

# TASK 10

## FIREWAL:

- Firewall is a concept of filtering and funnelling the network packets.
- It is a concept of monitoring and manging the incoming and outgoing traffic.
- It comes under both terms like software and hardware.
- Firewalls can be viewed as gated borders or gateways that manage the travel of permitted and prohibited web activity in a private network.

## TYPES:

- a) Network firewall
- b) Host firewall

## Blocking a port – Block inbound port 3306

The screenshot shows the 'New Inbound Rule Wizard' window in Windows Firewall. The title bar reads 'New Inbound Rule Wizard'. The main heading is 'Protocol and Ports', with a subtitle 'Specify the protocols and ports to which this rule applies.' On the left, a 'Steps:' pane lists: Rule Type, Protocol and Ports (selected), Action, Profile, and Name. The main area contains two questions: 'Does this rule apply to TCP or UDP?' with 'TCP' selected (radio button), and 'Does this rule apply to all local ports or specific local ports?' with 'Specific local ports:' selected (radio button). A text box next to 'Specific local ports:' contains '3306', with an example 'Example: 80, 443, 5000-5010' below it. At the bottom right are buttons for '< Back', 'Next >', and 'Cancel'.

Blocking a port – by enrolling a new rule in inbound ports.

```
PORT      STATE SERVICE
3306/tcp  open  mysql
```

To check whether the new rule is valid(working) or not:

```
Starting Nmap 7.97 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2026-02-05 00:26 +0530
Nmap scan report for 10.58.238.148
Host is up (0.00s latency).
```

```
PORT      STATE SERVICE
3360/tcp  closed kv-server
```

```
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 1.03 seconds
```

- Using Nmap: `nmap -p 3360 ip address`  
It shows that the port is closed for inbound packets.

### Enabling http port:

Mostly http port (80) is closed because of non secure transmission, so opened the port using firewall.

```
PORT      STATE SERVICE
80/tcp    closed http
```

```
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 0.28 seconds
```

After enabling an inbound firewall rule for TCP port 80, an HTTP service was started on the system. Netstat confirmed that the service was listening on port 80, and an Nmap scan verified that the port was accessible. This demonstrates the relationship between firewall rules and service availability.

```
D:\MCA\CYBER INTERN\NMAP>netstat -ano | findstr :80
TCP    0.0.0.0:80          0.0.0.0:0          LISTENING        29228
TCP    [::]:80           [::]:0             LISTENING        29228
UDP    [::]:52952        [2404:6800:4007:80c::200a]:443  8204
UDP    [::]:55800        [2404:6800:4007:808::2003]:443  8204
```

```
D:\MCA\CYBER INTERN\NMAP>nmap -p 80 127.0.0.1
Starting Nmap 7.97 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2026-02-05 01:14 +0530
Nmap scan report for localhost (127.0.0.1)
Host is up (0.0010s latency).
```

```
PORT      STATE SERVICE
80/tcp    open  http
```

```
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 0.28 seconds
```

