



# Deployment Guide For CCTV / IPTV Systems Using VSP Switches with Fabric Connect SPBm

**Abstract:** This technical configuration guide provides an overview and examples of an IP Video or CCTV network deployment using Extreme Networks VSP switches leveraging Shortest Path Bridging (SPBm)

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## Prerequisites

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- Five or more VSP or Universal switches running VOSS/Fabric Engine 8.6 or later.
- IPTV/CCTV system or tools that can generate IGMP multicast traffic.

## Overview

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### Foreword

For several decades video surveillance has become a critical component of every organization's security stance. It can be used for inventory control and theft prevention for retail. Fair-play assurance for casinos. Public safety for large venues, airports, and sporting events. Perimeter security for secure access areas. Video surveillance systems are everywhere and require near 100% uptime.

These video systems (or CCTV systems) were deployed using analog signaling technologies which required massive cabling infrastructure. As a result, they lacked scale.

With the introduction of IP based CCTV systems, security integrators have been able to deploy large scale systems using a single ethernet network of switches and routers. However, these systems were traditionally deployed in either of two ways:

- One large broadcast domain where all IP cameras, viewing stations, and recording appliances are in the same network. This is easy to deploy but will require spanning tree that may be susceptible to topology re-convergence and outages. All devices being in one large IP range also creates security concerns because all devices are accessible to anyone that can get on the network.
- A CCTV system using a routed network, which is far more scalable and reliable. However, routed networks are far more complex to deploy and manage as they require many underlying protocols such as RIP or OSPF, spanning tree and PIM for multicast.

This document will outline an optimal example of CCTV deployment using Extreme Networks' VSP switches which leverage SPBm. Delivering the scale and security and reliability of a routed network without the complexity seen in traditional networks.

### Multicast Routing with SPBm Overview

Multicast allows information to be efficiently forwarded from a source device to many receivers who have expressed an interest in joining the multicast group. There are many examples of applications that benefit from or require multicast support, such as Video Surveillance, IPTV, Video Conferencing, Financial market data distribution on trading floors, and Ghost distribution of backup disk images to multiple computers simultaneously.

For every multicast packet that the source generates, the network must be able to replicate it to every receiver in the group. This should be done in an efficient manner such that packet

replication occurs at every branch in the multicast delivery tree and delivery to each and every receiver is along the shortest path towards that receiver. This is exactly what Fabric Connect does.

Shortest Path Bridging is the only networking technology to date that has been engineered to properly handle multicast from the ground up. This contrasts with IP and MPLS, where IP Multicast was retrofitted as an afterthought and is the reason why the IP multicast control planes defined for operation over IP (PIM), and MPLS IPVPNs (draft Rosen) as well as EVPN are so complex and inefficient.

## Layer 2 Edge vs Layer 3 Edge

To understand the power and flexibility that Fabric Connect can deliver for a CCTV deployment, it is critical to understand the choices a network architect has when considering a network design.

Networks are generally deployed in one of two ways:

1 – L3 Core, L2 Edge: In a L3 Core L2 Edge network, all routing takes place in the core switches. Edge access switches are deployed as L2 access switches using only VLAN separation. VLANs are extended to the edge access switches using 802.1q tagging.

2- L3 routing at the edge: In this network design, routing is configured on the core and the edge access switches. Layer 2 domains are not extended beyond the local switch.

When CCTV is the application on the network, the advantages of a routed edge network far outweigh the benefits of an L2 edge network.

Using a Fabric Connect solution with VSP switches gives network architects the flexibility to choose either L2 or L3 edge.

This guide will demonstrate a routed L3 edge design.

## Objectives

This guide describes the preparation and steps required to deploy a VSP network for a CCTV system leveraging Shortest Path Bridging (SPBm).

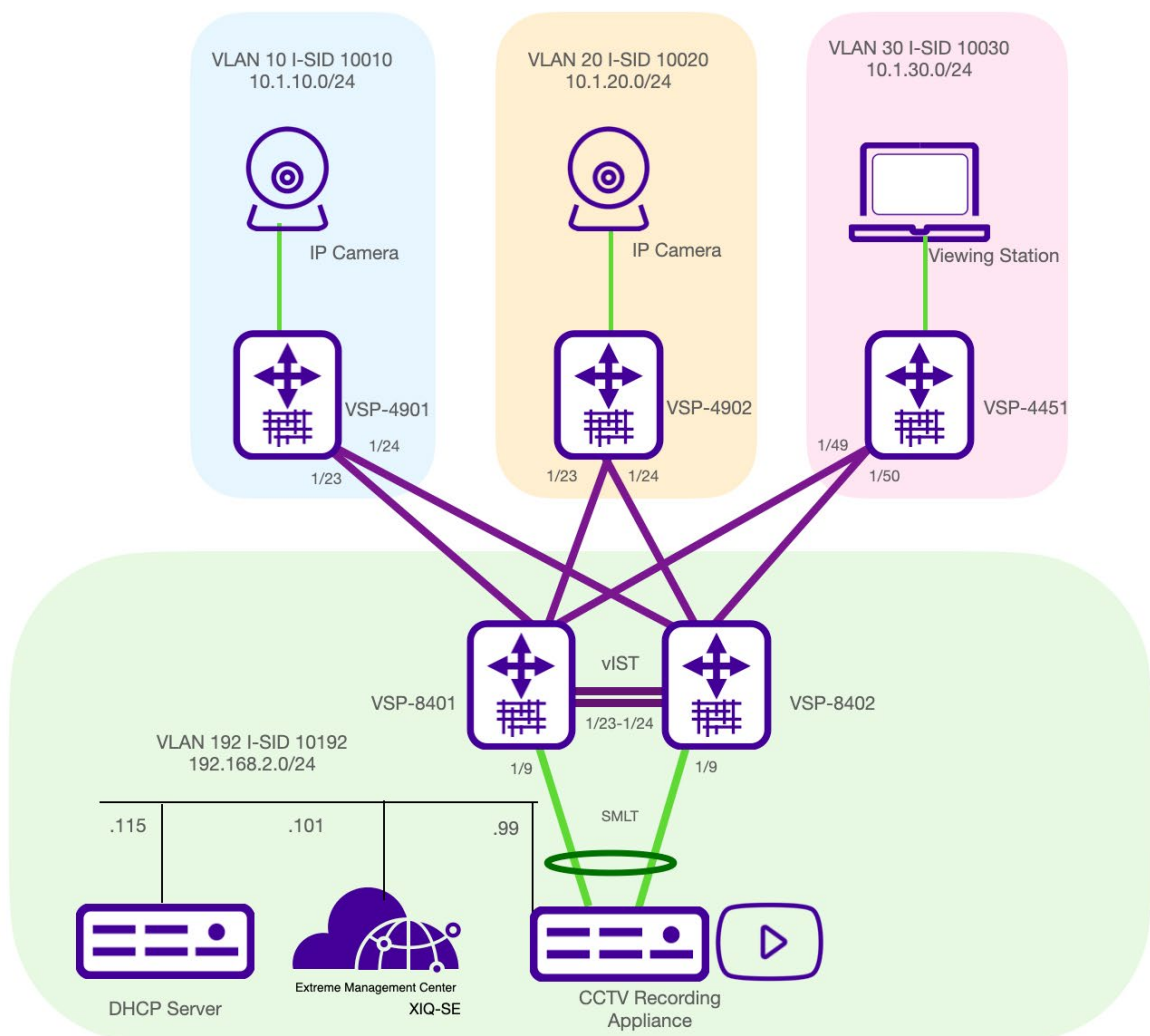
- Build VLAN, IP and switching naming convention plan.
- Build a dual VSP vIST cluster as the campus core that will connect all edge switches, video appliances and servers in a redundant manner.
- Build example configuration for three VSP edge switches.
- Validate multicast routing.

