Network Security Laboratory Session 6

LAYER 3 ATTACKS

IP Spoofing

Similar to ARP spoofing attack but it relies on the IP address of a victim host

There are many different techniques to perform this attack but the most common is to use an ARP poisoner

In this case the ARP poisoner will send ARP reply associating its MAC address to the victim IP Address

When the router will forward packets the attacker will receive all the data

DNS Spoofing

DNS cache poisoning (or DNS Spoofing), is a form of computer security hacking in which corrupt Domain Name System data is introduced into the DNS resolver's cache

It causes the name server to return an incorrect result record (for example, an wrong IP address)

All the traffic is diverted to the attacker's computer (or to any other computer)

Man In The Middle (MITM)

All the attacks we built so far are part of MITM

A MITM is a type of attack in which an Host is able to capture, read and forward packets of other hosts

We will try to create a full-duplex MITM, based on ARP Spoofing, using ettercap

Ettercap

Ettercap is a well-known tool for MITM attacks

► We will focus on ARP and DNS spoofing attacks

Install Ettercap using the following command

sudo apt install ettercap-text-only