

# Lab Exercise 3: DNS & Socket Programming

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## Exercise 3: Digging into DNS

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z5211008@vx4:/tmp_amd/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig www.cecs.anu.edu.au
; <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<>> www.cecs.anu.edu.au
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 16029
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 2, AUTHORITY: 3, ADDITIONAL: 7

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags: udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.cecs.anu.edu.au.      IN      A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.cecs.anu.edu.au.      3173    IN      CNAME   rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au.
rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au.   3572    IN      A        150.203.161.98

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
cecs.anu.edu.au.          207     IN      NS       ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au.
cecs.anu.edu.au.          207     IN      NS       ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au.
cecs.anu.edu.au.          207     IN      NS       ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au.      2934    IN      A        150.203.161.36
ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au.      3115    IN      AAAA     2001:388:1034:2905::24
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au.      2472    IN      A        150.203.161.50
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au.      3507    IN      AAAA     2001:388:1034:2905::32
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au.      2472    IN      A        150.203.161.38
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au.      3507    IN      AAAA     2001:388:1034:2905::26

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Tue Oct 08 16:51:45 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 271
```

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### Question 1.

The IP address is **150.203.161.98**.

The type of this DNS query is **A**.

### Question 2.

The canonical name is **rproxy.cecs.anu.edu.au**.

Because canonical names are always hard to remember, so we can use proxy name to handle this.

### Question 3.

The Authority Section told us that [www.cecs.anu.edu.au](http://www.cecs.anu.edu.au) had three authoritative name servers. Here are their addresses,

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ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au.
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au.
ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au.
```

The Additional Section told us that the IP addresses of the three name servers in IPv4 and IPv6 format. Here are the addresses,

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ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au. 3173 IN A 150.203.161.36
ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au. 3173 IN AAAA 2001:388:1034:2905::24
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au. 3434 IN A 150.203.161.50
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au. 3434 IN AAAA 2001:388:1034:2905::32
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au. 499 IN A 150.203.161.38
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au. 3434 IN AAAA 2001:388:1034:2905::26

```

A represents IPv4 address, AAAA represents IPv6 address.

## Question 4.

As shown by Dig, the IP address of my machine is **129.94.242.2**

SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)

## Question 5.

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z5211008@vx4:/tmp_amd/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig cecs.anu.edu.au NS
; <<> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<> cecs.anu.edu.au NS
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 51789
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 7
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags: udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;cecs.anu.edu.au. IN NS
;; ANSWER SECTION:
cecs.anu.edu.au. 300 IN NS ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au.
cecs.anu.edu.au. 300 IN NS ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au.
cecs.anu.edu.au. 300 IN NS ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au.
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au. 1677 IN A 150.203.161.36
ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au. 1677 IN AAAA 2001:388:1034:2905::24
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au. 1940 IN A 150.203.161.50
ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au. 3600 IN AAAA 2001:388:1034:2905::32
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au. 2865 IN A 150.203.161.38
ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au. 3600 IN AAAA 2001:388:1034:2905::26
;; Query time: 22 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Tue Oct 08 23:13:21 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 230

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There are three authoritative name servers:

NS	IPv4 Address	IPv6 Address
<b>ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au</b>	150.203.161.36	2001:388:1034:2905::24
<b>ns3.cecs.anu.edu.au</b>	150.203.161.50	2001:388:1034:2905::32
<b>ns4.cecs.anu.edu.au</b>	150.203.161.38	2001:388:1034:2905::26

The type of DNS query is **NS**.

## Question 6.

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z5211008@vx4:/tmp_and/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig -x 111.68.101.54

;<><> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <><> -x 111.68.101.54
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 36989
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 2, ADDITIONAL: 1

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags: udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;54.101.68.111.in-addr.arpa.      IN      PTR

;; ANSWER SECTION:
54.101.68.111.in-addr.arpa. 3327 IN      PTR      webserver.seecs.nust.edu.pk.

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
101.68.111.in-addr.arpa. 49988 IN      NS       ns1.hec.gov.pk.
101.68.111.in-addr.arpa. 49988 IN      NS       ns2.hec.gov.pk.

;; Query time: 1 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Tue Oct 08 22:22:49 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 140

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The DNS name of this IP address is **webserver.seecs.nust.edu.pk**.

The type of this DNS query is **PTR**.

## Question 7.

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z5211008@vx4:/tmp_and/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig @129.94.242.33 yahoo.com MX

;<><> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <><> @129.94.242.33 yahoo.com MX
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 34395
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 5, ADDITIONAL: 9

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags: udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;yahoo.com.                      IN      MX

;; ANSWER SECTION:
yahoo.com.      1575 IN      MX      1 mta6.am0.yahoodns.net.
yahoo.com.      1575 IN      MX      1 mta7.am0.yahoodns.net.
yahoo.com.      1575 IN      MX      1 mta5.am0.yahoodns.net.

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
yahoo.com.      1753 IN      NS      ns3.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.      1753 IN      NS      ns5.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.      1753 IN      NS      ns4.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.      1753 IN      NS      ns1.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.      1753 IN      NS      ns2.yahoo.com.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.yahoo.com.  329920 IN      A       68.180.131.16
ns1.yahoo.com.  84742  IN      AAAA    2001:4998:130::1001
ns2.yahoo.com.  131692 IN      A       68.142.255.16
ns2.yahoo.com.  68304  IN      AAAA    2001:4998:140::1002
ns3.yahoo.com.  1142   IN      A       27.123.42.42
ns3.yahoo.com.  1142   IN      AAAA    2406:8600:f03f:1f8::1003
ns4.yahoo.com.  146593 IN      A       98.138.11.157
ns5.yahoo.com.  563967 IN      A       119.160.253.83

;; Query time: 1 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.33#53(129.94.242.33)
;; WHEN: Tue Oct 08 22:30:48 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 371

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We didn't get an authoritative answer, because the addresses in the Additional Section didn't give us all the addresses of name servers. The reason of this situation is that we don't have the authority on yahoo to receive messages.

## Question 8.

