

1. Environmental setup

Objectives:

- Set up environment in VMWare workstation/ Virtual Box with discussed network IP addresses (2 LANs: Server LAN/ NAT and Client-Server LAN/ Host-only).
- ✓ In VMWare Workstation: follow instructions in PDF file: Chapter 1.
- Install Ubuntu Server on a VM
- Set Static IP address to your Ubuntu Server and make sure it can connect to the Internet just by setting IP address and nameserver addresses.
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- ✓ Run *sudo netplan apply* to apply configuration file.

```
# This is the network config written by 'subiquity'
network:
ethernets:
ens33:
dhcp4: false
addresses:
- 192.168.15.10/24
gateway4: 192.168.15.2
nameservers:
addresses: [8.8.8]
```



2. Configuring DHCP

- Install and configure isc-dhcp-server on the server:
- ✓ install:

```
sudo apt install isc-dhcp-server
```

✓ Edit config file at /etc/default/isc-dhcp-server:

```
sudo nano /etc/default/isc-dhcp-server
```

Add name of network interface that we want it to become DHCP server address (Host-only) for example if **ens34** is the name of that interface.

```
INTERFACEv4="ens34"
```

✓ Edit the config file at /etc/dhcp/dhcpd.conf:

```
sudo nano /etc/dhcp/dhcpd.conf
```

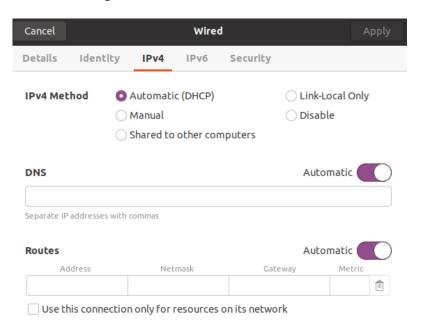
Configuring DHCP

✓ Add the following lines:

```
subnet 192.168.11.0 netmask 255.255.255.0 {
     range 192.168.11.100 192.168.11.200;
     option domain-name-servers 8.8.8.8;
     option domain-name "google.com";
     option subnet-mask 255.255.255.0;
     option routers 192.168.12.10;
     default-lease-time 620;
     max-lease-time 7200;
  Start the service:
sudo systemctl start isc-dhcp-server
```

Configuring DHCP

✓ Go to client and choose DHCP option on its Host-only interface.



✓ Check its IP address to confirm if DHCP works.

3. Configuring Router

1. Enable packet forwarding:

✓ Edit config file:

```
sudo nano /etc/sysctl.conf
```

✓ Uncomment:

```
net.ipv4.ip_forward=1
```

✓ Apply change:

```
sysctl -p
```

2. Configuring Packet Forwarding and IP masquerading:

```
iptables -A FORWARD -i enp0s8 -o enp0s3 -j ACCEPT enp0s8 is the name of network interface "Host-only" enp0s3 is the name of network interface "NAT"
```

The above command will forward packets from Host-only interface to NAT interface.

- Configuring Packet Forwarding and IP masquerading (Continue):
- ✓ Now we want to configure packets from NAT interface to be forwarded back to Host-only interface.

Type:

```
iptables -A FORWARD -i enp0s3 -o enp0s8 -m state --state RELATED, ESTABLISHED -j ACCEPT enp0s8 is the name of network interface "Host-only" enp0s3 is the name of network interface "NAT"
```

✓ Configuring NATing: Now we want to allow all interfaces to use NAT

```
iptables -t nat -A POSTROUTING -o enp0s3 -j MASQUERADE iptables -t nat -A POSTROUTING -o enp0s8 -j MASQUERADE
```

- Saving iptables rules permanently
- ✓ iptables rule can be reset after reboot. To save rules permanently, install iptables-persistent Type:

```
sudo apt install iptables-persistent
```

Switch user to root:

sudo su

iptables-save > /etc/iptables/rules.v4

Go to clients and try to ping google.com

4. Installing and Configuring NTP

Objective: time on server and client can be synchronized

- 1. Install ntp: sudo apt install ntp
- 2. Configure: edit config file /etc/ntp.conf and replace the 4 lines of ntp pools new pools of Asia timezone server:

```
server 0.asia.pool.ntp.org

server 1.asia.pool.ntp.org

server 2.asia.pool.ntp.org

server 3.asia.pool.ntp.org

# Specify one or more NTP servers.

# Use servers from the NTP Pool Project. Approved by Ubuntu Technical Board
# on 2011-02-08 (LP: #104525). See http://www.pool.ntp.org/join.html for
# more information.

server 0.asia.pool.ntp.org
server 1.asia.pool.ntp.org
server 2.asia.pool.ntp.org
server 3.asia.pool.ntp.org
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```

- 1. Restart service: sudo systematl restart ntp
- 2. Check status if it's running: sudo systemctl status ntp
- 3. Configure firewall: sudo ufw allow 123/udp

• Installing and Configuring NTP Client

GO TO Client

Configuring hostfile

1. Edit hostfile:

```
sudo nano /etc/hosts
```

2. Add to the third line of file:

```
192.168.11.10 servername
```

Configuring NTP

- 1. sudo apt install ntp
- 2. sudo /etc/ntp.conf
- 3. Replace the 4 lines of ntp pools with:

```
server servername prefer iburst
```

servername is your server hostname. Type command: hostname on your server to check. For example: mine is piseyserver

- Testing NTP
- ✓ Restarting service:

sudo systemctl restart ntp

✓ Checking synchronized NTP server

ntpq -p

✓ Testing timezone on both client and server using:

timedatectl

✓ If it's a right time zone, change it to Asia/Bangkok:

timedatectl set-timezone Asia/Bangkok

✓ Try changing time on client and restart NTP again. Check if the time returns to its correct synchronized time.

5. Install and Configure DNS Server

- In this practice, we will install DNS using BIND package and configure our server as Primary DNS server, and caching name server as well.
- ✓ Install bind9 and dnsutils:

Type:

```
sudo apt install bind9 dnsutils
```

Configure Caching name server:

Open /etc/bind/named.conf.options enable the forwarders section, and add your preferred DNS servers:

```
forwarders {
    8.8.8.8;
};
```

Testing it by running this 2 times and check the query time:

```
dig -x 8.8.8.8
```

Install and Configure DNS Server

✓ Result of query should be faster at 2^{nd} time:

```
;; ANSWER SECTION:
8.8.8.8.in-addr.arpa. 20728 IN PTR dns.google.

;; Query time: 36 msec

;; ANSWER SECTION:
8.8.8.in-addr.arpa. 7192 IN PTR dns.google.

;; Query time: 0 msec
```