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## test cable-diagnostics

To test the condition of 10-Gigabit Ethernet links or copper cables on 48-port 10/100/1000 BASE-T modules, use the **test cable-diagnostics**command in privileged EXEC mode.

test cable-diagnostics tdr interface type number

#### **Syntax Description**

tdr Activates the TDR test for copper cables on 48-port 10/100/1000 BASE	
interface type	Specifies the interface type; see the "Usage Guidelines" section for valid values.
number	Module and port number.

## **Command Default**

This command has no default settings.

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

### **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.2(17a)SX	Support for this command was introduced on the Cisco 7600 series routers.
12.2(17b)SXA	This command was changed to provide support for the 4-port 10GBASE-E serial 10-Gigabit Ethernet module (WS-X6704-10GE).
12.2(17d)SXB	Support for this command on the Supervisor Engine 2 was extended to Release 12.2(17d)SXB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

#### **Usage Guidelines**

Cable diagnostics can help you detect whether your cable has connectivity problems.

The TDR test guidelines are as follows:

- TDR can test cables up to a maximum length of 115 meters.
- The TDR test is supported on Cisco 7600 series routers running Release 12.2(17a)SX and later releases on specific mdoules. See the Release Notes for Cisco IOS Release 12.2SX on the Catalyst 6500 and Cisco 7600 Supervisor Engine 720, Supervisor Engine 32, and Supervisor Engine 2 for the list of the modules that support TDR.
- The valid values for **interface** *type* are **fastethernet** and **gigabitethernet**.
- Do not start the test at the same time on both ends of the cable. Starting the test at both ends of the cable at the same time can lead to false test results.
- Do not change the port configuration during any cable diagnostics test. This action may result in incorrect test results.

• The interface must be up before running the TDR test. If the port is down, the **test cable-diagnostics tdr** command is rejected and the following message is displayed:

Router# test cable-diagnostics tdr interface gigabitethernet2/12 % Interface Gi2/12 is administratively down % Use 'no shutdown' to enable interface before TDR test start.

- If the port speed is 1000 and the link is up, do not disable the auto-MDIX feature.
- For fixed 10/100 ports, before running the TDR test, disable auto-MDIX on both sides of the cable. Failure to do so can lead to misleading results.
- For all other conditions, you must disable the auto-MDIX feature on both ends of the cable (use the **no mdix auto**command). Failure to disable auto-MDIX will interfere with the TDR test and generate false results.
- If a link partner has auto-MDIX enabled, this action will interfere with the TDR-cable diagnostics test and test results will be misleading. The workaround is to disable auto-MDIX on the link partner.
- If you change the port speed from 1000 to 10/100, enter the **no mdix auto**command before running the TDR test. Note that entering the **speed 1000** command enables auto-MDIX regardless of whether the **no mdix auto**command has been run.

## **Examples**

This example shows how to run the TDR-cable diagnostics:

```
Router # test cable-diagnostics tdr interface gigabitethernet2/1 TDR test started on interface Gi2/1 A TDR test can take a few seconds to run on an interface Use 'show cable-diagnostics tdr' to read the TDR results.
```

### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
clear cable-diagnostics tdr	Clears a specific interface or clears all interfaces that support TDR.
show cable-diagnostics tdr	Displays the test results for the TDR cable diagnostics.

## test flash

To test Flash memory on MCI and envm Flash EPROM interfaces, use the **test flash** command in EXEC mode.

#### test flash

Syntax Description	This command has no arguments or keywords
Command Default	This command has no default values.
Command Modes	EXEC

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **Examples**

In the following example, the Flash memory is tested:

test flash

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description
test interfaces	Tests the system interfaces on the modular router.
test memory	Performs a test of Multibus memory (including nonvolatile memory) on the modular router.

## test interfaces

To test the system interfaces on the modular router, use the **test interfaces** command in EXEC mode.

#### test interfaces

## **Syntax Description**

This command has no arguments or keywords.

#### **Command Default**

This command has no default values.

## **Command Modes**

**EXEC** 

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **Usage Guidelines**

The **test interfaces** EXEC command is intended for the factory checkout of network interfaces. It is not intended for diagnosing problems with an operational router. The **test interfaces** output does not report correct results if the router is attached to a "live" network. For each network interface that has an IP address that can be tested in loopback (MCI and ciscoBus Ethernet and all serial interfaces), the **test interfaces** command sends a series of ICMP echoes. Error counters are examined to determine the operational status of the interface.

#### **Examples**

In the following example, the system interfaces are tested:

test interfaces

### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
test flash	Tests Flash memory on MCI and envm Flash EPROM interfaces.

Command	Description
test memory	Performs a test of Multibus memory (including nonvolatile memory) on the modular router.

## test memory

To perform a test of Multibus memory (including nonvolatile memory) on the modular router, use the **test memory** command in privileged EXEC mode. The memory test overwrites memory.

#### test memory

## **Syntax Description**

This command has no arguments or keywords.

#### **Command Default**

This command overwrites memory.

## **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **Usage Guidelines**

The memory test overwrites memory. If you use the **test memory** command, you will need to rewrite nonvolatile memory. For example, if you test Multibus memory, which is the memory used by the CSC-R 4-Mbps Token Ring interfaces, you will need to reload the system before the network interfaces will operate properly. The **test memory** command is intended primarily for use by Cisco personnel.

#### **Examples**

In the following example, the memory is tested:

test memory

### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
test flash	Tests Flash memory on MCI and envm Flash EPROM interfaces.
test interfaces	Tests the system interfaces on the modular router.

# test memory destroy

To destroy a memory chunk or dangling reference, use the **test memory destroy**command in privileged EXEC mode.

test memory destroy [chunk | mgd-chunk | force-chunk | dangling-reference] chunk-id

## **Syntax Description**

chunk (Optional) Ordinary chunk of memory.	
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mgd-chunk	(Optional) Managed chunk of memory.
force-chunk	(Optional) Chunk of memory that is destroyed forcefully.
dangling-reference	(Optional) Dangling reference of memory.
chunk-id	Address of the chunk to be destroyed.

#### **Command Default**

This command destroys memory chunks or dangling references on a router.

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

## **Command History**

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

## **Usage Guidelines**

The **force-chunk** keyword destroys a chunk of ordinary (not managed) memory, even if the memory has elements or siblings that are not free.



#### Caution

Use the **force-chunk** keyword carefully. A crash or corruption will occur if someone refers to the destroyed chunk or its elements.

## **Examples**

In the following example, a chunk of ordinary memory is destroyed:

test memory destroy force-chunk

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
test memory chunk	Allocates or frees chunk elements from a chunk.
test memory create chunk	Creates a memory chunk.

## test platform police get

To get the IPv6 internal police rate, use the test platform police get command in privileged EXEC mode.

test platform police get

**Syntax Description** 

This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Command Default** 

0 (No rate has been applied.)

**Command Modes** 

Privileged EXEC (#)

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
\ /	The command was introduced on the Cisco 7600 series routers for the ES+ line cards, the SIP-400, and the 7600-ES+ITU-2TG and 7600-ES+ITU-4TG.

## **Usage Guidelines**

Use this command under the exec command of the line card console. It is not visible from the route processor (RP) console.

## **Examples**

The following example shows how to get the IPv6 internal police rate:

Router> enable Router# test platform police get IPv6 with HBH header is policed at 100000 kbps

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
test platform police set	Sets the IPv6 internal police rate.

## test platform police set

To set the IPv6 internal police rate, use the **test platform police set** command in privileged EXEC mode. This command does not have a no form.

test platform police set rate

## **Syntax Description**

rate

Specifies the internal police rate. The range is from 0 to 100000 kbps.

- For the SIP-400, you can configure a rate up to, and including 25600 packets per second (PPS).
- For the ES+ line cards and the 7600-ES+ITU-2TG and 7600-ES+ITU-4TG line cards, you can configure rates of:
  - 16 Kbps to 2 Mbps; granularity of 16 kbps
  - 2 Mbps to 100 Mbps; granularity of 64 kbps

#### **Command Default**

For ES40 line cards, the default police rate is 12.8 Mbps.

For the SIP-400, the default police rate is 21.36 kpps.

## **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.2(33)SRD1	The command was introduced on the Cisco 7600 series routers for the ES+ line cards, the SIP-400, and the 7600-ES+ITU-2TG and 7600-ES+ITU-4TG.

#### **Usage Guidelines**

Use this command under the EXEC command of the line card console. It is not visible from the route processor (RP) console.



Note

There is not a **no** version of this command. If you have set a rate limit and wish to cancel it, you will need to use this command to set the rate to 0.

For both the ES+ line cards and the SIP-400, setting the police rate to 0 turns off the policing.

For both the ES+ line cards and the SIP-400, when the policer is set from the the line card console, the setting remains effective even if the line card is moved to another chassis running the Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRD1 (or later) image.

For the SIP-400, IPv6 HBH packets will continue to go through the QoS policing configured on the line card. For ES+ line cards, IPv6 HBH packets will bypass any QoS configured on the line card.

#### **Examples**

The following examples shows how to set the IPv6 with HBH header to be policed at 100000 kbps:

```
Router> enable Router# test platform police set 100000
```

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
test platform police get	Gets the IPv6 internal police rate.

## tftp-server

To configure a router or a Flash memory device on the router as a TFTP server, use one of the following **tftp-server** commands in global configuration mode. This command replaces the **tftp-server system** command. To remove a previously defined filename, use the **no** form of this command with the appropriate filename.

```
tftp-server flash [partition-number :] filename1 [alias filename2] [access-list-number] tftp-server rom alias filename1 [access-list-number] no tftp-server {flash [partition-number :] filename1 | rom alias filename2}
```

Cisco 1600 Series and Cisco 3600 Series Routers

**tftp-server flash** [device :] [partition-number :] filename **no tftp-server flash** [device :] [partition-number :] filename

Cisco 7000 Family Routers

tftp-server flash device : filename no tftp-server flash device : filename

## **Syntax Description**

flash	Specifies TFTP service of a file in Flash memory.
rom	Specifies TFTP service of a file in ROM.
filename1	Name of a file in Flash or in ROM that the TFTP server uses in answering TFTP Read Requests.
alias	Specifies an alternate name for the file that the TFTP server uses in answering TFTP Read Requests.

filename2	Alternate name of the file that the TFTP server uses in answering TFTP Read Requests.  A client of the TFTP server can use this alternate name in its Read Requests.
access-list-number	(Optional) Basic IP access list number. Valid values are from 0 to 99.
partition-number :	(Optional) Specifies TFTP service of a file in the specified partition of Flash memory. If the partition number is not specified, the file in the first partition is used.
	For the Cisco 1600 series and Cisco 3600 series routers, you must enter a colon after the partition number if a filename follows it.
device :	(Optional) Specifies TFTP service of a file on a Flash memory device in the Cisco 1600 series, Cisco 3600 series, and Cisco 7000 family routers. The colon is required. Valid devices are as follows:
	• flashInternal Flash memory on the Cisco 1600 series and Cisco 3600 series routers. This is the only valid device for the Cisco 1600 series routers.
	• bootflashInternal Flash memory in the Cisco 7000 family routers.
	• slot0First PCMCIA slot on the Cisco 3600 series and Cisco 7000 family routers
	• slot1Second PCMCIA slot on the Cisco 3600 series and Cisco 7000 family .
	• slavebootflashInternal Flash memory on the secondary RSP card of a Cisco 7507 or Cisco 7513 router configured for HSA.
	• slaveslot0First PCMCIA slot of the secondary RSP card on a Cisco 7507 or Cisco 7513 router configured for HSA.
	• slaveslot1Second PCMCIA slot of the secondary RSP card on a Cisco 7507 or Cisco 7513 router configured for HSA.
filename	Name of the file on a Flash memory device that the TFTP server uses in answering a TFTP Read Request. Use this argument only with the Cisco 1600 series, Cisco 3600 series, Cisco 7000 series, or Cisco 7500 series routers.

## **Command Default**

Disabled

## **Command Modes**

Global configuration

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
11.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **Usage Guidelines**

You can specify multiple filenames by repeating the **tftp-server** command. The system sends a copy of the system image contained in ROM or one of the system images contained in Flash memory to any client that issues a TFTP Read Request with this filename.

