

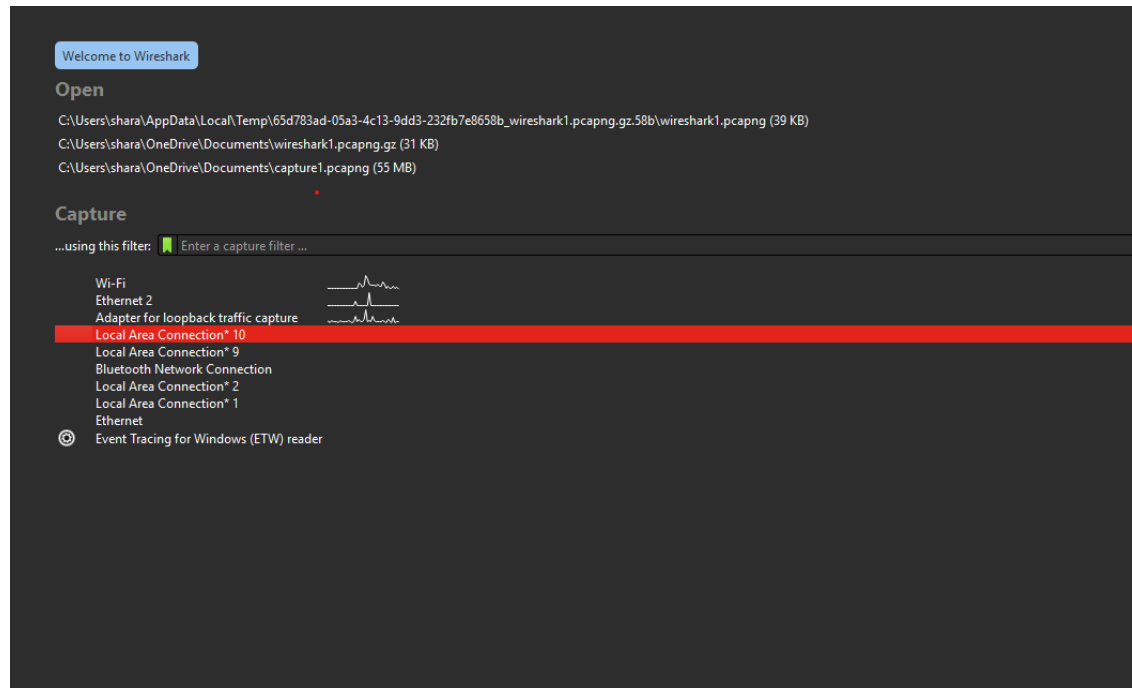
TASK 5: CAPTURING AND ANALYZING NETWORK TRAFFIC USING WIRESHARK

STEP 1: Install wireshark

- Go to official website of wireshark and download the latest version of wireshark

