



## New and Changed Information

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### Change Summary

Feature Name	Description	Release	Where Documented
IPS Source Ports	Traffic that is sent to a Fibre Channel port that is configured as an SD port can be spanned from FCIP interfaces.	8.5(1)	<a href="#">Monitoring Network Traffic Using SPAN</a>
Uniform Timestamps	The Uniform Timestamps feature introduces support for RFC 5424 format timestamps for logs produced by multiple software components.	8.4(1)	<a href="#">System Management Overview</a>
Configuring ISL Diagnostics	The following command syntax was modified: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>diagnostic isl multi_hop reflector loop-back interface interface id enable vsan vsan id source-domain source id</b></li> <li>• <b>diagnostic isl multi_hop generator interface interface id start vsan vsan id dest-domain dest id frame-count number</b></li> </ul>	8.4(1)	<a href="#">Configuring Interswitch Link Diagnostics</a>

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Pathtrace Multipath	The Pathtrace Multipath feature builds on the Pathtrace feature to collect and display all Equal-Cost Multi-Path (ECMP) paths and statistics between source and destination switches.	8.3(1)	<a href="#">Configuring Interswitch Link Diagnostics</a>
Configuring HBA Link Diagnostics	<p>Support for the HBA Link Diagnostics feature in N-port virtualisation mode has been added to the following platform:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cisco MDS 9396S Multilayer Fabric Switch</li> </ul> <p>HBA Link Diagnostics support is added for the following platforms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cisco MDS 9132T Multilayer Fabric Switch</li> <li>• Cisco MDS 9148T Multilayer Fabric Switch</li> <li>• Cisco MDS 9396T Multilayer Fabric Switch</li> </ul>	8.3(1)	<a href="#">Configuring HBA Link Diagnostics</a>

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Configuring HBA Link Diagnostics	The HBA Link Diagnostics feature helps in validating the health of links between Host Bus Adapters (HBAs) and Cisco MDS switches in a network.	8.2(1)	<a href="#">Configuring HBA Link Diagnostics</a>