

TCP/IP Packet Analysis using Wireshark

Using Wireshark

Start the wireshark by clicking on start | programs| wireshark | wireshark. You will be able to see the GUI of the wireshark as shown below:

Menu Bar

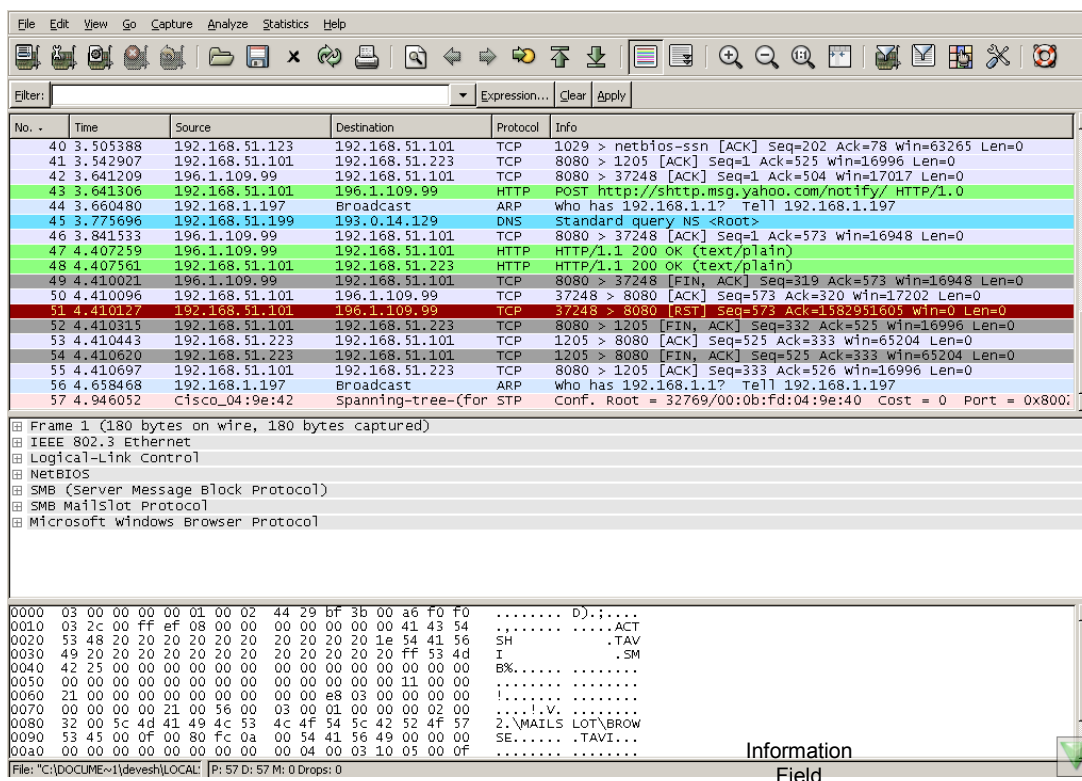
Tool Bar

Filter Bar

Summary Bar

Protocol Tree Bar

Data View Window



1) Capturing the packets

- To start capturing the packets, click on the Capture menu ->options or press CTRL+K.
- Select the Interface, enable Packet Capture in Promiscuous mode, enable Update the Packets in Real Time, and check the Automatic Scrolling in Live Capture
- Click the start button available in the Dialog Box.

2) Display Filter String- By using this, only packets matching the display filter string will be displayed in the Summary Window

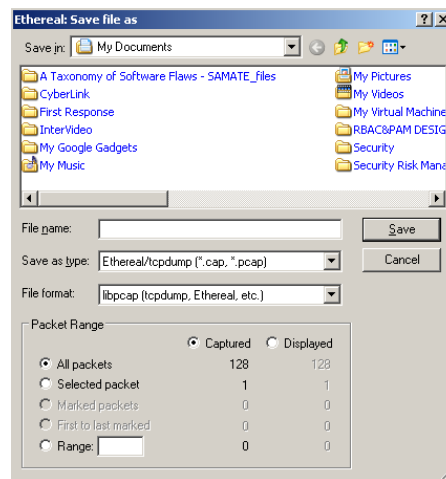
- By clicking the Filter button in the Filter Bar, will display the Display Filter dialog box, where a filter string (Conditions) can be provided.
- Conditional expressions can be provided directly by typing in the Text Box next to the Filter Button in the Filter Bar.

