

## Chapter 10

# Configuring IPv6 Multicast

IPv6 multicast enables a device to send packets to a group of hosts rather than to a list of individual hosts. This chapter describes how to configure IPv6 multicast on the E-series router; it contains the following sections:

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## Overview

IPv6 defines three types of addresses: *unicast*, *anycast*, and *multicast*. Each type of address enables a device to send datagrams to selected recipients:

- A unicast address enables a device to send a datagram to a single recipient.
- An anycast address enables a device to send a datagram to one recipient out of a set of recipients.
- A multicast address enables a device to send a datagram to a specified set of hosts, known as a multicast group, in different subnetworks.

IPv6 multicast improves network efficiency by allowing a host to transmit a datagram to a targeted group of receivers. For example, a host may want to send a large video clip to a group of selected recipients. It would be time-consuming for the host to unicast the datagram to each recipient individually. If the host broadcasts the video clip throughout the network, network resources are not available for other tasks. The host uses only the resources it needs when multicasting the datagram.

Routers use multicast routing algorithms to determine the best route and transmit multicast datagrams throughout the network. E-series routers support a number of IPv6 multicast protocols on virtual routers (VRs). Each VR handles the interoperability of IPv6 multicast protocols automatically. To start IPv6 multicast operation on a VR, you access the context for that VR and configure the desired protocols on the selected interfaces. Table 9 describes the function of each the protocol that the router supports.

**Table 9: Function of Multicast Protocols on a Router**

Protocol	Function
Multicast Listener Discovery (MLD)	Discovers hosts that belong to multicast group.
Protocol Independent Multicast Protocol (PIM)	Discovers other multicast routers that should receive multicast packets.
BGP Multicast Protocol	Routes multicast datagrams between autonomous systems.

The router supports up to 16,384 multicast forwarding entries (multicast routes) at any time.

## Reverse-Path Forwarding

IP multicasting uses reverse path forwarding (RPF) to verify that a router receives a multicast packet on the correct incoming interface. The RPF algorithm enables a router to accept a multicast datagram only on the interface from which the router sends a unicast datagram to the source of the multicast datagram.

When the router receives a multicast datagram from a source for a group, the router verifies that the packet was received on the correct RPF interface. If the packet was not received on the correct interface, the router discards the packet. Only packets received on the correct RPF interface are considered for forwarding to downstream receivers.

When operating in sparse-mode, the routers perform an RPF lookup to identify the upstream router from which to request the data and then send join messages for the multicast stream only to that router.

When operating in dense-mode, routers that have multiple paths to the source of the multicast stream initially receive the same stream on more than one interface. In this case, the routers perform an RPF lookup to identify multicast data streams that are not arriving on the best path and send prune messages to terminate these flows.

The RPF lookup need not always be towards the source of the multicast stream. The lookup is done towards the source only when the router is using a source-rooted tree to receive the multicast stream. If the router uses a shared tree instead, the RPF lookup is toward a rendezvous point and not toward the source of the multicast stream.

## Multicast Packet Forwarding

Multicast packet forwarding is based on the source (S) of the multicast packet and the destination multicast group address (G). For each (S,G) pair, the router accepts multicast packets on an incoming interface (IIF), which satisfies the RPF check (RPF-IIF). The router drops packets received on IIFs other than the RPF-IIF and notifies the routing protocols that a packet was received on the wrong interface.

The router forwards packets received on the RPF-IIF to a list of outgoing interfaces (OIFs). The list of OIFs is determined by the exchange of routing information and local group membership information. The router maintains mappings of (S,G, IIF) to {OIF1, OIF2...} in the multicast routing table.

You can enable two or more multicast protocols on an IIF. However, only one protocol can forward packets on that IIF. The protocol that forwards packets on an IIF *owns* that IIF. A multicast protocol that owns an IIF also owns the (S,G) entry in the multicast routing table.

## Platform Considerations

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For information about modules that support IPv6 multicasting on the ERX-7xx models, ERX-14xx models, and the ERX-310 router:

- See *ERX Module Guide, Table 1, Module Combinations* for detailed module specifications.
- See *ERX Module Guide, Appendix A, Module Protocol Support* for information about the modules that support IPv6 multicasting.

For information about modules that support IPv6 multicasting on the E120 router and the E320 router:

- See *E120 and E320 Module Guide, Table 1, Modules and IOAs* for detailed module specifications.
- See *E120 and E320 Module Guide, Appendix A, IOA Protocol Support* for information about the modules that support IPv6 multicasting.

## References

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For more information about IPv6 multicast, see the following resource:

- A “traceroute” Facility for IP Multicast—draft-ietf-idmr-traceroute-ipm-07.txt (January 2001 expiration)

## Before You Begin

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You can configure multicast on IPv4 and IPv6 interfaces.

For information about configuring IP interfaces, see *JUNOS IP, IPv6, and IGP Configuration Guide, Chapter 1, Configuring IP*. For information about configuring IPv6 interfaces, see *JUNOS IP, IPv6, and IGP Configuration Guide, Chapter 2, Configuring IPv6*.

For information about configuring multicast on IPv4 interfaces, see *Chapter 5, Configuring IPv4 Multicast*.

## Configuring the Switching Fabric Bandwidth

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By default, the switch fabric for the ERX-1440, ERX-310, E120, and E320 routers uses a bandwidth weighting ratio of 15:2 for multicast-to-unicast weighted round robin (WRR). In the absence of strict-priority traffic, and when both unicast and multicast traffic compete for switch fabric bandwidth, the switch fabric allocates 15/17ths of the available bandwidth to multicast traffic and 2/17ths of the available bandwidth to unicast traffic.

You can use the **fabric weights** command to change the ratio for multicast to unicast traffic on the router switch fabric. For more information about the **fabric weights** command, see *JUNOS System Basics Configuration Guide, Chapter 5, Managing the System*.

## Enabling IPv6 Multicast

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In this implementation, IPv6 multicast works on VRs. By default, IPv6 multicast is disabled on a VR. To enable IPv6 multicast on a VR, access the context for a VR, and then issue the **ipv6 multicast-routing** command.

### **ipv6 multicast-routing**

- Use to enable IPv6 multicast routing on the VR.
- By default, IPv6 multicast is disabled on the VR. In the disabled state, all multicast protocols are disabled, and the VR forwards no multicast packets.
- Example  

```
host1(config)#ipv6 multicast-routing
```
- Use the **no** version to disable IPv6 multicast routing on the VR (the default).

## Defining Static Routes for Reverse-Path Forwarding

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Use the **ipv6 rpf-route** command to define reverse-path forwarding (RPF) to verify that a router receives a multicast packet on the correct incoming interface.

### **ipv6 rpf-route**

- Use to customize static routes that the router may use for RPF.
- Specify the IPv6 address and subnet mask of the destination network.
- Specify either a next-hop IPv6 address or an interface type and specifier, such as atm 3/0. For details about interface types and specifiers, see *JUNOS Command Reference Guide, About This Guide*.
- Optionally, specify the distance (number of hops) to the next-hop address.
- Example  

```
host1(config)#ipv6 rpf-route 1000::/64 ATM2/1.200
```
- Use the **no** version to remove the static route.

## Displaying Available Routes for Reverse-Path Forwarding

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Use the **show ipv6 rpf-route** command to display all available routes, only the routes to a particular destination, or routes associated with a specific unicast protocol that the router can use for Reverse-Path Forwarding (RPF).

### **show ipv6 rpf-route**

- Use to display routes that the router can use for RPF.
- Specify the IPv6 address and the network mask to view routes to a particular destination.
- Specify the **detail** keyword to view more detailed information about routes to a particular destination.
- Specify a unicast routing protocol to view routes associated with that protocol.

- Field descriptions
  - Protocol/Route type codes—Protocol and route type codes for the table that follows
  - Prefix—Value of the logical AND of the IPv6 address of the destination network and the subnet address
  - Length—Length of the subnet mask in bits
  - Type
    - Connect—Subnet directly connected to the interface
    - Static—Static route
  - Dst—Distance configured for this route
  - Met—Learned or configured cost associated with this route
  - Intf—Type of interface and interface specifier for the next hop. For details about interface types and specifiers, see *JUNOS Command Reference Guide, About This Guide*.

