

Problem 1

1. Select one UDP packet from your trace. From this packet, determine how many fields there are in the UDP header. Name these fields
2. By consulting the displayed information in Wireshark's packet content field for this packet, determine the length (in bytes) of each of the UDP header
3. The value in the Length field is the length of what? (You can consult the text for this answer). Verify your claim with your captured UDP packet
4. What is the maximum number of bytes that can be included in a UDP payload? (Hint: the answer to this question can be determined by your answer to b. above)
5. What is the largest possible source port number? (Hint: see the hint in d.)
6. What is the protocol number for UDP? Give your answer in both hexadecimal and decimal notation. To answer this question, you'll need to look into the Protocol field of the IP datagram containing this UDP segment.
7. Examine a pair of UDP packets in which your host sends the first UDP packet and the second UDP packet is a reply to this first UDP packet. (Hint: for a second packet to be sent in response to a first packet, the sender of the first packet should be the destination of the second packet). Describe the relationship between the port numbers in the two packets

Solution

- 1) 4 Header Fields: Source Port, Destination Port, Length and Checksum

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> Frame 307: 77 bytes on wire (616 bits), 77 bytes captured (616 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_{E7088963-B682-4347-BFE0-C62985987AA0},
> Ethernet II, Src: SamsungE_fb:69:7a (d4:9d:c0:fb:69:7a), Dst: IPv4mcast_7f:ff:fa (01:00:5e:7f:ff:fa)
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.2, Dst: 239.255.255.250
✓ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 49345, Dst Port: 15600
  Source Port: 49345
  Destination Port: 15600
  Length: 43
  Checksum: 0x090a [unverified]
  [Checksum Status: Unverified]
  [Stream index: 16]
  > [Timestamps]
    UDP payload (35 bytes)
  > Data (35 bytes)
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- 2) They are all 2 bytes. See bottom of these images.

The three screenshots illustrate the structure of the UDP header and its fields. The first screenshot shows the 'User Datagram Protocol' section in Wireshark, highlighting the Source Port, Destination Port, Length, and Checksum fields. The second screenshot shows the 'Data' section, which contains the raw packet bytes. The third screenshot shows the 'Length' field in the packet bytes pane, indicating that the length field is 2 bytes long.

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User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 49345, Dst Port: 15600
Source Port: 49345
Destination Port: 15600
Length: 43
Checksum: 0x090a [unverified]
[Checksum Status: Unverified]
[Stream index: 16]
> [Timestamps]
UDP payload (35 bytes)
Data (35 bytes)
Data: 53454152434820425344502f302e310a4445564943453d300a534552564943453d310a
[Length: 35]

100 01 00 5e 7f ff fa d4 9d c0 fb 69 7a 08 00 45 50  ....iz...EP
110 00 3f 3f 8e 40 00 40 11 4a 2b c0 a8 00 02 ef ff  ?? @ J+....
120 ff fa c0 c1 3c f0 00 2b 09 0a 53 45 41 52 43 48  ....<+..SEARCH
130 20 42 53 44 50 2f 30 2e 31 0a 44 45 56 49 43 45  BSDP/0. 1 DEVICE
140 3d 30 0a 53 45 52 56 49 43 45 3d 31 0a  =0 SERVI CE=1

Details at: https://www.wireshark.org/docs/wisug_html_chunked/ChAdvChecksums.html (udp.checksum), 2 bytes
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3) Length is the sum of the 8 header field bytes + the encapsulated data bytes (of which there are 35). $35 + 8 = 43$

4) $2^{16} - 1 - 8 = 65535 - 8 = 65527$ bytes. Subtracting 8 because of header field bytes.

5) $2^{16} - 1 = 65535$

6) Decimal: 17, Hex: 0x11

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Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.2, Dst: 239.255.255.250
0100 .... = Version: 4
... 0101 = Header Length: 20 bytes (5)
> Differentiated Services Field: 0x50 (DSCP: AF22, ECN: Not-ECT)
Total Length: 63
Identification: 0x3f8e (16270)
> Flags: 0x40, Don't fragment
Fragment Offset: 0
Time to Live: 64
Protocol: UDP (17)
Header Checksum: 0x4a2b [validation disabled]
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7) The source port and destination port are swapped. This is because first, 192.168.0.18 sends a packet to 213.179.197.152. Then, 213.179.197.152 sends a packet back to 192.168.0.18.

