

Project 2

ECE 5565

Network Architecture and Protocols

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PART 2.2

1. Client IP Address: 192.168.1.102

Client Port Number: 1161

The IP address of gaia.cs.umass.edu is: 128.119.245.12

Gaia.cs.umass.edu is sending and receiving TCP segments for this connection on port number: 80.

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No.      Time           Source          Destination        Protocol Length Info
199  5.297341       192.168.1.102    128.119.245.12    HTTP     104    POST
/ethereal-labs/lab3-1-reply.htm HTTP/1.1  (text/plain)

Frame 199: 104 bytes on wire (832 bits), 104 bytes captured (832 bits)
Ethernet II, Src: Actionte_8a:70:1a (00:20:e0:8a:70:1a), Dst: LinksysG_da:af:73 (00:06:25:da:af:73)
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.1.102, Dst: 128.119.245.12
Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 1161, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 164041, Ack: 1, Len: 50
Source Port: 1161
Destination Port: 80
[Stream index: 0]
[TCP Segment Len: 50]
Sequence number: 164041 (relative sequence number)
[Next sequence number: 164091 (relative sequence number)]
Acknowledgment number: 1 (relative ack number)
0101 .... = Header Length: 20 bytes (5)
Flags: 0x018 (PSH, ACK)
Window size value: 17520
[Calculated window size: 17520]
[Window size scaling factor: -2 (no window scaling used)]
Checksum: 0x9f0f [unverified]
[Checksum Status: Unverified]
Urgent pointer: 0
[SEQ/ACK analysis]
[Timestamps]
TCP payload (50 bytes)
TCP segment data (50 bytes)
[122 Reassembled TCP Segments (164090 bytes): #4(565), #5(1460), #7(1460), #8(1460), #10(1460), #11(1460), #13(1147), #18(1460), #19(1460), #20(1460), #21(1460), #22(1460), #23(892), #30(1460), #31(1460), #32(1460), #33(1460), #34(1460), #3]
Hypertext Transfer Protocol
MIME Multipart Media Encapsulation, Type: multipart/form-data, Boundary: "-----265001916915724"
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2. Sequence number of the TCP SYN Segment to initiate the connection: 0

The SYN bit in the TCP Flag field is set to 1, which identifies the segment as a SYN segment.

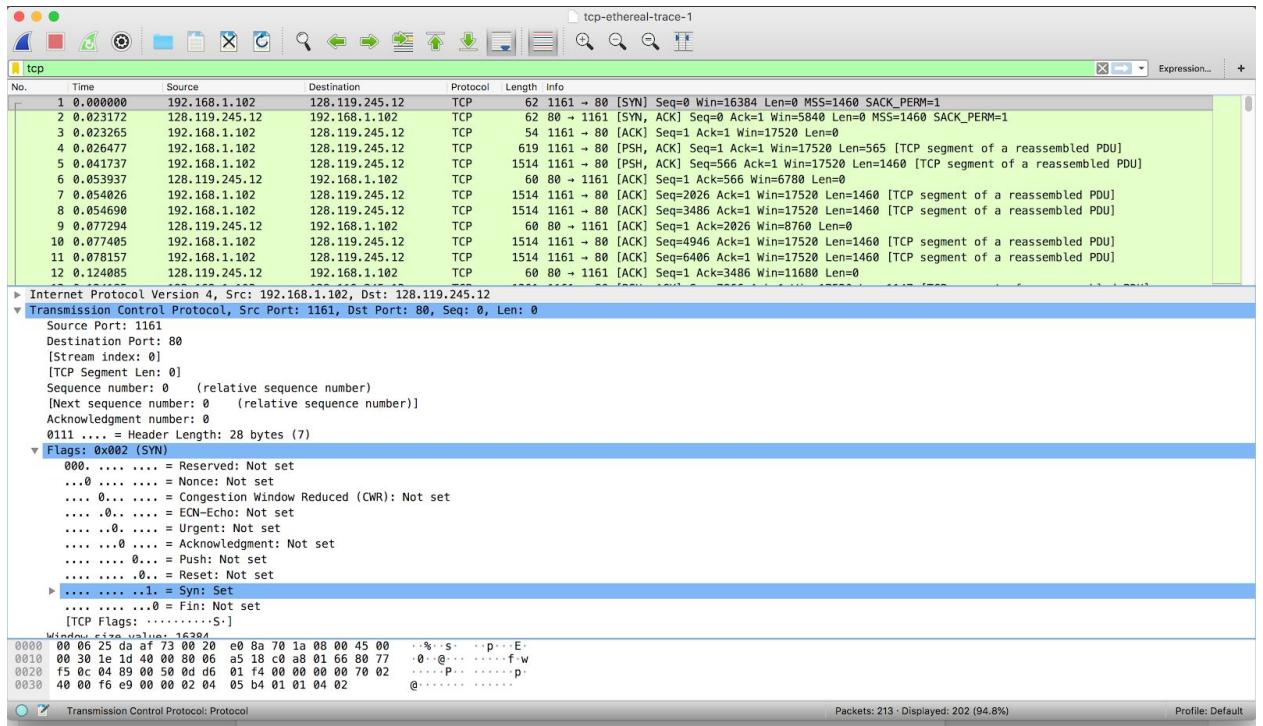
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No.      Time           Source          Destination        Protocol Length Info
1  0.000000       192.168.1.102    128.119.245.12    TCP      62    1161
→ 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=16384 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM=1
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Frame 1: 62 bytes on wire (496 bits), 62 bytes captured (496 bits)
Ethernet II, Src: Actionte_8a:70:1a (00:20:e0:8a:70:1a), Dst: LinksysG_da:af:73 (00:06:25:da:af:73)
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.1.102, Dst: 128.119.245.12
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Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 1161, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 0, Len: 0
  Source Port: 1161
  Destination Port: 80
  [Stream index: 0]
  [TCP Segment Len: 0]
  Sequence number: 0      (relative sequence number)
  [Next sequence number: 0      (relative sequence number)]
  Acknowledgment number: 0
  0111 .... = Header Length: 28 bytes (7)
  Flags: 0x002 (SYN)
  Window size value: 16384
  [Calculated window size: 16384]
  Checksum: 0xf6e9 [unverified]
  [Checksum Status: Unverified]
  Urgent pointer: 0
  Options: (8 bytes), Maximum segment size, No-Operation (NOP), No-Operation (NOP),
  SACK permitted
  [Timestamps]

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3. Sequence number of the [SYN ACK] segment sent from server to client: 0

Value of the ACK field in the [SYN ACK] segment: 1

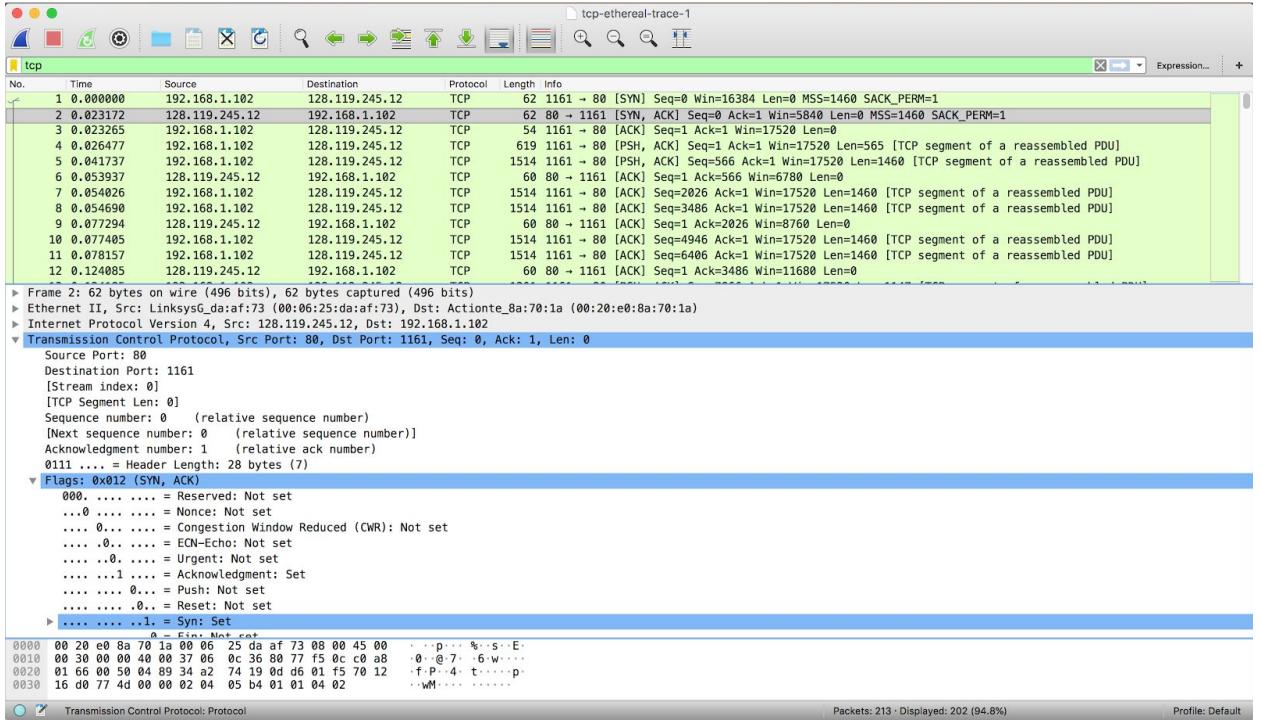
Since this is the 2nd step in the 3-way handshake in TCP, The server, gaia.cs.umass.edu determines this number by incrementing the last received sequence number from the client. The server is telling the client that it is expecting the client to send a segment with this sequence number: $0 + 1 = 1$.

The SYN bit and the ACK bit in the segment are set to 1, which identifies this as a [SYN ACK] segment.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
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2 0.023172 128.119.245.12 192.168.1.102 TCP 62 80 →
1161 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=5840 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM=1

Frame 2: 62 bytes on wire (496 bits), 62 bytes captured (496 bits)
Ethernet II, Src: LinksysG_da:af:73 (00:06:25:da:af:73), Dst: Actionte_8a:70:1a (00:20:e0:8a:70:1a)
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 128.119.245.12, Dst: 192.168.1.102
Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 80, Dst Port: 1161, Seq: 0, Ack: 1, Len: 0
Source Port: 80
Destination Port: 1161
[Stream index: 0]
[TCP Segment Len: 0]
Sequence number: 0 (relative sequence number)
[Next sequence number: 0 (relative sequence number)]
Acknowledgment number: 1 (relative ack number)
0111 = Header Length: 28 bytes (7)
Flags: 0x012 (SYN, ACK)
000. = Reserved: Not set
...0 =Nonce: Not set
.... 0.... = Congestion Window Reduced (CWR): Not set
.... .0... = ECN-Echo: Not set
.... ..0. = Urgent: Not set
.... ...1 = Acknowledgment: Set
.... 0.... = Push: Not set
....0.. = Reset: Not set
....1. = Syn: Set
....0 = Fin: Not set
[TCP Flags:A..S.]
Window size value: 5840
[Calculated window size: 5840]
Checksum: 0x774d [unverified]
[Checksum Status: Unverified]
Urgent pointer: 0
Options: (8 bytes), Maximum segment size, No-Operation (NOP), No-Operation (NOP),
SACK permitted
[SEQ/ACK analysis]
[Timestamps]

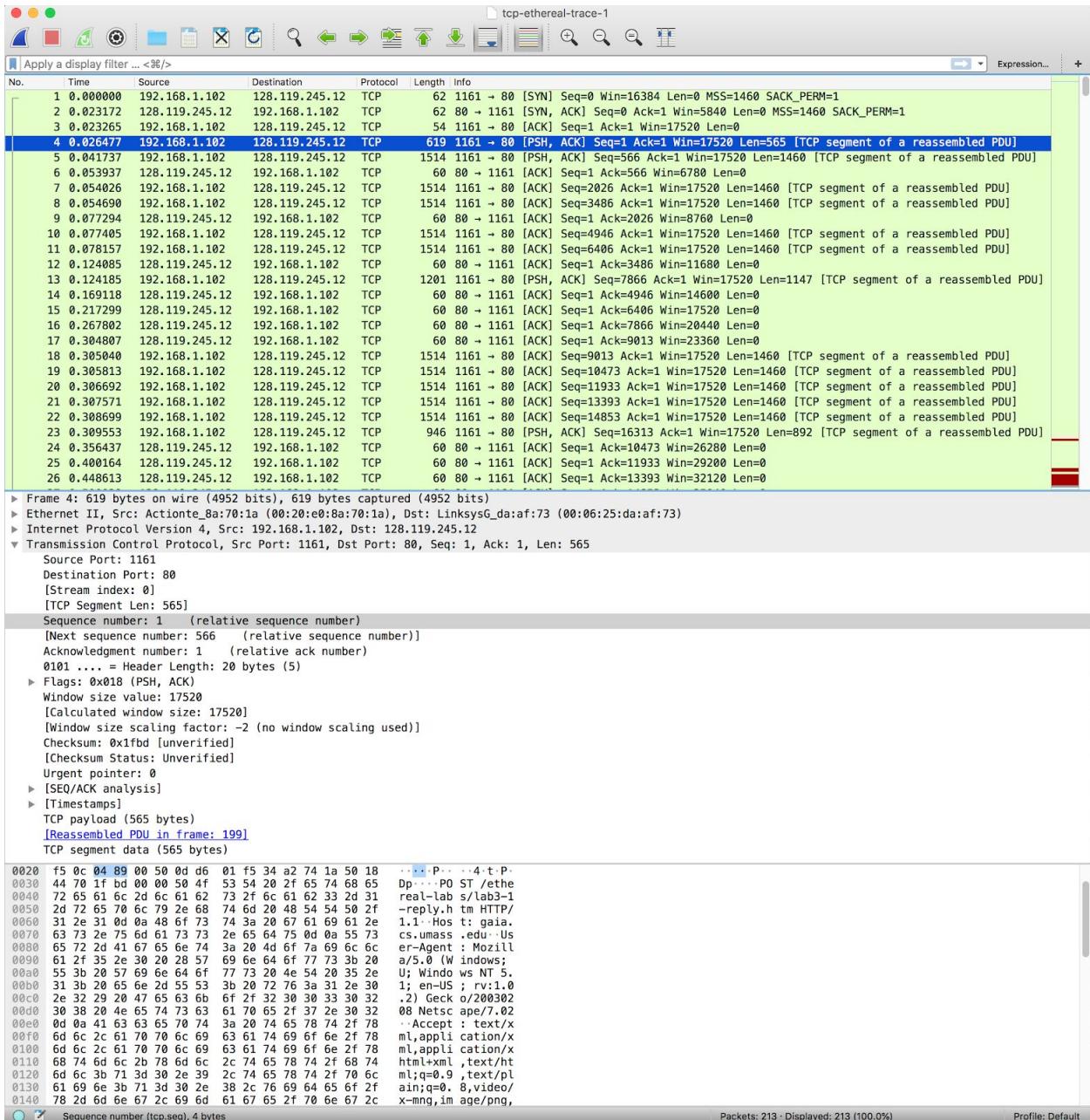


4. Sequence number of the TCP segment containing the HTTP POST command: 1

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
4	0.026477	192.168.1.102	128.119.245.12	TCP	619	1161

