

Study the Behavior of One-Way TCP

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Abstract— The one-way TCP versions are differ with respect to their congestion control and segment loss recovery techniques. The congestion control used to determine the window size according to the bandwidth available on the network. This paper uses simulation to compare the one-way TCP versions that are *TAHOE*, *RENO*, *NERRENO*, *VEGAS*, *FACK*, *SACK*, *LINUX* according to throughput, dropped packets, normalize routing load (NRL), average end to end delay , packet delivery fraction (PDF), and average jitter in MANET to study the behavior of these types in order to know the best one than others. This paper applies the simulation using NS-2 with all types of sink that work with TCP like *TCPSink*, *TCPSink/DelAck*, *TCPSink/Sack1*, and *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck*.

TAHOE, *RENO*, *NERRENO*, *VEGAS*, *FACK*, *SACK*, *LINUX*.

I. INTRODUCTION

TCP transmission control protocol has two common features that are reliability and connection oriented [1]. The reliability performed by using the acknowledgement. When the packet reaches to the receiver, it is return an ACK packet to the sender. If the sender not receive an ACK packet from the receiver in certain period of time, the TCP sender will assume that the packet is lost and will retransmit this packet again [2]. There are two types of TCP that are one-way TCP and two-way TCP. One-way TCP include *Tahoe*, *Reno*, *NewReno*, *Vegas*, *Fack*, *Sack*, *Linus*. Two-way TCP include *FullTCP* only [3]. In *Tahoe*, the congestion control has three algorithms that are slow-start, congestion avoidance and fast retransmission. *Reno* adds the fast recovery algorithm to the algorithms available in *Tahoe*. *NewReno* like *Reno* but it is modify the recovery operation to deal with multiple packets instead of one in single transmission window [4]. *Sack* is faster than *NewReno* in the recovery operation from multiple losses [5]. *Vegas* present new technique for congestion detecting during congestion avoidance and slow-start. Also, there is modification of transmission strategy [6]. *Fack* is *Reno* TCP with forward acknowledgement. In *Linux*, the congestion control of TCP is imported from kernel of linux. The TCP sender must peer with a “TCP sink” objects like *TCPSink*, *TCPSink/DelAck*, *TCPSink/Sack1*, and *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* work as receiver. For more information about TCP sink see [3].

II. RELATED WORK

Muhammad Ijaz and et al. at 2009 studied the performance of AODV, DSR and TORA with different TCP types (*Tahoe*, *Reno* and *NewReno*) in terms of throughput, delay and congestion window. From the results, they concluded that AODV is the best routing protocol for MANET [4].

Tayade Mandakini and et al. compared *Tahoe*, *Reno*, *New Reno*, *Sack*, *Westwood*, and *Vegas* in MANET based on congestion avoidance, fast recovery, slow start, fast retransmission, selective acknowledgment and congestion control. From the results, they found that the network effected on the TCP variant behavior. These TCP variant has solution for the problems of the network [7].

Ahmed jawad kadhim at 2013 modify NS-2 by adding TCP variants to it. From the results, he found the network simulator NS-2 becomes more efficient to help the searchers to study the behavior of the TCP types as a sender and receiver [8].

III. THE SIMULATION

NS-2 was used to implement MANET environment for 10 different runs in order to collect the values of the performance metrics for each version of TCP. Table (1) represents the parameters of suggested MANET.

Table1: The parameters of MANET

Parameter	Value
The network simulator	NS-34
The number of nodes	20
Routing protocol	AODV
Simulation time	80
Simulation area	1000 m * 1000m
Pause time	4 s
The speed of nodes	10 m/s

Max connection	5
TCP version as sender	Tahoe, Reno, Newreno, Sack1, Fack, Vegas, and Linux.
TCP as receiver	TCPSink, TCPSink/DelAck, TCPSink/Sack1, and TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck.
Propagation model	Two ray round.
MAC	802.11
Antenna	Omni Antenna
Traffic type	FTP
Packets size	512 bytes /second
Transition rate	4 packets/second
Mobility model	Random way point model
Speed type	Uniform
Pause time type	Uniform

IV. THE RESULTS

The results of the performance metrics of the MANET for each version of TCP are obtained by running the simulation 10 times and then find the average of it.

