- 5. Different types of virtualization are possible. Among them *Network Virtualization*, *Storage Virtualization*, *Operating System Virtualization* and *Machine Virtualization*. Describe each of them briefly, highlighting:
  - its basic functioning and key components (if discussed during the course),
  - its purpouses,
  - which are the advantages of their use with the respect of the same non virtualized resource type.

#### SOLUTIONS:

Network Virtualization: slides 55-56 Storage Virtualization: slides 57-58

Operating System Virtualization: slides 59-61

Machine Virtualization: slides 62-66

- 6. A virtual infrastructure is composed by 3 Physical Servers (Hosts) and 4 Virtual Machines (VM).
  - $Host_1$  @192.168.10.1 runs  $VM_1$ , attached to its NAT adapter
  - $Host_2$  @10.0.0.1 run  $VM_2$  and  $VM_3$ , both attached to the same Bridge adapter
  - $Host_3$  @192.168.10.2 runs  $VM_4$ , attached to its NAT adapter

Assuming that the network connecting all the hosts is configured to enable them to see each others (i.e.:  $Host_1$  can see  $Host_2$ ):

- (a) Assign to each of the VMs a correct IP address.
- (b) Using the addresses set in point (a), specify at which address does  $VM_1$  contact a service on port 80 at  $Host_2$ ?
- (c) At which address does  $VM_2$  contact a service on port 80 at  $VM_3$ ?
- (d) At which address does  $VM_3$  contact a service on port 80 at  $VM_4$ ?

Motivate the answer! If port forwarding rules are required, consider that host's port 8080 is mapped on port 80 of the guest.

### SOL:

- a. 10.0.2.15 (no port fwr required) / 10.0.0.2, 10.0.0.3 / 10.0.2.15 b. 10.0.0.1:80
- c. 10.0.0.3:80 (assuming that this is the IP assigned to  $VM_3$ )
- d. 192.168.10.2:8080, where p is the port on which  $@VM_2:80$  is mapped.

- 5. A DMZ is composed by 3 physical machines ( $Host_1$ ,  $Host_2$ ,  $Host_3$ ).  $Host_1$  is used as the proxy for the DMZ and does not have any VM attached to it. Three Virtual Machines,  $VM_1$ ,  $VM_2$ ,  $VM_3$  run over  $Host_2$ , connected in internal mode. A fourth VM,  $VM_4$  is run over  $Host_3$ , connected in bridged mode. Considering that 192.168.x.x is the subnet address for the physical machines, and 10.x.x.x is the subnet address for the Virtual Machines, answer the following questions:
  - (a) Which are the IP address that can be associated both to the 3 Physical Machines both the 4 Virtual ones?
  - (b) Which address must be given to the port-forwarding rule of the proxy to allow a web request to contact a service listening at the port 8081 of the  $VM_4$ ?
  - (c) At which address a service listening at port 80 of  $VM_3$  can be contacted by  $VM_1$ ?
  - (d) Considering that each VM running on  $Host_2$  have only one virtual network adapter, at which address can the  $Host_1$  contact  $VM_2$ ?
  - (e) If a new virtual adapter is attached to both  $Host_2$  both  $VM_2$  in NAT, at which address will now the  $Host_1$  contact  $VM_2$ ?

Always motivate your answer.

- 4. A system is composed by 3 physical machines ( $Host_1, Host_2, Host_3$ ).  $Host_1$  is used as a router and it does not have any VM attached to it. Two Virtual Machines,  $VM_1$  and  $VM_2$  run over  $Host_2$ , connected in bridged mode. Two more Virtual Machines,  $VM_3$  and  $VM_4$  run over  $Host_3$ , connected in NAT mode. Consider that 192.168.x.y is the subnet address for the physical machines and 10.x.y.z is the subnet address for the Virtual Machines, and that the default subnet mask is 255.255.255.0. In case of port forwarding rules, assume that port 8080 of the Host is forwarded over 8089 of a VM. Answer the following questions:
  - (a) Assign IP addresses to the 3 Physical Machines and the 4 Virtual ones.
  - (b) At which address a service listening at port 8089 of  $VM_3$  can be contacted by  $VM_1$ ?
  - (c) At which address a service listening at port 8089 of  $VM_2$  can be contacted by  $VM_4$ ?
  - (d) Supposing a new  $VM_5$  is started on  $Host_1$  in internal mode, will it be able to contact  $VM_3$ ? If so, how? At which address?
  - (e) If the connection mode between  $Host_3$  and its VMs is changed in Host-Only, will be still possible for  $Host_1$  to contact  $VM_3$ ? If so, at which address?

