



# Flexible Netflow Export to an IPv6 Address

The Export to an IPv6 Address feature enables Flexible NetFlow to export data to a destination using an IPv6 address.

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## Finding Feature Information

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Use Cisco Feature Navigator to find information about platform support and Cisco software image support. To access Cisco Feature Navigator, go to <https://cfng.cisco.com/>. An account on Cisco.com is not required.

## Information About Flexible Netflow Export to an IPv6 Address

### Flexible Netflow Export to an IPv6 Address Overview

This feature enables Flexible NetFlow to export data to a destination using an IPv6 address.

## How to Configure Flexible Netflow Export to an IPv6 Address

### Configuring the Flow Exporter

Perform this required task to configure the flow exporter.



**Note** Each flow exporter supports only one destination.  
You can export to a destination using either an IPv4 or IPv6 address.

## SUMMARY STEPS

1. **enable**
2. **configure terminal**
3. **flow exporter** *exporter-name*
4. **description** *description*
5. **destination** {*ip-address* | *hostname*} [**vrf** *vrf-name*]
6. **dscp** *dscp*
7. **source** *interface-type interface-number*
8. **output-features**
9. **template data timeout** *seconds*
10. **transport udp** *udp-port*
11. **ttl** *seconds*
12. **end**
13. **show flow exporter** *exporter-name*
14. **show running-config flow exporter** *exporter-name*

## DETAILED STEPS

	Command or Action	Purpose
<b>Step 1</b>	<b>enable</b> <b>Example:</b> Device> enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enter your password if prompted.</li> </ul>
<b>Step 2</b>	<b>configure terminal</b> <b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
<b>Step 3</b>	<b>flow exporter</b> <i>exporter-name</i> <b>Example:</b> Device(config)# flow exporter EXPORTER-1	Creates the flow exporter and enters Flexible NetFlow flow exporter configuration mode. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This command also allows you to modify an existing flow exporter.</li> </ul>
<b>Step 4</b>	<b>description</b> <i>description</i> <b>Example:</b> Device(config-flow-exporter)# description Exports to the datacenter	(Optional) Configures a description to the exporter that will appear in the configuration and the display of the <b>show flow exporter</b> command.

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Step 5	<b>destination</b> <i>{ip-address   hostname} [vrf vrf-name]</i> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device(config-flow-exporter)# destination 172.16.10.2</pre>	Specifies the IP address or hostname of the destination system for the exporter. <b>Note</b> You can export to a destination using either an IPv4 or IPv6 address.
Step 6	<b>dscp</b> <i>dscp</i> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device(config-flow-exporter)# dscp 63</pre>	(Optional) Configures differentiated services code point (DSCP) parameters for datagrams sent by the exporter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The range for the <i>dscp</i> argument is from 0 to 63. Default: 0.</li> </ul>
Step 7	<b>source</b> <i>interface-type interface-number</i> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device(config-flow-exporter)# source ethernet 0/0</pre>	(Optional) Specifies the local interface from which the exporter will use the IP address as the source IP address for exported datagrams.
Step 8	<b>output-features</b> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device(config-flow-exporter)# output-features</pre>	(Optional) Enables sending export packets using quality of service (QoS) and encryption.
Step 9	<b>template data timeout</b> <i>seconds</i> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device(config-flow-exporter)# template data timeout 120</pre>	(Optional) Configures resending of templates based on a timeout. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The range for the <i>seconds</i> argument is 1 to 86400 (86400 seconds = 24 hours).</li> </ul>
Step 10	<b>transport udp</b> <i>udp-port</i> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device(config-flow-exporter)# transport udp 650</pre>	Specifies the UDP port on which the destination system is listening for exported datagrams. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The range for the <i>udp-port</i> argument is from 1 to 65536.</li> </ul>
Step 11	<b>ttl</b> <i>seconds</i> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device(config-flow-exporter)# ttl 15</pre>	(Optional) Configures the time-to-live (TTL) value for datagrams sent by the exporter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The range for the <i>seconds</i> argument is from 1 to 255.</li> </ul>
Step 12	<b>end</b> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device(config-flow-exporter)# end</pre>	Exits flow exporter configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.
Step 13	<b>show flow exporter</b> <i>exporter-name</i> <b>Example:</b> <pre>Device# show flow exporter FLOW_EXPORTER-1</pre>	(Optional) Displays the current status of the specified flow exporter.

