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Lab Assignment No. 1

Aim: To get familiar with the basic network administration commands.

Lab Outcome Attained: Execute and evaluate network administration commands and demonstrate their use in different network scenarios.

Theory & Screenshots:

Windows runnable commands:

1)ipconfig/ifconfig

The ipconfig command is used to display information about your network configuration and refresh DHCP and DNS Settings. By default, the ipconfig command displays your IP Address, Subnet Mask, and default gateway.

-ipconfig /all

the /all parameter we used above will list all of your network adapters' configuration information.

-ipconfig /allcompartments

the /allcompartments will output the same information as the ipconfig command without any parameters.

-ipconfig /displaydns

This /displaydns parameter shows the DNS resolver cache of your system. The cache cuts down on network traffic since it keeps track of IP addresses and website names you have already visited.

-ipconfig /flushdns

The /flushdns parameter will flush the DNS resolver cache. This can be useful when you are troubleshooting or when you want to get rid of defective or obsolete DNS records. The cache will be repopulated as you browse the Internet or during normal system activity.

-ipconfig /registerdns

The /registerdns parameter registers (or refreshes) all DHCP leases and re-registers DNS names for all your system's network adapters.

```
\Users\Shruti Chawale>ipconfig
                                                                                                                                  ireless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 3:
                                                                                                                                    Media State . . . . . . Media disconnected

Connection-specific DNS Suffix :

Description . . . . Microsoft Wi-Fi Direct Virtual Adapter #3

Physical Address . . . . 0C-DD-24-2D-C0-5E

DMCP Enabled . . . . . Yes
indows IP Configuration
nknown adapter Local Area Connection:
                                                                                                                                    DHCP Enabled. . . . . . . . : Yes
Autoconfiguration Enabled . . . : Yes
 Media State . . . . . . . . . : Media disconnected Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
                                                                                                                                 lireless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 4:
                                                                                                                                   Media State . . . . . . . . . : Media disconnected Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
 reless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 4:
 Media State . . . . . . . . . : Media disconnected Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
                                                                                                                                 ireless LAN adapter Wi-Fi:
                                                                                                                                   Connection-specific DNS Suffix :

Description : Intel(R) Wireless-AC 9560 160MHz

Physical Address : 0c-0D-24-2D-C0-5D

DHCP Enabled : Yes

Autoconfiguration Enabled : Yes

Link-local IPV6 Address : fe80: ad99:6877:e21f:53f9%15(Preferred)

IPV4 Address : 192.168.0.104(Preferred)

IPV4 Address : 192.168.0.104(Preferred)

Subnet Mask : 255.255.25 .0

Lease Obtained : 22 January 2024 13:01:45

Lease Expires : 22 January 2024 13:01:44

Default Gateway : 192.168.0.1

DHCP Server : 192.168.0.1

DHCP Server : 192.168.0.1
 Connection-specific DNS Suffix : Link-local IPv6 Address : fe80::ad99:6877:e21f:53f9%15 IPv4 Address : 192.168.0.104 Subnet Mask : 255.255.255.0 Default Gateway : 192.168.0.1
:\Users\Shruti Chawale>ipconfig /all
indows IP Configuration
                                                                                                                                   00-01-00-01-27-DE-A8-C2-0C-DD-24-2D-C0-5D
                                                                                                                                   \Users\Shruti Chawale>ipconfig /allcompartments
nknown adapter Local Area Connection:
 Media State : Media disconnected
Connection-specific DNS Suffix :
Description : TAP-Windows Adapter
Physical Address : 00-FF-BC-62-4B-DB
DHCP Enabled : Yes
Autoconfiguration Enabled : Yes
                                                                                                                                  indows IP Configuration
                                                                                                                                   etwork Information for Compartment 1 (ACTIVE)
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Inknown adapter Local Area Connection:
                                                                                                                  . . . . . : Answer
                                                                                                  Section .
  Media State . . . . . . . : : : Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
                                                                                                  A (Host) Record . . . : 69.173.158.92
Wireless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 3:
                                                                                                  mssplus.mcafee.com
  Media State . . . . . . . . . : Media disconnected Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
                                                                                                  No records of type AAAA
  Media State . . . . . . . . : Media disconnected Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
                                                                                                  mssplus.mcafee.com
                                                                                                  Record Name . . . . : mssplus.mcafee.com
                                                                                                  Record Type . . . . : 1
  Connection-specific DNS Suffix :
Link-local IPv6 Address . . : fe80::ad99:6877:e21f:53f9%15
IPv4 Address . . : 192.168.0.104
Subnet Mask . . . : 255.255.25.0
Default Gateway . . : 192.168.0.1
                                                                                                  Time To Live ...:0
                                                                                                  Data Length . . . . : 4
                                                                                                 Section . . . . . : Answer A (Host) Record . . . : 0.0.0.1
 :\Users\Shruti Chawale>ipconfig /displaydns
                                                                                                  1.0.0.0.in-addr.arpa
Windows IP Configuration
                                                                                                  Record Name . . . . : 1.0.0.0.in-addr.arpa.
   prebid-server.rubiconproject.com
                                                                                                  Record Type . . . . : 12
                                                                                                 Time To Live . . . : 0
Data Length . . . . : 8
    Record Name . . . . : prebid-server.rubiconproject.com
   RECORD Type . . . . : 5
Time To Live . . . : 185
Data Length . . . : 8
Section . . . . : Answer
CNAME Record . . : prebid-server.rubiconproject.net.akadns.net
                                                                                                  Section . . . . : Answer
PTR Record . . . . : mssplus.mcafee.com
    Record Name . . . . : prebid-server.rubiconproject.net.akadns.net
                                                                                             ::\Users\Shruti Chawale>ipconfig /flushdns
   Record Type . . . : 5
Time To Live . . : 185
Data Length . . : 8
Section . . . : Answer
CNAME Record . . : prebid-server-perf.rubiconproject.net.akadns.net
                                                                                             Windows IP Configuration
                                                                                             Successfully flushed the DNS Resolver Cache.
                                                                                             :\Users\Shruti Chawale>ipconfig /registerdns
    Record Type . . . . : 1
Time To Live . . . : 185
                                                                                              he requested operation requires elevation.
```

2)ip

DOS/Windows IP commands are used to perform several tasks, like assigning an Internet Protocol (IP) address to a network interface or configuring network interface parameters.

This is used in linux

3)traceroute

A traceroute provides a map of how data on the internet travels from its source to its destination. When you connect with a website, the data you get must travel across multiple devices and networks along the way, particularly routers.

Used on linux

4)tracepath

Tracepath traces a path to a designated network address, reporting on the "time to live" or TTL lag and maximum transmission units (MTU) along the way.

