

Experiment 1.2

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

Software Requirement :- Command Prompt (CMD)

Hardware Requirements:- PC/laptop with active Internet connection

Task to be done:

Go to command prompt and type the following commands:

- 1. Ping
- 2. Ipconfig
- 3. Tracert
- 4. Nslookup
- 5. Netstat
- 6. Arp
- 7. Hostname
- 8. Pathping

Commands-

1. Ping Command:

- The ping command is the primary TCP / IP command used to troubleshoot connectivity, reachability, and name resolution between two hosts.
- This command is used to test both the computer name and the IP address of the computer.
- This command takes as input the IP address or the URL and sends a data packet to the specified address with the message "PING" and get a response from the server/host this time is recorded which is called latency.

Output-

```
C:\Users\rs962>ping www.google.com

Pinging www.google.com [142.250.194.100] with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 142.250.194.100: bytes=32 time=55ms TTL=115
Reply from 142.250.194.100: bytes=32 time=15ms TTL=115
Reply from 142.250.194.100: bytes=32 time=15ms TTL=115
Reply from 142.250.194.100: bytes=32 time=15ms TTL=115

Ping statistics for 142.250.194.100:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
    Minimum = 15ms, Maximum = 55ms, Average = 25ms
```

2. Ipconfig Command-

IPCONFIG stands for **Internet Protocol Configuration**. This is a command-line application which displays all the current TCP/IP (Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol) network configuration, refreshes the DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) and DNS (Domain Name Server). It also displays IP address, subnet mask, and default gateway for all adapters.

Output-

3. Tracert Command:

The Traceroute command (tracert) is a utility designed for displaying the time it takes for a packet of information to travel between a local computer and a destination IP address or domain.

Output-

```
C:\Users\rs962>tracert www.flipkart.com
Tracing route to flipkart.com [103.243.32.90]
over a maximum of 30 hops:
                                3 ms gpon.net [192.168.1.1]
                 2 ms 2 ms 100.77.128.1

4 ms 4 ms 172.18.13.29 [172.18.13.29]

5 ms 4 ms 192.168.231.101 [192.168.231.101]

* 5 ms 192.168.234.21 [192.168.234.21]
        2 ms
        15 ms
         5 ms
                    5 ms 5 ms 192.168.200.28 [192.168.200.28]
5 ms 5 ms 121.23.41.103.netplus.co.in [103.41.23.121]
7 ms 6 ms aes-static-125.34.144.59.airtel.in [59.144.34.125]
         6 ms
         6 ms
        29 ms
        5 ms
                    5 ms 5 ms aes-static-125.34.144.59.airtel.in [59.144.34.125]

* Request timed out.
                                       Request timed out.
                   49 ms 49 ms 121.240.1.201
        50 ms
        53 ms
                   51 ms 51 ms 115.110.250.202.static-ahmedabad.tcl.net.in [115.110.250.202]
                                       Request timed out.
                                     Request timed out.
                                       Request timed out.
                              * Request timed out.
16
        49 ms
                   50 ms 50 ms 103.243.32.90
17
Trace complete.
```

4. Nslookup Command:

- Nslookup command stands for "Name Server Lookup". It is a useful command for getting information from the DNS Server.
- It is a network administration tool for querying the Domain Name System (DNS) to obtain domain name or IP address mapping or any other specific DNS record.
- It is also used to troubleshoot DNS-related problems.

Output-

C:\Users\rs962>nslookup flipkart.com Server: gpon.net Address: 192.168.1.1 Non-authoritative answer: Name: flipkart.com Address: 163.53.76.86

5. Netstat Command:

- Netstat command stands for Network Statistics. It is a networking tool used for troubleshooting and configuration.
- Also used as a monitoring tool for connections over the network.
- This command displays various network related information such as network connections, routing tables, interface statistics, masquerade connections, multicast memberships etc.

Output:

6. Arp Command:

- ARP Command stands for Address Resolution Protocol is a TCP/IP utility and Microsoft Windows command for viewing and modifying the local Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) cache, which contains recently resolved MAC addresses of Internet Protocol (IP) hosts on the network.
- **ARP command** manipulates the System's ARP cache. It also allows a complete dump of the ARP cache. ARP stands for Address Resolution Protocol. The primary function of this protocol is to resolve the IP address of a system to its mac address, and hence it works between level 2(Data link layer) and level 3(Network layer). **Command:** arp -a

Output:

```
C:\Users\rs962>arp -a
Interface: 192.168.1.4 --- 0xb
Internet Address Physic
                               Physical Address
b8-dd-71-93-32-f6
                                                                 Type
  192.168.1.1
                                                                 dynamic
  192.168.1.5
                                  20-df-b9-c2-32-39
                                                                 dynamic
                                  76-ab-6f-f5-ce-26
ff-ff-ff-ff-ff
  192.168.1.18
                                                                 dvnamic
  192.168.1.255
                                                                 static
   224.0.0.22
                                  01-00-5e-00-00-16
  224.0.0.250
224.0.0.251
                                 01-00-5e-00-00-fa
01-00-5e-00-00-fb
                                                                  static
                                 01-00-5e-00-00-fc
01-00-5e-7f-ff-fa
   224.0.0.252
  239.255.255.250
255.255.255.255
                                                                 static
                                  ff-ff-ff-ff-ff
```

7. Hostname Command:

hostname command in Linux is used to obtain the DNS(Domain Name System) name and set the system's hostname or NIS(Network Information System) domain name. A hostname is a name which is given to a computer and it attached to the network. Its main purpose is to uniquely identify over a network.

Output:

C:\Users\rs962>hostname Ravvviii



8. Pathping Command:

• The PathPing command is a command-line network utility supplied in Windows 2000 and beyond that combines the functionality of ping with that of tracert. It is used to locate spots that have network latency and network loss.

Output:

```
C:\Users\rs962>pathping
Usage: pathping [-g host-list] [-h maximum_hops] [-i address] [-n]
                [-p period] [-q num_queries] [-w timeout]
               [-4] [-6] target_name
Options:
                    Loose source route along host-list.
   -g host-list
                    Maximum number of hops to search for target.
   -h maximum_hops
   -i address
                    Use the specified source address.
                    Do not resolve addresses to hostnames.
   -n
                    Wait period milliseconds between pings.
   -p period
   -q num_queries
                    Number of queries per hop.
                    Wait timeout milliseconds for each reply.
   -w timeout
   -4
                    Force using IPv4.
                    Force using IPv6.
    -6
```

RESULT: Troubleshooting of networks and devices