If the specified *filename1* or *filename2* argument exists in Flash memory, a copy of the Flash image is sent. On systems that contain a complete image in ROM, the system sends the ROM image if the specified *filename1* or *filename2* argument is not found in Flash memory.

Images that run from ROM cannot be loaded over the network. Therefore, it does not make sense to use TFTP to offer the ROMs on these images.

On the Cisco 7000 family routers, the system sends a copy of the file contained on one of the Flash memory devices to any client that issues a TFTP Read Request with its filename.

### **Examples**

In the following example, the system uses TFTP to send a copy of the *version-10.3* file located in Flash memory in response to a TFTP Read Request for that file. The requesting host is checked against access list 22.

```
tftp-server flash version-10.3 22
```

In the following example, the system uses TFTP to send a copy of the ROM image gs3-k.101in response to a TFTP Read Request for the gs3-k.101 file:

```
tftp-server rom alias gs3-k.101
```

In the following example, the system uses TFTP to send a copy of the *version-11.0* filein response to a TFTP Read Request for that file. The file is located on the Flash memory card inserted in slot 0.

```
tftp-server flash slot0:version-11.0
```

The following example enables a Cisco 3600 series router to operate as a TFTP server. The source file c3640-i-mz is in the second partition of internal Flash memory.

#### Router#

#### configure terminal

```
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
router(config) # tftp-server flash flash:2:dirt/gate/c3640-i-mz
```

In the following example, the source file is in the second partition of the Flash memory PC card in slot 0 on a Cisco 3600 series:

#### Router#

#### configure terminal

Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
Router(config)#

```
tftp-server flash slot0:2:dirt/gate/c3640-j-mz
```

The following example enables a Cisco 1600 series router to operate as a TFTP server. The source file c1600-i-mz is in the second partition of Flash memory:

#### router#

#### configure terminal

Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
router(config) # tftp-server flash flash:2:dirt/gate/c1600-i-mz

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description	
access-list	Creates an extended access list.	

## tftp-server system

The **tftp-server system** command has been replaced by the **tftp-server** command. See the description of the tftp-server command in this chapter for more information.

## time-period

To set the time increment for automatically saving an archive file of the current running configuration in the Cisco configuration archive, use the **time-period** command in archive configuration mode. To disable this function, use the **no** form of this command.

time-period minutes no time-period minutes

## **Syntax Description**

minutes	Specifies how often, in minutes, to automatically save an archive file of the current running
	configuration in the Cisco configuration archive.

#### **Command Default**

No time increment is set.

#### **Command Modes**

Archive configuration (config-archive)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.3(7)T	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.
12.2(31)SB2	This command was implemented on the Cisco 10000 series router.
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 and implemented on the Cisco 10000 series.
Cisco IOS XE Release 3.9S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 3.9S.

## **Usage Guidelines**



Note

Before using this command, you must configure the **path** command to specify the location and filename prefix for the files in the Cisco configuration archive.

If this command is configured, an archive file of the current running configuration is automatically saved after the given time specified by the *minutes* argument. Archive files continue to be automatically saved at this

given time increment until this function is disabled. Use the **maximum** command to set the maximum number of archive files of the running configuration to be saved.



Note

This command saves the current running configuration to the configuration archive whether or not the running configuration has been modified since the last archive file was saved.

## **Examples**

In the following example, a value of 20 minutes is set as the time increment for which to automatically save an archive file of the current running configuration in the Cisco configuration archive:

```
Device# configure terminal
!
Device(config)# archive
Device(config-archive)# path disk0:myconfig
Device(config-archive)# time-period 20
Device(config-archive)# end
```

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
archive config	Saves a copy of the current running configuration to the Cisco configuration archive.
configure confirm	Confirms replacement of the current running configuration with a saved Cisco configuration file.
configure replace	Replaces the current running configuration with a saved Cisco configuration file.
maximum	Sets the maximum number of archive files of the running configuration to be saved in the Cisco configuration archive.
path	Specifies the location and filename prefix for the files in the Cisco configuration archive.
show archive	Displays information about the files saved in the Cisco configuration archive.

## trace (privileged)

To discover the routes that packets will actually take when traveling to their destination, use the **trace** command in privileged EXEC mode.

**trace** [protocol] [destination]

#### **Syntax Description**

protocol	(Optional) Protocols that can be used are <b>appletalk</b> , <b>clns</b> , <b>ip</b> and <b>vines</b> .
destination	(Optional) Destination address or host name on the command line. The default parameters for the appropriate protocol are assumed and the tracing action begins.

#### **Command Default**

The *protocol* argument is based on the Cisco IOS software examination of the format of the *destination* argument. For example, if the software finds a *destination* argument in IP format, the *protocol* value defaults to **ip**.

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(13)T	This command is no longer supported in Cisco IOS Mainline releases or in Technology-based (T-train) releases. It might continue to appear in 12.2S-family releases.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **Usage Guidelines**

The **trace** command works by taking advantage of the error messages generated by routers when a datagram exceeds its time-to-live (TTL) value.

The **trace** command starts by sending probe datagrams with a TTL value of one. This causes the first router to discard the probe datagram and send back an error message. The **trace** command sends several probes at each TTL level and displays the round-trip time for each.

The **trace** command sends out one probe at a time. Each outgoing packet may result in one or two error messages. A "time exceeded" error message indicates that an intermediate router has seen and discarded the probe. A "destination unreachable" error message indicates that the destination node has received the probe and discarded it because it could not deliver the packet. If the timer goes off before a response comes in, the **trace**command prints an asterisk (\*).

The **trace** command terminates when the destination responds, when the maximum TTL is exceeded, or when the user interrupts the trace with the escape sequence. By default, to invoke the escape sequence, type **Ctrl-^ X** by simultaneously pressing and releasing the **Ctrl**, **Shift**, and **6** keys, and then pressing the **X** key.

To use nondefault parameters and invoke an extended **trace** test, enter the command without a *destination* argument. You will be stepped through a dialog to select the desired parameters.

#### **Common Trace Problems**

Due to bugs in the IP implementation of various hosts and routers, the IP **trace** command may behave in unexpected ways.

Not all destinations will respond correctly to a probe message by sending back an "ICMP port unreachable" message. A long sequence of TTL levels with only asterisks, terminating only when the maximum TTL has been reached, may indicate this problem.

There is a known problem with the way some hosts handle an "ICMP TTL exceeded" message. Some hosts generate an "ICMP" message but they reuse the TTL of the incoming packet. Because this is zero, the ICMP packets do not make it back. When you trace the path to such a host, you may see a set of TTL values with asterisks (\*). Eventually the TTL gets high enough that the *ICMP* message can get back. For example, if the host is six hops away, the **trace** command will time out on responses 6 through 11.

#### **Trace IP Routes**

The following display shows sample IP trace output when a destination host name has been specified:

#### Router# trace ABA.NYC.mil

```
Type escape sequence to abort.

Tracing the route to ABA.NYC.mil (26.0.0.73)

1 DEBRIS.CISCO.COM (192.180.1.6) 1000 msec 8 msec 4 msec
2 BARRNET-GW.CISCO.COM (192.180.16.2) 8 msec 8 msec 8 msec
3 EXTERNAL-A-GATEWAY.STANFORD.EDU (192.42.110.225) 8 msec 4 msec 4 msec
```

```
4 BB2.SU.BARRNET.NET (192.200.254.6) 8 msec 8 msec 8 msec 5 SU.ARC.BARRNET.NET (192.200.3.8) 12 msec 12 msec 8 msec 6 MOFFETT-FLD-MB.in.MIL (192.52.195.1) 216 msec 120 msec 132 msec 7 ABA.NYC.mil (26.0.0.73) 412 msec 628 msec 664 msec
```

The following table describes the significant fields shown in the display.

#### Table 1: trace Field Descriptions

Field	Description
1	Indicates the sequence number of the router in the path to the host.
DEBRIS.CISCO.COM	Host name of this router.
192.180.1.6	Internet address of this router.
1000 msec 8 msec 4 msec	Round-trip time for each of the three probes that are sent.

#### **Extended IP Trace Dialog**

The following display shows a sample trace session involving the extended dialog of the trace command:

```
Router# trace
Protocol [ip]:
Target IP address: mit.edu
Source address:
Numeric display [n]:
Timeout in seconds [3]:
Probe count [3]:
Minimum Time to Live [1]:
Maximum Time to Live [30]:
Port Number [33434]:
Loose, Strict, Record, Timestamp, Verbose[none]:
Type escape sequence to abort.
Tracing the route to MIT.EDU (18.72.2.1)
 1 ICM-DC-2-V1.ICP.NET (192.108.209.17) 72 msec 72 msec 88 msec
  2 ICM-FIX-E-H0-T3.ICP.NET (192.157.65.122) 80 msec 128 msec 80 msec
  3 192.203.229.246 540 msec 88 msec 84 msec
  4 T3-2.WASHINGTON-DC-CNSS58.T3.ANS.NET (140.222.58.3) 84 msec 116 msec 88 msec
  5 T3-3.WASHINGTON-DC-CNSS56.T3.ANS.NET (140.222.56.4) 80 msec 132 msec 88 msec
  6 T3-0.NEW-YORK-CNSS32.T3.ANS.NET (140.222.32.1) 92 msec 132 msec 88 msec
  7 T3-0.HARTFORD-CNSS48.T3.ANS.NET (140.222.48.1) 88 msec 88 msec 88 msec
  8 T3-0.HARTFORD-CNSS49.T3.ANS.NET (140.222.49.1) 96 msec 104 msec 96 msec
  9 T3-0.ENSS134.T3.ANS.NET (140.222.134.1) 92 msec 128 msec 92 msec
 10 W91-CISCO-EXTERNAL-FDDI.MIT.EDU (192.233.33.1) 92 msec 92 msec 112 msec
 11 E40-RTR-FDDI.MIT.EDU (18.168.0.2) 92 msec 120 msec 96 msec
 12 MIT.EDU (18.72.2.1) 96 msec 92 msec 96 msec
```

The following table describes the fields that are unique to the extended trace sequence, as shown in the display.

#### **Table 2: trace Field Descriptions**

Field	Description
Target IP address	You must enter a host name or an IP address. There is no default.
Source address	One of the interface addresses of the router to use as a source address for the probes. The router will normally pick what it feels is the best source address to use.

Field	Description
Numeric display	The default is to have both a symbolic and numeric display; however, you can suppress the symbolic display.
Timeout in seconds	The number of seconds to wait for a response to a probe packet. The default is 3 seconds.
Probe count	The number of probes to be sent at each TTL level. The default count is 3.
Minimum Time to Live [1]	The TTL value for the first probes. The default is 1, but it can be set to a higher value to suppress the display of known hops.
Maximum Time to Live [30]	The largest TTL value that can be used. The default is 30. The <b>trace</b> command terminates when the destination is reached or when this value is reached.
Port Number	The destination port used by the User Datagram Protocol (UDP) probe messages. The default is 33434.
Loose, Strict, Record, Timestamp, Verbose	IP header options. You can specify any combination. The <b>trace</b> command issues prompts for the required fields. Note that the <b>trace</b> command will place the requested options in each probe; however, there is no guarantee that all routers (or end nodes) will process the options.
Loose	Allows you to specify a list of nodes that must be traversed when going to the destination.
Strict	Allows you to specify a list of nodes that must be the only nodes traversed when going to the destination.
Record	Allows you to specify the number of hops to leave room for.
Timestamp	Allows you to specify the number of time stamps to leave room for.
Verbose	If you select any option, the verbose mode is automatically selected and the <b>trace</b> command prints the contents of the option field in any incoming packets. You can prevent verbose mode by selecting it again, toggling its current setting.

The following table describes the characters that can appear in **trace** command output.

## Table 3: ip trace Text Characters

Char	Description
nn msec	For each node, the round-trip time (in milliseconds) for the specified number of probes.
*	The probe timed out.
?	Unknown packet type.
A	Administratively unreachable. Usually, this output indicates that an access list is blocking traffic.
Н	Host unreachable.

Char	Description
N	Network unreachable.
P	Protocol unreachable.
Q	Source quench.
U	Port unreachable.

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
trace (user)	Discovers the CLNS routes that packets will actually take when traveling to their destination.

