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### 1. TRACEROUTE

- TRACEROUTE tracks and prints the route that the packets take from the source to the specified destination host
- The way traceroute traces the path is by incrementing the value of TTL starting from 1 and obtaining the ICMP TIME\_EXCEEDED messages when each TTL expires
- Traceroute uses UDP



# TRACEROUTE Contd...

```
ubuntu@ip-172-31-42-105:~$ traceroute 8.8.8.8 traceroute to 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8), 30 hops max, 60 byte packets

1 ec2-52-66-0-203.ap-south-1.compute.amazonaws.com (52.66.0.203) 9.427 ms ec2-52-66-0-24.ap-south-1.compute.amazonaws.com (52.66.0.24) 4.986 ms ec2-52-66-0-34.ap-south-1.compute.amazonaws.com (52.66.0.24) 4.986 ms ec2-52-66-0-34.ap-south-1.compute.amazonaws.com (52.66.0.34) 6.090 ms

2 100.65.21.16 (100.65.21.16) 8.142 ms 100.65.20.112 (100.65.20.112) 1.225 ms *

3 100.66.10.128 (100.66.10.128) 3.860 ms 100.66.10.0 (100.66.10.0) 1.508 ms *

4 100.66.7.225 (100.66.7.225) 0.754 ms 100.66.11.128 (100.66.11.128) 2.735 ms 100.66.11.226 (100.66.11.226) 8.169 m

5 100.66.6.161 (100.66.6.161) 2.925 ms 100.66.7.69 (100.66.7.69) 4.280 ms 100.66.7.97 (100.66.7.97) 4.609 ms

6 100.65.9.65 (100.65.9.65) 0.522 ms 100.66.4.191 (100.66.4.191) 4.383 ms 100.65.11.225 (100.65.11.225) 0.397 ms

7 100.65.11.161 (100.65.11.161) 1.741 ms 99.83.76.41 (99.83.76.41) 1.201 ms 52.95.67.177 (52.95.66.117) 2.221 ms

8 52.95.67.181 (52.95.67.181) 1.289 ms 99.83.76.19 (99.83.76.14) 1.771 ms 52.95.66.82 (52.95.66.82) 9.142 ms

9 52.95.66.148 (52.95.66.148) 1.365 ms 52.95.66.203 (52.95.66.203) 3.260 ms 99.83.76.10 (99.83.76.10) 1.372 ms

10 52.95.66.161 (52.95.66.161) 2.445 ms 52.95.66.115 (52.95.66.115) 3.979 ms 52.95.66.117 (52.95.66.117) 2.965 ms

11 99.82.180.91 (99.82.180.91) 3.196 ms 99.82.178.53 (99.82.178.53) 1.311 ms 99.82.180.91 (99.82.180.91) 2.460 ms

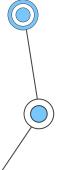
12 * * *

13 dns.google (8.8.8.8) 1.294 ms 1.322 ms 1.312 ms
```

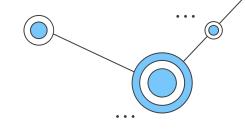
- Syntax = traceroute <Dest\_IP>
- The first field represents the hop count. For every hop (every TTL) 3 probes are sent by traceroute in order to determine the average round trip time

# **TRACEROUTE Contd...**

- Therefore, there will be 3 time entries displayed for every hop in the output along with the IP addresses in that hop. The IP addresses can be different if ECMP strategy is in use
- For the final TTL value, another ICMP message Destination Unreachable will be sent back to the source because traceroute makes use of unused ports for tracing



# **TRACEROUTE Contd...**

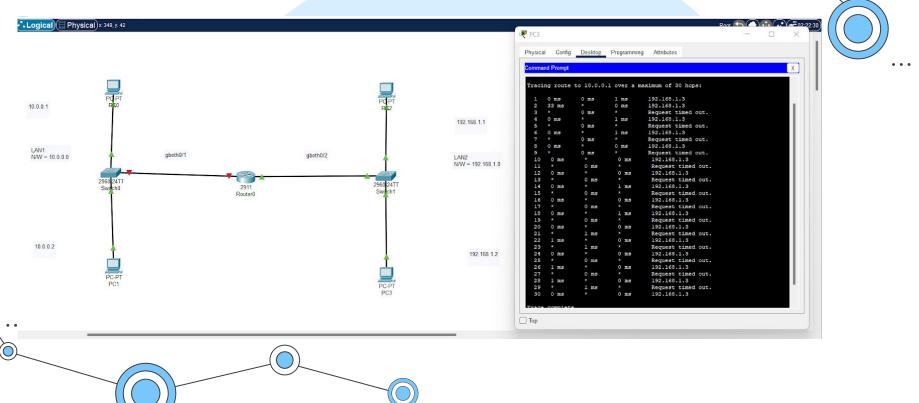


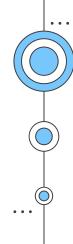
- TRACERT is traceroute's Windows OS counterpart
- By default both traceroute and tracert try for a maximum of 30 hops
- Example: From the below figure, we can infer that the packets are unable to go beyond the gateway router because the interface has been shutdown



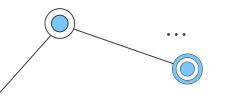
Source: 192.168.1.2

Destination: 10.0.0.1





How would someone new to networking believe me if I say that traceroute really sends two types of ICMP messages?



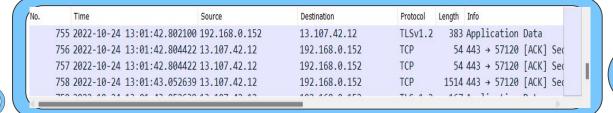
# 2. WIRESHARK



- Wireshark is an open-source, cross-platform packet analyser used primarily for network troubleshooting
- It was previously known as Ethereal
- It puts the network interface controllers to promiscuous mode in order to capture all network traffic
- It requires pcap to run

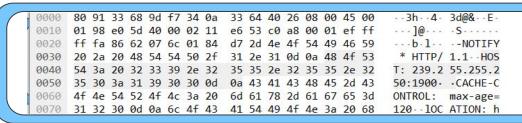
# WIRESHARK Contd...

