

ATLAS Router User Manual

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Chapter 1 Router

ROUTER OVERVIEW

The ATLAS router uses the integral 10Base? Ethernet port to transmit local area network (LAN) Patific over the wide area network (WAN) to a remote LAN. By integrating the router into the network access device, you benefit from the cost as awings of not requiring an external router. Figure 1 - 1 and Figure 1.2 is illustrate a conversion from an application with external routers to one using integral routers within ADTRAN products.

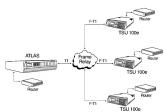


Figure 1-1. External Routers

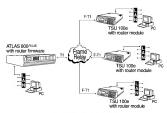


Figure 1-2. Internal Routers

The Frame Relay/ Router option lets the ATLAS series of Integrated Access Devices act as a voice/ data FRAD, a frame relay switch, and an IP router—in addition to the currently available bandwidth management and switch applications.

FEATURES

The Router option provides the following features:

- Routes IP traffic between a public or private frame relay network and the integral 10BaseT Ethernet port.
- · Routes IP traffic between virtual circuits in a frame relay network.

SPECIFICATIONS

IP Routing	
Route Discovery	RIP V1
	RIP V2
	ICMP
	DHCP
	ARP
	IARP
	UDP Relay

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Technology Overview

Chapter 2

Internet Protocol (IP) routing is performed at layer 3 of the Open System Interconnection (SS) model. (Refer to the Prometed, User Manual 6 of a description of the OSI model.) The routing process determines the optimal path for data packets to travel and then most the data packet is noting that path. Routines exchange nifermation about paths or routes that reach additional LAN regenents. This exchange some of routing information allows a router to build a detailed knowledge of the netority of the control of the control

ATLAS supports Routing Information Protocol (RIP), a protocol based on hops. Each route has a set number of hops (outers or servers) that it must travel through to reach a final destination. If a new route to a host address that has a tower number of hops is karned, it becomes the preferred route. When a new leave number of hops is karned, it becomes the preferred route. When a new the protocol is to the protocol is to the protocol in the protocol broadcasts the sew route over the other interfaces. To prevent routing hops, RIP defines a hop route of 16 as an infinite or unreschable rout.

OVERVIEW

The Router Upgrade provides remote connectivity of LANs within an ATLAS from LAN-to-WAN connection or from WAN-to-WAN connection. The Router Upgrade is included as part of the frame relay upgrade and includes an IP Router.

TERMINAL MENU STRUCTURE

The ATLAS uses hierarchical menus to access all of its features. The top-most menu level leads to submenus which are grouped by functionality. All menu items display in the terminal window.



When the Router Option is enabled, the Router Menu is added to the main terminal menu (see Figure 3-1). All routing functions within ATLAS are configured and monitored from the Router Menu.



Figure 3-1. Router Added to the Main Terminal Menu

ROUTER MENU

The Router Menu defines, configures, and monitors all ATLAS Router options. Figure 3-2 displays the IP Router menu tree.



Figure 3-2. Router Menu Tree

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IP MENU

The IP Menu defines and monitors IP routes (see Figure 3-3).



Figure 3-3. IP Routes Menu

Static Routes

The Static Routes Menu manages static IP routes. You can create, modify, and delete routes using this menu (see Figure 3-4).



Figure 3-4. Static Routes Menu

IP Address Write Security: 3; Read Security: 5

Defines the IP address of the host or network device being routed to.

Netmask

Write Security: 3; Read Security: 5

Determines for routing the number of bits used in the above-defined IP address. If a bost address is desired for the IP address, this field must be set to 255 255 255 255.

Gateway

Write Security: 3: Read Security: 5

Defines the IP address of the router to receive the forwarded IP nacket.

Interface

Write Security: 3: Read Security: 5

Defines the interface to which IP packets with this address will be routed. These are either Ethernet or frame relay DLCIs.

Hops Write Security: 3: Read Security: 5

Defines the number of router hops required to get to the network or host. Maximum distance is 15 hops.

ARP Cache

The ARP Cache Menu displays the contents of the ATLAS Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) cache (see Figure 3-5). All resolved cache entries time out after 20 minutes. Unresolved entries time out in 3 minutes.



Figure 3-5. ARP Cache Menu

IP Address

Read Security: 5 Displays the IP address used for resolving MAC address.

MAC Address Read Security: 5

Resolves Ethernet address. If set to all zeros, there is no resolution for that address

Time

Read Security: 5 Displays the minutes since the entry was last referenced.

Type Write Security: 3; Read Security: 5 Defines this entry as dynamic or static.