Figure (1), Figure (2), Figure (3), Figure (4), Figure (5), and Figure (6) represent the throughput, the dropped packets, PDF, NRL, average end-to-end delay, and average jitter respectively of the all TCP versions as sender and *TCPSink* as receiver.

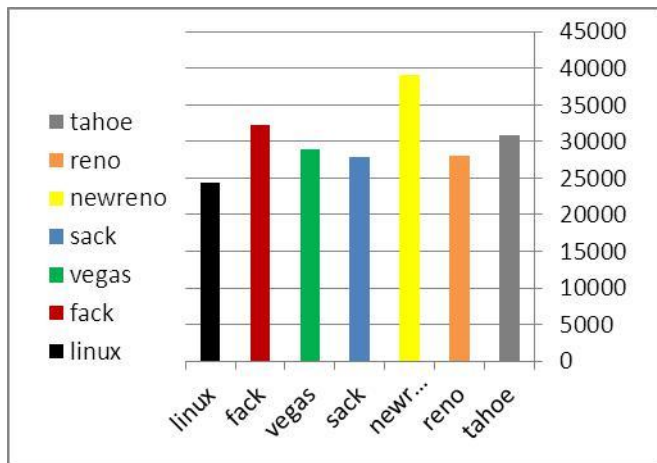


Figure 1: The throughput of all TCP versions with *TCPSink* as receiver

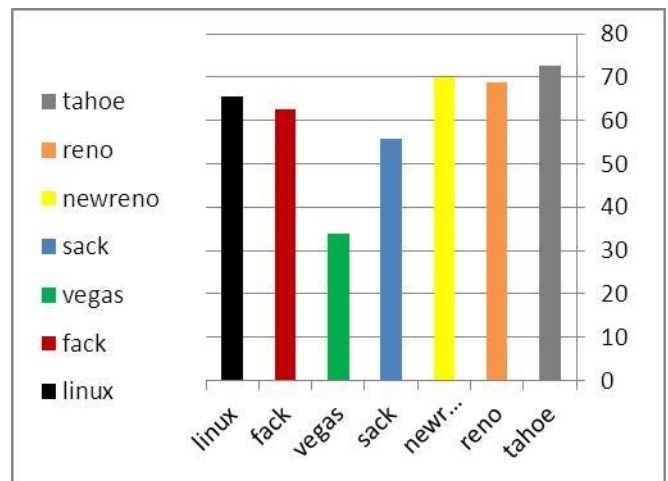


Figure 2: Dropped packets of all TCP versions with *TCPSink* as receiver