Packet List Pane



Packet Details Pane

- > Frame 1: 422 bytes on wire (3376 bits), 422 bytes captured (3376 bits) on interface \Device\NPF\_{7009D1D8-C733-4101}
  > Ethernet II, Src: D-LinkIn\_64:40:26 (34:0a:33:64:40:26), Dst: AzureWav\_68:9d:f7 (80:91:33:68:9d:f7)
  > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.1, Dst: 239.255.255.250
- Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.1, Dst: 239.255.255.250
- > User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 34402, Dst Port: 1900
- Simple Service Discovery Protocol



Packet
Bytes
Pane



# **WIRESHARK Contd...**



### Example of running Wireshark while Traceroute

30 4.383604	172.31.42.105	8.8.8.8	UDP	74 38418 → 33449 Len=32 78 Time_to_live_avreaded /Time_to_live_avreaded in_transit)
31 4.384119	100.65.9.65	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Time-to-live exceeded (Time to live exceeded in transit)
32 4.384172	172.31.42.105	8.8.8.8	UDP	74 36206 → 33450 Len=32
33 4.384251	100.66.7.225	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Time-to-live exceeded (Time to live exceeded in transit)
34 4.384287	172.31.42.105	8.8.8.8	UDP	74 34523 → 33451 Len=32
35 4.384629	100.65.20.112	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Time-to-live exceeded (Time to live exceeded in transit)
36 4.384666	172.31.42.105	8.8.8.8	UDP	74 54450 → 33452 Len=32
37 4.384681	100.65.11.225	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Time-to-live exceeded (Time to live exceeded in transit)
38 4.384717	172.31.42.105	8.8.8.8	UDP	74 44671 → 33453 Len=32
39 4.384961	100.66.10.0	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Time-to-live exceeded (Time to live exceeded in transit)
10 1 201005	470 34 40 405		1100	74 57454 - 77454 1 - 77

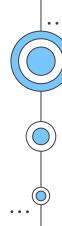
Source Address: 52.66.0.203
Destination Address: 172.31.42.105

Internet Control Message Protocol
Type: 11 (Time-to-live exceeded)
Code: 0 (Time to live exceeded in transit)
Checksum: 0xd0d6 [correct]
[Checksum Status: Good]
Unused: 000000000

Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 172.31.42.105, Dst: 8.8.8.8

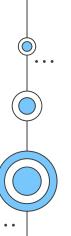
User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 47474, Dst Port: 33434
Source Port: 47474
Destination Port: 33434

78 4.390860	8.8.8.8	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Destination unreachable (Port unreachable)
81 4.391132	8.8.8.8	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Destination unreachable (Port unreachable)
86 4.391862	8.8.8.8	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Destination unreachable (Port unreachable)
87 4.392218	8.8.8.8	172.31.42.105	ICMP	70 Destination unreachable (Port unreachable)



# 3. PS

- With the help of ps command and its options we can retrieve a snapshot of the processes and their related information active on our system
- Syntax = ps <options>
- If one wants a real time view of the active processes, top command can be used

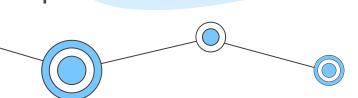


# PS Contd...

Running **ps** without any options yields 4 fields:

- 1. PID: Process ID
- 2. TTY: Terminal from which the process has started
- 3. **TIME:** Total CPU time used by the process since it began
- 4. **CMD:** Command that is used to generate the process 

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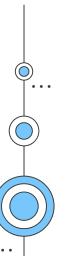


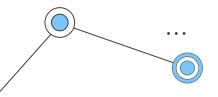
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:~\$ ps PID TTY TIME CMD 21 pts/2 00:00:00 bash 40 pts/2 00:00:00 ps



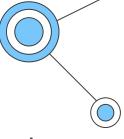
# PS Contd...

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### PS Contd...



```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$ ps -o ppid= -p 14656
```

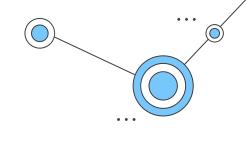
Fetching the parent PID of the specified PID

```
shivanv+
                                                                 0:00 /usr/libexec/tracker-extract
                       0.8 1213992 34520 ?
                                                   SNsl 13:42
shivanv+
           16343
                              2496
                                     580 pts/0
                                                        13:42
                                                                 0:00 ./myfork
                       0.0
                                                   S+
                                                                 0:00 [myfork] <defunct>
shivanv+
           16344
                                       0 pts/0
                                                   Z+
                                                        13:42
shivanv+
                                    3596 pts/2
                                                                 0:00 ps -aux
           16345
                             20324
                                                   R+
                                                        13:42
```

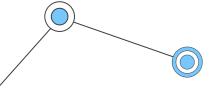
Spotting zombie processes in STAT field

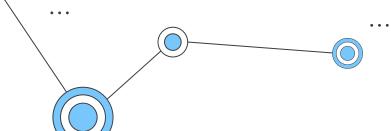


# 4. NETSTAT



- Netstat (Network Statistics) is a command line utility that prints network connections, interface statistics, routing tables, etc..
- On Linux, netstat is part of net-tools package
- Syntax = netstat <options>



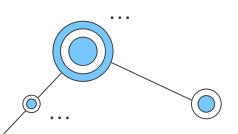


### **NETSTAT Contd...**



Important fields in the output are:

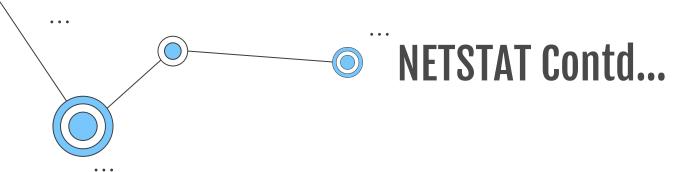
- 1. **Proto:** Protocol used by the socket
- 2. **Local Address:** Address and port of the local end of the socket



```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:~$ netstat

Active Internet connections (w/o servers)

Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address Foreign Address State
tcp 0 0 localhost:1027 localhost:59276 TIME_WAIT
tcp 0 0 localhost:1027 localhost:59278 TIME_WAIT
```



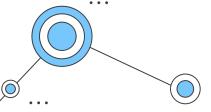
3. **Foreign Address:** Address and port of the remote end

4. **State:** State of the socket

5. **Recv-Q:** Current syn backlog

6. Send-Q: Maximum size of syn backlog





```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:~$ netstat

Active Internet connections (w/o servers)

Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address Foreign Address State

tcp 0 0 localhost:1027 localhost:59276 TIME_WAIT

tcp 0 0 localhost:1027 localhost:59278 TIME_WAIT
```



