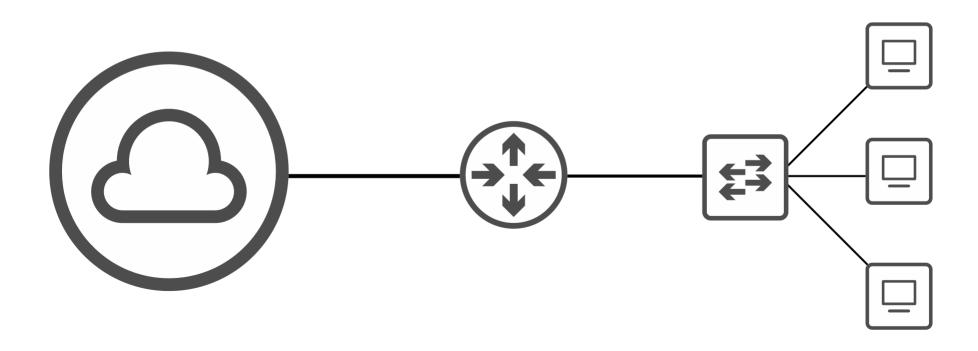


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VLANS (Virtual Local Area Networks) Part 1





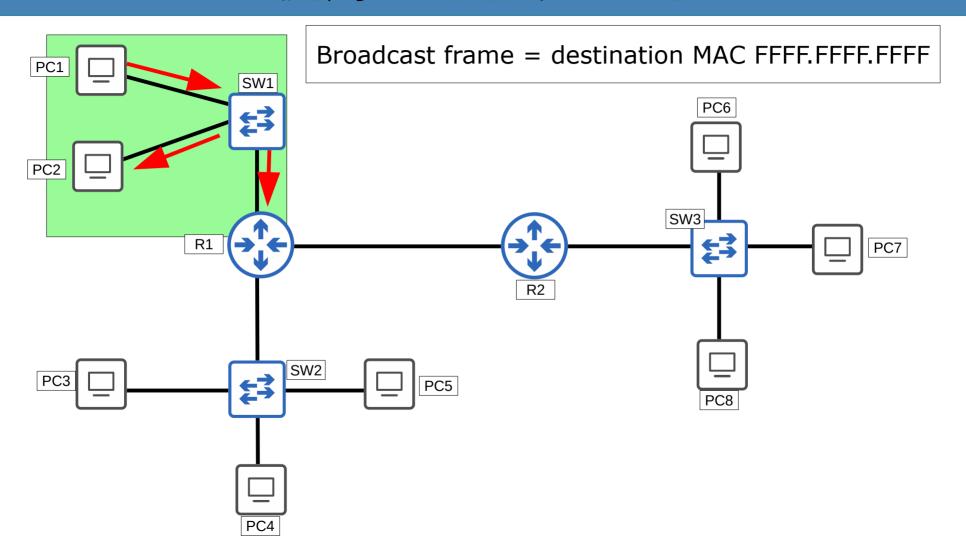
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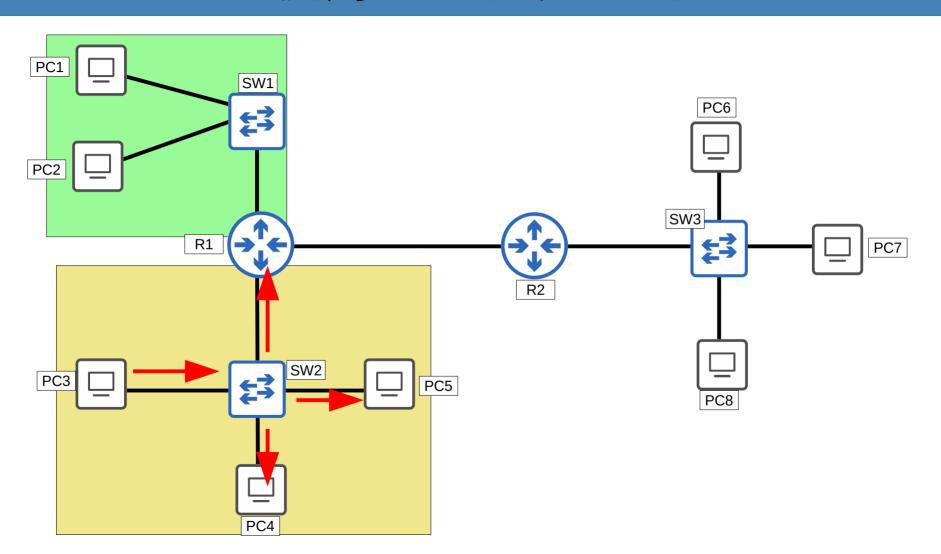


- Previously I said that a LAN is a group of devices (PCs, servers, routers, switches, etc.) in a single location (home, office, etc.)
- A more specific definition: A LAN is a single broadcast domain, including all devices in that broadcast domain.
- A broadcast domain is the group of devices which will receive a broadcast frame (destination MAC FFFF.FFF.FFFF) sent by any one of the members.

