

CSE 3502 Information Security Management

Lab Report – 3

Access Lists

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Introduction to ACL:

A series of rules known as an access control list (ACL) defines which people or systems are allowed or denied access to a certain object or system resource. Additionally, access control lists are implemented in switches and routers, where they serve as filters to govern which traffic is allowed access to the network.

A security property on each system resource identifies the access control list for that resource. Every person who has access to the system has a place on the list. The most typical rights for a file system ACL are the capacity to read a file or all the files in a directory, to write to the file or files, and, if the file is an executable file or programme, to run it.

Types of Access Lists:

1. Standard access lists

A Standard access list can use only the source IP address in an IP packet to filter the network traffic. Standard access lists are typically used permit or deny an entire system or network. They cannot be used to filter individual protocol or services such as FTP and Telnet.

2. Extended access lists

Extended access lists use the source and destination IP addresses. They can be used to filter specific protocol or service.

Step 1 : Outlining the components and their connections

Components used include:

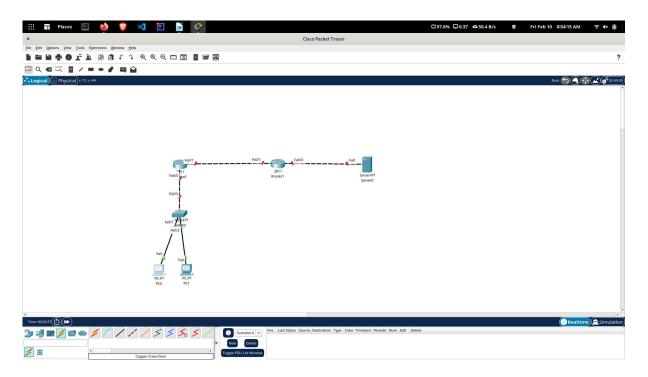
1. 2811-type Routers: Router0 and Router1

2. Switch 2960-24TT: Switch0

3. Server-PT: Server0 4. PC-PT: PC0 and PC1

Making the topology

Device	Connected to	Connected with
PC0 – FastEthernet0	Switch0 - FastEthernet0/1	Copper Straight-through
PC1 – FastEthernet0	Switch0 - FastEthernet0/2	Copper Straight-through
Switch0 - FastEthernet0/3	Router0 – FastEthernet0/0	Copper Straight-through
Router0 – FastEthernet0/1	Router1 – FastEthernet0/1	Copper Cross-Over
Router1 - FastEthernet0/0	Server0 – FastEthernet0	Copper Cross-Over



Step2: Assigning IP Addresses

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Device	Connection	IP Address	
PC0	FastEthernet0	10.0.0.2/8	
PC1	FastEthernet0	10.0.0.3/8	
Router0	FastEthernet0/0	10.0.0.1/8	
Router0	FastEthernet0/1	192.168.0.1/24	
Router1	FastEthernet0/1	192.168.0.2/24	
Router1	FastEthernet0/0	20.0.0.1/8	
Server0	FastEthernet0	20.0.0.2/8	

Default Gateway PC0 and PC1 are set to '10.0.0.1' and that of Server-PT is set to '192.168.0.1'.

The IP addresses can also be set using cli of the routers.

