

Chapter 2: Static Routing

CCNA Routing and Switching

Routing and Switching Essentials v6.0



Chapter 2 - Sections & Objectives

- 2.1 Static Routing Advantages
 - Explain how static routes are implemented in a small to medium-sized business network.
 - Explain advantages and disadvantages of static routing.
 - Explain the purpose of different types of static routes.
- 2.2 Configure Static and Default Routes
 - Configure static routes to enable connectivity in a small to medium-sized business network.
 - Configure IPv4 static routes by specifying a next-hop address.
 - Configure an IPv4 default route.
 - Configure IPv6 static routes by specifying a next-hop address.
 - Configure an IPv6 default route.
 - Configure a floating static route to provide a backup connection.
 - Configure IPv4 and IPv6 static host routes that direct traffic to a specific host.

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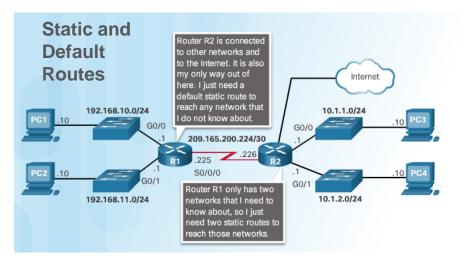
- 2.3 Troubleshoot Static and Default Routes
 - Given an IP addressing scheme, configure IP address parameters on devices to provide end-to-end connectivity in a small to medium-sized business network.
 - Explain how a router processes packets when a static route is configured.
 - Troubleshoot common static and default route configuration issues.

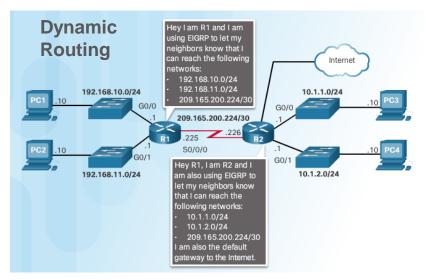
2.1 Implement Static Routes



Static Routing Reach Remote Networks

- A router learns about remote networks in two ways:
 - Manually entered into the route table using static routes
 - Static routes are not automatically updated and must be reconfigured when topology changes
 - Dynamically (Automatically) learned using a routing protocol





Static Routing Why Use Static Routing?

Dynamic versus Static Routing

	Dynamic Routing	Static Routing
Configuration Complexity	Generally independent of the network size	Increases with network size
Topology Changes	Automatically adapts to topology changes	Administrator intervention required
Scaling	Suitable for simple and complex topologies	Suitable for simple topologies
Security	Less secure	More secure
Resource Usage	Uses CPU, memory, link bandwith	No extra resources needed
Predictability	Route depends on the current topology	Route to destination is always the same

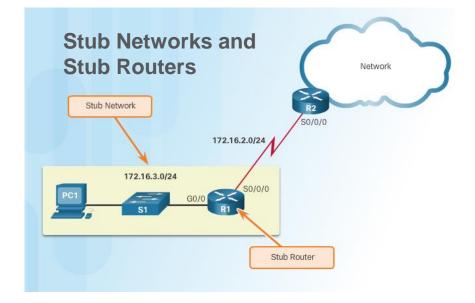
Static Routing When to Use Static Routes

Three uses for static routes:

- Smaller networks that are not expected to grow
- Routing to and from stub networks
 - Stub network accessed by a single route and has one neighbor
 - 172.16.3.0 is a stub network

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- A single default route to represent a path to any network not found in the routing table
 - Use default route on R1 to point to R2 for all other networks



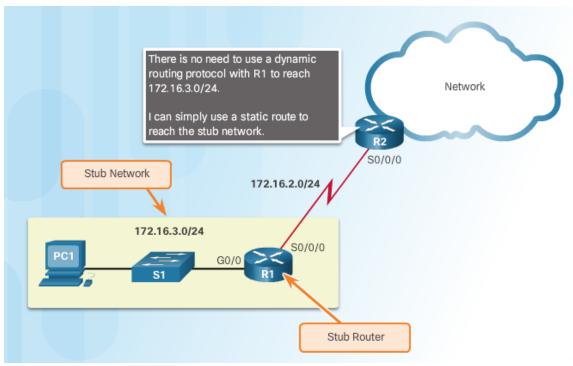
Types of Static Routes Static Route Applications

Use Static Routes To:

- Connect to a specific network
- Connect a stub router
- Summarize routing table entries which reduces size of routing advertisements
- Create a backup route in case a primary route link fails

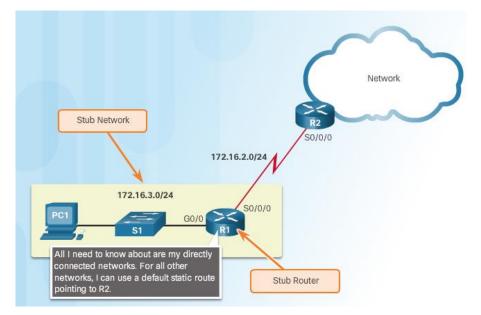
Types of Static Routes Standard Static Route

R2 configured with a static route to reach the stub network 172.16.3.0/24



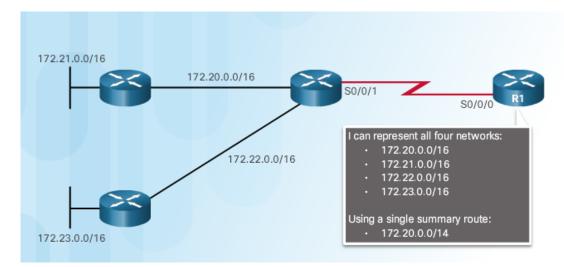
Types of Static Routes Default Static Route

- Default route matches all packets and is used when a packet does not match a specific route in the routing table
- Can be dynamically learned or statically configured
- Default Static route uses 0.0.0.0/0 as the destination IPv4 address
- Creates a Gateway of Last Resort
- Common use is when connecting a company's edge router to the ISP network
- Router has only one router to which it is connected



