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1.0 Introduction

From the assignment scenario, I was hired as an engineer by Innovative Bhd. I have been tasked to design and set up a local area network for the company in different locations. I have been assigned 3 locations to set a local area network. For **location A**, it has 3 departments on each floor. The ground floor is the Sales Department, the first floor is the Administrative Department and the second floor is the Management Department. Three hosts required in these three departments are 135,000, 740 and 80. After that, **location B** has two departments. It is the Research and Development Department, it has 945,000 hosts required and in the Manufacturing Plant, it has 1,356,720 hosts required. In **location C**, it is Living Quarters, its host required is 4,116,500.

Then, my topology is star topology, because our network design is connected like a star. I use one router and six switches to connect each department network. In **location A**, the Sales department, i use 2 pc and 1 laptop to represent the 135,000 hosts and in the management department and administrative department, i use 1 pc and 1 laptop to represent the 80 hosts and 740 hosts. In **location B**, I use 2 PCs and 1 laptop to represent the research and development department and manufacturing plant. There are 945,000 hosts and 1,356,720 hosts. In **location C**, I use 2 PCs and 1 laptop to represent the 4,116,500 hosts in the living quarters. In my topology design, I use Fast Ethernet interface to connect the switches from the router to each department. Besides, all the end devices are connected to each other by using copper straight-through cable.

By completing the assignment, I am able to use various digital resources to complete tasks related to network configuration based on the questions given. For example, I use the Cisco packet tracer, Panopto and other platforms to complete this assignment and enhance my understanding of this computer network. By doing so, digital skills such as digital collaboration skills, social media skills and so on are very helpful for us to live in a digital and technological society nowadays.

When I am subnetting an IP address for the network, the class that has been used is class A addressing, it is a private address space that can be used by a new company. The techniques that I implemented are Variable Length Subnet Masks (VLSM) which allows us to use different subnet masks and create subnets depending on each department host that is required. The address space can be allocated efficiently because IP addresses are given based on the number of hosts needed, so not too many IP addresses are wasted.

So, from this assignment, I will learn how to calculate a growth table, subnetting table and use it to design a network topology. I also learned how to use the command in packet tracer to configure the network address.

2.0 Growth Table

A (Management Department)

Host address in subnet mask: 80

85% growth in subnet mask: $80 \times 85\% = 68$

Total of address in subnet mask: 68 + 80 = 148

A (Administrative Department)

Host address in subnet mask: 740

85% growth in subnet mask: $740 \times 85\% = 629$

Total of address in subnet mask: 740 + 629 = 1,369

A (Sales Department)

Host address in subnet mask: 135,000

85% growth in subnet mask: $135,000 \times 85\% = 114,750$

Total of address in subnet mask: 135,000 + 114,750 = 249,750

B (Research and Development Department)

Host address in subnet mask: 945,000

85% growth in subnet mask: 945,000 x 85% = **803,250**

Total of address in subnet mask: 945,000 + 803,250 = 1,748,250

B (Manufacturing Plant)

Host address in subnet mask: 1,356,720

85% growth in subnet mask: $1,356,720 \times 85\% = 1,153,212$

Total of address in subnet mask: 1,356,720 + 1,153,212 = 2,509,932

C (Living Quarters)

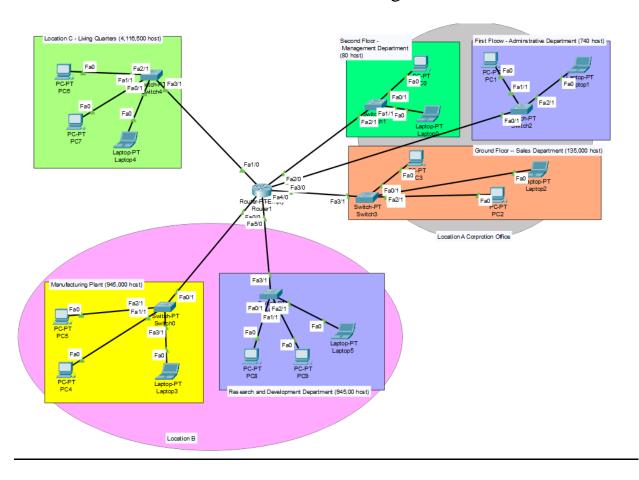
Host address in subnet mask: 4,116,500

85% growth in subnet mask: $4,116,500 \times 85\% = 3,499,025$

Total of address in subnet mask: 4,116,500 + 3,499,025 = 7,615,525

The conclusion of this growth table is the total number of addresses required for the largest subnet in all area is location C, it need 7,615,525

3.0 Network Design



4.0 Subnetting Table

- Before growth

Location (Department)	Number of host Required	Prefix	Subnet Mask	Subnet Address	First Usable IP address	Last Usable IP address	Broadcast Address
C (Living Quarters)	4,116,500	/10	255.192.0.0	10.0.0.0	10.0.0.1	10.63.255.254	10.63.255.255
B (Manufacturing Plant)	1,356,720	/11	255.224.0.0	10.64.0.0	10.64.0.1	10.95.255.254	10.95.255.255
Research and Development	945,000	/12	255.240.0.0	10.96.0.0	10.96.0.1	10.111.255.254	10.111.255.255
A (Sales)	135,000	/14	255.252.0.0	10.112.0.0	10.112.0.1	10.115.255.254	10.115.255.255
A (Administrative)	740	/22	255.255.252. 0	10.116.0.0	10.116.0.1	10.116.3.254	10.116.3.255
A (Management)	80	/25	255.255.255. 128	10.116.4.0	10.116.4.1	10.116.4.126	10.116.4.127
				10.116.4.128			

- After growth

Location (Department)	Number of host Required	Prefix	Subnet Mask	Subnet Address	First Usable IP address	Last Usable IP address	Broadcast Address
C (Living Quarters)	7,615,525	/9	255.128.0.0	10.0.0.0	10.0.0.1	10.127.255.254	10.127.255.255
B (Manufacturing Plant)	2,509,932	/10	255.192.0.0	10.128.0.0	10.128.0.1	10.191.255.254	10.191.255.255
Research and Development	1,748,250	/11	255.224.0.0	10.192.0.0	10.192.0.1	10.223.255.254	10.223.255.255
A (Sales)	249,750	/14	255.252.0.0	10.224.0.0	10.224.0.1	10.227.255.254	10.227.255.255
A (Administrative)	1,369	/21	255.255.248. 0	10.228.0.0	10.228.0.1	10.228.7.254	10.228.7.255
A (Management)	148	/24	255.255.255. 0	10.228.8.0	10.228.8.1	10.228.8.254	10.228.8.225

- Assign the first usable IP address to Router
- Assign the last usable IP address for Host

5.0 Table for the each location connections and end devices

Location (Department)	Router	Switch	End Device
Location A (Management Department)	Fa 2/0	Switch 1	- PC 0 - Laptop 0
Location A (Sales Department)	Fa 4/0	Switch 3	- PC 2 - PC 3 - Laptop 2
Location A (Administrative Department)	Fa 3/0	Switch 2	- PC 1 - Laptop 1
Location B (Manufacturing Department)	Fa 0/0	Switch 0	- PC 4 - PC 5 - Laptop 3
Location B (Research and Development Department)	Fa 5/0	Switch 5	- PC 8 - PC 9 - Laptop 5
Location C (Living Quarters)	Fa 1/0	Switch 4	- PC 6 - PC 7 - Laptop 4

6.0 Addressing Table

Device	Interface	IPv4 Address	Subnet Mask	Default Gateway
Router	Fa 0/0	10.128.0.1	255.192.0.0	
	Fa 2/0	10.228.8.1	255.255.255.0	N/A
	Fa 4/0	10.224.0.1	255.252.0.0	
	Fa 1/0	10.0.0.1	255.128.0.0	
	Fa 5/0	10.192.0.1	255.224.0.0	
	Fa 3/0	10.228.0.1	255.255.248.0	
Switch 0		10.128.0.2	255.192.0.0	10.128.0.1
Switch 1		10.228.8.2	255.255.255.0	10.228.8.1
Switch 2	VLAN 1	10.228.0.2	255.255.248.0	10.228.0.1
Switch 3		10.224.0.2	255.252.0.0	10.224.0.1
Switch 4		10.0.0.2	255.128.0.0	10.0.0.1
Switch 5		10.192.0.2	255.224.0.0	10.192.0.1
PC 0		10.228.8.254	255.255.255.0	10.228.8.1
PC 1		10.228.7.254	255.255.248.0	10.228.0.1
PC 2		10.227.255.254	255.252.0.0	10.224.0.1
PC 3	NIC	10.227.255.253	255.252.0.0	10.224.0.1
PC 4		10.191.255.254	255.192.0.0	10.128.0.1

