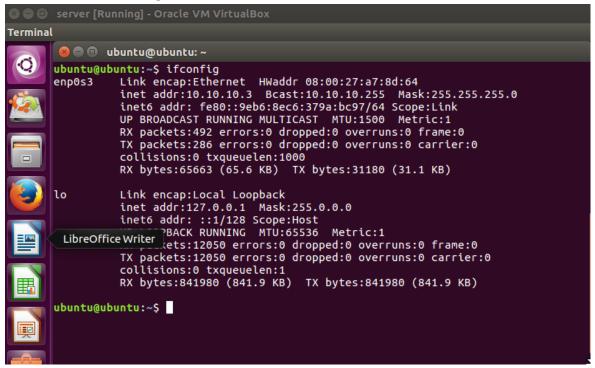
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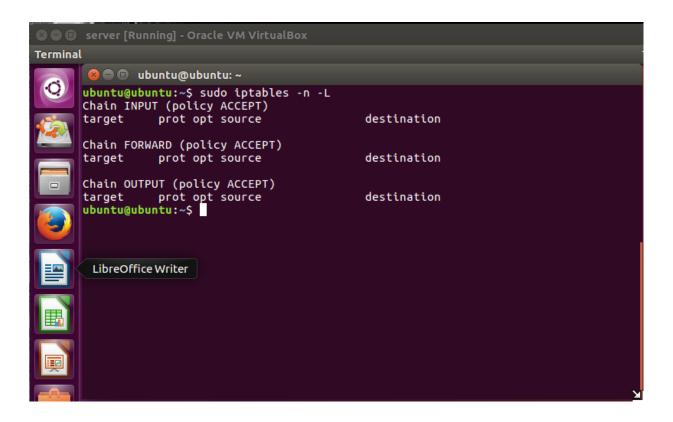
Configuration:-

IP Address configuration of Client

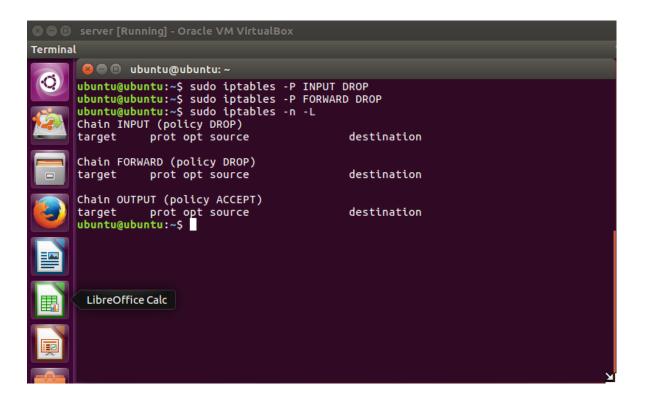
IP Address configuration of server



Default IP Tables of Server



1. Rules to deny all incoming traffic to the server



In this, we want restrict all the traffic coming from outside. This can be easily achieved by adding a simple rule to the INPUT chain in iptable. We will formulate this rule as follows:

There are three main chains which have their own default policy.

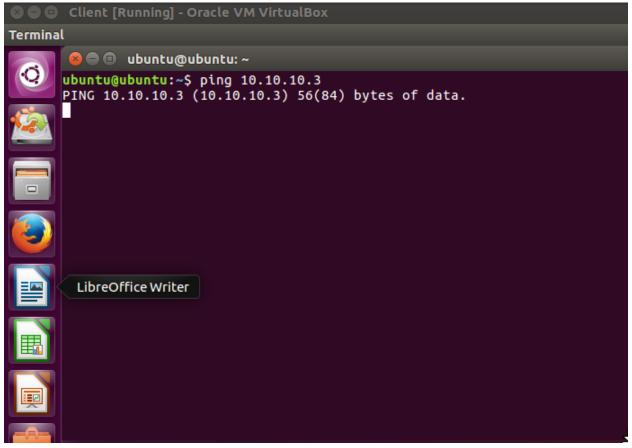
Here we can see that every chain is having default policy as ACCEPT. Now to deny incoming traffic to the server we can change the INPUT chain policy of iptables as follows:

Sudo iptables -P INPUT DROP

Now after doing this we should not be able to get any incoming traffic, as FORWARD chain operates way above INPUT chain we still are capable of packet forwarding but we will not be getting any packets into our system. As shown in following screen capture we have changed the INPUT chain policy. Now if we try to ping the server machine from client machine or try to SSH the system we will not be getting any response.

