

# I Commands

The commands in this chapter apply to the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of multilayer directors and fabric switches. All commands are shown here in alphabetical order regardless of command mode. See the “Command Modes” section to determine the appropriate mode for each command. For more information, refer to the *Cisco MDS 9000 Family Configuration Guide*.

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## in-order-guarantee

To enable in-order delivery in the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **in-order-guarantee** command in configuration mode. To disable in-order delivery, use the **no** form of the command.

**in-order-guarantee**

**no in-order-guarantee**

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

**Defaults** Disabled.

**Command Modes** Configuration mode.

**Command History** This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).

**Usage Guidelines** In-order delivery of data frames guarantees frame delivery to a destination in the same order that they were sent by the originator.

**Examples** The following example shows how to enable in-order delivery.

```
switch## config t
switch(config)##
switch(config)# in-order-guarantee
switch(config)#
switch(config)# no in-order-guarantee
switch(config)#
```

**install all**

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## install all

To upgrade all modules in any Cisco MDS 9000 family switch, use the **install all** command. This upgrade can happen nondisruptively or disruptively depending on the current configuration of your switch.

**install all system URL kickstart URL**

Syntax Description	
<b>install all</b>	Upgrades the system.
<b>system</b>	Upgrades the system image.
<b>kickstart</b>	Upgrades the kickstart image.
<b>URL</b>	The location URL of the source file to be installed.

The following table lists the aliases for *URL*.

<b>bootflash:</b>	Source location for internal bootflash memory.
<b>slot0:</b>	Source location for the CompactFlash memory or PCMCIA card.
<b>volatile:</b>	Source location for the volatile file system.
<b>tftp:</b>	Source location for a Trivial File Transfer Protocol (TFTP) network server. The syntax for this URL is <b>tftp:[//location]/directory]/filename</b> .
<b>ftp:</b>	Source location for a File Transfer Protocol (FTP) network server. The syntax for this URL is <b>ftp:[//location]/directory]/filename</b> .
<b>sftp:</b>	Source location for a Secure Trivial File Transfer Protocol (SFTP) network server. The syntax for this URL is <b>sftp:[//&lt;username@&gt;location]/directory]/filename</b> .
<b>scp:</b>	Source location for a Secure Copy Protocol (SCP) network server. The syntax for this URL is <b>scp:[//location]/directory]/filename</b> .
<i>image-filename</i>	The name of the source image file.

<b>Defaults</b>	None.
<b>Command Modes</b>	EXEC mode.
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(3).
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	<p>The <b>install all</b> command upgrades all modules in any Cisco MDS 9000 Family switch.</p> <p>To copy a remote file, specify the entire remote path exactly as it is.</p> <p>See the <i>Cisco MDS 9000 Family Configuration Guide</i> for detailed procedures.</p>

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**Examples**

The following example displays the result of the **install all** command if the system and kickstart files are specified locally.

```
switch# install all system bootflash:system_image kickstart bootflash:kickstart_image

Image verification is in progress, please wait.
This command is going to install system image system_image
and kickstart image kickstart_image on this system
The command will:
- Install the Loader, if required
- Install the BIOS, if required
- Update boot variables
- Save configuration
- Reload the standby supervisor
- Perform a HA Switchover
- Perform a hitless upgrade of module 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9

Do you want to continue y/n ? [n] : y
```

Image synchronization is in progress, please wait.

```
Installing Loader, please wait.
Installing Loader on module 5 ... successful
Installing Loader on module 6 ... successful
```

```
Installing BIOS, please wait.
Installing BIOS on module 1 ... not required (same version)
Installing BIOS on module 2 ... not required (same version)
Installing BIOS on module 3 ... not required (same version)
Installing BIOS on module 4 ... not required (same version)
Installing BIOS on module 5 ... not required (same version)
Installing BIOS on module 6 ... not required (same version)
Installing BIOS on module 7 ... not required (same version)
Installing BIOS on module 8 ... not required (same version)
Installing BIOS on module 9 ... not required (same version)
```

```
Updating boot variables .. successful
Saving configuration, please wait.
Reload of the standby supervisor is in progress, please wait
Success, the standby supervisor is online and ready to takeover
```

The following example displays the result of the **install all** command if the system and kickstart files are specified remotely.

```
switch# install all
system scp://user@171.71.00.000:/home/user/golden-sanity/system_image
kickstart scp://user@171.71.00.000:/home/user/golden-sanity/kickstart_image
Copying
scp://user@171.71.00.000/home/user/golden-sanity/system_image to
bootflash:/system_image
...
Copying
scp://user@171.71.00.000/home/user/golden-sanity/kickstart_image to
bootflash:/kickstart_image
aharihar@171.71.00.000's password:
```

```
system_image-3u          100% | ****| 19941 KB
00:24
```

```
Image verification is in progress, please wait.
This command is going to install system image system_image
and kickstart image kickstart_image on this system
```

**install all**

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The command will:

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- Update boot variables
- Save configuration
- Reload the standby supervisor
- Perform a HA Switchover
- Perform a hitless upgrade of module 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9

Do you want to continue y/n ? [n] : **y**

Image synchronization is in progress, please wait.

Installing Loader, please wait.

Installing Loader on module 5 ... successful

Installing Loader on module 6 ... successful

Installing BIOS, please wait.

Installing BIOS on module 1 ... not required (same version)

Installing BIOS on module 2 ... not required (same version)

Installing BIOS on module 3 ... not required (same version)

Installing BIOS on module 4 ... not required (same version)

Installing BIOS on module 5 ... not required (same version)

Installing BIOS on module 6 ... not required (same version)

Installing BIOS on module 7 ... not required (same version)

Installing BIOS on module 8 ... not required (same version)

Installing BIOS on module 9 ... not required (same version)

Updating boot variables .. successful

Saving configuration, please wait.

Reload of the standby supervisor is in progress, please wait

Success, the standby supervisor is online and ready to takeover

This example displays the file output on the console of the standby supervisor module:

Installation procedure in progress, please wait.

The login will be disabled until the installation is completed.

