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## **Preface**

This preface describes the conventions of this document and information on how to obtain other documentation. It also provides information on what's new in Cisco product documentation.

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Means *reader take note*. Notes contain helpful suggestions or references to material not covered in the

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## **Related Documentation**

Note

Before installing or upgrading the deviceCiscoEmbedded Wireless Controller, refer to the release notes.

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### CHAPTER

## **Overview of Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points**

Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points are the next generation of wireless controllers built for the Intent-based networking. The Cisco controllers are IOS XE based and integrates the RF Excellence from Aironet with Intent-based Networking capabilities of IOS XE to create the best-in-class wireless experience for your evolving and growing organization.

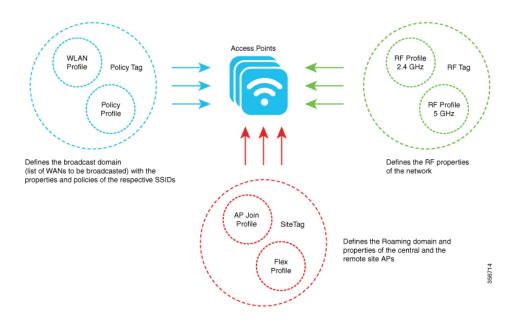
The controllers are deployable in physical form factors and can be managed using Cisco DNA Center, Netconf/YANG, web-based GUI, or CLI.

The configuration data model is based on design principles of reusability, simplified provisioning, enhanced flexibility and modularization to help manage networks as they scale up and simplify the management of dynamically changing business and IT requirements.

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### Elements of the New Configuration Model

The following diagram depicts the elements of the new configuration model.



#### Tags

The property of a tag is defined by the property of the policies associated to it, which in turn is inherited by an associated client or an AP. There are various type of tags, each of which is associated to different profiles. Every tag has a default that is created when the system boots up.

#### **Profiles**

Profiles represent a set of attributes that are applied to the clients associated to the APs or the APs themselves. Profiles are reusable entities that can be used across tags.

### **Configuration Workflow**

The following set of steps defines the logical order of configuration. Apart from the WLAN profile, all the profiles and tags have a default object associated with it.

- 1. Create the following profiles:
  - WLAN
  - Policy
  - AP Join
  - Flex
  - RF
- 2. Create the following tags:
  - Policy
  - Site

• RF

3. Associate tags to an AP.

Figure 1: Configuration Workflow

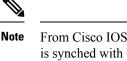


### **Initial Setup**

#### Setting up the Controller

The initial configuration wizard in Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points is a simplified, out-of-the-box installation and configuration interface for controller. This section provides

instructions to set up a controller to operate in a small, medium, or large network wireless environment, where access points can join and together as a simple solution provide various services, such as corporate employee or guest wireless access on the network.



From Cisco IOS XE Amsterdam 17.1.x onwards, date and time will not reflect in the web UI unless it is synched with Network Time Protocol (NTP).

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**Note** When the AP has rebooted in the EWC mode, it broadcasts a provisioning SSID ending with the last digits of the MAC address. You can connect to the provisioning SSID using the PSK **password**.

You can then open a browser and you are redirected to mywifi.cisco.com which takes you to the AP web UI. Enter the username as **webui** and password as **cisco**.



We recommend that you use the **wireless ewc-ap factory-reset** command to reset the EWC device to Day0 state (with the configuration wizard). This command also resets all the APs and EWC-APs in the network to Day0 state. You can use the **erase startup-config** command to remove the configuration from the device. However, this is not synced to other devices in the network.



Note After completing the Day0 wizard, the internal AP disjoins, and rejoins after one minute.



The wireless management must be the AP Gigabit port and you cannot have several SVIs configured in IOS-XE.



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### Information About New Configuration Model

The configuration of Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points is simplified using different tags, namely rf-tag, policy-tag, and site-tag. The access points would derive their configuration from the profiles that are contained within the tags.

Profiles are a collection of feature-specific attributes and parameters applied to tags. The rf-tag contains the radio profiles, the policy-tag contains the WLAN profile and policy profile, and the site-tag contains the flex profile and ap-join profile.

#### **Policy Tag**

The policy tag constitutes mapping of the WLAN profile to the policy profile. The WLAN profile defines the wireless characteristics of the WLAN. The policy profile defines the network policies and the switching policies for the client (Quality of Service [QoS] is an exception which constitutes AP policies as well).

The policy tag contains the map of WLAN policy profile. There can be a maximum of 16 such entries per policy tag. Changes to the map entries are effected based on the status of the WLAN profile and policy profile. For example, if a map (WLAN1 and Policy1) is added to the policy tag, and both the WLAN profile and the policy profile are enabled, the definitions are pushed to the APs using the policy tag. However, if one of them

is in disabled state, the definition is not pushed to the AP. Similarly, if a WLAN profile is already being broadcast by an AP, it can be deleted using the no form of the command in the policy tag.

#### Site Tag

The site tag defines the properties of a site and contains the flex profile and the AP join profile. The attributes that are specific to the corresponding flex or remote site are part of the flex profile. Apart from the flex profile, the site tag also comprises attributes that are specific to the physical site (and hence cannot be a part of the profile that is a reusable entity). For example, the list of primary APs for efficient upgrade is a part of a site tag rather than that of a flex profile.

If a flex profile name or an AP profile name is changed in the site tag, the AP is forced to rejoin the controller by disconnecting the Datagram Transport Layer Security (DTLS) session. When a site tag is created, the AP and flex profiles are set to default values (default-ap-profile and default-flex-profile).

#### **RF** Tag

The RF tag contains the 2.4 GHz and 5 GHz RF profiles. The default RF tag contains the global configuration. Both these profiles contain the same default values for global RF profiles for the respective radios.

#### Profiles

Profiles are a collection of feature-specific attributes and parameters applied to tags. Profiles are reusable entities that can be used across tags. Profiles (used by tags) define the properties of the APs or its associated clients.

#### **WLAN Profile**

WLAN profiles are configured with same or different service set identifiers (SSIDs). An SSID identifies the specific wireless network for the controller to access. Creating WLANs with the same SSID allows to assign different Layer 2 security policies within the same wireless LAN.

To distinguish WLANs having the same SSID, create a unique profile name for each WLAN. WLANs with the same SSID must have unique Layer 2 security policies so that clients can select a WLAN based on the information advertised in the beacon and probe responses. The switching and network policies are not part of the WLAN definition.

#### **Policy Profile**

Policy profile broadly consists of network and switching policies. Policy profile is a reusable entity across tags. Anything that is a policy for a client that is applied on an AP or controller is moved to the policy profile, for example, VLAN, ACL, QoS, session timeout, idle timeout, AVC profile, bonjour profile, local profiling, device classification, BSSID QoS, and so on. However, all the wireless-related security attributes and features on the WLAN are grouped under the WLAN profile.

#### **Flex Profile**

Flex profile contains policy attributes and remote site-specific parameters. For example, the EAP profiles that can be used when the AP acts as an authentication server for local RADIUS server information, VLAN-ACL mapping, VLAN name-to-ID mapping, and so on.

#### **AP Join Profile**

The default AP join profile values will have the global AP parameters and the AP group parameters. The AP join profile contains attributes that are specific to AP, such as CAPWAP, IPv4 and IPv6, UDP Lite, High Availability, Retransmit config parameters, Global AP failover, Hyperlocation config parameters, Telnet and SSH, 11u parameters, and so on.



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Telnet is not supported for the following Cisco AP models: 1542D, 1542I, 1562D, 1562E, 1562I, 1562PS, 1800S, 1800T, 1810T, 1810W, 1815M, 1815STAR, 1815TSN, 1815T, 1815T, 1815W, 1832I, 1840I, 1852E, 1852I, 2802E, 2802I, 2802H, 3700C, 3800, 3802E, 3802I, 3802P, 4800, IW6300, ESW6300, 9105AXI, 9105AXI, 9115AXI, 9115AXE, 9117I, APVIRTUAL, 9120AXI, 9120AXE, 9130AXI, and 9130AXE.

#### **RF Profile**

RF profile contains the common radio configuration for the APs. RF profiles are applied to all the APs that belong to an AP group, where all the APs in that group have the same profile settings.

#### **Association of APs**

APs can be associated using different ways. The default option is by using Ethernet MAC address, where the MAC is associated with policy-tag, site tag, and RF tag.

In filter-based association, APs are mapped using regular expressions. A regular expression (regex) is a pattern to match against an input string. Any number of APs matching that regex will have policy-tag, site tag, and RF tag mapped to them, which is created as part of the AP filter.

In AP-based association, tag names are configured at the PnP server and the AP stores them and sends the tag name as part of discovery process.

In location-based association, tags are mapped as per location and are pushed to any AP Ethernet MAC address mapped to that location.

#### Modifying AP Tags

Modifying an AP tag results in DTLS connection reset, forcing the AP to rejoin the controller. If only one tag is specified in the configuration, default tags are used for other types, for example, if only policy tag is specified, the default-site-tag and default-rf-tag will be used for site tag and RF tag.

### Configuring a Wireless Profile Policy (GUI)

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Tags & Profiles** > **Policy**.
- **Step 2** On the **Policy Profile** page, click **Add**.
- **Step 3** In the Add Policy Profile window, in General tab, enter a name and description for the policy profile. The name can be ASCII characters from 32 to 126, without leading and trailing spaces. Do not use spaces as it causes system instability.

Step 4 To enable the policy profile, set Status as Enabled.
Step 5 In the WLAN Switching Policy section, choose the following, as required:

No Central Switching: Tunnels both the wireless user traffic and all control traffic via CAPWAP to the centralized controller where the user traffic is mapped to a dynamic interface/VLAN on the controller. This is the normal CAPWAP mode of operation.
Central Authentication: Tunnels client data to the controller, as the controller handles client authentication.
No Central DHCP: The DHCP packets received from AP are centrally switched to the controller and then forwarded to the corresponding VLAN based on the AP and the SSID.
Central Association Enable: When central association is enabled, all switching is done on the controller.
Flex NAT/PAT: Enables Network Address Translation(NAT) and Port Address Translation (PAT) mode.

Step 6 Click Save & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring a Wireless Profile Policy (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure a wireless profile policy:



**Note** When a client moves from an old controller to a new controller (managed by Cisco Prime Infrastructure), the old IP address of the client is retained, if the IP address is learned by ARP or data gleaning. To avoid this scenario, ensure that you enable **ipv4 dhcp required** command in the policy profile. Otherwise, the IP address gets refreshed only after a period of 24 hours.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
	Configures WLAN policy profile and enters	
	Example:	wireless policy configuration mode.
Step 3	idle-timeout timeout	(Optional) Configures the duration of idle
	Example:	timeout, in seconds.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# idle-timeout 1000	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 4	vlan vlan-id	Configures VLAN name or VLAN ID.	
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-wireless-policy)# vlan 24		
Step 5	no shutdown	Saves the configuration and exits configuration	
	Example:	mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# no shutdown</pre>		
Step 6	show wireless profile policy summary	Displays the configured policy profiles.	
	Example:	Note (Optional) To view detailed	
	Device# show wireless profile policy summary	information about a policy profile, use the <b>show wireless profile policy</b> <b>detailed</b> <i>policy-profile-name</i> command.	

## **Configuring a Flex Profile**

Follow the procedure given below to set a flex profile:

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile flex <i>flex-profile</i>	Configures a Flex profile and enters Flex profile
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device(config)# wireless profile flex rr-xyz-flex-profile	
Step 3	description	(Optional) Enables default parameters for the
	Example:	flex profile.
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-flex-profile)# description xyz-default-flex-profile</pre>	
Step 4	arp-caching	(Optional) Enables ARP caching.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-flex-profile)# arp-caching</pre>	
Step 5	end	Saves the configuration and exits configuration
	Example:	mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.

	Command or Action	Purpos	e
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-flex-profile)# end</pre>		
Step 6	show wireless profile flex summary	(Option	nal) Displays the flex-profile parameters.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# show wireless profile flex summary	Note	To view detailed parameters about the flex profile, use the <b>show</b> <b>wireless profile flex detailed</b> <i>flex-profile-name</i> command.

## **Configuring an AP Profile (GUI)**

#### Before you begin

The default AP join profile values will have the global AP parameters and the AP group parameters. The AP join profile contains attributes that are specific to AP, such as CAPWAP, IPv4/IPv6, UDP Lite, High Availability, retransmit configuration parameters, global AP failover, Hyperlocation configuration parameters, Telnet/SSH, 11u parameters, and so on.

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > AP Join.
Step 2	On the <b>AP Join Profile</b> page, click <b>Add</b> .
	The Add AP Join Profile page is displayed.
Step 3	In the General tab, enter a name and description for the AP join profile.
Step 4	Check the <b>LED State</b> check box to set the LED state of all APs connected to the device to blink so that the APs are easily located.
Step 5	In the <b>Client</b> tab and <b>Statistics Timer</b> section, enter the time in seconds that the AP sends its 802.11 statistics to the controller.
Step 6	In the <b>TCP MSS Configuration</b> section, check the <b>Adjust MSS Enable</b> check box to enter value for Adjust MSS. You can enter or update the maximum segment size (MSS) for transient packets that traverse a router. TCP MSS adjustment enables the configuration of the maximum segment size (MSS) for transient packets that traverse a router, specifically TCP segments with the SYN bit set.
	In a CAPWAP environment, a lightweight access point discovers a device by using CAPWAP discovery mechanisms, and then sends a CAPWAP join request to the device. The device sends a CAPWAP join response to the access point that allows the access point to join the device.
	When the access point joins the device, the device manages its configuration, firmware, control transactions, and data transactions.
Step 7	In the <b>AP</b> tab, you can configure the following:
	• General
	a) In the General tab, check the Switch Flag check box to enable switches.

- b) Check the Power Injector State check box if power injector is being used. Power Injector increases wireless LAN deployment flexibility of APs by providing an alternative powering option to local power, inline power-capable multiport switches, and multiport power patch panels.
- c) From the **Power Injector Type** drop-down list, choose power injector type from the following options:
  - Installed: If you want the AP to examine and remember the MAC address of the currently connected switch port. (This selection assumes that a power injector is connected.)
  - Override: To enable the AP to operate in high-power mode without first verifying a matching MAC address.
- d) In the **Injector Switch MAC** field, enter the MAC address of the switch.
- e) From the **EAP Type** drop-down list, choose the EAP type as *EAP-FAST*, *EAP-TLS*, or *EAP-PEAP*.
- f) From the **AP Authorization Type** drop-down list, choose the type as either *CAPWAP DTLS* + or *CAPWAP DTLS*.
- g) In the **Client Statistics Reporting Interval** section, enter the interval for 5 GHz and 2.4 GHz radios in seconds.
- h) Check the Enable check box to enable extended module.
- i) From the **Profile Name** drop-down list, choose a profile name.
- j) Click Save & Apply to Device.
  - Hyperlocation: Cisco Hyperlocation is a location solution that allows to track the location of wireless clients with the accuracy of one meter. Selecting this option disables all other fields in the screen, except NTP Server.
- a) In the Hyperlocation tab, check the Enable Hyperlocation check box.
- b) Enter the **Detection Threshold** value to filter out packets with low RSSI. The valid range is -100 dBm to -50 dBm.
- c) Enter the **Trigger Threshold** value to set the number of scan cycles before sending a BAR to clients. The valid range is 0 to 99.
- d) Enter the **Reset Threshold** value to reset value in scan cycles after trigger. The valid range is 0 to 99.
- e) Enter the NTP Server IP address.
- f) Click Save & Apply to Device.
  - BLE: If your APs are Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE) enabled, they can transmit beacon messages that are packets of data or attributes transmitted over a low energy link. These BLE beacons are frequently used for health monitoring, proximity detection, asset tracking, and in-store navigation. For each AP, you can customize BLE Beacon settings configured globally for all APs.
- a) In the **BLE** tab, enter a value in the **Beacon Interval** field to indicate how often you want your APs to send out beacon advertisements to nearby devices. The range is from 1 to 10, with a default of 1.
- b) In the **Advertised Attenuation Level** field, enter the attenuation level. The range is from 40 to 100, with a default of 59.
- c) Click Save & Apply to Device.
- **Step 8** In the **Management** tab, you can configure the following:
  - Device
  - a) In the **Device** tab, enter the **IPv4/IPv6** Address of the TFTP server, **TFTP Downgrade** section.
  - b) In the Image File Name field, enter the name of the software image file.
  - c) From the Facility Value drop-down list, choose the appropriate facility.

- d) Enter the IPv4 or IPv6 address of the host.
- e) Choose the appropriate Log Trap Value.
- f) Enable Telnet and/or SSH configuration, if required.
- g) Enable core dump, if required.
- h) Click Save & Apply to Device.

• User

- a) In the User tab, enter username and password details.
- b) Choose the appropriate password type.
- c) In the Secret field, enter a custom secret code.
- d) Choose the appropriate secret type.
- e) Choose the appropriate encryption type.
- f) Click Save & Apply to Device.
  - Credentials
- a) In the Credentials tab, enter local username and password details.
- b) Choose the appropriate local password type.
- c) Enter 802.1x username and password details.
- d) Choose the appropriate 802.1x password type.
- e) Enter the time in seconds after which the session should expire.
- f) Enable local credentials and/or 802.1x credentials as required.
- g) Click Save & Apply to Device.
- a) In the CDP Interface tab, enable the CDP state, if required.
- b) Click Save & Apply to Device.
- **Step 9** In the **Rogue AP** tab, check the **Rogue Detection** check box to enable rogue detection.
- **Step 10** In the **Rogue Detection Minimum RSSI** field, enter the RSSI value.

This field specifies the minimum RSSI value for which a Rogue AP should be reported. All Rogue APs with RSSI lower than what is configured will not be reported to controller.

**Step 11** In the **Rogue Detection Transient Interval** field, enter the transient interval value.

This field indicates how long the Rogue AP should be seen before reporting the controller.

**Step 12** In the **Rogue Detection Report Interval** field, enter the report interval value.

This field indicates the frequency (in seconds) of Rogue reports sent from AP to controller.

**Step 13** Check the **Rogue Containment Automatic Rate Selection** check box to enable rogue containment automatic rate selection.

Here, the AP selects the best rate for the target Rogue, based on its RSSI.

**Step 14** Check the **Auto Containment on FlexConnect Standalone** check box to enable the feature.

Here, the AP will continue containment in case it moves to flexconnect standalone mode.

Step 15 Click Save & Apply to Device.

## **Configuring an AP Profile (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure and AP profile:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ap profile ap-profile		res an AP profile and enters AP profile
	Example:	configur	ration mode.
	Device(config)# ap profile xyz-ap-profile	Note	In an AP profile, the <b>EAP-FAST</b> is the default EAP type.
		Note	When you delete a named profile, the APs associated with that profile will not revert to the default profile.
Step 3	description ap-profile-name	Adds a description for the ap profile.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-ap-profile)# description "xyz ap profile"		
Step 4	cdp	Enables	CDP for all Cisco APs.
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# cdp</pre>		
Step 5	end	Saves the configuration and exits configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-ap-profile)# end		
Step 6	show ap profile nameprofile-name detailed	(Optional) Displays detailed information abo an AP join profile.	
	Example:		
	Device# show ap profile name xyz-ap-profile detailed		

## **Configuring an RF Profile (GUI)**

#### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Tags & Profiles** > **RF**.

Step 2	On the <b>RF Profile</b> page, click <b>Add</b> .
Step 3	In the <b>General</b> tab, enter a name for the RF profile. The name can be ASCII characters from 32 to 126, without leading and trailing spaces.
Step 4	Choose the appropriate Radio Band.
Step 5	To enable the profile, set the status as <b>Enable</b> .
Step 6	Enter a <b>Description</b> for the RF profile.
Step 7	Click Save & Apply to Device.

## **Configuring an RF Profile (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure an RF profile:

#### Before you begin

Ensure that you use the same RF profile name that you create here, when configuring the wireless RF tag too. If there is a mismatch in the RF profile name (for example, if the RF tag contains an RF profile that does not exist), the corresponding radios will not come up.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 24ghz rf-profile rf-profile	Configures an RF profile and enters RF profile
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device(config)# ap dotll 24ghz rf-profile rfprof24_1	Note Use the 24ghz command to configure the 802.11b parameters. Use the 5ghz command to configure the 802.11a parameters.
Step 3	default	(Optional) Enables default parameters for the
	Example:	RF profile.
	<pre>Device(config-rf-profile)# default</pre>	
Step 4	no shutdown	Enables the RF profile on the device.
	Example:	
	Device(config-rf-profile)# no shutdown	
Step 5	end	Exits configuration mode and returns to
	Example:	privileged EXEC mode.
	Device(config-rf-profile)# end	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 6	show ap rf-profile summary	(Optional) Displays the summary of the
	Example:	available RF profiles.
	Device# show ap rf-profile summary	
Step 7	show ap rf-profile name rf-profile detail	(Optional) Displays detailed information about
	Example:	a particular RF profile.
	Device# show ap rf-profile name rfprof24_1 detail	

## **Configuring Policy Tag (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags > Policy.
Step 2	Click Add to view the Add Policy Tag window.
Step 3	Enter a name and description for the policy tag. The name can be ASCII characters from 32 to 126, without leading and trailing spaces.
Step 4	Click Add to map WLAN and policy.
Step 5	Choose the WLAN profile to map with the appropriate policy profile, and click the tick icon.
Step 6	Click Save & Apply to Device.

## **Configuring a Policy Tag (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure a policy tag:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	• Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	wireless tag policy policy-tag-name	Configures policy tag and enters policy tag
	Example:	configuration mode.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-policy-tag)# wireless tag policy default-policy-tag	<ul> <li>Note When performing LWA, the clients connected to a controller gets disconnected intermittently before session timeout.</li> <li>As a workaround it is recommended to include all policy profiles with central association or no central association under a given policy tag.</li> </ul>
Step 4	description description	Adds a description to a policy tag.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-policy-tag)# description "default-policy-tag"</pre>	
Step 5	<pre>remote-lan name policy profile-policy-name {ext-module  port-id }</pre>	Maps a remote-LAN profile to a policy profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-policy-tag)# remote-lan rr-xyz-rlan-aa policy rr-xyz-rlan-policy1 port-id 2	
Step 6	wlan wlan-name policy profile-policy-name	Maps a policy profile to a WLAN profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-policy-tag)# wlan rr-xyz-wlan-aa policy rr-xyz-policy-1	
Step 7	end	Exits policy tag configuration mode, and returns
	Example:	to privileged EXEC mode.
	Device(config-policy-tag)# end	
Step 8	show wireless tag policy summary	(Optional) Displays the configured policy tags.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# show wireless tag policy summary	Note To view detailed information about a policy tag, use the <b>show wireless</b> <b>tag policy detailed</b> <i>policy-tag-name</i> command.

## **Configuring Wireless RF Tag (GUI)**

- Step 1 a) Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags > RF.
- Step 2 Click Add to view the Add RF Tag window.

Step 3 Enter a name and description for the RF tag. The name can be ASCII characters from 32 to 126, without leading and trailing spaces.
Step 4 Choose the required 5 GHz Band RF Profile and 2.4 GHz Band RF Profile to be associated with the RF tag.
Step 5 Click Update & Apply to Device.

## **Configuring Wireless RF Tag (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure a wireless RF tag:

#### Before you begin

- You can use only two profiles (2.4-GHz and 5-GHz band RF profiles) in an RF tag.
- Ensure that you use the same AP tag name that you created when configuring the AP tag task too.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless tag rf rf-tag	Creates an RF tag and enters wireless RF tag configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless tag rf rftag1	
Step 3	24ghz-rf-policy rf-policy	Attaches an IEEE 802.11b RF policy to the RF
	Example:	tag.
	Device(config-wireless-rf-tag)# 24ghz-rf-policy rfprof24_1	To configure a dot11a policy, use the <b>5ghz-rf-policy</b> command.
Step 4	description policy-description	Adds a description for the RF tag.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-rf-tag)# description Test</pre>	
Step 5	end	Exits configuration mode and returns to
	Example:	privileged EXEC mode.
	Device(config-wireless-rf-tag)# end	
Step 6	show wireless tag rf summary	Displays the available RF tags.
	Example:	
	Device# show wireless tag rf summary	
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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7     show wireless tag rf detailed rf-tag     Displays det       Example:     Device# show wireless tag rf detailed     RF tag.	Displays detailed information of a particular	
	Example:	RF tag.
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### Attaching a Policy Tag and Site Tag to an AP (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless > Access Points.
	The All Access Points section displays details of all the APs on your network.
Step 2	To edit the configuration details of an AP, select the row for that AP.
	The Edit AP window is displayed.
Step 3	In the <b>General</b> tab and <b>Tags</b> section, specify the appropriate policy, site, and RF tags, that you created on the <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Tags &amp; Profiles</b> > <b>Tags</b> page.
Step 4	Click Update & Apply to Device.

## Attaching Policy Tag and Site Tag to an AP (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to attach a policy tag and a site tag to an AP:

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap mac-address	Configures a Cisco AP and enters AP profile
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device(config)# ap F866.F267.7DFB	Note The <i>mac-address</i> should be a wire mac address.
Step 3	policy-tag policy-tag-name	Maps a policy tag to the AP.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ap-tag)# policy-tag rr-xyz-policy-tag	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	site-tag site-tag-name	Maps a site tag to the AP.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-ap-tag)# site-tag rr-xyz-site</pre>	
Step 5	rf-tag rf-tag-name	Associates the RF tag.
	Example:	
Step 6	end	Saves the configuration, exits configuration mode, and returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ap-tag)# end	
Step 7	show ap tag summary	(Optional) Displays AP details and the tags
	Example:	associated to it.
	Device# show ap tag summary	
Step 8	show ap name <ap-name> tag info</ap-name>	(Optional) Displays the AP name with tag
	Example:	information.
	Device# show ap name <i>ap-name</i> tag info	
Step 9	show ap name <i><ap-name></ap-name></i> tag detail	(Optional) Displays the AP name with tag detals.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap name <i>ap-name</i> tag detail	

### **AP** Filter

### **Introduction to AP Filter**

The introduction of tags in the new configuration model in the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points has created multiple sources for tags to be associated with access points (APs). Tag sources can be static configuration, AP filter engine, per-AP PNP, or default tag sources. In addition to this, the precedence of the tags also plays an important role. The AP filter feature addresses these challenges in a seamless and intuitive manner.

AP filters are similar to the access control lists (ACLs) used in the controller and are applied at the global level. You can add AP names as filters, and other attributes can be added as required. Add the filter criteria as part of the discovery requests.

The AP Filter feature organizes tag sources with the right priority, based on the configuration.

You cannot disable the AP filter feature. However, the relative priority of a tag source can be configured using **ap filter-priority** *priority filter-name* command.



Note

You can configure tag names at the PnP server (similar to the Flex group and AP group) and the AP stores and send the tag name as part of discovery and join requests.

### Set Tag Priority (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags > AP > Tag Source.
Step 2	Drag and Drop the Tag Sources to change priorities.

### Set Tag Priority

Multiple tag sources might result in ambiguity for network administrators. To address this, you can define priority for tags. When an AP joins the controller, the tags are picked based on priority. If precedence is not set, the defaults are used.

Use the following procedure to set tag priority:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap tag-source-priority source-priority source {filter   pnp}	Configures AP tag source priority. Note It is not mandatory to configure AP
	Example:	filter. It comes with default priorities
	Device(config)# ap tag-source-priority 2 source pnp	for Static, Filter, and PnP.
Step 3	end	Exits configuration mode and returns to
	Example:	privileged EXEC mode.
	Device(config)# end	
Step 4	ap tag-sources revalidate	Revalidates AP tag sources. The priorities
	Example:	become active only after this command is run.
	Device# ap tag-sources revalidate	Note If you change the priorities for Filter and PnP, and want to evaluate them, run the <b>revalidate</b> command.

### **Create an AP Filter (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags > AP > Filter.
Step 2	Click Add.
Step 3	In the Associate Tags to AP dialog box which is displayed, enter the Rule Name, the AP name regex and the <b>Priority</b> . Optionally, you can also choose the policy tag from the <b>Policy Tag Name</b> drop-down list, the site tag from the <b>Site Tag Name</b> drop-down list and the RF tag from the <b>RF Tag Name</b> drop-down list.
Step 4	Click Apply to Device.

### **Create an AP Filter (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap filter name filter_name	Configures an AP filter.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap filter filter-1	
Step 3	ap name-regex regular-expression	Configures the AP filter based on regular
	Example:	expression.
	Device(config-ap-filter)# ap name-regex testany	For example, if you have named an AP as <b>ap-lab-12</b> , then you can configure the filter with a regular expression, such as <b>ap-lab-\d+</b> , to match the AP name.
Step 4	tag policy policy-tag	Configures a policy tag for this filter.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-ap-filter)# tag policy pol-tag1</pre>	
Step 5	tag rf rf-tag	Configures an RF tag for this filter.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ap-filter)# tag rf rf-tag1	
Step 6	tag site site-tag	Configures a site tag for this filter.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ap-filter)# tag site site1	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	end	Exits configuration mode and returns to
	Example:	privileged EXEC mode.
	Device(config-ap-filter)# end	

### Set Up and Update Filter Priority (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Ch	noose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags > AP > Filter.
Step 2	a)	If you want to setup a new AP filter, then click Add. In the Associate Tags to AP dialog box which is displayed, enter the Rule Name, the AP name regex and the Priority. Optionally, you can also select the Policy Tag Name, the Site Tag Name and the RF Tag Name. Click Apply to Device.
	b)	If you want to update the priority of an existing AP filter, click on the Filter and in the <b>Edit Tags</b> dialog box and change the <b>Priority</b> . In case the Filter is Inactive, no priority can be set to it. Click <b>Update and Apply to Device</b> .

### Set Up and Update Filter Priority

Follow the procedure given below to set and update filter priority:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.		
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal			
Step 2	<pre>ap filter priority priority filter-name filter-name Example: Device(config)# ap filter priority 10 filter-name test1</pre>	Configure AP filter priority.NoteA filter without a priority is not active. Similarly, you cannot set a filter priority without a filter.		
Step 3	<pre>end Example: Device(config-ap)# end</pre>	Exits configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.		

### **Verify AP Filter Configuration**

The following show commands are used to display tag sources and filters, and their priorities.

