

# **IEEE 1588v2 PTP Support**

IEEE 1588v2 Precision Time Protocol (PTP) is a packet-based two-way message exchange protocol for synchronizing clocks between nodes in a network, thereby enabling an accurate time distribution over a network. This document explains how to configure IEEE 1588v2 PTP on the Cisco ASR 1002-X Routers.

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# **Restrictions for IEEE 1588v2 PTP**

These are the restrictions for configuring IEEE 1588v2 PTP:

- Supports IPv4 unicast mode, but not multicast mode.
- Does not support Dot1q, Q-in-Q, and port-channel interfaces.
- Primary PTP supports only a maximum of 32 secondary PTP.
- PTP boundary clock is supported only in unicast negotiation mode.
- IPv6 and Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) encapsulation are not supported for PTP packet transfer over Cisco ASR 1002-X Routers.
- The time-of-day recovered from a 1588v2 session does not synchronize with the system clock.
- GPS interfaces can be used only for clock recovery. You cannot transmit the system clock on the GPS interface.

# **Information About IEEE 1588v2 PTP**

IEEE 1588v2 PTP is a packet-based two-way message exchange protocol for synchronizing a local clock with a primary reference clock in a hierarchical primary-secondary architecture. This synchronization is achieved through packets that are transmitted and received in a session between a primary reference clock and a secondary clock. IEEE 1588v2 PTP supports system-wide synchronization accuracy in the sub-microsecond range with little use of network and local clock-computing resources.

The following sections describe the terminologies used for better understanding of the IEEE 1588v2 PTP.

### **PTP Clocks**

PTP employs a hierarchy of clock types to ensure that precise timing and synchronization is maintained between the source and the numerous PTP clients that are distributed throughout the network. A logical grouping of PTP clocks that synchronize with each other using the PTP protocol, but are not necessarily synchronized to the PTP clocks in another domain, is called a PTP domain.

The three PTP clock types are Ordinary clock, Boundary clock, and Transparent clock.

- Ordinary clock—This clock type has a single PTP port in a domain, and maintains the timescale used in the domain. It may serve as a source of time, that is, be a primary, or may synchronize to another clock by being a subordinate. It provides time to an application or to an end device.
- **Boundary clock**—This clock type has multiple PTP ports in a domain, and maintains the timescale used in the domain. It may serve as a source of time, that is, be a primary, or may synchronize to another clock by being a subordinate. A boundary clock, that is secondary, has a single slave port, and transfers timing from that port to the primary ports.
- **Transparent clock**—This clock type is a device that measures the time taken for a PTP event message to pass through the device, and provides this information to the clocks receiving this PTP event message.

{start cross reference} Table 13-1 {end cross reference} shows the 1588v2 PTP support matrix on a Cisco ASR1000 platform.

Table 1: 1588v2 PTP Support Matrix on a Cisco ASR1000 platform

Platform/PTP Clock mode	Ordinary	Boundary	Transparent	Hybrid
	Clock	Clock	Clock	Clock
ASR1002X	Yes	Yes	No	No

## **Components of a PTP-enabled Network**

The three key components of a PTP-enabled data network are primary reference, PTP client, and PTP-enabled router acting as a Boundary clock.

- **Primary Reference**—An IEEE1588v2 PTP network needs a primary reference to provide a precise time source. The most economical way of obtaining the precise time source for the primary reference is through a Global Positioning System (GPS) because it provides +/- 100 nanosecond (ns) accuracy. First, the PTP primary reference's built-in GPS receiver converts the GPS timing information to PTP time information, which is typically Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), and then delivers the UTC time to all the PTP clients.
- **PTP client**—A PTP client has to be installed on servers, network-monitoring and performance-analysis devices, or other devices that want to use the precise timing information provided by PTP, and it's mostly an ordinary clock. The two kinds of PTP clients are pure software PTP clients and hardware-assistant PTP clients.
- **PTP boundary clock**—Any router that is between a PTP primary and PTP secondary can act as a PTP boundary clock router. It has two interfaces, one facing the PTP primary and another facing the PTP secondary. The boundary clock router acts as a *secondary* on the interface facing the *PTP primary router*, and acts as a *primary* on the interface facing the *PTP secondary router*. The PTP boundary clock router is deployed to minimize timing delay in cases where the distance between PTP primary router and the PTP secondary router is more.

