

ELEVATE LABS - CYBER SECURITY INTERNSHIP

TASK 1: Scan Your Local Network for Open Ports

- **Objective:** Learn to discover open ports on devices in your local network to understand network exposure.
- **Tools:** Nmap (free), Wireshark (optional)

Step 1: Install nmap (nmap is installed)

```
aniket@kubuntu:~$ nmap --version
Nmap version 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org )
Platform: x86_64-pc-linux-gnu
Compiled with: liblua-5.4.6 openssl-3.0.13 libssh2-1.11.0 libz-1.3 libpcap-1.10.4 nmap
-libdnet-1.12 ipv6
Compiled without:
Available nsock engines: epoll poll select
aniket@kubuntu:~$
```

Step 2: Local IP address

```
aniket@kubuntu:~$ ip a
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN group default qlen 1000
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
    inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
    inet6 ::1/128 scope host noprefixroute
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
2: wlp0s20f3: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc noqueue state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 80:45:dd:e2:ee:6a brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    inet 192.168.53.220/24 brd 192.168.53.255 scope global dynamic noprefixroute wlp0s20f3
        valid_lft 3342sec preferred_lft 3342sec
    inet6 2402:3a80:c89:5870:6515:2607:a0fb:a6f9/64 scope global temporary dynamic
        valid_lft 7124sec preferred_lft 7124sec
    inet6 2402:3a80:c89:5870:c32c:f8aa:29ed:5179/64 scope global dynamic mngtmpaddr noprefixroute
        valid_lft 7124sec preferred_lft 7124sec
    inet6 fe80::aa53:e103:402d:21f1/64 scope link noprefixroute
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
3: docker0: <NO-CARRIER,BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP> mtu 1500 qdisc noqueue state DOWN group default
    link/ether 8a:2f:61:66:76:14 brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    inet 172.17.0.1/16 brd 172.17.255.255 scope global docker0
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
aniket@kubuntu:~$
```

IP address = 192.168.53.220

Step 3: Run: `nmap -sS 192.168.53.220/24` to perform TCP SYN scan.

```
aniket@kubuntu:~$ sudo nmap -sS 192.168.53.220/24
[sudo] password for aniket:
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-06-23 12:36 IST
Nmap scan report for _gateway (192.168.53.92)
Host is up (0.0016s latency).
Not shown: 999 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE
53/tcp    open  domain
MAC Address: 5E:C6:7B:0C:3C:B2 (Unknown)

Nmap scan report for kubuntu (192.168.53.220)
Host is up (0.000011s latency).
Not shown: 999 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE
902/tcp   open  iss-realsecure

Nmap done: 256 IP addresses (2 hosts up) scanned in 4.46 seconds
aniket@kubuntu:~$
```

Open ports:

Port: 902/tcp

State: open

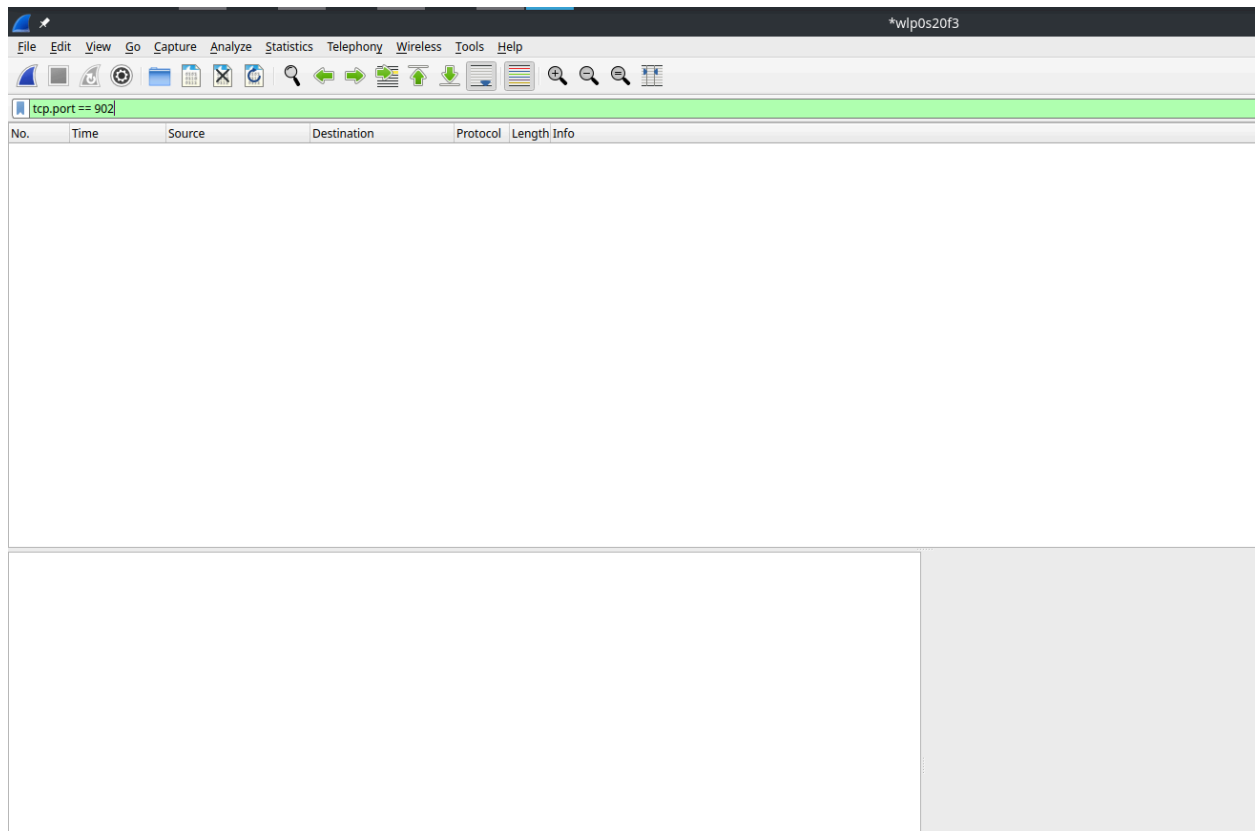
Service: iss-realsecure

Step 4: Analyze using Wireshark

The image shows a Wireshark capture of a network traffic analysis. The top pane displays the packet list, showing a SYN packet from 192.168.53.220 to 192.168.53.92. The middle pane shows the packet details, including the Ethernet II header, Internet Protocol Version 4 header, and Transmission Control Protocol header. The bottom pane shows the packet bytes, including the raw TCP segment. The packet details pane is expanded to show the TCP header, which includes the sequence number 50881 and destination port 43242. The packet bytes pane shows the raw TCP segment, including the SYN flag and sequence number.

Used filters like *tcp.port == 80*, *tcp.port == 443*, *ip.addr == 192.168.53.220*

Step 5: Identify security risks:



The port - 902 which is open in NMAP scan is not being used as per the Wireshark network scan.

Port 902 lets you manage a VMware virtualized environment.

Step 6: Save scan results

For text:

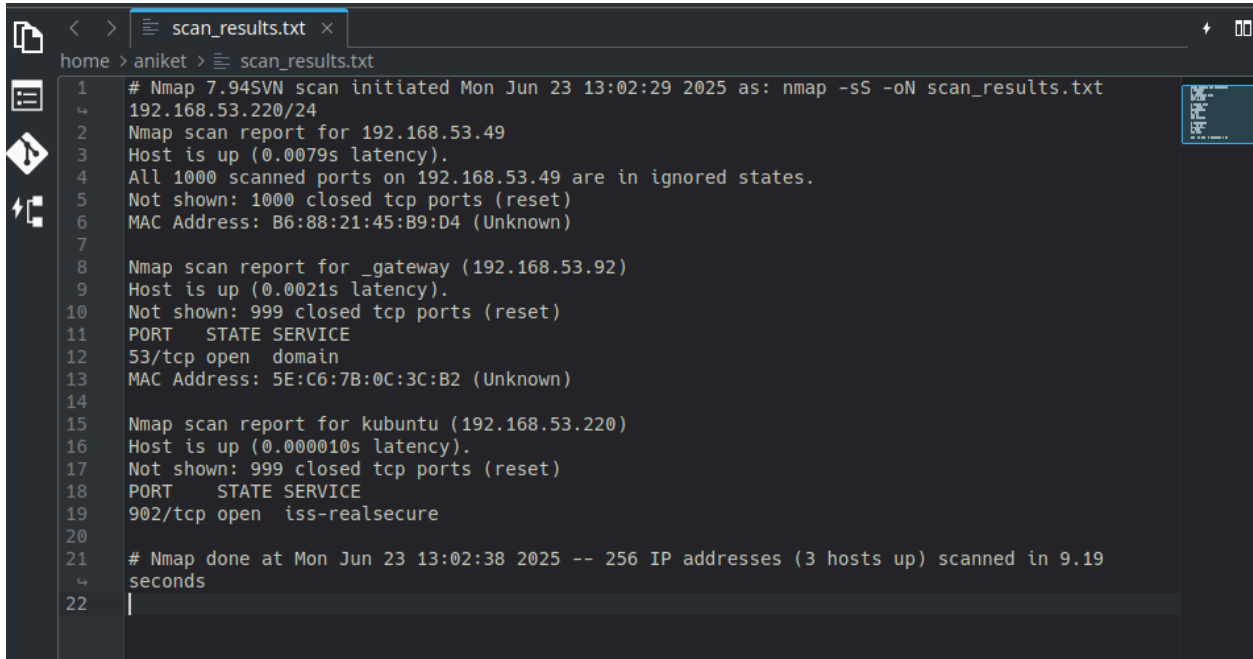
```
sudo nmap -sS 192.168.53.220/24 -oN scan_results.txt
```

```
aniket@kubuntu:~$ sudo nmap -sS 192.168.53.220/24 -oN scan_results.txt
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-06-23 13:02 IST
Nmap scan report for 192.168.53.49
Host is up (0.0079s latency).
All 1000 scanned ports on 192.168.53.49 are in ignored states.
Not shown: 1000 closed tcp ports (reset)
MAC Address: B6:88:21:45:B9:D4 (Unknown)

Nmap scan report for _gateway (192.168.53.92)
Host is up (0.0021s latency).
Not shown: 999 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE
53/tcp    open  domain
MAC Address: 5E:C6:7B:0C:3C:B2 (Unknown)

Nmap scan report for kubuntu (192.168.53.220)
Host is up (0.000010s latency).
Not shown: 999 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE
902/tcp   open  iss-realsecure

Nmap done: 256 IP addresses (3 hosts up) scanned in 9.19 seconds
aniket@kubuntu:~$ ls
```



