

Chapter 3: Branch Connections

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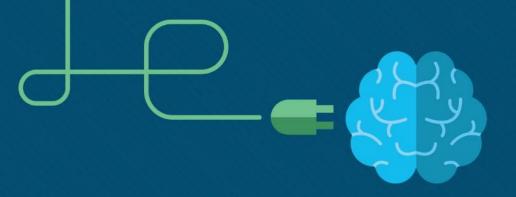
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Chapter 3 - Sections & Objectives

3.1 Remote Access Connections

- Select broadband remote access technologies to support business requirements.
 - Compare remote access broadband connection options for small to medium-sized businesses.
 - Select an appropriate broadband connection for a given network requirement.

3.2 PPPoE

- Configure a Cisco router with PPPoE.
 - Explain how PPPoE operates.
 - Implement a basic PPPoE connection on a client router.

3.3 VPNs

- Explain how VPNs secure site-to-site and remote access connectivity.
 - Describe benefits of VPN technology.
 - Describe site-to-site and remote access VPNs.



Chapter 3 - Sections & Objectives (Cont.)

3.4 GRE

- Implement a GRE tunnel.
 - Explain the purpose and benefits of GRE tunnels.
 - Troubleshoot a site-to-site GRE tunnel.

3.5 eBGP

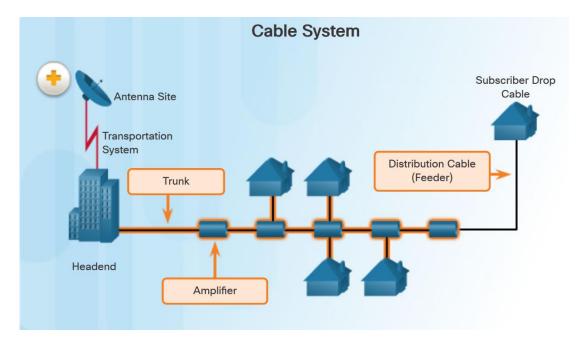
- Implement eBGP in a single-homed remote access network.
 - Describe basic BGP features.
 - Explain BGP design considerations.
 - Configure an eBGP branch connection.



3.1 Remote Access Connections

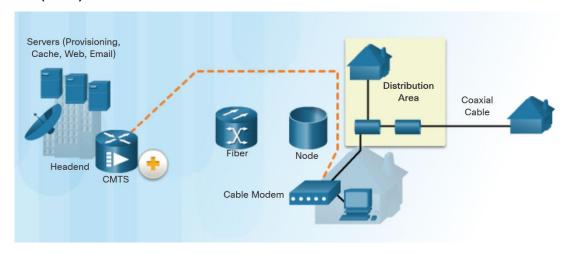
What is a Cable System?

- Cable system uses a coaxial cable that carries radio frequency (RF) signals across the network.
- Cable systems provide highspeed Internet access, digital cable television, and residential telephone service.
- Use hybrid fiber-coaxial (HFC) networks to enable high-speed transmission of data.



Cable Components

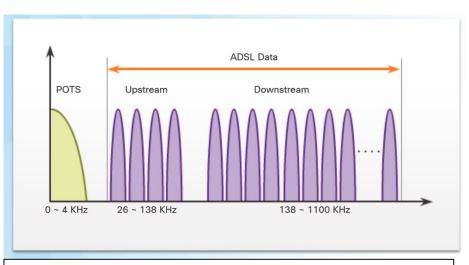
- Two types of equipment are required to send signals upstream and downstream on a cable system:
 - Cable Modem Termination System (CMTS) at the headend of the cable operator. The headend is a router with databases for providing Internet services to cable subscribers.
 - Cable Modem (CM) on the subscriber end.





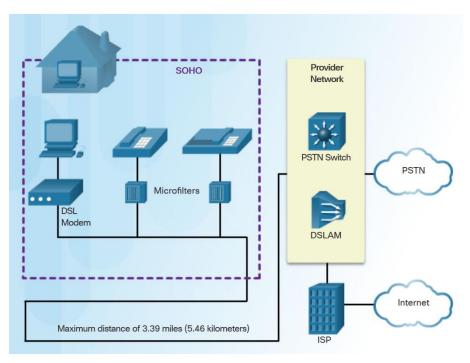
What is DSL?

- Digital Subscriber Line (DSL) is a means of providing high-speed connections over installed copper wires.
- Asymmetric DSL (ADSL) provides higher downstream bandwidth to the user than upload bandwidth.
- Symmetric DSL (SDSL) provides the same capacity in both directions.
- For satisfactory ADSL service, the local loop length must be less than 3.39 miles (5.46 km).



