

Aim: To Simulate Open Shortest Path first (OSPF) using Cisco Packet Tracer.

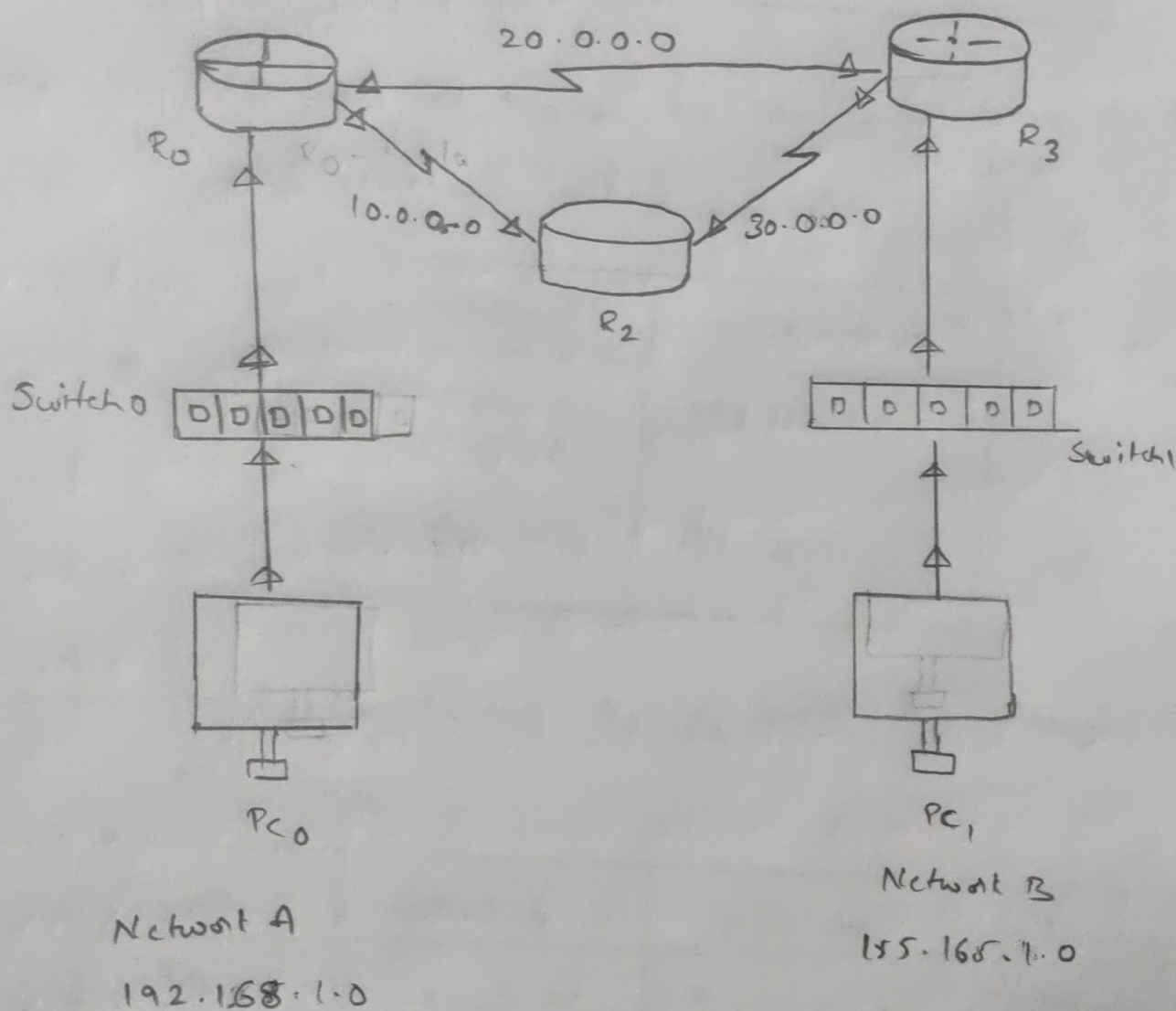
Description:

Open Shortest path first (OSPF) is a widely used and supported routing protocol. It is an intradomain protocol, which means that it is used within an area of a network. It is an interior gateway protocol that has been designed within a single autonomous system. It is based on a link state routing algorithm in which each router contains the information of every domain, and based on this information, it determines the shortest path.

The OSPF works by learning about every router and subnet within the entire network. Every router contains the same information about the network. The way the router learns this information is by sending LSA (Link state Advertisements). These LSA's contain information about every router, subnet and other networking info.

Procedure:

Step 1: create a network by choosing the two end devices and 2 switches and 3 routers as shown below.



Step 2: Configure our PC's by giving the IP addresses to PC0 by clicking PC0 and clicking the tab Desktop > IP configuration

Configuration of PC given as table

PC	ip address	default gateway
PC ₀	192.168.1.11	192.168.1.1
PC ₁	192.165.1.11	192.165.1.1

Step 2: Config the router by moving the cursor on the cable it shows fast ethernet folo.

Router	interface	ip address
R ₀	192.168.1.1 fast ethernet 0/0	192.168.1.1
R ₁	fast ethernet 0/0	155.165.1.1

Step 4: Config the routers R₀, R₁ with R₂ through serial DTE cable.

