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## I Commands

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This chapter describes the Cisco NX-OS Routing Information Protocol (RIP) commands that begin with I.

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## ip rip authentication key-chain

To enable authentication for the Routing Information Protocol (RIP) Version 2 packets and to specify the set of keys that can be used on an interface, use the **ip rip authentication key-chain** command. To prevent authentication, use the **no** form of this command.

**ip rip authentication key-chain** *name-of-chain*

**no ip rip authentication key-chain** [*name-of-chain*]

### Syntax Description

*name-of-chain* Group of valid keys.

### Command Default

No authentication is provided for RIP packets.

### Command Modes

Interface configuration mode

### Command History

Release	Modification
5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

### Usage Guidelines

This command does not require a license.



#### Note

Make sure the LAN Base Services license is installed on the switch to enable Layer 3 interfaces.

### Examples

This example shows how to configure the interface to accept and send any key that belongs to the key-chain trees:

```
switch(config)# interface ethernet 1/2
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip rip authentication key-chain trees
switch(config-if)#
```

### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>copy running-config startup-config</b>	Saves the configuration to the startup configuration file.
<b>key-chain</b>	Creates a set of keys that can be used by an authentication method.
<b>show ip rip</b>	Displays a summary of RIP information for all RIP instances.

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# ip rip authentication mode

To specify the type of authentication used in the Routing Information Protocol (RIP) Version 2 packets, use the **ip rip authentication mode** command. To restore clear text authentication, use the **no** form of this command.

**ip rip authentication mode {text | md5}**

**no ip rip authentication mode**

## Syntax Description

<b>text</b>	Specifies the clear text authentication.
<b>md5</b>	Specifies the message Digest 5 (MD5) authentication.

## Command Default

Clear text authentication is provided for RIP packets if you configured a key chain.

## Command Modes

Interface configuration mode

## Command History

Release	Modification
5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

## Usage Guidelines

This command does not require a license.



### Note

Make sure the LAN Base Services license is installed on the switch to enable Layer 3 interfaces.

## Examples

This example shows how to configure the interface to use MD5 authentication:

```
switch(config)# interface ethernet 1/2
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip rip authentication mode md5
switch(config-if)#
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>copy running-config startup-config</b>	Saves the configuration to the startup configuration file.
<b>ip rip authentication key-chain</b>	Enables authentication for RIP Version 2 packets and specifies the set of keys that can be used on an interface.
<b>key chain</b>	Enables authentication for routing protocols.
<b>show ip rip</b>	Displays a summary of RIP information for all RIP instances.

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## ip rip metric-offset

To add an additional value to the incoming IP Routing Information Protocol (RIP) route metric for an interface, use the **ip rip metric-offset** command. To return the metric to its default value, use the **no** form of this command.

**ip rip metric-offset** *value*

**no ip rip metric-offset**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>value</i>	Value to add to the incoming route metric for an interface. The range is from 1 to 15. The default is 1.
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<b>Command Default</b>	<i>value</i> : 1
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<b>Command Modes</b>	Interface configuration mode
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<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

**Usage Guidelines**

Use the **ip route metric-offset** command to influence which routes are used by Cisco NX-OS. This command allows you to add a fixed offset to the route metric of all incoming routes on an interface. For example, if you set the metric-offset to 5 on an interface and the incoming route metric is 5, then Cisco NX-OS adds the route to the route table with a metric of 10.

This command does not require a license.



**Note** Make sure the LAN Base Services license is installed on the switch to enable Layer 3 interfaces.

**Examples**

This example shows how to configure a metric offset of 10 for all incoming RIP routes on Ethernet interface 2/1:

```
switch(config)# interface ethernet 2/1
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip rip metric-offset 10
switch(config-if)#
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>ip rip offset-list</b>	Adds an offset value to incoming RIP route metrics.

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# ip rip offset-list

To add an offset to incoming and outgoing metrics to routes learned via Routing Information Protocol (RIP), use the **ip rip offset-list** command. To remove an offset list, use the **no** form of this command.

**ip rip offset-list** *value*

**no ip rip offset-list**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>value</i>	Value to add to the incoming route metric for an interface. The range is from 1 to 15. The default is 1.
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<b>Command Default</b>	<i>value</i> : 1
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<b>Command Modes</b>	Interface configuration mode
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<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	This command does not require a license.
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**Note** Make sure the LAN Base Services license is installed on the switch to enable Layer 3 interfaces.

<b>Examples</b>	This example shows how to configure an offset of 10 for all incoming RIP routes on Ethernet interface 2/1:
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```
switch# configure terminal
switch(config)# interface ethernet 2/1
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip rip offset-list 10
switch(config-if)#
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>ip rip metric-offset</b>	Adds an offset value to incoming RIP route metrics.

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## ip rip passive-interface

To suppress the sending of the Routing Information Protocol (RIP) updates on an interface, use the **ip rip passive-interface** command. To unsuppress updates, use the **no** form of this command.

**ip rip passive-interface**

**no ip rip passive-interface**

**Syntax Description** This command has no arguments or keywords.

**Command Default** RIP updates are sent on the interface.

**Command Modes** Interface configuration mode

### Command History

Release	Modification
5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

### Usage Guidelines

While RIP stops sending routing updates to the multicast (or broadcast) address on a passive interface, RIP continues to receive and process routing updates from its neighbors on that interface.