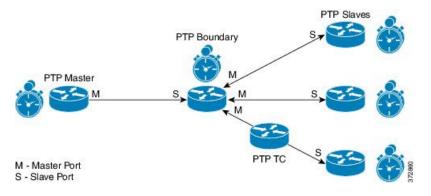


Note

Intermediary nodes between PTP primary and secondary should be a PTP-enabled or transparent clock node.

The following figure shows the functions of a PTP Enabled device.

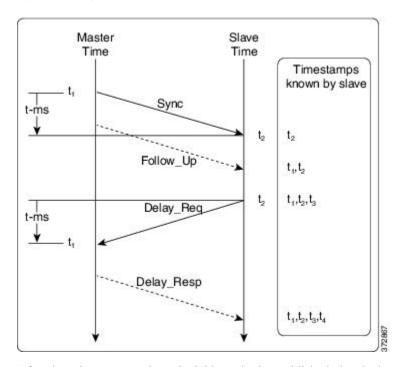
Figure 1: 372860.eps Functions of a PTP-Enabled Device



# **Clock-Synchronization Process**

Clock synchronization is achieved through a series of messages exchanged between the primary clock and the secondary clock as shown in the figure.

Figure 2: Clock-Synchronization Process



After the primary-secondary clock hierarchy is established, the clock synchronization process starts. The message exchange occurs in this sequence:

- 1. The primary clock sends a Sync message. The time at which the Sync message leaves the primary is time-stamped as t{start subscript}1{end subscript}.
- 2. The secondary clock receives the Sync message and is time-stamped as t{start subscript}2{end subscript}.
- 3. The secondary sends the Delay\_Req message, which is time-stamped as t{start subscript}3 {end subscript} when it leaves the secondary, and as t{start subscript}4{end subscript} when the primary receives it.
- **4.** The primary responds with a Delay\_Resp message that contains the time stamp t{start subscript}4{end subscript}.

The clock offset is the difference between the primary clock and the secondary clock, and is calculated as follows:

Offset = t{start subscript} 2 {end subscript} - t{start subscript} 1 {end subscript} - meanPathDelay

IEEE1588 assumes that the path delay between the primary clock and the secondary clock is symmetrical, and hence, the mean path delay is calculated as follows:

 $meanPathDelay = ((t\{start\ subscript\}2\{end\ subscript\} - t\{start\ subscript\}1\{end\ subscript\}) + (t\{start\ subscript\}4\{end\ subscript\} - t\{start\ subscript\}\})/2$ 

### **PTP Messages**

All PTP communication is performed through message exchange. The two sets of messages defined by IEEE1588v2 are General messages and Event messages.

- General messages—These messages do not require accurate time stamps, and are classified as Announce, Follow\_Up, Delay\_Resp, Pdelay\_Resp\_Follow\_Up, Management, and Signaling.
- Event messages—These messages require accurate time stamping, and are classified as Sync, Delay\_Req, Pdelay\_Req, and Pdelay\_Resp.

### **PTP Clocking Modes**

The following are the PTP clocking modes supported on a Cisco ASR 1002-X Router:

- Unicast Mode—In unicast mode, the primary sends the Sync or Delay\_Resp messages to the secondary on the unicast IP address of the secondary, and the secondary in turn sends the Delay\_Req message to the primary on the unicast IP address of the primary.
- Unicast Negotiation Mode—In unicast negotiation mode, the primary does not know of any secondary until the secondary sends a negotiation message to the primary. The unicast negotiation mode is good for scalability purpose because one primary can have multiple secondary.

### **PTP Accuracy**

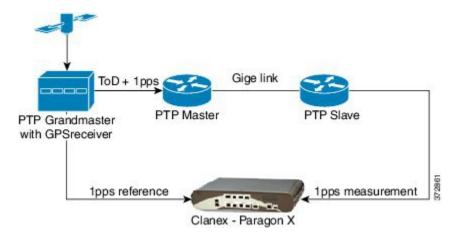
Accuracy is an important aspect of PTP implementation on an Ethernet port. For a packet network, Packet Delay Variation (PDV) is one of the key factors that impacts the accuracy of a PTP clock. The Cisco ASR 1002-X Router can handle the PDV of the network with its advanced hardware and software capabilities, such as hardware stamping and special high-priority queue for PTP packets. It can provide around 300 ns accuracy in a scalable deployment scenario.

