

Campus Architecture Network Portfolio

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Packet Tracer File:

The functional packet tracer file that has all of the following technologies implemented in a campus architecture network can be found in my git repository here: [GitHub Repository](#)

Overview:

The goal of this project is to implement the protocols and technologies used to build real-world enterprise networks using the campus network architecture. This project was completed to build a strong foundation in the core concepts of switching technologies and routing protocols, while also developing practical skills and critical thinking abilities that can be applied in real-world network environments.

Protocols and Technologies Implemented:

VLANs:

A VLAN is a network construct that allows network administrators to partition and isolate a single physical network into multiple distinct broadcast domains.

The Network has 10 VLANs:

VLAN ID	Name	10.vlan.0.0/16
1	Default	10.1.0.0/16
10	Admin	10.10.0.0/16
20	HR	10.20.0.0/16
30	Sales	10.30.0.0/16
40	Engineering	10.40.0.0/16
90	Voice	10.90.0.0/16
100	Guest	10.100.0.0/16
180	Management	10.180.0.0/16
254	Native	10.254.0.0/16
255	Parking-Lot	10.255.0.0/16

Each VLAN is associated with a unique IP network so the devices within the same VLAN communicate with each other using IP addressing even if they are spread across different physical locations.

Trunking:

A trunk is a network link designed to carry multiple VLANs through a single interface by tagging frames with VLAN identification. This allows for efficient VLAN distribution across switches and network segments, enabling devices in different VLANs to communicate through the same physical link.

Spanning Tree Protocol (STP):

STP is a network protocol designed to prevent loops in a Layer 2 network. It achieves this by selectively blocking certain paths and allowing only one active path between switches. This ensures that there is a single, loop-free path for data traffic, thus preventing broadcast storms and ensuring network stability.

EtherChannel:

EtherChannel is a port link aggregation technology or protocol developed by Cisco. It allows the bundling of several physical Ethernet links to form a single logical link between two networking devices. This enhances the bandwidth by combining multiple links' capacities and provides redundancy for higher network resilience.

First Hop Redundancy Protocol (FHRP):

FHRP is a group of protocols used to ensure network availability by automatically forwarding traffic to a standby router or Layer 3 switch if the primary default gateway fails. FHRP with protocols like HSRP, allows for the configuration of a virtual router with a virtual IP and MAC address that network hosts use as their default gateway.

DHCPv4 and DHCPv4 Relay:

Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol version 4 (DHCPv4) is a network protocol used to automatically assign IP addresses and other network configuration parameters to devices on a network. It enables devices to request and receive an IP address, default gateway, and subnet mask automatically from a DHCP server. This eliminates the need for manual network configuration.

DHCPv4 Relay allows DHCP clients on different subnets/VLANs to communicate with a centralized DHCP server. When a client sends a request, the relay agent intercepts it and forwards the request to the DHCP server, adding the necessary information about the client's subnet, which enables the server to assign an appropriate IP address to the client.

Layer 3 Switching:

Layer 3 switching is a process where a switch uses IP addresses to make forwarding decisions. This effectively combines the functions of a switch and a router, which allows for high-speed routing of data within a network. This approach allows for inter-VLAN routing, as it lets devices on different VLANs communicate without the need for a separate router.

Switch Virtual Interfaces (SVIs):

An SVI is a virtual interface with an IP address that is associated with a specific VLAN. An SVI on a Layer 3 switch enables it to perform routing functions between VLANs and IP networks, without the need for an external router. The SVI on a Layer 3 switch is typically the default gateway for end devices on the same VLAN.

Management VLAN:

This network has a management VLAN for these reasons:

Security: VLAN 1 is the default VLAN on many switches, and it carries all untagged traffic.

Because of this, it's often targeted for VLAN hopping and other network attacks. By moving important services like management interfaces (SVI) to another VLAN, you reduce the risk of these services being compromised.

Traffic Segmentation: Using a separate VLAN for management traffic ensures that it is isolated from user data traffic, reducing the risk of congestion and performance issues on the management interface. This segmentation also helps in prioritizing traffic, ensuring that management traffic is always accessible, even during high data traffic periods.

Best Practice and Compliance: Many network security standards and best practices recommend segregating management and user data traffic. This segregation helps in adhering to compliance requirements for network security.

Network Organization: Having a dedicated VLAN for management purposes helps in organizing the network more efficiently. It allows network administrators to apply specific policies and controls to the management traffic without affecting the user data traffic.

Open Shortest Path First (OSPF):

OSPF is a robust, link-state routing protocol widely used in IP networks. OSPF efficiently calculates the shortest path to each network destination by constructing a complete map or topology of the network using link-state advertisements (LSAs) from all participating routers. As an interior Gateway Protocol, OSPF is predominantly utilized within a single routing domain or autonomous system.

