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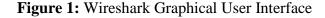
Introduction to Wireshark:

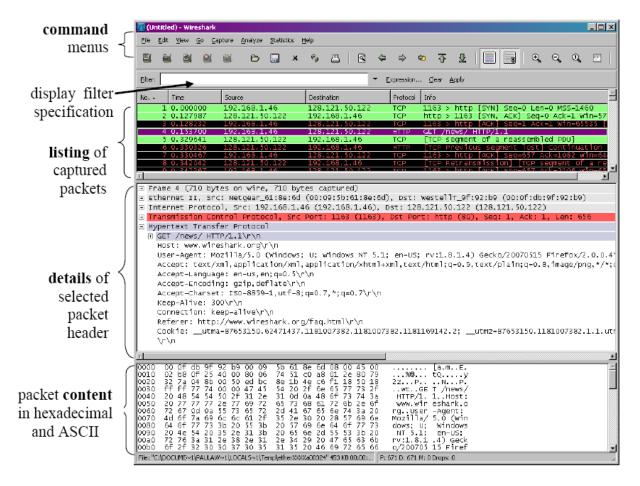
Wireshark is the world's most popular network protocol analyzer. It has a rich and powerful feature set and runs on most computing platforms including Windows, OS X, Linux, and UNIX. Network professionals, security experts, developers, and educators around the world use it regularly. It is freely available as open source, and is released under the GNU General Public License version 2. It has been developed and maintained by a global team of protocol experts, and it is an example of a disruptive technology. Wireshark formerly used to be known as Ethereal. Wireshark is a free packet sniffer computer application. It is used for network troubleshooting, analysis, software and communications protocol development, and education. In June 2006 the project was renamed from Ethereal due to trademark issues. Wireshark has tools for capturing, viewing, and analysis of data packets. Wireshark has sophisticated wireless protocol analysis support to help administrators troubleshoot wireless networks. With the appropriate driver support, Wireshark can capture traffic" from the air" and decode it into a format that helps administrators track down issues that are causing poor performance, intermittent connectivity, and other common problems.

Basic Installation and Test Run

Wireshark allows us to view the content of messages sent/received from/by protocols at different levels of the protocol stack Wireshark is a free network protocol analyzer that runs on Windows, Linux/Unix and Mac computers It is an ideal packet analyzer including the ability to analyze hundreds of protocols and well-designed user interfaces. It works on computers using Ethernet, Token-Ring, FDDI, serial (PPP and SLIP), 802.11 wireless LAN, and ATM connectivity (if the operating system it is running on allows Wireshark). Run Wireshark

When you run the Wireshark program, the Wireshark GUI shown in Figure 2 will appear. Initially, no data will be displayed in different windows





The Wireshark interface has five main components:

- 1. The command menu is the standard drop-down menu located at the top of the window Now we are interested in the File and Capture menus The File menu allows you to save the captured packet data or open the file containing the previously captured packet data and exit the Wireshark application The Capture menu allows you to start capturing packets.
- 2. The packet list window displays a one-line summary for each captured packet, including the packet number (specified by Wireshark; it's not the packet number included in the protocol's headers), and the time the packet was captured., source and destination address of the packet, protocol type, and protocol-specific information contained in the packet The list of packages can be sorted by one of these categories by clicking on the column name The Protocol Type field lists the top-level protocol that sent or received this packet, i.e. the protocol that was the final source or sink for this packet

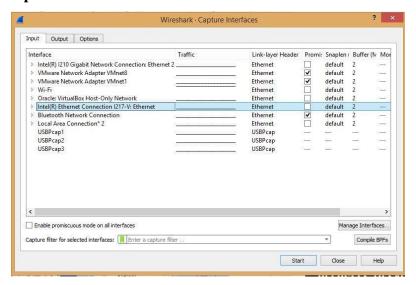
- 3. The Package Header Details window provides detailed information about the (highlighted) package selected in the Package List window (To select a package in the package list window, place the cursor over the package's one-line summary in the package list window and click the left mouse button.) These details include information about the Ethernet frame and the IP datagram it contains. The number of Ethernet and IP layer details displayed can be expanded or reduced by clicking the right- or down-pointing arrow to the left of the Ethernet frame or IP datagram line in the packet details window If the packet is transported over TCP or UDP, the TCP or UDP details will also be displayed, which can also be expanded or reduced. Finally, details about the higher-level protocol that sent or received this packet are also provided.
- 4. The packet content window displays the entire contents of the captured frame, both in ASCII and hexadecimal formats.
- 5. Near the top of Wireshark's GUI is the Display Packet Filter field, where a protocol name or other information can be entered to filter the information displayed in the packet display window. The package list (and thus the packet header). and the package contents window). In the example below, we'll use the show packet filter field to have Wireshark hide (not show) packets except those that match the HTTP message

