

PRACTICAL-9

AIM:

Create ring and mesh topology in NS2 and implement distance vector algorithm for dynamic routing. Analyze the behavior for transferring the packet when a link goes down.

THEORY:

Mesh Topology:

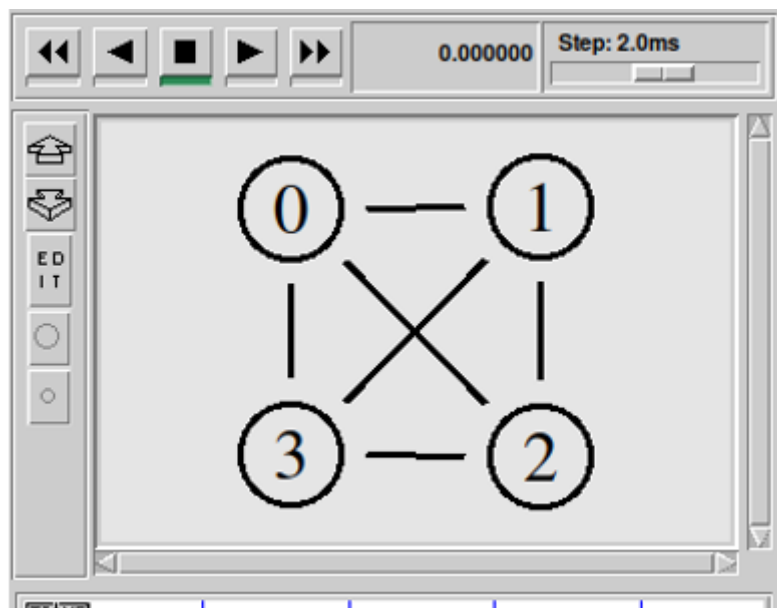
- In mesh topology each device is connected to every other device on the network through a dedicated point-to-point link.
- When we say dedicated it means that the link only carries data for the two connected devices only.
- Let's say we have n devices in the network then each device must be connected with $(n-1)$ devices of the network.
- Number of links in a mesh topology of n devices would be $n(n-1)/2$.

Ring Topology:

- In ring topology each device is connected with the two devices on either side of it.
- There are two dedicated point to point links a device has with the devices on the either side of it.
- This structure forms a ring thus it is known as ring topology.
- If a device wants to send data to another device then it sends the data in one direction, each device in ring topology has a repeater, if the received data is intended for other device then repeater forwards this data until the intended device receives it.

Dynamic Routing:

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PRACTICAL IMPLEMENTATION:**MESH TOPOLOGY:**

PROGRAM CODE:

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set ns [new Simulator]

$ns rtproto DV

setnf [open prac8.nam w]

$ns namtrace-all $nf

proc finish {} {

    global ns nf

    $ns flush-trace

    close $nf

    execnam prac8.nam &

    exit 0

}

set n0 [$ns node]

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set n2 [$ns node]

set n3 [$ns node]

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\$ns duplex-link-op \$n3 \$n0 orient up

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\$tcp set class_ 2

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\$ns connect \$tcp \$sink

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\$ftp set rate_ 1mb

\$ns at 1.0 "\$ftp start"

