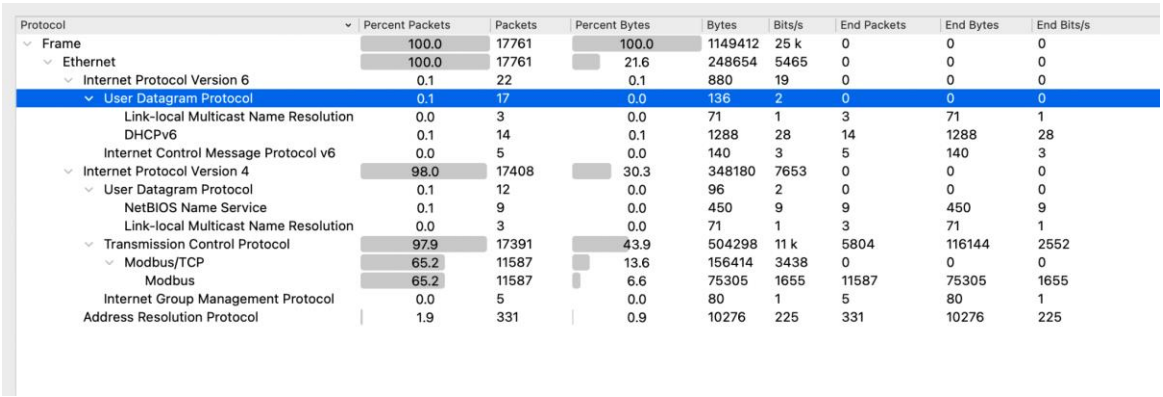
Answer: There are 3 UDP protocols that have been used. They are

1.Link-local Multicast Name Resolution

2.DHCP v6

3. NetBIOS Name Service

Please refer the figure 2(c)



Protocol	Percent Packets	Packets	Percent Bytes	Bytes	Bits/s	End Packets	End Bytes	End Bits/s
Frame	100.0	17761	100.0	1149412	25 k	0	0	0
Ethernet	100.0	17761	21.6	248654	5465	0	0	0
Internet Protocol Version 6	0.1	22	0.1	880	19	0	0	0
User Datagram Protocol	0.1	17	0.0	136	2	0	0	0
Link-local Multicast Name Resolution	0.0	3	0.0	71	1	3	71	1
DHCPv6	0.1	14	0.1	1288	28	14	1288	28
Internet Control Message Protocol v6	0.0	5	0.0	140	3	5	140	3
Internet Protocol Version 4	98.0	17408	30.3	348180	7653	0	0	0
User Datagram Protocol	0.1	12	0.0	96	2	0	0	0
NetBIOS Name Service	0.1	9	0.0	450	9	9	450	9
Link-local Multicast Name Resolution	0.0	3	0.0	71	1	3	71	1
Transmission Control Protocol	97.9	17391	43.9	504298	11 k	5804	116144	2552
Modbus/TCP	65.2	11587	13.6	156414	3438	0	0	0
Modbus	65.2	11587	6.6	75305	1655	11587	75305	1655
Internet Group Management Protocol	0.0	5	0.0	80	1	5	80	1
Address Resolution Protocol	1.9	331	0.9	10276	225	331	10276	225

Figure 2(c): Illustrates the protocol which have 2 different UDB protocol

d) Which Ethernet address was shared between an IPv4 and IPv6 address?

Answer: The Ethernet address that has been shared between the IPV4 and IPV6 address can be fetched with the help of the conversations in the statistics of a Capture file and then applying filter for each and every MAC address which have bidirectional communication. And then, we do take unique IPV4 and IPV6 addresses and check the results for both of them which have common MAC Address.

Upon checking as above method, we found that there are two different MAC addresses that are shared between IPV4 and IPV6 addresses. They are

MAC1=00:0c:29:16:ae:a4, sharing the IPV4 = 172.16.192.200 and IPV6 = fe80::6090:beb3:9385:1c79

MAC2= 38:2c:4a:6e:19:6b, sharing the addresses of IPV4 = 172.16.192.50 and IPV6 = fe80::bdb7:226e:14ef:5c24

Please refer sample figure(2d1), figure(2d2), figure(2d3) that shows the MAC address that has been shared between IPV4 and IPV6 addresses.

