

# The Margrave Tool for Firewall Analysis

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*...and other dens of iniquity*

“I don't really know what's wrong.”

“I'm having this strange issue with Cisco IOS...”

“I need your advice...”

The screenshot shows a forum post on a network-related site. The post is by a user named 'azsquall', who is marked as 'offline'. The post subject is 'ACL and NAT conflict each other, router'. The user describes a problem where they are trying to configure a Cisco IOS router to allow access to a web server over a site-to-site VPN tunnel. They mention that they have configured ACLs and NAT, but are experiencing a conflict. They list two requirements: 1. block all unwanted incoming traffic, and 2. allow certain tcp traffic for certain application such as, FTP, WEB, REMote desktop Control. They state that if requirement 2 works, their servers cannot get access into the internet, even though they will be able to access the website, or even FTP and remote-desktop-control to them. They ask for help and provide their current configuration code.

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Policy-based routing

Posted August 24, 2006 09:02 August 24, 2006

...ver (port forwarding from the Internet) prevents access to the same web server over a site-to-site VPN tunnel. The tunnel links the 68.1.105 tcp/80. ...gain across the VPN. When I add the static NAT, I can access it, but Chicago cannot. I need to enable simultaneous access

### policy based routing- urgent please

Static routing, NAT

**azsquall**  
New Member  
Joined: Fri Aug 15, 2008 2:02 am  
Posts: 40

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hostname  
aaa auth  
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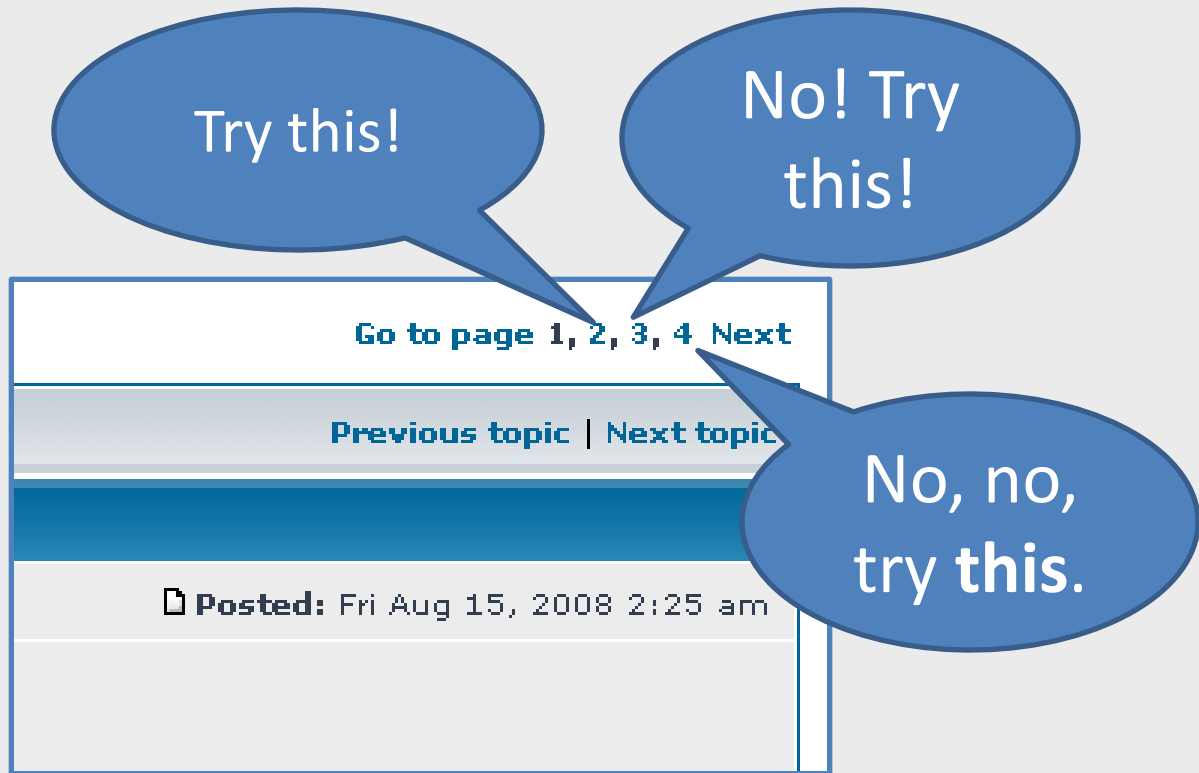
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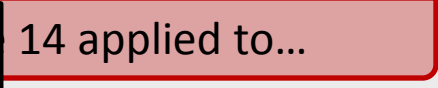
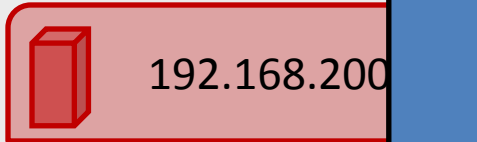
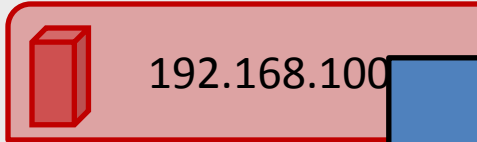


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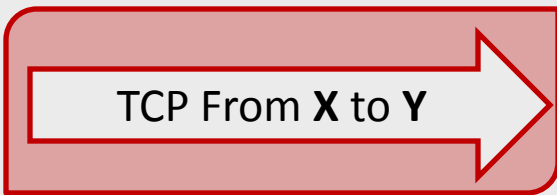


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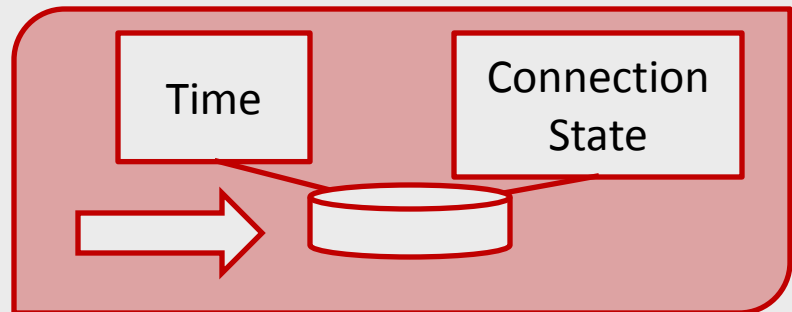


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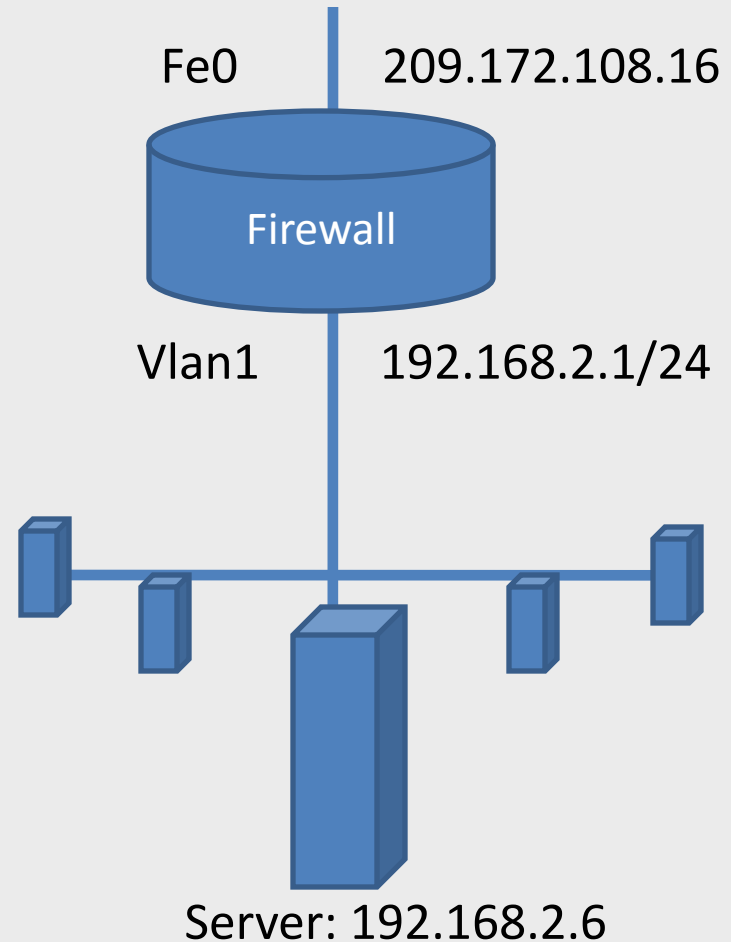
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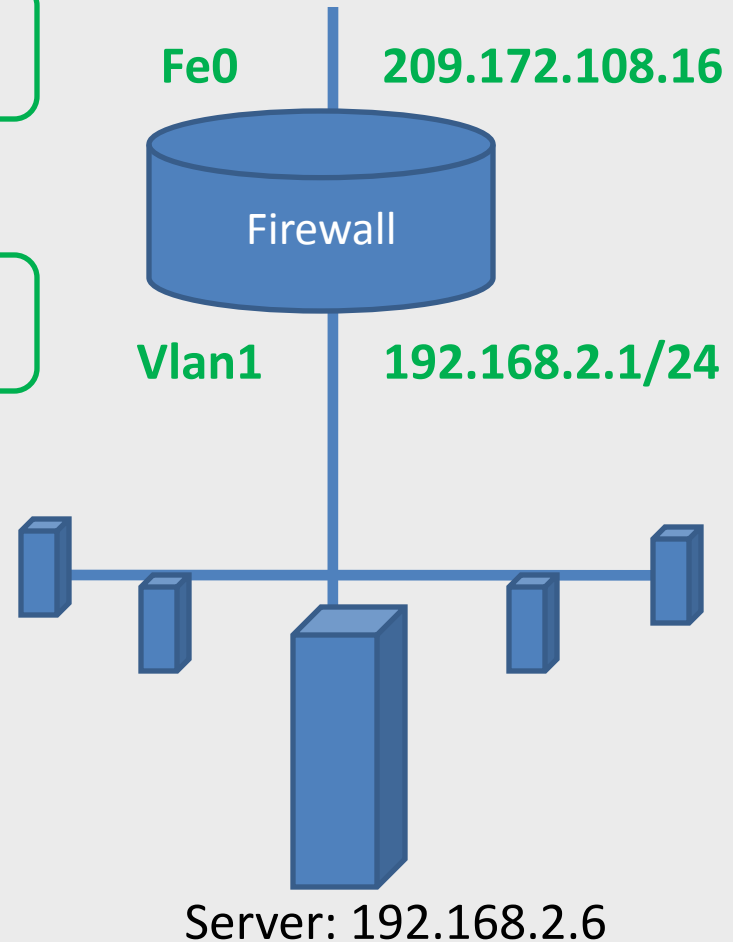
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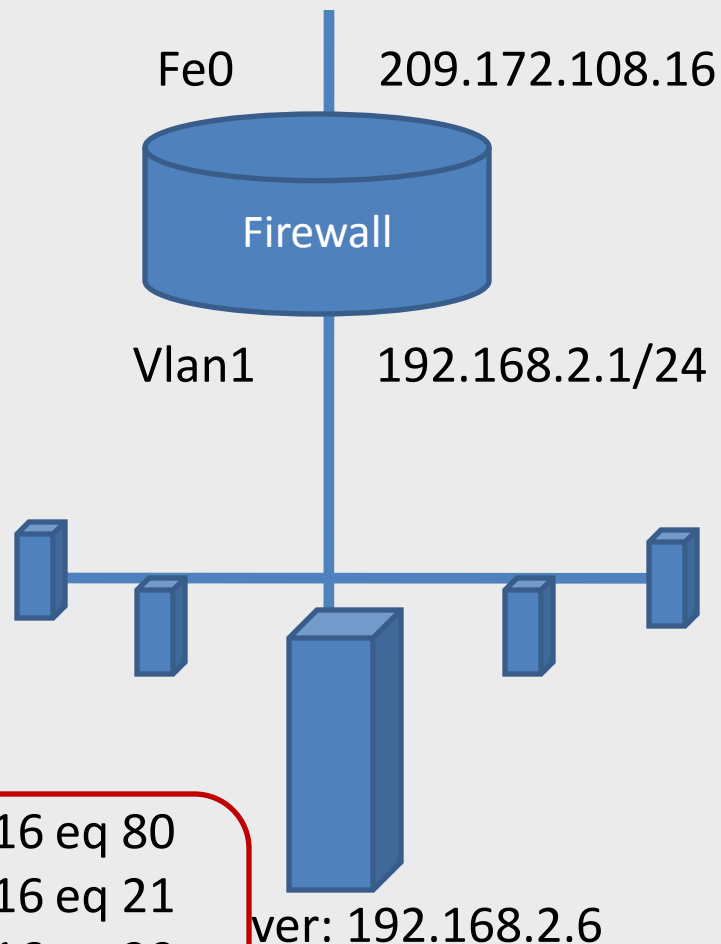
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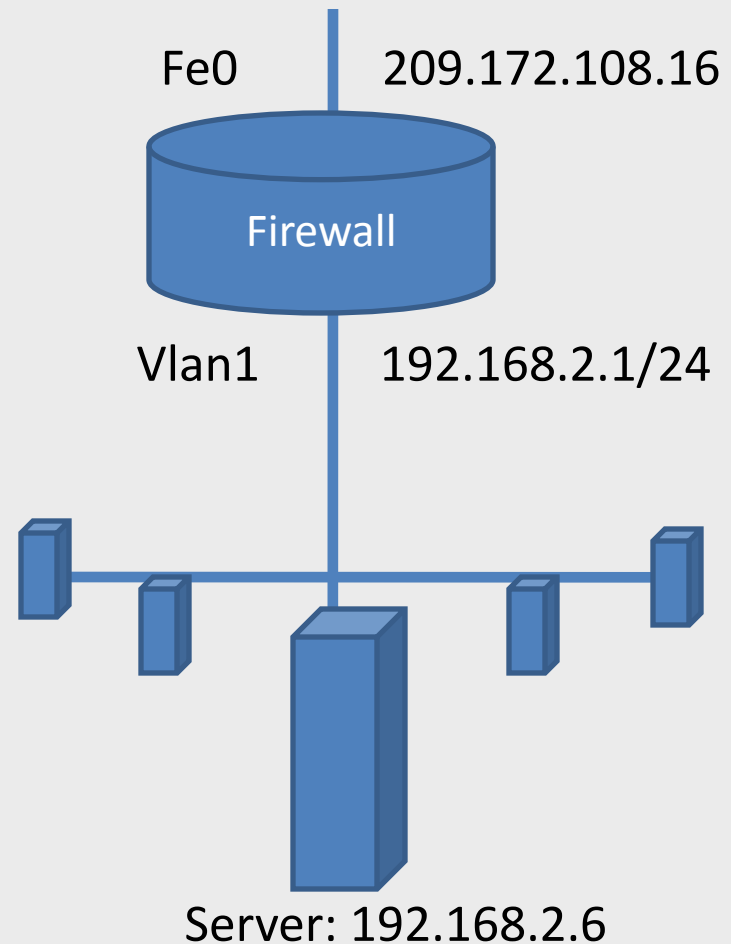
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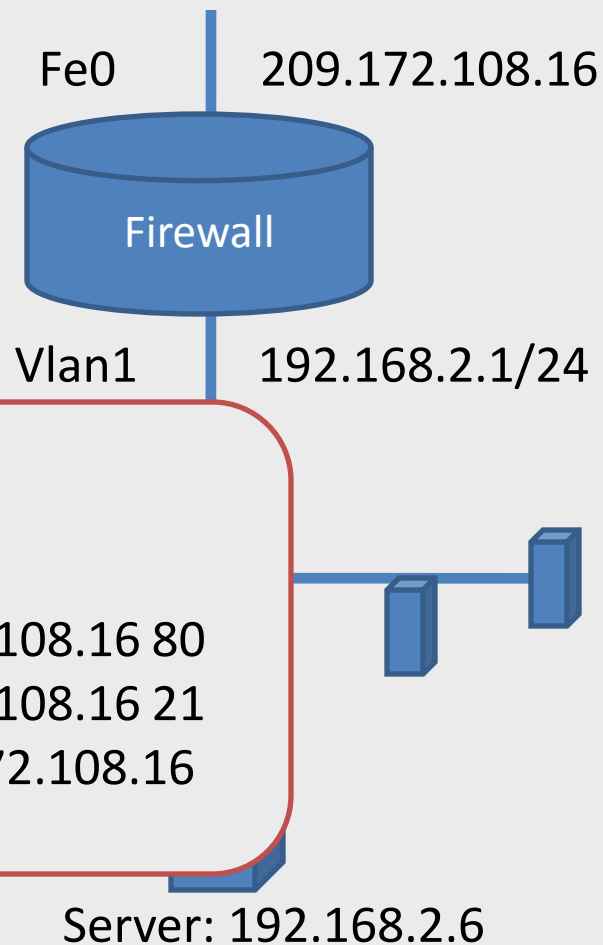


