

Ddos: Distributed Denial Of Service

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What exactly is Ddos ?

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A Distributed Denial of Service (DDoS) is a cyber-attack where the perpetrator seeks to make a machine or network resource unavailable to its intended users by temporarily or indefinitely disrupting services of a host connected to the Internet. A DDoS attack is launched from numerous compromised devices, often distributed globally in what is referred to as a botnet..

Types of Ddos

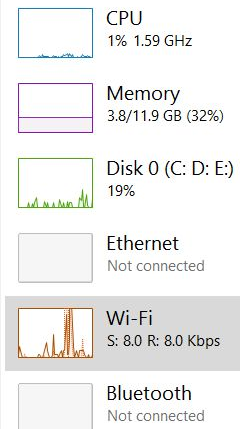
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- UDP Flood
- SYN Flood
- Ping of Death
- Slowloris
- NTP Amplification

Initial Attack Phase

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- We created a single python DOS script for UDP Flooding with network bandwidth of about 50Kbps.
- We then simulated small scale Ddos attack by running multiple instance of it.

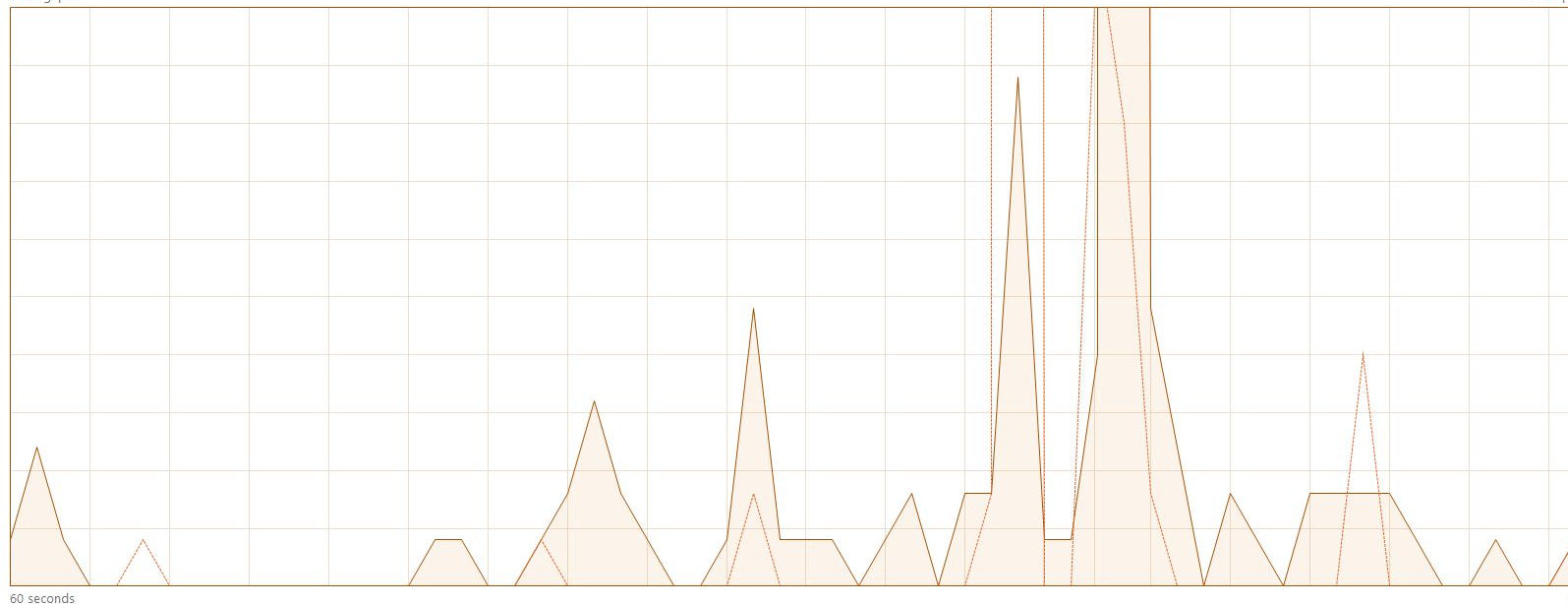


Wi-Fi

Throughput

Intel(R) Dual Band Wireless-AC 3160

100 Kbps



Send
8.0 Kbps

Receive
8.0 Kbps

Adapter name: **Wi-Fi**
SSID: **maalware**
Connection type: **802.11n**
IPv4 address: **192.168.0.104**
IPv6 address: **fe80::cdcd:d891:bc45:f405%9**
Signal strength:

Activate Windows

Go to Settings to activate Windows.

Transition In Attack Phase (50 kbps to 1 Gbps)

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- We ran a multiple instances of a simple scraping script using beautiful - soup in Amazon Web Services
- We live tested it on webindia123.com
- Result : Site crashed in around 4 minutes



Home

Contact

Is Yellowpages.webindia123.com Down?

Yellowpages.webindia123.com seems to be down. ✕

We have tried accessing the Yellowpages.webindia123.com website using our servers and we were unable to connect to the website. If Yellowpages.webindia123.com is also down for you then there is likely a problem with their servers. If you think this is an error you may proceed to the [troubleshooting](#) section o try to diagnose and resolve the problem.

This website was last checked: **2 secs ago**

Hit the check button to update this page.

Check Website ↺

Recently Checked

- ✕ yellowpages.webindia123.com
- ✓ openweathermap.org
- ✓ apetitar.com.br
- ✓ pizzacesar.apetitar.com.br
- ✓ 50.63.202.13
- ✓ punters.com.au

Information

Website Status

Currently Down ✕

Reponse Time

Error

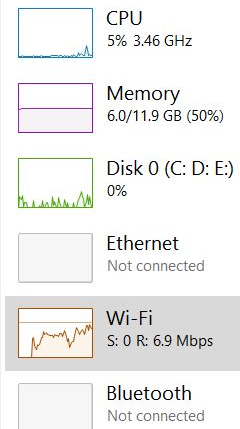
Response Code

Error

Attack Phase exploration

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- We searched for various Ddos simulation tools and came across Bonesi.
- BoNeSi is a network traffic generator for different protocol types. The attributes of the created packets and connections can be controlled by several parameters like send rate or payload size or they are determined by chance. It spoofs the source ip addresses even when generating tcp traffic.

