



# **Segment Routing Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers, IOS XR Release 7.2.x**

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# **About Segment Routing**

This chapter introduces the concept of segment routing and provides a workflow for configuring segment routing.

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# Scope

Segment routing is a method of forwarding packets on the network based on the source routing paradigm. The source chooses a path and encodes it in the packet header as an ordered list of segments. Segments are an identifier for any type of instruction. For example, topology segments identify the next hop toward a destination. Each segment is identified by the segment ID (SID) consisting of a flat unsigned 20-bit integer.

#### **Segments**

Interior gateway protocol (IGP) distributes two types of segments: prefix segments and adjacency segments. Each router (node) and each link (adjacency) has an associated segment identifier (SID).

• A prefix SID is associated with an IP prefix. The prefix SID is manually configured from the segment routing global block (SRGB) range of labels, and is distributed by IS-IS or OSPF. The prefix segment steers the traffic along the shortest path to its destination. A node SID is a special type of prefix SID that identifies a specific node. It is configured under the loopback interface with the loopback address of the node as the prefix.

A prefix segment is a global segment, so a prefix SID is globally unique within the segment routing domain.

• An adjacency segment is identified by a label called an adjacency SID, which represents a specific adjacency, such as egress interface, to a neighboring router. An adjacency SID can be allocated dynamically from the dynamic label range or configured manually from the segment routing local block (SRLB) range of labels. The adjacency SID is distributed by IS-IS or OSPF. The adjacency segment steers the traffic to a specific adjacency.

An adjacency segment is a local segment, so the adjacency SID is locally unique relative to a specific router.

By combining prefix (node) and adjacency segment IDs in an ordered list, any path within a network can be constructed. At each hop, the top segment is used to identify the next hop. Segments are stacked in order at the top of the packet header. When the top segment contains the identity of another node, the receiving node uses equal cost multipaths (ECMP) to move the packet to the next hop. When the identity is that of the receiving node, the node pops the top segment and performs the task required by the next segment.

## **Dataplane**

Segment routing can be directly applied to the Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) architecture with no change in the forwarding plane. A segment is encoded as an MPLS label. An ordered list of segments is encoded as a stack of labels. The segment to process is on the top of the stack. The related label is popped from the stack, after the completion of a segment.

#### Services

Segment Routing integrates with the rich multi-service capabilities of MPLS, including Layer 3 VPN (L3VPN), Virtual Private Wire Service (VPWS), Virtual Private LAN Service (VPLS), and Ethernet VPN (EVPN).

## **Segment Routing for Traffic Engineering**

Segment routing for traffic engineering (SR-TE) takes place through a policy between a source and destination pair. Segment routing for traffic engineering uses the concept of source routing, where the source calculates the path and encodes it in the packet header as a segment. Each segment is an end-to-end path from the source to the destination, and instructs the routers in the provider core network to follow the specified path instead of the shortest path calculated by the IGP. The destination is unaware of the presence of the policy.

# Need

With segment routing for traffic engineering (SR-TE), the network no longer needs to maintain a per-application and per-flow state. Instead, it simply obeys the forwarding instructions provided in the packet.

SR-TE utilizes network bandwidth more effectively than traditional MPLS-TE networks by using ECMP at every segment level. It uses a single intelligent source and relieves remaining routers from the task of calculating the required path through the network.

# **Benefits**

- Ready for SDN: Segment routing was built for SDN and is the foundation for Application Engineered Routing (AER). SR prepares networks for business models, where applications can direct network behavior. SR provides the right balance between distributed intelligence and centralized optimization and programming.
- Minimal configuration: Segment routing for TE requires minimal configuration on the source router.
- Load balancing: Unlike in RSVP-TE, load balancing for segment routing can take place in the presence of equal cost multiple paths (ECMPs).
- **Supports Fast Reroute (FRR)**: Fast reroute enables the activation of a pre-configured backup path within 50 milliseconds of path failure.

• **Plug-and-Play deployment**: Segment routing policies are interoperable with existing MPLS control and data planes and can be implemented in an existing deployment.

# **Workflow for Deploying Segment Routing**

Follow this workflow to deploy segment routing.

- 1. Configure the Segment Routing Global Block (SRGB)
- 2. Enable Segment Routing and Node SID for the IGP
- 3. Configure Segment Routing for BGP
- **4.** Configure the SR-TE Policy
- **5.** Configure the SR-PCE
- **6.** Configure TI-LFA and Microloop Avoidance
- 7. Configure the Segment Routing Mapping Server

**Workflow for Deploying Segment Routing** 



# **Configure Segment Routing over IPv6 (SRv6)**

Segment Routing for IPv6 (SRv6) is the implementation of Segment Routing over the IPv6 dataplane.

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# **Segment Routing over IPv6 Overview**

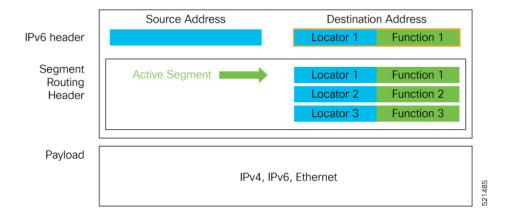
Segment Routing (SR) can be applied on both MPLS and IPv6 data planes. Segment Routing over IPv6 (SRv6) extends Segment Routing support with IPv6 data plane.

In an SR-MPLS enabled network, an MPLS label represents an instruction. The source nodes programs the path to a destination in the packet header as a stack of labels.

SRv6 introduces the Network Programming framework that enables a network operator or an application to specify a packet processing program by encoding a sequence of instructions in the IPv6 packet header. Each instruction is implemented on one or several nodes in the network and identified by an SRv6 Segment Identifier (SID) in the packet. The SRv6 Network Programming framework is defined in IETF RFC 8986 SRv6 Network Programming.

In SRv6, an IPv6 address represents an instruction. SRv6 uses a new type of IPv6 Routing Extension Header, called the Segment Routing Header (SRH), in order to encode an ordered list of instructions. The active segment is indicated by the destination address of the packet, and the next segment is indicated by a pointer in the SRH.

Figure 1: Network Program in the Packet Header



The SRv6 SRH is documented in IETF RFC IPv6 Segment Routing Header (SRH). The SRH is defined as follows:

The following list explains the fields in SRH:

- Next header—Identifies the type of header immediately following the SRH.
- Hdr Ext Len (header extension length)—The length of the SRH in 8-octet units, not including the first 8 octets.
- Segments left—Specifies the number of route segments remaining. That means, the number of explicitly listed intermediate nodes still to be visited before reaching the final destination.

- Last Entry—Contains the index (zero based) of the last element of the segment list.
- Flags— Contains 8 bits of flags.
- Tag—Tag a packet as part of a class or group of packets like packets sharing the same set of properties.
- Segment list—128-bit IPv6 addresses representing the *n*th segment in the segment list. The segment list encoding starts from the last segment of the SR policy (path). That means the first element of the segment list (Segment list [0]) contains the last segment of the SR policy, the second element contains the penultimate segment of the SR policy and so on.

In SRv6, a SID represents a 128-bit value, consisting of the following three parts:

- Locator: This is the first part of the SID with most significant bits and represents an address of a specific SRv6 node.
- Function: This is the portion of the SID that is local to the owner node and designates a specific SRv6 function (network instruction) that is executed locally on a particular node, specified by the locator bits.
- Args: This field is optional and represents optional arguments to the function.

The locator part can be further divided into two parts:

- SID Block: This field is the SRv6 network designator and is a fixed or known address space for an SRv6 domain. This is the most significant bit (MSB) portion of a locator subnet.
- Node Id: This field is the node designator in an SRv6 network and is the least significant bit (LSB) portion of a locator subnet.

### **SRv6 Node Roles**

Each node along the SRv6 packet path has a different functionality:

- Source node—A node that can generate an IPv6 packet with an SRH (an SRv6 packet), or an ingress node that can impose an SRH on an IPv6 packet.
- Transit node—A node along the path of the SRv6 packet (IPv6 packet and SRH). The transit node does not inspect the SRH. The destination address of the IPv6 packet does not correspond to the transit node.
- Endpoint node—A node in the SRv6 domain where the SRv6 segment is terminated. The destination address of the IPv6 packet with an SRH corresponds to the end point node. The segment endpoint node executes the function bound to the SID

#### **SRv6 Head-End Behaviors**

The SR Headend with Encapsulation behaviors are documented in the IETF RFC 8986 SRv6 Network Programming.

The SR Headend with Insertion head-end behaviors are documented in the following IETF draft:

https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/draft-filsfils-spring-srv6-net-pgm-insertion/

This section describes a set of SR Policy headend behaviors. The following list summarizes them:

- H.Encaps—SR Headend Behavior with Encapsulation in an SRv6 Policy
- H.Encaps.Red—H.Encaps with Reduced Encapsulation

- H.Insert—SR Headend with insertion of an SRv6 Policy
- H.Insert.Red—H.Insert with reduced insertion

## **SRv6 Endpoint Behaviors**

The SRv6 endpoint behaviors are documented in the IETF RFC 8986 SRv6 Network Programming.

The following is a subset of defined SRv6 endpoint behaviors that can be associated with a SID.

- End—Endpoint function. The SRv6 instantiation of a Prefix SID [RFC8402].
- End.X—Endpoint with Layer-3 cross-connect. The SRv6 instantiation of an Adj SID [RFC8402].
- End.DX6—Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv6 cross-connect (IPv6-L3VPN equivalent to per-CE VPN label).
- End.DX4—Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv4 cross-connect (IPv4-L3VPN equivalent to per-CE VPN label).
- End.DT6—Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv6 table lookup (IPv6-L3VPN equivalent to per-VRF VPN label).
- End.DT4—Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv4 table lookup (IPv4-L3VPN equivalent to per-VRF VPN label).
- End.DT46—Endpoint with decapsulation and specific IP table lookup (IP-L3VPN equivalent to per-VRF VPN label).
- End.DX2—Endpoint with decapsulation and L2 cross-connect (L2VPN use-case).
- End.B6.Encaps—Endpoint bound to an SRv6 policy with encapsulation. SRv6 instantiation of a Binding SID.
- End.B6.Encaps.RED—End.B6.Encaps with reduced SRH. SRv6 instantiation of a Binding SID.

#### **SRv6 Endpoint Behavior Variants**

Depending on how the SRH is handled, different behavior variants are defined for the End and End.X behaviors. The End and End.X behaviors can support these variants, either individually or in combinations.

• Penultimate Segment Pop (PSP) of the SRH variant—An SR Segment Endpoint Nodes receive the IPv6 packet with the Destination Address field of the IPv6 Header equal to its SID address.

A penultimate SR Segment Endpoint Node is one that, as part of the SID processing, copies the last SID from the SRH into the IPv6 Destination Address and decrements the Segments Left value from one to zero.

The PSP operation takes place only at a penultimate SR Segment Endpoint Node and does not happen at non-penultimate endpoint nodes. When a SID of PSP-flavor is processed at a non-penultimate SR Segment Endpoint Node, the PSP behavior is not performed since Segments Left would not be zero.

The SR Segment Endpoint Nodes advertise the SIDs instantiated on them via control plane protocols. A PSP-flavored SID is used by the Source SR Node when it needs to instruct the penultimate SR Segment Endpoint Node listed in the SRH to remove the SRH from the IPv6 header.

• Ultimate Segment Pop (USP) of the SRH variant—The SRH processing of the End and End.X behaviors are modified as follows:

If Segments Left is 0, then:

- 1. Update the Next Header field in the preceding header to the Next Header value of the SRH
- 2. Decrease the IPv6 header Payload Length by 8\*(Hdr Ext Len+1)
- 3. Remove the SRH from the IPv6 extension header chain
- **4.** Proceed to process the next header in the packet

One of the applications of the USP flavor is when a packet with an SRH is destined to an application on hosts with smartNICs implementing SRv6. The USP flavor is used to remove the consumed SRH from the extension header chain before sending the packet to the host.

- Ultimate Segment Decapsulation (USD) variant—The Upper-layer header processing of the End and End.X behaviors are modified as follows:
  - End behavior: If the Upper-layer Header type is 41 (IPv6), then:
    - 1. Remove the outer IPv6 Header with all its extension headers
  - 2. Submit the packet to the egress IPv6 FIB lookup and transmission to the new destination
  - **3.** Else, if the Upper-layer Header type is 4 (IPv4)
  - **4.** Remove the outer IPv6 Header with all its extension headers
  - 5. Submit the packet to the egress IPv4 FIB lookup and transmission to the new destination
  - **6.** Else, process as per Section 4.1.1 (Upper-Layer Header) of IETF RFC 8986 SRv6 Network Programming
  - End.X behavior: If the Upper-layer Header type is 41 (IPv6) or 4 (IPv4), then:
    - 1. Remove the outer IPv6 Header with all its extension headers
    - 2. Forward the exposed IP packet to the L3 adjacency J
  - **3.** Else, process as per Section 4.1.1 (Upper-Layer Header) of IETF RFC 8986 SRv6 Network Programming

One of the applications of the USD flavor is the case of TI-LFA in P routers with encapsulation with H.Encaps. The USD flavor allows the last Segment Endpoint Node in the repair path list to decapsulate the IPv6 header added at the TI-LFA Point of Local Repair and forward the inner packet.

# **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

## **General Guidelines and Limitations**

- Cisco IOS XR supports the following SRv6 SID behaviors and variants:
  - · END with PSP
  - END.X with PSP
  - END.DT4
  - END.DT6

- SRv6 Underlay support includes:
  - IGP redistribution/leaking between levels
  - · Prefix Summarization on ABR routers
  - IS-IS TI-LFA
  - Microloop Avoidance
  - Flex-algo

# **Configuring SRv6**

To enable SRv6 globally, you should first configure a locator with its prefix. The IS-IS protocol announces the locator prefix in IPv6 network and SRv6 applications (like ISIS, BGP) use it to allocate SIDs.

The following usage guidelines and restrictions apply while configuring SRv6.

- All routers in the SRv6 domain should have the same SID block (network designator) in their locator.
- The locator length should be 64-bits long.
  - The SID block portion (MSBs) cannot exceed 40 bits. If this value is less than 40 bits, user should use a pattern of zeros as a filler.
  - The Node Id portion (LSBs) cannot exceed 24 bits.
- You can configure up to 8 locators to support SRv6 Flexible Algorithm. All locators prefix must share the same SID block (first 40-bits).

### **Enabling SRv6 with Locator**

This example shows how to globally enable SRv6 and configure locator.

```
Router(config) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-srv6) # locators
Router(config-srv6-locators) # locator myLoc1
Router(config-srv6-locator) # prefix 2001:db8:0:a2::/64
```

### (Optional) Configuring SRv6 Anycast Locator

An SRv6 Anycast locator is a type of locator that identifies a set of nodes (END SIDs). SRv6 Anycast Locators and their associated END SIDs may be provisioned at multiple places in a topology.

The set of nodes (Anycast group) is configured to advertise a shared Anycast locator and END SID. Anycast routing enables the steering of traffic toward multiple advertising nodes. Packets addressed to an Anycast address are forwarded to the topologically nearest nodes.

One use case is to advertise Anycast END SIDs at exit points from an SRv6 network. Any of the nodes that advertise the common END SID could be used to forward traffic out of the SRv6 portion of the network to the topologically nearest node.

Unlike a normal locator, IS-IS does not program or advertise END.X SIDs associated with an anycast locator.



Note

END SIDs allocated from Anycast locators will not be used in constructing TI-LFA backup paths or Microloop Avoidance primary paths. TI-LFA backup and Microloop Avoidance paths for an Anycast locator prefix may terminate on any node advertising that locator, which may be different from the node terminating the original primary path.



Note

SRv6 anycast locators may have non-zero algorithm (Flexible Algorithm) values.

The following example shows how to globally enable SRv6 and configure Anycast locator.

```
Router(config) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-srv6) # locators
Router(config-srv6-locators) # locator myLoc1 anycast
Router(config-srv6-locator) # prefix 2001:db8:0:a2::/64
```

## **Optional: Configuring Encapsulation Parameters**

This example shows how to configure encapsulation parameters when configuring SRv6. These optional parameters include:

- **segment-routing srv6 encapsulation source-address** *ipv6-addr*—Source Address of outer encapsulating IPv6 header. The default source address for encapsulation is one of the loopback addresses.
- **segment-routing srv6 encapsulation hop-limit** {*count* | **propagate**}—The hop limit of outer-encapsulating IPv6 header. The range for *count* is from 1 to 254; the default value for hop-limit is 254. Use **propagate** to set the hop-limit value by propagation (from incoming packet/frame).

```
Router(config) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-srv6) # encapsulation source-address 1::1
Router(config-srv6) # hop-limit 60
```

#### **Optional: Enabling Syslog Logging for Locator Status Changes**

This example shows how to enable the logging of locator status.

```
Router(config)# segment-routing srv6
Router(config-srv6)# logging locator status
```

#### **Verifying SRv6 Manager**

This example shows how to verify the overall SRv6 state from SRv6 Manager point of view. The output displays parameters in use, summary information, and platform specific capabilities.

```
Router# show segment-routing srv6 manager
Parameters:
Parameters:
SRv6 Enabled: Yes
SRv6 Operational Mode:
Base:
SID Base Block: 2001:db8::/40
Encapsulation:
Source Address:
Configured: 1::1
Default: 5::5
```

```
Hop-Limit: Default
   Traffic-class: Default
 Number of Locators: 1 (1 operational)
 Number of SIDs: 4 (0 stale)
 Max SIDs: 64000
 OOR:
   Thresholds: Green 3200, Warning 1920
   Status: Resource Available
       History: (0 cleared, 0 warnings, 0 full)
   Block 2001:db8:0:a2::/64:
       Number of SIDs free: 65470
       Max SIDs: 65470
       Thresholds: Green 3274, Warning 1965
       Status: Resource Available
           History: (0 cleared, 0 warnings, 0 full)
Platform Capabilities:
 SRv6: Yes
 TILFA: Yes
 Microloop-Avoidance: Yes
 Endpoint behaviors:
   End (PSP)
   End.X (PSP)
   End.DX6
   End.DX4
   End.DT6
   End.DT4
   End.DX2
   uN (PSP/USD)
   uA (PSP/USD)
   uDT6
   uDT4
   uDX2
   uB6 (Insert.Red)
 Headend behaviors:
   H.Insert.Red
   H.Encaps.Red
 Security rules:
   SEC-1
   SEC-2
   SEC-3
 Counters:
   CNT-1
   CNT-3
 Signaled parameters:
   Max-SL
             : 3
   Max-End-Pop-SRH : 3
   Max-H-Insert : 3 sids
   Max-H-Encap
                   : 3 sids
   Max-End-D
                   : 4
 Configurable parameters (under srv6):
   Encapsulation:
     Source Address: Yes
     Hop-Limit
                 : value=Yes, propagate=No
     Traffic-class: value=Yes, propagate=Yes
 Max SIDs: 64000
 SID Holdtime: 3 mins
```

# **Verifying SRv6 Locator**

This example shows how to verify the locator configuration and its operational status.

```
Router# show segment-routing srv6 locator myLoc1 detail

Name ID Prefix Status

myLoc1* 5 2001:db8:0:a2::/64 Up

(*): is-default

Interface:
Name: srv6-myLoc1
IFH: 0x00000170
IPv6 address: 2001:db8:0:a2::/64

Chkpt Obj ID: 0x2fc8

Created: Apr 25 06:21:57.077 (00:03:37 ago)
```

# **Verifying SRv6 Local SIDs**

This example shows how to verify the allocation of SRv6 local SIDs off locator(s).

#### Router# show segment-routing srv6 locator myLoc1 sid

SID	Function	Context	Owner
State RW			
2001:db8:0:a2:1:: InUse Y	End (PSP)	'default':1	sidmgr
2001:db8:0:a2:40::	End.DT4	'VRF1'	bgp-100
2001:db8:0:a2:41:: InUse Y	End.X (PSP)	[Hu0/1/0/1, Link-Local]	isis-srv6

The following example shows how to display detail information regarding an allocated SRv6 local SID.

#### Router# show segment-routing srv6 locator myLoc1 sid 2001:db8:0:a2:40:: detail

Similarly, you can display SID information across locators by using the **show segment-routing sid** command.

## show Commands

You can use the following **show** commands to verify the SRv6 global and locator configuration:

Command	Description
show segment-routing srv6 manager	Displays the summary information from SRv6 manager, including platform capabilities.
show segment-routing srv6 locator locator-name [detail]	Displays the SRv6 locator information on the router.

Command	Description
show segment-routing srv6 locator locator-name sid [[sid-ipv6-address [detail]	Displays the information regarding SRv6 local SID(s) allocated from a given locator.
show segment-routing srv6 sid [sid-ipv6-address   all   stale] [detail]	Displays SID information across locators. By default, only "active" (i.e. non-stale) SIDs are displayed.
show route ipv6 local-srv6	Displays all SRv6 local-SID prefixes in IPv6 RIB.

# **Configuring SRv6 under IS-IS**

Intermediate System-to-Intermediate System (IS-IS) protocol already supports segment routing with MPLS dataplane (SR-MPLS). This feature enables extensions in IS-IS to support Segment Routing with IPv6 data plane (SRv6). The extensions include advertising the SRv6 capabilities of nodes and node and adjacency segments as SRv6 SIDs.

SRv6 IS-IS performs the following functionalities:

- Interacts with SID Manager to learn local locator prefixes and announces the locator prefixes in the IGP domain.
- **2.** Learns remote locator prefixes from other IS-IS neighbor routers and installs the learned remote locator IPv6 prefix in RIB or FIB.
- Allocate or learn prefix SID and adjacency SIDs, create local SID entries, and advertise them in the IGP domain.

### **Usage Guidelines and Restrictions**

The following usage guidelines and restrictions apply for SRv6 IS-IS:

• An IS-IS address-family can support either SR-MPLS or SRv6, but both at the same time is not supported.

# Configuring SRv6 under IS-IS

To configure SRv6 IS-IS, use the following command:

router isis instance address-family ipv6 unicast segment-routing srv6 locator locator [level {1 | 2}]—Enable SRv6 under the IS-IS IPv6 address-family and assign SRv6 locator(s) to it. Use the level {1 | 2} keywords to advertise the locator only in the specified IS-IS level.

The following example shows how to configure SRv6 under IS-IS.

```
Router(config)# router isis core
Router(config-isis)# address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-af)# segment-routing srv6
Router(config-isis-srv6)# locator myLoc1 level 1
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc)# exit
```

For more information about configuring IS-IS, refer to the "Implementing IS-IS" chapter in the Routing Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540.

# **Configuring SRv6 IS-IS Flexible Algorithm**

Table 1: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release	Description
SRv6 Flexible Algorithm for IS-IS	Release 7.2.2	This feature allows operators to customize IGP shortest path computation according to their own needs. An operator can assign custom SR prefix-SIDs to realize forwarding beyond link-cost-based SPF. As a result, Flexible Algorithm provides a traffic engineered path automatically computed by the IGP to any destination reachable by the IGP.  The SR architecture associates prefix-SIDs to an algorithm which defines how the path is computed. Flexible Algorithm allows for user-defined algorithms where the IGP computes paths based on a user-defined combination of metric type and constraint.

This feature introduces support for implementing Flexible Algorithm using IS-IS SRv6.

SRv6 Flexible Algorithm allows operators to customize IGP shortest path computation according to their own needs. An operator can assign custom SRv6 locators to realize forwarding beyond link-cost-based SPF. As a result, Flexible Algorithm provides a traffic engineered path automatically computed by the IGP to any destination reachable by the IGP.

### **Restrictions and Usage Guidelines**

The following restrictions and usage guidelines apply:

- You can configure up to 8 locators to support SRv6 Flexible Algorithm:
  - All locators prefix must share the same SID block (first 40-bits).
  - The Locator Algorithm value range is 128 to 255.

### Configuring SRv6 IS-IS Flexible Algorithm

The following example shows how to configure SRv6 IS-IS Flexible Algorithm.



Note

Complete the Configuring SRv6 before performing these steps.

```
Router(config) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-srv6) # locators
Router(config-srv6-locators) # locator Loc1-BE // best-effort
Router(config-srv6-locator) # prefix 2001:db8:0:a2::/64
Router(config-srv6-locator) # exit
Router(config-srv6-locators) # locator Loc1-LL // low latency
Router(config-srv6-locator) # prefix 2001:db8:1:a2::/64
Router(config-srv6-locator) # algorithm 128
Router(config-srv6-locator) # exit
Router(config-srv6) # exit
```

# **Configuring SRv6 IS-IS**

The following example shows how to configure SRv6 IS-IS.

```
Router(config) # router isis test-igp
Router(config-isis) # flex-algo 128
Router(config-isis-flex-algo) # exit
Router(config-isis) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-af) # summary-prefix 2001:db8:0::/48
Router(config-isis-af) # summary-prefix 2001:db8:1::/48 algorithm 128 explicit
Router(config-isis-af) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-isis-srv6) # locator Loc1-BE
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc) # exit
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc) # exit
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc) # exit
```

#### Configuring SRv6 IS-IS Prefix Summarization

SRv6 leverages longest-prefix-match IP forwarding. Massive-scale reachability can be achieved by summarizing locators at ABRs and ASBRs. Use the **summary-prefix** *locator* [**algorithm** *algo*] [**explicit**] command in IS-IS address-family configuration mode to specify that only locators from the specified algorithm contribute to the summary. The **explicit** keyword limits the contributing prefixes to only those belonging to the same algorithm.

The following example shows how to configure SRv6 IS-IS Algorithm Summarization for regular algorithm and Flexible Algorithm (128).

```
Router(config) # router isis test-igp
Router(config-isis) # flex-algo 128
Router(config-isis-flex-algo) # exit
Router(config-isis) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-af) # summary-prefix 2001:db8:0::/48
Router(config-isis-af) # summary-prefix 2001:db8:1::/48 algorithm 128 explicit
Router(config-isis-af) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-isis-srv6) # locator Loc1-BE
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc) # exit
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc) # exit
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc) # exit
```

## **Enable Flexible Algorithm for Low Latency**

The following example shows how to enable Flexible Algorithm for low-latency:

• IS-IS: Configure Flexible Algorithm definition with delay objective

• Performance-measurement: Configure static delay per interface

```
Router(config) # router isis test-igp
Router(config-isis) # flex-algo 128
Router(config-isis-flex-algo) # metric-type delay
Router(config-isis-flex-algo) # exit
Router(config-isis) # interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
Router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af) # root

Router(config) # performance-measurement
Router(config-perf-meas) # interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
Router(config-pm-intf) # delay-measurement
Router(config-pm-intf-dm) # advertise-delay 100
Router(config-pm-intf-dm) # commit
```

#### Verification

```
SRv6-LF1# show segment-routing srv6 locator
Mon Aug 12 20:54:15.414 EDT
                   ID
                             Algo Prefix
                                                             Status
                    -----
                    17 0 2001:db8:0:a2::/64
18 128 2001:db8:1:a2::/64
Loc1-BE
                                   2001:db8:0:a2::/64
                                                            αŪ
Loc1-LL
SRv6-LF1# show isis flex-algo 128
Mon Aug 12 21:00:54.282 EDT
IS-IS test-igp Flex-Algo Database
Flex-Algo 128:
Level-2:
       Definition Priority: 128
       Definition Source: SRv6-LF1.00, (Local)
       Definition Equal to Local: Yes
       Disabled: No
Level-1:
       Definition Priority: 128
       Definition Source: SRv6-LF1.00, (Local)
       Definition Equal to Local: Yes
       Disabled: No
```

# Configuring SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA

Local Priority: 128 FRR Disabled: No

Microloop Avoidance Disabled: No

This feature introduces support for implementing Topology-Independent Loop-Free Alternate (TI-LFA) using IS-IS SRv6.

TI-LFA provides link protection in topologies where other fast reroute techniques cannot provide protection. The goal of TI-LFA is to reduce the packet loss that results while routers converge after a topology change due to a link failure. TI-LFA leverages the post-convergence path which is planned to carry the traffic and ensures link and node protection within 50 milliseconds. TI-LFA with IS-IS SR-MPLS is already supported.

### **Usage Guidelines and Restrictions**

The following usage guidelines and restrictions apply:

# Configuring SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA

The following example shows how to configure SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA.



Note

Complete the Configuring SRv6 before performing these steps.

```
Router(config) # router isis core
Router(config-isis)# address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-af) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-isis-srv6)# locator locator1
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc)# exit
Router(config-isis)# interface loopback 0
Router(config-isis-if) # passive
Router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af)# exit
Router(config-isis)# interface bundle-ether 1201
Router(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix
Router (config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
Router(config-isis-if-af)# exit
Router(config-isis)# interface bundle-ether 1301
Router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix
Router (config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
Router(config-isis-if-af)# exit
```

# **Configuring SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA with Flexible Algorithm**

TI-LFA backup paths for particular Flexible Algorithm are computed using the same constraints as the calculation of the primary paths for such Flexible Algorithm. These paths use Prefix-SIDs advertised specifically for such Flexible Algorithm in order to enforce a backup path.

The following example shows how to configure SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA with Flexible Algorithm.

```
Router(config) # router isis core
Router(config-isis) # flex-algo 128
Router(config-isis-flex-algo) # exit
Router(config-isis) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-af) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-isis-srv6) # locator locator1
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc) # exit
Router(config-isis) # interface bundle-ether 1201
Router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix
```

```
Router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
Router(config-isis-if-af)# exit
```

Use the **fast-reroute disable** command to disable the LFA calculation on a per-algorithm basis:

```
Router(config) # router isis core
Router(config-isis) # flex-algo 128
Router(config-isis-flex-algo) # fast-reroute disable
```

#### Verification

This example shows how to verify the SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA configuration using the **show isis ipv6 fast-reroute** *ipv6-prefix* **detail** command.

```
Router# show isis ipv6 fast-reroute cafe:0:0:66::/64 detail
Thu Nov 22 16:12:51.983 EST

L1 cafe:0:0:66::/64 [11/115] low priority
    via fe80::2, TenGigEO/O/O/6, SRv6-HUB6, Weight: 0
    Backup path: TI-LFA (link), via fe80::1, Bundle-Ether1201 SRv6-LF1, Weight: 0, Metric:
51
    P node: SRv6-TP8.00 [8::8], SRv6 SID: cafe:0:0:88:1:: End (PSP)
    Backup-src: SRv6-HUB6.00
    P: No, TM: 51, LC: No, NP: No, D: No, SRLG: Yes
    src SRv6-HUB6.00-00, 6::6
```

This example shows how to verify the SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA configuration using the **show route ipv6** *ipv6-prefix* **detail** command.

```
Router# show route ipv6 cafe:0:0:66::/64 detail
Thu Nov 22 16:14:07.385 EST
Routing entry for cafe:0:0:66::/64
  Known via "isis srv6", distance 115, metric 11, type level-1
  Installed Nov 22 09:24:05.160 for 06:50:02
  Routing Descriptor Blocks
    fe80::2, from 6::6, via TenGigE0/0/0/6, Protected
      Route metric is 11
      Label: None
      Tunnel ID: None
      Binding Label: None
      Extended communities count: 0
      Path id:1
                    Path ref count:0
      NHID: 0x2000a (Ref:11)
      NHID eid:0xffffffffffffff
      SRv6 Headend: H.Insert.Red [base], SRv6 SID-list {cafe:0:0:88:1::}
      Backup path id:65
    fe80::1, from 6::6, via Bundle-Ether1201, Backup (TI-LFA)
      Repair Node(s): 8::8
      Route metric is 51
      Label: None
      Tunnel ID: None
      Binding Label: None
      Extended communities count: 0
      Path id:65
                             Path ref count:1
      NHID:0x2000d(Ref:11)
      NHID eid: 0xffffffffffffffff
      SRv6 Headend: H.Insert.Red [base], SRv6 SID-list {cafe:0:0:88:1::}
      MPLS eid:0x1380800000001
```

This example shows how to verify the SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA configuration using the **show cef ipv6** *ipv6-prefix* **detail location** *location* command.

```
Router# show cef ipv6 cafe:0:0:66::/64 detail location 0/0/cpu0
Thu Nov 22 17:01:58.536 EST
cafe:0:0:66::/64, version 1356, SRv6 Transit, internal 0x1000001 0x2 (ptr 0x8a4a45cc) [1],
 0x0 (0x8a46ae20), 0x0 (0x8c8f31b0)
Updated Nov 22 09:24:05.166
local adjacency fe80::2
Prefix Len 64, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 2
 gateway array (0x8a2dfaf0) reference count 4, flags 0x500000, source rib (7), 0 backups
                [5 type 3 flags 0x8401 (0x8a395d58) ext 0x0 (0x0)]
 LW-LDI[type=3, refc=1, ptr=0x8a46ae20, sh-ldi=0x8a395d58]
 gateway array update type-time 1 Nov 22 09:24:05.163
 LDI Update time Nov 22 09:24:05.163
LW-LDI-TS Nov 22 09:24:05.166
  via fe80::2/128, TenGigE0/0/0/6, 8 dependencies, weight 0, class 0, protected [flags
0x400]
   path-idx 0 bkup-idx 1 NHID 0x2000a [0x8a2c2fd0 0x0]
   next hop fe80::2/128
  via fe80::1/128, Bundle-Ether1201, 8 dependencies, weight 0, class 0, backup (TI-LFA)
[flags 0xb001
   path-idx 1 NHID 0x2000d [0x8c2670b0 0x0]
    next hop fe80::1/128, Repair Node(s): 8::8
   local adiacency
    SRv6 H.Insert.Red SID-list {cafe:0:0:88:1::}
   Load distribution: 0 (refcount 5)
   Hash OK Interface
                                        Address
         Y TenGiqE0/0/0/6
                                       fe80::2
```

This example shows how to verify the SRv6 IS-IS TI-LFA configuration using the **show cef ipv6 fast-reroute-db** command.

```
Router# show cef ipv6 fast-reroute-db
Sun Dec 9 20:23:08.111 EST
PROTECT-FRR: per-prefix [1, 0x0, 0x0, 0x98c83270]
protect-interface: Te0/0/0/6 (0x208)
protect-next-hop: fe80::2/128
 ipv6 nhinfo [0x977397d0]
Update Time Dec 9 17:29:42.427
     BACKUP-FRR: per-prefix [5, 0x0, 0x2, 0x98c83350]
     backup-interface: BE1201 (0x800002c)
     backup-next-hop: fe80::1/128
    ipv6 nhinfo [0x977396a0 protect-frr: 0x98c83270]
Update Time Dec 9 17:29:42.428
 PROTECT-FRR: per-prefix [1, 0x0, 0x0, 0x98c830b0]
protect-interface: BE1201 (0x800002c)
 protect-next-hop: fe80::1/128
 ipv6 nhinfo [0x977396a0]
 Update Time Dec 9 17:29:42.429
     BACKUP-FRR: per-prefix [5, 0x0, 0x1, 0x98c83190]
     backup-interface: Te0/0/0/6 (0x208)
     backup-next-hop: fe80::2/128
     ipv6 nhinfo [0x977397d0 protect-frr: 0x98c830b0]
```

```
Update Time Dec 9 17:29:42.429
```

# **Configuring SRv6 IS-IS Microloop Avoidance**

This feature introduces support for implementing microloop avoidance using IS-IS SRv6.

Microloops are brief packet loops that occur in the network following a topology change (link down, link up, or metric change events). Microloops are caused by the non-simultaneous convergence of different nodes in the network. If nodes converge and send traffic to a neighbor node that has not converged yet, traffic may be looped between these two nodes, resulting in packet loss, jitter, and out-of-order packets.

The SRv6 Microloop Avoidance feature detects if microloops are possible following a topology change. If a node computes that a microloop could occur on the new topology, the node creates a loop-free SR-TE policy path to the destination using a list of segments. After the RIB update delay timer expires, the SR-TE policy is replaced with regular forwarding paths.

## **Restrictions and Usage Guidelines**

The following restrictions and usage guidelines apply:

• The Routing Information Base (RIB) update delay value specifies the amount of time the node uses the microloop avoidance policy before updating its forwarding table. The *delay-time* range is from 1 to 60000 milliseconds; the default value is 5000.

## Configuring SRv6 IS-IS Microloop Avoidance

The following example shows how to configure SRv6 IS-IS Microloop Avoidance and set the Routing Information Base (RIB) update delay value.



Note

Complete the Configuring SRv6 before performing these steps.

```
Router(config) # router isis test-igp
Router(config-isis) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-af) # microloop avoidance segment-routing
Router(config-isis-af) # microloop avoidance rib-update-delay 2000
Router(config-isis-af) # commit
```

#### Configuring SRv6 IS-IS Microloop Avoidance with Flexible Algorithm

Microloop Avoidance paths for particular Flexible Algorithm are computed using the same constraints as the calculation of the primary paths for such Flexible Algorithm. These paths use Prefix-SIDs advertised specifically for such Flexible Algorithm in order to enforce a microloop avoidance path.

The following example shows how to configure SRv6 IS-IS Microloop Avoidance with Flexible Algorithm.

```
Router(config) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-srv6) # locators
Router(config-srv6-locators) # locator myLoc1
Router(config-srv6-locator) # prefix 2001:db8:1:a2::/64
Router(config-srv6-locator) # algorithm 128
```

```
Router(config-srv6-locator) # root

Router(config) # router isis test-uloop
Router(config-isis) # flex-algo 128
Router(config-isis-flex-algo) # exit
Router(config-isis) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Router(config-isis-af) # microloop avoidance segment-routing
Router(config-isis-af) # segment-routing srv6
Router(config-isis-srv6) # locator myLoc1
Router(config-isis-srv6-loc) # commit
```

Use the **microloop avoidance disable** command to disable the microloop calculation on a per-algorithm basis:

```
Router(config) # router isis test-tilfa
Router(config-isis) # flex-algo 128
Router(config-isis-flex-algo) # microloop avoidance disable
```

# **SRv6 Services: IPv4 L3VPN**

The SRv6-based IPv4 L3VPN feature enables deployment of IPv4 L3VPN over a SRv6 data plane. Traditionally, it was done over an MPLS-based system. SRv6-based L3VPN uses SRv6 Segment IDs (SIDs) for service segments instead of labels. SRv6-based L3VPN functionality interconnects multiple sites to resemble a private network service over public infrastructure. To use this feature, you must configure SRv6-base.

For this feature, BGP allocates an SRv6 SID from the locator space, configured under SRv6-base and VPNv4 address family. For more information on this, refer Segment Routing over IPv6 Overview, on page 5. The BGP SID can be allocated in the following ways:

- Per-VRF mode that provides End.DT4 support. End.DT4 represents the Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv4 table lookup.
- Per-CE mode that provides End.DX4 cross connect support. End.DX4 represents the Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv4 cross-connect.

BGP encodes the SRv6 SID in the prefix-SID attribute of the IPv4 L3VPN Network Layer Reachability Information (NLRI) and advertises it to IPv6 peering over an SRv6 network. The Ingress PE (provider edge) router encapsulates the VRF IPv4 traffic with the SRv6 VPN SID and sends it over the SRv6 network.

#### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- SRv6 locator can be assigned globally, for all VRFs, or for an individual VRF.
- Equal-Cost Multi-path (ECMP) and Unequal Cost Multipath (UCMP) are supported.
- BGP, OSPF, Static are supported as PE-CE protocol.

#### Configuring SRv6 based IPv4 L3VPN

To enable SRv6-based L3VPN, you need to configure SRv6 under BGP and configure the SID allocation mode. The following example shows how to configure SRv6-based L3VPN:

## Configure an Individual VRF with Per-VRF Label Allocation Mode

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-af)# vrf vrf1
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf)# rd 106:1
```

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-af)# segment-routing srv6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-af-srv6)# alloc mode per-vrf
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-af-srv6)# exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-af)# exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf)# neighbor 10.1.2.2
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-nbr)# remote-as 100
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-nbr)# address-family ipv4 unicast
```

#### Configure an Individual VRF with Per-CE Label Allocation Mode

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-af) # vrf vrf2
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf) # rd 106:2
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf) # address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-af) # segment-routing srv6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-af-srv6) # alloc mode per-ce
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-af-srv6) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-af) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf) # neighbor 10.1.2.2
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-nbr) # remote-as 100
RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config-bgp-vrf-nbr) # address-family ipv4 unicast
```

#### Verification

The following example shows how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configuration using the **show segment-routing srv6 sid** command.

In this example, End.X represents Endpoint function with Layer-3 cross-connect, End.DT4 represents Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv4 table lookup, and End.DX4 represents Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv4 cross-connect.

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:SRv6-Hub6# show segment-routing srv6 sid
*** Locator: 'my locator' ***
SID
                           Function
                                                                           Owner
                                        Context
    State RW
cafe:0:0:66:1::
                           End (PSP)
                                        'my locator':1
                                                                           sidmgr
    InUse Y
cafe:0:0:66:40::
                           End.X (PSP) [Te0/0/0/2, Link-Local]
                                                                          isis-srv6
    InUse Y
cafe:0:0:66:41::
                           End.X (PSP)
                                        [BE6801, Link-Local]
                                                                          isis-srv6
    InUse Y
                                        [BE5601, Link-Local]
cafe:0:0:66:42::
                           End.X (PSP)
                                                                           isis-srv6
    InUse Y
                           End.X (PSP)
                                        [BE5602, Link-Local]
cafe:0:0:66:43::
                                                                          isis-srv6
    InUse Y
cafe:0:0:66:44::
                           End.DT4
                                         'VRF1'
                                                                          bgp-100
    InUse Y
cafe:0:0:66:45::
                           End.DT4
                                         'VRF2'
                                                                          bgp-100
    InUse Y
cafe:0:0:66:46::
                           End.DX4
                                         'VRF2':3
                                                                          bgp-100
    InUse Y
cafe:0:0:66:47::
                           End.DX4
                                         'VRF2':4
                                                                          bgp-100
    InUse Y
```

The following example shows how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configuration using the **show segment-routing srv6***SID-prefix***detail** command.

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:SRv6-Hub6# show segment-routing srv6 sid cafe:0:0:66:44:: detail

```
Sun Dec 9 16:52:54.015 EST
*** Locator: 'my_locator' ***
                          Function
                                      Context
                                                                        Owner
    State RW
                                       'VRF1'
cafe:0:0:66:44::
                          End.DT4
                                                                        bgp-100
   InUse Y
 SID context: { table-id=0xe0000001 ('VRF1':IPv4/Unicast) }
 Locator: 'my locator'
 Allocation type: Dynamic
 Created: Dec 8 16:34:32.506 (1d00h ago)
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:SRv6-Hub6# show segment-routing srv6 sid cafe:0:0:66:47:: detail
Sun Dec 9 16:54:26.073 EST
*** Locator: 'my_locator' ***
SID
                          Function
                                                                        Owner
                                      Context
    State RW
cafe:0:0:66:47::
                         End.DX4
                                      'VRF2':4
                                                                        bgp-100
    InUse Y
 SID context: { table-id=0xe0000002 ('VRF2':IPv4/Unicast), nh-set-id=4 }
 Locator: 'my locator'
 Allocation type: Dynamic
 Created: Dec 9 16:49:44.714 (00:04:41 ago)
```

The following example shows how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configuration using the **show bgp vpnv4 unicast rd***route-distinguisher/prefix* command on Egress PE.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:SRv6-Hub6# show bgp vpnv4 unicast rd 106:1 10.15.0.0/30
Wed Nov 21 16:08:44.765 EST
BGP routing table entry for 10.15.0.0/30, Route Distinguisher: 106:1
Versions:
 Process
                  bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
                   2282449 2282449
 Speaker
   SRv6-VPN SID: cafe:0:0:66:44::/128
Last Modified: Nov 21 15:50:34.235 for 00:18:10
Paths: (2 available, best #1)
 Advertised to peers (in unique update groups):
 Path #1: Received by speaker 0
 Advertised to peers (in unique update groups):
   2::2
  200
   10.1.2.2 from 10.1.2.2 (10.7.0.1)
     Origin IGP, localpref 200, valid, internal, best, group-best, import-candidate
     Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 2276228
     Extended community: RT:201:1
  Path #2: Received by speaker 0
  Not advertised to any peer
  200
    10.2.2.2 from 10.2.2.2 (10.20.1.2)
     Origin IGP, localpref 100, valid, internal
      Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 0, version 0
     Extended community: RT:201:1
```

The following example shows how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configuration using the **show bgp vpnv4 unicast rd***route-distinguisher prefix* command on Ingress PE.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:SRv6-LF1# show bgp vpnv4 unicast rd 106:1 10.15.0.0/30 Wed Nov 21 16:11:45.538 EST BGP routing table entry for 10.15.0.0/30, Route Distinguisher: 106:1
```

```
Versions:
                   bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
  Process
 Speaker
                    2286222
                               2286222
Last Modified: Nov 21 15:47:26.288 for 00:24:19
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
  Not advertised to any peer
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
 Not advertised to any peer
  200, (received & used)
    6::6 (metric 24) from 2::2 (6.6.6.6)
     Received Label 3
     Origin IGP, localpref 200, valid, internal, best, group-best, import-candidate,
not-in-vrf
     Received Path ID 1, Local Path ID 1, version 2286222
      Extended community: RT:201:1
     Originator: 6.6.6.6, Cluster list: 2.2.2.2
      SRv6-VPN-SID: T1-cafe:0:0:66:44:: [total 1]
```

The following example shows how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configuration using the **show route vrf***vrf*-*name/prefix***detail** command.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:SRv6-LF1# show route vrf VRF1 10.15.0.0/30 detail
Wed Nov 21 16:35:17.775 EST
Routing entry for 10.15.0.0/30
 Known via "bgp 100", distance 200, metric 0
  Tag 200, type internal
  Installed Nov 21 16:35:14.107 for 00:00:03
  Routing Descriptor Blocks
    6::6, from 2::2
      Nexthop in Vrf: "default", Table: "default", IPv6 Unicast, Table Id: 0xe0800000
      Route metric is 0
      Label: None
      Tunnel ID: None
      Binding Label: None
      Extended communities count: 0
      Source RD attributes: 0x0000:106:1
      NHID: 0x0 (Ref:0)
      SRv6 Headend: H.Encaps.Red [base], SID-list { cafe:0:0:66:44:: }
     MPLS eid:0x1380600000001
  Route version is 0xd (13)
  No local label
  IP Precedence: Not Set
  QoS Group ID: Not Set
  Flow-tag: Not Set
  Fwd-class: Not Set
  Route Priority: RIB PRIORITY RECURSIVE (12) SVD Type RIB SVD TYPE REMOTE
  Download Priority 3, Download Version 3038384
  No advertising protos.
```

The following example shows how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configuration for per-ce allocation mode using the **show bgp vrf***vrf*-namenexthop-set command.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:SRv6-Hub6# show bgp vrf VRF2 nexthop-set
Wed Nov 21 15:52:17.464 EST
Resilient per-CE nexthop set, ID 3
Number of nexthops 1, Label 0, Flags 0x2200
SRv6-VPN SID: cafe:0:0:66:46::/128
Nexthops:
10.1.2.2
Reference count 1,
Resilient per-CE nexthop set, ID 4
Number of nexthops 2, Label 0, Flags 0x2100
SRv6-VPN SID: cafe:0:0:66:47::/128
```

```
Nexthops:
10.1.2.2
10.2.2.2
Reference count 2,
```

The following example shows how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configuration using the **show cef vrf***vrf*-name prefix **detail location**line-card command.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:SRv6-LF1# show cef vrf VRF1 10.15.0.0/30 detail location 0/0/cpu0
Wed Nov 21 16:37:06.894 EST
151.1.0.0/30, version 3038384, SRv6 Transit, internal 0x5000001 0x0 (ptr 0x9ae6474c) [1],
0x0 (0x0), 0x0 (0x8c11b238)
Updated Nov 21 16:35:14.109
 Prefix Len 30, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 3
  gateway array (0x8cd85190) reference count 1014, flags 0x2010, source rib (7), 0 backups
                [1 type 3 flags 0x40441 (0x8a529798) ext 0x0 (0x0)]
  LW-LDI[type=0, refc=0, ptr=0x0, sh-ldi=0x0]
  gateway array update type-time 1 Nov 21 14:47:26.816
 LDI Update time Nov 21 14:52:53.073
  Level 1 - Load distribution: 0
  [0] via cafe:0:0:66::/128, recursive
  via cafe:0:0:66::/128, 7 dependencies, recursive [flags 0x6000]
   path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0x8acb53cc 0x0]
   next hop VRF - 'default', table - 0xe0800000
   next hop cafe:0:0:66::/128 via cafe:0:0:66::/64
    SRv6 H.Encaps.Red SID-list {cafe:0:0:66:44::}
    Load distribution: 0 (refcount 1)
   Hash OK Interface
                                        Address
         Y Bundle-Ether1201
                                        fe80::2
```

# **SRv6 Services: IPv6 L3VPN**

Building on the messages and procedures defined in IETF draft "BGP/MPLS IP Virtual Private Networks (VPNs)", this feature provides IPv6 L3VPNs (VPNv6) over an SRv6 network.

In SRv6-based L3VPNs, the egress PE signals an SRv6 Service SID with the BGP overlay service route. The ingress PE encapsulates the IPv4/IPv6 payload in an outer IPv6 header where the destination address is the SRv6 Service SID provided by the egress PE. BGP messages between PEs carry SRv6 Service SIDs as a means to interconnect PEs and form VPNs.

SRv6 Service SID refers to a segment identifier associated with one of the SRv6 service-specific behaviors on the advertising VPNv6 PE router, such as END.DT6 (Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv6 table lookup) behaviors.

Based on the messages and procedures defined in IETF draft "SRv6 BGP based Overlay services", BGP encodes the SRv6 Service SID in the prefix-SID attribute of the IPv6 L3VPN Network Layer Reachability Information (NLRI) and advertises it to its IPv6 BGP peers.

BGP allocates an SRv6 Service SID from the locator space, configured under SRv6 and VPNv6 address family. For more information on this, see Segment Routing over IPv6 Overview. The SRv6 Service SID can be allocated in the following ways:

 Per-VRF mode that provides End.DT6 support. End.DT6 represents the Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv6 table lookup.

#### **Usage Guidelines and Restrictions**

- SRv6 locator can be assigned globally, for all VRFs, for an individual VRF, or per-prefix.
- Equal-Cost Multi-path (ECMP) and Unequal Cost Multipath (UCMP) are supported.
- BGP, OSPF, Static are supported as PE-CE protocol.
- Dual-Stack L3VPN Services (IPv4, IPv6) are supported.
- MPLS L3VPN and SRv6 L3VPN interworking gateway is supported.

# Configuring SRv6-based IPv6 L3VPN

To enable SRv6-based L3VPN, you need to configure SRv6 under BGP and configure the SID allocation mode.

The following examples show how to configure SRv6-based L3VPN.

## Configure SRv6 Locator Under BGP Global

This example shows how to configure the SRv6 locator name under BGP Global:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config) # router bgp 100
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp) # segment-routing srv6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-gbl-srv6) # locator Nodel-locator
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-gbl-srv6) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp) # address-family vpnv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-af) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp) # neighbor 3001::1:1:1:4
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 100
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-nbr) # address-family vpnv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-nbr) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-nbr) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp) # vrf vrf_cust6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-vrf) # rd 100:6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-vrf) # address-family ipv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-vrf) # address-family ipv6 unicast
```

#### **Running Configuration**

```
router bgp 100
segment-routing srv6
locator Nodel-locator
!
address-family vpnv6 unicast
!
neighbor 3001::1:1:1:4
remote-as 100
address-family vpnv6 unicast
!
vrf vrf_cust6
rd 100:6
address-family ipv6 unicast
!
!
!
```

#### Configure SRv6 Locator For All VRF Under VPNv6 AFI

This example shows how to configure the SRv6 locator for all VRFs under VPNv6 address family, with per-VRF label allocation mode:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config) # router bgp 100
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp)# address-family vpnv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-af)# vrf all
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-af-vrfall) # segment-routing srv6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-af-vrfall-srv6)# locator Node1-locator
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-af-vrfall-srv6)# alloc mode per-vrf
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-af-vrfall-srv6)# exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-af-vrfall)# exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-af)# exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp)# neighbor 3001::1:1:1:4
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-nbr)# remote-as 100
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-nbr) # address-family vpnv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-nbr-af)# exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-nbr)# exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp)# vrf vrf_cust6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-vrf)# rd 100:6
RP/0/0/CPU0: Nodel(config-bqp-vrf) # address-family ipv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-vrf-af)# commit
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
router bgp 100
address-family vpnv6 unicast
    vrf all
    segment-routing srv6
    locator Nodel-locator
    alloc mode per-vrf
    !
    !
    neighbor 3001::1:1:1:4
    remote-as 100
    address-family vpnv6 unicast
    !
    vrf vrf_cust6
    rd 100:6
    address-family ipv6 unicast
    !
    !
    !
    end
```

#### Configure an Individual VRF with Per-VRF Label Allocation Mode

This example shows how to configure the SRv6 locator for an individual VRF, with per-VRF label allocation mode:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config) # router bgp 100
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp) # address-family vpnv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-af) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp) # neighbor 3001::1:1:1:4
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 100
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-nbr) # address-family vpnv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-nbr-af) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-nbr) # exit
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp) # vrf vrf_cust6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Node1(config-bgp-vrf) # rd 100:6
```

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-vrf) # address-family ipv6 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-vrf-af) # segment-routing srv6
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-vrf-af-srv6) # locator Nodel-locator
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-vrf-af-srv6) # alloc mode per-vrf
RP/0/0/CPU0:Nodel(config-bgp-vrf-af-srv6) # commit
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
router bap 100
address-family vpnv6 unicast
neighbor 3001::1:1:1:4
 remote-as 100
 address-family vpnv6 unicast
vrf vrf cust6
 rd 100:6
 address-family ipv6 unicast
  segment-routing srv6
   locator Node1-locator
   alloc mode per-vrf
  .
 1
 !
1
end
```

#### Verification

The following examples shows how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configurations for an Individual VRF with per VRF label allocation mode.

In this example, End.X represents Endpoint function with Layer-3 cross-connect, and End.DT6 represents Endpoint with decapsulation and IPv6 table lookup.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show segment-routing srv6 sid
Fri Jan 15 18:58:04.911 UTC
*** Locator: 'Node1-locator' ***
SID
                          Behavior
                                            Context
                                                                             Owner
         State RW
                                                                             sidmgr
cafe:0:0:1:1::
                          End (PSP)
                                            'default':1
        InUse Y
cafe:0:0:1:40::
                          End.X (PSP)
                                          [Hu0/0/0/0, Link-Local]
                                                                             isis-1
         InUse Y
                                            [Hu0/0/0/1, Link-Local]
                                                                             isis-1
cafe:0:0:1:41::
                           End.X (PSP)
        InUse Y
cafe:0:0:1:47::
                                            [Hu0/0/0/0, Link-Local]:P
                          End.X (PSP)
                                                                             isis-1
        InUse Y
cafe:0:0:1:48::
                          End.X (PSP)
                                            [Hu0/0/0/1, Link-Local]:P
                                                                             isis-1
         InUse Y
                                            'default'
cafe:0:0:1:49::
                          End.DT6
                                                                             bgp-100
         InUse Y
cafe:0:0:1:4a::
                          End.DT6
                                            'vrf cust6'
                                                                             bqp-100
         InUse Y
```

The following examples show how to verify the SRv6 based L3VPN configuration using the **show bgp vpnv6 unicast** commands on the Ingress PE.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show bgp vpnv6 unicast summary
Fri Jan 15 18:37:04.791 UTC
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.1, local AS number 100
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0x0 RD version: 0
BGP main routing table version 21
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 4 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
BGP is operating in STANDALONE mode.
             RcvTblVer bRIB/RIB LabelVer ImportVer SendTblVer StandbyVer
Process
Speaker
               21
                        21
                                   21 21
                                                        21
                                          TblVer InQ OutQ Up/Down St/PfxRcd
Neighbor
               Spk
                     AS MsaRcvd MsaSent
                                                  0 0 01:46:26
3001::1:1:1:4
                0
                    100
                          1352
                                 1352
                                              21
                 0
                                    1351
3001::1:1:5
                    100
                            1351
                                              21
                                                    0
                                                        0 01:44:47
                                                                             1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show bgp vpnv6 unicast rd 100:6
Fri Jan 15 18:38:02.919 UTC
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.1, local AS number 100
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0x0 RD version: 0
BGP main routing table version 21
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 4 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
           i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
 Net.work
                    Next Hop
                                       Metric LocPrf Weight Path
Route Distinguisher: 100:6 (default for vrf vrf cust6)
*> 3001::12:1:1:1/128 ::
                                             0
                                                       32768 ?
*>i3001::12:1:1:4/128 3001::1:1:1:4
                                                        0 3
                                             Ω
                                                  100
*>i3001::12:1:1:5/128 3001::1:1:1:5
                                                100
                                                           0 ?
Processed 3 prefixes, 3 paths
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show bgp vpnv6 unicast rd 100:6 3001::12:1:1:4/128
Fri Jan 15 18:38:26.492 UTC
BGP routing table entry for 3001::12:1:1:4/128, Route Distinguisher: 100:6
Versions:
                 bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
 Process
 Speaker
                         17
Last Modified: Jan 15 16:50:44.032 for 01:47:43
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
 Not advertised to any peer
 Path #1: Received by speaker 0
 Not advertised to any peer
 Local, (received & used)
   3001::1:1:1:4 (metric 30) from 3001::1:1:1:4 (10.1.1.4)
     Received Label 0x4900
     Origin incomplete, metric 0, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best,
import-candidate, imported
     Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 17
     Extended community: RT:100:6
     PSID-Type:L3, SubTLV Count:1
```

```
SubTLV:
        T:1(Sid information), Sid:cafe:0:0:4::, Behavior:18, SS-TLV Count:1
        SubSubTLV:
         T:1(Sid structure):
      Source AFI: VPNv6 Unicast, Source VRF: vrf cust6, Source Route Distinguisher: 100:6
The following examples show how to verify the BGP prefix information for VRF instances:
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show bgp vrf vrf_cust6 ipv6 unicast
Fri Jan 15 18:38:49.705 UTC
BGP VRF vrf cust6, state: Active
BGP Route Distinguisher: 100:6
VRF TD: 0x60000008
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.1, local AS number 100
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0xe0800017
                      RD version: 21
BGP main routing table version 21
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 4 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
              i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
                    Next Hop
                                        Metric LocPrf Weight Path
  Network
Route Distinguisher: 100:6 (default for vrf vrf cust6)
*> 3001::12:1:1/128 ::
                                              0
                                                         32768 ?
*>i3001::12:1:1:4/128 3001::1:1:1:4
                                                    100
                                                            0 ?
                                              0
*>i3001::12:1:1:5/128 3001::1:1:1:5
                                              0
                                                    100
                                                             0 ?
Processed 3 prefixes, 3 paths
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show bgp vrf vrf cust6 ipv6 unicast 3001::12:1:1:4/128
Fri Jan 15 18:39:05.115 UTC
BGP routing table entry for 3001::12:1:1:4/128, Route Distinguisher: 100:6
Versions:
                    bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
 Process
                         17
 Speaker
                                     17
Last Modified: Jan 15 16:50:44.032 for 01:48:21
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
  Not advertised to any peer
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
 Not advertised to any peer
 Local, (received & used)
    3001::1:1:1:4 (metric 30) from 3001::1:1:1:4 (10.1.1.4)
      Received Label 0x4900
     Origin incomplete, metric 0, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best,
import-candidate, imported
     Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 17
      Extended community: RT:100:6
     PSID-Type:L3, SubTLV Count:1
      SubTLV:
        T:1(Sid information), Sid:cafe:0:0:4::, Behavior:18, SS-TLV Count:1
```

### The following examples show how to verify the current routes in the Routing Information Base (RIB):

Source AFI: VPNv6 Unicast, Source VRF: vrf cust6, Source Route Distinguisher: 100:6

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Nodel# show route vrf vrf_cust6 ipv6 unicast
Fri Jan 15 18:39:20.619 UTC
Codes: C - connected, S - static, R - RIP, B - BGP, (>) - Diversion path
```

SubSubTLV:

T:1(Sid structure):

```
D - EIGRP, EX - EIGRP external, O - OSPF, IA - OSPF inter area
      N1 - OSPF NSSA external type 1, N2 - OSPF NSSA external type 2
      E1 - OSPF external type 1, E2 - OSPF external type 2, E - EGP
       i - ISIS, L1 - IS-IS level-1, L2 - IS-IS level-2
       ia - IS-IS inter area, su - IS-IS summary null, * - candidate default
       U - per-user static route, o - ODR, L - local, G - DAGR, l - LISP
      A - access/subscriber, a - Application route
      M - mobile route, r - RPL, t - Traffic Engineering, (!) - FRR Backup path
Gateway of last resort is not set
     3001::12:1:1:1/128 is directly connected,
     21:14:10, Loopback105
     3001::12:1:1:4/128
      [200/0] via 3001::1:1:1:4 (nexthop in vrf default), 01:48:36
     3001::12:1:1:5/128
B
      [200/0] via 3001::1:1:1:5 (nexthop in vrf default), 01:46:56
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show route vrf vrf_cust6 ipv6 unicast 3001::12:1:1:4/128
Fri Jan 15 18:39:39.689 UTC
Routing entry for 3001::12:1:1:4/128
  Known via "bgp 100", distance 200, metric 0, type internal
  Installed Jan 15 16:50:44.381 for 01:48:55
 Routing Descriptor Blocks
    3001::1:1:1:4, from 3001::1:1:1:4
      Nexthop in Vrf: "default", Table: "default", IPv6 Unicast, Table Id: 0xe0800000
      Route metric is 0
  No advertising protos.
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show route vrf vrf cust6 ipv6 unicast 3001::12:1:1:4/128 detail
Fri Jan 15 18:39:51.573 UTC
Routing entry for 3001::12:1:1:4/128
  Known via "bgp 100", distance 200, metric 0, type internal
  Installed Jan 15 16:50:44.381 for 01:49:07
  Routing Descriptor Blocks
    3001::1:1:1:4, from 3001::1:1:1:4
      Nexthop in Vrf: "default", Table: "default", IPv6 Unicast, Table Id: 0xe0800000
      Route metric is 0
      Label: None
      Tunnel ID: None
      Binding Label: None
      Extended communities count: 0
      Source RD attributes: 0x0000:100:6
      NHID: 0x0 (Ref:0)
     SRv6 Headend: H.Encaps.Red [base], SID-list {cafe:0:0:4:49::}
  Route version is 0x1 (1)
  No local label
  IP Precedence: Not Set
  QoS Group ID: Not Set
  Flow-tag: Not Set
  Fwd-class: Not Set
  Route Priority: RIB PRIORITY RECURSIVE (12) SVD Type RIB SVD TYPE REMOTE
  Download Priority 3, Download Version 3
  No advertising protos.
The following examples show how to verify the current IPv6 Cisco Express Forwarding (CEF) table:
```

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show cef vrf vrf\_cust6 ipv6

```
default handler
drop
```

```
3001::12:1:1:1/128
 receive Loopback105
3001::12:1:1:4/128
  recursive
             cafe:0:0:4::/128
3001::12:1:1:5/128
             cafe:0:0:5::/128
  recursive
fe80::/10
 receive
ff02::/16
 receive
ff02::2/128
  receive
ff02::1:ff00:0/104
  receive
ff05::/16
 receive
ff12::/16
 receive
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show cef vrf vrf cust6 ipv6 3001::12:1:1:4/128
Fri Jan 15 18:40:28.853 UTC
3001::12:1:1:4/128, version 3, SRv6 Headend, internal 0x5000001 0x30 (ptr 0x78f2e0e0) [1],
 0x0 (0x0), 0x0 (0x8886b768)
Updated Jan 15 16:50:44.385
Prefix Len 128, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 3
  via cafe:0:0:4::/128, 9 dependencies, recursive [flags 0x6000]
   path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0x78a0f504 0x0]
    next hop VRF - 'default', table - 0xe0800000
    next hop cafe:0:0:4::/128 via cafe:0:0:4::/64
    SRv6 H.Encaps.Red SID-list {cafe:0:0:4:49::}
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show cef vrf vrf_cust6 ipv6 3001::12:1:1:4/128 detail
Fri Jan 15 18:40:55.327 UTC
3001::12:1:1:4/128, version 3, SRv6 Headend, internal 0x5000001 0x30 (ptr 0x78f2e0e0) [1],
 0x0 (0x0), 0x0 (0x8886b768)
Updated Jan 15 16:50:44.385
 Prefix Len 128, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 3
 gateway array (0x7883b320) reference count 1, flags 0x2010, source rib (7), 0 backups
                [1 type 3 flags 0x48441 (0x788e6ad8) ext 0x0 (0x0)]
  LW-LDI[type=0, refc=0, ptr=0x0, sh-ldi=0x0]
  gateway array update type-time 1 Jan 15 16:50:44.385
 LDI Update time Jan 15 16:50:44.385
  Level 1 - Load distribution: 0
  [0] via cafe:0:0:4::/128, recursive
  via cafe:0:0:4::/128, 9 dependencies, recursive [flags 0x6000]
   path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0x78a0f504 0x0]
    next hop VRF - 'default', table - 0xe0800000
    next hop cafe:0:0:4::/128 via cafe:0:0:4::/64
    SRv6 H.Encaps.Red SID-list {cafe:0:0:4:49::}
   Load distribution: 0 1 (refcount 1)
   Hash OK Interface
                                        Address
         Y
              HundredGigE0/0/0/0
                                        remote
    1
         Y
             HundredGigE0/0/0/1
                                        remote
```

# SRv6 Services: IPv4 L3VPN Active-Standby Redundancy using Port-Active Mode

The Segment Routing IPv6 (SRv6) Services: IPv4 L3VPN Active-Standby Redundancy using Port-Active Mode feature provides all-active per-port load balancing for multihoming. The forwarding of traffic is determined based on a specific interface rather than per-flow across multiple Provider Edge routers. This feature enables efficient load-balancing and provides faster convergence. In an active-standby scenario, the active PE router is detected using designated forwarder (DF) election by modulo calculation and the interface of the standby PE router brought down. For Modulo calculation, byte 10 of the Ethernet Segment Identifier (ESI) is used.

