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Information About SNMP over IPv6

SNMP over an IPv6 Transport

Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) can be configured over IPv6 transport so that an IPv6 host can perform SNMP queries and receive SNMP notifications from a device running IPv6 software. The SNMP agent and related MIBs have been enhanced to support IPv6 addressing. This feature uses the data encryption standard (3DES) and advanced encryption standard (AES) message encryption.

How to Configure SNMP over IPv6

Configuring an SNMP Notification Server over IPv6

Use an SNMP community string to define the relationship between the SNMP manager and the agent. The community string acts like a password to regulate access to the agent on the device. Optionally, you can specify one or more of the following characteristics associated with the string:

- An access list of IP addresses of the SNMP managers that are permitted to use the community string to gain access to the agent.
- A MIB view, which defines the subset of all MIB objects accessible to the given community.
- Read and write or read-only permission for the MIB objects accessible to the community.

You can configure one or more community strings. To remove a specific community string, use the **no snmp-server community** command.

The **snmp-server host** command specifies which hosts will receive SNMP notifications, and whether you want the notifications sent as traps or inform requests. The **snmp-server enable traps** command globally enables the production mechanism for the specified notification types (such as Border Gateway Protocol [BGP] traps, config traps, entity traps, and Hot Standby Router Protocol [HSRP] traps).

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	• Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	snmp-server community string [view view-name] [ro rw] [ipv6 nacl] [access-list-number]	Defines the community access string.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # snmp-server community mgr view restricted rw ipv6 mgr2	
Step 4	snmp-server engineID remote {ipv4-ip-address ipv6-address} [udp-port udp-port-number] [vrf vrf-name] engineid-string	(Optional) Specifies the name of the remote SNMP engine (or copy of SNMP).
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config) # snmp-server engineID remote 3ffe:b00:c18:1::3/127 remotev6	
Step 5	snmp-server group group-name {v1 v2c v3 {auth noauth priv}} [context context-name] [read read-view] [write write-view] [notify notify-view] [access [ipv6 named-access-list] {acl-number acl-name}] Example:	(Optional) Configures a new SNMP group, or a table that maps SNMP users to SNMP views.
	Device(config)# snmp-server group public v2c access ipv6 public2	
Step 6	<pre>snmp-server host {hostname ip-address} [vrf vrf-name] [traps informs] [version {1 2c 3 [auth noauth priv]}] community-string [udp-port port] [notification-type] Example: Device (config) # snmp-server host host1.com 2c vrf trap-vrf</pre>	Specifies the recipient of an SNMP notification operation. • Specifies whether you want the SNMP notifications sent as traps or informs, the version of SNMP to use, the security level of the notifications (for SNMPv3), and the recipient (host) of the notifications.
Step 7	snmp-server user username group-name [remote host [udp-port port]] {v1 v2c v3 [encrypted] [auth {md5 sha} auth-password]} [access [ipv6 nacl] [priv {des 3des aes {128 192 256}} privpassword] {acl-number acl-name}] Example: Device (config) # snmp-server user user1 bldg1 remote 3ffe:b00:c18:1::3/127 v2c access ipv6 public2	(Optional) Configures a new user to an existing SNMP group. Note You cannot configure a remote user for an address without first configuring the engine ID for that remote host. This is a restriction imposed in the design of these commands; if you try to configure the user before the host, you will receive a warning message, and the command will not be executed.
Step 8	<pre>snmp-server enable traps [notification-type] [vrrp] Example: Device(config) # snmp-server enable traps bgp</pre>	 specifies the type of notifications to be sent. If a value for the <i>notification-type</i> argument is not specified, all supported

Configuration Examples for SNMP over IPv6

Examples: Configuring an SNMP Notification Server over IPv6

The following example permits any SNMP to access all objects with read-only permission using the community string named public. The device also will send Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) traps to the IPv4 host 172.16.1.111 and IPv6 host 3ffe:b00:c18:1::3/127 using SNMPv1 and to the host 172.16.1.27 using SNMPv2c. The community string named public will be sent with the traps.

```
Device(config) # snmp-server community public
Device(config) # snmp-server enable traps bgp
Device(config) # snmp-server host 172.16.1.27 version 2c public
Device(config) # snmp-server host 172.16.1.111 version 1 public
Device(config) # snmp-server host 3ffe:b00:c18:1::3/127 public
```