# **NETSTAT Contd...**

Option	Description				
-r	Prints kernel routing tables				
- <b>i</b>	Displays all network interfaces				
<b>-</b> S	Shows statistics for each protocol				
-1	Displays only the listening sockets				
-a	Shows listening and non-listening sockets				

### SS

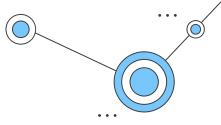
- Netstat has almost become obsolete
- It has been superseded by ss
- ss is part of iproute2

shivanv:	itha@DESKT	OP-88032H0:	~\$ ss		
Netid	State	Recv-Q	Send-Q	Local Address:Port	Peer Address:Port
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 17683	* 17682
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 17682	* 17683
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 19468	* 17689
u_str	ESTAB	Θ	0	@/tmp/dbus-xlG60lq840 17689	* 19468
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 20506	* 20507
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 20507	* 20506
u_str	ESTAB	Θ	0	/mnt/wslg/PulseAudioRDPSink 17695	* 33
u_str	ESTAB	0	Θ	* 33	* 17695
u_seq	ESTAB	0	0	* 24	* 0





### 5. GCC



GCC (GNU Compiler Collection) is an integrated distribution of compilers for many major languages



- Some of the major languages include C, C++,
   Ada, etc..
- For languages other than C, compilers have their own names, g++ for C++ and GNAT for Ada



# GCC Contd...

Option	Description			
-с	Compiles and assembles but does not link			
-0	Places the output in specified file			
-S	Only compiles; not assembles or links			
-Wall	Displays all warnings			
-help	Shows help for usage			

# GCC Contd...

```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$ gcc test.c -o test shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$ ls test test.c shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$
```

```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$ gcc -c test.c shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$ ls test.c test.o
```

```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$ gcc -S test.c shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$ ls test.c test.s
```



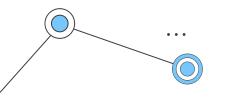
By using the **Wall** option as shown in the figure, gcc displays the warnings that there is an unused variable and a function

which did not return according to the type specified.

```
#include <stdio.h>
int foo ()
{
    printf("Hi\n");
}
int main ()
{
    int x, y = 4;
    y = y * 2;
```

```
}shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$ gcc -Wall test.c
test.c: In function 'main':
test.c:10:9: warning: unused variable 'x' [-Wunused-variable]
    int x, y = 4;
test.c: In function 'foo':
test.c:6:1: warning: control reaches end of non-void function [-Wreturn-type]
}
```





# 6. GDB



- GDB (GNU Debugger) is a portable debugger that works for various languages like C, C++, Objective-C, etc..
  - It provides facilities to operate on executable files
- GDB uses **ptrace** (process trace) system call to examine the executing process





### To start up gdb, type "gdb" in the console

```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation$ gdb
GNU gdb (Debian 8.2.1-2+b3) 8.2.1
Copyright (C) 2018 Free Software Foundation, Inc.
License GPLv3+: GNU GPL version 3 or later <a href="http://gnu.org/licenses/gpl.html">http://gnu.org/licenses/gpl.html</a>
This is free software: you are free to change and redistribute it.
There is NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by law.
Type "show copying" and "show warranty" for details.
This GDB was configured as "x86_64-linux-gnu".
Type "show configuration" for configuration details.
For bug reporting instructions, please see:
<http://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/bugs/>.
Find the GDB manual and other documentation resources online at:
    <http://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/documentation/>.
For help, type "help".
Type "apropos word" to search for commands related to "word".
(adb)
```





We use the **g** option with gcc to include debug information to the executable.

The given program is supposed to generate segmentation fault because the size specified in malloc cannot be allocated.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
int main()
   char *buffer;
   buffer = malloc(1<<31);</pre>
   fgets(buffer, 50, stdin);
   printf("%s\n", buffer);
   return 1;
```

shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation\$ gcc -g test.c -o test

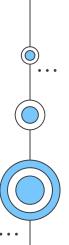




The executable should be run along with **gdb** command as shown

shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Sem-7/NP/presentation\$ gdb ./test

# We can see that the program received **SIGSEGV** signal







#### The result on backtrace is as follows,

To get only the frame of our program, we use **frame** 

option

The program must have

crashed on call to fgets and most probably on the "buffer" argument



We see that the buffer is a NULL pointer

```
(gdb) print buffer
$1 = 0x0
```

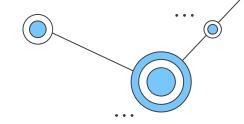
```
(gdb) kill
Kill the program being debugged? (y or n) y
[Inferior 1 (process 16287) killed]
```

To kill the program

being debugged we use kill option

Option	Description
	Prints 10 lines of code by default
b	To issue a breakpoint
q	To quit gdb

# 7. MAKE



- Make is a command line utility that helps us to manage and maintain a large number of files with the help of a Makefile
- It helps us to compile a bunch of source files at a time and link them to an executable
  - By default make looks for GNUmakefile, makefile or Makefile in the same order if custom make file name is not provided with **f** option

# MAKE Contd...

Makefile

- In the Makefile shown, CCC,
   CFLAGS and OBJS are the makefile variables
- The variable are accessed via the \$ sign

```
CCC = gcc
CFLAGS = -c -Wall
OBJS = main.o binary.o ft record.o match out.o
all: test
test: $(OBJS)
    $(CCC) $(OBJS) -o test
main: main.c
    $(CCC) $(CFLAGS) main.c
ft record: ft record.c
    $(CCC) $(CFLAGS) ft_record.c
binary: binary.c
    $(CCC) $(CFLAGS) binary.c
match out: match out.c
    $(CCC) $(CFLAGS) match out.c
clean:
    rm -rf *.o test
```



### MAKE Contd...

To create all object files and link them,

```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Desktop/C_Programs/CN/ip_forwarding/ME24$ make all cc -c -Wall -c -o main.o main.c cc -c -Wall -c -o binary.o binary.c cc -c -Wall -c -o ft_record.o ft_record.c cc -c -Wall -c -o match_out.o match_out.c gcc main.o binary.o ft_record.o match_out.o -o test
```

#### To clean the object files,

```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Desktop/C_Programs/CN/ip_forwarding/ME24$ make clean rm -rf *.o test
```

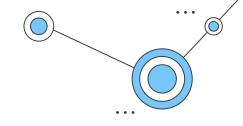
### To compile only one file (say main.c)

