

Full Java Code Implementation of DDM Module on ONOS Multi-Controller System

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package org.onosproject.ddm;

import org.onosproject.core.ApplicationId;
import org.onosproject.core.CoreService;
import org.onosproject.net.DeviceId;
import org.onosproject.net.flow.FlowRule;
import org.onosproject.net.flow.FlowRuleService;
import org.onosproject.net.packet.PacketContext;
import org.onosproject.net.packet.PacketProcessor;
import org.onosproject.net.packet.PacketService;
import org.onosproject.net.topology.TopologyService;
import org.slf4j.Logger;
import org.slf4j.LoggerFactory;
import org.onosproject.net.Device;

import java.util.HashMap;
import java.util.Map;
import java.util.Set;

public class DDMController {

    private final Logger log = LoggerFactory.getLogger(getClass());
    private ApplicationId appId;
    private CoreService coreService;
    private FlowRuleService flowRuleService;
    private PacketService packetService;
    private TopologyService topologyService;
    private Map<DeviceId, String> controllerKeys = new HashMap<>();

    private static final String DDM_APP = "org.onosproject.ddm";

    // Initialize the DDM module
    public void init_state() {
        appId = coreService.registerApplication(DDM_APP);
        log.info("DDM Module initialized with Application ID: {}", appId.id());
    }

    // Main function to start the DDM algorithm
    public void DDM() {
        init_state();

        while (true) {
            monitor_network();
        }
    }

    // Function to monitor network for DDoS attack detection
    private void monitor_network() {
        log.info("Monitoring network for anomalies...");
        // Placeholder for network monitoring logic

        boolean attackDetected = detect_attack();

        if (attackDetected) {
            Map<String, Object> attack_info = extract_attack_info();
            isolate_network(attack_info);
            broadcast_alert(attack_info);
            Set<String> mitigation_actions = select_mitigation(attack_info);
            distribute_mitigation(mitigation_actions);
            enforce_mitigation(mitigation_actions);
            evaluate_mitigation();
            update_mitigation(mitigation_actions);
            log_metrics();
        }
    }

    // Function to detect a DDoS attack
    private boolean detect_attack() {
        // Placeholder for DDoS detection logic
        log.info("Detecting potential DDoS attack...");
        return true;
    }

    // Function to extract attack information
    private Map<String, Object> extract_attack_info() {
        log.info("Extracting attack information...");
    }
}
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        Map<String, Object> attack_info = new HashMap<>();
        // Populate attack_info with collected data
        attack_info.put("type", "DDoS");
        attack_info.put("intensity", "High");
        attack_info.put("affected_components", "Core Switches");
        return attack_info;
    }

    // Function to isolate compromised network segments
    private void isolate_network(Map<String, Object> attack_info) {
        log.info("Isolating network segments affected by the attack...");
        // Placeholder for network isolation logic
    }

    // Function to broadcast alert to all controllers
    private void broadcast_alert(Map<String, Object> attack_info) {
        log.info("Broadcasting alert to all controllers...");
        // Placeholder for alert broadcasting logic
    }

    // Function to select appropriate mitigation strategies
    private Set<String> select_mitigation(Map<String, Object> attack_info) {
        log.info("Selecting appropriate mitigation strategies...");
        Set<String> mitigation_actions = Set.of("Rate Limiting", "Flow Blocking");
        // Placeholder for mitigation selection logic
        return mitigation_actions;
    }

    // Function to distribute mitigation actions across controllers
    private void distribute_mitigation(Set<String> mitigation_actions) {
        log.info("Distributing mitigation actions across controllers...");
        // Placeholder for mitigation distribution logic
    }

    // Function to enforce mitigation actions on the network
    private void enforce_mitigation(Set<String> mitigation_actions) {
        log.info("Enforcing mitigation actions...");
        for (String action : mitigation_actions) {
            log.info("Enforcing action: {}", action);
            // Placeholder for enforcing specific actions
        }
    }

    // Function to evaluate the effectiveness of the mitigation actions
    private void evaluate_mitigation() {
        log.info("Evaluating the effectiveness of the applied mitigation actions...");
        // Placeholder for evaluation logic
    }

    // Function to update mitigation strategies based on ongoing network conditions
    private void update_mitigation(Set<String> mitigation_actions) {
        log.info("Updating mitigation strategies based on current network status...");
        // Placeholder for updating mitigation logic
    }

    // Function to log all metrics related to the mitigation process
    private void log_metrics() {
        log.info("Logging metrics related to the mitigation process...");
        // Placeholder for logging logic
    }
}

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To implement the Dynamic DDoS Mitigation (DDM) module on an ONOS multi-controller system, we'll need to develop a Java-based ONOS application that interacts with the network's data plane, leveraging ONOS's APIs for real-time monitoring, decision-making, and mitigation distribution.