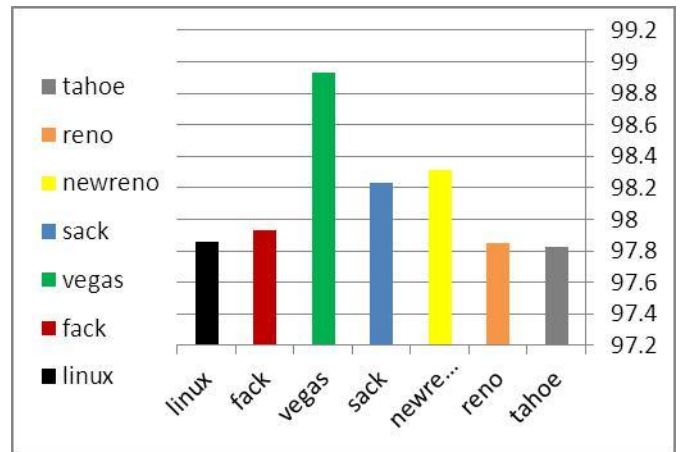


Figure 3: PDF of all TCP versions with *TCPSink* as receiver

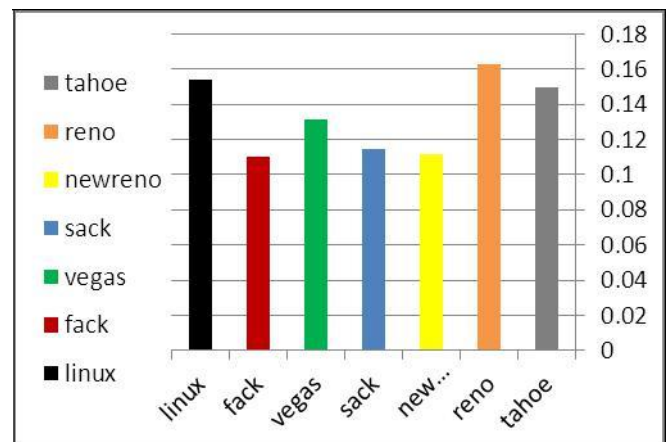


Figure 4: NRL of all TCP versions with *TCPSink* as receiver

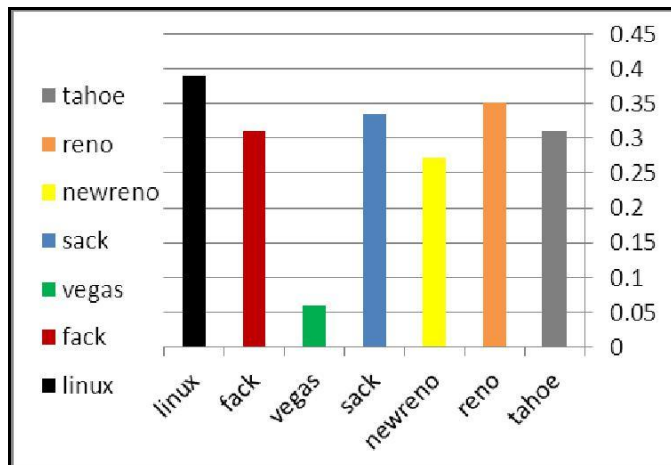


Figure 5: Average E2E delay of all TCP versions with TCPSink as receiver

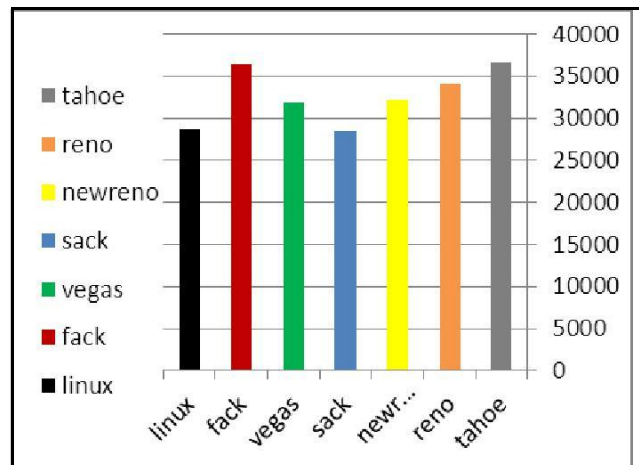


Figure 7: The throughput of all TCP versions with TCPSink/DelAck as receiver