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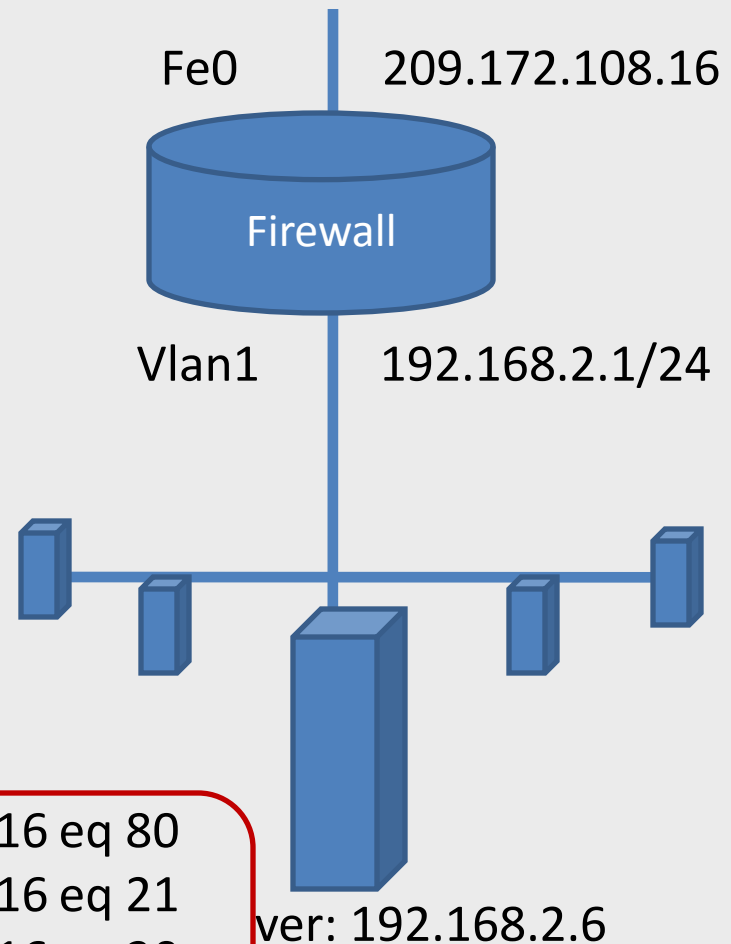




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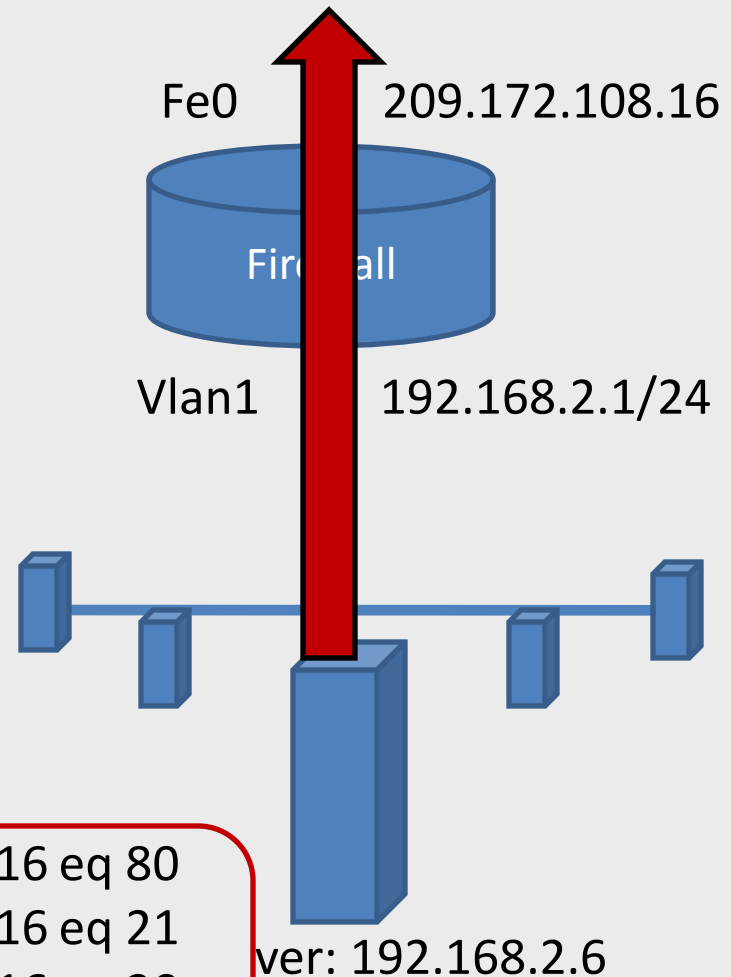
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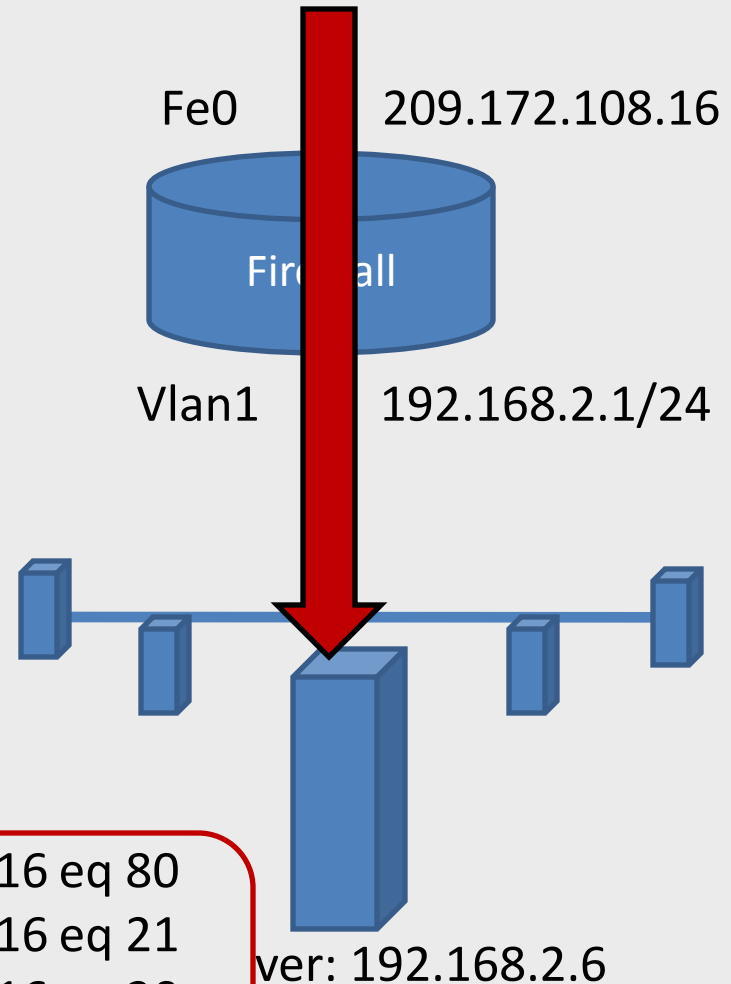
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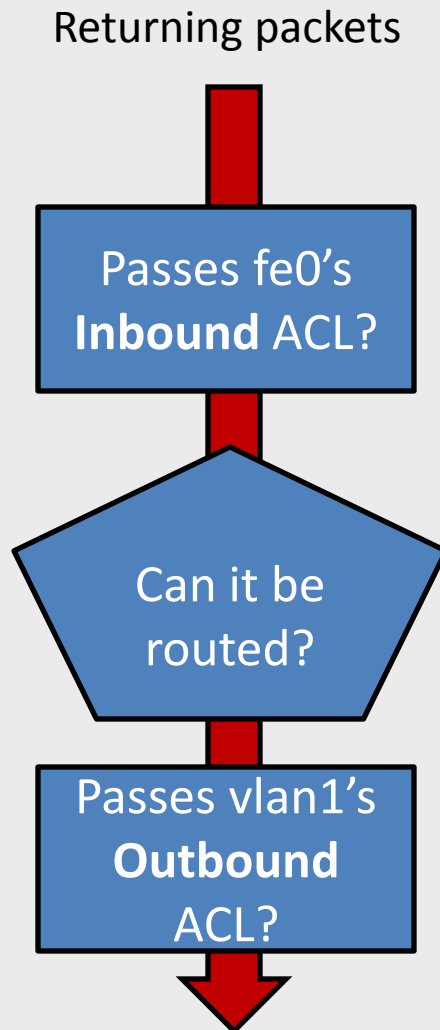
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21. access-list 1 permit 192.168.2.0 0.0.0.255
```

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access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

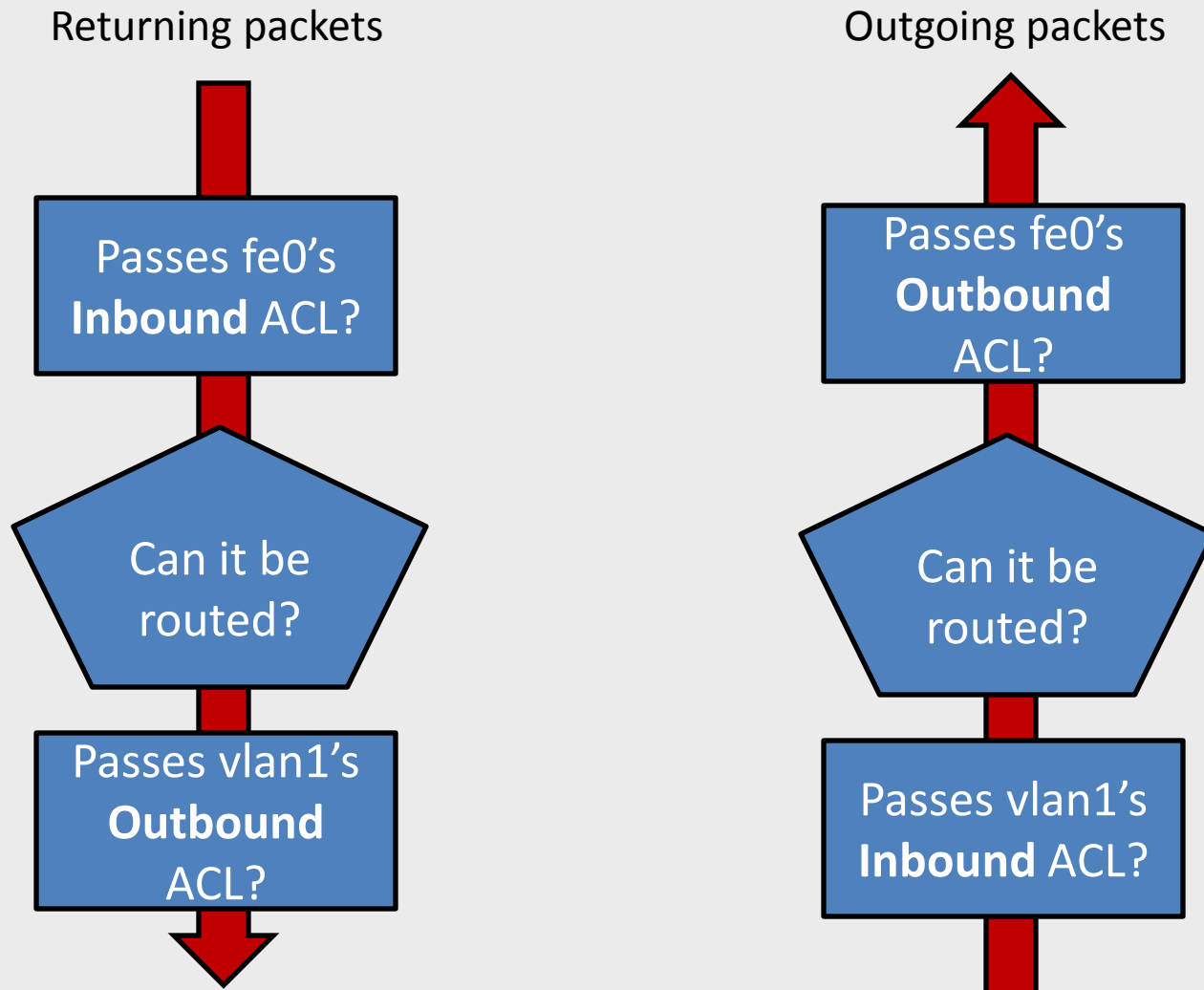


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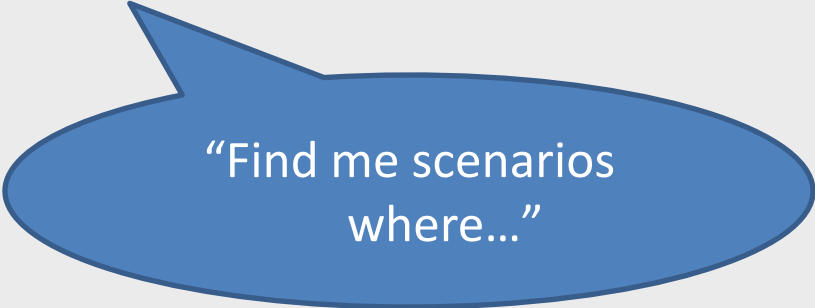
# “Can returning packets be lost?”

