



Q1] what is subnetting? Explain with an Example
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Subnetting is technique used in computer networking to divide a single physical network into multiple smaller logical subnetwork or subnets. It allows network administrators to efficiently use IP address space & improve network performance by reducing broadcast traffic & network congestion.

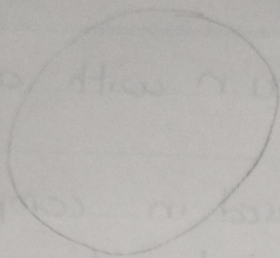
Here's an example:- Suppose you have a network with IP

192.168.0.0/24. This means that the network has 256 IP addresses available for use ranging from 192.168.0.1 to 192.168.0.255.

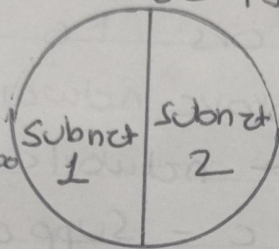
Q2] what are advantages & disadvantages of subnetting?
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Advantages:-

- It allows to isolate topology change from other routers
- It also speeds up the lookup of routing table
- It also minimize network traffic
- The router memory table size is reduced by condensing numerous routing data entries to a single entry
- Maintenance is quite easy



Mid = 193.1.2.0



Range =

193.1.2.00000000

to 193.1.2.01111111

Range = 193.1.2.10000000

to

193.1.2.11111111

Disadvantages :-

- The subnet's network must all use the same IP address class
 - The block combination should be constructed in power
 - The entire network should be in same class
 - To reach a process in a ~~single net~~ subnetting 4 phases are required
 - * - Source host to Destination network
 - Destination network to appropriate subnet
 - Subnet to host & finally
 - Host to process
- compared to 3 steps in ~~pro~~ single network

Q3] Compare IPv4 & IPv6

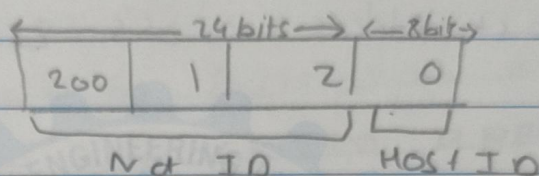
IPv4	IPv6
- has a 32 bit address length	- IPv6 has a 128-bit address length
- end to end connection integrity is Unachievable	- end to end, connection integrity is Achievable
- Address representation of IPv4 is in decimal	- Address Representation of IPv6 is in Hexadecimal
- In IPv4 checksum field is available	- In IPv6 checksum field is not available
- can be converted to IPv6	- not all IPv6 can be converted to IPv4
- Supports VLSM eg 66.94.29.13	- doesn't support VLSM 2001:0000:3238:DFE1:006:0000:0000:FEFB

Q4 Write in detail / two examples of subnetting

Subnetting Examples: -

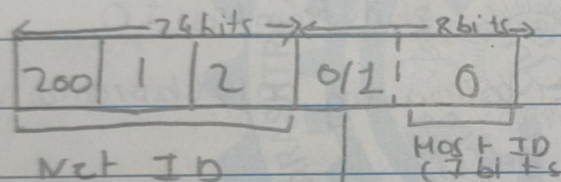
Ex 1 :-

We have a big single network having IP addresses
200.1.2.0 to do subnetting & divide this into
2 subnets



- We borrow one bit from the Host ID part.

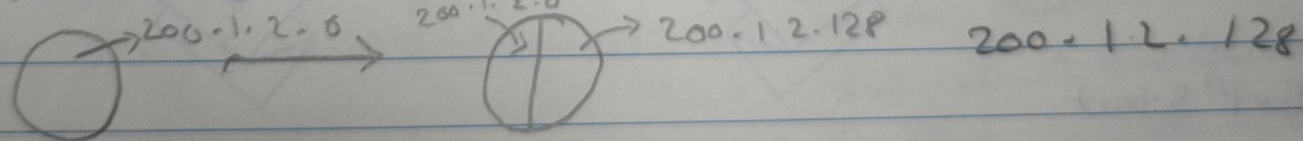
- After borrowing one bit, Host ID part remains with 7 bits



If borrowed bit = 0, represents the first subnet

- If borrowed bit = 1, then it represents the second subnet.

IP address of two subnets are :- 200.1.2.0



For 1st subnet

IP address = 200.1.2.0

No. of IP addresses = 128

No. of hosts = 126

Range of IP addresses = [200.1.2.0, 200.1.2.127]

Direct Broadcast address = 200.1.2.127

Limited Broadcast Address = 255.255.255.255

For 2nd subnet

IP address = 200.1.2.128

Total IP addresses = 128

Hosts that can be configured = 126

Range of IP addresses = [200.1.2.128, 200.1.2.255]

Direct Broadcast Address = 200.1.2.255

Limited Broadcast Address = 255.255.255.255

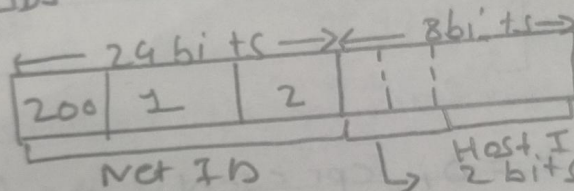
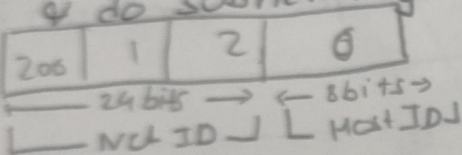
Example - 62 :-

- We have a big single network having IP Address 200.1.2.0

- We do subnetting, divide this network into 4 subnets

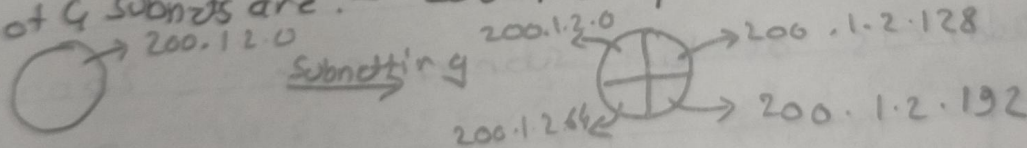
- We borrow 2 bits from host ID

- After borrowing only 6 bits remain.



Borrowed bits 00 = 1st subnet, 01 = 2nd subnet, 10 = 3rd subnet, 11 = 4th subnet

Addresses of 4 subnets are :- 200.1.2.0, 200.1.2.64, 200.1.2.128, 200.1.2.192



1st Subnet

= 200.1.2.0

of IP = 64

of hosts = 62

C = [200.1.2.0, 200.1.2.63]

Direct Broadcast Address = 200.1.2.63

Limited Broadcast Address = 255.255.255.255

4) contd.

For 2nd Subnet

IP address = 200.1.2.64

Total no. of IP addresses = 64

Total no. of Hosts configured = 62

Range of IP address = [200.1.2.64, 200.1.2.127]

Direct Broadcast Address = 200.1.2.127

Limited Broadcast Address = 255.255.255.255

For 3rd Subnet

IP address = 200.1.2.128

Total no. of IP addresses = 64

Total no. of hosts configured = 62

Range of IP address = [200.1.2.128, 200.1.2.191]

Direct Broadcast Address = 200.1.2.191

Limited Broadcast Addresses = 255.255.255.255

For 4th subnet

IP address = 200.1.2.192

Total number of IP addresses = 64

Total no. of host configurations = 62

Range of IP addresses = [200.1.2.192, 200.1.2.255]

Direct Broadcast Address = 200.1.2.255

Limited Broadcast Address = 255.255.255.255