# Lab Assignment- 1

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Write a C program in the UNIX system that creates two children and four grandchildren (two for each child). The program should then print the process-IDs of the two children, four grandchildren and the parent in this order.

- Algorithms and data structures used in the implementation
   No specific data structure used
- Snapshots of running the codes for each of the problems

Write a C++ program to print the MAC address of your computer

• Algorithms and data structures used in the implementation

mac: It is a character array used to store Mac Address.

**ifreq**: ioctl requests to obtain addresses and requests both to set and retrieve other data and takes the **ifreq** data structure as a parameter this purpose.

Snapshots of running the codes for each of the problems

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ioctl(fd, SIOCGIFHWADDR, &ifr);
                                                            (base) → Networking_proj ./a.out
                                                            Mac Address : a0:af:bd:ed:61:6a (base) → Networking_proj
           mac = (unsigned char *)ifr.ifr hwaddr.sa data;
(b)
           int main()
            char mac[32]={0};
            getMacAddress (mac);
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Write your own version of ping program in C language.

#### • Algorithms and data structures used in the implementation

The steps followed by a ping program are:

- Take a hostname as input and do a DNS lookup using gethostbyname()
- Open a Raw socket using SOCK\_RAW with protocol as IPPROTO\_ICMP.
   Raw socket requires superuser rights so you have to run this code using sudo
- 3. Create **icmp packet** and calculate the checksum to be sent.
- 4. **Send** the packet.
- 5. Wait for it to be received

#### Data structures used are:

struct **sockaddr\_in**: It is a structure containing an internet address.

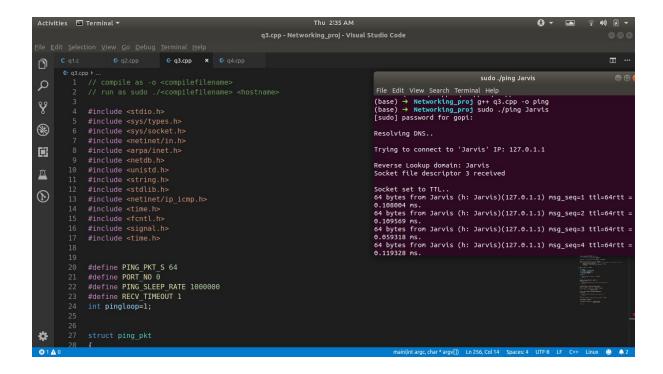
struct **icmphdr**: This is a header (and structure) which is Linux-specific, and will not be present in other operating systems.

struct **pingpacket**: data packet sent during ping containing request and icmp header

struct timeval: represents time interval passed.

struct **timespec**: Structure holding an interval broken down into seconds and nanoseconds.

• Snapshots of running the codes for each of the problems



Write a C program to find the host name and the IP address of your computer.

• Algorithms and data structures used in the implementation hostent: This data structure is used by functions to store information about a given host, such as host name, IPv4 address, and so forth.

**In\_addr:** This struct data structure stores s\_addr field which is internet addresses.

**IP:** char array to store IP address.

• Snapshots of running the codes for each of the problems