# 1. Identify the class of IP address 10.0.0.1.

## Solution:

• IP classes are defined by the first octet:

# Class First Octet Range

- A 1 to 126
- B 128 to 191
- C 192 to 223
- D 224 to 239 (Multicast)
- E 240 to 254 (Experimental)
  - First octet of 10.0.0.1 is 10, which lies between  $1-126 \rightarrow Class A$

## Answer: Class A

# 2. What is the default subnet mask of Class C?

## Solution:

- Class C default subnet mask is always 255.255.255.0
- This means first 3 octets (24 bits) are network bits, last octet (8 bits) are host bits.

Answer: 255.255.255.0

# 3. Calculate the network address of 192.168.1.45/24.

#### Solution:

- IP: 192.168.1.45
- Prefix  $/24 \rightarrow$  subnet mask = 255.255.255.0
- Network address is calculated by bitwise AND between IP and subnet mask:

## IP Octets 192 168 1 45

 Mask Octets
 255 255 255 0

 Network Addr.
 192 168 1
 0

• So, Network Address: **192.168.1.0** 

## 4. Find the broadcast address for 172.16.10.0/20.

## Solution:

- IP: 172.16.10.0
- Prefix:  $/20 \rightarrow$  subnet mask = 255.255.240.0
- /20 means 20 bits network, 12 bits host.
- Calculate block size for the third octet:
  - Third octet mask: 240 (binary 11110000)
  - Block size = 256 240 = 16
- Network address third octet is 16 (from 172.16.10.0, third octet is 10 but masked to network range)
- Find the network block:
  - Blocks of size 16: 0, 16, 32, ...
  - $\circ$  10 lies between 0 and 15, so network third octet is **0**
- Network address is 172.16.0.0
- Broadcast address is:
  - Third octet: network + block size -1 = 0 + 16 1 = 15
  - $\circ$  Fourth octet: 255
- So broadcast address: **172.16.15.255**

Answer: 172.16.15.255

# 5. How many hosts are possible in a /26 network?

#### Solution:

- /26 means 26 bits network, 6 bits host.
- Number of hosts = 2^(number\_of\_host\_bits) 2
- Here, hosts =  $2^{6} 2 = 64 2 = 62$

Answer: 62 hosts

# 6. Convert IP address 192.168.5.10 to binary.

## Solution:

Convert each octet to 8-bit binary:

Octet	Decimal	Binary
1	192	11000000
2	168	10101000
3	5	00000101
4	10	00001010

Answer: 11000000.10101000.00000101.00001010

## 7. What is the first usable IP address in the subnet 10.10.0.0/16?

#### Solution:

- Network address: 10.10.0.0
- Subnet mask: 255.255.0.0 (/16)
- First usable IP = Network address + 1
- So first usable IP: 10.10.0.1

Answer: 10.10.0.1

# 8. Calculate the number of subnets created when borrowing 4 bits in Class B.

#### Solution:

- Default Class B subnet mask: /16
- Borrow 4 bits  $\rightarrow$  new prefix: /16 + 4 = /20
- Number of subnets =  $2^{(number_of_borrowed_bits)} = 2^{4} = 16$

#### Answer: 16 subnets

# 9. Find the last usable IP address in subnet 192.168.1.0/27.

## Solution:

- $/27 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.255.224
- Number of hosts =  $2^{(32-27)} 2 = 2^{5} 2 = 30$  hosts
- Block size = 256 224 = 32 (in the fourth octet)
- Subnet ranges (fourth octet):
   0-31, 32-63, 64-95, ...
- Network: 192.168.1.0 192.168.1.31
- Usable IPs: 192.168.1.1 to 192.168.1.30
- Last usable IP = 192.168.1.30

Answer: 192.168.1.30

# 10. What is the CIDR prefix for subnet mask 255.255.255.192?

## Solution:

- Convert subnet mask to binary:
  - 255 = 11111111 (8 bits)
  - $\circ$  192 = 11000000 (2 bits set)
- Count total 1 bits:
  - $\circ$  8 + 8 + 8 + 2 = 26 bits
- So CIDR prefix is /26

