

Configuring Modular QoS Service Packet Classification

Packet classification identifies and marks traffic flows that require congestion management or congestion avoidance on a data path. The Modular Quality of Service (QoS) command-line interface (MQC) is used to define the traffic flows that should be classified, where each traffic flow is called a class of service, or class. Subsequently, a traffic policy is created and applied to a class. All traffic not identified by defined classes falls into the category of a default class.

This module provides the conceptual and configuration information for QoS packet classification.

Feature History for Configuring Modular QoS Packet Classification on Cisco IOS XR Software

Release	Modification
Release 2.0	The Packet Classification feature was introduced.
Release 3.2	IPv6 addressing was supported for the match dscp and match precedence commands.
Release 3.3.0	The Hierarchical Ingress Policing feature was introduced.
	The following commands were added:
	• match cos
	• match vlan
	The qos-group keyword was added to the set discard-class command.
	The discard-class keyword was added to the set qos-group command.
	The maximum number of classes permitted per policy map increased from 16 to 32.
	The not keyword was added to all match commands, except the match access-group command.

Release 3.4.0	The match vlan command range was changed from 0 to 8096 to 1 to 4094.
Release 3.6.0	The Fabric Quality of Service Policies and Classes content was moved to a new module. See Configuring Fabric Quality of Service Policies and Classes on Cisco IOS XR Software.
	Policy Propagation using BGP (QPPB) feature was introduced.
	The maximum number of classes permitted for each policy map was increased from 32 to 512.
	The match not vlan command was not supported.
	The match-all keyword was removed from the class-map command.
Release 3.8.0	The In-Place Policy Modification feature was introduced.
	Support for VPLS QoS was introduced.
	The Unconditional Multiple Action Set feature was introduced.
	Support for the ATM CLP bit was introduced.
Release 3.9.0	Added support for match precendence tunnel and match dscp tunnel for some Layer 2 ingress interfaces (CSCsv50430).
Release 4.0.0	Removed the for ATM on Layer 2 VPN section—it is not supported.
Release 4.1.0	Support for dynamic modification of interface bandwidth was introduced.

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Prerequisites for Configuring Modular QoSP acket Classification

These prerequisites are required for configuring modular QoS packet classification on your network:

• You must be in a user group associated with a task group that includes the proper task IDs. The command reference guides include the task IDs required for each command. If you suspect user group assignment is preventing you from using a command, contact your AAA administrator for assistance.

• You must be familiar with Cisco IOS XR QoS configuration tasks and concepts.

Information About Configuring Modular QoS Packet Classification

Packet Classification Overview

Packet classification involves categorizing a packet within a specific group (or class) and assigning it a traffic descriptor to make it accessible for QoS handling on the network. The traffic descriptor contains information about the forwarding treatment (quality of service) that the packet should receive. Using packet classification, you can partition network traffic into multiple priority levels or classes of service. The source agrees to adhere to the contracted terms and the network promises a quality of service. Traffic policers and traffic shapers use the traffic descriptor of a packet to ensure adherence to the contract.

Traffic policies and traffic shapers rely on packet classification features, such as IP precedence, to select packets (or traffic flows) traversing a router or interface for different types of QoS service. For example, by using the three precedence bits in the type of service (ToS) field of the IP packet header, you can categorize packets into a limited set of up to eight traffic classes. After you classify packets, you can use other QoS features to assign the appropriate traffic handling policies including congestion management, bandwidth allocation, and delay bounds for each traffic class.

Methods of classification may consist of the logical combination of any fields in the packet header, where a packet header may be a Layer 2, a Layer 3, or a Layer 4 header; or classification based on the incoming or outgoing physical or virtual interface.

For ATM, ingress QoS is implemented in the modular services card (MSC). Egress marking and policing are implemented in the MSC. Egress queueing features are implemented in the shared port adapter (SPA). For egress features that are implemented in the SPA, classification is still done in the MSC.

Traffic Class Elements

The purpose of a traffic class is to classify traffic on your router. Use the **class-map** command to define a traffic class.

A traffic class contains three major elements: a name, a series of **match** commands, and, if more than one **match** command exists in the traffic class, an instruction on how to evaluate these **match** commands. The traffic class is named in the **class-map** command. For example, if you use the word *cisco* with the **class-map** command, the traffic class would be named *cisco*.



Note

The **class-map** command supports the **match-any** keyword only. The **match-all** keyword is not supported.

The **match** commands are used to specify various criteria for classifying packets. Packets are checked to determine whether they match the criteria specified in the **match** commands. If a packet matches the specified criteria, that packet is considered a member of the class and is forwarded according to the QoS specifications set in the traffic policy. Packets that fail to meet any of the matching criteria are classified as members of the default traffic class. See the Default Traffic Class.

The instruction on how to evaluate these **match** commands needs to be specified if more than one match criterion exists in the traffic class. The evaluation instruction is specified with the **class-map [match-any]** command. If the **match-any** option is specified as the evaluation instruction, the traffic being evaluated by the traffic class must match at least one of the specified criteria. The **match-any** keyword is the only evaluation option supported.



Note

Users can provide multiple values for a match type in a single line of configuration; that is, if the first value does not meet the match criteria, then the next value indicated in the match statement is considered for classification.

This table lists the traffic class match criteria supported on the router.



Note

Unless otherwise indicated, the match criteria for Layer 3 physical interfaces applies to bundle interfaces.

Table 1: Supported Traffic Class Match Criteria

Match Criteria	Layer	2 Ingress	3	Layer	2 Egress		Layer	3 Ingres	ss	Layer	3 Egres	s
	PAC	CAC	p-C	PAC	CAC	p-C	Phy	SIf	P-SIf	Phy	SIf	P-SIf
prec	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
dscp	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
vlan	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y
CoS	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y9	Y9	N	N	N
dægarb	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
dscaddss	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
EXP	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
protocol	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
accesgrop	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
mac, src	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
mac, dst	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
appriority	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N
vpls known	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y

Match Criteria	Layer 2	Ingress		Layer 2	Egress		Layer 3	Ingress		Layer 3	Egress	
vpls unknown	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
vpls multicast	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
match atm-clp	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N



- The match qos-group command is supported on ingress (Layer 3) for QPPB only.
- PAC stands for port attachment circuit.
- CAC stands for customer attachment circuit.
- p-C stands for physical interface with underlying CACs.
- Phy stands for physical interface, SIIf stands for subinterface, and P-SIf stands for physical interface with underlying subinterfaces.
- The match atm-clp is the only match criteria supported on ATM interfaces.

The function of these commands is described more thoroughly in the *Cisco IOS XR Modular Quality of Service Command Reference for the* Cisco CRS Router.

The traffic class configuration task is described in the Creating a Traffic Class.

Traffic Policy Elements

The purpose of a traffic policy is to configure the QoS features that should be associated with the traffic that has been classified in a user-specified traffic class or classes. The **policy-map** command is used to create a traffic policy. A traffic policy contains three elements: a name, a traffic class (specified with the **class** command), and the QoS policies. The name of a traffic policy is specified in the policy map MQC (for example, the **policy-map** *policy1* command creates a traffic policy named *policy1*). The traffic class that is used to classify traffic to the specified traffic policy is defined in class map configuration mode. After choosing the traffic class that is used to classify traffic to the traffic policy, the user can enter the QoS features to apply to the classified traffic.

The MQC does not necessarily require that users associate only one traffic class to one traffic policy. When packets match to more than one match criterion, as many as 512 traffic classes can be associated to a single traffic policy. The 512 class maps include the default class and the classes of the child policies, if any.

The order in which classes are configured in a policy map is important. The match rules of the classes are programmed into the TCAM in the order in which the classes are specified in a policy map. Therefore, if a packet can possibly match multiple classes, only the first matching class is returned and the corresponding policy is applied.

The function of these commands is described more thoroughly in the *Cisco IOS XR Modular Quality of Service Command Referencefor the* Cisco CRS Router.

The traffic policy configuration task is described in Creating a Traffic Policy.

Limitation

Fragmented IPv4 packets are subjected to egress QoS policies only on the main interface and not on sub-interfaces. The fragmented IPv4 packets are subjected to the Local Packet Transport Services (LPTS) policer. IPv4 packets are fragmented when the egress interface MTU is smaller than the packet size.

Default Traffic Class

Unclassified traffic (traffic that does not meet the match criteria specified in the traffic classes) is treated as belonging to the default traffic class.

If the user does not configure a default class, packets are still treated as members of the default class. However, by default, the default class has no enabled features. Therefore, packets belonging to a default class with no configured features have no QoS functionality. These packets are then placed into a first in, first out (FIFO) queue and forwarded at a rate determined by the available underlying link bandwidth. This FIFO queue is managed by a congestion avoidance technique called tail drop.

For further information about congestion avoidance techniques, such as tail drop, see Configuring Modular QoS Congestion Avoidance on Cisco IOS XR Software module.

Port Shape Policies

When a port shaping policy is applied to a main interface, individual regular service policies can also be applied on its subinterfaces. Port shaping policy maps have these restrictions:

- class-default is the only allowed class map.
- The shape class action is the only allowed class action.
- They can only be configured in the egress direction.
- They can only be applied to main interfaces, not to subinterfaces.
- Two- and three- level policies are not supported. Only one level or flat policies are supported.

If any of the above restrictions are violated, the configured policy map is applied as a regular policy, not a port shaping policy.

Class-based Unconditional Packet Marking Feature and Benefits

The Class-based, Unconditional Packet Marking feature provides users with a means for efficient packet marking by which the users can differentiate packets based on the designated markings.

The Class-based, Unconditional Packet Marking feature allows users to perform these tasks:

- Mark packets by setting the IP precedence bits or the IP differentiated services code point (DSCP) in the IP ToS byte.
- Mark Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) packets by setting the EXP bits within the imposed or topmost label.
- Mark packets by setting the value of the *qos-group* argument.
- Mark packets by setting the value of the discard-class argument.



When the router receives multicast traffic from a Multicast Label Distribution Protocol (MLDP) solution, the MPLS label from the received packet is not dispositioned at the ingress line-card. Instead, the label is removed at the egress line-card. As a result, you cannot mark the IP header for incoming multicast traffic in an MLDP scenario. This means that such packets will not be marked with a Differentiated Services Code Point (DSCP) or precedence value. This is expected behavior for the line cards listed below and is applicable for unconditional marking and for packet marking as policer action (also known as conditional marking):

- ASR 9000 Ethernet Line Cards
- Cisco ASR 9000 High Density 100GE Ethernet line cards

Unconditional packet marking allows you to partition your network into multiple priority levels or classes of service, as follows:

Use QoS unconditional packet marking to set the IP precedence or IP DSCP values for packets entering
the network. Routers within your network can then use the newly marked IP precedence values to
determine how the traffic should be treated.

For example, weighted random early detection (WRED), a congestion avoidance technique, uses IP precedence values to determine the probability that a packet is dropped. In addition, low-latency queuing (LLQ) can then be configured to put all packets of that mark into the priority queue.

- Use QoS unconditional packet marking to assign MPLS packets to a QoS group. The router uses the QoS group to determine how to prioritize packets for transmission. To set the QoS group identifier on MPLS packets, use the **set qos-group** command in policy map class configuration mode.
- Use CoS unconditional packet marking to assign packets to set the priority value of 802.1p/Inter-Switch
 Link (ISL) packets. The router uses the CoS value to determine how to prioritize packets for transmission
 and can use this marking to perform Layer 2-to-Layer 3 mapping. To set the Layer 2 CoS value of an
 outgoing packet, use the set cos command in policy map configuration mode.

The configuration task is described in the Configuring Class-based Unconditional Packet Marking.

This table shows the supported class-based unconditional packet marking operations.



Note

Unless otherwise indicated, the class-based unconditional packet marking for Layer 3 physical interfaces applies to bundle interfaces.

Table 2: Supported Class-based Unconditional Packet Marking Operations

Marking Operation	Layer 2	Ingress		Layer 2	Egress		Layer 3	Ingress		Layer 3	Egress	
	PAC	CAC	p-C	PAC	CAC	р-С	Phy	SIf	P-SIf	Phy	SIf	P-Sif
prec	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
prec tunnel	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N

Marking Operation	Layer 2	! Ingress		Layer 2	Egress		Layer 3	Ingress		Layer 3	Egress	
dscp	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
dscp tunnel	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N
CoS	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
appriority	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y
qosgroup	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N
dicaddess	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N
EXP, imposition	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N
EXP, topmost	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
atm-clp	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N



Note

- PAC stands for port attachment circuit.
- CAC stands for customer attachment circuit.
- Phy stands for physical interface, SIIf stands for subinterface, and P-SIf stands for physical interface with underlying subinterfaces.
- p-C stands for physical interface with underlying CACs.
- The atm-clp is the only command supported on ATM subinterfaces.

Unconditional Multiple Action Set

The Unconditional Multiple Action Set feature allows you to mark packets with unconditional multiple action sets through a class map. These unconditional markings are supported.

Unconditional Ingress Markings

Both the discard-class and qos-group packets are marked independent of other markings. In addition to the discard-class and qos-group, at the maximum, two set actions are supported in each of the data paths (IP, MPLS, and Layer 2).

In a hierarchical policy, markings for a parent and its child classes in the same hierarchy cannot exceed more than two actions, which is different from the discard-class and qos-group packets.

If the same type of marking is configured in both parent and child, it is considered as a single marking as child marking overrides the parent marking.

This table lists the unconditional QoS ingress markings that are supported for IP, MPLS, or Layer 2 data paths.



Note

Unless otherwise indicated, the unconditional QoS ingress marking for Layer 3 physical interfaces applies to bundle interfaces.

Common Packets for IP, MPLS, or Layer 2	Layer 3 IP Packets	Layer 3 MPLS Packets	Layer 2 Packets
discard-class	dscp or precedence	MPLS experimental imposition	MPLS experimental imposition
qos-group	tunnel dscp or tunnel precedence	MPLS experimental topmost	tunnel dscp or tunnel precedence
_	MPLS experimental imposition	_	
_	_	_	_
_	_	_	_



Note

- Both DSCP and precedence packets are mutually exclusive.
- Both tunnel DSCP and tunnel precedence packets are mutually exclusive.

Unconditional Egress Markings

Both cos and srp-priority packets are marked as independent from other markings. In addition to the cos and srp-priority packets, one more set actions are supported in the IP and MPLS data paths. In a hierarchical policy, markings for a parent and its child classes in the same hierarchy cannot exceed more than two, which is different from the cos and srp-priority packets.

If the same type of marking is used for both a parent and child, the marking type is considered as a single marking as the marking at child level overrides the marking at parent level.

This table lists the unconditional QoS egress markings that are supported for IP, MPLS, or Layer 2 data paths.



Note

Unless otherwise indicated, the unconditional QoS egress marking for Layer 3 physical interfaces applies to bundle interfaces.

Common Packets for IP, MPLS, or Layer 2	Layer 3 IP Packets	Layer 3 MPLS Packets
cos or srp-priority	dscp or precedence	MPLS experimental topmost
	MPLS Experimental Imposition	MPLS Experimental Imposition



- Both cos and srp-priority packets are mutually exclusive.
- Both DSCP and precedence packets are mutually exclusive.



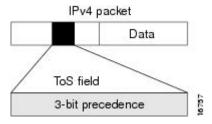
Note

For a list of supported conditional marking operations, see Table 3 in the Configuring Modular Quality of Service Congestion Management on Cisco IOS XR Software module.

Specification of the CoS for a Packet with IP Precedence

Use of IP precedence allows you to specify the CoS for a packet. You use the three precedence bits in the ToS field of the IP version 4 (IPv4) header for this purpose. This figure shows the ToS field.

Figure 1: IPv4 Packet Type of Service Field



Using the ToS bits, you can define up to eight classes of service. Other features configured throughout the network can then use these bits to determine how to treat the packet in regard to the ToS to grant it. These other QoS features can assign appropriate traffic-handling policies, including congestion management strategy and bandwidth allocation. For example, although IP precedence is not a queuing feature, queuing features, such as LLQ, can use the IP precedence setting of the packet to prioritize traffic.

By setting precedence levels on incoming traffic and using them in combination with the Cisco IOS XR QoS queuing features, you can create differentiated service.

So that each subsequent network element can provide service based on the determined policy, IP precedence is usually deployed as close to the edge of the network or administrative domain as possible. You can think of IP precedence as an edge function that allows core, or backbone, QoS features, such as WRED, to forward traffic based on CoS. IP precedence can also be set in the host or network client, but this setting can be overridden by policy within the network.