## Network Diagram

This guide uses the following network setup as an example of a VSP L3 edge deployment for CCTV. It consists of the following devices and software:

- Two VSP core/distribution switches running VOSS/Fabric Engine 8.6 or later in a dual vIST MC-LAG cluster.
- Three VSPs edge switches running VOSS/Fabric Engine 8.6 or later.
- Two IP video cameras. In lieu of IP cameras, we are using raspberry Pis as IGMP traffic generators using open-source video software.
- One or more laptops as a viewing station using open-source video software.
- One Linux server acting as the CCTV recording and steaming media appliance using open-source video software.

One host VM for hosting the virtual appliance of XMC/XIQ-SE and a Linux DHCP server (optional).



**Caution**

This Technical Configuration Guide for CCTV deployments does not provide details into the inner workings and fundamentals of Shortest Path Bridging/802.1aq. One should consult the SPBVOSS\_TSC.CG.PDF and NETWORK VIRTUALIZATION USING FABRIC CONNECT documents for a comprehensive view into the Fabric Connect solution, protocols, and terminology.

Both documents can be found on the Extreme Networks Product Documentation page.

## Switch, VLAN, I-SID, and IP Address Plan

The following tables detail the unique VLAN, IP, and SPBm values required for each VSP in the network.

### vIST Core VSP 8400s

**Table 1.** Core VSP SPBm and IP address values

	VSP-CORE-01	VSP-CORE-02
System Name	8401-Core01	8402-Core02
System- ID	0000.0001.8401	0000.0001.8402
Nick Name	0.84.01	0.84.02
BLVANS	4051-4052	
Manual Area	49.0001	
vIST VLAN & I-SID	2 / 10002	
SMLT V-BMAC	XX:XX:XX:XX:84:FF (where “84” can be unique for you)	
vIST VLAN IP	172.16.2.1/30	172.16.2.2/30
Management CLIP	172.16.84.1/32	172.16.84.2/32
Loopback CLIP	172.17.84.1/32	172.17.84.2/32
Server VLAN & I-SID	192 / 10192	
Server VLAN IP	192.168.2.2/24	192.168.2.3/24
Server VLAN VRRP VIP	192.168.2.1	192.168.2.1

## Edge VSP SPBm, VLAN, and IP values

Table 2. Edge VSP SPBm and IP address values

	VSP-Edge-01	VSP-Edge-02	VSP-Edge-03
System Name	4901-edge-01	4901-edge-02	4451-edge-03
System- ID	0000.0001.4901	0000.0001.4902	0000.0001.4451
Nick Name	0.49.01	0.49.02	0.44.51
BLVANS	4051-4052		
Manual Area	49.0001		
Management CLIP	172.16.49.1/32	172.16.49.2/32	172.16.44.51/32
Loopback CLIP	172.17.49.1/32	172.17.49.2/32	172.17.44.51/32
Video VLAN & I-SID	10 / 10010	20 / 10020	30 / 10030
Video VLAN IP	10.1.10.1/24	10.1.20.1/24	10.1.30.1/24

### Note

For the data centre services and edge routed VLANs we are using a /24-bit (or 255.255.255.0) subnets as an example only. However, /24-bit subnets are favourable since they are concise, easy to work with and do allow for growth. IP address exhaustion is often not a concern in closed CCTV systems. VOSS switches do support all the standard CIDR subnet ranges should you wish to use smaller or larger subnet ranges.

## VSP CORE vIST MC-LAG Configuration

### vIST Core Creation

SPBm combined with Extreme's SMLT/MLAG and vIST offers an active-active solution with redundant distribution between two VSP switches. vIST allows network architects to deploy two VSP switches in a dual MC-LAG cluster that behaves as a single unit that will share forwarding data, topology, and route calculations.

The creation of the vIST requires five values and is detailed in the examples below.

- Dedicated vIST VLAN.



- I-SID value for the vIST VLAN.
- Two IP addresses, one per switch.
- SPBm peering configuration.
- Virtual Backbone MAC address shared on both VSP peers.

For the purpose of this design we will use a Multi-Link-Trunk (MLT) between the two core VSPs. This will deliver redundancy in the event of a port, optical transceiver, or fiber failure. The MLT will also add traffic capacity in its normal state. MLT is the preferred link aggregation protocol to use between Extreme VSP, ERS and EXOS switches.

To manage and route IP traffic we will demonstrate how to configure management interfaces and a routed network for data center services with failover redundancy.

To deliver redundancy between the dual vIST cluster and the server appliances we will demonstrate how to configure LACP/802.3ad. Most enterprise grade networking, server, and operating system vendors support the 802.3ad LACP standard for added capacity and redundancy. Consult 3<sup>rd</sup>-party manufacturer's literature for the optimal LAG protocol to use on your VSP core.

## Core Design

The following image is the design of the vIST core we will be configuring:

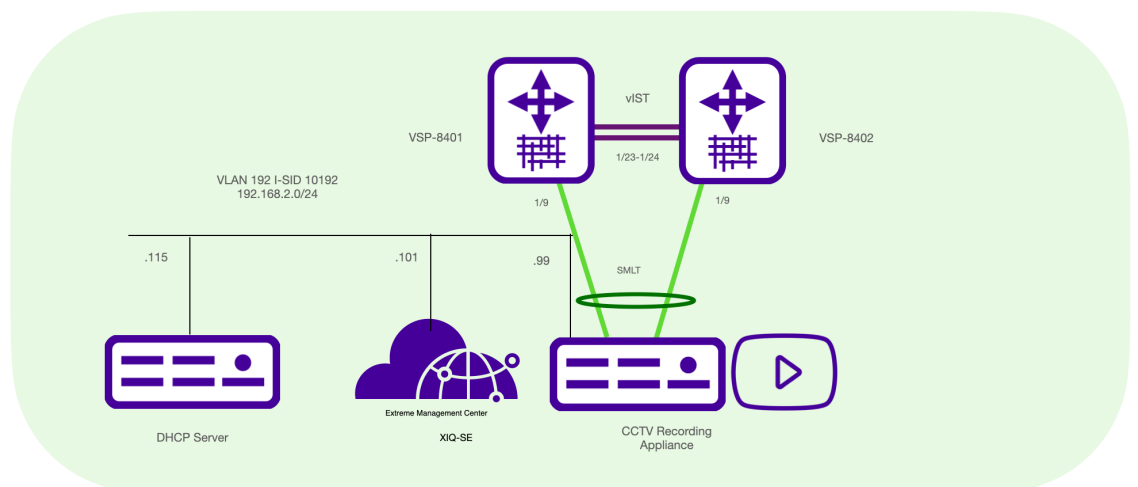


Figure 1.

