IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router

This document provides implementation and command reference information for IPv6 features supported on the Cisco ASR 901 router. We strongly recommend that you read this entire document before reading other documents on IPv6 for Cisco IOS software.

Detailed conceptual information about the features supported on the Cisco ASR 901 router, is documented outside of this feature in the Cisco IOS software documentation. For information about the location of this related documentation, see the Feature Information for IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router, on page 42.

Complete configuration information of ASR 901-specific IPv6 features is provided in this document. This information can be found in the How to Configure IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router, on page 8.

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Finding Feature Information

Your software release may not support all the features documented in this module. For the latest feature information and caveats, see the release notes for your platform and software release. To find information about the features documented in this module, and to see a list of the releases in which each feature is supported, see the feature information table at the end of this module.

Use Cisco Feature Navigator to find information about platform support and Cisco software image support. To access Cisco Feature Navigator, go to http://www.cisco.com/go/cfn . An account on Cisco.com is not required.
Prerequisites for IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router

- Cisco IOS Release 15.2(2)SNG or a later IPv6-supporting release must be installed previously on the Cisco ASR 901 Series Aggregation Services Router.
- To forward IPv6 traffic using Cisco Express Forwarding (CEF) or distributed CEF, you must configure forwarding of IPv6 unicast datagrams globally on the router by using the ipv6 unicast-routing command, and you must configure an IPv6 address on an interface by using the ipv6 address command.
- You must enable CEF for IPv4 globally on the router by using the ip cef command before enabling Cisco Express Forwarding for IPv6 globally on the router by using the ipv6 cef command.

Restrictions for IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router

- Switch port configuration is not supported.
- The fastethernet interface does not expect more than one IPv6 address.
- The following features are not supported:
  - Tunneling protocols such as IPv4-to-IPv6 or IPv6-to-IPv4
  - IPv6 Policy-Based Routing
  - Hot Standby Router Protocol (HSRP) and Virtual Router Redundancy Protocol (VRRP) for IPv6
  - Quality of service (QoS) based on IPv6 addresses
  - IPv6 support of IEEE 1588v2
  - IPv6 support over slower links like time-division multiplexing (TDM) interfaces, Multilink Point-to-Point Protocol (MLPPP), etc
  - IPv6 Access Control Lists (ACLs) was not supported prior to Cisco IOS Release 15.4(2)S.
  - IPv6 over IP and Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS)
  - Bidirectional Forwarding Detection for IPv6 (BFDv6) for Intermediate System-to-Intermediate System (IS-IS)
  - IPv6 Virtual Routing and Forwarding (VRF) Lite

Information About IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router

Benefits

IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 router provides the following benefits:

- Supports state-less auto-configuration of IPv6 addresses.
- Supports the following routing protocols:
  - Static routing
  - Open Shortest Path First (OSPF) version 3
  - Border Gateway Protocol
  - Intermediate System-to-Intermediate System (IS-IS)
Overview of IPv6

IPv6 is the latest version of the Internet Protocol that has a much larger address space and improvements such as a simplified main header and extension headers. The architecture of IPv6 has been designed to allow existing IPv4 users to transition easily to IPv6 while providing services such as end-to-end security, quality of service (QoS), and globally unique addresses.

The larger IPv6 address space allows networks to scale and provide global reachability. The simplified IPv6 packet header format handles packets more efficiently. IPv6 supports widely deployed routing protocols such as Routing Information Protocol (RIP), Integrated Intermediate System-to-Intermediate System (IS-IS), Open Shortest Path First (OSPF) for IPv6, and multiprotocol Border Gateway Protocol (BGP). Other available features include stateless autoconfiguration and enhanced support for Mobile IPv6.

IPv6 is being introduced on the Cisco ASR 901 router to support Long Term Evolution (LTE) rollouts that provides high-bandwidth data connection for mobile wireless devices. The IPv6 transport utilizes Switch Virtual Interface (SVI) and Ethernet interfaces. The Cisco ASR 901 router also supports IPv6 addressing on Loopback interfaces.

IPv6 Address Formats

IPv6 addresses are represented as a series of 16-bit hexadecimal fields separated by colons (:) in the format: x:x:x:x:x:x:x:x. Following are two examples of IPv6 addresses:

- 2001:DB8:0:0:8:800:200C:417A

It is common for IPv6 addresses to contain successive hexadecimal fields of zeros. To make IPv6 addresses less complicated, two colons (::) may be used to compress successive hexadecimal fields of zeros at the beginning, middle, or end of an IPv6 address (the colons represent successive hexadecimal fields of zeros). Table 1: Compressed IPv6 Address Formats, on page 3 lists compressed IPv6 address formats.

A double colon may be used as part of the ipv6-address argument when consecutive 16-bit values are denoted as zero. You can configure multiple IPv6 addresses per interface, but only one link-local address.

Note

Two colons (::) can be used only once in an IPv6 address to represent the longest successive hexadecimal fields of zeros. The hexadecimal letters in IPv6 addresses are not case-sensitive.

Table 1: Compressed IPv6 Address Formats

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<th>Preferred Format</th>
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<td>Unicast</td>
<td>2001:::0:0:DB8:800:200C:417A</td>
<td>2001::DB8:800:200C:417A</td>
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<tr>
<td>Loopback</td>
<td>0:0:0:0:0:0:0:1</td>
<td>::1</td>
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<tr>
<td>Unspecified</td>
<td>0:0:0:0:0:0:0:0</td>
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The loopback address listed in Table 1: Compressed IPv6 Address Formats, on page 3 are used by a node to send an IPv6 packet to itself. The loopback address in IPv6 functions the same as the loopback address in IPv4 (127.0.0.1).
IPv6 Addressing and Discovery

The IPv6 loopback address cannot be assigned to a physical interface. A packet that has the IPv6 loopback address as its source or destination address must remain within the node that created the packet. IPv6 routers do not forward packets that have the IPv6 loopback address as their source or destination address.

The unspecified address listed in Table 1: Compressed IPv6 Address Formats, on page 3 indicates the absence of an IPv6 address. For example, a newly initialized node on an IPv6 network may use the unspecified address as the source address in its packets until it receives its IPv6 address.

An IPv6 address prefix, in the format ipv6-prefix/prefix-length, can be used to represent bit-wise contiguous blocks of the entire address space. The ipv6-prefix must be in the form documented in RFC 2373 where the address is specified in hexadecimal using 16-bit values between colons. The prefix length is a decimal value that indicates how many of the high-order contiguous bits of the address comprise the prefix (the network portion of the address). For example, 2001:DB8:8086:6502::/32 is a valid IPv6 prefix.

For more information on IPv6 Addressing and Basic Connectivity, see the Implementing IPv6 Addressing and Basic Connectivity chapter of IPv6 Configuration Guide, at the following location:


IPv6 Addressing and Discovery

The IPv6 addressing and discover consists of static and autoconfiguration of addresses – both global and link local addresses. IPv6 differs from IPv4 in that same interface can have multiple IPv6 addresses assigned to it. The Cisco ASR 901 router supports both IPv4 and multiple IPv6 addresses on the same Loopback and SVI interface. The link-local addresses are automatically generated (if ipv6 enable command is configured) from the MAC-address of the interface as soon as the SVI comes up.

Static Configuration

Static configuration is the manual process of defining an explicit path between two networking devices. The administrator of the network manually enters the IPv6 addresses, subnet masks, gateways, and corresponding MAC addresses for each interface of each router into a table. Static configuration provides more control over the network but it requires more work to maintain the table. The table must be updated every time routes are added or changed. Moreover, the static routes must be manually reconfigured if there is a change in the network topology.

Static configuration provides security and resource efficiency. It uses less bandwidth than dynamic routing protocols and no CPU cycles are used to calculate and communicate routes. Static routes created by the static configuration can be redistributed into dynamic routing protocols. However, routes generated by dynamic routing protocols cannot be redistributed into the static routing table.

