# Configure Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) on RV320 and RV325 VPN Routers

# **Objective**

Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) is an application layer protocol which is used to manage and monitor network traffic. SNMP keeps all the activity records of various devices in the network to help you quickly find the source of issues in the network when needed. In the RV32x VPN Router Series, you can enable SNMPv1/v2c, SNMPv3, or both at the same time to have the desired performance of the network.

The objective of this document is to explain how to configure SNMP on the RV32x VPN Router Series.

# **Applicable Device**

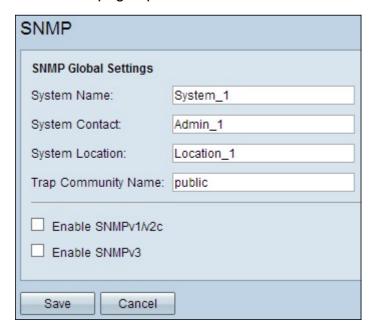
- RV320 Dual WAN VPN Router
- RV325 Gigabit Dual WAN VPN Router

#### **Software Version**

• v1.1.0.09

# **SNMP Configuration**

Step 1. Log in to the web configuration utility and choose **System Management > SNMP**. The *SNMP* page opens:



Step 2. Enter the host name in *System Name* field.

Step 3. Enter the name or contact information of the person who is responsible for the router in the *System Contact* field.

Step 4. Enter the physical location of the router in the *System Location* field.

**Note:** The information entered in the *System Contact* and *System Location* fields do not modify the behavior of the device. You can input them as desired to help best manage your devices (for example, you may find it desirable to include a phone number in the *System Contact* field).

Step 5. Enter the trap community name to which the agent belongs in the *Trap Community Name* field. A trap is a message that is sent by the device when a specific event occurs. The trap community name can be up to 64 alphanumerical characters. The default trap community name is *public*.

Step 6. Click **Save** to save the settings.

#### **SNMPv1/SNMPv2c Configuration**

SNMPv1 is the first version of SNMP, and is now considered insecure. SNMPv2c is an improved version of SNMP. It provides more security than SNMPv1 and improved error handling.

SNMP Global Settings		
System Name: System	em_1	
System Contact: Adm	in_1	
System Location: Loca	ation_1	
Trap Community Name: publ	ic	
✓ Enable SNMPv1/v2c		
Get Community Name:	public	
Set Community Name:	private	
SNMPv1/v2c Trap Receiver IP	Address:	(For IPv4)
☐ Enable SNMPv3		

Step 1. Check **Enable SNMPv1/v2c** to enable SNMPv1/2c.

SNMP Global Settings			
System Name:	System_1		
System Contact:	Admin_1		
System Location:	_ocation_1		
Trap Community Name: p	mmunity Name: public		
Enable SNMPv1/v2c		community_1	
Get Community Name:			
Get Community Name: Set Community Name:		setcommunity_1	
73	IP Address:		(For IPv4)

Step 2. Enter a community name in the *Get Community Name* field. Get Community Name is the read only community string to authenticate the SNMP Get command. The Get command is used to retrieve the information from the SNMP device. The Get Community Name can be up to 64 alphanumerical characters. The default Get Community Name is *public*.

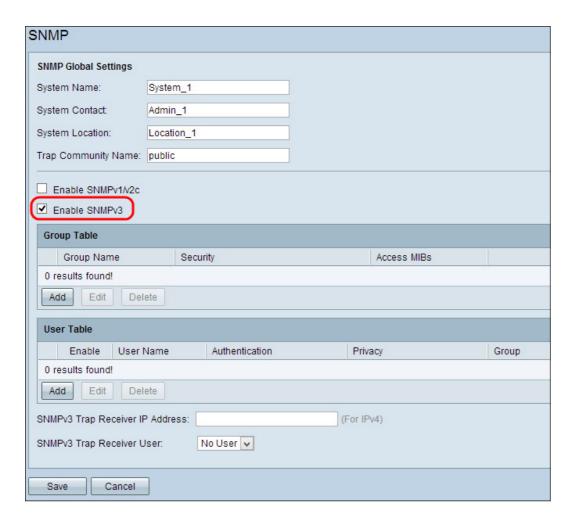
Step 3. Enter a community name in the *Set Community Name* field. It is the read/write community string to authenticate the SNMP Set command. The Set command is used to modify or set the variables on the device. The Set Community Name can be up to 64 alphanumerical characters. The default Set Community Name is *private*.

Step 4. Enter the IP address or domain name of the specific server where the SNMP management software runs in the SNMPv1/v2c *Trap Receiver IP Address* field. A trap message is sent to the administrator from the server to notify the administrator if any error or fault occurs.

Step 5. Click **Save** to save the settings.