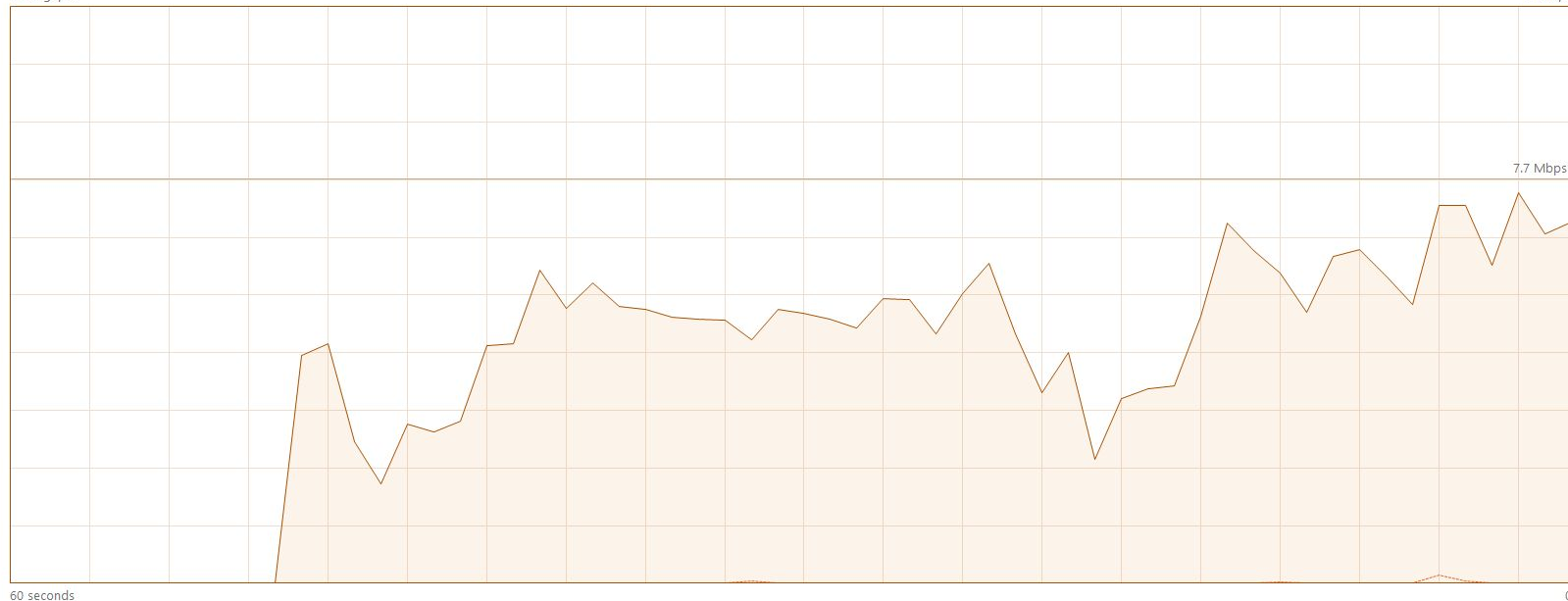


Wi-Fi

Throughput

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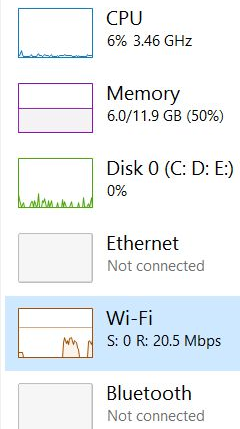
11 Mbps



Send	Adapter name:	Wi-Fi
16.0 Kbps	SSID:	maalware
	Connection type:	802.11n