To view the tag source priorities, use the following command:

Device# show ap tag sources

```
Priority Tag source

0 Static

1 Filter

2 AP

3 Default
```

To view the available filters, use the following command:

```
Device# show ap filter all
```

Filter Name Tag	regex	Policy Tag	RF Tag	Site
first site-tag1	abcd	pol-tag1	rf-tag1	
test1	testany			site1
filter1	testany			

To view the list of active filters, use the following command:

#### Device# show ap filters active

Priority Site Tag	Filter Name	regex	Policy Tag	RF Tag
10 site1	test1	testany		

#### To view the source of an AP tag, use the following command:

Device# show ap tag summary

Number of APs: 4

AP Name Misconfigured	AP Mac 1 Tag Source	Site Tag Name	Policy Tag Name	RF Tag Name	
AP002A.1034.0	CA78 002a.1034.ca	a78 named-site-tag	named-policy-tag	named-rf-tag	No Filter

AP00A2.891C.2480 00a2.891c.2480 named-site-tag named-policy-tag named-rf-tag No Filter

AP58AC.78DE.9946 58ac.78de.9946 default-site-tag default-policy-tag default-rf-tag No AP AP0081.C4F4.1F34 0081.c4f4.1f34 default-site-tag default-policy-tag default-rf-tag No Default



## **Smart Licensing**

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### Information About Cisco Smart Licensing

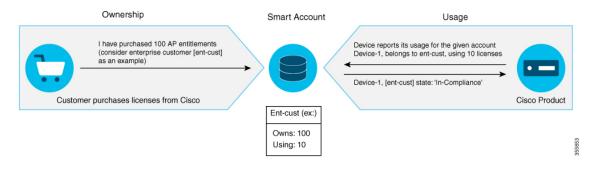
Cisco Smart Licensing is a flexible licensing model that provides you with an easier, faster, and more consistent way to purchase and manage software across the Cisco portfolio and across your organization. And it's secure – you control what users can access. With Smart Licensing you get:

- Easy Activation: Smart Licensing establishes a pool of software licenses that can be used across the entire organization—no more PAKs (Product Activation Keys).
- Unified Management: My Cisco Entitlements (MCE) provides a complete view into all of your Cisco products and services in an easy-to-use portal, so you always know what you have and what you are using.
- License Flexibility: Your software is not node-locked to your hardware, so you can easily use and transfer licenses as needed.

To use Smart Licensing, you must first set up a Smart Account on Cisco Software Central (software.cisco.com).

For a more detailed overview on Cisco Licensing, go to cisco.com/go/licensingguide.

#### Figure 2: Relationship Between Ownership, Smart Account, and Usage



Note

As a prerequisite, register your controller with the satellite SSM (VM on customer premises) or CSSM (Cisco Cloud) using the Smart Call Home HTTPS server.

Once your product is registered in CSSM, you will be able to view the license usage using your Smart Account or Virtual Account for every eight hours.

Note

- Smart Licensing registration is lost when the device switches from controller to autonomous mode and back. In such instances, you should re-register the controller to CSSM to restore licenses authorization.
- After adding new license in the Cisco Smart Software Manager (CSSM) for customer virtual account, run the license smart renew auth command on the controller to get the license status changed from Out OF Compliance to Authorised.

Access points support the following AIR licensing levels:

- AIR Network Essential (AIR-NE)
- AIR Network Advantage (AIR-NA)
- AIR DNA Essential (AIR-DNA-E)
- AIR DNA Advantage (AIR-DNA-A)

Note

The AIR-DNA-A and AIR-DNA-E are the available license levels on the controller.

The AIR-DNA-A is the default mode.

You can configure as *AIR-DNA-A* or *AIR-DNA-E* license level and on term expiry, you can move to the Network Advantage or Network Essentials license level, if you do not want to renew the DNA license.

#### **Smart Licensing Reservation Types**

License reservation is a mechanism to reserve node locked licenses and install them on the controller.

The following are the license reservation types:

- Permanent License Reservation (PLR)—All licenses are reserved.
- Specified License Reservation (SLR)—Only specific licenses are reserved. Supports term licenses.

The controller supports four different entitlement registration or reporting on Smart Licensing or service reservation. Every connecting AP requires a Cisco DNA Center License to leverage the unique value properties of the controller.

```
Note
```

The controller boots up with AIR-DNA-A as the default. Any change in the license level requires a reboot.

#### **Entitlement Reporting**

Entitlement reporting is nothing but reporting the number of access points on the controller to the Cisco Smart Software Manager (CSSM).

The entitlement reporting is based on the configured AIR license level on the controller.



Two types of entitlement reporting occurs when you are in *AIR-DNA-E* and *AIR-DNA-A* levels. For instance, if your controller reports 100 APs as count, your entitlement reporting displays *100 AIR-NE* and *100 AIR-DNA-E*. Similarly, it also displays *100 AIR-NA* and *100 AIR-DNA-A* to CSSM.

### **Creating a Smart Account**

#### Procedure

Step 1Navigate to the Cisco Software Central web page:<br/>https://software.cisco.com/#<br/>The Cisco Software Central page is displayed.Step 2From the Important News pop-up window, click Get a Smart Account.<br/>(Or)<br/>From the Administration area, click Request a Smart Account.<br/>Follow the process to create a Smart Account.<br/>NoteNoteYou need to have a Smart Account to use Smart Licensing.

### **Using Smart Licensing**

#### Before you begin

Follow the procedure given below to cover the high-level steps on how to use smart licensing:

#### Procedure

Procedure

Step 1 Step 2 Step 3	Login to	re your device for smart licensing. <b>CSSM</b> customer <b>Smart Account</b> > <b>Virtual Account</b> to generate a token. the following command on your device:
	Device#	license smart register idtoken <token-id></token-id>
	Note	You can get the <i>token-id</i> from the CSSM web portal.
	Note	You can use the <b>license smart register idtoken</b> <i>token-id</i> <b>force</b> command to register the device again even if the same device was registered with CSSM earlier.

## **Using Specified License Reservation (SLR)**

con	figure terminal
Exa	mple:
Dev	ice# configure terminal
Ent	ers global configuration mode.
lice	nse smart reservation
Exa	mple:
Dev	<pre>ice(config) # license smart reservation</pre>
Ena	bles specified license reservation mode on the controller.
lice	nse smart reservation request local
Exa	mple:
Dev	<pre>ice(config)# license smart reservation request local</pre>
Ger	erates a request code.
Not	Enter this request code in the Cisco Smart Software Manager portal:
	CB-ZL-AIR-9500C-K9:9J4FVHMBXCO-BjSeUVwmn-D8

#### Step 4 end

#### Example:

Device(config)# end

Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press Ctrl-Z to exit global configuration mode.

### **Enabling Specified License Reservation in CSSM**

#### Before you begin

You should have a smart account and virtual account to generate the authorization code for the controller.

#### Procedure

Step	1	Login to	CSSM
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- Step 2De-register the smart license, if the controller is reporting to a satellite server.Device(config)# license smart deregister
- Step 3 Enable Specified License Reservation in the controller.
  Device(config)# license smart reservation
- **Step 4** Verify the license reservation status on your controller using the following command:

Device# show license reservation

License reservation: ENABLED

```
Overall status:
Active: PID:C9800-CL-K9,SN:9PQFKND9ZR8
Reservation status: NOT INSTALLED
Export-Controlled Functionality: NOT ALLOWED
Standby: PID:C9800-CL-K9,SN:9UD8BBTHL1S
Reservation status: NOT INSTALLED
Export-Controlled Functionality: NOT ALLOWED
```

**Step 5** Generate *request code* on your controller using the following command:

Device(config) # license smart reservation request all

Request code for active : CG-ZC9800-CL-K9:9PQFKND9ZR8-BjSeUVwmn-8E Request code for standby : CG-ZC9800-CL-K9:9PQFKND9ZR8-BjSeUVwmn-8E

Option all will generate the request code for both active and stand-by, if the controller is in HA pair.

Option *local* will generate the request code for active or standalone controller.

- **Step 6** Generate *authorization code*, using the *request code*, for each controller separately in CSSM and install both the codes in the controller. You can install the *authorization code* of standby controller thorough active controller.
  - a) Go to CSSM and navigate to your Smart Account and Virtual Account: https://software.cisco.com/software/csws/ws/platform/home#SmartLicensing-Inventory

c) Click License Reservation button and enter the request code obtained from the previous step in to the Reservation Request Code field.
d) Click Next.
e) In the Select Licenses tab, select the Reserve a specific license radio button and enter the number of licenses required to reserve in the Reserve text box.
f) Click Next.
e) In the Project of Confirmentation of the select has a specific license text of the select has a specific license text box.

b) Click Licenses tab.

- g) In the **Review and Confirm** tab, check the quantity and license type, and click **Generate Authorization Code** button.
- h) From the Authorization Code tab, select Download as File option to download the authorization code.

**Note** Repeat **Step b** to **Step h** to generate *authorization code* for the standby controller.

**Step 7** Upload the *authorization code* file to the controller bootflash: directory.

```
Device# copy ftp://<ip-address>authorization-code.txt bootflash:
Destination filename [authorization-code.txt]
```

**Step 8** Install the *authorization code* file in the controller using the following command.

Device# license smart reservation install file authorization-code.txt

- **Note** Use the same command to install the *authorization code* for stand-by controller also using active controller in case of HA.
- **Step 9** Verify the license summary after installing the *authorization code* on your controller using the following command:

Device# show license summary

### **Enabling Smart Software Licensing**

Step 1	Navigate to the Cisco Software Central web page using the following link:
	https://software.cisco.com/#
	The Cisco Software Central page is displayed.
Step 2	From the License tab, click Smart Software Licensing.
	The Smart Software Licensing page is displayed.
Step 3	Click the <b>Inventory</b> tab to view <b>Virtual Account: Accounting</b> page details.
Step 4	Click New Token to register the product instances to this virtual account.
	The Create Registration Token page is displayed.
Step 5	In the <b>Description</b> field, enter a description for the ID token.

**Step 6** Check the **Allow export-controlled functionality on the products registered with this token** checkbox to enable export-controlled functionality.

#### Step 7 Click Create Token.

**Note** Licenses cannot be purchased with the wireless controller. All licenses can be purchased with access points.

### **Registering for Smart License (Connected Mode)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	Copy the token generated in <i>Enabling Smart</i> Software Licensing.	
Step 2	On Catalyst ME, use this token to register to Smart License.	
Step 3	<pre>license smart register idtoken token Example: Device(config)# license smart register idtoken CB-ZL-AIR-9500C-K9:9J4FVHMBXCO-BjSeUVwmn-D8</pre>	Registers for Smart License using the token number.
Step 4	<pre>license smart register idtoken token [force] Example: Device(config)# license smart register CB-ZL-AIR-9500C-K9:9J4FVHMBXCO-BjSeUVwmn-D8 force</pre>	Enables registering for Smart License with force if normal registering does not take place.
Step 5	<pre>license smart deregister Example: Device(config) # license smart deregister</pre>	De-registers the smart license.

#### Procedure

### **Enabling Smart License Reservation**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	license smart reservation	Enables Smart License Reservation on ME.
		Request code is generated.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	Navigate to the Cisco Software Central web	https://software.cisco.com/#
	page using the following link:	The Cisco Software Central page is displayed.
Step 3	From the <b>License</b> tab, click <b>Smart Software</b> <b>Licensing</b> .	The Smart Software Licensing page is displayed.
Step 4	Click the <b>Inventory</b> tab and then click <b>Licenses</b> > <b>License Reservation</b> .	Follow steps 1-4 to Enter Request Code, Select Licenses, Review and Confirm, and to generate an Authorization Code.
Step 5	After generating the Authorization Code, Click <b>Download as File</b> option to save to AuthorizationCode.txt.	The Authorization Code is saved as a text file.
Step 6	On Catalyast ME, copy the authorization file to flash (/bootflash/AutorizationCode.txt).	
Step 7	license smart reservation install file filename	
	Example:	Authorization Code file
	Device(config)# license smart reservation install file AuthorizationCode.txt	
Step 8	license smart reservation return	Returns the reserved licenses.
Step 9	no license smart reservation	Exits from the SLR mode.

## **Enabling Smart Call Home Reporting**

Procedure

 Step 1
 configure terminal

 Example:
 Device# configure terminal

 Enters global configuration mode.

 Step 2
 call-home reporting contact-email-addr email-address http-proxy proxy-server port-number

 Example:

 Device(config)# call-home reporting contact-email-addr sample@cisco.com http-proxy 120.20.2.2

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 Enables Call Home reporting.

 • port-number—The valid range is from 1 to 65535.

 Step 3

 end

 Example:

Device(config) # end

Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press **Ctrl-Z** to exit global configuration mode.

For more information on Smart Call Home, see:

https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/switches/lan/smart\_call\_home/book/SCH31\_Ch3.html

## **Configuring AIR License Level (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Administration > Licensing.	
Step 2	Click Change Wireless License Level. The Change Wireless License Level dialog box is displayed.	
Step 3	Select the License Level using the drop-downs.	
Step 4	After changing the <b>New Level</b> values, click <b>Save &amp; Reload</b> (Or) <b>Save without Reload</b> . Alternatively, you can click <b>Reload</b> to reload the device. During this time, you will lose network connectivity to the device. If you wish to continue, click <b>Yes</b> .	
Ston 5	Click rafrach icon to rafrash the device	

**Step 5** Click refresh icon to refresh the device.

### **Configuring AIR License Level (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	license air level {air-network-advantage	Configures AIR license level.
	air-network-essentials}	<ul> <li>air-network-advantage—Is the AIR network advantage license level.</li> <li>air-network-essentials—Is the AIR network essential license level.</li> </ul>
	Example:	
	Device(config)# license air level	
	air-network-advantage	
	Device(config)# license air level air-network-essentials	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config)# end	global configuration mode.

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## **Configuring AIR Network Essentials License Level**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	license air level network-essentials addon air-dna-essentials	Configures AIR network essentials license level.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# license air level network-essentials addon air-dna-essentials	
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

## **Configuring AIR Network Advantage License Level**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	license air level air-network-advantage addon air-dna-advantage	Configures AIR network advantage license level.
	Example: Device(config)# license air level air-network-advantage addon air-dna-advantage	
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

#### **Verifying Smart Licensing Configurations**

To verify the smart licensing status and license usage, use the following command:

```
Device# show license all
Smart Licensing Status
_____
Smart Licensing is ENABLED
Registration:
 Status: REGISTERED
  Smart Account: BU Production Test
 Virtual Account: MEWLC-DE
 Export-Controlled Functionality: Allowed
  Initial Registration: SUCCEEDED on Nov 19 15:36:51 2018 UTC
 Last Renewal Attempt: None
 Next Renewal Attempt: May 18 15:36:50 2019 UTC
 Registration Expires: Nov 19 15:31:24 2019 UTC
License Authorization:
  Status: AUTHORIZED on Nov 20 07:46:48 2018 UTC
  Last Communication Attempt: SUCCEEDED on Nov 20 07:46:48 2018 UTC
  Next Communication Attempt: Dec 20 07:46:48 2018 UTC
  Communication Deadline: Feb 18 07:40:49 2019 UTC
Export Authorization Key:
  Features Authorized:
    <none>
Utility:
 Status: DISABLED
Data Privacy:
  Sending Hostname: yes
   Callhome hostname privacy: DISABLED
    Smart Licensing hostname privacy: DISABLED
 Version privacy: DISABLED
Transport:
 Type: Callhome
License Usage
_____
AP Perpetual Networkstack Essentials (DNA NWSTACK E):
 Description: AP Perpetual Network Stack entitled with DNA-E
  Count: 2
  Version: 1.0
 Status: AUTHORIZED
 Export status: NOT RESTRICTED
Product Information
_____
UDI: PID:AIR-AP1900I-B-K9, SN:9ICMGRNU4U0
Agent Version
_____
Smart Agent for Licensing: 4.6.0 rel/2
Component Versions: SA: (1 3 dev)1.0.15, SI: (dev22)1.2.1, CH: (rel5)1.0.3, PK: (dev18)1.0.3
Reservation Info
```

------License reservation: DISABLED

To verify the smart licensing status, use the following command:

Device# **show license status** Smart Licensing is ENABLED

```
Utility:
Status: DISABLED
Data Privacy:
Sending Hostname: yes
Callhome hostname privacy: DISABLED
Smart Licensing hostname privacy: DISABLED
Version privacy: DISABLED
```

Transport: Type: Callhome

Registration: Status: REGISTERED Smart Account: BU Production Test Virtual Account: MEWLC-DE Export-Controlled Functionality: Allowed

Initial Registration: SUCCEEDED on Nov 19 15:36:51 2018 UTC Last Renewal Attempt: None Next Renewal Attempt: May 18 15:36:51 2019 UTC Registration Expires: Nov 19 15:31:25 2019 UTC

```
License Authorization:
Status: AUTHORIZED on Nov 19 16:23:42 2018 UTC
Last Communication Attempt: SUCCEEDED on Nov 19 16:23:42 2018 UTC
Next Communication Attempt: Dec 19 16:23:42 2018 UTC
Communication Deadline: Feb 17 16:18:17 2019 UTC
```

```
Export Authorization Key:
Features Authorized:
<none>
```

To verify the air license level and smart licensing status, use the following command:

```
Device# show version
AIR License Level: AIR DNA Advantage
Next reload AIR license Level: AIR DNA Advantage
Smart Licensing Status: REGISTERED/AUTHORIZED
cisco AIR-AP1900I-B-K9 (VXE) processor (revision VXE) with 322620K bytes of memory.
```



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### **Conversion and Migration in Embedded Wireless Controller Capable APs**

The Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points is not supported on any non-802.11ax (non-11ax) based access points (AP). It is only supported on 802.11ax (11ax) based APs. The embedded wireless controller is the only supported form of Cisco Mobility Express on 11ax based APs.

The conversion enables you to convert the 11ax APs running CAPWAP to embedded wireless controller and vice-versa.

#### **Types of Conversion**

The types of conversion scenarios supported are:

- AP Conversion The following AP conversions are supported:
  - Converting a CAPWAP AP to Embedded Wireless Controller This conversion is required when you have an AP with a CAPWAP image, and you want to use the AP to deploy a embedded wireless controller based network. In order to do this, you must convert the CAPWAP AP to a embedded wireless controller.
  - Converting an Embedded Wireless Controller AP to a CAPWAP AP This conversion is required if you want to migrate the APs from an embedded wireless controller network to a non-embedded wireless controller network; or if you do not want the APs to participate in the primary AP election process.
- Network Conversion

SKU Conversion

### **Access Point Conversion**

This section gives the details of converting a CAPWAP access point to anembedded wireless controller.

#### **Converting a CAPWAP AP to an Embedded Wireless Controller Capable AP**



**Note** Before converting from CAPWAP to embedded wireless controller (EWC), ensure that you upgrade the corresponding AP with the CAPWAP image in Cisco AireOS Release 8.10.105.0. If this upgrade is not performed, the conversion will fail.

To convert an 802.11ax AP with a CAPWAP image to an embedded wireless controller capable image, either download the controller image based on the automated image download process, use the conversion command, or convert through the WebUI.

Note

When the AP is embedded wireless controller capable, the AP can participate in the primary AP election process. Only if the AP is elected as a primary, can it perform the controller functionality.

#### **Converting an Embedded Wireless Controller Capable AP to a CAPWAP AP**

To convert an 802.11ax AP from the embedded wireless controller network to a non-embedded wireless controller network, set the AP type to CAPWAP using the conversion command or the WebUI, respectively, and then plug it on to the controller network so that it joins the controller. If the image on the controller is different from the image on the AP, a new CAPWAP image is requested from the controller.

## Converting a Single AP to CAPWAP or Embedded Wireless Controller Capable AP (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	>enable	
Step 2	wireless ewc ap ap-type <i>ap-name</i> { capwap   ewc }	Changes the AP to CAPWAP type or to the embedded controller type.
	Example:	

Command or Action	Purpose
Device#wireless ewc-ap ap ap-type <i>ap-name</i> capwap	

#### Example

wireless ewc-ap ap ap-type ap-name {capwap | ewc}

#### **AP Conversion Deployment Scenarios**

1. Standalone 802.11ax CAPWAP AP to start an embedded wireless controller network:

802.11ax AP	Embedded Wireless Controller Capable APs	Use-Case	Automatic Conversion
Standalone 802.11ax CAPWAP AP	Network does not exist.	To use a the standalone 802.11ax CAPWAP AP as the first AP for setting up the embedded wireless controller network.	Automatic conversion is not possible. You must download both the controller and the AP image using the supported image transfer protocols with AP command: ap-type {capwap   ewc-ap} [ <sftp tftp="">://<serven ip&gt;/<ap imagepath=""> <sftp tftp="">://<serven ip&gt; Controller ImagePath&gt;]</serven </sftp></ap></serven </sftp>

2. Non-802.11ax CAPWAP AP joining an existing embedded wireless controller network:

CAPWAP AP	Embedded Wireless Controller Capable APs	Use-Case	Automatic Conversion
CAPWAP AP - Neither AireOS-Mobility Express capable, or, embedded wireless controller capable AP, or, AireOS-Mobility Express capable Wave 2 APs.	Existing network	To bring in a CAPWAP AP which is not embedded wireless controller capable, into an existing embedded wireless controller network, to add one more AP to the existing network.	Yes, automatic conversion is possible. This is automatically taken care through the AP Join image download process.

3. 802.11ax AP joining an existing embedded wireless controller network:

Embedded Wireless Controller Capable AP	Embedded Wireless Controller Network	Use-Case	Automatic Conversion
802.11ax AireOS-CAPWAP AP or 802.11ax Catalyst CAPWAP AP or 802.11ax embedded wireless controller capable AP	Existing network	To bring in an 802.11ax AP from an AireOS-CAPWAP network, or, a CAPWAP network, or, from another embedded wireless controller network into an existing embedded wireless controller network, to add one more AP to the existing network.	Yes, automatic conversion takes place. This is automatically taken care through the AP Join image download process. If the AP type is explicitly set to CAPWAP, then the AP continues to act as a CAPWAP AP unless it is converted back again to embedded wireless controller AP using the AP command, Controller command, or the WebUI. The following command is used for conversion as well as AP image download: ap-type {capwap   ewc-ap} [ <sftp tftp="">://<server ip&gt;/<ap imagepath=""> <sftp tftp="">://<server ip&gt;Controller ImagePath&gt;] The following command is used to convert a specific AP to CAPWAP or embedded wireless controller: wireless ewc-ap ap ap-type ap-name {capwap   ewc-ap} ewc-ap}</server </sftp></ap></server </sftp>

4. 802.11ax embedded wireless controller AP joining an AireOS CAPWAP network or a CAPWAP network:

802.11 AX Embedded Wireless Controller Capable AP	Embedded Wireless Controller Network	Use-Case	Automatic Conversion
802.11ax AP which was earlier an embedded wireless controller AP	Existing network	To bring an existing 802.11ax embedded wireless controller AP and add it to the CAPWAP network or the AireOS-CAPWAP network to add one more AP to the existing network.	It is recommended to convert the AP to CAPWAP type before bringing it to the CAPWAP network. This conversion can be done manually by using the AP command, the Controller command, Controller WebUI, or by using the DHCP option. After conversion, the normal image download process should be followed.
			<pre>ap-type {capwap   ewc-ap} [<sftp tftp="">://<server ip&gt;/<ap imagepath=""> <sftp tftp="">://<server ip&gt;Controller ImagePath&gt;] wireless ewc-ap ap ap-type ap-name {capwap   ewc-ap}</server </sftp></ap></server </sftp></pre>

### **Network Conversion**

This section describes network conversion thorugh the conversion command and the network conversion deployment scenarios.

#### **Converting the Network (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	>enable	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	Wireless ewc-ap ap capwap primary-controller-name {A:B:C:D   X:X:X:X}} Example:	Specifies the wireless controller name and IP address to which all the APs currently connected to the embedded wireless controller network should join.
	Device#wireless ewc-ap ap capwap wlc-name 10.0.0.0	

#### **Network Conversion Deployment Scenarios**

1. Converting an existing centralized CAPWAP network or AireOS CAPWAP network to the embedded wireless controller network

Existing Network	Embedded Wireless Controller Network	Use-Case	Automatic Conversion
CAPWAP Network: Centralized CAPWAP network or AireOS-CAPWAP network with at least one 802.11ax AP.	Network does not exist.	To convert the existing centralized CAPWAP network or the AireOS-CAPWAP network to theembedded wireless controller network.	No, automatic conversion does not take place. You need to pick one 802.11ax AP to download both the controller and AP image using the supported image transfer protocols with the AP command. ap-type {capwap   ewc-ap} <sftp tftp="">://<server ip&gt;/<ap imagepath=""> <sftp tftp="">://<server ip&gt; Controller ImagePath&gt;]</server </sftp></ap></server </sftp>

2. Converting an existing embedded wireless controller network to an AireOS CAPWAP network or to a centralized CAPWAP network

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Existing Network	Embedded Wireless Controller Network	Use-Case	Automatic Conversion
Embedded wireless controller network with many APs.	Existing network	To convert the existing embedded wireless controller network to an AireOS-CAPWAP network or to a centralized CAPWAP network.	No automatic conversion. You must convert all the APs or one AP at a time using the controller command to specify the IP address of the controller to which the AP has to join. You can also use the WebUI to convert the selected APs or all the APs by specifying the IP address of the controller to which the AP has to join.

### **SKU Conversion Scenarios**

1. 802.11ax Embedded Wireless Controller SKU instead of CAPWAP SKU

SKU	Network	Use-Case	Automatic Conversion
802.11ax embedded wireless controller SKU instead of CAPWAP SKU	Network does not exist.	For an order placed for 802.11ax embedded wireless controller SKU instead of CAPWAP SKU, it should be converted to CAPWAP SKU.	No automatic conversion available. You can use <b>DHCP</b> <b>option 43</b> to point to the Catalyst 9800 controller so that the APs join the Catalyst 9800 controller as a CAPWAP AP.

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SKU	Network	Use-Case	Automatic Conversion
802.11ax CAPWAP SKU instead of the embedded wireless controller SKU.	Network does not exist.	For an order placed for the 802.11ax CAPWAP SKU instead of the embedded wireless controller SKU and now would like to convert it to embedded wireless controller SKU.	No automatic conversion available. You should pick one 802.11ax AP to download both the controller and AP image using the supported image transfer protocols with AP command.ap-type ewc-ap <sftp tftp="">://<server ip&gt;/<ap imagepath=""> <sftp tftp="">://<server ip&gt; Controller ImagePath&gt;</server </sftp></ap></server </sftp>

### **Converting AireOS Mobility Express Network to Embedded** Wireless Controller Network

Step 1	Remove the <b>Next Preferred Master</b> configuration from the existing AireOS Mobility Express network and save the configuration.
Step 2	Power down all the APs in the AireOS Mobility Express network including the primary AP.
Step 3	Power-on the 11 AX AP with the embedded wireless controller SKU so that it launches the controller.
Step 4	Provision the 11 AX AP with the required configuration (if the box is in Day-0, provision the mandatory configuration to get to Day-1).
Step 5	Copy, Translate, and Apply all the AireOS Mobility Express configurations to the 11 AX embedded wireless controller AP, add image download configuration.
Step 6	Power-on all the APs in the AireOS Mobility Express network. All the APs from the earlier AireOS Mobility Express network will join as regular APs in the embedded wireless controller network.



### **Best Practices**

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### Introduction

This chapter covers the best practices recommended for configuring a typical Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series wireless infrastructure. The objective is to provide common settings that you can apply to most wireless network implementations. However, not all networks are the same. Therefore, some of the tips might not be applicable to your installation. Always verify them before you perform any changes on a live network.

For more information, see Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Configuration Best Practices guide.



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### **Information About Country Codes**

Controllers and access points are designed for use in many countries with varying regulatory requirements. The radios within the access points are assigned to a specific regulatory domain at the factory (such as -E for Europe), but the country code enables you to specify a particular country of operation within that regulatory domain (such as FR for France or ES for Spain). Configuring a country code ensures that each radio's broadcast frequency bands, interfaces, channels, and transmit power levels are compliant with country-specific regulations.

#### Information About Japanese Country Codes

Country codes define the channels that can be used legally in each country. These country codes are available for Japan:

- JP: Allows only -J radios to join the controller
- J2: Allows only -P radios to join the controller
- J3: Uses the –U frequencies, but allows –U, –P, and –Q radios to join the controller
- J4: Allows 2.4G JPQU and 5G PQU to join the controller.

See the Channels and Maximum Power Settings for Cisco Aironet Lightweight Access Points document for the list of channels and power levels supported by access points in the Japanese regulatory domains.

### **Prerequisites for Configuring Country Codes**

• Generally, you should configure one country code per device; you configure one code that matches the physical location of the device and its access points. You can configure up to 20 country codes per device. This multiple-country support enables you to manage access points in various countries from a single device.

- When the multiple-country feature is used, all the devices that are going to join the same RF group must be configured with the same set of countries, configured in the same order.
- Access points are capable of using all the available legal frequencies. However, access points are assigned to the frequencies that are supported in their relevant domains.
- The country list configured on the RF group leader determines which channels the members will operate on. This list is independent of which countries have been configured on the RF group members.
- For devices in the Japan regulatory domain, you must have at least one access point with a -J regulatory domain joined to your device.
- You cannot delete any country code using the configuration command wireless country country-code if the specified country was configured using the **ap country list** command and vice-versa.

### **Configuring Country Codes (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless > Access Points > Country.	
Step 2	On the <b>Country</b> page, select the check box for each country where your access points are installed. If you selected more than one check box, a message is displayed indicating that RRM channels and power levels are limited to common channels and power levels.	
Step 3	Click Apply.	

