



XX-720G XX-1800G XX-2800G XX-3200G

NETWORK PACKET BROKERS

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1. Overview

1.1 Hardware Overview

XX-Series is a high-end versatile solution, designed for aggregation, advanced filtering and routing of multiple high speed inputs, used in very high sustained bandwidth port monitoring and analysis scenarios.

1.1.1 XX-720G

XX-720G is supplied with either 24 x 1/10G + 2 x 40G or 48 x 1/10G + 6 x 40G enabled ports, depending on the license:

- XX-720G-242-AC: 24 x 1/10G SFP+, 2 x 40G QSFP+, 2 x AC PSUs
- XX-720G-486-AC: 48 x 1/10G SFP+, 6 x 40G QSFP+, 2 x AC PSUs
- XX-720G-242-DC: 24 x 1/10G SFP+, 2 x 40G QSFP+, 2 x DC PSUs
- XX-720G-486-DC: 48 x 1/10G SFP+, 6 x 40G QSFP+, 2 x DC PSUs

The unit features the following ports:

- 48 x 1/10G SFP+ and 6 x 40G QSFP+ ports supporting optical transceivers, active optical cables or DAC cables to connect the ports to the hosts
- 1 x management port used to access the unit through an RJ45 Ethernet cable
- 1 x serial management port (RJ45) to connect to a PC for the initial configuration
- 1 x USB port to load the configuration files or OS from a USB storage device

QSFP+ ports support 4 x 10G splits via fanout cables.

1.1.2 XX-1800G

XX-1800G is supplied with either $24 \times 1/10/25G + 2 \times 40/100G$ or $48 \times 1/10/25G + 6 \times 40/100G$ enabled ports, depending on the license:

- XX-1800G-242-AC: 24 x 1/10/25G SFP28, 2 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x AC PSUs
- XX-1800G-486-AC: 48 x 1/10/25G SFP28, 6 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x AC PSUs
- XX-1800G-242-DC: 24 x 1/10/25G SFP28, 2 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x DC PSUs
- XX-1800G-486-DC: 48 x 1/10/25G SFP28, 6 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x DC PSUs

The unit features the following ports:

- 48 x 1/10/25G SFP28 and 6 x 40/100G QSFP28 ports supporting optical transceivers, active optical cables or DAC cables to connect the ports to the hosts
- 1 x management port used to access the unit through an RJ45 Ethernet cable
- 1 x serial management port (mini-USB) to connect to a PC for the initial configuration
- 1 x USB port to load the configuration files or OS from a USB storage device

QSFP28 ports support 4 x 10G and 4 x 25G splits via fanout cables.

1.1.3 XX-2800G

XX-2800G is supplied with either 24 x $1/10/25G + 8 \times 40/100G$ or $48 \times 1/10/25G + 16 \times 40/100G$ enabled ports, depending on the license:

- XX-2800G-248-AC: 24 x 1/10/25G SFP28, 8 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x AC PSUs
- XX-2800G-4816-AC: 48 x 1/10/25G SFP28, 16 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x AC PSUs
- XX-2800G-248-DC: 24 x 1/10/25G SFP28, 8 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x DC PSUs
- XX-2800G-4816-DC: 48 x 1/10/25G SFP28, 16 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x DC PSUs

The unit features the following ports:

- 48 x 1/10/25G SFP28 and 16 x 40/100G QSFP28 ports supporting optical transceivers, active optical cables or DAC cables to connect the ports to the hosts
- 1 x management port used to access the unit through an RJ45 Ethernet cable
- 1 x serial management port (RJ45) to connect to a PC for the initial configuration
- 1 x USB port to load the configuration files or OS from a USB storage device

QSFP28 ports support 4 x 10G and 4 x 25G splits via fanout cables.

1.1.4 XX-3200G

XX-3200G is supplied with either 16 x 40/100G or 32 x 40/100G enabled ports, depending on the license:

- XX-3200G-16-AC: 16 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x AC PSUs
- XX-3200G-32-AC: 32 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x AC PSUs
- XX-3200G-16-DC: 16 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x DC PSUs
- XX-3200G-32-DC: 32 x 40/100G QSFP28, 2 x DC PSUs

The unit features the following ports:

- 32 x 40/100G QSFP28 ports supporting optical transceivers, active optical cables or DAC cables to connect the ports to the hosts
- 1 x management port used to access the unit through an RJ45 Ethernet cable
- 1 x serial management port (RJ45) to connect to a PC for the initial configuration
- 1 x USB port to load the configuration files or OS from a USB storage device

QSFP28 ports support 4 x 10G and 4 x 25G splits via fanout cables.

All models can be managed via CLI, or via the XX-Manager web interface.

1.2 Supported Cables and Transceivers

Profitap XX-Series devices are not vendor locked to any specific brand of QSFP or SFP modules and cables. For optimal support, Profitap transceivers are recommended.

	XX-720G	XX-1800G	XX-2800G	XX-3200G
10G SFP+ Direct Attach Cable	~	~	~	
10G SFP+ Active Optical Cable	~	~	~	
25G SFP28 Direct Attach Cable		~	v	
25G SFP28 Active Optical Cable		~	~	
40G QSFP+ Direct Attach Cable	~	~	~	~
40G QSFP+ Active Optical Cable	~	~	v	~
100G QSFP28 Direct Attach Cable		~	~	~
100G QSFP28 Active Optical Cable		~	~	~
1GBASE-SX SFP Module	~	~	~	
1GBASE-LX SFP Module	~	~	~	
1GBASE-T SFP Module	~	~	~	
10GBASE-SR SFP+ Module	~	~	~	
10GBASE-LR SFP+ Module	~	~	~	
10GBASE-T SFP+ Module	~	~	~	
25GBASE-SR4 SFP28 Module		~	~	
25GBASE-LR4 SFP28 Module		~	~	
40GBASE-SR4 QSFP+ Module	~	~	~	~
40GBASE-LR4 QSFP+ Module	~	~	~	~
40GBASE-PLR4 QSFP+ Module	~	~	~	~
40GBASE-SR-BD QSFP+ Module	~	~	v	~
100GBASE-SR4 QSFP28 Module		~	~	~
100GBASE-LR4 QSFP28 Module		~	~	~

1.3 XX-720G

1.3.1 Package Contents

Carefully unpack all the supplied items and retain the packaging for later use.

- 1 x XX-720G main unit
- 2 x C13 AC power cord
- 1 x mini-USB to RJ45 male serial cable
- 1 x mini-USB to RJ45 female serial cable
- 1 x RJ45 female to 9-pin serial adapter
- 1 x rack mounting kit (front and rear brackets, screws)
- Quick start guide

Note: Please contact the supplier if any part is missing or damaged.

1.3.2 Installation as Standalone

The unit can be installed as a standalone unit.

To ensure proper heat dissipation and ventilation, leave at least 15 cm (6 inches) of space behind the unit and 5 cm (2 inches) in front.

1.3.3 Installation in a Rack

The unit can be mounted in a standard 19" (1U) rack using the provided mounting brackets.

- 1. Slide the main chassis into the desired rack location.
- 2. Secure the chassis using the supplied screws.
- 3. Make sure the rack is grounded properly.

To install the switch without a shelf, use the included rack mount kit.

1.3.4 Technical and Electrical Specifications

- 2.4 GHz Intel quad-core CPU
- 1280 Gbps ASIC
- AC Model: 2 x 550 W, 100–240 VAC, 50–60 Hz, 80 Plus Platinum efficiency power supply (1 required for operation, 2 for redundancy)
- DC Model: 2 x 800 W, -40--60 VDC, 80 Plus Platinum efficiency power supply (1 required for operation, 2 for redundancy)
- Typical/Max power draw: 210/280 W
- Maximum heat dissipation: 1650 BTU/hr
- Cooling: 4 redundant (N+1) hot-swappable fans
- Operating temperature: 0°C to 45°C 32°F to 113°F
- Operating humidity: 20% to 95%, non-condensing
- Dimensions (WxDxH): 440 x 410 x 44 mm 17.32 x 16.14 x 1.73 in

1.3.5 Front View



1	PSU1 status LED	7	40G QSFP+ ports (49-54)
2	PSU2 status LED	8	QSFP+ port activity LEDs
3	Fan status LED	9	Serial management port
4	System status LED	10	Ethernet management port
5	1/10G SFP+ ports (1-48)	11	USB port
6	SFP+ port activity LEDs		

1.3.6 Rear View



1	PSU1	5	Hot-swappable fan module
2	PSU2	6	Fan module screw
3	AC power connector	7	Fan status LED
4	PSU status LED		

1.3.7 LED Functionality

LED Function	LED State	Description
	Off	Power is not supplied to the device
	Green	PSU is operating normally
PSU1/PSU2 status LED	Orange	<pre>Signal issues: - PSU is present, but no current is supplied - Fan Lock - OTP: Over Temperature Protection - OCP: Over Current Protection - OVP: Over Voltage Protection - UVP: Under Voltage Protection</pre>
Fan status LED	Green	Fan operating normally
	Orange	Fan fault: check rear of unit to see which fan is faulty
Suptom status LED	Green	System operating normally
System Status LED	Orange	System warning
	Off	No link
	Green	10G link
SFP+ port LED	Blinking green	10G activity
	Yellow	1G link
	Blinking yellow	1G activity
QSFP+ port LED	Off	No link
	Green	40G link
	Blinking green	40G activity

1.4 XX-1800G

1.4.1 Package Contents

Carefully unpack all the supplied items and retain the packaging for later use.

- 1 x XX-1800G main unit
- 2 x C13 AC power cord
- 1 x mini-USB to RJ45 male serial cable
- 1 x mini-USB to RJ45 female serial cable
- 1 x RJ45 female to 9-pin serial adapter
- 1 x rack mounting kit (front and rear brackets, screws)
- Quick start guide

Note: Please contact the supplier if any part is missing or damaged.

1.4.2 Installation as Standalone

The unit can be installed as a standalone unit.

To ensure proper heat dissipation and ventilation, leave at least 15 cm (6 inches) of space behind the unit and 5 cm (2 inches) in front.

1.4.3 Installation in a Rack

The unit can be mounted in a standard 19" (1U) rack using the provided mounting brackets.

- 1. Slide the main chassis into the desired rack location.
- 2. Secure the chassis using the supplied screws.
- 3. Make sure the rack is grounded properly.

To install the switch without a shelf, use the included rack mount kit.

