

# CS & IT ENGINEERING

COMPUTER NETWORKS

IPv4 Addressing

**Lecture No-23**



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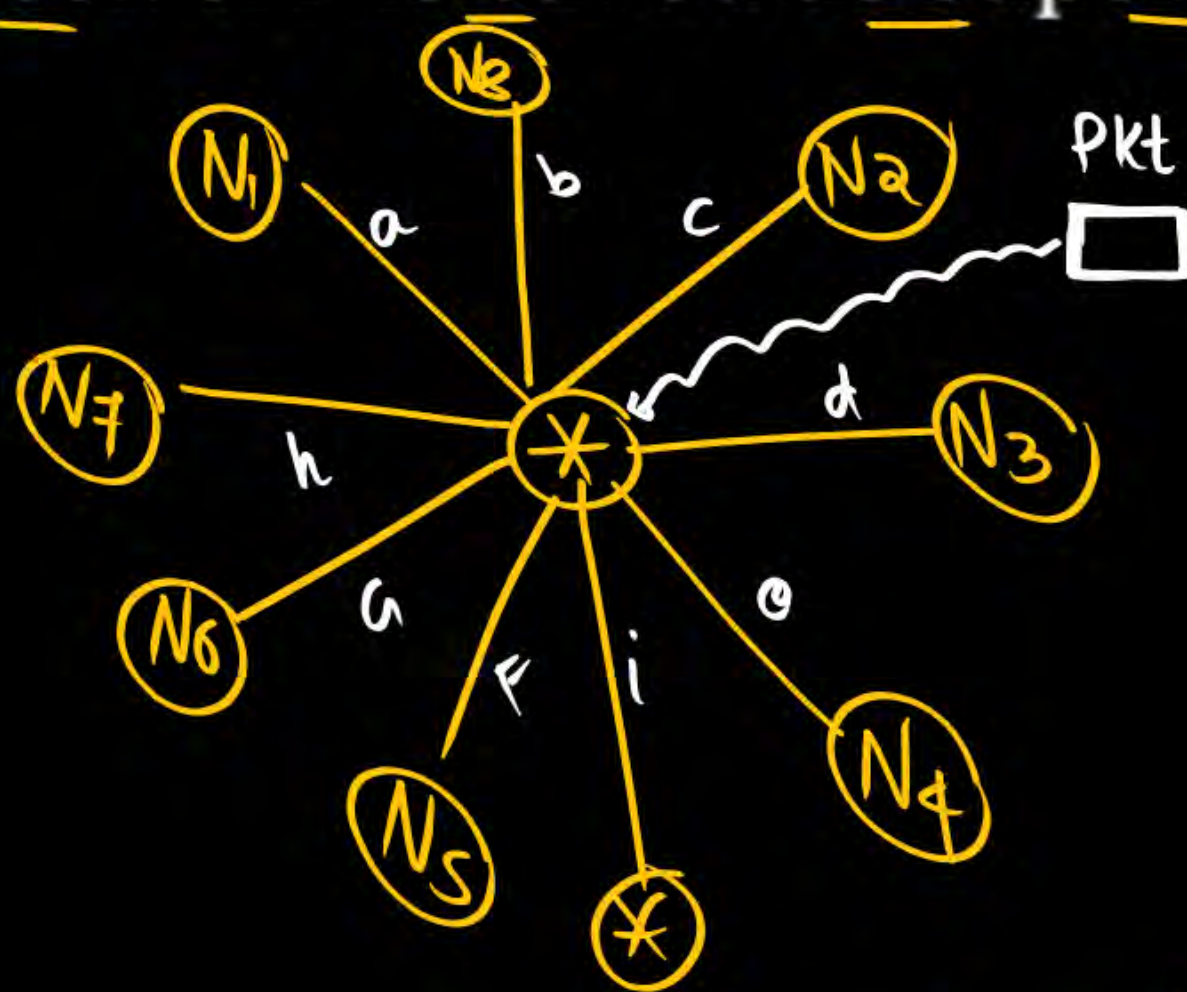
# Topics to be covered..

**Supernetting  
in  
Classless addressing**



# Supernetting or Aggregation

The process of combining two or more network to get a single network is called as supernetting.