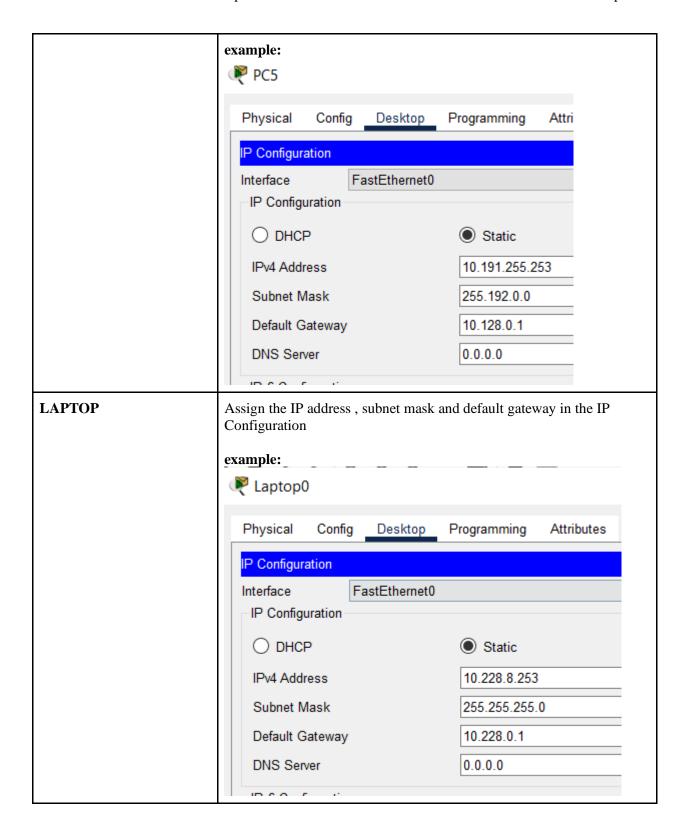
PC 5		10.191.255.253	2558.192.0.0	10.128.0.1
PC 6		10.127.255.254	255.128.0.0	10.0.0.1
PC 7		10.127.255.253	255.128.0.0	10.0.0.1
PC 8		10.223.225.254	255.224.0.0	10.192.0.1
PC 9		10.223.225.253	255.224.0.0	10.192.0.1
LAPTOP 0		10.228.8.253	255.255.255.0	10.228.8.1
LAPTOP 1	NIC	10.228.7.253	255.255.248.0	10.228.0.1
LAPTOP 2		10.227.255.253	255.252.0.0	10.224.0.1
LAPTOP 3		10.191.255.252	255.192.0.0	10.128.0.1
LAPTOP 4		10.127.255.252	255.128.0.0	10.0.0.1
LAPTOP 5		10.223.255.252	255.224.0.0	10.192.0.1

7.0 Configuration

Device	Configure Command
Router & Switch (set password & secret)	To set router and switch password and secret
(set password & secret)	Secret = AACS2034 Password = C!sco
	Router > enable
	Router(config)# line console 0
	Router(config-line)# password (password)
	Router(config-line)# login
	Router(config-line)# enable secret (secret password)
	example:
	Router>enable Router#configure terminal Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z. Router(config)# Router(config)#line console 0 Router(config-line)#password C!sco Router(config-line)#login Router(config-line)#enable secret AACS2034
Router	To assign IP Address and subnet mask
	Router > enable
	Router# configure terminal
	Router(config)# interface (interface name)
	Router(config-if)# ip address (IPv4 address)(subnet mask)
	Router(config-if)# no shutdown
	Router(config-if)# exit
	Router(config)# exit
	Router# copy running-config startup-config
	Router# show ip interface brief
	example:

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Router(config) #interface fastethernet 5/0
                         Router(config-if) #ip address 10.192.0.1 255.224.0.0
                         Router(config-if) #no shutdown
                         Router(config-if) #interface fastethernet 3/0
                         Router(config-if) #ip address 10.228.0.1 255.255.248.0
                         Router(config-if) #no shutdown
                         Router(config-if) #exit
                         Router (config) #exit
                         Router#
                         %SYS-5-CONFIG_I: Configured from console by console
                         Router#copy running-config startup-config
                         Destination filename [startup-config]?
                         Building configuration...
                         [OK]
                         Router#
                         Router#show ip interface brief
                                                     OK? Method Status
                         Interface
                                          IP-Address
                         Protocol
                        Switch
                        To assign IP Address, subnet mask and default gateway
                        Switch > enable
                        Switch# configure terminal
                        Switch(config)# interface VLAN1
                        Switch(config-if)# ip address ____ (IPv4 address) ____ (subnet mask)
                        Switch(config-if)# no shutdown
                        Switch(config)# ip default-gateway _____ (default gateway)
                        example:
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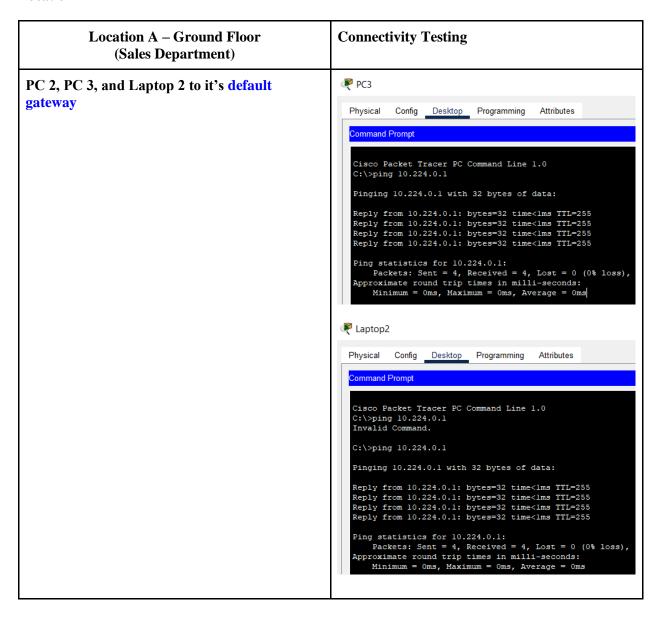
	Switch>enable Switch#configure terminal Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z. Switch(config)#interface vlanl Switch(config-if)#ip address 10.0.0.2 255.128.0.0 Switch(config-if)#no shutdown Switch(config-if)#exit Switch(config)#ip default-gateway 10.0.0.1 Switch(config)#
Set hostname (Router and Switch)	Router / Switch > enable Router / Switch# configure terminal Router / Switch(config)# hostname (hostname) example:
	Router>enable Router#configure terminal Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z. Router(config)#hostname Rl Rl(config)#
Set banner (Router & Switch)	Router / Switch > enable Router / Switch# configure terminal Router / Switch(config)# banner motd example: R1>
	Rl>enable Rl#configure terminal Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z. Rl(config) #banner motd > Enter TEXT message. End with the character '>'. ****************** * Innovative Bhd * ******************* User Access Verification > Rl(config) #
PC	Assign the IP address, subnet mask and default gateway in the IP Configuration