### **How to Configure Country Codes**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	show wireless country supported	Displays a list of all the available country
	Example:	codes.
	Device# show wireless country supported	
Step 3	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	ap dot11 24ghz shutdown	Disables the 802.11b/g network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz shutdown	
Step 5	ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	Disables the 802.11a network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	
Step 6	ap country country_code	
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap country IN	
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Device(config)# end	giotal configuration mode.
Step 8	show wireless country channels	Displays the list of available channels for the
	Example:	country codes configured on your device.
	Device# show wireless country channels	<b>Note</b> Perform Steps 9 through 17 only if you have configured multiple country codes in Step 6.
Step 9	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 10	no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	Enables the 802.11a network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# no ap dotl1 5ghz shutdown	
Step 11	no ap dot11 24ghz shutdown	Enables the 802.11b/g network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# no ap dot11 24ghz shutdown	
Step 12	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.
Step 13	ap name cisco-ap shutdown	Disables the access point.
	Example:	<b>Note</b> Ensure that you disable only the
	Device# ap name AP02 shutdown	access point for which you are configuring country codes.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 14	ap name cisco-ap no shutdown	Enables the access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name AP02 no shutdown	

#### **Configuration Examples for Configuring Country Codes**

#### Viewing Channel List for Country Codes

These examples show how to display the list of available channels for the country codes on your device:

Device# show wireless country channels

Configured Country..... US - United States KEY: \* = Channel is legal in this country and may be configured manually. A = Channel is the Auto-RF default in this country. . = Channel is not legal in this country. C = Channel has been configured for use by Auto-RF. x = Channel is available to be configured for use by Auto-RF. (-,-) = (indoor, outdoor) regulatory domain allowed by this country. 802.11bg : Channels 1 1 1 1 1 12345678901234 -----: (-A,-AB) US : A \* \* \* \* A \* \* \* \* A . . . Auto-RF : . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 802.11a 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 • :3 3 3 4 4 4 4 4 5 5 6 6 0 0 0 1 1 2 2 2 3 3 4 4 5 5 6 6 Channels 4 6 8 0 2 4 6 8 2 6 0 4 0 4 8 2 6 0 4 8 2 6 0 9 3 7 1 5 Auto-RF : . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \_\_\_\_\_ 4.9GHz 802.11a : 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 Channels : 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 -----: Auto-RF 

Device# show wireless country configured

Configured Country..... US - United States Configured Country Codes US - United States 802.11a Indoor,Outdoor/ 802.11b Indoor,Outdoor/ 802.11g Indoor,Outdoor



### **AP Priority**

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### **Failover Priority for Access Points**

Each controller has a defined number of communication ports for access points. When multiple controllers with unused access point ports are deployed on the same network and one controller fails, the dropped access points automatically poll for unused controller ports and associate with them.

The following are some guidelines for configuring failover priority for access points:

- You can configure your wireless network so that the backup controller recognizes a join request from a higher-priority access point, and if necessary, disassociates a lower-priority access point as a means to provide an available port.
- Failover priority is not in effect during the regular operation of your wireless network. It takes effect only if there are more associations requests to controller than the avaiable AP capacity on the controller.
- AP priority is checked while connecting to the controller when the controller is in full scale or the primary controller fails, the APs fallback to the secondary controller.
- You can enable failover priority on your network and assign priorities to the individual access points.
- By default, all access points are set to priority level 1, which is the lowest priority level. Therefore, you need to assign a priority level only to those access points that warrant a higher priority.

### **Setting AP Priority (GUI)**

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Wireless** > **Access Points**.
- **Step 2** Click the Access Point.
- **Step 3** In the **Edit AP** dialog box, go to **High Availability** tab.

**Step 4** Choose the priority from the **AP failover priority** drop-down list.

**Step 5** Click **Update and Apply to Device**.

### **Setting AP Priority**



Note

Priority of access points ranges from 1 to 4, with 4 being the highest.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	ap name ap-name priority priority	Specifies the priority of an access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name AP44d3.ca52.48b5 priority 1	
Step 2	show ap config general	Displays common information for all access
	Example:	points.
	Device# show ap config general	
Step 3	show ap name ap-name config general	Displays the configuration of a particular accespoint.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap name AP44d3.ca52.48b5 config general	



### **Rogue per AP**

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### **Rogue per AP**

Rogue detection is configured per AP or for a group of APs. The rogue AP detection is configured under the AP profile. The rogue AP detection configuration enabled by default and is part of the default AP profile.

The following commands are deprecated from this release:

- wireless wps rogue detection enable
- wireless wps rogue detection report-interval interval
- wireless wps rogue detection min-rssi rssi
- wireless wps rogue detection min-transient-time transtime
- wireless wps rogue detection containment flex-connect
- wireless wps rogue detection containment auto-rate

#### **Enabling Rogue Detection**

The following are the high-level steps to enable rogue detection:

- Configure an AP Profile
- Define a Wireless Site Tag and Assign the AP Profile
- · Associate the Wireless Site Tag to an AP



Note

The controller may not report the original min-rssi value due to conversions made by the AP and the controller. Hence, the reported min-rssi may be different from the original value.

### **Enabling Rogue Detection**

#### **Configuring an AP Profile (GUI)**

#### Before you begin

The default AP join profile values will have the global AP parameters and the AP group parameters. The AP join profile contains attributes that are specific to AP, such as CAPWAP, IPv4/IPv6, UDP Lite, High Availability, retransmit configuration parameters, global AP failover, Hyperlocation configuration parameters, Telnet/SSH, 11u parameters, and so on.

#### Procedure

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Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > AP Join.
Step 2	On the <b>AP Join Profile</b> page, click <b>Add</b> .
	The Add AP Join Profile page is displayed.
Step 3	In the <b>General</b> tab, enter a name and description for the AP join profile. The name can be ASCII characters from 32 to 126, without leading and trailing spaces.
Step 4	Check the <b>LED State</b> check box to set the LED state of all APs connected to the device to blink so that the APs are easily located.
Step 5	In the <b>Client</b> tab and <b>Statistics Timer</b> section, enter the time in seconds that the AP sends its 802.11 statistics to the controller.
Step 6	In the <b>TCP MSS Configuration</b> section, check the <b>Adjust MSS Enable</b> check box to enter value for Adjust MSS. You can enter or update the maximum segment size (MSS) for transient packets that traverse a router. TCP MSS adjustment enables the configuration of the maximum segment size (MSS) for transient packets that traverse a router, specifically TCP segments with the SYN bit set.
	In a CAPWAP environment, a lightweight access point discovers a device by using CAPWAP discovery mechanisms, and then sends a CAPWAP join request to the device. The device sends a CAPWAP join response to the access point that allows the access point to join the device.
	When the access point joins the device, the device manages its configuration, firmware, control transactions, and data transactions.
Step 7	In the <b>AP</b> tab, you can configure the following:
	• General
	<ul> <li>a) In the General tab, check the Switch Flag check box to enable switches.</li> <li>b) Check the Power Injector State check box if power injector is being used. Power Injector increases wireless LAN deployment flexibility of APs by providing an alternative powering option to local power, inline power-capable multiport switches, and multiport power patch panels.</li> </ul>
	Power Injector Selection parameter enables you to protect your switch port from an accidental overload

Power Injector Selection parameter enables you to protect your switch port from an accidental overload if the power injector is inadvertently bypassed.

c) From the **Power Injector Type** drop-down list, choose power injector type from the following options:

• Installed—This option examines and remembers the MAC address of the currently connected switch port and assumes that a power injector is connected. Choose this option if your network contains older Cisco 6-Watt switches and you want to avoid possible overloads by forcing a double-check of any relocated access points.

If you want to configure the switch MAC address, enter the MAC address in the Injector Switch MAC Address text box. If you want the access point to find the switch MAC address, leave the Injector Switch MAC Address text box blank.

- **Note** Each time an access point is relocated, the MAC address of the new switch port fails to match the remembered MAC address, and the access point remains in low-power mode. You must then physically verify the existence of a power injector and reselect this option to cause the new MAC address to be remembered.
- Override—This option allows the access point to operate in high-power mode without first verifying a matching MAC address. You can use this option if your network does not contain any older Cisco 6-W switches that could be overloaded if connected directly to a 12-W access point. The advantage of this option is that if you relocate the access point, it continues to operate in high-power mode without any further configuration. The disadvantage of this option is that if the access point is connected directly to a 6-W switch, an overload occurs.
- d) In the **Injector Switch MAC** field, enter the MAC address of the switch.
- e) From the **EAP Type** drop-down list, choose the EAP type as *EAP-FAST*, *EAP-TLS*, or *EAP-PEAP*.
- f) From the **AP Authorization Type** drop-down list, choose the type as either *CAPWAP DTLS* + or *CAPWAP DTLS*.
- g) In the **Client Statistics Reporting Interval** section, enter the interval for 5 GHz and 2.4 GHz radios in seconds.
- h) Check the Enable check box to enable extended module.
- i) From the **Profile Name** drop-down list, choose a profile name.
- j) Click Save & Apply to Device.
  - Hyperlocation: Cisco Hyperlocation is a location solution that allows to track the location of wireless clients with the accuracy of one meter. Selecting this option disables all other fields in the screen, except NTP Server.
- a) In the Hyperlocation tab, check the Enable Hyperlocation check box.
- b) Enter the Detection Threshold value to filter out packets with low RSSI. The valid range is -100 dBm to -50 dBm.
- c) Enter the **Trigger Threshold** value to set the number of scan cycles before sending a BAR to clients. The valid range is 0 to 99.
- d) Enter the **Reset Threshold** value to reset value in scan cycles after trigger. The valid range is 0 to 99.
- e) Enter the **NTP Server** IP address.
- f) Click Save & Apply to Device.
  - BLE: If your APs are Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE) enabled, they can transmit beacon messages that are packets of data or attributes transmitted over a low energy link. These BLE beacons are frequently used for health monitoring, proximity detection, asset tracking, and in-store navigation. For each AP, you can customize BLE Beacon settings configured globally for all APs.
- a) In the **BLE** tab, enter a value in the **Beacon Interval** field to indicate how often you want your APs to send out beacon advertisements to nearby devices. The range is from 1 to 10, with a default of 1.

- b) In the **Advertised Attenuation Level** field, enter the attenuation level. The range is from 40 to 100, with a default of 59.
- c) Click Save & Apply to Device.
  - Packet Capture: Packet Capture feature allows to capture the packets on the AP for the wireless client troubleshooting. The packet capture operation is performed on the AP by the radio drivers on the current channel on which it is operational, based on the specified packet capture filter.
- a) In the **Packet Capture** tab, choose an **AP Packet Capture Profile** from the drop-down list.
- b) You can also create a new profile by clicking the + sign.
- c) Enter a name and description for the AP packet capture profile.
- d) Enter the **Buffer Size**.
- e) Enter the **Duration**.
- f) Enter the **Truncate Length** information.
- g) In the Server IP field, enter the IP address of the TFTP server.
- h) In the File Path field, enter the directory path.
- i) Enter the username and password details.
- j) From the Password Type drop-down list, choose the type.
- k) In the **Packet Classifiers** section, use the option to select or enter the packets to be captured.
- 1) Click Save.
- m) Click Save & Apply to Device.
- **Step 8** In the **Management** tab, you can configure the following:

Device

- a) In the **Device** tab, enter the **IPv4/IPv6** Address of the TFTP server, **TFTP Downgrade** section.
- b) In the Image File Name field, enter the name of the software image file.
- c) From the Facility Value drop-down list, choose the appropriate facility.
- d) Enter the IPv4 or IPv6 address of the host.
- e) Choose the appropriate Log Trap Value.
- f) Enable Telnet and/or SSH configuration, if required.
- g) Enable core dump, if required.
- h) Click Save & Apply to Device.

• User

- a) In the **User** tab, enter username and password details.
- b) Choose the appropriate password type.
- c) In the **Secret** field, enter a custom secret code.
- d) Choose the appropriate secret type.
- e) Choose the appropriate encryption type.
- f) Click Save & Apply to Device.

Credentials

- a) In the Credentials tab, enter local username and password details.
- b) Choose the appropriate local password type.
- c) Enter 802.1x username and password details.
- d) Choose the appropriate 802.1x password type.

	e) Enter the time in seconds after which the session should expire.
	f) Enable local credentials and/or 802.1x credentials as required.
	g) Click Save & Apply to Device.
	a) In the <b>CDP Interface</b> tab, enable the CDP state, if required.
	b) Click Save & Apply to Device.
Step 9	In the Rogue AP tab, check the Rogue Detection check box to enable rogue detection.
Step 10	In the Rogue Detection Minimum RSSI field, enter the RSSI value.
	This field specifies the minimum RSSI value for which a Rogue AP should be reported. All Rogue APs with RSSI lower than what is configured will not be reported to controller.
Step 11	In the Rogue Detection Transient Interval field, enter the transient interval value.
	This field indicates how long the Rogue AP should be seen before reporting the controller.
Step 12	In the Rogue Detection Report Interval field, enter the report interval value.
	This field indicates the frequency (in seconds) of Rogue reports sent from AP to controller.
Step 13	Check the <b>Rogue Containment Automatic Rate Selection</b> check box to enable rogue containment automatic rate selection.
	Here, the AP selects the best rate for the target Rogue, based on its RSSI.
Step 14	Check the Auto Containment on FlexConnect Standalone check box to enable the feature.
	Here, the AP will continue containment in case it moves to flexconnect standalone mode.
Step 15	Click Save & Apply to Device.

#### **Configure an AP Profile**

Follow the procedure given below to configure an AP profile:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap profile ap-profile	Configures an AP profile and enters the ap
	Example:	profile configuration mode.
	Device(config)# ap profile xyz-ap-profile	
Step 3	description ap-profile-name	Adds a description for the ap profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ap-profile)# description "xyz ap profile"	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	rogue detection enable	Enables rogue detection for individual access
	Example:	points.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# rogue detection enable	Rogue detection is enabled by default. Use this command if rogue detection is disabled.
Step 5	rogue detection report-interval interval	Specifies the time interval, in seconds, at which
	Example:	APs should send the rogue detection report to the embedded controller.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# rogue detection report-interval 12	The default value for <i>interval</i> is 10.
Step 6	rogue detection min-rssi rssi	Specifies the minimum RSSI value that rogues
	Example:	should have for APs to detect them.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# rogue detection min-rssi -128	The minimum RSSI value is –128.
Step 7	rogue detection min-transient-time transtime	
	Example:	to be consistently scanned for by APs after the first time the rogues are scanned.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# rogue	The lowest value for minimum transient time
	detection min-transient-time 120	is 0.
Step 8	rogue detection containment flex-connect	Sets the auto containment options for standalone
	Example:	FlexConnect access points.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# rogue detection containment flex-connect	By default, this option is disabled.
Step 9	rogue detection containment auto-rate	Sets the auto rate for containment of rogues.
	Example:	By default, auto-rate is disabled.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# rogue detection containment auto-rate	

### Define a Wireless Site Tag and Assign an AP Profile (GUI)

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags.	
Step 2	On the Tags page, click the Site tab and click Add.	
Step 3	In the Add Site Tag window, enter the name in the name field.	
Step 4	Choose the AP profile from the AP Join Profile drop-down list.	
Step 5	Click Save & Apply to Device.	
Step 5	Click Save & Apply to Device.	

#### Define a Wireless Site Tag and Assign an AP Profile (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless tag sitesite-tag	Enters the wireless site tag configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless tag site default-site-tag</pre>	
Step 3	ap-profile ap-profile	Assigns an AP profile to the wireless site.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-site-tag)# ap-profile xyz-ap-profile</pre>	
Step 4	exit	Returns to the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-site-tag)# exit	

#### Associating Wireless Tag to an AP (GUI)

#### Procedure

	Thoose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Tags &amp; Profiles</b> > <b>Tags</b> . The tab to configure the following:
	• Tag Source
	• Static
	• Filter
Ir	n the Static tab, click Add to perform the following:
a)	) Enter a MAC address.
b)	) Choose the appropriate <b>Policy Tag Name</b> , <b>Site Tag Name</b> , and <b>RF Tag Name</b> .
c)	) Click Save & Apply to Device.
Ir	the Filter tab, click Add to perform the following:
a) b)	) Enter a rule and AP name.
	) Use the slider to enable Active.
c)	) Enter the priority. The valid range is from 0 to 127.
d	) Choose the appropriate Policy Tag Name, Site Tag Name, and RF Tag Name.

e) Click Save & Apply to Device.

#### Associate Wireless Tag to an AP (CLI)

Follw the procedure given below to apply the rogue configuration defined under ap profile to the AP.

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Note

If the AP is not explicitly associated to a non-default site tag, it will be associated to default-site-tag and resultantly the default-ap-profile rogue configuration will be used.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap mac-address	Configures Cisco APs and enters the ap
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device(config)# ap F866.F267.7DFB	
Step 3	site-tag site-tag-name	Maps a wireless site tag to the AP.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-ap-tag)# site-tag sitetag1</pre>	



### **802.11 Parameters for Cisco Access Points**

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#### 2.4-GHz Radio Support

#### **Configuring 2.4-GHz Radio Support for the Specified Slot Number**

#### Before you begin



Note

The term 802.11b radio or 2.4-GHz radio will be used interchangeably.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	ap name ap-name dot11 24ghz slot 0 SI	Enables Spectrum Intelligence (SI) for the
	Example:	dedicated 2.4-GHz radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point. For more information,
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 24ghz slot 0 SI	

	Command or Action	Purpose
		Here, <b>0</b> refers to the Slot ID.
Step 3	ap name ap-name dot11 24ghz slot 0 antenna {ext-ant-gain antenna_gain_value   selection [internal   external]} Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 24ghz slot 0 antenna selection internal	<ul> <li>Configures 802.11b antenna hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.</li> <li>ext-ant-gain: Configures the 802.11b external antenna gain. <i>antenna_gain_value</i>- Refers to the external antenna gain value in multiples of .5 dBi units. The valid range is from 0 to 4294967295.</li> <li>selection: Configures the 802.11b antenna selection (internal or external).</li> </ul>
Step 4	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 24ghz slot 0 beamforming	Configures beamforming for the 2.4-GHz radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 24ghz slot 0 beamforming	
Step 5	ap name ap-name dot11 24ghz slot 0 channel       {channel_number   auto}	Configures advanced 802.11 channel assignment parameters for the 2.4-GHz radio
	Example:	hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 24ghz slot 0 channel auto	
Step 6	ap name ap-name dot11 24ghz slot 0 cleanair	
	Example:	slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 24ghz slot 0 cleanair	
Step 7	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 24ghz slot 0 dot11n antenna {A   B   C   D}	Configures 802.11n antenna for 2.4-GHz radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example:	Here,
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 24ghz slot 0 dot11n antenna A	A: Is the antenna port A.
	Side & doctin difering A	<b>B</b> : Is the antenna port B.
		<b>C</b> : Is the antenna port C.
		<b>D</b> : Is the antenna port D.
Step 8	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 24ghz slot 0 shutdown	Disables 802.11b radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 24ghz slot 0 shutdown	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 9	ap name ap-name dot11 24ghz slot 0 txpower{tx_power_level   auto}	Configures transmit power level for 802.11b radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 24ghz slot 0 txpower auto	<ul> <li><i>tx_power_level</i>: Is the transmit power level in dBm. The valid range is from 1 to 8.</li> <li><b>auto</b>: Enables auto-RF.</li> </ul>

### **5-GHz Radio Support**

#### **Configuring 5-GHz Radio Support for the Specified Slot Number**

#### Before you begin

Note

The term 802.11a radio or 5-GHz radio will be used interchangeably in this document.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	ap name ap-name dot11 5ghz slot 1 SI	Enables Spectrum Intelligence (SI) for the
	Example:	dedicated 5-GHz radio hosted on slot 1 for a specific access point.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 SI	Here, <b>1</b> refers to the Slot ID.
Step 3	ap name ap-name dot11 5ghz slot 1 antenna           ext-ant-gain antenna_gain_value	Configures external antenna gain for 802.11a radios for a specific access point hosted on slot
	Example:	1.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 antenna ext-ant-gain	antenna_gain_value—Refers to the external antenna gain value in multiples of .5 dBi units. The valid range is from 0 to 4294967295.
Step 4	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 5ghz slot 1 antenna mode [omni   sectorA   sectorB]	radios for a specific access point hosted on slot
	Example:	1.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 antenna mode sectorA	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 5ghz slot 1 antenna selection [internal   external]	Configures the antenna selection for 802.11a radios for a specific access point hosted on slo
	Example:	1.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 antenna selection internal	
Step 6	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 5ghz slot 1 beamforming	Configures beamforming for the 5-GHz radio hosted on slot 1 for a specific access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 beamforming	
Step 7	ap name ap-name dot11 5ghz slot 1 channel {channel_number   auto   width [20   40   80   160]}	Configures advanced 802.11 channel assignment parameters for the 5-GHz radio hosted on slot 1 for a specific access point.
	Example:	Here,
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 channel auto	<i>channel_number</i> - Refers to the channel number. The valid range is from 1 to 173.
Step 8	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 5ghz slot 1 cleanair	Enables CleanAir for 802.11a radio hosted or
	Example:	slot 1 for a given or specific access point.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 cleanair	
Step 9	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 5ghz slot 1 dot11n antenna {A   B   C   D}	Configures 802.11n for 5-GHz radio hosted on slot 1 for a specific access point.
	Example:	Here,
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 dot11n antenna A	<b>A</b> - Is the antenna port A.
		<b>B-</b> Is the antenna port B.
		<b>C</b> - Is the antenna port C.
		<b>D</b> - Is the antenna port D.
Step 10	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 5ghz slot 1 rrm channel <i>channel</i>	Is another way of changing the channel hosted on slot 1 for a specific access point.
	Example:	Here,
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 rrm channel 2	<i>channel</i> - Refers to the new channel created using 802.11h channel announcement. The valid range is from 1 to 173, provided 173 is a valid channel in the country where the access point is deployed.
Step 11	ap name ap-name dot11 5ghz slot 1 shutdown	Disables 802.11a radio hosted on slot 1 for a specific access point.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 shutdown	
Step 12	ap name ap-name dot11 5ghz slot 1 txpower       {tx_power_level   auto}	Configures 802.11a radio hosted on slot 1 for a specific access point.
	Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 5ghz slot 1 txpower auto	<ul> <li><i>tx_power_level-</i> Is the transmit power level in dBm. The valid range is from 1 to 8.</li> <li>auto- Enables auto-RF.</li> </ul>

### **Information About Dual-Band Radio Support**

The Dual-Band (XOR) radio in Cisco 2800, 3800, 4800, and the 9120 series AP models offer the ability to serve 2.4–GHz or 5–GHz bands or passively monitor both the bands on the same AP. These APs can be configured to serve clients in 2.4–GHz and 5–GHz bands, or serially scan both 2.4–GHz and 5–GHz bands on the flexible radio while the main 5–GHz radio serves clients.

Cisco APs models up and through the Cisco 9120 APs are designed to support dual 5–GHz band operations with the *i* model supporting a dedicated Macro/Micro architecture and the *e* and *p* models supporting Macro/Macro. The Cisco 9130AXI APs and the Cisco 9136 APs support dual 5-GHz operations as Micro/Messo cell.

When a radio moves between bands (from 2.4-GHz to 5-GHz and vice versa), clients need to be steered to get an optimal distribution across radios. When an AP has two radios in the 5–GHz band, client steering algorithms contained in the Flexible Radio Assignment (FRA) algorithm are used to steer a client between the same band co-resident radios.

The XOR radio support can be steered manually or automatically:

- Manual steering of a band on a radio—The band on the XOR radio can only be changed manually.
- Automatic client and band steering on the radios is managed by the FRA feature that monitors and changes the band configurations as per site requirements.



**Note** RF measurement will not run when a static channel is configured on slot 1. Due to this, the dual band radio slot 0 will move only with 5–GHz radio and not to the monitor mode.

When slot 1 radio is disabled, RF measurement will not run, and the dual band radio slot 0 will be only on 2.4–GHz radio.

### **Configuring Default XOR Radio Support**

#### Before you begin



**Note** The default radio points to the XOR radio hosted on slot 0.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band antenna ext-ant-gain antenna_gain_value	Configures the 802.11 dual-band antenna on a specific Cisco access point.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band antenna ext-ant-gain 2	<i>antenna_gain_value</i> : The valid range is from 0 to 40.
Step 3	ap name ap-name [no] dot11 dual-band shutdown	Shuts down the default dual-band radio on a specific Cisco access point.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band shutdown	Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to enable the radio.
Step 4	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band role manual client-serving	Switchs to client–serving mode on the Cisco access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band role manual client-serving	
Step 5	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band band 24ghz	Switchs to 2.4-GHz radio band.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band band 24ghz	
Step 6	<b>ap name</b> <i>ap-name</i> <b>dot11 dual-band txpower</b> { <i>transmit_power_level</i>   <b>auto</b> }	Configures the transmit power for the radio on a specific Cisco access point.
	Example:	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band txpower 2	Note When an FRA-capable radio (slot 0 on 9120 AP[for instance]) is set to Auto, you cannot configure static channel and Txpower on this radio.
		If you want to configure static channel and Txpower on this radio, you will need to change the radio role to Manual Client-Serving mode.
Step 7	<b>ap name</b> <i>ap-name</i> <b>dot11 dual-band channel</b> <i>channel-number</i>	
	Example:	<i>channel-number</i> —The valid range is from 1 to 173.
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel 2	
Step 8	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel auto	Enables the auto channel assignment for the dual-band.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel auto	
Step 9	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel width {20 MHz   40 MHz   80 MHz   160 MHz}	Chooses the channel width for the dual band.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel width 20 MHz	
Step 10	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band cleanair	
	Example:	dual-band radio.
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band cleanair	
Step 11	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band cleanair band {24 GHz   5 GMHz}	Selects a band for the Cisco CleanAir feature Use the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable
	Example:	the Cisco CleanAir feature.
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band cleanair band 5 GHz	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> [no] dot11 dual-band cleanair band 5 GHz	
Step 12	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band dot11n antenna {A   B   C   D}	Configures the 802.11n dual-band parameters for a specific access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band dot11n antenna A	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 13	show ap name <i>ap-name</i> auto-rf dot11 dual-band	Displays the auto-RF information for the Cisco access point.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap name <i>ap-name</i> auto-rf dot11 dual-band	
Step 14	show ap name <i>ap-name</i> wlan dot11 dual-band	Displays the list of BSSIDs for the Cisco access point.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap name <i>ap-name</i> wlan dot12 dual-band	

### **Configuring XOR Radio Support for the Specified Slot Number** (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1 Step 2	Click <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Wireless</b> > <b>Access Points</b> . In the <b>Dual-Band Radios</b> section, select the AP for which you want to configure dual-band radios.
	The AP name, MAC address, CleanAir capability and slot information for the AP are displayed. If the Hyperlocation method is HALO, the antenna PID and antenna design information are also displayed.
Step 3	Click Configure.
Step 4	In the General tab, set the Admin Status as required.
Step 5	Set the CleanAir Admin Status field to Enable or Disable.
Step 6	Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring XOR Radio Support for the Specified Slot Number**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 2	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 antenna ext-ant-gain	Configures dual-band antenna for the XOR radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point	
	external_antenna_gain_value	external_antenna_gain_value - Is the external	
	Example:	antenna gain value in multiples of .5 dBi unit.	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11	The valid range is from 0 to 40.	
	dual-band slot 0 antenna ext-ant-gain 2		
Step 3	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band slot 0	Configures current band for the XOR radio	
	band {24ghz   5ghz}	hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.	
	Example:		
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 band 24ghz		
Step 4	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band slot 0	Configures dual-band channel for the XOR	
	channel { <i>channel_number</i>   auto   width [160   20   40   80]}	radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point	
		<i>channel_number</i> - The valid range is from 1 to 165.	
	Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11	165.	
	dual-band slot 0 channel 3		
Step 5	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 cleanair band {24Ghz   5Ghz}	Enables CleanAir features for dual-band radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.	
	Example:		
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 cleanair band 24Ghz		
Step 6	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 dot11n antenna {A   B   C   D}	Configures 802.11n dual-band parameters hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.	
	Example:	Here,	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11	A- Enables antenna port A.	
	dual-band slot 0 dotlln antenna A	<b>B</b> - Enables antenna port B.	
		<b>C</b> - Enables antenna port C.	
		<b>D</b> - Enables antenna port D.	
Step 7	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 role {auto   manual [client-serving   monitor]}	Configures dual-band role for the XOR radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.	
	Example:	The following are the dual-band roles:	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 role auto	• <b>auto-</b> Refers to the automatic radio role selection.	
		• manual- Refers to the manual radio role selection.	
Step 8	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 shutdown	Disables dual-band radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 shutdown Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 [no] dot11 dual-band slot 0 shutdown	Use the <b>no</b> form of this command to enable the dual-band radio.	
Step 9	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 txpower { <i>tx_power_level</i>   auto}	Configures dual-band transmit power for XOR radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.	
	Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 txpower 2	<ul> <li><i>tx_power_level-</i> Is the transmit power level in dBm. The valid range is from 1 to 8.</li> <li><b>auto-</b> Enables auto-RF.</li> </ul>	

# **Receiver Only Dual-Band Radio Support**

## **Information About Receiver Only Dual-Band Radio Support**

This feature configures the dual-band Rx-only radio features for an access point with dual-band radios.

This dual-band Rx-only radio is dedicated for Analytics, Hyperlocation, Wireless Security Monitoring, and BLE AoA\*.

This radio will always continue to serve in monitor mode, therefore, you will not be able to make any channel and *tx-rx* configurations on the 3rd radio.

## **Configuring Receiver Only Dual-Band Parameters for Access Points**

#### Enabling CleanAir with Receiver Only Dual-Band Radio on a Cisco Access Point (GUI)

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless > Access Points.
Step 2	In the <b>Dual-Band Radios</b> settings, click the AP for which you want to configure the dual-band radios.
Step 3	In the General tab, enable the CleanAir toggle button.
Step 4	Click Update & Apply to Device.

### Enabling CleanAir with Receiver Only Dual-Band Radio on a Cisco Access Point

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 rx-dual-band slot 2 cleanair band {24Ghz   5Ghz}	Enables CleanAir with receiver only (Rx-only) dual-band radio on a specific access point.
	Example:	Here, 2 refers to the slot ID.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 rx-dual-band slot 2 cleanair band 24Ghz	Use the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable CleanAir.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 [no] dot11 rx-dual-band slot 2 cleanair band 24Ghz	

### **Disabling Receiver Only Dual-Band Radio on a Cisco Access Point (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless > Access Points.
Step 2	In the <b>Dual-Band Radios</b> settings, click the AP for which you want to configure the dual-band radios.
Step 3	In the General tab, disable the CleanAir Status toggle button.
Step 4	Click Update & Apply to Device.