Router0(config)# int fa0/0

Router0(config-if)# ip add 10.0.0.1 255.0.0.0

Router0(config-if)# no shut

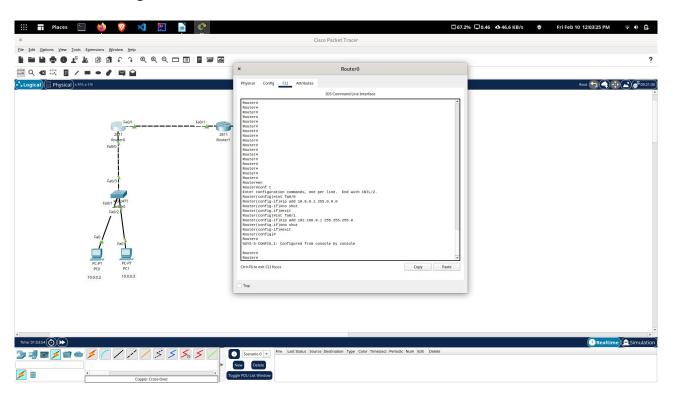
Router0(config-if)# exit

Router0(config)# int fa0/1

Router0(config-if)# ip add 192.168.0.1 255.255.255.0

RouterO(config-if)# no shut

Router0(config-if)# exit



Router1(config)# int fa0/0

Router1(config-if)# ip add 20.0.0.1 255.0.0.0

Router1(config-if)# no shut

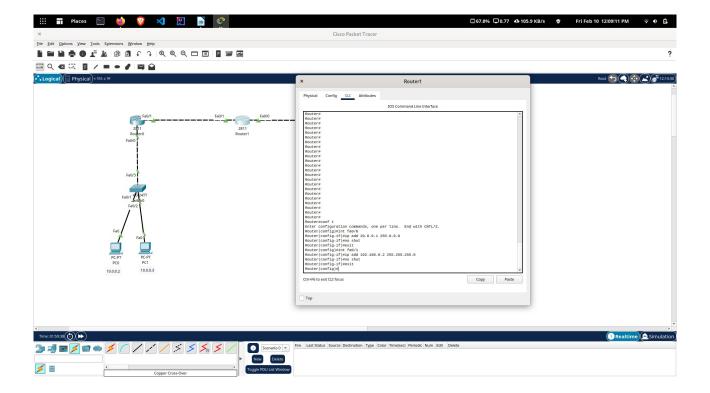
Router1(config-if)# exit

Router1(config)# int fa0/1

Router1(config-if)# ip add 192.168.0.2 255.255.255.0

Router1(config-if)# no shut

Router1(config-if)# exit



Step 3 : Setting a routing method

Once you have configured appropriate IP addresses, use a routing metho such as RIP. To do so, execute the following commands on Router0.

Router0(config)# router rip

Router0(config-router)# network 192.168.0.0

Router0(config-router)# network 10.0.0.0

Router0(config-router)# exit

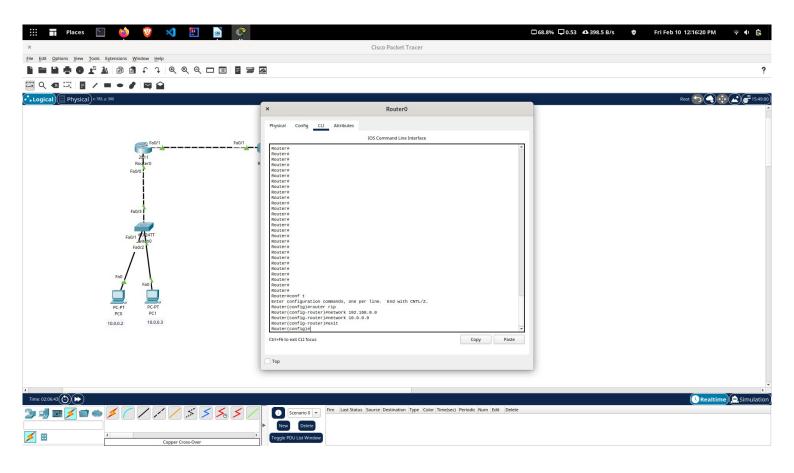
Next, move on to Router1 and execute the following commands to configure the RIP routing protocol.

