Section Overview

What You Will Learn

- Securing network services.
- Configuring local Linux firewalls.
- Preventing information leakage.
- Port scanning.
- Xinetd security.
- Securing SSH.

Network Security

Network Services

- Network services, daemons, servers.
- Listen on network ports.
- Constantly running in the background.
- Output recorded in log files.
- Designed to perform a single task.

Securing Network Services

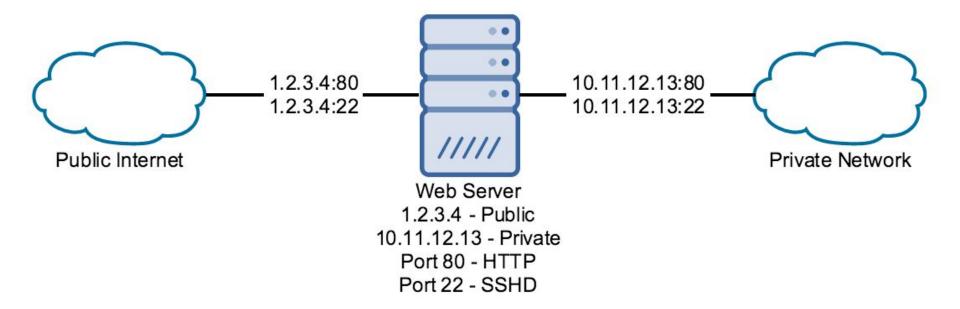
- Use a dedicated user for each service.
 - Take advantage of privilege separation.
- Ports below 1024 are privileged.
 - Use root to open them, then drop privileges.
 - Configuration controlled by each service.

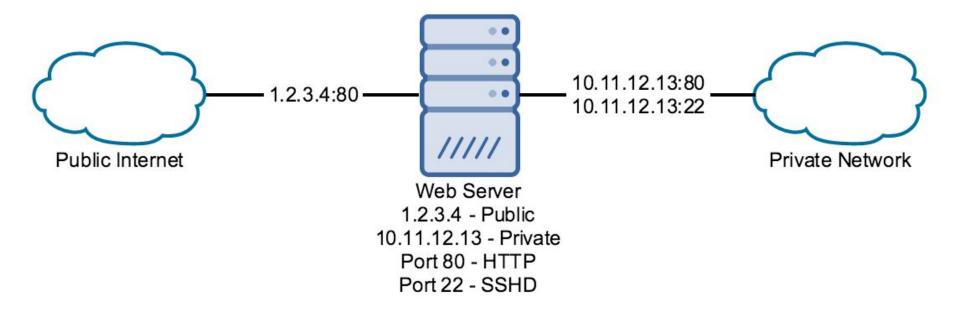
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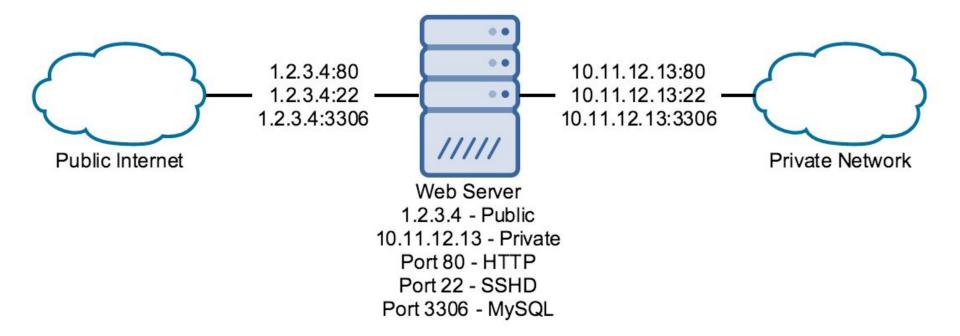
- Stop and uninstall unused services.
- Avoid unsecure services.
 - Use SSH instead of telnet, rlogin, rsh, and FTP
- Stay up to date with patches.
 - Install services provided by your distro.

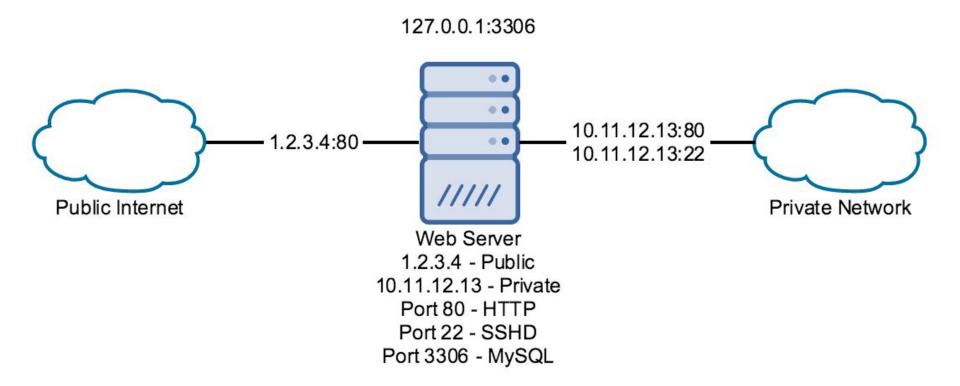
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 Only listen on the required interfaces and addresses.