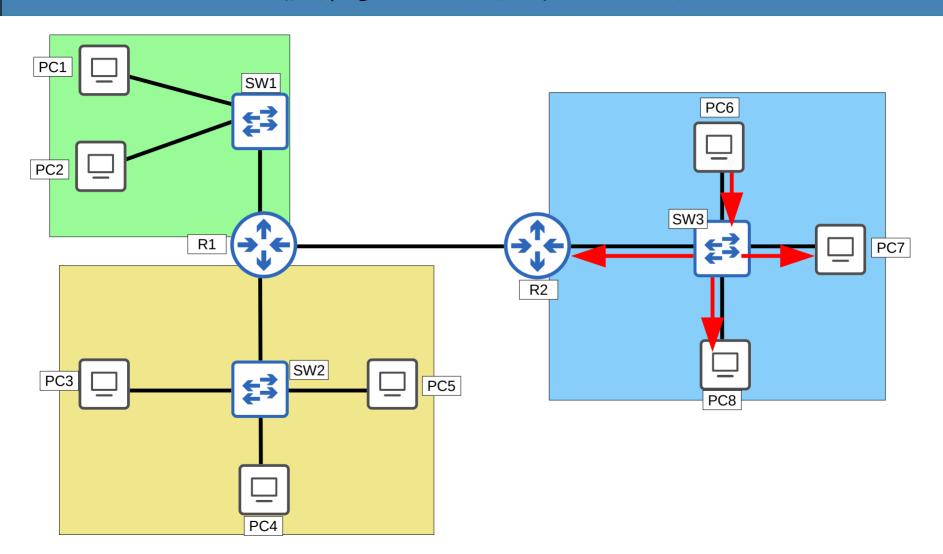




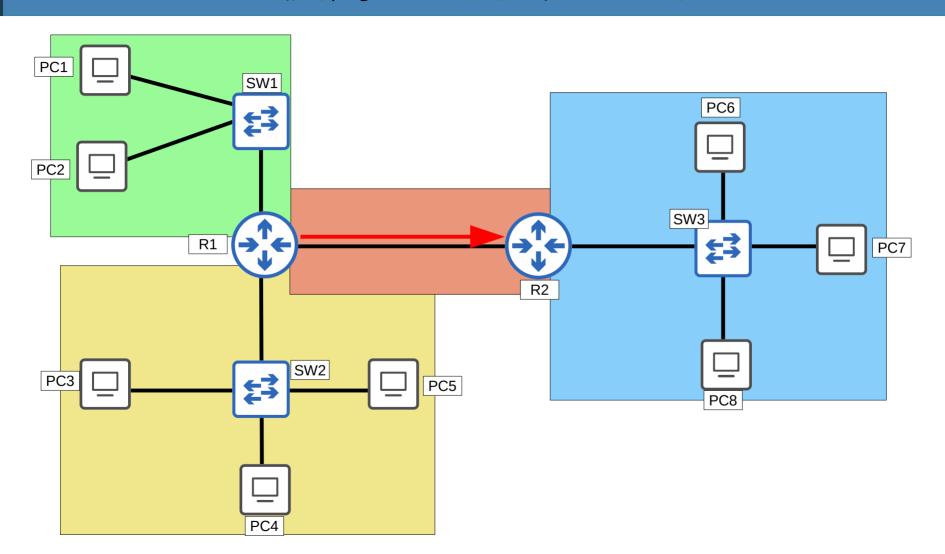




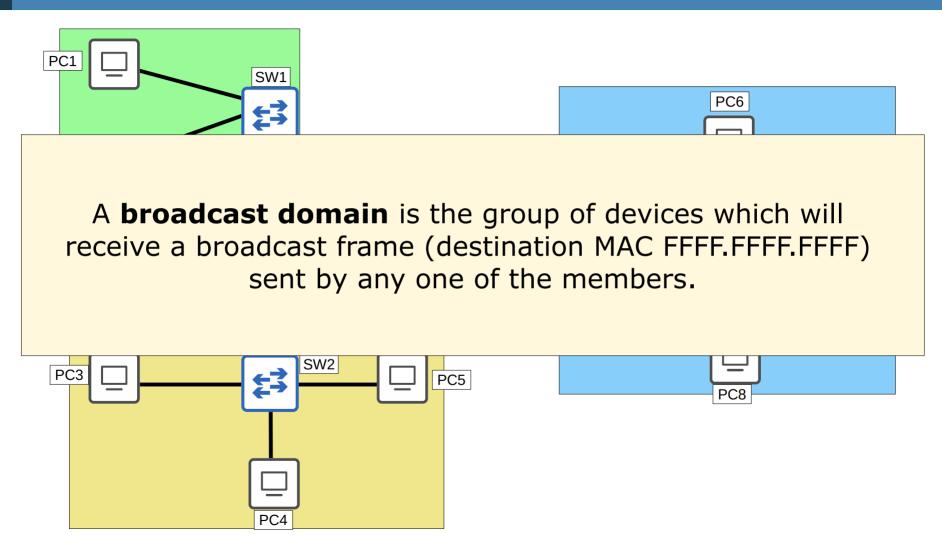






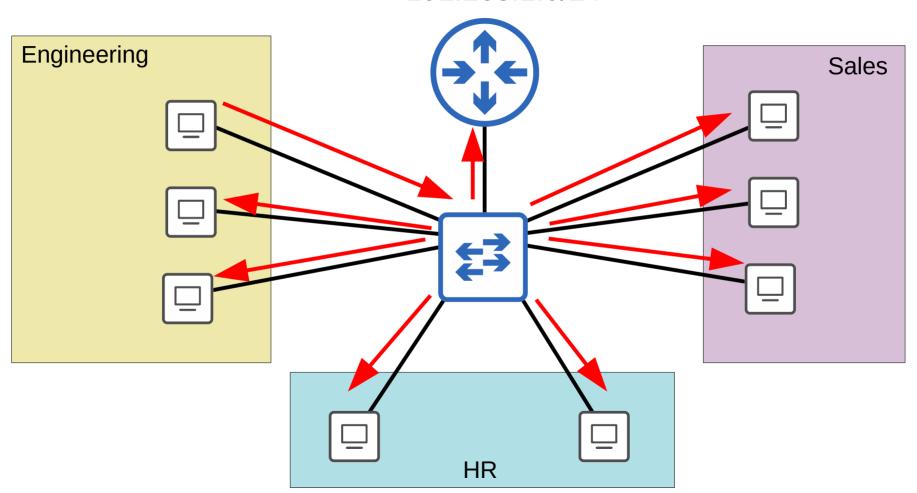






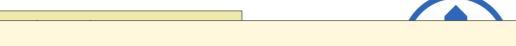


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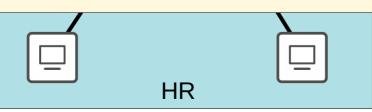
Performance: Lots of unnecessary broadcast traffic can reduce network performance.



