

User's Guide bintec R3000w / R3400 / R3800

QoS

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1 QoS Menu

The fields of the QoS menu are described below.

R3000w Setup Tool [QOS]: QoS Configuration	Funkwerk	Enterprise	Communications GmbH MyGateway
IP Filter IP Classificati Interfaces and		gnalling	
EXIT			

More and more applications need increasingly larger bandwidths, which are not always available. Quality of Service (QoS) makes it possible to distribute the available bandwidths effectively and intelligently. Certain applications can be given preference and bandwidth reserved for them. This is an enormous advantage, especially for time-critical applications such as VoIP (= Voice over IP), SAP applications, etc.

The **QoS** menu is for configuring all the settings for Quality of Service.

The **QoS** menu provides access to the following submenus:

- IP FILTER
- IP CLASSIFICATION AND SIGNALLING
- INTERFACES AND POLICIES.



2 IP Filter Submenu

The *IP FILTER* submenu is described below.

>> IP filters are defined in the $QOS \rightarrow IP$ FILTER submenu to enable certain IP packets or services to be specified.

This submenu shows a list of all IP >> filters configured (the illustration shows example values):

R3000w Setup Tool [QOS][FILTER]: Configur		erprise Communications GmbH Filter MyGateway
Abbreviations:sa (sourc da (desti it (icmp	nation IP address) d	pp (source port) pp (destination port) stab (TCP established)
	Conditions sa 192.168.100.20/3	2
ADD	DELETE	EXIT

R3000w Setup Tool [QOS][FILTER][EDIT][ADD]	Funkwerk Enterprise Communications GmbH MyGateway
Description Index	FromVoIPServer 1
Protocol	any
Source Address Source Mask	192.168.100.20 255.255.255.255
Destination Address Destination Mask	
Type of Service (TOS)	00000000 TOS Mask 00000000
SAVE	CANCEL

The configuration of the IP filters is set up in **IP** FILTER \rightarrow **ADD/EDIT** (the illustration shows example values).

The menu contains the following fields:

Field	Description
Description	Designation of the filter. Note that only the first 10 or 15 characters are visible in other menus.
Index	Cannot be changed. Here the gateway assigns a number automatically to new filters defined.
Protocol	Defines a protocol. Possible values: any, tcp/udp-port, icmp, ggp, ip, tcp, egp, igp, pup, chaos, udp, hmp, xns_idp, rdp, rsvp, gre, esp, ah, tlsp, skip, kryptolan, iso-ip, igrp, ospf, ipip, ipx-in-ip, vrrp, l2tp. The any option (default value) matches any protocol.

Field	Description	
Туре	Only if PROTOCOL = <i>icmp</i> . Possible values: any, echo reply, destination unreachable, source quench, redirect, echo, time exceeded, param problem, timestamp, timestamp reply, address mask, address mask reply. See RFC 792. The default value is any.	
Connection State	 If <i>PROTOCOL</i> = <i>tcp</i>, you can define a filter that takes the status of the TCP connections into account. Possible values: <i>established</i>: All TCP packets that would not open any new TCP connection on routing over the R3000 Series gateway match the filter. <i>any</i> (default value): All TCP packets match the filter. 	
Source Address	Source IP address of the data packets.	
Source Mask	Netmask for Source Address.	
Source Port	Only if PROTOCOL = tcp/udp-port, tcp or udp. Source port number or range of source port numbers. Possible values: see "Source Port and Destination Port selection options" on page 8 The default value is <i>any</i> .	
Specify Port to Port	If Source Port or Destination Port = specify or specify range Port numbers or range of port numbers.	
Destination Address	Defines the destination IP address of the data packets.	
Destination Mask	Netmask for DESTINATION ADDRESS .	

Field	Description
Destination Port	Only if PROTOCOL = tcp/udp-port, tcp or udp.
	Destination port number or range of destination port numbers.
	Possible values: see "Source Port and Destination Port selection options" on page 8
	The default value is any.
Type of Service (TOS)	Indicates the priority of the IP packet, cf. RFC 1349 and 1812.
	(Shown in binary format)
TOS Mask	Bit mask for Type of Service (TOS).
	(Shown in binary format)

Table 2-1: FILTER menu fields

Source Port and Destination Port contain the following selection options:

Description	Meaning
any (default value)	The route is valid for all >> port numbers.
specify	Enables the entry of a port number.
specify range	Enables the entry of a range of port numbers.
priv (01023)	Privileged port numbers: 0 1023.
server (500032767)	Server port numbers: 5000 32767.
clients 1 (10244999)	Client port numbers: 1024 4999.
clients 2 (3276865535)	Client port numbers: 32768 65535.
unpriv (102465535)	Unprivileged port numbers: 1024 65535.

