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**Course Title: Data Communication Lab**

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**Lab Experiment Name :** Write a java program that prompts the user to enter an IP address belonging to a specific class (A, B, or C) and then offers options to convert it into binary or vice versa

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## Lab Report Status

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## 1.Experiment Name:

Write a java program that prompts the user to enter an IP address belonging to a specific class (A, B, or C) and then offers options to convert it into binary or vice versa

## 2.Objective:

To develop a Java program that:

- Accepts an IP address as input and identifies its class (A, B, or C).
- Provides options to:
  - Convert a decimal IP address to its binary equivalent.
  - Convert a binary-form IP address to its decimal equivalent.

## 3. Introduction:

An **IP (Internet Protocol) address** is a 32-bit unique identifier assigned to devices on a network. It is conventionally expressed in dotted decimal notation (e.g., 192.168.1.1). IP addresses are divided into classes (A, B, C, D, E), primarily used for network classification and addressing.

In networking, conversion between **binary and decimal** forms of IP addresses is essential for low-level configuration, subnetting, and routing. This lab aims to simulate the recognition and conversion process via a Java-based CLI program.

## 4. Theoretical Background:

### 4.1 IP Address Structure

- **Format:** Four octets (8 bits each) separated by dots (e.g., 192.168.1.1)
- **Range:** 0.0.0.0 to 255.255.255.255

### 4.2 IP Address Classes (Relevant to this lab)

Class	First Octet Range	Default Subnet Mask	Use Case
A	1 – 126	255.0.0.0	Large Networks
B	128 – 191	255.255.0.0	Medium Networks
C	192 – 223	255.255.255.0	Small Networks

### 4.3 Binary Conversion

Each octet is represented as an 8-bit binary number.

Example:

192 → 11000000

168 → 10101000

Full IP: 192.168.0.1 → 11000000.10101000.00000000.00000001

## 5.Tools and Technologies Used:

- ☐ Programming Language: Java
- ☐ IDE: Any Java-supported IDE (e.g., IntelliJ, Eclipse, NetBeans)
- ☐ JDK Version: 8 or higher
- ☐ Operating System: Windows/Linux/MacOS

## 6. Java Program Code:

```
import java.util.Scanner;

public class lab {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);

        System.out.println("=== IP Address Utility ===");
        System.out.print("Enter a valid IP address (decimal form): ");
        String ipAddress = scanner.nextLine();

        if (!isValidIP(ipAddress)) {
            System.out.println("Invalid IP format!");
            return;
        }

        String ipClass = getIPClass(ipAddress);
        if (ipClass == null) {
            System.out.println("IP does not belong to Class A, B, or C.");
            return;
        }

        System.out.println("Detected IP Class: " + ipClass);

        System.out.println("Select an option:");
        System.out.println("1. Convert IP to Binary");
        System.out.println("2. Convert Binary to Decimal IP");

        int choice = scanner.nextInt();
        scanner.nextLine(); // consume newline

        switch (choice) {
            case 1:
                System.out.println("Binary Format: " +
decimalToBinary(ipAddress));
                break;
            case 2:
                System.out.print("Enter Binary IP (e.g.
11000000.10101000.00000001.00000001): ");
                String binaryInput = scanner.nextLine();
                if (isValidBinaryIP(binaryInput)) {
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        System.out.println("Decimal Format: " +
binaryToDecimal(binaryInput));
    } else {
        System.out.println("Invalid Binary IP Format!");
    }
    break;
default:
    System.out.println("Invalid option!");
}

scanner.close();
}

static boolean isValidIP(String ip) {
    String[] octets = ip.split("\\.");
    if (octets.length != 4) return false;

    for (String octet : octets) {
        try {
            int val = Integer.parseInt(octet);
            if (val < 0 || val > 255) return false;
        } catch (NumberFormatException e) {
            return false;
        }
    }
    return true;
}

static boolean isValidBinaryIP(String binaryIP) {
    String[] parts = binaryIP.split("\\.");
    if (parts.length != 4) return false;
    for (String part : parts) {
        if (part.length() != 8 || !part.matches("[01]{8}")) return false;
    }
    return true;
}

static String getIPClass(String ip) {
    int firstOctet = Integer.parseInt(ip.split("\\.")[0]);
    if (firstOctet >= 1 && firstOctet <= 126) return "A";
    else if (firstOctet >= 128 && firstOctet <= 191) return "B";
    else if (firstOctet >= 192 && firstOctet <= 223) return "C";
    else return null;
}

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static String decimalToBinary(String ip) {
    StringBuilder binary = new StringBuilder();
    for (String part : ip.split("\\.")) {
        int val = Integer.parseInt(part);
        binary.append(String.format("%8s",
Integer.toBinaryString(val)).replace(' ', '0')).append(".");
    }
    return binary.substring(0, binary.length() - 1);
}

static String binaryToDecimal(String binaryIP) {
    StringBuilder decimal = new StringBuilder();
    for (String part : binaryIP.split("\\.")) {
        decimal.append(Integer.parseInt(part, 2)).append(".");
    }
    return decimal.substring(0, decimal.length() - 1);
}
}

```

## 7.Output:

```

=== IP Address Utility ===
Enter a valid IP address (decimal form): 192.168.0.1
Detected IP Class: C
Select an option:
1. Convert IP to Binary
2. Convert Binary to Decimal IP
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Binary Format: 11000000.10101000.00000000.00000001
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```

```
=== IP Address Utility ===  
Enter a valid IP address (decimal form): 192.168.0.1  
Detected IP Class: C  
Select an option:  
1. Convert IP to Binary  
2. Convert Binary to Decimal IP  
2  
Enter Binary IP (e.g. 11000000.10101000.00000001.00000001):
```

## 8. Conclusion:

This experiment provided hands-on experience with IP address classification and binary-decimal conversion logic. The program models how networks distinguish and represent IP addresses internally. Understanding such representation is critical in network addressing, routing, and subnetting.