## Answer: /26

# 11. Calculate subnet mask for 500 hosts.

- Number of hosts needed = 500
- Formula for hosts:  $2^h 2 \ge number_of_hosts$
- Find smallest h such that  $2^h 2 \ge 5\overline{00}$
- Try h=9:  $2^9 2 = 512 2 = 510 \ge 500 \checkmark$
- So host bits = 9
- Total bits in IPv4 = 32
- Network bits = 32 9 = 23
- Subnet mask = /23
- Convert /23 to dotted decimal:
  - 8 bits:  $255.255.255.0 \rightarrow /24$
  - For /23, 23 bits network = 255.255.254.0

## 12. What is the host range of 172.31.0.0/16?

#### Solution:

- Network address: 172.31.0.0
- Prefix:  $/16 \rightarrow$  subnet mask: 255.255.0.0
- Host bits = 32 16 = 16 bits
- Number of hosts:  $2^{16} 2 = 65534$  hosts
- First usable IP = Network + 1 = 172.31.0.1
- Last usable IP = Broadcast 1
- Broadcast address: 172.31.255.255
- Last usable IP = 172.31.255.254

#### Answer:

Range: 172.31.0.1 to 172.31.255.254

# 13. How many subnets are there in Class C by default?

#### Solution:

- Default subnet mask for Class C: 255.255.255.0 (/24)
- Default means no bits borrowed  $\rightarrow$  only one subnet.
- Number of subnets = 1

Answer: 1 subnet

## 14. Convert subnet mask 255.255.254.0 to CIDR.

- Convert each octet to binary:
  - $\circ$  255  $\rightarrow$  11111111 (8 bits)
  - $\circ$  255  $\rightarrow$  11111111 (8 bits)
  - $\circ$  254  $\rightarrow$  11111110 (7 bits)
  - $\circ \quad 0 \rightarrow 0000000 \text{ (0 bits)}$
- Total network bits = 8 + 8 + 7 + 0 = 23
- CIDR notation: /23

## 15. Find network address of 192.168.100.25 with subnet mask 255.255.255.240.

#### Solution:

- IP: 192.168.100.25
- Mask: 255.255.255.240 (/28)
- Block size = 256 240 = 16 (in fourth octet)
- Identify the subnet block for fourth octet (25):
  - Blocks: 0-15, 16-31, 32-47, ...
  - 25 is in block 16-31
- Network address: 192.168.100.16

Answer: 192.168.100.16

# 16. Calculate broadcast address for IP 10.0.4.5/22.

#### Solution:

- Prefix  $/22 \rightarrow$  subnet mask: 255.255.252.0
- Block size in third octet: 256 252 = 4
- Third octet of IP = 4
- Identify block:
  - Blocks: 0-3, 4-7, 8-11, ...
  - $\circ$  4 is in 4-7 block
- Network address: 10.0.4.0
- Broadcast address third octet = 7
- Broadcast address fourth octet = 255
- Broadcast address = 10.0.7.255

**Answer:** 10.0.7.255

# 17. How many hosts are available in a /30 subnet?

## Solution:

- /30 means 30 bits network, 2 bits host
- Number of hosts =  $2^2 2 = 4 2 = 2$  hosts

Answer: 2 hosts

# 18. Find network address of 172.16.5.6 with mask 255.255.255.0.

Solution:

- Mask: 255.255.255.0 (/24)
- Network address is IP AND mask

 IP Octets
 172
 16
 5
 6

 Mask Octets
 255
 255
 255
 0

 Network Addr.
 172
 16
 5
 0

• Network address: 172.16.5.0

Answer: 172.16.5.0

# 19. How many bits are borrowed for subnet mask 255.255.248.0?

#### Solution:

- Default Class B mask: 255.255.0.0 (/16)
- Given mask: 255.255.248.0
- Convert third octet (248) to binary: 11111000
- Count number of 1 bits in third octet: 5
- Borrowed bits = 5 (since default was 0 bits in third octet)
- So, borrowed bits = 5

Answer: 5 bits borrowed

# 20. Calculate the subnet mask for 64 subnets in Class A.

## Solution:

- Default Class A mask: /8
- Number of subnets =  $2^n = 64 \rightarrow n = 6$  bits
- Add borrowed bits: 8 + 6 = 14 bits network
- Subnet mask = /14
- Convert /14 to decimal:
  - 8 bits: 255
  - $\circ$  6 bits in second octet = binary 11111100  $\rightarrow$  decimal 252
  - So mask: 255.252.0.0

Answer: 255.252.0.0 (/14)