Table 2-2: Source Port and DESTINATION PORT selection options

3 IP Classification and Signalling Submenu

The IP CLASSIFICATION AND SIGNALLING submenu is described below.

This menu shows a list of the configured classification and signalling rules.

R3000w Setup Tool [QOS][CLASS]: Configure		rk Enterprise Communications GmbH fication and Signalling MyGateway
NRI (Nex C (Cla	r Index) tt Rule Index) ssify) soming) Filter FromVoIPSe All	Conditions

The $QoS \rightarrow IP$ CLASSIFICATION AND SIGNALLING submenu is for creating rule chains for classification of $\rightarrow P$ packets using previously defined IP $\rightarrow Filters$.

A number of rules can be interlinked to divide the traffic flow into different packet classes. This means totally different types of IP packets can be combined in a packet class and then handled with the same priority. The signalling for other network components (e.g. switches) in the TOS field is also defined by these rule chains.

The configuration is set up in the $QoS \rightarrow IP$ CLASSIFICATION AND SIGNALLING \rightarrow ADD/EDIT menu.

R3000w Setup Tool [QOS][CLASS][EDIT]	Funkwerk Enterprise Communications GmbH MyGateway
Index	1
Filter Direction	FromVoIPServer (1) outgoing
Action	classify (keep TOS)
Classification > Signalling (TOS) >	
Next Rule	RI 2 FI 2 (All)
SAVE	CANCEL

The menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description	
Index	Only visible if an existing rule is edited. This field cannot be changed. The gateway assigns a number automatically.	
Filter	Selection of the IP filter to be used. Can only be selected if at least one filter is already config- ured.	
Direction	Direction of data packets to be classified. Possible values:	
	incoming: incoming data packets	
	 outgoing (default value): outgoing data packets 	
	both: incoming and outgoing data packets	

Field	Description
Action	Defines the action to be taken for a data packet that matches the <i>FILTER</i> and <i>DIRECTION</i> (Possible values: see table "Action selection options," on page 12).
Insert behind Rule	Appears only if a new rule is defined and at least one rule already exists. Defines the rule behind which the new rule is inserted. You can start a new independent chain with <i>none</i> .
Next Rule	Appears only if an existing rule is edited. Defines the next rule to be used.

Table 3-1: IP CLASSIFICATION AND SIGNALLING -> ADD/EDIT menu fields

ACTION offers the following selection options:

Description	Meaning
classify & set TOS M	Classify IP packets that match the <i>FILTER</i> and <i>DIRECTION</i> and set TOS field to <i>SIGNALLING TOS</i> <i>SET TYPE OF SERVICE (TOS) FIELD</i> .
classify & set TOS !M	Classify IP packets that do not match the FILTER and DIRECTION and set TOS field to SIGNALLING TOS -> SET TYPE OF SERVICE (TOS) FIELD.
disable	Rule is deactivated. Continue with NEXT RULE , if available.
classify (keep TOS) M (default value)	Classify IP packets that match the <i>FILTER</i> and <i>DIRECTION</i> .

Description	Meaning
classify (keep TOS) !M	Classify IP packets that do not match the FILTER and DIRECTION .

Table 3-2: Action selection options

3.1 Classification Submenu

The CLASSIFICATION submenu is described below.

R3000w Setup Tool	Funkwerk Enterprise Communications GmbH
[QOS][CLASS][EDIT][CLASS]:	Configure IP QoS Classification MyGateway
Class Type	normal
Class ID	1
OK	CANCEL

The IP packets concerned are classified in the $QoS \rightarrow IP$ CLASSIFICATION AND SIGNALLING \rightarrow CLASSIFICATION submenu.