The two methods used on the same topology to cross-check and verify the results are:

- One-pulse-per-second (1PPS) to verify the secondary PTP.
- Maximum Time Interval Error (MTIE) and Time Deviation (TDEV) to verify the PDV.

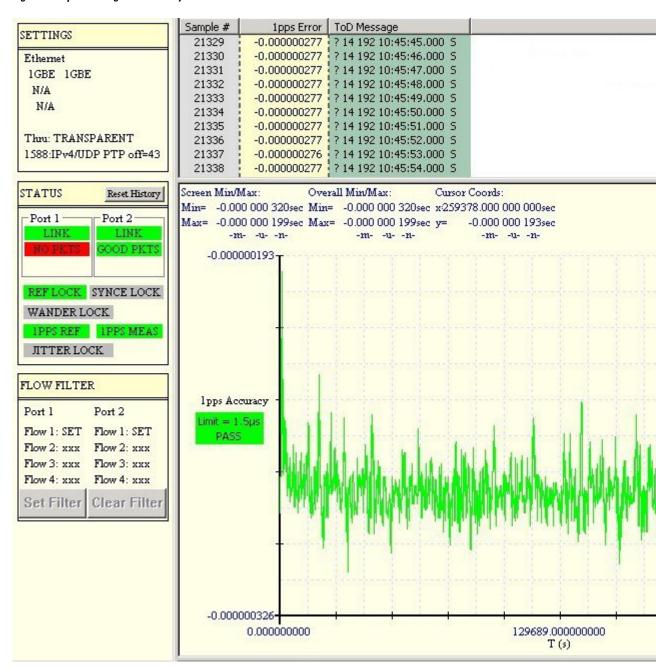
The verification topology includes a primary reference with a GPS receiver, a Cisco ASR 1002-X Router, PTP hardware secondary reference clocks with 1PPS output, and a test equipment for the measurement.

Figure 3: 1PPS Accuracy Measurement



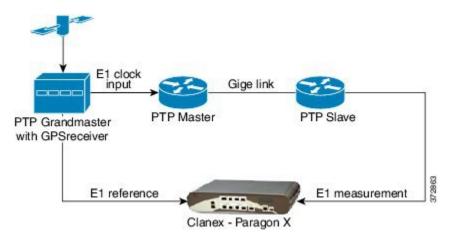
The following figure shows the PPS accuracy, with time of day measured using the test equipment as per the topology shown in the following figure. The average PPS accuracy value found is 250 ns.

Figure 4: Graph Showing PPS Accuracy



{start cross reference} Figure 13-5 {end cross reference} shows a topology that includes a primary reference with a GPS receiver, a Cisco ASR 1002-X Router, PTP hardware secondary reference clocks, and a test equipment for the MTIE and TDEV measurement.

Figure 5: MTIE and TDEV measurement



{start cross reference} Figure 13-6 {end cross reference} shows a graph with the MTIE and TDEV measurements to verify the PDV.

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Figure 6: Graph to show MTIE and TDEV Measurement

## **IEEE 1588v2 PTP Support**

IEEE 1588v2 PTP supports these features on a Cisco ASR1002-X Router:

- Two-step Ordinary clock and Boundary clock.
- Hardware-assistant PTP implementation to provide sub-300 ns accuracy.
- PTP operation on all physical onboard Gigabit Ethernet interfaces.
- Supports built-in Gigabit Ethernet links in two-step clock mode.

# **Configuring IEEE 1588v2 PTP**

You can configure IEEE 1588v2 PTP features on the Cisco ASR 1002-X Router by performing the following procedures:

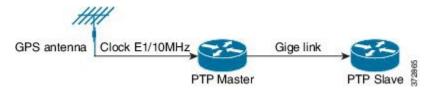
# **Configuring Input or Output Network Clocking**

We recommend that you configure a stable input clock source from a GPS device before configuring primary PTP. The GPS device acts as a PTP primary reference, and the BITS or 10-MHz port of a Cisco ASR 1002-X Router can be used to input or output the network clock. Perform these tasks to configure network clocking on a Cisco ASR 1002-X Router:

# **Configuring an Ordinary Clock**

You can configure a Cisco ASR 1002-X Router in Ordinary clock mode as either primary or secondary.

