

Network Analysis Report

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Introduction

The goal of this project is to strengthen my understanding of network protocols by analyzing real traffic with Wireshark. I generated several types of traffic (DNS, ICMP, TCP, HTTP, and HTTPS) and inspected the corresponding packets to observe how each protocol behaves in practice.

After this Wireshark analysis, I plan to create small Python scripts to automate some checks or reproduce parts of the traffic, allowing me to explore network analysis from both a practical and a programmatic perspective.

Environment

OS: Ubuntu 24.04.3 LTS

Wireshark version: 4.2.2

Interface: Wi-Fi

Capture Duration:

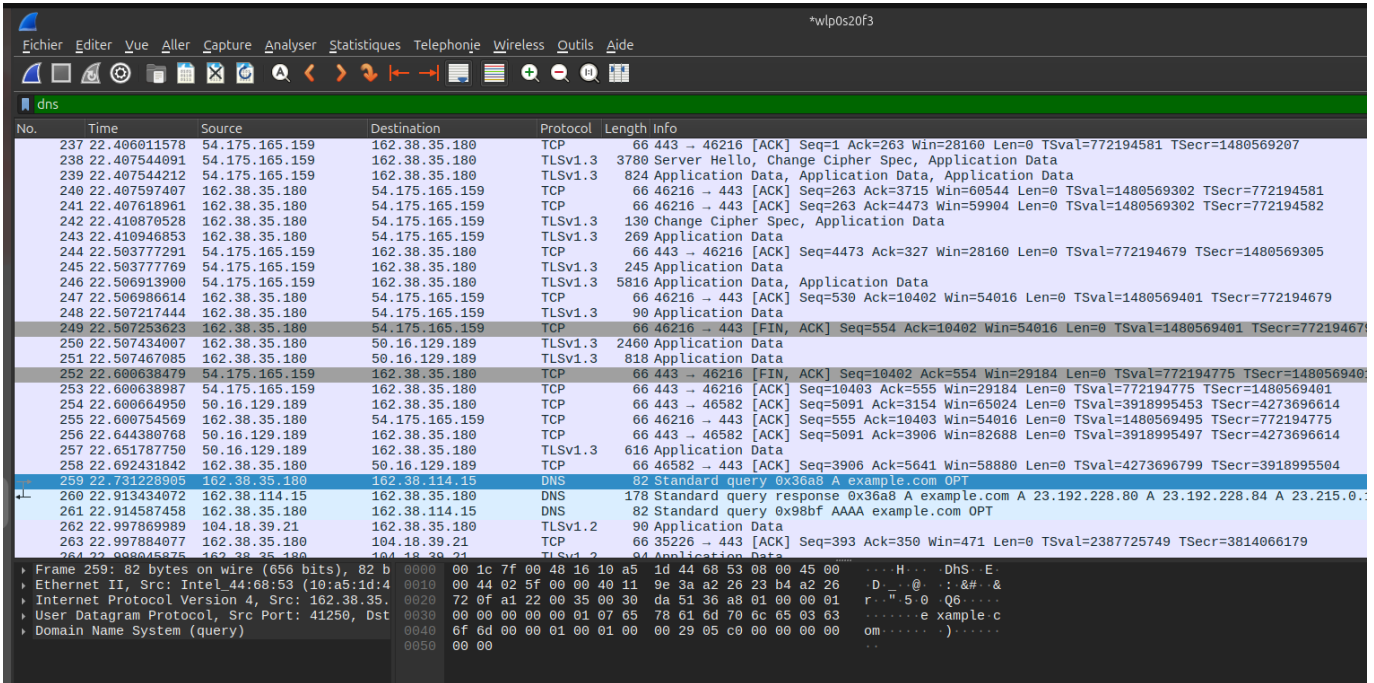
Methodology

1. Start a capture on the Wireshark interface
2. Generate network traffic with:
 - a. Commands: ping, nslookup
 - b. Browsing: example.com, neverssl.com, google.com, wikipedia.org
3. Sort the captured packets by protocol
4. Analyze each group of packets to identify the behavior of the corresponding protocol

Protocol analysis

DNS Analysis

To generate DNS traffic, you must use commands such as nslookup example.com.



No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
237	22.406011578	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=263 Win=28160 Len=0 TSval=772194581 TSecr=1480569207
238	22.407544091	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	3780	Server Hello, Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
239	22.407544212	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	824	Application Data, Application Data, Application Data
240	22.407597407	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [ACK] Seq=263 Ack=3715 Win=60544 Len=0 TSval=1480569302 TSecr=772194581
241	22.407618961	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [ACK] Seq=263 Ack=4473 Win=59904 Len=0 TSval=1480569302 TSecr=772194582
242	22.410870528	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TLSv1.3	130	Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
243	22.410946853	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TLSv1.3	209	Application Data
244	22.503777291	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [ACK] Seq=4473 Ack=327 Win=28160 Len=0 TSval=772194679 TSecr=1480569305
245	22.503777769	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	245	Application Data
246	22.506913900	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	5810	Application Data, Application Data
247	22.506986614	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [ACK] Seq=530 Ack=10402 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=1480569401 TSecr=772194679
248	22.507217444	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TLSv1.3	90	Application Data
249	22.507253623	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [FIN, ACK] Seq=554 Ack=10402 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=1480569401 TSecr=772194679
250	22.507434007	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TLSv1.3	2460	Application Data
251	22.507467085	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TLSv1.3	818	Application Data
252	22.600638479	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [FIN, ACK] Seq=10402 Ack=554 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=772194775 TSecr=1480569401
253	22.600638987	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [ACK] Seq=10403 Ack=555 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=772194775 TSecr=1480569401
254	22.600664950	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46582 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3154 Win=65024 Len=0 TSval=3918995453 TSecr=4273696614
255	22.600754569	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [ACK] Seq=555 Ack=10403 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=1480569495 TSecr=772194775
256	22.644380768	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46582 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3906 Win=82688 Len=0 TSval=3918995497 TSecr=4273696614
257	22.651787750	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	616	Application Data
258	22.692431842	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TCP	66	46582 → 443 [ACK] Seq=3906 Ack=5641 Win=58880 Len=0 TSval=4273696799 TSecr=3918995504
259	22.731228905	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	82	Standard query 0x36a8 A example.com OPT
260	22.913434072	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	178	Standard query response 0x36a8 A example.com A 23.192.228.80 A 23.192.228.84 A 23.215.0.0
261	22.914587458	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	82	Standard query 0x98bf AAAA example.com OPT
262	22.997869989	104.18.39.21	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	90	Application Data
263	22.997884077	162.38.35.180	104.18.39.21	TCP	66	35226 → 443 [ACK] Seq=393 Ack=350 Win=471 Len=0 TSval=2387725749 TSecr=3814066179

Frame 259: 82 bytes on wire (656 bits), 82 bytes captured (656 bits) on interface 0
Ethernet II, Src: Intel_44:68:53 (10:a5:1d:44:68:53), Dst: 162.38.35.180 (08:00:27:00:00:00)
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.35.180, Dst: 162.38.114.15
User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 41250, Dst Port: 53
Domain Name System (query)
Standard query query 0x36a8 A example.com OPT
Flags: 0x0000 Standard query query
QID: 0x36a8
Questions: 1
Answers: 0
Authorities: 0
Additionals: 0
Query: 0x36a8 A example.com OPT

1. DNS Request for example.com

This packet corresponds to the DNS request sent by the client.