The **CLASSIFICATION** menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description	
Class Type	Defines the type of QoS packet class. Possible values:	
	 normal (default value) 	
	high priority	
Class ID	Only for CLASS TYPE = normal.	
	Defines the QoS packet class.	
	Possible values: 1 (default value) to 255.	

Table 3-3: **CLASSIFICATION** menu fields

3.2 Signalling (TOS) Submenu

The SIGNALLING (TOS) submenu is described below.

R3000w Setup Tool Fr [QOS] [CLASS] [EDIT] [SIG] : Configu	unkwerk Enterprise Communications GmbH re IP QoS Signalling MyGateway
Set Type of Service (TOS) Fie	ld 0000000
Specify ToS Set Rate Limitation	on none
OK	CANCEL

The **QOS** \rightarrow **IP CLASSIFICATION AND SIGNALLING** \rightarrow **SIGNALLING (TOS)** submenu is used for defining a value for the TOS field of the IP packets concerned, if necessary. Limits can be entered to define the maximum number of packets to be manipulated per second.

The SIGNALLING (TOS) menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description	
Set Type of Service (TOS) Field	The value to be set for the TOS field in the IP header. Possible values: 0 to 255 (shown in binary format)	
Specify ToS Set Rate Limitation	Activates or deactivates limitation of the max. number of packets to be manipulated in terms of packets or bits/s. Possible values: <i>none</i> (default value) <i>packets</i> (packets) <i>throughput</i> (bits)	

Field	Description		
Maximum Rate (Packets per Second)	Only for SPECIFY TOS SET RATE LIMITATION = packets		
Maximum Rate (Bits per Second)	Only for SPECIFY TOS SET RATE LIMITATION = throughput		
	Number of packets or bits to be manipulated per second.		
	Possible values for packets: 0 to 512000.		
	Possible values for throughput: 0 to 4096000.		
	The default value is 0.		
Maximum Burst Size (Number of Packets)	Only for SPECIFY TOS SET RATE LIMITATION = packets		
Maximum Burst Size (Number of Bits)	Only for SPECIFY TOS SET RATE LIMITATION = throughput		
	Defines the maximum number of packets or bits for which the TOS field can still be set when the previously defined maximum packet/bit rate has been reached.		
	Possible values for packets: 0 to 512000.		
	Possible values for throughput: 0 to 4096000.		
	The default value is 0.		
Specify ToS Set Exceed Action	This parameter specifies how the packets above the configured limit are to be marked.		
	Possible values:		
	none (default value): The TOS field is not manipulated.		
	remark-tos: The value defined in SET REMARK TYPE OF SERVICE (TOS) FIELD is set in the TOS field.		

Field	Description
Set Remark Type of Ser- vice (TOS) Field	Only for SPECIFY TOS SET EXCEED ACTION = <i>remark-tos</i> . The value that is to be set for the TOS field, if necessary.

Table 3-4: SIGNALLING (TOS) menu fields

4 Interfaces and Policies Submenu

The INTERFACES AND POLICIES submenu is described below.

R3000w Setup Toc [QOS][INTERFACES		le IP Ç		-	se Communications GmbH. MyGateway
Interface Firs	t Rule	First	Filter	Scheduler	TxRate Limit
en1-0-snap en1-4 en1-4-snap ethoa50-0 ethoa50-0-snap	no no no no no	IP QOS IP QOS IP QOS IP QOS IP QOS IP QOS IP QOS	classif classif classif classif classif classif	ication ication ication	
EXIT					

The QOS -> INTERFACES AND POLICIES submenu is used to define the interface and rule chain that are to be used to classify the data.

The settings for scheduling, shaping and policies are also made here.

- Scheduling: For defining the algorithm for processing the queues.
- Shaping: For defining the maximum data rate in the send direction for the selected interface.
- Policies: For defining queues.

It is possible to assign or guarantee each queue and thus each packet class a certain part of the total bandwidth of the interface.



Data can only be prioritized in the outgoing direction.

Packets of the high-priority type always take priority over the other data.

The configuration for an existing interface is set up in QoS -> INTERFACES AND POLICIES -> EDIT:

R3000w Setup Tool [QOS][INTERFACES][EDIT]	Funkwerk Enterprise Communications GmbH MyGateway
Interface	QoS-Line
IP QoS Classification via	none
QoS Scheduling and Shaping > Class-Based QoS Policies >	
MLPPP Interleave Mode MLPPP	yes 250
SAVE	CANCEL

The menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description
Interface	Shows the interface for which QoS is to be con- figured. This field cannot be edited.
IP QoS Classification via	Selection of the start of a rule chain that is to be used to the classify the data packets. The default value is <i>none</i> .