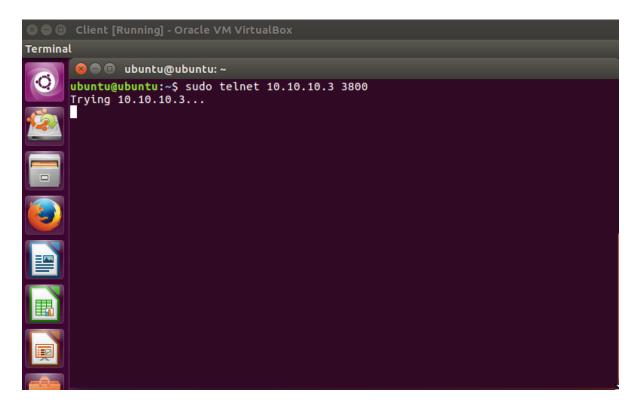
Verification of Incoming Traffic Denial

a) Ping Unsuccessful from Client



b) Telnet Unsuccessful from client

Server Listening for connections on port 3800

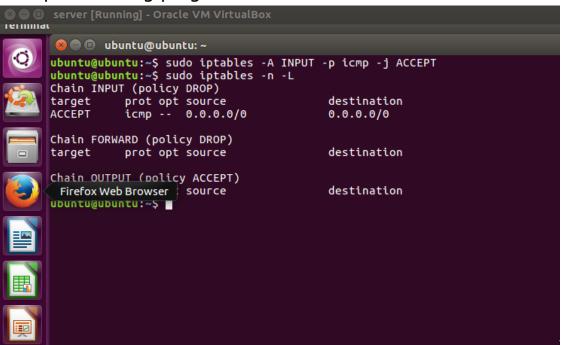


2. Create rules to accept only incoming ping and port 23 traffic to the server.

Now here we want to create a rule by which we will be able to accept all the ping request coming from outside. Along with this we want to accept all the packet which are coming by making use of port number 23. The packets which are coming by other sources, we will drop them.

Ping is computer network administration software utility which is used to check reachability of a host. Ping operates with the help of ICMP (Internet Control Message Protocol), in which it sends echo-request to the host and waits for an echo-reply.

Accept Incoming ping



Verification from client if ping is working

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Terminal

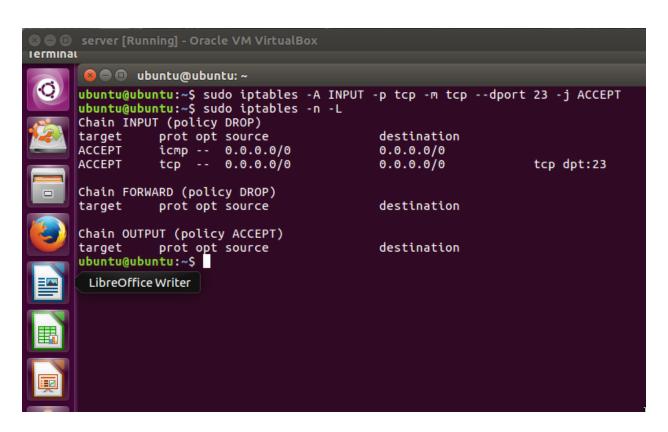
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Accept port 23 traffic



Verification if port 23 Traffic enabled

a)Listening on port 23 (server)

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server [Running] - Oracle VM VirtualBox
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ubuntu@ubuntu: ~

ubuntu@ubuntu: ~$ sudo nc -l 23
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b) Telnet to port 23 from client

