

Configure WAN Mode

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Introduction

This document describes WAN Mode feature on Cisco867VAE Platform and the options that enable the DSL Internet Services.

Prerequisites

Requirements

There are no specific requirements for this document.

Components Used

The information in this document is based on Cisco867VAE Platform.

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.

Configure

Here is the configuration to enable WAN Modes on CISCO867VAE Platform:

```
Cisco867VAE(config)#wan mode ?  
dsl      WAN interface is DSL  
ethernet  WAN interface is ethernet
```

DSL Mode

This mode allows to configure your DSL parameters on ATM or Ethernet but not on any layer 3 interface, that is Gigabitethernet 0 in this device.

```
Cisco867VAE#sh ip int brief
```

Interface	IP-Address	OK?	Method	Status	Protocol
ATM0	unassigned	YES	NVRAM	administratively down	down
Ethernet0	unassigned	YES	NVRAM	administratively down	down
FastEthernet0	unassigned	YES	unset	up	up
FastEthernet1	unassigned	YES	unset	down	down
FastEthernet2	unassigned	YES	unset	down	down
FastEthernet3	unassigned	YES	unset	down	down
GigabitEthernet0	unassigned	YES	NVRAM	down	down
vlan1	10.106.47.21	YES	NVRAM	up	up

Error messages encountered when in DSL mode:

```
Cisco867VAE(config)#wan mode dsl

% Ethernet WAN interface will be disabled.

Cisco867VAE(config)#

*Jan 18 04:35:57.931: %LINK-5-CHANGED: Interface GigabitEthernet0, changed state to
administratively down

Cisco867VAE(config)#int gig 0

Cisco867VAE(config-if)#no shut

% WAN interface is DSL

Cisco867VAE(config)#controller vdsl 0

Cisco867VAE(config-controller)#no shut

Cisco867VAE(config)#int eth0

Cisco867VAE(config-if)#no shut

*Jan 18 04:40:46.507: %LINK-3-UPDOWN: Interface Ethernet0, changed state to down

Cisco867VAE(config-if)#int atm 0

Cisco867VAE(config-if)#no shut

*Jan 18 04:40:58.771: %LINK-3-UPDOWN: Interface ATM0, changed state to down
```

Ethernet Mode

In Ethernet mode you won't be able to configure any DSL parameters, but you can use layer 3 Gigabitethernet interface for outside network.

```

Cisco867VAE#wan mode ethernet

% DSL interfaces will be disabled.

Cisco867VAE#

*Jan 18 04:12:48.687: %CONTROLLER-5-UPDOWN: Controller VDSL 0, changed state to administratively
down

Cisco867VAE(config)#controller vdsl 0

Cisco867VAE(config-controller)#no shut

% Operation not allowed when wan mode is ethernet.

Cisco867VAE#sh ip int brief



| Interface        | IP-Address   | OK? | Method | Status                | Protocol |
|------------------|--------------|-----|--------|-----------------------|----------|
| ATM0             | unassigned   | YES | NVRAM  | administratively down | down     |
| Ethernet0        | unassigned   | YES | NVRAM  | administratively down | down     |
| FastEthernet0    | unassigned   | YES | unset  | up                    | up       |
| FastEthernet1    | unassigned   | YES | unset  | down                  | down     |
| FastEthernet2    | unassigned   | YES | unset  | down                  | down     |
| FastEthernet3    | unassigned   | YES | unset  | down                  | down     |
| GigabitEthernet0 | unassigned   | YES | NVRAM  | administratively down | down     |
| vlan1            | 10.106.47.21 | YES | NVRAM  | up                    | up       |



Cisco867VAE#conf t

Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.

Cisco867VAE(config)#int atm0

Cisco867VAE(config-if)#no shut

% WAN interface is Ethernet.

Cisco867VAE(config-if)#int eth0

Cisco867VAE(config-if)#no shut

% WAN interface is Ethernet.

Cisco867VAE(config)#int gig 0

Cisco867VAE(config-if)#no shut

```

*Jan 18 04:30:08.851: %LINK-3-UPDOWN: Interface GigabitEthernet0, changed state to down
To disable WAN mode is not possible when it is in DSL mode as its the default mode in CISCO 867 platform.

But when disabled in Ethernet mode, it changes to DSL mode.

```
Cisco867VAE(config)#no wan mode dsl  
  
Cisco867VAE(config)#do sh run | sec wan  
  
wan mode dsl
```

```
Cisco867VAE(config)#do sh run | sec wan  
  
wan mode ethernet  
  
Cisco867VAE(config)#no wan mode ethernet
```

% Ethernet WAN interface will be disabled.

Note: Use the [Command Lookup Tool](#) ([registered](#) customers only) in order to obtain more information on the commands used in this section.

Verify

Use this section to confirm that your configuration works properly.

```
Cisco867VAE#sh run | inc wan mode  
  
wan mode dsl
```

Troubleshoot

There is currently no specific troubleshooting information available for this configuration.