

Assignment- 2

Transport Layer and Network Simulations using NS-3

PART 1

Wireshark/tshark/tcpdump

1.

a) Plot the estimated Round Trip Time (RTT) variation for the download

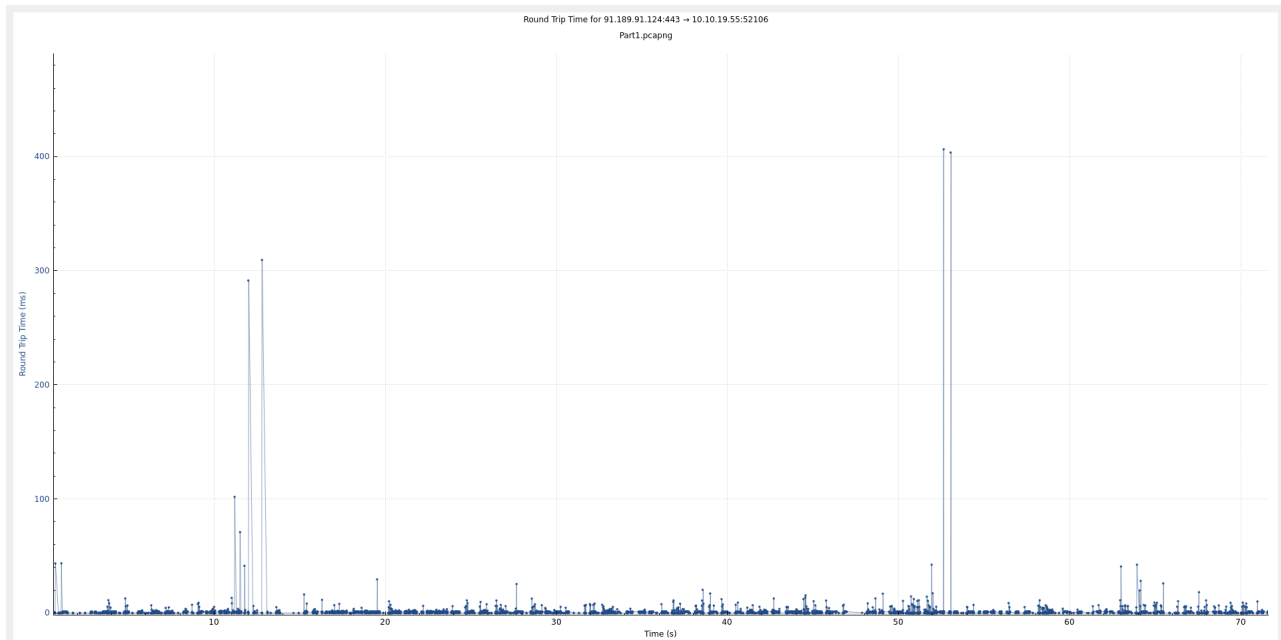
Filter:-

tcp.port == 52106 && tcp.port==443 && ip.addr==10.10.19.55 &&
ip.addr==91.189.91.124

Drive link for pcap file:-

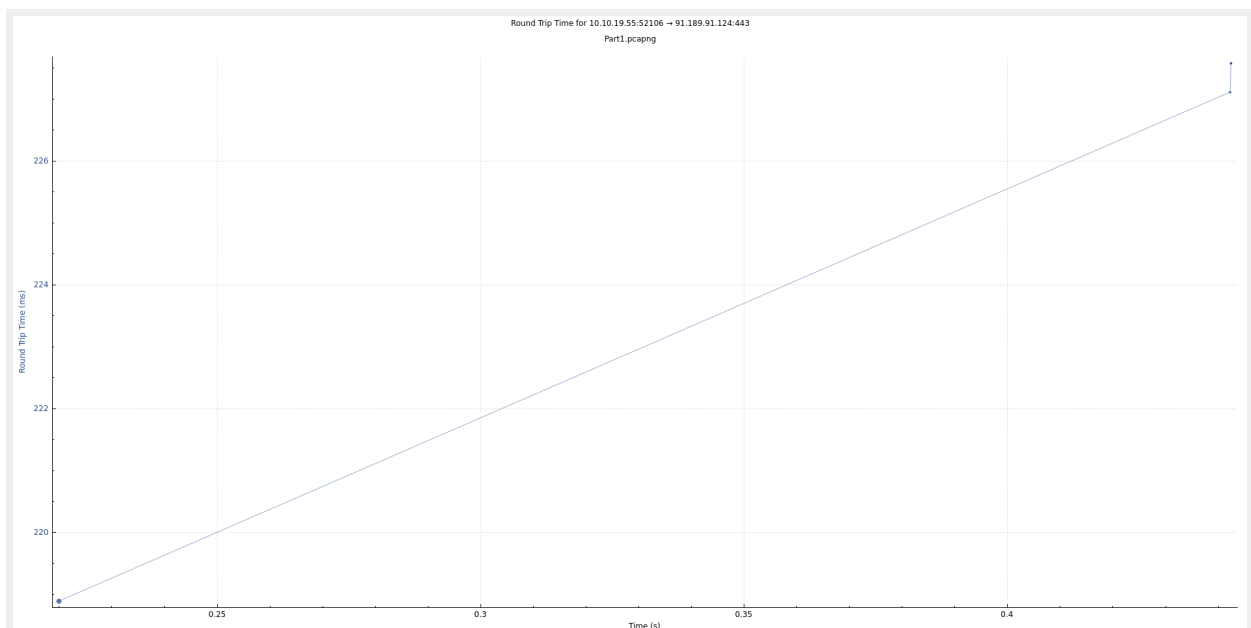
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SERVER to CLIENT



Statistics->TCP stream graph->Round Trip Time

CLIENT to SERVER

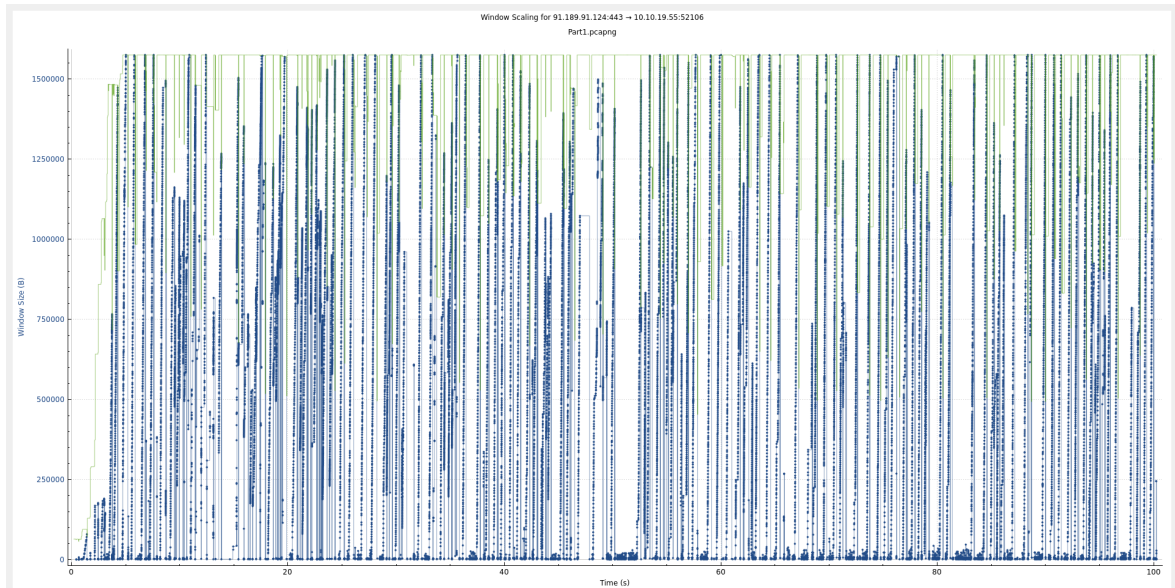


Statistics->TCP stream graph->Round Trip Time (with switch direction)

b) Plot the TCP Congestion window (or the difference in ack numbers - bytes delivered) for the download. X-axis is time, and Y-axis is bytes