1.4.4 Technical and Electrical Specifications

- 2.4 GHz Intel quad-core CPU
- 2.0 Tbps Barefoot ASIC
- AC Model: 2 x 550 W, 100–240 VAC, 50–60 Hz, 80 Plus Platinum efficiency power supply (1 required for operation, 2 for redundancy)
- DC Model: 2 x 800 W, -40--60 VDC, 80 Plus Platinum efficiency power supply (1 required for operation, 2 for redundancy)
- Typical/Max power draw: 210/480 W
- Maximum heat dissipation: 1650 BTU/hr
- Cooling: 4 redundant (N+1) hot-swappable fans
- Acoustic low-speed fan: each fan is ~70 dB max, therefore < 80 dB total (including the PSU fans); the actual value will depend on fan management policy
- Operating temperature: 0°C to 45°C 32°F to 113°F
- Operating humidity: 20% to 95%, non-condensing
- Non-operating/Storage temperature: -40 °C to 70 °C
- Non-operating/Storage relative humidity: 10% to 95%, non-condensing
- Dimensions (WxDxH): 440 x 410 x 44 mm 17.32 x 16.14 x 1.73 in
- MTBF: 212,443 hours
- MTTR: 20 hours



1	PSU1 status LED	7	40/100G QSFP28 ports (49-54)
2	PSU2 status LED	8	QSFP28 port activity LEDs
3	Fan status LED	9	Serial management port
4	System status LED	10	Ethernet management port
5	1/10/25G SFP28 ports (1-48)	11	USB port
6	SFP28 port activity LEDs		

1.4.6 Rear View



1	PSU1	5	Hot-swappable fan module
2	PSU2	6	Fan module screw
3	AC power connector	7	Fan status LED
4	PSU status LED		

1.4.7 LED Functionality

LED Function	LED State	Description
	Off	Power is not supplied to the device
	Green	PSU is operating normally
PSU1/PSU2 status LED	Orange	<pre>Signal issues: - PSU is present, but no current is supplied - Fan Lock - OTP: Over Temperature Protection - OCP: Over Current Protection - OVP: Over Voltage Protection - UVP: Under Voltage Protection</pre>
	Green	Fan operating normally
Fan status LED	Orange	Fan fault: check rear of unit to see which fan is faulty
Suptom status LED	Green	System operating normally
System Status LED	Orange	System warning
	Off	No link
	Green	25G link
SFP28 port LED	Blinking green	25G activity
	Yellow	10G link
	Blinking yellow	10G activity
	Off	No link
	Green	100G link
QSFP28 port LED	Blinking green	100G activity
	Yellow	40G link
	Blinking yellow	40G activity

1.5 XX-2800G

1.5.1 Package Contents

Carefully unpack all the supplied items and retain the packaging for later use.

- 1 x XX-2800G main unit
- 2 x C13 AC power cord
- 1 x RJ45 female to 9-pin serial adapter
- 1 x RJ45 cable
- 1 x rack mounting kit (front and rear brackets, screws)
- Quick start guide

Note: Please contact the supplier if any part is missing or damaged.

1.5.2 Installation as Standalone

The unit can be installed as a standalone unit.

To ensure proper heat dissipation and ventilation, leave at least 15 cm (6 inches) of space behind the unit and 5 cm (2 inches) in front.

1.5.3 Installation in a Rack

The unit can be mounted in a standard 19" (1U) rack using the provided mounting brackets.

- 1. Slide the main chassis into the desired rack location.
- 2. Secure the chassis using the supplied screws.
- 3. Make sure the rack is grounded properly.

To install the switch without a shelf, use the included rack mount kit.

1.5.4 Technical and Electrical Specifications

- 2.4 GHz Intel quad-core CPU
- 3.2 Tbps ASIC
- AC Model: 2 x 550 W, 100–240 VAC, 50–60 Hz, 80 Plus Platinum efficiency power supply (1 required for operation, 2 for redundancy)
- DC Model: 2 x 800 W, -40--60 VDC, 80 Plus Platinum efficiency power supply (1 required for operation, 2 for redundancy)
- Typical power consumption: 210 W
- Maximum heat dissipation: 1650 BTU/hr
- Cooling: 4 redundant (N+1) hot-swappable fans
- Operating temperature: 0°C to 45°C 32°F to 113°F
- Operating humidity: 20% to 95%, non-condensing
- Dimensions (WxDxH): 440 x 410 x 44 mm 17.32 x 16.14 x 1.73 in

1.5.5 Front View



1	PSU1 status LED	7	40/100G QSFP28 ports (49-64)
2	PSU2 status LED	8	QSFP28 port activity LEDs
3	Fan status LED	9	Serial management port
4	System status LED	10	Ethernet management port
5	1/10/25G SFP28 ports (1-48)	11	USB port
6	SFP28 port activity LEDs		

1.5.6 Rear View



1	PSU1	5	Hot-swappable fan module
2	PSU2	6	Fan module screw
3	AC power connector	7	Fan status LED
4	PSU status LED		

1.5.7 LED Functionality

LED Function	LED State	Description
	Off	Power is not supplied to the device
	Green	PSU is operating normally
PSU1/PSU2 status LED	Orange	<pre>Signal issues: - PSU is present, but no current is supplied - Fan Lock - OTP: Over Temperature Protection - OCP: Over Current Protection - OVP: Over Voltage Protection - UVP: Under Voltage Protection</pre>
	Green	Fan operating normally
Fan status LED	Orange	Fan fault: check rear of unit to see which fan is faulty
Suptom status LED	Green	System operating normally
System Status LED	Orange	System warning
	Off	No link
	Green	25G link
SFP28 port LED	Blinking green	25G activity
	Yellow	1/10G link
	Blinking yellow	1/10G activity
	Off	No link
	Green	100G link
QSFP28 port LED	Blinking green	100G activity
	Yellow	40G link
	Blinking yellow	40G activity

1.6 XX-3200G

1.6.1 Package Contents

Carefully unpack all the supplied items and retain the packaging for later use.

