EXPERIMENT 1A

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BASIC NETWORKING COMMANDS IN WINDOWS OPERATING SYSTEM

AIM: To study about commands in windows operating system

The Windows operating system provides its user with a powerful tool, Command Prompt, which allows the user to access and configure system settings and data. The network commands prove helpful when there is a need to configure or troubleshoot the network settings of our system.

1. IPCONFIG

The IPCONFIG network command provides a comprehensive view of information regarding the <u>IP address</u> configuration of the device we are currently working on.

The IPConfig command also provides us with some variation in the primary command that targets specific system settings or data, which are:

- IPConfig/all Provides primary output with additional information about network adapters.
- IPConfig/renew Used to renew the system's IP address.
- IPConfig/release Removes the system's current IP address.

Command to enter in Prompt - ipconfig

```
Windows IP Configuration
Wireless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 3:
  Media State . . . . . . . . : Media disconnected Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
Wireless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 4:
  Media State . . . . . . . . . . . . Media disconnected
  Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
Wireless LAN adapter Wi-Fi:
   Connection-specific DNS Suffix .:
  IPv6 Address. . . . . . . : 2401:4900:634e:2702:bedb:29cb:624c:3827
Temporary IPv6 Address. . . . . : 2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d
  Link-local IPv6 Address . . . . : fe80::a411:246:66cd:3bf1%15
   IPv4 Address. . . . . . . . . : 192.168.233.233
   Default Gateway . . . . . . . : fe80::7cef:64ff:fe0e:186e%15
                                        192.168.233.194
Ethernet adapter Bluetooth Network Connection:
   Media State . . . . . . . . . : Media disconnected
   Connection-specific DNS Suffix .
```

2. NSLOOKUP

The NSLOOKUP command is used to troubleshoot network connectivity issues in the system. Using the nslookup command, we can access the information related to our system's DNS server, i.e., domain name and IP address.

Command to enter in Prompt – nslookup

```
> nslookup www.google.com
Server: www.google.com
Addresses: 2404:6800:4007:82c::2004
142.250.67.132
```

3. HOSTNAME

The HOSTNAME command displays the hostname of the system. The hostname command is much easier to use than going into the system settings to search for it.

Command to enter in Prompt - hostname

C:\Users\kkknf>hostname LAPTOP-6H60T6N4

4. PING

The Ping command is one of the most widely used commands in the prompt tool, as it allows the user to check the connectivity of our system to another host.

This command sends four experimental packets to the destination host to check whether it receives them successfully, if so, then, we can communicate with the destination host. But in case the packets have not been received, that means, no communication can be established with the destination host.

Command to enter in Prompt - ping www.destination_host_name.com

```
Pinging www.google.com [2404:6800:4009:811::2004] with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 2404:6800:4009:811::2004: time=76ms
Reply from 2404:6800:4009:811::2004: time=81ms
Reply from 2404:6800:4009:811::2004: time=53ms
Reply from 2404:6800:4009:811::2004: time=53ms

Ping statistics for 2404:6800:4009:811::2004:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli—seconds:
    Minimum = 53ms, Maximum = 81ms, Average = 65ms
```

5. TRACERT

The TRACERT command is used to trace the route during the transmission of the data packet over to the destination host and also provides us with the "hop" count during transmission.

Using the number of hops and the hop IP address, we can troubleshoot network issues and identify the point of the problem during the transmission of the data packet.

```
Tracing route to www.google.com [2404:6800:4007:824::2004]
over a maximum of 30 hops:
                  8 ms 5 ms 2401:4900:634e:2702::2a
        7 ms
  2
                          * Request timed out.
        *
                 45 ms 37 ms 2401:4900:0:7d7::1
  3
       42 ms
                          64 ms 2401:4900:0:6f6::6
26 ms 2401:4900:0:6f7::1
  4
       48 ms
                 75 ms
                 21 ms
  5
       26 ms
                                  Request timed out.
  6
        *
                 *
                           *
                 47 ms
                           38 ms 2404:a800:3a00:1::605
  7
       69 ms
  8
       95 ms
                 34 ms
                           50 ms 2404:a800::92
                          47 ms 2001:4860:1:1::d2e
  9
        *
                 *
                          38 ms 2404:6800:8123::1
55 ms 2001:4860:0:1::564e
38 ms 2001:4860:0:1::8826
 10
       65 ms
                 85 ms
 11
                 22 ms
       47 ms
                 43 ms
 12
                 50 ms
                           32 ms 2001:4860:0:1::1841
       74 ms
 13
                           32 ms 2001:4860:0:1::55d3
 14
       30 ms
                 56 ms
 15
       43 ms
                 94 ms
                           48 ms maa03s39-in-x04.1e100.net [2404:6800:4007:824::2004]
Trace complete.
```

6. NETSTAT

The Netstat command as the name suggests displays an overview of all the network connections in the device. The table shows detail about the connection protocol, address, and the current state of the network.