	Router	interface	ip address	clock rate
(R ₀ -R ₂)	R ₀	Serial 2/0	10.0.0.2	64000 Not set
	R ₂	Serial 2/0	10.0.0.1	64000
(R ₀ -R ₁)	R ₀	Serial 3/0	20.0.0.1	64000
	R ₁	Serial 3/0	20.0.0.2	Not set

$R_2 - R_1$

R_2	Serial 3/0	30.0.0.1	64000
R_1	Serial 2/0	30.0.0.2	Not set

Switch all the routers to ON position.

Step 5: The packet is transferring with in the network but if the packet from one network doesn't transmitted to another network

i.e.,

Packet from $PC_0 \rightarrow$ router 0 is successful

Packet from $PC_0 \rightarrow$ router 1 is successful

packet from $PC_0 \rightarrow PC_0$ is failed.

Step 6: Config the router with other networks to transmit the data

for Router R_0 .

Router (config) # exit

Router (config) # router ospf 1

Router (config-router) # network 192.168.1.0 0.0.0.255 area 0

Router (config-router) # network 10.0.0.0 0.255.255.255 area 0.

Router (Config-router) # network 20.0.0.0 0.255.255.255

area 0.

Router (config-router) # exit

Step 7: Config OSPF for Router 2

Router (config-if) # exit

Router (config) # router ospf 1

Router (config) # network 10.0.0.0 0.255.255.255 area 0

Router (config-router) # network 30.0.0.0 0.255.255.255
area 0.

Router (config-router) # network exit

Step 8: Config OSPF for Router 3.

Router (config-if) # exit

Router (config) # router ospf 1

Router (config-router) # network 20.0.0.0 0.255.255.255
area 0.

Router (config-router) # network 30.0.0.0 0.255.255.255
area 0.

Router (config-router) # network 155.165.1.1 255.255.0.0.

area 0.

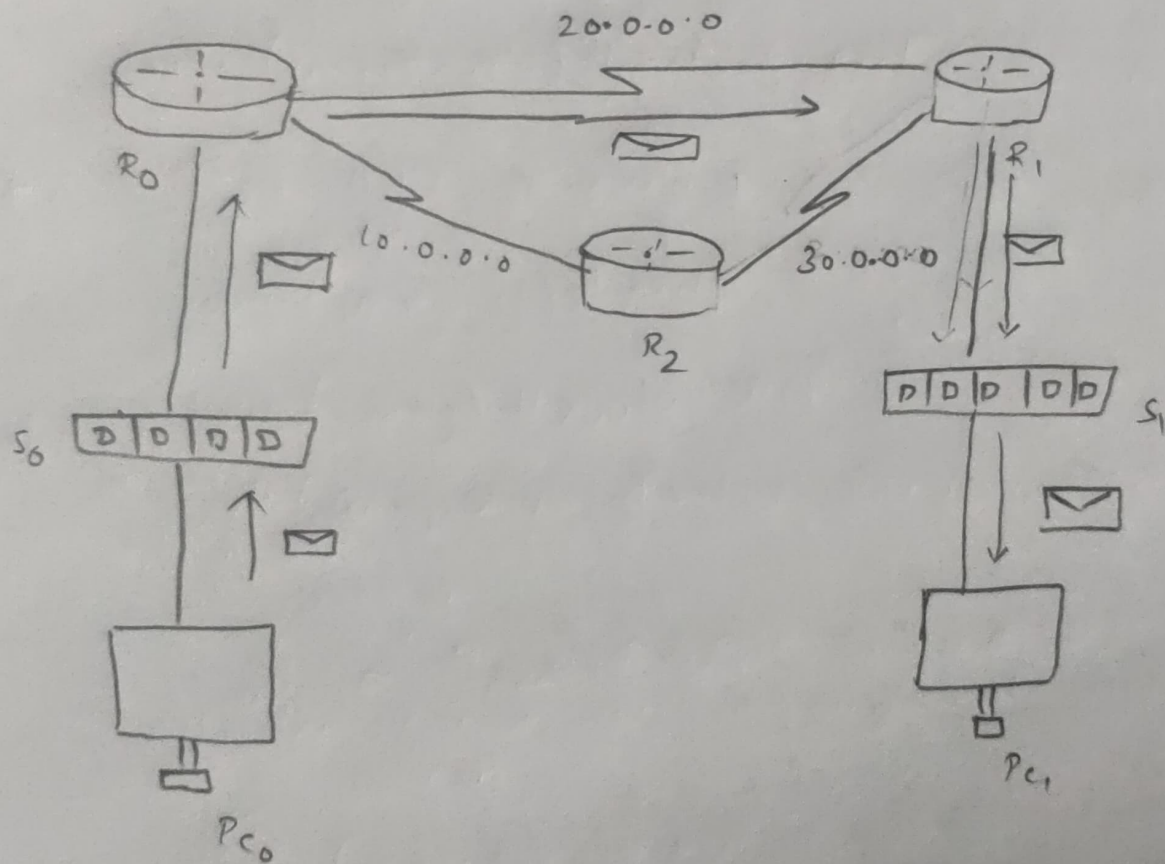
All the routers are configured with OSPF.

The packet from PC_0 to PC_1 is successful.

The packet is travelled through the shortest path
as $PC_0 \rightarrow S_0 \rightarrow R_0 \rightarrow R_1 \rightarrow PC_1$

The other way is i.e. $PC_0 \rightarrow S_0 \rightarrow R_0 \rightarrow R_2 \rightarrow R_1 \rightarrow PC_1$
is longer path

Output!



The packet from PC_0 to PC_1 , transmitted to PC_1 through the shortest path