- 1 x XX-3200G main unit
- 2 x C13 AC power cord
- 1 x RJ45 female to 9-pin serial adapter
- 1 x RJ45 cable
- 1 x rack mounting kit (front and rear brackets, screws)
- Quick start guide

Note: Please contact the supplier if any part is missing or damaged.

1.6.2 Installation as Standalone

The unit can be installed as a standalone unit.

To ensure proper heat dissipation and ventilation, leave at least 15 cm (6 inches) of space behind the unit and 5 cm (2 inches) in front.

1.6.3 Installation in a Rack

The unit can be mounted in a standard 19" (1U) rack using the provided mounting brackets.

- 1. Slide the main chassis into the desired rack location.
- 2. Secure the chassis using the supplied screws.
- 3. Make sure the rack is grounded properly.

To install the switch without a shelf, use the included rack mount kit.

1.6.4 Technical and Electrical Specifications

- 2.4 GHz Intel quad-core CPU
- 3.2 Tbps ASIC
- AC Model: 2 x 550 W, 100–240 VAC, 50–60 Hz, 80 Plus Platinum efficiency power supply (1 required for operation, 2 for redundancy)
- DC Model: 2 x 800 W, -40--60 VDC, 80 Plus Platinum efficiency power supply (1 required for operation, 2 for redundancy)
- Typical power consumption: 210 W
- Maximum heat dissipation: 1650 BTU/hr
- Cooling: 4 redundant (N+1) hot-swappable fans
- Operating temperature: 0°C to 45°C 32°F to 113°F
- Operating humidity: 20% to 95%, non-condensing
- Dimensions (WxDxH): 440 x 410 x 44 mm 17.32 x 16.14 x 1.73 in

1.6.5 Front View



1	PSU1 status LED	6	QSFP28 port activity LEDs
2	PSU2 status LED	7	Serial management port
3	Fan status LED	8	Ethernet management port
4	System status LED	9	USB port
5	40/100G QSFP28 ports (1-32)		

1.6.6 Rear View



1	PSU1	5	Hot-swappable fan module
2	PSU2	6	Fan module screw
3	AC power connector	7	Fan status LED
4	PSU status LED		

1.6.7 LED Functionality

LED Function	LED State	Description
	Off	Power is not supplied to the device
	Green	PSU is operating normally
PSU1/PSU2 status LED	Orange	<pre>Signal issues: - PSU is present, but no current is supplied - Fan Lock - OTP: Over Temperature Protection - OCP: Over Current Protection - OVP: Over Voltage Protection - UVP: Under Voltage Protection</pre>
	Green	Fan operating normally
Fan status LED	Orange	Fan fault: check rear of unit to see which fan is faulty
	Green	System operating normally
System status LED	Orange	System warning
	Off	No link
	Green	100G link
QSFP28 port LED	Blinking green	100G activity
	Yellow	40G link
	Blinking yellow	40G activity

2. Connecting Power and Start-Up

After ensuring all the necessary precautions have been taken during installation, the unit can be powered on. The system does not have a main switch: it powers up if one of the redundant power supplies is being connected to the main power.

The use of both power supplies is recommended to achieve a maximum fail-safe operation at all times.

The power supply modules are hot swappable: they can be exchanged or new modules can be added at all times under power, but data loss during the exchange must be taken into account.

XX-Series devices are equipped with status and activity LEDs. For more details on status LEDs color and coding, see chapters <u>1.3.7</u> (XX-720G), <u>1.4.7</u> (XX-1800G), <u>1.5.7</u> (XX-2800G), or <u>1.6.7</u> (XX-3200G).

3. Initial Access

The first-time access to the system can only be done through the serial connection, using the supplied cable and adapters. Using any terminal software, use the following connection settings: 115200 baud rate, 8 bit, no parity, 1 bit stop.

Login, using the following credentials:

- Username: profitap
- Password: profitap

Follow the prompt to create an administrator account. After creating the new admin user, the session will close. The factory default user (profitap) remains active for direct connections to the unit's serial management port.

To reset the users database, run the following command:

.system.users.reset

3.1 Configuring the Ethernet Management Port

After logging in with the newly created admin account, the Ethernet management port can be configured by running the following command:

.system.network.set

Depending on user requirements, the IP can be set to either dynamic (DHCP) or static (custom IP). Please follow the instructions to configure the preferred option.

After the configuration is complete, the system is accessible through the network via SSH and **XX-Manager** (web-based interface) at: https://<ip_addr>

XX-Series devices can also be connected directly to a computer through the Ethernet management port. In this case, manual IP policy must be applied to both the unit and the computer.

Note: If the computer network interface is limited to 10/100 Mbps, a special twisted pair cable must be used instead of a normal patch cable.

For security reasons, an SSL certificate is pre-installed.

4. Web Administration

XX-Series devices can be administered either in CLI mode or in a graphical web-based interface called **XX-Manager**, which is OS and platform independent.

