

# CN Homework -2

Setu Gupta (2018190)

1.

- a. 192.168.0.180 (Private IP). I confirm it from my router's configuration page.

```
^ > ~ ifconfig
enp8s0: flags=4099<UP,BROADCAST,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
    ether ec:b1:d7:de:c5:17 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
    RX packets 0 bytes 0 (0.0 B)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 0 bytes 0 (0.0 B)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
    hwaddr 00:0c:29:10:00:00
lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING> mtu 65536
    inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0
    inet6 ::1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0x10<host>
    loop txqueuelen 1000 (Local Loopback)
    RX packets 12 bytes 856 (856.0 B)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 12 bytes 856 (856.0 B)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
wlp9s0f0: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST> mtu 1500
    inet 192.168.0.180 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 192.168.0.255
    inet6 fe80::4ad7:769c:e432:f62a prefixlen 64 scopeid 0x20<link>
    ether 74:29:af:5d:8d:4d txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
    RX packets 12121 bytes 12042323 (11.4 MiB)
    RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
    TX packets 8991 bytes 1514630 (1.4 MiB)
    TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
```



- b. 139.5.254.235 (Public IP at the time of measurement. My ISP shuffles through a list of public IPs. Both IPs are different as ifconfig gives private IP whereas whatismyip gives public IP.

What's my IP

139.5.254.235

Your public IP address

2.

- a. Avg = 3.688ms to 8.8.8.8 (Google's DNS)

```
^ > ~ ping -c 10 8.8.8.8
PING 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=118 time=4.01 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=118 time=3.44 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=3 ttl=118 time=5.28 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=4 ttl=118 time=3.57 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=118 time=4.12 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=6 ttl=118 time=3.39 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=7 ttl=118 time=2.72 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=8 ttl=118 time=3.87 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=9 ttl=118 time=3.52 ms
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=10 ttl=118 time=2.96 ms

--- 8.8.8.8 ping statistics ---
10 packets transmitted, 10 received, 0% packet loss, time 9014ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 2.721/3.688/5.279/0.671 ms
```

- b. I found out the IP address using nmap.

```

^ > ~/De/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 nmap 192.168.0.1/24
Starting Nmap 7.80 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2020-09-20 19:58 IST
Nmap scan report for dlinkrouter (192.168.0.1)
Host is up (0.0043s latency).
Not shown: 993 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE
1/tcp     filtered tcpmux
53/tcp    open  domain
80/tcp    open  http
443/tcp   open  https
2601/tcp  open  zebra
2602/tcp  open  ripd
8888/tcp  open  sun-answerbook

Nmap scan report for 192.168.0.11
Host is up (0.0044s latency).
Not shown: 996 closed ports
PORT      STATE SERVICE
22/tcp    open  ssh
80/tcp    open  http
1900/tcp  open  upnp
49152/tcp open  unknown

```

I have used a custom script to calculate the statistics. This script can be found under helper\_scripts

IP -> 192.168.0.11

Median: 1.47ms

90th percentile: 3.72ms

99th percentile: 87.4ms

```

^ > ~/Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 ping -c 100 192.168.0.11 | python3 percentile.py
Got 100 samples
50th percentile: 1.47
90th percentile: 3.72
99th percentile: 87.4
Average: 2.7480600000000006
0% packet loss

```

c. Median: 4.16ms

90th percentile: 6.09ms

99th percentile: 12.1ms

```

^ > ~/De/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 ping -c 100 www.amazon.com | python3 percentile.py
Got 100 samples
50th percentile: 4.16
90th percentile: 6.09
99th percentile: 12.1
Average: 4.539199999999999
0% packet loss

```

d. Packet loss for 192.168.0.11 -> 0%

Average latency for 192.168.0.11 -> 2.74806ms

Packet loss for www.amazon.com -> 0%

Average latency for [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com) -> 4.5392ms

Both have the same (0%) packet loss.

[www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com) has higher average latency. This is because we have to travel a longer distance to reach amazon's server that 192.168.0.11

3.