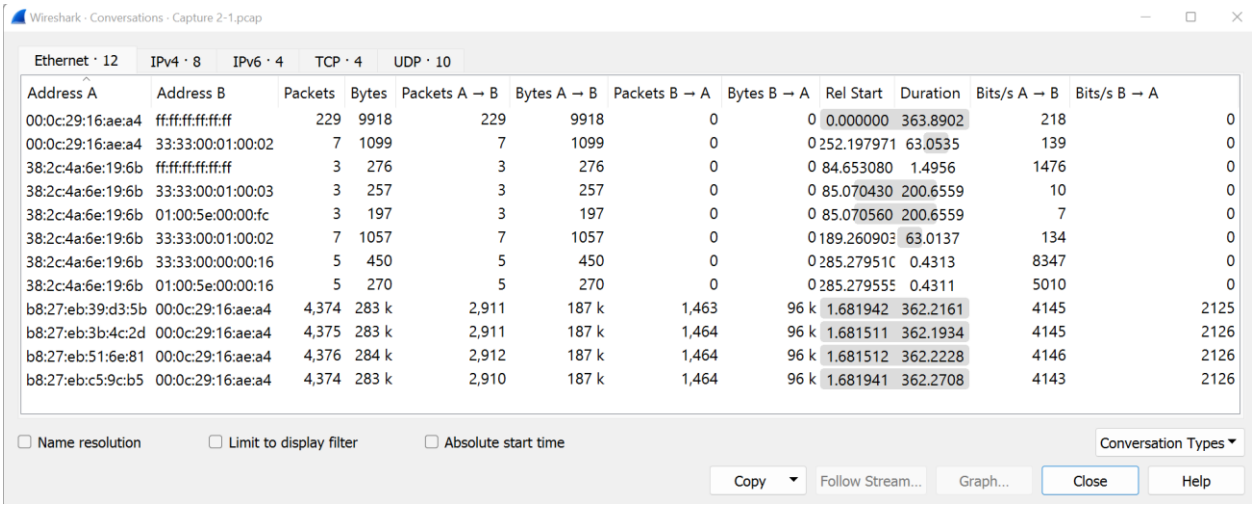


Figure 2(d1): MAC addresses fetched from conversations in Statistics of Capture file in Wireshark

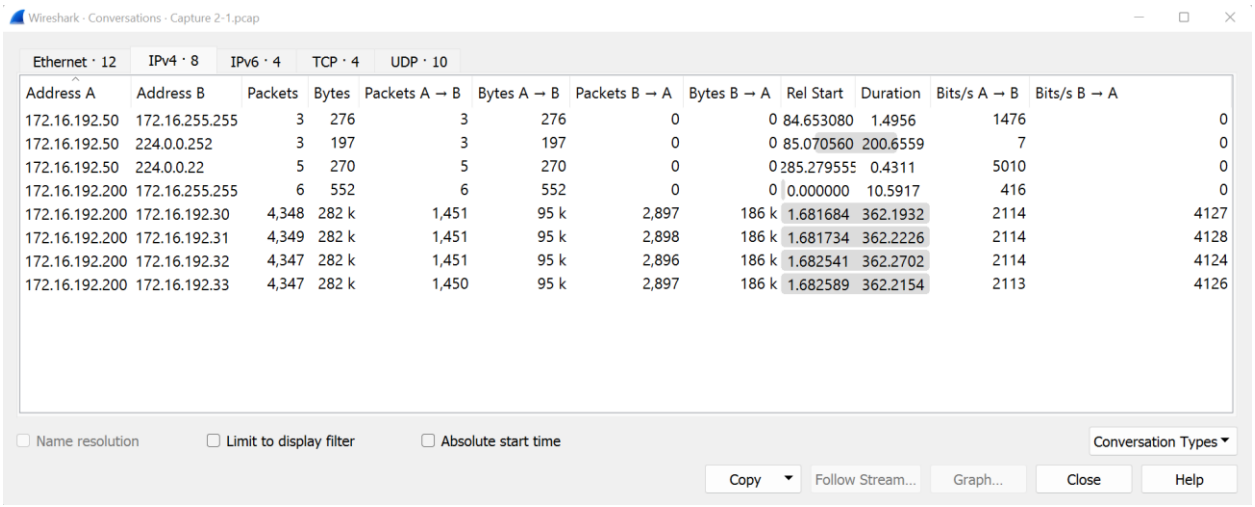


Figure 2(d2): Example IPV4 Address that have bidirectional communication with the MAC address

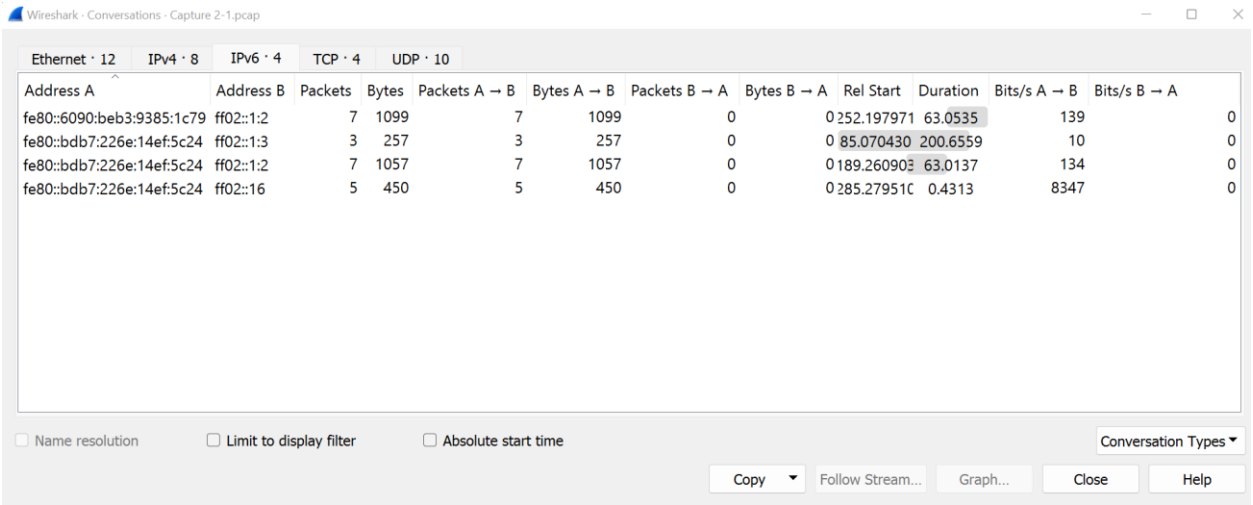


Figure 2(d3): Example IPV6 Address that have bidirectional communication with the MAC address

e) It seems that there is a Human-Machine Interface (HMI) server that interacts with multiple devices in the network through Modbus. What is the IP address of the server?

