

## Using *nmap*

**nmap** is one of the most powerful tools to perform the network analysis.

Please, refer to the following website about the installation and scanning with **nmap**.

[www.nmap.org](http://www.nmap.org)

### Questions:

1. By default, **nmap** will send an **ICMP** echo to each host it scans. Hosts that respond to it will be considered by **nmap** to be up.
  - Use a **ping** scan to determine the hosts that are alive on your network.
  - Record the results.
  - Which command would you use to specify the particular subnet of your network?
2. Sometimes **ICMP** echo requests may be blocked by some sites. In this case, a **TCP** "ping" sweep can be used to scan a target's network. A **TCP** "ping" will send an ACK to each machine on a target network.
  - Conduct **TCP** connect, **Stealth**, and **UDP** scanning.
  - Record your results.
  - Explain the difference between these three types of scanning.
3. **nmap** is often capable of determining the operating system of a scanned host.
  - Scan operating system of a remote machine.
  - Record the results.
4. Scan **port 22** on destination machine.
  - Record your results.
  - What does port number 22 represent?
5. Conduct **nmap -T4 -A -v target host**.
  - Record the results.
  - Explain the functions of the switches (-T, -A, -v)