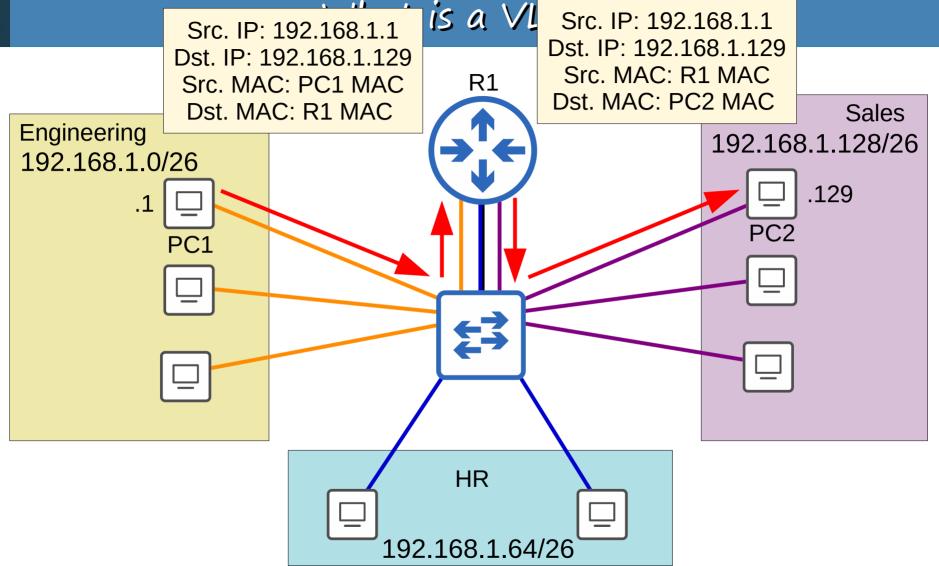
Security: Even within the same office, you want to limit who has access to what. You can apply security policies on a router/firewall.

Because this is one LAN, PCs can reach each other directly, without traffic passing through the router.

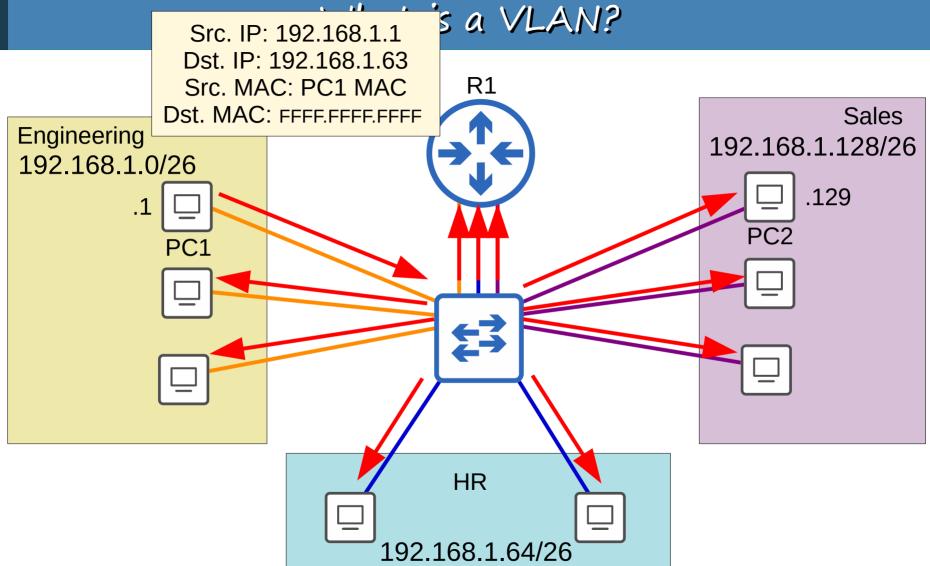
So, even if you configure security policies, they won't have any effect.



