

How to configure an access layer switch



AI Overview

Configuring an access layer switch involves initial setup, VLAN creation, port assignment, security configuration, and management access setup.

Step 1: Connect to the Switch

Physically connect to the switch using a console cable and a terminal emulator like PuTTY. Set the connection to 9600 baud for serial communication. Power on the switch and verify that all indicator lights are functioning properly .

Step 2: Enter Privileged and Global Configuration Mode

At the command prompt, type `enable` to enter Privileged EXEC mode, then configure terminal to access Global Configuration mode. This allows you to make system-wide changes .

Step 3: Set Hostname and Domain Name

Assign a descriptive hostname using `hostname` and configure a domain name if needed. This helps identify the switch in the network .

Step 4: Configure Management Access

- Set an enable secret password for privileged access: `enable secret` .
- Configure console and VTY (Telnet/SSH) passwords for secure access.
- Assign an IP address to the management VLAN: `interface vlan 1` followed by `ip ad...`

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The uplink port on the access switch should be configured identically, otherwise VLAN mismatches will result. The access switch will

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You can configure Layer 2 switching ports as access or trunk ports. Trunks carry the traffic of multiple VLANs over a single link and

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configuring an access-layer switch

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