COMP3331 Lab Week 3

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Lab Exercise 3: DNS Socket Programming

Exercise 3

1. The IP address of www.eecs.berkeley.edu. Is 23.185.0.1. The DNS query of type A was used to get this answer.

```
z5310199@vx2:/tmp amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP stuff$ dig www.eecs.berkeley.edu
   <>>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> www.eecs.berkeley.edu
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
    ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 59838
flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 4, ADDITIONAL: 9
 ; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; QUESTION SECTION:
 www.eecs.berkeley.edu.
                                                         ΙN
:: ANSWER SECTION:
www.eecs.berkeley.edu. 73
live-eecs.pantheonsite.io.
                                                         IN
IN
IN
                                          73200
                                                                       CNAME
                                                                                      live-eecs.pantheonsite.io.
                                                                                     fel.edge.pantheon.io.
23.185.0.1
                                                                       CNAME
fel.edge.pantheon.io.
;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
edge.pantheon.io.
                                                                                     ns-233.awsdns-29.com.
                                                                                     ns-2013.awsdns-59.co.uk.
ns-1213.awsdns-23.org.
edge.pantheon.io.
                                           300
                                                         IN
                                                         IN
IN
                                          300
300
                                                                       NS
NS
edge.pantheon.io.
edge.pantheon.io.
                                                                                     ns-644.awsdns-16.net.
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns-233.awsdns-29.com. 66365
ns-233.awsdns-29.com. 66365
ns-644.awsdns-16.net. 2129
ns-644.awsdns-16.net. 2129
ns-1213.awsdns-23.org. 63436
ns-1213.awsdns-23.org. 63436
ns-2013.awsdns-59.co.uk. 5581
ns-2013.awsdns-59.co.uk. 5581
                                                         IN
                                                                       A
AAAA
                                                                                      205.251.192.233
                                                                                     2600:9000:5300:e900::1
205.251.194.132
2600:9000:5302:8400::1
205.251.196.189
                                                         IN
IN
IN
IN
                                                                       A
AAAA
                                                                                     2600:9000:5304:bd00::1
205.251.199.221
2600:9000:5307:dd00::1
                                                         IN
                                                                       AAAA
                                                         IN
IN
                                                                       A
AAAA
    Query time: 10 msec
SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
WHEN: Wed Jun 23 18:59:40 AEST 2021
MSG SIZE rcvd: 453
```

2. The canonical name for www.eecs.berkeley.edu is live-eecs.pantheonsite.io. A possible reason why this server has a canonical name might be because it is utilising a CDN. CDN often use CNAME to map a web address to their own domain that hosts that address.

```
z5310199@vx2:/tmp amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP stuff$ dig www.eecs.berkeley.edu
; <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> www.eecs.berkeley.edu
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
   ->>HEADER<-- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 59838
flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 4, ADDITIONAL: 9
    OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
 ; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.eecs.berkeley.edu. IN
                                                          Α
;; ANSWER SECTION:
 ww.eecs.berkeley.edu.
                                  73200
                                              ΙN
                                                          CNAME
                                                                     live-eecs.pantheonsite.io.
live-eecs.pantheonsite.io. 193
fel.edge.pantheon.io. 300
                                              IN
IN
                                                                     fel.edge.pantheon.io.
23.185.0.1
                                                          CNAME
```