Figure 7: Ordinary Clock Scenario with a GPS Device as Primary Reference



Perform these tasks to configure an ordinary clock as either primary or secondary:

### **Configuring an Ordinary Clock as Primary PTP**

This section describes how to configure an ordinary clock as primary PTP.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. ptp clock ordinary domain domain\_number
- 3. clock-port name master
- 4. transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet | Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]
- 5. clock destination ip-address
- **6. sync interval** *interval*
- **7**. end

### **DETAILED STEPS**

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

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Router# configure terminal	
Step 2	ptp clock ordinary domain domain_number  Example:	Creates a PTP clock and specifies the clock mode.
	Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0	
Step 3	clock-port name master  Example:	Specifies the clocking mode of a PTP port and enters the clock port configuration mode.
	Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port MASTER master	
Step 4	transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet   Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]	Specifies the IP version, transmission mode, and interface that a PTP clock port uses to exchange timing packets.
	Example:  Router(config-ptp-port) # transport ipv4 unicast interface Loopback11 negotiation	The <b>negotiation</b> keyword specifies the unicast negotiation mode where the secondary and primary clock exchange negotiation messages before establishing a relationship. <b>Note</b> Only Loopback interface type is supported.
Step 5	clock destination ip-address	Specifies the IP address of a PTP clock destination.
	Example:  Router(config-ptp-port) # clock destination 20.20.20.20	If the clock port is set to primary mode with unicast negotiation, you need not use this command because the device uses negotiation to determine the IP address of PTP slave devices.
Step 6	sync interval interval  Example:	(Optional) Specifies the interval used to send PTP synchronization messages.
	Router(config-ptp-port)# sync interval -4	The default value is -5.
Step 7	end	Exits global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Example:	
	Router(config-ptp-port)# end	

### **Examples**

The following example shows how to configure an ordinary clock as primary PTP:

Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0
Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port MASTER master
Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4 unicast interface

```
Loopback11
negotiation
Router(config-ptp-port) # clock destination
20.20.20.20
Router(config-ptp-port) # Sync interval
-4
Router(config-ptp-port) # end
```

### **Configuring an Ordinary Clock as Secondary PTP**

This section describes how to configure Ordinary Clock as secondary PTP.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- **2.** ptp clock ordinary domain domain\_number
- **3.** clock-port *name* slave
- 4. transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet | Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]
- **5. clock source** *ip-address*
- 6. end

#### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Router# configure terminal		
Step 2	ptp clock ordinary domain domain_number	Creates a PTP clock and specifies the clock mode.	
	Example:		
	Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0		
Step 3	clock-port name slave	Specifies the clocking mode of a PTP port and enters the	
	Example:	clock port configuration mode.	
	Router(config-ptp-clk) # clock-port SLAVE slave		
Step 4	transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet   Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]	Specifies the IP version, transmission mode, and interface that a PTP clock port uses to exchange timing packets.	
	Example:	The <b>negotiation</b> keyword specifies the unicast negotiation mode where the secondary and primary clock exchanges	
	Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4	negotiation messages before establishing a relationship.	
	unicast interface Loopback22 negotiation	Note Only Loopback interface type is supported.	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	clock source ip-address	Specifies the source IP address of a primary PTP clock.
	Example:	Note You can specify only 1 primary clock IP address.
	Router(config-ptp-port)# clock source 10.10.10.10	Priority-based clock source selection is not supported.
Step 6	end	Exits global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Router(config-ptp-port)# end	

### **Examples**

The following example shows how to configure an ordinary clock as secondary PTP:

```
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0
Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port SLAVE master
Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4 unicast interface
Loopback22
   negotiation
Router(config-ptp-port)# clock source
10.10.10.10
Router(config-ptp-port)# end
```

# **Configuring a Boundary Clock**

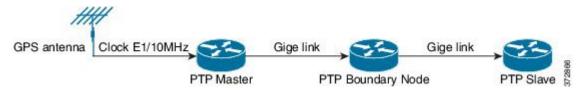
You can configure the primary PTP and secondary PTP in a boundary clock topology as shown in the figure in the same way that you configure a primary and secondary in ordinary clock mode. This section describes how to configure a Cisco ASR 1002-X Router in boundary clock mode.



Note

Currently, boundary clock supports only unicast negotiation mode.