STEP 2: Start capturing the network using wireshark

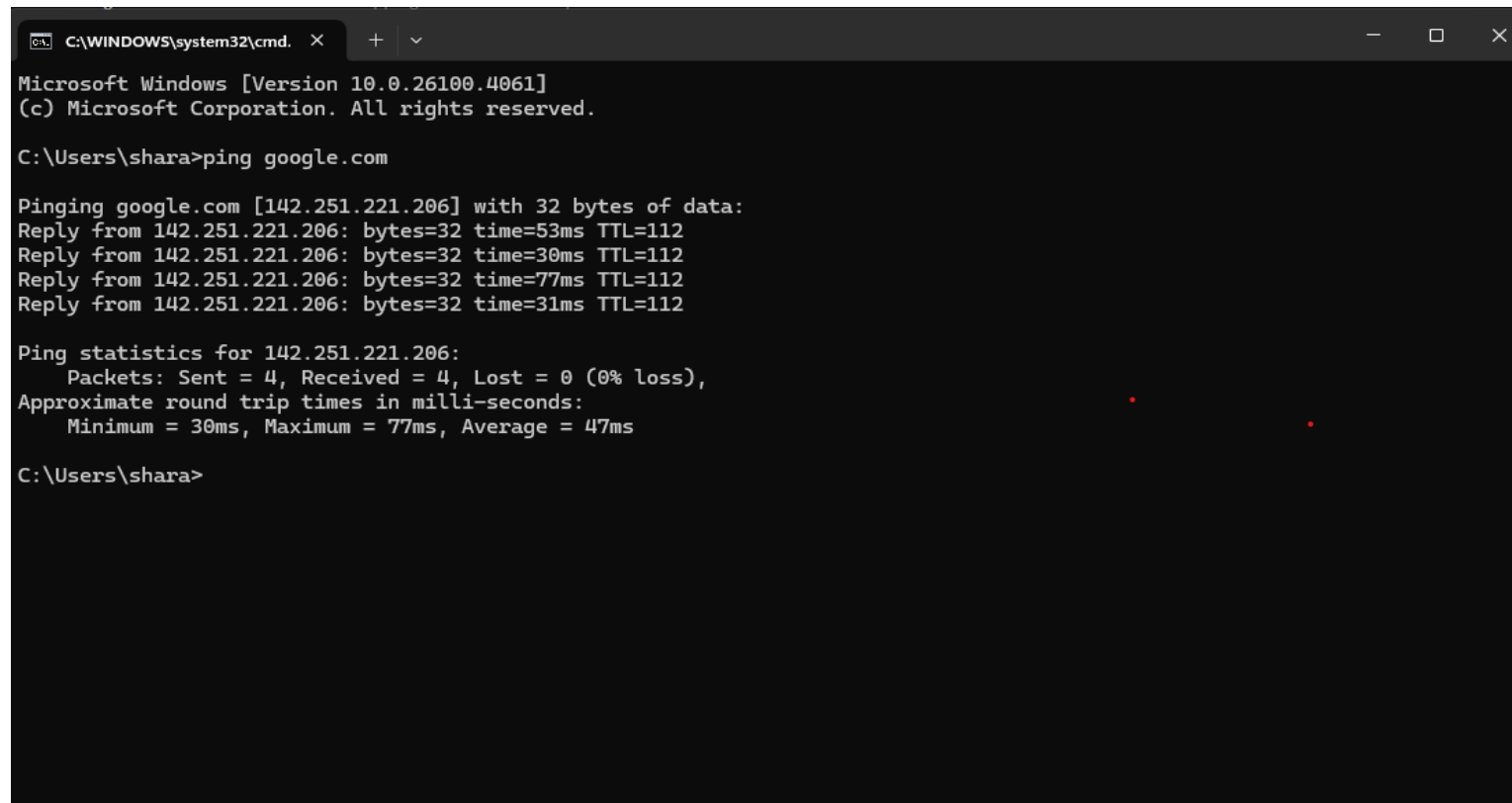
- Search wireshark in your search bar and open it



- select the network connected to your device(eg : ethernet, wifi.....)
- Double-click on that interface to start capturing

STEP 3: Browse a website or ping a Server to generate traffic

- While wireshark is capturing the network,open your web browser and start searching any wbsites
- Alternatively, open your command prompt and type ping (searched website)(eg: ping google.com)



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C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd. X + -
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.26100.4061]
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C:\Users\shara>ping google.com