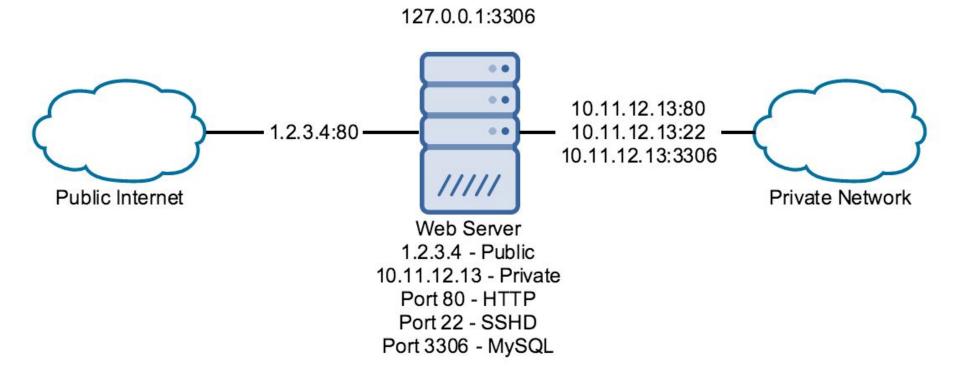




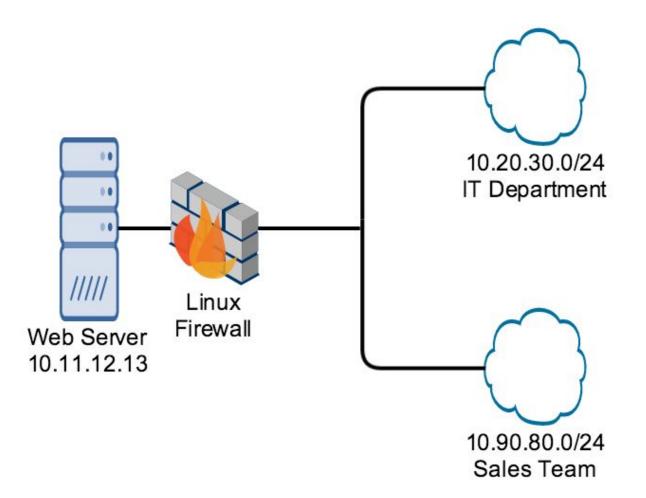


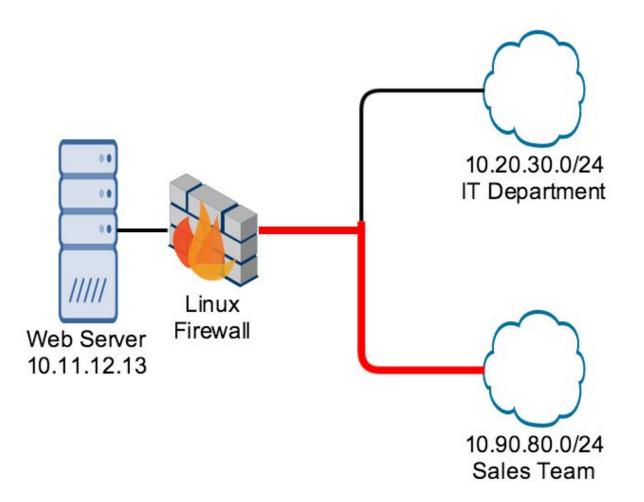


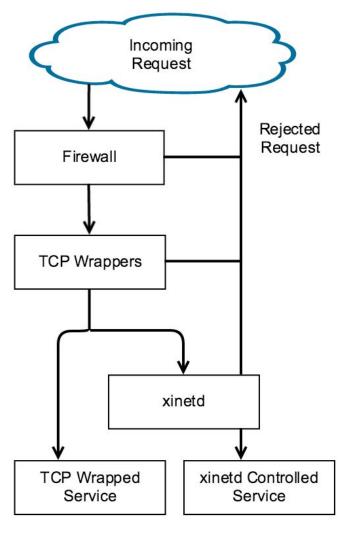
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Information Leakage

Avoid revealing information where possible.

Web Server Information Leakage

```
$ curl -I http://192.168.19.33
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Date: Fri, 05 Feb 2016 17:13:11 GMT
Server: Apache/2.4.6 (CentOS)
Last-Modified: Thu, 16 Oct 2014 13:20:58 GMT
ETag: "1321-5058a1e728280"
Accept-Ranges: bytes
Content-Length: 4897
Content-Type: text/html; charset=UTFnuxTrainingAcademy.com
```

Information Leakage

- Avoid revealing information where possible.
- Web server banners.
- /etc/motd
- /etc/issue
- /etc/issue.net

Displaying Services with systemctl

```
systemctl
 UNTT
               LOAD
                      ACTIVE SUB
                                      DESCRIPTION
httpd.service loaded active running Apache HTTP Server
sshd.service
               loaded active running OpenSSH server
```

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Stop and Disable Services

```
systemctl stop SERVICE
systemctl disable SERVICE
```

Example:

```
systemctl stop httpd
systemctl disable httpd
```

List Listening Programs with netstat

```
# netstat -nutlp
Active Internet connections (only servers)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address Foreign Address
                                                  State
                                                          PID/Program name
                  0 0.0.0.0:22
                                 0.0.0.0:*
                                                           5089/sshd
                                                  LISTEN
tcp
                  0 127.0.0.1:25
                                 0.0.0.0:*
                                                          1398/master
                                                  LISTEN
tcp
                                                          6732/dhclient
udp
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                                                            6732/dhclient
```