## trace (user)

To discover the IP routes that packets will actually take when traveling to their destination, use the **trace** command in EXEC mode.

trace [protocol] [destination]

#### **Syntax Description**

protocol	(Optional) Protocols that can be used are <b>appletalk</b> , <b>clns</b> , <b>ip</b> and <b>vines</b> .
	(Optional) Destination address or host name on the command line. The default parameters for the appropriate protocol are assumed and the tracing action begins.

## **Command Default**

The *protocol* argument is based on the Cisco IOS software examination of the format of the *destination* argument. For example, if the software finds a *destination* argument in IP format, the *protocol* defaults to **ip**.

#### **Command Modes**

**EXEC** 

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(13)T	This command is no longer supported in Cisco IOS Mainline releases or in Technology-based (T-train) releases. It might continue to appear in 12.2S-family releases.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

#### **Usage Guidelines**

The **trace** command works by taking advantage of the error messages generated by routers when a datagram exceeds its time-to-live (TTL) value.

The **trace** command starts by sending probe datagrams with a TTL value of one. This causes the first router to discard the probe datagram and send back an error message. The **trace** command sends several probes at each TTL level and displays the round-trip time for each.

The **trace** command sends out one probe at a time. Each outgoing packet may result in one or two error messages. A "time exceeded" error message indicates that an intermediate router has seen and discarded the probe. A "destination unreachable" error message indicates that the destination node has received the probe

and discarded it because it could not deliver the packet. If the timer goes off before a response comes in, **trace** prints an asterisk (\*).

The **trace** command terminates when the destination responds, when the maximum TTL is exceeded, or when the user interrupts the trace with the escape sequence. By default, to invoke the escape sequence, type **Ctrl-^ X** by simultaneously pressing and releasing the **Ctrl**, **Shift**, and **6** keys, and then pressing the **X** key.

#### **Common Trace Problems**

Due to bugs in the IP implementation of various hosts and routers, the IP **trace** command may behave in unexpected ways.

Not all destinations will respond correctly to a probe message by sending back an "ICMP port unreachable" message. A long sequence of TTL levels with only asterisks, terminating only when the maximum TTL has been reached, may indicate this problem.

There is a known problem with the way some hosts handle an "ICMP TTL exceeded" message. Some hosts generate an *ICMP* message but they reuse the TTL of the incoming packet. Since this is zero, the ICMP packets do not make it back. When you trace the path to such a host, you may see a set of TTL values with asterisks (\*). Eventually the TTL gets high enough that the "ICMP" message can get back. For example, if the host is six hops away, **trace** will time out on responses 6 through 11.

#### **Trace IP Routes**

The following display shows sample IP **trace** output when a destination host name has been specified:

```
Router# trace ip ABA.NYC.mil
Type escape sequence to abort.
Tracing the route to ABA.NYC.mil (26.0.0.73)

1 DEBRIS.CISCO.COM (192.180.1.6) 1000 msec 8 msec 4 msec
2 BARRNET-GW.CISCO.COM (192.180.16.2) 8 msec 8 msec 8 msec
3 EXTERNAL-A-GATEWAY.STANFORD.EDU (192.42.110.225) 8 msec 4 msec 4 msec
4 BB2.SU.BARRNET.NET (192.200.254.6) 8 msec 8 msec 8 msec
5 SU.ARC.BARRNET.NET (192.200.3.8) 12 msec 12 msec 8 msec
6 MOFFETT-FLD-MB.in.MIL (192.52.195.1) 216 msec 120 msec 132 msec
7 ABA.NYC.mil (26.0.0.73) 412 msec 628 msec 664 msec
```

The following table describes the significant fields shown in the display.

#### Table 4: trace Field Descriptions

Field	Description
1	Indicates the sequence number of the router in the path to the host.
DEBRIS.CISCO.COM	Host name of this router.
192.180.1.61	Internet address of this router.
1000 msec 8 msec 4 msec	Round-trip time for each of the three probes that are sent.

The following table describes the characters that can appear in **trace** output.

#### Table 5: ip trace Text Characters

	Char	Description
-	nn msec	For each node, the round-trip time (in milliseconds) for the specified number of probes.

Char	Description
*	The probe timed out.
?	Unknown packet type.
A	Administratively unreachable. Usually, this output indicates that an access list is blocking traffic.
Н	Host unreachable.
N	Network unreachable.
P	Protocol unreachable.
Q	Source quench.
U	Port unreachable.

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
trace (privileged)	Probes the routes that packets follow when traveling to their destination from the router.

## traceroute

To discover the routes that packets will actually take when traveling to their destination address, use the **traceroute** command in user EXEC or privileged EXEC mode.

traceroute [vrf vrf-name | topology topology-name] [protocol] destination

## **Syntax Description**

vrf vrf-name	(Optional) Specifies the name of a VPN virtual routing and forwarding (VRF) instance table in which to find the destination address. The only keyword that you can select for the <i>protocol</i> argument when you use the <b>vrf</b> <i>vrf</i> -name keyword-argument pair is the <b>ip</b> keyword.
topology topology-name	(Optional) Specifies the name of the topology instance. The <i>topology-name</i> argument is case-sensitive; "VOICE" and "voice" specify different topologies.
protocol	(Optional) Protocol keyword, either <b>appletalk</b> , <b>clns</b> , <b>ip</b> , <b>ipv6</b> , <b>ipx</b> , <b>oldvines</b> , or <b>vines</b> . When not specified, the <i>protocol</i> argument is based on an examination by the software of the format of the <i>destination</i> argument. The default protocol is IP.
destination	(Optional in privileged EXEC mode; required in user EXEC mode) The Destination address or hostname you want to trace of the route. The software determines the default parameters for the appropriate protocol and the tracing action begins.

## **Command Default**

When not specified, the *protocol* argument is determined by the software examining the format of the *destination* argument. For example, if the software finds a *destination* argument in IP format, the protocol value defaults to IP.

## **Command Modes**

User EXEC (>)

## Privileged EXEC (#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.0(5)T	The <b>vrf</b> vrf-name keyword and argument were added.
12.2(2)T	This command was modified, support for IPv6 was added.
12.0(21)ST	This command was modified, support for IPv6 was added.
12.0(22)S	This command was modified, support for IPv6 was added.
12.2(11)T	The <b>traceroute</b> command test characters for IPv6 were updated. A new error message was added.
12.2(14)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(14)S.
12.3(5)	This command was modified, a line was added to the interactive <b>traceroute vrf</b> command, so that you can resolve the autonomous system number through the use of the global table or a VRF table, or you can choose not to resolve the autonomous system.
12.0(26)S1	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(26)S1.
12.2(20)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(20)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)SRB	The <b>topology</b> <i>topology-name</i> keyword-argument pair was added to support Multitopology Routing (MTR).
12.2(33)SXH	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXH.
12.2(33)SRE	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRE.
Cisco IOS XE Release 3.2S	This command was modified. When the <b>vrf</b> keyword is used, the output displays the incoming VRF name/tag and the outgoing VRF name/tag.
15.0(1)SY	This command was modified. When the <b>vrf</b> keyword is used, the output displays the incoming VRF name/tag and the outgoing VRF name/tag.
15. 2 (2)SNI	This command was implemented on the Cisco ASR 901 Series Aggregation Services Routers.

## **Usage Guidelines**

The **traceroute** command works by taking advantage of the error messages generated by devices when a datagram exceeds its hop limit value.

The **traceroute** command starts by sending probe datagrams with a hop limit of 1. Including a hop limit of 1 with a probe datagram causes the neighboring devices to discard the probe datagram and send back an error

message. The **traceroute** command sends several probes with increasing hop limits and displays the round-trip time for each.

The **traceroute** command sends out one probe at a time. Each outgoing packet might result in one or more error messages. A time-exceeded error message indicates that an intermediate device has seen and discarded the probe. A destination unreachable error message indicates that the destination node has received and discarded the probe because the hop limit of the packet reached a value of 0. If the timer goes off before a response comes in, the **traceroute** command prints an asterisk (\*).

The **traceroute** command terminates when the destination responds, when the hop limit is exceeded, or when the user interrupts the trace with the escape sequence. By default, to invoke the escape sequence, simultaneously press and release the Ctrl, Shift, and 6 keys, and then pressing the X key.

To use nondefault parameters and invoke an extended **traceroute** test, enter the command without a *protocol* or *destination* argument in privileged EXEC mode then follow a series of steps to select the desired parameters. Extended **traceroute** tests are not supported in user EXEC mode. The user-level traceroute feature provides a basic trace facility for users who do not have system privileges. The *destination* argument is required in user EXEC mode.

If the system cannot map an address for a hostname, it returns a "%No valid source address for destination" message.

If the **vrf** *vrf*-name keyword-argument pair is used, the **topology** option is not displayed because only the default VRF instance is supported. The **topology** *topology*-name keyword-argument pair and the DiffServ Code Point (DSCP) option in the extended traceroute system dialog are displayed only if a topology is configured on the device.

In Cisco IOS XE Release 3.2S, output of the **traceroute** command with the **vrf** keyword was enhanced to make troubleshooting easier by displaying the incoming VRF name/tag and the outgoing VRF name/tag.

#### **Examples**

After you enter the **traceroute** command in privileged EXEC mode, the system prompts you for a protocol. The default protocol is IP.

If you enter a hostname or address on the same line as the **traceroute** command, the default action is taken as appropriate for the protocol type of that name or address.

The following example is sample output from the **traceroute** command using default values in privileged EXEC mode. The specific output varies somewhat from protocol to protocol.

```
Device# traceroute
Protocol [ip]:
Target IP address:
Source address:
DSCP Value [0]: ! Only displayed if a topology is configured on the device.
Numeric display [n]:
Timeout in seconds [3]:
Probe count [3]:
Minimum Time to Live [1]:
Maximum Time to Live [30]:
Port Number [33434]:
Loose, Strict, Record, Timestamp, Verbose [none]:
```

The following example displays output available in Cisco IOS XE Release 3.2S and later. Output of the **traceroute** command with the **vrf** keyword includes the incoming VRF name/tag and the outgoing VRF name/tag.

```
Device# traceroute vrf red 10.0.10.12
```

```
Type escape sequence to abort.

Tracing the route to 10.0.10.12

VRF info: (vrf in name/id, vrf out name/id)

1 10.1.13.15 (red/13,red/13) 0 msec

10.1.16.16 (red/13,red/13) 0 msec

10.1.13.15 (red/13,red/13) 1 msec

2 10.1.8.13 (red/13,red/13) 0 msec

10.1.7.13 (red/13,red/13) 0 msec

10.1.8.13 (red/13,red/13) 0 msec

3 10.1.2.11 (red/13,blue/10) 1 msec 0 msec
```

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
ping (MTR)	Pings a destination within a specific topology for MTR.

## traceroute mac

To display the Layer 2 path taken by the packets from the specified source to the specified destination, use the **traceroute mac**command in privileged EXEC mode.

**traceroute mac** source-mac-address {destination-mac-address | **interface** type interface-number destination-mac-address} [**vlan** vlan-id] [**detail**]

**traceroute mac interface** type interface-number source-mac-address {destination-mac-address | **interface** type interface-number destination-mac-address} [**vlan** vlan-id] [**detail**]

**traceroute mac ip** {source-ip-addresssource-hostname} {destination-ip-addressdestination-hostname} [detail]

## **Syntax Description**

source-mac-address	Media Access Control (MAC) address of the source switch in hexadecimal format.
destination-mac-address	MAC address of the destination switch in hexadecimal format.
interface type	Specifies the interface where the MAC address resides; valid values are <b>FastEthernet</b> , <b>GigabitEthernet</b> , and <b>Port-channel</b> .
interface-number	Module and port number or the port-channel number; valid values for the port channel are from 1 to 282.
vlan vlan-id	(Optional) Specifies the virtual local area network (VLAN) on which to trace the Layer 2 path that the packets take from the source switch to the destination switch; valid values are from 1 to 4094.
detail	(Optional) Displays detailed information about the Layer 2 trace.
ip	Specifies the IP address where the MAC address resides.
source-ip-address	IP address of the source switch as a 32-bit quantity in dotted-decimal format.
source-hostname	IP hostname of the source switch.
destination-ip-address	IP address of the destination switch as a 32-bit quantity in dotted-decimal format.
destination-hostname	IP hostname of the destination switch.

#### **Command Default**

This command has no default settings.

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.2(18)SXE	Support for 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**

This command is not supported on the Cisco 7600 series router that is configured with a Supervisor Engine 2.

