



ARP Commands



Note All commands applicable for the Cisco NCS 5500 Series Router are also supported on the Cisco NCS 540 Series Router that is introduced from Cisco IOS XR Release 6.3.2. References to earlier releases in Command History tables apply to only the Cisco NCS 5500 Series Router.



- Note**
- Starting with Cisco IOS XR Release 6.6.25, all commands applicable for the Cisco NCS 5500 Series Router are also supported on the Cisco NCS 560 Series Routers.
 - Starting with Cisco IOS XR Release 6.3.2, all commands applicable for the Cisco NCS 5500 Series Router are also supported on the Cisco NCS 540 Series Router.
 - References to releases before Cisco IOS XR Release 6.3.2 apply to only the Cisco NCS 5500 Series Router.
 - Cisco IOS XR Software Release 7.0.1 specific updates are not applicable for the following variants of Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers:
 - N540-28Z4C-SYS-A
 - N540-28Z4C-SYS-D
 - N540X-16Z4G8Q2C-A
 - N540X-16Z4G8Q2C-D
 - N540-12Z20G-SYS-A
 - N540-12Z20G-SYS-D
 - N540X-12Z16G-SYS-A
 - N540X-12Z16G-SYS-D

This chapter describes the commands used to configure and monitor the Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) on NCS 5000 routers.

For detailed information about ARP concepts, configuration tasks, and examples, refer to the *IP Addresses and Services Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 5500 Series Routers* and *IP Addresses and Services Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers*.

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arp

To add a permanent entry in the Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) cache, use the **arp** command in XR Config mode. To remove an entry from the ARP cache, enter the **no** form of this command.

arp [**vrf** *vrf-name*] *ip-address hardware-address encapsulation-type* [**alias**]
no arp [**vrf** *vrf-name*] *ip-address hardware-address encapsulation-type* [**alias**]

Syntax Description

vrf	(Optional) Specifies VPN routing and forwarding (VRF) instance.
vrf-name	(Optional) VRF instance that identifies a VPN.
ip-address	IPv4 (network layer) address for which a permanent entry is added to the ARP cache. Enter the IPv4 address in a four-part dotted-decimal format that corresponds to the local data-link address (a 32-bit address).
hardware-address	Hardware (data link layer) address that the IPv4 address is linked to. Enter the local data-link address (a 48-bit address), such as 0800.0900.1834.
encapsulation-type	Encapsulation type. The encapsulation types are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • arpa • srp • srpa • srpb <p>For Ethernet interfaces, this is typically the arpa keyword.</p>
alias	(Optional) Causes the software to respond to ARP requests as if it were the owner of both the specified IP address and hardware address, whether proxy ARP is enabled or not.

Command Default No entries are permanently installed in the ARP cache.

Command Modes XR Config mode

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines

The software uses ARP cache entries to translate 32-bit IP addresses into 48-bit hardware addresses. Because most hosts support dynamic resolution, you generally need not specify static ARP cache entries. Static entries are permanent entries that map a network layer address (IPv4 address) to a data-link layer address (MAC address). If the **alias** keyword is specified when creating the entry, the interface to which the entry is attached will act as if it is the owner of the specified addresses, that is, it will respond to ARP request packets for this network layer address with the data link layer address in the entry.

The software does not respond to any ARP requests received for the specified IP address unless proxy ARP is enabled on the interface on which the request is received. When proxy ARP is enabled, the software responds to ARP requests with its own local interface hardware address.

To remove all nonstatic entries from the ARP cache, enter the [clear arp-cache, on page 7](#) in XR EXEC mode.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	cef	read, write

Examples

The following is an example of a static ARP entry for a typical Ethernet host:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# arp 192.168.7.19 0800.0900.1834 arpa
```

arp gratuitous ignore

To ignore receipt of gratuitous Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) packets, use the **arp gratuitous ignore** command in interface configuration mode. To receipt gratuitous ARP packets, use the no form of this command.