Port Scanning

```
nmap HOSTNAME_OR_IP
```

```
nmap localhost
nmap 10.11.12.13
```

```
# nmap 127.0.0.1
Starting Nmap 6.40 (http://nmap.org) at
2016-02-06 01:59 EST
Nmap scan report for localhost (127.0.0.1)
Host is up (0.0000040s latency).
Not shown: 997 closed ports
PORT STATE SERVICE
22/tcp open ssh
25/tcp open smtp
80/tcp open http
```

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```
# nmap 10.11.12.13
Starting Nmap 6.40 (http://nmap.org) at
2016-02-06 01:59 EST
Nmap scan report for linuxsvr (10.11.12.13)
Host is up (0.0000040s latency).
Not shown: 998 closed ports
PORT STATE SERVICE
22/tcp open ssh
80/tcp open http
```

```
# lsof -i

COMMAND PID USER FD TYPE DEVICE SIZE/OFF NODE NAME

httpd 4893 root 4u IPv6 54078 0t0 TCP *:http (LISTEN)

sshd 5089 root 3u IPv4 56221 0t0 TCP *:ssh (LISTEN)

sshd 6770 root 3u IPv4 76021 0t0 TCP

192.168.1.166:ssh->182.168.1.148:53132 (ESTABLISHED)
```

Testing a Specific Port

telnet HOST OR ADDRESS PORT

Testing a Specific Port

```
telnet HOST_OR_ADDRESS PORT
```

```
nc -v HOST OR ADDRESS PORT
```

Xinetd Controlled Services

/etc/xinetd.d/SERVICE

To disable service:

disable = yes

To disable xinetd:

systemctl stop xinetd
systemctl disable xinetd

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Securing SSH

Securing SSH

- SSH = Secure SHell.
- Allows for key based authentication.

/etc/ssh/sshd_config:

PubkeyAuthentication yes

Creating SSH Keys

- Use the ssh-keygen command to create a key.
- You can create a passphrase for the key.
- Creates ~/.ssh/id_rsa and ~/.ssh/id rsa.pub.

Add the Public Key to the Remote Host

• To copy the key, use ssh-copy-id:

```
ssh-copy-id [user@]host
```

Adds public key to:

```
~/.ssh/authorized keys
```

Force Key Authentication

In /etc/ssh/sshd_config:

PasswordAuthentication no

Controlling Root Logins

To disable root logins:

PermitRootLogin no

To only allow root to login with a key:

PermitRootLogin without-password

Only Allow Certain Users SSH Access

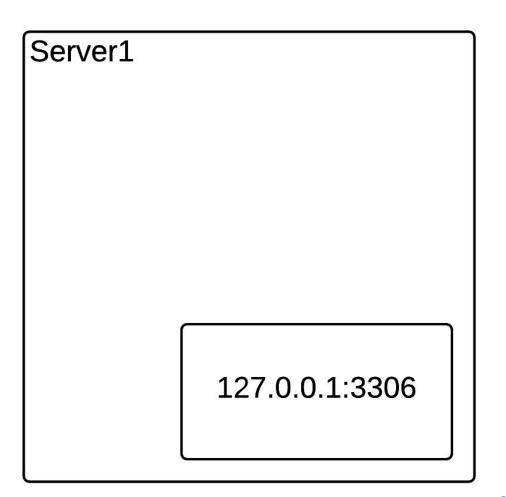
AllowUsers user1 user2 userN

Only Allow Certain Groups SSH Access

AllowGroups group1 group2 groupN

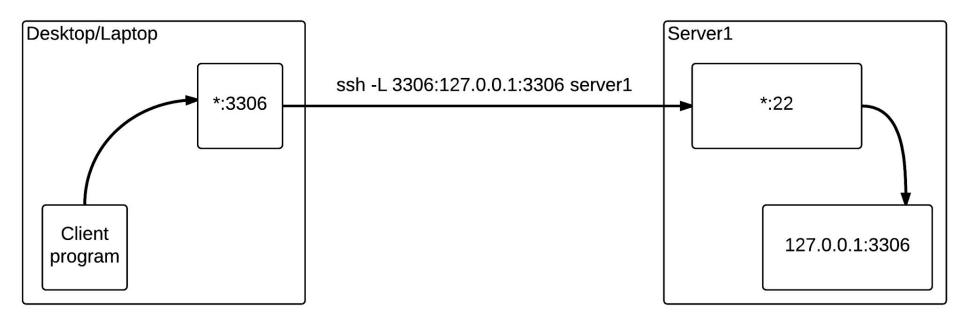
Deny Certain Users SSH Access

DenyUsers user1 user2 userN
DenyGroups group1 group2 groupN

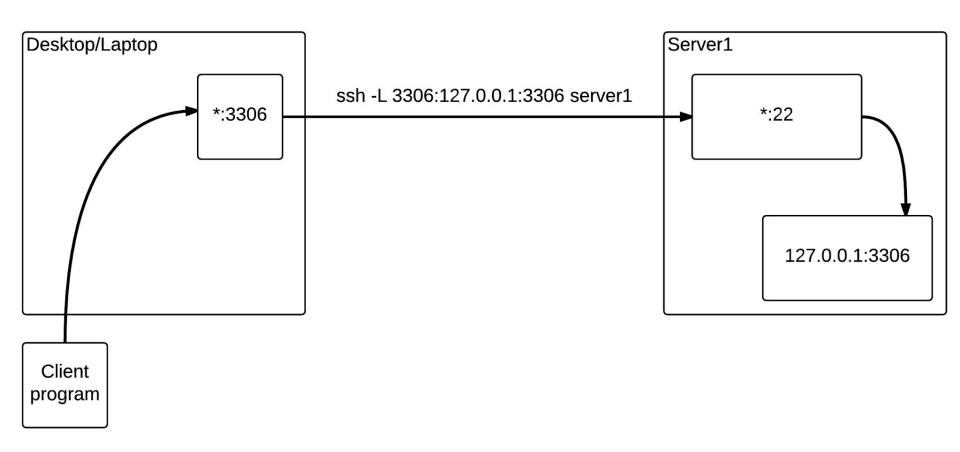


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SSH Port Forwarding

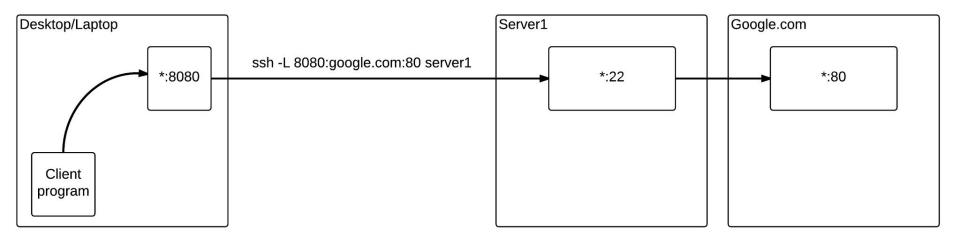


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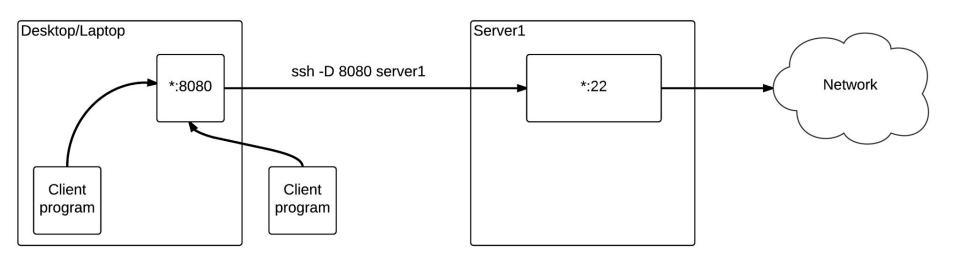


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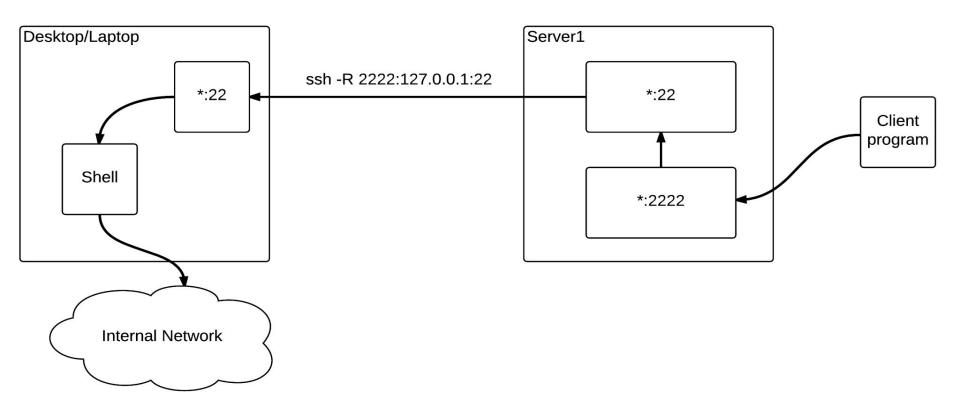
SSH Port Forwarding



Dynamic Port Forwarding / SOCKS



Reverse Port Forwarding



Disable TCP Port Forwarding

AllowTcpForwarding no

GatewayPorts no

Use SSHv2 instead of SSHv1

Protocol 2

Bind SSH to a Specific Address

```
ListenAddress host_or_address1
ListenAddress host_or_addressN
```

Change the Default Port

In /etc/ssh/sshd_config:

Port 2222

Add the New Port to SELinux

```
semanage port -a -t ssh_port_t -p tcp PORT semanage port -l | grep ssh
```

Disable the Banner

Banner none

```
# Banner /etc/issue.net
```

Reload the Configuration

systemctl reload sshd

For More Information

