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packet sniffer

- > sniffs message being sent / received from / by your computer
- > store and display the content of the various protocol fields in the message passing program
- > passive program

* Does not send packet itself.

* No packet addressed to it.

* Receives a copy of all packets

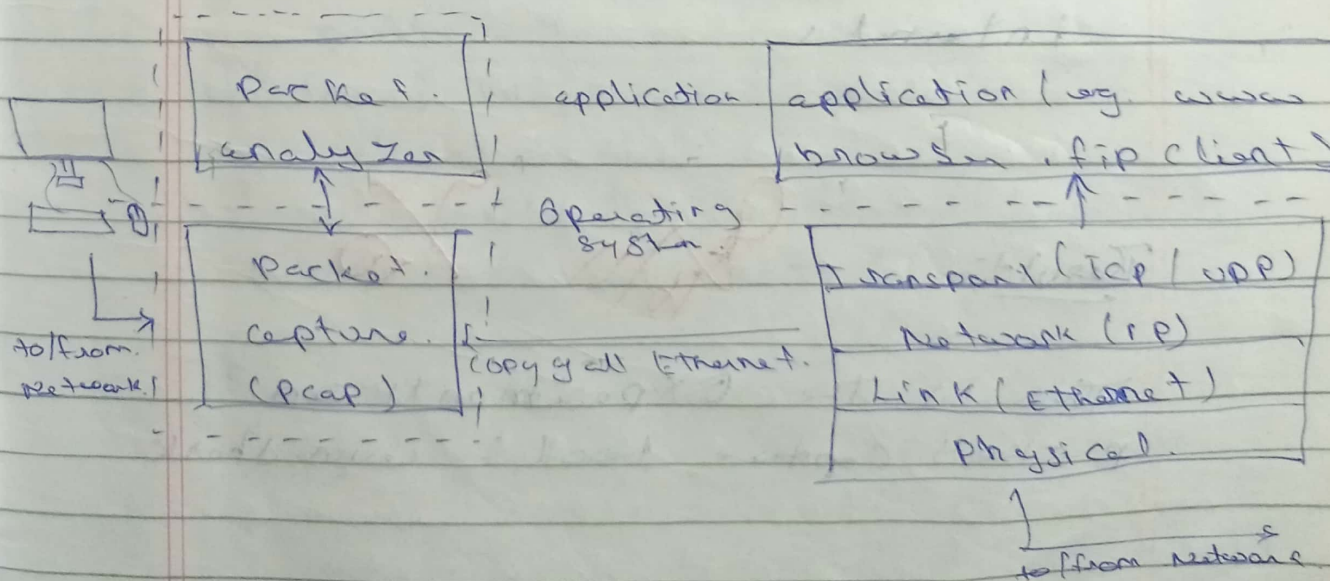
Packet Sniffer structure Diagnostic tools

-> Tcpdump

- Eg. tcpdump -i eth0 host 10.129.41.2 -w .

-> Wireshark

Wireshark - see 3. out



WIRESHARK

- * Capture Network traffic
- * Decode packet protocol using dissectors
- * Define Filters - capture and display
- * Watch Smart Statistics
- * Analyze problems
- * Interactively browse that traffic

Wireshark Used for

- * Network administrators: trouble shoot Network problems
- * Network Security engineers: Examine Security problems
- * Developers: debug protocol implementation
- * People: learn Networks protocol, internals.

Result:-

This is the Experiments on packet capture tool: Wireshark.