

# mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes

To create or modify a label switched path (LSP) attribute list, use the **mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes** command in global configuration mode. To remove a specified LSP attribute list from the device configuration, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes** *string*

**no mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes** *string*

## Syntax Description

*string* LSP attributes list identifier.

## Command Default

An LSP attribute list is not created unless you create one.

## Command Modes

Global configuration (config)

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(26)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

## Usage Guidelines

This command sets up an LSP attribute list and enters LSP Attributes configuration mode, in which you can enter LSP attributes.

To associate the LSP attributes and LSP attribute list with a path option for an LSP, you must configure the **tunnel mpls traffic-eng path option** command with the **attributes** *string* keyword and argument, where *string* is the identifier for the specific LSP attribute list.

An LSP attribute referenced by the path option takes precedence over the values configured on the tunnel interface. If an attribute is not specified in the LSP attribute list, the device takes the attribute from the tunnel configuration. LSP attribute lists do not have default values. If the attribute is not configured on the tunnel, then the device uses tunnel default values.

Once you type the **mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes** command, you enter the LSP Attributes configuration mode where you define the attributes for the LSP attribute list that you are creating.

The mode commands are as follows:

- **affinity**—Specifies attribute flags for links that make up an LSP.
- **auto-bw**—Specifies automatic bandwidth configuration.
- **bandwidth**—Specifies LSP bandwidth.
- **lockdown**—Disables reoptimization for the LSP.
- **priority**—Specifies LSP priority.

- **protection**—Enables failure protection.
- **record-route**—Records the route used by the LSP.

The following monitoring and management commands are also available in the LSP Attributes configuration mode:

- **exit**—Exits from LSP Attributes configuration mode.
- **list**—Relists all the entries in the LSP attribute list.
- **no**—Removes a specific attribute from the LSP attribute list.

### Examples

The following example shows how to set up an LSP attribute list identified with the numeral 6 with the **bandwidth** and **priority** mode commands. The example also shows how to use the **list** mode command:

```
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes 6
Router(config-lsp-attr)# bandwidth 500
Router(config-lsp-attr)# list
```

```
LIST 6
  bandwidth 500
```

```
Router(config-lsp-attr)# priority 1 1
Router(config-lsp-attr)# list
```

```
LIST 6
  bandwidth 500
  priority 1 1
```

```
Router(config-lsp-attr)# exit
```

### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>show mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes</b>	Displays global LSP attributes lists.

## mpls traffic-eng mesh-group

To configure a mesh group in an Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP) to allow Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) traffic engineering (TE) label switch routers (LSRs) that belong to the same mesh group to signal tunnels to the local router, use the **mpls traffic-eng mesh-group** command in router configuration mode. To disable signaling of tunnels from LSRs in the same mesh group to the local router, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng mesh-group** *mesh-group-id* *type* *number* **area** *area-id*

**no mpls traffic-eng mesh-group** *mesh-group-id* *type* *number* **area** *area-id*

### Syntax Description

<i>mesh-group-id</i>	Number that identifies a specific mesh group.
<i>type</i>	Type of interface.
<i>number</i>	Interface number.
<b>area</b> <i>area-id</i>	Specifies an IGP area.

### Command Default

No tunnels are signaled for routers in the same mesh group.

### Command Modes

Router configuration (config-router)#

### Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(29)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to configure a mesh group in an IGP. This allows the MPLS TE LSRs that belong to the specified mesh group to signal tunnels to the local router. The IGP floods mesh group configuration to all routers belonging to the same mesh group. An autotemplate determines how a router participates in an autotunnel. A router can participate in a mesh group through two-way tunnels or one-way tunnels.

Open Shortest Path First (OSPF) is the only IGP supported for the MPLS Traffic Engineering—AutoTunnel Mesh Groups feature.

### Examples

The following example shows how to configure OSPF to allow LSRs that belong to the same mesh group (mesh group 10) to signal tunnels to the local router:

```
Router(config)# router ospf 100
Router(config-router)# mpls traffic-eng mesh-group 10 loopback 0 area 100
```

**Related Commands**

<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>tunnel destination mesh-group</b>	Configures an autotemplate to signal tunnels to all other members of a specified mesh group.

# mpls traffic-eng multicast-intact

To configure a router running Intermediate System-to-Intermediate System (IS-IS) or Open Shortest Path First (OSPF) so that Protocol-Independent Multicast (PIM) and Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) traffic engineering (TE) can work together, use the **mpls traffic-eng multicast-intact** command in router configuration mode. To disable interoperability between PIM and MPLS TE, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng multicast-intact**

**no mpls traffic-eng multicast-intact**

**Syntax Description** This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Defaults** PIM and MPLS TE do not work together.

**Command Modes** Router configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(12)S	This command was introduced.
	12.1(5)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.1(5)T.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

**Usage Guidelines** The **mpls traffic-eng multicast-intact** command allows PIM to use the native hop-by-hop neighbors while unicast routing is using MPLS TE tunnels.

This command works only for OSPF and IS-IS protocols.

**Examples** The following example shows how to enable PIM and MPLS TE to interoperate:

```
Router(config)# router ospf 1
Router(config-router)# mpls traffic-eng multicast-intact
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>mpls traffic-eng interface</b>	Configures a router running OSPF or IS-IS so that it floods MPLS TE link information in the indicated OSPF area or IS-IS level.
	<b>show ospf routes multicast-intact</b>	Displays multicast-intact paths of OSPF routes.

# mpls traffic-eng passive-interface

To configure a link as a passive interface between two Autonomous System Boundary Routers (ASBRs), use the **mpls traffic-eng passive-interface** command in interface configuration mode. To disable the passive link, use the **no** form of this command.

```
mpls traffic-eng passive-interface nbr-te-id te-router-id [nbr-if-addr if-addr] [nbr-igp-id {isis
sysid | ospf sysid}]
```

```
no mpls traffic-eng passive-interface nbr-te-id te-router-id [nbr-if-addr if-addr] [nbr-igp-id {isis
sysid | ospf sysid}]
```

## Syntax Description

<b>nbr-te-id</b> <i>te-router-id</i>	Traffic engineering router ID of the neighbor router on the remote side of the link where this command is configured.
<b>nbr-if-addr</b> <i>if-addr</i>	(Optional) Interface address of the remote ASBR.
<b>nbr-igp-id</b>	(Optional) Specifies a unique <i>sysid</i> for neighboring Interior Gateway Protocols (IGPs) when two or more autonomous systems use different IGPs and have more than one neighbor on the link.  Enter the <b>nbr-igp-id</b> keyword (followed by the <b>isis</b> or <b>ospf</b> keyword) and the <i>sysid</i> for each IGP. The <i>sysid</i> must be unique for each neighbor.
<b>isis</b> <i>sysid</i>	System identification of Intermediate System-to-Intermediate System (IS-IS).
<b>ospf</b> <i>sysid</i>	System identification of Open Shortest Path First (OSPF).

## Command Default

None

## Command Modes

Interface configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(29)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	The <b>nbr-if-addr</b> keyword was added.
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

## Usage Guidelines

The **mpls traffic-eng passive-interface** command sets the next-hop address for a passive interface. The command is required only for a broadcast link.

Enter the **mpls traffic-eng passive-interface** command only on the outgoing interface on which the label-switched path (LSP) will exit; you do not have to enter this command on both ends of the interautonomous system (Inter-AS) link.

On a point-to-point link or on a multiaccess link where there is only one neighbor, you do not have to enter the **isis** or **ospf** keyword (or the *sysid* argument).

If two autonomous systems use different IGPs and have more than one neighbor on the link, you must enter the **nbr-igp-id** keyword followed by **isis** or **ospf** and the *sysid*. The *sysid* must be unique for each neighbor.

For a broadcast link (that is, other Resource Reservation Protocol (RSVP)) features are using the passive link), you must enter the **nbr-if-addr** keyword.

For an RSVP Hello configuration on an Inter-AS link, all keywords are required.

## Examples

In the following example there is only one neighbor:

```
Router(config-if)# mpls traffic-eng passive-interface nbr-te-id 10.10.10.10
```

In the following example, two autonomous systems use different IGPs and have more than one neighbor on the link:

```
Router(config-if)# mpls traffic-eng passive-interface nbr-te-id 10.10.11.12 nbr-igp-id
ospf 10.10.15.18
```

If autonomous system 1 (AS1) is running IS-IS and AS2 is running OSPF, the unique ID on A1 must be in the system ID format. To form the system ID, we recommend that you append zeros to the router ID of the neighbor. For example, if the AS2 router is 10.20.20.20, then you could enter a system ID of 10.0020.0020.0020.00 for IS-IS on the AS1 router.

In the following example there is a remote ASBR and an IS-IS:

```
Router(config-if)# mpls traffic-eng passive-interface nbr-te-id 10.20.20.20 nbr-igp-id
isis 10.0020.0020.0020.00
```

In the following example, there is a broadcast link and the interface address of the remote ASBR is 10.0.0.2:

```
Router(config-if)# mpls traffic-eng passive-interface nbr-te-id 10.10.10.10 nbr-if-addr
10.0.0.2
```

# mpls traffic-eng path-option list

To configure a path option list, use the **mpls traffic-eng path-option list** command in global configuration mode. To disable this function, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng path-option list** [**name** *pathlist-name* | **identifier** *pathlist-number*]

**no mpls traffic-eng path-option list** [**name** *pathlist-name* | **identifier** *pathlist-number*]

## Syntax Description

<b>name</b> <i>pathlist-name</i>	Specifies the name of the path option list.
<b>identifier</b> <i>pathlist-number</i>	Specifies the identification number of the path option list. Valid values are from 1 through 65535.

## Command Default

There are no path option lists.

## Command Modes

Global configuration (config)

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.2(33)SRE	This command was introduced.

## Usage Guidelines

A path option list contains a list of backup paths for a primary path option. You can specify a path option list by entering its name or identifier.

After you enter the **mpls traffic-eng path-option list** command, the router enters path option list configuration mode and you can enter the following commands:

- **path-option**—Specifies the name or identification number of the next path option to add, edit, or delete.
- **list**—Lists all path options.
- **no**—Deletes a specified path option.
- **exit**—Exits from path option list configuration mode.

Then you can specify explicit backup paths by entering their name or identifier.

## Examples

The following example configures the path option list named pathlist-01, adds path option 10, lists the backup path that is in the path option list, and exits from path option list configuration mode:

```
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng path-option list name pathlist-01
Router(cfg-pathoption-list)# path-option 10 explicit name bk-path-01
Router(cfg-pathoption-list)# list
path-option 10 explicit name bk-path-01
Router(cfg-pathoption-list)# exit
```

**Related Commands**

<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>tunnel mpls traffic-eng path option</b>	Configures a path option for an MPLS TE tunnel.
<b>tunnel mpls traffic-eng path-option protect</b>	Configures a secondary path option or a path option list for an MPLS TE tunnel.

# mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric

To specify the metric type to use for path selection for tunnels for which the metric type has not been explicitly configured, use the **mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric** command in global configuration mode. To remove the specified metric type, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric { igp | te }**

**no mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric**

## Syntax Description

<b>igp</b>	Use the Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP) metric.
<b>te</b>	Use the traffic engineering metric.

## Defaults

The default is the **te** metric.

## Command Modes

Global configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(18)ST	This command was introduced.
12.2(14)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(14)S.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.4	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.
12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

## Usage Guidelines

Use this command to specify the metric type to be used for traffic engineering (TE) tunnels for which the **tunnel mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric** command has not been specified.

The metric type to be used for path calculation for a given tunnel is determined as follows:

- If the **tunnel mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric** command was entered to specify a metric type for the tunnel, use that metric type.
- Otherwise, if the **mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric** was entered to specify a metric type, use that metric type.
- Otherwise, use the default (**te**) metric.

## Examples

The following command specifies that if a metric type was not specified for a given TE tunnel, the **igp** metric should be used for tunnel path calculation:

```
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric igp
```

**Related Commands**

<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>tunnel mpls traffic-eng path-selection metric</b>	Specifies the metric type to use when calculating a tunnel's path.

# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize

To force immediate reoptimization of all traffic engineering tunnels, use the **mpls traffic-eng reoptimize** command in privileged EXEC mode.

## mpls traffic-eng reoptimize

**Syntax Description** This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Command Modes** Privileged EXEC

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(5)ST	This command was introduced.
	12.1(3)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.1(3)T.
	12.0(22)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(22)S.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

**Examples** The following example shows how to reoptimize all traffic engineering tunnels immediately:

```
Router# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay</b>	Delays removal of old LSPs or installation of new LSPs after tunnel reoptimization.

# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize events

To turn on automatic reoptimization of Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) traffic engineering when certain events occur, such as when an interface becomes operational, use the **mpls traffic-eng reoptimize events** command in global configuration mode. To disable automatic reoptimization, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng reoptimize events link-up**

**no mpls traffic-eng reoptimize events link-up**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<b>link-up</b>	Triggers automatic reoptimization whenever an interface becomes operational.
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<b>Defaults</b>	Event-based reoptimization is disabled.
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<b>Command Modes</b>	Global configuration
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<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	12.1(3)T	This command was introduced.
	12.0(10)ST	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(10)ST.
	12.0(22)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(22)S.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

**Examples** The following example shows how to turn on automatic reoptimization whenever an interface becomes operational:

```
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize events link-up
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>mpls traffic-eng logging lsp</b>	Controls the frequency with which tunnels with established LSPs are checked for better LSPs.
	<b>mpls traffic-eng reoptimize</b>	Reoptimizes all traffic engineering tunnels immediately.
	<b>mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay</b>	Delays removal of old LSPs or installation of new LSPs after tunnel reoptimization.

# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay

To delay removal of old label switched paths (LSPs) or installation of new LSPs after tunnel reoptimization, use the **mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay** command in global configuration mode. To restore the default value, use the **no** form of this command.