```
arp gratuitous ignore
no arp gratuitous ignore
```

Syntax Description This command has no keywords or arguments.

Command Default Disabled

Command Modes Interface configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines No specific guidelines impact the use of this command.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	cef	write

Examples This example shows how to configure **arp gratuitous ignore** command:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# interface HundredGigE 0/1/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# arp gratuitous ignore
```

arp learning

To enable the dynamic learning of ARP entries for a local subnet or all subnets, use the **arp learning** command.

To disable this command, use the **no** prefix or the **disable** option for this command.

```
arp learning local
no arp learning local
arp learning disable
no arp learning disable
```

Syntax Description	local	disable
	Enables the dynamic learning of ARP entries for local subnets. When arp learning local is configured on an interface or sub-interface, it learns only the ARP entries from ARP packets on the same subnet.	Disables the dynamic learning of all ARP entries.

Command Default This command has no keywords or arguments.

Command Modes Sub-interface configuration mode

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)#interface GigabitEthernet 0/0/0/1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# ipv4 address 12.1.3.4 255.255.255.0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# arp learning local
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# no shut
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# commit
```

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# interface GigabitEthernet 0/0/0/1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# ipv4 address 12.1.3.4 255.255.255.0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# arp learning disable
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# commit
```

arp purge-delay

To delay purging Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) entries when an interface goes down, use the **arp purge-delay** command in interface configuration mode. To turn off the purge delay feature, use the **no** form of this command.

```
arp purge-delay value
no arp purge-delay value
```

Syntax Description

value Sets the purge delay time in seconds. Range is 1 to 65535.

Command Default

Default value is off.

Command Modes

Interface configuration

Command History

Release	Modification
Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines

Use the **arp purge-delay** command to delay purging ARP entries when an interface goes down. If the interface comes up within the delay time, then the ARP entries are restored to prevent packet loss with Equal Cost Multipath (ECMP) configured.

Task ID

Task ID	Operations
cef	read, write

Examples

The following is an example of setting the purge delay to 50 seconds:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# interface HundredGigE 0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# arp purge-delay 50
```

arp timeout

To specify the duration of dynamic entries learned on an interface remain in the Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) cache, enter the **arp timeout** command in interface configuration mode. To remove the **arp timeout** command from the configuration file and restore the system to its default condition with respect to this command, enter the **no** form of this command.

arp timeout *seconds*
no arp timeout *seconds*

Syntax Description

seconds Indicates the time, in seconds, for which an entry remains in the ARP cache. Range is 30 to 4294967295.

Command Default

Entries remain in the ARP cache for 14,400 seconds (4 hours).

Command Modes

Interface configuration

Command History

Release	Modification
Release 6.0	This command was supported.

Usage Guidelines

This command is ignored when issued on interfaces that do not use ARP. Also, ARP entries that correspond to the local interface or that are statically configured by the user never time out.

The **arp timeout** command applies only to the interface that is entered. When the timeout is changed for an interface the change applies only to that interface.

The **show interfaces** command displays the ARP timeout value in hours:minutes:seconds, as follows:

```
ARP type: ARPA, ARP Timeout 04:00:00
```

Task ID

Task ID	Operations
cef	read, write

Examples

The following example shows how to set the ARP timeout to 3600 seconds to allow entries to time out more quickly than the default:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router#configure
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)#interface HundredGigE 0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# arp timeout 3600
```

clear arp-cache

To delete all dynamic entries from the Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) cache, clear the fast-switching cache, and clear the IP route cache, use the **clear arp-cache** command in XR EXEC mode.

clear arp-cache {**traffic** *type interface-path-id*|**location** *node-id*}

Syntax Description

traffic	Deletes traffic statistics on the specified interface.
<i>type</i>	Interface type. For more information, use the question mark (?) online help function.
<i>interface-path-id</i>	<p>Either a physical interface instance or a virtual interface instance as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical interface instance. Naming notation is <i>rack/slot/module/port</i> and a slash between values is required as part of the notation. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>rack</i>: Chassis number of the rack. • <i>slot</i>: Physical slot number of the modular services card or line card. • <i>module</i>: Module number. A physical layer interface module (PLIM) is always 0. • <i>port</i>: Physical port number of the interface. • Virtual interface instance. Number range varies depending on interface type. <p>For more information about the syntax for the router, use the question mark (?) online help function.</p>
location <i>node-id</i>	Clears the ARP entries for a specified location. The <i>node-id</i> argument is entered in the <i>rack/slot/module</i> notation.