### **SNMPv3** Configuration

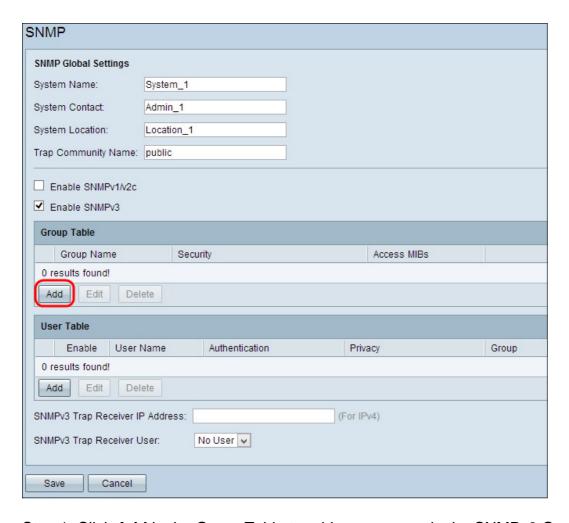
SNMPv3 is the latest version of SNMP, and it provides the highest level of security among the three SNMP versions. It also provides remote configuration.



Step 1. Check Enable SNMPv3 to enable SNMPv3.

## **SNMPv3 Group Management**

SNMPv3 group management allows you to create groups with different levels of access to the device. You can then map users into these groups as you deem appropriate.



Step 1. Click **Add** in the Group Table to add a new group in the SNMPv3 Group Management table. The *SNMPv3 Group Management* page opens:

SNMP			
SNMPv3 Group Manage	SNMPv3 Group Management		
Group Name:	Group1		
Security Level:	No Authenticat	ion,No Privacy	
MIBs			
□ 1	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.1	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.2	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.3	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.4	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.5	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.6	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.7	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.8	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.10	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.11	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.31	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.47	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.48	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.49	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.50	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.88	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.4.1	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.6.3	<ul> <li>Read Only</li> </ul>	O Read / Write	

Step 2. Enter the name of the group in the *Group Name* field.

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MIBs	Authentication,	ion,No Privacy No Privacy Privacy	
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1.3.6.1.2.1.4	Read Only	O Read / Write	
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1.3.6.1.2.1.6	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.7	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.8	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.10	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.11	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.31	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.47	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.48	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.49	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.50	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.2.1.88	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.4.1	Read Only	O Read / Write	
1.3.6.1.6.3	<ul> <li>Read Only</li> </ul>	O Read / Write	

Step 3. Choose the type of security from the *Security Level* drop-down list. The types of security are described as follows:

• No Authentication, No Privacy — Users in this group will not be required to set an authentication password or to set a privacy password. Messages will not be encrypted, and users will not be authenticated

- Authentication, No Privacy Users will be required to set an authentication password, but not a privacy password. Users will be authenticated when messages are received, but the messages will not be encrypted.
- Authentication Privacy Users will be required to set both an authentication password and a privacy password. Users will be authenticated when messages are received. The messages will also be encrypted using the privacy password.

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SNMPv3 Group Management		
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Security Level:	Authentication	Privacy
MIBs		
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✓ 1.3.6.1.2.1.1	Read Only	O Read / Write
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✓ 1.3.6.1.2.1.5	Read Only	O Read / Write
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1.3.6.1.2.1.47	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	Read / Write
1.3.6.1.2.1.48	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write
1.3.6.1.2.1.49	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write
1.3.6.1.2.1.50	Read Only	O Read / Write
1.3.6.1.2.1.88	Read Only	O Read / Write
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1.3.6.1.6.3	<ul><li>Read Only</li></ul>	O Read / Write

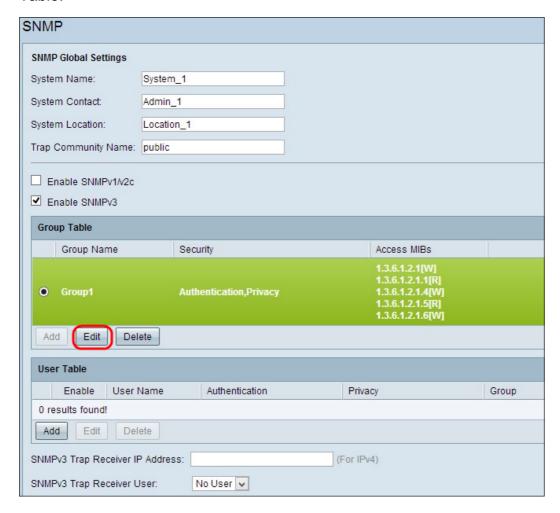
Step 4. Check the check boxes to select the specific Management Information Base (MIBs) to which you want the group to have access. MIBs are used to define the necessary information of the managed system. It is represented as iso.org.dod.internet.mgmt.mib. By setting specific MIBs, you can allow groups to have access to different parts of the device.

Step 5. Click the specific radio button for each checked MIB to choose the permission level

available to the group. The permissions levels are defined as follows:

- Read Only Users in this group will be able to read from the MIB, but not modify it.
- Read / Write Users in this group will be able to both read from the MIB, and to modify it.