- a. Source: <https://access.redhat.com/solutions/2440411>

Command: `ping -c 1 -s 1972 www.google.com`

Explanation: ping with 1 packet (-c 1) of size 1972 bytes (-s 1972) to [www.google.com](http://www.google.com). We send 1972 bytes as there is an overhead of 28 bytes (8 bytes for ICMP and 20 bytes for ethernet) making the total 2000 bytes.

Failure is indicated by packet loss.

The reason the test failed is because the connection from my laptop to [www.google.com](http://www.google.com) didn't support MTU of 2000. The reason might be that some of the routers may not be able to support higher bandwidths required for larger MTUs.

```
^ > ~/Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 ping -c 1 -s 1972 www.google.com
PING www.google.com (216.58.196.196) 1972(2000) bytes of data.

--- www.google.com ping statistics ---
1 packets transmitted, 0 received, 100% packet loss, time 0ms
```

- b. Command: `netstat -atp`

Explanation: -p to show process info (pid, etc.), -t to only show TCP sockets and -a to show all (listening and non listening).

```

^ > ~/De/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 sudo netstat -natp
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address           Foreign Address         State       PID/Program name
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:44862    172.217.167.238:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:43218    104.244.42.133:443     ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:55604    216.58.196.196:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:47288    139.5.243.41:80       TIME_WAIT   -
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:60810    192.0.73.2:443        ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:41580    34.194.146.104:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:60764    45.55.41.223:80       CLOSE_WAIT  51420/plugin_host
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:39094    216.58.221.42:443     ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:55572    74.125.24.189:443     ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:44278    172.217.166.202:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:44204    198.252.206.25:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:36916    117.18.237.29:80      TIME_WAIT   -
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:58106    172.217.24.227:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:35850    172.217.167.195:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.180:58944    52.40.47.101:443      ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:59434    216.58.221.40:443     ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:39446    216.58.196.97:443     ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:59362    151.101.65.69:443     ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:58898    13.225.25.76:443      ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:43970    198.252.206.25:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:52840    141.101.120.55:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:50448    141.101.120.54:443    TIME_WAIT   -
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:54682    172.217.160.238:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:47998    172.217.161.14:443     ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:50712    172.217.167.46:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox
tcp        0      0 192.168.0.156:44872    172.217.167.238:443    ESTABLISHED 861/firefox

```

4.

- a. I used ns type query to find the authoritative name servers. Then I used one of these nameservers for the DNS query. However, for some reason, I still got a non-authoritative answer. This is probably because the authoritative server itself fulfilled the query from its own cache.

Source: <https://serverfault.com/questions/647974/how-to-get-authoritative-answers-from-nslookup>



```

^ > ~/Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 nslookup -type=ns google.com/
Server: Context=192.168.0.1 for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/48x48/ui/"
Address: Context=192.168.0.1#53 for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/64x64/legacy/"
Invalid Context= "UI" line for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/64x64/ui/"
Non-authoritative answer: line for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/96x96/legacy/"
google.com text=nameserver = ns2.google.com. "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/96x96/ui/"
google.com text=nameserver = ns4.google.com. "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/256x256/legacy/"
google.com text=nameserver = ns3.google.com. "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/512x512/legacy/"
google.com text=nameserver = ns1.google.com. "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/scalable/legacy/"
Invalid Context= "UI" line for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/scalable/ui/"
Authoritative answers can be found from:
ns4.google.com internet address = 216.239.38.10 q2b_pt2.png
ns3.google.com internet address = 216.239.36.10
ns2.google.com internet address = 216.239.34.10
ns1.google.com internet address = 216.239.32.10
ns4.google.com has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:38::a
ns3.google.com has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:36::a
ns2.google.com has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:34::a
ns1.google.com has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:32::a

^ > ~/Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 nslookup google.com ns4.google.com
Server: ns4.google.com
Address: 216.239.38.10#53

Non-authoritative answer:
Name: google.com
Address: 172.217.166.14