Switchover to this supervisor is successful

Install of module 1 is in progress, please wait.

Install of module 2 is in progress, please wait.

Install of module 3 is in progress, please wait.

Install of module 4 is in progress, please wait.

Install of module 7 is in progress, please wait.

Install of module 8 is in progress, please wait.

Install of module 9 is in progress, please wait.

The installation procedure has completed successfully.

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#### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>install module bios</b>	Upgrades the supervisor or switching module BIOS.
<b>install module image</b>	Upgrades the supervisor or switching module image.
<b>install module loader</b>	Upgrades the bootloader on the active or standby supervisor or modules.

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## install module bios

To program the supervisor or switching module BIOS, use the **install module bios system** command.

**install module *module-number* bios {system [bootflash: | slot0: | volatile: | *system-image*]}**

Syntax Description	
<b>install module</b>	Upgrades the BIOS for a supervisor or switching module.
<i>module-number</i>	From slot 1 to 9 in a Cisco MDS 9500 Series switch. From slot 1 to 2 in a Cisco MDS 9200 Series switch.
<b>bios</b>	Configures the BIOS in the specified module.
<b>system</b>	Specifies the system image to use (optional). If system is not specified, the current running image is used.
<b>bootflash:</b>	Source location for internal bootflash memory
<b>slot0:</b>	Source location for the CompactFlash memory or PCMCIA card.
<b>volatile:</b>	Source location for the volatile file system.
<i>system-image</i>	The name of the system or kickstart image.

**Defaults** None.

**Command Modes** EXEC mode.

**Command History** This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(3).

**Usage Guidelines** If the BIOS is upgraded, you need to reboot to make the new BIOS effective. You can schedule the reboot at a convenient time so traffic will not be impacted.

The console baud rate automatically reverts to the default rate (9600) after any BIOS upgrade.

The URL is always the system image URL in the supervisor module, and points to the bootflash: or slot0: directories.

**Examples** The following example shows how to perform a non disruptive upgrade for the system.

```
switch# install module 1 bios
Started bios programming .... please wait
###
BIOS upgrade succeeded for module 1
```

In this example, the switching module in slot 1 was updated.

**install module image**

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# install module image

To program the supervisor or switching module image, use the **install module image** command.

**install module *module-number* image kickstart [bootflash: | slot0: | volatile: | system-image]**

Syntax Description	<b>install module</b> Upgrades the BIOS for a supervisor or switching module. <i>module-number</i> Switching modules: From slot 1 to 4 and 7 to 9 in a Cisco MDS 9500 Series switch. For slot 2 in a Cisco MDS 9200 Series switch.  Supervisor modules: Slot 5 or 6—only on the active supervisor module in a Cisco MDS 9500 Series switch. Slot 1—upgrades both the supervisor and switching parts of the module in a Cisco MDS 9200 Series switch.
<b>image</b>	Configures the running image if <b>system</b> is not specified.
<b>kickstart</b>	Specifies the kickstart image to use (optional). If the image is not specified, the current running image is used.
<b>bootflash:</b>	Source location for internal bootflash memory
<b>slot0:</b>	Source location for the CompactFlash memory or PCMCIA card.
<b>volatile:</b>	Source location for the volatile file system.
<b>system-image</b>	The name of the system image.
<b>Defaults</b>	None.
<b>Command Modes</b>	EXEC mode.
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(3).
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	<p>The <b>install module</b> command only upgrades the system image on any module (other than the standby supervisor module). If error occur for any switching module, the module is reset and the new image is downloaded for that module.</p> <p>If you are issuing this command on the supervisor module, follow these requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Update the environment variables before issuing this command.</li> <li>If any errors occur during this process, the switch is reset to guarantee that the system does not continue with a half installed image. In this case, the switch uses the image that was saved in the SYSTEM environment variable prior to this installation procedure.</li> <li>Specify the slot number of the active supervisor module. The following example assumes the active supervisor module is in slot 5.</li> </ul>

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**Examples**

The following example shows how to perform a non disruptive upgrade for the system.

```
switch# install module 5 image system bootflash:system.img
Beginning the install check...
bootflash:/system.img and kickstart image...is compatible.
bootflash:/system.img image...can be upgraded non-disruptively from current.
Preliminary install check done.
Beginning the install process.
    Parsing of versioning database successful.
    Preparing file system plan now...Done.
    Preparing upgrade group plan now...Done.
    Executing pre-uninstall scripts...Done.
    Updating the File System for installation...Done.
    Executing post-install scripts...Done.
    System Manager will restart the services according to upgrade plan..Done.
Installation completed successfully.
```

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**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>show version compatibility</b>	Shows the system software that is currently running on the switch

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**install module loader**

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# install module loader

To upgrade the bootloader on either the active or standby supervisor module, use the **install module loader** command. This command is only for supervisor modules, not switching modules.

**install module *module-number* loader kickstart [bootflash: | slot0: | volatile: | kickstart-image]**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<b>install module</b> Upgrades the BIOS for a supervisor or switching module. <i>module-number</i> Enters the module number for the active or standby supervisor modules (only slot 5 or 6). <b>loader</b> Configures the bootloader. <b>kickstart</b> Specifies the kickstart image to use. <b>bootflash:</b> Source location for internal bootflash memory <b>slot0:</b> Source location for the CompactFlash memory or PCMCIA card. <b>volatile:</b> Source location for the volatile file system. <i>kickstart-image</i> The name of the kickstart image.
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**Defaults** None.

**Command Modes** EXEC mode.

**Command History** This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(3).

**Usage Guidelines** Before issuing the **install module loader** command, be sure to read the release notes to verify compatibility issues between the boot loader and the kickstart or system images.

If you install a loader version that is the same as the currently-installed version, the loader will not be upgraded. When both the current version and the installed version are the same, use the **init system** command to force a loader upgrade.

**Examples** The following example shows how to perform a non disruptive upgrade for the system.

```
switch# install module 6 loader bootflash:kickstart_image
```

This example displays the command being issued on the standby supervisor module in slot 6.

## Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>show version</b>	Verify the output before and after the upgrade.

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# interface

To configure an interface on the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **interface** command in configuration mode. To disable an interface, use the **no** form of the command.

**interface fc | mgmt | port-channel | sup-fc | vsan**

**no interface fc | mgmt | port-channel | sup-fc | vsan**

Syntax Description	<b>fc</b> Fiber Channel interface. Slot number range is from 1 to 9. <b>mgmt</b> Management interface. Management interface number range is 0-0. <b>port-channel</b> PortChannel interface. <b>sup-fc</b> Inband interface <b>vsan</b> IPFC VSAN interface. VSAN number range is from 1 to 4093.
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Defaults	Disabled.
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Command Modes	Configuration mode
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Command History	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).
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Usage Guidelines	You can specify a range of interfaces by issuing a command with the following example format:
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**interface fc1/1 - 5 , fc2/5 - 7**

The spaces are required before and after the dash ( - ) and before and after the comma ( , ).

Examples	The following example displays the options for the interface command.
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```
switch## config t
switch(config)# interface ?
      cpp          Virtualization IPFC interface
      fc           Fiber Channel interface
      fc-tunnel    Fc-tunnel interface
      fcip         Fcip interface
      gigabitethernet  Ethernet interface
      iscsi        ISCSI interface
      mgmt        Management interface
      port-channel Port Channel interface
      sup-fc       Inband Interface
      vsan        IPFC VSAN interface
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show interface</b>	Displays an interface configuration for a specified interface.

**interface fc**

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## interface fc

To configure a Fibre Channel interface on the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **interface fc** command. To disable a Fibre Channel interface, use the **no** form of the command.

```
interface fc slot_number [channel-group number force] exit | fcdomain rcf-reject vsan vsan-id
[fsfp cost link_cost vsan vsan-id | dead-interval seconds vsan vsan-id | hello-interval seconds
vsan vsan-id | passive vsan vsan-id | retransmit-interval seconds vsan vsan-id] no | shutdown
| switchport

no interface fc slot_number [channel-group number force] exit | fcdomain rcf-reject vsan vsan-id
[fsfp cost link_cost vsan vsan-id | dead-interval seconds vsan vsan-id | hello-interval seconds
vsan vsan-id | passive vsan vsan-id | retransmit-interval seconds vsan vsan-id] no | shutdown
| switchport
```

Syntax Description	
<i>slot-number</i>	Specifies a slot number and port number.
<b>channel-group</b>	Adds to or removes from a PortChannel.
<i>number</i>	Specify a PortChannel number from 1 to 128.
<b>force</b>	Forcefully adds a port.
<b>exit</b>	Exits from submode.
<b>fcdomain</b>	Enters the interface submode.
<b>rcf-reject</b>	Configures the rcf-reject flag.
<b>vsan</b>	Configures the VSAN range.
<i>vsan-id</i>	The ID of the VSAN is from 1 to 4093.
<b>fspf</b>	Configures FSPF parameters.
<b>cost</b>	Configures FSPF link cost.
<i>link-cost</i>	Enters FSPF link cost 1-65535.
<b>dead-interval</b>	Configures FSPF dead interval.
<i>seconds</i>	Specifies interval in seconds from 1 to 65535.
<b>hello-interval</b>	Configures FSPF hello-interval.
<b>passive</b>	Enables or disables FSPF on the interface.
<b>retransmit-interval</b>	Configures FSPF retransmit interface.
<b>no</b>	Negates a command or sets its defaults.
<b>shutdown</b>	Enables or disables an interface.
<b>switchport</b>	Configures switchport parameters.
<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).

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<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	You can specify a range of interfaces by issuing a command with the following example format: <b>interface</b> space fc1/1space-space5space,spacefc2/5space-space7
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<b>Examples</b>	The following example configures ports 1 to 4 in Fibre Channel interface 9.
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```
switch# config t  
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.  
switch(config)# int fc9/1 - 4
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show interface</b>	Displays an interface configuration for a specified interface.

**interface fcip**

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## interface fcip

To configure a Fibre Channel over IP Protocol (FCIP) interface on the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **interface fcip** command. To disable a FCIP interface, use the **no** form of the command.

```
interface fcip interface_number bport | bport-keepalives | [channel-group number / force] exit | fcdomain rcf-reject vsan vsan-id | [fspf cost link_cost vsan vsan-id | dead-interval seconds vsan vsan-id | hello-interval seconds vsan vsan-id | passive vsan vsan-id | retransmit-interval seconds vsan vsan-id] | no | passive-mode | [peer-info ipaddress address | port number] | shutdown | special-frame peer-wwn pwwn-id | switchport | tcp-connection number | [time-stamp | acceptable-diff number] | use-profile profile-id

no interface fcip interface_number bport | bport-keepalives | [channel-group number / force] exit | fcdomain rcf-reject vsan vsan-id | [fspf cost link_cost vsan vsan-id | dead-interval seconds vsan vsan-id | hello-interval seconds vsan vsan-id | passive vsan vsan-id | retransmit-interval seconds vsan vsan-id] | no | passive-mode | [peer-info ipaddress address | port number] | shutdown | special-frame peer-wwn pwwn-id | switchport | tcp-connections number | [time-stamp | acceptable-diff number] | use-profile profile-id
```