### Warnings

This example is using two VSP8404s, each with a single 8424XS module in slot no1. Your design and switch selection may be different. Be mindful of your port ranges and values for the switches you are working with.

Warnings (Factory default VSP before continuing)

VOSS 8.2 and later introduced a new baseline configuration with several functions pre-configured to support Zero Touch deployments. As this guide is demonstrating a manual configuration, use the following commands to delete all configurations and reboot the VSP into a default state.

```
#copy config.cfg backupVSPconfig.cfg (optional: if you wish to save the current configuration)

#remove config.cfg (choose YES to delete the runtime config)

#conf t

#boot config flags factorydefaults

#exit

#boot (choose YES to reboot the switch)
```

Upon reboot perform the following command to view the VLAN settings and validate defaults.

```
#show vlan adv
```

If you only see **VLAN 1** you have successfully rebooted the switch to a defaulted state.

Caution

The vIST configuration requires the architect to select a virtual Backbone MAC address (or BMAC). The BMAC address for your deployment will be unique to one shown below. It is best practice to use the first 8 characters from the Base MAC address of one the VSPs and append an FF:FF as the final 4 characters. The BMAC value is the same on both VSPs in the vIST cluster. See Line 15 in table 3.

Use the command `show sys-info` to find the base MAC address from one of the switches.

Note

It is good practise to remove VLAN 1 from all ports during the initial configuration of the switch. See line 11 from Table 3. VLAN 1 can be added if required.

Initial SPBM Configuration of VSP Cores

Table 3. Initial configuration of VSP cores

VSP-Core-01	VSP-Core-02
spbm	spbm
prompt 8401	prompt 8402
router isis	router isis
sys-name 8401_CORE01	sys-name 8402_CORE02
system-id 0000.0001.8401	system-id 0000.0001.8402

```

spbm 1
spbm 1 nick-name 0.84.01
spbm 1 b-vid 4051-4052 primary 4051
spbm 1 multicast enable

manual-area 49.0001

vlan member remove 1 1/1-1/24
vlan create 4051 name "BVLAN-1" type spbm-
bvlan
vlan create 4052 name "BVLAN-2" type spbm-
bvlan

router isis
spbm 1 smlt-virtual-bmac 64:6a:52:b8:84:FF
spbm 1 smlt-peer-system-id 0000.0001.8402
exit
vlan create 2 name IST type port-mstprstp 0
vlan i-sid 2 2
interface vlan 2
ip address 172.16.2.1/30
exit
virtual-ist peer-ip 172.16.2.2 vlan 2

Router isis
Router isis enable
Cfm spbm enable

```

```

spbm 1
spbm 1 nick-name 0.84.02
spbm 1 b-vid 4051-4052 primary 4051
spbm 1 multicast enable

manual-area 49.0001

vlan member remove 1 1/1-1/24
vlan create 4051 name "BVLAN-1" type spbm-
bvlan
vlan create 4052 name "BVLAN-2" type spbm-
bvlan

router isis
spbm 1 smlt-virtual-bmac 64:6a:52:b8:84:FF
spbm 1 smlt-peer-system-id 0000.0001.8401
exit
vlan create 2 name IST type port-mstprstp 0
vlan i-sid 2 2
interface vlan 2
ip address 172.16.2.2/30
exit
virtual-ist peer-ip 172.16.2.1 vlan 2

Router isis
Router isis enable
Cfm spbm enable

```

## Validate Initial SPBm Configuration

SPBm should be enabled as per below. If SPBm is not enabled, validate the configuration from the example above.

```

8401X:1#show spbm
                        spbm : enable
                        ethertype : 0x8100
                        nick-name server : disable
                        nick-name allocation : static

8402:1(config)#show isis

=====
                        ISIS General Info
=====
                        AdminState : enabled
                        RouterType : Level 1
                        System ID : 0000.0001.8402
Max LSP Gen Interval : 900
                        Metric : wide
Overload-on-startup : 20
                        Overload : false
                        Csnp Interval : 10

```

```

PSNP Interval : 2
Rxmt LSP Interval : 5
    spf-delay : 100
Router Name : 8402_CORE02

```

## MLT and NNI Configuration

The two VSP core switches are configured for SPBm and now require Network -to- Network Interfaces (NNIs) to connect the VSP switches together into one SPBm fabric.

For the links between the two VSP cores we will be creating an MLT LAG bonding with two ports: 1/23 and 1/24. The MLT will be enabled for SPBm by adding the MLT interface to the SPBm group.

At this time, we will also configure the individual links that will connect the three edge VSP4000 series switches to the SPBm network: Ports 1/1 -to- 1/3 on both VSP cores. This will deliver two links per edge switch in a full redundant mesh topology.

**Table 4.** MLT and NNI for core VSPs

### VSP-Core-01 & 02 (configuration is the same for both core switches)

```

mlt 1 enable
mlt 1 member 1/23-1/24
mlt 1 encap dot1q

interface gig 1/23-1/24
no spanning-tree mstp force en
yes
no shut
untagged-frames-discard

interface mlt 1
isis
isis spbm 1
isis enable
exit

interface gig 1/1-1/3
isis
isis spbm 1
isis en
untagged-frames-discard
no spanning-tree mstp force-port-state enable
y
no shut

```

## Validate NNI and vIST Configuration

With SPBm globally enabled and the NNIs configured the following commands shown below will validate the VSP IS-IS adjacencies and vIST state.

You will want to observe that the VSP core switches see their ISIS neighbours over MLT 1. Also notice that the vIST state as “UP”

### Note

You will only need to perform the validation on one of the two VSP cores. If it is correct on one of the VSPs, it is correct on both switches in the vIST cluster.

```
8401:1#show isis adjacencies
```

```
*****
```

```
ISIS Adjacencies
```

```
=====
```

INTERFACE	L	STATE	UPTIME	PRI	HOLDTIME	SYSID	HOST-NAME
STATUS	AREA	AREA-NAME					
-----							
<b>Mlt1</b>		<b>1 UP</b>	00:01:10	127		20 0000.0001.8402	8402_CORE02
ACTIVE	HOME						
-----							

```
Home: 1 out of 1 interfaces have formed an adjacency
```

```
-----
```

```
8401:1#show virtual-ist
```

```
IST Info
```

```
=====
```

PEER-IP	VLAN	ENABLE	IST
ADDRESS	ID	IST	STATUS
-----			
172.16.2.2	2	<b>true</b>	<b>up</b>
-----			

NEGOTIATED		MASTER/
DIALECT	IST STATE	SLAVE
-----		
v6.0	Up	Slave

## VSP Core IP Management and Routing Configuration

VOSS 8.2 and later introduced a security and management architecture enhancement called **Segmented Management**. With segmented management a network architect must explicitly select what IP interfaces are able to reply to management protocols (ex. Telnet, SSH, HTTPS, SNMP).