Figure 8: PTP Boundary Clock Scenario



#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- **2.** ptp clock boundary domain domain\_number
- **3.** clock-port *name* slave
- 4. transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet | Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]

- **5. clock source** *ip-address*
- 6. exit
- **7.** clock-port *name* master
- 8. transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet | Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]
- **9**. end

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Router# configure terminal	
Step 2	ptp clock boundary domain domain_number	Creates a PTP clock and specifies the clock mode.
	Example:	
	Router(config)# ptp clock boundary domain 0	
Step 3	clock-port name slave	Specifies the clocking mode of a PTP port and enters the
	Example:	clock port configuration mode.
	Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port SLAVE slave	
Step 4	transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet   Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]	Specifies the IP version, transmission mode, and interface that a PTP clock port uses to exchange timing packets.
	Example:  Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4	The <b>negotiation</b> keyword specifies the unicast negotiation mode where the secondary and primary clock exchange negotiation messages before establishing a relationship.
	unicast interface Loopback11 negotiation	Note Only Loopback interface type is supported.
Step 5	clock source ip-address	Specifies the source IP address of a PTP master clock.
	Example:	Note
	Router(config-ptp-port)# clock source 10.10.10.10	You can specify only one primary clock IP address. Priority-based clock source selection is not supported.
Step 6	exit	Exits clock port configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Router(config-ptp-port)# exit	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	clock-port <i>name</i> master <b>Example</b> :	Specifies the clocking mode of a PTP port and enters clock port configuration mode.
	Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port MASTER master	
Step 8	transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet   Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]	Specifies the IP version, transmission mode, and interface that a PTP clock port uses to exchange timing packets.
	Example:  Router(config-ptp-port) # transport ipv4 unicast interface Loopback10 negotiation	The <b>negotiation</b> keyword specifies the unicast negotiation mode where the secondary and primary clock exchange negotiation messages before establishing a relationship. <b>Note</b> Only Loopback interface type is supported.
Step 9	end Example: Example:	Exits global configuration mode.
	Router(config-ptp-port)# end	

### **Examples**

The following example shows how to configure a boundary clock:

```
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0
Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port SLAVE slave
Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4 unicast interface
Loopback11
negotiation
Router(config-ptp-port)# clock source
10.10.10.10.10
Router(config-ptp-port)# exit
Router(config-ptp-port)# clock-port MASTER master
Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4 unicast interface
Loopback10
negotiation
Router(config-ptp-port)# end
```

### **Configuring Time of Day**

A Cisco ASR 1002-X Router can exchange time of day and 1PPS input with an external device, such as a GPS receiver, using the time of day and 1PPS input and output interfaces on the router.

Perform these tasks to configure Time of Day (ToD) messages on the Cisco ASR 1002-X Router:

### **Configuring Input Time-of-Day Messages**

This section describes how to configure input time-of-day messages.



Note

You can configure time-of-day input only in a primary PTP clock port.

### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- **2.** ptp clock ordinary domain domain\_number
- 3.  $tod \{R0 \mid R1\} \{cisco \mid ntp\}$
- 4. input [1pps]  $\{ R0 \mid R1 \}$
- **5.** clock-port *name* master
- 6. transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet | Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]
- 7. clock destination ip-address
- **8**. end

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Router# configure terminal	
Step 2	ptp clock ordinary domain domain_number	Creates a PTP clock and specifies the clock mode.
	Example:	
	Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0	
Step 3	tod {R0   R1} {cisco   ntp}	Configures the time-of-day message format used by the
	Example:	1PPS or BITS interface.
	Example:	Note Currently, only R0 1PPS port is supported; R1 is not valid. Also, only ntp mode is supported, not cisco mode.
	Router(config-ptp-clk) # tod R0 ntp	
Step 4	input [1pps] { R0   R1 }	Enables PTP input clocking using a 1.544-Mhz, 2.048-Mhz,
	Example:	or 10-Mhz timing interface, or phase using the 1PPS or RS-422 interface.
	Router(config-ptp-clk)# input 1pps R0	Note Currently, only R0 1PPS port is supported; R1 is not valid.
Step 5	clock-port name master	Specifies the clocking mode of a PTP port and enters the
-	Example:	clock port configuration mode.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port MASTER master	
Step 6	transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet   Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]	Specifies the IP version, transmission mode, and interface that a PTP clock port uses to exchange timing packets.
	Example:  Router(config-ptp-port) # transport ipv4	The <b>negotiation</b> keyword specifies the unicast negotiation mode where the secondary and primary clock exchange negotiation messages before establishing a relationship.
	unicast interface Loopback11 negotiation	Note Only Loopback interface type is supported.
Step 7	clock destination ip-address	Specifies the IP address of a PTP clock destination.
	Example:  Router(config-ptp-port) # clock destination 20.20.20.20	If the clock port is set to primary mode with unicast negotiation, you need not use this command because the device uses negotiation to determine the IP address of secondary PTP devices.
Step 8	end	Exits global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Router(config-ptp-port)# end	