Query Type: A (IPv4 address request)

Source IP: 162.38.35.180

Destination IP: 162.38.114.15

Transaction ID: 0x36a8

→ Used to match the request with its corresponding response

Flags: Standard query, no errors

Requested Domain: example.com

→ This packet represents the initial DNS query created by the client to resolve the IPv4 address of example.com.

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dns						
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237	22.406611578	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=263 Win=28160 Len=0 TSval=772194581 TSecr=1480569207
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241	22.407818961	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [ACK] Seq=263 Ack=4473 Win=59984 Len=0 TSval=1480569302 TSecr=772194582
242	22.410870528	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TLSv1.3	130	Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
243	22.410946853	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TLSv1.3	269	Application Data
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250	22.507434007	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TLSv1.3	2460	Application Data
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252	22.600638479	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [FIN, ACK] Seq=10402 Ack=554 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=772194775 TSecr=1480569401
253	22.600638987	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [ACK] Seq=10403 Ack=555 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=772194775 TSecr=1480569401
254	22.600664950	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46582 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3154 Win=65824 Len=0 TSval=3918995453 TSecr=4273696614
255	22.600754569	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [ACK] Seq=555 Ack=10403 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=1480569495 TSecr=772194775
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257	22.651787750	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	616	Application Data
258	22.692431842	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TCP	66	46582 → 443 [ACK] Seq=3906 Ack=5641 Win=58880 Len=0 TSval=4273696799 TSecr=3918995504
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260	22.913434072	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	178	Standard query response 0x36a8 A example.com A 23.192.228.80 A 23.192.228.84 A 23.215.0.136 A 23.220.75.1
261	22.914587458	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	82	Standard query 0x98bf AAAA example.com OPT
262	22.907869989	104.18.39.21	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	90	Application Data
263	22.907884077	162.38.35.180	104.18.39.21	TCP	66	35226 → 443 [ACK] Seq=393 Ack=350 Win=471 Len=0 TSval=2387725749 TSecr=3814066179
264	22.908045875	162.38.35.180	104.18.39.21	TLSv1.2	94	Application Data
Frame 260: 178 bytes on wire (1424 bits), 17 captured (Ethernet II, Src: CheckPointS0_46:17:af:00:00:00, Dst: 162.38.35.180, Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.114.15, Destination: 162.38.35.180, User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 53, Dst Port: 53)						
Domain Name System (response)						
0000 10 a5 1d 44 68 53 00 1c 7f 46 17 af 00 00 45 00 ...Dns...F...E...						
0010 00 a4 f0 86 00 00 7c 11 6d b2 a2 26 72 0f a2 26m...&r...&						
0020 23 b4 00 35 a1 22 00 00 fe 07 36 a8 01 00 00 01 #...S...6...						
0030 00 06 00 00 00 01 07 65 78 e1 6d 70 6c 65 03 63 ...e x a m p l e c						
0040 6f 6d 00 00 01 00 01 c0 0c 00 01 00 01 00 00 01 o m						
0050 2b 00 04 17 c0 e4 50 c0 0c 00 01 00 01 00 00 01 +P						
0060 2b 00 04 17 c0 e4 54 c0 0c 00 01 00 01 00 00 01 +T						
0070 2b 00 04 17 d7 00 88 c0 0c 00 01 00 01 00 00 01 +						
0080 2b 00 04 17 d7 00 8a c0 0c 00 01 00 01 00 00 01 +						
0090 2b 00 04 17 dc 4b e8 c0 0c 00 01 00 01 00 00 01 +K						
00a0 2b 00 04 17 dc 4b f5 00 00 29 0f a0 00 00 00 00 +K						
00b0 00 00						

2. DNS Response for example.com

This packet is the DNS server's answer to the previous query.

Response Type: Standard query response (No error)

Source IP: 162.38.114.15 (DNS server)

Destination IP: 162.38.35.180 (local machine)

Transaction ID: 0x36a8 → Matches the request, confirming this response corresponds to the earlier query

Answer (A Records):

23.192.228.80

23.192.228.84

23.215.0.138

23.215.0.136

23.220.75.x (truncated but visible)

→ The DNS server returns multiple IPv4 addresses for example.com, as it is hosted behind a load-balancing infrastructure.

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248 22.507217444	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TLSv1.3	90	Application Data
249 22.507253623	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [FIN, ACK] Seq=554 Ack=10402 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=1480569401 TSecr=77219467
250 22.507434007	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TLSv1.3	2460	Application Data
251 22.507467085	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TLSv1.3	818	Application Data
252 22.600638479	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [FIN, ACK] Seq=10402 Ack=554 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=772194775 TSecr=1480569401
253 22.600638987	54.175.165.159	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46216 [ACK] Seq=10403 Ack=555 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=772194775 TSecr=1480569401
254 22.600664950	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46582 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3154 Win=65024 Len=0 TSval=3918995453 TSecr=4273696614
255 22.600754569	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [ACK] Seq=555 Ack=10403 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=1480569495 TSecr=772194775
256 22.644380768	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46582 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3906 Win=82688 Len=0 TSval=3918995497 TSecr=4273696614
257 22.651787750	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	616	Application Data
258 22.692431842	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TCP	66	46582 → 443 [ACK] Seq=3906 Ack=5641 Win=58880 Len=0 TSval=4273696799 TSecr=3918995504
259 22.731228905	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	82	Standard query 0x36a8 A example.com OPT
260 22.913434072	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	178	Standard query response 0x36a8 A example.com A 23.192.228.80 A 23.192.228.84 A 23.215.0.1
261 22.914587458	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	82	Standard query response 0x98bf AAAA example.com OPT
262 22.997869989	104.18.39.21	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	90	Application Data
263 22.997864077	162.38.35.180	104.18.39.21	TCP	66	35226 → 443 [ACK] Seq=393 Ack=350 Win=471 Len=0 TSval=2387725749 TSecr=3814066179
264 22.998045875	162.38.35.180	104.18.39.21	TLSv1.2	94	Application Data
265 23.040047012	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	250	Standard query response 0x98bf AAAA example.com AAAA 2600:1406:5e00:6::17ce:bc12 AAAA 2600:1406:5e00:6::17ce:bc12
266 23.054037226	104.18.39.21	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 35226 [ACK] Seq=350 Ack=421 Win=16 Len=0 TSval=3814066237 TSecr=2387725749
267 23.058253569	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	84	Standard query 0x76a1 A wikipedia.org OPT
268 23.323050990	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	100	Standard query response 0x76a1 A wikipedia.org A 185.15.58.224 OPT
269 23.323418773	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	84	Standard query 0xc3bd AAAA wikipedia.org OPT
270 23.527931697	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	112	Standard query response 0xc3bd AAAA wikipedia.org AAAA 2a02:ec80:600:edia::1 OPT
271 24.244686044	52.108.52.22	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	98	Application Data
272 24.244707751	162.38.35.180	52.108.52.22	TCP	54	44802 → 443 [ACK] Seq=206 Ack=128 Win=436 Len=0
273 24.244826219	162.38.35.180	52.108.52.22	TLSv1.2	89	Application Data
274 24.245255430	162.38.35.180	52.108.52.22	TLSv1.2	89	Application Data
275 24.260736386	52.108.52.22	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 44802 [ACK] Seq=128 Ack=276 Win=16382 Len=0