```
z5211008@vx4:/tmp_and/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig @ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au. yahoo.com MX

; <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<>> @ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au. yahoo.com MX
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: REFUSED, id: 45758
;; flags: qr rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;yahoo.com.                IN      MX

;; Query time: 8 msec
;; SERVER: 150.203.161.36#53(150.203.161.36)
;; WHEN: Tue Oct 08 23:19:40 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 38
```

When I use one of name server “ns2.cecs.anu.edu.au”, I get **no response**, and **no authoritative answer**. That’s because the server of yahoo find our query doesn’t send from cecs.anu.edu.au.

## Question 9.

```
z5211008@vx1:/tmp_and/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig @ns1.yahoo.com yahoo.com MX

; <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<>> @ns1.yahoo.com yahoo.com MX
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 48840
;; flags: qr aa rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 5, ADDITIONAL: 9
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 1272
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;yahoo.com.                IN      MX

;; ANSWER SECTION:
yahoo.com.                1800    IN      MX      1 mta5.am0.yahoodns.net.
yahoo.com.                1800    IN      MX      1 mta7.am0.yahoodns.net.
yahoo.com.                1800    IN      MX      1 mta6.am0.yahoodns.net.

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
yahoo.com.                172800  IN      NS       ns1.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.                172800  IN      NS       ns2.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.                172800  IN      NS       ns3.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.                172800  IN      NS       ns5.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.                172800  IN      NS       ns4.yahoo.com.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.yahoo.com.            1209600 IN      A        68.180.131.16
ns2.yahoo.com.            1209600 IN      A        68.142.255.16
ns3.yahoo.com.            1800    IN      A        27.123.42.42
ns4.yahoo.com.            1209600 IN      A        98.138.11.157
ns5.yahoo.com.            1209600 IN      A        119.160.253.83
ns1.yahoo.com.            86400   IN      AAAA     2001:4998:130::1001
ns2.yahoo.com.            86400   IN      AAAA     2001:4998:140::1002
ns3.yahoo.com.            1800    IN      AAAA     2406:8600:f03f:1f8::1003

;; Query time: 145 msec
;; SERVER: 68.180.131.16#53(68.180.131.16)
;; WHEN: Wed Oct 09 15:22:46 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 371
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By using **dig @ns1.yahoo.com yahoo.com MX**, we send a query in type of **MX**.