```
mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay { cleanup delay-time | installation delay-time }
```

```
no mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay { cleanup delay-time | installation delay-time }
```

## Syntax Description

<b>cleanup</b> <i>delay-time</i>	Delays removal of old LSPs after tunnel reoptimization for the specified number of seconds. The valid range is from 0 to 60 seconds. A value of 0 disables the delay. The default is 10 seconds.
<b>installation</b> <i>delay-time</i>	Delays installation of new LSPs with new labels after tunnel reoptimization for the specified number of seconds. The valid range is from 0 to 3600 seconds. A value of 0 disables the delay. The default is 3 seconds.

## Command Default

Removal of old LSPs and installation of new LSPs is not delayed.

## Command Modes

Global configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(32)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(25)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(25)S.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## Usage Guidelines

A device with Multiprotocol Label Switching traffic engineering (MPLS TE) tunnels periodically examines tunnels with established LSPs to discover if more efficient LSPs (paths) are available. If a better LSP is available, the device signals the more efficient LSP; if the signaling is successful, the device replaces the older LSP with the new, more efficient LSP.

Sometimes the slower router-point nodes may not yet utilize the new label's forwarding plane. In this case, if the headend node replaces the labels quickly, it can result in brief packet loss. By delaying the cleanup of the old LSP using the **mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay cleanup** command, packet loss is avoided.

## Examples

The following example shows how to set the reoptimization cleanup delay time to one minute:

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay cleanup 60
```

The following example shows how to set the reoptimization installation delay time to one hour:

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay installation 5
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>mpls traffic-eng reoptimize</b>	Forces immediate reoptimization of all traffic engineering tunnels.
	<b>mpls traffic-eng reoptimize events</b>	Turns on automatic reoptimization of MPLS traffic engineering when certain events occur, such as when an interface becomes operational.
	<b>mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers frequency</b>	Controls the frequency with which tunnels with established LSPs are checked for better LSPs.

# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers frequency

To control the frequency with which tunnels with established label switched paths (LSPs) are checked for better LSPs, use the **mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers frequency** command in global configuration mode. To disable this function, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers frequency** *seconds*

**no mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers frequency**

## Syntax Description

*seconds* Sets the frequency of reoptimization (in seconds). A value of 0 disables reoptimization. The range of values is 0 to 604800 seconds (1 week).

## Defaults

3600 seconds (1 hour)

## Command Modes

Global configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(5)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

## Usage Guidelines

A device with traffic engineering tunnels periodically examines tunnels with established LSPs to learn if better LSPs are available. If a better LSP seems to be available, the device attempts to signal the better LSP; if the signaling is successful, the device replaces the old, inferior LSP with the new, better LSP.



### Note

If the **lockdown** keyword is specified with the **tunnel mpls traffic-eng path-option** command, then a reoptimize check is not done on the tunnel.

If you configure a traffic engineering tunnel with an explicit path that is not fully specified (a series of router IDs or a combination of router IDs and interface addresses), then reoptimization may not occur.



### Note

If you specify a low reoptimization frequency (for example, less than 30 seconds), there may be an increase in CPU utilization for configurations with a large number of traffic engineering tunnels.

## Examples

The following example shows how to set the reoptimization frequency to 1 day:

```
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers frequency 86400
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>mpls traffic-eng reoptimize</b>	Reoptimizes all traffic engineering tunnels immediately.
	<b>mpls traffic-eng reoptimize timers delay</b>	Delays removal of old LSPs or installation of new LSPs after tunnel reoptimization.
	<b>tunnel mpls traffic-eng path-option</b>	Configures a path option for an MPLS traffic engineering tunnel.

# mpls traffic-eng router-id

To specify that the traffic engineering router identifier for the node is the IP address associated with a given interface, use the **mpls traffic-eng router-id** command in router configuration mode. To remove the traffic engineering router identifier, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng router-id** *interface-name*

**no mpls traffic-eng router-id**

## Syntax Description

<i>interface-name</i>	Interface whose primary IP address is the router's identifier.
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## Defaults

No traffic engineering router identifier is specified.

## Command Modes

Router configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(5)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

## Usage Guidelines

This router identifier acts as a stable IP address for the traffic engineering configuration. This IP address is flooded to all nodes. For all traffic engineering tunnels originating at other nodes and ending at this node, you must set the tunnel destination to the traffic engineering router identifier of the destination node, because that is the address that the traffic engineering topology database at the tunnel head uses for its path calculation.

You should configure the same traffic engineering router id for all Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP) routing processes.

## Examples

The following example shows how to specify the traffic engineering router identifier as the IP address associated with interface Loopback0:

```
Router(config-router)# mpls traffic-eng router-id Loopback0
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>mpls atm control-vc</b>	Turns on flooding of MPLS traffic engineering link information in the indicated IGP level/area.

# mpls traffic-eng scanner

To specify how often Intermediate System-to-Intermediate System (IS-IS) extracts traffic engineering type, length, values (TLVs) objects from flagged label switched paths (LSPs) and passes them to the traffic engineering topology database, and the maximum number of LSPs that the router can process immediately, use the **mpls traffic-eng scanner** command in router configuration mode. To disable the frequency that IS-IS extracts traffic engineering TLVs and the maximum number of LSPs IS-IS passes to the traffic engineering topology database, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng scanner** [*interval seconds*] [*max-flash LSPs*]

**no mpls traffic-eng scanner**

Syntax Description	interval <i>seconds</i>	(Optional) Frequency, in seconds, at which IS-IS sends traffic engineering TLVs into the traffic engineering database. The value can be from 1 to 60. The default value is 5.
	<b>max-flash</b> <i>LSPs</i>	(Optional) Maximum number of LSPs that the router can process immediately without incurring a delay. The value can be from 0 to 200. The default value is 15.

**Command Default** IS-IS sends traffic engineering TLVs into the traffic engineering topology database every 5 seconds after the first 15 LSPs are processed.

**Command Modes** Router configuration (config-router)

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(14)ST	This command was introduced.
	12.2(11)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(11)S.
	12.0(22)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(22)S.
	12.4(2)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(2)T.
	12.4	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.
	12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

**Usage Guidelines**

When IS-IS receives a new LSP, it inserts it into the IS-IS database. If the LSP contains traffic engineering TLVs, IS-IS flags the LSPs for transmission to the traffic engineering database. Depending on the default or user-specified interval, traffic engineering TLVs are extracted and sent to the traffic engineering database. Users can also specify the maximum number of LSPs that the router can process immediately. Processing entails checking for traffic engineering TLVs, extracting them, and passing them to the traffic engineering database. If more than 50 LSPs need to be processed, there is a delay of 5 seconds for subsequent LSPs.

The first 15 LSPs are sent without a delay into the traffic engineering database. If more LSPs are received, the default delay of 5 seconds applies.

If you specify the **no** form of this command, there is a delay of 5 seconds before IS-IS scans its database and passes traffic engineering TLVs associated with flagged LSPs to the traffic engineering database.

**Examples**

In the following example, the router is allowed to process up to 50 IS-IS LSPs without any delay.

```
Router(config)# router isis
Router(config-router)# mpls traffic-eng scanner interval 5 max-flash 50
```

**Related Commands**

<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>mpls traffic-eng</b>	Configures a router running IS-IS so that it floods MPLS traffic engineering link information into the indicated IS-IS level.
<b>mpls traffic-eng router-id</b>	Specifies that the traffic engineering router identifier for the node is the IP address associated with a given interface.
<b>router isis</b>	Enables the IS-IS routing protocol and specifies an IS-IS process.

# mpls traffic-eng signalling advertise implicit-null

To use the Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) encoding for the implicit-null label in signaling messages sent to neighbors that match the specified access list, use the **mpls traffic-eng signalling advertise implicit-null** command in router configuration mode. To disable this feature, use the **no** form of this command.

```
mpls traffic-eng signalling advertise implicit-null [acl-name | acl-number]
```

```
no mpls traffic-eng signalling advertise implicit-null
```

## Syntax Description

<i>acl-name</i>	Name of the access list.
<i>acl-number</i>	Number of the access list.

## Defaults

Use the Cisco encoding for the implicit-null label in signaling messages.

## Command Modes

Router configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(5)ST	This command was introduced.
12.1(3)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.1(3)T.
12.0(22)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(22)S.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

## Examples

The following example shows how to configure the router to use MPLS encoding for the implicit-null label when it sends signaling messages to certain peers:

```
Router(config-router)# mpls traffic-eng signalling advertise implicit-null
```

# mpls traffic-eng srlg

To configure the Shared Risk Link Group (SRLG) membership of a link (interface), use the **mpls traffic-eng srlg** command in interface configuration mode. To remove a link from membership of one or more SRLGs, use the **no** form of this command.

```
mpls traffic-eng srlg [num]
```

```
no mpls traffic-eng srlg [num]
```

## Syntax Description

*num* (Optional) SRLG identifier. Valid values are 0 to 4294967295.

## Command Default

A link does not have membership in any SRLG.

## Command Modes

Interface configuration (config-if)

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(28)S	This command was introduced.
12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

## Usage Guidelines

You can enter the **mpls traffic-eng srlg** command multiple times to make a link a member of multiple SRLGs.

## Examples

The following example makes the interface a member of SRLG 5:

```
Router(config-if)# mpls traffic-eng srlg 5
```

If you enter the following commands, the interface is a member of both SRLG 5 and SRLG 6:

```
Router(config-if)# mpls traffic-eng srlg 5
Router(config-if)# mpls traffic-eng srlg 6
```

To remove a link from membership of SRLG 5, enter the following command:

```
Router(config-if)# no mpls traffic-eng srlg 5
```

To remove a link from membership of all SRLGs, enter the following command:

```
Router(config-if)# no mpls traffic-eng srlg
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>mpls traffic-eng auto-tunnel backup srlg exclude</b>	Specifies that autocreated backup tunnels should avoid SRLGs of the protected interface.

# mpls traffic-eng topology holddown sigerr

To specify the amount of time that a router ignores a link in its traffic engineering topology database in tunnel path Constrained Shortest Path First (CSPF) computations following a traffic engineering tunnel error on the link, use the **mpls traffic-eng topology holddown sigerr** command in global configuration mode. To disable the time set to ignore a link following a traffic engineering tunnel error on the link, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng topology holddown sigerr** *seconds*

**no mpls traffic-eng topology holddown sigerr**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>seconds</i>	Length of time (in seconds) a router should ignore a link during tunnel path calculations following a traffic engineering tunnel error on the link. The value can be from 0 to 300.
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<b>Command Default</b>	If you do not specify this command, tunnel path calculations ignore a link on which there is a traffic engineering error until either 10 seconds have elapsed or a topology update is received from the Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP).	
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<b>Command Modes</b>	Global configuration
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<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	12.0(14)ST	This command was introduced.
	12.2(11)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(11)S.
	12.0(22)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(22)S.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.
	12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	A router that is at the headend for traffic engineering tunnels might receive a Resource Reservation Protocol (RSVP) No Route error message for an existing tunnel or for one being signaled due to the failure of a link the tunnel traffic traverses before the router receives a topology update from the IGP routing protocol announcing that the link is down. In such a case, the headend router ignores the link in subsequent tunnel path calculations to avoid generating paths that include the link and are likely to fail when signaled. The link is ignored until the router receives a topology update from its IGP or a link hold-down timeout occurs. You can use the <b>mpls traffic-eng topology holddown sigerr</b> command to change the link hold-down time from its 10-second default value.
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**Examples**

In the following example, the link hold-down time for signaling errors is set at 15 seconds:

```
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng topology holddown sigerr 15
```

**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>show mpls traffic-eng topology</b>	Displays the MPLS traffic engineering global topology as currently known at the node.

# mpls traffic-eng tunnels (global configuration)

To enable Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) traffic engineering tunnel signaling on a device, use the **mpls traffic-eng tunnels** command in global configuration mode. To disable MPLS traffic engineering tunnel signaling, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng tunnels**

**no mpls traffic-eng tunnels**

**Syntax Description** This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Defaults** The command is disabled.

**Command Modes** Global configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(5)S	This command was introduced.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

**Usage Guidelines** This command enables MPLS traffic engineering on a device. For you to use the feature, MPLS traffic engineering must also be enabled on the desired interfaces.

**Examples** The following example shows how to turn on MPLS traffic engineering tunnel signaling:

```
Router(config)# mpls traffic-eng tunnels
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>mpls traffic-eng tunnels (interface configuration)</b>	Enables MPLS traffic engineering tunnel signaling on an interface.

# mpls traffic-eng tunnels (interface configuration)

To enable Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) traffic engineering (TE) tunnel signaling on an interface (assuming that it is enabled on the device), use the **mpls traffic-eng tunnels** command in interface configuration mode. To disable MPLS traffic engineering tunnel signaling on the interface, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls traffic-eng tunnels**

**no mpls traffic-eng tunnels**

**Syntax Description** This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Command Default** The MPLS TE is disabled on all interfaces.

**Command Modes** Interface configuration (config-if)

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(5)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.
Cisco IOS XE Release 3.3S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 3.3S.
15.2(1)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 15.2(1)T.

## Usage Guidelines

Before you enable MPLS TE on the interface, you must enable MPLS TE on the device. An enabled interface has its resource information flooded into the appropriate Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP) link-state database and accepts traffic engineering tunnel signaling requests.

You can use this command to enable MPLS traffic engineering on an interface, thereby eliminating the need to use the **ip rsvp bandwidth** command. However, if your configuration includes Call Admission Control (CAC) for IPv4 Resource Reservation Protocol (RSVP) flows, you must use the **ip rsvp bandwidth** command.

## Examples

The following example shows how to enable MPLS traffic engineering on Ethernet interface 0/0:

```
Router(config)# interface Ethernet0/0
Router(config-if)# mpls traffic-eng tunnels
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>ip rsvp bandwidth</b>	Enables RSVP for IP on an interface.
	<b>mpls traffic-eng tunnels (global configuration)</b>	Enables MPLS traffic engineering tunnel signaling on a device.

# mpls ttl-dec

To specify standard Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) tagging, use the **mpls ttl-dec** command in global configuration mode. To return to the default settings, use the **no** form of this command.

**mpls ttl-dec**

**no mpls ttl-dec**

**Syntax Description** This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Defaults** Optimized MPLS tagging (**no mpls ttl-dec**).

**Command Modes** Global configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.2(18)SXE	This command was introduced on the Supervisor Engine 720.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

**Usage Guidelines** In Cisco IOS Release 12.2(18)SXE and later releases, MPLS tagging has been optimized to allow the rewriting of the original packet's IP type of service (ToS) and Time to Live (TTL) values before the MPLS label is pushed onto the packet header. This change can result in a slightly lower performance for certain types of traffic. If the packet's original ToS/TTL values are not significant, you enter the **mpls ttl-dec** command for standard MPLS tagging.

**Examples** This example shows how to configure the Cisco 7600 series router to use standard MPLS tagging behavior:

```
Router(config)# mpls ttl-dec
Router(config)#
```

This example shows how to configure the Cisco 7600 series router to use optimized MPLS tagging behavior:

```
Router(config)# no mpls ttl-dec
Router(config)#
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>mpls l2transport route</b>	Enables routing of Layer 2 packets over MPLS.