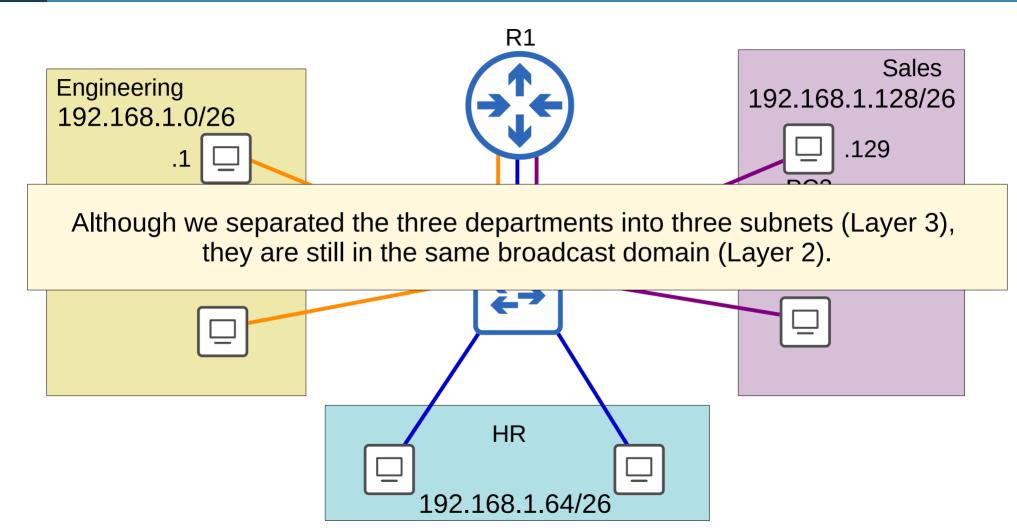




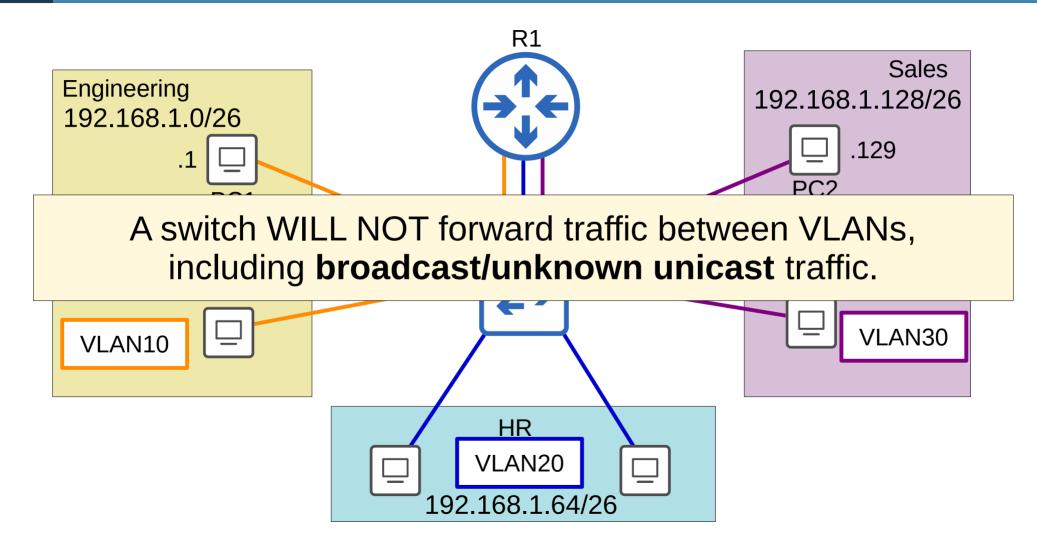




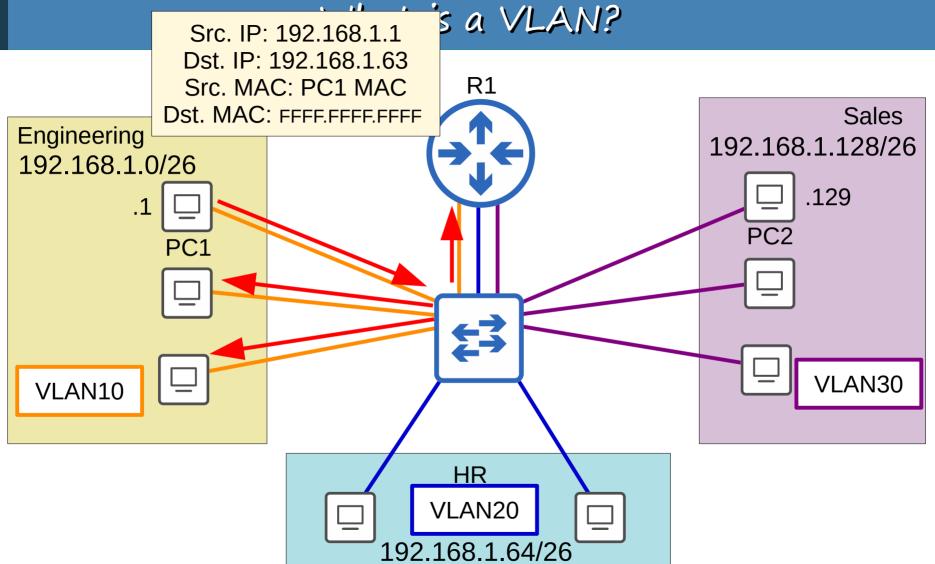




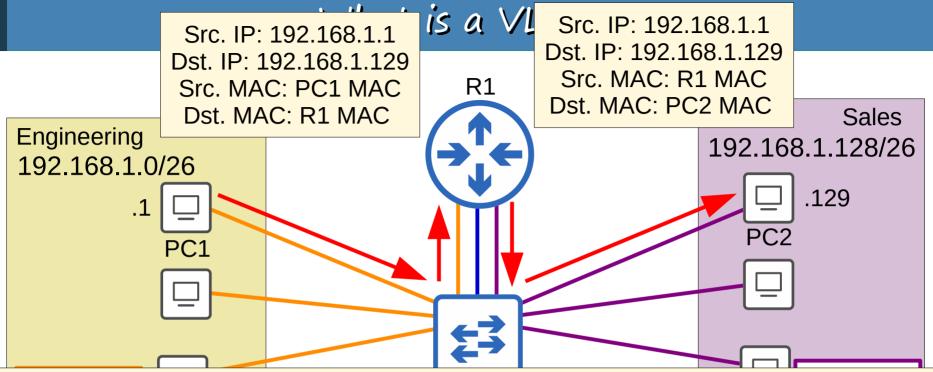




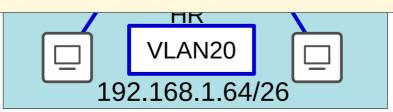




