

# Brocade 5600 vRouter Tunnels Configuration Guide

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## Document conventions

The document conventions describe text formatting conventions, command syntax conventions, and important notice formats used in Brocade technical documentation.

## Text formatting conventions

Text formatting conventions such as boldface, italic, or Courier font may be used in the flow of the text to highlight specific words or phrases.

Format	Description
<b>bold text</b>	Identifies command names Identifies keywords and operands Identifies the names of user-manipulated GUI elements
<i>italic text</i>	Identifies text to enter at the GUI Identifies emphasis Identifies variables and modifiers Identifies paths and Internet addresses
Courier font	Identifies document titles Identifies CLI output Identifies command syntax examples

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Bold and italic text identify command syntax components. Delimiters and operators define groupings of parameters and their logical relationships.

Convention	Description
<b>bold text</b>	Identifies command names, keywords, and command options.
<i>italic text</i>	Identifies a variable.
value	In Fibre Channel products, a fixed value provided as input to a command option is printed in plain text, for example, <b>--show</b> WWN.
[ ]	Syntax components displayed within square brackets are optional. Default responses to system prompts are enclosed in square brackets.
{ x y z }	A choice of required parameters is enclosed in curly brackets separated by vertical bars. You must select one of the options.
x y	In Fibre Channel products, square brackets may be used instead for this purpose. A vertical bar separates mutually exclusive elements.

Convention	Description
< >	Nonprinting characters, for example, passwords, are enclosed in angle brackets.
...	Repeat the previous element, for example, <i>member{member..}</i> .
\	Indicates a "soft" line break in command examples. If a backslash separates two lines of a command input, enter the entire command at the prompt without the backslash.

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# About This Guide

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This guide describes how to configure tunneling on the Brocade vRouter (referred to as a virtual router, vRouter, or router in the guide).



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## Overview

An IP tunneling protocol is a mechanism for encapsulating a packet from one network protocol into a packet from another protocol, thereby creating a “tunnel.” The transported protocol (the “passenger” protocol) is encapsulated by wrapping around it packet information for the tunneling protocol (the “carrier” protocol). The encapsulated packet is then forwarded to some destination and stripped of the encapsulating information, and the original packet is delivered.

The Brocade vRouter supports three commonly used tunneling protocols.

- Generic Routing Encapsulation (GRE) tunnels can be used to carry non-IP protocols, such as Novell IPX, Banyan VINES, AppleTalk, and DECNet. They can also be used to carry multicast, broadcast, and IPv6 traffic.
- IP-in-IP tunnels can be used to carry only IPv4 traffic.
- Simple Internet Transition (SIT) tunnels can be used to transport IPv6 packets over IPv4 routing infrastructures.

A logical interface that sends IP packets in a tunneled mode is called a tunnel interface. A tunnel interface behaves just like any other system interface: you can configure routing protocols, firewall, NAT, and other features on them, and you can manage them by using standard operational tools and commands.

Note that GRE, IP-in-IP, and SIT tunnels are unencrypted.

## GRE

This section presents the following topics:

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- [Multipoint GRE](#) on page 12
- [Supported standards for GRE](#) on page 13

The Generic Routing Encapsulation (GRE) protocol provides a simple general-purpose mechanism for encapsulating a packet from a wide variety of network protocols to be forwarded over another protocol. The original packet (the “passenger” packet) can be one of many network protocols—for example, a multicast packet, an IPv6 packet, or a non-IP LAN protocol, such as AppleTalk, Banyan VINES, or Novell IPX. The delivery protocol can be one of a number of routable IP protocols.

A GRE tunnel is stateless, which means that the protocol does not automatically monitor the state or availability of other endpoints. You can, however, direct the router to monitor the far end of the tunnel by sending keep-alive messages. If the other end of the tunnel becomes unavailable, its failure to respond to the messages alerts the router.

GRE uses the IP protocol number 47.

## Applications for GRE

You might use GRE in the following situations:

- Connect networks that are running non-IP protocols, such as native LAN protocols, across the public IP network. Non-IP protocols, such as Novell IPX or Appletalk, are not routable across an IP network. A GRE tunnel allows you to create a virtual point-to-point link between two such networks over the public WAN.
- Route IPv6 packets across an IPv4 network, or connect any two similar networks across an infrastructure that uses different IP addressing.
- Encrypt multicast traffic. IPsec, which is a standard mechanism for providing security on IP networks, cannot encrypt multicast packets. However, multicast packets can be encapsulated within a GRE tunnel and then routed over a VPN connection, so that the encapsulated packets are protected by the IPsec tunnel.

## Bridging with GRE

A limitation of a regular GRE-encapsulated tunnel is that the resulting tunnels cannot be added to a bridge group. GRE for bridging provides this ability. Use GRE for bridging only in cases in which tunnel interfaces are to be included in a bridge group.

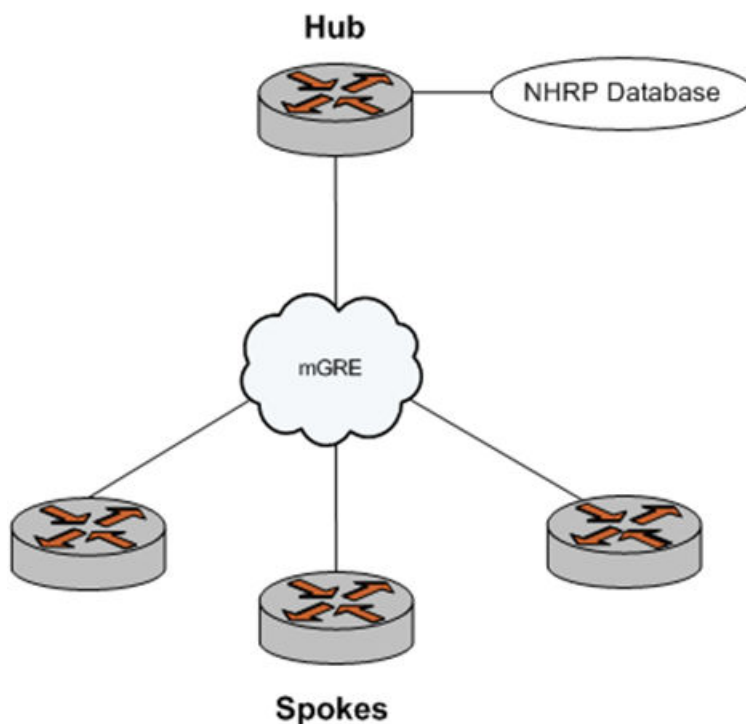
To configure GRE for bridging, use the **gre-bridge** option of the **interfaces tunnel encapsulation** command. For more information about using bridging, refer to *Brocade 5600 vRouter Bridging Configuration Guide*.

## Multipoint GRE

A GRE tunnel, in its basic form, is essentially point to point. Supporting complex network topologies (such as hub-and-spoke and spoke-to-spoke technologies) with point-to-point tunnels is operationally problematic, requiring a full mesh of tunnels. Such a mesh also consumes a great deal of IP address space, as each pair of tunnel endpoints consumes a subnet. Multipoint GRE (mGRE) allows multiple destinations (for example, multiple spoke sites) to be grouped into a single multipoint interface.

To build the direct tunnels, mGRE uses the Next Hop Resolution Protocol (NHRP) addressing service. The hub maintains an NHRP database and the spokes query the hub database to obtain the IP addresses of the logical tunnel endpoints.

FIGURE 1 Multipoint GRE tunnel



To use multipoint GRE, create a tunnel interface and specify **gre-multipoint** as the encapsulation type (by using the **interfaces tunnel <tunx> encapsulation <action>** command). The other main difference between a standard GRE configuration and an mGRE configuration is that, in an mGRE configuration, you do not specify an IP address for the remote endpoint (that is, you do not set the **remote-ip** parameter). Other parameters are configured as for ordinary GRE.

Both multipoint GRE and NHRP are necessary components for dynamic multipoint VPN (DMVPN), which is typically secured with IP Security (IPsec). DMVPN is discussed in *Brocade 5600 vRouter Bridging Configuration Guide*. NHRP is discussed in *Brocade 5600 vRouter Services Configuration Guide*.

## Supported standards for GRE

The Brocade Communications Systems, Inc. implementation of GRE complies with the following standards:

- RFC 1702: Generic Routing Encapsulation over IPv4 Networks
- RFC 2784: Generic Routing Encapsulation

## IP-in-IP

This section presents the following topics:

- [Applications for IP-in-IP](#) on page 14
- [Supported standards for IP-in-IP](#) on page 14

The IP-in-IP encapsulation protocol is used to tunnel between networks that have different capabilities or policies. For example, an IP-in-IP tunnel can be used to forward a multicast packet across a section of a network (such as an IPsec tunnel) that does not support

multicast routing. An IP-in-IP tunnel can also be used to influence the routing of a packet, or to deliver a packet to a mobile device that uses Mobile IP.

In IP-in-IP encapsulation, a second IP header is inserted in front of the IP header of the original packet (the “passenger” packet). The new IP header has as source and destination addresses the addresses of the tunnel endpoints. The IP header of the payload packet identifies the original sender and receiver. When the encapsulated packet exits the tunnel, the outer IP header is stripped off, and the original IP packet is delivered to the final destination.