# mtu

To adjust the maximum packet size or maximum transmission unit (MTU) size, use the **mtu** command in interface configuration mode, connect configuration mode, or xconnect subinterface configuration mode. To restore the MTU value to its original default value, use the **no** form of this command.

**mtu** *bytes*

**no mtu**

## Syntax Description

*bytes* MTU size, in bytes.

## Command Default

Table 4 lists default MTU values according to media type.

**Table 4** Default Media MTU Values

Media Type	Default MTU (Bytes)
Ethernet	1500
Serial	1500
Token Ring	4464
ATM	4470
FDDI	4470
HSSI (HSA)	4470

## Command Modes

Interface configuration (config-if)  
 Connect configuration (xconnect-conn-config)  
 xconnect subinterface configuration (config-if-xconn)

## Command History

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.0(26)S	This command was modified. This command was updated to support the connect configuration mode for Frame Relay Layer 2 interworking.
12.2(14)SX	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(14)SX. Support for this command was introduced on the Supervisor Engine 720.
12.2(17d)SXB	This command was modified. Support for this command was introduced on the Supervisor Engine 2.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.4(11)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(11)T.
12.2(33)SCB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SCB.
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.4	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 2.4. This command supports the xconnect subinterface configuration mode.

## Usage Guidelines

Each interface has a default maximum packet size or MTU size. This number generally defaults to the largest size possible for that interface type. On serial interfaces, the MTU size varies but cannot be set to a value less than 64 bytes.



### Note

The connect configuration mode is used only for Frame Relay Layer 2 interworking.

### Changing the MTU Size

Changing the MTU size is not supported on a loopback interface.

Changing the MTU size on a Cisco 7500 series router results in the recarving of buffers and resetting of all interfaces. The following message is displayed:

```
RSP-3-Restart:cbus complex.
```

You can configure native Gigabit Ethernet ports on the Cisco 7200 series router to a maximum MTU size of 9216 bytes. The MTU values range from 1500 to 9216 bytes. The MTU values can be configured to any range that is supported by the corresponding main interface.

### Protocol-Specific Versions of the mtu Command

Changing the MTU value with the **mtu** interface configuration command can affect values for the protocol-specific versions of the command (the **ip mtu** command, for example). If the value specified with the **ip mtu** interface configuration command is the same as the value specified with the **mtu** interface configuration command, and you change the value for the **mtu** interface configuration command, the **ip mtu** value automatically matches the new **mtu** interface configuration command value. However, changing the values for the **ip mtu** configuration commands has no effect on the value for the **mtu** interface configuration command.

### ATM and LANE Interfaces

ATM interfaces are not bound by what is configured on the major interface. By default, the MTU on a subinterface is equal to the default MTU (4490 bytes). A client is configured with the range supported by the corresponding main interface. The MTU can be changed on subinterfaces, but it may result in recarving of buffers to accommodate the new maximum MTU on the interface.

### VRF-Aware Service Infrastructure Interfaces

The **mtu** command does not support the VRF-Aware Service Infrastructure (VASI) type interface.

### Cisco 7600 Valid MTU Values

On the Cisco 7600 platform, the following valid values are applicable:

- For the SVI ports: from 64 to 9216 bytes
- For the GE-WAN+ ports: from 1500 to 9170 bytes
- For all other ports: from 1500 to 9216 bytes

You can receive jumbo frames on access subinterfaces also. The MTU values can be configured to any range that is supported by the corresponding main interface. If you enable the jumbo frames, the default is 64 bytes for the SVI ports and 9216 bytes for all other ports. The jumbo frames are disabled by default.

### Cisco uBR10012 Universal Broadband Router

While configuring the interface MTU size on a Gigabit Ethernet SPA on a Cisco uBR10012 router, consider the following guidelines:

- The default interface MTU size accommodates a 1500-byte packet, plus 22 additional bytes to cover the following overhead:
  - Layer 2 header—14 bytes
  - Dot1Q header—4 bytes
  - CRC—4 bytes
- If you are using MPLS, be sure that the **mpls mtu** command is configured with a value less than or equal to the interface MTU.
- If you are using MPLS labels, you should increase the default interface MTU size to accommodate the number of MPLS labels. Each MPLS label adds 4 bytes of overhead to a packet.



#### Note

For the Gigabit Ethernet SPAs on the Cisco uBR10012 router, the default MTU size is 1500 bytes. When the interface is being used as a Layer 2 port, the maximum configurable MTU is 9000 bytes.

### Examples

The following example shows how to specify an MTU of 1000 bytes:

```
Router(config)# interface serial 1
Router(config-if)# mtu 1000
```

### Cisco uBR10012 Universal Broadband Router

The following example shows how to specify an MTU size on a Gigabit Ethernet SPA on the Cisco uBR10012 router:

```
Router(config)# interface GigabitEthernet3/0/0
Router(config-if)# mtu 1800
```

### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>encapsulation smds</b>	Enables SMDS service on the desired interface.
<b>ip mtu</b>	Sets the MTU size of IP packets sent on an interface.

# neighbor activate

To enable the exchange of information with a Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) neighbor, use the **neighbor activate** command in address family configuration mode or router configuration mode. To disable the exchange of an address with a BGP neighbor, use the **no** form of this command.

**neighbor** {*ip-address* | *peer-group-name* | *ipv6-address*} **activate**

**no neighbor** {*ip-address* | *peer-group-name* | *ipv6-address*} **activate**

## Syntax Description

<i>ip-address</i>	IP address of the neighboring router.
<i>peer-group-name</i>	Name of the BGP peer group.
<i>ipv6-address</i>	IPv6 address of the BGP neighbor.  This argument must be in the form documented in RFC 2373 where the address is specified in hexadecimal using 16-bit values between colons.

## Command Default

The exchange of addresses with BGP neighbors is enabled for the IPv4 address family. Enabling address exchange for all other address families is disabled.



### Note

Address exchange for address family IPv4 is enabled by default for each BGP routing session configured with the **neighbor remote-as** command unless you configure the **no bgp default ipv4-activate** command before configuring the **neighbor remote-as** command, or you disable address exchange for address family IPv4 with a specific neighbor by using the **no** form of the **neighbor activate** command.

## Command Modes

Address family configuration  
Router configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
11.0	This command was introduced.
12.0(5)T	Support for address family configuration mode and the IPv4 address family was added.
12.2(2)T	The <i>ipv6-address</i> argument and support for the IPv6 address family were added.
12.0(21)ST	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(21)ST.
12.0(22)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(22)S.
12.2(14)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(14)S.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.2(25)SG	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(25)SG.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.

**Usage Guidelines**

Use this command to advertise address information in the form of an IP or IPv6 prefix. The address prefix information is known as Network Layer Reachability Information (NLRI) in BGP.

**Examples****Address Exchange Example for Address Family vpn4**

The following example shows how to enable address exchange for address family vpnv4 for all neighbors in the BGP peer group named PEPEER and for the neighbor 10.0.0.44:

```
Router(config)# address-family vpnv4
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor PEPEER activate
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor 10.0.0.44 activate
Router(config-router-af)# exit-address-family
```

**Address Exchange Example for Address Family IPv4 Unicast**

The following example shows how to enable address exchange for address family IPv4 unicast for all neighbors in the BGP peer group named group1 and for the BGP neighbor 172.16.1.1:

```
Router(config)# address-family ipv4 unicast
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor group1 activate
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor 172.16.1.1 activate
```

**Address Exchange Example for Address Family IPv6**

The following example shows how to enable address exchange for address family IPv6 for all neighbors in the BGP peer group named group2 and for the BGP neighbor 7000::2:

```
Router(config)# address-family ipv6
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor group2 activate
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor 7000::2 activate
```

**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>address-family ipv4</b>	Places the router in address family configuration mode for configuring routing sessions, such as BGP, that use standard IPv4 address prefixes.
<b>address-family ipv6</b>	Places the router in address family configuration mode for configuring routing sessions, such as BGP, that use standard IPv6 address prefixes.
<b>address-family vpnv4</b>	Places the router in address family configuration mode for configuring routing sessions, such as BGP, that use standard VPNv4 address prefixes.
<b>address-family vpnv6</b>	Places the router in address family configuration mode for configuring routing sessions, such as BGP, that use standard VPNv6 address prefixes.
<b>exit-address-family</b>	Exits from the address family submode.
<b>neighbor remote-as</b>	Adds an entry to the BGP or multiprotocol BGP neighbor table.

# neighbor allowas-in

To configure provider edge (PE) routers to allow readvertisement of all prefixes containing duplicate autonomous system numbers (ASNs), use the **neighbor allowas-in** command in router configuration mode. To disable the readvertisement of the ASN of the PE router, use the **no** form of this command.

**neighbor** *ip-address* **allowas-in** [*number*]

**no neighbor allowas-in** [*number*]

## Syntax Description

<i>ip-address</i>	IP address of the neighboring router.
<i>number</i>	(Optional) Specifies the number of times to allow the advertisement of a PE router's ASN. Valid values are from 1 to 10. If no number is supplied, the default value of 3 times is used.

## Command Default

Readvertisement of all prefixes containing duplicate ASNs is disabled by default.

## Command Modes

Router configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(7)T	This command was introduced.
12.1	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.1.
12.2	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2.
12.3	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.3.
12.3T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.3T.
12.4	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4.
12.4T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4T.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

## Usage Guidelines

In a hub and spoke configuration, a PE router readvertises all prefixes containing duplicate autonomous system numbers. Use the **neighbor allowas-in** command to configure two VRFs on each PE router to receive and readvertise prefixes as follows:

- One Virtual Private Network routing and forwarding (VRF) instance receives prefixes with ASNs from all PE routers and then advertises them to neighboring PE routers.
- The other VRF receives prefixes with ASNs from the customer edge (CE) router and readvertises them to all PE routers in the hub and spoke configuration.

You control the number of times an ASN is advertised by specifying a number from 1 to 10.

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**Examples**

The following example shows how to configure the PE router with ASN 100 to allow prefixes from the VRF address family Virtual Private Network (VPN) IPv4 vrf1. The neighboring PE router with the IP address 192.168.255.255 is set to be readvertised to other PE routers with the same ASN six times.

```
Router(config)# router bgp 100  
Router(config-router)# address-family ipv4 vrf vrf1  
Router(config-router)# neighbor 192.168.255.255 allowas-in 6
```

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**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>address-family</b>	Enters the address family configuration submode used to configure routing protocols such as BGP, OSPF, RIP, and static routing.

# neighbor as-override

To configure a provider edge (PE) router to override the autonomous system number (ASN) of a site with the ASN of a provider, use the **neighbor as-override** command in router configuration mode. To remove Virtual Private Network (VPN) IPv4 prefixes from a specified router, use the **no** form of this command.

**neighbor** *ip-address* **as-override**

**no neighbor** *ip-address* **as-override**

## Syntax Description

<i>ip-address</i>	Specifies the IP address of the router that is to be overridden with the ASN provided.
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## Defaults

Automatic override of the ASN is disabled.

## Command Modes

Router configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(7)T	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

## Usage Guidelines

This command is used in conjunction with the site-of-origin feature, identifying the site where a route originated, and preventing routing loops between routers within a VPN.

## Examples

The following example shows how to configure a router to override the ASN of a site with the ASN of a provider:

```
Router(config)# router bgp 100
Router(config-router)# neighbor 192.168.255.255 remote-as 109
Router(config-router)# neighbor 192.168.255.255 update-source loopback0
Router(config-router)# address-family ipv4 vrf vpn1
Router(config-router)# neighbor 192.168.255.255 activate
Router(config-router)# neighbor 192.168.255.255 as-override
```

**Related Commands**

<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>neighbor activate</b>	Enables the exchange of information with a BGP neighboring router.
<b>neighbor remote-as</b>	Allows a neighboring router's IP address to be included in the BGP routing table.
<b>neighbor update-source</b>	Allows internal BGP sessions to use any operational interface for TCP/IP connections.
<b>route-map</b>	Redistributes routes from one routing protocol to another.

# neighbor inter-as-hybrid

To configure the eBGP peer router (ASBR) as an Inter-AS Option AB peer, use the **neighbor inter-as-hybrid** command.

- Advertised routes have the route targets (RTs) that are configured on the VRF. Advertised routes do not have their original RTs.
- If any prefixes are imported into Option AB VRFs, then the imported paths are advertised to this peer.

**neighbor** {*ip-address* | *peer-group-name*} **inter-as-hybrid**

**no neighbor** {*ip-address* | *peer-group-name*} **inter-as-hybrid**

## Syntax Description

<i>ip-address</i>	Specifies the IP address of the Inter-AS AB neighbor.
<i>peer-group-name</i>	Specifies the name of a BGP peer group.
<b>inter-as-hybrid</b>	Specifies that the neighbor is an Option AB neighbor.

## Defaults

No Inter-AS AB neighbor eBGP (ASBR) router is specified.

## Command Modes

Address family configuration (config-router-af)

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.2(33)SRC	This command was introduced.
15.0(1)M	This command was modified. It was integrated into the release.

## Examples

The following example specifies an Inter-AS AB neighbor eBGP (ASBR) router:

```
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor 10.0.0.1 inter-as-hybrid
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>address-family vpn4</b>	Enters address family configuration mode for configuring routing sessions, such as BGP, that use standard VPNv4 address prefixes.
<b>inter-as-hybrid</b>	Specifies a VRF as an Option AB VRF.
<b>neighbor</b>	Adds an entry to the BGP or multiprotocol BGP neighbor table.
<b>neighbor activate</b>	Enables the exchange of information with a neighboring router.

# neighbor send-label

To enable a Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) router to send Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) labels with BGP routes to a neighboring BGP router, use the **neighbor send-label** command in address family configuration mode or router configuration mode. To disable this feature, use the **no** form of this command.

