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Introduction

This document discusses password recovery for the Catalyst 8540/8510 MSRs and LightStream 1010 ATM Switch.

Prerequisites

Requirements

There are no specific requirements for this document.

Components Used

This document is not restricted to specific software and hardware versions.

Conventions

For more information on document conventions, refer to the [Cisco Technical Tips Conventions](#).

Password Recovery

The document Password Recovery Procedure for the Cisco Catalyst 8540 Multiservice Switch Router describes the procedure used to recover an enable password or enable secret passwords. These passwords are used to protect access to privileged EXEC and configuration modes. The enable password can be recovered. The enable secret password is encrypted. It can only be replaced with a new password using this procedure described in Password Recovery Procedure for the Cisco Catalyst 8540 Multiservice Switch Router.

Related Information

- [ATM Technology Support Pages](#)
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