### **Usage Guidelines and Restrictions**

- This feature can only be configured for bundle interfaces.
- When an EVPN Ethernet Segment (ES) is configured with port-active load-balancing mode, you cannot configure ACs of that bundle on bridge-domains with a configured EVPN instance (EVI). EVPN Layer 2 bridging service is not compatible with port-active load-balancing.

# SRv6 Services for L3VPN Active-Standby Redundancy using Port-Active Mode: Operation

Under port-active operational mode, EVPN Ethernet Segment (ES) routes are exchanged across BGP for the routers servicing the multihomed ES. Each PE router then builds an ordered list of the IP addresses of all PEs connected to the ES, including itself, and assigns itself an ordinal for its position in the list. The ordinals are used with the modulo calculation to determine which PE will be the Designated Forwarder (DF) for a given ES. All non-DF PEs will take the respective bundles out of service.

In the case of link or port failure, the active DF PE withdraws its ES route. This re-triggers DF election for all PEs that service the ES and a new PE is elected as DF.

## Configure SRv6 Services L3VPN Active-Standby Redundancy using Port-Active Mode

This section describes how you can configure SRv6 services L3VPN active-standby redundancy using port-active mode under an Ethernet Segment (ES).

### **Configuration Example**

```
/* Configure Ethernet Link Bundles */
Router# configure
Router(config) # interface Bundle-Ether10
Router(config-if) # ipv4 address 10.0.0.2 255.255.255.0
Router(config-if) # ipv6 address 2001:DB8::1
Router(config-if) # lacp period short
Router(config-if) # mac-address 1.2.3
Router(config-if) # bundle wait-while 0
Router(config-if) # exit
```

```
Router(config) # interface GigabitEthernet 0/2/0/5
Router(config-if)# bundle id 14 mode active
Router(config-if)# commit
/* Configure load balancing. */
Router# configure
Router(config) # evpn
Router(config-evpn) # interface Bundle-Ether10
Router(config-evpn-ac)# ethernet-segment
\texttt{Router}(\texttt{config-evpn-ac-es}) \ \texttt{#} \ \ \textbf{identifier type 0 11.11.11.11.11.11.11.11.14}
Router(config-evpn-ac-es)# load-balancing-mode port-active
Router(config-evpn-ac-es) # commit
/* Configure address family session in BGP. */
Router# configure
Router(config) # router bgp 100
Router(config-bgp) # bgp router-id 192.168.0.2
Router(config-bgp) # address-family 12vpn evpn
Router(config-bgp) # neighbor 192.168.0.3
Router(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 200
Router(config-bgp-nbr)# update-source Loopback 0
Router(config-bgp-nbr)# address-family 12vpn evpn
Router(config-bgp-nbr) # commit
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
interface Bundle-Ether14
ipv4 address 14.0.0.2 255.255.255.0
 ipv6 address 14::2/64
lacp period short
mac-address 1.2.3
bundle wait-while 0
interface GigabitEthernet0/2/0/5
bundle id 14 mode active
evpn
interface Bundle-Ether14
 ethernet-segment
  identifier type 0 11.11.11.11.11.11.14
  load-balancing-mode port-active
 !
router bgp 100
bgp router-id 192.168.0.2
address-family 12vpn evpn
neighbor 192.168.0.3
 remote-as 100
 update-source Loopback0
 address-family 12vpn evpn
```

### **Verification**

Verify the SRv6 services L3VPN active-standby redundancy using port-active mode configuration.

```
/* Verify ethernet-segment details on active DF router */
```

```
Router# show evpn ethernet-segment interface Bundle-Ether14 detail
Ethernet Segment Id Interface
0011.1111.1111.1111.1114 BE14
                                                          192.168.0.2
                                                            192.168.0.3
   ES to BGP Gates
                    : Readv
  ES to L2FIB Gates : Ready
 Main port :
    Interface name : Bundle-Ether14
    Interface MAC : 0001.0002.0003
    IfHandle : 0x000041d0
    State : Up
Redundancy : Not Defined
  ESI type : 0

Value : 11.1111.1111.1111.1114
 ES Import RT : 1111.1111.1111 (from ESI)
Source MAC : 0000.0000.0000 (N/A)
Topology
  Topology
    Operational : MH
    Configured : Port-Active
  Service Carving : Auto-selection
                : Disabled
    Multicast
  Peering Details
    192.168.0.2 [MOD:P:00]
    192.168.0.3 [MOD:P:00]
  Service Carving Results:
    Forwarders : 0
    Permanent : 0
Elected : 0
    Not Elected : 0
  MAC Flushing mode : STP-TCN
  Peering timer : 3 sec [not running]
                  : 30 sec [not running]
: 0 sec [not running]
  Recovery timer
  Carving timer
  Local SHG label : None
  Remote SHG labels : 0
/* Verify bundle Ethernet configuration on active DF router */
Router# show bundle bundle-ether 14
Bundle-Ether14
 Status:
                                             Up
 Local links <active/standby/configured>: 1 / 0 / 1 \,
 Local bandwidth <effective/available>:
                                             1000000 (1000000) kbps
 MAC address (source):
                                            0001.0002.0003 (Configured)
 Inter-chassis link:
                                            Nο
 Minimum active links / bandwidth:
                                            1 / 1 kbps
 Maximum active links:
                                             64
 Wait while timer:
                                             Off
 Load balancing:
   Link order signaling:
                                            Not configured
   Hash type:
                                            Default
   Locality threshold:
                                            None
                                            Operational
 LACP:
   Flap suppression timer:
                                             Off
   Cisco extensions:
                                            Disabled
   Non-revertive:
                                            Disabled
 mLACP:
                                            Not configured
 IPv4 BFD:
                                             Not configured
 IPv6 BFD:
                                             Not configured
                       Device
                                        State
                                                    Port ID
                                                                     B/W, kbps
```

```
Gi0/2/0/5
                      Local
                                   Active 0x8000, 0x0003
                                                                       1000000
     Link is Active
/* Verify ethernet-segment details on standby DF router */
Router# show evpn ethernet-segment interface bundle-ether 10 detail
Router# show evpn ethernet-segment interface Bundle-Ether24 detail
Ethernet Segment Id Interface
                                                           192.168.0.2
0011.1111.1111.1111.1114 BE24
                                                           192.168.0.3
  ES to BGP Gates : Ready
 ES to L2FIB Gates : Ready
 Main port
                  :
    Interface name : Bundle-Ether24
    Interface MAC : 0001.0002.0003
    IfHandle : 0x000041b0
                  : Standby
    State
    Redundancy : Not Defined
 ESI type : 0
    Value : 11.1111.1111.11114
ES Import RT : 1111.1111.1111 (from ESI)
Source MAC : 0000.0000.0000 (N/A)
Topology :
  Topology
    Operational : MH
    Configured
                   : Port-Active
  Service Carving : Auto-selection
                   : Disabled
   Multicast
  Peering Details
    192.168.0.2 [MOD:P:00]
    192.168.0.3 [MOD:P:00]
  Service Carving Results:
    Forwarders : 0
    Permanent
                  : 0
    Elected
    Not Elected
                   : 0
  MAC Flushing mode : STP-TCN
  Peering timer : 3 sec [not running]
  Recovery timer : 30 sec [not running]
  Carving timer : 0 sec [not running]
  Local SHG label : None
  Remote SHG labels : 0
/* Verify bundle configuration on standby DF router */
Router# show bundle bundle-ether 24
Bundle-Ether24
                                            LACP OOS (out of service)
                                            0 / 1 / 1
  Local links <active/standby/configured>:
 Local bandwidth <effective/available>:
                                            0 (0) kbps
  MAC address (source):
                                            0001.0002.0003 (Configured)
  Inter-chassis link:
                                            No
 Minimum active links / bandwidth:
                                            1 / 1 kbps
 Maximum active links:
                                            64
 Wait while timer:
                                            Off
  Load balancing:
                                            Not configured
   Link order signaling:
                                            Default
   Hash type:
   Locality threshold:
                                            None
 TACP:
                                            Operational
   Flap suppression timer:
                                            Off
```

```
Cisco extensions:
                                     Disabled
 Non-revertive:
                                     Disabled
mTACP:
                                     Not configured
IPv4 BFD:
                                     Not configured
IPv6 BFD:
                                     Not configured
                   Device
                                  State
                                             Port ID
                                                          B/W, kbps
Gi0/0/0/4
                  Local
                                 Standby 0x8000, 0x0002 1000000
   Link is in standby due to bundle out of service state
```

### SRv6 Services: BGP Global IPv4

This feature extends support of SRv6-based BGP services to include Internet (IPv4) services by implementing End.DT4 SRv6 functions at the PE node (draft-ietf-bess-srv6-services).

### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- SRv6 locator can be assigned globally or under IPv4 unicast address family
- Equal-Cost Multi-path (ECMP) and Unequal Cost Multipath (UCMP) are supported.
- BGP, OSPF, Static are supported as PE-CE protocol.

### Use Case 1: BGP Global IPv4 Over SRv6 with Per-VRF SID Allocation Mode (End.DT4)

The following example shows how to configure BGP global IPv4 over SRv6 with per-VRF SID allocation.

```
Nodel(config) # router bgp 1
Nodel(config-bgp) # bgp router-id 10.1.0.1
Node1(config-bqp) # address-family ipv4 unicast
Node1(config-bgp-af)# segment-routing srv6
Node1(config-bgp-af-srv6)# locator Node1
Node1(config-bgp-af-srv6) # alloc mode per-vrf
Node1(config-bgp-af-srv6)# exit
Node1(config-bgp-af)# exit
Node1(config-bgp) # neighbor 60::2
Node1(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 1
Node1(config-bgp-nbr) # update-source Loopback1
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr) # address-family ipv4 unicast
Node1(config-bgp-nbr-af)# encapsulation-type srv6
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr-af)# exit
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr)# exit
Node1(config-bgp) # neighbor 52.52.52.1
Node1(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 3
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr) # address-family ipv4 unicast
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr-af)# route-policy passall in
Node1(config-bgp-nbr-af) # route-policy passall out
Node1(config-bgp-nbr-af) # commit
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
router bgp 1
bgp router-id 10.1.0.1
address-family ipv4 unicast
segment-routing srv6
locator Node1
alloc mode per-vrf
'
```

```
!
neighbor 60::2
remote-as 1
update-source Loopback1
address-family ipv4 unicast
encapsulation-type srv6
!
!
neighbor 52.52.52.1
remote-as 3
address-family ipv4 unicast
route-policy passall in
route-policy passall out
!
```

### **SRv6 Services: BGP Global IPv6**

**Table 2: Feature History Table** 

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
SRv6 Services: BGP Global IPv6	Release 7.2.2	With this feature, the egress PE can signal an SRv6 Service SID with the BGP overlay service route. The ingress PE encapsulates the IPv4/IPv6 payload in an outer IPv6 header where the destination address is the SRv6 Service SID provided by the egress PE. BGP messages between PEs carry SRv6 Service SIDs as a means to interconnect PEs.

This feature extends support of SRv6-based BGP services to include Internet (IPv6) services by implementing End.DT6 SRv6 functions at the PE node, as defined in IETF draft "SRv6 BGP based Overlay services".

### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- SRv6 locator can be assigned globally or under IPv4 unicast address family
- Equal-Cost Multi-path (ECMP) and Unequal Cost Multipath (UCMP) are supported.
- BGP, OSPF, Static are supported as PE-CE protocol.

### BGP Global IPv6 Over SRv6 with Per-VRF SID Allocation Mode (End.DT6)

To configure BGP global IPv6 over SRv6, use the following commands:

- router bgp as-number address-family ipv6 unicast segment-routing srv6: Enable SRv6
- router bgp *as-number* address-family ipv6 unicast segment-routing srv6 alloc mode per-vrf: Specify the SID behavior (allocation mode).

The **per-vrf** keyword specifies that the same label is be used for all the routes advertised from a unique VRF.

- router bgp as-number address-family ipv6 unicast segment-routing srv6 locator WORD: Specify
  the locator
- router bgp *as-number* {af-group *WORD*| neighbor-group *WORD*| neighbor *ipv6-addr*} address-family ipv6 unicast encapsulation-type srv6: Specify the encapsulation type for SRv6.
  - Use **af-group** *WORD* to apply the SRv6 encapsulation type to the address family group for BGP neighbors.
  - Use **neighbor-group** *WORD* to apply the SRv6 encapsulation type to the neighbor group for Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) neighbors.
  - Use **neighbor** *ipv6-addr* to apply the SRv6 encapsulation type to the specific BGP neighbor.

### Use Case 1: BGP Global IPv6 over SRv6 with Per-AFI SID Allocation

The following example shows how to configure BGP global IPv6 over SRv6 with per-VRF SID allocation.

```
Nodel(config) # router bgp 100
Nodel(config-bgp) # bgp router-id 10.1.1.1
Nodel(config-bgp) # segment-routing srv6
Node1 (config-bgp-gbl-srv6) # locator Node1
Node1(config-bgp-gbl-srv6)# exit
Node1(config-bgp) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Node1 (config-bgp-af) # segment-routing srv6
Node1(config-bgp-af-srv6)# locator Node1
Node1(config-bgp-af-srv6)# alloc mode per-vrf
Node1(config-bgp-af-srv6)# exit
Nodel(config-bgp-af)# exit
Node1(config-bgp)# neighbor 3001::1:1:4:4
Node1(config-bgp-nbr)# address-family ipv6 unicast
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr-af)# encapsulation-type srv6
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr-af)# exit
Node1(config-bgp-nbr)# exit
Nodel(config-bgp)# neighbor 3001::1:1:5
Node1(config-bqp-nbr) # address-family ipv6 unicast
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr-af)# encapsulation-type srv6
Nodel(config-bgp-nbr-af)# commit
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
router bgp 100
bgp router-id 10.1.1.1
segment-routing srv6
locator Node1
!
address-family ipv6 unicast
segment-routing srv6
locator Node1
alloc mode per-vrf
!
!
neighbor 3001::1:1:1:4
address-family ipv6 unicast
encapsulation-type srv6
!
!
neighbor 3001::1:1:1:5
```

```
address-family ipv6 unicast encapsulation-type srv6
```

#### Verification

The following examples show how to verify the BGP global IPv6 configuration using the **show bgp ipv6** unicast commands.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show bgp ipv6 unicast summary
Fri Jan 15 21:07:04.681 UTC
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.1, local AS number 100
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0xe0800000 RD version: 4
BGP main routing table version 4
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 1 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
BGP is operating in STANDALONE mode.
               RcvTblVer bRIB/RIB LabelVer ImportVer SendTblVer StandbyVer
Process
                              4
Speaker
Neighbor

        Spk
        AS MsgRcvd MsgSent
        TblVer
        InQ OutQ
        Up/Down
        St/PfxRcd

        0
        100
        1502
        1502
        4
        0
        0 04:16:26
        1

        0
        100
        1501
        1501
        4
        0
        0 04:14:47
        1

                Spk
3001::1:1:1:4
3001::1:1:1:5
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show bgp ipv6 unicast
Fri Jan 15 21:07:26.818 UTC
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.1, local AS number 100
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0xe0800000 RD version: 4
BGP main routing table version 4
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 1 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
            i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
 Network
                    Next Hop
                                            Metric LocPrf Weight Path
*> 3001::13:1:1/128 ::
                                               0 32768 i
*>i3001::13:1:1:4/128 3001::1:1:1:4
                                                   0
                                                         100
                                                               0 i
                                                  0 100
                                                                  0 i
*>i3001::13:1:1:5/128 3001::1:1:1:5
Processed 3 prefixes, 3 paths
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show bgp ipv6 unicast 3001::13:1:1:4/128
Fri Jan 15 21:07:50.309 UTC
BGP routing table entry for 3001::13:1:1:4/128
Versions:
  Process
                     bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
                           4
 Speaker
Last Modified: Jan 15 17:13:50.032 for 03:54:01
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
  Not advertised to any peer
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
  Not advertised to any peer
```

```
Local

3001::1:1:1:4 (metric 30) from 3001::1:1:1:4 (10.1.1.4)

Origin IGP, metric 0, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best
Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 4

PSID-Type:L3, SubTLV Count:1

SubTLV:

T:1(Sid information), Sid:cafe:0:0:4:4b::, Behavior:18, SS-TLV Count:1

SubSubTLV:

T:1(Sid structure):
```

The following examples show how to verify the current routes in the Routing Information Base (RIB):

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show route ipv6 3001::13:1:1:4/128
Fri Jan 15 21:08:05.499 UTC
Routing entry for 3001::13:1:1:4/128
  Known via "bgp 100", distance 200, metric 0, type internal
  Installed Jan 15 17:13:50.431 for 03:54:15
  Routing Descriptor Blocks
    3001::1:1:1:4, from 3001::1:1:1:4
     Route metric is 0
  No advertising protos.
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node1# show route ipv6 3001::13:1:1:4/128 detail
Fri Jan 15 21:08:22.628 UTC
Routing entry for 3001::13:1:1:4/128
  Known via "bgp 100", distance 200, metric 0, type internal
  Installed Jan 15 17:13:50.431 for 03:54:32
  Routing Descriptor Blocks
    3001::1:1:1:4, from 3001::1:1:1:4
     Route metric is 0
      Label: None
      Tunnel ID: None
      Binding Label: None
      Extended communities count: 0
      NHID: 0x0 (Ref:0)
      SRv6 Headend: H.Encaps.Red [base], SID-list {cafe:0:0:4:4b::}
  Route version is 0x1 (1)
  No local label
  IP Precedence: Not Set.
  QoS Group ID: Not Set
  Flow-tag: Not Set
  Fwd-class: Not Set
  Route Priority: RIB PRIORITY RECURSIVE (12) SVD Type RIB SVD TYPE LOCAL
  Download Priority 4, Download Version 93
  No advertising protos.
```

The following examples show how to verify the current IPv6 Cisco Express Forwarding (CEF) table:

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Nodel# show cef ipv6 3001::13:1:1:4/128
Fri Jan 15 21:08:41.483 UTC
3001::13:1:1:4/128, version 93, SRv6 Headend, internal 0x5000001 0x40 (ptr 0x78a100d4) [1],
0x0 (0x0), 0x0 (0x8886b840)
Updated Jan 15 17:13:50.433
Prefix Len 128, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 4
   via cafe:0:0:4::/128, 9 dependencies, recursive [flags 0x6000]
   path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0x78a0f504 0x0]
   next hop cafe:0:0:4::/128 via cafe:0:0:4::/64
   SRv6 H.Encaps.Red SID-list {cafe:0:0:4::/64
   SRv6 H.Encaps.Red SID-list {cafe:0:0:4:4b::}

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Nodel# show cef ipv6 3001::13:1:1:4/128 detail
Fri Jan 15 21:08:59.789 UTC
```

```
3001::13:1:1:4/128, version 93, SRv6 Headend, internal 0x5000001 0x40 (ptr 0x78a100d4) [1],
0x0 (0x0), 0x0 (0x8886b840)
Updated Jan 15 17:13:50.433
Prefix Len 128, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 4
 gateway array (0x7883b5d8) reference count 1, flags 0x2010, source rib (7), 0 backups
               [1 type 3 flags 0x48441 (0x788e6c40) ext 0x0 (0x0)]
 LW-LDI[type=0, refc=0, ptr=0x0, sh-ldi=0x0]
 gateway array update type-time 1 Jan 15 17:13:50.433
LDI Update time Jan 15 17:13:50.433
 Level 1 - Load distribution: 0
  [0] via cafe:0:0:4::/128, recursive
  via cafe:0:0:4::/128, 9 dependencies, recursive [flags 0x6000]
   path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0x78a0f504 0x0]
   next hop cafe:0:0:4::/128 via cafe:0:0:4::/64
   SRv6 H.Encaps.Red SID-list {cafe:0:0:4:4b::}
   Load distribution: 0 1 (refcount 1)
   Hash OK Interface
                                       Address
             HundredGigE0/0/0/0
                                       remote
   1
         Y
             HundredGigE0/0/0/1
                                       remote
```

### SRv6 Services: EVPN VPWS — All-Active Multi-Homing

**Table 3: Feature History Table** 

Feature Name	Release	Description
SRv6 Services: EVPN VPWS — All-Active Multi-Homing	Release 7.2.2	This feature provides an ELINE (P2P) service with all-active multihoming capability over an SRv6 network.  All-Active Multi-Homing enables an operator to connect a customer edge (CE) device to two or more provider edge (PE) devices to provide load balancing and redundant connectivity. With All-Active Multi-Homing, all the PEs can forward traffic to and from the multi-homed device.

EVPN VPWS All-Active Multi-Homing over SRv6 provides an ELINE (P2P) service with all-active multihoming capability over an SRv6 network.

All-Active Multi-Homing enables an operator to connect a customer edge (CE) device to two or more provider edge (PE) devices to provide load balancing and redundant connectivity. With All-Active Multi-Homing, all the PEs can forward traffic to and from the multi-homed device.



Note

For information about EVPN VPWS, refer to the "EVPN Virtual Private Wire Service (VPWS)" chapter in the *L2VPN and Ethernet Services Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers*.

### Configuring EVPN VPWS over SRv6

An SRv6 Locator for an EVPN VPWS service can be configured at 3 different levels independently:

- global\_locator is the default locator for all EVPN-VPWS services
- evi\_locator is applied to all EVPN-VPWS services for the specific EVI
- evi service locator is applied to an individual EVI service

When locators are configured at different levels at the same time, the following priority is implemented:

- 1. evi\_service\_locator
- 2. evi locator
- 3. global\_locator

This example shows how to configure an EVPN VPWS over SRv6 using a global locator for EVPN:

```
evpn
segment-routing srv6
locator sample_global_loc

12vpn
xconnect group sample_xcg
p2p sample-vpws-12001-2002
interface Bundle-Ether12001.2002
neighbor evpn evi 12001 service 2002 segment-routing srv6
```

This example shows how to configure EVPN VPWS over SRv6 using specific EVI locator:

```
evpn
evi 11001 segment-routing srv6
locator sample_evi_loc

12vpn
xconnect group sample_xcg
p2p sample-vpws-11001-2002
interface Bundle-Ether11001.2002
neighbor evpn evi 11001 service 2002 segment-routing srv6
```

This example shows how to configure an EVPN VPWS over SRv6 using a locator for an individual EVI service:

```
12vpn
xconnect group sample_xcg
p2p sample-vpws-11001-2001
interface Bundle-Ether11001.2001
neighbor evpn evi 11001 service 2001 segment-routing srv6
locator sample_evi_service_loc
```

### Verification

Router# show segment-routing srv6 locator sample\_evi\_loc sid

Mon Aug 12 20:57:07.759 EDT SID State RW	Behavior	Context	Owner
cafe:0:8:1:1::	End (PSP)	'default':1	sidmgr
InUse Y			
cafe:0:8:1:40::	End.DX2	11001:1	12vpn_srv6
InUse Y			
cafe:0:8:1:41::	End.DX2	11001:2	12vpn_srv6
InUse Y			
cafe:0:8:1:42::	End.DX2	11001:3	12vpn_srv6
InUse Y			
cafe:0:8:1:44::	End.DX2	11001:2002	12vpn_srv6

### Router# show evpn segment-routing srv6 detail

Tue Aug 13 10:30:46.020 EDT

InUse Y

Configured default locator: sample\_global\_loc EVIs with unknown locator config: 0 VPWS with unknown locator config: 0

Locator name	Prefix	OOR	Service count	SID count
<pre>sample_global_loc    Default locator</pre>		False	1	1
sample_evi_loc	cafe:0:8:1::/64	False	4	4
Configured on E	VIs <evi>: 11001</evi>			

### SRv6 OAM — SID Verification

Table 4: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release	Description
SRv6 OAM — SID Verification	Release 7.2.2	This feature provides enhanced Operations, Administration, and Maintenance (OAM) in Segment Routing Networks with IPv6 Data plane (SRv6).
		Existing OAM mechanisms to ping and trace a remote IPv6 prefix, along the shortest path, continue to work without any modification in an SRv6 network.
		However, classic IPv6 OAM cannot be used to ping or trace a remote SRv6 SID function. This feature augments ping and traceroute operations to target remote SRv6 SIDs. An SRv6-enabled router now allocates a new SRv6 OAM SID known as END.OP (OAM Endpoint with Punt).

Use the following commands to performs SRv6 ping and traceroute:

ping B:k:F:: [use-srv6-op-sid [ end.op-sid-value]]

**traceroute** *B:k:F::* [**use-srv6-op-sid** [ *end.op-sid-value*]]

Where B:k:F:: is the target SID at node k with locator block B and function F.

### Ping/Traceroute to SID Without OAM SID

The user can issue ping or traceroute to an SRv6 SID using the classic CLI. A ping or traceroute to an SRv6 SID does not require the user to enter the "use-end-op" keyword when pinging or tracing a SID function. In this case, and as usual, the packet is pre-routed as an ICMP echo request or UDP packet.

### Ping/Traceroute to SID With OAM SID

When ping or traceroute operations include the **use-srv6-op-sid** keyword, the packet is pre-routed with END.OP SID as Destination Address (DA) and the target SID in the SRH.



Note

The END.OP SID value is an optional 128 bit value in IPv6 address format. See **END.OP SID Derivation** below for details on this value.

At the target node, the END.OP SID forces the punt of the packet to the OAM process, which verifies that the next SID is local and valid. If the next SID received by the target node is a local valid address that is not a SID, the target node still replies to indicate ping success. The ping reply contains a subtype to indicate the target was a SID or a local address.

A target remote SID include the following:

- END
- END.DT4/END.DX4 (used by L3 Services over SRv6)

#### **END.OP SID Derivation**

The ingress node can automatically derive the END.OP SID associated with a specified target SID by leveraging the IGP topology database in that node. The database will contain END.OP SIDs from remote nodes.

An END.OP SID associated with a locator will be advertised by IS-IS within an IGP domain in an area/level, which is added to the topology database. However, END.OP SIDs are not redistributed by IS-IS across IGP domains or across different area/level within an IGP domain. In this case, the topology database in a node contains END.OP SIDs only from the nodes within the same IGP domain in an area/level. An END.OP SID cannot be determine automatically if the specified target SID is external to the domain. For target SIDs across IGP domains or across different area/level within an IGP domain, the *end.op-sid-value* must be explicitly provided.

If *end.op-sid-value* is not provided and the END.OP SID cannot be automatically derived, an error is displayed prompting the user to provide the *end.op-sid-value*.

### **Configuration Examples**

The following example shows using ping to a SID without OAM SID.

```
Router# ping cafe:0:0:a3:40::
Wed Jul 24 19:24:50.812 UTC
Type escape sequence to abort.
Sending 5, 100-byte ICMP Echos to cafe:0:0:a3:40::, timeout is 2 seconds:
!!!!!
Success rate is 100 percent (5/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 1/1/2 ms
```

The following example shows using ping to a SID with an OAM SID. Note that the output shows "S" to indicate that this is a response from a SID target.

```
Router# ping cafe:0:0:a3:40:: use-srv6-op-sid
Wed Jul 24 19:24:50.812 UTC
Type escape sequence to abort.
Sending 5, 100-byte ICMP Echos to cafe:0:0:a3:40::, timeout is 2 seconds:
SSSSS
Success rate is 100 percent (5/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 1/1/2 ms
```

The following example shows using ping to a SID with an explicit OAM SID. Note that the output shows "S" to indicate that this is a response from a SID target.

```
Router# ping cafe:0:0:a3:40:: use-srv6-op-sid cafe:0:0:a3:11:: Wed Jul 24 19:24:50.812 UTC
Type escape sequence to abort.
Sending 5, 100-byte ICMP Echos to cafe:0:0:a3:40::, timeout is 2 seconds: SSSSS
Success rate is 100 percent (5/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 1/1/2 ms
```

The following example shows using traceroute to a SID without OAM SID.

```
Router# traceroute cafe:0:0:a3:1::
Wed Jul 24 19:40:19.192 UTC

Type escape sequence to abort.
Tracing the route to cafe:0:0:a3:1::

1 2001::1:1:1:1 2 msec 2 msec 2 msec
2 2001:10:10:13::2 2 msec 2 msec 2 msec
```

The following example shows using traceroute to a SID with OAM SID.

```
Router# traceroute cafe:0:0:a3:40:: use-srv6-op-sid
```

The following example shows using traceroute to a SID with an explicit OAM SID.

```
Router# traceroute cafe:0:0:a3:40:: use-srv6-op-sid cafe:0:0:a3:11::
```

```
Type escape sequence to abort.
Tracing the route to cafe:0:0:a3:40::

1    2001::1:1:1:1
        [IP tunnel: DA=cafe:0:0:a3:11:: SRH Stack 0 = (cafe:0:0:a3:40:: ,SL=1) ] 2
msec
2    2001::33:33:33:33
        [IP tunnel: DA=cafe:0:0:a3:11:: SRH Stack 0 = (cafe:0:0:a3:40:: ,SL=1) ] 3
msec
```

### **DHCPv4 Relay Agent and Proxy Support over SRv6**

This feature introduces support for DHCPv4 Relay Agent and Proxy over SRv6.

An IOS XR router can act as a DHCPv4 relay agent/proxy with a DHCPv4 server connected over an SRv6 network.

The following functionality is supported:

- DHCPv4 relay agent/proxy over SRv6 with DHCPv4 server (helper-address) located in default VRF (global)
- DHCPv4 relay agent/proxy over SRv6 with DHCPv4 server (helper-address) located in non-default VRF
- DHCPv4 relay agent/proxy on interfaces associated with a default VRF (global)
- DHCPv4 relay agent/proxy on interfaces associated with a non-default VRF
- DHCPv4 relay agent/proxy on Ethernet physical interfaces
- DHCPv4 relay agent/proxy on Ethernet bundle interfaces

For information on configuring DHCPv4 relay agent and proxy, refer to the "Implementing the Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol" chapter in the *IP Addresses and Services Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS540 Series Routers*.

### **DHCPv6 Relay Agent Support over SRv6**

**Table 5: Feature History Table** 

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
DHCPv6 Relay Agent Support on SRv6	Release 7.2.2	An IOS XR router can act as a DHCPv6 relay agent with a DHCPv6 server connected over an SRv6 network.  A DHCP relay agent is a host that forwards DHCP packets between clients and servers that do not reside on a shared physical subnet.

This feature introduces support for DHCPv6 Relay Agent over SRv6.

An IOS XR router can act as a DHCPv6 relay agent with a DHCPv6 server connected over an SRv6 network. The following functionality is supported:

- DHCPv6 relay agent over SRv6 with DHCPv6 server (helper-address) located in default VRF (global)
- DHCPv6 relay agent over SRv6 with DHCPv6 server (helper-address) located in non-default VRF
- DHCPv6 relay agent on interfaces associated with a default VRF (global)
- DHCPv6 relay agent on interfaces associated with a non-default VRF
- DHCPv6 relay agent on Ethernet physical interfaces
- DHCPv6 relay agent on Ethernet bundle interfaces

For information on configuring DHCPv6 relay agent, refer to the "Implementing the Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol" chapter in the *IP Addresses and Services Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS540 Series Routers*.

DHCPv6 Relay Agent Support over SRv6



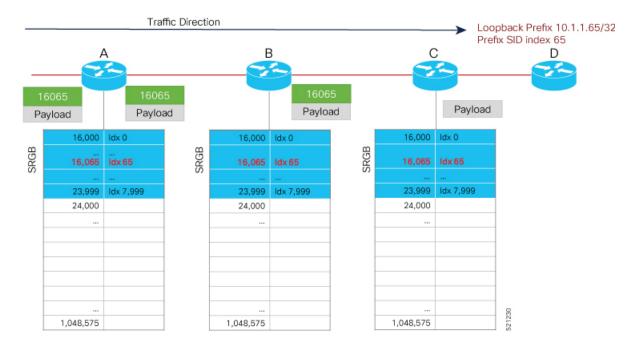
## Configure Segment Routing Global Block and Segment Routing Local Block

Local label allocation is managed by the label switching database (LSD). The Segment Routing Global Block (SRGB) and Segment Routing Local Block (SRLB) are label values preserved for segment routing in the LSD.

- About the Segment Routing Global Block, on page 51
- About the Segment Routing Local Block, on page 53
- Setup a Non-Default Segment Routing Global Block Range, on page 54
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### **About the Segment Routing Global Block**

The Segment Routing Global Block (SRGB) is a range of labels reserved for Segment Routing global segments. A prefix-SID is advertised as a domain-wide unique index. The prefix-SID index points to a unique label within the SRGB range. The index is zero-based, meaning that the first index is 0. The MPLS label assigned to a prefix is derived from the Prefix-SID index plus the SRGB base. For example, considering an SRGB range of 16,000 to 23,999, a prefix 10.1.1.65/32 with prefix-SID index of **65** is assigned the label value of **16065**.



To keep the configuration simple and straightforward, we strongly recommended that you use a homogenous SRGB (meaning, the same SRGB range across all nodes). Using a heterogenous SRGB (meaning, a different SRGB range of the same size across nodes) is also supported but is not recommended.

### **Behaviors and Limitations**

- The default SRGB in IOS XR has a size of 8000 starting from label value 16000. The default range is 16000 to 23,999. With this size, and assuming one loopback prefix per router, an operator can assign prefix SIDs to a network with 8000 routers.
- There are instances when you might need to define a different SRGB range. For example:
  - Non-IOS XR nodes with a SRGB range that is different than the default IOS XR SRGB range.
  - The default SRGB range is not large enough to accommodate all required prefix SIDs.
- A non-default SRGB can be configured following these guidelines:
  - The SRGB starting value can be configured anywhere in the dynamic label range space (16,000 to 1,048,575).
  - In Cisco IOS XR release earlier than 6.6.3, the SRGB can have a maximum configurable size of 262,143.
  - In Cisco IOS XR release 6.6.3 and later, the SRGB can be configured to any size value that fits within the dynamic label range space.
- Allocating an SRGB label range does not mean that all the labels in this range are programmed in the forwarding table. The label range is just reserved for SR and not available for other purposes. Furthermore, a platform may limit the number of local labels that can be programmed.
- We recommend that the non-default SRGB be configured under the **segment-routing** global configuration mode. By default, all IGP instances and BGP use this SRGB.

• You can also configure a non-default SRGB under the IGP, but it is not recommended.

#### **SRGB Label Conflicts**

When you define a non-default SRGB range, there might be a label conflict (for example, if labels are already allocated, statically or dynamically, in the new SRGB range). The following system log message indicates a label conflict:

```
%ROUTING-ISIS-4-SRGB_ALLOC_FAIL: SRGB allocation failed: 'SRGB reservation not successful for [16000,80000], SRGB (16000,80000, SRGB_ALLOC_CONFIG_PENDING, 0x2) (So far 16 attempts). Make sure label range is free'
```

To remove this conflict, you must reload the router to release the currently allocated labels and to allocate the new SRGB.

After the system reloads, LSD does not accept any dynamic label allocation before IS-IS/OSPF/BGP have registered with LSD. Upon IS-IS/OSPF/BGP registration, LSD allocates the requested SRGB (either the default range or the customized range).

After IS-IS/OSPF/BGP have registered and their SRGB is allocated, LSD starts serving dynamic label requests from other clients.



Note

To avoid a potential router reload due to label conflicts, and assuming that the default SRGB size is large enough, we recommend that you use the default IOS XR SRGB range.



Note

Allocating a non-default SRGB in the upper part of the MPLS label space increases the chance that the labels are available and a reload can be avoided.



Caution

Modifying a SRGB configuration is disruptive for traffic and may require a reboot if the new SRGB is not available entirely.

### **About the Segment Routing Local Block**

A local segment is automatically assigned an MPLS label from the dynamic label range. In most cases, such as TI-LFA backup paths and SR-TE explicit paths defined with IP addresses, this dynamic label allocation is sufficient. However, in some scenarios, it could be beneficial to allocate manually local segment label values to maintain label persistency. For example, an SR-TE policy with a manual binding SID that is performing traffic steering based on incoming label traffic with the binding SID.

The Segment Routing Local Block (SRLB) is a range of label values preserved for the manual allocation of local segments, such as adjacency segment identifiers (adj-SIDs), Layer 2 adj-SIDs, binding SIDs (BSIDs), and BGP peering SIDs. These labels are locally significant and are only valid on the nodes that allocate the labels.

#### **Behaviors and Limitations**

- The default SRLB has a size of 1000 starting from label value 15000; therefore, the default SRLB range goes from 15000 to 15,999.
- A non-default SRLB can be configured following these guidelines:
  - The SRLB starting value can be configured anywhere in the dynamic label range space (16,000 to 1,048,575).
  - In Cisco IOS XR release earlier than 6.6.3, the SRLB can have a maximum configurable size of 262,143.
  - In Cisco IOS XR release 6.6.3 and later, the SRLB can be configured to any size value that fits within the dynamic label range space.

#### **SRLB Label Conflicts**

When you define a non-default SRLB range, there might be a label conflict (for example, if labels are already allocated, statically or dynamically, in the new SRLB range). In this case, the new SRLB range will be accepted, but not applied (pending state). The previous SRLB range (active) will continue to be in use.

To remove this conflict, you must reload the router to release the currently allocated labels and to allocate the new SRLB.



#### Caution

You can use the **clear segment-routing local-block discrepancy all** command to clear label conflicts. However, using this command is disruptive for traffic since it forces all other MPLS applications with conflicting labels to allocate new labels.



Note

To avoid a potential router reload due to label conflicts, and assuming that the default SRGB size is large enough, we recommend that you use the default IOS XR SRLB range.



Note

Allocating a non-default SRLB in the upper part of the MPLS label space increases the chance that the labels are available and a reload can be avoided.

### **Setup a Non-Default Segment Routing Global Block Range**

This task explains how to configure a non-default SRGB range.

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	segment-routing global-block starting_value ending_value  Example:	Enter the lowest value that you want the SRGB range to include as the starting value. Enter the highest value that you want the SRGB range to include as the ending value.
Step 3	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# segment-routing global-block 16000 80000  Use the commit or end command.	commit —Saves the configuration changes and
		end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:  • Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.
		<ul> <li>No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.</li> <li>Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.</li> </ul>

Use the **show mpls label table** [label label-value] command to verify the SRGB configuration:

Route	r# show :	mpls label	table label	16000 d	etail	
Table	Label	Owner			State	Rewrite
0	16000	ISIS(A):1			InUse	No
(Lb	l-blk SR	GB, vers:0	, (start_lab	el=16000	, size=64	001)

### What to do next

Configure prefix SIDs and enable segment routing.

## **Setup a Non-Default Segment Routing Local Block Range**

This task explains how to configure a non-default SRLB range.

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	segment-routing local-block starting_value ending_value	Enter the lowest value that you want the SRLB range to include as the starting value. Enter the
	Example:	highest value that you want the SRLB range to include as the ending value.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # segment-routing local-block 30000 30999</pre>	
Step 3	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<b>commit</b> —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.
		end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:
		• Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.
		• No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.
		Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.

Use the **show mpls label table** [label label-value] [detail] command to verify the SRLB configuration:

### Router# show mpls label table label 30000 detail

```
Table Label Owner State Rewrite
---- 30000 LSD(A) InUse No
(Lbl-blk SRLB, vers:0, (start_label=30000, size=1000, app_notify=0)
```

Router# show segment-routing local-block inconsistencies

### No inconsistencies

The following example shows an SRLB label conflict in the range of 30000 and 30999. Note that the default SRLB is active and the configured SRLB is pending:

```
Router(config) # segment-routing local-block 30000 30999

%ROUTING-MPLS_LSD-3-ERR_SRLB_RANGE : SRLB allocation failed: 'SRLB reservation not successfull for [30000,30999]. Use with caution 'clear segment-routing local-block discrepancy all' command to force srlb allocation'
```



#### Caution

You can use the **clear segment-routing local-block discrepancy all** command to clear label conflicts. However, using this command is disruptive for traffic since it forces all other MPLS applications with conflicting labels to allocate new labels.

### Router# show mpls label table label 30000 detail

Reload the router to release the currently allocated labels and to allocate the new SRLB:

```
Router# reload

Proceed with reload? [confirm] yes
```

After the system is brought back up, verify that there are no label conflicts with the SRLB configuration:

```
Router# show mpls lsd private | i SRLB

SRLB Lbl Mgr:
    Current Active SRLB block = [30000, 30999]
    Configured Pending SRLB block = [0, 0]

Router# show segment-routing local-block inconsistencies

No inconsistencies
```

### What to do next

Configure adjacency SIDs and enable segment routing.

Setup a Non-Default Segment Routing Local Block Range



## **Configure Segment Routing for IS-IS Protocol**

Integrated Intermediate System-to-Intermediate System (IS-IS), Internet Protocol Version 4 (IPv4), is a standards-based Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP). The Cisco IOS XR software implements the IP routing capabilities described in International Organization for Standardization (ISO)/International Engineering Consortium (IEC) 10589 and RFC 1995, and adds the standard extensions for single topology and multitopology IS-IS for IP Version 6 (IPv6).

This module provides the configuration information used to enable segment routing for IS-IS.



Note

For additional information on implementing IS-IS on your router, see the *Implementing IS-IS* module in the *Routing Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers*.

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### **Enabling Segment Routing for IS-IS Protocol**

Segment routing on the IS-IS control plane supports the following:

- IPv4 and IPv6 control plane
- Level 1, level 2, and multi-level routing
- Prefix SIDs for host prefixes on loopback interfaces
- Adjacency SIDs for adjacencies
- MPLS penultimate hop popping (PHP) and explicit-null signaling

This task explains how to enable segment routing for IS-IS.

### Before you begin

Your network must support the MPLS Cisco IOS XR software feature before you enable segment routing for IS-IS on your router.



Note

You must enter the commands in the following task list on every IS-IS router in the traffic-engineered portion of your network.

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.	
	Example:		
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure		
Step 2	router isis instance-id	Enables IS-IS routing for the specified routing	
	Example:	instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router isis isp</pre>	You can change the level of routing to be performed by a particular routing instance by using the <b>is-type</b> router configuration command.	
Step 3	address-family { ipv4   ipv6 } [ unicast ]	Specifies the IPv4 or IPv6 address family, and	
	Example:	enters router address family configuration mode.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>		
Step 4	metric-style wide [ level { 1   2 }]	Configures a router to generate and accept only	
	Example:	wide link metrics in the Level 1 area.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af)# metric-style wide level 1</pre>		
Step 5	router-id loopback loopback interface used for prefix-sid	Configures router ID for each address-family (IPv4/IPv6).	
	Example:	IS-IS advertises the router ID in TLVs 134 (for	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af)# router-id loopback0</pre>	IPv4 address family) and 140 (for IPv6 address family). Required when traffic engineering is used.	
Step 6	segment-routing mpls [sr-prefer]	Segment routing is enabled by the following	
	Example:	actions:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af)# segment-routing mpls</pre>	<ul> <li>MPLS forwarding is enabled on all interfaces where IS-IS is active.</li> <li>All known prefix-SIDs in the forwarding plain are programmed, with the</li> </ul>
		prefix-SIDs advertised by remote routers or learned through local or remote mapping server.
		The prefix-SIDs locally configured are advertised.
		Use the <b>sr-prefer</b> keyword to set the preference of segment routing (SR) labels over label distribution protocol (LDP) labels.
Step 7	exit	
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af)# exit RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# exit</pre>	
Step 8	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<b>commit</b> —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.
		end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:
		• Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.
		• No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.
		Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.

### What to do next

Configure the prefix SID.

# Configuring a Prefix-SID on the IS-IS Enabled Loopback Interface

A prefix segment identifier (SID) is associated with an IP prefix. The prefix SID is manually configured from the segment routing global block (SRGB) range of labels. A prefix SID is configured under the loopback

interface with the loopback address of the node as the prefix. The prefix segment steers the traffic along the shortest path to its destination.

A prefix SID can be a node SID or an Anycast SID. A node SID is a type of prefix SID that identifies a specific node. An Anycast SID is a type of prefix SID that identifies a set of nodes, and is configured with n-flag clear. The set of nodes (Anycast group) is configured to advertise a shared prefix address and prefix SID. Anycast routing enables the steering of traffic toward multiple advertising nodes. Packets addressed to an Anycast address are forwarded to the topologically nearest nodes.

The prefix SID is globally unique within the segment routing domain.

This task explains how to configure prefix segment identifier (SID) index or absolute value on the IS-IS enabled Loopback interface.

### Before you begin

Ensure that segment routing is enabled on the corresponding address family.

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.	
	Example:		
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure		
Step 2	router isis instance-id	Enables IS-IS routing for the specified routing instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router isis 1</pre>	<ul> <li>You can change the level of routing to be performed by a particular routing instance by using the is-type router configuration command.</li> </ul>	
Step 3	interface Loopback instance	Specifies the loopback interface and instance.	
	Example:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# interface Loopback0</pre>		
Step 4	address-family { ipv4   ipv6 } [ unicast ]	Specifies the IPv4 or IPv6 address family, and enters router address family configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	The following is an example for ipv4 address family:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>		
Step 5	<pre>prefix-sid [algorithm algorithm-number] {index SID-index   absolute SID-value} [n-flag-clear] [explicit-null ]</pre>	Configures the prefix-SID index or absolute value for the interface.	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Example:	Specify <b>algorithm</b> <i>algorithm-number</i> to configure SR Flexible Algorithm.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid index 1001</pre>	Specify <b>index</b> <i>SID-index</i> for each node to create a prefix SID based on the lower boundary of the SRGB + the index.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 17001</pre>	Specify <b>absolute</b> <i>SID-value</i> for each node to create a specific prefix SID within the SRGB.	
		By default, the n-flag is set on the prefix-SID, indicating that it is a node SID. For specific prefix-SID (for example, Anycast prefix-SID), enter the n-flag-clear keyword. IS-IS does not set the N flag in the prefix-SID sub Type Length Value (TLV).	
		To disable penultimate-hop-popping (PHP) and add explicit-Null label, enter explicit-null keyword. IS-IS sets the E flag in the prefix-SID sub TLV.	
Step 6	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<b>commit</b> —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.	
		end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:	
		• Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.	
		• No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.	
		Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.	

### Verify the prefix-SID configuration:

### RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show isis database verbose

```
IS-IS 1 (Level-2) Link State Database
LSPID
                   LSP Seq Num LSP Checksum LSP Holdtime ATT/P/OL
              * 0x0000039b 0xfc27 1079
router.00-00
                                                             0/0/0
 Area Address: 49.0001
 NLPID: 0xcc
 NLPID:
              0x8e
 MT:
              Standard (IPv4 Unicast)
 MT:
             IPv6 Unicast
                                                              0/0/0
 Hostname: router IP Address: 10.0.0.1
 IPv6 Address: 2001:0db8:1234::0a00:0001
 Router Cap: 10.0.0.1, D:0, S:0
   Segment Routing: I:1 V:1, SRGB Base: 16000 Range: 8000
   SR Algorithm:
```

### Weighted Anycast SID-Aware Path Computation

Table 6: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
Weighted Anycast SID-Aware Path Computation	Release 7.3.1	This feature extends Anycast SIDs with weighted nodes.
		Weighted Anycast nodes advertise a cost (weight) along with the Anycast SID. Traffic is then distributed according to the weights.
		Weighted Anycast SIDs allow for highly available paths with node redundancy and path optimality that provide Fast ReRoute (FRR) for node failure of service provider edge (PE) routers and ABR/ASBRs nodes in multi-domain networks.

The Weighted Anycast SID feature extends Anycast SIDs with weighted nodes.

Anycast routing enables the steering of traffic toward multiple advertising nodes, providing load-balancing and redundancy. Packets addressed to an Anycast address are forwarded to the topologically nearest nodes. With the default (unweighted) behavior, the traffic is load-balanced across each node in the group evenly.

Weighted Anycast nodes advertise a cost along with the Anycast SID. This cost serves as a weight. Traffic to the SID is then distributed according to the weights.

Weighted Anycast SIDs allow for highly available paths with node redundancy and path optimality that provide FRR for node failure of service provider edge (PE) routers and ABR/ASBR nodes in multi-domain networks.

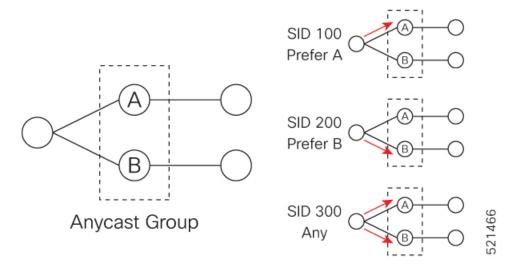
In addition, Weighted Anycast SIDs allow for scaled computation at the PCE of multi-domain paths.

The native SR path computation algorithms are augmented to compute optimum paths relying on Weighted Anycast SIDs during path encoding.

Consider the example depicted below. Nodes A and B are part of the same Anycast groups, represented by different SIDs (100, 200, 300).

• SID 100 sends traffic preferentially to node A

- SID 200 sends traffic preferentially to node B
- SID 300 sends traffic equally to both nodes

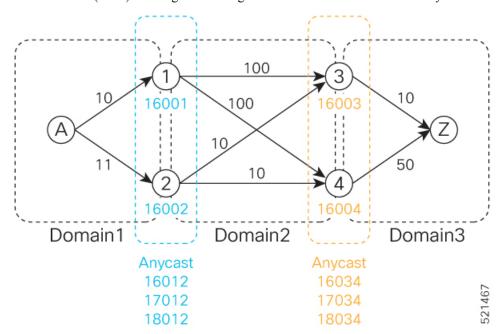


The Anycast replacement algorithm runs after an SR-TE path has been computed. It examines the prefix SIDs in the path and swaps them with Anycast SIDs that contain the same node. The new paths are checked against the original constraints and kept if suitable.

If a node is part of multiple Anycast groups, the algorithm considers them according to their weights.

#### **Example**

The following figure shows 3 isolated IGP domains without redistribution and without BGP 3107. Each Area Border Router (ABR) 1 through 4 is configured with a node SID. The link delays are also shown.



ABRs 1 and 2 share the following Anycast SIDs:

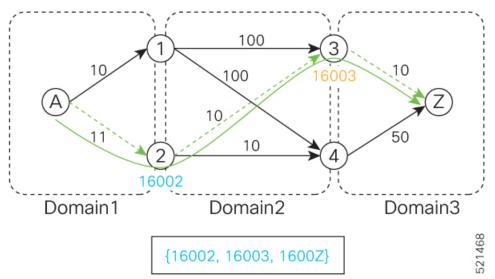
- 16012 sends traffic to either Node 1 or 2 (the topologically nearest node)
- 17012 sends traffic preferentially to Node 1
- 18012 sends traffic preferentially to Node 2

ABRs 3 and 4 share the following Anycast SIDs:

- 16034 sends traffic either Node 3 or 4 (the topologically nearest node)
- 17034 sends traffic preferentially to Node 3
- 18034 sends traffic preferentially to Node 4

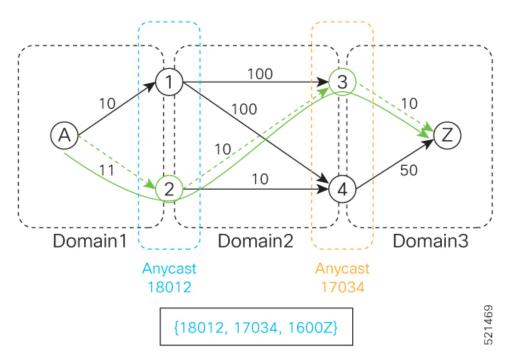
Consider the case where routers A and Z are provider edge (PE) routers in the same VPN. Router A receives a VPN route with BGP next-hop to router Z. Router A resolves the SR path to router Z using SR-ODN or SR-PCE.

Before considering Anycast SIDs, the head-end router or SR-PCE computes the SID list.



In this case, the optimized computed path from router A to router Z is 16002 > 16003 > 1600Z.

Using the weighted Anycast-encoded SID list, the optimized computed path from router A to router Z is 18012 > 17034 > 1600Z. This path has a cumulative delay of 31.



Using node SIDs, failures inside each domain (for example, links) benefit from fast TI-LFA convergence. However, failures of the ABR nodes would be dependent on SR-PCE reoptimization.

Using weighted Anycast SIDs, failures of the ABR nodes and failures inside each domain benefit from fast TI-LFA convergence.

#### Configuration

Based on the topology in Figure NN, this example shows the Weighted Anycast SID configuration of ABRs 1 and 2.

#### **ABR 1 Configuration**

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config)# router isis 1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis)# interface Loopback0
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 16001
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis)# interface Loopback1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# prefix-attributes anycast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 16012
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis)# interface Loopback2
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# prefix-attributes anycast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# weight 1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 17012
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis)# interface Loopback3
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# prefix-attributes anycast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# weight 100000
```

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 18012

#### **Running Config**

```
router isis 1
 interface Loopback0
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  prefix-sid absolute 16001 // Node SID
 interface Loopback1
 prefix-attributes anycast
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  prefix-sid absolute 16012 //Anycast SID - (prefer node 1 or 2)
 interface Loopback2
 prefix-attributes anycast
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  weight 1
  prefix-sid absolute 17012 // Weighted Anycast SID (prefer node 1)
 interface Loopback3
 prefix-attributes anycast
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  weight 100000
   prefix-sid absolute 18012 // Weighted Anycast SID (prefer node 2)
!
end
```

#### **ABR 2 Configuration**

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config)# router isis 1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis)# interface Loopback0
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 16001
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis)# interface Loopback1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# prefix-attributes anycast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 16012
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis)# interface Loopback2
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# prefix-attributes anycast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# weight 100000
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 17012
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis)# interface Loopback3
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# prefix-attributes anycast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# weight 1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-isis-if-af)# prefix-sid absolute 18012
```

#### **Running Config**

```
router isis 1
interface Loopback0
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  prefix-sid absolute 16002 // Node SID
 interface Loopback1
 prefix-attributes anycast
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  prefix-sid absolute 16012 // Anycast SID (prefer any)
 interface Loopback2
 prefix-attributes anycast
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  weight 100000
  prefix-sid absolute 17012 // Weighted Anycast SID (prefer node 1)
 interface Loopback3
 prefix-attributes anycast
  address-family ipv4 unicast
   weight 1
  prefix-sid absolute 18012 // Weighted Anycast SID (prefer node 2)
 1
end
```

# **Configuring an Adjacency SID**

An adjacency SID (Adj-SID) is associated with an adjacency to a neighboring node. The adjacency SID steers the traffic to a specific adjacency. Adjacency SIDs have local significance and are only valid on the node that allocates them.

An adjacency SID can be allocated dynamically from the dynamic label range or configured manually from the segment routing local block (SRLB) range of labels.

Adjacency SIDs that are dynamically allocated do not require any special configuration, however there are some limitations:

- A dynamically allocated Adj-SID value is not known until it has been allocated, and a controller will not know the Adj-SID value until the information is flooded by the IGP.
- Dynamically allocated Adj-SIDs are not persistent and can be reallocated after a reload or a process restart.
- Each link is allocated a unique Adj-SID, so the same Adj-SID cannot be shared by multiple links.

Manually allocated Adj-SIDs are persistent over reloads and restarts. They can be provisioned for multiple adjacencies to the same neighbor or to different neighbors. You can specify that the Adj-SID is protected. If the Adj-SID is protected on the primary interface and a backup path is available, a backup path is installed. By default, manual Adj-SIDs are not protected.

Adjacency SIDs are advertised using the existing IS-IS Adj-SID sub-TLV. The S and P flags are defined for manually allocated Adj-SIDs.