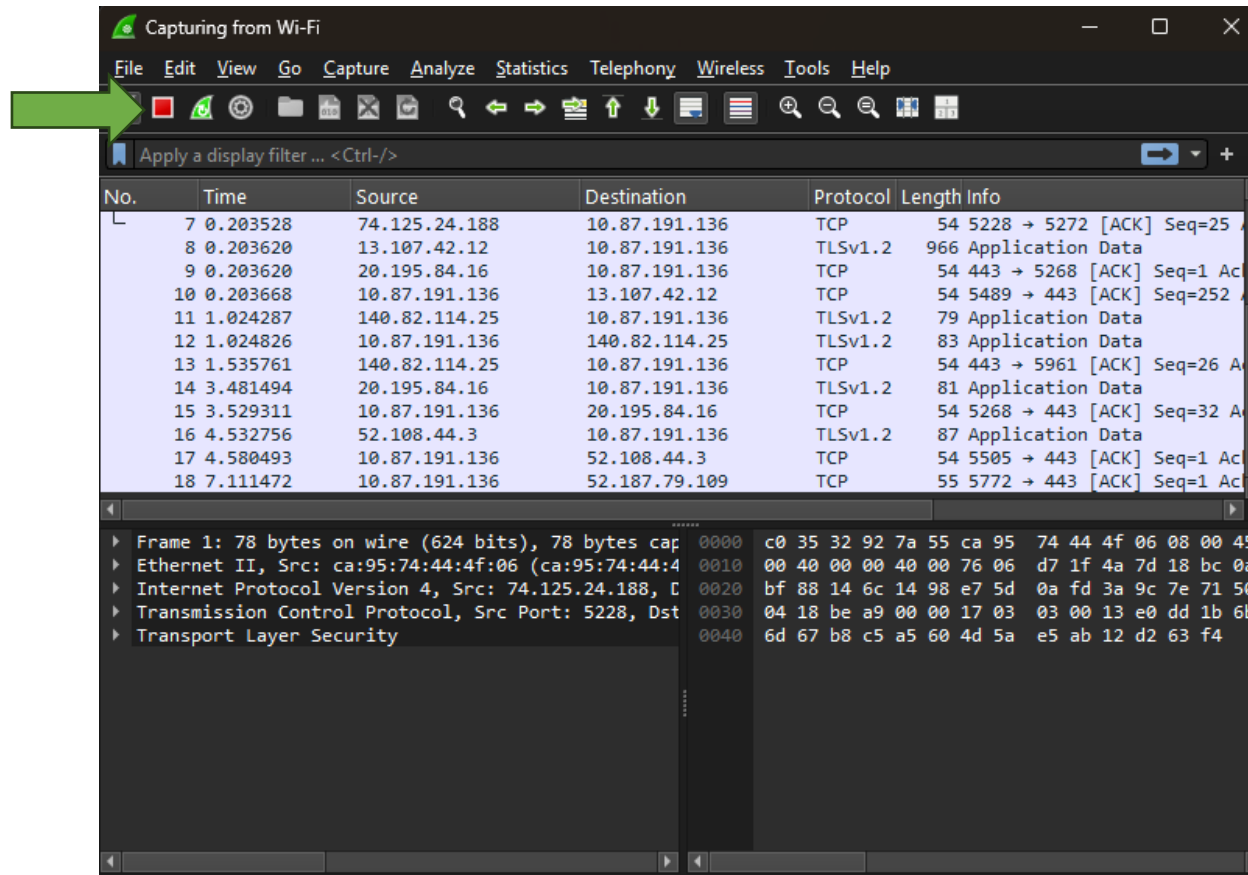
Pinging google.com [142.251.221.206] with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 142.251.221.206: bytes=32 time=53ms TTL=112
Reply from 142.251.221.206: bytes=32 time=30ms TTL=112
Reply from 142.251.221.206: bytes=32 time=77ms TTL=112
Reply from 142.251.221.206: bytes=32 time=31ms TTL=112

Ping statistics for 142.251.221.206:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 30ms, Maximum = 77ms, Average = 47ms