```
neighbor {ip-address | ipv6-address | peer-group-name} send-label [explicit-null]
```

```
neighbor {ip-address | ipv6-address | peer-group-name} send-label [explicit-null]
```

Syntax Description		
	<i>ip-address</i>	IP address of the neighboring router.
	<i>ipv6-address</i>	IPv6 address of the neighboring router.
	<i>peer-group-name</i>	Name of a BGP peer group.
	<b>send-label</b>	Sends Network Layer Reachability Information (NLRI) and MPLS labels to this peer.
	<b>explicit-null</b>	(Optional) Advertises the Explicit Null label.

**Command Default** BGP routers distribute only BGP routes.

**Command Modes** Address family configuration (config-router-af)  
Router configuration (config-router)

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(21)ST	This command was introduced.
	12.0(22)S	This command was modified. The <i>ipv6-address</i> argument was added.
	12.2(13)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(13)T.
	12.2(14)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(14)S.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(25)SG	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(25)SG.
	12.2(33)SRB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRB.
	12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
	Cisco IOS XE Release 2.1	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 2.1.

**Usage Guidelines** The **neighbor send-label** command enables a router to use BGP to distribute MPLS labels along with IPv4 routes to a peer router. You must issue this command on both the local and the neighboring router. This command has the following restrictions:

- If a BGP session is running when you issue the **neighbor send-label** command, the BGP session flaps immediately after the command is issued.

- In router configuration mode, only IPv4 addresses are distributed.

Use the **neighbor send-label** command in address family configuration mode, to bind and advertise IPv6 prefix MPLS labels. Using this command in conjunction with the **mpls ipv6 source-interface** global configuration command allows IPv6 traffic to run over an IPv4 MPLS network without any software or hardware configuration changes in the backbone. Edge routers configured to run both IPv4 and IPv6 traffic forward IPv6 traffic using MPLS and multiprotocol internal BGP (MP-iBGP).

Cisco IOS software installs /32 routes for directly connected external BGP (eBGP) peers when the BGP session for such a peer comes up. The /32 routes are installed only when MPLS labels are exchanged between such peers. Directly connected eBGP peers exchange MPLS labels for:

- IP address families (IPv4 and IPv6) with the **neighbor send-label** command enabled for the peers
- VPN address families (VPNv4 and VPNv6)

A single BGP session can include multiple address families. If one of the families exchanges MPLS labels, the /32 neighbor route is installed for the connected peer.

## Examples

The following example shows how to enable a router in autonomous system 65000 to send MPLS labels with BGP routes to the neighboring BGP router at 192.168.0.1:

```
Router(config)# router bgp 65000
Router(config-router)# neighbor 192.168.0.1 remote-as 65001
Router(config-router)# neighbor 192.168.0.1 send-label
```

The following example shows how to enable a router in the autonomous system 65000 to bind and advertise IPv6 prefix MPLS labels and send the labels with BGP routes to the neighboring BGP router at 192.168.99.70:

```
Router(config)# router bgp 65000
Router(config-router)# neighbor 192.168.99.70 remote-as 65000
Router(config-router)# address-family ipv6
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor 192.168.99.70 activate
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor 192.168.99.70 send-label
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>address-family ipv6</b>	Enters address family configuration mode for configuring routing sessions such as BGP that use standard IPv6 address prefixes.
<b>neighbor activate</b>	Enables the exchange of information with a neighboring router.
<b>neighbor remote-as</b>	Adds an entry to the BGP or multiprotocol BGP neighbor table.
<b>mpls ipv6 source-interface</b>	Specifies an IPv6 address of an interface to be used as the source address for locally generated IPv6 packets to be sent over an MPLS network.

# neighbor send-label explicit-null

To enable a Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) router to send Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) labels with explicit-null information for a CSC-CE router and BGP routes to a neighboring CSC-PE router, use the **neighbor send-label explicit-null** command in address family configuration mode or router configuration mode. To disable a BGP router from sending MPLS labels with explicit-null information, use the **no** form of this command.

**neighbor** *ip-address* **send-label explicit-null**

**no neighbor** *ip-address* **send-label explicit-null**

## Syntax Description

<i>ip-address</i>	IP address of the neighboring router.
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## Command Default

None

## Command Modes

Address family configuration  
Router configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(27)S	This command was introduced.
12.4	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.

## Usage Guidelines

This command enables a CSC-CE router to use BGP to distribute MPLS labels with a value of zero for explicit-null instead of implicit-null along with IPv4 routes to a CSC-PE peer router.

You must issue this command only on the local CSC-CE router.

You can use this command only with IPv4 addresses.

## Examples

In the following CSC-CE example, CSC is configured with BGP to distribute labels and to advertise explicit null for all its connected routes:

```
Router# configure terminal
```

```
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
```

```
Router(config)# router bgp 100
```

```
Router(config-router)# neighbor 10.0.0.2 remote-as 300
```

```
Router(config-router)# address-family ipv4
```

```
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor 10.0.0.2 send-label explicit-null
```

In the following CSC-PE example, CSC is configured with BGP to distribute labels:

```
Router# configure terminal
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
Router(config)# router bgp 300
Router(config-router)# neighbor 10.0.0.1 remote-as 100
Router(config-router)# address-family ipv4 vrf v1
Router(config-router-af)# neighbor 10.0.0.1 send-label
```



**Note**

Explicit null is not applicable on a CSC-PE router.

**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>neighbor activate</b>	Enables the exchange of information with a neighboring router.
<b>neighbor send-label</b>	Enables a BGP router to send MPLS labels with BGP routes to a neighboring BGP router.

## neighbor (VPLS transport mode)

To create pseudowires with specific provider edge (PE) routers in an L2VPN Advanced VPLS configuration, use the **neighbor** command in VPLS transport configuration mode. To remove the pseudowires, use the **no** form of this command.

```
neighbor remote-router-id [pw-class pw-class-name]
```

```
no neighbor remote-router-id
```

Syntax Description		
	<i>remote-router-id</i>	Remote peer router identifier. The remote router ID can be any IP address, as long as it is reachable.
	<b>pw-class</b>	(Optional) Specifies the pseudowire class configuration from which the data encapsulation type is taken.
	<i>pw-name-name</i>	Name of the pseudowire class.

**Command Default** Pseudowires are not created.

**Command Modes** VPLS transport configuration (config-if-transport)

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.2(33)SX14	This command was introduced.

**Usage Guidelines** The **neighbor** command uses default values for the VFI name, VPN ID, and encapsulation type.

**Examples** The following example shows how two pseudowires are created with PE routers 10.2.2.2 and 10.3.3.3:

```
Router(config)# interface virtual-ethernet 1
Router(config-if)# transport vpls mesh
Router(config-if-transport)# neighbor 10.2.2.2 pw-class 1
Router(config-if-transport)# neighbor 10.3.3.3 pw-class 1
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>transport vpls mesh</b>	Creates a full mesh of pseudowires under a virtual private LAN switching (VPLS) domain.

# next-address

To specify the next IP address in the explicit path, use the **next-address** command in IP explicit path configuration mode.

**next-address** [**loose** | **strict**] *ip-address*

Syntax Description		
	<b>loose</b>	(Optional) Specifies that the previous address (if any) in the explicit path need not be directly connected to the next IP address, and that the router is free to determine the path from the previous address (if any) to the next IP address.
	<b>strict</b>	(Optional) Specifies that the previous address (if any) in the explicit path must be directly connected to the next IP address.
	<i>ip-address</i>	Next IP address in the explicit path.

**Command Default** The next IP address in the explicit path is not specified.

**Command Modes** IP explicit path configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(5)S	This command was introduced.
	12.0(19)ST1	The <b>loose</b> and <b>strict</b> keywords were added.
	12.0(21)ST	Support for the Cisco 12000 series router was added.
	12.2(18)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(18)S.
	12.2(18)SXD	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(18)SXD.
	12.2(27)SBC	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(27)SBC.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

**Usage Guidelines** To specify an explicit path that includes only the addresses specified, specify each address in sequence by using the **next-address** command without the **loose** keyword.

To configure an interarea traffic engineering (TE) tunnel, configure the tunnel path options as loose explicit paths. Specify that each Autonomous System Boundary Router (ASBR) traversed by the tunnel label switched path (LSP) is a loose hop by entering the **loose** keyword with the **next-address** command.

To use explicit paths for TE tunnels within an Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP) area, you can specify a combination of both loose and strict hops.

When specifying an explicit path for an MPLS TE tunnel, you can specify link or node addresses of the next-hop routers in an explicit path. You can also specify a mixture of link and node addresses. However, there are some restrictions:

- In Cisco IOS Releases 12.2(33)SRD and 12.4(24)T, and Cisco XE Release 2.4 and earlier releases, you cannot specify an explicit path that uses a link address as the first hop and then node addresses as the subsequent hops. However, you can use a node address as the first hop and link addresses as the subsequent hops.
- In Cisco IOS Releases after 12.2(33)SRD, 12.4(24)T, and Cisco XE Release 2.4, you can use a link address as the first hop and then node addresses as the subsequent hops. There are no restrictions when specifying a mixture of link and node addresses.

When specifying an explicit path, if you specify the “forward” address (the address of the interface that forwards the traffic to the next router) as the next-hop address, the explicit path might not be used. Using the forward address allows that entry to be treated as a loose hop for path calculation. Cisco recommends that you use the “receive” address (the address of the interface that receives traffic from the sending router) as the next-hop address.

In the following example, router R3 sends traffic to router R1. The paths marked a,b and x,y between routers R1 and R2 are parallel paths.

```
R1 (a) ---- (b) R2 (c) -- (d) R3
      (x) ---- (y)
```

If you configure an explicit path from R3 to R1 using the “forward” addresses (addresses d and b), the tunnel might reroute traffic over the parallel path (x,y) instead of the explicit path. To ensure that the tunnel uses the explicit path, specify the “receive” addresses as part of the **next-address** command, as shown in the following example:

```
ip explicit-path name path1
  next-address (c)
  next-address (a)
```

## Examples

The following example shows how to assign the number 60 to the IP explicit path, enable the path, and specify 10.3.27.3 as the next IP address in the list of IP addresses:

```
Router(config)# ip explicit-path identifier 60 enable
Router(cfg-ip-expl-path)# next-address 10.3.27.3
```

```
Explicit Path identifier 60:
  1: next-address 10.3.27.3
```

The following example shows a loose IP explicit path with ID 60. An interarea TE tunnel has a destination of 10.3.29.3 and traverses ASBRs 10.3.27.3 and 10.3.28.3.

```
Router(config)# ip explicit-path identifier 60
Router(cfg-ip-expl-path)# next-address loose 10.3.27.3
Router(cfg-ip-expl-path)# next-address loose 10.3.28.3
Router(cfg-ip-expl-path)# next-address loose 10.3.29.3
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>append-after</b>	Inserts the new path entry after the specified index number.
<b>index</b>	Inserts or modifies a path entry at a specified index.
<b>ip explicit-path</b>	Enters the subcommand mode for IP explicit paths and creates or modifies the specified path.
<b>list</b>	Displays all or part of the explicit paths.
<b>show ip explicit-paths</b>	Displays configured IP explicit paths.

## oam retry

To configure parameters related to Operation, Administration, and Maintenance (OAM) management for an ATM permanent virtual circuit (PVC), switched virtual circuit (SVC), VC class, or VC bundle, or label-controlled ATM (LC-ATM) VC, use the **oam retry** command in the appropriate command mode. To remove OAM management parameters, use the **no** form of this command.

**oam retry** *up-count down-count retry-frequency*

**no oam retry**

### Syntax Description

<i>up-count</i>	Number of consecutive end-to-end F5 OAM loopback cell responses that must be received in order to change a connection state to up. This argument does not apply to SVCs.
<i>down-count</i>	Number of consecutive end-to-end F5 OAM loopback cell responses that are not received in order to change the state to down or tear down an SVC connection.
<i>retry-frequency</i>	The frequency (in seconds) at which end-to-end F5 OAM loopback cells are transmitted when a change in the up/down state is being verified. For example, if a PVC is up and a loopback cell response is not received after the <i>retry-frequency</i> (in seconds) argument is specified using the <b>oam-pvc</b> command, loopback cells are sent at the <i>retry-frequency</i> to verify whether the PVC is down.

### Defaults

#### ATM PVCs and SVCs

*up-count*: 3

*down-count*: 5

*retry-frequency*: 1 second

#### LC-ATM VCs

*up-count*: 2

*down-count*: 2

*retry-frequency*: 2 seconds

### Command Modes

Bundle configuration mode (for a VC bundle)  
 Control-VC configuration (for an LC-ATM VC)  
 Interface-ATM-VC configuration (for an ATM PVC or SVC)  
 PVC range configuration (for an ATM PVC range)  
 PVC-in-range configuration (for an individual PVC within a PVC range)  
 VC-class configuration (for a VC class)

### Command History

Release	Modification
11.3T	This command was introduced.
12.0(3)T	This command was modified to allow configuration parameters related to OAM management for ATM VC bundles.

Release	Modification
12.1(5)T	This command was implemented in PVC range and PVC-in-range configuration modes.
12.3(2)T	This command was implemented in control-VC configuration mode.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

### Usage Guidelines

The following guidelines apply to PVCs, SVCs, and VC classes. They do not apply to LC-ATM VCs.