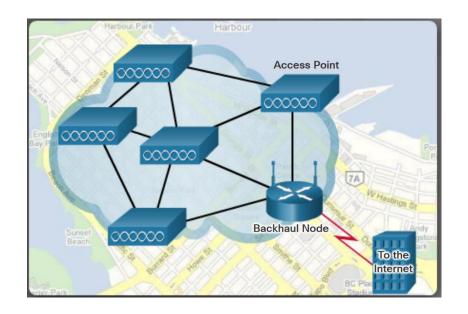
The figure shows a representation of bandwidth space allocation on a copper wire for ADSL. POTS (Plain Old Telephone System) identifies the frequency range used by the voice-grade telephone service. The area labeled ADSL represents the frequency space used by the upstream and

Broadband Connections DSL Connections



- The DSL connection is set up between the customer premises equipment (CPE) and the DSL access multiplexer (DSLAM) device located at the Central Office (CO).
- Key components in the DSL connection:
 - Transceiver Usually a modem in a router which connects the computer of the teleworker to the DSL.
 - DSLAM Located at the CO of the carrier, it combines individual DSL connections from users into one high-capacity link to an ISP.
- Advantage of DSL over cable technology is that DSL is not a shared medium. Each user has a separate direct connection to the DSLAM.

Wireless Connection



- Three main broadband wireless technologies:
 - Municipal Wi-Fi Most municipal wireless networks use a mesh of interconnected access points as shown in figure.
 - Cellular/mobile Mobile phones use radio waves to communicate through nearby cell towers.
 Cellular speeds continue to increase. LTE
 Category 10 supports up to 450 Mb/s download and 100 Mb/s upload.
 - Satellite Internet Used in locations where landbased Internet access is not available. Primary installation requirement is for the antenna to have a clear view toward the equator.

Note: WiMAX has largely been replaced by LTE for mobile access, and cable or DSL for fixed access.

Select a Broadband Connection

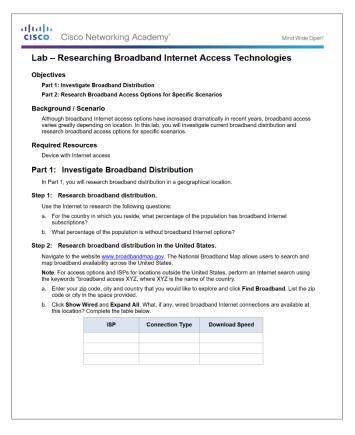
Comparing Broadband Solutions

- Factors to consider in selecting a broadband solution:
 - Cable Bandwidth shared by many users, slow data rates during high-usage hours.
 - DSL Limited bandwidth that is distance sensitive (in relation to the ISP's central office).
 - **Fiber-to-the-Home** Requires fiber installation directly to the home.
 - Cellular/Mobile Coverage is often an issue.
 - Wi-Fi Mesh Most municipalities do not have a mesh network deployed.
 - Satellite Expensive, limited capacity per subscriber



Select a Broadband Connection

Lab - Researching Broadband Internet Access Technologies





3.2 PPPoE



PPPoE Overview

PPPoE Motivation

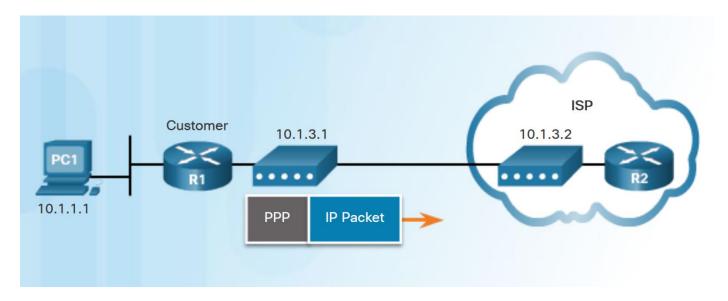
- PPP can be used on all serial links including those links created with dialup analog and ISDN modems.
- ISPs often use PPP as the data link protocol over broadband connections.
 - ISPs can use PPP to assign each customer one public IPv4 address.
 - PPP supports CHAP authentication.
- Ethernet links do not natively support PPP.
 - PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE) provides a solution to this problem.

PPP Frames Over An Ethernet Connection Internet IP Packet **PPP** Ethernet PPP **IP Packet** TELCO/ISP PPPOF DSL DSI modem PC1 connects directly to a DSL modern. In a legacy dialup scenario, PC1 reaches the Internet through the TELCO/ISP cloud by using a modem.

PPPoE Overview

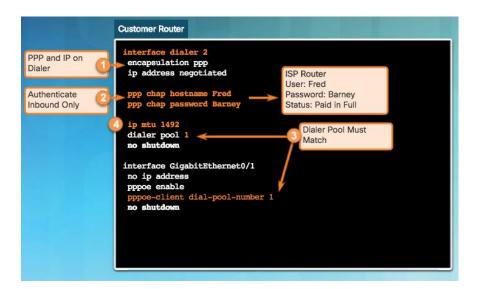
PPPoE Concepts

- PPPoE creates a PPP tunnel over an Ethernet connection.
- This allows PPP frames to be sent across the Ethernet cable to the ISP from the customer's router.





