



# How to configure a Cisco ISR router to send NetFlow v5 data to VOSS Insights Arbitrator

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## Abstract

This document provides the procedure to configure a Cisco ISR router to send NetFlow data to VOSS Insights Arbitrator using v5 format.

## Assumptions

This document assumes that the following configuration will be applied on a Cisco ISR router with two interfaces:

- GigabitEthernet0/0/0
- GigabitEthernet0/0/1

For the purposes of this guide, the following software specifications are assumed:

```
isr4300-3977#show version
Cisco IOS XE Software, Version 03.16.04b.S - Extended Support Release
Cisco IOS Software, ISR Software (X86_64_LINUX_IOSD-UNIVERSALK9-M),
Version
15.5(3)S4b, RELEASE SOFTWARE (fc1)
```

VOSS Insights Team recommends that Netflow is configured and enabled in the “ingress” direction for all interfaces on a Netflow source device.

## Configuration

The following sample configuration can be used as a template for Netflow v5:

ENABLE SNMP INDEX PERSISTENCE

```
isr4300-3977#configure terminal
```

Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with **CTRL-Z**.

```
isr4300-3977(config)#snmp-server ifindex persist
isr4300-3977(config)#
```

NETFLOW CONFIGURATION

```
isr4300-3977(config)#flow exporter llexporter-1
destination [VOSS Insights Arbitrator IP Address]
export-protocol netflow-v5
transport udp [Netflow Collector Port]
exit
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```
isr4300-3977(config)#flow monitor lx-flowmonitor-1
record netflow ipv4 original-input
exporter lxexporter-1
exit
isr4300-3977(config)#ip cef distributed
isr4300-3977(config)#interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0
ip flow monitor lx-flowmonitor-1 input
exit
isr4300-3977(config)#interface GigabitEthernet0/0/0
ip flow monitor lx-flowmonitor-1 output
exit
isr4300-3977(config)#exit
#copy run start
```

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**Note:** Please note that VOSS Insights Arbitrator uses UDP 9996 to receive NetFlow v5 by default.

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