

# Solutions: Sheet 10

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## 1. Packet Filters

(a) Which is the highest layer of the hybrid reference model on which a stateless packet filter firewall works? Which data are evaluated here?

- The highest layer where stateless packet filter firewall works is Layer 4 as it works on **Layer 3 (Network Layer)** and **Layer 4 (Network Layer)**
- **Data evaluated:** All the header data
  - packet size
  - sender/receiver IP address
  - sender/receiver port (service)
  - protocol ID, ICMP type and code

(b) Describe briefly how stateless and stateful packet filters work. What are the advantages and disadvantages of the two types of firewalls compared to each other?

### Stateless packet filters:

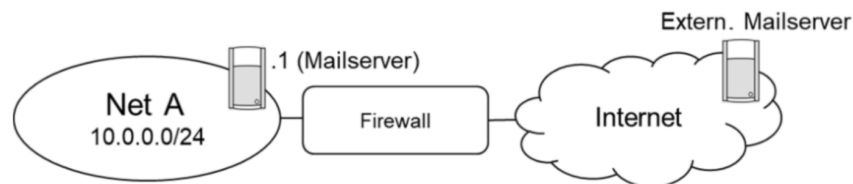
- Describes filter rules over an access list. It separates the inbound and outbound lists. Filter rules are applied to the headers of each IP packet without considering relationships between packets. Processing of the rules according to the first-match principle.
- **Advantages:**
  - simple configuration
  - higher speed than other approaches (e.g proxys)
  - no changes on client side
- **Disadvantages:**
  - problems with udp
  - only limited traffic control
  - layer 3 and 4 data only filtered
  - tunneling of data via permitted port (e.g P2P via port 80)

### Stateful packet filters:

- Packets are filtered (drop or passed) based on rules which analyse the packets header ???
- Fixed static rules and the previously observed packet traffic of the connection. The states of the connections are stored in the state table.
- **Advantages:**
  - easy configuration
  - no changes on client side
- **Disadvantages:**
  - Possible attacks on state table (DOS)
  - layer 3 and 4 data only filtered
  - only very few ports ???

## 2. Linux Firewall netfilter (iptables)

(a) An organization operates an email server with the IP address 10.0.0.1 in its internal network A (10.0.0.0/24). The internal network is connected to the Internet through a firewall that works as a state-based packet filter.



Please create the necessary rules for the firewall in the following table in order to only allow SMTP/email communication (SMTP port: 25):

- Allow access to an external email server on the Internet.
- Allow access from the Internet to the internal email server.

note

>1023 means any port above 1023 as the first 1023 are predefined standard ports

note

- row 1 and 2 from device in network A to external mail server in internet
- row 3 and 4 from external device in internet to mail server of network A

Direction	Source IP	Destination IP	Protocol	Source Port	Destination Port	State	Action
Out	10.0.0.0/24	External	TCP	>1023	25	New	PERMIT
In	External	10.0.0.0/24	TCP	25	>1023	Established (ACK)	PERMIT
In	External	10.0.0.1	TCP	>1023	25	New	PERMIT
Out	10.0.0.1	External	TCP	25	>1023	Established (ACK)	PERMIT
Either	ANY	ANY	TCP	ANY	ANY	Established (ACK)	PERMIT
Either	ANY	ANY	ANY	ANY	ANY	ANY	DENY

- Rule of row 5 combines row 2 and 4

(b) Netfilter is the Linux kernel firewall. iptables can be used to configure the tables and the contained rules chains.

i. Briefly describe the tasks of the three tables filter, nat and mangle.

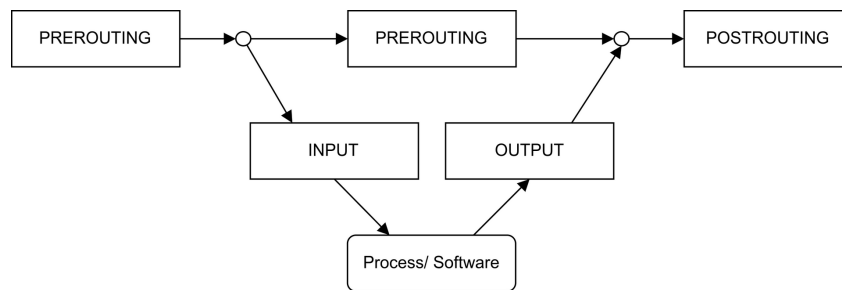
<https://www.thegeekstuff.com/2011/01/iptables-fundamentals/>