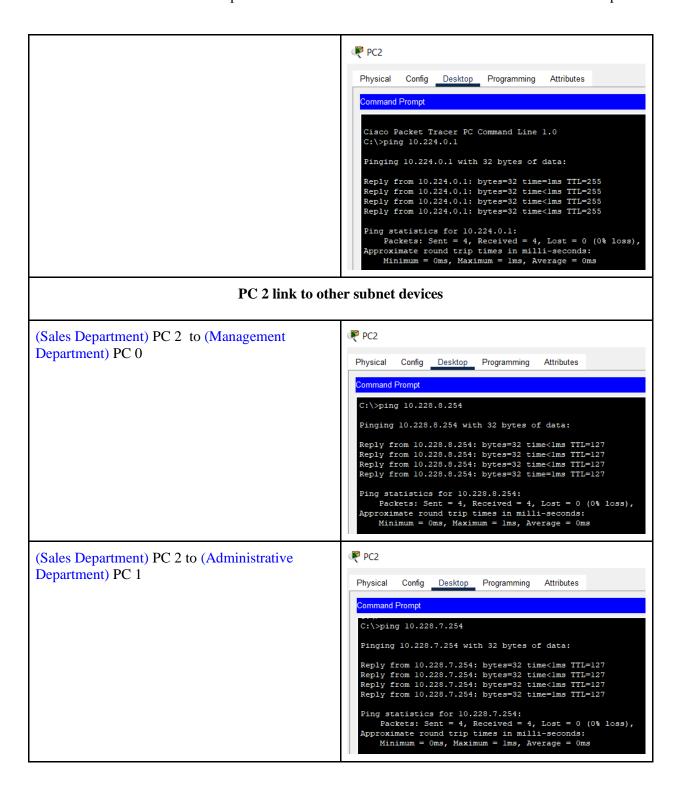


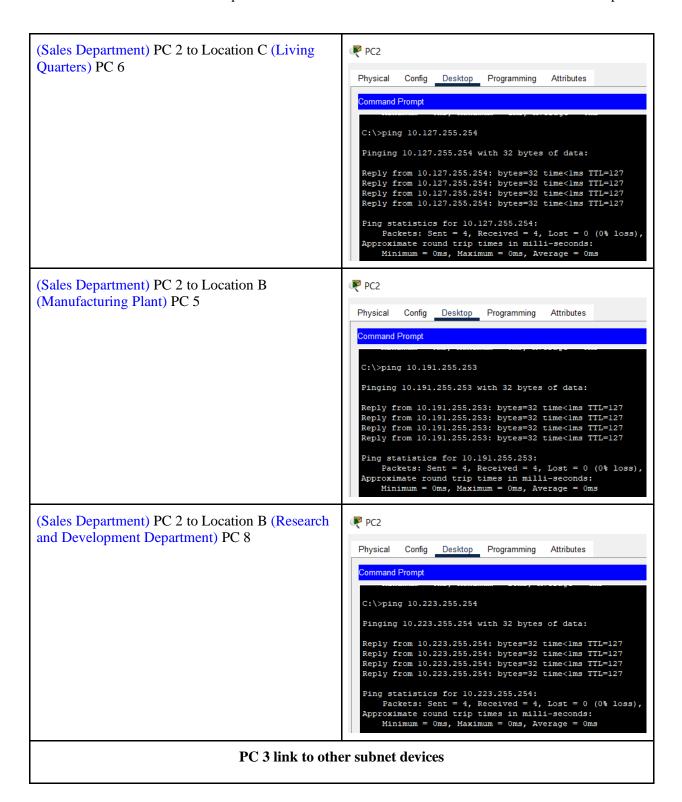
8.0 Screen capture for ping connectivity

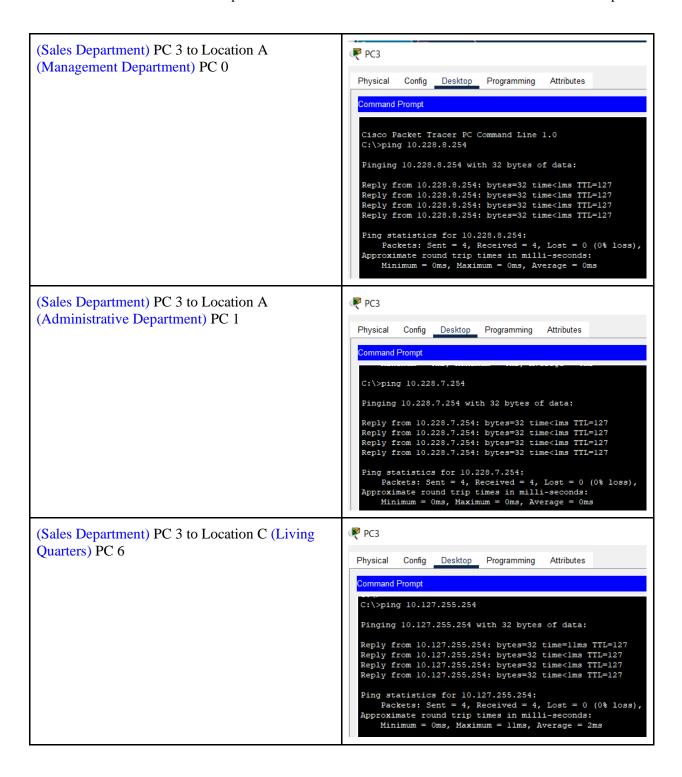
This is the screen capture for the default gateway ping on the each end devices and it also is the each location end devices ping to each other