- For ATM PVCs, SVCs, or VC bundles, if the **oam retry** command is not explicitly configured, the VC inherits the following default configuration (listed in order of precedence):
  - Configuration of the **oam retry** command in a VC class assigned to the PVC or SVC itself.
  - Configuration of the **oam retry** command in a VC class assigned to the PVC's or SVC's ATM subinterface.
  - Configuration of the **oam retry** command in a VC class assigned to the PVC's or SVC's ATM main interface.
  - Global default: *up-count* = 3, *down-count* = 5, *retry-frequency* = 1 second. This set of defaults assumes that OAM management is enabled using the **oam-pvc** or **oam-svc** command. The *up-count* and *retry-frequency* arguments do not apply to SVCs.
- To use this command in bundle configuration mode, enter the bundle command to create the bundle or to specify an existing bundle before you enter this command.
- If you use the **oam retry** command to configure a VC bundle, you configure all VC members of that bundle. VCs in a VC bundle are further subject to the following inheritance rules (listed in order of precedence):
  - VC configuration in bundle-vc mode
  - Bundle configuration in bundle mode (with the effect of assigned VC-class configuration)
  - Subinterface configuration in subinterface mode

### Examples

The following example shows how to configure the OAM management parameters with an up count of 3, a down-count of 3, and the retry frequency set at 10 seconds:

```
Router(cfg-mpls-atm-cvc)# oam retry 3 3 10
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>broadcast</b>	Configures broadcast packet duplication and transmission for an ATM VC class, PVC, SVC, or VC bundle.
	<b>class-int</b>	Assigns a VC class to an ATM main interface or subinterface.
	<b>class-vc</b>	Assigns a VC class to an ATM PVC, SVC, or VC bundle member.
	<b>encapsulation</b>	Sets the encapsulation method used by the interface.
	<b>inarp</b>	Configures the Inverse ARP time period for an ATM PVC, VC class, or VC bundle.
	<b>oam-bundle</b>	Enables end-to-end F5 OAM loopback cell generation and OAM management for a virtual circuit class that can be applied to a virtual circuit bundle.
	<b>oam-pvc</b>	Enables end-to-end F5 OAM loopback cell generation and OAM management for an ATM PVC or virtual circuit class.
	<b>oam-svc</b>	Enables end-to-end F5 OAM loopback cell generation and OAM management for an ATM SVC or virtual circuit class.
	<b>protocol (ATM)</b>	Configures a static map for an ATM PVC, SVC, VC class, or VC bundle. Enables Inverse ARP or Inverse ARP broadcasts on an ATM PVC by either configuring Inverse ARP directly on the PVC, on the VC bundle, or in a VC class (applies to IP and IPX protocols only).
	<b>ubr</b>	Configures UBR QoS and specifies the output peak cell rate for an ATM PVC, SVC, VC class, or VC bundle member.
	<b>ubr+</b>	Configures UBR QoS and specifies the output peak cell rate and output minimum guaranteed cell rate for an ATM PVC, SVC, VC class, or VC bundle member.
	<b>vbr-nrt</b>	Configures the VBR-NRT QoS and specifies output peak cell rate, output sustainable cell rate, and output maximum burst cell size for an ATM PVC, SVC, VC class, or VC bundle member.

# oam-ac emulation-enable

To enable Operation, Administration, and Maintenance (OAM) cell emulation on ATM adaptation layer 5 (AAL5) over Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) or Layer 2 Tunnel Protocol Version 3 (L2TPv3), use the **oam-ac emulation-enable** command in the appropriate configuration mode on both provider edge (PE) routers. To disable OAM cell emulation, use the **no** form of this command on both routers.

**oam-ac emulation-enable** [*seconds*]

**no oam-ac emulation-enable** [*seconds*]

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>seconds</i>	(Optional) The rate (in seconds) at which the alarm indication signal (AIS) cells should be sent. The range is 0 to 60 seconds. If you specify 0, no AIS cells are sent. The default is 1 second, which means that one AIS cell is sent every second.
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**Command Default** OAM cell emulation is disabled.

**Command Modes** L2transport VC configuration—for an ATM PVC  
VC class configuration mode—for a VC class

<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	12.0(23)S	This command was introduced.
	12.2(14)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(14)S.
	12.2(15)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(15)T.
	12.0(30)S	This command was updated to enable OAM cell emulation as part of a virtual circuit (VC) class.
	12.0(31)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(31)S.
	12.2(27)SBC	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(27)SBC.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.4(11)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(11)T.
	12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
	12.2(33)SRC	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRC.

**Usage Guidelines** This command is used with AAL5 over MPLS or L2TPv3 and is not supported with ATM cell relay over MPLS or L2TPv3.

**Examples**

The following example shows how to enable OAM cell emulation on an ATM permanent virtual circuit (PVC):

```
Router# interface ATM 1/0/0
Router(config-if)# pvc 1/200 l2transport
Router(config-if-atm-l2trans-pvc)# oam-ac emulation-enable
```

The following example shows how to set the rate at which an AIS cell is sent every 30 seconds:

```
Router# interface ATM 1/0/0
Router(config-if)# pvc 1/200 l2transport
Router(config-if-atm-l2trans-pvc)# oam-ac emulation-enable 30
```

The following example configures OAM cell emulation for ATM AAL5 over MPLS in VC class configuration mode. The VC class is then applied to an interface.

```
Router> enable
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# vc-class atm oamclass
Router(config-vc-class)# encapsulation aal5
Router(config-vc-class)# oam-ac emulation-enable 30
Router(config-vc-class)# oam-pvc manage
Router(config)# interface atm1/0
Router(config-if)# class-int oamclass
Router(config-if)# pvc 1/200 l2transport
Router(config-if-atm-l2trans-pvc)# xconnect 10.13.13.13 100 encapsulation mpls
```

**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>show atm pvc</b>	Displays all ATM PVCs and traffic information.

## oam-pvc

To enable end-to-end F5 Operation, Administration, and Maintenance (OAM) loopback cell generation and OAM management for an ATM permanent virtual circuit (PVC), virtual circuit (VC) class, or label-controlled ATM (LC-ATM) VC, use the **oam-pvc** command in the appropriate command mode. To disable generation of OAM loopback cells and OAM management, use the **no** form of this command.

### ATM VC or VC Class

**oam-pvc** [**manage**] [*frequency*]

**no oam-pvc** [**manage**]

### LC-ATM VC

**oam-pvc manage** [*frequency*]

**no oam-pvc manage**

### Loopback Mode Detection

**oam-pvc manage** [*frequency*] **loop-detection**

**no oam-pvc manage loop-detection**

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**oam-pvc manage** [*frequency*] [**auto-detect** [**optimum**]] [**keep-vc-up** [**seg aisrdi failure**]]

**no oam-pvc manage** [*frequency*] [**auto-detect** [**optimum**]] [**keep-vc-up** [**seg aisrdi failure**]]

### Syntax Description

<b>manage</b>	(Optional for ATM VCs or VC classes; required for LC-ATM VCs) Enables OAM management. The default is disabled.
<i>frequency</i>	(Optional) Specifies the time delay between transmitting OAM loopback cells, in seconds. For ATM VCs or VC classes and loopback mode detection, the range is from 0 to 600, and the default is 10. For LC-ATM VCs, the range is from 0 to 255, and the default is 5.
<b>loop-detection</b>	Enables automatic detection of whether the physically connected ATM switch is in loopback mode. The default is disabled.
<b>auto-detect</b>	(Optional) Enables auto-detection of peer OAM command cells.
<b>optimum</b>	(Optional) Configures an optimum mode so that when the traffic-monitoring timer expires, the PVC sends an OAM command cell at the locally configured frequency instead of going into Retry mode immediately. If there is no response, the PVC goes into Retry mode.
<b>keep-vc-up</b>	(Optional) Specifies that the VC will be kept in the UP state when continuity check (CC) cells detect connectivity failure.
<b>seg aisrdi failure</b>	(Optional) Specifies that if segment alarm indication signal/remote defect indication (AIS/RDI) cells are received, the VC will not be brought down because of end CC failure or loopback failure.

**Command Default** OAM management and loop detection are disabled.

**Command Modes** ATM VC class configuration (for a VC class)  
 ATM VC configuration (for an ATM PVC or loopback mode detection)  
 Control-VC configuration (for enabling OAM management on an LC-ATM VC)  
 PVC-in-range configuration (for an individual PVC within a PVC range)

Command History	Release	Modification
	11.3	This command was introduced.
	12.1(5)T	This command was implemented in PVC-in-range configuration mode.
	12.3(2)T	This command was implemented for LC-ATM VCs.
	12.0(30)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(30)S, and the <b>loop-detection</b> keyword was added.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2SX	This command is supported in the Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX train. Support in a specific 12.2SX release of this train depends on your feature set, platform, and platform hardware.

**Usage Guidelines** If OAM management is enabled, further control of OAM management is configured by using the **oam retry** command.

#### ATM VC or VC Classes

If the **oam-pvc** command is not explicitly configured on an ATM PVC, the PVC inherits the following default configuration (in order of precedence):

- Configuration from the **oam-pvc** command in a VC class assigned to the PVC itself.
- Configuration from the **oam-pvc** command in a VC class assigned to the ATM subinterface of the PVC.
- Configuration from the **oam-pvc** command in a VC class assigned to the ATM main interface of the PVC.
- Global default: End-to-end F5 OAM loopback cell generation and OAM management are disabled, but if OAM cells are received, they are looped back. The default value for the *frequency* argument is 10 seconds.

#### Loopback Mode Detection

When a PVC traverses an ATM cloud and OAM is enabled, the router sends a loopback cell to the other end and waits for a response to determine whether the circuit is up. If an intervening router within the ATM cloud is in loopback mode, however, the router considers the circuit to be up, when in fact the other end is not reachable.

When enabled, the Loopback Mode Detection Through OAM feature detects when an intervening router is in loopback mode, in which case it sets the OAM state to NOT\_VERIFIED. This prevents traffic from being routed on the PVC for as long as any intervening router is detected as being in loopback mode.

**Examples**

The following example shows how to enable end-to-end F5 OAM loopback cell transmission and OAM management on an ATM PVC with a transmission frequency of 3 seconds:

```
Router(cfg-mpls-atm-cvc)# oam-pvc manage 3
```

The following example shows how to enable end-to-end F5 OAM loopback cell transmission and OAM management on an LC-ATM interface with a transmission frequency of 2 seconds:

```
Router(config)# interface Switch1.10 mpls
Router(config-subif)# ip unnumbered Loopback0
Router(config-subif)# mpls atm control-vc 0 32
Router(cfg-mpls-atm-cvc)# oam-pvc manage 2
```

The following example shows how to create a PVC and enable loopback detection:

```
Router(config)# interface ATM1/0
Router(config-if)# pvc 4/100
Router(config-if-atm-vc)# oam-pvc manage loop-detection
```

**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>ilmi manage</b>	Enables ILMI management on an ATM PVC.
<b>oam retry</b>	Configures parameters related to OAM management for an ATM PVC, SVC, VC class, or LC-ATM VC.
<b>show atm pvc</b>	Displays all ATM PVCs and traffic information.

# ping mpls

To check Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) label switched path (LSP) connectivity, use the **ping mpls** command in privileged EXEC mode.

