

# Dynamic Site to Site IKEv2 VPN Tunnel Between an ASA and an IOS Router Configuration Example

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## Introduction

This document describes how to configure a site-to-site Internet Key Exchange Version 2 (IKEv2) VPN tunnel between an Adaptive Security Appliance (ASA) and a Cisco router where the router has a dynamic IP address and the ASA has a static IP address on the public-facing interfaces.

## Prerequisites

### Requirements

There are no specific requirements for this document.

### Components Used

The information in this document is based on these software and hardware versions:

- Cisco IOS® Version 15.1(1)T or later
- Cisco ASA Version 8.4(1) or later

The information in this document was created from the devices in a specific lab environment. All of the devices used in this document started with a cleared (default) configuration. If your network is live, make sure that you understand the potential impact of any command.

## Background Information

This document discusses these scenarios:

- Scenario 1: An ASA is configured with a static IP address that uses a named tunnel group and the router is configured with a dynamic IP address.
- Scenario 2: An ASA is configured with a dynamic IP address and the router is configured with a dynamic IP address.
- Scenario 3: This scenario is not discussed here. In this scenario, the ASA is configured with a static IP address but uses the DefaultL2LGroup tunnel group. The configuration for this is similar to what is described in the [Dynamic Site to Site IKEv2 VPN Tunnel Between Two ASAs Configuration Example](#) article.

The biggest configuration difference between Scenarios 1 and 3 is the Internet Security Association and Key Management Protocol (ISAKMP) ID used by the remote router. When the DefaultL2LGroup is used on the static ASA, the peer's ISAKMP ID on the router must be the address of the ASA. However, if a named tunnel group is used, the peer's ISAKMP ID on the router must be the same as the tunnel group name configured on the ASA. This is accomplished with this command on the router:

```
identity local key-id <name of the tunnel-group on the static ASA>
```

The advantage of using named tunnel groups on the static ASA is that when the DefaultL2LGroup is used, the configuration on the remote dynamic ASAs/routers, which includes the pre-shared keys, must be identical and it does not allow for much granularity with the setup of policies.

## Configure

### Scenario 1

#### Network Diagram

#### Configuration

This section describes the configuration on the ASA and the router based on the Named tunnel-group configuration.

## Static ASA Configuration

```
interface Ethernet0/0
 nameif outside
 security-level 0
 ip address 201.1.1.2 255.255.255.0
!
crypto ipsec ikev2 ipsec-proposal ESP-AES-SHA
 protocol esp encryption aes
 protocol esp integrity sha-1
crypto ipsec security-association pmtu-aging infinite
crypto dynamic-map dmap 1 set ikev2 ipsec-proposal ESP-AES-SHA
crypto map vpn 1 ipsec-isakmp dynamic dmap
crypto map vpn interface outside
crypto ca trustpool policy
crypto ikev2 policy 1
 encryption 3des
 integrity sha
 group 5 2
 prf sha
 lifetime seconds 86400
crypto ikev2 enable outside

group-policy Site-to-Site internal
group-policy Site-to-Site attributes
 vpn-tunnel-protocol ikev2
tunnel-group S2S-IKEv2 type ipsec-121
tunnel-group S2S-IKEv2 general-attributes
 default-group-policy Site-to-Site
tunnel-group S2S-IKEv2 ipsec-attributes
 ikev2 remote-authentication pre-shared-key cisco321
 ikev2 local-authentication pre-shared-key cisco123
```