## **Disabling Receiver Only Dual-Band Radio on a Cisco Access Point**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# enable		
Step 2	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 rx-dual-band slot 2 shutdown	Disables receiver only dual-band radio on a specific Cisco access point.	
	Example:	Here, 2 refers to the slot ID.	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 rx-dual-band slot 2 shutdown	Use the <b>no</b> form of this command to enable receiver only dual-band radio.	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 [no] dot11 rx-dual-band slot 2 shutdown		

# **Configuring Client Steering (CLI)**

#### Before you begin

Enable Cisco CleanAir on the corresponding dual-band radio.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	wireless macro-micro steering transition-threshold balancing-window number-of-clients(0-65535)	Configures the micro-macro client load-balancing window for a set number of clients.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless macro-micro steering transition-threshold balancing-window 10	
Step 4	wireless macro-micro steering transition-threshold client count number-of-clients(0-65535)	Configures the macro-micro client parameters for a minimum client count for transition.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless macro-micro steering transition-threshold client count 10	
Step 5	wireless macro-micro steering transition-threshold macro-to-micro RSSI-in-dBm(-128-0)	Configures the macro-to-micro transition RSSI.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless macro-micro steering transition-threshold macro-to-micro -100	
Step 6	wireless macro-micro steering transition-threshold micro-to-macro RSSI-in-dBm(-128-0)	Configures the micro-to-macro transition RSSI.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless macro-micro steering transition-threshold micro-to-macro -110	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 7	wireless macro-micro steering probe-suppression aggressiveness number-of-cycles(-128-0)	Configures the number of probe cycles to b suppressed.	
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# wireless macro-micro steering probe-suppression aggressiveness -110</pre>		
Step 8	wireless macro-micro steering probe-suppression hysteresis RSSI-in-dBm	Configures the macro-to-micro probe in RSSI The range is between $-6$ to $-3$ .	
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# wireless macro-micro</pre>		
	steering probe-suppression hysteresis -5		
Step 9	wireless macro-micro steering probe-suppression probe-only	Enables probe suppression mode.	
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# wireless macro-micro steering probe-suppression probe-only</pre>		
Step 10	wireless macro-micro steering probe-suppression probe-auth	Enables probe and single authentication suppression mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# wireless macro-micro steering probe-suppression probe-auth		
Step 11	show wireless client steering	Displays the wireless client steering information.	
	<b>Example:</b> Device# show wireless client steering		

# **Verifying Cisco Access Points with Dual-Band Radios**

To verify the access points with dual-band radios, use the following command:

Device# show ap dot11 dual-band summary

AP Nam	e Subband Radio	Mac S	tatus	Channel	Power	Level	Slot	ID Mode
4800	All 3890.a5e6.f360	Enabled	(40)*	*1/8	(22 c	dBm)	0	Sensor
4800	All 3890.a5e6.f360	Enabled	N/A	N/A	2			Monitor



# 802.1x Support

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## Introduction to the 802.1X Authentication

IEEE 802.1X port-based authentication is configure on a device to prevent unauthorized devices from gaining access to the network. The device can combine the function of a router, switch, and access point, depending on the fixed configuration. Any device connecting to a switch port where 802.1X authentication is enabled must go through relevant EAP authentication model to start exchanging traffic.

Currently, the Cisco Wave 2 and Wi-Fi 6 (802.11AX) APs support 802.1X authentication with switch port for EAP-FAST, EAP-TLS and EAP-PEAP methods. Now, you can enable configurations and provide credentials to the AP from the embedded controller.

## **EAP-FAST Protocol**

In the EAP-FAST protocol developed by Cisco, in order to establish a secured TLS tunnel with RADIUS, the AP requires a strong shared key (PAC), either provided via in-band provisioning (in a secured channel) or via out-band provisioning (manual).



**Note** The EAP-FAST type configuration requires Dot1x credentials configuration for AP, since AP will use EAP-FAST with MSCHAP Version 2 method.



Note Local EAP is not supported on the Cisco 7925 phones.

## **EAP-TLS/EAP-PEAP Protocol**

The EAP-TLS protocol or EAP-PEAP protocol provides certificate based mutual EAP authentication.

In EAP-TLS, both the server and the client side certificates are required, where the secured shared key is derived for the particular session to encrypt or decrypt data. Whereas, in EAP-PEAP, only the server side certificate is required, where the client authenticates using password based protocol in a secured channel.



Note

The EAP-PEAP type configuration requires Dot1x credentials configuration for AP; and the AP also needs to go through LSC provisioning. AP uses the PEAP protocol with MSCHAP Version 2 method.

# Limitations of the 802.1X Authentication

- 802.1X is not supported on dynamic ports or Ethernet Channel ports.
- 802.1X is not supported in a mesh AP scenario.
- There is no recovery from the embedded controller on credential mismatch or the expiry/invalidity of the certificate on AP. The 802.1X authentication has to be disabled on the switch port to connect the AP back to fix the configurations.
- There are no certificate revocation checks implemented on the certificates installed in AP.
- Only one Locally Significant Certificates (LSC) can be provisioned on the AP and the same certificate must be used for CAPWAP DTLS session establishment with embedded controller and the 802.1X authentication with the switch. If global LSC configuration on the embedded controller is disabled; AP deletes LSC which is already provisioned.
- If clear configurations are applied on the AP, then the AP will lose the 802.1X EAP type configuration and the LSC certificates. AP should again go through staging process if 802.1X is required.
- 802.1X for trunk port APs on multi-host authentication mode is supported. Network Edge Authentication Topology (NEAT) is not supported on COS APs.

## **Topology - Overview**

The 802.1X authentication events are as follows:

- The AP acts as the 802.1X supplicant and is authenticated by the switch against the RADIUS server which supports EAP-FAST along with EAP-TLS and EAP-PEAP. When dot1x authentication is enabled on a switch port, the device connected to it authenticates itself to receive and forward data other than 802.1X traffic.
- 2. In order to authenticate with EAP-FAST method, the AP requires the credentials of the RADIUS server. It can be configured at the embedded controller, from where it will be passed on to the AP via configuration update request. For, EAP-TLS or EAP-PEAP the APs use the certificates (device/ID and CA) made significant by the local CA server.

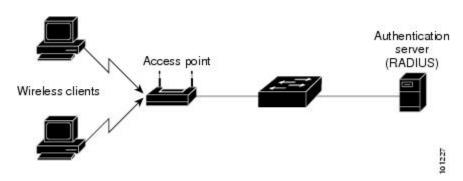


Figure 3: Figure: 1 Topology for 802.1X Authentication

# **Configuring 802.1X Authentication Type and LSC AP Authentication Type (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > AP Join.
On the AP Join Profile page, click Add.
The Add AP Join Profile page is displayed.
In the <b>AP</b> > <b>General</b> tab, navigate to the <b>AP EAP Auth Configuration</b> section.
From the <b>EAP Type</b> drop-down list, choose the EAP type as <i>EAP-FAST</i> , <i>EAP-TLS</i> , or <i>EAP-PEAP</i> to configure the dot1x authentication type.
From the <b>AP Authorization Type</b> drop-down list, choose the type as either CAPWAP DTLS + or CAPWAP DTLS.
Click Save & Apply to Device.

# **Configuring 802.1X Authentication Type and LSC AP Authentication Type**

	Command or Action	Purpose			
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.			
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.			
	Device> enable				

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	configure terminal	Enables privileged EXEC mode.Enters global
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	ap profile <profile-name></profile-name>	Specify a profile name.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# ap profile new-profile</pre>	
Step 4	dot1x {max-sessions   username   eap-type	Configures the dot1x authentication type.
	lsc-ap-auth-state}	max-sessions: Configures the maximum 802.1X
	Example:	sessions initiated per AP.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# dot1x eap-type	<b>username</b> : Configures the 802.1X username for all Aps.
		<b>eap-type:</b> Configures the dot1x authentication type with the switch port.
		<b>lsc-ap-auth-state</b> : Configures the LSC authentication state on the AP.
Step 5	dot1x eap-type {EAP-FAST   EAP-TLS   EAP-PEAP}	Configures the dot1x authentication type: EAP-FAST, EAP-TLS, or EAP-PEAP.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ap-profile)# dot1x eap-type	
Step 6	dot1x lsc-ap-auth-state {CAPWAP-DTLS   Dot1x-port-auth   Both}	Configures the LSC authentication state on the AP.
	<pre>Example: Device (config-ap-profile) #dot1x</pre>	CAPWAP-DTLS: Uses LSC only for CAPWAP DTLS.
	lsc-ap-auth-state Dotlx-port-auth	<b>Dot1x-port-auth</b> : Uses LSC only for dot1x authentication with port.
		<b>Both</b> : Uses LSC for both CAPWAP-DTLS and Dot1x authentication with port.
Step 7	end	Exits the AP profile configuration mode and
	Example:	enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# end	

## **Configuring the 802.1X Username and Password (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1 Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > AP Join.

Step 2	On the <b>AP Join</b> page, click the name of the AP Join profile or click <b>Add</b> to create a new one.
Step 3	Click the Management tab and then click the Credentials tab.
Step 4	Enter the local username and password details.
Step 5	Choose the appropriate local password type.
Step 6	Enter 802.1X username and password details.
Step 7	Choose the appropriate 802.1X password type.
Step 8	Enter the time in seconds after which the session should expire.
Step 9	Enable local credentials and/or 802.1X credentials as required.
Step 10	Click Update & Apply to Device.

## **Configuring the 802.1X Username and Password (CLI)**

The following procedure configures the 802.1X password for all the APs:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enables privileged EXEC mode.Enters global
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	ap profile <profile-name></profile-name>	Specify a profile name.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# ap profile new-profile</pre>	
Step 4	dot1x {max-sessions   username   eap-type	Configures the dot1x authentication type.
	lsc-ap-auth-state}	max-sessions: Configures the maximum 802.1X
	Example:	sessions initiated per AP.
	Device(config-ap-profile)# dot1x eap-type	<b>username</b> : Configures the 802.1X username for all Aps.
		<b>eap-type:</b> Configures the dot1x authentication type with the switch port.
		<b>lsc-ap-auth-state</b> : Configures the LSC authentication state on the AP.
Step 5	dot1x username <username> password {0  </username>	Configures the dot1x password for all the APs.
	8} <password></password>	0: Specifies an unencrypted password will
	Example:	follow.

Command or Action	Purpose
Device(config-ap-profile)#dot1x username username password 0 password	8: Specifies an AES encrypted password will follow.

# **Enabling 802.1X on the Switch Port**

The following procedure enables 802.1X on the switch port:

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.	
	Device> enable		
Step 2	configure terminal	Enables privileged EXEC mode.Enters global	
	Example:	configuration mode.	
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 3	aaa new-model	Enables AAA.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# aaa new-model		
Step 4	aaa authentication dot1x {default   listname}	Creates a series of authentication methods t	
	method1[method2]	are used to determine user privilege to access the privileged command level so that the	
	Example:	device can communicate with the AAA server.	
	Device(config)# aaa authentication dot1x default group radius		
Step 5	aaa authourization network group	Enables AAA authorization for network	
	Example:	services on 802.1X.	
	aaa authourization network group		
Step 6	dot1x system-auth-control	Globally enables 802.1X port-based	
	Example:	authentication.	
	Device(config)# dot1x system-auth-control		
Step 7	interface type slot/port	Enters interface configuration mode and	
	Example:	specifies the interface to be enabled for 802.1X	
	Device(config)# interface fastethernet2/1	authentication.	
Step 8	authentication port-control {auto   force-authorized   force-unauthorized}	Enables 802.1X port-based authentication on the interface.	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example: Device(config-if)# authentication port-control auto	auto—Enables IEEE 802.1X authentication and causes the port to begin in the unauthorized state, allowing only EAPOL frames to be sent and received through the port. The authentication process begins when the link state of the port changes from down to up or when an EAPOL-start frame is received. The Device requests the identity of the supplicant and begins relaying authentication messages between the supplicant and the authentication server. Each supplicant attempting to access the network is uniquely identified by the Device by using the supplicant MAC address.
		force-authorized-—Disables IEEE 802.1X authentication and causes the port to change to the authorized state without any authentication exchange required. The port sends and receives normal traffic without IEEE 802.1X-based authentication of the client. This is the default setting.
		force-unauthorized—Causes the port to remain in the unauthorized state, ignoring all attempts by the supplicant to authenticate. The Device cannot provide authentication services to the supplicant through the port.
Step 9	dot1x pae [supplicant   authenticator   both]	
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-if)# dot1x pae authenticator</pre>	
Step 10	end	Exits interface configuration mode and enters
	<pre>Example: Device(config-if)# end</pre>	privileged EXEC mode.
	Device (contrg=ii) # end	

# Verifying 802.1X on the Switch Port

The following show command displays the authentication state of 802.1X on the switch port:

HostMode	=	MULTI HOST
ReAuthentication	=	Disabled
QuietPeriod	=	60
ServerTimeout	=	30
SuppTimeout	=	30
ReAuthPeriod	=	3600 (Locally configured)
ReAuthMax	=	2
MaxReq	=	2
TxPeriod	=	30
RateLimitPeriod	=	0
Device#		

# **Verifying the Authentication Type**

The following show command displays the authentication state of an AP profile:

```
Device#show ap profile <profile-name> detailed ?

chassis Chassis

| Output modifiers

<cr>
Device#show ap profile <profile-name> detailed

AP Profile Name : default-ap-profile

Description : default ap profile

...

Dot1x EAP Method : [EAP-FAST/EAP-TLS/EAP-PEAP/Not-Configured]

LSC AP AUTH STATE : [CAPWAP DTLS / DOT1x port auth / CAPWAP DTLS + DOT1x port auth
```



# **Information About NAT Support**

Network Address Translation (NAT) allows a device to act as an agent between the Internet (public) and a local network (private). It maps the controller's intranet IP addresses to a corresponding external address. The AP-manager interface of the controller must be configured with the external NAT IP address so that the controller can send the correct IP address in the Discovery Response.

The master AP in an Embedded Wireless Controller (EWC) network performs NAT on the wireless client traffic. This is achieved by translating the public and private IP addresses of the clients. Depending on the placement and number of NATs, the translation may be required at one or both ends of the tunnel.

The master AP performs NAT for the guest WLAN. However, this is not required for the employee WLAN. The IP address for the clients connected to the guest WLAN is provided by the internal DHCP server running on the master AP, whereas the clients connected to the employee WLAN gets the IP address from an external DHCP server.

The master AP acts as a gateway to the traffic coming from the clients connected to the NAT-ed WLAN and performs address translation. The clients connected to the non NAT-ed WLAN uses the gateway provided by the external DHCP server to send the traffic.

For centralized NAT WLANs, the controller provisions the VLAN mapping to the specific WLAN. When performing NAT, both the private IP address (address in the network before the NAT device) and the public IP address (address in the public network) has to be configured.

The external DHCP server provides the IP addresses for the APs. The master AP requires two IP addresses, one for the internal AP and one for when it is acting as a wireless controller. The internal DHCP server is not used to assign IP addresses to the APs connected to the network. The external DHCP server is used to provide the IP address to the clients on non- NAT-ed WLANs.

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# **Restrictions for NAT Support**

- When centralized NAT is enabled, wired to wireless client traffic on the same VLAN is not supported.
- The WLAN, where centralized NAT is enabled, must also be provisioned on the master AP.
- Client DHCP server must run on the EWC for centralized NAT to work. External DHCP servers are not supported.

## **Enabling Centralized NAT on a VLAN**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless ewc-ap centralized-nat vlan vlan-id	Enables centralized NAT on a VLAN
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless ewc-ap centralized-nat test-vlan 10	
Step 3	(Optional) wireless ewc-ap centralized-nat vlan vlan-id peer-blocking	Configures peer to peer blocking.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless ewc-ap centralized-nat test-vlan 10 peer-blocking	
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	

## Verifying NAT Support

To view the history of the AP datapath programming for centralized NAT, use the below command:

Device# show wireless mob-exp centralized-nat history Centralized NAT Global event history: Timestamp Event RC Context ----- -----06/17/2019 05:28:39.962760 Route add 0 100.100.100.0/255.255.255.0 0.0.0.0 2 06/17/2019 05:28:39.961794 VLAN update 0 0-4095 0,10 1,100 1 06/17/2019 05:28:39.961162 Route add 0 10.10.10.0/255.255.255.0 0.0.0.0 1 Centralized NAT AP DP plumbing client event history: Timestamp Event RC Context \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ 06/17/2019 05:37:55.827602 Client del 0 10.10.10.3 06/17/2019 05:37:55.826296 Client del 0 10.10.10.3 06/17/2019 05:37:32.160737 Client add 0 MAC b8:27:eb:27:f3:f6, IP 10.10.10.4, WLAN 2 06/17/2019 05:37:31.454851 Client del 0 10.10.10.4 06/17/2019 05:37:31.453479 Client del 0 10.10.10.4 06/17/2019 05:36:25.659639 Client add 0 MAC b8:27:eb:27:f3:f6, IP 10.10.10.4, WLAN 1 06/17/2019 05:35:52.513500 Client add 0 MAC b8:27:eb:be:08:ea, IP 10.10.10.3, WLAN 1

To view the NAT status, use the below command on the AP:

Device# show flexconnect ewc-ap nat status Programmed WLC IP 9.9.71.50 Programmed Vlan Config output 0: vlan 0-9,11-4095 output 1: vlan 10 Programmed Route Table 0.0.0.0/0 1.1.1.1 0 10.10.10.0/24 -2 NAT and P2P Block Status: NAT-Enabled WLAN P2P-Block 0 false false 1 false true



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# **Information About Radio Resource Management**

The Radio Resource Management (RRM) software that is embedded in the device acts as a built-in Radio Frequency (RF) engineer to consistently provide real-time RF management of your wireless network. RRM enables devices to continually monitor their associated lightweight access points for the following information:

- Traffic load—The total bandwidth used for transmitting and receiving traffic. It enables wireless LAN
  managers to track and plan network growth ahead of client demand.
- Interference—The amount of traffic coming from other 802.11 sources.
- Noise—The amount of non-802.11 traffic that is interfering with the currently assigned channel.
- Coverage—The Received Signal Strength (RSSI) and signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) for all connected clients.
- Other The number of nearby access points.

RRM performs these functions:

- Radio resource monitoring
- Power control transmission
- Dynamic channel assignment
- · Coverage hole detection and correction
- RF grouping



Note

RRM grouping does not occur when an AP operates in a static channel that is not in the DCA channel list. The Neighbor Discovery Protocol (NDP) is sent only on DCA channels; therefore, when a radio operates on a non-DCA channel, it does not receive NDP on the channel.

## **Radio Resource Monitoring**

RRM automatically detects and configures new devices and lightweight access points as they are added to the network. It then automatically adjusts the associated and nearby lightweight access points to optimize coverage and capacity.

Lightweight access points can scan all the valid channels for the country of operation as well as for channels available in other locations. The access points in local mode go *offchannel* for a period not greater than 70 ms to monitor these channels for noise and interference. Packets collected during this time are analyzed to detect rogue access points, rogue clients, ad-hoc clients, and interfering access points.



In the presence of voice traffic or other critical traffic (in the last 100 ms), access points can defer off-channel measurements. The access points also defer off-channel measurements based on the WLAN scan priority configurations.

Each access point spends only 0.2 percent of its time off channel. This activity is distributed across all the access points so that adjacent access points are not scanning at the same time, which could adversely affect wireless LAN performance.

## **Transmit Power Control**

The device dynamically controls access point transmit power based on the real-time wireless LAN conditions.

The Transmit Power Control (TPC) algorithm increases and decreases an access point's power in response to changes in the RF environment. In most instances, TPC seeks to lower an access point's power to reduce interference, but in the case of a sudden change in the RF coverage, for example, if an access point fails or becomes disabled, TPC can also increase power on the surrounding access points. This feature is different from coverage hole detection, which is primarily concerned with clients. TPC provides enough RF power to achieve the required coverage levels while avoiding channel interference between access points. We recommend that you select TPCv1; TPCv2 option is deprecated. With TPCv1, you can select the channel aware mode; we recommend that you select this option for 5 GHz, and leave it unchecked for 2.4 GHz.

## Overriding the TPC Algorithm with Minimum and Maximum Transmit Power Settings

The TPC algorithm balances RF power in many diverse RF environments. However, it is possible that automatic power control will not be able to resolve some scenarios in which an adequate RF design was not possible to implement due to architectural restrictions or site restrictions, for example, when all the access points must be mounted in a central hallway, placing the access points close together, but requiring coverage to the edge of the building.

In these scenarios, you can configure maximum and minimum transmit power limits to override TPC recommendations. The maximum and minimum TPC power settings apply to all the access points through RF profiles in a RF network.

To set the Maximum Power Level Assignment and Minimum Power Level Assignment, enter the maximum and minimum transmit power used by RRM in the fields in the **Tx Power Control** window. The range for these parameters is -10 to 30 dBm. The minimum value cannot be greater than the maximum value; the maximum value cannot be less than the minimum value.

If you configure a maximum transmit power, RRM does not allow any access point attached to the controller, to exceed this transmit power level (whether the power is set by RRM TPC or by coverage hole detection). For example, if you configure a maximum transmit power of 11 dBm, no access point will transmit above 11 dBm, unless the access point is configured manually.

### **Dynamic Channel Assignment**

Two adjacent access points on the same channel can cause either signal contention or signal collision. In a collision, data is not received by the access point. This functionality can become a problem, for example, when someone reading an e-mail in a café affects the performance of the access point in a neighboring business. Even though these are separate networks, someone sending traffic to the café on channel 1 can disrupt communication in an enterprise using the same channel. Devices can dynamically allocate access point channel assignments to avoid conflict and increase capacity and performance. Channels are *reused* to avoid wasting scarce RF resources. In other words, channel 1 is allocated to a different access point far from the café, which is more effective than not using channel 1 altogether.

The device's Dynamic Channel Assignment (DCA) capabilities are also useful in minimizing adjacent channel interference between access points. For example, two overlapping channels in the 802.11b/g band, such as 1 and 2, cannot simultaneously use 11 or 54 Mbps. By effectively reassigning channels, the device keeps adjacent channels that are separated.



Note

We recommend that you use only nonoverlapping channels (1, 6, 11, and so on).



Note Channel change does not require you to shut down the radio.

The device examines a variety of real-time RF characteristics to efficiently handle channel assignments as follows:

- Access point received energy: The received signal strength measured between each access point and its nearby neighboring access points. Channels are optimized for the highest network capacity.
- Noise: Noise can limit signal quality at the client and access point. An increase in noise reduces the
  effective cell size and degrades user experience. By optimizing channels to avoid noise sources, the
  device can optimize coverage while maintaining system capacity. If a channel is unusable due to excessive
  noise, that channel can be avoided.
- 802.11 interference: Interference is any 802.11 traffic that is not a part of your wireless LAN, including
  rogue access points and neighboring wireless networks. Lightweight access points constantly scan all
  the channels looking for sources of interference. If the amount of 802.11 interference exceeds a predefined
  configurable threshold (the default is 10 percent), the access point sends an alert to the device. Using the

RRM algorithms, the device may then dynamically rearrange channel assignments to increase system performance in the presence of the interference. Such an adjustment could result in adjacent lightweight access points being on the same channel, but this setup is preferable to having the access points remain on a channel that is unusable due to an interfering foreign access point.

In addition, if other wireless networks are present, the device shifts the usage of channels to complement the other networks. For example, if one network is on channel 6, an adjacent wireless LAN is assigned to channel 1 or 11. This arrangement increases the capacity of the network by limiting the sharing of frequencies. If a channel has virtually no capacity remaining, the device may choose to avoid this channel. In huge deployments in which all nonoverlapping channels are occupied, the device does its best, but you must consider RF density when setting expectations.

• Load and utilization: When utilization monitoring is enabled, capacity calculations can consider that some access points are deployed in ways that carry more traffic than other access points, for example, a lobby versus an engineering area. The device can then assign channels to improve the access point that has performed the worst. The load is taken into account when changing the channel structure to minimize the impact on the clients that are currently in the wireless LAN. This metric keeps track of every access point's transmitted and received packet counts to determine how busy the access points are. New clients avoid an overloaded access point and associate to a new access point. This *Load and utilization* parameter is disabled by default.

The device combines this RF characteristic information with RRM algorithms to make system-wide decisions. Conflicting demands are resolved using soft-decision metrics that guarantee the best choice for minimizing network interference. The end result is optimal channel configuration in a three-dimensional space, where access points on the floor above and below play a major factor in an overall wireless LAN configuration.



**Note** In a Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) enabled AP environment, ensure that you enable the UNII2 channels option under the DCA channel to allow 100-MHz separation for the dual 5-GHz radios.

The RRM startup mode is invoked in the following conditions:

- In a single-device environment, the RRM startup mode is invoked after the device is upgraded and rebooted.
- In a multiple-device environment, the RRM startup mode is invoked after an RF Group leader is elected.
- You can trigger the RRM startup mode from the CLI.

The RRM startup mode runs for 100 minutes (10 iterations at 10-minute intervals). The duration of the RRM startup mode is independent of the DCA interval, sensitivity, and network size. The startup mode consists of 10 DCA runs with high sensitivity (making channel changes easy and sensitive to the environment) to converge to a steady-state channel plan. After the startup mode is finished, DCA continues to run at the specified interval and sensitivity.



**Note** DCA algorithm interval is set to 1 hour, but DCA algorithm always runs in default interval of 10 min, channel allocation occurs at 10-min intervals for the first 10 cycles, and channel changes occur as per the DCA algorithm every 10 min. After that the DCA algorithm goes back to the configured time interval. This is common for both DCA interval and anchor time because it follows the steady state.



Note

If Dynamic Channel Assignment (DCA)/Transmit Power Control (TPC) is turned off on the RF group member, and auto is set on RF group leader, the channel or TX power on a member gets changed as per the algorithm that is run on the RF group leader.

## **Coverage Hole Detection and Correction**

The RRM coverage hole detection algorithm can detect areas of radio coverage in a wireless LAN that are below the level needed for robust radio performance. This feature can alert you to the need for an additional (or relocated) lightweight access point.

If clients on a lightweight access point are detected at threshold levels (RSSI, failed client count, percentage of failed packets, and number of failed packets) lower than those specified in the RRM configuration, the access point sends a "coverage hole" alert to the device. The alert indicates the existence of an area where clients are continually experiencing poor signal coverage, without having a viable access point to which to roam. The device discriminates between coverage holes that can and cannot be corrected. For coverage holes that can be corrected, the device mitigates the coverage hole by increasing the transmit power level for that specific access point. The device does not mitigate coverage holes caused by clients that are unable to increase their transmit power or are statically set to a power level because increasing their downstream transmit power might increase interference in the network.

# **Restrictions for Radio Resource Management**

• If an AP tries to join the RF-group that already holds the maximum number of APs it can support, the device rejects the application and throws an error.

# **How to Configure RRM**

## **Configuring Neighbor Discovery Type (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm ndp-type {protected   transparent}	Configures the neighbor discovery type. By default, the mode is set to "transparent".
	Example:	• <b>protected</b> : Sets the neighbor discover type to protected. Packets are encrypted.
	Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz rrm	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>ndp-type protected Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz rrm ndp-type transparent</pre>	• <b>transparent</b> : Sets the neighbor discover type to transparent. Packets are sent as is.
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

## **Configuring Transmit Power Control**

### **Configuring the Tx-Power Control Threshold (CLI)**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm tpc-threshold threshold_value	by RRM for auto power assignment. The ran	
	Example:	is from -80 to -50.	
	Device(config)#ap dotl1 24ghz rrm tpc-threshold -60		
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	Broom configuration mode.	

### **Configuring the Tx-Power Level (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm	Configures the 802.11 tx-power level
	txpower{trans_power_level   auto   max   min   once}	• <b>trans_power_level</b> —Sets the transmit power level.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm txpower auto	<ul> <li>auto—Enables auto-RF.</li> <li>max—Configures the maximum auto-RF tx-power.</li> <li>min—Configures the minimum auto-RF tx-power.</li> <li>once—Enables one-time auto-RF.</li> </ul>
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.

