SCENARIO PURPOSE: Illustrate implementing Routing Failover on High Speed and Low Speed Links with OSPF and resulting Packet Loss.

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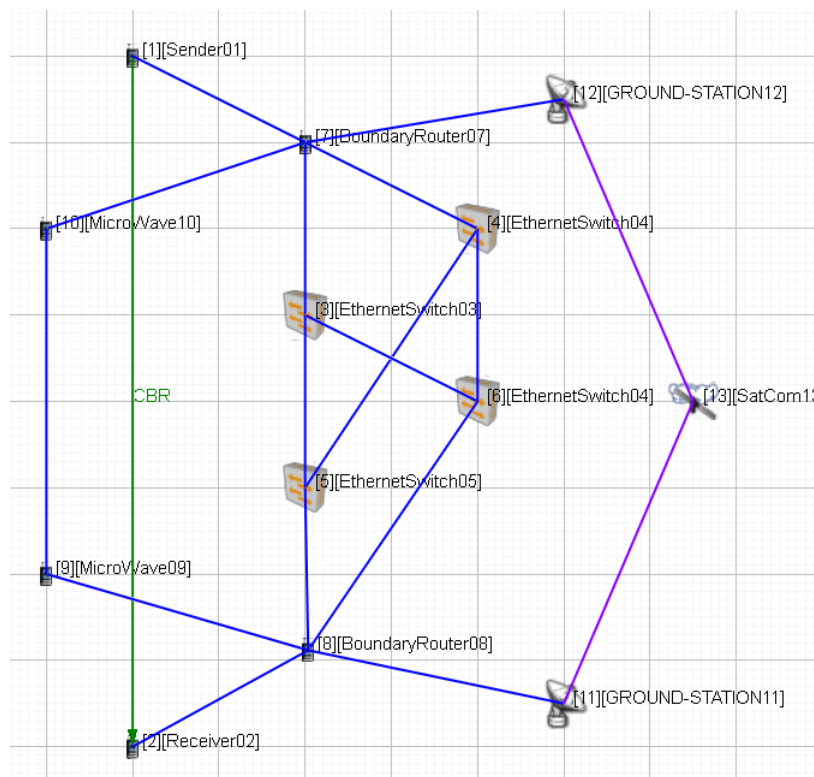
There are four Ethernet Switches that form a fully meshed wired network backbone. These Ethernet Switches are dual homed to boundary router. The boundary routers also link to a Microwave Network

at 1.54 Mbps and a STACOM network at 128 Kbps. Data is sent from Node 1/Sender to Node 2/Receiver with OSPF routing determining the network path used. Starting with the Interface Faults at Node 7 interfaces 3 and 4, the application traffic is redirected to the Microwave link, then the SATCOM link based on OSPF decisions regarding link and bandwidth availability.

The Interface faults on Node 7 are as follows:

> INTERFACE-FAULT 190.0.9.2 40M 60M

> INTERFACE-FAULT 190.0.3.1 20M 70M

> INTERFACE-FAULT 190.0.3.7 20M 70M

This forces traffic from the Ethernet Network to the Microwave then back to the Ethernet as the faults clear at 70 minutes and the scenario has an 80 minute simulation time. The traffic Rate of 1.6Mbps exceeds the link capacity for both the Microwave and SATCOM links resulting in packet loss while those respective Network Patch are in use.

APPLICATIONS:

CBP, nodes 1 & 2 at .005 Second Intervals [1.6Mbps]

DESCRIPTION OF THE FILES:

1. GroundMicroSatFailover.app - QualNet configuration file for application input.
2. GroundMicroSatFailover.config - QualNet configuration input file.
3. GroundMicroSatFailover.stat - QualNet statistics collection.
4. GroundMicroSatFailover.nodes - QualNet configuration file for node position.
5. GroundMicroSatFailover.fault - QualNet configuration file for node position.
6. GroundMicroSatFailover.display - QualNet visualization parameters
7. groundsat.png – SATCOM node ICON
8. satdish.3ds – 3d Satellite ICON
9. GroundMicroSatFailover README.docx – This File source
10. GroundMicroSatFailover README.pdf – This file distributable

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