The configuration task is described in the Configuring Class-based Unconditional Packet Marking.

IP Precedence Bits Used to Classify Packets

Use the three IP precedence bits in the ToS field of the IP header to specify the CoS assignment for each packet. As mentioned earlier, you can partition traffic into a maximum of eight classes and then use policy maps to define network policies in terms of congestion handling and bandwidth allocation for each class.

For historical reasons, each precedence corresponds to a name. These names are defined in RFC 791. This table lists the numbers and their corresponding names, from least to most important.

Table 3: IP Precedence Values

Number	Name
0	routine
1	priority
2	immediate
3	flash
4	flash-override
5	critical
6	internet
7	network

The IP precedence feature allows you considerable flexibility for precedence assignment. That is, you can define your own classification mechanism. For example, you might want to assign precedence based on application or access router.



Note

IP precedence bit settings 6 and 7 are reserved for network control information, such as routing updates.

IP Precedence Value Settings

By default, Cisco IOS XR software leaves the IP precedence value untouched. This preserves the precedence value set in the header and allows all internal network devices to provide service based on the IP precedence setting. This policy follows the standard approach stipulating that network traffic should be sorted into various types of service at the edge of the network and that those types of service should be implemented in the core of the network. Routers in the core of the network can then use the precedence bits to determine the order of transmission, the likelihood of packet drop, and so on.

Because traffic coming into your network can have the precedence set by outside devices, we recommend that you reset the precedence for all traffic entering your network. By controlling IP precedence settings, you prohibit users that have already set the IP precedence from acquiring better service for their traffic simply by setting a high precedence for all of their packets.

The class-based unconditional packet marking, LLQ, and WRED features can use the IP precedence bits.

You can use these features to set the IP precedence in packets:

- Class-based unconditional packet marking. See Configuring Class-based Unconditional Packet Marking.
- QoS Policy Propagation Using Border Gateway Protocol (QPPB). See QoS Policy Propagation Using Border Gateway Protocol.



Note

The CRS-MSC-140G does not support QPPB.

TCP Establishment DSCP Marking/ Set IP Precedence/DSCP for NTP

The Differentiated Services Code Point (DSCP) field in an IP packet which helps enables different levels of service to be assigned to network traffic. Marking is a process, which helps to modify QOS fields incoming and outgoing packets. You can use marking commands in traffic classes, which are referenced in the policy map. You can configure the following marking features:

- DSCP
- IP Precedence
- CoS

Each IP packet is marked with a DSCP code and assigned to corresponding level of service. DSCP is a combination of IP Precedence and Type of Service fields. The TCP Establishment DSCP Marking/Set IP Precedence feature sets Network Time Protocol (NTP) with the DSCP field. NTP packets can be based on either IPv4 and IPv6 based respectively. The NTP sets DSCP/TOS field under either v4 or v6 IP headers. The DSCP level can be configured through the NTP configuration. The configured level will be set across NTP packets throughout IP layer.

IP Precedence Compared to IP DSCP Marking

IP precedence and DSCP markings are used to decide how packets should be treated in WRED.

The IP DSCP value is the first six bits in the ToS byte, and the IP precedence value is the first three bits in the ToS byte. The IP precedence value is actually part of the IP DSCP value. Therefore, both values cannot be set simultaneously. If both values are set simultaneously, the packet is marked with the IP DSCP value.

If you need to mark packets in your network and all your devices support IP DSCP marking, use the IP DSCP marking to mark your packets because the IP DSCP markings provide more unconditional packet marking options. If marking by IP DSCP is undesirable, however, or if you are unsure if the devices in your network support IP DSCP values, use the IP precedence value to mark your packets. The IP precedence value is likely to be supported by all devices in the network.

You can set up to 8 different IP precedence markings and 64 different IP DSCP markings.

Configuring DSCP for source IPv4 address for NTP Packets

To mark a packet by setting the **IP DSCP** value for **NTP** packets, use the following commands (given below) starting in global configuration mode. These commands permit configuring the DSCP for source addresses, to mark **NTP** packets, so that the marked **NTP** packets are treated as per the DSCP markings. There are different code point values available for different services:

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. $ntp \{ipv4\} dscp$
- 3. end or commit
- 4. show processes ntpd
- 5. show ntp associations

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/0/CPU0:Router#configure	
	Mon Aug 10 14:35:04.826 IST RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config)#	
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Step 2	ntp {ipv4} dscp	Specifies Differentiated services code point (dscp) value.
	Example:	The range is from 0 to 63. The default value is 0.
	<pre>RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config)#ntp ipv4 dscp ? <0-63> Differentiated services codepoint value</pre>	
	af11 Match packets with AF11 dscp (001010) af12 Match packets with AF12 dscp (001100)	
	af13 Match packets with AF13 dscp (001110)	
	af21 Match packets with AF21 dscp (010010)	
	af22 Match packets with AF22 dscp (010100)	
	af23 Match packets with AF23 dscp (010110) af31 Match packets with AF31 dscp (011010)	
	af32 Match packets with AF32 dscp (011100)	
	af33 Match packets with AF33 dscp (011110)	
	af41 Match packets with AF41 dscp (100010)	
	af42 Match packets with AF42 dscp (100100)	
	af43 Match packets with AF43 dscp (100110)	
	cs1 Match packets with CS1(precedence 1) dscp (001000)	
	cs2 Match packets with CS2(precedence 2)	
	dscp (010000)	
	cs3 Match packets with CS3(precedence 3)	
	dscp (011000)	
	cs4 Match packets with CS4(precedence 4)	
	dscp (100000) cs5 Match packets with CS5(precedence 5)	
	dscp (101000)	
	cs6 Match packets with CS6(precedence 6)	
	dscp (110000)	
	cs7 Match packets with CS7(precedence 7)	
	dscp (111000) default Match packets with default dscp (000000)	
	ef Match packets with EF dscp (101110)	
Step 3	end or commit	Commit- saves the configuration changes and remains
	Example:	within the configuration session.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config)#commit	End- prompts the user to take one of these actions:
	Example:	Yes- Saves configuration changes and exits the configuration session.
	RP/0/0/CPU0:Router#exit	No-Exits the configuration session without committing the configuration changes.

	Command or Action	Purpose
		Cancel-Remains in the configuration session, without committing the configuration changes.
Step 4	show processes ntpd	Displays the ntpd process
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router#show processes ntpd Mon Jun 22 20:25:18.026 IST Job Id: 208	
	PID: 2540 Executable path: /pkg/bin/ntpd Instance #: 1 Version ID: 00.00.0000	
	Respawn: ON Respawn count: 1 Last started: Fri Jun 19 16:04:14 201	5
	Process state: Run Package state: Normal Process group: dlrsc	
	core: MAINMEM Max. core: 0 Level: 120	
	Placement: None startup_path: /pkg/startup/ip_ntp.startup	
	Ready: 2.444s Process cpu time: 0.074s user, 0.031s kernel, 1.005s total PID TID CPU Stack Pri State Run Tim	e e
	CPU use NAME 2540 2978 1 92K 15 Sleeping 3:04:20:59 0.000s ntpd	
	2540 2975 4 92K 15 Sleeping 3:04:20:59 0.001s ntpd 2540 2947 5 92K 15 Sleeping x3:04:20:59	
	0.027s chkpt_evm 2540 2943 1 92K 15 Sleeping 3:04:21:00 0.000s ITAL Server Thr	
	2540 2914 5 92K 15 Sleeping 3:04:21:00 0.000s async 2540 2810 3 92K 15 Sleeping 3:04:21:00	
	0.000s EnXR internal:mmap_peer_threa 2540 2760 2 92K 15 Sleeping 3:04:21:00 0.011s ntpd 2540 2540 1 92K 15 Sleeping 3:04:21:03	
	0.064s ntpd	
Step 5	show ntp associations	Shows the status of NTP associations.
	Example:	
	Router# show ntp associations Sat Feb 14 13:53:18.468 UTC	

Con	mand or Action				
re	address ach delay of	ref clock	st	when	poll
*~2	=	171.68.38.65	2	121	128
*		lected, + candid	ate,	- outl	aye

Configure DSCP CS7 (Precedence 7)

Before you begin

The IP DSCP value in the class map command using the following commands, starting with the global configuration mode.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- **2. ntp** *ipv4* **dscp** *cs7*
- 3. end or commit

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/0/CPU0:Router#configure Mon Aug 10 14:35:04.826 IST RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config)#	
Step 2	ntp ipv4 dscp cs7	Configures options in DSCP for a particular source address in IPv4 packets.
Step 3	<pre>end or commit Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config)#commit</pre>	Commit Command saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session. End Command prompts the 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.

Configure IPv4 DSCP Precedence

Before you begin

The following steps help you to configure **DSCP** precedence:

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- **2. ntp** { *ipv4* } **precedence** *codepoint_value*
- **3. ntp** $\{ipv4\}$ **precedence**
- 4. end or commit
- 5. show ntp status

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/0/CPU0:Router#configure Mon Aug 10 14:35:04.826 IST RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config)#	
Step 2	ntp {ipv4 } precedence codepoint_value	Sets the ntp [IPv4] precedence. It ranges from 0 to 63.
	Example:	
	RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config) #ntp ipv4 precedence ? <0-7> Precedence value critical Match packets with critical	
	precedence (5) flash Match packets with flash precedence (3) flash-override Match packets with flash override precedence (4)	
	immediate Match packets with immediate precedence (2) internet Match packets with internetwork control precedence (6) network Match packets with network	
	control precedence (7) priority Match packets with priority precedence (1)	
	routine Match packets with routine precedence (0)	
Step 3	ntp { ipv4} precedence	Sets precedence values.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config)#ntp ipv4 precedence internet	
Step 4	<pre>end or commit Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config)#commit Example: RP/0/0/CPU0:Router#exit (</pre>	Commit- saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session. End- prompts the 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 5	show ntp status Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router#show ntp status Mon Aug 10 14:35:04.826 IST Clock is synchronized, stratum 3, reference is 223.255.254.254 nominal freq is 1000000000.0000 Hz, actual freq is 30440042.8893 Hz, precision is 2**22 reference time is D889D255.BF525356 (13:55:33.747 UTC Sat Feb 14 2015) clock offset is -0.413 msec, root delay is 3.569 msec root dispersion is 20.55 msec, peer dispersion is 4.04 msec loopfilter state is 'CTRL' (Normal Controlled Loop), drift is 0.0000318515 s/s system poll interval is 128, last update was 117 sec ago	

Configure IPv6 DSCP precedence

Before you begin

You can configure **DSCP** precedence:

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- **2. ntp** , source { *ipv6* } **dscp** *codepoint_value*

- **3. ntp** { *ipv6* } **precedence** *codepoint_value*
- 4. end or commit

		· ·
Step 1	configure	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config)#	
Step 2	ntp , source { ipv6 } dscp codepoint_value	Configures options in DSCP for a particular source address
	Example:	in IPV6 packets. The value ranges between 0 - 63.
	RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config) #ntp ipv6 dscp? <0-63> Differentiated services codepoint value af11 Match packets with AF11 dscp (001010) af12 Match packets with AF12 dscp (001100) af13 Match packets with AF13 dscp (001110) af21 Match packets with AF21 dscp (010010) af22 Match packets with AF22 dscp (010010) af33 Match packets with AF33 dscp (010110) af31 Match packets with AF31 dscp (011010) af32 Match packets with AF32 dscp (011100) af33 Match packets with AF33 dscp (011110) af41 Match packets with AF41 dscp (100010) af42 Match packets with AF41 dscp (100010) af43 Match packets with AF42 dscp (100100) af44 Match packets with AF43 dscp (100110) cs1 Match packets with CS1(precedence 1) dscp (001000) cs2 Match packets with CS2(precedence 2) dscp (010000) cs3 Match packets with CS3(precedence 3) dscp (101000) cs4 Match packets with CS4(precedence 4) dscp (100000) cs5 Match packets with CS5(precedence 5) dscp (101000) cs6 Match packets with CS6(precedence 6) dscp (110000) cs7 Match packets with CS7(precedence 7) dscp (111000) default Match packets with default dscp (000000) ef Match packets with EF dscp (101110)	
Step 3	ntp { ipv6 } precedence codepoint_value Example:	Sets ntp <i>ipv6</i> precedence

	Command or Action	Purpose
	RP/0/0/CPU0:Router(config)#ntp ipv6 precedence? <0-7> Precedence value critical Match packets with critical precedence (5)	
	flash Match packets with flash precedence (3) flash-override Match packets with flash override precedence (4) immediate Match packets with immediate precedence (2) internet Match packets with internetwork control precedence (6) network Match packets with network control precedence (7) priority Match packets with priority precedence (1) routine Match packets with routine precedence (0)	
Step 4	<pre>end or commit Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:Router(config)#commit Example: RP/0/0/CPU0:ios#exit (</pre>	Commit- saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session. End- prompts the 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.

QoS Policy Propagation Using Border Gateway Protocol

Packet classification identifies and marks traffic flows that require congestion management or congestion avoidance on a data path. Quality-of-service Policy Propagation Using Border Gateway Protocol (QPPB) allows you to classify packets by Qos Group ID, based on access lists (ACLs), Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) community lists, BGP autonomous system (AS) paths, Source Prefix address, or Destination Prefix address. After a packet has been classified, you can use other QoS features such as policing and weighted random early detection (WRED) to specify and enforce policies to fit your business model.

QoS Policy Propagation Using BGP (QPPB) allows you to map BGP prefixes and attributes to Cisco Express Forwarding (CEF) parameters that can be used to enforce traffic policing. QPPB allows BGP policy set in one location of the network to be propagated using BGP to other parts of the network, where appropriate QoS policies can be created.

QPPB supports both the IPv4 and IPv6 address-families.

QPPB allows you to classify packets based on:

- · Access lists.
- BGP community lists. You can use community lists to create groups of communities to use in a match clause of a route policy. As with access lists, you can create a series of community lists.
- BGP autonomous system paths. You can filter routing updates by specifying an access list on both incoming and outbound updates, based on the BGP autonomous system path.
- Source Prefix address. You can classify a set of prefixes coming from the address of a BGP neighbor(s).
- Destination Prefix address. You can classify a set of BGP prefixes.

Classification can be based on the source or destination address of the traffic. BGP and CEF must be enabled for the QPPB feature to be supported.



Note

The Cisco CRS router does not support ip-precedence-based QPPB (support only for gos-based QPPB).

QoS on PWHE

QoS on Pseudo-wire Head End (PWHE) enables enhanced L3VPN and L2VPN service on a service-provider-edge router. The available PWHE types are PW-Ether main interfaces, PW-Ether subinterfaces, and PW interworking (IW) interfaces.



Note

The PWHE-Ether subinterfaces and PW-IW interfaces are supported from Release 5.1.1 onwards.

For more information on PWHE-QoS, refer the Modular QoS Configuration Guide for Cisco CRS Routers

Supported Features

Features of QoS on PWHE:

- IPv4 and IPv6 address-families are supported.
- Policy maps on both ingress and egress PWHE. Both ingress and egress support policing, marking, and queuing within hardware limitations.
- Policies at the port for the transit traffic can be applied simultaneously with policies for PWHE interfaces.
- Policy is replicated on all PWHE members. This means the rate specified in the PWHE policy-map is limited to the lowest rate of all the pin down members. For example, if the PWHE interface has both 1G and 10G pin down members, the rate is limited to 1G. if the 10G member has a shaper of 900 mbps, the rate of the PWHE interface policy is limited to 900 mbps.
- Port shaping policy on the member interface will impact the PWHE traffic passing through that port.
- Policy maps can be applied on PW-Ether subinterface.
- PW-Ether subinterfaces inherit policy on its main PW-Ether interface.
- PW-Ether subinterface can have policy configured as shared policy instance (SPI).

- PW-Ether main and subinterface policies may co-exist.
- L2 multicast and flood over PW-Ether interface are supported.
- L3 multicast over PW-Ether interface are supported.
- Independent of line card co-existence mode, percentage based rate at the lowest policy level in PW-Ether main and subinterface policies is supported.



In the same policy, the grand parent level is lower than parent level, and parent level is lower than child level.

Limitations

- QoS accounting does not include pseudowire header.
- All match commands specified in this configuration task are considered optional, but you must configure
 at least one match criterion for a class.
- For the **match access-group** command, QoS classification based on the packet length or TTL (time to live) field in the IPv4 and IPv6 headers is not supported.
- QoS configuration for a PWHE interface is allowed even if the generic-interface-list is not attached or
 the generic interface list has no configured interfaces. If the PWHE interface configuration holds a feature
 that is not supported, it may not be alerted to the operator until after the generic interface list with
 associated interfaces is attached.

