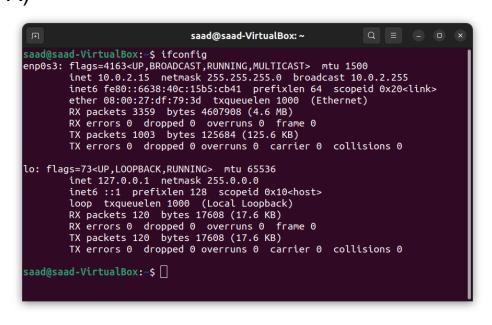
# Computer Networks(CSE 232) Assignment 1: Command Line Utilities

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Q1) A)





B) Ans:- both the IPs that are shown by ifconfig command and by whatismyip.com are different The reason for it that the ip that is shown by whatismyip.com is the IP that is provided by our Internet Service Provider(ISP), not by our laptop. The IP address provided by ifconfig command is provided by the VM( virtual machine).

Q2) A)

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saad@saad-VirtualBox:-$ nslookup -type=soa google.com
Server: 127.0.0.53
Address: 127.0.0.53#53

Non-authoritative answer:
google.com
    origin = ns1.google.com
    mail addr = dns-admin.google.com
    serial = 556730683
    refresh = 900
    retry = 900
    expire = 1800
    minimum = 60

Authoritative answers can be found from:
google.com    nameserver = ns2.google.com.
google.com    nameserver = ns2.google.com.
google.com    nameserver = ns4.google.com.
google.com    internet address = 216.239.34.10
ns3.google.com    internet address = 216.239.38.10
ns3.google.com    internet address = 216.239.38.10
ns1.google.com    internet address = 216.239.38.10
ns2.google.com    internet address = 216.239.32.10
ns2.google.com    has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:38::a
ns3.google.com    has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:38::a
ns3.google.com    has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:36::a
ns1.google.com    has AAAA address 2001:4860:4802:32::a
```

First we get the details of the authoritative server for this I used <u>nslookup -type=soa google.com</u> here soa implies SOA Start of Authority records. By this we get the authoritative response.

B)

```
saad@saad-VirtualBox:-$ dig +ttlunits google.com

; <<>> DiG 9.18.12-Oubuntu0.22.04.2-Ubuntu <<>> +ttlunits google.com

;; Got answer:
;; ->>>HEADER<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 52582
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 65494
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;google.com. IN A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
google.com. 55s IN A 142.250.206.174

;; Query time: 0 msec
;; SERVER: 127.0.0.53#53(127.0.0.53) (UDP)
;; WHEN: Tue Aug 22 16:39:57 IST 2023
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 55

saad@saad-VirtualBox:-$
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I have used dig +ttunits command to find the ttl(Time to Live) of any website here i found out the time to live of google.com Here time to live of google.com is 55 sec. +ttunits give the time in min and sec. It will expire after 55sec.

Q3)

A) When I am using traceroute google.com, I just got i IP address and rest I got astricx like this—

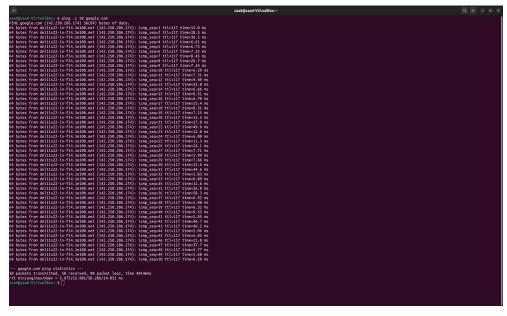
But when i used traceroute -I google.com i got this output

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saad@saad-VirtualBox:~$ traceroute -I google.com
traceroute to google.com (142.250.206.174), 64 hops max
     10.0.2.2 0.261ms 0.276ms 0.147ms
 2
     192.168.32.254 11.524ms
                                4.127ms
                                         5.263ms
     192.168.1.99 2.520ms
                             5.658ms
                                      2.411ms
                                     4.062ms
 4
     103.25.231.1 2.808ms
                           3.576ms
  5
     * * *
                                         6.350ms
     10.119.234.162
                     53.434ms
                                6.148ms
                              6.093ms
     72.14.194.160
                   9.850ms
                                       6.463ms
 8
     74.125.243.97
                    8.543ms
                              7.519ms
                                      33.882ms
 9
     142.251.76.203 7.965ms
                               7.158ms
                                        5.151ms
     142.250.206.174
                       7.046ms
 10
                                6.516ms
```

## Average latency of intermediate host:-

	IPS	Average Latency
1	10.0.2.2	0.228 ms
2	192.168.32.254	6.971 ms
3	192.168.1.99	3.529 ms
4	103.25.231.1	3.482 ms
6	10.119.234.162	21.977ms
7	72.14.194.160	7.468 ms
8	74.125.243.97	16.648 ms
9	142.251.76.203	6.668 ms
10	142.250.206.174	7.075 ms

B)



So the Average latency for google.com is:- 15.981 ms

C)

sum of the average latencies obtained of the intermediate host:- 74.046ms

Average latency in part b:- 15.981ms

No, they are not matching. We get a higher latency when we sum all the intermediate latencies. This is because the traceroute command takes the latency of each hop from the host. That means the in the later hops, the latencies of the previous hops are already accounted.

D)

The maximum ping latency of the intermediate host is:- 21.977 ms

Average latency in part b:- 15.981 ms

They are not matching. But they are close. This is because the traceroute command send the packets quickly but take time in responsig back to the host. Thats why it has higer latency.

E) Because the traceroute command sends 3 consecutinve packets to the hops in a round trip. All three entries are the time of the individual packets sent to the hops.

F)

So the Average latency for Stanford.edu is:- 332.117 ms

G)