Static configuration is useful for smaller networks with only one path to an outside network and in providing security for a larger network for certain types of traffic or links to other networks that need more control. In general, most networks use dynamic routing protocols to communicate between networking devices but may have one or two static routes configured for special cases.
**Stateless Autoconfiguration**

All interfaces on IPv6 nodes must have a link-local address, which is usually automatically configured from the identifier for an interface and the link-local prefix FE80::/10. A link-local address enables a node to communicate with other nodes on the link and can be used to further configure the node.

Nodes can connect to a network and automatically generate global IPv6 addresses without the need for manual configuration or help of a Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) server.

With IPv6, a router on the link advertises in RA messages any global prefixes, and its willingness to function as a default router for the link. RA messages are sent periodically and in response to router solicitation messages, which are sent by hosts at system startup.

A node on the link can automatically configure global IPv6 addresses by appending its interface identifier (64 bits) to the prefixes (64 bits) included in the RA messages. The resulting 128-bit IPv6 addresses configured by the node are then subjected to duplicate address detection (DAD) to ensure their uniqueness on the link. If the prefixes advertised in the RA messages are globally unique, then the IPv6 addresses configured by the node are also globally unique. Router solicitation messages, which have a value of 133 in the Type field of the ICMP packet header, are sent by hosts at system startup so that the host can immediately autoconfigure without needing to wait for the next scheduled RA message.

For more information on IPv6 Addressing and Discovery, see the Implementing IPv6 Addressing and Basic Connectivity chapter of IPv6 Configuration Guide, at the following location:


**ICMPv6**

Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP) in IPv6 functions the same as ICMP in IPv4. ICMP generates error messages such as ICMP destination unreachable messages, and informational messages such as ICMP echo request and reply messages. Additionally, ICMP packets in IPv6 are used in the IPv6 neighbor discovery process, path MTU discovery, and the Multicast Listener Discovery (MLD) protocol for IPv6.

For more information on ICMPv6, see the Implementing IPv6 Addressing and Basic Connectivity chapter of IPv6 Configuration Guide, at the following location:


**IPv6 Duplicate Address Detection**

During the stateless autoconfiguration process, duplicate address detection (DAD) verifies the uniqueness of new unicast IPv6 addresses before the addresses are assigned to interfaces (the new addresses remain in a tentative state while duplicate address detection is performed). DAD is first performed first on the new link-local address. When the link local address is verified as unique, then DAD is performed on the remaining IPv6 unicast addresses on the interface.

When a duplicate address is identified, the state of the address is set to DUPLICATE and the address is not used. If the duplicate address is the link-local address of the interface, the processing of IPv6 packets is disabled on the interface and an error message is issued. If the duplicate address is a global address of the interface, the address is not used and an error message is issued. However, all configuration commands associated with the duplicate address remain as configured while the state of the address is set to DUPLICATE.

If the link-local address for an interface changes, duplicate address detection is performed on the new link-local address and all of the other IPv6 address associated with the interface are regenerated (duplicate address detection is performed only on the new link-local address).
IPv6 Neighbor Discovery

The IPv6 neighbor discovery process uses ICMPv6 messages and solicited-node multicast addresses to determine the link-layer address of a neighbor on the same network (local link), verify the reachability of a neighbor, and keep track of neighboring routers.

Neighbor solicitation messages (ICMPv6 Type 135) are sent on the local link by nodes attempting to discover the link-layer addresses of other nodes on the local link. The neighbor solicitation message is sent to the solicited-node multicast address. The source address in the neighbor solicitation message is the IPv6 address of the node sending the neighbor solicitation message. The neighbor solicitation message also includes the link-layer address of the source node.

After receiving a neighbor solicitation message, the destination node replies by sending a neighbor advertisement message (ICPMv6 Type 136) on the local link. The source address in the neighbor advertisement message is the IPv6 address of the node sending the neighbor advertisement message; the destination address is the IPv6 address of the node that sent the neighbor solicitation message. The data portion of the neighbor advertisement message includes the link-layer address of the node sending the neighbor advertisement message.

After the source node receives the neighbor advertisement, the source node and destination node communicate with each other.

For more information on IPv6 Neighbor Discovery, see the Implementing IPv6 Addressing and Basic Connectivity chapter of IPv6 Configuration Guide, at the following location:


IPv4 and IPv6 Dual-Stack on an Interface

A dual stack means that IPv4 and IPv6 addresses coexist on the same platform and support hosts of both types. This method is a way to transition from IPv4 to IPv6 with coexistence (IPv4 and IPv6) as a first step.

The Cisco ASR 901 router supports the configuration of both IPv6 and IPv4 on an interface. You do not need to enter any specific commands to do so; simply enter the IPv4 configuration commands and IPv6 configuration commands as you normally would. Make sure you configure the default route for both IPv4 and IPv6.

Routing Protocols

The Cisco ASR 901 router supports widely deployed routing protocols such as IS-IS, OSPFv3, and multiprotocol BGP.

IS-IS Enhancements for IPv6

IS-IS in IPv6 functions the same as in IPv4 and offers many of the same benefits as IS-IS in IPv4. IPv6 enhancements to IS-IS allow IS-IS to advertise IPv6 prefixes in addition to IPv4 and OSI routes. Extensions to the IS-IS command-line interface (CLI) allow configuration of IPv6-specific parameters. IPv6 IS-IS extends the address families supported by IS-IS to include IPv6, in addition to OSI and IPv4.

For more information on IS-IS Enhancements for IPv6, see the following document:


OSPFv3 for IPv6

OSPF is a routing protocol for IP. It is a link-state protocol. A link-state protocol makes its routing decisions based on the states of the links that connect source and destination machines. The state of a link is a description
of that interface, and its relationship to its neighboring networking devices. The interface information includes
the IPv6 prefix of the interface, the network mask, the type of network it is connected to, the devices connected
to that network, and so on. This information is propagated in various type of link-state advertisements (LSAs).

For more information on OSPFv3 for IPv6, refer the following link:

Multiprotocol BGP Extensions for IPv6

Multiprotocol BGP is the supported exterior gateway protocol (EGP) for IPv6. Multiprotocol BGP extensions
for IPv6 support many of the same features and functionality as IPv4 BGP. IPv6 enhancements to multiprotocol
BGP include support for an IPv6 address family and network layer reachability information (NLRI) and next
hop (the next router in the path to the destination) attributes that use IPv6 addresses.

For more information on Multiprotocol BGP Extensions for IPv6, refer the following link:

Bidirectional Forwarding Detection for IPv6

The BFDv6 is a detection protocol designed to provide fast forwarding path failure detection times for all
media types, encapsulations, topologies, and routing protocols. In addition to fast forwarding path failure
detection, BFD provides a consistent failure detection method for network administrators. BFDv6 provides
IPv6 support by accommodating IPv6 addresses and provides the ability to create BFDv6 sessions.

For more information on Bidirectional Forwarding Detection for IPv6, refer the following link:

QoS for IPv6

The Cisco ASR 901 router support of QoS features for IPv6 environments include ingress packet classification,
policing, marking on Ethernet interfaces. It also supports egress packet classification, marking, scheduling,
per interface and per qos-group shaping, Low Latency Queuing (LLQ), and weighted random early detection
(WRED) on GigabitEthernet interfaces.

Queuing, shaping, scheduling and LLQ is not supported on the ingress path for the Ethernet interfaces. Policing
is not supported on the egress path for GigabitEthernet interfaces.

The QoS implementation for IPv6 environment in the Cisco ASR router is the same as that of IPv4. For more
information on Configuring QoS on the Cisco ASR 901 router, refer the following link:

For additional information on Implementing QoS for IPv6, refer the following link:
# How to Configure IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router

## Configuring IPv6 Addressing and Enabling IPv6 Routing

Perform this task to assign IPv6 addresses to individual router interfaces and enable IPv6 traffic forwarding globally on the router. By default, IPv6 addresses are not configured, and IPv6 routing is disabled.