Command Default

No default behavior or values

Command Modes

XR EXEC mode

Command History

Release	Modification
Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines

When issued without keywords or arguments, the **clear arp-cache** command clears all entries in the ARP cache.

Task ID

Task ID	Operations
cef	execute

Examples

The following example shows how to remove traffic statistic entries from the ARP cache that match the specified interface:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# clear arp-cache traffic tengige 0/1/0/0 location 0/1/CPU0
```

The following example shows how to remove entries from the ARP cache that match the specified location:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# clear arp-cache location 0/1/CPU0
```

local-proxy-arp

To enable local proxy Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) on an interface, enter the **local-proxy-arp** command in interface configuration mode. To disable local proxy ARP on the interface, enter the **no** form of this command.

local-proxy-arp
no local-proxy-arp

Syntax Description This command has no keywords or arguments.

Command Default Local proxy ARP is disabled on all interfaces.

Command Modes Interface configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines When local proxy ARP is enabled, the networking device responds to ARP requests that meet all the following conditions:

- The target IP address in the ARP request, the IP address of the ARP source, and the IP address of the interface on which the ARP request is received are on the same Layer 3 network.
- The next hop for the target IP address is through the same interface as the request is received.

Typically, local proxy ARP is used to resolve MAC addresses to IP addresses in the same Layer 3 network such as, private VLANs that are Layer 2-separated. Local proxy ARP supports all types of interfaces supported by ARP and unnumbered interfaces.

Using the **no** form of the command removes the specified command from the configuration file and restores the system to its default condition with respect to the command.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	cef	read, write

priority-timeout

To configure the timer to time out a high-priority Direct Attached Gateway Redundancy (DAGR) route and reverting to normal priority, use the **priority-timeout** command in DAGR peer interface configuration mode.

priority-timeout *time*

Syntax Description	
	time Time in seconds after which a high-priority route reverts to a normal priority route. The range of values is 1 to 10000.

Command Default	
	Default for <i>time</i> is 20 seconds.

Command Modes	
	DAGR peer interface configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines	
	To use this command, you must be in a user group associated with a task group that includes the proper task IDs. If you suspect user group assignment is preventing you from using a command, contact your AAA administrator for assistance.

When this function is applied, the DAGR group configuration is updated in the database.

The new timer values take effect the next time the timer is set. No immediate timer restarts are triggered on the basis of this event.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	cef	write

Examples

The following example configures a priority timeout of 25 seconds:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if-dagr-peer)# priority-timeout 25
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if-dagr-peer)#
```

proxy-arp

To enable proxy Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) on an interface, enter the **proxy-arp** command in interface configuration mode. To disable proxy ARP on the interface, enter the **no** form of this command.

proxy-arp
no proxy-arp

Syntax Description This command has no keywords or arguments.

Command Default Proxy ARP is disabled on all interfaces.

Command Modes Interface configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines When proxy ARP is disabled, the networking device responds to ARP requests received on an interface only if one of the following conditions is met:

- The target IP address in the ARP request is the same as the interface IP address on which the request is received.
- The target IP address in the ARP request has a statically configured ARP alias.

When proxy ARP is enabled, the networking device also responds to ARP requests that meet all of the following conditions:

- The target IP address is not on the same physical network (LAN) on which the request is received.
- The networking device has one or more routes to the target IP address.
- All of the routes to the target IP address go through interfaces other than the one on which the request is received.

Using the **no** form of the command removes the specified command from the configuration file and restores the system to its default condition with respect to the command.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	cef	read, write

Examples

The following example shows how to enable proxy ARP on HundredGigE interface 0/0/0/0:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router#(config)# interface HundredGigE 0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router#(config-if)# proxy-arp
```

route distance

To configure route distance for a given Direct Attached Gateway Redundancy (DAGR) group, use the **route distance** command in DAGR peer interface configuration mode.