# **Configuring 802.11 RRM Parameters**

### **Configuring Advanced 802.11 Channel Assignment Parameters (CLI)**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	<pre>ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel cleanair-event sensitivity {high   low   medium} Example: Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel cleanair-event sensitivity high</pre>	<ul> <li>Configures CleanAir event-driven RRM parameters.</li> <li>High–Specifies the most sensitivity to non-Wi-Fi interference as indicated by the air quality (AQ) value.</li> <li>Low–Specifies the least sensitivity to non-Wi-Fi interference as indicated by the AQ value.</li> <li>Medium–Specifies medium sensitivity to non-Wi-Fi interference as indicated by the AQ value.</li> </ul>
Step 3	<pre>ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel dca {   anchor-time   global {auto   once}   interval   min-metric   sensitivity {high   low   medium}} Example: Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel</pre>	Configures Dynamic Channel Assignment (DCA) algorithm parameters for the 802.11 band. • –Enter a channel number to be added to the DCA list.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	dca interval 2	• <b>anchor-time</b> —Configures the anchor time for the DCA. The range is between 0 and 23 hours.
		<ul> <li>global–Configures the DCA mode for all 802.11 Cisco APs.</li> </ul>
		• auto–Enables auto-RF.
		• once–Enables auto-RF only once.
		• <b>interval</b> –Configures the DCA interval value. The values are 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12 and 24 hours and the default value 0 denotes 10 minutes.
		• <b>min-metric</b> -Configures the DCA minimum RSSI energy metric. The range is between -100 and -60.
		<ul> <li>sensitivity–Configures the DCA sensitivity level to changes in the environment.</li> </ul>
		• <b>high</b> –Specifies the most sensitivity.
		• low–Specifies the least sensitivity.
		<ul> <li>medium–Specifies medium sensitivity.</li> </ul>
Step 4	ap dot11 5ghz rrm channel dca chan-width {20   40   80}	Configures the DCA channel bandwidth for 802.11 radios in the 5-GHz band. Sets the
	Example:	channel bandwidth to 20 MHz, 40 MHz, or 80 MHz, ; 20 MHz is the default value for channe bandwidth. 80 MHz is the default value for best
	Device(config)#ap dot11 5ghz rrm channel dca chan-width best	Set the channel bandwidth to best before configuring the constraints.
Step 5	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel device Example:	Configures the persistent non-Wi-Fi device avoidance in the 802.11 channel assignment.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel device	
Step 6	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel foreign Example:	Configures the foreign AP 802.11 interference avoidance in the channel assignment.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel foreign	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel load Example:	Configures the Cisco AP 802.11 load avoidance in the channel assignment.
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel load	
Step 8	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel noise Example:	Configures the 802.11 noise avoidance in the channel assignment.
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel noise	
Step 9	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

## **Configuring 802.11 Coverage Hole Detection (CLI)**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm coverage data {fail-percentage   packet-count   rssi-threshold} Example: Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm coverage data fail-percentage 60	<ul> <li>Configures the 802.11 coverage hole detection for data packets.</li> <li>fail-percentage: Configures the 802.11 coverage failure-rate threshold for uplink data packets as a percentage that ranges from 1 to 100%.</li> <li>packet-count: Configures the 802.11 coverage minimum failure count threshold for uplink data packets that ranges from 1 to 255.</li> <li>rssi-threshold: Configures the 802.11 minimum receive coverage level for data packets that range from -90 to -60 dBm.</li> </ul>
Step 3	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm coverage exception global exception level Example: Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm	Configures the 802.11 Cisco AP coverage exception level as a percentage that ranges from 0 to 100%.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	coverage exception global 50	
Step 4	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm coverage level global cli_min exception level Example:	Configures the 802.11 Cisco AP client minimum exception level that ranges from 1 to 75 clients.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm coverage level global 10	
Step 5	<pre>ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm coverage voice {fail-percentage   packet-count   rssi-threshold} Example: Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm coverage voice packet-count 10</pre>	<ul> <li>Configures the 802.11 coverage hole detection for voice packets.</li> <li>fail-percentage: Configures the 802.11 coverage failure-rate threshold for uplink voice packets as a percentage that ranges from 1 to 100%.</li> <li>packet-count: Configures the 802.11 coverage minimum failure count threshold for uplink voice packets that ranges from 1 to 255.</li> <li>rssi-threshold: Configures the 802.11 minimum receive coverage level for voice packets that range from –90 to –60 dBm.</li> </ul>
Step 6	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

### Configuring 802.11 Event Logging (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 24ghz   5ghz rrm logging{channel   coverage   foreign   load   noise   performance   txpower}	Configures event-logging for various parameters. • <b>channel</b> —Configures the 802.11 channel
	Example:	change logging mode.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm logging channel	• <b>coverage</b> —Configures the 802.11 coverage profile logging mode.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm logging coverage	• <b>foreign</b> —Configures the 802.11 foreign interference profile logging mode.
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm logging foreign	• load—Configures the 802.11 load profile logging mode.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm logging load	• <b>noise</b> —Configures the 802.11 noise profile logging mode.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm logging noise	• <b>performance</b> —Configures the 802.11 performance profile logging mode.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm logging performance	• <b>txpower</b> —Configures the 802.11 transmit power change logging mode.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm logging txpower	power enange logging mode.
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example: Device(config)# end	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

## Configuring 802.11 Statistics Monitoring (CLI)

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 24ghz   5ghz rrm monitor channel-list {all   country   dca}	Sets the 802.11 monitoring channel-list for parameters such as noise/interference/rogue.
	Example:	• all— Monitors all channels.
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm monitor channel-list all	• <b>country</b> — Monitor channels used in configured country code.
		dca— Monitor channels used by dynamic channel assignment.
Step 3	ap dot11 24ghz   5ghz rrm monitor coverage interval	Configures the 802.11 coverage measurement interval in seconds that ranges from 60 to 3600
	Example:	
	Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz rrm monitor coverage 600	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	ap dot11 24ghz   5ghz rrm monitor load interval	Configures the 802.11 load measurement interval in seconds that ranges from 60 to 3600.
	Example:	
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm monitor load 180	
Step 5	ap dot11 24ghz   5ghz rrm monitor noise interval	Configures the 802.11 noise measurement interval (channel scan interval) in seconds that ranges from 60 to 3600.
	Example:	
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm monitor noise 360	
Step 6	ap dot11 24ghz   5ghz rrm monitor signal interval	Configures the 802.11 signal measurement interval (neighbor packet frequency) in seconds
	Example:	that ranges from 60 to 3600.
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm monitor signal 480	
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Device(config)# end	Broom comparation mode.

## Configuring the 802.11 Performance Profile (CLI)

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm profile clients cli_threshold_value	Sets the threshold value for 802.11 Cisco AP clients that range between 1 and 75 clients.
	Example:	
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm profile clients 20	
Step 3	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz}rrm profile foreign int_threshold_value	Sets the threshold value for 802.11 foreign interference that ranges between 0 and 100%.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm profile foreign 50	
Step 4	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm profile noise for_noise_threshold_value	Sets the threshold value for $802.11$ foreign noise ranges between $-127$ and 0 dBm.
	Example:	
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm profile noise -65	
Step 5	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm profile throughput throughput_threshold_value Example:	Sets the threshold value for 802.11 Cisco AP throughput that ranges between 1000 and 10000000 bytes per second.
	Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz rrm profile throughput 10000	
Step 6	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm profile utilization rf_util_threshold_value	Sets the threshold value for 802.11 RF utilization that ranges between 0 to 100%.
	Example:	
	Device(config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm profile utilization 75	
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	

## Configuring Advanced 802.11 RRM

### **Enabling Channel Assignment (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel-update	-
Example:	each of the Cisco access points.	
		Note After you enable ap dot11 {24ghz
	Device# ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel-update	<b>5ghz} rrm channel-update</b> , a token is assigned for channel assignment in the DCA algorithm.

#### **Restarting DCA Operation**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm dca restart	Restarts the DCA cycle for 802.11 radio.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>ap dot11 24ghz rrm dca restart</b>	

#### **Updating Power Assignment Parameters (CLI)**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm txpower update	Updates the 802.11 transmit power for each of the Cisco access points.
	Example:	
	Device# ap dot11 24ghz rrm txpower update	3

## **Configuring Rogue Access Point Detection in RF Groups**

#### **Configuring Rogue Access Point Detection in RF Groups (CLI)**

#### Before you begin

Ensure that each embedded controller in the RF group has been configured with the same RF group name.



The name is used to verify the authentication IE in all beacon frames. If the embedded controller have different names, false alarms will occur.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	Example: Device#	Perform this step for every access point connected to the embedded controller.
		• <b>monitor</b> :Sets the AP mode to monitor mode.
		• clear: Resets AP mode to local or remote based on the site.
		• sensor: Sets the AP mode to sensor mode
		• <b>sniffer</b> : Sets the AP mode to wireless sniffer mode.
Step 2	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exi global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	
Step 3	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 4	wireless wps ap-authentication	Enables rogue access point detection.
	Example:	
	Device (config)# wireless wps ap-authentication	
Step 5	wireless wps ap-authentication threshold	Specifies when a rogue access point alarm is
	value	generated. An alarm occurs when the threshold value (which specifies the number of access
	Example:	point frames with an invalid authentication IE
	Device (config)# wireless wps ap-authentication threshold 50	is met or exceeded within the detection period
		The valid threshold range is from 1 to 255, and the default threshold value is 1. To avoid false alarms, you may want to set the threshold to a higher value.
		<b>Note</b> Enable rogue access point detection and threshold value on every embedded controller in the RF group.
		<b>Note</b> If rogue access point detection is not enabled on every embedded controller in the RF group, the access points on the embedded controller with this feature disabled are reported as rogues.

# **Monitoring RRM Parameters and RF Group Status**

## **Monitoring RRM Parameters**

Table 1: Commands for monitoring Radio Resource Management

Commands	Description
show ap dot11 24ghz channel	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11b channel assignment.
show ap dot11 24ghz coverage	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11b coverage.
show ap dot11 24ghz group	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11b grouping.
show ap dot11 24ghz logging	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11b event logging.
show ap dot11 24ghz monitor	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11b monitoring.
show ap dot11 24ghz profile	Displays 802.11b profiling information for all Cisco APs.
show ap dot11 24ghz summary	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11b Cisco APs.
show ap dot11 24ghz txpower	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11b transmit power control.
show ap dot11 5ghz channel	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11a channel assignment.
show ap dot11 5ghz coverage	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11a coverage.
show ap dot11 5ghz group	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11a grouping.
show ap dot11 5ghz logging	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11a event logging.
show ap dot11 5ghz monitor	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11a monitoring.
show ap dot11 5ghz profile	Displays 802.11a profiling information for all Cisco APs.
show ap dot11 5ghz summary	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11a Cisco APs.
show ap dot11 5ghz txpower	Displays the configuration and statistics of the 802.11a transmit power control.

## **Verifying RF Group Status (CLI)**

This section describes the new commands for RF group status.

The following commands can be used to verify RF group status on the .

#### Table 2: Verifying Aggressive Load Balancing Command

Command

Purpose

show ap dot11 5ghz group	Displays the controller name which is the RF group leader for the 802.11a RF network.
show ap dot11 24ghz group	Displays the controller name which is the RF group leader for the 802.11b/g RF network.

### **Examples: RF Group Configuration**

This example shows how to configure RF group name:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless rf-network test1
Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz shutdown
Device(config)# end
Device # show network profile 5
```

This example shows how to configure rogue access point detection in RF groups:

```
Device#
Device# end
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless wps ap-authentication
Device(config)# wireless wps ap-authentication threshold 50
Device(config)# end
```

### Information About ED-RRM

Spontaneous interference is interference that appears suddenly on a network, perhaps jamming a channel or a range of channels completely. The Cisco CleanAir spectrum event-driven RRM feature allows you to set a threshold for air quality (AQ) that, if exceeded, triggers an immediate channel change for the affected access point. Most RF management systems can avoid interference, but this information takes time to propagate through the system. Cisco CleanAir relies on AQ measurements to continuously evaluate the spectrum and can trigger a move within 30 seconds. For example, if an access point detects interference from a video camera, it can recover by changing channels within 30 seconds of the camera becoming active.

### Configuring ED-RRM on the Cisco Wireless LAN Controller (CLI)

#### Procedure

**Step 1** Trigger spectrum event-driven radio resource management (RRM) to run when a Cisco CleanAir-enabled access point detects a significant level of interference by entering these commands:

**ap dot11** {**24ghz** | **5ghz**} **rrm channel cleanair-event** —Configures CleanAir driven RRM parameters for the 802.11 Cisco lightweight access points.

ap dot11 {24ghz | 5ghz} rrm channel cleanair-event sensitivity {low | medium | high | custom}—Configures CleanAir driven RRM sensitivity for the 802.11 Cisco lightweight access points. Default selection is Medium.

ap dot11 {24ghz | 5ghz} rrm channel cleanair-event rogue-contribution—Enables rogue contribution.

# ap dot11 {24ghz | 5ghz} rrm channel cleanair-event rogue-contribution duty-cycle *thresholdvalue*—Configures threshold value for rogue contribution. The valid range is from 1 to 99, with 80 as the default.

**Step 2** Save your changes by entering this command:

#### write memory

**Step 3** See the CleanAir configuration for the 802.11a/n/ac or 802.11b/g/n network by entering this command:

#### show ap dot11 {24ghz | 5ghz} cleanair config

Information similar to the following appears:



# **Coverage Hole Detection**

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### **Coverage Hole Detection and Correction**

The RRM coverage hole detection algorithm can detect areas of radio coverage in a wireless LAN that are below the level needed for robust radio performance. This feature can alert you to the need for an additional (or relocated) lightweight access point.

If clients on a lightweight access point are detected at threshold levels (RSSI, failed client count, percentage of failed packets, and number of failed packets) lower than those specified in the RRM configuration, the access point sends a "coverage hole" alert to the device. The alert indicates the existence of an area where clients are continually experiencing poor signal coverage, without having a viable access point to which to roam. The device discriminates between coverage holes that can and cannot be corrected. For coverage holes that can be corrected, the device mitigates the coverage hole by increasing the transmit power level for that specific access point. The device does not mitigate coverage holes caused by clients that are unable to increase their transmit power or are statically set to a power level because increasing their downstream transmit power might increase interference in the network.

### **Configuring Coverage Hole Detection (GUI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure client accounting.

Click Configuration > Radio Configurations > RRM.
On this page, you can configure Radio Resource Management parameters for 802.11a/n/ac (5 GHZ) and 802.11b/g/n (2.4 GHZ) radios, and flexible radio assignment parameters.
Check the Enable Coverage Hole Detection check box.
Enables coverage hole detection.

### **Configuring Coverage Hole Detection (CLI)**

Coverage Hole Detection (CHD) is based on upstream RSSI metrics observed by the AP.

Follow the procedure given below to configure CHD:

### Before you begin

Disable the 802.11 network before applying the configuration.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm coverage data {fail-percentage   packet-count   rssi-threshold} Example: Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz rrm coverage data fail-percentage 60	<ul> <li>Configures the 802.11 coverage level for data packets.</li> <li>fail-percentage: Configures the 802.11 coverage failure-rate threshold for uplink data packets as a percentage that ranges from 1 to 100%.</li> <li>packet-count: Configures the 802.11 coverage minimum failure count threshold for uplink data packets that ranges from 1 to 255.</li> <li>rssi-threshold: Configures the 802.11 minimum receive coverage level for data packets that range from -90 to -60 dBm.</li> </ul>
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm coverage exception global exception level Example: Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz rrm coverage exception global 50	Configures the 802.11 Cisco AP coverage exception level as a percentage that ranges from 0 to 100%.
Step 3	ap dot11{24ghz 5ghz}rrm coverage level global cli_min exception level Example: Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz rrm coverage level global 10	Configures the 802.11 Cisco AP client minimum exception level that ranges from 1 to 75 clients.
Step 4	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm coverage voice {fail-percentage   packet-count   rssi-threshold} Example: Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz rrm coverage voice packet-count 10	<ul> <li>Configures the 802.11 coverage hole detection for voice packets.</li> <li>fail-percentage: Configures the 802.11 coverage failure-rate threshold for uplink voice packets as a percentage that ranges from 1 to 100%.</li> </ul>

	Command or Action	Purpose
		• <b>packet-count</b> : Configures the 802.11 coverage minimum failure count threshold for uplink voice packets that ranges from 1 to 255.
		• <b>rssi-threshold</b> : Configures the 802.11 minimum receive coverage level for voice packets that range from –90 to –60 dBm.
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example: Device(config)# end	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
Step 6	show ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} coverage	Displays the CHD details.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap dotl1 5ghz coverage	

**Note** If both the number and percentage of failed packets exceed the values entered in the **packet-count** and **fail-rate** commands for a 5-second period, the client is considered to be in a pre-alarm condition. The controller uses this information to distinguish between real and false coverage holes. False positives are generally due to the poor roaming logic implemented on most clients. A coverage hole is detected if both the number and percentage of failed clients meet or exceed the values entered in the **coverage level global** and **coverage exception global** commands over a 90-second period. The controller determines if the coverage hole can be corrected and, if appropriate, mitigates the coverage hole by increasing the transmit power level for that specific access point.

### **Configuring CHD for RF Tag Profile (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Radio Configurations > RRM.	
Step 2	On the Coverage tab, select the Enable Coverage Hole Detection check box.	
Step 3	In the <b>Data Packet Count</b> field, enter the number of data packets.	
Step 4	In the Data Packet Percentage field, enter the percentage of data packets.	
Step 5	In the <b>Data RSSI Threshold</b> field, enter the actual value in dBm. Value ranges from -60 dBm to -90 dBm; the default value is -80 dBm.	
Step 6	In the Voice Packet Count field, enter the number of voice data packets.	
Step 7	In the Voice Packet Percentage field, enter the percentage of voice data packets.	
Step 8	In the <b>Voice RSSI Threshold</b> field, enter the actual value in dBm. Value ranges from -60 dBm to -90 dBm; the default value is -80 dBm.	

Step 9	In the <b>Minimum Failed Client per AP</b> field, enter the minimum number of clients on an AP with a signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) below the coverage threshold. Value ranges from 1 to 75 and the default value is 3.
Step 10	In the <b>Percent Coverage Exception Level per AP</b> field, enter the maximum desired percentage of clients on an access point's radio operating below the desired coverage threshold and click Apply. Value ranges from 0 to 100% and the default value is 25%.
Step 11	Click <b>Apply</b> .

### **Configuring CHD for RF Profile (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure Coverage Hole Detection (CHD) for RF profile.

### Before you begin

Ensure that the RF profile is already created.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz } rf-profile rf-profile-tag	Configures the 802.11 coverage hole detection for data packets.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dotll 24ghz rf-profile alpha-rfprofile-24ghz	
Step 3	coverage data rssi threshold threshold-value	Configures the minimum RSSI value for data
	Example:	packets received by the access point. Valid values range from -90 to -60 in dBm.
	Device(config-rf-profile)# coverage data rssi threshold -80	
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-rf-profile)# end	
Step 5	show ap dot11 24ghz rf-profile summary	Displays summary of the available RF profiles.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap dotll 24ghz rf-profile summary	



# **Cisco Flexible Radio Assignment**

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### Information About Flexible Radio Assignment

Flexible Radio Assignment (FRA) takes advantage of the dual-band radios included in APs. The FRA is a new feature added to the RRM to analyze the Neighbor Discovery Protocol (NDP) measurements, which manages the hardware used to determine the role of the new flexible radio (2.4 GHz, 5 GHz, or monitor) in your network.

Traditional legacy dual-band APs always had 2 radio slots, (1 slot per band) and were organized by the band they were serving, that is slot 0= 802.11b,g,n and slot 1=802.11a,n,ac.

#### XOR Support in 2.4-GHz or 5-GHz Bands

The flexible radio (XOR) offers the ability to serve the 2.4-GHz or the 5-GHz bands, or passively monitor both bands on the same AP. The AP models that are offered are designed to support dual 5-GHz band operations, with the Cisco APs *i* model supporting a dedicated Macro/Micro architecture, and the *e* and *p* models supporting Macro/Macro architecture.

When using FRA with the internal antenna (*i* series models), two 5-GHz radios can be used in a Micro/Macro cell mode. When using FRA with external antenna (*e* and *p* models) the antennas may be placed to enable the creation of two completely separate macro (wide-area cells) or two micro cells (small cells) for HDX or any combination.

FRA calculates and maintains a measurement of redundancy for 2.4-GHz radios and represents this as a new measurement metric called COF (Coverage Overlap Factor).

This feature is integrated into existing RRM and runs in mixed environments with legacy APs. The **AP MODE** selection sets the entire AP (slot 0 and slot1) into one of several operating modes, including:

- Local Mode
- Monitor Mode
- FlexConnect Mode
- Sniffer Mode
- Spectrum Connect Mode

Before XOR was introduced, changing the mode of an AP propagated the change to the entire AP, that is both radio slot 0 and slot 1. The addition of the XOR radio in the slot 0 position provides the ability to operate a single radio interface in many of the previous modes, eliminating the need to place the whole AP into a mode. When this concept is applied to a single radio level, its is called *role*. Three such roles can be assigned now:

- · Client Serving
- Either 2.4 GHz(1) or 5 GHz(2)
- Monitor-Monitor mode (3)



Note

• MODE: Assigned to a whole AP (slot 0 and slot 1)

• ROLE: Assigned to a single radio interface (slot 0)

### **Benefits of the FRA**

- Solves the problem of 2.4–GHz over coverage.
- Creating two diverse 5–GHz cells doubles the airtime that is available.
- Permits one AP with one Ethernet drop to function like two 5-GHz APs.
- Introduces the concept of Macro/Micro cells for airtime efficiency.
- Allows more bandwidth to be applied to an area within a larger coverage cell.
- · Can be used to address nonlinear traffic.
- Enhances the High-Density Experience (HDX) with one AP.
- XOR radio can be selected by the corresponding user in either band-servicing client mode or monitor mode.

### **Configuring an FRA Radio (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	[no] ap fra	Enables or disables FRA on the AP.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# [no] ap fra	
Step 4		Configures the FRA interval in hours. The range is 1 to 24 hours.
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# ap fra interval 3</pre>	<b>Note</b> The FRA interval has to be more than the configured RRM interval.
Step 5	ap fra sensitivity {high   medium   low}	Configures the FRA sensitivity.
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# ap fra sensitivity high</pre>	<ul> <li>high: Sets the FRA Coverage Overlap Sensitivity to high.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>medium: Sets the FRA Coverage Overlap Sensitivity to medium.</li> </ul>
		• low: Sets the FRA Coverage Overlap Sensitivity to low.
Step 6	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
Step 7	ap fra revert {all   auto-only} {auto   static}	Rolls back the XOR Radio state.
0.00	Example:	• all: Reverts all XOR Radios
	Device# ap fra revert all auto	<ul> <li>auto-only: Revert only XOR radios currently in automatic band selection.</li> <li>auto: Sets the XOR radios in automatic band selection.</li> </ul>
		• <b>static</b> : Sets the XOR radio in static 2.4-GHz band.
Step 8	show ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} summary	Shows the configuration and statistics of 802.11 Cisco APs
	Example:	802.11 CISCO AFS
	Device# show ap dot11 5ghz summary	
Step 9	Device# show ap fra	Shows the current FRA configuration.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>show ap fra</b>	
	FRA State : Disabled FRA Sensitivity	
	: medium (95%) FRA Interval	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	: 1 Hour(s)	
	AP Name MAC Address Slot ID Current-Band COF % Suggested Mode	
	AP00A6.CA36.295A 006b.f09c.8290 0 2.4GHz None 2.4GHz	
	COF : Coverage Overlap Factor	
	test_machine#	
Step 10	show ap name <i>ap-name</i> config dot11 dual-band	Shows the current 802.11 dual-band parameters in a given AP.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap name config dot11 dual-band	

# **Configuring an FRA Radio (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1 Step 2		
Step 3	Under the From the <b>FRA Interval</b> drop-down list, choose the FRA run interval. The interval values range from 1 hour to 24 hours. You can choose the FRA run interval value only after you enable the FRA status.	
Step 4	From the <b>FRA Sensitivity</b> drop-down list, choose the percentage of Coverage Overlap Factor (COF) required to consider a radio as redundant. You can select the supported value only after you enable the FRA status.	
	The supported values are as follows:	
	• Low: 100 percent	
	Medium (default): 95 percent	
	• High: 90 percent	
	The Last Run and Last Run Time fields will show the time FRA was run last and the time it was run.	
Step 5	Check the Client Aware check box to take decisions on redundancy.	
	When enabled, the <b>Client Aware</b> feature monitors the dedicated 5-GHz radio and when the client load passes a pre-set threshold, automatically changes the Flexible Radio assignment from a monitor role into a 5-GHz role, effectively doubling the capacity of the cell on demand. Once the capacity crisis is over and Wi-Fi load	

returns to normal, the radios resume their previous roles.

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**Step 6** In the **Client Select** field, enter a value for client selection. The valid values range between 0 and 100 percent. The default value is 50 percent.

This means that if the dedicated 5-GHz interface reaches 50% channel utilization, this will trigger the monitor role dual-band interface to transition to a 5-GHz client-serving role.

**Step 7** In the **Client Reset** field, enter a reset value for the client. The valid values range between 0 and 100 percent. The default value is 5 percent.

Once the AP is operating as a dual 5-GHz AP, this setting indicates the reduction in the combined radios' overall channel utilization required to reset the dual-band radio to monitor role.

**Step 8** Click **Apply** to save the configuration.



# **XOR Radio Support**

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### Information About Dual-Band Radio Support

The Dual-Band (XOR) radio in Cisco 2800, 3800, 4800, and the 9120 series AP models offer the ability to serve 2.4–GHz or 5–GHz bands or passively monitor both the bands on the same AP. These APs can be configured to serve clients in 2.4–GHz and 5–GHz bands, or serially scan both 2.4–GHz and 5–GHz bands on the flexible radio while the main 5–GHz radio serves clients.

Cisco APs models up and through the Cisco 9120 APs are designed to support dual 5–GHz band operations with the *i* model supporting a dedicated Macro/Micro architecture and the *e* and *p* models supporting Macro/Macro. The Cisco 9130AXI APs and the Cisco 9136 APs support dual 5-GHz operations as Micro/Messo cell.

When a radio moves between bands (from 2.4-GHz to 5-GHz and vice versa), clients need to be steered to get an optimal distribution across radios. When an AP has two radios in the 5–GHz band, client steering algorithms contained in the Flexible Radio Assignment (FRA) algorithm are used to steer a client between the same band co-resident radios.

The XOR radio support can be steered manually or automatically:

- Manual steering of a band on a radio—The band on the XOR radio can only be changed manually.
- Automatic client and band steering on the radios is managed by the FRA feature that monitors and changes the band configurations as per site requirements.



RF measurement will not run when a static channel is configured on slot 1. Due to this, the dual band radio slot 0 will move only with 5–GHz radio and not to the monitor mode.

When slot 1 radio is disabled, RF measurement will not run, and the dual band radio slot 0 will be only on 2.4–GHz radio.

# **Configuring Default XOR Radio Support**

### Before you begin



**Note** The default radio points to the XOR radio hosted on slot 0.

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band antenna           ext-ant-gain antenna_gain_value	Configures the 802.11 dual-band antenna on a specific Cisco access point.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band antenna ext-ant-gain 2	<i>antenna_gain_value</i> : The valid range is from 0 to 40.
Step 3	ap name ap-name [no] dot11 dual-band shutdown	Shuts down the default dual-band radio on a specific Cisco access point.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band shutdown	Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to enable the radio.
Step 4	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band role manual client-serving	Switchs to client–serving mode on the Cisco access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band role manual client-serving	
Step 5	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band band 24ghz	Switchs to 2.4-GHz radio band.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band band 24ghz	
Step 6	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band txpower       {transmit_power_level   auto}	Configures the transmit power for the radio on a specific Cisco access point.
	Example:	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band txpower 2	Note When an FRA-capable radio (slot 0 on 9120 AP[for instance]) is set to Auto, you cannot configure static channel and Txpower on this radio.
		If you want to configure static channel and Txpower on this radio, you will need to change the radio role to Manual Client-Serving mode.
Step 7	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel <i>channel-number</i>	
	Example:	<i>channel-number</i> —The valid range is from 1 to 173.
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel 2	
Step 8	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel auto	Enables the auto channel assignment for the dual-band.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel auto	
Step 9	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel width {20 MHz   40 MHz   80 MHz   160 MHz}	Chooses the channel width for the dual band
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band channel width 20 MHz	
Step 10	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band cleanair	
	Example:	dual-band radio.
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band cleanair	
Step 11	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band cleanair band {24 GHz   5 GMHz}	Selects a band for the Cisco CleanAir feature Use the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable
	Example:	the Cisco CleanAir feature.
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band cleanair band 5 GHz	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> [no] dot11 dual-band cleanair band 5 GHz	
Step 12	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band dot11n         antenna {A   B   C   D}	Configures the 802.11n dual-band parameters for a specific access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band dot11n antenna A	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 13	show ap name <i>ap-name</i> auto-rf dot11 dual-band	Displays the auto-RF information for the Cisco access point.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap name <i>ap-name</i> auto-rf dot11 dual-band	
Step 14	show ap name <i>ap-name</i> wlan dot11 dual-band	Displays the list of BSSIDs for the Cisco access point.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap name <i>ap-name</i> wlan dot12 dual-band	

# **Configuring XOR Radio Support for the Specified Slot Number** (GUI)

#### Procedure

Click <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Wireless</b> > <b>Access Points</b> .	
In the <b>Dual-Band Radios</b> section, select the AP for which you want to configure dual-band radios.	
The AP name, MAC address, CleanAir capability and slot information for the AP are displayed. If the Hyperlocation method is HALO, the antenna PID and antenna design information are also displayed.	
Click Configure.	
In the General tab, set the Admin Status as required.	
Set the CleanAir Admin Status field to Enable or Disable.	
Click Update & Apply to Device.	

### **Configuring XOR Radio Support for the Specified Slot Number**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 antenna ext-ant-gain	Configures dual-band antenna for the XOR radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point
	external_antenna_gain_value	external_antenna_gain_value - Is the external
	Example:	antenna gain value in multiples of .5 dBi unit.
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11	The valid range is from 0 to 40.
	dual-band slot 0 antenna ext-ant-gain 2	
Step 3	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band slot 0	Configures current band for the XOR radio
	band {24ghz   5ghz}	hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 band 24ghz	
Step 4	ap name ap-name dot11 dual-band slot 0	Configures dual-band channel for the XOR
	channel { <i>channel_number</i>   auto   width [160   20   40   80]}	radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point
		<i>channel_number</i> - The valid range is from 1 to 165.
	Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11	165.
	dual-band slot 0 channel 3	
Step 5	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 cleanair band {24Ghz   5Ghz}	Enables CleanAir features for dual-band radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example:	
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 cleanair band 24Ghz	
Step 6	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 dot11n antenna {A   B   C   D}	Configures 802.11n dual-band parameters hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example:	Here,
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11	A- Enables antenna port A.
	dual-band slot 0 dotlln antenna A	<b>B</b> - Enables antenna port B.
		<b>C</b> - Enables antenna port C.
		<b>D</b> - Enables antenna port D.
Step 7	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 role {auto   manual [client-serving   monitor]}	Configures dual-band role for the XOR radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example:	The following are the dual-band roles:
	Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 role auto	• <b>auto-</b> Refers to the automatic radio role selection.
		• manual- Refers to the manual radio role selection.
Step 8	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 shutdown	Disables dual-band radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 shutdown Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 [no] dot11 dual-band slot 0 shutdown	Use the <b>no</b> form of this command to enable the dual-band radio.
Step 9	ap name <i>ap-name</i> dot11 dual-band slot 0 txpower { <i>tx_power_level</i>   auto}	Configures dual-band transmit power for XOR radio hosted on slot 0 for a specific access point.
	Example: Device# ap name AP-SIDD-A06 dot11 dual-band slot 0 txpower 2	<ul> <li><i>tx_power_level-</i> Is the transmit power level in dBm. The valid range is from 1 to 8.</li> <li><b>auto-</b> Enables auto-RF.</li> </ul>



# **Cisco Receiver Start of Packet**

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### **Information About Receiver Start of Packet Detection Threshold**

The Receiver Start of Packet (Rx SOP) Detection Threshold feature determines the Wi-Fi signal level in dBm at which an access point's radio demodulates and decodes a packet. As the Wi-Fi level increases, the radio sensitivity decreases and the receiver cell size becomes smaller. Reduction of the cell size affects the distribution of clients in the network.

Rx SOP is used to address clients with weak RF links, sticky clients, and client load balancing across access points. Rx SOP helps to optimize the network performance in high-density deployments, such as stadiums and auditoriums where access points need to optimize the nearest and strongest clients.

### **Restrictions for Rx SOP**

- Rx SOP configuration is not applicable to the third radio module pluggable on Cisco Aironet Series APs.
- Rx SOP configurations are supported only in Local, FlexConnect, Bridge, and Flex+Bridge modes.
- Rx SOP configurations are not supported in the FlexConnect+PPPoE, FlexConnect+PPPoE-wIPS, and FlexConnect+OEAP submodes.

The following table shows the permitted range for the Rx SOP threshold.

#### Table 3: Rx SOP Threshold

Radio Band	Threshold High	Threshold Medium	Threshold Low
2.4 GHz	-79 dBm	-82 dBm	-85 dBm
5 GHz	-76 dBm	-78 dBm	-80 dBm

# **Configuring Rx SOP (CLI)**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rx-sop threshold {auto   custom   high   low   medium}	Configures the 802.11bg/802.11a radio Rx SOP threshold.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dotl1 5ghz rx-sop threshold high	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
Step 4	show ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} high-density	Displays the 802.11bg/802.11a high-density
	Example:	parameters.
	Device# show ap dot11 5ghz high-density	
Step 5	show ap summary	Displays a summary of all the connected Cisco
	Example:	APs.
	Device# show ap summary	

# **Customizing RF Profile (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz } rf-profile profile-name	Configures the 802.11a and 11b parameters.
	Example:	
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz rf-profile AHS_2.4ghz	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	<pre>high-density rx-sop threshold {auto   custom   high   low   medium} Example: Device(config-rf-profile) # high-density rx-sop threshold high</pre>	Configures the 802.11bg, 802.11a high-density parameters.
Step 4	<pre>show ap summary Example: Device# show ap summary</pre>	Displays a summary of all the connected Cisco APs.
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
		<ul> <li>Note</li> <li>Irrespective of radio mode, the controller configures the radio with configured RX-SOP value. The AP determines whether to use the configured RX-SOP value.</li> <li>For the XOR radio (Slot 0), when the AP is in monitor mode the RX-SOP value that gets pushed to AP depends on the band it was operating before moving to monitor mode (basically if radio operating band is 24g then RX-SOP params picked from 24GHz RF profile (or default rf-profile). If it was in 5g then RX-SOP params picked from 5GHz RF profile (or default rf-profile) configured for the AP).</li> </ul>



# **Client Limit**

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### Information About Client Limit

This feature enforces a limit on the number of clients that can to be associated with an AP. Further, you can configure the number of clients that can be associated with each AP radio.

## **Configuring Client Limit Per WLAN (GUI)**

#### Procedure

- Step 1 Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
- **Step 2** Click a WLAN from the list of WLANs.
- **Step 3** Click the **Advanced** tab.
- Step 4 Under the Max Client Connections settings, enter the client limit for Per WLAN, Per AP Per WLAN, and Per AP Radio Per WLAN.
- Step 5 Click Update & Apply to Device.

# **Configuring Client Limit Per WLAN (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Device# enable		
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 3	wlan wlan-name	Specifies the WLAN name.	
	Example:		
	Device(config) # <b>wlan</b> ramban		
Step 4	client association limit maximum-clients-per-WLAN	Configures the maximum number of clients that can be associated to the given WLAN.	
	<pre>Example: Device(config-wlan)# client association limit 110</pre>	NoteDepending on the primary AP in the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network, the maximum number of clients supported varies. For more information about the client count limit per WLAN in a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network, see Table 4: Scale Supported in a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller Network, on 	
Step 5	client association limit ap max-clients-per-AP-per-WLAN Example: Device (config-wlan) # client association	Configures the maximum number of clients that can be associated to an AP in the WLAN.	
	limit ap 120		
Step 6	client association limit radio max-clients-per-AP-radio-per-WLAN	Configures the maximum number of clients that can be associated to an AP radio in the WLAN.	
	Example: Device(config-wlan)# client association limit radio 100		
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit	
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.	
Step 8	show wlan id wlan-id	Displays the current configuration of the WLAN	
	Example:	and the corresponding client association lin	
	Device# show wlan id 2		



## **IP** Theft

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### Introduction to IP Theft

The IP Theft feature prevents the usage of an IP address that is already assigned to another device. If the controller finds that two wireless clients are using the same IP address, it declares the client with lesser precedence binding as the IP thief and allows the other client to continue. If blocked list is enabled, the client is put on the exclusion list and thrown out.

The IP Theft feature is enabled by default on the controller. The preference level of the clients (new and existing clients in the database) are also used to report IP theft. The preference level is a learning type or source of learning, such as Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP), Address Resolution Protocol (ARP), data glean (looking at the IP data packet that shows what IP address the client is using), and so on. The wired clients always get a higher preference level. If a wireless client tries to steal the wired IP, that client is declared as a thief.

The order of preference for IPv4 clients are:

- 1. DHCPv4
- **2.** ARP
- 3. Data packets

The order of preference for IPv6 clients are:

- 1. DHCPv6
- 2. NDP
- 3. Data packets



Note

The static wired clients have a higher preference over DHCP.

### **Configuring IP Theft (GUI)**

#### Procedure

 Step 1
 Choose Configuration > Security > Wireless Protection Policies > Client Exclusion Policies.

- Step 2 Check the IP Theft or IP Reuse check box.
- Step 3 Click Apply.

### **Configuring IP Theft**

Follow the procedure given below to configure the IP Theft feature:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps client-exclusion ip-theft	Configures the client exclusion policy.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless wps client-exclusion ip-theft	

### **Configuring the IP Theft Exclusion Timer**

Follow the procedure given below to configure the IP theft exclusion timer:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy profile-policy	Configures a WLAN policy profile and enters
	Example:	wireless policy configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy   default-policy-profile</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	exclusionlist timeout time-in-seconds	Specifies the timeout, in seconds. The valid
	Example:	range is from 0-2147483647. Enter zero (0) for no timeout.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# exclusionlist timeout 5	

## **Verifying IP Theft Configuration**

Use the following command to check if the IP Theft feature is enabled or not:

```
Device# show wireless wps summary
```

```
Client Exclusion Policy
```

Excessive 802.11-association failures :	Enabled
Excessive 802.11-authentication failures:	Enabled
Excessive 802.1x-authentication :	Enabled
IP-theft :	Enabled
Excessive Web authentication failure :	Enabled
Cids Shun failure :	Enabled
Misconfiguration failure :	Enabled
Failed Qos Policy :	Enabled
Failed Epm :	Enabled

Use the following commands to view additional details about the IP Theft feature:

Device# show wireless client summary

#### Number of Local Clients: 1

MAC Address	AP Name	WLAN	State	Protocol	Method	Role
000b.bbb1.0001	SimAP-1	2	Run	11a	None	Local

Number of Excluded Clients: 1

MAC Address	AP Name	WLAN	State	Protocol	Method
10da.4320.cce9	charlie2	2	Excluded	11ac	None

#### Device# show wireless device-tracking database ip

IP	VLAN	STATE	DISCOVERY	MAC
20.20.20.2	20	Reachable	Local	001e.14cc.cbff
20.20.20.6	20	Reachable	IPv4 DHCP	000b.bbb1.0001

#### Device# show wireless exclusionlist

Excluded Clients

MAC Address	Description	Exclusion Reason	Time Remaining
10da.4320.cce9		IP address theft	59

Device# show wireless exclusionlist client mac 12da.4820.cce9 detail Client State : Excluded Client MAC Address : 12da.4820.cce9 Client IPv4 Address: 20.20.20.6 Client IPv6 Address: N/A Client Username: N/A Exclusion Reason : IP address theft Authentication Method : None Protocol: 802.11ac AP MAC Address : 58ac.780e.08f0 AP Name: charlie2 AP slot : 1 Wireless LAN Id : 2 Wireless LAN Name: mhe-ewlc VLAN Id : 20



# **Unscheduled Automatic Power Save Delivery**

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# Information About Unscheduled Automatic Power Save Delivery

Unscheduled automatic power save delivery (U-APSD) is a QoS facility that is defined in IEEE 802.11e that extends the battery life of mobile clients. In addition to extending the battery life, this feature reduces the latency of traffic flow that is delivered over the wireless media. Because U-APSD does not require the client to poll each individual packet that is buffered at the access point, it allows delivery of multiple downlink packets by sending a single uplink trigger packet.

U-APSD is enabled automatically when WMM is enabled.

### Viewing Unscheduled Automatic Power Save Delivery (CLI)

### Procedure

show wireless client mac-address client\_mac detail

#### Example:

D: UAPSD Delivery Enabled  $\ensuremath{\text{T/D}}$  : UAPSD Trigger and Delivery Enabled

Show detailed information of a client by MAC address.



# **Enabling USB Port on Access Points**

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### **USB Port as Power Source for Access Points**

Some Cisco APs have a USB port that can act as a source of power for some USB devices. The power can be up to 2.5W; if a USB device draws more than 2.5W of power, the USB port shuts down automatically. The port is enabled when the power draw is 2.5W and lower. Refer to the datasheet of your AP to check if the AP has a USB port that can act as a source of power.





The controller records the last five power-overdrawn incidents in its logs.



**Caution** When unsupported USB device is connected to the Cisco AP, the following message is displayed:

The inserted USB module is not a supported device. The behavior of this USB device and the impact to the Access Point is not guaranteed. If Cisco determines that a fault or defect can be isolated due to the use of third-party USB modules installed by a customer or reseller, Cisco may withhold support under warranty or support program under contract. In the course of providing support for Cisco networking products, the end user may be required to install Cisco-supported USB modules in the event Cisco determines that removing third-party parts will assist Cisco in diagnosing root cause for troubleshooting purposes. Cisco also reserves the right to charge the customer per then-current time and material rates for services provided to the customer when Cisco determines, after having provided such services, that an unsupported device caused the root cause of the defective product

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# **Configuring an AP Profile (CLI)**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.		
	Example:			
	Device# configure terminal			
Step 2	ap profile ap-profile	Configures an AP profile and enters the AP		
	Example:	profile configuration mode.		
	Device(config)# <b>ap profile xyz-ap-profile</b>	<b>Note</b> When you delete a named profile, the APs associated with that profile will not revert to the default profile.		
Step 3	usb-enable	Enables USB for each AP profile.		
	<pre>Example: Device(config-ap-profile)# usb-enable</pre>	<b>Note</b> By default, the USB for each AP profile is enabled.		
		Use the <b>no usb-enable</b> command to disable USB for each AP profile.		
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.		
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.		
	<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# end</pre>	giotai configuration mode.		

# **Configuring USB Settings for an Access Point (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# <b>enable</b>		
Step 2	ap name ap-name usb-module	Enables the USB port on the AP.	
	Example:	Use the <b>ap name</b> <i>ap-name</i> <b>no usb-module</b>	
	Device# ap name AP44d3.xy45.69a1 usb-module	command to disable the USB port on the AP.	
Step 3	ap name ap-name usb-module override	Overrides USB status of the AP profile and	
	Example:	considers the local AP configuration.	

Command or Action	Purpos	se
Device# ap name AP44d3.xy45.69a1 usb-module override	overrie the AP	e <b>ap name</b> <i>ap-name</i> <b>no usb-module</b> <b>de</b> command to override USB status of and consider the AP profile uration. You can configure the USB status for an AP only if you enable USB override for it.

### Monitoring USB Configurations for Access Points (CLI)

• To view the inventory details of APs, use the following command:

show ap name ap-name inventory

The following is a sample output:

```
Device# show ap name AP500F.8059.1620 inventory
NAME: AP2800 , DESCR: Cisco Aironet 2800 Series (IEEE 802.11ac) Access Point
PID: AIR-AP2802I-D-K9 , VID: 01, SN: XXX1111Y2ZZZ2800
NAME: SanDisk , DESCR: Cruzer Blade
PID: SanDisk , SN: XXXX1110010, MaxPower: 224
```

• To view the summary of an AP module, use the following command:

#### show ap module summary

The following is a sample output:

```
Device# show ap module summary

AP Name External Module External Module PID External Module

Description

AP500F.1111.2222 Enable SanDisk Cruzer Blade
```

• To view the USB configuration details for each AP, use the following command:

show ap name ap-name config general

The following is a sample output:

Device# show ap name AP500F.111.2222 config general

USB Module Type	USB Module
USB Module Status	Disabled
USB Module Operational State	Enabled
USB Override	

• To view status of the USB module, use the following command:

show ap profile name xyz detailed

The following is a sample output:

Device# show ap profile name xyz detailed USB Module : ENABLED



# PART **IV**

# **Network Management**

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# **DHCP Option82**

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#### Information About DHCP Option 82

The embedded wireless controller can be configured to add Option 82 information to DHCP requests from clients before forwarding the requests to a DHCP server. The DHCP server can then be configured to allocate IP addresses to the wireless client based on the information present in DHCP Option 82.

DHCP provides a framework for passing configuration information to hosts on a TCP/IP network. Configuration parameters and other control information are carried in tagged data items that are stored in the Options field of the DHCP message. The data items themselves are also called options. Option 82 contains information known by the relay agent.

The Relay Agent Information option is organized as a single DHCP option that contains one or more suboptions that convey information known by the relay agent. Option 82 was designed to allow a DHCP Relay Agent to insert circuit–specific information into a request that is being forwarded to a DHCP server. This option works by setting two suboptions:

- Circuit ID
- Remote ID

The Circuit ID suboption includes information that is specific to the circuit the request came in on. This suboption is an identifier that is specific to the relay agent. Thus, the circuit that is described will vary depending on the relay agent.

The Remote ID suboption includes information on the remote host–end of the circuit. This suboption usually contains information that identifies the relay agent. In a wireless network, this would likely be a unique identifier of the wireless access point.

You can configure the following DHCP Option 82 options in a embedded wireless controller:

- DHCP Enable
- DHCP Opt82 Enable
- DHCP Opt82 Ascii

- DHCP Opt82 RID
- DHCP Opt Format
- DHCP AP MAC
- DHCP SSID
- DHCP AP ETH MAC
- DHCP AP NAME
- DHCP Site Tag
- DHCP AP Location
- DHCP VLAN ID



**Note** For Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Configuration Best Practices, see the following link: https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/collateral/wireless/catalyst-9800-series-wireless-controllers/ guide-c07-743627.html

### **Configuring DHCP Option 82 Global Interface**

#### **Configuring DHCP Option 82 Globally Through Server Override (CLI)**

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ip dhcp-relay information option server-override	Inserts global server override and link selection suboptions.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ip dhcp-relay information option server-override	

#### **Configuring DHCP Option 82 Globally Through Different SVIs (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > VLAN.
Step 2	Choose a VLAN from the drop-down list.
	The Edit SVI window appears.
Step 3	Click the <b>Advanced</b> tab.
Step 4	Choose an option from the IPv4 Inbound ACL drop-down list.
Step 5	Choose an option from the IPv4 Outbound ACL drop-down list.
Step 6	Choose an option from the IPv6 Inbound ACL drop-down list.
Step 7	Choose an option from the IPv6 Outbound ACL drop-down list.
Step 8	Enter an IP address in the IPv4 Helper Address field.
Step 9	Set the status to <b>Enabled</b> if you want to enable the <b>Relay Information Option</b> setting.
Step 10	Enter the <b>Subscriber ID</b> .
Step 11	Set the status to Enabled if you want to enable the Server ID Override setting.
Step 12	Set the status to <b>Enabled</b> if you want to enable the <b>Option Insert</b> setting.
Step 13	Choose an option from the Source-Interface Vlan drop-down list.
Step 14	Click Update & Apply to Device.

#### **Configuring DHCP Option 82 Globally Through Different SVIs (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ip dhcp-relay source-interface vlan vlan-id	Sets global source interface for relayed
	Example:	messages.
	Device(config)# <b>ip dhcp-relay</b> <b>source-interface vlan 74</b>	

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# **Configuring DHCP Option 82 Format**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy policy-name	Enables configuration for the specified profile
	Example:	policy.
	Device(config)# wireless profile policy pp3	
Step 3	shutdown	Shuts down the profile policy.
	Example:	
	Device (config-wireless-policy) # shutdown	
Step 4	vlan vlan-name	Assigns the profile policy to a VLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# vlan 72	
Step 5	session-timeout value-btwn-20-86400	(Optional) Sets the session timeout value in
	Example:	seconds. The range is between 20-86400.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# session-timeout 300	
Step 6	idle-timeout value-btwn-15-100000	(Optional) Sets the idle timeout value in
	Example:	seconds. The range is between 15-100000.
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# idle-timeout 15</pre>	
Step 7	central switching	Enables central switching.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# central     switching</pre>	
Step 8	ipv4 dhcp opt82	Enables DHCP Option 82 for the wireless
	Example:	clients.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# <b>ipv4</b> dhcp opt82	
Step 9	ipv4 dhcp opt82 ascii	(Optional) Enables ASCII on the DHCP
	Example:	Option 82 feature.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# <b>ipv4</b> <b>dhcp opt82 ascii</b>	
Step 10	<pre>ipv4 dhcp opt82 rid Example: Device(config-wireless-policy)# ipv4 dhcp opt82 rid</pre>	(Optional) Supports the addition of Cisco 2 byte Remote ID (RID) for the DHCP Option 82 feature.
Step 11	ipv4 dhcp opt82 format {ap_dmac ap_bcfm apmac apmac pdiy_tg sid vtn_id}	Enables DHCP Option 82 on the corresponding AP.
	<pre>Example:   Device(config-wireless-policy)# ipv4   dhcp opt82 format apmac</pre>	For information on the various options available with the command, see Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controller Command Reference.
Step 12	no shutdown	Enables the profile policy.
	<pre>Example: Device(config-wireless-policy)# no shutdown</pre>	

# **Configuring DHCP Option82 Through a VLAN Interface**

#### **Configuring DHCP Option 82 Through Option-Insert Command (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	interface vlan vlan-id	Configures a VLAN ID.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # interface vlan 72	
Step 3	ip dhcp relay information option-insert	Inserts relay information in BOOTREQUEST.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-if)# ip dhcp relay information option-insert</pre>	
Step 4	ip address ip-address	Configures the IP address for the interface.
	Example:	

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-if) # ip address 9.3.72.38 255.255.255.0	
Step 5	ip helper-address ip-address	Configures the destination address for UDP
	Example:	broadcasts.
	<pre>Device(config-if) # ip helper-address 9.3.72.1</pre>	
Step 6	[no] mop enabled	Disables the MOP for an interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# no mop enabled	
Step 7	[no] mop sysid	Disables the task of sending MOP periodic
	Example:	system ID messages.
	<pre>Device(config-apgroup)# [no] mop sysid</pre>	

## **Configuring DHCP Option 82 Through the server-ID-override Command (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ip dhcp compatibility suboption	Configures the server-id override suboption to
	server-override cisco	an RFC or Cisco specific value.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ip dhcp compatibility suboption server-override cisco	
Step 3	ip dhcp compatibility suboption link-selection cisco	Configures the link-selection suboption to an RFC or Cisco specific value.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ip dhcp compatibility suboption link-selection cisco	
Step 4	interface vlan vlan-id	Configures a VLAN ID.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# interface vlan 72	
Step 5	ip dhcp relay information option server-id-override	Inserts the server id override and link selection suboptions.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-if)# ip dhcp relay information option server-id-override	
Step 6	ip address ip-address	Configures the IP address for the interface.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-if) # ip address 9.3.72.38 255.255.255.0</pre>	
Step 7	ip helper-address ip-address	Configures the destination address for UDP
	Example:	broadcasts.
	<pre>Device(config-if) # ip helper-address 9.3.72.1</pre>	
Step 8	[no] mop enabled	Disables MOP for an interface.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-if) # no mop enabled</pre>	
Step 9	[no] mop sysid	Disables the task of sending MOP periodic
	Example:	system ID messages.
	Device(config-if)# [no] mop sysid	

### Configuring DHCP Option 82 Through a Subscriber-ID (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	interface vlan vlan-id	Configures a VLAN ID.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # interface vlan 72	
Step 3	ip dhcp relay information option subscriber-id subscriber-id	Inserts the subscriber identifier suboption.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# ip dhcp relay information option subscriber-id test10	
Step 4	ip address ip-address	Configures the IP address for the interface
	Example:	

#### Procedure

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-if) # ip address 9.3.72.38 255.255.255.0	
Step 5	ip helper-address ip-address	Configures the destination address for UDP
	Example:	broadcasts.
	<pre>Device(config-if) # ip helper-address 9.3.72.1</pre>	
Step 6	[no] mop enabled	Disables MOP for an interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if) # no mop enabled	
Step 7	[no] mop sysid	Disables the task of sending MOP periodic
	Example:	system ID messages.
	<pre>Device(config-apgroup)# [no] mop sysid</pre>	

# Configuring DHCP Option 82 Through server-ID-override and subscriber-ID Commands (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	interface vlan vlan-id	Configures a VLAN ID.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# interface vlan 72	
Step 3	ip dhcp relay information option server-id-override	Inserts server ID override and link selection suboptions.
	Example:	
	Device (config-if) # ip dhcp relay information option server-id-override	
Step 4	ip dhcp relay information option subscriber-id subscriber-id	Inserts the subscriber identifier suboption.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# ip dhcp relay information option subscriber-id test10	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	ip address ip-address	Configures the IP address for the interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# ip address 9.3.72.38 255.255.255.0	
Step 6	ip helper-address ip-address	Configures the destination address for UDI
	Example:	broadcasts.
	<pre>Device(config-if) # ip helper-address 9.3.72.1</pre>	
Step 7	[no] mop enabled	Disables the MOP for an interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# no mop enabled	
Step 8	[no] mop sysid	Disables the task of sending MOP periodic
	Example:	system ID messages.
	Device(config-apgroup)# [no] mop sysid	

#### **Configuring DHCP Option 82 Through Different SVIs (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	interface vlan vlan-id	Configures a VLAN ID.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # interface vlan 72	
Step 3	ip dhcp relay source-interface vlan vlan-id	Configures a source interface for relayed
	Example:	messages on a VLAN ID.
	Device(config-if)# ip dhcp relay source-interface vlan 74	
Step 4	ip address ip-address	Configures the IP address for the interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# ip address 9.3.72.38 255.255.255.0	

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	ip helper-address ip-address	Configure the destination address for UDP
	Example:	broadcasts.
	<pre>Device(config-if)# ip helper-address 9.3.72.1</pre>	
Step 6	[no] mop enabled	Disables the MOP for an interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# no mop enabled	
Step 7	[no] mop sysid	Disables the task of sending MOP periodic
	Example:	system ID messages.
	Device(config-apgroup)# [no] mop sysid	



# **RADIUS Realm**

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### Information About RADIUS Realm

The RADIUS Realm feature is associated with the domain of the user. Using this feature, a client can choose the RADIUS server through which authentication and accounting is to be processed.

When mobile clients are associated with a WLAN, RADIUS realm is received as a part of Extensible Authentication Protocol Method for UMTS Authentication and Key Agreement (EAP-AKA) identity response request in the authentication request packet. The Network Access Identifier (NAI) format (EAP-AKA) for WLAN can be specified as *username@domain.com*. The realm in the NAI format is represented after the @ symbol, which is specified as domain.com. If vendor-specific attributes are added as *test*, the NAI format is represented as test@domain.com.

The RADIUS Realm feature can be enabled and disabled on a WLAN. If Realm is enabled on a WLAN, the corresponding user should send the username in the NAI format. The embedded wireless controller sends the authentication request to the AAA server only when the realm, which is in the NAI format and is received from the client, is compiled as per the given standards. Apart from authentication, accounting requests are also required to be sent to the AAA server based on realm filtering.

#### **Realm Support on a WLAN**

Each WLAN is configured to support NAI realms. After the realm is enabled on a particular SSID, the lookup is done to match the realms received in the EAP identity response against the configured realms on the RADIUS server. If the client does not send a username with the realm, the default RADIUS server that is configured on the WLAN is used for authentication. If the realm that is received from the client does not match the configured realms on the WLAN, the client is deauthenticated and dropped.

If the RADIUS Realm feature is not enabled on a WLAN, the username that is received as part of the EAP identity request is directly used as the username and the configured RADIUS server is used for authentication and accounting. By default, the RADIUS Realm feature is disabled on WLANs.

• **Realm Match for Authentication**: In dot1x with EAP methods (similar to EAP AKA), the username is received as part of an EAP identity response. A realm is derived from the username and are matched

with the realms that are already configured in the corresponding RADIUS authentication server. If there is a match, the authentication requests are forwarded to the RADIUS server. If there is a mismatch, the client is deauthenticated.

• **Realm Match for Accounting**: A client's username is received through an access-accept message. When accounting messages are triggered, the realm is derived from the corresponding client's username and compared with the accounting realms configured on the RADIUS accounting server. If there is a match, accounting requests are forwarded to the RADIUS server. If there is a mismatch, accounting requests are dropped.

#### **Enabling RADIUS Realm**

Follow the procedure given below to enable RADIUS realm:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless aaa policy aaa-policy	Creates a new AAA policy.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless aaa policy policy-1	
Step 3	aaa-realm enable	Enables AAA RADIUS realm selection.
	Example:	Note Use the no aaa-realm enable or the
	Device(config-aaa-policy)# aaa-realm enable	<b>default aaa-realm enable</b> command to disable the RADIUS realm.

# Configuring Realm to Match the RADIUS Server for Authentication and Accounting

Follow the procedure given below to configure the realm to match the RADIUS server for authentication and accounting:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	aaa new-model	Creates a AAA authentication model.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa new-model	
Step 3	aaa authorization network default group radius-server-group	Sets the authorization method.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authorization network default group aaa_group_name	
Step 4	aaa authentication dot1x realm group radius-server-group	Indicates that dot1x must use the realm group RADIUS server.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authentication dot1x cisco.com group cisco1	
Step 5	aaa authentication login realm group radius-server-group	Defines the authentication method at login.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authentication login cisco.com group ciscol	
Step 6	aaa accounting identity realm start-stop	Enables accounting to send a start-record
	group radius-server-group	accounting notice when a client is authorized,
	Example:	and a stop-record at the end.
	<pre>Device(config)# aaa accounting identity   cisco.com start-stop group ciscol</pre>	
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# **Configuring the AAA Policy for a WLAN**

Follow the procedure given below to configure the AAA policy for a WLAN:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless aaa policy aaa-policy-name	Creates a new AAA policy for wireless.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless aaa policy aaa-policy-1	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	aaa-realm enable	Enables AAA RADIUS server selection by
	Example:	realm.
	<pre>Device(config-aaa-policy)# aaa-realm enable</pre>	
Step 4	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-aaa-policy)# exit</pre>	
Step 5	wireless profile policy wlan-policy-profile	Configures a WLAN policy profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy wlan-policy-a</pre>	
Step 6	aaa-policy aaa-policy	Maps the AAA policy.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# aaa-policy aaa-policy-1</pre>	
Step 7	accounting-list acct-config-realm	Sets the accounting list.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# accounting-list cisco.com</pre>	
Step 8	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# exit</pre>	
Step 9	wlan wlan-name wlan-id ssid	Configures a WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wlan wlan2 14 wlan-aaa	
Step 10	<pre>security dot1x authentication-list auth-list-realm</pre>	Enables the security authentication list for IEEE 802.1x.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security dot1x authentication-list cisco.com	
Step 11	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# exit	
Step 12	wireless tag policy <i>policy</i>	Configures a policy tag.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless tag policy tag-policy-1	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 13	wlan wlan-name policy policy-profile	Maps a policy profile to the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-policy-tag)# wlan Abc-wlan policy wlan-policy-a	
Step 14	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-policy-tag)# exit	

#### Verifying the RADIUS-Realm Configuration

Use the following command to verify the RADIUS-realm configuration:

Device# show wireless client mac-address 14bd.61f3.6a24 detail

