

EX NO:1

IMPLEMENT A NETWORK TOPOLOGY WITH NS2 INVOLVING A SET OF

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NODES(BUS&STAR TOPOLOGY)

Aim:

To implement Bus and Star topologies in Network Simulator 2 (NS2).

Steps to Simulate a Topology in NS2:

1. Define the Network Topology.
2. Simulate a Shared Medium.
3. Simulate Broadcast Communication.

Example of Bus Topology Implementation in NS2 (Hub-Based):

```
1) nano bus_topology.tcl
2) # Create a new NS simulator instance
set ns [new Simulator]

# Open trace files for NAM visualization
set nf [open out.nam w]
$ns namtrace-all $nf

# Define a 'finish' procedure
proc finish {} {
    global ns nf
    $ns flush-trace
    close $nf
    exec nam out.nam &
    exit 0
}

# Create the central hub (acts as a shared bus)
set hub [$ns node]
# Number of nodes in the network
set num_nodes 5
# Create nodes and connect them to the hub
for {set i 0} {$i < $num_nodes} {incr i} {
    set node($i) [$ns node]
    $ns duplex-link $node($i) $hub 1Mb 10ms DropTail
}

# Define a procedure to simulate broadcast communication
proc broadcast {src} {
    global ns num_nodes node
    for {set i 0} {$i < $num_nodes} {incr i} {
        if {$i != $src} {
            $ns at 1.0 "$node($src) send-to $node($i)"
        }
    }
}

# Schedule a broadcast from node(0) at 1s
$ns at 1.0 "broadcast 0"

# Call the finish procedure after 5 seconds
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\$ns at 5.0 "finish"

Run the simulation

\$ns run

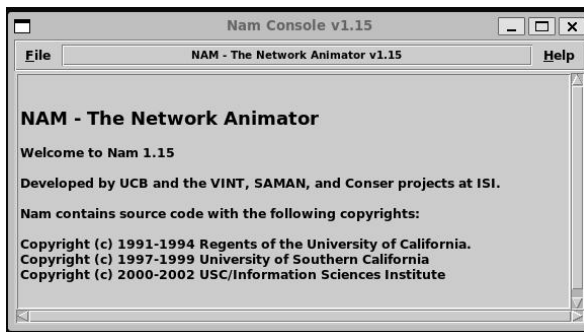
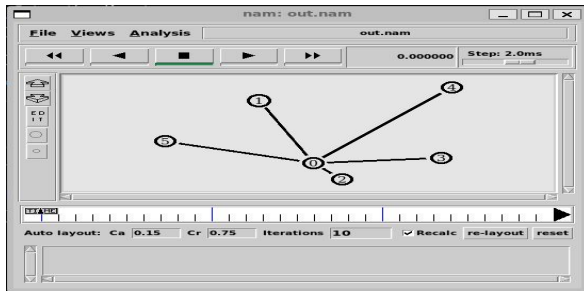
After pasting the code, press CTRL + X to exit.

Press Y to confirm saving the file.

Press ENTER to save with the filename bus_topology.tcl.

3) ns bus_topology.tcl

Output:



Example of Star Topology Implementation in NS2 (Hub-Based):

1) Open Terminal

2) Navigate to your project directory:

```
cd ~/ns2_projects
```

3) Create a new TCL script:

```
nano star_topology.tcl
```

4) Create a new NS-2 simulator instance

```
sh
```

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```
nano star_topology.tcl
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```
set ns [new Simulator]
```

Open a trace file for NAM visualization

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set nf [open out.nam w]
```

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$ns namtrace-all $nf
```

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# Define a 'finish' procedure to close files and start NAM
proc finish {} {
    global ns nf
    $ns flush-trace
    close $nf
    exec nam out.nam &
    exit 0
}

# Create the central hub node
set hub [$ns node]

# Define number of nodes (excluding the hub)
set num_nodes 5

# Create and connect nodes to the hub
for {set i 0} {$i < $num_nodes} {incr i} {
    set node($i) [$ns node]
    $ns duplex-link $node($i) $hub 1Mb 10ms DropTail
}

# Simulate traffic (send packets from node(0) to all other nodes)
proc sendPackets {src} {
    global ns num_nodes node
    for {set i 0} {$i < $num_nodes} {incr i} {
        if {$i != $src} {
            $ns at 1.0 "$node($src) send-to $node($i)"
        }
    }
}

# Schedule packet transmission from node(0) at 1 second
$ns at 1.0 "sendPackets 0"

# Call the finish procedure after 5 seconds
$ns at 5.0 "finish"

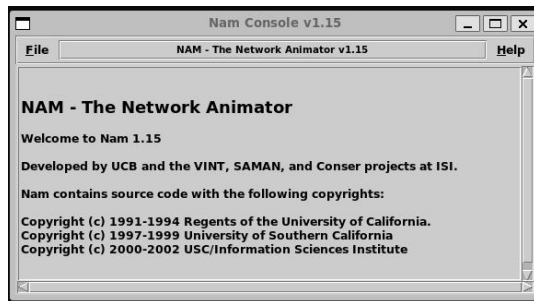
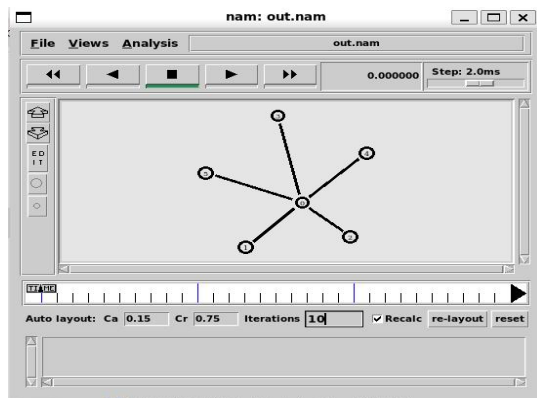
# Run the simulation
$ns run
#After pasting the code, press CTRL + X to exit.
#Press Y to confirm saving the file.
#Press ENTER to save with the filename bus_topology.tcl.
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5) Run the script in NS-2:

```
ns star_topology.tcl
```

6) View the simulation in NAM:

```
nam out.nam
```

Output:**Result:**

Thus, the implementation of Bus and Star Topologies using NS2, involving a set of nodes, has been successfully executed.