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Huawei NetEngine 8000 Series All-scenario Intelligent Routers



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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Huawei NetEngine 8000 series routers (hereinafter referred to as the NetEngine 8000) are Huawei's next-generation high-end intelligent routers for all scenarios. They are predominantly suited to scenarios including access and aggregation, private line international gateway (IGW), data center-gateway (DC-GW) and datacenter interconnect (DCI) to help build intent-driven IP bearer networks that feature a simplified architecture, intelligent connections and high availability.

The NetEngine 8000 series features an ultra-broadband network platform, SRv6-based intelligent connections and full-lifecycle automation. It provides rich service types and high-reliability SLA quality making it the best choice for enterprise customers' digital transformation.

Product Appearance

The NetEngine 8000 consists of the X, M, and F series, including the NetEngine 8000 X8, NetEngine 8000 X4, NetEngine 8000 M14, NetEngine 8000 M8, NetEngine 8000 M6, NetEngine 8000 M1A, NetEngine 8000 M1C and NetEngine 8000 F1A, applicable to network of different scales.



Highlights

Industry-Leading Ultra-Broadband Platform

The ultra-broadband converged bearer platform supports up to 14.4T per slot, more than 1.5 times the industry average, meeting enterprises' requirements for full-scenario and large-capacity service access. This enables converged full-service bearing and smooth evolution to higher bandwidth. The high-density, large-capacity, and compact fixed-configuration routers supporting flexible cards help enterprises to save equipment room space and electricity, hence reducing operations and maintenance (O&M) costs.

SRv6-Powered Intelligent Connections

IPv6 Segment Routing (SRv6) is a future-oriented, next-generation simplified protocol that inherently supports IPv6, facilitating the access of numerous terminals, while simplifying protocols and configurations. SRv6 and iMaster NCE enable network resource adjustment in accordance with changes on the cloud, one-hop access to the cloud, and service provisioning within minutes. SRv6 can identify applications and tenants to implement

continuous innovations make it a leader in the SRv6 field. Huawei has participated in the development of more than 75% of SRv6 standards and led the large-scale commercial use of SRv6 in the finance and over-the-top (OTT) industries. Huawei will continue to lead future SRv6 evolution and innovation.

Full-Lifecycle Automation

iMaster NCE, the "intelligent brain", enables real-time visualization of the whole network and full-lifecycle automation.

iMaster NCE and In-situ Flow Information Telemetry (iFIT) allow real-time visualization of service quality and fault locating within minutes. Huawei proprietary Routing Optimization Algorithm based on Matrix (ROAM) algorithm enables intelligent traffic steering and optimization, improving network utilization by over 20%. AI algorithms for alarm compression reduce the number of alarms by 99% and improve O&M efficiency by 90%, helping enterprises move towards autonomous driving wide area networks (WANs).

Strong Service Support Capabilities

The NetEngine 8000 supports diverse features and provides powerful service processing capabilities to meet the service requirements of metro networks, vertical networks, DCI networks, and campus or DC gateways. See below for some of these capabilities.

- **Powerful routing capabilities:** The NetEngine 8000 supports super large routing tables and diverse routing protocols including Routing Information Protocol (RIP), Open Shortest Path First (OSPF), Intermediate System to Intermediate System (IS-IS), Border Gateway Protocol Version 4 (BGPv4), and broadcast, unknown-unicast and multicast traffic (BUM) routing. In addition, the NetEngine 8000 supports both simple and ciphertext authentication and fast convergence to ensure network stability and security in complicated routing environments.
- **Strong service bearing capabilities:** IP, Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS), and SRv6 can be deployed on the NetEngine 8000 as required. The NetEngine 8000 supports Layer 2 virtual private network (L2VPN), L3VPN, multicast VPN (MVPN), and Ethernet VPN (EVPN) services, traffic engineering (TE), flexible 802.1Q in 802.1Q (QinQ), and Generic Routing Encapsulation (GRE). The NetEngine 8000 supports traditional access, emerging services, and multi-service bearing.
- **Powerful expandable multicast capabilities:** The NetEngine 8000 supports various IPv4/IPv6 multicast protocols, such as Protocol Independent Multicast - Sparse Mode (PIM-SM), PIM - Source Specific Multicast (PIM-SSM), Multicast Listener Discovery Version 1 (MLDv1), MLDv2, Internet Group Membership Protocol Version 3 (IGMPv3), IGMP snooping, and MLD snooping. The NetEngine 8000 can flexibly carry video services, such as Internet Protocol Television (IPTV), and satisfy multicast service requirements on networks of various scales.