## Applications for IP-in-IP

IP-in-IP encapsulation is simple and robust. It is useful for connecting IPv4 networks that otherwise would not be able to communicate; however, it has some limitations:

- IP-in-IP encapsulation does not support broadcast traffic.
- IP-in-IP encapsulation does not support IPv6 traffic.

For forwarding this kind of traffic, GRE may be more appropriate.

## Supported standards for IP-in-IP

The Brocade Communications Systems, Inc. implementation of IP-in-IP complies with the following standard:

- RFC 1853: IP in IP Tunneling

## SIT

This section presents the following topics:

- [Applications for SIT](#) on page 14
- [Supported standards for SIT](#) on page 14

The Simple Internet Transition (SIT) protocol is a mechanism for tunneling an IPv6 packet over IPv4 routing infrastructures. A SIT packet employs a dual-IP layer of IPv4 and IPv6 in hosts and routers for direct interoperability with nodes that implement both protocols. The encapsulation includes two IPv6 addressing structures that embed IPv4 addresses within IPv6 addresses.

SIT includes an optional mechanism for translating headers of IPv4 packets into IPv6, and the headers of IPv6 packets into IPv4. This option allows nodes that implement only IPv6 to interoperate with nodes that implement only IPv4.

## Applications for SIT

The SIT protocol provides mechanisms for transitioning networks from IPv4 to IPv6. The embedded IPv4 address structure of SIT eliminates the need for tunnel configuration in most cases.

## Supported standards for SIT

The Brocade Communications Systems, Inc. implementation of SIT complies with the following standard:

- RFC 4213: Basic Transition Mechanisms for IPv6 Hosts and Routers

## Securing tunnels

GRE, IP-in-IP, and SIT tunnels are not encrypted; they use a simple password-like key that is exchanged in clear text in each packet. They are not suitable for a production network unless otherwise secured. All GRE, IP-in-IP, and SIT tunnels can be protected by an IPsec tunnel. IPsec is explained in detail in *Brocade 5600 vRouter IPsec Site-to-Site VPN Configuration Guide*.

Multipoint GRE (mGRE) tunnels can also be secured by using IPsec as part of a Dynamic Multipoint Virtual Private Network (DMVPN). Refer to *Brocade 5600 vRouter DMVPN Configuration Guide* for more information on securing mGRE tunnels.

For information on determining which VPN solution best meets your needs, refer to *Brocade 5600 vRouter Guide to VPN Support*.

## Using tunnels to extend IPsec capability

An IPsec policy-based tunnel cannot directly route non-IP or multicast protocols. IPsec also has limitations from an operations point of view.

Using tunnel interfaces with IPsec VPN provides secure, routable tunnel connections between gateways. These tunnels have some advantages over traditional IPsec policy-based tunnel mode connections.

- They support standard operational commands, such as **show interfaces** and **show route**.
- They support operational tools, such as traceroute and SNMP.
- They provide dynamic tunnel failover by using routing protocols.
- They simplify IPsec policies and troubleshooting.

IPsec is explained in detail in *Brocade 5600 vRouter IPsec Site-to-Site VPN Configuration Guide*. See that guide for more information.

The use of tunnel interfaces with IPsec is documented in the following standard, which describes the use of IP-in-IP tunnels that is combined with IPsec transport mode encryption to provide secure routable tunnels:

- RFC 3884: Use of IPsec Transport Mode for Dynamic Routing

Another method of providing a secure routable interface is to use a Virtual Tunnel Interface (VTI). Refer to *Brocade 5600 vRouter IPsec Site-to-Site VPN Configuration Guide* for more information.





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## Before you begin

The following examples have some common elements.

- Any Ethernet (data plane) or loopback interface to be used must already be configured. The examples do not show these configurations.
- The examples show both Ethernet and loopback interfaces being configured as tunnel endpoints. Configuring a loopback interface as the tunnel endpoint is advantageous in systems in which multiple paths between tunnel endpoints exist because the tunnel does not fail if an Ethernet interface fails.

Refer to *Brocade 5600 vRouter LAN Interfaces Configuration Guide* for information on configuring Ethernet and loopback interfaces.

### NOTE

In the Brocade vRouter, a data plane interface is an abstraction that represents the underlying physical or virtual Ethernet interface of the system. The terms Ethernet interface and data plane interface are synonymous in this guide.

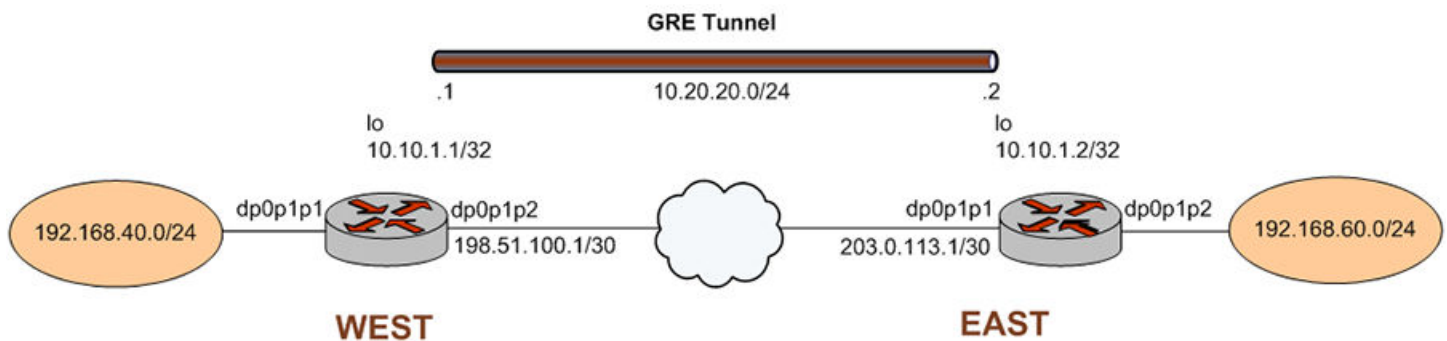
## GRE tunnel connecting remote networks

This section presents a sample configuration for a basic GRE tunnel between the WEST and EAST Brocade vRouter. First, WEST is configured, and then EAST.

This basic tunnel is not protected by a key, which means that it is not secure and would not be suitable for a production network unless otherwise secured.

When you finish the steps, these systems are configured as shown in the following figure.

FIGURE 2 Basic GRE tunnel



## Configure WEST

The GRE tunnel in the sample configuration extends from WEST through the wide-area network to EAST. In this example, you create the tunnel interface and the tunnel endpoint on WEST.

- The tun0 tunnel interface on WEST is assigned the 10.20.20.1 IP address on 10.20.20.0/24 network.
- The source IP address of the tunnel endpoint (local-ip) is the same as the address associated with the loopback interface (lo) in this example.
- The IP address of the other end of the tunnel (remote-ip) is the address of the loopback interface on EAST.
- A static route is created to specify how to get to the remote LAN through the tunnel.

The following table shows how to create the tunnel interface and the tunnel endpoint on WEST. To do this, perform the following steps on WEST in configuration mode.

**TABLE 1** Creating a basic GRE tunnel endpoint on WEST

Step	Command
Create the tunnel interface, and specify the IP address to be associated with it.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 address 10.20.20.1/24</pre>
Specify the source IP address for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 local-ip 10.10.1.1</pre>
Specify the IP address of the other end of the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 remote-ip 10.10.1.2</pre>
Specify the encapsulation mode for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 encapsulation gre</pre>
Assign a brief description to the tunnel interface.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 description "GRE tunnel to EAST"</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# show interfaces tunnel tun0 address 10.20.20.1/24 description "Tunnel to EAST" encapsulation gre local-ip 10.10.1.1 remote-ip 10.10.1.2</pre>
Create a static route to access the remote subnet through the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set protocols static route 192.168.60.0/24 next-hop 10.20.20.2</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# show protocols static {   route 192.168.60.0/24 {     next-hop 10.20.20.2 {     }   } }</pre>

## Configure EAST

In this example, you create the tunnel endpoint on EAST.

- The tun0 tunnel interface on EAST is assigned the 10.20.20.2 IP address on 10.20.20.0/24 network.

- The source IP address of the tunnel endpoint (local-ip) is the same as the address associated with the loopback interface (lo) in this example.
- The IP address of the other end of the tunnel (remote-ip) is the address of the loopback interface on WEST.
- A static route is created to specify how to get to the remote LAN through the tunnel.

The following table shows how to create the tunnel endpoint on EAST. To do this, perform the following steps on EAST in configuration mode.