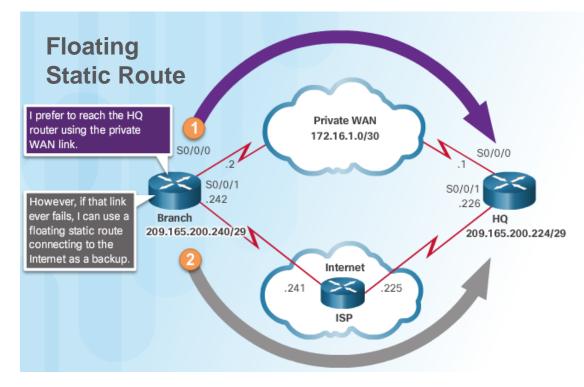
Types of Static Routes Summary Static Route

- Multiple static routes can be summarized into a single network address
 - Destination networks must be contiguous
 - Multiple static routes must use the same exit interface or next hop
 - In figure, four networks is summarized into one summary static route



Types of Static Routes Floating Static Route

- Static routes that are used to provide a backup path
- Used when primary route is not available
- Configured with a higher administrative distance (trustworthiness) than the primary route
- Example: EIGRP administrative distance equals 90. A floating static route with an AD of 91 or higher would serve as backup route and will be used if EIGRP route goes down.





2.2 Configure Static and Default Routes

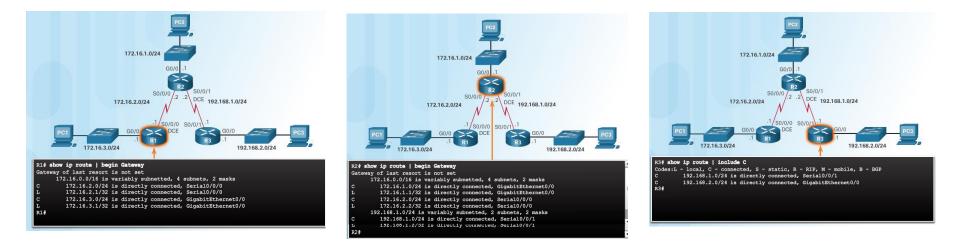


Configure IPv4 Static Routes ip route Command

ip route Command Syntax		
Router(config)# ip route network-address subnet-mask {ip-address exit-intf}		
Parameter	Description	
network-address	Destination network address of the remote network to be added to the routing table	
subnet-mask	 Subnet mask of the remote network to be added to the routing table. The subnet mask can be modified to summarize a group of networks. 	
ip-address	 Commonly referred to as the next-hop router's IP address. Typically used when connecting to a broadcast media (i.e., Ethernet). Commonly creates a recursive lookup 	
exit-intf	 Use the outgoing interface to forward packets to the destination network. Also referred to as a directly attached static route. Typically used when connecting in a point-to-point configuration. 	
distance	 (Optional) Configures an administrative distance. Typically used to configure a floating static route. 	

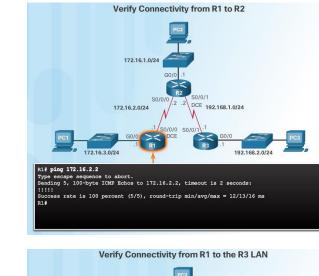
Configure IPv4 Static Routes Next-Hop Options

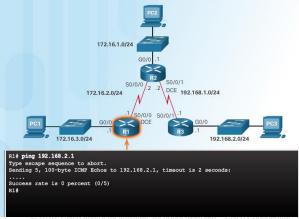
In this example, each router only has entries for directly connected network



Configure IPv4 Static Routes Next-Hop Options (Cont.)

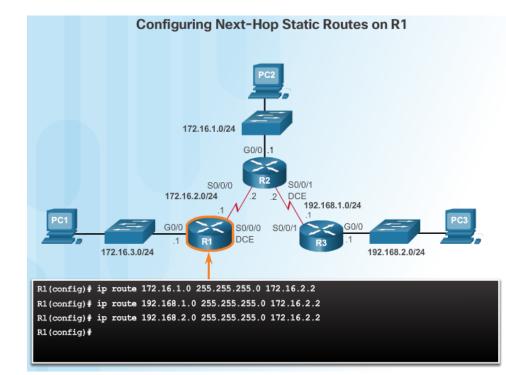
- R1 does not have an entry in its routing table for the R3 LAN network
- In a static route next-hop can be identified by
 - Next-hop IP address
 - Router exit interface
 - Next-hop IP address and exit interface





Configure IPv4 Static Routes Configure a Next-Hop Static Route

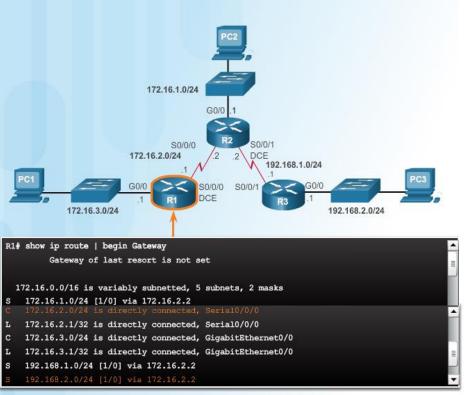
- In this example, only the next-hop IP address is specified
- Before packet is forwarded the router must determine the exit interface to use (route resolvability)



Configure IPv4 Static Routes Configure a Next-Hop Static Route (Cont.)