7 0.021917	192.168.0.18	213.179.197.152	UDP
8 0.023199	213.179.197.152	192.168.0.18	UDP

Problem 2

1. What is the IP address and TCP port number used by your client computer (source) to transfer the file to gaia.cs.umass.edu?
2. What is the sequence number of the TCP SYN segment that is used to initiate the TCP connection between the client computer and gaia.cs.umass.edu? What is it in the segment that identifies the segment as a SYN segment?
3. What is the sequence number of the SYNACK segment sent by gaia.cs.umass.edu to the client computer in reply to the SYN? What is the value of the Acknowledgement field in the SYNACK segment? How did gaia.cs.umass.edu determine that value? What is it in the segment that identifies the segment as a SYNACK segment?
4. What is the sequence number of the TCP segment containing the HTTP POST command? Note that in order to find the POST command, you'll need to dig into the packet content field at the bottom of the Wireshark window, looking for a segment with a "POST" within its DATA field

5. What is the length of each of the first six TCP segments?
6. What is the minimum amount of available buffer space advertised at the receiver for the entire trace? Does the lack of receiver buffer space ever throttle the sender?
7. Are there any retransmitted segments in the trace file? What did you check for (in the trace) in order to answer this question
8. How much data does the receiver typically acknowledge in an ACK? Can you identify cases where the receiver is ACKing every other received segment (see the table on slide 18 of Lecture 2 in Transport Layer)
9. What is the throughput (bytes transferred per unit time) for the TCP connection? Explain how you calculated this value.

Solution 1) Source Port: 61466, Source IP: 192.168.0.18

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> Frame 24: 66 bytes on wire (528 bits), 66 bytes captured (528 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_{E708B963-B682-4347-BFE0-C62985987AA0}, id 0
> Ethernet II, Src: D-LinkIn_00:4b:89 (9c:d6:43:00:4b:89), Dst: 02:00:00:00:00:04 (02:00:00:00:00:04)
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.18, Dst: 128.119.245.12
v Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 61466, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 0, Len: 0
  Source Port: 61466
  Destination Port: 80
  [Stream index: 1]
  [TCP Segment Len: 0]
  Sequence Number: 0 (relative sequence number)
  Sequence Number (raw): 1977788287
  [Next Sequence Number: 1 (relative sequence number)]
  Acknowledgment Number: 0
  Acknowledgment number (raw): 0
  1000 .... = Header Length: 32 bytes (8)
> Flags: 0x002 (SYN)
  Window: 64240
  [Calculated window size: 64240]
  Checksum: 0x3014 [unverified]
  [Checksum Status: Unverified]
  Urgent Pointer: 0
> Options: (12 bytes), Maximum segment size, No-Operation (NOP), Window scale, No-Operation (NOP), No-Operation (NOP), SACK permitted
> [Timestamps]
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2) Sequence Number is 0. I know this is the TCP SYN segment because the SYN flag is set.

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> Ethernet II, Src: D-LinkIn_00:4b:89 (9c:d6:43:00:4b:89), Dst: 02:00:00:00:00:04 (02:00:00:00:00:04)
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.18, Dst: 128.119.245.12
▼ Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 61466, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 0, Len: 0
  Source Port: 61466
  Destination Port: 80
  [Stream index: 1]
  [TCP Segment Len: 0]
  Sequence Number: 0 (relative sequence number)
  Sequence Number (raw): 1977788287
  [Next Sequence Number: 1 (relative sequence number)]
  Acknowledgment Number: 0
  Acknowledgment number (raw): 0
  1000 .... = Header Length: 32 bytes (8)
▼ Flags: 0x002 (SYN)
  000. .... = Reserved: Not set
  ...0 .... = Nonce: Not set
  .... 0... = Congestion Window Reduced (CWR): Not set
  .... .0.. = ECN-Echo: Not set
  .... ..0. = Urgent: Not set
  .... ...0 = Acknowledgment: Not set
  .... .... 0... = Push: Not set
  .... .... .0.. = Reset: Not set
  > .... .... ..1. = Syn: Set
  .... .... ...0 = Fin: Not set
  [TCP Flags: .....S.]
  Window: 64240
  [Calculated window size: 64240]
  Checksum: 0x3014 [unverified]
  [Checksum Status: Unverified]
  Urgent Pointer: 0
  > Options: (12 bytes), Maximum segment size, No-Operation (NOP), Window scale, No-Operation (NOP), No-Operation (NOP), SACK permitted
  > [Timestamps]

