2) Using Packet Tracer, simulate an ARP spoofing attack. Analyze the behavior of devices on the network when they receive a malicious ARP response.

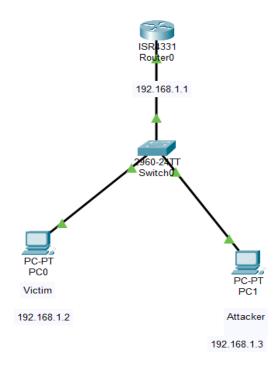
IP Addresses Assigned:

Router: 192.168.1.1

Victim PC: 192.168.1.2

Attacker PC: 192.168.1.3





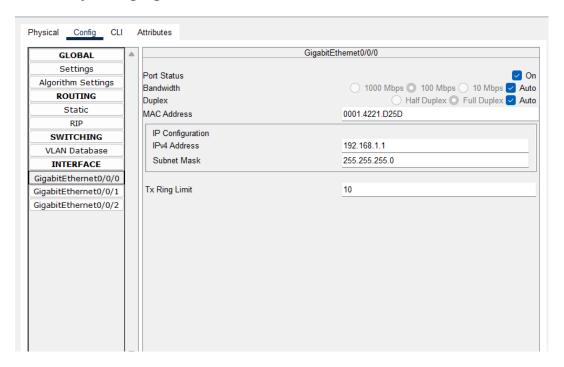
Router Configuration

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Router0
                                                                                                                               X
    Physical Config CLI Attributes
                                                          IOS Command Line Interface
     Router(config) #interface FastEthernet0/0
     %Invalid interface type and number
     Router (config) #
     %SYS-5-CONFIG I: Configured from console by console
     Router#show ip interface brief
     Interface IP-Address OK? Method Status Proto
GigabitEthernet0/0/0 unassigned YES unset administratively down down
GigabitEthernet0/0/1 unassigned YES unset administratively down down
GigabitEthernet0/0/2 unassigned YES unset administratively down down
Vlanl unassigned YES unset administratively down down
                                                                                                   Protocol
     Router#clear
     % Incomplete command.
     Router#enable
     Router# configure terminal
     Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
     Router(config) #interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0
Router(config-if) #ip address 192.168.1.1 255.255.255.0
     Router(config-if) #no shutdown
     Router(config-if)#
     %LINK-5-CHANGED: Interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0, changed state to up
     exit
     Router (config) #
     Router(config)#
     Router (config) #
     Router (config) #
     Router (config) #
```

Before ARP Spoofing

Successfully pinged the router from the victim PC to verify normal communication.

Manually changing the Mac Address



Here I Manually changed the Attacker MAC address to match the Router.

After ARP Spoofing

Cleared the ARP table on the Victim PC using arp -d.

Pinging the Router again from the Victim PC resulted in an updated ARP table, now associating 192.168.1.1 with the Attacker's MAC.

All packets meant for the Router were now redirected to the Attacker PC instead.

How ARP Spoofing Worked Here

- 1. Before Spoofing, The Victim PC's ARP table correctly mapped $192.168.1.1 \rightarrow \text{Router's MAC}$.
- 2. I've manually changed the Attacker MAC address to match the Router's.
- 3. After clearing the ARP cache, the Victim PC sent an ARP request asking, "Who has 192.168.1.1?"
- 4. Since the Attacker now had the same MAC as the Router, it sent an ARP reply.
- 5. The Victim PC believed the Attacker and updated its ARP table.
- 6. Now, all packets from the Victim PC go to the Attacker PC instead of the Router.