



# Management Plane Protection Commands

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This module describes the commands used to configure management plane protection (MPP).

For detailed information about management plane protection concepts, configuration tasks, and examples, see the *Implementing Management Plane Protection* chapter in the *System Security Configuration Guide for Cisco ASR 9000 Series Routers* and *System Security Configuration Guide for Cisco 8000 Series Routers*.

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## address ipv4 (MPP)

To configure the peer IPv4 or IPv6 address in which management traffic is allowed on the interface, use the **address ipv4** command in interface peer configuration mode. To remove the IP address that was previously configured on this interface, use the **no** form of this command.

```
address {ipv4 | ipv6}
peer-ip-address
|peer-ip-address/length
no address {ipv4 | ipv6}
peer-ip-address
| peer-ip-address/length
```

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>peer-ip-address</i>	(Required) Peer IPv4 or IPv6 address in which management traffic is allowed on the interface. This address can effectively be the source address of the management traffic that is coming in on the configured interface.
	<i>peer ip-address/length</i>	(Required) Prefix of the peer IP address and IPv4 address or IPv6 format: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IPv4—A.B.C.D/length</li> <li>• IPv6—X.X:X.X</li> </ul>

**Command Default** If no specific peer is configured, all peers are allowed.

**Command Modes** Interface peer configuration

<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	Release 7.0.12	This command was introduced.

**Usage Guidelines** No specific guidelines impact the use of this command.

<b>Task ID</b>	<b>Task ID</b>	<b>Operations</b>
	system	read, write

### Examples

The following example shows how to configure the peer address for management traffic:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp)# inband
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inband)# interface all
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inbandoutband-all)# allow all peer
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-telnetftp-peer)# address ipv4 10.1.0.0/16
```

## address ipv6 (MPP)

To configure the peer IPv6 address in which management traffic is allowed on the interface, use the **address ipv6** command in interface peer configuration mode. To remove the IP address that was previously configured on this interface, use the **no** form of this command.

```
address ipv6 {peer-ip-address | peer-ip-address/length}
```

<b>Syntax Description</b>	<i>peer-ip-address</i>	Peer IPv6 address in which management traffic is allowed on the interface. This address can effectively be the source address of the management traffic that is coming in on the configured interface.
	<i>peer ip-address/length</i>	Prefix of the peer IPv6 address.
<b>Command Default</b>	If no specific peer is configured, all peers are allowed.	
<b>Command Modes</b>	Interface peer configuration	
<b>Command History</b>	<b>Release</b>	<b>Modification</b>
	Release 7.0.12	This command was introduced.
<b>Usage Guidelines</b>	No specific guidelines impact the use of this command.	
<b>Task ID</b>	<b>Task ID</b>	<b>Operations</b>
	system	read, write

### Examples

The following example shows how to configure the peer IPv6 address 33::33 for management traffic:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp)# inband
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inband)# interface HundredGigabitEthernet 0/1/1/2
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inband-if)# allow TFTP peer
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-tftp-peer)# address ipv6 33::33
```

# allow

To configure an interface as an inband or out-of-band interface to allow all peer addresses for a specified protocol or all protocols, use the **allow** command in management plane protection inband interface configuration mode or management plane protection out-of-band interface configuration.

To disallow a protocol on an interface, use the **no** form of this command.

**allow** {*protocol* | **all**} [**peer**]  
**no allow** {*protocol* | **all**} [**peer**]

## Syntax Description

*protocol* Interface configured to allow peer-filtering for the following specified protocol's traffic:

- HTTP(S)
- NETCONF (version 1.1 protocol)
- SNMP (also versions)
- Secure Shell (v1 and v2)
- TFTP
- Telnet
- XML

**all** Configures the interface to allow peer-filtering for all the management traffic that is specified in the list of protocols.

**peer** (Optional) Configures the peer address on the interface. Peer refers to the neighboring router interface in which traffic might arrive to the main router.

## Command Default

By default, no management protocol is allowed on any interface except the management interfaces.

## Command Modes

Management plane protection inband interface configuration

## Command History

Release	Modification
Release 7.0.12	This command was introduced.

## Usage Guidelines

If you permit or allow a specific protocol to an interface, traffic is allowed only for that protocol, and all other management traffic is dropped.