PPPoE Configuration



- To create the PPP tunnel a dialer interface is configured.
 - Use interface dialer number command
- The PPP CHAP is then configured. Use ppp chap hostname name and ppp chap password password.
- The physical Ethernet interface connected to the DSL modem is enabled with the command pppoe enable interface configuration command.
- Dialer interface is linked to the Ethernet interface with the dialer pool and pppoeclient interface configuration commands.
- The MTU should be set to 1492 to accommodate PPPoE headers.

PPPoE Verification

```
R1# show ip interface brief
Interface
                          IP-Address
                                        OK? Method Status
                                                                         Protocol
Embedded-Service-Engine0/0 unassigned
                                        YES unset administratively down down
GigabitEthernet0/0
                          unassigned
                                                  administratively down down
GigabitEthernet0/1
                          unassigned
                                        YES unset
Serial0/0/0
                          unassigned
                                        YES unset
                                                  administratively down down
Serial0/0/1
                                                  administratively down down
                          unassigned
                                       YES unset
Dialer2
                          10.1.3.1
                                        YES IPCP
Virtual-Access1
                          unassigned
                                        YES unset up
                                                                         uр
Virtual-Access2
                          unassigned
                                        YES unset
R1#
```

```
Rl# show interface dialer 2
Dialer2 is up, line protocol is up (spoofing)
Hardware is Unknown
Internet address is 10.1.3.1/32
MTU 1492 bytes, BW 56 Kbit/sec, DLY 20000 usec,
reliability 255/255, txload 1/255, rxload 1/255
Encapsulation PPP, LCP Closed, loopback not set
Keepalive set (10 sec)
DTR is pulsed for 1 seconds on reset
<output omitted>
```

- Use the following commands to verify PPPoE:
 - show ip interface brief verify the IPv4 address automatically assigned.
 - show interface dialer verifies the MTU and PPP encapsulation.
 - show ip route
 - show pppoe session displays information about currently active PPPoE sessions.

```
R1# show pppoe session
1 client session

Uniq ID PPPoE RemMAC Port VT VA State
SID LocMAC VA-st Type
N/A 1 30f7.0da3.1641 Gi0/1 Di2 Vi2 UP
R1#
```

PPPoE Troubleshooting

- The following are possible causes of problems with PPPoE:
 - Failure in the PPP negotiation process
 - Failure in the PPP authentication process
 - Failure to adjust the TCP maximum segment size



PPPoE Negotiation

- Use the debug ppp negotiation command to verify PPP negotiation.
- Four possible points of failure in PPP negotiation:
 - No response from the remote device.
 - Link Control Protocol (LCP) not open.
 - Authentication failure.
 - IP Control Protocol (IPCP) failure.

```
R1# debug ppp negotiation
*Sep 20 19:05:05.239: Vi2 PPP: Phase is AUTHENTICATING, by the peer
*Sep 20 19:05:05.239: Vi2 LCP: State is Open
<output omitted>
*Sep 20 19:05:05.247: Vi2 CHAP: Using hostname from interface CHAP
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                                  Address 10.1.3.2 (0x03060A010302)
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*Sep 20 19:05:05.271: Di2 IPCP: Install negotiated IP interface address 10.1.3.2
*Sep 20 19:05:05.271: Di2 Added to neighbor route AVL tree: topoid 0, address 10.1.3.2
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R1# undebug all
```

PPPoE Authentication

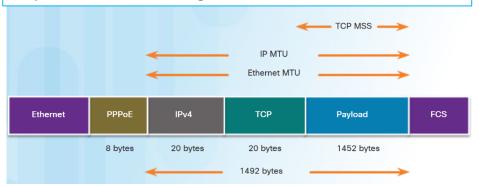
 Verify that the CHAP username and password are correct using debug ppp negotiation command.

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R1# undebug all
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Implement PPPoE PPPoE MTU Size

- PPPoE supports an MTU of only 1492 bytes in order to accommodate the additional 8-byte PPPoE header.
- Use show running-config command to verify PPPoE MTU.
- The ip tcp adjust-mss max-segmentsize interface command prevents TCP sessions from being dropped by adjusting the MSS value during the TCP 3-way handshake.