Routing table

NID	S.M.	Interface
-	-	a
-	-	b
-	-	c
-	-	d
-	-	e
-	-	f
-	-	g
-	-	h
0.0.0.0	0.0.0.0	i

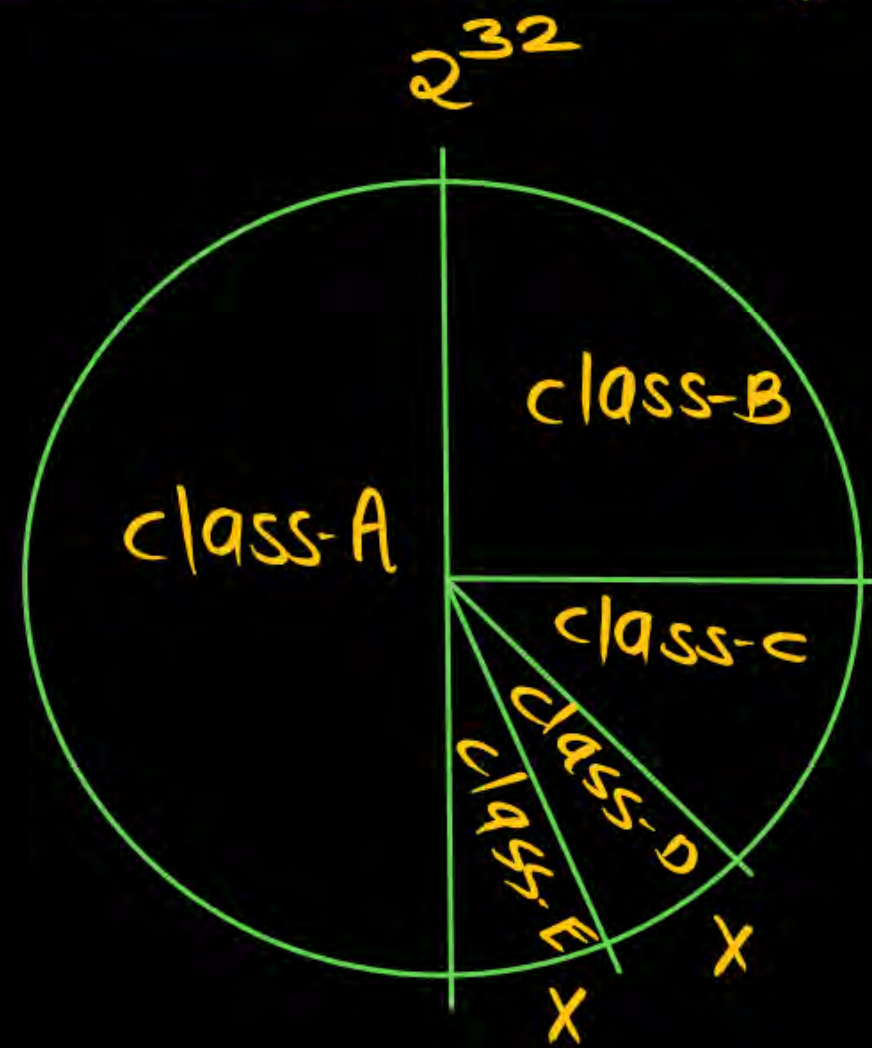
Default entry

# Advantage of Supernetting

- a.** Super netting Reduce Routing table entry.
- b.** Router will take less time for processing the packet.
- c.** It improve flexibility of IP Address Allotment  
i.e. If some one required 500 Address then we  
have no need to purchase class B network we  
can combine two class C network.