### What to do next

### Examples

The following example shows how to configure input time-of-day messages:

```
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0
Router(config-ptp-clk)# tod R0 ntp
Router(config-ptp-clk)# input
1pps R0
Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port MASTER master
Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4 unicast interface
Loopback11
    negotiation
Router(config-ptp-port)# clock destination
20.20.20.20
Router(config-ptp-port)# end
```

### **Configuring Output Time-of-Day Messages**

This section describes how to configure output time-of-day messages.



Note

You can configure ToD output only on secondary PTP clock ports.

#### **SUMMARY STEPS**

- 1. configure terminal
- 2. ptp clock ordinary domain domain\_number
- 3.  $tod \{R0 \mid R1\} \{cisco \mid ntp\}$
- 4. output [1pps]  $\{R0 \mid R1\}$
- **5.** clock-port *name* slave
- **6.** transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet | Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]
- **7. clock source** *ip-address*
- 8. end

### **DETAILED STEPS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Router# configure terminal	
Step 2	ptp clock ordinary domain domain_number	Creates a PTP clock and specifies the clock mode.
	Example:	
	Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0	
Step 3	tod {R0   R1} {cisco   ntp}	Configures the time-of-day message format used by the
	Example:	1PPS or BITS interface.
	Example:	Note Currently, only R0 1PPS port is supported; R1 is not valid. Also, only ntp mode is supported, not cisco mode.
	Router(config-ptp-clk)# tod R0 ntp	
Step 4	output [1pps] { R0   R1 }	Enables output of time-of-day messages using a 1PPS
	Example:	interface.
	Router(config-ptp-clk)# output R0 ntp	Note Currently, only R0 1PPS port is supported; R1 is not valid.
Step 5	clock-port name slave	Specifies the clocking mode of a PTP port and enters the
	Example:	clock port configuration mode.
	Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port SLAVE slave	
Step 6	transport ipv4 unicast interface {GigabitEthernet   Loopback} interface-number [negotiation]	Specifies the IP version, transmission mode, and interface that a PTP clock port uses to exchange timing packets.
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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4 unicast interface Loopback11 negotiation	The <b>negotiation</b> keyword specifies the unicast negotiation mode where the secondary and primary clock exchange negotiation messages before establishing a relationship.
		Note Only Loopback interface type is supported.
Step 7	clock source ip-address	Specifies the source IP address of a PTP master clock.
	Example:  Router(config-ptp-port)# clock source 10.10.10.10	Note You can specify only 1 primary clock IP address. Priority-based clock source selection is not supported.
Step 8	end	Exits global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Example:	
	Router(config-ptp-port)# end	

#### What to do next

#### Examples

The following example shows how to configure output time-of-day messages:

```
Router# configure terminal
Router(config)# ptp clock ordinary domain 0
Router(config-ptp-clk)# tod R0 ntp
Router(config-ptp-clk)# output
1pps R0
Router(config-ptp-clk)# clock-port MASTER master
Router(config-ptp-port)# transport ipv4 unicast interface
Loopback11
    negotiation
Router(config-ptp-port)# clock source
10.10.10.10
Router(config-ptp-port)# end
```

## Configuration Examples for IEEE 1588v2 PTP on a Cisco ASR1002-X Router

This example shows how to configure IEEE 1588v2 PTP on a Cisco ASR1002-X Router:

### **Unicast Negotiation Mode**

```
Master Clock

ptp clock ordinary domain 1

tod R0 ntp

input 1pps R0

clock-port MASTER master

transport ipv4 unicast interface loopback 0 negotiation

Slave clock
```

```
ptp clock ordinary domain 1
tod R0 ntp
output 1pps R0
clock-port SLAVE slave
transport ipv4 unicast interface loopback 0 negotiation
clock source 10.1.1.1
Boundary clock

ptp clock boundary domain 1
clock-port SLAVE slave
transport ipv4 unicast interface loopback 0 negotiation
clock source 10.1.1.1
clock-port MASTER master
transport ipv4 unicast interface loopback 1 negotiation
```

