

UDLD Configuration Commands

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Chapter 1 UDLD Configuration Commands

1.1 UDLD Configuration Commands

UDLD configuration commands include:

- `udld enable`
- `udld aggressive`
- `udld port`
- `udld port aggressive`
- `udld message`
- `udld reset`
- `show udld`

1.1.1 `udld enable`

Syntax

To enable UDLD globally in normal mode, run the following command.

`udld enable`

To disable UDLD globally in normal mode, run the following command.

`no udld enable`

Parameters

None

Default Value

None

Usage Guidelines

This command is used to enable UDLD on all interfaces in normal mode. In normal mode, if UDLD determines that the connection is gone, UDLD will set the state of the port to undetermined, not to down. If UDLD maintains it is a bidirectional link, the port will be set to bidirectional.

Command Mode Global configuration mode

Example

The following example shows how to enable UDLD in normal mode:

```
Switch_config#udld enable
```

1.1.2 udld aggressive

Syntax

To enable UDLD globally in aggressive mode, run the following command.

udld aggressive

To disable UDLD globally in aggressive mode, run the following command.

no udld aggressive

Parameters

None

Default Value

None

Usage Guidelines

This command is used to enable UDLD on all interfaces in aggressive mode. In aggressive mode, if UDLD determines that the link is gone and the link cannot be reconnected, it is thought that interrupted communication is a severe network problem and UDLD will set the state of the protocol to down and the port is in down state. If UDLD maintains it is a bidirectional link, the port will be set to bidirectional.

Command Mode

Global configuration mode

Example

The following example shows how to enable UDLD in aggressive mode:

```
Switch_config#udld aggressive
```

1.1.3 udld port

Syntax

To enable UDLD on all interfaces in normal mode, run the following command. **udld port**

To disable UDLD on all interfaces in normal mode, run the following command. **no udld port**

Parameters

None

Default Value

None

Usage Guidelines

This command is used to enable UDLD on all interfaces in normal mode. In normal mode, if UDLD determines that the connection is gone, UDLD will set the state of the port to undetermined, not to down. If UDLD maintains it is a bidirectional link, the port will be set to bidirectional.

Command Mode

Port configuration mode

Example

The following example shows how to enable UDLD in normal mode:

```
Switch_config_g0/1#udld port
```

1.1.4 udld port aggressive

Syntax

To enable UDLD on the local interface in aggressive mode, run the following command.

udld port aggressive

To disable UDLD on all interfaces in aggressive mode, run the following command. **no**

udld port**Parameters**

None

Default Value

None

Usage Guidelines

This command is used to enable UDLD on all interfaces in aggressive mode. In aggressive mode, if UDLD determines that the link is gone and the link cannot be reconnected, it is thought that interrupted communication is a severe network problem and UDLD will set the state of the protocol to down and the port is in down state. If UDLD maintains it is a bidirectional link, the port will be set to bidirectional.

Command Mode

Port configuration mode

Example

The following example shows how to enable UDLD in aggressive mode:

```
Switch_config_g0/1#udld port aggressive
```

1.1.5 udld message

Syntax

To set the message interval of the aggressive mode, run the following command.

udld message *time*

To return to the default setting, use the no form of this command.

no udld message**Parameters**

| Parameters | Description |
|-------------|--|
| <i>time</i> | Stands for the message interval in aggressive mode Range: 7-90 seconds |

Default Value

15s

Usage Guidelines

This command is used to set the message interval in aggressive mode. After the message is set, you need to reset the aggressive mode and then the new message interval takes effect.

Command Mode

Global configuration mode

Example

The following example shows how to set the message interval to 7 seconds in aggressive mode, which takes effect after the aggressive mode is restarted.

```
Switch_config#udld message 7
```

1.1.6 udld reset

Syntax

To reset the interface which is down by UDLD to up, run the following command. **udld reset**

Parameters

None

Default Value

None

Usage Guidelines

This command is used to reset the interface which is down by UDLD to up.
Command Mode

EXEC mode

Example

The following example shows how to restart the interface which is disabled by UDLD.

```
Switch#udld reset
1 ports shutdown by UDLD were reset.
%%UDLD-2-UDLD_PORT_RESET: UDLD reset interface GigaEthernet0/1.
%%PM-4-ERR_RECOVER: Attempting to recover from udld err-
disable state on
GigaEthernet0/1.
```

1.1.7 show udld

Syntax

To display the information about UDLD running, run the following command.

show udld interface [interface]

Parameters

| Parameters | Description |
|------------------|---|
| <i>interface</i> | Shows the running of the UDLD module on a specific interface. |

Default Value

None

Usage Guidelines

This command can display the running of the UDLD module. When the interface parameter is not entered, the information about the running of all UDLDs on all interfaces will be displayed; when the interface parameter is entered, only the running of the UDLD on this interface will be displayed.

Command Mode

EXEC/global configuration mode
Example

The following commands shows how to display the running states of UDLD modules on all interfaces.

Switch_config#show udld

Interface GigaEthernet0/1

Port enable administrative configuration setting: Enabled
Port enable operational state: Enabled
Current bidirectional state: Unknown
Current operational state: Link down
Message interval: 15
Time out interval: 1
No neighbor cache information stored

Interface GigaEthernet0/2

Port enable administrative configuration setting: Enabled
Port enable operational state: Enabled
Current bidirectional state: Unknown
Current operational state: Link down
Message interval: 15
Time out interval: 1
No neighbor cache information stored

Interface GigaEthernet0/3

Port enable administrative configuration setting: Enabled
Port enable operational state: Enabled
Current bidirectional state: Unknown
Current operational state: Link down
Message interval: 15
Time out interval: 1
No neighbor cache information stored

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The following commands display the running state of the UDLD module on theG0/1 interface..

Switch_config#show udld interface g0/1

Interface GigaEthernet0/1

Port enable administrative configuration setting: Enabled

Port enable operational state: Enabled
Current bidirectional state: Unknown
Current operational state: Link down
Message interval: 15
Time out interval: 1
No neighbor cache information stored
Switch_config#