Do not use leading zeros when entering a VLAN ID.

For Layer 2 traceroute to functional properly, you must enable CDP on all of the switches in the network. Do not disable CDP.

When the switch detects a device in the Layer 2 path that does not support Layer 2 traceroute, the switch continues to send Layer 2 trace queries and lets them time out.

The maximum number of hops identified in the path is ten.

Layer 2 traceroute supports only unicast traffic. If you specify a multicast source or destination MAC address, the physical path is not identified, and a message appears.

The **traceroute mac** command output shows the Layer 2 path when the specified source and destination addresses belong to the same VLAN. If you specify source and destination addresses that belong to different VLANs, the Layer 2 path is not identified, and a message appears.

If the source or destination MAC address belongs to multiple VLANs, you must specify the VLAN to which both the source and destination MAC addresses belong. If the VLAN is not specified, the path is not identified, and a message appears.

When multiple devices are attached to one port through hubs (for example, multiple CDP neighbors are detected on a port), the Layer 2 traceroute utility terminates at that hop and displays an error message.

This feature is not supported in Token Ring VLANs.

## **Examples**

This example shows how to display detailed information about the Layer 2 path:

```
Router# traceroute mac 0001.0000.0204 0001.0000.0304 detail
Source 1001.0000.0204 found on VAYU[WS-C6509] (10.1.1.10)
1 VAYU / WS-C6509 / 10.1.1.10 :
Gi6/1 [full, 1000M] => Po100 [auto, auto]
2 PANI / WS-C6509 / 10.1.1.12 :
Po100 [auto, auto] => Po110 [auto, auto]
3 BUMI / WS-C6509 / 10.1.1.13 :
Po110 [auto, auto] => Po120 [auto, auto]
4 AGNI / WS-C6509 / 10.1.1.11 :
Po120 [auto, auto] => Gi8/12 [full, 1000M]
Destination 1001.0000.0304 found on AGNI[WS-C6509] (10.1.1.11)
Layer 2 trace completed.
Router#
```

This example shows the output when the switch is not connected to the source switch:

This example shows the output when the switch cannot find the destination port for the source MAC address:

```
Router# traceroute mac 0000.0011.1111 0000.0201.0201
Error:Source Mac address not found.
Layer2 trace aborted.
Router#
```

This example shows the output when the source and destination devices are in different VLANs:

```
Router# traceroute mac 0000.0201.0601 0000.0301.0201
Error:Source and destination macs are on different vlans.
Layer2 trace aborted.
Router#
```

This example shows the output when the destination MAC address is a multicast address:

```
Router# traceroute mac 0000.0201.0601 0100.0201.0201 Invalid destination mac address Router#
```

This example shows the output when the source and destination switches belong to multiple VLANs:

```
Router# traceroute mac 0000.0201.0601 0000.0201.0201 
Error:Mac found on multiple vlans. 
Layer2 trace aborted. 
Router#
```

This example shows how to display the Layer 2 path by specifying the interfaces on the source and destination switches:

```
Router# traceroute mac interface fastethernet0/1 0000.0201.0601 interface fastethernet0/3 0000.0201.0201
```

```
Source 1000.0201.0601 found on con6[WS-C6509] (10.2.6.6)
con6 (10.2.6.6) :Fa0/1 =>Fa0/3
con5
                     (10.2.5.5)
                                      )
                                         :
                                              Fa0/3 => Gi0/1
                                             Gi0/1 => Gi0/2
con1
                     (10.2.1.1
                                      )
                                        :
                                     ) :
                     (10.2.2.2
                                             Gi0/2 => Fa0/1
Destination 1000.0201.0201 found on con2[WS-C6509] (10.2.2.2)
Layer 2 trace completed
Router#
```

This example shows how to display detailed traceroute information:

```
Router# traceroute mac ip 10.2.66.66 10.2.22.22 detail Translating IP to mac.....
```

This example shows how to display the Layer 2 path by specifying the source and destination hostnames:

```
Router# traceroute mac ip con6 con2
Translating IP to mac .....
10.2.66.66 =>0000.0201.0601
10.2.22.22 =>0000.0201.0201
Source 0000.0201.0601 found on con6
con6 (10.2.6.6) :Fa0/1 =>Fa0/3
con5
                     (10.2.5.5
                                      )
                                        :
                                              Fa0/3 => Gi0/1
con1
                     (10.2.1.1
                                      )
                                         :
                                              Gi0/1 => Gi0/2
                                      ) :
                                              Gi0/2 => Fa0/1
con2
                     (10.2.2.2
Destination 0000.0201.0201 found on con2
Layer 2 trace completed
```

This example shows the output when ARP cannot associate the source IP address with the corresponding MAC address:

```
Router# traceroute mac ip 10.2.66.66 10.2.77.77
Arp failed for destination 10.2.77.77.
Layer2 trace aborted.
Router#
```

## undelete

To recover a file marked "deleted" on a Class A Flash file system, use the **undelete** command in user EXEC or privileged EXEC mode.

**undelete** *index* [filesystem :]

### **Syntax Description**

index	A number that indexes the file in the <b>dir</b> command output.
filesystem :	(Optional) A file system containing the file to undelete, followed by a colon.

#### **Command Default**

The default file system is the one specified by the **cd** command.

#### **Command Modes**

user EXEC privileged EXEC

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
11.0	This command was introduced for Class A Flash File Systems (platforms include the Cisco 7500 series and Cisco 12000 series).
12.2(14)SX	Support for this command was introduced on the Supervisor Engine 720.
12.2(17d)SXB	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.

### **Usage Guidelines**

For Class A Flash file systems, when you delete a file, the Cisco IOS software simply marks the file as deleted, but it does not erase the file. This command allows you to recover a "deleted" file on a specified Flash memory device. You must undelete a file by its index because you could have multiple deleted files with the same name. For example, the "deleted" list could contain multiple configuration files with the name router-config. You undelete by index to indicate which of the many router-config files from the list to undelete. Use the **dir** command to learn the index number of the file you want to undelete.

You cannot undelete a file if a valid (undeleted) file with the same name exists. Instead, you first delete the existing file and then undelete the file you want. For example, if you had an undeleted version of the router-config file and you wanted to use a previous, deleted version instead, you could not simply undelete the previous version by index. You would first delete the existing router-config file and then undelete the previous router-config file by index. You can delete and undelete a file up to 15 times.

On Class A Flash file systems, if you try to recover the configuration file pointed to by the CONFIG\_FILE environment variable, the system prompts you to confirm recovery of the file. This prompt reminds you that the CONFIG\_FILE environment variable points to an undeleted file. To permanently delete all files marked "deleted" on a Flash memory device, use the **squeeze** EXEC command.

For further information on Flash File System types (classes), see http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/hw/routers/ps341/products\_tech\_note09186a00800a7515.shtml.

#### **Examples**

In the following example, the deleted file at index 1 is recovered:

#### Router# show flash

```
System flash directory:

File Length Name/status

1 8972116 c7000-js56i-mz.121-5.T [deleted]

2 6765916 c7000-ds-mz.CSCds70452

[15738160 bytes used, 1039056 available, 16777216 total]

16384K bytes of processor board System flash (Read/Write)

Router# undelete 1 flash:
```

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
delete	Deletes a file on a Flash memory device.
dir	Displays a list of files on a file system.
squeeze	Permanently deletes Flash files by squeezing a Class A Flash file system.

## unprofile

To free the memory either by deleting data or disabling the profiles, use the **unprofile**command in privilegedEXEC mode.

**unprofile** {process {process-IDprocess-name}} {start-address end-address increment | all | task}

## **Syntax Description**

process	Sets the process specific information.
process-ID	Process ID. The range is from 1 to 4294967295.
process-name	Name of the process.
start-address	Starting address of the profile.
end-address	Ending address of the profile.
increment	Incrementing address of the profile.
all	Deletes all profile data.
task	Disables task profiling.

## **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
15.0(1)M	This command was introduced in a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 15.0(1)M.
12.2(33)SRB	This command was integrated into a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRB.
12.2(33)SXI	This command was integrated into a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXI.
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.1	This command was implemented on the Cisco ASR 1000 Series Aggregation Services Routers.

## **Examples**

The following example shows how to delete all the profile data:

Router# unprofile process all

# upgrade automatic abortversion

To cancel the scheduled reloading of the device with a new Cisco software image, use the **upgrade automatic abortversion** command in privileged EXEC mode.

upgrade automatic abortversion

#### no upgrade automatic abortversion

#### **Syntax Description**

This command has no arguments or keywords.

#### **Command Default**

The reload of the device with the Cisco software image is not scheduled. The disk-management utility is disabled.

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#)

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.4(15)T	This command was introduced.
Cisco IOS XE Release 3.9S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 3.9S.

#### **Usage Guidelines**

Use the **upgrade automatic abortversion** command to cancel a reload that has already been scheduled with either the **upgrade automatic getversion** command or the **upgrade automatic runversion** command.

## **Examples**

The following example shows how to cancel a reload that is scheduled within one hour and 15 minutes. The reload was scheduled by using the **upgrade automatic runversion** command.

```
Device# upgrade automatic runversion in 01:15
```

```
Upgrading to "flash:c1841-adventerprisek9-mz.calvin-build-20060714". Wait..

Reload scheduled for 09:51:38 UTC Thu Aug 3 2006 (in 1 hour and 15 minutes) with image -
flash:c1841-adventerprisek9-mz.calvin-build-20060714 by console

Reload reason: Auto upgrade

Device will WARM UPGRADE in 1:15:00

To cancel the upgrade, enter the command "upgrade automatic abortversion"

Aug 3 08:36:38.072: %SYS-5-SCHEDULED_RELOAD: Reload requested for 09:51:38 UTC Thu Aug 3

2006 at 08:36:38 UTC Thu Aug 3 2006 by console. Reload Reason: Auto upgrade.

Device# upgrade automatic abortversion

Auto upgrade of image which was scheduled earlier is aborted!

***

*** --- SHUTDOWN ABORTED ---

***

Aug 3 08:37:02.292: %SYS-5-SCHEDULED_RELOAD_CANCELLED: Scheduled reload cancelled at
08:37:02 UTC Thu Aug 3 2006
```

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description
upgrade automatic getversion	Downloads a Cisco software image directly from www.cisco.com or from a non-Cisco server.
upgrade automatic runversion	Reloads the device with a new Cisco software image.

# upgrade automatic getversion

To download a Cisco software image directly from www.cisco.com or from a non-Cisco server, use the **upgrade automatic getversion** command in privileged EXEC mode.

upgrade automatic getversion {cisco username username password password image imageurl} {[at hh:mm]now | [in hh:mm]} [disk-management {auto | confirm | no}]

## **Syntax Description**

Downloads the image from www.cisco.com.
Username for logging in to www.cisco.com.
Password for logging in to www.cisco.com.
Specifies the Cisco software image to which the device is to be upgraded.
Name of the Cisco software image to which the device is to be upgraded.
URL from where the Cisco Auto-Upgrade Manager can download the image that has already been downloaded to a non-Cisco server.
(Optional) Schedules a reload at a specified time. Use either of the following arguments with this keyword:  • hh:mm Hour and minute. The time entered must be in 24-hour format.  • now Immediately after the download of the Cisco software image.
(Optional) Schedules a reload in a specified length of time after downloading the Cisco software image.
(Optional) Cisco Auto-Upgrade Manager disk cleanup utility. You must configure one of the following keywords:  • autoDeletes the files without asking for confirmation.  • confirmAsks for confirmation before deleting a file.  • noNever deletes any file.

## **Command Default**

The reload of the device with the Cisco software image is not scheduled. The disk-management utility is disabled.

## **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.4(15)T	This command was introduced.
Cisco IOS XE Release 3.9S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 3.9S.

## **Usage Guidelines**

Use the **upgrade automatic getversion** command to download the Cisco software image to a device. You can either download the image from the Cisco website (www.cisco.com) or from a non-Cisco server to which the Cisco software image has already been downloaded from the Cisco website.

You can also use this command to schedule a reload. Additionally, this command can use the disk cleanup utility to delete files if there is not enough space to download the new Cisco software image.

#### **Downloading the Cisco Image from the Cisco Website**

The following example shows how to download a Cisco software image from the Cisco website (www.cisco.com). Here, the reloading of the device with the downloaded Cisco software image is not scheduled. Also, the disk-cleanup utility is not enabled.

