# Covering EIGRP Advanced Topics



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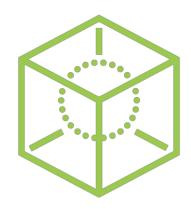
Significance of EIGRP Router-IDs



# Let's begin with EIGRP summarization



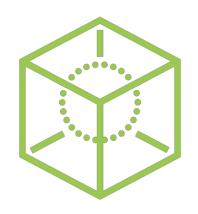
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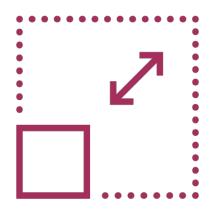


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Aggregates multiple routes



## EIGRP Summarization

#### Typically performed at the:

Distribution layer

Core layer







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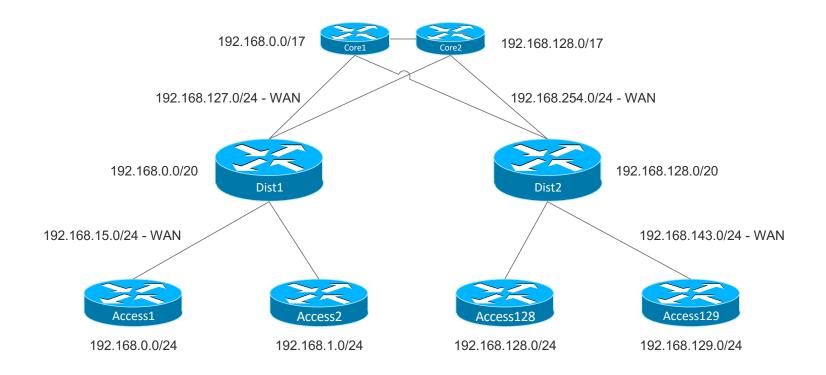
Manual summarization is often used