In such cases, one scenario could be that the invalid QoS configuration is detected after a generic-interface-list configuration is applied, resulting in that specific PWHE remaining down. An IOS error message is displayed, asking for user intervention and an automatic retry is initiated.

Sample error message for an invalid QOS configuration:

RP/0/RSP0/CPU0:2019 Jan 19 13:52:06.255 CET: pwhe ma[404]:

%L2-L2VPN_MA_PWHE-3-REPLICATION_FAILED: Interface replication failure; interface name: PW-Ether2098; error code: 'qos-ea' detected the 'warning' condition 'Cannot bind policy-map to both main interface and sub-interface in the same direction'. Replication will be retried.

Refer to the IOS error message and remove the invalid QoS configuration under the PWHE interface. This issue is resolved after the invalid configuration is removed and the PWHE interface comes up automatically.

Bandwidth Distribution

PWHE and non-PWHE traffic on the same pin down member share scheduling resources. It is recommended to configure bandwidth remaining in the parent class-default of PWHE policies to control the distribution of excess bandwidth between PWHE and non-PWHE traffic.

Bandwidth remaining command can be used in the parent default class of PWHE policies allowing user to control the distribution of excess bandwidth between various PWHE interfaces and physical interface.

QoS Accounting

- The packet length when performing QoS functions (policing, shaping, statistics, etc.) will be based on the customer IP packet, customer L2 header and the configured additional overhead.
- QoS statistics will include the customer IP packet, customer L2 header and configured additional overhead.



For PW-IW interfaces, the packet length used for QoS accounting does not contain customer L2 header.

• Outer MPLS headers (VC label, transport labels, etc.) and outer L2 header (Layer 2 encap of the underlying physical interface) will not be included in the packet length when performing QoS on the PWHE virtual interface.

Classification and Marking Support

Marking for PW-Ether in ingress and egress direction

- Marking of customer IP header, qos-group and discard-class will be supported.
- Marking of EXP bits for all imposed MPLS labels will be supported for PWHE main interface and PW-Ether subinterfaces.
- EXP for imposed labels can be set in an ingress or an egress policy attached to a PWHE interface.



Note

For non-PWHE interfaces, EXP for imposed labels can only be set in an ingress policy. This is an exception made for PWHE interfaces because more labels are imposed on the customer IP packet after processing the egress QoS policy.

- For unconditional markings in ingress direction, the following fields can be marked DSCP/precedence, EXP for imposed labels, gos-group and discard-class.
- For unconditional markings in egress direction, the following fields can be marked DSCP/precedence, discard-class and EXP for imposed labels.
- For conditional policer markings in ingress direction, at most two of the following fields can be marked DSCP/precedence, EXP for imposed labels, qos-group and discard-class.
- For conditional policer markings in egress direction, the following fields can be marked DSCP/precedence, discard-class and EXP for imposed labels.

L2 header based classification and marking support

The Table-1, Table-2 and Table-3 summarizes the L2 header based classification and marking support on different PWHE interfaces.

Table 4: Supported L2 header based classification and marking for PW-Ether VC type 4 interface

PW-Ether VC type 4		
Classification	Ingress	Egress
SRC MAC	Yes	No
DEST MAC	Yes	No

DEI	Yes	No
DEI Inner	No	No
COS	Yes	No
COS Inner	No	No
VLAN	Yes	No
VLAN Inner	No	No
Marking		
DEI	No	No
COS	No	No
COS Inner	No	No

Table 5: Supported L2 header based classification and marking for PW-Ether VC type 5 interface

PW-Ether VC type 5		
Classification	Ingress	Egress
SRC MAC	Yes	No
DEST MAC	Yes	No
DEI	Yes	Yes
DEI Inner	No	No
COS	Yes	Yes
COS Inner	Yes	Yes
VLAN	No	No
VLAN Inner	No	No
Marking		
DEI	No	Yes
COS	No	Yes
COS Inner	No	Yes



The classification and marking applied on PW-Ether main interface are inherited by its subinterfaces without policy.

Table 6: Supported L2 header based classification and marking for PW-Ether L3 subinterface VC type 5

PW-Ether L3 subinterface VC type 5		
Classification	Ingress	Egress
SRC MAC	Yes	No
DEST MAC	Yes	No
DEI	Yes	Yes
DEI Inner	No	No
COS	Yes	Yes
COS Inner	Yes	Yes
VLAN	Yes	Yes
VLAN Inner	Yes	Yes
Marking		
DEI	No	Yes
COS	No	Yes
COS Inner	No	Yes

For PW-Ether L2 subinterface VC type 5, all classification and marking are supported.

L2 classification and marking are not supported for PW-IW interface VC type 11.

Policing and Queuing support

All the policing features supported on normal L3 interfaces will be supported on PWHE main interface and subinterface too.

Queuing

	Ingress and Egress Queues	Ingress and Egress Policers
PWHE interface with no policy map	Each PWHE member has per port default queues. Both the ingress and egress traffic will use the members port default queue.	Not applicable
PWHE interface with a policy map	Any ingress and egress queues in the policymaps would be replicated on each PWHE member.	Any ingress and egress policer in the policymaps would be replicated per each PWHE member.



Noto

If PWHE member is a bundle, policy maps will be replicated on bundle members.

Statistics

Show commands of a PWHE virtual interface and PWHE subinterface QoS policy will provide ingress / egress statistics;

- per pin down member.
- per bundle member if the bundle is a pin down member.
- aggregated stats on the whole PWHE interface.
- shared policy instance per pin down member.
- aggregated stats on the whole bundle if the bundle is a pin down member.
- PWHE aggregate shaper stats aggregates all queuing stats of all subinterfaces.

Co-existence of PWHE Main and Subinterface Policies

A line card (LC) can be configured to allow PWHE aggregate shaper policy to co-exist with subinterface policies. This mode is known as co-existence mode. The PWHE aggregate shaper policy will only have a class-default with shape and bandwidth remaining actions. If no PWHE subinterface policy exists, PWHE main interface can have up to 3 level-queuing hierarchical policy.

The co-existence mode with subinterface queuing policies is known as co-existence queuing mode. The co-existence mode with subinterface non-queuing policies is known as co-existence non-queuing mode.

As shown in below examples, PWHE aggregate shaper policy can have:

- · only shape action
- · only bandwidth remaining action
- shape and bandwidth remaining actions.

Here is the example for PWHE aggregate shaper policy with only shape action:

```
policy-map pwhe-aggregate-shaper
class class-default
shape average 1 gbps
!
end-policy-map
!
end
```

Here is the example for PWHE aggregate shaper policy with only bandwidth remaining action:

```
policy-map pwhe-aggregate-shaper
class class-default
bandwidth remaining ratio 20
!
end-policy-map
!
end
```

Here is the example for PWHE aggregate shaper policy with shape and bandwidth remaining actions:

```
policy-map pwhe-aggregate-shaper
class class-default
shape average 1 gbps
bandwidth remaining ratio 20
```

```
end-policy-map
!
end
```



It is recommended to configure shape and bandwidth remaining actions for PWHE aggregate shaper policy.

Restrictions

These restrictions apply while configuring co-existence mode:

- If co-existence mode is configured for all LCs in ingress direction then co-existence mode configuration for specified LC in ingress will be rejected. But co-existence configuration for specified LC in egress will be accepted provided there is no co-existence mode configured for all LCs in egress direction.
- If any PWHE main or subinterface has policy configured on a LC, configuring or not configuring co-existence mode will take effect after the LC reloads.
- If no PWHE main or subinterface has policy configured on a LC, configuring or not configuring co-existence mode will take effect immediately on the LC. It is recommended to commit the co-existence mode change before adding QoS policies on the PWHE main or subinterfaces.
- In the co-existence queuing mode, policy applied on PWHE subinterface will have up to 2-levels of queuing. Configuring a 3-level queuing policy on PWHE subinterface will be rejected.
- In the co-existence non-queuing mode, only non-queuing policies on subinterfaces are allowed to co-exist with the PWHE aggregate shaper. If PWHE main interface does not have policy, then subinterface policy can have up to 2-level of queuing.
- When a LC is not in co-existence mode, the PWHE main interface and subinterfaces cannot have policies at the same time. But each can have policy if the other does not.
- The traffic for PWHE main interface and subinterfaces without queuing policy will use the pin down interface default queue. The behavior is consistent whether the LC is in co-existence mode or not.
- In co-existence queuing, non-queuing mode or co-existence disabled (default) mode, applying a non-aggregate shaper policy on PWHE main interface is allowed if subinterface policy does not exists. The non-aggregate shaper policy can have up to 3-levels of queuing. If non-aggregate shaper policy applied on PWHE main interface is a queuing policy, it impacts traffic on the PWHE main interface and subinterfaces because the traffic is moving from the port default queues to the new queues created for the PWHE.
- After PWHE subinterface policies are applied, in-place modification of the PWHE aggregate shaper is also allowed but after the modification the policy should still be a PWHE aggregate shaper.
- PWHE subinterface policy co-existing with PWHE aggregate shaper is allowed to be configured as SPI.

PW-Ether Subinterface Policy

QoS policies can be applied on PW-Ether subinterfaces when there is no policy applied on the main PW-Ether interface.

Restrictions

 When the LC is not in co-existence mode, policies supported on regular subinterface are supported on PW-Ether subinterface too. • Percentage based rate on the lowest level is supported on policy applied on PW-Ether subinterface.



Note

In the same policy, the grand parent level is lower than parent level, and parent level is lower than child level.

• When LC is not in co-existence mode, service-policy on the PW-Ether main interface is rejected if there is a service-policy already applied on any of its PW-Ether subinterfaces.

PW-Ether Subinterface Shared Policy Instance

PW-Ether subinterface supports shared policy instance (SPI). SPI on PW-Ether subinterface functions similarly to SPI on bundle subinterfaces.

Restrictions

- SPI is only supported on PW-Ether subinterfaces. Configuring SPI on PWHE main interface will be rejected.
- When a policy is applied on PW-Ether subinterface with the SPI, a single instance of the same policy is created on each pin down member.
- SPI name is unique across all PW-Ether main interfaces and bundle interfaces.

Scale Information

QoS on PWHE supports:

- 8000 PWHE interface per system.
- 1792 PWHE interface per line card (LC).
- 8 physical or bundle interfaces per generic interface list.
- 4096 sub-interfaces per PW-Ether interface.
- 20,000 total subinterfaces per LC.



Note

The scale numbers are supported if configuration is applied properly so that queuing resource is not exhausted.

Policy Instantiation

The various scenarios of QoS on PWHE are discussed here:

- If any member interface has policies applied to them, only non PWHE traffic will be subjected to those policies. An exception to this is a configured port shaper.
- QoS policy applied on the PWHE main interface or PWHE subinterface is instantiated on pin-down member. If the pin-down member is a bundle, then the policy is instantiated on each bundle member .
- The supported policy combinations on PWHE main and subinterfaces for line card (LC) in any mode are:
 - Non-queuing policy on PWHE main interface and no policy on subinterfaces.
 - No policy on PWHE main interface and no policy or non-queuing policy on subinterfaces.

- No policy on PWHE main interface. 2-level queuing policies on subinterface with or without SPI.
- 1, 2, or 3-level queuing policy on PWHE main interface. No policies on subinterface.
- The supported policy combinations on PWHE main and subinterfaces for LC not in the co-existence mode are:
 - No policy on PWHE main interface. 3-level queuing policies on subinterfaces with or without SPI.



In ingress direction, policies with priority but no queuing actions in the policy-map will use the member port default queues. In egress direction, priority is treated as queuing action so dedicated queue is created for it.

- The supported policy combinations on PWHE main and subinterfaces for LC in the co-existence queuing mode are:
 - PWHE aggregate shaper policy on the PWHE main interface. Non-queuing policies on subinterfaces with or without SPI.
 - PWHE aggregate shaper policy on the PWHE main interface. Up to 2 level queuing policies on subinterfaces with or without SPI.



Note

In the ingress direction, the PWHE subinterface polices with priority but no queuing action in the policy-map will use the queues created for the PWHE main interface. In the egress direction, priority is treated as queuing action so dedicated queues will be created for the subinterface. If the PWHE main interface does not have queuing policy, its subinterface with non-queuing policies will use the pindown interface default queues.

- The supported policy combination on PWHE main and subinterfaces for LC in the co-existence non-queuing mode is:
 - PWHE aggregate shaper on the PWHE main interface. Non-queuing policies on subinterfaces.



Note

In ingress and egress direction, the PWHE subinterface policies with priority but no queuing action in the policy-map will use the queues created for the PWHE main interface. If the PWHE main interface does not have queuing policy, its subinterface policies with priority but no queuing action will use the pin-down interface default queues.



Note

When PWHE interface is created, and no PWHE QoS policy is applied on it, PWHE traffic will pass through the member interface default queues.

PWHE without QoS policy

The following two cases represent the default behavior of the PWHE interfaces:

- PWHE ingress to core facing egress (access to core) DSCP/ precedence value from customer IP packet is copied to EXP of all imposed labels (VPN and transport)in the core-facing direction.
- PWHE egress (core to access) DSCP/precedence value from customer IP packet is copied to EXP of all imposed labels (VC and transport) in the access-facing direction.

Configuring QoS on PWHE: Example.

The example shows how to configure QoS on PWHE main interface or subinterfaces. The example configuration can not be applied on PWHE main and subinterfaces at the same time.

```
policy-map pw child in
class voip
priority level 1
 police rate percent 1
1
class video
 police rate percent 10
 priority level 2
class data
 police rate percent 70 peak-rate percent 100
   exceed-action transmit
   violate-action drop
!
class class-default
 police rate percent 19 peak-rate percent 100
   exceed-action transmit
   violate-action drop
1
end-policy-map
policy-map pw_parent_in
class class-default
 service-policy pw child in
  police rate 100 mbps
  child-conform-aware
end-policy-map
!
policy-map pw child out
class voip
 priority level 1
 police rate 1 mbps
class data
 bandwidth remaining percent 70
 random-detect discard-class 3 40 ms 50 ms
class video
 priority level 2
```

```
police rate 10 mbps
!
!
class class-default
  random-detect discard-class 1 20 ms 30 ms
!
end-policy-map
!
policy-map pw_parent_out
class class-default
  service-policy pw_child_out
  shape average 100 mbps
!
end-policy-map
!
interface pw-ether 1
service-policy input pw_parent_in
service-policy output pw_parent_out
!
```

The example shows how to apply the PWHE aggregate shaper on PWHE main interface and another policy on its subinterface when the LC is in co-existence mode:



Note

- Use the hw-module qos-mode pwhe-aggregate-shaper sub-interface { queuing | non-queuing } { ingress | egress } command to enable co-existence mode on the LC.
- For the following example to work, the LC must be in co-existence queuing mode.
- When LC is in co-existence mode, apply only PWHE aggregate shaper policy on PWHE main interface.

```
policy-map pwhe-aggregate-shaper
class class-default
shape average 1 gbps
bandwidth remaining ratio 20
!
end-policy-map
!
policy-map pw_parent_out
class class-default
service-policy pw_child_out
shape average 100 mbps
!
end-policy-map
!
interface pw-ether 1
service-policy output pwhe-aggregate-shaper
!
interface pw-ether 1.1
service-policy output pw_parent_out
```

For other PWHE related information, please refer the

Hierarchical Ingress Policing

The Hierarchical Ingress Policing feature is an MQC-based solution that supports hierarchical policing on ingress interfaces. This feature allows enforcement of service level agreements (SLA) while applying the classification sub-model for different QoS classes on the inbound interface. The hierarchical ingress policing provides support at two levels:

- Parent level
- · Child level

Hierarchical policing allows policing of individual traffic classes as well as on a collection of traffic classes. This is useful in a situation where you want the collective police rate to be less than the sum of individual police (or maximum) rates.

In a child policy, the reference used for percentage police rates is the net maximum rate of the parent class. Net maximum is the lower of the configured shape and police rates in a class. The maximum police rate is that rate for which the action is to drop traffic. If the percentage or peak rate keywords do not have associated drop actions, then police rates do not influence the net maximum rate of a class.

Ingress Queuing Support

Ingress queuing is disabled for some line cards.

The tables below list out the ingress queuing support for fixed port and modular line cards.



Note

Ingress queuing is not supported on ASR9K-SIP-700 line cards.

