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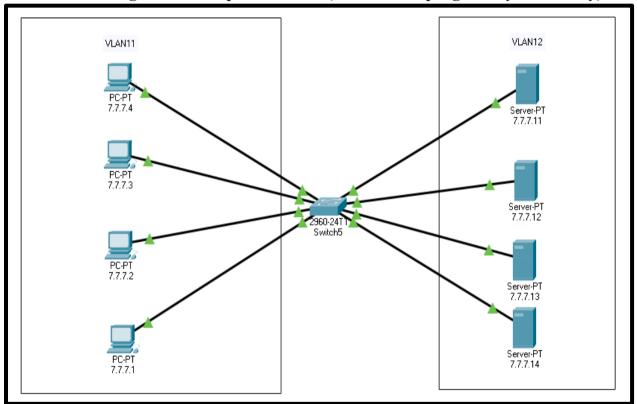
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Lab Practical #05:

Study the concept of VLAN using packet tracer.

Practical Assignment #05:

- 1. Implement the different network structures in VLAN and VLAN trunking. Also check connectivity between them using ping command or PDU utility.
- 1. VLANs configuration setup screenshot. (VLAN example given by lab faculty)

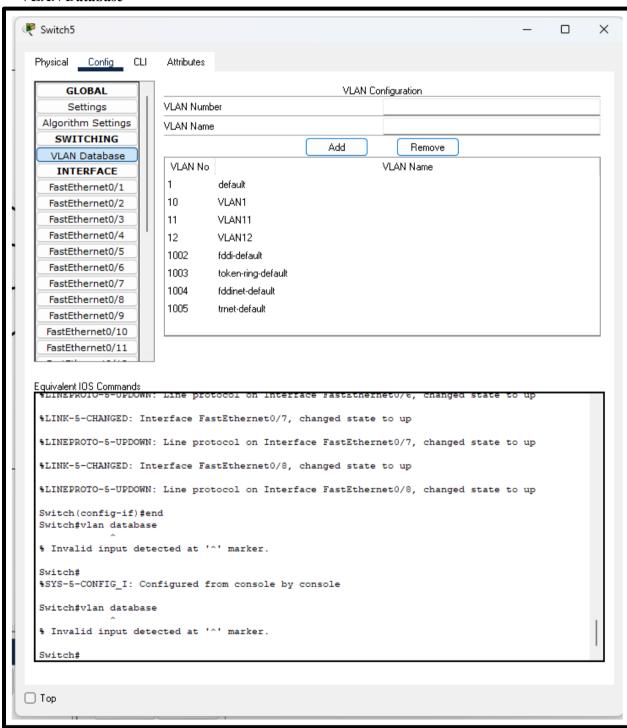




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VLAN Database

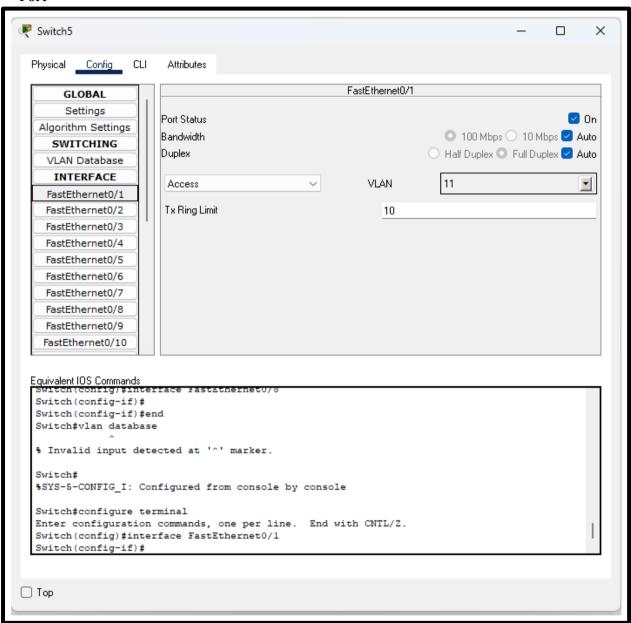




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Port





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2. Steps to create VLANs in packet tracer.

1. Open Packet Tracer and Add Devices

- Drag and drop a **2960 Switch** from the network devices section.
- Add some **PCs** and **Servers** to the workspace.
- Connect them to the switch using Copper Straight-Through cables.

2. Create VLANs on the Switch

- 1. Click on the switch.
- 2. Go to the **Config** tab.
- 3. From the left panel, click on VLAN Database.
- 4. In the VLAN Number field, type the VLAN ID (e.g., 11) and give it a name (e.g., VLAN11).
- 5. Click Add.
- 6. Repeat the same process for VLAN 12 (name it VLAN12).
- 7. Now you will see both VLANs listed in the VLAN table.

3. Assign Ports to VLANs

- 1. In the same **Config** tab, click on **FastEthernet0/1** (or whichever port a PC is connected to).
- 2. Change **Port Mode** to **Access**.
- 3. From the VLAN drop-down menu, select **VLAN11** for PCs.
- 4. Do the same for all other PC ports (assign them to VLAN11).
- 5. Next, select the ports where servers are connected (e.g., FastEthernet0/5, 0/6, etc.).
- 6. Set Port Mode to Access and assign them to VLAN12.

4. Configure IP Addresses

- Assign IP addresses to each PC and Server by clicking on the device \rightarrow **Desktop tab** \rightarrow **IP** Configuration.
- Example:
 - PCs in VLAN11: 7.7.7.1 7.7.7.4
 - Servers in VLAN12: 7.7.7.11 7.7.7.14

5. Test Connectivity

- Use the **ping tool** or **add a PDU** to check communication.
- Devices in the **same VLAN** will be able to communicate with each other.
- Devices in different VLANs will not communicate unless you configure a router or Layer 3 switch for inter-VLAN routing.

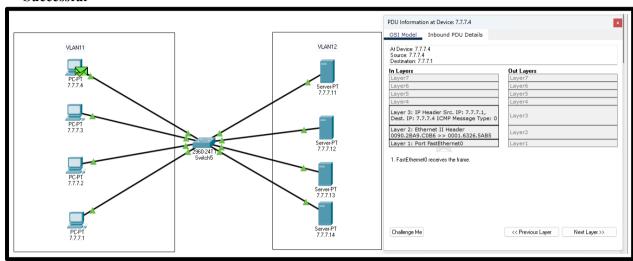


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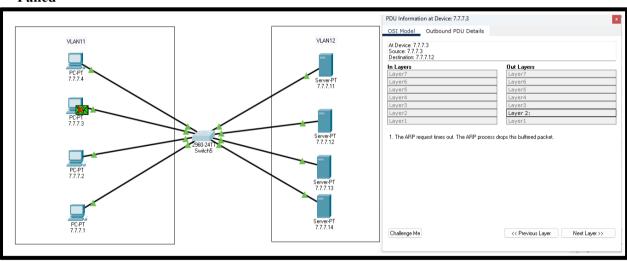
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3. PDU screenshot between two VLANs.

Successful



Failed



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4. Mention IP address of each pc as label.

For VLAN11 (PCs):

- 1. $PC1 \rightarrow 7.7.7.1$
- 2. $PC2 \rightarrow 7.7.7.2$
- 3. $PC3 \rightarrow 7.7.7.3$
- 4. $PC4 \rightarrow 7.7.7.4$

For VLAN12 (Servers):

- 1. Server $1 \rightarrow 7.7.7.11$
- 2. Server2 \rightarrow 7.7.7.12
- 3. Server3 \rightarrow 7.7.7.13
- 4. Server4 \rightarrow 7.7.7.14