route distance normal *normal-distance* **priority** *priority-distance*

Syntax Description	normal <i>normal-distance</i> Sets normal route (administrative) distance. Range is 0 to 256.
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	priority <i>priority-distance</i> Sets priority route (administrative) distance. Range is 0 to 256.
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Command Default	Default for <i>normal-distance</i> default is 150 and the default for <i>priority-distance</i> is 5.
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Command Modes	DAGR peer interface configuration
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Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines	The default setting for a priority distance takes precedence over that of a typical Internet Gateway Protocol (IGP). The normal distance setting does not.
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When this setting is applied, the DAGR group is updated in the database.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	cef	write

Examples	The following example configures a DAGR group peer with a normal route distance of 48 and priority route distance of 5:
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```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if-dagr-peer)# route distance normal 48 priority 5
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if-dagr-peer)#
```

route metric

To configure normal and priority route metrics for a given Direct Attached Gateway Redundancy (DAGR) group, use the **route metric** command in DAGR peer interface configuration mode.

route metric normal *normal-metric* **priority** *priority-metric*

Syntax Description	normal <i>normal-metric</i> Sets a normal value for routes installed in the Routing Information Base (RIB). The range of values is 0 to 256.
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priority *priority-metric* Sets a priority value for routes installed in the RIB. The range of values is 0 to 256.

Command Default

The default for *normal-metric* is 100, and the default for *priority-metric* is 90.

Command Modes

DAGR peer interface configuration

Command History

Release	Modification
Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines

The route metric values are of less significance than the **route distance** command values. Setting a route metric allows the configuration of values for routers installed in the RIB.

When this setting is applied, the DAGR group is updated in the database.

Task ID

Task ID	Operations
cef	write

Examples

The following example configures a DAGR group peer with a normal metric of 48 and a priority metric of 5:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if-dagr-peer)# route metric normal 48 priority 5
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if-dagr-peer)#
```

show arp

To display the Address Resolution Protocol (ARP), enter the **show arp** command in XR EXEC mode.

show arp *vrf vrf-name* [*{ip-address hardware-address interface-path-id}*] **location** *node-id*

Syntax Description

vrf	(Optional) Specifies VPN routing and forwarding (VRF) instance.
vrf-name	(Optional) VRF instance that identifies a VPN.
ip-address	(Optional) The ARP entries you want to display.
hardware-address	(Optional) The ARP entries that match the 48-bit MAC address are displayed.

interface-path-id (Optional) Either a physical interface instance or a virtual interface instance as follows:

- Physical interface instance. Naming notation is *rack/slot/module/port* and a slash between values is required as part of the notation.
 - *rack*: Chassis number of the rack.
 - *slot*: Physical slot number of the modular services card or line card.
 - *module*: Module number. A physical layer interface module (PLIM) is always 0.
 - *port*: Physical port number of the interface.
- Virtual interface instance. Number range varies depending on interface type.

For more information about the syntax for the router, use the question mark (?) online help function.

location *node-id* (Optional) Displays the ARP entry for a specific location. The *node-id* argument is entered in the *rack/slot/module* notation.

Command Default

The active RSP is the default location.

Command History

Release	Modification
Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines

ARP establishes correspondences between network addresses (an IP address, for example) and Ethernet hardware addresses. A record of each correspondence is kept in a cache for a predetermined amount of time and then discarded.

For **show arp** *interface-type interface-instance* form, the **location** *node-id* keyword and argument is mandatory for Bundle and VLAN-on-Bundle interfaces to indicate which location the cache entries for the bundle should be displayed. For physical interfaces, specifying the **location** *node-id* keyword and argument is optional since the interface can only exist on one node.

Task ID

Task ID	Operations
cef	read

Examples

The following is sample output from the **show arp** command with no location specified:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show arp

0/7/CPU0
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Address      Age      Hardware Addr  State   Type   Interface
33.1.1.2     -        e4c7.2284.f863 Interface ARPA   TenGigE0/7/0/3
34.1.1.2     -        e4c7.2284.f863 Interface ARPA   TenGigE0/7/0/3.1
65.79.1.1    -        e4c7.2284.f887 Interface ARPA   TenGigE0/7/0/39
```

