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1. Describe each step and how to run your program

Task 1. Environment Setup

I just followed the homework guidence step by step

Task 2. Trace Example Code

• I will illustrate this part with the following description.

Task 3. Create a New Topology

First, we create three nodes and constructe a point to point link. (modified by the example code)

```
1
         // create three nodes
 2
         nodes.Create(3); // modify from 2 to 3
 3
         // constructe a point to point link, and set their
 4
         // DataRate and delay.
 5
         PointToPointHelper pointToPoint1;
         pointToPoint1.SetDeviceAttribute("DataRate", StringValue("2Mbps"));
 6
 7
         pointToPoint1.SetChannelAttribute("Delay", StringValue("2ms"));
 8
         NetDeviceContainer devices1 =
 9
             pointToPoint1.Install(nodes.Get(0), nodes.Get(1));
10
             // flow 1
11
         PointToPointHelper pointToPoint3;
12
         pointToPoint3.SetDeviceAttribute("DataRate", StringValue("3Mbps"));
13
14
         pointToPoint3.SetChannelAttribute("Delay", StringValue("2ms"));
         NetDeviceContainer devices3 =
15
             pointToPoint3.Install(nodes.Get(0), nodes.Get(2));
16
17
             // flow 2 // modify
```

Second, we set up protocol stacks installed on our nodes.

Third, we assign the IP address of all nodes. (modified by the example code)

```
1
         Ipv4AddressHelper address1;
             it should begin allocating IP addresses from the network
 2
 3
         //
             10.0.1.0 using the mask 255.255.25.0 to define the
 4
         // allocatable bits.
         address1.SetBase("10.0.1.0", "255.255.255.0");
 5
 6
         Ipv4InterfaceContainer interfaces1 = address1.Assign(devices1);
 7
         Ipv4AddressHelper address2;
 8
         // it should begin allocating IP addresses from the network
 9
10
             10.0.2.0 using the mask 255.255.255.0 to define the
         //
         // allocatable bits.
11
12
         address2.SetBase("10.0.2.0", "255.255.255.0");
         Ipv4InterfaceContainer interfaces2 = address2.Assign(devices3);
13
```

Task 4. Create New Flows (Cont.)

First, we create two ApplicationContainer, they can help us to generate traffic, and we set up the starting and stopping time. And when I use them, I need to know what port and what IP I use. This part is also modified by example code.

```
UdpEchoServerHelper echoServer1(99); // modify the port number
ApplicationContainer serverApps1 = echoServer1.Install(nodes.Get(1));
serverApps1.Start(Seconds(1.0));
serverApps1.Stop(Seconds(10.0));
```

Second, we set up some setting about the flows. This part is also modified by example code.

```
1
        UdpEchoClientHelper echoClient1(interfaces1.GetAddress(1), 99);
2
        // modify the port number
3
        echoClient1.SetAttribute("MaxPackets", UintegerValue(4));
        // since we send '4' UDP packets
4
5
        echoClient1.SetAttribute("Interval", TimeValue(Seconds(1.0)));
        echoClient1.SetAttribute("PacketSize", UintegerValue(1024));
6
7
        ApplicationContainer clientApps1 = echoClient1.Install(nodes.Get(0));
8
        clientApps1.Start(Seconds(2.0));
9
        clientApps1.Stop(Seconds(10.0));
```

Similarily, we can infer the another flows as following.

```
1
         UdpEchoServerHelper echoServer2(98);
 2
         ApplicationContainer serverApps2 = echoServer2.Install(nodes.Get(2));
 3
         serverApps2.Start(Seconds(1.0));
         serverApps2.Stop(Seconds(10.0));
 4
 5
         UdpEchoClientHelper echoClient2(interfaces2.GetAddress(1), 98);
 6
         echoClient2.SetAttribute("MaxPackets", UintegerValue(4));
         echoClient2.SetAttribute("Interval", TimeValue(Seconds(1.0)));
 7
 8
         echoClient2.SetAttribute("PacketSize", UintegerValue(1024));
 9
         ApplicationContainer clientApps2 = echoClient2.Install(nodes.Get(0));
10
         clientApps2.Start(Seconds(2.0));
         clientApps2.Stop(Seconds(10.0));
11
```

Finally, we run simulator.

```
Simulator::Run();
Simulator::Destroy();
```

Final Result

```
23-lab1@cn2023lab1-VirtualBox:~/workspace/workspace/ns-3-allinone/ns-3-dev$
    3 run StudentID
Scanning dependencies of target scratch_StudentID
   0%] Building CXX object scratch/CMakeFiles/scratch StudentID.dir/StudentID.cc
   0%] Linking CXX executable ../../build/scratch/ns3-dev-StudentID-default
At time +2s client sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.1.2 port 99
At time +2s client sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.2.2 port 98
At time +2.00481s server received 1024 bytes from 10.0.2.1 port 49154
At time +2.00481s server sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.2.1 port 49154
At time +2.00622s server received 1024 bytes from 10.0.1.1 port 49153
At time +2.00622s server sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.1.1 port 49153
At time +2.00962s client received 1024 bytes from 10.0.2.2 port 98
At time +2.01243s client received 1024 bytes from 10.0.1.2 port 99
At time +3s client sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.1.2 port 99
At time +3s client sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.2.2 port 98
At time +3.00481s server received 1024 bytes from 10.0.2.1 port 49154
At time +3.00481s server sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.2.1 port 49154
At time +3.00622s server received 1024 bytes from 10.0.1.1 port 49153
At time +3.00622s server sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.1.1 port 49153
At time +3.00962s client received 1024 bytes from 10.0.2.2 port 98
At time +3.01243s client received 1024 bytes from 10.0.1.2 port 99
At time +4s client sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.1.2 port 99
At time +4s client sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.2.2 port 98
At time +4.00481s server received 1024 bytes from 10.0.2.1 port 49154
At time +4.00481s server sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.2.1 port 49154
At time +4.00622s server received 1024 bytes from 10.0.1.1 port 49153
At time +4.00622s server sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.1.1 port 49153
At time +4.00962s client received 1024 bytes from 10.0.2.2 port 98
At time +4.01243s client received 1024 bytes from 10.0.1.2 port 99
At time +5s client sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.1.2 port 99
At time +5s client sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.2.2 port 98
At time +5.00481s server received 1024 bytes from 10.0.2.1 port 49154
At time +5.00481s server sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.2.1 port 49154
At time +5.00622s server received 1024 bytes from 10.0.1.1 port 49153
At time +5.00622s server sent 1024 bytes to 10.0.1.1 port 49153
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cn2023-lab1@cn2023lab1-VirtualBox:~/workspace/workspace/ns-3-allinone/ns-3-dev$
```

2. What is the different between network simulation and emulation?

• Network simulators create models, while emulators mimic networks.

3. Generally, in NS-3, if you don't change the code, the output will be always the same every

time you run, even if you set some probabilistic parameter like error rate, why?

- Yes. The first results are the same bacause two consecutive runs have the same seed. So their results are the same.
- No. Because when I change the setting, the new seed will be picked randomly, so the result will be different with high probability.

4. Following the previous question, how to deal with this problem?

• We can manually modify the seed when making adjustments.

5. Bonus

1. What have you learned from this lab?

• I learn how to use ns3 model.

2. What difficulty have you met in this lab?

• I think wrong the function of the following.

```
pointToPoint1.Install(nodes.Get(0), nodes.Get(1));
```

• This will build a bidirection link, instead of one direction.