Fixed port Line Card

LC type	Ingress Queuing Support	
A9K-24X10GE-TR/- SE	Yes	
A9K-36X10GE-TR/-SE	No	
A9K-2X100GE-TR/-SE	No	
A9K-1X100GE-TR/-SE	No	
A9K-8X100G-LB-SE / -TR	No	
A9K-8X100GE-SE / -TR	No	
A99-8X100GE-SE / -TR	No	
A9K-4X100GE-SE / -TR	Yes	
A99-12X100GE	No	
A9K-4X100GE	No	
A9K-48X10GE-1G-SE/-TR	No	

LC type	Ingress Queuing Support
A9K-24X10GE-1G-SE/-TR	No

Modular Line Card



Note

The A9K-MOD400-SE/TR line cards are supported from Cisco IOS XR Release 5.3.2, and the A9K-MOD200-SE/TR line cards are supported from Cisco IOS XR Release 6.0.1.

For minimum software release versions of the new MPAs that are supported on the Cisco ASR 9000 Series 400G (A9K-MOD400-SE/TR) and 200G Modular Line Cards (A9K-MOD200-SE/TR), see Table 5 and Table 6 respectively.

LC type	EP type	Ingress Queuing Support	
A9K-MOD80-TR/ -SE	A9K-MPA-20X1GE	Yes	
A9K-MOD80-TR/ -SE	A9K-MPA-4X10GE	No	
		Note	To enable ingress queueing on these line cards, run the command hw-module all qos-mode ingress-queue-enable.
A9K-MOD80-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-2X10GE	Yes	
A9K-MOD80-TR/ -SE	A9K-MPA-1X40GE	No	
A9K-MOD400-SE	A9K-MPA-8X10GE	Yes	
A9K-MOD400-SE	A9K-MPA-20X10GE	No	
		Note	To enable ingress queueing on these line cards, run the command hw-module all qos-mode ingress-queue-enable.
A9K-MOD400-SE	A9K-MPA-2X100GE	No	
A9K-MOD400-SE	A9K-MPA-1X100GE	No	
A9K-MOD400-SE	A9K-MPA-2X100GE	Yes	
A9K-MOD400-SE	A9K-MPA-32X1GE	Yes	
A9K-MOD200-SE	A9K-MPA-4X10GE	Yes	
A9K-MOD200-SE	A9K-MPA-2X10GE	Yes	

LC type	EP type	Ingress Queuing Support
A9K-MOD200-SE	A9K-MPA-2X40GE	No
A9K-MOD200-SE	A9K-MPA-1X40GE	Yes
A9K-MOD200-SE	A9K-MPA-20X1GE	Yes
A9K-MOD200-SE	A9K-MPA-32X1GE	Yes
A9K-MOD200-SE	A9K-MPA-1X100GE	No
A9K-MOD200-SE	A9K-MPA-10X10GE	No
A9K-24X10GE-1G	4X1GE , 4X10GE	No
A9K-48X10GE-1G	4X1GE , 4X10GE	No
A99-12X100GE/A9K-4X100GE	QSFP-4X10G	No
A99-12X100GE/A9K-4X100GE	QSFP-1X40G	No
A99-12X100GE/A9K-4X100GE	QSFP-1x100G	No
ASR9901	All types	No
A9K-MOD160-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-20X1GE	Yes
A9K-MOD160-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-4X10GE	Yes
A9K-MOD160-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-2X10GE	Yes
A9K-MOD160-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-1X40GE	No
A9K-MOD160-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-2X40GE	No
A9K-MOD160-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-8X10GE	No
A9K-MOD200-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-20X1GE	Yes
A9K-MOD200-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-4X10GE	Yes
A9K-MOD200-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-2X10GE	Yes
A9K-MOD200-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-1X40GE	Yes
A9K-MOD200-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-2X40GE	No
A9K-MOD200-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-8X10GE	No
A9K-MOD400-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-20X1GE	Yes
A9K-MOD400-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-4X10GE	Yes
A9K-MOD400-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-2X10GE	Yes
A9K-MOD400-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-1X40GE	Yes

LC type	EP type	Ingress Queuing Support
A9K-MOD400-TR/-SE	A9K-MPA-2X40GE	No
A9K-MOD400-TR	A9K-MPA-8X10GE	Yes
A9K-MOD400-TR	A9K-MPA-20X10GE	No
A9K-MOD400-TR	A9K-MPA-2X100GE	No
A9K-MOD400-TR	A9K-MPA-1X100GE	No
ASR9001-LC	Chassis fixed 4X10GE	No
ASR9001-LC	A9K-MPA-4X10GE	No
ASR9001-LC	A9K-MPA-2X10GE	No
ASR9001-LC	A9K-MPA-1X40GE	No
ASR9001-LC	A9K-MPA-20X1GE	No

In-Place Policy Modification

The In-Place Policy Modification feature allows you to modify a QoS policy even when the QoS policy is attached to one or more interfaces. When you modify the QoS policy attached to one or more interfaces, the QoS policy is automatically modified on all the interfaces to which the QoS policy is attached. A modified policy is subject to the same checks that a new policy is subject to when it is bound to an interface

However, if the policy modification fails on any one of the interfaces, an automatic rollback is initiated to ensure that the earlier policy is effective on all the interfaces. After successfully modifying a policy, the modifications take effect on all the interfaces to which the policy is attached.

The configuration session is blocked until the policy modification is successful on all the relevant interfaces. In case of a policy modification failure, the configuration session is blocked until the rollback is completed on all relevant interfaces.



Note

You cannot resume the configuration on the routers until the configuration session is unblocked.

When a QoS policy attached to an interface is modified, QoS is first disabled on the interface, hardware is reprogrammed for the modified policy, and QoS is reenabled on the interface. For a short period of time, no QoS policy is active on the interface. In addition, the QoS statistics for the policy that is attached to an interface is lost (reset to 0) when the policy is modified.

Recommendations for Using In-Place Policy Modification

For a short period of time while a QoS policy is being modified, no QoS policy is active on the interface. In the unlikely event that the QoS policy modification and rollback both fail, the interface is left without a QoS policy.

For these reasons, it is best to modify QoS policies that affect the fewest number of interfaces at a time. Use the **show policy-map targets** command to identify the number of interfaces that will be affected during policy map modification.

Dynamic Modification of Interface Bandwidth

This section describes the dynamic modification of interface bandwidth feature.

Gigabit Ethernet SPA with Copper SFP

For a Gigabit Ethernet interface containing copper small form-factor pluggable (SFP) modules, the interface bandwidth could change dynamically due to autonegotiation. If the new interface bandwidth is compatible with the current interface and feature configuration, no user action is required. If the new bandwidth is *not* compatible, the system displays an error notification message, and continues to handle traffic on a best-efforts basis. User action is required in this situation to overcome the error condition.

The content of the error notification is based on the policy states listed in the Policy States.

This feature is supported on the copper Gigabit Ethernet interfaces in these shared port adapters (SPAs):

- SPA-5X1GE-V2
- SPA-8X1GE-V2
- SPA-10X1GE-V2

POS Interfaces On SPA-8x0C12-POS

The dynamic modification of interface bandwidth feature is supported on the SPA-8xOC12-POS. The bandwidth of the POS interface changes when an OC-12 SFP is removed and replaced with an OC-3 SFP, or when an OC-3 SFP is replaced with an OC-12 SFP. If the new interface bandwidth is compatible with the current interface and feature configuration, no user action is required. If the new bandwidth is *not* compatible, the system displays an error notification message, and continues to handle traffic on a best-efforts basis. User action is required in this situation to overcome the error condition.

The content of the error notification is based on the policy states listed in the Policy States.

Policy States

During the dynamic bandwidth modification process, if the modification is successful, the system does not display policy state information. However, if an error occurs, the system places the interface in one of these states and provides a policy-state error notification:

- Verification—This state indicates an incompatibility of the configured QoS policy with respect to the new interface bandwidth value. The system handles traffic on a best-efforts basis and some traffic drops can occur.
- Hardware programming—This state indicates a hardware programming failure caused by one of these conditions:
 - The modification of the interface default QoS resources encountered hardware update failures.
 - The modification of QoS resources (associated with the applied QoS policy) encountered hardware update failures.

With either of these failures, hardware programming could be in an inconsistent state, which can impact features such as policing, queueing and marking. Therefore, the system disables QoS policy in hardware for these error conditions.

• Reset—In response to user reconfiguration of QoS policy, the system attempts to apply the new policy but fails; the fallback to the previous QoS policy also fails.

If you receive notification of any of these policy states, you need to reconfigure the QoS policy to clear this condition.

Use the **show qos interface** and **show policy-map interface** commands to query the QoS state of the interface. The system displays the QoS policy status if the interface is in one of the error states (verification, hardware programming, or reset), but does not display it if the state is active.

Example

```
RP/0/RP1/CPU0:router# show gos interface gigabitEthernet 0/7/5/0 input
Wed Dec 8 09:00:29.092 UTC
NOTE:- Configured values are displayed within parentheses
Interface GigabitEthernet0/7/5/0 -- input policy
Total number of classes: 2
Interface Bandwidth:
                           1000000 kbps
QoS Policy Status: Failed to verify QoS policy parameters < verification state
______
Levell class
                                        c1
Ingressq Queue ID
                                     = 53 (LP queue)
                                        10
Queue belongs to Port
                                         150016 kbps (150 mbits/sec)
Oueue Max. BW.
Weight
                                         10 (BWR not configured)
                                        150000 kbps
Guaranteed service rate
TailDrop Threshold
                                     = 1875000 bytes / 100 ms (default)
Policer not configured for this class
WRED not configured for this class
Level1 class
                                         class-default
Ingressq Queue ID
                                        32 (Port default LP queue)
Queue belongs to Port
                                     = 10
Queue Max. BW.
                                         1000064 kbps (default)
Weight
                                         10 (BWR not configured)
Guaranteed service rate
                                         500000 kbps
                                     = 6250000 bytes / 100 ms (default)
TailDrop Threshold
Policer not configured for this class
WRED not configured for this class
```

Bidirectional Forwarding Detection Echo Packet Prioritization

If no QoS policy is attached to the interface on which BFD echo packets are received and switched back, then the BFD echo packets are marked as vital packets (when received) and are sent to the high priority queue in the ingressq ASIC reserved for transit control traffic.

If ingress QOS policy is present on the interface on which BFD echo packets are received and switched back, then the BFD echo packets are marked as vital packets (when received) and all QOS actions of the matching class except for taildrop and WRED are performed on the packets. The packets are then sent to the high priority queue in the ingressq ASIC reserved for transit control traffic, overriding the queue selected by the ingress QOS policy.

In the egress direction, the BFD echo packets are treated like other vital packets (locally originated control packets) and are sent to the high priority queue of the interface in the egressq ASIC.

Statistics on the Clear Channel ATM SPAs

On egress policies, match statistics are obtained from the MSC, while drop statistics are obtained from the SPA. However, the rate calculation for SPA statistics is not supported. Rate calculation is displayed only on demand.

Inter-Class Policer Bucket Sharing

Based on different classification criteria, inter-class policer bucket sharing feature allows policer bucket sharing among different classes in a hierarchical QoS model, within the modular quality of service command line (MQC) construct, to achieve multirate policing of the same packet. In this feature, the classification of the incoming packet happens only once. However, the policer bucket is shared among classes; that is the same token bucket is used even though a match happens against different classes.

This feature includes following components:

Policer Bucket Shared

The policer bucket shared feature defines and shares a policer node entity. The defined policer bucket is shared among multiple classes.

Here is a sample configuration that defines and shares policer bucket instance *sp1*:

In this configuration, a policy-map for class long-distance traffic type is created to police at 1Mbps and the policer bucket is shared.

Policer Bucket Referred

The policer bucket referred feature refers a defined policer bucket instance. The reference to the policer bucket could be across policy level, a parent can refer a child policer, or vice versa, and one policer node can be referred by multiple classes across a policy map.

Here is a sample configuration that refers shared policer bucket instance *sp1*:

```
policy-map voip-child
     class long-distance-voip
     police bucket referred sp1
```

In this configuration, a policy-map for class long-distance-voip traffic type is created and the shared policer bucket *sp1* is referred.

Interface Support

Inter-class policer bucket sharing feature is supported only in the ingress direction. This section describes supported and non-supported interfaces for inter-class policer bucket sharing feature.

Table 7: Supported and non-supported interfaces

Supported Interfaces	1G/10G/100GE Physical interfaces
	L2 and L3 sub-interfaces
	Bundle ports
	Bundle sub-interfaces
Non-supported Interfaces	Bridge Virtual Interface (BVI)
	Satellite interfaces
	Pseudowire Headend (PWHE) interfaces



Note

Inter-class policer bucket sharing feature is supported only on the ASR 9000 Enhanced Ethernet Line Card.

Classification Support for Ethernet-Services ACL

You can configure class of service (QoS) classification based on a match for partial MAC address (such as Organizationally Unique Identifier (OUI)) using the **match access-group ethernet-service** command. This command creates a match criteria for a class map based on the specified ethernet-service access control list (ACL) containing MAC addresses.

For example, you can create an ethernet-service ACL such as the following:

```
ethernet-services access-list acl1
20 permit 2222.3300.0000 0000.00ff.fffff any
30 permit 1111.2200.0000 0000.00ff.fffff any
40 permit 1212.2300.0000 0000.00ff.fffff any
```

The ethernet-service ACL can be used in the class map to match the MAC addresses as follows:

```
class-map NID-123
  match access-group ethernet-service acl1
end-class-map
```



Note

- You can provide multiple values for the **ethernet-service** match type in a configuration; only the first value is considered for the match criteria. Subsequent values indicated in the match statement are ignored for classification.
- The capture statements in an ethernet-service ACL are ignored.
- An ethernet-service ACL should have only permit statements. If there are any deny statements, the policy is rejected.
- If you specify a value for the **Ether-Type** keyword using the **match access-group ethernet-service** command, the value is ignored.

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Creating a Traffic Class

To create a traffic class containing match criteria, use the **class-map** command to specify the traffic class name, and then use the following **match** commands in class-map configuration mode, as needed.



Note

Users can provide multiple values for a match type in a single line of configuration; that is, if the first value does not meet the match criteria, then the next value indicated in the match statement is considered for classification.

For conceptual information, see the Traffic Class Elements.