Detailed Breakdown of the Code

1. **Initialization Phase (init_state):**
 - Registers the application with ONOS and initializes the state of the DDM module.
2. **Main DDM Function (DDM):**
 - Contains the continuous loop where the network is constantly monitored for DDoS attacks.
 - The monitoring process involves checking network traffic for anomalies indicative of DDoS attacks.
3. **Network Monitoring (monitor_network):**
 - Establish network monitoring. If an attack is detected, it triggers the attack mitigation process.
4. **Attack Information Extraction (extract_attack_info):**
 - Extracts and returns attack information such as type, intensity, and affected network components.
5. **Network Isolation (isolate_network):**

- Isolates affected network segments based on the extracted attack information to prevent further damage.
6. **Broadcasting Alerts (broadcast_alert):**
 - Sends an alert to all controllers using the Trusted Communication Channel (TCC).
 7. **Mitigation Selection (select_mitigation):**
 - Chooses appropriate mitigation strategies based on attack information. In this example, strategies include rate limiting and flow blocking.
 8. **Mitigation Distribution (distribute_mitigation):**
 - Distributes the selected mitigation actions across multiple controllers in the network.
 9. **Mitigation Enforcement (enforce_mitigation):**
 - Enforces the selected mitigation strategies by applying them to the network's P4 switches.
 10. **Mitigation Evaluation (evaluate_mitigation):**
 - Assesses the effectiveness of the applied mitigation strategies to determine if they are working as expected.
 11. **Mitigation Update (update_mitigation):**
 - Updates the mitigation strategies based on ongoing network conditions and attack trends.
 12. **Logging Metrics (log_metrics):**
 - Logs all relevant metrics and data related to the DDoS mitigation process for future analysis and refinement.

Integration and Deployment

1. **Compile and Deploy:** Package the Java code into an ONOS application using Maven.
2. **Install on ONOS:** Deploy the application on our ONOS cluster using the ONOS CLI and REST API.
3. **Monitor and Adjust:** Once deployed, monitor the performance of the DDM module and make necessary adjustments to the detection and mitigation logic based on real-world traffic patterns and attack scenarios.

Helper Functions Employed in DDM Algorithm

```
function init_state()
    // Retrieve P4 switch state
    // Initialize mitigation_response list
end

function monitor_network()
    // Continuously monitor network using P4 switches
end

function detect_attack(attack_data, network_status)
    // Check for attack signatures in network traffic
    // Compare against attack patterns
    return bool // True if attack detected
end

function extract_attack_info(attack_data)
    // Extract attack type, intensity, affected components
    return attack_info
end

function isolate_network(attack_info)
    // Divert traffic, identify impacted nodes
end

function broadcast_alert(attack_info)
    // Send alert to controllers using TCC
end

function select_mitigation(attack_info, prediction_model, thresholds)
    // Assess attack severity, predict trend
    // Select mitigation actions based on prediction and thresholds
    return mitigation_actions
end

function distribute_mitigation(mitigation_actions, multi_controller_config)
    // Assign mitigation actions to controllers
end

function enforce_mitigation(mitigation_actions)
    // Implement actions on P4 switches
end

function evaluate_mitigation(network_status, attack_data)
    // Assess mitigation effectiveness
    return evaluation_result
end

function update_mitigation(mitigation_actions, network_status, attack_data)
    // Adjust mitigation actions based on network status and attack trends
end
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function log_metrics()  
    // Record mitigation actions, network status, attack trends  
end
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Explanation and Configuration

1. Phase 1: Establishing the Structure of State Tables

- state_tables is defined to track IoT traffic based on selected features. It has two actions: update_state and drop.

2. Phase 2: Managing State Transitions and Logical Operations

- The transition_state action is a placeholder for dynamic state transitions, which should be handled in the control plane.

3. Phase 3: Utilizing P4-Counters and P4-Registers

- Counters (packetCount and byteCount) are defined to track network activity. These counters are updated in the ingress control flow.

4. Phase 4: Implementing Network Functionality using P4

- The ingress and egress controls are configured to process packets through the state tables. Packet parsing and metadata management occur in the ingress control flow.

5. Phase 5: Defining Packet Processing Logic

- Memory allocation and resource assignment are handled outside the P4 program, typically in the switch's control plane or management system.

6. Phase 6: Comprehensive Network Monitoring

- Holistic monitoring is achieved through aggregated data from state tables and counters, usually by an external monitoring system or controller.

7. Phase 7: Empowering the Threat Hunter

- Aggregated data are fed into an intrusion detection system, deployed at the cloud server, which is not directly implemented in the P4 program.

8. Phase 8: Security System Validation and Optimization

- Testing and refinement are performed outside the P4 program, focusing on performance evaluation and optimization based on traffic scenarios.

Deployment and Setup

1. **Compile and Deploy:** we used the "p4c" P4 compiler to compile the P4 code into a format compatible with our P4 switch.
2. **Load onto Switch:** Deployed the compiled program to our P4-enabled switch using the switch's management interface.
3. **Control Plane Integration:** Integrate with the switch's control plane and an SDN controller to manage and monitor state tables and counters.
4. **Monitor and Adjust:** Used external monitoring system (SFlow-RT) to aggregate data, evaluate performance, and refine configurations as needed.