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Client [Running] - Oracle VM VirtualBox

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3. Create rules to accept web connections on port 80

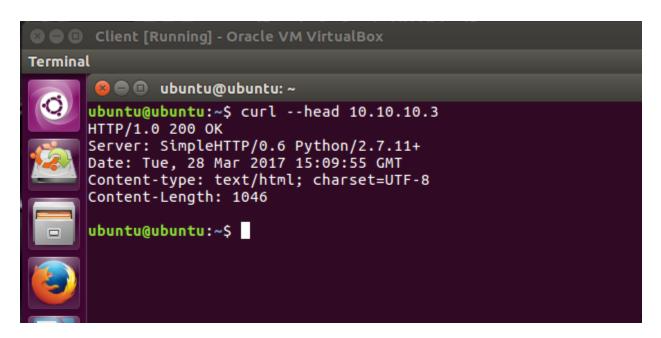
Command To Enable port 80, and the resultant IP Table

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Terminal
       😰 🖃 🗊 ubuntu@ubuntu: ~
       ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 80 -j ACCEPT
       ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -n -L
       Chain INPUT (policy DROP)
                 prot opt source
                                                destination
       target
                icmp -- 0.0.0.0/0
tcp -- 0.0.0.0/0
       ACCEPT
                                                0.0.0.0/0
       ACCEPT
                                                0.0.0.0/0
                                                                     tcp dpt:23
       ACCEPT
                 tcp -- 0.0.0.0/0
                                                0.0.0.0/0
                                                                     tcp dpt:80
       Chain FORWARD (policy DROP)
                 prot opt source
                                                destination
       target
       Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
                                                destination
       target prot opt source
       ubuntu@ubuntu:~$
```

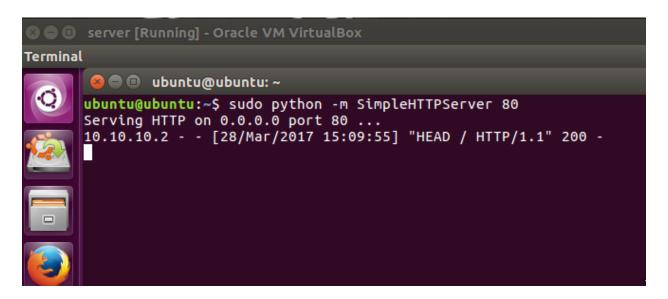
Verification if port 80 is enabled

a)Creating a simple http server at server's machine (Listening on port 80)

b) Pinging on http server (port 80) from client's machine



c) Request received on Server's machine (Ping successful)



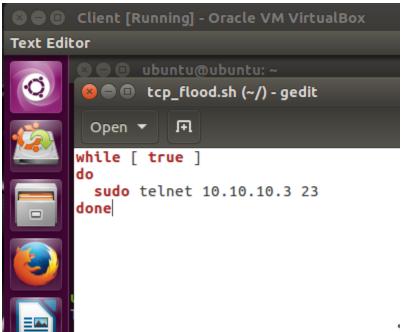
4. Write rules to avoid DOS attacks like TCP-SYN, PING-OF-DEATH, INVITE-OF-DEATH. Also explain the attacks briefly with ports involved and how to block them.

TCP-SYN

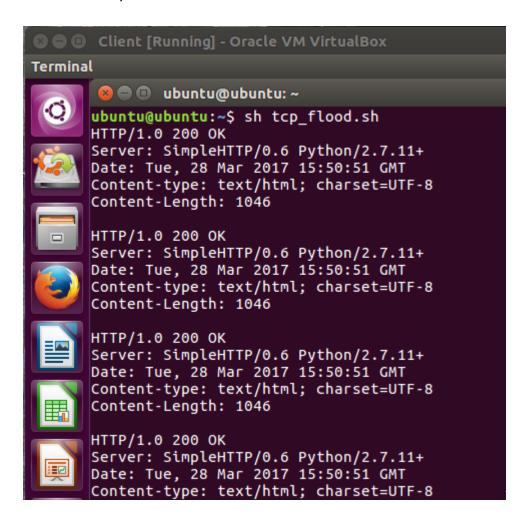