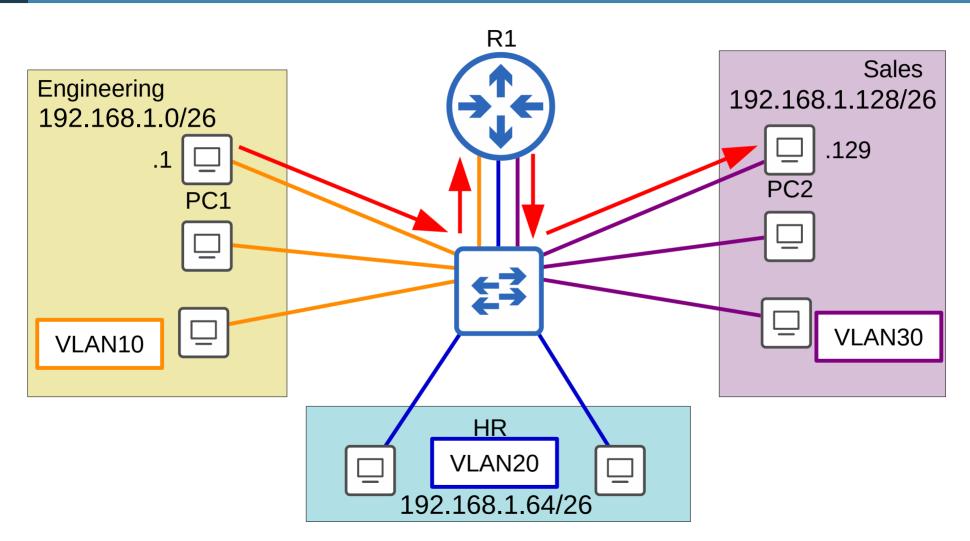




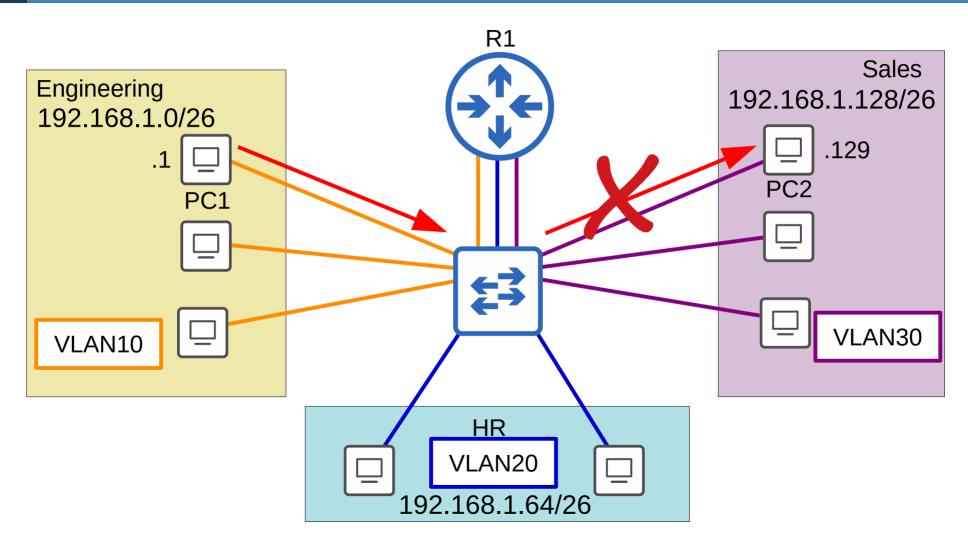
The switch does not perform **inter-VLAN routing**. It must send the traffic through the router.









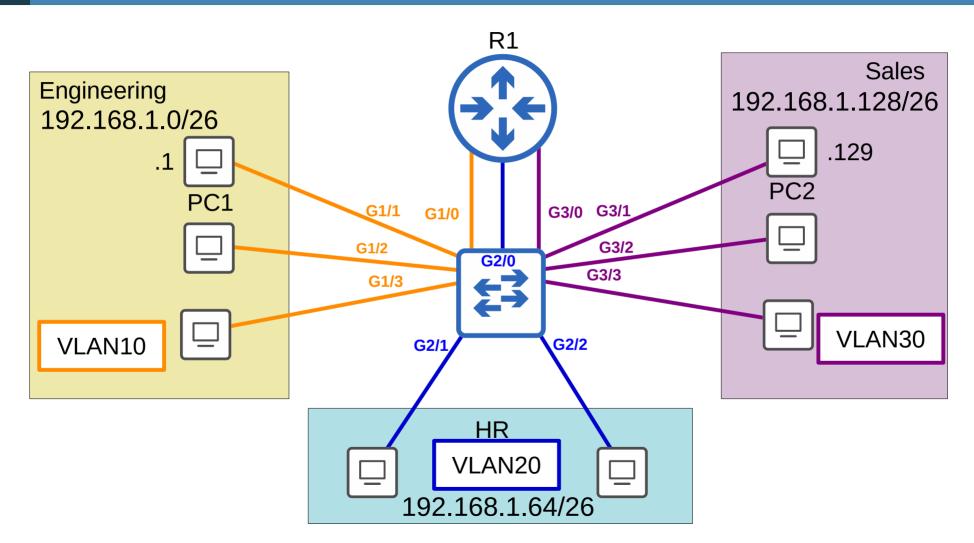


VLANs...