-tracepath -n www.google.com

```
rahul@rahul-SVF15318SNB:~$ tracepath -n www.google.com
17: [LOCALHOST] pmtu 1500
11: 192.168.0.1 73.841ms asymm 35
12: 192.168.0.1 2.982ms asymm 35
13: 203.122.50.177 68.673ms
4: no reply
5: no reply
6: no reply
7: no reply
9: no reply
10: no reply
11: no reply
11: no reply
12: no reply
12: no reply
13: no reply
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16: no reply
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18: no reply
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20: no reply
21: no reply
22: no reply
23: no reply
24: no reply
25: no reply
27: no reply
28: no reply
29: no reply
29: no reply
20: no reply
20: no reply
21: no reply
22: no reply
23: no reply
24: no reply
25: no reply
27: no reply
28: no reply
29: no reply
29: no reply
20: no reply
20: no reply
20: no reply
20: no reply
21: no reply
22: no reply
23: no reply
24: no reply
25: no reply
26: no reply
27: no reply
28: no reply
29: no reply
29: no reply
20: no reply
```

-tracepath -b <u>www.google.com</u>

```
rahu@rahul-sVF15318SNB:-$ tracepath -b www.google.com
1?: [LOCALHOST] pmtu 1500

1: _gateway (192.168.0.1) 3.001ms asymm 35

2: _no reply
3: 203.122.50.177.reverse.spectranet.in (203.122.50.177) 62.292ms

4: no reply
5: no reply
6: no reply
7: no reply
8: no reply
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17: no reply
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12: no reply
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14: no reply
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29: no reply
29: no reply
20: no reply
```

-tracepath -l

```
ll@rahul-SVF15318SN8:-$ tracepath -l 29
_gateway
no reply
203.122.50.177.reverse.spectranet.in
no reply
               ahul@rahul-SVF15318SNB:~$ tracepath -l 29 www.google.com
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         91.505ms asymm 35
100.676ms
```

-tracepath -m

```
-tracepath -m

rahul@rahul-SVF15318SNB:~$ tracepath -m 31 www.google.com
1?: [LOCALHOST] pmtu 1500

1: _gateway
1: _gateway
2: no reply
3: 203.122.50.177.reverse.spectranet.in
4: no reply
5: no reply
6: no reply
7: no reply
8: no reply
9: no reply
10: no reply
11: no reply
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23: no reply
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25: no reply
25: rahul-SVF15318SNB
Resume: pmtu 1500
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8.432ms asymm 35
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```

-tracepath -p

Source: geeksforgeeks

5)ping

ping is the primary TCP/IP command used to troubleshoot connectivity, reachability, and name resolution. Used without parameters, this command displays Help content.

-ping -t

Using this option will ping the target until you force it to stop by using Ctrl+C.

-ping -a

This ping command option will resolve, if possible, the hostname of an IP address target.

-ping -n count

Number of echo requests to send.

-ping -l size

Send buffer size.

-ping -f

Set Don't Fragment flag in packet (IPv4-only).

```
Pinging 192.168.1.138 with 32 bytes of data:
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Ping statistics for 192.168.1.138:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 0, Lost = 4 (100% loss),
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>ping -n count
Bad value for option -n, valid range is from 1 to 4294967295.
 :\Users\Shruti Chawale>ping -n 30
IP address must be specified.
 :\Users\Shruti Chawale>ping -n 30 192.168.1.138
Pinging 192.168.1.138 with 32 bytes of data:
Request timed out.
Ping statistics for 192.168.1.138:
  Packets: Sent = 5, Received = 0, Lost = 5 (100% loss),
 :\Users\Shruti Chawale>ping -l 20 192.168.1.138
Pinging 192.168.1.138 with 20 bytes of data:
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Ping statistics for 192.168.1.138:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 0, Lost = 4 (100% loss),
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>ping -f 192.168.1.138
Pinging 192.168.1.138 with 32 bytes of data:
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Request timed out
```

6)netstat

NetStat can validate the various network data paths on Windows, testing native, synthetic, and hardware offloaded (RDMA) data paths for issues with: Connectivity.

-netstat -a

This switch displays active TCP connections, TCP connections with the listening state, as well as UDP ports that are being listened to.

-netstat -b

This netstat switch is very similar to the -o switch listed below, but instead of displaying the PID, will display the process's actual file name.

-netstat -e

Use this switch with the netstat command to show statistics about your network connection. This data includes bytes, unicast packets, non-unicast packets, discards, errors, and unknown protocols received and sent since the connection was established.

-netstat -f

The -f switch will force the netstat command to display the Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) for each foreign IP addresses when possible.

-netstat -n

Use the -n switch to prevent netstat from attempting to determine host names for foreign IP addresses.

```
Proto Local Address
TCP 127.0.0.1:49666
TCP 127.0.0.1:49667
TCP 127.0.0.1:49673
TCP 127.0.0.1:49674
TCP 127.0.0.1:49674
TCP 127.0.0.1:49674
TCP 127.0.0.1:49675
TCP 127.0.0.1:49675
TCP 127.0.0.1:59881
TCP 192.168.0.104:59881
TCP 192.168.0.104:60716
TCP 192.168.0.104:60899
TCP 192.168.0.104:60899
TCP 192.168.0.104:60899
TCP 192.168.0.104:60899
                       192.168.0.104.168390
192.168.0.104.168831
192.168.0.104.168831
192.168.0.104.168834
192.168.0.104.168836
192.168.0.104.168836
192.168.0.104.168836
192.168.0.104.168839
192.168.0.104.168839
192.168.0.104.168931
192.168.0.104.169912
192.168.0.104.169913
192.168.0.104.169913
192.168.0.104.169914
192.168.0.104.169917
192.168.0.104.169917
192.168.0.104.169917
192.168.0.104.169917
192.168.0.104.169917
192.168.0.104.169931
192.168.0.104.169933
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TCP
                         192.168.0.104:60934
192.168.0.104:60935
    TCP
TCP
    \Users\Shruti Chawale>netstat -a
 ctive Connections
   Proto Local Address
TCP 0.0.0.0:135
TCP 0.0.0.0:445
TCP 0.0.0.0:1593
                                                                                             Foreign Address
LAPTOP-I6SSTEC9:0
LAPTOP-I6SSTEC9:0
                                                                                                                                                                    State
LISTENING
LISTENING
LISTENING
                                                                                              LAPTOP-I6SSTEC9:0
                           0.0.0.0:6646
0.0.0.0:33060
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LISTENING
                           0.0.0.1.49667

0.0.0.1.49669

0.0.0.0.49669

0.0.0.0.50128

127.0.0.1:5939

127.0.0.1:27017

127.0.0.1:49662

127.0.0.1:49672

127.0.0.1:49674

127.0.0.1:49674

127.0.0.1:49675
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LAPTOP-I6SSTEC9:0 LISTENING
LAPTOP-I6SSTEC9:49666 ESTABLISHED
                             192.168.0.104:139
                                                                                                              LAPTOP-T6SSTEC9:0
                                                                                                                                                                                              LISTENING
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>netstat -b
The requested operation requires elevation.
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>netstat -e
Interface Statistics
```

Sent

Foreign Address
LAPTOP-IGSSTEC9:57104
LAPTOP-IGSSTEC9:49673
LAPTOP-IGSSTEC9:49675
LAPTOP-IGSSTEC9:49675
LAPTOP-IGSSTEC9:49674
LAPTOP-IGSSTEC9:49666
LAPTOP-IGSSTEC9:49666
ESTABLISHED
LAPTOP-IGSSTEC9:49666
ESTABLISHED

2439318258

20102388 80568

2891013732

59863242 1043028

Inicast packets Ion-unicast packets Discards

Proto Local Address
TCP 127.0.0.1:49666
TCP 127.0.0.1:49672
TCP 127.0.0.1:49673
TCP 127.0.0.1:49675
TCP 127.0.0.1:57104

:\Users\Shruti Chawale>netstat -f

nknown protocols

