



Category: Network Traffic Analysis

Bracket: Bronze

Title: HTTP Challenge **SOLUTION**

This challenge evaluates the participant's ability to understand a packet capture containing Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP) traffic -

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/e6akwxnsun8bipb/NCL-2015-HTTP2.pcap?dl=0>. During the game, it was suggested to use the Wireshark program to solve the challenge.

1. What Linux tool was used to execute a file download?	wget
2. What is the name of the web server software that handled the request?	nginx
3. What IP address initiated request?	192.168.1.140
4. What is the IP address of the server?	174.143.213.184
5. What is the MD5 sum of the file downloaded?	966007c476e0c200fba8b28b250a6379

Question 1 can be solved by applying the filter below and looking at the Wireshark dissection:

`http.request`





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> Frame 4: 200 bytes on wire (1600 bits), 200 bytes captured (1600 bits)
> Ethernet II, Src: AsustekC_b3:01:84 (00:1d:60:b3:01:84), Dst: Actionte_2f:47:87 (00:26:62:2f:47:87)
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 192.168.1.140, Dst: 174.143.213.184
> Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 57678 (57678), Dst Port: 80 (80), Seq: 1, Ack: 1, Len: 134
▼ Hypertext Transfer Protocol
  ▼ GET /images/layout/logo.png HTTP/1.0\r\n
    > [Expert Info (Chat/Sequence): GET /images/layout/logo.png HTTP/1.0\r\n]
      Request Method: GET
      Request URI: /images/layout/logo.png
      Request Version: HTTP/1.0
      User-Agent: Wget/1.12 (linux-gnu)\r\n
      Accept: */*\r\n
      Host: packetlife.net\r\n
      Connection: Keep-Alive\r\n
      \r\n
      [Full request URI: http://packetlife.net/images/layout/logo.png]
      [HTTP request 1/1]
      [Response in frame: 36]
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Questions 2-4 can be solved by applying the filter below and looking at the Wireshark dissection:

http.response

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> Frame 36: 391 bytes on wire (3128 bits), 391 bytes captured (3128 bits)
> Ethernet II, Src: Actionte_2f:47:87 (00:26:62:2f:47:87), Dst: AsustekC_b3:01:84 (00:1d:60:b3:01:84)
> Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 174.143.213.184, Dst: 192.168.1.140
> Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 80 (80), Dst Port: 57678 (57678), Seq: 21721, Ack: 135, Len: 325
> [16 Reassembled TCP Segments (22045 bytes): #6(1448), #8(1448), #10(1448), #12(1448), #14(1448), #16(1448),
▼ Hypertext Transfer Protocol
  ▼ HTTP/1.1 200 OK\r\n
    > [Expert Info (Chat/Sequence): HTTP/1.1 200 OK\r\n]
      Request Version: HTTP/1.1
      Status Code: 200
      Response Phrase: OK
      Server: nginx/0.8.53\r\n
      Date: Tue, 01 Mar 2011 20:45:16 GMT\r\n
      Content-Type: image/png\r\n
      > Content-Length: 21684\r\n
      Last-Modified: Fri, 21 Jan 2011 03:41:14 GMT\r\n
      Connection: keep-alive\r\n
      Keep-Alive: timeout=20\r\n
      Expires: Wed, 29 Feb 2012 20:45:16 GMT\r\n
      Cache-Control: max-age=31536000\r\n
      Cache-Control: public\r\n
      Vary: Accept-Encoding\r\n
      Accept-Ranges: bytes\r\n
      \r\n
      [HTTP response 1/1]
      [Time since request: 0.152882000 seconds]
      [Request in frame: 4]
    > Portable Network Graphics
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Question 5 can be solved by selecting the Wireshark option, “File > Export Objects > HTTP” and then using the Linux “md5sum” program to calculate the MD5 sum:

