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Introduction

This document describes how to capture Point-to-Point Packet over Ethernet (PPPoE) packet on an ingress interface of ASR1000 box.

Prerequisites

Requirements

Cisco recommends that you meet these requirements before you attempt this configuration:

- Layer 1 connectivity between ASR1k and the client router is up

Components Used

This document is restricted to XE version 3.13 and above.

PPPoE Server - ASR1006

PPPoE Client - Any Cisco Router

The information in this document was created from the devices in a specific lab environment. All of the devices used in this document started with a cleared (default) configuration. If your network is live, make sure that you understand the potential impact of any command.

Background

This document help a technician to determine if PPPoE packets are actually hitting the interface of the ASR1k router acting as a PPPoE Server. This is usefull in scenarios where we troubleshoot PPPoE failures.

Configure

Note: Use the [Command Lookup Tool](#) ([registered](#) customers only) in order to obtain more information on the commands used in this section.

Configuration on the ASR1006 that acts as a Server

A sample of the configuration on ASR1006 that acts as a server is shown here:

```
interface GigabitEthernet0/0/2 >>>> Interface connecting towards the
PPPoE Client
  no ip address
  negotiation auto
  pppoe enable group global
  cdp enable

bba-group pppoe global
  virtual-template 1

interface Virtual-Template1
  ip unnumbered Loopback0
  peer default ip address pool test
  ppp authentication chap
end

interface Loopback0
  ip address 10.1.1.1 255.255.255.255
end
```

Capturing PPPoE packet on ASR1006

Enable below commands on exec prompt of the ASR1006 router:

```
ASR# debug platform condition interface GigabitEthernet0/0/2 ingress
ASR# debug platform packet-trace packet 256 fia-trace
ASR# debug platform condition start
ASR# debug platform packet-trace enable
```

Initiate PPPoE session from the PPPoE Client

```
ASR# show platform packet-trace summary
```

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```

Pkt	Input	Output	State	Reason
0	Gi0/0/2	internal0/0/rp:0	PUNT	3 (Layer2 control and legacy)
1	Gi0/0/2	internal0/0/rp:0	PUNT	27 (Subscriber session control)
2	Gi0/0/2	internal0/0/rp:0	PUNT	27 (Subscriber session control)
3	Gi0/0/2	internal0/0/rp:0	PUNT	27 (Subscriber session control)
4	Gi0/0/2	internal0/0/rp:0	PUNT	27 (Subscriber session control)

```

control)
5      Gi0/0/2          internal0/0/rp:0  PUNT   27   (Subscriber session
control)
6      Gi0/0/2          internal0/0/rp:0  PUNT   27   (Subscriber session
control)
7      Gi0/0/2          internal0/0/rp:0  PUNT   27   (Subscriber session
control)
8      Gi0/0/2          internal0/0/rp:0  PUNT   27   (Subscriber session
control)

```

Now we can check a specific packet above using:

```
ASR# show platform packet-trace packet 8
```

```

Packet: 8          CBUG ID: 8
Summary
  Input      : GigabitEthernet0/0/2
  Output     : internal0/0/rp:0
  State      : PUNT 27 (Subscriber session control)
  Timestamp
    Start    : 1732092767453258 ns (11/25/2015 09:27:01.520615 UTC)
    Stop     : 1732092767494466 ns (11/25/2015 09:27:01.520656 UTC)
Path Trace
  Feature: FIA_TRACE
    Entry   : 0x802655e0 - PPPOE_GET_SESSION
    Lapsed time: 2493 ns
  Feature: FIA_TRACE
    Entry   : 0x805ce9e4 - ESS_ENTER_SWITCHING
    Lapsed time: 1293 ns

```

The above packet shows that PPPoE packets are hitting the interface.

You can disable the packet tracer as below:

```

ASR# no debug platform condition interface GigabitEthernet0/0/2 ingress
ASR# no debug platform packet-trace packet 256 fia-trace
ASR# debug platform condition stop
ASR# no debug platform packet-trace enable

```

Related Information

[Embedded Packet Capture](#)