```
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7
```

+-+-+-+-+-+-+-	+
F B V L  <b>S P</b>	
+-+-+-+-+-+-+-	+

Table 7: Adjacency Segment Identifier (Adj-SID) Flags Sub-TLV Fields

Field	Description
S (Set)	This flag is set if the same Adj-SID value has been provisioned on multiple interfaces.
P (Persistent)	This flag is set if the Adj-SID is persistent (manually allocated).

Manually allocated Adj-SIDs are supported on point-to-point (P2P) interfaces.

This task explains how to configure an Adj-SID on an interface.

#### Before you begin

Ensure that segment routing is enabled on the corresponding address family.

Use the **show mpls label table detail** command to verify the SRLB range.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	router isis instance-id	Enables IS-IS routing for the specified routing
	Example:	instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router isis 1</pre>	<ul> <li>You can change the level of routing to be performed by a particular routing instance by using the is-type router configuration command.</li> </ul>
Step 3	interface type interface-path-id	Specifies the interface and enters interface
	Example:	configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/7</pre>	
Step 4	point-to-point	Specifies the interface is a point-to-point
	Example:	interface.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if) # point-to-point</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	<pre>address-family { ipv4   ipv6 } [ unicast ] Example: The following is an example for ipv4 address family:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>	Specifies the IPv4 or IPv6 address family, and enters router address family configuration mode.
Step 6	<pre>adjacency-sid {index adj-SID-index   absolute adj-SID-value } [protected ] Example:</pre>	Configures the Adj-SID index or absolute value for the interface.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# adjacency-sid index 10  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# adjacency-sid absolute 15010	Specify <b>absolute</b> <i>adj-SID-value</i> for each link to create a specific Ajd-SID within the SRLB. Specify if the Adj-SID is <b>protected</b> . For each primary path, if the Adj-SID is protected on the
Step 7	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	primary interface and a backup path is available, a backup path is installed. By default, manual Adj-SIDs are not protected.  commit —Saves the configuration changes and
otop,	of the comme of the command.	remains within the configuration session.  end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:  • Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.  • No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.  • Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.

#### Verify the Adj-SID configuration:

Verify the labels are added to the MPLS Forwarding Information Base (LFIB):

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show mpls forwarding labels 15010

Mon Jun 12 02:50:12.172 PDT

	Outgoing Label	Prefix or ID	Outgoing Interface	Next Hop	Bytes Switched	
15010	Pop	SRLB (idx 10)	Gi0/0/0/3	10.0.3.3	0	
	Pop	SRLB (idx 10)	Gi0/0/0/7	10.1.0.5	0	
	16004	SRLB (idx 10)	Gi0/0/0/7	10.1.0.5	0	(!)
	16004	SRLB (idx 10)	Gi0/0/0/3	10.0.3.3	0	(!)

### Manually Configure a Layer 2 Adjacency SID

Typically, an adjacency SID (Adj-SID) is associated with a Layer 3 adjacency to a neighboring node, to steer the traffic to a specific adjacency. If you have Layer 3 bundle interfaces, where multiple physical interfaces form a bundle interface, the individual Layer 2 bundle members are not visible to IGP; only the bundle interface is visible.

You can configure a Layer 2 Adj-SID for the individual Layer 2 bundle interfaces. This configuration allows you to track the availability of individual bundle member links and to verify the segment routing forwarding over the individual bundle member links, for Operational Administration and Maintenance (OAM) purposes.

A Layer 2 Adj-SID can be allocated dynamically or configured manually.

- IGP dynamically allocates Layer 2 Adj-SIDs from the dynamic label range for each Layer 2 bundle member. A dynamic Layer 2 Adj-SID is not persistent and can be reallocated as the Layer 3 bundle link goes up and down.
- Manually configured Layer 2 Adj-SIDs are persistent if the Layer 3 bundle link goes up and down. Layer 2 Adj-SIDs are allocated from the Segment Routing Local Block (SRLB) range of labels. However, if the configured value of Layer 2 Adj-SID does not fall within the available SRLB, a Layer 2 Adj-SID will not be programmed into forwarding information base (FIB).

#### Restrictions

- Adj-SID forwarding requires a next-hop, which can be either an IPv4 address or an IPv6 address, but not both. Therefore, manually configured Layer 2 Adj-SIDs are configured per address-family.
- Manually configured Layer 2 Adj-SID can be associated with only one Layer 2 bundle member link.
- A SID value used for Layer 2 Adj-SID cannot be shared with Layer 3 Adj-SID.
- SR-TE using Layer 2 Adj-SID is not supported.

This task explains how to configure a Layer 2 Adj-SID on an interface.

#### Before you begin

Ensure that segment routing is enabled on the corresponding address family.

Use the **show mpls label table detail** command to verify the SRLB range.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	segment-routing	Enters segment routing configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config)# segment-routing</pre>	
Step 3	adjacency-sid	Enters adjacency SID configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config-sr)# adjacency-sid</pre>	
Step 4	interface type interface-path-id	Specifies the interface and enters interface
	Example:	configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config-sr-adj) # interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/3</pre>	
Step 5	address-family { ipv4   ipv6 } [ unicast ]	Specifies the IPv4 or IPv6 address family, and
	Example:	enters router address family configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config-sr-adj-intf)# address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>	
Step 6	12-adjacency sid {index adj-SID-index   absolute adj-SID-value } [next-hop	Configures the Adj-SID index or absolute value for the interface.
	Example: c	Specify <b>index</b> <i>adj-SID-index</i> for each link to create an Ajd-SID based on the lower boundary of the SRLB + the index.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config-sr-adj-intf-af)# 12-adjacency sid absolute 15015 next-hop 10.1.1.4</pre>	Specify <b>absolute</b> <i>adj-SID-value</i> for each link to create a specific Ajd-SID within the SRLB.
		For point-to-point interfaces, you are not required to specify a next-hop. However, if you do specify the next-hop, the Layer 2 Adj-SID will be used only if the specified next-hop matches the neighbor address.
		For LAN interfaces, you must configure the next-hop IPv4 or IPv6 address. If you do not configure the next-hop, the Layer 2 Adj-SID will not be used for LAN interface.

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 7	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<b>commit</b> —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.		
		end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:		
		• Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.		
		• No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.		
		Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.		
Step 8	end			
Step 9	router isis instance-id	Enables IS-IS routing for the specified routing		
	Example:	instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config) # router isis isp</pre>			
Step 10	address-family { ipv4   ipv6 } [ unicast ]	Specifies the IPv4 or IPv6 address family, and		
	Example:	enters router address family configuration mode.		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config-isis)# address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>			
Step 11	segment-routing bundle-member-adj-sid	Programs the dynamic Layer 2 Adj-SIDs, and		
	Example:	advertises both manual and dynamic Layer 2 Adj-SIDs.		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config-isis-af)# segment-routing bundle-member-adj-sid</pre>	Note This command is not required to program manual L2 Adj-SID, but is required to program the dynamic Layer 2 Adj-SIDs and to advertise both manual and dynamic Layer 2 Adj-SIDs.		

#### Verify the configuration:

```
Router# show running-config segment-routing
Tue Jun 20 07:14:25.815 PDT
segment-routing
adjacency-sid
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/3
address-family ipv4 unicast
12-adjacency-sid absolute 15015 next-hop 10.1.1.4
!
!
```

# **Configuring Bandwidth-Based Local UCMP**

Bandwidth-based local Unequal Cost Multipath (UCMP) allows you to enable UCMP functionality locally between Equal Cost Multipath (ECMP) paths based on the bandwidth of the local links.

Bandwidth-based local UCMP is performed for prefixes, segment routing Adjacency SIDs, and Segment Routing label cross-connects installed by IS-IS, and is supported on any physical or virtual interface that has a valid bandwidth.

For example, if the capacity of a bundle interface changes due to the link or line card up/down event, traffic continues to use the affected bundle interface regardless of the available provisioned bundle members. If some bundle members were not available due to the failure, this behavior could cause the traffic to overload the bundle interface. To address the bundle capacity changes, bandwidth-based local UCMP uses the bandwidth of the local links to load balance traffic when bundle capacity changes.

#### Before you begin

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	router isis instance-id	Enables IS-IS routing for the specified routing
	Example:	instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router isis 1</pre>	You can change the level of routing to be performed by a particular routing instance by using the <b>is-type</b> router configuration command.
Step 3	address-family { ipv4   ipv6 } [ unicast ]	Specifies the IPv4 or IPv6 address family, and
	Example:	enters IS-IS address family configuration mode.
	The following is an example for ipv4 address family:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>	
Step 4	apply-weight ecmp-only bandwidth  Example:	Enables UCMP functionality locally between ECMP paths based on the bandwidth of the local links.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af) # apply-weight ecmp-only bandwidth</pre>	
Step 5	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<b>commit</b> —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.
		end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:
		• Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.
		• No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.
		• Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.

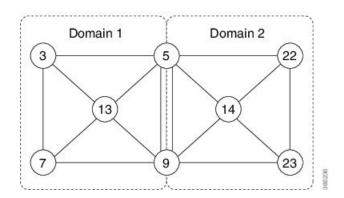
# IS-IS Multi-Domain Prefix SID and Domain Stitching: Example

IS-IS Multi-Domain Prefix SID and Domain Stitching allows you to configure multiple IS-IS instances on the same loopback interface for domain border nodes. You specify a loopback interface and prefix SID under multiple IS-IS instances to make the prefix and prefix SID reachable in different domains.

This example uses the following topology. Node 5 and 9 are border nodes between two IS-IS domains (Domain1 and Domain2). Node 10 is configured as the Segment Routing Path Computation Element (SR-PCE).

Figure 2: Multi-Domain Topology





### **Configure IS-IS Multi-Domain Prefix SID**

Specify a loopback interface and prefix SID under multiple IS-IS instances on each border node:

```
Example: Border Node 5
router isis Domain1
interface Loopback0
address-family ipv4 unicast
prefix-sid absolute 16005

router isis Domain2
interface Loopback0
address-family ipv4 unicast
prefix-sid absolute 16005
```

```
Example: Border Node 9
router isis Domain1
interface Loopback0
address-family ipv4 unicast
prefix-sid absolute 16009

router isis Domain2
interface Loopback0
address-family ipv4 unicast
prefix-sid absolute 16009
```

Border nodes 5 and 9 each run two IS-IS instances (Domain1 and Domain2) and advertise their Loopback0 prefix and prefix SID in both domains.

Nodes in both domains can reach the border nodes by using the same prefix and prefix SID. For example, Node 3 and Node 22 can reach Node 5 using prefix SID 16005.

### **Configure Common Router ID**

On each border node, configure a common TE router ID under each IS-IS instance:

#### Example: Border Node 5

router isis Domain1
address-family ipv4 unicast
router-id loopback0

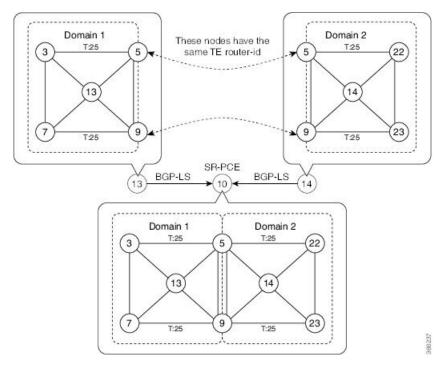
router isis Domain2
address-family ipv4 unicast
router-id loopback0

#### Example: Border Node 9

router isis Domain1
address-family ipv4 unicast
router-id loopback0

router isis Domain2
address-family ipv4 unicast
router-id loopback0

### **Distribute IS-IS Link-State Data**



Configure BGP Link-state (BGP-LS) on Node 13 and Node 14 to report their local domain to Node 10:

Example: Node 13
router isis Domain1

distribute link-state instance-id instance-id

Example: Node 14
router isis Domain2

distribute link-state instance-id instance-id

Link-state ID starts from 32. One ID is required per IGP domain. Different domain IDs are essential to identify that the SR-TE TED belongs to a particular IGP domain.

Nodes 13 and 14 each reports its local domain in BGP-LS to Node 10.

Node 10 identifies the border nodes (Nodes 5 and 9) by their common advertised TE router ID, then combines (stitches) the domains on these border nodes for end-to-end path computations.

### **Conditional Prefix Advertisement**

In some situations, it's beneficial to make the IS-IS prefix advertisement conditional. For example, an Area Border Router (ABR) or Autonomous System Boundary Router (ASBR) that has lost its connection to one of the areas or autonomous systems (AS) might keep advertising a prefix. If an ABR or ASBR advertises the Segment Routing (SR) SID with this prefix, the label stack of the traffic routed toward the disconnected area or AS might use this SID, which would result in dropped traffic at the ABR or ASBR.

ABRs or ASBRs are often deployed in pairs for redundancy and advertise a shared Anycast prefix SID. Conditional Prefix Advertisement allows an ABR or an ASBR to advertise its Anycast SID only when connected to a specific area or domain. If an ABR or ASBR becomes disconnected from the particular area or AS, it stops advertising the address for a specified interface (for example, Loopback).

Configure the conditional prefix advertisement under a specific interface. The prefix advertisement on this interface is associated with the route-policy that tracks the presence of a set of prefixes (prefix-set) in the Routing Information Base (RIB).

For faster convergence, the route-policy used for conditional prefix advertisement uses the new event-based **rib-has-route async** condition to notify IS-IS of the following situations:

- When the last prefix from the prefix-set is removed from the RIB.
- When the first prefix from the prefix-set is added to the RIB.

#### Configuration

To use the conditional prefix advertisement in IS-IS, create a prefix-set to be tracked. Then create a route policy that uses the prefix-set.

```
Router(config) # prefix-set prefix-set-name
Router(config-pfx) # prefix-address-1/length[, prefix-address-2/length,,,
prefix-address-16/length]
Router(config-pfx) # end-set

Router(config) # route-policy rpl-name
Router(config-rpl) # if rib-has-route async prefix-set-name then
Router(config-rpl-if) # pass
Router(config-rpl-if) # endif
Router(config-rpl) # end-policy
```

To advertise the loopback address in IS-IS conditionally, use the **advertise prefix route-policy** command under IS-IS interface address-family configuration sub-mode.

```
Router(config) # router isis 1
Router(config-isis) # interface Loopback0
Router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv4 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af) # advertise prefix route-policy rpl-name
```

```
Router(config-isis-if-af)# commit
```

#### **Example**

```
Router(config) # prefix-set domain_2
Router(config-pfx) # 2.3.3.3/32, 2.4.4.4/32
Router(config-pfx) # end-set
Router(config) # route-policy track_domain_2
Router(config-rpl) # if rib-has-route async domain_2 then
Router(config-rpl-if) # pass
Router(config-rpl-if) # endif
Router(config-rpl) # end-policy
Router(config) # router isis 1
Router(config-isis) # interface Loopback0
Router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv4 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af) # advertise prefix route-policy track_domain-2
Router(config-isis-if-af) # commit
```

#### **Running Configuration**

```
prefix-set domain_2
   2.3.3.3/32,
   2.4.4.4/32
end-set
!
route-policy track_domain_2
   if rib-has-route async domain_2 then
      pass
   endif
end-policy
!
router isis 1
   interface Loopback0
   address-family ipv4 unicast
   advertise prefix route-policy track_domain_2
!
!
```

# **Segment Routing ECMP-FEC Optimization**

ECMP-FECs are used for any ECMP programming on the system, such as MPLS LSP ECMP, VPN multipath, and EVPN multi-homing.

The SR ECMP-FEC optimization solution minimizes ECMP-FEC resource consumption during underlay programming for an SR-MPLS network. This feature supports sharing the same ECMP-FEC, regular FEC, and Egress Encapsulation DB (EEDB) entries among /32 IPv4 Segment Routing prefixes with the same set of next hops.

ECMP-FEC optimization is triggered when all the out\_labels associated with the ECMP paths for a given prefix have the same value. If this rule is not met, then the prefix is programmed with a dedicated ECMP-FEC.

Segment Routing Label Edge Router (LER) ECMP-FEC Optimization enables ECMP-FEC optimization originally developed for Label Switched Router (LSR) nodes (MPLS P) to be enabled on LER (Layer 3 MPLS PE) routers.

#### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- For IPv4 /32 labeled prefixes with ECMP across a combination of labeled and unlabeled (PHP) paths, the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization cannot be triggered since the paths associated with the prefix do not have the same outgoing label and/or label action.
- For prefixes with LFA backup paths, the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization is possible since these backup paths do not require an extra label to be pushed; all paths associated with the prefix (primary and backup) have the same outgoing label value.
- For prefixes with TI-LFA backup paths requiring extra labels to be pushed on to the backup, the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization is not possible since all the paths associated with the prefix do not have the same outgoing label value.
- For the duration of time that prefixes are programmed to avoid microloops (when SR MicroLoop Avoidance is triggered), SR ECMP-FEC Optimization is not possible since all the paths associated with the prefix do not have the same outgoing label value. After removal of the microloop-avoidance programming, the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization might be possible again.
- For scenarios with prefixes where the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization is not possible, dedicated ECMP-FEC is allocated per prefix. This could potentially lead to ECMP FEC out-of-resource (OOR) considering the baseline usage of ECMP FEC resources at steady state. During ECMP-FEC OOR, prefixes with multiple paths are programmed with a single path in order to avoid traffic disruption.
- SR ECMP-FEC optimization is applicable in the following instances:
  - Label Switched Router (LSR) nodes (MPLS P)
  - L3VPN Label Edge Router (LER) nodes
- SR ECMP-FEC optimization should not be enabled in the following instances:
  - L2VPN LER nodes
  - L2VPN/L3VPN LER nodes with VPN over BGP-LU over SR
- BGP PIC is not supported
- For IPv4 /32 labeled prefixes, transitioning from TI-LFA to SR ECMP-FEC optimization can cause ECMP-FEC OOR due to different output labels (ECMP label vs backup path's label) at make-before-break. This results in a few second traffic loss depending on route scale.

#### **Enable SR ECMP-FEC Optimization**

To enable SR ECMP-FEC optimization, use the **hw-module fib mpls label lsr-optimized** command in global configuration mode. After enabling this feature, reload the line card.

```
Router(config)# hw-module fib mpls label lsr-optimized
Router(config)# commit

LC/0/0/CPU0:Oct 11 20:19:12.540 UTC: fia_driver[185]:
%FABRIC-FIA_DRVR-4-MPLS_HW_PROFILE_MISMATCH:
Mismatch found, reload LC to activate the new mpls profile
```

Router# reload location 0/0/CPU0

```
Proceed with reload? [confirm] Reloading node 0/0/CPU0
```

#### Verification

The following example shows NPU usage before enabling SR ECMP-FEC optimization.

```
Router# show controllers npu resources ecmpfec location all
HW Resource Information For Location: 0/0/CPU0
HW Resource Information
   Name
                                    : ecmp fec
OOR Information
   NPU-0
                                : 4096
: 95
       Estimated Max Entries
       Red Threshold
Yellow Threshold
                                 : 80
       OOR State
                                  : Green
Current Usage
   NPU-0
                                   : 1001
       Total In-Use
                                               (24 %)
                                   : 1001
                                              (24 %)
       ipnhgroup
       ip6nhgroup
                                    : 0
                                               (0 %)
```

The following example shows NPU usage after enabling SR ECMP-FEC optimization.

```
Router# show controllers npu resources ecmpfec location all
HW Resource Information For Location: 0/0/CPU0
HW Resource Information
   Name
                                 : ecmp fec
OOR Information
   NPII-0
                              : 4096
       Estimated Max Entries
       Red Threshold
                               : 95
       Yellow Threshold
                               : 80
       OOR State
                               : Green
Current Usage
   NPU-0
       Total In-Use
                               : 7
                                           (0 %)
       ipnhgroup
                               : 7
                                           (0 %)
       ip6nhgroup
                                : 0
                                          (0 %)
```



# **Configure Segment Routing for OSPF Protocol**

Open Shortest Path First (OSPF) is an Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP) developed by the OSPF working group of the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF). Designed expressly for IP networks, OSPF supports IP subnetting and tagging of externally derived routing information. OSPF also allows packet authentication and uses IP multicast when sending and receiving packets.

This module provides the configuration information to enable segment routing for OSPF.



Note

For additional information on implementing OSPF on your, see the *Implementing OSPF* module in the .

- Enabling Segment Routing for OSPF Protocol, on page 83
- Configuring a Prefix-SID on the OSPF-Enabled Loopback Interface, on page 85
- Conditional Prefix Advertisement, on page 87
- Segment Routing ECMP-FEC Optimization, on page 89

### **Enabling Segment Routing for OSPF Protocol**

Segment routing on the OSPF control plane supports the following:

- OSPFv2 control plane
- Multi-area
- IPv4 prefix SIDs for host prefixes on loopback interfaces
- · Adjacency SIDs for adjacencies
- MPLS penultimate hop popping (PHP) and explicit-null signaling

This section describes how to enable segment routing MPLS and MPLS forwarding in OSPF. Segment routing can be configured at the instance, area, or interface level.

#### Before you begin

Your network must support the MPLS Cisco IOS XR software feature before you enable segment routing for OSPF on your router.



Note

You must enter the commands in the following task list on every OSPF router in the traffic-engineered portion of your network.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	router ospf process-name	Enables OSPF routing for the specified routing
	Example:	process and places the router in router configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router ospf 1</pre>	
Step 3	segment-routing mpls	Enables segment routing using the MPLS data
	Example:	plane on the routing process and all areas and interfaces in the routing process.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# segment-routing mpls</pre>	Enables segment routing fowarding on all interfaces in the routing process and installs the SIDs received by OSPF in the forwarding table.
Step 4	segment-routing sr-prefer	Sets the preference of segment routing (SR)
	Example:	labels over label distribution protocol (LDP) labels.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# segment-routing sr-prefer</pre>	
Step 5	area area	Enters area configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# area 0</pre>	
Step 6	segment-routing mpls	(Optional) Enables segment routing using the
	Example:	MPLS data plane on the area and all interfaces in the area. Enables segment routing fowarding
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar) # segment-routing mpls</pre>	on all interfaces in the area and installs the SIDs received by OSPF in the forwarding table.
Step 7	exit	
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar)# exit RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# exit</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 8	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<b>commit</b> —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.
		end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:
		• Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.
		• No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.
		• Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.

#### What to do next

Configure the prefix SID.

# Configuring a Prefix-SID on the OSPF-Enabled Loopback Interface

A prefix segment identifier (SID) is associated with an IP prefix. The prefix SID is manually configured from the segment routing global block (SRGB) range of labels. A prefix SID is configured under the loopback interface with the loopback address of the node as the prefix. The prefix segment steers the traffic along the shortest path to its destination.

A prefix SID can be a node SID or an Anycast SID. A node SID is a type of prefix SID that identifies a specific node. An Anycast SID is a type of prefix SID that identifies a set of nodes, and is configured with n-flag clear. The set of nodes (Anycast group) is configured to advertise a shared prefix address and prefix SID. Anycast routing enables the steering of traffic toward multiple advertising nodes. Packets addressed to an Anycast address are forwarded to the topologically nearest nodes.

The prefix SID is globally unique within the segment routing domain.

This task describes how to configure prefix segment identifier (SID) index or absolute value on the OSPF-enabled Loopback interface.

#### Before you begin

Ensure that segment routing is enabled on an instance, area, or interface.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	<pre>router ospf process-name Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router ospf 1</pre>	Enables OSPF routing for the specified routing process, and places the router in router configuration mode.
Step 3	area value	Enters area configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# area 0	
Step 4	interface Loopback interface-instance	Specifies the loopback interface and instance.
	<pre>Example:     RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar)#     interface loopback 0</pre>	
Step 5	prefix-sid [algorithm algorithm-number] {index SID-index   absolute SID-value }	Configures the prefix-SID index or absolute value for the interface.
	[n-flag-clear] [explicit-null]  Example:	Specify <b>algorithm</b> <i>algorithm-number</i> to configure SR Flexible Algorithm.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar)# prefix-sid index 1001	Specify <b>index</b> <i>SID-index</i> for each node to create a prefix SID based on the lower boundary of the SRGB + the index.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar) # prefix-sid absolute 17001</pre>	Specify <b>absolute</b> <i>SID-value</i> for each node to create a specific prefix SID within the SRGB.
		By default, the n-flag is set on the prefix-SID, indicating that it is a node SID. For specific prefix-SID (for example, Anycast prefix-SID), enter the n-flag-clear keyword. OSPF does not set the N flag in the prefix-SID sub Type Length Value (TLV).
		To disable penultimate-hop-popping (PHP) and add an explicit-Null label, enter the explicit-null keyword. OSPF sets the E flag in the prefix-SID sub TLV.
Step 6	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<b>commit</b> —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.
		Prompts user to take one of these actions:     Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.

Command or Action	Purpose
	<ul> <li>No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.</li> <li>Cancel —Remains in the configuration</li> </ul>
	session, without committing the configuration changes.

Verify the prefix-SID configuration:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show ospf database opaque-area 7.0.0.1 self-originate
OSPF Router with ID (10.0.0.1) (Process ID 1)
               Type-10 Opaque Link Area Link States (Area 0)
   Extended Prefix TLV: Length: 20
     Route-type: 1
     ΑF
              : 0
     Flags
               : 0x40
             : 10.0.0.1/32
     Prefix
     SID sub-TLV: Length: 8
              : 0x0
       Flags
       MTID
                 : 0
               : 0
       Algo
       SID Index: 1001
```

### **Conditional Prefix Advertisement**

In some situations, it's beneficial to make the OSPF prefix advertisement conditional. For example, an Area Border Router (ABR) or Autonomous System Boundary Router (ASBR) that has lost its connection to one of the areas or autonomous systems (AS) might keep advertising a prefix. If an ABR or ASBR advertises the Segment Routing (SR) SID with this prefix, the label stack of the traffic routed toward the disconnected area or AS might use this SID, which would result in dropped traffic at the ABR or ASBR.

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Configure the conditional prefix advertisement under a specific interface. The prefix advertisement on this interface is associated with the route-policy that tracks the presence of a set of prefixes (prefix-set) in the Routing Information Base (RIB).

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#### Configuration

To use the conditional prefix advertisement in OSPF, create a prefix-set to be tracked. Then create a route policy that uses the prefix-set.

```
Router(config) # prefix-set prefix-set-name
Router(config-pfx) # prefix-address-1/length[, prefix-address-2/length,,,
prefix-address-16/length]
Router(config-pfx) # end-set

Router(config) # route-policy rpl-name
Router(config-rpl) # if rib-has-route async prefix-set-name then
Router(config-rpl-if) # pass
Router(config-rpl-if) # endif
Router(config-rpl) # end-policy
```

To advertise the loopback address in OSPF conditionally, use the **advertise prefix route-policy** command under OSPF interface address-family configuration sub-mode.

```
Router(config) # router ospf 1
Router(config-ospf) # area 0
Router(config-ospf-ar) # interface Loopback0
Router(config-ospf-ar-if) # advertise prefix route-policy rpl-name
Router(config-ospf-ar-if) # commit
```

#### **Example**

```
Router(config) # prefix-set domain_2
Router(config-pfx) # 2.3.3.3/32, 2.4.4.4/32
Router(config-pfx) # end-set
Router(config) # route-policy track_domain_2
Router(config-rpl) # if rib-has-route async domain_2 then
Router(config-rpl-if) # pass
Router(config-rpl-if) # endif
Router(config-rpl) # end-policy
Router(config) # router ospf 1
Router(config-ospf) # area 0
Router(config-ospf-ar) # interface Loopback0
Router(config-ospf-ar-if) # advertise prefix route-policy track_domain-2
Router(config-ospf-ar-if) # commit
```

#### **Running Configuration**

```
prefix-set domain_2
  2.3.3.3/32,
  2.4.4.4/32
end-set
!
route-policy track_domain_2
  if rib-has-route async domain_2 then
    pass
  endif
end-policy
!
router ospf 1
area 0
  interface Loopback0
    advertise prefix route-policy track_domain_2
!
!
```

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#### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- For IPv4 /32 labeled prefixes with ECMP across a combination of labeled and unlabeled (PHP) paths, the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization cannot be triggered since the paths associated with the prefix do not have the same outgoing label and/or label action.
- For prefixes with LFA backup paths, the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization is possible since these backup paths do not require an extra label to be pushed; all paths associated with the prefix (primary and backup) have the same outgoing label value.
- For prefixes with TI-LFA backup paths requiring extra labels to be pushed on to the backup, the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization is not possible since all the paths associated with the prefix do not have the same outgoing label value.
- For the duration of time that prefixes are programmed to avoid microloops (when SR MicroLoop Avoidance is triggered), SR ECMP-FEC Optimization is not possible since all the paths associated with the prefix do not have the same outgoing label value. After removal of the microloop-avoidance programming, the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization might be possible again.
- For scenarios with prefixes where the SR ECMP-FEC Optimization is not possible, dedicated ECMP-FEC is allocated per prefix. This could potentially lead to ECMP FEC out-of-resource (OOR) considering the baseline usage of ECMP FEC resources at steady state. During ECMP-FEC OOR, prefixes with multiple paths are programmed with a single path in order to avoid traffic disruption.
- SR ECMP-FEC optimization is applicable in the following instances:
  - Label Switched Router (LSR) nodes (MPLS P)
  - L3VPN Label Edge Router (LER) nodes
- SR ECMP-FEC optimization should not be enabled in the following instances:
  - L2VPN LER nodes
  - L2VPN/L3VPN LER nodes with VPN over BGP-LU over SR

- BGP PIC is not supported
- For IPv4 /32 labeled prefixes, transitioning from TI-LFA to SR ECMP-FEC optimization can cause ECMP-FEC OOR due to different output labels (ECMP label vs backup path's label) at make-before-break. This results in a few second traffic loss depending on route scale.

#### **Enable SR ECMP-FEC Optimization**

To enable SR ECMP-FEC optimization, use the **hw-module fib mpls label lsr-optimized** command in global configuration mode. After enabling this feature, reload the line card.

```
Router(config)# hw-module fib mpls label lsr-optimized
Router(config)# commit

LC/0/0/CPU0:Oct 11 20:19:12.540 UTC: fia_driver[185]:
%FABRIC-FIA_DRVR-4-MPLS_HW_PROFILE_MISMATCH:
    Mismatch found, reload LC to activate the new mpls profile

Router# reload location 0/0/CPU0

Proceed with reload? [confirm]
Reloading node 0/0/CPU0
```

#### Verification

The following example shows NPU usage before enabling SR ECMP-FEC optimization.

```
Router# show controllers npu resources ecmpfec location all
HW Resource Information For Location: 0/0/CPU0
HW Resource Information
   Name
                                   : ecmp fec
OOR Information
   NPU-0
       Estimated Max Entries : 4096
       Red Threshold
Yellow Threshold
                                   : 95
                                 : 80
       OOR State
                                  : Green
Current Usage
   NPU-0
                                 : 1001
       Total In-Use
                                              (24 %)
       ipnhgroup
                                   : 1001
                                              (24 %)
                                 : 0
                                              (0 %)
        ip6nhgroup
```

The following example shows NPU usage after enabling SR ECMP-FEC optimization.

```
Router# show controllers npu resources ecmpfec location all
HW Resource Information For Location: 0/0/CPU0
HW Resource Information
   Name
                                 : ecmp fec
OOR Information
   NPII-0
       Estimated Max Entries
                              : 4096
       Red Threshold
                                : 95
       Yellow Threshold
                                : 80
       OOR State
                                 : Green
Current Usage
   NPU-0
```

Total In-Use	:	7	(0 %)
ipnhgroup	:	7	(0 %)
ip6nhgroup	:	0	(0 %)

**Segment Routing ECMP-FEC Optimization** 



# **Configure Segment Routing for BGP**

Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) is an Exterior Gateway Protocol (EGP) that allows you to create loop-free inter-domain routing between autonomous systems. An autonomous system is a set of routers under a single technical administration. Routers in an autonomous system can use multiple Interior Gateway Protocols (IGPs) to exchange routing information inside the autonomous system and an EGP to route packets outside the autonomous system.

This module provides the configuration information used to enable Segment Routing for BGP.



Note

For additional information on implementing BGP on your router, see the *Implementing BGP* module in the *Routing Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers*.

- Segment Routing for BGP, on page 93
- Configure BGP Prefix Segment Identifiers, on page 94
- Segment Routing Egress Peer Engineering, on page 95
- Configure BGP Link-State, on page 99
- Use Case: Configuring SR-EPE and BGP-LS, on page 103
- Configure BGP Proxy Prefix SID, on page 105

## **Segment Routing for BGP**

In a traditional BGP-based data center (DC) fabric, packets are forwarded hop-by-hop to each node in the autonomous system. Traffic is directed only along the external BGP (eBGP) multipath ECMP. No traffic engineering is possible.

In an MPLS-based DC fabric, the eBGP sessions between the nodes exchange BGP labeled unicast (BGP-LU) network layer reachability information (NLRI). An MPLS-based DC fabric allows any leaf (top-of-rack or border router) in the fabric to communicate with any other leaf using a single label, which results in higher packet forwarding performance and lower encapsulation overhead than traditional BGP-based DC fabric. However, since each label value might be different for each hop, an MPLS-based DC fabric is more difficult to troubleshoot and more complex to configure.

BGP has been extended to carry segment routing prefix-SID index. BGP-LU helps each node learn BGP prefix SIDs of other leaf nodes and can use ECMP between source and destination. Segment routing for BGP simplifies the configuration, operation, and troubleshooting of the fabric. With segment routing for BGP, you can enable traffic steering capabilities in the data center using a BGP prefix SID.

### **Configure BGP Prefix Segment Identifiers**

Segments associated with a BGP prefix are known as BGP prefix SIDs. The BGP prefix SID is global within a segment routing or BGP domain. It identifies an instruction to forward the packet over the ECMP-aware best-path computed by BGP to the related prefix. The BGP prefix SID is manually configured from the segment routing global block (SRGB) range of labels.

Each BGP speaker must be configured with an SRGB using the **segment-routing global-block** command. See the About the Segment Routing Global Block section for information about the SRGB.



Note

You must enable SR and explicitly configure the SRGB before configuring SR BGP. The SRGB must be explicitly configured, even if you are using the default range (16000 – 23999). BGP uses the SRGB and the index in the BGP prefix-SID attribute of a learned BGP-LU advertisement to allocate a local label for a given destination.

If SR and the SRGB are enabled after configuring BGP, then BGP is not aware of the SRGB, and therefore it allocates BGP-LU local labels from the dynamic label range instead of from the SRGB. In this case, restart the BGP process in order to allocate BGP-LU local labels from the SRGB.



Note

Because the values assigned from the range have domain-wide significance, we recommend that all routers within the domain be configured with the same range of values.

To assign a BGP prefix SID, first create a routing policy using the **set label-index** attribute, then associate the index to the node.



Note

A routing policy with the **set label-index** attribute can be attached to a network configuration or redistribute configuration. Other routing policy language (RPL) configurations are possible. For more information on routing policies, refer to the "Implementing Routing Policy" chapter in the *Routing Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers*.

#### Example

The following example shows how to configure the SRGB, create a BGP route policy using a \$SID parameter and **set label-index** attribute, and then associate the prefix-SID index to the node.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # segment-routing global-block 16000 23999

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # route-policy SID($SID)
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-rpl) # set label-index $SID
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-rpl) # end policy

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router bgp 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp) # bgp router-id 10.1.1.1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp) # address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-af) # network 10.1.1.3/32 route-policy SID(3)
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-af) # allocate-label all
```

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-af)# commit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-af)# end
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show bgp 10.1.1.3/32
BGP routing table entry for 10.1.1.3/32
                   bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
 Process
 Speaker
                          74
   Local Label: 16003
Last Modified: Sep 29 19:52:18.155 for 00:07:22
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
  Advertised to update-groups (with more than one peer):
   0.2
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
  Advertised to update-groups (with more than one peer):
  3
    99.3.21.3 from 99.3.21.3 (10.1.1.3)
      Received Label 3
      Origin IGP, metric 0, localpref 100, valid, external, best, group-best
      Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 74
      Origin-AS validity: not-found
      Label Index: 3
```

## **Segment Routing Egress Peer Engineering**

Segment routing egress peer engineering (EPE) uses a controller to instruct an ingress provider edge, or a content source (node) within the segment routing domain, to use a specific egress provider edge (node) and a specific external interface to reach a destination. BGP peer SIDs are used to express source-routed inter-domain paths.

Below are the BGP-EPE peering SID types:

- PeerNode SID—To an eBGP peer. Pops the label and forwards the traffic on any interface to the peer.
- PeerAdjacency SID—To an eBGP peer via interface. Pops the label and forwards the traffic on the related interface.
- PeerSet SID—To a set of eBGP peers. Pops the label and forwards the traffic on any interface to the set of peers. All the peers in a set might not be in the same AS.

Multiple PeerSet SIDs can be associated with any combination of PeerNode SIDs or PeerAdjacency SIDs.

The controller learns the BGP peer SIDs and the external topology of the egress border router through BGP-LS EPE routes. The controller can program an ingress node to steer traffic to a destination through the egress node and peer node using BGP labeled unicast (BGP-LU).

EPE functionality is only required at the EPE egress border router and the EPE controller.

### **Configure Segment Routing Egress Peer Engineering**

This task explains how to configure segment routing EPE on the EPE egress node.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<pre>router bgp as-number Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router bgp 1</pre>	Specifies the BGP AS number and enters the BGP configuration mode, allowing you to configure the BGP routing process.
Step 2	<pre>neighbor ip-address Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp) # neighbor 192.168.1.3</pre>	Places the router in neighbor configuration mode for BGP routing and configures the neighbor IP address as a BGP peer.
Step 3	<pre>remote-as as-number Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 3</pre>	Creates a neighbor and assigns a remote autonomous system number to it.
Step 4	<pre>egress-engineering Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-nbr)# egress-engineering</pre>	Configures the egress node with EPE for the eBGP peer.
Step 5	<pre>exit Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-nbr)# exit RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp)# exit RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)#</pre>	
Step 6	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<ul> <li>commit — Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.</li> <li>end — Prompts user to take one of these actions</li> <li>Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.</li> <li>No — Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.</li> </ul>

Command or Action	Purpose
	Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.

#### **Example**

#### **Running Config:**

```
router bgp 1
neighbor 192.168.1.3
remote-as 3
egress-engineering
!
!
```

### **Configuring Manual BGP-EPE Peering SIDs**

Configuring manual BGP-EPE Peer SIDs allows for persistent EPE label values. Manual BGP-EPE SIDs are advertised through BGP-LS and are allocated from the Segment Routing Local Block (SRLB). See Configure Segment Routing Global Block and Segment Routing Local Block, on page 51 for information about the SRLB.

Each PeerNode SID, PeerAdjacency SID, and PeerSet SID is configured with an index value. This index serves as an offset from the configured SRLB start value and the resulting MPLS label (SRLB start label + index) is assigned to these SIDs. This label is used by CEF to perform load balancing across the individual BGP PeerSet SIDs, BGP PeerNode SID, or ultimately across each first-hop adjacency associated with that BGP PeerNode SID or BGP PeerSet SID.

#### **Configuring Manual PeerNode SID**

Each eBGP peer will be associated with a PeerNode SID index that is configuration driven.

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config) # router bgp 10
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp) # neighbor 10.10.10.2
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 20
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp-nbr) # egress-engineering
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp-nbr) # peer-node-sid index 600
```

#### **Configuring Manual PeerAdjacency SID**

Any first-hop for which an adjacency SID is configured needs to be in the resolution chain of at least one eBGP peer that is configured for egress-peer engineering. Otherwise such a kind of "orphan" first-hop with regards to BGP has no effect on this feature. This is because BGP only understands next-hops learnt by the BGP protocol itself and in addition only the resolving IGP next-hops for those BGP next-hops.

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config)# router bgp 10
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp)# adjacencies
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp-adj)# 10.1.1.2
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp-adj)# adjacency-sid index 500
```

#### **Configuring Manual PeerSet SID**

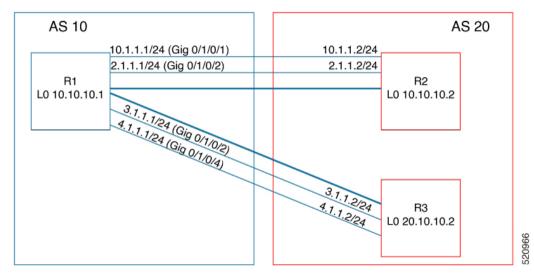
The PeerSet SID is configured under global Address Family. This configuration results in the creation of a Peer-Set SID EPE object.

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config) # router bgp 10
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp) # address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp-afi) # peer-set-id 1
RP/0/0/CPU0:PE1(config-bgp-peer-set) # peer-set-sid 300
```

#### **Example**

#### **Topology**

The example in this section uses the following topology.



In this example, BGP-EPE peer SIDs are allocated from the default SRLB label range (15000 - 15999). The BGP-EPE peer SIDs are configured as follows:

- PeerNode SIDs to 10.10.10.2 with index 600 (label 15600), and for 20.10.10.2 with index 700 (label 15700)
- PeerAdj SID to link 10.1.1.2 with index 500 (label 15500)
- PeerSet SID 1 to load balance over BGP neighbors 10.10.10.1 and 20.10.10.2 with SID index 300 (label 15300)
- PeerSet SID 2 to load balance over BGP neighbor 20.10.10.2 and link 10.1.1.2 with SID index 400 (label 15400)

#### **Configuration on R1**

```
router bgp 10
address-family ipv4 unicast
peer-set-id 1
   peer-set-sid index 300
!
peer-set-id 2
   peer-set-sid index 400
!
```

```
! adjacencies
10.1.1.2
  adjacency-sid index 500
  peer-set 2
!
!
neighbor 10.10.10.2
  remote-as 20
  egress-engineering
  peer-node-sid index 600
  peer-set 1
!
neighbor 20.10.10.2
  egress-engineering
  peer-node-sid index 700
  peer-set 1
  peer-set 2
```

To further show the load balancing of this example:

```
• 15600 is load balanced over {10.1.1.1 and 2.1.1.1}
```

- 15700 is load balanced over {3.1.1.1 and 4.1.1.1}
- 15500 is load balanced over {10.1.1.1}
- 15300 is load balanced over {10.1.1.1, 2.1.1.1, 3.1.1.1 and 4.1.1.1}
- 15400 is load balanced over {10.1.1.1, 3.1.1.1 and 4.1.1.1}

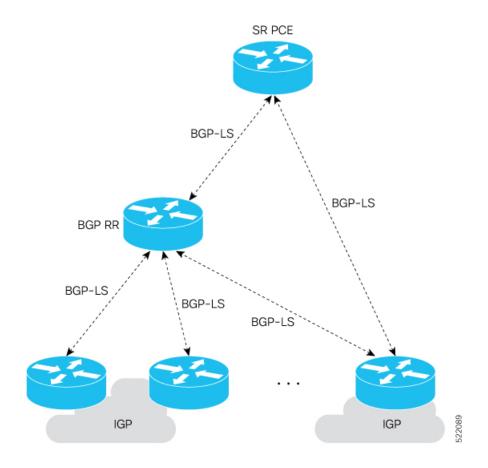
# **Configure BGP Link-State**

BGP Link-State (LS) is an Address Family Identifier (AFI) and Sub-address Family Identifier (SAFI) originally defined to carry interior gateway protocol (IGP) link-state information through BGP. The BGP Network Layer Reachability Information (NLRI) encoding format for BGP-LS and a new BGP Path Attribute called the BGP-LS attribute are defined in RFC7752. The identifying key of each Link-State object, namely a node, link, or prefix, is encoded in the NLRI and the properties of the object are encoded in the BGP-LS attribute.

The BGP-LS Extensions for Segment Routing are documented in RFC9085.

BGP-LS applications like an SR Path Computation Engine (SR-PCE) can learn the SR capabilities of the nodes in the topology and the mapping of SR segments to those nodes. This can enable the SR-PCE to perform path computations based on SR-TE and to steer traffic on paths different from the underlying IGP-based distributed best-path computation.

The following figure shows a typical deployment scenario. In each IGP area, one or more nodes (BGP speakers) are configured with BGP-LS. These BGP speakers form an iBGP mesh by connecting to one or more route-reflectors. This way, all BGP speakers (specifically the route-reflectors) obtain Link-State information from all IGP areas (and from other ASes from eBGP peers).



#### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- BGP-LS supports IS-IS and OSPFv2.
- The identifier field of BGP-LS (referred to as the Instance-ID) identifies the IGP routing domain where the NLRI belongs. The NLRIs representing link-state objects (nodes, links, or prefixes) from the same IGP routing instance must use the same Instance-ID value.
- When there is only a single protocol instance in the network where BGP-LS is operational, we recommend configuring the Instance-ID value to **0**.
- Assign consistent BGP-LS Instance-ID values on all BGP-LS Producers within a given IGP domain.
- NLRIs with different Instance-ID values are considered to be from different IGP routing instances.
- Unique Instance-ID values must be assigned to routing protocol instances operating in different IGP
  domains. This allows the BGP-LS Consumer (for example, SR-PCE) to build an accurate segregated
  multi-domain topology based on the Instance-ID values, even when the topology is advertised via BGP-LS
  by multiple BGP-LS Producers in the network.
- If the BGP-LS Instance-ID configuration guidelines are not followed, a BGP-LS Consumer may see duplicate link-state objects for the same node, link, or prefix when there are multiple BGP-LS Producers deployed. This may also result in the BGP-LS Consumers getting an inaccurate network-wide topology.

• The following table defines the supported extensions to the BGP-LS address family for carrying IGP topology information (including SR information) via BGP. For more information on the BGP-LS TLVs, refer to Border Gateway Protocol - Link State (BGP-LS) Parameters.

Table 8: IOS XR Supported BGP-LS Node Descriptor, Link Descriptor, Prefix Descriptor, and Attribute TLVs

TLV Code Point	Description	Produced by IS-IS	Produced by OSPFv2	Produced by BGP
256	Local Node Descriptors	X	X	_
257	Remote Node Descriptors	X	X	_
258	Link Local/Remote Identifiers	X	X	_
259	IPv4 interface address	X	X	_
260	IPv4 neighbor address	X		
261	IPv6 interface address	X	_	<u> </u>
262	IPv6 neighbor address	X	_	_
263	Multi-Topology ID	X	_	_
264	OSPF Route Type	_	X	_
265	IP Reachability Information	X	X	_
266	Node MSD TLV	X	X	_
267	Link MSD TLV	X	X	_
512	Autonomous System	_	_	X
513	BGP-LS Identifier	_	_	X
514	OSPF Area-ID	_	X	_
515	IGP Router-ID	X	X	_
516	BGP Router-ID TLV	_	_	X
517	BGP Confederation Member TLV	_	_	X
1024	Node Flag Bits	X	X	_
1026	Node Name	X	X	_
1027	IS-IS Area Identifier	X	_	_
1028	IPv4 Router-ID of Local Node	X	X	_
1029	IPv6 Router-ID of Local Node	X	_	_
1030	IPv4 Router-ID of Remote Node	X	X	_
1031	IPv6 Router-ID of Remote Node	X	_	_
1034	SR Capabilities TLV	X	X	_
1035	SR Algorithm TLV	X	X	_
1036	SR Local Block TLV	X	X	_
	1			

TLV Code Point	Description	Produced by IS-IS	Produced by OSPFv2	Produced by BGP
1039	Flex Algo Definition (FAD) TLV	X	X	_
1044	Flex Algorithm Prefix Metric (FAPM) TLV		X	_
1088	Administrative group (color)	X	X	_
1089	Maximum link bandwidth	X	X	_
1090	Max. reservable link bandwidth	X	X	_
1091	Unreserved bandwidth	X	X	_
1092	TE Default Metric	X	X	_
1093	Link Protection Type	X	X	_
1094	MPLS Protocol Mask	X	X	<u> </u>
1095	IGP Metric	X	X	_
1096	Shared Risk Link Group	X	X	_
1099	Adjacency SID TLV	X	X	_
1100	100 LAN Adjacency SID TLV		X	_
1101	PeerNode SID TLV	_	_	X
1102	PeerAdj SID TLV	_	_	X
1103	PeerSet SID TLV	_	_	X
1114	Unidirectional Link Delay TLV X X		X	_
1115	15 Min/Max Unidirectional Link Delay TLV X X		X	<u> </u>
1116	Unidirectional Delay Variation TLV	X	X	_
1117	Unidirectional Link Loss	X	X	_
1118	Unidirectional Residual Bandwidth	X	X	_
1119	Unidirectional Available Bandwidth	X	X	_
1120	Unidirectional Utilized Bandwidth	X	X	_
1122	Application-Specific Link Attribute TLV	X	X	<u> </u>
1152	IGP Flags	X	X	_
1153	IGP Route Tag	X	X	_
1154	IGP Extended Route Tag	X	_	_
1155	Prefix Metric	X	X	_
1156	OSPF Forwarding Address	_	X	_
1158	Prefix-SID	X	X	_
1159	Range	X	X	_

TLV Code Point	Description	Produced by IS-IS	Produced by OSPFv2	Produced by BGP
1161	SID/Label TLV	X	X	_
1170	Prefix Attribute Flags	X	X	_
1171	Source Router Identifier	X	_	_
1172	L2 Bundle Member Attributes TLV	X	_	_
1173	Extended Administrative Group	X	X	_

### **Exchange Link State Information with BGP Neighbor**

The following example shows how to exchange link-state information with a BGP neighbor:

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# router bgp 1
Router(config-bgp)# neighbor 10.0.0.2
Router(config-bgp-nbr)# remote-as 1
Router(config-bgp-nbr)# address-family link-state link-state
Router(config-bgp-nbr-af)# exit
```

### **IGP Link-State Database Distribution**

A given BGP node may have connections to multiple, independent routing domains. IGP link-state database distribution into BGP-LS is supported for both OSPF and IS-IS protocols in order to distribute this information on to controllers or applications that desire to build paths spanning or including these multiple domains.

To distribute IS-IS link-state data using BGP-LS, use the **distribute link-state** command in router configuration mode.

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# router isis isp
Router(config-isis)# distribute link-state instance-id 32
```

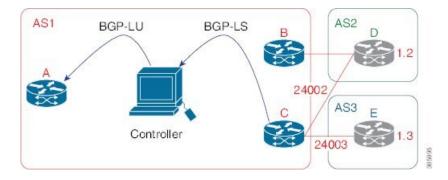
To distribute OSPFv2 link-state data using BGP-LS, use the **distribute link-state** command in router configuration mode.

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# router ospf 100
Router(config-ospf)# distribute link-state instance-id 32
```

# **Use Case: Configuring SR-EPE and BGP-LS**

In the following figure, segment routing is enabled on autonomous system AS1 with ingress node A and egress nodes B and C. In this example, we configure EPE on egress node C.

Figure 3: Topology



#### **Procedure**

**Step 1** Configure node C with EPE for eBGP peers D and E.

#### Example:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config)# router bgp 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp)# neighbor 192.168.1.3
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr)# remote-as 3
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr)# description to E
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr)# egress-engineering
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr-af)# route-policy bgp_in in
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr-af)# route-policy bgp_out out
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr-af)# exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr)# exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp)# neighbor 192.168.1.2
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 2
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr)# description to D
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr)# egress-engineering
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr-af)# route-policy bgp_in in
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr-af)# route-policy bgp out out
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr-af)# exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C(config-bgp-nbr)# exit
```

**Step 2** Configure node C to advertise peer node SIDs to the controller using BGP-LS.

### **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp)# neighbor 172.29.50.71
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr)# remote-as 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr)# description to EPE_controller
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr)# address-family link-state link-state
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp-nbr)# exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config-bgp)# exit
```

**Step 3** Commit the configuration.

### Example:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C(config)# commit
```

### **Step 4** Verify the configuration.

### **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router C# show bgp egress-engineering
 Egress Engineering Peer Set: 192.168.1.2/32 (10b87210)
    Nexthop: 192.168.1.2
    Version: 2, rn version: 2
      Flags: 0x00000002
  Local ASN: 1
  Remote ASN: 2
  Local RID: 10.1.1.3
 Remote RID: 10.1.1.4
  First Hop: 192.168.1.2
       NHID: 3
      Label: 24002, Refcount: 3
     rpc set: 10b9d408
Egress Engineering Peer Set: 192.168.1.3/32 (10be61d4)
    Nexthop: 192.168.1.3
    Version: 3, rn version: 3
      Flags: 0x00000002
  Local ASN: 1
 Remote ASN: 3
  Local RID: 10.1.1.3
 Remote RID: 10.1.1.5
  First Hop: 192.168.1.3
       NHID: 4
      Label: 24003, Refcount: 3
    rpc set: 10be6250
```

The output shows that node C has allocated peer SIDs for each eBGP peer.

### **Example:**

```
      RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router_C# show mpls forwarding labels 24002 24003

      Local Outgoing Prefix Outgoing Next Hop Bytes

      Label Label or ID Interface Switched

      24002 Pop No ID Te0/0/0/1 192.168.1.2 0

      24003 Pop No ID Te0/0/0/2 192.168.1.3 0
```

The output shows that node C installed peer node SIDs in the Forwarding Information Base (FIB).

# **Configure BGP Proxy Prefix SID**

To support segment routing, Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) requires the ability to advertise a segment identifier (SID) for a BGP prefix. A BGP-Prefix-SID is the segment identifier of the BGP prefix segment in a segment routing network. BGP prefix SID attribute is a BGP extension to signal BGP prefix-SIDs. However, there may be routers which do not support BGP extension for segment routing. Hence, those routers also do not support BGP prefix SID attribute and an alternate approach is required.

BGP proxy prefix SID feature allows you to attach BGP prefix SID attributes for remote prefixes learnt from BGP labeled unicast (LU) neighbours which are not SR-capable and propagate them as SR prefixes. This

allows an LSP towards non SR endpoints to use segment routing global block in a SR domain. Since BGP proxy prefix SID uses global label values it minimizes the use of limited resources such as ECMP-FEC and provides more scalability for the networks.

BGP proxy prefix SID feature is implemented using the segment routing mapping server (SRMS). SRMS allows the user to configure SID mapping entries to specify the prefix-SIDs for the prefixes. The mapping server advertises the local SID-mapping policy to the mapping clients. BGP acts as a client of the SRMS and uses the mapping policy to calculate the prefix-SIDs.

### **Configuration Example:**

This example shows how to configure the BGP proxy prefix SID feature for the segment routing mapping server.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config) # segment-routing
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config-sr) # mapping-server
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms) # prefix-sid-map
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms-map) # address-family ipv4
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms-map-af) # 10.1.1.1/32 10 range 200
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms-map-af) # 192.168.64.1/32 400 range 300
```

This example shows how to configure the BGP proxy prefix SID feature for the segment-routing mapping client.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# router bgp 1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp)# address-family ip4 unicast
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-af)# segment-routing prefix-sid-map
```

#### Verification

These examples show how to verify the BGP proxy prefix SID feature.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router# show segment-routing mapping-server prefix-sid-map ipv4 detail
Prefix
10.1.1.1/32
    SID Index:
                  10
                  200
   Range:
   Last Prefix:
                   10.1.1.200/32
    Last SID Index: 209
   Flags:
Number of mapping entries: 1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router# show bgp ipv4 labeled-unicast 192.168.64.1/32
BGP routing table entry for 192.168.64.1/32
Versions:
                  bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
 Process
                        117
                                    117
 Local Label: 16400
Last Modified: Oct 25 01:02:28.562 for 00:11:45Paths: (2 available, best #1)
 Advertised to peers (in unique update groups):
  201.1.1.1
 Path #1: Received by speaker 0 Advertised to peers (in unique update groups):
   201.1.1.1
  Local
   20.0.101.1 from 20.0.101.1 (20.0.101.1)
                                               Received Label 61
  Origin IGP, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best, multipath, labeled-unicast
   Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 0, version 117
```

```
Prefix SID Attribute Size: 7
  Label Index: 1
 RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router# show route ipv4 unicast 192.68.64.1/32 detail
Routing entry for 192.168.64.1/32
  Known via "bgp 65000", distance 200, metric 0, [ei]-bgp, labeled SR, type internal
  Installed Oct 25 01:02:28.583 for 00:20:09
  Routing Descriptor Blocks
    20.0.101.1, from 20.0.101.1, BGP multi path
     Route metric is 0
     Label: 0x3d (61)
     Tunnel ID: None
     Binding Label: None
     Extended communities count: 0
     NHID:0x0(Ref:0)
  Route version is 0x6 (6)
  Local Label: 0x3e81 (16400)
  IP Precedence: Not Set
  QoS Group ID: Not Set
  Flow-tag: Not Set
  Fwd-class: Not Set
  Route Priority: RIB PRIORITY RECURSIVE (12) SVD Type RIB SVD TYPE LOCAL
  Download Priority 4, Download Version 242
  No advertising protos.
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router# show cef ipv4 192.168.64.1/32 detail
192.168.64.1/32, version 476, labeled SR, drop adjacency, internal 0x5000001 0x80 (ptr
0x71c42b40) [1], 0x0 (0x71c11590), 0x808 (0x722b91e0)
Updated Oct 31 23:23:48.733
 Prefix Len 32, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 4
 Extensions: context-label:16400
  gateway array (0x71ae7e78) reference count 3, flags 0x7a, source rib (7), 0 backups
                [2 type 5 flags 0x88401 (0x722eb450) ext 0x0 (0x0)]
 LW-LDI[type=5, refc=3, ptr=0x71c11590, sh-ldi=0x722eb450]
  gateway array update type-time 3 Oct 31 23:49:11.720
 LDI Update time Oct 31 23:23:48.733
LW-LDI-TS Oct 31 23:23:48.733
  via 20.0.101.1/32, 0 dependencies, recursive, bgp-ext [flags 0x6020]
   path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0x7129a294 0x0]
   recursion-via-/32
    unresolved
     local label 16400
     labels imposed {ExpNullv6}
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:router# show bgp labels
BGP router identifier 2.1.1.1, local AS number 65000
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0xe0000000 RD version: 245
BGP main routing table version 245
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 16 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 245/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
             i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
 Network
                     Next Hop
                                    Rcvd Label
                                                      Local Label
*>i10.1.1.1/32
                     10.1.1.1
                                                     16010
                                     3
*> 2.1.1.1/32
                    0.0.0.0
                                    nolabel
                                                      3
```

*>	192.68.64.1/32	20.0.101.1	2	16400
*>	192.68.64.2/32	20.0.101.1	2	16401



# **Configure SR-TE Policies**

This module provides information about segment routing for traffic engineering (SR-TE) policies, how to configure SR-TE policies, and how to steer traffic into an SR-TE policy.

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# **SR-TE Policy Overview**

Segment routing for traffic engineering (SR-TE) uses a "policy" to steer traffic through the network. An SR-TE policy path is expressed as a list of segments that specifies the path, called a segment ID (SID) list. Each segment is an end-to-end path from the source to the destination, and instructs the routers in the network to follow the specified path instead of following the shortest path calculated by the IGP. If a packet is steered into an SR-TE policy, the SID list is pushed on the packet by the head-end. The rest of the network executes the instructions embedded in the SID list.

An SR-TE policy is identified as an ordered list (head-end, color, end-point):

- Head-end Where the SR-TE policy is instantiated
- Color A numerical value that distinguishes between two or more policies to the same node pairs (Head-end End point)
- End-point The destination of the SR-TE policy

Every SR-TE policy has a color value. Every policy between the same node pairs requires a unique color value.

An SR-TE policy uses one or more candidate paths. A candidate path is a single segment list (SID-list) or a set of weighted SID-lists (for weighted equal cost multi-path [WECMP]). A candidate path is either dynamic or explicit. See *SR-TE Policy Path Types* section for more information.

### **Auto-Route Announce for SR-TE**

Auto-route announce for SR-TE cannot handle LDP-over-SR-TE if the SR-TE terminates at an LDP mid-node.

Let us consider the following topology:

If there is an SR-TE route from R1 to R4, and an LDP prefix is learnt from R6, then auto-route announce will fail.

### **Autoroute Include**

You can configure SR-TE policies with Autoroute Include to steer specific IGP (IS-IS, OSPF) prefixes, or all prefixes, over non-shortest paths and to divert the traffic for those prefixes on to the SR-TE policy.

The **autoroute include all** option applies Autoroute Announce functionality for all destinations or prefixes.

The **autoroute include ipv4** *address* option applies Autoroute Destination functionality for the specified destinations or prefixes. This option is supported for IS-IS only; it is not supported for OSPF.

The Autoroute SR-TE policy adds the prefixes into the IGP, which determines if the prefixes on the endpoint or downstream of the endpoint are eligible to use the SR-TE policy. If a prefix is eligible, then the IGP checks if the prefix is listed in the Autoroute Include configuration. If the prefix is included, then the IGP downloads the prefix route with the SR-TE policy as the outgoing path.

### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- Autoroute Include supports three metric types:
  - Default (no metric): The path over the SR-TE policy inherits the shortest path metric.
  - Absolute (constant) metric: The shortest path metric to the policy endpoint is replaced with the configured absolute metric. The metric to any prefix that is Autoroute Included is modified to the absolute metric. Use the **autoroute metric constant** *constant-metric* command, where *constant-metric* is from 1 to 2147483647.
  - Relative metric: The shortest path metric to the policy endpoint is modified with the relative value configured (plus or minus). Use the **autoroute metric relative** *relative-metric* command, where *relative-metric* is from -10 to +10.



Note

To prevent load-balancing over IGP paths, you can specify a metric that is lower than the value that IGP takes into account for autorouted destinations (for example, autoroute metric relative -1).

### **Configuration Examples**

The following example shows how to configure autoroute include for all prefixes:

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
```

```
Router(config-sr-te) #policy P1
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # autoroute include all
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-pp-index) # explicit segment-list Plist-1
```

The following example shows how to configure autoroute include for the specified IPv4 prefixes:



Note

This option is supported for IS-IS only; it is not supported for OSPF.

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)#policy P1
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# autoroute include ipv4 10.1.1.21/32
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# autoroute include ipv4 10.1.1.23/32
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# autoroute metric constant 1
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path)# preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-pp-index)# explicit segment-list Plist-1
```

### **Color-Only Automated Steering**

Color-only steering is a traffic steering mechanism where a policy is created with given color, regardless of the endpoint.

You can create an SR-TE policy for a specific color that uses a NULL end-point (0.0.0.0 for IPv4 NULL, and ::0 for IPv6 NULL end-point). This means that you can have a single policy that can steer traffic that is based on that color and a NULL endpoint for routes with a particular color extended community, but different destinations (next-hop).



Note

Every SR-TE policy with a NULL end-point must have an explicit path-option. The policy cannot have a dynamic path-option (where the path is computed by the head-end or PCE) since there is no destination for the policy.

You can also specify a color-only (CO) flag in the color extended community for overlay routes. The CO flag allows the selection of an SR-policy with a matching color, regardless of endpoint Sub-address Family Identifier (SAFI) (IPv4 or IPv6). See Setting CO Flag, on page 176.

#### **Configure Color-Only Steering**

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# policy P1
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 1 end-point ipv4 0.0.0.0
```

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# policy P2
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 2 end-point ipv6 ::0

Router# show running-configuration
segment-routing
traffic-eng
policy P1
   color 1 end-point ipv4 0.0.0.0
!
   policy P2
   color 2 end-point ipv6 ::
!
!
!
end
```

## **Address-Family Agnostic Automated Steering**

Address-family agnostic steering uses an SR-TE policy to steer both labeled and unlabeled IPv4 and IPv6 traffic. This feature requires support of IPv6 encapsulation (IPv6 caps) over IPV4 endpoint policy.

IPv6 caps for IPv4 NULL end-point is enabled automatically when the policy is created in Segment Routing Path Computation Element (SR-PCE). The binding SID (BSID) state notification for each policy contains an "ipv6 caps" flag that notifies SR-PCE clients (PCC) of the status of IPv6 caps (enabled or disabled).

An SR-TE policy with a given color and IPv4 NULL end-point could have more than one candidate path. If any of the candidate paths has IPv6 caps enabled, then all of the remaining candidate paths need IPv6 caps enabled. If IPv6 caps is not enabled on all candidate paths of same color and end-point, traffic drops can occur.

You can disable IPv6 caps for a particular color and IPv4 NULL end-point using the **ipv6 disable** command on the local policy. This command disables IPv6 caps on all candidate paths that share the same color and IPv4 NULL end-point.

### **Disable IPv6 Encapsulation**

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# policy P1
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 1 end-point ipv4 0.0.0.0
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# ipv6 disable
```

## LDP over Segment Routing Policy

The LDP over Segment Routing Policy feature enables an LDP-targeted adjacency over a Segment Routing (SR) policy between two routers. This feature extends the existing MPLS LDP address family neighbor configuration to specify an SR policy as the targeted end-point.

LDP over SR policy is supported for locally configured SR policies with IPv4 end-points.

For more information about MPLS LDP, see the "Implementing MPLS Label Distribution Protocol" chapter in the *MPLS Configuration Guide*.

For more information about Autoroute, see the Autoroute Announce for SR-TE section.



Note

Before you configure an LDP targeted adjacency over SR policy name, you need to create the SR policy under Segment Routing configuration. The SR policy interface names are created internally based on the color and endpoint of the policy. LDP is non-operational if SR policy name is unknown.