Device# upgrade automatic getversion cisco username myusername password mypassword image c3825-adventerprisek9-mz.124-2.XA.bin

#### Downloading the Cisco Image from a Non-Cisco TFTP Server

The following example shows how to download the Cisco software image from a non-Cisco TFTP server and reload the device immediately after the download. It also shows how to delete the files automatically if there is not enough disk space.

Device# upgrade automatic getversion tftp://abc/tom/c3825-adventerprisek9-mz.124-2.XA.bin at now disk-management auto

#### Downloading the Cisco Image from a Non-Cisco TFTP Server Using the Interactive Mode

The following example shows how to use this command in interactive mode to download a Cisco software image from a non-Cisco server. Here, the reloading of the device with the downloaded Cisco software image is not scheduled.

Device# upgrade automatic

```
Welcome to the Cisco Auto Upgrade Manager. To upgrade your device, please answer the following
questions. To accept the default value for a question, simply hit <ENTER>
Would you like to download an image directly from Cisco Server over the Internet? A valid
Cisco login will be required.
Download from Cisco server? [yes]: no
Image location:tftp://10.1.0.1/emailid/c3825-adventerprisek9-mz pi6 aum review
Image Found: c3825-adventerprisek9-mz_pi6_aum_review (42245860 bytes)
Memory Available: 851Mb Main Memory (RAM) - 71335936 bytes of flash space
New image will be downloaded to flash:c3825-adventerprisek9-mz pi6 aum review
Reload and upgrade the device immediately after image download is complete? [yes]: no
When would you like to reload your device? Use hh:mm format or specify "Manual" to not
schedule a reload time. Use 'upgrade automatic runversion' to reload manually.
Time to reload the box [Manual]?
Proceed with device image upgrade from
[tftp://10.1.0.1/emailid/c3825-adventerprisek9-mz pi6 aum review] to
[c3825-adventerprisek9-mz pi6 aum review]? [yes]:
Downloading Image from user specified url:
Loading emailid/c3825-adventerprisek9-mz_pi6_aum_review from 172.16.0.0(via
[OK - 42245860 bytes]
 [download complete]
Verifiying the image: .....
Done!
Image Verification: PASS
Use 'upgrade automatic runversion' command to reload manually.
```

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
upgrade automatic abortversion	Cancels upgrading the device with a new Cisco software image.
upgrade automatic runversion	Reloads the device with a new Cisco software image.

## upgrade automatic runversion

To reload the device with a new Cisco software image, use the **upgrade automatic runversion** command in privileged EXEC mode.

upgrade automatic runversion {at hh:mmnow | in hh:mm}

## **Syntax Description**

at	Schedules a reload at a specified time. Use either of the following arguments with this keywork	
		• hh:mm Hour and minute. The time entered must be in 24-hour format.
		• now Immediately after the download of the Cisco software image.
in	hh:mm	Schedules a reload in a specified length of time after downloading the Cisco software image.

#### Command Modes

Privileged EXEC (#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.4(15)T	This command was introduced.
Cisco IOS XE Release 3.98	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 3.9S.

## **Usage Guidelines**

Use the **upgrade automatic runversion** command to schedule a reload after downloading a Cisco software image using the **upgrade automatic getversion** command.



Note

You can also use the **upgrade automatic getversion** command to reload the device with the new Cisco software image. However, if you have already downloaded the Cisco software image using the **upgrade automatic getversion** command, you should use the **upgrade automatic runversion** command to reload the device.

#### **Examples**

The following example shows how to schedule a reload after downloading a Cisco software image:

```
Device# show clock

09:01:36.124 UTC Thu Aug 3 2006

Device# upgrade automatic runversion at 10:20

Upgrading to "flash:c1841-adventerprisek9-mz.calvin-build-20060714". Wait..

Reload scheduled for 10:20:00 UTC Thu Aug 3 2006 (in 1 hour and 18 minutes) with image - flash:c1841-adventerprisek9-mz.calvin-build-20060714 by console

Reload reason: Auto upgrade

Device will WARM UPGRADE at 10:20:00
```

To cancel the upgrade, enter the command "upgrade automatic abortversion"

Aug 3 09:01:58.116: %SYS-5-SCHEDULED\_RELOAD: Reload requested for 10:20:00 UTC Thu Aug 3 2006 at 09:01:58 UTC Thu Aug 3 2006 by console. Reload Reason: Auto upgrade.

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
upgrade automatic abortversion	Cancels upgrading the device with a new Cisco software image.
upgrade automatic getversion	Downloads a Cisco software image directly from www.cisco.com or from a non-Cisco server.

## upgrade filesystem monlib

To upgrade the ATA ROM monitor library (monlib) file without erasing file system data, use the **upgrade filesystem monlib**command in privileged EXEC mode.

upgrade filesystem monlib {disk0 | disk1}

## **Syntax Description**

disk0	Selects disk 0 as the file system to be formatted.
disk1	Selects disk 1 as the file system to be formatted.

#### **Command Default**

No default behavior or values

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC(#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.3(7)T	This command was introduced.
12.2(25)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(25)S.
12.2YST	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2YST.

#### **Usage Guidelines**

If you attempt to upgrade the ATA monlib file on a disk that has not been formatted on a router running Cisco IOS software, the upgrade operation will fail.

If the amount of space available on the disk for the monlib image is smaller than the monlib image you are trying to upgrade to, the upgrade operation will fail. The amount of space available for the monlib file can be determined by issuing the **show disk** command with the **all** keyword specified. The "Disk monlib size" field displays the number of bytes available for the ATA monlib file.

#### **Examples**

The following example shows how to upgrade the ATA monlib file on disk 0:

Router# upgrade filesystem monlib disk0

Hash Computation: 100%Done!

Computed Hash SHA2: DFBA87256310DC8A7B7BF8158451F7F4 0AC333C9B396D9D0E42DDBD542C30E08

F3946DDE692AF04F0B20F29BE51C49C4

1B631790A542D81F9A7C90ABC2426960

Embedded Hash SHA2: DFBA87256310DC8A7B7BF8158451F7F4 0AC333C9B396D9D0E42DDBD542C30E08

F3946DDE692AF04F0B20F29BE51C49C4 1B631790A542D81F9A7C90ABC2426960

Digital signature successfully verified in file Monlib Writing Monlib sectors....
Monlib write complete

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description
format	Formats a Class A, Class B or Class C flash memory file system.
show disk	Displays flash or file system information for a disk.

## upgrade rom-monitor

To set the execution preference on a read-only memory monitor (ROMMON), use the **upgrade rom-monitor** command in privileged EXEC or diagnostic mode.

```
upgrade rom-monitor slot num \{ sp \mid rp \} file filename
upgrade rom-monitor slot num \{ sp \mid rp \} \{invalidate \mid preference\} \{ region1 \mid region2 \}
```

Cisco ASR 1000 Series Aggregation Services Routers upgrade rom-monitor filename *URL slot* 

#### **Syntax Description**

slot num	Specifies the slot number of the ROMMON to be upgraded.
sp	Upgrades the ROMMON of the Switch Processor.
rp	Upgrades the ROMMON of the Route Processor.
file filename	Specifies the name of the S-record (SREC) file; see the "Usage Guidelines" section for valid values.
invalidate	Invalidates the ROMMON of the selected region.
preference	Sets the execution preference on a ROMMON of the selected region.
region1	Selects the ROMMON in region 1.
region2	Selects the ROMMON in region 2.
filename	Specifies the ROMMON package filename.
URL	The URL to a ROMMON file. The URL always begins with a file system, such as <b>bootflash:</b> , <b>harddisk:</b> , <b>obfl:</b> , <b>stby-harddisk:</b> , or <b>usb[0-1]</b> , then specifies the path to the file.

slot	The slot that contains the hardware that will receive the ROMMON upgrade. Options are:
	• number the number of the Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) slot that requires the ROMMON upgrade
	• allAll hardware on the router
	• F0Embedded-Service-Processor slot 0
	• F1Embedded-Service-Processor slot 1
	• FPAll installed Embedded-Service-Processors
	• R0Route-Processor slot 0
	• R1Route-Processor slot 1
	• RPRoute-Processor

## **Command Default**

This command has no default settings.

## **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#) Diagnostic (diag)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.2(14)SX	This command was introduced on the Supervisor Engine 720.
12.2(17d)SXB	This command was modified. Support for this command on the Supervisor Engine 2 was extended to Release 12.2(17d)SXB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.4(24)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.4(24)T.
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.1	This command was integrated into Cisco ASR 1000 Series Routers, and introduced in diagnostic mode.

## **Usage Guidelines**



#### Caution

If you enter the **upgrade rom-monitor** command from a Telnet session instead of a console connection, service may be interrupted.

The slot numkeyword and argument combination is required for this command to function properly.

The sp or rpkeyword is required if you installed a supervisor engine in the specified slot.

Valid values for **file** *filename* are the following:

- bootflash:
- · disk0:
- disk1:
- flash:

- ftp:
- · rcp:
- sup-bootflash:
- sup-slot0:
- tftp:

On Cisco ASR 1000 Series Routers, this command can be used to upgrade ROMMON in privileged EXEC and diagnostic mode. The hardware receiving the ROMMON upgrade must be reloaded to complete the upgrade.

From Cisco IOS Release 12.4(24)T, you can use the **upgrade rom-monitor** command on Cisco 3200 series routers to upgrade ROMMON and the system bootstrap, if a newer version of ROMMON is available on the system.

## **Examples**

This example shows how to upgrade the new ROMMON image to the flash device on a Supervisor Engine 2:

```
Router# upgrade rom-monitor
slot 1 sp file tftp://dirt/tftpboot-users/A2_71059.srec
ROMMON image upgrade in progress
Erasing flash
Programming flash
Verifying new image
ROMMON image upgrade complete
The card must be reset for this to take effect
Router#
```