In VSP and Universal Hardware platforms that support VOSS 8.2 or later, one can create three interfaces for remote management and monitoring.

- Out of band interface.

- VLAN IP interface.
- In-band CLIP interface

For remote management in a routed network it is best practice to create a routed circuit-less interface (CLIP) as the interface to reply to management protocols. This is referred to as the “mgmt clip” address.

It is optional, but highly recommended to configure a loopback address as well. A loopback interface is only required for troubleshooting with ICMP/PING. Without a pre-configured loopback interface any ping command will require an explicit source IP in the ping command syntax.



## Management CLIP and Loopback CLIP

**Table 5.** Management CLIP and Loopback CLIP.

VSP-Core-01	VSP-Core-02
<pre> mgmt clip ip address 172.16.84.1/32 enable  interface loopback 1 ip address 1 172.17.84.1/32 router isis ip-source-address 172.17.84.1 spbm 1 ip en router isis redistribute direct redistribute direct enable exit isis apply redistribute direct </pre>	<pre> mgmt clip ip address 172.16.84.2/32 enable  interface loopback 1 ip address 1 172.17.84.2/32 router isis ip-source-address 172.17.84.2 spbm 1 ip en router isis redistribute direct redistribute direct enable exit isis apply redistribute direct </pre>

### Note

The Management CLIP and Loopback clips must be /32-bit IP addresses.

## Data Centre Services VLAN and IP Configuration

In a routed data network, it is ideal to have all services localized within their own VLANs. In this scenario all data center applications, servers, and appliances are in their own VLAN localized on the two VSP core switches. These services and VLANs are not extended beyond the core switches. This allows for broadcast domains to be localized to each switch or vIST cluster. Only Multicast and unicast traffic is forwarded to each SPBm node.

In this example we are configuring a VLAN 192 between both VSP vIST switches using VRRP. Each VSP switch will have a logical address for VLAN 192 and will share a virtual IP address (or VIP). The commands to configure VLAN 192, routing and VRRP for each switch is identical except for line # 4. Each VSP must have a unique logical address. In the example below VSP 1 has 192.168.2.2, VSP 2 has 192.168.2.3. Both VSPs share a VRRP VIP address of 192.168.2.1.

Table 6. Vlan 192 and VRRP configuration

VSP-Core-01	VSP-Core-02
<pre>vlan create 192 type port-mstprstp 0 vlan i-sid 192 10192 interface Vlan 192 ip address 192.168.2.2/24 ip spb-multicast en ip vrrp version 2   ip vrrp address 1 192.168.2.1   ip vrrp 1 adver-int 30 backup-master enable holddown-timer 60   ip vrrp 1 priority 200   ip vrrp 1 enable</pre>	<pre>vlan create 192 type port-mstprstp 0 vlan i-sid 192 10192 interface Vlan 192 ip address 192.168.2.3/24 ip spb-multicast en ip vrrp version 2   ip vrrp address 1 192.168.2.1   ip vrrp 1 adver-int 30 backup-master enable holddown-timer 60   ip vrrp 1 enable</pre>

Note

1 - Core #1 should have a VRRP priority of 200. Core #2 can be set with the default VRRP priority of 100 which does not require an explicit configuration entry.

2- BackupMaster creates an active-active environment for routing. If you enable BackupMaster on the backup router, the backup router no longer switches traffic to the VRRP Master. Instead, the BackupMaster routes all traffic received on the BackupMaster IP interface according to the switch routing table.

Note

VOSS supports two different first hop redundancy protocols. 1- VRRP, which is based on the industry standard. 2 - The Extreme proprietary R-SMLT. If you know for certain your campus network core is only ever going to be two VSP switches you can use R-SMLT. VRRP is more flexible as it allows for growth should you wish to add more switches to your core or extend a routed VRRP domain to another switch in the network.

Validate IP Management and Routing

From one of the two vIST core switches the following commands will validate that the management CLIP, Loopback CLIP and routed VRRP interface for VLAN 192 is active from both switches. Below is the example from VSP-Core-02

Table 7. Show VRRP commands from VSP Core 2

8402:1(config)#show ip route	
=====	
IP Route - GlobalRouter	
=====	
NH	INTER



DST AGE TYPE PRF	MASK	NEXT	VRF/ISID	COST	FACE	PROT	
172.16.2.0 DB 0	255.255.255.252	172.16.2.2	-	1	2	LOC	0
172.16.84.1 IBS 7	255.255.255.255	8401_CORE01	GlobalRouter	10	4051	ISIS	0
172.16.84.2 DB 0	255.255.255.255	172.16.84.2	-	1	4090	LOC	0
172.17.84.1 IBS 7	255.255.255.255	8401_CORE01	GlobalRouter	10	4051	ISIS	0
172.17.84.2 DB 0	255.255.255.255	172.17.84.2	-	1	0	LOC	0
192.168.2.0 DB 0	255.255.255.0	192.168.2.3	-	1	192	LOC	0

You should see the IP routing information for the vIST, CLIP addresses and the new data centre VLAN

**Table 8.** Show VRRP commands from VSP Core 1

```
8401:1(config)#show ip vrrp address
VRRP Info - GlobalRouter
=====
```

VRRP ID	P/V	IP	MAC	STATE	CONTROL	PRIO	ADV	VERSION
1	192	192.168.2.1	00:00:5e:00:01:01	Backup	Enabled	100	30	2