■ Example 1

```
host1#show ipv6 rpf-route
```

```
Protocol/Route type codes:
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```
0- OSPF, E1- external type 1, E2- external type2,
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N1- NSSA external type1, N2- NSSA external type2
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L- MPLS label, V- VR/VRF, *- indirect next-hop
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Prefix/Length	Type	Dst/Met	Intf
11:1:1:10::/60	Static	1/0	ATM2/0.300
21:2:2:20::/60	Static	1/0	ATM2/0.300
31:2:2:20::/60	Connect	0/0	ATM2/0.300
131:1:1:10::/60	Connect	0/0	ATM2/1.1300
1000::/64	Static	1/0	ATM2/0.300

■ Example 2

```
host1#show ipv6 rpf-route 1000::/64 detail
```

```
1000::/64 Type:Static Distance:1 Metric:0
```

```
NextHop:31:2:2:23::2:3 IntfIndex 18 Intf ATM2/0.300
```

## Enabling and Disabling RPF Checks

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By default, the router accepts multicast packets for each (S,G) pair on an incoming interface (IIF), which satisfies the RPF check (RPF-IIF). When the router performs RPF checks, only the interface that first accepts traffic for an (S,G) pair accepts subsequent traffic for that pair. If traffic stops coming on that interface and starts arriving on another interface, the router does not accept or forward the traffic.

Some network configurations require the router to accept traffic on any interface. To do so, you can disable the RPF check on a specified set of (S,G) pairs by issuing the **ipv6 multicast-routing disable-rpf-check** command.

When you disable RPF checks, the router accepts multicast packets for (S,G) pairs on any incoming interface. When the router has added the new route to its multicast routing table, it accepts multicast packets for these pairs on any interface in the virtual router and forwards them accordingly. Multicast routes established before you issue this command are not affected.

### **ipv6 multicast-routing disable-rpf-check**

- Use to disable RPF checks for specified (S,G) pairs.
- Specify a standard IPv6 access list that defines the (S,G) pairs.
- Example  

```
host1(config)#ipv6 multicast-routing disable-rpf-check denver-list
```
- Use the **no** version to restore the default situation, in which the router performs RPF checks for all (S,G) pairs.

## Using Unicast Routes for RPF

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You can use the **ip route-type** command to specify that BGP routes should be available for RPF. Routes available for RPF appear in the multicast view of the routing table.



**NOTE:** This command functions the same for both IPv4 and IPv6 multicast.

### **ipv6 route-type**

- Use to specify that BGP routes are available only for unicast forwarding, only for multicast RPF checks, or for both.
- Use the **show ipv6 rpf-routes** command to view the routes available for RPF.
- By default, BGP routes are available both for unicast forwarding and multicast reverse-path forwarding checks.
- Example  

```
host1(config)#router bgp
host1(config-router)#ipv6 route-type multicast
```
- There is no **no** version.

## Defining Permanent IPv6 Multicast Forwarding Entries

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An mroute is a multicast traffic flow (a (Source, Group) entry used for forwarding multicast traffic). By default, forwarding mroutes (with a valid RPF incoming interface) are timed out if data for them is not received for 210 seconds. However, you can specify an mroute as permanent by using the **ipv6 multicast-routing permanent-mroute** command.

### *ipv6 multicast-routing permanent-mroute*

- Use to specify that any newly created mroutes that match the specified access-list do not time out.
- Using this command does not change existing mroutes.
- Permanent mroutes are removed if a topology change occurs that affects the mroute.
- Permanent mroutes may be removed due to certain protocol actions (for example, PIM sparse mode switching from shared to shortest path tree).
- Outgoing interface lists of permanent mroutes may change due to protocol actions.
- Example  

```
host1(config)#ipv6 multicast-routing permanent-mroute routesv61
```
- Use the **no** version to prevent any new mroutes from becoming permanent. To remove existing permanent mroutes, use the **clear ipv6 mroute** command.

## Defining a Multicast Bandwidth Map

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Multicast interface-level admission control, port-level admission control, and QoS adjustment all use a single multicast bandwidth map. The multicast bandwidth map is a route map that uses the **set admission-bandwidth**, **set qos-bandwidth**, **set admission-bandwidth adaptive**, or **set qos-bandwidth adaptive** commands. The **adaptive** commands configure an auto-sense mechanism for measuring the multicast bandwidth.



**NOTE:** Even though you can include any of the above commands several times in a route map entry, only the last admission-bandwidth command or qos-bandwidth command in the bandwidth map is used. In other words, if you included the **set qos-bandwidth** command first and then the **set qos-bandwidth adaptive** command, the bandwidth map would use the **set qos-bandwidth adaptive** command.

Interface- and port-level admission control is performed when an OIF on the interface or port is added to the mroute for a given (S,G) multicast data stream and the multicast bandwidth map contains a **set admission-bandwidth** or **set admission-bandwidth adaptive** action for that (S,G).



QoS adjustment is performed on the joining interface when an OIF is added to the mroute for a given (S,G) data stream and the multicast bandwidth map contains a **set qos-bandwidth** or **set qos-bandwidth adaptive** action for that (S,G).



**NOTE:** You can create a single route map with the **set admission-bandwidth** command, the **set qos-bandwidth** command, or both. However, creating an entry with only one of these **set** commands enables only that specific function for the matched address (that is, only multicast traffic admission control or only QoS adjustment). The same is true for the **adaptive** commands.

### Using the Auto-Sense Mechanism

Video bandwidth is typically considered to be a constant rate—2 Mbps for standard definition television (SDTV) and 10 Mbps for high definition television (HDTV). However, in reality, and depending on achievable video compression, the bit rate can vary. For example, HDTV streams (using MPEG4 or WM9 encoding) can vary between 6 Mbps (for low-action programs) to 10 Mbps (for a fast-paced, high-action programs). The auto-sense mechanism allows the bandwidth value, used for admission control and QoS adjustment, to be the actual measured rate of the stream. Using this feature to measure the actual bandwidth avoids the need to configure arbitrary bandwidth limits and enables a channel to be reassigned to a different (S, G) without requiring a bandwidth map to be changed.

### How Adaptive Mode Works

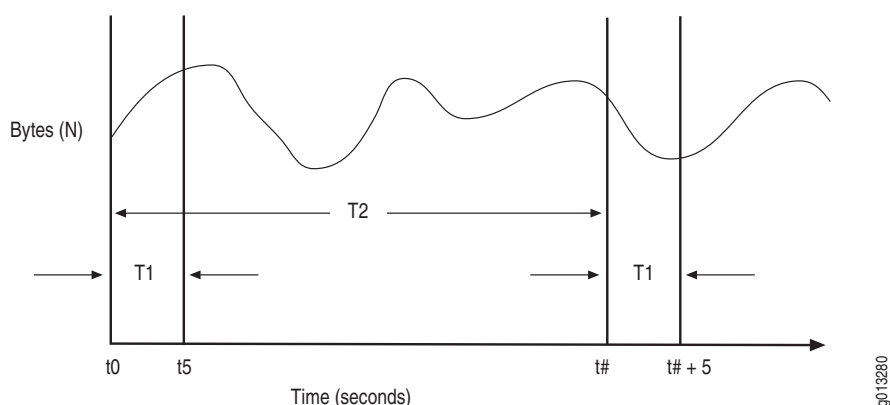
As mentioned above, you configure the auto-sense mechanism in the multicast bandwidth using the **set admission-bandwidth adaptive** command, **set qos-bandwidth adaptive** command, or both. For example:

```
host1(config)#route-map mcast-bandwidths permit 10
host1(config-route-map)#match ip address sdtv
host1(config-route-map)#set admission-bandwidth adaptive
host1(config-route-map)#set qos-bandwidth adaptive
host1(config-route-map)#end
```

In this example, any stream with an (S,G) that matches the sdtv access list performs adaptive bandwidth detection for admission control and QoS adjustment.

A rate measurement mechanism runs on the ingress line card that polls the forwarding controller (FC) to obtain statistics for each mroute. This mechanism then reports the rate measurement to the SRP to update the bandwidth map. By computing the average bandwidth over a relatively short sampling period (T1; 5 seconds), the measurement approximates the peak bandwidth of the multicast stream.

As an example, assume that a new mroute (S1, G1) is added to the interface controller (IC) at time t0.



To calculate the measured bandwidth of a stream, the router uses the following equation:

$$R = (N_{t+5} - N_t) / 5$$

Where

$R$  = Calculated bandwidth of the stream during each sampling interval

$N_t$  = Bytes measured at each determined time interval ( $t$  seconds)

$N_{t+5}$  = Bytes measured 5 seconds after each determined time interval ( $t$  seconds)



**NOTE:** When the mroute is first installed in the FC (at  $t = 0$ ),  $R_0$  is undetermined. For multicast admission control no joins are admitted until the first bandwidth measurement is computed (that is, for admission control,  $R_0$  is considered to be infinite). Similarly, no Qos adjustment occurs until the first bandwidth measurement is computed (that is, for Qos adjustment,  $R_0$  is considered to be zero [0]).

Using the earlier graph as a reference, the first bandwidth rate ( $R_1$ ) is determined by calculating the number of bytes received during the first sampling period,  $T_1$ . Mroute statistics are read at time  $t_0$  ( $N_0$ ) and at time  $t_5$  ( $N_5$ ) and the bytes received values are subtracted and divided by the time period  $T_1$  to yield the average rate. This process is repeated every sampling interval,  $T_2$ , to yield rates  $R_1$ ,  $R_2$ ,  $R_3$ , and so on.

The first two sampling interval calculations would look like the following:

$$R_1 = (N_5 - N_0) / 5$$

$$R_2 = (N_{\# + 5} - N_{\#}) / 5$$

The router maintains a history of bandwidth measurements ( $H$ ) for each mroute, up to a maximum of  $M$  measurements. The actual rate,  $R$ , reported to the SRP is the maximum rate measured in those  $H$  samples.

In order to minimize the IC to SRP traffic generated by the rate measurements, the IC reports a bandwidth change only when a newly computed rate ( $R_n$ ) differs from the current rate by a specified threshold. When  $R_n$  is computed at time  $t = 5$  seconds,  $R$  is set to  $R_1$ . A rate update occurs whenever a newly calculated rate ( $R$ ) differs from  $R_1$  by at least a threshold value (specified as a percentage,  $P$ ) of the measured peak bandwidth. This calculation would look like the following:

$$R = R_t, \text{ if and only if the absolute value of } (R - R_t) > P * R.$$

The values assigned to variables associated with this algorithm are as shown in Table 10.

**Table 10: Adaptive Mode Algorithm Values**

Variable	Value	Units	Description
T1	5	Seconds	Sampling period; the time in which a sample is taken
T2	0	Seconds	Sampling interval; zero (0) seconds indicates continuous sampling
H	12	Samples	Number of history samples over which to compute measurement
M	12	Samples	Maximum number of samples maintained in history
P	1	Percent	Threshold value; percent difference by which a newly calculated rate must differ from the measured peak bandwidth before a rate update occurs

### Multicast Bandwidth Map Example

The following example creates a multicast bandwidth map for both multicast traffic admission control and QoS adjustment:



**NOTE:** In this example, you can replace the **set admission-bandwidth** command and **set qos-bandwidth** command with their **adaptive** command counterparts.

1. Define a route-map using the **set admission-bandwidth** and **set qos-bandwidth** commands.

```
host1(config)#route-map mcast-bandwidths permit 10
host1(config-route-map)#match ipv6 address sdtv
host1(config-route-map)#set admission-bandwidth 2000000
host1(config-route-map)#set qos-bandwidth 2000000
host1(config-route-map)#route-map mcast-bandwidths permit 20
host1(config-route-map)#match ipv6 address hdtv
host1(config-route-map)#set admission-bandwidth 10000000
host1(config-route-map)#set qos-bandwidth 10000000
host1(config-route-map)#end
```

2. Define the access list for use by the **match ipv6 address** command to match (S,G) and (\*,G) entries.

```
host1(config)#access-list sdtv permit ip host 31::1 ff3e::0/112
host1(config)#access-list hdtv permit ip host 32::1 ff3e::0/112
host1(config)#access-list hdtv permit ip host 32::2 ff3e::0/112
host1(config-route-map)#end
```



**NOTE:** You can also define a prefix-list or a prefix-tree for use by the **match ipv6 address** command to match (S,G) and (\*,G) entries.

For additional information about configuring QoS adjustment, see *Configuring Multicast QoS Adjustment* on page 168.

For additional information about configuring interface- and port-level admission control, see *Blocking and Limiting Multicast Traffic* on page 179.

For additional information about creating route maps, see *JUNOS IP Services Configuration Guide, Chapter 1, Configuring Routing Policy*.

## Configuring Multicast QoS Adjustment

When the router uses multicast OIF mapping, any multicast streams that a subscriber receives bypass any configured QoS treatment for that subscriber interface. The Multicast QoS adjust feature provides a way in which the router can account for this multicast traffic.



**NOTE:** For additional information about how to configure OIF mapping, see *Configuring Group Outgoing Interface Mapping* on page 73.

The following sections provide two possible configuration cases for using multicast QoS adjustment.

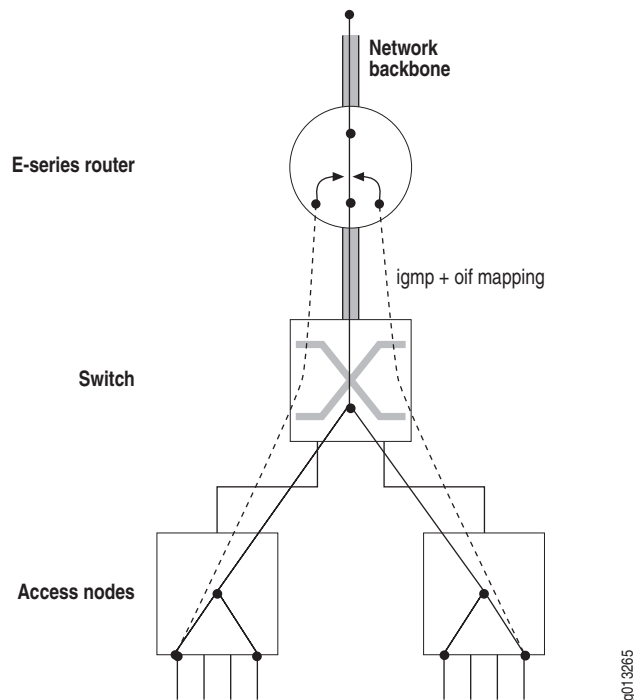


**NOTE:** For additional information about QoS adjustment, see *JUNOS Quality of Service Configuration Guide, Chapter 24, Configuring a QoS Parameter*.

### Multicast OIF Mapping Case

Multicast OIF mapping enables the router to decrease the inefficiencies associated with replicating streams of multicast traffic. Using OIF maps, MLD joins that the router receives on a subscriber interface can be mapped to a special interface for forwarding. This special interface can be on a different physical port or line module from that of the join interface.

Using this mapping function, the router can send a single copy of each multicast stream over the special interface and the access nodes are configured to perform any final replication to the subscribers and merge unicast and multicast data flows onto the subscriber interfaces as necessary. See Figure 13.

**Figure 13: Multicast OIF Mapping**

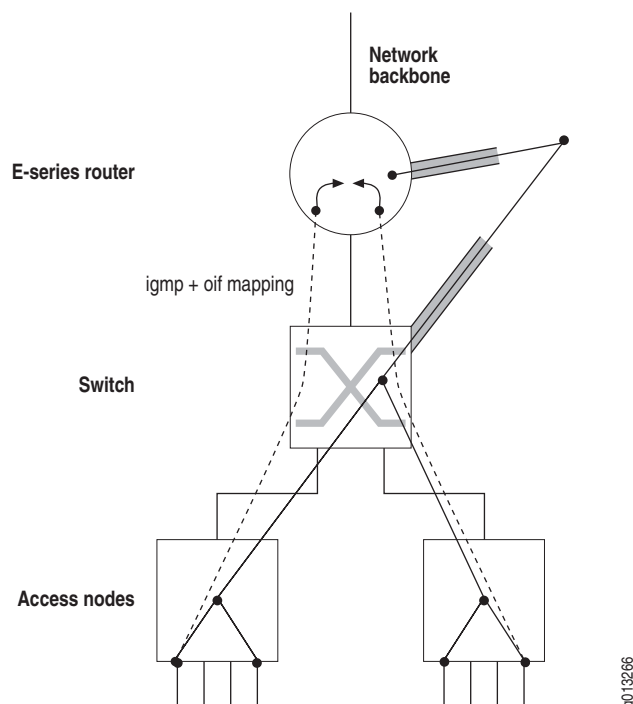
One disadvantage to using multicast OIF mapping is that the multicast traffic bypasses any QoS treatment that is applied to subscriber interfaces. Configuring QoS adjustment resolves this problem. (See *JUNOS Quality of Service Configuration Guide, Chapter 24, Configuring a QoS Parameter* for additional information about configuring QoS adjustment.) With QoS adjustment configured, when a subscriber requests to receive a multicast stream (or, more appropriately, when an OIF is added to the mroute), the router reduces the unicast QoS bandwidth applied to the subscriber interface (that is, the join interface) by the amount of bandwidth for that multicast stream.

### **Multicast Traffic Receipt Without Forwarding**

In this case, the router is not given the responsibility of forwarding multicast streams. Instead, the service provider arranges for the router to receive the multicast streams so the router can detect the flow and perform QoS adjustment. An OIF map is installed that maps the traffic streams to a loopback interface configured for MLD version passive. This means that when the traffic is received, a null mroute is installed (that is, an mroute with an empty OIF list) and the router applies the QoS adjustment to the join interface. See Figure 14.



**NOTE:** Ensure that PIM-SM (or any other upstream multicast protocol) is informed of the group (or source-group) interest.

**Figure 14: Multicast Traffic Receipt Without Forwarding**

## Activating Multicast QoS Adjustment Functions

The **ipv6 multicast-routing bandwidth-map** command activates the specified bandwidth map. By activating the bandwidth map, this command also activates the multicast QoS adjustment function contained in the bandwidth map.



**CAUTION:** To activate multicast QoS adjustment, you must first create a bandwidth map. See *Defining a Multicast Bandwidth Map* on page 164 for details.

### **ipv6 multicast-routing bandwidth-map**

- Use to enable the QoS adjust function on the router.
- Example  