Syntax Description	
<b>interface fcip</b>	Selects the FCIP interface to configure.
<i>interface-number</i>	Configures the specified interface from 1 to 255.
<b>bport</b>	Sets the B port mode.
<b>bport-keepalives</b>	Sets the B port keepalive responses.
<b>channel-group</b>	Adds to or removes from a PortChannel.
<i>number</i>	Specifies a PortChannel number from 1 to 128.
<b>force</b>	Forcefully adds a port.
<b>exit</b>	Exits from submode.
<b>fcdomain</b>	Enters the fcdomain mode for this FCIP interface
<b>rcf-reject</b>	Configures the rcf-reject flag.
<b>vsan</b>	Configures the VSAN.
<i>vsan-id</i>	Specifies a VSAN ID from 1 to 4093.
<b>fspf</b>	Configures FSPF parameters.
<b>cost</b>	Configures FSPF link cost.
<i>link-cost</i>	Enters FSPF link cost from 1 to 65535.
<b>dead-interval</b>	Configures FSPF dead interval.
<i>seconds</i>	Specifies interval in seconds from 1 to 65535.
<b>hello-interval</b>	Configures FSPF hello-interval.
<b>passive</b>	Enables or disables FSPF on the interface.
<b>retransmit-interval</b>	Configures FSPF retransmit interface.
<b>vsan <i>vsan-id</i></b>	Enters FSPF global configuration mode for the specified VSAN or range of VSANs from 1 to 4096. If no VSAN ID is specified, the default VSAN is selected.
<b>no</b>	Negates a command or sets its defaults.
<b>passive-mode</b>	Configures a passive connection.
<b>peer-info</b>	Configures the peer information.

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<b>ipaddress</b>	Configures the peer IP address.
<b>address</b>	Enters the IP address.
<b>port</b>	Configures a peer port.
<b>number</b>	Enters the peer port number from 1 to 65535.
<b>shutdown</b>	Enables or disables an interface.
<b>special-frame</b>	Configures special frames.
<b>peer-wwn</b>	Configures the peer WWN for special frames.
<b>pwwn-id</b>	Enters the peer pWWN ID.
<b>switchport</b>	Configures switchport parameters.
<b>tcp-connections</b>	Configures the number of TCP connection attempts.
<b>number</b>	Enters the number of attempts (1 or 2).
<b>time-stamp</b>	Configures time-stamp.
<b>acceptable-diff</b>	Configures the acceptable time difference for time-stamps.
<b>number</b>	Enters the acceptable time from 1 to 60000.
<b>use-profile</b>	Configures the interface using an existing profile.
<b>profile-id</b>	Enters the profile ID to be used from 1 to 255.

<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.1(1).
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	You can specify a range of interfaces by issuing a command with the following example format: <b>interface space fcip space1space-space5space,spacefc2/5space-space7</b>
<b>Examples</b>	<pre>switch# config t Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z. switch(config)# interface fcip 1 switch(config-if)# </pre>

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show interface fcip</b>	Displays an interface configuration for a specified FCIP interface.

■ interface fc switchport

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## interface fc switchport

To configure an interface on the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **interface** command in configuration mode.

```
interface fc slot-number {switchport beacon | description text | encaps eisl | [fcrxbbcredit credit
mode E | Fx] fcrxbbcredit default | switchport [fcrxbuflsize size] | mode auto (E | F | FL | Fx
| SD | TL) | speed (1000 | 2000 | auto) | trunk allowed vsan vsan-id] | add [vsan number | all]
| mode [auto | off | on]}

no interface fc slot-number {switchport beacon | description text | encaps eisl | [fcrxbbcredit
credit mode E | Fx] fcrxbbcredit default | switchport [fcrxbuflsize size] | mode auto (E | F |
FL | Fx | SD | TL) | speed (1000 | 2000 | auto) | trunk allowed vsan vsan-id] | add [vsan
number | all] | mode [auto | off | on]}
```

Syntax Description	
<b>interface</b>	Selects an interface to configure.
<b>fc</b>	Fiber Channel interface. Slot number range is 1-9.
<i>slot-number</i>	Specifies a slot number and port number.
<b>switchport</b>	<b>Configure switchport parameters</b>
<b>beacon</b>	<b>Disable/enable the beacon for an interface</b>
<b>description</b>	<b>Enter description of maximum 80 characters</b>
<i>text</i>	Description text of maximum 80 characters (Max Size - 80)
<b>encap</b>	<b>Configure encapsulation for the port</b>
<b>eisl</b>	<b>EISL encapsulation</b>
<b>fcrxbbcredit</b>	<b>Configure receive BB_credit for the port</b>
<i>credit</i>	<b>Enter receive BB_credit 1-255</b>
<b>mode</b>	<b>Configure receive BB_credit for specific mode</b>
<b>E</b>	<b>Configure receive BB_credit for E or TE mode</b>
<b>Fx</b>	<b>Configure receive BB_credit for F or FL mode</b>
<b>default</b>	<b>Default receive BB_credit</b>
<b>fcrxbuflsize</b>	<b>Configure receive data field size for the port</b>
<i>size</i>	<b>Enter receive data field size 256-2112</b>
<b>mode</b>	<b>Enter the port mode</b>
<b>auto</b>	<b>Autosense mode</b>
<b>E</b>	<b>E port mode</b>
<b>F</b>	<b>F port mode</b>
<b>FL</b>	<b>FL port mode</b>
<b>Fx</b>	<b>Fx port mode</b>
<b>SD</b>	<b>SD port mode</b>
<b>TL</b>	<b>TL port mode</b>
<b>speed</b>	<b>Enter the port speed</b>
<b>1000</b>	<b>1000 Mbps speed</b>
<b>2000</b>	<b>2000 Mbps speed</b>

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<b>auto</b>	Autosense speed
<b>trunk</b>	Configure trunking parameters on an interface
<b>allowed</b>	Configure allowed list for interface(s)
<b>add</b>	Give VSAN id range to add to allowed vsan list
<b>all</b>	Add all the VSANs to allowed VSAN list
<b>mode</b>	Configure trunking mode
<b>auto</b>	Autosense trunking for an interface
<b>off</b>	Disable trunking for an interface
<b>on</b>	Enable trunking for an interface

<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled				
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode				
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).				
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	You can specify a range of interfaces by issuing a command with the following example format: <b>interface</b> space fc1/1space-space5space,spacefc2/5space-space7				
<b>Examples</b>	The following example changes to Configuration mode, configures a Fibre Channel interface, and configures switchport mode E for the specified BB credit.  switch## config t switch(config)# interface fc1/1 switch(config-if)# switchport fcrxbbcredit 2 mode E				
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**interface mgmt**

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# interface mgmt

To configure a management interface on the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **interface mgmt** command in configuration mode. Use the **no** form of this command to negate the command or return it to its factory defaults.