```
ping mpls { ipv4 destination-address/destination-mask-length [destination address-start
address-end increment] [ttl time-to-live] | pseudowire ipv4-address vc-id [segment
[segment-number]] [destination address-start address-end increment] | traffic-eng
tunnel-interface tunnel-number [ttl time-to-live]}
[revision { 1 | 2 | 3 | 4}]
[source source-address]
[repeat count]
[timeout seconds]
[size packet-size | sweep minimum maximum size-increment]
[pad pattern]
[reply dscp dscp-value]
[reply pad-tlv]
[reply mode { ipv4 | router-alert}]
[interval ms]
[exp exp-bits]
[verbose]
[revision tlv-revision-number]
[force-explicit-null]
[output interface tx-interface [nexthop ip-address]]
[dsmap [hashkey { none | ipv4 bitmap bitmap-size }]]]
[flags fec]
```

## Syntax Description

<b>ipv4</b>	Specifies the destination type as a Label Distribution Protocol (LDP) IPv4 address.
<i>destination-address</i>	Address prefix of the target to be tested.
<i>/destination-mask-length</i>	Number of bits in the network mask of the target address. The slash is required.
<b>destination</b>	(Optional) Specifies a network 127 address.
<i>address-start</i>	(Optional) Beginning network 127 address.
<i>address-end</i>	(Optional) Ending network 127 address.
<i>increment</i>	(Optional) Number by which to increment the network 127 address.
<b>ttl</b> <i>time-to-live</i>	(Optional) Specifies a time-to-live (TTL) value. The default is 225 seconds.
<b>pseudowire</b>	Specifies the destination type as an Any Transport over MPLS (AToM) virtual circuit (VC).
<i>ipv4-address</i>	IPv4 address of the AToM VC to be tested.
<i>vc-id</i>	Specifies the VC identifier of the AToM VC to be tested.
<b>segment</b> <i>segment-number</i>	(Optional) Specifies a segment of a multisegment pseudowire.
<b>traffic-eng</b>	Specifies the destination type as an MPLS traffic engineering (TE) tunnel.
<i>tunnel-interface</i>	Tunnel interface to be tested.
<i>tunnel-number</i>	Tunnel interface number.

<b>revision</b> {1   2   3   4}	(Optional) Selects the type, length, values (TLVs) version of the implementation. Use the <b>revision 4</b> default unless attempting to interoperate with devices running Cisco IOS Release 12.0(27)S1 or 12.0(27)S2. If you do not select a <b>revision</b> keyword, the software uses the latest version.  See <a href="#">Table 5</a> in the “Revision Keyword Usage” section of the “Usage Guidelines” section for information on when to select the <b>1</b> , <b>2</b> , <b>3</b> , and <b>4</b> keywords.
<b>source</b> <i>source-address</i>	(Optional) Specifies the source address or name. The default address is loopback0. This address is used as the destination address in the MPLS echo response.
<b>repeat</b> <i>count</i>	(Optional) Specifies the number of times to resend the same packet. The range is from 1 to 2147483647. The default is 1. If you do not enter the <b>repeat</b> keyword, the software resends the same packet five times.
<b>timeout</b> <i>seconds</i>	(Optional) Specifies the timeout interval in seconds for an MPLS request packet. The range is from 0 to 3600. The default is 2 seconds.
<b>size</b> <i>packet-size</i>	(Optional) Specifies the size of the packet with the label stack imposed. Packet size is the number of bytes in each ping. The range is from 40 to 18024. The default is 100.
<b>sweep</b>	(Optional) Enables you to send a number of packets of different sizes, ranging from a start size to an end size. This parameter is similar to the Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP) <b>ping sweep</b> parameter.
<i>minimum</i>	(Optional) Minimum or start size for an MPLS echo packet. The lower boundary of the <b>sweep</b> range varies depending on the LSP type. The default is 100 bytes.
<i>maximum</i>	(Optional) Maximum or end size for an echo packet. The default is 17,986 bytes.
<i>size-increment</i>	(Optional) Number by which to increment the echo packet size. The default is 100 bytes.
<b>pad</b> <i>pattern</i>	(Optional) The pad TLV is used to fill the datagram so that the MPLS echo request (User Datagram Protocol [UDP] packet with a label stack) is the specified size. The default is 0xABCD.
<b>reply dscp</b> <i>dscp-value</i>	(Optional) Provides the capability to request a specific class of service (CoS) in an echo reply by providing a differentiated services code point (DSCP) value.  The echo reply is returned with the IP header type of service (ToS) byte set to the value specified in the <b>reply dscp</b> command.
<b>reply pad-tlv</b>	(Optional) Tests the ability of the sender of an echo reply to support the copy pad TLV to echo reply.
<b>reply mode</b> { <b>ipv4</b>   <b>router-alert</b> }	(Optional) Specifies the reply mode for the echo request packet. <b>ipv4</b> —Reply with an IPv4 UDP packet (default). <b>router-alert</b> —Reply with an IPv4 UDP packet with router alert.
<b>interval</b> <i>ms</i>	(Optional) Specifies the time, in milliseconds (ms), between successive MPLS echo requests. This parameter allows you to pace the transmission of packets so that the receiving router does not drop packets. Default is 0.
<b>exp</b> <i>exp-bits</i>	(Optional) Specifies the MPLS experimental field value in the MPLS header for an MPLS echo reply. Valid values are from 0 to 7. Default is 0.

<b>verbose</b>	(Optional) Displays the MPLS echo reply sender address of the packet and displays return codes.
<b>revision</b> <i>tlv-revision-number</i>	(Optional) Cisco TLV revision number.
<b>force-explicit-null</b>	(Optional) Forces an explicit null label to be added to the MPLS label stack even though the label was unsolicited.
<b>output interface</b> <i>tx-interface</i>	(Optional) Specifies the output interface for echo requests.
<b>nexthop</b> <i>ip-address</i>	(Optional) Causes packets to go through the specified next-hop address.
<b>dsmap</b>	(Optional) Interrogates a transit router for downstream mapping (DSMAP) information.
<b>hashkey</b> { <b>none</b>   <b>ipv4</b> <b>bitmap</b> <i>bitmap-size</i> }	(Optional) Allows you to control the hash key and multipath settings. Valid values are:  <b>none</b> —There is no multipath (type 0). <b>ipv4 bitmap</b> <i>bitmap-size</i> —Size of the IPv4 addresses (type 8) bitmap. If you enter the <b>none</b> keyword, multipath LSP traceroute acts like enhanced LSP traceroute; that is, it uses multipath LSP traceroute retry logic and consistency checking.
<b>flags fec</b>	(Optional) Allows Forward Equivalence Class (FEC) checking on the transit router. A downstream map TLV containing the correct received labels must be present in the echo request for target FEC stack checking to be performed.  Target FEC stack validation is always done at the egress router. Be sure to use this keyword in conjunction with the <b>tfl</b> keyword.

**Command Default**

You cannot check MPLS LSP connectivity.

**Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#)

**Command History**

Release	Modification
12.0(27)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(18)SXE	The <b>reply dscp</b> and <b>reply pad-tlv</b> keywords were added.
12.4(6)T	The following keywords were added: <b>revision</b> , <b>force-explicit-null</b> , <b>output interface</b> , <b>dsmap</b> , <b>hashkey</b> , <b>none</b> , <b>ipv4 bitmap</b> , and <b>flags fec</b> .
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB and implemented on the Cisco 10000 series routers.
12.0(32)SY	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(32)SY.
12.4(11)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(11)T.
12.2(31)SB2	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(31)SB2. The <b>nexthop</b> keyword was added.
12.2(33)SXI	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXI.

Release	Modification
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.3	This command was updated with the <b>segment</b> keyword.
12.2(33)SRE	This command was modified. Restrictions were added to the <b>pseudowire</b> keyword.

## Usage Guidelines



### Note

It is recommended that you use the **mpls oam** global configuration command instead of this command.

Use the **ping mpls** command to validate, test, or troubleshoot IPv4 LDP LSPs, IPv4 Resource Reservation Protocol (RSVP) TE tunnels, and AToM VCs.

### UDP Destination Address Usage

The destination address is a valid 127/8 address. You have the option to specify a single *x.y.z-address* or a range of numbers from 0.0.0 to *x.y.z*, where *x*, *y*, and *z* are numbers from 0 to 255 and correspond to the 127.*x.y.z* destination address.

The MPLS echo request destination address in the UDP packet is not used to forward the MPLS packet to the destination router. The label stack that is used to forward the echo request routes the MPLS packet to the destination router. The 127/8 address guarantees that the packets are routed to the local host (the default loopback address of the router processing the address) if the UDP packet destination address is used for forwarding.

In addition, the destination address is used to adjust load balancing when the destination address of the IP payload is used for load balancing.

### Time-to-Live Usage

The time-to-live value indicates the maximum number of hops a packet should take to reach its destination. The value in the TTL field in a packet is decremented by 1 each time the packet travels through a router.

For MPLS LSP ping, the TTL is a value after which the packet is discarded and an MPLS echo reply is sent back to the originating router.

For MPLS multipath LSP traceroute, the TTL is a maximum time-to-live value and is used to discover the number of downstream hops to the destination router. MPLS LSP traceroute incrementally increases the TTL value in its MPLS echo requests (TTL = 1, 2, 3, 4, ...) to accomplish this.

### Downstream Map TLVs

The presence of a downstream map in an echo request is interpreted by the responding transit (not egress) router to include downstream map information in the echo reply. Specify the **tth** and **dsmap** keywords to cause TTL expiry during LSP ping to interrogate a transit router for downstream information.

### Pseudowire Usage

The following keywords are not available with the **ping mpls pseudowire** command:

- **dsmap**
- **flags**
- **force-explicit-null**

- **output**
- **revision**
- **ttl**

### Revision Keyword Usage

The **revision** keyword allows you to issue a **ping mpls ipv4**, **ping mpls pseudowire**, or **trace mpls traffic-eng** command based on the format of the TLV. [Table 5](#) lists the revision option and usage guidelines for each option.

**Table 5** *Revision Options and Option Usage Guidelines*

Revision Option	Option Usage Guidelines
1 <sup>1</sup>	Not supported in Cisco IOS Release 12.4(11)T or later releases. Version 1 (draft-ietf-mpls-ping-03). For a device running Cisco IOS Release 12.0(27)S3 or a later release, you must use the <b>revision 1</b> keyword when you send LSP ping or LSP traceroute commands to devices running Cisco IOS Release 12.0(27)S1 or 12.0(27)S2.
2	Version 2 functionality was replaced by Version 3 functionality before an image was released.
3	Version 3 (draft-ietf-mpls-ping-03). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For a device implementing Version 3 (Cisco IOS Release 12.0(27)S3 or a later release), you must use the <b>revision 1</b> keyword when you send the LSP <b>ping</b> or LSP <b>traceroute</b> command to a device implementing Version 1 (that is, either Cisco IOS Release 12.0(27)S1 or Release 12.0(27)S2).</li> <li>• A <b>ping mpls pseudowire</b> command does not work with devices running Cisco IOS Release 12.0(27)S1 or Release 12.0(27)S2.</li> </ul>
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Version 8 (draft-ietf-mpls-ping-08)—Applicable before Cisco IOS Release 12.4(11)T. All echo packet's TLVs are formatted as specified in Version 8.</li> <li>• RFC 4379 compliant—Applicable after Cisco IOS Release 12.4(11)T. All echo packet's TLVs are formatted as specified in RFC 4379.</li> </ul> <p>This is the recommended version.</p>

1. If you do not specify a **revision** keyword, the software uses the latest version.

### Examples

The following example shows how to use the **ping mpls** command to test connectivity of an IPv4 LDP LSP:

```
Router# ping mpls ipv4 10.131.191.252/32 repeat 5 exp 5 verbose
```

```
Sending 5, 100-byte MPLS Echos to 10.131.191.252, timeout is 2 seconds:
```

```
Codes:
```

```
'!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,
'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,
'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,
'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no rx label,
'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,
'R' - transit router, 'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0
```

```
Type escape sequence to abort.
!    10.131.191.230, return code 3
```

Success rate is 100 percent (5/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 100/102/112 ms

The following example shows how to invoke the **ping mpls** command in the interactive mode to check MPLS LSP connectivity:

```
Router# ping

Protocol [ip]: mpls
Target IPv4, pseudowire or traffic-eng [ipv4]: ipv4
Target IPv4 address: 10.131.159.252
Target mask: 255.255.255.255
Repeat count [5]: 1
Datagram size [100]:
Timeout in seconds [2]:
Send interval in msec [0]:
Extended commands? [no]: yes
Destination address or destination start address: 127.0.0.1
Destination end address: 127.0.0.1
Destination address increment: 0.0.0.1
Source address:
EXP bits in mpls header [0]:
Pad TLV pattern [ABCD]:
Time To Live [255]:
Reply mode ( 2-ipv4 via udp, 3-ipv4 via udp with router alert) [2]:
Reply ip header DSCP bits [0]:
Verbose mode? [no]: yes
Sweep range of sizes? [no]:
Sending 1, 100-byte MPLS Echos to 10.131.159.252/32,
    timeout is 2 seconds, send interval is 0 msec:

Codes:
    '!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,
    'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,
    'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,
    'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no rx label,
    'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,
    'R' - transit router, 'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0

Type escape sequence to abort.
Destination address 127.0.0.1
!    10.131.159.245, return code 3

Destination address 127.0.0.1
!    10.131.159.245, return code 3

Destination address 127.0.0.1
!    10.131.159.245, return code 3

Success rate is 100 percent (3/3), round-trip min/avg/max = 40/48/52 ms
```

**Note**

The “Destination end address” and “Destination address increment” prompts display only if you enter an address at the “Destination address or destination start address” prompt. Also, the “Sweep min size,” “Sweep max size,” and “Sweep interval” prompts display only if you enter “yes” at the “Sweep range of sizes? [no]” prompt.

The following example shows how to determine the destination address of an AToM VC:

```
Router# show mpls l2transport vc
```

Local intf	Local circuit	Dest address	VC ID	Status
Et2/0	Ethernet	10.131.191.252	333	UP

```
Router# show mpls l2transport vc detail
```

```
Local interface: Et2/0 up, line protocol up, Ethernet up
Destination address: 10.131.191.252, VC ID: 333, VC status: up
Preferred path: not configured
Default path: active
Tunnel label: imp-null, next hop 10.131.159.246
Output interface: Et1/0, imposed label stack {16}
Create time: 06:46:08, last status change time: 06:45:51
Signaling protocol: LDP, peer 10.131.191.252:0 up
MPLS VC labels: local 16, remote 16
Group ID: local 0, remote 0
MTU: local 1500, remote 1500
Remote interface description:
Sequencing: receive disabled, send disabled
VC statistics:
packet totals: receive 0, send 0
byte totals: receive 0, send 0
packet drops: receive 0, send 0
```

This **ping mpls** command used with the **pseudowire** keyword can be used to test the connectivity of the AToM VC 333 discovered in the preceding **show** command:

```
Router# ping mpls pseudowire 10.131.191.252 333 repeat 200 size 1400
```

```
Sending 1, 100-byte MPLS Echos to 10.131.191.252, timeout is 2 seconds:
```

```
Codes:
```

```
'!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,
'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,
'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,
'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no rx label,
'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,
'R' - transit router, 'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0
```

```
Type escape sequence to abort.
```

```
!
```

```
Success rate is 100 percent (1/1), round-trip min/avg/max = 92/92/92 ms
```

This ping is particularly useful because the VC might be up and the LDP session between the PE and its downstream neighbor might also be up, but LDP might be configured somewhere in between. In such cases, you can use an LSP ping to verify that the LSP is actually up.

A related point concerns the situation when a pseudowire has been configured to use a specific TE tunnel. For example:

```
Router# show running-config interface ethernet 2/0
```

Building configuration...

```
Current configuration : 129 bytes
!
interface Ethernet2/0
  no ip address
  no ip directed-broadcast
  no cdp enable
xconnect 10.131.191.252 333 pw-class test1
end
```

Router# **show running-config | begin pseudowire**

```
pseudowire-class test1
  encapsulation mpls
  preferred-path interface Tunnel0
!
```

In such cases, you can use an LSP ping to verify the connectivity of the LSP that a certain pseudowire is taking, be it LDP based or a TE tunnel:

Router# **ping mpls pseudowire 10.131.191.252 333 repeat 200 size 1400**

Sending 200, 1400-byte MPLS Echos to 10.131.191.252, timeout is 2 seconds:

Codes:

```
'!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,
'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,
'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,
'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no rx label,
'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,
'R' - transit router, 'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0
```

Type escape sequence to abort.

```
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
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!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
```

Success rate is 100 percent (200/200), round-trip min/avg/max = 72/85/112 ms

You can also use the **ping mpls** command to verify the maximum packet size that can be successfully sent. The following command uses a packet size of 1500 bytes:

Router# **ping mpls pseudowire 10.131.191.252 333 repeat 5 size 1500**

Sending 5, 1500-byte MPLS Echos to 10.131.191.252, timeout is 2 seconds:

Codes:

```
'!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,
'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,
'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,
'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no rx label,
'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,
'R' - transit router, 'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0
```

Type escape sequence to abort.

```
QQQQQ
```

Success rate is 0 percent (0/5)

The Qs indicate that the packets are not sent.

The following command uses a packet size of 1476 bytes:

Router# **ping mpls pseudowire 10.131.191.252 333 repeat 5 size 1476**

Sending 5, 1476-byte MPLS Echos to 10.131.191.252, timeout is 2 seconds:

Codes:

'!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,  
 'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,  
 'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,  
 'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no rx label,  
 'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,  
 'R' - transit router, 'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0

Type escape sequence to abort.

!!!!

Success rate is 100 percent (5/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 80/83/92 ms

The following example shows how to test the connectivity of an MPLS TE tunnel:

```
Router# ping mpls traffic-eng tunnel tun3 repeat 5 verbose
```

Sending 5, 100-byte MPLS Echos to Tunnel3,  
 timeout is 2 seconds, send interval is 0 msec:

Codes:

'!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,  
 'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,  
 'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,  
 'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no rx label,  
 'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,  
 'R' - transit router, 'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0

Type escape sequence to abort.

! 10.131.159.198, return code 3  
 ! 10.131.159.198, return code 3

Success rate is 100 percent (5/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 32/37/40 ms

The MPLS LSP ping feature is useful if you want to verify TE tunnels before actually mapping traffic onto them.

The following example shows a **ping mpls** command that specifies segment 2 of a multisegment pseudowire:

```
Router# ping mpls pseudowire 10.131.191.252 333 segment 2
```

#### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>mpls oam</b>	Customizes the default behavior of echo packets.
<b>trace mpls</b>	Discovers MPLS LSP routes that packets will actually take when traveling to their destinations.

## ping mpls tp

To check Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) transport protocol (TP) label switched path (LSP) connectivity, use the **ping mpls tp** command in privileged EXEC mode.