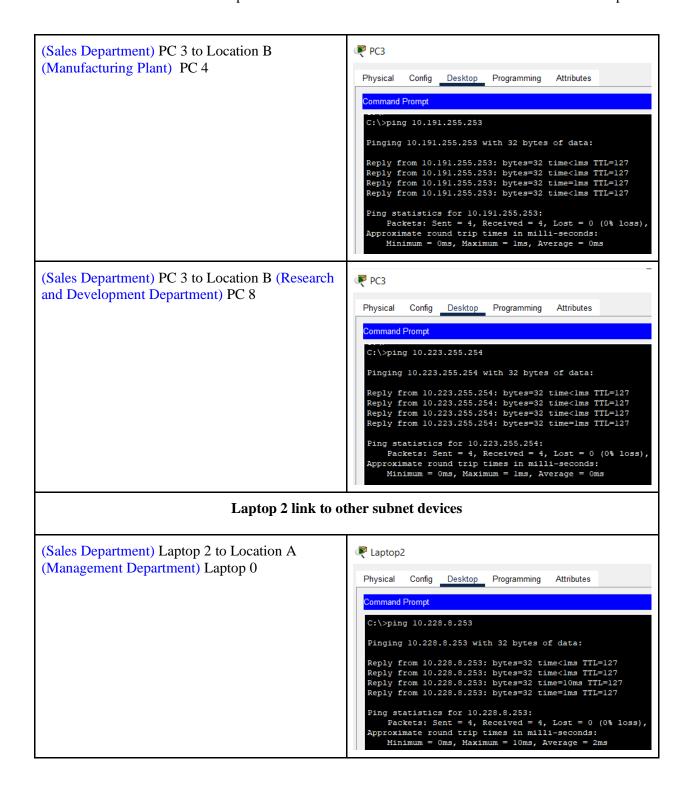
Location A



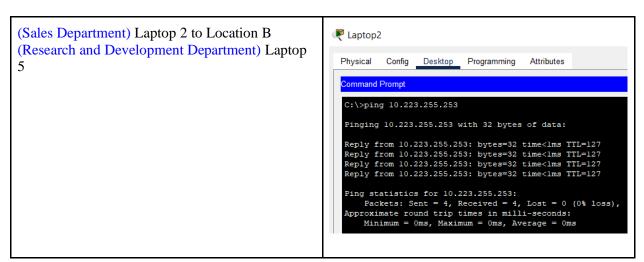


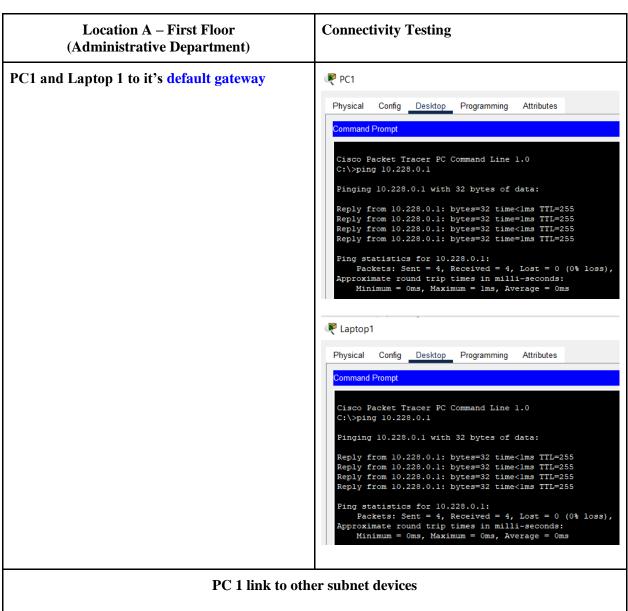


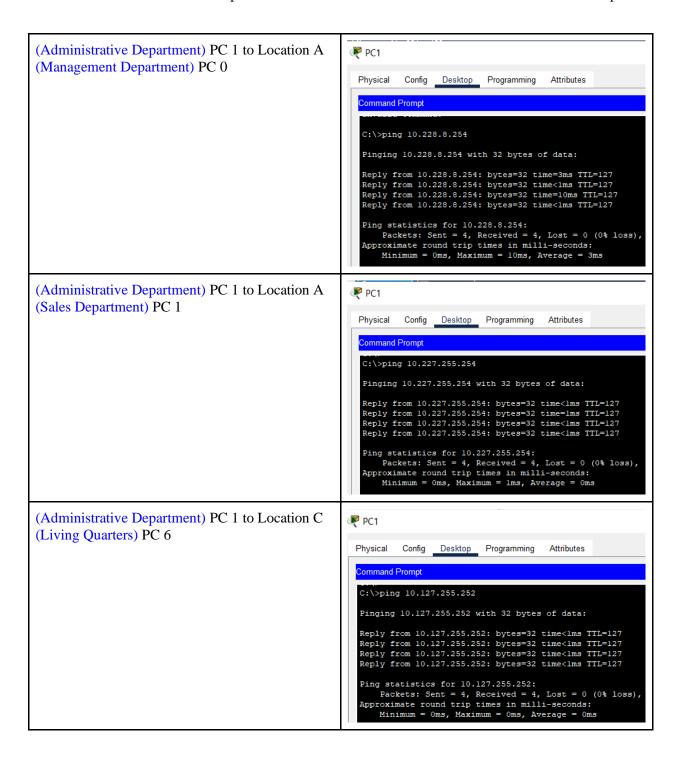


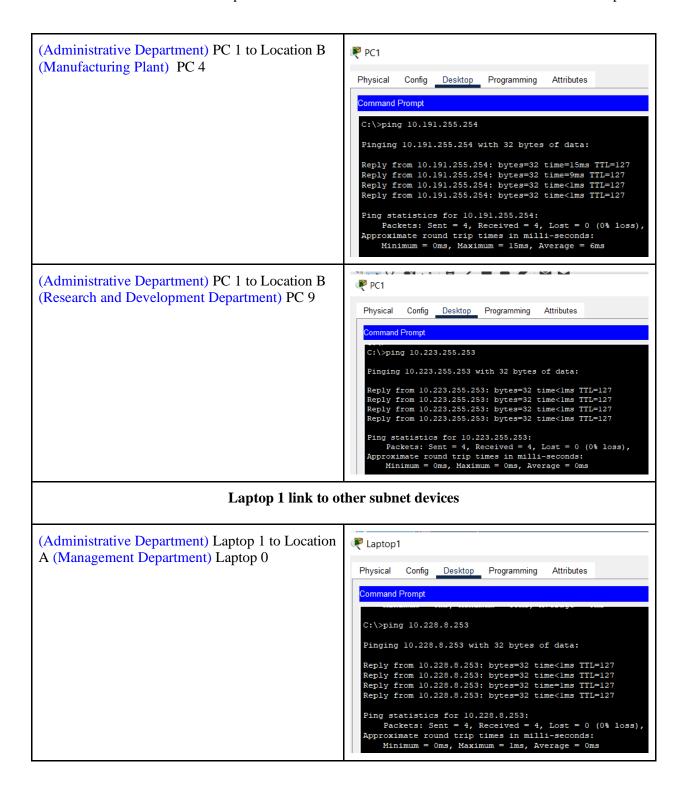


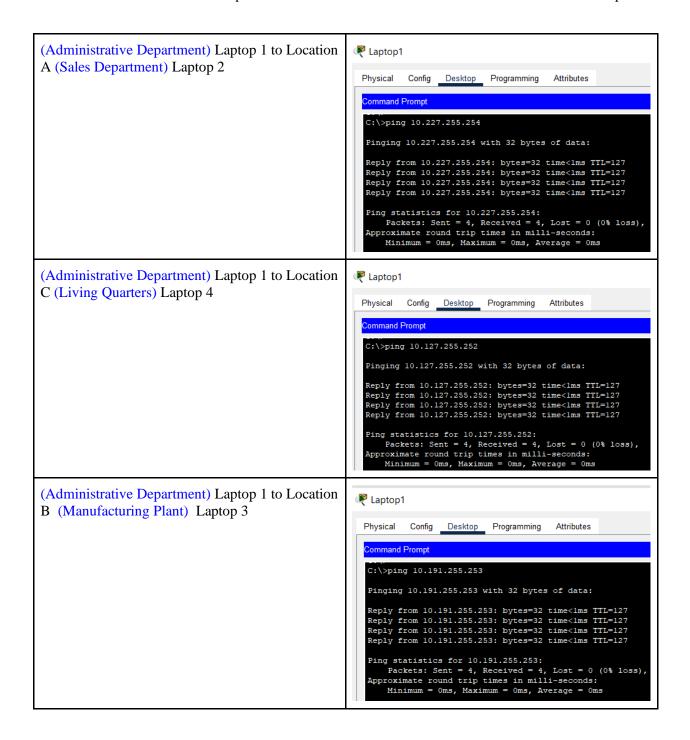


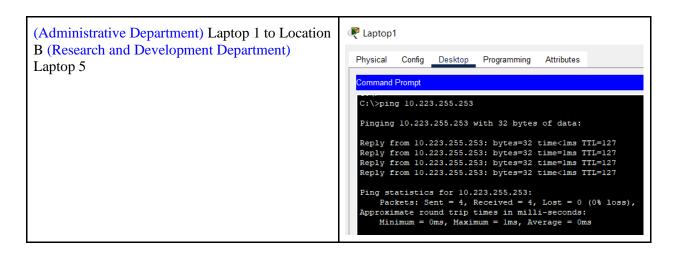


