sudo apt update

sudo apt install hping3

## syn flood using hping 3:

sudo hping3 -1 --flood -a tsec.edu

# finding ip address

open the Command Prompt

- ② Type ipconfig /all and press Enter
- 2 Scroll to IPv4 Address to see your local IP address

## **ICMP Flood using Hping3**

sudo hping3 -1 --flood -a <source ip address> 192.168.1.255

## **Example Hping3 Command for a SMURF Attack**

bash hping3 -1 --flood -a <spoofed\_source\_ip> <broadcast\_address>

A Denial of Service (DoS) attack aims to disrupt the normal functioning of a network, system, or service by overwhelming it with traffic or exploiting vulnerabilities, making it inaccessible to legitimate users.

#### **Common Types of DoS Attacks**

## 1. SYN Flood Attack:

 Exploits the TCP handshake process by sending numerous SYN packets to a target server without completing the connection. This leads to resource exhaustion from half-open connections, denying service to legitimate users.

#### 2. ICMP Flood Attack (Ping Flood Attack):

 Involves sending excessive ICMP echo-request packets to a target device. The device responds with echo-replies, which can overwhelm its resources and cause it to become unresponsive to legitimate traffic.

#### 3. SMURF Attack:

 A type of DoS attack that uses ICMP amplification by sending ICMP echo-requests to a network, which then reflects the traffic to a victim's IP address. This flood of responses can overwhelm the victim's network, causing a denial of service.