# 21. Find the number of hosts in a subnet with mask 255.255.255.224.

## Solution:

- Mask: 255.255.255.224
- Convert last octet to binary:  $224 \rightarrow 11100000$
- Number of host bits = number of 0s in mask = 3 bits
- Number of hosts =  $2^{3} 2 = 8 2 = 6$  hosts

Answer: 6 hosts

# 22. What is the subnet mask for a /21 prefix?

- /21 means 21 bits network, 11 bits host
- Mask in decimal:
  - First octet: 255 (8 bits)
  - Second octet: 255 (8 bits)
  - Third octet: 11100000 (5 bits set)  $\rightarrow$  224
  - $\circ$  Fourth octet: 0
- Subnet mask: 255.255.224.0

## 23. Calculate the broadcast address for IP 192.168.2.130/25.

#### Solution:

- $/25 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.255.128
- Block size in last octet: 256 128 = 128
- IP fourth octet: 130
- Block ranges: 0-127, 128-255
- 130 falls in block 128-255
- Network address: 192.168.2.128
- Broadcast address: 192.168.2.255

Answer: 192.168.2.255

## 24. Find the first usable IP in subnet 10.10.32.0/19.

## Solution:

- /19 subnet mask: 255.255.224.0
- Network address: 10.10.32.0
- First usable IP = network address  $+ 1 \rightarrow 10.10.32.1$

Answer: 10.10.32.1

## 25. How many subnets can be created with 3 borrowed bits?

## Solution:

• Number of subnets =  $2^{(borrowed bits)} = 2^3 = 8$ 

Answer: 8 subnets

# 26. Calculate the network address of 172.20.10.100 with subnet mask 255.255.252.0.

## Solution:

- Subnet mask: 255.255.252.0
- Block size in third octet: 256 252 = 4
- Third octet in IP: 10
- Find network block: blocks of  $4 \rightarrow 0-3, 4-7, 8-11$
- 10 is in 8-11 block
- Network address: 172.20.8.0

Answer: 172.20.8.0

# 27. What is the CIDR notation for subnet mask 255.255.255.128?

## Solution:

- Convert to binary:
  - $\circ$  255 = 8 bits
  - $\circ$  255 = 8 bits
  - $\circ$  255 = 8 bits
  - $128 = 10000000 \rightarrow 1$  bit
- Total bits set: 8 + 8 + 8 + 1 = 25

Answer: /25

# 28. Calculate number of hosts in 192.168.10.0/28 subnet.

## Solution:

- $/28 \rightarrow 28$  bits network, 4 bits host
- Number of hosts =  $2^{4} 2 = 16 2 = 14$  hosts

#### Answer: 14 hosts

# 29. Find broadcast address for IP 172.16.33.10/27.

## Solution:

- $/27 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.255.224
- Block size = 256 224 = 32 (in fourth octet)
- IP fourth octet: 10
- Blocks: 0-31, 32-63, ...
- 10 is in 0-31 block
- Broadcast address: network address + block size -1 = 172.16.33.31

Answer: 172.16.33.31

## 30. How many hosts per subnet in 10.0.0/12 network?

## Solution:

- /12 means 12 bits network, 20 bits host
- Hosts =  $2^20 2 = 1,048,576 2 = 1,048,574$  hosts

**Answer:** 1,048,574 hosts

# 31. Find the network address of 192.168.50.75/26.

#### Solution:

- $/26 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.255.192
- Block size in fourth octet: 256 192 = 64
- Fourth octet of IP = 75
- Blocks: 0-63, 64-127, 128-191, ...
- 75 is in 64-127 block
- Network address: 192.168.50.64

**Answer:** 192.168.50.64

# 32. What is the first usable IP address in 172.16.20.0/22?

## Solution:

- $/22 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.252.0
- Network address: 172.16.20.0
- First usable IP = network  $+ 1 \rightarrow 172.16.20.1$

Answer: 172.16.20.1

# 33. How many subnets are created by borrowing 5 bits in Class C?

#### Solution:

- Default mask Class C: /24
- Borrow 5 bits  $\rightarrow$  new prefix: /24 + 5 = /29
- Number of subnets =  $2^5 = 32$

Answer: 32 subnets

# 34. Calculate the broadcast address of 192.168.1.0/26.

#### Solution:

- $/26 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.255.192
- Block size in last octet: 256 192 = 64
- Network address fourth octet: 0
- Broadcast address: network + block size -1 = 0 + 64 1 = 63
- Broadcast: 192.168.1.63