Let's taking Wireshark for a Test Run

Perform the following steps:

- 1. Start your favorite web browser, it will display the homepage you have selected.
- 2. Start the Wireshark software Initially, you will see a window similar to the one shown in Figure 2, except that no packet data is displayed in the Packet List, Packet Headers, or Packet Contents window, because Wireshark has not started capturing the packets package.
- 3. To start packet capture, select the Capture drop-down menu and select Options This will cause the "Wireshark: Capture Options" window to appear as shown in the image below

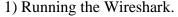
Figure 2: Capture Options

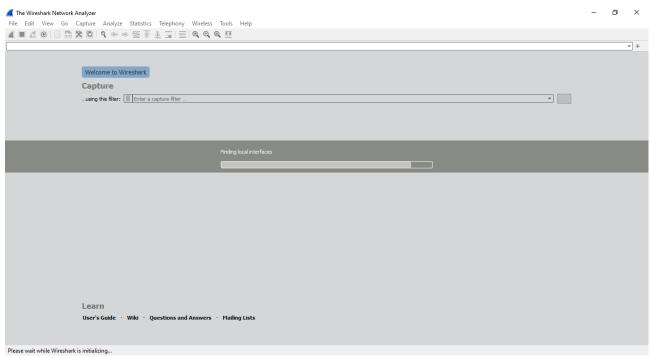


After selecting the network interface (or using the default one chosen by Wireshark), click Start Packet capture will now begin - all packets sent/received from/by your computer are now captured by Wireshark!

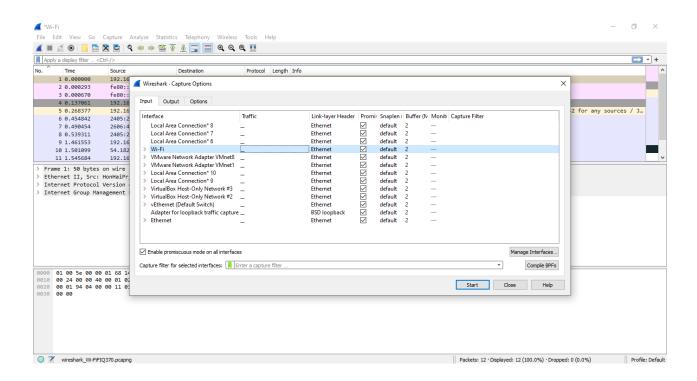
- 4. While Wireshark is running, enter the URL: http://gaia.cs.umass.edu/wireshark-labs/INTRO-wireshark-file1.html and view this page in your browser To display this page, your browser will contact the HTTP server at gaia.cs.umass.edu and exchange HTTP messages with the server to download this page Ethernet frames containing these HTTP messages will be captured by Wireshark.
- 5. After your browser has displayed the INTRO-wireshark-file1.html page, stop capturing Wireshark packets by selecting stop in the Wireshark capture window Exchanging HTTP messages with the gaia.cs.umass.edu web server should appear somewhere in the list of captured packets. But there will be more package types displayed Even if the only action you take is to download a web page, it is clear that there are many other protocols running on your computer that are not visible to the user.
- 6. Type "http" (without quotes and lowercase all protocol names are lowercase in Wireshark) in the filter specification window displayed at the top of the main Wireshark window Then select Apply (to the right of where you entered "http"). Therefore, only HTTP messages will be displayed in the package list window.

- 7. Select the first http message displayed in the package list window This should be an HTTP GET message sent from your computer to the gaia.cs.umass.edu HTTP server When you select the HTTP GET message, the Ethernet frame, IP datagram, TCP segment, and HTTP message header information are displayed in the packet headers window By clicking the plus and minus boxes on the left side of the packet details window, reduce the amount of Frame, Ethernet, Internet Protocol, and Transmission Control Protocol information displayed Maximize the amount of information displayed about the HTTP protocol
- 8. Remove Wireshark.