- **filter:** contains filter rules for filtering packet (drop or accept)
- **nat:** used to translate IP addresses and ports (network address translation). ???
- **mangle:** Used for packet manipulation.

ii. Briefly describe the standard chains INPUT, OUTPUT, FORWARD, PREROUTING and POSTROUTING and their tasks.

note

Packets coming in either handled by INPUT or FORWARD



- **INPUT**: The packet is delivered locally, i.e. the firewall is the destination.
- **OUTPUT**: The packet is created by the firewall
- **FORWARD**: The packet is routed (and not delivered locally)
- **PREROUTING**: The modification (NAT) of packets before a routing decision is made.
- **POSTROUTING**: The modification (NAT) of packets after the routing decision

iii. Briefly describe the rules ACCEPT, REJECT, DROP, LOG, REDIRECT and MASQUERADE.

#### note

two ways to drop files **REJECT** and **DROP**

#### note

**LOG** used to write information in system logs about accepting or dropping a packet

#### note

**REDIRECT** and **MASQUERADE** for Network Address Translation (NAT)

- **ACCEPT**: the packet can pass
- **REJECT**: the packet is rejected and an error message is sent
- **DROP**: the packet is ignored and no response is sent
- **LOG**: writes an entry in the syslog
- **REDIRECT**: the destination address of the packet is changed such that it is sent to the local computer
- **MASQUERADE**: the source address of the packet is replaced by the IP address of the interface on which it leaves the computer

iv. What is the principle behind the sequence in which the rules of a chain are processed?

*frist match principle* - The rules are checked one by one, and if one of them is true, the processing of the corresponding chain is terminated. *rightarrow* why rule order is fixed

### 3. Transport Layer Security (TLS)

(a) What is end-to-end (E2E) security?

- Continously security between two endpoints (sender and receipient)
- General seucity of sender and receipient, e.g secure transmission of data → confidentiality when sending from sender to receiver

(b) In which layer of the hybrid reference model can end-to-end (E2E) security be implemented between applications? In which layer between devices (IT systems)?

- **Between Applications:** Application Layer (Layer 5) (security within the application)
- **Between Devices:** Transport Layer (security via TLS) or Network Layer (security via IPSec)

(c) Name the layer of the hybrid reference model to which TLS provides its services. Also name two protocols that can be secured by TLS.

- **Layer:** implemented in Transport Layer and provides service to Application Layer
- **Protocols:** HTTP, SMTP, FTP

(d) You can find the file `capture.pcapng` in Moodle which contains network traffic data between a client and a server. Analyze this traffic data using Wireshark and answer the following questions:

i. Determine the IP address and the MAC address of the host on which the recording was created. In the following this host is considered as the client.

- **IP address:** 10.0.1.17
- **MAC address:** f2:1b:1b:b3:92:9b

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
1	0.000000000	10.0.1.17	192.168.1.2	DNS	73	Standard query 0x6981 A wikipedia.org
2	0.000221890	10.0.1.17	192.168.1.2	DNS	73	Standard query response 0x6981 A wikipedia.org A 91.198.174.192
3	0.031275617	192.168.1.2	10.0.1.17	DNS	89	Standard query response 0x6981 A wikipedia.org AAAA 2620:0:862:ed1a::1
4	0.050416467	192.168.1.2	10.0.1.17	DNS	101	Standard query response 0x411 AAAA wikipedia.org AAAA 2620:0:862:ed1a::1
5	0.051030913	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TCP	74	51410 -> 443 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM=1 TSval=649848 TSecr=0 WS=128
6	0.084773978	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TCP	60	443 -> 51410 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=1460
7	0.084824658	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TCP	54	51410 -> 443 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0
8	0.085378642	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TLSv1.2	234	Client Hello
9	0.086936662	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TCP	60	443 -> 51410 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=181 Win=65535 Len=0
10	0.119521742	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	1562	Server Hello
11	0.119550903	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TCP	54	51410 -> 443 [ACK] Seq=181 Ack=1449 Win=31240 Len=0
12	0.120334176	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	2950	Certificate [TCP segment of a reassembled PDU]
13	0.120354836	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TCP	54	51410 -> 443 [ACK] Seq=181 Ack=4345 Win=36920 Len=0
14	0.120395527	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	696	Certificate Status, Server Key Exchange, Server Hello Done
15	0.120401361	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TCP	54	51410 -> 443 [ACK] Seq=181 Ack=4987 Win=39760 Len=0
16	0.137202583	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TLSv1.2	204	Client Key Exchange, Change Cipher Spec, Encrypted Handshake Message