Receive	IPv4 address:	192.168.0.106
6.9 Mbps	IPv6 address:	fe80::cdcd:d891:bc45:f405%9
	Signal strength:	

Activate Windows

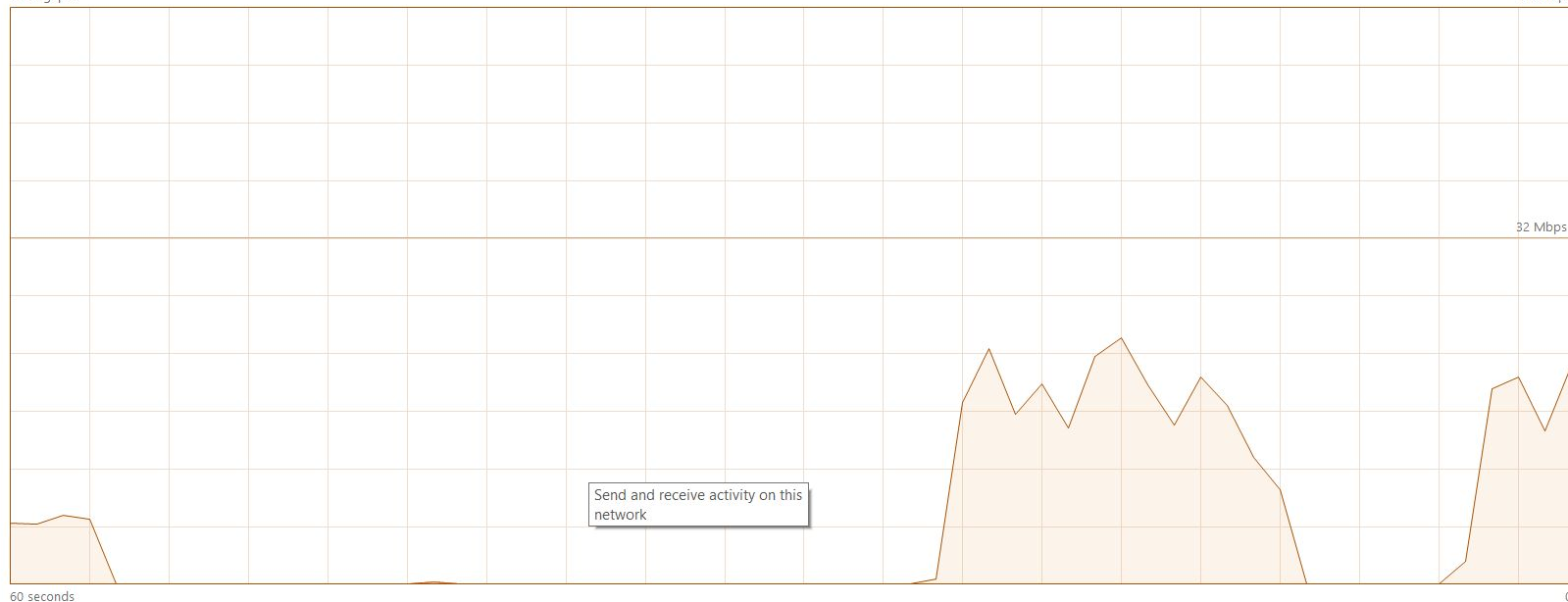
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Wi-Fi