→ 80 [PSH, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=17520 Len=565 [TCP segment of a reassembled PDU]

Frame 4: 619 bytes on wire (4952 bits), 619 bytes captured (4952 bits)
 Ethernet II, Src: Actionte_8a:70:1a (00:20:e0:8a:70:1a), Dst: LinksysG_da:af:73 (00:06:25:da:af:73)
 Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.1.102, Dst: 128.119.245.12
 Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 1161, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 1, Ack: 1, Len: 565
 Source Port: 1161
 Destination Port: 80
 [Stream index: 0]
 [TCP Segment Len: 565]
 Sequence number: 1 (relative sequence number)
 [Next sequence number: 566 (relative sequence number)]
 Acknowledgment number: 1 (relative ack number)
 0101 = Header Length: 20 bytes (5)
 Flags: 0x018 (PSH, ACK)
 Window size value: 17520
 [Calculated window size: 17520]
 [Window size scaling factor: -2 (no window scaling used)]
 Checksum: 0x1fb9 [unverified]
 [Checksum Status: Unverified]
 Urgent pointer: 0
 [SEQ/ACK analysis]
 [Timestamps]
 TCP payload (565 bytes)
 [Reassembled PDU in frame: 199]
 TCP segment data (565 bytes)



5. The HTTP POST segment is the 1st segment of the group. Segments 1 to 6 are segment numbers 4, 5, 7, 8, 10 and 11 in this trace respectively. Their sequence numbers are:

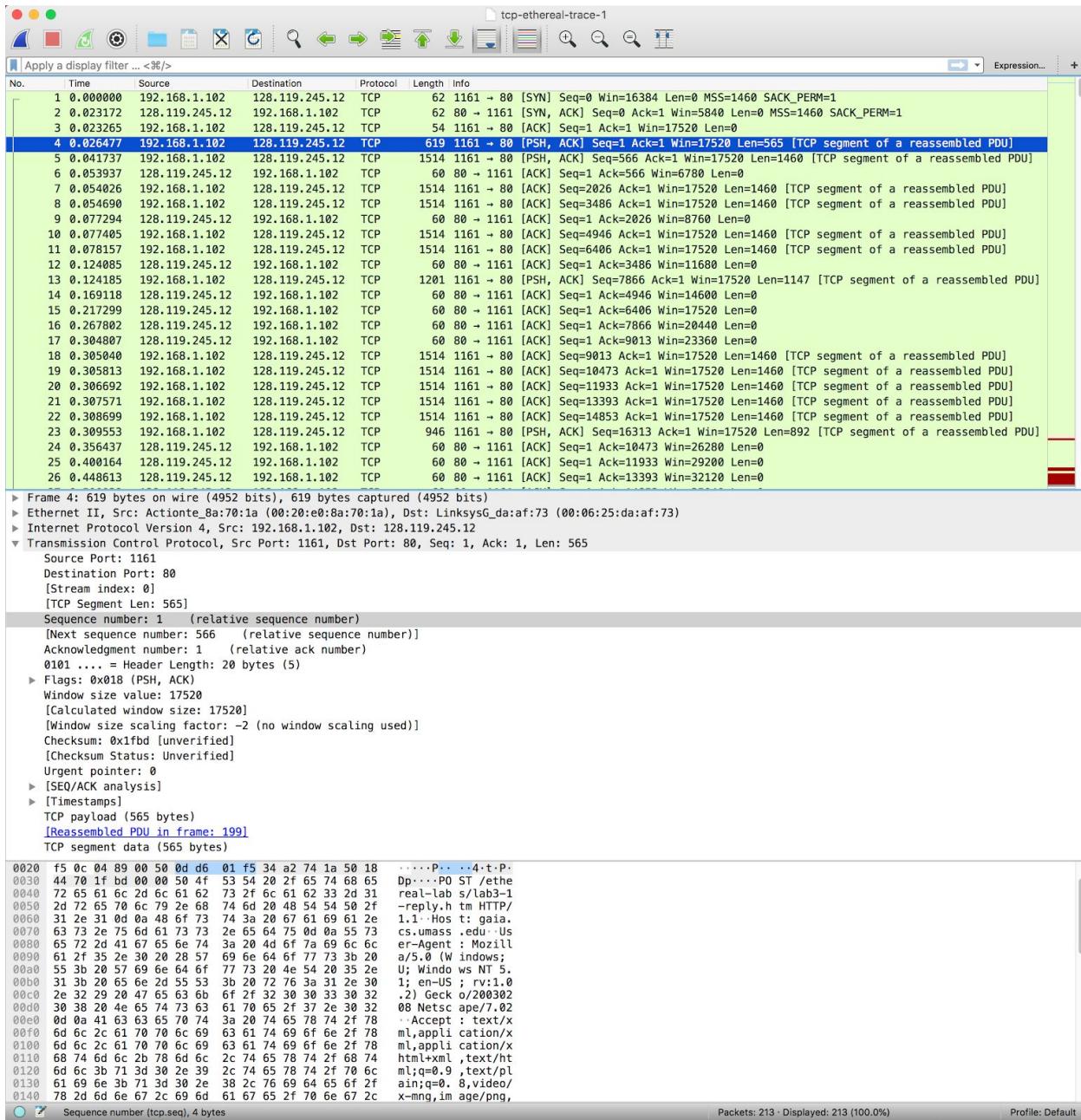
1 -> 1, 2 -> 566, 3 -> 2026, 4 -> 3486, 5 -> 4946 and 6 -> 6406.

The timings of the 6 segments are:

Segment #	Sent Time(Sec)	ACK Received(Sec)	RTT(Sec)
Segment 1	0.026477	0.053937	0.027460
Segment 2	0.041737	0.077294	0.035557
Segment 3	0.054026	0.124085	0.070059
Segment 4	0.054690	0.169118	0.114430
Segment 5	0.077405	0.218299	0.139890
Segment 6	0.078157	0.267802	0.189640

Estimated RTT calculation for segments:

1. Estimated RTT_1 remains the same as RTT for 1st segment = 0.02746s
2. Estimated $RTT_2 = 0.875 * 0.02746 + 0.125 * 0.035557 = 0.0285s.$
3. Estimated $RTT_3 = 0.875 * 0.0285 + 0.125 * 0.070059 = 0.0337s.$
4. Estimated $RTT_4 = 0.875 * 0.0337 + 0.125 * 0.114430 = 0.0438s.$
5. Estimated $RTT_5 = 0.875 * 0.0438 + 0.125 * 0.139890 = 0.0558s.$
6. Estimated $RTT_6 = 0.875 * 0.0558 + 0.125 * 0.189640 = 0.0725s.$

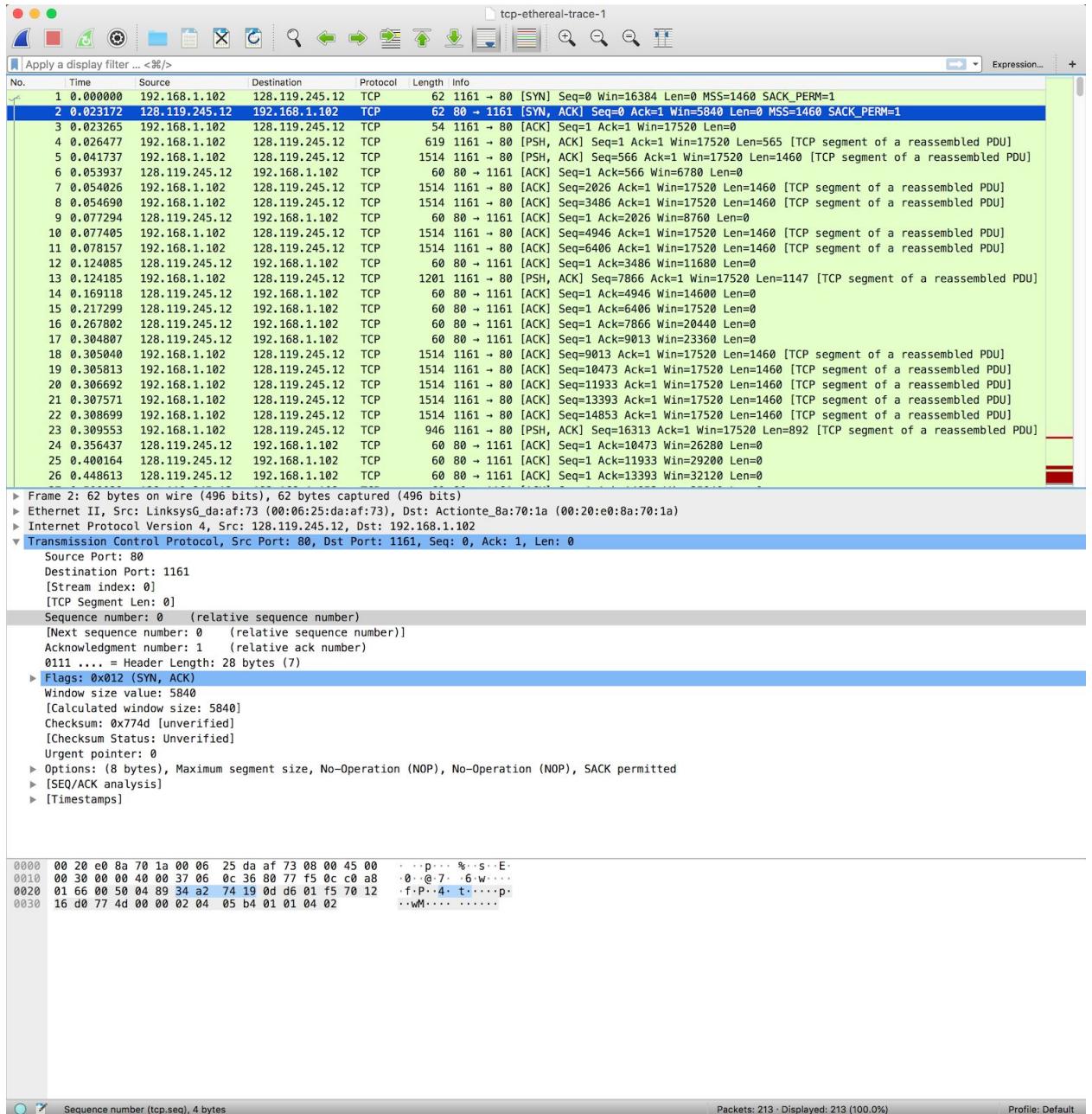


6. Length of the first 6 segments:

- 1 -> 565 bytes
- 2 -> 1460 bytes
- 3 -> 1460 bytes
- 4 -> 1460 bytes
- 5 -> 1460 bytes
- 6 -> 1460 bytes

7. The minimum amount of buffer space advertised at the server is 5840 bytes, as seen from the first ACK from the server. The receiver window grows until a maximum receiver