```
shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:/mnt/e/Desktop/C_Programs/CN/ip_forwarding/ME24$ make main gcc -c -Wall main.c
```

### 8. TCPDUMP

- **tcpdump** is a network data packet analyzer that runs on a command line interface.
- It allows the user to display TCP/IP and other packets being transmitted or received over a network.
- It works on most Unix-like operating systems, and uses the libpcap library to capture packets.
- The port of tcpdump for Windows is called WinDump;
   it uses WinPcap, the Windows version of libpcap.
- Syntax = tcpdump[OPTIONS]

### TCPDUMP Contd...



 tcpdump can save captured information in the form of a .pcap file, which can be viewed by tcpdump command or GUI Wireshark

wiresnark

In some operating systems, a user must have superuser privileges to use tcpdump





#### TCPDUMP Contd...

Option	Description
-D	Prints a list of available interfaces
-i	Prints packets from a specific interface
-A	Prints captured packets in ASCII format
-С	Captures only a specific number of packets
-W	Saves a captured packets into a given file
-r	Reads captured packets from a given file
tcp	To capture only TCP packets

## TCPDUMP Contd...

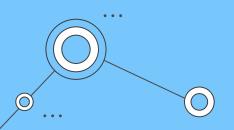
vaishnavi@ubuntu:~/Documents/NP\$ sudo tcpdump
sudo] password for vaishnavi:
ccpdump: verbose output suppressed, use -v or -vv for full protocol decode
istening on ens33, link-type EN10MB (Ethernet), capture size 262144 bytes
.9:51:06.288640 IP 192.168.85.1.54384 > 239.255.255.250.3702: UDP, length 656
.9:51:06.312027 IP ubuntu.40901 > \_gateway.domain: 54943+ [1au] PTR? 250.255.255
.9:51:06.995834 ARP, Request who-has \_gateway tell 192.168.85.1, length 46
.9:51:07.310890 IP 192.168.85.1.59164 > 239.255.255.250.3702: UDP, length 656
.9:51:07.428526 IP 192.168.85.1.59164 > 239.255.255.250.3702: UDP, length 656
.9:51:07.653214 IP \_gateway.domain > ubuntu.40901: 54943 NXDomain 0/1/1 (114)

9:51:07.653475 IP ubuntu.40901 > gateway.domain: 54943+ PTR? 250.255.255.239.

vaishnavi@ubuntu:~/Documents/NP\$ tcpdump -D
1.ens33 [Up, Running]
2.lo [Up, Running, Loopback]
3.any (Pseudo-device that captures on all interfaces) [Up, R
4.bluetooth-monitor (Bluetooth Linux Monitor) [none]
5.nflog (Linux netfilter log (NFLOG) interface) [none]
6.nfqueue (Linux netfilter queue (NFQUEUE) interface) [none]

Listing all network interfaces

#### Starting tcpdump

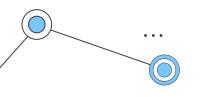


vaishnavi@ubuntu:~/Documents/NP\$ sudo tcpdump -i ens33
tcpdump: verbose output suppressed, use -v or -vv for full protocol decode
listening on ens33, link-type EN10MB (Ethernet), capture size 262144 bytes
21:33:29.330319 IP ubuntu > dns.google: ICMP echo request, id 2, seq 1, length 6
21:33:29.331324 IP ubuntu.37886 > \_gateway.domain: 36504+ [1au] PTR? 8.8.8.8.in21:33:29.355812 IP \_gateway.domain > ubuntu.37886: 36504 1/0/1 PTR dns.google. (
21:33:29.356226 IP dns.google > ubuntu: ICMP echo reply, id 2, seq 1, length 64
21:33:29.356866 IP ubuntu.54017 > \_gateway.domain: 49731+ [1au] PTR? 138.85.168.
21:33:29.679418 IP \_gateway.domain > ubuntu.54017: 49731 NXDomain 0/1/1 (133)

Specifying only ens33 interface

#### 9. TCPFLOW

- tcpflow is a program that captures data transmitted as part of TCP connections, and stores the data for protocol analysis or debugging
- It understands TCP sequence numbers and will correctly reconstruct data streams regardless of retransmissions or out-of-order delivery.
- However, it does not understand IP fragments; flows
   containing IP fragments will not be recorded properly.
- Syntax = sudo tcpflow [OPTIONS]



#### TCPFLOW Contd...

- tcpflow also includes an advanced plug-in system for decompressing compressed HTTP connections, undoing MIME encoding, or invoking third-party programs for post-processing and much more.
- There are many use cases for tcpflow which include to understand network packet flows and also supports for performing network forensics and divulge the contents of HTTP sessions.
- An XML report generated after running tcpflow, which contains information about the program

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#### TCPFLOW Contd...

Description
Capture no more than given bytes per flow
Captures for a specific interface
Strip non-printables characters to "."
Set to no promiscuous mode
Print the contents of packets to stdout
Output each flow in alternating colors

#### TCPFLOW Contd...

```
vaishnavi@ubuntu:~/Documents/NP$ sudo tcpflow
reportfilename: ./report.xml
tcpflow: listening on ens33
^Ctcpflow: terminating orderly
```

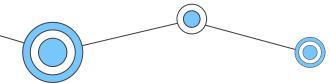
Calling topflow which automatically stores in these

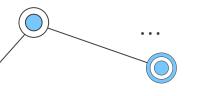
#### files

