Computer Networks CS361 Lab1

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CPT experiment file link: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1UI8C5eTIBEANsCa_h192vQ5Zg-tgvGb?usp=sharing

Q1. Write the differences between switch and hub?

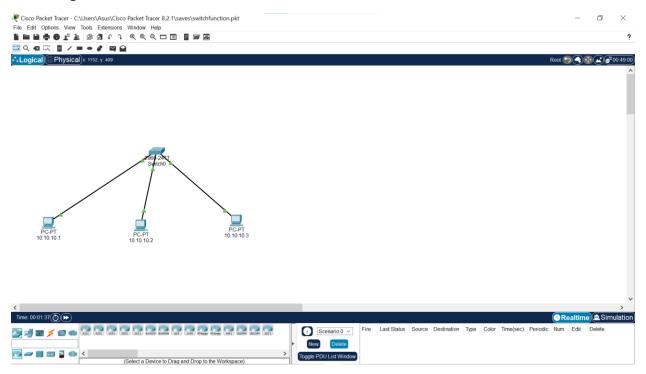
Answer:

Feature	Switch	Hub	
Operation	Operates at data link layer (2 nd layer)	Operates at physical layer (1st layer)	
Data transmission	Forward to specific devices using MAC address	Broadcast data packet to all connected devices	
Network Efficiency	Dedicated communication paths	No dedicated paths	
Bandwidth management	Provides dedicated bandwidth to each port	Bandwidth shared equally among devices	
security	More secure as data sent to specific device only	Less secure as data is broadcasted	
cost	Expensive, due to advanced features	Cheaper, due to simple feature and easy to use	

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Q2. Create a small network using a switch and show that the message transferred from one end device to other is successful.

Creating network...



Checking for connection....

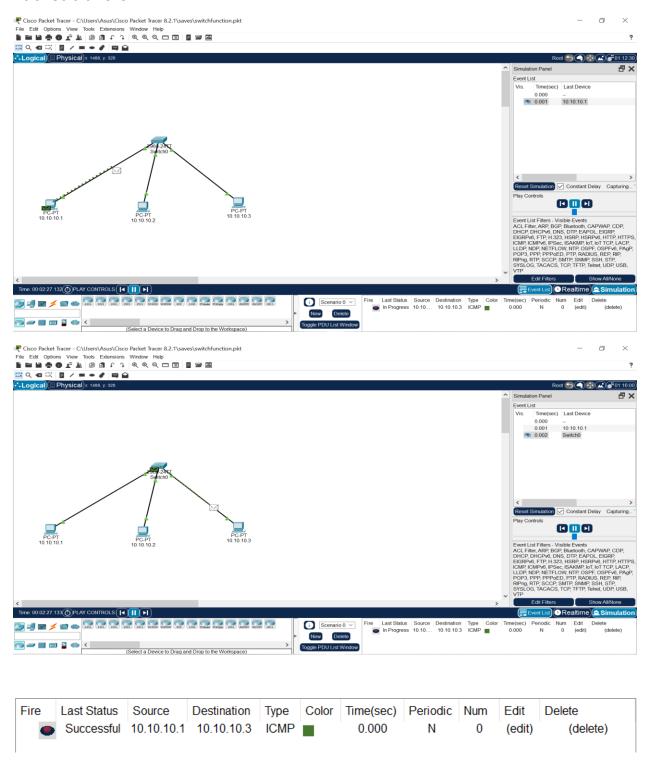
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C:\>ping 10.10.10.3

Pinging 10.10.10.3 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 10.10.10.3: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Ping statistics for 10.10.10.3:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
    Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 0ms, Average = 0ms</pre>
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Connection established....

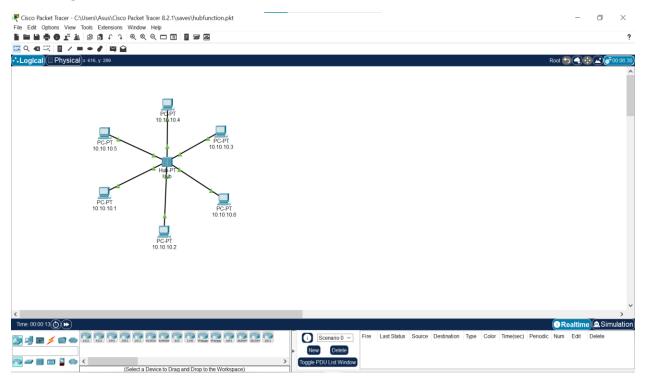
Packet transfer....



Packet transfer successful!! ...

Q3. Create a small network using a hub and show that the message transferred from one end device to other is successful.

Creating network...



Checking for connection....

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C:\>ping 10.10.10.4

Pinging 10.10.10.4 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 10.10.10.4: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128

Ping statistics for 10.10.10.4:

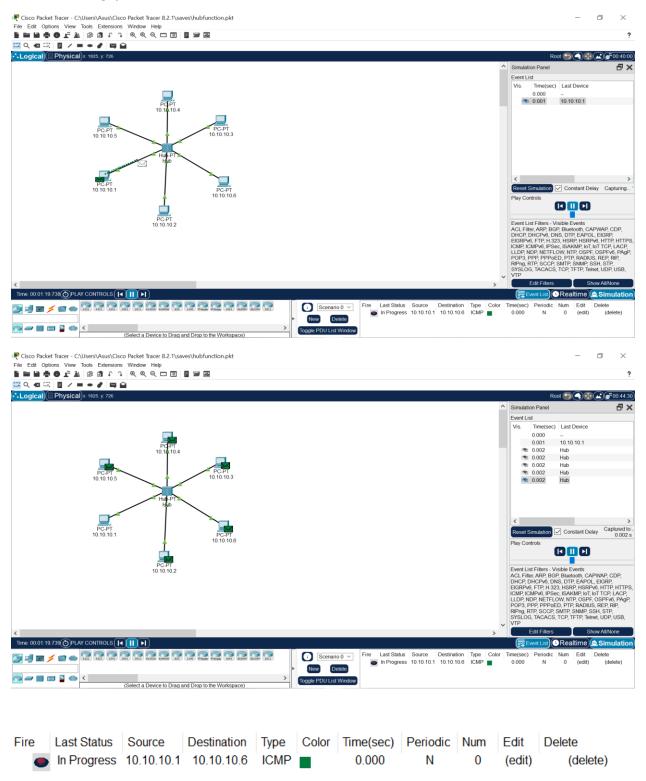
Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),

Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:

Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 0ms, Average = 0ms
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Connection established....

Transferring packets...



Packet transfer Successful!!