```
saad@saad-VirtualBox:-$ traceroute -I stanford.edu
traceroute to stanford.edu (171.67.215.200), 64 hops max
1 10.0.2.2 0.407ms 0.330ms 0.233ms
2 192.168.32.254 2.953ms 2.650ms 3.053ms
3 192.168.1.99 2.062ms 1.827ms 1.726ms
4 103.25.231.1 3.308ms 3.313ms 23.514ms
5 10.1.209.201 29.828ms 30.662ms 61.236ms
6 10.1.200.137 36.871ms 66.703ms 36.690ms
7 10.255.238.254 65.955ms 35.858ms 78.979ms
8 180.149.48.18 31.077ms 71.910ms 31.021ms
9 180.149.48.6 181.314ms 181.301ms 209.240ms
10 180.149.48.20 207.352ms 181.247ms 171.626ms
11 180.149.48.13 253.471ms 253.854ms 259.881ms
12 163.253.1.116 324.364ms 324.317ms 325.599ms
13 163.253.1.123 344.410ms 319.308ms 320.323ms
14 163.253.1.213 319.480ms 320.112ms 320.303ms
15 163.253.1.206 339.741ms 330.681ms 326.041ms
16 163.253.1.260 339.741ms 330.481ms 326.041ms
16 163.253.1.260 339.741ms 330.4345ms 351.074ms
18 163.253.1.169 339.378ms 340.743ms 339.108ms
19 163.253.1.186 330.309ms 323.264ms 328.034ms
20 163.253.1.186 330.309ms 323.264ms 328.034ms
20 163.253.1.193 324.5950ms 324.189ms 366.117ms
22 137.164.26.126 336.466ms 387.682ms 338.287ms
23 137.164.25.95 320.595ms 366.334ms 318.445ms
24 137.164.25.95 320.595ms 366.334ms 318.445ms
25 171.66.255.132 325.251ms 325.312ms 349.510ms
26 * * *
27 171.67.215.200 321.236ms 322.349ms 321.329ms
28ad@saad-VirtualBox:-$ □
```

In stanford.edu there are more hops as compared to google.com.

#### H)

The reason for the high latency is the distance between the server and the user, and since it has higher latency, then there are many delays because of the lots of hops.

#### Q4)

```
saad@saad-VirtualBox:~$ sudo ifconfig lo down
[sudo] password for saad:
saad@saad-VirtualBox:~$ ping 127.0.0.1
PING 127.0.0.1 (127.0.0.1) 56(84) bytes of data.
^C
--- 127.0.0.1 ping statistics ---
124 packets transmitted, 0 received, 100% packet loss, time 126031ms
saad@saad-VirtualBox:~$
```

We have to block the loopback interface by using the command sudo ifconfig lo down. The down flag will inactive the loopback interface. Then we write the command ping 127.0.0.1 and the result we will obtain will be 100% packet loss.

#### Q5)

```
saad@saad-VirtualBox:~$ telnet 192.168.24.12 9900
Trying 192.168.24.12...
Connected to 192.168.24.12.
Escape character is '^]'.
GET /secret HTTP/1.1
Host: www.google.com
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Content-Type: text/plain
ip: 192.168.44.206
X-secret: U2FsdGVkX1/HpsbGDrmslKgp5n6eyzDka30rC7hi1EKqRtS0x5/Ds+jGccLPZfbV
Date: Wed, 23 Aug 2023 08:51:36 GMT
Connection: keep-alive
Keep-Alive: timeout=5
Content-Length: 8
Success
Connection closed by foreign host.
saad@saad-VirtualBox:~S SS
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```
saad@saad-VirtualBox:~$ telnet 192.168.24.12 smtp
Trying 192.168.24.12...
Connected to 192.168.24.12.
Escape character is '^]'.
220 Welcome to CSE232 Mail Server
helo cse232.com
250 xeon01-rs-iiitd.iiitd.edu.in
MAIL FROM: 21068@cse232.com
250 2.1.0 Ok
RCPT TO: 21084@cse232.com
250 2.1.5 Ok
DATA
354 End data with <CR><LF>.<CR><LF>
From: saad
TO: raj
Subject: test mesg
hello raj
this is a test mesg
vour frnd
saad
250 2.0.0 Ok: queued as BDF696F643A5
OUIT
221 2.0.0 Bye
Connection closed by foreign host.
```

### This is the output my friend got when I mailed him.

```
From 21068@cse232.com Wed Aug 23 15:05:52 2023
Return-Path: <21068@cse232.com>
X-Original-To: 21084@cse232.com
Delivered-To: 21084@cse232.com
Received: from cse232.com (unknown [192.168.44.206])

by xeon01-rs-iiitd.iiitd.edu.in (Postfix) with SMTP id BDF696F643A5
for <21084@cse232.com>; Wed, 23 Aug 2023 15:03:22 +0530 (IST)

From: saad
TO: raj
Subject: test mesg
hello raj
this is a test mesg
your frnd
saad
```