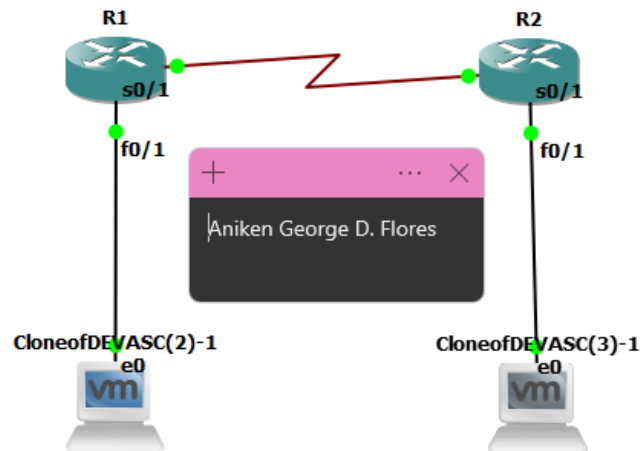


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Network Topology

Network Addressing Table

Device	Interface	IP Address	Subnet mask
R1	F0/1	192.168.10.62	255.255.255.192
	S0/1	11.25.1.2	255.255.255.252
R2	F0/1	192.168.20.62	255.255.255.192
	S0/1	11.25.1.3	255.255.255.252
PC1	E0	192.168.10.61	255.255.255.252
PC2	E0	192.168.20.61	255.255.255.252

Required Resources

- 1 PC with operating system of your choice
- Virtual Box or VMWare
- DEVASC Virtual Machine
- GNS3

Instructions:

Part 1: Launch the GNS3

Step 1: Create new project

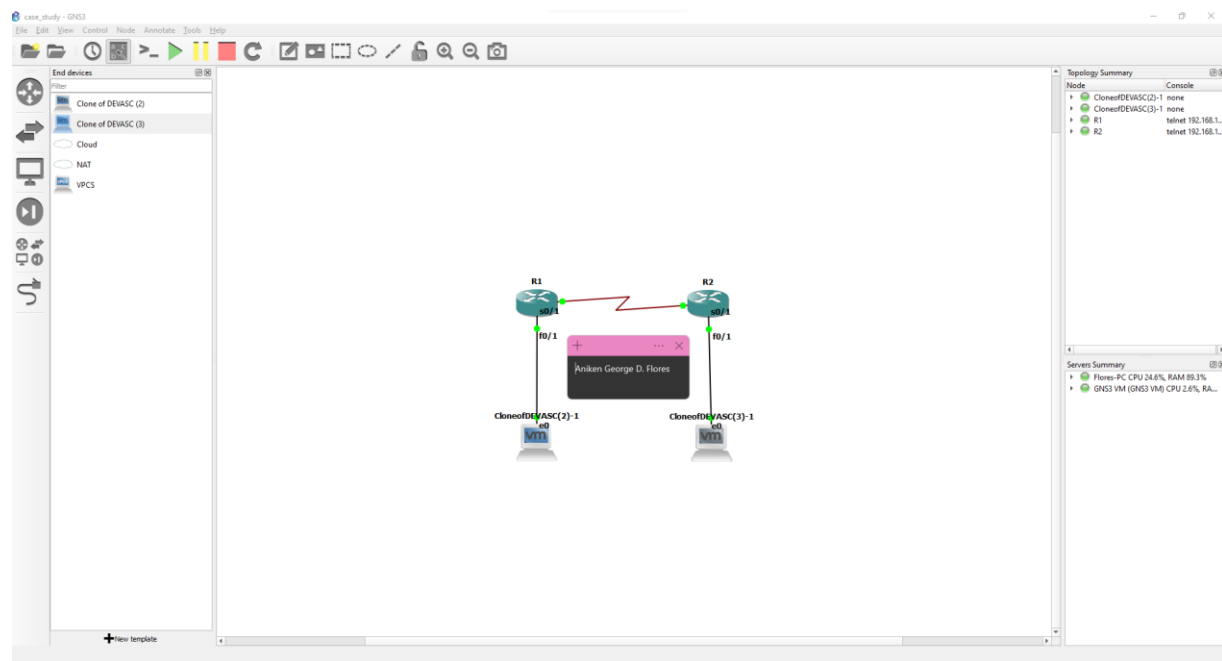
To create a new file, click on the file tab on the upper left portion of the window then click create new blank project.

Step 2: Install the CISCO IOS image for the router

Download the router image you need for this activity.

Step 3: Create the topology

Follow the topology shown in the image and connect each device.