```
host1(config)#ipv6 multicast-routing bandwidth-map mcast-bandwidths
```
- Use the **no** version to disable the multicast QoS adjustment function on the router.

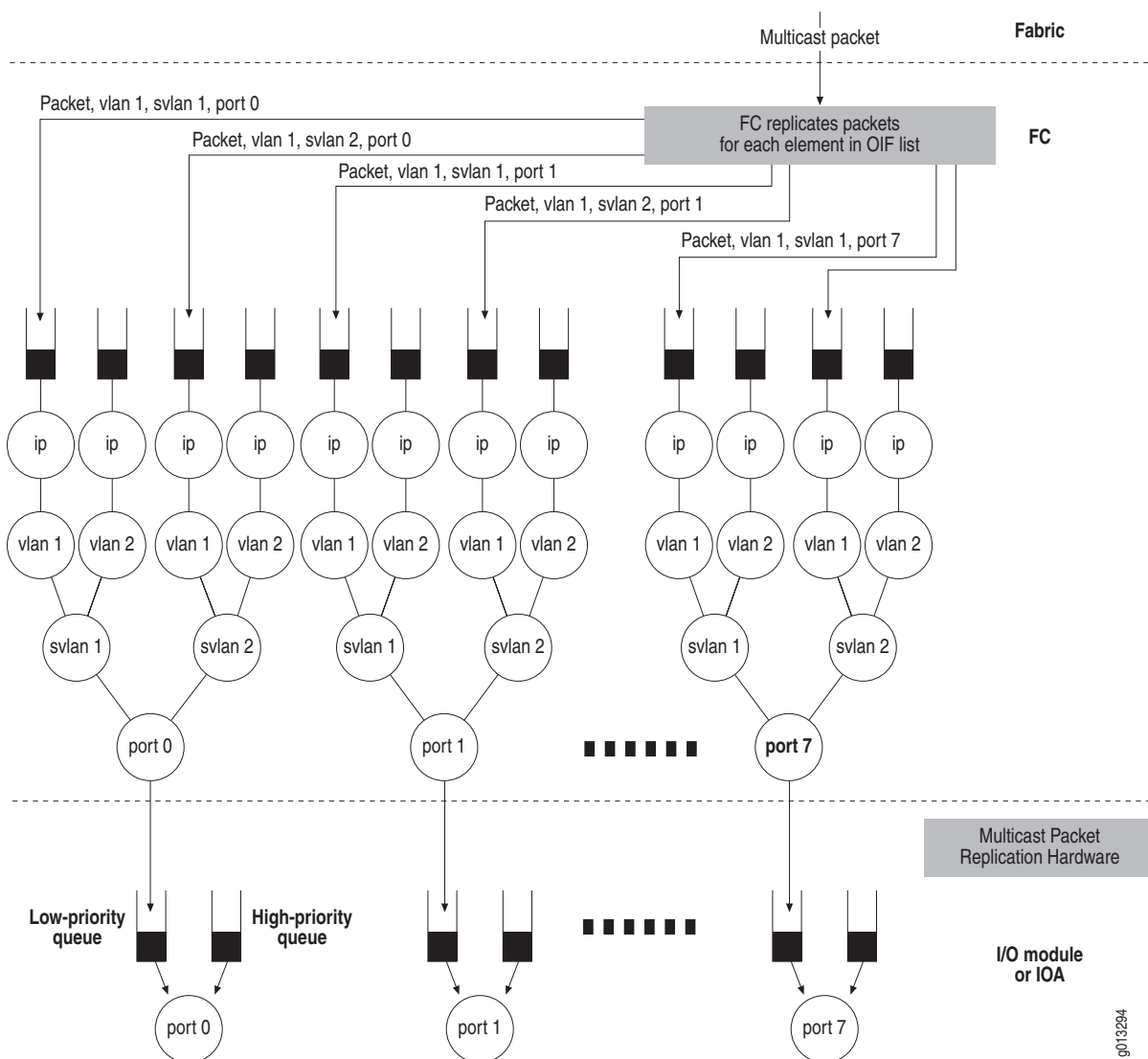
## Configuring Hardware Multicast Packet Replication

You can configure IPv6 multicast to replicate packets to optimized hardware on a logical port instead of using the forwarding controller (FC) on the router.

The bandwidth between the line module and the I/O module or IOA on the E-series router is limited. A high-density Ethernet module provides eight physical ports that can consume the bandwidth between the line module and the I/O module or IOA before providing enough traffic to support egress line rate for all of these ports.

Figure 15 displays how multicast traffic is typically replicated on the line module. Each of these replicated packets is transmitted from the line module to the I/O module or IOA.

**Figure 15: Packet Flow Without Hardware Multicast Packet Replication**



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The hardware multicast packet replication feature enables you to configure multicast traffic for a VLAN or S-VLAN to be replicated on the I/O module or IOA so that only one copy of the packet is transmitted from the line module to the I/O module or IOA. Replication for each of the ports is performed on the I/O module or IOA.

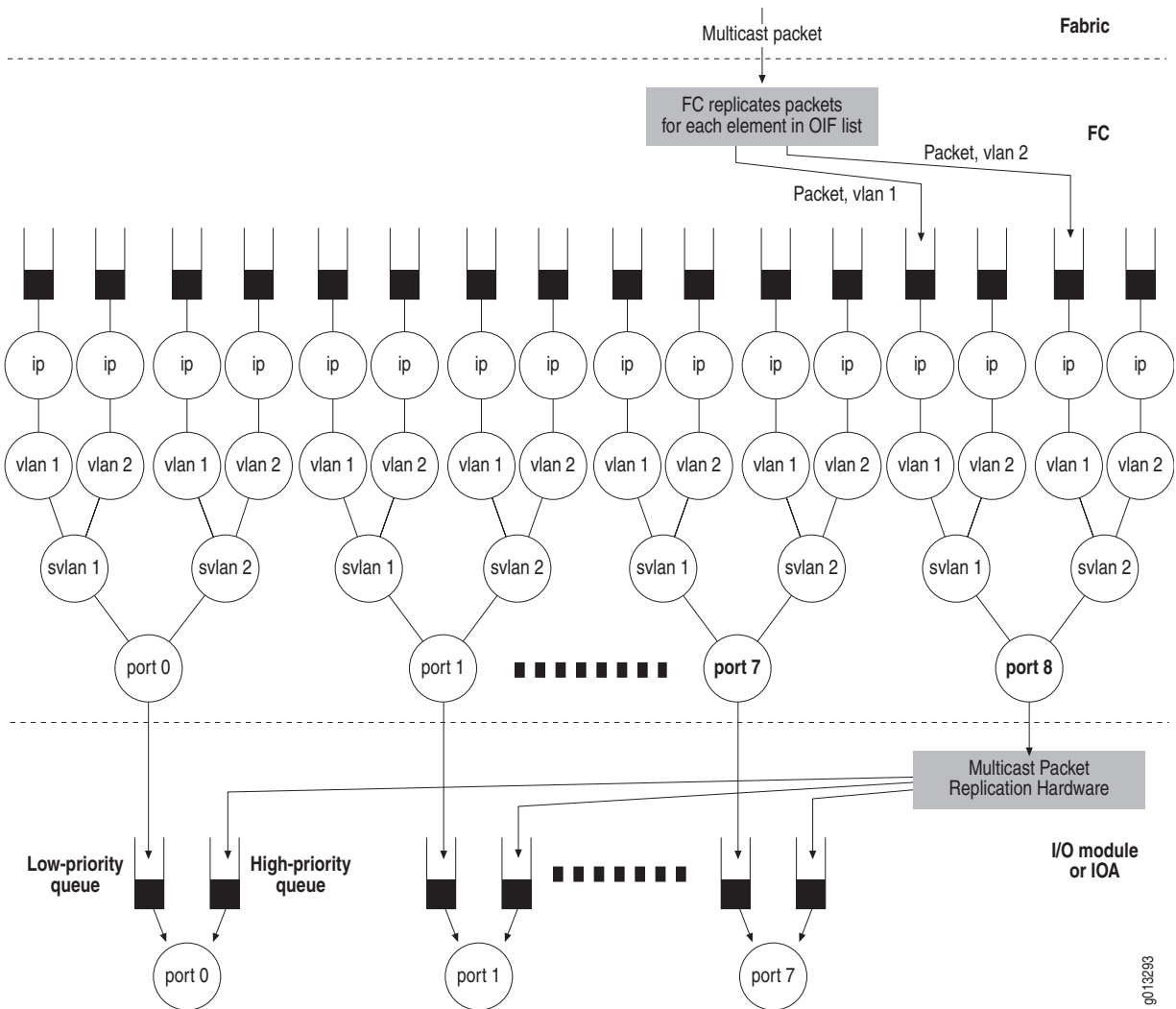
Configuring hardware multicast packet replication for high-density Ethernet is useful when you want to provide the same multicast stream out of some or all of the ports, such as for IP television (IPTV). Configuring hardware multicast packet replication enables you to:

- Reduce the number of packets sent from the FC to the module.
- Reduce the CPU consumed by the FC processing each elaboration of the packet.

You can use the feature to increase the bandwidth of multicast traffic out of each of the Gigabit Ethernet ports.

Figure 16 on page 173 displays the flow of a multicast packet using the hardware multicast packet feature.



**Figure 16: Packet Flow with Optimized Multicast Packet Replication**

Each high-density Ethernet module has eight physical ports, numbered 0–7. A logical port is available for the hardware multicast packet replication feature, numbered port 8.

JUNOS tracks the OIFs in an mroute that have been redirected to use the hardware multicast packet replication hardware. The system accepts only egress multicast traffic to traverse the interface stack on the enabled port. The system drops unicast traffic that is routed to this port.

Each port on the I/O module or IOA displayed in Figure 16 has two queues. These queues are further down the egress path than the queues found on the line module and populated by the FC.

The low-priority queue is dedicated to packets that are received from the line module queues that are dedicated to the physical ports. This queue blocks when full and provides backpressure to the line module. This queue services unicast and multicast traffic that is not using the hardware multicast packet replication feature.

The high-priority queue is dedicated to packets that are received from the line module queue for port 8. This queue is serviced at a higher priority than the first queue, and drops packets when full.

For more information about high-density Ethernet, see *JUNOS Physical Layer Configuration Guide, Chapter 5, Configuring Ethernet Interfaces*.

## Supported Modules and Encapsulations

You can enable optimized multicast packet replication on port 8 of the following high-density Ethernet modules:

- GE-8 I/O module (pairs with the GE-HDE line module)
- ES2-S1 GE-8 IOA (pairs with the ES2 4G LM and the ES2 10G LM)

When enabled, the optimized multicast packet replication feature defines the encapsulation of the egress multicast packet. The following encapsulations are supported:

- IPv6 over Gigabit Ethernet
- IPv6 over VLAN
- IPv6 over S-VLAN



**NOTE:** 802.3ad link aggregation group (LAG) bundles do not support optimized multicast packet replication.

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The optimized multicast packet replication feature also provides an interface over which you can configure the following:

- IP MTU
- Ethernet MTU
- Egress IP policy
- Egress VLAN policy
- QoS

### **Relationship with OIF Mapping**

Multicast OIF mapping enables the router to decrease the inefficiencies associated with replicating streams of multicast traffic. Using OIF maps, MLD joins that the router receives on a subscriber interface can be mapped to a special interface for forwarding.

The hardware multicast packet replication feature enables you to redirect each of the IPv6 interfaces on a line module over a dedicated multicast VLAN to a single IPv6 interface over port 8. The FC is only required to send a single packet per dedicated multicast VLAN to the I/O module or IOA. The module then replicates this packet to the appropriate ports.

For more information about configuring OIF mapping, see *Configuring Group Outgoing Interface Mapping* in *Chapter 11, Configuring Multicast Listener Discovery*.