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Step 14	<b>show running-config flow exporter</b> <i>exporter-name</i> <b>Example:</b> Device# show running-config flow exporter FLOW_EXPORTER-1	(Optional) Displays the configuration of the specified flow exporter.

## Configuration Examples for Flexible Netflow Export to an IPv6 Address

### Example: Configuring Multiple Export Destinations

The following example shows how to configure multiple export destinations for Flexible NetFlow for IPv4 or IPv6 traffic. This sample starts in global configuration mode:

The following example shows how to configure multiple export destinations for Flexible NetFlow for IPv4:

```

!
flow exporter EXPORTER-1
 destination 172.16.10.2
 transport udp 90
 exit
!
flow exporter EXPORTER-2
 destination 172.16.10.3
 transport udp 90
 exit
!
flow record v4_r1
 match ipv4 tos
 match ipv4 protocol
 match ipv4 source address
 match ipv4 destination address
 match transport source-port
 match transport destination-port
 collect counter bytes long
 collect counter packets long

flow monitor FLOW-MONITOR-1
 record v4_r1
 exporter EXPORTER-2
 exporter EXPORTER-1
!

ip cef
!
interface GigabitEthernet1/0/0
 ip address 172.16.6.2 255.255.255.0
 ip flow monitor FLOW-MONITOR-1 input
!

```

The following example shows how to configure multiple export destinations for Flexible NetFlow for IPv6:

```
!  
flow exporter EXPORTER-1  
  destination 172.16.10.2  
  transport udp 90  
  exit  
!  
flow exporter EXPORTER-2  
  destination 172.16.10.3  
  transport udp 90  
  exit  
!  
  
flow record v6_r1  
  match ipv6 traffic-class  
  match ipv6 protocol  
  match ipv6 source address  
  match ipv6 destination address  
  match transport source-port  
  match transport destination-port  
  collect counter bytes long  
  collect counter packets long  
  !  
  
!  
flow monitor FLOW-MONITOR-2  
  record v6_r1  
  exporter EXPORTER-2  
  exporter EXPORTER-1  
  !  
ip cef  
!  
interface GigabitEthernet1/0/0  
  ipv6 address 2001:DB8:2:ABCD::2/48  
  ipv6 flow monitor FLOW-MONITOR-2 input  
  !
```

The following display output shows that the flow monitor is exporting data to the two exporters:

```
Device# show flow monitor FLOW-MONITOR-1  
Flow Monitor FLOW-MONITOR-1:  
  Description:      User defined  
  Flow Record:     v4_r1  
  Flow Exporter:   EXPORTER-1  
                  EXPORTER-2  
  
Cache:  
  Type:            normal (Platform cache)  
  Status:          allocated  
  Size:            4096 entries / 311316 bytes  
  Inactive Timeout: 15 secs  
  Active Timeout:  1800 secs  
  Update Timeout:  1800 secs
```

# Additional References

## Related Documents

Related Topic	Document Title
Cisco IOS commands	<a href="#">Cisco IOS Master Command List, All Releases</a>
Flexible NetFlow conceptual information and configuration tasks	<i>Flexible NetFlow Configuration Guide</i>
Flexible NetFlow commands	<i>Cisco IOS Flexible NetFlow Command Reference</i>

## Standards/RFCs

Standard	Title
No new or modified standards/RFCs are supported by this feature.	—

## MIBs

MIB	MIBs Link
None	To locate and download MIBs for selected platforms, Cisco software releases, and feature sets, use Cisco MIB Locator found at the following URL: <a href="http://www.cisco.com/go/mibs">http://www.cisco.com/go/mibs</a>

## Technical Assistance

Description	Link
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