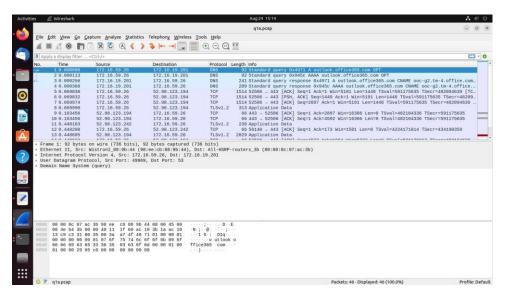
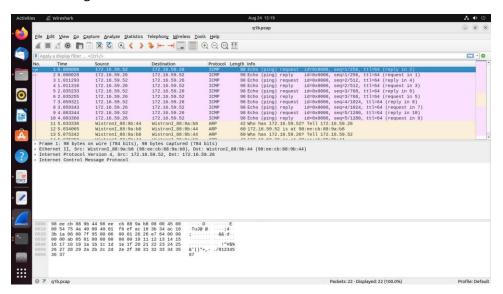
Lab 4

Q1.



The loopback interface (127.0.0.1) is always available and operational. It doesn't depend on external factors or network connectivity.

No, there is not any ICMP Message sent from my host but when another ip address pings me, I can see ICMP messages.

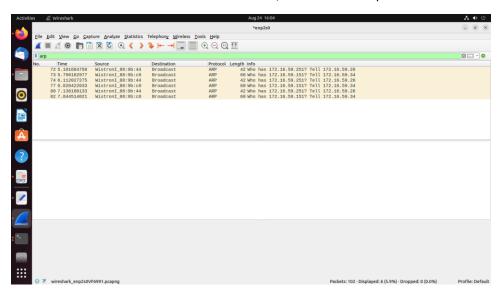


Q2.

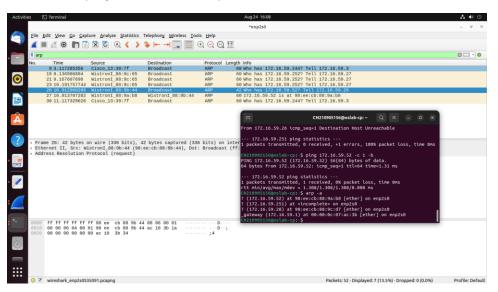
I used this command to clear arp cache first: sudo ip -s -s neigh flush all

Then I gave this command to the terminal: ping 172.16.59.251 - c 1 - b

Even though, I transmitted only 1 packet. But as the ip address is non existent so it's mac address wasn't found and it was retransmitted twice. Hence, in total 3 attempts were made.



Now, when I pinged a local known ip address, I am able to see it's mac address after just 1 attempt.



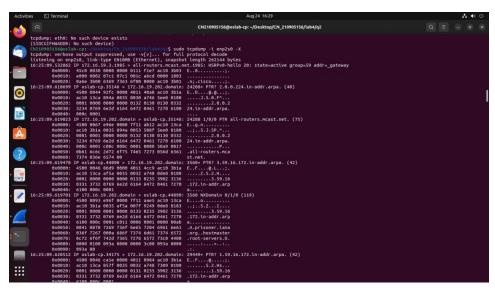
Q3.

- a. `tcpdump udp port 520`: This expression captures network traffic that uses the UDP protocol and is sent to or from port 520. Port 520 is commonly associated with the Routing Information Protocol (RIP), which is used in routing tables on routers.
- b. `tcpdump -x -s 120 ip proto 89`: This expression captures IP packets (IPv4) with protocol number 89. Protocol number 89 corresponds to the OSPF (Open Shortest Path First) protocol, which is used for dynamic routing in IP networks. The `-x` option prints the packet data in hexadecimal and ASCII formats,

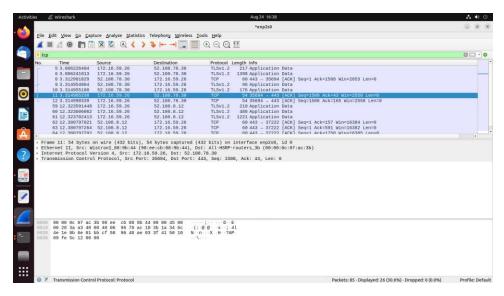
and the `-s 120` option sets the snap length to 120 bytes, limiting the amount of data captured per packet.

- c. `tcpdump -x -s 70 host ip addr1 and (ip addr2 or ip addr3)`: This expression captures packets sent to or from the host with IP address `ip addr1`. Additionally, it includes packets sent to or from either `ip addr2` or `ip addr3`. The `-x` option displays packet data in hexadecimal and ASCII formats, and the `-s 70` option sets the snap length to 70 bytes.
- d. `tcpdump -x -s 70 host ip addr1 and not ip addr2`: This expression captures packets sent to or from the host with IP address `ip addr1`. However, it excludes packets sent to or from `ip addr2`. The `-x` option displays packet data in hexadecimal and ASCII formats, and the `-s 70` option sets the snap length to 70 bytes.

Q4. tcpdump command to dump network traffic: sudo tcpdump -i enp2s0 –X



a) sudo tcpdump -s 65535 -xa -w q4.pcap



b)

IP address:

Source Address: 172.16.59.26

Destination Address: 52.108.78.30

Packet length = TCP Segment Len =0

Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 35694, Dst Port: 443

Flags: 0x010 (ACK)