## Dynamic Router Configuration

The Dynamic Router is configured almost the same way as you normally configure in cases where the router is a dynamic site for IKEv2 L2L tunnel with the addition of one command as shown here:

```
ip access-list extended vpn
 permit ip host 10.10.10.1 host 201.1.1.2

crypto ikev2 proposal L2L-Prop
 encryption 3des
 integrity sha1
 group 2 5
!
crypto ikev2 policy L2L-Pol
 proposal L2L-Prop
!
crypto ikev2 keyring L2L-Keyring
 peer vpn
 address 201.1.1.2
 pre-shared-key local cisco321
 pre-shared-key remote cisco123
!
crypto ikev2 profile L2L-Prof
 match identity remote address 201.1.1.2 255.255.255.255
identity local key-id S2S-IKEv2
 authentication remote pre-share
```

```

authentication local pre-share
keyring local L2L-Keyring

crypto ipsec transform-set ESP-AES-SHA esp-aes esp-sha-hmac
  mode tunnel
!
crypto map vpn 10 ipsec-isakmp
  set peer 201.1.1.2
  set transform-set ESP-AES-SHA
  set ikev2-profile L2L-Prof
  match address vpn
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/0
  ip address 192.168.1.2 255.255.255.0
  duplex auto
  speed auto
  crypto map vpn

```

So on every dynamic peer, the key-id is different and a corresponding tunnel-group must be created on the Static ASA with the right name, which also increases the granularity of the policies that are implemented on an ASA.

## Scenario 2

**Note:** This configuration is only possible when at least one side is a router. If both sides are ASAs, this setup does not work at this time. In Version 8.4, the ASA is not able to use the Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) with the **set peer** command, but [CSCus37350](#) enhancement has been requested for future releases.

If the remote ASA's IP address is dynamic as well however has a Fully Qualified Domain Name assigned for its VPN interface, then rather than define the IP address of the remote ASA, you now define the FQDN of the remote ASA with this command on the router:

```

C1941(config)#do show run | sec crypto map

crypto map vpn 10 ipsec-isakmp
  set peer <FQDN> dynamic

```

**Tip:** The **dynamic** keyword is optional. When you specify the hostname of a remote IPsec peer via the **set peer** command, you can also issue the dynamic keyword, which defers the Domain Name Server (DNS) resolution of the hostname until right before the IPsec tunnel has been established.

Deferring resolution enables the Cisco IOS software to detect whether the IP address of the remote IPsec peer has changed. Thus, the software can contact the peer at the new IP address. If the dynamic keyword is not issued, the hostname is resolved immediately after it is specified. So, the Cisco IOS software cannot detect an IP address change and, therefore, attempts to connect to the IP address that it previously resolved.

## Network Diagram

## Configuration

## Dynamic ASA Configuration

The configuration on the ASA is the same as the [Static ASA Configuration](#) with only one exception, which is that the IP address on the physical interface is not statically defined.

## Router Configuration

```
crypto ikev2 keyring L2L-Keyring
peer vpn
hostname asa5510.test.com
pre-shared-key local cisco321
pre-shared-key remote cisco123
!
crypto ikev2 profile L2L-Profil
match identity remote fqdn domain test.com
identity local key-id S2S-IKEv2
authentication remote pre-share
authentication local pre-share
keyring local L2L-Keyring

crypto ipsec transform-set ESP-AES-SHA esp-aes esp-sha-hmac
mode tunnel

crypto map vpn 10 ipsec-isakmp
set peer asa5510.test.com dynamic
set transform-set ESP-AES-SHA
set ikev2-profile L2L-Profil
match address vpn
```

## Verify

Use this section in order to confirm that your configuration works properly.

## Static ASA

- Here is the result of the **show crypto IKEv2 sa det** command:

IKEv2 SAs:

```
Session-id:23, Status:UP-ACTIVE, IKE count:1, CHILD count:1
```

Tunnel-id	Local	Remote	Status	Role
120434199	201.1.1.2/4500	201.1.1.1/4500	READY	RESPONDER
Encr: 3DES, Hash: SHA96, DH Grp:2, Auth sign: PSK, Auth verify: PSK				
Life/Active Time: 86400/915 sec				
Session-id: 23				
Status Description: Negotiation done				
Local spi:	97272A4B4DED4A5C	Remote spi:	67E01CB8E8619AF1	
Local id:	201.1.1.2			
Remote id:	S2S-IKEv2			
Local req mess id:	43	Remote req mess id:	2	
Local next mess id:	43	Remote next mess id:	2	
Local req queued:	43	Remote req queued:	2	
Local window:	1	Remote window:	5	

```

DPD configured for 10 seconds, retry 2
NAT-T is detected outside
Child sa: local selector 201.1.1.2/0 - 201.1.1.2/65535
          remote selector 10.10.10.1/0 - 10.10.10.1/65535
          ESP spi in/out: 0x853c02/0x41aa84f4
          AH spi in/out: 0x0/0x0
          CPI in/out: 0x0/0x0
          Encr: AES-CBC, keysize: 128, esp_hmac: SHA96
          ah_hmac: None, comp: IPCOMP_NONE, mode tunnel