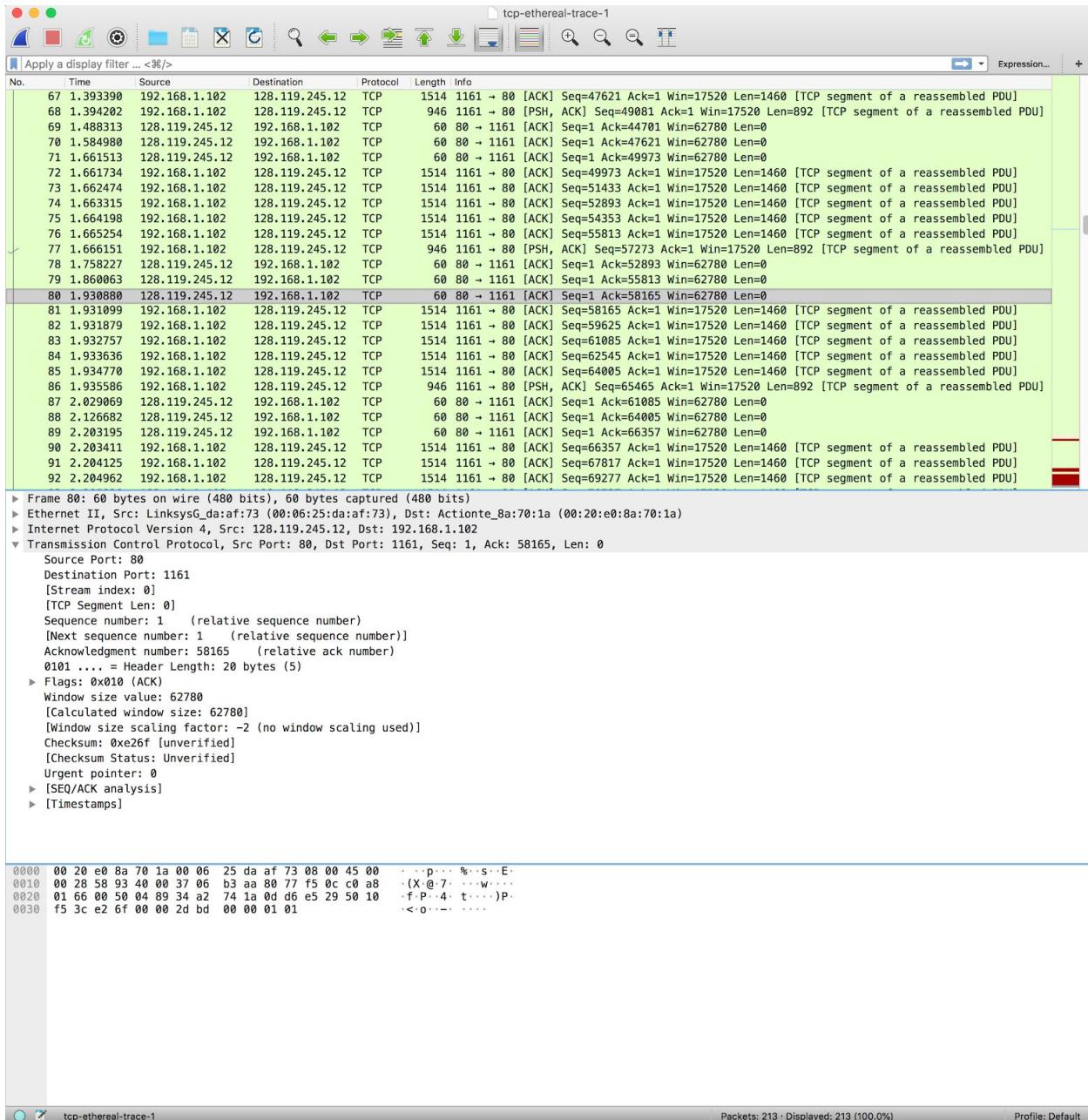
buffer size of 62780 bytes. The sender is never throttled due to lack of receiver buffer space.



8. There are no retransmitted segments in this trace file. We can check for retransmitted segments by checking the sequence numbers of TCP segments in the file. As observed, all sequence numbers increase uniformly with time. If a retransmission had occurred, a sequence number would be out of order, that is, smaller than its neighbouring segments.
9. The difference between the acknowledged sequence numbers of two consecutive ACKs gives the amount of data received by the server between these two ACKs. The acknowledged sequence numbers and their amount is given below:

ACK	ACK Sequence Number	ACK Data
ACK 1	566	566
ACK 2	2026	1460
ACK 3	3486	1460
ACK 4	4946	1460
ACK 5	6406	1460
ACK 6	7866	1460
ACK 7	9013	1147
ACK 8	10473	1460
ACK 9	11933	1460
ACK 10	13393	1460
ACK 11	14853	1460
ACK 12	16313	1460

Segment 80 acknowledged data of 2920 bytes which indicates that the receiver has ACKed every other segment since the receiver usually ACKs data of 1460 bytes.



10. The throughput can be calculated by calculating the total data transferred from sender to receiver and the total time taken to transfer this data.

The total data transferred is obtained by computing the difference between the sequence number of 1st TCP segment and the acknowledged number of the last ACK:

$164091(\text{ACK of last segment } 202) - 1(\text{ACK of segment } 4) = 164090 \text{ bytes.}$

The total time is the difference in time of first TCP segment and the last ACK sent by the receiver:

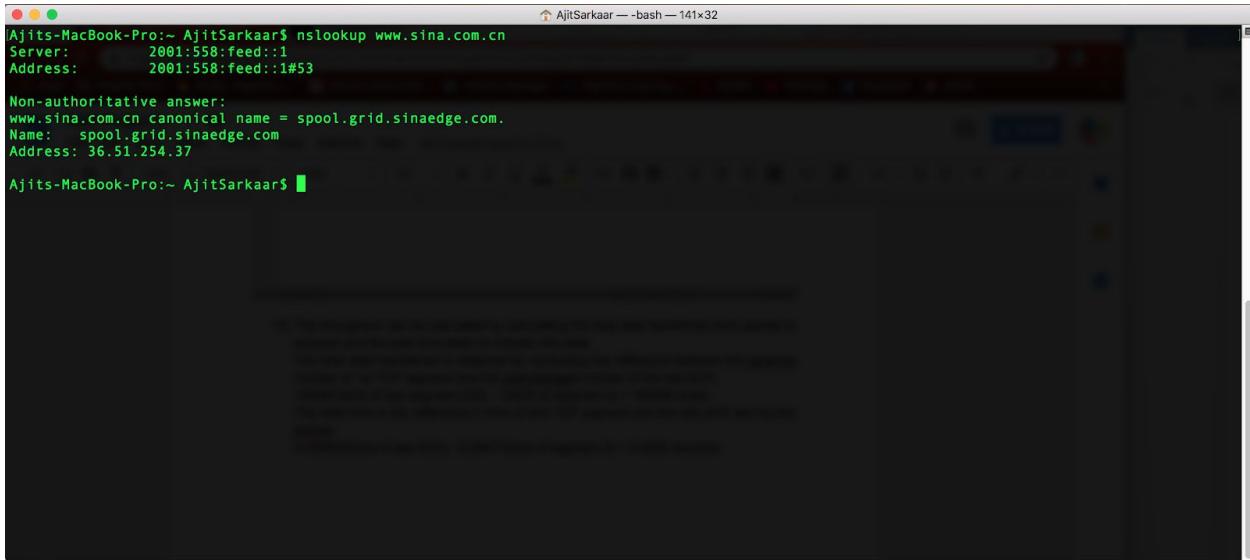
$5.455830(\text{time of last ACK}) - 0.26477(\text{time of segment 4}) = 5.4292 \text{ seconds.}$

Hence, the throughput for the TCP connection is:

$$164090 / 5.4292 = 30.333 \text{KBytes/seconds.}$$

PART 2.3

1. After running the command nslookup www.sina.com.cn, the IP address of the web server www.sina.com.cn is: 36.51.254.37



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Ajits-MacBook-Pro:~ AjitSarkaar$ nslookup www.sina.com.cn
Server:  2001:558:feed::1
Address: 2001:558:feed::1#53

Non-authoritative answer:
www.sina.com.cn canonical name = spool.grid.sinaedge.com.
Name:  spool.grid.sinaedge.com
Address: 36.51.254.37

Ajits-MacBook-Pro:~ AjitSarkaar$
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2. After running the command nslookup -type=NS uoi.gr, the authoritative DNS servers for University of Ioannina in Greece are given below: sns1.grnet.gr 83.212.5.22



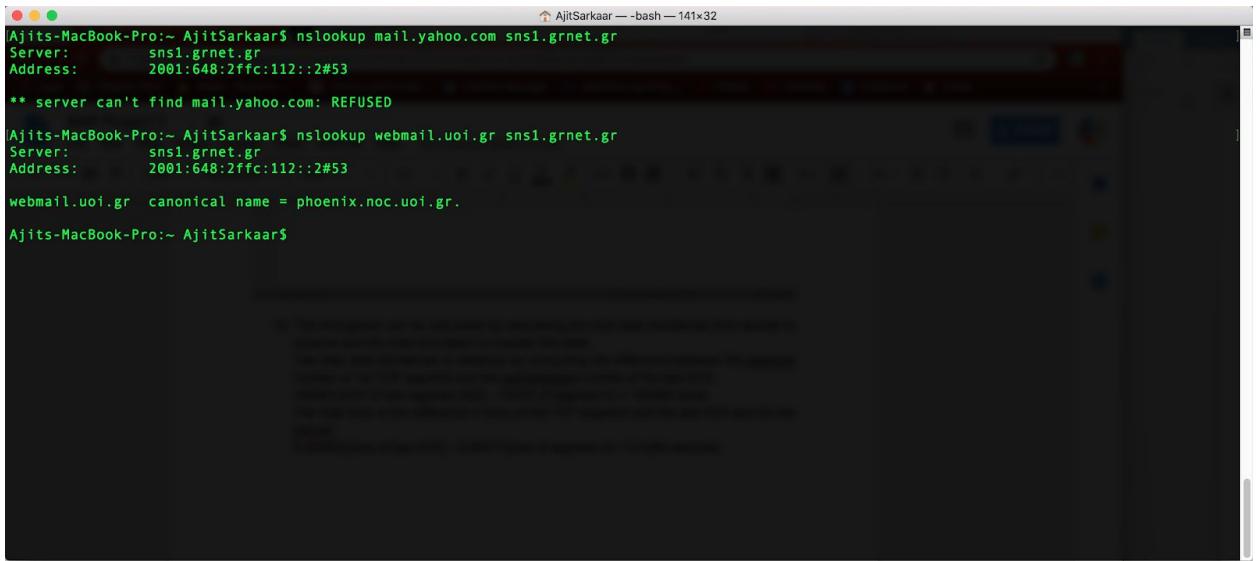
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Ajits-MacBook-Pro:~ AjitSarkaar$ nslookup -type=NS uoi.gr
Server:  2001:558:feed::1
Address: 2001:558:feed::1#53

Non-authoritative answer:
uoi.gr  nameserver = sns1.grnet.gr.
uoi.gr  nameserver = marina.noc.uoi.gr.
uoi.gr  nameserver = sns0.grnet.gr.
uoi.gr  nameserver = kouzina.noc.uoi.gr.

Authoritative answers can be found from:
sns1.grnet.gr  internet address = 83.212.5.22

Ajits-MacBook-Pro:~ AjitSarkaar$
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3. Running the command nslookup mail.yahoo.com sns1.grnet.gr, the server cant find the address of the mail server due to security rules, and refuses the connection as shown below. After trying to query the authoritative DNS servers of uoi.gr, of the domain name webmail.uoi.gr, the canonical name for the mail server is returned as shown below:

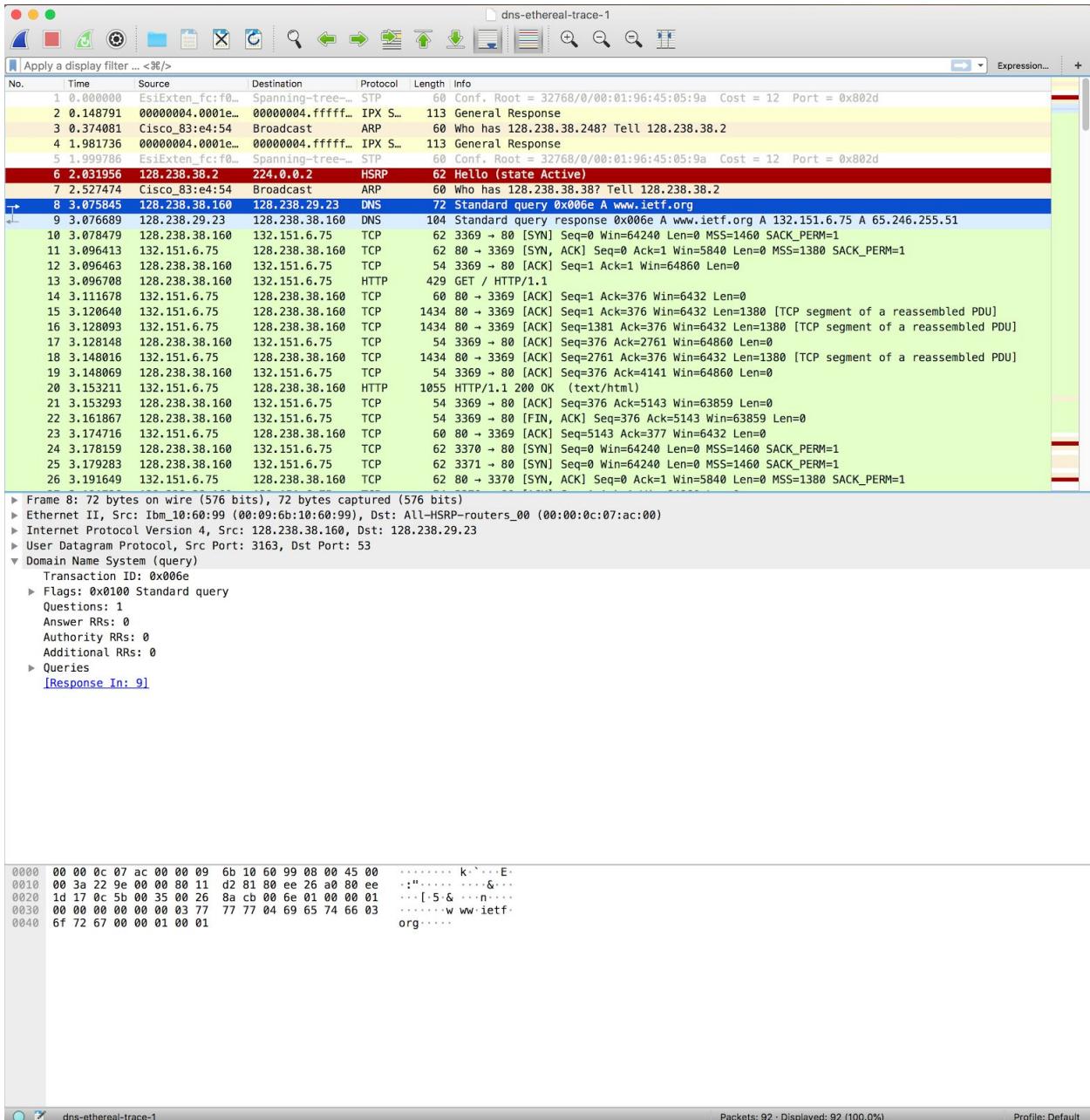
A screenshot of a terminal window titled "AjitSarkaar — bash — 141x32". The window contains the following text:

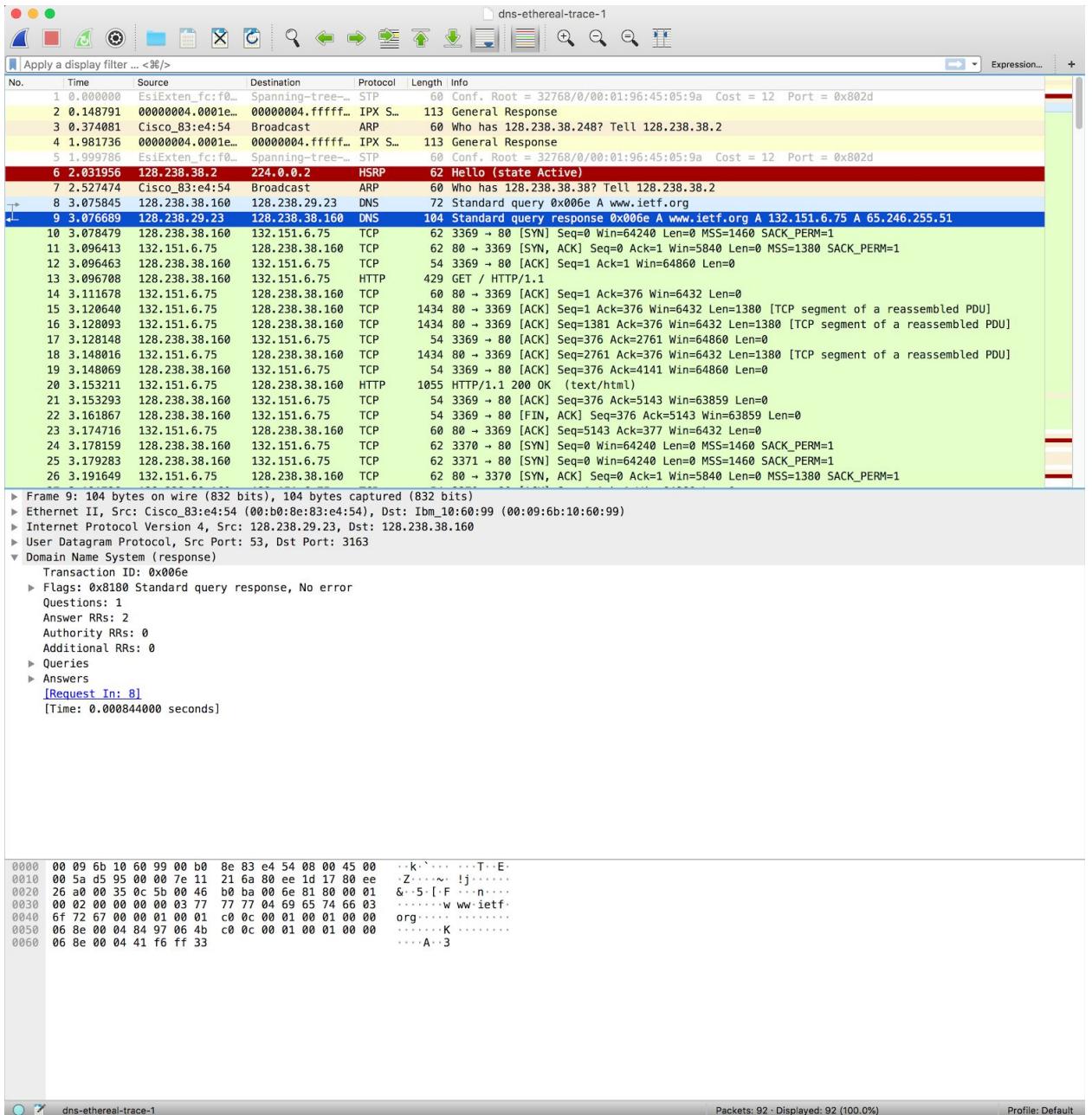
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Ajits-MacBook-Pro:~ AjitSarkaar$ nslookup mail.yahoo.com sns1.grnet.gr
Server:      sns1.grnet.gr
Address:    2001:648:2ffc:112::2#53
** server can't find mail.yahoo.com: REFUSED

Ajits-MacBook-Pro:~ AjitSarkaar$ nslookup webmail.uoi.gr sns1.grnet.gr
Server:      sns1.grnet.gr
Address:    2001:648:2ffc:112::2#53
webmail.uoi.gr canonical name = phoenix.noc.uoi.gr.

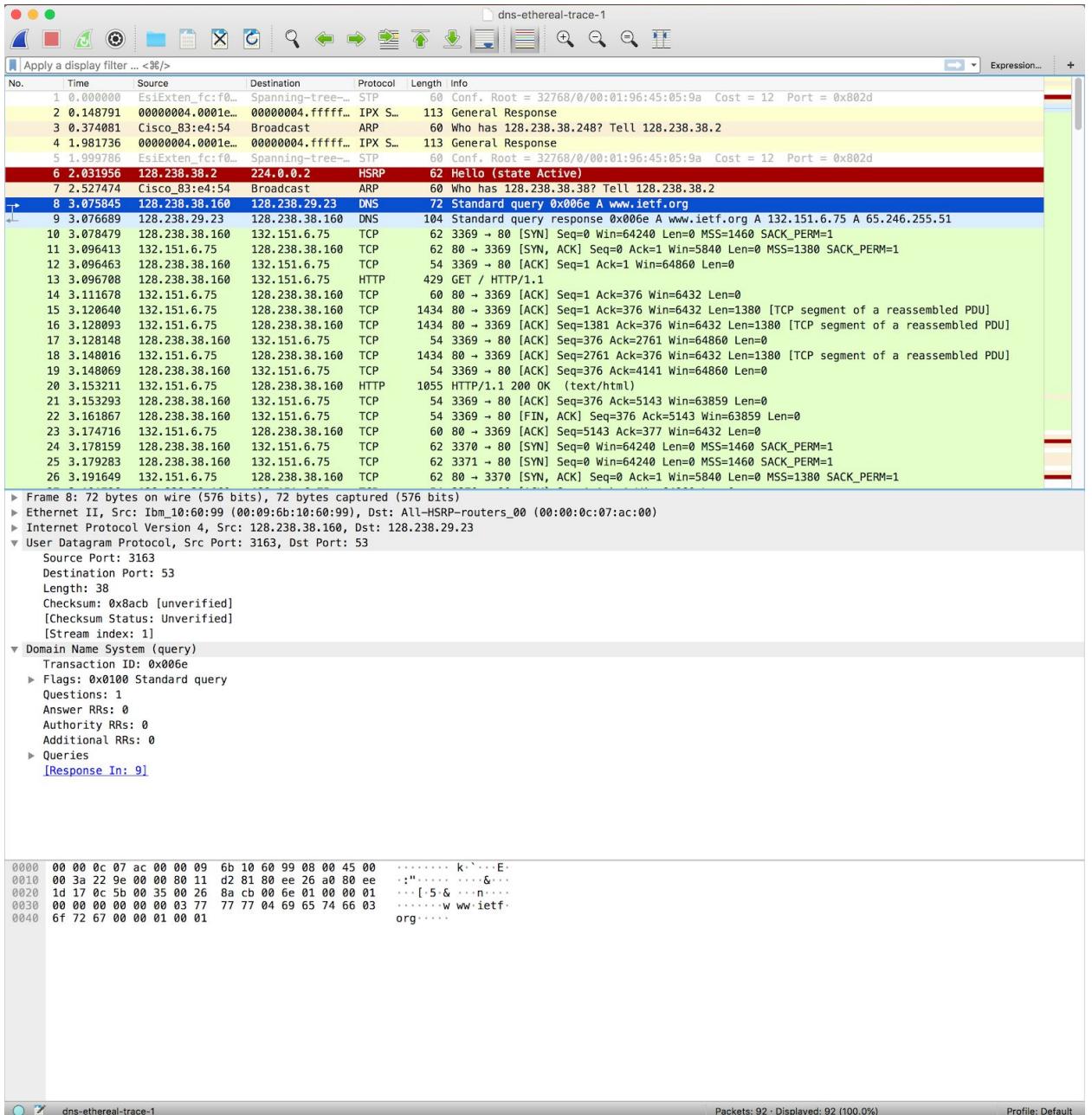
Ajits-MacBook-Pro:~ AjitSarkaar$
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4. They are sent over UDP.