1 out of 1 Total Num of VRRP Address Entries displayed.

```
=====
```

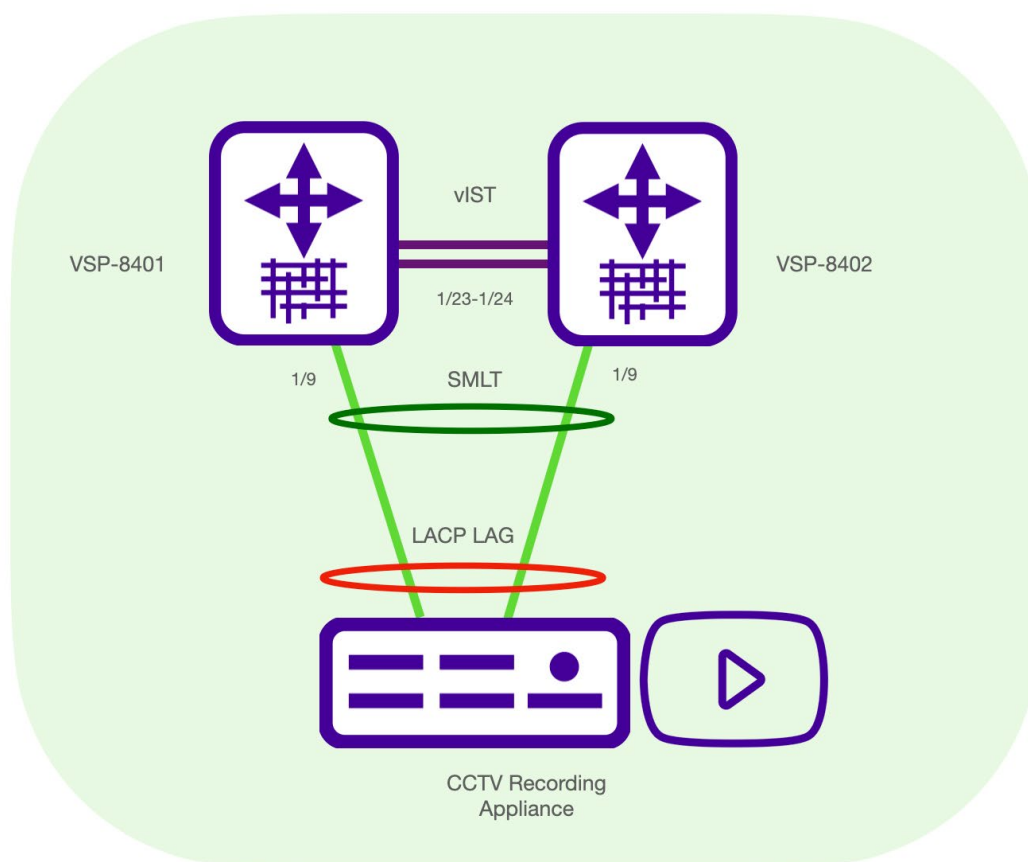
VRRP ID	P/V	MASTER	UP TIME	HLD DWN	CRITICAL	IP(ENABLED)	VERSION
1	192	192.168.2.3	0 day(s), 00:05:46	0	0.0.0.0	(No)	2

1 out of 1 Total Num of VRRP Address Entries displayed.

From the output above we can see from VSP Core 1 VRRP is enabled for VLAN 192, the VIP is configured for 192.168.2.1 and the neighbour at 192.168.2.3 is the master.

## LACP LAG to Video Server

To offer the most capacity and resiliency it is best practice to enable two links across the vIST cluster as a bonded pair or LAG group. This will deliver the best resiliency and service to the servers and appliances in the event of a link or switch failure in the core, or a NIC failure on the server appliance. The industry standard to accomplish this is 802.3ab LACP and is the best option when connecting to 3<sup>rd</sup> party devices as LACP is supported widely across the industry. In the example below, ports 1/9 will be configured for VLAN 192, enabled as an MLT/SMIT for LACP, connected to two NIC interfaces on the server appliance. Fail-over will be sub-second in normal environments.



**Table 9.** VSP vIST core lacp configuration.

**VSP-Core-01 & 02 (configuration is the same for both switches)**

```
vlan members add 192 1/9
mlt 9 enable name "LACP_VideoServer"
interface mlt 9
smlt
lacp enable key 9
Exit
lacp enable

interface gigabitEthernet 1/9
lacp key 9
lacp aggregation en
lacp timeout-time short
Lacp enable
Exit
lacp smlt-sys-id XX:XX:XX:XX:XX:XX /// Chose the Base MAC from VSP_Core_01
Lacp enable

Int gig 1/9
No shut
no spanning-tree mstp force-port-state en
Yes
```

**Note**

The configuration above is an example of 1/9 as an access port. An example of how to configure LACP for a tagged port is available on the Extreme GTAC website. Any port attributes such as tagging and vlan assignment must be made before configuring the LACP/LAG group.

You must choose an LACP MAC address for the MC-LAG cluster which needs to be unique to the network. To create the LACP address you can use the base MAC address from one of the two switches in your vIST cluster and apply that MAC address to the config on both switches. A “show sys-info” command will expose the base MAC address.

**Caution**

Consult the LACP/LAG configuration materials from your 3<sup>rd</sup> party devices for the optimal LAG/LACP configuration on the VSP. Some server virtualization vendors do not require switch NICs to be in LAG/LACP groups for active-active links.

Example: Microsoft uses NIC teaming.

**Validate LACP/SMLT**

The two following show commands, “show lacp” and “show smlt mlt”, will validate your LACP configuration and demonstrate if both links in the SMLT/LACP LAG group are up, active, and balanced. For MLT ID ADMIN and CURRENT Type the optimal status is **SMLT**

```
8401:1#show lacp
```

```
Lacp Global Information
```

```
=====
SystemId: 64:6a:52:b8:f0:00
SmltSystemId: 40:88:2f:54:ac:00
Lacp: enable
system-priority: 32768
timeout-admin: 3
fast-periodic-time-admin: 1000
slow-periodic-time-admin: 30000
aggr-wait-time-admin: 2000
timeout-oper: 3
fast-periodic-time-oper: 1000
slow-periodic-time-oper: 30000
aggr-wait-time-oper: 2000
```

```
8401:1#show smlt mlt
```

Mlt SMLT Info

```
=====
=====
MLT      ADMIN      CURRENT
ID       TYPE
-----
9        smlt
```

### Caution

If the output for “show smlt mlt” indicates SMLT and NORM: NORM is not an ideal state. This means that only one of the two links is active, and the LAG is in a normal state, not an active-active state with two good links. Ensure all links are connected to the correct ports and configuration is validated.

## Edge VSP Configuration

The network core is now ready to accept the edge switches into the SPBm fabric network. As detailed in the overview we will be demonstrating how to configure an SPBm network with an L3 edge design.

Each VSP will be the owner of its own routed network. Only unicast and multicast will be forwarded between the VSP switches.