Frame 267: 84 bytes on wire (672 bits), 84 bytes captured (672 bits) on interface 0
 Ethernet II, Src: Intel 44:68:53 (10:a5:1d:44:68:53), Dst: Intel 08:00:27:00:00:00
 Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.35.180, Dst: 162.38.114.15
 User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 51154, Dst Port: 53
 Domain Name System (query)
 Standard query type A (0x76a1) for wikipedia.org

3. DNS Request for wikipedia.org

This packet corresponds to the DNS request sent by the client.

Query Type: A (IPv4 address request)

Source IP: 162.38.35.180

Destination IP: 162.38.114.15

Transaction ID: 0x67a1

→ Used to match the request with its corresponding response

Flags: Standard query, no errors

Requested Domain: wikipedia.org

→ This packet shows the client initiating DNS resolution for wikipedia.org.

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Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
248 22.507217444	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TLSv1.3	90	Application Data
249 22.507253623	162.38.35.180	54.175.165.159	TCP	66	46216 → 443 [FIN, ACK] Seq=554 Ack=10402 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=1480569401 TSecr=77219467
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256 22.644380768	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 46582 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3906 Win=82688 Len=0 TSval=3918995497 TSecr=4273696614
257 22.651787750	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	616	Application Data
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259 22.731228905	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	82	Standard query 0x36a8 A example.com OPT
260 22.913434072	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	178	Standard query response 0x36a8 A example.com A 23.192.228.80 A 23.192.228.84 A 23.215.0.1
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263 22.997864077	162.38.35.180	104.18.39.21	TCP	66	35226 → 443 [ACK] Seq=393 Ack=350 Win=471 Len=0 TSval=2387725749 TSecr=3814066179
264 22.998045875	162.38.35.180	104.18.39.21	TLSv1.2	94	Application Data
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273 24.244826219	162.38.35.180	52.108.52.22	TLSv1.2	89	Application Data
274 24.245255430	162.38.35.180	52.108.52.22	TLSv1.2	89	Application Data
275 24.260736386	52.108.52.22	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 44802 [ACK] Seq=128 Ack=276 Win=16382 Len=0

Frame 268: 100 bytes on wire (800 bits), 100 bytes captured (800 bits) on interface 0
 Ethernet II, Src: CheckPointSo_46:17:af (00:0c:29:46:17:af), Dst: Intel 08:00:27:00:00:00
 Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.114.15, Dst: 162.38.114.15
 User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 53, Dst Port: 53
 Domain Name System (response)
 Standard query response type A (0x76a1) for wikipedia.org

4. DNS Response for wikipedia.org

This packet is the DNS server's answer to the previous query.

Response Type: Standard query response (No error)

Source IP: 162.38.114.15 (DNS server)

Destination IP: 162.38.35.180 (local machine)

Transaction ID: 0x67a1

→ Matches the request, confirming the correspondence

Answer (A Record): 185.15.58.224

→ The DNS server successfully resolves wikipedia.org and returns the corresponding IPv4 address.

The DNS captures show the complete resolution process for the domains example.com and wikipedia.org.

For each domain, the client sends a standard A-type query to the DNS server, and the server responds with the corresponding IPv4 address.

The matching Transaction IDs confirm the link between each request and response, and the flags indicate that all queries were processed without errors.

Overall, the DNS traffic behaves as expected and clearly illustrates how domain names are translated into IP addresses before any communication with remote servers can begin.

ICMP Analysis

To generate ICMP traffic, the command `ping -c 4 google.com` was executed. This command is used to test whether the remote machine (here google.com) is accessible. It generates 4 Echo requests and 4 Echo replies.

icmp									
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info			
21	0.568650890	162.38.35.180	172.217.19.142	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) request	id=0xe02f, seq=1/256, ttl=64	(reply in 22)	
22	0.576671958	172.217.19.142	162.38.35.180	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) reply	id=0xe02f, seq=1/256, ttl=117	(request in 21)	
28	1.569901880	162.38.35.180	172.217.19.142	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) request	id=0xe02f, seq=2/512, ttl=64	(reply in 29)	
29	1.575703839	172.217.19.142	162.38.35.180	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) reply	id=0xe02f, seq=2/512, ttl=117	(request in 28)	
35	2.572033587	162.38.35.180	172.217.19.142	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) request	id=0xe02f, seq=3/768, ttl=64	(reply in 36)	
36	2.578800494	172.217.19.142	162.38.35.180	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) reply	id=0xe02f, seq=3/768, ttl=117	(request in 35)	
40	3.573848939	162.38.35.180	172.217.19.142	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) request	id=0xe02f, seq=4/1024, ttl=64	(reply in 41)	
41	3.581313872	172.217.19.142	162.38.35.180	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) reply	id=0xe02f, seq=4/1024, ttl=117	(request in 40)	

> Frame 28: 98 bytes on wire (784 bits), 98 by > Ethernet II, Src: Intel_44:68:53 (10:a5:1d:4 > Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.35. > Internet Control Message Protocol	0000 00 1c 7f 00 48 16 10 a5 1d 44 68 53 08 00 45 00 0010 00 54 8c b3 40 00 40 01 27 b4 a2 26 23 b4 ac d9 0020 13 8e 08 00 9a 09 e0 2f 00 02 ee 21 3c 69 00 00 0030 00 00 94 66 00 00 00 00 00 00 10 11 12 13 14 15 0040 16 17 18 19 1a 1b 1c 1d 1e 1f 20 21 22 23 24 25 0050 26 27 28 29 2a 2b 2c 2d 2e 2f 30 31 32 33 34 35 0060 36 37 67	... H... DhS..E. .T..@.@. '...&#... / ...!<i.. ...f..... !"#\$\$% &'()*+,- ./012345 67
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1. ICMP Echo Request (Packet 28)

This packet represents the ICMP Echo Request sent by the client as part of the ping command.