SYN flood is a type of DOS (Denial Of Service) attack. SYN flooding is mainly based on the mechanism of TCP handshake

The attacker tries to create lots of SYN request packets in which source IP is changed. Because of this receiver is bound to think that these requests are coming from different sources. Now the response to SYN request packet is SYN/ACK packet after which receiver machine allocate some of its resources to complete this three way handshake. Now receiver is waiting for final ACK response from the sender machines, but never gets back ACK reply. The target machine's resources are exhausted and it stops serving any further requests from any legitimate machine. This attack and some other form of DOS/DDOS attacks can be blocked by limiting the incoming TCP connection request packets. A point to be noted here is that, we should not put a limit to requests from established connections. For avoiding this type of attack, only new connection requests need to be controlled.

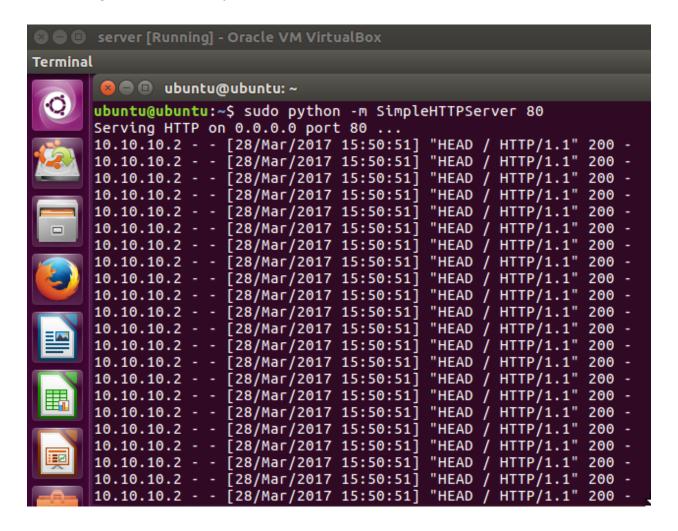
a) TCP Flood Program



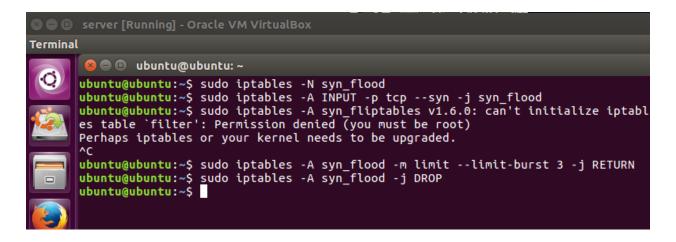
b) Flood Request from Client



c) Serving TCP Flood Request at Server



d) Avoiding TCP Flood at server



PING OF DEATH

Here attacker can cause a remote system to crash by sending a single malformed IP packet. Most of the operating system are patched against this kind of attacks, basically all the operating system which are released after 1997.

In this, attacker is going to create a ICMP echo request which is commonly known as **PING** packet. Now generally this type of packets are used to check if the remote system is running or not. In practice, size of such echo request packet is very small but in theory it can be very big. Now according to the standard documentation IP packet can have length upto 65536 bytes. Here is the trick, what attacker is going to do is formulate an IP packet i.e., our echo request which is having more than 65536 bytes limit. Absolutely this violates the general rules so are the attacker is going to achieve