| Type Code | Meaning |
|---|---|
| 1 | ID of the origin of the path information |
| 2 | List of autonomous systems on path to destination |
| 3 | Next hop to use for destination |
| 4 | Discriminator used for multiple AS exit points |
| 5 | Preference used within an autonomous system |
| 6 | Indication that routes have been aggregated |
| 7 | ID of autonomous system that aggregated routes |
| 8 | ID of community for advertised destinations |

**Figure 13.9** The BGP attribute type codes and the meaning of each.