```
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>netstat -n

Active Connections

Proto Local Address Foreign Address State

TCP 127.0.0.1:49666 127.0.0.1:57104 ESTABLISHED

TCP 127.0.0.1:49672 127.0.0.1:49673 ESTABLISHED

TCP 127.0.0.1:49673 127.0.0.1:49672 ESTABLISHED

TCP 127.0.0.1:49674 127.0.0.1:49675 ESTABLISHED

TCP 127.0.0.1:49675 127.0.0.1:49676 ESTABLISHED

TCP 127.0.0.1:57104 127.0.0.1:49676 ESTABLISHED

TCP 127.0.0.1:57104 127.0.0.1:49666 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:59881 20.198.119.84:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:69716 69.173.158.68:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60876 69.173.158.68:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60890 18.172.218.117:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60890 13.126.70.76:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60891 23.201.200.86:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60891 23.201.200.86:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60893 96.6.35.129:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60896 104.120.93.64:443 ESTABLISHED

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TCP 192.168.0.104:60891 172.27.67.5.200:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:6091 172.67.5.200:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:6091 172.27.16.0.193:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:6091 172.27.17.106.193:443 ESTABLISHED

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TCP 192.168.0.104:60960 69.173.158.64:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60960 69.173.158.64:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60960 69.173.158.64:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:60960 69.173.158.64:443 ESTABLISHED

TCP 192.168.0.104:6096
```

7)ss

The ss command is a tool used to dump socket statistics and displays information in similar fashion (although simpler and faster) to netstat. The ss command can also display even more TCP and state information than most other tools.

Netid	State	Recv-Q	Send-Q	Local Address:Port	Peer	Address:Port
u_seq	ESTAB	0	0	@0002b 40545	*	40546
u seq	ESTAB	0	0	@0002a 40543	*	40544
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 47336	*	47335
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 37615	*	37616
u str	ESTAB	0	0	* 37263	340	36819
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 37816	*	37817
u_str	ESTAB	0	0	* 40173	> + c	40174
u str	ESTAB	0	0	* 38066	*	39294

-ss -a

List all listening and non-listening connections with.

```
Netid State Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address:Port Peer Address:Port

nl UNCONN 0 0 rtnl:avahi-daemon/911 *

nl UNCONN 0 0 rtnl:1828717503 *

nl UNCONN 0 0 rtnl:chrome/4111 *

nl UNCONN 0 0 o rtnl:wmnet-natd/1562 *

nl UNCONN 0 0 rtnl:kernel *

nl UNCONN 0 0 rtnl:vmnet-bridge/1495 *

nl UNCONN 0 0 rtnl:chrome/4058 *

nl UNCONN 0 0 rtnl:dnsmasq/1170 *
```

-ss -l

To display only listening sockets, which are omitted by default.

```
ss -l
        State
                     Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address:Port
                                                                              Peer Address:Port
                                     rtnl:avahi-daemon/911
rtnl:1828717503
        UNCONN
                             0
nl
nl
nl
nl
        UNCONN
        UNCONN
                     0000
                                     rtnl:chrome/4111
                                     rtnl:vmnet-natd/1562
                             0
        UNCONN
                             0
                                     rtnl:kernel
        UNCONN
                                     rtnl:vmnet-bridge/1495
        UNCONN
                     0
                             0
                                     rtnl:chrome/4058
        UNCONN
                                     rtnl:dnsmasq/1170
```

-ss -t

To list TCP connections, add the -t option to the ss command

```
      $\frac{1}{2}$ ss -t

      State
      Recv-Q Send-Q
      Local Address:Port
      Peer Address:Port

      ESTAB
      0
      0
      192.168.100.2:34494
      108.177.126.188:5228

      ESTAB
      0
      0
      192.168.100.2:45618
      142.250.184.150:https

      ESTAB
      0
      0
      192.168.100.2:39146
      52.85.7.80:https
```

-ss -at

Combine the options -a and -t with the ss command to output a list of all the TCP connections:

```
s ss
                                                                                       Peer Address:Port
               Recv-Q Send-Q
                                   Local Address:Port
State
                                   127.0.0.1:mysql
127.0.1.1:domain
127.0.0.1:ipp
192.168.100.2:34494
LISTEN
LISTEN
                        80
                                                                                                      *:*
              0
LISTEN
              0
                        5
                                                                                                      *:*
              0
                        0
                                                                                   108.177.126.188:5228
  STAB
                                                                                   142.250.184.150:https
52.85.7.80:https
ESTAB
              0
                                    192.168.100.2:45618
ESTAB
                                    192.168.100.2:39146
                        128
                                                  :::http
LISTEN
                                                                                                    LISTEN
              0
                                                                                                    :::*
                        5
                                                 ::1:ipp
```

-ss -lt

Combine the options -I and -t with the ss command to list all listening TCP connections:

```
Local Address:Port
State
            Recv-Q Send-Q
                                                                        Peer Address:Port
           0 0
                                  127.0.0.1:mysql
                                                                                    *:*
LISTEN
                   80
LISTEN
                                  127.0.1.1:domain
                                  127.0.0.1:ipp
:::http
LISTEN
LISTEN
                   128
                                         ::1:ipp
```

8)diq

The dig (domain information groper) command is a flexible tool for interrogating DNS name servers. It performs DNS lookups and displays the answers that are returned from the queried name server(s).

-dig [hostname]

Returns any A record found within the gueried hostname's zone.

-dig [hostname] [record type]

Returns the records of that type found within the queried hostname's zone. List of Record Types.

-dig [hostname] +short

Provides a terse answer, usually just an IP address.

-dig @[nameserver address hostname]

Queries the nameserver directly instead of your ISP's resolver.

-dig [hostname] +trace

Adding +trace instructs dig to resolve the query from the root nameserver downwards and to report the results from each query step.

9)nslookup

Nslookup is the name of a program that lets users enter a host name and find out the corresponding IP address or domain name system (DNS) record. Users can also enter a command in nslookup to do a reverse DNS lookup and find the host name for a specified IP address.

-nslookup -debug

Show debugging information.

-nslookup -timeout=[10]

Specify the time allowed for the server to respond.

-nslookup -type=a

View information about the DNS A address records.

-nslookup -type=any

View all available records.

-nslookup -type=mx

View Mail Exchange server information.

