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# Configuration Backup and Restoration

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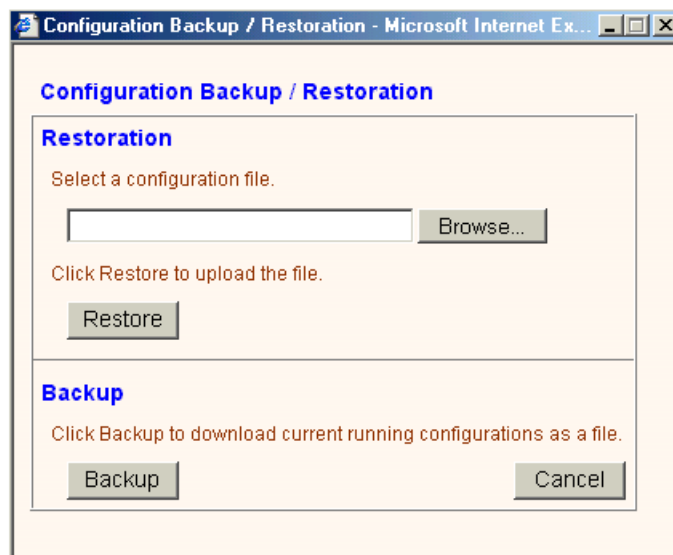
## Introduction

Sometimes you want to keep running configurations of your current router as a file or restore the configurations with the file. The router provides an web-based way to let you backup or restore the configuration very simple.

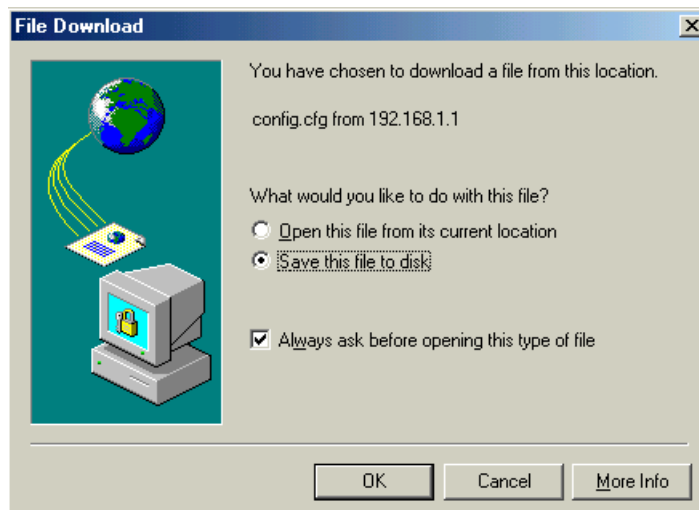
## Usage

### - Backup the Running Configuration

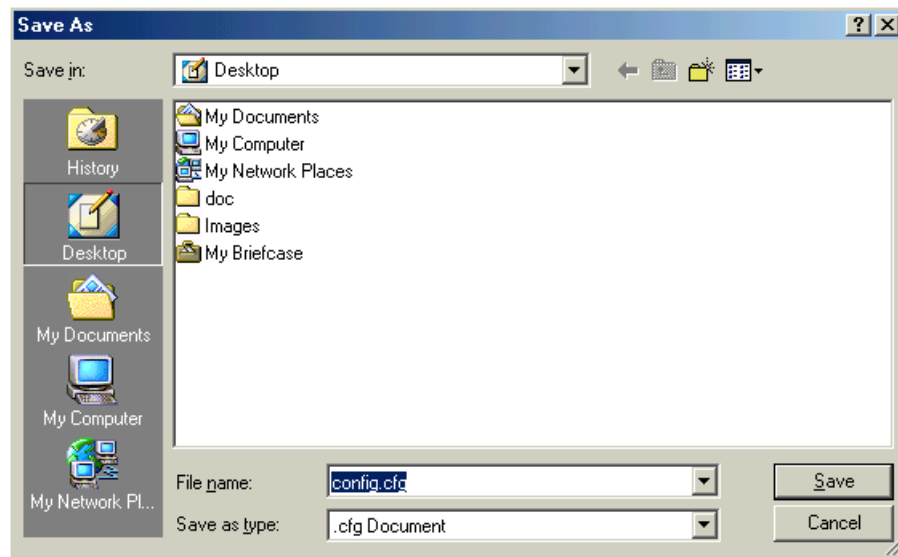
1. Login **Web Configurator** -> click **Configuration Backup / Restoration**. The following windows will be pop-up as below.