Intel(R) Dual Band Wireless-AC 3160

Throughput



Send
0 Kbps

Receive
20.5 Mbps

Adapter name: Wi-Fi
SSID: maalware
Connection type: 802.11n
IPv4 address: 192.168.0.106
IPv6 address: fe80::cdcd:d891:bc45:f405%9
Signal strength:

Activate Windows

Go to Settings to activate Windows.

What features/changes we added to Bonesi

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- We created a command & control script for Bonesi - using gmail
- A C&C infrastructure consists of servers and other technical infrastructure used to control malware in general, and, in particular, botnets.
- Inspired by GCAT backdoor - gmail traffic usually unblocked in company infrastructures.
- We also scaled down the no. of bots generated and IPs spoofed for increasing efficiency at defense phase at our local machines.

Address        ENG 10:01 24-04-2017 

Defense Phase

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There are a series of steps taken to mitigate the attack which are as follows:

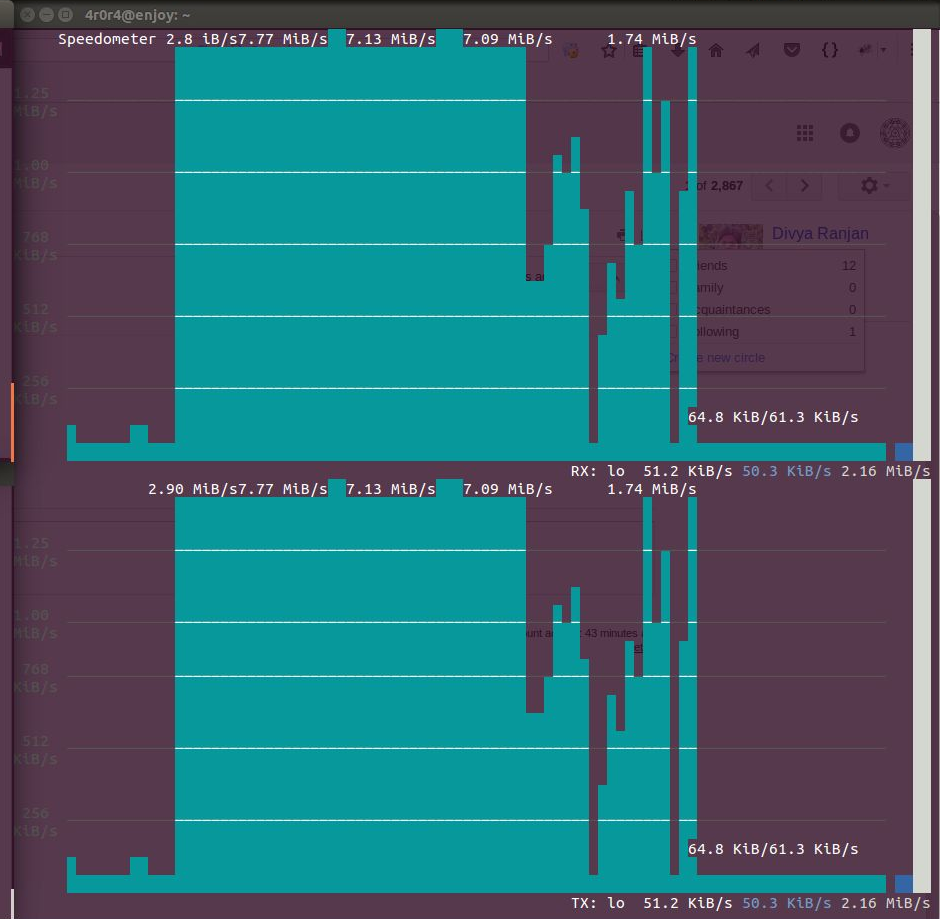
- First blocking all the ports which are uncommon, as most of the ports after 1024 are uncommon or rarely used, hence blocking all the ports after 1024.
- Now for blocking the ports we have used iptables