# classful Addressing

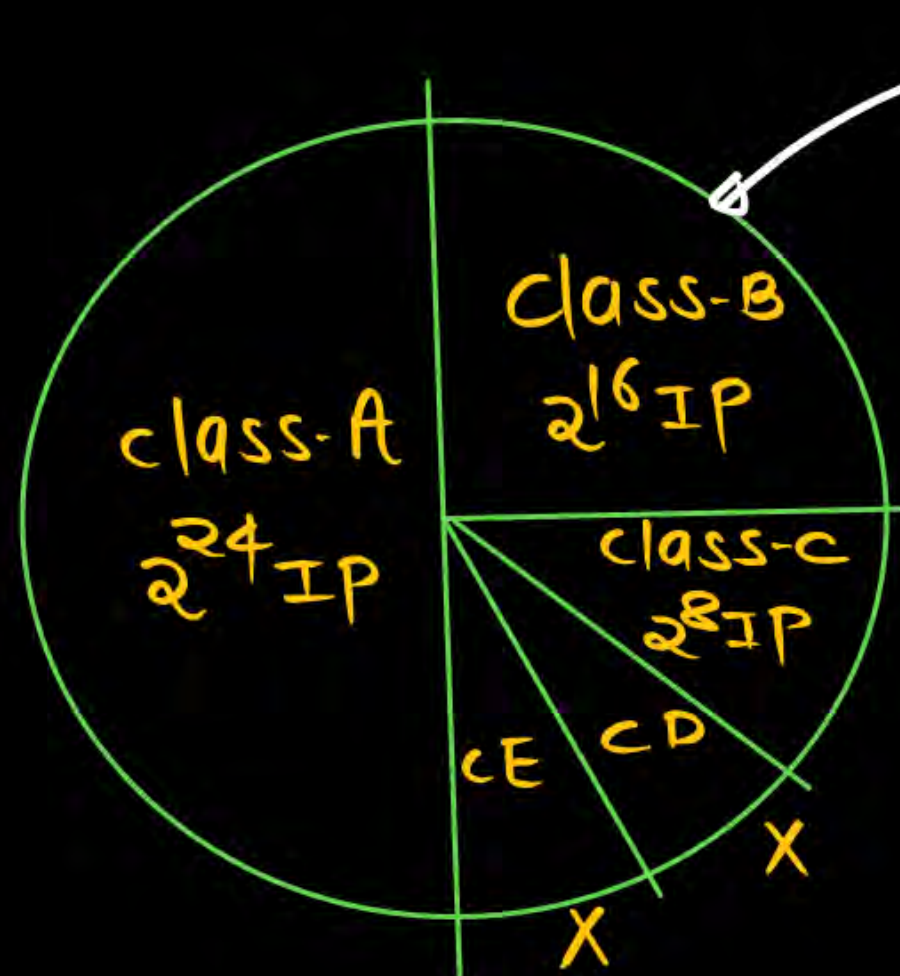


class A  $\rightarrow$  No. of IP Addresses in one N/W =  $2^{24}$

class-B  $\rightarrow$  " " " " " " " " =  $2^{16}$

class-C  $\rightarrow$  " " " " " " " " =  $2^8$





$X = 500$  IP Addresses

IP Addresses wasted =  $2^{16} - 500$

$= 65,536 - 500$

$= 65,036$

$2^9 = 512$  IP Addresses



✓ Possible

Not possible





# Rules of Supernetting

- a.** Network ID must be contiguous
- b.** Size of the Network must be same & No. of Network must be in a power of 2
- c.** First Network ID must be div. by tota size of the supernet.

or

First IP Address must be div by total size of supernet

## Ex - 1

- $N_1$ : 128.56.24.<sup>HID</sup>0/24, NID=24 bit, HID=8 bit, No. of IP Addresses =  $2^8$   
 $N_2$ : 128.56.25.0/24, NID=24 bit, HID=8 bit, " " " " =  $2^8$   
 $N_3$ : 128.56.26.0/24, NID=24 bit, HID=8 bit, " " " " =  $2^8$   
 $N_4$ : 128.56.27.0/24, NID=24 bit, HID=8 bit, " " " " =  $2^8$

(1) Network-id must be contiguous (True)



$N_1: 128.56.24.0/24$ , NID=24bit, HID=8bit



$\frac{128.56.24}{\text{NID}} \cdot \underbrace{\hspace{2cm}}_{\text{HID}}$

$128.56.24.00000000 \rightarrow 128.56.24.0$

$128.56.24.00000001 \rightarrow 128.56.24.1$

$128.56.24.00000010 \rightarrow 128.56.24.2$

⋮

$128.56.24.11111111 \rightarrow 128.56.24.255$

$+ 1$

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$128.56.25.0$

Q2:  $\frac{128.56.25}{NID} \frac{\text{-----}}{HID}$



$$128.56.25.00000000 \rightarrow 128.56.25.0$$

⋮

$$128.56.25.11111111 \rightarrow 128.56.25.255$$

+ 1

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$$128.56.26.0$$



N3: 128.56.26. -----  
NID HID



128.56.26.00000000 → 128.56.26.0

⋮

128.56.26.11111111 → 128.56.26.255

+ 1

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128.56.27.0

N4: 128.56.27. -----  
NID HID



128.56.27.00000000 → 128.56.27.0

⋮

128.56.27.11111111 → 128.56.27.255



② size of n/w must be same and No. of n/w's must be in a Power of 2

$$\text{same size} = 2^8 \text{ \& No. of Networks} = 4 = 2^2$$

③ First Network-id must be div by total size of supernet

$$\text{Total size of supernet} = 2^8 + 2^8 + 2^8 + 2^8 = 4 \times 2^8 = 2^2 \times 2^8 = 2^{10}$$

