

PROJECT TOCKS

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TOOLS AND TECHNOLOGIES USED

- Programming Language: Python
- Libraries:
 - o ipaddress: Used for IP address manipulation and validation.
 - os: Used for executing system commands and interacting with the operating system.
 - datetime: Used for capturing timestamps and measuring execution time.
 - platform: Used for retrieving information about the operating system.
 - o re: Used for regular expression pattern matching.
 - socket: Used for creating TCP sockets and performing network operations(port Scanning).
 - threading: Used for concurrent execution of tasks using threads.
 - queue: Used for managing a queue of tasks in a thread-safe
 manner.

IMPLEMENTATION DETAILS

Input Validation

The project incorporates input validation to ensure that the provided IP address is in a valid format. The validate_ipaddress() function uses the ipaddress library to validate the IP address format and handle any potential errors.

• IP Address Generation

To facilitate scanning multiple IP addresses, the project dynamically generates a list of valid IP addresses based on the user's input. Starting from an initial IP address, the code increments the IP address by 1 using the ipaddress.IPv4Address() function. This process is repeated until the desired number of IP addresses is generated

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• IP Address Availability Check

The project begins by validating and checking the availability of IP addresses. The ping() function is implemented using system commands (ping) to send ICMP echo requests to IP addresses. The availability of an IP address is determined based on the response received. This functionality is implemented differently for Windows and Linux operating systems to accommodate the differences in the ping command syntax.

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Port Scanning

• The project performs port scanning by creating TCP sockets and attempting to establish connections to specific ports on the scanned IP addresses. The scanner() function is responsible for establishing a TCP connection to a given IP address and port. If the connection is successful, the port is considered open, and the result is printed. The threader() function is used to distribute the scanning tasks among multiple threads for improved efficiency.