this. Now the attacker is going to exploit the concept of fragmentation. We are talking on the level of physical abilities, every physical connection has its limit that is called as MTU. When we send a packet that is actually bigger than the MTU then it is bound to be fragmented. Receiver needs to join all this fragments together to form a IP packet so every fragment consist of offset and actual data. When attacker sends a packet that is bigger than the actual limits of IP then at the time of reassembly at receiver side, various internal data structure are bound to get overflow. This may result into system crash.

Obviously the solution for this type of attack is very simple. We just need to put a check on the simple parameters like

offset + actual data <= 65536

For each fragment that we are going to receive. When the above property is violated we can simply drop that packet.

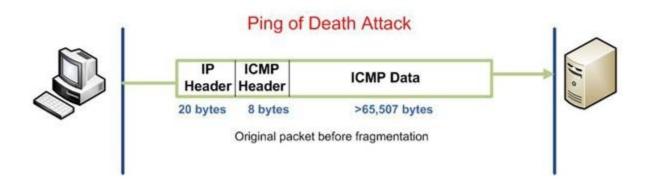
Now normally we need **ping** requests to work properly , and for generalization purpose we can say that for ping of death attack to work they require their other fragments to work. So we are trying to formulate our iptable rule as follows:

Sudo iptables -A INPUT -p icmp -f -j -DROP

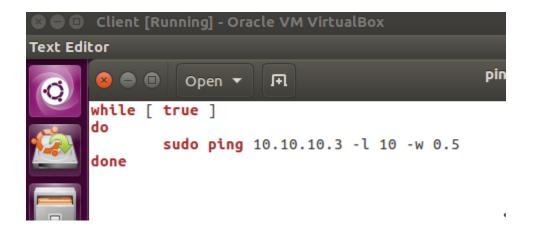
The -f option guarantees that this rule will be applied for icmp packets which are consist of more than one fragments. Therefore

attacker will not be able to create IP packets which are bigger than max specified length of the IP packet.

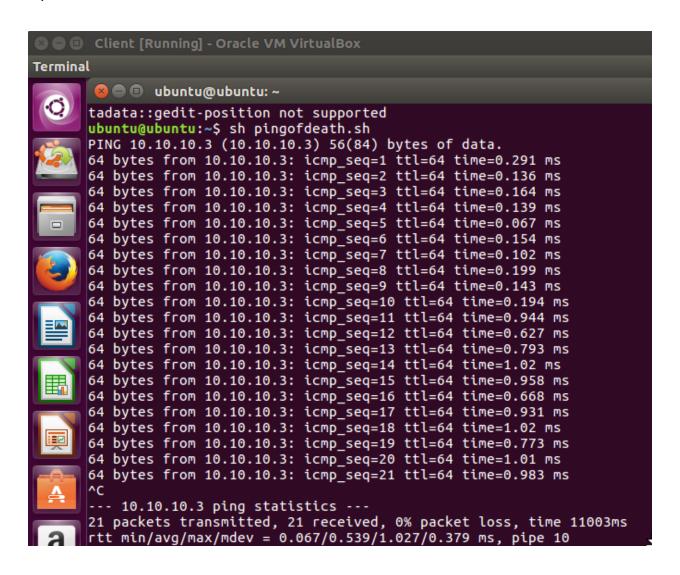
There is a specific ICMP echo variation that could cause a system crash. The difference of the echo request from the normal ones is the large size of IP packet it contains. RFC 791 specifies that the maximum size of an IP packet is 65,535 bytes. An ICMP echo request with more than 65,507 (65,535-20-8) bytes of data could cause a remote system to crash while reassembling the packet fragments.



a) Ping of Death script



b) Demonstration



c)Limiting POD at server