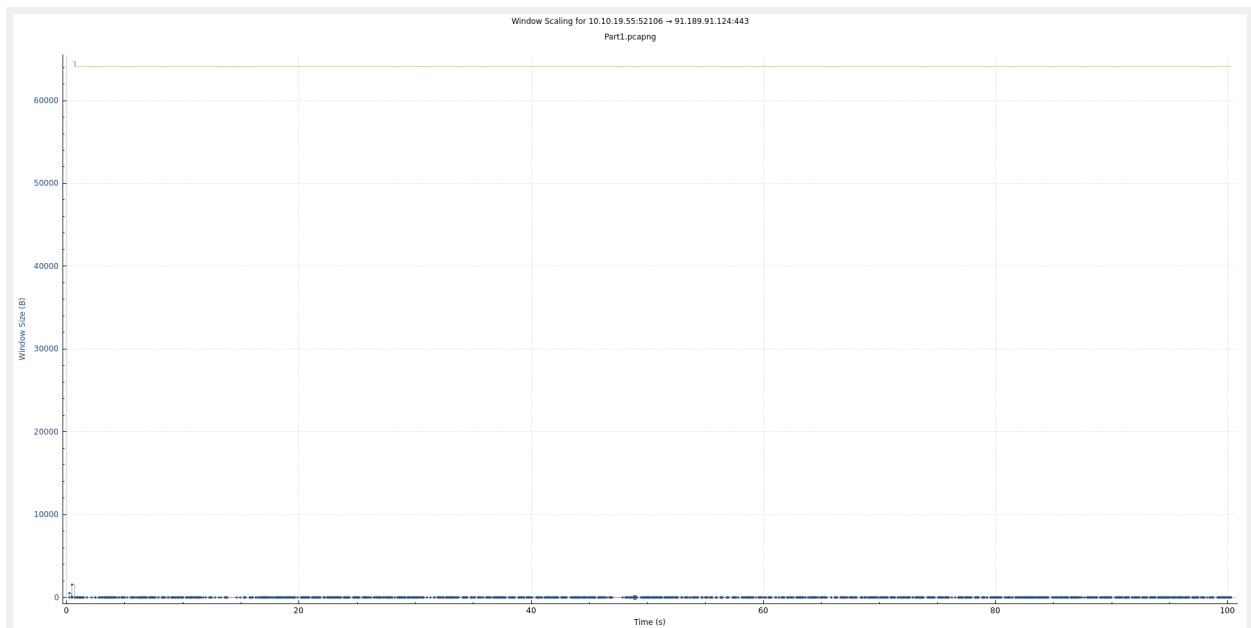
delivered (X ticks for each RTT, hence sum up the bytes delivered over each RTT).

SERVER to CLIENT



Statistics->TCP stream graph->Window Scaling

CLIENT to SERVER



Statistics->TCP stream graph->Window Scaling

c) Get the flow graph (Statistics - flow graph)

| Time | 10.10.19.55 | 01.189.91.124 | Comment |
|--------------|---|---------------|---|
| 13.456088414 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908... |
| 13.456084407 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.456093312 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908... |
| 13.456084428 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.463996302 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.464016308 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=136908... |
| 13.463996387 | 443 → 52106 [PSH, ACK] Seq=13703512 Ack=2 | 52106 | TCP: 443 → 52106 [PSH, ACK] Seq=13703512 Ack=2... |
| 13.464027957 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13707226 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13707226... |
| 13.463996402 | 443 → 52106 [PSH, ACK] Seq=13707226 Ack=2 | 52106 | TCP: 443 → 52106 [PSH, ACK] Seq=13707226 Ack=2... |
| 13.464031119 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13710940 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13710940... |
| 13.464042551 | 443 → 52106 [PSH, ACK] Seq=13710940 Ack=2 | 52106 | TCP: 443 → 52106 [PSH, ACK] Seq=13710940 Ack=2... |
| 13.464045625 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13714654 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13714654... |
| 13.464042571 | 443 → 52106 [PSH, ACK] Seq=13714654 Ack=2 | 52106 | TCP: 443 → 52106 [PSH, ACK] Seq=13714654 Ack=2... |
| 13.464050040 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.464042591 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | SSLv3: Encrypted Data, Continuation Data |
| 13.464055186 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.464066308 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.464066334 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.464071533 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.464066348 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.464075262 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.464066367 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.464078465 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.464089684 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.464094387 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.464089717 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.464098611 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.464089742 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.464101835 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.469183735 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.469183822 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.469207354 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.469183836 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.469217406 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.469183852 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.469220245 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.469235174 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.469239135 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |
| 13.469235194 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TLSv1.3: Continuation Data |
| 13.469244138 | 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060 | 443 | TCP: 52106 → 443 [ACK] Seq=2072 Ack=13723060... |

Statistics-> Flow Graph

d) What is the average throughput observed?