Adjusted maximum segment size with PPPoE Header

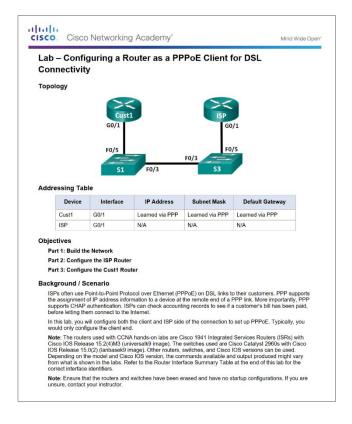


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Rl# show running-config | section interface Dialer2
interface Dialer2
mtu 1492
ip address negotiated
encapsulation ppp

<output omitted>
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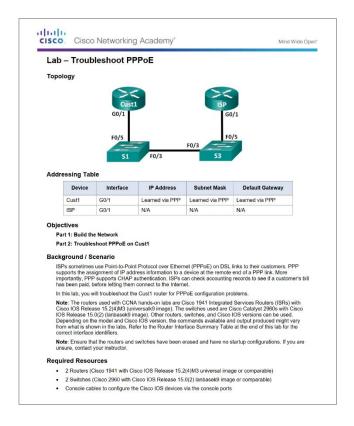
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R1(config)# interface g0/0
R1(config-if)# ip tcp adjust-mss 1452
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Lab - Configuring a Router as a PPPoE Client for DSL Connectivity





Lab - Troubleshoot PPPoE



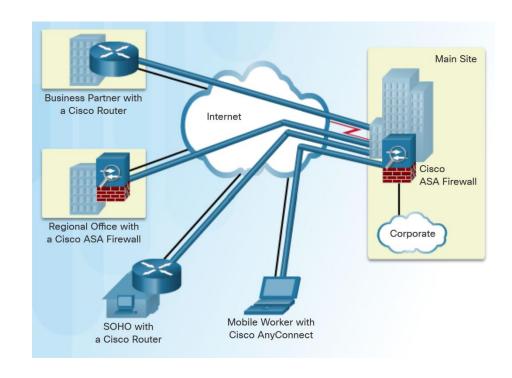


3.3 VPNs



Fundamentals of VPNs Introducing VPNs

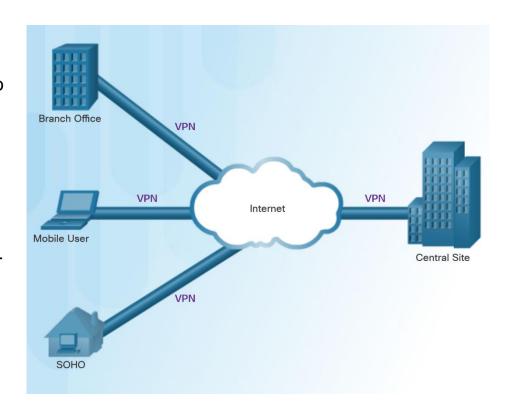
- A VPN is a private network created via tunneling over a public network, usually the Internet.
- A secure implementation of VPN with encryption, such as IPsec VPNs, is what is usually meant by virtual private networking.
- To implement VPNs, a VPN gateway is necessary - could be a router, a firewall, or a Cisco Adaptive Security Appliance (ASA).



Fundamentals of VPNs

Benefits of VPNs

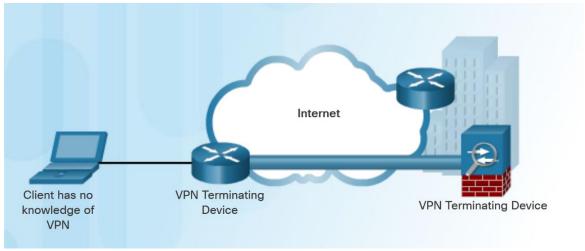
- The benefits of a VPN include the following:
 - Cost savings VPNs enable organizations to use cost-effective, high-bandwidth technologies, such as DSL to connect remote offices and remote users to the main site.
 - Scalability Organizations are able to add large amounts of capacity without adding significant infrastructure.
 - Compatibility with broadband technology -Allow mobile workers and telecommuters to take advantage of high-speed, broadband connectivity.
 - Security VPNs can use advanced encryption and authentication protocols.



Types of VPNs

Site-to-Site VPNs

- Site-to-site VPNs connect entire networks to each other, for example, connecting a branch office network to a company headquarters network.
- In a site-to-site VPN, end hosts send and receive normal TCP/IP traffic through a VPN "gateway".
- The VPN gateway is responsible for encapsulating and encrypting outbound traffic.

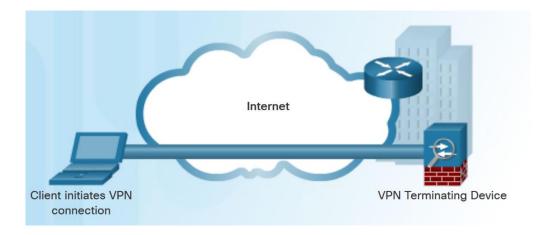




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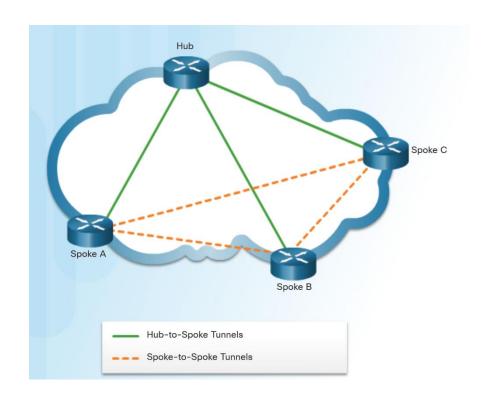
Remote Access VPNs

- A remote-access VPN supports the needs of telecommuters, mobile users, and extranet traffic.
- Allows for dynamically changing information, and can be enabled and disabled.
- Used to connect individual hosts that must access their company network securely over the Internet.
- VPN client software may need to be installed on the mobile user's end device.