Restrictions

- All **match** commands specified in this configuration task are considered optional, but you must configure at least one match criterion for a class.
- For the **match access-group** command, QoS classification based on the packet length or TTL (time to live) field in the IPv4 and IPv6 headers is not supported.
- For the **match access-group** command, when an ACL list is used within a class-map, the deny action of the ACL is ignored and the traffic is classified based on the specified ACL match parameters.
- The **match discard-class** command is not supported on the Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM) interfaces.
- When QoS policy-maps use ACLs to classify traffic, ACEs of ACLs consume some amount of TCAM memory of the line card. Each QoS policy-map for ASR9000 supports up to a maximum of 3072 TCAM IPv4 entries. If you cross the limit, IOS XR fails to apply this policy-map with the insufficient memory available error. If you encounter this error, decrease the number of ACEs in ACLs for the policy-map. This error typically appears when using nested policy-maps, where ACEs in ACLs on different levels are multiplied.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. class-map [type qos] [match-any] [match-all] class-map-name
- 3. match [not] access-group [ipv4| ipv6] access-group-name
- **4.** match [not] cos [cos-value] [cos-value0 ... cos-value7]
- **5. match** [**not**] **cos inner** [*inner-cos-value*] [*inner-cos-value*0...*inner-cos-value*7]
- 6. match destination-address mac destination-mac-address
- 7. match source-address mac source-mac-address
- **8.** match [not] discard-class discard-class-value [discard-class-value1 ... discard-class-value6]
- **9. match** [**not**] **dscp** [**ipv4** | **ipv6**] *dscp-value* [*dscp-value* ... *dscp-value*]
- **10.** match [not] mpls experimental topmost exp-value [exp-value1 ... exp-value7]
- **11.** match [not] precedence [ipv4 | ipv6] precedence-value [precedence-value1 ... precedence-value6]

- **12.** match [not] protocol protocol-value [protocol-value1 ... protocol-value7]
- **13. match** [**not**] **qos-group** [qos-group-value1 ... qos-group-value8]
- **14. match vlan [inner]** *vlanid* [vlanid1 ... vlanid7]
- **15.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	class-map [type qos] [match-any] [match-all] class-map-name	Creates a class map to be used for matching packets to the class whose name you specify and enters the class map configuration mode.
	Example:	If you specify match-any , one of the match criteria must
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# class-map class201	be met for traffic entering the traffic class to be classified as part of the traffic class. This is the default. If you specify match-all , the traffic must match all the match criteria.
Step 3	match [not] access-group [ipv4 ipv6] access-group-name	(Optional) Configures the match criteria for a class map
	Example:	based on the specified access control list (ACL) name.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match access-group ipv4 map1</pre>	
Step 4	match [not] cos [cos-value] [cos-value0 cos-value7] Example:	(Optional) Specifies a <i>cos-value</i> in a class map to match packets. The <i>cos-value</i> arguments are specified as an integer from 0 to 7.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match cos 5	
Step 5	match [not] cos inner [inner-cos-value] [inner-cos-value0inner-cos-value7]	(Optional) Specifies an <i>inner-cos-value</i> in a class map to match packets. The inner-cos-value arguments are specified
	Example:	as an integer from 0 to 7.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router match cos inner 7	
Step 6	match destination-address mac destination-mac-address	(Optional) Configures the match criteria for a class map
	Example:	based on the specified destination MAC address.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap) # match destination-address mac 00.00.00	
Step 7	match source-address mac source-mac-address	(Optional) Configures the match criteria for a class map
	Example:	based on the specified source MAC address.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match source-address mac 00.00.00</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 8	match [not] discard-class discard-class-value [discard-class-value1 discard-class-value6] Example:	(Optional) Specifies a <i>discard-class-value</i> in a class map to match packets. The <i>discard-class-value</i> argument is specified as an integer from 0 to 7.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match discard-class 5	The match discard-class command is supported only for an egress policy. The match discard-class command is not supported on the Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM) interfaces.
Step 9	match [not] dscp [ipv4 ipv6] dscp-value [dscp-value dscp-value]	(Optional) Identifies a specific DSCP value as a match criterion.
	Example:	• Value range is from 0 to 63.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match dscp ipv4	Reserved keywords can be specified instead of numeric values.
		Up to eight values or ranges con be used per match statement.
Step 10	match [not] mpls experimental topmost exp-value [exp-value1 exp-value7]	(Optional) Configures a class map so that the three-bit experimental field in the topmost Multiprotocol Label
	Example:	Switching (MPLS) labels are examined for experimental (EXP) field values. The value range is from 0 to 7.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match mpls experimental topmost 3</pre>	
Step 11	match [not] precedence [ipv4 ipv6] precedence-value [precedence-value1 precedence-value6]	(Optional) Identifies IP precedence values as match criteria. • Value range is from 0 to 7.
	Example:	Reserved keywords can be specified instead of
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match precedence ipv4 5</pre>	numeric values.
Step 12	match [not] protocol protocol-value [protocol-value1 protocol-value7]	(Optional) Configures the match criteria for a class map on the basis of the specified protocol.
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match protocol igmp</pre>	
Step 13	match [not] qos-group [qos-group-value1 qos-group-value8]	(Optional) Specifies service (QoS) group values in a class map to match packets.
	Example:	• <i>qos-group-value</i> identifier argument is specified as the exact value or range of values from 0 to 63.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap) # match qos-group 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Up to eight values (separated by spaces) can be entered in one match statement.
		• match qos-group command is supported only for an egress policy.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 14	match vlan [inner] vlanid [vlanid1 vlanid7] Example:	(Optional) Specifies a VLAN ID or range of VLAN IDs in a class map to match packets.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match vlan vlanid vlanid1	 vlanid is specified as an exact value or range of values from 1 to 4094. Total number of supported VLAN values or ranges is 8.
Step 15	Use the commit or end command.	commit —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.

Creating a Traffic Policy

To create a traffic policy, use the **policy-map** command to specify the traffic policy name.

The traffic class is associated with the traffic policy when the **class** command is used. The **class** command must be issued after you enter the policy map configuration mode. After entering the **class** command, the router is automatically in policy map class configuration mode, which is where the QoS policies for the traffic policy are defined.

These class-actions are supported:

- bandwidth—Configures the bandwidth for the class. See the Configuring Modular Quality of Service Congestion Management on Cisco IOS XR Software module.
- police—Police traffic. See the Configuring Modular Quality of Service Congestion Management on Cisco IOS XR Software module.
- priority—Assigns priority to the class. See the Configuring Modular Quality of Service Congestion Management on Cisco IOS XR Software module.
- queue-limit—Configures queue-limit (tail drop threshold) for the class. See the Configuring Modular Quality of Service Congestion Management on Cisco IOS XR Software module.
- random-detect—Enables Random Early Detection. See the Configuring Modular Quality of Service Congestion Management on Cisco IOS XR Software module.
- service-policy—Configures a child service policy.
- set—Configures marking for this class. See the Class-based Unconditional Packet Marking Feature and Benefits.

• shape—Configures shaping for the class. See the Configuring Modular Quality of Service Congestion Management on Cisco IOS XR Software module.

For additional commands that can be entered as match criteria, see the *Cisco IOS XR Modular Quality of Service Command Reference for the Cisco CRS Router*.

For conceptual information, see Traffic Policy Elements.

Restrictions

A maximum of 512 classes (including Level 1 and Level 2 hierarchical classes as well as implicit default classes) can be applied to one policy map.

For a hierarchical policy (with Level 1 and Level 2 hierarchical classes) applied on a subinterface, the only allowed Level 1 class in the policy is the *class-default* class.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- **2. policy-map** [**type qos**] *policy-name*
- 3. class class-name
- **4. set precedence** [**tunnel**] *precedence-value*
- **5.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	policy-map [type qos] policy-name	Creates or modifies a policy map that can be attached to
	Example:	one or more interfaces to specify a service policy and enters the policy map configuration mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# policy-map policy1	
Step 3	class class-name	Specifies the name of the class whose policy you want to
	Example:	create or change.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap)# class class1	
Step 4	set precedence [tunnel] precedence-value	Sets the precedence value in the IP header.
	Example:	Note • A policy configured with the set precedence
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# set precedence 3</pre>	tunnel command or the set dscp tunnel command can be applied on any Layer 3 interface in the ingress direction.
Step 5	Use the commit or end command.	commit —Saves the configuration changes and remains within the configuration session.

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.

Attaching a Traffic Policy to an Interface

After the traffic class and traffic policy are created, you must use the service-policy interface configuration command to attach a traffic policy to an interface, and to specify the direction in which the policy should be applied (either on packets coming into the interface or packets leaving the interface).

For additional commands that can be entered in policy map class configuration mode, see the Cisco IOS XR Modular Quality of Service Command Referencefor the Cisco CRS Router.

Prerequisites

A traffic class and traffic policy must be created before attaching a traffic policy to an interface.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. interface type interface-path-id
- **3. service-policy** {**input** | **output**} *policy-map*
- **4.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.
- **5. show policy-map interface** *type interface-path-id* [**input** | **output**]

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	interface type interface-path-id	Configures an interface and enters the interface
	Example:	configuration mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# interface gigabitethernet 0/1/0/9	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	service-policy {input output} policy-map Example:	Attaches a policy map to an input or output interface to be used as the service policy for that interface. In this example, the traffic policy evaluates all traffic leaving that interface.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# service-policy output policy1</pre>	
Step 4	Use the commit or end command.	commit —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 5	show policy-map interface type interface-path-id [input output]	(Optional) Displays statistics for the policy on the specified interface.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show policy-map interface gigabitethernet 0/1/0/9	

Configuring Class-based Unconditional Packet Marking

This configuration task explains how to configure the following class-based, unconditional packet marking features on your router:

- IP precedence value
- IP DSCP value
- QoS group value (ingress only)
- CoS value (egress only)
- MPLS experimental value
- SRP priority (egress only)
- Discard class (ingress only)
- ATM CLP

For a list of supported unconditional marking criteria action, see Table 2.



Note

IPv4 and IPv6 QoS actions applied to MPLS tagged packets are not supported. The configuration is accepted, but no action is taken.

Restrictions

The CRS-MSC-140G does not support SRP priority.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. policy-map policy-name
- 3. class class-name
- 4. set precedence
- 5. set dscp
- **6. set qos-group** *qos-group-value*
- **7. set cos** *cos-value*
- 8. set cos [inner] cos-value
- **9. set mpls experimental {imposition | topmost}** *exp-value*
- **10. set srp-priority** *priority-value*
- 11. set discard-class discard-class-value
- 12. set atm-clp
- **13**. exit
- **14**. exit
- **15. interface** *type* interface-path-id
- **16. service-policy** {**input** | **output**]} *policy-map*
- **17.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.
- **18. show policy-map interface** *type interface-path-id* [**input** | **output**]

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	policy-map policy-name	Creates or modifies a policy map that can be attached to
•	Example:	one or more interfaces to specify a service policy and enters the policy map configuration mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# policy-map policy1	
Step 3	class class-name	Specifies the name of the class whose policy you want to
	Example:	create or change and enters the policy class map configuration mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap)# class class1	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	set precedence	Sets the precedence value in the IP header.
	Example:	
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# set precedence 1</pre>	
Step 5	set dscp	Marks a packet by setting the DSCP in the ToS byte.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# set dscp 5	
Step 6	set qos-group qos-group-value	Sets the QoS group identifiers on IPv4 or MPLS packets.
	Example:	The set qos-group command is supported only on an ingress policy.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# set qos-group 31</pre>	
Step 7	set cos cos-value	Sets the specific IEEE 802.1Q Layer 2 CoS value of an outgoing packet. Values are from 0 to7.
	Example:	Sets the Layer 2 CoS value of an outgoing packet.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# set cos 7</pre>	This command should be used by a router if a user wants to mark a packet that is being sent to a switch. Switches can leverage Layer 2 header information, including a CoS value marking.
		Packets entering an interface cannot be set with a CoS value.
Step 8	set cos [inner] cos-value	Sets the specific IEEE 802.1Q Layer 2 CoS value of an outgoing packet. Values are from 0 to7.
	<pre>Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# set cos 7</pre>	Sets the Layer 2 CoS value of an outgoing packet.
		This command should be used by a router if a user wants to mark a packet that is being sent to a switch. Switches can leverage Layer 2 header information, including a CoS value marking.
		• For Layer 2 interfaces, the set cos command:
		Is rejected on ingress or egress policies on a main interface.
		Is accepted but ignored on ingress policies on a subinterface.
		Is supported on egress policies on a subinterface.
		• For Layer 3 interfaces, the set cos command:
		Is ignored on ingress policies on a main interface.
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	Command or Action	Purpose
		Is rejected on ingress policies on a subinterface.
		Is supported on egress policies on main interfaces and subinterfaces.
Step 9		Sets the experimental value of the MPLS packet top-most or imposition labels.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c) # set mpls experimental imposition 3</pre>	Note The imposition keyword can be used only in service policies that are attached in the ingress policy.
Step 10	set srp-priority priority-value Example:	Sets the spatial reuse protocol (SRP) priority value of an outgoing packet.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c) # set srp-priority 3</pre>	Note This command can be used only in service policies that are attached in the output direction of an interface.
Step 11	set discard-class discard-class-value Example:	Sets the discard class on IP Version 4 (IPv4) or Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS) packets.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c) # set discard-class 3</pre>	Note This command can be used only in service policies that are attached in the ingress policy.
Step 12	set atm-clp	Sets the cell loss priority (CLP) bit.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# set atm-clp	
Step 13	exit	Returns the router to policy map configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# exit	
Step 14	exit	Returns the router to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap)# exit	
Step 15	interface type interface-path-id	Configures an interface and enters the interface
	Example:	configuration mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# interface pos 0/2/0/0	
Step 16	service-policy {input output]} policy-map	Attaches a policy map to an input or output interface to be
	Example:	used as the service policy for that interface. In this example, the traffic policy evaluates all traffic leaving that interface.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# service-policy output policy1</pre>	
Step 17	Use the commit or end command.	commit —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 mode, without committing the configuration changes.
Step 18	show policy-map interface type interface-path-id [input output]	all classes configured for all service policies on the
	Example:	specified interface.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# show policy-map interface pos 0/2/0/0	

Configuring QoS Policy Propagation Using Border Gateway Protocol

This section explains how to configure Policy Propagation Using Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) on a router based on BGP community lists, BGP autonomous system paths, access lists, source prefix address, or destination prefix address.

Policy Propagation Using BGP Configuration Task List

Policy propagation using BGP allows you to classify packets by IP precedence and/or QoS group ID, based on BGP community lists, BGP autonomous system paths, access lists, source prefix address and destination prefix address. After a packet has been classified, you can use other quality-of-service features such as weighted random early detection (WRED) to specify and enforce policies to fit your business model.

Overview of Tasks

To configure Policy Propagation Using BGP, perform these basic tasks:

- Configure BGP and Cisco Express Forwarding (CEF). To configure BGP, see Cisco IOS XR Routing Configuration Guide. To configure CEF, see Cisco IOS XR IP Address and Services Configuration Guide.
- Configure a BGP community list or access list.
- Define the route policy. Set the IP precedence and/or QoS group ID, based on the BGP community list, BGP autonomous system path, access list, source prefix address or destination prefix address.
- Apply the route policy to BGP.

- Configure QPPB on the desired interfaces or configure QPPB on the GRE Tunnel interfaces.
- Configure and enable a QoS Policy to use the above classification (IP precedence or QoS group ID). To configure committed access rate (CAR), WRED and tail drop, see the Configuring Modular QoS Congestion Avoidance on Cisco IOS XR Software module.

Defining the Route Policy

This task defines the route policy used to classify BGP prefixes with IP precedence or QoS group ID.

Prerequisites

Configure the BGP community list, or access list, for use in the route policy.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. route-policy name
- 3. set qos-group qos-group-value
- **4.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	route-policy name	Enters route policy configuration mode and specifies the name of the route policy to be configured.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# route-policy r1	
Step 3	set qos-group qos-group-value	Sets the QoS group identifiers. The set qos-group comman
	Example:	is supported only on an ingress policy.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c) # set qos-group 30</pre>	
Step 4	Use the commit or end command.	commit —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.

Applying the Route Policy to BGP

This task applies the route policy to BGP.

Prerequisites

Configure BGP and CEF.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- **2.** router bgp as-number
- 3. address-family { ipv4 | ipv6} address-family-modifier
- 4. table-policy policy-name
- **5.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	router bgp as-number	Enters BGP configuration mode.
	Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config) # router bgp 120	
Step 3	<pre>address-family { ipv4 ipv6} address-family-modifier Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp) # address-family ipv4 unicast</pre>	Enters address-family configuration mode, allowing you to configure an address family.
Step 4	<pre>table-policy policy-name Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-bgp-af) # table-policy qppb a1</pre>	Configures the routing policy for installation of routes to RIB.
Step 5	Use the commit or end command.	commit —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.

Configuring QPPB on the Desired Interfaces

This task applies QPPB to a specified interface. The traffic begins to be classified, based on matching prefixes in the route policy. The source or destination IP address of the traffic can be used to match the route policy.

Restrictions

• The Cisco CRS Router only supports the setting of the QoS group ID using QPPB.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. interface type interface-path-id
- **3. ipv4** | **ipv6 bgp policy propagation input**{**ip-precedence**|**qos-group**} {**destination**[*ip-precedence* { *destination*|*source*}] {**source**[*ip-precedence* { *destination*|*source*}]
- **4.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	interface type interface-path-id	Enters interface configuration mode and associates one or
	Example:	more interfaces to the VRF.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# interface pos 0/2/0/0	
Step 3	<pre>ipv4 ipv6 bgp policy propagation input{ip-precedence qos-group} {destination[ip-precedence {destination source}] {source[ip-precedence {destination source}]</pre>	Enables QPPB on an interface
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination	
Step 4	Use the commit or end command.	commit —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.