```
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>nslookup
DNS request timed out.
   timeout was 2 seconds.
Default Server: UnKnown
Address: 192.168.0.1
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>nslookup -debug
Got answer:
   HEADER:
        opcode = QUERY, id = 1, rcode = NXDOMAIN
       header flags: response, want recursion, recursion avail. questions = 1, answers = 0, authority records = 0, additional = 0
    QUESTIONS:
        1.0.168.192.in-addr.arpa, type = PTR, class = IN
Default Server: UnKnown
Address: 192.168.0.1
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>nslookup -timeout=[10]
Default Server: UnKnown
Address: 192.168.0.1
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>nslookup -type=a
Default Server: UnKnown
Address: 192.168.0.1
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>nslookup -type=any
Default Server: UnKnown
Address: 192.168.0.1
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>nslookup -type=mx
Default Server: UnKnown
Address: 192.168.0.1
```

10)route

The route command allows you to make manual entries into the network routing tables. The route command distinguishes between routes to hosts and routes to networks by interpreting the network address of the Destination variable, which can be specified either by symbolic name or numeric address.

-route -f

Purges all entries in the routing table that are not associated with network interfaces.

-route -n

Displays host and network names numerically, rather than symbolically, when reporting results of a flush or of any action in verbose mode.

-route -a

Specifies quiet mode and suppresses all output.

-route -v

Specifies verbose mode and prints additional details.

-route -net

Indicates that the Destination parameter should be interpreted as a network.

```
xamples:
      > route PRINT -4
> route PRINT -4
> route PRINT -6
> route PRINT 157*
                                                 .... Only prints those matching 157*
      Interface'
        If IF is not given, it tries to find the best interface for a given
      gateway.
> route ADD 3ffe::/32 3ffe::1
        CHANGE is used to modify gateway and/or metric only.
     > route DELETE 157.0.0.0
> route DELETE 3ffe::/32
  :\Users\Shruti Chawale>route -f
he requested operation requires elevation.
 Manipulates network routing tables.
ROUTE [-f] [-p] [-4]-6] command [destination]
[MASK netmask] [gateway] [METRIC metric] [IF interface]
                       Clears the routing tables of all gateway entries. If this is used in conjunction with one of the commands, the tables are cleared prior to running the command.
                      When used with the ADD command, makes a route persistent across boots of the system. By default, routes are not preserved when the system is restarted. Ignored for all other commands, which always affect the appropriate persistent routes.
                       Force using IPv4.
                       Force using IPv6
```

```
e:
Prints a route
Adds a route
Deletes a route
Modifies an existing route
                               ADD
DELETE
CHANGE
                          CHANGE Modifies an existing route Specifies the host. Specifies that the next parameter is the 'netmask' value. Specifies a subnet mask value for this route entry. If not specified, it defaults to 255.255.255.255. Specifies gateway. the interface number for the specified route. specifies the metric, ie. cost for the destination.
   destination
   gateway
interface
 ill symbolic names used for destination are looked up in the network database ile NETWORKS. The symbolic names for gateway are looked up in the host name latabase file HOSTS.
If the command is PRINT or DELETE. Destination or gateway can be a wildcard,
(wildcard is specified as a star '*'), or the gateway argument may be omitted.
If Dest contains a * or ?, it is treated as a shell pattern, and only
matching destination routes are printed. The '*' matches any string,
and '?' matches any one char. Examples: 157.*.1, 157.*, 127.*, *224*.
Pattern match is only allowed in PRINT command.
Diagnostic Notes:
Invalid MASK generates an error, that is when (DEST & MASK) != DEST.
Example> route ADD 157.0.0.0 MASK 155.0.0.0 157.55.80.1 IF 1
The route addition failed: The specified mask parameter is invalid. (Destination & Mask
 Destination.
 xamples:
      > route PRINT
> route PRINT -4
> route PRINT -6
       > route PRINT 157*
                                                          .... Only prints those matching 157*
      > route ADD 157.0.0.0 MASK 255.0.0.0 157.55.80.1 METRIC 3 IF 2 destination^ ^mask ^gateway metric^ ^
          If IF is not given, it tries to find the best interface for a given
       gateway.
> route ADD 3ffe::/32 3ffe::1
      > route CHANGE 157.0.0.0 MASK 255.0.0.0 157.55.80.5 METRIC 2 IF 2
   \Users\Shruti Chawale>route -n 192.168.1.168
Manipulates network routing tables.
ROUTE [-f] [-p] [-4|-6] command [destination]
[MASK netmask] [gateway] [METRIC metric] [IF interface]
                               Clears the routing tables of all gateway entries. If this is used in conjunction with one of the commands, the tables are cleared prior to running the command.
                              When used with the ADD command, makes a route persistent across boots of the system. By default, routes are not preserved when the system is restarted. Ignored for all other commands, which always affect the appropriate persistent routes.
                               Force using IPv4.
                               Force using IPv6.
                               One of these:
   command
                                    PRINT Prints a route
                                    ADD
DELETE
                                                        Adds a route
Deletes a route
   CHANGE Modifies destination Specifies the host.
                                                      Modifies an existing route
                                Specifies that the next parameter is the 'netmask' value. Specifies a subnet mask value for this route entry. If not specified, it defaults to 255.255.255.255.
   netmask
   gateway
interface
                               Specifies gateway.
the interface number for the specified route.
   METRIC
All symbolic names used for destination are looked up in the network database file NETWORKS. The symbolic names for gateway are looked up in the host name database file HOSTS.
If the command is PRINT or DELETE. Destination or gateway can be a wildcard,
(wildcard is specified as a star '*'), or the gateway argument may be omitted.
If Dest contains a * or ?, it is treated as a shell pattern, and only
matching destination routes are printed. The '*' matches any string,
and '?' matches any one char. Examples: 157.*.1, 157.*, 127.*, *224*.
Pattern match is only allowed in PRINT command.
Diagnostic Notes:
Invalid MASK generates an error, that is when (DEST & MASK) != DEST
```

ne of t PRINT

```
camples
      > route PRINT
> route PRINT -4
> route PRINT -6
> route PRINT 157*
                                                  .... Only prints those matching 157*
      > route ADD 157.0.0.0 MASK 255.0.0.0 157.55.80.1 METRIC 3 IF 2 destination^ ^mask ^gateway metric^ ^
                                                                                           Interface'
         If IF is not given, it tries to find the best interface for a given
      gateway.
> route ADD 3ffe::/32 3ffe::1
      > route CHANGE 157.0.0.0 MASK 255.0.0.0 157.55.80.5 METRIC 2 IF 2
       CHANGE is used to modify gateway and/or metric only.
      > route DELETE 157.0.0.0
> route DELETE 3ffe::/32
   :\Users\Shruti Chawale>route -q 192.168.1.168
 Manipulates network routing tables.
ROUTE [-f] [-p] [-4|-6] command [destination]
[MASK netmask] [gateway] [METRIC metric] [IF interface]
                       Clears the routing tables of all gateway entries. If this is used in conjunction with one of the commands, the tables are cleared prior to running the command.
                      When used with the ADD command, makes a route persistent across boots of the system. By default, routes are not preserved when the system is restarted. Ignored for all other commands, which always affect the appropriate persistent routes.
                       Force using IPv4.
                       Force using IPv6.
                       One of these:
   command
                          PRINT Prints a route
ADD Adds a route
DELETE Deletes a route
CHANGE Modifies an existing route
  destination Specifies the host.