**interface mgmt number / ip | shutdown force | switchport description text [ vrrp vrrp\_id]**

**nointerface mgmt number / ip | shutdown force | switchport description text [ vrrp vrrp\_id]**

Syntax Description	
<b>number</b>	Specifies the management interface number which is 0.
<b>ip</b>	IP address of the interface.
<b>shutdown</b>	Enables the interface.
<b>force</b>	Forces the management 0 interface to shutdown without a confirmation.
<b>switchport</b>	Configure switchport parameters
<b>description</b>	Enter description of maximum 80 characters
<b>text</b>	Description text of maximum 80 characters (Max Size - 80)
<b>vrrp</b>	Configure vrrp on this interface
<b>vrrp_id</b>	Enters VRRP id.

<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled.
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode. Issue <b>interface mgmt</b> commands from the config-interface (config-if) mode.
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	When you try to shutdown a management interface(mgmt0), a follow-up message confirms your action before performing the operation. Use the <b>force</b> option to bypass this confirmation, if required.

**Examples** The following example configures the management interface, displays the options available for the configured interface, and exits to configuration mode.

```
switch## config t
switch(config)## 
switch(config)# interface mgmt 0
switch(config-if)# ?
Interface configuration commands:
  exit      Exit from this submode
  ip        [no] ip address
  no        Negate a command or set its defaults
  shutdown  Enable/disable an interface
  switchport Configure switchport parameters
  vrrp     [no] vrrp vr_id: Configure vrrp on this interface
```

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```
switch(config-if)# exit  
switch(config)#
```

The following example shuts down the interface without using the **force** option:

```
switch# conf t  
switch(config-if)# shutdown  
Shutting down this interface will drop all telnet sessions.  
Do you wish to continue(y/n)? y
```

The following example shuts down the interface using the **force** option:

```
switch# conf t  
switch(config-if)# shutdown force
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show interface mgmt</b>	Displays interface configuration for specified interface.

■ **interface port-channel**

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# interface port-channel

To configure a port channel interface on the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **interface port-channel** command.

```
interface port-channel number [fcdomain rcf-reject vsan vsan-id] / fspf [cost link_cost /
dead-interval seconds | hello-interval seconds | passive | retransmit-interval seconds] |
shutdown | switchport
```

```
no interface port-channel number [fcdomain rcf-reject vsan vsan-id] / fspf [cost link_cost /
dead-interval seconds | hello-interval seconds | passive | retransmit-interval seconds] |
shutdown | switchport
```

## Syntax Description

<b>interface</b>	Selects an interface to configure.
<b>port-channel</b>	Configure port channel parameters
<b>number</b>	Enter PortChannel number 1-128
<b>fcdomain</b>	Enter the interface submode
<b>rcf-reject</b>	Configure the rcf-reject flag
<b>vsan</b>	Specify the vsan range
<b>vsan-id</b>	The ID of the VSAN is from 1 to 4093.
<b>fspf</b>	Configure FSPF parameters
<b>cost</b>	Configure FSPF link cost
<b>link_cost</b>	Enter FSPF link cost 1-65535
<b>dead-interval</b>	Configure FSPF dead interval
<b>seconds</b>	Enter dead interval (in sec) 2-65535
<b>hello-interval</b>	Configure FSPF hello-interval
<b>seconds</b>	Enter hello interval (in sec) 1-65535
<b>passive</b>	Enable/disable FSPF on the interface
<b>retransmit-interval</b>	Configure FSPF retransmit interface
<b>seconds</b>	Enter retransmit interval (in sec) 1-65535
<b>no</b>	Negate a command or set its defaults
<b>shutdown</b>	Enable/disable an interface
<b>switchport</b>	Configure switchport parameters

## Defaults

Disabled

## Command Modes

Configuration mode

## Command History

This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).

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**Usage Guidelines**

None.

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**Examples**

```
switch## config t
switch(config)##
switch(config)# interface port-channel 32
switch(config-if)#

```

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**Related Commands**

Command	Description
<b>show interface</b>	Displays interface configuration for specified interface.

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 interface sup-fc

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## interface sup-fc

To configure Fibre Channel interface on the supervisor module on the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **interface sup-fc** command.

**interface sup-fc number exit / no**

Syntax Description	
<b>interface</b>	Selects an interface to configure.
<b>sup-fc</b>	Inband Interface
<b>number</b>	Inband interface number.
<b>exit</b>	Exit from submode
<b>no</b>	Negate a command or set its defaults