```
man ssh
man sshd
man sshd_config
```

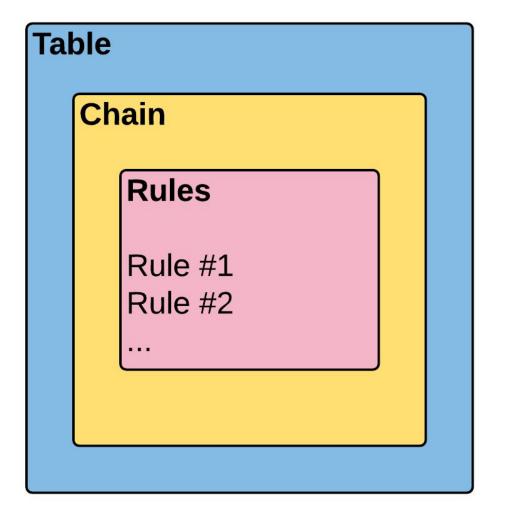
Linux Firewall

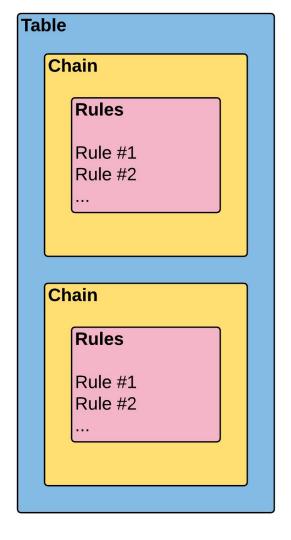
Netfilter and IPTables

Rule Specifications

Linux Firewall

- Firewalls control network access.
- Linux firewall = Netfilter + IPTables
- Netfilter is a kernel framework.
- IPTables is a packet selection system.
- Use the iptables command to control the firewall.





Default Tables

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- NAT
- Mangle
- Raw
- Security

Default Tables

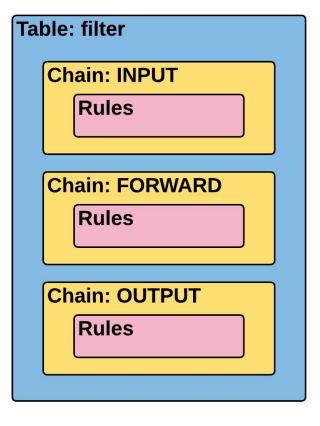
- Filter Most commonly used table.
- NAT Network Address Translation.
- Mangle Alter packets.
- Raw Used to disable connection tracking.
- Security Used by SELinux.

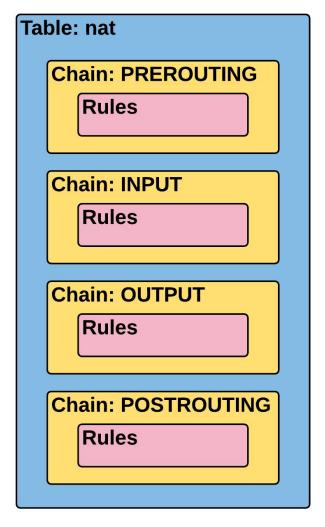