MASK Specifies that the next parameter is the 'netmask'
All symbolic names used for destination are looked up in the network database
file NETWORKS. The symbolic names for gateway are looked up in the host name
```

```
latabase file HOSTS
If the command is PRINT or DELETE. Destination or gateway can be a wildcard,
(wildcard is specified as a star '*'), or the gateway argument may be omitted.
If Dest contains a * or ?, it is treated as a shell pattern, and only matching destination routes are printed. The '*' matches any string, and '?' matches any one char. Examples: 157.*.1, 157.*, 127.*, *224*.
Pattern match is only allowed in PRINT command.
 Jiagnostic Notes:
Invalid MASK generates an error, that is when (DEST & MASK) != DEST.
Example> route ADD 157.0.0.0 MASK 155.0.0.0 157.55.80.1 IF 1
The route addition failed: The specified mask parameter is invalid. (Destination & Mask
  xamples:
      > route PRINT
     > route PRINT -4
      > route PRINT 157*
                                             .... Only prints those matching 157*
     > route ADD 157.0.0.0 MASK 255.0.0.0 157.55.80.1 METRIC 3 IF 2 destination^ ^mask ^gateway metric^ ^
                                                                                    Interface^
        If IF is not given, it tries to find the best interface for a given
     gateway.
> route ADD 3ffe::/32 3ffe::1
      > route CHANGE 157.0.0.0 MASK 255.0.0.0 157.55.80.5 METRIC 2 IF 2
       CHANGE is used to modify gateway and/or metric only.
     > route DELETE 157.0.0.0
      > route DELETE 3ffe::/32
  \Users\Shruti Chawale>route -v 192.168.1.168
 Manipulates network routing tables.
ROUTE [-f] [-p] [-4|-6] command [destination]
[MASK netmask] [gateway] [METRIC metric] [IF interface]
                     Clears the routing tables of all gateway entries. If this is used in conjunction with one of the commands, the tables are
```

```
-p When used with the ADD command, makes a route persistent across boots of the system. By default, routes are not preserved when the system is restarted. Ignored for all other commands, which always affect the appropriate persistent routes.

-4 force using IPv4.

-6 force using IPv6.

command One of these:
    PRINT Prints a route
    ADD Adds a route
    DELETE Deletes aroute
    (HANGE Modifies an existing route)

destination Specifies the host.

MASK Specifies the host.

MASK Specifies a subnet mask value for this route entry.
    If not specified, it defaults to 255.255.255.255.

Specifies a subnet mask value for this route entry.
    If not specified, it defaults to 255.255.255.255.

Specifies gateway.
    interface the interface number for the specified route.

METRIC specifies the metric, ie. cost for the destination.

All symbolic names used for destination are looked up in the network database file NETWORKS. The symbolic names for gateway are looked up in the host name database file HOSTS.

If the command is PRINT or DELETE. Destination or gateway can be a wildcard, (wildcard is specified as a star '*'), or the gateway argument may be omitted.

If Dest contains a * or ?, it is treated as a shell pattern, and only matching destination routes are printed. The '*' matches any string, and '?' matches any one char. Examples: 157.*.1, 157.*, 127.*, *224*.

Pattern match is only allowed in PRINT command.

Diagnostic Notes:

Invalid MASK generates an error, that is when (DEST & MASK) != DEST.
    Example> route ADD 157.0.0 MASK 255.0.0.0 157.55.80.1 METRIC 3 IF 2

> route PRINT -
    r
```

```
destination Specifies the host.

MASK Specifies that the next parameter is the 'netmask' value.

netmask Specifies a subnet mask value for this route entry.

If not specified, it defaults to 255.255.255.255.

Specifies gateway interface

METRIC Specifies the metric, ie. cost for the destination.
All symbolic names used for destination are looked up in the network database file NETWORKS. The symbolic names for gateway are looked up in the host name database file HOSTS.
If the command is PRINT or DELETE. Destination or gateway can be a wildcard, (wildcard is specified as a star '*'), or the gateway argument may be omitted.
If Dest contains a * or ?, it is treated as a shell pattern, and only matching destination routes are printed. The '*' matches any string, and '?' matches any one char. Examples: 157.*.1, 157.*, 127.*, *224*.
Pattern match is only allowed in PRINT command.
Diagnostic Notes:
Invalid MASK generates an error, that is when (DEST & MASK) != DEST.
Example> route ADD 157.0.0.0 MASK 155.0.0.0 157.55.80.1 IF 1
The route addition failed: The specified mask parameter is invalid. (Destination & Mas
  Destination.
Examples:
       > route PRINT -4
> route PRINT -6
> route PRINT 157*
                                                           .... Only prints those matching 157*
                                                              ^mask ^gateway metric
                                                                                                                  Interface^
           If IF is not given, it tries to find the best interface for a given
        gateway.
> route ADD 3ffe::/32 3ffe::1
        > route CHANGE 157.0.0.0 MASK 255.0.0.0 157.55.80.5 METRIC 2 TE 2
           CHANGE is used to modify gateway and/or metric only.
       > route DELETE 157.0.0.0
> route DELETE 3ffe::/32
```

11)host

The HOST command executes external commands at the operating system level. For a Windows operating system, for example, this is equivalent to running commands from a command prompt in a command window. No output is displayed in a command window.

-host ip address

This will display the domain details of the specified IP Address.

```
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$ host 52.25.109.230
230.109.25.52.in-addr.arpa domain name pointer ec2-52-25-109-230.us-west-2.compute.amazonaws.com.
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$
```

-host -a or -v

It used to specify the query type or enables the verbose output.

```
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$ host -v geeksforgeeks.org
Trying "geeksforgeeks.org"
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 14557
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 0
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;geeksforgeeks.org.
                                               IN
                                                           Α
;; ANSWER SECTION:
geeksforgeeks.org.
                                    8
                                               IN
                                                           Α
                                                                        52.25.109.230
Received 51 bytes from 127.0.0.53#53 in 1 ms
Trying "geeksforgeeks.org'
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 11597
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 0, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 0
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;geeksforgeeks.org.
                                               IN
                                                           AAAA
Received 35 bytes from 127.0.0.53#53 in 583 ms
Trying "geeksforgeeks.org"
;; ->>HEADER<<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 43282
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 5, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 0
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;geeksforgeeks.org.
                                                IN
                                                           MX
;; ANSWER SECTION: geeksforgeeks.org.
                                    278
                                                IN
                                                           MX
                                                                        5 alt2.aspmx.l.google.com.
geeksforgeeks.org.
                                                IN
                                                                        5 alt1.aspmx.l.google.com.
                                   278
                                                           MX
                                                                       10 alt4.aspmx.l.google.com.
10 alt3.aspmx.l.google.com.
geeksforgeeks.org.
                                   278
                                                IN
                                                            MX
geeksforgeeks.org.
                                                IN
                                    278
                                                            MX
geeksforgeeks.org.
                                                IN
                                                            MX
                                                                        1 aspmx.l.google.com.
                                    278
Received 153 bytes from 127.0.0.53#53 in 3 ms
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$
```

-host -t

It is used to specify the type of query.