The average throughput observed is 2,692 bytes/sec

File

Name: /home/mafia/Documents/CN ASG 2/Part1.pcapng
Length: 274 MB
Hash (SHA256): 69fbf7cb08aea4f38b08c71b55b66a032115bff0ef905e257ff29544f70d02f7
Hash (RIPEMD160): dc7c411af3a3c9fbda273873e4f30d7c21c58923
Hash (SHA1): f44bc5f88a717f1de8e5b49c94216841bfaf1b0a
Format: Wireshark/... - pcapng
Encapsulation: Ethernet

Time

First packet: 2023-10-15 21:51:26
Last packet: 2023-10-15 21:53:10
Elapsed: 00:01:44

Capture

Hardware: Intel(R) Core(TM) i5-10300H CPU @ 2.50GHz (with SSE4.2)
OS: Linux 6.2.0-34-generic
Application: Dumpcap (Wireshark) 4.0.3 (Git v4.0.3 packaged as 4.0.3-1)

Interfaces

| Interface | Dropped packets | Capture filter | Link type | Packet size limit (snaplen) |
|-----------|-----------------|----------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| wlp0s20f3 | 0 (0.0%) | none | Ethernet | 262144 bytes |

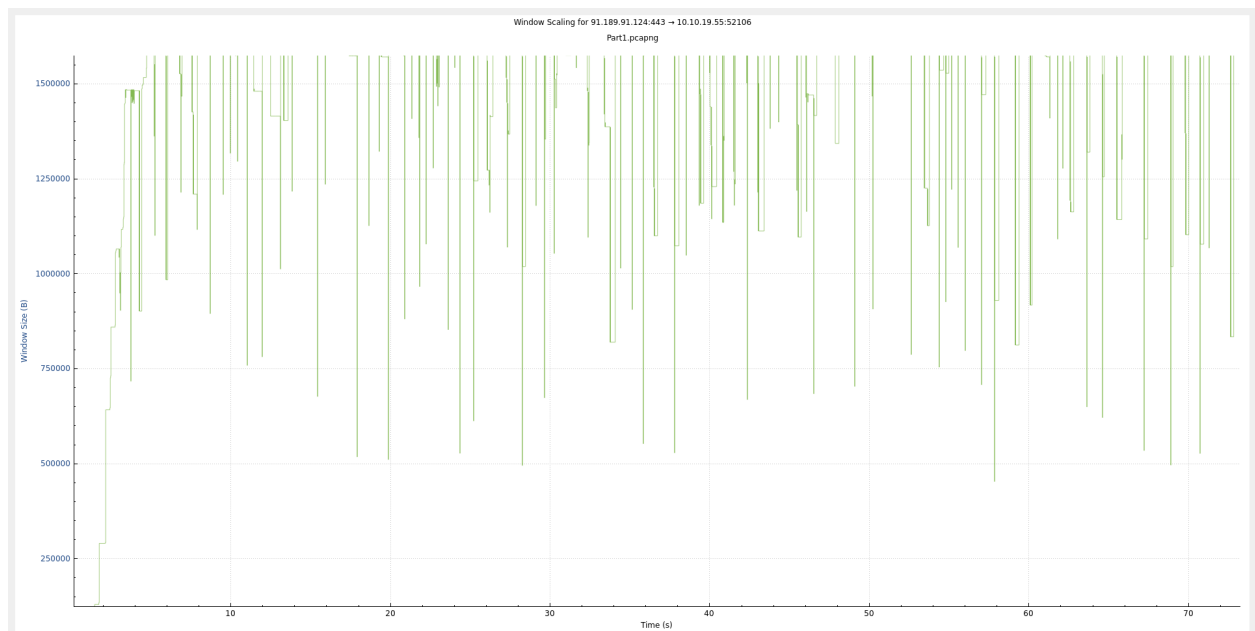
Statistics

| Measurement | Captured | Displayed | Marked |
|------------------------|-----------|-------------------|--------|
| Packets | 101584 | 99316 (97.8%) | — |
| Time span, s | 104.676 | 100.261 | — |
| Average pps | 970.5 | 990.6 | — |
| Average packet size, B | 2666 | 2718 | — |
| Bytes | 270861141 | 269904672 (99.6%) | 0 |
| Average bytes/s | 2,587 k | 2,692 k | — |
| Average bits/s | 20 M | 21 M | — |