Default Chains

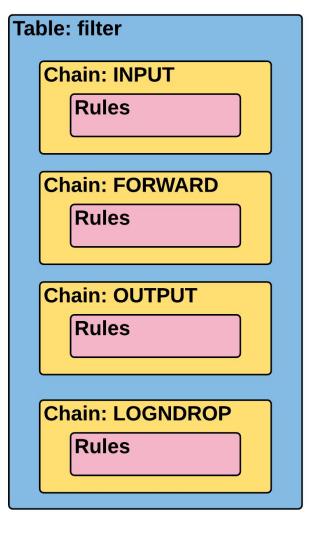
- . INPUT
- OUTPUT
- FORWARD
- PREROUTING
- POSTROUTING

	INPUT	OUTPUT	FORWARD	PREROUTING	POSTROUTING
Filter	X	x	x		
Nat	X	X		X	X
Mangle	X	X	X	X	X
Raw		X		X	
Security	Х	X	X		

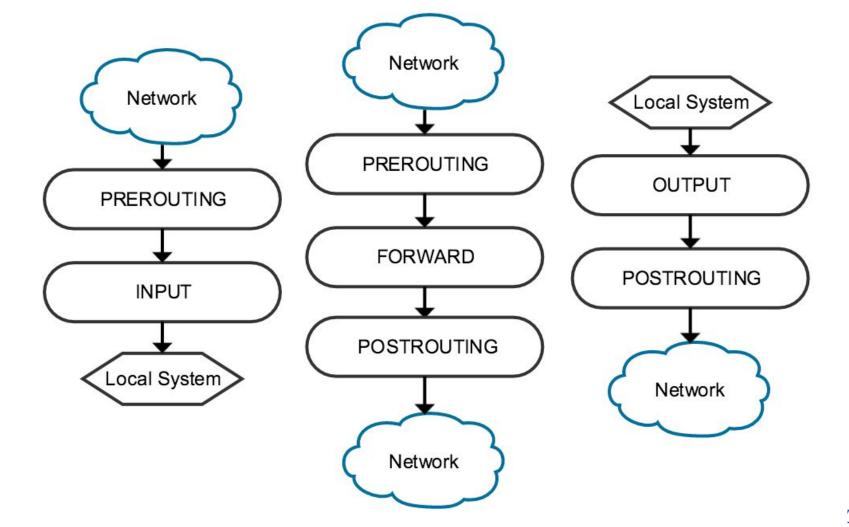
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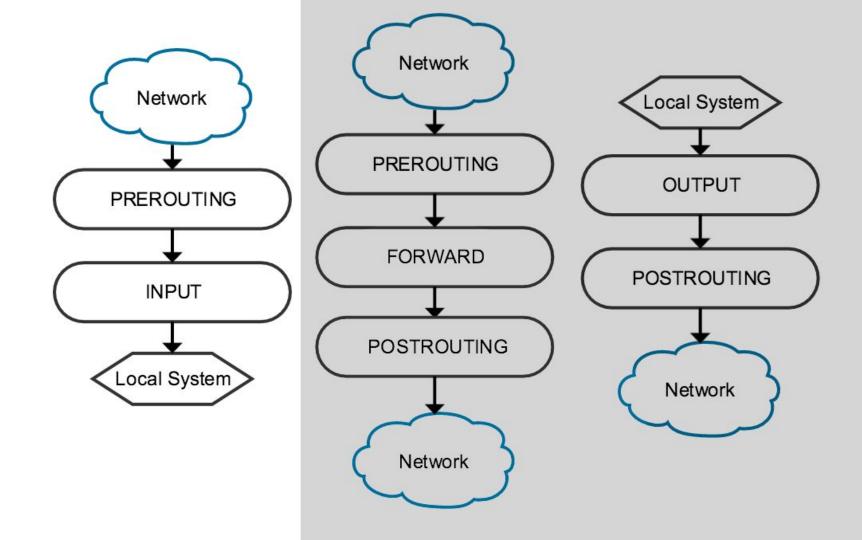


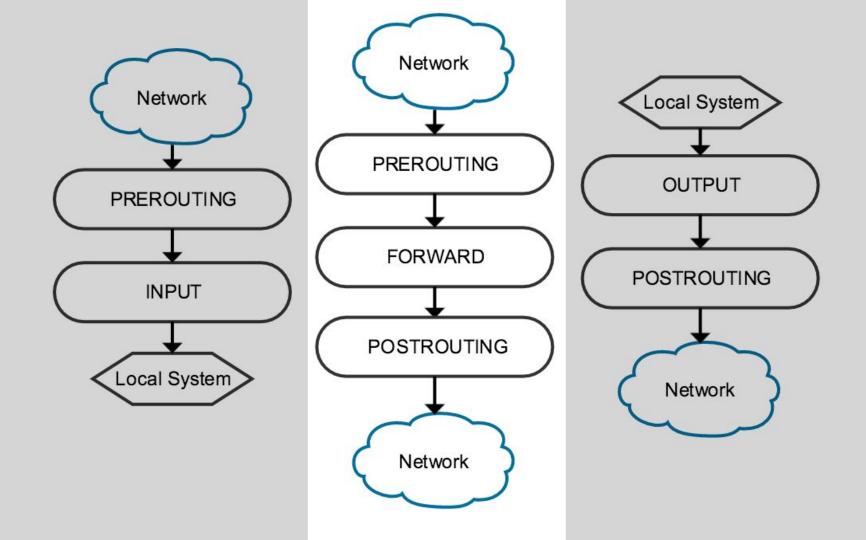


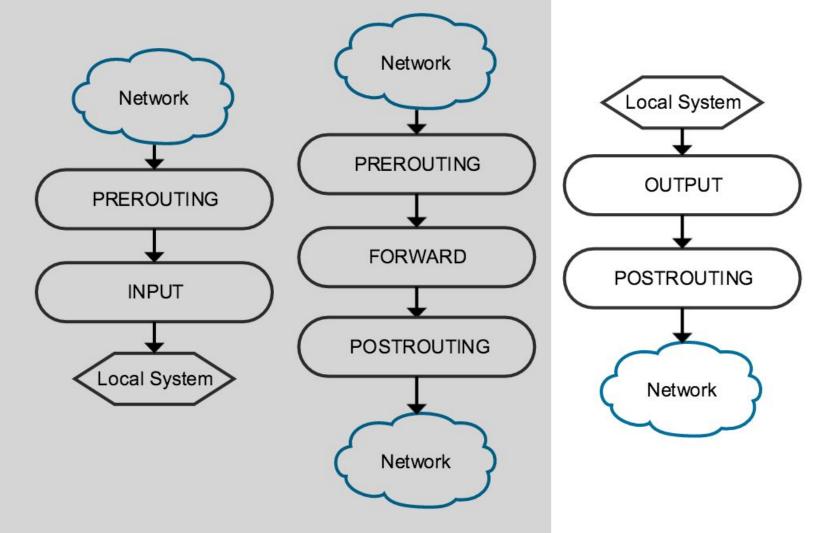


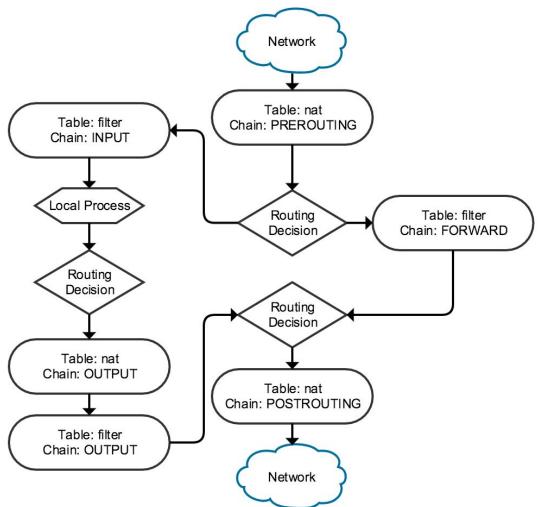
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 - Example:
 - protocol: TCP, source IP: 1.2.3.4, dest port: 80

Targets

- Chain
- Built-in targets:
 - ACCEPT
 - DROP
 - REJECT
 - LOG
 - RETURN

iptables / ip6tables

Command line interface to IPTables/netfilter.

List / View