For Example: ip.addr==192.168.52.53 && Telnet

Click on the expression in the Filter Bar to add the conditions by using the Filter Expression Dialog Box, which displays list of protocol decoders and their headers.

3) Save the Captured Traffic – You can save the captured traffic which can also be used as Network-Based Evidence.

To save the Captured packet press Ctrl+S, and you will get the dialog-box as shown below. You can save the captured packets and/or the Displayed Packets. Press Save button. You can later open the same captured packets for analysis.



4) You can view the various statistics by using the statistics menu in the wireshark

5) Generate the traffic and fill the tables in following sections.

1) Ethernet Header Format

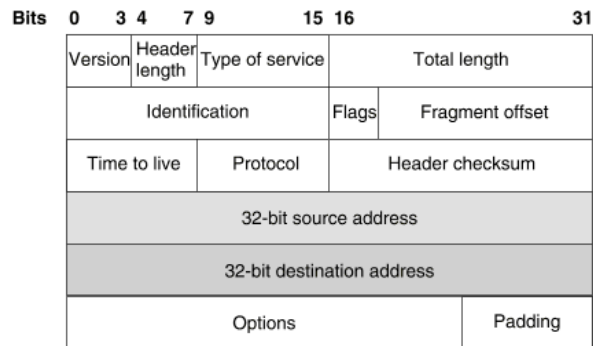
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|-------------------------|--------------------|------|
| Destination MAC Address | Source MAC Address | Type |
|-------------------------|--------------------|------|

| Worksheet: Ethernet Frame | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|--------------------------|
| 0000 | 00 | 80 | 48 | 24 | 34 | fc | 00 | 03 | ff | 30 | 64 | 47 | 08 | 00 | 45 00 ..H\$4... .0dG..E. |
| 0010 | 00 | 30 | 05 | 48 | 40 | 00 | 80 | 06 | 0d | 9d | c0 | a8 | 33 | 2d | c0 a8 ..0.H@...3-.. |
| 0020 | 33 | 65 | 04 | 07 | 1f | 90 | 94 | d4 | 71 | a9 | 00 | 00 | 00 | 00 | 70 02 3e..... q....p. |
| 0030 | 40 | 00 | 31 | 27 | 00 | 00 | 02 | 04 | 05 | b4 | 01 | 01 | 04 | 02 | @.1'.... |
| Fields | | | | | | | | Values Hex/Decimal Code | | | | | | | |
| Destination MAC Address | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Source MAC Address | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ethernet Type | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Exercise

- Check the Destination MAC Address when the frames are broadcasted _____.
- Check the ARP and IP Datagram's Ethernet Type
 - IP Datagram : _____
 - ARP request : _____
 - ARP reply : _____

2) IPv4 header format



Using Wireshark:

1. Generate the IP traffic by pinging some other machine
Type the following in your command shell. Ping 192.168.1.199.
(192.168.1.199 is taken as an example here)
2. To check the IP header in the Captured Packet click **Internet protocol** on the protocol tree window in Wireshark.