Statistics->Capture File Properties

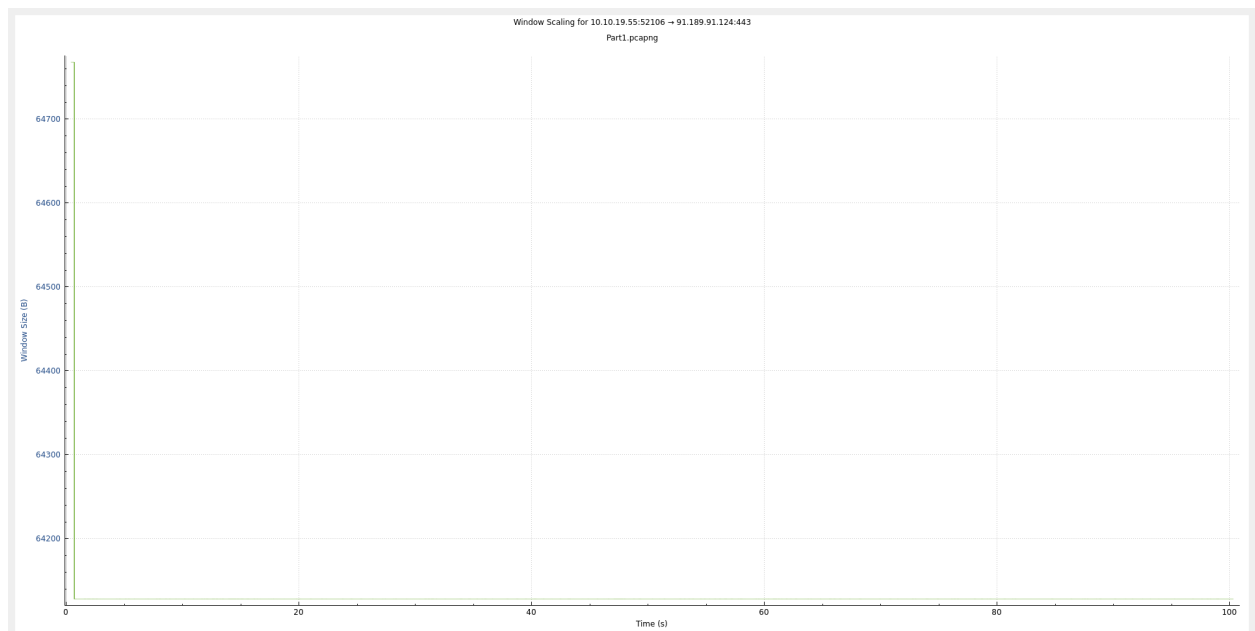
e) Plot the receiver congestion window advertised over time.

SERVER to CLIENT



Statistics->TCP stream graph->Window Scaling (Uncheck Bytes out)

CLIENT to SERVER



Statistics->TCP stream graph->Window Scaling (Uncheck Bytes out, with switch direction)

f) Plot the number of 1-duplicate acks, 2-duplicate ack, and 3-duplicate acks received over time.