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3) Sequence Number is 0. I know this is the TCP SYNACK segment because both SYN and ACK flags are set. The value of the ACK field is 1. The value is determined by adding 1 to the initial sequence number of SYN segment from the client computer. $0 + 1 = 1$

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> Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 61466, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 1, Ack: 1, Len: 1460
▼ Data (1460 bytes)
  Data: 504f5354202f77697265736861726b2d6c6162732f6c6162332d312d7265706c792e6874...
  [Length: 1460]

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0000	02 00 00 00 00 04 9c d6	43 00 4b 89 08 00 45 00 C.K...E.
0010	05 dc 25 45 40 00 80 06	99 98 c0 a8 00 12 80 77	..%E@... ..w
0020	f5 0c f0 1a 00 50 75 e2	a7 80 58 fb c4 84 50 10Pu...X...P.
0030	02 01 63 d7 00 00 50 4f	53 54 20 2f 77 69 72 65	..c...PO ST /wire
0040	73 68 61 72 6b 2d 6c 61	62 73 2f 6c 61 62 33 2d	shark-lab/lab3-
0050	31 2d 72 65 70 6c 79 2e	68 74 6d 20 48 54 54 50	1-reply.htm HTTP
0060	2f 31 2e 31 0d 0a 48 6f	73 74 3a 20 67 61 69 61	/1.1..Host: gaia
0070	2e 63 73 2e 75 6d 61 73	73 2e 65 64 75 0d 0a 55	.cs.umas.s.edu..U
0080	73 65 72 2d 41 67 65 6e	74 3a 20 4d 6f 7a 69 6c	ser-Agent: Mozil
0090	6c 61 2f 35 2e 30 20 28	57 69 6e 64 6f 77 73 20	la/5.0 (Windows
00a0	4e 54 20 31 30 2e 30 3b	20 57 69 6e 36 34 3b 20	NT 10.0; Win64;
00b0	78 36 34 3b 20 72 76 3a	39 33 2e 30 29 20 47 65	x64; rv: 93.0) Ge
00c0	63 6b 6f 2f 32 30 31 30	30 31 30 31 20 46 69 72	cko/2010 0101 Fir
00d0	65 66 6f 78 2f 39 33 2e	30 0d 0a 41 63 63 65 70	efox/93. 0..Accep
00e0	74 3a 20 74 65 78 74 2f	68 74 6d 6c 2c 61 70 70	t: text/ html,app
00f0	6c 69 63 61 74 69 6f 6e	2f 78 68 74 6d 6c 2b 78	lication /xhtml+x
0100	6d 6c 2c 61 70 70 6c 69	63 61 74 69 6f 6e 2f 78	ml,appli cation/x
0110	6d 6c 3b 71 3d 30 2e 39	2c 69 6d 61 67 65 2f 61	ml;q=0.9 ,image/a
0120	76 69 66 2c 69 6d 61 67	65 2f 77 65 62 70 2c 2a	vif,imag e/webp,*
0130	2f 2a 3b 71 3d 30 2e 38	0d 0a 41 63 63 65 70 74	/*;q=0.8 ..Accept
0140	2d 4c 61 6e 67 75 61 67	65 3a 20 65 6e 2d 55 53	-Languag e: en-US
0150	2c 65 6e 3b 71 3d 30 2e	35 0d 0a 41 63 63 65 70	,en;q=0. 5..Accep
0160	74 2d 45 6e 63 6f 64 69	6e 67 3a 20 67 7a 69 70	t-Encodi ng: gzip
0170	2c 20 64 65 66 6c 61 74	65 0d 0a 43 6f 6e 74 65	, deflat e..Conte
0180	6e 74 2d 54 79 70 65 3a	20 6d 75 6c 74 69 70 61	nt-Type: multipa
0190	72 74 2f 66 6f 72 6d 2d	64 61 74 61 3b 20 62 6f	rt/form- data; bo