The following functionality applies:

- 1. Configure the SR policy LDP receives the associated end-point address from the interface manager (IM) and stores it in the LDP interface database (IDB) for the configured SR policy.
- 2. Configure the SR policy name under LDP LDP retrieves the stored end-point address from the IDB and uses it. Use the auto-generated SR policy name assigned by the router when creating an LDP targeted adjacency over an SR policy. Auto-generated SR policy names use the following naming convention: srte\_c\_color\_val\_ep\_endpoint-address. For example, srte\_c\_1000\_ep\_10.1.1.2

### **Configuration Example**

```
/* Enter the SR-TE configuration mode and create the SR policy. This example corresponds
to a local SR policy with an explicit path. */
Router(config) # segment-routing
Router(config-sr) # traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# segment-list sample-sid-list
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.7
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 20 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# exit
Router(config-sr-te) # policy sample_policy
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # color 1000 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router (config-sr-te-policy) # candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref)# explicit segment-list sample-sid-list
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # end
/* Configure LDP over an SR policy */
Router(config) # mpls ldp
Router(config-ldp) # address-family ipv4
Router(config-ldp-af) # neighbor sr-policy srte c 1000 ep 10.1.1.2 targeted
Router(config-ldp-af)#
```



Note

Do one of the following to configure LDP discovery for targeted hellos:

• Active targeted hellos (SR policy head end):

```
mpls ldp
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
!
```

• Passive targeted hellos (SR policy end-point):

```
mpls ldp
address-family ipv4
   discovery targeted-hello accept
!
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
segment-list sample-sid-list
  index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.7
  index 20 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
!
policy sample_policy
  color 1000 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
      explicit segment-list sample-sid-list
   !
  !
  !
!
!

mpls ldp
address-family ipv4
neighbor sr-policy srte_c_1000_ep_10.1.1.2 targeted
discovery targeted-hello accept
!
!
```

### **Verification**

Router# show mpls ldp interface brief

Interface	VRF Name	Config	Enabled	IGP-Auto-Cfg	TE-Mesh-Grp cfg
Te0/3/0/0/3	default	Y	Y	0	N/A
Te0/3/0/0/6	default	Y	Y	0	N/A
Te0/3/0/0/7	default	Y	Y	0	N/A
Te0/3/0/0/8	default	N	N	0	N/A
Te0/3/0/0/9	default	N	N	0	N/A
srte_c_1000_	default	Y	Y	0	N/A

```
Router# show mpls ldp interface
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/3 (0xa000340)
    VRF: 'default' (0x60000000)
```

```
Enabled via config: LDP interface
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/6 (0xa000400)
   VRF: 'default' (0x60000000)
   Enabled via config: LDP interface
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/7 (0xa000440)
   VRF: 'default' (0x6000000)
   Enabled via config: LDP interface
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/8 (0xa000480)
   VRF: 'default' (0x6000000)
   Disabled:
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/9 (0xa0004c0)
   VRF: 'default' (0x60000000)
   Disabled:
Interface srte c 1000 ep 10.1.1.2 (0x520)
   VRF: 'default' (0x6000000)
   Enabled via config: LDP interface
Router# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 1000
SR-TE policy database
Color: 1000, End-point: 10.1.1.2
 Name: srte_c_1000_ep_10.1.1.2
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:02:00 (since Jul 2 22:39:06.663)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 100 (configuration) (active)
      Name: sample policy
      Requested BSID: dynamic
      PCC info:
        Symbolic name: cfg_sample_policy discr 100
        PLSP-ID: 17
      Explicit: segment-list sample-sid-list (valid)
        Weight: 1, Metric Type: TE
         16007 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.7]
         16002 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.2]
  Attributes:
   Binding SID: 80011
   Forward Class: 0
    Steering BGP disabled: no
    IPv6 caps enable: yes
Router# show mpls ldp neighbor 10.1.1.2 detail
Peer LDP Identifier: 10.1.1.2:0
  TCP connection: 10.1.1.2:646 - 10.1.1.6:57473
  Graceful Restart: No
  Session Holdtime: 180 sec
  State: Oper; Msgs sent/rcvd: 421/423; Downstream-Unsolicited
  Up time: 05:22:02
  LDP Discovery Sources:
   IPv4: (1)
      Targeted Hello (10.1.1.6 -> 10.1.1.2, active/passive)
    IPv6: (0)
  Addresses bound to this peer:
    IPv4: (9)
                     2.2.2.99
                                    10.1.2.2
                                                   10.2.3.2
      10.1.1.2
      10.2.4.2
                                    10.2.222.2
                     10.2.22.2
                                                   10.30.110.132
      11.2.9.2
   IPv6: (0)
  Peer holdtime: 180 sec; KA interval: 60 sec; Peer state: Estab
```

```
NSR: Disabled

Clients: LDP over SR Policy

Capabilities:
Sent:

0x508 (MP: Point-to-Multipoint (P2MP))
0x509 (MP: Multipoint-to-Multipoint (MP2MP))
0x50a (MP: Make-Before-Break (MBB))
0x50b (Typed Wildcard FEC)

Received:
0x508 (MP: Point-to-Multipoint (P2MP))
0x509 (MP: Multipoint-to-Multipoint (MP2MP))
0x50a (MP: Make-Before-Break (MBB))
0x50b (Typed Wildcard FEC)
```

## **Static Route over Segment Routing Policy**

This feature allows you to specify a Segment Routing (SR) policy as an interface type when configuring static routes for MPLS data planes.

For information on configuring static routes, see the "Implementing Static Routes" chapter in the *Routing Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers*.

### **Configuration Example**

The following example depicts a configuration of a static route for an IPv4 destination over an SR policy according to following parameters:

- Target SR policy:
  - Color = 200
  - End-point = 10.1.1.4
  - Auto-generated SR policy name = srte\_c\_200\_ep\_10.1.1.4



Note

Use the auto-generated SR-TE policy name to attach the SR policy to the static route. Auto-generated SR policy names use the following naming convention:  $srte\_c\_color\_val\_ep\_endpoint-address$ .

Use the show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color <color\_val> endpoint ipv4 <ip\_addr> command to display the auto-generated policy name.

- Admin distance = 40
- Load metric = 150
- Install the route in RIB regardless of reachability

```
Router(config) # router static
Router(config-static) # address-family ipv4 unicast
Router(config-static-afi) # 10.1.1.4/32 sr-policy srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4 40 permanent metric
150
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
router static
address-family ipv4 unicast
 10.1.1.4/32 sr-policy srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4 40 permanent metric 150
!
```

#### Verification

```
{\tt RPP/O/RPO/CPU0:RTR-1\#\ show\ run\ segment-routing\ traffic-eng\ policy\ sample-policy-fool}
Tue Feb 16 17:40:16.759 PST
segment-routing
traffic-eng
 policy sample-policy-foo
   color 200 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
   candidate-paths
   preference 100
     dynamic
     metric
      type te
      !
     1
   !
  !
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 200 endpoint ipv4 10.1.1.4
Tue Feb 16 17:17:45.724 PST
SR-TE policy database
Color: 200, End-point: 10.1.1.4
 Name: srte c 200 ep 10.1.1.4
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 5d04h (since Feb 11 12:22:59.054)
  Candidate-paths:
    Preference: 100 (configuration) (active)
     Name: sample-policy-foo
      Requested BSID: dynamic
       Protection Type: protected-preferred
       Maximum SID Depth: 10
      Dynamic (valid)
        Metric Type: TE,
                          Path Accumulated Metric: 14
          16005 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.5]
          16004 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.4]
  Attributes:
    Binding SID: 24014
    Forward Class: Not Configured
    Steering labeled-services disabled: no
    Steering BGP disabled: no
    IPv6 caps enable: yes
    Invalidation drop enabled: no
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show static sr-policy srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4
Tue Feb 16 17:50:19.932 PST
Interface
                         VRF
                                              State
                                                        Paths
srte c 200 ep 10.1.1.4 default
                                                        10.1.1.4/32
                                              Up
Reference Count (in path with both intf<-->NH):0
```

```
Last IM notification was Up at Feb 16 17:09:08.325
     Global ifh
                        : 0x0000007c
     IM state
                        : up
     RSI registration : Yes
     Table IDs
                         : 0xe0000000
     Address Info:
      Route tag: 0x00000000 Flags: 0x00000000 Prefix SID: False [Active]
IP-STATIC-IDB-CLASS
Total entries : 1
Interface : sr-srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4
| Event Name
                           | Time Stamp
                                                  | S, M
| idb-create
                           | Feb 16 17:09:08.352 | 0, 0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show route 10.1.1.4/32
Tue Feb 16 17:09:21.164 PST
Routing entry for 10.1.1.4/32
 Known via "static", distance 40, metric 0 (connected)
  Installed Feb 16 17:09:08.325 for 00:00:13
  Routing Descriptor Blocks
   directly connected, via {\tt srte\_c\_200\_ep\_10.1.1.4}, permanent
     Route metric is 0, Wt is 150
  No advertising protos.
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show route 10.1.1.4/32 detail
Tue Feb 16 17:09:36.718 PST
Routing entry for 10.1.1.4/32
 Known via "static", distance 40, metric 0 (connected)
  Installed Feb 16 17:09:08.325 for 00:00:28
 Routing Descriptor Blocks
    directly connected, via srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4, permanent
      Route metric is 0, Wt is 150
      Label: None
      Tunnel ID: None
     Binding Label: None
      Extended communities count: 0
      NHID:0x0(Ref:0)
  Route version is 0x4a (74)
  Local Label: 0x3e84 (16004)
  IP Precedence: Not Set
  QoS Group ID: Not Set
  Flow-tag: Not Set
  Fwd-class: Not Set
  Route Priority: RIB PRIORITY RECURSIVE (9) SVD Type RIB SVD TYPE LOCAL
  Download Priority 3, Download Version 258
 No advertising protos.
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show cef 10.1.1.4/32 detail
Tue Feb 16 17:10:06.956 PST
10.1.1.4/32, version 258, attached, internal 0x1000441 0x30 (ptr 0xd3f0d30) [1], 0x0
(0xe46f960), 0xa20 (0xe9694e0)
Updated Feb 16 17:09:08.328
Prefix Len 32, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 3
 gateway array (0xe2d9a08) reference count 2, flags 0x8068, source rib (7), 0 backups
                [3 type 4 flags 0x108401 (0xe9aeb98) ext 0x0 (0x0)]
 LW-LDI[type=1, refc=1, ptr=0xe46f960, sh-ldi=0xe9aeb98]
  gateway array update type-time 1 Feb 16 17:07:59.946
```

```
LDI Update time Feb 16 17:07:59.946
LW-LDI-TS Feb 16 17:07:59.946
  via srte c 200 ep 10.1.1.4, 5 dependencies, weight 0, class 0 [flags 0xc]
   path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0xf3b1a30 0x0]
   local adjacency
    local label 16004
                       labels imposed {None}
   Load distribution: 0 (refcount 3)
                                  Address
   Hash OK Interface
   0 Y srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4 point2point
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show mpls forwarding labels 16004 detail
Tue Feb 16 17:27:59.831 PST
Local Outgoing Prefix
                                 Outgoing
                                           Next Hop
                                                          Bvtes
Label Label
               or ID
                                Interface
                                                          Switched
16004 Unlabelled SR Pfx (idx 4) srte_c_200_e point2point
    Updated: Feb 16 17:07:59.945
    Path Flags: 0xc [ ]
    Version: 258, Priority: 3
    Label Stack (Top -> Bottom): { Unlabelled Unlabelled }
    NHID: 0x0, Encap-ID: N/A, Path idx: 0, Backup path idx: 0, Weight: 0
    MAC/Encaps: 0/0, MTU: 0
    Outgoing Interface: srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4 (ifhandle 0x0000007c)
    Packets Switched: 20
```

### Limitations

Observe the following limitations for the platform.

## **SR-TE MPLS Label Imposition Enhancement**

The SR-TE MPLS Label Imposition Enhancement feature increases the maximum label imposition capabilities of the platform.

In previous releases, the platform supported:

- Up to 5 MPLS transport labels when no MPLS service labels are imposed
- Up to 3 MPLS transport labels when MPLS service labels are imposed

With the SR-TE MPLS Label Imposition Enhancement feature, the platform supports the following:

- Up to 12 MPLS transport labels when no MPLS service labels are imposed
- Up to 9 MPLS transport labels when MPLS service labels are imposed

This enhancement is enabled and disabled dynamically, as the label count changes. For example, if a path requires only 3 MPLS transport labels, the MPLS Label Imposition Enhancement feature is not enabled.

You can disable labeled services for SR-TE policies. The label switching database (LSD) needs to know if labeled services are disabled on top of an SR-TE policy to perform proper label stack splitting.

### **Disable Labeled Services per Local Policy**

Use the **labeled-services disable** command to disable steering for labeled services for a configured policy. This configuration applies per policy.

```
segment-routing
  traffic-eng
  policy policy name
    steering
    labeled-services disable
```

### **Disable Labeled Services per ODN color**

Use the **labeled-services disable** command to disable steering of labeled-services for on-demand color policies. This configuration applies for a specific ODN color.

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
on-demand color color
steering
labeled-services disable
```

### **Disable Labeled Services per Policy Type**

Use the **labeled-services disable** command to disable steering of labeled services for all policies for the following policy types:

- all all policies
- local all locally configured policies
- on-demand all BGP on-demand color policies
- **bgp-srte** all controller-initiated BGP SR-TE policies
- pcep all PCE-initiated policies



Note

You can specify more than one policy type.

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
steering
labeled-services
disable {all | local | on-demand | bgp-srte | pcep}
```

### **Verification**

Use the **show segment-routing traffic-eng policy** command to display SR policy information. The following output shows that steering of labeled services for the on-demand SR policy are disabled.

```
Router# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 10
Thu Jul 18 11:35:25.124 PDT

SR-TE policy database
------
Color: 10, End-point: 10.1.1.8
Name: srte_c_10_ep_10.1.1.8
```

```
Status:
Admin: up Operational: up for 00:00:06 (since Jul 18 11:35:19.350)
Candidate-paths:
Preference: 1 (configuration) (active)
Name: test_pol_2
Requested BSID: dynamic
Dynamic (valid)
Metric Type: TE, Path Accumulated Metric: 10
24004 [Adjacency-SID, 10.1.1.1 - 10.1.1.2]
Attributes:
Binding SID: 24011
Forward Class: 0
Steering labeled-services disabled: yes
Steering BGP disabled: no
IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

# Instantiation of an SR Policy

An SR policy is instantiated, or implemented, at the head-end router.

The following sections provide details on the SR policy instantiation methods:

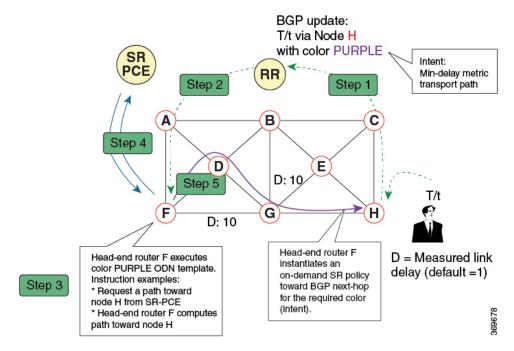
- On-Demand SR Policy SR On-Demand Next-Hop, on page 121
- Manually Provisioned SR Policy, on page 152
- PCE-Initiated SR Policy, on page 153

## On-Demand SR Policy – SR On-Demand Next-Hop

Segment Routing On-Demand Next Hop (SR-ODN) allows a service head-end router to automatically instantiate an SR policy to a BGP next-hop when required (on-demand). Its key benefits include:

- **SLA-aware BGP service** Provides per-destination steering behaviors where a prefix, a set of prefixes, or all prefixes from a service can be associated with a desired underlay SLA. The functionality applies equally to single-domain and multi-domain networks.
- **Simplicity** No prior SR Policy configuration needs to be configured and maintained. Instead, operator simply configures a small set of common intent-based optimization templates throughout the network.
- Scalability Device resources at the head-end router are used only when required, based on service or SLA connectivity needs.

The following example shows how SR-ODN works:



- 1. An egress PE (node H) advertises a BGP route for prefix T/t. This advertisement includes an SLA intent encoded with a BGP color extended community. In this example, the operator assigns color purple (example value = 100) to prefixes that should traverse the network over the delay-optimized path.
- 2. The route reflector receives the advertised route and advertises it to other PE nodes.
- **3.** Ingress PEs in the network (such as node F) are pre-configured with an ODN template for color purple that provides the node with the steps to follow in case a route with the intended color appears, for example:
  - Contact SR-PCE and request computation for a path toward node H that does not share any nodes with another LSP in the same disjointness group.
  - At the head-end router, compute a path towards node H that minimizes cumulative delay.
- **4.** In this example, the head-end router contacts the SR-PCE and requests computation for a path toward node H that minimizes cumulative delay.
- 5. After SR-PCE provides the compute path, an intent-driven SR policy is instantiated at the head-end router. Other prefixes with the same intent (color) and destined to the same egress PE can share the same on-demand SR policy. When the last prefix associated with a given [intent, egress PE] pair is withdrawn, the on-demand SR policy is deleted, and resources are freed from the head-end router.

An on-demand SR policy is created dynamically for BGP global or VPN (service) routes. The following services are supported with SR-ODN:

- IPv4 BGP global routes
- IPv6 BGP global routes (6PE)
- VPNv4
- VPNv6 (6vPE)
- EVPN-VPWS (single-homing)

- EVPN-VPWS (multi-homing)
- EVPN (single-homing/multi-homing)



Note

For EVPN single-homing, you must configure an EVPN Ethernet Segment Identifier (ESI) with a non-zero value.



Note

Colored per-ESI/per-EVI EVPN Ethernet Auto-Discovery route (route-type 1) and Inclusive Multicast Route (route-type 3) are used to trigger instantiation of ODN SR-TE policies.



Note

The following scenarios involving virtual Ethernet Segments (vES) are also supported with EVPN ODN:

- VPLS VFI as vES for single-active Multi-Homing to EVPN
- Active/backup Pseudo-wire (PW) as vES for Single-Homing to EVPN
- Static Pseudo-wire (PW) as vES for active-active Multi-Homing to EVPN

### **Configuring SR-ODN: Examples**

### **Configuring SR-ODN: Layer-3 Services Examples**

The following examples show end-to-end configurations used in implementing SR-ODN on the head-end router.

### **Configuring ODN Color Templates: Example**

Configure ODN color templates on routers acting as SR-TE head-end nodes. The following example shows various ODN color templates:

- color 10: minimization objective = te-metric
- color 20: minimization objective = igp-metric
- color 21: minimization objective = igp-metric; constraints = affinity
- color 22: minimization objective = te-metric; path computation at SR-PCE; constraints = affinity
- color 30: minimization objective = delay-metric
- color 128: constraints = flex-algo

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
on-demand color 10
dynamic
metric
type te
```

```
on-demand color 20
   dynamic
   metric
    type igp
   !
  on-demand color 21
   dynamic
   metric
    type igp
   affinity exclude-any
    name CROSS
   !
  !
  on-demand color 22
  dynamic
   рсер
   !
   metric
    type te
   affinity exclude-any
    name CROSS
   !
  !
  on-demand color 30
   dynamic
   metric
    type latency
   !
  on-demand color 128
  dynamic
   sid-algorithm 128
  !
end
```

### **Configuring BGP Color Extended Community Set: Example**

The following example shows how to configure BGP color extended communities that are later applied to BGP service routes via route-policies.



!

Note

In most common scenarios, egress PE routers that advertise BGP service routes apply (set) BGP color extended communities. However, color can also be set at the ingress PE router.

```
extcommunity-set opaque color10-te
 10
end-set
extcommunity-set opaque color20-igp
  20
```

```
end-set
!
extcommunity-set opaque color21-igp-excl-cross
   21
end-set
!
extcommunity-set opaque color30-delay
   30
end-set
!
extcommunity-set opaque color128-fa128
   128
end-set
!
```

### Configuring RPL to Set BGP Color (Layer-3 Services): Examples

The following example shows various representative RPL definitions that set BGP color community.

The first 4 RPL examples include the set color action only. The last RPL example performs the set color action for selected destinations based on a prefix-set.

```
route-policy SET COLOR LOW LATENCY TE
  set extcommunity color color10-te
 pass
end-policy
route-policy SET_COLOR_HI_BW
 set extcommunity color color20-igp
 pass
end-policy
route-policy SET COLOR LOW LATENCY
 set extcommunity color color30-delay
 pass
end-policy
route-policy SET COLOR FA 128
 set extcommunity color color128-fa128
 pass
end-policy
!
prefix-set sample-set
 88.1.0.0/24
end-set
route-policy SET COLOR GLOBAL
 if destination in sample-set then
   set extcommunity color color10-te
  else
   pass
 endif
end-policy
```

### Applying RPL to BGP Services (Layer-3 Services): Example

The following example shows various RPLs that set BGP color community being applied to BGP Layer-3 VPN services (VPNv4/VPNv6) and BGP global.

- The L3VPN examples show the RPL applied at the VRF export attach-point.
- The BGP global example shows the RPL applied at the BGP neighbor-out attach-point.

```
vrf vrf cust1
address-family ipv4 unicast
 export route-policy SET COLOR LOW LATENCY TE
address-family ipv6 unicast
 export route-policy SET COLOR LOW LATENCY TE
 1
!
vrf vrf cust2
address-family ipv4 unicast
 export route-policy SET COLOR HI BW
address-family ipv6 unicast
 export route-policy SET COLOR HI BW
1
!
vrf vrf cust3
address-family ipv4 unicast
 export route-policy SET COLOR LOW LATENCY
address-family ipv6 unicast
 export route-policy SET COLOR LOW LATENCY
!
vrf vrf cust4
address-family ipv4 unicast
 export route-policy SET COLOR FA 128
address-family ipv6 unicast
  export route-policy SET COLOR FA 128
router bgp 100
neighbor-group BR-TO-RR
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy SET_COLOR_GLOBAL out
 .
 !
1
end
```

#### **Verifying BGP VRF Information**

Use the **show bgp vrf** command to display BGP prefix information for VRF instances. The following output shows the BGP VRF table including a prefix (88.1.1.0/24) with color 10 advertised by router 10.1.1.8.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:R4# show bgp vrf vrf cust1
BGP VRF vrf cust1, state: Active
BGP Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.4:101
VRF ID: 0x60000007
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.4, local AS number 100
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0xe0000007 RD version: 282
BGP main routing table version 287
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 31 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
             i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
  Network
                     Next Hop
                                        Metric LocPrf Weight Path
```

The following output displays the details for prefix 88.1.1.0/24. Note the presence of BGP extended color community 10, and that the prefix is associated with an SR policy with color 10 and BSID value of 24036.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:R4# show bgp vrf vrf_cust1 88.1.1.0/24
BGP routing table entry for 88.1.1.0/24, Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.4:101
Versions:
                   bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
 Process
 Speaker
                         282
                                     2.82
Last Modified: May 20 09:23:34.112 for 00:06:03
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
  Advertised to CE peers (in unique update groups):
   40.4.101.11
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
  Advertised to CE peers (in unique update groups):
   40.4.101.11
  800 {1}
   10.1.1.8 C:10 (bsid:24036) (metric 20) from 10.1.1.55 (10.1.1.8)
      Received Label 24012
      Origin IGP, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best, import-candidate,
imported
      Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 273
      Extended community: Color:10 RT:100:1
      Originator: 10.1.1.8, Cluster list: 10.1.1.55
      SR policy color 10, up, registered, bsid 24036, if-handle 0x08000024
     Source AFI: VPNv4 Unicast, Source VRF: default, Source Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.8:101
```

### **Verifying Forwarding (CEF) Table**

Processed 4 prefixes, 4 paths

Use the **show cef vrf** command to display the contents of the CEF table for the VRF instance. Note that prefix 88.1.1.0/24 points to the BSID label corresponding to an SR policy. Other non-colored prefixes, such as 55.1.1.0/24, point to BGP next-hop.

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:R4# show cef vrf vrf\_cust1

Prefix	Next Hop	Interface
0.0.0.0/0 0.0.0.0/32	drop broadcast	default handler
40.4.101.0/24 40.4.101.0/32	attached broadcast	TenGigE0/0/0/0.101 TenGigE0/0/0/0.101
40.4.101.4/32 40.4.101.11/32	receive 40.4.101.11/32	TenGigE0/0/0/0.101 TenGigE0/0/0/0.101
40.4.101.255/32	broadcast	TenGigE0/0/0/0.101
44.1.1.0/24 55.1.1.0/24	40.4.101.11/32 10.1.1.5/32	<recursive> <recursive></recursive></recursive>
<b>88.1.1.0/24</b> 99.1.1.0/24 224.0.0.0/4	<b>24036 (via-label)</b> 10.1.1.9/32 0.0.0.0/32	<pre><recursive></recursive></pre>
224.0.0.0/4 224.0.0.0/24 255.255.255.255/32	receive broadcast	

The following output displays CEF details for prefix 88.1.1.0/24. Note that the prefix is associated with an SR policy with BSID value of 24036.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:R4# show cef vrf vrf_cust1 88.1.1.0/24
88.1.1.0/24, version 51, internal 0x5000001 0x0 (ptr 0x98c60ddc) [1], 0x0 (0x0), 0x208
(0x98425268)
Updated May 20 09:23:34.216
Prefix Len 24, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 3
  via local-label 24036, 5 dependencies, recursive [flags 0x6000]
    path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0x97091ec0 0x0]
    recursion-via-label
    next hop VRF - 'default', table - 0xe0000000
    next hop via 24036/0/21
    next hop srte_c_10_ep labels imposed {ImplNull 24012}
```

### **Verifying SR Policy**

Use the **show segment-routing traffic-eng policy** command to display SR policy information.

The following outputs show the details of an on-demand SR policy that was triggered by prefixes with color 10 advertised by node 10.1.1.8.

 $\mbox{RP/0/RP0/CPU0:} R4 \mbox{\#}$  show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 10 tabular

Binding	-		Endpoint	Color
SID	State	State		
24036	up	up	10.1.1.8	10

The following outputs show the details of the on-demand SR policy for BSID 24036.



Note

There are 2 candidate paths associated with this SR policy: the path that is computed by the head-end router (with preference 200), and the path that is computed by the SR-PCE (with preference 100). The candidate path with the highest preference is the active candidate path (highlighted below) and is installed in forwarding.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:R4# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy binding-sid 24036
SR-TE policy database
Color: 10, End-point: 10.1.1.8
  Name: srte c 10 ep 10.1.1.8
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 4d14h (since Jul 3 20:28:57.840)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 200 (BGP ODN) (active)
      Requested BSID: dynamic
      PCC info:
        Symbolic name: bgp c 10 ep 10.1.1.8 discr 200
        PLSP-ID: 12
      Dynamic (valid)
        Metric Type: TE,
                          Path Accumulated Metric: 30
            16009 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.9]
            16008 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.8]
    Preference: 100 (BGP ODN)
      Requested BSID: dynamic
      PCC info:
```

```
Symbolic name: bgp_c_10_ep_10.1.1.8_discr_100
PLSP-ID: 11
Dynamic (pce 10.1.1.57) (valid)
Metric Type: TE, Path Accumulated Metric: 30
16009 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.9]
16008 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.8]
Attributes:
Binding SID: 24036
Forward Class: 0
Steering BGP disabled: no
IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

### **Verifying SR Policy Forwarding**

Use the **show segment-routing traffic-eng forwarding policy** command to display the SR policy forwarding information.

The following outputs show the forwarding details for an on-demand SR policy that was triggered by prefixes with color 10 advertised by node 10.1.1.8.

 $\label{eq:rp0/RP0/CPU0:R4\#} \textbf{show segment-routing traffic-eng forwarding policy binding-sid 24036 tabular}$ 

Color	Endpoint	Segment List	, ,	Outgoing Interface	Next Hop	Bytes Switched	Pure Backup
10	10.1.1.8	dynamic	16009	Gi0/0/0/4	10.4.5.5	0	
			16001	Gi0/0/0/5	11.4.8.8	0	Yes

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:R4# show segment-routing traffic-eng forwarding policy binding-sid 24036 detail

```
Mon Jul 8 11:56:46.887 PST
SR-TE Policy Forwarding database
Color: 10, End-point: 10.1.1.8
  Name: srte c 10 ep 10.1.1.8
 Binding SID: 24036
  Segment Lists:
    SL[0]:
      Name: dynamic
      Paths:
        Path[0]:
          Outgoing Label: 16009
          Outgoing Interface: GigabitEthernet0/0/0/4
          Next Hop: 10.4.5.5
          Switched Packets/Bytes: 0/0
          FRR Pure Backup: No
          Label Stack (Top -> Bottom): { 16009, 16008 }
          Path-id: 1 (Protected), Backup-path-id: 2, Weight: 64
        Path[1]:
          Outgoing Label: 16001
          Outgoing Interface: GigabitEthernet0/0/0/5
          Next Hop: 11.4.8.8
          Switched Packets/Bytes: 0/0
          FRR Pure Backup: Yes
          Label Stack (Top -> Bottom): { 16001, 16009, 16008 }
          Path-id: 2 (Pure-Backup), Weight: 64
  Policy Packets/Bytes Switched: 0/0
  Local label: 80013
```

### **Configuring SR-ODN: EVPN Services Examples**

### **Configuring BGP Color Extended Community Set: Example**

The following example shows how to configure BGP color extended communities that are later applied to BGP service routes via route-policies.

```
extcommunity-set opaque color-44
44
end-set

extcommunity-set opaque color-55
55
end-set

extcommunity-set opaque color-77
77
end-set

extcommunity-set opaque color-88
88
end-set
```

### Configuring RPL to Set BGP Color (EVPN Services): Examples

The following examples shows various representative RPL definitions that set BGP color community.

The following RPL examples match on EVPN route-types and then set the BGP color extended community.

```
route-policy sample-export-rpl
  if evpn-route-type is 1 then
   set extcommunity color color-44
 if evpn-route-type is 3 then
   set extcommunity color color-55
  endif
end-policy
route-policy sample-import-rpl
 if evpn-route-type is 1 then
   set extcommunity color color-77
  elseif evpn-route-type is 3 then
   set extcommunity color color-88
  else
   pass
  endif
end-policy
```

The following RPL example sets BGP color extended community while matching on the following:

- Route Distinguisher (RD)
- Ethernet Segment Identifier (ESI)
- Ethernet Tag (ETAG)
- EVPN route-types

```
route-policy sample-bgpneighbor-rpl
  if rd in (10.1.1.1:3504) then
    set extcommunity color color3504
  elseif rd in (10.1.1.1:3505) then
    set extcommunity color color3505
```

```
elseif rd in (10.1.1.1:3506) then
set extcommunity color color99996
elseif esi in (0010.0000.0000.0000.1201) and rd in (10.1.1.1:3508) then
set extcommunity color color3508
elseif etag in (30509) and rd in (10.1.1.1:3509) then
set extcommunity color color3509
elseif etag in (0) and rd in (10.1.1.1:2001) and evpn-route-type is 1 then
set extcommunity color color82001
elseif etag in (0) and rd in (10.1.1.1:2001) and evpn-route-type is 3 then
set extcommunity color color92001
endif
pass
end-policy
```

### Applying RPL to BGP Services (EVPN Services): Example

The following examples show various RPLs that set BGP color community being applied to EVPN services.

The following 2 examples show the RPL applied at the EVI export and import attach-points.



Note

RPLs applied under EVI import or export attach-point also support matching on the following:

- Ethernet Segment Identifier (ESI)
- Ethernet Tag (ETAG)
- EVPN-Originator

```
evpn
 evi 101
 bgp
  route-target 101:1
  route-target import 100:1
  route-target export 101:1
  route-policy import sample-import-rpl
 advertise-mac
  !
 !
 evi 102
 bgp
  route-target 102:1
  route-target import 100:2
  route-target export 102:1
  route-policy export sample-export-rpl
 advertise-mac
```

The following example shows the RPL applied at the BGP neighbor-out attach-point.



Note

RPLs defined under BGP neighbor-out attach-point also support matching on the following:

EVPN-Originator

```
router bgp 100
bgp router-id 10.1.1.1
address-family 12vpn evpn
!
neighbor-group evpn-rr
remote-as 100
update-source Loopback0
address-family 12vpn evpn
!
neighbor 10.10.10.10
use neighbor-group evpn-rr
address-family 12vpn evpn
route-policy sample-bgpneighbor-rpl out
```

### **Configuring SR-ODN for EVPN-VPWS: Use Case**

This use case shows how to set up a pair of ELINE services using EVPN-VPWS between two sites. Services are carried over SR policies that must not share any common links along their paths (link-disjoint). The SR policies are triggered on-demand based on ODN principles. An SR-PCE computes the disjoint paths.

This use case uses the following topology with 2 sites: Site 1 with nodes A and B, and Site 2 with nodes C and D.

Figure 4: Topology for Use Case: SR-ODN for EVPN-VPWS

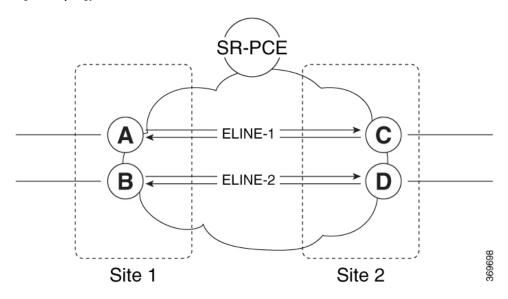


Table 9: Use Case Parameters

IP Addresses of Loopback0 (Lo0)	SR-PCE Lo0: 10.1.1.207			
Interfaces	Site 1: Site 2:			
	• Node A Lo0: 10.1.1.5	• Node C Lo0: 10.1.1.2		
	• Node B Lo0: 10.1.1.6	• Node D Lo0: 10.1.1.4		

EVPN-VPWS Service	ELINE-1:	ELINE-2:				
Parameters	• EVPN-VPWS EVI 100	• EVPN-VPWS EVI 101				
	• Node A: AC-ID = 11	• Node B: AC-ID = 12				
	• Node C: AC-ID = 21	• Node D: AC-ID = 22				
	Site 1 routers (Nodes A and B):	Site 2 routers (Nodes C and D):				
Communities	• set color 10000	• set color 11000				
	• match color 11000	• match color 10000				
Note These colors are	Note These colors are associated with the EVPN route-type 1 routes of the EVPN-VPWS services.					
PCEP LSP Disjoint-Path Association Group ID	Site 1 to Site 2 LSPs (from Node A to Node C/from Node B to Node D):	Site 2 to Site 1 LSPs (from Node C to Node A/from Node D to Node B):				
	• group-id = 775	• group-id = 776				

The use case provides configuration and verification outputs for all devices.

Configuration	Verification
Configuration: SR-PCE, on page 133	Verification: SR-PCE, on page 137
Configuration: Site 1 Node A, on page 133	Verification: Site 1 Node A, on page 142
Configuration: Site 1 Node B, on page 134	Verification: Site 1 Node B, on page 144
Configuration: Site 2 Node C, on page 135	Verification: Site 2 Node C, on page 147
Configuration: Site 2 Node D, on page 136	Verification: Site 2 Node D, on page 150

### **Configuration: SR-PCE**

For cases when PCC nodes support, or signal, PCEP association-group object to indicate the pair of LSPs in a disjoint set, there is no extra configuration required at the SR-PCE to trigger disjoint-path computation.



Note

SR-PCE also supports disjoint-path computation for cases when PCC nodes do not support PCEP association-group object. See Configure the Disjoint Policy (Optional), on page 203 for more information.

### Configuration: Site 1 Node A

This section depicts relevant configuration of Node A at Site 1. It includes service configuration, BGP color extended community, and RPL. It also includes the corresponding ODN template required to achieve the disjointness SLA.

Nodes in Site 1 are configured to set color 10000 on originating EVPN routes, while matching color 11000 on incoming EVPN routes from routers located at Site 2.

Since both nodes in Site 1 request path computation from SR-PCE using the same disjoint-path group-id (775), the PCE will attempt to compute disjointness for the pair of LSPs originating from Site 1 toward Site 2.

```
/* EVPN-VPWS configuration */
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/3.2500 12transport
encapsulation dot1q 2500
rewrite ingress tag pop 1 symmetric
12vpn
xconnect group evpn_vpws_group
 p2p evpn vpws 100
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/3.2500
  neighbor evpn evi 100 target 21 source 11
 -1
!
/* BGP color community and RPL configuration */
extcommunity-set opaque color-10000
 10000
end-set
route-policy SET COLOR EVPN VPWS
  if evpn-route-type is 1 and rd in (ios-regex '.*..*..*:(100)') then
   set extcommunity color color-10000
  endif
 pass
end-policy
router bgp 65000
neighbor 10.1.1.253
 address-family 12vpn evpn
  route-policy SET_COLOR_EVPN_VPWS out
 !
!
/* ODN template configuration */
segment-routing
 traffic-eng
 on-demand color 11000
   dynamic
   рсер
   !
   metric
    type igp
   disjoint-path group-id 775 type link
   !
 !
```

### **Configuration: Site 1 Node B**

This section depicts relevant configuration of Node B at Site 1.

```
/* EVPN-VPWS configuration */
interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/8.2500 12transport
encapsulation dot1q 2500
rewrite ingress tag pop 1 symmetric
12vpn
xconnect group evpn_vpws_group
 p2p evpn vpws 101
  interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/8.2500
  neighbor evpn evi 101 target 22 source 12
   !
!
/* BGP color community and RPL configuration */
extcommunity-set opaque color-10000
 10000
end-set
route-policy SET COLOR EVPN VPWS
  if evpn-route-type is 1 and rd in (ios-regex '.*..*..*:(101)') then
   set extcommunity color color-10000
 endif
 pass
end-policy
router bgp 65000
neighbor 10.1.1.253
 address-family 12vpn evpn
  route-policy SET COLOR EVPN VPWS out
 !
/* ODN template configuration */
segment-routing
 traffic-eng
  on-demand color 11000
   dvnamic
   рсер
   metric
    type igp
   disjoint-path group-id 775 type link
  !
```

### **Configuration: Site 2 Node C**

This section depicts relevant configuration of Node C at Site 2. It includes service configuration, BGP color extended community, and RPL. It also includes the corresponding ODN template required to achieve the disjointness SLA.

Nodes in Site 2 are configured to set color 11000 on originating EVPN routes, while matching color 10000 on incoming EVPN routes from routers located at Site 1.

Since both nodes on Site 2 request path computation from SR-PCE using the same disjoint-path group-id (776), the PCE will attempt to compute disjointness for the pair of LSPs originating from Site 2 toward Site 1.

```
/* EVPN-VPWS configuration */
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/3.2500 12transport
encapsulation dot1q 2500
rewrite ingress tag pop 1 symmetric
12vpn
xconnect group evpn_vpws_group
 p2p evpn vpws 100
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/3.2500
  neighbor evpn evi 100 target 11 source 21
 -1
!
/* BGP color community and RPL configuration */
extcommunity-set opaque color-11000
 11000
end-set
route-policy SET COLOR EVPN VPWS
  if evpn-route-type is 1 and rd in (ios-regex '.*..*..*:(100)') then
   set extcommunity color color-11000
  endif
 pass
end-policy
router bgp 65000
neighbor 10.1.1.253
 address-family 12vpn evpn
  route-policy SET_COLOR_EVPN_VPWS out
 !
!
/* ODN template configuration */
segment-routing
 traffic-eng
  on-demand color 10000
   dynamic
   рсер
   !
   metric
    type igp
   disjoint-path group-id 776 type link
   !
  1
 !
```

### **Configuration: Site 2 Node D**

This section depicts relevant configuration of Node D at Site 2.

```
/* EVPN-VPWS configuration */
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/1.2500 12transport
encapsulation dot1q 2500
rewrite ingress tag pop 1 symmetric
12vpn
xconnect group evpn_vpws_group
 p2p evpn vpws 101
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/1.2500
  neighbor evpn evi 101 target 12 source 22
  !
!
/* BGP color community and RPL configuration */
extcommunity-set opaque color-11000
 11000
end-set
route-policy SET COLOR EVPN VPWS
  if evpn-route-type is 1 and rd in (ios-regex '.*..*..*:(101)') then
   set extcommunity color color-11000
 endif
 pass
end-policy
router bgp 65000
neighbor 10.1.1.253
 address-family 12vpn evpn
  route-policy SET COLOR EVPN VPWS out
 !
/* ODN template configuration */
segment-routing
 traffic-eng
  on-demand color 10000
  dvnamic
   рсер
   metric
    type igp
   disjoint-path group-id 776 type link
  !
```

### **Verification: SR-PCE**

Use the **show pce ipv4 peer** command to display the SR-PCE's PCEP peers and session status. SR-PCE performs path computation for the 4 nodes depicted in the use-case.

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:SR-PCE# show pce ipv4 peer Mon Jul 15 19:41:43.622 UTC
PCE's peer database:
```

```
Peer address: 10.1.1.2
State: Up
Capabilities: Stateful, Segment-Routing, Update, Instantiation

Peer address: 10.1.1.4
State: Up
Capabilities: Stateful, Segment-Routing, Update, Instantiation

Peer address: 10.1.1.5
State: Up
Capabilities: Stateful, Segment-Routing, Update, Instantiation

Peer address: 10.1.1.6
State: Up
Capabilities: Stateful, Segment-Routing, Update, Instantiation
```

Use the **show pce association group-id** command to display information for the pair of LSPs assigned to a given association group-id value.

Based on the goals of this use case, SR-PCE computes link-disjoint paths for the SR policies associated with a pair of ELINE services between site 1 and site 2. In particular, disjoint LSPs from site 1 to site 2 are identified by association group-id 775. The output includes high-level information for LSPs associated to this group-id:

```
• At Node A (10.1.1.5): LSP symbolic name = bgp_c_11000_ep_10.1.1.2_discr_100
```

• At Node B (10.1.1.6): LSP symbolic name = bgp c 11000 ep 10.1.1.4 discr 100

In this case, the SR-PCE was able to achieve the desired disjointness level; therefore the Status is shown as "Satisfied".

Use the **show pce lsp** command to display detailed information of an LSP present in the PCE's LSP database. This output shows details for the LSP at Node A (10.1.1.5) that is used to carry traffic of EVPN VPWS EVI 100 towards node C (10.1.1.2).

```
State: Admin up, Operation up
Setup type: Segment Routing
Binding SID: 80037
Maximum SID Depth: 10
Absolute Metric Margin: 0
Relative Metric Margin: 0%
Preference: 100
Bandwidth: signaled 0 kbps, applied 0 kbps
PCEP information:
  PLSP-ID 0x12, flags: D:1 S:0 R:0 A:1 O:1 C:0
LSP Role: Exclude LSP
State-sync PCE: None
PCC: 10.1.1.5
LSP is subdelegated to: None
Reported path:
 Metric type: IGP, Accumulated Metric 40
   SID[0]: Adj, Label 80003, Address: local 11.5.8.5 remote 11.5.8.8
   SID[1]: Node, Label 16007, Address 10.1.1.7
   SID[2]: Node, Label 16002, Address 10.1.1.2
Computed path: (Local PCE)
  Computed Time: Thu Jul 11 03:49:48 UTC 2019 (00:08:58 ago)
  Metric type: IGP, Accumulated Metric 40
   SID[0]: Adj, Label 80003, Address: local 11.5.8.5 remote 11.5.8.8
   SID[1]: Node, Label 16007, Address 10.1.1.7
   SID[2]: Node, Label 16002, Address 10.1.1.2
Recorded path:
  None
Disjoint Group Information:
  Type Link-Disjoint, Group 775
```

This output shows details for the LSP at Node B (10.1.1.6) that is used to carry traffic of EVPN VPWS EVI 101 towards node D (10.1.1.4).

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:SR-PCE# show pce lsp pcc ipv4 10.1.1.6 name bgp_c_11000_ep_10.1.1.4_discr_100
Thu Jul 11 03:58:56.812 UTC
PCE's tunnel database:
PCC 10.1.1.6:
Tunnel Name: bgp_c_11000_ep_10.1.1.4_discr_100
Color: 11000
Interface Name: srte_c_11000_ep_10.1.1.4
 LSP[01:
  source 10.1.1.6, destination 10.1.1.4, tunnel ID 17, LSP ID 3
   State: Admin up, Operation up
   Setup type: Segment Routing
   Binding SID: 80061
   Maximum SID Depth: 10
   Absolute Metric Margin: 0
   Relative Metric Margin: 0%
   Preference: 100
   Bandwidth: signaled 0 kbps, applied 0 kbps
   PCEP information:
    PLSP-ID 0x12, flags: D:1 S:0 R:0 A:1 O:1 C:0
   LSP Role: Disjoint LSP
   State-sync PCE: None
   PCC: 10.1.1.6
   LSP is subdelegated to: None
   Reported path:
    Metric type: IGP, Accumulated Metric 40
      SID[0]: Node, Label 16001, Address 10.1.1.1
      SID[1]: Node, Label 16004, Address 10.1.1.4
```

```
Computed path: (Local PCE)
Computed Time: Thu Jul 11 03:49:48 UTC 2019 (00:09:08 ago)
Metric type: IGP, Accumulated Metric 40
SID[0]: Node, Label 16001, Address 10.1.1.1
SID[1]: Node, Label 16004, Address 10.1.1.4
Recorded path:
None
Disjoint Group Information:
Type Link-Disjoint, Group 775
```

Based on the goals of this use case, SR-PCE computes link-disjoint paths for the SR policies associated with a pair of ELINE services between site 1 and site 2. In particular, disjoint LSPs from site 2 to site 1 are identified by association group-id 776. The output includes high-level information for LSPs associated to this group-id:

```
• At Node C (10.1.1.2): LSP symbolic name = bgp_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.5_discr_100
```

```
• At Node D (10.1.1.4): LSP symbolic name = bgp_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.6_discr_100
```

In this case, the SR-PCE was able to achieve the desired disjointness level; therefore, the Status is shown as "Satisfied".

Use the **show pce lsp** command to display detailed information of an LSP present in the PCE's LSP database. This output shows details for the LSP at Node C (10.1.1.2) that is used to carry traffic of EVPN VPWS EVI 100 towards node A (10.1.1.5).

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:SR-PCE# show pce lsp pcc ipv4 10.1.1.2 name bgp c 10000 ep 10.1.1.5 discr 100
Thu Jul 11 03:55:21.706 UTC
PCE's tunnel database:
PCC 10.1.1.2:
Tunnel Name: bgp_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.5_discr_100
Color: 10000
Interface Name: srte c 10000 ep 10.1.1.5
LSPs:
   source 10.1.1.2, destination 10.1.1.5, tunnel ID 21, LSP ID 3
   State: Admin up, Operation up
   Setup type: Segment Routing
   Binding SID: 80052
   Maximum SID Depth: 10
   Absolute Metric Margin: 0
   Relative Metric Margin: 0%
   Preference: 100
   Bandwidth: signaled 0 kbps, applied 0 kbps
   PCEP information:
     PLSP-ID 0x6, flags: D:1 S:0 R:0 A:1 O:1 C:0
```

```
LSP Role: Exclude LSP
State-sync PCE: None
PCC: 10.1.1.2
LSP is subdelegated to: None
Reported path:
  Metric type: IGP, Accumulated Metric 40
   SID[0]: Node, Label 16007, Address 10.1.1.7
   SID[1]: Node, Label 16008, Address 10.1.1.8
   SID[2]: Adj, Label 80005, Address: local 11.5.8.8 remote 11.5.8.5
Computed path: (Local PCE)
  Computed Time: Thu Jul 11 03:50:03 UTC 2019 (00:05:18 ago)
  Metric type: IGP, Accumulated Metric 40
  SID[0]: Node, Label 16007, Address 10.1.1.7
   SID[1]: Node, Label 16008, Address 10.1.1.8
   SID[2]: Adj, Label 80005, Address: local 11.5.8.8 remote 11.5.8.5
Recorded path:
  None
Disjoint Group Information:
  Type Link-Disjoint, Group 776
```

This output shows details for the LSP at Node D (10.1.1.4) used to carry traffic of EVPN VPWS EVI 101 towards node B (10.1.1.6).

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:SR-PCE# show pce lsp pcc ipv4 10.1.1.4 name bgp_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.6_discr_100
Thu Jul 11 03:55:23.296 UTC
PCE's tunnel database:
PCC 10.1.1.4:
Tunnel Name: bgp_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.6_discr_100
Color: 10000
Interface Name: srte_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.6
LSPs:
 LSP[0]:
   source 10.1.1.4, destination 10.1.1.6, tunnel ID 14, LSP ID 1
   State: Admin up, Operation up
   Setup type: Segment Routing
   Binding SID: 80047
   Maximum SID Depth: 10
   Absolute Metric Margin: 0
   Relative Metric Margin: 0%
   Preference: 100
   Bandwidth: signaled 0 kbps, applied 0 kbps
   PCEP information:
     PLSP-ID 0x10, flags: D:1 S:0 R:0 A:1 O:1 C:0
   LSP Role: Disjoint LSP
   State-sync PCE: None
   PCC: 10.1.1.4
   LSP is subdelegated to: None
   Reported path:
    Metric type: IGP, Accumulated Metric 40
      SID[0]: Node, Label 16001, Address 10.1.1.1
      SID[1]: Node, Label 16006, Address 10.1.1.6
   Computed path: (Local PCE)
     Computed Time: Thu Jul 11 03:50:03 UTC 2019 (00:05:20 ago)
     Metric type: IGP, Accumulated Metric 40
      SID[0]: Node, Label 16001, Address 10.1.1.1
      SID[1]: Node, Label 16006, Address 10.1.1.6
   Recorded path:
     None
   Disjoint Group Information:
     Type Link-Disjoint, Group 776
```

#### Verification: Site 1 Node A

This section depicts verification steps at Node A.

Use the **show bgp l2vpn evpn** command to display BGP prefix information for EVPN-VPWS EVI 100 (rd 10.1.1.5:100). The output includes an EVPN route-type 1 route with color 11000 originated at Node C (10.1.1.2).

```
\label{eq:RP0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-A\# show bgp 12vpn evpn rd 10.1.1.5:100} \end{substitute}
Wed Jul 10 18:57:57.704 PST
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.5, local AS number 65000
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0x0 RD version: 0
BGP main routing table version 360
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 1 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
             i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
   Network
                      Next Hop
                                          Metric LocPrf Weight Path
Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.5:100 (default for vrf VPWS:100)
*> [1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][11]/120
                      0.0.0.0
                                                               0 i
*>i[1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][21]/120
                                                      100
                      10.1.1.2 C:11000
                                                                0 i
```

The following output displays the details for the incoming EVPN RT1. Note the presence of BGP extended color community 11000, and that the prefix is associated with an SR policy with color 11000 and BSID value of 80044.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-A# show bgp 12vpn evpn rd 10.1.1.5:100
[1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][21]/120
Wed Jul 10 18:57:58.107 PST
BGP routing table entry for [1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][21]/120, Route Distinguisher:
10.1.1.5:100
Versions:
                   bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
 Process
                      360
  Speaker
Last Modified: Jul 10 18:36:18.369 for 00:21:40
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
 Not advertised to any peer
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
  Not advertised to any peer
 Local
   10.1.1.2 C:11000 (bsid:80044) (metric 40) from 10.1.1.253 (10.1.1.2)
     Received Label 80056
     Origin IGP, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best, import-candidate,
imported, rib-install
     Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 358
     Extended community: Color:11000 RT:65000:100
     Originator: 10.1.1.2, Cluster list: 10.1.1.253
      SR policy color 11000, up, registered, bsid 80044, if-handle 0x00001b20
     Source AFI: L2VPN EVPN, Source VRF: default, Source Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.2:100
```

Use the **show l2vpn xconnect** command to display the state associated with EVPN-VPWS EVI 100 service.

The following output shows the details for the service. Note that the service is associated with the on-demand SR policy with color 11000 and end-point 10.1.1.2 (node C).

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0: Node-A# show 12vpn xconnect group evpn vpws group xc-name evpn vpws 100
detail
Wed Jul 10 18:58:02.755 PST
Group evpn vpws group, XC evpn vpws 100, state is up; Interworking none
  AC: GigabitEthernet0/0/0/3.2500, state is up
    Type VLAN; Num Ranges: 1
    Rewrite Tags: []
   VLAN ranges: [2500, 2500]
   MTU 1500; XC ID 0x120000c; interworking none
   Statistics:
     packets: received 0, sent 0
     bytes: received 0, sent 0
     drops: illegal VLAN 0, illegal length 0
  EVPN: neighbor 10.1.1.2, PW ID: evi 100, ac-id 21, state is up (established)
    XC ID 0xa0000007
   Encapsulation MPLS
   Source address 10.1.1.5
   Encap type Ethernet, control word enabled
   Sequencing not set
   Preferred path Active : SR TE srte c 11000 ep 10.1.1.2, On-Demand, fallback enabled
    Tunnel: Up
   Load Balance Hashing: src-dst-mac
     EVPN
                 Local
     Label 80040
MTU 1500
                                                 80056
                                                 1500
     Control word enabled
                                                 enabled
     AC ID 11
     EVPN type Ethernet
                                                 Ethernet
    Create time: 10/07/2019 18:31:30 (1d17h ago)
   Last time status changed: 10/07/2019 19:42:00 (1d16h ago)
    Last time PW went down: 10/07/2019 19:40:55 (1d16h ago)
    Statistics:
     packets: received 0, sent 0
     bytes: received 0, sent 0
```

Use the **show segment-routing traffic-eng policy** command with **tabular** option to display SR policy summary information.

The following output shows the on-demand SR policy with BSID 80044 that was triggered by EVPN RT1 prefix with color 11000 advertised by node C (10.1.1.2).

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-A# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 11000 tabular Wed Jul 10 18:58:00.732 PST

Color	Endpoint	Admin State	-	Binding SID
11000	10.1.1.2	 up	up	80044

The following output shows the details for the on-demand SR policy. Note that the SR policy's active candidate path (preference 100) is computed by SR-PCE (10.1.1.207).

Based on the goals of this use case, SR-PCE computes link-disjoint paths for the SR policies associated with a pair of ELINE services between site 1 and site 2. Specifically, from site 1 to site 2, LSP at Node A (srte\_c\_11000\_ep\_10.1.1.2) is link-disjoint from LSP at Node B (srte\_c\_11000\_ep\_10.1.1.4).

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-A# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 11000
Wed Jul 10 19:15:47.217 PST
SR-TE policy database
_____
Color: 11000, End-point: 10.1.1.2
  Name: srte_c_11000_ep_10.1.1.2
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:39:31 (since Jul 10 18:36:00.471)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 200 (BGP ODN) (shutdown)
     Requested BSID: dynamic
     PCC info:
       Symbolic name: bgp c 11000 ep 10.1.1.2 discr 200
       PLSP-TD: 19
     Dynamic (invalid)
    Preference: 100 (BGP ODN) (active)
     Requested BSID: dynamic
      PCC info:
        Symbolic name: bgp c 11000 ep 10.1.1.2 discr 100
       PLSP-ID: 18
     Dynamic (pce 10.1.1.207) (valid)
       Metric Type: IGP, Path Accumulated Metric: 40
         80003 [Adjacency-SID, 11.5.8.5 - 11.5.8.8]
         16007 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.7]
         16002 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.2]
  Attributes:
   Binding SID: 80044
   Forward Class: 0
    Steering BGP disabled: no
```

#### **Verification: Site 1 Node B**

IPv6 caps enable: yes

This section depicts verification steps at Node B.

Use the **show bgp l2vpn evpn** command to display BGP prefix information for EVPN-VPWS EVI 101 (rd 10.1.1.6:101). The output includes an EVPN route-type 1 route with color 11000 originated at Node D (10.1.1.4).

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-B# show bgp 12vpn evpn rd 10.1.1.6:101
Wed Jul 10 19:08:54.964 PST
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.6, local AS number 65000
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
```

```
Table ID: 0x0 RD version: 0
BGP main routing table version 322
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 7 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
            i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
                    Next Hop
                                       Metric LocPrf Weight Path
  Network
Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.6:101 (default for vrf VPWS:101)
*> [1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][12]/120
                                                           0 i
                     0.0.0.0
*>i[1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][22]/120
                     10.1.1.4 C:11000
                                                  100
                                                          Ωi
Processed 2 prefixes, 2 paths
```

The following output displays the details for the incoming EVPN RT1. Note the presence of BGP extended color community 11000, and that the prefix is associated with an SR policy with color 11000 and BSID value of 80061.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-B# show bgp 12vpn evpn rd 10.1.1.6:101
[1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][22]/120
Wed Jul 10 19:08:55.039 PST
BGP routing table entry for [1][0000.0000.0000.0000][22]/120, Route Distinguisher:
10.1.1.6:101
Versions:
                  bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
 Process
                       322
                                   322
 Speaker
Last Modified: Jul 10 18:42:10.408 for 00:26:44
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
  Not advertised to any peer
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
 Not advertised to any peer
 Local
    10.1.1.4 C:11000 (bsid:80061) (metric 40) from 10.1.1.253 (10.1.1.4)
     Received Label 80045
     Origin IGP, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best, import-candidate,
imported, rib-install
     Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 319
     Extended community: Color:11000 RT:65000:101
      Originator: 10.1.1.4, Cluster list: 10.1.1.253
     SR policy color 11000, up, registered, bsid 80061, if-handle 0x00000560
     Source AFI: L2VPN EVPN, Source VRF: default, Source Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.4:101
```

Use the **show l2vpn xconnect** command to display the state associated with EVPN-VPWS EVI 101 service.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-B# show 12vpn xconnect group evpn vpws group
Wed Jul 10 19:08:56.388 PST
Legend: ST = State, UP = Up, DN = Down, AD = Admin Down, UR = Unresolved,
       SB = Standby, SR = Standby Ready, (PP) = Partially Programmed
XConnect
                         Seament 1
                                                       Seament 2
Group
         Name
                   ST
                         Description
                                              ST
                                                       Description
evpn vpws group
          evpn_vpws_101
                   UP Te0/3/0/0/8.2500 UP EVPN 101,22,10.1.1.4
```

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The following output shows the details for the service. Note that the service is associated with the on-demand SR policy with color 11000 and end-point 10.1.1.4 (node D).

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0: Node-B# show 12vpn xconnect group evpn vpws group xc-name evpn vpws 101
Wed Jul 10 19:08:56.511 PST
Group evpn vpws group, XC evpn vpws 101, state is up; Interworking none
  AC: TenGigE0/3/0/0/8.2500, state is up
   Type VLAN; Num Ranges: 1
   Rewrite Tags: []
   VLAN ranges: [2500, 2500]
   MTU 1500; XC ID 0x2a0000e; interworking none
   Statistics:
     packets: received 0, sent 0
     bytes: received 0, sent 0
     drops: illegal VLAN 0, illegal length 0
  EVPN: neighbor 10.1.1.4, PW ID: evi 101, ac-id 22, state is up (established)
    XC ID 0xa0000009
   Encapsulation MPLS
   Source address 10.1.1.6
   Encap type Ethernet, control word enabled
    Sequencing not set
    Preferred path Active : SR TE srte c 11000 ep 10.1.1.4, On-Demand, fallback enabled
    Tunnel : Up
   Load Balance Hashing: src-dst-mac
     EVPN
                 Local
                                                Remote
     Label 80060
MTU 1500
                                                 80045
                                                1500
     Control word enabled
                                                enabled
     AC ID 12
                                                22
     EVPN type Ethernet
                                                Ethernet
   Create time: 10/07/2019 18:32:49 (00:36:06 ago)
   Last time status changed: 10/07/2019 18:42:07 (00:26:49 ago)
    Statistics:
     packets: received 0, sent 0
     bytes: received 0, sent 0
```

Use the **show segment-routing traffic-eng policy** command with **tabular** option to display SR policy summary information.

The following output shows the on-demand SR policy with BSID 80061 that was triggered by EVPN RT1 prefix with color 11000 advertised by node D (10.1.1.4).

The following output shows the details for the on-demand SR policy. Note that the SR policy's active candidate path (preference 100) is computed by SR-PCE (10.1.1.207).

Based on the goals of this use case, SR-PCE computes link-disjoint paths for the SR policies associated with a pair of ELINE services between site 1 and site 2. Specifically, from site 1 to site 2, LSP at Node B (srte\_c\_11000\_ep\_10.1.1.4) is link-disjoint from LSP at Node A (srte\_c\_11000\_ep\_10.1.1.2).

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-B# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 11000
Wed Jul 10 19:08:56.207 PST
SR-TE policy database
Color: 11000, End-point: 10.1.1.4
  Name: srte_c_11000_ep_10.1.1.4
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:26:47 (since Jul 10 18:40:05.868)
  Candidate-paths:
    Preference: 200 (BGP ODN) (shutdown)
      Requested BSID: dynamic
      PCC info:
        Symbolic name: bgp c 11000 ep 10.1.1.4 discr 200
       PLSP-ID: 19
      Dynamic (invalid)
    Preference: 100 (BGP ODN) (active)
      Requested BSID: dynamic
      PCC info:
        Symbolic name: bgp c 11000 ep 10.1.1.4 discr 100
        PLSP-ID: 18
      Dynamic (pce 10.1.1.207) (valid)
        Metric Type: IGP,
                          Path Accumulated Metric: 40
          16001 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.1]
          16004 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.4]
  Attributes:
    Binding SID: 80061
    Forward Class: 0
    Steering BGP disabled: no
    IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

### **Verification: Site 2 Node C**

This section depicts verification steps at Node C.

Use the **show bgp l2vpn evpn** command to display BGP prefix information for EVPN-VPWS EVI 100 (rd 10.1.1.2:100). The output includes an EVPN route-type 1 route with color 10000 originated at Node A (10.1.1.5).

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-C# show bgp 12vpn evpn rd 10.1.1.2:100
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.2, local AS number 65000
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0x0 RD version: 0
BGP main routing table version 21
BGP NSR Initial initsvnc version 1 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
             i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
                                         Metric LocPrf Weight Path
  Network
                     Next Hop
Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.2:100 (default for vrf VPWS:100)
*>i[1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][11]/120
                      10.1.1.5 C:10000
                                                     100
                                                              0 i
*> [1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][21]/120
```

0.0.0.0 0 i

The following output displays the details for the incoming EVPN RT1. Note the presence of BGP extended color community 10000, and that the prefix is associated with an SR policy with color 10000 and BSID value of 80058.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-C# show bgp 12vpn evpn rd 10.1.1.2:100
[1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][11]/120
BGP routing table entry for [1][0000.0000.0000.0000][11]/120, Route Distinguisher:
10.1.1.2:100
Versions:
 Process
                  bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
                   2.0
                             2.0
 Speaker
Last Modified: Jul 10 18:36:20.503 for 00:45:21
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
 Not advertised to any peer
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
 Not advertised to any peer
 Local
   10.1.1.5 C:10000 (bsid:80058) (metric 40) from 10.1.1.253 (10.1.1.5)
     Received Label 80040
      Origin IGP, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best, import-candidate,
imported, rib-install
     Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 18
     Extended community: Color:10000 RT:65000:100
     Originator: 10.1.1.5, Cluster list: 10.1.1.253
     SR policy color 10000, up, registered, bsid 80058, if-handle 0x000006a0
     Source AFI: L2VPN EVPN, Source VRF: default, Source Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.5:100
```

Use the **show l2vpn xconnect** command to display the state associated with EVPN-VPWS EVI 100 service.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-C# show 12vpn xconnect group evpn vpws group
Legend: ST = State, UP = Up, DN = Down, AD = Admin Down, UR = Unresolved,
      SB = Standby, SR = Standby Ready, (PP) = Partially Programmed
XConnect.
                     Segment 1
                                              Segment 2
       Name
                                       ST
Group
                ST Description
                                              Description
                                                                ST
_____
                     ______
                                              ______
evpn_vpws_group
        evpn_vpws_100
               UP Gi0/0/0/3.2500 UP EVPN 100,11,10.1.1.5 UP
```

The following output shows the details for the service. Note that the service is associated with the on-demand SR policy with color 10000 and end-point 10.1.1.5 (node A).