Grouped by functionality, six menu tabs are displayed on the left side of the interface:

- Device Status
- Port Management
- <u>Statistics</u>
- Traffic Management
- <u>Authentication</u>
- Administration

4.1 Device Status

The **Information** tab in the **Device Status** menu displays details about the status of the device and the system administrator contact information:

- System information (model version, hardware and software revisions, serial number)
- Administrator information (name, phone number, email address)
- Date and time information
- Network details
- Sensors (air temperature measured in proximity of the fans block, system temperature measured within the forwarding plane chip, CPU temperature, PSU and fan status)
- Temperature readings for CPU, system and external air over time (can be expanded for an improved view)

Note: This page is the only one available when logged out.

4.2 Port Management

The **Port Management** page is a graphical representation of the system, providing detailed status information and allowing an easy configuration of each interface (port), as well as a more detailed view of the attached SFP modules. Besides the visual overview, the port information is also provided in a list view.

Configuration of a port is done by left-clicking on its graphical representation, thus exposing the following menu:

- Port: Shows the port number.
- **Status**: Displays additional information about the selected port: the current state of the port, the Tx and Rx bandwidth statistics, and the transceiver information (if present). This window also allows the port label to be changed, the transceiver TX signal to be enabled or disabled, and a VLAN tag to be added to the frames received through the interface.
- Enable/Disable: Allows the user to enable or disable a specific interface.
- **Speed**: Allows the user to set a specific speed for an individual port. Note that for the SFP+/SFP28 ports, the user cannot set individual port speeds, given these ports are grouped by 4 in the data plane. The interface will change the speed configuration in a consistent way, however it is the user's responsibility to make sure that the connected modules are capable of the selected speeds.
- **Split/Unsplit**: (Only for QSFP+/QSFP28 interfaces): this options allows the user to use the interface as a combined set of 4xSFP+/4xSFP28 ports. This is necessary in order to use split cables.
- **Reset**: Allows the user to reset the port configuration to the default state.

Note: Enabling or disabling tags will momentarily restart the filtering engine, resulting in a brief brake in the output flow.

Note 2: Setting any port's speed to 25G, or from 25G to any other speed, will trigger a momentary reset of the device interfaces. This will briefly impact the traffic flow.

Note 3: Depending on the SFP model, configuring an interface from 1G to 25G may generate temporary traffic flow issues. This can be mitigated by first switching the interface to 10G, and then to 25G.

4.3 Statistics

The **Statistics** page displays specific statistics counters, either globally, or filtered by the interfaces selected.

The **Ports Statistics** tab displays traffic statistics for the selected interface(s). Clicking one or more interfaces will result in visually check-marking them and in adding new column(s) with their respective data stats. The *Reset All Statistics* button will perform a reset of the hardware counters used in all the ports.

The Global Statistics tab displays global sent and received data as well as traffic rules related counters.

The **Charts** tab displays Tx and Rx bandwidth usage for the selected ports with bandwidth charts.

4.4 Traffic Management

The **Traffic Management** page allows users logged in as administrators to create custom traffic aggregation, duplication and filtering rules, as well as enable load balancing for multiple interfaces, tailoring the way data flows on each port of the unit.

These custom settings are grouped into Rule Sets. Rule Sets can be managed and activated from the list in the Rule Sets tab. Only one Rule Set is active at any time.

The **Active Rule Set** tab displays the Rule Set that is currently active, and its details, including the filtered interfaces, and the ones linked in load balancing.

The **Rule Sets** tab displays the list of existing sets of rules (the active one being highlighted), allowing users logged in as administrators to:

- 😌 Create a rule set
- 🍄 Configure a rule set
- Strivate a rule set
- 🖋 Rename a rule set
- 🔟 Delete a rule set

Note: Only one rule set can be active at a time.

A rule set needs to be composed of at least one rule in order to be taken into account and have any effect when applied. Rules can be added 🛃, modified 🖋 or deleted 🔟.

Important: Only data matching at least one of the defined rules will pass through, everything else will be dropped.

The rules define how the traffic will be processed by the packet broker.

The first step in creating a new rule is defining the behavior of the rule. The possible options are:

ALLOW: Only the traffic matching the defined filters will be forwarded; **EGRESS DROP**: The traffic matching the defined filter will be removed from the stream.

The *Input interface* and *Output interface* sections allow the user to define which ports will be used as source for the traffic stream and which ports will be used as output.

When selecting multiple input ports, the device will aggregate the traffic incoming from the interfaces. When selecting multiple output ports, the device will replicate the traffic stream to the interfaces.

The *Match counter id* can be used to start a counter monitoring the amount of packets that are matching the defined filter. These counters will be displayed in the **Global Statistics** tab.

The **Filters** tab allows the user to configure the way in which traffic is targeted, according to specific rules related to its L2, L3 and L4 packet headers:

• Packet Type

This selection will discard all other types of data but the selected one. Selecting *Any Packet* allows all types of data passing through.

• MAC Layer

Only frames matching MAC details configured in this section will be allowed to pass through.

• EtherType

Only frames matching EtherType details configured in this section will be allowed to pass through. Only available when *Packet Type* selection is set to *Any Packet*.

• Transport Layer

Only packets matching Transport Layer details configured in this section will be allowed to pass through. Not available when *Packet Type* selection is set to *ARP*.