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

Configuring QPPB on the GRE Tunnel Interfaces

This task applies QPPB to a GRE tunnel interface. The traffic begins to be classified, based on matching prefixes in the route policy. The source or destination IP address of the traffic can be used to match the route policy.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. interface tunnel-ipnumber
- 3. ipv4 address ipv4-address subnet-mask
- 4. ipv6 address ipv6-prefix/prefix-length
- **5. ipv4** | **ipv6 bgp policy propagation input**{**ip-precedence**|**qos-group**} {**destination**[*ip-precedence* { *destination*|*source*}] { **source**[*ip-precedence* { *destination*|*source*}]
- **6.** tunnel source type path-id
- 7. tunnel destination ip-address
- **8.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	interface tunnel-ipnumber	Enters interface configuration mode and associates one or
	Example:	more interfaces to the VRF.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# interface tunnel-ip 4000	
Step 3	ipv4 address ipv4-address subnet-mask	Assigns an IP address and subnet mask to the tunnel
	Example:	interface.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# ipv4 address 10.1.1.1 255.255.255.0	
Step 4	ipv6 address ipv6-prefix/prefix-length	Specifies an IPv6 network assigned to the interface.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# ipv6 address 100:1:1:1::1/64	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	<pre>ipv4 ipv6 bgp policy propagation input {ip-precedence qos-group} {destination[ip-precedence {destination source}] {source[ip-precedence {destination source}]]</pre>	Enables QPPB on the GRE tunnel interface
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination	
Step 6	tunnel source type path-id	Specifies the source of the tunnel interface.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# tunnel source TenGigE0/2/0/1	
Step 7	tunnel destination ip-address	Defines the tunnel destination.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# tunnel destination 100.100.100.20	
Step 8	Use the commit or end command.	commit —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 mode, without committing the configuration changes.

OPPB Scenario

Consider a scenario where in traffic is moving from Network1 to Network2 through (a single) router port1 and port2. If QPPB is enabled on port1, then

- for qos on ingress: attach an ingress policy on the interface port1.
- for qos on egress: attach an egress policy on interface port2.

Configuring Hierarchical Ingress Policing

The hierarchical ingress policing is supported at two levels:

• Parent level

• Child level

Restrictions

The Modular QoS command-line interface (MQC) provides hierarchical configuration, with the following limitations:

- The parent level consists of class defaults or class maps that match VLAN (in the case of nCmD policy).
- The child level consists of a flat policy that can be configured with the supported action or the **class-map** command.
- The parent policer value is used as a reference bandwidth for the child policy whenever required.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- **2. policy-map** *policy-name*
- 3. class class-name
- **4. service-policy** *policy-name*
- **5.** police rate percent percentage
- **6. conform-action** *action*
- **7. exceed-action** *action*
- **8.** Use the **commit** or **end** command.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	policy-map policy-name	Creates or modifies a policy map that can be attached to
	Example:	one or more interfaces to specify a service policy and enters the policy map configuration mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# policy-map parent	
Step 3	class class-name	Specifies the name of the class whose policy you want to
	Example:	create or change and enters the policy map class configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap)# class class-default</pre>	
Step 4	service-policy policy-name	Specifies the service-policy as a QoS policy within a policy
	Example:	map.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# service-policy child</pre>	7

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	<pre>police rate percent percentage Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c) # police rate percent 50</pre>	Configures traffic policing and enters policy map police configuration mode.
Step 6	<pre>conform-action action Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c-police)# conform-action transmit</pre>	Configures the action to take on packets that conform to the rate limit. The allowed action is transmit that transmits the packets.
Step 7	<pre>exceed-action action Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c-police)# exceed-action drop</pre>	Configures the action to take on packets that exceed the rate limit. The allowed action is drop that drops the packet.
Step 8	Use the commit or end command.	 commit — 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.

Matching the ATM CLP Bit

You can use the **match atm clp** command to enable packet matching on the basis of the ATM cell loss priority (CLP).

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. class-map class-name
- 3. match atm clp
- 4. exit

DETAILED STEPS

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	class-map class-name	Enters class map configuration mode.
	Example:	Creates a class map to be used for matching packets to the class whose name you specify.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# class-map c1	
Step 3	match atm clp	Sets the ATM cell loss priority (CLP) bit setting for all
	Example:	packets that match the specified traffic class. The ATM CLP bit value can be 0 or 1.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match atm clp	
Step 4	exit	Returns the router to the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# exit	

Configuring Policer Bucket Sharing

Perform these tasks to enable policer bucket sharing in the ingress direction.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. configure
- 2. class-map [type qos] [match-any] [match-all] class-map-name
- **3.** match precedence[number | name]
- 4. end-class-map
- **5. class-map** [**type qos**] [**match-any**] [**match-all**] *class-map-name*
- **6.** match precedence[number | name]
- 7. end-class-map
- **8. policy-map** [**type qos**] *policy-name*
- **9.** class class-name
- **10. police bucket shared** *policer instance name***rate***value*
- **11.** exit
- **12.** class class-name
- 13. police bucket referred policer instance name
- 14. exit
- 15. end-policy-map
- **16. interface** *type interface-path-id*
- **17. service-policy input** *policy-map*

18. Use the **commit** or **end** command.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router# configure	
Step 2	class-map [type qos] [match-any] [match-all] class-map-name	Creates a class map to be used for matching packets to the class specified and enters the class map configuration
	Example:	mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# class-map class1	If you specify match-any , any one match criteria must be met for traffic entering the traffic class to be classified as part of the traffic class. This is the default. If you specify match-all , the traffic must match all match criteria.
Step 3	match precedence[number name]	Identifies IP precedence values as match criteria. The range
	Example:	is from 0 to 7. Reserved keywords can be specified, instead of numeric values.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match precedence 5</pre>	
Step 4	end-class-map	Ends the class map configuration.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# end-class-map	
Step 5	class-map [type qos] [match-any] [match-all] class-map-name	Creates a class map to be used for matching packets to the class specified and enters the class map configuration
	Example:	mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# class-map class2	If you specify match-any , any one match criteria must be met, for traffic entering the traffic class to be classified as part of the traffic class. This is the default. If you specify match-all , the traffic must match all match criteria.
Step 6	match precedence[number name]	Identifies IP precedence values as match criteria. The range
	Example:	is from 0 to 7. Reserved keywords can be specified, instead of numeric values.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# match precedence 1</pre>	
Step 7	end-class-map	Ends the class map configuration.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-cmap)# end-class-map	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 8	policy-map [type qos] policy-name Example:	Creates or modifies a policy map that can be attached to one or more interfaces to specify a service policy and enters the policy map configuration mode.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# policy-map policy1	
Step 9	class class-name	Specifies the name of the class whose policy you want to
	Example:	create or change.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap)# class class1	
Step 10	police bucket shared policer instance nameratevalue	Defines and shares a policer bucket.
	Example:	In this example, shared policer bucket <i>policy1</i> is created to rate limit traffic at 2Mbps.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# policer bucket shared policy1 rate 2Mbps</pre>	
Step 11	exit	Returns the router to policy map configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# exit	
Step 12	class class-name	Specifies the name of the class whose policy you want to
	Example:	create or change.
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap)# class class2	
Step 13	police bucket referred policer instance name	Refers a shared policer bucket.
	Example:	In this example, policer bucket <i>policy1</i> is referred.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# policer bucket referred policy1</pre>	
Step 14	exit	Returns the router to policy map configuration mode.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap-c)# exit	
Step 15	end-policy-map	Ends the policy map configuration.
	Example:	
	RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-pmap)# end-policy-map	
Step 16	interface type interface-path-id	Configures an interface and enters the interface
	Example:	configuration mode.
	<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config)# interface gigabitethernet 100/0/0/0</pre>	

Command or Action	Purpose
service-policy input policy-map Example:	Attaches a policy map to an input interface to be used as the service policy for that interface.
<pre>RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if)# service-policy input policy1</pre>	
Use the commit or end command.	commit —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.
	<pre>service-policy input policy-map Example: RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router(config-if) # service-policy input policy1</pre>

Overview of Multiple QoS Policy Support

In Cisco Common Classification Policy Language (C3PL), the order of precedence of a class in a policy is based on the position of the class in the policy, that is, the class-map configuration which appears first in a policy-map has higher precedence. Also, the actions to be performed by the classified traffic are defined inline rather than using action templates. As a result of these two characteristics, aggregated actions cannot be applied to traffic that matches different classes.

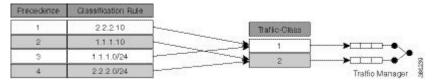
In order to overcome this limitation, the "Multiple QoS Policy Support" feature is introduced. This feature enables the users to apply aggregated actions to various classes of traffic and apply multiple QoS policies on an interface.

Use Case — Multiple QoS Policy Support

Consider a scenario where:

- The classification rules must be applied at different precedence levels.
- Each classification rule must be associated with non-queueing actions (that is, policing/marking).
- Multiple classification rules at different precedence levels must be mapped to a traffic-class.
- Each traffic-class or a group of traffic-classes must be associated with a single queue.

The figure below provides a detailed explanation of the above explained scenario—



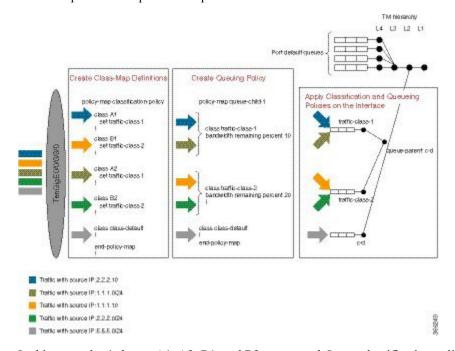
In this example, if the traffic packet matches 2.2.2.10 or 1.1.1.0/24, then the traffic packet is forwarded to the queue that is associated with traffic-class 1. And if the traffic packet matches 1.1.1.10 or 2.2.2.0/24, then the traffic packet is forwarded to the queue that is associated with traffic class 2.

With the existing Modular Quality of Service, we have the following limitations in order to achieve the above mentioned requirement—

- 1. Packets are matched in the order of precedence that is defined based on the position of the class-maps. There is no way to explicitly specify precedence for a class-map.
- 2. A queuing action under a class-map in a policy-map, creates a queue for that class.
- **3.** Queues cannot be shared across class-maps.

These limitations can be overcome by separating classification from queuing. By doing this, it is possible to reorder the class-map from higher precedence to lower precedence and also share queues with multiple class-maps.

The example below depicts the implementation—



In this example, 4 classes A1, A2, B1, and B2 are created. Later, classification policies and queueing policies for these classes (A1, A2, B1, and B2) are created. After this, both the classification and queuing policies are applied to the interface. The detailed configuration steps are explained in the following section.

Configuring Multiple QoS Policy Support

In brief, configuring Multiple QoS policy support involves the following steps—

1. Configure Class Map—In this procedure, the traffic classes are defined.

```
/*Defining ACLs for Traffic Filtering*/
ipv4 access-list acl-a1
  10 permit ipv4 host 2.2.2.10 any
ipv4 access-list acl-b1
```

```
10 permit ipv4 host 1.1.1.10 any
ipv4 access-list acl-a2
10 permit ipv4 1.1.1.0/24 any
ipv4 access-list acl-b2
10 permit ipv4 2.2.2.0/24 any
/*Creating Class Maps*/
class-map match-anv A1
match access-group ipv4 acl-a1
class-map match-any B1
match access-group ipv4 acl-b1
class-map match-any A2
match access-group ipv4 acl-a2
class-map match-any B2
match access-group ipv4 acl-b2
class-map match-any traffic-class-1
match traffic-class 1
class-map match-any traffic-class-2
match traffic-class 2
```

2. Configure Policy—In this procedure, the classification and the queuing policies are created.

```
class A1
  set traffic-class 1
  class B1
  set traffic-class 2
class A2
  set traffic-class 1
  class B2
  set traffic-class 2
  class class-default
!
/*Creating Queuing Policy*/
policy-map queue-parent
```

/*Creating Classification Policy*/
policy-map classification-policy

policy-map queue-parent class class-default service-policy queue-child shape average 50 mbps policy-map queue-child class traffic-class-1 bandwidth remaining percent 10 class traffic-class-2 bandwidth remaining percent 20 ! class class-default ! end-policy-map

3. Apply Multiple Services on an Interface—In this procedure, the classification and queuing policies are applied on the interface.

```
/*Applying Policies on an Interface*/
Interface TenGigE0/0/0/3/0
service-policy output classification-policy
service-policy output queue-parent
```

To summarize, two policies (classification and queuing policies) are applied in the Egress direction. The classification policy executes first and classifies traffic at different precedence levels and marks the traffic-class field. The queuing policy executes second, matches on the traffic-class field to select the queue. For traffic

matching in different classification precedence to share the same queue, mark the traffic-class field with the same value.

Verification

The **show gos interface** *interface-name* **output** command displays:

- per class per output policy QoS configuration values
- queuing policy followed by the classification policy
- traffic-classes matched by each class in queuing-policy

```
Router#show gos interface TenGigE 0/0/0/3/0 output
Interface: TenGigE0/0/0/3/0 output
Bandwidth configured: 50000 kbps Bandwidth programed: 50000 kbps
ANCP user configured: 0 kbps ANCP programed in HW: 0 kbps
Port Shaper programed in HW: 50000 kbps
Policy: queue-parent Total number of classes: 4
Level: O Policy: queue-parent Class: class-default
Matches: traffic-classes : { 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17,
 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39,
40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62,
 63.) and no traffic-class
QueueID: N/A
Shape CIR : NONE
Shape PIR Profile: 8 (Grid) Scale: 134 PIR: 49920 kbps PBS: 624000 bytes
WFQ Profile: 3/9 Committed Weight: 10 Excess Weight: 10
Bandwidth: 0 kbps, BW sum for Level 0: 0 kbps, Excess Ratio: 1
Level: 1 Policy: queue-child Class: traffic-class-1
Matches: traffic-classes : { 1}
Parent Policy: queue-parent Class: class-default
QueueID: 1040402 (Priority Normal)
Queue Limit: 66 kbytes Abs-Index: 19 Template: 0 Curve: 0
Shape CIR Profile: INVALID
WFQ Profile: 3/19 Committed Weight: 20 Excess Weight: 20
Bandwidth: 0 kbps, BW sum for Level 1: 0 kbps, Excess Ratio: 10
Level: 1 Policy: queue-child Class: traffic-class-2
Matches: traffic-classes : {2}
Parent Policy: queue-parent Class: class-default
QueueID: 1040403 (Priority Normal)
Queue Limit: 126 kbytes Abs-Index: 29 Template: 0 Curve: 0
Shape CIR Profile: INVALID
WFQ Profile: 3/39 Committed Weight: 40 Excess Weight: 40
Bandwidth: 0 kbps, BW sum for Level 1: 0 kbps, Excess Ratio: 20
______
Level: 1 Policy: queue-child Class: class-default
Matches: traffic-classes : { 0, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18,
19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41,
42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63,}
and no traffic-class
Parent Policy: queue-parent Class: class-default
QueueID: 1040404 (Priority Normal)
Queue Limit: 446 kbytes Abs-Index: 52 Template: 0 Curve: 0
Shape CIR Profile: INVALID
WFQ Profile: 3/98 Committed Weight: 139 Excess Weight: 139
Bandwidth: 0 kbps, BW sum for Level 1: 0 kbps, Excess Ratio: 70
Interface: TenGigE0/0/0/3/0 output
Bandwidth configured: 10000000 kbps Bandwidth programed: 10000000 kbps
```

```
ANCP user configured: 0 kbps ANCP programed in HW: 0 kbps
Port Shaper programed in HW: 0 kbps
Policy: classification-policy Total number of classes: 5
Level: 0 Policy: classification-policy Class: A1
Set traffic-class : 1
QueueID: 0 (Port Default)
Policer Profile: 59 (Single)
Conform: 100000 kbps (100 mbps) Burst: 1250000 bytes (0 Default)
Child Policer Conform: TX
Child Policer Exceed: DROP
Child Policer Violate: DROP
Level: 0 Policy: classification-policy Class: B1
Set traffic-class : 2
QueueID: 0 (Port Default)
Policer Profile: 60 (Single)
Conform: 200000 kbps (200 mbps) Burst: 2500000 bytes (0 Default)
Child Policer Conform: TX
Child Policer Exceed: DROP
Child Policer Violate: DROP
Level: 0 Policy: classification-policy Class: A2
Set traffic-class : 1
OueueID: 0 (Port Default)
Policer Profile: 61 (Single)
Conform: 300000 kbps (300 mbps) Burst: 3750000 bytes (0 Default)
Child Policer Conform: TX
Child Policer Exceed: DROP
Child Policer Violate: DROP
Level: 0 Policy: classification-policy Class: B2
Set traffic-class : 2
OueueID: 0 (Port Default)
Policer Profile: 62 (Single)
Conform: 400000 kbps (400 mbps) Burst: 5000000 bytes (0 Default)
Child Policer Conform: TX
Child Policer Exceed: DROP
Child Policer Violate: DROP
Level: O Policy: classification-policy Class: class-default
QueueID: 0 (Port Default)
```

Restrictions for Multiple QoS Policy Support

Policy Classification Restrictions

- Classification policy must always be executed before the queuing policy. Also, queuing actions are not supported within a classification policy.
- Classification policy supports unconditional set traffic-class actions. The valid values for **set traffic-class** are 0-63.
- In a conditional policer action, set traffic-class action is not supported.
- At least one **set traffic-class** action must be present for a policy to be considered a classification policy in the multi policy context.
- Only two additional packet fields can be unconditionally set along with set traffic-class.