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⊞ Frame 1 (92 bytes on wire, 92 bytes captured)
⊞ Ethernet II, Src: CnetTech_74:8b:e8 (00:08:a1:74:8b:e8), Dst: Broadcast (ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff)
⊞ Internet Protocol, Src: 192.168.51.123 (192.168.51.123), Dst: 192.168.51.255 (192.168.51.255)
  Version: 4
  Header length: 20 bytes
  Differentiated Services Field: 0x00 (DSCP 0x00: Default; ECN: 0x00)
  Total Length: 78
  Identification: 0x16cc (5836)
  Flags: 0x00
  Fragment offset: 0
  Time to live: 128
  Protocol: UDP (0x11)
  Header checksum: 0x3b08 [correct]
  Source: 192.168.51.123 (192.168.51.123)
  Destination: 192.168.51.255 (192.168.51.255)
⊞ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: netbios-ns (137), Dst Port: netbios-ns (137)
⊞ NetBIOS Name Service
  
```

3. You can type **IP** in the Filter Bar and press apply to view only IP packets rather than ARP packets.

| Worksheet: IP Datagram | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|----|----|----|----|------------------|----|----|----|--|
| 0000 | 00 | 80 | 48 | 24 | 34 | fc | 00 | 03 | ff 30 64 47 08 00 45 00 ..H\$4... .0dG..E. |
| 0010 | 00 | 30 | 05 | 48 | 40 | 00 | 80 | 06 | 0d 9d c0 a8 33 2d c0 a8 .0.H@...3-.. |
| 0020 | 33 | 65 | 04 | 07 | 1f | 90 | 94 | d4 | 71 a9 00 00 00 00 70 02 3e..... q.....p. |
| 0030 | 40 | 00 | 31 | 27 | 00 | 00 | 02 | 04 | 05 b4 01 01 04 02 @.1'.... |
| Fields | | | | | Values | | | | |
| | | | | | Hex/Decimal Code | | | | |
| Version | | | | | | | | | |
| Internet Header Length | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Length | | | | | | | | | |
| Identification | | | | | | | | | |
| Flags | | | | | | | | | |
| Fragment Offset | | | | | | | | | |
| Time to Live | | | | | | | | | |

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|---------------------|--|
| Protocol | |
| Header Checksum | |
| Source Address | |
| Destination Address | |
| Padding | |

Exercise:

- Generate the fragmentation of the packet, by using `ping -l 4000 <Some ip_addr>`. Fragmentation occurs when an IP datagram traveling on a network with a Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU) that is smaller than the size of the datagram. For Ethernet MTU for an IP datagram is 1500 bytes.
 - Check the flags in IP header _____
 - Check the Fragment Offset value _____
- Check the Protocol numbers of
 - ICMP: _____
 - TCP: _____
 - UDP: _____
- Calculate the header size by multiplying it by 4. _____
- The value found in IP header is not represented in bytes. This value is represented as 32-bit words. So 5 32-bit words (or 4 Bytes) = _____ bytes.
- Calculate the data size: Total IP size – Header size. _____

3) TCP header format

| | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------|---|---|-------------------------|----|----------------|---------|----|
| Bits | 0 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 10 | 15 | 16 | 31 |
| Source port number | | | | Destination port number | | | | |
| Sequence number | | | | | | | | |
| Acknowledgment number | | | | | | | | |
| Data offset | Reserved | | | Flags | | Window | | |
| Checksum | | | | | | Urgent pointer | | |
| Options | | | | | | | Padding | |

Using Wireshark:

- Generate the IP traffic by accessing the Web Server by typing the URL in the browser
- To check the TCP header, type the tcp in the filter bar and click Transmission Control Protocol on protocol tree window in Wireshark.

| Worksheet: TCP Segments | |
|---|----------------------------|
| 0000 00 80 48 24 34 fc 00 03 ff 30 64 47 08 00 45 00 ..H\$4... .0dG..E. | |
| 0010 00 30 05 48 40 00 80 06 0d 9d c0 a8 33 2d c0 a8 .0.H@...3-.. | |
| 0020 33 65 04 07 1f 90 94 d4 71 a9 00 00 00 00 70 02 3e..... q.....p. | |
| 0030 40 00 31 27 00 00 02 04 05 b4 01 01 04 02 @.1'.... | |
| Fields | Values Hex/Decimal Code |

| | |
|--|--|
| Source Port | |
| Destination Port | |
| Sequence Number | |
| Acknowledgment Number | |
| Header Length | |
| Flags (Indicate which is set) | |
