

ACME Corporation

The Master Plan

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1 Overview

1.1 Purpose

This document contains pertinent information for the architecture and implementation of Acme Corporation's network upgrade, including details over topology, services, and high-level configuration descriptions where applicable.

1.2 Services

All existing services must be upgraded to accommodate the network upgrade. The scope of each service upgrade will vary based on the need, but each service will be reimplemented to better fit within the post-upgrade network architecture.

1.2.1 Existing Services

The following existing services are upgraded (in no particular order):

Service Description	Preferred Package/Application
Network File System (NFS)	nfs-kernel-server, nfs-client
Webserver	apache2
Database	mariadb
Email	???
Active Directory (AD)	openldap
Domain Name Server (DNS)	-\$30,000
Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP)	dhcpcd

1.2.2 Database

We are going with a MariaDB database for ACME as it widely used, easily maintainable, and secure. In order to set up the MariaDB database we would need to install it both the client and server packages.

- `sudo apt-get install mariadb-server`

After running the installation of MariaDB we then would need to set up our admin user so we are then able to populate the database with data that ACME CORP needs to be stored.

By running:

- `sudo mysql_secure_installation`

We are able to do all of the following:

- set root password

- disable remote root login
- remove test database
- remove anonymous users and
- reload privileges

After adding the data that needs to be stored we would then set up the user accounts and privileges for the HR department as they are the only department needing access to the database.

- MariaDB > CREATE USER frankHR@'localhost' IDENTIFIED BY 'password';
- MariaDB > GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES on employees.* to frankHR@'%';
- MariaDB > FLUSH PRIVILEGES;

By the above commands we created a user account from Frank from HR and then have given Frank privileges to access the database 'employees'. Following this same style we would be able to add new tables and users and also give and take away privileges based on needs.

1.2.3 New Services

The following new services are implemented on the new network (in no particular order):

Service Description	Preferred Package/Application
Virtual Local Area Network (VLAN)	vlan
Configuration Management	puppet
Monitoring	nagios
Virtual Private Network (VPN)	openvpn

1.3 Architecture

1.3.1 Design Overview

VLANs

The upgraded network ensures that departments and specific services are isolated (per the new network requirements) by distributing them across separate VLANs. This configuration allows for any combination of hosts assigned to different departments to be physically attached to the same switch (in the event that physical separation is not feasible), while maintaining separation.

The VLANs are assigned as follows:

Addresses	VLAN	Department/Service
10.1.110.0/24	10	Executives
10.1.120.0/24	20	Human Resources
10.1.130.0/24	30	Research & Development
10.1.140.0/24	40	Engineering
10.1.150.0/24	50	Sales
10.1.160.0/24	60	Internal Services
10.1.170.0/24	70	DMZ

Inter-Router/Switch Interfaces

Interfaces between router-router and switch-router (and vice versa) are assigned addresses with a CIDR of /30. The address space 10.1.2.0/24 is reserved specifically for these interfaces.

Switch Ports

Switch ports are statically assigned, as needed, within the address space of 10.1.10.0/24.

Static Hosts

Special hosts (specific services, such as DHCP, etc.) are assigned IP addresses statically within the address space of 10.1.160.0/24 for internal services and within the address space of 10.1.170.0/24 for DMZ services.

Workstation Hosts

Workstation IP addresses are dynamically assigned by the DHCP server. Workstations are configured to use the IP of the switch port that they are physically connected to as their gateway to ensure that they connect to the network only via the preassigned switch port.

Through our topology we have upgraded from an all layer 2 network to a combination of layer 2 and layer 3. Thus allowing for a more robust and "smart" network. With the implementation of layer 3 we have added routers to control the broadcast signals that were not controlled within the previous network. We have added redundancy to the network allowing multiple connection points. To control the restrictions we have upgraded the network with VLANs. Thus ensuring isolated departments and services by dividing them into separate VLANs.

