Lab WiFi Report

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ABSTRACT

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3.1 Equipment and Configuration

In this section, we describe the hardware and software configuration used to perform our network performance measurements. Table 1 summarizes the main devices, their interfaces, and relevant specifications.

Table 1: Summary of Hardware and Network Configuration

Device	Key Specifications
PC1	Victus 16-s1005nl Notebook Operating System: Ubuntu 24.04.2 LTS Ethernet Interface: Realtek RTL8111/8168/8211/8411 Wireless Interface: Realtek RTL8852BE (802.11ax)
PC2	Microsoft Surface Laptop Go 3 Operating System: Ubuntu 24.10 Ethernet Interface: via Anker PowerExpand+ USB-C Hub Wireless Interface: Intel Alder Lake-P CNVi (802.11ax)
Router	Vodafone Power Station Wi-Fi 6 Ethernet Ports: 4 × 1 GbE ports Wi-Fi: Dual-band 802.11ax (2.4 GHz / 5 GHz)
Cables	CAT.5E (up to 1 Gbps)

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This hardware setup allows us to compare Ethernet versus Wi-Fi performance under a consistent router and cabling environment. In the next section, we detail the evaluation scenarios and the measurement methodology.

3.2 Evaluation Scenarios

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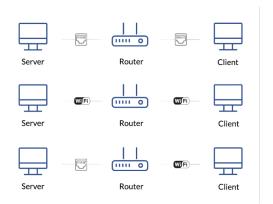


Figure 1: Test cases setup for the experiments.

4 ANALYSIS AND FINDINGS

4.1 TCP Performance

4.2 UDP Performance

5 CONCLUSION

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A APPENDIX

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