Defaults	Disabled.
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Command Modes	Configuration mode.
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Command History	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).
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Usage Guidelines	None.
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Examples	The following example configures the Fibre Channel interface on the supervisor module.
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```
switch(config)# interface sup-fc 0
switch(config-if)#

```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show interface</b>	Displays interface configuration for specified interface.

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## interface vsan

To configure a VSAN interface on the Cisco MDS 9000 Family of switches, use the **interface vsan** command.

**interface vsan *vsan-id* [ip | no ip] [no | shutdown] [vrrp | no vrrp *vr\_id*]**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<b>interface</b> Selects an interface to configure. <b>vsan</b> IPFC VSAN interface. VSAN number range is 1-4093. <b>vsan-<i>id</i></b> VSAN id range 1-4093 <b>no</b> Negate a command or set its defaults <b>shutdown</b> Enable/disable an interface <b>ip</b> ip address <b>shutdown</b> Enable/disable an interface <b>vrrp</b> Configure vrrp on this interface <b>vr_<i>id</i></b> Enter vrrp id
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<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled.
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode.
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	None.

<b>Examples</b>	The following example configures a VSAN interface.				
	<pre>switch(config)# interface vsan 1 switch(config-if)# </pre>				
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**ip address**

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# ip address

To assign the local IP address of a Gigabit Ethernet interface to the FCIP profile, use the **ip address** command.

**ip address *address***

**no ip address *address***

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<b>ipaddress</b> Configures the peer IP address. <b>address</b> Enters the IP address.										
<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled										
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode—fcip profile submode										
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.1(1).										
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	To create a FCIP profile, you must assign a local IP address of a Gigabit Ethernet interface to the FCIP profile.										
<b>Examples</b>	<pre>switch## config t switch(config)# fcip profile 5 switch(config-profile)# ip address 10.5.1.1</pre>										
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<b>interface fcip <i>interface_number</i></b>	Configures the interface using an existing profile ID from 1 to 255.										
<b>use-profile <i>profile-id</i></b>											
<b>show interface fcip</b>	Displays an interface configuration for a specified FCIP interface.										

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## ip default-gateway

To configure the IP address of the default gateway, use the **ip default-gateway** command. To disable the IP address of the default gateway, use the **no** form of the command.

**ip default-gateway** *destination-ip-address*

**no ip default-gateway** *destination-ip-address*

Syntax Description	<i>destination-ip-address</i> Specifies the IP address,				
Defaults	None.				
Command Modes	Configuration mode.				
Command History	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).				
Usage Guidelines	None.				
Examples	<p>The following examples configures the IP default gateway to 1.1.1.4.</p> <pre>switch## config t switch(config)## switch(config)# ip default-gateway 1.1.1.4 switch(config)#</pre>				
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**ip default-network**

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## ip default-network

To configure the IP address of the default network, use the **ip default-network** command in configuration mode. To disable the IP address of the default network, use the **no** form of the command.

**ip default-network *ip-address***

**no ip default-network *ip-address***

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>ip-address</i> Specifies the IP address of the default network.
<b>Defaults</b>	None.
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode.
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	None.
<b>Examples</b>	<p>The following examples configures the IP address of the default network to 1.1.1.4.</p> <pre>switch## config t switch(config)# switch(config)# ip default-network 1.1.1.4 switch(config)#</pre>

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## ip domain-list

To configure the IP domain list, use the **ip domain-list** command in configuration mode. To disable the IP domain list, use the **no** form of the command.

**ip domain-list** *domain-name*

**no ip domain-list** *domain-name*

Syntax Description	<i>domain-name</i>	Specifies the domain name for the IP domain list.
Defaults	None.	
Command Modes	Configuration mode.	
Command History	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).	
Usage Guidelines	None.	
Examples	The following example configures the IP domain list.	

```
switch## config t
switch(config)##
switch(config)# ip domain domain name
switch(config)#

```

**ip domain-lookup**

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## ip domain-lookup

To enable the DNS server lookup feature, use the **ip domain-lookup** command in configuration mode. Use the **no** form of this command to disable this feature.

### ip domain-lookup

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

**Defaults** None.

**Command Modes** Configuration mode.

**Command History** This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).

**Usage Guidelines** Instead of IP addresses, you can configure the switch using meaningful names. The configured name automatically looks up the corresponding IP address.

**Examples** The following example configures a DNS server domain name.

```
switch## config t
switch(config)##
switch(config)# ip domain-lookup
switch(config)#
```

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## ip domain-name

To configure a domain name, use the **ip domain-name** command in configuration mode.

**ip domain-name** *domain name*

Syntax Description	<i>domain-name</i> Specifies the domain name.
Defaults	None.
Command Modes	Configuration mode.
Command History	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).
Usage Guidelines	None.
Examples	The following example configures a domain name.  switch## config t switch(config)## switch(config)# ip domain-name <i>domain name</i> switch(config)##

**ip name-server**

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## ip name-server

To configure a name server, use the **ip name-server** command in configuration mode.

**ip name-server** *ip-address*

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>ip-address</i>	Specifies the IP address for the name server.
<b>Defaults</b>	None.	
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode.	
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).	
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	You can configure a maximum of six servers. By default, no server is configured.	
<b>Examples</b>	The following example configures a name server with an IP address of 1.1.1.4.  switch## config t switch(config)# ip name-server 1.1.1.4	
	The following example specifies the first address (15.1.0.1) as the primary server and the second address (15.2.0.0) as the secondary sever.  switch(config)# ip name-server 15.1.0.1 15.2.0.0	
	The following example deletes the configured server(s) and reverts to factory default.  switch(config)# no ip name-server	

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## ip route

To configure a static route, use the **ip route** command in configuration mode.

```
ip route ip-address subnet-mask [nexthop_ip-address] [ interface (mgmt 0 | vsan number) ]
[distance distance-number]
```

Syntax Description	
<i>ip-address</i>	Specifies the IP address for the route.
<i>subnet-mask</i>	Specifies the subnet mask for the route.
<i>nexthop_ip-address</i>	Specifies the IP address of the next hop switch.
<b>interface</b>	Configures the interface associated with the route.
<b>mgmt 0</b>	Specifies the management interface (mgmt 0).
<b>vsan</b>	Specifies a VSAN interface.
<i>number</i>	Specifies the VSAN interface number.
<b>distance</b>	Configures the distance metric for this route.
<i>distance-number</i>	Specifies the distance metric for this route. It can be from 0 to 32766.

**Defaults** None.

**Command Modes** Configuration mode.

**Command History** This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).

**Usage Guidelines** None.

**Examples** The following examples shows how to configure a static route.

```
switch## config t
switch(config)##
switch(config)# IP route 10.0.0.0 255.0.0.0 20.20.20.10 distance 10 interface vsan 1
switch(config)#

```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show ip route</b>	Displays the IP address routes configured in the system.

**ip routing**

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# ip routing

To enable the IP forwarding feature, use the **ip routing** command in configuration mode.

## ip routing

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

**Defaults** Disabled.

**Command Modes** Configuration mode.

**Command History** This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.0(2).

**Usage Guidelines** None.

**Examples** The following example enables the IP forwarding feature.