```
RP/O/RSPO/CPUO:Node-C# show l2vpn xconnect group evpn_vpws_group xc-name evpn_vpws_100

Group evpn_vpws_group, XC evpn_vpws_100, state is up; Interworking none
AC: GigabitEthernet0/0/0/3.2500, state is up
    Type VLAN; Num Ranges: 1
    Rewrite Tags: []
    VLAN ranges: [2500, 2500]
    MTU 1500; XC ID 0x1200008; interworking none
    Statistics:
    packets: received 0, sent 0
    bytes: received 0, sent 0
    drops: illegal VLAN 0, illegal length 0

EVPN: neighbor 10.1.1.5, PW ID: evi 100, ac-id 11, state is up ( established )
    XC ID 0xa00000003
```

```
Encapsulation MPLS
Source address 10.1.1.2
Encap type Ethernet, control word enabled
Sequencing not set
Preferred path Active : SR TE srte_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.5, On-Demand, fallback enabled
Tunnel : Up
Load Balance Hashing: src-dst-mac
             Local
                                            Remote
 Label 80056
MTU 1500
                                            80040
              1500
 Control word enabled
                                            enabled
 AC ID 21
                                            11
 EVPN type Ethernet
                                            Ethernet
Create time: 10/07/2019 18:36:16 (1d19h ago)
Last time status changed: 10/07/2019 19:41:59 (1d18h ago)
Last time PW went down: 10/07/2019 19:40:54 (1d18h ago)
Statistics:
 packets: received 0, sent 0
  bytes: received 0, sent 0
```

Use the **show segment-routing traffic-eng policy** command with **tabular** option to display SR policy summary information.

The following output shows the on-demand SR policy with BSID 80058 that was triggered by EVPN RT1 prefix with color 10000 advertised by node A (10.1.1.5).

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-C# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 10000 tabular

		State	State	SID
10000	10.1.1.5	up	up	80058

The following output shows the details for the on-demand SR policy. Note that the SR policy's active candidate path (preference 100) is computed by SR-PCE (10.1.1.207).

Based on the goals of this use case, SR-PCE computes link-disjoint paths for the SR policies associated with a pair of ELINE services between site 1 and site 2. Specifically, from site 2 to site 1, LSP at Node C (srte\_c\_10000\_ep\_10.1.1.5) is link-disjoint from LSP at Node D (srte\_c\_10000\_ep\_10.1.1.6).

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-C# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 10000

```
PCC info:
    Symbolic name: bgp_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.5_discr_100
    PLSP-ID: 6

Dynamic (pce 10.1.1.207) (valid)

Metric Type: IGP, Path Accumulated Metric: 40
    16007 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.7]
    16008 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.8]
    80005 [Adjacency-SID, 11.5.8.8 - 11.5.8.5]

Attributes:
Binding SID: 80058
Forward Class: 0
Steering BGP disabled: no
IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

#### **Verification: Site 2 Node D**

This section depicts verification steps at Node D.

Use the **show bgp l2vpn evpn** command to display BGP prefix information for EVPN-VPWS EVI 101 (rd 10.1.1.4:101). The output includes an EVPN route-type 1 route with color 10000 originated at Node B (10.1.1.6).

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-D# show bgp 12vpn evpn rd 10.1.1.4:101
BGP router identifier 10.1.1.4, local AS number 65000
BGP generic scan interval 60 secs
Non-stop routing is enabled
BGP table state: Active
Table ID: 0x0 RD version: 0
BGP main routing table version 570
BGP NSR Initial initsync version 1 (Reached)
BGP NSR/ISSU Sync-Group versions 0/0
BGP scan interval 60 secs
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best
            i - internal, r RIB-failure, S stale, N Nexthop-discard
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
  Network
                     Next Hop
                                         Metric LocPrf Weight Path
Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.4:101 (default for vrf VPWS:101)
*>i[1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][12]/120
                     10.1.1.6 C:10000
                                                   100
                                                            0 i
*> [1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][22]/120
                                                             0 i
                      0.0.0.0
Processed 2 prefixes, 2 paths
```

The following output displays the details for the incoming EVPN RT1. Note the presence of BGP extended color community 10000, and that the prefix is associated with an SR policy with color 10000 and BSID value of 80047.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-D# show bgp 12vpn evpn rd 10.1.1.4:101
[1][0000.0000.0000.0000.0000][12]/120
BGP routing table entry for [1][0000.0000.0000.0000][12]/120, Route Distinguisher:
10.1.1.4:101
Versions:
 Process
                  bRIB/RIB SendTblVer
 Speaker
                   569
                            569
Last Modified: Jul 10 18:42:12.455 for 00:45:38
Paths: (1 available, best #1)
 Not advertised to any peer
  Path #1: Received by speaker 0
 Not advertised to any peer
 Local
```

```
10.1.1.6 C:10000 (bsid:80047) (metric 40) from 10.1.1.253 (10.1.1.6)
Received Label 80060
Origin IGP, localpref 100, valid, internal, best, group-best, import-candidate, imported, rib-install
Received Path ID 0, Local Path ID 1, version 568
Extended community: Color:10000 RT:65000:101
Originator: 10.1.1.6, Cluster list: 10.1.1.253
SR policy color 10000, up, registered, bsid 80047, if-handle 0x00001720
Source AFI: L2VPN EVPN, Source VRF: default, Source Route Distinguisher: 10.1.1.6:101
```

Use the **show l2vpn xconnect** command to display the state associated with EVPN-VPWS EVI 101 service.

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-D# show 12vpn xconnect group evpn vpws group
Legend: ST = State, UP = Up, DN = Down, AD = Admin Down, UR = Unresolved,
     SB = Standby, SR = Standby Ready, (PP) = Partially Programmed
XConnect.
                    Segment 1
                                            Segment 2
      Name
                                   ST Description
              ST Description
                                                            ST
Group
evpn_vpws_group
       evpn_vpws_101
               UP Gi0/0/0/1.2500
                                    UP
                                          EVPN 101,12,10.1.1.6
______
```

The following output shows the details for the service. Note that the service is associated with the on-demand SR policy with color 10000 and end-point 10.1.1.6 (node B).

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-D# show 12vpn xconnect group evpn_vpws_group xc-name evpn_vpws_101
Group evpn_vpws_group, XC evpn_vpws_101, state is up; Interworking none
AC: GigabitEthernet0/0/0/1.2500, state is up
   Type VLAN; Num Ranges: 1
   Rewrite Tags: []
   VLAN ranges: [2500, 2500]
   MTU 1500; XC ID 0x120000c; interworking none
   Statistics:
```

packets: received 0, sent 0
bytes: received 0, sent 0
drops: illegal VLAN 0, illegal length 0

EVPN: neighbor 10.1.1.6, PW ID: evi 101, ac-id 12, state is up ( established ) XC ID 0xa000000d Encapsulation MPLS

Encap type Ethernet, control word enabled
Sequencing not set

Preferred path Active : SR TE srte\_c\_10000\_ep\_10.1.1.6, On-Demand, fallback enabled Tunnel : Up

Load Balance Hashing: src-dst-mac

Source address 10.1.1.4

EVPN	Local	Remote
Label	80045	80060
MTU	1500	1500
Control word	enabled	enabled
AC ID	22	12
EVPN type	Ethernet	Ethernet

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Create time: 10/07/2019 18:42:07 (00:45:49 ago) Last time status changed: 10/07/2019 18:42:09 (00:45:47 ago) Statistics:

```
packets: received 0, sent 0
bytes: received 0, sent 0
```

Use the **show segment-routing traffic-eng policy** command with **tabular** option to display SR policy summary information.

The following output shows the on-demand SR policy with BSID 80047 that was triggered by EVPN RT1 prefix with color 10000 advertised by node B (10.1.1.6).

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-D# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 10000 tabular

Color	Endpoint	Admin	Oper	Binding
		State	State	SID
10000	10.1.1.6	i up	up	80047

The following output shows the details for the on-demand SR policy. Note that the SR policy's active candidate path (preference 100) is computed by SR-PCE (10.1.1.207).

Based on the goals of this use case, SR-PCE computes link-disjoint paths for the SR policies associated with a pair of ELINE services between site 1 and site 2. Specifically, from site 2 to site 1, LSP at Node D (srte\_c\_10000\_ep\_10.1.1.6) is link-disjoint from LSP at Node C (srte\_c\_10000\_ep\_10.1.1.5).

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-D# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 10000

```
SR-TE policy database
Color: 10000, End-point: 10.1.1.6
 Name: srte c 10000 ep 10.1.1.6
   Admin: up Operational: up for 01:23:04 (since Jul 10 18:42:07.350)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 200 (BGP ODN) (shutdown)
      Requested BSID: dynamic
        Symbolic name: bgp_c_10000_ep_10.1.1.6_discr_200
        PLSP-ID: 17
      Dynamic (invalid)
    Preference: 100 (BGP ODN) (active)
      Requested BSID: dynamic
      PCC info:
        Symbolic name: bgp c 10000 ep 10.1.1.6 discr 100
        PLSP-ID: 16
      Dynamic (pce 10.1.1.207) (valid)
        Metric Type: IGP, Path Accumulated Metric: 40
         16001 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.1]
         16006 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.6]
  Attributes:
   Binding SID: 80047
   Forward Class: 0
    Steering BGP disabled: no
    IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

# **Manually Provisioned SR Policy**

Manually provisioned SR policies are configured on the head-end router. These policies can use dynamic paths or explicit paths. See the SR-TE Policy Path Types, on page 155 section for information on manually provisioning an SR policy using dynamic or explicit paths.

# **PCE-Initiated SR Policy**

An SR-TE policy can be configured on the path computation element (PCE) to reduce link congestion or to minimize the number of network touch points.

The PCE collects network information, such as traffic demand and link utilization. When the PCE determines that a link is congested, it identifies one or more flows that are causing the congestion. The PCE finds a suitable path and deploys an SR-TE policy to divert those flows, without moving the congestion to another part of the network. When there is no more link congestion, the policy is removed.

To minimize the number of network touch points, an application, such as a Network Services Orchestrator (NSO), can request the PCE to create an SR-TE policy. PCE deploys the SR-TE policy using PCC-PCE communication protocol (PCEP).

For more information, see the PCE-Initiated SR Policies, on page 204 section.

# **Cumulative Metric Bounds (Delay-Bound Use-Case)**

Table 10: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
Cumulative Metric Bounds (Delay-Bound	Release 7.3.1	With this feature, SRTE calculates a shortest path that satisfies multiple metric bounds.
use-case)		This feature provides flexibility for finding paths within metric bounds, for parameters such as latency, hop count, IGP and TE.

SRTE can calculate a shortest path with cumulative metric bounds. For example, consider these metric bounds:

- IGP metric <= 10
- TE metric <= 60
- Hop count <= 4
- Latency <= 55

When an SR policy is configured on a head-end node with these metric bounds, a path is finalized towards the specified destination only if it meets each of these criteria.

You can set the maximum number of attempts for computing a shortest path that satisfies the cumulative metric bounds criteria, by using the **kshortest-paths** command in SR-TE configuration mode.

### Restrictions

- PCE-based cumulative metric bounds computations are not supported. You must use non-PCE (SR-TE topology) based configuration for path calculation, for cumulative bounds.
- If you use PCE dynamic computation configuration with cumulative bounds, the PCE computes a path and validates against cumulative bounds. If it is valid, then the policy is created with this path on PCC. If the initial path doesn't respect the bounds, then the path is not considered, and no further K-shortest path algorithm is executed to find the path.

### **Configuring SRTE Shortest Path Calculation For Cumulative Metric Bounds**

You can enable this feature for SR, and ODN SR policy configurations, as shown below.

### **SR Policy**

**SR Policy** - A policy called **fromAtoB\_XTC** is created towards destination IP address 192.168.0.2. Also, the candidate-paths preference, and other attributes are enabled.

```
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# segment-routing traffic-eng policy fromAtoB_XTC
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 2 end-point ipv4 192.168.0.2
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# candidate-paths preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref)# dynamic metric type te
```

**Cumulative Metric bounds** – IGP, TE, hop count, and latency metric bounds are set. SRTE calculates paths only when each criterion is satisfied.

```
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # constraints bounds cumulative Router(config-sr-te-pref-const-bounds-type) # type igp 10 Router(config-sr-te-pref-const-bounds-type) # type te 60 Router(config-sr-te-pref-const-bounds-type) # type hopcount 4 Router(config-sr-te-pref-const-bounds-type) # type latency 55 Router(config-sr-te-pref-const-bounds-type) # commit
```

### **ODN SR Policy**

SR ODN Policy – An SR ODN policy with color 1000 is created. Also, the candidate-paths value is on-demand.

```
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# segment-routing traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# on-demand color 1000 dynamic metric type te
Router(config-sr-te)# candidate-paths on-demand
Router(config-sr-te-candidate-path-type)# exit
Router(config-sr-te-candidate-path)# exit
```

**Cumulative Metric bounds** – IGP, TE, hop count, and latency metric bounds are set for the policy. SRTE calculates paths, only when each criterion is satisfied.

```
Router(config-sr-te)# on-demand color 1000 dynamic bounds cumulative Router(config-sr-te-odc-bounds-type)# type igp 100 Router(config-sr-te-odc-bounds-type)# type te 60 Router(config-sr-te-odc-bounds-type)# type hopcount 6 Router(config-sr-te-odc-bounds-type)# type latency 1000 Router(config-sr-te-odc-bounds-type)# commit
```

To set the maximum number of attempts for computing paths that satisfy the cumulative metric bounds criteria, use the **kshortest-paths** command.

```
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# segment-routing traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# kshortest-paths 120
Router(config-sr-te)# commit
```

### **Verification**

Use this command to view SR policy configuration details. Pointers:

• The **Number of K-shortest-paths** field displays 4. It means that the K-shortest path algorithm took 4 computations to find the right path. The 4 shortest paths that are computed using K-shortest path algorithm did not respect the cumulative bounds. The fifth shortest path is valid against the bounds.

• The values for the metrics of the actual path (**TE**, **IGP**, **Cumulative Latency** and **Hop count** values in the **Dynamic** section) are within the configured cumulative metric bounds.

```
Router# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 2
Color: 2, End-point: 192.168.0.2
 Name: srte_c_2_ep_192.168.0.2
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 3d02h (since Dec 15 12:13:21.993)
  Candidate-paths:
    Preference: 100 (configuration) (active)
     Name: fromAtoB XTC
     Requested BSID: dynamic
      Constraints:
       Protection Type: protected-preferred
       Affinity:
          exclude-any:
         red
       Maximum SID Depth: 10
       IGP Metric Bound: 10
       TE Metric Bound: 60
        Latency Metric Bound: 55
       Hopcount Metric Bound: 4
      Dynamic (valid)
       Metric Type: TE,
                         Path Accumulated Metric: 52
       Number of K-shortest-paths: 4
       TE Cumulative Metric: 52
       IGP Cumulative Metric: 3
       Cumulative Latency: 52
       Hop count: 3
          16004 [Prefix-SID, 192.168.0.4]
          24003 [Adjacency-SID, 16.16.16.2 - 16.16.16.5]
          24001 [Adjacency-SID, 14.14.14.5 - 14.14.14.4]
 Attributes:
   Binding SID: 24011
   Forward Class: Not Configured
   Steering labeled-services disabled: no
   Steering BGP disabled: no
    IPv6 caps enable: ves
    Invalidation drop enabled: no
```

# **SR-TE Policy Path Types**

A **dynamic** path is based on an optimization objective and a set of constraints. The head-end computes a solution, resulting in a SID-list or a set of SID-lists. When the topology changes, a new path is computed. If the head-end does not have enough information about the topology, the head-end might delegate the computation to a Segment Routing Path Computation Element (SR-PCE). For information on configuring SR-PCE, see *Configure Segment Routing Path Computation Element* chapter.

An **explicit** path is a specified SID-list or set of SID-lists.

An SR-TE policy initiates a single (selected) path in RIB/FIB. This is the preferred valid candidate path.

A candidate path has the following characteristics:

- It has a preference If two policies have same {color, endpoint} but different preferences, the policy with the highest preference is selected.
- It is associated with a single binding SID (BSID) A BSID conflict occurs when there are different SR policies with the same BSID. In this case, the policy that is installed first gets the BSID and is selected.
- It is valid if it is usable.

A path is selected when the path is valid and its preference is the best among all candidate paths for that policy.



Note

The protocol of the source is not relevant in the path selection logic.

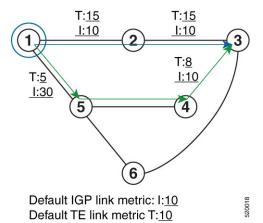
# **Dynamic Paths**

### **Optimization Objectives**

Optimization objectives allow the head-end router to compute a SID-list that expresses the shortest dynamic path according to the selected metric type:

- IGP metric Refer to the "Implementing IS-IS" and "Implementing OSPF" chapters in the *Routing Configuration Guide for Series Routers*.
- TE metric See the Configure Interface TE Metrics, on page 157 section for information about configuring TE metrics.

This example shows a dynamic path from head-end router 1 to end-point router 3 that minimizes IGP or TE metric:



- The blue path uses the minimum IGP metric: Min-Metric (1  $\rightarrow$  3, IGP) = SID-list <16003>; cumulative IGP metric: 20
- The green path uses the minimum TE metric: Min-Metric (1  $\rightarrow$  3, TE) = SID-list <16005, 16004, 16003>; cumulative TE metric: 23

### **Configure Interface TE Metrics**

Use the **metric** *value* command in SR-TE interface submode to configure the TE metric for interfaces. The *value* range is from 0 to 2147483647.

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# interface type interface-path-id
Router(config-sr-te-if)# metric value
```

### **Configuring TE Metric: Example**

The following configuration example shows how to set the TE metric for various interfaces:

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  metric 100
!
interface TenGigE0/0/0/1
  metric 1000
!
interface TenGigE0/0/2/0
  metric 50
!
!
```

### **Constraints**

Constraints allow the head-end router to compute a dynamic path according to the selected metric type:

- Affinity You can apply a color or name to links or interfaces by assigning affinity bit-maps to them.
   You can then specify an affinity (or relationship) between an SR policy path and link colors. SR-TE computes a path that includes or excludes links that have specific colors, or combinations of colors. See the Named Interface Link Admin Groups and SR-TE Affinity Maps, on page 157 section for information on named interface link admin groups and SR-TE Affinity Maps.
- Disjoint SR-TE computes a path that is disjoint from another path in the same disjoint-group. Disjoint paths do not share network resources. Path disjointness may be required for paths between the same pair of nodes, between different pairs of nodes, or a combination (only same head-end or only same end-point).
- Flexible Algorithm Flexible Algorithm allows for user-defined algorithms where the IGP computes paths based on a user-defined combination of metric type and constraint.

### Named Interface Link Admin Groups and SR-TE Affinity Maps

Named Interface Link Admin Groups and SR-TE Affinity Maps provide a simplified and more flexible means of configuring link attributes and path affinities to compute paths for SR-TE policies.

In the traditional TE scheme, links are configured with attribute-flags that are flooded with TE link-state parameters using Interior Gateway Protocols (IGPs), such as Open Shortest Path First (OSPF).

Named Interface Link Admin Groups and SR-TE Affinity Maps let you assign, or map, up to 256 color names for affinity and attribute-flag attributes instead of 32-bit hexadecimal numbers. After mappings are defined, the attributes can be referred to by the corresponding color name in the CLI. Furthermore, you can define constraints using *include-any*, *include-all*, and *exclude-any* arguments, where each statement can contain up to 10 colors.



Note

You can configure affinity constraints using attribute flags or the Flexible Name Based Policy Constraints scheme; however, when configurations for both schemes exist, only the configuration pertaining to the new scheme is applied.

### Configure Named Interface Link Admin Groups and SR-TE Affinity Maps

Use the **affinity name** *NAME* command in SR-TE interface submode to assign affinity to interfaces. Configure this on routers with interfaces that have an associated admin group attribute.

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# interface TenGigEO/0/1/2
Router(config-sr-if)# affinity
Router(config-sr-if-affinity)# name RED
```

Use the **affinity-map name** *NAME* **bit-position** *bit-position* command in SR-TE sub-mode to define affinity maps. The *bit-position* range is from 0 to 255.

Configure affinity maps on the following routers:

- Routers with interfaces that have an associated admin group attribute.
- Routers that act as SR-TE head-ends for SR policies that include affinity constraints.

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# affinity-map
Router(config-sr-te-affinity-map)# name RED bit-position 23
```

### **Configuring Link Admin Group: Example**

The following example shows how to assign affinity to interfaces and to define affinity maps. This configuration is applicable to any router (SR-TE head-end or transit node) with colored interfaces.

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
 interface TenGigE0/0/1/1
  affinity
   name CROSS
   name RED
 interface TenGigE0/0/1/2
  affinity
   name RED
 interface TenGigE0/0/2/0
  affinity
   name BLUE
   1
 affinity-map
  name RED bit-position 23
  name BLUE bit-position 24
  name CROSS bit-position 25
```

! end

### **Configure SR Policy with Dynamic Path**

To configure a SR-TE policy with a dynamic path, optimization objectives, and affinity constraints, complete the following configurations:

- 1. Define the optimization objectives. See the Optimization Objectives, on page 156 section.
- 2. Define the constraints. See the Constraints, on page 157 section.
- 3. Create the policy.

#### **Behaviors and Limitations**

### **Examples**

The following example shows a configuration of an SR policy at an SR-TE head-end router. The policy has a dynamic path with optimization objectives and affinity constraints computed by the head-end router.

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
policy foo
  color 100 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
candidate-paths
  preference 100
    dynamic
    metric
        type te
    !
    !
    constraints
    affinity
    exclude-any
        name RED
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
    !
}
```

The following example shows a configuration of an SR policy at an SR-TE head-end router. The policy has a dynamic path with optimization objectives and affinity constraints computed by the SR-PCE.

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
policy baa
  color 101 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
candidate-paths
  preference 100
    dynamic
    pcep
   !
    metric
    type te
   !
   constraints
```

```
affinity
exclude-any
name BLUE
!
!
!
```

### **Anycast SID-Aware Path Computation**

This feature allows the SR-TE head-end or SR-PCE to compute a path that is encoded using Anycast prefix SIDs of nodes along the path.

An Anycast SID is a type of prefix SID that identifies a set of nodes and is configured with n-flag clear. The set of nodes (Anycast group) is configured to advertise a shared prefix address and prefix SID. Anycast routing enables the steering of traffic toward multiple advertising nodes, providing load-balancing and redundancy. Packets addressed to an Anycast address are forwarded to the topologically nearest nodes.

For more information about this feature, see the *Anycast SID-Aware Path Computation* topic in the *Configure Segment Routing Path Computation Element* chapter.



Note

For information on configuring Anycast SID, see Configuring a Prefix-SID on the IS-IS Enabled Loopback Interface, on page 61 and Configuring a Prefix-SID on the OSPF-Enabled Loopback Interface, on page 85.

### **Conditional Prefix Advertisement**

In some situations, it's beneficial to make the IS-IS prefix advertisement conditional. For example, an Area Border Router (ABR) or Autonomous System Boundary Router (ASBR) that has lost its connection to one of the areas or autonomous systems (AS) might keep advertising a prefix. If an ABR or ASBR advertises the Segment Routing (SR) SID with this prefix, the label stack of the traffic routed toward the disconnected area or AS might use this SID, which would result in dropped traffic at the ABR or ASBR.

ABRs or ASBRs are often deployed in pairs for redundancy and advertise a shared Anycast prefix SID. Conditional Prefix Advertisement allows an ABR or an ASBR to advertise its Anycast SID only when connected to a specific area or domain. If an ABR or ASBR becomes disconnected from the particular area or AS, it stops advertising the address for a specified interface (for example, Loopback).

Configure the conditional prefix advertisement under a specific interface. The prefix advertisement on this interface is associated with the route-policy that tracks the presence of a set of prefixes (prefix-set) in the Routing Information Base (RIB).

For faster convergence, the route-policy used for conditional prefix advertisement uses the new event-based **rib-has-route async** condition to notify IS-IS of the following situations:

- When the last prefix from the prefix-set is removed from the RIB.
- When the first prefix from the prefix-set is added to the RIB.

### Configuration

To use the conditional prefix advertisement in IS-IS, create a prefix-set to be tracked. Then create a route policy that uses the prefix-set.

```
Router(config) # prefix-set prefix-set-name
Router(config-pfx) # prefix-address-1/length[, prefix-address-2/length,,,
prefix-address-16/length]
Router(config-pfx) # end-set

Router(config) # route-policy rpl-name
Router(config-rpl) # if rib-has-route async prefix-set-name then
Router(config-rpl-if) # pass
Router(config-rpl-if) # endif
Router(config-rpl) # end-policy
```

To advertise the loopback address in IS-IS conditionally, use the **advertise prefix route-policy** command under IS-IS interface address-family configuration sub-mode.

```
Router(config)# router isis 1
Router(config-isis)# interface Loopback0
Router(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af)# advertise prefix route-policy rpl-name
Router(config-isis-if-af)# commit
```

### **Example**

```
Router(config) # prefix-set domain_2
Router(config-pfx) # 2.3.3.3/32, 2.4.4.4/32
Router(config-pfx) # end-set
Router(config) # route-policy track_domain_2
Router(config-rpl) # if rib-has-route async domain_2 then
Router(config-rpl-if) # pass
Router(config-rpl-if) # endif
Router(config-rpl) # end-policy
Router(config) # router isis 1
Router(config-isis) # interface Loopback0
Router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv4 unicast
Router(config-isis-if-af) # advertise prefix route-policy track_domain-2
Router(config-isis-if-af) # commit
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
prefix-set domain_2
  2.3.3.3/32,
  2.4.4.4/32
end-set
!
route-policy track_domain_2
  if rib-has-route async domain_2 then
    pass
  endif
end-policy
!
router isis 1
  interface Loopback0
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  advertise prefix route-policy track_domain_2
  !
!
```

## **Explicit Paths**

### SR-TE Policy with Explicit Path

An explicit segment list is defined as a sequence of one or more segments. A segment can be configured as an IP address or an MPLS label representing a node or a link.

An explicit segment list can be configured with the following:

- · IP-defined segments
- · MPLS label-defined segments
- · A combination of IP-defined segments and MPLS label-defined segments

### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- An IP-defined segment can be associated with an IPv4 address (for example, a link or a Loopback address).
- When a segment of the segment list is defined as an MPLS label, subsequent segments can only be configured as MPLS labels.
- When configuring an explicit path using IP addresses of links along the path, the SR-TE process selects either the protected or the unprotected Adj-SID of the link, depending on the order in which the Adj-SIDs were received.

### **Configure Local SR-TE Policy Using Explicit Paths**

To configure an SR-TE policy with an explicit path, complete the following configurations:

- **1.** Create the segment list.
- **2.** Create the SR-TE policy.

Create a segment list with IPv4 addresses:

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# segment-list name SIDLIST1
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# index 20 address ipv4 10.1.1.3
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# exit
```

### Create a segment list with MPLS labels:

```
Router(config-sr-te)# segment-list name SIDLIST2
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# index 10 mpls label 16002
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# index 20 mpls label 16003
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# index 30 mpls label 16004
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# exit
```

Create a segment list with IPv4 addresses and MPLS labels:

```
Router(config-sr-te) # segment-list name SIDLIST3
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 20 mpls label 16003
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 30 mpls label 16004
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # exit
Create the SR-TE policy:
Router(config-sr-te) # policy POLICY2
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 200
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # explicit segment-list SIDLIST2
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # exit
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref)# exit
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path)# preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref)# explicit segment-list SIDLIST1
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # exit
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref)# exit
```

### **Running Configuration**

candidate-paths preference 100

preference 200

segment-routing

Router# show running-configuration

```
traffic-eng
segment-list SIDLIST1
  index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
 index 20 address ipv4 10.1.1.3
 index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
segment-list SIDLIST2
 index 10 mpls label 16002
  index 20 mpls label 16003
 index 30 mpls label 16004
 segment-list SIDLIST3
 index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
  index 20 mpls label 16003
 index 30 mpls label 16004
 segment-list SIDLIST4
 index 10 mpls label 16009
 index 20 mpls label 16003
 index 30 mpls label 16004
policy POLICY1
 color 10 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
 candidate-paths
  preference 100
   explicit segment-list SIDLIST1
   !
   !
  1
policy POLICY2
 color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
```

explicit segment-list SIDLIST1

explicit segment-list SIDLIST2

```
!
!
policy POLICY3
color 30 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
candidate-paths
preference 100
explicit segment-list SIDLIST3
!
!
!
```

#### Verification

Verify the SR-TE policy configuration using:

```
Router# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy name srte_c_20_ep_10.1.1.4
SR-TE policy database
_____
Color: 20, End-point: 10.1.1.4
 Name: srte c 20 ep 10.1.1.4
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:00:15 (since Jul 14 00:53:10.615)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 200 (configuration) (active)
     Name: POLICY2
     Requested BSID: dynamic
       Protection Type: protected-preferred
       Maximum SID Depth: 8
     Explicit: segment-list SIDLIST2 (active)
        Weight: 1, Metric Type: TE
         16002
         16003
         16004
    Preference: 100 (configuration) (inactive)
     Name: POLICY2
     Requested BSID: dynamic
       Protection Type: protected-preferred
       Maximum SID Depth: 8
     Explicit: segment-list SIDLIST1 (inactive)
        Weight: 1, Metric Type: TE
          [Adjacency-SID, 10.1.1.2 - <None>]
          [Adjacency-SID, 10.1.1.3 - <None>]
          [Adjacency-SID, 10.1.1.4 - <None>]
   Attributes:
   Binding SID: 51301
   Forward Class: Not Configured
   Steering labeled-services disabled: no
   Steering BGP disabled: no
   IPv6 caps enable: yes
    Invalidation drop enabled: no
```

### **Configuring Explicit Path with Affinity Constraint Validation**

To fully configure SR-TE flexible name-based policy constraints, you must complete these high-level tasks in order:

- 1. Assign Color Names to Numeric Values
- 2. Associate Affinity-Names with SR-TE Links
- **3.** Associate Affinity Constraints for SR-TE Policies

```
/* Enter the global configuration mode and assign color names to numeric values
Router# configure
Router(config) # segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te) # affinity-map
Router(config-sr-te-affinity-map) # blue bit-position 0
Router(config-sr-te-affinity-map) # green bit-position 1
Router(config-sr-te-affinity-map) # red bit-position 2
Router(config-sr-te-affinity-map) # exit
/* Associate affinity-names with SR-TE links
Router(config-sr-te) # interface Gi0/0/0/0
Router(config-sr-te-if) # affinity
Router(config-sr-te-if-affinity) # blue
Router(config-sr-te-if-affinity)# exit
Router(config-sr-te-if) # exit
Router(config-sr-te) # interface Gi0/0/0/1
Router(config-sr-te-if) # affinity
Router(config-sr-te-if-affinity)# blue
Router(config-sr-te-if-affinity)# green
Router(config-sr-te-if-affinity) # exit
Router(config-sr-te-if) # exit
Router(config-sr-te)#
/* Associate affinity constraints for SR-TE policies
Router(config-sr-te) # segment-list name SIDLIST1
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 20 address ipv4 2.2.2.23
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # exit
Router(config-sr-te) # segment-list name SIDLIST2
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# exit
Router(config-sr-te) # segment-list name SIDLIST3
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.5
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# exit
Router(config-sr-te) # policy POLICY1
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # binding-sid mpls 1000
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 200
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # constraints affinity exclude-any red
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref)# explicit segment-list SIDLIST1
```

```
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # exit
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # explicit segment-list SIDLIST2
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # exit
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # exit
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # explicit segment-list SIDLIST3
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
Router# show running-configuration
segment-routing
traffic-eng
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
  affinity
   blue
   !
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/1
  affinity
   blue
   green
  1
  segment-list name SIDLIST1
   index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
   index 20 address ipv4 2.2.2.23
  index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
  segment-list name SIDLIST2
  index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
   index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
  segment-list name SIDLIST3
  index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.5
  index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
  policy POLICY1
  binding-sid mpls 1000
   color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
   candidate-paths
   preference 100
     explicit segment-list SIDLIST3
   preference 200
    explicit segment-list SIDLIST1
     explicit segment-list SIDLIST2
    constraints
     affinity
      exclude-any
        red
  affinity-map
```

```
blue bit-position 0
green bit-position 1
red bit-position 2
!
```

# **Protocols**

# **Path Computation Element Protocol**

The path computation element protocol (PCEP) describes a set of procedures by which a path computation client (PCC) can report and delegate control of head-end label switched paths (LSPs) sourced from the PCC to a PCE peer. The PCE can request the PCC to update and modify parameters of LSPs it controls. The stateful model also enables a PCC to allow the PCE to initiate computations allowing the PCE to perform network-wide orchestration.

### **Configure the Head-End Router as PCEP PCC**

Configure the head-end router as PCEP Path Computation Client (PCC) to establish a connection to the PCE. The PCC and PCE addresses must be routable so that TCP connection (to exchange PCEP messages) can be established between PCC and PCE.

### Configure the PCC to Establish a Connection to the PCE

Use the **segment-routing traffic-eng pcc** command to configure the PCC source address, the SR-PCE address, and SR-PCE options.

A PCE can be given an optional precedence. If a PCC is connected to multiple PCEs, the PCC selects a PCE with the lowest precedence value. If there is a tie, a PCE with the highest IP address is chosen for computing path. The precedence *value* range is from 0 to 255.

```
Router(config) # segment-routing
Router(config-sr) # traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te) # pcc
Router(config-sr-te-pcc) # source-address ipv4 local-source-address
Router(config-sr-te-pcc) # pce address ipv4 PCE-address[precedence value]
Router(config-sr-te-pcc) # pce address ipv4 PCE-address[keychain WORD]
```

### **Configure PCEP Authentication**

TCP Message Digest 5 (MD5) authentication has been used for authenticating PCEP (TCP) sessions by using a clear text or encrypted password. This feature introduces support for TCP Authentication Option (TCP-AO), which replaces the TCP MD5 option.

TCP-AO uses Message Authentication Codes (MACs), which provides the following:

- Protection against replays for long-lived TCP connections
- More details on the security association with TCP connections than TCP MD5
- A larger set of MACs with minimal system and operational changes

TCP-AO is compatible with Master Key Tuple (MKT) configuration. TCP-AO also protects connections when using the same MKT across repeated instances of a connection. TCP-AO protects the connections by using traffic key that are derived from the MKT, and then coordinates changes between the endpoints.



Note

TCP-AO and TCP MD5 are never permitted to be used simultaneously. TCP-AO supports IPv6, and is fully compatible with the proposed requirements for the replacement of TCP MD5.

### TCP Message Digest 5 (MD5) Authentication

Use the **password** {**clear** | **encrypted**} *LINE* command to enable TCP MD5 authentication for all PCEP peers. Any TCP segment coming from the PCC that does not contain a MAC matching the configured password will be rejected. Specify if the password is encrypted or clear text

Router(config-sr-te-pcc)# pce address ipv4 PCE-address[password {clear | encrypted} LINE]

### TCP Authentication Option (TCP-AO)

Use the **tcp-ao** *key-chain* [**include-tcp-options**] command to enable TCP Authentication Option (TCP-AO) authentication for all PCEP peers. Any TCP segment coming from the PCC that does not contain a MAC matching the configured key chain will be rejected. Use the **include-tcp-options** keyword to include other TCP options in the header for MAC calculation.

Router (config-sr-te-pcc) # pce address ipv4 PCE-address tcp-ao key-chain [include-tcp-options]

### **Configure PCEP-Related Timers**

Use the **timers keepalive** command to specify how often keepalive messages are sent from PCC to its peers. The range is from 0 to 255 seconds; the default value is 30.

```
Router(config-sr-te-pcc) # timers keepalive seconds
```

Use the **timers deadtimer** command to specify how long the remote peers wait before bringing down the PCEP session if no PCEP messages are received from this PCC. The range is from 1 to 255 seconds; the default value is 120.

```
Router(config-sr-te-pcc) # timers deadtimer seconds
```

Use the **timers delegation-timeout** command to specify how long a delegated SR policy can remain up without an active connection to a PCE. The range is from 0 to 3600 seconds; the default value is 60.

```
Router(config-sr-te-pcc) # timers delegation-timeout seconds
```

### **PCE-Initiated SR Policy Timers**

Use the **timers initiated orphans** command to specify the amount of time that a PCE-initiated SR policy will remain delegated to a PCE peer that is no longer reachable by the PCC. The range is from 10 to 180 seconds; the default value is 180.

```
Router (config-sr-te-pcc) # timers initiated orphans seconds
```

Use the **timers initiated state** command to specify the amount of time that a PCE-initiated SR policy will remain programmed while not being delegated to any PCE. The range is from 15 to 14440 seconds (24 hours); the default value is 600.

```
Router(config-sr-te-pcc) # timers initiated state seconds
```

To better understand how the PCE-initiated SR policy timers operate, consider the following example:

- PCE A instantiates SR policy P at head-end N.
- Head-end N delegates SR policy P to PCE A and programs it in forwarding.
- If head-end N detects that PCE A is no longer reachable, then head-end N starts the PCE-initiated **orphan** and **state** timers for SR policy P.
- If PCE A reconnects before the **orphan** timer expires, then SR policy P is automatically delegated back to its original PCE (PCE A).
- After the **orphan** timer expires, SR policy P will be eligible for delegation to any other surviving PCE(s).
- If SR policy P is not delegated to another PCE before the **state** timer expires, then head-end N will remove SR policy P from its forwarding.

#### **Enable SR-TE SYSLOG Alarms**

Use the **logging policy status** command to enable SR-TE related SYSLOG alarms.

```
Router(config-sr-te) # logging policy status
```

### **Enable PCEP Reports to SR-PCE**

Use the **report-all** command to enable the PCC to report all SR policies in its database to the PCE.

```
Router(config-sr-te-pcc) # report-all
```

### **Customize MSD Value at PCC**

Use the **maximum-sid-depth** *value* command to customize the Maximum SID Depth (MSD) signaled by PCC during PCEP session establishment.

The default MSD value is equal to the maximum MSD supported by the platform (12).

Router(config-sr-te)# maximum-sid-depth value



Note

The platform's SR-TE label imposition capabilities are as follows:

- Up to 12 transport labels when no service labels are imposed
- Up to 9 transport labels when service labels are imposed

For cases with path computation at PCE, a PCC can signal its MSD to the PCE in the following ways:

- During PCEP session establishment The signaled MSD is treated as a node-wide property.
  - MSD is configured under segment-routing traffic-eng maximum-sid-depth value command
- During PCEP LSP path request The signaled MSD is treated as an LSP property.

- On-demand (ODN) SR Policy: MSD is configured using the **segment-routing traffic-eng on-demand color** *color* **maximum-sid-depth** *value* command
- Local SR Policy: MSD is configured using the **segment-routing traffic-eng policy** *WORD* **candidate-paths preference** *preference* **dynamic metric sid-limit** *value* command.



Note

If the configured MSD values are different, the per-LSP MSD takes precedence over the per-node MSD.

After path computation, the resulting label stack size is verified against the MSD requirement.

- If the label stack size is larger than the MSD and path computation is performed by PCE, then the PCE returns a "no path" response to the PCC.
- If the label stack size is larger than the MSD and path computation is performed by PCC, then the PCC will not install the path.



Note

A sub-optimal path (if one exists) that satisfies the MSD constraint could be computed in the following cases:

- For a dynamic path with TE metric, when the PCE is configured with the **pce segment-routing te-latency** command or the PCC is configured with the **segment-routing traffic-eng te-latency** command.
- For a dynamic path with LATENCY metric
- For a dynamic path with affinity constraints

For example, if the PCC MSD is 4 and the optimal path (with an accumulated metric of 100) requires 5 labels, but a sub-optimal path exists (with accumulated metric of 110) requiring 4 labels, then the sub-optimal path is installed.

### **Customize the SR-TE Path Calculation**

Use the **te-latency** command to enable ECMP-aware path computation for TE metric.

Router(config-sr-te)# te-latency



Note

ECMP-aware path computation is enabled by default for IGP and LATENCY metrics.

### **Configure PCEP Redundancy Type**

Use the **redundancy pcc-centric** command to enable PCC-centric high-availability model. The PCC-centric model changes the default PCC delegation behavior to the following:

- After LSP creation, LSP is automatically delegated to the PCE that computed it.
- If this PCE is disconnected, then the LSP is redelegated to another PCE.

• If the original PCE is reconnected, then the delegation fallback timer is started. When the timer expires, the LSP is redelegated back to the original PCE, even if it has worse preference than the current PCE.

```
Router(config-sr-te-pcc)# redundancy pcc-centric
```

### Configuring Head-End Router as PCEP PCC and Customizing SR-TE Related Options: Example

The following example shows how to configure an SR-TE head-end router with the following functionality:

- Enable the SR-TE head-end router as a PCEP client (PCC) with 3 PCEP servers (PCE) with different precedence values. The PCE with IP address 10.1.1.57 is selected as BEST.
- Enable SR-TE related syslogs.
- Set the Maximum SID Depth (MSD) signaled during PCEP session establishment to 5.
- Enable PCEP reporting for all policies in the node.

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
 рсс
  source-address ipv4 10.1.1.2
  pce address ipv4 10.1.1.57
   precedence 150
   password clear <password>
  pce address ipv4 10.1.1.58
   precedence 200
   password clear <password>
  pce address ipv4 10.1.1.59
   precedence 250
   password clear <password>
 logging
  policy status
 maximum-sid-depth 5
 рсс
  report-all
 !
!
end
```

### Verification

```
Peer address: 10.1.1.59, Precedence: 250
   State up
   Capabilities: Stateful, Update, Segment-Routing, Instantiation
```

### **BGP SR-TE**

BGP may be used to distribute SR Policy candidate paths to an SR-TE head-end. Dedicated BGP SAFI and NLRI have been defined to advertise a candidate path of an SR Policy. The advertisement of Segment Routing policies in BGP is documented in the IETF drafthttps://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/draft-ietf-idr-segment-routing-te-policy/

SR policies with IPv4 and IPv6 end-points can be advertised over BGPv4 or BGPv6 sessions between the SR-TE controller and the SR-TE headend.

The Cisco IOS-XR implementation supports the following combinations:

- IPv4 SR policy advertised over BGPv4 session
- IPv6 SR policy advertised over BGPv4 session
- IPv6 SR policy advertised over BGPv6 session

### Configure BGP SR Policy Address Family at SR-TE Head-End

Perform this task to configure BGP SR policy address family at SR-TE head-end:

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	
Step 2	router bgp as-number  Example:	Specifies the BGP AS number and enters the BGP configuration mode, allowing you to configure the BGP routing process.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router bgp 65000	
Step 3	<pre>bgp router-id ip-address Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp)# bgp router-id 10.1.1.1</pre>	Configures the local router with a specified router ID.
Step 4	address-family {ipv4   ipv6} sr-policy  Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp)# address-family ipv4 sr-policy	Specifies either the IPv4 or IPv6 address family and enters address family configuration submode.
Step 5	exit	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 6	neighbor ip-address	Places the router in neighbor configuration
	Example:	mode for BGP routing and configures the neighbor IP address as a BGP peer.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp) # neighbor 10.10.0.1</pre>	
Step 7	remote-as as-number	Creates a neighbor and assigns a remote
	Example:	autonomous system number to it.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-nbr) # remote-as 1</pre>	
Step 8	address-family {ipv4   ipv6} sr-policy	Specifies either the IPv4 or IPv6 address family
	Example:	and enters address family configuration submode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-nbr)# address-family ipv4 sr-policy</pre>	
Step 9	route-policy route-policy-name {in   out}	Applies the specified policy to IPv4 or IPv6
	Example:	unicast routes.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-nbr-af)# route-policy pass out</pre>	

#### Example: BGP SR-TE with BGPv4 Neighbor to BGP SR-TE Controller

The following configuration shows the an SR-TE head-end with a BGPv4 session towards a BGP SR-TE controller. This BGP session is used to signal both IPv4 and IPv6 SR policies.

```
router bgp 65000
bgp router-id 10.1.1.1
 !
 address-family ipv4 sr-policy
 address-family ipv6 sr-policy
neighbor 10.1.3.1
 remote-as 10
 description *** eBGP session to BGP SRTE controller ***
 address-family ipv4 sr-policy
   route-policy pass in
  route-policy pass out
 address-family ipv6 sr-policy
  route-policy pass in
   route-policy pass out
 !
!
```

#### Example: BGP SR-TE with BGPv6 Neighbor to BGP SR-TE Controller

The following configuration shows an SR-TE head-end with a BGPv6 session towards a BGP SR-TE controller. This BGP session is used to signal IPv6 SR policies.

```
router bgp 65000
bgp router-id 10.1.1.1
address-family ipv6 sr-policy
!
neighbor 3001::10:1:3:1
remote-as 10
description *** eBGP session to BGP SRTE controller ***
address-family ipv6 sr-policy
route-policy pass in
route-policy pass out
!
!
!
```

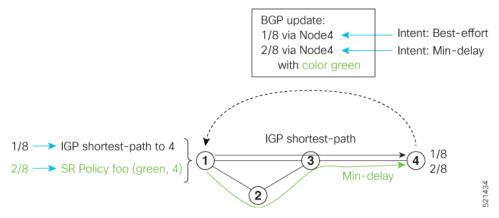
# **Traffic Steering**

# **Automated Steering**

Automated steering (AS) allows service traffic to be automatically steered onto the required transport SLA path programmed by an SR policy.

With AS, BGP automatically steers traffic onto an SR Policy based on the next-hop and color of a BGP service route. The color of a BGP service route is specified by a color extended community attribute. This color is used as a transport SLA indicator, such as min-delay or min-cost.

When the next-hop and color of a BGP service route matches the end-point and color of an SR Policy, BGP automatically installs the route resolving onto the BSID of the matching SR Policy. Recall that an SR Policy on a head-end is uniquely identified by an end-point and color.



When a BGP route has multiple extended-color communities, each with a valid SR Policy, the BGP process installs the route on the SR Policy giving preference to the color with the highest numerical value.

The granularity of AS behaviors can be applied at multiple levels, for example:

 At a service level—When traffic destined to all prefixes in a given service is associated to the same transport path type. All prefixes share the same color.

- At a destination/prefix level—When traffic destined to a prefix in a given service is associated to a specific transport path type. Each prefix could be assigned a different color.
- At a flow level—When flows destined to the same prefix are associated with different transport path types

AS behaviors apply regardless of the instantiation method of the SR policy, including:

- · On-demand SR policy
- · Manually provisioned SR policy
- PCE-initiated SR policy

See the Verifying BGP VRF Information, on page 126 and Verifying Forwarding (CEF) Table, on page 127 sections for sample output that shows AS implementation.

# **Color-Only Automated Steering**

Color-only steering is a traffic steering mechanism where a policy is created with given color, regardless of the endpoint.

You can create an SR-TE policy for a specific color that uses a NULL end-point (0.0.0.0 for IPv4 NULL, and ::0 for IPv6 NULL end-point). This means that you can have a single policy that can steer traffic that is based on that color and a NULL endpoint for routes with a particular color extended community, but different destinations (next-hop).



Note

Every SR-TE policy with a NULL end-point must have an explicit path-option. The policy cannot have a dynamic path-option (where the path is computed by the head-end or PCE) since there is no destination for the policy.

You can also specify a color-only (CO) flag in the color extended community for overlay routes. The CO flag allows the selection of an SR-policy with a matching color, regardless of endpoint Sub-address Family Identifier (SAFI) (IPv4 or IPv6). See Setting CO Flag, on page 176.

#### **Configure Color-Only Steering**

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# policy P1
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 1 end-point ipv4 0.0.0.0
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# policy P2
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 2 end-point ipv6 ::0

Router# show running-configuration
segment-routing
traffic-eng
```

```
policy P1
  color 1 end-point ipv4 0.0.0.0
!
  policy P2
   color 2 end-point ipv6 ::
!
!
end
```

### **Setting CO Flag**

The BGP-based steering mechanism matches BGP color and next-hop with that of an SR-TE policy. If the policy does not exist, BGP requests SR-PCE to create an SR-TE policy with the associated color, end-point, and explicit paths. For color-only steering (NULL end-point), you can configure a color-only (CO) flag as part of the color extended community in BGP.



Note

See Color-Only Automated Steering, on page 111 for information about color-only steering (NULL end-point).

The behavior of the steering mechanism is based on the following values of the CO flags:

co-flag 00		The BGP next-hop and color <n, c=""> is matched with an SR-TE policy of same <n, c="">.  If a policy does not exist, then IGP path for the next-hop N is chosen.</n,></n,>
co-flag 01		The BGP next-hop and color <n, c=""> is matched with an SR-TE policy of same <n, c="">.  If a policy does not exist, then an SR-TE policy with NULL end-point with the</n,></n,>
		same address-family as N and color C is chosen.  If a policy with NULL end-point with same address-family as N does not exist,
	4.	then an SR-TE policy with any NULL end-point and color C is chosen.  If no match is found, then IGP path for the next-hop N is chosen.

#### **Configuration Example**

```
Router(config) # extcommunity-set opaque overlay-color
Router(config-ext) # 1 co-flag 01
Router(config-ext) # end-set
Router(config) #
Router(config) # route-policy color
Router(config-rpl) # if destination in (5.5.5.1/32) then
Router(config-rpl-if) # set extcommunity color overlay-color
Router(config-rpl-if) # endif
Router(config-rpl) # pass
Router(config-rpl) # end-policy
Router(config) #
```

# **Address-Family Agnostic Automated Steering**

Address-family agnostic steering uses an SR-TE policy to steer both labeled and unlabeled IPv4 and IPv6 traffic. This feature requires support of IPv6 encapsulation (IPv6 caps) over IPV4 endpoint policy.

IPv6 caps for IPv4 NULL end-point is enabled automatically when the policy is created in Segment Routing Path Computation Element (SR-PCE). The binding SID (BSID) state notification for each policy contains an "ipv6 caps" flag that notifies SR-PCE clients (PCC) of the status of IPv6 caps (enabled or disabled).

An SR-TE policy with a given color and IPv4 NULL end-point could have more than one candidate path. If any of the candidate paths has IPv6 caps enabled, then all of the remaining candidate paths need IPv6 caps enabled. If IPv6 caps is not enabled on all candidate paths of same color and end-point, traffic drops can occur.

You can disable IPv6 caps for a particular color and IPv4 NULL end-point using the **ipv6 disable** command on the local policy. This command disables IPv6 caps on all candidate paths that share the same color and IPv4 NULL end-point.

#### **Disable IPv6 Encapsulation**

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# policy P1
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 1 end-point ipv4 0.0.0.0
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# ipv6 disable
```

# **Per-Flow Automated Steering**

The steering of traffic through a Segment Routing (SR) policy is based on the candidate paths of that policy. For a given policy, a candidate path specifies the path to be used to steer traffic to the policy's destination. The policy determines which candidate path to use based on the candidate path's preference and state. The candidate path that is valid and has the highest preference is used to steer all traffic using the given policy. This type of policy is called a Per-Destination Policy (PDP).

Per-Flow Automated Traffic Steering using SR-TE Policies introduces a way to steer traffic on an SR policy based on the attributes of the incoming packets, called a Per-Flow Policy (PFP).

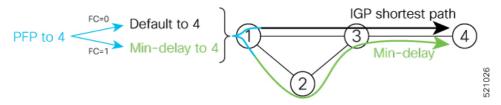
A PFP provides up to 8 "ways" or options to the endpoint. With a PFP, packets are classified by a classification policy and marked using internal tags called forward classes (FCs). The FC setting of the packet selects the "way". For example, this "way" can be a traffic-engineered SR path, using a low-delay path to the endpoint. The FC is represented as a numeral with a value of 0 to 7.

A PFP defines an array of FC-to-PDP mappings. A PFP can then be used to steer traffic into a given PDP based on the FC assigned to a packet.

As with PDPs, PFPs are identified by a {headend, color, endpoint} tuple. The color associated with a given FC corresponds to a valid PDP policy of that color and same endpoint as the parent PFP. So PFP policies contain mappings of different FCs to valid PDP policies of different colors. Every PFP has an FC designated as its default FC. The default FC is associated to packets with a FC undefined under the PFP or for packets with a FC with no valid PDP policy.

The following example shows a per-flow policy from Node1 to Node4:

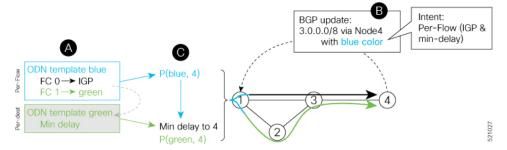
Figure 5: PFP Example



- FC=0 -> shortest path to Node4
  - IGP shortest path = 16004
- FC=1 -> Min-delay path to Node4
  - SID list =  $\{16002, 16004\}$

The same on-demand instantiation behaviors of PDPs apply to PFPs. For example, an edge node automatically (on demand) instantiates Per-Flow SR Policy paths to an endpoint by service route signaling. Automated Steering steers the service route in the matching SR Policy.

Figure 6: PFP with ODN Example



Like PDPs, PFPs have a binding SID (BSID). Existing SR-TE automated steering (AS) mechanisms for labeled traffic (via BSID) and unlabeled traffic (via BGP) onto a PFP is similar to that of a PDP. For example, a packet having the BSID of a PFP as the top label is steered onto that PFP. The classification policy on the ingress interface marks the packet with an FC based on the configured class-map. The packet is then steered to the PDP that corresponds to that FC.

#### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

The following guidelines and limitations apply to the platform when acting as a head-end of a PFP policy:

- BGP IPv4 unicast over PFP (steered via ODN/AS) is supported
- BGP IPv6 unicast (with IPv4 next-hop [6PE]) over PFP (steered via ODN/AS) is supported
- BGP IPv6 unicast (with IPv6 next-hop) over PFP (steered via ODN/AS) is supported
- BGP VPNv4 over PFP is not supported
- BGP VPNv6 (6VPE) over PFP is not supported
- BGP EVPN over PFP is not supported
- Pseudowire and VPLS over PFP are not supported

- BGP multipath is not supported
- BGP PIC is not supported
- Labeled traffic (Binding SID) steered over PFP is not supported
- When not explicitly configured, FC 0 is the default FC.
- A PFP is considered valid as long as its default FC has a valid PDP.
- An ingress QoS policy applied to an input interface is used to classify flows and set corresponding forward-class (FC) values.
- The following counters are supported:
  - PFP's BSID counter (packet, bytes)
  - Per-FC counters (packet, byte)
    - Collected from the PDP's segment-list-per-path egress counters
    - If an SR policy is used for more than one purpose (as a regular policy as well as a PDP under one or more PFPs), then the collected counters will represent the aggregate of all contributions.
       To preserve independent counters, it is recommended that an SR policy be used only for one purpose.
- Inbound packet classification, based on the following fields, is supported:
  - IP precedence
  - IP DSCP
  - L3 ACL-based (L3 source/destination IP; L4 source/destination port)
- A color associated with a PFP SR policy cannot be used by a non-PFP SR policy. For example, if a
  per-flow ODN template for color 100 is configured, then the system will reject the configuration of any
  non-PFP SR policy using the same color. You must assign different color value ranges for PFP and
  non-PFP SR policies.

#### **Configuring ODN Template for PFP Policies: Example**

The following example depicts an ODN template for PFP policies that includes three FCs.

The example also includes the corresponding ODN templates for PDPs as follows:

- FC0 (default FC) mapped to color 10 = Min IGP path
- FC1 mapped to color 20 = Flex Algo 128 path
- FC2 mapped to color 30 = Flex Algo 129 path

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
on-demand color 10
dynamic
metric
type igp
!
```

```
!
on-demand color 20
dynamic
sid-algorithm 128
!
!
on-demand color 30
dynamic
sid-algorithm 129
!
!
on-demand color 1000
per-flow
forward-class 0 color 10
forward-class 1 color 20
forward-class 2 color 30
```

#### Manually Configuring a PFP and PDPs: Example

The following example depicts a manually defined PFP that includes three FCs and corresponding manually defined PDPs.

The example also includes the corresponding PDPs as follows:

- FC0 (default FC) mapped to color 10 = Min IGP path
- FC1 mapped to color 20 = Min TE path
- FC2 mapped to color 30 = Min delay path

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
 policy MyPerFlow
   color 1000 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    per-flow
     forward-class 0 color 10
     forward-class 1 color 20
     forward-class 2 color 30
 policy MyLowIGP
  color 10 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    dynamic
     metric type igp
 policy MyLowTE
  color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    dynamic
     metric type te
 policy MyLowDelay
  color 30 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    dynamic
     metric type delay
```

#### **Configuring Ingress Classification: Example**

An MQC QoS policy is used to classify and mark traffic to a corresponding fowarding class.

The following shows an example of such ingress classification policy:

```
class-map match-any MinDelay
match dscp 46
end-class-map
class-map match-any PremiumHosts
match access-group ipv4 PrioHosts
end-class-map
policy-map MyPerFlowClassificationPolicy
class MinDelay
 set forward-class 2
 class PremiumHosts
 set forward-class 1
 class class-default
 end-policy-map
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
 description PE Ingress Interface
 service-policy input MyPerFlowClassificationPolicy
```

#### **Determining Per-Flow Policy State**

A PFP is brought down for the following reasons:

- The PDP associated with the default FC is in a down state.
- All FCs are associated with PDPs in a down state.
- The FC assigned as the default FC is missing in the forward class mapping.

Scenario 1—FC 0 (default FC) is not configured in the FC mappings below:

```
policy foo
  color 1 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.1
  per-flow
  forward-class 1 color 10
  forward-class 2 color 20
```

Scenario 2—FC 1 is configured as the default FC, however it is not present in the FC mappings:

```
policy foo
  color 1 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.1
  per-flow
   forward-class 0 color 10
  forward-class 2 color 20
  forward-class default 1
```

# **Using Binding Segments**

The binding segment is a local segment identifying an SR-TE policy. Each SR-TE policy is associated with a binding segment ID (BSID). The BSID is a local label that is automatically allocated for each SR-TE policy when the SR-TE policy is instantiated.

BSID can be used to steer traffic into the SR-TE policy and across domain borders, creating seamless end-to-end inter-domain SR-TE policies. Each domain controls its local SR-TE policies; local SR-TE policies can be validated and rerouted if needed, independent from the remote domain's head-end. Using binding segments isolates the head-end from topology changes in the remote domain.

Packets received with a BSID as top label are steered into the SR-TE policy associated with the BSID. When the BSID label is popped, the SR-TE policy's SID list is pushed.

BSID can be used in the following cases:

- Multi-Domain (inter-domain, inter-autonomous system)—BSIDs can be used to steer traffic across domain borders, creating seamless end-to-end inter-domain SR-TE policies.
- Large-Scale within a single domain—The head-end can use hierarchical SR-TE policies by nesting the end-to-end (edge-to-edge) SR-TE policy within another layer of SR-TE policies (aggregation-to-aggregation). The SR-TE policies are nested within another layer of policies using the BSIDs, resulting in seamless end-to-end SR-TE policies.
- Label stack compression—If the label-stack size required for an SR-TE policy exceeds the platform capability, the SR-TE policy can be seamlessly stitched to, or nested within, other SR-TE policies using a binding segment.

#### **Explicit Binding SID**

Use the **binding-sid mpls** *label* command in SR-TE policy configuration mode to specify the explicit BSID. Explicit BSIDs are allocated from the segment routing local block (SRLB) or the dynamic range of labels. A best-effort is made to request and obtain the BSID for the SR-TE policy. If requested BSID is not available (if it does not fall within the available SRLB or is already used by another application or SR-TE policy), the policy stays down.

Use the **binding-sid explicit** {**fallback-dynamic** | **enforce-srlb**} command to specify how the BSID allocation behaves if the BSID value is not available.

• Fallback to dynamic allocation – If the BSID is not available, the BSID is allocated dynamically and the policy comes up:

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# binding-sid explicit fallback-dynamic
```

• Strict SRLB enforcement – If the BSID is not within the SRLB, the policy stays down:

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# binding-sid explicit enforce-srlb
```

This example shows how to configure an SR policy to use an explicit BSID of 1000. If the BSID is not available, the BSID is allocated dynamically and the policy comes up.