Types of VPNs DMVPN

- Dynamic Multipoint VPN (DMVPN) is a Cisco software solution for building multiple VPNs.
- DMVPN is built using the following technologies:
 - Next Hop Resolution Protocol (NHRP) -NHRP creates a distributed mapping database of public IP addresses for all tunnel spokes.
 - Multipoint Generic Routing Encapsulation (mGRE) tunnels - An mGRE tunnel interface allows a single GRE interface to support multiple IPsec tunnels.
 - IP Security (IPsec) encryption provides secure transport of private information over public networks.

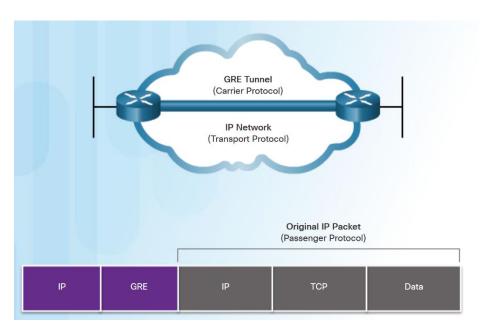


3.4 GRE



GRE Overview

GRE Introduction

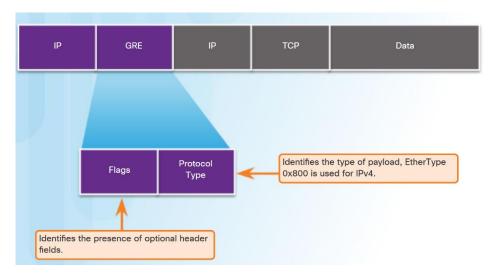


- Generic Routing Encapsulation (GRE) is a non-secure, site-to-site VPN tunneling protocol.
- Developed by Cisco.
- GRE manages the transportation of multiprotocol and IP multicast traffic between two or more sites
- A tunnel interface supports a header for each of the following:
 - An encapsulated protocol or passenger protocol, such as IPv4, IPv6.
 - An encapsulation protocol or carrier protocol, such as GRE.
 - A transport delivery protocol, such as IP.



GRE Overview

GRE Characteristics

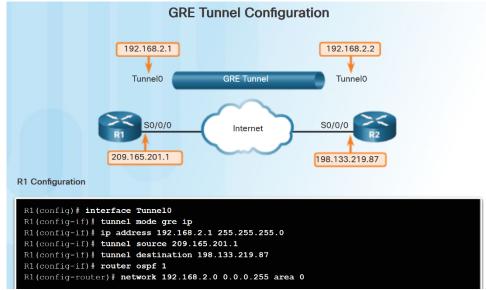


- GRE is defined as an IETF standard (RFC 2784).
- In the outer IP header, 47 is used in the protocol field.
- GRE encapsulation uses a protocol type field in the GRE header to support the encapsulation of any OSI Layer 3 protocol.
- GRE is stateless.
- GRE does not include any strong security mechanisms.
- GRE header, together with the tunneling IP header, creates at least 24 bytes of additional overhead for tunneled packets.



Implement GRE

Configure GRE



```
R2(config) # interface Tunnel0
R2(config-if) # tunnel mode gre ip
R2(config-if) # ip address 192.168.2.2 255.255.255.0
R2(config-if) # tunnel source 198.133.219.87
R2(config-if) # tunnel destination 209.165.201.1
R2(config-if) # router ospf 1
R2(config-router) # network 192.168.2.0 0.0.0.255 area 0
```

- Five steps to configuring a GRE tunnel:
 - Step 1. Create a tunnel interface using the interface tunnel number command.
 - Step 2. Configure an IP address for the tunnel interface. (Usually a private address)
 - Step3. Specify the tunnel source IP address.
 - Step 4. Specify the tunnel destination IP address.
 - Step 5. (Optional) Specify GRE tunnel mode as the tunnel interface mode.

Note: The tunnel source and tunnel destination commands reference the IP addresses of the preconfigured physical interfaces.