Two SPB NNIs connected to both cores for redundancy in a full mesh topology:

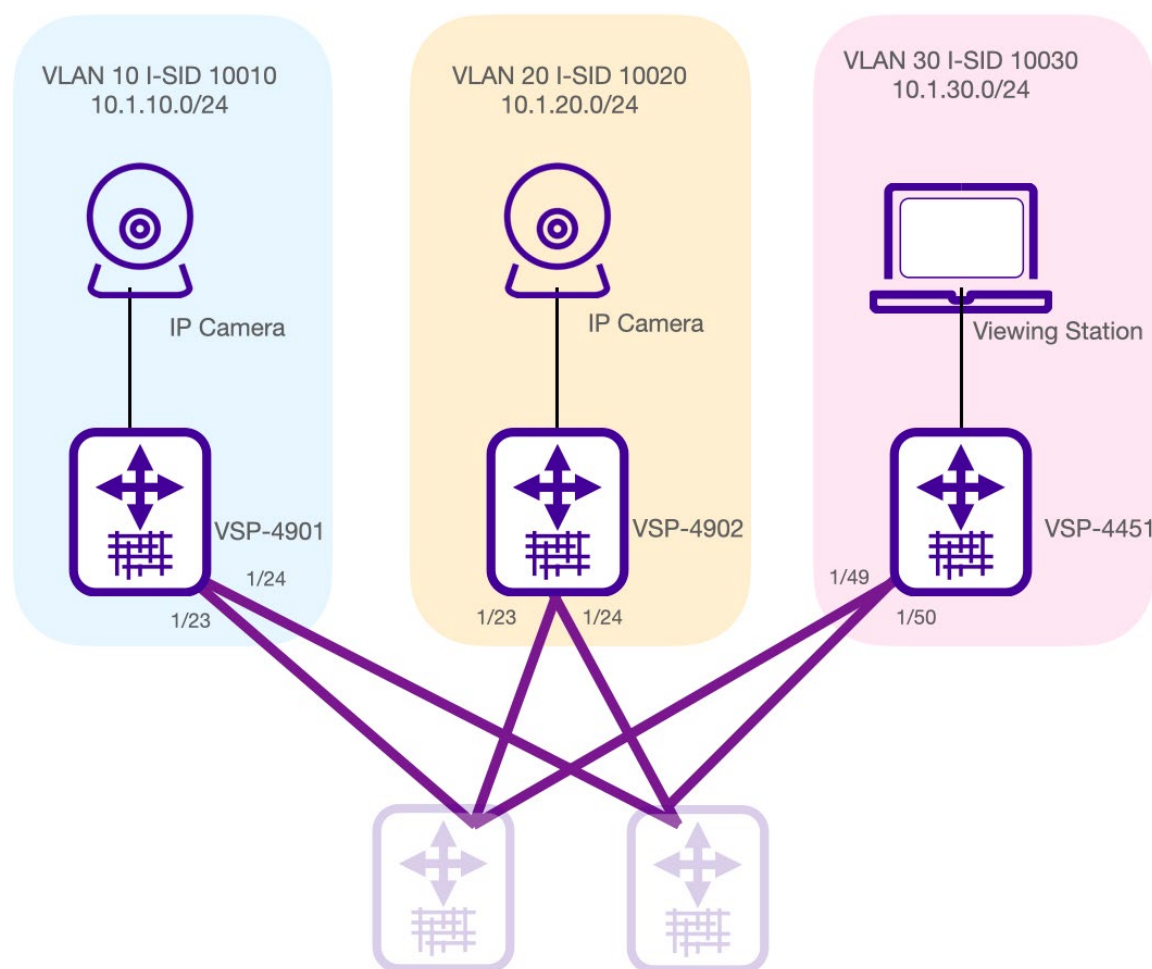


Table 10. VSP 4901 Configuration

## VSP-Edge-01

```

spbm
prompt 4901
router isis
sys-name 4901-edge-01
system-id 0000.0001.4901
spbm 1
spbm 1 nick-name 0.49.01
spbm 1 b-vid 4051-4052 primary 4051
spbm 1 multicast enable

manual-area 49.0001

vlan member remove 1 1/1-1/24
vlan create 4051 name "BVLAN-1" type spbm-bvlan
vlan create 4052 name "BVLAN-2" type spbm-bvlan

Router isis
Router isis enable
Cfm spbm enable

mgmt clip
ip address 172.16.49.1/32
enable

interface loopback 1
ip address 1 172.17.49.1/32
router isis
ip-source-address 172.17.49.1
spbm 1 ip en
router isis
redistribute direct
redistribute direct enable
exit
isis apply redistribute direct

vlan members remove 1 1/1-1/24
interface gig 1/23-1/24
isis
isis spbm 1
isis en
untagged-frames-discard
no spanning-tree mstp force-port-state enable
y
no shut

vlan create 10 type port-mstprstp 0
vlan i-sid 10 10010
interface Vlan 10
ip address 10.1.10.1/24
ip spb-multicast en

vlan members add 10 1/1-1/12
int gig 1/1-1/12
no shut

```

Table 11. VSP 4902 Configuration

## VSP-Edge-02

```

spbm
prompt 4902
router isis
sys-name 4902-edge-02
system-id 0000.0001.4902
spbm 1
spbm 1 nick-name 0.49.02
spbm 1 b-vid 4051-4052 primary 4051
spbm 1 multicast enable

manual-area 49.0001

vlan member remove 1 1/1-1/24
vlan create 4051 name "BVLAN-1" type spbm-bvlan
vlan create 4052 name "BVLAN-2" type spbm-bvlan

Router isis
Router isis enable
Cfm spbm enable

mgmt clip
ip address 172.16.49.2/32
enable

interface loopback 1
ip address 1 172.17.49.2/32
router isis
ip-source-address 172.17.49.2
spbm 1 ip en
router isis
redistribute direct
redistribute direct enable
exit
isis apply redistribute direct

interface gig 1/23-1/24
isis
isis spbm 1
isis en
untagged-frames-discard
no spanning-tree mstp force-port-state enable
y
no shut

vlan create 20 type port-mstprstp 0
vlan i-sid 20 10020
interface Vlan 20
ip address 10.1.20.1/24
ip spb-multicast en

vlan members add 20 1/1-1/12
int gig 1/1-1/12
no shut

```

Table 12. VSP 4451 Configuration

## VSP-Edge-03

```

spbm
prompt 4451
router isis
sys-name 4451-edge-03
system-id 0000.0001.4451
spbm 1
spbm 1 nick-name 0.44.51
spbm 1 b-vid 4051-4052 primary 4051
spbm 1 multicast enable

manual-area 49.0001

vlan member remove 1 1/1-1/24
vlan create 4051 name "BVLAN-1" type spbm-bvlan
vlan create 4052 name "BVLAN-2" type spbm-bvlan

Router isis
Router isis enable
Cfm spbm enable

mgmt clip
ip address 172.16.44.51/32
enable

interface loopback 1
ip address 1 172.17.44.51/32
router isis
ip-source-address 172.17.44.51
spbm 1 ip en
router isis
redistribute direct
redistribute direct enable
exit
isis apply redistribute direct
interface gig 1/49-1/50
isis
isis spbm 1
isis en
untagged-frames-discard
no spanning-tree mstp force-port-state enable
y
no shut

vlan create 30 type port-mstprstp 0
vlan i-sid 30 10030
interface Vlan 30
ip address 10.1.30.1/24
ip spb-multicast en

vlan members add 30 1/1-1/12
int gig 1/1-1/12
no shut

```



## DHCP Relay

Should your network be configured with DHCP for cameras, PCs, and viewing stations to receive their IP address from a DHCP server; the config is as indicated below in Table 14.