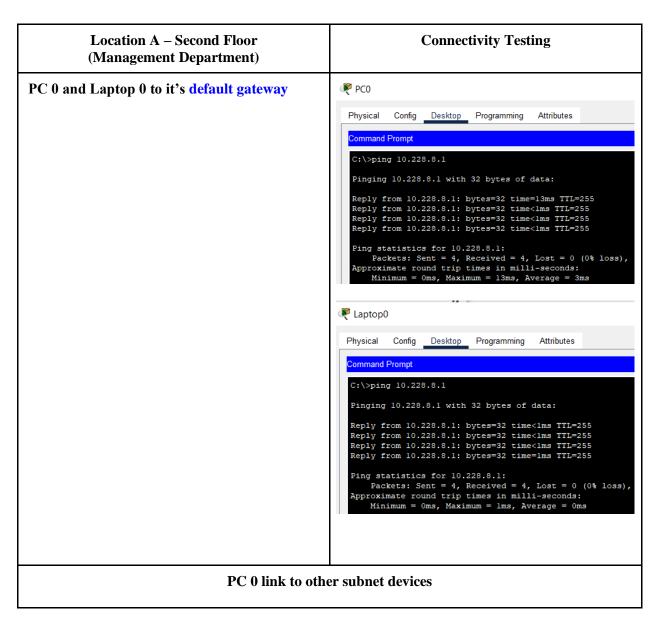


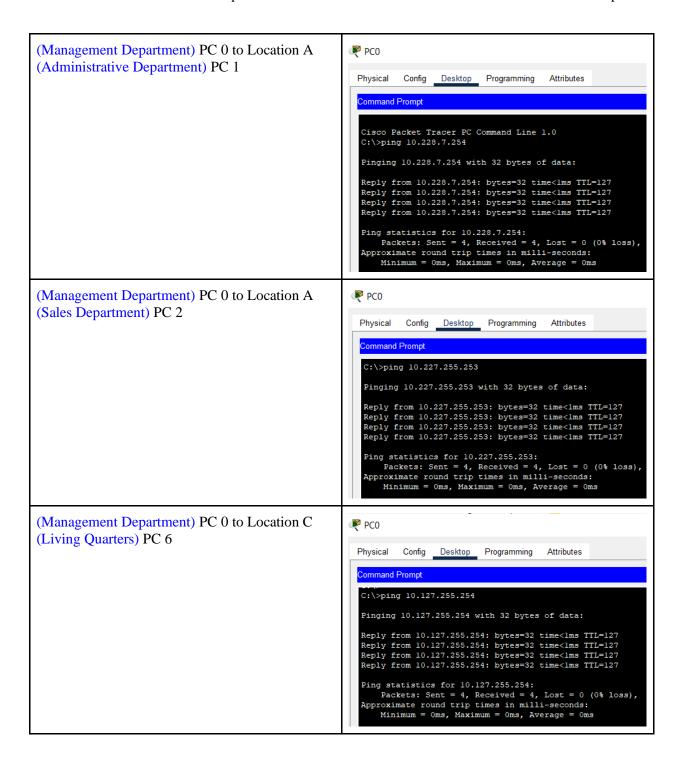




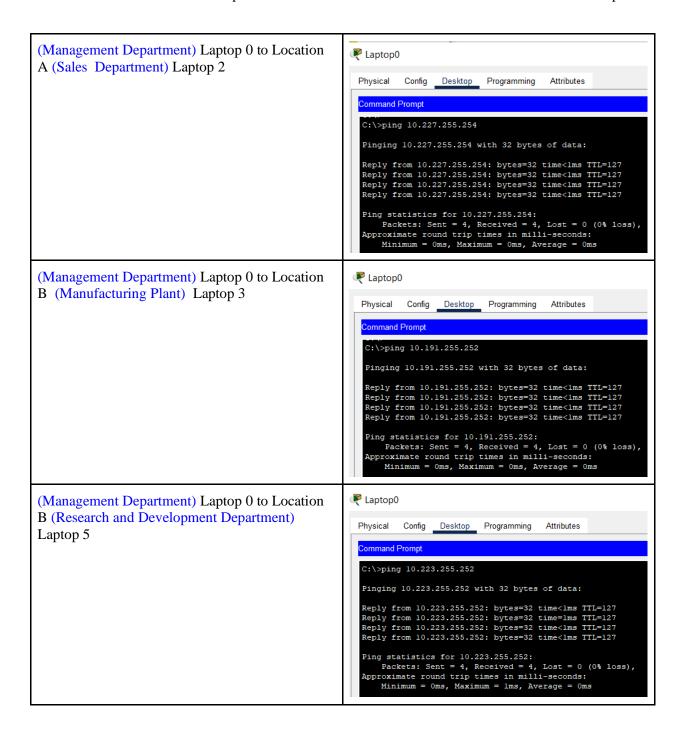


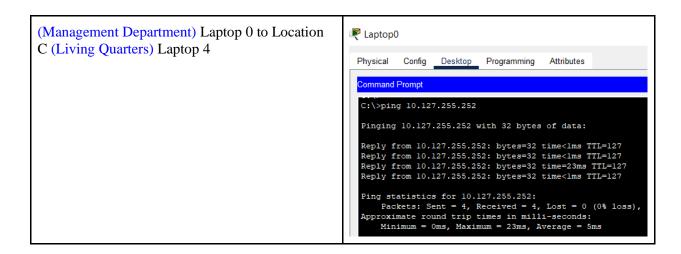






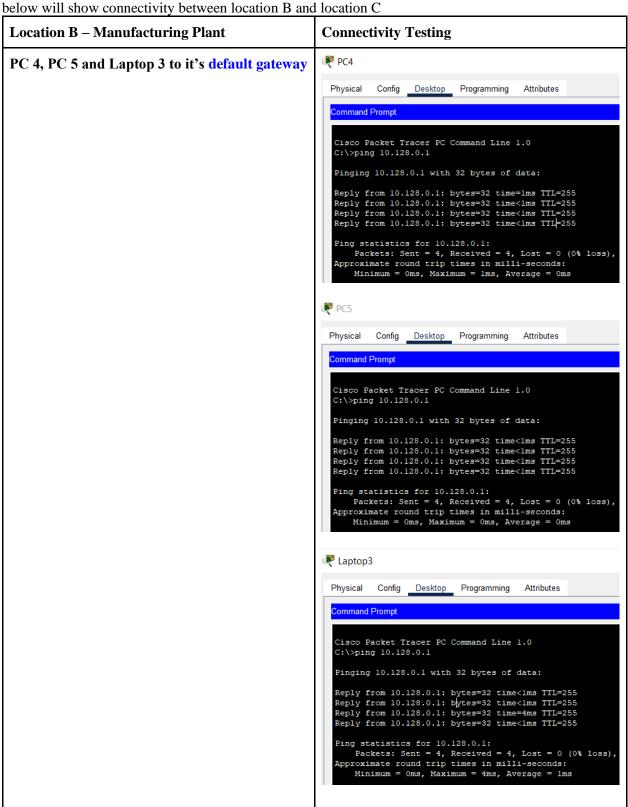


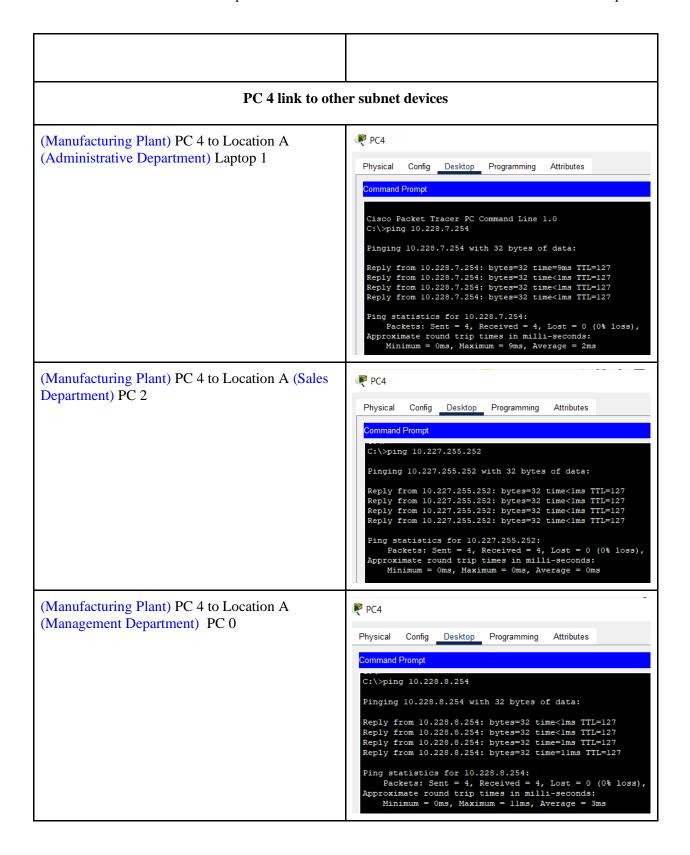


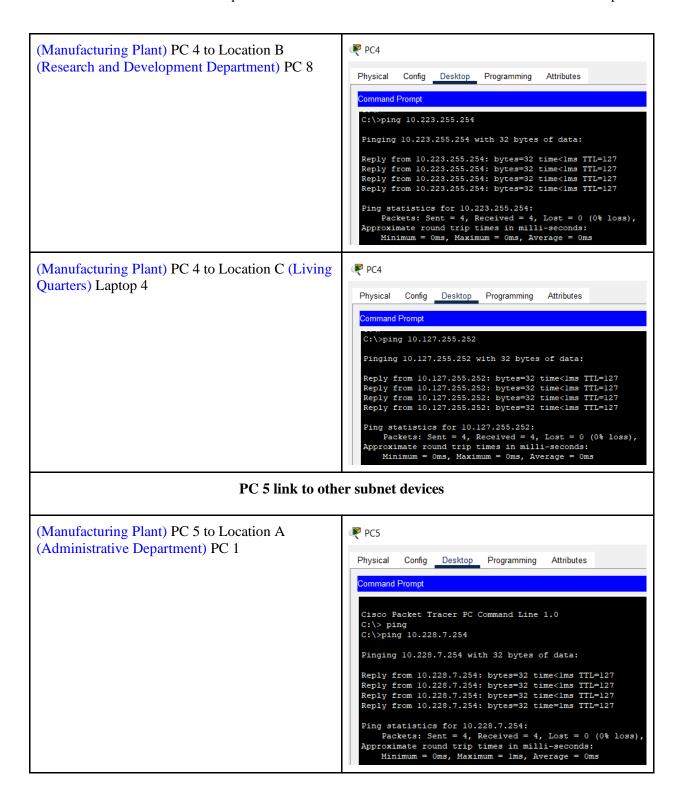