2. Click Backup button to get configurations.



3. Push **OK** button to save configuration as a file. The default filename is **config.cfg**. You could give it another name by yourself.

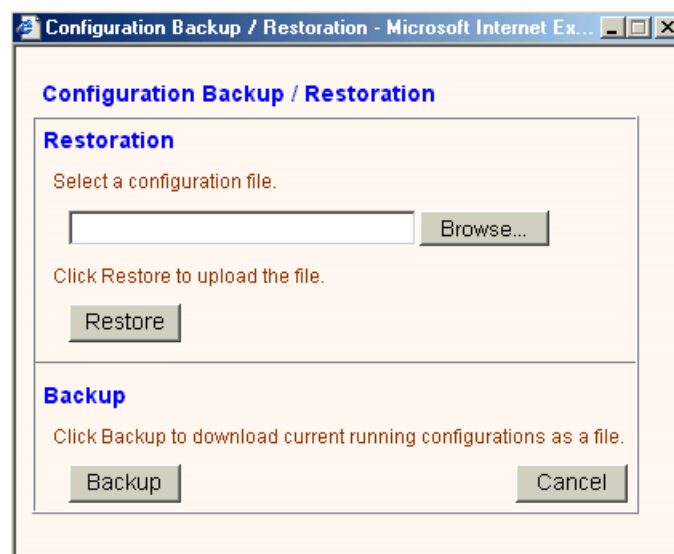


4. Push **Save** button, the configuration will download to your computer as a file named **config.cfg**.

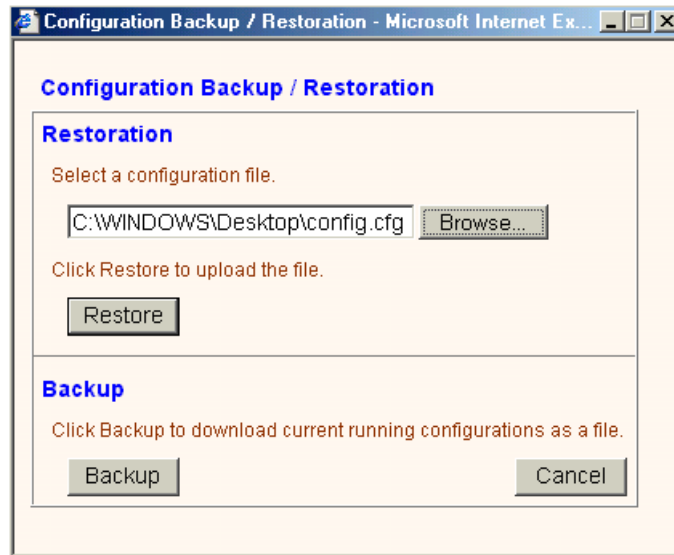
**Note:** The above example is using **Windows** platform for demonstration. The **Mac** or **Linux** users will see different windows, but the backup function is still available.

## - Restore the Configuration with a Configuration File

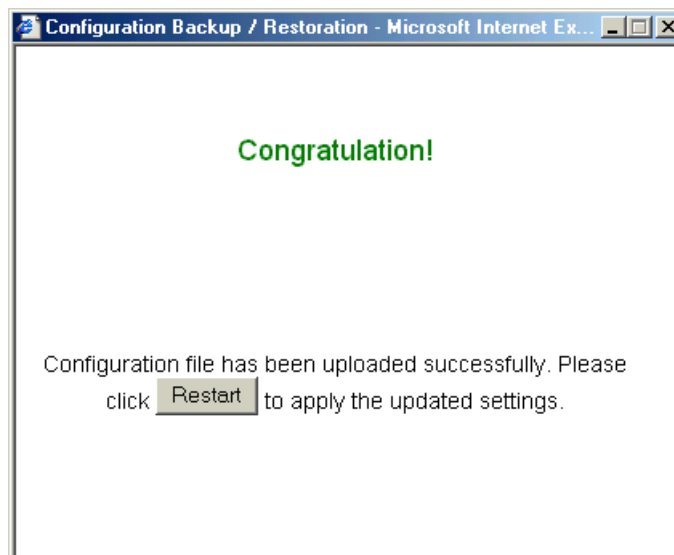
1. Login **Web Configurator** -> click **Configuration Backup / Restoration**. The following windows will be pop-up as below.



2. Click **Browse** button to choose the correct configuration file for uploading to the router.



3. Click **Restore** button, wait for few seconds, the following will tell you that the restoration procedure is successful.



4. Click **Restart** button, wait for few seconds, the router will restart using the updated configurations.