The optical module needs to be restarted after a power outage

Overview

Ensure that the transmit and receive power values of the two optical modules are in the normal range.

Key Takeaways

After a power outage, an optical module may need to be reinitialized by reinserting it or performing a retimer reset to restore link functionality. Steps to Restart and Troubleshoot1. Power Cycle and Reinsert the Module After restoring power, if the optical module does not automatically initialize, unplug and reinsert the module into its port.

This can help the system detect and initialize the optics properly, as some modules fail to start automatically after a power outage (F5 support logs indicate repeated "Optic not initialized, unplug and re-install" messages). 2.

Verify Port and Module Status

Use switch or device commands (e.g., display interface or show interfaces transceiver detail) to check if the port is recognized and the module parameters such as rate, wavelength, and optical power are correct. Ensure the port configuration matches the module's specifications, including speed, duplex, and auto-negotiation settings. Check the received optical power and fiber connections; clean fiber end faces if necessary.

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3. Use a Retimer if Needed For some high-speed modules (e.g., 10G SFP+), a retimer may be required to reset the optical port and reestablish the link. The retimer locks onto the incoming signal and unmutes its output once CDR lock is achieved, allowing the module to transmit data again.

4. Loopback or Port Testing If the port still does not come up, perform a loopback test using a short fiber or direct-connect cable to verify whether the issue is local or on the peer device. 5.

Replace the Module if Faulty If the module fails to initialize after reinsertion, retimer reset, and configuration verification, it may be faulty and require replacement. 6. Contact Technical Support If the problem persists despite following these steps, contact the optical module or switch vendor for further assistance.

By following these steps, you can systematically restore optical module functionality after a power outage and ensure stable network operation.

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