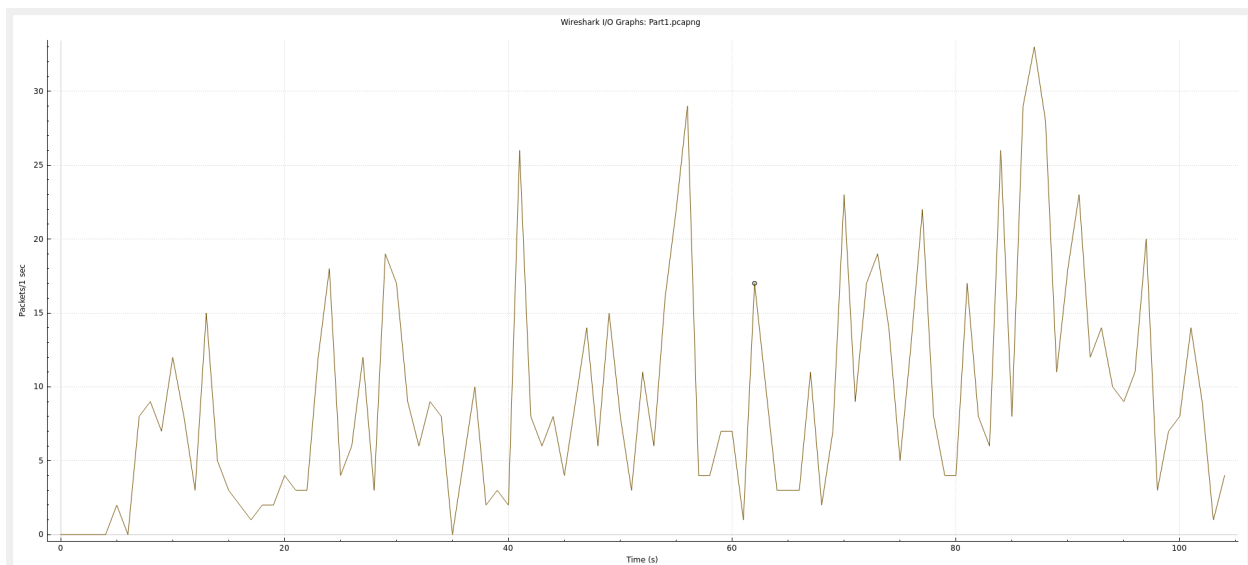
Filter:-

`tcp.port == 52106 && tcp.port==443 && ip.addr==10.10.19.55 &&`

`ip.addr==91.189.91.124 && tcp.analysis.duplicate_ack_num==n`

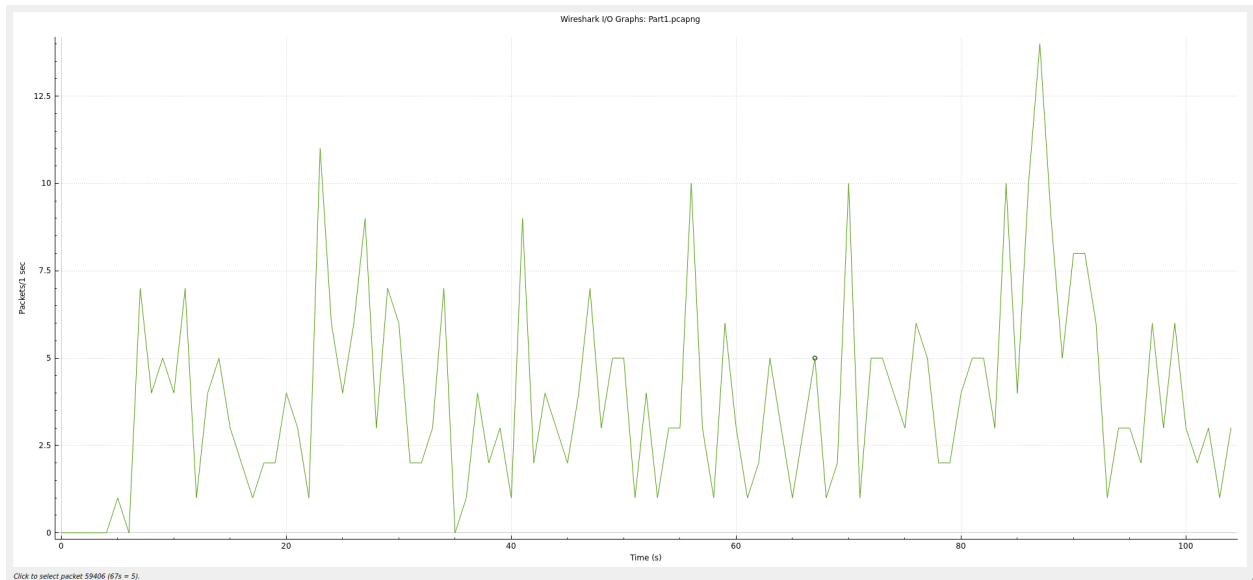
Where $n = [1,2,3]$

1 dup ACKs



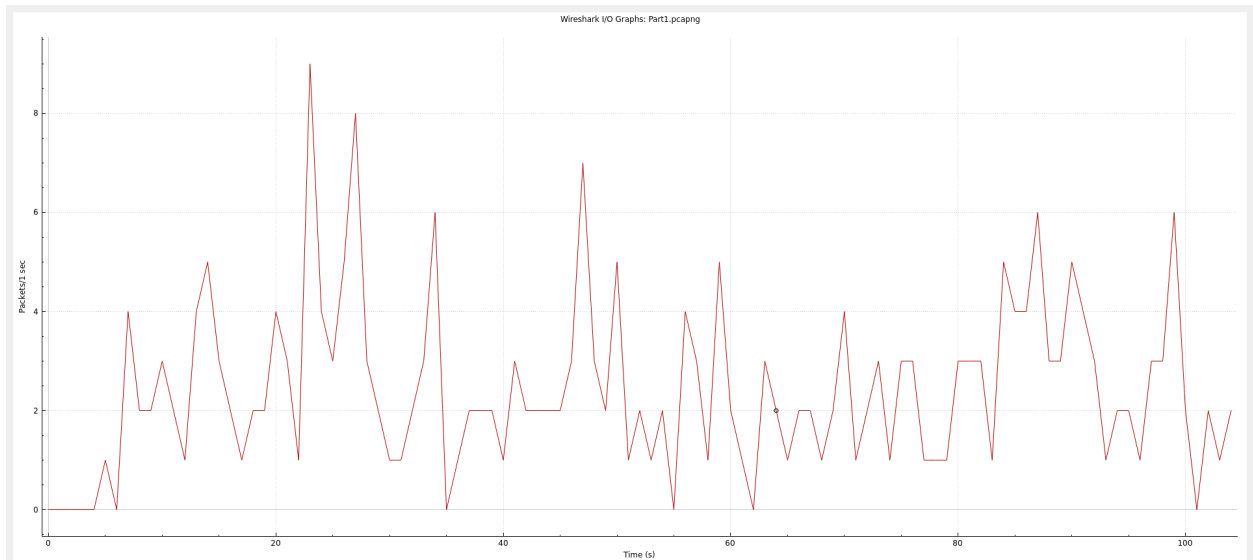
statistics-> I/O graph

2 dup ACKs



statistics-> I/O graph

3 dup ACKs



statistics-> I/O graph

2.

Download a small file and identify the TCP 3-way handshake.

Drive link:-

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1N6hnz5IJYIGcGDTPAn1WPMNUNX4_SjSq/view?usp=sharing

-> Downloading file from reddit.com

| | | | |
|---------------|-----------------|---------|---|
| 10.10.19.199 | 148.72.164.11 | TCP | 74 36158 -> 443 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM TSval=947849885 TSecr=0 WS=128 |
| 148.72.164.11 | 10.10.19.199 | TCP | 74 443 -> 36156 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=28960 Len=0 MSS=1250 SACK_PERM TSval=1385091491 TSecr=947849634 WS=128 |
| 10.10.19.199 | 148.72.164.11 | TCP | 66 36156 -> 443 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=947849900 TSecr=1385091491 |
| 10.10.19.199 | 148.72.164.11 | TLSv1.2 | 587 Client Hello |
| 10.10.19.199 | 142.250.192.110 | TCP | 66 47794 -> 443 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=501 Len=0 TSval=505657093 TSecr=1403461959 |

The TCP three-way handshake is shown in the first three packets. The server responds to the client's initial SYN flag request by sending an ACK flag and a SYN request to port 54974. The client responds to this request by following up with an ACK flag. Now, the three-way handshake is complete.

3.

Ping a host and capture the packets with Wireshark. What kind of packets are generated by the ping command?

```
> ping reddit.com
PING reddit.com (151.101.65.140) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=1 ttl=59 time=21.8 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=2 ttl=59 time=30.3 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=3 ttl=59 time=23.3 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=4 ttl=59 time=29.1 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=5 ttl=59 time=26.3 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=6 ttl=59 time=20.7 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=7 ttl=59 time=20.9 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=8 ttl=59 time=25.8 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=9 ttl=59 time=22.1 ms
64 bytes from 151.101.65.140 (151.101.65.140): icmp_seq=10 ttl=59 time=69.8 ms

--- reddit.com ping statistics ---
10 packets transmitted, 10 received, 0% packet loss, time 9019ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 20.708/29.007/69.792/13.961 ms
~ >
```