The IOS XR XML API provides a programmatic interface to the router for use by external management applications. This interface provides a mechanism for router configuration and monitoring utilizing XML formatted request and response streams. As one of the management services, XML should be capable of applying MPP. To secure XML MPP data, XML keyword has been added to the command.

## Task ID

Task ID	Operations
system	read, write

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**Examples**

The following example shows how to configure all management protocols for all inband interfaces:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp)# inband
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inband)# interface all
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inband-all)# allow all
```

The following example shows how to configure MPP support on an XML peer in-band interface:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl-mpp)# inband interface all allow xml peer address ipv4
172.10.10.1
```

# control-plane

To enter the control plane configuration mode, use the **control-plane** command. To disable all the configurations under control plane mode, use the **no** form of this command.

**control-plane**  
**no control-plane**

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

**Command Default** None

**Command Modes** Global Configuration modeXR Config mode

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 7.0.12	This command was introduced.

**Usage Guidelines** Use the **control-plane** command to enter control plane configuration mode.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	system	read, write

## Examples

The following example shows how to enter control plane configuration mode using the **control-plane** command:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)#
```

# inband

To configure an inband interface and to enter management plane protection inband configuration mode, use the **inband** command in management plane protection configuration mode. To disable all configurations under inband configuration mode, use the **no** form of this command.

**inband**  
**no inband**

<b>Syntax Description</b>	This command has no keywords or arguments.				
<b>Command Default</b>	None				
<b>Command Modes</b>	Management plane protection inband configuration				
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**Usage Guidelines** Use the **inband** command to enter management plane protection inband configuration mode.

Task ID	Task	Operations
	system read, write	

## Examples

The following example shows how to enter management plane protection inband configuration mode using the **inband** command:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp)# inband
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inband)#
```

## interface (MPP)

To configure a specific interface or all interfaces as an inband or out-of-band interface, use the **interface** command in management plane protection inband configuration mode or management plane protection out-of-band configuration mode.

To disable all the configurations under an interface mode, use the **no** form of this command.

```
interface {type interface-path-id | all}
no interface {type interface-path-id | all}
```

### Syntax Description

<i>type</i>	Interface type. For more information, use the question mark (?) online help function.
<i>interface-path-id</i>	Virtual interface instance. Number range varies depending on interface type.
<b>Note</b>	Use the <b>show interfaces</b> command in EXEC mode to see a list of all interfaces currently configured on the router.
	For more information about the syntax for the router, use the question mark (?) online help function.
<b>all</b>	Configures all interfaces to allow for management traffic.

### Command Default

None

### Command Modes

Management plane protection out-of-band configuration  
Management plane protection inband configuration

### Command History

Release	Modification
Release 7.0.12	This command was introduced.

### Usage Guidelines

Use the **interface** command to enter management plane protection inband interface configuration mode or management plane protection out-of-band interface configuration mode.

For the *instance* argument, you cannot configure Management Ethernet interfaces as inband interfaces.

### Task ID

Task ID	Operations
system	read, write

### Examples

The following example shows how to configure all inband interfaces for MPP:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane
```



```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp)# inband  
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inband)# interface all  
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-inband-all)#
```

The following example shows how to configure all out-of-band interfaces for MPP:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure  
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane  
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane  
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp)# out-of-band  
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-outband)# interface all  
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-outband-all)#
```

# management-plane

To configure management plane protection to allow and disallow protocols, use the **management-plane** command in control plane configuration mode. To disable all configurations under management-plane mode, use the **no** form of this command.

**management-plane**  
**no management-plane**

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

**Command Default** None

**Command Modes** Control plane configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 7.0.12	This command was introduced.

**Usage Guidelines** Use the **management-plane** command to enter the management plane protection configuration mode.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	system	read, write

## Examples

The following example shows how to enter management plane protection configuration mode using the **management-plane** command:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp)#
```

# out-of-band

To configure out-of-band interfaces or protocols and to enter management plane protection out-of-band configuration mode, use the **out-of-band** command in management plane protection configuration mode. To disable all configurations under management plane protection out-of-band configuration mode, use the **no** form of this command.

**out-of-band**  
**no out-of-band**

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

**Command Default** None

**Command Modes** Management plane protection out-of-band configuration

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 7.0.12	This command was introduced.

**Usage Guidelines** Use the **out-of-band** command to enter management plane protection out-of-band configuration mode. *Out-of-band* refers to an interface that allows only management protocol traffic to be forwarded or processed. An *out-of-band management interface* is defined by the network operator to specifically receive network management traffic. The advantage is that forwarding (or customer) traffic cannot interfere with the management of the router.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	system	read, write

**Examples** The following example shows how to enter management plane protection out-of-band configuration mode using the **out-of-band** command:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router (config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router (config-ctrl)# management-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router (config-mpp)# out-of-band
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router (config-mpp-outband)#
```