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<td>Enables privileged EXEC mode.&lt;br&gt;• Enter your password if prompted.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Step 2</td>
<td>configure terminal&lt;br&gt;Example:&lt;br&gt;Router# configure terminal</td>
<td>Enters global configuration mode.</td>
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<td>Step 3</td>
<td>interface type number&lt;br&gt;Example:&lt;br&gt;Router(config)# interface vlan 40</td>
<td>Specifies an interface type and number and enters interface configuration mode.</td>
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<td>Step 4</td>
<td>ipv6 address ipv6-address/prefix-length {eui-64</td>
<td>link-local</td>
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<td>Step 5</td>
<td>ipv6 enable&lt;br&gt;Example:</td>
<td>Enables IPv6 on the interface.</td>
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### Configuring a Static IPv6 Route

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<td><strong>Router# configure terminal</strong></td>
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<td></td>
<td>Enters global configuration mode.</td>
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<td><strong>Step 3</strong></td>
<td>**ipv6 route [ipv6-prefix</td>
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<td><strong>Example:</strong></td>
<td><strong>Router(config)# ipv6 route 2001::/64 5::5 100</strong></td>
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<td>Configures a static default IPv6 route.</td>
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<td>• <em>ipv6-prefix</em>—The IPv6 network that is the destination of the static route. This could also be a host name when static host routes are configured.</td>
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<td>• <em>prefix-length</em>—The length of the IPv6 prefix.</td>
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<td>• <em>ipv6-address</em>—(Optional) The IPv6 address of the next hop that can be used to reach the specified network.</td>
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<td>• <em>interface-type</em>—Interface type.</td>
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<td>• <em>interface-number</em>—Interface number.</td>
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Enabling Stateless Auto-Configuration

The Cisco ASR 901 router supports IPv6 auto-configuration, allowing automatic IP address assignment using the stateless autoconfiguration mechanism. This feature enables IPv6 communications without the need for manual configuration on each device.

**Purpose**

**Command or Action**

- `administrative-distance` — (Optional) An administrative distance. The default value is 1, which gives static routes precedence over any other type of route except connected routes.
- `administrative-multicast-distance` — (Optional) The distance used when selecting this route for multicast Reverse Path Forwarding (RPF).
- `unicast` — (Optional) Specifies a route that must not be used in multicast RPF selection.
- `multicast` — (Optional) Specifies a route that must not be populated in the unicast Routing Information Base (RIB).
- `tag` — (Optional) Tag value that is used as a “match” value for controlling redistribution via route maps.

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**Enabling Stateless Auto-Configuration**

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<td><strong>Step 2</strong> configure terminal</td>
<td>Enters the global configuration mode.</td>
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<td><strong>Example:</strong> Router# configure terminal</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Step 3</strong> interface type number</td>
<td>Specifies an interface type and number, and places the router in interface configuration mode.</td>
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<td><strong>Example:</strong> Router(config)# Interface fastethernet 0/0</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Step 4</strong> ipv6 address autoconfig</td>
<td>Enables automatic configuration of IPv6 addresses using stateless autoconfiguration on an interface and enables IPv6 processing on the interface.</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Example:</strong> Router(config-if)# ipv6 address autoconfig</td>
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Implementing IPv6 on VLAN Interfaces

Perform the tasks given below to enable IPv6 on VLAN interfaces. By default, IPv6 is disabled on an interface.

For information on how to create a VLAN interface, see the Configuring Ethernet Virtual Connections document at the following location:

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| Step 2 | configure terminal | Enters the global configuration mode. |
| Example: | |
| Router# configure terminal | |

| Step 3 | interface type number | Specifies an interface type and number, and places the router in interface configuration mode. farce |
| Example: | |
| Router(config)# Interface vlan 40 | |

| Step 4 | Do one of the following: |
| Example: | Configures IPv6 on the VLAN interface. Though both the commands automatically configure the link local address (LLA) on the interface, the ipv6 address command additionally configures an ipv6 address on the interface. |
| Router(config-if)# ipv6 enable or | |
| Example: | |
| Router(config-if)# ipv6 address 2000::1/64 | |

• ipv6 enable —The IPv6 address to be used.
• prefix-length—The length of the IPv6 prefix. A decimal value that indicates how many of the high-order contiguous bits of the address comprise the prefix (the network portion of the address). A slash mark must precede the decimal value.
• prefix-name—A general prefix, which specifies the leading bits of the network to be configured on the interface.
• sub-bits—The subprefix bits and host bits of the address to be concatenated with the prefixes provided by the general prefix specified with the prefix-name argument.
Implementing IPv6 Addressing on Loopback Interfaces

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<td>configure terminal</td>
<td>Example: Router# configure terminal</td>
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<td>interface type number</td>
<td>Specifies an interface type and number, and places the router in interface configuration mode.</td>
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<td>Example: Router(config)# Interface loopback 0</td>
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<td>Step 4</td>
<td>Do one of the following:</td>
<td>Configures IPv6 on the Loopback interface. Though both the commands automatically configure the link local address (LLA) on the interface, the ipv6 address command additionally configures an ipv6 address on the interface.</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>• ipv6 enable</td>
<td>• ipv6-address—the IPv6 address to be used.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>• ipv6 address {ipv6-address/prefix-length</td>
<td>• prefix-length—the length of the IPv6 prefix. A decimal value that indicates how many of the high-order contiguous bits of the address comprise the prefix (the network portion of the address). A slash mark must preceede the decimal value.</td>
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<td>Example: Router(config-if)# ipv6 enable</td>
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## Configuring ICMPv6 Rate Limiting

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<td>Configures the interval for IPv6 ICMP error messages.</td>
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<td>Example:</td>
<td>• <em>interval</em>—Specifies the interval between tokens, in milliseconds, being added to the bucket. The valid range is from 0 to 2147483647.</td>
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<td>Router(config)# ipv6 icmp error-interval 1200</td>
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## Configuring IPv6 Duplicate Address Detection

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<td>Router(config)ipv6 nd dad attempts 5</td>
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<td>Specifies an interface type and number, and places the router in interface configuration mode.</td>
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<td>Router(config)# Interface fastEthernet 0/0</td>
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<td>ipv6 nd {advertisement-interval</td>
<td>autoconfig</td>
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<td>Router(config-if)# ipv6 nd autoconfig</td>
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- advertisement-interval—Sends an advertisement interval option in router advertisements (RAs).
- autoconfig—Automatic configuration.
- cache—Cache entry.
- dad—Duplicate Address Detection.
- managed-config-flag—Hosts should use DHCP for address config.
- na—Neighbor advertisement control. Configures ND to extract an entry from an unsolicited NA.
- ns-interval—Sets the advertised NS retransmission interval.
- nud—Configures the number of times neighbor unreachability detection (NUD) resends neighbor solicitations (NSs).
- other-config-flag—Hosts should use DHCP for non-address config.
### Configuring IPv6 and IPv4 Dual-Stack on the Same VLAN

#### Before you begin

You should enable IPv6 routing before proceeding with this task. See Configuring IPv6 Addressing and Enabling IPv6 Routing, on page 8.