4) Sequence Number is 1 as seen in the TCP header of the HTTP POST

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> Frame 193: 1095 bytes on wire (8760 bits), 1095 bytes captured (8760 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_{E708B963-B
> Ethernet II, Src: D-LinkIn_00:4b:89 (9c:d6:43:00:4b:89), Dst: 02:00:00:00:00:04 (02:00:00:00:00:04)
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.0.18, Dst: 128.119.245.12
> Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 61466, Dst Port: 80, Seq: 151838, Ack: 1, Len: 1041
> [105 Reassembled TCP Segments (152878 bytes): #27(1460), #28(1460), #29(1460), #30(1460), #31(1460), #32(1460),
▼ Hypertext Transfer Protocol
  POST /wireshark-labs/lab3-1-reply.htm HTTP/1.1\r\n
    > [Expert Info (Chat/Sequence): POST /wireshark-labs/lab3-1-reply.htm HTTP/1.1\r\n]
      Request Method: POST
      Request URI: /wireshark-labs/lab3-1-reply.htm
      Request Version: HTTP/1.1
      Host: gaia.cs.umass.edu\r\n
      User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Windows NT 10.0; Win64; x64; rv:93.0) Gecko/20100101 Firefox/93.0\r\n
      Accept: text/html,application/xhtml+xml,application/xml;q=0.9,image/avif,image/webp,*/*;q=0.8\r\n
      Accept-Language: en-US,en;q=0.5\r\n
      Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate\r\n
      Content-Type: multipart/form-data; boundary=-----13660876818237786781806623112\r\n
    > Content-Length: 152357\r\n
    Origin: null\r\n

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- 5) The first 6 TCP segments have length 1514. The first TCP segments are from the handshake process.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
16	3.251477	192.168.0.18	34.210.55.11	TCP	55	61457 → 443 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=510 Len=1 [TCP segment of a reassembled PDU]
23	3.350362	34.210.55.11	192.168.0.18	TCP	66	443 → 61457 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=2 Win=120 Len=0 SLE=1 SRE=2
24	3.650048	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	66	61466 → 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1
25	3.690258	128.119.245.12	192.168.0.18	TCP	66	80 → 61466 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM=1 WS=128
26	3.690337	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	54	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=0
27	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
28	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=1461 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
29	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=2921 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
30	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=4381 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
31	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=5841 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
32	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=7301 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460

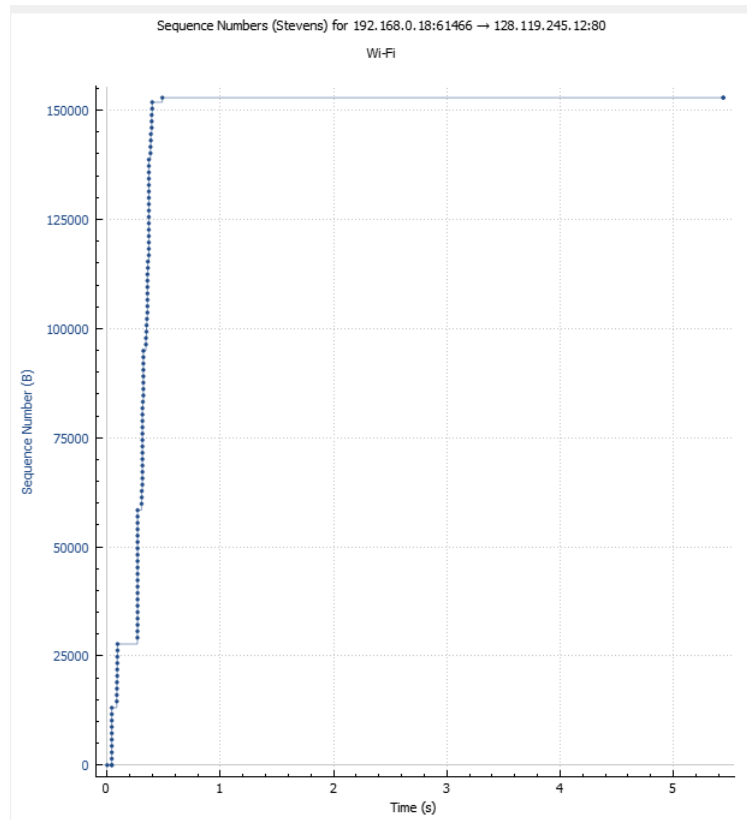
- 6) Minimum Window size is 29200, seen in the first ACK from the server. The window size grows to 131328 (see above image). There is no throttling here.

