About This Online Reference

This section describes who should read the *Enterprise MIB User Quick Reference*, how it is organized, and its document conventions. It also describes Management Information Base (MIB) objects, explains how MIB objects are used, and provides instructions on how to access Cisco public MIBs.

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Who Should Read This Online Reference

This reference is for users who configure the software and administer the network. To use this reference, you should be familiar with Cisco IOS software. For descriptions and examples of software configuration commands and the procedures for implementing them, refer to the *Software Configuration Guide* or the *Command Reference* for your switch.

How This Reference Is Organized

Information contained in this reference is organized as follows:

Title	Description
Introduction to Cisco MIBs	Explains MIBs and how they are used
Accessing Cisco MIB Files	Describes how to access, download, and copy MIB files
Catalyst 4000 Family MIB Objects	Describes the Catalyst 4000 family Workgroup MIB object identifiers
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LightStream 1010 and Catalyst 8500 MIB Values	Describes the LightStream 1010 ATM Switch, Catalyst 8500 CSR, and Catalyst 8500 MSR Chassis MIB object identifiers

Conventions

This reference uses the conventions described below:

Command descriptions use the following conventions:

boldface font	Commands and keywords are in **boldface**.
italic font	Arguments for which you supply values are in *italics*.

Screen examples use the following conventions:

`screen` font	Terminal sessions and information the system displays are in `screen` font.
`boldface screen` font	Information you must enter is in **`boldface screen`** font.
`italic screen` font	Arguments for which you supply values are in *`italic screen`* font.
[ ]	Default responses to system prompts are in square brackets.