```
vaishnavi@ubuntu:~/Documents/NP$ ls -al
total 172
drwxrwxr-x 2 vaishnavi vaishnavi 4096 Oct 29 22:04 .
drwxr-xr-x 9 vaishnavi vaishnavi 4096 Oct 29 16:31 ..
-rw-r--r- 1 root root 148 Oct 29 21:50 034.122.121.032.00080-192.168.085.138.35498
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 87 Oct 29 21:50 192.168.085.138.35498-034.122.121.032.00080
```

The saved output files, where the format is

sourceip.sourceport-destip.destport

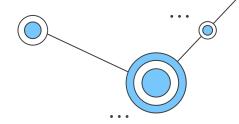




#### **TCPDUMP vs TCPFLOW**

- tcpdump shows a summary of packets seen on the network, but usually doesn't store the data that's actually being transmitted.
- tcpflow reconstructs the actual data streams and stores each flow in a separate file for later analysis.
- tcpflow supports the same filtering expressions that programs like tcpdump.
- tcpflow can also rebuild flows from data captured with tcpdump -w.

#### 10. TOP



- top is an abbreviation of Table Of Processes.
- It displays a real-time view of running processes in Linux and displays kernel-managed tasks.
- The command also provides a system information summary that shows resource utilization, including CPU and memory usage.
  - Syntax = top[OPTIONS]

#### Columns headers:

- 1. **PID**: Process identifier of the task
- 2. **PR**: Process' priority. The lower the number, the higher the priority.
- 3. VIRT: Total virtual memory used by the task
- 4. USER: Owner of task's username
- 5. %CPU: CPU usage
- 6. TIME+: CPU Time (in 100th of a second)
- 7. **SHR**: Shared Memory size in KB, used by the task

- 8. **NI**:Nice Value of task. -ve value = higher priority; +ve value= lower priority.
- 9. **%MEM**: Memory used by the task
- 10. **RES**: Physical RAM in KB used by the task
- 11. **COMMAND**: Command that is used to generate the process
  - The main difference between NI and PRis that PR is the real priority of a process as seen by the kernel, while NI is just a priority hint for the kernel.



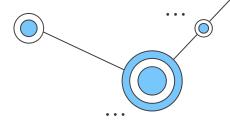
<b>Op</b>	tion	Description	
	-n	Exiting after "n" number of repetitions	
	-u	Print a specified user's process	
	-d	Specifies the delay time of screen updates.	
	-C	Starts top with last closed state.	_ (
•	-p	Monitors specified process IDs	
	-S	Starts top in secure mode, even for root.	
T			1

. . .

```
top - 17:38:39 up  1:53,  1 user,  load average: 0.24, 0.13, 0.10
Tasks: 279 total, 1 running, 277 sleeping,
                                               1 stopped.
                                                            0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.2 us, 0.7 sv, 0.0 ni, 99.2 id, 0.0 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
MiB Mem :
            1941.7 total.
                            71.8 free.
                                            913.3 used.
                                                           956.5 buff/cache
             923.3 total.
                             861.7 free.
                                                           855.4 avail Mem
MiB Swap:
                                             61.6 used.
    PID USER
                  PR NI
                            VIRT
                                    RES
                                           SHR S
                                                  %CPU
                                                        %MEM
                                                                 TIME+ COMMAND
   1542 vaishna+
                                  47020
                                         17168 S
                  20
                          302232
                                                   1.3
                                                         2.4
                                                               0:36.42 Xorq
   2010 vaishna+
                                                               0:16.89 gnome-terminal-
                 20
                          816840
                                  43996
                                         31308 S
                                                   1.0
                                                         2.2
   1691 vaishna+
                                                               1:10.91 gnome-shell
                  20
                       0 4022260 204228
                                         68172 S
                                                   0.7
                                                       10.3
                          239452
                                          5328 S
                                                         0.3
                                                               0:10.60 vmtoolsd
    675 root
                  20
                                   6344
                                                   0.3
   3271 vaishna+
                           11996
                  20
                                   3980
                                          3204 R
                                                   0.3
                                                         0.2
                                                               0:00.01 top
      1 root
                  20
                          169628
                                  11904
                                          7324 S
                                                   0.0
                                                         0.6
                                                               0:07.12 systemd
                  20
                                             0 5
                                                               0:00.02 kthreadd
      2 root
                       0
                                                   0.0
                                                         0.0
                               0
                                      0
                                             0 I
      3 root
                   0 -20
                                                   0.0
                                                         0.0
                                                               0:00.00 rcu qp
      4 root
                   0 -20
                                             0 I
                                                   0.0
                                                         0.0
                                                               0:00.00 rcu par qp
                                                               0:00.00 netns
      5 root
                   0 -20
                                             0 I
                                                   0.0
                                                         0.0
                                                               0:00.00 kworker/0:0H-events highpri
      7 root
                   0 -20
                                             0 I
                                                   0.0
                                                         0.0
                                                               0:00.00 mm percpu wq
     10 root
                   0 -20
                               0
                                             0 I
                                                   0.0
                                                         0.0
```

#### Output of top command

#### 11. CSCOPE

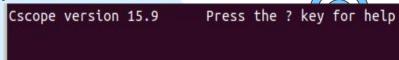


- cscope is a Linux tool for browsing source code in a terminal environment.
- It was originally built to work with C code, but also works well with C++, Java, and some other languages.
- cscope support has been built into vim.
- It runs on all flavors of Unix, plus most monopoly-controlled operating systems.
- To exit cscope, use CTRL + D

#### **CSCOPE Contd...**

cscope allows searching code for:

- 1. all references to a symbol
- 2. global definitions
- 3. functions called by a function
- 4. functions calling a function
- 5. text string
- regular expression pattern
- 7. a file
- files including a file

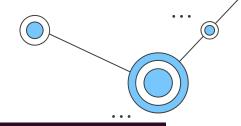


Find this C symbol: Find this global definition: Find functions called by this function: Find functions calling this function: Find this text string: Change this text string: Find this egrep pattern: Find this file: Find files #including this file: Find assignments to this symbol:

cscope -R command in a directory with .c files it



#### **CSCOPE Contd...**



```
C symbol: fork()
  File
          Function Line
0 myfork.c main
                     10 if ((pid = fork()) == 0)
1 test.c
          main
                    11 if ( (pid = fork()) < 0 )
                    18 if ( (pid = fork()) < 0 )
2 test.c
          main
 vfork.c main
                     8 if((pid = fork())==0){
4 vfork1.c main
                     12 if((pid = fork())==0){
5 vfork2.c main
                     12 if((pid = fork())==0){
                     14 if((pid = fork())==0){
6 vfork3.c main
7 unistd.h fork
                    756 extern pid t fork (void ) THROWNL;
```

```
File Line
0 unistd.h 764 extern __pid_t vfork (void ) __THROW;

