



Preface

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Organization

The document organization is described in the following table:

1	Overview of the Hardware and Software	Describes new hardware and software features in this release, features by platform, new slots, common ports, and getting started tasks.
2	Setup for Initial Configuration	Describes how to perform the initial configuration of the router using the Cisco Setup command facility, verifying the initial configuration, and completing the configuration.
3	Cisco IOS CLI for Initial Configuration	Describes how to perform the initial configuration of the router using the Cisco IOS command-line interface (CLI), and additional configuration procedures for the router.
4	Basic Router Configuration	Describes how to perform the basic router configuration, interface configuration, and routing configuration.
5	Configuring Backup Data Lines and Remote Management	Describes how to configure backup interfaces, configure dial backup, and remote management.
6	Upgrading the Cisco IOS Software	Describes how to upgrade the Cisco IOS software image on the router or the access point.
7	Using CompactFlash Memory	Describes how to use Advanced Capability CompactFlash (CF) memory cards on the router.
8	Using ROM Monitor	Describes how to use the ROM monitor to manually load a system image, upgrade the system image when there are no TFTP servers or network connections, or for disaster recovery.
9	Changing the Configuration Register Settings	Describes the 16-bit configuration register in NVRAM and how to make changes to the register settings using the Cisco IOS CLI.

Conventions

This document uses the following conventions:

Convention	Indication
bold font	Commands and keywords and user-entered text appear in bold font .
<i>italic font</i>	Document titles, new or emphasized terms, and arguments for which you supply values are in <i>italic font</i> .
[]	Elements in square brackets are optional.
{ x y z }	Required alternative keywords are grouped in braces and separated by vertical bars.
[x y z]	Optional alternative keywords are grouped in brackets and separated by vertical bars.
string	A nonquoted set of characters. Do not use quotation marks around the string or the string will include the quotation marks.
<code>courier font</code>	Terminal sessions and information the system displays appear in <code>courier font</code> .
< >	Nonprinting characters such as passwords are in angle brackets.
[]	Default responses to system prompts are in square brackets.
!, #	An exclamation point (!) or a pound sign (#) at the beginning of a line of code indicates a comment line.



Note

Means *reader take note*.



Tip

Means *the following information will help you solve a problem*.



Caution

Means *reader be careful*. In this situation, you might perform an action that could result in equipment damage or loss of data.



Timesaver

Means *the described action saves time*. You can save time by performing the action described in the paragraph.



Warning

Means *reader be warned*. In this situation, you might perform an action that could result in bodily injury.