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Aim : Study various Network commands used in Linux and windows.

### Basic Networking Commands

#### windows:

1. arp -a

O/P : Interface : 172.16.75.78 .... 0x5

172.16.72.1 7c-5a-1c-cf-6e-41 dynamic

244.0.0.2 ff-ff-ff-ff-ff-ff static

239.192.152.43 01-00-5e-40-98-bf static

2. hostname

O/P : ks03-78

3. ipconfig /all

O/P windows IP config

Host name : ks03-78

Node type : hybrid

ethernet adapter

Media state : disconnected

Description : Intel (R) connection

4. nbtstat -a

O/P local area connection \* 11 :

Node IP Address : [0.0.0.0]

No names in cache

Ethernet

Node IP Address : [0.0.0.0]



5) netstat -r

O/P : Interface list

11... 20 88 10 86 70 2b  
16... 4e 82 09 78 70 4b

IPv4 Route table

Network Destination	Netmask	Gateway	Interface	Metric
0.0.0.0	0.0.0.0	172.16.72.1	172.16.78.29	29

6) nslookup www.google.com

O/P : Server : unknown

Address : 172.16.72.1 www.google.com

Name : www.google.com

7) pathping www.google.com

O/P : Tracing Route

0 k803-78

1 172.16.72.1

Hop RTT lost/ sent = PCT Address  
1 20ms 0/100 = 0 % 172.16.72.1

8) ping localhost

O/P pinging k803-78

Reply from :: 1 : Time < lms

Packets : sent = 4 , received = 4 , lost = 0

Minimum = 0 ms , Maximum = 10 ms

a) route print

O/P Interface list

11... 20 88 10 86 70 2b  
16... 4e 82 09 78 70 4b

IPv4 Route table

Destination	Netmask	Gateway	Interface	Metric
127.0.0.0	255.0.0.0	on-link	127.0.0.1	331

## Linux commands

1) `ip`: Setting up new systems and assigning IP's to trouble shooting existing systems

`ip <OPTIONS> <OBJECT> <COMMANDS>`

a) `ip address show`

O/P

1. lo : <LOOPBACK, UP, LOWER\_UP>

2. enps31f6 : <NO\_CARRIER, BROADCAST, MULTICAST, UP>

3. wlp2s0 : <BROADCAST, MULTICAST, UP, LOWER\_UP>

b) Add an IP address.

`ip address add 192.168.1.254/24 dev enps31f6`

RTNETLINK answers : File exists.

c) To delete an IP

`ip address del 192.168.1.254/24 dev enps31f6`.

d) Alter the status of The Interface [online]

`ip link set enps31f6 up`

e) Alter The status of The Interface [offline]

`ip link set enps31f6 promisc on down`

f) Alter the status by enabling promiscuous mode.

`ip link set enps31f6 promisc on`

g) Add a default route

`ip route add default via 192.168.1.254 dev enps31f6`

h) ~~Add~~ Add a route via gateway.

`ip route add 192.168.1.0/24 via 192.168.1.254`

i) Add a route that can be reached on device

`ip route add 192.168.1.0/24 dev enps31f6`

j) Delete The route

`ip route delete 192.168.1.0/24 via 192.168.1.254`

k) Display the route

ip route get 10.10.1.4

l) ifconfig : It is a staple in many sys admin's tool belt for configuring and troubleshooting networks.

output :

enps31f6: flag = 4099 <UP, BROADCAST, MULTICAST> mtu 1500  
ether 20:88:10:86:8d:d4 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)

RX Packets 0 bytes 0 (0.0 B) errors 0 dropped 0 overrun 0 frame 0

RX errors 0 dropped 0 overrun 0 frame 0

TX packets 0 bytes 0 (0.0 B)

lo : flags = 73 <UP, LOOPBACK, RUNNING> mtu 65536

inet 127.0.0.1 netmask 255.0.0.0

inet ::1 prefixlen 128 scopeid 0x10<host>

wlp2s0 : flag = 4163 <UP, BROADCAST, RUNNING, MULTICAST> mtu 1500.

3) mtr : (Matt's traceroute) is a program with a command-line interface that serves as a network diagnostic and troubleshooting tool.

syntax : mtr <options> hostname / IP

a) The basic mtr command shows you the statistics, including each hop (hostnames), with time and loss %:

mtr google.com

O/P My traceroute [v0.95]

fedora (172.16.75.86) → google.com (142.251.221.20)

2025-07-14 09:04:22 +0530

keys : Help Display mode Restart statistics orders & fields.

Host	packets			pings		
	loss%	snt	last	Avg	Best	wrst
1. - gateway	0.0%	219	2.2	5.6	1.8	82.5
2. 142.250.171	0.0%	261	7.2	12.0	4.6	253.2
3. 142.251.227	17.0%	261	175.5	185.6	154.9	344.2

(b) show numeric IP addresses

mtr -g google.com

c) show the numeric IP addresses and hostnames too:

mtr -b google.com.

d) Set the number of pings.

mtr -c 10 google.com.

4) tcpdump : It is designed for capturing and displaying packets.

For install : dnf install -y tcpdump

a) tcpdump -i enps31f6

This command captures the traffic on enps31f6.

O/P : dropped privs to tcpdump

tcpdump : verbose output suppressed, use -v[-v] for full protocol decode.

b) tcpdump -i enps31f6 -c 10 host 8.8.8.8 :

To capture traffic to and coming from one specific host

O/P : dropped privs to tcpdump

tcpdump : verbose output suppressed, use -v[-v] for full protocol decode.

snapshot length 262244 bytes.

0 packets captured.

- o packets received by filter.
- o packets dropped by kernel.

c) tcpdump & enps31f6 nlt 10.1.0.0 mask 255.255.255.0  
To capture traffic to and from a specific network.

O/P : dropped privs to tcpdump.

Tcpdump : verbose output suppressed, use -v [v]...  
for full protocol decode.

Listening on enps31f6, link-type EN10MB (Ethernet)

- o packets captured

- o packets received by filter.

d) tcpdump -& enps31f6 port 53:

To capture traffic to and from port numbers.

O/P : dropped privs to tcpdump.

Tcpdump : verbose output suppressed, use -v [v].  
for full protocol decode.

- o packets captured

- o packets received by filter.

5) Ping : It is used to troubleshoot connectivity,  
reachability and name resolution.

ping google.com

O/P : PING google.com (142.253.221.288) 56 (34)

bytes of data

From fedora (192.168.1.294) icmp\_seq=1

Destination Host unreachable.

From fedora (192.168.1.294) icmp\_seq=2

Destination

Host unreachable.

## Student Observation

1) which command is used to find the reachability of a host machine from your device?

Ans `ping <hostname or IP>`

e.g. `ping google.com`

2) which command will give the details of hops taken by packet to reach its destination?

`mtr <hostname>`

`mtr google.com`

3) which command displays the IP configuration of your machine

on linux : `ip address show`

on windows : `ip config /all`

4) which command displays the TCP port status?

`netstat`

`netstat -a`

5) write the command to modify the IP configuration in a Linux machine?

to add : `ip address add 192.168.1.254/24 dev enp0s31f6`

to del : `ip address del 192.168.254/24 dev enp0s31f6`

Result : Various network commands used in Linux and windows has been executed successfully.

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