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3.4

Interface Read Security: 5

Displays the interface upon which this entry was found.

Tx Pending Read Security: 5

Displays the number of transmit packets pending a reply.

Routes

The Routes Menu displays the contents of the ATLAS route table. All static and discovered routes are displayed from this menu (see Figure 3-6).



Figure 3-6. Routes Menu

IP Address

Read Security: 5

Displays the IP address of the network or host destination address.

Netmask

Write Security: 3; Read Security: 5

Displays the netmask applied to the destination address.

Gateway

Read Security: 5

Displays the IP address of the host or router receiving the forwarded IP packet.

Interface

Read Security: 5

Displays the interface to which IP packets with this address will be routed.

Options

```
Local Sent directly to the ATLAS router
ENO IP ATLAS Ethernet port
Endpoint Name (DLCI #)
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Used

Read Security: 5

Displays the number of times the router has referenced this route.

Displays the ii

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Flags

Read Security: 5

Indicates the properties of this routing table entry, composed of the following letters:

- □ route is a host route
- route is a gateway route
- n route learned dynamically from RIP
- route learned from on ICMP redirect
- p route is private and is not advertised with RIP
- route is to a triggered part (updated only when table changes)

Hops

Read Security: 5
Displays the number of router hops required to get to the network or host.

Ranges from 0 to 16. If set to 16, it is defined as infinite and cannot be routed.

TTL Read Security: 5

Displays the number of seconds until the address is removed from table. Value of 999 means the route is static.

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Interfaces

The Interfaces Menu (see Figure 3-7) configures and monitors all interfaces connected to the ATLAS router. These include the Ethernet and frame relay DLCIs connected in the Packet Manager Packet Conte.



Figure 3-7. Interfaces Menu

Network Name

Read Security: 5

Displays the name of the interface connected to the ATLAS router. The options are listed below:

ENO IP ATLAS Ethernet port
Endpoint Name (DLCI#)

Address

Write Security: 3; Read Security: 5

Defines the individual interface IP address. If this field is left as 0.0.0.0, it is treated as an unnumbered interface.

Subnet Mask Write Security: 3;Read Security: 5

Defines the subnet mask applied to the address defined for this link. If the subnet mask is unnumbered, leave as 0.0.0.0.

IARP (Inverse ARP)

Write Security: 3; Read Security: 5

The Inverse ARP (IARP) field is only present when this is a frame-relay network interface. ATLAS always responds to Inverse ARP requests with its IP address for the requested DLCL

Fnable

Atlas sends Inverse ARP packets in order to determine the IP address on the other end of the virtual circuit. If the Inverse ARP packet is responded to, a route is placed in the IP route table. When this field is set to ENABLE. ATLAS dynamically sends Inverse ARP packets to determine the IP address on the other end of the virtual circuit. When an Inverse ARP packet is not responded to, a route is placed in the IP route Schla

Disable

ATLAS responds to Inverse ARP requests with its IP address for the requested DLCI. If set to DISABLE, ATLAS does not generate inverse ARP request packets. In this case, the Far-End Address parameter may be used to statically assign a route address (see Far End Address on page

Far-Fnd Address

Read Security: 3; Write Security: 5

The Far-End IP Address field is only present for frame-relay network interfaces, and it is only selectable when Inverse ARP is disabled. The IP address of the device on the other end of the virtual circuit may be specified. A static route to the far-end network will be added using the interface Subnet-Mask if nonzero. If 0.0.0.0 has been specified for the Subnet-Mask, a default subnet mask is used based on the class of the Far-End Address. (See also Subnet Mask on page 3-7.)

MTU (Moximum Tronsmit Unit)

Read Security: 5 Defines maximum number of bytes in a datagram transmitted over this interface.

RIP (Routing Information Protocol) Configures RIP on this interface.

Mode

Write Security: 3: Read Security: 5

Allows RIP to be enabled or disabled on a per-interface basis.

Tx Only RIP advertisements are periodically transmitted, but are not lis-

tened to on this virtual circuit. Rx Only RIP advertisements are not transmitted on this virtual circuit, but

they are listened to.

Tx and Rx RIP advertisements are periodically transmitted and are listened to on this virtual circuit.

NOTE If mode is Off, the following menus will not be visible.

Write Security: 3: Read Security: 5

Sets the version of RIP being used on this interface. The options are RIP VI and RID V2



If RIP V2 is used, a user-defined secret will have to be created.

Method

Write Security: 3: Read Security: 5

Defines the method used to send RIP route advertisements. The options are listed below:

None All routes in the router table are advertised through this