```
1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
3. ip access-group 102 in
4. ip nat outside
5. speed auto
6. full-duplex
7. !
8. interface Vlan1
9. ip address 192.168.2.1 255.255.255.0
10. ip nat inside
11. !
12. ip route 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 209.172.108.1
13. !
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26. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
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# “Can returning packets be lost?”

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1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
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```

## EXPLORE



“Find me scenarios where...”



# “Can returning packets be lost?”

```
1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
3. ip access-group 102 in
4. ip nat outside
5. speed auto
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```

EXPLORE

**NOT** passes-firewall(<pkt>);

“Dropped or rejected”

<pkt> =

entry-interface

src-addr-in

protocol

...

# “Can returning packets be lost?”

```
1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
3. ip access-group 102 in
4. ip nat outside
5. speed auto
6. full-duplex
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26. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

EXPLORE

**NOT** passes-firewall(<pkt>)  
**AND** internal-result(<pktplus>);

“Compute next hop and NAT”

<pktplus> =

<pkt>

+

temporary variables

# “Can returning packets be lost?”

```
1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
3. ip access-group 102 in
4. ip nat outside
5. speed auto
6. full-duplex
7. !
8. interface Vlan1
9. ip address 192.168.2.1 255.255.255.0
10. ip nat inside
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```

EXPLORE

**NOT** passes-firewall(<pkt>)

**AND** internal-result(<pktplus>)

**AND** FastEthernet0 = entry-interface;



“Arriving at FastEthernet0”

# “Can returning packets be lost?”

```
1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
3. ip access-group 102 in
4. ip nat outside
5. speed auto
6. full-duplex
7. !
8. interface Vlan1
9. ip address 192.168.2.1 255.255.255.0
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25. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 23
26. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

EXPLORE

**NOT** passes-firewall(<pkt>)

**AND** internal-result(<pktplus>)

**AND** FastEthernet0 = entry-interface

**AND**

**NOT** src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0;

“Reasonable source”

# “Can returning packets be lost?”

```
1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
3. ip access-group 102 in
4. ip nat outside
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26. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

EXPLORE

**NOT** passes-firewall(<pkt>)

**AND** internal-result(<pktplus>)

**AND** FastEthernet0 = entry-interface

**AND**

**NOT** src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0

**AND** prot-TCP = protocol

**AND** port-80 = src-port-in;

“TCP from port 80”

# “Can returning packets be lost?”

```
1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
3. ip access-group 102 in
4. ip nat outside
5. speed auto
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26. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

## EXPLORE

**NOT** passes-firewall(<pkt>)

AND internal-result(<pktplus>)

AND **FastEthernet0** = entry-interface

AND

NOT src-addr-in IN **192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0**

AND **prot-TCP** = protocol

AND **port-80** = src-port-in;

AND **dest-addr-in** = **209.172.108.16**;

“To public address”

# “Can returning packets be lost?”

```
1. interface FastEthernet0
2. ip address 209.172.108.16 255.255.255.224
3. ip access-group 102 in
4. ip nat outside
5. speed auto
6. full-duplex
7. !
8. interface Vlan1
9. ip address 192.168.2.1 255.255.255.0
10. ip nat inside
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26. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

## EXPLORE

**NOT** passes-firewall(<pkt>)

**AND** internal-result(<pktplus>)

**AND** FastEthernet0 = entry-interface

**AND**

**NOT** src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0

**AND** prot-TCP = protocol

**AND** port-80 = src-port-in;

**AND** dest-addr-in = 209.172.108.16;

Here, a scenario is:

Data about a packet's  
contents & handling

# “Can **returning** packets be lost?”

Check for denied return packets:

```
> EXPLORE
  NOT src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0
  AND FastEthernet0 = entry-interface
  AND prot-TCP = protocol
  AND port-80 = src-port-in
  AND dest-addr-in = 209.172.108.16
  AND internal-result(<pktplus>)
  AND NOT passes-firewall(<pkt>);

> IS POSSIBLE?;
```

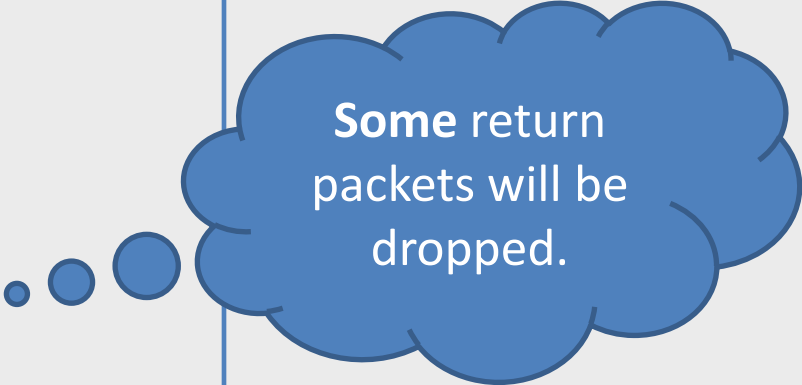


# “Can **returning** packets be lost?”

Check for denied return packets:

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  AND FastEthernet0 = entry-interface
  AND prot-TCP = protocol
  AND port-80 = src-port-in
  AND dest-addr-in = 209.172.108.16
  AND internal-result(<pktplus>)
  AND NOT passes-firewall(<pkt>);

> IS POSSIBLE?;
true
>
```



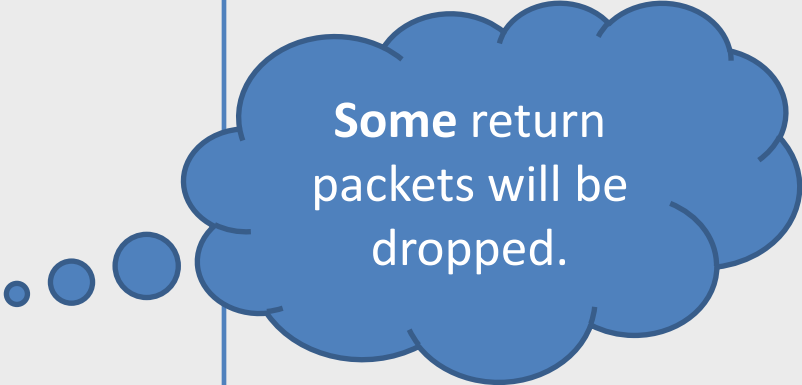
**Some return  
packets will be  
dropped.**

# “Can **returning** packets be lost?”

Check for denied return packets:

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> EXPLORE
  NOT src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0
  AND FastEthernet0 = entry-interface
  AND prot-TCP = protocol
  AND port-80 = src-port-in
  AND dest-addr-in = 209.172.108.16
  AND internal-result(<pktplus>)
  AND NOT passes-firewall(<pkt>);

> IS POSSIBLE?;
true
>
```



Some return packets will be dropped.

Similar query: **outgoing** packets all pass the firewall.

# “Which rule(s) were responsible?”

> EXPLORE

NOT src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0

AND FastEthernet0 = entry-interface

AND prot-TCP = protocol

AND port-80 = src-port-in

AND dest-addr-in = 209.172.108.16

AND internal-result(<pktplus>)

AND NOT passes-firewall(<pkt>);

> **SHOW REALIZED**

InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line22\_applies(<pkt>),

InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line23\_applies(<pkt>),

InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line24\_applies(<pkt>),

InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line25\_applies(<pkt>),

InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line26\_applies(<pkt>);

# “Which rule(s) were responsible?”

> EXPLORE

```
NOT src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0  
AND FastEthernet0 = entry-interface  
AND prot-TCP = protocol  
AND port-80 = src-port-in  
AND dest-addr-in = 209.172.108.16  
AND internal-result(<pktplus>)  
AND NOT passes-firewall(<pkt>);
```

> **SHOW REALIZED**

