



Configuration and File System Management

This module describes methods for configuration management and file transfer enhancements.

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Auto-Save Configuration

You can configure the router to automatically take the backup of the running configuration by using **configuration commit auto-save** command. This auto-save feature saves the configuration to the specified location on the router after every **commit** is made. These auto-save files are stored in the form of Linux files.

Configure Auto-Save

Use the **configuration commit auto-save** command to auto save the configuration.

```
Router#configure
Router(config)#configuration commit auto-save
Router(config-cfg-autosave)#commit
```

You can also configure options such as **password**, **timestamp**, **maximum**, and **wait-time** with the **configuration commit auto-save** command. The location to save the file-name must be specified in `<protocol>://<user>@<host>:<port>/<url-path>/<file-name>` format.

When filename is accessed through VRF, you can specify filename in **filename** `<protocol>://<user>@<host>:<port>;<vrf name>/<url-path>/<file-name>` format.

When you are using public key authentication, you don't need to mention **password**.

```
Router(config-cfg-autosave)#configuration commit auto-save filename
sftp://user1@server1://test-folder/test_123
Router(config-cfg-autosave)#password clear encryption-default cisco
Router(config-cfg-autosave)#timestamp
Router(config-cfg-autosave)#maximum 10
Router(config-cfg-autosave)#wait-time days 0 hours 0 minutes 0 seconds 5
Router(config-cfg-autosave)#commit
```

Running Configuration

```
Router#show running-config configuration commit auto-save
configuration commit auto-save
  filename sftp://user1@server1://test-folder/test_123
  password encrypted encryption-default <password for above user>
```

```
timestamp
maximum 10
wait-time days 0 hours 0 minutes 0 seconds 5
!
```