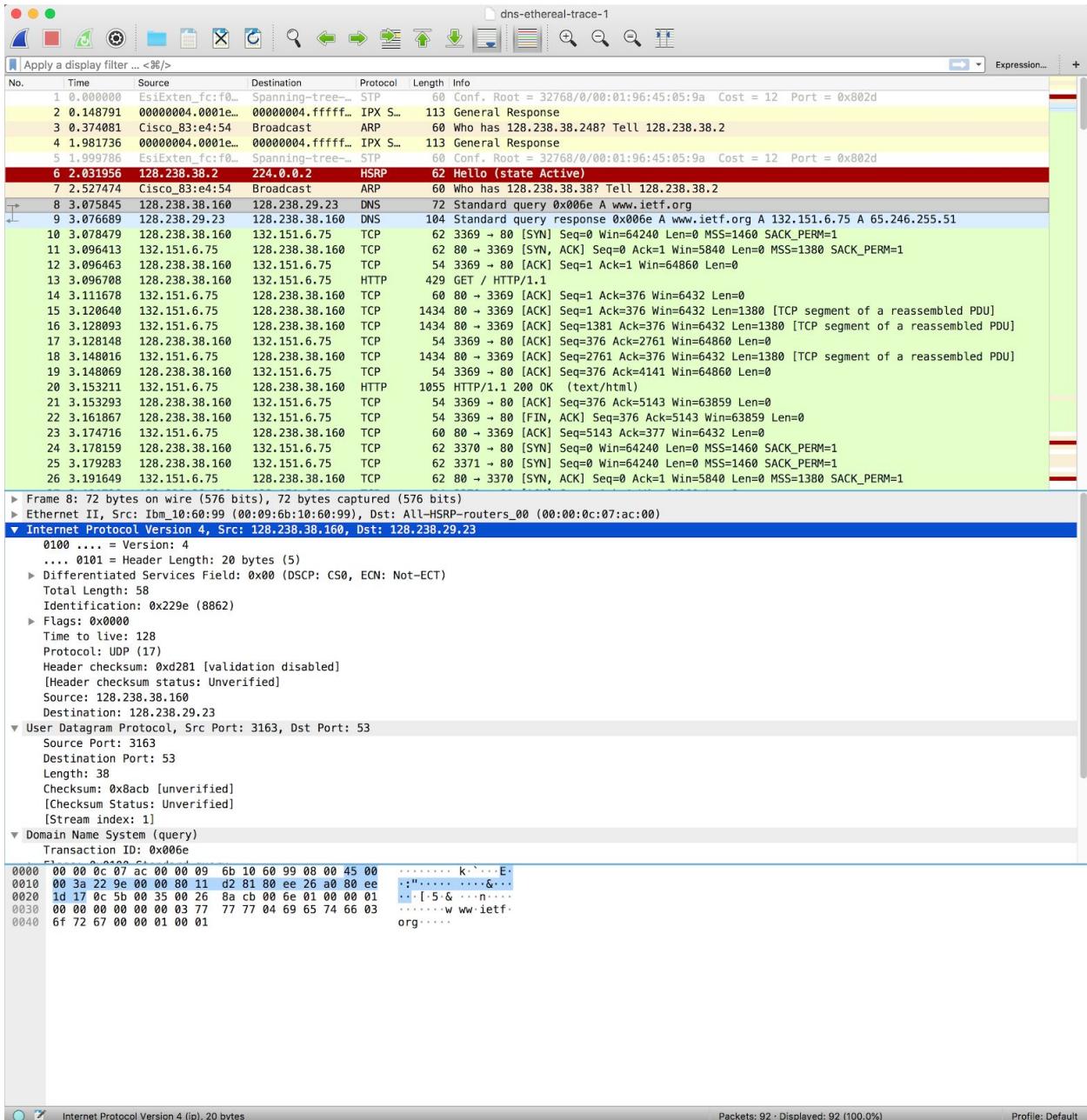




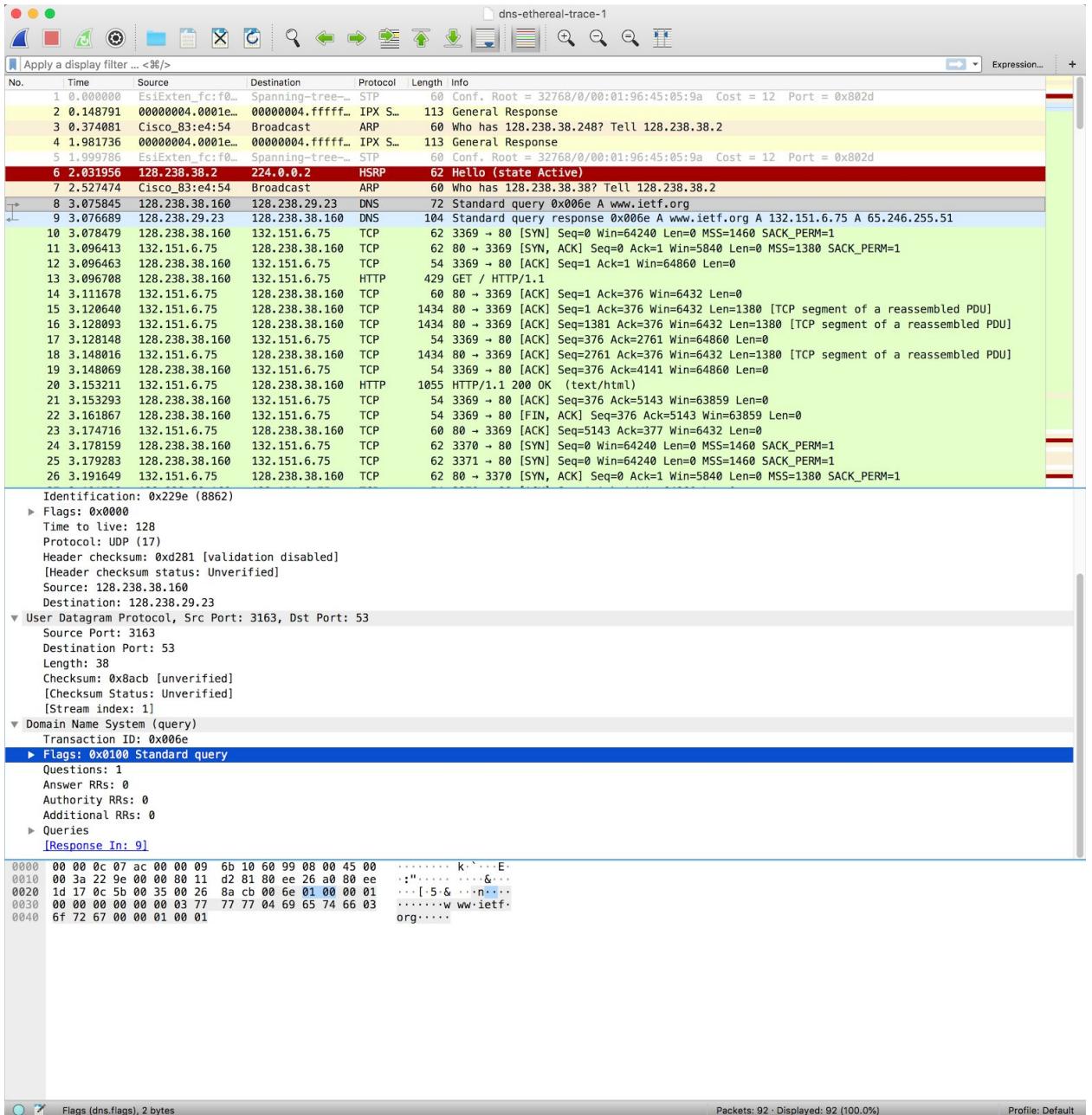
5. The destination port for the DNS query is 53 and the source port of the DNS response is 53.



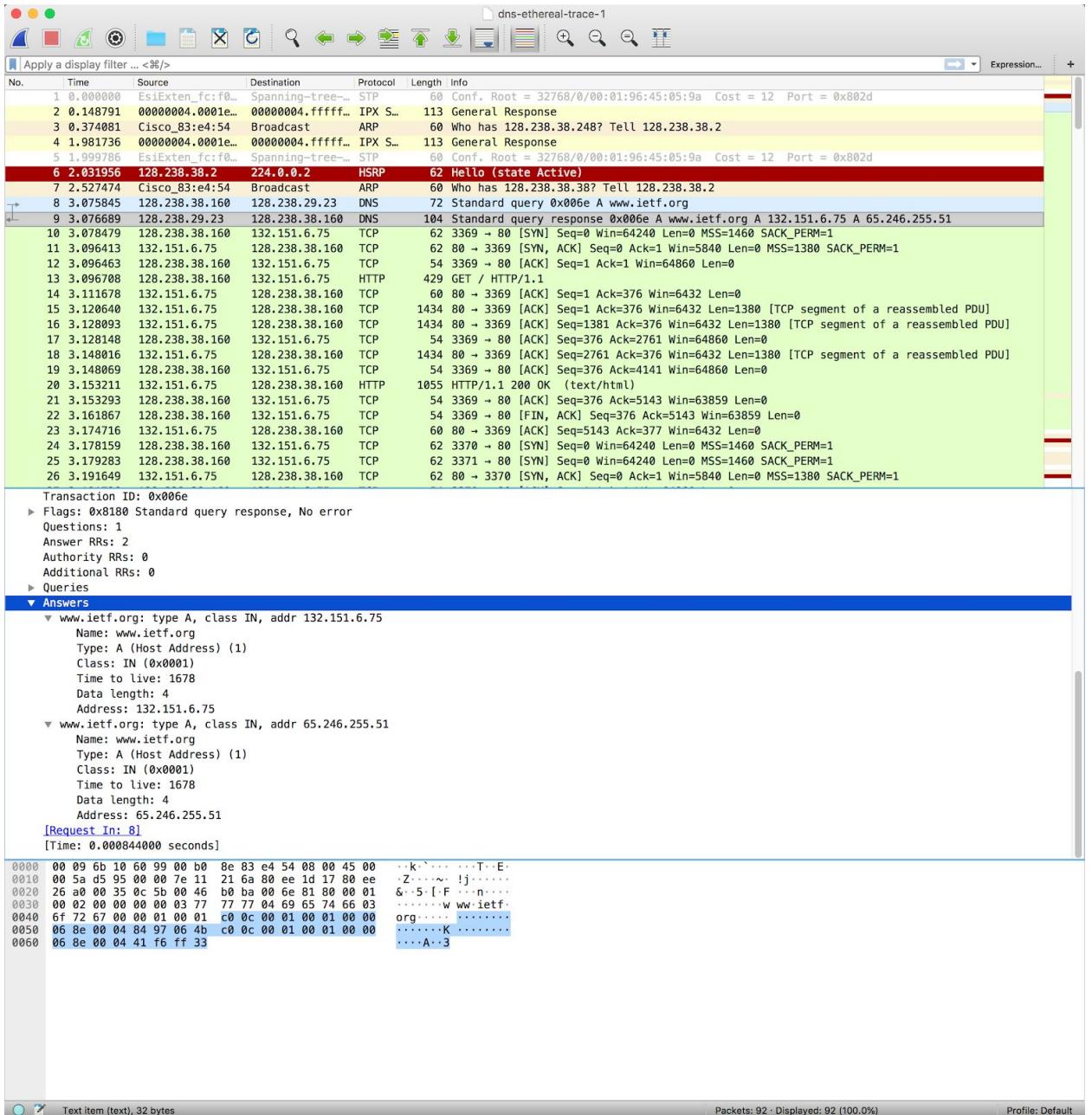
6. The DNS query message is sent to the IP address: 128.238.29.23
- The IP address of the DNS server of the local host is: 128.238.29.23



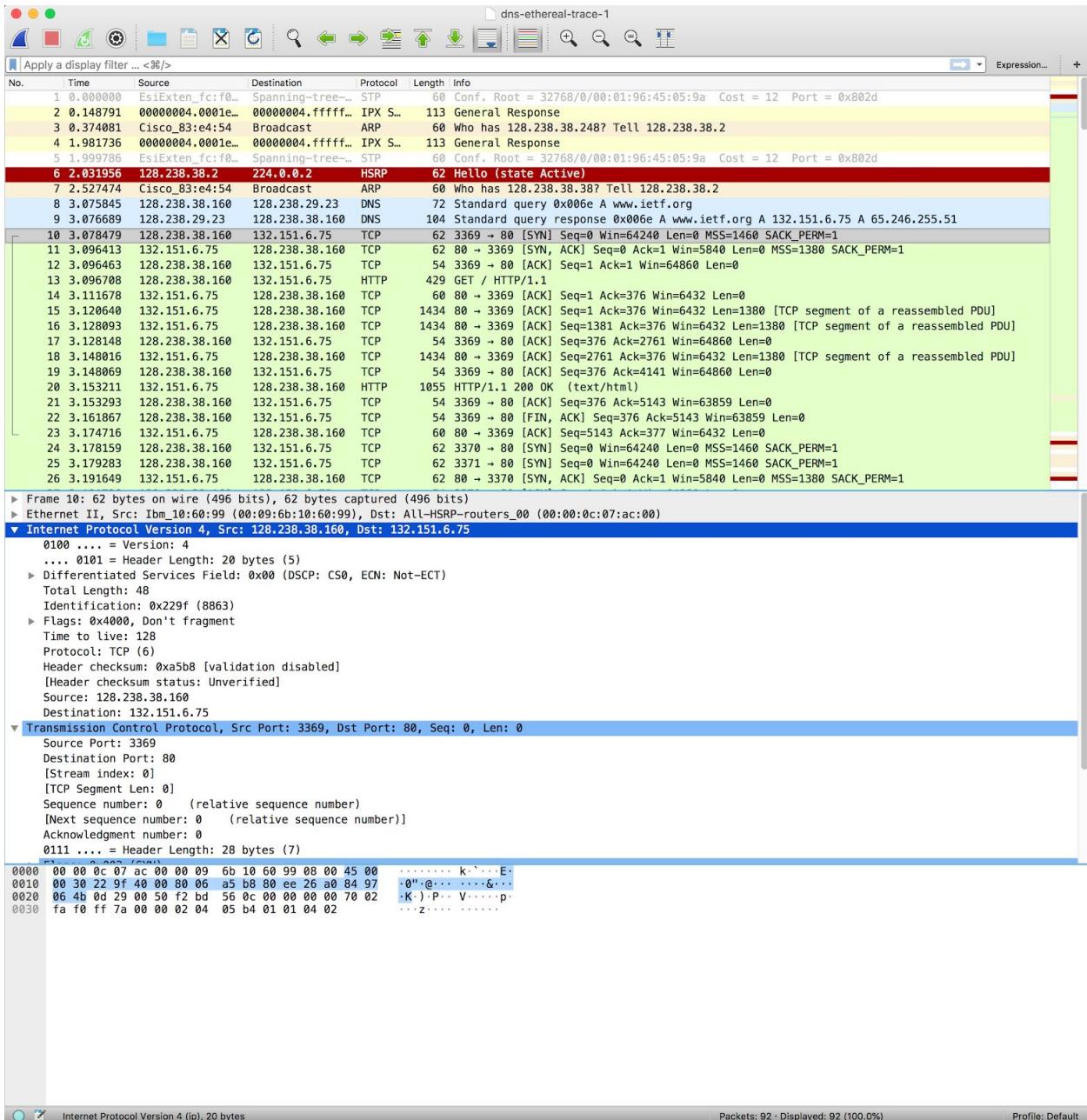
7. The query is a Standard type A query. The query message does not contain any answers.



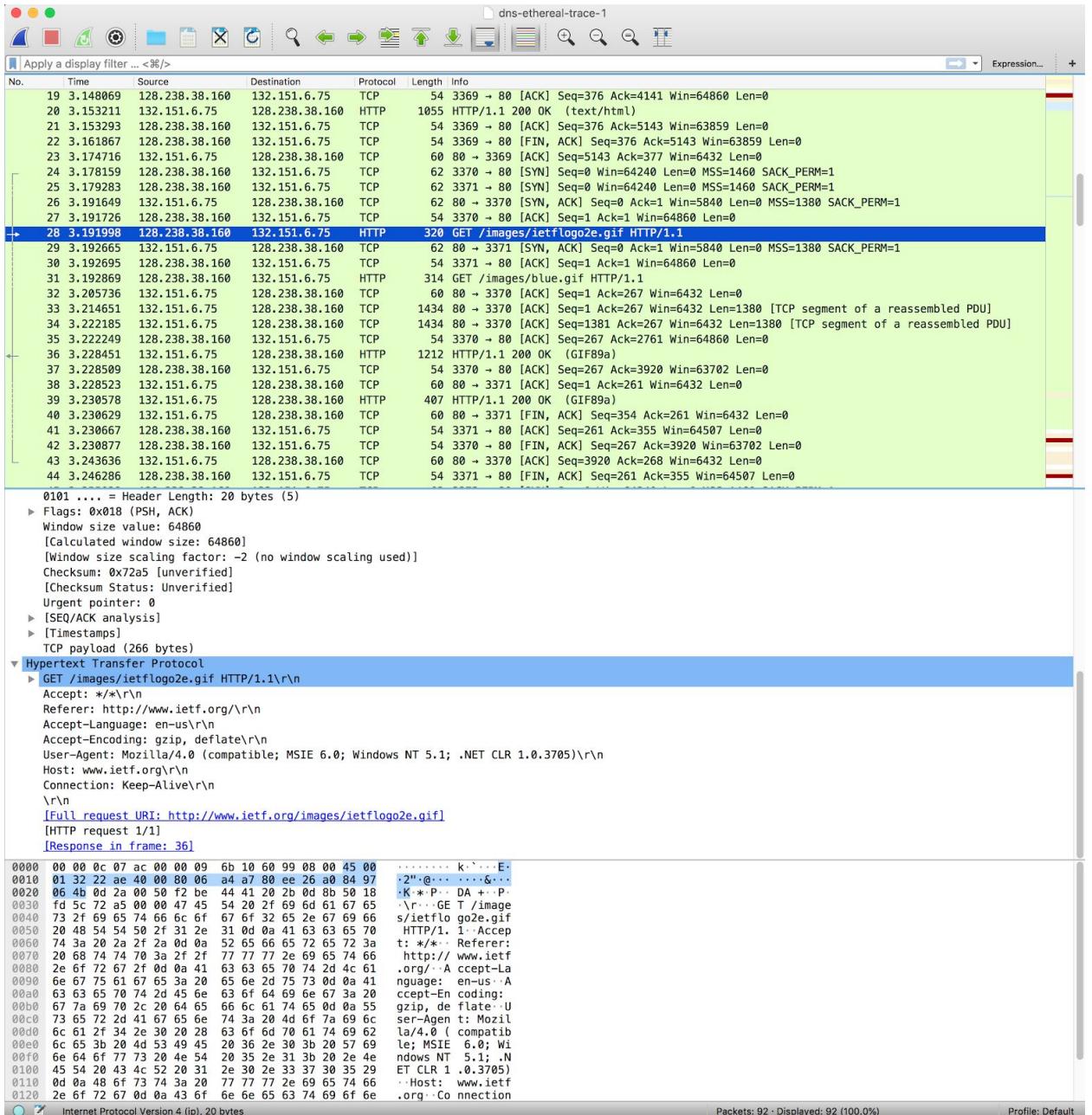
- There are 2 answers provided. The answers contain information about the name of host, type of address, the class, the TTL, data length and the IP address.



