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Network reconnaissance tools

1.1 **Aim:** To use basic networking commands in Linux (ping, tracer, nslookup, netstat, ARP, RARP, ip, ifconfig, dig, route).

1.2 **Course Outcome:** Explain the need for Cyber Security and its aspects.

1.3 **Learning Objectives:** Explain the various commands involved in network reconnaissance.

1.4 **Requirement:** Kali Linux

1.5 **Related Theory:**

ifconfig command:

You can use the **ifconfig** command to assign an address to a network interface and to configure or display the current network interface configuration information. The **ifconfig** command must be used at system startup to define the network address of each interface present on a system.

Netstat command:

The netstat command displays information regarding traffic on the configured network interfaces, such as the following:

- The address of any protocol control blocks associated with the sockets and the state of all sockets

- [illegible]

Assign the IP address and netmask

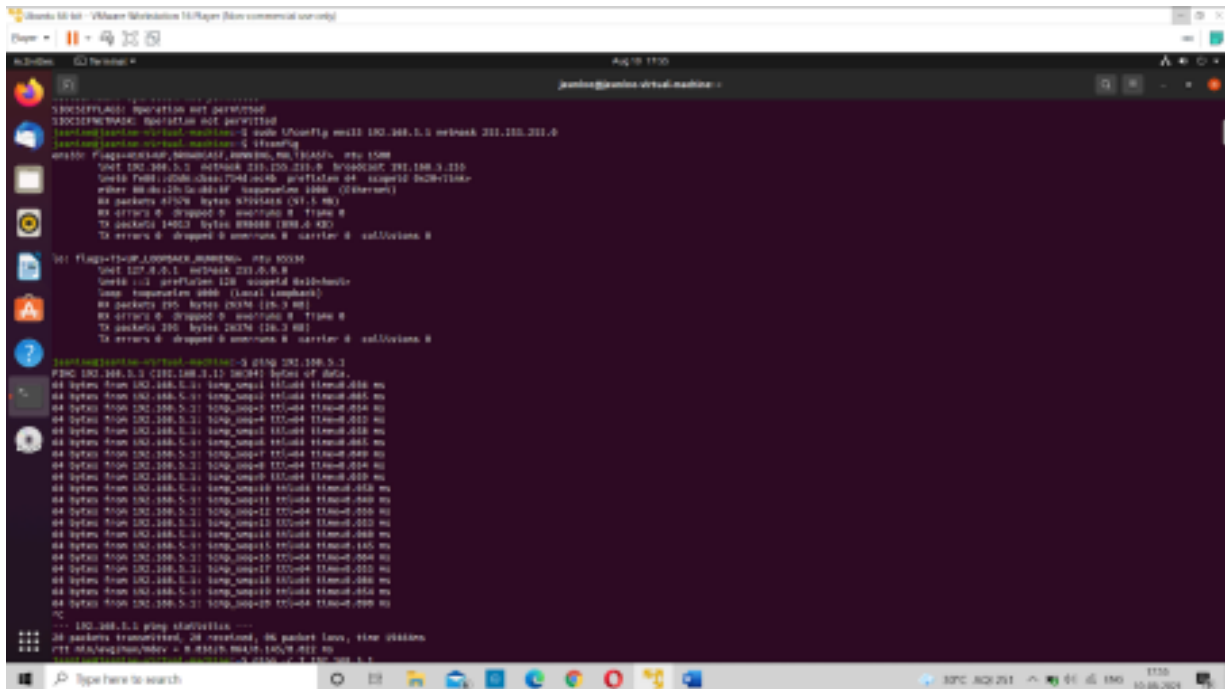


Figure 1.2 Assign the IP address and netmask

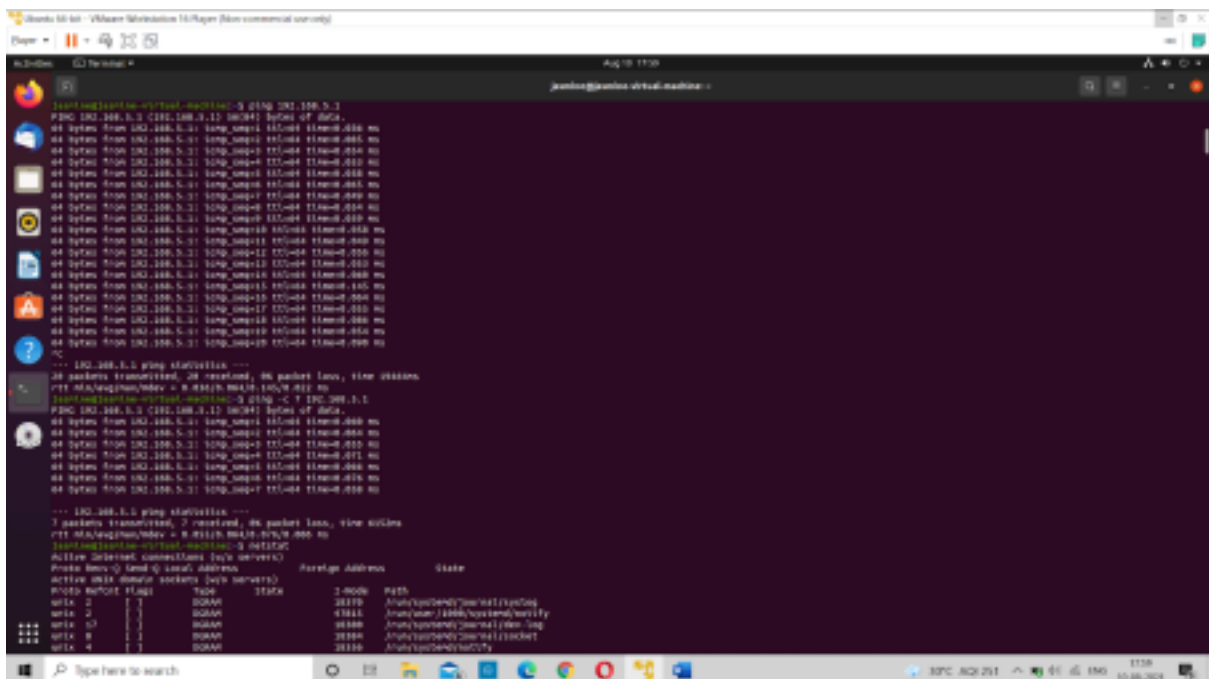
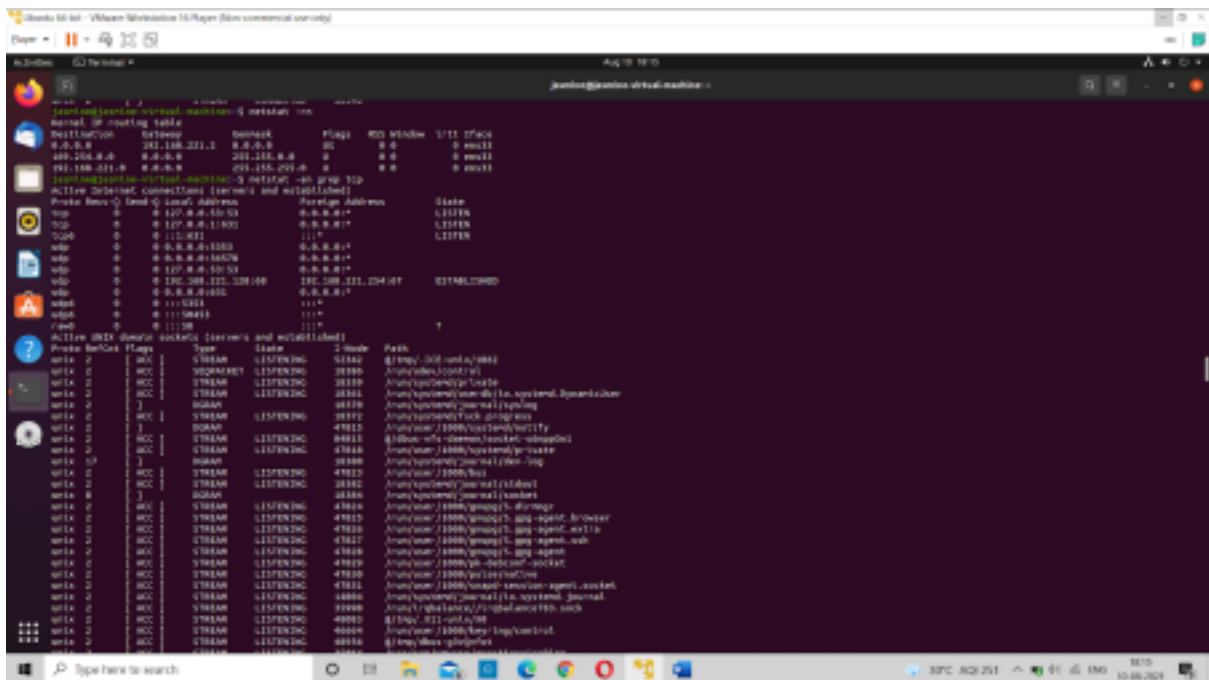
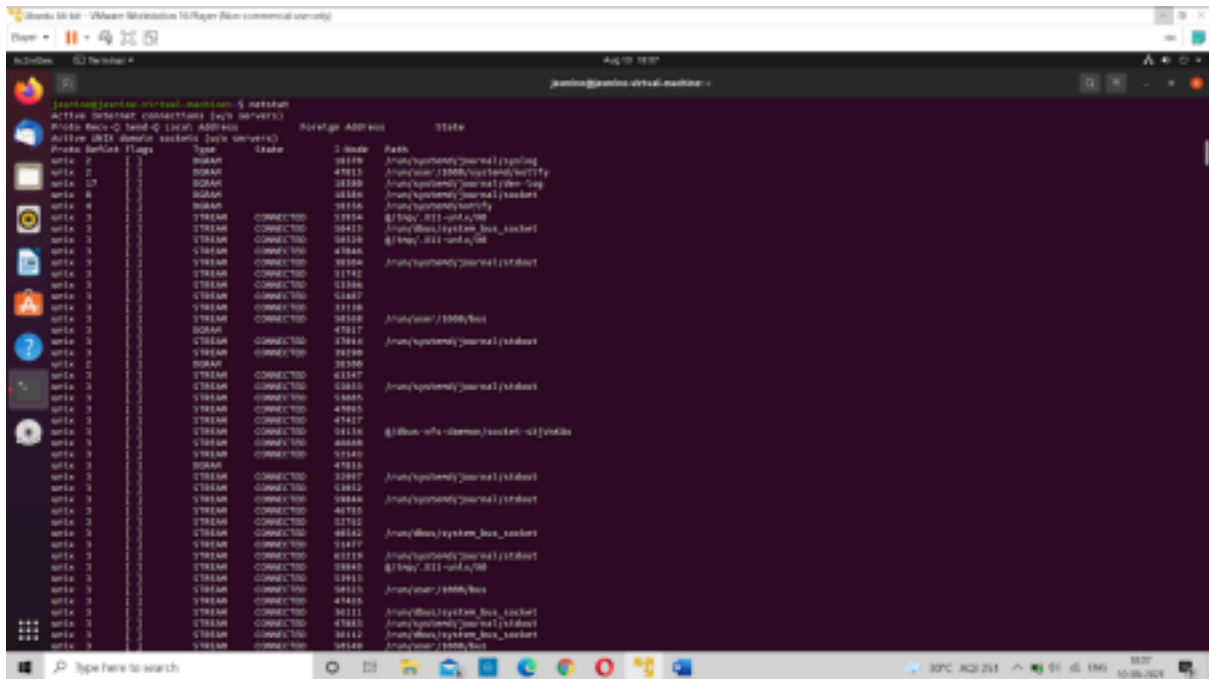