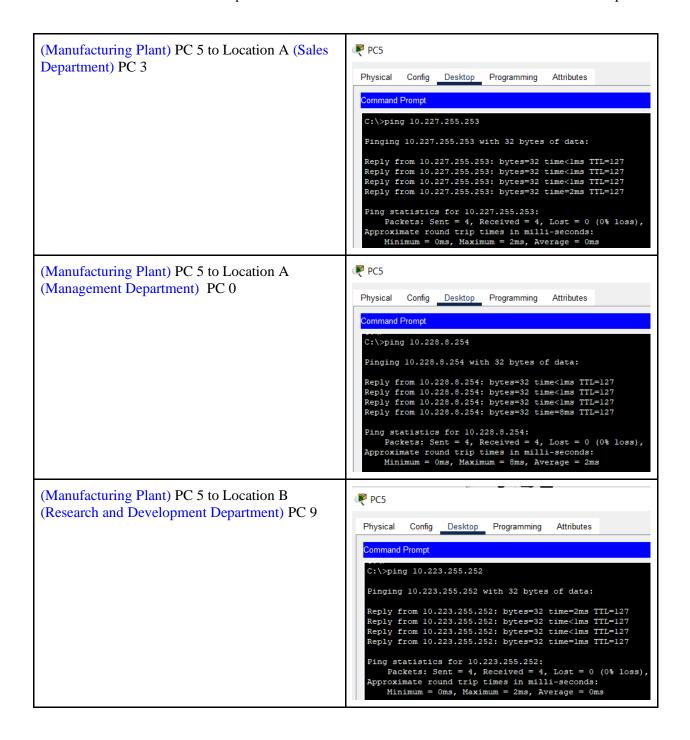
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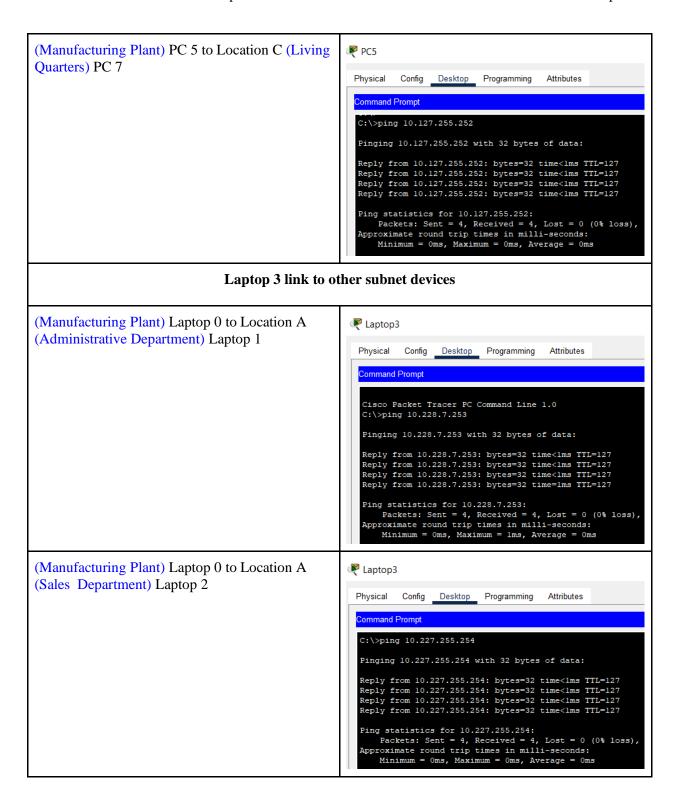
Since the location A all department ping successfully to all department and it end devices, so pelow will show connectivity between location B and location C