Field	Description	
MLPPP Interleave Mode	 Only if a PPP interface is selected as <i>INTERFACE</i>. The <i>MLPPP INTERLEAVE MODE</i> allows the fragmentation of packets without high priority so that high-priority data can be inserted between the fragments. Possible values: yes: Activates the Multilink PPP Interleave Mode. no (default value): Deactivates the Multilink 	
	PPP Interleave Mode.	
MLPPP Fragment Size	Only for <i>MLPPP INTERLEAVE MODE</i> = yes. The maximum size of the fragments for a non- high-priority packet. Possible values: <i>30</i> to <i>1500</i> . The default value is <i>250</i> .	

Table 4-1: INTERFACES AND POLICIES menu fields

4.1 QoS Scheduling and Shaping Submenu

The QOS SCHEDULING AND SHAPING submenu is described below.

[QOS] [INTERFACES] [EDIT] [SCHEDULER] : Conf:	Enterprise Communications GmbH igure QoS MyGateway duling and Shaping
Oueueing and Scheduling Algorithm	priority queueing (PQ)
Specify Traffic Shaping Maximum Transmit Rate (Bits per Second)	yes
OK	CANCEL

The $QoS \rightarrow$ INTERFACES AND POLICIES \rightarrow EDIT \rightarrow QoS SCHEDULING AND SHAPING menu is for setting the queueing and scheduling algorithm and specifying the traffic shaping by defining the maximum bit rate for the selected interface in the send direction.

The QoS Scheduling and Shaping menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description	
Queueing and Scheduling Algorithm	 Selection of the algorithm used for processing the queues of the selected interface and thus the activation and deactivation of QoS on the selected interface. Possible values: <i>disabled</i> (default value) QoS is deactivated on the interface. Any ex- 	
	isting queueing and scheduling configura- tion is not deleted, but can be activated again if required.	

Field	Description	
Queueing and Scheduling Algorithm (cont.)	 delete QoS is deactivated on the interface. The queueing and scheduling configuration is deleted. 	
	priority queueing (PQ) QoS is activated on the interface. The avail- able bandwidth is distributed strictly accord- ing to the queue priority.	
	weighted round-robin scheduling (WRR) QoS is activated on the interface. The avail- able bandwidth is distributed according to the weighting (WEIGHT) of the queue. Excep- tion: High-priority packets are always han- dled with priority.	
	weighted fair queueing (WFQ) QoS is activated on the interface. The avail- able bandwidth is distributed as "fairly" as possible among the (automatically detect- ed) traffic flows in a queue. Exception: High-priority packets are always handled with priority.	
Specify Traffic Shaping	Only for QUEUEING AND SCHEDULING ALGORITHM = priority queueing (PQ), weighted round-robin scheduling (WRR) or weighted fair queueing (WFQ). Activation or deactivation of data rate limiting (= traffic shaping) in the send direction.	
	Possible values:	
	yes: Feature is activated.	
	no: Feature is deactivated.	
	The default value is <i>no</i> .	

Field	Description
Maximum Transmit Rate (Bits per Second)	Only for SPECIFY TRAFFIC SHAPING = yes. Entry of maximum data rate in bits per second in the send direction. Possible values: <i>0</i> (default value) to <i>2048000</i> .

Table 4-2: QOS SCHEDULING AND SHAPING menu fields

4.2 Class-Based QoS Policies Submenu

The CLASS-BASED QOS POLICIES submenu is described below.

The $QoS \rightarrow INTERFACES \ AND \ POLICIES \rightarrow EDIT \rightarrow CLASS-BASED \ QoS \ POLICIES$ menu shows a list of all policies/queues of the selected interface that are already configured.

