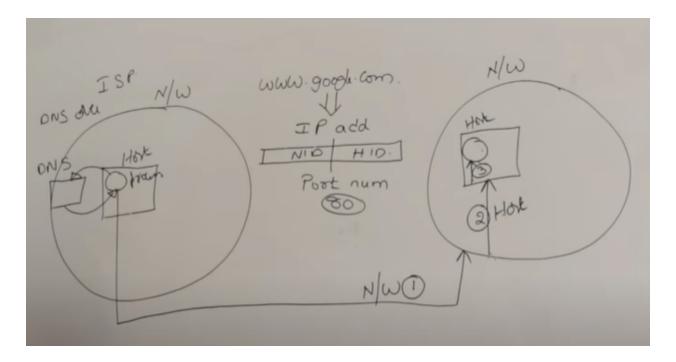
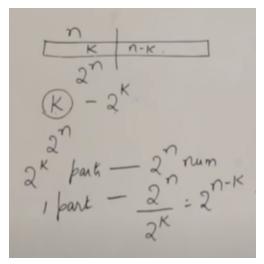
IP Addresses

Just a 32-bit number acting as the address of a machine on a network.

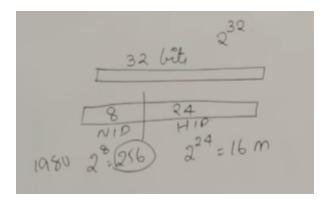
Intro to computer network, need for IP, DNS, Network and Host





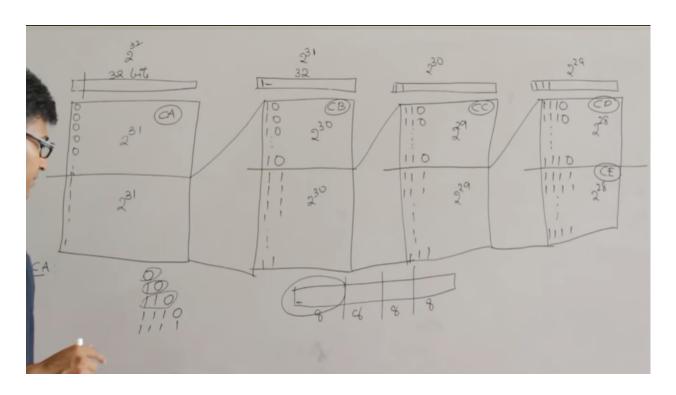
Network Id \rightarrow k bits, Host Id \rightarrow n-k bits

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256 is a very small number for a network Id and 16M is a very large number for a host Id, so this system is discarded. Instead Classful System is used.

Classful System



Each class can be depicted by <u>prefix</u> unique to that class:

CA: 0

CB: 10

CC: 110

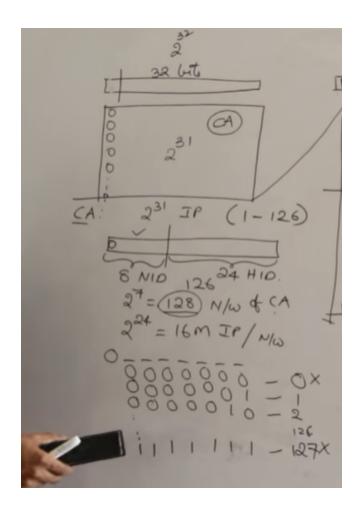
CD: 1110

CE: 1111

IP Address Representations

- 32-bit binary number
- 32-bit binary number converted to decimal equivalent
- The 32-bit IP can be divided into 4 octets where the binary number of each octet is converted into its decimal equivalent and the 4 decimal numbers are separated with '.'

Class A



Prefix: 0

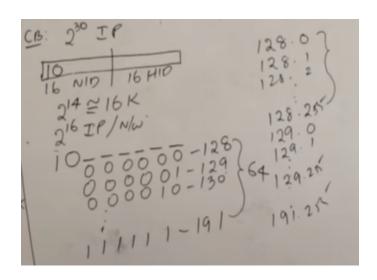
Network IDs: 126

Host IDs: approx. 16M

Range of I Octet: 1-126

Used in ultra-huge networks like NASA and Pentagon

Class B



Prefix: 10

Network IDs: 2^14

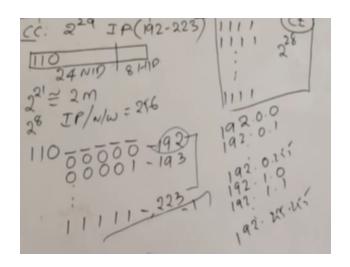
Host IDs: 2¹6

Range of I Octet: 128-191

Used by Banks, IRCTC

Class C

IP Addresses 4



Prefix: 110

Network IDs: 2^21

Host IDs: 2⁸

Range of I Octet: 192-223

Used by small offices and universities

Class D

Prefix: 1110

Not divided into separate NID and HID.

Range of I Octet: 224-239

No Practical Uses, Used in Multicasting

Class E

Prefix: 1111

Not divided into separate NID and HID.

Range of I Octet: 240-255

No Practical Uses, Reserved Class

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