This command does not require a license.



#### Note

Make sure the LAN Base Services license is installed on the switch to enable Layer 3 interfaces.

### Examples

This example shows how to configure Ethernet 1/2 as a passive interface:

```
switch(config)# interface ethernet 1/2
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip rip passive-interface
switch(config-if)#
```

### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>copy running-config startup-config</b>	Saves the configuration to the startup configuration file.
<b>show ip rip</b>	Displays a summary of RIP information for all RIP instances.

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# ip rip poison-reverse

To enable poison-reverse processing of the Routing Information Protocol (RIP) router updates, use the **ip rip poison-reverse** command. To disable poison-reverse processing of RIP updates, use the **no** form of this command.

**ip rip poison-reverse**

**no ip rip poison-reverse**

## Syntax Description

This command has no arguments or keywords.

## Command Default

Split horizon is always enabled. Poison-reverse processing is disabled.

## Command Modes

Interface configuration mode

## Command History

Release	Modification
5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

## Usage Guidelines

Use the **ip rip poison-reverse** command to enable poison-reverse processing of RIP router updates. By default, Cisco NX-OS does not advertise RIP routes out the interface over which they were learned (split horizon). If you configure both poison reverse and split horizon, then Cisco NX-OS advertises the learned routes as unreachable over the interface on which the route was learned.

This command does not require a license.



### Note

Make sure the LAN Base Services license is installed on the switch to enable Layer 3 interfaces.

## Examples

This example shows how to enable poison-reverse processing for an interface running RIP:

```
switch(config)# interface ethernet 1/2
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip rip poison-reverse
```

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>copy running-config startup-config</b>	Saves the configuration to the startup configuration file.
<b>show ip rip</b>	Displays a summary of RIP information for all RIP instances.

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## ip rip route-filter

To filter the Routing Information Protocol (RIP) routes coming in or out of an interface, use the **route-filter** command. To remove filtering from an interface, use the **no** form of this command.

```
ip rip route filter {prefix-list list-name | route-map map-name} {in | out}
```

```
no ip rip route filter {prefix-list list-name | route-map map-name} {in | out}
```

### Syntax Description

<b>prefix-list</b> <i>list-name</i>	Associates a prefix list to filter RIP packets.
<b>route-map</b> <i>map-name</i>	Associates a route map to set the redistribution policy for RIP.
<b>in</b>	Filters incoming routes.
<b>out</b>	Filters outgoing routes.

### Command Default

Route filtering is disabled.

### Command Modes

Interface configuration mode

### Command History

Release	Modification
5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

### Usage Guidelines

Use the **ip rip route-filter** command to filter incoming or outgoing routes on an interface. This command does not require a license.



#### Note

Make sure the LAN Base Services license is installed on the switch to enable Layer 3 interfaces.

### Examples

This example shows how to use a route map to filter routes for a RIP interface:

```
switch# configure terminal
switch(config)# interface ethernet 1/2
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip rip route-filter route-map InRipFilter in
switch(config-if)#
```

### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>prefix-list</b>	Creates a prefix list.
<b>route-map</b>	Creates a route map.

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# ip rip summary-address

To configure a summary aggregate address under an interface for the Routing Information Protocol (RIP), use the **ip rip summary-address** command. To disable summarization of the specified address or subnet, use the **no** form of this command.

**ip rip summary-address** *ip-prefix/mask*

**no ip rip summary-address** *ip-prefix/mask*

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>ip-prefix/length</i> IP prefix and prefix length to be summarized.
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<b>Command Default</b>	Disabled
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<b>Command Modes</b>	Interface configuration mode
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<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	The <b>ip rip summary-address</b> command summarizes an address or subnet under a specific interface. This command does not require a license.
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<b>Note</b>	Make sure the LAN Base Services license is installed on the switch to enable Layer 3 interfaces.
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<b>Examples</b>	This example shows how to configure the summary address 192.0.2.0 that is advertised out Ethernet interface 1/2:
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```
switch(config)# interface ethernet 1/2
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip summary-address rip 192.0.2.0/24
switch(config-if)#
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>copy running-config startup-config</b>	Saves the configuration to the startup configuration file.
	<b>show ip rip</b>	Displays a summary of RIP information for all RIP instances.

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## ip router rip

To specify the Routing Information Protocol (RIP) instance for an interface, use the **ip router rip** command. To return to the default, use the **no** form of this command.

**ip router rip** *instance-tag*

**no ip router rip** *instance-tag*

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>instance-tag</i>	Name of the RIP instance. The <i>instance-tag</i> can be any case-sensitive, alphanumeric string up to 20 characters.
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<b>Command Default</b>	None
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<b>Command Modes</b>	Interface configuration mode
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<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	5.0(3)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	Before you use this command, make sure that you enable RIP on the switch. This command requires the LAN Base Services license.
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<b>Examples</b>	This example shows how to set the RIP instance for an interface:
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```
switch(config)# interface ethernet 1/2
switch(config-if)# no switchport
switch(config-if)# ip router rip Enterprise
switch(config-if)#
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>copy running-config startup-config</b>	Saves the configuration to the startup configuration file.
	<b>feature rip</b>	Enables RIP on the switch.
	<b>show ip rip</b>	Displays a summary of RIP information for all RIP instances.