• 802.1q VLAN Fields

Only frames matching VLAN details configured in this section (having a VLAN tag in their header, added before entering the NPB) will be allowed to pass through. The VLAN Mask is a hexadecimal field that can be used to filter one or multiple VLAN IDs at the same time.

Example:

VID: 0 and HEX MASK: FFC will match VIDs: 0, 1, 2, 3; VID: 1 and HEX MASK: FFF will match only VID 1.

• IPv4 Layer

Only packets matching IPv4 details configured in this section will be allowed to pass through. Only available when *Packet Type* selection is set to *IPv4*.

• IPv6 Layer

Only packets matching IPv6 details configured in this section will be allowed to pass through. Only available when *Packet Type* selection is set to *IPv6*.

Note: If multiple filter fields are configured, only packets matching all filters will be targeted.

When **Load Balancing** is enabled for a group of interfaces, it is important to remember that when a port is inserted in one of these groups, it cannot be used in additional rules and will be displayed as unavailable in the port layout. Additionally, in order to have a consistent behavior of the load balancing group, all the interfaces belonging to that group must operate at the same speed.

By default, the load balancing port selection algorithm is taking into account all the information included up to Layer 4. This behavior can be changed by clicking the *Configure* button.

The **Import / Export** tab allows users to import and export one or multiple rule sets, using a .json file as the storage medium. Once a rule set has been imported, the Rule Sets tab will be displayed, showing the additional imported rule sets.

Note: Rule Sets names are unique, therefore trying to import rule sets having the same name as the ones already configured in the unit will give an error message. Also, exported rules should only be imported on the same model of XX-Series network packet broker.

4.5 Authentication

4.5.1 Local Users

The **Local** tab allows users logged in as administrators to add new users or edit existing users and their privilege levels. Depending on the selected role, the user has the following privileges:

- administrator: full control, limitless administration and system update;
- user: create and set rules, aggregate and filter traffic, and port configuration;
- viewer: view only: settings, statistics, active rules.

The minimum requirements for the passwords are as follows:

- 8 characters;
- one letter uppercase;
- one letter lowercase;
- one digit;
- one special character.

4.5.2 TACACS+

The **TACACS+** tab allows adding one or more TACACS+ servers, and configuring the following details:

- priority (sets the order in which the servers will be taken into account, if more are added, with a lower number corresponding to a higher priority);
- login type (chap, login, pap);
- server hostname;
- port;
- secret key;
- timeout (waiting time for response from the TACACS+ server, can be set between 1 and 15 seconds);
- privilege mapping (translates the 15 privilege levels from TACACS+ into those of the viewers, users and admins; can be configured).

Enabling TACACS+ server authentication applies to all login methods: serial, SSH, and XX-Manager.

If multiple servers are present, server priority can be changed by using the arrow buttons and clicking the *Save server list* button.

4.5.3 Profitap Supervisor

Profitap Supervisor can be used as a centralized authentication facility for all XX-Series packet brokers.

This feature can be enabled in the Supervisor when registering the device. The centralized manager will automatically register in the device as an authentication facility. From this moment on, the XX-Series device will query the Supervisor to verify, using its authentication configuration, if the credentials used for login are valid. This feature allows the user to define the whole authentication configuration for all Profitap NPBs in a single point and have it being used across the whole fleet of packet brokers. Thanks to this feature, it is possible to use RADIUS authentication in XX-Series devices (in addition to Local Users and TACACS+).

In the **Profitap Supervisor** tab, it is possible to visualize if any Supervisor has been registered with the device and eventually modify the address, port and registration token. Note that the Supervisor is already performing the registration process automatically and these settings shouldn't require any manual change.

When disabling the Profitap Supervisor from this GUI, the XX-Series device will stop reaching to the Supervisor for authentication.

Note: The Profitap Supervisor Authentication is only supported for GUI and REST API access.

4.6 Administration

The **Administration** section allows users with administrator privileges to change system-related settings.

4.6.1 Setup

The **Setup** tab allows editing the administration contact details (name, phone, email), asset information, system date and time, and network configuration.

Note: In case the IP is set from static to DHCP, the new IP must first be discovered or allocated by the gateway (using a MAC address table). Also, disabling the network interface will make the web interface unavailable, in which case a serial connection to the unit must be established in order to reactivate the network interface (see <u>chapter 5.1</u>).

The *Device configuration backup* section of the *Setup* tab allows the exporting and importing of the unit's configuration. The data can be exported by inserting a passphrase and pressing the *Export Configuration* button. The system will generate an encrypted archive that can be safely stored as backup. This package can be imported back to the unit by insert the passphrase that was used for exporting, pressing the *Choose File* button, selecting the archived configuration file, and pressing the *Import Configuration* button.

4.6.2 Firmware

The **Firmware** tab allows the installation of a new firmware on the device. The latest firmware version is available publicly at <u>https://xxseries.profitap.com/</u>. The system will reboot after the installation is complete.

The *License Information* section displays information related to the device license, and allows the license to be updated.

4.6.3 SNMP

The **SNMP** tab can be used to control the device's SNMP (v1/v2c) settings. In this view, the entire service can be set to enable/disable, and the SNMP community entries for GET/WALK requests and trapsinks can be configured. The SNMP MIB files are also available from the GUI.

4.6.4 Firewall

The **Firewall** tab includes the ACL setting to control which external addresses can use the device's services. The page includes the selection of the default firewall policies:

- Whitelist (default): External requests not matching any ACL entry will be denied;
- **Blacklist**: External requests not matching any ACL entry will be allowed.

