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Lab 1: Sniff/ Spoof

- 1. Task 1.1
 - Task 1.1a
 - Code snippet

- Output1: for running with root privileges/ showing only icmp files

```
seed@instance-1:/home/niniolal42002/Labsetup$ sudo docker exec -it hostA-10.9.0.5 /bin/bash
coot@8e14c407221e:/# ping hostB-10.9.0.6
2ING hostB-10.9.0.6 (10.9.0.6) 56(84) bytes of data.
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.396 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.126 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=0.139 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=4 ttl=64 time=0.112 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=0.129 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=6 ttl=64 time=0.141 ms
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54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=8 ttl=64 time=0.114 ms
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54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=8 ttl=64 time=0.086 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=10 ttl=64 time=0.122 ms
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- Output 2: running without root privileges

```
^Croot@instance-1:/volumes# su seed
seed@instance-1:/volumes$ ./tas11.1.py
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "./tas11.1.py", line 10, in <module>
        pkt = sniff(iface='br-08b5583a0b6c', filter='icmp', prn=print_pkt)
   File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/dist-packages/scapy/sendrecv.py", line 1036, in sniff
        sniffer._run(*args, **kwargs)
   File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/dist-packages/scapy/sendrecv.py", line 906, in _run
        sniff_sockets[L2socket(type=ETH_P_ALL, iface=iface,
        File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/dist-packages/scapy/arch/linux.py", line 398, in __init__
        self.ins = socket.socket(socket.AF_PACKET, socket.SOCK_RAW, socket.htons(type)) # noqa:
   File "/usr/lib/python3.8/socket.py", line 231, in __init__
        _socket.socket.__init__ (self, family, type, proto, fileno)
PermissionError: [Errno 1] Operation not permitted
seed@instance-1:/volumes$ 3434[]
```

- Observation: when you run with root privileges it works and captures
 packet but when you run without root privileges it shows an error: unable
 to perform/ operation not permitted
- Explanation: capturing network packets often requires elevated privileges
 due to security concerns. Root privileges provide the access to the network
 interface for packet sniffing.

- Task 1.1b

- Code snippet: same as 1.1A with some code commented out
- Output1: only icmp files

```
seed@instance-1:/home/niniolal42002/Labsetup$ sudo docker exec -it hostA-10.9.0.5 /bin/bash
root@8el4c407221e:/# ping hostB-10.9.0.6
PING hostB-10.9.0.6 (10.9.0.6) 56(84) bytes of data.
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.396 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.126 ms
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54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=0.112 ms
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54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=6 ttl=64 time=0.141 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=7 ttl=64 time=0.134 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=8 ttl=64 time=0.114 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=8 ttl=64 time=0.114 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=9 ttl=64 time=0.086 ms
54 bytes from hostB-10.9.0.6.net-10.9.0.0 (10.9.0.6): icmp_seq=10 ttl=64 time=0.122 ms
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--- hostB-10.9.0.6 ping statistics ---
10 packets transmitted, 10 received, 0% packet loss, time 9146ms
ctt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.086/0.149/0.396/0.083 ms
coot@8el4c407221e:/#
```

- Output2: only tcp from any ip and port 23

```
###[ Ethernet ]###
dst = 02:42:0a:09:00:05
src = 02:42:0a:09:00:06
type =
###[ IP ]###
       version
                      = 0x10
= 52
= 1775
       len
       id
       flags
                          64
                      = tcp
= 0x1fa9
= 10.9.0.6
= 10.9.0.5
       chksum
       dst
        \options
###[ TCP ]###
                          = 33324
= telnet
= 2834194813
= 1961650000
           sport
            dport
           seq
ack
dataofs
            reserved
                           = A
= 501
= 0x1443
            flags
            window
            chksum
                          = 0
= [('NOP', None), ('NOP', None), ('Timestamp', (2731132725, 261069770))]
            urgptr
            options
###[ Ethernet ]###
dst = 02:42:0a:09:00:06
src = 02:42:0a:09:00:05
                  = IPv4
type =
###[ IP ]###
```

- Output 3:Capture packets comes from or to go to a particular subnet. You can pick any subnet, such as 128.230.0.0/16

- Observation: the filter only shows files that are applicable to it
- Explanation: the packets captured are based on the specified filter. The filter only captures files that apply to it

Code explanation: from scapy.all import * imports all functionalities from the Scapy library.

- The print_pkt function is defined to display the details of each captured packet using the show method provided by Scapy.
- The sniff function from Scapy is used to capture packets on the specified network interface (iface).
- It includes a packet filter (filter) to selectively capture packets based on certain criteria. The prn parameter specifies the function to be called for each captured packet, which, in this case, is print_pkt.

2. Task 1.2

a. Code snippet