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
binding-sid explicit fallback-dynamic
policy goo
binding-sid mpls 1000
!
!
```

### **Stitching SR-TE Polices Using Binding SID: Example**

In this example, three SR-TE policies are stitched together to form a seamless end-to-end path from node 1 to node 10. The path is a chain of SR-TE policies stitched together using the binding-SIDs of intermediate policies, providing a seamless end-to-end path.

Figure 7: Stitching SR-TE Polices Using Binding SID

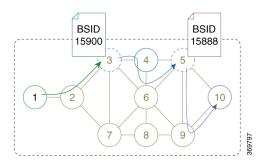


Table 11: Router IP Address

Router	Prefix Address	Prefix SID/Adj-SID
3	Loopback0 - 10.1.1.3	Prefix SID - 16003
4	Loopback0 - 10.1.1.4	Prefix SID - 16004
	Link node 4 to node 6 - 10.4.6.4	Adjacency SID - dynamic
5	Loopback0 - 10.1.1.5	Prefix SID - 16005
6	Loopback0 - 10.1.1.6	Prefix SID - 16006
	Link node 4 to node 6 - 10.4.6.6	Adjacency SID - dynamic
9	Loopback0 - 10.1.1.9	Prefix SID - 16009
10	Loopback0 - 10.1.1.10	Prefix SID - 16010

#### **Procedure**

#### **Step 1** On node 5, do the following:

- a) Define an SR-TE policy with an explicit path configured using the loopback interface IP addresses of node 9 and node 10.
- b) Define an explicit binding-SID (mpls label 15888) allocated from SRLB for the SR-TE policy.

#### **Example:**

#### Node 5

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
 segment-list PATH-9 10
  index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.9
  index 20 address ipv4 10.1.1.10
 policy foo
  binding-sid mpls 15888
  color 777 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.10
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    explicit segment-list PATH5-9 10
    !
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-5# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 777
SR-TE policy database
_____
Color: 777, End-point: 10.1.1.10
 Name: srte c 777 ep 10.1.1.10
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:00:52 (since Aug 19 07:40:12.662)
 Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 100 (configuration) (active)
     Name: foo
     Requested BSID: 15888
     PCC info:
       Symbolic name: cfg_foo_discr_100
       PLSP-ID: 70
     Explicit: segment-list PATH-9 10 (valid)
       Weight: 1, Metric Type: TE
         16009 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.9]
         16010 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.10]
  Attributes:
   Binding SID: 15888 (SRLB)
   Forward Class: 0
   Steering BGP disabled: no
   IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

#### **Step 2** On node 3, do the following:

- a) Define an SR-TE policy with an explicit path configured using the following:
  - Loopback interface IP address of node 4
  - Interface IP address of link between node 4 and node 6
  - Loopback interface IP address of node 5
  - Binding-SID of the SR-TE policy defined in Step 1 (mpls label 15888)

**Note** This last segment allows the stitching of these policies.

b) Define an explicit binding-SID (mpls label 15900) allocated from SRLB for the SR-TE policy.

#### Example:

#### Node 3

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
  segment-list PATH-4 4-6 5 BSID
  index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
  index 20 address ipv4 10.4.6.6
  index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.5
  index 40 mpls label 15888
 policy baa
  binding-sid mpls 15900
  color 777 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.5
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
     explicit segment-list PATH-4_4-6_5_BSID
    - !
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-3# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 777
SR-TE policy database
______
Color: 777, End-point: 10.1.1.5
  Name: srte c 777 ep 10.1.1.5
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:00:32 (since Aug 19 07:40:32.662)
 Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 100 (configuration) (active)
     Name: baa
     Requested BSID: 15900
     PCC info:
       Symbolic name: cfg baa discr 100
       PLSP-ID: 70
     Explicit: segment-list PATH-4 4-6 5 BSID (valid)
       Weight: 1, Metric Type: TE
         16004 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.4]
          80005 [Adjacency-SID, 10.4.6.4 - 10.4.6.6]
         16005 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.5]
         15888
 Attributes:
   Binding SID: 15900 (SRLB)
   Forward Class: 0
   Steering BGP disabled: no
   IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

Step 3 On node 1, define an SR-TE policy with an explicit path configured using the loopback interface IP address of node 3 and the binding-SID of the SR-TE policy defined in step 2 (mpls label 15900). This last segment allows the stitching of these policies.

#### **Example:**

#### Node 1

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
  segment-list PATH-3 BSID
   index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.3
  index 20 mpls label 15900
 policy bar
   color 777 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.3
   candidate-paths
   preference 100
    explicit segment-list PATH-3 BSID
   1
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node-1# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 777
SR-TE policy database
Color: 777, End-point: 10.1.1.3
 Name: srte c 777 ep 10.1.1.3
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:00:12 (since Aug 19 07:40:52.662)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 100 (configuration) (active)
      Name: bar
      Requested BSID: dynamic
      PCC info:
       Symbolic name: cfg_bar_discr_100
        PLSP-ID: 70
      Explicit: segment-list PATH-3_BSID (valid)
        Weight: 1, Metric Type: TE
         16003 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.3]
         15900
  Attributes:
   Binding SID: 80021
   Forward Class: 0
    Steering BGP disabled: no
    IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

# **L2VPN Preferred Path**

EVPN VPWS Preferred Path over SR-TE Policy feature allows you to set the preferred path between the two end-points for EVPN VPWS pseudowire (PW) using SR-TE policy.

L2VPN VPLS or VPWS Preferred Path over SR-TE Policy feature allows you to set the preferred path between the two end-points for L2VPN Virtual Private LAN Service (VPLS) or Virtual Private Wire Service (VPWS) using SR-TE policy.

# **Static Route over Segment Routing Policy**

This feature allows you to specify a Segment Routing (SR) policy as an interface type when configuring static routes for MPLS data planes.

For information on configuring static routes, see the "Implementing Static Routes" chapter in the *Routing Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers*.

#### **Configuration Example**

The following example depicts a configuration of a static route for an IPv4 destination over an SR policy according to following parameters:

- Target SR policy:
  - Color = 200
  - End-point = 10.1.1.4
  - Auto-generated SR policy name = srte\_c\_200\_ep\_10.1.1.4



Note

Use the auto-generated SR-TE policy name to attach the SR policy to the static route. Auto-generated SR policy names use the following naming convention: **srte\_c**\_color\_val\_**ep**\_endpoint-address.

Use the show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color <color\_val> endpoint ipv4 <ip\_addr> command to display the auto-generated policy name.

- Admin distance = 40
- Load metric = 150
- Install the route in RIB regardless of reachability

```
Router(config) # router static
Router(config-static) # address-family ipv4 unicast
Router(config-static-afi) # 10.1.1.4/32 sr-policy srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4 40 permanent metric
150
```

#### **Running Configuration**

```
router static
address-family ipv4 unicast
  10.1.1.4/32 sr-policy srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4 40 permanent metric 150
!
```

#### Verification

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show run segment-routing traffic-eng policy sample-policy-foo
Tue Feb 16 17:40:16.759 PST
segment-routing
traffic-eng
```

```
policy sample-policy-foo
  color 200 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.4
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    dynamic
     metric
      type te
    1
  !
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 200 endpoint ipv4 10.1.1.4
Tue Feb 16 17:17:45.724 PST
SR-TE policy database
Color: 200, End-point: 10.1.1.4
 Name: srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4
 Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 5d04h (since Feb 11 12:22:59.054)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 100 (configuration) (active)
     Name: sample-policy-foo
     Requested BSID: dynamic
       Protection Type: protected-preferred
       Maximum SID Depth: 10
     Dynamic (valid)
       Metric Type: TE,
                         Path Accumulated Metric: 14
         16005 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.5]
         16004 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.4]
 Attributes:
   Binding SID: 24014
   Forward Class: Not Configured
   Steering labeled-services disabled: no
   Steering BGP disabled: no
   IPv6 caps enable: yes
    Invalidation drop enabled: no
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show static sr-policy srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4
Tue Feb 16 17:50:19.932 PST
Interface
                        VRF
                                            State
                                                      Paths
srte c 200 ep 10.1.1.4 default
                                            Up
                                                      10.1.1.4/32
Reference Count(in path with both intf<-->NH):0
Last IM notification was Up at Feb 16 17:09:08.325
    Global ifh
                       : 0x0000007c
    IM state
                       : up
    RSI registration : Yes
    Table IDs
                        : 0xe0000000
    Address Info:
     Route tag: 0x00000000 Flags: 0x00000000 Prefix SID: False [Active]
IP-STATIC-IDB-CLASS
Total entries : 1
Interface : sr-srte c 200 ep 10.1.1.4
| Event Name
                           | Time Stamp
                                                 | S, M
```

```
| idb-create
                          | Feb 16 17:09:08.352 | 0, 0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show route 10.1.1.4/32
Tue Feb 16 17:09:21.164 PST
Routing entry for 10.1.1.4/32
  Known via "static", distance 40, metric 0 (connected)
  Installed Feb 16 17:09:08.325 for 00:00:13
 Routing Descriptor Blocks
    directly connected, via srte c 200 ep 10.1.1.4, permanent
     Route metric is 0, Wt is 150
  No advertising protos.
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show route 10.1.1.4/32 detail
Tue Feb 16 17:09:36.718 PST
Routing entry for 10.1.1.4/32
 Known via "static", distance 40, metric 0 (connected)
  Installed Feb 16 17:09:08.325 for 00:00:28
  Routing Descriptor Blocks
   directly connected, via srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4, permanent
     Route metric is 0, Wt is 150
     Label: None
     Tunnel ID: None
     Binding Label: None
     Extended communities count: 0
     NHID:0x0(Ref:0)
  Route version is 0x4a (74)
  Local Label: 0x3e84 (16004)
  IP Precedence: Not Set
  QoS Group ID: Not Set
  Flow-tag: Not Set
  Fwd-class: Not Set
  Route Priority: RIB PRIORITY RECURSIVE (9) SVD Type RIB SVD TYPE LOCAL
  Download Priority 3, Download Version 258
  No advertising protos.
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show cef 10.1.1.4/32 detail
Tue Feb 16 17:10:06.956 PST
10.1.1.4/32, version 258, attached, internal 0x1000441 0x30 (ptr 0xd3f0d30) [1], 0x0
(0xe46f960), 0xa20 (0xe9694e0)
Updated Feb 16 17:09:08.328
 Prefix Len 32, traffic index 0, precedence n/a, priority 3
 gateway array (0xe2d9a08) reference count 2, flags 0x8068, source rib (7), 0 backups
               [3 type 4 flags 0x108401 (0xe9aeb98) ext 0x0 (0x0)]
 LW-LDI[type=1, refc=1, ptr=0xe46f960, sh-ldi=0xe9aeb98]
  gateway array update type-time 1 Feb 16 17:07:59.946
 LDI Update time Feb 16 17:07:59.946
 LW-LDI-TS Feb 16 17:07:59.946
  via srte c 200 ep 10.1.1.4, 5 dependencies, weight 0, class 0 [flags 0xc]
   path-idx 0 NHID 0x0 [0xf3b1a30 0x0]
    local adjacency
    local label 16004
                           labels imposed {None}
   Load distribution: 0 (refcount 3)
    Hash OK Interface
                                       Address
         Y srte c 200 ep 10.1.1.4
                                     point2point
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:RTR-1# show mpls forwarding labels 16004 detail
Tue Feb 16 17:27:59.831 PST
Local Outgoing Prefix
                                     Outgoing
                                                Next Hop
                                                                 Bytes
```

```
Label Label or ID Interface Switched

16004 Unlabelled SR Pfx (idx 4) srte_c_200_e point2point 990

Updated: Feb 16 17:07:59.945
Path Flags: 0xc [ ]

Version: 258, Priority: 3

Label Stack (Top -> Bottom): { Unlabelled Unlabelled }

NHID: 0x0, Encap-ID: N/A, Path idx: 0, Backup path idx: 0, Weight: 0

MAC/Encaps: 0/0, MTU: 0

Outgoing Interface: srte_c_200_ep_10.1.1.4 (ifhandle 0x0000007c)

Packets Switched: 20
```

### **Autoroute Include**

You can configure SR-TE policies with Autoroute Include to steer specific IGP (IS-IS, OSPF) prefixes, or all prefixes, over non-shortest paths and to divert the traffic for those prefixes on to the SR-TE policy.

The autoroute include all option applies Autoroute Announce functionality for all destinations or prefixes.

The **autoroute include ipv4** *address* option applies Autoroute Destination functionality for the specified destinations or prefixes. This option is supported for IS-IS only; it is not supported for OSPF.

The Autoroute SR-TE policy adds the prefixes into the IGP, which determines if the prefixes on the endpoint or downstream of the endpoint are eligible to use the SR-TE policy. If a prefix is eligible, then the IGP checks if the prefix is listed in the Autoroute Include configuration. If the prefix is included, then the IGP downloads the prefix route with the SR-TE policy as the outgoing path.

#### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

- Autoroute Include supports three metric types:
  - Default (no metric): The path over the SR-TE policy inherits the shortest path metric.
  - Absolute (constant) metric: The shortest path metric to the policy endpoint is replaced with the configured absolute metric. The metric to any prefix that is Autoroute Included is modified to the absolute metric. Use the **autoroute metric constant** *constant-metric* command, where *constant-metric* is from 1 to 2147483647.
  - Relative metric: The shortest path metric to the policy endpoint is modified with the relative value configured (plus or minus). Use the **autoroute metric relative** *relative-metric* command, where *relative-metric* is from -10 to +10.



Note

To prevent load-balancing over IGP paths, you can specify a metric that is lower than the value that IGP takes into account for autorouted destinations (for example, autoroute metric relative -1).

#### **Configuration Examples**

The following example shows how to configure autoroute include for all prefixes:

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
```

```
Router(config-sr-te) #policy P1
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # autoroute include all
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-pp-index) # explicit segment-list Plist-1
```

The following example shows how to configure autoroute include for the specified IPv4 prefixes:



Note

This option is supported for IS-IS only; it is not supported for OSPF.

```
Router# configure
Router(config)# segment-routing
Router(config-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)#policy P1
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# color 20 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# autoroute include ipv4 10.1.1.21/32
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# autoroute include ipv4 10.1.1.23/32
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# autoroute metric constant 1
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path)# preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-pp-index)# explicit segment-list Plist-1
```

# **Miscellaneous**

# **SR Policy Liveness Monitoring**

SR Policy liveness monitoring allows you to verify end-to-end traffic forwarding over an SR Policy candidate path by periodically sending performance monitoring (PM) packets. The head-end router sends PM packets to the SR policy's endpoint router, which sends them back to the head-end without any control-plane dependency on the endpoint router.

For more information about this feature, see SR Policy Liveness Monitoring, on page 247.

# **LDP over Segment Routing Policy**

The LDP over Segment Routing Policy feature enables an LDP-targeted adjacency over a Segment Routing (SR) policy between two routers. This feature extends the existing MPLS LDP address family neighbor configuration to specify an SR policy as the targeted end-point.

LDP over SR policy is supported for locally configured SR policies with IPv4 end-points.

For more information about MPLS LDP, see the "Implementing MPLS Label Distribution Protocol" chapter in the *MPLS Configuration Guide*.

For more information about Autoroute, see the Autoroute Announce for SR-TE section.



Note

Before you configure an LDP targeted adjacency over SR policy name, you need to create the SR policy under Segment Routing configuration. The SR policy interface names are created internally based on the color and endpoint of the policy. LDP is non-operational if SR policy name is unknown.

The following functionality applies:

- 1. Configure the SR policy LDP receives the associated end-point address from the interface manager (IM) and stores it in the LDP interface database (IDB) for the configured SR policy.
- 2. Configure the SR policy name under LDP LDP retrieves the stored end-point address from the IDB and uses it. Use the auto-generated SR policy name assigned by the router when creating an LDP targeted adjacency over an SR policy. Auto-generated SR policy names use the following naming convention: srte\_c\_color\_val\_ep\_endpoint-address. For example, srte\_c\_1000\_ep\_10.1.1.2

#### **Configuration Example**

```
/* Enter the SR-TE configuration mode and create the SR policy. This example corresponds
to a local SR policy with an explicit path. */
Router(config) # segment-routing
Router(config-sr) # traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# segment-list sample-sid-list
Router(config-sr-te-sl) # index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.7
Router (config-sr-te-sl) # index 20 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-sl)# exit
Router(config-sr-te)# policy sample_policy
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # color 1000 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # explicit segment-list sample-sid-list
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # end
/* Configure LDP over an SR policy */
Router(config) # mpls ldp
Router(config-ldp) # address-family ipv4
Router(config-ldp-af) # neighbor sr-policy srte_c_1000_ep_10.1.1.2 targeted
Router(config-ldp-af)#
```



Note

Do one of the following to configure LDP discovery for targeted hellos:

Active targeted hellos (SR policy head end):

```
mpls ldp
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
 !
```

• Passive targeted hellos (SR policy end-point):

```
mpls ldp
address-family ipv4
  discovery targeted-hello accept
!
!
```

#### **Running Configuration**

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
  segment-list sample-sid-list
   index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.7
   index 20 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
 policy sample_policy
  color 1000 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.2
   candidate-paths
   preference 100
    explicit segment-list sample-sid-list
    - 1
    !
!
mpls ldp
address-family ipv4
 neighbor sr-policy srte c 1000 ep 10.1.1.2 targeted
 discovery targeted-hello accept
```

#### Verification

#### Router# show mpls ldp interface brief

Interface	VRF Name	Config	Enabled	IGP-Auto-Cfg	TE-Mesh-Grp cfg
Te0/3/0/0/3	default	Y	Y	0	N/A
Te0/3/0/0/6	default	Y	Y	0	N/A
Te0/3/0/0/7	default	Y	Y	0	N/A
Te0/3/0/0/8	default	N	N	0	N/A
Te0/3/0/0/9	default	N	N	0	N/A
srte_c_1000_	default	Y	Y	0	N/A

```
Router# show mpls ldp interface
```

```
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/3 (0xa000340)
   VRF: 'default' (0x6000000)
   Enabled via config: LDP interface
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/6 (0xa000400)
   VRF: 'default' (0x60000000)
   Enabled via config: LDP interface
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/7 (0xa000440)
   VRF: 'default' (0x6000000)
   Enabled via config: LDP interface
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/8 (0xa000480)
   VRF: 'default' (0x60000000)
   Disabled:
Interface TenGigE0/3/0/0/9 (0xa0004c0)
   VRF: 'default' (0x6000000)
   Disabled:
Interface srte c 1000 ep 10.1.1.2 (0x520)
   VRF: 'default' (0x60000000)
   Enabled via config: LDP interface
```

Router# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 1000

```
SR-TE policy database
```

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```
Color: 1000, End-point: 10.1.1.2
  Name: srte_c_1000_ep_10.1.1.2
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:02:00 (since Jul 2 22:39:06.663)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 100 (configuration) (active)
     Name: sample policy
     Requested BSID: dynamic
     PCC info:
        Symbolic name: cfg sample policy discr 100
        PLSP-ID: 17
     Explicit: segment-list sample-sid-list (valid)
        Weight: 1, Metric Type: TE
         16007 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.7]
          16002 [Prefix-SID, 10.1.1.2]
  Attributes:
   Binding SID: 80011
   Forward Class: 0
   Steering BGP disabled: no
   IPv6 caps enable: yes
Router# show mpls ldp neighbor 10.1.1.2 detail
Peer LDP Identifier: 10.1.1.2:0
  TCP connection: 10.1.1.2:646 - 10.1.1.6:57473
  Graceful Restart: No
  Session Holdtime: 180 sec
  State: Oper; Msgs sent/rcvd: 421/423; Downstream-Unsolicited
 Up time: 05:22:02
  LDP Discovery Sources:
   IPv4: (1)
     Targeted Hello (10.1.1.6 -> 10.1.1.2, active/passive)
   IPv6: (0)
  Addresses bound to this peer:
   IPv4: (9)
                    2.2.2.99
                                   10.1.2.2
     10.1.1.2
                                                   10.2.3.2
     10.2.4.2
                    10.2.22.2
                                   10.2.222.2
                                                   10.30.110.132
     11.2.9.2
   IPv6: (0)
  Peer holdtime: 180 sec; KA interval: 60 sec; Peer state: Estab
  NSR: Disabled
  Clients: LDP over SR Policy
  Capabilities:
    Sent:
     0x508 (MP: Point-to-Multipoint (P2MP))
     0x509 (MP: Multipoint-to-Multipoint (MP2MP))
     0x50a (MP: Make-Before-Break (MBB))
     0x50b (Typed Wildcard FEC)
    Received:
     0x508 (MP: Point-to-Multipoint (P2MP))
     0x509 (MP: Multipoint-to-Multipoint (MP2MP))
      0x50a (MP: Make-Before-Break (MBB))
     0x50b (Typed Wildcard FEC)
```

### **SR-TE MPLS Label Imposition Enhancement**

The SR-TE MPLS Label Imposition Enhancement feature increases the maximum label imposition capabilities of the platform.

In previous releases, the platform supported:

- Up to 5 MPLS transport labels when no MPLS service labels are imposed
- Up to 3 MPLS transport labels when MPLS service labels are imposed

With the SR-TE MPLS Label Imposition Enhancement feature, the platform supports the following:

- Up to 12 MPLS transport labels when no MPLS service labels are imposed
- Up to 9 MPLS transport labels when MPLS service labels are imposed

This enhancement is enabled and disabled dynamically, as the label count changes. For example, if a path requires only 3 MPLS transport labels, the MPLS Label Imposition Enhancement feature is not enabled.

You can disable labeled services for SR-TE policies. The label switching database (LSD) needs to know if labeled services are disabled on top of an SR-TE policy to perform proper label stack splitting.

#### **Disable Labeled Services per Local Policy**

Use the **labeled-services disable** command to disable steering for labeled services for a configured policy. This configuration applies per policy.

```
segment-routing
  traffic-eng
  policy policy name
    steering
    labeled-services disable
```

#### **Disable Labeled Services per ODN color**

Use the **labeled-services disable** command to disable steering of labeled-services for on-demand color policies. This configuration applies for a specific ODN color.

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
on-demand color color
steering
labeled-services disable
```

#### **Disable Labeled Services per Policy Type**

Use the **labeled-services disable** command to disable steering of labeled services for all policies for the following policy types:

- all all policies
- local all locally configured policies
- on-demand all BGP on-demand color policies
- bgp-srte all controller-initiated BGP SR-TE policies
- pcep all PCE-initiated policies



Note

You can specify more than one policy type.

```
segment-routing
  traffic-eng
  steering
  labeled-services
       disable {all | local | on-demand | bgp-srte | pcep}
```

#### Verification

Use the **show segment-routing traffic-eng policy** command to display SR policy information. The following output shows that steering of labeled services for the on-demand SR policy are disabled.

```
Router# show segment-routing traffic-eng policy color 10
Thu Jul 18 11:35:25.124 PDT
SR-TE policy database
Color: 10, End-point: 10.1.1.8
  Name: srte c 10 ep 10.1.1.8
  Status:
   Admin: up Operational: up for 00:00:06 (since Jul 18 11:35:19.350)
  Candidate-paths:
   Preference: 1 (configuration) (active)
     Name: test pol 2
     Requested BSID: dynamic
     Dynamic (valid)
        Metric Type: TE, Path Accumulated Metric: 10
         24004 [Adjacency-SID, 10.1.1.1 - 10.1.1.2]
  Attributes:
   Binding SID: 24011
   Forward Class: 0
   Steering labeled-services disabled: yes
   Steering BGP disabled: no
    IPv6 caps enable: yes
```

# **SR-TE Reoptimization Timers**

SR-TE path re-optimization occurs when the head-end determines that there is a more optimal path available than the one currently used. For example, in case of a failure along the SR-TE LSP path, the head-end could detect and revert to a more optimal path by triggering re-optimization.

Re-optimization can occur due to the following events:

- The explicit path hops used by the primary SR-TE LSP explicit path are modified
- The head-end determines the currently used path-option are invalid due to either a topology path disconnect, or a missing SID in the SID database that is specified in the explicit-path
- A more favorable path-option (lower index) becomes available

For event-based re-optimization, you can specify various delay timers for path re-optimization. For example, you can specify how long to wait before switching to a reoptimized path

Additionally, you can configure a timer to specify how often to perform reoptimization of policies. You can also trigger an immediate reoptimization for a specific policy or for all policies.

#### **SR-TE Reoptimization**

To trigger an immediate SR-TE reoptimization, use the **segment-routing traffic-eng reoptimization** command in Exec mode:

```
Router# segment-routing traffic-eng reoptimization {all | name policy}
```

Use the **all** option to trigger an immediate reoptimization for all policies. Use the **name** *policy* option to trigger an immediate reoptimization for a specific policy.

#### **Configuring SR-TE Reoptimization Timers**

Use these commands in SR-TE configuration mode to configure SR-TE reoptimization timers:

- timers candidate-path cleanup-delay *seconds*—Specifies the delay before cleaning up candidate paths, in seconds. The range is from 0 (immediate clean-up) to 86400; the default value is 120
- **timers cleanup-delay** *seconds*—Specifies the delay before cleaning up previous path, in seconds. The range is from 0 (immediate clean-up) to 300; the default value is 10.
- timers init-verify-restart *seconds* —Specifies the delay for topology convergence after the topology starts populating due to a restart, in seconds. The range is from 10 to 10000; the default is 40.
- timers init-verify-startup seconds—Specifies the delay for topology convergence after topology starts populating for due to startup, in seconds. The range is from 10 to 10000; the default is 300
- timers init-verify-switchover *seconds*—Specifies the delay for topology convergence after topology starts populating due to a switchover, in seconds. The range is from 10 to 10000; the default is 60.
- **timers install-delay** *seconds*—Specifies the delay before switching to a reoptimized path, in seconds. The range is from 0 (immediate installation of new path) to 300; the default is 10.
- **timers periodic-reoptimization** *seconds*—Specifies how often to perform periodic reoptimization of policies, in seconds. The range is from 0 to 86400; the default is 600.

#### **Example Configuration**

```
Router(config)# segment-routing traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te)# timers
Router(config-sr-te-timers)# candidate-path cleanup-delay 600
Router(config-sr-te-timers)# cleanup-delay 60
Router(config-sr-te-timers)# init-verify-restart 120
Router(config-sr-te-timers)# init-verify-startup 600
Router(config-sr-te-timers)# init-verify-switchover 30
Router(config-sr-te-timers)# install-delay 60
Router(config-sr-te-timers)# periodic-reoptimization 3000
```

#### **Running Config**

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
timers
install-delay 60
periodic-reoptimization 3000
cleanup-delay 60
candidate-path cleanup-delay 600
init-verify-restart 120
init-verify-startup 600
init-verify-switchover 30
```

!



# Configure Segment Routing Path Computation Element

The Segment Routing Path Computation Element (SR-PCE) provides stateful PCE functionality by extending the existing IOS-XR PCEP functionality with additional capabilities. SR-PCE is supported on the MPLS data plane and IPv4 control plane.

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# **About SR-PCE**

The path computation element protocol (PCEP) describes a set of procedures by which a path computation client (PCC) can report and delegate control of head-end label switched paths (LSPs) sourced from the PCC to a PCE peer. The PCE can request the PCC to update and modify parameters of LSPs it controls. The stateful model also enables a PCC to allow the PCE to initiate computations allowing the PCE to perform network-wide orchestration.

SR-PCE learns topology information by way of IGP (OSPF or IS-IS) or through BGP Link-State (BGP-LS). SR-PCE is capable of computing paths using the following methods:

- TE metric—SR-PCE uses the TE metric in its path calculations to optimize cumulative TE metric.
- IGP metric—SR-PCE uses the IGP metric in its path calculations to optimize reachability.
- LSP Disjointness—SR-PCE uses the path computation algorithms to compute a pair of disjoint LSPs. The disjoint paths can originate from the same head-end or different head-ends. Disjoint level refers to the type of resources that should not be shared by the two computed paths. SR-PCE supports the following disjoint path computations:

- Link Specifies that links are not shared on the computed paths.
- Node Specifies that nodes are not shared on the computed paths.
- SRLG Specifies that links with the same SRLG value are not shared on the computed paths.
- SRLG-node Specifies that SRLG and nodes are not shared on the computed paths.

When the first request is received with a given disjoint-group ID, the first LSP is computed, encoding the shortest path from the first source to the first destination. When the second LSP request is received with the same disjoint-group ID, information received in both requests is used to compute two disjoint paths: one path from the first source to the first destination, and another path from the second source to the second destination. Both paths are computed at the same time.

#### **TCP Authentication Option**

TCP Message Digest 5 (MD5) authentication has been used for authenticating PCEP (TCP) sessions by using a clear text or encrypted password. This feature introduces support for TCP Authentication Option (TCP-AO), which replaces the TCP MD5 option.

TCP-AO uses Message Authentication Codes (MACs), which provides the following:

- Protection against replays for long-lived TCP connections
- More details on the security association with TCP connections than TCP MD5
- A larger set of MACs with minimal system and operational changes

TCP-AO is compatible with Master Key Tuple (MKT) configuration. TCP-AO also protects connections when using the same MKT across repeated instances of a connection. TCP-AO protects the connections by using traffic key that are derived from the MKT, and then coordinates changes between the endpoints.



Note

TCP-AO and TCP MD5 are never permitted to be used simultaneously. TCP-AO supports IPv6, and is fully compatible with the proposed requirements for the replacement of TCP MD5.

# **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

To ensure PCEP compatibility, we recommend that the Cisco IOS XR version on the SR-PCE be the same or later than the Cisco IOS XR version on the PCC or head-end.

# **Configure SR-PCE**

This task explains how to configure SR-PCE.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	pce	Enables PCE and enters PCE configuration
	Example:	mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# pce	
Step 3	address ipv4 address	Configures a PCE IPv4 address.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce)# address ipv4 192.168.0.1	
Step 4	state-sync ipv4 address	Configures the remote peer for state
	Example:	synchronization.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce)# state-sync ipv4 192.168.0.3	
Step 5	tcp-buffer size size	Configures the transmit and receive TCP buffer
	Example:	size for each PCEP session, in bytes. The default buffer size is 256000. The valid range
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce)# tcp-buffer size 1024000</pre>	is from 204800 to 1024000.
Step 6	password {clear   encrypted} password	Enables TCP MD5 authentication for all PCEP
	Example:	peers. Any TCP segment coming from the PCC that does not contain a MAC matching the
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce)# password encrypted pwd1	configured password will be rejected. Specify if the password is encrypted or clear text.
		Note TCP-AO and TCP MD5 are never permitted to be used simultaneously.
Step 7	tcp-ao key-chain [include-tcp-options] [accept-ao-mismatch-connection]	Enables TCP Authentication Option (TCP-AO) authentication for all PCEP peers. Any TCP
	Example:	segment coming from the PCC that does not contain a MAC matching the configured key
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce)# tcp-ac	chain will be rejected.

	Command or Action	Purpose     include-tcp-options—Includes other TCP options in the header for MAC calculation.     accept-ao-mismatch-connection—Accepts connection even if there is a mismatch of AO options between peers.		
	pce_tcp_ao include-tcp-options			
		Note TCP-AO and TCP MD5 are never permitted to be used simultaneously.		
Step 8	segment-routing {strict-sid-only   te-latency}	Configures the segment routing algorithm to use strict SID or TE latency.		
	<pre>Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce) # segment-routing strict-sid-only</pre>	Note This setting is global and applies to all LSPs that request a path from this controller.		
Step 9	<pre>timers Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce)# timers</pre>	Enters timer configuration mode.		
Step 10	<pre>keepalive time Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce-timers)# keepalive 60</pre>	Configures the timer value for locally generated keep-alive messages. The default time is 30 seconds.		
Step 11	minimum-peer-keepalive time  Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce-timers)# minimum-peer-keepalive 30	Configures the minimum acceptable keep-alive timer that the remote peer may propose in the PCEP OPEN message during session establishment. The default time is 20 seconds.		
Step 12	<pre>reoptimization time Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce-timers)# reoptimization 600</pre>	Configures the re-optimization timer. The default timer is 1800 seconds.		
Step 13	exit Example:	Exits timer configuration mode and returns to PCE configuration mode.		

Command or Action	Purpose
<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce-timers)# exit</pre>	

# **Configure the Disjoint Policy (Optional)**

This task explains how to configure the SR-PCE to compute disjointness for a pair of LSPs signaled by PCCs that do not include the PCEP association group-ID object in their PCEP request. This can be beneficial for deployments where PCCs do not support this PCEP object or when the network operator prefers to manage the LSP disjoint configuration centrally.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	disjoint-path  Example:	Enters disjoint configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce) # disjoint-path</pre>	
Step 2	group-id value type {link   node   srlg   srlg-node} [sub-id value]  Example:	Configures the disjoint group ID and defines the preferred level of disjointness (the type of resources that should not be shared by the two paths):
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce-disjoint)# group-id 1 type node sub-id 1</pre>	• link—Specifies that links are not shared on the computed paths.
		• <b>node</b> —Specifies that nodes are not shared on the computed paths.
		• srlg—Specifies that links with the same SRLG value are not shared on the computed paths.
		• srlg-node—Specifies that SRLG and nodes are not shared on the computed paths.
		If a pair of paths that meet the requested disjointness level cannot be found, then the paths will automatically fallback to a lower level:
		If the requested disjointness level is SRLG or node, then link-disjoint paths will be computed.

	Command or Action	Purpose
		If the requested disjointness level was link, or if the first fallback from SRLG or node disjointness failed, then the lists of segments encoding two shortest paths, without any disjointness constraint, will be computed.
Step 3	strict	(Optional) Prevents the automatic fallback behavior of the preferred level of disjointness.
	<pre>Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce-disjoint)#     strict</pre>	If a pair of paths that meet the requested disjointness level cannot be found, the disjoint calculation terminates and no new path is provided. The existing path is not modified.
Step 4	<pre>lsp {1   2} pcc ipv4 address lsp-name lsp_name [shortest-path]</pre>	Adds LSPs to the disjoint group.  The <b>shortest-path</b> keyword forces one of the
	Example:	disjoint paths to follow the shortest path from the source to the destination. This option can
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce-disjoint)#   lsp 1 pcc ipv4 192.168.0.1 lsp-name   rtrA t1 shortest-path</pre>	only be applied to the the first LSP specified.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pce-disjoint)# lsp 2 pcc ipv4 192.168.0.5 lsp-name rtrE_t2</pre>	

# **PCE-Initiated SR Policies**

Use cases based on centralized optimization, such as congestion mitigation solutions, rely on the ability of the PCE to signal and instantiate SR-TE policies in the network. We refer to this as PCE-initiated SR-TE policies.

PCE-initiated SR-TE policies can be triggered via Crossworks Network Controller (recommended approach) or via CLI at the PCE.

For more information on configuring SR-TE policies, see the SR-TE Policy Overview, on page 109.

The PCE deploys the SR-TE policy using PCC-PCE communication protocol (PCEP).

- **1.** PCE sends a PCInitiate message to the PCC.
- 2. If the PCInitiate message is valid, the PCC sends a PCRpt message; otherwise, it sends PCErr message.
- 3. If the PCInitiate message is accepted, the PCE updates the SR-TE policy by sending PCUpd message.

You can achieve high-availability by configuring multiple PCEs with SR-TE policies. If the head-end (PCC) loses connectivity with one PCE, another PCE can assume control of the SR-TE policy.

#### Configuration Example: PCE-Initiated SR Policy with Explicit SID List

To configure a PCE-initiated SR-TE policy, you must complete the following configurations:

- 1. Enter PCE configuration mode.
- **2.** Create the segment list.



Note

When configuring an explicit path using IP addresses of intermediate links, the SR-TE process selects either the protected or the unprotected Adj-SID of the link, depending on the order in which the Adj-SIDs were received.

**3.** Create the policy.

```
/* Enter PCE configuration mode and create the SR-TE segment lists */
Router# configure
Router(config) # pce
/* Create the SR-TE segment lists */
Router(config-pce) # segment-routing
Router(config-pce-sr)# traffic-eng
Router(config-pce-sr-te) # segment-list name addr2a
Router(config-pce-sr-te-sl) # index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
Router(config-pce-sr-te-sl)# index 20 address ipv4 10.2.3.2
Router(config-pce-sr-te-sl) # index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
Router(config-pce-sr-te-sl)# exit
/* Create the SR-TE policy */
Router(config-pce-sr-te)# peer ipv4 10.1.1.1
Router(config-pce-sr-te) # policy P1
Router(config-pce-sr-te-policy) # color 2 end-point ipv4 2.2.2.2
Router(config-pce-sr-te-policy) # candidate-paths
Router(config-pce-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 50
Router(config-pce-sr-te-policy-path-preference)# explicit segment-list addr2a
Router(config-pce-sr-te-pp-info)# commit
Router(config-pce-sr-te-pp-info)# end
Router(config)#
```

#### **Running Config**

```
pce
segment-routing
traffic-eng
segment-list name addr2a
index 10 address ipv4 10.1.1.2
index 20 address ipv4 10.2.3.2
index 30 address ipv4 10.1.1.4
!
peer ipv4 10.1.1.1
policy P1
color 2 end-point ipv4 2.2.2.2
candidate-paths
preference 50
explicit segment-list addr2a
!
```

# SR-PCE Flexible Algorithm Multi-Domain Path Computation

Flexible Algorithm provides a traffic engineered path automatically computed by the IGP to any destination reachable by the IGP. With the SR-PCE Flexible Algorithm Multi-Domain Path Computation feature, SR-PCE can use Flexible Algorithms to compute multi-domain paths. See the Enabling Segment Routing Flexible Algorithm, on page 293 chapter for information about Segment Routing Flexible Algorithm.

The SR-PCE Flexible Algorithm Multi-Domain Path Computation feature incorporates the following functionality:

- BGP-LS has been augmented to allow selected nodes to advertise the Flexible Algorithm definition (FAD) to the SR-PCE
- PCEP has been augmented (vendor-specific object) to allow a PCC to indicate SR policy constraint based on the Flexible Algorithm instance number
- SR-PCE algorithms have been augmented to compute paths based on a Flexible Algorithm constraint

The SR-PCE Flexible Algorithm multi-domain path computation requires the following:

- The same Flexible Algorithm instance ID is used across domains.
- The metric for those Flexible Algorithm instances must be the same across domains.
- The affinity constraints for those Flexible Algorithm instances may be different across domains.
- Multiple Flexible Algorithms can exist in a domain.

For example, considering a multi-domain topology (Domain 1 and Domain 2), the following scenarios meet the requirements listed above:

Scenario	Domain 1	Domain 2
Scenario 1	Flexible Algorithm 128, metric delay	Flexible Algorithm 128, metric delay
Scenario 2	Flexible Algorithm 128, metric delay	Flexible Algorithm 128, metric delay, exclude affinity blue
Scenario 3	Flexible Algorithm 128, metric delay, exclude affinity yellow	Flexible Algorithm 128, metric delay, exclude affinity blue
Scenario 4	Flexible Algorithm 128, metric delay Flexible Algorithm 129, metric IGP	Flexible Algorithm 128, metric delay Flexible Algorithm 129, metric IGP



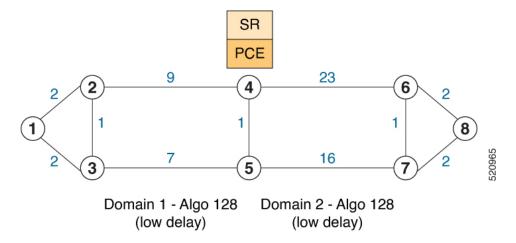
Note

The use of a Flexible Algorithm constraint in a multi-domain SR topology does not preclude the use of an SR policy that are optimized for a particular metric type. For example, a policy can request a PCE for a Multi Domain policy based on metric delay. SR-PCE computes the path and encodes it with regular prefix SIDs and Adj-SIDs as required. Alternatively, a policy can request to have a constraint for a Flexible Algorithm instance X, which is defined in multiple domains and it minimizes based on metric delay. In this case, the SR-PCE computes the multi-domain path and encodes it using only Flexible Algorithm prefix SIDs. This case benefits from the optimized label stack size that Flexible Algorithm provides (1 label per domain).

# **Example: SR-PCE Flexible Algorithm Multi-Domain Path Computation Use Case**

The following use case depicts a multi-domain topology with two IS-IS processes, each with a Flexible Algorithm instance of 128 that minimizes metric delay. A multi-domain SR policy programmed at Node 1 leverages a Flexible Algorithm 128 path computed by the SR-PCE toward Node 8.

Figure 8: Multi-Domain Topology



#### **Configuration on Node 8**

#### IS-IS and Flexible Algorithm Configuration

```
router isis 2
is-type level-2-only
net 49.0002.0000.0000.0008.00
distribute link-state
flex-algo 128
  metric-type delay
  advertise-definition
address-family ipv4 unicast
  metric-style wide
  router-id 10.1.1.8
  segment-routing mpls
interface Loopback0
  passive
  address-family ipv4 unicast
   prefix-sid absolute 16008
   prefix-sid algorithm 128 absolute 16808
```

#### Configuration on Node 4 (ABR/ASBR)

#### IS-IS and Flexible Algorithm Configuration

```
router isis 1
is-type level-2-only
net 49.0001.0000.0000.0004.00
distribute link-state instance-id 100
```

```
flex-algo 128
  metric-type delay
  advertise-definition
address-family ipv4 unicast
  metric-style wide
  router-id 10.1.1.4
  segment-routing mpls
interface Loopback0
  passive
  address-family ipv4 unicast
   prefix-sid absolute 16004
   prefix-sid algorithm 128 absolute 16804
router isis 2
is-type level-2-only
net 49.0002.0000.0000.0004.00
distribute link-state instance-id 200
flex-algo 128
  metric-type delay
  advertise-definition
address-family ipv4 unicast
  metric-style wide
  router-id 10.1.1.4
  segment-routing mpls
interface Loopback0
  passive
  address-family ipv4 unicast
   prefix-sid absolute 16004
   prefix-sid algorithm 128 absolute 16804
```

#### **BGP-LS Configuration**

```
router bgp 65000
bgp router-id 10.1.1.4
address-family link-state link-state
!
neighbor-group AS65000-LS-group
remote-as 65000
update-source Loopback0
address-family link-state link-state
!
!
neighbor 10.1.1.10
use neighbor-group AS65000-LS-group
description *** To SR-PCE ***
!
!
```

#### **Configuration on Node 1**

#### IS-IS and Flexible Algorithm Configuration

```
router isis 1
  is-type level-2-only
  net 49.0001.0000.0000.0001.00
  distribute link-state
```

```
flex-algo 128
  metric-type delay
  advertise-definition

address-family ipv4 unicast
  metric-style wide
  router-id 10.1.1.1
  segment-routing mpls
!

interface Loopback0
  passive
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  prefix-sid absolute 16001
  prefix-sid algorithm 128 absolute 16801
```

# **SR Policy Configuration**

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
 policy FOO
  color 100 end-point ipv4 10.1.1.8
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    dynamic
     pcep
     1
    constraints
     segments
      sid-algorithm 128
     !
    !
    !
  !
!
```

### **PCC Configuration**

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
pcc
source-address ipv4 10.1.1.1
pce address ipv4 10.1.1.10
precedence 10
!
report-all
!
!
```

#### **Configuration on PCE**

```
pce
address ipv4 10.1.1.10
rest
!
!
router bgp 65000
bgp router-id 10.1.1.10
address-family link-state link-state
!
```

```
neighbor-group AS65000-LS-group
remote-as 65000
update-source Loopback0
address-family link-state link-state
!
!
neighbor 10.1.1.4
use neighbor-group AS65000-LS-group
description *** To Node-4 ***
!
!
neighbor 10.1.1.5
use neighbor-group AS65000-LS-group
description *** To Node-5 ***
!
```

# **ACL Support for PCEP Connection**

PCE protocol (PCEP) (RFC5440) is a client-server model running over TCP/IP, where the server (PCE) opens a port and the clients (PCC) initiate connections. After the peers establish a TCP connection, they create a PCE session on top of it.

The ACL Support for PCEP Connection feature provides a way to protect a PCE server using an Access Control List (ACL) to restrict IPv4 PCC peers at the time the TCP connection is created based on the source address of a client. When a client initiates the TCP connection, the ACL is referenced, and the client source address is compared. The ACL can either permit or deny the address and the TCP connection will proceed or not.

Refer to the Understanding Access Lists chapter in the *IP Addresses and Services Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers* for detailed ACL configuration information.

To apply an ACL to the PCE, use the **pce peer-filter ipv4 access-list** acl\_name command.

The following example shows how to configure an ACL and apply it to the PCE:

```
pce
address ipv4 10.1.1.5
peer-filter ipv4 access-list sample-peer-filter!
ipv4 access-list sample-peer-filter
10 permit ipv4 host 10.1.1.6 any
20 permit ipv4 host 10.1.1.7 any
30 deny ipv4 any any
!
```

# **SR-PCE IPv4 Unnumbered Interface Support**

This feature allows IPv4 unnumbered interfaces to be part of an SR-PCE topology database.

An unnumbered IPv4 interface is not identified by its own unique IPv4 address. Instead, it is identified by the router ID of the node where this interfaces resides and the local SNMP index assigned for this interface.

This feature provides enhancements to the following components:

- IGPs (IS-IS and OSPF):
  - Support the IPv4 unnumbered interfaces in the SR-TE context by flooding the necessary interface information in the topology
- SR-PCE:



Note

SR-PCE and path computation clients (PCCs) need to be running Cisco IOS XR 7.0.2 or later.

- Compute and return paths from a topology containing IPv4 unnumbered interfaces.
- Process reported SR policies from a head-end router that contain hops with IPv4 unnumbered adjacencies.

PCEP extensions for IPv4 unnumbered interfaces adhere to IETF RFC8664 "PCEP Extensions for Segment Routing" (https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/rfc8664/). The unnumbered hops use a Node or Adjacency Identifier (NAI) of type 5. This indicates that the segment in the explicit routing object (ERO) is an unnumbered adjacency with an IPv4 ID and an interface index.

- SR-TE process at the head-end router:
  - Compute its own local path over a topology, including unnumbered interfaces.
  - Process PCE-computed paths that contain hops with IPv4 unnumbered interfaces.
  - Report a path that contains hops with IPv4 unnumbered interfaces to the PCE.

# **Configuration Example**

The following example shows how to configure an IPv4 unnumbered interface:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA(config) # interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA(config-if) # ipv4 point-to-point
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA(config-if) # ipv4 unnumbered Loopback0
```

To bring up the IPv4 unnumbered adjacency under the IGP, configure the link as point-to-point under the IGP configuration. The following example shows how to configure the link as point-to-point under the IGP configuration:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA(config) # router ospf one
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA(config-ospf) # area 0
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA(config-ospf-ar) # interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA(config-ospf-ar-if) # network point-to-point
```

#### Verification

Use the **show ipv4 interface** command to display information about the interface:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA# show ipv4 interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0 brief
Tue Apr 2 12:59:53.140 EDT
Interface IP-Address Status Protocol
GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0 192.168.0.1 Up Up
```

This interface shows the IPv4 address of Loopback0.

Use the **show snmp interface** command to find the SNMP index for this interface:

The interface is identified with the pair (IPv4:192.168.0.1, index:6).

Use the **show ospf neighbor** command to display the adjacency:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:rtrA# show ospf neighbor gigabitEthernet 0/0/0/0 detail
...
Neighbor 192.168.0.4, interface address 192.168.0.4
    In the area 0 via interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
    Neighbor priority is 1, State is FULL, 6 state changes
    ...
Adjacency SIDs:
    Label: 24001, Dynamic, Unprotected
Neighbor Interface ID: 4
```

The output of the **show pce ipv4 topology** command is enhanced to display the interface index instead of the IP address for unnumbered interfaces:

The output of **show pce lsp detail** command includes unnumbered hops:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:sr-pce# show pce lsp detail
...
    Reported path:
        Metric type: TE, Accumulated Metric 3
        SID[0]: Adj unnumbered, Label 24001, local 192.168.0.1(6), remote 192.168.0.4(4)
        SID[1]: Adj unnumbered, Label 24002, local 192.168.0.4(7), remote 192.168.0.3(7)
        SID[2]: Adj unnumbered, Label 24000, local 192.168.0.3(5), remote 192.168.0.2(5)
        Computed path: (Local PCE)
        Computed Time: Wed Apr 03 11:01:46 EDT 2019 (00:01:06 ago)
        Metric type: TE, Accumulated Metric 3
        SID[0]: Adj unnumbered, Label 24001, local 192.168.0.1(6), remote 192.168.0.4(4)
        SID[1]: Adj unnumbered, Label 24002, local 192.168.0.4(7), remote 192.168.0.3(7)
        SID[2]: Adj unnumbered, Label 24000, local 192.168.0.3(5), remote 192.168.0.2(5)
```

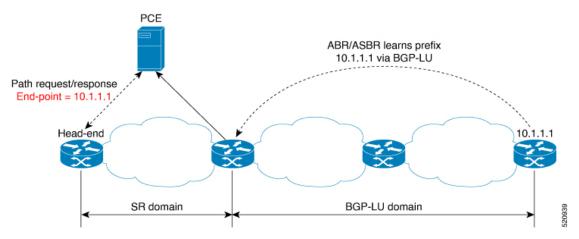
# Inter-Domain Path Computation Using Redistributed SID

A Path Computation Element (PCE) computes SR-TE paths based on SR topology database that stores connectivity, state, and TE attributes of SR network nodes and links. BGP Labeled Unicast (BGP-LU) provides MPLS transport across IGP boundaries by advertising loopbacks and label binding of impact edge and border routers across IGP boundaries.

This feature adds new functionality to the SR-PCE that enables it to compute a path for remote non-SR end-point device distributed by BGP-LU.

The remote end-point device in the BGP-LU domain is unknown to the SR-PCE. For the SR-PCE to know about the end-point device, the gateway ABR/ASBR learns the end-point prefix via BGP-LU. The prefix is then redistributed to SR-PCE topology database from the gateway ABR/ASBR. SR-PCE then can compute the best path from the head-end device to the selected gateway router.

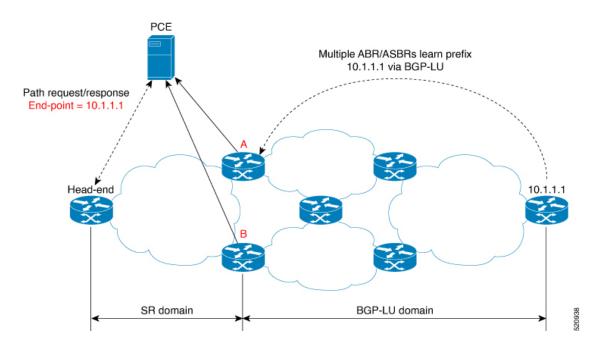
The following topology shows an SR domain and a BGP-LU domain, with a gateway ABR/ASBR between the two domains.



- 1. The gateway ABR/ASBR is configured with BGP/IGP helper to learn the remote prefix through BGP-LU and redistribute the remote prefix to the IGP helper, then to SR-PCE.
- 2. The SR-PCE selects the best gateway node to BGP-LU domain and computes the path to reach the remote prefix through the gateway node.
- 3. The head-end device in the SR domain requests a path to the remote destination and signals the SR profile interworking with the BGP-LU domain.

The BGP-LU prefix advertisement to SR-PCE Traffic Engineer Database (TED) is done by creating an IGP helper on the ABR/ASBR to redistribute BGP-LU prefix information to IGP. IGP then sends the prefix information to the SR-PCE via BGP-LS.

If there are multiple ABR/ASBRs advertising the same remote BGP-LU prefix, the SR-PCE selects the best gateway node to the BGP-LU domain using the accumulative metric from the head-end device to the gateway and the advertised metric from the gateway to the destination.



# **Example: Inter-Domain Path Computation Using Redistributed SID**

The following examples show the configurations for the IGP helper, BGP-LU, and proxy BGP-SR:

### **Configuration on the End-Point Device**

Configure the end-point device to allocate a label for the BGP-LU prefix on the end-point device:

```
router bgp 3107
bgp router-id 1.0.0.8
address-family ipv4 unicast
  network 1.0.0.8/32 route-policy bgplu-com
  allocate-label all

route-policy bgplu-com
  set community (65002:999)
end-policy
```

## Configuration on the Gateway ABR/ASBR

1. Configure the remote prefix set and create the route policy for the BGP-LU domain:

```
prefix-set bgplu
  1.0.0.7/32,
  1.0.0.8/32,
  1.0.0.101/32,
  1.0.0.102/32
end-set
!

route-policy bgp2isis
  if destination in bgplu then
   pass
  else
    drop
  endif
```

```
end-policy
!
end
```

2. Configure the helper IGP instance on the Loopback interface:

```
router isis 101
is-type level-2-only
net 49.0001.0000.1010.1010.00
 distribute link-state instance-id 9999
nsf cisco
 nsf lifetime 120
 address-family ipv4 unicast
 metric-style wide
 maximum-paths 64
 router-id Loopback10
 redistribute bgp 3107 metric 200 route-policy bgp2isis
  segment-routing mpls sr-prefer
interface Loopback10 >>> this loopback is for gateway SR-TE node-id
  passive
  address-family ipv4 unicast
   prefix-sid index 2001 explicit-null
```

3. Configure the gateway proxy BGP-SR and SR Mapping Server to allocate SR labels:

```
router bgp 3107
address-family ipv4 unicast
segment-routing prefix-sid-map
allocate-label all
segment-routing
global-block 16000 23999
mapping-server
prefix-sid-map
address-family ipv4
1.0.0.7/32 2007
1.0.0.8/32 2008
1.0.0.101/32 2101
1.0.0.102/32 2102
```

# **PCE Support for MPLS-TE LSPs**

This feature allows Cisco's SR-PCE to act as a Path Computation Element (PCE) for MPLS Traffic Engineering Label Switched Paths (MPLS-TE LSPs).



Note

For more information about MPLS-TE, refer to the "Implementing MPLS Traffic Engineering" chapter in the MPLS Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers.

The supported functionality is summarized below:

- PCE type: Active Stateful PCE
- MPLS-TE LSP initiation methods:
  - PCE Initiated—An active stateful PCE initiates an LSP and maintains the responsibility of updating the LSP.

- PCC Initiated—A PCC initiates the LSP and may delegate the control later to the Active stateful PCE.
- MPLS-TE LSP metric—Metric optimized by the path computation algorithm:
  - IGP metric
  - TE metric
  - · Latency metric
- MPLS-TE LSP constraints—TE LSP attributes to be taken into account by the PCE during path computation:
  - Resource Affinities
  - · Path Disjointness
- MPLS-TE LSP parameters:
  - Setup priority—The priority of the TE LSP with respect to taking resources
  - Hold priority—The priority of the TE LSP with respect to holding resources
  - FRR L flag—The "Local Protection Desired" bit. Can be set from an application instantiating an MPLS-TE LSP via SR-PCE. SR-PCE passes this flag to the PCC, and the PCC will enable FRR for that LSP.
  - Signaled Bandwidth—This value can be set from an application instantiating an MPLS-TE LSP via SR-PCE. SR-PCE passes this value to the PCC.
  - Binding SID—A segment identifier (SID) that a headend binds to an MPLS-TE LSP. When the headend receives a packet with active segment (top MPLS label) matching the BSID of a local MPLS-TE LSP, the headend steers the packet into the associated MPLS-TE LSP.

Cisco Crosswork Optimization Engine is an application that leverages the SR-PCE in order to visualize and instantiate MPLS-TE LSPs. For more information, refer to the Visualize SR Policies and RSVP-TE Tunnels chapter in the Cisco Crosswork Optimization Engine 1.2.1 User Guide.



Note

No extra configuration is required to enable MPLS-TE support at SR-PCE.

#### **Example: Configuring a PCEP Session (Stateful Mode) on MPLS-TE PCC**

The following example shows the configuration for an MPLS-TE PCC to establish a PCEP session with a PCE (IPv4 address 10.1.1.100).



Note

MPLS-TE PCC must operate in the stateful PCEP mode when connecting to SR-PCE.

The **instantiation** keyword enables the PCC to support MPLS-TE LSP instantiation by PCE (PCE-initiated).

The **report** keyword enables the PCC to report all the MPLS-TE LSPs configured on that node.



Note

PCE-initiated LSPs are automatically reported to all configured PCEs.

The **autoroute-announce** keyword enables autoroute-announce globally for all PCE-initiated LSPs on the PCC.

The **redundancy pcc-centric** keywords enable PCC-centric high-availability model for PCE-initiated LSPs. The PCC-centric model changes the default PCC delegation behavior to the following:

- After LSP creation, LSP is automatically delegated to the PCE that computed it.
- If this PCE is disconnected, then the LSP is redelegated to another PCE.
- If the original PCE is reconnected, then the delegation fallback timer is started. When the timer expires, the LSP is redelegated back to the original PCE, even if it has worse preference than the current PCE.

```
mpls traffic-eng
pce
  peer ipv4 10.1.1.100
!
  stateful-client
  instantiation
  report
  autoroute-announce
  redundancy pcc-centric
!
!
end
```

# Example: Configuring Multiple PCEP Sessions from a PCC Acting as MPLS-TE and SR-TE Headend Toward a Common PCE

The following example shows the configuration for a PCC (IPv4 addresses 10.1.1.1 and 10.1.1.2) to establish two PCEP sessions with a common PCE (IPv4 address 10.1.1.100). One session is configured under MPLS-TE, and the other under SR-TE.



Note

The two PCEP sessions must use a different source address on the PCC when connecting to the same PCE.

For more information regarding PCEP configuration at SR-TE PCC, see the *Configure the Head-End Router* as PCEP PCC topic.

```
mpls traffic-eng
  pce
  peer source ipv4 10.1.1.1
  peer ipv4 10.1.1.100
  !
  !
  !
end
segment-routing
  traffic-eng
```

```
pcc
source-address ipv4 10.1.1.2
pce address ipv4 10.1.1.100
!
!
!
!
end
```

# **Configuring the North-Bound API on SR-PCE**

The SR-PCE provides a north-bound HTTP-based API to allow communication between SR-PCE and external clients and applications.

Over this API, an external application can leverage the SR-PCE for topology discovery, SR policy discovery, and SR policy instantiation.

The Cisco Crosswork Optimization Engine is an application that leverages the SR-PCE. For more information, refer to the Cisco Crosswork Optimization Engine User Guides.

Use the following commands under PCE configuration mode to configure the API to allow communication between SR-PCE and external clients or applications.

Command	Descript	tion	
api authentication {basic   digest}	• bas	Specify the type of authentication:  • basic – Use HTTP Basic authentication (plaintext)  • digest – Use HTTP Digest authentication (MD5)	
api username password {clear   encrypted} password	Add cree	Add credentials when connecting to API.	
api sibling ipv4 address	1	Opens a synchronization channel to another PCE in the same high availability (HA) pair.	
	Note	For more information regarding SR-PCE HA pairs, refer to the Multiple Cisco SR-PCE HA Pairs chapter of the Cisco Crosswork Optimization Engine 1.2.1 User Guide.	

#### **Example: Configuring API on SR-PCE**

```
pce
address ipv4 10.1.1.100
api
  user admin
  password encrypted 1304131F0202
!
  authentication digest
  sibling ipv4 10.1.1.200
```

```
!
end
```

The following example shows the current active connections:

RP/0/0/CPU0:pce1# show	tcp brief	i	8080		
Thu Aug 6 00:40:15.408	PDT				
0xe9806fb8 0x60000000	0	0	:::8080	:::0	LISTEN
0xe94023b8 0x60000000	0	0	10.1.1.100:50487	10.1.1.200:8080	ESTAB
0xeb20bb40 0x60000000	0	0	10.1.1.100:8080	10.1.1.200:44401	ESTAB
0xe98031a0 0x60000000	0	0	0.0.0.0:8080	0.0.0.0:0	LISTEN

The first and fourth entries show the API server listening for IPv4 and IPv6 connections.

The second and third entries show the established sibling connection between PCE1 (10.1.1.100) and PCE2 (10.1.1.200).

Configuring the North-Bound API on SR-PCE



# **Configure Performance Measurement**

Network performance metrics is a critical measure for traffic engineering (TE) in service provider networks. Network performance metrics include the following:

- · Packet loss
- Delay
- Delay variation
- · Bandwidth utilization

These network performance metrics provide network operators information about the performance characteristics of their networks for performance evaluation and help to ensure compliance with service level agreements. The service-level agreements (SLAs) of service providers depend on the ability to measure and monitor these network performance metrics. Network operators can use Segment Routing Performance Measurement (SR-PM) feature to monitor the network metrics for links and end-to-end TE label switched paths (LSPs).

The following table explains the functionalities supported by performance measurement feature for measuring delay for links or SR policies.

**Table 12: Performance Measurement Functionalities** 

Functionality	Details
Profiles	You can configure different default profiles for different types of delay measurements. Use the "interfaces" delay profile type for link-delay measurement. The "sr-policy" delay profile type is used for SR policy delay measurements. Delay profile allows you to schedule probe and configure metric advertisement parameters for delay measurement.
Protocols	Two-Way Active Measurement Protocol (TWAMP) Light (using RFC 5357 with IP/UDP encap).
Probe and burst scheduling	Schedule probes and configure metric advertisement parameters for delay measurement.
Metric advertisements	Advertise measured metrics periodically using configured thresholds. Also supports accelerated advertisements using configured thresholds.
Measurement history and counters	Maintain packet delay and loss measurement history, session counters, and packet advertisement counters.

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- Link Delay Measurement, on page 224
- Delay Normalization, on page 237
- SR Policy End-to-End Delay Measurement , on page 240
- SR Policy Liveness Monitoring, on page 247

# **Measurement Modes**

The following table compares the different hardware and timing requirements for the measurement modes supported in SR PM.

**Table 13: Measurement Mode Requirements** 

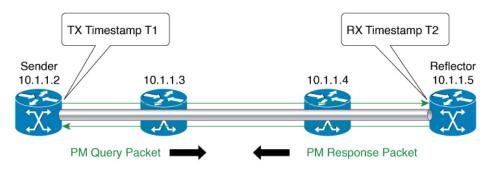
Measurement Mode	Sender: PTP-Capable HW and HW Timestamping	Reflector: PTP-Capable HW and HW Timestamping	PTP Clock Synchronization between Sender and Reflector
One-way	Required	Required	Required
Two-way	Required	Required	Not Required
Loopback	Required	Not Required	Not Required

#### **One-Way Measurement Mode**

One-way measurement mode provides the most precise form of one-way delay measurement. PTP-capable hardware and hardware timestamping are required on both Sender and Reflector, with PTP Clock Synchronization between Sender and Reflector.

Delay measurement in one-way mode is calculated as (T2 - T1).

Figure 9: One-Way



- One Way Delay = (T2 T1)
- Hardware clock synchronized using PTP (IEEE 1588) between sender and reflector nodes (all nodes for higher accuracy)

The PM query and response for one-way delay measurement can be described in the following steps:

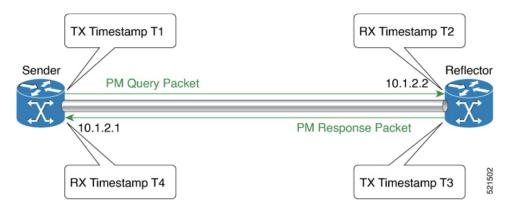
- 1. The local-end router sends PM query packets periodically to the remote side once the egress line card on the router applies timestamps on packets.
- 2. The ingress line card on the remote-end router applies time-stamps on packets as soon as they are received.
- 3. The remote-end router sends the PM packets containing time-stamps back to the local-end router.
- **4.** One-way delay is measured using the time-stamp values in the PM packet.

### **Two-Way Measurement Mode**

Two-way measurement mode provides two-way measurements. PTP-capable hardware and hardware timestamping are required on both Sender and Reflector, but PTP clock synchronization between Sender and Reflector is not required.

Delay measurement in two-way mode is calculated as ((T4 - T1) - (T3 - T2))/2

Figure 10: Two-Way



The PM query and response for two-way delay measurement can be described in the following steps:

- 1. The local-end router sends PM query packets periodically to the remote side once the egress line card on the router applies timestamps on packets.
- 2. Ingress line card on the remote-end router applies time-stamps on packets as soon as they are received.
- **3.** The remote-end router sends the PM packets containing time-stamps back to the local-end router. The remote-end router time-stamps the packet just before sending it for two-way measurement.
- **4.** The local-end router time-stamps the packet as soon as the packet is received for two-way measurement.
- **5.** Delay is measured using the time-stamp values in the PM packet.

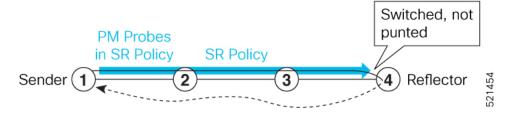
#### **Loopback Measurement Mode**

Loopback meaurement mode provides two-way and one-way measurements. PTP-capable hardware and hardware timestamping are required on the Sender, but are not required on the Reflector.

Delay measurements in Loopback mode are calculated as follows:

- Round-Trip Delay = (T4 T1)
- One-Way Delay = Round-Trip Delay/2

Figure 11: Loopback



The PM query and response for Loopback delay measurement can be described in the following steps:

- 1. The local-end router sends PM probe packets periodically on the SR Policy.
- 2. The probe packets are loopback on the endpoint node (not punted), with no timestamping on endpoint node.
- 3. Round-trip Delay = T4 T1.

# **Link Delay Measurement**

Table 14: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
Link Delay Measurement with IPv6 Link Local Address	Release 7.3.1	The performance measurement for link delay determines the source and destination IP addresses used in the OAM packet based on the IP address of the interface, where the delay measurement operation is enabled. This feature enables using the IPv6 link-local address as the OAM packet source IP address, when no IPv4 or IPv6 address is configured in the interface.