Always motivate your answer.

## **SOLUTIONS:**

- (a) Physical:  $Host_1 = 192.168.x.1$ ,  $Host_2 = 192.168.x.2$ ,  $Host_3 = 192.168.x.3$ . Virtual:  $VM_{1-2} = 192.168.x.4$ , 192.168.x.5,  $VM_{3-4} = 10.x.x.1$ , 10.x.x.2
- (b) 192.168.x.3:8080 with port forwarding  $8080 \rightarrow 8089$
- (c) 192.168.x.5:8089
- (d) Not possibile
- (e) Possible with IP forwarding at address 10.x.x.1.

- 4. A system is composed by 2 physical machines  $(Host_1, Host_2)$ . Two Virtual Machines,  $VM_1$  and  $VM_2$  run over  $Host_1$ , connected in NAT mode. Three other Virtual Machines,  $VM_3$ ,  $VM_4$  and  $VM_5$  run over  $Host_2$ .  $VM_3$  and  $VM_4$  are connected in bridged mode while  $VM_5$  in internal mode. Consider that 192.168.x. x is the subnet address for the physical network, 10.x.x.x is the subnet address for the virtual networks, and that the default subnet mask is 255.255.255.0. In  $Host_1$  assume a port forwarding rule that connects port 8080 of the  $Host_1$  to port 8089 of  $VM_2$ . Answer the following questions:
  - (a) Assign IP addresses to the 2 Physical Machines and the 5 Virtual ones.
  - (b) At which address a service listening at port 8089 of  $VM_3$  can be contacted by  $VM_1$ ?
  - (c) At which address a service listening at port 8089 of  $VM_2$  can be contacted by  $VM_4$ ?
  - (d) Is  $VM_2$  able to contact  $VM_5$ ? If so, at which address?
  - (e) Is  $VM_5$  able to contact  $VM_3$ ? If so, at which address?

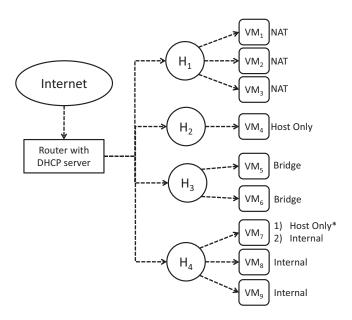
Always motivate your answer.

5. The infrastructure in Figure is composed by 4 Physical Servers (Hosts) and 9 Virtual Machines (VM). Hosts ( $H_1$ ,  $H_2$ ,  $H_3$  and  $H_4$ ) are connected to a DHCP server that assigns them the following IP addresses 192.168.10.1, 192.168.10.2, 192.168.10.3 and 192.168.10.4 respectively.

Assuming that the network configuration enables all the hosts to see each others (i.e.:  $H_1$  can see  $H_4$ ):

- (a) Assign to each of the 9 VMs correct IP addresses, considering that:
  - Sub-nets for VMs are in the form 10.0.x.x.
  - For security reasons, the router enables only ports 8080 and 8090 to be forwarded on each adapter.
  - $VM_7$  has 2 network adapters. Assign an IP address to both of them.
  - A packet forwarding mechanism on  $H_4$  allows  $VM_7$  to see the other hosts using its host-only adapter.
- (b) Using the addresses set in point (a), specify at which address does  $VM_1$  contact a service on port 80 at  $VM_4$ ?
- (c) At which address does  $VM_7$  contact a service on port 80 at  $VM_9$ ? At which address can  $VM_7$  contacts a service on port 80 of  $VM_2$ ?
- (d) At which address does  $H_2$  contact a service on port 80 at  $VM_8$ ?

Motivate the answer when required! If port forwarding rules are required, consider that host's port 8080 is mapped on port 80 of the guest.



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Unless other bridging/forwarding rules are specified by the students:

#### 4. In the context of virtualization:

- (a) Define the concept of  $Virtual\ Machine\ (VM)$ . Briefly describe when a VM is considered a  $process\ VM$ , and when a  $system\ VM$ .
- (b) A user would like to test a three-tier architecture composed of a web server (WS), an application server (AS) and a DBMS on her laptop. She would like to install each tier in three different VMs running on her PC:  $VM_1$  for the WS,  $VM_2$  for the AS,  $VM_3$  for the DBMS. All the VMs are characterized by a single virtual network card in NAT mode, and the Host address is 192.168.5.13.
  - i. Assuming that the WS runs on port 80, the AS runs on port 9000 and the the DBMS on port 1234, describe the port-forwarding rules required on the Host.
  - ii. Which address must be used by the Host to access the WS? At which address the WS can contact the AS? At which address the AS can contact the DB?