### **Hardware Multicast Packet Replication Considerations**

When configuring hardware multicast packet replication, the following considerations apply.

- Do not configure or transmit routing protocols over port 8. The FC drops traffic routed to an IPv6 interface stacked over port 8.
- We recommend that you configure the IP address of the IPv6 interface over port 8 to be unnumbered.
- We recommend that you configure an IPv6 interface over a VLAN over one of the physical ports to reference the IPv6 interface over the same VLAN over port 8.

You cannot create the following configurations:

- When two IPv6 interfaces configured over a port reference the same IPv6 interface over port 8. The system does not accept this configuration attempt because you typically configure the hardware multicast packet replication feature to redirect multicast traffic over one VLAN, then redirect it to the same VLAN on port 8.
- When the IPv6 interface configured with the hardware multicast packet replication attribute is not installed on a line module that supports hardware multicast packet replication.
- When the IPv6 interface designated by the hardware multicast packet replication attribute is not installed on a line module that supports hardware multicast packet replication.
- When the IPv6 interface designated by the hardware multicast packet replication attribute is not on the same line module as the IPv6 interface configured with this attribute.

- When you configure a unique source MAC address for VLANs on port 8, the hardware multicast packet replication hardware stamps the source MAC address on the VLAN, overwriting any MAC address that you configured. For more information, see *JUNOS Physical Layer Configuration Guide, Chapter 5, Configuring Ethernet Interfaces*.
- The regular multicast implementation utilizes interface stacking that provides a unique IPv6 attachment point for each elaboration of the egress multicast packet.

For the hardware multicast packet replication feature, you must attach policies to an interface stack over port 8 that defines the encapsulation of the egress multicast traffic. The system supports policies over port 8 just as it is above any of the other ports on this line module.

Policies applied to the interface stack over port 8 affect the packets traversing this stack whether or not the packet is destined for one port or all of the physical ports. Therefore, you cannot apply different egress policies to multicast traffic for the interfaces stacked above different ports, or rate limit on an individual interface over a port. You also cannot monitor policy statistics on individual interfaces over a port.

Instead, you can apply egress policy to an interface stacked over port 8. The system applies the policy before the packet has been elaborated for each of the ports.

- The JUNOS QoS component provides hierarchical egress scheduling and shaping on Gigabit Ethernet ports 0–7. The regular multicast implementation replicates packets on the FC, with each replicated packet placed on a line module queue destined for a single physical port. The line module queue can also receive QoS behavior specific to that queue.

For the hardware multicast packet replication feature, the FC does not replicate the packet for each of the individual ports. Instead, it places the packet on a special queue destined for port 8.

You can configure QoS on the packets flowing through port 8, but this has limited value because each packet passed through this port can be transmitted through one of more of the physical ports. Therefore, the packets placed on this special queue might not receive the same QoS behavior as ports 0–7.

We recommend that you configure the network so the I/O or IOA queues are not oversubscribed. The traffic transmitted by the physical port is a combination of packets from the two I/O or IOA queues. When the sum of the packets in these queues is greater than line rate, the system can drop traffic that is not using hardware multicast packet replication.

When you configure a traffic shaper on a physical port and configure hardware multicast packet replication, the packets created using the feature avoid the traffic shaper for that port. To control this, you can use traffic shaper on the physical port and port 8. The sum of the traffic shapers must be less than or equal to the line rate of the port.

A traffic shaper on port 8 can result in the overall utilization of egress bandwidth for any one port being less the line rate because the packets being replicated might not be transmitted to every port. Packets destined to some of the ports contribute to the traffic shaping for all of the ports on the I/O module or IOA.

## Configuring Hardware Multicast Packet Replication

To configure hardware multicast packet replication:

1. Configure port 8 on a high-density Ethernet module to accept redirected egress multicast traffic.
  - a. Specify the Gigabit Ethernet interface on port 8.
  - b. Create a VLAN major interface.
  - c. Create a VLAN subinterface.
  - d. Assign a VLAN ID.
  - e. Configure an unnumbered IPv6 interface.
  - f. Enable MLD on the interface with only multicast-data-forwarding capability.