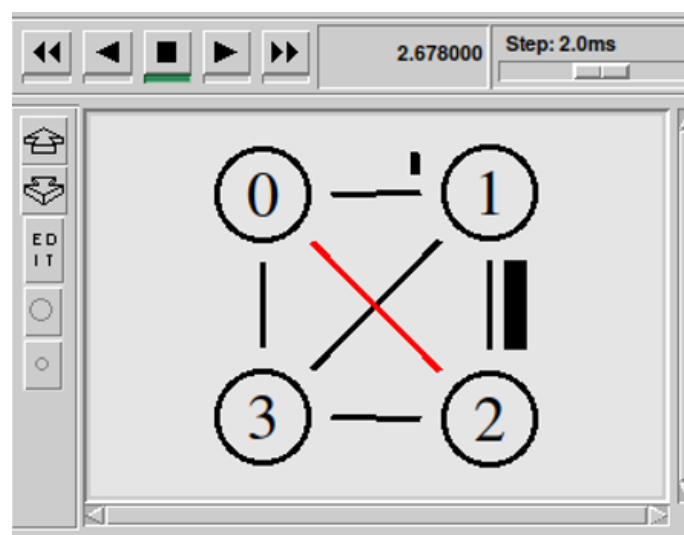
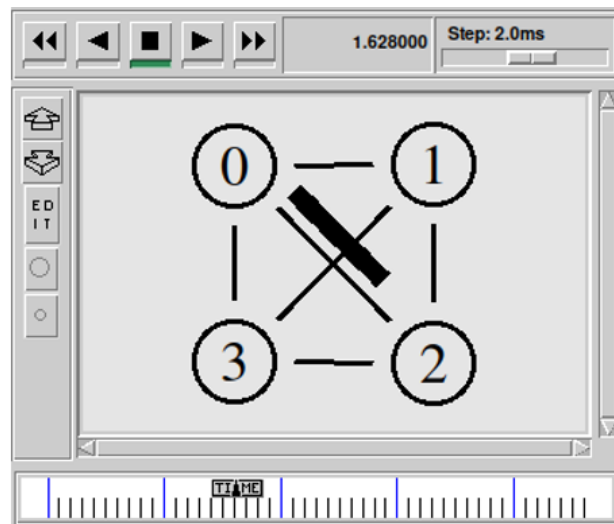
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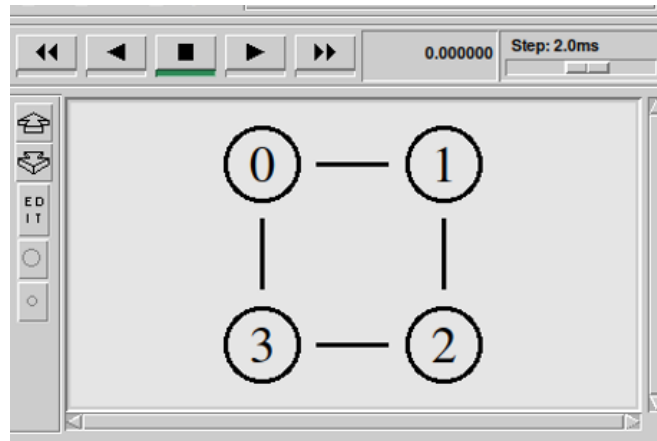
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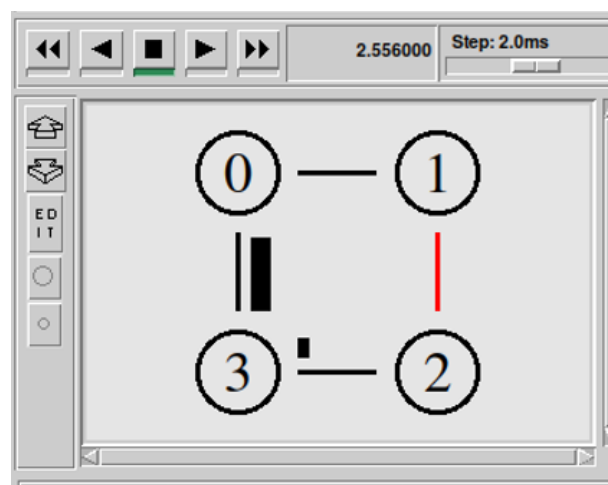
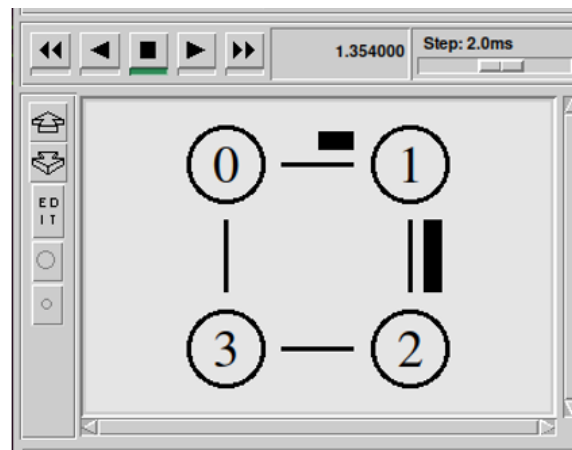
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CONCLUSION:

- In this practical, we learned how to create mesh and ring topology in NS2.