**Answer:** 192.168.1.63

# 35. What is the subnet mask for a /17 prefix?

#### Solution:

- $/17 \rightarrow 17$  bits network, 15 bits host
- Mask:
  - $\circ$  8 bits  $\rightarrow$  255
  - $\circ$  8 bits  $\rightarrow$  255
  - $\circ \quad 1 \text{ bit} \rightarrow 128$
  - $\circ \quad 0 \text{ bits} \to 0$
- So, 255.255.128.0

Answer: 255.255.128.0

# 36. How many hosts can a /29 subnet support?

## Solution:

- $/29 \rightarrow 29$  bits network, 3 bits host
- Hosts =  $2^3 2 = 8 2 = 6$

Answer: 6 hosts

# **37.** Convert IP 10.0.5.15 to binary.

## Solution:

## **Octet Decimal Binary**

10	10	00001010
0	0	00000000
5	5	00000101
15	15	00001111

Answer: 00001010.00000000.00000101.00001111

# 38. What is the number of hosts in 172.16.0.0/19?

## Solution:

- $/19 \rightarrow 19$  bits network, 13 bits host
- Hosts =  $2^{13} 2 = 8192 2 = 8190$

Answer: 8190 hosts

## **39.** Find the first usable IP in 192.168.100.128/25.

## Solution:

- $/25 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.255.128
- Network address: 192.168.100.128
- First usable IP: network  $+ 1 \rightarrow 192.168.100.129$

Answer: 192.168.100.129

# 40. Calculate the number of subnets created with a /20 mask in Class B.

## Solution:

- Default Class B mask: /16
- Borrowed bits: 20 16 = 4 bits
- Number of subnets =  $2^{4} = 16$

Answer: 16 subnets

# 41. Find the broadcast address for IP 10.1.15.100/20.

- $/20 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.240.0
- Block size in third octet = 256 240 = 16
- Third octet in IP: 15
- Blocks: 0-15, 16-31, ...
- 15 is in 0-15 block
- Network address: 10.1.0.0
- Broadcast address third octet = 15

• Broadcast address = 10.1.15.255

Answer: 10.1.15.255

## 42. How many usable IPs in a /30 subnet?

#### Solution:

- $/30 \rightarrow 2$  bits for host
- Usable hosts =  $2^2 2 = 2$  hosts

Answer: 2 hosts

# 43. What is the network address of 192.168.200.100 with mask 255.255.255.192?

## Solution:

- Mask: 255.255.255.192 (/26)
- Block size in last octet: 256 192 = 64
- Last octet in IP: 100
- Blocks: 0-63, 64-127
- 100 is in 64-127 block
- Network address: 192.168.200.64

Answer: 192.168.200.64

# 44. Calculate the subnet mask for 2000 hosts.

## Solution:

- Hosts needed: 2000
- Formula:  $2^h 2 \ge 2000$
- Try h=11: 2^11 2 = 2046 ≥ 2000 ✓
- Network bits: 32 11 = 21
- Subnet mask: /21
- Convert to decimal:
  - o 255.255.248.0

**Answer:** 255.255.248.0 (/21)

## 45. Find first usable IP in 192.168.1.128/25.

Solution:

- $/25 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.128$
- Network address: 192.168.1.128
- First usable IP: 192.168.1.129

Answer: 192.168.1.129

# 46. How many subnets are possible with subnet mask 255.255.255.224 in Class C?

#### Solution:

- Default Class C mask: 255.255.255.0 (/24)
- New mask: 255.255.255.224 (/27)
- Borrowed bits = 27 24 = 3
- Number of subnets  $= 2^3 = 8$

#### Answer: 8 subnets

# 47. Calculate broadcast address of 172.16.100.10/23.

#### Solution:

- $/23 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.254.0$
- Block size in third octet: 256 254 = 2
- Third octet in IP: 100
- Blocks: 100-101, 102-103, etc.
- 100 is in 100-101 block
- Network address: 172.16.100.0
- Broadcast address third octet = 101
- Broadcast address: 172.16.101.255

**Answer:** 172.16.101.255

# 48. Convert subnet mask 255.255.255.252 to CIDR.

## Solution:

- 255.255.255.252
- Last octet in binary:  $252 = 11111100 \rightarrow 6$  bits set
- Total bits set = 8 + 8 + 8 + 6 = 30

Answer: /30

# 49. How many hosts are there in 192.168.10.0/26?

#### Solution:

- $/26 \rightarrow 6$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^{6} 2 = 64 2 = 62$  hosts