```
host1(config)#interface gigabitEthernet 2/8
host1(config-if)#encapsulation vlan
host1(config-if)#interface gigabitEthernet 2/8.1
host1(config-if)#vlan id 1
host1(config-if)#ipv6 unnumbered loopback 0
host1(config-if)#ipv6 mld version passive
```

2. Configure an IPv6 interface to redirect egress multicast traffic to port 8.
  - a. Create a VLAN subinterface.
  - b. Assign a VLAN ID.
  - c. Assign an IPv6 address.
  - d. Configure the interface to redirect egress multicast traffic to port 8.

```
host1(config)#interface gigabitEthernet 2/0.101
host1(config-if)#vlan id 1
host1(config-if)#ipv6 address 1::1/64
host1(config-if)#ipv6 multicast ioa-packet-replication gigabitEthernet 2/8.1
```

### **encapsulation vlan**

- Use to configure VLAN as the encapsulation method for the interface.
- Example
 

```
host1(config-if)#encapsulation vlan
```
- Use the **no** version to disable VLAN on an interface.

**ipv6 mld version**

- Use to set the MLD version (1 or 2) for the interface.
- Example  
host1:boston(config-if)#**ipv6 mld version 2**
- Use the **no** version to set the version to the default, MLDv2.

**ipv6 multicast ioa-packet-replication**

- Use to configure hardware multicast packet replication on port 8 of a high-density Ethernet module.
- Example  
host1(config-if)#**ipv6 multicast ioa-packet-replication gigabitEthernet 3/8.1**
- Use the **no** version to disable hardware multicast packet replication.

**ipv6 unnumbered**

- Use to configure an unnumbered IPv6 interface.
- This command enables IPv6 processing on an interface without assigning an explicit IPv6 address to the interface.
- You must specify an interface location, which is the identifier of another interface on which the router has an assigned IPv6 address. This interface cannot be another unnumbered interface.
- Example  
host1(config-if)#**ipv6 unnumbered loopback 10**
- Use the **no** version to disable IPv6 processing on the interface.

**Monitoring Optimized Multicast Packet Replication**

This section describes how to monitor hardware multicast packet replication.

**Port Statistics**

Use the **show interfaces gigabitEthernet** command to display port statistics for port 8. For port 8, queue statistics have no direct relationship to any of the 8 ports because each packet transmitting through the queue can be sent through 1 or more of the 8 physical ports. For more information, see *Monitoring Ethernet Interfaces* in *JUNOS Physical Layer Configuration Guide, Chapter 5, Configuring Ethernet Interfaces*.

**IP and VLAN Statistics**

Use the **show vlan subinterface** command to display statistics for a VLAN interface configured over port 8. For more information, see *Monitoring Ethernet Interfaces* in *JUNOS Physical Layer Configuration Guide, Chapter 5, Configuring Ethernet Interfaces*.

Use the **show ipv6 interface** command to display statistics for an IPv6 interface configured over port 8. For more information, see *Monitoring IPv6* in *JUNOS IP, IPv6, and IGP Configuration Guide, Chapter 2, Configuring IPv6*.

Multicast traffic redirected by the hardware multicast packet replication feature is displayed in the statistics for the IPv6 or VLAN interface over port 8, not the original IP or VLAN interface over the physical port.

The statistics for the IPv6 or VLAN interface over port 8 reflect the number of packets that passed through this interface destined for the hardware multicast packet replication hardware. These statistics have no direct correlation to the number of packets being transmitted from any of the physical ports.

### MLD Statistics

Use the **show ipv6 mld interface** command to display statistics, including hardware multicast packet replication status, for an IPv6 interface stacked over port 8. For more information, see *Monitoring MLD* in *Chapter 11, Configuring Multicast Listener Discovery*.

## Blocking and Limiting Multicast Traffic

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You can either block mroute creation, limit the multicast bandwidth admitted on an outgoing interface, or limit outgoing interface creation on a port.

### Blocking Mroutes

By default, when an interface receives multicast traffic, even when the scope of that traffic exceeds link-local, the virtual router creates an mroute. You can use the **ipv6 block-multicast-sources** command to block all multicast traffic with a scope larger than link-local (for example, global) and prevent mroute creation under these conditions.



**NOTE:** Issuing this command does not affect reception of link-local multicast packets.

#### **ipv6 block-multicast-sources**

- Use to prevent mroute creation by blocking multicast traffic that has a scope larger than link-local (for example, global).
- Example  

```
host1(config)#ipv6 block-multicast-sources
```
- Use the **no** version to restore the default behavior of creating mroutes on receiving multicast packets.

## Limiting Interface Admission Bandwidth

Interface-level multicast admission control is performed when an OIF on the interface is added to the mroute for a given (S,G) multicast data stream and the multicast bandwidth map contains a **set admission-bandwidth** action for that (S,G).

When enabled, the admission-bandwidth for a particular (S,G) is read from the multicast bandwidth map and recorded in the mroute when the (S,G) mroute is created. When an IOF is subsequently added to the mroute, the OIF is blocked from forwarding data if the additional bandwidth contributed by the (S,G) would exceed the admission-bandwidth limit for the interface.



**CAUTION:** Before you can limit interface-level admission bandwidth, you must first create a bandwidth map. See *Defining a Multicast Bandwidth Map* on page 164 for details.

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## Enabling Interface Admission Bandwidth Limitation

You can use the **ipv6 multicast admission-bandwidth-limit** command to enable multicast admission control on interfaces (including dynamic IP interfaces) that are configured to run MLD. You can also use this command on a PIM (sparse-mode, dense-mode, or sparse-dense-mode) interface if MLD is configured on the interface (including the **ipv6 mld version passive** command).

### **ipv6 multicast admission-bandwidth-limit**

- Use to limit bandwidth for an interface that accepts MLD groups.
- Use on any interface configured to run MLD.
- Can also configure on a PIM (sparse-mode, dense-mode, or sparse-dense-mode) interface if MLD (which you can configure using the **ipv6 mld version passive** command) is also configured on the interface.
- Example
 

```
host1:boston(config-if)#ipv6 multicast admission-bandwidth-limit 2000000
```
- Use the **no** version to remove the bandwidth limitation for the interface.



## OIF Interface Reevaluation Example

If you change the admission bandwidth for an interface, all mroutes with that interface as an OIF are reevaluated as follows:

- If the bandwidth limit is increased, blocked OIFs may become unblocked. If the interface is a blocked OIF on multiple mroutes, the order in which the mroutes are visited, and which (S,G) streams become unblocked, is not specified.
- If the bandwidth limit is decreased, no currently admitted OIFs are blocked. However, no new OIFs are admitted until the total admitted bandwidth for the interface drops below the new limit.
- If the bandwidth is increased to the point that the bandwidth limit for an interface is now exceeded, no currently admitted OIFs for the affected mroutes are blocked. However, no new OIFs are admitted until the total admitted bandwidth drops below the configured limit.



**NOTE:** If the multicast bandwidth map that includes the **set admission-bandwidth command** is changed, all affected mroutes are reevaluated in the same manner described previously.

As an example of this function, if the interface has accepted a total bandwidth of 2000000 bps, and you set a limit of 1000000 bps on the interface, the router does not disconnect any already connected OIFs but prevents the interfaces from accepting any more groups. Over time, some groups leave the interfaces and, eventually, the interface limit of 1000000 bps is reached and maintained by the router.

If you set limits for both a port and interfaces on that port, the router uses the lower of the two limits when determining whether or not an interface can accept any new MLD groups. For example, if you specify an admission bandwidth limit of 2000000 bps for the port and 3000000 bps groups for each interface, additional groups can only be accepted until the port limit of 2000000 bps is reached.

## Creating Mroute Port Limits

When a multicast forwarding entry (that is, an mroute) is added with an outgoing interface (OIF) on a port, the OIF count for that port is incremented. If you configure a port limit and the OIF count on the port count exceeds that limit, no OIFs on that port are added to mroutes (that is, new OIFs are blocked).

### *mroute port limit*

- Use to configure a limit on the number of mroute OIFs that can be added across different virtual routers, on a port.
- Example  

```
host1(config)#mroute port 3/0 limit 10
```
- Use the **no** version to remove any OIF port limits.

## Limiting Port Admission Bandwidth

Port-level multicast admission control is performed when an OIF on that port is added to the mroute for a given (S,G) multicast data stream and the multicast bandwidth map contains a **set admission-bandwidth** action for that (S,G).

When enabled, the admission-bandwidth for a particular (S,G) is read from the multicast bandwidth map and recorded in the mroute when the (S,G) mroute is created. When an IOF is subsequently added to the mroute, the OIF is blocked from forwarding data if the additional bandwidth contributed by the (S,G) would exceed the admission-bandwidth limit for the port on which the interface resides.



**CAUTION:** Before you can limit port-level admission bandwidth, you must first create a bandwidth map. See *Defining a Multicast Bandwidth Map* on page 164 for details.

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## Enabling Port Admission Bandwidth Control

You can use the **mroute port admission-bandwidth-limit** command to limit the total multicast bandwidth that can be admitted on a port. The admitted bandwidth is summed across all virtual routers with IPv4 and IPv6 mroutes that have OIFs on the port.



**NOTE:** Admission bandwidth values for a given (S,G) mroute are determined from the bandwidth map. See *Defining a Multicast Bandwidth Map* on page 164 for details.

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### **mroute port admission-bandwidth-limit**

- Use to configure a limit on the admission bandwidth of OIFs containing IPv4 or IPv6 mroutes, across different virtual routers, on a port.
- Example
 