interface with no modification of the routing metric. Split Horizon Poison Reverse

Only advertises routes not learned through this interface. All routes are advertised, but the routes learned through this interface are "poisoned" with an infinite route metric.

Updates

Write Security: 3; Read Security: 5

Defines when RIP advertisements are transmitted.

RIP advertisements are periodically transmitted. RIP advertisements are transmitted only when new routes are learned, and learned routes do not age.

V2 Secret

Write Security: 3; Read Security: 5

Defines the secret used to advertise routes when using RIP V2.



This menu item is visible only if RIP V2 is used.

Configuration Overview and Chapter 4 **Examples**

This chapter provides several step-by-step examples to help you configure your ATLAS. Figure 4-1 illustrates an ATLAS configured for the Router option.

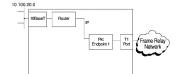


Figure 4-1. ATLAS Configured for the Router Option

The general procedure for configuring the ATLAS depicted in Figure 4-1 is as follows:

- 1. From Packet Manager/Packet Endonts/Config. create the frame relay packet endpoint. Refer to the Frame Relay User Manual for more information.
- 2. From Packet Manager/Packet Endonts/Confla/Sublinks, create the necessary PVCx
- 3. From Packet Manager/Packet Cnots, connect the frame relay endpoint to the Router
- 4. From Dedicated Map, connect the frame relay packet endpoint to the appropri-
- ate physical interface.
- 5. From Router/IP/Interfaces, enable routing on the interface. 6. (Optional) Configure any static routes that might be required.
- Specific configuration examples included in this chapter are as follows:

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Example 1: IP Routing Network - ATLAS as the Central-Site Router

Example I (see Figure 4.2) depicts a typical IP routing network using an ATLAS as as the contral-size router. (This ATLAS unit is the ATLAS 2007-US 47th a frame relay upgrade.) The contral-size ATLAS terminates a full T1 (F.T1) frame relay upgrade.) The contral-size ATLAS terminates a full T1 (F.T1) frame relay to the ATLAS TERMINATE ATLAS TO THE ATLAS T

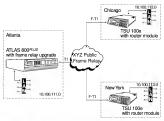


Figure 4-2. IP Routing Network with ATLAS as the Central-Site Router

Step 1: Create the packet endpoint. See Figure 4-3.



Figure 4-3. Panel for Creating Packet Endpoint

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Step 2: Create the sublinks or DLCIs for frome relay. See Figure 4-4.



Figure 4-4. Ponel for Creating Sublinks

Step 3: Connect the IP troffic to the internal router. See Figure 4-5.



Figure 4-5. Ponel for Connecting IP Troffic to Internal Router

Step 4: Connect pocket endpoint to the oppropriote physical interfoce.

See Figure 4-6.



Figure 4-6. Ponel for Connecting Endpoints to Physical Interface Step 5: Enable routing on the two interfaces.

See Figure 4-7.



Figure 4-7. Ponel for Enobling Routing

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Glossary

A-Law

PCM coding method as defined by the FTU-T. It is a companding standard for converting between analog and digital in a PCM system. A-Law is mainly used in Europe. MU-Law is the North American equivalent.

ANSI TL617-D (Annex D)

See Annex D

Annex D

Standard for frame relay signaling as defined by the American National Standard's Institute (ANSI) in publication TI.617-D.

Annex A

Standard for frame relay signaling as defined by the International Telecommunication Union Telecommunication in publication O.933-A.

ARP

Address Resolution Protocol. A protocol that maps an IP address to an ethernet MAC address.

RECN

Backward Explicit Congestion Notification. Sent to the device generating excessive frame relay traffic as a means to slow down the flow of data to the network. Compare with FECN.

CIR

Committed Information Rate. The sugranteed bandwidth available for customer data under normal circumstances.

Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol. Allows dynamic IP address allocation.

Direct Inward Dial. Digits received or transmitted that allow the attached equipment to further route a call

Discard Eligible (DE)

A flag that can be set to indicate to the network that if excess traffic is received this frame can be discarded if necessary.

DLCI

Data Link Connection Identifier, Identifies each virtual circuit within a shared physical channel.

FECN

Forward Explicit Congestion Notification. Sent to the device receiving data from the frame relay network to indicate that there is congestion in the receive direction. The receiving DTE device should take action to slow down traffic from the remote end. Compare with BECN.

FRAD

Frame Relay Access Device. Any equipment that provides a connection between a frame relay network and a LAN.

Frame Relay

A subset of the X.25 packet switching protocol that allows for efficient transmission of data by utilizing many virtual circuits on a single physical interface.

Full Status Poll

A poll that occurs each N391 polls and reports the status of each PVC. During this poll the frame relay switch can also notify the user side of the UNI of any creation or deletion of frame relay PVCs.

G.723.1