Find this C symbol:
Find this global definition:
Find functions called by this function:
Find functions calling this function:
Find this text string:
Change this text string:
Find this egrep pattern:
Find this file:
Find files #including this file:
Find assignments to this symbol:
```

Searching for the C symbol fork() using cscope -R

Searching for the Global definition of vfork using cscope -R

#### **CSCOPE Contd...**

#### For large projects, way to use cscope is:

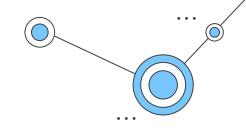
- 1. Build the cscope database:
  - a. The developer can often use find or other Unix tools to get the list of filenames needed to index into a file called cscope.files.
  - b. The developer then builds a database using the command cscope b q k
- 2. Second, the developer can now search those files using the command *cscope -d*. Often an
  - index must be rebuilt whenever changes are made to files.

#### 12. VI/EMACS

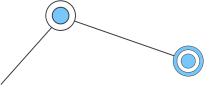
- vi is an abbreviation for VIsual (editor)
- emacs is an abbreviation for Editor MACroS
- Both are powerful text editors.
- vi is the standard command-line text editor prebuilt in most Linux distributions. Its origins come from the Unix text editor for the command line, called ed.
- vim stands for "vi improved", and is an implementation of
   vi with extra features that improve the user experience
   and increase the effectiveness of the text editor.



#### VI/EMACS Contd...



- vi categorises user interface into 3 modes of operations :
  - Command Mode using ESC key
  - Insert Mode using i,l,a,A, o, 0 characters
  - Escape Mode using : character
- Syntax = vi filename or vim filename



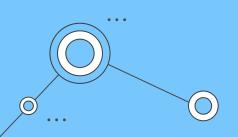
#### VI/EMACS Contd...

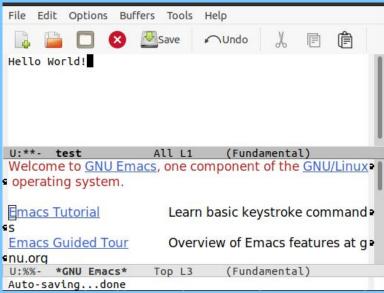
- emacs is modeless, unlike vi
- Its keyboard commands often start with the CTRL key or the Meta key, so that the system can distinguish actual edits from commands.
- emacs is said to resembles editors like Microsoft Word and Google Docs more than vim because of its modelessness, and this fact may make it easier to get used to than vim.
  - Syntax = emacs filename

# VI/EMACS Contd...

```
Hello World!
~
~
~
~
~
~
~
~
~
~
~
~
All
```

Editing in vi





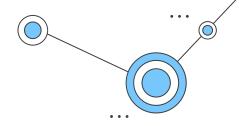
Editing in emacs

#### The EDITOR WAR

The editor war is the rivalry between users of the emacs and vi. This rivalry has become a lasting part of hacker culture and the free software community.

The vi versus emacs debate was one of the original "holy wars" conducted on **Usenet** groups, with many flame wars fought between those insisting that their editor of choice is the paragon of editing perfection, and insulting the other, since at least 1985.

#### **13. GREP**

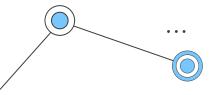


- grep is an abbreviation for it's utility, that is Global Regular Expression Print.
- Given one or more patterns, grep searches input files for matches to the patterns.
- Syntax = grep [OPTIONS] PATTERNS [FILES]



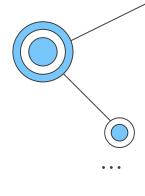
#### **GREP Contd...**

Option	on Description			
-i	Ignores case distinctions			
-C	Prints a count of matching lines			
-f	Takes patterns from file,one per line.			
- <b>v</b>	Prints non-matching lines.			
-	Prints list of a filenames only.			



#### **GREP Contd...**

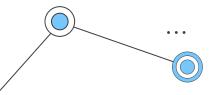
```
vaishnavi@ubuntu:~/Documents$ ls -R |grep -e "\.c$"
lex.yy.c
myfork.c
test.c
```



Printing all .c files using regex

```
grep -i "Vaishnavi"
vaishnavi@ubuntu:/etc$ netstat |
                                                             @/home/
                                                                              /.cache/ibus/dbus-bmpDmdIq
unix 3
                          STREAM
                                     CONNECTED
                                                    58863
unix
                          STREAM
                                     CONNECTED
                                                    58880
                                                             @/home/
                                                                              /.cache/ibus/dbus-bmpDmdIq
                                                                             /.cache/ibus/dbus-bmpDmdIq
unix
                          STREAM
                                                    59065
                                                             @/home/
                                     CONNECTED
unix
                          STREAM
                                     CONNECTED
                                                    61623
                                                             @/home/
                                                                             /.cache/ibus/dbus-bmpDmdIq
                                                                             /.cache/ibus/dbus-bmpDmdIq
unix
                                                             @/home/
                          STREAM
                                     CONNECTED
                                                    58886
unix
                                                             @/home/
                                                                             /.cache/ibus/dbus-bmpDmdIq
                          STREAM
                                     CONNECTED
                                                    59552
vaishnavi@ubuntu:/etc$ netstat |
                                 grep -ic "Vaishnavi"
6
```

Printing all programs with path having "Vaishnavi" in them, using case insensitivity and count



#### **GREP Contd...**

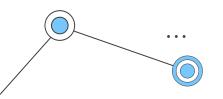
```
vaishnavi@ubuntu:/etc$ grep -R 'calendar'
grep: polkit-1/localauthority: Permission denied

xdg/autostart/org.gnome.Evolution-alarm-notify.desktop:X-GNOME-Bugzilla-Component=calendar
dictionaries-common/words:calendar's
dictionaries-common/words:calendared
dictionaries-common/words:calendaring
dictionaries-common/words:calendars
```

#### Recursively searching the /etc directory for the word calendar