```
ping mpls tp tunnel-tp num lsp { working | protect | active }
  [ddmap [hashkey ipv4 bitmap bitmap-size | none]
  [dsmap [hashkey ipv4 bitmap bitmap-size | none]
  [destination ip-addr]
  [exp num]
  [flags fec ]
  [interval num]
  [pad num]
  [repeat num]
  [reply dscp num | mode control channel]
  [size num]
  [source ip-addr]
  [sweep num num num]
  [timeout num]
  [ttl num]
  [verbose]
```

Syntax Description	
<b>tunnel-tp num</b>	Specifies the MPLS-TP tunnel number.
<b>lsp { working   protect   active }</b>	Specifies the type of MPLS-TP label switched path (LSP) on which to send echo request packets.
<b>ddmap [hashkey ipv4 bitmap bitmap-size   none]</b>	(Optional) Interrogates a transit router for downstream detailed mapping (DDMAP) information. Allows you to control the hash key and multipath settings. Valid values are:  <b>none</b> —There is no multipath (type 0).  <b>hashkey ipv4 bitmap bitmap-size</b> —Size of the IPv4 addresses (type 8) bitmap.  If you enter the <b>none</b> keyword, multipath LSP traceroute acts like enhanced LSP traceroute; that is, it uses multipath LSP traceroute retry logic and consistency checking.
<b>dsmap [hashkey ipv4 bitmap bitmap-size   none]</b>	(Optional) Interrogates a transit router for downstream mapping (DSMAP) information. Allows you to control the hash key and multipath settings. Valid values are:  <b>none</b> —There is no multipath (type 0).  <b>hashkey ipv4 bitmap bitmap-size</b> —Size of the IPv4 addresses (type 8) bitmap.  If you enter the <b>none</b> keyword, multipath LSP traceroute acts like enhanced LSP traceroute; that is, it uses multipath LSP traceroute retry logic and consistency checking.
<b>destination ip-addr</b>	(Optional) Specifies a network 127 address.
<b>exp num</b>	(Optional) Specifies the MPLS experimental field value in the MPLS header for an MPLS echo reply. Valid values are from 0 to 7. Default is 0.

<b>flags fec</b>	(Optional) Allows Forward Equivalence Class (FEC) checking on the transit router. A downstream map type, length, variable (TLV) containing the correct received labels must be present in the echo request for target FEC stack checking to be performed.  Target FEC stack validation is always done at the egress router. Be sure to use this keyword in conjunction with the <b>ttl</b> keyword.
<b>interval num</b>	(Optional) Specifies the time, in milliseconds (ms), between successive MPLS echo requests. This parameter allows you to pace the transmission of packets so that the receiving router does not drop packets. Default is 0.
<b>pad num</b>	(Optional) The pad TLV is used to fill the datagram so that the MPLS echo request (User Datagram Protocol [UDP] packet with a label stack) is the specified size. The default is 0xABCD.
<b>repeat num</b>	(Optional) Specifies the repeat count. Range: 1 to 2147483647.
<b>reply dscp num   mode control channel</b>	(Optional) Provides the capability to request a specific quality of service (QoS) in an echo reply by providing a differentiated services code point (DSCP) value.  The echo reply is returned with the IP header type of service (ToS) byte set to the value specified in the <b>reply dscp</b> command.
<b>size num</b>	Specifies the packet size.
<b>source ip-addr</b>	(Optional) Specifies the source address or name. The default address is loopback0. This address is used as the destination address in the MPLS echo response.
<b>sweep num num num</b>	(Optional) Enables you to send a number of packets of different sizes, ranging from a start size to an end size. This parameter is similar to the Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP) ping sweep parameter.
<b>timeout num</b>	(Optional) Specifies the timeout interval in seconds for an MPLS request packet. The range is from 0 to 3600. The default is 2 seconds.
<b>ttl num</b>	(Optional) Specifies a time-to-live (TTL) value. The default is 225 seconds.
<b>verbose</b>	(Optional) Enables verbose output mode.

**Command Default** Connectivity is not checked.

**Command Modes** Privileged EXEC (#)

<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	15.1(1)SA	This command was introduced.
	15.1(3)S	This command was integrated.

**Usage Guidelines** Use the **ping mpls tp** command to validate, test, or troubleshoot MPLS TP LSPs.



**Note** The **ping mpls tp** command does not support interactive mode.

You can use ping and trace in an MPLS-TP network without IP addressing. However, no IP addresses are displayed in the output.

The following rules determine the source IP address:

1. Use the IP address of the TP interface.
2. Use the global router ID.
3. Use the router ID: A.B.C.D local node ID in IPv4 address format. This is not an IP address; however, it is better to use a value rather than leave it as 0.0.0.0 and risk the packet being deemed invalid and dropped.

## Examples

The following example checks connectivity of an MPLS-TP LSP:

```
Router# ping mpls tp tunnel-tp 1 repeat 1 ttl 2

Sending 1, 100-byte MPLS Echos to Tunnel-tp1,
      timeout is 2 seconds, send interval is 0 msec:

Codes: '!' - success, 'Q' - request not sent, '.' - timeout,
       'L' - labeled output interface, 'B' - unlabeled output interface,
       'D' - DS Map mismatch, 'F' - no FEC mapping, 'f' - FEC mismatch,
       'M' - malformed request, 'm' - unsupported tlvs, 'N' - no label entry,
       'P' - no rx intf label prot, 'p' - premature termination of LSP,
       'R' - transit router, 'I' - unknown upstream index,
       'X' - unknown return code, 'x' - return code 0

Type escape sequence to abort.
!
```

Success rate is 100 percent (1/1), round-trip min/avg/max = 156/156/156 ms

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<code>trace mpls tp</code>	Displays the MPLS LSP routes that packets take to their destinations.

# platform mpls load-balance ingress-port

To improve ingress port-based P router load balancing performance between two Cisco 7600 Series Ethernet Services Plus (ES+) and Ethernet Services Plus T (ES+T) line cards, use the **platform mpls load-balance ingress-port command** in Global configuration mode. Entering this command will enable this feature. To disable this feature, use the **no** form of the command.

to configure H-Virtual Private LAN Service (VPLS) within a port-channel core interface

**platform mpls load-balance ingress-port**

**no platform mpls load-balance ingress-port**

## Syntax Description

This command has no arguments or keywords.

## Defaults

Load balancing performance improvements are not enabled.

## Command Modes

Global configuration (config)

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.2(33)SRE	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)XNE	This command was introduced.
15.0M	This command was introduced.

## Usage Guidelines

The H-VPLS with Port-Channel Core Interface feature provides support for VPLS to port-channels. You can use this feature to:

- Configure VPLS on the port channel interfaces of the ES+ line card using a load balancing mechanism.
- Match the capabilities and requirements of the VPLS in a single link. Due to multiple links in a link aggregation (LAG), the packets of a particular flow are always transmitted only to one link.
- Configure VPLS with port-channel interfaces as the core facing interface, where the member links of the port-channel are from a ES40 line card. The load-balancing is per-flow based, that is, traffic of a VPLS VC will be load-balanced across member links based on the flow.

## Examples

This example shows how to enable improved load-balancing performance on a Cisco 7600 Series Ethernet Services Plus (ES+) and Ethernet Services Plus T (ES+T) line card:

```
Router(config)# platform mpls load-balance ingress-port
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>show mpls</b>	Displays information for a line card.

## preferred-path

To specify the path that traffic uses (a Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) Traffic engineering (TE) tunnel or destination IP address and Domain Name Server (DNS) name), use the **preferred-path** command in pseudowire configuration mode. To disable tunnel selection, use the **no** form of this command.

```
preferred-path {interface tunnel tunnel-number | peer {ip-address | host-name}}
[disable-fallback]
```

```
no preferred-path {interface tunnel tunnel-number | peer {ip-address | host-name}}
[disable-fallback]
```

Syntax Description	
<b>interface tunnel</b> <i>tunnel-number</i>	Specifies an MPLS TE tunnel interface that is the core-facing output interface.
<b>peer</b> <i>ip-address</i>   <i>host-name</i>	Specifies an IP address or DNS name configured on the peer provider edge (PE) router, which is reachable through a label switched path (LSP).
<b>disable-fallback</b>	(Optional) Disables the router from using the default path when the preferred path is unreachable.

**Command Default** Tunnel selection is not enabled.

**Command Modes** Pseudowire configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(25)S	This command was introduced.
	12.2(25)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(25)S.
	12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

**Usage Guidelines** The following guidelines provide more information about using this command:

- The destination IP address can be different from the peer router ID used in MPLS Label Distribution Protocol (LDP). For example, a peer PE router can have multiple loopback IP addresses, which can be reached by different paths, such as a TE tunnel, static IP route, or Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP) route.
- This command is available only if the pseudowire encapsulation type is MPLS.
- Tunnel selection is enabled when you exit from pseudowire configuration mode.
- The selected path should be an LSP destined to the peer PE router.
- The selected tunnel must be an MPLS traffic engineering tunnel.

- If you select a tunnel, the tunnel tailend must be on the remote PE router.
- If you specify an IP address, that address must be the IP address of the loopback interface on the remote PE. The address must have a /32 mask.

**Examples**

The following example creates a pseudowire class and specifies tunnel 1 as the preferred path:

```
Router(config)# pseudowire-class pw1
Router(config-pw)# encapsulation mpls
Router(config-pw)# preferred-path interface tunnel 1 disable-fallback
```

**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>show mpls l2transport vc</b>	Displays information about AToM VCs that have been enabled to route Layer 2 packets on a router.

## priority (LSP Attributes)

To specify the label switched path (LSP) priority in an LSP attribute list, use the **priority** command in LSP Attributes configuration mode. To remove the specified priority, use the **no** form of this command.

**priority** *setup-priority* [*hold-priority*]

**no priority**

Syntax Description		
<i>setup-priority</i>		Priority used when signaling an LSP to determine which existing LSPs can be preempted. Valid values are from 0 to 7, where a lower number indicates a higher priority. Therefore, an LSP with a setup priority of 0 can preempt any LSP with a non-0 priority.
<i>hold-priority</i>		(Optional) Priority associated with an LSP to determine if it should be preempted by other LSPs that are being signaled. Valid values are from 0 to 7, where a lower number indicates a higher priority.

**Command Default** No priority is set in the attribute list.

**Command Modes** LSP Attributes configuration (config-lsp-attr)

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(26)S	This command was introduced.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
	12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

**Usage Guidelines** Use this command to configure setup and hold priority for an LSP in an LSP attribute list. Setup priority and hold priority are typically configured to be equal, and setup priority cannot be better (numerically smaller) than the hold priority.

To associate the LSP priority attribute and the LSP attribute list with a path option for an LSP, you must configure the **tunnel mpls traffic-eng path option** command with the **attributes** *string* keyword and argument, where *string* is the identifier for the specific LSP attribute list.

**Examples** The following example shows how to set the LSP hold and setup property to 0 in an LSP attribute list identified by the string hipriority:

```
configure terminal
!
mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes hipriority
  priority 0 0
exit
end
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes	Creates or modifies an LSP attribute list.
	show mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes	Displays global LSP attribute lists.

## protection (LSP Attributes)

To configure failure protection on the label switched path (LSP) in an LSP attribute list, use the **protection** command in LSP Attributes configuration mode. To disable failure protection, use the **no** form of this command.

**protection fast-reroute**

**no protection**

### Syntax Description

**fast-reroute** Enables an LSP to use an established backup LSP in the event of a link failure.

### Command Default

Failure protection is not enabled for the LSP in the LSP attribute list.

### Command Modes

LSP Attributes configuration (config-lsp-attr)

### Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(26)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to set up LSP failure protection in an LSP attribute list.

To associate the LSP failure protection attribute and the LSP attribute list with a path option for an LSP, you must configure the **tunnel mpls traffic-eng path option** command with the **attributes string** keyword and argument, where *string* is the identifier for the specific LSP attribute list.

### Examples

The following example shows how to enable failure protection on an LSP in an LSP attribute list:

```
configure terminal
!
mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes protect
 protection fast-reroute
 exit
end
```

### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes</b>	Creates or modifies an LSP attribute list.
<b>show mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes</b>	Displays global LSP attribute lists.

# protection local-prefixes

To enable provider edge (PE)-to-customer edge (CE) link protection by preserving the local label (due to a link failure that caused Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) to begin reconverging), use the **protection local-prefixes** in VRF configuration or in VRF address family configuration mode. To disable this form of link protection, use the **no** form of this command.

**protection local-prefixes**

**no protection local-prefixes**

**Syntax Description** This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Command Default** This protection is disabled by default.

**Command Modes** VRF configuration (config-vrf)  
VRF address family configuration (config-vrf-af)

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.2(33)SRC	This command was introduced.
	12.2(33)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SB.
	15.0(1)M	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 15.0(1)M.
	Cisco IOS Release 15.0(1)S	This command was modified. Supported was added for PE-CE link protection for IPv6 and this command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 15.0(1)S.
	Cisco IOS XE Release 3.1S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 3.1S.

**Usage Guidelines** Each Virtual Routing and Forwarding (VRF) that provides protection or a backup path must have a unique route distinguisher (RD) to ensure route reflectors advertise all available paths. Use the **rd** command to specify a route distinguisher for the VRF if none has been created previously.

If your Cisco IOS version includes support for IPv6 and IPv4, use the global configuration **vrf definition** and **rd** commands followed by the **address-family ipv6** or **address-family ipv4** command before you use the **protection local-prefixes** command.

If your Cisco IOS version supports only IPv4, use the global configuration **ip vrf** command before you enter the **rd** and **protection local-prefixes** commands.

If VRF-lite has already been enabled, local protection will not take place. This is true even if entering the **protection local-prefixes** command does not trigger an error message.

Local link protection will only work properly if the failure is quickly detected and an alternate, backup route already exists. Therefore, in addition to the **protection local-prefixes** command, the use of Bidirectional Forwarding Detection (BFD) and topology-specific routing protocols are both required.

**Examples**

The following example enables local protection in an IPv6-supporting version of Cisco IOS software:

```
vrf definition vrf2
rd 100:3
address-family ipv6
protection local-prefixes
```

The following example enables local protection in an IPv4-only version of Cisco IOS software:

```
ip vrf vpn1
rd 100:3
protection local-prefixes
```

**Related Commands**

<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>address-family ipv4 (BGP)</b>	Enter address family or router scope address family configuration mode to configure a routing session using standard IPv4 address prefixes.
<b>address-family ipv6</b>	Enters address family configuration mode for configuring routing sessions such as BGP that use standard IPv6 address prefixes.
<b>bfd interval min_rx multiplier</b>	Sets the BFD session parameters on an interface.
<b>ip vrf</b>	Defines a VPN VRF instance and enters VRF configuration mode.
<b>neighbor fall-over</b>	Enables BGP to monitor the peering session of a specified neighbor for adjacency changes and to deactivate the peering session.
<b>rd</b>	Specifies a RD for a VPN VRF instance.
<b>vrf definition</b>	Configures a VRF routing table instance and enters VRF configuration mode.

# pseudowire

To bind an attachment circuit to a Layer 2 pseudowire for xconnect service, use the **pseudowire** command in interface configuration mode.