| <div style="background-color: #cccccc; padding: 5px; border: 1px solid #000;"> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; font-weight: bold;"> 21 8421 </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; font-family: monospace; font-size: 0.8em;"> +--+--+--++--+--+--++--+--+--++--+--+--+ </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; font-family: monospace; font-size: 0.8em;"> U A P R S F </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; font-family: monospace; font-size: 0.8em;"> +--+--+--++--+--+--++--+--+--++--+--+--+ </div> </div> | |
| Windows Size | |
| Checksum | |

Exercise:

1. Check the TCP 3 way handshake and draw the packets exchanged mentioning sequence no. and acknowledgement no.
2. Check for the FIN and ACK flag when the connection is closed and draw the packets exchanged. Check for both types of connection termination scenarios.

4) UDP header format

| | | | | |
|------|--------------------|----|-------------------------|----|
| Bits | 0 | 15 | 16 | 31 |
| | Source port number | | Destination port number | |
| | Length | | Checksum | |

Using Wireshark:

1. To check the TCP header, type the udp in the filter bar and click User Datagram Protocol on the protocol tree window in Wireshark.

| Worksheet: UDP Datagram | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 0000 | ff ff ff ff ff ff 00 00 | e8 00 18 99 08 00 45 00 |
| 0010 | 00 4e a6 e4 00 00 80 11 | aa b3 c0 a8 33 b7 c0 a8 |
| 0020 | 33 ff 00 89 00 89 00 3a | 00 13 82 d5 01 10 00 01 |
| 0030 | 00 00 00 00 00 00 20 45 | 4f 46 44 44 42 43 4f 46 |
| 0040 | 45 45 4a 46 44 43 4f 45 | 44 45 50 45 4e 43 41 43 |
| 0050 | 41 43 41 43 41 41 41 00 | 00 20 00 01 |
| Fields | Values Hex/Decimal Code | |
| Source Port | | |
| Destination Port | | |
| UDP Length | | |
| Checksum | | |

Exercise:

- List out the Application protocols using the UDP Protocol
 - _____
 - _____
 - _____

5) ICMP Header

| Worksheet: ICMP | | |
|-----------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 0000 | 00 13 20 3b 64 47 00 03 | ff 30 64 47 08 00 45 00 |
| 0010 | 00 3c 06 cf 00 00 80 01 | 4b ce c0 a8 33 2d c0 a8 |
| 0020 | 33 a6 08 00 46 5c 02 00 | 05 00 61 62 63 64 65 66 |
| 0030 | 67 68 69 6a 6b 6c 6d 6e | 6f 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 |
| 0040 | 77 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 | 68 69 |
| Fields | Values Hex/Decimal Code | |
| Type | | |
| Code | | |
| Identifier | | |
| Sequence | | |
| Data | | |

Generate the traffic by using ping command.

Exercise:

- Identify the sequence number _____ and Identifier _____ in ping request and response packets.
- Filter the ICMP packets and look at the Destination Unreachable message. List the following:
 - Type : _____
 - Code : _____

For Types and Codes, see the ICMP Codes table.

ICMP Codes

| type | code | Description | Query | Error |
|------|------|--|-------|-------|
| 0 | 0 | echo reply (Ping reply.) | * | |
| 3 | 0 | destination unreachable: | | * |
| | 1 | network unreachable | | * |
| | 2 | host unreachable | | * |
| | 3 | protocol unreachable | | * |
| | 4 | port unreachable | | * |
| | 5 | fragmentation needed but don't fragment bit set | | * |
| | 6 | source route failed | | * |
| | 7 | destination network unknown | | * |
| | 8 | destination host unknown | | * |
| | 9 | source host isolated (obsolete) | | * |
| | 10 | destination network administratively prohibited | | * |
| | 11 | destination host administratively prohibited | | * |
| | 12 | network unreachable for TOS | | * |
| | 13 | host unreachable for TOS | | * |
| | 14 | communication administratively prohibited by filtering | | * |
| | 15 | precedence violation | | * |
| 4 | 0 | source quench (elementary flow control.) | | * |
| 5 | 0 | redirect: | | * |
| | 1 | redirect for network | | * |
| | 2 | redirect for host | | * |
| | 3 | redirect for type-of-service and network | | * |
| 8 | 0 | echo request (Ping request) | * | |
| 9 | 0 | router advertisement | * | |
| 10 | 0 | router solicitation | * | |
| 11 | 0 | time exceeded: | | * |
| | 1 | time-to-live equals 0 during transit (Traceroute,) | | * |
| 12 | 0 | parameter problem: | | * |
| | 1 | IP header bad (catchall error) | | * |
| 13 | 0 | timestamp request | * | |
| 14 | 0 | timestamp reply | * | |
| 15 | 0 | information request | * | |
| 16 | 0 | information reply (obsolete) | * | |
| 17 | 0 | address mask request | * | |
| 18 | 0 | address mask reply | * | |

6) ARP Packets

Worksheet: ARP Packets