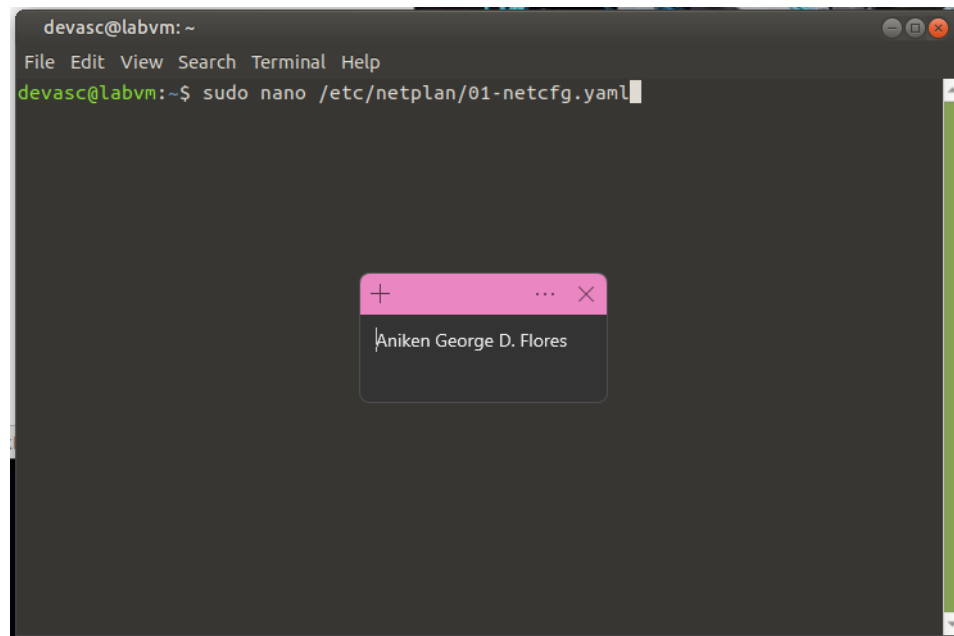
Step 4: Apply basic configuration to the routers

Apply the basic configurations to the routers by following the network addressing table.

Step 5: configure the netplan of both pc

Issue these commands in the terminal.

```
devasc@labvm:~$ sudo nano /etc/netplan/01-netcfg.yaml
```



Once you are in the nano type this:

network:

version: 2

renderer: networkd

ethernets:

eth:

match:

name: en*

dhcp4: yes

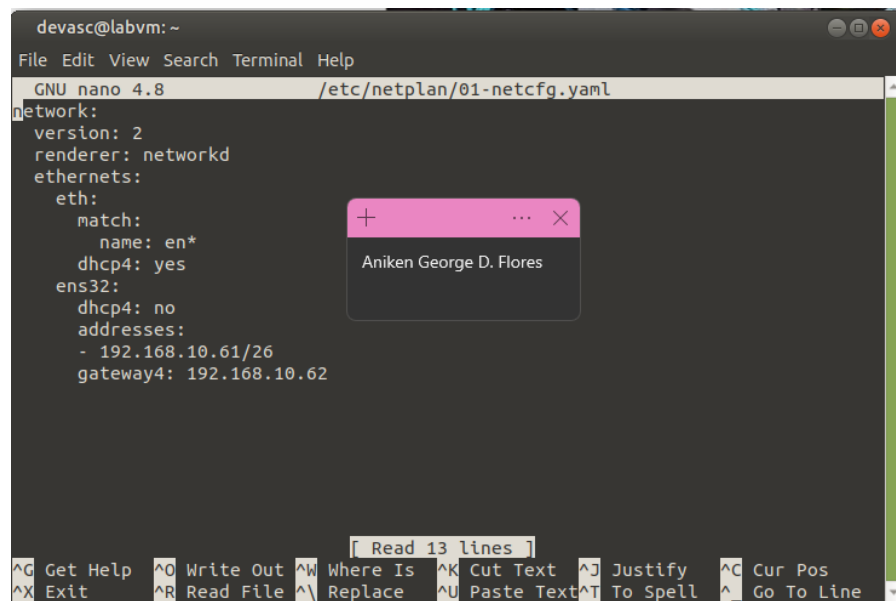
ens32:

dhcp4: no

addresses:

- [IP Address here]/[Suffix]

gateway4: [Default gateway]



```
devasc@labvm: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
GNU nano 4.8 /etc/netplan/01-netcfg.yaml  
network:  
  version: 2  
  renderer: networkd  
  ethernet:  
    eth:  
      match:  
        name: en*  
      dhcp4: yes  
    ens32:  
      dhcp4: no  
      addresses:  
        - 192.168.10.61/26  
      gateway4: 192.168.10.62  
[ Read 13 lines ]  
^G Get Help ^O Write Out ^W Where Is ^K Cut Text ^J Justify ^C Cur Pos  
^X Exit ^R Read File ^\ Replace ^U Paste Text ^T To Spell ^_ Go To Line
```

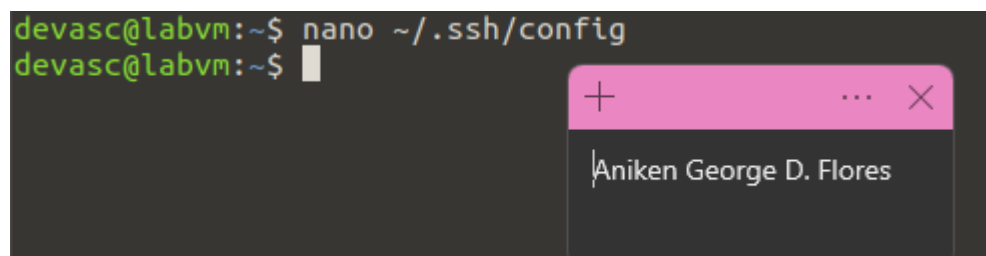
After configuring type in “sudo netlan apply” command to save the configurations. Do this for both PC’s.