**TABLE 2** Create a basic tunnel endpoint on EAST

Step	Command
Create the tunnel interface, and specify the IP address to be associated with it.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 address 10.20.20.2/24</pre>
Specify the source IP address for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 local-ip 10.10.1.2</pre>
Specify the IP address of the other end of the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 remote-ip 10.10.1.1</pre>
Specify the encapsulation mode for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 encapsulation gre</pre>
Assign a brief description to the tunnel interface.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 description "GRE tunnel to WEST"</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# show interfaces tunnel tun0 address 10.20.20.2/24 description "Tunnel to WEST" encapsulation gre local-ip 10.10.1.2 remote-ip 10.10.1.1</pre>
Create a static route to access the remote subnet through the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set protocols static route 192.168.40.0/24 next-hop 10.20.20.1</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# show protocols static {     route 192.168.40.0/24 {         next-hop 10.20.20.1 {         }     } }</pre>

## A GRE tunnel with authentication

In this section, some additional parameters are specified for the tunnel interfaces that are defined in the previous section.

- A key is specified so that the hosts can authenticate each other. This key must match on the two endpoints. Note that authentication is not encryption.
- The time to live (TTL), Type of Service (ToS), and maximum transmission unit (MTU) are specified for each endpoint.
- A firewall rule set is applied to each tunnel interface.

## Configure WEST

#GUID-145FCBE6-1AB7-4AB5-9B92-13F4E0B330A3/TAB\_1749788 shows how to specify additional values for the tunnel endpoint on WEST that is created in [Configure WEST](#) on page 18.

- A key, 101088, is provided as a password-like mechanism. The key on each side must match.
- The TTL for packets is set to 220, ToS field is set to 55, and MTU for packets is set to 1460.
- Two firewall rule sets are applied to the tunnel interface:
  - The tun0-fw-in rule set is applied to packets ingressing through the tunnel interface.
  - The tun0-fw-out rule set is applied to packets egressing through the tunnel interface.

In the example, it is assumed that these firewall rule sets have already been defined. For information on defining firewall rule sets, refer to *Brocade 5600 vRouter Firewall Configuration Guide*.

To configure the GRE tunnel endpoint, perform the following steps on WEST in configuration mode.

**TABLE 3** Adding values to the GRE tunnel endpoint on WEST

Step	Command
Provide the authentication key.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip key 101088</pre>
Set the TTL.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip ttl 220</pre>
Set the ToS.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip tos 55</pre>
Set the MTU.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 mtu 1460</pre>
Apply the firewall rule set for incoming packets.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 firewall in name tun0-fw-in</pre>
Apply the firewall rule set for outgoing packets.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 firewall out name tun0-fw-out</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# show interfaces tunnel tun0 address 10.20.20.1/24 description "Tunnel to EAST" encapsulation gre firewall   in {     name tun0-fw-in   }   out {     name tun0-fw-out   } } local-ip 10.10.1.1 mtu 1460 parameters {   ip {     key 101088     tos 55     ttl 220   } } remote-ip 10.10.1.2</pre>

## Configure EAST

[#GUID-F139680F-1C86-4504-85C6-E5B15C56D32A/TAB\\_1752260](#) shows how to specify additional values for the tunnel endpoint on EAST that is created in [Configure EAST](#) on page 18.

- A key 101088 is provided as a password-like mechanism. This value matches the key configured for WEST.
- The TTL for packets is set to 220, ToS field is set to 55, and MTU for packets is set to 1460.
- Two firewall rule sets are applied to the tunnel interface:
  - The tun0-fw-in rule set is applied to packets ingressing through the tunnel interface.
  - The tun0-fw-out rule set is applied to packets egressing through the tunnel interface.

In the example, it is assumed that these firewall rule sets have already been defined. For information on defining firewall rule sets, refer to *Brocade 5600 vRouter Firewall Configuration Guide*.

To configure the GRE tunnel endpoint, perform the following steps on EAST in configuration mode.

**TABLE 4** Adding values to the GRE tunnel endpoint on EAST

Step	Command
Provide the authentication key.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip key 101088</pre>
Set the TTL.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip ttl 220</pre>
Set the ToS.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip tos 55</pre>
Set the MTU.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 mtu 1460</pre>
Apply the firewall rule set for incoming packets.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 firewall in name tun0-fw-in</pre>
Apply the firewall rule set for outgoing packets.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# set interfaces tunnel tun0 firewall out name tun0-fw-out</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@EAST# show interfaces tunnel tun0 address 10.20.20.2/24 description "Tunnel to WEST" encapsulation gre firewall   in {     name tun0-fw-in   }   out {     name tun0-fw-out   } } local-ip 10.10.1.2 mtu 1460 parameters {   ip {     key 101088     tos 55     ttl 220   } } remote-ip 10.10.1.1</pre>

## Multipoint GRE tunnels

This section presents a sample configuration for a basic multipoint GRE (mGRE) tunnel between the HUB and SPOKE1 Brocade vRouter and one between HUB and SPOKE2.

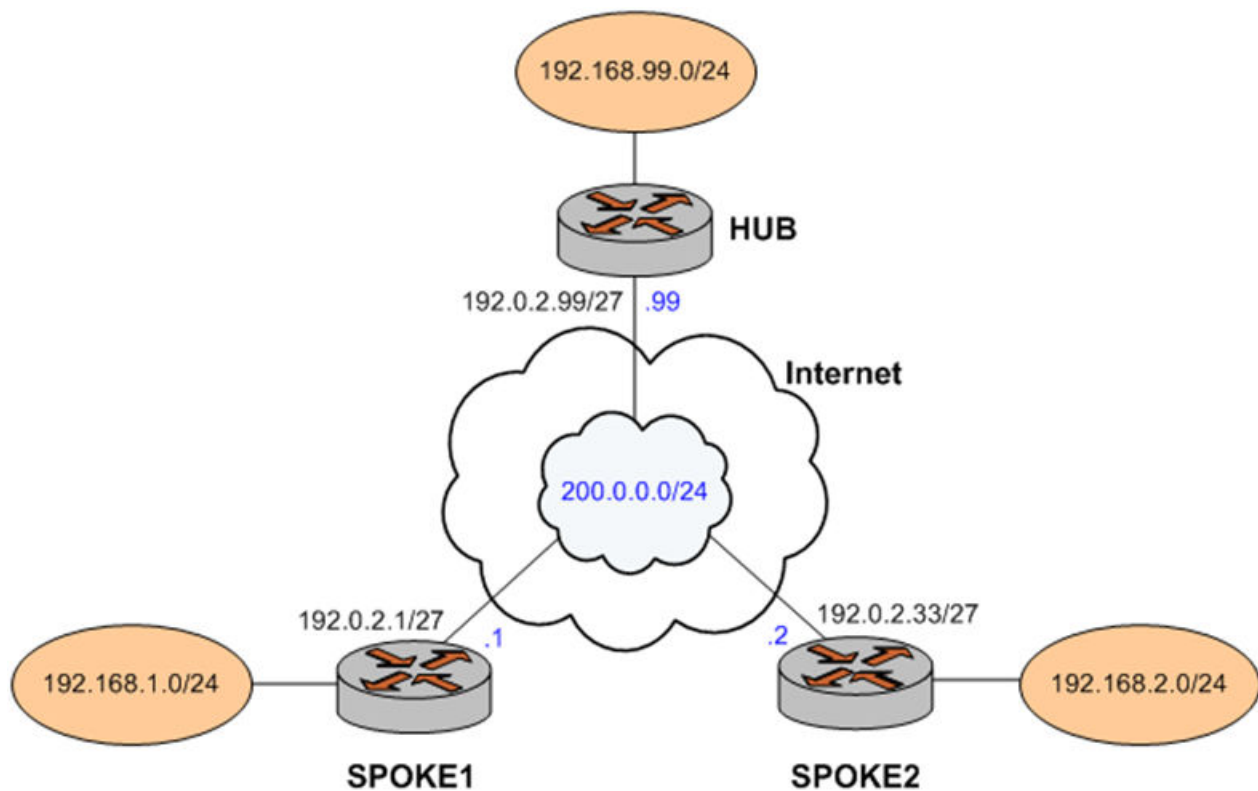
The configuration shown in this example also provides for a dynamic tunnel to be created between SPOKE1 and SPOKE2, as required. The ability to form a dynamic tunnel directly between the spokes derives from the use of mGRE and Next Hop Resolution Protocol (NHRP). This configuration can be expanded by creating additional spoke nodes with no change to the HUB configuration. For more information on NHRP, refer to *Brocade 5600 vRouter Services Configuration Guide*.

Note that spoke-to-spoke traffic does not pass through the HUB. Note also that a typical production environment would use a routing protocol such as OSPF rather than static routes, which are used in this example.

The basic mGRE tunnels presented in this example are not protected by IPsec encryption, which means they are not secure and would not be suitable for a production network unless otherwise secured. Dynamic multipoint VPN (DMVPN) uses mGRE, NHRP, and IPsec to provide a secure hub-and-spoke tunnel environment. For more information on creating a DMVPN environment, see *Brocade 5600 vRouter DMVPN Configuration Guide*.

When this example is completed, the network will be configured as shown in the following figure.

FIGURE 3 Basic mGRE tunnel network



## Configure HUB

Two multipoint GRE tunnels are configured. One is between HUB and SPOKE1. The other is between HUB and SPOKE2. The first step is to configure HUB.

In this example, you create the tunnel interface and the tunnel endpoint on HUB.