3. The Authority Section shows all the nameservers that has the authority to respond to queries for www.eecs.berkeley. The Additional Section contains all the IPv4 and IPv6 addresses of these nameservers (A records resolve hostname with IPv4 address whereas AAAA record resolves IPv6 addresses).

```
;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
edge.pantheon.io.
                         300
                                  ΙN
                                          NS
                                                  ns-233.awsdns-29.com.
                                          NS
                                                  ns-2013.awsdns-59.co.uk.
                         300
                                 ΙN
edge.pantheon.io.
                                                  ns-1213.awsdns-23.org.
edge.pantheon.io.
                         300
                                  ΙN
                                          NS
                                  ΙN
                                          NS
edge.pantheon.io.
                         300
                                                  ns-644.awsdns-16.net.
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns-233.awsdns-29.com.
                         66365
                                  ΙN
                                                  205.251.192.233
                                                  2600:9000:5300:e900::1
ns-233.awsdns-29.com.
                         66365
                                 ΙN
                                          AAAA
                                  ΙN
                                                   205.251.194.132
ns-644.awsdns-16.net.
                         2129
                                          Α
ns-644.awsdns-16.net.
                                                  2600:9000:5302:8400::1
                         2129
                                 ΙN
                                          AAAA
                                                   205.251.196.189
ns-1213.awsdns-23.org.
                         63436
                                  ΙN
                                          Α
                                          AAAA
ns-1213.awsdns-23.org.
                         63436
                                 ΙN
                                                  2600:9000:5304:bd00::1
                                                   205.251.199.221
ns-2013.awsdns-59.co.uk.
                          5581
                                  ΙN
                                          Α
ns-2013.awsdns-59.co.uk.
                          5581
                                          AAAA
                                                   2600:9000:5307:dd00::1
```

4. The IP address of my local nameserver (currently on CSE machine) is 129.94.242.2.

```
;; Query time: 10 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Wed Jun 23 18:59:40 AEST 2021
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 453
```

- 5. The nameservers for eecs.berkeley.edu and their corresponding IPv4 and IPv6 addresses are:
 - o ns.CS.berkeley.edu => IPv4: 169.229.60.61,
 - o adns3.berkeley.edu => IPv4: 192.107.102.142 & IPv6: 2607:f140:a000:d::abc
 - o adns1.berkeley.edu => IPv4: 128.32.136.3 & IPv6: 2607:f140:ffff:fffe::3
 - o adns2.berkeley.edu => IPv4: 128.32.136.14 & IPv6: 2607:f140:ffff:fffe::e
 - o ns.eecs.berkeley.edu => IPv4: 169.229.60.153.

A DNS query of type A was used to get this answer.

```
z5310199@vx2:/tmp_amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP_stuff$ dig eecs.berkeley.edu
            DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <>>> eecs.berkeley.edu
    global options: +cmd
Got answer:
->>HEADER<-- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 37224
flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 5, ADDITIONAL: 9
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;eecs.berkeley.edu. IN
                                                                              Α
:: ANSWER SECTION:
  ecs.berkeley.edu.
                                               2357
                                                               IN
                                                                                              23.185.0.1
;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
eecs.berkeley.edu.
eecs.berkeley.edu.
                                               85854
                                                                                              ns.CS.berkeley.edu.
                                                              IN
IN
IN
IN
                                                                                              adns3.berkeley.edu.
adns1.berkeley.edu.
adns2.berkeley.edu.
                                               85854
85854
                                                                              NS
NS
NS
eecs.berkeley.edu.
eecs.berkeley.edu.
 ecs.berkelev.edu
                                               85854
                                                                                              ns.eecs.berkeley.edu.
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
                                                                                              169.229.60.61
169.229.60.153
128.32.136.3
2607:f140:ffff:fffe::3
128.32.136.14
2607:f140:ffff:fffe::e
192.107.102.142
2607:f140:a000:d::abc
ns.CS.berkeley.edu.
ns.eecs.berkeley.edu.
adns1.berkeley.edu.
                                               5709
70152
6511
9342
                                                              IN
IN
IN
IN
                                                                              A
AAAA
adns1.berkeley.edu.
adns2.berkeley.edu.
adns2.berkeley.edu.
adns3.berkeley.edu.
                                               6511
7264
7151
                                                                              A
AAAA
                                                                               A
AAAA
adns3.berkeleý.edu.
     Query time: 0 msec
SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
WHEN: Wed Jun 23 19:42:02 AEST 2021
MSG SIZE rcvd: 323
```