```
#!/usr/bin/env python3
from scapy.all import *
a = IP()
a.dst = '1.2.3.4'
b = ICMP()
p = a/b
ls(a)
send(p, iface='br-08b5583a0b6c')
```

b. Output 1 : showing packet sent

```
: BitField (4 bits)
: BitField (4 bits)
                                                      = None
                                                                          (None)
            : XByteField
tos
            : ShortField
                                                      = None
                                                                          (None)
len
            : ShortField
flags
            : FlagsField (3 bits)
                                                     = <Flag 0 ()>
                                                                          (<Flag 0 ()>)
            : BitField (13 bits)
            : ByteField
                                                      = 64
                                                                          (64)
            : ByteEnumField
                                                      = 0
proto
chksum
            : XShortField
                                                                          (None)
            : SourceIPField
                                                        '10.128.0.2'
                                                                          (None)
src
            : DestIPField
                                                      = '1.2.3.4'
                                                                          (None)
options
            : PacketListField
Sent 1 packets.
```

c. Output2: showing packet received on tshark (couldn't get wireshark interface to work on gcp vm)

```
seed@instance-1:/home/niniola142002$ sudo tshark -i br-08b5583a0b6c
Running as user "root" and group "root". This could be dangerous.
Capturing on 'br-08b5583a0b6c'
^C0 packets captured
seed@instance-1:/home/niniola142002$ sudo tshark -i br-08b5583a0b6c -f "host 1.2.3.4"
Running as user "root" and group "root". This could be dangerous.
Capturing on 'br-08b5583a0b6c'
^C0 packets captured
seed@instance-1:/home/niniola142002$ sudo tshark -i ens4 -f "host 1.2.3.4"
Running as user "root" and group "root". This could be dangerous.
Capturing on 'ens4'
1 0.000000000 10.128.0.2 → 1.2.3.4 ICMP 42 Echo (ping) request id=0x0000, seq=0/0, ttl=64
```

d. Observation: the packet being sent from the attacker is received on the tshark showing that the request was successfully spoofed as the destination matches the destination on my ip fields.

Explanation: the sent message shows that the packets was generated and transmitted while the tshark output shows that the destination and source match the ones specified in my script

Code explanation:

a = IP(): Create an IP packet object a.

a.dst = '1.2.3.4': Set the destination IP address for the IP packet.

b = ICMP(): Create an ICMP packet object b.

p = a/b: Combine the IP and ICMP packets to create a new packet p.

ls(a): Display the fields and their values of the IP packet a. send(p, iface='br-08b5583a0b6c'): Send the created packet p on the specified network interface (br-08b5583a0b6c in this case).

3. Task 1.3

a. Code snippet

```
#!/usr/bin/env python3
from scapy.all import *
import sys
target ip = '8.8.4.4'
ttl_value = int(sys.argv[1])
# Craft IP and ICMP packets
ip_packet = IP(dst=target_ip, ttl=ttl_value)
icmp_packet = ICMP()
# Combine IP and ICMP packets
request packet = ip packet / icmp packet
# Send packet and receive response
response = sr1(request_packet, timeout=2, verbose=1)
if response:
   print("Source:", response.src)
else:
   print("No response received.")
```

b. Output

```
Received 19 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 1 packets
No response received.

Received 5 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
Finished sending 1 packets.

Received 5 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 3 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 1 packets
No response received.

Received 3 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 1 packets
No response received.

Received 4 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 1 packets
No response received.

Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
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Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 4 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 4 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 4 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 1 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 1 packets
Received 5 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 1 packets
Received 6 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 1 packets
Received 6 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 6 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 6 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 6 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 6 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 6 packets, got 0 answers, remaining 0 packets
Received 6 packets, got 1 answers, remaining 0 packets
```

- c. Observation: here there was a lack of response when the ttl_values was 1,2...60. When the ttl_value was high like 70, 80, or 90. The packets were received and a response was sent. I could also only get responses from the specified ip addresses in my code. I tried 8.8.8.8 and 8.8.8.4, both received responses when the ttl_value was high.
- d. Explanation: the reason for not receiving requests from other ip addresses could be due to their personal security configuration blocking icmp packets or stopping the responses to icmp packets. I don't think this is due to my computer settings because I tried adjusting my security configurations on my vm (adjusting firewall network rules and network tags on vm instances). The packets also showed up on tshark showing that it's being transmitted
- e. Code explanation: Imports necessary functions from the Scapy library.

Defines the target IP (8.8.4.4) and TTL value based on the command-line argument. Crafts an ICMP Echo Request packet with the specified destination IP and TTL. Sends the crafted packet (request_packet) using sr1 (send and receive in one function) and waits for a response within a timeout of 2 seconds. If a response is received, it prints the source IP of the response; otherwise, it prints that no response was received.

This script pings a target IP with a specific TTL value and checks if a response is received.

4. Task 1.4

a. Code snippet

b. Output

i.

i. ping 1.2.3.4 # a non-existing host on the Internet