```

- b. Source: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SOA\\_record](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SOA_record)  
TTL = 60s = 1 minute  
SOA query has a field for TTL (a.k.a minimum)

```

A > ~/Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 nslookup -type=soa google.com
Server: Context=192.168.0.1 for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/48x48/ui/"
Address: Context=192.168.0.1#53 for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/64x64/legacy/"
Invalid Context="UI" Line for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/64x64/ui/"
Non-authoritative answer: Line for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/96x96/legacy/"
google.com text= "UI" line for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/96x96/ui/"
Invalid origin = ns1.google.com for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/256x256/legat
Invalid mail addr = dns-admin.google.com theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/512x512/legat
Invalid serial = 332629538 line for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/scalable/lega
Invalid refresh = 900 line for icon theme: "/usr/share/icons/Adwaita/scalable/ui/"
A > retry = 900
q1a.png expire = 1800 q1b.png q2a.png q2b.png q2b_pt2.png
A > minimum = 60

Authoritative answers can be found from:
google.com nameserver = ns2.google.com.
google.com nameserver = ns1.google.com.
google.com nameserver = ns3.google.com.
google.com nameserver = ns4.google.com.
ns4.google.com internet address = 216.239.38.10
ns3.google.com internet address = 216.239.36.10
ns2.google.com internet address = 216.239.34.10
ns1.google.com internet address = 216.239.32.10
ns4.google.com has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:38::a
ns3.google.com has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:36::a
ns2.google.com has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:34::a
ns1.google.com has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:32::a

```

5. `traceroute google.com -q 5 -z 12345 -f 5 -m 7`
  - a. `-z` is used to set minimum probe interval
  - b. `-q` is used to specify number of probing packets
  - c. `-f` is used to specify minimum TTL i.e. minimum hop and `-m` is used to specify maximum TTL i.e. maximum hop.

```

A > ~/Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 traceroute google.com -q 5 -z 12345 -f 5 -m 7
traceroute to google.com (172.217.167.238), 7 hops max, 60 byte packets
 5  209.85.172.217 (209.85.172.217)  6.702 ms  7.337 ms  11.456 ms  5.574 ms  5.182 ms
 6  74.125.244.193 (74.125.244.193)  3.316 ms  74.125.243.97 (74.125.243.97)  3.572 ms  3.370 ms  5.219 ms  6.175 ms
 7  172.253.67.91 (172.253.67.91)  24.451 ms  172.253.67.89 (172.253.67.89)  9.301 ms  41.618 ms  172.253.67.91 (172.253.67.91)  3.864 ms  172.253.67.89 (172.253.67.89)  3.339 ms

```

6. I took the `lo` interface down using `ifconfig`. As a result all the packets sent to `127.0.0.1` were lost.

```

^ > ~ /Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 ping -c 3 127.0.0.1
PING 127.0.0.1 (127.0.0.1) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 127.0.0.1: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.026 ms
64 bytes from 127.0.0.1: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.033 ms
64 bytes from 127.0.0.1: icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=0.057 ms
--- 127.0.0.1 ping statistics ---
3 packets transmitted, 3 received, 0% packet loss, time 2017ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.026/0.038/0.057/0.013 ms
^ > ~ /Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 sudo ifconfig lo down
^ > ~ /Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 ping -c 3 127.0.0.1
PING 127.0.0.1 (127.0.0.1) 56(84) bytes of data.
3 packets transmitted, 0 received, 100% packet loss, time 2036ms
^ > ~ /Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1

```

7. I used the -x option in dig to perform reverse DNS search. Other options used are +noall which removes all the output and +answer which adds back only the answer portion.

Source: <https://linuxcommando.blogspot.com/2008/07/how-to-do-reverse-dns-lookup.html>

```

^ > ~ /Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 dig +noall +answer google.com
google.com. 60 IN A 172.217.167.238
^ > ~ /Desktop/CN/hw2/helper_scripts > master ?1 dig +noall +answer -x 172.217.167.238
238.167.217.172.in-addr.arpa. 7079 IN PTR del11s04-in-f14.1e100.net.

```