```
switch## config t
switch(config)#
switch(config)# ip routing
switch(config)#

```

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## iscsi authentication

Use the **iscsi authentication** command to configure the default authentication method for iSCSI.

**iscsi authentication chap | none**

**no iscsi authentication chap | none**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<b>iscsi</b> Configures iSCSI parameters. <b>authentication</b> Configures the global iSCSI authentication level. <b>chap</b> Configures the Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol (CHAP) authentication method. <b>none</b> Specifies that no authentication is required for the selected interface
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**Defaults** CHAP or none.

**Command Modes** Configuration mode

**Command History** This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.1(1).

**Usage Guidelines** By default, the MDS switch accepts an iSCSI initiator with either no authentication or CHAP authentication. If CHAP authentication is always required, use the **iscsi authentication chap** command. If no authentication is always required, use the **iscsi authentication none** command. To change back to the default setting use the **no iscsi authentication** command.

**Examples**

```
switch# config t
switch(config)# iscsi authentication chap
switch(config)# iscsi authentication none
```

<b>Related Commands</b>	<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
	<b>show iscsi global</b>	Displays all iSCSI initiators configured by the user..

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 iscsi import target fc

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## iscsi import target fc

To allow dynamic mapping of Fibre Channel targets, use the **iscsi import target fc** command.

**iscsi import target fc**

**no iscsi import target fc**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<b>iscsi</b> Configures iSCSI parameters. <b>import</b> Imports Fibre Channel targets to iSCSI domains. <b>targets</b> Configures targets to import to the iSCSI domain. <b>fc</b> Specifies Fibre Channel targets.
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<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled
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<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode
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<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.1(1).
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<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	This command directs iSCSI to dynamically import all Fibre Channel targets into iSCSI.
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<b>Examples</b>	<pre>switch## config t switch(config)# iscsi import target fc switch(config)# no iscsi import target fc</pre>
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## iscsi initiator ip-address

To assign persistent WWNs to an iSCSI initiator or assign an iSCSI initiator into VSANs other than the default VSAN, use the **iscsi initiator ip-address** command.

```
iscsi initiator ip-address [static (nwwn wwn-id | pwwn wwn-id) | system-assign number] | vsan vsan-id ]
```

```
no iscsi initiator ip-address [static (nwwn wwn-id | pwwn wwn-id) | system-assign number] | vsan vsan-id ]
```

Syntax Description	
<b>iscsi</b>	Configures iSCSI parameters.
<b>initiator</b>	Configures the iSCSI initiator node name.
<b>ip-address ipaddress</b>	Configures the specified initiator IP address.
<b>exit</b>	Exits from submode.
<b>nwwn</b>	Configures the initiator node WWN hex value.
<b>pwwn</b>	Configures the peer WWN for special frames.
<b>wwn-id</b>	Enters the pWWN or nWWN ID.
<b>system-assign number</b>	Generates the nWWN value automatically. The number ranges from 1 to 64.
<b>vsan</b>	Configures the VSAN.
<b>vsan-id</b>	Specifies a VSAN ID from 1 to 4093.

Defaults	Disabled
Command Modes	Configuration mode—iSCSI-initiator submode
Command History	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.1(1).
Usage Guidelines	Under a circumstance where an iSCSI initiator needs to have a persistent binding to FC WWNs, this command should be used. Also, an iSCSI initiator can be put into multiple VSANs. An iSCSI host can become a member of one or more VSANs.

Examples	<p>The following command configures an iSCSI initiator, using the IP address of the initiator node.</p> <pre>switch(config)# iscsi initiator ip-address 10.50.1.1</pre> <p>The following command deletes the configured iSCSI initiator.</p> <pre>switch(config)# no iscsi initiator ip-address 10.5.0.0</pre> <p>The following command uses the switch's WWN pool to allocate the nWWN for this iSCSI initiator and keeps it persistent.</p> <pre>switch(config-(iscsi-init))# static nWWN system-assign</pre>
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**iscsi initiator ip-address**

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The following command assigns the user provided WWN as nWWN for the iSCSI initiator. You can only specify one nWWN for each iSCSI node.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-init))# nWWN 20:00:00:05:30:00:59:11
```

The following command uses the switch's WWN pool to allocate two pWWNs for this iSCSI initiator and keeps it persistent.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-init))# static pWWN system-assign 2
```

The following command assigns the user provided WWN as pWWN for the iSCSI initiator.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-init))# pWWN 21:00:00:20:37:73:3b:20
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show iscsi initiator</b>	Displays information about configured iSCSI initiators.

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## iscsi initiator name

To assign persistent WWNs to an iSCSI initiator or assign an iSCSI initiator into VSANs other than the default VSAN, use the **iscsi initiator name** command.

```
iscsi initiator name [static (nwwn wwn-id | pwwn wwn-id) | system-assign] | vsan vsan-id ]  
no iscsi initiator name name [static (nwwn wwn-id | pwwn wwn-id) | system-assign] | vsan  
vsan-id ]
```

Syntax Description	<b>iscsi</b> Configures iSCSI parameters. <b>initiator</b> Configures the iSCSI initiator node name. <b>name</b> Configures the initiator node name. <b>name</b> Enters the initiator name to be used from 1 to 255 characters. The minimum length is 16 characters. <b>exit</b> Exits from submode. <b>nwwn</b> Configures the initiator node WWN hex value. <b>pwwn</b> Configures the peer WWN for special frames. <b>wwn-id</b> Enters the pWWN or nWWN ID. <b>system-assign</b> Generates the nWWN value automatically. <b>vsan</b> Configures the VSAN. <b>vsan-id</b> Specifies a VSAN ID from 1 to 4093.
<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode—iSCSI-initiator submode
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.1(1).
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	Under a circumstance where an iSCSI initiator needs to have a persistent binding to FC WWNs, this command should be used. Also, an iSCSI initiator can be put into multiple VSANs. An iSCSI host can become a member of one or more VSANs.
<b>Examples</b>	<p>The following command configures an iSCSI initiator using the iSCSI name of the initiator node.</p> <pre>switch(config)# iscsi initiator name iqn.1987-02.com.cisco.initiator</pre> <p>The following command deletes the configured iSCSI initiator.</p> <pre>switch(config)# no iscsi initiator name iqn.1987-02.com.cisco.initiator</pre> <p>The following command configures an iSCSI initiator using the IP address of the initiator node.</p>

■ **iscsi initiator name**

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```
switch(config)# iscsi initiator ip-address 10.50.0.0
```

