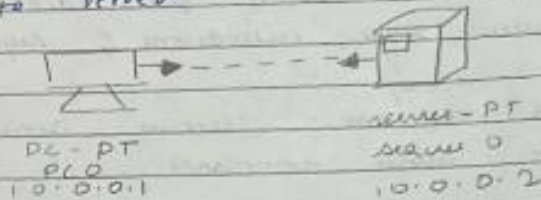


## LAB-1

### Expt 1

#### 1. PC to server



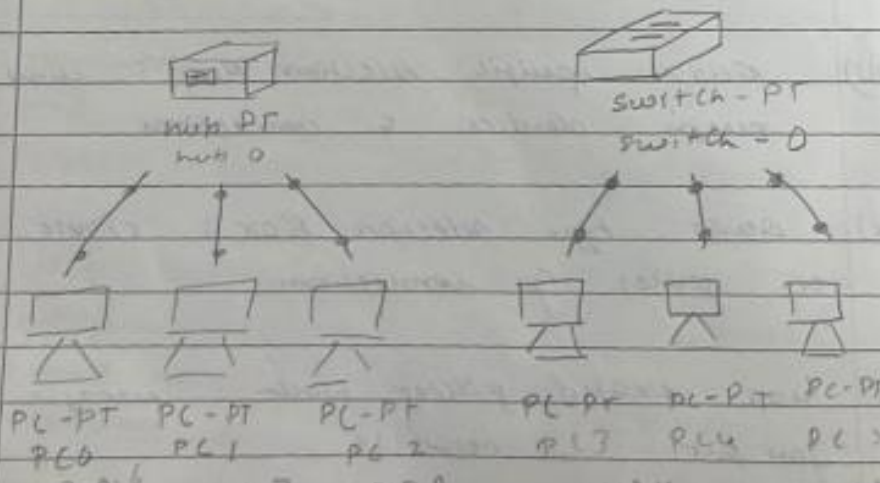
Aim: to set up a point to point network b/w a PC & a server, facilitating direct communication to observe data exchange

Topology: A PC is connected to server using a crossover ethernet cable  
IP address of PC - 10.0.0.1  
server - 10.0.0.2

### Expt 2

Observation: Direct connection allows PC to communicate with server, which is typical in small networks for tasks

### Hub & Switch



Aim: to create network consisting of 3 PCs connected to a central hub & another network with 3 PCs connected to a switch. The connection will be observe the behaviour of data transmission using hub & switch device.

Topology: 3 PCs are connected to a central hub & switch using straight through ethernet cables.

Observation: hub broadcasts packets to devices which may cause unnecessary traffic. Switch forwards packets only to appropriate devices by learning MAC addresses making it more efficient & reducing traffic.

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difference HUB & switch	
HUB	SWITCH
→ operates at layer 1	→ forwards data only
→ broadcast to all connected devices doesn't filter or manage traffic	→ to specific device for when it's intended
→ limited efficiency, more collisions	→ more efficient, reduce collisions
	→ operates on layer 2