6. The DNS name that is associated with the IP address 111.68.101.54 is webserver.seecs.nust.edu.pk. A reverse DNS query was used to get this answer.

```
z5310199@vx2:/tmp_amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP_stuff$ dig -x 111.68.101.54
  <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> -x 111.68.101.54
  global options: +cmd
   Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 23361
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 2, ADDITIONAL: 3
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
                                                   PTR
;54.101.68.111.in-addr.arpa.
                                         TΝ
;; ANSWER SECTION:
54.101.68.111.in-addr.arpa. 3600 IN
                                                   PTR
                                                             webserver.seecs.nust.edu.pk.
;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
.,
101.68.111.in-addr.arpa. 2362
                                         ΙN
                                                   NS
                                                             ns1.hec.gov.pk.
                                                   NS
101.68.111.in-addr.arpa. 2362
                                         ΙN
                                                             ns2.hec.gov.pk.
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.hec.gov.pk.
                              3600
                                         IN
                                                   Α
                                                             103.4.93.5
ns2.hec.gov.pk.
                              3600
                                         ΙN
                                                   Α
                                                             103.4.93.6
;; Query time: 370 msec
;; SERVER: 129.94.242.2#53(129.94.242.2)
;; WHEN: Wed Jun 23 19:58:50 AEST 2021
   MSG SIZE rcvd: 172
```

7. Querying Yahoo Mail from CSE nameserver, 129.94.242.33, did not receive and authoritative answer. This is because from the flag field, there is no 'aa' (Authoritative Answer) flag. This means that the nameservers in the Authority Section are non-authoritative nameservers for the domain and is probably because CSE servers have no authority over Yahoo.com.

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP stuff$ dig @129.94.242.33 yahoo.com MX
  <>>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> @129.94.242.33 yahoo.com MX
  (1 server found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 24919
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 5, ADDITIONAL: 8
   OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
  EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
 ; QUESTION SECTION:
                                       ΙN
;yahoo.com.
                                                 MX
;; ANSWER SECTION:
yahoo.com.
                             1047
                                       ΙN
                                                 MX
                                                           1 mta5.am0.yahoodns.net.
                             1047
                                                 ΜX
                                                           1 mta6.am0.yahoodns.net.
yahoo.com.
                             1047
                                       ΤN
                                                 ΜX
                                                           1 mta7.am0.yahoodns.net.
vahoo.com.
;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
yahoo.com.
                             132642
                                                 NS
                                                           ns3.yahoo.com.
                             132642
                                       ΙN
                                                 NS
                                                           ns4.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.
                                                           ns2.yahoo.com.
ns1.yahoo.com.
                             132642
                                       IN
                                                 NS
yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.
                             132642
                                       ΙN
                                                 NS
yahoo.com.
                             132642
                                                 NS
                                                           ns5.yahoo.com.
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
ns1.yahoo.com.
                             415632
                                       IN
                                                           68.180.131.16
                                                           2001:4998:130::1001
68.142.255.16
ns1.yahoo.com.
                             76268
                                       ΙN
                                                 AAAA
ns2.yahoo.com.
                             60445
                                       ΙN
                                                 AAAA
ns2.yahoo.com.
                             84331
                                       ΙN
                                                           2001:4998:140::1002
                                                           98.138.11.157
202.165.97.53
ns4.yahoo.com.
                             415464
                                       IN
                                                 A
ns5.yahoo.com.
                             7687
                                       ΙN
                             7687
ns5.yahoo.com.
                                       ΙN
                                                 AAAA
                                                           2406:2000:ff60::53
   Query time: 0 msec
SERVER: 129.94.242.33#53(129.94.242.33)
WHEN: Wed Jun 23 21:36:35 AEST 2021
MSG SIZE rcvd: 355
```

8. Querying Yahoo.com from ns.CS.berkeley.edu resulted in the query being refused. This maybe because the server has blocked DNS querying under certain circumstances such as querying from a server explicitly outside their own, authoritative servers.

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp_amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP_stuff$ dig @ns.CS.berkeley.edu yahoo.com MX
; <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> @ns.CS.berkeley.edu yahoo.com MX
; (2 servers found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: REFUSED, id: 32799
;; flags: qr rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;yahoo.com. IN MX

;; Query time: 166 msec
;; SERVER: 169.229.60.61#53(169.229.60.61)
;; WHEN: Wed Jun 23 21:46:50 AEST 2021
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 38
```