Type: 8 (Echo Request)

Source IP: 162.38.35.180 (local machine)

Destination IP: 172.217.19.142 (Google server)

Identifier: 0xe02f

Sequence Number: 2

→ Allows matching the request with the corresponding reply

TTL: 64

→ Typical for packets originating from a local host

Payload: Incremental byte pattern used to verify data integrity

→ This packet shows the client attempting to reach the remote host by sending an ICMP Echo Request.

icmp									
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info			
21	0.568650890	162.38.35.180	172.217.19.142	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) request	id=0xe02f, seq=1/256, ttl=64 (reply in 22)		
22	0.576671958	172.217.19.142	162.38.35.180	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) reply	id=0xe02f, seq=1/256, ttl=117 (request in 21)		
28	1.569961800	162.38.35.180	172.217.19.142	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) request	id=0xe02f, seq=2/512, ttl=64 (reply in 29)		
29	1.579703380	172.217.19.142	162.38.35.180	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) reply	id=0xe02f, seq=2/512, ttl=117 (request in 28)		
35	2.572033587	162.38.35.180	172.217.19.142	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) request	id=0xe02f, seq=3/768, ttl=64 (reply in 36)		
36	2.578800494	172.217.19.142	162.38.35.180	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) reply	id=0xe02f, seq=3/768, ttl=117 (request in 35)		
40	3.573848939	162.38.35.180	172.217.19.142	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) request	id=0xe02f, seq=4/1024, ttl=64 (reply in 41)		
41	3.581313872	172.217.19.142	162.38.35.180	ICMP	98	Echo (ping) reply	id=0xe02f, seq=4/1024, ttl=117 (request in 40)		


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> Frame 29: 98 bytes on wire (784 bits), 98 by 0000 10 a5 1d 44 68 53 00 1c 7f 46 17 af 08 00 45 00 ...DhS...F...E
> Ethernet II, Src: CheckPointSo_46:17:af (00: 0010 00 54 00 00 00 00 75 01 bf 67 ac d9 13 8e a2 26 ...T...u...g...&
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 172.217.19 0020 23 b4 00 00 a2 09 e0 2f 00 02 ee 21 3c 69 00 00 #.../...!<i...
> Internet Control Message Protocol 0030 00 00 94 66 00 00 00 00 00 00 10 11 12 13 14 15 ...f...
0040 16 17 18 19 1a 1b 1c 1d 1e 1f 20 21 22 23 24 25 ... ..!#$%
0050 26 27 28 29 2a 2b 2c 2d 2e 2f 30 31 32 33 34 35 &'()*+,-./012345
0060 36 37 67

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2. ICMP Echo Reply (Packet 29)

This packet represents the reply sent by the remote host in response to the previous request.

Type: 0 (Echo Reply)

Source IP: 172.217.19.142 (Google server)

Destination IP: 162.38.35.180 (local machine)

Identifier: 0xe02f

→ Matches the identifier from the request

Sequence Number: 2

→ Same as the request, confirming the correspondence

TTL: 117

→ Indicates the packet traveled across an external network (Internet)

Round-Trip Time: Visible in the ping output, corresponds to the time between request and reply

→ This packet confirms that the remote host is reachable and responded successfully to the ICMP Echo Request.

The ICMP captures show a normal ping exchange between the client and Google's server.

Each Echo Request from the local machine receives a corresponding Echo Reply, confirmed by matching identifiers and sequence numbers.

The TTL values reflect the path differences between outgoing and incoming packets, and the successful replies demonstrate proper network connectivity.

TCP analysis : 3-way handshake

To generate TCP traffic, several websites were visited using an Internet browser. This action creates multiple TCP connections, each beginning with the standard three-way handshake (SYN, SYN-ACK, ACK) between the client and the web server.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
409	4.958379033	54.85.47.228	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 53802 [FIN, ACK] Seq=10493 Ack=555 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=2523421628 TSecr=4110168331
410	4.958491059	162.38.35.180	54.85.47.228	TCP	66	53802 → 443 [ACK] Seq=555 Ack=10494 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=4110168430 TSecr=2523421628
411	4.959039079	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 47940 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3154 Win=65024 Len=0 TSval=3922184478 TSecr=4276885828
412	5.002323826	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	616	Application Data
413	5.043326212	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TCP	66	47940 → 443 [ACK] Seq=3906 Ack=5641 Win=58880 Len=0 TSval=4276886012 TSecr=3922184519
1309	6.77092854	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	78	53044 → 53 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM TSval=436502806 TSecr=0 WS=128 TF0=R
1335	6.787294959	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	TCP	74	53 → 53044 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=1250 WS=256 SACK_PERM TSval=801376752 TSecr=436502806
1336	6.787321831	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502823 TSecr=801376752
1337	6.787348203	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	125	Standard query 0x3817 HTTPS ogads-pa.clients6.google.com OPT
1339	6.794915845	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	175	Standard query response 0x3817 HTTPS ogads-pa.clients6.google.com SOA ns1.google.com OPT
1340	6.794941372	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=60 Ack=110 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502830 TSecr=801376760
1693	6.930411858	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	116	Standard query 0x5593 HTTPS accounts.google.com OPT
1696	6.933955503	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	166	Standard query response 0x5593 HTTPS accounts.google.com SOA ns1.google.com OPT
1697	6.933975734	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=110 Ack=210 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502969 TSecr=801376902
1842	7.277488980	172.66.164.239	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	91	Application Data
1843	7.277783811	162.38.35.180	172.66.164.239	TLSv1.2	95	Application Data
1844	7.293842864	172.66.164.239	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 56372 [ACK] Seq=26 Ack=30 Win=18 Len=0 TSval=3994807147 TSecr=902044807
1845	7.375191314	162.38.35.180	52.108.9.12	TLSv1.2	5283	Application Data
1846	7.375736168	162.38.35.180	52.108.9.12	TLSv1.2	2212	Application Data, Application Data
1847	7.381656168	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1251 Win=16386 Len=0
1848	7.381656459	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=2501 Win=16386 Len=0
1849	7.381656484	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=5001 Win=16386 Len=0
1850	7.381656508	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=5230 Win=16386 Len=0
1851	7.382345527	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=6480 Win=16386 Len=0
1852	7.382345574	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7388 Win=16383 Len=0
1853	7.382345630	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	93	Application Data
1854	7.412693344	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	447	Application Data
1855	7.412693377	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	85	Application Data

1. TCP SYN (Client → Server)

This packet is the TCP SYN sent by the client to initiate a connection with the server.

Source Port: 53044 (client)

Destination Port: 53 (server)

Flags: SYN

→ Indicates the beginning of a TCP connection.

Sequence Number: 0

→ First sequence number sent by the client.

Window Size: 64240

→ Advertised receive window of the client.