ii. Enter the IP address of the DNS server(s) that performed the name resolution for this connection.

- **IP address:** 192.168.1.2

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iii. Determine the IP address of the web server with which the client establishes the first TLS connection. Also determine the client and server-side ports of this TLS connection.

- **IP address:** 199.82.234.226
- **Client port:** 51410
- **Server-Side port:** 443 (http port)

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iv. Determine the cipher suite that is used for the connection and evaluate its security.

- **Cipher Suite:** `TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA` (preferred cipher suited used by server, but client offers more)
- **Evaluation:** [https://ciphersuite.info/cs/TLS\\_ECDHE\\_ECDSA\\_WITH\\_AES\\_128\\_CBC\\_SHA/](https://ciphersuite.info/cs/TLS_ECDHE_ECDSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA/)
  - **Protocol:** Transport Layer Security (TLS)
  - **Key Exchange:** Elliptic Curve Diffie-Hellman Ephemeral (ECDHE)
  - **Authentication:** Elliptic Curve Digital Signature Algorithm (ECDSA)
  - **Encryption:** Advanced Encryption Standard with 128 bit key in Cipher Block Chaining mode (AES 128 CBC) → timing attack against several TLS implementations using the CBC possible
  - **Hash:** SHA 1 → proven insecure in 2017

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8	0.885378642	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TLSv1.2	234	Client Hello
10	0.119521742	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	1502	Server Hello
12	0.120334176	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	2950	Certificate [TCP segment of a reassembled PDU]
14	0.120395527	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	696	Certificate Status, Server Key Exchange, Server Hello Done
16	0.137202593	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TLSv1.2	204	Client Key Exchange, Change Cipher Spec, Encrypted Handshake Message
18	0.170556261	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	129	Change Cipher Spec, Encrypted Handshake Message
19	0.170917911	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TLSv1.2	411	Application Data
21	0.204379222	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	1131	Application Data
30	0.289309489	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TLSv1.2	238	Client Hello
32	0.324125173	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	1502	Server Hello
36	0.324059915	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	2172	Certificate, Certificate Status, Server Key Exchange, Server Hello Done
38	0.337549905	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TLSv1.2	204	Client Key Exchange, Change Cipher Spec, Encrypted Handshake Message
40	0.370620286	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	129	Change Cipher Spec, Encrypted Handshake Message
41	0.371020427	10.0.1.17	199.82.234.226	TLSv1.2	459	Application Data
43	0.404520941	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	1493	Application Data
44	0.405164483	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	1502	Application Data

Frame 10: 1502 bytes on wire (12016 bits), 1502 bytes captured (12016 bits) on interface eth0, id 0  
 Ethernet II, Src: f2:cf:6a:36:4e:82 (f2:cf:6a:36:4e:82), Dst: f2:1b:1b:b3:92:9b (f2:1b:1b:b3:92:9b)  
 Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 199.82.234.226, Dst: 10.0.1.17  
 Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 443, Dst Port: 51410, Seq: 1, Ack: 181, Len: 1448  
 Transport Layer Security  
 TLSv1.2 Record Layer: Handshake Protocol: Server Hello  
 Content Type: Handshake (22)  
 Version: TLS 1.2 (0x0303)  
 Length: 108  
 Handshake Protocol: Server Hello  
 Handshake Type: Server Hello (2)  
 Length: 104  
 Version: TLS 1.2 (0x0303)  
 Random: 3166c48a5ffea3b9549f85b3f7929bea80b58a8af73634352d62ace6ec4541  
 Session ID Length: 32  
 Session ID: 3c1264ad5c077f7f0513b8e126cbd3211ce0e701b0e74a424a23e9322209735d2  
 Compression Method: null (0)  
 Extensions Length: 32  
 Extension: renegotiation\_info (len=1)  
 Extension: ec\_point\_formats (len=4)  
 Extension: status\_request (len=0)  
 Extension: application\_layer\_protocol\_negotiation (len=11)  
 [JA3S Fullstring: 77149151\_05281-11-5-16]  
 [JA3S: 27e1e2fec5836ff082ab9f327502067a]

v. For the connection, also specify which communication partner(s) is/are authenticated.