9. By querying from a Yahoo server, ns2.yahoo.com (a non-authoritative answer from Question 7), we can obtain authoritative nameservers for this domain. The 'aa' flag is visible which indicates that the nameservers in the Authority Section are indeed authoritative. A DNS query of type MX was used to get this answer.

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp_amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP_stuff$ dig @ns2.yahoo.com yahoo.com MX
   <>>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> @ns2.yahoo.com yahoo.com MX
; (2 servers found)
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 15627
;; flags: qr aa rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 3, AUTHORITY: 5, ADDITIONAL: 10
;; WARNING: recursion requested but not available
;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 1272
;; QUESTION SECTION:
:vahoo.com.
                                                           MX
;; ANSWER SECTION:
yahoo.com.
                                               ΙN
                                                                       {\tt 1 mta5.am0.yahoodns.net.}\\
                                    1800
yahoo.com.
                                    1800
                                               ΙN
                                                           ΜX
                                                                       1 mta6.am0.yahoodns.net.
yahoo.com.
                                    1800
                                                                       1 mta7.am0.yahoodns.net.
;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
yahoo.com.
                                    172800
                                               ΙN
                                                           NS
                                                                       ns2.yahoo.com.
                                                           NS
NS
                                               IN
IN
                                                                       ns5.yahoo.com.
ns1.yahoo.com.
yahoo.com.
                                    172800
yahoo.com.
                                    172800
                                               IN
IN
                                                           NS
yahoo.com.
                                    172800
                                                                       ns3.yahoo.com.
                                                           NS
yahoo.com.
                                    172800
                                                                       ns4.yahoo.com.
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
                                                                      68.180.131.16
68.142.255.16
27.123.42.42
98.138.11.157
202.165.97.53
2001:4998:130::1001
                                   1209600
                                                           A
A
ns1.yahoo.com.
                                               ΙN
ns2.yahoo.com.
ns3.yahoo.com.
ns4.yahoo.com.
                                   1209600
                                               ΙN
                                   1800
                                               ΙN
                                                           Α
                                   1209600
                                                           Δ
                                               ΙN
ns5.yahoo.com.
                                   86400
                                               ΙN
                                                           AAAA
                                   86400
ns1.yahoo.com.
                                               ΙN
                                                                       2001:4998:140::1002
2406:8600:f03f:1f8::1003
ns2.yahoo.com.
ns3.yahoo.com.
                                                           AAAA
                                   86400
                                               ΙN
                                   1800
                                               IN
                                                           AAAA
                                   86400
                                               IN
                                                           AAAA
                                                                       2406:2000:ff60::53
ns5.yahoo.com.
    Query time: 157 msec
SERVER: 68.142.255.16#53(68.142.255.16)
WHEN: Wed Jun 23 21:56:01 AEST 2021
MSG SIZE rcvd: 399
```

10. Simulating iterative DNS query for lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au:

First iteration - finding the root server:

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp_amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP_stuff$ dig . NS
   <>>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> . NS
   global options: +cmd
   ->>HEADER<-- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 6910
flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 13, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 27
  OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
QUESTION SECTION:
                                                       NS
   ANSWER SECTION:
                                 124157
124157
124157
                                                                   e.root-servers.net.
                                            IN
                                                        NS
                                                       NS
NS
                                            IN
IN
IN
IN
                                                                   f.root-servers.net.
                                                                   b.root-servers.net.
                                                        NS
                                                                   j.root-servers.net.
                                 124157
124157
                                                        NS
                                                                   k.root-servers.net.
                                                        NS
                                                                   m.root-servers.net.
                                  124157
                                            IN
IN
IN
IN
IN
IN
                                                        NS
NS
                                                                   i.root-servers.net.
                                                                   a.root-servers.net.
                                  124157
                                  124157
                                                        NS
                                                                   h.root-servers.net.
                                  124157
                                                        NS
                                                                   d.root-servers.net.
                                                        NS
NS
NS
                                                                   c.root-servers.net.
l.root-servers.net.
                                  124157
                                  124157
                                  124157
                                                                   g.root-servers.net.
   ADDITIONAL SECTION:
                                 478317
38623
148892
a.root-servers.net.
a.root-servers.net.
                                                                   198.41.0.4
                                                        A
AAAA
                                            IN
IN
IN
IN
IN
IN
                                                                   2001:503:ba3e::2:30
199.9.14.201
2001:500:200::b
                                                        A
A
AAAA
b.root-servers.net.
b.root-servers.net.
                                  148892
                                                                   192.33.4.12
2001:500:2::c
199.7.91.13
2001:500:2d::d
 .root-servers.net.
                                 147455
                                                        A
AAAA
c.root-servers.net.
                                 81263
487201
d.root-servers.net.
                                                        A
AAAA
d.root-servers.net.
                                                                    192.203.230.10
```