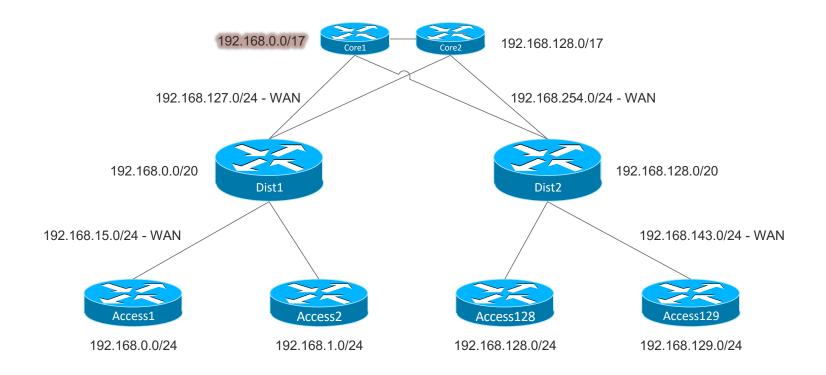


# The lab topology is changing!

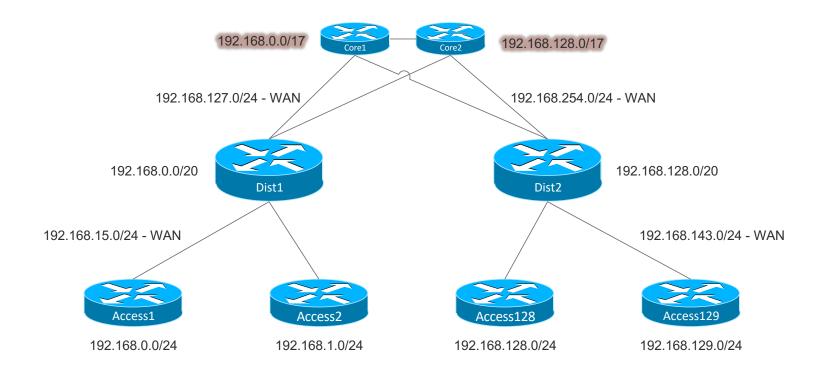




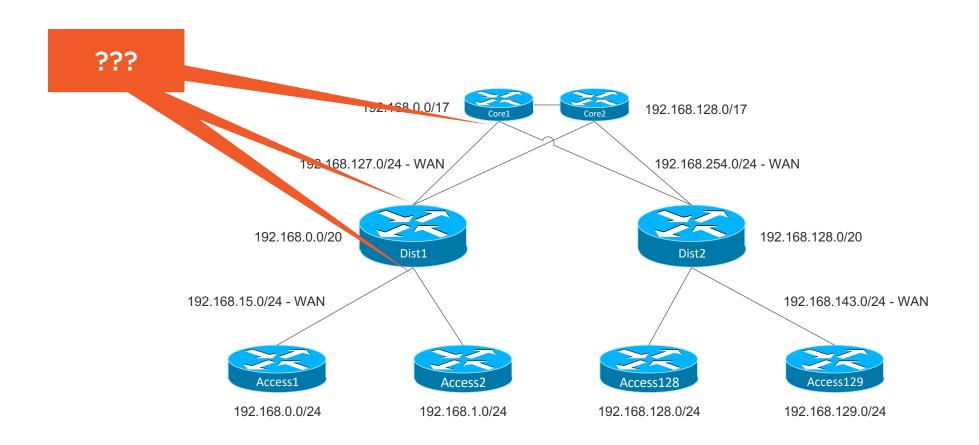














### Other Uses of Route Summarization?



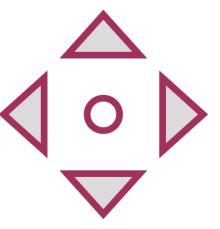
Limits individual route knowledge



### Other Uses of Route Summarization?







Also limits query range



# Summary limits networks to be processed



# Route Summarization also limits the query scope



## EIGRP Stub

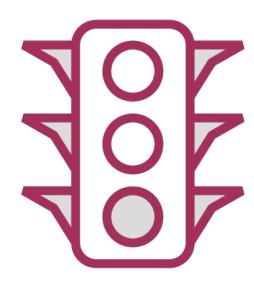
Developed mainly for use with hub and spoke deployments



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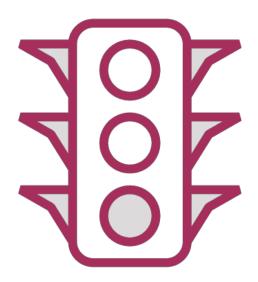
Often seen in WANs with branches







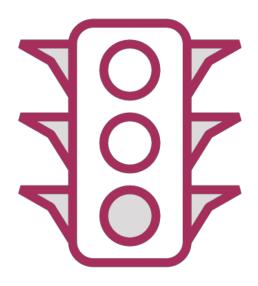
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Spokes rarely are intended for transit











Prevents spoke from being used for transit

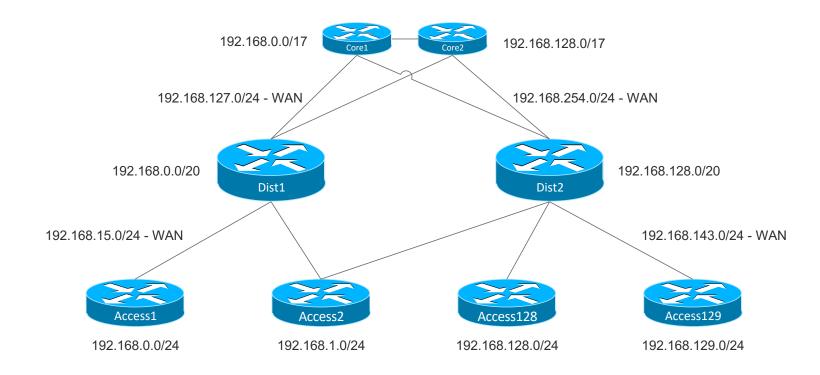




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Let's move into the lab!







# Now let's talk about EIGRP Router-ID

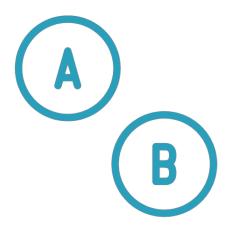


Used with originating and redistributing routes



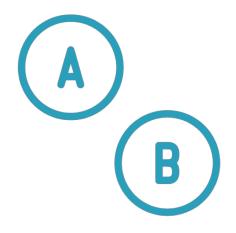
Misconfiguration can cause weird results

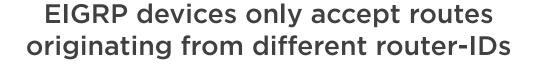




EIGRP devices only accept routes originating from different router-IDs









Remote routes with duplicate router-ID are dropped







Dropping behavior performed on internal and external routes

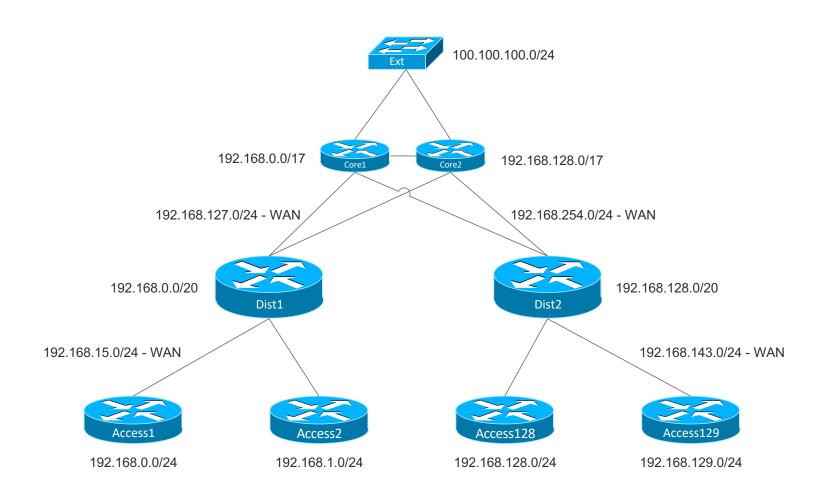




Dropping behavior performed on internal and external routes

Now let's look at this in the lab!













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