```
pseudowire peer-ip-address vcid pw-class pw-class-name [sequencing { transmit | receive | both}]
```

## Syntax Description

<i>peer-ip-address</i>	The IP address of the remote peer.
<i>vcid</i>	The 32-bit identifier of the virtual circuit between the routers at each end of the Layer 2 control channel.
<b>pw-class</b> <i>pw-class-name</i>	The pseudowire class configuration from which the data encapsulation type will be taken.
<b>sequencing</b> { <b>transmit</b>   <b>receive</b>   <b>both</b> }	(Optional) Sets the sequencing method to be used for packets received or sent in L2TP sessions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>transmit</b>—Sequencing of Layer 2 Tunnel Protocol (L2TP) data packets received from the session.</li> <li>• <b>receive</b>—Sequencing of L2TP data packets sent into the session.</li> <li>• <b>both</b>—Sequencing of L2TP data packets that are both sent and received from the session.</li> </ul>

## Defaults

No default behavior or values

## Command Modes

Interface configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.3(2)T	This command was introduced.

## Usage Guidelines

The combination of the *peer-ip-address* and *vcid* arguments must be unique on the router. Each pseudowire configuration must have a unique combination of *peer-ip-address* and *vcid* configuration.

The same *vcid* value that identifies the attachment circuit must be configured using the **pseudowire** command on the local and remote router at each end of a Layer 2 session. The virtual circuit identifier creates the binding between a pseudowire and an attachment circuit.

The **pw-class** *pw-class-name* value binds the pseudowire configuration of an attachment circuit to a specific pseudowire class. In this way, the pseudowire class configuration serves as a template that contains settings used by all attachment circuits bound to it with the **pseudowire** command.

**Examples**

The following example creates a virtual-PPP interface with the number 1, configures PPP on the virtual-PPP interface, and binds the attachment circuit to a Layer 2 pseudowire for xconnect service for the pseudowire class named pwclass1:

```
interface virtual-ppp 1
  ppp authentication chap
  ppp chap hostname peer1
  pseudowire 172.24.13.196 10 pw-class pwclass1
```

**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>l2tp-class</b>	Creates a template of L2TP control plane configuration settings that can be inherited by different pseudowire classes and enters L2TP class configuration mode.
<b>pseudowire-class</b>	Specifies the name of an L2TP pseudowire class and enters pseudowire class configuration mode.

# pseudowire-class

To specify the name of a Layer 2 pseudowire class and enter pseudowire class configuration mode, use the **pseudowire-class** command in global configuration mode. To remove a pseudowire class configuration, use the **no** form of this command.

**pseudowire-class** [*pw-class-name*]

**no pseudowire-class** [*pw-class-name*]

## Syntax Description

<i>pw-class-name</i>	(Optional) The name of a Layer 2 pseudowire class. If you want to configure more than one pseudowire class, you must enter a value for the <i>pw-class-name</i> argument.
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## Command Default

No pseudowire classes are defined.

## Command Modes

Global configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(23)S	This command was introduced.
12.3(2)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.3(2)T.
12.2(25)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(25)S.
12.2(27)SBC	Support for this command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(27)SBC.

## Usage Guidelines

The **pseudowire-class** command allows you to configure a pseudowire class template that consists of configuration settings used by all attachment circuits bound to the class. A pseudowire class includes the following configuration settings:

- Data encapsulation type
- Control protocol
- Sequencing
- IP address of the local Layer 2 interface
- Type of service (ToS) value in IP headers

After you enter the **pseudowire-class** command, the router switches to pseudowire class configuration mode, where pseudowire settings may be configured.

## Examples

The following example shows how to enter pseudowire class configuration mode to configure a pseudowire configuration template named “ether-pw”:

```
Router(config)# pseudowire-class ether-pw
Router(config-pw)#
```

**Related Commands**

<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>l2tp-class</b>	Creates a template of L2TP control plane configuration settings that can be inherited by different pseudowire classes and enters L2TP class configuration mode.
<b>pseudowire</b>	Binds an attachment circuit to a Layer 2 pseudowire for xconnect service.
<b>xconnect</b>	Binds an attachment circuit to an L2TPv3 pseudowire for xconnect service and enters xconnect configuration mode.

# pseudowire-static-oam class

To create an Operations, Administration, and Maintenance (OAM) class and specify the timeout intervals, use the **pseudowire-static-oam class** command in global configuration mode. To remove the specified class, use the **no** form of this command.

**pseudowire-static-oam class** *class-name*

**no pseudowire-static-oam class** *class-name*

Syntax Description	<i>class-name</i>	Name of the class map.
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Command Default	OAM classes are not created.
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Command Modes	Global configuration (config)
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Command History	Release	Modification
	15.1(1)SA	This command was introduced.
	15.1(3)S	This command was integrated.

Usage Guidelines	This command creates an OAM class and enters static pseudowire OAM configuration mode, from which you can enter timeout intervals.
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Examples	The following example create the class oam-class3 and enters static pseudowire OAM configuration mode:
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```
Router(config)# pseudowire-static-oam class oam-class3
Router(config-st-pw-oam-class)# timeout refresh send ?
<1-4095> Seconds, default is 30
Router(config-st-pw-oam-class)# timeout refresh send 45
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>status protocol notification static</b>	Invokes the specified class as part of the static pseudowire.

# pseudowire-tlv template

To create a template of pseudowire type-length-value (TLV) parameters to use in an MPLS-TP configuration, use the **pseudowire-tlv template** command in privileged EXEC configuration mode. To remove the template, use the **no** form of this command.

**pseudowire-tlv template** *template-name*

**no pseudowire-tlv template** *template-name*

## Syntax Description

<i>template-name</i>	Name for the TLV template.
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## Command Default

TLV values are not specified.

## Command Modes

Privileged EXEC (config#)

## Command History

Release	Modification
15.1(1)SA	This command was introduced.
15.1(3)S	This command was integrated.

## Examples

The following example shows how to create a TLV template called tlv3:

```
Router(config)# pseudowire-tlv template tlv3
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>tlv template</b>	Specifies a TLV template to use as part of local interface configuration.

# rd

To specify a route distinguisher (RD) for a VPN routing and forwarding (VRF) instance, use the **rd** command in VRF configuration submode.

**rd** *route-distinguisher*

## Syntax Description

<i>route-distinguisher</i>	Adds an 8-byte value to an IPv4 prefix to create a VPN IPv4 prefix.
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## Command Default

There is no default. An RD must be configured for a VRF to be functional.

## Command Modes

VRF configuration submode

## Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(5)T	This command was introduced.
12.0(21)ST	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS 12.0(21)ST.
12.0(22)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS 12.0(22)S.
12.2(13)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS 12.2(13)T.
12.2(14)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS 12.2(14)S.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(28)SB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2(33)SRB	Support for IPv6 was added.
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
12.2(33)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SB.

## Usage Guidelines

An RD creates routing and forwarding tables and specifies the default route distinguisher for a VPN. The RD is added to the beginning of the customer's IPv4 prefixes to change them into globally unique VPN-IPv4 prefixes.

An RD is either:

- ASN-related—Composed of an autonomous system number and an arbitrary number.
- IP-address-related—Composed of an IP address and an arbitrary number.

You can enter an RD in either of these formats:

*16-bit autonomous-system-number:your 32-bit number*

For example, 101:3.

*32-bit IP address:your 16-bit number*

For example, 192.168.122.15:1.

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**Examples**

The following example shows how to configure a default RD for two VRFs. It illustrates the use of both autonomous-system-number-relative and IP-address-relative RDs:

```
Router(config)# ip vrf vrf1
Router(config-vrf)# rd 100:3
Router (config-vrf)# exit
Router(config)# ip vrf vrf2
Router(config-vrf)# rd 10.13.0.12:200
```

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**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>ip vrf</b>	Configures a VRF routing table.
<b>show ip vrf</b>	Displays the set of defined VRFs and associated interfaces.
<b>vrf definition</b>	Configures a VRF routing table and enters VRF configuration mode.

## record-route (LSP Attributes)

To record the route used by the label switched path (LSP), use the **record-route** command in LSP Attributes configuration mode. To stop the recording the route used by the LSP, use the **no** form of this command.

**record-route**

**no record-route**

**Syntax Description** This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Command Default** The LSP route is not recorded.

**Command Modes** LSP Attributes configuration (config-lsp-attr)

### Command History

Release	Modification
12.0(26)S	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
12.4(20)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(20)T.

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to set up in an LSP attribute list the recording of the route taken by the LSP.

To associate the LSP record-route attribute and the LSP attribute list with a path option for an LSP, you must configure the **tunnel mpls traffic-eng path option** command with the **attributes** *string* keyword and argument, where *string* is the identifier for the specific LSP attribute list.

### Examples

The following example shows how to set up LSP route recording in an LSP attribute list:

```
configure terminal
!
mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes 9
 record-route
 exit
end
```

### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes</b>	Creates or modifies an LSP attribute list.
<b>show mpls traffic-eng lsp attributes</b>	Displays global LSP attribute lists.

# route-target

To create a route-target extended community for a Virtual Private Network (VPN) routing and forwarding (VRF) instance, use the **route-target** command in VRF configuration submode. To disable the configuration of a route-target community option, use the **no** form of this command.

```
route-target {import | export | both} route-target-ext-community
```

```
no route-target {import | export | both} route-target-ext-community
```

Syntax Description		
<b>import</b>		Imports routing information from the target VPN extended community.
<b>export</b>		Exports routing information to the target VPN extended community.
<b>both</b>		Imports both import and export routing information to the target VPN extended community.
<i>route-target-ext-community</i>		Adds the route-target extended community attributes to the VRF's list of import, export, or both (import and export) route-target extended communities.

**Command Default** A VRF has no route-target extended community attributes associated with it until specified by the **route-target** command.

**Command Modes** VRF configuration submode (config-vrf)

Command History	Release	Modification
	12.0(5)T	This command was introduced.
	12.0(21)ST	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS 12.0(21)ST.
	12.0(22)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS 12.0(22)S.
	12.2(13)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS 12.2(13)T.
	12.2(14)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS 12.2(14)S.
	12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
	12.2(31)SB2	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(31)SB2.
	12.2(33)SRB	Support for IPv6 was added.
	12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
	12.2(33)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SB.
	12.0(32)S12	This command was modified. Support for 4-byte autonomous system numbers in asdot notation only was added.
	12.0(32)SY8	This command was modified. Support for 4-byte autonomous system numbers in asplain and asdot notation was added.
	12.4(24)T	This command was modified. Support for 4-byte autonomous system numbers in asdot notation only was added.

Release	Modification
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.3	This command was modified. Support for 4-byte autonomous system numbers in asdot notation only was added.
12.2(33)SX11	This command was modified. Support for 4-byte autonomous system numbers in asplain and asdot notation was added.
12.0(33)S3	This command was modified. Support for asplain notation was added and the default format for 4-byte autonomous system numbers is now asplain.
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.4	This command was modified. Support for asplain notation was added and the default format for 4-byte autonomous system numbers is now asplain.

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The **route-target** command creates lists of import and export route target extended communities for the specified VRF. Enter the command one time for each target community. Learned routes that carry a specific route-target extended community are imported into all VRFs configured with that extended community as an import route target. Routes learned from a VRF site (for example, by Border Gateway Protocol (BGP), Routing Information Protocol (RIP), or static route configuration) contain export route targets for extended communities configured for the VRF added as route attributes to control the VRFs into which the route is imported.

The route target specifies a target VPN extended community. Like a route-distinguisher, an extended community is composed of either an autonomous system number and an arbitrary number or an IP address and an arbitrary number. You can enter the numbers in either of these formats:

- *16-bit autonomous-system-number:your 32-bit number*  
For example, 101:3.
- *32-bit IP address:your 16-bit number*  
For example, 192.168.122.15:1.

In Cisco IOS Release 12.0(32)SY8, 12.2(33)SX11, 12.0(33)S3, Cisco IOS XE Release 2.4, and later releases, the Cisco implementation of 4-byte autonomous system numbers uses asplain—65538 for example—as the default regular expression match and output display format for autonomous system numbers, but you can configure 4-byte autonomous system numbers in both the asplain format and the asdot format as described in RFC 5396. To change the default regular expression match and output display of 4-byte autonomous system numbers to asdot format, use the **bgp asnotation dot** command followed by the **clear ip bgp \*** command to perform a hard reset of all current BGP sessions.

In Cisco IOS Release 12.0(32)S12, 12.4(24)T, and Cisco IOS XE Release 2.3, the Cisco implementation of 4-byte autonomous system numbers uses asdot—1.2 for example—as the only configuration format, regular expression match, and output display, with no asplain support.

### Examples

The following example shows how to configure route-target extended community attributes for a VRF in IPv4. The result of the command sequence is that VRF named vrf1 has two export extended communities (1000:1 and 1000:2) and two import extended communities (1000:1 and 10.27.0.130:200):

```
ip vrf vrf1
 route-target both 1000:1
 route-target export 1000:2
 route-target import 10.27.0.130:200
```

The following example shows how to configure route-target extended community attributes for a VRF that includes IPv4 and IPv6 address families:

```
vrf definition sitel
 rd 1000:1
```

```

address-family ipv4
 route-target export 100:1
 route-target import 100:1
address-family ipv6
 route-target export 200:1
 route-target import 200:1

```

The following example available in Cisco IOS Release 12.0(32)SY8, 12.2(33)SX11, 12.0(33)S3, Cisco IOS XE Release 2.4, and later releases, shows how to create a VRF with a route-target that uses a 4-byte autonomous system number in asplain format—65537—and how to set the route-target to extended community value 65537:100 for routes that are permitted by the route map.

```

ip vrf vpn_red
 rd 64500:100
 route-target both 65537:100
 exit
route-map red_map permit 10
 set extcommunity rt 65537:100
 end

```

After the configuration is completed, use the **show route-map** command to verify that the extended community is set to the route target containing the 4-byte autonomous system number of 65537.

```

Router# show route-map red_map

route-map red_map, permit, sequence 10
 Match clauses:
 Set clauses:
   extended community RT:65537:100
 Policy routing matches: 0 packets, 0 bytes

```

The following example available in Cisco IOS Release 12.0(32)SY8, 12.0(32)S12, 12.2(33)SX11, 12.4(24)T, Cisco IOS XE Release 2.3, and later releases, shows how to create a VRF with a route-target that uses a 4-byte autonomous system number in asdot format—1.1—and how to set the route-target to extended community value 1.1:100 for routes that are permitted by the route map.

```

ip vrf vpn_red
 rd 64500:100
 route-target both 1.1:100
 exit
route-map red_map permit 10
 set extcommunity rt 1.1:100
 end

```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>bgp asnotation dot</b>	Changes the default display and the regular expression match format of BGP 4-byte autonomous system numbers from asplain (decimal values) to dot notation.
<b>import map</b>	Configures an import route map for a VRF.
<b>ip vrf</b>	Configures a VRF routing table.
<b>vrf definition</b>	Configures a VRF routing table and enters VRF configuration mode.