Comprehensive Network Slicing Functions

The NetEngine 8000 provides comprehensive network slicing functions to meet the differentiated SLA requirements of different services and enterprises. Quality of Service (QoS) ensures service isolation and pipe statistical multiplexing. Flexible Ethernet (FlexE) sub-interfaces implement service protection based on queue isolation. Timeslot-based FlexE slicing provides SLA assurance for super services through physical isolation.

High-quality QoS capabilities, advanced queue scheduling algorithms and congestion control algorithms, as well as a five-level hierarchical QoS (HQoS) scheduling mechanism, meet the service requirements of diverse users on the access side in a differentiated manner. The NetEngine 8000 supports MPLS HQoS on the network side. QoS can be deployed on the network side to provide QoS for MPLS VPN, virtual leased line (VLL), and pseudo-wire emulation edge to edge (PWE3) services. The NetEngine 8000 performs precise multi-level scheduling of data flows, meeting the quality requirements of different users and services of different classes.

Future-Oriented IPv6 Solution

The NetEngine 8000 supports IPv6 static routes and various IPv6 routing protocols, including OSPFv3, IS-ISv6, and Border Gateway Protocol for IPv6 (BGP4+). In addition, it provides a large-capacity IPv6 forwarding information base (FIB) and supports IPv6 terminal access, IPv6 Access Control Lists (ACLs), IPv6 policy-based routing, and SRv6. These features lay the foundation for a smooth transition from IPv4 to IPv6. The NetEngine 8000 also supports IPv4/IPv6 dual stack and IPv4-to-IPv6 transition technologies for both communication between IPv4 and IPv6 networks and between separate IPv6 networks to enhance network scalability.

High-Precision 1588v2 Clock Solution

IEEE 1588v2 refers to the IEEE Standard for a Precision Clock Synchronization Protocol for Networked Measurement and Control Systems. The 1588v2 standard defines a Precision Time Protocol (PTP), which can achieve time and frequency synchronization with an accuracy of sub-microseconds.

The 1588v2 standard enables time and frequency synchronization to meet the requirements of the G.813 template. Moreover, an accuracy of 30 μ s meets the requirements of wireless and Long Term Evolution (LTE) networks, and the time jitter between multiple nodes (under 30 nodes) is less than 1 μ s, allowing for large-scale networking. The external clock sources can be assigned different priorities. The NetEngine 8000 automatically selects an external clock source as its reference clock source based on parameters such as the priorities of external clock sources and the number of hops between itself and the external clock sources. If the best external clock source fails, the device automatically selects the second-best external clock source as its reference clock source. Service switching can be completed within 200 ns, ensuring high clock reliability. In the meantime, iMaster NCE provides GUI-based clock management.

All-Round Reliability Solution

The NetEngine 8000 provides reliability protection at different levels, including the device level, network level, and service level. The NetEngine 8000 can provide a network-wide reliability solution that comprehensively meets the reliability requirements of diverse services. These reliability features lay the foundation for reliable enterprise service interconnection with a system availability of 99.999%.