```
vaishnavi@ubuntu:/etc$ ls -R | grep -w 'lib'
       .libreoffice.program.oosplash
usr.
usr.
       .libreoffice.program.senddoc
       .libreoffice.program.soffice.bin
UST.
       .libreoffice.program.xpdfimport
usr.
       .snapd.snap-confine.real
UST.
       .libreoffice.program.oosplash
UST.
       .libreoffice.program.senddoc
UST.
       .libreoffice.program.soffice.bin
usr.
```

Printing matches of whole word 'lib' in the /etc directory



#### 14. PING

ping is an abbreviation for Packet InterNet
 Groper.

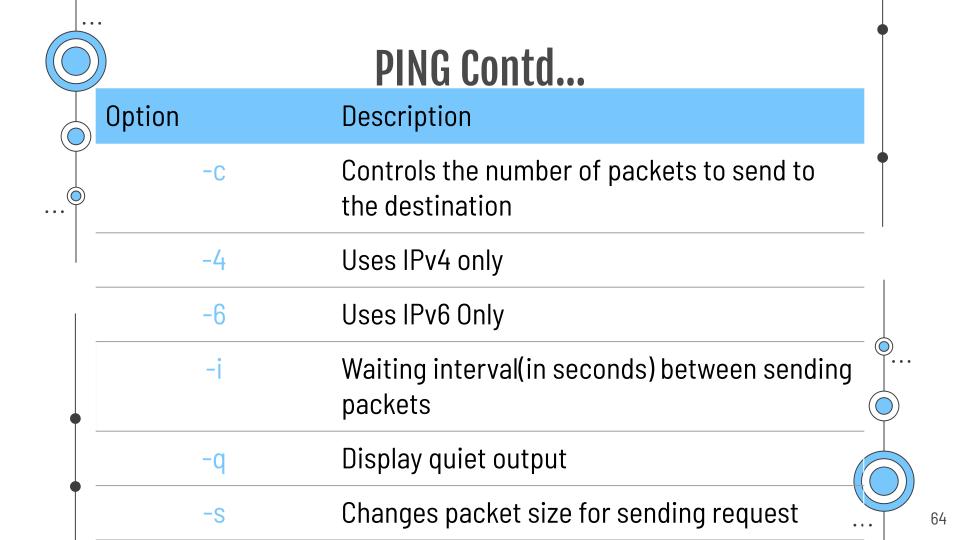




- It is used to troubleshoot networking and connectivity.
- The command sends ICMP ECHO\_REQUEST datagram to elicit an ICMP ECHO\_RESPONSE from a host or gateway.
- Syntax = ping[OPTIONS] destinationaddress …







#### C:\Users\vaish>ping Contd...

ping-ing the google server, and the
wireshark depicting ping's working

1 118118	0.0.0.0 WILL	1 JZ Dyce.	o or data.		
Reply f	rom 8.8.8.8:	bytes=32	time=21ms	TTL=118	
Reply f	rom 8.8.8.8:	bytes=32	time=22ms	TTL=118	
Reply f	rom 8.8.8.8:	bytes=32	time=32ms	TTL=118	
Reply f	rom 8.8.8.8:	bytes=32	time=24ms	TTL=118	
	atistics for				-0/ T
100000000000000000000000000000000000000	kets: Sent =				3% loss),
	mate round tr				
Min	imum = 21ms,	Maximum =	= 32ms, Ave	erage = 24	1ms

N	lo.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info	
T		42 18:30:27.371478	192.168.1.7	8.8.8.8	ICMP	74	Echo (ping) request	id=0x0001, seq=1/256, ttl=128 (reply in 43)
4		43 18:30:27.396306	8.8.8.8	192.168.1.7	ICMP	74	Echo (ping) reply	id=0x0001, seq=1/256, ttl=118 (request in 42)
		59 18:30:28.324364	192.168.1.7	8.8.8.8	ICMP	74	Echo (ping) request	id=0x0001, seq=2/512, ttl=128 (reply in 60)
		60 18:30:28.346453	8.8.8.8	192.168.1.7	ICMP	74	Echo (ping) reply	id=0x0001, seq=2/512, ttl=118 (request in 59)
		72 18:30:29.337850	192.168.1.7	8.8.8.8	ICMP	74	Echo (ping) request	id=0x0001, seq=3/768, ttl=128 (reply in 73)
		73 18:30:29.368781	8.8.8.8	192.168.1.7	ICMP	74	Echo (ping) reply	id=0x0001, seq=3/768, ttl=118 (request in 72)
		88 18:30:30.341970	192.168.1.7	8.8.8.8	ICMP	74	Echo (ping) request	id=0x0001, seq=4/1024, ttl=128 (reply in 89)
	4)	89 18:30:30.364444	8.8.8.8	192.168.1.7	ICMP	74	Echo (ping) reply	id=0x0001, seq=4/1024, ttl=118 (request in 88)

#### 15. BPFTRACE



- BPFtrace is a new high-level tracing language for eBPF (enhanced Berkeley Packet Filter) that is made available in kernel versions (4.x)+ inspired by C and awk
- LLVM is used as the backend for compiling scripts to BPF-bytecode
- BCC acts as the interface between Linux BPF system
- and BPFtrace

```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$ sudo bpftrace -e 'BEGIN { printf("Hello, World!\n"); }'
Attaching 1 probe...
Hello, World!
^C
```





### Data sources

Where the tracing data comes from **Ex:** kprobe, uprobe,

tracepoint

#### Mechanisms for Data Collection

Means by which data collection is done

Ex: eBPF

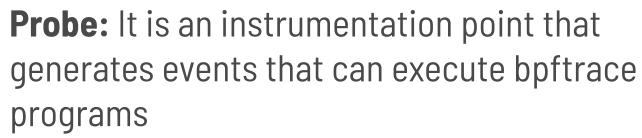
## Tracing Frontends

Tool used to collect and analyse the data ...

Ex: BPFtrace







 Kprobe: Attaches a BPFtrace script to a kernel function i.e., it creates and manages probe points in kernel code.

Ex: Trace the processes that call sleep

shivanvitha@DESKTOP-88032H0:~\$ sudo bpftrace -e 'kprobe:do\_nanosleep { printf("PID %d sleeping\n", pid); }'
Attaching 1 probe...
PID 142 sleeping

A list of kprobes can be found in

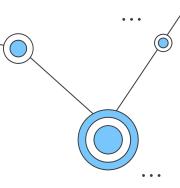
#### /proc/kallsyms

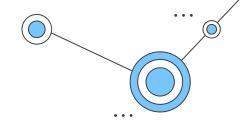
OR

#### /sys/kernel/debug/tracing/available\_filter\_functions

```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$ sudo cat /sys/kernel/debug/tracing/available_filter_functions | grep do_nano
do_nanosleep
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$
```



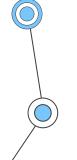




Uprobe: Attaches a BPFtrace script to a userland function

Ex: Tracing malloc

```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$ sudo bpftrace -e 'uprobe:/lib64/ld-linux-x86-64.so.2:malloc { printf("Allocated %d bytes\n", arg0); }'
Attaching 1 probe...
Allocated 1441 bytes
Allocated 1185 bytes
```



 Tracepoint: Attaches a BPFtrace script to a statically defined tracepoint in the kernel. These are more stable than kprobes between kernel versions



Ex: Trace the processes running exec family

Custom program running exec is shown

```
pid: 5248 -- comm:myfork_exec --
pid: 5255 -- comm:snapd --
pid: 5256 -- comm:bash --
pid: 5256 -- comm:myexec --
pid: 5257 -- comm:(tmpfiles) --
```