- are configured on switches on a per-interface basis.
- logically separate end hosts at Layer 2.

Switches do not forward traffic directly between hosts in different VLANs.







```
SW1#show vlan brief
VLAN Name
                                       Status
                                                Ports
     default
                                      active
                                                 Gi0/0, Gi0/1, Gi0/2, Gi0/3
                                                 Gi1/0, Gi1/1, Gi1/2, Gi1/3
                                                 Gi2/0, Gi2/1, Gi2/2, Gi2/3
                                                 Gi3/0, Gi3/1, Gi3/2, Gi3/3
1002 fddi-default
                                      act/unsup
1003 token-ring-default
                                      act/unsup
1004 fddinet-default
                                       act/unsup
                                      act/unsup
1005 trnet-default
SW1#
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VLANs 1,1002-1005 exist by default and cannot be deleted.

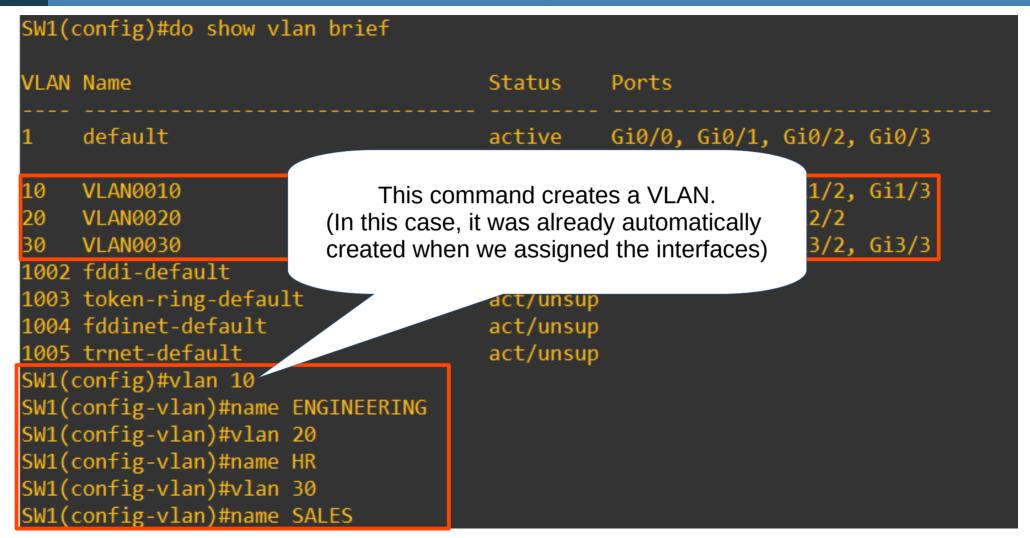


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SW1(config)#interface range g1/0 - 3
SW1(config-if-range)#switchport mode access
SW1(config-if-range)#switchport access vlan 10
  Access VLAN does not exist. Creating vlan 10
SW1(config-if-range)#interface range g2/0 - 2
SW1(config-if-range)#switchport mode access
SW1(config-if-range)#switchport access vlan 20
  Access VLAN does not exist. Creating vlan 20
SW1(config-if-range)#interface range g3/0 - 3
SW1(config-if-range)#switchport mode access
SW1(config-if-range)#switchport access vlan 30
% Access VLAN does not exist. Creating vlan 30
SW1(config-if-range)#
```

An access port is a switchport which belongs to a single VLAN, and usually connects to end hosts like PCs.

Switchports which carry multiple VLANs are called 'trunk ports'. (More information on trunks in the next video!)