- **Device-level reliability:** The NetEngine 8000 provides redundancy backup for key components. Key components also support hot swap and hot backup. Furthermore, the NetEngine 8000 leverages Non-Stop Routing (NSR) and Non-Stop Forwarding (NSF) technologies to ensure uninterrupted service transmission.
- **Network-level reliability:** The NetEngine 8000 uses multiple technologies to ensure network-wide reliability and provide end-to-end protection switching within 50 ms for uninterrupted services. These technologies include: IP fast reroute (FRR), Label Distribution Protocol (LDP) FRR, VPN FRR, TE FRR, hot standby, and fast convergence of Interior Gateway Protocol (IGP), BGP, and multicast routes. Other technologies used by NetEngine 8000 to ensure reliability include Virtual Router Redundancy Protocol (VRRP), trunk load balancing and backup, bidirectional forwarding detection (BFD), Ethernet operation, administration and maintenance (OAM), routing protocol/port/VLAN damping, Topology-Independent Loop-free Alternate FRR (TI-LFA), and egress protection through mirror segment IDs (SIDs).
- **Service-level reliability:** The NetEngine 8000 uses technologies such as VPN FRR, E-VRRP, VLL FRR, Ethernet OAM, pseudo wire (PW) redundancy, and enhanced trunk (E-Trunk) to provide service-level redundancy for L2VPNs and L3VPNs, ensuring stable, reliable, and uninterrupted services.
- **Dual-device hot backup:** The NetEngine 8000 provides 1+1 or 1:1 hot backup for multicast services.

Comprehensive OAM Technologies

- The NetEngine 8000 provides point-to-point Ethernet fault management in compliance with IEEE 802.3ah and supports connectivity fault management (CFM) OAM for end-to-end fault detection and locating. The NetEngine 8000 provides Ethernet performance management in compliance with ITU-T Y.1731. By inserting a timestamp into 802.1ag loopback (LB) messages, the NetEngine 8000 can measure performance indicators, such as latency, jitter and packet loss rate. performance measurement can be configured as a scheduled task, and performance statistics reports are output through collaboration with iMaster NCE.
- iFIT can collect SLA information in real time, upload this information to iMaster NCE for intelligent analysis, control, and management, and deliver service policies. If a fault occurs, iFIT enables fault locating within minutes, implementing a SLA-based closed-loop. In the meantime, data is sent to the AI cloud platform for training and self-learning to match more service types and fault models. This makes the "network brain" smarter and enables WANs to move toward becoming autonomous driving networks.

Energy-Conserving Design

The NetEngine 8000 boasts an environmentally friendly design with energy saving features.

The NetEngine 8000 is equipped with an industry-leading powerful heat dissipation system. The system is powered by multiple cutting edge technologies, including an aerospace grade mixed-flow fan, carbon nanotube thermal pad, vapor chamber liquid cooling radiator, and board-specific floating heat dissipation. The optimal head dissipation design greatly improve heat dissipation efficiency while reducing the power consumption of the entire system.

Equipped with Huawei-developed Solar R chips, the NetEngine 8000 leverages leading nanotechnologies in combination with chip-level dynamic frequency adjustment and intelligent fan speed adjustment technologies to significantly reduce power consumption. In the way, the NetEngine, 8000 is optimized for energy conservation.