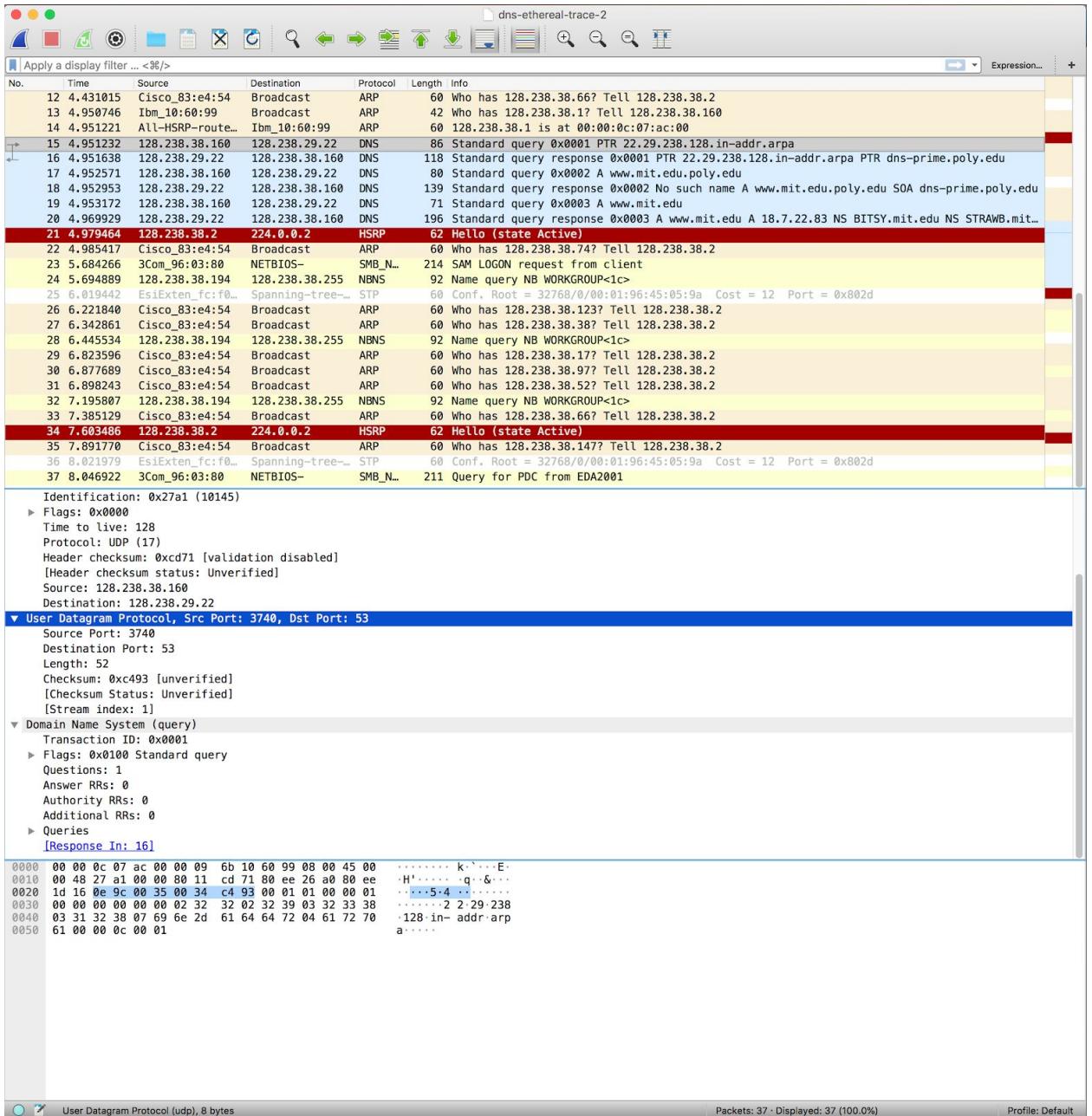
- The first SYN packet is sent to 132.151.6.75 which corresponds to the first IP address provided in the DNS response message.