C:\Users\shara>
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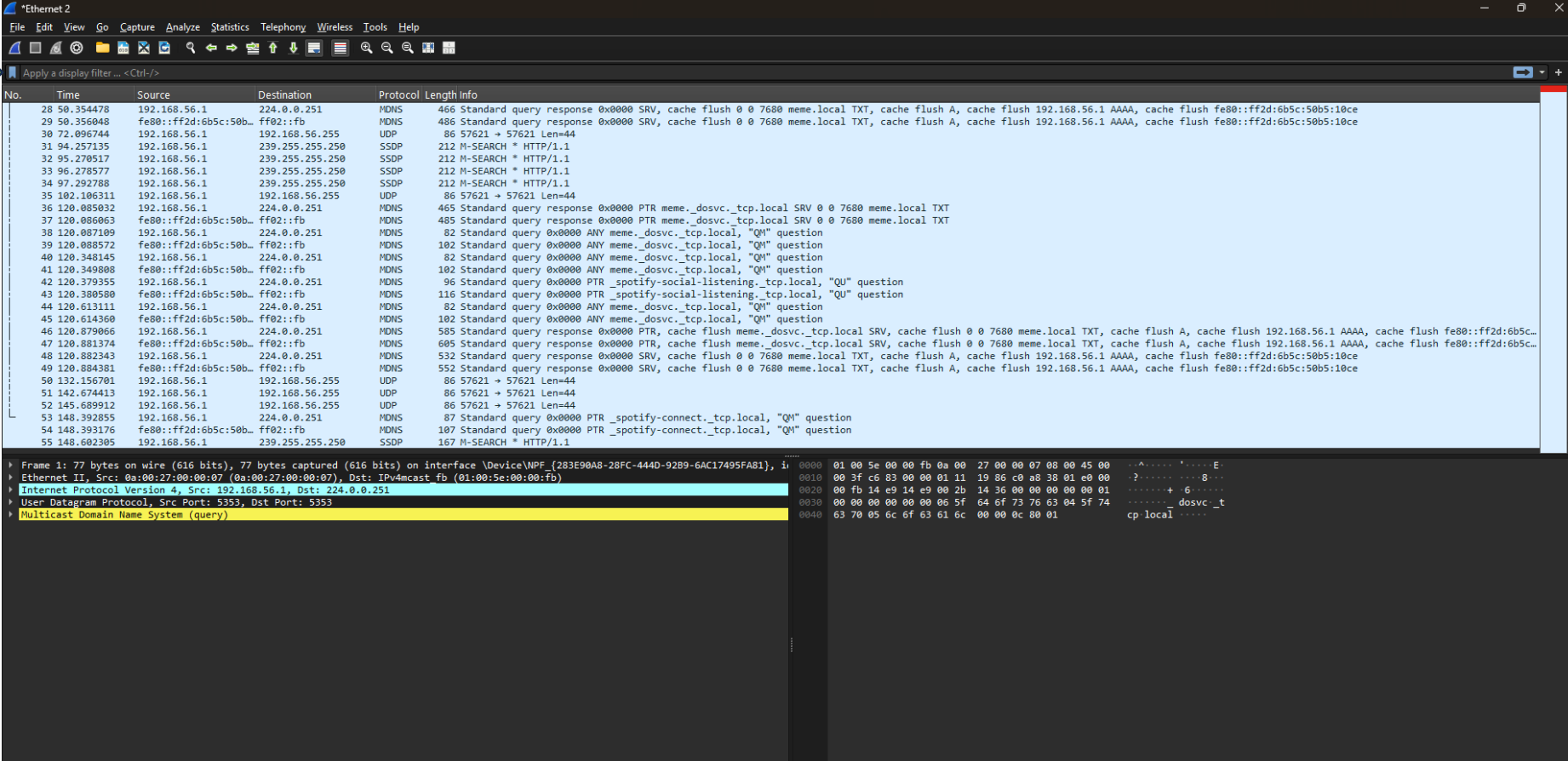
STEEP 4: Stop capturing after a min:

- In Wireshark, click the red square "stop capturing the packets"



PART 2: analyze the captured packets.

- In the filter bar at the top of Wireshark, you can type the protocols we want to analyze.