- In example, when a packet is destined for 192.168.2.0/24 network, R1:
 - Looks for match (#1) and needs to forward packets to 172.16.2.2
 - R1 must determine how to reach 172.16.2.2 first
 - Searches a second time for 172.16.2.0/24 (#2) and matches to exit interface s0/0/0
 - Takes two routing table lookups, process referred to as recursive lookup
 - If the exit interface is "down" or "administratively down" then the static route configured with next-hop will not be installed in routing table

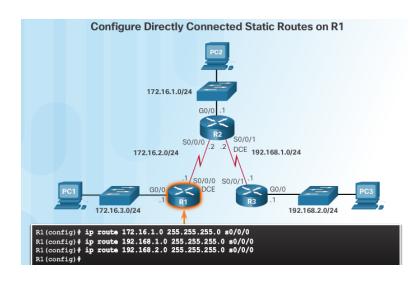
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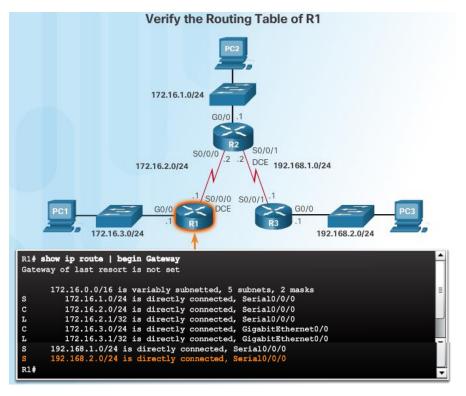


Verify the Routing Table of R1

Configure IPv4 Static Routes Configure a Directly Connected Static Route

- Use the exit interface to specify next-hop so no other lookups are required
- Administrative distance of static route is 1



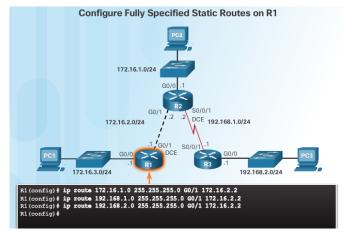


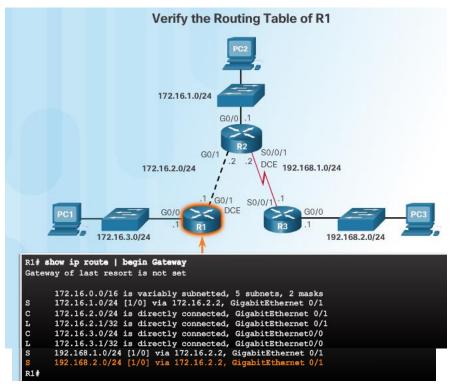
Configure IPv4 Static Routes Configure a Directly Connected Static Route (Cont.)

- Cisco Express Forwarding (CEF)
 - default behavior on IOS 12.0 or later
 - provides optimized lookup
 - uses a Forwarding Information Base (FIB) which is a copy of the routing table and an adjacency table that includes Layer 2 addresses
 - no recursive lookup needed for next-hop IP address lookups

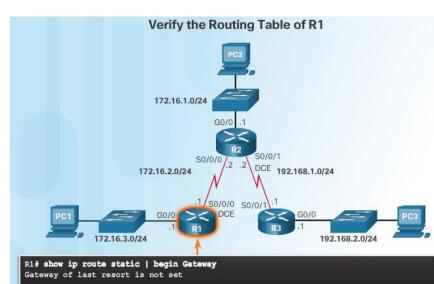
Configure IPv4 Static Routes Configure a Fully Specified Static Route

- Both the exit interface and the next-hop IP address are specified
- When exit interface is an Ethernet network, fully specified static route is used
- Note: With CEF, a next-hop address could be used instead

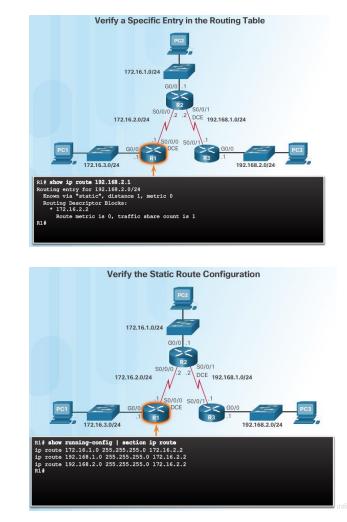




Configure IPv4 Static Routes Verify a Static Route



172.16.0.0/16 is variably subnetted, 5 subnets, 2 masks S 172.16.1.0/24 [1/0] via 172.16.2.2 S 192.168.1.0/24 [1/0] via 172.16.2.2 S 192.168.2.0/24 [1/0] via 172.16.2.2 R1#



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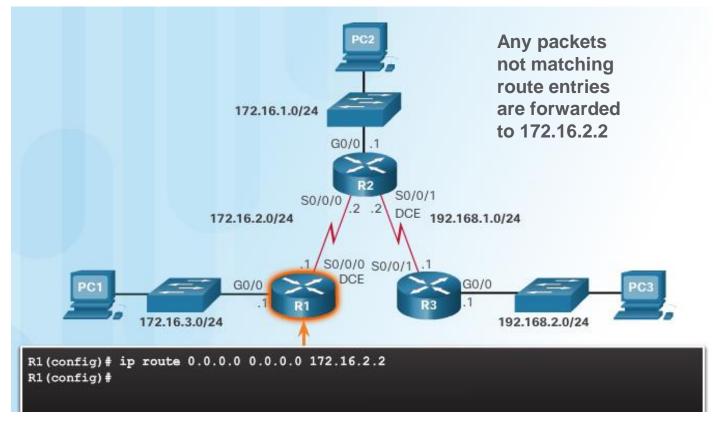
Configure IPv4 Default Routes Default Static Route

- Default static routes are commonly used when connecting:
 - An edge router to a service provider network
 - A stub router (a router with only one upstream neighbor router)
- Default route is used when no other routes in the routing table match the destination IP

	Default Static Route Syntax	
Router(config) #ip route 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 {ip-address exit-intf}		
Parameter	Description	
0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0	Matches any network address.	
ip-address	 Commonly referred to as the next-hop router's IP address. Typically used when connecting to a broadcast media (i.e., Ethernet). Commonly creates a recursive lookup. 	
exit-intf	 Use the outgoing interface to forward packets to the destination network. Also referred to as a directly attached static route. Typically used when connecting in a point-to-point configuration. 	