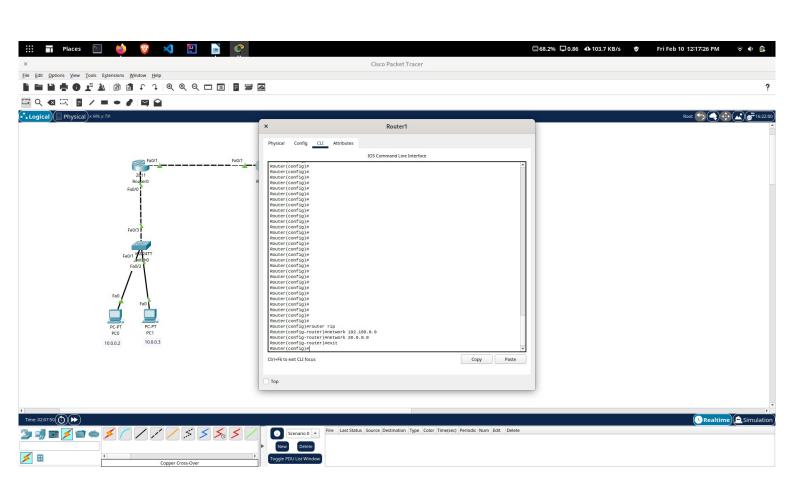
Router1(config)# router rip

Router1(config-router)# network 192.168.0.0

Router1(config-router)# network 20.0.0.0

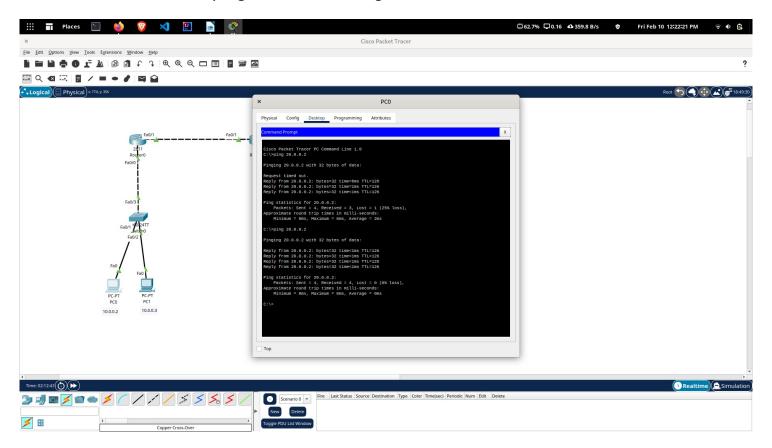
Router1(config-router)# exit





Step 4 : Configuring Standard ACL

As of now, we can ping the Server using PC0 or PC1.



In this configuration, we will restrict host 10.0.0.2 (PCO) from accessing Router1.

It can be configured using the following CLI commands:

Router1(config)# access-list 10 deny host 10.0.0.2

Router1(config)# access-list 10 permit any

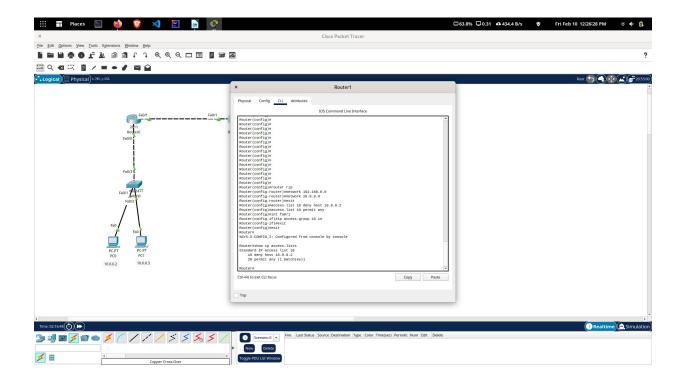
Router1(config)# int fa0/1

Router1(config-if)# ip access-group 10 in

Router1(config-if)# exit

Router1(config)# exit

Router1# show ip access-lists

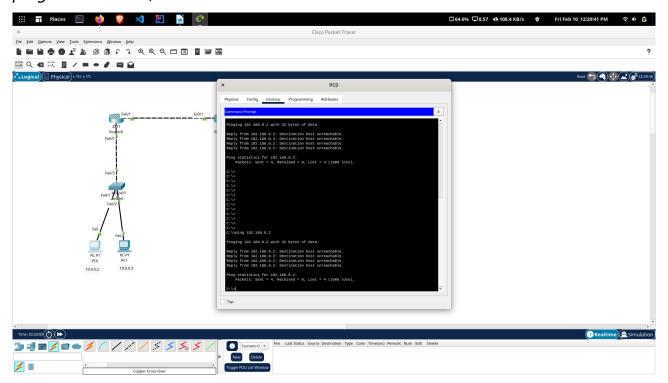


Step 5: Verify Standard ACL Configuration

Now as we try to ping the Router1 using PC0, we can see that we can no longer reach that network.

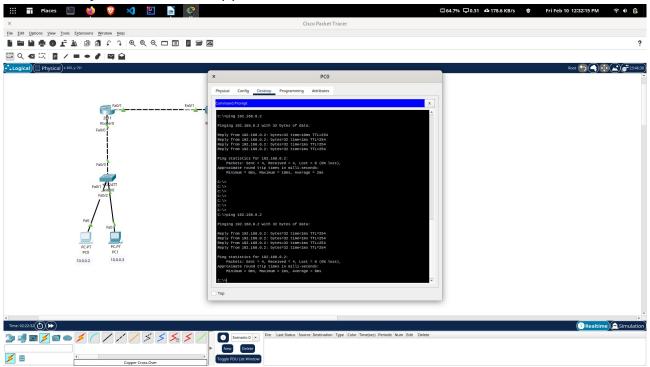
For testing, enter

ping 192.168.0.2, from PC0.