```
^Croot@instance-1:/volumes# ./task filter: icmp and host 1.2.3.4

Original Packet......
Source IP: 10.9.0.5
Destination IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 10.9.0.5
Original Packet.....
Source IP: 10.9.0.5
Original Packet.....
Source IP: 10.9.0.5
Destination IP: 1.2.3.4
Spoofed Packet.....
Source IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 10.9.0.5
Original Packet.....
Source IP: 10.9.0.5
Destination IP: 1.2.3.4
Spoofed Packet......
Source IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 10.9.0.5
Original Packet.....
Source IP: 1.2.3.4
Spoofed Packet......
Source IP: 1.2.3.4
Spoofed Packet......
Source IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 10.9.0.5
Original Packet......
Source IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 10.9.0.5
Original Packet......
Source IP: 1.2.3.4
Destination IP: 10.9.0.5
```

```
Execute a command in a running container

seed(sinstance-1:/home/niniolal42002/Labsetup/volumes$ sudo docker exec -it hostA-10.9.0.5 /bin/bash
root(88e)4c407221e:/# ping 1.2.3.4
PING 1.2.3.4 (1.2.3.4) 56(84) bytes of data.

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=101 ttl=64 time=64.9 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=102 ttl=64 time=16.0 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=103 ttl=64 time=19.1 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=104 ttl=64 time=19.3 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=105 ttl=64 time=19.9 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=106 ttl=64 time=18.8 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=106 ttl=64 time=16.7 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=108 ttl=64 time=14.8 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=108 ttl=64 time=16.7 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=109 ttl=64 time=16.7 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=110 ttl=64 time=14.3 ms

64 bytes from 1.2.3.4: icmp_seq=111 ttl=64 time=17.3 ms

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--- 1.2.3.4 ping statistics ---

167 packets transmitted, 11 received, 93.4132% packet loss, time 169725ms

rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 14.318/21.417/64.852/13.831 ms

root(88e)4c407221e:/#
```

ii. ping 10.9.0.99 # a non-existing host on the LAN

```
PING 10.9.0.99 (10.9.0.99) 56(84) bytes of data.

From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=1 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=2 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=3 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=4 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=5 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=6 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=6 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=7 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=8 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=9 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=10 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=11 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=12 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=13 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=14 Destination Host Unreachable
From 10.9.0.5 icmp_seq=15 Destination Host Unreachable
```

```
root@instance-1:/volumes# ./task1.4.py filter: icmp and host 10.9.0.99
```

iii. ping 8.8.8.8 # an existing host on the Internet

```
PING 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=114 time=0.964 ms
65 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=114 time=0.97 ms
66 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=51.1 ms (DUP!)
67 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=51.1 ms (DUP!)
68 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
69 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
60 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
61 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
62 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=4 ttl=14 time=0.51 ms (DUP!)
63 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=4 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
65 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
66 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
67 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
68 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
69 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
69 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=6 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
69 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=6 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
69 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=7 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
60 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=7 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
61 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=7 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
62 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
63 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
65 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
66 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
67 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
68 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
69 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
60 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
61 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
62 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
63 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=1.2 ms (DUP!)
64 bytes from 8.8.8.8: icmp
```

c. Observation: the pings to 1.2.3.4 and 8.8.8 received replies indicating that they are alive and their packets were spoofed. while the ping to 10.9.0.5 received no replies and the host was unreachable, therefore, its packets couldn't be spoofed

- d. Explanation: for 1.2.3.4, the program immediately sends a spoofed icmp echo reply whenever it detects an icmp request regardless of whether it exists or not. For the 8.8.8.8 ping, it exists so icmp echo requests send a response mimicking the actual target. Lastly for ping 10.9.0.5, this host is unreachable because it doesn't exist on the network, therefore it has no mac address, which means the packet cannot be created without the mapping of the mac address.
- e. Code explanation: Defines a function spoof_pkt(pkt) to be called when sniffing ICMP packets. Checks if the packet is an ICMP Echo Request (type == 8).

If it is, prints information about the original packet. Crafts a new ICMP Echo Reply packet with swapped source and destination IP addresses.Prints information about the spoofed packet. Sends the spoofed packet using send() with verbose=0 to suppress output. Sets a filter to sniff ICMP packets targeting either 1.2.3.4 or 8.8.8.8. Invokes the sniff() function to capture packets, applying the filter and calling spoof_pkt for each matching packet. This script essentially spoofs ICMP Echo Replies in response to ICMP Echo Requests for a specified target IP address