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/25085100/can-you-check-monitor-the-client-certificates-sent-in-requests-using-wireshark#25130004>

<https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/html/rfc8446#page-11>

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46	0.405609569	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	1304	Application Data
47	0.405620941	199.82.234.226	10.0.1.17	TLSv1.2	1500	Application Data

Transport Layer Security  
 TLSv1.2 Record Layer: Handshake Protocol: Certificate  
 Content Type: Handshake (22)  
 Version: TLS 1.2 (0x0303)  
 Length: 2961  
 Handshake Protocol: Certificate  
 Handshake Type: Certificate (11)  
 Length: 2957  
 Certificates Length: 2954  
 Certificate Length: 1915  
 Certificate: 308207133082095fba003020102021121a225ba0402d791854854c8ba60686a9b300d06. (id-at-commonName=Wikipedia.org,id-at-organizationName=Wikimedia Foundation, Inc.,id-at-localityName=San Francisco,id-at-stateOrProvinceName=California)  
 signedCertificate  
 version: v3 (2)  
 serialNumber: 0x1121a225ba0402d791854854c8ba60686a9b  
 signature (sha256WithRSAEncryption)  
 issuer: rdnSequence (0)  
 validity  
 subject: rdnSequence (0)  
 subjectPublicKeyInfo  
 extensions: 9 items  
 algorithmIdentifier (sha256WithRSAEncryption)  
 padding: 0  
 encrypted: b2c6af4b8831c244333720480171068139a503bc160f217b292362a184cf09f5f92d0a26.  
 Certificate Length: 1133  
 Certificate: 3082040603082095fba003020102020b040000000001444ef04247300d06092a86486f70d. (id-at-commonName=GlobalSign Organization Validation CA - SHA256,id-at-organizationName=GlobalSign nv-sa,id-at-countryName=BE)  
 signedCertificate  
 version: v3 (2)  
 serialNumber: 0x040000000001444ef04247  
 signature (sha256WithRSAEncryption)  
 issuer: rdnSequence (0)  
 validity  
 subject: rdnSequence (0)  
 subjectPublicKeyInfo  
 extensions: 7 items  
 algorithmIdentifier (sha256WithRSAEncryption)  
 padding: 0  
 encrypted: 462aee5ebdae160373111867174b64649c81016fe2f622317ab1f87f882edcad70e2cdf..

vi. There is an HTTP connection to the IP `89.38.197.218`. A user name and a password were transmitted unencrypted. Find them out and write them down.

- **username:** `hal`

• password: uyz3ZX)ZNG5tDwBU

Current filter: tls

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
348	34.825965225	10.0.1.17	2.244.139.142	TCP	74	45076 → 443 [SYN] Seq=9 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM=1 TSval=658540 TSecr=0 WS=128
349	34.840793312	10.0.1.17	89.38.197.218	HTTP	484	POST / HTTP/1.1 (application/x-www-form-urlencoded)

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▶ Frame 349: 484 bytes on wire (3872 bits), 484 bytes captured (3872 bits) on interface eth0, id 0

▶ Ethernet II, Src: f2:1b:1b:b3:92:9b (f2:1b:1b:b3:92:9b), Dst: f2:cf:6a:36:4e:82 (f2:cf:6a:36:4e:82)

▶ Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 10.0.1.17, Dst: 89.38.197.218

▶ Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 48012, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 300, Ack: 2032, Len: 430

▶ Hypertext Transfer Protocol

▶ HTML Form URL Encoded: application/x-www-form-urlencoded

▶ Form item: "usr" = "hal"

▶ Form item: "pwd" = "uyz3ZX)ZNG5tDwBU"