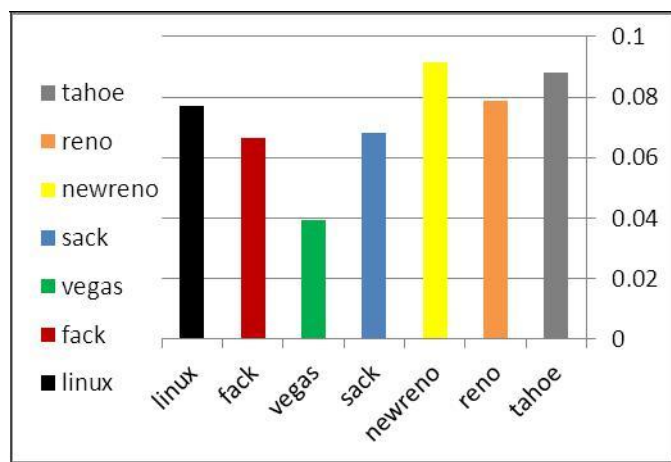


Figure 6: Average jitter of all TCP versions with TCPSink as receiver

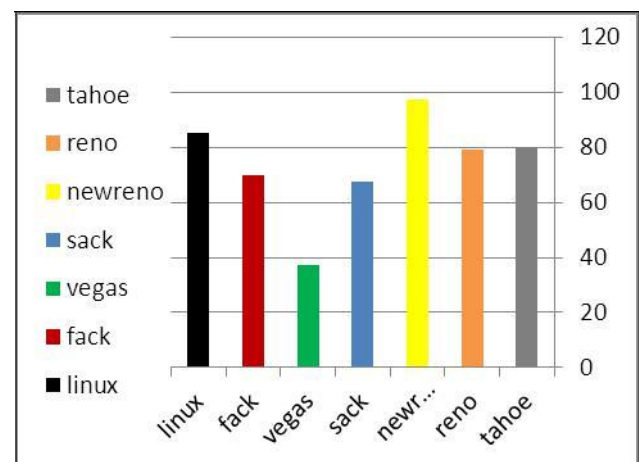


Figure 8: Dropped packets of all TCP versions with TCPSink/DelAck as receiver

Figure (7), Figure (8), Figure (9), Figure (10), Figure (11), and Figure (12) represent the throughput, the dropped packets, PDF, NRL, average end-to-end delay, and average jitter respectively of the all TCP versions as sender and TCPSink/DelAck as receiver.