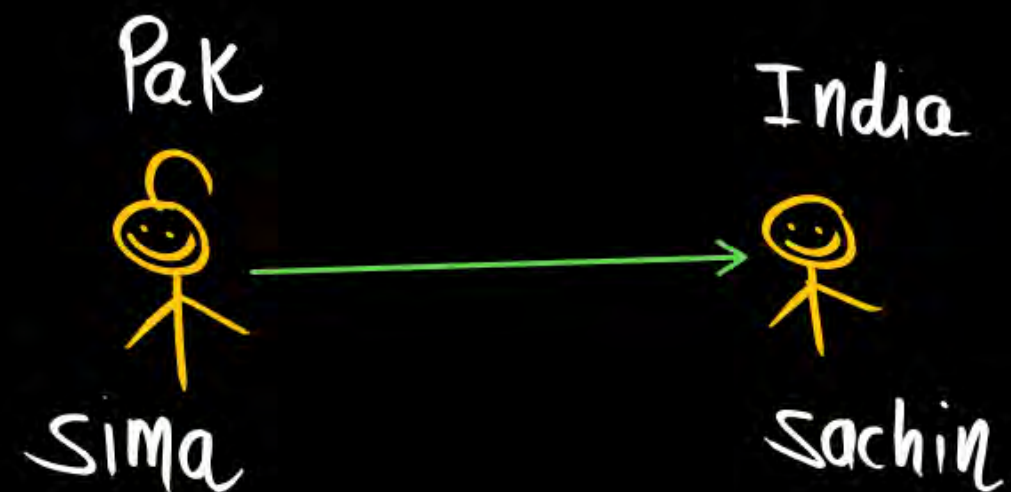
128.56.24.0

Rem of 10

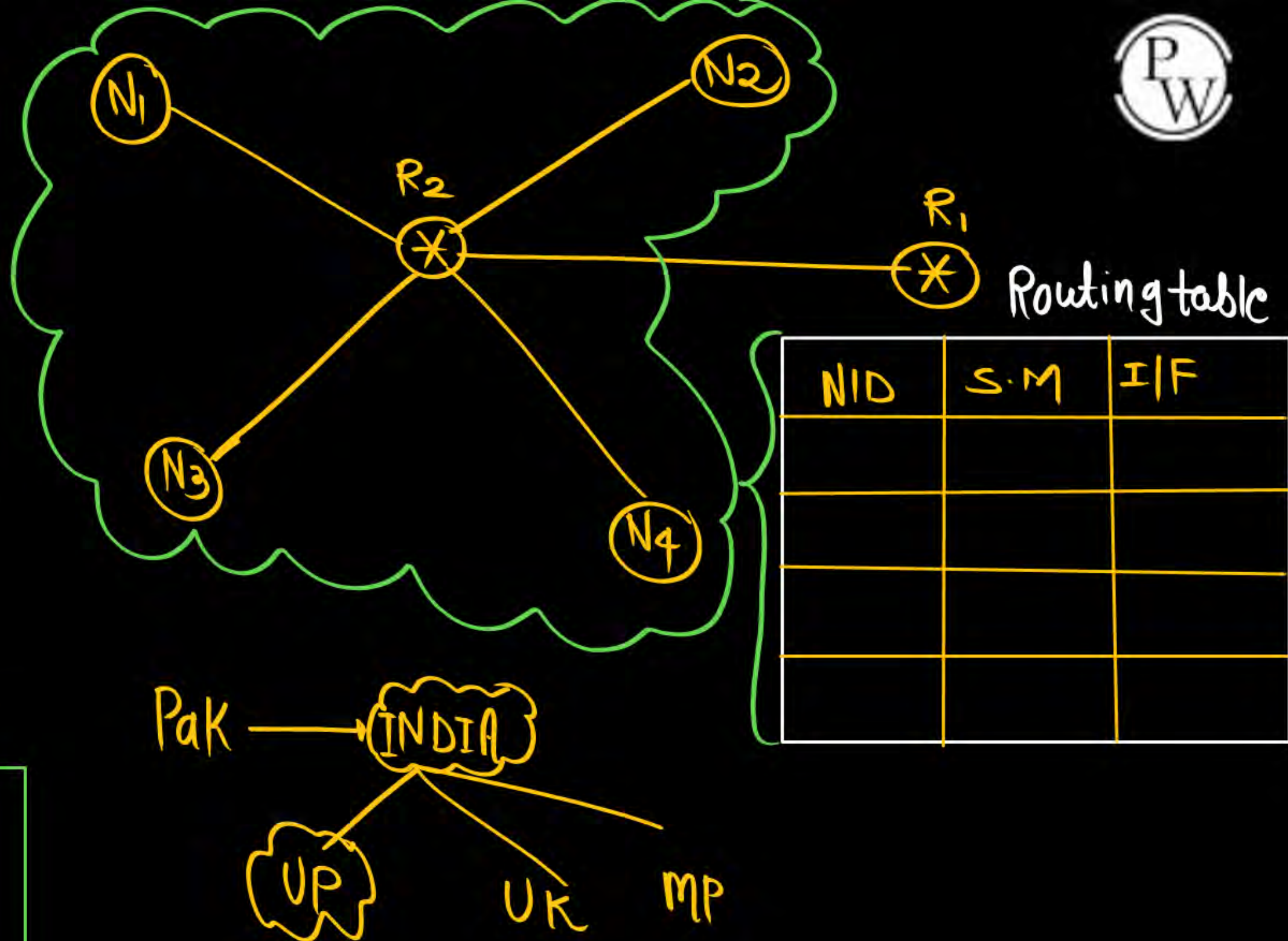
$$128.56.00014000 \cdot 0000000000 \boxed{\phantom{0000000000}} \bigg| 2^{10}$$



