

MiniUPnPd with PCP support

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Introduction

- MiniUPnPd
 - UPnP IGD and NATPMP daemon
 - used to control port mapping on Home gateways (e.g. OpenWRT, TomatoUSB and others)
 - Project's website <http://miniupnp.free.fr/>
 - GitHub repository: <https://github.com/miniupnp/miniupnp>
- Goal:
 - Add PCP MAP operation support
 - Optionally add PCP PEER operation support
 - Create test platform for future PCP extensions i.e. flow priority, metadata ...
 - Implemented experimental DSCP marking of flows signaled by PCP PEER operation and FLOWPRIORITY PCP option.



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- Implementation challenges and details
 - support both existing NATPMP and a new PCP on same port 5351
 - PCP / NATPMP branch decision based on 1st byte (version for both protocols)
 - 0 -> NATPMP
 - 1 -> PCP
 - original NATPMP code had both receiving and processing of the packet implemented in one function
 - split into two functions `ReceiveNATPMPOrPCPPacket` and `ProcessIncomingNATPMPPacket`
 - Create new function `ProcessIncomingPCPPacket` to handle PCP messages
 - MAP operation uses same port mapping functions as a NATPMP and UPnP => works on all platforms
 - PEER operation needs to implement new port mapping functions
 - implementation was done only on Linux/netfilter platform



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- Current status:
 - libpcp/miniupnp(<https://github.com/libpcp/miniupnp>) forked from main branch miniupnp/miniupnp
 - merged back into upstream repository on 7/12/2013
 - Pull request and patch is available at url:
<https://github.com/miniupnp/miniupnp/pull/41>
- Obtaining source code:
 - Source code is now available in upstream version using git:
git clone <https://github.com/miniupnp/miniupnp.git>
 - Sending of PCP messages is possible by PCP client available at
<https://github.com/libpcp/pcp>



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- Building and running instructions:
 - Create config.h with enabled PCP MAP operation only:
 - cd miniupnp/miniupnpd
 - ./genconfig.sh --pcp
 - For both PCP PEER and MAP operations enabled:
 - ./genconfig.sh --pcp-peer
 - Compile sources for Linux platform
 - make -f Makefile.linux
 - Install iptables rules
 - sudo netfilter/iptables_init.sh
 - Edit miniupnpd.conf file. Fill correct values into ext_if_name and listening_ip
 - Run daemon on foreground
 - sudo ./miniupnpd -f miniupnpd.conf -d



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Server console:

```
server:$sudo ./miniupnpd -f miniupnpd.conf -d
miniupnpd[31907]: system uptime is 5572747 seconds
miniupnpd[31907]: Starting NAT-PMP/PCP UPnP-IGD with external
interface eth1
miniupnpd[31907]: HTTP listening on port 46156
miniupnpd[31907]: Listening for NAT-PMP/PCP traffic on port 5351
miniupnpd[31907]: PCP request received from 10.20.40.2:51365
60bytes
miniupnpd[31907]: PCP MAP: added mapping TCP 1234-
>10.20.40.2:1234 'PCP 1234 tcp'
miniupnpd[32040]: PCP request received from 10.20.40.2:41573
80bytes
miniupnpd[32040]: PCP PEER: added mapping UDP
10.20.40.2:1234(1234)->8.8.0.0:9 'PCP 1234 udp'
Ctrl+C
```

```
server:$ sudo iptables -t nat -nL MINIUPNPD
Chain MINIUPNPD (2 references)
target    prot opt source          destination
DNAT      tcp  --  0.0.0.0/0      0.0.0.0/0      tcp dpt:1234 to:
10.20.40.2:1234
```

```
server:$ sudo iptables -t nat -nL MINIUPNPD-PCP-PEER
Chain MINIUPNPD-PCP-PEER (1 references)
target    prot opt source          destination
SNAT      udp  --  10.20.40.2     8.8.0.0       udp spt:1234
dpt:9 to:172.29.50.52:1234
```

Client console:

```
client:$ ./pcp -s <server_ip> -i :1234 -d
client:$ ./pcp -s <server_ip> -i :1234 -p 8.8.0.0:9 -u -d
```



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