# show mgmt-plane

To display information about the management plane such as type of interface and protocols enabled on the interface, use the **show mgmt-plane** command.

**show mgmt-plane** [{inband | out-of-band}] [{interface type interface-path-id | vrf}]

Syntax Description	
inband	(Optional) Displays the inband management interface configurations that are the interfaces that process management packets as well as data-forwarding packets. An inband management interface is also called a <i>shared management interface</i> .
out-of-band	(Optional) Displays the out-of-band interface configurations. Out-of-band interfaces are defined by the network operator to specifically receive network management traffic.
interface	(Optional) Displays all the protocols that are allowed in the specified interface.
type	Interface type. For more information, use the question mark (?) online help function.
interface-path-id	Interface instance. Number range varies depending on interface type.  <b>Note</b> Use the <b>show interfaces</b> command to see a list of all interfaces currently configured on the router.  For more information about the syntax for the router, use the question mark (?) online help function.
vrf	(Optional) Displays the Virtual Private Network (VPN) routing and forwarding reference of an out-of-band interface.

**Command Default** None

**Command Modes** EXEC modeXR EXEC mode

Command History	Release	Modification
	Release 7.0.12	This command was introduced.

**Usage Guidelines** The **vrf** keyword is valid only for out-of-band VRF configurations.

Task ID	Task ID	Operations
	system	read

## Examples

The following sample output displays all the interfaces that are configured as inband or out-of-band interfaces under MPP:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# show mgmt-plane
```

```
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inband interfaces
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interface - HundredGigabitEthernet0_1_1_0
  ssh configured -
    All peers allowed
  telnet configured -
    peer v4 allowed - 10.1.0.0/16
  all configured -
    All peers allowed
interface - HundredGigabitEthernet0_1_1_0
  telnet configured -
    peer v4 allowed - 10.1.0.0/16

interface - all
  all configured -
    All peers allowed

outband interfaces
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interface - HundredGigabitEthernet0_1_1_0
  tftp configured -
    peer v6 allowed - 33::33
```

The following sample output displays the Virtual Private Network (VPN) routing and forwarding (VRF) reference of an out-of-band interface:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# show mgmt-plane out-of-band vrf

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  out-of-band VRF - my_out_of_band
```

## vrf (MPP)

To configure a Virtual Private Network (VPN) routing and forwarding (VRF) reference of an out-of-band interface, use the **vrf** command in management plane protection out-of-band configuration mode. To remove the VRF definition before the VRF name is used, use the **no** form of this command.

**vrf** *vrf-name*  
**no vrf** *vrf-name*

### Syntax Description

*vrf-name* Name assigned to a VRF.

### Command Default

The VRF concept must be used to configure interfaces as out-of-band. If no VRF is configured during an out-of-band configuration, the interface goes into a default VRF.

### Command Modes

Management plane protection out-of-band configuration

### Command History

#### Release

#### Modification

Release 7.0.12

This command was introduced.

### Usage Guidelines

If the VRF reference is not configured, the default name MPP\_OUTBAND\_VRF is used.

If there is an out-of-band configuration that is referring to a VRF and the VRF is deleted, all the MPP bindings are removed.

### Task ID

#### Task Operations ID

system read

### Examples

The following example shows how to configure the VRF:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# vrf my_out_of_band
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-vrf)# address-family ipv4 unicast
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-vrf-af)# exit
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-vrf)# address-family ipv6 unicast
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-vrf-af)# commit
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-vrf-af)# end
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router#
```

The following example shows how to configure the VRF definition for MPP:

```
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router# configure
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config)# control-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-ctrl)# management-plane
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp)# out-of-band
RP/0/RP0RSP0/CPU0:router(config-mpp-outband)# vrf my_out_of_band
```