Answer: There is only one IP address that interacts with multiple devices in the network, which has either the inbound or outbound communication. The IP address is 172.16.192.200. Please refer the sample figures 2(e1), figures 2(e2), figures 2(e3), figures 2(e4).

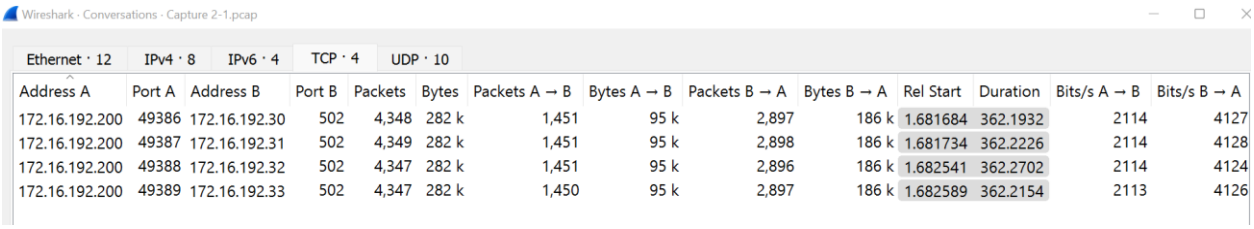
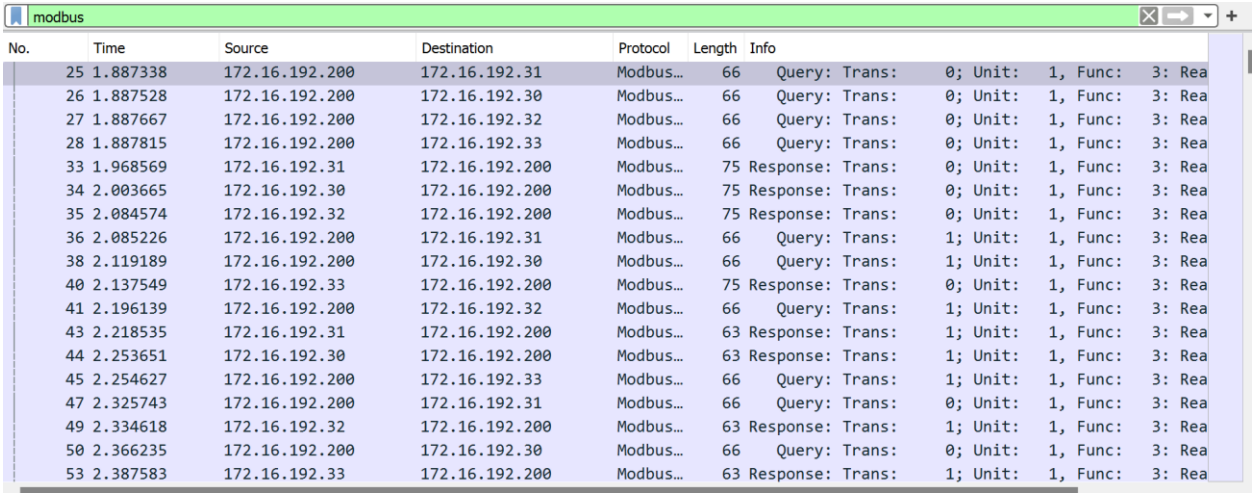