Options: MSS = 1460

→ This packet represents the client's attempt to establish a TCP session.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
409	4.958379033	54.85.47.228	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 53802 [FIN, ACK] Seq=10493 Ack=555 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=2523421628 TSecr=4110168331
410	4.958491059	162.38.35.180	54.85.47.228	TCP	66	53802 → 443 [ACK] Seq=555 Ack=10494 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=4110168430 TSecr=2523421628
411	4.959039079	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 47940 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3154 Win=65024 Len=0 TSval=3922184478 TSecr=4276885828
412	5.002323826	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	616	Application Data
413	5.043326212	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TCP	66	47940 → 443 [ACK] Seq=3906 Ack=5641 Win=58880 Len=0 TSval=4276886012 TSecr=3922184519
1389	6.776992854	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	78	53044 → 53 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM TSval=436502806 TSecr=0 WS=128 TF0=R
1335	6.787294959	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	TCP	74	53 → 53044 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=1250 WS=256 SACK_PERM TSval=801376752 TSecr=436502806
1336	6.787321831	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502823 TSecr=801376752
1337	6.787348203	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	125	Standard query 0x3817 HTTPS ogads-pa.clients6.google.com OPT
1339	6.794915845	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	175	Standard query response 0x3817 HTTPS ogads-pa.clients6.google.com SOA ns1.google.com OPT
1340	6.794941372	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=60 Ack=110 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502830 TSecr=801376760
1693	6.930411858	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	116	Standard query 0x5593 HTTPS accounts.google.com OPT
1696	6.933955503	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	166	Standard query response 0x5593 HTTPS accounts.google.com SOA ns1.google.com OPT
1697	6.933975734	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=110 Ack=210 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502969 TSecr=801376902
1842	7.277488980	172.66.164.239	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	91	Application Data
1843	7.277783811	162.38.35.180	172.66.164.239	TLSv1.2	95	Application Data
1844	7.293842864	172.66.164.239	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 56372 [ACK] Seq=26 Ack=30 Win=18 Len=0 TSval=3994807147 TSecr=902044807
1845	7.375191314	162.38.35.180	52.108.9.12	TLSv1.2	5283	Application Data
1846	7.375736108	162.38.35.180	52.108.9.12	TLSv1.2	2212	Application Data, Application Data
1847	7.381656168	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1251 Win=16386 Len=0
1848	7.381656459	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=2501 Win=16386 Len=0
1849	7.381656484	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=5001 Win=16386 Len=0
1850	7.381656508	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=5230 Win=16385 Len=0
1851	7.382345527	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=6480 Win=16386 Len=0
1852	7.382345574	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7388 Win=16383 Len=0
1853	7.382345630	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	93	Application Data
1854	7.412693344	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	447	Application Data
1855	7.412693377	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	85	Application Data
> Frame 1335: 74 bytes on wire (592 bits), 74 captured (0.000000000 seconds) on interface 0 Ethernet II, Src: CheckPointSo_46:17:af (08:00:0c:30:f8:32), Dst: 162.38.35.180 (08:00:0c:30:f8:32), Protocol: Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.114.15, Dst: 162.38.35.180 Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.114.15, Dst: 162.38.35.180 Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 53, Dst Port: 8013 ...						

2. TCP SYN-ACK (Server → Client)

This packet is the SYN-ACK response sent by the server as part of the handshake.

Source Port: 53 (server)

Destination Port: 53044 (client)

Flags: SYN, ACK

→ Confirms that the server received the client's SYN and agrees to establish the connection.

Sequence Number: 0

→ First sequence number sent by the server.

Acknowledgment Number: 1

→ Acknowledges the client's SYN (Seq=0 → Ack=1).

Window Size: 65535

→ This packet completes the second step of the TCP 3-way handshake.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
409	4.958379033	54.85.47.228	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 53802 [FIN, ACK] Seq=10493 Ack=555 Win=29184 Len=0 TSval=2523421628 TSecr=4110168331
410	4.958491059	162.38.35.180	54.85.47.228	TCP	66	53802 → 443 [ACK] Seq=555 Ack=10494 Win=54016 Len=0 TSval=4110168430 TSecr=2523421628
411	4.959039079	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 47940 [ACK] Seq=5091 Ack=3154 Win=65024 Len=0 TSval=3922184478 TSecr=4276885828
412	5.002323826	50.16.129.189	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	616	Application Data
413	5.043326212	162.38.35.180	50.16.129.189	TCP	66	47940 → 443 [ACK] Seq=3906 Ack=5641 Win=58880 Len=0 TSval=4276886012 TSecr=3922184519
1389	6.776992854	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	78	53044 → 53 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM TSval=436502806 TSecr=0 WS=128 TF0=R
1335	6.787294959	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	TCP	74	53 → 53044 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=1250 WS=256 SACK_PERM TSval=801376752 TSecr=436502806
1336	6.787321831	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502823 TSecr=801376752
1337	6.787348203	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	125	Standard query 0x3817 HTTPS ogads-pa.clients6.google.com OPT
1339	6.794915845	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	175	Standard query response 0x3817 HTTPS ogads-pa.clients6.google.com SOA ns1.google.com OPT
1340	6.794941372	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=60 Ack=110 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502830 TSecr=801376760
1693	6.930411858	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	DNS	116	Standard query 0x5593 HTTPS accounts.google.com OPT
1696	6.933955503	162.38.114.15	162.38.35.180	DNS	166	Standard query response 0x5593 HTTPS accounts.google.com SOA ns1.google.com OPT
1697	6.933975734	162.38.35.180	162.38.114.15	TCP	66	53044 → 53 [ACK] Seq=110 Ack=210 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=436502969 TSecr=801376902
1842	7.277488980	172.66.164.239	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	91	Application Data
1843	7.277783811	162.38.35.180	172.66.164.239	TLSv1.2	95	Application Data
1844	7.293842864	172.66.164.239	162.38.35.180	TCP	66	443 → 56372 [ACK] Seq=26 Ack=30 Win=18 Len=0 TSval=3994807147 TSecr=902044807
1845	7.375191314	162.38.35.180	52.108.9.12	TLSv1.2	5283	Application Data
1846	7.375736108	162.38.35.180	52.108.9.12	TLSv1.2	2212	Application Data, Application Data
1847	7.381656168	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1251 Win=16386 Len=0
1848	7.381656459	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=2501 Win=16386 Len=0
1849	7.381656484	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=5001 Win=16386 Len=0
1850	7.381656508	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=5230 Win=16385 Len=0
1851	7.382345527	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=6480 Win=16386 Len=0
1852	7.382345574	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TCP	54	443 → 34302 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=7388 Win=16383 Len=0
1853	7.382345630	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	93	Application Data
1854	7.412693344	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	447	Application Data
1855	7.412693377	52.108.9.12	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.2	85	Application Data
> Frame 1336: 66 bytes on wire (528 bits), 66 captured (0.000000000 seconds) on interface 0 Ethernet II, Src: Intel44:68:53 (10:a5:1d:44:68:53), Dst: 162.38.35.180 (08:00:0c:30:f8:32), Protocol: Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.35.180, Dst: 162.38.35.180 Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.35.180, Dst: 162.38.35.180 Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 530, Dst Port: 8013 ...						