Command to enter in Prompt – netstat

```
State
ESTABLISHED
                                                                   Foreign Address
20.212.88.117:https
                                                                  192.168.233.233:50538
               192.168.233.233:50539
192.168.233.233:50975
               192.168.233.233:50976
192.168.233.233:50977
192.168.233.233:50982
               192.168.233.233:50976 13.89.178.27:https ES
192.168.233.233:50977 a104-77-173-121:https ES
192.168.233.233:50982 a-0003:https TI
192.168.233.233:50984 20.189.173.5:https ES
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50508
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50531
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50531
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50849
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50849
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50849
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50849
                                                                                                                       TIME_WAIT
                                                                                                                       ESTABLISHED
                                                                                                                             CLOSE_WAIT
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          CLOSE_WAIT
                [2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50883
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50885
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50939
                                                                                                                              whatsapp-cdn6-shv-02-maa2:https CLOSE_WAIT
                [2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50940
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50941
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50942
                                                                                                                              [2404:a800:6:126:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
whatsapp-cdn6-shv-01-tir3:https CLOSE_WAIT
[2404:a800:6:126:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   CLOSE_WAIT
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    CLOSE_WAIT
                [2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50943
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50944
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50945
                                                                                                                               whatsapp-cdn6-shv-02-tir3:https CLOSE_WAIT
[2404:a800:6:8c:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
TCP
TCP
TCP
TCP
TCP
TCP
TCP
TCP
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 CLOSE WAIT
                                                                                                                                 2404:a800:6:127:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
                [2401: 4900: 634e: 2702: 281f: 7e59: f3ca: 845d]: 50946

[2401: 4900: 634e: 2702: 281f: 7e59: f3ca: 845d]: 50946

[2401: 4900: 634e: 2702: 281f: 7e59: f3ca: 845d]: 50948

[2401: 4900: 634e: 2702: 281f: 7e59: f3ca: 845d]: 50948

[2401: 4900: 634e: 2702: 281f: 7e59: f3ca: 845d]: 50949

[2401: 4900: 634e: 2702: 281f: 7e59: f3ca: 845d]: 50950
                                                                                                                                [2404:a800:6:8c:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
[2404:a800:6:127:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 CLOSE WAIT
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    CLOSE WAIT
                                                                                                                                 2404:a800:6:8c:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 CLOSE_WAIT
                                                                                                                                [2404:a800:6:127:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
[2404:a800:6:101:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   CLOSE_WAIT
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    CLOSE_WAIT
                [2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50951
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50952
[2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50953
                                                                                                                               [2404:a800:6:101:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
[2404:a800:6:128:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
[2404:a800:6:128:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    CLOSE_WAIT
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   CLOSE WAIT
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    CLOSE_WAIT
                 [2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d]:50954
                                                                                                                               [2404:a800:6:129:face:b00c:3333:7020]:https
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    CLOSE_WAIT
```

7. ARP(Address Resolution Protocol)

The ARP command is used to access the mapping structure of IP addresses to the MAC address. This provides us with a better understanding of the transmission of packets in the network channel.

```
Interface: 192.168.233.233 --- 0xf
  Internet Address
                        Physical Address
                                              Type
                        7e-ef-64-0e-18-6e
  192.168.233.194
                                              dynamic
                        ff-ff-ff-ff-ff
  192.168.233.255
                                              static
  224.0.0.22
                        01-00-5e-00-00-16
                                              static
  224.0.0.251
                        01-00-5e-00-00-fb
                                              static
  224.0.0.252
                        01-00-5e-00-00-fc
                                              static
  239.255.255.250
                        01-00-5e-7f-ff-fa
                                              static
                        ff-ff-ff-ff-ff
  255.255.255.255
                                              static
```

8. SYSTEMINFO

Using the SYSTEMINFO command, we can access the system's hardware and software details, such as processor data, booting data, Windows version, etc.