## Question 10.

First, assuming the IP address of my machine is **lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au**, and find the nameserver of the **root** domain.

```
z5211008@vx1:/tmp_amd/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig . NS
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; <<> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<> . NS
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 20222
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 13, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 27

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags: udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;.                IN      NS

;; ANSWER SECTION:
.                183015 IN      NS      d.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      e.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      c.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      a.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      k.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      m.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      i.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      j.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      h.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      b.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      f.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      l.root-servers.net.
.                183015 IN      NS      g.root-servers.net.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
a.root-servers.net. 429569 IN      A        198.41.0.4
a.root-servers.net. 492662 IN      AAAA     2001:503:ba3e::2:30
b.root-servers.net. 12586  IN      A        199.9.14.201
b.root-servers.net. 161525 IN      AAAA     2001:500:200::b
c.root-servers.net. 24512  IN      A        192.33.4.12
c.root-servers.net. 60662  IN      AAAA     2001:500:2::c
d.root-servers.net. 12623  IN      A        199.7.91.13
d.root-servers.net. 60662  IN      AAAA     2001:500:2d::d
e.root-servers.net. 24512  IN      A        192.203.230.10
e.root-servers.net. 47842  IN      AAAA     2001:500:a8::e
f.root-servers.net. 74191  IN      A        192.5.5.241
f.root-servers.net. 24511  IN      AAAA     2001:500:2f::f
g.root-servers.net. 1871   IN      A        192.112.36.4
g.root-servers.net. 47842  IN      AAAA     2001:500:12::d0d
h.root-servers.net. 24512  IN      A        198.97.190.53
h.root-servers.net. 24511  IN      AAAA     2001:500:1::53
i.root-servers.net. 92651  IN      A        192.36.148.17
i.root-servers.net. 512260 IN      AAAA     2001:7fe::53
j.root-servers.net. 309    IN      A        192.58.128.30
j.root-servers.net. 60662  IN      AAAA     2001:503:c27::2:30
k.root-servers.net. 12624  IN      A        193.0.14.129
k.root-servers.net. 512260 IN      AAAA     2001:7fd::1
l.root-servers.net. 74191  IN      A        199.7.83.42
l.root-servers.net. 520175 IN      AAAA     2001:500:9f::42
m.root-servers.net. 12623  IN      A        202.12.27.33
m.root-servers.net. 259575 IN      AAAA     2001:dc3::35

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.45#53(129.94.242.45)
;; WHEN: Wed Oct 09 15:34:41 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 811
```

Then, we query one of this nameserver to find the authoritative name server for the "au." domain.

```
z5211008@vx1:/tmp_amd/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig @198.41.0.4 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS

; <<> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<> @198.41.0.4 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 49956
;; flags: qr rd: QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 9, ADDITIONAL: 18
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags: udp: 1472
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.                IN      NS

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
au.                172800  IN      NS      a.au.
au.                172800  IN      NS      c.au.
au.                172800  IN      NS      d.au.
au.                172800  IN      NS      q.au.
au.                172800  IN      NS      r.au.
au.                172800  IN      NS      s.au.
au.                172800  IN      NS      t.au.
au.                172800  IN      NS      u.au.
au.                172800  IN      NS      v.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
a.au.                172800  IN      A        58.65.254.73
c.au.                172800  IN      A        162.159.24.179
d.au.                172800  IN      A        162.159.25.38
q.au.                172800  IN      A        65.22.196.1
r.au.                172800  IN      A        65.22.197.1
s.au.                172800  IN      A        65.22.198.1
t.au.                172800  IN      A        65.22.199.1
u.au.                172800  IN      A        211.29.133.32
v.au.                172800  IN      A        202.12.31.53
a.au.                172800  IN      AAAA     2407:6e00:254:306::73
c.au.                172800  IN      AAAA     2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:18b3
d.au.                172800  IN      AAAA     2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:1926
q.au.                172800  IN      AAAA     2a01:8840:be::1
r.au.                172800  IN      AAAA     2a01:8840:bf::1
s.au.                172800  IN      AAAA     2a01:8840:c0::1
t.au.                172800  IN      AAAA     2a01:8840:c1::1
v.au.                172800  IN      AAAA     2001:dd8:12::53

;; Query time: 178 msec
;; SERVER: 198.41.0.4#53(198.41.0.4)
;; WHEN: Wed Oct 09 15:39:33 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 563
```