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<td>Router(config)# interface fastEthernet 0/0</td>
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<td>Step 4</td>
<td><strong>ip address ip-address mask</strong></td>
<td>Configures an IPv4 address on the interface.</td>
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<td>Router(config)# ip address 192.168.99.1 255.255.255.0</td>
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<td>Step 5</td>
<td>**ipv6 address {ipv6-address/prefix-length</td>
<td>Configures IPv6 address on the interface.</td>
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<td>prefix-name.sub-bits/prefix-length}</td>
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<td>Router(config)# ipv6 address 2000::1/64</td>
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### Configuring OSPFv3 for IPv6

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| **Step 1** 
**enable** 
**Example:** Router> enable | Enables privileged EXEC mode.  
• Enter your password if prompted. |
| **Step 2** 
**configure terminal** 
**Example:** Router# configure terminal | Enters global configuration mode. |
| **Step 3** 
**interface type number** 
**Example:** Router(config)# interface fastEthernet 0/0 | Specifies an interface type and number, and places the router in interface configuration mode. |
| **Step 4** 
**ipv6 ospf process-id area area-id [instance instance-id]** 
**Example:** Router(config-if)# ipv6 ospf 1 area 0 | Enables OSPFv3 on an interface.  
• process-id—Internal identification. It is locally assigned and can be any positive integer. The number used here is the number assigned administratively when enabling the OSPFv3 routing process.  
• area-id—Area that is to be associated with the OSPFv3 interface. |
### Configuring IS-IS for IPv6

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<td>Router# <code>configure terminal</code></td>
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<td><strong>Step 3</strong></td>
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<td><code>router isis area-tag</code></td>
<td>Enables IS-IS for the specified IS-IS routing process, and enters router configuration mode.</td>
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<td>Router(config)# <code>router isis area2</code></td>
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<td><strong>Step 4</strong></td>
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<td><code>net network-entity-title</code></td>
<td>Configures an IS-IS network entity title (NET) for the routing process.</td>
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<td>Router(config-router)# <code>net 49.0001.0000.0000.000c.00</code></td>
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<td><code>exit</code></td>
<td>Exits router configuration mode and enters global configuration mode.</td>
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<td>Router(config-router)# <code>exit</code></td>
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<td><code>interface type number</code></td>
<td>Specifies an interface type and number, and places the router in interface configuration mode.</td>
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<td>Router(config)# <code>interface fastEthernet 0/0</code></td>
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<td>`ipv6 address {ipv6-address/prefix-length</td>
<td>prefix-name sub-bits/prefix-length}`</td>
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<td>Router(config-if)# <code>ipv6 address 2001:DB8::3/64</code></td>
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### Configuring Multiprotocol-BGP for IPv6

Perform this task to configure an IPv6 BGP routing process and an optional BGP router ID for a BGP-speaking router.

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**Step 3** | router bgp as-number
**Example:**
Router(config)# router bgp 65000

Configure a BGP routing process, and enters router configuration mode for the specified routing process.

- *as-number*—Number of an autonomous system that identifies the router to other BGP routers and tags the routing information that is passed along. The range is from 1 to 65535.

**Step 4** | no bgp default ipv4-unicast
**Example:**
Router(config-router)# no bgp default ipv4-unicast

Disables the IPv4 unicast address family for the BGP routing process specified in the previous step.

**Step 5** | bgp router-id ip-address
**Example:**
Router(config-router)# bgp router-id 192.168.99.70

(Optional) Configures a fixed 32-bit router ID as the identifier of the local router running BGP.

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**Configuring BFD for IPv6**

Perform the tasks given below to configure Bidirectional Forwarding Detection (BFD) for IPv6:

**Specifying a Static BFDv6 Neighbor**

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| **Step 1** | enable
**Example:**
Router> enable

Enables the privileged EXEC mode.

- Enter your password if prompted.

**Step 2** | configure terminal
**Example:**
Router# configure terminal

Enters the global configuration mode.

**Step 3** | ipv6 route static bfd [vrf vrf-name] interface-type interface-number ipv6-address [unassociated]
**Example:**

Specifies static route IPv6 BFDv6 neighbors.

- *vrf-name*—(Optional) Name of the virtual routing and forwarding (VRF) instance by which static routes are specified.
- *interface-type*—Interface type.
**Associating an IPv6 Static Route with a BFDv6 Neighbor**

IPv6 static routes are automatically associated with a static BFDv6 neighbor. A static neighbor is associated with a BFDv6 neighbor if the static next-hop explicitly matches the BFDv6 neighbor.

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<td>• Enter your password if prompted.</td>
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<td><strong>Step 2</strong> configure terminal</td>
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<td><strong>Example:</strong> Router# configure terminal</td>
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<td><strong>Step 3</strong> ipv6 route static bfd [vrf vrf-name] interface-type interface-number ipv6-address [unassociated]</td>
<td>Specifies static route IPv6 BFDv6 neighbors.</td>
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<td><strong>Example:</strong> Router(config)# ipv6 route static bfd vlan 4000 2001::1</td>
<td>• vrf-name—(Optional) Name of the virtual routing and forwarding (VRF) instance by which static routes are specified.</td>
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<td>• interface-type—Interface type.</td>
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<td>• interface-number—SVI name.</td>
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<td>• ipv6-address—IPv6 address of the neighbor.</td>
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<td>• unassociated—(Optional) Moves a static BFD neighbor from associated mode to unassociated mode.</td>
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<td><strong>Step 4</strong> ipv6 route [vrf vrf-name] ipv6-prefix/prefix-length {ipv6-address</td>
<td>interface-type [interface-number ipv6-address]} [nexthop-vrf [vrf-name1</td>
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<td><strong>Example:</strong></td>
<td>• vrf-name—(Optional) Name of the virtual routing and forwarding (VRF) instance by which static routes are specified.</td>
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<td>• ipv6-prefix—The IPv6 network that is the destination of the static route. Can also be a host name when static host routes are configured.</td>
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### Configuring BFDv6 and OSPFv3

This section describes the procedures for configuring BFD support for OSPFv3, so that OSPFv3 is a registered protocol with BFD and will receive forwarding path detection failure messages from BFD.

There are two methods for enabling BFD support for OSPFv3:

- You can enable BFD for all of the interfaces for which OSPFv3 is routing by using the `bfd all-interfaces` command in router configuration mode.
- You can enable BFD for a subset of the interfaces for which OSPFv3 is routing by using the `ipv6 ospf bfd` command in interface configuration mode.

**Before you begin**

- OSPFv3 must be running on all participating routers.
The baseline parameters for BFD sessions on the interfaces over which you want to run BFD sessions to BFD neighbors must be configured.

### Configuring BFDv6 for BGP

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<td>Router&gt; enable</td>
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<td>Router# configure terminal</td>
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<td><strong>Step 3</strong> ipv6 router ospf process-id</td>
<td>Configures an OSPFv3 routing process.</td>
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<td>Example:</td>
<td>• <em>process-id</em>—Internal identification. It is locally assigned and can be a positive integer from 1 to 65535. The number used here is the number assigned administratively when enabling the OSPF for IPv6 routing process.</td>
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<td>Router(config)# ipv6 router ospf 2</td>
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<td><strong>Step 4</strong> bfd all-interfaces</td>
<td>Enables BFD for all interfaces participating in the routing process</td>
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<td>Router(config-rtr)# bfd all-interfaces</td>
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<td><strong>Step 5</strong> end</td>
<td>Enter this command twice to go to privileged EXEC mode.</td>
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<td>Router(config-rtr)# end</td>
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| Step 3 | router bgp as-tag | Specifies a BGP process and enter router configuration mode.  
- as-tag — Number of an autonomous system that identifies the router to other BGP routers and tags the routing information that is passed along. The range is from 1 to 65535.  
Example:  
Router(config)# router bgp 4500 |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Step 4 | neighbor ip-address fall-over bfd | Enables support for BFD failover.  
- ip-address — IPv4 or IPv6 address of a BGP neighbor.  
- bfd — Enables BFD protocol support for failover.  
Example:  
Router(config-router)# neighbor 10.0.0.1 fall-over bfd |
| Step 5 | exit | Exits global configuration mode and enters privileged EXEC mode.  
Example:  
Router(config-router)# exit |

### Implementing QoS for IPv6

The QoS implementation for IPv6 environment in the Cisco ASR router is the same as that of IPv4. For configuration information on Configuring QoS on the Cisco ASR 901 router, refer the following link:  

For additional information on Implementing QoS for IPv6, refer the following link:  

### Verifying the Configuration of IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router

This section describes how to use the `show` commands to verify the configuration and operation of the IPv6 Support feature on the Cisco ASR 901 router, and it contains the following topics:

#### Verifying IPv6 Addressing Routing

To verify the IPv6 Addressing Routing information, use the `show ipv6 interface` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show ipv6 interface
Vlan40 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
No Virtual link-local address(es):
Global unicast address(es):
  2011:8:8:3::4, subnet is 2011:8:8:3::/64
Joined group address(es):
  FF02::1
```
Verifying a Static IPv6 Route

To verify the static IPv6 route information, use the `show ipv6 route` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show ipv6 route
IPv6 Routing Table - default - 19 entries
Codes: C - Connected, L - Local, S - Static, U - Per-user Static route
B - BGP, R - RIP, H - NHRP, I1 - ISIS L1
I2 - ISIS L2, IA - ISIS interarea, IS - ISIS summary, D - EIGRP
EX - EIGRP external, ND - ND Default, NDp - ND Prefix, DCE - Destination
NDr - Redirect
O - OSPF Intra, OI - OSPF Inter, OE1 - OSPF ext 1, OE2 - OSPF ext 2
ON1 - OSPF NSSA ext 1, ON2 - OSPF NSSA ext 2
C 22::/64 [0/0]  
  via Vlan111, directly connected
L 22::/128 [0/0]  
  via Vlan111, receive
C 33::/64 [0/0]  
  via Vlan111, directly connected
L 33::/128 [0/0]  
  via Vlan111, receive
I1 454::/96 [115/20]  
  via FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:3F71, Vlan2020
```
Verifying a Stateless Auto-Configuration

To verify the autoconfigured IPv6 address and its state, use the `show ipv6 interface` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show ipv6 interface loopback 0
Loopback0 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
No Virtual link-local address(es):
Global unicast address(es):
   FE01:4::4, subnet is FE01:4::/64
Joined group address(es):
   FF02::1
   FF02::2
   FF02::5
   FF02::6
   FF02::1:FF00:4
   FF02::1:FF89:4831
MTU is 1514 bytes
ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
ICMP redirects are enabled
ICMP unreachables are sent
ND DAD is not supported
ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
ND RAs are suppressed (periodic)
Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.
```

Verifying IPv6 Implementation on VLAN Interfaces

To verify the IPv6 implementation on VLAN interfaces, use the `show ipv6 interface` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show ipv6 interface vlan40
Vlan40 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
No Virtual link-local address(es):
Global unicast address(es):
   2011:8:8:3::4, subnet is 2011:8:8:3::/64
Joined group address(es):
   FF02::1
   FF02::2
   FF02::5
   FF02::6
   FF02::1:FF00:4
   FF02::1:FF89:4831
MTU is 1500 bytes
ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
ICMP redirects are enabled
ICMP unreachables are sent
ND DAD is enabled, number of DAD attempts: 1
ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
ND advertised reachable time is 0 (unspecified)
ND router advertisements are sent every 200 seconds
ND router advertisements live for 1800 seconds
ND advertised default router preference is Medium
Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.
```
Verifying IPv6 Implementation on Loopback Interfaces

To verify the IPv6 implementation on loopback interfaces, use the `show ipv6 interface` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show ipv6 interface loopback0
Loopback0 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
   No Virtual link-local address(es):
   Global unicast address(es):
      FE01:4::4, subnet is FE01:4::/64
   Joined group address(es):
      FF02::1
      FF02::2
      FF02::5
      FF02::6
      FF02::1:FF00:4
      FF02::1:FF89:4831
   MTU is 1514 bytes
   ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
   ICMP redirects are enabled
   ICMP unreachables are sent
   ND DAD is not supported
   ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
   ND RAs are suppressed (periodic)
   Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.
```

Verifying ICMPv6 Configuration

To verify the ICMPv6 configuration information, use the `show ipv6 interface` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show ipv6 interface
Vlan40 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
   No Virtual link-local address(es):
   Global unicast address(es):
      2011:8:8:3::4, subnet is 2011:8:8:3::/64
   Joined group address(es):
      FF02::1
      FF02::2
      FF02::5
      FF02::6
      FF02::1:FF00:4
      FF02::1:FF89:4831
   MTU is 1500 bytes
   ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
   ICMP redirects are enabled
   ICMP unreachables are sent
   ND DAD is enabled, number of DAD attempts: 1
   ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
   ND advertised reachable time is 0 (unspecified)
   ND router advertisements are sent every 200 seconds
   ND router advertisements live for 1800 seconds
   ND advertised default router preference is Medium
   Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.
Loopback0 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
   No Virtual link-local address(es):
   Global unicast address(es):
      FE01:4::4, subnet is FE01:4::/64
```
Joined group address(es):
  FF02::1
  FF02::2
  FF02::5
  FF02::1:FF00:4
  FF02::1:FF89:4831
MTU is 1514 bytes
ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
ICMP redirects are enabled
ICMP unreachables are sent
ND DAD is not supported
ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
ND RAs are suppressed (periodic)
Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.