Step 6: Access the router via SSH

To access the routers by ssh let us add some configurations to the ssh config.

Type these commands to the terminal:

\$ nano ~/.ssh/config



```
devasc@labvm:~$ nano ~/.ssh/config  
devasc@labvm:~$
```

In the config file type this:

Host *

Port 22

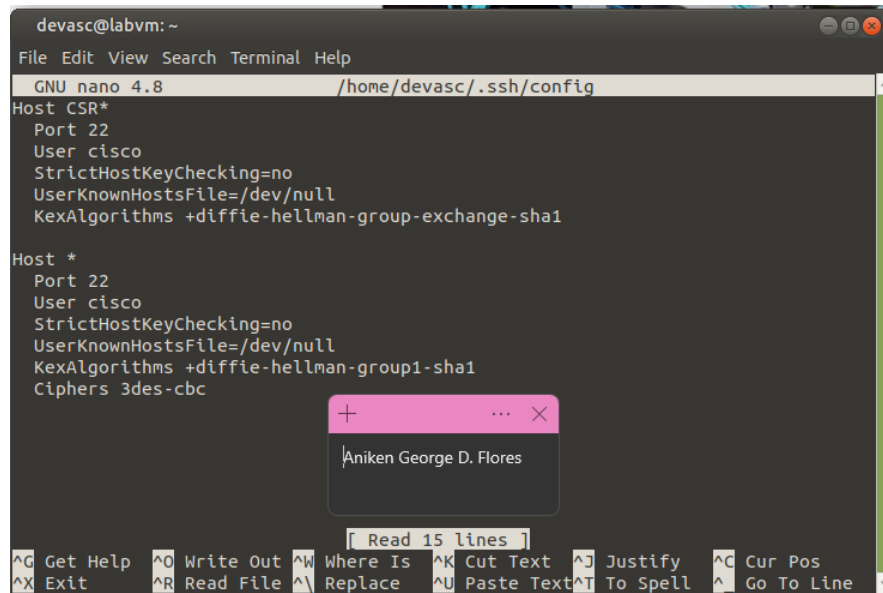
User cisco

StrictHostKeyChecking=no

UserKnownHostsFile=/dev/null

KexAlgorithms +diffie-hellman-group1-sha1

Ciphers 3des-cbc



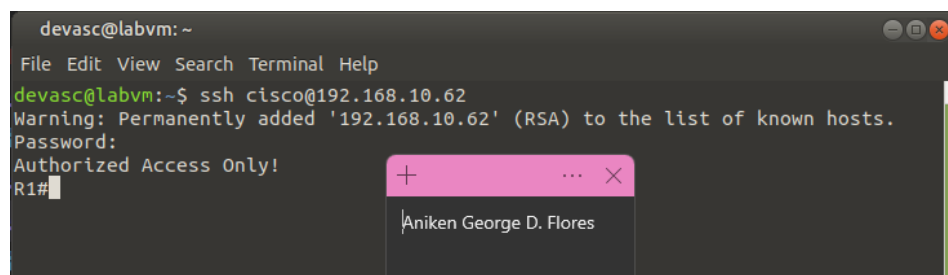
```
devasc@labvm: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
GNU nano 4.8 /home/devasc/.ssh/config  
Host CSR*  
  Port 22  
  User cisco  
  StrictHostKeyChecking=no  
  UserKnownHostsFile=/dev/null  
  KexAlgorithms +diffie-hellman-group-exchange-sha1  
  
Host *  
  Port 22  
  User cisco  
  StrictHostKeyChecking=no  
  UserKnownHostsFile=/dev/null  
  KexAlgorithms +diffie-hellman-group1-sha1  
  Ciphers 3des-cbc  
[ Read 15 lines ]  
^G Get Help  ^O Write Out ^W Where Is  ^K Cut Text  ^J Justify  ^C Cur Pos  
^X Exit      ^R Read File ^L Replace   ^U Paste Text ^T To Spell  ^_ Go To Line
```

Then hit ctrl+x to exit.

Step 7: Accessing the SSH

In the terminal make sure you can access the routers by typing this commands.

ssh cisco@192.168.10.62



```
devasc@labvm: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
devasc@labvm:~$ ssh cisco@192.168.10.62  
Warning: Permanently added '192.168.10.62' (RSA) to the list of known hosts.  
Password:  
Authorized Access Only!  
R1#
```

If you can access it you are now ready for the next part.

Part 2: Applying test automation

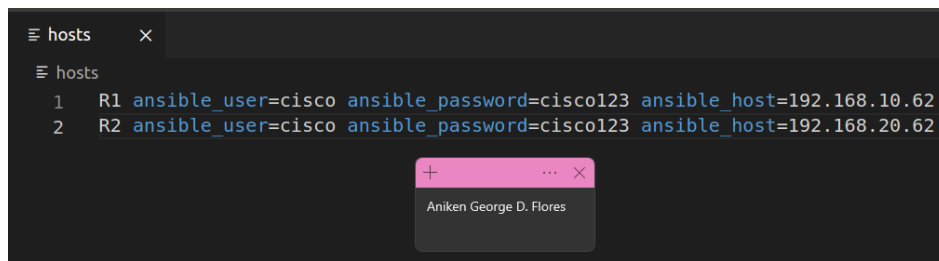
Step 1: Open Visual Studio Code and add a new directory.