- The tunnel interface tun0 on HUB is assigned the IP address 200.0.0.99 on subnet 200.0.0.0/24.
- The source IP address of the tunnel endpoint (the **local-ip**) is the same as the address associated with the local Ethernet interface in this example (192.0.2.99/24).
- A static route is created to specify how to get to the remote LANs through the tunnel.

**TABLE 5** Creating a multipoint GRE endpoint on HUB

Step	Command
Create the tunnel interface, and specify the IP address to be associated with it.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 address 200.0.0.99/24</pre>
Specify the encapsulation mode for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 encapsulation gre-multipoint</pre>
Specify the source IP address for the tunnel. This address is the IP address of the physical interface for the tunnel endpoint.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 local-ip 192.0.2.99</pre>
Allow multicast protocols (for example, routing protocols) to be carried over the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 multicast enable</pre>
Specify an authentication key for the NHRP network.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp authentication pre-shared-secret NET123</pre>
Specify the hold time for the NHRP network.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp holding-time 300</pre>
Specify that multicast packets are to be forwarded to all directly connected peers.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp multicast parameters dynamic</pre>
Specify that Cisco-style NHRP Traffic Indication packets are to be sent.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp redirect</pre>
Specify an authentication key for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip key 1</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@HUB# show interfaces tunnel tun0 {   address 200.0.0.99/24   encapsulation gre-multipoint   local-ip 192.0.2.99   multicast enable   nhrp {     authentication NET123     holding-time 300     multicast {       parameters dynamic     }     redirect   }   parameters {     ip {       key 1     }   } }</pre>

TABLE 5 Creating a multipoint GRE endpoint on HUB (continued)

Step	Command
	<pre> } } </pre>
Create a static route to access the remote LAN behind SPOKE1 through the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set protocols static route 192.168.1.0/24 next-hop 200.0.0.1</pre>
Create a static route to access the remote LAN behind SPOKE2 through the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set protocols static route 192.168.2.0/24 next-hop 200.0.0.2</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# show protocols static {   route 192.168.1.0/24 {     next-hop 200.0.0.1 {     }   }   route 192.168.2.0/24 {     next-hop 200.0.0.2 {     }   } } </pre>

## Configure SPOKE1

The second step is to configure SPOKE1.

In this example, you create the tunnel interface and the tunnel endpoint on SPOKE1.

- The tunnel interface tun0 on HUB is assigned the IP address 200.0.0.1 on subnet 200.0.0.0/24.
- The source IP address of the tunnel endpoint (the **local-ip**) is the same as the address associated with the local Ethernet interface in this example (192.0.2.1/24).
- A static route is created to specify how to get to the remote LANs through the tunnel.

TABLE 6 Creating a multipoint GRE endpoint on SPOKE1

Step	Command
Create the tunnel interface, and specify the IP address to be associated with it.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 address 200.0.0.1/24</pre>
Specify the encapsulation mode for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 encapsulation gre-multipoint</pre>
Specify the source IP address for the tunnel. This address is the IP address of the physical interface for the tunnel endpoint.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 local-ip 192.0.2.1</pre>
Allow multicast protocols (for example, routing protocols) to be carried over the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 multicast enable</pre>
Specify an authentication key for the NHRP network.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp authentication pre-shared-secret NET123</pre>



TABLE 6 Creating a multipoint GRE endpoint on SPOKE1 (continued)

Step	Command
Map the IP address of the tunnel interface of the Hub to its physical IP address.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp map 200.0.0.99/24 nbma-address 192.0.2.99</pre>
Specify that this spoke should register itself automatically on startup.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp map 200.0.0.99/24 register</pre>
Specify that multicast packets are to be repeated to each statically configured next hop.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp multicast parameters nhs</pre>
Specify that Cisco-style NHRP Traffic Indication packets are to be sent.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp redirect</pre>
Specify that shortcut routes can be created.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp shortcut</pre>
Specify an authentication key for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip key 1</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE1# show interfaces tunnel tun0 {     address 200.0.0.1/24     encapsulation gre-multipoint     local-ip 192.0.2.1     multicast enable     nhrp {         authentication NET123         map 200.0.0.99/24 {             nbma-address 192.0.2.99             register         }         multicast {             parameters nhs         }         redirect         shortcut     }     parameters {         ip {             key 1         }     } }</pre>
Create a static route to access the remote LAN behind HUB through the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set protocols static route 192.168.99.0/24 next-hop 200.0.0.99</pre>
Create a static route to access the remote LAN behind SPOKE2 through the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set protocols static route 192.168.2.0/24 next-hop 200.0.0.2</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# show protocols static {     route 192.168.99.0/24 {         next-hop 200.0.0.99 {</pre>

TABLE 6 Creating a multipoint GRE endpoint on SPOKE1 (continued)

Step	Command
	<pre> } } route 192.168.2.0/24 {   next-hop 200.0.0.2 {   } } } </pre>

## Configure SPOKE2

The final step is to configure SPOKE2.

In this example, you create the tunnel interface and the tunnel endpoint on SPOKE2.

- The tunnel interface tun0 on HUB is assigned the IP address 200.0.0.2 on subnet 200.0.0.0/24.
- The source IP address of the tunnel endpoint (the **local-ip**) is the same as the address associated with the local Ethernet interface in this example (192.0.2.33/24).
- A static route is created to specify how to get to the remote LANs through the tunnel.

TABLE 7 Creating a multipoint GRE endpoint on SPOKE2

Step	Command
Create the tunnel interface, and specify the IP address to be associated with it.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 address 200.0.0.2/24</pre>
Specify the encapsulation mode for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 encapsulation gre-multipoint</pre>
Specify the source IP address for the tunnel. This address is the IP address of the physical interface for the tunnel endpoint.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 local-ip 192.0.2.33</pre>
Allow multicast protocols (for example, routing protocols) to be carried over the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 multicast enable</pre>
Specify an authentication key for the NHRP network.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp authentication pre-shared-secret NET123</pre>
Map the IP address of the tunnel interface of the Hub to its physical IP address.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp map 200.0.0.99/24 nbma-address 192.0.2.99</pre>
Specify that this spoke should register itself automatically on startup.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp map 200.0.0.99/24 register</pre>
Specify that multicast packets are to be repeated to each statically configured next hop.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp multicast parameters nhs</pre>
Specify that Cisco-style NHRP Traffic Indication packets are to be sent.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp redirect</pre>
Specify that shortcut routes can be created.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 nhrp shortcut</pre>

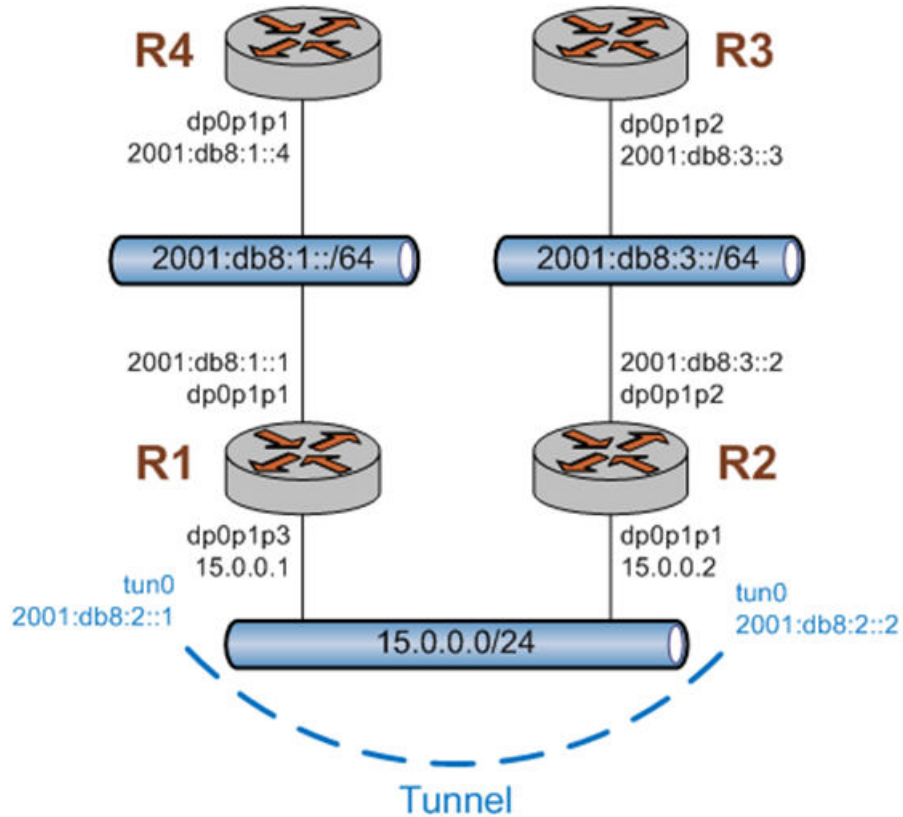
TABLE 7 Creating a multipoint GRE endpoint on SPOKE2 (continued)

Step	Command
Specify an authentication key for the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 parameters ip key 1</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@SPOKE2# show interfaces tunnel tun0 {   address 200.0.0.2/24   encapsulation gre-multipoint   local-ip 192.0.2.33   multicast enable   nhrp {     authentication NET123     map 200.0.0.99/24 {       nbma-address 192.0.2.99       register     }     multicast {       parameters nhs     }     redirect     shortcut   }   parameters {     ip {       key 1     }   } }</pre>
Create a static route to access the remote LAN behind HUB through the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set protocols static route 192.168.99.0/24 next-hop 200.0.0.99</pre>
Create a static route to access the remote LAN behind SPOKE1 through the tunnel.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# set protocols static route 192.168.1.0/24 next-hop 200.0.0.1</pre>
Commit the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# commit</pre>
View the configuration.	<pre>vyatta@WEST# show protocols static {   route 192.168.99.0/24 {     next-hop 200.0.0.99 {     }   }   route 192.168.1.0/24 {     next-hop 200.0.0.1 {     }   } }</pre>

## Tunneling IPv6 traffic in IPv4 with SIT

Figure 4 shows a network with four nodes. Each of R1 and R2 has an interface that is configured as IPv6 and an interface that is configured as IPv4. The figure shows configuration of the nodes by using tunneling over IPv4 to enable R3 and R4 to communicate through R1 and R2.