ITU-specified voice compression algorithm.

Group of Four

The Frame Relay Consortium, composed of Cisco Systems, DEC, Nortel, and StrataCom, which defined an interface for the UNI.

HDLC

High Level Data Link Control. A generic link-level communications protocol developed by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO). HDLC manages synchronous code-transparent, serial information transfers over a link connection.

IAD

Integrated Access Device. A network access device that provides many services from a single platform. ATLAS is an IAD.

IARP

Inverse Address Resolution Protocol. Used for resolving the protocol address when the hardware address is known.

ICMP

Internet Control Message Protocol. Specified in RFC-292 to provide diagnostic functions.

IP

Internet Protocol. A protocol which provides for transmitting blocks of data between hosts identified by fixed-length addresses.

ITU-T O.933-A (Annex A)

See Annex A

IXC

IntereXchange Carrier. Phone companies that connect LECs.

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LEC

Local Exchange Carrier. Provides local access to public data and phone networks.

Link Integrity Poll

A poll that occurs each T391 seconds to determine the state of the connection to the frame relay switch.

Logical Link Control Type 2. Upper portion of the Data Link layer (layer 2) that handles flow control and error control.

LMI

Standard nublished by the Frame Relay Consortium in 1990 to create a defined interface on the UNI. The Consortium was composed of Cisco Systems, DEC, Nortel, and StrataCom, and is commonly referred to as the Group of Four. LMI has become a generic term to indicate the type of frame relay signaling used and could be used to mean Annex A or Annex D.

MAC Address

Data link address that is unique for every device that gets connected to a LAN. Devices on the LAN use these addresses to update routing tables.

MILLIAN

A companding standard for converting between analog and digital in a PCM system. MU-Law is mainly used in North America. A-Law is the European equivalent.

A standard interface between two frame relay switches.

N391

Defines how many link integrity polls occur before a full status poll. One out of the number defined in N391 is a full status poll. Default is 6.

Defines how many bad polls can occur within an N393 window before the link is declared down.

Defines the number of polls that make up the window used by N 392 to determine if a link is opera-

tional OSI

Open System Interconnection. It is a standard defined by ISO and the ITU-T to allow interoperability between equipment of different vendors.

Packet

A transmission that contains both control information and data.

Packet Endpoint

A virtual port within ATLAS that a specified physical port terminates its data into for further routing by the system.

Packet Switching

A method of routine packets that avoids congestion and minimizes delivery time.

PCM

Pulse Code Modulation. The most common method for encoding analog voice into a digital hit stream.

PVC

Permanent Virtual Circuit. Virtual circuit within the frame relay network that has all bandwidth parameters permanently defined upon ordering the circuit.

oos

Quality of service. A means of guaranteeing available bandwidth under normal operating conditions.

RIP

Routing Information Protocol. A protocol used to exchange routing information among a set of computers connected by a LAN. RIP uses hop count as a routing metric.

Router

An interface which finds the best path hetween two networks. Routers forward packets from one network to another, based on network layer information.

Routing Metric

The method by which a routing algorithm determines that one route is hetter than another. This information is stored in routing tables. Such tables include reliability, delay handwidth, load, MTUs, communication costs, and hop count.

Systems Network Architecture. Network architecture developed by IBM in the 1970s.

SVC

Switched Virtual Circuit. Virtual circuit within the frame relay network that is created only when needed. Bandwidth parameters are defined each time the circuit is created.

T391

Defines the time in seconds between frame relay link integrity polls.

T392

Defines the time in seconds the frame relay switch will wait for a poll from the user before declaring the poll bad.

TROP

Transparent Bit Oriented Protocol. ADTRAN proprietary method for transmitting HDLC traffic across a frame relay network.

Transparent BOP

See TBOP

TCP

Transmission Control Protocol. Connection oriented protocol that provides error control of IP traffic.

TIA 464A

Telecommunication Industry Association's standard for DTMF detection and generation.

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UDP

User Datagram Protocol, Connectionless protocol defined by RFC 768 for transmission of data without acknowledgment or error control.

User to Network Interface. Defines the interface between the CPE and the frame relay providers switch

Voice Compression

A means of reducing the bandwidth required for transmission of voice traffic with minimal impact on the quality of the voice.

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