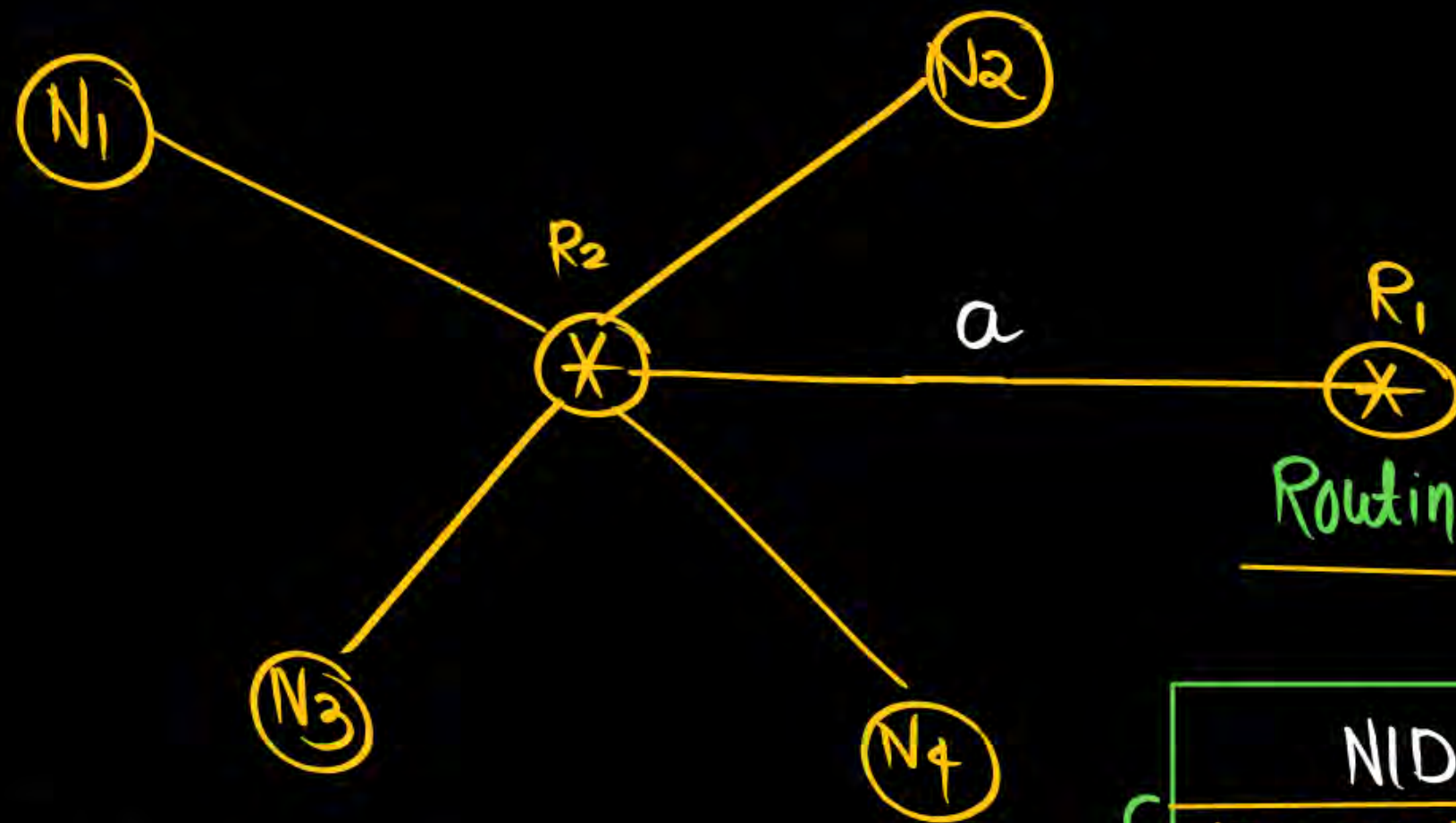
$N_1: 128.56.24.0/24$   
 $N_2: 128.56.25.0/24$   
 $N_3: 128.56.26.0/24$   
 $N_4: 128.56.27.0/24$