- Class-maps in a classification policy cannot be used to match on traffic-class.
- Only one **set traffic-class** action is permitted in a hierarchy (either parent or child).
- Flow aware and shared policers are not supported.
- In a three-level policy, set traffic-class action is permitted only at the lowest two-levels.
- In a policer action, conditional **set traffic-class** is not supported.

Queuing Policy Restrictions

- Queuing policy can only classify on **traffic-class** field.
 - Valid values for **match traffic-class** are 0-63.
 - Class-maps can match up to 8 discreet traffic-class values or traffic-class ranges.
- At least one class-map with **match traffic-class** must be present for a policy to be considered a queuing policy in the multiple gos policy support feature.
- Class-map with match **not** traffic-class is not supported.
- Non-queuing actions like policer and set are not supported.
- Since policer is not supported in queuing policy, when priority level 1 queue is used, the service rate computed for lower priority queues is very low (with priority 1 utilizing all the bandwidth, the bandwidth remaining for lower priority queues is very low). Due to the same reason, **minimum bandwidth** is also not be supported with priority level 1. However, **bandwidth remaining ratio** may be used instead of **minimum bandwidth**. Since the **default queue-limit** and **time based queue-limit** configurations use service-rate to calculate **queue-limit** in bytes, it is recommended to explicitly configure queue-limit in bytes when using priority 1 queue.

Applying Multiple Services on an Interface Restrictions

- Applying multiple polices is supported only when one policy is a classification policy and the other policy is a queuing policy.
- Applying multiple polices (not more than 2 policies) is supported only in the egress direction. Applying more than 1 policy in the ingress direction is not supported.
- Applying multiple policies is supported only on the following interfaces:
 - Main-interface
 - Sub-interface
 - Bundle interface
 - Bundle sub-interface
- Applying Multi policies is not supported on the following interfaces:
 - PWHE
 - GRE
 - BVI

- Satellite interfaces
- Multi policies are only supported on Cisco ASR 9000 High Density 100GE Ethernet line cards, Cisco ASR 9000 Enhanced Ethernet line cards, and Cisco ASR 9000 Ethernet line cards.
- The same classification policy cannot be applied with different queuing policies on a different interface of the same line card.
- Classification policy and queuing policy cannot be applied with any of the following feature options
 - · account
 - · service-fragment-parent
 - shared-policy-instance
 - subscriber-parent

Policy Combinations

The different policy combinations are displayed in the below table:

Policies Already Applied on the Interface			Policies that are yet to be Applied on the Interface			Accepted
Regular Policy (no set/match traffic-class)	Classification Policy	Queuing Policy	Regular Policy (no set/match traffic-class)	Classification Policy	Queuing Policy	
Yes	No	No	Any combinat	No		
No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No
			No	No	No	No
			Yes	No	No	No
			No	No	Yes	Yes
			No	Yes	Yes	No
			No	Yes	Yes	No
No	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes
			Yes	Yes	No	No
			No	No	Yes	No
			No	Yes	Yes	No
			No	Yes	Yes	No
No	Yes	Yes	Any combinat	No		



Note

To change a policy to a different policy of the same type you must first remove the existing policy and then apply the new policy.

Multi Policy and Interface Hierarchy

Multi Policy and Interface Hierarchy is displayed in the below table:

Main/Bundle Interface			Sub/Bundle Sub Interface			Comments
Regular Policy (no set/match traffic-class)	Classification Policy	Queuing Policy	Regular Policy	Classification Policy	Queuing Policy	
Non Port Shaper Policy	No	No	No policy al	The policy is enabled and is inherited by all the child interfaces. The same policy executes on the main interface and all its child interface traffic.		
No	Yes	No	No policy al	Policy is disabled		
No	Yes	No	No policy al	Policy is disabled		

Main/Bundle Interface			Sub/Bundle Sub Interface	Comments
No	Yes	Yes	No policy allowed on child interfaces	Both policies are enabled and are inherited by all the child interfaces. The classification policy is executed first, followed by the queuing policy on the main interface and all its child interface traffic.

Main/Bundle Interface		Sub/Bundle Sub Interface Com			Comments	
Port Shaper Policy	No	No	Yes	No	No	Main interface policy enabled.
						Sub interface policy is enabled and uses the port shaper rate as the reference bandwidth.
						If port shaper is applied after sub interface policy, then the applied sub interface policy will be updated with the new reference bandwidth. If the port shaper rate is lower than any sub interface policy rate, then the port shaper policy is rejected.
			No	Yes	No	Main interface policy enabled. Sub interface policy is disabled
			No	No	Yes	Main interface policy enabled. Sub interface policy is disabled

Main/Bundle Interface		Sub/Bundle Sub Interface			Comments
		No	Yes	Yes	Main interface policy enabled.
					Both the sub interface policies are enabled and both the policies use the port shaper rate as the reference bandwidth.
					If port shaper is applied after sub interface policies, then both the applied sub interface policies will be updated with the new reference bandwidth. If the port shaper rate is
					lower than any sub interface policy rate, then the port shaper policy is rejected.

Main/Bundle Interface	Sub/Bundle Sub Interface			Comments
Non port shaper policy not allowed on main interface	Yes	No	No	Policy is enabled
	No	Yes	No	Policy is disabled
	No	No	Yes	Policy is disabled
	No	Yes	Yes	Both policies are enabled and the classification policy is executed first followed by the queuing policy.

Statistics

Users can retrieve and verify the classification and queuing policy statistics per interface (per direction) in a multi-policy configuration, using the show policy-map interface interface-name output pmap-name command.

The **show policy-map interface** all, **show policy-map interface** *interface-name*, and **show policy-map interface** *interface-name* output displays statistics for all the policies in the each direction on an interface.

Classification Policy

- Statistics counters are allocated for every leaf class and updated for every packet match match counters.
- Statistics counters are allocated for each policer used in the policy and updated during policing operation.
- There are no queue counters.

Queuing policy

- Each queue has a transmit and drop statistics counter associated with it which is updated for every queuing operation.
- There is a separate drop counter for each WRED color/curve in a queuing class.
- No match counters are allocated for a class. Instead, match counters is derived by adding the queue transmit statistics and all the queue drop statistics.

Example: Egress Policy Classification Statistics

Router# show policy-map interface TenGigE 0/0/0/3/9.1 output pmap-name classification

TenGigE0/0/0/3/9.1 output: classification
Class A1
Classification statistics (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)

```
Matched : Transmitted : N/A Total Dropped : N/A
                                  83714645/83714645000 100006
Class B1
 Classification statistics
                                  (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)
   Matched : Transmitted : N/
                                  83714645/83714645000 100006
                      : N/A
   Total Dropped
                     : N/A
                                  (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)
 Classification statistics
   Transmitted :
   Matched
                                  83714645/83714645000 100006
                      : N/A
   Total Dropped : N/A
Class B2
                                  (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)
 Classification statistics
   Matched :
                                  83714645/83714645000 100006
    Transmitted
                      : N/A
   Total Dropped : N/A
Class class-default
 Classification statistics
                                  (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)
                                  0/0
   Matched : N/
                                                     0
   \begin{array}{ccc} \text{Transmitted} & : \text{ N/A} \\ \text{Total Dropped} & : \text{ N/A} \\ \end{array}
```

Example: Egress Queuing Policy Statistics

Router# show policy-map interface TenGigE 0/0/0/3/9.1 output pmap-name queueing

```
TenGigE0/0/0/3/9.1 output: queueing
Class class-default
 Classification statistics (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)
Matched : 534226989/534226989000 400067
Transmitted : 355884870/355884870000 280381
Total Dropped : 106961210/106961210000 119726
  Policy queueing-child Class traffic-class-1
    Classification statistics (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)

Matched : 178155114/178155114000 200014

Transmitted : 178155114/178155114000 200014
      Total Dropped :
                                                    0/0
    Queueing statistics
                                               : 647264
       Queue ID
                                                : N/A
       High watermark
       Inst-queue-len (packets)
                                                : 0
       Avg-queue-len
                                                  : N/A
      Taildropped(packets/bytes) : 0/0
Queue(conform) : 178155114/178155114000
                                                                                 200014
      Queue(exceed) : 0/0 RED random drops(packets/bytes) : 0/0
  Policy queueing-child Class traffic-class-2
    Classification statistics (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)

Matched : 178098546/178098546000 200111
      Matched : Transmitted :
                                         71137336/71137336000
106961210/106961210000
      Transmitted :
Total Dropped :
                                                                                80385
                                                                                119726
    Queueing statistics
      Queue ID
High watermark
                                                  : 647265
                                                 : N/A
      Inst-queue-len (packets)
                                                 : 1620
                                          : N/A
: 106961210/106961210000
       Avg-queue-len
       Taildropped (packets/bytes)
Queue (conform) :
                                              71137336/71137336000
                                                                                 80385
      Queue(exceed) : 0/0 RED random drops(packets/bytes) : 0/0
Policy egress-queueing-child Class class-default
    Classification statistics (packets/bytes) (rate - kbps)
```

Matched	:		0/0	0
Transmitted	:		0/0	0
Total Dropped	:		0/0	0
Queueing statistic	S			
Queue ID		:	647266	
High watermark		:	N/A	
Inst-queue-len	(packets)	:	0	
Avg-queue-len		:	N/A	
Taildropped(pack	ets/bytes)	:	0/0	
Queue(conform)	:		0/0	0
Queue (exceed)	:		0/0	0
RED random drops	(packets/bytes)	:	0/0	

Restrictions for Statistics

- The clear counters all is not supported for multi policy.
- The match statistics in a queuing policy are derived from the queue statistics. Therefore, there is no match statistics available for classes, which do not have a dedicated queue. Statistics for packets matching such classes (with no dedicated queue) shows up in the match statistics in the corresponding queuing class.
- Per classification class queue transmit and drop statistics are not available; only aggregated queue transmit
 and drop statistics are available.

Policy Modification

Modifying a policy when it is already applied on the interface, which is referred to as "In-place modification" is supported for both classification policy and queuing policy.

When a classification policy (or an ACL used in a classification policy) is modified, the previously applied classification policy and the corresponding queueing policy are removed from all interfaces. Then, the modified version of the classification policy is applied and the configured queuing policy is reapplied on all interfaces. If there is an error on any interface when applying the modified version of the classification policy, then all changes are reverted. That is, the modified version is removed from all interfaces on which it was applied and the previous (original, unmodified) version of both policies are reapplied on all interfaces. The modification attempt is terminated.

This modification process is the same for any modifications of the queuing policy. The previously applied queuing policy is removed and the modified version is applied (along with a reapplication of the corresponding classification policy.) In cases of error, the modification attempt is terminated and the previous versions of both policies are reapplied on all interfaces.

Since both classification and queuing polices are removed and then reapplied when either policy is modified, statistic counters in both policies is reset after a successful or failed modification.

Policy Modification Restrictions

- When a classification policy is applied on an interface, any modification, which changes it to a
 non-classification policy, for example, removing all set traffic-class actions or adding a class that matches
 on traffic-class, is rejected.
- So, in order to modify a classification policy to a non-classification policy, users must first remove the policy from all the interfaces and then modify.
- When a queuing policy is applied on an interface, any modification, which changes it to a non-queuing policy, for example, removing all classes that match on traffic-class, or adding a non-queuing action

(police or set), is rejected. So, in order to modify a queuing policy to a non-queuing policy, users must first remove the policy from all the interfaces and then modify.

Supported Features by Multi Policies

The following table displays the features supported and not supported by Multi policies—

Feature	Multi Policy- Classification	Multi Policy- Queuing
Classification	Except traffic-class field, all other fields that are currently supported	Only on traffic-class field
Unconditional Marking	Traffic-class and all other fields that are currently supported	No
1R2C	Yes	
1R3C		
2R3C		
Policer/Conditional Marking	Except traffic-class field, all other fields that are currently supported	
Grand Parent Policer	Yes	
Color Aware Policer		
Conform Aware Policer		
Shared Policer	No	
Flow Aware Policer	No	
Priority	No	
Shape		
Bandwidth		
Bandwidth Remaining		Yes
WRED		Supported but no WRED classification on traffic-class
Statistics	Match counters, policer exceed/conform/violate counters	Match, queue transmit, queue drop, WRED drop counters
Rate Calculation	Match and policer statistics	Match and queue statistics
SPI	No	No
Port Shaper	Yes	Yes
Policy Inheritance	Yes	Yes

Configuration Examples for Configuring Modular QoS Packet Classification

Traffic Classes Defined: Example

In this example, two traffic classes are created and their match criteria are defined. For the first traffic class called class1, ACL 101 is used as the match criterion. For the second traffic class called class2, ACL 102 is used as the match criterion. Packets are checked against the contents of these ACLs to determine if they belong to the class.

```
class-map class1
  match access-group ipv4 101
  exit
!
class-map class2
  match access-group ipv4 102
  exit
```

Use the **not** keyword with the **match** command to perform a match based on the values of a field that are not specified. The following example includes all packets in the class qos_example with a DSCP value other than 4, 8, or 10.

```
class-map match-any qos_example
  match not dscp 4 8 10
!
end
```

Traffic Policy Created: Example

In this example, a traffic policy called policy1 is defined to contain policy specifications for the two classes—class1 and class2. The match criteria for these classes were defined in the traffic classes created in the Traffic Classes Defined: Example.

For class1, the policy includes a bandwidth allocation request and a maximum byte limit for the queue reserved for the class. For class2, the policy specifies only a bandwidth allocation request.

```
policy-map policy1
  class class1
   bandwidth 3000 kbps
   queue-limit 1000 packets
!
  class class2
   bandwidth 2000 kbps
!
  class class-default
!
end-policy-map
!
end
```

Traffic Policy Attached to an Interface: Example

This example shows how to attach an existing traffic policy to an interface (see the Traffic Classes Defined: Example). After you define a traffic policy with the policy-map command, you can attach it to one or more interfaces to specify the traffic policy for those interfaces by using the **service-policy** command in interface configuration mode. Although you can assign the same traffic policy to multiple interfaces, each interface can have only one traffic policy attached at the input and only one traffic policy attached at the output.

```
interface pos 0/1/0/0
  service-policy output policy1
  exit
```

Default Traffic Class Configuration: Example

This example shows how to configure a traffic policy for the default class of the traffic policy called policy1. The default class is named class-default, consists of all other traffic, and is being shaped at 60 percent of the interface bandwidth.

```
policy-map policy1
  class class-default
   shape average percent 60
```

class-map match-any Command Configuration: Example

This example illustrates how packets are evaluated when multiple match criteria exist. Only one match criterion must be met for the packet in the **class-map match-any** command to be classified as a member of the traffic class (a logical OR operator). In the example, protocol IP OR QoS group 4 OR access group 101 have to be successful match criteria:

```
class-map match-any class1
  match protocol ipv4
  match qos-group 4
  match access-group ipv4 101
```

In the traffic class called class1, the match criteria are evaluated consecutively until a successful match criterion is located. The packet is first evaluated to determine whether IPv4 protocol can be used as a match criterion. If IPv4 protocol can be used as a match criterion, the packet is matched to traffic class class1. If IP protocol is not a successful match criterion, then QoS group 4 is evaluated as a match criterion. Each matching criterion is evaluated to see if the packet matches that criterion. Once a successful match occurs, the packet is classified as a member of traffic class class1. If the packet matches at least one of the specified criteria, the packet is classified as a member of the traffic class.



Note

The **match qos-group** command is supported only on an egress policy and on an ingress policy for QoS Policy Propagation using BGP (QPPB)-based policies.

Traffic Policy as a QoS Policy (Hierarchical Traffic Policies) Configuration: Examples

A traffic policy can be nested within a QoS policy when the **service-policy** command is used in policy map class configuration mode. A traffic policy that contains a nested traffic policy is called a hierarchical traffic policy.

Hierarchical traffic policies can be attached to all supported interfaces for this Cisco IOS XR software release, such as the OC-192 and 10-Gigabit Ethernet interfaces.

Two-Level Hierarchical Traffic Policy Configuration: Example

A two-level hierarchical traffic policy contains a child and a parent policy. The child policy is the previously defined traffic policy that is being associated with the new traffic policy through the use of the **service-policy** command. The new traffic policy using the pre-existing traffic policy is the parent policy. In the example in this section, the traffic policy called child is the child policy, and the traffic policy called parent is the parent policy.