R3000w Setup T [QOS][INTERFAC			kwerk Enterprise onfigure QoS Pol	tions GmbH MyGateway
Configure Qo	oS Polici	es		
Туре	ID	Tx Rate	Limitation	
ADD		DELETE	EXIT	

The configuration is set up in $QoS \rightarrow INTERFACES \text{ AND POLICIES} \rightarrow EDIT \rightarrow CLASS-BASED QoS POLICIES \rightarrow ADD/EDIT.$

R3000w Setup Tool Funkwer	k Enterprise Communications GmbH
[QOS] [INTERFACES] [EDIT] [POLICY] [ADD]	MyGateway
Class	class-based
Class ID	1
Transmit Rate (Bits per Second)	0
Weight	1
Priority	0
Shaping Algorithm	token-bucket
Congestion Avoidance Algorithm	none
Dropping Algorithm	tail-drop
Lower Queue Threshold (Bytes)	0
Upper Queue Threshold (Bytes)	16384
OK	CANCEL

The **CLASS-BASED QoS POLICIES** → **ADD/EDIT** menu consists of the following fields:

Field	Description		
Class	Selection of type of queue. Possible values:		
	 class-based (default value): Queue for data classified as "normal". 		
	default: Queue for data that has not been classified or data of a class for which no queue has been configured.		
	high priority: Queue for data classified as "high priority".		
Class ID	Only for CLASS = class-based. Selection of the QoS packet class to which this queue is to apply.		

Description		
Entry of a data rate for the queue in bits per second.		
Possible values: 0 (default value) to 4096000.		
Only for Transmit Rate (Bits per Second) larger than 0.		
Defines whether TRANSMIT RATE (BITS PER SECOND) may be exceeded.		
Possible values:		
yes (bounded): A long burst exceeding the TRANSMIT RATE (BITS PER SECOND) is not al- lowed.		
no (not bounded): A long burst exceeding the TRANSMIT RATE (BITS PER SECOND) is al- lowed with a guaranteed data rate, which is defined in TRANSMIT RATE (BITS PER SECOND). The excessive data rate is han- dled according to the queue priority.		
Only for <i>TRANSMIT RATE (BITS PER SECOND)</i> larger than 0. Entry of the maximum number of bytes that may still be sent in the short term when the throughput <i>TRANSMIT RATE (BITS PER SECOND)</i> determined for this queue has already been reached.		
		Possible values: 0 (default value) to 64000.
Only for QUEUEING AND SCHEDULING ALGORITHM = weighted round-robin scheduling (WRR) and CLASS = default or class-based.		
Relative weighting of this class. Possible values: 1 (default value) to 255.		

Field	Description	
Priority	Only for QUEUEING AND SCHEDULING ALGORITHM = priority queueing (PQ) and CLASS = default or class-based.	
	Relative priority of this class.	
	Possible values: 0 (highest priority, default value) to 255 (lowest priority).	
Shaping Algorithm	No selection options. Until now only Token Bucket procedure for assignment/limitation of the bandwidth for a queue.	
Congestion Avoidance Algorithm	Selection of procedure for dropping packets between the <i>Lower Queue Threshold (Bytes)</i> and <i>Upper Queue Threshold (Bytes)</i> as a pre- caution to prevent a queue overflow. Possible values:	
	none (default value): No preventive drop- ping of packets.	
	weighted-random (RED): Packets are dropped according to the level of the queue. The fuller the queue, the more packets are dropped. This procedure ensures a smaller long-term queue size for TCP-based data traffic, so that traffic bursts can also usually be transmitted without large packet losses.	

Field	Description	
Dropping Algorithm	Selection of the procedure to be used for drop ping packets above the UPPER QUEUE THRESHOLD (BYTES) (equates to the maximum size of this queue). Possible values:	
	tail-drop (default value): The newest packet received is dropped.	
	head-drop: The oldest packet in the queue is dropped.	
	random-drop: A randomly selected packet is dropped from the queue.	
Lower Queue Threshold (Bytes)	Lower Threshold for Congestion Avoidance. Possible values: 0 (default value) to 262143.	
Upper Queue Threshold (Bytes)	Upper threshold for congestion avoidance and value above which the DROPPING ALGORITHM is used. Possible values: 0 to 262143. The default value is 16384.	

Table 4-3: CLASS-BASED QOS POLICIES menu fields

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т	TOS Mask Transmit Rate (Bits per Second) Transmit Rate Burst Type Type of Service (TOS)	8 24 24 7 8
U	Upper Queue Threshold (Bytes)	26
W	Weight	24