```
InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line22_applies(<pkt>),  
InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line23_applies(<pkt>),  
InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line24_applies(<pkt>),  
InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line25_applies(<pkt>),  
InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line26_applies(<pkt>);
```



The ACL rules tied to  
FastEthernet0

## “Which rule(s) were responsible?”

> EXPLORE

NOT src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0

AND FastEthernet0 = entry-interface

AND prot-TCP = protocol

AND port-80 = src-port-in

AND dest-addr-in = 209.172.108.16

AND internal-result(<pktplus>)

AND NOT passes-firewall(<pkt>);

> SHOW REALIZED

InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line22\_applies(<pkt>),

InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line23\_applies(<pkt>),

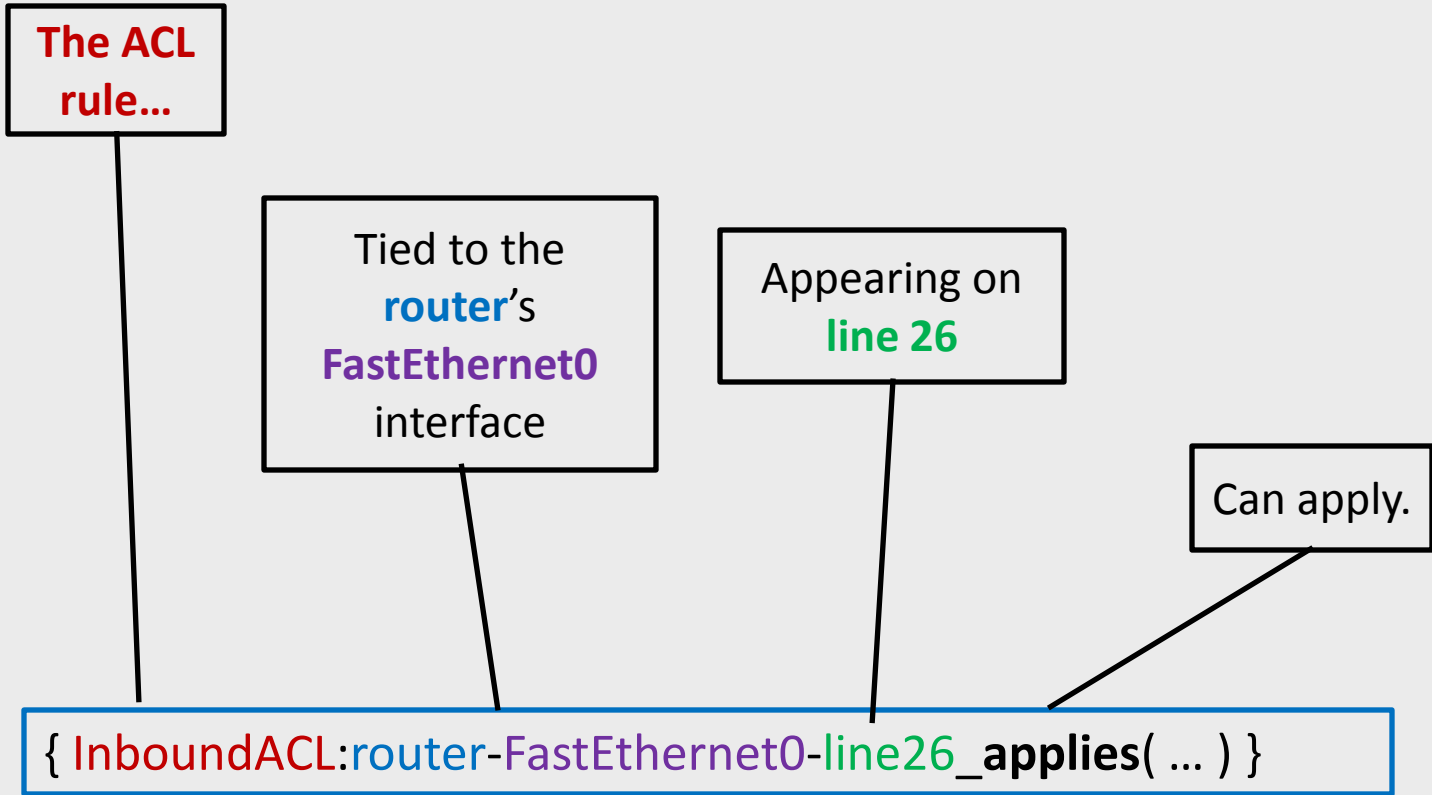
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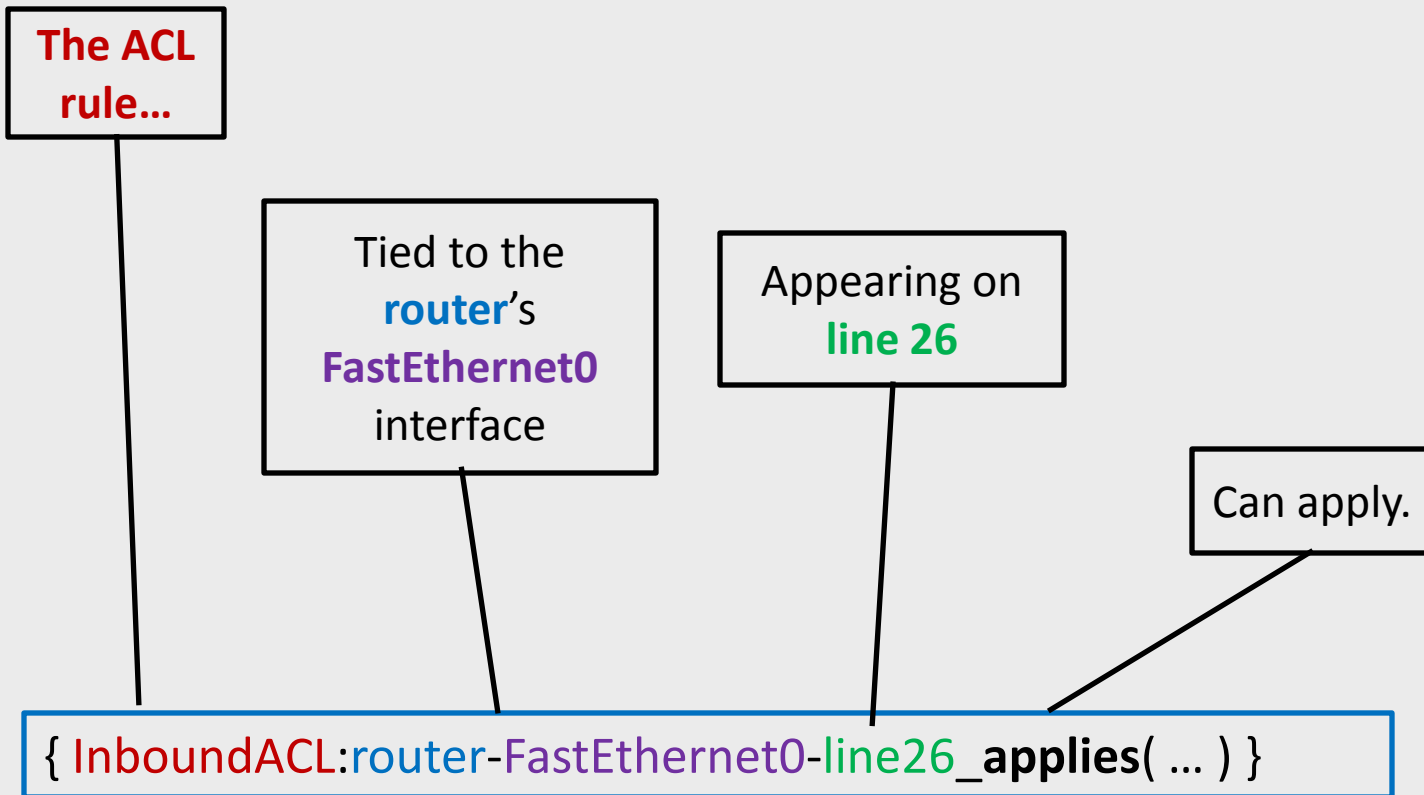
InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line25\_applies(<pkt>),

InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line26\_applies(<pkt>);

**{ InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line26\_applies( ... ) }**

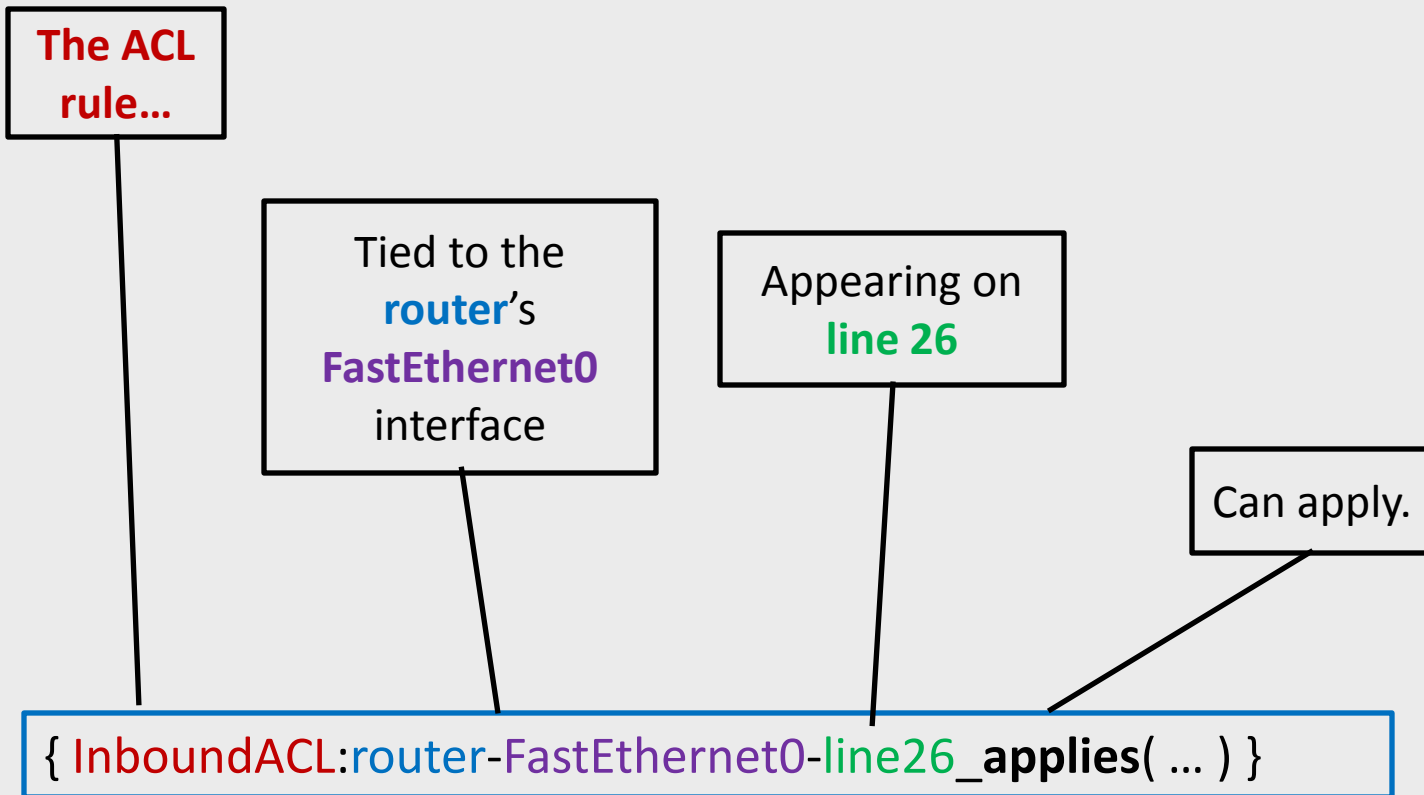
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Use these in queries too:

```
EXPLORE InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line26_applies(<pkt>);
```



Use these in queries too:

```
EXPLORE InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line26_applies(<pkt>);
```

```
EXPLORE InboundACL:router-FastEthernet0-line26_matches (<pkt>);
```



“Add a rule allowing all  
returning traffic from  
port 80...”



“Add a rule allowing all  
returning traffic from  
port 80...”



Will this change  
fix my problem?

“Add a rule allowing all returning traffic from port 80...”



Will this change fix my problem?

Will it introduce new problems?

