

# **Reducing Power Consumption**

This document describes how to reduce power consumption on the Cisco cBR Series Converged Broadband Router.

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## Hardware Compatibility Matrix for the Cisco cBR Series Routers



**Note** The hardware components that are introduced in a given Cisco IOS-XE Release are supported in all subsequent releases unless otherwise specified.

Cisco CMTS Platform	Processor Engine	Interface Cards
Cisco cBR-8 Converged Broadband Router	Cisco IOS-XE Release 16.5.1 and Later Releases	Cisco IOS-XE Release 16.5.1 and Later Releases
	Cisco cBR-8 Supervisor:	Cisco cBR-8 CCAP Line Cards:
	• PID—CBR-SUP-250G	• PID—CBR-LC-8D30-16U30
	• PID—CBR-CCAP-SUP-160G	• PID—CBR-LC-8D31-16U30
		• PID—CBR-RF-PIC
		• PID—CBR-RF-PROT-PIC
		• PID—CBR-CCAP-LC-40G
		• PID—CBR-CCAP-LC-40G-R
		• PID—CBR-CCAP-LC-G2-R
		• PID—CBR-SUP-8X10G-PIC
		• PID—CBR-2X100G-PIC
		Digital PICs:
		• PID—CBR-DPIC-8X10G
		• PID—CBR-DPIC-2X100G
		Cisco cBR-8 Downstream PHY Module:
		• PID—CBR-D31-DS-MOD
		Cisco cBR-8 Upstream PHY Modules:
		• PID—CBR-D31-US-MOD
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Table 1: Hardware Compatibility Matrix for the Cisco cBR Series Routers

**Note** Do not use DPICs (8X10G and 2x100G) to forward IP traffic, as it may cause buffer exhaustion, leading to line card reload.

The only allowed traffic on a DPIC interface is DEPI, UEPI, and GCP traffic from the Cisco cBR-8 router to Remote PHY devices. Other traffic such as DHCP, SSH, and UTSC should flow via another router, since DPICs cannot be used for normal routing.

## Information About Reducing Power Consumption

A Cisco cBR-8 CCAP line card has two downstream PHY modules. The first downstream PHY module has port number 0 through port number 3. The second downstream PHY module has port number 4 through port number 7. Each downstream PHY module consumes approximately 70W of power even if no RF channels are used. By default, both downstream PHY modules are powered up.

To reduce power consumption in the Cisco cBR-8, you can power down the second downstream PHY module.

The power-saving configuration is retained for supervisor card reload, supervisor high availability, LCHA, and LCPR configurations.

#### **Restrictions for Setting Up Power-Saving Configuration**

The following restrictions are applicable for setting up power-saving configuration:

- Before powering down the second downstream PHY module, you must shut down the downstream controllers.
- You cannot power down the downstream PHY module on a redundant line card.
- The redundant line card must be in the hot standby mode.

### **Configure Reduction of Power Consumption**

Before powering down the second downstream PHY module, you must shut down the downstream controllers.

To shut down downstream controllers 4 to 7, run the following commands:

```
Router# enable
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# controller integrated-Cable slot/subslot/port
Router (config-controller)# shutdown
```

The following example shows how to shut down downstream controllers 4 to 7.

```
Router# enable
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# controller integrated-Cable 1/0/4
Router (config-controller)# shutdown
```

To power down the second downstream PHY module, run the following commands:

```
Router# enable
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# cable downstream power-down-2nd-module slot
```

The following example shows how to power down the PHY module in slot 1.

```
Router# enable
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# cable downstream power-down-2nd-module slot 1
```

#### Verifying the Power-Saving Configuration

After powering down the second downstream PHY module, the power consumption in downstream controllers 4 to 7 changes to 0.

To check power consumption in downstream controllers 4 to 7, run the following command:

Router# show cable card 1/0 ds-phy display | include Watts

Port0-3 Power Consumption 82781 (mWatts), Port4-7 Power Consumption 53443 (mWatts)

To check power consumption in downstream controllers 4 to 7 after powering down the downstream PHY module, run the following command.

Router#show cable card 1/0 ds-phy display | include Watts Port0-3 Power Consumption 82781 (mWatts), Port4-7 Power Consumption 0 (mWatts)

The second downstream PHY module information shows *Powered down to save energy* when the **show cable card slot/sub-slot ds-phy display** | **include detected** command is run.

## Feature Information for Reducing Power Consumption

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**Note** The following table lists the software release in which a given feature is introduced. Unless noted otherwise, subsequent releases of that software release train also support that feature.

**Table 2: Feature Information for Reducing Power Consumption** 

Feature Name	Releases	Feature Information
Reducing Power Consumption	Cisco IOS XE Fuji 16.9.1a	This feature was introduced in Cisco IOS XE Fuji 16.9.1 on the Cisco cBR Series Converged Broadband Routers.