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Routing table at R<sub>1</sub> without super netting

NID	S.M.	Interface
128.56.24.0	255.255.255.0	a
128.56.25.0	255.255.255.0	a
128.56.26.0	255.255.255.0	a
128.56.27.0	255.255.255.0	a

$$DIP = 128.56.24.130$$

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AND

AND

$$S.M. = 255.255.255.0$$

NID

$$= 128.56.24.0$$

$$DIP = 128 \cdot 56 \cdot 27 \cdot 192$$



$$DIP = 128 \cdot 56 \cdot 27 \cdot 192$$

AND AND

$$SM = 255 \cdot 255 \cdot 255 \cdot 0$$

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$$NID = 128 \cdot 56 \cdot 27 \cdot 0$$



# Supernet mask

It is a 32 bit number used to generate a single IP address for the group of network based on the following two rules

**Rule1:** No of 1's in the supernet mask indicate fixed part

**Rule2:** No of 0's in the supernet mask indicate variable part



$N_1: 128 \cdot 56 \cdot 24 \cdot 0/24$   
 $N_2: 128 \cdot 56 \cdot 25 \cdot 0/24$   
 $N_3: 128 \cdot 56 \cdot 26 \cdot 0/24$   
 $N_4: 128 \cdot 56 \cdot 27 \cdot 0/24$

$\Rightarrow 128 \cdot 56 \cdot 24 \cdot 0/22 \Rightarrow \text{Final Ans}$

$N_1: 10000000 \cdot 00111000 \cdot 00011000 \cdot 00000000$   
 $N_2: 10000000 \cdot 00111000 \cdot 00011001 \cdot 00000000$   
 $N_3: 10000000 \cdot 00111000 \cdot 00011010 \cdot 00000000$   
 $N_4: 10000000 \cdot 00111000 \cdot 00011011 \cdot 00000000$

$\leftarrow \text{Fixed Part} \quad \leftarrow \text{Variable} \rightarrow$

$11111111 \cdot 11111111 \cdot 11111100 \cdot 00000000$

Supernet Mask =  $255 \cdot 255 \cdot 252 \cdot 0$





IP Add  
AND  
S.M  

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SID

IP Add  
AND  
supernet mask  
supernet-id =  $\frac{128.56.24.0}{255.255.252.0}$   