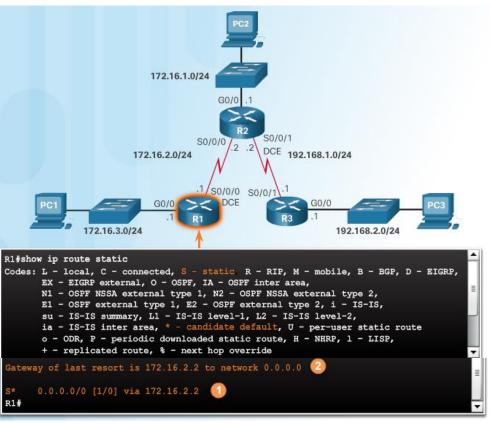


Configure IPv4 Default Routes Configure a Default Static Route



Configure IPv4 Default Routes Verify a Default Static Route

- show ip route static displays just the static routes
 - S indicates static route
 - candidate default route indicated by *
 - /0 mask in route entry indicates none of the bits are required to match



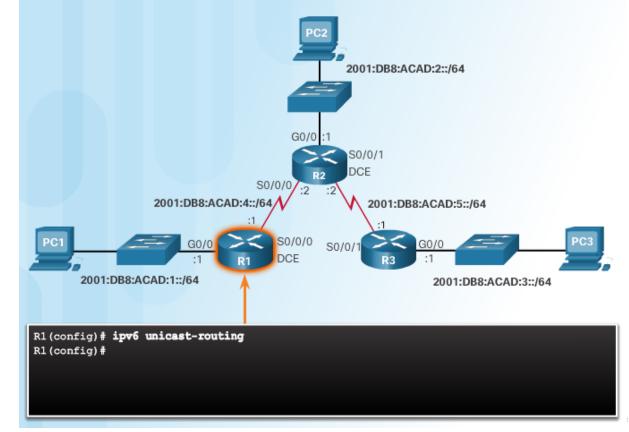
Configure IPv6 Static Routes The ipv6 route Command

Router(config) # ipv6 route ipv6-prefix/prefix-length {ipv6-address | exit-intf}

Parameter	Description
ipv6-prefix	Destination network address of the remote network to be added to the routing table.
prefix-length	Prefix length of the remote network to be added to the routing table.
ipv6-address	 Commonly referred to as the next-hop router's IP address. Typically used when connecting to a broadcast media (i.e., Ethernet). Commonly creates a recursive lookup.
exit-intf	 Use the outgoing interface to forward packets to the destination network. Also referred to as a directly attached static route. Typically used when connecting in a point-to-point configuration.

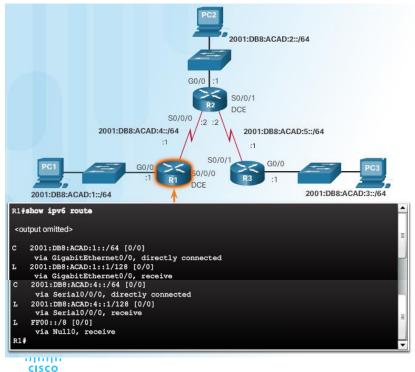
Configure IPv6 Static Routes The ipv6 route Command (Cont.)

 ipv6 unicast-routing enables the router to forward IPv6 packets



Configure IPv6 Static Routes Next-Hop Options

- Each router only knows about directly connected networks
 - R1 can ping R2 (ipv6 2001:DB8:ACAD:4::2) but cannot ping R3 (ipv6 2001:DB8:ACAD:3::2)



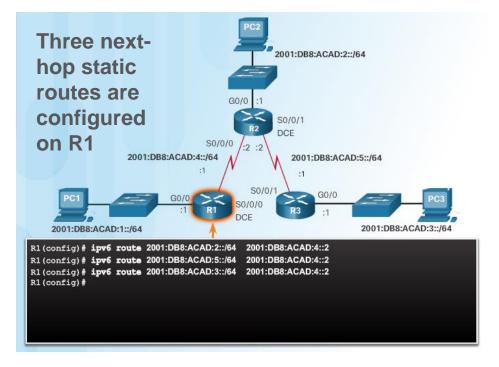
R2#show ipv6 route	
<output omitted=""></output>	
<pre>C 2001:DB8:ACAD:2::/64 [0/0] via GigabitEthernet0/0, directly connected L 2001:DB8:ACAD:2::1/128 [0/0] via GigabitEthernet0/0, receive C 2001:DB8:ACAD:4::/64 [0/0]</pre>	
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L FF00::/8 [0/0] via Null0, receive 22#	

R34	#show ipv6 route	<u>^</u>
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	<pre>via GigabitEthernet0/0, directly connected</pre>	_
L	2001:DB8:ACAD:3::1/128 [0/0]	
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	via Serial0/0/1, directly connected	
L	2001:DB8:ACAD:5::1/128 [0/0]	
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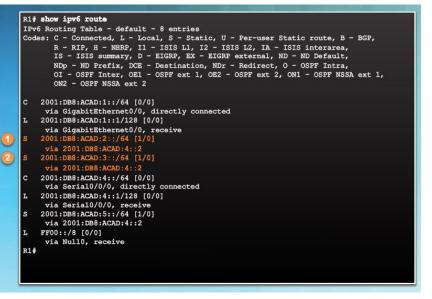
Configure IPv6 Static Routes Next-Hop Options (Cont.)