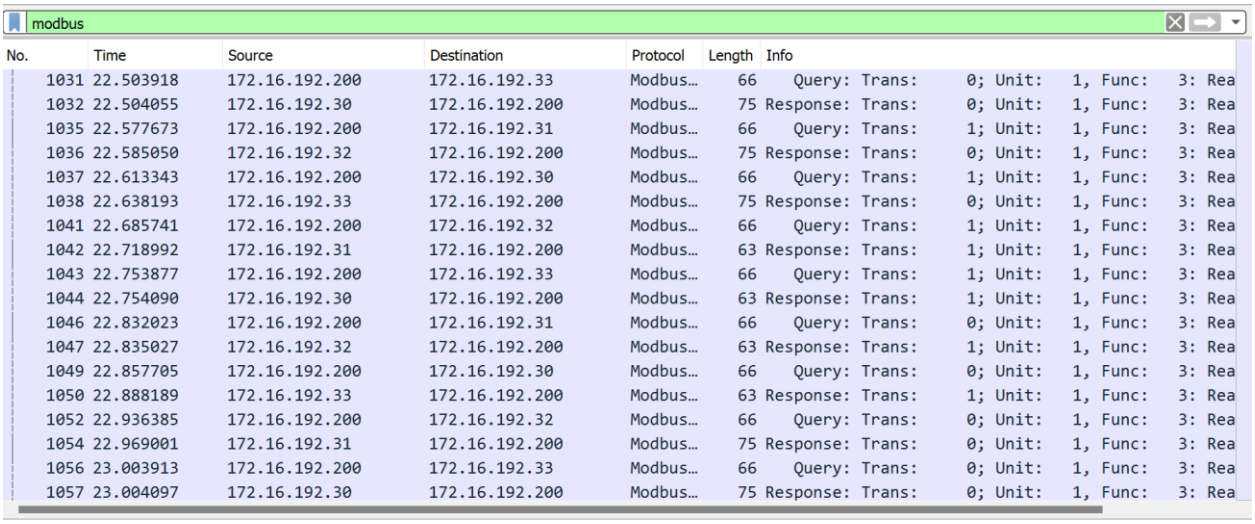
Figure 2(e1):IP address of Server



modbus

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
25	1.887338	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.31	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
26	1.887528	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.30	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
27	1.887667	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.32	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
28	1.887815	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.33	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
33	1.968569	172.16.192.31	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
34	2.003665	172.16.192.30	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
35	2.084574	172.16.192.32	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
36	2.085226	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.31	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
38	2.119189	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.30	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
40	2.137549	172.16.192.33	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
41	2.196139	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.32	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
43	2.218535	172.16.192.31	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
44	2.253651	172.16.192.30	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
45	2.254627	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.33	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
47	2.325743	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.31	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
49	2.334618	172.16.192.32	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
50	2.366235	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.30	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
53	2.387583	172.16.192.33	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea

Figure 2(e2): Modbus IP addresses of Server



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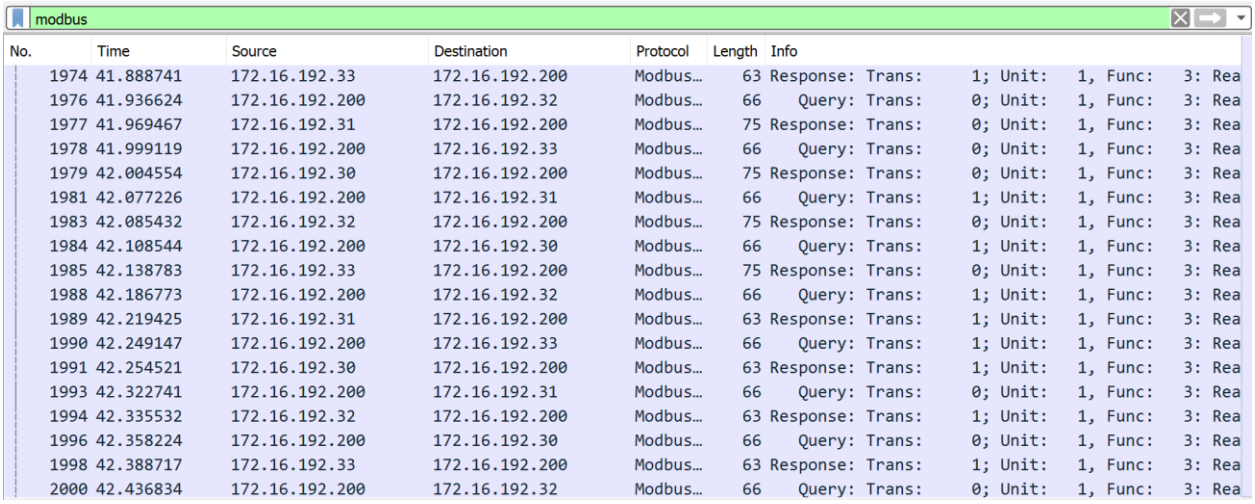
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
1031	22.503918	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.33	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1032	22.504055	172.16.192.30	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1035	22.577673	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.31	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1036	22.585050	172.16.192.32	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1037	22.613343	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.30	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1038	22.638193	172.16.192.33	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1041	22.685741	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.32	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1042	22.718992	172.16.192.31	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1043	22.753877	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.33	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1044	22.754090	172.16.192.30	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1046	22.832023	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.31	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1047	22.835027	172.16.192.32	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1049	22.857705	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.30	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1050	22.888189	172.16.192.33	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1052	22.936385	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.32	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1054	22.969001	172.16.192.31	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1056	23.003913	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.33	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1057	23.004097	172.16.192.30	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea

Figure 2(e3): Modbus IP addresses of Server



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No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
1974	41.888741	172.16.192.33	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1976	41.936624	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.32	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1977	41.969467	172.16.192.31	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1978	41.999119	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.33	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1979	42.004554	172.16.192.30	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1981	42.077226	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.31	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1983	42.085432	172.16.192.32	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1984	42.108544	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.30	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1985	42.138783	172.16.192.33	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	75	Response: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1988	42.186773	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.32	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1989	42.219425	172.16.192.31	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1990	42.249147	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.33	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1991	42.254521	172.16.192.30	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1993	42.322741	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.31	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1994	42.335532	172.16.192.32	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1996	42.358224	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.30	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
1998	42.388717	172.16.192.33	172.16.192.200	Modbus…	63	Response: Trans: 1; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea
2000	42.436834	172.16.192.200	172.16.192.32	Modbus…	66	Query: Trans: 0; Unit: 1, Func: 3: Rea

Figure 2(e4): Modbus IP addresses of Server

Task (2)

(1) Sign up for a free account at www.shodan.io. Note that the registration is free but access to some sensitive information needs payment. You do NOT need to pay the website.

(2) Login to Shodan. Click “explore” at the top. You will see several hot categories. See the attached screenshot.

(3) You can directly type “port:502” in the top explore window. You will then see many items shown on the screen. They are IoT devices that you can access all around the world. You can choose one country or one organization to explore.

(4) Now find one device/IP address returned by shodan that does not show “error” or illegal device type. You can see from the summary what type of device it is. Use google to find out the device type, its manual, and any vulnerabilities associated with the device. This is usually how attackers locate targets and vulnerabilities.