## SOLUTIONS

a) Slides 21 - 28 Lesson 1 on Virtualization.

b.i)

Port 8080 on the host  $\rightarrow$  port 80 on  $VM_1$ ,

Port 9000 on the host  $\rightarrow$  port 9000 on  $VM_2$  and

Port 1234 on the host  $\rightarrow$  port 1234 on  $VM_3$ 

b.ii) 192.168.5.13:8080, 192.168.5.13:9000 and 192.168.5.13:1234.

3. In a datacenter a total of 10 servers  $(S_{1-10})$  are connected together over the same LAN. The router of this LAN assigns to each machine its IP address starting from 192.168.1.1 to the first machine  $S_1$  and ending at 192.168.1.10 to  $S_{10}$ . Machines  $S_2, S_5, S_6$  are used as hosts of virtual machines.  $VM_1$  and  $VM_2$  are guests of  $S_2$ , connected in NAT mode;  $VM_3$  is guest of  $S_5$ , connected in internal mode while  $VM_4, VM_5, VM_6$  are guests of  $S_6$  and connected respectively in internal, bridge and host only modes.

NAT addresses are given in the form 10.0.x.x, while Internal addresses are in the form 126.10.x.x. Bridged addresses are distributed following the 192.168.1.x form and  $host\ only$  are in the form 10.10.x.x.

Answer the following questions, considering that no routing mechanism is or can be enabled, except for two port forwarding rules  $S_2$  that forward packets directed to port 8080 to a service on  $VM_1$ , and forward packets from port 8090 to a service on  $VM_2$ .

- (a) Given that the addresses of  $S_2$ ,  $S_5$  and  $S_6$  are respectively 192.168.1.2, 192.168.1.5 and 192.168.1.6, assign the correct IP to all the VMs.
- (b) At which address  $S_2$  can contact  $VM_1$  and  $VM_2$ ? At which address those two machines can be contacted by the other servers of the LAN?
- (c) Are there other VMs that can be seen by  $VM_3$ ?
- (d) Which servers or VM can contact  $VM_6$ ? At which address?

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- (a)  $VM_1=10.0.1.15,\ VM_2=10.0.1.15,\ VM_3=126.10.0.1,\ VM_4=126.10.0.1,\ VM_5=192.168.1.11,\ VM_6=10.10.0.1$
- (b) All the servers, including  $S_2$ , can contact  $VM_1$  and  $VM_2$  respectively at 192.168.1.2: 8080, 192.168.1.2: 8090
- (c) No
- (d) Only its host  $(S_6)$  can contact  $VM_6$  at its address 10.10.0.1.

3. A LAN network connects two physical machines,  $host_1$  and  $host_2$ .

The first one has 3 virtual machines running on it.  $VM_1$  is a router machine with two network adapters: the first one  $(VM_1(eth0))$  is in Bridged mode and connects the VM to its host, the second  $VM_1(eth1)$  is in Internal mode. The second VM on  $host_1$ ,  $VM_2$  is connected in Internal mode, while the third  $VM_3$  is in NAT.

The second machine,  $host_2$ , has 2 virtual machines running on it:  $VM_4$ , connected in Bridged mode, and  $VM_5$  connected in Hostonly mode.

The router of the LAN to which the hosts are attached is at address 192.168.1.1. Considering that NAT addresses are usually in the form 10.0.x.x, while Internal addresses are in the form 126.10.x.x and Bridged addresses are distributed following the 192.168.x.x form, answer the following questions:

- (a) Attribute the right addresses to all the machines of the LAN, both virtual both physical.
- (b) Can an application listening on port 12345 on  $host_1$  be contacted by  $VM_4$ ? If yes, at which address?
- (c) Is it possible for  $VM_5$  to reach  $VM_4$ ? At which address?
- (d) Is it possible for  $host_2$  to reach  $VM_3$ ? At which address?
- (e) If  $VM_1(eth0)$  mode is changed to *Notattached*, can  $VM_3$  see  $VM_2$ ? How? At which addresses?

When more than one address:port is required to perform an operation, please list them in the answer in the correct sequence.

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