We can choose an IP address of root server from the additional section (198.41.0.4).

Second iteration – finding the authoritative nameserver for .au:

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP stuff$ dig @198.41.0.4 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
   <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> @198.41.0.4 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
(1 server found)
    global options: +cmd
Got answer:
    ->>HEADER<-- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 35225
flags: qr rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 9, ADDITIONAL: 19
WARNING: recursion requested but not available
 ;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.
                                                                     IN
                                                                                  NS
 ;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
                                         172800
172800
172800
                                                      IN
IN
IN
IN
IN
IN
                                                                    NS
NS
au.
                                                                                  d.au.
                                                                                  q.au.
t.au.
                                         172800
172800
172800
172800
172800
                                                                    NS
NS
NS
NS
                                                                                  s.au.
au.
                                                                                  n.au.
                                                       IN
IN
au.
                                                                                  a.au.
                                         172800
                                                                                  c.au
 ;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
                                                      IN
IN
                                                                                  37.209.192.5
                                         172800
                                                                    A
AAAA
m.au.
                                                                                  37.209.192.2
2001:502:2eda::24
162.159.25.38
2400:cb00:2049:1::a29f:1926
65.22.196.1
                                         172800
m.au.
d.au.
                                         172800
                                                                    A
AAAA
d.au.
```

We can choose the IP address of m.au (37.209.192.5) for the next iteration.

Third iteration – finding the authoritative nameserver for edu.au:

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp_amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP_stuff$ dig @37.209.192.5 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
   <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> @37.209.192.5 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
(1 server found)
; global options: +cmd
; Got answer:
    ->>HEADBER<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 7744
; flags: qr rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 4, ADDITIONAL: 1
; WARNING: recursion requested but not available</pre>
  ; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
; QUESTION SECTION:
                                                                                            NS
 ;lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.
                                                                             IN
 ; AUTHORITY SECTION:
                                               86400
                                                             IN
                                                                                            t.au.
edu.au.
                                                              IN
IN
IN
                                              86400
86400
                                                                                             s.au.
q.au.
r.au.
 edu.au.
edu.au.
 edu.au.
```

We can choose t.au as the address for next iteration (no additional information is provided).