```

0000  ff ff ff ff ff ff 00 50  ba a8 b8 62 08 06 00 01  .....P ...b....
0010  08 00 06 04 00 01 00 50  ba a8 b8 62 c0 a8 33 76  .....P ...b..3v
0020  00 00 00 00 00 00 c0 a8  33 64 20 20 20 20 20 20  ..... 3d
0030  20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20  20 20 20 20

```

| Fields | Values Hex/Decimal Code |
|---------------|----------------------------|
| Hardware Type | |
| Protocol Type | |
| Hardware Size | |
| Protocol Size | |
| Opcode | |

| | |
|-------------------------|--|
| Sender MAC Address | |
| Sender IP Address | |
| Destination MAC Address | |
| Destination IP Address | |

Exercise:

Check the Info Columns of the Summary Window in Wireshark.

Eg. Who has 192.168.51.166? Tell 192.168.51.169
!92.168.51.166 is at 00:50:8d:2d:ac:6c

1. Check the Destination address when the ARP Request is sent. _____
2. To view the ARP Cache of your system, open the command prompt and type arp -a. List the content of ARP cache:
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____

Mixed Assignments:

```
0000  00 03 ff 87 91 ff 00 03  ff 7d 42 72 08 06 00 01
0010  08 00 06 04 00 02 00 03  ff 7d 42 72 c0 a8 34 32
0020  00 03 ff 87 91 ff c0 a8  34 2e 00 00 00 00 00 00
0030  00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00  00 00 00 00
```

Identify the following field in the above shown packet

1. Ethernet Type_____

Within IP Datagram list

2. Source Address_____
3. Destination Address_____

```
00 03 ff 87 91 ff 00 03  ff 7d 42 72 08 00 45 00
05 dc 05 5e 20 00 80 01  26 12 c0 a8 34 32 c0 a8
34 2e 00 00 eb fb 02 00  0d 00 61 62 63 64 65 66
```

Identify the following field in the above shown packet

1. Ethernet Type_____

Within IP Datagram

2. Source Address_____
3. Destination Address_____
4. Protocol_____
5. Status of More Fragment Flag_____

```
00 03 ff 7d 42 72 00 03  ff 87 91 ff 08 00 45 00
00 3c 00 cd 00 00 80 01  50 43 c0 a8 34 2e c0 a8
34 32 08 00 35 5c 02 00  16 00 61 62 63 64 65 66
```

Identify the following field in the above shown packet

1. It's an ICMP packet. Identify whether it's a ping Request or Reply packet. _____