In this example, the child policy is responsible for prioritizing traffic, and the parent policy is responsible for shaping traffic. In this configuration, the parent policy allows packets to be sent from the interface, and the child policy determines the order in which the packets are sent.

Class-based Unconditional Packet Marking: Examples

These are typical class-based unconditional packet marking examples:

IP Precedence Marking Configuration: Example

In this example, a service policy called *policy1* is created. This service policy is associated to a previously defined class map called *class1* through the use of the **class** command, and then the service policy is attached to the output POS interface 0/1/0/0. The IP precedence bit in the ToS byte is set to 1:

```
policy-map policy1
  class class1
    set precedence 1
!
interface pos 0/1/0/0
  service-policy output policy1
```

IP DSCP Marking Configuration: Example

In this example, a service policy called policy1 is created. This service policy is associated to a previously defined class map through the use of the **class** command. In this example, it is assumed that a class map called class1 was previously configured and new class map called class2 is created.

In this example, the IP DSCP value in the ToS byte is set to 5:

```
policy-map policy1
  class class1
    set dscp 5

  class class2
    set dscp ef
```

After you configure the settings shown for voice packets at the edge, all intermediate routers are configured to provide low-latency treatment to the voice packets, as follows:

```
class-map voice
  match dscp ef
policy-map qos-policy
  class voice
    priority level 1
    police rate percent 10
```

The service policy configured in this section is not yet attached to an interface. For information on attaching a service policy to an interface, see the Modular Quality of Service Overview on Cisco IOS XR Software module

QoS Group Marking Configuration: Example

In this example, a service policy called policy1 is created. This service policy is associated to a class map called class1 through the use of the **class** command, and then the service policy is attached in the input direction on a GigabitEthernet interface 0/1/0/9. The qos-group value is set to 1.

```
class-map match-any class1
  match protocol ipv4
  match access-group ipv4 101

policy-map policy1
  class class1
    set qos-group 1
!
interface GigabitEthernet 0/1/0/9
  service-policy input policy1
```



Note

The **set qos-group** command is supported only on an ingress policy.

Discard Class Marking Configuration: Example

In this example, a service policy called policy1 is created. This service policy is associated to a class map called class1 through the use of the **class** command, and then the service policy is attached in the input direction on a POS interface 0/1/0/0. The discard-class value is set to 1.

```
class-map match-any class1
  match protocol ipv4
  match access-group ipv4 101

policy-map policy1
  class class1
    set discard-class 1
!
interface POS interface 0/1/0/0
  service-policy input policy1
```



Note

The unconditional **set discard-class** command is supported only on a Cisco CRS ingress policy.

CoS Marking Configuration: Example

In this example, a service policy called *policy1* is created. This service policy is associated to a class map called *class1* through the use of the **class** command, and then the service policy is attached in the output direction on a 10-Gigabit Ethernet interface, TenGigE0/1/0/0. The 802.1p (CoS) bits in the Layer 2 header are set to 1.

```
class-map match-any class1
  match protocol ipv4
  match access-group ipv4 101

policy-map policy1
  class class1
    set cos 1
!
interface TenGigEO/1/0/0
interface TenGigEO/1/0/0.100
  service-policy output policy1
```



Note

The **set cos** command is supported only on egress.

MPLS Experimental Bit Imposition Marking Configuration: Example

In this example, a service policy called *policy1* is created. This service policy is associated to a class map called *class1* through the use of the **class** command, and then the service policy is attached in the input direction on a 10-Gigabit Ethernet interface, TenGigE0/1/0/0. The MPLS EXP bits of all imposed labels are set to 1.

```
class-map match-any class1
  match protocol ipv4
  match access-group ipv4 101

policy-map policy1
  class class1
    set mpls exp imposition 1
!
interface TenGigEO/1/0/0
  service-policy input policy1
```



Note

The set mpls exp imposition command is supported only on an ingress policy.

MPLS Experimental Topmost Marking Configuration: Example

In this example, a service policy called *policy1* is created. This service policy is associated to a class map called *class1* through the use of the **class** command, and then the service policy is attached in the output direction on a 10-Gigabit Ethernet interface, TenGigE0/1/0/0. The MPLS EXP bits on the TOPMOST label are set to 1:

```
class-map match-any class1
  match mpls exp topmost 2
policy-map policy1
```

```
class class1
   set mpls exp topmost 1
!
interface TenGigEO/1/0/0
service-policy output policy1
```

QoS Policy Propagation using BGP: Examples

These are the IPv4 and IPv6 QPPB examples:

Applying Route Policy: Example

In this example, BGP is being configured for the IPv4 address family:

```
router bgp 100
bgp router-id 19.19.19.19
address-family ipv4 unicast
table-policy qppbv4_dest
!
neighbor 10.10.10.10
remote-as 8000
address-family ipv4 unicast
route-policy pass-all in
route-policy pass-all out
```

In this example, BGP is being configured for the IPv6 address family:

```
router bgp 100
bgp router-id 19.19.19.19
address-family ipv6 unicast
  table-policy qppbv6_dest
!
neighbor 1906:255::2
  remote-as 8000
  address-family ipv6 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
```

Applying QPPB on a Specific Interface: Example

This example shows applying QPPBv4 (address-family IPv4) for a desired interface:

```
config
interface POS0/0/0/0
ipv4 address 10.1.1.1
ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
end
commit
!
```

This example shows applying QPPBv6 (address-family IPv6) for a desired interface:

```
config
interface POSO/0/0/0
ipv6 address 1906:255::1/64
ipv6 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
end
commit
!
```

Applying QPPB on a GRE Tunnel Interface: Example

This example shows applying QPPBv4 (address-family IPv4) for a GRE tunnel interface:

```
config interface tunnel-ip 4000 ipv4 address 10.1.1.1 ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination tunnel source TenGigE0/2/0/1 tunnel destination 145.12.5.2 end commit
```

This example shows applying QPPBv6 (address-family IPv6) for a GRE tunnel interface:

```
config interface tunnel-ip 3000 ipv6 address 1906:255::1/64 ipv6 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination tunnel source TenGigE0/2/0/1 tunnel destination 145.12.5.2 end commit
```

Route Policy Configuration: Examples

BGP Community Configuration: Example

This configuration is an example of configuring route policy in a BGP community:

```
route-policy qppb-comm6200
 if community matches-any (61100:10, 61200:20, 61300:30) then
   set qos-group 11
  elseif community matches-any (62100:10, 62200:20, 62300:30) then
   set qos-group 12
  else
   set gos-group 1
  endif
  pass
end-policy
router bgp 100
bgp router-id 10.10.10.10
 address-family ipv4 unicast
 table-policy qppb-comm6200
 network 201.32.21.0/24
 network 201.37.5.0/24
 neighbor 201.1.0.2
 remote-as 61100
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
 neighbor 201.2.0.2
 remote-as 61200
```

```
address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
   route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 201.32.21.2
 remote-as 62100
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 201.32.22.2
 remote-as 62200
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
   route-policy pass-all out
 !
interface GigabitEthernet 0/1/0/9
service-policy output comm-p1-out
 ipv4 address 201.1.0.1 255.255.255.0
ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
negotiation auto
interface GigabitEthernet 0/1/5/6
 service-policy input comm-p1-in
 ipv4 address 201.32.21.1 255.255.255.0
ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group source
negotiation auto
```

Autonomous System Path Configuration: Example

This configuration is an example of configuring a route policy in an autonomous system path:

```
policy-map p11-in
class class-gos10
  set discard-class 3
 shape average percent 20
 class class-qos20
 set precedence flash-override
  shape average percent 30
class class-qos30
 set precedence critical
 shape average percent 40
 class class-qos11
 set precedence priority
 shape average percent 10
class class-gos12
  set precedence immediate
 shape average percent 20
 class class-qos13
 set precedence flash
  shape average percent 30
```

```
!
policy-map p11-out
class class-qos10
 set precedence priority
 police rate percent 20
 !
 class class-qos20
 set precedence immediate
 police rate percent 30
class class-qos30
 set precedence critical
 police rate percent 40
class class-qos11
 set precedence immediate
 police rate percent 20
class class-qos12
 set precedence flash
 police rate percent 30
 - 1
class class-qos13
 set precedence flash-override
 police rate percent 40
 !
 class class-default
 end-policy-map
!
route-policy qppb-as6000
 if as-path in (ios-regex '61100, 61200, 61300') then
   set qos-group 10
  elseif as-path in (ios-regex '62100, 62200, 62300') then
   set qos-group 20
  elseif as-path in (ios-regex '63100, 63200, 63300') then
   set qos-group 30
  elseif as-path neighbor-is '61101' or as-path neighbor-is '61201' then
   set qos-group 11
  elseif as-path neighbor-is '61102' or as-path neighbor-is '61202' then
   set qos-group 12
  elseif as-path neighbor-is '61103' or as-path neighbor-is '61203' then
   set qos-group 13
  else
   set qos-group 2
 endif
end-policy
router bgp 100
bgp router-id 10.10.10.10
 address-family ipv4 unicast
 table-policy qppb-as6000
 network 201.32.21.0/24
 network 201.37.5.0/24
```

```
neighbor 201.1.0.2
 remote-as 61100
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 201.2.0.2
 remote-as 61200
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 201.32.21.2
 remote-as 62100
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
 - 1
neighbor 201.32.22.2
 remote-as 62200
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
interface GigabitEthernet 0/0/5/4
service-policy output pl1-out
ipv4 address 201.1.0.1 255.255.255.0
ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
negotiation auto
interface GigabitEthernet 0/1/5/6
service-policy input p11-in
 ipv4 address 201.32.21.1 255.255.255.0
ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group source
negotiation auto
```

QPPB Source Prefix Configuration: Example

This configuration is an example of configuring QPPB source prefix:

```
route-policy qppb-src10-20
  if source in (201.1.1.0/24 le 32) then
    set qos-group 10
  elseif source in (201.2.2.0/24 le 32) then
    set qos-group 20
  else
    set qos-group 1
  endif
  pass
end-policy
!

router bgp 100
  bgp router-id 10.10.10.10
  address-family ipv4 unicast
  table-policy qppb-src10-
```

```
neighbor 201.1.1.2
 remote-as 62100
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
   route-policy pass-all out
 !
 neighbor 201.2.2.2
 remote-as 62200
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 202.4.1.1
 remote-as 100
 address-family ipv4 unicast
 1
1
policy-map p1-in
class class-qos10
 set discard-class 4
 shape average percent 20
class class-qos20
 set precedence critical
 shape average percent 30
 class class-default
 end-policy-map
policy-map p2-out
class class-qos10
 set precedence priority
 police rate percent 30
 class class-qos20
 set precedence immediate
 police rate percent 40
 class class-default
 end-policy-map
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/5/4
service-policy output p1-in
ipv4 address 201.1.0.1 255.255.255.0
 ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group source
negotiation auto
interface GigabitEthernet0/1/5/6
service-policy input p2-out
ipv4 address 201.32.21.1 255.255.255.0
ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
 negotiation auto
 1
```

QPPB Destination Prefix Configuration: Example

This configuration is an example of QPPB destination prefix:

```
route-policy qppb-des10to20
 if destination in (10.10.0.0/16 le 28) then
   set qos-group 10
 elseif destination in (10.11.0.0/16 le 28) then
   set qos-group 11
  elseif destination in (10.12.0.0/16 le 28) then
   set qos-group 12
  elseif destination in (10.13.0.0/16 le 28) then
    set qos-group 13
 elseif destination in (10.14.0.0/16 le 28) then
   set qos-group 14
 elseif destination in (10.15.0.0/16 le 28) then
   set gos-group 15
 elseif destination in (20.20.0.0/16 le 28) then
   set qos-group 20
 else
   set qos-group 1
 endif
 pass
end-policy
router bgp 100
bgp router-id 10.10.10.10
address-family ipv4 unicast
 table-policy qppb-des10to20
neighbor 201.1.1.2
 remote-as 62100
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 201.1.2.2
 remote-as 62102
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 201.1.3.2
 remote-as 62103
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 201.1.4.2
 remote-as 62104
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
  route-policy pass-all out
neighbor 201.1.5.2
 remote-as 62105
 address-family ipv4 unicast
  route-policy pass-all in
```

```
route-policy pass-all out
policy-map p11-in
class class-qos10
 set precedence priority
 shape average percent 30
 class class-gos11
  set precedence immediate
 shape average percent 10
 class class-qos12
 set precedence flash
 shape average percent 15
class class-qos13
 set precedence flash-override
 shape average percent 20
class class-qos14
 set precedence flash
 shape average percent 25
class class-gos15
 set precedence flash-override
 shape average percent 30
 class class-qos20
 set precedence critical
 shape average percent 40
class class-default
end-policy-map
policy-map p1-out
class class-qos10
 set precedence priority
 police rate percent 30
class class-qos20
 set precedence critical
 police rate percent 40
class class-default
end-policy-map
interface GigabitEthernet0/2/2/1
service-policy output p1-out
 ipv4 address 201.1.0.1 255.255.255.0
 ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group source
negotiation auto
interface GigabitEthernet0/2/2/1.2
service-policy input p11-in
ipv4 address 201.1.2.1 255.255.255.0
ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
dot1q vlan 2
!
```

```
interface GigabitEthernet0/2/2/1.3
  service-policy input p11-in
  ipv4 address 201.1.3.1 255.255.255.0
  ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
  dot1q vlan 3
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/2/2/1.4
  service-policy input p11-in
  ipv4 address 201.1.4.1 255.255.255.0
  ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
  dot1q vlan 4
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/2/2/1.5
  service-policy input p11-in
  ipv4 address 201.1.5.1 255.255.255.0
  ipv4 bgp policy propagation input qos-group destination
  dot1q vlan 5
```

Hierarchical Ingress Policing: Example

Hierarchical policing allows service providers to provision the bandwidth that is available on one link among many customers. Traffic is policed first at the child policer level and then at the parent policer level.

In this example, the child policy specifies a police rate of 40 percent. This is 40 percent of the *transmitted* rate in the parent policy. The parent policy specifies a police rate of 50 percent. This is 50 percent of the interface rate. The child policy remarks traffic that exceeds the conform rate; the parent policy drops traffic that exceeds the conform rate.

```
interface GigabitEthernet0/1/5/7
service-policy input parent
mac-accounting ingress
mac-accounting egress
class-map match-any customera
match vlan 10-30
end-class-map
class-map match-any customerb
match vlan 40-70
end-class-map
class-map match-any precedence-5
match precedence 5
end-class-map
policy-map child
class precedence-5
 priority level 1
 police rate percent 40
 class class-default
 police rate percent 30
  conform-action set precedence 2
   exceed-action set precedence 0
  !
 end-policy-map
```

```
policy-map parent
class customera
service-policy child
police rate percent 50
conform-action transmit
exceed-action drop
!
!
class customerb
service-policy child
police rate percent 20
conform-action transmit
exceed-action drop
!
!
class class-default
!
end-policy-map
```

In-Place Policy Modification: Example

This configuration is an example of in-place policy modification:

Defining a policy map:

```
configure
policy-map policy1
class class1
set precedence 3
commit
```

Attaching the policy map to an interface:

```
configure
interface POS 0/6/0/1
service-policy output policy1
commit
```

Modifying the precedence value of the policy map:

```
configure
policy-map policy1
class class1
set precedence 5
commit
```



Note

The modified policy *policy1* takes effect on all the interfaces to which the policy is attached. Also, you can modify any class-map used in the policy-map. The changes made to the class-map takes effect on all the interfaces to which the policy is attached.

Configuring Inter Class Policer Bucket Sharing: Example

In this example, policer bucket *policy1* is defined and shared by class *class1*. The shared policer bucket *policy1* is referred by class *class2*.

```
configure
class-map class1
match precedence 5
!
class-map class2
match precedence 1
!
policy-map parent
class class1
   police bucket shared policy1 rate 2 mbps
class class2
   police bucket referred policy1
end-policy-map
```

Additional References

These sections provide references related to implementing packet classification.

Related Documents

Related Topic	Document Title
Initial system bootup and configuration	Cisco IOS XR Getting Started Guide for the Cisco CRS Router
QoS commands	Cisco IOS XR Modular Quality of Service Command Reference for the Cisco CRS Router
User groups and task IDs	"Configuring AAA Services on Cisco IOS XR Software" module of Cisco IOS XR System Security Configuration Guide
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