Implement GRE Verify GRE

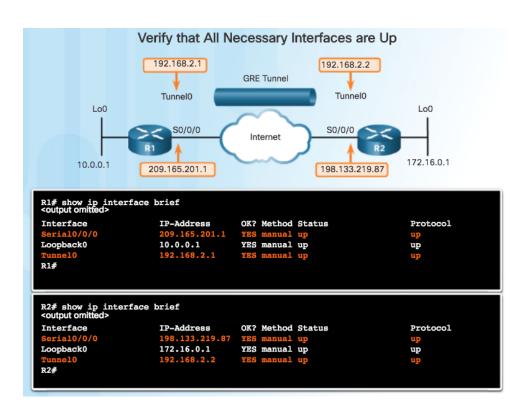
- Use the show ip interface brief command to verify that the tunnel interface is up.
- Use the show interface tunnel command to verify the state of the tunnel.
- Use the show ip ospf neighbor command to verify that an OSPF adjacency has been established over the tunnel interface.

```
R1# show ip interface brief | include Tunnel
                    192.168.2.1
                                    YES manual up
R1# show interface Tunnel 0
TunnelO is up, line protocol is up
  Hardware is Tunnel
  Internet address is 192.168.2.1/24
  MTU 17916 bytes, BW 100 Kbit/sec, DLY 50000 usec,
     reliability 255/255, txload 1/255, rxload 1/255
  Encapsulation TUNNEL, loopback not set
  Keepalive not set
  Tunnel source 209.165.201.1, destination 209.165.201.2
  Tunnel protocol/transport GRE/IP
 <output omitted>
R1# show ip ospf neighbor
Neighbor ID
                Pri State
209.165.201.2
                                            192.168.2.2 Tunnel0
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Implement GRE

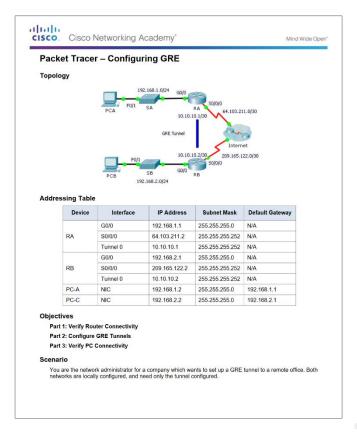
Troubleshoot GRE

- Issues with GRE are usually due to one or more of the following:
 - The tunnel interface IP addresses are not on the same network or the subnet masks do not match. Use the show ip interface brief command.
 - The interfaces for the tunnel source and/or destination are not configured with the correct IP address or are down. Use the **show ip** interface brief command.
 - Static or dynamic routing is not properly configured. Use show ip route or show ip ospf neighbor.



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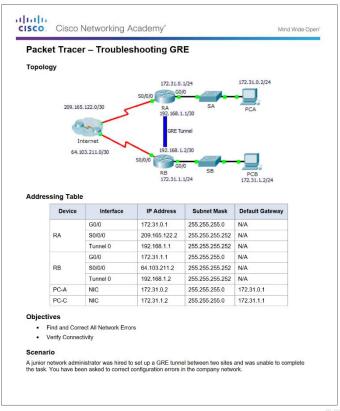
Packet Tracer - Configuring GRE





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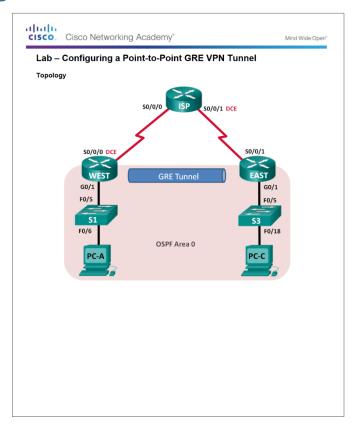
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Implement GRE

Lab – Configuring a Point-to-Point GRE VPN Tunnel



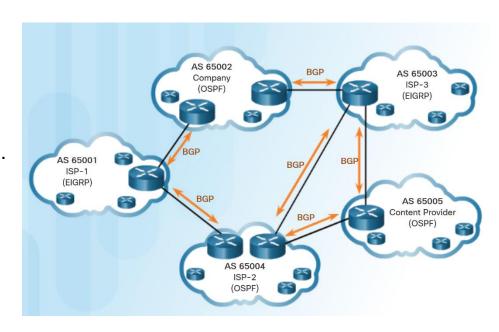


3.5 eBGP

BGP Overview

IGP and EGP Routing Protocols

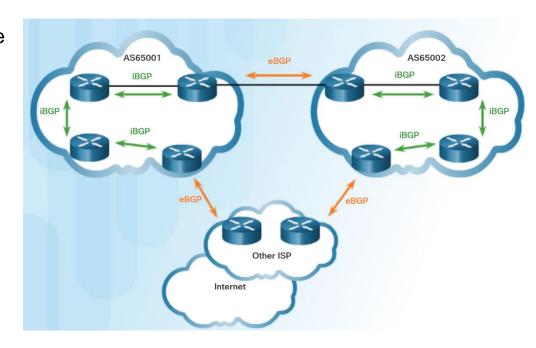
- IGPs are used to exchange routing information within a company network or an autonomous system (AS).
- An Exterior Gateway Protocol (EGP) is used for the exchange of routing information between autonomous systems, such as ISPs.
- Border Gateway Protocol (BGP) is an Exterior Gateway Protocol (EGP).
 - Every AS is assigned a unique 16-bit or 32-bit AS number which uniquely identifies it on the Internet.



