

## Checking the MAC address of the core switch



### Overview

You can check the MAC addresses stored by a Cisco switch by logging into the switch and issuing the command `show mac address-table`. The addresses are stored in a table called the bridge forwarding table or CAM table. (from what I know you can check that by `Switch#sh mac-address-table` command) I mean say you are on switch1 what command do you use to check switch1's mac address?

2) Does each switchport interface have a separate mac addresses for each. When performing troubleshooting or maintenance tasks on an enterprise network, it is sometimes necessary to identify the MAC address of particular devices (hosts, other switches, other network devices) that are connected to the network. Let's understand the step by step process under different scenarios. 15 From the above you know the MAC Address of for the.



## Article Content

How check MAC address of switch I am logged in

Hi, We have a switch- Catalyst 4500 L3 Switch Software (cat4500e-ENTSERVICES-M), Version 12.2(54)WO, RELEASE SOFTWARE (fc1) Now i need to check the MAC address of this

Switch Mac Address: What's It and How Does It Work?

Isn't an IP address sufficient? What exactly is a switch MAC address for? How does switch learn mac address? Simply put, a MAC (Media Access

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MAC Address : 0000.1111.1111 Now, do a show mac-address command on the core switch or router. This will show the interface to which it is connected or through which it is learned. Core1# sh mac

Commands to Find Device Mac Address on Cisco

To find the MAC Address on a Cisco switch port, we use the command show mac-address-table. Let's understand the step by step process under

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That tells you, it is the Access switch 1 that is connected to Te1/1 and not the device itself. Now, log onto the Access switch and do a "show mac-address-table" command for the MAC address and that

Commands to find mac-address and IP on a port

Solved: Can someone show me the commands to find a mac-address on a switch and if I know the port I am looking to find it on, also how i find the IP address on that port

How to Find Your Device's MAC Address

All network computing devices have a unique, hard coded address called a MAC address. Here's how to find it on all your various computing devices.

switch mac address

Hi guys, Ok, I am studying little bit of switching technology for my day to day job requirement. May be following are very basic questions for you guys but really difficult to understand

How to see mac address of the switch that you are currently on

1) I DO NOT mean the mac addresses that the switch has learnt. (from what I know you can check that by Switch#sh mac-address-table command)

How to find port it connected to a switch using mac-address/ip add ...

On a Cisco switch, you can issue the "sh cam 00-0d-60-cb-44-5d" command. The output should tell you the VLAN they are on, the MAC address you entered and the port that MAC shows up

### Obtaining Layer 2 MAC Address

I am working with a partner who needs the original MAC Address of devices on a subnet. Current traffic is being forwarded from our core switch, but due to how Layer 2 works, the original

From core : Finding Mac address and port interface of the end device ...

The mac table on the core will only contain addresses layer 2 adjacent through the core switch and show on the interface from core to the access switch where the device is located.

### How Do I Know the System MAC Address of a Switch?

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### Finding a MAC address on the network

Hello, On an all Cisco Network if I know the MAC address of a device on the network but not what switch it is on is there anyway to find out the switch it is on and the port? thanks in advance!

How to find the MAC address of the switch I am connected to?

Pinging your switch's management IP from a client PC (as long as they're in the same VLAN) should be all that's necessary for the switch to see the PC's MAC in the ARP table.

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Yes, each switchport has it's own MAC address, I think this is how the switch itself (ASICs) makes forwarding decisions. Not quite sure tho, there isn't too much info on this I could find on the fly.

### How to find IP & MAC addresses on Cisco IOS Devices

As a Network Administrator/Engineer you may be asked to find MAC addresses and/or IP Addresses, hopefully this can make your job a little bit

Solved: Finding switch & port using MAC add

Hi, let say in the building of 6 level level 6 is the core switch level 5 - 1 is access switch i need to find mac address of a PC ended with .ab01 i know the "sh mac add-table | in ab01, it will

### How to Manage and Troubleshoot the Cisco MAC Address Table

You're not alone. A fundamental area often at the core of issues is the MAC address table management. This piece of the network puzzle is crucial for the smooth operation of your

### Commands to Find Device Mac Address on Cisco

At times, network and IT admins face challenge to find out which port of the switch is a specific device mac address coming from.

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How to find which port on the switch that it connected with Mac address?

So you can just find out the ip address of the downstream switch with `"sh cdp neigh detail"` command and connect to that downstream switch and then again issue the command `"sh mac`

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This piece of the network puzzle is crucial for the smooth operation of your switches and routers. Here, we will demystify the practical steps needed to manage and troubleshoot this essential

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In this article, we'll explore how this can be done on Cisco-based networks ranging from a single switch to a larger enterprise network with several switches. On

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Switches maintain a table of both static and dynamically learned IP addresses. Cisco switches have a number of special built-in addresses such as the 4 static address above. E.g., in the

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