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Aim:

Study the basic network command and Network configuration commands like ping, variations of ipconfig, tracert, nslookup, netstat, arp, rarp, hostname, pathping etc.

Objective: Students will be able to troubleshoot networks

S/W Requirement: Command Prompt

H/W Requirement:

- Processor – Any suitable Processor e.g. Celeron
- Main Memory - 128 MB RAM
- Hard Disk – minimum 20 GB IDE Hard Disk
- Removable Drives–1.44 MB Floppy Disk Drive –52X IDE CD-ROM Drive
- PS/2 HCL Keyboard and Mouse

Method:

Go to command prompt and type the commands

I. Ping

In order to test and confirm that a specific destination IP address exists and can accept requests for computer network management, a user can use a basic Internet software called ping (also

known as Packet Internet or Inter-Network Groper). The abbreviation was created to sound like the phrase used by submariners to describe the sound of a returning sonar pulse.

Result:

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Command Prompt
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.22621.1265]
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C:\Users\visha>ping www.google.com

Pinging www.google.com [142.250.77.196] with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 142.250.77.196: bytes=32 time=19ms TTL=116
Reply from 142.250.77.196: bytes=32 time=19ms TTL=116
Reply from 142.250.77.196: bytes=32 time=18ms TTL=116
Reply from 142.250.77.196: bytes=32 time=16ms TTL=116

Ping statistics for 142.250.77.196:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 16ms, Maximum = 19ms, Average = 18ms

C:\Users\visha>
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II. Ipconfig:

(Internet Protocol CONFIGuration) A command-line tool used to view and control the machine's allocated IP address. The current IP, subnet mask, and default gateway addresses of the computer are shown in Windows when you type ipconfig without any other options.

Result:

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C:\Users\visha>ipconfig

Windows IP Configuration

Ethernet adapter Ethernet:

    Media State . . . . . : Media disconnected
    Connection-specific DNS Suffix  . :

Wireless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 1:

    Media State . . . . . : Media disconnected
    Connection-specific DNS Suffix  . :

Wireless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 10:

    Media State . . . . . : Media disconnected
    Connection-specific DNS Suffix  . :

Wireless LAN adapter WiFi:

    Connection-specific DNS Suffix  . :
    Link-local IPv6 Address . . . . . : fe80::8152:728a:11e6:1d06
    IPv4 Address. . . . . : 192.168.1.105
    Subnet Mask . . . . . : 255.255.255.0
    Default Gateway . . . . . : 192.168.1.254
```

III. Tracert:

A network analysis tool that may be used to determine the route a packet takes from its source to its destination is the tracert command (in Windows) or the traceroute command (in Linux or Mac).

Result:

```
C:\Users\visha>tracert

Usage: tracert [-d] [-h maximum_hops] [-j host-list] [-w timeout]
          [-R] [-S srcaddr] [-4] [-6] target_name

Options:
    -d                Do not resolve addresses to hostnames.
    -h maximum_hops   Maximum number of hops to search for target.
    -j host-list       Loose source route along host-list (IPv4-only).
    -w timeout         Wait timeout milliseconds for each reply.
    -R                Trace round-trip path (IPv6-only).
    -S srcaddr         Source address to use (IPv6-only).
    -4                Force using IPv4.
    -6                Force using IPv6.
```

IV. Nslookup

The command Nslookup, which stands for "Name Server Lookup," is helpful for retrieving data from the DNS server. It is a tool for network administration that queries the Domain Name System (DNS) to retrieve any given DNS record, such as a domain name or IP address mapping. It is also employed to solve DNS-related issues.

Result:

```
C:\Users\visha>nslookup www.google.com
Server: dsldevice.lan
Address: 192.168.1.254

Non-authoritative answer:
Name: www.google.com
Addresses: 2404:6800:4005:1000::1
          142.250.191.68
```

V. Netstat

The application known as Netstat, which stands for "network statistics," is run by issuing commands from the command line. It provides users with basic statistics on all network activity, lets them know which TCP and UDP connections are active on which ports and addresses, and which ports are available for tasks.

Result:

```
C:\Users\visha>netstat

Active Connections

Proto Local Address           Foreign Address         State
TCP    127.0.0.1:49672           www:50010              ESTABLISHED
TCP    127.0.0.1:50010          www:49672              ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:49676      20.198.118.190:https    ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:49780      13.71.196.227:8883      ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50004      si-in-f188:5228         ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50060      104.18.8.150:https      ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50088      del03s10-in-f3:https    ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50102      13.107.237.48:https     CLOSE_WAIT
TCP    192.168.1.108:50210      server-13-224-22-71:https ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50211      199.232.254.137:https   ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50213      104.18.12.159:https     ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50217      104.18.7.109:https      ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50218      104.18.12.159:https     ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50232      del11s12-in-f14:https   TIME_WAIT
TCP    192.168.1.108:50240      del12s10-in-f10:https   TIME_WAIT
TCP    192.168.1.108:50245      kul01s10-in-f35:https   TIME_WAIT
TCP    192.168.1.108:50251      maa03s19-in-f97:https   TIME_WAIT
TCP    192.168.1.108:50257      a23-201-220-97:https    ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50262      ec2-18-139-190-56:https TIME_WAIT
TCP    192.168.1.108:50264      ec2-52-74-78-108:https  TIME_WAIT
TCP    192.168.1.108:50267      var:https               TIME_WAIT
TCP    192.168.1.108:50271      104.17.211.204:https    ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50272      del12s10-in-f10:https   ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50273      104.19.155.83:https     ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50274      172.64.154.85:https     ESTABLISHED
TCP    192.168.1.108:50278      ionos:https              CLOSE_WAIT
```

VI. Arp

Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) is a protocol or procedure that connects an ever-changing Internet Protocol (IP) address to a fixed physical machine address, also known as a media access control (MAC) address, in a local-area network (LAN).

Result:

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C:\Users\visha>arp -a

Interface: 192.168.1.108 --- 0x6

Internet Address      Physical Address      Type
192.168.1.102         60-6e-e8-ec-be-e4    dynamic
192.168.1.155         80-d2-1d-f0-2f-eb    dynamic
192.168.1.254         f8-0c-58-27-b4-60    dynamic
192.168.1.255         ff-ff-ff-ff-ff-ff    static
224.0.0.22            01-00-5e-00-00-16    static
224.0.0.251          01-00-5e-00-00-fb    static
224.0.0.252          01-00-5e-00-00-fc    static
239.255.255.250       01-00-5e-7f-ff-fa    static
255.255.255.255       ff-ff-ff-ff-ff-ff    static
```

VII. Rarp

Reverse Address Resolution Protocol (RARP) is a network-specific standard protocol. It is described in RFC 903. Some network hosts, such as a diskless workstation, do not know their own IP address when they are booted. To determine their own IP address, they use a mechanism similar to ARP, but now the hardware address of the host is the known parameter, and the IP address is the queried parameter.

Result:

```
C:\Users\visha>rarp
'rarp' is not recognized as an internal or external command,
operable program or batch file.
```

VIII. Hostname

A hostname is a label assigned to a device (a host) on a network. It distinguishes one device from another on a specific network or over the internet. The hostname for a computer on a home network may be something like new laptop, Guest-Desktop, or FamilyPC.

Result:

```
C:\Users\visha>hostname  
Vishu  
  
C:\Users\visha>|
```

IX. Pathping

PathPing is a Windows utility allowing the user to reveal the path between two hosts. Unlike other similar commands, with PathPing, each node is pinged by the command. Pathping resembles some other commands such as one called tracert that displays the trajectory of data packets and measures delivery delays through an IP network.

Result:

```
C:\Users\visha>pathping  
  
Usage: pathping [-g host-list] [-h maximum_hops] [-i address] [-n]  
               [-p period] [-q num_queries] [-w timeout]  
               [-4] [-6] target_name  
  
Options:  
  -g host-list      Loose source route along host-list.  
  -h maximum_hops   Maximum number of hops to search for target.  
  -i address        Use the specified source address.  
  -n                Do not resolve addresses to hostnames.  
  -p period         Wait period milliseconds between pings.  
  -q num_queries    Number of queries per hop.  
  -w timeout        Wait timeout milliseconds for each reply.  
  -4                Force using IPv4.  
  -6                Force using IPv6.
```