

Experiment 1

Aim: Study of basic network concepts

Objectives:

To learn basics of:

1. The nature of networks
2. The TCP/IP layer model
3. IP, TCP, and UDP protocols
4. Firewalls and proxy servers
5. The Internet

Exercises:

1. Explain the following terms:
 - a. Network
 - b. Host and node
 - c. Protocols
 - d. The Internet
 - e. Ports
2. Define packet-switched network. What are its advantages?
3. Explain the layers of a network described in TCP/IP model with diagram.
4. Describe TCP, IP and UDP.
5. What do you mean by IP address?
6. Explain the use of the following protocols:
 - a. FTP
 - b. SSH
 - c. Telnet
 - d. whois
 - e. smtp
 - f. time
 - g. HTTP
 - h. NNTP
 - i. IMAP
 - j. finger
7. What are firewalls and proxy servers?
8. What is Client/Server model?