- Next hop can be identified by an IPv6 address, exit interface, or both.
- Destination is specified by one of three route types:
 - Next-hop static IPv6 route Only the next-hop IPv6 address is specified
 - Directly connected static IPv6 route Only the router exit interface is specified
 - Fully specified static IPv6 route The next-hop IPv6 address and exit interface are specified

Configure IPv6 Static Routes Configure a Next Hop Static IPv6 Route



As with IPv4, must resolve the route to determine the exit interface to use to forward the packet

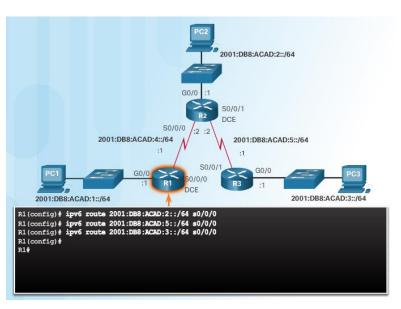


The IPv6 address matches the route for the directly connected network 2001:DB8:ACAD:4::/64 with the exit interface Serial 0/0/0.

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Configure IPv6 Static Routes Configure a Directly Connected Static IPv6 Route

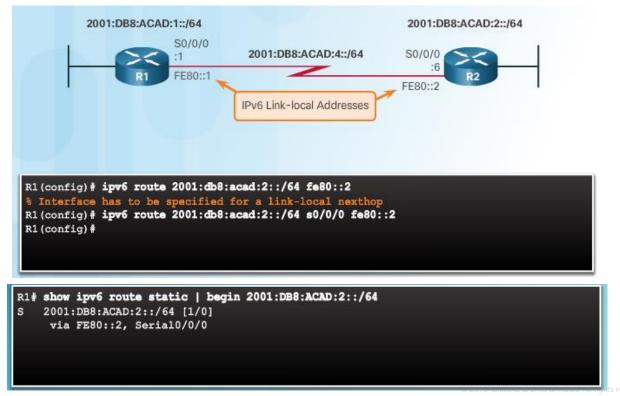
- Alternative to next hop is to specify the exit interface
- Packet destined for 2001:DB8:ACAD:3::/64 network, forwarded out Serial 0/0/0 no other lookups needed



R1# show ipv6 route IPv6 Routing Table - default - 8 entries Codes: C - Connected, L - Local, S - Static, U - Per-user Static route B - BGP, R - RIP, II - 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 2001:DB8:ACAD:1::/64 [0/0] via GigabitEthernet0/0, directly connected 2001:DB8:ACAD:1::1/128 [0/0] via GigabitEthernet0/0, receive 2001:DB8:ACAD:2::/64 [1/0] via Seria10/0/0, directly connected 2001:DB8:ACAD:3::/64 [1/0] via Serial0/0/0, directly connected 2001:DB8:ACAD:4::/64 [0/0] via Serial0/0/0, directly connected L 2001:DB8:ACAD:4::1/128 [0/0] via Serial0/0/0, receive 2001:DB8:ACAD:5::/64 [1/0] via Serial0/0/0, directly connected FF00::/8 [0/0] via Null0, receive R1#

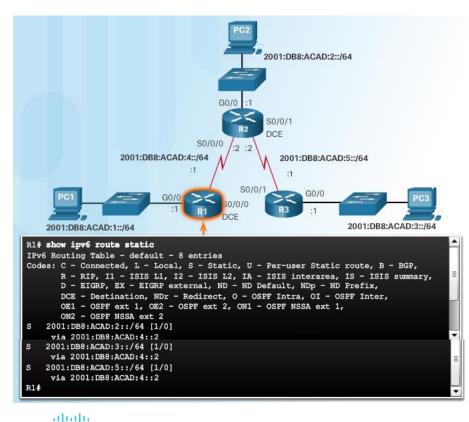
Configure IPv6 Static Routes Configure a Fully Specified Static IPv6 Route

Fully specified static route must be used if IPv6 link-local address is used as next-hop



Configure IPv6 Static Routes Verify IPv6 Static Routes

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R1# show ipv6 route 2001:db8:acad:3:: Routing entry for 2001:DB8:ACAD:3::/64		
Known via "static", distance 1, metr		
Route count is 1/1, share count 0		
Routing paths:		
2001:DB8:ACAD:4::2		
Last updated 00:19:11 ago		
R1#		

R1# show running-config | section ipv6 route ipv6 route 2001:DB8:ACAD:2::/64 2001:DB8:ACAD:4::2 ipv6 route 2001:DB8:ACAD:3::/64 2001:DB8:ACAD:4::2 ipv6 route 2001:DB8:ACAD:5::/64 2001:DB8:ACAD:4::2 R1#

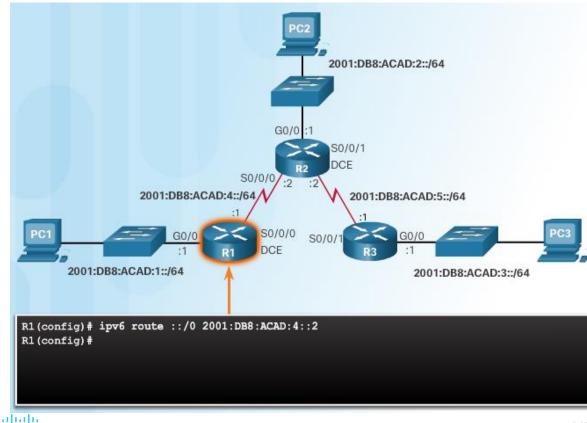
Configure IPv6 Default Routes Default Static IPv6 Route

Default static route matches all packets not specified in routing table

Router(config) # ipv6 route ::/0 { <i>ipv6-address</i> <i>exit-intf</i> }	
Parameter	Description
::/0	Matches any IPv6 prefix regardless of prefix length.
ipv6-address	 Commonly referred to as the next-hop router's IPv6 address. Typically used when connecting to a broadcast media (i.e., Ethernet). Commonly creates a recursive lookup.
exit-intf	 Use the outgoing interface to forward packets to the destination network. Also referred to as a directly attached static route. Typically used when connecting in a point-to-point configuration.