In the following example, a ROMMON upgrade is performed to upgrade to Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33r)XN1 on a Cisco ASR 1000 Series Router using an ROMMON image stored on the bootflash: file system. All hardware is upgraded on the Cisco ASR 1000 Series Router in this example, and the router is then reloaded to complete the procedure.

```
Router# show rom-monitor 0
System Bootstrap, Version 12.2(33)XN1, RELEASE SOFTWARE (fc1)
Technical Support: http://www.cisco.com/techsupport
Copyright (c) 2007 by cisco Systems, Inc.
Router# show rom-monitor F0
System Bootstrap, Version 12.2(33)XN1, RELEASE SOFTWARE (fc1)
Technical Support: http://www.cisco.com/techsupport
Copyright (c) 2007 by cisco Systems, Inc.
Router# show rom-monitor R0
System Bootstrap, Version 12.2(33)XN1, RELEASE SOFTWARE (fc1)
Technical Support: http://www.cisco.com/techsupport
Copyright (c) 2007 by cisco Systems, Inc.
Router# copy tftp bootflash:
Address or name of remote host []? 127.23.16.81
Source filename []? auto/tftp-boot/asr1000-rommon.122-33r.XN1.pkg
Destination filename [asr1000-rommon.122-33r.XN1.pkg]?
Accessing tftp://127.23.16.81/auto/tftp-boot/asr1000-rommon.122-33r.XN1.pkg...
Loading auto/tftp-boot/asr1000-rommon.122-33r.XN1.pkg from 127.23.16.81 (via
GigabitEthernet(): !!!
[OK - 553164 bytes]
553164 bytes copied in 1.048 secs (527828 bytes/sec)
Router# dir bootflash:
```

```
Directory of bootflash:/
             16384
                        Dec 2 2004 12:02:09 +00:00 lost+found
  11 drwx
14401 drwx
                  4096 Dec 2 2004 12:05:05 +00:00 .ssh
86401 drwx
                 4096 Dec 2 2004 12:05:07 +00:00 .rollback timer
  12 -rw-
            33554432 Nov 20 2007 19:53:47 +00:00 nvram 00100
             6401536 Dec 23 2004 19:45:11 +00:00 mcp-fpd-pkg.122-test.pkg
  13 -rw-
28801 drwx
                                                                15 -rw-
                  4096
                        Nov 1 2007 17:00:36 +00:00
                                                     .installer
                                                                               553164
Nov 28 2007 15:33:49 +00:00 asr1000-rommon.122-33r.XN1.pkg
  16 -rw- 51716300 Nov 14 2007 16:39:59 +00:00
asr1000rp1-espbase.v122_33_xn_asr_rls0_throttle.pkg
  17 -rw- 21850316 Nov 14 2007 16:41:23 +00:00
asr1000rp1-rpaccess-k9.v122 33 xn asr rls0 throttle.pkg
  18 -rw- 21221580 Nov 14 2007 16:42:21 +00:00
asr1000rp1-rpbase.v122 33 xn asr rls0 throttle.pkg
  19 -rw- 27576524 Nov 14 2007 16:43:50 +00:00
asr1000rp1-rpcontrol.v122 33 xn asr rls0 throttle.pkg
             48478412 Nov 14 2007 16:45:50 +00:00
  20 -rw-
asr1000rp1-rpios-advipservicesk9.v122 33 xn asr rls0 throttle.pkg
  21 -rw- 36942028 Nov 14 2007 16:47:17 +00:00
asr1000rp1-sipbase.v122 33 xn asr rls0 throttle.pkg
  22 -rw-
            14749900 Nov 14 2007 16:48:17 +00:00
asr1000rp1-sipspa.v122_33_xn_asr_rls0_throttle.pkg
  23 -rw-
                  6049 Nov 14 2007 16:49:29 +00:00 packages.conf
             213225676 Nov 20 2007 19:53:13 +00:00
  14 -rw-
asr1000rp1-advipservicesk9.v122 33 xn asr rls0 throttle.bin
928833536 bytes total (451940352 bytes free)
Router# upgrade rom-monitor filename bootflash:/asr1000-rommon.122-33r.XN1.pkg all
Upgrade rom-monitor on Route-Processor 0
Target copying rom-monitor image file
Checking upgrade image...
1966080+0 records in
3840+0 records out
Upgrade image MD5 signature is 253f15daf89eea22b1db92d440d03608
Burning upgrade partition...
1966080+0 records in
3840+0 records out
Checking upgrade partition...
Upgrade flash partition MD5 signature is 253f15daf89eea22b1db92d440d03608
ROMMON upgrade complete.
To make the new ROMMON permanent, you must restart the RP.
Upgrade rom-monitor on Embedded-Service-Processor 0
Target copying rom-monitor image file
Checking upgrade image...
1966080+0 records in
3840+0 records out
Upgrade image MD5 signature is 253f15daf89eea22b1db92d440d03608
Burning upgrade partition...
1966080+0 records in
3840+0 records out
Checking upgrade partition...
Upgrade flash partition MD5 signature is 253f15daf89eea22b1db92d440d03608
ROMMON upgrade complete.
To make the new ROMMON permanent, you must restart the linecard.
Upgrade rom-monitor on SPA-Inter-Processor 0
Target copying rom-monitor image file
Checking upgrade image...
1966080+0 records in
3840+0 records out
Upgrade image MD5 signature is 253f15daf89eea22b1db92d440d03608
Burning upgrade partition...
1966080+0 records in
3840+0 records out
Checking upgrade partition...
Upgrade flash partition MD5 signature is 253f15daf89eea22b1db92d440d03608
```

```
ROMMON upgrade complete.
To make the new ROMMON permanent, you must restart the linecard.
Upgrade rom-monitor on SPA-Inter-Processor 1
Target copying rom-monitor image file
Checking upgrade image...
1966080+0 records in
3840+0 records out
Upgrade image MD5 signature is 253f15daf89eea22b1db92d440d03608
Burning upgrade partition...
1966080+0 records in
3840+0 records out
Checking upgrade partition...
Upgrade flash partition MD5 signature is 253f15daf89eea22b1db92d440d03608
ROMMON upgrade complete.
To make the new ROMMON permanent, you must restart the linecard.
Router# reload
<reload bootup output removed for brevity>
Router# show rom-monitor 0
System Bootstrap, Version 12.2(33r)XN1, RELEASE SOFTWARE (fc1)
Technical Support: http://www.cisco.com/techsupport
Copyright (c) 2007 by cisco Systems, Inc.
Router# show rom-monitor F0
System Bootstrap, Version 12.2(33r)XN1, RELEASE SOFTWARE (fc1)
Technical Support: http://www.cisco.com/techsupport
Copyright (c) 2007 by cisco Systems, Inc.
Router# show rom-monitor R0
System Bootstrap, Version 12.2(33r)XN1, RELEASE SOFTWARE (fc1)
Technical Support: http://www.cisco.com/techsupport
Copyright (c) 2007 by cisco Systems, Inc.
```

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
show rom-monitor	Displays the ROMMON status.

## upgrade filesystem monlib

To upgrade the ATA ROM monitor library (monlib) file without erasing file system data, use the **upgrade filesystem monlib**command in privileged EXEC mode.

upgrade filesystem monlib {disk0 | disk1}

#### **Syntax Description**

disk0	Selects disk 0 as the file system to be formatted.
disk1	Selects disk 1 as the file system to be formatted.

#### **Command Default**

No default behavior or values

### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC(#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.3(7)T	This command was introduced.
12.2(25)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(25)S.

Release	Modification
12.2YST	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2YST.

## **Usage Guidelines**

If you attempt to upgrade the ATA monlib file on a disk that has not been formatted on a router running Cisco IOS software, the upgrade operation will fail.

If the amount of space available on the disk for the monlib image is smaller than the monlib image you are trying to upgrade to, the upgrade operation will fail. The amount of space available for the monlib file can be determined by issuing the **show disk** command with the **all** keyword specified. The "Disk monlib size" field displays the number of bytes available for the ATA monlib file.

## **Examples**

The following example shows how to upgrade the ATA monlib file on disk 0:

#### Router# upgrade filesystem monlib disk0

Hash Computation: 100%Done!

Computed Hash SHA2: DFBA87256310DC8A7B7BF8158451F7F4
0AC333C9B396D9D0E42DDBD542C30E08

F3946DDE692AF04F0B20F29BE51C49C4 1B631790A542D81F9A7C90ABC2426960

Embedded Hash SHA2: DFBA87256310DC8A7B7BF8158451F7F4
0AC333C9B396D9D0E42DDBD542C30E08
F3946DDE692AF04F0B20F29BE51C49C4
1B631790A542D81F9A7C90ABC2426960

Digital signature successfully verified in file Monlib Writing Monlib sectors....
Monlib write complete

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description
format	Formats a Class A, Class B or Class C flash memory file system.
show disk	Displays flash or file system information for a disk.

# upgrade rom-monitor preference

To select a ReadOnly or Upgrade ROMmon image to be booted on the next reload of a Cisco 7200 VXR or Cisco 7301router, use the **upgrade rom-monitor preference**command in privileged EXEC mode.

## upgrade rom-monitor preference [readonly | upgrade]

## **Syntax Description**

readonly	Selects the ReadOnly ROMmon image to be booted on the next reload.
upgrade	Selects the Upgrade second ROMmon image to be booted on the next reload.

## **Command Default**

No default behavior or values

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.0(28)S	This command was introduced on the Cisco 7200 VXR router.
12.3(8)T	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.3(8)T and supported on the Cisco 7200 VXR router and Cisco 7301 router.
12.3(9)	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.3(9) and supported on the Cisco 7200 VXR router and Cisco 7301 router.

## **Usage Guidelines**

After running the upgrade rom-monitor preference command, you must reload the router for the selected ROMmon image to take effect.

Use the **rommon-pref**command when you are in ROMmon mode.

## **Examples**

The following example applicable to both the Cisco 7200 VXR and Cisco 7301 routers selects the ReadOnly ROMmon image to be booted on the next reload of the router:

Router# upgrade rom-monitor preference readonly You are about to mark ReadOnly region of ROMMON for the highest boot preference. Proceed? [confirm] Done! Router must be reloaded for this to take effect.

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description
rommon-pref	Selects a ReadOnly or Upgrade ROMmon image to be booted on the next reload when you are in ROMmon mode.

# vacant-message

To display an idle terminal message, use the **vacant-message** command in line configuration mode. To remove the default vacant message or any other vacant message that may have been set, use the **no** form of this command.

**vacant-message** [d message d] **no vacant-message** 

## **Syntax Description**

d	(Optional) Delimiting character that marks the beginning and end of the vacant-message. Text delimiters are characters that do not ordinarily appear within the text of a title, such as slash ( / ), double quote ("), or tilde (~). ^C is reserved for special use and should not be used in the message.
message	(Optional) Vacant terminal message.

## **Command Default**

The format of the default vacant message is as follows:

<blank lines>
hostname tty# is now available
<blank lines>
Press RETURN to get started.

This message is generated by the system.

#### **Command Modes**

Line configuration

### **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **Usage Guidelines**

This command enables the banner to be displayed on the screen of an idle terminal. The **vacant-message** command without any arguments restores the default message.

Follow this command with one or more blank spaces and a delimiting character of your choice. Then enter one or more lines of text, terminating the message with the second occurrence of the delimiting character.



Note

For a rotary group, you need to define only the message for the first line in the group.

## **Examples**

The following example turns on the system banner and displays this message:

# verify

To verify the checksum of a file on a flash memory file system or compute a Message Digest 5 (MD5) signature for a file, use the **verify** command in privileged EXEC mode.

```
verify [/md5 [md5-value]] filesystem: [file-url]
```

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**verify** {/md5 flash-filesystem [expected-md5-signature] | /ios flash-filesystemflash-filesystem}

## **Syntax Description**

/md5	(Optional) Calculates and displays the MD5 value for the specified software image. Compare this value with the value available on Cisco.com for this image.
md5-value	(Optional) The known MD5 value for the specified image. When an MD5 value is specified in the command, the system calculates the MD5 value for the specified image and display a message verifying that the MD5 values match or that there is a mismatch.
filesystem:	File system or directory containing the files to list, followed by a colon. Standard file system keywords for this command are <b>flash:</b> and <b>bootflash:</b> .

file-url	(Optional) The name of the files to display on a specified device. The files can be of any type. You can use wildcards in the filename. A wildcard character (*) matches all patterns. Strings after a wildcard are ignored.
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/md5 flash-filesystem	Computes an MD5 signature for a file; valid values are <b>bootflash:</b> , <b>disk0:</b> , <b>disk1:</b> , <b>flash:</b> , or <b>sup-bootflash:</b> .
expected-md5-signature	(Optional) MD5 signature.
/ios flash-filesystem	Verifies the compressed Cisco IOS image checksum; valid values are <b>bootflash:</b> , <b>disk0:</b> , <b>disk1:</b> , <b>flash:</b> , or <b>sup-bootflash:</b> .
flash-filesystem	Device where the Flash memory resides; valid values are <b>bootflash</b> :, <b>disk0</b> :, <b>disk1</b> :, <b>flash</b> :, or <b>sup-bootflash</b> :.

#### **Command Default**

The current working device is the default device (file system).

### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
11.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(4)T	The /md5 keyword was added.
12.2(18)S	The <b>verify</b> command was enhanced to verify the hash that is contained in the image, and the output was enhanced to show the hash value in addition to the entire hash image (CCO hash).
12.0(26)S	The <b>verify</b> command enhancements were integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.0(26)S.
12.2(14)SX	Support for this command was added for the Supervisor Engine 720.
12.3(4)T	The <b>verify</b> command enhancements were integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.3(4)T.
12.2(17d)SXB	Support for this command on the Supervisor Engine 2 was extended to Release 12.2(17d)SXB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **Usage Guidelines**

This command replaces the **copy verify** and **copy verify flash** commands.

Use the **verify** command to verify the checksum of a file before using it.

Each software image that is distributed on disk uses a single checksum for the entire image. This checksum is displayed only when the image is copied into flash memory; it is not displayed when the image file is copied from one disk to another.

### Supported Platforms Other than the Cisco 7600 Series Router

Before loading or duplicating a new image, record the checksum and MD5 information for the image so that you can verify the checksum when you copy the image into flash memory or onto a server. A variety of image information is available on Cisco.com. For example, you can get the Release, Feature Set, Size, BSD Checksum,

Router Checksum, MD5, and Publication Date information by clicking on the image file name prior to downloading it from the Software Center on Cisco.com.

