

MASQUE CONNECT-UDP Listener

[draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen](#)

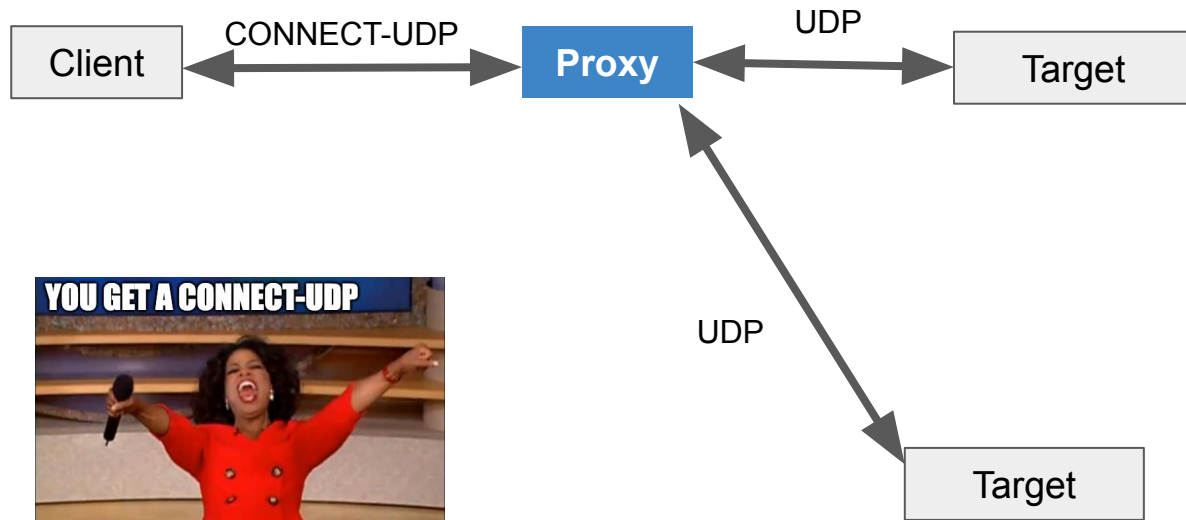
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CONNECT-UDP - with Listener support

Infinite 5-tuples using just one CONNECT-UDP connection.



How does it work?

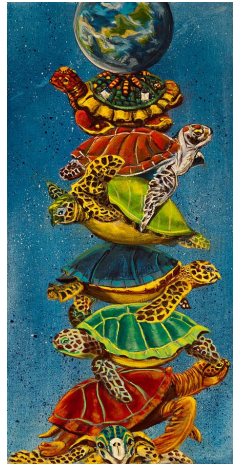
HEADERS

```
:method = CONNECT
:protocol = connect-udp
:scheme = https
:path = /masque/udp/*/*/
:authority = proxy.org
capsule-protocol = ?1
connect-udp-listen = 42
```

```
DATAGRAM QUIC Frame {
  Type (i) = 0x30..0x31,
  [Length (i)],
  Quarter Stream ID (i),
  Context ID (i) = 42,
  IP Version (8),
  IP Address (32..128),
  UDP Port (16),
  UDP Payload (..),
}
```

QUIC
HTTP/3
CONNECT-UDP
CONNECT-UDP-Listen

Context ID registered by header – payload then contains IP & port



More about the IP fields

```
IP Version (8),  
IP Address (32..128),  
UDP Port (16),
```

These Fields reflect:

client -> proxy

Target IP/Port PER PAYLOAD


proxy -> client

Source IP/Port PER PAYLOAD

Shall we validate source packets?

Open Issues


<https://github.com/ietf-wg-masque/draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen/issues>

 **Feature request: compress away IP and port from each HTTP Datagram**

#14 opened on Feb 15 by DavidSchinazi

 **Feature request: allow restricting accessible IPs**

#13 opened on Feb 15 by DavidSchinazi

 **Feature request: allow proxy to send public IP and port to client**

#12 opened on Feb 15 by DavidSchinazi

 **Improve document title** editorial

#1 opened on Jul 12, 2022 by LPardue

Improve Document Title (#1)

- <https://github.com/ietf-wg-masque/draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen/issues/1>
- Name it to better reflect what it does
- From the mailing list
 - bind-udp
 - connect-udp binding extension
 - connect-udp-stable
 - mirroring-proxy

Feature request: allow proxy to send public IP and port to client #12

<https://github.com/ietf-wg-masque/draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen/issues/12>

- Useful for a client to have this information
 - Embed it in the response of the client's CONNECT-UDP request?
 - Add response header
 - proxy-public-address= List of [IP:port]s
 - Allow midstream changes? Server sends newly allocated public IP info via capsule
- PR:

<https://github.com/ietf-wg-masque/draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen/pull/18>

Feature request: allow restricting accessible IPs #13

<https://github.com/ietf-wg-masque/draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen/issues/13>

- Proposition: Allow all target traffic. Add a security consideration for it.
 - Unlike non binding CONNECT-UDP, since the proxies tunnel datagrams from any target to clients bound to their respective public IP and ports, the clients SHOULD be ready to handle potential unwanted traffic from unknown destinations.
- If WG deems it necessary:
 - Allow client to specify allowed IP addresses and ranges via capsules.
 - Does it need deletion functionality?

PR: <https://github.com/ietf-wg-masque/draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen/pull/17>

Feature request: compress away IP and port from each HTTP Datagram #14

<https://github.com/ietf-wg-masque/draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen/issues/14>

- Our proposed header adds 19 bytes of overhead per packet
- For compressed audio formats, it may represent >50% of net bandwidth.
- Proposition: Header compression using Context IDs

PR: <https://github.com/ietf-wg-masque/draft-ietf-masque-connect-udp-listen/pull/19>

- 1.) Client registers a unique Context ID per 2 tuple using a `COMPRESSION_REQUEST` capsule
- 2.) Proxy confirms via `COMPRESSION_ASSIGN` capsule
- 3.) Omit IP/Port information for future frames to/from the same target.
- 4.) Reserve context ID = 0 for uncompressed frames

```
Capsule {  
  Type = COMPRESSION_REQUEST,  
  Quarter Stream ID = 11  
  Context ID (i) = 2,  
  IP Version = 4,  
  IP Address = 192.0.42.1,  
  UDP Port = 3939,  
}  
  
Capsule {  
  Type = COMPRESSION_ASSIGN,  
  Quarter Stream ID = 11  
  Context ID (i) = 2,  
}  
  
DATAGRAM {  
  Quarter Stream ID = 11,  
  Context ID (i) = 2,  
  UDP Payload = ...,  
}
```

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