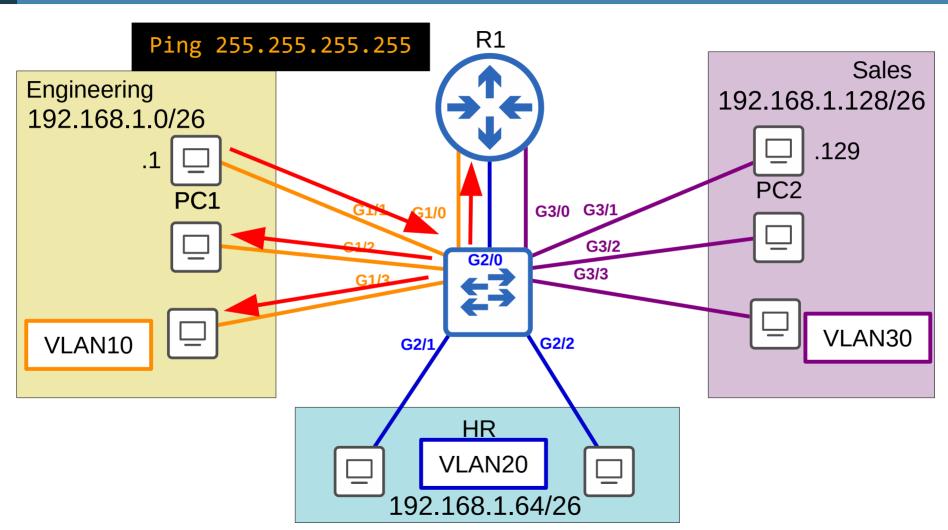




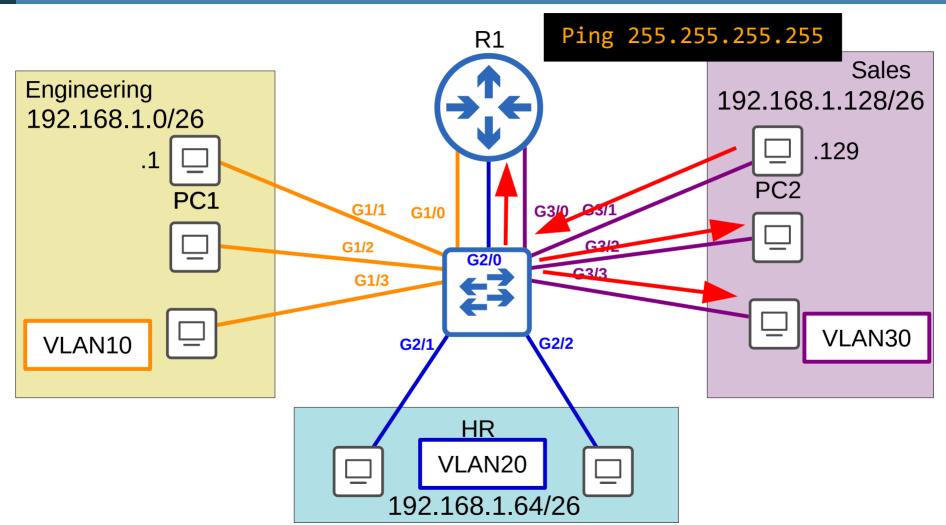


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                                      Status
                                                Ports
     default
                                      active
                                                Gi0/0, Gi0/1, Gi0/2, Gi0/3
                                                Gi2/3
     ENGINEERING
10
                                      active
                                                Gi1/0, Gi1/1, Gi1/2, Gi1/3
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20
     HR
                                      active
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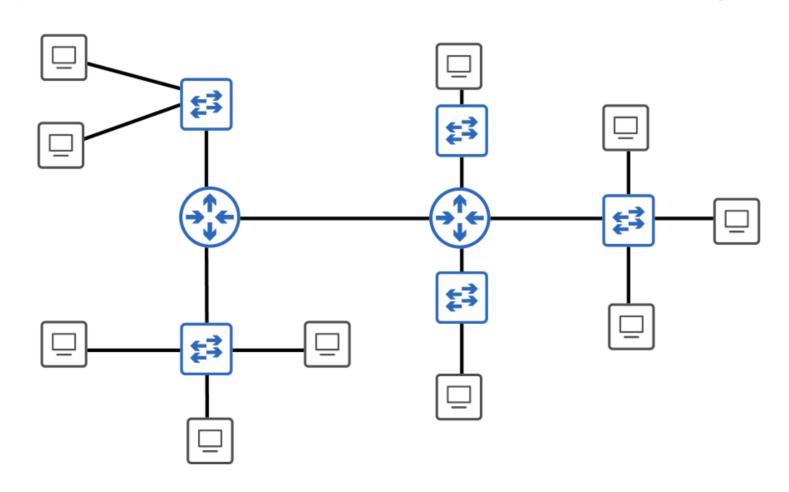
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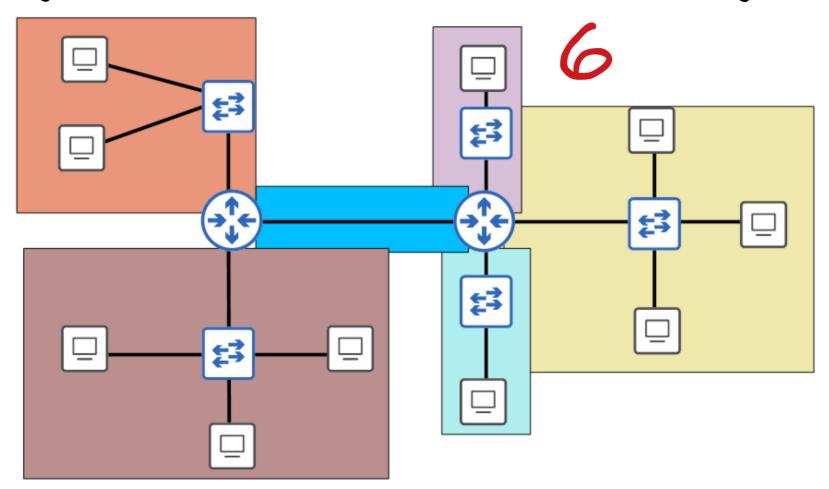