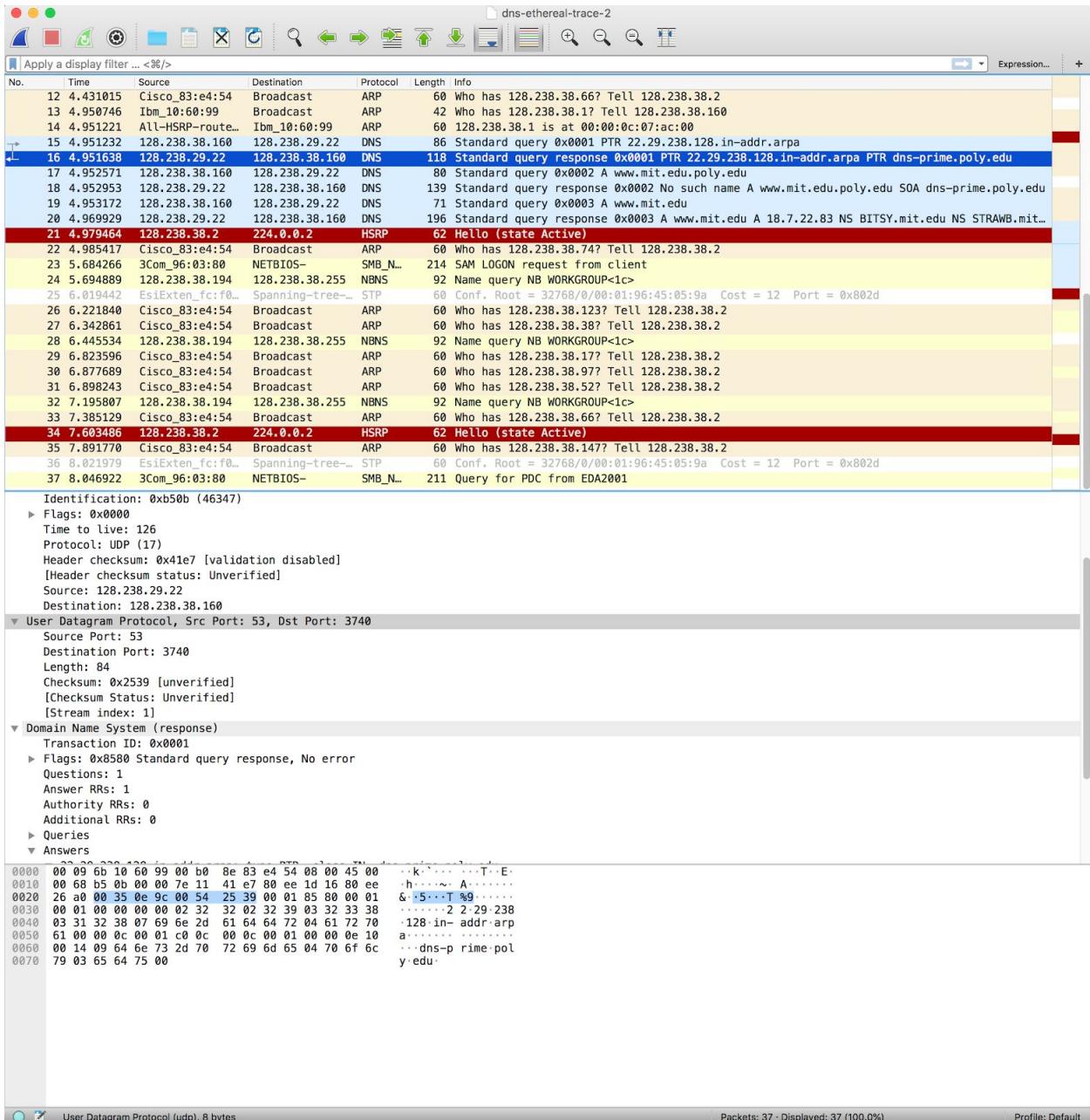


10. No, new DNS queries are not issued before retrieving each image.

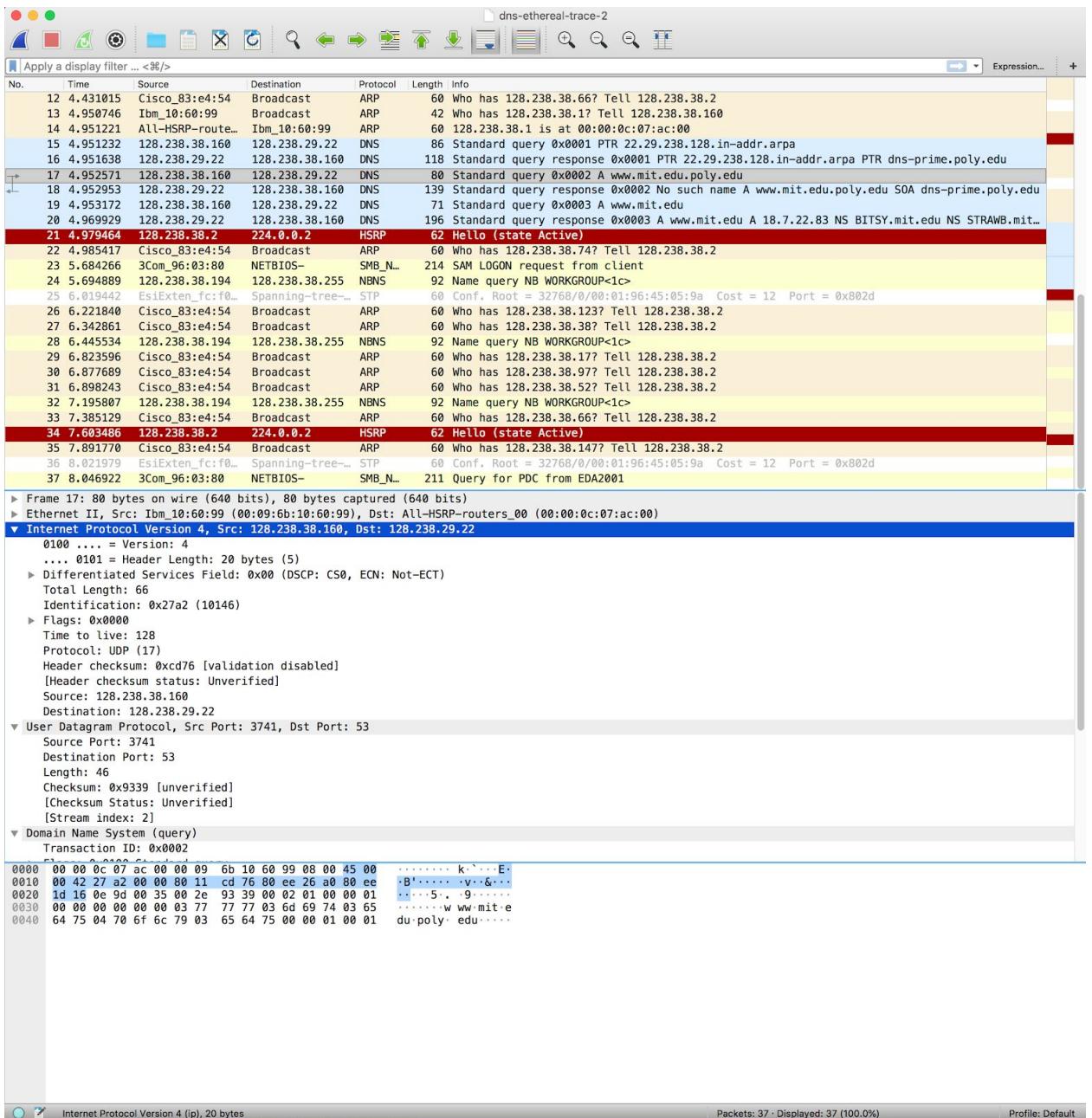


11. The destination port of the DNS query is 53 and the source port of the response is 53.

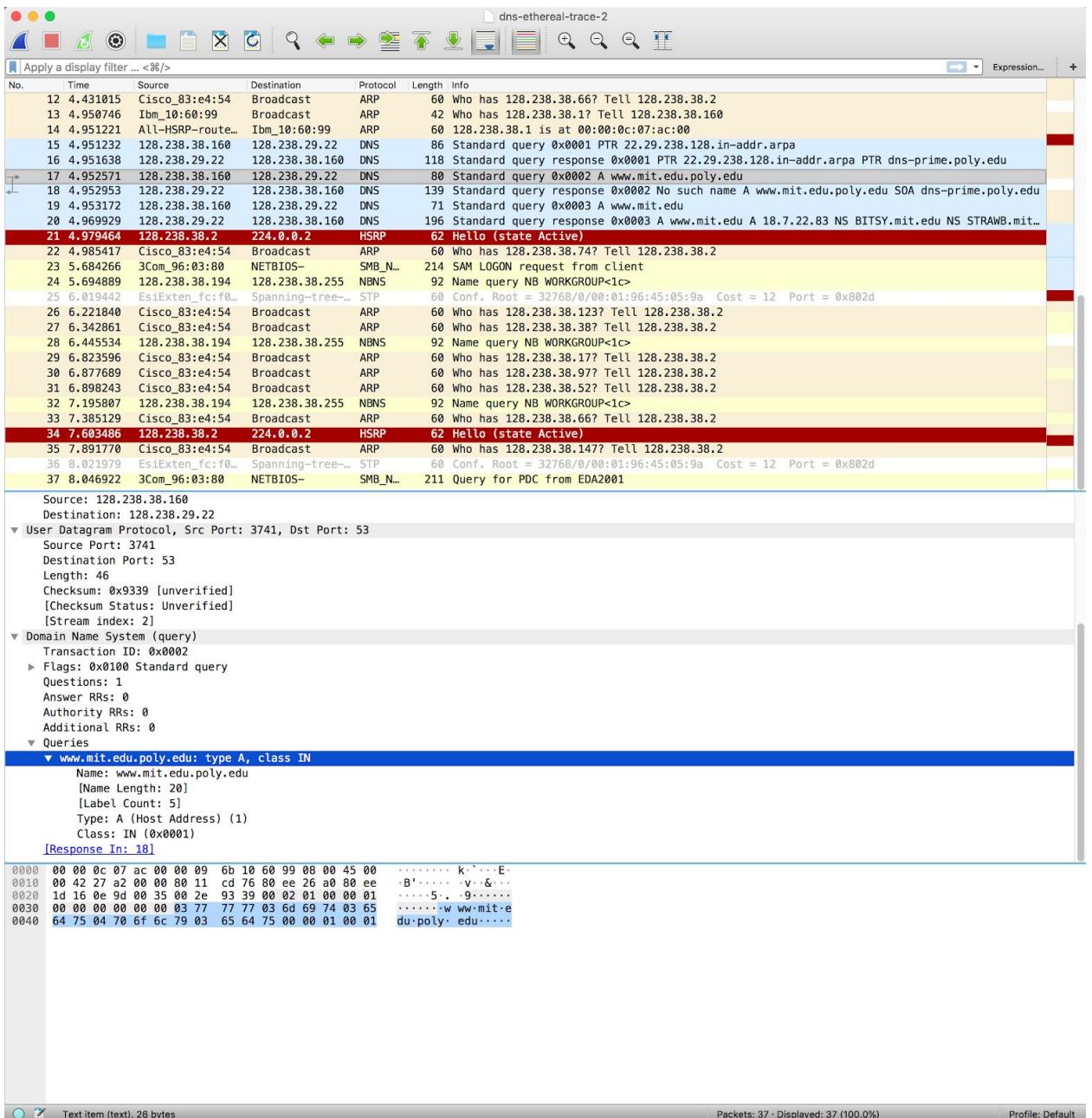




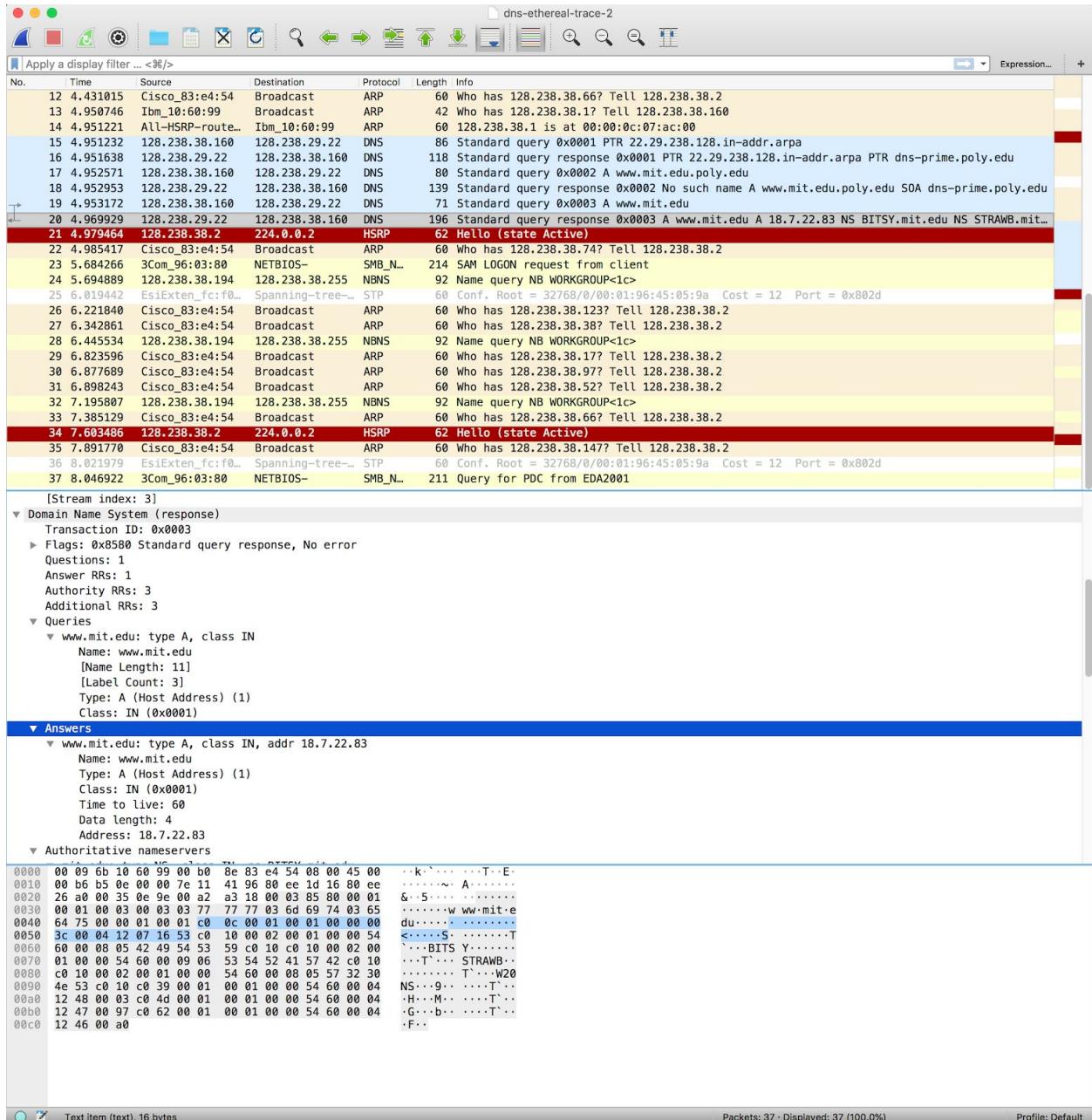
12. The DNS query message is sent to IP address: 128.238.29.22. This is the IP address of the local default DNS server.



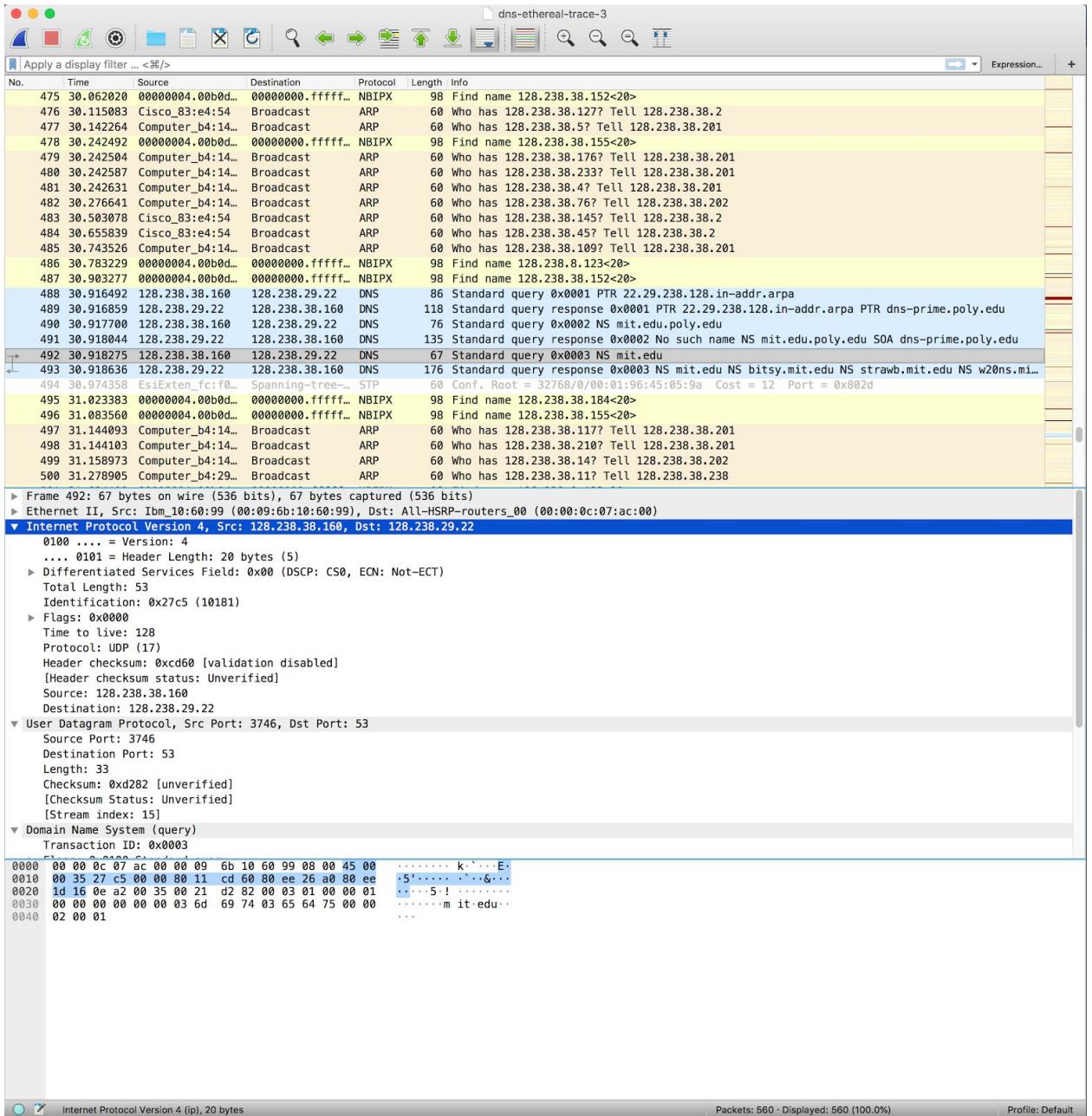
13. The query is of type A. It does not contain any answers.



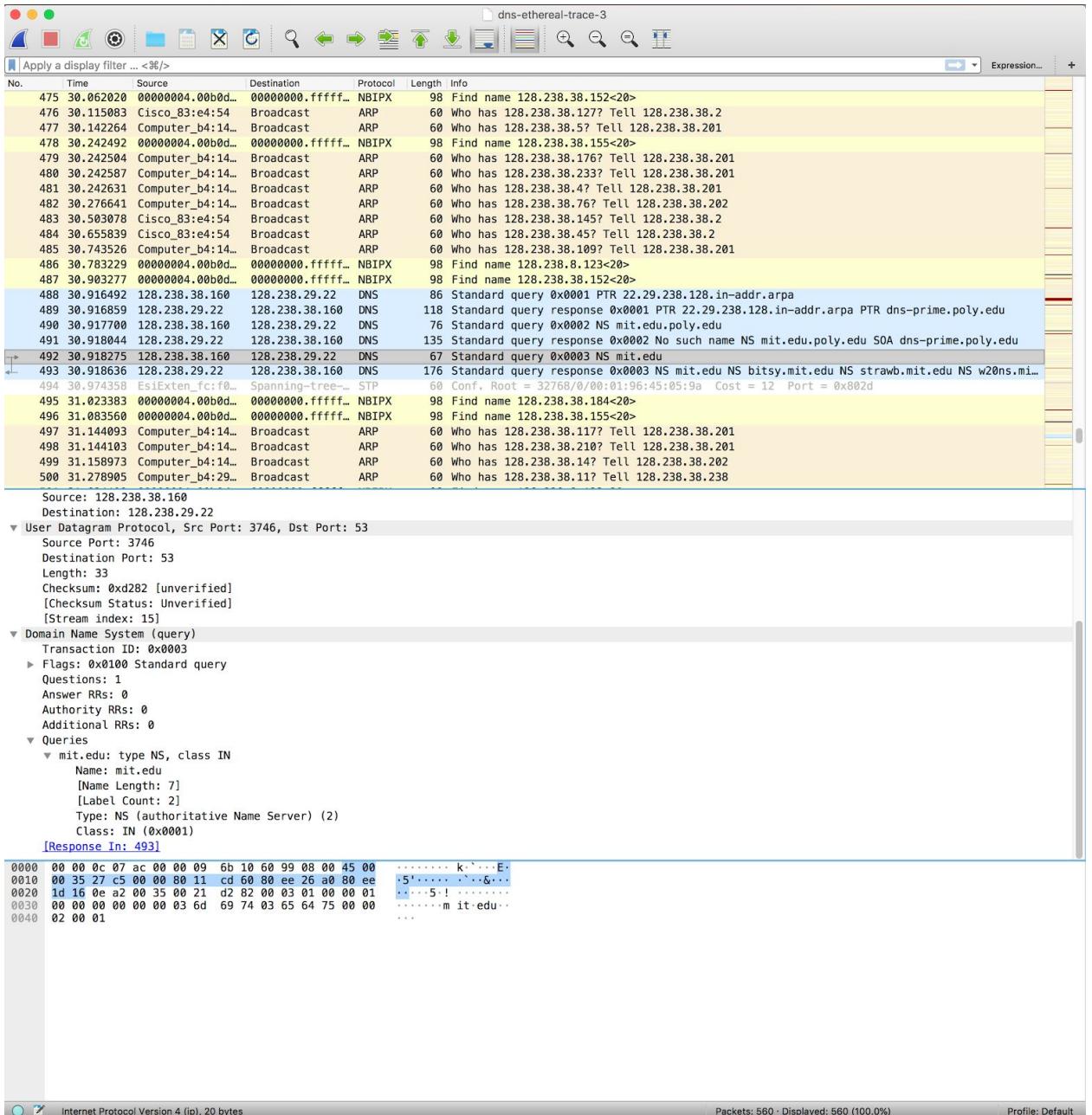
14. There is only 1 answer provided. The answer contains information about the name of host, type of address, the class, the TTL, data length and the IP address.