Example Configurations:

Access Switch (with DHCP Server Interface:

```
!  
hostname access-1-1  
!  
no ip domain-lookup  
!  
enable secret class  
!  
line con 0  
  logging synchronous  
  exec-timeout 0 0  
exit  
!  
line vty 0 4  
  password cisco  
  login  
  transport input telnet  
exit  
!  
!  
vlan 10  
  name admin  
exit  
!  
vlan 20  
  name HR  
exit  
!  
vlan 30  
  name Sales  
exit  
!  
vlan 40  
  name Engineering  
exit  
!  
vlan 90  
  name Voice  
exit  
!
```

```
vlan 100
  name Guest
  exit
!
vlan 180
  name Management
  exit
!
vlan 254
  name Native
  exit
!
vlan 255
  name Parking-Lot
  exit
!
!
interface range fa0/1-24, g0/1-2
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 255
  shutdown
  exit
!
!
interface fa0/10
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 10
  no shutdown
  exit
!
interface fa0/20
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 20
  no before shutdown
  exit
!
!
interface g 0/1
  no switchport access vlan 255
  switchport mode trunk
  switchport nonegotiate
  switchport trunk allowed vlan 1,10,20,30,40,90,100,180,254
  switchport trunk native vlan 254
  no shutdown
```

```
exit
!
!
interface vlan 180
ip address 10.180.1.10 255.255.255.0
no shutdown
exit
!
ip default-gateway 10.180.1.1
!
!
port-channel load-balance src-dst-ip
!
interface range fa 0/1-2
shutdown
channel-protocol lacp
channel-group 1 mode active
exit
!
!
interface range fa 0/1-2
no shutdown
exit
!
! The following port-channel1 command is only required for Packet Tracer
interface port-channel1
switchport trunk allowed vlan 1,10,20,30,40,90,100,180,254
exit !

!
interface g 0/1
no switchport access vlan 255
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 40
no shutdown
exit
!
!
interface fa 0/21
no switchport access vlan 255
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 40
no shutdown
exit
```

```
!  
!  
interface fa 0/21  
  no switchport access vlan 255  
  switchport mode access  
  switchport access vlan 40  
  spanning-tree portfast  
  spanning-tree bpduguard enable  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
!  
interface fa 0/21  
  no switchport access vlan 40  
  switchport mode access  
  switchport access vlan 255  
  shutdown  
  exit  
!  
!  
interface GigabitEthernet0/1  
  switchport trunk native vlan 254  
  switchport trunk allowed vlan 1,10,20,30,40,90,100,180,254  
  switchport mode trunk  
  switchport nonegotiate  
  exit  
!  
!  
interface gig 0/2  
  no switchport access vlan 255  
  switchport trunk native vlan 254  
  switchport trunk allowed vlan 1,10,20,30,40,90,100,180,254  
  switchport mode trunk  
  switchport nonegotiate  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!
```