To verify the ICMPv6 statistics, use the `show ipv6 traffic` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show ipv6 traffic
IPv6 statistics:
    Rcvd: 8 total, 0 local destination
     0 source-routed, 0 truncated
     0 format errors, 0 hop count exceeded
     0 bad header, 0 unknown option, 0 bad source
     0 unknown protocol, 0 not a router
     0 fragments, 0 total reassembled
     0 reassembly timeouts, 0 reassembly failures
    Sent: 870 generated, 0 forwarded
     0 fragmented into 0 fragments, 0 failed
     0 encapsulation failed, 0 no route, 0 too big
     0 RPF drops, 0 RPF suppressed drops
  Mcast: 8 received, 855 sent
Mcast: 8 received, 855 sent
ICMP statistics:
    Rcvd: 8 input, 0 checksum errors, 0 too short
     0 unknown info type, 0 unknown error type
     0 hopcount expired, 0 reassembly timeout,0 too big
     0 echo request, 0 echo reply
     0 group query, 0 group report, 0 group reduce
     0 router solicit, 0 router advert, 0 redirects
     0 neighbor solicit, 0 neighbor advert
    Sent: 129 output, 0 rate-limited
     0 hopcount expired, 0 reassembly timeout,0 too big
     0 echo request, 0 echo reply
     0 group query, 0 group report, 0 group reduce
     0 router solicit, 50 router advert, 0 redirects
     8 neighbor solicit, 8 neighbor advert
UDP statistics:
    Rcvd: 0 input, 0 checksum errors, 0 length errors
     0 no port, 0 dropped
    Sent: 0 output
TCP statistics:
    Rcvd: 0 input, 0 checksum errors
    Sent: 0 output, 0 retransmitted
```
Verifying IPv6 Duplicate Address Detection Configuration

To verify the IPv6 Duplicate Address Detection configuration information, use the `show running configuration` command or the `show ipv6 interface` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

Router# show ipv6 interface
Vlan40 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
No Virtual link-local address(es):
Global unicast address(es):
   2011:8:8:3::4, subnet is 2011:8:8:3::/64
Joined group address(es):
   FF02::1
   FF02::2
   FF02::5
   FF02::6
   FF02::11:FF00:4
   FF02::11:FF89:4831
MTU is 1500 bytes
ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
ICMP redirects are enabled
ICMP unreachables are sent
ND DAD is enabled, number of DAD attempts: 1
ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
ND advertised reachable time is 0 (unspecified)
ND advertised retransmit interval is 0 (unspecified)
ND router advertisements are sent every 200 seconds
ND router advertisements live for 1800 seconds
ND advertised default router preference is Medium
Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.
Loopback0 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
No Virtual link-local address(es):
Global unicast address(es):
   FE01:4::4, subnet is FE01:4::/64
Joined group address(es):
   FF02::1
   FF02::2
   FF02::5
   FF02::11:FF00:4
   FF02::11:FF89:4831
MTU is 1514 bytes
ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
ICMP redirects are enabled
ICMP unreachables are sent
ND DAD is not supported
ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
ND RAs are suppressed (periodic)
Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.

Verifying IPv6 Neighbor Discovery Configuration

To verify the IPv6 neighbor discovery configuration, use the `show ipv6 neighbors` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

Router# show ipv6 neighbors detail
IPv6 Address TRLV Age Link-layer Addr State Interface
2001:103::2 0 0 001e.4a97.05bb REACH Vl103
2001:101::2 0 0 001e.4a97.05bb REACH Vl101
2001:300::2 0 72 001e.4a97.05bb STALE Vl300
2001:10::2 0 0 001e.4a97.05bb REACH Vl100
Verifying IPv6 and IPv4 Dual-Stack Configuration

To verify the IPv6 and IPv4 dual-stack configuration, use the `show ipv6 interface` or `show ip interface` commands in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the examples.

Router# `show ipv6 interface loopback0`
Loopback0 is up, line protocol is up
IPv6 is enabled, link-local address is FE80::4255:39FF:FE89:4831
No Virtual link-local address(es):
Global unicast address(es):
  FE01:4::4, subnet is FE01:4::/64
Joined group address(es):
  FF02::1
  FF02::2
  FF02::5
  FF02::1:FF00:4
  FF02::1:FF89:4831
MTU is 1514 bytes
ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
ICMP redirects are enabled
ICMP unreachables are sent
ND DAD is not supported
ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
ND RAs are suppressed (periodic)
Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.

Router# `show ip interface`
GigabitEthernet0/0 is down, line protocol is down
  Inbound access list is not set
  Outgoing access list is not set
  Internet protocol processing disabled
GigabitEthernet0/1 is administratively down, line protocol is down
  Inbound access list is not set
  Outgoing access list is not set
  Internet protocol processing disabled
GigabitEthernet0/2 is up, line protocol is up
  Inbound access list is not set
  Outgoing access list is not set
  Internet protocol processing disabled
GigabitEthernet0/3 is up, line protocol is up
  Inbound access list is not set
  Outgoing access list is not set
  Internet protocol processing disabled
GigabitEthernet0/4 is down, line protocol is down
  Inbound access list is not set
  Outgoing access list is not set
  Internet protocol processing disabled
GigabitEthernet0/5 is down, line protocol is down
  Inbound access list is not set
  Outgoing access list is not set
  Internet protocol processing disabled
GigabitEthernet0/6 is down, line protocol is down
  Inbound access list is not set
  Outgoing access list is not set
  Internet protocol processing disabled

Verifying IPv6 and IPv4 Dual-Stack Configuration
Verifying OSPFv3 for IPv6 Configuration

To verify the OSPF for IPv6 configuration, use the `show ipv6 ospf` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

Router# `show ipv6 ospf`  
Routing Process "ospfv3 10" with ID 4.4.4.4  
Event-log enabled, Maximum number of events: 1000, Mode: cyclic  
Router is not originating router-LSAs with maximum metric  
Initial SPF schedule delay 5000 msecs  
Minimum hold time between two consecutive SPFs 10000 msecs  
Maximum wait time between two consecutive SPFs 10000 msecs  
Minimum LSA interval 5 secs  
Minimum LSA arrival 1000 msecs  
LSA group pacing timer 240 secs  
Interface flood pacing timer 33 msecs  
Retransmission pacing timer 66 msecs  
Number of external LSA 0, Checksum Sum 0x0000000  
Number of areas in this router is 1. 1 normal 0 stub 0 nssa  
Graceful restart helper support enabled  
Reference bandwidth unit is 100 mbps  
RFC1583 compatibility enabled  
Area 34  
  Number of interfaces in this area is 2  
  SPF algorithm executed 5 times  
  Number of LSA 3. Checksum Sum 0x01F6C1  
  Number of DCbitless LSA 0  
  Number of indication LSA 0  
  Number of DoNotAge LSA 0  
  Flood list length 0
Verifying IS-IS for IPv6 Configuration

To verify the IPv6 Addressing Routing information, use the `show isis ipv6 rib` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show isis ipv6 rib
IS-IS IPv6 process area2, local RIB
```

Verifying Multiprotocol-BGP for IPv6 Configuration

To verify the IPv6 Addressing Routing information, use the `show bgp ipv6` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the examples.

```
Router# show bgp ipv6 unicast summary
BGP router identifier 9.9.9.9, local AS number 5500
BGP table version is 25, main routing table version 25
15 network entries using 2580 bytes of memory
53 path entries using 4664 bytes of memory
3/3 BGP path/bestpath attribute entries using 384 bytes of memory
1 BGP AS-PATH entries using 24 bytes of memory
0 BGP route-map cache entries using 0 bytes of memory
0 BGP filter-list cache entries using 0 bytes of memory
BGP using 7652 total bytes of memory
BGP activity 43/2 prefixes, 134/46 paths, scan interval 60 secs
```

```
Neighbor V  AS MsgRcvd MsgSent TblVer InQ OutQ Up/Down State/PfxRcd
2001:10::2 4  6500   0   0   1   0   0 00:22:30 Idle
2001:101::2 4  6500   87   84  25   0   0 01:09:34  8
2001:103::2 4  6500   84   83  25   0   0 01:09:39  8
2001:170::2 4  6500   88   82  25   0   0 01:09:38  8
2001:180::2 4  6500   87   84  25   0   0 01:09:39  8
2001:190::2 4  6500   89   83  25   0   0 01:09:34  8
2001:300::2 4  6500   0   0   1   0   0 01:09:23 Idle
FE80::21E:4AFF:FE97:5BB%Vlan160 4  6500   82   82  25   0   0 01:09:25  5
```

```
Router# show bgp ipv6 unicast neighbors 2001:101::2
BGP neighbor is 2001:101::2, remote AS 6500, external link
Fall over configured for session
BFD is configured. Using BFD to detect fast fallover
BGP state - Established, up for 01:09:48
Last read 00:00:10, last write 00:00:23, hold time is 180, keepalive interval is 60 seconds
Neighbor sessions:
1 active, is not multisession capable (disabled)
Neighbor capabilities:
Route refresh: advertised and received(new)
Four-octets ASN Capability: advertised and received
Address family IPv6 Unicast: advertised and received
Enhanced Refresh Capability: advertised and received
Multisession Capability:
Stateful switchover support enabled: NO for session 1
Message statistics:
InQ depth is 0
OutQ depth is 0
```

```
Sent  Rcvd
Opens:  1  1
Notifications:  0  0
Updates:  8  9
Keepalives:  75  76
Route Refresh:  0  0
```
Verifying Multiprotocol-BGP for IPv6 Configuration

Total: 84 88
Default minimum time between advertisement runs is 30 seconds
For address family: IPv6 Unicast
Session: 2001:101::2
BGP table version 25, neighbor version 25/0
Output queue size: 0
Index 1, Advertise bit 0
1 update-group member
Slow-peer detection is disabled
Slow-peer split-update-group dynamic is disabled

Sent Rcvd
Prefix activity: ---- ----
Prefixes Current: 15 8 (Contributes 704 bytes)
Prefixes Total: 16 10
Implicit Withdraw: 0 0
Explicit Withdraw: 1 2
Used as bestpath: n/a 3
Used as multipath: n/a 0

Outbound Inbound
Local Policy Denied Prefixes: -------- -------
AS_PATH loop: n/a 4
Invalid Path: 2 n/a
Total: 2 4
Number of NLRIs in the update sent: max 7, min 0
Last detected as dynamic slow peer: never
Dynamic slow peer recovered: never
Refresh Epoch: 2
Last Sent Refresh Start-of-rib: never
Last Sent Refresh End-of-rib: never
Last Received Refresh Start-of-rib: 01:09:48
Last Received Refresh End-of-rib: 01:09:48
Refresh-In took 0 seconds

Sent Rcvd
Refresh activity: ---- ----
Refresh Start-of-RIB 0 1
Refresh End-of-RIB 0 1