```
22. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 80
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24. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 20
25. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 23
26. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

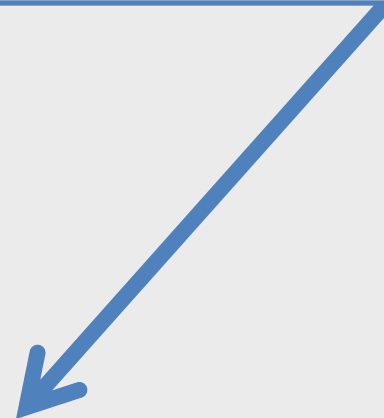
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26. access-list 102 permit tcp any eq 80 any
27. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
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25. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 23
26. access-list 102 permit tcp any eq 80 any
27. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```



diff says:



**25a26**

**> access-list 102 permit tcp any eq 80 any**

```
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```

## EXPLORE

NOT src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0 AND  
FastEthernet0 = entry-interface AND

internal-result1(<pktplus>) AND

(passes-firewall1(<pkt>) AND NOT passes-firewall2(<pkt>)

OR

passes-firewall2(<pkt>) AND NOT passes-firewall1(<pkt>) );

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26. access-list 102 permit tcp any eq 80 any
27. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

## EXPLORE

NOT src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0 AND  
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internal-result1(<pktplus>) AND

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OR

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```
22. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 80
23. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 21
24. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 20
25. access-list 102 permit tcp any host 209.172.108.16 eq 23
26. access-list 102 deny tcp any host 209.172.108.16
```

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```

EXPLORE

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Change-impact  
analysis

```
> EXPLORE
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  internal-result1(<pktplus>) AND
  (passes-firewall1(<pkt>) AND NOT passes-firewall2(<pkt>))
  OR
  passes-firewall2(<pkt>) AND NOT passes-firewall1(<pkt>) );

> SHOW ALL;
```

> EXPLORE

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(passes-firewall1(<pkt>) AND NOT passes-firewall2(<pkt>)  
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```

> **SHOW ALL;**

```
protocol: prot-tcp  
entry-interface: fastethernet0  
dest-addr-in: 209.172.108.16  
src-addr-in: ipaddress  
dest-port-in: port  
src-port-in: port-80  
exit-interface: vlan1
```

> EXPLORE

```
NOT src-addr-in IN 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0 AND  
fastethernet0 = entry-interface AND  
internal-result1(<pktplus>) AND  
(passes-firewall1(<pkt>) AND NOT passes-firewall2(<pkt>)
```

```
Public address of server AND NOT passes-firewall1(<pkt>) );
```

> SRC IP;

```
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entry-interface: fastethernet0  
dest-addr-in: 209.172.108.16  
src-addr-in: ipaddress  
dest-port-in: port  
src-port-in: port-80  
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```

> EXPLORE

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fastethernet0 = entry-interface AND  
internal-result1(<pktplus>) AND  
(passes-firewall1(<pkt>) AND NOT passes-firewall2(<pkt>)  
OR  
passes-firewall2(<pkt>)) AND NOT passes-firewall1(<pkt> );
```

> SHOW

“Some **other** address”

```
protocol: protocol  
entry-interface: fastethernet0  
dest-addr-in: 209.172.108.16  
src-addr-in: ipaddress  
dest-port-in: port  
src-port-in: port-80  
exit-interface: vlan1
```

“Some **other** port”

> EXPLORE

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fastethernet0 = entry-interface AND  
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passes-firewall2(<pkt>) AND NOT passes-firewall1(<pkt>) );
```

> **SHOW ALL;**

protocol: prot-tcp  
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**dest-addr-in: 209.172.108.16**  
src-addr-in: ipaddress  
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Packet is routed  
successfully

> EXPLORE

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```

> SHOW ALL;

**More than we intended?**

```
protocol: prot-tcp  
entry-interface: fastethernet0  
dest-addr-in: 209.172.108.16  
src-addr-in: ipaddress  
dest-port-in: port  
src-port-in: port-80  
exit-interface: vlan1
```

```
protocol: prot-tcp  
entry-interface: fastethernet0  
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src-port-in: port-80  
exit-interface: vlan1
```



> EXPLORE

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> SHOW ALL;

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```

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src-port-in: port-80  
exit-interface: vlan1
```

...

> EXPLORE

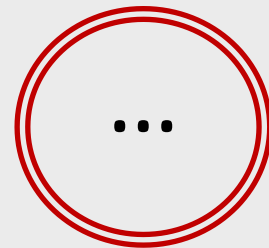
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```



Query:

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```
EXPLORE  
passes-firewall(<pkt>)
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```

Variables for packet contents & handling

Query:

EXPLORE  
passes-firewall(<pkt>)

entry-interface,  
next-hop,  
dest-addr-in,  
...

## Query:

EXPLORE  
passes-firewall(<pkt>)

entry-interface,  
next-hop,  
dest-addr-in,  
...

## Scenario:

**entry-interface:** fe0  
**next-hop:** 192.168.2.6  
**dest-addr-in:** 209.172.108.16  
...

## Query:

```
EXPLORE  
passes-firewall(<pkt>)
```

## Scenario:

```
entry-interface: fe0  
next-hop: 192.168.2.6  
dest-addr-in: 209.172.108.16
```

...



192.168.2.6



209.172.108.16



fe0

...



## Query:

```
EXPLORE  
passes-firewall(<pkt>)
```

How large a scenario do we  
need to check?

## Scenario:

```
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next-hop: 192.168.2.6  
dest-addr-in: 209.172.108.16
```

...



192.168.2.6



209.172.108.16



fe0

...

## Query:

```
EXPLORE  
passes-firewall(<pkt>)
```

## Scenario:

```
entry-interface: fe0  
next-hop: 192.168.2.6  
dest-addr-in: 209.172.108.16  
...
```

How large a scenario do we need to check?

Margrave computes a bound automatically, most of the time.



192.168.2.6



209.172.108.16



fe0

...

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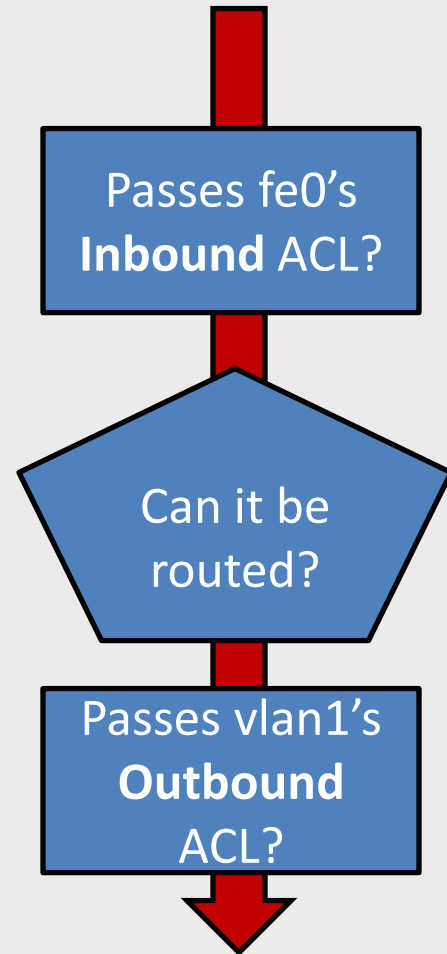
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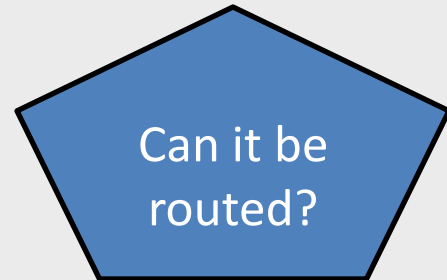
Single-configuration  
and  
**multi**-configuration queries  
(Change-impact analysis)

Returning packets



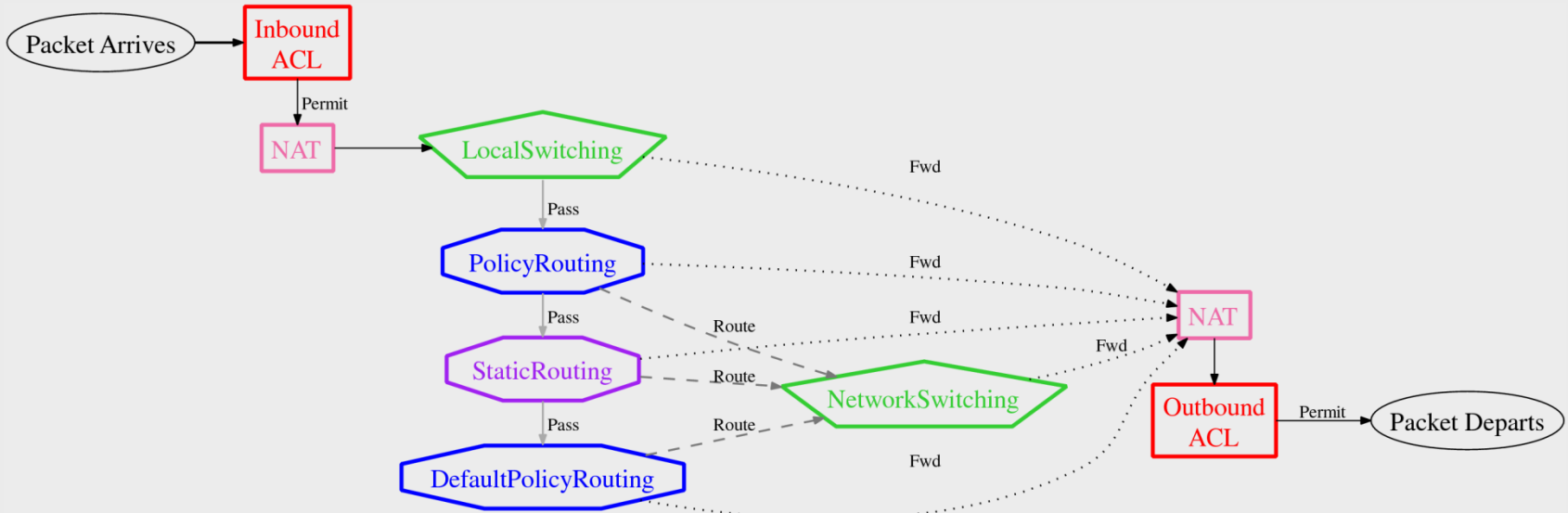


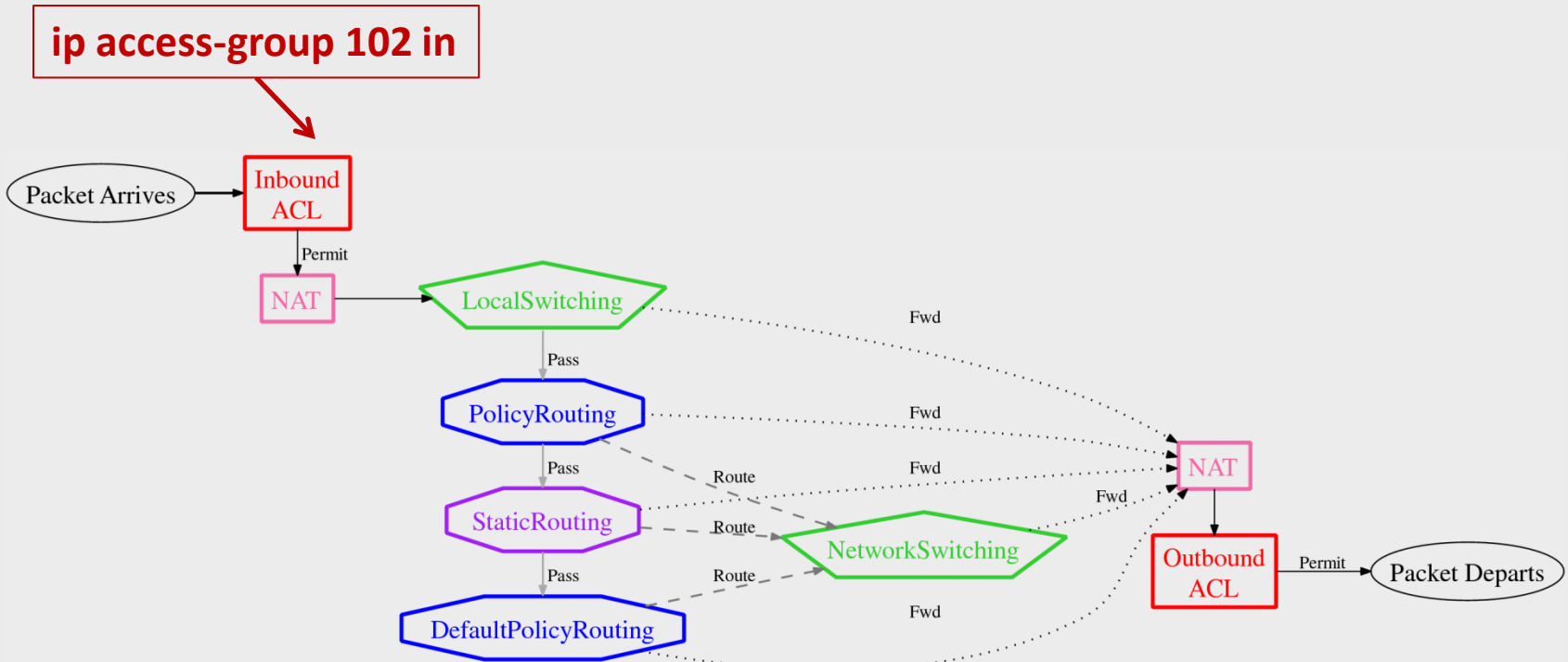
```
interface GigabitEthernet0/0
ip address 10.232.0.1 255.255.252.0
ip access-group 101 in
ip policy route-map internet
!
ip route 10.232.100.0 255.255.252.0 10.254.1.130
ip route 10.232.104.0 255.255.252.0 10.254.1.130
!
access-list 101 deny ip 10.232.0.0 0.0.3.255 10.232.4.0 0.0.3.255
access-list 101 deny ip 10.232.4.0 0.0.3.255 10.232.0.0 0.0.3.255
access-list 101 permit ip any any
!
access-list 10 permit 10.232.0.0 0.0.3.255
access-list 10 permit 10.232.100.0 0.0.3.255
!
route-map internet permit 10
match ip address 10
set ip next-hop 10.232.0.15
```