FIGURE 4 Tunneling IPv6 traffic in IPv4



In the figure, all interfaces are configured with the IP addresses as shown, and R1 and R2 have forwarding enabled.

### Create a SIT tunnel

R1 and R2 must be configured to create a tunnel between them to encapsulate the IPv6 traffic. To configure R1 to create a tunnel that uses SIT encapsulation between 15.0.0.1 and 15.0.0.2, perform the following steps in configuration mode.

TABLE 8 Configuring a tunnel interface on R1

Step	Command
Create a tunnel with SIT encapsulation.	<pre>vyatta@R1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 encapsulation sit</pre>
Specify the local IP address.	<pre>vyatta@R1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 local-ip 15.0.0.1</pre>
Specify the remote IP address.	<pre>vyatta@R1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 remote-ip 15.0.0.2</pre>
Configure the IPv6 address on the interface.	<pre>vyatta@R1# set interfaces tunnel tun0 address 2001:db8:2::1/64</pre>

**TABLE 8** Configuring a tunnel interface on R1 (continued)

Step	Command
Commit the changes.	vyatta@R1# commit

To configure R2 to create a tunnel that uses SIT encapsulation between 15.0.0.2 and 15.0.0.1, perform the following steps in configuration mode.

**TABLE 9** Configuring a tunnel interface on R2

Step	Command
Create a tunnel with SIT encapsulation.	vyatta@R2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 encapsulation sit
Specify the local IP address.	vyatta@R2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 local-ip 15.0.0.2
Specify the remote IP address.	vyatta@R2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 remote-ip 15.0.0.1
Configure the IPv6 address on the interface.	vyatta@R2# set interfaces tunnel tun0 address 2001:db8:2::2/64
Commit the changes.	vyatta@R2# commit

At this point, connectivity exists between R1 and R2 across the tunnel interface. The following example shows the capture of a ping from 2001:db8:2::1 to 2001:db8:2::2. Notice that the IPv6 ping packet is encapsulated by the IPv4 header.

## Capture of a ping

```

Frame 22 (138 bytes on wire, 138 bytes captured)
Ethernet II, Src: Vmware_d6:81:80 (00:0c:29:d6:81:80), Dst: Vmware_4e:fc:b6 (00:0c:29:4e:fc:b6)
  Destination: Vmware_4e:fc:b6 (00:0c:29:4e:fc:b6)
  Source: Vmware_d6:81:80 (00:0c:29:d6:81:80)
  Type: IP (0x0800)
Internet Protocol, Src: 15.0.0.1 (15.0.0.1), Dst: 15.0.0.2 (15.0.0.2)
  Version: 4
  Header length: 20 bytes
  Differentiated Services Field: 0x00 (DSCP 0x00: Default; ECN: 0x00)
  Total Length: 124
  Identification: 0x0000 (0)
  Flags: 0x04 (Don't Fragment)
  Fragment offset: 0
  Time to live: 255
  Protocol: IPv6 (0x29)
  Header checksum: 0x5d56 [correct]
  Source: 15.0.0.1 (15.0.0.1)
  Destination: 15.0.0.2 (15.0.0.2)
Internet Protocol Version 6
  0110 .... = Version: 6
  .... 0000 0000 .... .... .... .... = Traffic class: 0x00000000
  .... .... .... 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 = Flowlabel: 0x00000000
  Payload length: 64
  Next header: ICMPv6 (0x3a)
  Hop limit: 64
  Source: 2001:db8:2::1 (2001:db8:2::1)
  Destination: 2001:db8:2::2 (2001:db8:2::2)
Internet Control Message Protocol v6
  Type: 129 (Echo reply)

```

```

Code: 0
Checksum: 0x2fca [correct]
ID: 0xe825
Sequence: 0x001b
Data (56 bytes)
0000  9b a8 25 49 58 0c 07 00 08 09 0a 0b 0c 0d 0e 0f  ..%IX.....
0010  10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 1a 1b 1c 1d 1e 1f  .....
0020  20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 2a 2b 2c 2d 2e 2f  !"#$%&'()*+,-./
0030  30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 01234567

```

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## Related tunnel commands

This chapter presents the commands for configuring GRE and IP-in-IP tunnels.

Commands for using other system features with tunnel interfaces are described in the following noted guides.

Related Commands Documented Elsewhere	
Bridging	Commands for configuring bridge groups on tunnel interfaces are described in <i>Brocade 5600 vRouter Bridging Configuration Guide</i> .
Firewall	Commands for configuring firewall on tunnel interfaces are described in <i>Brocade 5600 vRouter Firewall Configuration Guide</i> .
OSPF	Commands for configuring the Open Shortest Path First routing protocol on tunnel interfaces are described in <i>Brocade 5600 vRouter OSPF Configuration Guide</i> .
Policy Based Routing	Commands for configuring Policy Based Routing on tunnel interfaces are described in <i>Brocade 5600 vRouter Policy-based Routing Configuration Guide</i> .
QoS	Commands for configuring quality of service on tunnel interfaces are described in <i>Brocade 5600 vRouter QoS Configuration Guide</i> .
RIP	Commands for configuring the Routing Information Protocol on tunnel interfaces are described in <i>Brocade 5600 vRouter RIP Configuration Guide</i> .

Related Commands Documented Elsewhere	
RIPng	Commands for configuring the Routing Information Protocol next generation (RIPng) on tunnel interfaces are described in <i>Brocade 5600 vRouter RIPng Configuration Guide</i> .



## clear interfaces tunnel counters

Clears statistics for a tunnel interface.

### Syntax

```
clear interfaces tunnel { counters | tunx counters }
```

### Parameters

*tunx*

Clears information for the specified tunnel interface. The range is tun0 through tun $x$ , where  $x$  is a nonnegative integer.

### Modes

Operational mode

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to clear statistics for a tunnel interface.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx>

Creates a tunnel interface for encapsulating traffic.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx*

**delete** interfaces tunnel [ *tunx* ]

**show** interfaces tunnel

### Parameters

*tunx*

An identifier for the tunnel interface that you are creating. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tun*x*, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {  
    tunnel tunx {  
    }  
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to create a tunnel interface for encapsulating traffic.

Use the **set** form of this command to create a tunnel interface.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete a tunnel interface.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the tunnel configuration.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> address <address>

Assigns a primary or secondary IP address to a tunnel interface.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* address { *ipv4* | *ipv6* }

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* address [ *ipv4* | *ipv6* ]

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx* address

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tun*x*, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

*ipv4*

An IPv4 address on the interface. The format of the address is *ip-address/prefix* (for example, 192.168.1.77/24). You can define multiple IPv4 addresses for a single interface by creating multiple **address** configuration nodes.

*ipv6*

An IPv6 address on the interface. The format of the address is *ipv6-address/prefix* (for example, 2001:db8:1234::/48). You can define multiple IPv6 addresses for a single interface by creating multiple **address** configuration nodes.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    address
      ipv4
      ipv6
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to assign a primary or secondary IP address to a tunnel interface. At least one address must be configured for the tunnel interface to function.

Note that you cannot use the **set** form of this command to change an existing address; you must delete the address to be changed and create a new one.

Use the **set** form of this command to create an IP address for a tunnel interface.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete an IP network address for a tunnel interface. At least one address must remain for the tunnel to function.

Use the **show** form of this command to display address configuration for a tunnel interface.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> bridge-group <action>

Adds the tunnel interface to a bridge group.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx bridge-group { bpdu-guard | bridge bridge-name | cost cost | priority priority | root-block }
delete interfaces tunnel tunx
show interfaces tunnel tunx bridge-group
```

### Command Default

GRE is the encapsulation type.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

**bpdu-guard**

Enables spanning tree BPDU guard.

*bridge-name*

Name to identify the bridge group.

*cost*

Spanning tree port cost (1-65535).

*priority*

Spanning tree port priority (0-15).

**root-block**

Restricts the port's ability to take the spanning tree root role.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    bridge group {
      bpdu-guard
      bridge bridge-name
      cost cost
      priority priority
      root-block
    }
  }
}
```

## Usage Guidelines

Use this command to add a tunnel interface to a bridge group.