Address tracking is disabled
Connections established 1; dropped 0
Last reset never
Transport(tcp) path-mtu-discovery is enabled
Graceful-Restart is disabled
Connection state is ESTAB, I/O status: 1, unread input bytes: 0
Connection is ECN Disabled
Minimum incoming TTL 0, Outgoing TTL 1
Local host: 2001:101::1, Local port: 57438
Foreign host: 2001:101::2, Foreign port: 179
Connection tableid (VRF): 0
Enqueued packets for retransmit: 0, input: 0 mis-ordered: 0 (0 bytes)
Event Timers (current time is 0x4853F8):
Verifying BFD for IPv6 Configuration

To verify the IPv6 Addressing Routing information, use the `show bfd neighbors` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show bfd neighbors
IPv4 Sessions
NeighAddr        LD/RD  RH/RS State Int
101.101.101.2    6/5    Up  Up  Vl101
103.103.103.2    7/6    Up  Up  Vl103
150.150.150.2    2/1    Up  Up  Vl150
IPv6 Sessions
NeighAddr        LD/RD  RH/RS State Int
2001:10::2       16/14  Up  Up  Vl10
2001:101::2      12/11  Up  Up  Vl101
2001:103::2      3/2    Up  Up  Vl103
2001:170::2      8/7    Up  Up  Vl170
2001:180::2      11/10  Up  Up  Vl180
2001:190::2      4/3    Up  Up  Vl190
FE80::21E:4AFF:FE97:5BB 13/12  Up  Up  Vl160
CEl-2009#
```

Verifying BFDv6 and OSPFv3 Configuration

To verify the BFDv6 and OSPFv3 configuration, use the `show bfd neighbors` or the `show ipv6 ospf` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the examples.

```
Router# show bfd neighbors
IPv4 Sessions
NeighAddr        LD/RD  RH/RS State Int
101.101.101.2    6/5    Up  Up  Vl101
103.103.103.2    7/6    Up  Up  Vl103
150.150.150.2    2/1    Up  Up  Vl150
IPv6 Sessions
NeighAddr        LD/RD  RH/RS State Int
2001:10::2       16/14  Up  Up  Vl10
2001:101::2      12/11  Up  Up  Vl101
2001:103::2      3/2    Up  Up  Vl103
2001:170::2      8/7    Up  Up  Vl170
2001:180::2      11/10  Up  Up  Vl180
2001:190::2      4/3    Up  Up  Vl190
FE80::21E:4AFF:FE97:5BB 13/12  Up  Up  Vl160
Router# show ipv6 ospf
Routing Process "ospfv3 10" with ID 4.4.4.4
Event-log enabled, Maximum number of events: 1000, Mode: cyclic
Router is not originating router-LSAs with maximum metric
Initial SPF schedule delay 5000 msecs
Minimum hold time between two consecutive SPFVs 10000 msecs
Maximum wait time between two consecutive SPFVs 10000 msecs
Minimum LSA interval 5 secs
Minimum LSA arrival 1000 msecs
LSA group pacing timer 240 secs
Interface flood pacing timer 33 msecs
Retransmission pacing timer 66 msecs
Number of external LSA 0. Checksum Sum 0x000000
Number of areas in this router is 1. 1 normal 0 stub 0 nssa
```
Graceful restart helper support enabled
Reference bandwidth unit is 100 mbps
RFC1583 compatibility enabled
Area 34
   Number of interfaces in this area is 2
   SPF algorithm executed 11 times
   Number of LSA 3. Checksum Sum 0x01D6D1
   Number of DCbitless LSA 0
   Number of indication LSA 0
   Number of DoNotAge LSA 0
   Flood list length 0

Verifying BFDv6 for BGP Configuration

To verify the BFDv6 for BGP configuration, use the `show bfd neighbors` command in privileged EXEC mode, as shown in the example.

```
Router# show bfd neighbors
IPv4 Sessions
NeighAddr  LD/RD  RH/RS  State  Int
101.101.101.2  6/5    Up   Up   Vl101
103.103.103.2  7/6    Up   Up   Vl1103
150.150.150.2  2/1    Up   Up   Vl150
IPv6 Sessions
NeighAddr  LD/RD  RH/RS  State  Int
2001:10::2  16/14  Up   Up   Vl110
2001:101::2  12/11  Up   Up   Vl1101
2001:103::2  3/2    Up   Up   Vl1103
2001:170::2  8/7    Up   Up   Vl1170
2001:180::2  11/10  Up   Up   Vl1180
2001:190::2  4/3    Up   Up   Vl1190
FE80::21E:4AFF:FE97:5BB  13/12  Up   Up   Vl1160
CE1-2009#
```

Configuration Examples for IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router

This section provides sample configuration examples for IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 router feature.

Example: IPv6 Addressing on VLAN Interfaces

The following is a sample configuration of IPv6 addressing on VLAN interfaces.

```
! interface Vlan2020
 ip address 4.5.6.7 255.255.255.0
 ipv6 address FE80::3 link-local
 ipv6 address 3333::3335/64
 ipv6 address 4400::/64 anycast
 ipv6 address autoconfig
 ipv6 enable
 ipv6 ospf 1 area 0
!```
Example: IPv6 Addressing on Loopback Interfaces

The following is a sample configuration of IPv6 addressing on Loopback interfaces.

```
! interface Loopback100
   ip address 170.0.0.201 255.255.255.0
! interface Loopback555
   no ip address
   ipv6 address 22::22/64
   ipv6 address 555::554/64
   ipv6 enable
   ipv6 ospf 1 area 0
!
```

Example: Customizing ICMPv6

The following is a sample configuration of customizing ICMPv6.

```
!
   ICMP error messages limited to one every 100 milliseconds
   ICMP redirects are enabled
   ICMP unreachables are sent
!
```

Example: Configuring IPv6 Duplicate Address Detection

The following is a sample configuration of IPv6 duplicate address detection.

```
!
   ND DAD is enabled, number of DAD attempts: 1
   !Duplicate address detection information is given above.
   ND reachable time is 30000 milliseconds (using 30000)
   ND advertised reachable time is 0 (unspecified)
   ND advertised retransmit interval is 0 (unspecified)
   ND router advertisements are sent every 200 seconds
   ND router advertisements live for 1800 seconds
   ND advertised default router preference is Medium
   Hosts use stateless autoconfig for addresses.
!
```

Example: Configuring IPv6 Neighborhood Discovery

The following is a sample configuration of IPv6 neighborhood discovery.

```
!
   interface Vlan111
   no ip address
   ipv6 address 22::22/64
   ipv6 address 33::33/64
   ipv6 address autoconfig
   ipv6 nd autoconfig prefix
```
Example: Enabling IPv6 Stateless Address Autoconfiguration

The following is a sample configuration of IPv6 stateless address autoconfiguration.

```
! Neighboring discovery information is given above.
ipv6 enable
```

Example: Configuring the IPv4 and IPv6 Dual-Stack

The following is a sample configuration of IPv4 and IPv6 dual-stack.

```
! interface Vlan111
   no ip address
   ipv6 address 22::22/64
   ipv6 address 33::33/64
   ipv6 address autoconfig
! IPv6 address autoconfiguration details are given above.
   ipv6 nd autoconfig prefix
   ipv6 enable
```

Example: Configuring IPv6 Static Routing

The following is a sample configuration of IPv6 static routing between two Cisco ASR 901 routers.

**Router-1**

```
ipv6 route 555::/64 Vlan2020
```

**Router-2**

```
interface Loopback555
   no ip address
   ipv6 address 22::22/64
   ipv6 address 555::554/64
   ipv6 enable
   ipv6 ospf 1 area 0
```

Example: Configuring BFD and Static Routing for IPv6

The following is a sample configuration of bidirectional forwarding detection and static routing for IPv6.

```
! IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router
```
Example: Configuring OSPFv3 for IPv6

The following is a sample configuration of OSPFv3 for IPv6.