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**How is it routed?**



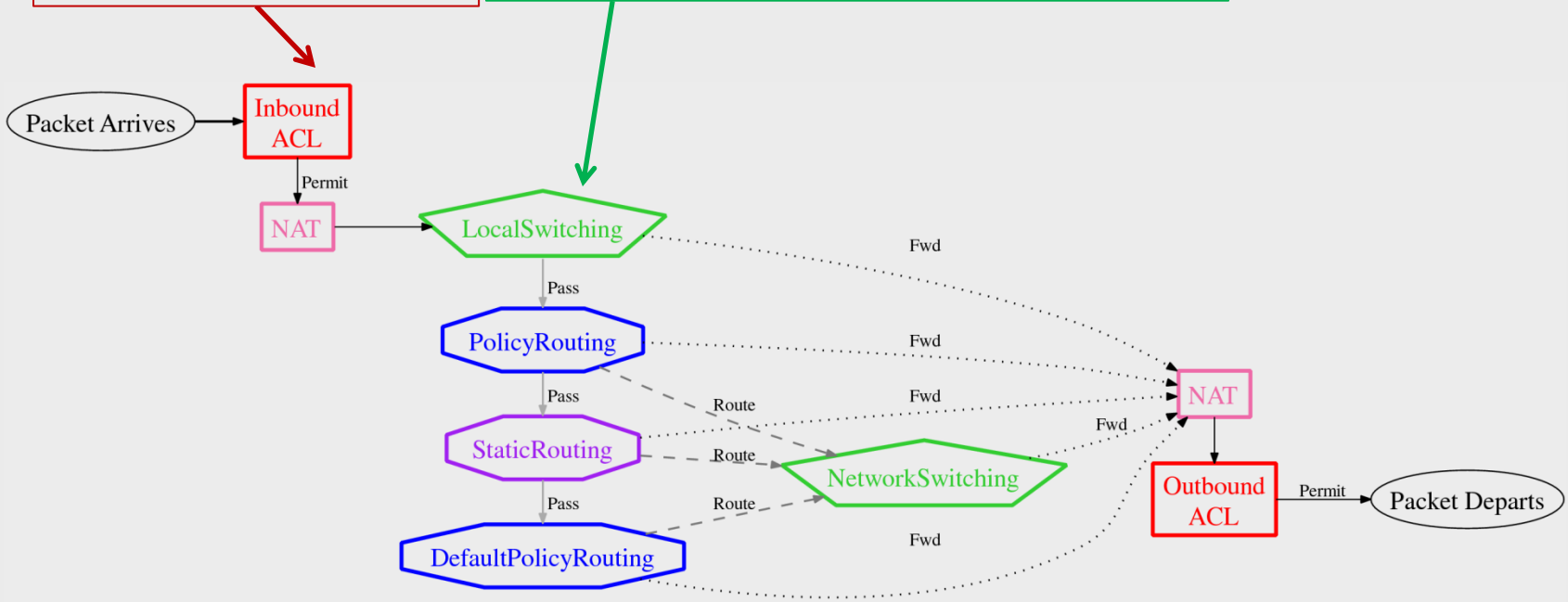


**Provides these query terms:**

**InboundACL:Permit**  
**InboundACL:Deny**

interface GigabitEthernet0/0  
ip address 10.232.0.1 255.255.252.0

ip access-group 102 in

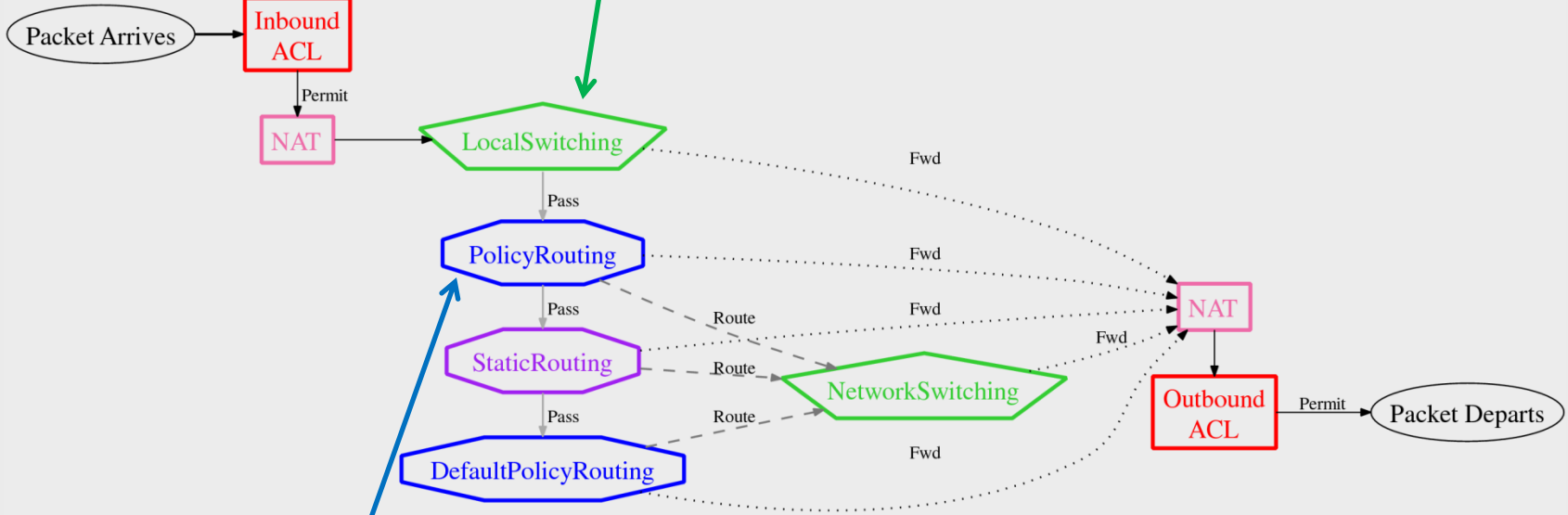


Provides these query terms:

LocalSwitching:Forward  
LocalSwitching:Pass

interface GigabitEthernet0/0  
ip address 10.232.0.1 255.255.252.0

ip access-group 102 in



ip policy route-map internet

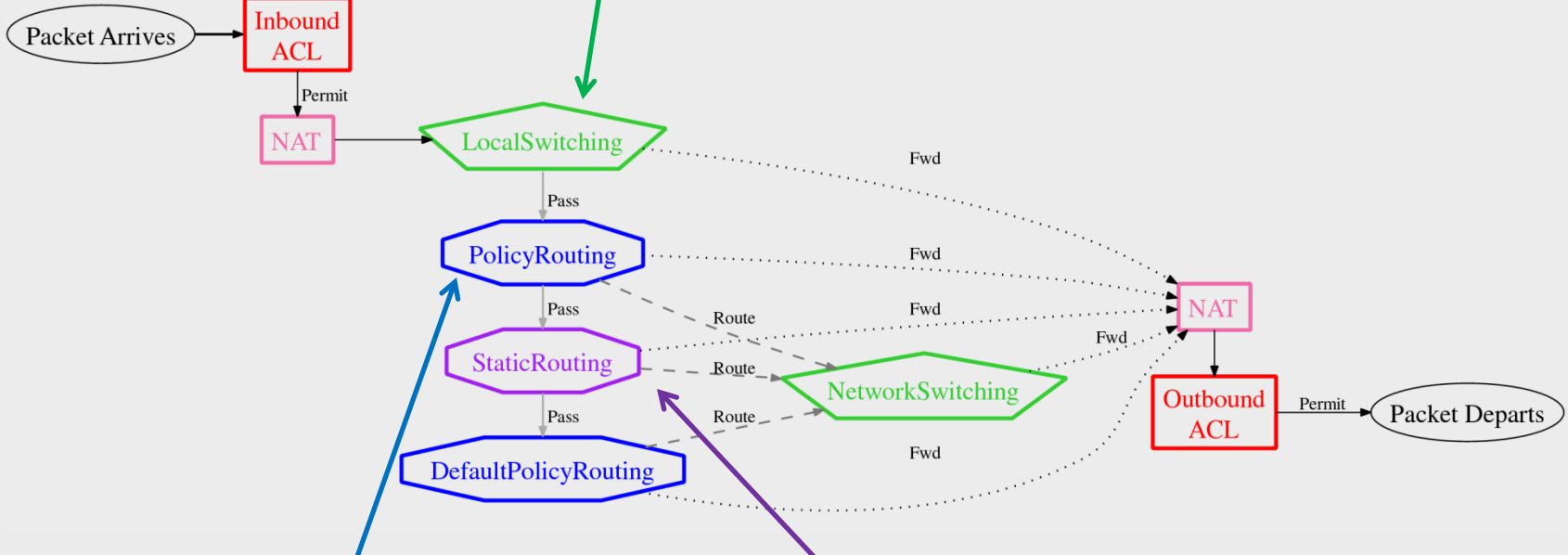
```
route-map internet permit 10  
match ip address 10  
set ip next-hop 10.232.0.15
```

Provides these query terms:

PolicyRouting:Forward  
PolicyRouting:Route  
PolicyRouting:Pass

**interface GigabitEthernet0/0**  
**ip address 10.232.0.1 255.255.252.0**

**ip access-group 102 in**



**ip policy route-map internet**

```
route-map internet permit 10  
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```

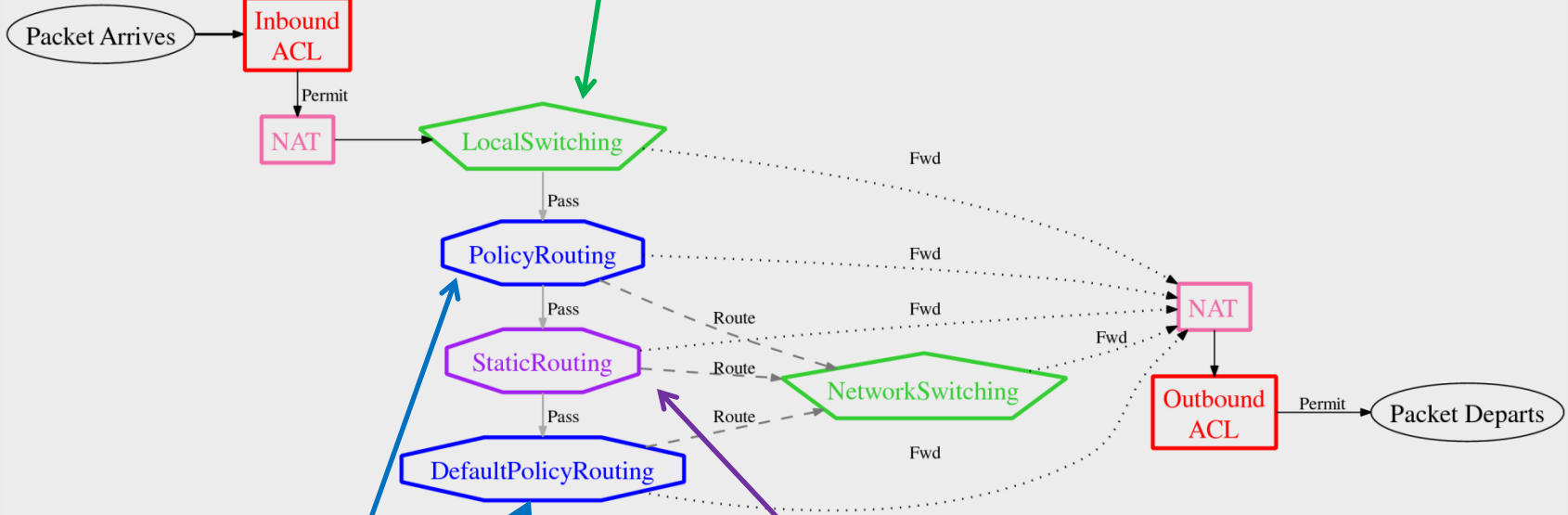
```
ip route 10.232.100.0 255.255.252.0 10.254.1.130  
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```

**Provides these query terms:**

```
StaticRouting:Forward  
StaticRouting:Route  
StaticRouting:Pass
```

interface GigabitEthernet0/0  
ip address 10.232.0.1 255.255.252.0

ip access-group 102 in



ip policy route-map internet

```
route-map internet permit 10  
match ip address 10  
set ip [default] next-hop 10.232.0.15
```

```
ip route 10.232.100.0 255.255.252.0 10.254.1.130  
ip route 10.232.104.0 255.255.252.0 10.254.1.130
```