Configure IPv6 Default Routes Configure a Default Static IPv6 Route

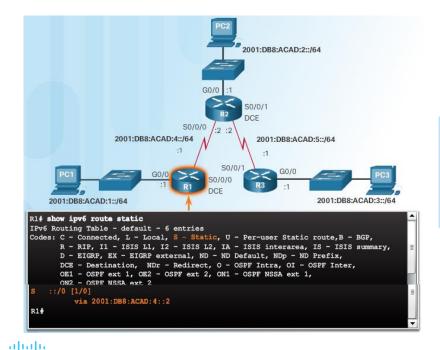
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- R1 is a stub router because it is only connected to R2
- More efficient to configure a default static IPv6 route in this topology

Configure IPv6 Default Routes Verify a Default Static Route

- ::/0 mask indicates that none of the bits are required to match
- If a more specific match does not exist, the default static IPv6 route matches all packets.



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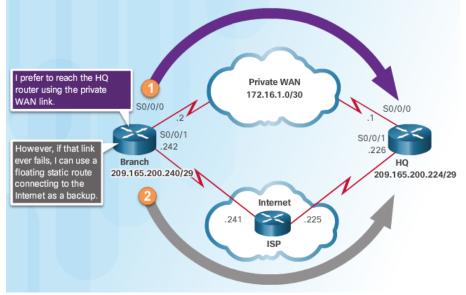
Configure Floating Static Routes Floating Static Routes

Floating static routes have an administrative distance greater than the dynamic routing protocol or other static route

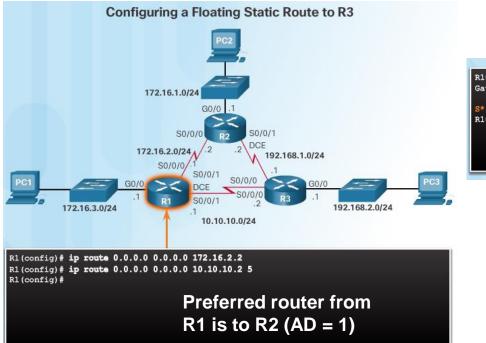
- Used as backup routes
- Administrative distance of common routing protocols
 - EIGRP = 90
 - IGRP = 100
 - OSPF = 110
 - IS-IS = 115
 - RIP = 120

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- By default, AD of static route = 1
- Static route AD can be increased to make route less desirable until preferred route is lost

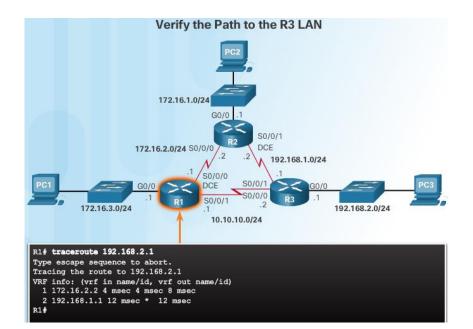


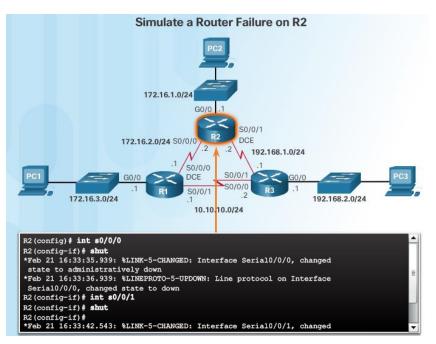
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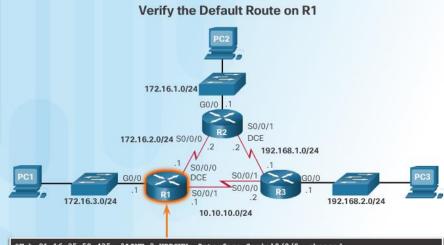


Configure Floating Static Routes Test the IPv4 Floating Static Route





Configure Floating Static Routes Test the IPv4 Floating Static Route (Cont.)



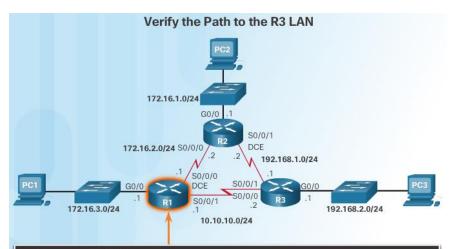
*Feb 21 16:35:58.435: %LINK-3-UPDOWN: Interface Serial0/0/0, changed state to down *Feb 21 16:35:59.435: %LINEPROTO-5-UPDOWN: Line protocol on Interface Serial0/0/0, changed state to down

R1#

R1# show ip route static | begin Gateway Gateway of last resort is 0.0.0.0 to network 0.0.0.0

S* 0.0.0.0/0 [5/0] via 10.10.10.2

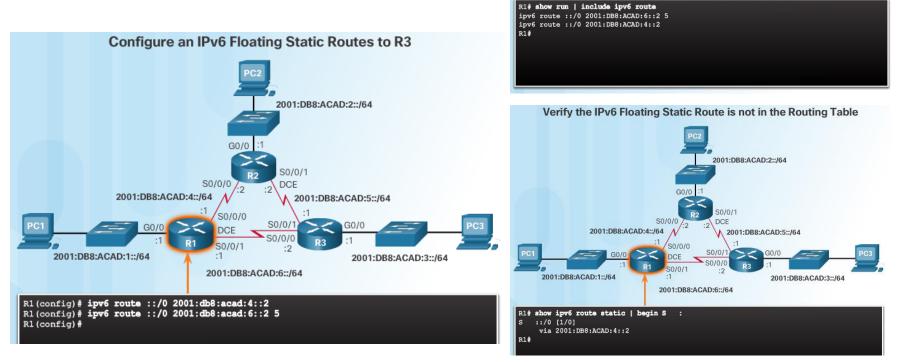
R1#



R1# traceroute 192.168.2.1 Type escape sequence to abort. Tracing the route to 192.168.2.1 VRF info: (vrf in name/id, vrf out name/id) 1 10.10.10.2 4 msec 4 msec * R1#