Figure 1.3 Netstat command




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tracert
^ upgraded, 1 newly installed, 0 to remove and 103 not upgraded.
Need to get 45.4 kB of archives.
After these operations, 102 kB of additional disk space will be used.
Get:1 http://in.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu focal/main amd64 traceroute amd64 1:2.1.4-2 [45.4 kB]
Fetched 45.4 kB (91.8% to 100.0%)
Setting up traceroute (1:2.1.4-2) ...
(Reading database ... 10021 files and directories currently installed.)
Preparing to unpack .../traceroute_1:2.1.4-2_amd64.deb ...
Unpacking traceroute (1:2.1.4-2) ...
Setting up traceroute (1:2.1.4-2) ...
update-alternatives: using /usr/bin/traceroute.6 to provide /usr/bin/traceroute (traceroute) in auto mode
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Processing triggers for man-db (2.9.1-1) ...
traceroute to 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8), 64 hops max
 0 10.10.10.1 < 0.00ms < 0.00ms < 0.00ms
 1 * * *
 2 * * *
 3 * * *
 4 * * *
 5 * * *
 6 * * *
 7 * * *
 8 * * *
 9 * * *
10 * * *
11 * * *
12 * * *
13 * * *
14 * * *
15 * * *
^C
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ nslookup 8.8.8.8
8.8.8.8.in-addr.arpa. name = dns.google.
Authoritative answers can be found from:
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ nslookup www.google.com
Server: 127.0.0.1
Address: 127.0.0.1
Non-authoritative answer:
Name: www.google.com
Address: 216.18.241.10
Name: www.google.com
Address: 216.18.241.10
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ nslookup www.shubandhakar.com
```

Figure 1.7 traceroute command

nslookup command:

```
traceroute to 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8), 64 hops max
 0 10.10.10.1 < 0.00ms < 0.00ms < 0.00ms
 1 * * *
 2 * * *
 3 * * *
 4 * * *
 5 * * *
 6 * * *
 7 * * *
 8 * * *
 9 * * *
10 * * *
11 * * *
12 * * *
13 * * *
14 * * *
15 * * *
^C
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ nslookup 8.8.8.8
8.8.8.8.in-addr.arpa. name = dns.google.
Authoritative answers can be found from:
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ nslookup www.google.com
Server: 127.0.0.1
Address: 127.0.0.1
Non-authoritative answer:
Name: www.google.com
Address: 216.18.241.10
Name: www.google.com
Address: 216.18.241.10
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ nslookup www.shubandhakar.com
Server: 127.0.0.1
Address: 127.0.0.1
Non-authoritative answer:
www.shubandhakar.com canonical name = shubandhakar.com.
Name: shubandhakar.com
Address: 117.90.230.12
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ sudo apt-get install nmap
(Reading database ... 10021 files and directories currently installed.)
Command line option '-g' (force -get) is not understood in combination with the other options.
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ sudo apt-get install nmap
^C
[jacob@jacob-virtual-machine ~]$ sudo apt-get install nmap
```

Figure 1.8 nslookup command

ARP:

1.6 Procedure:

- Execute all the commands listed above and observe the output.
- By applying the variations in the above listed commands, note down the difference between them.

1.7 Command and Output:

Ifconfig:

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# ifconfig
eth0: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST>  mtu 1500
    inet 172.16.30.20  netmask 255.255.254.0  broadcast 172.16.31.255
    inet6 fe80::a00:27ff:fe81:720a  prefixlen 64  scopeid 0x20<link>
    ether 08:00:27:81:72:0a  txqueuelen 1000  (Ethernet)
    RX packets 270999  bytes 380768712 (363.1 MiB)
    RX errors 0  dropped 4  overruns 0  frame 0
    TX packets 64032  bytes 4683248 (4.4 MiB)
    TX errors 0  dropped 0 overruns 0  carrier 0  collisions 0

lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING>  mtu 65536
    inet 127.0.0.1  netmask 255.0.0.0
    inet6 ::1  prefixlen 128  scopeid 0x10<host>
    loop txqueuelen 1000  (Local Loopback)
    RX packets 74  bytes 6024 (5.8 KiB)
    RX errors 0  dropped 0  overruns 0  frame 0
    TX packets 74  bytes 6024 (5.8 KiB)
    TX errors 0  dropped 0 overruns 0  carrier 0  collisions 0
```

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# ifconfig eth0 192.168.5.1 netmask 255.255.255.0

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# ifconfig
eth0: flags=4163<UP,BROADCAST,RUNNING,MULTICAST>  mtu 1500
    inet 192.168.5.1  netmask 255.255.255.0  broadcast 192.168.5.255
    inet6 fe80::a00:27ff:fe81:720a  prefixlen 64  scopeid 0x20<link>
    ether 08:00:27:81:72:0a  txqueuelen 1000  (Ethernet)
    RX packets 271399  bytes 380794407 (363.1 MiB)
    RX errors 0  dropped 4  overruns 0  frame 0
    TX packets 64032  bytes 4683248 (4.4 MiB)
    TX errors 0  dropped 0 overruns 0  carrier 0  collisions 0