## Answer: 62 hosts

# 50. Find network address for IP 10.0.3.128/22.

## Solution:

- $/22 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.252.0$
- Block size in third octet: 256 252 = 4
- Third octet: 3
- Blocks: 0-3, 4-7, ...
- 3 is in 0-3 block
- Network address: 10.0.0.0

**Answer:** 10.0.0.0

## 51. Calculate the broadcast address for 192.168.5.10/28.

#### Solution:

- $/28 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.250.240
- Block size in last octet: 256 240 = 16
- Last octet in IP: 10
- Blocks: 0-15, 16-31, ...
- 10 is in 0-15 block
- Network address: 192.168.5.0
- Broadcast address: network + block size 1 = 0 + 16 1 = 15
- Broadcast: 192.168.5.15

Answer: 192.168.5.15

# 52. How many hosts can be assigned in a /24 subnet?

#### Solution:

- $/24 \rightarrow 8$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^8 2 = 256 2 = 254$

Answer: 254 hosts

# 53. Find the first usable IP in subnet 10.0.128.0/17.

#### Solution:

- $/17 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.128.0
- Network address: 10.0.128.0
- First usable IP: 10.0.128.1

**Answer:** 10.0.128.1

# 54. How many subnets can be created by borrowing 4 bits in Class B?

## Solution:

- Default Class B: /16
- Borrowed bits = 4
- Number of subnets =  $2^{4} = 16$

Answer: 16 subnets

# 55. What is the subnet mask for /19 prefix?

## Solution:

•  $/19 \rightarrow 255.255.224.0$ 

Answer: 255.255.224.0

# 56. Calculate the network address for IP 172.16.72.130/21.

## Solution:

- $/21 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.248.0$
- Block size in third octet: 256 248 = 8
- Third octet in IP: 72
- Blocks: 64-71, 72-79, ...
- 72 is in 72-79 block
- Network address: 172.16.72.0

Answer: 172.16.72.0

# 57. Calculate the broadcast address of 192.168.0.0/22.

- $/22 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.252.0$
- Block size in third octet: 256 252 = 4
- Network address third octet: 0
- Broadcast address third octet: 0 + 4 1 = 3
- Broadcast address: 192.168.3.255

## 58. How many hosts are available in a /30 subnet?

#### Solution:

- $/30 \rightarrow 2$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^2 2 = 2$

Answer: 2 hosts

# 59. What is the prefix length for subnet mask 255.255.258.248?

#### Solution:

- Last octet: 248 = 11111000 (5 bits)
- Total bits: 8 + 8 + 8 + 5 = 29

Answer: /29

# 60. Calculate number of hosts in 172.16.0.0/18.

#### Solution:

- $/18 \rightarrow 14$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^{14} 2 = 16384 2 = 16382$

Answer: 16,382 hosts

# 61. Find the network address of 192.168.25.130/27.

## Solution:

- $/27 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.224$
- Block size in last octet: 256 224 = 32
- Last octet in IP: 130
- Blocks: 128-159, 160-191, ...
- 130 is in 128-159 block
- Network address: 192.168.25.128

**Answer:** 192.168.25.128

# 62. Calculate broadcast address of 10.10.5.25/30.

## Solution:

- $/30 \rightarrow \text{mask} \ 255.255.255.252$
- Block size in last octet: 256 252 = 4
- Last octet in IP: 25
- Blocks: 24-27, 28-31, ...
- 25 is in 24-27 block
- Network address: 10.10.5.24
- Broadcast address: 10.10.5.27

Answer: 10.10.5.27

# 63. How many hosts are available in a /23 subnet?

## Solution:

- $/23 \rightarrow 9$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^9 2 = 512 2 = 510$

## Answer: 510 hosts

# 64. What is the first usable IP in 172.16.5.64/26?

## Solution:

- $/26 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.192$
- Network address: 172.16.5.64
- First usable IP: 172.16.5.65

Answer: 172.16.5.65

# 65. Calculate subnet mask for prefix length /22.

## Solution:

•  $/22 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.252.0$ 

Answer: 255.255.252.0

## 66. Find network address of 192.168.100.200/24.

#### Solution:

- $/24 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.0$
- Network address: 192.168.100.0

Answer: 192.168.100.0

# 67. Calculate number of subnets by borrowing 6 bits in Class C.

## Solution:

- Default mask Class C: /24
- Borrow 6 bits  $\rightarrow$  new prefix: /30
- Number of subnets =  $2^{6} = 64$

#### Answer: 64 subnets

## 68. Calculate broadcast address for 10.0.7.9/21.

## Solution:

- $/21 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.248.0$
- Block size in third octet: 256 248 = 8
- Third octet in IP: 7
- Blocks: 0-7, 8-15, ...
- 7 in 0-7 block
- Network address: 10.0.0.0
- Broadcast address third octet: 7
- Broadcast address: 10.0.7.255

**Answer:** 10.0.7.255

# 69. How many hosts in a subnet with mask 255.255.255.240?

#### Solution:

- $255.255.255.240 \rightarrow /28$
- Host bits = 4
- Hosts =  $2^{4} 2 = 14$  hosts

Answer: 14 hosts

# 70. Find the first usable IP in subnet 192.168.45.0/26.

#### Solution:

- $/26 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.192$
- Network address: 192.168.45.0
- First usable IP: 192.168.45.1

Answer: 192.168.45.1

# 71. Calculate the network address of 172.31.50.75/20.

## Solution:

- $/20 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.240.0
- Block size in third octet = 256 240 = 16
- Third octet in IP: 50
- Blocks: 48-63, 32-47, etc.
- 50 falls in 48-63 block
- Network address: 172.31.48.0

Answer: 172.31.48.0

# 72. How many usable hosts are there in 192.168.1.0/26?

## Solution:

- $/26 \rightarrow 6$  bits host
- Usable hosts =  $2^{6} 2 = 64 2 = 62$

Answer: 62 hosts

# 73. Find the broadcast address of 10.0.8.5/21.

#### Solution:

- $/21 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.248.0
- Block size in third octet: 256 248 = 8
- Third octet in IP: 8
- Blocks: 8-15, 0-7, etc.
- 8 is in 8-15 block
- Network address: 10.0.8.0
- Broadcast address: 10.0.15.255

Answer: 10.0.15.255

# 74. What is the subnet mask for prefix /26?

#### Solution:

• /26 → 255.255.255.192

Answer: 255.255.255.192

## 75. How many subnets can be created borrowing 2 bits in Class B?

#### Solution:

- Default Class B mask: /16
- Borrow 2 bits  $\rightarrow$  new prefix: /18
- Number of subnets =  $2^2 = 4$

Answer: 4 subnets

## 76. Find first usable IP address in 192.168.100.64/26.

## Solution:

- $/26 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.192$
- Network address: 192.168.100.64
- First usable IP: 192.168.100.65

Answer: 192.168.100.65

# 77. Calculate number of hosts in 10.10.0.0/20 subnet.

#### Solution:

- $/20 \rightarrow 12$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^{12} 2 = 4096 2 = 4094$

#### Answer: 4094 hosts

# 78. Calculate broadcast address of 172.16.40.100/22.

## Solution:

- $/22 \rightarrow$  subnet mask 255.255.252.0
- Block size in third octet = 256 252 = 4
- Third octet in IP: 40
- Blocks: 40-43, 44-47, etc.
- 40 is in 40-43 block
- Network address: 172.16.40.0
- Broadcast address: 172.16.43.255

Answer: 172.16.43.255

# 79. What is the CIDR notation for 255.255.254.0?

## Solution:

- 255.255.254.0
- 254 in binary: 11111110 (7 bits set)
- Total bits: 8 + 8 + 7 + 0 = 23

Answer: /23

# 80. How many hosts are available in /30 subnet?

## Solution:

- $/30 \rightarrow 2$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^2 2 = 2$

Answer: 2 hosts

# 81. Calculate network address of 192.168.10.130/25.

## Solution:

- $/25 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.128$
- Block size in last octet = 256 128 = 128
- Last octet in IP: 130
- Blocks: 0-127, 128-255
- 130 is in 128-255 block
- Network address: 192.168.10.128

Answer: 192.168.10.128

# 82. Find the broadcast address for 172.16.0.0/19.

## Solution:

- $/19 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.224.0$
- Block size in third octet: 256 224 = 32
- Network address third octet: 0
- Broadcast third octet = 0 + 32 1 = 31
- Broadcast address: 172.16.31.255

Answer: 172.16.31.255

# 83. How many subnets can you create by borrowing 3 bits from Class C?

#### Solution:

- Default Class C mask: /24
- Borrow 3 bits  $\rightarrow$  new prefix /27
- Number of subnets =  $2^3 = 8$

Answer: 8 subnets

## 84. Calculate usable hosts in 10.10.10.0/29 subnet.

## Solution:

•  $/29 \rightarrow 3$  bits host

• Usable hosts =  $2^{3} - 2 = 6$ 

Answer: 6 hosts

# 85. What is the subnet mask for prefix /21?

#### Solution:

•  $/21 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.248.0$ 

Answer: 255.255.248.0

# 86. Find first usable IP in 192.168.50.64/26.

#### Solution:

- $/26 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.192$
- Network address: 192.168.50.64
- First usable IP: 192.168.50.65

**Answer:** 192.168.50.65

# 87. Calculate broadcast address of 10.0.4.5/22.

## Solution:

- $/22 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.252.0$
- Block size in third octet: 256 252 = 4
- Third octet in IP: 4
- Blocks: 4-7, 0-3, etc.
- 4 in 4-7 block
- Network address: 10.0.4.0
- Broadcast address: 10.0.7.255

Answer: 10.0.7.255

## 88. How many hosts are available in /24 subnet?

## Solution:

- $/24 \rightarrow 8$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^8 2 = 254$

Answer: 254 hosts

## 89. What is the CIDR notation for subnet mask 255.255.255.252?

#### Solution:

- 252 in binary:  $11111100 \rightarrow 6$  bits set
- Total bits = 8 + 8 + 8 + 6 = 30

**Answer:** /30

## 90. Find network address of 172.31.16.35/20.

#### Solution:

- $/20 \rightarrow \text{mask } 255.255.240.0$
- Block size in third octet: 256 240 = 16
- Third octet in IP: 16
- Blocks: 16-31, 0-15, etc.
- 16 is in 16-31 block
- Network address: 172.31.16.0

Answer: 172.31.16.0

# 91. Calculate broadcast address for 192.168.1.64/26.

- $/26 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.192$
- Block size in last octet = 256 192 = 64
- Network address last octet: 64
- Broadcast address last octet = 64 + 64 1 = 127
- Broadcast address: 192.168.1.127

## 92. How many hosts are in subnet 10.1.1.0/23?

#### Solution:

- $/23 \rightarrow 9$  bits for hosts
- Hosts =  $2^9 2 = 512 2 = 510$

Answer: 510 hosts

## 93. Find first usable IP in 172.16.10.0/24.

#### Solution:

- $/24 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.0$
- Network address: 172.16.10.0
- First usable IP: 172.16.10.1

Answer: 172.16.10.1

# 94. Calculate subnet mask for prefix length /18.

#### Solution:

•  $/18 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.192.0$ 

**Answer:** 255.255.192.0

## 95. Find network address of IP 192.168.200.123/25.

- $/25 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.255.128$
- Block size in last octet: 256 128 = 128
- Last octet in IP: 123
- Blocks: 0-127, 128-255
- 123 is in 0-127 block

• Network address: 192.168.200.0

**Answer:** 192.168.200.0

# 96. Calculate number of subnets by borrowing 5 bits in Class C.

#### Solution:

- Default Class C mask: /24
- Borrow 5 bits  $\rightarrow$  new prefix: /29
- Number of subnets =  $2^5 = 32$

Answer: 32 subnets

# 97. How many usable hosts are in /29 subnet?

## Solution:

- $/29 \rightarrow 3$  bits host
- Usable hosts =  $2^{3} 2 = 6$

#### Answer: 6 hosts

# 98. Find broadcast address of 172.16.40.5/21.

#### Solution:

- $/21 \rightarrow mask \ 255.255.248.0$
- Block size in third octet = 256 248 = 8
- Third octet in IP: 40
- Blocks: 40-47, 32-39, etc.
- 40 in 40-47 block
- Network address: 172.16.40.0
- Broadcast address: 172.16.47.255

**Answer:** 172.16.47.255

# 99. What is the CIDR prefix for subnet mask 255.255.255.224?

## Solution:

- 224 in binary:  $11100000 \rightarrow 3$  bits set
- Total bits: 8 + 8 + 8 + 3 = 27

Answer: /27

# 100. Calculate number of hosts in subnet 10.0.0/16.

Solution:

- $/16 \rightarrow 16$  bits host
- Hosts =  $2^{16} 2 = 65534$

Answer: 65,534 hosts