Step 2: Create Hosts file

In this file type in this codes:

```
R1 ansible_user=cisco ansible_password=cisco123 ansible_host=192.168.10.62
```

```
R2 ansible_user=cisco ansible_password=cisco123 ansible_host=192.168.20.62
```



Step 3: Create Ansible configuration file

In this configuration file type in this codes:

```
[defaults]
```

```
inventory=./hosts
```

```
host_key_checking=False
```

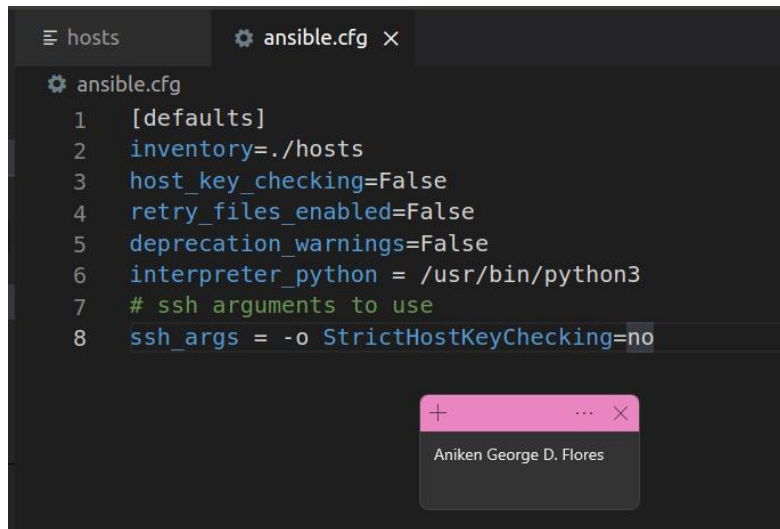
```
retry_files_enabled=False
```

```
deprecation_warnings=False
```

```
interpreter_python = /usr/bin/python3
```

```
# ssh arguments to use
```

```
ssh_args = -o StrictHostKeyChecking=no
```



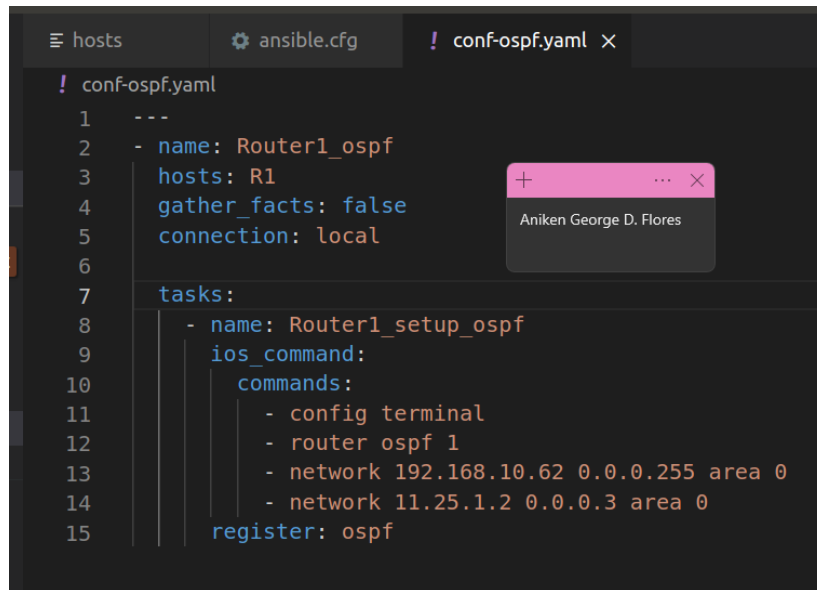
```
1 [defaults]
2 inventory=./hosts
3 host_key_checking=False
4 retry_files_enabled=False
5 deprecation_warnings=False
6 interpreter_python = /usr/bin/python3
7 # ssh arguments to use
8 ssh_args = -o StrictHostKeyChecking=no
```

Step 4: Configuring the OSPF

First Create the yaml file and name it conf_ospf.yaml. In this file type in this codes:

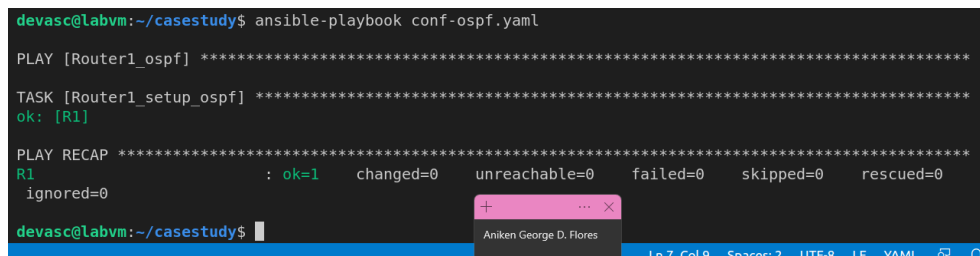
```
---
- name: Router1_ospf
  hosts: R1
  gather_facts: false
  connection: local

  tasks:
    - name: Router1_setup_ospf
      ios_command:
        commands:
          - config terminal
          - router ospf 1
            - network 192.168.10.62 0.0.0.255 area 0
            - network 11.25.1.2 0.0.0.3 area 0
      register: ospf
```



```
1 ---
2 - name: Router1_ospf
3   hosts: R1
4   gather_facts: false
5   connection: local
6
7   tasks:
8     - name: Router1_setup_ospf
9       ios_command:
10         commands:
11           - config terminal
12           - router ospf 1
13           - network 192.168.10.62 0.0.0.255 area 0
14           - network 11.25.1.2 0.0.0.3 area 0
15       register: ospf
```

To run type in the command “ansible-playbook conf-ospf.yaml” in the terminal



```
devasc@labvm:~/casestudy$ ansible-playbook conf-ospf.yaml
PLAY [Router1_ospf] *****
TASK [Router1_setup_ospf] *****
ok: [R1]

PLAY RECAP *****
R1 : ok=1 changed=0 unreachable=0 failed=0 skipped=0 rescued=0
   ignored=0

devasc@labvm:~/casestudy$
```

Do this for both PC’s just change the addresses and router names.

Step 5: Creating the ACL configuration

Create the ACL configuration file, name it conf-acl.yaml. Enter these commands in the configuration files.

```
---

- name: Router1_acl
  hosts: R1
  gather_facts: false
  connection: local
```


tasks:

- name: Router1_setup_acl

ios_command:

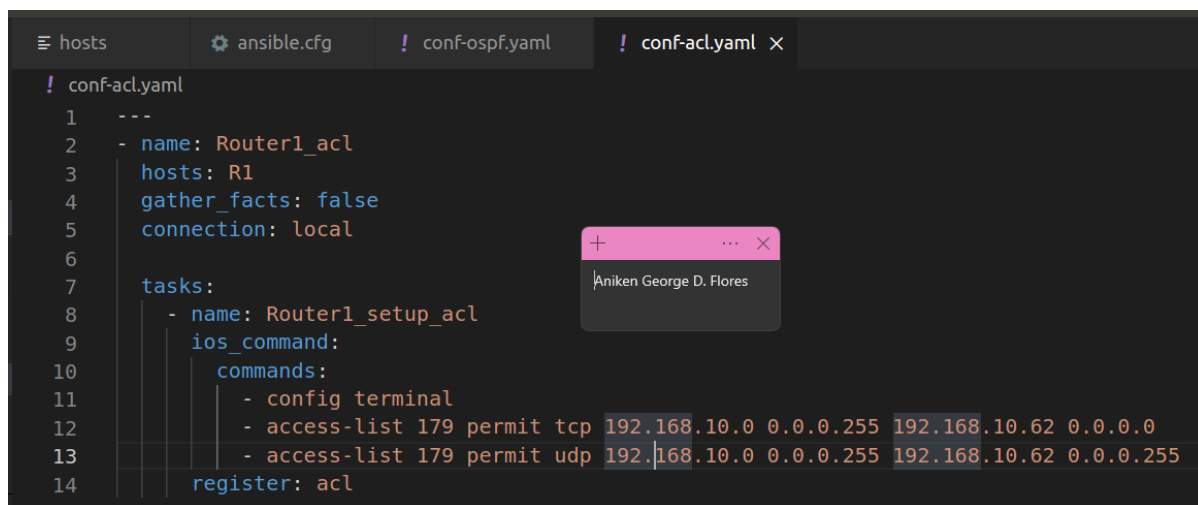
commands:

- config terminal

- access-list 179 permit tcp 192.168.10.0 0.0.0.255 192.168.10.62 0.0.0.0

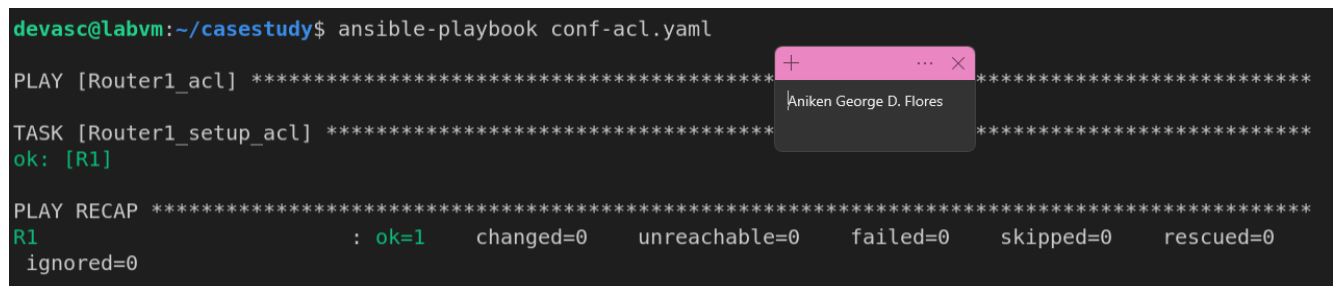
- access-list 179 permit udp 192.168.10.0 0.0.0.255 192.168.10.62 0.0.0.255