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▼ Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 80, Dst Port: 61466, Seq: 0, Ack: 1, Len: 0
  Source Port: 80
  Destination Port: 61466
  [Stream index: 1]
  [TCP Segment Len: 0]
  Sequence Number: 0 (relative sequence number)
  Sequence Number (raw): 1492894851
  [Next Sequence Number: 1 (relative sequence number)]
  Acknowledgment Number: 1 (relative ack number)
  Acknowledgment number (raw): 1977788288
  1000 .... = Header Length: 32 bytes (8)
  ▼ Flags: 0x012 (SYN, ACK)
    000. .... = Reserved: Not set
    ...0 .... = Nonce: Not set
    ...0... .... = Congestion Window Reduced (CWR): Not set
    ....0... .... = ECN-Echo: Not set
    ......0. .... = Urgent: Not set
    ....1... .... = Acknowledgment: Set
    ....0... .... = Push: Not set
    ......0.. .... = Reset: Not set
  ▼ ....1... = Syn: Set
    > [Expert Info (Chat/Sequence): Connection establish acknowledge (SYN+ACK): server port 80]
    ....0... = Fin: Not set
    [TCP Flags: .....A..S.]
  Window: 29200

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- 7) There are no re-transmitted segments in the trace file. The segment number increases linearly with no re-transmissions. I checked the Time Sequence TCP Stream Graph (Stevens)



8) The receiver typically acknowledges 1460 bytes of data. This is shown in the difference in sequence number between 2 acknowledgements. Here you can see that taking the difference of any 2 consecutive acknowledgements = 1460.

24	3.650048	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	66	61466 → 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 WS=256 SACK_PERM=1
25	3.690258	128.119.245.12	192.168.0.18	TCP	66	80 → 61466 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=29200 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM=1 WS=128
26	3.690337	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	54	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=0
27	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
28	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=1461 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
29	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=2921 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
30	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=4381 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
31	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=5841 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
32	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=7301 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
33	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=8761 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
34	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=10221 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460

$$4381 - 2921 = 1460$$

$$2921 - 1461 = 1460$$

$$1460 - 1 = 1460$$

When the receiver is ACKing every other received segment it can be seen in the image below, segments #40 and #43. The Acknowledgement numbers are 4381 and 2921 with the difference being 1460 bytes.

9) We can see the last acknowledgment sent with the FIN flag. The last segment has ACK #152879 and the first segment has ACK #1. Total of $152879 - 1 = 152878$ bytes.

249	9.090681	128.119.245.12	192.168.0.18	TCP	54	80 → 61466 [FIN, ACK] Seq=778 Ack=152879 Win=250368 Len=0
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From this image we can also see the time of 9.090681.

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27	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
28	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=1461 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
29	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=2921 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
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31	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=5841 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460
32	3.690550	192.168.0.18	128.119.245.12	TCP	1514	61466 → 80 [ACK] Seq=7301 Ack=1 Win=131328 Len=1460

From this image we can see the start time of 3.650048.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Throughput} &= \frac{152879 - 1}{9.090681 - 3.650048} \\
 &= \frac{152878}{5.440633} \\
 &= 28099.3 \text{ bytes/sec}
 \end{aligned}$$