## How to login to the machine

Please start the machine and wait until the LINBO login window appears. The login window can be seen in figure 1. Click on the icon for **PCNA-Lab** and wait for the operating system to start!

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Figure 1: LINBO loging window

The operating system is Debian. You can login to the user labor with the following credentials:

User: labor PW: labor



Figure 2: Debian login window

## **Configuration of the Switch**

The Switch you use for the exercises is a **TP-Link TL-SG108E.** It has a management console for configuration and can be accessed with the following credentials:

**IP:** 192.168.0.1

**User:** admin

**PW:** admin





Change the password to a new password with minimum number of 6 characters! If you are not able to login to the Switch, reset it by pressing the reset button (See figure 4) at the back for 5 seconds.



Figure 2-7 Rear Panel of TL-SG108E

## Figure 4: Backside of the Switch

Login to the Switch by setting your network configurations in Debian!

Setup your interface to connect to the Switch

(e.g. set the IP address of your interface using the command:

ip addr add 192.168.0.10/24 dev <INTERFACE>).

Disable Loop Prevention in the system by selecting Monitoring  $\rightarrow$  Loop Prevention and disable the option (See figure 5).

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Loop Prevention	When a loop is detected on a specific port, the port will be automatically blocked.	
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Logout		
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## Figure 5: Loop Prevention window

If you receive broadcast messages of type 0x8899 when monitoring traffic using Wireshark, then you have forgotten to disable Loop Prevention in the Switch!



Please use the <u>WHITE</u> cable for your local network <u>private network 1</u> (LAN – Hosts to Switch) on your desk! Use the <u>YELLOW</u> cable for the connection of your router to the internet <u>private network 2</u>!