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INTERNET – LAB Experience 1: Katharà

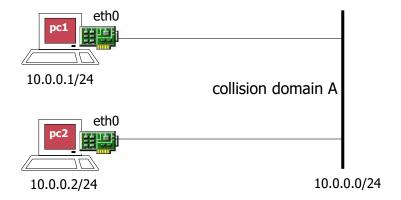


Figure 1: A simple network with two hosts connected to the same collision domain.

Exercise 1: Write the command to activate interface eth0, set its IP address to 10.0.0.5 and its maximum transfer unit (MTU) to 4000 Bytes.

Exercise 2: We use the ping command to verify the connectivity between the two machines. What happens if you use a non-existent address as the argument for the ping command?

Exercise 3: Run tcpdump on pc2. Run the ping command towards pc2 on pc1. Using Wireshark to inspect the packets exchanged between the two machines on collision domain A, report the MAC address of the interface eth0 for both virtual machines.

Exercise 4: In addition to the two virtual machines already created, start two virtual machines (pc3 and pc4 that, however, use a different collision domain than that of pc1 and pc2. Use the ping command to check the connectivity between pc1 and pc4. Briefly motivate the result of the connectivity check.