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128.56.24.0

24 : 00011001  
AND AND  
252 11111100  

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(24) 00011000

25 : 00011001  
AND AND  
252 11111100  

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(24) 00011000

26 : 00011010  
AND AND  
252 11111100  

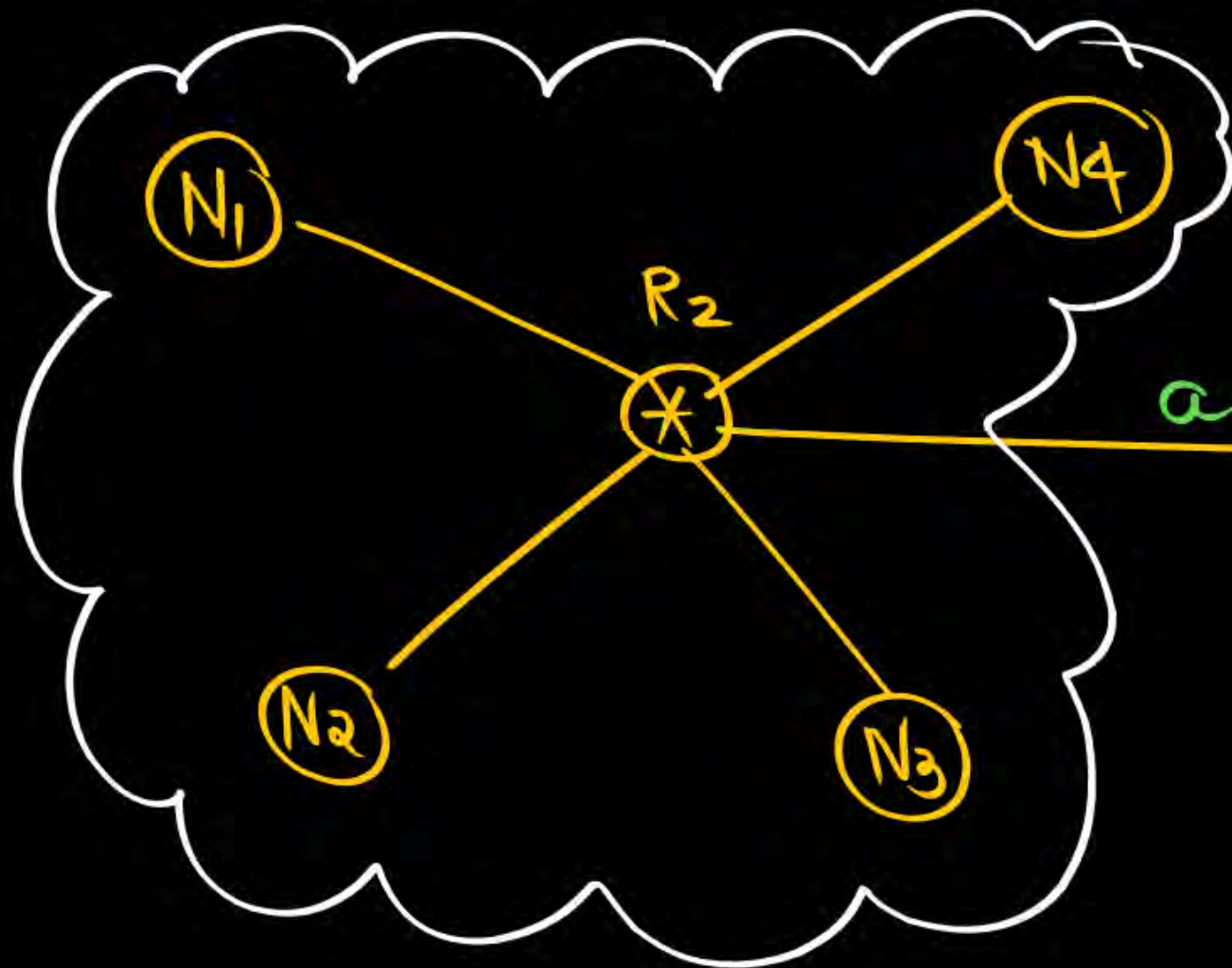
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24 = 00011000

27  
AND  
252  

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(24)



with supernetting Routing table at R<sub>1</sub>

Supernet-id	Supernet Mask	I/F
✓ 128.56.24.0	255.255.252.0	

$$DIP = 128.56.27.192$$

$$DIP = 128.56.27.192$$

AND

$$\text{Supernet Mask} = 255.255.252.0$$

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$$\text{Supernet id} = 128.56.24.0$$





## AD Rule (For supernet-id)

Supernet-id = First IP Addresses Always

$$\text{Supernet-id} = 128.56.24.0$$

## AD Rule (For supernet mask)

$$\text{Total size of supernet} = 2^8 + 2^8 + 2^8 + 2^8 = 2^{10}$$

$$\text{HID} = 10 \text{ bit}, \text{NID} = 32 - 10 = 22 \text{ bit}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Supernet Mask} &= 11111111.11111111.11111100.00000000 \\ &= 255.255.252.0 \end{aligned}$$



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**THANK  
YOU!**