Distribution Switch:

```
!  
hostname distribution-1  
!  
no ip domain-lookup  
!  
enable secret class  
!  
line con 0  
  logging synchronous  
  exec-timeout 0 0  
  exit  
!  
line vty 0 4  
  password cisco  
  login  
  transport input telnet  
  exit  
!  
!  
vlan 10  
  name admin  
  exit  
!  
vlan 20  
  name HR  
  exit  
!  
vlan 30  
  name Sales  
  exit  
!  
vlan 40  
  name Engineering  
  exit  
!  
vlan 90  
  name Voice  
  exit
```



```
!  
vlan 100  
  name Guest  
  exit  
!  
vlan 180  
  name Management  
  exit  
!  
vlan 254  
  name Native  
  exit  
!  
vlan 255  
  name Parking-Lot  
  exit  
!  
!  
interface range g 1/0/1-24, g 1/1/1-4  
  switchport mode access  
  switchport access vlan 255  
  shutdown  
  exit  
!  
interface range g 1/0/1-2  
  no switchport access vlan 255  
  switchport mode trunk  
  switchport nonegotiate  
  switchport trunk allowed vlan 1,10,20,30,40,90,100,180,254  
  switchport trunk native vlan 254  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
!  
interface vlan 10  
  ip address 10.10.0.1 255.255.0.0  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
interface vlan 20  
  ip address 10.20.0.1 255.255.0.0  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!
```

```
!  
interface vlan 10  
  ip address 10.10.0.1 255.255.0.0  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
interface vlan 20  
  ip address 10.20.0.1 255.255.0.0  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
interface vlan 180  
  ip address 10.180.1.1 255.255.255.0  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
!  
interface g 1/0/24  
  no ip address  
  exit  
!  
interface Port-channel2  
  no switchport  
  ip address 10.111.1.1 255.255.255.0  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
interface range gig 1/0/23-24  
  no switchport  
  channel-protocol lacp  
  channel-group 2 mode active  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
end  
!  
!  
interface vlan 10  
  ip helper-address 10.40.0.99  
  no shutdown  
  exit  
!  
interface vlan 20  
  ip helper-address 10.40.0.99
```

```
no shutdown
exit
!
!
interface vlan 10
no ip address
ip address 10.10.0.5 255.255.0.0
no shutdown
exit
!
!
interface vlan 20
no ip address
ip address 10.20.0.5 255.255.0.0
no shutdown
exit
!
!
interface vlan 30
ip address 10.30.0.5 255.255.0.0
no shutdown
exit
!
interface vlan 40
ip address 10.40.0.5 255.255.0.0
no shutdown
exit
!
!
interface range gig 1/0/3 - 4
shutdown
no switchport access vlan 255
switchport trunk native vlan 254
switchport trunk allowed vlan 1,10,20,30,40,90,100,180,254
switchport mode trunk
switchport nonegotiate
no shutdown
exit
!
!
interface vlan 10
standby 1 ip 10.10.0.1
standby 1 priority 200
standby 1 preempt
```

```
no shutdown
exit
!
interface vlan 20
 standby 1 ip 10.20.0.1
 standby 1 priority 200
 standby 1 preempt
no shutdown
exit
!
interface vlan 30
 standby 1 ip 10.30.0.1
 standby 1 priority 200
 standby 1 preempt
no shutdown
exit
!
interface vlan 40
 standby 1 ip 10.40.0.1
 standby 1 priority 200
 standby 1 preempt
no shutdown
exit
!
!
spanning-tree vlan 10 root primary
spanning-tree vlan 20 root primary
!
spanning-tree vlan 30 root secondary
spanning-tree vlan 40 root secondary
!
!
router ospf 1
router-id 5.5.5.5
log-adjacency-changes
redistribute connected
network 10.10.0.0 0.0.0.255 area 0
network 10.20.0.0 0.0.0.255 area 0
network 10.111.1.0 0.0.0.255 area 0
network 10.180.1.0 0.0.0.255 area 0
!
```

Core Switch:

```
!  
no ip domain-lookup  
!  
line con 0  
  logging synchronous  
  exec-timeout 0 0  
exit  
!  
!  
interface g1/0/1  
  no switchport  
  ip address 10.200.200.1 255.255.255.252  
exit  
!  
interface g1/0/3  
  no switchport  
  ip address 10.200.200.9 255.255.255.252  
exit  
!  
interface g1/0/6  
  no switchport  
  ip address 10.200.200.17 255.255.255.252  
exit  
!  
interface g1/0/24  
  no switchport  
  ip address 10.1.1.1 255.255.255.0  
exit  
!  
interface g1/0/23  
  no switchport  
  ip address 10.200.200.26 255.255.255.252  
exit  
!  
!  
router ospf 1  
  router-id 1.1.1.1  
  network 10.1.1.0 0.0.0.255 area 0  
  network 10.200.200.24 0.0.0.3 area 0  
  network 10.200.200.8 0.0.0.3 area 0  
  network 10.200.200.16 0.0.0.3 area 0
```

```
network 10.200.200.0 0.0.0.3 area 0
end
!
clear ip ospf process
Reset ALL OSPF processes? [no]: yes
!
!
interface g 1/0/3
 ip ospf hello-interval 5
 ip ospf dead-interval 20
exit
!
!
interface gig 1/0/1
 ip ospf network point-to-point
exit
!
interface gig 1/0/3
 ip ospf network point-to-point
exit
!
interface gig 1/0/6
 ip ospf network point-to-point
exit
!
interface gig 1/0/23
 ip ospf network point-to-point
exit
!
!
router ospf 1
 passive-interface gig 1/0/24
end
!
```

Edge Router:

!

```
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0
ip address 10.200.200.25 255.255.255.252
no shutdown
exit
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/1
ip address 209.1.1.1 255.255.255.252
no shutdown
exit
!
!
router ospf 1
router-id 10.10.10.10
network 10.200.200.24 0.0.0.3 area 0
end
!
clear ip ospf process
Reset ALL OSPF processes? [no]: yes
!
!
ip route 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 209.1.1.2
end
!
!
router ospf 1
default-information originate
end
!
!
ip route 10.0.0.0 255.0.0.0 null0
end
!
!
router ospf 1
auto-cost reference-bandwidth 10000
end
!
!
interface gig 0/0/0
ip ospf network point-to-point
exit
!
```

ISP Router:

```
!  
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/1  
ip address 209.1.1.2 255.255.255.252  
no shutdown  
exit  
!  
interface Loopback0  
ip address 99.99.99.99 255.255.255.0  
no shutdown  
exit  
!  
!  
ip route 10.0.0.0 255.0.0.0 209.1.1.1  
end  
!
```