BGP Overview

eBGP and iBGP

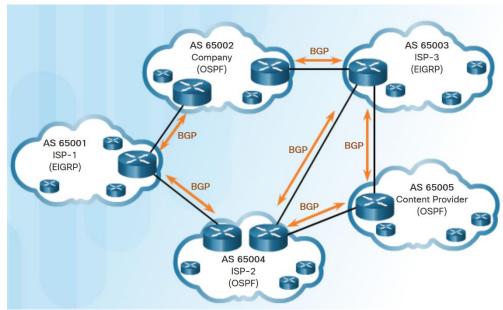
- External BGP (eBGP) External BGP is the routing protocol used between routers in different autonomous systems.
- Internal BGP (iBGP) Internal BGP is the routing protocol used between routers in the same AS.
- Two routers exchanging BGP routing information are known as BGP peers



BGP Design Considerations

When to use BGP

- BGP is used when an AS has connections to multiple autonomous systems. This is known as multi-homed.
- A misconfiguration of a BGP router could have negative effects throughout the Internet.

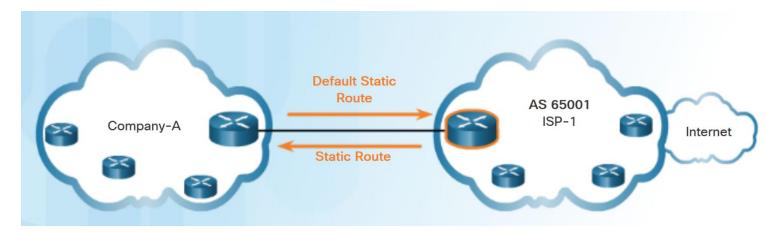


BGP Design Considerations

When not to use BGP

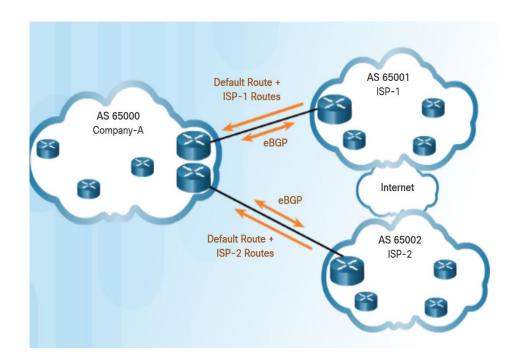
- BGP should not be used when one of the following conditions exist:
 - There is a single connection to the Internet or another AS. Known as single-homed.
 - When there is a limited understanding of BGP.

Note: Although it is recommended only in unusual situations, for the purposes of this course, you will configure single-homed BGP.



BGP Design Considerations BGP Options

- Three common ways an organization can implement BGP in a multi-homed environment:
 - Default Route Only
 - Default Route and ISP Routes
 - All Internet Routes (this would include routes to over 550,000 networks)



Steps to Configure eBGP

- To implement eBGP:
 - Enable BGP routing.
 - Configure BGP neighbor(s) (peering)
 - Advertise network(s) originating from this AS.

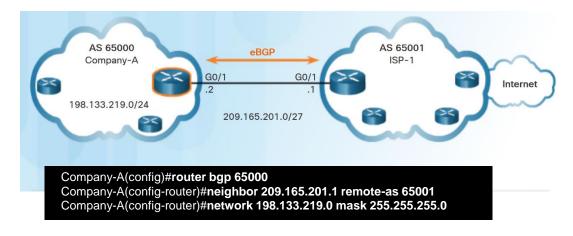
Command	Description
Router(config)# router bgp as-number	Enables a BGP routing process, and places the router in router configuration mode.
Router(config-router)# neighbor ip- address remote-as as-number	Specifies a BGP neighbor. The as-number is the neighbor's AS number.
Router(config-router)# network network-address [mask network-mask]	Advertises a network address to an eBGP neighbor as being originated by this AS. The network-mask is the subnet mask of the network.



BGP Sample Configuration

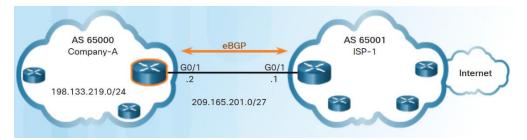
- The router bgp as-number global configuration command enables BGP and identifies the AS number.
- The neighbor ip-address remote-as as-number router configuration command identifies the BGP peer and its AS number.
- The network network-address [mask network-mask] router configuration command enters the network-address into the local BGP table.

Note: The network-address used in the network command does not have to be a directly connected network.