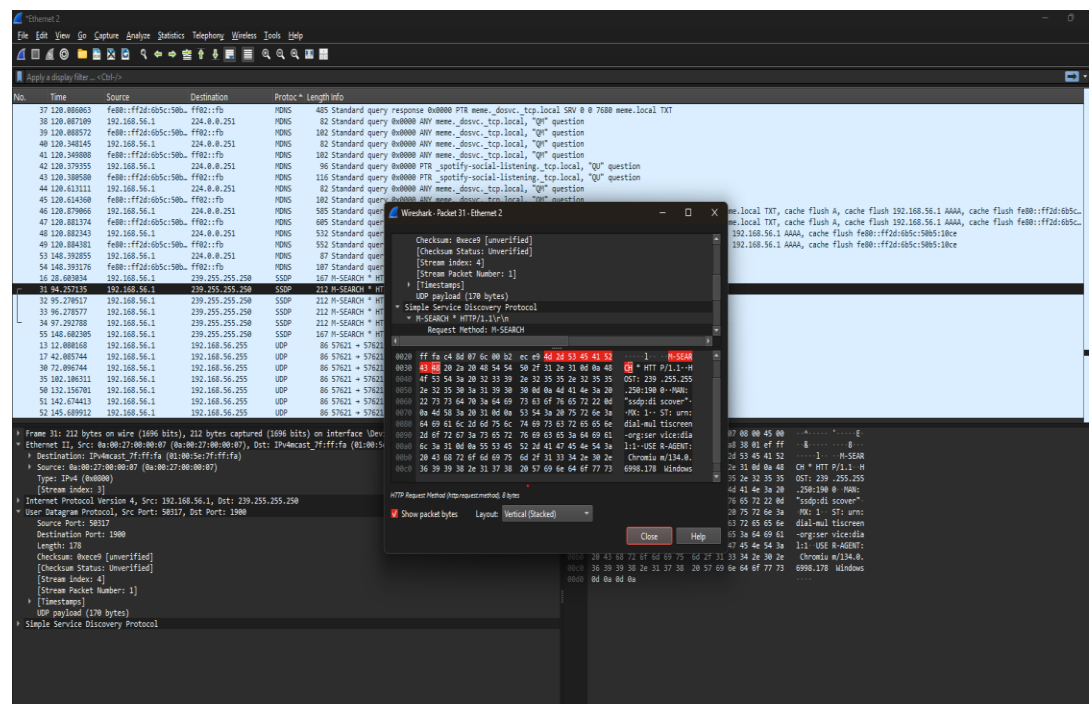
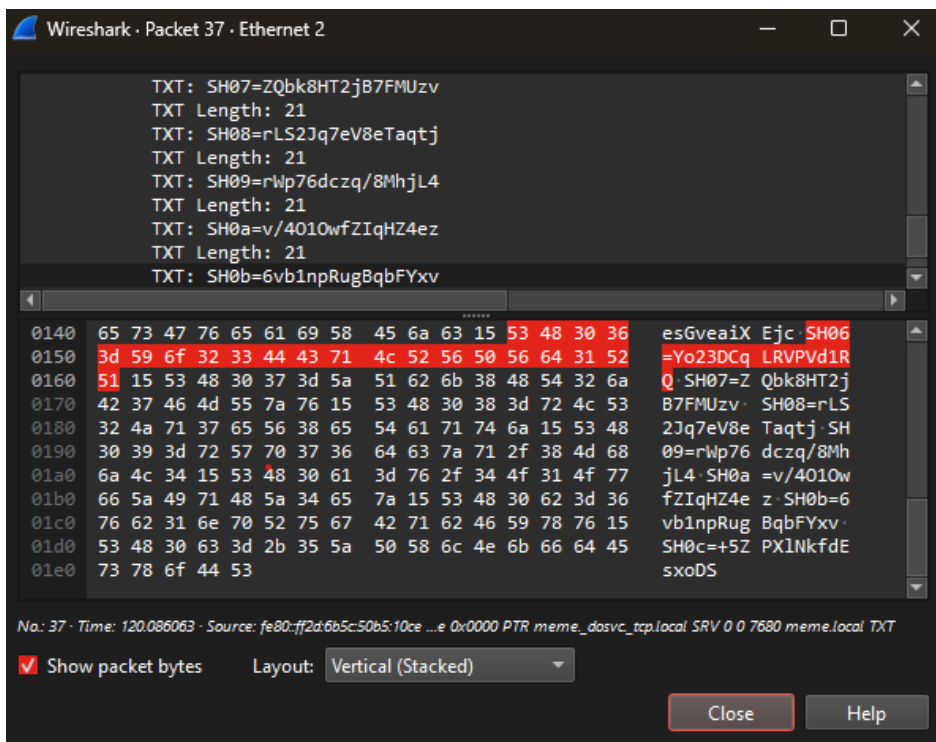