1.3.2 Network Topology Map

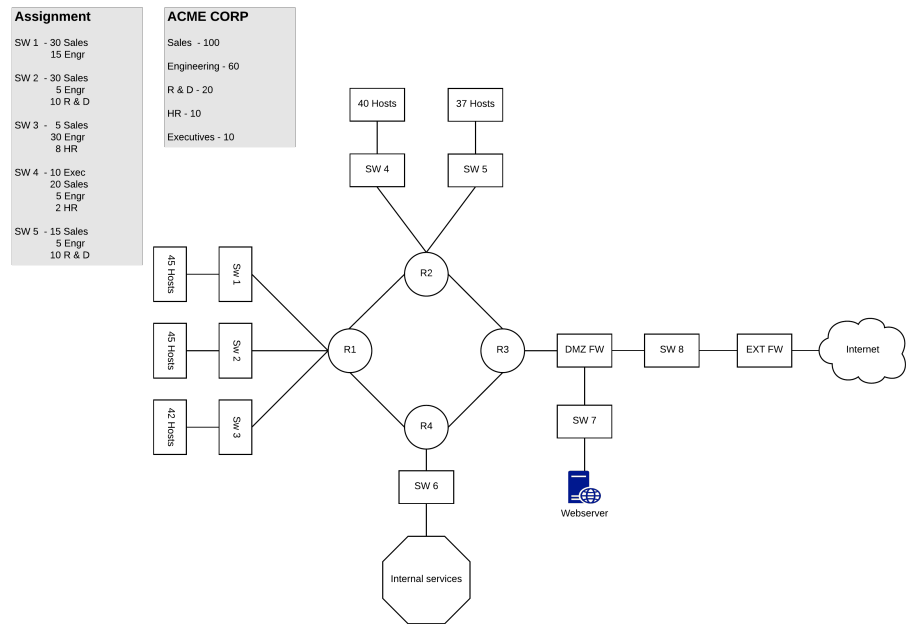


Figure 1: Topology Map for Acme Corp

- 2 Network Access
- 3 NFS
- 4 Webserver
- 5 Email
- 6 Firewall & Security

Router 1							
From Zone	To Zone	SRC ADDR	DST ADDR	SRC Port	DST Port	App	Deny / Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.110.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.150.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Any	Deny
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.130.0/24	10.1.140.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.140.0/24	10.1.130.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.120.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.120.0/24	10.1.110.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Deny
Trusted	Server	Any	10.1.160.0/24	Any	53, 389, 994	Any	Allow
Server	Trusted	10.1.160.0/24	Any	Any	53, 389, 994	Any	Allow
Trusted	Server	10.1.120.0/24	10.1.160.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow

Router 2							
From Zone	To Zone	SRC ADDR	DST ADDR	SRC Port	DST Port	App	Deny / Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.110.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.150.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Any	Deny
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.130.0/24	10.1.140.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.140.0/24	10.1.130.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.120.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Trusted	10.1.120.0/24	10.1.110.0/24	Any	Any	Any	Deny
Trusted	Server	Any	10.1.160.0/24	Any	53, 389, 994	Any	Allow
Server	Trusted	10.1.160.0/24	Any	Any	53, 389, 994	Any	Allow
Trusted	Server	10.1.120.0/24	10.1.160.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
Server	Trusted	10.1.160.0/24	10.1.120.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
Trusted	DMZ	Any	10.1.170.0/24	Any	25, 993, 80, 443	Any	Allow
DMZ	Trusted	10.1.170.0/24	Any	Any	25, 993, 80, 443	Any	Allow
Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Deny

Router 3							
From Zone	To Zone	SRC ADDR	DST ADDR	SRC Port	DST Port	App	Deny / Allow
Trusted	DMZ	10.1.0.0/24	10.1.170.0/24	Any	25 ,993 , 80, 443	Any	Allow
DMZ	Trusted	10.1.170.0/24	10.1.0.0/24	Any	25, 993, 80, 443	Any	Allow
Server	DMZ	10.1.160.0/24	10.1.170.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
DMZ	Server	10.1.170.0/24	10.1.160.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Deny

Router 4							
From Zone	To Zone	SRC ADDR	DST ADDR	SRC Port	DST Port	App	Deny / Allow
Server	Server	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Allow
Trusted	Server	10.1.0.0/24	Any	Any	53, 389, 994	Any	Allow
Server	Trusted	10.1.160.0/24	10.1.0.0/24	Any	53, 389, 994	Any	Allow
DMZ	Trusted	10.1.170.0/24	10.1.0.0/24	Any	25, 993, 80, 443	Any	Allow
Trusted	Server	10.1.120.0/24	10.1.160.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
Server	Trusted	10.1.160.0/24	10.1.120.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
Server	DMZ	10.1.160.0/24	10.1.170.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
DMZ	Server	10.1.170.0/24	Any	Any	3306	Any	Allow
Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Deny

Firewall							
From Zone	To Zone	SRC ADDR	DST ADDR	SRC Port	DST Port	App	Deny / Allow
Trusted	DMZ	10.1.0.0/24	10.1.170.0/24	Any	80, 443	Meme.com	Deny
DMZ	Trusted	10.1.170.0/24	10.1.0.0/24	Any	25, 993, 80, 443	Any	Allow
Server	DMZ	10.1.160.0/24	10.1.170.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
DMZ	Server	10.1.170.0/24	10.1.160.0/24	Any	3306	Any	Allow
Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Any	Deny

7 Active Directory

8 DNS / DHCP

9 Configuration Management