

What does the core switch need to do to partition VLANs



AI Overview

To partition VLANs, a core switch must create VLANs, assign ports to them, configure VLAN interfaces (SVIs), and enable inter-VLAN routing if communication between VLANs is needed.

VLAN Creation and Port Assignment A core switch partitions a network by creating multiple VLANs, each representing a separate broadcast domain. Each VLAN is assigned a unique VLAN ID (1-4094) and can be associated with specific ports on the switch. Ports can be configured as access ports for a single VLAN or trunk ports to carry multiple VLANs using 802.1Q tagging, which inserts a VLAN ID into Ethernet frames to maintain separation across switches.

Configuring VLAN Interfaces (SVIs) For a VLAN to communicate with other VLANs, the core switch must configure a Switched Virtual Interface (SVI) for each VLAN. Each SVI is assigned an IP address that serves as the default gateway for devices in that VLAN. This allows the switch to route traffic between VLANs internally without requiring an external router.

Enabling Inter-VLAN Routing Partitioning VLANs isolates traffic, but devices in different VLANs cannot communicate by default. To allow controlled communication, the core switch must enable Layer 3 routing. Modern multi-layer switches can perform inter-VLAN routing directly. This involves enabling IP routing on the switch and ensuring each VLAN has an SVI with a unique subnet. Access control lists (ACLs) can be applied to restrict traffic between VLANs for security purposes.

Trunking Between Switches If VLANs span multiple switches, trunk links must be configured between switches. Trunk ports carry traffic for multiple VLANs, preserving VLAN tags so that each switch can maintain proper VLAN separation. The native VLAN should be carefully chosen to avoid security risks, as untagged traffic is assigned to this VLAN.

Summary To partition VLANs effectively, a core switch must: Create VLANs and assi...

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Each switch above independently perform all the functions of a switch. If each of these switches have 24 ports and only two are in use, then 22 ports are left

Do I have to configure new VLANs on the core switch?

I agree with Joseph that we do not understand your environment well enough to give good advice. If your access/distribution switches connect the user vlans to the core using trunks, then you

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Inter-VLAN Routing Configuration

Configuring inter-VLAN routing typically involves setting up VLAN interfaces, assigning IP addresses to each VLAN, and enabling routing on the network device.

Can someone explain conceptually how VLAN's are supposed to be

I think the Key concepts you need to know here is Trunking and what a trunk port does and trunk tagging this will answer most of your questions regarding how they actually speak when they are

Inter-VLAN Routing: RoAS, SVIs & What Breaks First

A basic VLAN lab needs two switches, one router or L3 switch, and a couple of endpoints. Start with RoAS (it's simpler to set up), then rebuild the same topology using SVIs.

where would a logical vlan be configured on the Core switch, or

Therefore, a local VLAN would never span from an access layer to a core block. Because VLANs are created based on geographic or physical boundaries, it's not uncommon to see much of

Configure VLAN

Configure VLAN Virtual Local Area Network (VLAN) is a logical grouping that segments a network into smaller broadcast domains. VLANs allow you to separate network devices into distinct groups, even

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They can be set so that the configuration assumes most ports will be used as routed Layer-3 ports (our preference) or as switched Layer-2 ports. the default can be set: no system default switchport then

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