3. TCP ACK (Client → Server)

This packet is the final ACK completing the handshake.

Source Port: 53044 (client)

Destination Port: 53 (server)

Flags: ACK

→ Final step confirming connection establishment.

Sequence Number: 1

→ Next byte after the SYN.

Acknowledgment Number: 1

→ Confirms receipt of the server's SYN-ACK.

→ This packet finalizes the TCP handshake and establishes a reliable TCP connection between client and server.

The three packets (SYN → SYN-ACK → ACK) clearly show a complete and valid TCP 3-way handshake. Sequence and acknowledgment numbers match, and both endpoints successfully negotiate the connection parameters.

This confirms that a reliable TCP session was successfully established between the client and the server.

HTTP analysis

To generate HTTP traffic, the browser was used to visit the websites <http://example.com> and <http://neverssl.com>. These actions produce HTTP GET requests sent from the client to the web servers, followed by HTTP responses containing the requested webpage content.

http						
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
610	9.169203530	162.38.35.180	23.192.228.80	HTTP	503	GET / HTTP/1.1
616	9.324887799	23.192.228.80	162.38.35.180	HTTP	760	HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/html)
620	9.381087440	162.38.35.180	23.192.228.80	HTTP	443	GET /favicon.ico HTTP/1.1
623	9.625644877	23.192.228.80	162.38.35.180	HTTP	970	HTTP/1.1 404 Not Found (text/html)
1368	48.230117396	162.38.35.180	34.223.124.45	HTTP	504	GET / HTTP/1.1
1376	48.820502669	34.223.124.45	162.38.35.180	HTTP	2339	HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/html)

Frame 610: 503 bytes on wire (4024 bits), 50	0000	00 1c 7f 00 48 16 10 a5 1d 44 68 53 08 00 45 00H....DhS..E..
Ethernet II, Src: Intel_44:68:53 (10:a5:1d:4	0010	01 e9 1d d6 40 00 40 06 59 4e a2 26 23 b4 17 c0@..YN.&#...
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.35.	0020	e4 50 ea 32 00 50 2e 47 25 87 59 20 ef 51 80 18	..P.2.P.G.%Y.Q...
Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 599	0030	01 f6 c3 c6 00 00 01 01 08 0a 49 02 e6 4f 13 57I..O.W
Hypertext Transfer Protocol	0040	9b 0b 47 45 54 20 2f 20 48 54 54 50 2f 31 2e 31	..GET / HTTP/1.1
	0050	0d 0a 48 6f 73 74 3a 20 65 78 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e	..Host: example.
	0060	63 6f 6d 0d 0a 43 6f 6e 6e 65 63 74 69 6f 6e 3a	com..Con nection:
	0070	20 6b 65 65 70 2d 61 6c 69 76 65 0d 0a 55 70 67	keep-al ive..Upg
	0080	72 61 64 65 2d 49 6e 73 65 63 75 72 65 2d 52 65	rade-Ins ecure-Re
	0090	71 75 65 73 74 73 3a 20 31 0d 0a 55 73 65 72 2d	quests: 1..User-
	00a0	41 67 65 6e 74 3a 20 4d 6f 7a 69 6c 6c 61 2f 35	Agent: M ozilla/5
	00b0	2e 30 20 28 58 31 31 3b 20 4c 69 6e 75 78 20 78	.0 (X11; Linux x
	00c0	38 36 5f 36 34 29 20 41 70 70 6c 65 57 65 62 4b	86_64) A ppleWebK
	00d0	69 74 2f 35 33 37 2e 33 36 20 28 4b 48 54 4d 4c	it/537.3 6 (KHTML
	00e0	2c 20 6c 69 6b 65 20 47 65 63 6b 6f 29 20 43 68	, like G ecko) Ch
	00f0	72 6f 6d 65 2f 31 34 32 2e 30 2e 30 2e 30 20 53	rome/142 .0.0.0 S
	0100	61 66 61 72 69 2f 35 33 37 2e 33 36 0d 0a 41 63	afari/53 7.36 ..Ac
	0110	63 65 70 74 3a 20 74 65 78 74 2f 68 74 6d 6c 2c	cept: te xt/html,
	0120	61 70 70 6c 69 63 61 74 69 6f 6e 2f 78 68 74 6d	applicat ion/xhtm
	0130	6c 2b 78 6d 6c 2c 61 70 70 6c 69 63 61 74 69 6f	l+xml,ap plicatio
	0140	6e 2f 78 6d 6c 3b 71 3d 30 2e 39 2c 69 6d 61 67	n/xml;q= 0.9,imag
	0150	65 2f 61 76 69 66 2c 69 6d 61 67 65 2f 77 65 62	e/avif,i mage/web
	0160	70 2c 69 6d 61 67 65 2f 61 70 6e 67 2c 2a 2f 2a	p,image/ apng,*/*

1. HTTP GET Request (Packet 610)

This packet is the HTTP GET request sent by the client to retrieve a webpage hosted on the remote server.

Method: GET

Request URI: /

Host: example.com

→ The client requests the main web page from the server.

User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (X11; Linux x86_64) AppleWebKit/537.36 Chrome/142.0.0.0

Safari/537.36

→ Identifies the browser and operating system.

Source IP: 162.38.35.180 (local machine)

Destination IP: 23.192.228.80 (web server)

Source Port: 599xx

Destination Port: 80 (HTTP)

TCP Info: Seq=47, Ack=45, Len=468

→ This packet represents the browser's initial request for loading the webpage over an unencrypted HTTP connection.

http						
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
610	9.169203530	162.38.35.180	23.192.228.80	HTTP	503	GET / HTTP/1.1
616	9.324887799	23.192.228.80	162.38.35.180	HTTP	760	HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/html)
620	9.381087440	162.38.35.180	23.192.228.80	HTTP	443	GET /favicon.ico HTTP/1.1
623	9.625644877	23.192.228.80	162.38.35.180	HTTP	970	HTTP/1.1 404 Not Found (text/html)
1368	48.230117396	162.38.35.180	34.223.124.45	HTTP	504	GET / HTTP/1.1
1376	48.820502669	34.223.124.45	162.38.35.180	HTTP	2339	HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/html)

