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Experiment 8- Configure Web Server, DNS within a LAN

Observation Book:

Q: Configure web server, DNS & authentication a LAN

Aim: To configure DNS server to demonstrate mapping of IP address and domain name

Topology

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graph TD; Switch[Switch] --- PC[PC 10.0.0.1]; Switch --- Server[Server 10.0.0.2]
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Procedure: Configuration

1. Set up the connection as shown above
2. Set IPs of PC and server
3. Server 0
Services → DNS
Enable ON

In test fields, add
name: abc
address: 10.0.0.3

click add → go to HTTP → click edit for index
HTML
click save

Procedure:

1. Go to PC → Desktop → Web browser

2. Search 'abc' in url bar
 3. Search 10.0.0.2 in url bar
- Output for both 'abc' and 10.0.0.2

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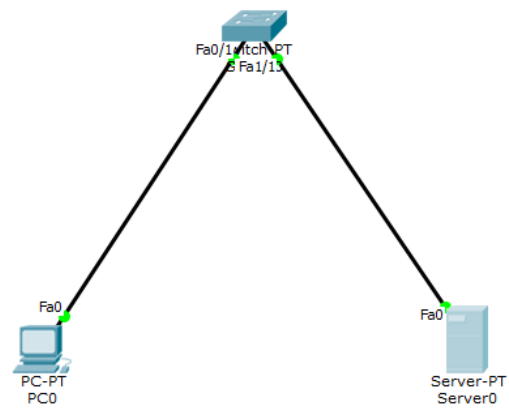
DNS translates domain names to IP addresses. It simplifies accessing websites by using human readable names.

In this experiment, a web server DNS were configured within a LAN to map domain names to IP addresses. The PC0 successfully accessed the server 0 by both its IP address and the configured domain name 'abc'.

The configuration was successful allowing web page to be accessed via both methods.

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Topology:



Output:

