

# ALLOCATION OF BANDWIDTH IN DHCP REVIEW

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## Introduction

Network management is a broad range of functions including activities, methods, procedures and the use of tools to administrate, operate, and reliably maintain computer network systems. Strictly speaking, network Management does not include terminal equipment (PCs, workstations, printers, etc.). Rather, it concerns the reliability, efficiency and capacity/capabilities of data transfer channels. Now we take a look about Bandwidth management in various Routers to pc's ports in network management [4] and to solve the way in which they can go to solve the technological allegation to a non Wi-Fi Router about their functional limitations in DHCP Protocol. In computer network where IP are assign in a Static (IPV4) way the Bandwidth management can be done in a good way but IP conflict arise when two pc have the same IP. But to avoid IP conflict when the network is in DHCP protocol where IP is assigned to hosts in a random way, Bandwidth for a specific IP cannot be done properly.

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## 1. Bandwidth Management:

The maximum rate of data transfer across a given path is called Bandwidth. Bandwidth may be characterized as network bandwidth, data bandwidth. In a digital communication system The term bandwidth sometimes defines the net bit rate 'peak bit rate', 'information rate,' or physical layer 'useful bit rate'), channel capacity, or the maximum throughput of a logical or physical communication path. Measurement the maximum throughput of a computer network is called Bandwidth test [5].The term Bandwidth is often incorrectly used to describe the amount of data within a prescribed period of time transferred to or from the website or server. Bandwidth consumption accumulated over a month measured in gigabytes per month [6],[7].For this meaning the more accurate phrase used of a maximum amount of data transfer each month or given period is monthly data transfer [8],[9]. Bandwidth management is done in present days only for IP to IP or for a block of IPs where bandwidth is divided by the same limit to all IPs [Figure 1].

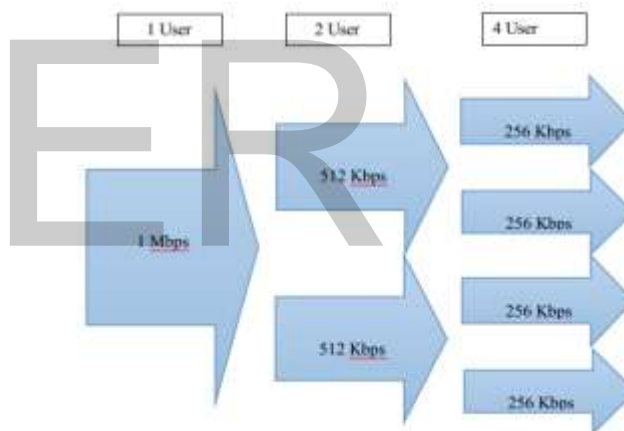


Figure 1

In [Figure 1] Bandwidth is distributed equally to all IPs or hosts.

## 2. Non Wi-Fi Router Bandwidth management:

Through the internet data sent, such as a web page or email, is in the form of data packets. Two or more data lines from different networks is connected by a router [10]. When a data packet comes in on one of the lines, in the router reads the network address information in the packet to determine the ultimate destination of packet. Then using the information it directs the packet to the next network on its journey by using its routing table or routing policy, [11],[12][Figure 2].

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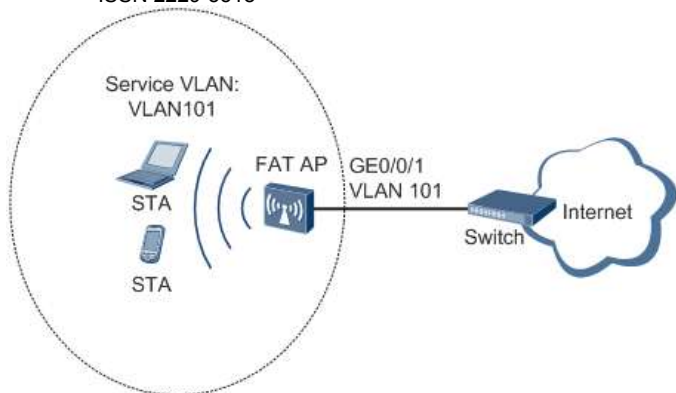


Figure 2

In [Figure 2] Router distributes bandwidth to all IPs equally by Wi-Fi router.

A Non Wi-Fi Router may have interfaces for different types of physical layer connections, such as copper cables, fiber optic, or wireless transmission. It can support different network layer transmission standards also. Each network interface is used to able data packets to be forwarded from one transmission system to another [13]. To connect two or more logical groups of computer devices known as subnets, routers may also be used for this, each with a different network prefix. Non Wi-Fi Router may provide connectivity within enterprises, between enterprises and the Internet, or between internet service providers' (ISPs) networks [14],[15]. All Routers are functions on Bandwidth Management with only on Static IP.

### 3. Bandwidth Management in Routers and Static IPs:

Router plays only with IP address. Switch plays with Mac address. When a Bandwidth is troughed over a Router, it can be able to limit Bandwidth only on one IP address or a block of IP addresses separately which is connected to the Workstations via Hub or Switch [Figure 3].

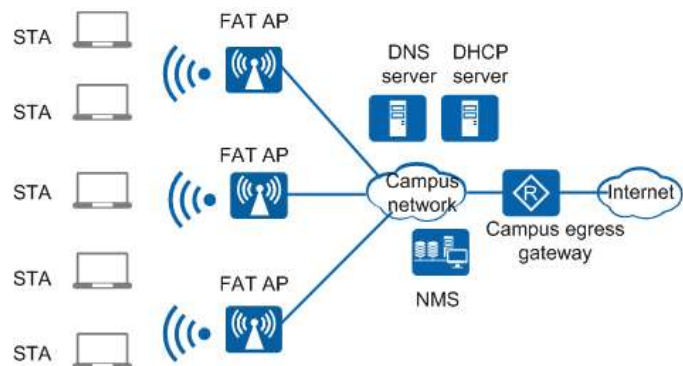


Figure 3

In [Figure 3] 3 IP use bandwidth with different level as per their use but assigned bandwidth is equal.

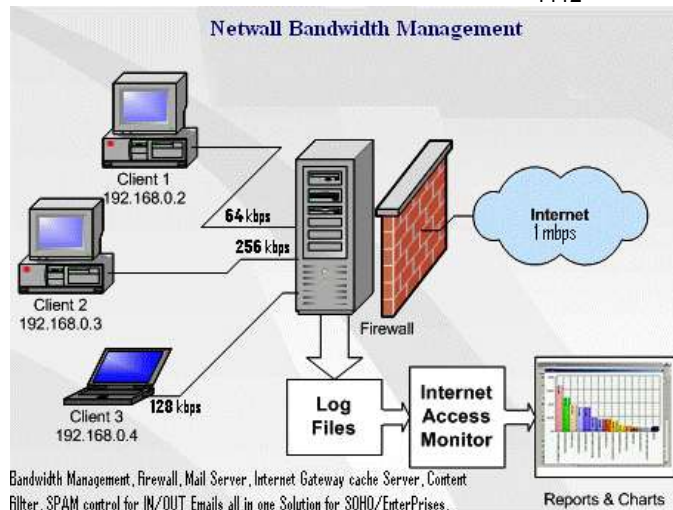


Figure 4

In [Figure 4] 3 IPs use Bandwidth with different quantity where they can able to take the maximum 100%.

Non Wi-Fi Mikrotik Router works on IP & also in some cases on MAC Address [15], Non Wi-Fi Cisco Router limits Bandwidth IP to IP separately & often on a block of IP addresses jointly [16], Non Wi-Fi Juniper also same & able to through Bandwidth on a block of IP addresses from a Router port (multicast) to Switch [17], Non Wi-Fi Palo Alto same as Juniper [18],[19]. Non Wi-Fi Fortinet same as Palo Alto. All are for **STATIC** IP addresses [20]. Here we find two designs, Bandwidth management for IP to IP [Figure 5], and for block of same class IP addresses [Figure 6].

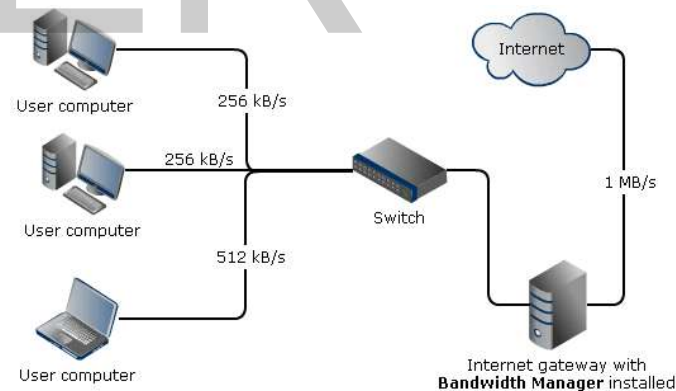


Figure 5

In [Figure 5] Bandwidth management for IP to IP.

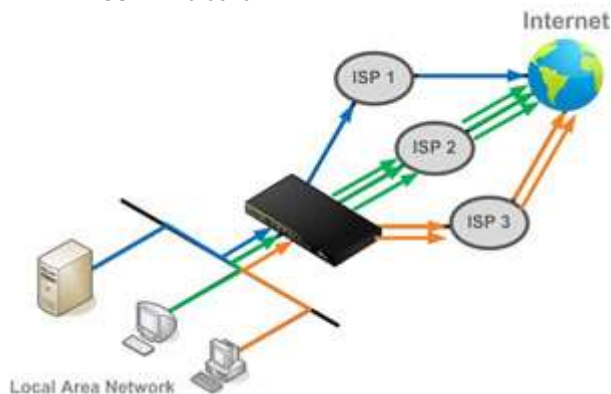


Figure 6

In [Figure 6] Bandwidth management for a block of same IPs equally

#### 4. Limitation in DHCP protocol

Client/Server protocol is Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) that automatically provides an Internet Protocol (IP) to host with its IP address [21]. This means that a new computer can be added to a network without the hassle of manually assigning it a unique IP address or the existing network has IP automatically when it powered on. Many ISP use dynamic IP addressing for Internet subscribers [22],[23]. Bandwidth management Problem arises when IP distributions are on DHCP protocol where IP changes randomly when workstations start every time & allocated bandwidth which are separately assigned for each IP, changes in a unmanageable way.

#### 5. Solve

Bandwidth management For DHCP Protocol need (proposed) to be used two Routers one after another for [Figure 4] (assumed to be DHCP) to turn [Figure 3] (assumed to be STATIC) [Figure 7].

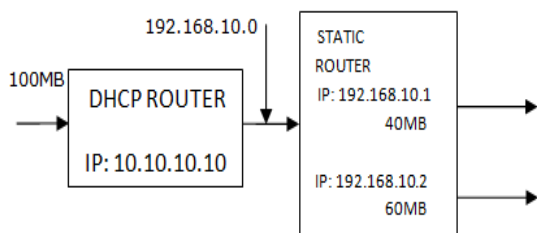
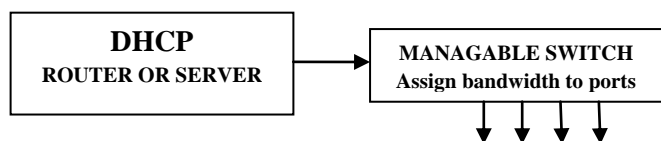


Figure 7

In [Figure 7] 1<sup>st</sup> DHCP Protocol Router or server takes the real IP with a Bandwidth 100 mb and 2<sup>nd</sup> Router distributes 100 mb Bandwidth to static IPs Differently. Here 2<sup>nd</sup> Router or Switch assigns Bandwidth to Ports not IPs. The full Scenario could be concisely



#### 6. Conclusion

Without going into too many details, in the proposed routers bandwidth management for DHCP, which enables router to assign bandwidth to all IP addresses of a network system can be solved by supplying bandwidth in a desired manner.

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