In this interface, it is also possible to define multiple ACL entries. These can be used to explicitly deny or allow external addresses to access the device's services.

4.6.5 Syslog

The **Syslog** tab displays the system logs stored locally on the device. From this tab, it is possible to configure remote collectors for the device logs. This can be done by clicking the *Remote Servers* button and using the view that appears to configure the remote logging server details.

5. Command Line Reference

After logging into the system, the user has access to all available commands, grouped into four menus, as follows:

- <u>Configuration</u>
- <u>Statistics</u>
- <u>Status</u>
- <u>System</u>

Each menu can be selected by typing its name in the console, e.g.:

.> configuration

Useful commands to navigate the console:

- Is or help to list available branches (or by hitting TAB from keyboards)
- . returns to the initial branch
- .. returns to the previous branch
- CTRL+D cancels a running command

Commands residing in cascading menus can also be executed from any location, outside their normal context menu, using the [.] prefix, provided the path and the command name is known, e.g.:

.status.device.> .configuration.interface.01
.configuration.interface.01.>

5.1 Configuration

The **Configuration** menu is used for the administration of all the interfaces (ports) in the system. An interface must first be selected (from 01 to 32, 54 or 64 depending on the model) before configuring it:

.configuration.> interface.01
.configuration.interface.01.>

After this selection is made, the following submenus can be accessed:

enable [on/off]	Enables or disables the selected interface.
label [show/set/reset]	Displays, sets, or resets the port label.
reset	Deletes all configurations made for the selected interface and restores it to a default state. After issuing the command, the user must confirm it [yes / no].
show	Displays the configuration associated with the selected interface and its current status regarding the link, whether it is enabled or not, speed and duplex mode.
speed [value]	Sets the port speed. Available values (depending on the port): 1G, 10G, 25G, 40G, 100G, AUTO.
split [on/off]	This option is only available for QSFP+/QSFP28 interfaces. If set to on , the interface will be split into 4 interfaces totaling the original speed of the port before the split. If for example, the interface [50] needs to be split and its speed is set to 100G, the following 25G interfaces will be created after the split: 50.1, 50.2, 50.3, 50.4.
transceiver	Displays information about the SFP/QSFP transceiver present in the interface. Key metrics here are the Tx and Rx dB levels which can offer insight on whether the fiber lines are experiencing faults or even intrusion attempts.
tx_disable	Controls the state of the TX_DISABLE SFP feature, useful in scenarios where BiDi SFP and QSFP modules are used to only receive traffic from an optic tap. show displays the current state of the TX_DISABLE functionality. on stops the TX signal on the SFP module. off restarts the TX signal on the SFP module.

vlan	<pre>set allows the user to set an additional header tag to the frames received on the selected interface, particularly useful for aggregation purposes where it is important to know the identity of frames coming from different interfaces which are then aggregated to a single interface. If "Activate VLAN ID match check on INGRESS" is enabled by answering with "Y", all frames received through the selected interface will be dropped at the INGRESS level (before the routing stage), except those having this tag in their header. show displays the tag status for the selected interface. disable removes the tag on the selected interface. After issuing the command, the user must confirm it [yes / no].</pre>
	flow.

5.2 Statistics

The **Statistics** menu is used for displaying or resetting network traffic related statistics. The following submenus can be accessed:

counter	show displays the counters enabled in 4.4 Traffic Management -> Match counter id feature.
	reset resets the specified counter.
global	show displays the following global statistics: bytes received, bytes sent, packets received, packets sent.
	reset resets the global statistics.
interface	show displays the full statistics for a specified interface, or, if all is selected, displays the full statistics for all interfaces.
	reset resets the full statistics for a specified interface, or, if all is selected, resets the full statistics for all interfaces.

5.3 Status

The **Status** menu is used for displaying the status of the main functionalities and the system itself. The following submenus can be accessed:

device	Displays information about the system, system temperature, PSU, and fan functionality.
interface	<pre>show displays the configuration associated with the selected interface and its current status regarding link, whether it is enabled or not, speed and duplex mode. tx_disable displays the status of the TX_DISABLE functionality for all interfaces. vlan displays the current VLAN tagging configuration for the</pre>
	selected interface.
active_ruleset	show displays information about the current active rule set, giving a view of the traffic rules, filters, and load-balancing groups currently active on the device.
asset_information	show displays the user-defined asset information for the device.

5.4 System

The **System** menu is used for administrative changes. The following submenus can be accessed:

aaa	XX-Series devices support remote authentication, authorization and accounting services for networked access control through a centralized server, a protocol called TACACS+. The aaa menu allows users to configure this type of access.	
	add allows the user to add a new IACACS+ server, using the following details:	
	 server: the TACACS+ server hostname or IP address. The default expected port is 49. In case this port is different, specify it using the following format: hostname:port login type: the type of login used in the server. Possible options are PAP, CHAP and LOGIN. priority: the server priority (1-5) in the user selection within the device. A server with a lower value have higher priority, so their users will be selected first in case of duplicates. Selecting 1 will configure the current server to be the first one used for authentication. Selecting 5 will configure the current server to be the last one used for authentication. Note: There cannot be 2 specified servers sharing the same priority. secret: key string used to encrypt the communication between the server and the client. admin minimum level: value between 15 and 0 that defines what priv_lvl is requested for an user in order to be granted admin privileges. user minimum level: value between 15 and 0 that defines what priv_lvl is requested for an user in order to be granted normal privileges. 	
	<i>remove</i> allows removing one of the previously configured TACACS+ server entries.	
	<i>edit</i> allows modifying one of the previously configured TACACS+ server entries.	
	show allows displaying the previously configured TACACS+ server entries.	
	<u>Note</u> : Enabling TACACS+ server authentication applies for all login methods: serial, SSH and XX-Manager.	
asset_information	edit edits the device's custom asset information.	
	reset removes the currently stored asset information. This operation cannot be undone.	