```
ISP-1(config)#router bgp 65001
ISP-1(config-router)#neighbor 209.165.201.2 remote-as 65000
ISP-1(config-router)#network 0.0.0.0
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eBGP Branch Configuration Verify eBGP

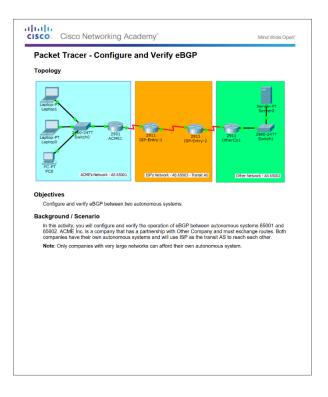


- Three commands to verify eBGP:
 - show ip route
 - show ip bgp
 - show ip bgp summary

```
Company-A# show ip route
Codes: L - local, C - connected, S - static, R - RIP, M - mobile, B - BGP
<output omitted>
Gateway of last resort is 209.165.201.1 to network 0.0.0.0
    0.0.0.0/0 [20/0] via 209.165.201.1, 00:36:03
     10.0.0.0/8 is variably subnetted, 2 subnets, 2 masks
C
        198.133.219.0/24 is directly connected, GigabitEthernet0/0
        198.133.219.1/32 is directly connected, GigabitEthernet0/0
     209.165.201.0/24 is variably subnetted, 2 subnets, 2 masks
        209.165.201.0/27 is directly connected, GigabitEthernet0/1
        209.165.201.2/32 is directly connected, GigabitEthernet0/1
Company-A#
Company-A# show ip bgp
BGP table version is 3, local router ID is 209.165.201.2
Status codes: s suppressed, d damped, h history, * valid, > best, i - internal,
             r RIB-failure, S Stale, m multipath, b backup-path, f RT-Filter,
             x best-external, a additional-path, c RIB-compressed,
Origin codes: i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete
RPKI validation codes: V valid, I invalid, N Not found
                                         Metric LocPrf Weight Path
    Network
                      Next Hop
*> 0.0.0.0
                      209.165.201.1
                                                         0 65001 i
*> 198.133.219.0/24 0.0.0.0
                                                       32768 i
Company-A#
```

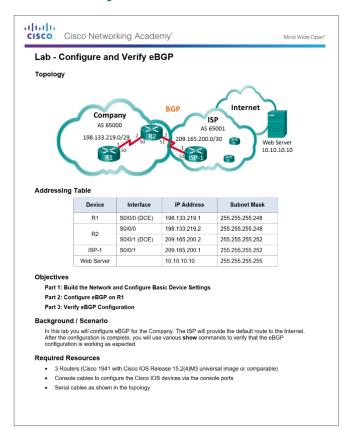
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Company-A# show ip bgp summary
BGP router identifier 209.165.201.2, local AS number 65000
BGP table version is 3, main routing table version 3
2 network entries using 288 bytes of memory
2 path entries using 160 bytes of memory
2/2 BGP path/bestpath attribute entries using 320 bytes of memory
1 BGP AS-PATH entries using 24 bytes of memory
0 BGP route-map cache entries using 0 bytes of memory
0 BGP filter-list cache entries using 0 bytes of memory
BGP using 792 total bytes of memory
BGP activity 2/0 prefixes, 2/0 paths, scan interval 60 secs
Neighbor
                    AS MsqRcvd MsqSent TblVer InQ OutQ Up/Down State/PfxRcd
209.165.201.1 4 65001
                                                      0 00:56:11
Company-A#
```

Packet Tracer - Configure and Verify eBGP





Lab - Configure and Verify eBGP



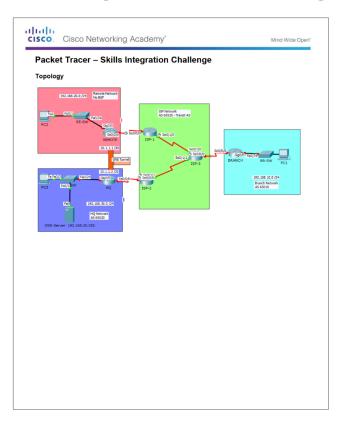


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Conclusion

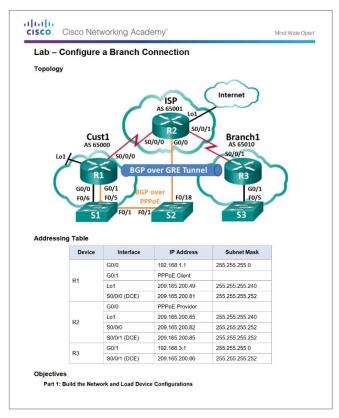
Packet Tracer - Skills Integration Challenge





Conclusion

Lab - Configure a Branch Connection





Conclusion

Chapter 3: Branch Connections

- Select broadband remote access technologies to support business requirements.
- Configure a Cisco router with PPPoE.
- Explain how VPNs secure site-to-site and remote access connectivity.
- Implement a GRE tunnel.
- Implement eBGP in a single-homed remote access network.