### Note

In the DHCP Relay example shown below you must use the gateway address of the VLAN as the relay forwarding path. For each switch it is 10.1.XX.1. In the example below the DHCP server is 192.168.2.115. You will need to adjust these parameters according to your network configuration.

Table 13.

### Caution

If you wish to configure DHCP Relay within a VLAN that is enabled for VRRP, you must use the logical local address as the forwarding path configured for that local VLAN. **DO NOT** use the VRRP VIP address as the forwarding path.

Table 14. VSP DHCP Configuration

#### VSP DHCP Configuration VSP Edge 01

```
Interface vlan 10
Ip dhcp-relay
Ip dhcp-relay broadcast
exit
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.10.1 192.168.2.115
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.10.1 192.168.2.115 enable
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.10.1 192.168.2.115 mode bootp_dhcp
```

#### VSP DHCP Configuration VSP Edge 02

```
Interface vlan 20
Ip dhcp-relay
Ip dhcp-relay broadcast
exit
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.20.1 192.168.2.115
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.20.1 192.168.2.115 enable
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.20.1 192.168.2.115 mode bootp_dhcp
```

#### VSP DHCP Configuration VSP Edge 03

```
Interface vlan 30
Ip dhcp-relay
Ip dhcp-relay broadcast
exit
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.30.1 192.168.2.115
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.30.1 192.168.2.115 enable
```

```
ip dhcp-relay fwd-path 10.1.30.1 192.168.2.115 mode bootp_dhcp
```



## Validate SPBm Network

At this point you should now have a vIST core cluster configured and all three edge switches connected to the core. The following commands will validate network configuration:

'show ISIS adjacencies' -- This command should be executed on each switch. For the three edge switches you should see two ISIS adjacencies. One to VSP Core 1 and one to Core 2. On the VSP Cores you should see a single link to each edge VSP and to the vIST neighbour. The neighbours will be identified by their System-ID and Host-Name.

**Table 15.** 'Show ISIS adjacencies' example from VSP 4901-01

```
4901:1#show isis adjacencies
```

ISIS Adjacencies							
INTERFACE STATUS	AREA	L STATE AREA-NAME	UPTIME	PRI	HOLDTIME	SYSID	HOST-NAME
Port1/23 ACTIVE	HOME	1 UP	05:08:07	127		27 0000.0001.8401	8401_CORE01
Port1/24 ACTIVE	HOME	1 UP	05:08:01	127		20 0000.0001.8402	8402_CORE02

**Table 16.** Show ISIS adjacencies example from VSP Core 01.

```
8401:1#show isis adjacencies
```

ISIS Adjacencies							
INTERFACE STATUS	AREA	L STATE AREA-NAME	UPTIME	PRI	HOLDTIME	SYSID	HOST-NAME
Mlt1 ACTIVE	HOME	1 UP	05:10:12	127		23 0000.0001.8402	8402_CORE02
Port1/1 ACTIVE	HOME	1 UP	05:10:17	127		25 0000.0001.4901	4901-edge-01
Port1/2 ACTIVE	HOME	1 UP	05:10:17	127		22 0000.0001.4902	4902-edge-02
Port1/3 ACTIVE	HOME	1 UP	05:10:16	127		23 0000.0001.4451	4451-edge-03

The 'show isis spbm nick-name' command can be executed from any switch in the fabric. This will validate that all switches are registered to the SPBm area. In the example below from VSP 4901, all switches are present and identified in the fabric by Nick-Name and Host-Name. As all 5 switches are present, we have validated that all five switches are configured correctly for SPBm.

**Table 17.** 'Show isis spbm Nick-name' output from VSP 4901.

```
8401:1#show isis spbm nick-name
```

ISIS SPBM NICK-NAME					
LSP ID AREA	NAME	LIFETIME	NICK-NAME	VIRTUAL-BMAC	HOST-NAME
0000.0001.4451.00-00 HOME		481	0.44.51	00:00:00:00:00:00	4451-edge-03
0000.0001.4901.00-00 HOME		1121	0.49.01	00:00:00:00:00:00	4901-edge-01
0000.0001.4902.00-00 HOME		1118	0.49.02	00:00:00:00:00:00	4902-edge-02

0000.0001.8401.00-00 HOME	496	0.84.01	64:6a:52:b8:ff:ff	8401_CORE01
0000.0001.8402.00-00 HOME	501	0.84.02	64:6a:52:b8:ff:ff	8402_CORE02

#### Note

In the table above you will notice that the three edge switches do not have virtual BMACs; they are stand-alone switches, they are not part of a vIST cluster and do not require a BMAC.