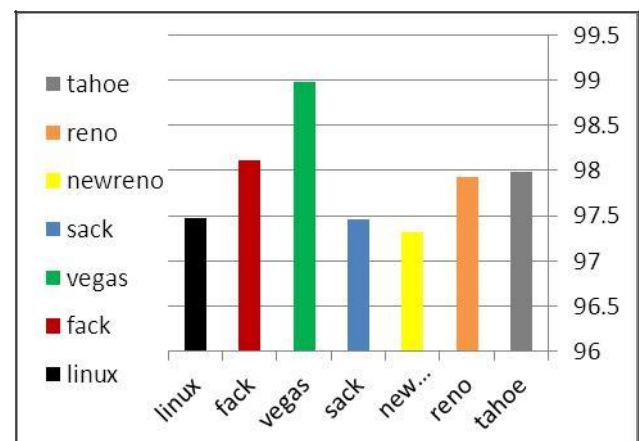


Figure 9: PDF of all TCP versions with TCPSink/DelAck as receiver

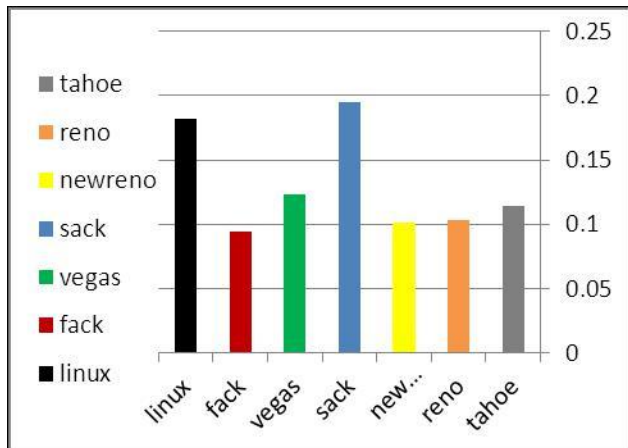


Figure 10: NRL of all TCP versions with TCPSink/DelAck as receiver

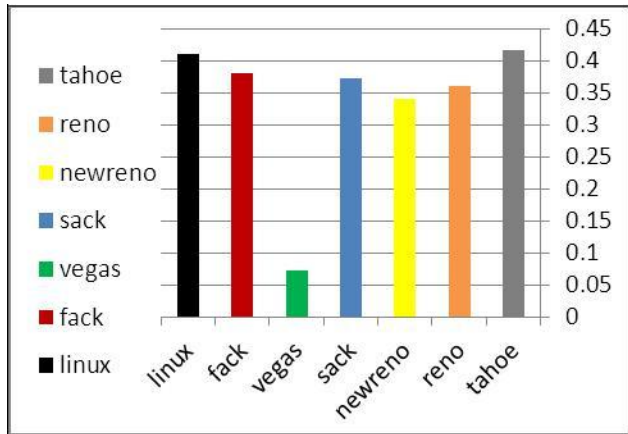


Figure 11: Average E2E delay of all TCP versions with TCPSink/DelAck as receiver

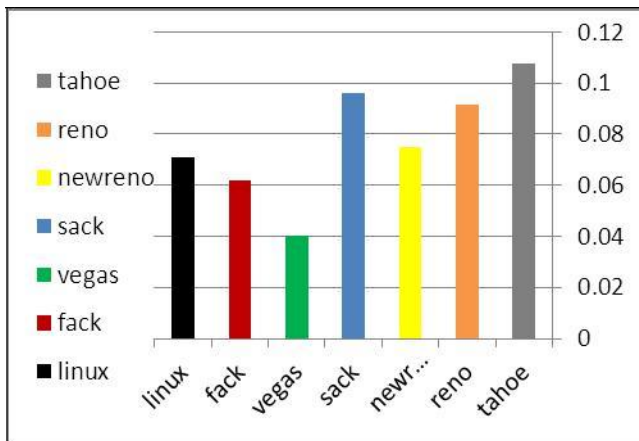


Figure 12: Average jitter of all TCP versions with TCPSink/DelAck as receiver

Figure (13), Figure (14), Figure (15), Figure (16), Figure (17), and Figure (18) represent the throughput, the dropped packets, PDF, NRL, average end-to-end delay, and average jitter respectively of the all TCP versions as sender and TCPSink/Sack1 as receiver.