Configure Floating Static Routes Configure an IPv6 Floating Static Route

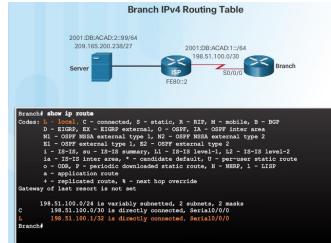
Similar to IPv4 floating static routes

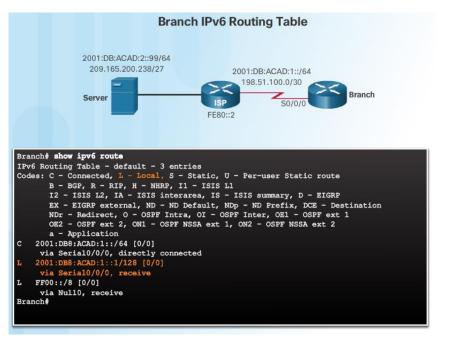


Configure Static Host Routes Automatically Installed Host Routes

Host route is an IPv4 address with a 32-bit mask or IPv6 address with a 128-bit mask.

- Automatically installed when IP address is configured
- Configured as a static host route
- Allows more efficiency for packets directed to the router
- Local route marked with "L" (introduced in IOS 15)





Configure Static Host Routes Configure IPv4 and IPv6 Static Host Routes

IPv4 and IPv6 Host Route Configuration and Verification



Branch(config) # ip route 209.165.200.238 255.255.255.255 198.51.100.2 Branch(config) # ipv6 route 2001:db8:acad:2::99/128 2001:db8:acad:1::2 Branch(config) # end

Branch# show ip route | begin Gateway

Gateway of last resort is not set

198.51.100.0/24 is variably subnetted, 2 subnets, 2 masks 198.51.100.0/30 is directly connected, Serial0/0/0 198.51.100.1/32 is directly connected, Serial0/0/0 209.165.200.0/32 is subnetted, 1 subnets

209.165.200.238 [1/0] via 198.51.100.2

Branch# show ipv6 route

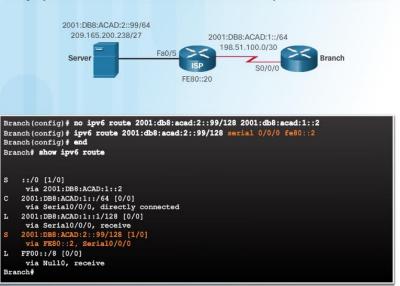
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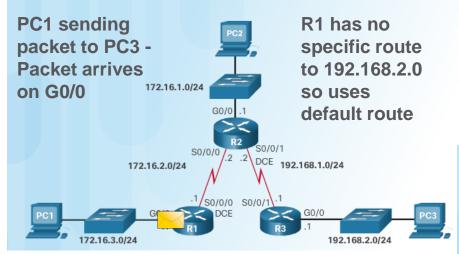


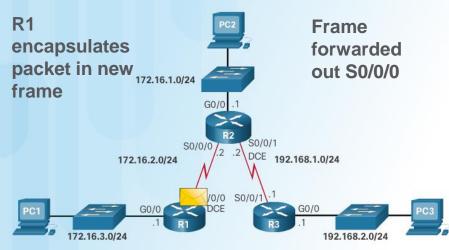
Fully Specified IPv6 Host Route with the Next-Hop Link-Local Address

2.3 Troubleshoot Static and Default Routes



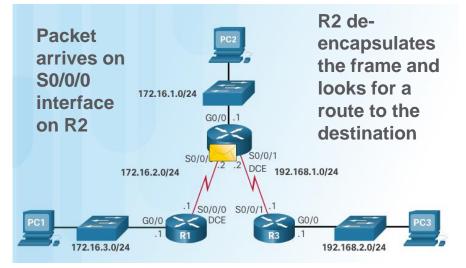
Packet Processing with Static Routes Static Routes and Packet Forwarding



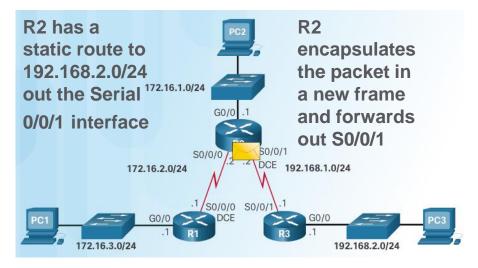


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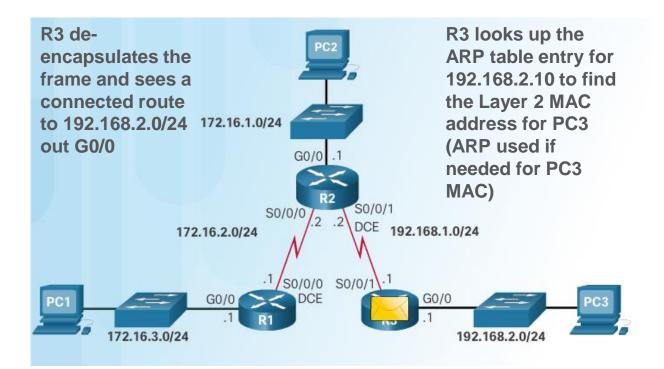
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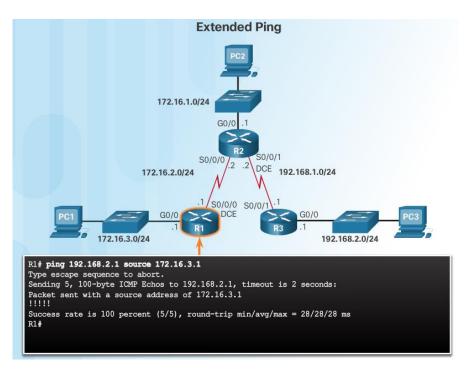


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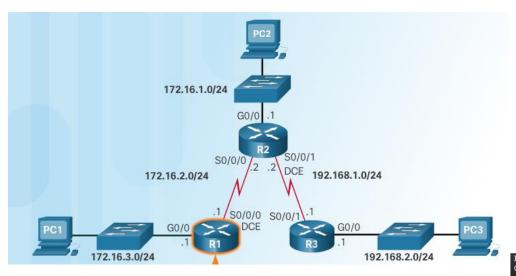
- R3 encapsulates the packet in a new frame with the MAC address of the G0/0 interface as the source Layer 2 address and the MAC address of PC3 as the destination MAC address
- Frame is forwarded out of G0/0 interface and packet arrives on the NIC interface of PC3

Troubleshoot IPv4 Static and Default Route Configuration Troubleshoot a Missing Route

- Common IOS troubleshooting commands include:
 - ping
 - traceroute
 - show ip route
 - show ip interface brief
 - show cdp neighbors detail



Troubleshoot IPv4 Static and Default Route Configuration Troubleshoot a Missing Route (Cont.)