Turn-ins: For task 1, answer all questions and write a paragraph to describe how you figure out the shared MAC address that is associated with multiple IP addresses. Attach at least three screenshots to show how to finish the task. Do not share your screenshots with other students.

For task 2, show the screenshot of the IP address and device type that you find in shodan. Also write a half page report on any vulnerabilities that you can find

for this device/chip. If you cannot find any vulnerability report for the device, change to another one.

Tip: Wireshark can run on both Windows and Linux machines. I believe there are wiretap tools for Mac as well. In Windows, when you start Wireshark and if you see “no interface can be found”, close the application, right click “WireShark”, choose “Run as administrator” and you should be fine.

The following figure shows a screenshot from Shodan. At the IP address 149.28.9.121, you can find many open ports. The device type is Siemens SIMATIC S7-200. Through google, you can find that it is a Siemens Programmable Controller that uses Modbus protocol. You can then find any vulnerabilities associated with the device or protocol. Note that Shodan also shows the physical zone (Seattle area). We also provide a few screenshots for locating the devices in Shodan.

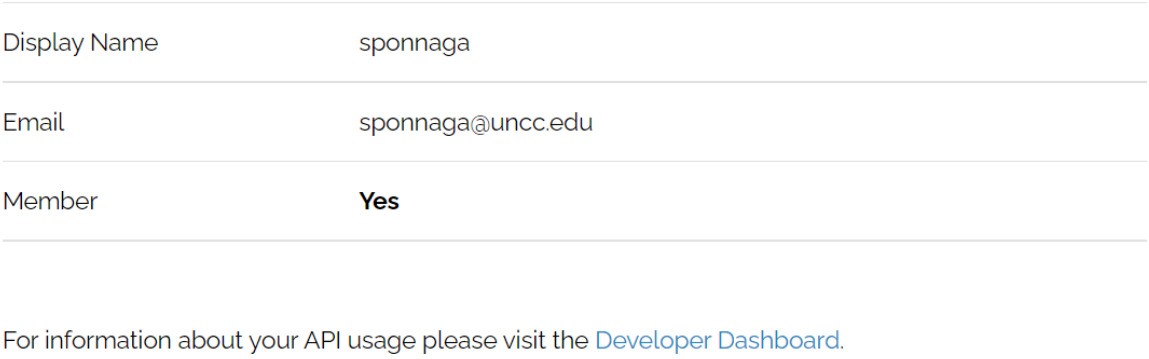

Figure 2.1 : Signed up to Shodan Account

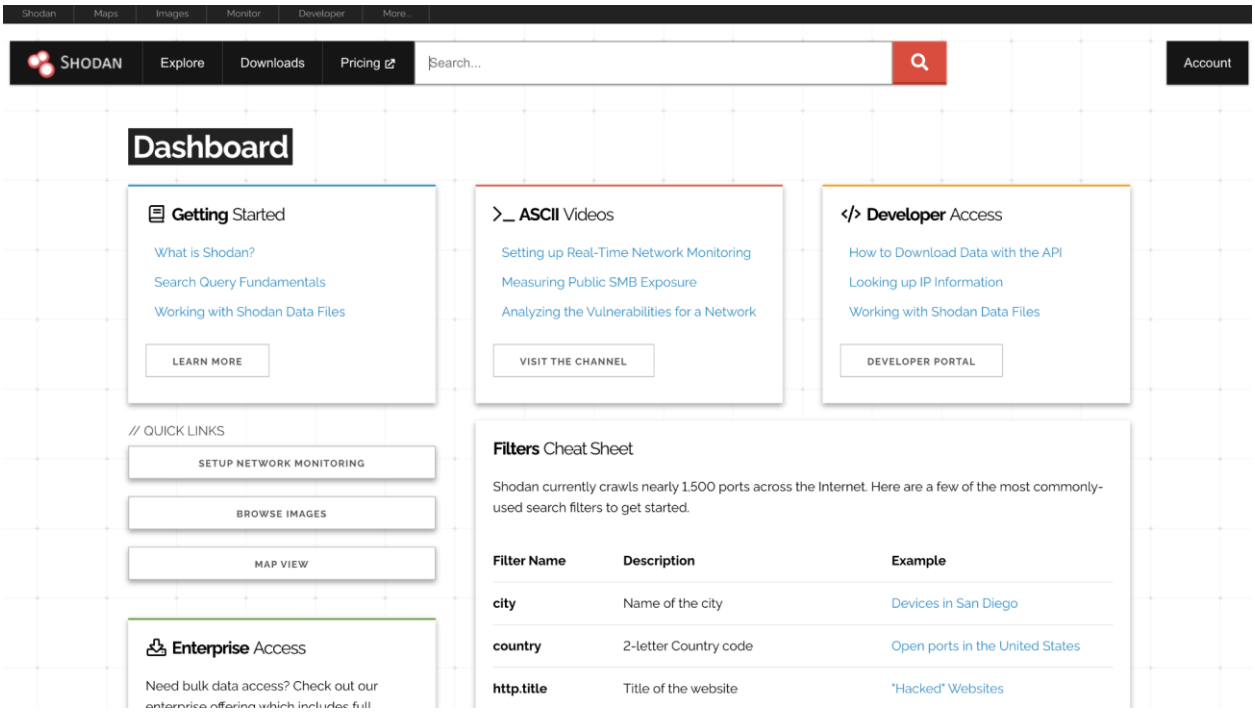

Figure 2.2:Logged in Shodan

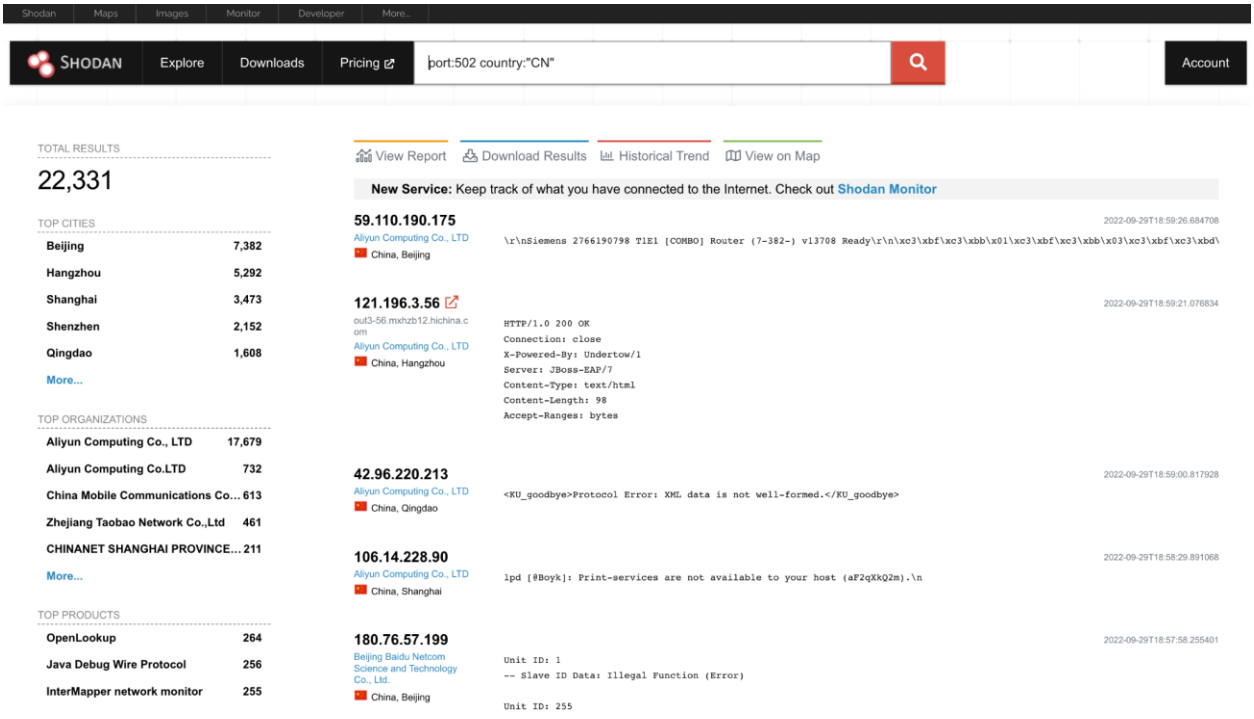

Figure 2.3 Search for Port 502

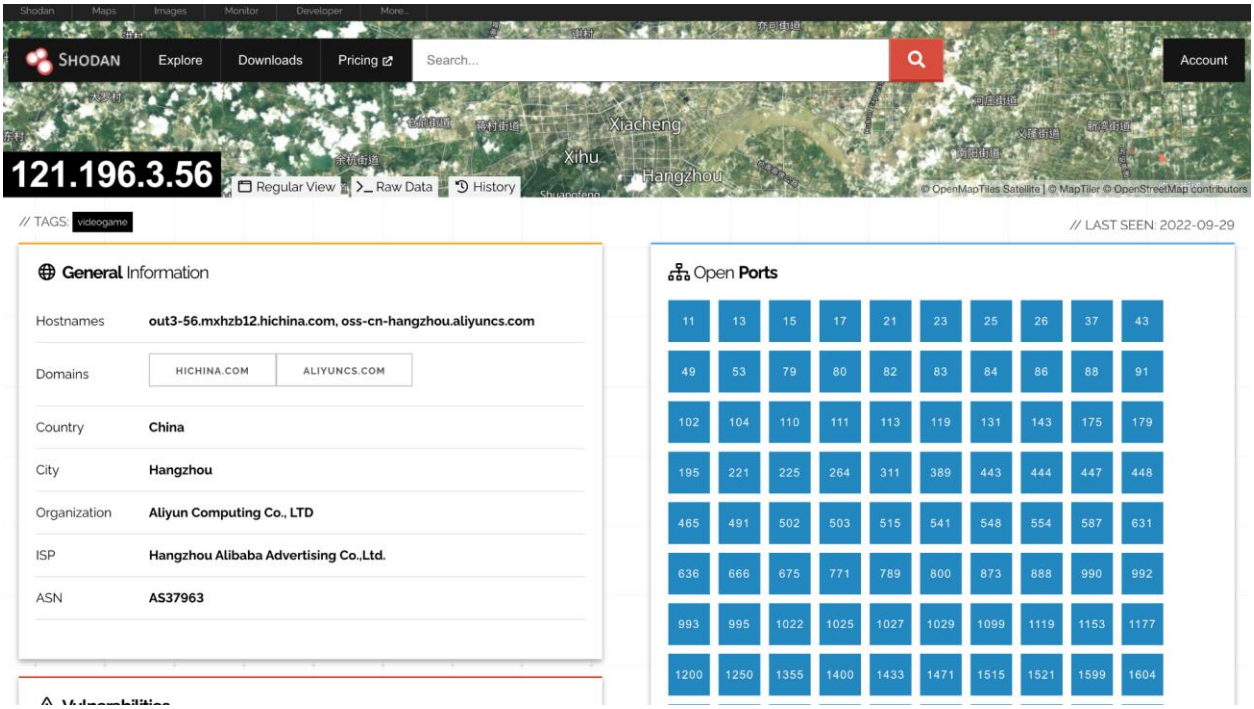

Figure 2.4 Locate a device of interest

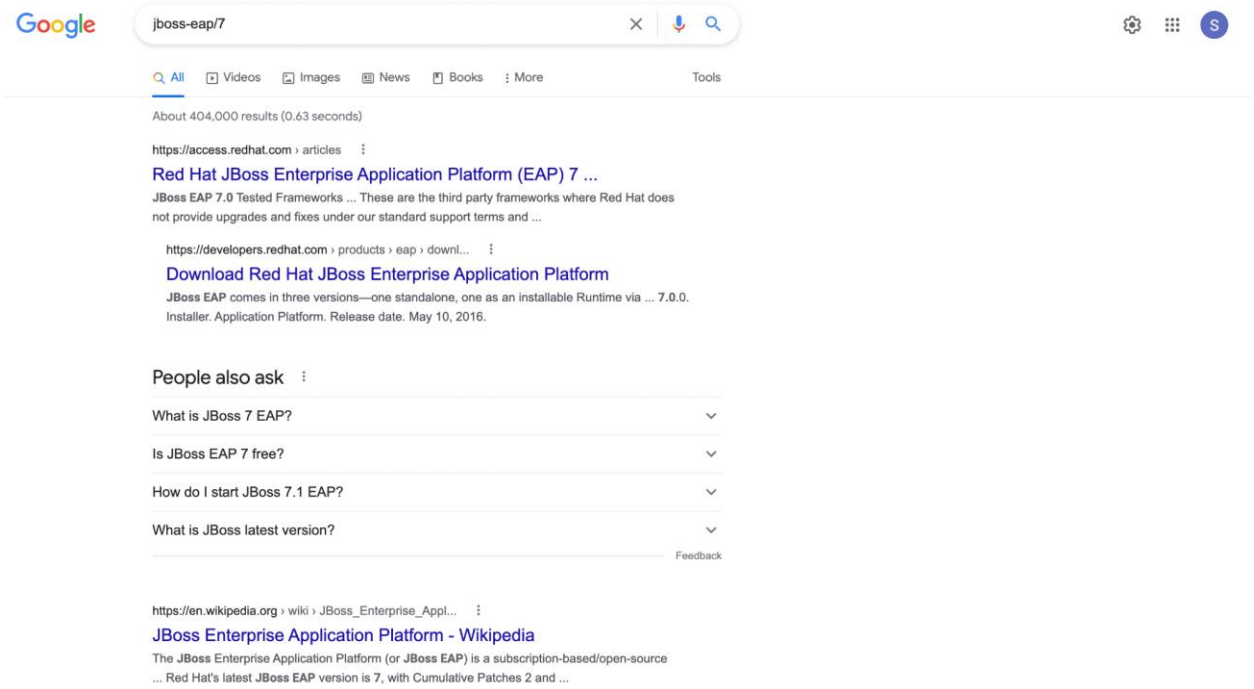

Figure 2.4(a): Searching the Device name in google to check vulnerabilities

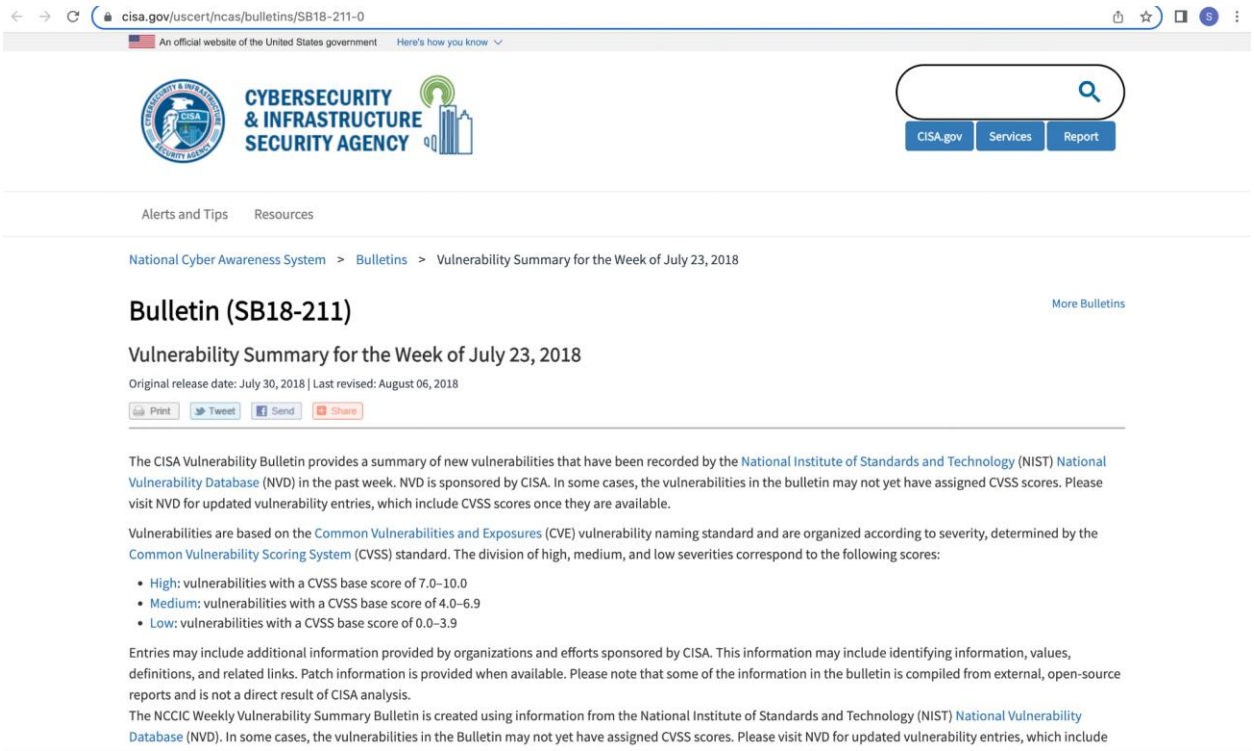