configuration	export allows the exporting of the unit's configuration to a file, encrypted with a passphrase.
	<i>import</i> allows the importing of a previously exported configuration file.
date	<pre>ntp_server controls the list of NTP servers that the device can use to synchronize its clock. add: Add a new NTP server; edit: Edit an existing NTP server; delete: Delete an existing NTP server; disable: Disable an existing NTP server; enable: Enable an existing NTP server; show: Display the current available NTP servers.</pre>
	set allows the date
	time_mode [set/show] selects how the system clock should be set. The "ntp" option will enable the NTP service to synchronize the clock from a network time server.
	time_zone [set/show] controls the timezone used by the device to display its time.
factory_reset	Should the system become corrupted or the main parameters need to be restored to their default values, this option resets the device to the factory state and reboots the system. After issuing the command, the user must confirm it [yes / no].
	<u>Warning</u> : In case of a factory reset, all stored Rule Set data and the Users database will be deleted.
legal	Displays the product's legal information.
licence	show displays the currently installed license.
	install is used for installing a new license. The new license can be installed from USB, HTTP(S), or FTP server. In the two latter cases, the server credentials need to be passed as part of the url in the form:
	`ftp://user:password@server/file`
	If the username or password include special characters that cannot be expressed in the URL format, they will need to be replaced with their entity codes (e.g `@` will be `%40`). A list is available at https://dev.w3.org/html5/html-author/charref

network	acl
	policy [set/show]: Controls the device's ACL firewall's default policy. This can be set as "Whitelist" (deny any request not matching) or "Blacklist" (allow any request not matching).
	rules: This set of commands allows the user to configure the ACL entries defining the source IPv4 addresses that can or cannot access the device's services.
	<pre>add: Create a new ACL entry on the device; delete: Delete an existing ACL entry on the device; disable: Disable an existing ACL entry on the device; edit: Modify an existing ACL entry on the device or its priority; enable: Enable an existing ACL entry on the device; show: Display the current ACL entries.</pre>
	disable disables the Ethernet management port. The serial management port will still be operating. After issuing the command, the user must confirm it [yes].
	Note: if connected through the Ethernet management port, after issuing the disable command, the session will be lost.
	<pre>set allows the user to set the IP acquisition mode of the unit to either DHCP or STATIC. In case STATIC is selected, the user has to input the IPv4, network mask, gateway and DNS address. •dns •gateway •ip •mask •type [dynamic/static]</pre>
	status displays the network parameters of the unit: IP mode, link status, IP, mask, gateway and DNS.
reboot	Reboots the system, keeping all configurations intact. After issuing the command, the user must confirm it [yes].
	<u>Note</u> : Rebooting the unit will temporarily disrupt the data flow.
snmp	Allows the user to configure the Simple Network Management Protocol.
	community allows users to add or delete SNMP communities, used for establishing trust without standard credentials (only designed for SNMP v1 and v2c).
	enable/disable enables or disables the feature.
	show displays whether the feature is enabled or disabled.
	trapsink allows the user to add or delete hosts which SNMP notifications (traps) will be sent to (only designed for SNMP v1 and v2c).

ssl_cert	renew creates a new SSL certificate for the XX-Manager web interface. After issuing the command, the user must confirm it [yes / no].
	<i>import</i> allows the user to import a pre-generated SSL certificate and key to the device, required for the HTTPS web interface. After the command is issued, the user can upload from a chosen URL or from a USB device, first the new key and then the related certificate.
	<u>Note</u> : Both key and certificate files are expected to be in PEM format. After both files have been uploaded, the system checks their validity, replaces the current versions, and restarts the web interface.
syslog	show displays all syslogs and their timestamps.
	clean removes all syslogs from the system.
	remote allows the configuration of remote log collection servers.
update	install is used for installing a new firmware image. The new image can be installed from USB, HTTP(S), or FTP server. In the two latter cases, the server credentials need to be passed as part of the url in the form:
	`ftp://user:password@server/file`
	If the username or password include special characters that cannot be expressed in the URL format, they will need to be replaced with their entity codes (e.g `@` will be `%40`). A list is available at https://dev.w3.org/html5/html-author/charref
users	activate activates an existing login user.
	block prevents an existing user from login in.
	edit edits the details of an existing user (username, full name, email address and role).
	<pre>new creates a new user. The following properties will be required: username, full name, email, role (viewer [default], admin, user). Depending on the selected role, the user has the following privileges:</pre>

 update user - creates and sets rules, aggregate and filter traffic viewer - (default) view only: settings, statistics, active rules.
passwd followed by the desired username changes the login password for a certain user.
reset resets the users database.
rm followed by the desired username deletes a certain user from the user database.
show followed by either the desired username, or 'all', displays all the information for that user, or for all users: full name, email, role, and whether the user is active or not.

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