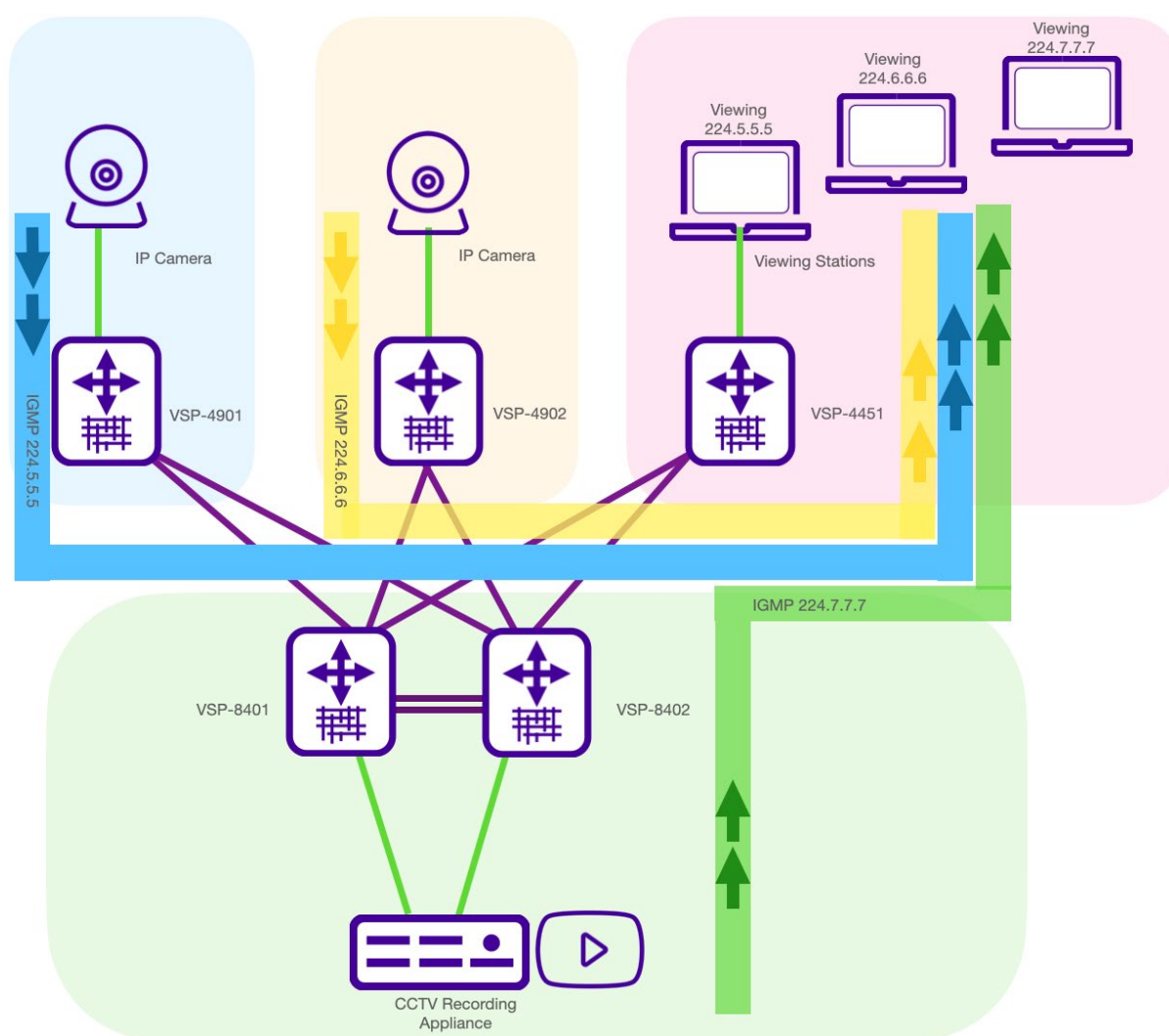


## Validate Multicast Traffic

Using open-source multicast video tools we will generate three IGMP steams.

- Camera 1 connected to VSP 4901 is streaming IGMP group 224.5.5.5.
- Camera 2 connected to VSP 4902 is streaming IMGP group 224.6.6.6.
- CCTV Recording appliance connected to vIST cluster is steaming IGMP group 224.7.7.7.

Three viewing stations connected to VSP 4451 are requesting IGMP joins to those three IGMP groups.



## Validate IMGP Senders

**Table 18.** VSP 4901 IGMP validation

The “show ip igmp sender” command will show the results that on port 1/1 the camera is sending on group address 224.5.5.5

```
4901:1#show ip igmp sender
```

Igmp Sender - GlobalRouter					
=====					
GRPADDR	IFINDEX	MEMBER	PORT/ MLT	STATE	L2ISID
-----					
224.5.5.5	Vlan 10	10.1.10.100	1/1	NOTFILTERED	10010

**Table 19.** VSP 4902 IGMP validation

The “show ip igmp sender” command will show the results that on port 1/1 the camera is sending on group address 224.6.6.6

```
4902:1#show ip igmp sender
```

Igmp Sender - GlobalRouter					
=====					
=====					
GRPADDR	IFINDEX	MEMBER	PORT/ MLT	STATE	L2ISID
-----					
224.6.6.6	Vlan 20	10.1.20.100	1/1	NOTFILTERED	10020

**Table 20.** VSP Core IGMP Validations

### Note

Within the core vIST cluster you will notice that the port number is identified as the MLT/LAG number.

```
8401:1#show ip igmp sender
```

Igmp Sender - GlobalRouter					
=====					
=====					
GRPADDR	IFINDEX	MEMBER	PORT/ MLT	STATE	L2ISID
-----					
224.7.7.7	Vlan 192	192.168.2.99	MLT-9	NOTFILTERED	10192

1 out of 1 entries displayed

```
8402:1#show ip igmp sender
```

Igmp Sender - GlobalRouter					
=====					
=====					
GRPADDR	IFINDEX	MEMBER	PORT/ MLT	STATE	L2ISID
-----					

```
-----
224.7.7.7      Vlan 192    192.168.2.99    MLT-9      NOTFILTERED    10192

1 out of 1 entries displayed
```

## Validate IGMP Group Joins

On the third VSP edge switch 4451-edge-03, all three viewing stations have requested to join the three IGMP multicast streams that are being sent by VSP 4901, VSP 4902 and the two VSP VIST core switches.

The following two IGMP commands will validate that on VSP 4451 multicast status is active. VLAN 30 IP address is the querier address and we are seeing active joins.

**Table 21.** Validate IGMP Groups for VSP 4451-03

```
4451:1#show ip igmp interface
                    Igmp Interface - GlobalRouter
=====
=====
      QUERY          OPER          QUERY  WRONG          LASTMEM
IF      INTVL STATUS VERS.  VERS  QUERIER    MAXRSPT QUERY JOINS ROBUST  QUERY  MODE
L2ISID
-----
-----
V30     125   active 2      2    10.1.30.1  100    0    402   2      10    routed-spb
10030
V4051   125   inact 2      2    0.0.0.0   100    0     0    2      10             0
V4052   125   inact 2      2    0.0.0.0   100    0     0    2      10             0

3 out of 3 entries displayed
```

The following table will show that the three viewing stations on ports 1, 7 and 9 have requested the three IGMP streams. The viewing stations are identified by their IP address and the group address they have joined.

**Table 22.** Validate IGMP group joins.

```
4451:1#show ip igmp group
                    Igmp Group - GlobalRouter
=====
=====
GRPADDR      INPORT      MEMBER      EXPIRATION TYPE      L2ISID
-----
-----
224.5.5.5     V30-1/1      10.1.30.102  194      Dynamic    10030
224.6.6.6     V30-1/7      10.1.30.101  186      Dynamic    10030
224.7.7.7     V30-1/9      10.1.30.100  185      Dynamic    10030

3 out of 3 group Receivers displayed
```

## Supplementary Validation and Troubleshooting Commands

The following series of commands can be used to view statistics, status, settings, and state of the SPBm network and services.

**Table 23.** SPBm validation commands

```
show isis
show isis adjacencies
show isis interfaces
show isis spbm
show isis spbm nicknames
show isis spbm lsdb
show isis spbm i-sid all
show vlan i-sid
show virtual-ist
show cfm cmac
show cfm spbm
```

**Table 24.** L2 ping and traceroute commands.

```
l2 ping vlan 4051 routernodename <destination router name>
l2 ping vlan 4052 routernodename <destination router name>
l2 traceroute vlan 4051 routernodename <destination router name>
l2 traceroute vlan 4052 routernodename <destination router name>
```

**Table 25.** Advanced multicast validation

```
show isis spbm ip-multicast-route all
show isis spbm ip-multicast-route vlan <vlan ID>
show isis spbm ip-multicast-route vsn-isid <i-sid>
l2 tracemroute source <source address> group <group address> vlan <C-VLAN id>
```

**Table 26.** IP routing and VRRP validation commands

```
show ip route
show ip vrrp interface
show ip vrrp interface vlan
Show ip vrrp address
show ip vrrp statistics
show vlan remote-mac <vlan#>
```





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