

How to connect three PoE switches with fiber optic connections

Article Overview

You can connect three PoE switches using fiber by selecting the right fiber type, transceivers, and topology, typically using a star or daisy-chain configuration.

Step 1: Choose the Fiber Type and Transceivers

- **Fiber Type:** Decide between single-mode (long-distance, high bandwidth) or multi-mode (shorter distances, cost-effective) fiber cables based on your network layout and distance between switches .
- **Transceivers:** Use compatible SFP or SFP+ modules for each switch. Ensure the modules match in type (single-mode or multi-mode) and wavelength to avoid link issues .
- **Pre-terminated Fiber:** Consider pre-terminated LC-LC fiber cables to save installation time and reduce errors .

Step 2: Select a Topology

- **Star Topology:** Connect all three switches to a central core switch. This provides high performance and easier management, as all traffic passes through the core switch .
- **Daisy-Chain Topology:** Connect Switch A to Switch B, then Switch B to Switch C. This is simpler but may reduce redundancy and bandwidth if one link fails .
- **Hub-and-Spoke:** For small networks, one core switch acts as the hub, and the other two switches connect directly to it

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