Ports and Protocols

At the end of this episode, I will be able to:

1. Identify TCP and UDP protocols and ports.

Exam Objective: 2.1 - Compare and contrast Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) and User Datagram Protocol (UDP) ports, protocols, and their purposes.

Description: In this episode, we discuss common protocols used in network communications. We will compare and contrast Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) and User Datagram Protocol (UDP) and a connection-oriented service vs. a connectionless service.

- What is a protocol and port?
- What is are the standardized port ranges?
 - 0- 1023 = Well known ports (most of the focus)
 - 1024-49151 = Register port ranges (a few in this range)
 - 49152 65535 = Dynamic port ranges
- What is a connection-oriented service vs. a connectionless service?
 - Reliable delivery vs. best effort delivery
- Protocols List
 - Email Protocols

- SMTP = Port 25
- IMAP = Port 143
- POPv3 = Port 110

Web Protocols

- HTTP = Port 80 (Demo)
- HTTPS = Port 143 (Demo)

File Protocols

- FTP = Port 20,21
- TFTP = Port 69 (Demo)

Remote Connection Protocols

- Telnet = 23
- SSH = 22 (Demo)
- RDP = 3389

Network Services

- DNS = Port 53 (Demo)
- NETBIOS = Port 137/139
- DHCP Port 68 and 67
- SNMP = 161/162
- LDAP = 389
- SMB = 445

Additional Reference Materials

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