```

- Here is the result of the **show crypto ipsec sa** command:

```

interface: outside
Crypto map tag: dmap, seq num: 1, local addr: 201.1.1.2

local ident (addr/mask/prot/port): (201.1.1.2/255.255.255.255/0/0)
remote ident (addr/mask/prot/port): (10.10.10.1/255.255.255.255/0/0)
current_peer: 201.1.1.1

#pkts encaps: 4, #pkts encrypt: 4, #pkts digest: 4
#pkts decaps: 4, #pkts decrypt: 4, #pkts verify: 4
#pkts compressed: 0, #pkts decompressed: 0
#pkts not compressed: 4, #pkts comp failed: 0, #pkts decomp failed: 0
#pre-frag successes: 0, #pre-frag failures: 0, #fragments created: 0
#PMTUs sent: 0, #PMTUs rcvd: 0, #decapsulated frgs needing reassembly: 0
#TFC rcvd: 0, #TFC sent: 0
#Valid ICMP Errors rcvd: 0, #Invalid ICMP Errors rcvd: 0
#send errors: 0, #recv errors: 0

local crypto endpt.: 201.1.1.2/4500, remote crypto endpt.: 201.1.1.1/4500
path mtu 1500, ipsec overhead 82(52), media mtu 1500
PMTU time remaining (sec): 0, DF policy: copy-df
ICMP error validation: disabled, TFC packets: disabled
current outbound spi: 41AA84F4
current inbound spi : 00853C02

inbound esp sas:
spi: 0x00853C02 (8731650)
  transform: esp-aes esp-sha-hmac no compression
  in use settings ={L2L, Tunnel, NAT-T-Encaps, IKEv2, }
  slot: 0, conn_id: 94208, crypto-map: dmap
  sa timing: remaining key lifetime (kB/sec): (4101119/27843)
  IV size: 16 bytes
  replay detection support: Y
  Anti replay bitmap:
    0x00000000 0x00000001F
outbound esp sas:
spi: 0x41AA84F4 (1101694196)
  transform: esp-aes esp-sha-hmac no compression
  in use settings ={L2L, Tunnel, NAT-T-Encaps, IKEv2, }
  slot: 0, conn_id: 94208, crypto-map: dmap
  sa timing: remaining key lifetime (kB/sec): (4055039/27843)
  IV size: 16 bytes
  replay detection support: Y
  Anti replay bitmap:
    0x00000000 0x00000001

```

## Dynamic Router

- Here is the result of the **show crypto IKEv2 sa detail** command:

```

IPv4 Crypto IKEv2 SA

Tunnel-id Local           Remote           fvrf/ivrf      Status
1       192.168.1.2/4500   201.1.1.2/4500   none/none     READY
    Encr: 3DES, Hash: SHA96, DH Grp:2, Auth sign: PSK, Auth verify: PSK
    Life/Active Time: 86400/1013 sec
    CE id: 1023, Session-id: 23
    Status Description: Negotiation done
    Local spi: 67E01CB8E8619AF1      Remote spi: 97272A4B4DED4A5C
    Local id: S2S-IKEv2
    Remote id: 201.1.1.2
    Local req msg id: 2          Remote req msg id: 48
    Local next msg id: 2        Remote next msg id: 48
    Local req queued: 2         Remote req queued: 48
    Local window: 5             Remote window: 1
    DPD configured for 0 seconds, retry 0
    Fragmentation not configured.
    Extended Authentication not configured.
    NAT-T is detected inside
    Cisco Trust Security SGT is disabled
    Initiator of SA : Yes