Technical Specifications

Parameter	NetEngine 8000 X8	NetEngine 8000 X4	NetEngine 8000 M14	NetEngine 8000 M8	NetEngine 8000 M6	NetEngine 8000 M1A	NetEngine 8000 M1C	NetEngine 8000 F1A
Switching Capacity	83.78 Tbps	41.89 Tbps	4 Tbps	2.4 Tbps	320 Gbps	352 Gbps	344 Gbps	2.4 Tbps
Forwarding Performance	14,496 Mpps	7,248 Mpps	906 Mpps	453 Mpps	72 Mpps	72 Mpps	78 Mpps	453 Mpps
Max. Capacity of a Board	4 Tbps	4 Tbps	200 Gbps	200 Gbps	50 Gbps	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards
Capacity Density (G/U)	2025	1633	400	400	80	176	172	1200
IPU	2, 1:1	2, 1:1	2, 1:1	2, 1:1	2, 1:1	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards
SFU	8, 7+1	8, 7+1	2, 1:1 (integrated)	2, 1:1 (integrated)	2, 1:1 (integrated)	Fixed-configuration router not supporting flexible cards	Fixed-configuration router not supporting flexible cards	Fixed-configuration router not supporting flexible cards
Processing Board/ Subcard	8	4	14	8	6	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards	Fixed-Configuration router not supporting flexible cards
Power Supply Module	Max 10, N+1	Max 6, N+1	2, 1+1(DC) 4, 2+2(AC)	2, 1+1	2, 1+1	2, 1+1(DC)	2, 1+1	2, 1+1
Fan Module	12, 11+1	6, 5+1	4, 3+1	2, 1+1	2, 1+1	3 (integrated)	2 (integrated)	4, 3+1
Dimensions (H x W x D)	442 mm x 861.4 mm x 702.3 mm (15.8U)	442 mm x 861.4 mm x 435.6 mm (9.8U)	442 mm x 220 mm x 222 mm (5U)	442 mm x 220 mm x 132.6 mm (3U)	442mm x 220mm x 88.9mm (2U)	442 mm x 220 mm x 44.45 mm (1U)	442 mm x 220 mm x 44.45 mm (1U)	442 mm x 420 mm x 43.6 mm (1U)
Typical Power Consumption	11,017 W	5,913 W	1,270 W	485 W	220 W	75 W	89.21 W	350 W
Weight (in Full Configuration)	296.6 kg	186.2 kg	27.4 kg	16.5 kg	3.52 kg	3.4 kg	3.9 kg	7.25 kg

Note: This specification may vary between different scenarios. Please contact Huawei for details.

Feature Specifications

Hardware Architecture	Non-blocking architecture 400GE/100GE/50E/40GE/25GE/10GE/GE/FE/E1/Channelized STM-1c/OC-3c/STM-1c/OC-12c/STM-4c
Layer 2 Ethernet Protocols	G.8032, STP/RSTP, MSTP, BPDU, and LACP Transparent transmission of Layer 2 protocols
Ethernet Services	VLAN, VPWS and VPLS MAC address limit function bridge domain EVC Layer 2 sub-interface VxLAN, EVPN for VxLAN Eth-Trunk
Ethernet Services	Routing protocols such as RIP, RIPng, OSPFv2, OSPFv3, IS-IS, IS-ISv6, BGP, BGPv6,MP-BGP, IPv4 multicast, IPv6 multicast, static routes, and multicast static routes, IPv4/IPv6 Dual Stack, routing policy, route filtering IPv4/IPv6 policy-based routing, load-balancing (ECMP and UCMP), OSPF-LDP, IS-IS LDP-IGP synchronization, and BGP route reflector (RR)
Multicast	IGMPv1/v2/v3, PIM-SM/PIM-SSM, MSDP, MVPN, NG-MVPN, BIER/BIERv6, IGMP snooping, MBGP, anycast RP and Reverse Path Forwarding (RPF) multicast routing policy
MPLS	MPLS LDP, RSVP-TE, P2MP TE/mLDP, and MPLS/BGP VPN, in compliance with RFC 2547 BGP route reflector MPLS-TP ECMP and UCMP Flexible Ethernet (FlexEth) IP hard pipeline
VPN	BGP and LDP MPLS L2VPN, L2VPN techniques, such as VPLS and VLL/VPWS/L3VPN, dual-stack VPN, Multicast VPN, EVPN VPLS/VPWS/L3VPN and PBB EVPN Inter-AS VPN (Option A, B, or C).
IPv6	Various IPv4-to-IPv6 transition technologies: manual tunnel, automatic tunnel, 6to4 tunnel, GRE tunnel, and ISATAP tunnel IPv4 over IPv6 tunnel and IPv6 Provider Edge (6PE) IPv6 neighbor discovery, PMTU discovery, TCP6, ping IPv6, tracer IPv6, socket IPv6, static IPv6 DNS, IPv6 DNS server, TFTP IPv6 client, and IPv6 policy-based routing Internet Control Message Protocol Version 6 (ICMPv6), Management Information Base (MIB), User Datagram Protocol Version 6 (UDP6) MIB, TCP6 MIB, and IPv6 MIB
SR&SRv6	SR-BE, SR-TE and SR Policy, SR TI-LFA/Anti-micro-loop SRv6 BE, SRv6 TE Policy and EVPN VPWS&EVPN VPLS&EVPN L3VPN over SRv6 TE policy, SRv6 Policy traffic statistics, SRv6 TI-LFA FRR, EVPN over SRv6 BE
Security	MD5 and keychain authentication IPv4/IPv6 URPF URPF with strict and loose mode ARP attack defense BGP IPv4 Flow Specification and BGP IPv6 Flow Specification, BMP(BGP Monitoring Protocol) Traffic suppression include multicast, broadcast, and unknown unicast traffic MACsec