register: acl



```
! conf-acl.yaml
1 ---
2 - name: Router1_acl
3   hosts: R1
4   gather_facts: false
5   connection: local
6
7   tasks:
8     - name: Router1_setup_acl
9       ios_command:
10         commands:
11           - config terminal
12           - access-list 179 permit tcp 192.168.10.0 0.0.0.255 192.168.10.62 0.0.0.0
13           - access-list 179 permit udp 192.168.10.0 0.0.0.255 192.168.10.62 0.0.0.255
14       register: acl
```

To run this, enter the command `ansible-playbook conf-acl.yaml`.



```
devasc@labvm:~/casestudy$ ansible-playbook conf-acl.yaml
PLAY [Router1_acl] *****
TASK [Router1_setup_acl] *****
ok: [R1]

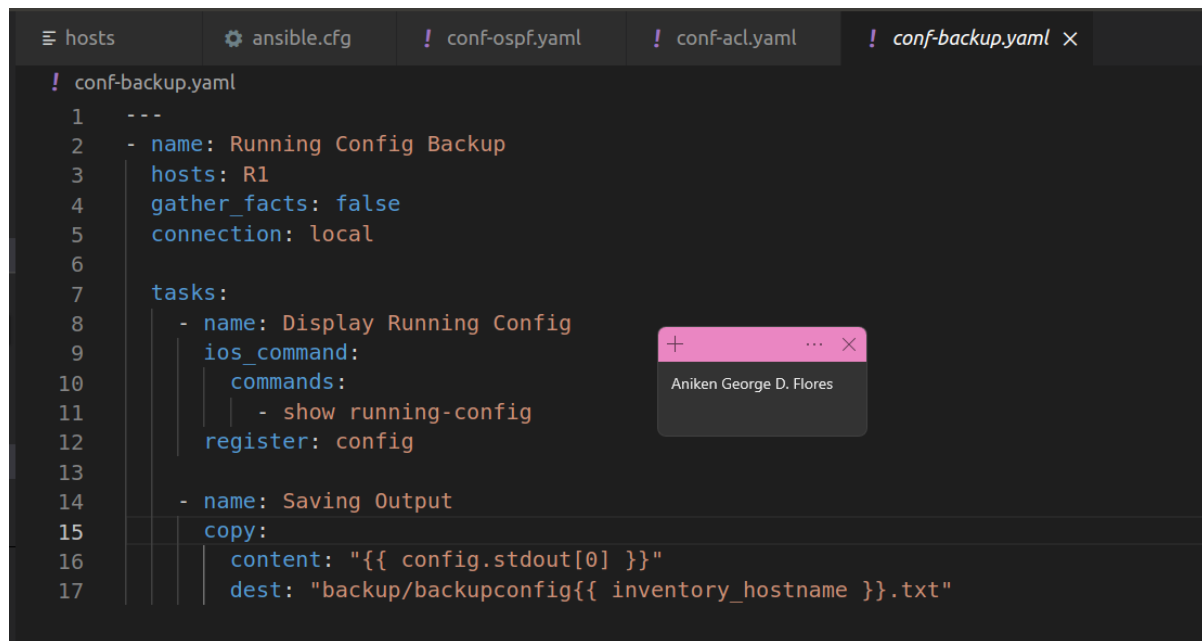
PLAY RECAP *****
R1 : ok=1    changed=0    unreachable=0    failed=0    skipped=0    rescued=0    ignored=0
```

Do this for both PC's.

Step 6: Creating the backup config

First create a folder named backup. Create a file named conf-backup.yaml and type in these codes.

```
---  
  
- name: Running Config Backup  
hosts: R1  
gather_facts: false  
connection: local  
  
tasks:  
  - name: Display Running Config  
    ios_command:  
      commands:  
        - show running-config  
    register: config  
  
  - name: Saving Output  
    copy:  
      content: "{{ config.stdout[0] }}"  
      dest: "backup/backupconfig{{ inventory_hostname }}.txt"
```



```
! conf-backup.yaml
1  ---
2  - name: Running Config Backup
3    hosts: R1
4    gather_facts: false
5    connection: local
6
7    tasks:
8      - name: Display Running Config
9        ios_command:
10         commands:
11           - show running-config
12         register: config
13
14      - name: Saving Output
15        copy:
16         content: "{{ config.stdout[0] }}"
17         dest: "backup/backupconfig{{ inventory_hostname }}.txt"
```

To run these commands, enter this code in the terminal “ansible-playbook conf-backup.yaml”.



```
devasc@labvm:~/casestudy$ ansible-playbook conf-backup.yaml
PLAY [Running Config Backup] *****
TASK [Display Running Config] *****
ok: [R1]
TASK [Saving Output] *****
ok: [R1]
PLAY RECAP *****
R1 : ok=2 changed=0 unreachable=0 failed=0 skipped=0 rescued=0
```

Do this for both PC’s.