The following command deletes the configured iSCSI initiator.

```
switch(config)# no iscsi initiator ip-address 10.50.0.0
```

The following command uses the switch's WWN pool to allocate the nWWN for this iSCSI initiator and keeps it persistent.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-init))# static nWWN system-assign
```

The following command assigns the user provided WWN as nWWN for the iSCSI initiator. You can only specify one nWWN for each iSCSI node.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-init))# nWWN 20:00:00:05:30:00:59:11
```

The following command uses the switch's WWN pool to allocate two pWWNs for this iSCSI initiator and keeps it persistent.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-init))# static pWWN system-assign 2
```

The following command assigns the user provided WWN as pWWN for the iSCSI initiator.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-init))# pWWN 21:00:00:20:37:73:3b:20
```

#### Related Commands

Command	Description
<b>show iscsi initiator</b>	Displays information about configured iSCSI initiators.

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## iscsi virtual-target name

To create a static iSCSI virtual target, use the **iscsi virtual-target** command.

```
iscsi virtual-target name [advertise interface gigabitethernet interface-number | initiator
    name initiator-name | pwwn pwwn-id (secondary-pwwn secondary pwwn-id | fc-lun number
    iscsi-lun number | name initiator-name) / ip-address ip-address (ip-subnet) permit
```

```
no iscsi virtual-target name name [advertise interface gigabitethernet interface-number |
    initiator name initiator-name | pwwn pwwn-id (secondary-pwwn secondary pwwn-id | fc-lun
    number iscsi-lun number | name initiator-name) / ip-address ip-address (ip-subnet) permit
```

Syntax Description	
<b>iscsi</b>	Configures iSCSI parameters.
<b>virtual-target</b>	Configures the iSCSI virtual target name.
<b>name</b>	Configures the virtual target name.
<i>name</i>	Enters the virtual target name to be used from 1 to 255 characters.
<b>advertise</b>	Advertises the virtual target name on the specified interface.
<b>interface</b>	Selects the Gigabit Ethernet interface to configure.
<b>gigabitethernet</b>	
<i>interface-number</i>	Configures the specified interface from 1 to 255.
<b>initiator</b>	Allows the iSCSI initiator to access a specified target.
<b>name</b>	Configures the iSCSI initiator name.
<i>initiator-name</i>	Enters the initiator name to be used from 1 to 255 characters.
<b>ip-address</b>	Configures the iSCSI initiator's IP address.
<i>ip-address</i>	Enters the initiator IP address.
<i>ip-subnet</i>	Configures all initiators in the subnet.
<b>permit</b>	Permits access to the specified target.
<b>pwwn</b>	Configures the peer WWN for special frames.
<i>pwwn-id</i>	Enters the peer pWWN ID.
<b>secondary-pwwn</b>	Enters the secondary pWWN ID
<i>secondary pwwn-id</i>	Enters the peer pWWN ID.
<b>fc-lun</b> <i>number</i>	Specifies the Fibre Channel Logical Unit Number
<b>iscsi-lun</b> <i>number</i>	Specifies the iSCSI virtual target number
<b>Defaults</b>	Disabled
<b>Command Modes</b>	Configuration mode.
<b>Command History</b>	This command was introduced in Cisco MDS SAN-OS Release 1.1(1).

■ **iscsi virtual-target name**

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### Usage Guidelines

This command is used to configure a static iSCSI target for access by iSCSI initiators. A virtual target may contain a subset of LUs of an FC target or one whole FC target.

Don't specify the LUN if you wish to map the whole Fibre Channel target to an iSCSI target. All Fibre Channel LUN targets are exposed to iSCSI.

One iSCSI target cannot contain more than one Fibre Channel target.

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### Examples

```
switch## config t

switch(config)# iscsi virtual-target name abc123
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# ?
ISCSI Virt-tgt Configuration:
  advertise  Advertise virtual target on interfaces specified
  exit      Exit from this submode
  initiator Allow iSCSI initiator access to this target
  no        Negate a command or set its defaults
  pWWN     Enter the pWWN of the fc-target
```

The following command advertises the virtual target only on the specified interface. By default, it is advertised on all interfaces in all IPS modules

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# advertise interface gigabitethernet 4/1
```

The following command maps a virtual target node to a Fibre Channel target.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# pWWN 26:00:01:02:03:04:05:06
```

The following command enters the secondary pWWN for the virtual target node.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# pWWN 26:00:01:02:03:04:05:06 secondary-pwwn
66:00:01:02:03:04:05:02
```

Use the LUN option to map different Fibre Channel LUNs to different iSCSI virtual targets. If you have already mapped the whole Fibre Channel target, you will not be able to use this option.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# pWWN 26:00:01:02:03:04:05:06 fc-lun 0 iscsi-lun 0
```

The following command allows the specified iSCSI initiator node to access this virtual target. You can issue this command multiple times to allow multiple initiators.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# initiator iqn.1987-02.com.cisco.initiator1 permit
```

The following command prevents the specified initiator node from accessing virtual targets.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# no initiator iqn.1987-02.com.cisco.initiator1 permit
```

The following command allows the specified IP address to access this virtual target:

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# initiator ip address 10.50.1.1 permit
```

The following command prevents the specified IP address from accessing virtual targets:

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# no initiator ip address 10.50.1.1 permit
```

The following command allows all initiators in this subnetwork to access this virtual target:

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# initiator ip address 10.50.0.0 255.255.255.0 permit
```

The following command prevents all initiators in this subnetwork from accessing virtual targets:

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```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# no initiator ip address 10.50.0.0 255.255.255.0 permit
```

The following command allows all initiator nodes to access this virtual target.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# all-initiator-permit
```

The following command prevents any initiator node from accessing virtual targets.

```
switch(config-(iscsi-tgt))# no all-initiator-permit
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show iscsi virtual target</b>	Displays information about iSCSI virtual targets.

■ **iscsi virtual-target name**

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