



# Configure Secure Storage

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Secure Storage feature allows you to secure critical configuration information by encrypting it. It encrypts VPN, IPSec, and other asymmetric key-pairs, pre-shared secrets, the type 6 password encryption key and certain credentials. An instance-unique encryption key is stored in the hardware trust anchor to prevent it from being compromised.

By default, this feature is enabled on platforms that come with a hardware trust anchor. This feature is not supported on platforms that do not have hardware trust anchor.

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## Enable Secure Storage

### Before you begin

By default, this feature is enabled on a platform. Use this procedure on a platform where it is disabled.

### Procedure

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**Step 1** Config terminal

**Example:**

```
router#config terminal
```

Enters the configuration mode.

**Step 2** service private-config-encryption

**Example:**

```
router(config)# service private-config-encryption
```

Enables the Secure Storage feature on your platform.

**Step 3** do write memory

## Disable Secure Storage

**Example:**

```
router(config)# do write memory
```

Encrypts the private-config file and saves the file in an encrypted format.

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**Example**

This example shows how to enable Secure Storage:

```
router#config terminal  
router(config)# service private-config-encryption  
router(config)# do write memory
```

# Disable Secure Storage

**Before you begin**

To disable Secure Storage feature on a platform, perform this task:

## Procedure

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**Step 1** Config terminal**Example:**

```
router#config terminal
```

Enters the configuration mode.

**Step 2** no service private-config-encryption**Example:**

```
router(config)# no service private-config-encryption
```

Disables the Secure Storage feature on your platform.

**Step 3** do write memory**Example:**

```
router(config)# do write memory
```

Decrypts the private-config file and saves the file in plane format.

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**Example**

This example shows how to disable Secure Storage:

```
router#config terminal
router(config) # no service private-config-encryption
router(config) # do write memory
```

## Verify the status of encryption

Use the **show parser encrypt file status** command to verify the status of encryption. This command output indicates that the feature is available but the file is not encrypted. The file is in ‘plain text’ format.

```
router#show parser encrypt file status
Feature: Enabled
File Format: Plain Text
Encryption Version: Ver1
```

This command output indicates that the feature is enabled and the file is encrypted. The file is in ‘cipher text’ format.

```
router#show parser encrypt file status
Feature: Enabled
File Format: Cipher Text
Encryption Version: Ver1
```

## Verify the platform identity

Use the **show platform sudi certificate** command to display the SUDI certificate in standard PEM format. The command output helps you verify the platform identity.

In the command output, the first certificate is the Cisco Root CA 2048 and the second is the Cisco subordinate CA (ACT2 SUDI CA). The third is the SUDI certificate.

```
router#show platform sudi certificate sign nonce 123
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**Verify the platform identity**

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