The image shows the Wireshark network protocol analyzer interface. A green arrow points to the filter bar at the top, which contains the text "Apply a display filter ... <Ctrl-F>". The packet list pane shows a table of captured packets with columns for No., Time, Source, Destination, Protocol, Length, and Info. The packet details pane shows the structure of the selected packet (No. 55), which is a Multicast Domain Name System (mDNS) query. The packet bytes pane shows the raw data of the packet in hexadecimal and ASCII.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
28	50.354478	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	466	Standard query response 0x0000 SRV, cache flush 0 0 7680 meme.local TXT, cache flush A, cache flush 192.168.56.1 AAAA, cache flush fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce
29	50.356048	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	486	Standard query response 0x0000 SRV, cache flush 0 0 7680 meme.local TXT, cache flush A, cache flush 192.168.56.1 AAAA, cache flush fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce
30	72.096744	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.255	UDP	86	57621 → 57621 Len=44
31	94.257135	192.168.56.1	239.255.255.250	SSDP	212	M-SEARCH * HTTP/1.1
32	95.270517	192.168.56.1	239.255.255.250	SSDP	212	M-SEARCH * HTTP/1.1
33	96.278577	192.168.56.1	239.255.255.250	SSDP	212	M-SEARCH * HTTP/1.1
34	97.292788	192.168.56.1	239.255.255.250	SSDP	212	M-SEARCH * HTTP/1.1
35	102.106311	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.255	UDP	86	57621 → 57621 Len=44
36	120.005032	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	465	Standard query response 0x0000 PTR meme._dosvc._tcp.local SRV 0 0 7680 meme.local TXT
37	120.006063	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	485	Standard query response 0x0000 PTR meme._dosvc._tcp.local SRV 0 0 7680 meme.local TXT
38	120.007109	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	82	Standard query 0x0000 ANY meme._dosvc._tcp.local, "QM" question
39	120.008572	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	102	Standard query 0x0000 ANY meme._dosvc._tcp.local, "QM" question
40	120.348145	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	82	Standard query 0x0000 ANY meme._dosvc._tcp.local, "QM" question
41	120.349808	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	102	Standard query 0x0000 ANY meme._dosvc._tcp.local, "QM" question
42	120.379355	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	96	Standard query 0x0000 PTR _spotify-social-listening._tcp.local, "QU" question
43	120.380580	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	116	Standard query 0x0000 PTR _spotify-social-listening._tcp.local, "QU" question
44	120.613111	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	82	Standard query 0x0000 ANY meme._dosvc._tcp.local, "QM" question
45	120.614360	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	102	Standard query 0x0000 ANY meme._dosvc._tcp.local, "QM" question
46	120.879066	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	585	Standard query response 0x0000 PTR, cache flush meme._dosvc._tcp.local SRV, cache flush 0 0 7680 meme.local TXT, cache flush A, cache flush 192.168.56.1 AAAA, cache flush fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce
47	120.881374	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	685	Standard query response 0x0000 PTR, cache flush meme._dosvc._tcp.local SRV, cache flush 0 0 7680 meme.local TXT, cache flush A, cache flush 192.168.56.1 AAAA, cache flush fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce
48	120.882343	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	532	Standard query response 0x0000 SRV, cache flush 0 0 7680 meme.local TXT, cache flush A, cache flush 192.168.56.1 AAAA, cache flush fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce
49	120.884381	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	552	Standard query response 0x0000 SRV, cache flush 0 0 7680 meme.local TXT, cache flush A, cache flush 192.168.56.1 AAAA, cache flush fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce
50	132.156701	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.255	UDP	86	57621 → 57621 Len=44
51	142.674413	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.255	UDP	86	57621 → 57621 Len=44
52	145.689912	192.168.56.1	192.168.56.255	UDP	86	57621 → 57621 Len=44
53	148.392855	192.168.56.1	224.0.0.251	MDNS	87	Standard query 0x0000 PTR _spotify-connect._tcp.local, "QM" question
54	148.393176	fe80::ff2d:6b5c:50b5:10ce	ff02::fb	MDNS	107	Standard query 0x0000 PTR _spotify-connect._tcp.local, "QM" question
55	148.602305	192.168.56.1	239.255.255.250	SSDP	167	M-SEARCH * HTTP/1.1

Frame 1: 77 bytes on wire (616 bits), 77 bytes captured (616 bits) on interface \Device\NPF_{283E90A8-28FC-444D-92B9-GAC17495FAB1}, interface 0
Ethernet II, Src: 0a:00:27:00:00:07 (0a:00:27:00:00:07), Dst: IPv4mcast fb (01:00:5e:00:00:fb)
Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.56.1, Dst: 224.0.0.251
User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 5353, Dst Port: 5353
Multicast Domain Name System (query)

- Identify atleast 3 different Protocols in the capture
- Look at the protocols and study the usage of the selected protocols



From my reference , I can clearly say'

- MDNS(Multicast DNS): Used for name resolution within small local network
 - SSDP(Simple Service Discovery Protocol):used for finding services on a local network
 - UDP(User Datagram Protocol):It is a transport layer protocol, to transfer data with speed and low latency
- (And many more.....)

By searching the findings in depth we can understand clearly about the protocols, and their usage etc.