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
SR Performance Measurement Named Profiles	Release 7.3.1	You can use this feature to create specific performance measurement delay and liveness profiles, and associate it with an SR policy.
		This way, a delay or liveness profile can be associated with a policy for which the performance measurement probes are enabled, and performance measurement is precise, and enhanced.
		The <b>performance-measurement delay-profile sr-policy</b> command was updated with the <b>name</b> <i>profile</i> keyword-argument combination.
		The <b>performance-measurement liveness-profile sr-policy</b> command was updated with the <b>name</b> <i>profile</i> keyword-argument combination.
		The <b>performance-measurement delay-measurement</b> command was updated with <b>delay-profile name</b> <i>profile</i> .
		The <b>performance-measurement liveness-detection</b> command was updated with <b>liveness-profile name</b> <i>profile</i>

The PM for link delay uses the MPLS packet format defined in RFC 6374 for probes. The MPLS packet format requires the remote side line card to be MPLS capable. For link delay measurement, MPLS multicast MAC address is used to send delay measurement probe packets to next-hops. So, the user does not need to configure next-hop addresses for the links. The remote side line card needs to support the MPLS multicast MAC address.

#### Usage Guidelines and Restrictions for PM for Link Delay

The following restrictions and guidelines apply for the PM for link delay feature for different links.

- For protocol pm-mpls, remote-end line card needs to be MPLS-capable.
- For broadcast links, only point-to-point (P2P) links are supported. P2P configuration on IGP is required for flooding the value.
- For link bundles, the hashing function may select a member link for forwarding but the reply may come from the remote line card on a different member link of the bundle.
- For one-way delay measurement, clocks should be synchronized on two end-point nodes of the link using PTP.

• Link delay measurement is supported on IPv4 unnumbered interfaces. An IPv4 unnumbered interface is identified by a node ID (a loopback address) and the local SNMP index assigned to the interface. Note that the reply messages could be received on any interface, since the packets are routed at the responder based on the loopback address used to identify the link.

# **Configuration Example: PM for Link Delay**

This example shows how to configure performance-measurement functionalities for link delay as a global default profile. The default values for the different parameters in the PM for link delay is given as follows:

- **probe measurement mode**: The default measurement mode for probe is two-way delay measurement. If you are configuring one-way delay measurement, hardware clocks must be synchronized between the local-end and remote-end routers using precision time protocol (PTP). See Measurement Modes, on page 222 for more information.
- protocol:
  - **twamp-light**: Interface delay measurement using RFC 5357 with IP/UDP encap. This is the default protocol.
  - pm-mpls: Interface delay measurement using RFC6374 with MPLS encap.
- **burst interval**: Interval for sending probe packet. The default value is 3000 milliseconds and the range is from 30 to 15000 milliseconds.
- computation interval: Interval for metric computation. Default is 30 seconds; range is 1 to 3600 seconds.
- periodic advertisement: Periodic advertisement is enabled by default.
- **periodic-advertisement interval**: The default value is 120 seconds and the interval range is from 30 to 3600 seconds.
- **periodic-advertisement threshold**: Checks the minimum-delay metric change for threshold crossing for periodic advertisement. The default value is 10 percent and the range is from 0 to 100 percent.
- **periodic-advertisement minimum change**: The default value is 1000 microseconds (usec) and the range is from 0 to 100000 microseconds.
- accelerated advertisement: Accelerated advertisement is disabled by default.
- accelerated-advertisement threshold: Checks the minimum-delay metric change for threshold crossing for accelerated advertisement. The default value is 20 percent and the range is from 0 to 100 percent.
- accelerated-advertisement minimum change: The default value is 500 microseconds and the range is from 0 to 100000 microseconds.

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config) # performance-measurement delay-profile interfaces
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf) # probe
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-probe) # measurement-mode one-way
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-probe) # burst-interval 60
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-probe) # computation-interval 60
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-probe) # exit

RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf) # advertisement periodic
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-adv-per) # interval 120
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-adv-per) # threshold 20
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-adv-per) # minimum-change 1000
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-adv-per) # exit
```

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf)# advertisement accelerated
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-adv-acc)# threshold 30
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-adv-acc)# minimum-change 1000
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-dm-intf-adv-per)# exit
```

#### **Configure the UDP Destination Port**

Configuring the UDP port for TWAMP-Light protocol is optional. By default, PM uses port 862 as the TWAMP-reserved UDP destination port for delay.

The UDP port is configured for each PM measurement probe type (delay, loss, protocol, authentication mode, etc.) on querier and responder nodes. If you configure a different UDP port, the UDP port for each PM measurement probe type must match on the querier and the responder nodes.



Note

The same UDP destination port is used for delay measurement for links and SR Policy.

This example shows how to configure the UDP destination port for delay.

```
Router(config) # performance-measurement
Router(config-perf-meas) # protocol twamp-light
Router(config-pm-protocol) # measurement delay unauthenticated
Router(config-pm-proto-mode) # querier-dst-port 12000
```

# **Enable PM for Link Delay Over an Interface**

This example shows how to enable PM for link delay over an interface.

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config) # performance-measurement
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-perf-meas) # interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-intf) # next-hop ipv4 10.10.10.2 // Optional IPv4 or IPv6
next-hop address
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-intf) # delay-measurement
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-intf-dm) # exit
```

The source and destination IP addresses used in the OAM packet are determined by the IP address present on the interface where the delay-measurement operation is enabled and the setting of the optional **next-hop** address.

When the **next-hop** address is not specified, the following rules apply to determine the source and destination IP addresses used in the OAM packet:

- If an IPv4 address is configured under the interface, then:
  - OAM packet source IP address = Interface's IPv4 address
  - OAM packet destination IP address = 127.0.0.0
- Else, if an IPv6 global address is configured under the interface, then:
  - OAM packet source IP address = Interface's IPv6 global address
  - OAM packet destination IP address = 0::ff:127.0.0.0

- Else, if an IPv6 link-local address is assigned to the interface, then:
  - OAM packet source IP address = Interface's IPv6 link-local address
  - OAM packet destination IP address = 0::ff:127.0.0.0

When the **next-hop** {**ipv4** | **ipv6**} address is configured, the following rules apply to determine the source and destination IP addresses used in the OAM packet:

- If a next-hop IPv4 address is configured, then:
  - OAM packet source IP address = Interface's IPv4 address
  - OAM packet destination IP address = Configured next-hop IPv4 address



Note

If there is no IPv4 address configured under the interface, then the delay-measurement probe does not send OAM packets.

- If a next-hop IPv6 address is configured, then:
  - OAM packet source IP address = Interface's IPv6 global address
  - OAM packet destination IP address = Configured next-hop IPv6 address



Note

If there is no IPv6 global address configured under the interface, then the delay-measurement probe does not send OAM packets.

This example shows how to enable PM for link delay over an interface with IPv4 address configured:

```
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  ipv4 address 10.10.10.1 255.255.255.0
performance-measurement
  interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  delay-measurement
```

This example shows how to enable PM for link delay over an interface IPv6 address configured:

```
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  ipv6 address 10:10:10::1/64

performance-measurement
  interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  delay-measurement
```

This example shows how to enable PM for link delay over an interface with a specified next-hop IPv4 address:

```
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  ipv4 address 10.10.10.1 255.255.255.0
```

```
performance-measurement
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
next-hop ipv4 10.10.10.2
delay-measurement
```

This example shows how to enable PM for link delay over an interface with a specified next-hop IPv6 address:

```
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  ipv6 address 10:10:10::1/64

performance-measurement
  interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
   next-hop ipv6 10:10:10::2
  delay-measurement
```

This example shows how to enable PM for link delay over an interface with only IPv6 link-local address:

```
interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  ipv6 enable

performance-measurement
  interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
  delay-measurement
```

#### **Verification**

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:router# show performance-measurement profile interface
Thu Dec 12 14:13:16.029 PST
0/0/CPU0
______
Interface Delay-Measurement:
 Profile configuration:
   Measurement Type
                                           : Two-Way
   Probe computation interval
                                           : 30 (effective: 30) seconds
   Type of services
                                           : Traffic Class: 6, DSCP: 48
   Burst interval
                                           : 3000 (effective: 3000) mSec
                                           : 10 packets
   Burst count
   Encap mode
                                           : UDP
   Payload Type
                                           : TWAMP-light
   Destination sweeping mode
                                           : Disabled
   Periodic advertisement
                                          : Enabled
     Interval
                                           : 120 (effective: 120) sec
     Threshold
                                           : 10%
     Minimum-Change
                                           : 500 uSec
                                          : Disabled
   Advertisement accelerated
   Threshold crossing check
                                           : Minimum-delay
RP/0/0/CPU0:router# show performance-measurement summary detail location 0/2/CPU0
Thu Dec 12 14:09:59.162 PST
0/2/CPU0
Total interfaces
                                           : 1
Total SR Policies
                                           : 0
Total RSVP-TE tunnels
                                           : 0
```

```
Total Maximum PPS
                                             : 2000 pkts/sec
Total Interfaces PPS
                                             : 0 pkts/sec
Maximum Allowed Multi-hop PPS
                                            : 2000 pkts/sec
Multi Hop Requested PPS
                                            : 0 pkts/sec (0% of max allowed)
Dampened Multi Hop Requested PPS
                                             : 0% of max allowed
Inuse Burst Interval Adjustment Factor
                                             : 100% of configuration
Interface Delay-Measurement:
 Total active sessions
                                             • 1
 Counters:
   Packets:
                                             : 26
    Total sent
     Total received
                                             : 26
   Errors:
       TX:
         Reason interface down
                                             : 0
                                             : 0
         Reason no MPLS caps
         Reason no IP address
                                             : 0
         Reason other
                                            : 0
       RX:
         Reason negative delay
         Reason delay threshold exceeded
                                             : 0
         Reason missing TX timestamp
                                             : 0
         Reason missing RX timestamp
                                            : 0
         Reason probe full
                                            : 0
         Reason probe not started
                                             . 0
         Reason control code error
         Reason control code notif
                                             : 0
   Probes:
     Total started
                                            : 3
     Total completed
                                             : 2
     Total incomplete
                                             : 0
     Total advertisements
                                             : 0
SR Policy Delay-Measurement:
 Total active sessions
                                             : 0
 Counters:
   Packets:
                                             . 0
     Total sent
     Total received
                                             : 0
   Errors:
       TX:
                                             : 0
         Reason interface down
         Reason no MPLS caps
                                             : 0
         Reason no IP address
                                             : 0
         Reason other
                                             : 0
       RX:
         Reason negative delay
                                             : 0
         Reason delay threshold exceeded
                                             : 0
         Reason missing TX timestamp
                                             : 0
         Reason missing RX timestamp
                                            : 0
         Reason probe full
                                            : 0
         Reason probe not started
                                            : 0
         Reason control code error
         Reason control code notif
                                             : 0
   Probes:
     Total started
                                            : 0
     Total completed
                                             : 0
     Total incomplete
                                             : 0
     Total advertisements
                                             : 0
RSVP-TE Delay-Measurement:
 Total active sessions
                                             : 0
```

```
Counters:
    Packets:
      Total sent
                                                   : 0
      Total received
                                                   : 0
    Errors:
        TX:
                                                   : 0
          Reason interface down
          Reason no MPLS caps
                                                   : 0
          Reason no IP address
                                                  : 0
          Reason other
                                                   : 0
          Reason negative delay
                                                   : 0
          Reason delay threshold exceeded
                                                   : 0
          Reason missing TX timestamp
                                                   : 0
          Reason missing RX timestamp
                                                   : 0
                                                   : 0
          Reason probe full
          Reason probe not started
          Reason control code error
                                                   : 0
          Reason control code notif
                                                  : 0
    Probes:
                                                   : 0
      Total started
      Total completed
                                                   : 0
      Total incomplete
                                                   : 0
      Total advertisements
                                                   : 0
Global Delay Counters:
                                                   : 26
  Total packets sent
                                                   : 26
  Total query packets received
  Total invalid session id
                                                   : 0
  Total missing session
                                                   : 0
RP/0/0/CPU0:router# show performance-measurement interfaces detail
Thu Dec 12 14:16:09.692 PST
0/0/CPU0
0/2/CPU0
Interface Name: GigabitEthernet0/2/0/0 (ifh: 0x1004060)
  Delay-Measurement : Enabled
 Loss-Measurement
Configured IPv4 Address
Configured IPv6 Address
Link Local IPv6 Address
Configured Next-hop Address
Local MAC Address
'------hop MAC Address
  Loss-Measurement
                                     : Disabled
                                    : 10.10.10.2
: 10:10:10::2
: fe80::3a:6fff:fec9:cd6b
                                     : Unknown
                                     : 023a.6fc9.cd6b
                                     : 0291.e460.6707
: None
: None
  Primary VLAN Tag
  Secondary VLAN Tag
  State
                                      aU :
  Delay Measurement session:
    Session ID : 1
    Last advertisement:
      Advertised at: Dec 12 2019 14:10:43.138 (326.782 seconds ago)
      Advertised reason: First advertisement
      Advertised delays (uSec): avg: 839, min: 587, max: 8209, variance: 297
    Next advertisement:
      Threshold check scheduled in 1 more probe (roughly every 120 seconds)
```

```
Aggregated delays (uSec): avg: 751, min: 589, max: 905, variance: 112
 Rolling average (uSec): 756
Current Probe:
 Started at Dec 12 2019 14:15:43.154 (26.766 seconds ago)
  Packets Sent: 9, received: 9
 Measured delays (uSec): avg: 795, min: 631, max: 1199, variance: 164
 Next probe scheduled at Dec 12 2019 14:16:13.132 (in 3.212 seconds)
 Next burst packet will be sent in 0.212 seconds
 Burst packet sent every 3.0 seconds
 Probe samples:
    Packet Rx Timestamp
                         Measured Delay (nsec)
   Dec 12 2019 14:15:43.156 689223
   Dec 12 2019 14:15:46.156
                                    876561
   Dec 12 2019 14:15:49.156
                                    913548
                                   1199620
    Dec 12 2019 14:15:52.157
    Dec 12 2019 14:15:55.156
                                     794008
    Dec 12 2019 14:15:58.156
                                     631437
    Dec 12 2019 14:16:01.157
                                    656440
    Dec 12 2019 14:16:04.157
                                    658267
    Dec 12 2019 14:16:07.157
                                    736880
```

You can also use the following commands for verifying the PM for link delay on the local-end router.

Command	Description
show performance-measurement history probe interfaces [interface]	Displays the PM link-delay probe history for interfaces.
show performance-measurement history aggregated interfaces [interface]	Displays the PM link-delay aggregated history for interfaces.
show performance-measurement history advertisement interfaces [interface]	Displays the PM link-delay advertisement history for interfaces.
<b>show performance-measurement counters</b> [interface interface] [location location-name]	Displays the PM link-delay session counters.

You can also use the following commands for verifying the PM for link-delay configuration on the remote-end router.

Command	Description
show performance-measurement responder summary [location location-name]	Displays the PM for link-delay summary on the remote-end router (responder).
show performance-measurement responder interfaces [interface]	Displays PM for link-delay for interfaces on the remote-end router.
show performance-measurement responder counters [interface interface] [location location-name]	Displays the PM link-delay session counters on the remote-end router.

# Configure a Static Delay Value on an Interface

You can configure an interface to advertise a static delay value, instead of the measured delay value. When you configure a static delay value, the advertisement is triggered immediately. The average, minimum, and maximum advertised values will use the static delay value, with a variance of 0.

Scheduled probes will continue, and measured delay metrics will be aggregated and stored in history buffer. However, advertisement threshold checks are suppressed so that there are no advertisements of the actual measured delay values. If the configured static delay value is removed, the next scheduled advertisement threshold check will update the advertised measured delay values.

The static delay value can be configured from 1 to 16777215 microseconds (16.7 seconds).

This example shows how to configure a static delay of 1000 microseconds:

```
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config) # performance-measurement
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-perf-meas) # interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-intf) # delay-measurement
RP/0/0/CPU0:router(config-pm-intf-dm) # advertise-delay 1000
```

### **Running Configuration**

```
performance-measurement
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
  delay-measurement
   advertise-delay 1000
  !
  !
!
```

#### Verification

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios# show performance-measurement interfaces detail
```

```
O/O/CPU0

Interface Name: GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0 (ifh: 0x0)
Delay-Measurement : Enabled

. . .

Last advertisement:
Advertised at: Nov 29 2021 21:53:00.656 (7.940 seconds ago)
Advertised reason: Advertise delay config
Advertised delays (uSec): avg: 1000, min: 1000, max: 1000, variance: 0
```

#### **SR Performance Measurement Named Profiles**

You can create a named performance measurement profile for delay or liveness.

#### **Delay Profile**

This example shows how to create a named SR performance measurement delay profile.

```
Router(config)# performance-measurement delay-profile sr-policy profile2
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy)# probe
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe)# burst-interval 60
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe)# computation-interval 60
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe)# protocol twamp-light
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe)# tos dscp 63

Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy)# advertisement
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv)# periodic
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-per)# interval 60
```

```
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-per) # minimum-change 1000
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-per) # threshold 20
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-per) # commit
Apply the delay profile for an SR Policy.
Router(config)# segment-routing traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te) # policy TEST
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # color 4 end-point ipv4 10.10.10.10
Router (config-sr-te-policy) # performance-measurement
Router(config-sr-te-policy-perf-meas)# delay-measurement delay-profile name profile2
Router(config-sr-te-policy)# candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 100
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref)# explicit segment-list LIST1
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # weight 2
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref)# explicit segment-list LIST2
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # weight 3
Running Configuration
Router# show run segment-routing traffic-eng policy TEST
segment-routing
traffic-eng
 policy TEST
   color 4 end-point ipv4 10.10.10.10
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    explicit segment-list LIST1
     weight 2
    explicit segment-list LIST2
     weight 3
    !
   performance-measurement
    delay-measurement
    delay-profile name profile2
Verification
Router# show performance-measurement profile named-profile delay sr-policy name profile2
0/RSP0/CPU0
_____
SR Policy Delay Measurement Profile Name: profile2
  Profile configuration:
   Measurement mode
                                               : One-way
   Protocol type
                                               : TWAMP-light
   Encap mode
                                               : UDP
   Type of service:
     PM-MPLS traffic class
     TWAMP-light DSCP
                                               : 63
   Probe computation interval
                                               : 60 (effective: 60) seconds
   Burst interval
                                              : 60 (effective: 60) mSec
   Packets per computation interval
                                              : 1000
   Periodic advertisement
                                               : Enabled
     Interval
                                               : 60 (effective: 60) sec
                                               : 20%
     Threshold
     Minimum-change
                                               : 1000 uSec
```

: Disabled

Advertisement accelerated

```
Advertisement logging:

Delay exceeded : Disabled (default)
Threshold crossing check : Maximum-delay
Router alert : Disabled (default)
Destination sweeping mode : Disabled
Liveness detection parameters:

Multiplier : 3
Logging state change : Disabled
```

#### **On-Demand SR Policy**

```
Router(config-sr-te)# on-demand color 20
Router(config-sr-te-color)# performance-measurement delay-measurement
Router(config-sr-te-color-delay-meas)# delay-profile name profile2
Router(config-sr-te-color-delay-meas)# commit
```

#### **Running Configuration**

```
Router# show run segment-routing traffic-eng on-demand color 20

segment-routing
traffic-eng
on-demand color 20
performance-measurement
delay-measurement
delay-profile name profile2
```

#### **Liveness Profile**

This example shows how to create a *named* SR performance measurement liveness profile.

```
Router(config) # performance-measurement liveness-profile sr-policy name profile3
Router(config-pm-ld-srpolicy) # probe
Router(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # burst-interval 60
Router(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # measurement-mode loopback
Router(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # tos dscp 10
Router(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # liveness-detection
Router(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # multiplier 5
Router(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # commit
```

#### Apply the Liveness Profile for the SR Policy

This example shows how to enable PM for SR policy liveness for a specific policy.

For the same policy, you cannot enable delay-measurement (delay-profile) and liveness-detection (liveness-profile) at the same time. For example, if delay measurement is enabled, use the **no delay-measurement** command to disable it, and then enable the following command for enabling liveness detection.

```
Router(config) # segment-routing traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te) # policy TRST2
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # color 40 end-point ipv4 20.20.20.20
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # candidate-paths
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path) # preference 50
Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # explicit segment-list LIST3
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # weight 2

Router(config-sr-te-policy-path-pref) # explicit segment-list LIST4
Router(config-sr-te-pp-info) # weight 3

Router(config-sr-te-policy) # performance-measurement
Router(config-sr-te-policy-perf-meas) # liveness-detection liveness-profile name profile3
```

#### **Running Configuration**

#### Router# show run segment-routing traffic-eng policy TRST2

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
policy TRST2
color 40 end-point ipv4 20.20.20.20
candidate-paths
  preference 50
    explicit segment-list LIST3
    weight 2
!
    explicit segment-list LIST4
    weight 3
!
!
    performance-measurement
    liveness-detection
    liveness-profile name profile3
!
```

#### Verification

#### Router# show performance-measurement profile named-profile delay

```
0/RSP0/CPU0
-----
SR Policy Liveness Detection Profile Name: profile1
  Profile configuration:
   Measurement mode
                                               : Loopback
   Protocol type
                                               : TWAMP-light
   Type of service:
     TWAMP-light DSCP
                                               : 10
   Burst interval
                                               : 60 (effective: 60) mSec
   Destination sweeping mode
                                              : Disabled
   Liveness detection parameters:
     Multiplier
                                               • 3
     Logging state change
                                               : Disabled
SR Policy Liveness Detection Profile Name: profile3
  Profile configuration:
   Measurement mode
                                               : Loopback
    Protocol type
                                               : TWAMP-light
   Type of service:
     TWAMP-light DSCP
                                               : 10
   Burst interval
                                              : 60 (effective: 60) mSec
   Destination sweeping mode
                                              : Disabled
   Liveness detection parameters:
     Multiplier
     Logging state change
                                               : Disabled
```

#### **On-Demand SR Policy**

For the same policy, you cannot enable delay-measurement (delay-profile) and liveness-detection (liveness-profile) at the same time. For example, to disable delay measurement, use the **no delay-measurement** command, and then enable the following command for enabling liveness detection.

```
Router(config-sr-te)# on-demand color 30
Router(config-sr-te-color)# performance-measurement
Router(config-sr-te-color-pm)# liveness-detection liveness-profile name profile1
Router(config-sr-te-color-delay-meas)# commit
```

### **Running Configuration**

Router# show run segment-routing traffic-eng on-demand color 30

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
on-demand color 30
performance-measurement
liveness-detection
liveness-profile name profile1
```

#### Verification

Router# show performance-measurement profile named-profile liveness sr-policy name profile1

```
0/RSP0/CPU0
SR Policy Liveness Detection Profile Name: profile1
  Profile configuration:
   Measurement mode
                                                : Loopback
                                                : TWAMP-light
   Protocol type
   Type of service:
      TWAMP-light DSCP
                                                : 10
    Burst interval
                                                : 60 (effective: 60) mSec
   Destination sweeping mode
                                                : Disabled
   Liveness detection parameters:
      Multiplier
                                                : 3
      Logging state change
                                                : Disabled
```

# **Delay Normalization**

**Table 15: Feature History Table** 

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
SR-TE Delay Normalization for OSPF	Release 7.3.1	This feature extends the current Delay Normalization feature to support OSPF.

Performance measurement (PM) measures various link characteristics like packet loss and delay. Such characteristics can be used by IS-IS as a metric for Flexible Algorithm computation. Low latency routing using dynamic delay measurement is one of the primary use cases for Flexible Algorithm technology.

Delay is measured in microseconds. If delay values are taken as measured and used as link metrics during the IS-IS topology computation, some valid ECMP paths might be unused because of the negligible difference in the link delay.

The Delay Normalization feature computes a normalized delay value and uses the normalized value instead. This value is advertised and used as a metric during the Flexible Algorithm computation.

The normalization is performed when the delay is received from the delay measurement component. When the next value is received, it is normalized and compared to the previous saved normalized value. If the values are different, then the LSP generation is triggered.

The following formula is used to calculate the normalized value:

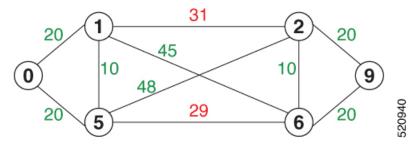
- **Dm** measured Delay
- Int configured normalized Interval

- Off configured normalized Offset (must be less than the normalized interval Int)
- **Dn** normalized Delay
- $\mathbf{a} = Dm / Int (rounded down)$
- $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a} * Int + Off$

If the measured delay (Dm) is less than or equal to  $\mathbf{b}$ , then the normalized delay (Dn) is equal to  $\mathbf{b}$ . Otherwise, Dn is  $\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{Int}$ .

### **Example**

The following example shows a low-latency service. The intent is to avoid high-latency links (1-6, 5-2). Links 1-2 and 5-6 are both low-latency links. The measured latency is not equal, but the difference is insignificant.



We can normalize the measured latency before it is advertised and used by IS-IS. Consider a scenario with the following:

- Interval = 10
- Offset = 3

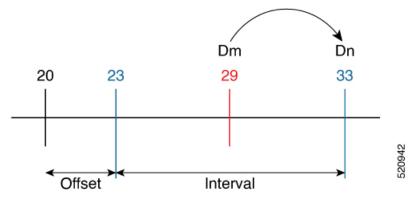
The measured delays will be normalized as follows:

• **Dm** = 
$$29$$

$$a = 29 / 10 = 2$$
 (2.9, rounded down to 2)

$$\mathbf{b} = 2 * 10 + 3 = 23$$

In this case, **Dm** (29) is greater than **b** (23); so **Dn** is equal to  $\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{I}$  (23 + 10) = 33

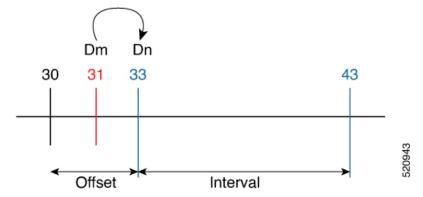


• Dm = 31

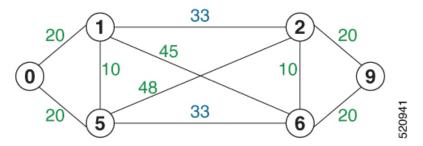
a = 31 / 10 = 3 (3.1, rounded down to 3)

$$\mathbf{b} = 3 * 10 + 3 = 33$$

In this case, **Dm** (31) is less than **b** (33); so **Dn** is  $\mathbf{b} = 33$ 



The link delay between 1-2 and 5-6 is normalized to 33.



### Configuration

Delay normalization is disabled by default. To enable and configure delay normalization, use the **delay normalize interval** [offset offset] command.

- *interval* The value of the normalize interval in microseconds.
- *offset* The value of the normalized offset in microseconds. This value must be smaller than the value of normalized interval.

#### **IS-IS Configuration**

```
router isis 1
interface GigEth 0/0/0/0
delay normalize interval 10 offset 3
address-family ipv4 unicast
metric 77
```

# **OSPF** Configuration

```
router ospf 1
area 0
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
  delay normalize interval 10 offset 3
!
!
```

# **SR Policy End-to-End Delay Measurement**

Table 16: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release	Description
Segment Routing Performance Measurement for Link Delay and SR Policy Delay Using RFC 5357 (TWAMP Light) Encoding	Release 7.2.2	This feature introduces support for Two-Way Active Measurement Protocol (TWAMP) Light (RFC 5357) for link delay and SR policy delay measurement. TWAMP Light adds two-way or round-trip measurement capabilities.
		Network performance data such as packet loss, delay and delay variation, and bandwidth utilization is a critical measure for Traffic Engineering (TE). This data provides service providers the characteristics of their networks for performance evaluation that is required to ensure the Service Level Agreements (SLAs). The performance measurement and delay variation feature allows you to measure those metrics and advertise them through IGP extensions as extended TE metrics.

The PM for SR Policy uses the MPLS packet format defined in RFC 6374 or IP/UDP packet format defined in RFC 5357 (TWAMP-Light) for probes. The MPLS packet format requires the remote-side line card to be MPLS-capable.

The PM for SR Policy uses the IP/UDP packet format defined in RFC 5357 (TWAMP-Light) for probes. Two-Way Active Measurement Protocol (TWAMP) adds two-way or round-trip measurement capabilities. TWAMP employs time stamps applied at the echo destination (reflector) to enable greater accuracy. In the case of TWAMP Light, the Session-Reflector doesn't necessarily know about the session state. The Session-Reflector simply copies the Sequence Number of the received packet to the Sequence Number field of the reflected packet. The controller receives the reflected test packets and collects two-way metrics. This architecture allows for collection of two-way metrics.

The extended TE link delay metric (minimum-delay value) can be used to compute paths for SR policies as an optimization metric or as an accumulated delay bound.

There is a need to monitor the end-to-end delay experienced by the traffic sent over an SR policy to ensure that the delay does not exceed the requested "upper-bound" and violate SLAs. You can verify the end-to-end delay values before activating the candidate-path or the segment lists of the SR policy in forwarding table, or to deactivate the active candidate-path or the segment lists of the SR policy in forwarding table.



Note

The end-to-end delay value of an SR policy will be different than the path computation result (for example, the sum of TE link delay metrics) due to several factors, such as queuing delay within the routers.

# Restrictions and Usage Guidelines for PM for SR Policy Delay

Hardware clocks must be synchronized between the querier and the responder nodes of the link using PTP for one-way delay measurement.

### **Configuring Performance Measurement Parameters**

This example shows how to configure performance-measurement parameters for SR policy delay as a global default profile. The default values for the different parameters in the PM for SR policy delay is given as follows:

- **probe**: The default mode for probe is one-way delay measurement. Two-way delay and loopback modes are supported. See Measurement Modes, on page 222 for more information.
- **burst interval**: Interval for sending probe packet. The default value is 3000 milliseconds and the range is from 30 to 15000 milliseconds.
- computation interval: Interval for metric computation. Default is 30 seconds; range is 1 to 3600 seconds.
- protocol:
  - **twamp-light**: SR Policy delay measurement using RFC 5357 with IP/UDP encap. This is the default protocol.
- tos: Type of Service
  - dscp value: The default value is 48 and the range is from 0 to 63.
  - traffic-class value: The default value is 6 and the range is from 0 to 7.
- advertisement threshold-check: minimum-delay/maximum-delay The default value of periodic advertisement threshold-check is maximum-delay.
- **periodic advertisement**: Periodic advertisement is enabled by default.
- **periodic-advertisement interval**: The default value is 120 seconds and the interval range is from 30 to 3600 seconds.
- **periodic-advertisement threshold**: Checks the minimum-delay metric change for threshold crossing for periodic advertisement. The default value is 10 percent and the range is from 0 to 100 percent.
- **periodic-advertisement minimum-change**: The default value is 500 microseconds (usec) and the range is from 0 to 100000 microseconds.
- accelerated advertisement: Accelerated advertisement is disabled by default.
- accelerated-advertisement threshold: Checks the minimum-delay metric change for threshold crossing for accelerated advertisement. The default value is 20 percent and the range is from 0 to 100 percent.
- accelerated-advertisement minimum: The default value is 500 microseconds and the range is from 1 to 100000 microseconds.

```
Router (config) # performance-measurement delay-profile sr-policy
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy)# probe
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe) # burst-interval 60
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe) # computation-interval 60
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe) # protocol twamp-light
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe) # tos dscp 63
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe)# exit
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy) # advertisement
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv) # periodic
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-per) # interval 60
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-per) # minimum-change 1000
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-per) # threshold 20
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-per)# exit
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv) # accelerated
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-acc)# minimum-change 1000
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-acc) # threshold 10
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv-acc) # exit
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv) # threshold-check minimum-delay
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-adv) # exit
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy)#
```

# **Configure the UDP Destination Port**

Configuring the UDP port for TWAMP-Light protocol is optional. By default, PM uses port 862 as the TWAMP-reserved UDP destination port for delay.



Note

The same UDP destination port is used for delay measurement for links and SR Policy.

This example shows how to configure the UDP destination port for delay.

```
Router(config)# performance-measurement

Router(config-perf-meas)# protocol twamp-light

Router(config-pm-protocol)# measurement delay unauthenticated

Router(config-pm-proto-mode)# querier-dst-port 12000
```

#### **Enable Performance Measurement for SR Policy**

This example shows how to enable PM for SR policy delay for a specific policy.

```
Router(config) # segment-routing traffic-eng
Router(config-sr-te) # policy foo
Router(config-sr-te-policy) # performance-measurement
Router(config-sr-te-policy-perf-meas) # delay-measurement
```

### SR Policy Probe IP/UDP ECMP Hashing Configuration

This example shows how to configure SR Policy ECMP IP-hashing mode.

• The destination IPv4 address 127.x.x.x – 127.y.y.y is used in the Probe messages to take advantages of 3-tuple IP hashing (source-address, destination-address, and local router ID) for ECMP paths of SR-MPLS Policy.



#### Note

The destination IPv4 address must be 127/8 range (loopback), otherwise it will be rejected.

- One PM session is always created for the actual endpoint address of the SR Policy.
- You can specify the number of IP addresses to sweep. The range is from 0 (default, no sweeping) to 128.
- Platforms may have a limitation for large label stack size to not check IP address for hashing.

```
Router(config) # performance-measurement delay-profile sr-policy
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy) # probe
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe) # sweep
Router(config-pm-dm-srpolicy-probe-sweep) # destination ipv4 127.0.0.1 range 28
```

```
Verification
Router# show performance-measurement sr-policy
Mon Jan 20 18:48:41.002 PST
0/0/CPU0
                        LSP ID Tx/Rx
Policy Name
                                            Avg/Min/Max/Variance
srte c 10 ep 192.168.0.4 2
                              6/6
                                            27012/26906/27203/106
Router# show performance-measurement sr-policy name srte_c_10_ep_192.168.0.4 detail verbose
Mon Jan 20 18:44:22.400 PST
0/0/CPU0
SR Policy name: srte c 10 ep 192.168.0.4
                  : 10
: 192.168.0.4
 Endpoint
 Number of candidate-paths : 1
 Candidate-Path:
   Instance
                           : 2
                           : 100
   Preference
                           : Configured
   Protocol-origin
                           : 100
   Discriminator
   : Not configured
   Number of segment-lists
   Last advertisement:
     No advertisements have occured
   Next advertisement:
     Check scheduled at the end of the current probe (roughly every 30 seconds)
     Aggregated delays (uSec): avg: 45218, min: 26512, max: 82600, variance: 18706
     Rolling average (uSec): 45218
   Last probe:
     Packets Sent: 9, received: 9
     Measured delays (uSec): avg: 45218, min: 26512, max: 82600, variance: 18706
    Current Probe:
     Started at Jan 20 2020 18:44:19.170 (3.453 seconds ago)
     Packets Sent: 3, received: 3
```

```
Measured delays (uSec): avg: 26588, min: 26558, max: 26630, variance: 30
Next probe scheduled at Jan 20 2020 18:44:34.166 (in 11.543 seconds)
Next burst packet will be sent in 1.543 seconds
Burst packet sent every 5.0 seconds
Liveness Detection: Disabled
Segment-List
                          : R4
   16004
  Number of atomic paths : 3
  Last advertisement:
    No advertisements have occured
  Next advertisement:
    Aggregated delays (uSec): avg: 45218, min: 26512, max: 82600, variance: 18706
    Rolling average (uSec): 45218
  Last probe:
   Packets Sent: 9, received: 9
    Measured delays (uSec): avg: 45218, min: 26512, max: 82600, variance: 18706
  Current probe:
    Packets Sent: 3, received: 3
    Measured delays (uSec): avg: 26588, min: 26558, max: 26630, variance: 30
  Liveness Detection: Disabled
  Atomic path:
                          : 127.0.0.0
    Hops
    Session ID
                          : 33554434
   Last advertisement:
     No advertisements have occured
    Next advertisement:
     Aggregated delays (uSec): avg: 45407, min: 26629, max: 82600, variance: 18778
     Rolling average (uSec): 45407
    Last Probe:
      Packets Sent: 3, received: 3
     Measured delays (uSec): avg: 45407, min: 26629, max: 82600, variance: 18778
    Current Probe:
      Packets Sent: 1, received: 1
     Measured delays (uSec): avg: 26630, min: 26630, max: 26630, variance: 0
    Probe samples:
                               Measured Delay (nsec)
      Packet Rx Timestamp
      Jan 20 2020 18:44:19.198
                                     26630730
    Liveness Detection: Disabled
  Atomic path:
    Hops
                          : 127.0.0.1
    Session ID
                          : 33554435
    Last advertisement:
     No advertisements have occured
    Next advertisement:
     Aggregated delays (uSec): avg: 45128, min: 26521, max: 81961, variance: 18607
     Rolling average (uSec): 45128
    Last Probe:
     Packets Sent: 3, received: 3
     Measured delays (uSec): avg: 45128, min: 26521, max: 81961, variance: 18607
    Current Probe:
      Packets Sent: 1, received: 1
     Measured delays (uSec): avg: 26576, min: 26576, max: 26576, variance: 0
    Probe samples:
      Packet Rx Timestamp
                              Measured Delay (nsec)
      Jan 20 2020 18:44:19.198
                                     26576938
    Liveness Detection: Disabled
  Atomic path:
    Hops
                          : 192.168.0.4
    Session ID
                          : 33554433
    Last advertisement:
```

```
No advertisements have occured
       Next advertisement:
         Aggregated delays (uSec): avg: 45119, min: 26512, max: 81956, variance: 18607
         Rolling average (uSec): 45119
       Last Probe:
         Packets Sent: 3, received: 3
         Measured delays (uSec): avg: 45119, min: 26512, max: 81956, variance: 18607
       Current Probe:
         Packets Sent: 1, received: 1
         Measured delays (uSec): avg: 26558, min: 26558, max: 26558, variance: 0
       Probe samples:
         Packet Rx Timestamp
                                 Measured Delay (nsec)
         Jan 20 2020 18:44:19.198 26558375
       Liveness Detection: Disabled
Router# show performance-measurement history probe sr-policy
Mon Jan 20 18:46:55.445 PST
0/0/CPU0
SR Policy name: srte c 10 ep 192.168.0.4
 Color
                           : 10
 Endpoint
                           : 192.168.0.4
  Candidate-Path:
   Preference
                           : 100
   Protocol-origin
                           : Configured
   Discriminator
                           : 100
   Delay-Measurement history (uSec):
     Probe Start Timestamp
                            Pkt(TX/RX)
                                        Average
                                                     Min
                                                                Max
                                         26880
                                                  26684
     Jan 20 2020 18:46:34.174 9/9
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                                  9/9
     Jan 20 2020 18:46:19.174
                                           26899
                                                    26822
                                                              27004
     Jan 20 2020 18:46:04.173
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                                           26813
                                                    26571
                                                              27164
                                   9/9
                                          26985
     Jan 20 2020 18:45:49.172
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                                                              27293
     Jan 20 2020 18:45:34.172
                                  9/9 26744
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                                   9/9
     Jan 20 2020 18:45:19.171
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                                 9/9 27115
                                                  26938
    Jan 20 2020 18:45:04.171
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26562
     Jan 20 2020 18:44:49.171
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     Jan 20 2020 18:44:34.171
                                                              27265
                                   9/9 26944
     Jan 20 2020 18:44:19.170
                                                    26558
                                                             27422
     Jan 20 2020 18:44:06.543
                                  9/9 45218 26512
                                                              82600
   Segment-List
                           : R4
     16004
     Delay-Measurement history (uSec):
       Probe Start Timestamp
                             Pkt(TX/RX) Average
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       Jan 20 2020 18:46:34.174
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                                           26944
       Jan 20 2020 18:44:19.170
                                    9/9
                                                     26558
                                                               27422
                                    9/9 45218
       Jan 20 2020 18:44:06.543
                                                     26512
                                                              82600
     Atomic path:
       Hops
                            : 127.0.0.0
       Delay-Measurement history (uSec):
         Probe Start Timestamp
                                                        Min
                              Pkt(TX/RX)
                                            Average
                                                                  Max
```

```
Jan 20 2020 18:46:34.174
                               3/3
                                        26927
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                                                           27070
   Jan 20 2020 18:46:19.174
                                3/3
                                      26982
                                                           27004
                                                 26970
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   Jan 20 2020 18:45:34.172
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   Jan 20 2020 18:45:19.171
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Atomic path:
 Hops
                     : 127.0.0.1
 Delay-Measurement history (uSec):
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   Probe Start Timestamp Pkt(TX/RX)
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                                                           26988
   Jan 20 2020 18:46:19.174
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                                        26846
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                                                           26881
   Jan 20 2020 18:46:04.173
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   Jan 20 2020 18:45:04.171
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                                     26848
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   Jan 20 2020 18:44:49.171
                                                 2.6550
                                                          27062
                                3/3 26800
   Jan 20 2020 18:44:34.171
                                                         27204
                                               26562
   Jan 20 2020 18:44:19.170
                                3/3 26927
                                               26576
                                                          27327
   Jan 20 2020 18:44:06.543
                                3/3
                                       45128
                                                 26521
                                                          81961
Atomic path:
                     : 192.168.0.4
 Hops
 Delay-Measurement history (uSec):
   Probe Start Timestamp Pkt(TX/RX)
                                     Average
                                                  Min
                                                            Max
                                      26848
                           3/3
   Jan 20 2020 18:46:34.174
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   Jan 20 2020 18:46:19.174
                                 3/3
                                        26871
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                                               26571
   Jan 20 2020 18:46:04.173
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   Jan 20 2020 18:45:49.172
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   Jan 20 2020 18:45:34.172
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                                                 26582
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   Jan 20 2020 18:44:19.170
                                3/3
                                        26911
                                                 26558
                                                           27308
   Jan 20 2020 18:44:06.543
                                3/3
                                        45119
                                                 26512
                                                           81956
```

Router# show performance-measurement counters sr-policy name srte\_c\_10\_ep\_192.168.0.4 Mon Jan 20 18:47:55.499 PST

```
0/0/CPU0
SR Policy name: srte_c_10_ep_192.168.0.4
 Candidate-Path:
   Instance
                            : 100
    Preference
   Protocol-origin
                           : Configured
   Discriminator
                            : 100
   Packets:
                                               . 141
     Total sent
     Total received
                                               : 141
   Errors:
                                               : 0
     Total sent errors
     Total received errors
                                               : 0
   Probes:
     Total started
                                               : 16
```

```
: 15
 Total completed
 Total incomplete
                                            : 0
 Total advertisements
                                             : 2
Segment-List
                          : R4
 16004
 Packets:
                                             : 141
   Total sent
   Total received
                                             : 141
 Errors:
                                             : 0
   Total sent errors
    Total received errors
                                             : 0
  Probes:
                                            : 16
   Total started
    Total completed
                                            : 15
   Total incomplete
                                            : 0
    Total advertisements
                                            : 2
```

### **SR Policy Liveness Monitoring**

Table 17: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
SR Policy Liveness Monitoring	Release 7.3.1	This feature allows you to verify end-to-end traffic forwarding over an SR Policy candidate path by periodically sending performance monitoring packets.

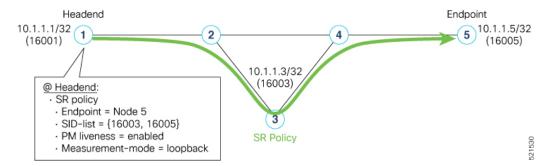
SR Policy liveness monitoring allows you to verify end-to-end traffic forwarding over an SR Policy candidate path by periodically sending performance monitoring (PM) packets. The head-end router sends PM packets to the SR policy's endpoint router, which sends them back to the head-end without any control-plane dependency on the endpoint router.

The following are benefits to using SR-PM liveness monitoring:

- Allows both liveness monitoring and delay measurement using a single-set of PM packets as opposed
  to running separate monitoring sessions for each purpose. This improves the overall scale by reducing
  the number of PM sessions required.
- Eliminates network and device complexity by reducing the number of monitoring protocols on the network (for example, no need for Bidirectional Failure Detection [BFD]). It also simplifies the network and device operations by not requiring any signaling to bootstrap the performance monitoring session.
- Improves interoperability with third-party nodes because signaling protocols aren't required. In addition, it leverages the commonly supported TWAMP protocol for packet encoding.
- Improves liveness detection time because PM packets aren't punted on remote nodes
- Provides a common solution that applies to data-planes besides MPLS, including IPv4, IPv6, and SRv6.

The workflow associated with liveness detection over SR policy is described in the following sequence.

Consider an SR policy programmed at head-end node router 1 towards end-point node router 5. This SR policy is enabled for liveness detection using the loopback measurement-mode.



• A: The head-end node creates and transmits the PM probe packets.

The IP destination address (DA) on the probe packets is set to the loopback value of the head-end node itself.

A transmit (Tx) timestamp is added to the payload.

Optionally, the head-end node may also insert extra encapsulation (labels) to enforce the reverse path at the endpoint node.

Finally, the packet is injected into the data-plane using the same encapsulation (label stack) of that of the SR policy being monitored.

- B: The network delivers the PM probe packets as it would user traffic over the SR policy.
- C: The end-point node receives the PM probe packets.

Packets are switched back based on the forwarding entry associated with the IP DA of the packet. This would typically translate to the end-point node pushing the prefix SID label associated with the head-end node.

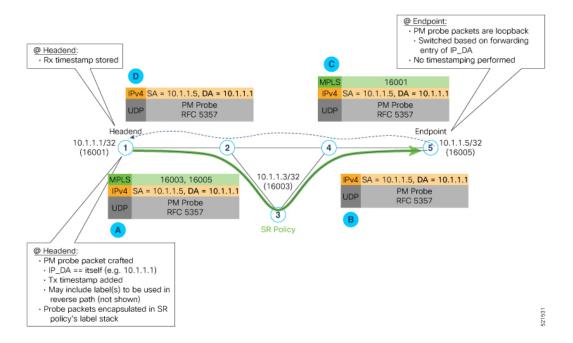
If the head-end node inserted label(s) for the reverse path, then the packets are switched back at the end-point node based on the forwarding entry associated with the top-most reverse path label.

• **D**: Headend node receives the PM probe packets.

A received (Rx) timestamp stored.

If the head-end node receives the PM probe packets, the head-end node assume that the SR policy active candidate path is up and working.

If the head-end node doesn't receive the specified number of consecutive probe packets (based on configured multiplier), the head-end node assumes the candidate path is down and a configured action is trigerred.



#### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

The following usage guidelines and limitations apply:

#### **Configuring SR Policy Liveness Monitoring**

Configuring SR Policy liveness monitoring involves the following steps:

- Configuring a performance measurement liveness profile to customize generic probe parameters
- Enabling liveness monitoring under SR Policy by associating a liveness profile, and customizing SR policy-specific probe parameters

#### **Configuring Performance Measurement Liveness Profile**

Liveness monitoring parameters are configured under **performance-measurement liveness-profile** sub-mode. The following parameters are configurable:

• liveness-profile sr-policy {default | name name}

Parameters defined under the **sr-policy default** liveneness-profile apply to any SR policy with liveness monitoring enabled and that does not reference a non-default (named) liveneness-profile.

- **probe**: Configure the probe parameters.
- measurement-mode: Liveness detection must use loopback mode (see Measurement Modes, on page 222).
- **burst interval**: Interval for sending probe packet. The default value is 3000 milliseconds and the range is from 30 to 15000 milliseconds.
- tos dscp *value*: The default value is 48 and the range is from 0 to 63. You can modify the DSCP value of the probe packets, and use this value to priortize the probe packets from headend to tailend.

• sweep destination ipv4 127.x.x.x range range: Configure SR Policy ECMP IP-hashing mode. Specifiy the number of IP addresses to sweep. The range is from 0 (default, no sweeping) to 128. The option is applicable to IPv4 packets.



Note

The destination IPv4 headendaddress 127.x.x.x – 127.y.y.y is used in the Probe messages to take advantages of 3-tuple IP hashing (source-address, destination-address, and local router ID) for ECMP paths of SR-MPLS Policy.

The destination IPv4 address must be 127/8 range (loopback), otherwise it will be rejected.



Note

One PM session is always created for the actual endpoint address of the SR Policy.

- **liveness-detection**: Configure the liveness-detection parameters:
- **multiplier**: Number of consecutive missed probe packets before the PM session is declared as down. The range is from 2 to 10, and the default is 3.



Note

The detection-interval is equal to (burst-interval \* multiplier).

#### **Enabling Liveness Monitoring under SR Policy**

Enable liveness monitoring under SR Policy, associate a liveness-profile, and configure SR Policy-specific probe parameters under the **segment-routing traffic-eng policy performance-measurement** sub-mode. The following parameters are configurable:

- **liveness-detection**: Enables end-to-end SR Policy Liveness Detection for all segment-lists of the active and standby candidate-path that are in the forwarding table.
- **liveness-profile name** name: Specifies the profile name for named profiles.
- invalidation-action {down | none}:
  - **Down (default)**: When the PM liveness session goes down, the candidate path is immediately operationally brought down.
  - **None**: When the PM liveness session goes down, no action is taken. If logging is enabled, the failure is logged but the SR Policy operational state isn't modified.
- logging session-state-change: Enables Syslog messages when the session state changes.
- reverse-path label {BSID-value | NODE-SID-value}: Specifies the MPLS label to be used for the reverse path for the reply. If you configured liveness detection with ECMP hashing, you must specify the reverse path. The default reverse path uses IP Reply.
  - *BSID-value*: The Binding SID (BSID) label for the reverse SR Policy. (This is practical for manual SR policies with a manual BSID.)

• *NODE-SID-value*: The absolute SID label of the (local) Sender Node to be used for the reverse path for the reply.

#### **Configuration Examples**

#### Configure a Default SR-Policy PM Liveness-Profile

The following example shows a default sr-policy liveness-profile:

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config) # performance-measurement
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-perf-meas) # liveness-profile sr-policy default
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy) # probe
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # measurement-mode loopback
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # burst-interval 1500
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # tos dscp 52
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy) # liveness-detection
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-ld) # multiplier 5
```

#### **Running Configuration:**

```
performance-measurement
liveness-profile sr-policy default
liveness-detection
multiplier 5
!
probe
tos dscp 52
measurement-mode loopback
burst-interval 1500
!
!
```

#### Configure a Named (Non-Default) SR-Policy PM Liveness-Profile

The following example shows a named sr-policy liveness-profile:

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config) # performance-measurement
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-perf-meas) # liveness-profile name sample-profile
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy) # probe
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # measurement-mode loopback
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # burst-interval 1500
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # tos dscp 52
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy) # liveness-detection
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-ld) # multiplier 5
```

#### **Running Configuration:**

! ! end

#### Configure a SR-Policy PM Liveness-Profile with Sweep Parameters

The following example shows a named liveness-profile with sweep parameters:

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config) # performance-measurement
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-perf-meas) # liveness-profile name sample-profile
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy) # probe
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # measurement-mode loopback
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # burst-interval 1500
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # tos dscp 52
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # sweep
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe-sweep) # destination ipv4 127.0.0.1 range 25
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe-sweep) # exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-probe) # exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy) # liveness-detection
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-pm-ld-srpolicy-ld) # multiplier 5
Running Configuration
```

```
performance-measurement
liveness-profile sr-policy name sample-profile
liveness-detection
  multiplier 5
!
  probe
  tos dscp 52
  sweep
   destination ipv4 127.0.0.1 range 25
!
  measurement-mode loopback
  burst-interval 1500
!
!
end
```

#### **Enable Liveness Monitoring Under SR Policy**

The following example shows how to enable liveness monitoring under SR Policy, associate a liveness-profile, and configure the invalidation action:

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config) # segment-routing traffic-eng
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te)# policy FOO
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy)# performance-measurement
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-perf-meas)# liveness-detection
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-live-detect)# liveness-profile name sample-profile
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-live-detect)# invalidation-action none
```

#### Running Config

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
policy FOO
  performance-measurement
  liveness-detection
   liveness-profile name sample-profile
   invalidation-action none
  !
  !
  !
  !
}
```

! end

#### **Enable Liveness Monitoring under SR Policy with Optional Parameters**

The following example shows how to enable liveness monitoring under SR Policy, associate a liveness-profile, and configure reverse path label and session logging:

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config) # segment-routing traffic-eng
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te) # policy BAA
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy) # performance-measurement
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-perf-meas) # liveness-detection
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-live-detect) # liveness-profile name sample-profile
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-live-detect) # invalidation-action down
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-live-detect) # logging session-state-change
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-live-detect) # exit
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ios(config-sr-te-policy-perf-meas) # reverse-path label 16001
```

#### Running Config

```
segment-routing
traffic-eng
policy BAA
performance-measurement
liveness-detection
logging
session-state-change
!
liveness-profile name sample-profile
invalidation-action down
!
reverse-path
label 16001
!
!
!
end
```

SR Policy Liveness Monitoring



# Configure Topology-Independent Loop-Free Alternate (TI-LFA)

Topology-Independent Loop-Free Alternate (TI-LFA) uses segment routing to provide link, node, and Shared Risk Link Groups (SRLG) protection in topologies where other fast reroute techniques cannot provide protection.

- Classic Loop-Free Alternate (LFA) is topology dependent, and therefore cannot protect all destinations in all networks. A limitation of LFA is that, even if one or more LFAs exist, the optimal LFA may not always be provided.
- Remote LFA (RLFA) extends the coverage to 90-95% of the destinations, but it also does not always provide the most desired repair path. RLFA also adds more operational complexity by requiring a targeted LDP session to the RLFAs to protect LDP traffic.

TI-LFA provides a solution to these limitations while maintaining the simplicity of the IPFRR solution.

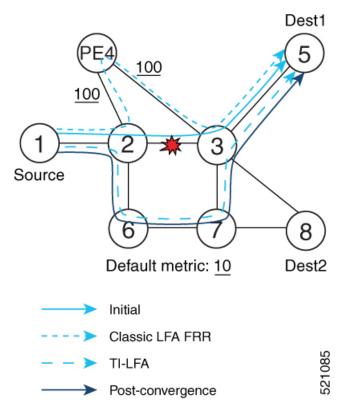
The goal of TI-LFA is to reduce the packet loss that results while routers converge after a topology change due to a link or node failure. Rapid failure repair (< 50 msec) is achieved through the use of pre-calculated backup paths that are loop-free and safe to use until the distributed network convergence process is completed.

The optimal repair path is the path that the traffic will eventually follow after the IGP has converged. This is called the post-convergence path. This path is preferred for the following reasons:

- Optimal for capacity planning During the capacity-planning phase of the network, the capacity of a link is provisioned while taking into consideration that such link with be used when other links fail.
- Simple to operate There is no need to perform a case-by-case adjustments to select the best LFA among multiple candidate LFAs.
- Fewer traffic transitions Since the repair path is equal to the post-convergence path, the traffic switches paths only once.

The following topology illustrates the optimal and automatic selection of the TI-LFA repair path.

Figure 12: TI-LFA Repair Path



Node 2 protects traffic to destination Node 5.

With classic LFA, traffic would be steered to Node 4 after a failure of the protected link. This path is not optimal, since traffic is routed over edge node Node 4 that is connected to lower capacity links.

TI-LFA calculates a post-convergence path and derives the segment list required to steer packets along the post-convergence path without looping back.

In this example, if the protected link fails, the shortest path from Node2 to Node5 would be:

$$Node2 \rightarrow Node6 \rightarrow Node7 \rightarrow Node3 \rightarrow Node5$$

Node7 is the PQ-node for destination Node5. TI-LFA encodes a single segment (prefix SID of Node7) in the header of the packets on the repair path.

#### **TI-LFA Protection Types**

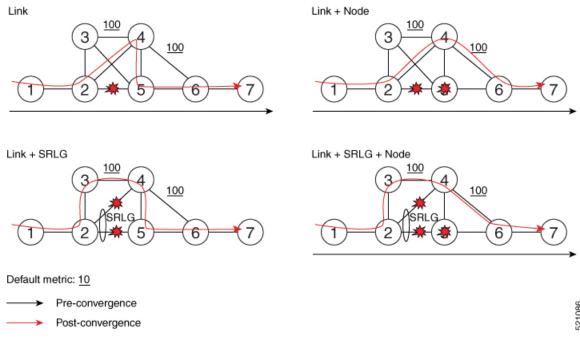
TI-LFA supports the following protection:

- Link protection The link is excluded during the post-convergence backup path calculation.
- Node protection The neighbor node is excluded during the post convergence backup path calculation.
- Shared Risk Link Groups (SRLG) protection SRLG refer to situations in which links in a network share a common fiber (or a common physical attribute). These links have a shared risk: when one link fails, other links in the group might also fail. TI-LFA SRLG protection attempts to find the post-convergence backup path that excludes the SRLG of the protected link. All local links that share any SRLG with the protecting link are excluded.

When you enable link protection, you can also enable node protection, SRLG protection, or both, and specify a tiebreaker priority in case there are multiple LFAs.

The following example illustrates the link, node, and SRLG protection types. In this topology, Node2 applies different protection models to protect traffic to Node7.

Figure 13: TI-LFA Protection Types



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### **Limitations**

Only two backup labels are supported.

### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

The TI-LFA guidelines and limitations are listed below:

- IGP directly programs a TI-LFA backup path requiring 3 or fewer labels, including the label of the protected destination prefix.
- The platform does not support programming of TI-LFA backup paths requiring more than 3 labels.

TI-LFA Functionality	IS-IS <sup>1</sup>	OSPFv2
Protected Traffic Types		1
Protection for SR labeled traffic	Supported	Supported
Protection of IPv4 unlabeled traffic	Supported (IS-ISv4)	Supported
Protection of IPv6 unlabeled traffic	Supported (IS-ISv6)	N/A
Protection Types		L
Link Protection	Supported	Supported
Node Protection	Supported	Supported
Local SRLG Protection	Supported	Supported
Weighted Remote SRLG Protection	Supported	Supported
Line Card Disjoint Protection	Supported	Unsupported
Interface Types		
Ethernet Interfaces	Supported	Supported
TI-LFA with L3VPN	Supported	Supported
Ethernet Bundle Interfaces	Supported	Supported
TI-LFA over GRE Tunnel as Protecting Interface	Supported	Supported
Additional Functionality	1	
Maximum number of labels that can be pushed on the backup path (including the label of the protected prefix)	3	3
BFD-triggered	Supported	Supported
BFDv6-triggered	Supported	N/A
Prefer backup path with lowest total metric	Supported	Supported
Prefer backup path from ECMP set	Supported	Supported
Prefer backup path from non-ECMP set	Supported	Supported
Load share prefixes across multiple backups paths	Supported	Supported
Limit backup computation up to the prefix priority	Supported	Supported

 $<sup>^{1}\,</sup>$  Unless specified, IS-IS support is IS-ISv4 and IS-ISv6

### **Configuring TI-LFA for IS-IS**

This task describes how to enable per-prefix Topology Independent Loop-Free Alternate (TI-LFA) computation to converge traffic flows around link, node, and SRLG failures.

#### Before you begin

Ensure that the following topology requirements are met:

- Routers are configured with IS-IS.
- Segment routing for IS-IS is configured. See Enabling Segment Routing for IS-IS Protocol, on page 59.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	router isis instance-id	Enables IS-IS routing for the specified routing
	Example:	instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router isis 1</pre>	Note You can change the level of routing to be performed by a particular routing instance by using the is-type router configuration command.
Step 3	interface type interface-path-id	Enters interface configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis) # interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/1</pre>	
Step 4	address-family ipv4 [unicast]	Specifies the IPv4 address family, and enters
	Example:	router address family configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>	
Step 5	fast-reroute per-prefix	Enables per-prefix fast reroute.
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix</pre>	
Step 6	fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa Example:	Enables per-prefix TI-LFA fast reroute link protection.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)#	

specifies values an value, th protection	TI-LFA node or SRLG protection and is the tiebreaker priority. Valid <i>priority</i> are from 1 to 255. The lower the <i>priority</i> he higher the priority of the rule. Link on always has a lower priority than node is protection.  The same attribute cannot be configured more than once on an interface.  For IS-IS, TI-LFA node protection and SRLG protection can be configured on the interface or the
	values avalue, the protection or SRLC  Note

TI-LFA has been successfully configured for segment routing.

## **Configuring TI-LFA for OSPF**

This task describes how to enable per-prefix Topology Independent Loop-Free Alternate (TI-LFA) computation to converge traffic flows around link, node, and SRLG failures.



Note

TI-LFA can be configured on the instance, area, or interface. When configured on the instance or area, all interfaces in the instance or area inherit the configuration.

#### Before you begin

Ensure that the following topology requirements are met:

- Routers are configured with OSPF.
- Segment routing for OSPF is configured. See Enabling Segment Routing for OSPF Protocol, on page 83.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	<pre>router ospf process-name Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router ospf</pre>	Enables OSPF routing for the specified routing process, and places the router in router configuration mode.
Step 3	area area-id	Enters area configuration mode.
·	Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# area	C
Step 4	interface type interface-path-id	Enters interface configuration mode.
	Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar)# interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/1	
Step 5	<pre>fast-reroute per-prefix Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar-if)# fast-reroute per-prefix</pre>	Enables per-prefix fast reroute.
Step 6	<pre>fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar-if)# fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa</pre>	Enables per-prefix TI-LFA fast reroute link protection.
Step 7	<pre>fast-reroute per-prefix tiebreaker {node-protecting   srlg-disjoint} index priority  Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf-ar-if) # fast-reroute per-prefix tie-breaker srlg-disjoint index 100</pre>	Enables TI-LFA node or SRLG protection and specifies the tiebreaker priority. Valid <i>priority</i> values are from 1 to 255. The higher the <i>priority</i> value, the higher the priority of the rule. Link protection always has a lower priority than node or SRLG protection.  Note  The same attribute cannot be configured more than once on an interface.

TI-LFA has been successfully configured for segment routing.

## **TI-LFA Node and SRLG Protection: Examples**

The following examples show the configuration of the tiebreaker priority for TI-LFA node and SRLG protection, and the behavior of post-convergence backup-path. These examples use OSPF, but the same configuration and behavior applies to IS-IS.

#### **Example: Enable link-protecting and node-protecting TI-LFA**

```
router ospf 1
area 1
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/2/1
fast-reroute per-prefix
fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
fast-reroute per-prefix tiebreaker node-protecting index 100
```

Both link-protecting and node-protecting TI-LFA backup paths will be computed. If the priority associated with the node-protecting tiebreaker is higher than any other tiebreakers, then node-protecting post-convergence backup paths will be selected, if it is available.

#### **Example: Enable link-protecting and SRLG-protecting TI-LFA**

```
router ospf 1
  area 1
  interface GigabitEthernet0/0/2/1
   fast-reroute per-prefix
  fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
  fast-reroute per-prefix tiebreaker srlg-disjoint index 100
```

Both link-protecting and SRLG-protecting TI-LFA backup paths will be computed. If the priority associated with the SRLG-protecting tiebreaker is higher than any other tiebreakers, then SRLG-protecting post-convergence backup paths will be selected, if it is available.

#### Example: Enable link-protecting, node-protecting and SRLG-protecting TI-LFA

```
router ospf 1
area 1
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/2/1
fast-reroute per-prefix
fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
fast-reroute per-prefix tiebreaker node-protecting index 200
fast-reroute per-prefix tiebreaker srlg-disjoint index 100
```

Link-protecting, node-protecting, and SRLG-protecting TI-LFA backup paths will be computed. If the priority associated with the node-protecting tiebreaker is highest from all tiebreakers, then node-protecting post-convergence backup paths will be selected, if it is available. If the node-protecting backup path is not available, SRLG-protecting post-convergence backup path will be used, if it is available.

### **Configuring Global Weighted SRLG Protection**

A shared risk link group (SRLG) is a set of links sharing a common resource and thus shares the same risk of failure. The existing loop-free alternate (LFA) implementations in interior gateway protocols (IGPs) support SRLG protection. However, the existing implementation considers only the directly connected links while computing the backup path. Hence, SRLG protection may fail if a link that is not directly connected but shares the same SRLG is included while computing the backup path. Global weighted SRLG protection feature provides better path selection for the SRLG by associating a weight with the SRLG value and using the weights of the SRLG values while computing the backup path.

To support global weighted SRLG protection, you need information about SRLGs on all links in the area topology. You can flood SRLGs for remote links using ISIS or manually configuring SRLGS on remote links.

#### **Configuration Examples: Global Weighted SRLG Protection**

There are three types of configurations that are supported for the global weighted SRLG protection feature.

- local SRLG with global weighted SRLG protection
- remote SRLG flooding
- remote SRLG static provisioning

This example shows how to configure the local SRLG with global weighted SRLG protection feature.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # srlg
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg)# interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg-if) # name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlq-if) # exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg)# interface TenGigE0/0/0/1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg-if) # name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg)# name group value 100
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router isis 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix srlq-protection
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix tiebreaker srlg-disjoint
index 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if)# point-to-point
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# srlg
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-srlg) # name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-srlq-name) # admin-weight 5000
```

This example shows how to configure the global weighted SRLG protection feature with remote SRLG flooding. The configuration includes local and remote router configuration. On the local router, the global weighted SRLG protection is enabled by using the **fast-reroute per-prefix srlg-protection weighted-global** command. In the remote router configuration, you can control the SRLG value flooding by using the **advertise application lfa link-attributes srlg** command. You should also globally configure SRLG on the remote router.

