



TH-IX CONFIGURATION GUIDE

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Peering LAN Prefix

The IPv4 prefix for the TH-IX peering LAN (61.19.60.0/23) is part of AS4652, and is not supposed to be globally routable. This means the following:

1. Don't configure "network 61.19.60.0/23" in your router's BGP configuration
2. Don't redistribute the route, a supernet, or a more specific outside of your AS.

Cisco Configuration Hints

1. Global Config

Cisco IOS/IOS-XE

```
no cdp run
```

Cisco IOS-XR

```
no cdp
```

Cisco NX-OS

```
no cdp enable
```

2. Interface Configuration

ICMP redirects, Proxy ARP and Directed Broadcast are disabled by default in IOS-XR. ICMP redirect messages are disabled by default on the interface except the HSRP (Hot Standby Router Protocol) is configured.

```
no ip redirects  
no ip proxy-arp  
no ip directed-broadcast
```

Deployment

Below follows a sample interface configuration for Cisco routers

Cisco IOS

```
interface <Your Interface>
  description Link to TH-IX
  ip address 61.19.6x.y 255.255.254.0
  no ip redirects
  no ip proxy-arp
  ipv6 address 2001:c38:8000:xx:xxxx:1/64
  ipv6 nd ra suppress all
  no shutdown
```

Cisco IOS-XR

```
interface <Your Interface>
  description Link to TH-IX
  ipv4 address 61.19.6x.y 255.255.254.0
  ipv6 address 2001:c38:8000::xx:xxxx:1/64
  ipv6 nd suppress-ra
  no shutdown
```

Cisco NX-OS

```
interface <Your Interface>
  description Link to TH-IX
  no shutdown
  ip address 61.19.6x.y/23
  ipv6 address 2001:c38:8000::xx:xxxx:1/64
  ipv6 nd suppress-ra
  no shutdown
```

3. Route Server Detail

```
rs-bkk-01.thix
ASN: 4652
IPv4: 61.19.60.1
IPv6: 2001:c38:8000::4652:1
```

```
rs-ntb-01.thix
ASN: 4652
IPv4: 61.19.61.1
IPv6: 2001:c38:8000::4652:2
```

Below follows a sample configuration for Cisco routers to announce a prefix to the route servers:

Cisco IOS

```

router bgp <Your ASN>
  bgp always-compare-med
  no bgp enforce-first-as      >> (Don't forget!! this command)
  bgp log-neighbor-changes
  neighbor THIX-RS peer-group
  neighbor THIX-RS remote-as 4652
  neighbor 61.19.60.1 peer-group THIX-RS
  neighbor 61.19.60.1 description rs-bkk-01.thix
  neighbor 61.19.61.1 peer-group THIX-RS
  neighbor 61.19.61.1 description rs-ntb-01.thix
  address-family ipv4
    neighbor THIX-RS send-community both
    neighbor THIX-RS soft-reconfiguration inbound
    neighbor THIX-RS route-map TO-RS out
  router bgp <Your ASN>
    neighbor THIX-RS-6 peer-group
    neighbor THIX-RS-6 remote-as 4652
    address-family ipv6
      neighbor THIX-RS-6 send-community both
      neighbor THIX-RS-6 soft-reconfiguration inbound
      neighbor THIX-RS-6 route-map TO-RS-6 out
      neighbor 2001:C38:8000::4652:1 peer-group THIX-RS-6
      neighbor 2001:C38:8000::4652:1 description rs-bkk-01.thix
      neighbor 2001:C38:8000::4652:2 peer-group THIX-RS-6
      neighbor 2001:C38:8000::4652:2 description rs-ntb-01.thix

ip prefix-list TO-RS seq 10 permit 192.168.101.0/24

ipv6 prefix-list TO-RS-6 seq 10 permit 2001:DB8:101::/48

route-map TO-RS permit 10
  match ip address prefix-list TO-RS

route-map TO-RS-6 permit 10
  match ipv6 address prefix-list TO-RS-6

```

Cisco IOS-XR

```

router bgp <Your ASN>
  bgp enforce-first-as disable  >> (Don't forget this command)

  neighbor-group THIX-RS
    remote-as 4652
    address-family ipv4 unicast
      send-community-ebgp
      route-policy FROM-RS in
      route-policy TO-RS out
      soft-reconfiguration inbound