R1# show ip interface brief Interface IP-Address OK? Method Status Embedded-Service-Engine0/0 unassigned YES unset administratively down down GigabitEthernet0/0 GigabitEthernet0/1 Serial0/0/0

172.16.3.1	YES	manual	up		up	
unassigned	YES	unset	administratively	down	down	
172.16.2.1	YES	manual	up		up	
unassigned	YES	unset	administratively	down	down	

Protocol

R1# traceroute 192.168.2.1 Type escape sequence to abort. Tracing the route to 192.168.2.1 VRF info: (vrf in name/id, vrf out name/id) 1 172.16.2.2 4 msec 4 msec 8 msec 2 192.168.1.1 12 msec 12 msec * R1#

R1# show ip route | begin Gateway Gateway of last resort is not set

- 172.16.0.0/16 is variably subnetted, 5 subnets, 2 masks 172.16.1.0/24 [1/0] via 172.16.2.2 172.16.2.0/24 is directly connected, Serial0/0/0 172.16.2.1/32 is directly connected, Serial0/0/0 172.16.3.0/24 is directly connected, GigabitEthernet0/0
- 172.16.3.1/32 is directly connected, GigabitEthernet0/0 172.16.3.1/32 is directly connected, GigabitEthernet0/0 192.168.1.0/24 [1/0] via 172.16.2.2
- 192.168.2.0/24 [1/0] via 172.16.2.2

R1# show cdp neighbors

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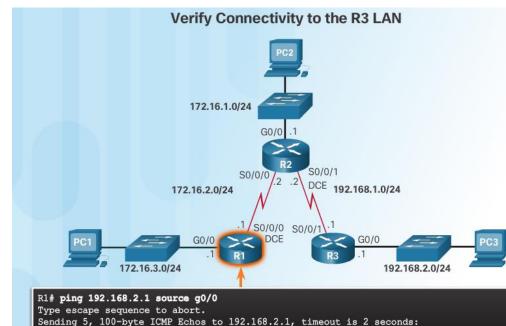
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Capability Codes: R - Router, T - Trans Bridge, B - Source Route Bridge, S - Switch, H - Host, I - IGMP, r - Repeater, P - Phone, D - Remote, C - CVTA, M - Two-port Mac Relay								
Device ID netlab-cs5 R2	Local Intrfce Gig 0/0 Ser 0/0/0	Holdtme 156 153	SI	Platform WS-C2960- CISCO1941				

Serial0/0/1 R1#

Troubleshoot IPv4 Static and Default Route Configuration Solve a Connectivity Problem



Packet sent with a source address of 172.16.3.1

Success rate is 0 percent (0/5)

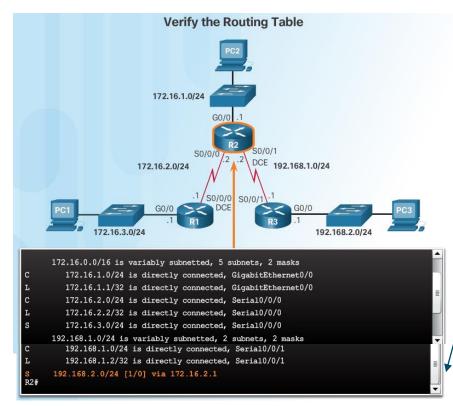
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racing the route to 192.168.2.1	
RF info: (vrf in name/id, vrf out name/id)	
1 172.16.2.2 4 msec 4 msec 8 msec	
2 172.16.2.1 12 msec 12 msec 12 msec	
3 172.16.2.2 12 msec 8 msec 8 msec	
4 172.16.2.1 20 msec 16 msec 20 msec	
5 172.16.2.2 16 msec 16 msec 16 msec	
6 172.16.2.1 20 msec 20 msec 24 msec	
7 172.16.2.2 20 msec	

A traceroute reveals that R2 forwards the traceroute back to R1. R1 returns it to R2

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R1#

Troubleshoot IPv4 Static and Default Route Configuration Solve a Connectivity Problem (Cont.)



Static route to 192.168.2.0/24 has been configured using the next-hop address 172.16.2.1.

R2# show running-config | section ip route ip route 172.16.3.0 255.255.255.0 172.16.2.1 ip route 192.168.2.0 255.255.255.0 172.16.2.1 R2#

R2# conf t

Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z. R2(config) # no ip route 192.168.2.0 255.255.255.0 172.16.2.1 R2(config) # ip route 192.168.2.0 255.255.255.0 192.168.1.1 R2(config) #

Incorrect route is removed and the correct route is then entered

R1# ping 192.168.2.1 source g0/0

Type escape sequence to abort. Sending 5, 100-byte ICMP Echos to 192.168.2.1, timeout is 2 seconds: Packet sent with a source address of 172.16.3.1

Success rate is 100 percent (5/5), round-trip min/avg/max = 28/28/28 ms R1#

2.4 Chapter Summary



Conclusion

Chapter 2: Static Routing

- Explain how static routes are implemented in a small to medium-sized business network.
- Configure static routes to enable connectivity in a small to medium-sized business network.
- Troubleshoot static and default route configurations.

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