#### **Unicast Mode**

#### Master Clock

```
ptp clock ordinary domain 1
tod R0 ntp
input 1pps R0
clock-port MASTER master
transport ipv4 unicast interface loopback 0
clock destination 20.1.1.1
Slave clock

ptp clock ordinary domain 1
tod R0 ntp
output 1pps R0
clock-port SLAVE slave
transport ipv4 unicast interface loopback 0
clock source 10.1.1.1
```

# **Verifying the IEEE 1588v2 PTP Configuration**

Use the following commands to verify the IEEE 1588v2 PTP configuration:

• Use the **show ptp clock running domain 0** command to display the output:

```
Router# show ptp clock running domain 0
On the MASTER:
                   PTP Ordinary Clock [Domain 0]
                    Ports Pkts sent Pkts rcvd
1 31522149 10401171
                                                              Redundancy Mode
        FREQ LOCKED 1
                                                              Hot standby
                          PORT SUMMARY
                                                                 PTP Master
Name Tx Mode
                            Transport State
                Role
                                                     Sessions
                                                                Port Addr
MASTER unicast
                                        Master
                master
                            Lo1
                          SESSION INFORMATION
MASTER [Lo1] [Sessions 1]
Peer addr Pkts in 11.11.11.11 10401171
                          Pkts out
                                    In Errs
                                              Out Errs
                         31522149 0
                10401171
                                              Ω
On the SLAVE:
                   PTP Ordinary Clock [Domain 0]
        State
                   Ports
                                 Pkts sent Pkts rcvd
                                                              Redundancy Mode
                                  4532802
        PHASE ALIGNED 1
                                               13357682
                                                              Track one
                           PORT SUMMARY
                                                                PTP Master
Name Tx Mode
                Role
                           Transport
                                      State
                                                    Sessions
                                                              Port Addr
SLAVE unicast
                                       Slave
                                                               10.10.10.10
                slave
                           Lo20
                          SESSION INFORMATION
```

• Use the **show platform software ptp tod** command to check the time-of-day information:

```
PTPd ToD information:
Time: 06/24/14 02:06:29
```

• Use the **show platform ptp tod all** command to check the time-of- day state:

### Router# show platform ptp tod all On the MASTER ToD/1PPS Info for : R0 RJ45 JACK TYPE : RS422 ToD CONFIGURED : YES ToD FORMAT : NTPv4 ToD DELAY : 0 : INPUT : UP : UP 1PPS MODE 1PPS STATE On the SLAVE: ToD/1PPS Info for : R0 RJ45 JACK TYPE : RS422 ToD CONFIGURED : YES ToD FORMAT : NTPv4 : 0 : OUTPUT ToD DELAY 1PPS MODE OFFSET : 0 PULSE WIDTH : 0

# **Additional References**

### **MIBs**

MIB	MIBs Link
None	To locate and download MIBs for selected platforms, Cisco IOS releases, and feature sets, use Cisco MIB Locator found at this URL:
	{start hypertext}http://www.cisco.com/go/mibs{end hypertext}

#### **Technical Assistance**

Description	Link
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# **Feature Information for IEEE 1588v2 PTP Support**

{start cross reference} Table 13-2{end cross reference} lists the features in this module and provides links to specific configuration information.

Use Cisco Feature Navigator to find information about platform support and software image support. Cisco Feature Navigator enables you to determine which software images support a specific software release, feature set, or platform. To access Cisco Feature Navigator, go to {start hypertext}http://www.cisco.com/go/cfn{end hypertext}. An account on Cisco.com is not required.



Note

{start cross reference} Table 13-2{end cross reference} lists only the software release that introduced support for a given feature in a given software release train. Unless noted otherwise, subsequent releases of that software release train also support that feature.

### Table 2: Feature Information for Network Synchronization Support

Feature Name	Releases	Feature Information
IEEE 1588v2 PTP Support		In Cisco IOS XE Release 3.13S, this feature was introduced on the Cisco ASR 1002-X Routers.

Feature Information for IEEE 1588v2 PTP Support