```
Terminal
        🔞 🖃 📵 ubuntu@ubuntu: ~
       ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A INPUT -p icmp -m limit --limit 1/second --limi
       t-burst 1 -j ACCEPT
       ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -n -L
       Chain INPUT (policy DROP)
       target
                  prot opt source
                                                   destination
                  tcp -- 0.0.0.0/0
tcp -- 0.0.0.0/0
icmp -- 0.0.0.0/0
                                                   0.0.0.0/0
       ACCEPT
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                                                                         tcp dpt:80
                                                   0.0.0.0/0
       ACCEPT
       ACCEPT
                                                   0.0.0.0/0
                                                                         limit: avg 1/sec b
       urst 1
       Chain FORWARD (policy DROP)
                                                   destination
                  prot opt source
       Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
                prot opt source
                                                   destination
       target
       ubuntu@ubuntu:~$
```

d) Checking correctness of command

```
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sh pingofdeath.sh
PING 10.10.10.3 (10.10.10.3) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.623 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=11 ttl=64 time=0.824 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=12 ttl=64 time=0.816 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=13 ttl=64 time=0.448 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=15 ttl=64 time=0.794 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=16 ttl=64 time=0.852 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=17 ttl=64 time=0.601 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=17 ttl=64 time=0.500 ms
64 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=19 ttl=64 time=0.500 ms
65 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=19 ttl=64 time=0.500 ms
66 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=19 ttl=64 time=0.500 ms
67 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=19 ttl=64 time=0.500 ms
68 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=17 ttl=64 time=0.601 ms
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60 bytes from 10.10.10.3: icmp_seq=10 ttl=64 time=0.601 ms
60 bytes
```

We see that, after setting up ip-tables to drop flooded ping requests, there is a **drop of 57% packets** which was sent from client to server. Therefore our ip table configuration works.

INVITE-OF-DEATH

An INVITE of Death is a type of attack on a_VOIP-system that involves sending a malformed or otherwise malicious_SIP INVITE request to a_ telephony server, resulting in a crash of that server. Because telephony is usually a critical application, this damage causes significant disruption to the users and poses tremendous acceptance problems with VoIP. These kinds of attacks do not necessarily affect only SIP-based systems; all implementations with vulnerabilities in the VoIP area are affected. The_DoS attack can also be transported in other messages than INVITE.

Demonstration

a) Attack using rtpflood:-

RTPFlood is a command line tool used to flood any device that is processing RTP. Rtp flood is used to flood a target IP phone with a UDP packet contains a RTP data In order to launch a successful attack using rtp flood you will need know the RTP listening port on the remote device you want to attack, for example; x-lite sofphone default rtp port is 8000.

```
ravi@ravi-Dell-System-XPS-L502X:~/Desktop/sn/rtpflood$ sudo ./rtpflood 10.1.35.1 45 localhost 46750 5060 1000000 150000 2000 12345678

Will flood port 5060 from port 46750 10000000 times
Using sequence_number 1500000 timestamp 2000 SSID 12345678

We have IP_HDRINCL

Number of Packets sent:

Sent 154859 160 4859
```

b) Attack using inviteflood:-

InviteFlood a tool to perform SIP/SDP INVITE message flooding over UDP/IP

Defence

(Assumption: Port 5060/5080 are used for VOIP applications such as Linphone)

```
wbuntu@ubuntu:~

ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -N dos-filter-sip-external
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 5060 \ -j dos-filter-sip-ext
ernal
Install Ubuntu 16.04 LTS
Iry iptables -n or 'iptables --help' for more information.
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 5060 -j dos-filter-sip-exter
nal
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A INPUT -p tcp -m tcp --dport 5060 -j dos-filter-sip-exter
nal
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A INPUT -p udp -m udp --dport 5080 -j dos-filter-sip-exter
nal
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A dos-filter-sip-external -m hashlimit --hashlimit 5/sec -
-hashlimit-burst 30 --hashlimit-htable-size 24593 --hashlimit-htable-expire 90000 -j RETUR
N
iptables v1.6.0: hashlimit: option "--hashlimit-name" must be specified

Iry `iptables -h' or 'iptables --help' for more information.
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A dos-filter-sip-external -m hashlimit --hashlimit 5/sec -
-hashlimit-burst 30 --hashlimit-mode srcip --hashlimit-name SIPMSG --hashlimit-htable-size
24593 --hashlimit-htable-expire 90000 -j RETURN
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$ sudo iptables -A dos-filter-sip-external -j REJECT --reject-with icmp-adm
in-prohibited
ubuntu@ubuntu:~$
```

Resultant IP table