Use the **set** form of this command to configure the tunnel interface to a bridge group.

Use the **delete** form of this command to remove the tunnel interface.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current configuration of the tunnel interface.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> description <description>

Describes a tunnel interface.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* description *description*

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* description

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx* description

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tun*x*, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

*description*

A brief description of the interface. The default description is an empty character string.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    description description
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

If the description contains spaces, it must be enclosed in double quotation marks.

Use the **set** form of this command to briefly describe a tunnel interface.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete the description of a tunnel interface.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the description of a tunnel interface.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> disable

Disables a tunnel interface without discarding configuration.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* **disable**

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* **disable**

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx*

### Command Default

A tunnel interface is enabled.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {  
    tunnel tunx {  
        disable  
    }  
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use the **set** form of this command to disable a tunnel interface without discarding its configuration.

Use the **delete** form of this command to enable a tunnel interface.

Use the **show** form of this command to display a tunnel interface.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> disable-link-detect

Directs a tunnel interface not to detect a change in the state of the physical link.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* disable-link-detect

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* disable-link-detect

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx*

### Command Default

An interface detects a change in the state of the physical link.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    disable-link-detect
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use the **set** form of this command to disable detection of a change in the physical state (for example, when a cable is unplugged).

Use the **delete** form of this command to enable detection of a change in the physical state.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current configuration for the detection of a change in the physical state.



## interfaces tunnel <tunx> ipv6 address

Assigns an IPv6 address to a tunnel interface.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 address [ autoconf | eui64 ipv6prefix ]
delete interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 address [ autoconf | eui64 ipv6prefix ]
show interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 address [ autoconf | eui64 ]
```

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tun*x*, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

**autoconf**

Generates an IPv6 address by using the SLAAC protocol. Use this option if the interface is performing a “host” function rather than a “router” function. This option can be specified in addition to static IPv6, static IPv4, and IPv4 DHCP addresses on the interface.

**eui64** *ipv6prefix*

Specifies a 64-bit IPv6 address prefix that is used to configure an IPv6 address, in EUI-64 format. The system concatenates this prefix with a 64-bit EUI-64 value that is derived from the 48-bit MAC address of the interface.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    ipv6 {
      address {
        autoconf
        eui64 ipv6prefix
      }
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

You can use the **autoconf** keyword to direct the system to automatically configure (autoconfigure) the address by using the Stateless Address Autoconfiguration (SLAAC) protocol that is defined in RFC 4862. Alternatively, you can provide an EUI-64 IPv6 address prefix so that the system constructs the IPv6 address.

If you want the system to use SLAAC to acquire addresses on this interface, then in addition to setting this parameter, you must also disable IPv6 forwarding, either globally (by using the **system ipv6 disable-forwarding** command) or specifically on this interface (by using [interfaces tunnel <tunx> ipv6 disable-forwarding](#) on page 43).

Use the **set** form of this command to assign an IPv6 address to a tunnel interface.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete an IPv6 address from a tunnel interface.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current IPv6 addresses for an interface.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> ipv6 disable-forwarding

Disables IPv6 forwarding on a tunnel interface.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 disable-forwarding
delete interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 disable-forwarding
show interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 disable-forwarding
```

### Command Default

IPv6 packets are forwarded.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    ipv6 {
      disable-forwarding
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

You can also disable IPv6 forwarding globally (that is, for all interfaces) by using the **system ipv6 disable-forwarding** command.

Use the **set** form of this command to disable IPv6 packet forwarding on a tunnel interface.

Use the **delete** form of this command to enable IPv6 packet forwarding on a tunnel interface.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current configuration of IPv6 packet forwarding on a tunnel interface.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> ipv6 dup-addr-detect-transmits <number>

Specifies the number of times to transmit NS packets as part of the DAD process.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 dup-addr-detect-transmits number
delete interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 dup-addr-detect-transmits [number]
show interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 dup-addr-detect-transmits
```

### Command Default

One NS packet is transmitted as part of the DAD process.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

*number*

The number of times to transmit NS packets. The default number of times is 1. Enter 0 to disable DAD.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    ipv6 {
      dup-addr-detect-transmits number
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use the **set** form of this command to specify the number of times to transmit Neighbor Solicitation (NS) packets as part of the Duplicate Address Detection (DAD) process.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete the number of times and use the default number of 1.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current number of times.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> ipv6 router-advert <action>

Specifies router advertisements (RAs) to be sent from a tunnel interface.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 router-advert [ cur-hop-limit limit ] [ default-lifetime lifetime ] [ default-preference preference ]
[ link-mtu mtu ] [ managed-flag state ] [ max-interval interval ] [ min-interval interval ] [ other-config-flag state ] [ prefix
ipv6net [ autonomous-flag state | on-link-flag state | preferred-lifetime lifetime | valid-lifetime lifetime ] ] [ reachable-time
time ] [ retrans-timer time ] [ send-advert state ]
```

```
delete interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 router-advert [ cur-hop-limit ] [ default-lifetime ] [ default-preference ] [ link-mtu ] [ managed-
flag ] [ max-interval ] [ min-interval ] [ other-config-flag ] [ prefix ipv6net [ autonomous-flag | on-link-flag | preferred-
lifetime | valid-lifetime ] ] [ reachable-time ] [ retrans-timer ] [ send-advert ]
```

```
show interfaces tunnel tunx ipv6 router-advert
```

### Command Default

Router advertisements are not sent on an interface.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

**cur-hop-limit** *limit*

Limits the Hop Count field of the IP header for outgoing (unicast) IP packets. This limit is placed in the Hop Count field. The limit ranges from 0 through 255. The default limit is 64. A limit of 0 means that the limit is unspecified by the router.

**default-lifetime** *lifetime*

Specifies the lifetime, in seconds, associated with the default router. The lifetime either is 0, which indicates that the router is not a default router, or ranges from the interval specified in the **max-interval** argument through 9000 (18.2 hours). If not entered, the lifetime is three times the interval specified in the **max-interval** argument.

**default-preference** *preference*

Specifies the preference associated with the default router. The preference is one of the following:

**low**: Makes the default router low preference.

**medium**: Makes the default router medium preference.

**high**: Makes the default router high preference.

The default preference is **medium**.

**link-mtu** *mtu*

Specifies the MTU to be advertised for the link. The MTU either is 0 or ranges from 1280 through the maximum MTU for the type of link, as defined in RFC 2464. The default MTU is 0, which means the MTU is not specified in the router advertisement message. That is because it is expected that the MTU is configured directly on the interface itself and not for routing advertisements. You can configure this option in cases where the link MTU is not well known.

If the MTU entered here does not match the MTU configured on the interface, the system issues a warning but does not fail.

**managed-flag** *state*

Specifies whether to use the administered protocol for address autoconfiguration. The state is either of the following:

**true:** Specifies that hosts use the administered (stateful) protocol for address autoconfiguration in addition to any addresses autoconfigured using stateless address autoconfiguration.

**false:** Specifies that hosts use only stateless address autoconfiguration.

The default state is **false**.

**max-interval** *interval*

Specifies the maximum time, in seconds, allowed between sending unsolicited multicast router advertisements from the interface. The interval ranges from 4 through 1800. The default interval is 600 (10 minutes).

**min-interval** *interval*

Specifies the minimum time, in seconds, allowed between sending unsolicited multicast router advertisements from the interface. The interval ranges from 3 through 0.75 times the interval specified in the **max-interval** argument. The default interval is 0.33 times the interval specified in the **max-interval** argument.

**other-config-flag** *state*

Specifies that the interface uses the administered (stateful) protocol for autoconfiguration of nonaddress information, as defined in RFC 4862. The state is either of the following:

**true:** Specifies that hosts use the administered protocol for autoconfiguration of nonaddress information.

**false:** Specifies that hosts use stateless autoconfiguration of nonaddress information.

The default state is **false**.

**prefix** *ipv6net*

Multi-node. Specifies an IPv6 prefix, in the format *ipv6-address/prefix*, to be advertised on the IPv6 interface.

You can define more than one IPv6 prefix by configuring multiple **prefix** configuration nodes.

**autonomous-flag** *state*

Specifies whether the IPv6 prefix can be used for autonomous address configuration as defined in RFC 4862. The state is either of the following:

**true:** Specifies that the prefix can be used for autonomous address configuration.

**false:** Specifies that the prefix cannot be used for autonomous address configuration.

The default state is **true**.

**on-link-flag** *state*

Specifies whether the IPv6 prefix can be used for on-link determination, as defined in RFC 4862. The state is either of the following:

**true:** Specifies that the prefix can be used for on-link determination.

**false:** Specifies that the advertisement makes no statement about on-link or off-link properties of the prefix. For instance, the prefix might be used for address configuration with some addresses belonging to the prefix being on-link and others being off-link.

The default state is **true**.