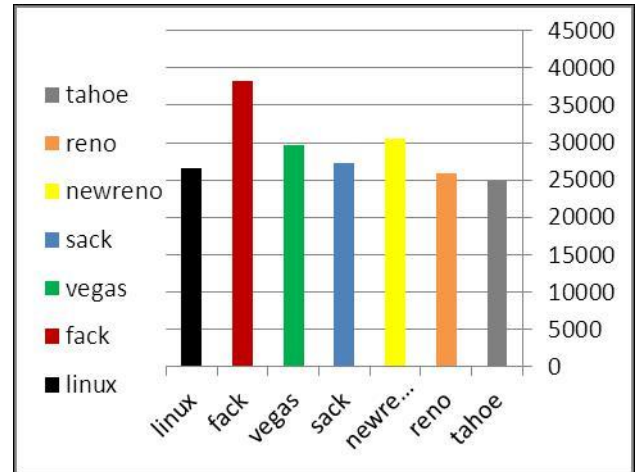


Figure 13: The throughput of all TCP versions with TCPSink/Sack1 as receiver

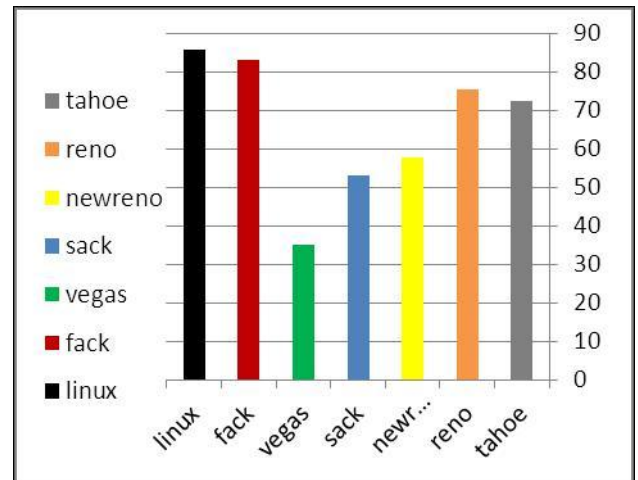


Figure 14: Dropped packets of all TCP versions with TCPSink/Sack1 as receiver

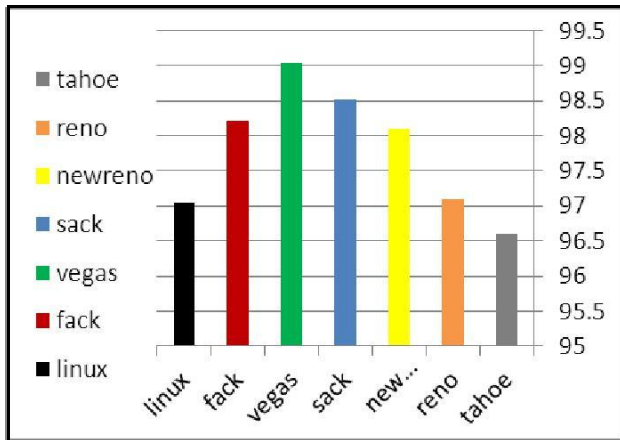


Figure 15: PDF of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1* as receiver

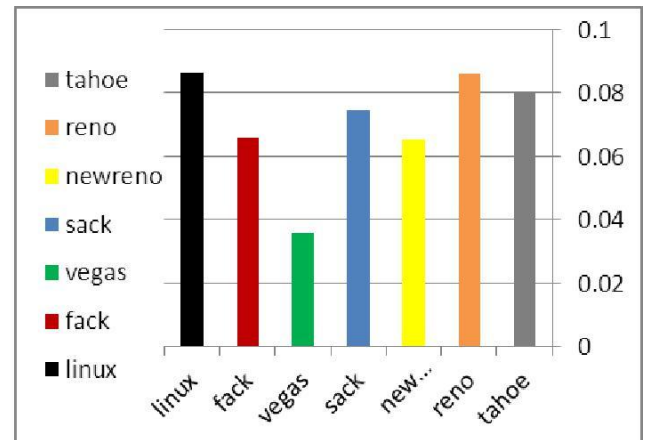


Figure 18: Average jitter of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1* as receiver

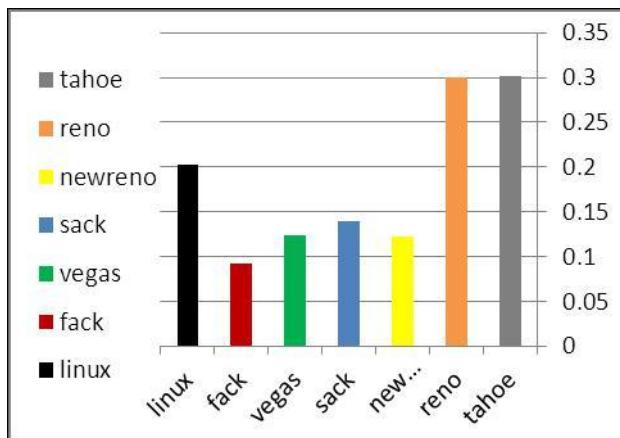


Figure 16: NRL of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1* as receiver