Example: Associate an SNMP Server Group with Specified Views

In the following example, the SNMP context A is associated with the views in SNMPv2c group GROUP1 and the IPv6 named access list public2:

```
Device(config) # snmp-server context A

Device(config) # snmp mib community-map commA context A target-list commAVpn

Device(config) # snmp mib target list commAVpn vrf CustomerA

Device(config) # snmp-server view viewA ciscoPingMIB included

Device(config) # snmp-server view viewA ipForward included

Device(config) # snmp-server group GROUP1 v2c context A read viewA write viewA notify

access ipv6 public2
```

Example: Create an SNMP Notification Server

The following example configures the IPv6 host as the notification server:

```
Device> enable

Device# configure terminal

Device(config)# snmp-server community mgr view restricted rw ipv6 mgr2

Device(config)# snmp-server engineID remote 3ffe:b00:c18:1::3/127 remotev6

Device(config)# snmp-server group public v2c access ipv6 public2

Device(config)# snmp-server bost host1.com 2c vrf trap-vrf

Device(config)# snmp-server user user1 bldg1 remote 3ffe:b00:c18:1::3/127 v2c access ipv6

public2

Device(config)# snmp-server enable traps bgp

Device(config)# exit
```

Additional References

Related Documents

Related Topic	Document Title
IPv6 addressing and connectivity	IPv6 Configuration Guide

Related Topic	Document Title
Cisco IOS commands	Cisco IOS Master Commands List, All Releases
IPv6 commands	Cisco IOS IPv6 Command Reference
Cisco IOS IPv6 features	Cisco IOS IPv6 Feature Mapping

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Standard/RFC	Title
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IPv6 CNS Agents

IPv6 addressing is supported in the Cisco Networking Services (CNS) subsystem. CNS is a foundation technology for linking users to networking services and provides the infrastructure for the automated configuration of large numbers of network devices. The document describes CNS agents supported in IPv6.

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CNS Agents

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To address all these issues, CNS was designed to provide "plug-and-play" network services using a central directory service and distributed agents. CNS features include CNS agents and a flow-through provisioning structure. CNS flow-through provisioning uses the CNS configuration and event agents to provide an automated workflow, eliminating the need for an onsite technician.

IPv6 addressing supports the CNS agents described in the following sections:

CNS Configuration Agent

The CNS configuration agent is involved in the initial configuration and subsequent partial configurations on a Cisco device. The configuration agent uses a CNS configuration engine to provide methods for automating initial Cisco device configurations, incremental configurations, and synchronized configuration updates, and the configuration engine reports the status of the configuration load as an event to which a network monitoring or workflow application can subscribe.

CNS Event Agent

The CNS event agent provides a transport connection to the CNS event bus for all other CNS agents. No event can be sent to the device by the configuration engine until the CNS event agent is operational and has successfully built a connection between the configuration engine and the device.

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CNS EXEC Agent

The CNS EXEC agent allows a remote application to execute a CLI command in EXEC mode on a Cisco device by sending an event message that contains the command.

CNS Image Agent

Administrators maintaining large networks of Cisco devices need an automated mechanism to load image files onto large numbers of remote devices. Network management applications are useful to determine which images to run and how to manage images received from the Cisco online software center. Other image distribution solutions do not scale to cover thousands of devices and cannot distribute images to devices behind a firewall or using Network Address Translation (NAT). The CNS image agent enables the managed device to initiate a network connection and request an image download allowing devices using NAT, or behind firewalls, to access the image server.

The CNS image agent can be configured to use the CNS event bus. To use the CNS event bus, the CNS event agent must be enabled and connected to the CNS event gateway in the CNS Configuration Engine. The CNS image agent can also use an HTTP server that understands the CNS image agent protocol. Deployment of CNS image agent operations can use both the CNS event bus and an HTTP server.

Additional References for IPv6 IOS Firewall

Related Documents

Related Topic	Document Title
Security commands	Cisco IOS Security Command Reference: Commands A to C
	• Cisco IOS Security Command Reference: Commands D to L
	• Cisco IOS Security Command Reference: Commands M to R
	• Cisco IOS Security Command Reference: Commands S to Z
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