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4r0r4@enjoy: ~/Desktop/cns/try/defense_module
4r0r4@enjoy:~/Desktop/cns/try/defense_module$ python scrap_blacklist.py
Downloading: blacklist.xml Bytes: 201064405
47497216 [23.02%]
1 from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
2 from urllib import urlopen
3 import requests
4
5 url = 'http://www.justdial.com/Delhi-NCR/IIT-Tutorials-<near>-Tilak-Nagar/ct-11669'
6
7 headers = {'User-agent': 'Mozilla/5.0'}
8 webpage = requests.get( url, headers=headers )
9
10
11 soup = BeautifulSoup(webpage.content, "html.parser")
12 #soup = BeautifulSoup(open("/home/4r0r4/Desktop/Tutorials For Pre Medical in Tilak Nagar, Delhi | Justdial.html"))
13
14 print(soup)
15
16 stores = soup.find_all("div", class_="store-details")
17
18 count = 0
19 details=[] #list of dicts [{},{},...]
20 for store in stores:
21
22     store_details={}
23
24     store_details['name'] = store.find('h4', class_="store-name").find('span',
class_="jcn").get_text()
25     print(store_details['name'])
26
27     store_details['contact'] = store.find('p', class_="contact-info").get_text()
28     print(store_details['contact'])
29
30     address = store.find('p', class_="address-info").get_text()
31     display_address = address[50:81].rstrip().lstrip()
32     full_address = address[288:].rstrip()
33     store_details['address'] = [display_address, full_address] #address as list of
display
addr and full addr
34     print(store_details['address'][0])
35     print(store_details['address'][1])
36
37     store_details['estd_year'] = store.find('span', class_="year").get_text()
38     print(store_details['estd_year'])
39
40     #store_details['images'] = images[0].find('img')['src']
41     #count += 1
42     #print(store_details['images'])
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~/Desktop/cns/try/defense_module/scrap_blacklist.py - Sublime Text (UNREGISTERED)
scrap_blacklist.py x hitler.py x c&c_soldier.py x try.py x
1 import urllib2
2
3 url = "http://www.unsubscore.com/blacklist.xml"
4
5 file_name = url.split('/')[1]
6 u = urllib2.urlopen(url)
7 f = open(file_name, 'wb')
8 meta = u.info()
9 file_size = int(meta.getheaders("Content-Length")[0])
10 print "Downloading: %s Bytes: %s" % (file_name, file_size)
11
12 file_size_dl = 0
13 block_sz = 8192
14 while True:
15     buffer = u.read(block_sz)
16     if not buffer:
17         break
18
19     file_size_dl += len(buffer)
20     f.write(buffer)
21     status = r"%10d [%3.2f%%]" % (file_size_dl, file_size_dl * 100. / file_size)
22     status = status + chr(8)*(len(status)+1)
23     print status,
24
25 f.close()
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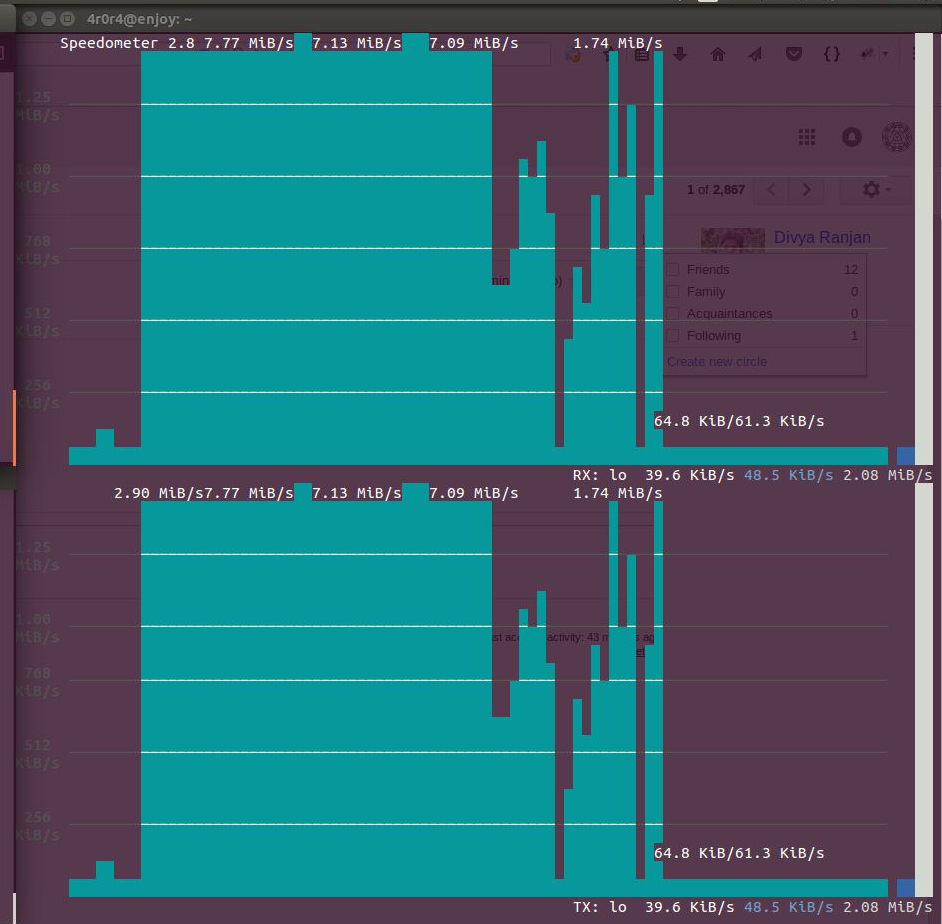
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4r0r4@enjoy: ~/Desktop/cns/Final/attack_module
1336 packets in 1.000002 seconds
19829 packets in 1.000001 seconds
22629 packets in 1.000143 seconds
910 packets in 1.001291 seconds
924 packets in 1.000764 seconds
1003 packets in 1.000319 seconds
1021 packets in 1.000755 seconds
805 packets in 1.001844 seconds
903 packets in 1.001899 seconds
879 packets in 1.000565 seconds
890 packets in 1.000282 seconds
932 packets in 1.000928 seconds
996 packets in 1.000552 seconds
889 packets in 1.000402 seconds
984 packets in 1.000644 seconds
986 packets in 1.001678 seconds
955 packets in 1.000635 seconds
918 packets in 1.000715 seconds
849 packets in 1.000264 seconds
694 packets in 1.001969 seconds
926 packets in 1.000153 seconds
872 packets in 1.000014 seconds
814 packets in 1.000517 seconds
Connect to Server

4r0r4@enjoy: ~/Desktop/cns/Final/defense_module
190.233.221.221 10.0.2.15 31032 5000
232.82.73.123 10.0.2.15 10068 5000
235.55.194.11 10.0.2.15 26639 5000
172.169.138.154 10.0.2.15 15713 5000
110.117.154.132 10.0.2.15 10139 5000
207.232.79.64 10.0.2.15 10993 5000
19.180.16.71 10.0.2.15 10869 5000
54.251.249.59 10.0.2.15 32088 5000
189.227.193.131 10.0.2.15 17433 5000
82.217.240.93 10.0.2.15 24085 5000
194.74.126.65 10.0.2.15 29762 5000
234.137.89.145 10.0.2.15 24101 5000
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1003 packets in 1.000319 seconds
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872 packets in 1.000014 seconds
814 packets in 1.000517 seconds
987 packets in 1.000537 seconds
753 packets in 1.000494 seconds
984 packets in 1.000080 seconds
680 packets in 1.000435 seconds
617 packets in 1.000437 seconds
Connect to Server

4r0r4@enjoy: ~/Desktop/cns/Final/defense_module
190.233.221.221 10.0.2.15 28470 5000
232.82.73.123 10.0.2.15 27144 5000
235.55.194.11 10.0.2.15 18360 5000
172.169.138.154 10.0.2.15 27602 5000
110.117.154.132 10.0.2.15 33399 5000
207.232.79.64 10.0.2.15 16728 5000
19.180.16.71 10.0.2.15 29560 5000
54.251.249.59 10.0.2.15 29795 5000
189.227.193.131 10.0.2.15 32120 5000
82.217.240.93 10.0.2.15 22652 5000
194.74.126.65 10.0.2.15 17639 5000
234.137.89.145 10.0.2.15 11686
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What are iptables

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- Iptables as the name suggests contains a list of rules that has to be followed when a packet arrives to the network. We can take decision on what to do with the packets received with the help of iptables
- So, through iptables we are setting up our own firewall that allows connection packets to be received only at ports less than 1025, packets coming at ports will simply be dropped

SETTING UP THE FIREWALL

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- After completing the first step, the problem arises if the attack happens at the common ports, in this case ports above 1024. For that, while attack is happening, we will capture the source ip and destination port of the packets coming to our IP address. For the capturing of data , we have used t-shark(a command line interface of wireshark). Data captured through t-shark is dumped into a log file.

FIREWALL CONTINUATION...

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- Now to actually block the attack, we have written a python script get.py which takes values from the log and invokes specific functions (as the data as argument) to block a particular port(ignore packets coming on that port) or to simply reject all the packets coming from a particular ip address.
- However in some cases, it might not be necessary to block ip as whole, but just a combination the source ip address and destination ports.

LOAD DISTRIBUTION

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- A load balancer is a device that acts as a reverse proxy and distributes network or application traffic across a number of servers. Load balancers are used to increase capacity (concurrent users) and reliability of applications.
- We wrote a simple python script to simulate the distribution of the load based on the number of servers based in a round robin fashion.

DDOS attack Mitigation in Real World

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1. **Specialized On-Premises Equipment.** Enterprise do all the work to stop the attack, but instead of relying on scripts or an existing firewall, they purchase and deploy dedicated DDoS mitigation appliances. These are specialized hardware that sit in an enterprise's data center in front of the normal servers and routers and are specifically built to detect and filter the malicious traffic.

DDOS attack Mitigation in Real World

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2.Cloud Mitigation Provider. Cloud mitigation providers are experts at providing DDoS mitigation from the cloud. This means they have built out massive amounts of network bandwidth and DDoS mitigation capacity at multiple sites around the Internet that can take in any type of network traffic, whether you use multiple ISP's, your own data center or any number of cloud providers. They can scrub the traffic for you and only send “clean” traffic to your data center.

WHY DDOS CAN'T BE STOPPED COMPLETELY ???

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THANK YOU