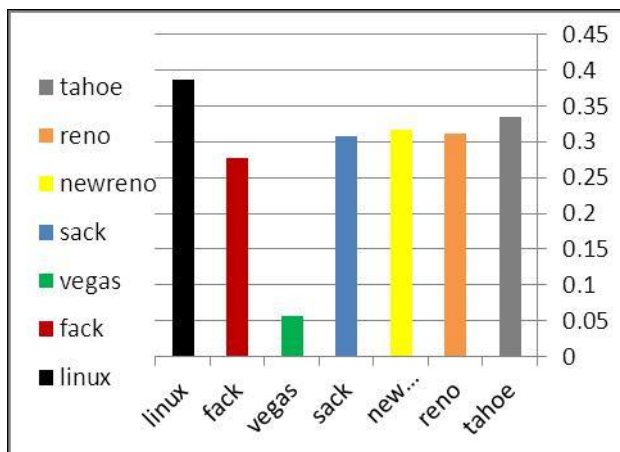


Figure 17: Average E2E delay of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1* as receiver

Figure (19), Figure (20), Figure (21), Figure (22), Figure (23), and Figure (24) represent the throughput, the dropped packets, PDF, NRL, average end-to-end delay, and average jitter respectively of the all TCP versions as sender and *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* as receiver.

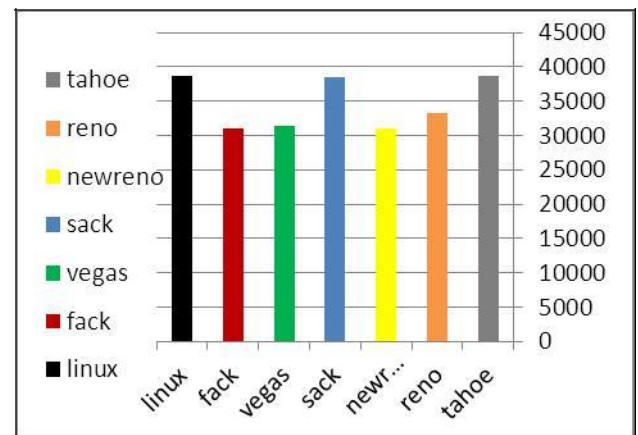


Figure 19: The throughput of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* as receiver

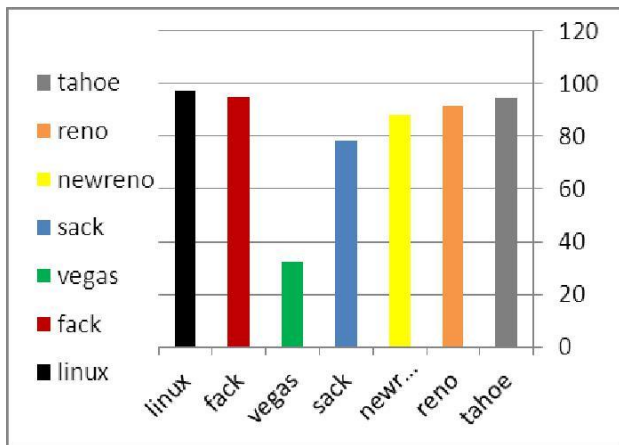


Figure 20: Dropped packets of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* receiver

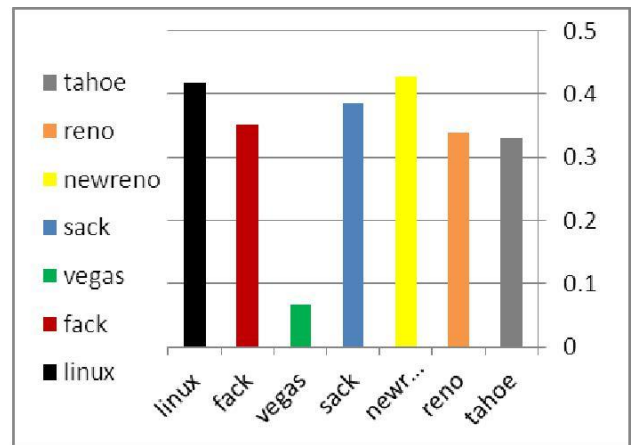


Figure 23: Average E2E2delay of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* as receiver

