

# IP Spoofing

integrity  
availability



- Routers do not validate the source
  - Receiver cannot tell that the source has been spoofed
- ➡ An attacker can generate raw IP packets with custom IP source fields
- e.g. DOS (blackhole) and MITM attacks

# ICMP ping of death (before 1997)

availability



Any host receiving a 64K ICMP payload would crash or reboot

- ➡ 64K bytes payload were assumed to be invalid by programmers
- ➡ An attacker could split a 64K payload, transmit it and would be reassembled by the receiver overflowing a buffer