```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$ ./myexec
PID : 5256
In replaced process, PID = 5256
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$ cat myexec.c
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdib.h>
#include <stdib.h>
#include <unistd.h>

int main(int argc, char **argv){
    int exec_return;
    printf("PID : %d\n", getpid());
    exec_return = execl("./test", "./test", NULL);
    printf("Original process : PID = %d\n", getpid());
    fprintf(stderr, "return : %d\n", exec_return);
    exit(0);
}
```

```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$ sudo bpftrace -e 't:syscalls:sys_enter_execve { printf("pid: %d -- comm:%s -- \n", pid, comm); }'
Attaching 1 probe...
pid: 5197 -- comm:snapd --
pid: 5198 -- comm:snapd --
```

A list of tracepoints can be found in,

#### /sys/kernel/debug/tracing/events

"syscalls:sys\_enter\_execve" is found as shown below:

```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$ sudo ls /sys/kernel/debug/tracing/events/syscalls | grep exec
sys_enter_
sys enter
              veat
               file load
sys enter k
sys enter k
                load
sys exit
sys exit
             veat
sys exit k
              _file_load
sys exit k
              load
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~$
```



**Ex:** To list creation of new threads with a bpftrace script file

```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~/NP$ sudo ./threadsnoop.bt
Attaching 2 probes...
       COMM
3223
       thread1
       thread1
3223
3223
       thread1
```

```
shivanvitha21@ubuntu:~/NP$ cat threadsnoop.bt
#!/usr/bin/env bpftrace

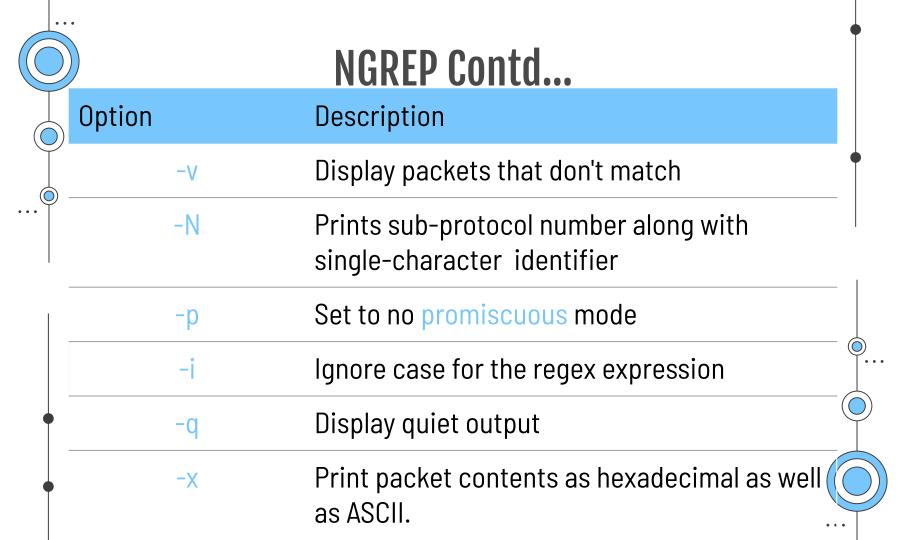
BEGIN
{
          printf("%-6s %-16s\n", "PID", "COMM");
}

uprobe:/lib/x86_64-linux-gnu/libpthread-2.31.so:pthread_create
{
          printf("%-6d %-16s\n", pid, comm);
}
```

```
for (i = 0; i < 10; i++) {
    pthread_create(&tid[i], &attr, runner, NULL);
    printf("Created thread with tid = %lu\n", tid[i]);
}</pre>
```

#### 16. NGREP

- ngrep is a abbreviation for Network GREP data packet analyzer that runs on a command line interface.
- It is a grep-like tool applied to the network layer
- It allows you to specify an extended regular or hexadecimal expression to match against data payloads
- It works with various types of protocols
- It operates in the same fashion as tcpdump
- Syntax = ngrep[OPTIONS]



#### **NGREP Contd...**

```
^Cvaishnavi@ubuntu:~$ sudo ngrep -q '^GET .* HTTP/1.[01]'
interface: ens33 (192.168.85.0/255.255.255.0)
filter: ((ip || ip6) || (vlan && (ip || ip6)))
match: ^GET .* HTTP/1.[01]
T 192.168.85.138:45512 -> 91.189.91.39:80 [AP] #1054
  GET /ubuntu/pool/main/r/rsync/rsync 3.1.3-8ubuntu0.4 amd64.deb
 HTTP/1.1..Host: us.archive.ubunt
  u.com..User-Agent: Debian APT-HTTP/1.3 (2.0.9) non-interactive
T 192.168.85.138:45512 -> 91.189.91.39:80 [AP] #1620
  GET /ubuntu/pool/main/o/open-vm-tools/open-vm-tools 11.3.0-2ub
untu0%7eubuntu20.04.3 amd64.deb H
  TTP/1.1..Host: us.archive.ubuntu.com..User-Agent: Debian APT-H
```

The following command is monitoring which files my browser is requesting

#### **NGREP Contd...**

```
vaishnavi@ubuntu:~$ sudo ngrep port 80
interface: ens33 (192.168.85.0/255.255.255.0)
filter: ( port 80 ) and ((ip || ip6) || (vlan && (ip || ip6)))
T 49.44.119.211:80 -> 192.168.85.138:44306 [A] #3
  .....
 49.44.119.211:80 -> 192.168.85.138:44304 [A] #4
  . . . . . .
 49.44.119.211:80 -> 192.168.85.138:44306 [AFP] #5
  . . . . . .
T 49.44.119.211:80 -> 192.168.85.138:44304 [AFP] #7
 142.250.193.131:80 -> 192.168.85.138:50884 [AS] #10
 192.168.85.138:50884 -> 142.250.193.131:80 [AP] #12
  POST /gts1c3 HTTP/1.1..Host: ocsp.pki.goog..User-Agent: Moz
```

The following command is monitoring which files are received on port on 80

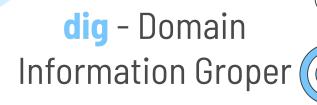


# ipconfig/ifconfig - Internet Protocol configuration/ Interface configuration

# Other **Honorable** Mentions

nmap - Network Mapper Network 'route tables

route -





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## Thank You!

Do you have any questions?