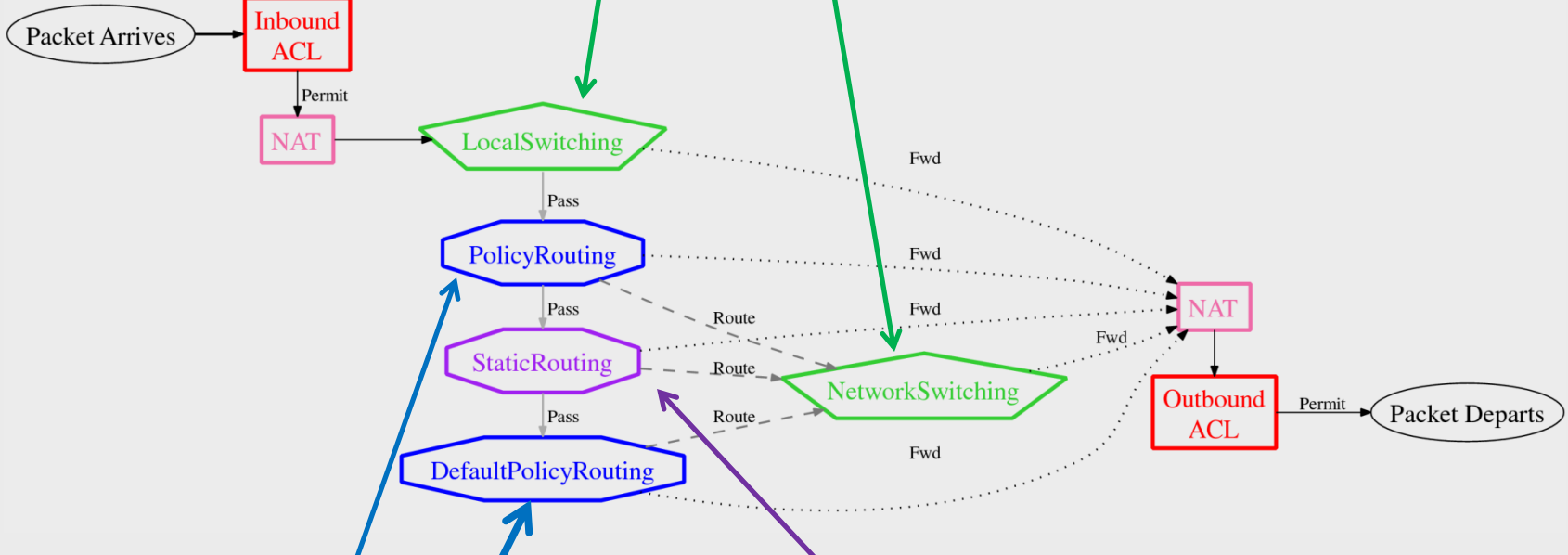
Provides these query terms:

```
DefaultPolicyRouting:Forward  
DefaultPolicyRouting:Route  
DefaultPolicyRouting:Pass
```



interface GigabitEthernet0/0  
ip address 10.232.0.1 255.255.252.0

ip access-group 102 in



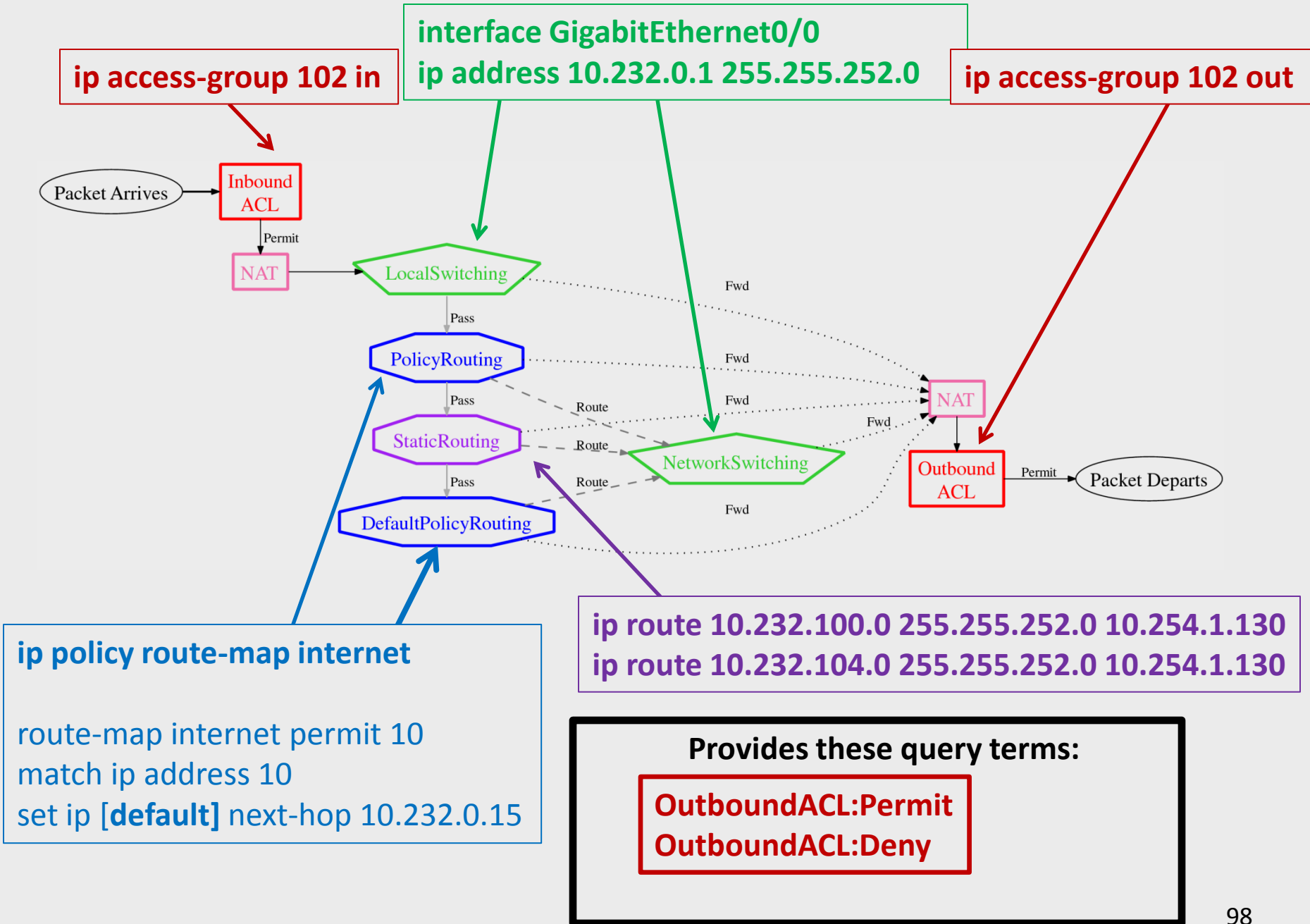
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Provides these query terms:

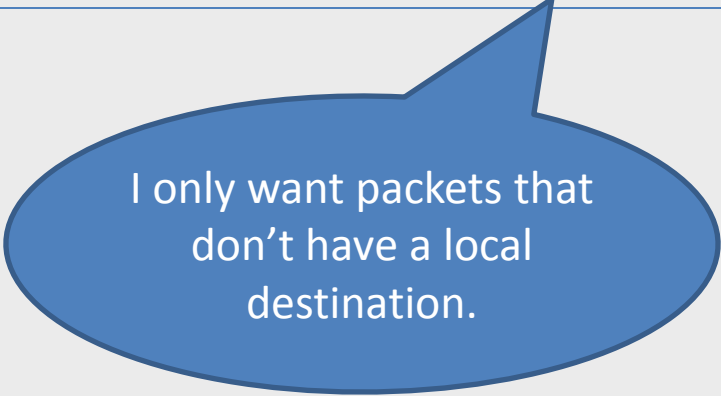
NetworkSwitching:Forward  
NetworkSwitching:Pass



EXPLORE

entry-interface = fastethernet0

AND **NOT LocalSwitching:Forward**(<pkt>)



I only want packets that  
don't have a local  
destination.

EXPLORE

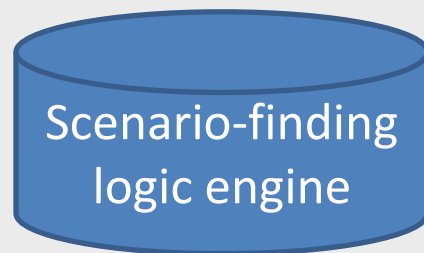
entry-interface = fastethernet0

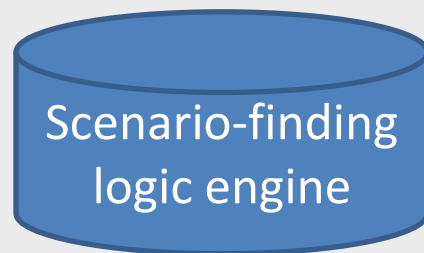
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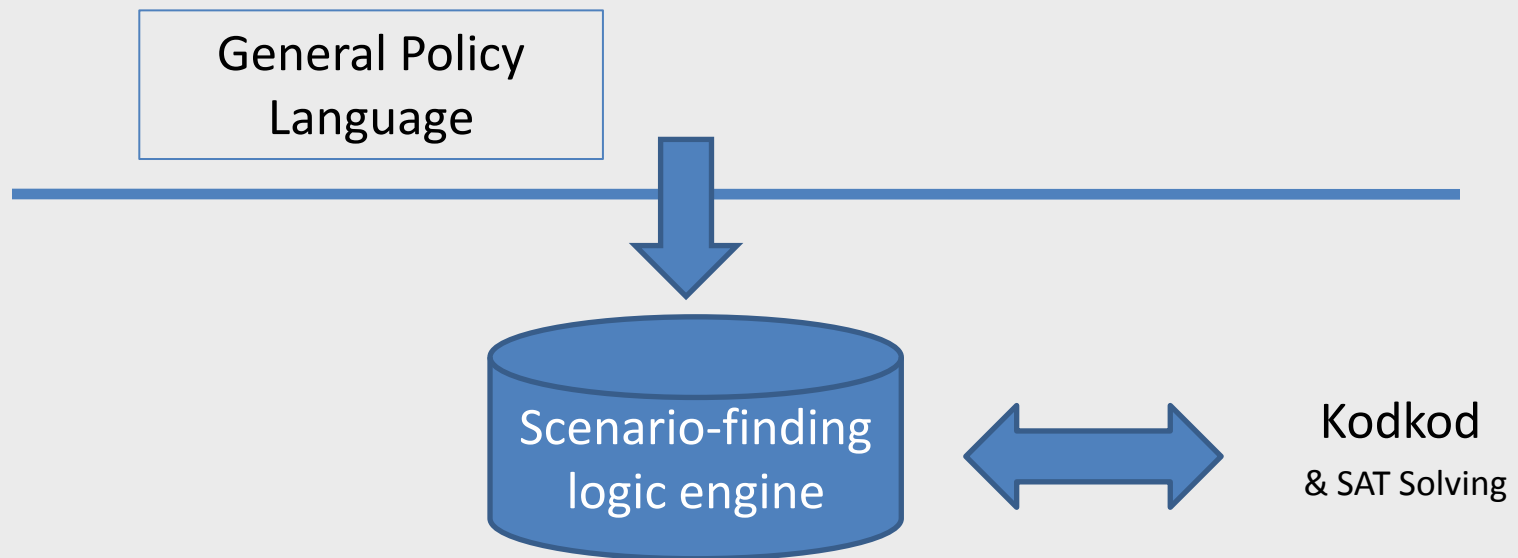
Does the static  
route ever apply  
to WWW  
packets?

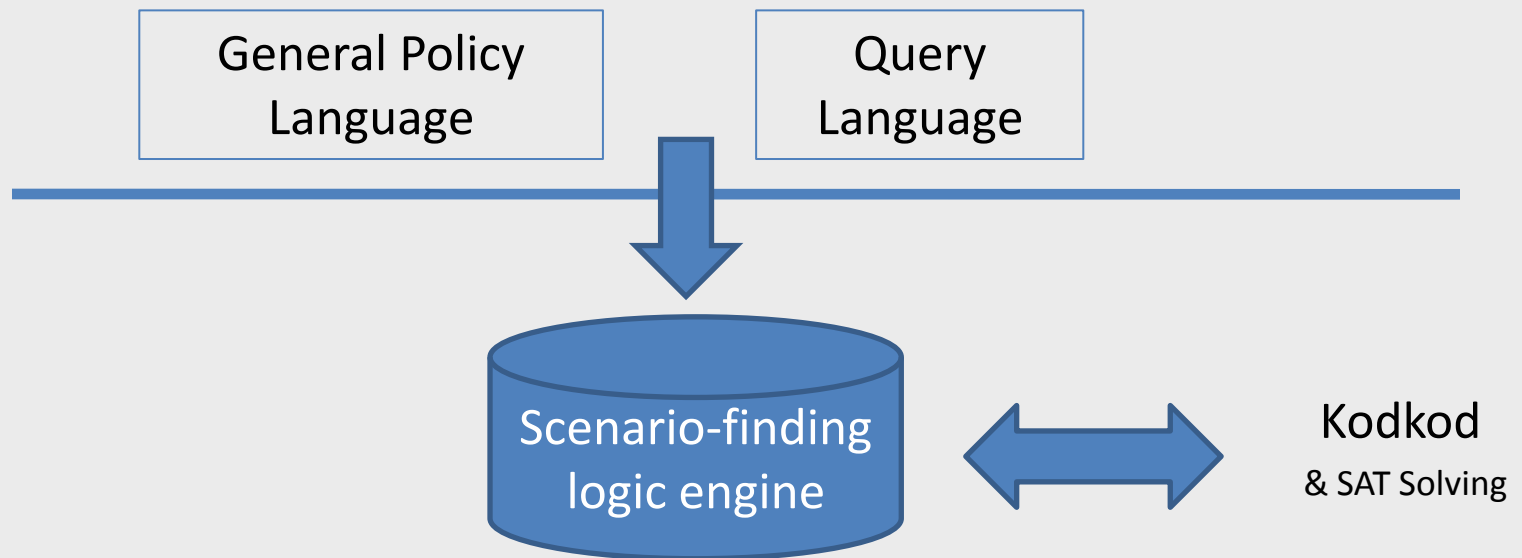
Which permitted  
packets are  
handled by policy  
routing?





