

Force Gigabit speeds using 10 Gigabit optical modules



Article Overview

You can force Gigabit speeds on 10G SFP+ modules that support 1G/10G auto-negotiation by configuring the switch or host interface to operate at 1 Gbps, provided the module and PHY support dual-speed operation.

Understanding 10G SFP+ Modules

Most 10G SFP+ optical modules, such as Cisco 10GBASE-T or 10GBASE-SR, are designed primarily for 10 Gigabit Ethernet but some models support dual-speed operation (1G/10G). For example, the Cisco SFP-10G-T-X module can operate at 100M/1G/10G over CAT6A/CAT7 copper cabling for distances up to 30 meters, allowing backward compatibility with Gigabit devices . Modules like 10GBASE-SR or 10GBASE-LR are typically 10G-only and cannot be forced to 1G unless the PHY supports it .

Steps to Force 1G Speeds

- **Check Module Compatibility:** Ensure the SFP+ module supports 1G operation. Modules with 10GBASE-T interfaces often support 1G, while fiber-only 10G modules (SR/LR) usually do not.
- **Configure the Switch or NIC:** Access the switch or network interface card (NIC) configuration and set the port speed to 1 Gbps. This disables auto-negotiation for 10G and forces the link to operate at Gigabit speed.
- **Verify PHY Support:** The SFP+ PHY must support dual-speed operation. Some SFP+ modules rely on the host PHY to handle 1G signaling, so forcing 1G without PHY sup...

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Hi, Can 10Gbase SFP+ module support 1GB traffic on a Nexus 5596T. The module for 10Gb is Cisco SFP-10G-SR.

How to Choose Between Gigabit and 10 Gigabit Ethernet Modules

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