```

```

neighbor-group THIX-RS-6
  remote-as 4652
  address-family ipv6 unicast
  send-community ebgp
  route-policy FROM-RS in
  route-policy TO-RS out
  soft-reconfiguration inbound

neighbor 61.19.60.1
  use neighbor-group THIX-RS
  description rs-bkk-01.thix

neighbor 61.19.61.1
  use neighbor-group THIX-RS
  description rs-ntb-01.thix

prefix-set TO-RS
  192.168.101.0/24
end-set

prefix-set TO-RS-6
  2001:DB8:101::/48
end-set

route-policy TO-RS
  if destination in TO-RS then
    pass
  elseif destination in TO-RS-6 then
    pass
  endif
end-policy

route-policy FROM-RS
  pass
end-policy

```

Cisco NX-OS

```

router bgp <Your ASN>
  no bgp enforce-first-as>> (Don't forget!! this command)
  template peer THIX-RS
    description Neighbor to Route Server TH-IX IPv4
    remove-private-as
    address-family ipv4 unicast
    route-map TO-RS out
    soft-reconfiguration inbound
    send-community both

neighbor 61.19.60.1 remote-as 4652
  inherit peer THIX-RS

neighbor 61.19.61.1 remote-as 4652
  inherit peer THIX-RS

```

```

template peer THIX-RS-6
description Neighbor to Route Server TH-IX IPv6
remove-private-as
address-family ipv6 unicast
  route-map TO-RS-6 out
  soft-reconfiguration inbound
  send-community both

neighbor 2001:C38:8000::4652:1 remote-as 4652
inherit peer THIX-RS-6

neighbor 2001:C38:8000::4652:2 remote-as 4652
inherit peer THIX-RS-6

ip prefix-list TO-RS seq 10 permit 192.168.101.0/24
ipv6 prefix-list TO-RS-6 seq 10 permit 2001:DB8:101::/48

route-map TO-RS permit 10
  match ip address prefix-list TO-RS

route-map TO-RS-6 permit 10
  match ipv6 address prefix-list TO-RS-6

```

Cisco Aggregated Links (LACP)

Configure the port-channel as active.

Cisco IOS

```

interface Port-channel<number>
description THIX Aggregated Link
ip address 61.19.6x.y 255.255.254.0
no ip redirects
no ip proxy-arp
ipv6 address 2001:C38:8000::xx:xxxx:1/64
ipv6 nd ra suppress all

interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0
description Link to THIX Port 1
no ip address
channel-group <number> mode active

interface GigabitEthernet0/0/1
description Link to THIX Port 2
no ip address
channel-group <number> mode active

```

Cisco IOS-XR

```
interface Bundle-Ether<number>
  description THIX Aggregated Link
  ipv4 address 61.19.6x.y 255.255.254.0
  ipv6 nd suppress-ra
  ipv6 address 2001:c38:8000::xx:xxxx:1/64

interface TenGigE0/4/0/0
  description Link to THIX Port 1
  bundle id <number> mode active

interface TenGigE0/4/0/0
  description Link to THIX Port 2
  bundle id <number> mode active
```

IPv6 Configuration

To suppress IPv6 router advertisement transmissions on a LAN interface, use these command in an appropriate configuration mode.

Cisco IOS/IOS-XE

```
ipv6 nd ra suppress all
```

Cisco IOS-XR/NX-OS

```
ipv6 nd suppress-ra
```

IPv6 Numbering Scheme

The IPv6 set-up on the THIX ISP peering LAN is as follows:

- The prefix in use is: 2001:c38:8000::/64
- The prefix is sourced from AS4652.

The suffix ('allocation') scheme for 16 bits ASNs is as follows:

```
2001:c38:8000::x:xxxx:n
```

The suffix ('allocation') scheme for 32 bits ASNs is as follows:

```
2001:c38:8000::xx:xxx:n
```

The, "x:xxx" or "xx:xxx" is your (zero-padded) AS number in decimals and "n" is a serial number depending on the number of interfaces you are using for IPv6 peerings (starting from 1 for the first interface, 2 for the second interface and so on).

Examples:

TH-IX uses AS4652 (zero-padded: 004652), so its IPv6 peering addresses are:

```
2001:c38:8000::4652:1/64
```

```
2001:c38:8000::4652:2/64
```

A member with a 16-bit ASN of 64523 would use:

```
2001:c38:8000::6:4523:1/64
```

```
2001:c38:8000::6:4523:2/64
```

A member with a 32-bit ASN of 195000 would use:

```
2001:c38:8000::19:5000:1/64
```

```
2001:c38:8000::19:5000:2/64
```