## **Solution of the problem:** 172.17.0.0/20

**Step 1:** The number of the subnets according to their requirements:

- (a)  $2^{nd}$  subnet, EEE Department LAN = 210 + 2 = 212
- (b)  $1^{st}$  subnet, CSE Department LAN = 112 + 2 = 114
- (c)  $3^{rd}$  subnet, ETE Department LAN = 64 + 2 = 66
- (d) Point to point link between CSE and ETE = 2 + 2 = 4
- (e) point to point link between CSE and EEE = 2 + 2 = 4
- (f) Point to point link between EEE and ETE = 2+2=4

## **Step 2:**

- (a)  $2^{\text{nd}}$  subnet, **EEE** Department LAN =  $212 = 2^8$
- (b)  $1^{st}$  subnet, **CSE** Department LAN =  $114 = 2^7$
- (c)  $3^{rd}$  subnet, ETE Department LAN =  $66 = 2^7$
- (d) Point to point link between CSE and ETE =  $4 = 2^2$
- (e) point to point link between **CSE** and **EEE** =  $4 = 2^2$
- (f) Point to point link between **EEE** and **ETE** =  $4 = 2^2$

128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1	128	64	32	16	8	4	2	128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1	128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1		
1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Network EEE	172.17.0.0 /24
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1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Broadcast CSE	172.17.1.127/ 25
1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Network ETE	172.17.1.128/ 25
1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1 <sup>st</sup> host ETE	172.17.1.129/ 25
1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	Last host ETE	172.17.1.254/ 25
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1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	Broadcast CSE-EEE	172.17.2.7/30
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1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1 0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	Last host EEE-ETE	172.17.2.10 /30
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Subnet Name	Needed Size	Allocated Size	Network address	Mask	Assignable Range	Broadcast Address
CSE	112	126	172.17.1.0 /25	255.255.255.128	172.17.1.1 - 172.17.1.126	172.17.1.127
EEE	210	254	172.17.0.0 /24	255.255.255.0	172.17.0.1-172.17.0.254	172.17.0.255
ETE	64	126	172.17.1.128/25	255.255.255.128	172.17.1.129 -172.17.1.254	172.17.1.255
CSE-ETE	2	2	172.17.2.0 /30	255.255.255.252	172.17.2.1- 172.17.2.2	172.17.2.3
CSE-EEE	2	2	172.17.2.4 /30	255.255.255.252	172.17.2.5- 172.17.2.6	172.17.2.7
EEE-ETE	2	2	172.17.2.8/30	255.255.255.252	172.17.2.9 - 172.17.2.10	172.17.2.11