lo: flags=73<UP,LOOPBACK,RUNNING>  mtu 65536
    inet 127.0.0.1  netmask 255.0.0.0
    inet6 ::1  prefixlen 128  scopeid 0x10<host>
    loop txqueuelen 1000  (Local Loopback)
    RX packets 74  bytes 6024 (5.8 KiB)
    RX errors 0  dropped 0  overruns 0  frame 0
    TX packets 74  bytes 6024 (5.8 KiB)
    TX errors 0  dropped 0 overruns 0  carrier 0  collisions 0
```

Assign the IP address and netmask

NetStat:

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# netstat
Active Internet connections (w/o servers)
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address           Foreign Address         State
udp        0      0 172.16.30.20:bootpc    172.16.30.1:bootps     ESTABLISHED
Active UNIX domain sockets (w/o servers)
Proto RefCnt Flags   Type       State       I-Node  Path
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   7070
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   8125
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   9055
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   10435    /run/systemd/journal/stdout
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   4944     /run/dbus/system_bus_socket
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   12397    @/tmp/.X11-unix/X0
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   7011
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   12646
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   10354    /run/user/1000/bus
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   12342    @/tmp/.X11-unix/X0
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   8551     /run/dbus/system_bus_socket
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   9771
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   6611
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   11419    /run/user/1000/bus
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   9463     /run/user/1000/pipewire-0
unix  3      [ ]     STREAM    CONNECTED   9457     /run/user/1000/pulse/native
```

Traceroute:

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# traceroute 8.8.8.8
traceroute to 8.8.8.8 (8.8.8.8), 30 hops max, 60 byte packets
 1  172.16.30.1 (172.16.30.1)  0.529 ms  0.482 ms  0.466 ms
 2  115.113.39.65.static-mumbai.vsnl.net.in (115.113.39.65)  1.551 ms  1.336 ms  1.524 ms
 3  115.113.165.197.static-mumbai.vsnl.net.in (115.113.165.197)  1.920 ms  1.704 ms  1.893 ms
 4  115.113.165.98.static-mumbai.vsnl.net.in (115.113.165.98)  1.958 ms  2.143 ms  1.922 ms
 5  * * *
 6  dns.google (8.8.8.8)  1.631 ms  1.482 ms  1.453 ms

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
#
```

Nslookup:

```
(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# nslookup 8.8.8.8
8.8.8.8.in-addr.arpa      name = dns.google.
Authoritative answers can be found from:

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
#
```

```

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# nslookup www.google.com
Server:      172.16.100.2
Address:     172.16.100.2#53

Non-authoritative answer:
Name:   www.google.com
Address: 142.250.183.164
Name:   www.google.com
Address: 2404:6800:4009:825::2004

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
#

```

ARP:

```

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# arp -v
Address                  Hwtype  Hwaddress      Flags Mask              Iface
172.16.30.1              ether   d4:76:a0:01:3a:48 C                  eth0
Entries: 1      Skipped: 0      Found: 1

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
#

```

Dig:

```

(root@kali)-[/home/kali]
# dig www.google.com

; <<>> DiG 9.19.21-1+b1-Debian <<>> www.google.com
;; global options: +cmd
;; Got answer:
;; ->HEADER<- opcode: QUERY, status: NOERROR, id: 27748
;; flags: qr rd ra; QUERY: 1, ANSWER: 1, AUTHORITY: 0, ADDITIONAL: 1

;; OPT PSEUDOSECTION:
; EDNS: version: 0, flags:; udp: 4000
;; QUESTION SECTION:
;www.google.com.                IN      A

;; ANSWER SECTION:
www.google.com.                211     IN      A      142.250.183.164

;; Query time: 4 msec
;; SERVER: 172.16.100.2#53(172.16.100.2) (UDP)
;; WHEN: Fri Jul 26 11:42:37 IST 2024
;; MSG SIZE rcvd: 59

```

1.8 Conclusion:

Hence we learned about Network reconnaissance tools and how to perform them in kali linux

1.9 Questions:

1. The **IP** command can show address information, manipulate routing, plus display network various devices, interfaces, and tunnels.
2. The **Tcpdump** command is designed for capturing and displaying packets.
3. The **Netstat** tool is used for printing network connections, routing tables, interface statistics, masquerade connections, and multicast memberships.
4. The **nslookup** utility is used to query Internet name servers interactively.
5. **Ping** is a tool that verifies IP-level connectivity to another TCP/IP computer by sending Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP) Echo Request messages.