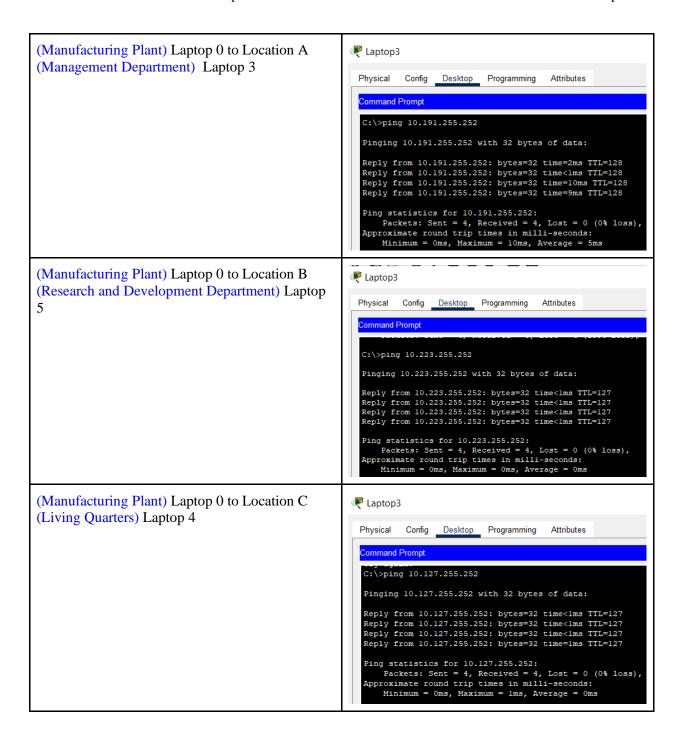








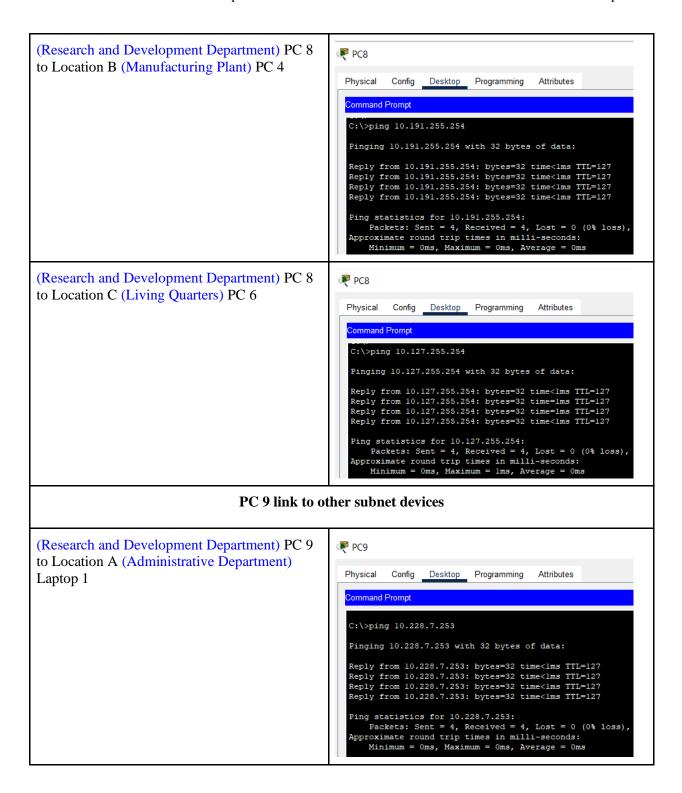


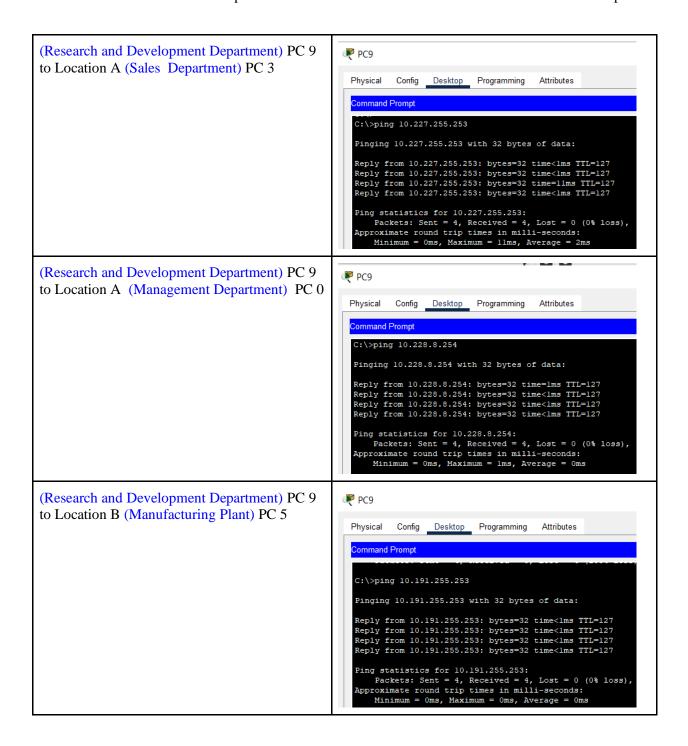


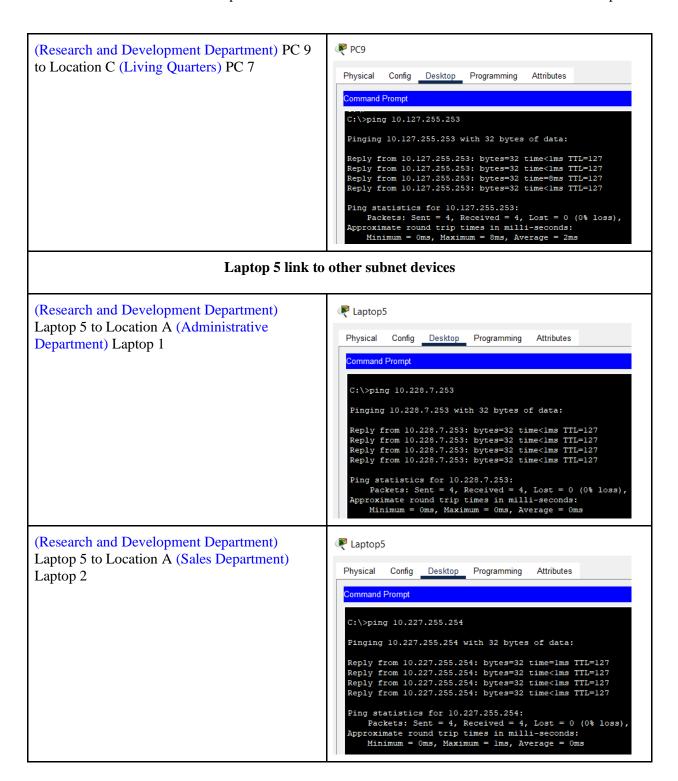
Location B – Research and Development	Connectivity Testing
Department	

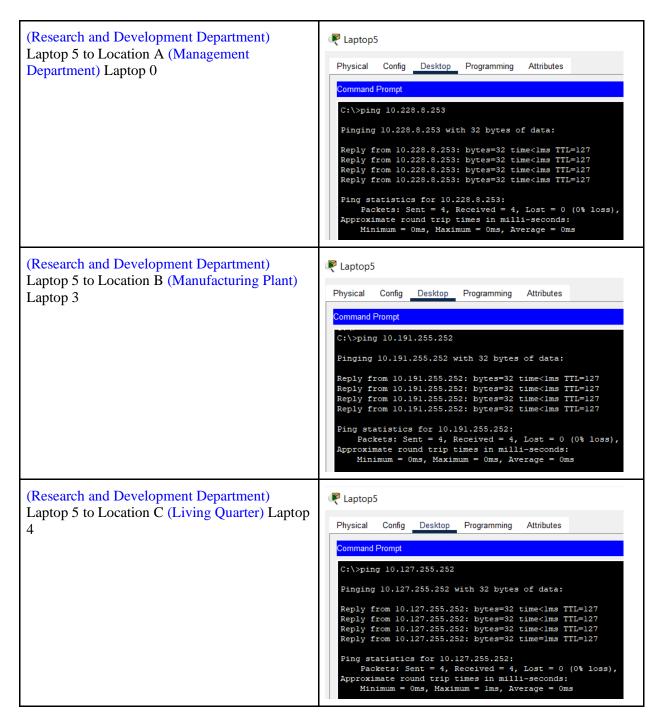










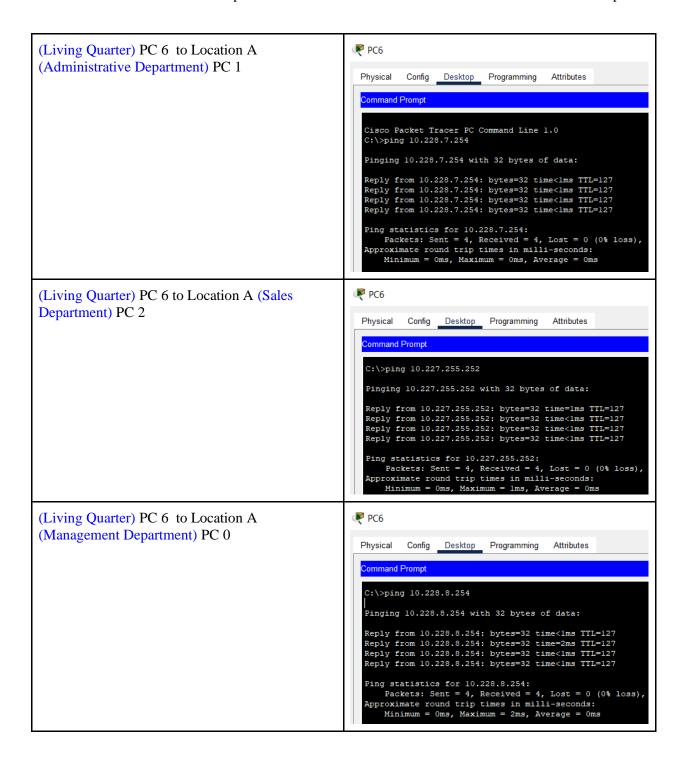


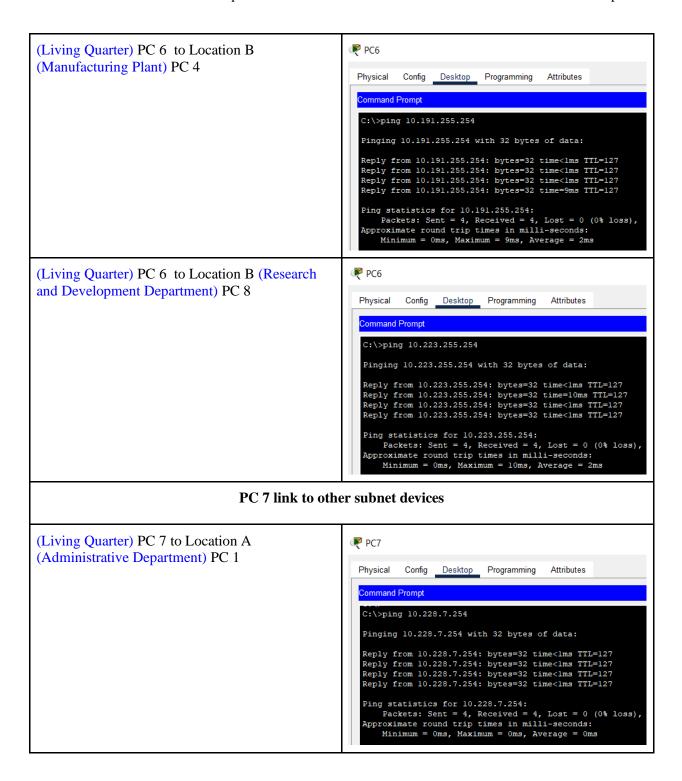
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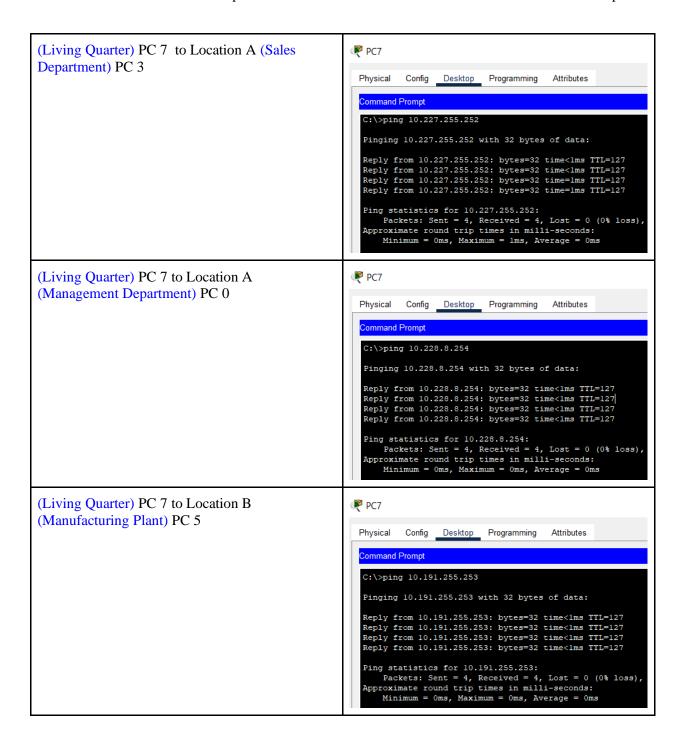
Location C – Living Quarters	Connectivity Testing
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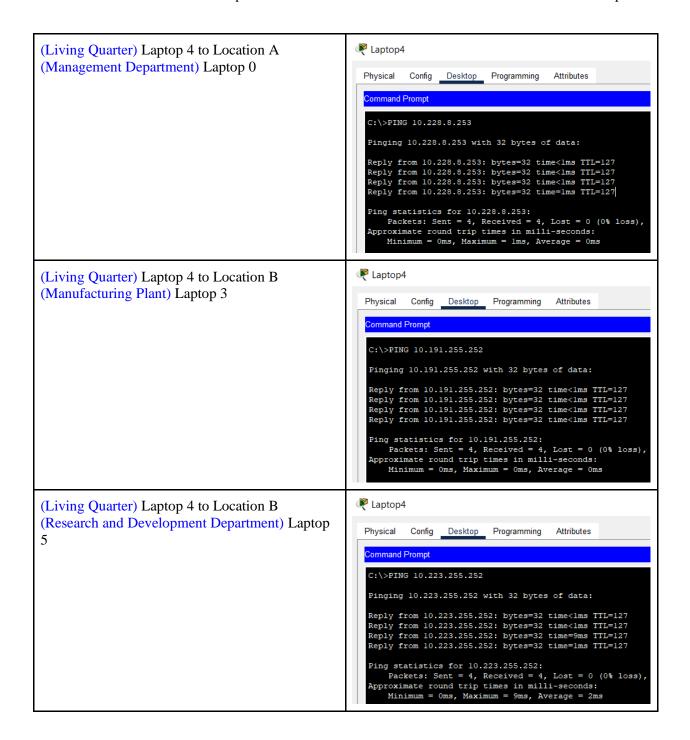
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9.0 Digital Resource

