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# TCP and UDP Protocol Blocking Configuration

The parameter `udp_block` is responsible for blocking the UDP protocol. If the `udp_block` parameter is present in the DPI configuration file `/etc/dpi/fastdpi.conf`, both TCP and UDP will be blocked; if absent, only TCP will be blocked.

To start blocking UDP protocols (e.g., QUIC), add the `udp_block` parameter with a value of 2 or 3 (start blocking after two or three passed packets). These values are set because sometimes a large number of individual packets pass, which are not accounted for in the traffic but can put a heavy load on DPI.

```
udp_block=3
```

Adding the parameter does not require a DPI restart; a simple reload is sufficient:

```
service fastdpi reload
```