Now, after having tested the ACL configuration, we can remove the ACL configuration so the next test could be performed. To remove the configured ACL, execute the following command on Router1.

Router1(config)# no access-list 10 deny host 10.0.0.2 Try to ping again from PC0 to Router1, this time you should be able ping successfully, because the applied ACL has been removed.



Step 6 : Configuring Extended ACL

To configure Extended ACL, we will deny the host 10.0.0.2 (PC0) from accessing the web server (20.0.0.2).

In order to prevent host 10.0.0.2 to access the Web server (20.0.0.2), you need to execute the following commands in the CLI of Router1.

Router1(config)# access-list 150 deny tcp host 10.0.0.2 20.0.0.2 0.0.0.0 eq www

Router1(config)# access-list 150 permit ip any any

Router1(config)# int fa0/1

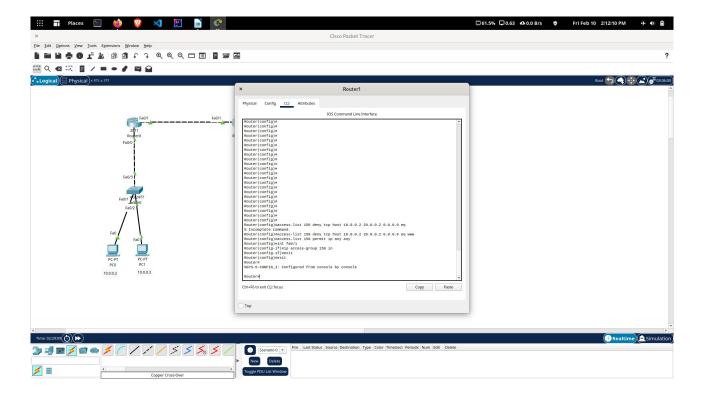
Router1(config-if)# ip access-group 150 in

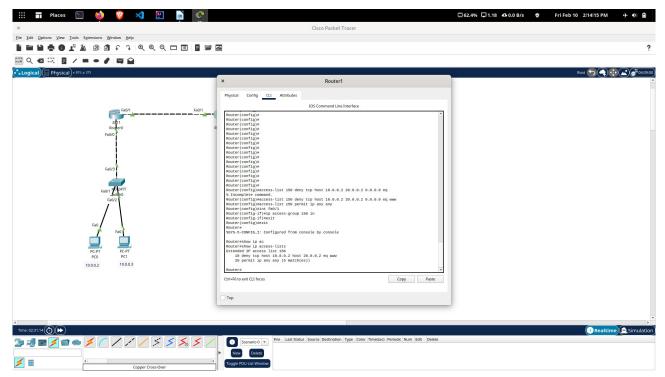
Router1(config-if)# exit

Router1(config)# exit

Once you applied an ACL on the desired interface, execute the following command to view the configured access lists.

Router1# show ip access-lists



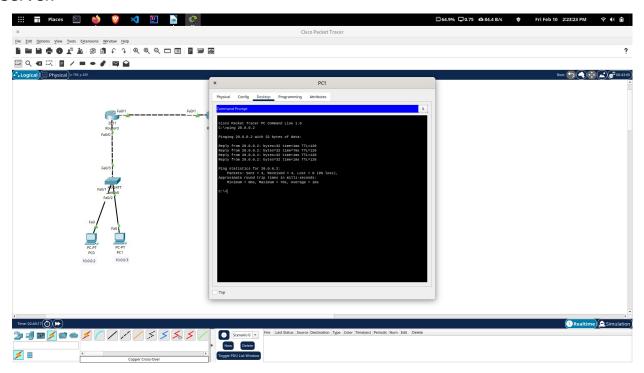


Step 7: Verify Extended ACL Configuration

To verify your configuration, open the Web browser on PC0, type http:// 20.0.0.2 and press Enter. You should not be able to access the Web server.



Now move on to PC1 and try to access server, this time you should be able to access server. This is because we have not prevented PC1 to access server.



Now, you have configured and verified the Extended ACL, you can remove the configured ACL. To do so, execute the following command on Router1.