

Lab Report

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Abstract

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1 IPv4 Address Conversion

1.1 Objective

To convert a binary IP address into dotted decimal and vice versa.

1.2 Source Code

```
/*
 * Function to convert binary IP address to dotted decimal
 * @param binaryIP - binary IP address
 * @return dottedDecimal - dotted decimal IP address
 * */
string binaryToDottedDecimal(const string &binaryIP) {
 string dottedDecimal = "";
 for (int i = 0; i < 32; i += 8) {
    bitset<8> octet(binaryIP.substr(i, 8));
   dottedDecimal += to_string(octet.to_ulong());
    if (i < 24)
      dottedDecimal += ".";
 return dottedDecimal;
}
 *Function to convert dotted decimal IP address to binary
 st @param dottedDecimal - dotted decimal IP address
 * @return binaryIP - binary IP address
 * */
string dottedDecimalToBinary(const string &dottedDecimal) {
 string binaryIP = "";
 size_t start = 0;
 size_t end = dottedDecimal.find(".");
 while (end != string::npos) {
    int octet = stoi(dottedDecimal.substr(start, end - start));
   binaryIP += bitset<8>(octet).to string();
    start = end + 1;
    end = dottedDecimal.find(".", start);
 }
  int octet = stoi(dottedDecimal.substr(start));
 binaryIP += bitset<8>(octet).to string();
 return binaryIP;
}
```

1.3 Output

1.3.1 Binary to dotted decimal IP address

1.3.2 Dotted decimal to binary IP address

```
$ ./ipv4
1. Binary to dotted decimal IP address
2. Dotted decimal to binary IP address
Enter your choice: 2
Enter dotted decimal IP address (e.g., 192.168.1.1): 203.128.56.2
Binary IP address: 1100101110000000001110000000010
```

2 IP Address Classes

2.1 Objective

To identify the class of an IP address.

2.2 Theory

In IPv4, IP addresses are divided into five classes: A, B, C, D, and E. Each class has its own range of valid IP addresses and is used for specific purposes.

Class A: - Range: 1.0.0.0 to 126.255.255.255

- Subnet Mask: 255.0.0.0

Address Allocation: Class A addresses are typically used by large organizations and corporations. They can support a very large number of hosts on a single network.

Class B: - Range: 128.0.0.0 to 191.255.255.255

- Subnet Mask: 255.255.0.0

 Address Allocation: Class B addresses are used by medium-sized organizations. They offer a moderate number of network and host addresses.

Class C: - Range: 192.0.0.0 to 223.255.255.255

- Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0

 Address Allocation: Class C addresses are commonly used by small organizations and businesses. They provide a limited number of network addresses but a larger number of host addresses.

Class D: - Range: 224.0.0.0 to 239.255.255.255

 Address Allocation: Class D addresses are reserved for multicast groups and are not used for traditional unicast communication. They are used for one-to-many or many-to-many communication.

Class E: - Range: 240.0.0.0 to 255.255.255.255

 Address Allocation: Class E addresses are reserved for experimental or research purposes and are not typically used in public networks. They are reserved for future use and not intended for general use.

2.3 Source Code

```
/**
 * Determine the class based on the first octet
 * Oparam ipAddress - IP address
 * @return - 'A', 'B', 'C', 'D', 'E', or 'X'
 * */
char getIPv4Class(const string &ipAddress) {
  int firstOctet = stoi(ipAddress.substr(0, ipAddress.find(".")));
  if (firstOctet >= 1 && firstOctet <= 126) {</pre>
   return 'A';
 } else if (firstOctet \geq= 128 && firstOctet \leq= 191) {
    return 'B';
  } else if (firstOctet >= 192 && firstOctet <= 223) {
   return 'C':
  } else if (firstOctet >= 224 && firstOctet <= 239) {
    return 'D';
  } else if (firstOctet >= 240 && firstOctet <= 255) {
   return 'E';
  } else {
    return 'X'; // 'X' indicates an invalid IPv4 address
 }
}
```

2.4 Output

```
$ ./ipv4class
Enter an IPv4 address: 192.168.1.1
Class: C
```

3 Bellman-Ford Algorithm

3.1 Objective

To implement the Bellman-Ford algorithm to find the shortest path in a weighted graph.

3.2 Theory

The Bellman-Ford algorithm is used to find the shortest paths from a single source vertex to all other vertices in a weighted graph, even when the graph contains negative weight edges. While it's not the most efficient algorithm for all cases (especially for graphs with non-negative weights, where Dijkstra's algorithm is typically faster),

3.3 Source Code

```
struct Edge {
  int source, destination, weight;
};
class Graph {
  int V, E;
  vector<Edge> edges;
public:
  Graph(int vertices, int edges);
  void addEdge(int source, int destination, int weight);
  void bellmanFord(int source);
};
Graph::Graph(int vertices, int edges) : V(vertices), E(edges) {}
void Graph::addEdge(int source, int destination, int weight) {
  edges.push back({source, destination, weight});
}
void Graph::bellmanFord(int source) {
  vector<int> distance(V, numeric_limits<int>::max());
  distance[source] = 0;
  for (int i = 1; i < V; ++i) {
    for (const Edge &edge : edges) {
      int u = edge.source, v = edge.destination, w = edge.weight;
```

```
if (distance[u] != numeric limits<int>::max() &&
          distance[u] + w < distance[v]) {</pre>
        distance[v] = distance[u] + w;
      }
    }
  }
  // Check for negative weight cycles
  for (const Edge &edge : edges) {
    int u = edge.source, v = edge.destination, w = edge.weight;
    if (distance[u] != numeric limits<int>::max() &&
        distance[u] + w < distance[v]) {</pre>
      cout << "Graph contains a negative weight cycle.\n";</pre>
      return;
    }
  }
  // Print shortest distances from the source vertex
  cout << "Vertex\tDistance from Source\n";</pre>
  for (int i = 0; i < V; ++i) {</pre>
    cout << i << "\t" << distance[i] << "\n";</pre>
}
```

3.4 Output

```
Enter the number of vertices and edges: 3 4

Enter edge 1 (source, destination, weight): 0 1 5

Enter edge 2 (source, destination, weight): 1 0 3

Enter edge 3 (source, destination, weight): 1 2 -1

Enter edge 4 (source, destination, weight): 2 0 1

Enter the source vertex: 2

Vertex Distance from Source

0 1

1 6

2 0
```