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Exp 11 –

Wireshark to Observer TCP Packets

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Experiment 11

Using Wireshark observe Three Way Handshaking Connection Establishment, Data Transfer and Three Way Handshaking Connection Termination in client server communication using TCP.

Executing program

- Code is provided in the **Server.java** and **Client.java** (Tested and verified on Ubuntu 20.04)

```
javac Server.java  
java Server
```

```
javac Client.java  
java Client
```

- Client - Server program is not mandatory. We can observe the TCP packets from internet to browser using wireshark. But here for the testing and for sake of simplicity we generate using the java program**
- Server.java program sends a message “ABCDE” to client every two seconds. To stop transmission use CTRL + C

PROCEDURE

- Open wireshark in super user mode using the command

```
sudo wireshark
```

- Open the Loopback mode. Since the transmission is between two processes in the same system between two ports.

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Output / Screenshots

Running server and client

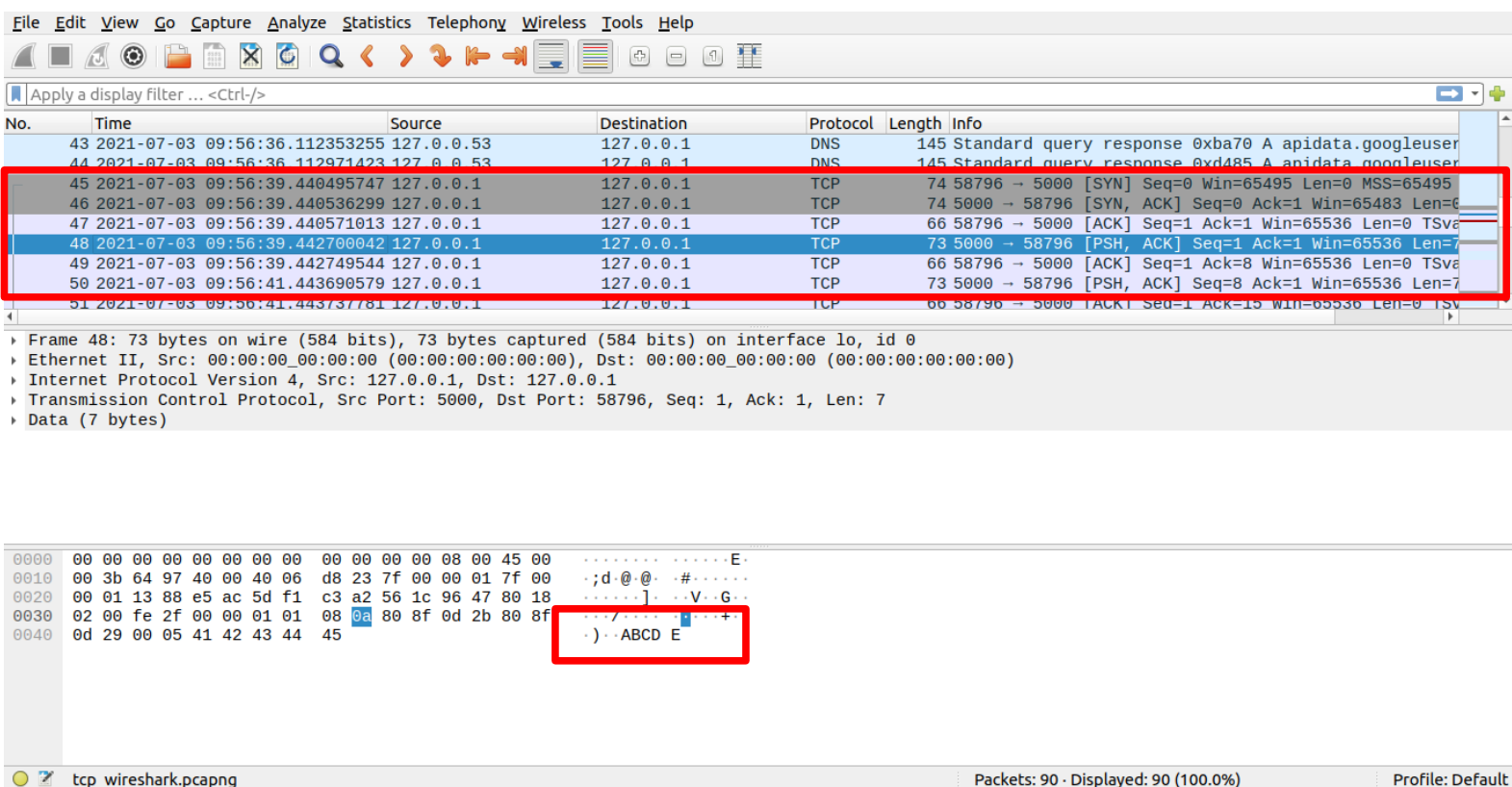
Server

Client

```
hp@hp ~/Documents/S6/Network Lab/Exp11 <master*>
$ javac Server.java && java Server
Server socket created.
ABCDE
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hp@hp ~/Documents/S6/Network Lab/Exp11 <master*>
$ javac Client.java && java Client
Client socket created.
ABCDE
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```

Wireshark



We can see TCP handshake in above image (highlighted in red) 45-47 serial number denotes Syn-Syn/Ack-Ack 49 -50 data transfer. For each message sent there will be an acknowledgment. Data inside each packet can be seen at the bottom of the application.