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Step 1: Minimum Bits for Host Requirements

- 1. **Sales Department:** 40 hosts →  $2^6 - 2 = 62$  (6 bits required)
- 2. **Marketing Department:** 30 hosts →  $2^5 - 2 = 30$  (5 bits required)
- 3. **Engineering Department:** 60 hosts →  $2^6 - 2 = 62$  (6 bits required)
- 4. **IT Department:** 20 hosts →  $2^5 - 2 = 30$  (5 bits required)
- 5. **Guest Wi-Fi:** 10 hosts →  $2^4 - 2 = 14$  (4 bits required)

Step 2: Subnetting Plan

Subnet bits available: 8 bits from /24.

Subnet Assignments:

Department	Required Hosts	Bits for Hosts	Subnet Mask	Subnet Size
Sales	40	6	/26	64 IPs
Marketing	30	5	/27	32 IPs
Engineering	60	6	/26	64 IPs
IT	20	5	/27	32 IPs
Guest Wi-Fi	10	4	/28	16 IPs

Final Subnet Allocation Summary

Subnet	Network Address	Usable Range	Broadcast Address
Sales	192.168.51.0	192.168.51.1 – 62	192.168.51.63
Marketing	192.168.51.64	192.168.51.65 – 94	192.168.51.95
Engineering	192.168.51.96	192.168.51.97 – 158	192.168.51.159
IT	192.168.51.160	192.168.51.161 – 190	192.168.51.191
Guest Wi-Fi	192.168.51.192	192.168.51.193 – 206	192.168.51.207
Future Subnet 1	192.168.51.208	192.168.51.209 – 222	192.168.51.223
Future Subnet 2	192.168.51.224	192.168.51.225 – 254	192.168.51.255