



Windows PowerShell Get-Help on Cmdlet 'Enable-NetAdapterIPsecOffload'

PS:\>Get-HELP Enable-NetAdapterIPsecOffload -Full

NAME

Enable-NetAdapterIPsecOffload

SYNOPSIS

Enables IPsec offload on the network adapter.

SYNTAX

Enable-NetAdapterIPsecOffload [-Name] <String[]> [-AsJob] [-CimSession <CimSession[]>] [-Confirm] [-IncludeHidden] [-NoRestart] [-PassThru] [-ThrottleLimit <Int32>] [-WhatIf] [<CommonParameters>]

Enable-NetAdapterIPsecOffload [-AsJob] [-CimSession <CimSession[]>] [-Confirm] [-IncludeHidden] -InterfaceDescription <String[]> [-NoRestart] [-PassThru] [-ThrottleLimit <Int32>] [-WhatIf] [<CommonParameters>]

Enable-NetAdapterIPsecOffload [-AsJob] [-CimSession <CimSession[]>] [-Confirm] -InputObject <CimInstance[]> [-NoRestart] [-PassThru] [-ThrottleLimit <Int32>] [-WhatIf] [<CommonParameters>]

DESCRIPTION

The `Enable-NetAdapterIPsecOffload` cmdlet enables IPsec offload on the network adapter in the `AuthHeaderEspEnabled` state. The network adapter will perform the appropriate per-packet encryption operation. The result is decreased processor utilization and possibly increased network throughput. The IPsec encryption algorithm supported by the network adapter must also be configured in the IPsec policy before connections can be offloaded.

PARAMETERS

`-AsJob [<SwitchParameter>]`

Runs the cmdlet as a background job. Use this parameter to run commands that take a long time to complete. The cmdlet immediately returns an object that represents the job and then displays the command prompt. You can continue to work in the session while the job completes. To manage the job, use the ``*-Job`` cmdlets. To get the job results, use the `Receive-Job` (<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkID=113372>) cmdlet. For more information about Windows PowerShell background jobs, see `about_Jobs` (<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkID=113251>).

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| Required? | false |
| Position? | named |
| Default value | False |
| Accept pipeline input? | False |
| Accept wildcard characters? | false |

`-CimSession <CimSession[]>`

Runs the cmdlet in a remote session or on a remote computer. Enter a computer name or a session object, such as the output of a `New-CimSession` (<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/p/?LinkId=227967>) or `[Get-CimSession]` (<https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/p/?LinkId=227966>) cmdlet. The default is the current session on the local computer.

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| Required? | false |
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Position? named
Default value None
Accept pipeline input? False
Accept wildcard characters? false

-Confirm [<SwitchParameter>]

Prompts you for confirmation before running the cmdlet.

Required? false
Position? named
Default value False
Accept pipeline input? False
Accept wildcard characters? false

-IncludeHidden [<SwitchParameter>]

Indicates that the cmdlet includes both visible and hidden network adapters in the operation. By default only visible network adapters are included. If a wildcard

character is used in identifying a network adapter and this parameter has been specified, then the wildcard string is matched against both hidden and visible network adapters.

Required? false
Position? named
Default value False
Accept pipeline input? False
Accept wildcard characters? false

-InputObject <CimInstance[]>

Specifies the input to this cmdlet. You can use this parameter, or you can pipe the input to this cmdlet.

Required? true
Position? named
Default value None

Accept pipeline input? True (ByValue)

Accept wildcard characters? false

-InterfaceDescription <String[]>

Specifies an array of network adapter interface descriptions. For a physical network adapter this is typically the name of the vendor of the network adapter

followed by a part number and description, such as `Contoso 12345 Gigabit Network Device`.

Required? true

Position? named

Default value None

Accept pipeline input? True (ByPropertyName)

Accept wildcard characters? false

-Name <String[]>

Specifies an array of network adapter names.

Required? true

Position? 0

Default value None

Accept pipeline input? True (ByPropertyName)

Accept wildcard characters? false

-NoRestart [<SwitchParameter>]

Indicates that the cmdlet does not restart the network adapter after completing the operation. Many advanced properties require restarting the network adapter

before the new settings take effect.

Required? false

Position? named

Default value False

Accept pipeline input? False

Accept wildcard characters? false

`-PassThru [<SwitchParameter>]`

Returns an object representing the item with which you are working. By default, this cmdlet does not generate any output.

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| Required? | false |
| Position? | named |
| Default value | False |
| Accept pipeline input? | False |
| Accept wildcard characters? | false |

`-ThrottleLimit <Int32>`

Specifies the maximum number of concurrent operations that can be established to run the cmdlet. If this parameter is omitted or a value of `0` is entered, then

Windows PowerShell calculates an optimum throttle limit for the cmdlet based on the number of CIM cmdlets that are running on the computer. The throttle limit applies only to the current cmdlet, not to the session or to the computer.

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| Required? | false |
| Position? | named |
| Default value | None |
| Accept pipeline input? | False |
| Accept wildcard characters? | false |

`-WhatIf [<SwitchParameter>]`

Shows what would happen if the cmdlet runs. The cmdlet is not run.

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| Required? | false |
| Position? | named |
| Default value | False |
| Accept pipeline input? | False |
| Accept wildcard characters? | false |

<CommonParameters>

This cmdlet supports the common parameters: Verbose, Debug, ErrorAction, ErrorVariable, WarningAction, WarningVariable, OutBuffer, PipelineVariable, and OutVariable. For more information, see [about_CommonParameters \(https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkID=113216\)](https://go.microsoft.com/fwlink/?LinkID=113216).

INPUTS

Microsoft.Management.Infrastructure.CimInstance#ROOT/StandardCimv2/MSFT_NetAdapterIPsecOffloadV2SettingData[]

The `Microsoft.Management.Infrastructure.CimInstance` object is a wrapper class that displays Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI) objects. The path after the pound sign (`#`) provides the namespace and class name for the underlying WMI object.

OUTPUTS

Microsoft.Management.Infrastructure.CimInstance#ROOT/StandardCimv2/MSFT_NetAdapterIPsecOffloadV2SettingData

The `Microsoft.Management.Infrastructure.CimInstance` object is a wrapper class that displays Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI) objects. The path after the pound sign (`#`) provides the namespace and class name for the underlying WMI object.

NOTES

Example 1: Enable IPsec offload on the specified network adapter

```
PS C:\> Enable-NetAdapterIPsecOffload -Name "MyAdapter"
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This example enables IPsec offload on the network adapter named MyAdapter and restarts the network adapter.

RELATED LINKS

[https://learn.microsoft.com/powershell/module/netadapter/enable-netadapteripsecoffload?view=windowsserver2022-ps&wt.](https://learn.microsoft.com/powershell/module/netadapter/enable-netadapteripsecoffload?view=windowsserver2022-ps&wt.mc_id=ps-gethelp)

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