Reliability	SR-MPLS TI-LFA/Anti-micro-loop Hardware BFD minimum 3.3ms detection interval BFD for VRRP, OSPF, IS-IS, BGP, LDP, TE, SR, VRRPv6, OSPFv3, ISISv6, BGP4+,PW IP FRR (OSPF, ISIS, BGP), LDP FRR, TE FRR, and VPN FRR Remote-LFA/TI-LFA/Anti-micro-loop VRRP Command rollback and commit trial SRv6 TI-LFA&SRv6 TE FRR&BFD for SRv6 TE Policy for fast fault convergence NSR for VRRP, OSPF, IS-IS, BGP, LDP, TE, SR, VRRPv6, OSPFv3, ISISv6, BGP4+
OAM	iFIT, IP FPM NQA BFD, TWAMP, MPLS OAM, MPLS TP OAM VRRP, Ethernet OAM (802.3ah, 802.1ag/Y.1731), Ethernet LPT, Bit error-triggered switching, LLDP, BFD for eth-trunk
QoS	Hierarchical QoS, SQ, PQ, WFQ and LPQ, QPPB, DifferServ and redirection, WRED Traffic classification based on 802.1p, IP Precedence, DSCP, and MPLS EXP Traffic marking/re-marking 802.1p, IP Precedence, DSCP, and MPLS EXP
Clock	NTP Synchronous Ethernet (SyncE) 1588v2 and G.8275.1 profile
O&M	Telenet, SSH/SSHv2,Netcogf, SNMPv1, SNMPv2 & SNMPv3.
Regulatory compliance	EMC ANSI C63.4, AS/NZS CISPR 32 CISPR 24,CISPR 32 EN 55024, EN 55032 ETSI EN 300 386, ETSI ES 201 468 FCC CFR47 Part 15 Subpart B ICES-003 Issue 6, ICES-GEN Issue 1 IEC 61000-3-2, IEC 61000-3-3, IEC 61000-4-11, IEC 61000-4-2, IEC 61000-4-29, IEC 61000-4-3, IEC 61000-4-4, IEC 61000-4-5, IEC 61000-4-6, IEC 61000-6-2, IEC 61000-6-4 VCCI-CISPR 32 Environment IEC 60068-2-30, IEC 60068-2-78, IEC 60068-2-14, IEC 60068-2-1, IEC 60068-2-2 Safety IEC/EN/UL/CSA 60950-1, IEC/EN 62368-1 Environmental protection 2011/65/EU & (EU)2015/863 (EU RoHS) Regulation (EC) No.1907/2006 (REACH) 2012/19/EU (WEEE) 2006/66/EC & 2013/56/EU on batteries and accumulators