To display the contents of flash memory, use the **show flash** command. The flash contents listing does not include the checksum of individual files. To recompute and verify the image checksum after the image has been copied into flash memory, use the **verify** command. Note, however, that the **verify** command only performs a check on the integrity of the file after it has been saved in the file system. It is possible for a corrupt image to be transferred to the router and saved in the file system without detection. If a corrupt image is transferred successfully to the router, the software will be unable to tell that the image is corrupted and the file will verify successfully.

To use the message-digest5 (MD5) hash algorithm to ensure file validation, use the **verify** command with the /md5 option. MD5 is an algorithm (defined in RFC 1321) that is used to verify data integrity through the creation of a unique 128-bit message digest. The /md5 option of the **verify** command allows you to check the integrity of a Cisco IOS software image by comparing its MD5 checksum value against a known MD5 checksum value for the image. MD5 values are now made available on Cisco.com for all Cisco IOS software images for comparison against local system image values.

To perform the MD5 integrity check, issue the **verify** command using the **/md5** keyword. For example, issuing the **verify flash:c7200-is-mz.122-2.T.bin /md5**command will calculate and display the MD5 value for the software image. Compare this value with the value available on Cisco.com for this image.

Alternatively, you can get the MD5 value from Cisco.com first, then specify this value in the command syntax. For example, issuing the **verify flash:c7200-is-mz.122-2.T.bin/md5 8b5f3062c4caeccae72571440e962233** command will display a message verifying that the MD5 values match or that there is a mismatch. A mismatch in MD5 values means that either the image is corrupt or the wrong MD5 value was entered.

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The Readme file, which is included with the image on the disk, lists the name, file size, and checksum of the image. Review the contents of the Readme file before loading or duplicating the new image so that you can verify the checksum when you copy it into the flash memory or onto a server.

Use the **verify /md5** command to verify the MD5 signature of a file before using it. This command validates the integrity of a copied file by comparing a precomputed MD5 signature with the signature that is computed by this command. If the two MD5 signatures match, the copied file is identical to the original file.

You can find the MD5 signature that is posted on the Cisco.com page with the image.

You can use the **verify** /**md5** command in one of the following ways:

• Verify the MD5 signatures manually by entering the **verify** /md5 *filename* command.

Check the displayed signature against the MD5 signature that is posted on the Cisco.com page.

• Allow the system to compare the MD5 signatures by entering the **verify** /**md5** *flash-filesystem:filenam expected-md5-signature* command.

After completing the comparison, the system returns with a verified message. If an error is detected, the output is similar to the following:

```
Router# verify /md5 disk0:c6msfc2-jsv-mz Of
.
.
.
Done
!
%Error verifying disk0:c6msfc2-jsv-mz
```

```
Computed signature = 0f369ed9e98756f179d4f29d6e7755d3
Submitted signature = 0f
```

To display the contents of the flash memory, enter the **show flash** command. The listing of the flash contents does not include the checksum of the individual files. To recompute and verify the image checksum after the image has been copied into the flash memory, enter the **verify** command.

A colon (:) is required after the specified device.

### **Examples**

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The following example shows how to use the **verify** command to check the integrity of the file c7200-js-mz on the flash memory card inserted in slot 0:

#### Router# dir slot0:

```
Directory of slot0:/

1 -rw- 4720148 Aug 29 1997 17:49:36 hampton/nitro/c7200-j-mz
2 -rw- 4767328 Oct 01 1997 18:42:53 c7200-js-mz
5 -rw- 639 Oct 02 1997 12:09:32 rally
7 -rw- 639 Oct 02 1997 12:37:13 the_time
20578304 bytes total (3104544 bytes free)
Router# verify slot0:c7200-js-mz
```

 ${\tt Verified slot0:c7200-js-mz}$ 

In the following example, the /md5 keyword is used to display the MD5 value for the image:

```
Router# verify /md5 disk1:
```

```
Verify filename []? c7200-js-mz
.
.
.
Done
!
verify /md5 (disk1:c7200-js-mz) = 0f369ed9e98756f179d4f29d6e7755d3
```

In the following example, the known MD5 value for the image (obtained from Cisco.com) is specified in the **verify** command, and the system checks the value against the stored value:

```
Router# verify /md5 disk1:c7200-js-mz ?
    WORD    Expected md5 signature
    <cr>
    router# verify /md5 disk1:c7200-js-mz 0f369ed9e98756f179d4f29d6e7755d3
.
.
.
Done
!
Verified (disk1:c7200-js-mz) = 0f369ed9e98756f179d4f29d6e7755d3
```

The following example shows how the output of the **verify** command was enhanced to show the hash value in addition to the entire hash image (CCO hash):

```
Router# verify disk0:c7200-js-mz %Filesystem does not support verify operations
```

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This example shows how to use the **verify** command:

```
Router# verify cat6k_r47_1.cbi
.
.
File cat6k_r47_1.cbi verified OK.
```

This example shows how to check the MD5 signature manually:

```
Router# verify /md5 c6msfc2-jsv-mz
.
.
.
Done
!
verify /md5 (disk0:c6msfc2-jsv-mz) = 0f369ed9e98756f179d4f29d6e7755d3
```

This example shows how to allow the system to compare the MD5 signatures:

```
Router# verify /md5 disk0:c6msfc2-jsv-mz 0f369ed9e98756f179d4f29d6e7755d3
.
.
Done
!
verified /md5 (disk0:c6sup12-jsv-mz) = 0f369ed9e98756f179d4f29d6e7755d3
Router#
```

This example shows how to verify the compressed checksum of the Cisco IOS image:

```
Router# verify /ios disk0:c6k222-jsv-mz
Verified compressed IOS image checksum for disk0:c6k222-jsv-mz
```

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description
cd	Changes the default directory or file system.
сору	Copies any file from a source to a destination.
copy /noverify	Disables the automatic image verification for the current copy operation.
dir	Displays a list of files on a file system.

Command	Description
file verify auto	Verifies the compressed Cisco IOS image checksum.
pwd	Displays the current setting of the cd command.
show file systems	Lists available file systems.
show flash	Displays the layout and contents of flash memory.

## vtp

To configure the global VLAN Trunking Protocol (VTP) state, use the **vtp** command in global configuration mode. To return to the default value, use the **no** form of this command.

## **Syntax Description**

domain domain-name	Sets the VTP administrative domain name.	
file filename	Sets the ASCII name of the IFS file system file where the VTP configuration is stored.	
interface interface-name	Sets the name of the preferred source for the VTP-updater ID for this device.	
only	(Optional) Specifies to use only this interface's IP address as the VTP-IP updater address.	
mode client	Sets the type of VTP-device mode to client mode.	
mode off	Sets the type of VTP-device mode to off mode.	
mode server	Sets the type of VTP-device mode to server mode.	
mode transparent	Sets the type of VTP-device mode to transparent mode.	
vlan	Specifies VTP version 3 VLAN instances.	
mst	Specifies VTP version 3 MST instances.	
unknown	Specifies VTP version 3 for all other instances.	
password password-value	Specifies the administrative-domain password.	
hidden	(Optional) Specifies that the VTP version 3 secret key generated from the password be saved in the const_nvram:vlan.dat file.	
secret	(Optional) Allows you to directly configure the VTP version 3 password secret key.	
pruning	Enables the administrative domain to permit pruning.	

version {1   2   3}	Specifies the administrative-domain VTP version number.
---------------------	---

#### **Command Default**

The defaults are as follows:

- vtp domain and vtp interface co mmands have no default settings.
- filename is const-nvram:vlan.dat.
- VTP mode is **mode server** for VLANs and **transparent** for all other features.
- No password is configured.
- Pruning is disabled.
- Administrative-domain VTP version number 1.

#### **Command Modes**

Global configuration (config)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.2(14)SX	This command was introduced on the Supervisor Engine 720.
12.2(17d)SXB	Support for this command on the Supervisor Engine 2 was extended to Cisco IOS Release 12.2(17d)SXB.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
12.2(33)SXH	The <b>mode off</b> keyword combination was added.
12.2(33)SXI	Support for VTP version 3 was added.

## **Usage Guidelines**



Note

The **vtp pruning**, **vtp password**, and **vtp version** commands are also available in privileged EXEC mode. We recommend that you use these commands in global configuration mode only; do not use these commands in privileged EXEC mode.

Extended-range VLANs are not supported by VTP.

When you define the domain-name value, the domain name is case sensitive and can be from 1 to 32 characters.

The *filename* and *interface-name*values are ASCII strings from 1 to 255 characters.

You must configure a password on each network device in the management domain when the switch is in secure mode.



Caution

If you configure VTP in secure mode, the management domain does not function properly if you do not assign a management domain password to each network device in the domain.

A VTP version 2-capable network device can operate in the same VTP domain as a network device running VTP version 1 if VTP version 2 is disabled on the VTP version 2-capable network device (VTP version 2 is disabled by default).

Do not enable VTP version 2 on a network device unless all of the network devices in the same VTP domain are version 2-capable. When you enable VTP version 2 on a network device, all of the version 2-capable network devices in the domain enable VTP version 2.

In a Token Ring environment, you must enable VTP version 2 for VLAN switching to function properly.

Enabling or disabling VTP pruning on a VTP server enables or disables VTP pruning for the entire management domain.

Configuring VLANs as pruning eligible or pruning ineligible on a Cisco 7600 series router affects pruning eligibility for those VLANs on that switch only; it does not affect pruning eligibility on all network devices in the VTP domain.

The **vtp password**, **vtp pruning**, and **vtp version** commands are not placed in startup memory but are included in the VTP transparent-mode startup configuration file.

Extended-range VLANs are not supported by VTP.

You can configure the **pruning** keyword in VTP-server mode; the **version** keyword is configurable in VTP-server mode or VTP transparent mode.

The password-value argument is an ASCII string from 8 to 64 characters identifying the administrative domain for the device.

VTP pruning causes information about each pruning-eligible VLAN to be removed from VTP updates if there are no stations belonging to that VLAN.

All Cisco 7600 series routers in a VTP domain must run the same version of VTP. VTP version 1 and VTP version 2 do not operate on Cisco 7600 series routers in the same VTP domain.

If all Cisco 7600 series routers in a domain are VTP version 2-capable, you need only to enable VTP version 2 on one Cisco 7600 series router; the version number is then propagated to the other version 2-capable Cisco 7600 series routers in the VTP domain.

If you toggle the version 2 mode, certain default VLAN parameters are modified.

If you enter the **vtp mode off** command, it sets the device to off. If you enter the **no vtp mode off** command, it resets the device to the VTP server mode.

In VTP version 3, the VTP mode has to be specified on a per-feature basis. Use the **vlan** and **mst** keywords to configure the VTP mode on VLAN and MST instances. To configure the VTP mode for any other feature, use the **unknown** keyword. When you convert from either VTP version 1 or 2 to version 3, the current mode configuration will be preserved.

With VTP version 3, a new method is available for hiding the VTP password from the configuration file. When you use the **hidden** keyword, the secret key that is generated from the password string is saved in the const\_nvram:vlan.dat file. If you use the **secret** keyword, you can directly configure the password secret key. By using the **secret** keyword, you can distribute the password in the secret key format rather than in the cleartext format.

### **Examples**

This example shows how to set the device's management domain:

Router(config)#

vtp domain DomainName1

This example shows how to specify the file in the IFS-file system where the VTP configuration is stored:

Router(config) #
vtp file vtpconfig

Setting device to store VLAN database at filename vtpconfig.

This example shows how to set the VTP mode to client:

Router(config)#
vtp mode client

Setting device to VTP CLIENT mode.

This example shows how to disable VTP mode globally:

Router(config)# vtp mode off
Setting device to VTP OFF mode.

This example shows how to reset the device to the VTP server mode:

Router(config) # no vtp mode off Setting device to VTP OFF mode.

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
show vtp	Displays the VTP statistics and domain information.
vtp (interface configuration)	Enables VTP on a per-port basis.

## warm-reboot

To enable a router to do a warm-reboot, use the **warm-reboot**command in global configuration mode. To disable warm rebooting, use the **no** form of this command.

warm-reboot [count number] [uptime minutes] no warm-reboot count number uptime minutes

## **Syntax Description**

count number	(Optional) Maximum number of warm reboots allowed between any intervening cold reboot. Valid values range from 1 to 50. The default value is 5 times.
uptime minutes	(Optional) Minimum number of minutes that must elapse between initial system configuration and an exception before a warm reboot is attempted. If the system crashes before the specified time elapses, a warm reboot is not attempted. Valid values range from 0 to 120. The default value is 5 minutes.