Command to enter in Prompt – systeminfo

```
Host Name:
                           LAPTOP-6H60T6N4
OS Name:
                           Microsoft Windows 11 Home Single Language
OS Version:
                           10.0.22631 N/A Build 22631
OS Manufacturer:
                           Microsoft Corporation
OS Configuration:
                           Standalone Workstation
OS Build Type:
                           Multiprocessor Free
Registered Owner:
                           kkknfamily@outlook.com
Registered Organization:
                           N/A
Product ID:
                           00356-24546-26855-AAOEM
Original Install Date:
                           05-10-2022, 15:55:23
                           30-07-2024, 19:17:08
System Boot Time:
System Manufacturer:
                           LENOVO
System Model:
                           81WH
                           x64-based PC
System Type:
Processor(s):
                           1 Processor(s) Installed.
                           [01]: Intel64 Family 6 Model 122 Stepping 8 GenuineIntel ~1101 Mhz
                           LENOVO DVCN24WW, 14-04-2022
BIOS Version:
                           C:\WINDOWS
Windows Directory:
System Directory:
                           C:\WINDOWS\system32
Boot Device:
                           \Device\HarddiskVolume1
System Locale:
                           en-us; English (United States)
Input Locale:
                           00004009
Time Zone:
                           (UTC+05:30) Chennai, Kolkata, Mumbai, New Delhi
                           3,738 MB
Total Physical Memory:
Available Physical Memory: 661 MB
Virtual Memory: Max Size: 8,346 MB
Virtual Memory: Available: 3,164 MB
                          5,182 MB
Virtual Memory: In Use:
Page File Location(s):
                           C:\pagefile.sys
                           WORKGROUP
Domain:
Logon Server:
                           \\LAPTOP-6H60T6N4
Hotfix(s):
                           5 Hotfix(s) Installed.
```

```
Hotfix(s):
                            5 Hotfix(s) Installed.
                            [01]: KB5039895
                            [02]: KB5012170
                            [03]: KB5027397
                            [04]: KB5040442
                            [05]: KB5039338
Network Card(s):
                            2 NIC(s) Installed.
                            [01]: Intel(R) Wireless-AC 9560
                                 Connection Name: Wi-Fi
                                  DHCP Enabled:
                                                   Yes
                                 DHCP Server:
                                                   192.168.233.194
                                  IP address(es)
                                  [01]: 192.168.233.233
                                  [02]: fe80::a411:246:66cd:3bf1
                                  [03]: 2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d
                                  [04]: 2401:4900:634e:2702:bedb:29cb:624c:3827
                            [02]: Bluetooth Device (Personal Area Network)
                                  Connection Name: Bluetooth Network Connection
                                  Status:
                                                   Media disconnected
Hyper-V Requirements:
                           VM Monitor Mode Extensions: Yes
                           Virtualization Enabled In Firmware: Yes
                           Second Level Address Translation: Yes
                           Data Execution Prevention Available: Yes
```

9. ROUTE

Provides the data of routing data packets in the system over the communication channel.

Command to enter in Prompt – route print

```
C:\Users\kkknf>route print
Interface List
  4...ac 74 b1 98 1a 67 .....Microsoft Wi-Fi Direct Virtual Adapter #3
 3...ae 74 b1 98 1a 66 .....Microsoft Wi-Fi Direct Virtual Adapter #4 15...ac 74 b1 98 1a 66 .....Intel(R) Wireless-AC 9560
  8...ac 74 b1 98 la 6a ......Bluetooth Device (Personal Area Network)
  1.....Software Loopback Interface 1
IPv4 Route Table
Active Routes:
Network Destination Netmask Gateway Interface
0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 192.168.233.194 192.168.233.233
                                                                     Interface Metric
                                                                                       50
  127.0.0.0 255.0.0.0
127.0.0.1 255.255.255
127.255.255.255 255.255
                            255.0.0.0 On-link
255.255.255 On-link
255.255.255 On-link
                                                                    127.0.0.1
                                                                                       331
                                                                       127.0.0.1
                                                                                      331
                                                                      127.0.0.1
                                                                                       331
                                              On-link 192.168.233.233
On-link 192.168.233.233
On-link 192.168.233.233
On-link 127.60.1
    192.168.233.0
                       255.255.255.0
                                                                                      306
  192.168.233.233 255.255.255
192.168.233.255 255.255.255
224.0.0.0 240.0.0.0
                                                                                      306
                                                                                       306
                       240.0.0.0
                                                                                       331
                                               On-link 192.168.233.233
         224.0.0.0
                                                                                      306
  255.255.255.255 255.255.255
                                                 On-link
                                                                127.0.0.1
                                                                                       331
  255.255.255.255 255.255.255
                                                   On-link 192.168.233.233
                                                                                       306
Persistent Routes:
  None
```

```
IPv6 Route Table
Active Routes:
If Metric Network Destination
                                    Gateway
15
       66 ::/0
                                    fe80::7cef:64ff:fe0e:186e
       331 ::1/128
                                    On-link
       66 2401:4900:634e:2702::/64 On-link
 15
       306 2401:4900:634e:2702:281f:7e59:f3ca:845d/128
 15
                                    On-link
15
      306 2401:4900:634e:2702:bedb:29cb:624c:3827/128
                                    On-link
 15
       306 fe80::/64
                                    On-link
 15
       306 fe80::a411:246:66cd:3bf1/128
                                    On-link
      331 ff00::/8
                                    On-link
      306 ff00::/8
                                    On-link
 15
Persistent Routes:
 None
```

RESULT: The above commands are successfully executed and studied