```
host1(config)#mroute port admission-bandwidth-limit 3000000
```
- Use the **no** version to remove any OIF admission bandwidth limits.

## OIF Port Reevaluation Example

If you change the admission bandwidth for a port, all mroutes with an OIF on that port are reevaluated as follows:

- If the bandwidth limit is increased, blocked OIFs can become unblocked. However, the order in which the mroutes are visited, and which (S,G) streams become unblocked, is not specified.
- If the bandwidth limit of a port is decreased, no currently admitted OIFs are blocked. However, no new OIFs are admitted until the total admitted bandwidth for the port drops below the new limit.
- If the bandwidth is increased to the point that the bandwidth limit for an interface is now exceeded, no currently admitted OIFs for the affected mroutes are blocked. However, no new OIFs are admitted until the total admitted bandwidth drops below the configured limit.



**NOTE:** If the multicast bandwidth map that includes the **set admission-bandwidth command** is changed, all affected mroutes are reevaluated in the same manner described previously.

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As an example of this function, if the port has accepted a total bandwidth of 3000000 bps, and you set a limit of 2000000 bps on the port, the router does not disconnect any already connected OIFs but prevents the interfaces from accepting any more groups. Over time, some groups leave the interfaces and, eventually, the port limit of 2000000 bps is reached and maintained by the router.

If you set limits for both a port and interfaces on that port, the router uses the lower of the two limits when determining whether or not an interface can accept any new MLD groups. For example, if you specify an admission bandwidth limit of 2000000 bps for the port and 3000000 bps groups for each interface, additional groups can only be accepted until the port limit of 2000000 bps is reached.

## Deleting Multicast Forwarding Entries

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You can clear one or more forwarding entries from the multicast routing table. However, if you do so, the entries may reappear in the routing table if they are rediscovered.

### ***clear ipv6 mroute***

- Use to delete IPv6 multicast forwarding entries.
- If you specify an **\***, the router clears all IP multicast forwarding entries.
- If you specify the IPv6 address of a multicast group, the router clears all multicast forward entries for that group.
- If you specify the IPv6 address of a multicast group and the IPv6 address of a multicast source, the router clears the multicast entry that matches that group and source.
- Example  

```
host1:boston#clear ipv6 mroute *
```
- There is no **no** version.

## Monitoring IPv6 Multicast Settings

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The commands in this sections display general information about the IPv6 multicast configuration on the router.

### ***show ipv6 mroute***

- Use to display information about all or specified multicast forwarding entries.
- Specify a multicast group IPv6 address or both a multicast group IPv6 address and a multicast source IPv6 address to display information about particular multicast forwarding entries.
- Use the **summary** option to see a summary rather than a detailed description.
- Use the **count** option to display the number of multicast forwarding entries.
- Use the **statistics** option to display statistics for packets received through all multicast forwarding entries that the router has added to the multicast routing table and established on the appropriate line modules.
- Use the **active** option to display the active multicast routes with admission bandwidth greater than the specified bandwidth threshold. The default is 4000 bps.
- Field descriptions
  - (S,G)—IPv6 addresses of the multicast source and the multicast group
  - Admission bandwidth—Admission bandwidth (in bps)
  - QoS bandwidth—QoS bandwidth (in bps)
  - Uptime—Length of time that the (S,G) pair has been active, in *days hours:minutes:seconds* format

- Expires—Length of time for which the (S,G) pair will be active, in *days hours:minutes:seconds* format
- RPF Route—IPv6 address and prefix of the RPF route
- Incoming interface—Type and specifier of the incoming interface for the RPF route
- neighbor address—IPv6 address of the neighbor
- owner—Owner of the route
  - Local—route belonging to the local interface
  - Static—Static route
  - Other protocols—Route established by a protocol
- Incoming interface list—List of incoming interfaces on the router. Details include:
  - Type of interface and its specifier
  - Action that the interface takes with packets: accept or discard
  - Multicast protocol that owns the interface
  - Time that the interface has been active in this multicast forwarding entry, in *days hours:minutes:seconds* format
  - Time that the interface will cease to be active in this multicast forwarding entry, in *days hours:minutes:seconds* format
- Outgoing interface list—List of outgoing interfaces on the router. Details include:
  - Type of interface and its specifier
  - Action that the interface takes with packets: forward
  - Protocol running on the interface: PIM or MLD
  - Time that the interface has been active in this multicast forwarding entry, in *days hours:minutes:seconds* format
  - Time that the interface will cease to be active in this multicast forwarding entry, in *days hours:minutes:seconds* format
- Counts—Numbers of types of source group mappings
  - (S,G)—Number of (S,G) entries
  - (\*,G)—Number of (\*,G) entries
- Example

```
host1#show ipv6 mroute
IP Multicast Routing Table
```

```
(S, G) uptime d h:m:s[, expires d h:m:s]
[Admission bandwidth: bps]
[QoS bandwidth: bps]
RPF route: addr/mask, incoming interface
           neighbor address, owner route-owner
Incoming interface list:
  Interface (addr/mask), State/Owner [(RPF IIF)]
Outgoing interface list:
  Interface (addr/mask), State/Owner, Uptime/Expires
```

```

(10:0:0:1:1::, ff0e::1) uptime 0 01:04:12
  RPF route: 10:0:0:1::/64, incoming interface ATM2/3.1001
    neighbor 10:0:0:1::1, owner Local
  Incoming interface list:
    ATM2/3.1001 (10:0:0:1::1/64), Accept/Pim (RPF IIF)
  Outgoing interface list:
    ATM2/0.200 (21:2:2:21::2:1/60), Forward/Pim, 0 01:04:12/never

(10:0:0:1:2::, ff0e::1) uptime 0 01:04:12
  RPF route: 10:0:0:1::/64, incoming interface ATM2/3.1001
    neighbor 10:0:0:1::1, owner Local
  Incoming interface list:
    ATM2/3.1001 (10:0:0:1::1/64), Accept/Pim (RPF IIF)
  Outgoing interface list:
    ATM2/0.200 (21:2:2:21::2:1/60), Forward/Pim, 0 01:04:12/never

Counts: 2 (S, G) entries
       0 (*, G) entries

```

### ***show ipv6 mroute active***

- Use to display the active multicast routes with admission bandwidth greater than the specified bandwidth threshold.
- The default is 4000 bps.
- Field descriptions
  - See the **show ipv6 mroute** command and the **show ipv6 mroute summary** command for descriptions of all fields.
- Example 1—Displays active multicast routes with bandwidth above 10000 bps

```

host1#show ipv6 mroute active 10000
Active IP Multicast Routes >=10000 bps

(S, G) uptime d h:m:s[, expires d h:m:s]

[Admission bandwidth: bps]

[QoS bandwidth: bps]

RPF route: addr/mask, incoming interface

neighbor address, owner route-owner

Incoming interface list:

Interface (addr/mask), State/Owner [(RPF IIF)]

Outgoing interface list:

Interface (addr/mask), State/Owner, Uptime/Expires

(52::1, ff3e::1) uptime 0 00:01:07

Admission bandwidth: 47000 bps (adaptive)

QoS bandwidth: 47000 bps (adaptive)

RPF route: 52::/112, incoming interface ATM2/1.17

neighbor 17::2, owner NetmgmtRpf

```

```

Incoming interface list:

ATM2/1.17 (fe80::90:1a00:3140:1ff8/128), Accept/MLD (RPF IIF)

Outgoing interface list:

NULL

Counts: 1 (S, G) entries

0 (*, G) entries

```

- Example 2—Displays the summary of active multicast routes

```

host1#show ipv6 mroute summary active
Active IP Multicast Routes >=4000 bps

Group Address Source Address RPF route RPF Iif #Oifs
-----
232.0.0.1 51.0.0.1 51.0.0.0/24 ATM3/1.17 0
232.0.0.2 51.0.0.1 51.0.0.0/24 ATM3/1.17 0
232.0.0.3 51.0.0.1 51.0.0.0/24 ATM3/1.17 0

Counts: 3 (S, G) entries

0 (*, G) entries

```

### **show mroute port count**

- Use to display the mroute port outgoing interface, limits, and counts.



**NOTE:** This command displays information for mroutes on a port across all virtual routers.

- Field descriptions
  - Port—Slot/port value on the router
  - Limit—None (reserved for future functionality)
  - Count—Number of mroute outgoing interfaces on the specified port
  - BW bps—Bandwidth limit (in bits per second)
  - Admitted—Bandwidth admitted on the port (in bits per second)

- Example