Step 6. Scroll down and click **Save** to save the settings. This adds the group to the Group Table.



Step 7. (Optional) If you want to change the configured group, click the radio button of the desired group and then click **Edit** and change the respective field(s).

Step 8. (Optional) If you want to delete the configured group, click the desired radio button of the group and then click **Delete.** 

#### **SNMPv3 User Management**

SNMP users are the remote users for whom the SNMP services are executed.

**Note:** You have to add a group to the Group Table before you can add a user in the User Table.

SNMP			
SNMP Global Settings			
System Name:	System_1		
System Contact:	Admin_1		
System Location:	Location_1		
Trap Community Name: public			
□ Enable SNMPv1/v2c ☑ Enable SNMPv3			
Group Table			
Group Name	Security	Access MIBs	
○ Group1	Authentication,Privacy	1.3.6.1.2.1[W] 1.3.6.1.2.1.1[R] 1.3.6.1.2.1.4[W] 1.3.6.1.2.1.5[R] 1.3.6.1.2.1.6[W]	
Add Edit Delete			
User Table			
Enable User Name Authentication Privacy			
0 results found!			
Add Edit Delete			
SNMPv3 Trap Receiver IP Address: (For IPv4)			
SNMPv3 Trap Receiver User: No User 🗸			
Save Cancel			

Step 1. Click **Add** from the User Table to add a new user in the SNMPv3 User Management Table. The SNMPv3 User Management page opens:



Step 2. Check **Enable** to enable user management for SNMP.

- Step 3. Enter a user name in *User Name* field.
- Step 4. Choose the desired group from the *Group* drop-down list. The new user is added to

this specific group.

Step 5. Click the specific radio button to choose an Authentication Method. The Authentication Methods are described as follows:

- MD5 Message Digest Algorithm-5 (MD5) is a 32 digit hexadecimal hash function.
- SHA Secure Hash Algorithm (SHA) is a 160 bit hash function considered more secure than MD5.

Step 6. Enter a password for the authentication in the *Authentication Password* field. The authentication password is the password which is shared in advance between the devices. When they exchange traffic, they use the specific password to authenticate the traffic.

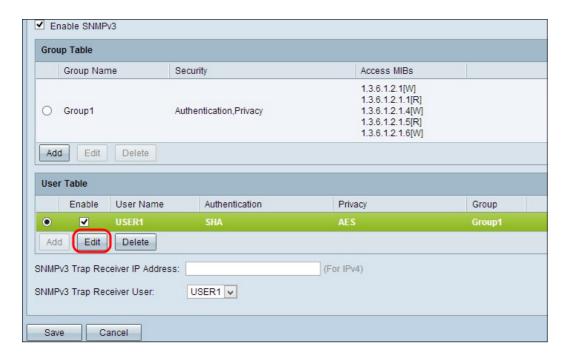
Step 7. Click the specific radio button to choose the desired encryption method in the *Privacy Method* field.

- DES Data Encryption Standard (DES) is a 56-bit encryption method. It is considered insecure, but may be necessary when the device is used in conjunction with other devices that do not support AES.
- AES Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) uses a 128-bit, 192-bit or 256-bit encryption method. It is considered more secure than DES.

Step 8. Enter a password for the privacy in the *Privacy Password* field. The privacy password is the password which is used to encrypt messages.

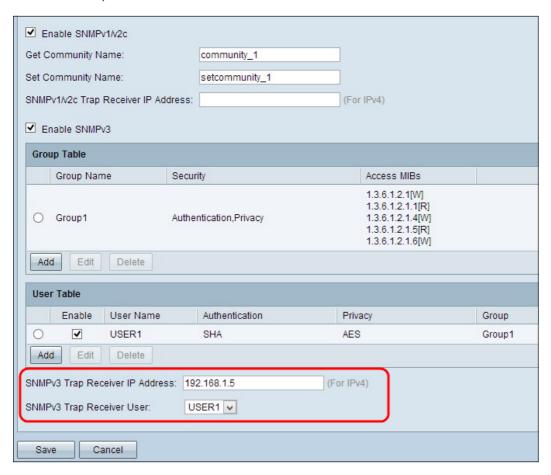
Step 9. Click **Save** to save the settings. This adds the user to the User Table.





Step 10. (Optional) If you want to change the configured user, click the radio button of the desired user, and then click **Edit** and change the respective field.

Step 11. (Optional) If you want to delete the configured user, click the radio button of the desired user, and then click **Delete.** 



Step 12. Enter the IP address of the SNMPv3 Trap Receiver in the SNMPv3 Trap Receiver IP Address field.

Step 13. Choose the respective trap user from the *SNMPv3 Trap Receiver User* drop-down list. This is the user who receives the trap message when a trap event occurs.

Step 14. Click **Save** to save the settings.