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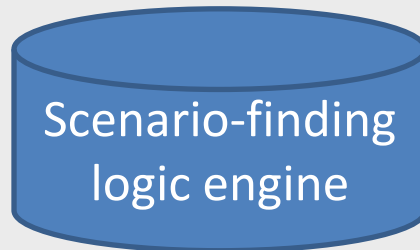
```
ksmTalk: Defunct
D:\CS\bin\Language\fdm\inet\dpb
ksmTalk (defn...)
#lang r5rs

LOAD IOS "msgraw/examples/talk-demo.txt"

Loading IOS policies in path: C:\Documents and Settings\taApplication
\Bach\Bach15.0.1\objects\msgraw\examples. Adding prefix: and suffix:
*****
Process: loaded IOS configuration at: C:\Documents and Settings\taApplication
\Bach\Bach15.0.1\objects\msgraw\examples\talk-demo.txt
> |
Gettable language from source"
```

General Policy  
Language

Query  
Language



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# Supported subset of Cisco IOS



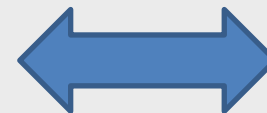
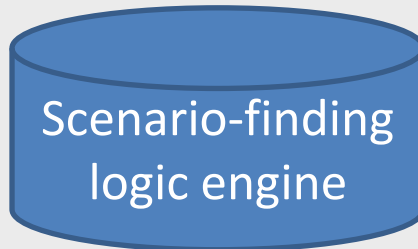
```
ios-talk>> DefPacket
ios-talk>> DefPacket
ios-talk>> (defn ...)
#lang r5rs

LOAD IOS "example/example/talk-demo.txt"

Loading IOS policies in path: C:\Documents and Settings\...\Application
Data\...\example\... Adding prefix: and suffix:
.....
Process: loaded IOS configuration at: C:\Documents and Settings\...\Application
Data\...\example\...
> |
```

General Policy Language

Query Language



Kodkod & SAT Solving

Iptables  
(in progress)

Supported subset of Cisco IOS

XACML

Amazon SQS

```
ioslab@kali: ~$ ssh root@10.10.10.10
root@10.10.10.10:~# load ios
LOAD IOS *nsrgrove/examples/talk-demo.txt:

Loading IOS policies in path: C:\Documents and Settings\jta\Application
Data\Bachet5.0\1\objects\nsrgrove\examples\, Adding prefix: and suffix:
*****
Process: loaded IOS configuration at: C:\Documents and Settings\jta\Application
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> |
```

General Policy  
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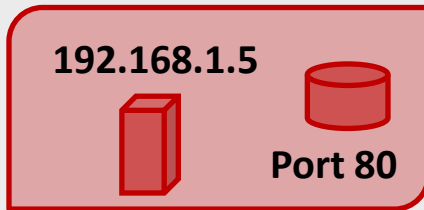
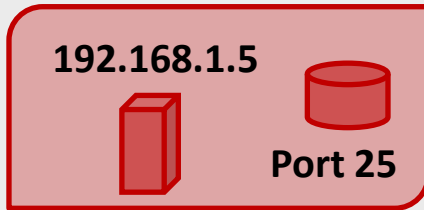
Scenario-finding  
logic engine

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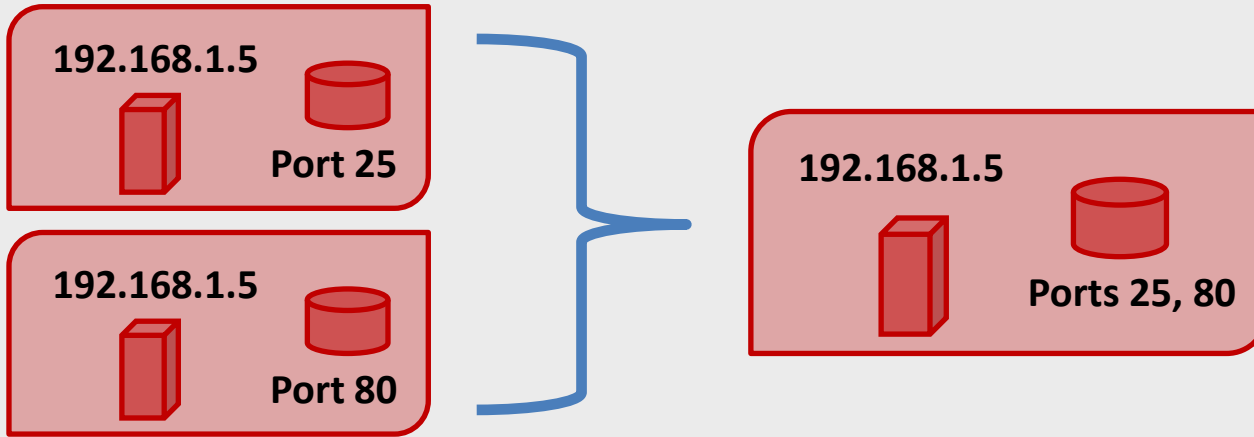
	ITVal	Fireman	Prometheus	ConfigChecker	Fang/AlgoSec	Vantage
Which packets	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
User-defined queries	✓		?	✓	✓	✓ <sup>nip</sup>
Rule Responsibility	✓	?	✓ <sup>-</sup>	~	✓	✓
Rule Relationships	~	✓ <sup>-</sup>	✓	✓ <sup>-</sup>	✓ <sup>nip</sup>	✓
Change-impact	?			✓	✓ <sup>nip</sup>	✓ <sup>-</sup>
First-order queries	?		?			?
Support NAT	✓		✓	✓	✓	
Support Routing	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓ <sup>nip</sup>
Firewall Networks	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ <sup>nip</sup>
Language integration						✓
Commercial Tool?	no	no	yes	no	yes	yes

# Future Work

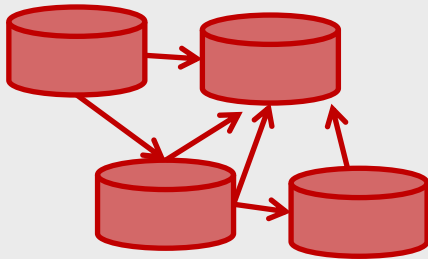
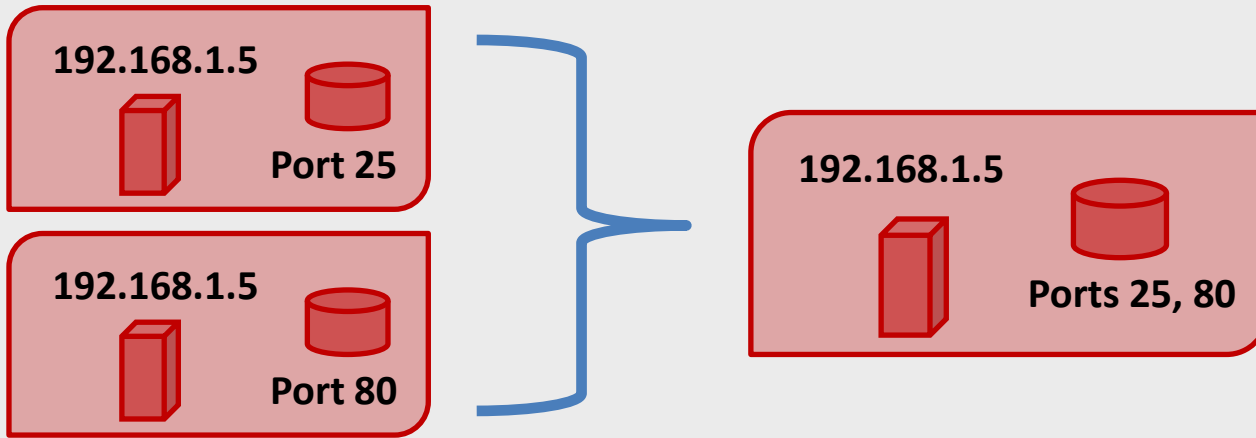
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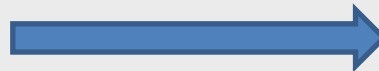
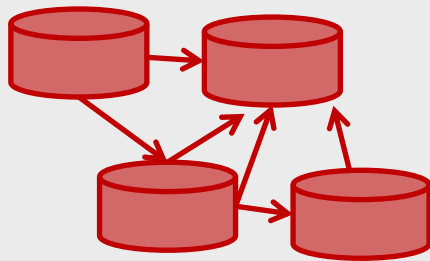
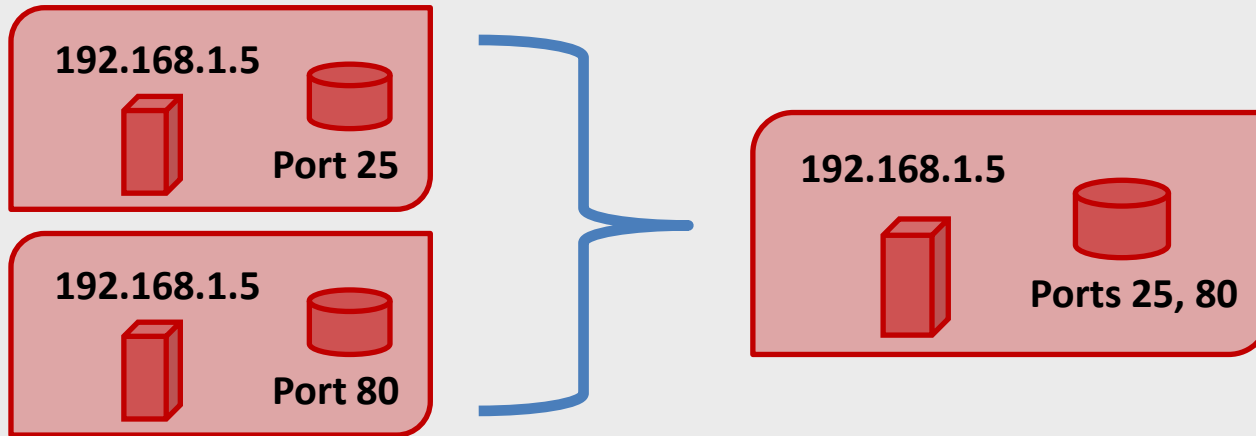


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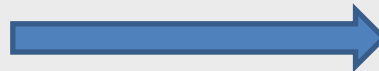
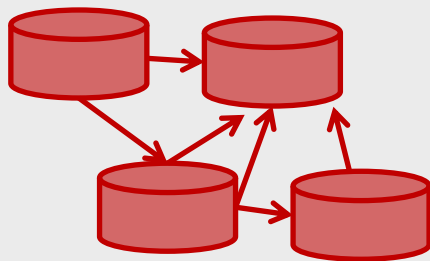
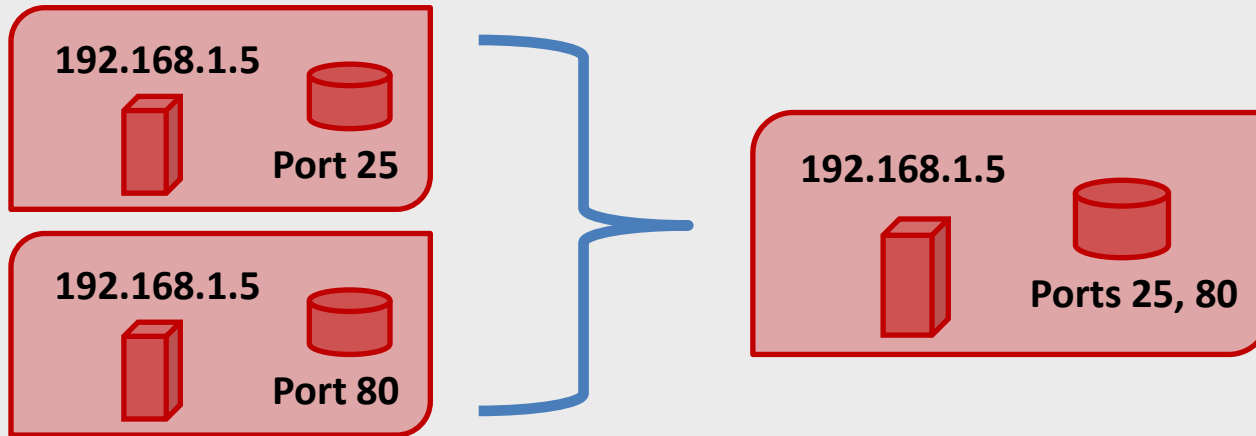
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“Try stateful inspection.”

What configuration problems do **you** face?

Come talk to me! (I'm here until Friday.)

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