

**Packet Types:**

1. **Hello** (kind of 3-way handshake -> 2WAY)
2. **DB Descriptor (Seq, M(ore),I(nitial), MTU)**  
^^ only Master increments
3. **LSR** (Request)
4. **LSU** (Upd. - can ACK) solic. unicast, unsol. mcast
5. **LSAck** (Acknowledgement)

**LSA Header (20B):**

LS Age (max3600)  
Options  
LS Type  
**LS ID** →  
Adv. Router(Orig.)  
LS Seq. no.  
LS Checksum

**(1\*) LS ID for each type**

LSA	LS ID
1	originator RID
2	IP DR
3	Dest. network IP addr.
4	ASBR RID
5,7	Dest. network IP addr.

**OSPF Header:**  
Version, PackType (1-5), Router ID, Area ID, Chksum  
AuthType, Auth, Data

**Hello Packet:**  
IF Mask  
Hello, Dead-interval  
Priority, DR, BDR  
List of seen Neighbors  
**b7 - DN** (loop prev.)  
**b6 - O** (supp. Opaq)  
**b3 - N(SSA)/P(ropagat)**  
**b1 - E** (0=stub)

**Router LSA:**

- Link ID (LID)
- Link Data (LDT)
- IF Type (4 types)
- **Metric**
- **V-bit** (VirtualLink)
- **E-bit** (ASBR)
- **B-bit** (ABR)

T	Description	Link ID	Link Data
1	<b>Point-to-point numbered</b>	Neigh. RID	Interface IP
1	<b>Point-to-point unnumbered</b>	Neigh. RID	MIB IfIndex
2	<b>Transit</b> (has neighs. + DR)	DR IP	Interface IP
3	<b>Stub</b> (no neigh. on segment)	IP network	Subnet Mask
4	<b>Virtual Link</b>	Neigh. RID	Interface IP

**Network LSA** contains all the attached routers to the broadcast seg:  
- Segment Mask + RIDs of connected routers including DR

**Summary LSA** contains: Network Mask, Metric

**External LSA** contains: Mask /(prefix is in **LSID**, header), **E-bit** (0=E2 def.), Metric, FwdAddr

**NSSA External** (like T5) - when multiple ABRs, highest RID performs translation

**LSA Types:**

1. Router
2. Network (by DR)
3. Summary
4. ASBR Summary
5. Ext. (flood domain.)
6. MOSPF
7. NSSA External
8. External Attrib.
9. Link-local Opaq.
10. Area-local Opaq.
11. AS Opaq.

**Adj. states:**

1. **DOWN**
2. **ATTEMPT** (in NBMA)
3. **INIT** (other Hello seen)
4. **2-WAY** - (Hel. w/ own RID DR/BDR)
5. **EXSTART** - MTU, Master/Slave
6. **EXCHANGE** (DD)
7. **LOADING** (DD done, LSA transfer)
8. **FULL**

**DR Elect:** first send 0.0.0.0 DR/BDR. Neighbors claim DR or BDR. Router accepts them (no preempt)

**Virtual Links:**  
through a single area, nonbackbone, cost is ABR-ABR  
not through STUB, ABR sets **V** bit in LSA 1  
Type 5 not send on VL; 2 purposes: **0-A1-A2, 0-A1-0**

Network Types	DR/BDR	Neigh. Discov	Standard?
Broadcast <b>MA</b>	DR	Yes	Cisco
Non-Broadcast <b>MA</b>	DR	-	RFC 2328
P-t-MP Non Broadcast	-	-	Cisco
P-t-MP	-	Yes	RFC 2328
P-t-P	-	Yes	Cisco

**Area Types + allowed LSA Types:**

Area Type	1&2	3	4	5	7
Backbone	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
Std, non-STUB	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
STUB	Yes	Yes	-	can have ASBR but extern routes local	-
TOTALLY STUB	Yes	- (only default T3)	-	-	-
NSSA	Yes	Yes	Yes	-	Yes

**Overload:** advertise cost 65535 (max) for all transit links (not stubs!)  
**Default route: T3** (in NSSA can be T7)

**Graceful Restart modes:**

- Possible Helper (default)
- Helper (after receiving Grace-LSA)
- Restart Candidate (the restarting Router)

**GraceTLV T9** (Opaq link-scope) contains  
**Grace Period**  
**Restart Reason** - unknown, soft upgrade  
**IP IF Addr**

**Interface States:**  
Down  
Lo  
Waiting (to determine (B)DR)  
P2P  
DROther  
Backup  
DR

**OSPF Route Preference:**  
O > IA > E1 > E2

**Cost to SummaryLSA:**  
cost(ABR)+cost(LSA)

**Cost to External 1:**  
[cost(ABR)+cost(ASBR)]+cost(LSA)

**Cost to External 2 (default):**  
cost(LSA)

ABRs ignore LSAs by other ABRs, when learned through nonBB area.

Out of Helper mode when

- 1) **Grace-LSA flushed** by originating router
- 2) **Grace-LSA expires**
- 3) **change** in link-state database

Metric on outgoing interface used  
HK 5 - SJ 15 - P 25 => HK->P = 45

**SFP Algorithm:** all LSDB -> Candidate Table -lowest-> Tree

**LSA MaxAge:** 3600s  
**LSA Refresh:** 1800s/3000s