Step 7: Creating the py file for the pyAIs.

Enter the following commands in the pyats_config.py:

```
import os
```

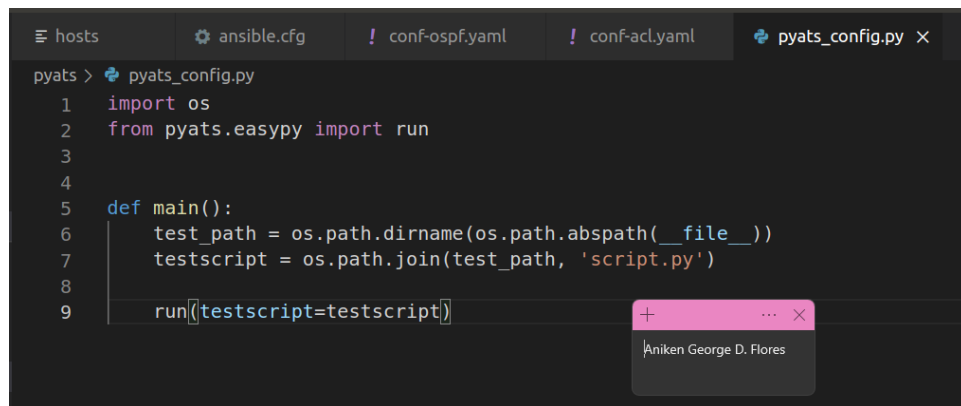
```
from pyats.easypy import run
```

```
def main():
```

```
    test_path = os.path.dirname(os.path.abspath(__file__))
```

```
    testscript = os.path.join(test_path, 'script.py')
```

```
    run(testscript=testscript)
```



```
pyats > pyats_config.py
1 import os
2 from pyats.easypy import run
3
4
5 def main():
6     test_path = os.path.dirname(os.path.abspath(__file__))
7     testscript = os.path.join(test_path, 'script.py')
8
9     run(testscript=testscript)
```

Step 8: Creating the script.py

```
import logging

from pyats import aetest

log = logging.getLogger(__name__)

class common_setup(aetest.CommonSetup):
    """ Common Setup section """

    @aetest.subsection
    def sample_subsection_1(self):
        """ Common Setup subsection """
        log.info("Aetest Common Setup ")

    @aetest.subsection
    def sample_subsection_2(self, section):
        """ Common Setup subsection """
        log.info("Inside %s" % (section))

        log.info("Inside class %s" % (self.uid))
```

```

class tc_one(aetest.Testcase):
    """ This is user Testcases section """

    @aetest.setup
    def prepare_testcase(self, section):
        """ Testcase Setup section """

        log.info("Preparing the test")

        log.info(section)

    @ aetest.test
    def simple_test_1(self):
        """ Sample test section. Only print """

        log.info("First test section ")

    @ aetest.test
    def simple_test_2(self):
        """ Sample test section. Only print """

        log.info("Second test section ")

    @aetest.cleanup
    def clean_testcase(self):
        """ Testcase cleanup section """

        log.info("Pass testcase cleanup")

class tc_two(aetest.Testcase):
    """ This is user Testcases section """

    @ aetest.test