**preferred-lifetime** *lifetime*

Specifies the lifetime, in seconds, that the addresses generated from the IPv6 prefix through Stateless Address Autoconfiguration (SLAAC) is to remain preferred, as defined in RFC 4862. The lifetime is with respect to the time the packet is sent. The lifetime ranges from 1 through 4294967296 plus the **infinity** keyword, which represents forever. (The actual value of **infinity** is a byte in which all bits are set to 1s: 0xFFFFFFFF.) The default lifetime is 604800 (7 days).

**valid-lifetime** *lifetime*

Specifies the lifetime, in seconds, that the IPv6 prefix is valid for the purpose of on-link determination, as defined in RFC 4862. The lifetime is with respect to the time the packet is sent. The lifetime ranges from 1 through 4294967296 plus the **infinity** keyword, which represents forever. (The actual value of **infinity** is a byte in which all bits are set to 1s: 0xFFFFFFFF.) The default lifetime is 2592000 (30 days).

**reachable-time** *time*

Specifies the length of time, in milliseconds, for which the system assumes a neighbor is reachable after having received a reachability confirmation. This time is used by address resolution and the Neighbor Unreachability Detection algorithm (see Section 7.3 of RFC 2461). The time ranges from 0 through 3600000, where 0 means the reachable time is not specified in the router advertisement message. The default time is 0.

**retrans-timer** *time*

Specifies the length of time, in milliseconds, between retransmitted NS messages. This time is used by address resolution and the Neighbor Unreachability Detection algorithm (see Sections 7.2 and 7.3 of RFC 2461). The time ranges from 0 through 4294967295, where 0 means the retransmit time is not specified in the router advertisement message. The default time is 0.

**send-advert** *state*

Specifies whether router advertisements are to be sent from this interface. The state is either of the following:

**true:** Sends router advertisements from this interface.

**false:** Does not send router advertisements from this interface. If this state is in effect, parameters in this configuration subtree are still used to configure the local implementation parameters.

The default state is **true**.

## Modes

Configuration mode

## Configuration Statement

```

interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    ipv6 {
      router-advert {
        cur-hop-limit limit
        default-lifetime lifetime
        default-preference preference
        link-mtu mtu
        managed-flag state
        max-interval interval
        min-interval interval
        other-config-flag state
        prefix ipv6net {
          autonomous-flag state
          on-link-flag state
          preferred-lifetime lifetime
          valid-lifetime lifetime
        }
        reachable-time time
        retrans-timer time
        send-advert state
      }
    }
  }
}

```

## Usage Guidelines

Use this command to configure RAs to be sent from a tunnel interface.

Router advertisements are sent by IPv6 routers to advertise their existence to hosts on the network. IPv6 hosts do not send RAs.

If the **router-advert** node of the configuration tree is missing, RAs are not sent. In addition, if IPv6 forwarding is disabled either globally (by using the **system ipv6 disable-forwarding** command) or on the interface (by using the **interfaces tunnel <tunx> ipv6 disable-forwarding** command), RAs are not sent.

Most RA parameters are required by either the Neighbor Discovery (ND) protocol or the Stateless Address Autoconfiguration (SLAAC) protocol. These parameters are used locally for the IPv6 implementation and become part of the RA messages sent to hosts on the network so that they can be configured appropriately.

Use the **set** form of this command to create the **router-advert** configuration node and begin to send RAs.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete the **router-advert** configuration node and stop sending RAs.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current configuration for sending RAs.



## interfaces tunnel <tunx> local-ip <address>

Specifies the IP address for the local endpoint of a tunnel.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* local-ip { *ipv4* | *ipv6* }

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* local-ip [ *ipv4* | *ipv6* ]

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx* local-ip

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tun*x*, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

*ipv4*

An IPv4 address to use as the tunnel endpoint on the local router. The IP address must already be configured for the interface.

*ipv6*

An IPv6 address to use as the tunnel endpoint on the local router. The IP address must already be configured for the interface.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    local-ip
      ipv4
      ipv6
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

The tunnel does not function when both the local and remote endpoints are not configured.

Use the **set** form of this command to specify the IP address to use as the local endpoint of a tunnel.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete the local endpoint of a tunnel.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the IP address for the local endpoint of a tunnel.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> mtu <mtu>

Sets the MTU size for a tunnel interface.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* mtu *mtu*

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* mtu [ *mtu* ]

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx* mtu

### Command Default

Tunnel interface packets have an MTU size of 1476.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

*mtu*

The MTU size, in octets, for the tunnel interface. The size ranges from 68 through 65535. The default size is 1476.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    mtu mtu
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to set the size of the maximum transfer unit (MTU) for encapsulated packets that traverse a tunnel.

This MTU size is applied to the packets that are embedded in the encapsulating protocol; it is not the size of the MTU of the "carrier" packets themselves. The MTU size of carrier packets is dictated by the size of the MTU of the physical interface that is transmitting and receiving the tunnel packets.

Use the **set** form of this command to set the MTU size for encapsulated packets traversing the tunnel.

Use the **delete** form of this command to restore the default MTU size, which is 1476, for encapsulated packets.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the MTU size for encapsulated packets.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> parameters ip key <key>

Defines an authentication key for a tunnel interface.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* parameters ip key *key*

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* parameters ip key [*key*]

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx* parameters ip key

### Command Default

No key is configured; authentication is not required.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

*key*

A key for authenticating the local endpoint to the remote endpoint. The key must match on both ends of the connection for the tunnel to be established.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    parameters {
      ip {
        key key
      }
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to provide a simple password-like numeric key for authenticating tunnel endpoints to each other. For the tunnel to be established, keys must be identical at both ends of the tunnel.

#### NOTE

This is only valid with GRE and GRE-multipoint encapsulation only.

Use the **set** form of this command to define an authentication key for a tunnel interface.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete the authentication key for a tunnel interface.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the authentication key for a tunnel interface.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> parameters ip tos <tos>

Specifies the value to write into the Type of Service (ToS) byte of the IP header of a tunnel packet.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ip tos tos
```

```
delete interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ip tos [ tos ]
```

```
show interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ip tos
```

### Command Default

The default value is 0.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tun*x*, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

*tos*

The value to write into the ToS byte in the IP header of a tunnel packet (the carrier packet). The value ranges from 0 through 99, where 0 means a tunnel packet copies the ToS value from the packet being encapsulated (the passenger packet).

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    parameters {
      ip {
        tos tos
      }
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to specify the value to write into the 8-bit ToS byte of the IP header for a packet that traverses a tunnel interface. The ToS byte of the IP header of a packet specifies the forwarding behavior to be applied to the packet.

Use the **set** form of this command to specify the ToS value.

Use the **delete** form of this command to restore the default behavior for the ToS byte, that is, the ToS byte of the encapsulated packet is copied into the IP header of the tunnel packet.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current value for the ToS byte.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> parameters ip ttl <ttl>

Sets the time-to-live (TTL) value to write into the IP header of a tunnel packet.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ip ttl ttl
```

```
delete interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ip ttl [ ttl ]
```

```
show interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ip ttl
```

### Command Default

The TTL byte of the encapsulated packet is copied into the TTL byte of the IP header of a tunnel packet.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

*ttl*

The value to write into the TTL field in the IP header of a tunnel packet (the carrier packet). The value ranges from 0 through 255, where 0 means a tunnel packet copies the TTL value from the packet being encapsulated (the passenger packet). The default value is 255.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    parameters {
      ip {
        ttl ttl
      }
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

The TTL field of the IP header of a packet limits the lifetime of an IP packet and prevents indefinite packet looping.

Use the **set** form of this command to set the TTL value to write into the TTL field of the IP header for a packet that traverses a tunnel interface.

Use the **delete** form of this command to restore the default behavior for the TTL field, that is, the TTL byte of the encapsulated packet is copied into the TTL byte of the IP header of the tunnel packet.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current TTL value to write into the IP header of a tunnel packet.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> parameters ipv6 encapslimit <limit>

Sets the maximum number of times that a tunnel packet can be encapsulated.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 encapslimit { 0-255 | none }
delete interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 encapslimit [ 0-255 | none ]
show interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 encapslimit
```

### Command Default

The default limit is 4.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

0-255

The limit ranges from 0 through 255.

none

If no limit is specified, the command is disabled.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    parameters {
      ipv6 {
        encapslimit
          0-255
          none
      }
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Use the **set** form of this command to set the maximum number of times (that is, the number of levels) a packet can be encapsulated.

Use the **delete** form of this command to restore the default maximum number of four times.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the number of times.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> parameters ipv6 flowlabel <flowlabel>

Defines the flow label of the encapsulating IPv6 header.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 flowlabel { flowlabel | inherit }
delete interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 flowlabel [ flowlabel | inherit ]
show interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 flowlabel
```

### Command Default

The default flow label is inherit.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

0-0xffff

The flow label of the encapsulating IPv6 header. The flow label ranges from 0 through 0xffff.

**inherit**

The default flow label of the encapsulating IPv6 header.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    parameters {
      ipv6 {
        flowlabel
          0-0xffff
          inherit
        }
      }
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

The flow label field of the encapsulated packet is copied into the flow label field of the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet.

Use the **set** form of this command to specify the flowlabel of the encapsulating IPv6 header.