```

host1#show mroute port count

BW      Priority
Port    Limit   Count   bps     BW bps   Hysteresis   Admitted
-----
1/1/0   None    1        None    None     85           0
1/1/1   None    2       15000   10000    85          2000

```

**show ipv6 mroute count**

- Use to display information about the number of groups and sources.
- Specify a multicast group address or both a multicast group address and a multicast source address to display information about a particular multicast forwarding entry.
- Field descriptions
  - Counts—Number of types of source group mappings
    - (S,G)—Number of (S,G) entries
    - (\*,G)—Number of (\*,G) entries
- Example

```
host1#show ipv6 mroute count
IPv6 Multicast Routing Table
```

```
Counts: 2000 (S, G) entries
        0 (*, G) entries
```

**show ipv6 mroute statistics**

- Use to display statistics for packets received through multicast routes that the router has added to the multicast routing table and established on the appropriate line modules.
- Specify a multicast group IPv6 address or both a multicast group IPv6 address and a multicast source IPv6 address to display information about a particular multicast forwarding entry.
- Field descriptions
  - See **show ipv6 mroute** command for descriptions of all fields except the statistics field.
  - Statistics




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**NOTE:** The display shows statistics after the VR has added the multicast route to the multicast routing table and established the route on the appropriate line module. Statistics for interactions before the route is established on the line module are not displayed.

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- Received—Number of packets and bytes that the VR received for this multicast route
    - Forwarded—Number of packets and statistics that the VR has forwarded for this multicast route
    - Rcvd on OIF—Number of packets and statistics that the VR has received on the OIF for this multicast route
  - Example
- ```
host#show ipv6 mroute statistics
IPv6 Multicast Routing Table

(S, G) uptime d h:m:s[, expires d h:m:s]
[Admission bandwidth: bps]
[QoS bandwidth: bps]
```



```

RPF route: addr/mask, incoming interface
           neighbor address, owner route-owner
Incoming interface list:
  Interface (addr/mask), State/Owner [(RPF IIF)]
Outgoing interface list:
  Interface (addr/mask), State/Owner, Uptime/Expires

(10:0:0:1:1::, ff0e::1) uptime 0 01:05:23
Admission bandwidth:
RPF route: 10:0:0:1::/64, incoming interface ATM2/3.1001
           neighbor 10:0:0:1::1, owner Local
Incoming interface list:
  ATM2/3.1001 (10:0:0:1::1/64), Accept/Pim (RPF IIF)
Outgoing interface list:
  ATM2/0.200 (21:2:2:21::2:1/60), Forward/Pim, 0 01:05:23/never
Statistics:
  Received   : 346 pkts, 22144 bytes
  Forwarded  : 346 pkts, 22144 bytes
  Rcvd on OIF: 0 pkts

(10:0:0:1:2::, ff0e::1) uptime 0 01:05:23
RPF route: 10:0:0:1::/64, incoming interface ATM2/3.1001
           neighbor 10:0:0:1::1, owner Local
Incoming interface list:
  ATM2/3.1001 (10:0:0:1::1/64), Accept/Pim (RPF IIF)
Outgoing interface list:
  ATM2/0.200 (21:2:2:21::2:1/60), Forward/Pim, 0 01:05:26/never
Statistics:
  Received   : 346 pkts, 22144 bytes
  Forwarded  : 346 pkts, 22144 bytes
  Rcvd on OIF: 0 pkts

```

### ***show ipv6 mroute summary***

- Use to display a summary of all or specified multicast routes.
- Specify a multicast group IP address or both a multicast group IP address and a multicast source IP address to display information about a particular multicast forwarding entry.
- Field descriptions
  - Group Address—IP address of the multicast group
  - Source Address—IP address of the multicast source
  - RPF Route—IP address and network mask of the RPF route
  - RPF Iif—Type and identifier for the incoming interface for the RPF route
  - #Oifs—Number of outgoing interfaces
  - Counts—Numbers of types of (S,G) mappings
    - (S,G)—Number of (S,G) entries
    - (\*,G)—Number of (\*,G) entries

- Example

```
host1#show ipv6 mroute summary
IPv6 Multicast Routing Table
```

| Group Address | Source Address | RPF route     | RPF Iif     | #Oifs |
|---------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|-------|
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:1::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:2::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:3::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:4::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:5::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:6::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:7::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:8::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:9::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:a::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:b::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:c::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:d::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:e::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |
| ff0e::1       | 10:0:0:1:f::   | 10:0:0:1::/64 | ATM2/3.1001 | 1     |

```
Counts: 16 (S, G) entries
        0 (*, G) entries
```

### **show ipv6 multicast protocols**

- Use to display information about multicast protocols enabled on the router.
- Use the **brief** option to display a summary of information rather than a detailed description.
- Field descriptions
  - Protocol—Name of the multicast protocol
  - Type—Mode of the multicast protocol
    - For PIM—Sparse
    - For MLD—Local
  - Interfaces
    - registered—Number of interfaces on which the protocol is configured
    - owned—Number of interfaces that a protocol owns. If you configure only MLD on an interface, MLD owns the interface. However, if you configure MLD and PIM on the same interface, PIM owns the interface.
  - Registered interfaces—Includes the following information about interfaces on which the protocol is configured
    - Types and identifiers of interfaces. For details about interface types and specifiers, see *JUNOS Command Reference Guide, About This Guide*.
    - Protocols configured on the interface and the protocol that owns the interface. If you configure only MLD on an interface, MLD owns the interface. However, if you configure MLD and PIM on the same interface, PIM owns the interface.

- ❑ Admitted bandwidth / configured admission bandwidth (in bps)
  - ❑ Number of blocked OIFs
  - ❑ QoS adjustment bandwidth (in bps)
- Count—Number of multicast protocols on the VR
- Example
 

```

host1:2#show ipv6 multicast protocols
Multicast protocols:

Protocol Pim
  Type: Sparse
  Interfaces: 1 registered, 1 owned
  Registered interfaces:
    ATM2/1.103 (21:2:2:22::1:2/60) owner Pim
Protocol Mld
  Type: Local
  Interfaces: 1000 registered, 1000 owned
  Registered interfaces:
    ATM2/0.131 (31:2:2:22::2:2/604) local Mld owner Mld
      Admission-bandwidth 2000000/10000000 bps
      QoS Adjust 2000 bps
    ATM2/0.132 (31:2:2:22::2:3/60) local Mld owner Mld
      Admission-bandwidth 0/10000000 bps
      QoS Adjust 0 bps
    ATM2/0.133 (31:2:2:22::2:4/60) local Mld owner Mld
      Admission-bandwidth 8000000/10000000 bps, 2 Blocked OIFs
      QoS Adjust 0 bps
    ...
Count: 2 protocols
      
```

### ***show ipv6 multicast protocols brief***

- Use to display a summary of information about multicast protocols enabled on the router.
- Field descriptions
  - Protocol—Name of the multicast protocol
  - Registered Interfaces—Number of interfaces on which the protocol is configured.
  - Owned Interfaces—Number of interfaces that a protocol owns. If you configure only MLD on an interface, MLD owns the interface. However, if you configure MLD and PIM on the same interface, PIM owns the interface.
  - Type—Mode of the multicast protocol
    - ❑ For PIM—Sparse
    - ❑ For MLD—Local
  - Count—Number of multicast protocols on the VR

- Example

```
host1#show ipv6 multicast protocols brief
```

| Protocol | Registered<br>Interfaces | Owned<br>Interfaces | Type     |
|----------|--------------------------|---------------------|----------|
| Pim      |                          | 1                   | 1 Sparse |
| Mld      |                          | 1                   | 1 Local  |

```
Count: 2 protocols
```

### **show ipv6 multicast routing**

- Use to display information about the status of IPv6 multicast on the VR.

- Example

```
host1#show ipv6 multicast routing
```

```
Multicast forwarding is enabled on this router
```

```
Multicast graceful restart is complete (timer 0 seconds) on this router
```

```
Multicast cache-miss processing is enabled on this router
```

## **BGP Multicast**

BGP multicast (MBGP) is an extension of the BGP unicast routing protocol. Many of the functions available for BGP unicasting are also available for MBGP.

The MBGP extensions specify that BGP can exchange information within different types of *address families*. The address families available are unicast IPv4, multicast IPv4, VPN-IPv4, IPv6, and multicast IPv6. When you enable BGP, the router employs unicast IPv4 addresses by default.

You should be thoroughly familiar with BGP before configuring MBGP. See *JUNOS BGP and MPLS Configuration Guide, Chapter 1, Configuring BGP Routing*, for detailed information about BGP and MBGP.