Figure 2.4(b):Search for specific devices and vulnerabilities in CISA

Figure 2.4(c): Checking all the vulnerabilities of the device jboss-eap

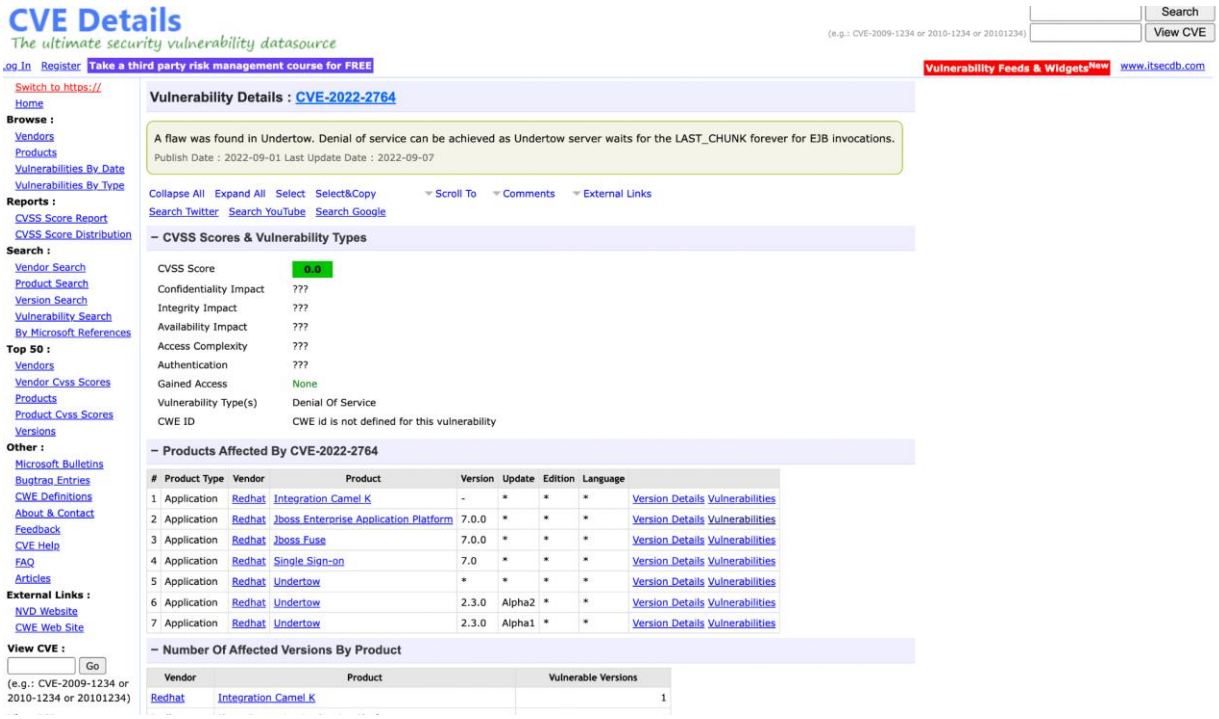

Figure 2.4(d): CVE details of vulnerability CVE-2022-2764

Vulnerabilities:

Name of Vulnerability: CVE – 2018- 15919 Detail

Severity: Base Score = 5.3 Medium

Description:

The Remote attackers may observe the targeted users behavior in OpenSSH versions 7.8 and previous to them with the help of the auth-gss2.c whenever the GSS2 is in ON state. Even Though the username enumeration happens, this will be considered as a zero-day exploit.

The SUSE SLES11 Security Update: openssh (SUSE-SU-2018:3540-1) plugin from the vulnerability scanner Nessus assists in locating the vulnerability in a target environment. It is operating in the local environment and belongs to the SuSE Local Security Checks family. This flaw can be tested with plugin 171714 for SUSE Enterprise Linux Security Update for openssh (SUSE-SU-2018:3781-1) by the for-profit vulnerability scanner Qualys.

For example, When the username is correct but the password is incorrect, there are different messages than when the username is valid but the password is incorrect. By experimenting with different values until the notification about the invalid

password is received, a potential attacker can exploit this difference to understand the current state of the login function and possibly find a valid username. In essence, this facilitates an attacker's acquisition of the other half of the required authentication credentials.

Although a user may find this kind of information beneficial, a potential attacker may also find it interesting. The message for both unsuccessful scenarios in the aforementioned example should be the same.

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