```

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0/RP0/CPU0
-----
Address      Age           Hardware Addr  State   Type   Interface
12.1.24.208  00:00:03     0016.9cf2.3800 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.0.1     00:53:00     0000.0c07.ac07 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.0.2     00:00:01     0026.0bdd.0000 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.0.3     00:00:05     0026.0bdc.ffc0 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.13.2    02:41:25     0015.17d6.684b Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.36.19   00:33:28     0014.a841.0ffc Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.44.1    00:54:57     6c20.5618.96aa Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.44.2    01:46:47     6c20.5618.982e Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.44.3    02:46:28     4c4e.35b6.57e8 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.44.100  02:45:10     4c4e.35b6.57e8 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.44.101  02:45:05     6c20.5618.96aa Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.49.41   00:03:16     6400.f142.134c Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.49.43   01:10:36     6400.f142.134c Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.49.121  02:54:42     0020.b007.6700 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.49.122  01:51:05     0020.b007.6700 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.49.123  00:31:59     0033.b515.68ff Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.49.254  00:24:09     0003.310a.a039 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.54.10   -            e050.07fa.ef05 Interface ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.54.11   -            e050.07fa.ef05 Interface ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.54.12   01:24:34     4c4e.35b6.4af8 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.57.1    00:06:21     10f3.11b6.c634 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.57.2    00:05:58     6400.f142.1500 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.57.8    01:59:01     0024.c4d8.c2cc Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.57.9    00:54:16     6400.f142.0bbe Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.57.10   01:25:07     6400.f142.115a Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.57.11   00:59:03     0022.56d8.36a0 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0
12.7.57.13   00:22:16     000a.b8b7.fff8 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP0/CPU0/0

```

The following is sample output from the **show arp** command with the *interface-type interface-instance* argument:

```
RRP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show arp tenGigE 0/0/0/1
```

```

-----
0/RP0/CPU0
-----
Address      Age           Hardware Addr  State   Type   Interface
20.30.1.1    -            c472.95a6.2a86 Interface ARPA   TenGigE0/0/0/1
20.30.1.2    00:04:58     6c9c.ed2c.a060 Dynamic ARPA   TenGigE0/0/0/1

```

```
RRP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show arp mgmtEth 0/RP1/CPU0/0
```

```

Address      Age           Hardware Addr  State   Type   Interface
10.4.9.2     00:35:55     0030.7131.abfc Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP1/CPU0/0
10.4.9.1     00:35:55     0000.0c07.ac24 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP1/CPU0/0
10.4.9.99    00:49:12     0007.ebea.44d0 Dynamic ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP1/CPU0/0
10.4.9.199   -            0001.c9eb.dffe Interface ARPA   MgmtEth0/RP1/CPU0/0

```

The following is sample output from the **show arp** command with the *hardware-address* designation:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show arp 0005.5f1d.8100
```

```

Address Age Hardware Addr State Type Interface
172.16.7.2 - 0005.5f1d.8100 Interface ARPA HundredGigE0/0/0/2

```

The following is sample output from the **show arp** command with the **location** keyword and **node-id** argument:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show arp location 0/2/CPU0

Address Age Hardware Addr State Type Interface
192.168.15.1 - 00dd.00ee.00ff Alias ARPA
192.168.13.1 - 00aa.00bb.00cc Static ARPA
172.16.7.1 00:35:49 0002.fc0e.9600 Dynamic ARPA HundredGigE0/1/0/2
172.16.7.2 - 0005.5f1d.8100 Interface ARPA HundredGigE0/1/0/2
```

This table describes the significant fields shown in the display.

Table 1: show arp Command Field Descriptions

Field	Description
Address	Displays the network address that corresponds to the hardware address.
Age	Displays the age in hours:minutes:seconds of the cache entry. A hyphen (-) means the address is local.
Hardware Addr	Displays the LAN hardware address of a MAC address that corresponds to the network address.
State	Displays the current state of the cache entry. Values are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dynamic • Interface • Alias • Static • “-” (indicates global static and alias entries)
Type	Displays the encapsulation type the Cisco IOS XR software is using for the network address in this entry. Value is ARPA.
Interface	Displays the interface associated with this network address.
ARP statistics	Displays ARP packet and error statistics.
ARP cache	Displays general information about the IP address and MAC address association entries in the ARP cache.
IP Packet drop count for node */*/*	Displays the number of IP packets dropped because the buffer ran out of space before an ARP response was received. <p>Note */*/* represents the node ID in the format <i>rack/slot/module</i>.</p>

show arp traffic

To display Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) traffic statistics, enter the **show arp traffic** command in XR EXEC mode.