```

```
def simple_test_1(self):
    """ Sample test section. Only print """
    log.info("First test section ")
    self.failed('This is an intentional failure')

@ aetest.test
def simple_test_2(self):
    """ Sample test section. Only print """
    log.info("Second test section ")

@aetest.cleanup
def clean_testcase(self):
    """ Testcase cleanup section """
    log.info("Pass testcase cleanup")

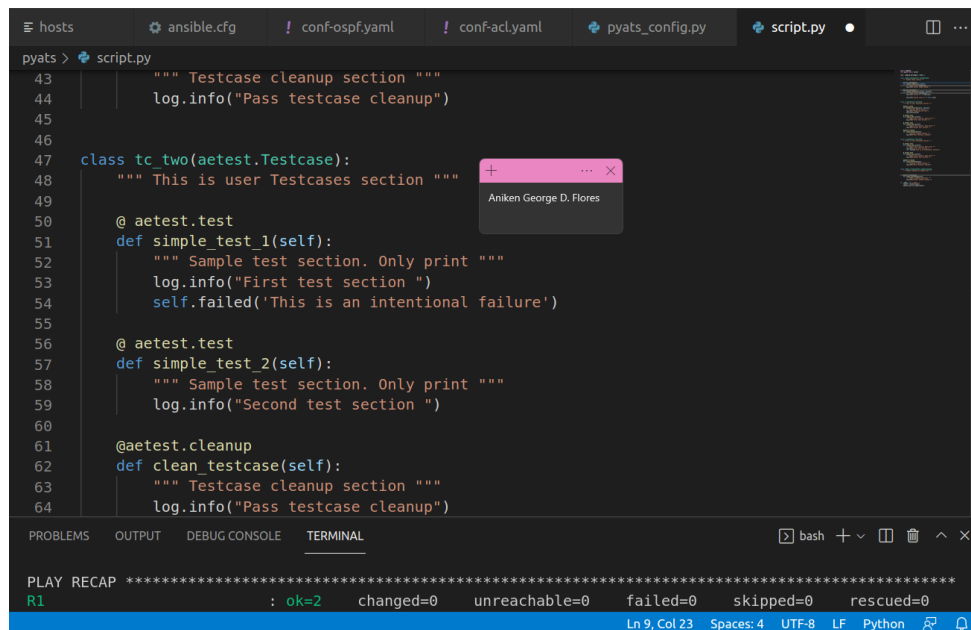
class common_cleanup(aetest.CommonCleanup):
    """ Common Cleanup for Sample Test """

@aetest.subsection
def clean_everything(self):
    """ Common Cleanup Subsection """
    log.info("Aetest Common Cleanup ")

if __name__ == '__main__':
    result = aetest.main()
    aetest.exit_cli_code(result)
```

```
hosts  ansible.cfg  ! conf-ospf.yaml  ! conf-acl.yaml  pyats_config.py  script.py
pyats > script.py
1  import logging
2  from pyats import aetest
3
4  log = logging.getLogger(__name__)
5
6  class common_setup(aetest.CommonSetup):
7      """ Common Setup section """
8
9      @aetest.subsection
10     def sample_subsection_1(self):
11         """ Common Setup subsection """
12         log.info("Aetest Common Setup ")
13
14     @aetest.subsection
15     def sample_subsection_2(self, section):
16         """ Common Setup subsection """
17         log.info("Inside %s" % (section))
18
19         log.info("Inside class %s" % (self.uid))
20
21
22     class tc_one(aetest.Testcase):
```

```
hosts  ansible.cfg  ! conf-ospf.yaml  ! conf-acl.yaml  pyats_config.py  script.py
pyats > script.py
22     class tc_one(aetest.Testcase):
23         """ This is user Testcases section """
24
25         @aetest.setup
26         def prepare_testcase(self, section):
27             """ Testcase Setup section """
28             log.info("Preparing the test")
29             log.info(section)
30
31         @ aetest.test
32         def simple_test_1(self):
33             """ Sample test section. Only print """
34             log.info("First test section ")
35
36         @ aetest.test
37         def simple_test_2(self):
38             """ Sample test section. Only print """
39             log.info("Second test section ")
40
41         @aetest.cleanup
42         def clean_testcase(self):
43             """ Testcase cleanup section """
```

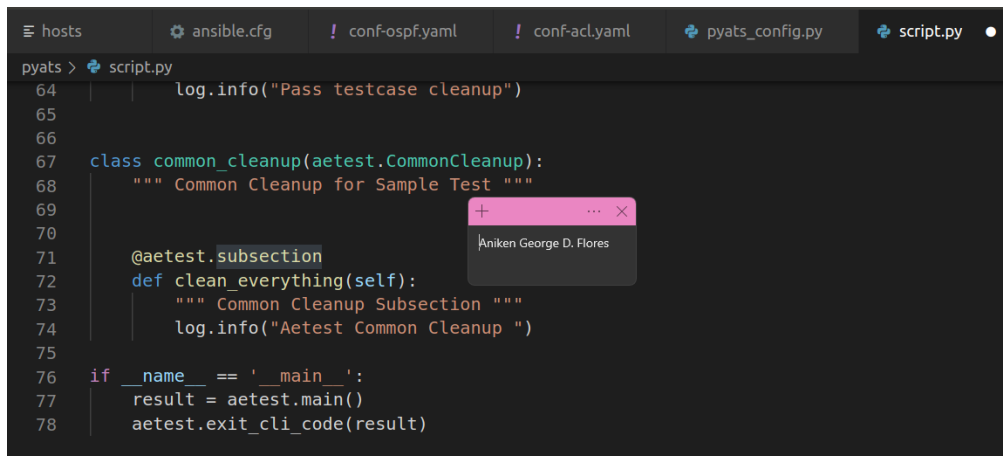


```
pyats > script.py
43     """ Testcase cleanup section """
44     log.info("Pass testcase cleanup")
45
46
47 class tc_two(aetest.Testcase):
48     """ This is user Testcases section """
49
50     @aetest.test
51     def simple_test_1(self):
52         """ Sample test section. Only print """
53         log.info("First test section ")
54         self.failed('This is an intentional failure')
55
56     @aetest.test
57     def simple_test_2(self):
58         """ Sample test section. Only print """
59         log.info("Second test section ")
60
61     @aetest.cleanup
62     def clean_testcase(self):
63         """ Testcase cleanup section """
64         log.info("Pass testcase cleanup")
```

PLAY RECAP *****

R1	: ok=2	changed=0	unreachable=0	failed=0	skipped=0	rescued=0
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```
64     log.info("Pass testcase cleanup")
65
66
67 class common_cleanup(aetest.CommonCleanup):
68     """ Common Cleanup for Sample Test """
69
70     @aetest.subsection
71     def clean_everything(self):
72         """ Common Cleanup Subsection """
73         log.info("Aetest Common Cleanup ")
74
75
76 if __name__ == '__main__':
77     result = aetest.main()
78     aetest.exit_cli_code(result)
```

To run the script enter these command `pyats run job pyats/pyats_config.py`. Do this for both PC's.

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