

# Report

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## How to use:

Makefile

And find the complied file(wd) at /bin

Then use the command line to run it:

./wd <ipaddress> <port> <file> (optional -h)

## Main function:

1. First to handle the command line parameter.

Then we get the request type, host name, port, and filename. Use these parameter to generate the HTTP request with function **generateSendline()**.

2. For Host address, used **gethostbyname()** to get the IP address

**inet\_pton()** and **inet\_ntop()** convert IPv4 and IPv6 addresses between text and binary form. And the socket uses binary form to construct the connection by struct **sockaddr\_in**.

```
if(connect(sockfd, (struct sockaddr *)&serv_addr,
sizeof(serv_addr))<0)
```

3. Send the message (sendline) to the server by socket **send()** function. Receive the data by **recv()** in a while loop and write the data from the buffer into a file.

```
send(sockfd, sendline, strlen(sendline), 0)
recv(sockfd, buffer, BUFFER_SIZE, 0)
```

4. **Extra:** Handle the HEAD part. Build a function **getHTTPHEAD()** to receive the

HEAD content. Set the buffer size to 1 and find the end of the HEAD by finding the `'\r\n\r\n'`. And we can also divide the line by `'\r\n'`. After the HEAD we can get the data content and write to the file.

5. At last, close the file and socket.