```

```
IPv6 Crypto IKEv2 SA
```

- Here is the result of the **show crypto ipsec sa** command:

```

interface: GigabitEthernet0/0
Crypto map tag: vpn, local addr 192.168.1.2

protected vrf: (none)
local ident (addr/mask/prot/port): (10.10.10.1/255.255.255.255/0/0)
remote ident (addr/mask/prot/port): (201.1.1.2/255.255.255.255/0/0)
current_peer 201.1.1.2 port 4500
    PERMIT, flags={origin_is_acl,}
#pkts encaps: 6, #pkts encrypt: 6, #pkts digest: 6
#pkts decaps: 6, #pkts decrypt: 6, #pkts verify: 6
#pkts compressed: 0, #pkts decompressed: 0
#pkts not compressed: 0, #pkts compr. failed: 0
#pkts not decompressed: 0, #pkts decompress failed: 0
#send errors 0, #recv errors 0

local crypto endpt.: 192.168.1.2, remote crypto endpt.: 201.1.1.2
plaintext mtu 1422, path mtu 1500, ip mtu 1500, ip mtu idb GigabitEthernet0/0
current outbound spi: 0x853C02(8731650)
PFS (Y/N): N, DH group: none

inbound esp sas:
spi: 0x41AA84F4(1101694196)
transform: esp-aes esp-sha-hmac ,
in use settings ={Tunnel UDP-Encaps, }
conn id: 2006, flow_id: Onboard VPN:6, sibling_flags 80000040, crypto map: vpn
sa timing: remaining key lifetime (k/sec): (4263591/2510)
IV size: 16 bytes
replay detection support: Y
Status: ACTIVE(ACTIVE)

inbound ah sas:

inbound pcp sas:

outbound esp sas:

```

```

spi: 0x853C02(8731650)
    transform: esp-aes esp-sha-hmac ,
    in use settings ={Tunnel UDP-Encaps, }
    conn id: 2005, flow_id: Onboard VPN:5, sibling_flags 80000040, crypto map: vpn
    sa timing: remaining key lifetime (k/sec): (4263591/2510)
    IV size: 16 bytes
    replay detection support: Y
    Status: ACTIVE(ACTIVE)

outbound ah sas:

outbound pcp sas:

```

## Dynamic Router (with Remote Dynamic ASA)

- Here is the result of the **show crypto IKEv2 sa detail** command:

```

C1941#show cry ikev2 sa detailed
IPv4 Crypto IKEv2 SA

Tunnel-id Local                  Remote                  fvrf/ivrf      Status
1         192.168.1.2/4500        201.1.1.2/4500        none/none     READY
    Encr: 3DES, Hash: SHA96, DH Grp:2, Auth sign: PSK, Auth verify: PSK
    Life/Active Time: 86400/1516 sec
    CE id: 1034, Session-id: 24
    Status Description: Negotiation done
    Local spi: 98322AED6163EE83      Remote spi: 092A1E5620F6AA9C
        Local id: S2S-IKEv2
        Remote id: asa5510.test.com
    Local req msg id: 2            Remote req msg id: 73
    Local next msg id: 2          Remote next msg id: 73
    Local req queued: 2          Remote req queued: 73
    Local window: 5              Remote window: 1
    DPD configured for 0 seconds, retry 0
    Fragmentation not configured.
    Extended Authentication not configured.
    NAT-T is detected inside
    Cisco Trust Security SGT is disabled
    Initiator of SA : Yes

IPv6 Crypto IKEv2 SA

```

**Note:** The remote and local ID in this output is the **named tunnel-group** you defined on the ASA to verify if you fall on the right tunnel-group. This can also be verified if you debug IKEv2 on either end.

## Troubleshoot

This section provides information you can use in order to troubleshoot your configuration.

The [Output Interpreter Tool \(registered customers only\)](#) supports certain **show** commands. Use the Output Interpreter Tool in order to view an analysis of **show** command output.

**Note:** Refer to [Important Information on Debug Commands](#) before you use **debug** commands.

On the Cisco IOS Router, use:

```
deb crypto ikev2 error  
deb crypto ikev2 packet  
deb crypto ikev2 internal
```

On the ASA, use:

```
deb crypto ikev2 protocol  
deb crypto ikev2 platform
```