Fourth iteration - finding the authoritative nameserver for unsw.edu.au:

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp amd/caqe/export/caqe/5/z5310199/COMP stuff$ diq @t.au. lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
     <>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> @t.au. lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
   (2 servers found)
global options: +cmd
Got answer:
    ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 18712
flags: qr rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 3, ADDITIONAL: 6
WARNING: recursion requested but not available
   OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 1232
QUESTION SECTION:
                                                                  IN
                                                                               NS
 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.
;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
                                                                  NS
NS
NS
                                                     IN
IN
IN
                                                                                ns1.unsw.edu.au.
unsw.edu.au.
unsw.edu.au.
                                                                               ns2.unsw.edu.au.
ns3.unsw.edu.au.
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
                                                                               129.94.0.192
2001:388:c:35::1
129.94.0.193
2001:388:c:35::2
192.155.82.178
ns1.unsw.edu.au.
ns1.unsw.edu.au.
                                       900
900
                                                                  A
AAAA
                                                     IN
IN
IN
IN
ns2.unsw.edu.au.
ns2.unsw.edu.au.
                                                                  A
AAAA
 ns3.unsw.edu.au.
```

We can choose the IP address of ns1.unsw.edu.au (129.94.0.192) for the next iteration.

Fifth iteration - finding the authoritative nameserver for cse.unsw.edu.au:

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp_amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP_stuff$ dig @129.94.0.192 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
    <<>> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> @129.94.0.192 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au NS
   <<>> D16 9.9.5-9-deb8u19-Deb1an <<>> @129.94.0.192 tyre00.cse.ur
(1 server found)
global options: +cmd
Got answer:
->>HEADER<-- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 513
flags: qr rd; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 2, ADDITIONAL: 5
WARNING: recursion requested but not available</pre>
 ; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
: EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096
:; QUESTION SECTION:
:lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.
                                                                        IN
                                                                                       NS
    AUTHORITY SECTION:
cse.unsw.edu.au.
cse.unsw.edu.au.
                                           300
300
                                                         IN
IN
                                                                        NS
NS
                                                                                       beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au
                                                                                       maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au
 ; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 300 IN A
beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 300 IN A
beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 300 IN A
                                                                                       129.94.172.11
129.94.208.3
129.94.242.2
129.94.242.33
 maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 300 IN A
;; Query time: 4 msec
```

We can choose the IP address of beethoven.orchestra.unsw.edu.au (129.94.172.11) for the next iteration.

Sixth iteration - finding the IP address of lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au:

```
z5310199@vx3:/tmp_amd/cage/export/cage/5/z5310199/COMP_stuff$ dig @129.94.172.11 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au .
       >> DiG 9.9.5-9+deb8u19-Debian <<>> @129.94.172.11 lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au A
   cls y.g. 3-9-debod19-bev1an cs g123-34:1/2:11 tytoorest day
global options: +cmd
Got answer:
->>HEADER<-- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 33156
flags: qr aa rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 2, ADDITIONAL: 3</pre>
  OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4096; QUESTION SECTION:
                                                                    IN
  lvre00.cse.unsw.edu.au.
;; ANSWER SECTION:
lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au. 3600
                                                       ΙN
                                                                                  129.94.210.20
 ;; AUTHORITY SECTION:
                                                                                  beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au.
maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au.
                                                       IN
IN
                                                                    NS
NS
cse.unsw.edu.au.
cse.unsw.edu.au.
                                         3600
;; ADDITIONAL SECTION:
                                                                                  129.94.242.33
129.94.242.2
.
maestro.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 3600 IN A
beethoven.orchestra.cse.unsw.edu.au. 3600 IN A
    Query time: 323 msec
SERVER: 129.94.172.11#53(129.94.172.11)
WHEN: Wed Jun 23 22:44:58 AEST 2021
MSG SIZE rcvd: 155
```

Hence, the IP address of lyre00.cse.unsw.edu.au is 129.94.210.20 and the whole process took six queries.

11. Yes, a single machine can have multiple names and IP addresses associated with it and this can usually be achieved by configuring the network settings on most machines. Otherwise, a machine can have IP/host aliases through the use of CDN which allows multiple IP address and names to point to that single machine.