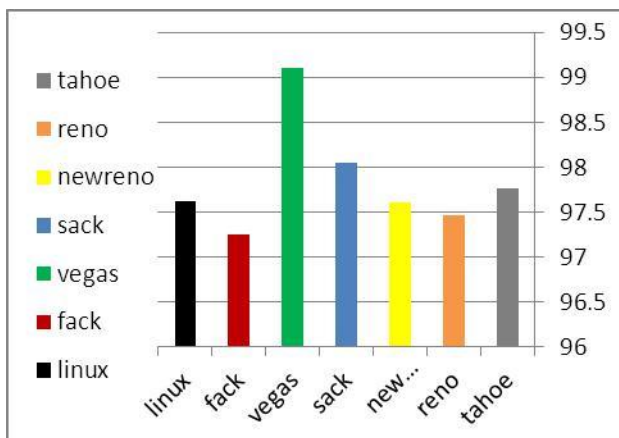


Figure 21: PDF of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* as receiver

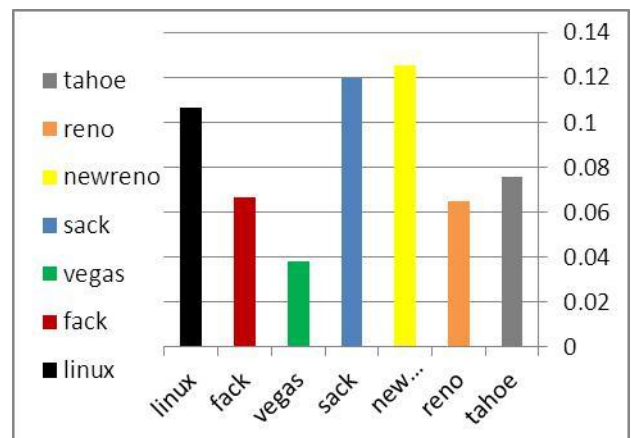


Figure 24: Average jitter of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* as receiver

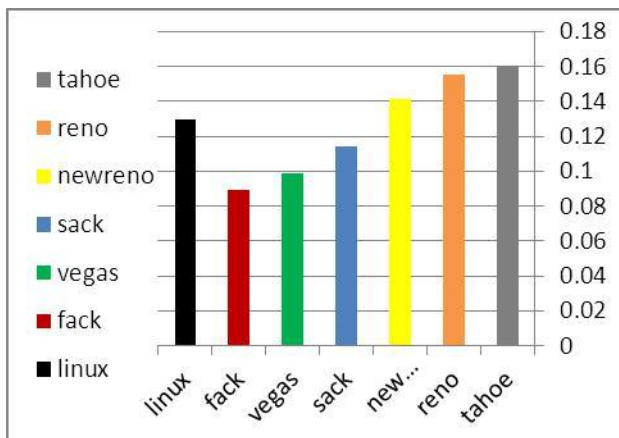


Figure 22: NRL of all TCP versions with *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* receiver

V. CONCLUSION

In MANET, the results explained that the *Vegas-TCP* version is the best in the terms of dropped packets, PDF, average end-to-end delay, and average jitter with *TCPSink*, *TCPSink/DelAck*, *TCPSink/Sack1*, and *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* as receiver. While the *Fack-TCP* version is suitable for all above versions as receiver in term of NRL. In the case of the throughput, *Newreno-TCP* is the best version in the *TCPSink* as receiver, *Tahoe-TCP* is the best for the receiver type *TCPSink/DelAck*, *Fack-TCP* version is suitable for *TCPSink/Sack1*, and *Linux-TCP* is better for *TCPSink/Sack1/DelAck* as receiver.

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