| ip.addr == 151.101.65.140 | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------|--------|---|
| No. | Time | Source | Destination | Protocol | Length | Info |
| 17 | 3.710286965 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=1/256, ttl=64 (reply in 18) |
| 18 | 3.732093627 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=1/256, ttl=59 (request in 17) |
| 23 | 4.711640320 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=2/512, ttl=64 (reply in 24) |
| 24 | 4.741897026 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=2/512, ttl=59 (request in 23) |
| 29 | 5.713525231 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=3/768, ttl=64 (reply in 30) |
| 30 | 5.736825616 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=3/768, ttl=59 (request in 29) |
| 35 | 6.715325582 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=4/1024, ttl=64 (reply in 36) |
| 36 | 6.744372294 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=4/1024, ttl=59 (request in 35) |
| 41 | 7.716970325 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=5/1280, ttl=64 (reply in 42) |
| 42 | 7.743259883 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=5/1280, ttl=59 (request in 41) |
| 48 | 8.718858564 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=6/1536, ttl=64 (reply in 49) |
| 49 | 8.739523431 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=6/1536, ttl=59 (request in 48) |
| 57 | 9.721025929 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=7/1792, ttl=64 (reply in 58) |
| 58 | 9.741899123 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=7/1792, ttl=59 (request in 57) |
| 64 | 10.722453752 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=8/2048, ttl=64 (reply in 65) |
| 65 | 10.748267695 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=8/2048, ttl=59 (request in 64) |
| 70 | 11.724105089 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=9/2304, ttl=64 (reply in 71) |
| 71 | 11.746151568 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=9/2304, ttl=59 (request in 70) |
| 108 | 12.726080528 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) request id=0x3d67, seq=10/2560, ttl=64 (reply in 109) |
| 109 | 12.795858186 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | ICMP | 98 | Echo (ping) reply id=0x3d67, seq=10/2560, ttl=59 (request in 108) |

Echo types of packets are generated using this command (using the ICMP protocol).

```

- Internet Control Message Protocol
  Type: 8 (Echo (ping) request)
  Code: 0
  Checksum: 0x5cf3 [correct]
  [Checksum Status: Good]
  Identifier (BE): 15719 (0x3d67)
  Identifier (LE): 26429 (0x673d)
  Sequence Number (BE): 1 (0x0001)
  Sequence Number (LE): 256 (0x0100)
  [Response frame: 18]
  Timestamp from icmp data: Oct 15, 2023 22:25:42.000000000 IST
  [Timestamp from icmp data (relative): 0.283392381 seconds]
  Data (48 bytes)

```

4.

Use nmap (using command `nmap -PS [neighbor's ip address]`) to perform the host scan

(same as used in the previous question) and capture the packets with Wireshark. What kind of packets are generated by Nmap?

```
> nmap -PS 151.101.65.140
Starting Nmap 7.93 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2023-10-16 01:34 IST
Nmap scan report for 151.101.65.140
Host is up (0.024s latency).
Not shown: 998 filtered tcp ports (no-response)
PORT      STATE SERVICE
80/tcp    open  http
443/tcp   open  https

Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 4.93 seconds
~ > [ ]                                     5s 01:34:22
```

Nmap continuously sends SYN packets on various ports while monitoring for the presence of any ACK packets delivered by the server in response. Nmap can tell us about the various active services on the host using this information.

Wireshark Observations

| | | | | | | | |
|-------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----|------------|--|--|
| 20 | 3.624737783 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | TCP | 74 | 47762 → 80 | [SYN, Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM TSval=3369200456 TSecr=0 WS=128 |
| 21 | 3.646062628 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | TCP | 74 | 80 → 47762 | [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=1250 SACK_PERM TSval=2175491228 TSecr=3369200456 WS=512 |
| 22 | 3.646131344 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | TCP | 66 | 47762 → 80 | [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=3369200478 TSecr=2175491228 |
| 23 | 3.646186739 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | TCP | 66 | 47762 → 80 | [RST, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=3369200478 TSecr=2175491228 |
| | | | | | | | |
| 4.914727985 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | TCP | 74 | 80 → 52606 | [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=1250 SACK_PERM TSval=3872615763 TSecr=3369201724 WS=512 | |
| 4.914756384 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | TCP | 66 | 52606 → 80 | [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=3369201746 TSecr=3872615763 | |
| 4.914841720 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | TCP | 66 | 52606 → 80 | [RST, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=3369201746 TSecr=3872615763 | |
| | | | | | | | |
| 7.516411765 | 151.101.65.140 | 10.10.19.55 | TCP | 74 | 80 → 52634 | [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65535 Len=0 MSS=1250 SACK_PERM TSval=2937381359 TSecr=3369204325 WS=512 | |
| 7.516442548 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | TCP | 66 | 52634 → 80 | [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=3369204348 TSecr=2937381359 | |
| 7.516509624 | 10.10.19.55 | 151.101.65.140 | TCP | 66 | 52634 → 80 | [RST, ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=3369204348 TSecr=2937381359 | |