The local router configuration for global weighted SRLG protection with remote SRLG flooding is as follows:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router isis 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis) # address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix srlg-protection
weighted-global
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix tiebreaker srlg-disjoint
index 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis) # interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if) # point-to-point
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if) # address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af) # exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis) # srlg
```

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-srlg)# name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-srlg-name)# admin-weight 5000
```

The remote router configuration for global weighted SRLG protection with remote SRLG flooding is as follows:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # srlg
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg) # interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg-if) # name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg-if) # exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg) # interface TenGigE0/0/0/1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg-if) # name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg) # name group value 100
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg) # exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router isis 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:(config-isis) # address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af) # advertise application lfa link-attributes srlg
```

This example shows configuring the global weighted SRLG protection feature with static provisioning of SRLG values for remote links. You should perform these configurations on the local router.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # srlq
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg)# interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg-if)# name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlq-if) # exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg) # interface TenGigE0/0/0/1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg-if) # name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg) # name group value 100
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-srlg)# exit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router isis 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis) # address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix srlg-protection
weighted-global
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix tiebreaker srlg-disjoint
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis) # interface TenGigE0/0/0/0
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if)# point-to-point
\label{eq:rp_order} \texttt{RP/O/RPO/CPU0:} router(\texttt{config-isis-if}) \ \# \ \texttt{address-family ipv4} \ \texttt{unicast}
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-if-af)# fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis) # srlq
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-srlg) # name group1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-srlg-name) # admin-weight 5000
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-srlg-name) # static ipv4 address 10.0.4.1 next-hop ipv4
address 10.0.4.2
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-srlg-name)# static ipv4 address 10.0.4.2 next-hop ipv4
address 10.0.4.1
```

### SR-MPLS over GRE as TI-LFA Backup Path

This feature allows the router (as ABR) to program a Generic Routing Encapsulation (GRE) tunnel as an outgoing interface for TI-LFA backup paths computed by the IGP in a Segment Routing network. Single-segment TI-LFA scenario is supported. In this scenario, the router pushes one extra label when programming the backup path.



Note

GRE is a tunneling protocol that provides a simple generic approach to transport packets of one protocol over another protocol by means of encapsulation. See the *Configuring GRE Tunnels* chapter in the *Interface and Hardware Component Configuration Guide for Cisco NCS 540 Series Routers*.

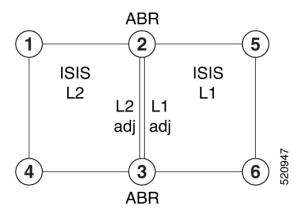
#### **Multi-Level Network Topology**

The following example shows a multi-level network topology with interconnecting links between ABRs.



Note

This could also be a multi-instance network topology.

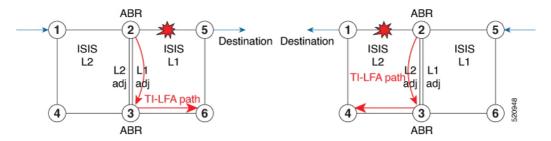


Two links between ABR 2 and ABR 3 are required, one in each IS-IS level. These links provide protection in each direction and ensure that there is always an alternate path inside the IGP domain.



Note

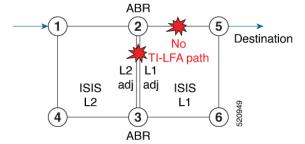
Alternatively, a single link with two logical sub-interfaces could be used between the ABRs.



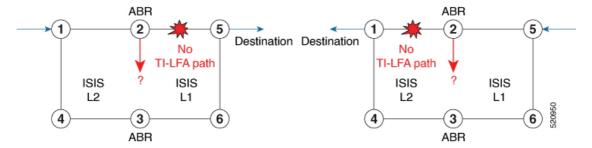
TI-LFA performs the backup path calculation inside the domain (process, level, or area) of the failed link.

For example, if the link between nodes 2 and 5 failed, the link between ABR 2 and 3 would create a TI-LFA path in L1 IS-IS level. If the link between nodes 1 and 2 failed, the link between ABR 2 and 3 would create a TI-LFA path in L2 IS-IS level.

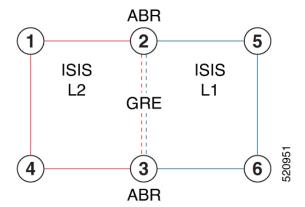
However, if the interconnecting link between ABRs are in the same Shared Risk Link Groups (SRLG) as other links inside the domain (for example, the link between Nodes 2 and 3 are in the same SRLG as link between Nodes 2 and 5), TI-LFA with local SRLG protection would not find an alternate path.



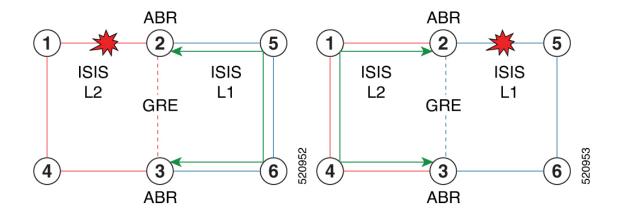
In cases where it is not feasible to provide interconnecting links between ABRs (for example, the ABR nodes might be in different locations with no connectivity options), TI-LFA will not be able to compute backup paths for all of the prefixes.



To address these issues, you can create a GRE tunnel in each domain, between the ABRs, which can be used as TI-LFA backup paths.

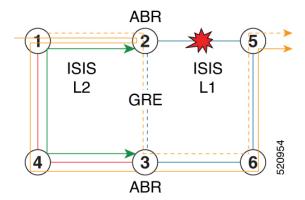


Now, if a link failure occurs in either IS-IS level (for example, between nodes 1 and 2 or between nodes 2 and 5), the path is protected by the GRE tunnel.

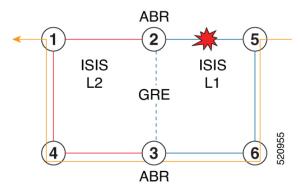


#### Backup Path for Link Failure Between Nodes 2 and 5

Traffic from node 1 is rerouted over the GRE tunnel TI-LFA backup path between ABR nodes 2 and 3.



Traffic flowing in the opposite direction, from node 5 to node 1, is simply routed over nodes 6-3-4 to node 1.



### **Limitations**

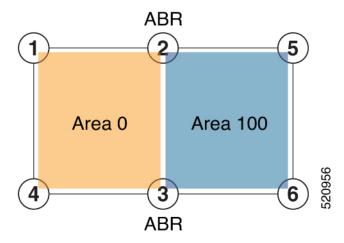
The following behaviors and limitations apply to the router when a GRE tunnel is programmed as backup interface for TI-LFA:

• The MPLS label of a protected prefix must be the same in the primary and backup paths (SWAP scenario)

- Single-segment TI-LFA is supported. In this scenario, the router pushes one extra label when programming the backup path. The total label stack is 2, including the primary label and backup label.
- Double-segment (or more) TI-LFA is not supported. In this scenario, the router pushes two or more extra labels when programming the backup path.
- GRE tunnel as a primary or backup path for an SR policy with TI-LFA protection is not supported.

### **Example: SR-MPLS over GRE as TI-LFA Backup Path**

The examples in this section use the following network topology:



#### **Configurations Without Interconnecting ABR Links**

The following sample configurations show OSPF configurations for nodes 2, 3 and 5. Nodes 2 and 3 are ABRs between Area 0 and Area 100. There is no connection between the ABRs.

#### Configuration on ABR 2 for Area 0 and Area 100

```
router ospf 100
router-id 2.2.2.2
segment-routing mpls
segment-routing forwarding mpls
fast-reroute per-prefix
fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa enable
segment-routing sr-prefer
area 0
interface Loopback0
prefix-sid index 2
!
!
interface TenGigEO/0/1/10
network point-to-point
!
area 100
interface TenGigEO/0/1/11
network point-to-point
```

```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ABR2# show ospf neighbor area-sorted
Fri Jul 19 09:43:59.328 UTC
Neighbors for OSPF 100
Area 0
Neighbor ID
              Pri State
                         Dead Time Address
                                                    Up Time Interface
                                                1d20h Te0/0/1/10
              1 FULL/ - 00:00:35 10.1.2.1
10.1.1.1
Total neighbor count: 1
Area 100
Neighbor ID
              Pri State Dead Time Address
                                                    Up Time Interface
             1 FULL/ - 00:00:33 10.2.5.5
5.5.5.5
                                                   1d20h Te0/0/1/11
Total neighbor count: 1
Configuration on ABR 3 for Area 0 and Area 100
router ospf 100
router-id 3.3.3.3
segment-routing mpls
 segment-routing forwarding mpls
 fast-reroute per-prefix
fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa enable
 segment-routing sr-prefer
 area 0
  interface Loopback0
  prefix-sid index 3
 interface TenGigE0/0/0/9
 network point-to-point
 !
 1
 area 100
 interface TenGigE0/0/0/3
 network point-to-point
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:ABR3# show ospf neighbor area-sorted
Fri Jul 19 09:33:35.816 UTC
Neighbors for OSPF 100
Area 0
Neighbor ID
              Pri State Dead Time Address
                                                   Up Time Interface
              1 FULL/ - 00:00:36 10.3.4.4
                                                   2d17h Te0/0/0/9
Total neighbor count: 1
Area 100
              1 FULL/ - 00:00:36 10.3.6.6 Up Time Interface 2d19h Ten/n/n/2
Neighbor ID
6.6.6.6
Total neighbor count: 1
Configuration on Node 5
segment-routing mpls
 set-attributes
 address-family ipv4
  sr-label-preferred
```

```
connected-prefix-sid-map
 address-family ipv4
  5.5.5.5/32 index 5 range 1
interface TenGigabitEthernet0/0/26
description ***Connected to ABR 2
ip address 10.2.5.5 255.255.255.0
ip ospf network point-to-point
cdp enable
interface TenGigabitEthernet0/0/27
description ***Connected to Node 6
ip address 10.5.6.5 255.255.255.0
ip ospf network point-to-point
cdp enable
router ospf 100
router-id 5.5.5.5
segment-routing area 100 mpls
segment-routing mpls
fast-reroute per-prefix enable prefix-priority low
fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa
 fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa area 100
 passive-interface default
no passive-interface TenGigabitEthernet0/0/26
no passive-interface TenGigabitEthernet0/0/27
network 10.2.5.0 0.0.0.255 area 100
network 10.5.5.0 0.0.0.255 area 100
 network 10.5.6.0 0.0.0.255 area 100
network 5.5.5.5 0.0.0.0 area 100
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node5# show ip ospf neighbor
Load for five secs: 4%/1%; one minute: 4%; five minutes: 4%
Time source is NTP, 09:50:51.417 UTC Fri Jul 19 2019
Neighbor ID Pri
                   State
                              Dead Time Address
                                                         Interface
                                                        TenGigabitEthernet0/0/27
                              00:00:32
                                         10.5.6.6
6.6.6.6
             0 FULL/ -
                              00:00:36 10.5.2.5
2.2.2.2
               0 FULL/ -
                                                        TenGigabitEthernet0/0/26
```

#### **TI-LFA Fast Reroute Coverage on Node 5**

The following output shows that this configuration provides only 52% TI-LFA fast reroute coverage on Node 5.

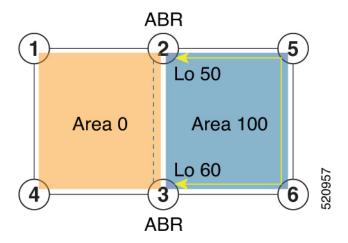
```
RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node5# show ip ospf fast-reroute prefix-summary
Load for five secs: 4\%/1\%; one minute: 4\%; five minutes: 4\%
Time source is NTP, 10:32:20.236 UTC Fri Jul 19 2019
          OSPF Router with ID (5.5.5.5) (Process ID 100)
                 Base Topology (MTID 0)
Area 100:
Interface
              Protected
                          Primary paths
                                         Protected paths Percent protected
                         All High Low
                                         All High Low All High Low
                                         0
                         0
                                              0
                              0
                                     0
                                                     0
                                                          0% 0%
                    Yes
                                                                   0 응
                                                    0
                                                          14% 25%
Te0/0/27
                           7
                    Yes
                                4
                                     3
                                          1
                                                1
                                                                   0 %
                                         8
Te0/0/26
                         10
                                     5
                                                          80% 80% 80%
                    Yes
                                                4
                                                   4
                                     8
                                                5
Area total:
                          17
                                9
                                           9
                                                     4
                                                          52% 55% 50%
                                     8 9 5 4 52% 55% 50%
Process total:
                          17
                             9
```

#### **GRE Tunnel Configuration**

The following examples show how to configure GRE tunnels between the ABRs in each area to provide TI-LFA backup paths for the Segment Routing network.

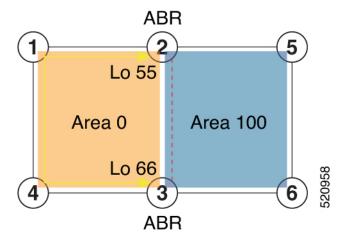
**GRE BLU** is configured in Area 0 using Loopback50 (on ABR2) and Loopback 60 (on ABR 3). These loopbacks are advertised in Area 100:

Figure 14: GRE BLU



**GRE RED** is configured in Area 100 using Loopback55 (on ABR2) and Loopback 66 (on ABR3). These loopbacks are advertised in Area 0:

Figure 15: GRE RED



#### Configuration on ABR 2

```
interface Loopback0
  ipv4 address 2.2.2.2 255.255.255.255
!
interface Loopback50
  description Lo for GRE BLU
  ipv4 address 50.0.0.50 255.255.255.0
!
interface Loopback55
```

```
description Lo for GRE RED
 ipv4 address 55.55.55 255.255.255.255
interface tunnel-ip5060
description GRE virtual link for Area 0 BLU
ipv4 address 66.3.2.2 255.255.255.0
 tunnel source Loopback50
 tunnel destination 60.0.0.60
interface tunnel-ip5566
description GRE virtual link for Area 100 RED
ipv4 address 100.3.2.2 255.255.255.0
tunnel source Loopback55
 tunnel destination 66.66.66.66
router ospf 100
router-id 2.2.2.2
segment-routing mpls
 segment-routing forwarding mpls
 fast-reroute per-prefix
 fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa enable
 segment-routing sr-prefer
 area 0
  interface Loopback0
  prefix-sid index 2
  interface Loopback55
  passive enable
  interface tunnel-ip5060
   cost 1000
  interface TenGigE0/0/1/10
  network point-to-point
 area 100
  interface Loopback50
   passive enable
  interface tunnel-ip5566
   cost 1000
  interface TenGigE0/0/1/11
   network point-to-point
```



#### Note

In the above configuration, GRE tunnel-ip5060 belongs to area 0, but its source and destination addresses are advertised in area 100. This ensures disjointness between the GRE tunnel and the links in area 0 that it protects. The same applies to GRE tunnel-ip5566 which belongs to area 100 and its source and destination addresses are advertised in area 0.

A high cost is applied to the GRE tunnel interfaces so that they are used only as a backup path.

#### Configuration on ABR 3

```
interface Loopback0
  ipv4 address 3.3.3.3 255.255.255
!
interface Loopback60
  description Lo for GRE BLU
```

```
ipv4 address 60.0.0.60 255.255.255.0
interface Loopback66
description Lo for GRE RED
ipv4 address 66.66.66 255.255.255.255
interface tunnel-ip5060
description GRE virtual link for Area 0 BLU
ipv4 address 66.3.2.3 255.255.255.0
tunnel source Loopback60
 tunnel destination 50.0.0.50
interface tunnel-ip5566
description GRE virtual link for Area 100 RED
 ipv4 address 100.3.2.3 255.255.255.0
 tunnel source Loopback66
tunnel destination 55.55.55.55
router ospf 100
router-id 3.3.3.3
 segment-routing mpls
segment-routing forwarding mpls
 fast-reroute per-prefix
 fast-reroute per-prefix ti-lfa enable
segment-routing sr-prefer
 area 0
  interface Loopback0
  prefix-sid index 3
 interface TenGigE0/0/0/9
 network point-to-point
  interface Loopback66
  passive enable
 interface tunnel-ip5060
  cost 1000
 area 100
 interface TenGigE0/0/0/3
 network point-to-point
 interface Loopback60
  passive enable
 interface tunnel-ip5566
  cost 1000
```



Note

In the above configuration, GRE tunnel-ip5060 belongs to area 0, but its source and destination addresses are advertised in area 100. This ensures disjointness between the GRE tunnel and the links in area 0 that it protects. The same applies to GRE tunnel-ip5566 which belongs to area 100 and its source and destination addresses are advertised in area 0.

A high cost is applied to the GRE tunnel interfaces so that they are used only as a backup path.

#### TI-LFA Fast Reroute Coverage on Node 5 After GRE Tunnel Configuration

The following output shows that this configuration provides 100% TI-LFA fast reroute coverage on Node 5:

100% 100% 100%

Process total:

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:Node5# show ip ospf fast-reroute prefix-summary Load for five secs: 5%/1%; one minute: 4%; five minutes: 4% Time source is NTP, 11:20:31.743 UTC Fri Jul 19 2019 OSPF Router with ID (5.5.5.5) (Process ID 100) Base Topology (MTID 0) Area 100: Interface Protected Primary paths Protected paths Percent protected All High Low All High Low All High Low Lo0 0 0 0 0 0% 0% Yes Te0/0/27 9 6 3 9 6 3 100% 100% 100% Yes Te0/0/26 Yes 11 6 5 11 6 100% 100% 100% Area total: 20 12 8 20 12 100% 100% 100%

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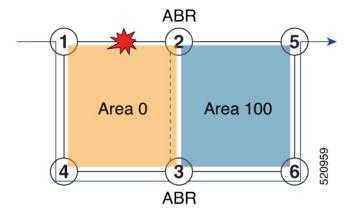
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#### Traffic Flow with GRE Tunnel as TI-LFA Backup

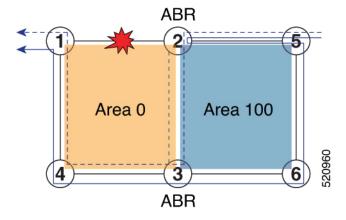
With a link failure between Node 1 and ABR 2, traffic flowing from Node 1 to Node 5 is simply routed through Nodes 4-3-6 to Node 5.

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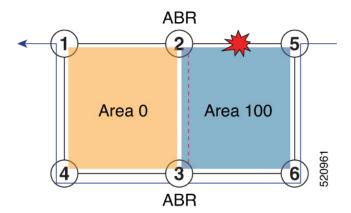
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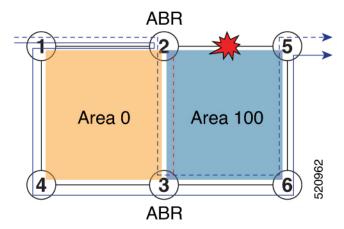
With GRE tunnel as TI-LFA backup, traffic flowing from Node 5 to Node 1 will be encapsulated at ABR2 and routing over the GRE tunnel.



With a link failure between Node 5 and ABR 2, traffic flowing from Node 5 to Node 1 is simply routed through Nodes 6-3-4 to Node 1.



With GRE tunnel as TI-LFA backup, traffic flowing from Node 1 to Node 5 will be encapsulated at ABR2 and routing over the GRE tunnel.



Example: SR-MPLS over GRE as TI-LFA Backup Path



# **Configure Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance**

The Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance feature enables link-state routing protocols, such as IS-IS and OSPF, to prevent or avoid microloops during network convergence after a topology change.

- About Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance, on page 277
- Usage Guidelines and Limitations, on page 279
- Configure Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance for IS-IS, on page 279
- Configure Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance for OSPF, on page 280

### **About Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance**

IP hop-by-hop routing may induce microloops (uLoops) at any topology transition. Microloops are a day-one IP challenge. Microloops are brief packet loops that occur in the network following a topology change:

- Link down or up (remote or local)
- Metric increase or decrease (remote or local)

Microloops are caused by the non-simultaneous convergence of different nodes in the network. If a node converges and sends traffic to a neighbor node that has not converged yet, traffic may be looped between these two nodes, resulting in packet loss, jitter, and out-of-order packets.

Segment Routing can be used to resolve the microloop problem. A router with the Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance feature detects if microloops are possible for a destination on the post-convergence path following a topology change associated with a remote link event.

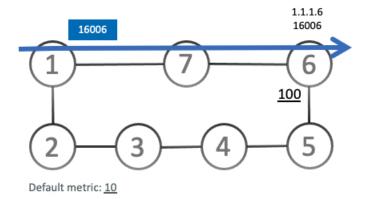
If a node determines that a microloop could occur on the new topology, the IGP computes a microloop-avoidant path by updating the forwarding table and temporarily (based on a RIB update delay timer) installing the SID-list imposition entries associated with the microloop-avoidant path for the destination. Traffic is steered to that destination loop-free.

After the RIB update delay timer expires, IGP updates the forwarding table and removes the microloop-avoidant SID list. Traffic now natively follows the post-convergence path.

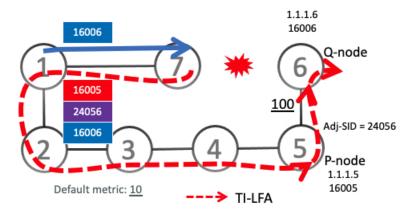
SR microloop avoidance is a local behavior and therefore not all nodes need to implement it to get the benefits.

In the topology below, microloops can occur after the failure of the link between Node6 and Node7.

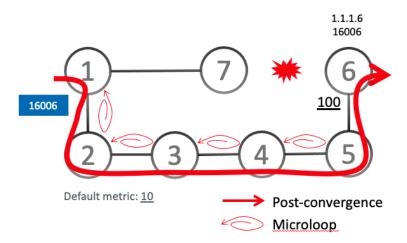
At steady state, Node1 sends traffic to node 6 (16006) via Node7. Node 7 is configured with TI-LFA to protect traffic to Node6.



TI-LFA on Node7 pre-computes a backup path for traffic to Node6 (prefix SID 16006) that will be activated if the link between Node7 and Node6 goes down. In this network, the backup path would steer traffic toward Node5 (prefix SID 16005) and then via link between Node5 and Node6 (adj-SID 24056). All nodes are notified of the topology change due to the link failure.



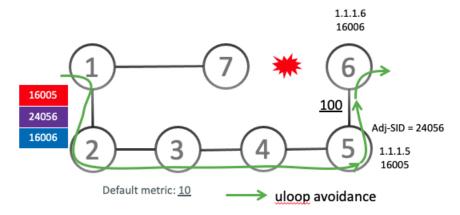
However, if nodes along the path do not converge at the same time, microloops can be introduced. For example, if Node2 converged before Node3, Node3 would send traffic back to Node2 as the shortest IGP path to Node6. The traffic between Node2 and Node3 creates a microloop.



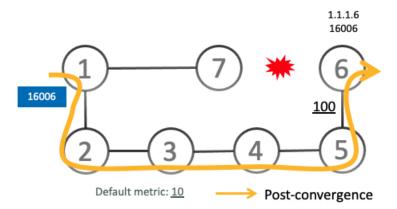
With microloop avoidance configured on Node1, a post-convergence path is computed and possible microloops on the post-convergence path for any destination are detected.

If microloops are possible on the post-convergence path to Node6, a microloop-avoidant path is constructed to steer the traffic to Node6 loop-free over the microloop-avoidant path {16005, 24056, 16006}.

Node1 updates the forwarding table and installs the SID-list imposition entries for those destinations with possible microloops, such as Node6. All nodes converge and update their forwarding tables, using SID lists where needed.



After the RIB update delay timer expires, the microloop-avoidant path is replaced with regular forwarding paths; traffic now natively follows the post-convergence path.



### **Usage Guidelines and Limitations**

### **Configure Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance for IS-IS**

This task describes how to enable Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance and set the Routing Information Base (RIB) update delay value for IS-IS.

#### Before you begin

Ensure that the following topology requirements are met:

- Routers are configured with IS-IS.
- Segment routing for IS-IS is configured. See Enabling Segment Routing for IS-IS Protocol, on page 59.

#### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.	
	Example:		
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure		
Step 2	router isis instance-id	Enables IS-IS routing for the specified routing	
	Example:	instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router isis 1</pre>	You can change the level of routing to be performed by a particular routing instance by using the <b>is-type</b> router configuration command.	
Step 3	address-family ipv4 [ unicast ]	Specifies the IPv4 address family and enters	
	Example:	router address family configuration mode.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>		
Step 4	microloop avoidance segment-routing	Enables Segment Routing Microloop	
	Example:	Avoidance.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af) # microloop avoidance segment-routing</pre>		
Step 5	microloop avoidance rib-update-delay	Specifies the amount of time the node uses the	
	delay-time	microloop avoidance policy before updating forwarding table. The <i>delay-time</i> is in	
	Example:	milliseconds. The range is from 1-60000. The default value is 5000.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af) # microloop avoidance rib-update-delay 3000</pre>		

## **Configure Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance for OSPF**

This task describes how to enable Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance and set the Routing Information Base (RIB) update delay value for OSPF.

### Before you begin

Ensure that the following topology requirements are met:

- Routers are configured with OSPF.
- Segment routing for OSPF is configured. See Enabling Segment Routing for OSPF Protocol, on page 83.

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.	
	Example:		
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure		
Step 2	router ospf process-name	Enables OSPF routing for the specified routing	
	Example:	process, and places the router in router configuration mode.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router ospf 1</pre>		
Step 3	microloop avoidance segment-routing	Enables Segment Routing Microloop	
	Example:	Avoidance.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# microloop avoidance segment-routing</pre>		
Step 4	microloop avoidance rib-update-delay	Specifies the amount of time the node uses the	
	delay-time	microloop avoidance path before updating its forwarding table. The <i>delay-time</i> is in	
	Example:	milliseconds. The range is from 1-60000. The	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# microloop avoidance rib-update-delay 3000	default value is 5000.	

**Configure Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance for OSPF** 



# **Configure Segment Routing Mapping Server**

The mapping server is a key component of the interworking between LDP and segment routing. It enables SR-capable nodes to interwork with LDP nodes. The mapping server advertises Prefix-to-SID mappings in IGP on behalf of other non-SR-capable nodes.

- Segment Routing Mapping Server, on page 283
- Segment Routing and LDP Interoperability, on page 285
- Configuring Mapping Server, on page 288
- Enable Mapping Advertisement, on page 290
- Enable Mapping Client, on page 292

# **Segment Routing Mapping Server**

The mapping server functionality in Cisco IOS XR segment routing centrally assigns prefix-SIDs for some or all of the known prefixes. A router must be able to act as a mapping server, a mapping client, or both.

- A router that acts as a mapping server allows the user to configure SID mapping entries to specify the prefix-SIDs for some or all prefixes. This creates the local SID-mapping policy. The local SID-mapping policy contains non-overlapping SID-mapping entries. The mapping server advertises the local SID-mapping policy to the mapping clients.
- A router that acts as a mapping client receives and parses remotely received SIDs from the mapping server to create remote SID-mapping entries.
- A router that acts as a mapping server and mapping client uses the remotely learnt and locally configured mapping entries to construct the non-overlapping consistent active mapping policy. IGP instance uses the active mapping policy to calculate the prefix-SIDs of some or all prefixes.

The mapping server automatically manages the insertions and deletions of mapping entries to always yield an active mapping policy that contains non-overlapping consistent SID-mapping entries.

- Locally configured mapping entries must not overlap each other.
- The mapping server takes the locally configured mapping policy, as well as remotely learned mapping entries from a particular IGP instance, as input, and selects a single mapping entry among overlapping mapping entries according to the preference rules for that IGP instance. The result is an active mapping policy that consists of non-overlapping consistent mapping entries.
- At steady state, all routers, at least in the same area or level, must have identical active mapping policies.

## **Usage Guidelines and Restrictions**

**Table 18: Feature History Table** 

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
Advertisement of SID-Mapping Entries Between IS-IS Levels	Release 7.3.1	The Segment Routing Mapping Server (SRMS) is a key component of the interworking between LDP and segment routing, enabling SR-capable nodes to interwork with LDP nodes.  This release introduces support for SRMS SID-mapping entries to be advertised between IS-IS levels (for example, from Level 1 to Level 2-only and from Level 2 to Level 1), where previously, the mappings were advertised only within the same IS-IS level, but not between IS-IS levels. This feature simplifies and centralizes the deployment of SRMS by removing the requirement of having a mapping server for each IS-IS area.

- The position of the mapping server in the network is not important. However, since the mapping advertisements are distributed in IGP using the regular IGP advertisement mechanism, the mapping server needs an IGP adjacency to the network.
- The role of the mapping server is crucial. For redundancy purposes, you should configure multiple mapping servers in the networks.
- The mapping server functionality supports the advertisement of SID-mapping entries between IS-IS levels (for example, from L1 to L2-only and from L2 to L1). A mapping server is not required for each IS-IS area.

For example, mapping entries learned from IS-IS Type Level-1 (intra-area) routers can be used to calculate prefix-SIDs for prefixes learned or advertised by IS-IS Type Level-2-only (backbone) routers.

Use the **domain-wide** option to advertise the prefix-SID mappings between Level 1 and Level 2 IS-IS routers.

- The mapping server functionality does not support a scenario where SID-mapping entries learned through one IS-IS instance are used by another IS-IS instance to determine the prefix-SID of a prefix. For example, mapping entries learnt from remote routers by 'router isis 1' cannot be used to calculate prefix-SIDs for prefixes learnt, advertised, or downloaded to FIB by 'router isis 2'. A mapping server is required for each IS-IS instance.
- Segment Routing Mapping Server does not support Virtual Routing and Forwarding (VRF) currently.

# Segment Routing and LDP Interoperability

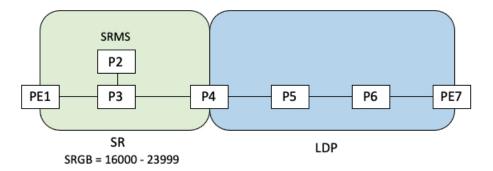
IGP provides mechanisms through which segment routing (SR) interoperate with label distribution protocol (LDP). The control plane of segment routing co-exists with LDP.

The Segment Routing Mapping Server (SRMS) functionality in SR is used to advertise SIDs for destinations, in the LDP part of the network, that do not support SR. SRMS maintains and advertises segment identifier (SID) mapping entries for such destinations. IGP propagates the SRMS mapping entries and interacts with SRMS to determine the SID value when programming the forwarding plane. IGP installs prefixes and corresponding labels, into routing information base (RIB), that are used to program the forwarding information base (FIB).

## **Example: Segment Routing LDP Interoperability**

Consider a network with a mix of segment routing (SR) and label distribution protocol (LDP). A continuous multiprotocol label switching (MPLS) LSP (Labeled Switched Path) can be established by facilitating interoperability. One or more nodes in the SR domain act as segment routing mapping server (SRMS). SRMS advertises SID mappings on behalf of non-SR capable nodes. Each SR-capable node learns about SID assigned to non-SR capable nodes without explicitly configuring individual nodes.

Consider a network as shown in the following figure. This network is a mix of both LDP and SR-capable nodes.

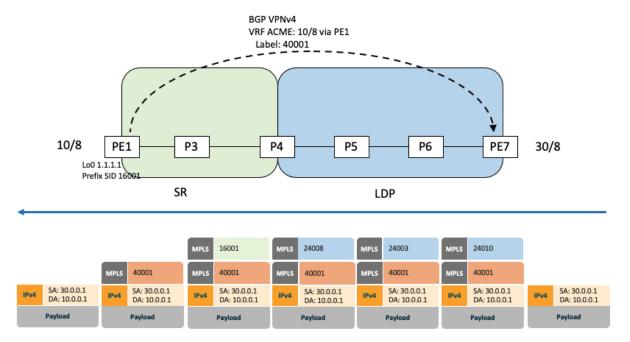


In this mixed network:

- Nodes PE1, P2, P3, and P4 are SR-capable
- Nodes P4, P5, P6, and PE7 are LDP-capable
- Nodes PE1, P2, P3, and P4 are configured with segment routing global block (SRGB) range of 16000 to 23999
- Nodes PE1, P2, P3, and P4 are configured with node segments of 16001, 16002, 16003, and 16004 respectively

A service flow must be established from PE1 to PE3 over a continuous MPLS tunnel. This requires SR and LDP to interoperate.

#### LDP-to-SR Traffic Direction

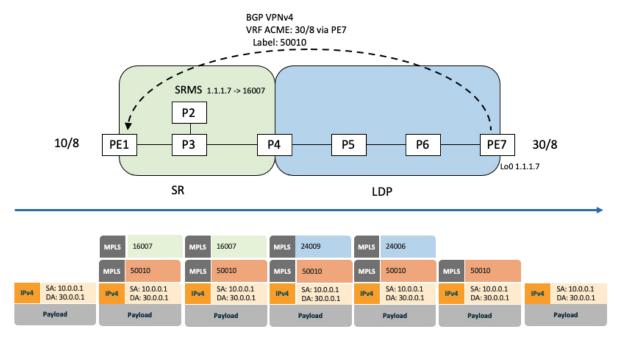


The traffic flow in the LDP-to-SR direction involves the following:

- 1. PE7 learns a service route with service label 40001 and BGP nhop PE1.
- **2.** PE7 has an LDP label binding (24010) from the nhop P6 for the FEC PE1. PE7 forwards the packet to P6.
- 3. P6 has an LDP label binding (24003) from its nhop P5 for the FEC PE1. P6 forwards the packet to P5.
- **4.** P5 has an LDP label binding (24008) from its nhop P4 for the FEC PE1. P5 forwards the packet to P4.
- **5.** P4 does not have an LDP binding from its nhop P3 for the FEC PE1. But P4 has an SR node segment to the IGP route PE1. P4 forwards the packet to P3 and swaps its local LDP label (24008) for FEC PE1 by the equivalent node segment 16001. This process is called label merging.
- **6.** P3 pops 16001, assuming PE1 has advertised its node segment 16001 with the penultimate-pop flag set and forwards to PE1.
- 7. PE1 receives the packet and processes the service label.

The end-to-end MPLS LSP is established from an LDP LSP from PE7 to P4 and the related node segment from P4 to PE1.

#### **SR-to-LDP Traffic Direction**



Suppose that the operator configures P2 as a Segment Routing Mapping Server (SRMS) and advertises the mappings (1.1.1.7, 16007 for PE7). Because PE7 is non-SR capable, the operator configures that mapping policy at the SRMS; the SRMS advertises the mapping on behalf of the non-SR capable nodes. Multiple SRMS servers can be provisioned in a network for redundancy. The mapping server advertisements are only understood by the SR-capable nodes. The SR-capable routers install the related node segments in the MPLS data plane in exactly the same manner as if node segments were advertised by the nodes themselves.

The traffic flow in the SR to LDP direction involves the following:

- 1. PE1 learns a service route with service label 50010 and BGP nhop PE7.
- 2. PE1 has an SR label binding (16007) learned from the SRMS (P2) for PE7.
- 3. PE1 installs the node segment 16007 following the IGP shortest-path with nhop P3.
- **4.** P3 swaps 16007 for 16007 and forwards to P4.
- 5. The nhop for P4 for the IGP route PE7 is non-SR capable, since P5 does not advertise the SR capability. However, P4 has an LDP label binding from that nhop for the same FEC (for example, LDP label 24009). P4 would then swap 16007 for 24009 and forward to P5. We refer to this process as label merging.
- **6.** P5 swaps this label with the LDP label received from P6 (for example, LDP label 24006) and forwards to P6.
- **7.** P6 pops the LDP label and forwards to PE7.
- **8.** PE7 receives the packet and processes the service label.

The end-to-end MPLS LSP is established from an SR node segment from PE1 to P4 and an LDP LSP from P4 to PE7.

Observe that the capabilities provided by the SRMS are only required in the SR-to-LDP direction.

# **Configuring Mapping Server**

Perform these tasks to configure the mapping server and to add prefix-SID mapping entries in the active local mapping policy.

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure	Enters mode.	
	Example:		
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure		
Step 2	segment-routing	Enables segment routing.	
	Example:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # segment-routing</pre>		
Step 3	mapping-server	Enables mapping server configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-sr)# mapping-server</pre>		
Step 4	prefix-sid-map	Enables prefix-SID mapping configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms)# prefix-sid-map</pre>	Note Two-way prefix SID can be enabled directly under IS-IS or through a mapping server.	
Step 5	address-family ipv4   ipv6	Configures address-family for IS-IS.	
	Example:		
	This example shows the address-family for ipv4:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms-map)# address-family ipv4</pre>		
	This example shows the address-family for ipv6:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms-map)# address-family ipv6</pre>		
Step 6	ip-address/prefix-length first-SID-value range range	Adds SID-mapping entries in the active local mapping policy. In the configured example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example:  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms-map-af)# 10.1.1.1/32 10 range 200  RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-sr-ms-map-af)# 20.1.0.0/16 400 range 300	assigned prefix-SID 200
Step 7	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<ul> <li>commit — Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.</li> <li>end — Prompts user to take one of these actions:         <ul> <li>Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.</li> <li>No — Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.</li> <li>Cancel — Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Verify information about the locally configured prefix-to-SID mappings.



Note

Specify the address family for IS-IS.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show segment-routing mapping-server prefix-sid-map ipv4
Prefix
                    SID Index Range
                                              Flags
20.1.1.0/24
                    400
                                 300
10.1.1.1/32
                    10
                                 200
Number of mapping entries: 2
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show segment-routing mapping-server prefix-sid-map ipv4 detail
Prefix
20.1.1.0/24
   SID Index:
                  400
                   300
   Range:
   Last Prefix: 20.2.44.0/24
   Last SID Index: 699
   Flags:
10.1.1.1/32
   SID Index:
                   10
   Range:
                   200
                   10.1.1.200/32
   Last Prefix:
   Last SID Index: 209
   Flags:
Number of mapping entries: 2
```

### What to do next

Enable the advertisement of the local SID-mapping policy in the IGP.

# **Enable Mapping Advertisement**

In addition to configuring the static mapping policy, you must enable the advertisement of the mappings in the IGP.

Perform these steps to enable the IGP to advertise the locally configured prefix-SID mapping.

# **Configure Mapping Advertisement for IS-IS**

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	router isis instance-id  Example:	Enables IS-IS routing for the specified routing instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router isis 1</pre>	• You can change the level of routing to be performed by a particular routing instance by using the <b>is-type</b> router configuration command.	
Step 2	address-family { ipv4   ipv6 } [ unicast ]	Specifies the IPv4 or IPv6 address family, and	
	Example:	enters router address family configuration mod	
	The following is an example for ipv4 address family:		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis)# address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>		
Step 3	segment-routing prefix-sid-map advertise-local [domain-wide]	Configures IS-IS to advertise locally configured prefix-SID mappings. Use the <b>domain-wide</b>	
	Example:	option to advertise the prefix-SID mappings between IS-IS Level 1 and Level 2 routers.	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af) # segment-routing prefix-sid-map advertise-local</pre>		
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af) # segment-routing prefix-sid-map advertise-local domain-wide</pre>		

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 4	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	commit —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.  end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:	
		<b>end</b> —Prompts user to take one of these actions:	
		• Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.	
		• No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.	
		• Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.	

Verify IS-IS prefix-SID mapping advertisement and TLV.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show isis database verbose

<...removed...>

SID Binding: 10.1.1.1/32 F:0 M:0 S:0 D:0 A:0 Weight:0 Range:200
    SID: Start:10, Algorithm:0, R:0 N:0 P:0 E:0 V:0 L:0

SID Binding: 20.1.1.0/24 F:0 M:0 S:0 D:0 A:0 Weight:0 Range:300
    SID: Start:400, Algorithm:0, R:0 N:0 P:0 E:0 V:0 L:0
```

## **Configure Mapping Advertisement for OSPF**

### **Procedure**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	router ospf process-name	Enables OSPF routing for the specified routing
	Example:	instance, and places the router in router configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# router ospf 1</pre>	
Step 2	segment-routing prefix-sid-map advertise-local	Configures OSPF to advertise locally configured prefix-SID mappings.
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf)# segment-routing prefix-sid-map advertise-local</pre>	
Step 3	Use the <b>commit</b> or <b>end</b> command.	<b>commit</b> —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.

Command or Action	Purpose
	end —Prompts user to take one of these actions:
	• Yes — Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.
	• No —Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.
	Cancel —Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.

Verify OSP prefix-SID mapping advertisement and TLV.

# **Enable Mapping Client**

By default, mapping client functionality is enabled.

You can disable the mapping client functionality by using the **segment-routing prefix-sid-map receive disable** command.

You can re-enable the mapping client functionality by using the **segment-routing prefix-sid-map receive** command.

The following example shows how to enable the mapping client for IS-IS:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router isis 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis) # address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-isis-af) # segment-routing prefix-sid-map receive
```

The following example shows how to enable the mapping client for OSPF:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router ospf 1
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf) # segment-routing prefix-sid-map receive disable
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-ospf) # commit
```



# **Enabling Segment Routing Flexible Algorithm**

Segment Routing Flexible Algorithm allows operators to customize IGP shortest path computation according to their own needs. An operator can assign custom SR prefix-SIDs to realize forwarding beyond link-cost-based SPF. As a result, Flexible Algorithm provides a traffic engineered path automatically computed by the IGP to any destination reachable by the IGP.

The SR architecture associates prefix-SIDs to an algorithm which defines how the path is computed. Flexible Algorithm allows for user-defined algorithms where the IGP computes paths based on a user-defined combination of metric type and constraint.

This document describes the IS-IS and OSPF extensions to support Segment Routing Flexible Algorithm on an MPLS data-plane.

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- Configuring Flexible Algorithm, on page 296
- Example: Configuring IS-IS Flexible Algorithm, on page 298
- Example: Configuring OSPF Flexible Algorithm, on page 298
- Example: Traffic Steering to Flexible Algorithm Paths, on page 299
- Delay Normalization, on page 303

# **Prerequisites for Flexible Algorithm**

Segment routing must be enabled on the router before the Flexible Algorithm functionality is activated.

## **Building Blocks of Segment Routing Flexible Algorithm**

This section describes the building blocks that are required to support the SR Flexible Algorithm functionality in IS-IS and OSPF.

### Flexible Algorithm Definition

Many possible constraints may be used to compute a path over a network. Some networks are deployed with multiple planes. A simple form of constraint may be to use a particular plane. A more sophisticated form of constraint can include some extended metric, like delay, as described in [RFC7810]. Even more advanced case could be to restrict the path and avoid links with certain affinities. Combinations of these are also possible.

To provide a maximum flexibility, the mapping between the algorithm value and its meaning can be defined by the user. When all the routers in the domain have the common understanding what the particular algorithm value represents, the computation for such algorithm is consistent and the traffic is not subject to looping. Here, since the meaning of the algorithm is not defined by any standard, but is defined by the user, it is called a Flexible Algorithm.

## Flexible Algorithm Membership

An algorithm defines how the best path is computed by IGP. Routers advertise the support for the algorithm as a node capability. Prefix-SIDs are also advertised with an algorithm value and are tightly coupled with the algorithm itself.

An algorithm is a one octet value. Values from 128 to 255 are reserved for user defined values and are used for Flexible Algorithm representation.

## **Flexible Algorithm Definition Advertisement**

To guarantee the loop free forwarding for paths computed for a particular Flexible Algorithm, all routers in the network must share the same definition of the Flexible Algorithm. This is achieved by dedicated router(s) advertising the definition of each Flexible Algorithm. Such advertisement is associated with the priority to make sure that all routers will agree on a single and consistent definition for each Flexible Algorithm.

Definition of Flexible Algorithm includes:

- Metric type
- Affinity constraints

To enable the router to advertise the definition for the particular Flexible Algorithm, **advertise-definition** command is used. At least one router in the area, preferably two for redundancy, must advertise the Flexible Algorithm definition. Without the valid definition being advertised, the Flexible Algorithm will not be functional.

## Flexible Algorithm Prefix-SID Advertisement

To be able to forward traffic on a Flexible Algorithm specific path, all routers participating in the Flexible Algorithm will install a MPLS labeled path for the Flexible Algorithm specific SID that is advertised for the prefix. Only prefixes for which the Flexible Algorithm specific Prefix-SID is advertised is subject to Flexible Algorithm specific forwarding.

## **Calculation of Flexible Algorithm Path**

Table 19: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
OSPF: Microloop Avoidance for Flexible Algorithm	Release 7.3.2	This feature extends the current OSPF Flexible Algorithm functionality to support Microloop Avoidance.

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
OSPF: TI-LFA for Flexible Algorithm	Release 7.3.1	This feature extends the current OSPF Flexible Algorithm functionality to support TI-LFA.

A router may compute path for multiple Flexible Algorithms. A router must be configured to support particular Flexible Algorithm before it can compute any path for such Flexible Algorithm. A router must have a valid definition of the Flexible Algorithm before Flexible Algorithm is used.

The router uses the following rules to prune links from the topology during the Flexible Algorithm computation:

- All nodes that don't advertise support for Flexible Algorithm are pruned from the topology.
- Affinities:
  - Check if any exclude affinity rule is part of the Flexible Algorithm Definition. If such exclude rule exists, check if any color that is part of the exclude rule is also set on the link. If such a color is set, the link must be pruned from the computation.
  - Check if any include-any affinity rule is part of the Flexible Algorithm Definition. If such include-any rule exists, check if any color that is part of the include-any rule is also set on the link. If no such color is set, the link must be pruned from the computation.
  - Check if any include-all affinity rule is part of the Flexible Algorithm Definition. If such include-all rule exists, check if all colors that are part of the include-all rule are also set on the link. If all such colors are not set on the link, the link must be pruned from the computation



Note

See Flexible Algorithm Affinity Constraint.

• Router uses the metric that is part of the Flexible Algorithm definition. If the metric isn't advertised for the particular link, the link is pruned from the topology.

#### Configuring Microloop Avoidance for Flexible Algorithm

By default, Microloop Avoidance per Flexible Algorithm instance follows Microloop Avoidance configuration for algo-0. For information about configuring Microloop Avoidance, see Configure Segment Routing Microloop Avoidance, on page 277.

You can disable Microloop Avoidance for Flexible Algorithm using the following commands:

```
router isis instance flex-algo algo microloop avoidance disable router ospf process flex-algo algo microloop avoidance disable
```

#### Configuring LFA / TI-LFA for Flexible Algorithm

By default, LFA/TI-LFA per Flexible Algorithm instance follows LFA/TI-LFA configuration for algo-0. For information about configuring TI-LFA, see Configure Topology-Independent Loop-Free Alternate (TI-LFA), on page 255.

You can disable TI-LFA for Flexible Algorithm using the following commands:

```
router isis instance flex-algo algo fast-reroute disable
router ospf process flex-algo algo fast-reroute disable
```

## **Installation of Forwarding Entries for Flexible Algorithm Paths**

Flexible Algorithm path to any prefix must be installed in the forwarding using the Prefix-SID that was advertised for such Flexible Algorithm. If the Prefix-SID for Flexible Algorithm is not known, such Flexible Algorithm path is not installed in forwarding for such prefix..

Only MPLS to MPLS entries are installed for a Flexible Algorithm path. No IP to IP or IP to MPLS entries are installed. These follow the native IPG paths computed based on the default algorithm and regular IGP metrics.

## Flexible Algorithm Prefix-SID Redistribution

Prefix redistribution from IS-IS to another IS-IS instance or protocol was limited to SR algorithm 0 (regular SPF) prefix SIDs; SR algorithm 1 (Strict SPF) and SR algorithms 128-255 (Flexible Algorithm) prefix SIDs were not redistributed along with the prefix. The Segment Routing IS-IS Flexible Algorithm Prefix SID Redistribution feature allows redistribution of strict and flexible algorithms prefix SIDs from IS-IS to another IS-IS instance or protocols. This feature is enabled automatically when you configure redistribution of IS-IS Routes with strict or flexible algorithm SIDs.

## Flexible Algorithm Prefix Metric

A limitation of the existing Flexible Algorithm functionality in IS-IS is the inability to compute the best path to a prefix in a remote area or remote IGP domain. Prefixes are advertised between IS-IS areas or between protocol domains, but the existing prefix metric does not reflect any of the constraints used for Flexible Algorithm path. Although the best Flexible Algorithm path can be computed to the inter-area or redistributed prefix inside the area, the path may not represent the overall best path through multiple areas or IGP domains.

The Flexible Algorithm Prefix Metric feature introduces a Flexible Algorithm-specific prefix-metric in the IS-IS prefix advertisement. The prefix-metric provides a way to compute the best end-to-end Flexible Algorithm optimized paths across multiple areas or domains.



Note

The Flexible Algorithm definition must be consistent between domains or areas. Refer to section 8 in IETF draft https://datatracker.ietf.org/doc/draft-ietf-lsr-flex-algo/.

# **Configuring Flexible Algorithm**

The following IS-IS and OSPF configuration sub-mode is used to configure Flexible Algorithm:

```
router isis instance flex-algo algo
router ospf process flex-algo algo
algo—value from 128 to 255
```

### **Configuring Flexible Algorithm Definitions**

The following commands are used to configure Flexible Algorithm definition under the flex-algo sub-mode:

• IS-IS

metric-type delay



Note

By default the regular IGP metric is used. If delay metric is enabled, the advertised delay on the link is used as a metric for Flexible Algorithm computation.

**OSPF** 

metric-type {delay | te-metric}



Note

By default the regular IGP metric is used. If delay or TE metric is enabled, the advertised delay or TE metric on the link is used as a metric for Flexible Algorithm computation.

- affinity {include-any | include-all | exclude-any} name1, name2, ...

  name—name of the affinity map
- priority priority value

  priority value—priority used during the Flexible Algorithm definition election.

The following command is used to to include the Flexible Algorithm prefix metric in the advertised Flexible Algorithm definition in IS-IS:

```
router isis instance flex-algo algo prefix-metric
```

The following command is used to enable advertisement of the Flexible Algorithm definition in IS-IS:

```
router isis instance flex-algo algo advertise-definition
```

#### **Configuring Affinity**

The following command is used for defining the affinity-map. Affinity-map associates the name with the particular bit positions in the Extended Admin Group bitmask.

```
router isis instance flex-algo algo affinity-map name bit-position bit number router ospf process flex-algo algo affinity-map name bit-position bit number name—name of the affinity-map
```

#### **Configuring Prefix-SID Advertisement**

The following command is used to advertise prefix-SID for default and strict-SPF algorithm:

```
router isis instance interface type interface-path-id address-family {ipv4 | ipv6} [unicast]
prefix-sid [strict-spf | algorithm algorithm-number] [index | absolute] sid value

router ospf process area area interface Loopback interface-instance prefix-sid [strict-spf | algorithm algorithm-number] [index | absolute] sid value
```

- algorithm-number—Flexible Algorithm number
- sid value—SID value

## **Example: Configuring IS-IS Flexible Algorithm**

```
affinity-map red bit-position 65
 affinity-map blue bit-position 8
 affinity-map green bit-position 201
 flex-algo 128
 advertise-definition
 affinity exclude-any red
 affinity include-any blue
flex-algo 129
 affinity exclude-any green
1
address-family ipv4 unicast
segment-routing mpls
interface Loopback0
address-family ipv4 unicast
 prefix-sid algorithm 128 index 100
 prefix-sid algorithm 129 index 101
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
affinity flex-algo red
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/1
affinity flex-algo blue red
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/2
affinity flex-algo blue
```

# **Example: Configuring OSPF Flexible Algorithm**

```
router ospf 1
flex-algo 130
priority 200
affinity exclude-any
red
blue
!
metric-type delay
!
flex-algo 140
```

```
affinity include-all
 green
affinity include-any
 red
interface Loopback0
 prefix-sid index 10
 prefix-sid strict-spf index 40
 prefix-sid algorithm 128 absolute 16128
 prefix-sid algorithm 129 index 129
 prefix-sid algorithm 200 index 20
 prefix-sid algorithm 210 index 30
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
 flex-algo affinity
  color red
  color blue
affinity-map
color red bit-position 10
color blue bit-position 11
```

# **Example: Traffic Steering to Flexible Algorithm Paths**

## **BGP Routes on PE – Color Based Steering**

SR-TE On Demand Next-Hop (ODN) feature can be used to steer the BGP traffic towards the Flexible Algorithm paths.

The following example configuration shows how to setup BGP steering local policy, assuming two router: R1 (2.2.2.2) and R2 (4.4.4.4), in the topology.

#### **Configuration on router R1:**

```
vrf Test
address-family ipv4 unicast
  import route-target
  1:150
!
  export route-policy SET_COLOR_RED_HI_BW
  export route-target
  1:150
!
!
!!
interface Loopback0
ipv4 address 2.2.2.2 255.255.255
!
interface Loopback150
vrf Test
ipv4 address 2.2.2.222 255.255.255.255
```

```
interface TenGigE0/1/0/3/0
description exrl to cxrl
ipv4 address 10.0.20.2 255.255.255.0
extcommunity-set opaque color129-red-igp
end-set
route-policy PASS
 pass
end-policy
route-policy SET COLOR RED HI BW
 set extcommunity color color129-red-igp
 pass
end-policy
router isis 1
is-type level-2-only
net 49.0001.0000.0000.0002.00
log adjacency changes
affinity-map RED bit-position 28
flex-algo 128
 priority 228
address-family ipv4 unicast
 metric-style wide
  advertise link attributes
  router-id 2.2.2.2
 segment-routing mpls
interface Loopback0
 address-family ipv4 unicast
   prefix-sid index 2
  prefix-sid algorithm 128 index 282
interface TenGigE0/1/0/3/0
 point-to-point
  address-family ipv4 unicast
!
router bgp 65000
bgp router-id 2.2.2.2
address-family ipv4 unicast
address-family vpnv4 unicast
 retain route-target all
neighbor-group RR-services-group
 remote-as 65000
  update-source Loopback0
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  address-family vpnv4 unicast
neighbor 4.4.4.4
 use neighbor-group RR-services-group
vrf Test
 rd auto
  address-family ipv4 unicast
```

```
redistribute connected
segment-routing
traffic-eng
 logging
  policy status
 segment-list sl-cxr1
  index 10 mpls label 16294
 policy pol-foo
  color 129 end-point ipv4 4.4.4.4
  candidate-paths
   preference 100
    explicit segment-list sl-cxr1
    !
   1
!
1
```

### **Configuration on router R2:**

```
vrf Test
address-family ipv4 unicast
  import route-target
  1:150
 export route-policy SET COLOR RED HI BW
 export route-target
  1:150
1
interface TenGigE0/1/0/1
description cxrl to exrl
ipv4 address 10.0.20.1 255.255.255.0
extcommunity-set opaque color129-red-igp
 129
end-set
route-policy PASS
 pass
end-policy
route-policy SET_COLOR_RED_HI_BW
 set extcommunity color color129-red-igp
 pass
end-policy
router isis 1
is-type level-2-only
net 49.0001.0000.0000.0004.00
log adjacency changes
affinity-map RED bit-position 28
affinity-map BLUE bit-position 29
affinity-map GREEN bit-position 30
flex-algo 128
 priority 228
flex-algo 129
 priority 229
```

```
flex-algo 130
 priority 230
address-family ipv4 unicast
 metric-style wide
  advertise link attributes
 router-id 4.4.4.4
 segment-routing mpls
interface Loopback0
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  prefix-sid index 4
  prefix-sid algorithm 128 index 284
  prefix-sid algorithm 129 index 294
  prefix-sid algorithm 130 index 304
interface \ GigabitEthernet 0/0/0/0
 point-to-point
  address-family ipv4 unicast
interface TenGigE0/1/0/1
 point-to-point
  address-family ipv4 unicast
router bgp 65000
bgp router-id 4.4.4.4
address-family ipv4 unicast
address-family vpnv4 unicast
neighbor-group RR-services-group
 remote-as 65000
  update-source Loopback0
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  address-family vpnv4 unicast
neighbor 10.1.1.1
 use neighbor-group RR-services-group
neighbor 2.2.2.2
 use neighbor-group RR-services-group
vrf Test
  rd auto
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  redistribute connected
 neighbor 25.1.1.2
   remote-as 4
   address-family ipv4 unicast
   route-policy PASS in
   route-policy PASS out
   !
  !
segment-routing
```

end

# **Delay Normalization**

#### Table 20: Feature History Table

Feature Name	Release Information	Feature Description
SR-TE Delay Normalization for OSPF	Release 7.3.1	This feature extends the current Delay Normalization feature to support OSPF.

Performance measurement (PM) measures various link characteristics like packet loss and delay. Such characteristics can be used by IS-IS as a metric for Flexible Algorithm computation. Low latency routing using dynamic delay measurement is one of the primary use cases for Flexible Algorithm technology.

Delay is measured in microseconds. If delay values are taken as measured and used as link metrics during the IS-IS topology computation, some valid ECMP paths might be unused because of the negligible difference in the link delay.

The Delay Normalization feature computes a normalized delay value and uses the normalized value instead. This value is advertised and used as a metric during the Flexible Algorithm computation.

The normalization is performed when the delay is received from the delay measurement component. When the next value is received, it is normalized and compared to the previous saved normalized value. If the values are different, then the LSP generation is triggered.

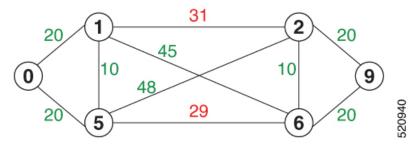
The following formula is used to calculate the normalized value:

- **Dm** measured Delay
- Int configured normalized Interval
- Off configured normalized Offset (must be less than the normalized interval Int)
- **Dn** normalized Delay
- $\mathbf{a} = \mathrm{Dm} / \mathrm{Int}$  (rounded down)
- $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a} * Int + Off$

If the measured delay (Dm) is less than or equal to  $\mathbf{b}$ , then the normalized delay (Dn) is equal to  $\mathbf{b}$ . Otherwise, Dn is  $\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{Int}$ .

### **Example**

The following example shows a low-latency service. The intent is to avoid high-latency links (1-6, 5-2). Links 1-2 and 5-6 are both low-latency links. The measured latency is not equal, but the difference is insignificant.



We can normalize the measured latency before it is advertised and used by IS-IS. Consider a scenario with the following:

- Interval = 10
- Offset = 3

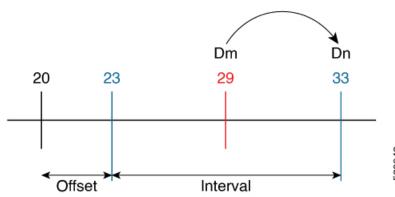
The measured delays will be normalized as follows:

• **Dm** = 
$$29$$

$$a = 29 / 10 = 2 (2.9, rounded down to 2)$$

$$\mathbf{b} = 2 * 10 + 3 = 23$$

In this case, **Dm** (29) is greater than **b** (23); so **Dn** is equal to  $\mathbf{b}+\mathbf{I}$  (23 + 10) = 33

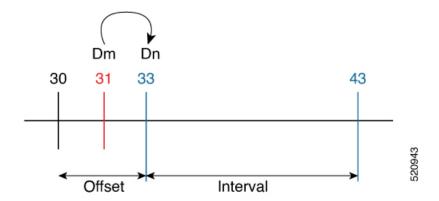


• 
$$Dm = 31$$

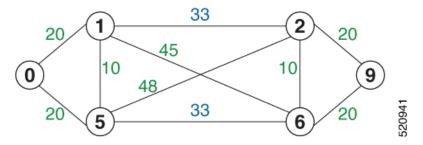
$$a = 31 / 10 = 3$$
 (3.1, rounded down to 3)

$$\mathbf{b} = 3 * 10 + 3 = 33$$

In this case, **Dm** (31) is less than **b** (33); so **Dn** is  $\mathbf{b} = 33$ 



The link delay between 1-2 and 5-6 is normalized to 33.



### Configuration

Delay normalization is disabled by default. To enable and configure delay normalization, use the **delay normalize interval** [offset offset] command.

- interval The value of the normalize interval in microseconds.
- offset The value of the normalized offset in microseconds. This value must be smaller than the value of normalized interval.

### **IS-IS Configuration**

```
router isis 1
interface GigEth 0/0/0/0
  delay normalize interval 10 offset 3
address-family ipv4 unicast
  metric 77
```

### **OSPF** Configuration

```
router ospf 1
  area 0
   interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0/0
    delay normalize interval 10 offset 3
 !
!
```

**Delay Normalization**