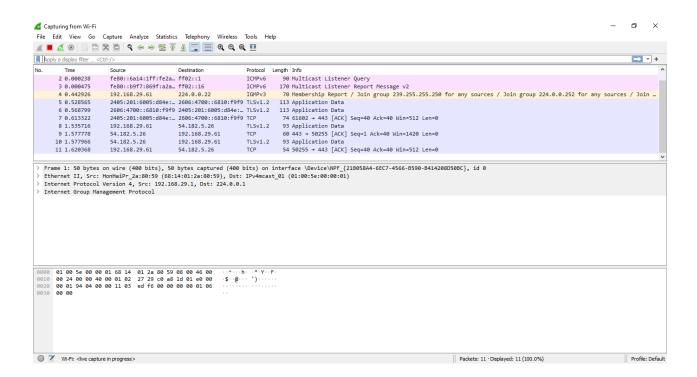




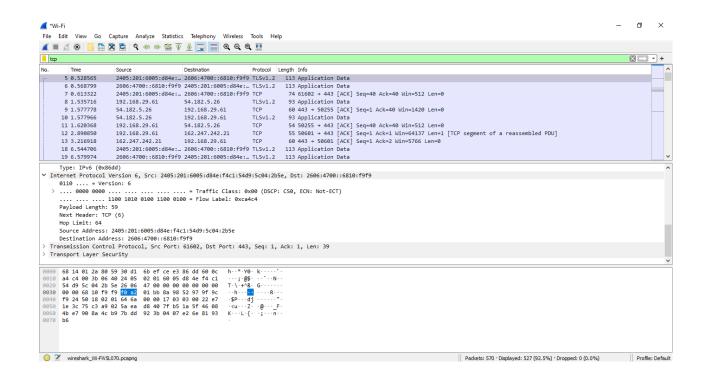
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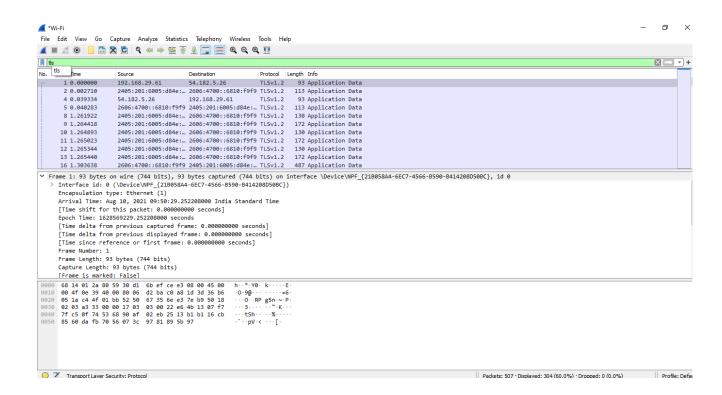


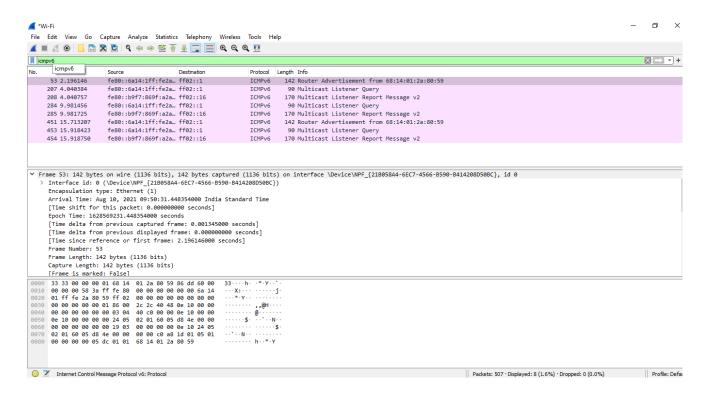
3) capturing packets



4) After applying different filter of protocols.







In *conclusion* this paper has shed light on how the wire shark application can be used as invaluable tool in academic network protocol research; as well as used as a tool for malicious intent in the scenario of MAC flooding or ARP poisoning; and finally, how Network Engineers and Administrators can utilize Wire Shark to prevent malicious intent as well as increase a computer network's productivity.

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