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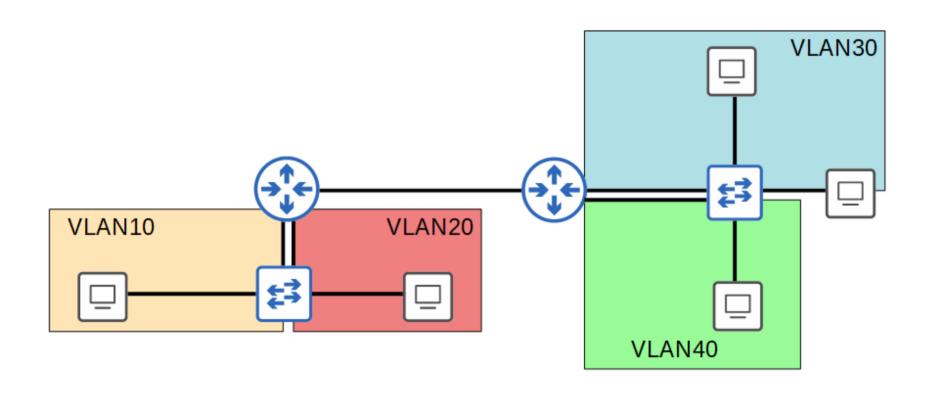




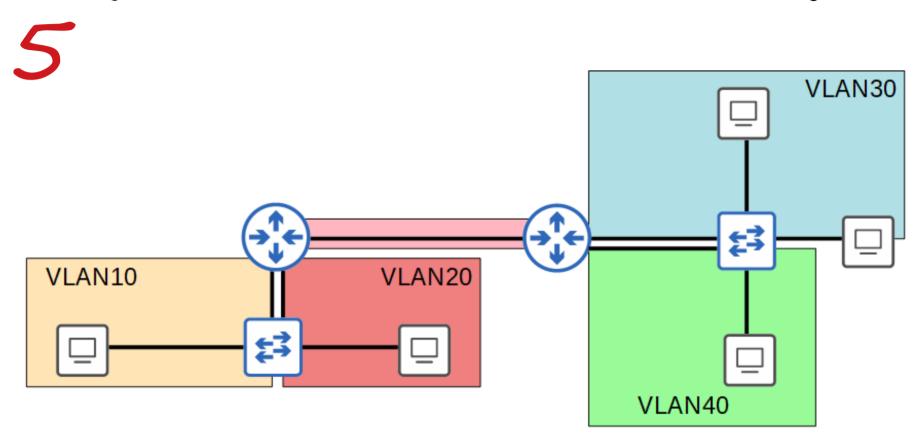














What happens if you try to assign a switch interface to a VLAN that doesn't exist?

- a) The command will fail.
- b) The switch will create the VLAN.
- c) The interface will be disabled until you create the VLAN.
- d) All VLANs exist by default.

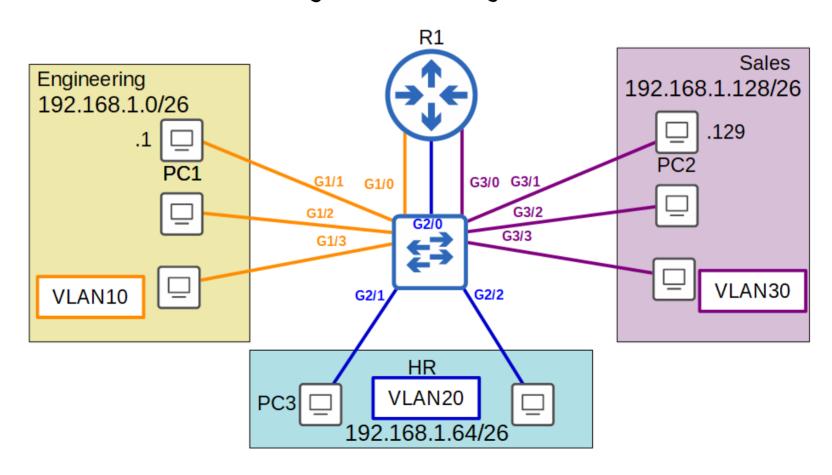


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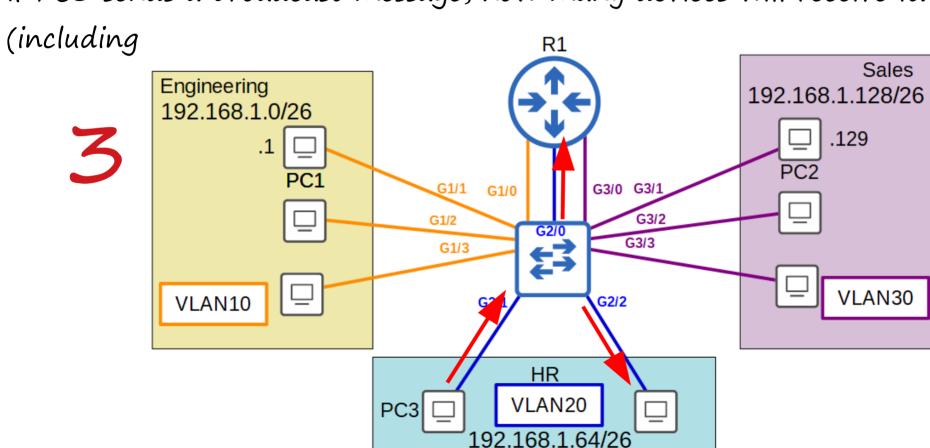


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You create VLANs 10, 20, and 30 on a Cisco switch. How many VLANs will be displayed in the output of the show vlan brief command?

- a) 3
- b) 5
- c) 8
- d) 10





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10
     VLAN0010
                                      active
20
                                                Gi2/0, Gi2/1, Gi2/2
    VLAN0020
                                      active
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                                      active
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