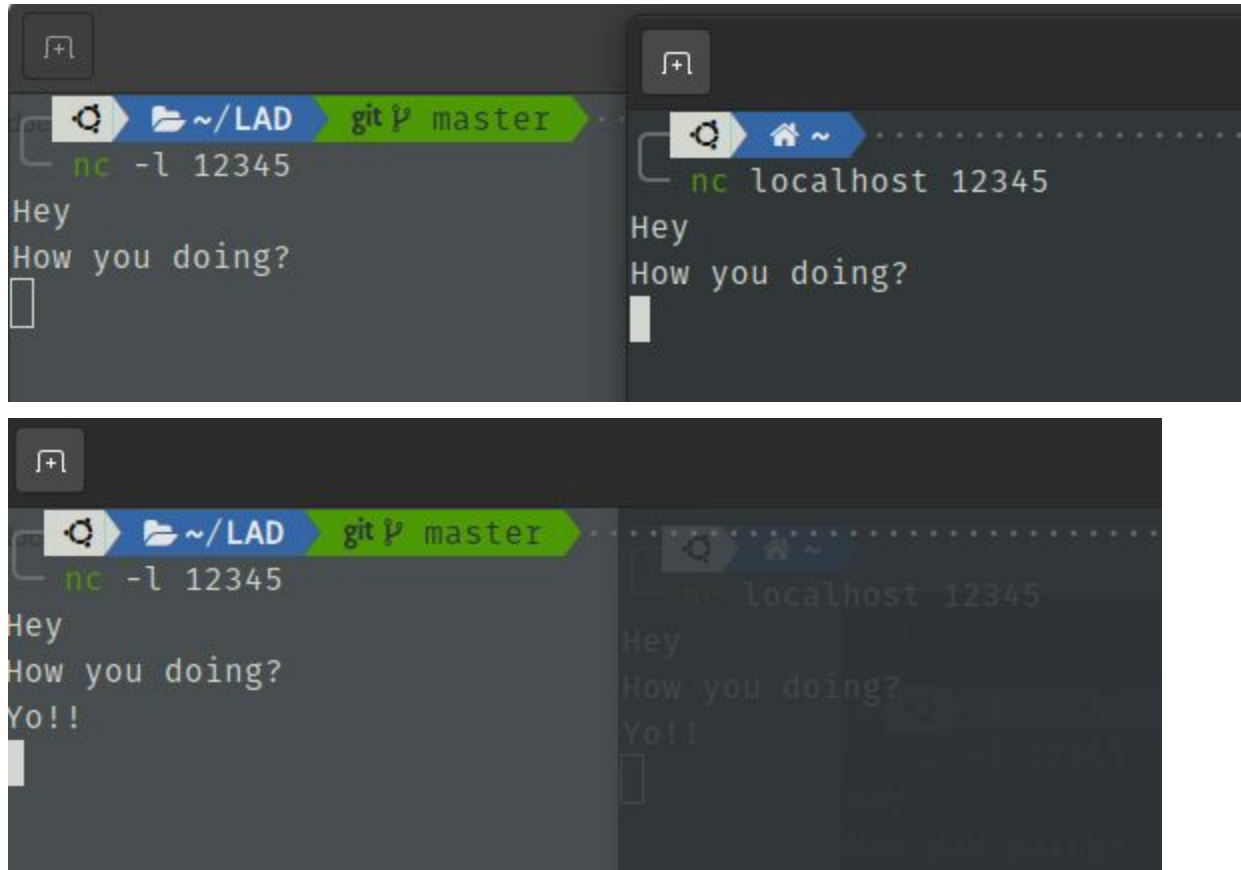**nc (NetCat):** It is used to set up UDP or TCP connections, listen in on the ports, etc.

nc -l 12345: Is used to start listening on 12345 port number.

nc localhost 12345 is used to establish the connection between the 2 terminals.(Client and server).