```
show arp traffic [vrf vrf-name] [interface-path-id] [location node-id]
```

Syntax Description

vrf	(Optional) Specifies VPN routing and forwarding (VRF) instance.
vrf-name	(Optional) VRF instance that identifies a VPN.
interface- path-id	(Optional) Either a physical interface instance or a virtual interface instance as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical interface instance. Naming notation is <i>rack/slot/module/port</i> and a slash between values is required as part of the notation. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>rack</i>: Chassis number of the rack. • <i>slot</i>: Physical slot number of the modular services card or line card. • <i>module</i>: Module number. A physical layer interface module (PLIM) is always 0. • <i>port</i>: Physical port number of the interface. • Virtual interface instance. Number range varies depending on interface type. <p>For more information about the syntax for the router, use the question mark (?) online help function.</p>
location node-id	(Optional) Displays the ARP entry for a specific location. The <i>node-id</i> argument is entered in the <i>rack/slot/module</i> notation.

Command Default

The active RSP is the default location.

Command History

Release	Modification
Release 6.0	This command was introduced.

Usage Guidelines

ARP establishes correspondences between network addresses (an IP address, for example) and Ethernet hardware addresses. A record of each correspondence is kept in a cache for a predetermined amount of time and then discarded.

For **show arp traffic**, *interface-instance*, the **location***node-id* keyword and argument is mandatory for Bundle and VLAN-on-Bundle interfaces to indicate which location the cache entries for the bundle should be displayed. For physical interfaces, specifying the **location** *node-id* keyword and argument is optional since the interface can only exist on one node.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	cef	read

Examples

The following is sample output from the **show arp traffic** command:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show arp traffic

show arp traffic
Thu Dec 10 09:51:38.761 UTC

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0/6/CPU0
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ARP statistics:
  Recv: 163 requests, 79 replies
  Sent: 14138 requests, 177 replies (0 proxy, 0 local proxy, 14 gratuitous)
  Resolve requests rcvd: 7204
  Resolve requests dropped: 295
  Errors: 0 out of memory, 0 no buffers, 0 out of sunbet

ARP cache:
  Total ARP entries in cache: 22
  Dynamic: 11, Interface: 11, Standby: 0
  Alias: 0,   Static: 0,   DHCP: 0

  IP Packet drop count for node 0/6/CPU0: 6909

  Total ARP-IDB:19

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0/2/CPU0
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ARP statistics:
  Recv: 162532 requests, 243 replies
  Sent: 15879 requests, 162561 replies (0 proxy, 0 local proxy, 29 gratuitous)
  Resolve requests rcvd: 47593
  Resolve requests dropped: 0
  Errors: 0 out of memory, 0 no buffers, 0 out of sunbet

ARP cache:
  Total ARP entries in cache: 125
  Dynamic: 112, Interface: 13, Standby: 0
  Alias: 0,   Static: 0,   DHCP: 0

  IP Packet drop count for node 0/2/CPU0: 44804

  Total ARP-IDB:13
```

The following is sample output from the **show arp traffic** command with the **location** keyword and **node-id** argument:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show arp traffic location 0/4/CPU0

Thu Dec 10 09:51:56.209 UTC
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```
ARP statistics:
  Recv: 364474 requests, 96 replies
  Sent: 14131 requests, 364499 replies (0 proxy, 0 local proxy, 25 gratuitous)
  Resolve requests rcvd: 5699
  Resolve requests dropped: 94
  Errors: 0 out of memory, 0 no buffers, 0 out of sunbet

ARP cache:
  Total ARP entries in cache: 18
  Dynamic: 9, Interface: 9, Standby: 0
  Alias: 0,   Static: 0,   DHCP: 0

IP Packet drop count for node 0/4/CPU0: 5603

Total ARP-IDB:18
```