- Panopto

This is a software that can record video, I use this software to record my presentation video. When use this software to record my presentation video, that can let me know how to use the digital resource to improve my digital skills during i was use this software to record my presentation video

- Packet Tracer

Packet Tracer is a software that can be used to let us design our network. Example, we no need to buy a real router, switches do our assignment, we can use the packet tracer to make our network and configure our network like the real situation

- YouTube

YouTube can improve our digital skills, because when we upload the video to youtube, we can learn how to upload the video and keep we presentation record video on the youtube

- Netacad

Netacad can let us learn how to use the digital software to read our learning material. Netacad has many courses and materials that can let us learn different things with this software. Example, we can read our online material on the Netacad without downloading and printing out.

10.0 YouTube Link

Social Media

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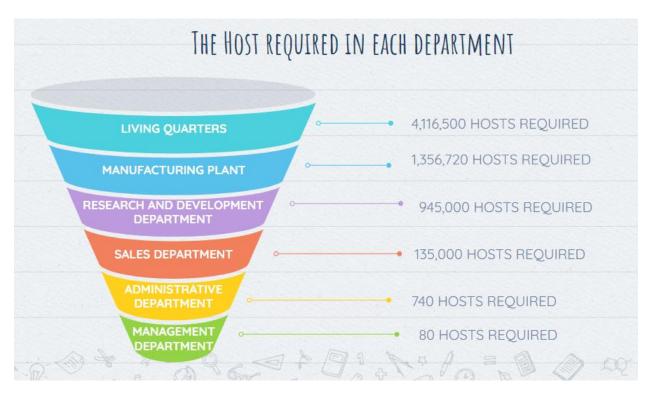
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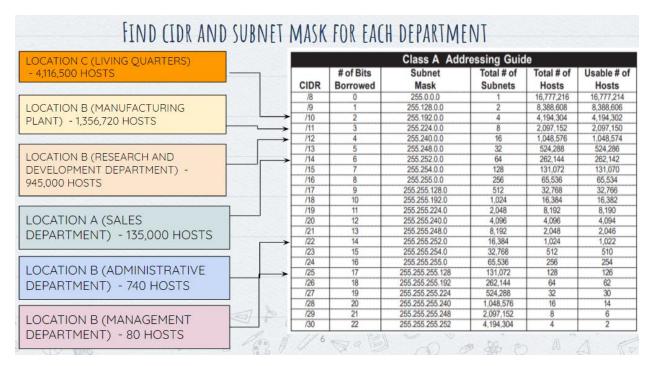
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12.0 Appendix

Class A Addressing Guide							
	# of Bits	Subnet	Total # of	Total # of	Usable # of		
CIDR	Borrowed	Mask	Subnets	Hosts	Hosts		
/8	0	255.0.0.0	1	16,777,216	16,777,214		
/9	1	255.128.0.0	2	8,388,608	8,388,606		
/10	2	255.192.0.0	4	4,194,304	4,194,302		
/11	3	255.224.0.0	8	2,097,152	2,097,150		
/12	4	255.240.0.0	16	1,048,576	1,048,574		
/13	5	255.248.0.0	32	524,288	524,286		
/14	6	255.252.0.0	64	262,144	262,142		
/15	7	255.254.0.0	128	131,072	131,070		
/16	8	255.255.0.0	256	65,536	65,534		
/17	9	255.255.128.0	512	32,768	32,766		
/18	10	255.255.192.0	1,024	16,384	16,382		
/19	11	255.255.224.0	2,048	8,192	8,190		
/20	12	255.255.240.0	4,096	4,096	4,094		
/21	13	255.255.248.0	8,192	2,048	2,046		
/22	14	255.255.252.0	16,384	1,024	1,022		
/23	15	255.255.254.0	32,768	512	510		
/24	16	255.255.255.0	65,536	256	254		
/25	17	255.255.255.128	131,072	128	126		
/26	18	255.255.255.192	262,144	64	62		
/27	19	255.255.255.224	524,288	32	30		
/28	20	255.255.255.240	1,048,576	16	14		
/29	21	255.255.255.248	2,097,152	8	6		
/30	22	255.255.255.252	4,194,304	4	2		





GROWTH TABLE **BEFORE GROWTH** AFTER 85% GROWTH 4,116,500 LIVING QUARTERS 7,615,525 MANUFACTURING PLANT 1,356,720 2,509,932 RESEARCH AND 945,000 1,748,250 **DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT** SALES DEPARTMENT 135,000 249,750 **ADMINISTRATIVE** 740 1,369 DEPARTMENT 80 148 MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

FIND SUBNET MASK FO	OR EACH	DEPARTMENT		Byte 1	Byte 2	Byte 3	Byte 4
				N	Н	Н	Н
LOCATION (DEPARTMENT)	CIDR	SUBNET ADDRESS		1111 1111	1000 0000	0000 0000	0000 0000
LOCATION C (LIVING QUARTERS)	/9	10.0.0.0		10	2^7 = 128	0	0
LOCATION B (MANUFACTURING PLANT)	/10	10.128.0.0					
LOCATION B (RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT)	/11	10.192.0.0	-	1111 1111	1100 0000	0000 0000	0000 0000
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT)				10	(2^6) + 128 = 192	0	0
LOCATION A (SALES DEPARTMENT)	/14	10.224.0.0		128 = 19			
LOCATION A (ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT)	/21	10.228.0.0					
LOCATION A (MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT)	/24	10.228.8.0					

ADDRESSING TABLE

- ASSIGN THE FIRST USABLE IP ADDRESS TO ROUTER
- ASSIGN THE LAST USABLE IP ADDRESS FOR HOST

LOCATION (DEPARTMENT)	Subnet Address	First Usable	Last Usable	Broadcast Address
LOCATION C (LIVING QUARTERS)	10.0.0.0	10.0.0.1	10.127.255. 254	10.127.255.2 55
LOCATION B (MANUFACTURING PLANT)	10.128.0.0	10.128.0.1	10.191.255. 254	10.191.255.2 55
LOCATION B (RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT)	10.192.0.0	10.192.0.1	10.223.255. 254	10.223.255.2 55
LOCATION A (SALES DEPARTMENT)	10.224.0.0	10.224.0.1	10.227.255. 254	10.227.255.2 55
LOCATION A (ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT)	10.228.0.0	10.228.0.1	10.228.7.25 4	10.228.7.255
LOCATION A (MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT)	10.228.8.0	10.228.8.1	10.228.8.25	10.228.8.255