The screenshot shows a terminal window with a file explorer view on the left. The file explorer shows a folder named 'home' containing a file named 'scan_results.txt'. The terminal window displays the contents of 'scan_results.txt' as follows:

```
1 # Nmap 7.94SVN scan initiated Mon Jun 23 13:02:29 2025 as: nmap -sS -oN scan_results.txt
2 192.168.53.220/24
3 Nmap scan report for 192.168.53.49
4 Host is up (0.0079s latency).
5 All 1000 scanned ports on 192.168.53.49 are in ignored states.
6 Not shown: 1000 closed tcp ports (reset)
7 MAC Address: B6:88:21:45:B9:D4 (Unknown)
8
9 Nmap scan report for _gateway (192.168.53.92)
10 Host is up (0.0021s latency).
11 Not shown: 999 closed tcp ports (reset)
12 PORT      STATE SERVICE
13 53/tcp    open  domain
14 MAC Address: 5E:C6:7B:0C:3C:B2 (Unknown)
15
16 Nmap scan report for kubuntu (192.168.53.220)
17 Host is up (0.000010s latency).
18 Not shown: 999 closed tcp ports (reset)
19 PORT      STATE SERVICE
20 902/tcp   open  iss-realsecure
21
22 # Nmap done at Mon Jun 23 13:02:38 2025 -- 256 IP addresses (3 hosts up) scanned in 9.19
seconds
```

For HTML:

```
sudo nmap -sS 192.168.53.220/24 -oX scan_results.xml  
xsltproc scan_results.xml -o scan_results.html
```

```
aniket@kubuntu:~$ sudo nmap -sS 192.168.53.220/24 -oX scan_results.xml  
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2025-06-23 13:07 IST  
Nmap scan report for 192.168.53.49  
Host is up (0.055s latency).  
All 1000 scanned ports on 192.168.53.49 are in ignored states.  
Not shown: 1000 closed tcp ports (reset)  
MAC Address: B6:88:21:45:B9:D4 (Unknown)  
  
Nmap scan report for _gateway (192.168.53.92)  
Host is up (0.0072s latency).  
Not shown: 999 closed tcp ports (reset)  
PORT      STATE SERVICE  
53/tcp    open  domain  
MAC Address: 5E:C6:7B:0C:3C:B2 (Unknown)  
  
Nmap scan report for kubuntu (192.168.53.220)  
Host is up (0.000011s latency).  
Not shown: 999 closed tcp ports (reset)  
PORT      STATE SERVICE  
902/tcp   open  iss-realsecure  
  
Nmap done: 256 IP addresses (3 hosts up) scanned in 8.69 seconds  
aniket@kubuntu:~$ xsltproc scan_results.xml -o scan_results.html
```