15. The DNS query message is sent to the IP address: 128.238.29.22 This is the IP address of the local default DNS server.



16. It's a type NS DNS query that doesn't contain any answers.



17. The response message provides the MIT nameservers bitsy.mit.edu, strawb.mit.edu and w20ns.mit.edu. The IP address are available in the additional records field of Wireshark as given below:

Additional records

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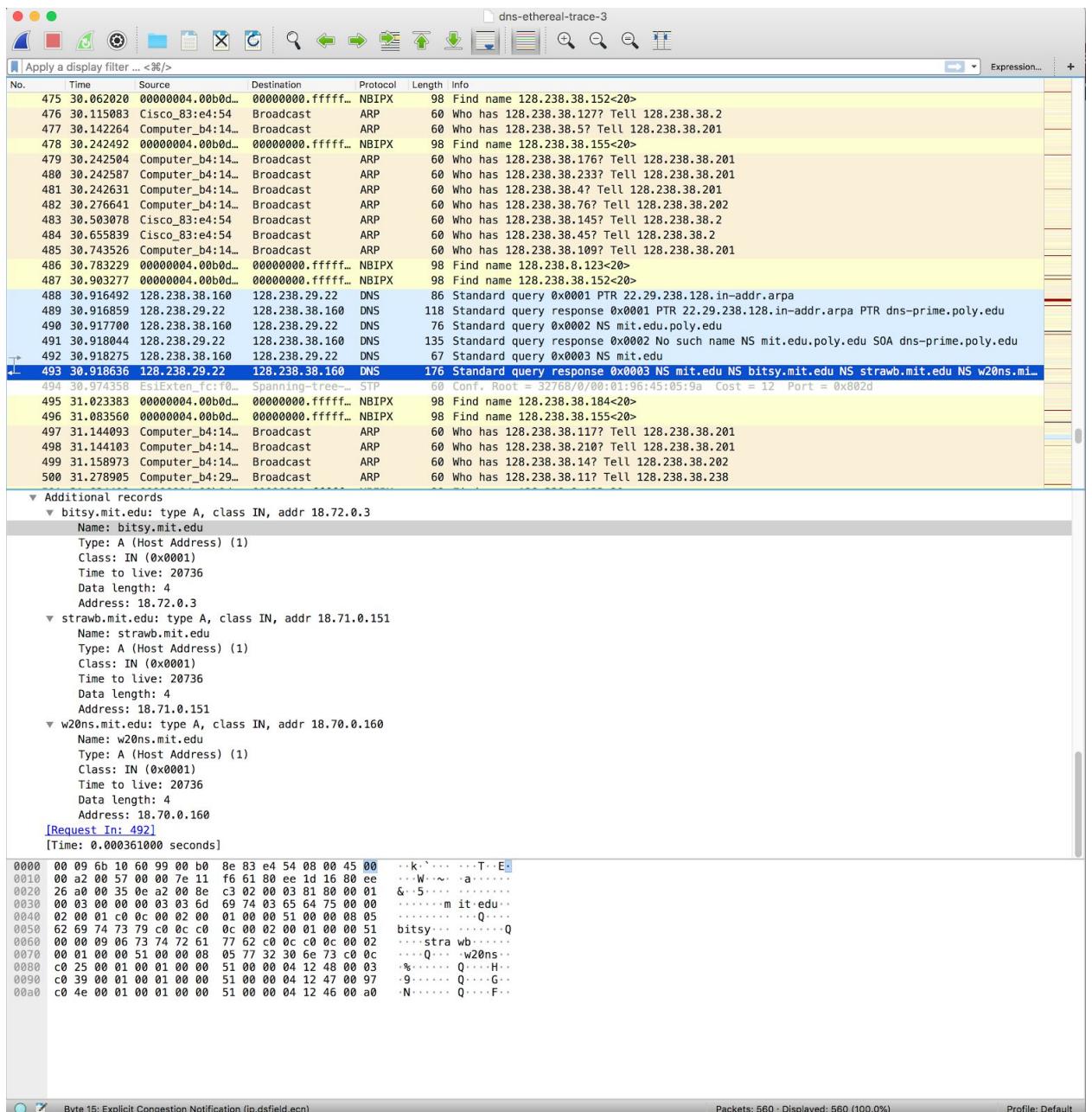
bitsy.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.72.0.3
  Name: bitsy.mit.edu
  Type: A (Host Address) (1)
  Class: IN (0x0001)
  Time to live: 20736
  Data length: 4
  Address: 18.72.0.3
strawb.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.71.0.151

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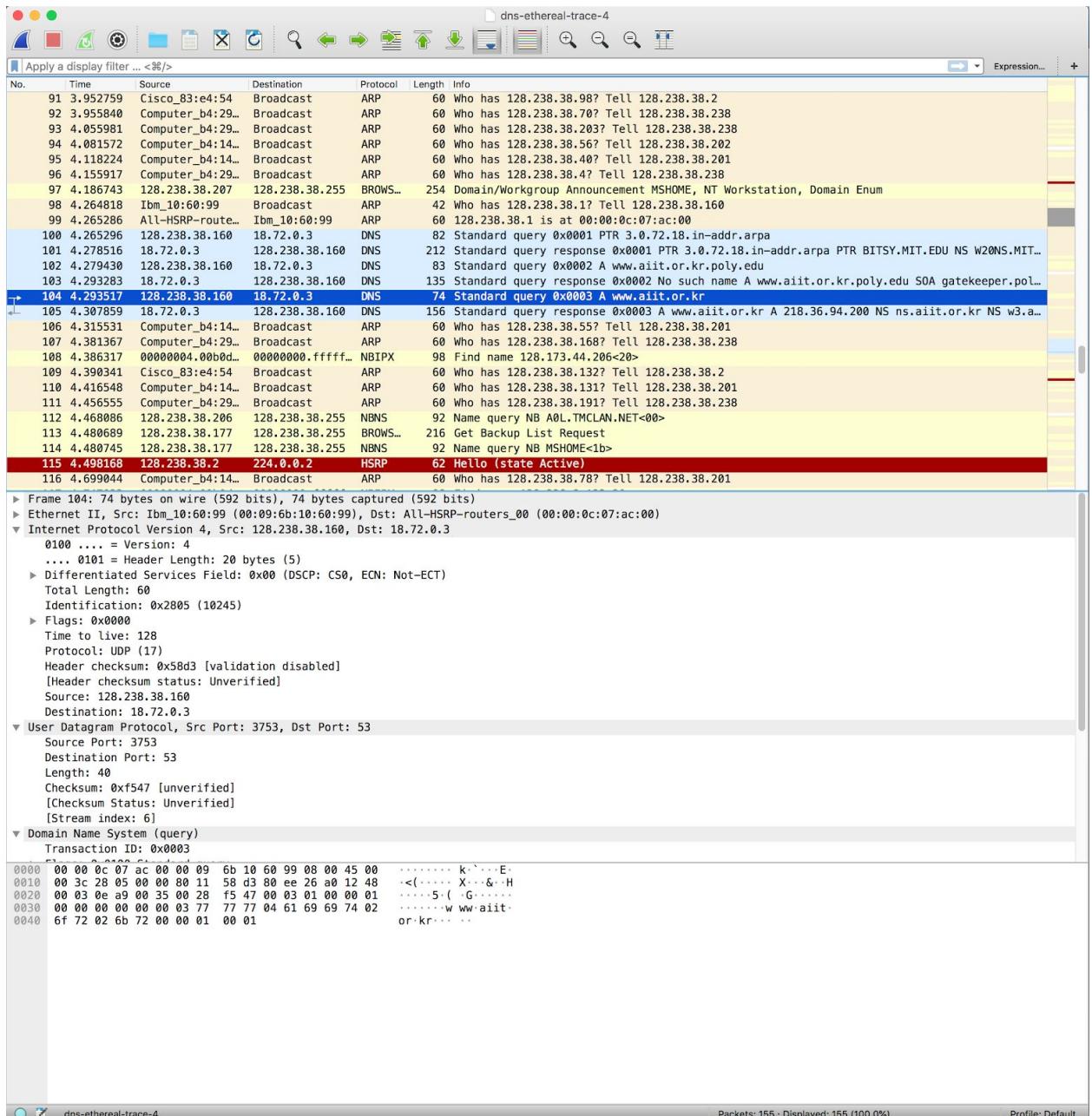
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Name: strawb.mit.edu
Type: A (Host Address) (1)
Class: IN (0x0001)
Time to live: 20736
Data length: 4
Address: 18.71.0.151

w20ns.mit.edu: type A, class IN, addr 18.70.0.160

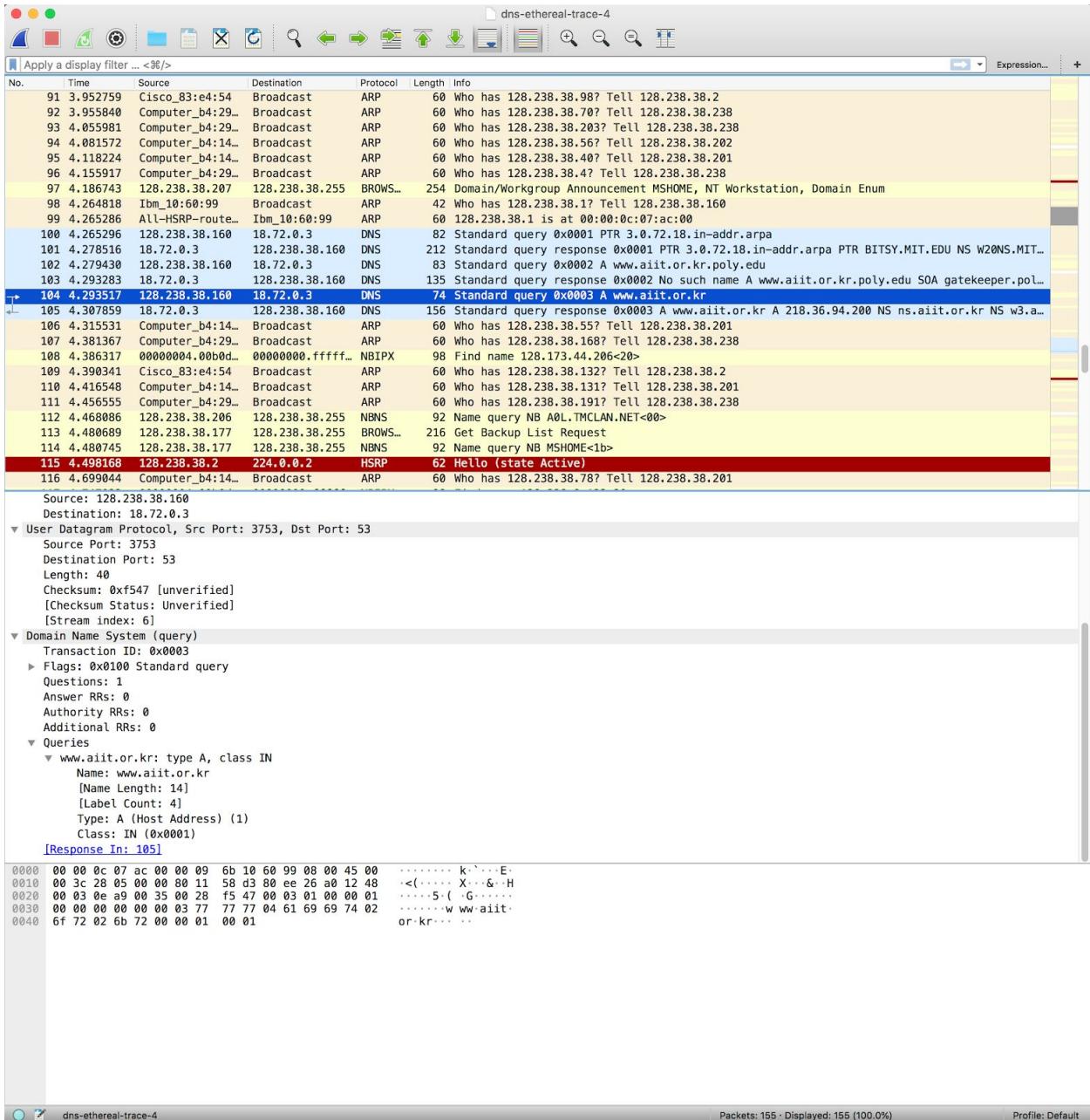
Name: w20ns.mit.edu
Type: A (Host Address) (1)
Class: IN (0x0001)
Time to live: 20736
Data length: 4
Address: 18.70.0.160
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18. The DNS query message is sent to the IP address: 18.72.0.3 which is the IP address of bitsy.mit.edu.



19. The DNS query is a standard Type A query. It does not contain any answers.



20. Only 1 answer is provided in the DNS response message. The answer is shown below:

Answers

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www.aiit.or.kr: type A, class IN, addr 218.36.94.200
Name: www.aiit.or.kr
Type: A (Host Address) (1)
Class: IN (0x0001)
Time to live: 3338
Data length: 4
Address: 218.36.94.200

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