▶ Frame 1376: 2339 bytes on wire (18712 bits),	0000	10 a5 1d 44 68 53 00 1c	7f 46 17 af 08 00 45 28	...DhS...F...E(
▶ Ethernet II, Src: CheckPointSo_46:17:af (00:	0010	09 15 37 8f 40 00 e7 06	ee 44 22 df 7c 2d a2 26	..7.@...D" -&
▶ Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 34.223.124	0020	23 b4 00 50 ba 8c 33 05	ba 68 fa c2 a4 74 80 18	#..P..3..h...t..
▶ Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 80,	0030	00 5c 6d ee 00 00 01 01	08 0a 1c b7 76 1d 00 85	..m.....v...
▶ Hypertext Transfer Protocol	0040	e1 98 48 54 54 50 2f 31	2e 31 20 32 30 30 20 4f	..HTTP/1.1 200 O
▶ Line-based text data: text/html (131 lines)	0050	4b 0d 0a 44 61 74 65 3a	20 46 72 69 2c 20 31 32	K..Date: Fri, 12
	0060	20 44 65 63 20 32 30 32	35 20 31 34 3a 33 37 3a	Dec 202 5 14:37:
	0070	30 38 20 47 4d 54 0d 0a	53 65 72 76 65 72 3a 20	08 GMT..Server:
	0080	41 70 61 63 68 65 2f 32	2e 34 2e 36 32 20 28 29	Apache/2.4.62 ()
	0090	0d 0a 55 70 67 72 61 64	65 3a 20 68 32 2c 68 32	..Upgrad e: h2,h2
	00a0	63 0d 0a 43 6f 6e 6e 65	63 74 69 6f 6e 3a 20 55	c..Conne ction: U
	00b0	70 67 72 61 64 65 2c 20	4b 65 65 70 2d 41 6c 69	pgrade, Keep-Ali
	00c0	76 65 0d 0a 4c 61 73 74	2d 4d 6f 64 69 66 69 65	ve..Last -Modifie
	00d0	64 3a 20 57 65 64 2c 20	32 39 20 4a 75 6e 20 32	d: Wed, 29 Jun 2
	00e0	30 32 32 20 30 30 3a 32	33 3a 33 33 20 47 4d 54	022 00:2 3:33 GMT
	00f0	0d 0a 45 54 61 67 3a 20	22 66 37 39 2d 35 65 32	..ETag: "f79-5e2
	0100	38 62 32 39 64 33 38 65	39 33 2d 67 7a 69 70 22	8b29d38e 93-gzip"
	0110	0d 0a 41 63 63 65 70 74	2d 52 61 6e 67 65 73 3a	..Accept -Ranges:
	0120	20 62 79 74 65 73 0d 0a	56 61 72 79 3a 20 41 63	bytes.. Vary: Ac
	0130	63 65 70 74 2d 45 6e 63	6f 64 69 6e 67 0d 0a 43	cept-Enc oding..C
	0140	6f 6e 74 65 6e 74 2d 45	6e 63 6f 64 69 6e 67 3a	ontent-E ncoding..C
	0150	20 67 7a 69 70 0d 0a 43	6f 6e 74 65 6e 74 2d 4c	gzip..C ontent-L

Frame (2339 bytes)	Uncompressed entity body (3961 bytes)
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2. HTTP 200 OK Response (Packet 1376)

This packet is the server's response to the previous GET request.

Status: HTTP/1.1 200 OK

→ Indicates that the request was successful.

Content-Type: text/html

Content-Length: 3961 bytes (uncompressed entity body)

Server: Apache/2.4.62

Date: Fri, 12 Dec 2025 14:37 GMT

Headers:

Connection: keep-alive

Last-Modified: Wed, 29 Jun 2022

ETag: "f79-5e2bd438e93-gzip"

Accept-Ranges: bytes

In addition, the packet contains the HTML content of the page in clear text, since HTTP does not provide any encryption. The payload section shows readable HTML, making it easy to inspect the structure of the returned webpage.

→ This packet corresponds to the server delivering the requested webpage to the client.

The HTTP exchange clearly shows how unencrypted web traffic operates.

The client sends a GET request, and the server responds with a valid 200 OK message containing the full HTML page. Because HTTP is not encrypted, all headers and the body content are visible in plain text within the packet capture.

This highlights the lack of confidentiality in HTTP communications and explains why HTTPS is preferred for secure browsing.

TLS analysis (HTTPS)

*wlp0s20f3						
Fichier Editer Vue Aller Capture Analyser Statistiques Telephonie Wireless Outils Aide						
tls						
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
710	5.940659954	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	1821	Client Hello (SNI=wikipedia.org)
713	5.947264176	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	1821	Client Hello (SNI=wikipedia.org)
716	5.950801283	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	1885	Client Hello (SNI=wikipedia.org)
718	5.961014098	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	2542	Server Hello, Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
719	5.961014523	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	713	Application Data, Application Data, Application Data
722	5.966133928	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	130	Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
723	5.966282052	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	158	Application Data
724	5.966434584	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	560	Application Data
726	5.967717664	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	2542	Server Hello, Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
727	5.967717713	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	713	Application Data, Application Data, Application Data
730	5.968017344	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	130	Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
732	5.972079326	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	2542	Server Hello, Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
733	5.972079404	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	714	Application Data, Application Data, Application Data
736	5.972408798	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	130	Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
737	5.986167749	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	321	Application Data
738	5.986168014	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	321	Application Data
740	5.986168045	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	118	Application Data
742	5.986302143	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	97	Application Data
743	5.987596523	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	1595	Application Data
744	5.987599516	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	321	Application Data
745	5.987599594	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	321	Application Data
751	5.991773170	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	321	Application Data
752	5.992704441	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	321	Application Data
757	6.009163616	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	252	Application Data
774	6.041536527	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	2542	Application Data
789	6.056849212	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	2542	Application Data
801	6.064350567	185.15.58.224	162.38.35.180	TLSv1.3	1255	Application Data
806	6.084279998	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	362	Application Data
807	6.084571939	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	175	Application Data
808	6.084982710	162.38.35.180	185.15.58.224	TLSv1.3	165	Application Data
▶ Frame 716: 1885 bytes on wire (15080 bits), Ethernet II, Src: Intel_44:68:53 (10:a5:1d:4 Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 162.38.35. Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 376 Transport Layer Security						
				0000	00 1c 7f 00 48 16 10 a5 1d 44 68 53 08 00 45 00	...H...DhS..E..
				0010	07 4f 04 a1 40 00 40 06 75 3e a2 26 23 b4 b9 0f	..O..@..u>.&#...
				0020	3a e0 92 ec 01 bb 2d ea b8 c5 6c b9 39 5d 80 18	:.....l.9]...
				0030	01 f6 c1 0b 00 00 01 01 08 0a ca bd 69 2b de 38	:.....i+8
				0040	6f 52 16 03 01 07 16 01 00 07 12 03 03 69 09 a5	oR.....i...
				0050	c4 85 5f 1c 23 ad a4 2c 5b b8 c6 1f 1a d8 f6 20	...#.., [.....
				0060	f7 dd 76 d5 cd b5 aa c3 fe 6c 14 ae f4 20 2a a6	..v.....l...*
				0070	76 66 f9 38 ac f3 93 ae 1b a8 03 74 f5 58 f4 0d	vF.8.....t.X...
				0080	f2 c8 4a 0c 16 3b e9 5d 28 ef 57 5e 5e 9c 00 20	..J.;.] (.W^...
				0090	5a 5a 13 01 13 02 13 03 c0 2b c0 2f c0 2c c0 30	ZZ.....+././..0
				00a0	cc a9 cc a8 c0 13 c0 14 00 9c 00 9d 00 2f 00 35+./..5
				00b0	01 00 06 a9 aa aa 00 00 00 23 00 00 00 2b 00 07#....+
				00c0	06 4a 4a 03 04 03 03 ff 01 00 01 00 00 17 00 00	..JJ.....
				00d0	00 05 00 05 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 12 00 10 00
				00e0	00 0d 77 69 6b 69 70 65 64 69 61 2e 6f 72 67 fe	..wikipe dia.org.
				00f0	0d 01 1a 00 00 01 00 01 15 00 20 2f 26 fd 74 8c/..t.
				0100	58 33 a0 bb de bc 18 ba 83 03 3a 86 93 9c fb 05	X3.....:
				0110	a4 a5 56 a9 c4 6c 9a 37 f0 7a 11 00 f0 94 4b 80	..V..l.7..z...K.
				0120	f2 5f f1 e3 96 df d9 3e 2d 95 88 95 ea 2f c0 8b>...../..
				0130	76 74 fe f8 4f 3c 78 a0 d9 87 a0 2a da c7 98 d0	vt..0<x.....*
				0140	77 0e c8 22 13 78 27 07 fe 82 4c a9 36 a9 b4 de	w..".x'...L.6...