```
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$ host -t ns geeksforgeeks.org
geeksforgeeks.org name server ns-869.awsdns-44.net.
geeksforgeeks.org name server ns-245.awsdns-30.com.
geeksforgeeks.org name server ns-1569.awsdns-04.co.uk.
geeksforgeeks.org name server ns-1520.awsdns-62.org.
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$
```

-host SOA geeksforgeeks.org

To print SOA record

```
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$ host -t SOA geeksforgeeks.org
geeksforgeeks.org has SOA record ns-869.awsdns-44.net. awsdns-hostmaster.amazon.com. 1 7200 900 1209600 86400
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$
```

-host -t txt geeksforgeeks.org

To print text records

```
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$ host -t txt geeksforgeeks.org
geeksforgeeks.org descriptive text "v=spf1 include:amazonses.com include:_spf.google.com -all"
anshul@anshul-VirtualBox:~$
```

Source: geeksforgeeks

12)arp

Displays and modifies the IP-to-Physical address translation tables used by address resolution protocol (ARP).

-arp -a

Displays current ARP entries by interrogating the current protocol data. If inet_addr is specified, the IP and Physical addresses for only the specified computer are displayed.

-arp -g

Same as -a

-arp -v

Displays current ARP entries in verbose mode. All invalid entries and entries on the loopback interface will be shown.

-arp -d

Deletes the host specified by inet_addr. inet_addr may be wildcarded with * to delete all hosts.

-arp -s

Adds the host and associates the Internet address inet_addr with the Physical address eth_addr. The Physical address is given as 6 hexadecimal bytes separated by hyphens. The entry is permanent.

```
Displays and modifies the IP-to-Physical address translation tables used by address resolution protocol (ARP).
  NRP -s inet_addr eth_addr [if_addr]
  ARP -d inet_addr [if_addr]
ARP -a [inet_addr] [-N if_addr] [-v]
                                         Displays current ARP entries by interrogating the current protocol data. If inet_addr is specified, the IP and Physical addresses for only the specified computer are displayed. If more than one network interface uses ARP, entries for each ARP table are displayed.
                                        table are displayed.

Same as -a.

Displays current ARP entries in verbose mode. All invalid entries and entries on the loop-back interface will be shown. Specifies an internet address.

Displays the ARP entries for the network interface specified by if_addr.

Deletes the host specified by inet_addr. inet_addr may be wildcarded with * to delete all hosts.

Adds the host and associates the Internet address inet_addr with the Physical address eth_addr. The Physical address is given as 6 hexadecimal bytes separated by hyphens. The entry is permanent.

Specifies a physical address.

If present, this specifies the Internet address of the interface whose address translation table should be modified. If not present, the first applicable interface will be used.
                                            Same as -a.
     inet_addr
-N if addr
    eth_addr
if_addr
    xample:
> arp -s 157.55.85.212   00-aa-00-62-c6-09   ... Adds a static entry.
> arp -a     ... Displays the arp table.
 Type
dynamic
static
static
static
                                                                                                                            static
    nterface: 192.168.0.104
Internet Address F
192.168.0.1 c
192.168.0.255
                                                                Physical Address
                                                                   d8-07-b6-12-bd-fc
ff-ff-ff-ff-ff
                                                                                                                                     dynamic
static
     224.0.0.22
224.0.0.251
                                                                    01-00-5e-00-00-16
01-00-5e-00-00-fb
                                                                                                                                     static
static
     224.0.0.252
239.255.255.250
255.255.255
                                                                     01-00-5e-00-00-fc
01-00-5e-7f-ff-fa
ff-ff-ff-ff-ff-ff
                                                                                                                                     static
static
                                                                                                                                      static
    :\Users\Shruti Chawale>arp -v
Displays and modifies the IP-to-Physical address translation tables used by
    ddress resolution protocol (ARP)
ARP -s inet_addr eth_addr [if_addr]
ARP -d inet_addr [if_addr]
ARP -a [inet_addr] [-N if_addr] [-v]
                                            Displays current ARP entries by interrogating the current protocol data. If inet_addr is specified, the IP and Physical addresses for only the specified computer are displayed. If more than one network interface uses ARP, entries for each ARP
                                               table are displayed.
                                            Same as -a.
Displays current ARP entries in verbose mode. All invalid entries and entries on the loop-back interface will be shown. Specifies an internet address.
Displays the ARP entries for the network interface specified by if_addr.
Deletes the host specified by inet_addr. inet_addr may be wildcarded with * to delete all hosts.
Adds the host and associates the Internet address inet_addr with the Physical address eth_addr. The Physical address is given as 6 hexadecimal bytes separated by hyphens. The entry is permanent.
      inet addr
       -N if_addr
                                             Specifies a physical address.

If present, this specifies the Internet address of the interface whose address translation table should be modified. If not present, the first applicable interface will be used.
     eth addr
  xample:
     cample.
> arp -s 157.55.85.212 00-aa-00-62-c6-09 .... Adds a static entry.
> arp -a .... Displays the arp table.
 C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>arp -d
The ARP entry deletion failed: The requested operation requires elevation.
```

```
:\Users\Shruti Chawale>arp -s
Displays and modifies the IP-to-Physical address translation tables used by
address resolution protocol (ARP).
ARP -s inet_addr eth_addr [if_addr]
ARP -d inet_addr [if_addr]
ARP -a [inet_addr] [-N if_addr] [-v]
                    Displays current ARP entries by interrogating the current protocol data. If inet_addr is specified, the IP and Physical addresses for only the specified computer are displayed. If
                     more than one network interface uses ARP, entries for each ARP
                     table are displayed.
                     Same as -a.
                    Displays current ARP entries in verbose mode. All invalid
                     entries and entries on the loop-back interface will be shown.
  by if_addr.

Deletes the host specified by inet_addr. inet_addr may be wildcarded with * to delete all hosts.

Adds the host and associates the Internet address inet_addr with the Physical address eth_addr. The Physical address is
                     given as 6 hexadecimal bytes separated by hyphens. The entry
                     is permanent.
                    Specifies a physical address.
If present, this specifies the Internet address of the
  eth_addr
                    interface whose address translation table should be modified. If not present, the first applicable interface will be used.
 xample:
  .... Displays the arp table.
```

13)hostname

The /usr/bin/hostname command displays the name of the current host system. Only users with root user authority can set the host name. The mkdev command and the chdev commands also set the host name permanently.

-hostname -a

This option is used to get the alias name of the host system (if any). It will return an empty line if no alias name is set.

-hostname -A

This option is used to get all FQDNs (Fully Qualified Domain Name) of the host system. It enumerates all configured addresses on all network interfaces.

-hostname -b

Used to always set a hostname. Default name is used if none specified.

-hostname -d

This option is used to get the Domain if local domains are set. It will not return anything (not even a blank line) if no local domain is set.

-hostname -f

This option is used to get the Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN). It contains short hostname and DNS domain name.