```
iptables -L - Display the filter table.
iptables -t nat -L - Display the nat table.
```

iptables -nL - Display using numeric output. iptables -vL - Display using verbose output.

iptables --line-numbers -L-Useline nums.

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iptables -L Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT) prot opt source destination target Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT) destination target prot opt source Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT) destination target prot opt source

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```
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
           prot opt source
                                 destination
target
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
                                 destination
target
           prot opt source
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
                                 destination
target
           prot opt source
```

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iptables -L

```
# iptables -nL
Chain INPUT (policy DROP)
                                     destination
target
       prot opt source
              -- 216.58.219.174
                                     0.0.0.0/0
DROP
        all
         tcp -- 0.0.0.0/0
                                     0.0.0.0/0
ACCEPT
                                                  tcp dpt:80
         tcp -- 0.0.0.0/0
                                     0.0.0.0/0
ACCEPT
                                                  tcp dpt:433
         tcp -- 10.11.12.0/24
ACCEPT
                                     0.0.0.0/0
                                                  tcp dpt:22
         icmp -- 10.11.12.0/24
ACCEPT
                                     0.0.0.0/0
                                                  icmptype 8
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
                                     destination
target prot opt source
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
                                     destinat Linux Training Academy.com
       prot opt source
target
```

Chain Policy / Default Target

Set the default TARGET for CHAIN:

iptables -P CHAIN TARGET

Example:

iptables -P INPUT DROP

```
# iptables -nL
Chain INPUT (policy DROP)
                                     destination
target
       prot opt source
              -- 216.58.219.174
                                     0.0.0.0/0
DROP
        all
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Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
                                     destination
target prot opt source
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
                                               <u>inuxTrainingAcademy.com</u>
       prot opt source
target
```

Appending, Inserting, and Deleting Rules

```
iptables -A CHAIN RULE-SPECIFICATION
iptables [-t TABLE] -A CHAIN RULE-SPECIFICATION
iptables -I CHAIN [RULENUM] RULE-SPECIFICATION
iptables -D CHAIN RULE-SPECIFICATION
iptables -D CHAIN RULENUM
```

Flushing rules

iptables [-t table] -F [chain]

Option	Description
-s SOURCE -s 10.11.12.13 -s 10.11.12.0/24 -s 10.11.12.0/255.255.255.0	Source IP, network, or name*. Name is resolved when the rule is added.
-d DESTINATION -d 192.168.4.11 -d 216.58.192.0/19 -d 216.58.192.0/255.255.224.0	Destination IP, network, or name*.
-p PROTOCOL -p tcp -p udp -p icmp	Protocol.

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-m MODULE_OPTIONS	Enable extended packet matching module. (man iptables-extensions)
-p PROTOCOL -m PROTOCOLdport PORT -p tcp -m tcpdport 80 -p tcpdport 80 -p udpdport 53	Destination port
-p PROTOCOL -m PROTOCOLsport PORT -p tcp -m tcpsport 8080 -p tcpsport 8080	Source port
-p icmp -m icmpicmp-type TYPE -p icmp -m icmpicmp-type echo-reply -p icmpicmp-type echo-reply -p icmpicmp-type echo-request	ICMP packet type (iptables -p icmp -h)

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Option	Description
<pre>-m limitlimit rate[/second/minute/hour/day] -m limitlimit-burst -m limitlimit 5/mlimit-burst 10 -m limit !limit 5/s</pre>	Match until a limit is reachedlimit default is 3/hourlimit-burst default is 5 /s = second /m = minute /h = hour /d = day ! invert the match

Target / Jump

To specify a jump point or target:

```
-j TARGET_OR_CHAIN
```

```
-j ACCEPT # Built-in target.
```

- -j DROP # Built-in target.
- -j LOGNDROP # Custom chain.

Rule Specification Example

```
iptables -A INPUT -s 216.58.219.174 -j DROP
```

```
# iptables -nL
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
DROP all -- 216.58.219.174 0.0.0.0/0
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
```

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Rule Specification Example

```
iptables -A INPUT -s 10.0.0.0/24 \
-p tcp --dport 22 -j ACCEPT
iptables -A INPUT -p tcp --dport 22 -j DROP
# iptables -nL
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source
                             destination
ACCEPT tcp -- 10.0.0.0/24
                             0.0.0.0/0 tcp dpt:22
DROP tcp -- 0.0.0.0/0
                             0.0.0.0/0 tcp dpt:22
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```

Rule Specification Example

```
iptables -I INPUT -p tcp --dport 80 \
-m limit --limit 50/min --limit-burst 200 \
-j REJECT
iptables -I INPUT -p tcp --dport 80 \
-m limit --limit 50/min --limit-burst 200 \
-m state --state NEW -j REJECT
```

Creating and Deleting a Chain

Create CHAIN:

```
iptables [-t table] -N CHAIN
```

Delete CHAIN:

```
iptables [-t table] -X CHAIN
```

Saving Rules

Debian / Ubuntu: apt-get install iptables-persistent netfilter-persistent save

CentOS / RedHat: yum install iptables-services service iptables save

Netfilter/iptable Front-Ends

- Uses iptables command on the back-end
- Firewalld CentOS/RHEL
- UFW Uncomplicated FireWall (Ubuntu)
- GUFW Graphical interface to UFW
- system-configure-firewall CentOS/RHEL

Linux Firewall Demonstration

TCP Wrappers

TCP Wrappers

- Host-based networking ACL system.
- Controls access to "wrapped" services.
- A wrapped service is compiled with libwrap support.

Wrapped Services

1dd - Prints required shared libraries.

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Example:

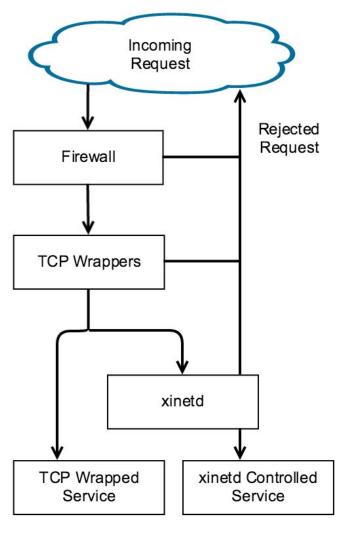
```
# ldd /usr/sbin/sshd | grep libwrap
libwrap.so.0 => /lib64/libwrap.so.0
(0x00007f10219f8000)
```

TCP Wrappers

- Can control access by IP address / networks.
- Can control access by hostname.
- Transparent to the client and service.

TCP Wrappers

- Used with xinetd.
- Centralized management for multiple network services.
- Runtime configuration



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Configuring TCP Wrappers

- /etc/hosts.allow /etc/hosts.deny
- /etc/hosts.allow is checked first.
- If a match is found, access is granted.
- /etc/hosts.deny is checked next.
- If a match is found, access is denied.
 - refused connect from webapp2 (1.2.3.4)
- If there are no matches, access is granted.

Access Rules

- The rule format for hosts.allow and hosts.deny are the same.
- One rule per line
- Format:

```
SERVICE(S): CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S)]
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S)] sshd : 10.11.12.13
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S)]
sshd : 10.11.12.13
sshd, imapd : 10.11.12.13
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : 10.11.12.13

sshd, imapd : 10.11.12.13
ALL : 10.11.12.13
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S)] sshd : 10.11.12.13
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S)]
sshd : 10.11.12.13
sshd : 10.11.12.13, 10.5.6.7
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : 10.11.12.13

sshd : 10.11.12.13, 10.5.6.7

sshd : jumpbox.example.com
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : .example.com
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : .example.com

sshd : .admin.example.com

# server2.admin.example.com

# webdev.admin.example.com
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : jumpbox*.example.com
# jumpbox4admins.example.com
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : jumpbox*.example.com
# jumpbox4admins.example.com
sshd : jumpbox0?.example.com
# jumpbox03.example.com
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : 10.11.12.
sshd : 10.
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : 10.11.12.

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sshd : 10.11.12.
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sshd : /etc/hosts.sshd

sshd: 10.11.0.0/255.255.0.0

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
imapd : ALL
```

```
# /etc/hosts.allow
sshd : ALL EXCEPT .hackers.net
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : 10.11.12.13 : severity emerg
```

```
# SERVICE(S) : CLIENT(S) [: ACTION(S) ]
sshd : 10.11.12.13 : severity emerg
sshd : 10.11.12.13 : severity local0.alert
```

```
# /etc/hosts.deny:
sshd : .hackers.net \
   : spawn /usr/bin/wall "Attack in progress."
```

```
# /etc/hosts.deny:
sshd : .hackers.net \
   : spawn /usr/bin/wall "Attack from %a."
```

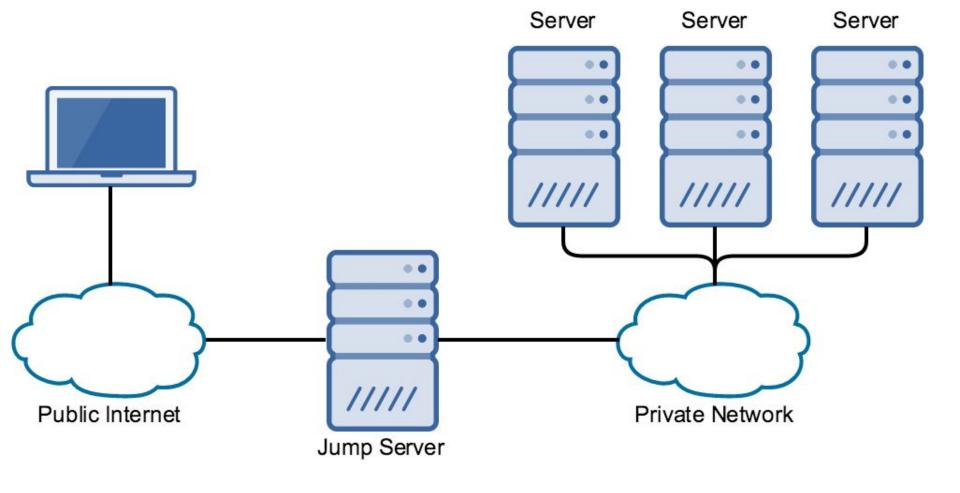
Expansions

```
%a
   (%A) The client (server) host address.
        Client information.
용C
용d
        The daemon process name.
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   (%H) The client (server) host name or address.
%n
   (%N) The client (server) host name.
%p
        The daemon process id.
%S
        Server information.
응11
        The client user name (or "unknown").
        Expands to a single `%´ character
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```

Deny All

```
# /etc/hosts.deny:
ALL : ALL

# /etc/hosts.allow:
# Explicitly list allowed connections here.
sshd : 10.11.12.13
```



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