1. Client Hello (Packet ~717)

This packet corresponds to the TLS Client Hello message sent by the client to initiate the TLS 1.3 handshake.

TLS Version: TLS 1.3

Random Value: Client-generated random value used during key derivation

Session ID: Present (indicates support for session resumption)

Cipher Suites:

The client proposes a list of supported cipher suites, typically including modern and secure options such as AES-GCM and ChaCha20-based suites (TLS 1.3 suites do not appear individually in Wireshark but are negotiated internally).

Extensions:

server_name (SNI): wikipedia.org

→ Indicates the domain the client intends to reach

supported_versions: Includes TLS 1.3

key_share: Used during ephemeral Diffie–Hellman key exchange

supported_groups: Lists supported elliptic curve groups

signature_algorithms: Allowed signature algorithms for certificate validation

→ This packet is the first step of the TLS handshake. The client proposes security parameters and announces support for TLS 1.3 while specifying the website it wants to reach through SNI.

2. Server Hello (Packet ~723 / 725)

This packet corresponds to the Server Hello message, sent by the server in response to the Client Hello.

TLS Version: TLS 1.3

Random Value: Server-generated random value

Session ID: Matches the one sent by the client

→ Confirms session establishment

Selected Cipher Suite:

(TLS 1.3 cipher suite negotiated internally, e.g., TLS_AES_128_GCM_SHA256 or TLS_CHACHA20_POLY1305_SHA256)

Extensions:

key_share: Server's contribution to the elliptic-curve key exchange

supported_versions: Confirms TLS 1.3 is chosen

ALPN: May include “h2” (HTTP/2) or “http/1.1”

Following the Server Hello, the server sends:

Change Cipher Spec

Encrypted handshake messages

Certificate (encrypted under TLS 1.3)

→ In TLS 1.3, most handshake messages after Server Hello are encrypted, which is why Wireshark displays them as Application Data rather than clear handshake fields.

The TLS capture shows a complete and modern TLS 1.3 handshake between the client and *wikipedia.org*.

The client sends a Client Hello advertising its supported cipher suites and TLS extensions, including the SNI extension specifying the target domain.

The server responds with a Server Hello selecting TLS 1.3 and negotiating cryptographic parameters. Because TLS 1.3 encrypts most handshake messages after Server Hello, Wireshark displays the remaining exchange as encrypted application data.

Overall, the TLS traffic demonstrates a secure and up-to-date HTTPS session, ensuring confidentiality and integrity of all subsequent communication between the client and the server.

Summary of Observations

Protocol	Observations
DNS	DNS queries for <i>example.com</i> and <i>wikipedia.org</i> were successfully resolved. Each query (Transaction IDs 0x36a8 and 0x67a1) matched its corresponding response. The DNS server returned multiple A records for <i>example.com</i> and a single IPv4 address for <i>wikipedia.org</i> . All exchanges were processed without errors, demonstrating proper DNS resolution.
ICMP	The ICMP ping exchange with 172.217.19.142 (Google) shows normal network behavior. Each Echo Request was matched with an Echo Reply using identical identifiers (0xe02f) and sequence numbers. TTL values differ between outgoing (64) and incoming (117) packets, indicating traversal through external networks. Connectivity was stable with no packet loss.
TCP	A complete TCP 3-way handshake was observed: SYN → SYN-ACK → ACK. The client initiated the connection from port 53044, and the server responded from port 53. Sequence and acknowledgment numbers aligned correctly, and window sizes were properly negotiated. This confirms reliable establishment of a TCP connection.
HTTP	Unencrypted HTTP traffic clearly exposes all protocol details. The client sent a GET request to <i>example.com</i> , and the server responded with a 200 OK message containing the full HTML page. All headers, metadata, and content were visible in plaintext, highlighting the lack of confidentiality in HTTP communications.
TLS	The TLS 1.3 handshake with <i>wikipedia.org</i> showed secure negotiation of cryptographic parameters. The Client Hello included SNI (<i>wikipedia.org</i>), supported_versions, key_share, and signature_algorithms. The Server Hello confirmed TLS 1.3 and selected a cipher suite. Most handshake messages appeared encrypted, consistent with TLS 1.3 behavior. The exchange ensures confidentiality and integrity of all subsequent traffic.

Conclusion

This network analysis provided a clear and structured view of how fundamental Internet protocols operate in real conditions.

By capturing and examining DNS, ICMP, TCP, HTTP, and TLS traffic, each layer of communication revealed its role and behavior within the network stack.

DNS queries demonstrated how domain names are resolved into IP addresses through request–response exchanges.

ICMP traffic showed reliable host reachability, with each Echo Request receiving a matching Echo Reply.

The TCP 3-way handshake confirmed the proper establishment of reliable connections using sequence and acknowledgment numbers.

HTTP communication highlighted the lack of confidentiality in unencrypted traffic, exposing full requests, responses, and webpage content in plaintext.

Finally, the TLS 1.3 handshake illustrated how modern HTTPS connections negotiate cryptographic parameters to secure data exchanges, ensuring confidentiality and integrity.

Overall, this project reinforced practical understanding of key networking mechanisms and demonstrated how Wireshark can be used to visualize and interpret protocol behavior.

The observations made throughout the analysis reflect real-world interactions between clients and servers and underline the importance of secure communication protocols in today's Internet.