Use the **delete** form of this command to restore the default flow label, which is the flow label of the encapsulated packet.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current flow label.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> parameters ipv6 hoplimit <hoplimit>

Sets the hop-limit value to write into the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet.

### Syntax

```
set interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 hoplimit 0-255
delete interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 hoplimit [ 0-255 ]
show interfaces tunnel tunx parameters ipv6 hoplimit
```

### Command Default

The default hop limit is 64.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

*0-255*

The value to write into the hop-limit field in the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet (the carrier packet). The value ranges from 0 through 255, where 0 means a tunnel packet copies the value from the packet being encapsulated (the passenger packet).

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    parameters {
      ipv6 {
        hoplimit 0-255
      }
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

The hop-limit byte of the encapsulated packet is copied into the hop-limit byte of the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet.

Use this command to set the value to write into the hop-limit field of the IPv6 header for a packet that traverses a tunnel interface. The hop-limit field of the IPv6 header of a packet limits the lifetime of an IPv6 packet and prevents indefinite packet looping.

Use the **set** form of this command to set the hop-limit value to write into the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet.

Use the **delete** form of this command to restore the default behavior for the hoplimit field, that is, the hop-limit byte of the encapsulated packet is copied into the IPv6 header of the tunnel packet.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current hop-limit value to write into the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet.



## interfaces tunnel <tunx> parameters ipv6 tclass <class>

Sets the value to write into the tclass byte of the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* parameters ipv6 tclass *0-0xff*

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* parameters ipv6 tclass [*0-0xff*]

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx* parameters ipv6 tclass

### Command Default

The default value is **inherit**.

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where x is a nonnegative integer.

*0-0xff*

The value to write into the tclass byte in the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet (the carrier packet). The value ranges from 0 through 0xff, where 0 means a tunnel packet copies the tclass byte from the packet being encapsulated (the passenger packet).

**inherit**

The default traffic class of the encapsulating IPv6 header.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    parameters {
      ipv6 {
        tclass 0-0xff
      }
    }
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

The tclass byte of the encapsulated packet is copied into the tclass byte of the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet. The tclass byte of the IPv6 header of a packet specifies the forwarding behavior to be applied to the packet.

Use the **set** form of this command to set the value to write into the tclass byte of the IPv6 header for a packet that traverses a tunnel interface.

Use the **delete** form of this command to restore the default behavior for the tclass field, that is, the tclass byte of the encapsulated packet is copied into the tclass byte of the IPv6 header of the tunnel packet.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the current tclass value to write into the IPv6 header of a tunnel packet.

## interfaces tunnel <tunx> remote-ip <address>

Sets the IP address for the remote endpoint of a tunnel.

### Syntax

**set** interfaces tunnel *tunx* remote-ip { *ipv4* | *ipv6* }

**delete** interfaces tunnel *tunx* remote-ip [ *ipv4* | *ipv6* ]

**show** interfaces tunnel *tunx* remote-ip

### Parameters

*tunx*

The identifier of a tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tun*x*, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

*ipv4*

An IPv4 address to use as the tunnel endpoint on the remote router. The IP address must already be configured for the interface.

*ipv6*

An IPv6 address to use as the tunnel endpoint on the remote router. The IP address must already be configured for the interface.

### Modes

Configuration mode

### Configuration Statement

```
interfaces {
  tunnel tunx {
    remote-ip
      ipv4
      ipv6
  }
}
```

### Usage Guidelines

Note that the tunnel cannot be established when both the local and remote endpoints are not configured.

Use the **set** form of this command to set the IP address to use as the remote endpoint of a tunnel.

Use the **delete** form of this command to delete the remote endpoint of a tunnel.

Use the **show** form of this command to display the IP address for the remote endpoint of a tunnel.

## show interfaces tunnel

Displays the operational status about one tunnel interface or all tunnel interfaces.

### Syntax

```
show interfaces tunnel [ tunx | detail ]
```

### Command Default

Information is displayed for all tunnel interfaces.

### Parameters

*tunx*

Displays information for the specified tunnel interface. The identifier ranges from tun0 through tunx, where *x* is a nonnegative integer.

**detail**

Displays a detailed status of all tunnel interfaces.

### Modes

Operational mode

### Usage Guidelines

Use this command to display the operational status of one tunnel interface or all tunnel interfaces.

### Examples

The following example shows how to display the operational status for the GRE tun0 tunnel interface.

```
vyatta@vyatta:~$ show interfaces tunnel
tun0@NONE: <POINTOPOINT,NOARP,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1476 qdisc noqueue
link/gre 192.168.20.2 peer 192.168.20.3
inet 192.168.20.1/24 brd 192.168.20.255 scope global tun0
RX:      bytes          packets          errors          dropped
overrun  0          0          0          0
      TX:  bytes          packets          errors          dropped
carrier  0          0          0          0
```

# List of Acronyms

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ACL	access control list
ADSL	Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line
AH	Authentication Header
AMI	Amazon Machine Image
API	Application Programming Interface
AS	autonomous system
ARP	Address Resolution Protocol
AWS	Amazon Web Services
BGP	Border Gateway Protocol
BIOS	Basic Input Output System
BPDU	Bridge Protocol Data Unit
CA	certificate authority
CCMP	AES in counter mode with CBC-MAC
CHAP	Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol
CLI	command-line interface
DDNS	dynamic DNS
DHCP	Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol
DHCPv6	Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol version 6
DLCI	data-link connection identifier
DMI	desktop management interface
DMVPN	dynamic multipoint VPN
DMZ	demilitarized zone
DN	distinguished name
DNS	Domain Name System
DSCP	Differentiated Services Code Point
DSL	Digital Subscriber Line
eBGP	external BGP
EBS	Amazon Elastic Block Storage
EC2	Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud
EGP	Exterior Gateway Protocol
ECMP	equal-cost multipath
ESP	Encapsulating Security Payload
FIB	Forwarding Information Base
FTP	File Transfer Protocol
GRE	Generic Routing Encapsulation
HDLC	High-Level Data Link Control
I/O	Input/Output
ICMP	Internet Control Message Protocol
IDS	Intrusion Detection System

IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
IGMP	Internet Group Management Protocol
IGP	Interior Gateway Protocol
IPS	Intrusion Protection System
IKE	Internet Key Exchange
IP	Internet Protocol
IPOA	IP over ATM
IPsec	IP Security
IPv4	IP Version 4
IPv6	IP Version 6
ISAKMP	Internet Security Association and Key Management Protocol
ISM	Internet Standard Multicast
ISP	Internet Service Provider
KVM	Kernel-Based Virtual Machine
L2TP	Layer 2 Tunneling Protocol
LACP	Link Aggregation Control Protocol
LAN	local area network
LDAP	Lightweight Directory Access Protocol
LLDP	Link Layer Discovery Protocol
MAC	medium access control
mGRE	multipoint GRE
MIB	Management Information Base
MLD	Multicast Listener Discovery
MLPPP	multilink PPP
MRRU	maximum received reconstructed unit
MTU	maximum transmission unit
NAT	Network Address Translation
NBMA	Non-Broadcast Multi-Access
ND	Neighbor Discovery
NHRP	Next Hop Resolution Protocol
NIC	network interface card
NTP	Network Time Protocol
OSPF	Open Shortest Path First
OSPFv2	OSPF Version 2
OSPFv3	OSPF Version 3
PAM	Pluggable Authentication Module
PAP	Password Authentication Protocol
PAT	Port Address Translation
PCI	peripheral component interconnect
PIM	Protocol Independent Multicast
PIM-DM	PIM Dense Mode
PIM-SM	PIM Sparse Mode
PKI	Public Key Infrastructure

PPP	Point-to-Point Protocol
PPPoA	PPP over ATM
PPPoE	PPP over Ethernet
PPTP	Point-to-Point Tunneling Protocol
PTMU	Path Maximum Transfer Unit
PVC	permanent virtual circuit
QoS	quality of service
RADIUS	Remote Authentication Dial-In User Service
RHEL	Red Hat Enterprise Linux
RIB	Routing Information Base
RIP	Routing Information Protocol
RIPng	RIP next generation
RP	Rendezvous Point
RPF	Reverse Path Forwarding
RSA	Rivest, Shamir, and Adleman
Rx	receive
S3	Amazon Simple Storage Service
SLAAC	Stateless Address Auto-Configuration
SNMP	Simple Network Management Protocol
SMTP	Simple Mail Transfer Protocol
SONET	Synchronous Optical Network
SPT	Shortest Path Tree
SSH	Secure Shell
SSID	Service Set Identifier
SSM	Source-Specific Multicast
STP	Spanning Tree Protocol
TACACS+	Terminal Access Controller Access Control System Plus
TBF	Token Bucket Filter
TCP	Transmission Control Protocol
TKIP	Temporal Key Integrity Protocol
ToS	Type of Service
TSS	TCP Maximum Segment Size
Tx	transmit
UDP	User Datagram Protocol
VHD	virtual hard disk
vif	virtual interface
VLAN	virtual LAN
VPC	Amazon virtual private cloud
VPN	virtual private network
VRRP	Virtual Router Redundancy Protocol
WAN	wide area network
WAP	wireless access point
WPA	Wired Protected Access