```
:\Users\Shruti Chawale>hostname
APTOP-I6SSTEC9
::\Users\Shruti Chawale>hostname -a
sethostname: Use the Network Control Panel Applet to set hostname.
nostname -s is not supported.
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>hostname -A
sethostname: Use the Network Control Panel Applet to set hostname.
nostname -s is not supported.
:\Users\Shruti Chawale>hostname -b
sethostname: Use the Network Control Panel Applet to set hostname.
nostname -s is not supported.
:\Users\Shruti Chawale>hostname -d
sethostname: Use the Network Control Panel Applet to set hostname.
nostname -s is not supported.
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>hostname -s
sethostname: Use the Network Control Panel Applet to set hostname.
nostname -s is not supported.
```

14)curl

Client URL (cURL, pronounced "curl") is a command line tool that enables data exchange between a device and a server through a terminal. Using this command line interface (CLI), a user specifies a server URL (the location where they want to send a request) and the data they want to send to that server URL.

```
C:\Users\Shruti Chawale>curl --help
Usage: curl [options...] <url>
 -d, --data <data>
                           HTTP POST data
 -f, --fail
                           Fail fast with no output on HTTP errors
 -h, --help <category>
                           Get help for commands
 -i, --include
                           Include protocol response headers in the output
 -o, --output <file>
                           Write to file instead of stdout
 -O, --remote-name
                           Write output to a file named as the remote file
 -s, --silent
                           Silent mode
 -T, --upload-file <file> Transfer local FILE to destination
 -u, --user <user:password> Server user and password
 -A, --user-agent <name>
                           Send User-Agent <name> to server
 -v, --verbose
                           Make the operation more talkative
 -V, --version
                           Show version number and quit
This is not the full help, this menu is stripped into categories.
Use "--help category" to get an overview of all categories.
For all options use the manual or "--help all".
```

-curl [options/URLs]

The system outputs the HTML contents found on the URL provided after the curl command.

```
marko@test-main:~$ curl https://www.gnu.org/gnu/gnu.html
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html xmlns="http://www.w3.org/1999/xhtml" xml:lang="en" lang="en">
<head>
<meta http-equiv="content-type" content="text/html; charset=utf-8" />
<link rel="author" href="mailto:webmasters@gnu.org" />
<link rel="icon" type="image/png" href="/graphics/gnu-head-mini.png" />
<meta name="ICBM" content="42.355469,-71.058627" />
<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="/mini.css" media="handheld" />
<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="/layout.min.css" media="screen" />
<link rel="stylesheet" type="text/css" href="/print.min.css" media="print" />
```

-curl [url] > [local-file]

The progress bar shows how much of the file has been downloaded so far.

-curl –abstract-unix-socket <path>

Connect through abstract Unix socket instead through a network.

-curl -alt-svc <filename>

Enable alt-svc parser.

-curl -a

Append to the target file.

15)wget

Wget allows you to retrieve content and files from web servers using a command-line interface. The name "wget" comes from "World Wide Web" and "get". Wget supports downloads via FTP, SFTP, HTTP, and HTTPS protocols. Wget is used by developers to automate file downloads.

```
sofija@sofija-VirtualBox: ~

File Edit View Search Terminal Help

sofija@sofija-VirtualBox:~$ wget

wget: missing URL

Usage: wget [OPTION]... [URL]...

Try `wget --help' for more options.

sofija@sofija-VirtualBox:~$
```

-wget -h

The output will show you an exhaustive list of all the wget command parameters.

-wget [URL]

To download a file from the web use.

-wget -O [file_name] [URL]

To download a file and save it under a specified name run.

-wget -P [wanted_directory] [URL]

By default wget downloads a file in the directory the user is in. To save the file in a different location, add the -P option.

-wget -limit-rate [wanted_speed] [URL]

You can set the download speed when downloading a big file, so it does not use the full available bandwidth. The download speed is defined in kilobytes (k) and megabytes (m). Use the command.

16)mtr

The name is a shorthand for My Traceroute, also known as Matt's Traceroute. mtr is a networking tool that combines ping and traceroute to diagnose a network. Instead of using both tools separately, we could use only mtr. The purpose of mtr is to analyze the network traffic hop-to-hop using ICMP packets.

-mtr <IP ADDRESS>/<HOSTNAME>

When you execute the command attaching an IP address or hostname, you will be redirected to its interface, which will be updated once per second or until you press the "q" button on your keyboard.

[root@server ~]# mtr -rw google.com

Start: Wed Apr 15 14:00:04 2020

HOST: server.hostname.com Loss% Snt Last Avg Best Wrst StDev

2.|-- 2a01:7e01:b::1 0.0% 10 11.2 3.6 0.5 11.2 4.7

4.|-- 2001:4860:0:11df::1 0.0% 10 0.8 0.9 0.8 1.0 0.0

6.|-- fra15s29-in-x0e.1e100.net 0.0% 10 1.0 1.0 1.0 1.1 0.0

-mtr -h-help

Show all the available options.

-mtr -v-version

Show the version of the MTR command.

-mtr -r-report

This starts the report mode. In this mode, it will run the specified by "-c" number of times and show statistics at the end.

-mtr -w-report-wide

Wide report mode. The difference with the previous is that it won't cut hostnames in the report.

17)whois

The /usr/bin/whois command searches a user name directory and displays information about the user ID or nickname specified in the Name parameter. The whois command tries to reach ARPANET host internic.net where it examines a user-name database to obtain information.

-whois.

Forces a name-only search for the name specified in the Name parameter.

-whois!

Displays help information for the nickname or handle ID specified in the Name parameter.

-whois *

Displays the entire membership list of a group or organization. If there are many members, this can take some time.

-whois?

Requests help from the ARPANET host.

-whois -h

Specifies an alternative host name. The default host name on the ARPANET is internic.net. You can contact the other major ARPANET user-name database, nic.ddn.mil, by specifying the -h HostName flag.

18)tcpdump

tcpdump is a packet analyzer that is launched from the command line. It can be used to analyze network traffic by intercepting and displaying packets that are being created or received by the computer it's running on. It runs on Linux and most UNIX-type operating systems.

-tcpdump -I eth0

The command screen will scroll up until you interrupt and when we execute the tcpdump command it will capture from all the interfaces, however with -i switch only capture from the desired interface.

tcpdump: verbose output suppressed, use -v or -vv for full protocol decode listening on eth0, link-type EN10MB (Ethernet), capture size 65535 bytes

11:33:31.976358 IP 172.16.25.126.ssh > 172.16.25.125.apwi-rxspooler: Flags [P.], seq 3500440357:3500440553, ack 3652628334, win 18760, length 196

11:33:31.976603 IP 172.16.25.125.apwi-rxspooler > 172.16.25.126.ssh: Flags [.], ack 196, win 64487, length 0

11:33:31.977243 ARP, Request who-has tecmint.com tell 172.16.25.126, length 28

11:33:31.977359 ARP, Reply tecmint.com is-at 00:14:5e:67:26:1d (oui Unknown), length 46

11:33:31.977367 IP 172.16.25.126.54807 > tecmint.com: 4240+ PTR? 125.25.16.172.inaddr.arpa. (44)

11:33:31.977599 IP tecmint.com > 172.16.25.126.54807: 4240 NXDomain 0/1/0 (121)

11:33:31.977742 IP 172.16.25.126.44519 > tecmint.com: 40988+ PTR? 126.25.16.172.inaddr.arpa. (44)

11:33:32.028747 IP 172.16.20.33.netbios-ns > 172.16.31.255.netbios-ns: NBT UDP PACKET(137): QUERY; REQUEST; BROADCAST

11:33:32.112045 IP 172.16.21.153.netbios-ns > 172.16.31.255.netbios-ns: NBT UDP PACKET(137): QUERY; REQUEST; BROADCAST

11:33:32.115606 IP 172.16.21.144.netbios-ns > 172.16.31.255.netbios-ns: NBT UDP PACKET(137): QUERY; REQUEST; BROADCAST

11:33:32.156576 ARP, Request who-has 172.16.16.37 tell old-oraclehp1.midcorp.midday.com, length 46

11:33:32.348738 IP tecmint.com > 172.16.25.126.44519: 40988 NXDomain 0/1/0 (121)

-tcp -c 5 -l eth0

When you run the tcpdump command it will capture all the packets for the specified interface, until you hit the cancel button. But using -c option, you can capture a specified number of packets. The below example will only capture 6 packets.

tcpdump: verbose output suppressed, use -v or -vv for full protocol decode listening on eth0, link-type EN10MB (Ethernet), capture size 65535 bytes

11:40:20.281355 IP 172.16.25.126.ssh > 172.16.25.125.apwi-rxspooler: Flags [P.], seq 3500447285:3500447481, ack 3652629474, win 18760, length 196

11:40:20.281586 IP 172.16.25.125.apwi-rxspooler > 172.16.25.126.ssh: Flags [.], ack 196, win 65235, length 0

11:40:20.282244 ARP, Request who-has tecmint.com tell 172.16.25.126, length 28

11:40:20.282360 ARP, Reply tecmint.com is-at 00:14:5e:67:26:1d (oui Unknown), length 46

11:40:20.282369 IP 172.16.25.126.53216 > tecmint.com.domain: 49504+ PTR? 125.25.16.172.in-addr.arpa. (44)

11:40:20.332494 IP tecmint.com.netbios-ssn > 172.16.26.17.nimaux: Flags [P.], seq 3058424861:3058424914, ack 693912021, win 64190, length 53 NBT Session Packet: Session Message

6 packets captured

23 packets received by filter

0 packets dropped by kernel

-tcpdump -A -I eth0

The below topdump command with the option -A displays the package in ASCII format. It is a character-encoding scheme format.

tcpdump: verbose output suppressed, use -v or -vv for full protocol decode listening

on eth0, link-type EN10MB (Ethernet), capture size 65535 bytes

09:31:31.347508 IP 192.168.0.2.ssh > 192.168.0.1.nokia-ann-ch1: Flags [P.], seq 3329372346:3329372542, ack 4193416789, win 17688, length 196

M.r0...vUP.E.X......~.%..>N..oFk.......KQ..)Eq.d.,....r^l......m\.oyE...-....g~m..Xy.6..1....c.O.@...o_..J...i.*....2f.mQH...Q.c...6....9.v.gb......;..4.).UiCY]..9.x.)..Z.XF....'|..E.....M... u.5......ul

09:31:31.347760 IP 192.168.0.1.nokia-ann-ch1 > 192.168.0.2.ssh: Flags [.], ack 196, win 64351, length 0

M....vU.r1~P..

^C09:31:31.349560 IP 192.168.0.2.46393 > b.resolvers.Level3.net.domain: 11148+ PTR? 1.0.168.192.in-addr.arpa. (42)

E..F..@.@..........9.5.2.f+..........1.0.168.192.in-addr.arpa.....

3 packets captured

11 packets received by filter

0 packets dropped by kernel

-tcpdump -D

To list the number of available interfaces on the system, run the following command with -D option. 1.eth0

```
2.eth1
3.usbmon1 (USB bus number 1)
4.usbmon2 (USB bus number 2)
5.usbmon3 (USB bus number 3)
6.usbmon4 (USB bus number 4)
7.usbmon5 (USB bus number 5)
8.any (Pseudo-device that captures on all interfaces)
9.lo
-tcpdump -XX -I eth0
The following command with option -XX capture the data of each packet, including its link
level header in HEX and ASCII format.
# tcpdump -i eth0
11:51:18.974360 IP 172.16.25.126.ssh > 172.16.25.125.apwi-rxspooler: Flags [P.], seq
3509235537:3509235733, ack 3652638190, win 18760, length 196
                                                                      0x0000:
b8ac 6f2e 57b3 0001 6c99 1468 0800 4510 ...o.W...l..h..E.
     0x0010: 00ec 8783 4000 4006 275d ac10 197e ac10 ....@.@.']...~..
0x0020: 197d 0016 1129 d12a af51 d9b6 d5ee 5018 .}...).*.Q....P.
                                                                    0x0030:
4948 8bfa 0000 0e12 ea4d 22d1 67c0 f123 IH......M".g..#
                                                             0x0040: 9013
8f68 aa70 29f3 2efc c512 5660 4fe8 ...h.p).....V'O.
     0x0050: 590a d631 f939 dd06 e36a 69ed cac2 95b6 Y..1.9...ji.....
    0x0060: f8ba b42a 344b 8e56 a5c4 b3a2 ed82 c3a1 ...*4K.V.......
    0x0070: 80c8 7980 11ac 9bd7 5b01 18d5 8180 4536 ...y....[.....E6
    0x0080: 30fd 4f6d 4190 f66f 2e24 e877 ed23 8eb0 0.OmA..o.$.w.#..
    0x0090: 5a1d f3ec 4be4 e0fb 8553 7c85 17d9 866f Z...K....Sl....o
    0x00a0: c279 0d9c 8f9d 445b 7b01 81eb 1b63 7f12 .y....D[{....c..
    0x00b0: 71b3 1357 52c7 cf00 95c6 c9f6 63b1 ca51 g..WR......c..Q
     0x00c0: 0ac6 456e 0620 38e6 10cb 6139 fb2a a756 ..En..8...a9.*.V
    0x00d0: 37d6 c5f3 f5f3 d8e8 3316 d14f d7ab fd93 7......3..O....
    0x00e0: 1137 61c1 6a5c b4d1 ddda 380a f782 d983 .7a.j\....8.....
    0x00f0: 62ff a5a9 bb39 4f80 668a
                                                b....9O.f.
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11:51:18.974759 IP 172.16.25.126.60952 > mddc-01.midcorp.mid-day.com.domain: 14620+ PTR? 125.25.16.172.in-addr.arpa. (44)

0x0000: 0014 5e67 261d 0001 6c99 1468 0800 4500 ...^g&...l..h..E.

0x0010: 0048 5a83 4000 4011 5e25 ac10 197e ac10 .HZ.@.@.^%...~..

0x0020: 105e ee18 0035 0034 8242 391c 0100 0001 .^...5.4.B9.....

0x0030: 0000 0000 0000 0331 3235 0232 3502 3136125.25.16

0x0040: 0331 3732 0769 6e2d 6164 6472 0461 7270 .172.in-addr.arp

0x0050: 6100 000c 0001