## **Command Default**

Warm rebooting is disabled.

If warm rebooting is enabled, the default value for the **count** *number* option is 5 times, and the default value for the **uptime** *minutes* option is 5 minutes.

## **Command Modes**

Global configuration

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.3(2)T	This command was introduced.
12.2(18)S	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(18)S.
12.2(28)SB	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Relase 12.2(28)SB.

## **Usage Guidelines**

Use the **warm-reboot**command to enable the router to reload a Cisco IOS image without ROM monitor mode (ROMMON) intervention, in which the image restores read-write data from a previously saved copy in the RAM and starts execution from that point. Unlike a cold reboot, this process does not involve a flash to RAM copy or self-decompression of the image.



Note

After a warm reboot is enabled, it will not become active until after the next cold reboot because a warm reboot requires a copy of the initialized memory.



Note

If the system crashes before the image completes the warm reboot process, a cold reboot is initiated.

## **Examples**

The following example shows how to enable a warm reboot on the router:

Router#(config) warm-reboot count 10 uptime 10

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description	
show warm-reboot	Displays the statistics for attempted warm reboots.	

## where

To list the open sessions, use the **where**command in EXEC mode.

#### where

## **Syntax Description**

This command has no arguments or keywords.

#### **Command Modes**

**EXEC** 

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced in a release prior to Cisco IOS Release 10.0.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **Usage Guidelines**

The where command displays all open sessions associated with the current terminal line.

The break (Ctrl-Shift-6, x), **where**, and **resume** commands are available with all supported connection protocols.

## **Examples**

The following is sample output from the **where**command:

Router# where

Conn	Host	Address	Byte	Idle	Conn Name
1	MATHOM	192.31.7.21	0	0	MATHOM
* 2	CHAFF	131.108.12.19	0	0	CHAFF

The asterisk (\*) indicates the current terminal session.

The following table describes the fields shown in the display.

#### Table 6: where Field Descriptions

Field	Description
Conn	Name or address of the remote host to which the connection is made.
Host	Remote host to which the router is connected through a Telnet session.
Address	IP address of the remote host.
Byte	Number of unread bytes for the user to see on the connection.
Idle	Interval (in minutes) since data was last sent on the line.
Conn Name	Assigned name of the connection.

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description
show line	Displays information about all lines on the system or the specified line.
show sessions	Displays information about open LAT, Telnet, or rlogin connections.

## width

To set the terminal screen width, use the **width** command in line configuration mode. To return to the default screen width, use the **no** form of this command.

width characters no width

## **Syntax Description**

characters	Number of character columns displayed on the terminal. The default is 80 characters.
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## **Command Default**

80 character columns

#### **Command Modes**

Line configuration

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
10.0	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

### **Usage Guidelines**

By default, the route provides a screen display width of 80 characters. You can reset this value for the current session if it does not meet the needs of your terminal.

The rlogin protocol uses the value of the *characters* argument to set up terminal parameters on a remote host.

## **Examples**

In the following example the location for line 7 is defined as "console terminal" and the display is set to 132 columns wide:

```
Router(config)# line 7
Router(config-line)# location console terminal
Router(config-line)# width 132
```

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description	
terminal width	Sets the number of character columns on the terminal screen for the current session.	

## write core

To test the configuration of a core dump setup, use the write core command in privileged EXEC mode.

write core [hostname [LINE] | destination-address [LINE]]

## **Syntax Description**

-	hostname	(Optional) Host name of the remote server where the core dump file is to be written.
	destination-address	(Optional) IP address of the remote server where the core dump file is to be written.
	LINE	(Optional) Assigns the name "LINE" to the core dump file.

## **Command Default**

If the *hostname* or *destination* arguments are not specified, the core dump file is written to the IP address or hostname specified by the **exception dump** command.

If the **LINE** keyword is not specified, the name of the core dump file is assigned as the host name of the remote server followed by the word "-core."

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.2(11)T	This command was introduced.

#### **Usage Guidelines**

When a router reloads, it is sometimes useful to obtain a full copy of the memory image (called a core dump) to identify the cause of the reload. Core dumps are generally useful to your technical support representative. Not all types of router reloads will produce a core dump.

The **write core** command causes the router to generate a core dump without reloading, which may be useful if the router is malfunctioning but has not reloaded. The core dump files will be the size of the respective memory regions. It is important to remember that the entire memory region is dumped, not just the memory that is in use.



#### Caution

Use the **write core** command only under the direction of a technical support representative. Creating a core dump while the router is functioning in a network can disrupt network operation. When using this command, the router will not reload until the content of its memory is dumped. This event might take some time, depending on the amount of DRAM present on the router. Also, the resulting binary file, which is very large, must be transferred to a Trivial File Transfer Protocol (TFTP), File Transfer Protocol (FTP), or remote copy protocol (rcp) server and subsequently interpreted by technical personnel who have access to source code and detailed memory maps.

Depending on your TFTP server, you might need to create an empty target file to which the router can write the core dump.

### **Examples**

The following example shows how to test the configuration of a core dump setup. In this example, the core dump file is written to the remote server with the host name test.

write core test

## write erase

The **write erase** command is replaced by the **erase nvram:** command. See the description of the **erase** command for more information.

# write memory

To save the running configuration to the nonvolatile random-access memory (NVRAM), use the **write memory** command in privileged EXEC mode.

#### write memory

### **Syntax Description**

This command has no arguments or keywords.

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#)

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
12.2(11)T	This command was introduced in a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 12.2(11)T.
12.2(14)SX	This command was integrated into a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 12.2(14)SX.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.1	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS XE Release 2.1.

#### **Usage Guidelines**

If you try to configure the **write memory** command when a router is low on memory and the backup buffer cannot be allocated, then the command will fail with the error message, "Not enough space." When the **write memory** command fails to apply the new configuration, the backup configuration is used to restore the original configuration.

#### **Examples**

The following example shows how to save the running configuration to NVRAM:

Router> enable
Router# write memory

## write mib-data

To save MIB data to system memory (NVRAM) for MIB Data Persistence, use the **write mib-data**command in EXEC mode.

#### write mib-data

#### **Syntax Description**

This command has no arguments or keywords.

#### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
15.0(1)M	This command was introduced in a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 15.0(1)M.
12.2(33)SRC	This command was integrated into a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRC.
12.2(33)SXI	This command was integrated into a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXI.
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.1	This command was implemented on the Cisco ASR 1000 Series Aggregation Services Routers.

#### **Usage Guidelines**

The MIB Data Persistence feature allows the SNMP data of a MIB to be persistent across reloads; that is, the values of certain MIB objects are retained even if your networking device reboots.

To determine which MIBs support "MIB Persistence" in your release, use the **snmp mib persist** command in global configuration mode.

Any modified MIB data must be written to NVRAM memory using the **write mib-data** command. If the **write mib-data** command is not used, modified MIB data is not saved automatically, even if MIB Persistence is enabled. Executing the **write mib-data** command saves only the current MIB data; if the MIB object values are changed, you should reenter the **write mib-data** command to ensure that those values are persistent across reboots.

#### **Examples**

The following example shows the enabling of event MIB persistence, circuit MIB persistence, and saving the changes to set object values for these MIBs to NVRAM:

```
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# snmp mib persist circuit
Router(config)# snmp mib persist event
Router(config)# end
Router# write mib-data
```

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
snmp mib persist	Enables MIB data persistence.

## write network



Note

This command has been replaced by **copy system:/running-config** command.

To upload the current configuration to the network, use the **write network** command in privileged EXEC mode

write network [host-file-address]

## **Syntax Description**

host-file-address	(Optional) Address of the host file to be uploaded.
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## **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC (#)

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
15.0(1)M	This command was introduced in a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 15.0(1)M.
12.2(33)SRC	This command was integrated into a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRC.
12.2(33)SXI	This command was integrated into a release earlier than Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SXI.
Cisco IOS XE Release 2.1	This command was implemented on the Cisco ASR 1000 Series Aggregation Services Routers.

## **Usage Guidelines**

The **write network** command cannot be used to upload software to the ATM module.

## **Examples**

This example shows how to upload the system5.cfg file to the mercury host using the **write network** command:

```
Router# write network
IP address or name of host? mercury
Name of configuration file to write? system5.cfg
```

Upload configuration to system5.cfg on mercury (y/n) [y]?  ${\bf y}$  / Done. Finished Network Upload. (9003 bytes)

#### **Related Commands**

Command	Description
сору	Copies files from a source to specified destination.
show config	Displays the nondefault or module configuration information.

## write terminal

This command is deprecated. Deprecated commands are considered obsolete, and their use is discouraged. Support for this command may be removed.

The write terminal command is now enabled only as a command alias for the show running-config command.

The **show running-config** command offers additional options not available for the **write terminal** command; see the documentation of the **show running-config** command for details.

### **Command Modes**

Privileged EXEC

## **Command History**

Release	Modification
8.0	This command was introduced in a release prior to 8.0.
11.0	The <b>show running-config</b> command was introduced as a replacement for the <b>write terminal</b> command.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

## **xmodem**

To copy a Cisco IOS image to a router using the ROM monitor and the Xmodem or Ymodem protocol, use the **xmodem** command in ROM monitor mode.

xmodem [-c] [-y] [-e] [-f] [-r] [-x] [[-s] data-rate] [filename]

## **Syntax Description**

-c	(Optional) CRC-16 checksumming, which is more sophisticated and thorough than standard checksumming.
- <b>y</b>	(Optional) Uses the Ymodem protocol for higher throughput.
-е	(Optional) Erases the first partition in Flash memory before starting the download. This option is only valid for the Cisco 1600 series.
-f	(Optional) Erases all of Flash memory before starting the download. This option is only valid for the Cisco 1600 series.
-r	(Optional) Downloads the file to DRAM. The default is Flash memory.

-x	(Optional) Do not execute Cisco IOS image on completion of the download.
-s data-rate	(Optional) Sets the console port's data rate during file transfer. Values are <b>1200</b> , <b>2400</b> , <b>4800</b> , <b>9600</b> , <b>19200</b> , <b>38400</b> , and <b>115200 bps</b> . The default rate is specified in the configuration register. This option is only valid for the Cisco 1600 series.
filename	(Optional) Filename to copy. This argument is ignored when the <b>-r</b> keyword is specified, because only one file can be copied to DRAM. On the Cisco 1600 series routers, files are loaded to the ROM for execution.

#### **Command Default**

Xmodem protocol with 8-bit CRC, file downloaded into Flash memory and executed on completion.

#### **Command Modes**

ROM monitor

#### **Command History**

Release	Modification
11.2 P	This command was introduced.
12.2(33)SRA	This command was integrated into Cisco IOS Release 12.2(33)SRA.

### **Usage Guidelines**

The Cisco 3600 series routers does not support XBOOT functionality. If your Cisco IOS image is erased or damaged, you cannot load a new image over the network.

Use the **xmodem** ROM monitor command to download a new system image to your router from a local personal computer (such as a PC, Mac, or UNIX workstation), or a remote computer over a modem connection, to the router's console port. The computer must have a terminal emulation application that supports these protocols.

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Your router must have enough DRAM to hold the file being transferred, even if you are copying to Flash memory. The image is copied to the first file in internal Flash memory. Any existing files in Flash memory are erased. There is no support for partitions or copying as a second file.

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If you include the **-r** option, your router must have enough DRAM to hold the file being transferred. To run from Flash, an image must be positioned as the first file in Flash memory. If you are copying a new image to boot from Flash, erase all existing files first.



#### Caution

A modem connection from the telephone network to your console port introduces security issues that you should consider before enabling the connection. For example, remote users can dial in to your modem and access the router's configuration settings.



Note

If the file to be downloaded is not a valid router image, the copy operation is automatically terminated.

#### **Examples**

The following example uses the **xmodem** -c *filename* ROM monitor command to copy the file named new-ios-image from a remote or local computer:

## **Related Commands**

Command	Description
copy xmodem:	Copies a Cisco IOS image from a local or remote computer (such as a PC, Macintosh, or UNIX workstation) to Flash memory on a Cisco 3600 series router using the Xmodem protocol.
copy ymodem:	Copies a Cisco IOS image from a local or remote computer (such as a PC, Macintosh, or UNIX workstation) to Flash memory on a Cisco 3600 series router using the Ymodem protocol.