Then, we query one of this second server to find the authoritative nameserver for the "edu.au." domain

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z5211008@vx1:/tmp_amd/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig @58.65.254.73 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS

; <<> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<> @58.65.254.73 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 38522
;; flags: qr rd: QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 4, ADDITIONAL: 9
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags: udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.                IN      NS

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
edu.au.                86400   IN      NS      s.au.
edu.au.                86400   IN      NS      r.au.
edu.au.                86400   IN      NS      t.au.
edu.au.                86400   IN      NS      q.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
q.au.                86400   IN      A       65.22.196.1
r.au.                86400   IN      A       65.22.197.1
s.au.                86400   IN      A       65.22.198.1
t.au.                86400   IN      A       65.22.199.1
q.au.                86400   IN      AAAA    2a01:8840:be::1
r.au.                86400   IN      AAAA    2a01:8840:bf::1
s.au.                86400   IN      AAAA    2a01:8840:c0::1
t.au.                86400   IN      AAAA    2a01:8840:c1::1

;; Query time: 15 msec
;; SERVER: 58.65.254.73#53(58.65.254.73)
;; WHEN: Wed Oct 09 15:42:05 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 291

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Then, we query one of this nameserver to find the authoritative nameserver for "unsw.edu.au".

```

z5211008@vx1:/tmp_amd/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig @65.22.196.1 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS

; <<> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<> @65.22.196.1 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 19461
;; flags: qr rd: QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 3, ADDITIONAL: 6
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags: udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.                IN      NS

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
unsw.edu.au.          900     IN      NS      ns3.unsw.edu.au.
unsw.edu.au.          900     IN      NS      ns1.unsw.edu.au.
unsw.edu.au.          900     IN      NS      ns2.unsw.edu.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.unsw.edu.au.      900     IN      A       129.94.0.192
ns2.unsw.edu.au.      900     IN      A       129.94.0.193
ns3.unsw.edu.au.      900     IN      A       192.155.82.178
ns1.unsw.edu.au.      900     IN      AAAA    2001:388:c:35::1
ns2.unsw.edu.au.      900     IN      AAAA    2001:388:c:35::2

;; Query time: 7 msec
;; SERVER: 65.22.196.1#53(65.22.196.1)
;; WHEN: Wed Oct 09 15:47:03 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 209

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Then, we query one of the nameserver of unsw.edu.au to find the authoritative name server of **cse.unsw.edu.au**.

```

z5211008@vx1:/tmp_amd/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig @129.94.0.192 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
; <<> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<> @129.94.0.192 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 17996
;; flags: qr rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 2, ADDITIONAL: 5
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.          IN      NS

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
cse.unsw.edu.au.                10800   IN      NS      maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au.
cse.unsw.edu.au.                10800   IN      NS      beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 10800 IN A 129.94.242.2
beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 10800 IN A 129.94.172.11
beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 10800 IN A 129.94.208.3
maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 10800 IN A 129.94.242.33

;; Query time: 3 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.0.192#53(129.94.0.192)
;; WHEN: Wed Oct 09 15:54:44 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 171

```

Then, we query the nameserver of cse.unsw.edu.au to find the IP address of the **host** in A.

```

z5211008@vx1:/tmp_amd/glass/export/glass/3/z5211008/Desktop/COMP3331/Labs/lab3$ dig @129.94.242.2 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au A
; <<> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u18-Debian <<> @129.94.242.2 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au A
; (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 61101
;; flags: qr aa rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 2, ADDITIONAL: 3

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.          IN      A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au. 3600   IN      A      129.94.210.20

;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
cse.unsw.edu.au.                3600   IN      NS      beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au.
cse.unsw.edu.au.                3600   IN      NS      maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au.

;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 3600 IN A 129.94.242.33
beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 3600 IN A 129.94.242.2

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Wed Oct 09 15:55:41 AEDT 2019
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 155

```

Thus, the IP address of my machine is **129.94.210.20**.

In this process, I query **5 DNS servers** to get the authoritative answer:

- **d.root-servers.net.**
- **a.au.**
- **s.au.**
- **ns3.unsw.edu.au.**
- **maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au.**

## Question 11.

**Yes.** One physical machine can have several names or IP addresses.