**Router-1**

```
! interface Loopback20202
   no ip address
   ipv6 address 4444::4444/64
   ipv6 enable
   ipv6 ospf 1 area 0
!
   ipv6 router ospf 1
   router-id 1.1.1.1
   area 0 range 4444::/48
```

**Router-2**

```
! interface Loopback30303
   no ip address
   ipv6 address 4444::4443/64
   ipv6 enable
   ipv6 ospf 1 area 0
!
   ipv6 router ospf 1
   router-id 3.3.3.3
   area 0 range 4444::/48
```

Example: Configuring BFD and OSPFv3 for IPv6

The following is a sample configuration of bidirectional forwarding detection support for OSPFv3 on one or more OSPFv3 Interfaces:

```
!
!
   ipv6 router ospf 1
   router-id 1.1.1.1
   interface vlan 4000
   ipv6 add 2001::2/64
   ipv6 ospf 1 area 0
   ipv6 ospf bfd
   bfd interval 50 min_rx 50 multiplier 3
!
```

The following is a sample configuration of bidirectional forwarding detection support for OSPFv3 on all interfaces:
ipv6 router ospf 1
 router-id 1.1.1.1
 bfd all-interfaces
 interface vlan 4000
 ipv6 add 2001::2/64
 ipv6 ospf 1 area 0
 bfd interval 50 min_rx 50 multiplier 3

Example: Configuring IS-IS for IPv6

The following is a sample configuration of IS-IS for IPv6.

Router-1

! interface Loopback20202
  no ip address
  ipv6 address 565::565/96
  ipv6 address 4444::4444/64
  ipv6 enable
  ipv6 router isis alpha
  !
  router isis alpha
  net 49.1111.2222.3333.4444.00
  !

Router-2

! interface Loopback30303
  no ip address
  ipv6 address 454::454/96
  ipv6 address 4444::4443/64
  ipv6 enable
  ipv6 router isis alpha
  !
  router isis alpha
  net 49.1111.2220.3330.4440.00
  !

Example: Configuring Multiprotocol-BGP for IPv6

The following is a sample configuration of multiprotocol-BGP for IPv6.

Router-1

-------
ipv6 unicast-routing
! Enables forwarding of IPv6 packets.
ipv6 cef
interface Loopback10
  no ip address
  ipv6 address 2010:AB8:2::/48
  ipv6 enable
  !
interface Loopback20
   no ip address
   ipv6 address 2010:AB8:3::/48
   ipv6 enable
!
interface FastEthernet0/0
   no ip address
duplex auto
speed auto
ipv6 address 2010:AB8:0:2::/64 eui-64
ipv6 enable
!
router bgp 1
   bgp router-id 1.1.1.1
   no bgp default ipv4-unicast
   bgp log-neighbor-changes
neighbor 2010:AB8:0:2:C601:10FF:FE58:0 remote-as 2
!
address-family ipv6
neighbor 2010:AB8:0:2:C601:10FF:FE58:0 activate
network 2010:AB8:2::/48
network 2010:AB8:3::/48
exit-address-family
!

Router-2
-------

ipv6 unicast-routing
ipv6 cef
interface FastEthernet0/0
   no ip address
duplex auto
speed auto
ipv6 address 2010:AB8:0:2::/64 eui-64
ipv6 enable
!
router bgp 2
   bgp router-id 2.2.2.2
   no bgp default ipv4-unicast
   bgp log-neighbor-changes
neighbor 2010:AB8:0:2:C600:10FF:FE58:0 remote-as 1
!
address-family ipv6
neighbor 2010:AB8:0:2:C600:10FF:FE58:0 activate
exit-address-family
!

Example: Configuring BFD and Multiprotocol-BGP for IPv6

The following is a sample configuration of bidirectional forwarding detection and multiprotocol-BGP for IPv6.

Router-1

interface Vlan10
ipv6 address 2001:10::1/64
 bfd interval 250 min_rx 250 multiplier 3
Troubleshooting Tips

Problems can occur in the IPv6 functionality due to misconfigurations. To enable IPv6 functionality, you should enable IPv6 configurations at several places.

Some of the sample troubleshooting scenarios are provided below:

<table>
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<th>Problem</th>
<th>Solution</th>
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<tr>
<td>IPv6 commands are not available.</td>
<td>IPv6 is not enabled by default. Enable IPv6 functionality using <code>ipv6 unicast-routing</code> command. Also, check to see if IPv6 is enabled on the virtual templates.</td>
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The following `debug` and `show` commands allows you to troubleshoot the IPv6 configuration.

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### Where to Go Next

For additional information on IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 router, see the documentation listed in the Additional References section.

### Additional References

The following sections provide references related to LLDP feature.

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Feature Information for IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router

Table 2: Feature Information for IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router, on page 43 lists the release history for this feature.

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

Note

Table 2: Feature Information for IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router, on page 43 lists only the software release that introduced support for a given feature in a given software release train. Unless noted otherwise, subsequent releases of that software release train also support that feature.
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| IPv6 Support on the Cisco ASR 901 Router | 15.2(SNG)  | This feature is introduced on the Cisco ASR 901 routers.  
The following sections provide information about this feature:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| ICMPv6                              | 15.2(SNG)  | The ICMP is used to generate error messages.  
**Platform-Independent Cisco IOS Software Documentation**  
The following section of the “Implementing IPv6 Addressing and Basic Connectivity” chapter of the *IPv6 Configuration Guide* provide information about this feature:  
• ICMP for IPv6                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| IPv6 Neighbor Discovery             | 15.2(SNG)  | The IPv6 neighbor discovery determines the link-layer address of a neighbor on the same network (local link), verify the reachability of a neighbor, and track neighboring routers.  
**Platform-Independent Cisco IOS Software Documentation**  
The following sections of the “Implementing IPv6 Addressing and Basic Connectivity” chapter of the *IPv6 Configuration Guide* provide information about this feature:  
• IPv6 Neighbor Discovery  
• IPv6 Duplicate Address Detection                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| IPv4 and IPv6 Dual-Stack            | 15.2(SNG)  | The dual IPv4 and IPv6 protocol stack technique is used to transition to IPv6. It enables gradual, one-by-one upgrades to applications running on nodes.  
**Platform-Independent Cisco IOS Software Documentation**  
The following section of the “Implementing IPv6 Addressing and Basic Connectivity” chapter of the *IPv6 Configuration Guide* provide information about this feature:  
• Dual IPv4 and IPv6 Protocol Stacks                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| RIP for IPv6                         | 15.2(SNG)  | The IPv6 RIP Routing Information Database (RIB) contains a set of best-cost IPv6 RIP routes learned from all its neighboring networking devices. The RIB also stores any expired routes that the RIP process is advertising to its neighbors running RIP.  
**Platform-Independent Cisco IOS Software Documentation**  
The following section of the “Implementing RIP for IPv6” chapter of the *IPv6 Configuration Guide* provide information about this feature:  
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<td>OSPFv3 for IPv6</td>
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<td>OSPF is a link-state protocol. A link-state protocol makes its routing decisions based on the states of the links that connect source and destination machines.</td>
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<td>Multiprotocol BGP Extensions for IPv6</td>
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<td>Multiprotocol BGP is the supported exterior gateway protocol (EGP) for IPv6.</td>
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<td>Bidirectional Forwarding Detection for IPv6</td>
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<td>BFD is a detection protocol designed to provide fast forwarding path failure detection times for all media types, encapsulations, topologies, and routing protocols.</td>
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QoS features for IPv6 include packet classification, policing, marking on ingress path of Ethernet interfaces and packet classification, policing, marking, scheduling, per interface and per qos-group shaping, LLQ, and WRED on egress path of GigabitEthernet interfaces.

Platform-dependent Cisco IOS Software Documentation

The “Configuring QoS” section of the Cisco ASR 901 Series Aggregation Services Router Software Configuration Guide provide information about this feature:

- Configuring QoS

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The following section of the “Implementing QoS for IPv6” chapter of the IPv6 Configuration Guide provide information about this feature:

- Implementing QoS for IPv6