```
Client MAC Address : 14bd.61f3.6a24
Client IPv4 Address : 9.4.113.103
Client IPv6 Addresses : fe80::286e:9fe0:7fa6:8f4
Client Username : sacthoma@cisco.com
AP MAC Address : 4c77.6d79.5a00
AP Name: AP4c77.6d53.20ec
AP slot : 1
Client State : Associated
Policy Profile : name-policy-profile
Flex Profile : N/A
Wireless LAN Id : 3
Wireless LAN Name: ha realm WLAN WPA2 AES DOT1X
BSSID : 4c77.6d79.5a0f
Connected For : 26 seconds
Protocol : 802.11ac
Channel : 44
Client IIF-ID : 0xa0000001
Association Id : 1
Authentication Algorithm : Open System
Client CCX version : No CCX support
Re-Authentication Timeout : 1800 sec (Remaining time: 1775 sec)
Input Policy Name : None
Input Policy State : None
Input Policy Source : None
Output Policy Name : None
Output Policy State : None
Output Policy Source : None
WMM Support : Enabled
U-APSD Support : Enabled
 U-APSD value : 0
 APSD ACs : BK, BE, VI, VO
Fastlane Support : Disabled
Power Save : OFF
Supported Rates : 9.0,18.0,36.0,48.0,54.0
Mobility:
 Move Count
                              : 0
 Mobility Role
                              : Local
 Mobility Roam Type
                              : None
 Mobility Complete Timestamp : 06/12/2018 19:52:35 IST
Policy Manager State: Run
```

NPU Fast Fast Notified : No Last Policy Manager State : IP Learn Complete Client Entry Create Time : 25 seconds Policy Type : WPA2 Encryption Cipher : CCMP (AES) Authentication Key Management : 802.1x Encrypted Traffic Analytics : No Management Frame Protection : No Protected Management Frame - 802.11w : No EAP Type : PEAP VLAN : 113 Multicast VLAN : 0 Access VLAN : 113 Anchor VLAN : 0 WFD capable : No Managed WFD capable : No Cross Connection capable : No Support Concurrent Operation : No Session Manager: Interface : capwap 9040000f : 0x9040000F IIF ID Authorized : TRUE Session timeout : 1800 Common Session ID: 09770409000000DF4607B3B Acct Session ID : 0x00000fa2 Aaa Server Details Server TP : 9.4.23.50 Auth Method Status List Method : Dotlx SM State : AUTHENTICATED SM Bend State : IDLE Local Policies: Service Template : wlan\_svc\_name-policy-profile\_local (priority 254) Absolute-Timer : 1800 : 113 VLAN Server Policies: Resultant Policies: : 113 VLAN Absolute-Timer : 1800 DNS Snooped IPv4 Addresses : None DNS Snooped IPv6 Addresses : None Client Capabilities CF Pollable : Not implemented CF Poll Request : Not implemented Short Preamble : Not implemented PBCC : Not implemented Channel Agility : Not implemented Listen Interval : 0 Fast BSS Transition Details : Reassociation Timeout : 0 11v BSS Transition : Not implemented FlexConnect Data Switching : Central FlexConnect Dhcp Status : Central FlexConnect Authentication : Central FlexConnect Central Association : No Fabric status : Disabled Client Scan Reports Assisted Roaming Neighbor List



# **Persistent SSID Broadcast**

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#### **Persistent SSID Broadcast**

Access Points within a mesh network work as Root Access Points (RAP) or Mesh Access Points (MAP). RAPs have wired connection to the embedded wireless controller and MAPs have wireless connection to the embedded wireless controller. This feature is applicable only to the Cisco Aironet 1542 Access Points in the Flex+Bridge mode.

This feature is about the Root Access Points (RAPs) and Mesh Access Points (MAPs) broadcasting the SSID even when the WAN connectivity is down. This is required in order to isolate the responsibility; whether the fault is with backhaul or with the access wireless network, since there can be different operators owning each part of the network.

RAPs and MAPs broadcast SSID while in standalone mode, as long as the default gateway is reachable.

Also refer Mesh Deployment Guide for Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controllers.

### **Configuring Persistent SSID Broadcast**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap profile ap-profile-name	Configures the AP profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap profile ap-profile-name	

	Command or Action	Purpos	e
Step 3	[no]ssid broadcast persistent	The <b>ssid broadcast</b> command configures the SSID broadcast mode. The <b>persistent</b> keywo	
	Example:		
	Device(config-ap-profile)# [no] ssid broadcast persistent	enables a persistent SSID broadcast, where the associated APs will re-join. Use the <b>[no]</b> form of the command to disable the feature.	
		Note	Enabling or disabling this feature causes the AP to re-join.

# **Verifying Persistent SSID Broadcast**

To view the configuration of all Cisco APs, use the following show command:



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#### Network Monitoring

Using this feature, the embedded wireless controller exposes the APIs or pushes data to a third-party system, which is utilized to develop an application for monitoring certain parameters such as, Name of the Village, Access Points in Each Village, and so on.

The mechanism that is used to transfer data to the third-party system is NETCONF/YANG. YANG can be used with the Network Configuration Protocol (NETCONF) to provide the desired solution of automated and programmable network operations.

You can contact the API or Developer Support for NETCONF/YANG features using the following link:

https://developer.cisco.com/site/support/#

The two types of information provided are:

- Status information received synchronously NETCONF is the management interface used for status information, which allows to publish the operational state of the device, including the embedded wireless controller.
- Alarm and event information sent asynchronously NETCONF/YANG push is the solution used for alarm and event information, which provides the mechanism to send NETCONF notifications subscribed for.

## Status Information Received Synchronously - Configuration Examples

NETCONF/YANG interface is used to accomplish customer requests.

The prerequisite configuration for Status Information and Alarm and Event Information is to enable NETCONF server on the embedded wireless controller by using the following command:

netconf-yang

The above command not only enables notifications, but also allows for configuration and operation access (OAM) via Netconf/Yang. For more information on Netconf/Yang, see the *NETCONF Protocol* chapter of the Programmability Configuration Guide at: https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/support/ios-nx-os-software/ ios-xe-17/products-installation-and-configuration-guides-list.html

In the Status Information Received Synchronously type, the following information is exported though NETCONF:

- · Name of the village
- APs in each village
- · Status of each AP
- Number of clients currently connected and logged on in each village and each AP

All the data for the items listed above is already available as the embedded wireless controller operational data exported through NETCONF. The examples below explain where the data items listed are available.

The following command is used in the embedded wireless controller:

wireless tag site village name 1

The site tags can be retrieved by NETCONF using the get-config operation.

#### Example output for Name of the Village:

```
<site-cfg-data xmlns="http://cisco.com/ns/yang/Cisco-IOS-XE-wireless-site-cfg">
[...]
<site-tag-configs>
    <site-tag-configs
        <site-tag-name>village_name_1</site-tag-name>
        <description>custom user site tag for a village</description>
        </site-tag-configs
[...]
</site-tag-configs>
```

The embedded wireless controller's operational data contains all the connected (joined) APs and lists their site tags. The example output displays the detailed information about the APs and the site tags. The following example displays the relevant fields and the corresponding embedded wireless controller show commands:

#### Example output of Access Point per Village:

```
<data>
    <access-point-oper-data
xmlns="http://cisco.com/ns/yang/Cisco-IOS-XE-wireless-access-point-oper">
    [...]
      <radio-oper-data>
        <wtp-mac>00:1b:0c:00:02:00</wtp-mac>
                                               #show ap dot11 {24ghz|5ghz} summary "MAC
Address"
        <radio-slot-id>0</radio-slot-id>
                                               #show ap dot11 {24ghz|5ghz} summary "Slot"
        <ap-mac>00:1b:0c:00:02:00</ap-mac>
        <slot-id>0</slot-id>
        <radio-type>1</radio-type>
                                               # 1 - 2.4GHz, 2 - 5GHz
        <admin-state>enabled</admin-state>
                                               #show ap dot11 {24ghz|5ghz} summary "Admin
State"
                                               #show ap dot11 {24ghz|5ghz} summary "Oper
        <oper-state>radio-up</oper-state>
State"
    [...]
[...]
      <capwap-data>
```

```
<wtp-mac>00:1b:0c:00:02:00</wtp-mac>
                                                            #show ap summary "Radio MAC"
                                                                              "State"
       <ap-operation-state>registered</ap-operation-state> #show ap summary
       <ip-addr>10.102.140.10</ip-addr>
                                                            #show ap summary "IP Address"
       [...]
                                                                    "Status", 1 - Enabled,
       <admin-state>1</admin-state>
                                                  #show ap status
2 - Disabled
       <location>default-location </location>
                                                  #show ap summary "Location"
       <country-code>CH </country-code>
       <name>AP A-1</name>
                                                  #show ap summary "AP Name"
[...]
       <tag-info>
         [...]
         <site-tag>
         <site-tag-name>village name 1</site-tag-name> #show ap name AP A-1 config general
"Site Tag Name"
           [...]
         </site-tag>
[...]
```

The operational data of the embedded wireless controller contains all the connected wireless clients information, which includes detailed client device information, such as the MAC address, IP address, State and the AP name.

Example output of the **Number of clients currently online and logged in each village and each AP**:

# Alarm and Event Information Received Asynchronously -Configuration Examples

The push functionality for the alarm and event information is fulfilled with on-change notifications through NETCONF dynamic subscriptions, with XML encoding.

Example output of AP Up/Down Events - Subscription

Request:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<rpc message-id="urn:uuid:b0c581c9-ff5a-4352-9e64-7f2ce1ec603a"
xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:netconf:base:1.0">
<establish-subscription xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-event-notifications"
    xmlns:yp="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-yang-push">
    <stream>yp="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-yang-push">
    <stream>yp:yang-push</stream>
    <yp:xpath-filter>/access-point-oper-data/capwap-data/ap-operation-state</yp:xpath-filter>
    </ge:dampening-period>0</yp:dampening-period>
    </establish-subscription>
</rpc>
```

#### Reply:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<rpc-reply xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:netconf:base:1.0"
message-id="urn:uuid:673b42b2-e988-4e20-a6c3-0679c08e6114"><subscription-result</pre>
xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-event-notifications'
xmlns:notif-bis="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-event-notifications">notif-bis:ok</subscription-result>
<subscription-id
xmlns='urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-event-notifications'>2147483652</subscription-id>
</rpc-reply>
-->>
(Default Callback)
            : 2018-03-09 15:08:21.880000+00:00
Event time
Subscription Id : 2147483651
Туре
               : 2
Data
               :
<datastore-changes-xml xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-yang-push">
  <yang-patch xmlns="urn:ietf:params:xml:ns:yang:ietf-yang-patch">
    <patch-id>null</patch-id>
    <edit>
      <edit-id>edit1</edit-id>
      <operation>merge</operation>
      <target>/access-point-oper-data/capwap-data</target>
      <value>
       <capwap-data xmlns="http://cisco.com/ns/yang/Cisco-IOS-XE-wireless-access-point-oper">
          <ap-operation-state>registered</ap-operation-state>
          <wtp-mac>00ab11006600</wtp-mac>
        </capwap-data>
      </value>
    </edit>
  </yang-patch>
</datastore-changes-xml>
<<---
```



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#### Information About Network Mobility Services Protocol

Cisco Network Mobility Services Protocol (NMSP) is a secure two-way protocol that can be run over a connection-oriented (TLS) or connection-less (DTLS) transport. The wireless infrastructure runs the NMSP server and Cisco Connected Mobile Experiences (Cisco CMX) acts as an NMSP client. The embedded wireless controller supports multiple services and multiple Cisco CMXs can connect to the NMSP server to get the data for the services (location of wireless devices, probe RSSI, hyperlocation, wIPS, and so on.) over the NMSP session.

NMSP defines the intercommunication between Cisco CMX and the embedded wireless controller. Cisco CMX communicates to the embedded wireless controller over a routed IP network. Both publish-subscribe and request-reply communication models are supported. Typically, Cisco CMX establishes a subscription to receive services data from the embedded wireless controller in the form of periodic updates. The embedded wireless controller acts as a data publisher, broadcasting services data to multiple CMXs. Besides subscription, Cisco CMX can also send requests to the embedded wireless controller, causing the embedded wireless controller to send a response back.

NMSP essentially provides a way to the applications in the embedded wireless controller to talk to the outside world. The NMSP in the embedded wireless controller also provides the flexibility to change the protocol to talk to the outside world.

The following is a list of the Network Mobility Services Protocol features:

- NMSP is disabled by default.
- NMSP communicates with Cisco CMX using TCP, and uses TLS for encryption.



HTTPS is not supported for data transport between embedded wireless controller and Cisco CMX.

#### **Enabling NMSP On-Premises Services**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.		
	Example:			
	Device# configure terminal			
Step 2	nmsp enable	Enables NMSP on premises services.		
	Example:	<b>Note</b> By default, the NMSP is disabled on		
	Device(config) # nmsp enable	the embedded wireless controller.		
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.		
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.		
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>			

# Modifying the NMSP Notification Interval for Clients, RFID Tags, and Rogues

NMSP manages communication between the Cisco Connected Mobile Experiences (Cisco CMX) and the embedded wireless controller for incoming and outgoing traffic. If your application requires more frequent location updates, you can modify the NMSP notification interval (to a value between 1 and 180 seconds) for clients, active RFID tags, and rogue access points and clients.



Note

The TCP port (16113) that the embedded wireless controller and Cisco CMX communicate over must be open (not blocked) on any firewall that exists between the embedded wireless controller and the Cisco CMX for NMSP to function.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example: Device(config)# end	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# Modifying the NMSP Notification Threshold for Clients, and Tags

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	<pre>location notify-threshold {clients   tags } threshold</pre>	Configures the NMSP notification threshold for clients, and tags.	
	Example: Device(config)# location notify-threshold clients 5	<i>threshold</i> - RSSI threshold value in db. Valid range is from 0 to 10.	
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	

# **Configuring NMSP Strong Cipher**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	nmsp strong-cipher Example: Device(config)# nmsp strong-cipher	<ul> <li>Enable strong ciphers for NMSP server, which contains</li> <li>"ECDHE-RSA-AES128-GCM-SHA256:, ECDHE-ECDSA-AES128-GCM-SHA256:, AES256-SHA256:AES256-SHA:, and AES128-SHA256:AES128-SHA".</li> <li>Normal cipher suite contains, "ECDHE-RSA-AES128-GCM-SHA256:, ECDHE-ECDSA-AES128-GCM-SHA256:, and AES128-SHA".</li> </ul>
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

### **Verifying NMSP Settings**

To view the NMSP capabilities of the embedded wireless controller, use the following command:

To view the NMSP notification intervals, use the following command:

```
Device# show nmsp notification interval
NMSP Notification Intervals
------
RSSI Interval:
Client : 2 sec
RFID : 50 sec
Rogue AP : 2 sec
Rogue Client : 2 sec
Spectrum : 2 sec
```

To view the connection-specific statistics counters for all CMX connections, use the following command:

```
Device# show nmsp statistics connection

NMSP Connection Counters

------

CMX IP Address: 10.22.244.31, Status: Active

State:

Connections : 1

Disconnections : 0

Rx Data Frames : 13

Tx Data Frames : 99244

Unsupported messages : 0
```

Mes	sage Counters:	
ID	Name	Count
1	Echo Request	6076
7	Capability Notification	2
13	Measurement Request	5
16	Information Request	3
20	Statistics Request	2
30	Service Subscribe Request	1
	2	
ID	Name	Count
2	Echo Response	6076
7	Capability Notification	1
14	Measurement Response	13
15	Measurement Notification	91120
17	Information Response	6
18	Information Notification	7492
21	Statistics Response	2
22	Statistics Notification	305
2.1	a	1
	Service Subscribe Response AP Info Notification	1 304
	ID 1 7 13 16 20 30 Mes ID 2 7 14 15 17 18 21 22	<pre>1 Echo Request 7 Capability Notification 13 Measurement Request 16 Information Request 20 Statistics Request 30 Service Subscribe Request Message Counters: 10 Name 2 Echo Response 7 Capability Notification 14 Measurement Response 15 Measurement Notification 17 Information Response 18 Information Notification 21 Statistics Response 22 Statistics Notification</pre>

To view the common statistic counter of the embedded wireless controller's NMSP service, use the following command:

Device# show nmsp statistics summary NMSP Global Counters \_\_\_\_\_ Number of restarts : SSL Statistics \_\_\_\_\_ : 6 Total amount of verifications Verification failures : 6 Verification success : 0 Amount of connections created : 8 Amount of connections closed : 7 Total amount of accept attempts : 8 : 0 Failures in accept Amount of successful accepts : 8 Amount of failed registrations : 0 AAA Statistics ------Total amount of AAA requests : 7 Failed to send requests : 0 Requests sent to AAA : 7 Responses from AAA : 7 Responses from AAA to validate : 7 Responses validate error : 6 Responses validate success : 1

To view the overall NMSP connections, use the following command:

Device# show nmsp status NMSP Status

CMX IP Address	Active	Tx Echo Resp	Rx Echo Req	Tx Data	Rx Data	Transport
127.0.0.1	Active	б	6	1	2	TLS

To view all mobility services subscribed by all CMXs, use the following command:

Device# show nmsp :	subscription detail
CMX IP address 127	.0.0.1:
Service	Subservice
RSSI	Rogue, Tags, Mobile Station
Spectrum	
Info	Rogue, Mobile Station,
Statistics	Tags, Mobile Station,
AP Info	Subscription

To view all mobility services subscribed by a specific CMX, use the following command:

To view the overall mobility services subscribed by all CMXs, use the following command:

Device# <b>show nmsp</b> : Service	<b>subscription summary</b> Subservice
RSSI	Rogue, Tags, Mobile Station,
Spectrum	
Info	Rogue, Mobile Station,
Statistics	Tags, Mobile Station,
AP Info	Subscription

#### **Examples: NMSP Settings Configuration**

This example shows how to configure the NMSP notification interval for RFID tags:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# nmsp notification interval rssi rfid 50
Device(config)# end
Device# show nmsp notification interval
```

This example shows how to configure the NMSP notification interval for clients:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# nmsp notification interval rssi clients 180
Device(config)# end
Device# show nmsp notification interval
```

#### **Probe RSSI Location**

The Probe RSSI Location feature allows the wireless embedded wireless controller and Cisco CMX to support the following:

- · Load balancing
- Coverage Hole detection

· Location updates to CMX

When a wireless client is enabled, it sends probe requests to identify the wireless networks in the vicinity and also to find the received signal strength indication (RSSI) associated with the identified Service Set Identifiers (SSIDs).

The wireless client periodically performs active scanning in background even after being connected to an access point. This helps them to have an updated list of access points with best signal strength to connect. When the wireless client can no longer connect to an access point, it uses the access point list stored to connect to another access point that gives it the best signal strength. The access points in the WLAN gather these probe requests, RSSI and MAC address of the wireless clients and forwards them to the wireless embedded wireless controllers. The Cisco CMX gathers this data from the wireless embedded wireless controller and uses it to compute the updated location of the wireless client when it roams across the network.

### **Configuring Probe RSSI**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless probe filter	Enables filtering of unacknowledged probe
	Example:	requests from AP to improve the location accuracy.
	Device(config)# wireless probe filter	Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to disable the feature. This will forward both acknowledged and unacknowledged probe requests to the embedded wireless controller.
Step 3	<pre>wireless probe limit limit-value interval Example: Device(config)# wireless probe limit 10 100</pre>	Configures the number of probe request reported to the wireless embedded wireless controller from the AP for the same client on a given interval.
		Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to revert to the default limit, which is 2 probes at an interval of 500 ms.
Step 4	wireless probe locally-administered-mac	Enables the reporting of probes from clients
	Example:	having locally administered MAC address.
	Device(config)# wireless probe locally-administered-mac	
Step 5	location algorithm rssi-average	Sets the probe RSSI measurement updates to a more accurate algorithm but with more CPU
	Example:	overhead.
	Device(config)# location algorithm rssi-average	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 6	<pre>location algorithm simple Example: Device(config)# location algorithm simple</pre>	<ul><li>(Optional) Sets the probe RSSI measurement updates to a faster algorithm with smaller CPU overhead, but less accuracy.</li><li>Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to revert the algorithm type to the default one, which is <i>rssi-average</i>.</li></ul>
Step 7	<pre>location expiry client interval Example: Device(config)# location expiry client 300</pre>	Configures the timeout for RSSI values. The <b>no</b> form of the command sets it to a default value of 15.
Step 8	<pre>location notify-threshold client threshold-db Example: Device(config)# location notify-threshold client 5</pre>	Configures the notification threshold for clients. The <b>no</b> form of the command sets it to a default value of 0.
Step 9	<pre>location rssi-half-life client time-in-seconds Example: Device(config)# location rssi-half-life client 20</pre>	Configures half life when averaging two RSSI readings. To disable this option, set the value to 0.

#### What to do next

Use the **show wireless client probing** command to view each probing client (associated and probing only) by batch of 10 mac addresses.

#### Verifying Probe RSSI

To view the details of the AP the associated client was detected with, and with which RSSI:

```
Device# show wireless client mac-address 4.4.4 detail
****snippet of the output****
Nearby AP Statistics:
TEST_AP-1 (slot 0)
antenna 0: 0 s ago ..... -77 dBm
antenna 1: 0 s ago ..... -88 dBm
TEST_AP-5 (slot 0)
antenna 0: 0 s ago ..... -64 dBm
antenna 1: 0 s ago .... -36 dBm
TEST_AP-6 (slot 0)
antenna 0: 0 s ago ..... -69 dBm
antenna 1: 0 s ago .... -79 dBm
```

# **RFID Tag Support**

The embedded wireless controller enables you to configure radio frequency identification (RFID) tag tracking. RFID tags are small wireless battery-powered tags that continuously broadcast their own signal and are affixed

to assets for real-time location tracking. They operate by advertising their location using special 802.11 packets, which are processed by access points, the embedded wireless controller, and the Cisco CMX. Only active RFIDs are supported. A combination of active RFID tags and wireless embedded wireless controller allows you to track the current location of equipment. *Active* tags are typically used in real-time tracking of high-value assets in *closed-loop* systems (that is,) systems in which the tags are not intended to physically leave the control premises of the tag owner or originator.

For more information on RFID tags, see the Active RFID Tags section of the *Wi-Fi Location-Based Services* 4.1 Design Guide.

#### **General Guidelines**

- Only Cisco-compliant active RFID tags are supported.
- You can verify the RFID tags on the embedded wireless controller.
- High Availability for RFID tags are supported.

### **Configuring RFID Tag Support**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	wireless rfid	Enables RFID tag tracking.	
	Example:	The default value is enabled.	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless rfid</pre>	Use the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable RFID tag tracking.	
Step 3	wireless rfid timeout timeout-value	Configures the RFID tag data timeout value to	
	Example:	cleanup the table.	
	Device(config)# wireless rfid timeout 90	The timeout value is the amount of time that the embedded wireless controller maintains tags before expiring them. For example, if a tag is configured to beacon every 30 seconds, we recommend that you set the timeout value to 90 seconds (approximately three times the beacon value). The default value is 1200 seconds.	

## **Verifying RFID Tag Support**

To view the summary of RFID tags that are clients, use the following command:

Device# show wireless rfid client

To view the detailed information for an RFID tag, use the following command:

```
Device# show wireless rfid detail <rfid-mac-address>
RFID address 000c.cc96.0001
Vendor Cisco
Last Heard 6 seconds ago
Packets Received 187
Bytes Received 226
Content Header
_____
 CCX Tag Version 0
 Tx power: 12
 Channel: 11
 Reg Class: 4
CCX Payload
_____
 Last Sequence Control 2735
 Payload length 221
 Payload Data Hex Dump:
 00000000 00 02 00 00 01 09 00 00 00 00 0c b8 ff ff ff 02
                                             | . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
 00000010 07 42 03 20 00 00 0b b8 03 4b 00 00 00 00 00 00
                                             |.B. ....K.....|
 | . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
```

To view the summary information for all known RFID tags, use the following command:

```
Device# show wireless rfid summary
```

```
Total RFID entries: : 16

Total Unique RFID entries : 16

RFID ID VENDOR Closet AP RSSI Time Since Last Heard

0012.b80a.c791 Cisco 7069.5a63.0520 -31 3 minutes 30 seconds ago

0012.b80b.e053 Cisco 7069.5a63.0460 -33 4 minutes 5 seconds ago

0012.b80d.e9f9 Cisco 7069.5a63.0460 -38 4 minutes 28 seconds ago

0012.b80d.ea03 Cisco 7069.5a63.0460 -38 4 minutes 29 seconds ago

0012.b80d.ea03 Cisco 7069.5a63.0520 -43 4 minutes 29 seconds ago

0012.b80d.ea6b Cisco 7069.5a63.0460 -39 4 minutes 26 seconds ago

0012.b80d.ebe8 Cisco 7069.5a63.0520 -43 3 minutes 21 seconds ago

0012.b80d.ebe8 Cisco 7069.5a63.0520 -43 4 minutes 28 seconds ago

0012.b80d.ec48 Cisco 7069.5a63.0520 -43 4 minutes 28 seconds ago

0012.b80d.ec48 Cisco 7069.5a63.0520 -43 4 minutes 7 seconds ago

0012.b80d.ec55 Cisco 7069.5a63.0520 -41 1 minute 52 seconds ago
```

To view the location-based system RFID statistics, use the following command:

Device# show wireless rfid stats

```
RFID total delete record : 0
RFID error exceeded ap count : 0
RFID error record remove : 0
RFID old rssi expired count: 0
RFId smallest rssi expireed count : 0
RFID total query insert : 0
RFID error invalid rssi count : 0
```

To view the NMSP notification interval, use the following command:

Device# show nmsp notification interval

NMSP Notification Intervals RSSI Interval: Client : 2 sec RFID : 50 sec Rogue AP : 2 sec Rogue Client : 2 sec Spectrum : 2 sec



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### Information About Application Visibility and Control

Application Visibility and Control (AVC) is a subset of the entire Flexible NetFlow (FNF) package that can provide traffic information. The AVC feature employs a distributed approach that benefits from NBAR running on the access point (AP) or embedded wireless controller whose goal is to run deep packet inspection (DPI) and reports the results using FNF messages.

AVC enables you to perform real-time analysis and create policies to reduce network congestion, costly network link usage, and infrastructure upgrades. Traffic flows are analyzed and recognized using the NBAR2 engine. The specific flow is marked with the recognized protocol or application. This per-flow information can be used for application visibility using FNF. After the application visibility is established, a user can define control rules with policing mechanisms for a client.

Using AVC rules, you can limit the bandwidth of a particular application for all the clients joined on the WLAN. These bandwidth contracts coexist with per-client downstream rate limiting that takes precedence over the per-application rate limits.

FNF feature is supported in wireless, and relies on the NetFlow enablement on the embedded wireless controller for flex mode.

The behavior of the AVC solution changes based on the wireless deployments. The following sections describe the commonalities and differences in all scenarios:

### Flex Mode

- NBAR is enabled on an AP
- AVC pushes the FNF configuration to the APs.
- Supports context transfer for roaming in AVC-FNF.
- Supports NetFlow exporter.

### Prerequisites for Application Visibility and Control

- The access points should be AVC capable.
- For the control part of AVC (QoS) to work, the application visibility feature with FNF has to be configured.

### **Restrictions for Application Visibility and Control**

- Layer 2 roaming is not supported across embedded wireless controllercontrollers.
- Multicast traffic is not supported.
- AVC is supported only on the following access points:
  - Cisco Aironet 1800 Series Access Points
  - Cisco Aironet 2700 Series Access Point
  - Cisco Aironet 2800 Series Access Point
  - Cisco Aironet 3700 Series Access Points
  - Cisco Aironet 3800 Series Access Points
  - Cisco Aironet 4800 Series Access Points
- AVC is not supported on Cisco Aironet 702W, 702I (128 M memory), and 1530 Series access points.
- Only the applications that are recognized with App visibility can be used for applying QoS control.
- Data link is not supported for NetFlow fields in AVC.
- You cannot map the same WLAN profile to both the AVC-not-enabled policy profile and the AVC-enabled policy profile.
- NBAR-based QoS policy configuration is allowed at client level and BSSID level, configured on policy profile.

When AVC is enabled, the AVC profile supports only up to 23 rules, which includes the default DSCP rule. The AVC policy will not be pushed down to the AP, if rules are more than 23.

### **AVC Configuration Overview**

To configure AVC, follow these steps:

- 1. Create a flow monitor using the record wireless avc basic command.
- 2. Create a wireless policy profile.
- 3. Apply the flow monitor to the wireless policy profile.
- 4. Create a wireless policy tag.
- 5. Map the WLAN to the policy profile
- 6. Attach the policy tag to the APs.

## **Create a Flow Monitor**

The NetFlow configuration requires a flow record, a flow monitor, and a flow exporter. This configuration should be the first step in the overall AVC configuration.



**Note** In Flex mode, the default values for **cache timeout active** and **cache timeout inactive** commands are not optimal for AVC. We recommend that you set both the values to 60 in the flow monitor.

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	flow monitor monitor-name	Creates a flow monitor.	
	Example:		
	Device(config) # flow monitor fm_avc		
Step 3	record wireless avc basic	Specifies the basic wireless AVC flow ter	mplate.
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-flow-monitor)# record wireless avc basic	Note The record wireless avc basis command is same as record wireless avc ipv4 basic command. How record wireless avc ipv4 basis command is not supported in or Fabric modes. In such scent use the record wireless avc bis command.	<b>ireless</b> wever, <b>sic</b> Flex narios,

# **Configuring a Flow Monitor (GUI)**

#### Before you begin

You must have created a flow exporter to export data from the flow monitor.

#### Procedure

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Services** > **Application Visibility** and go to the **Flow Monitor** tab .
- **Step 2** In the **Monitor** area, click **Add** to add a flow monitor.
- **Step 3** In the **Flow Monitor** window, add a flow monitor and a description.
- **Step 4** Select the Flow exporter from the drop-down list to export the data from the flow monitor to a collector.
  - **Note** To export wireless netflow data, use the templates below:
    - ETA (Encrypted Traffic Analysis)
    - · wireless avc basic
    - wireless avc basic IPv6
- **Step 5** Click **Apply to Device** to save the configuration.

# **Create a Flow Exporter**

You can create a flow exporter to define the export parameters for a flow. This is an optional procedure for configuring flow exporter parameters.



Note

For the AVC statistics to be visible at the embedded wireless controller, you should configure a local flow exporter using the following commands:

- flow exporter my\_local
- destination local wlc

Also, your flow monitor must use this local exporter for the statistics to be visible at the embedded wireless controller.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	flow exporter flow-export-name	Creates a flow monitor.
	Example:	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config) # flow exporter export-test	
Step 2	description <i>string</i> Example:	Describes the flow record as a maximum 63-character string.
	Device (config-flow-exporter) # description IPv4flow	4
Step 3	Example: Device(config-flow-exporter) # destination local wlc	Specifies the local WLC to which the exporter sends data.
Step 4	show flow exporter	(Optional) Verifies your configuration.
	Example: Device # show flow exporter	

# **Configure a WLAN for AVC**

Follow the procedure given below to configure a WLAN for AVC:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	wlan wlan-avc 1 ssid-avc	Configures WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wlan wlan1 1 ssid1	
Step 2	shutdown	Shuts down the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# shutdown	
Step 3	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x	
Step 4	no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables WPA2 ciphers for AES.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	

## **Configuring a Policy Tag**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless tag policy policy-tag-name	Configures policy tag and enters policy tag
	Example:	configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config-policy-tag)# wireless tag   policy rr-xyz-policy-tag</pre>	
Step 3	end	Saves the configuration and exits configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-policy-tag)# end	

### Attaching a Policy Profile to a WLAN Interface (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags.
Step 2	On the <b>Manage Tags</b> page, click <b>Policy</b> tab.
Step 3	Click Add to view the Add Policy Tag window.
Step 4	Enter a name and description for the policy tag.
Step 5	Click <b>Add</b> to map WLAN and policy.
Step 6	Choose the WLAN profile to map with the appropriate policy profile, and click the tick icon.
Step 7	Click Save & Apply to Device.

### Attaching a Policy Profile to a WLAN Interface (CLI)

#### Before you begin

• Do not attach different AVC policy profiles on the same WLAN across different policy tags.

The following is an example of incorrect configuration:

```
wireless profile policy avc_pol1
    ipv4 flow monitor fm-avc1 input
```

```
ipv4 flow monitor fm-avcl output
no shutdown
wireless profile policy avc_pol2
ipv4 flow monitor fm-avc2 input
ipv4 flow monitor fm-avc2 output
no shutdown
wireless tag policy avc-tag1
wlan wlan1 policy avc_pol1
wireless tag policy avc-tag2
wlan wlan1 policy avc_pol2
```

This example violates the restriction stated earlier, that is, the WLAN *wlan1* is mapped to 2 policy profiles, *avc\_pol1* and *avc\_pol2*. This configuration is, therefore, incorrect because the WLAN *wlan1* should be mapped to either *avc\_pol1* or *avc\_pol2* everywhere.

 Conflicting policy profiles on the same WLAN are not supported. For example, policy profile (with and without AVC) applied to the same WLAN in different policy tags.

The following is an example of an incorrect configuration:

```
wireless profile policy avc_pol1
  no shutdown
  wireless profile policy avc_pol2
   ipv4 flow monitor fm-avc2 input
   ipv4 flow monitor fm-avc2 output
   no shutdown
  wireless tag policy avc-tag1
   wlan wlan1 policy avc_pol1
  wireless tag policy avc-tag2
   wlan wlan1 policy avc_pol2
```

In this example, a policy profile with and without AVC is applied to the same WLAN in different tags.

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	wireless tag policy avc-tag	Creates a policy tag.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless tag policy avc-tag</pre>	
Step 2	wlan wlan-avc policy avc-policy	Attaches a policy profile to a WLAN profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-policy-tag)# wlan wlan_avc policy avc_pol</pre>	

### What to do next

- Run the no shutdown command on the WLAN after completing the configuration.
- If the WLAN is already in **no shutdown** mode, run the **shutdown** command, followed by **no shutdown** command.

# Attaching a Policy Profile to an AP

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	ap ap-ether-mac	Enters AP configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap 34a8.2ec7.4cf0	
Step 2	policy-tag policy-tag	Specifies the policy tag that is to be attached to the access point.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# policy-tag avc-tag	

# **Verify the AVC Configuration**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<pre>show avc wlan wlan-name top num-of-applications applications {aggregate   downstream   upstream} Example: Device# show avc wlan wlan_avc top 2 applications aggregate</pre>	<ul> <li>Displays information about top applications and users using these applications.</li> <li>Note Ensure that wireless clients are associated to the WLAN and generating traffic, and then wait for 90 seconds (to ensure the availability of statistics) before running the command.</li> </ul>
Step 2	<pre>show avc client mac top num-of-applications applications {aggregate   downstream   upstream} Example: Device# show avc client 9.3.4 top 3 applications aggregate</pre>	Displays information about the top number of applications. Note Ensure that wireless clients are associated to the WLAN and generating traffic, and then wait for 90 seconds (to ensure the availability of statistics) before running the command.
Step 3	<pre>show avc wlan wlan-name application app-name top num-of-clients aggregate Example: Device# show avc wlan wlan_avc application app top 4 aggregate</pre>	Displays information about top applications and users using these applications.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	show ap summary	Displays a summary of all the access points
	Example:	attached to the embedded wireless controller.
	Device# show ap summary	
Step 5	show ap tag summary	Displays a summary of all the access points
	Example:	with policy tags.
	Device# show ap tag summary	

# **AVC-Based Selective Reanchoring**

The AVC-Based Selective Reanchoring feature is designed to reanchor clients when they roam from one embedded wireless controller to another. Reanchoring of clients prevents the depletion of IP addresses available for new clients in Cisco WLC. The AVC profile-based statistics are used to decide whether a client must be reanchored or deferred. This is useful when a client is actively running a voice or video application defined in the AVC rules.

The reanchoring process also involves deauthentication of anchored clients. The clients get deauthenticated when they do not transmit traffic for the applications listed in the AVC rules while roaming between WLCs.

### **Restrictions for AVC-Based Selective Reanchoring**

- This feature is supported only in local mode. FlexConnect and fabric modes are not supported.
- This feature is not supported in guest tunneling and export anchor scenarios.
- The old IP address is not released after reanchoring, until IP address' lease period ends.

### **Configuring the Flow Exporter**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	flow exporter name	Creates a flow exporter and enters flow exporter
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device(config)# flow exporter avc-reanchor	Note You can use this command to modify an existing flow exporter too.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	destination local wlc	Sets the exporter as local.
	Example:	
	Device(config-flow-exporter)# destination local wlc	

# **Configuring the Flow Monitor**

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.		
	Example:			
	Device# configure terminal			
Step 2	flow monitor monitor-name	Creates a flow monitor and enters Flexible		
	Example:	NetFlow flow monitor configuration mode.		
	Device(config)# flow monitor fm_avc	<b>Note</b> You can use this command to modify an existing flow monitor too.		
Step 3	exporter exporter-name	Specifies the name of an exporter.		
	Example:			
	<pre>Device(config-flow-monitor)# exporter avc-reanchor</pre>			
Step 4	record wireless avc basic	Specifies the flow record to use to define the		
	Example:	cache.		
	Device(config-flow-monitor)# record wireless avc basic			
Step 5	cache timeout active value	Sets the active flow timeout, in seconds.		
	Example:			
	Device(config-flow-monitor)# cache timeout active 60			
Step 6	cache timeout inactive value	Sets the inactive flow timeout, in seconds.		
	Example:			
	Device(config-flow-monitor)# cache timeout inactive 60			

## **Configuring the AVC Reanchoring Profile**

#### Before you begin

- Ensure that you use the AVC-Reanchor-Class class map. All other class-map names are ignored by Selective Reanchoring.
- During boot up, the system checks for the existence of the AVC-Reanchor-Class class map. If it is not found, default protocols, for example, jabber-video, wifi-calling, and so on, are created. If AVC-Reanchor-Class class map is found, configuration changes are not made and updates to the protocols that are saved to the startup configuration persist across reboots.

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	class-map cmap-name	Configures the class map.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# class-map AVC-Reanchor-Class	
Step 3	match any	Instructs the device to match with any of the
	Example:	protocols that pass through it.
	Device(config-cmap)# match any	
Step 4	match protocol jabber-audio	Specifies a match to the application name.
	Example:	You can edit the class-map configuration later,
	Device(config-cmap)# match protocol jabber-audio	in order to add or remove protocols, for example, jabber-video, wifi-calling, and so on, if required.

## **Configuring the Wireless WLAN Profile Policy**

Follow the procedure given below to configure the WLAN profile policy:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	wireless profile policy <i>policy-name</i> Example:	Configures the WLAN policy profile and enters wireless policy configuration mode.
	Device(config)# wireless profile policy default-policy-profile	
Step 3	shutdown	Disables the policy profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy) # shutdown</pre>	
Step 4	central switching	Enables central switching.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# central   switching</pre>	
Step 5	ipv4 flow monitor monitor-name input	Specifies the name of the IPv4 ingress flow
	Example:	monitor.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# ipv4 flow monitor fm_avc input	
Step 6	ipv4 flow monitor monitor-name output	Specifies the name of the IPv4 egress flow
	Example:	monitor.
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# ipv4 flow monitor fm_avc output</pre>	,
Step 7	reanchor class class-name	Configure a class map with protocols for the Selective Reanchoring feature.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# reanchor class AVC-Reanchor-Class</pre>	
Step 8	no shutdown	Enables the policy profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# no shutdown	

# **Verifying AVC Reanchoring**

Use the following commands to verify the AVC reanchoring configuration:

Device# show wireless profile policy detailed avc\_reanchor\_policy

```
Policy Profile Name : avc_reanchor_policy
Description :
Status : ENABLED
VLAN : 1
Wireless management interface VLAN : 34
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```

```
AVC VISIBILITY
                          : Enabled
Flow Monitor IPv4
 Flow Monitor Ingress Name : fm avc
 Flow Monitor Egress Name : fm_avc
Flow Monitor IPv6
 Flow Monitor Ingress Name : Not Configured
 Flow Monitor Egress Name
                          : Not Configured
NBAR Protocol Discovery
                         : Disabled
Reanchoring
                         : Enabled
Classmap name for Reanchoring
 Reanchoring Classmap Name : AVC-Reanchor-Class
1
          _____
```

Device# show platform software trace counter tag wstatsd chassis active R0 avc-stats debug

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Counter Name Thread ID Counter Value

```
Reanch_deassociated_clients 28340 1
Reanch_tracked_clients 28340 4
Reanch_deleted_clients 28340 3
```

Device# show platform software trace counter tag wncd chassis active R0 avc-afc debug

```
Counter Name Thread ID Counter Value

Reanch_co_ignored_clients 30063 1

Reanch_co_anchored_clients 30063 5

Reanch_co_deauthed_clients 30063 4
```

#### Device# show platform software wlave status wned

Event history of WNCD DB:

```
AVC key: [1,wlan_avc,N/A,Reanc,default-policy-tag]
Current state : READY
Wlan-id : 1
Wlan-name : wlan_avc
Feature type : Reanchoring
Flow-mon-name : N/A
Policy-tag : default-policy-tag
Switching Mode : CENTRAL
```

Timestamp FSM State Event RC Ctx  $% \left( {{{\rm{T}}_{{\rm{T}}}} \right)$ 

```
06/12/2018 16:45:30.630342 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM_AFM_BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:45:28.822780 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.822672 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:15.172073 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM_AFM_BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:45:12.738367 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:12.738261 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:01.162689 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:55.757643 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:55.757643 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:55.757542 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:04.468749 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM_AFM_BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:44:02.18857 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:02.18877 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:38:20.164304 2 :READY 3 :FSM_AFM_SWEEP 0 2
06/12/2018 16:35:20.163877 2 :READY 1 :FSM_AFM_BIND 0 2
```

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```
06/12/2018 16:35:18.593257 1 :INIT 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:35:18.593152 1 :INIT 24:CREATE FSM 0 0
AVC key: [1,wlan avc,fm avc,v4-In,default-policy-tag]
Current state : READY
Wlan-id : 1
Wlan-name : wlan avc
Feature type : Flow monitor IPv4 Ingress
Flow-mon-name : fm avc
Policy-tag : default-policy-tag
Switching Mode : CENTRAL
Timestamp FSM State Event RC Ctx
                                                     ----- ---- ----
06/12/2018 16:45:30.664772 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:45:28.822499 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.822222 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:15.207605 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:45:12.738105 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:12.737997 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:01.164225 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM_AFM_BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:44:55.757266 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:55.757181 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:04.472778 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:44:02.15413 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:02.15263 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:38:20.164254 2 :READY 3 :FSM_AFM_SWEEP 0 2
06/12/2018 16:35:20.163209 1 :INIT 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:35:20.163189 1 :INIT 24:CREATE FSM 0 0
AVC key: [1,wlan avc,fm avc,v4-Ou,default-policy-tag]
Current state : READY
Wlan-id : 1
Wlan-name : wlan avc
Feature type : Flow monitor IPv4 Egress
Flow-mon-name : fm avc
Policy-tag : default-policy-tag
Switching Mode : CENTRAL
Timestamp FSM State Event RC Ctx
 _____
06/12/2018 16:45:30.630764 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:45:28.822621 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.822574 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:15.172357 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:45:12.738212 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:12.738167 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:01.164048 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:44:55.757403 2 :READY 2 :FSM_AFM_UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:55.757361 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:04.472561 3 :ZOMBIE 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:44:02.18660 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:44:02.18588 2 :READY 2 :FSM AFM UNBIND 0 0
06/12/2018 16:38:20.164293 2 :READY 3 :FSM_AFM_SWEEP 0 2
06/12/2018 16:35:20.163799 1 :INIT 1 :FSM AFM BIND 0 2
06/12/2018 16:35:20.163773 1 :INIT 24:CREATE FSM 0 0
{\tt Device} \# show platform software wlave status wnemgrd
Event history of WNCMgr DB:
AVC key: [1,wlan avc, N/A, Reanc, default-policy-tag]
Current state : READY
Wlan-id : 1
```

```
Wlan-name : wlan avc
Feature type : Reanchoring
Flow-mon-name : N/A
Policy-tag : default-policy-tag
Switching Mode : CENTRAL
Policy-profile : AVC POL PYATS
Timestamp FSM State Event RC Ctx
        _____ _
                                                    ---- --- ----
06/12/2018 16:45:30.629278 3 :WLAN READY 24:BIND WNCD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.629223 3 :WLAN READY 4 :FSM BIND ACK 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.629179 3 :WLAN READY 4 :FSM BIND ACK 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.510867 2 :PLUMB READY 22:BIND IOSD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.510411 2 :PLUMB READY 2 :FSM WLAN UP 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.510371 2 :PLUMB READY 1 :FSM WLAN FM PLUMB 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.886377 2 :PLUMB_READY 20:UNBIND_ACK_IOSD 0 0
AVC key: [1,wlan avc,fm avc,v4-In,default-policy-tag]
Current state : READY
Wlan-id : 1
Wlan-name : wlan avc
Feature type : Flow monitor IPv4 Ingress
Flow-mon-name : fm avc
Policy-tag : default-policy-tag
Switching Mode : CENTRAL
Policy-profile : AVC_POL_PYATS
Timestamp FSM State Event RC Ctx
                ---- --
                              _____
06/12/2018 16:45:30.664032 3 :WLAN READY 24:BIND WNCD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.663958 3 :WLAN READY 4 :FSM BIND ACK 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.663921 3 :WLAN READY 4 :FSM BIND ACK 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.511151 2 :PLUMB READY 22:BIND IOSD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.510624 2 :PLUMB READY 2 :FSM WLAN UP 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.510608 2 :PLUMB READY 1 :FSM WLAN FM PLUMB 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.810867 2 :PLUMB_READY 20:UNBIND_ACK_IOSD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.807239 4 :READY 25:UNBIND_WNCD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.807205 4 :READY 23:UNBIND IOSD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.806734 4 :READY 3 :FSM WLAN DOWN 0 0
AVC key: [1,wlan avc,fm avc,v4-Ou,default-policy-tag]
Current state : READY
Wlan-id : 1
Wlan-name : wlan avc
Feature type : Flow monitor IPv4 Egress
Flow-mon-name : fm avc
Policy-tag : default-policy-tag
Switching Mode : CENTRAL
Policy-profile : AVC POL PYATS
Timestamp FSM State Event RC Ctx
_____ ____
06/12/2018 16:45:30.629414 3 :WLAN READY 24:BIND WNCD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.629392 3 :WLAN READY 4 :FSM BIND ACK 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.629380 3 :WLAN READY 4 :FSM BIND ACK 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.510954 2 :PLUMB READY 22:BIND IOSD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.510572 2 :PLUMB READY 2 :FSM WLAN UP 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:30.510532 2 :PLUMB_READY 1 :FSM_WLAN_FM_PLUMB 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.886293 2 :PLUMB READY 20:UNBIND ACK IOSD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.807844 4 :READY 25:UNBIND WNCD 0 0
06/12/2018 16:45:28.807795 4 :READY 23:UNBIND IOSD 0 0
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06/12/2018 16:45:28.806990 4 :READY 3 :FSM\_WLAN\_DOWN 0 0 !



# **Cisco Connected Mobile Experiences Cloud**

Cisco Connected Mobile Experiences (CMX) communicates with the Cisco wireless embedded wireless controller using the Network Mobility Services Protocol (NMSP), which runs over a connection-oriented (TLS) transport. This transport provides a secure 2-way connectivity and is convenient when both the embedded wireless controller and CMX are on-premise and there is direct IP connectivity between them.

Cisco CMX Cloud is a cloud-delivered version of the on-premise CMX. To access Cisco CMX Cloud services, HTTPS is used as a transport protocol.

- Configuring Cisco CMX Cloud, on page 197
- Verifying Cisco CMX Cloud Configuration, on page 198

### **Configuring Cisco CMX Cloud**

Follow the procedure given below to configure CMX Cloud:

#### Before you begin

- **Configure DNS**—To resolve fully qualified domain names used by NMSP cloud-services, configure a **DNS** using the **ip name-server** *server\_address* configuration command as shown in Step 2.
- **Import 3rd party root CAs**—The controller verifies the peer and the host based on the certificate that is sent by the CMX when a connection is established. However, root CAs are not preinstalled on the controller. You have to import a set of root CAs trusted by Cisco to the trustpool of the crypto PKI by using the **crypto pki trustpool import url <url>** configuration command as shown in Step 3.
- A successful registration to Cisco DNA Spaces is required to enable **server url** and **server token** parameters configuration which is needed to complete this setup.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 2	<pre>ip name-server namesvr-ip-addr Example: Device(config)#ip name-server 10.10.205</pre>	Configures the DNS on the controller to resolve the FQDN names used by the NMSP cloud-services.	
		Imports the 3rd party root CA. The controller verifies the peer using the imported certificate.	
Step 4	<pre>[no] nmsp cloud-services server url url Example: Device(config)# nmsp cloud-services server url https://cisco.com</pre>	Configures the URL used for cloud services. Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to delete the server url from the configuration.	
Step 5	<pre>[no] nmsp cloud-services server token token Example: Device(config)# nmsp cloud-services server token test</pre>	Configures the authentication token for the NMSP cloud service. Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to delete the server token from the configuration.	
Step 6	<pre>[no] nmsp cloud-services http-proxy proxy-server port Example: Device(config) # nmsp cloud-services http-proxy 10.0.0.1 10</pre>	(Optional) Configures HTTP proxy details the NMSP cloud service. Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to disable the use of a HTTP proxy.	
Step 7	<pre>[no] nmsp cloud-services enable Example: Device(config)# nmsp cloud-services enable</pre>	Enables NMSP cloud services. Use the <b>no</b> form of the command to disable the feature.	

## **Verifying Cisco CMX Cloud Configuration**

Use the following commands to verify the CMX Cloud configuration.

To view the status of active NMSP connections, use the following command:

Device# show nmsp status

MSE IP Address	Tx Echo Resp	Rx Echo Req	Tx Data	Rx Data	Transport
9.9.71.78	0	0	1	1	TLS
64.103.36.133	0	0	1230	2391	HTTPs

To view the NMSP cloud service status, use the following command:

Device# show nmsp cloud-services summary

CMX Cloud-Services Status

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Server:	https://yenth8.cmxcisco.com
IP Address:	64.103.36.133
Cmx Service:	Enabled
Connectivity:	https: UP
Service Status:	Active
Last Request Status:	HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Heartbeat Status:	OK

To view the NMSP cloud service statistics, use the following command:

Device# show nmsp cloud-services statistics

CMX Cloud-Services Statistics

Tx DataFrames:	3213
Rx DataFrames:	1606
Tx HeartBeat Req:	31785
Heartbeat Timeout:	0
Rx Subscr Req:	2868
Tx DataBytes:	10069
Rx DataBytes:	37752
Tx HeartBeat Fail:	2
Tx Data Fail:	0
Tx Conn Fail:	0

To view the mobility services summary, use the following command:

Device# show nmsp subscription summary



# **EDCA** Parameters

- Enhanced Distributed Channel Access Parameters, on page 201
- Configuring EDCA Parameters (GUI), on page 201
- Configuring EDCA Parameters (CLI), on page 202

# **Enhanced Distributed Channel Access Parameters**

Enhanced Distributed Channel Access (EDCA) parameters are designed to provide preferential wireless channel access for voice, video, and other quality of service (QoS) traffic.

This section contains the following subsections:

# **Configuring EDCA Parameters (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration &gt; Radio Configurations &gt; Parameters</b> . Using this page, you can configure global parameters for 802.11a/n/ac (5 GHz) and 802.11b/g/n (2.4 GHz) radios.			
	Note	You cannot configure or modify parameters, if the radio network is enabled. Disable the network status on the Configuration > Radio Configurations > Network page before you proceed.		
Step 2	Distribut	<b>CA Parameters</b> section, choose an EDCA profile from the <b>EDCA Profile</b> drop-down list. Enhanced ed Channel Access (EDCA) parameters are designed to provide preferential wireless channel access, video, and other quality-of-service (QoS) traffic.		
Step 3	Click Ap	ply.		

# **Configuring EDCA Parameters (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz } shutdown	Disables the radio network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	
Step 3	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} edca-parameters {custom-voice   fastlane	Enables specific EDCA parameters for the 802.11a or 802.11b/g network.
	optimized-video-voice   optimized-voice   svp-voice   wmm-default} Example:	• <b>custom-voice</b> : Enables custom voice parameters for the 802.11a or 802.11b/g network.
	Device (config) # ap dot11 5ghz edca-parameters optimized-voice	• <b>fastlane</b> : Enables the fastlane parameters for the 802.11a or 802.11b/g network.
		• optimized-video-voice: Enables EDCA voice-optimized and video-optimized parameters for the 802.11a or 802.11b/g network. Choose this option when both voice and video services are deployed on your network.
		• <b>optimized-voice</b> : Enables non-SpectraLink voice-optimized profile parameters for the 802.11a or 802.11b/g network. Choose this option when voice services other than SpectraLink are deployed on your network
		• <b>svp-voice</b> : Enables SpectraLink voice-priority parameters for the 802.11a or 802.11b/g network. Choose this optior if SpectraLink phones are deployed on your network to improve the quality of calls.
		• wmm-default: Enables the Wi-Fi Multimedia (WMM) default parameters for the 802.11a or 802.11b/g network. This is the default option. Choose this option when voice or video services are not deployed on your network.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	no ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} shutdown	Re-enables the radio network.
	Example:	
	Device (config) # no ap dot11 5ghz shutdo	m
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # end	
Step 6	show ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} network	Displays the current status of MAC optimization
	Example:	for voice.
	Device# show ap dot11 5ghz network	



# **802.11 parameters and Band Selection**

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# Information About Configuring Band Selection, 802.11 Bands, and Parameters

### **Band Select**

Band select enables client radios that are capable of dual-band (2.4 and 5-GHz) operations to move to a less congested 5-GHz access point. The 2.4-GHz band is often congested. Clients on this band typically experience interference from Bluetooth devices, microwave ovens, and cordless phones as well as co-channel interference from other access points because of the 802.11b/g limit of 3 nonoverlapping channels. To prevent these sources of interference and improve overall network performance, configure band selection on the device.

Band select works by regulating probe responses to clients and it can be enabled on a per-WLAN basis. It makes 5-GHz channels more attractive to clients by delaying probe responses to clients on 2.4-GHz channels. In an access point, the band select table can be viewed by running the **show dot11 band-select** command. It can also be viewed by running the **show cont d0/d1** | **begin Lru** command.

#### **Band Select Algorithm**

The band select algorithm affects clients that use 2.4-GHz band. Initially, when a client sends a probe request to an access point, the corresponding client probe's Active and Count values (as seen from the band select table) become 1. The algorithm functions based on the following scenarios:

- Scenario1: Client RSSI (as seen from the **show cont d0/d1** | **begin RSSI** command output) is greater than both Mid RSSI and Acceptable Client RSSI.
  - Dual-band clients: No 2.4-GHz probe responses are seen at any time; 5-GHz probe responses are seen for all 5-GHz probe requests.
  - Single-band (2.4-GHz) clients: 2.4-GHz probe responses are seen only after the probe suppression cycle.

- After the client's probe count reaches the configured probe cycle count, the algorithm waits for the Age Out Suppression time and then marks the client probe's Active value as 0. Then, the algorithm is restarted.
- Scenario2: Client RSSI (as seen from show cont d0/d1 | begin RSSI) lies between Mid-RSSI and Acceptable Client RSSI.
  - All 2.4-GHz and 5-GHz probe requests are responded to without any restrictions.
  - This scenario is similar to the band select disabled.



Note The client RSSI value (as seen in the **sh cont d0** | **begin RSSI** command output) is the average of the client packets received, and the Mid RSSI feature is the instantaneous RSSI value of the probe packets. As a result, the client RSSI is seen as weaker than the configured Mid RSSI value (7-dB delta). The 802.11b probes from the client are suppressed to push the client to associate with the 802.11a band.

### 802.11 Bands

You can configure the 802.11b/g/n (2.4 GHz) and 802.11a/n (5 GHz) bands for the controller to comply with the regulatory requirements in your country. By default, both 802.11b/g/n and 802.11a/n are enabled.

This section contains the following subsections:

### 802.11n Parameters

This section provides instructions for managing 802.11n access points on your network. The 802.11n devices support the 2.4 and 5-GHz bands and offer high throughput data rates.

The 802.11n high throughput rates are available on all the 802.11n access points for the WLANs using WMM with no Layer 2 encryption or with WPA2/AES encryption enabled.



**Note** Some Cisco 802.11n APs may intermittently emit incorrect beacon frames, which can trigger false wIPS alarms. We recommend that you ignore these alarms.

### 802.11h Parameters

802.11h informs client devices about channel changes and can limit the transmit power of those client devices.

### **Restrictions for Band Selection, 802.11 Bands, and Parameters**

- Band selection-enabled WLANs do not support time-sensitive applications such as voice and video because of roaming delays.
- Band selection is supported only on Cisco Wave 2 and 802.11ax APs.

For more information about support on specific APs, see https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/wireless/access\_point/feature-matrix/ap-feature-matrix.html.

- Band selection operates only on APs that are connected to a controller. A FlexConnect AP without a controller connection does not perform band selection after a reboot.
- The band-selection algorithm directs dual-band clients only from the 2.4-GHz radio to the 5-GHz radio of the same AP, and it only runs on an AP when both the 2.4-GHz and 5-GHz radios are up and running.
- It is not possible to enable or disable band selection and client load balancing globally through the controller GUI or CLI. You can, however, enable or disable band selection and client load balancing for a particular WLAN. Band selection and client load balancing are enabled globally by default.

### How to Configure 802.11 Bands and Parameters

### **Configuring Band Selection (GUI)**

### Before you begin

Ensure that you have configured an AP Join Profile prior to configuring the primary and backup controllers.

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless Advanced > Band Select.
Step 2	In the <b>Cycle Count</b> field, enter a value between 1 and 10. The cycle count sets the number of suppression cycles for a new client. The default cycle count is 2.
Step 3	In the <b>Cycle Threshold (milliseconds)</b> field, enter a value between 1 and 1000 milliseconds for the scan cycle period threshold. This setting determines the time threshold during which new probe requests from a client come from a new scanning cycle. The default cycle threshold is 200 milliseconds.
Step 4	In the <b>Age Out Suppression</b> (seconds) field, enter a value between 10 and 200 seconds. Age-out suppression sets the expiration time for pruning previously known 802.11b/g/n clients. The default value is 20 seconds. After this time elapses, clients become new and are subject to probe response suppression.
Step 5	In the <b>Age Out Dual Band (seconds)</b> field, enter a value between 10 and 300 seconds. The age-out period sets the expiration time for pruning previously known dual-band clients. The default value is 50 seconds. After this time elapses, clients become new and are subject to probe response suppression.
Step 6	In the Client RSSI (dbm) field, enter a value between -90 to -20. This is the average of the client packets received.
Step 7	In the Client Mid RSSI (dbm) field, enter a value between -90 to -20. This the instantaneous RSSI value of the probe packets.
Step 8	On the <b>AP Join Profile</b> page, click the AP Join Profile name.
Step 9	Click Apply.

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### **Configuring Band Selection (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless client band-select cycle-count cycle_count	Sets the probe cycle count for band select. Valid range is between 1 and 10.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless client band-select cycle-count 3	
Step 3	wireless client band-select cycle-threshold milliseconds	Sets the time threshold for a new scanning cycle period. Valid range is between 1 and 1000.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless client band-select cycle-threshold 5000	
Step 4	wireless client band-select expire suppression seconds	Sets the suppression expire to the band select. Valid range is between 10 and 200.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless client band-select expire suppression 100	
Step 5	wireless client band-select expire dual-band seconds	Sets the dual band expire. Valid range is between 10 and 300.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless client band-select expire dual-band 100	
Step 6	wireless client band-select client-rssi client_rssi	Sets the client RSSI threshold. Valid range is between 20 and 90.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless client band-select client-rssi 40	
Step 7	wlan wlan_profile_name wlan_ID SSID_network_name band-select	Configures band selection on specific WLANs. Valid range is between 1 and 512. You can enter
	Example:	up to 32 alphanumeric characters for <i>SSID_network_name</i> parameter.
	Device(config) # wlan wlan1 25 ssid12	
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# band-select</pre>	

### Configuring the 802.11 Bands (GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Radio Configurations > Network.
Step 2	Click either 5 GHz Band or 2.4 GHz Band.
Step 3	Uncheck the <b>Network Status</b> check box to disable the network in order to be able to configure the network parameters.
Step 4	In the <b>Beacon Interval</b> field, enter the rate at which the SSID is broadcast by the APs, from 100 to 600 milliseconds. The default is 100 milliseconds.
Step 5	For 802.11b/g/n (2.4-GHz) radios, to enable short preamble on the radio, check the <b>Short Preamble</b> check box. A short preamble improves throughput performance.
Step 6	In the <b>Fragmentation Threshold (in bytes)</b> field, enter a value between 256 to 2346 bytes. Packets larger than the size you specify here will be fragmented.
Step 7	Check the <b>DTPC Support</b> check box to advertise the transmit power level of the radio in the beacons and the probe responses. Client devices using dynamic transmit power control (DTPC) receive the channel and power level information from the access points and adjust their settings automatically. For example, a client device used primarily in Japan could rely on DTPC to adjust its channel and power settings automatically when it travels to Italy and joins a network there. You cannot configure a power constraint value on your 802.11a/n/ac (5-GHz) radio network if the <b>DTPC Support</b> check box is checked.
Step 8	Click Apply.
Step 9	In the <b>CCX Location Measurement</b> section, check the <b>Mode</b> check box to globally enable CCX radio management for the network. This parameter causes the APs connected to this device to issue broadcast radio measurement requests to clients running CCX v2 or later releases.
Step 10	In the <b>Interval</b> field, enter a value to specify how often the APs must issue broadcast radio measurement requests.
Step 11	Click Apply.
Step 12	In the <b>Data Rates</b> section, choose a value to specify the rates at which data can be transmitted between the access point and the client:
	<ul> <li>Mandatory: Clients must support this data rate in order to associate to an access point on the controller embedded wireless controller.</li> <li>Supported: Any associated clients that support this data rate may communicate with the access point using that rate.</li> <li>Disabled: The clients specify the data rates used for communication.</li> </ul>
Step 13	Click Apply.
Step 14	Save the configuration.

### Configuring the 802.11 Bands (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to configure 802.11 bands and parameters:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	Disables the 802.11a band.
	<b>Example:</b> Device (config) # <b>ap dot11 5ghz shutdown</b>	Note You must disable the 802.11a band before configuring the 802.11a network parameters.
Step 3	ap dot11 24ghz shutdown	Disables the 802.11b band.
	Example: Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz shutdown	Note You must disable the 802.11b band before configuring the 802.11b network parameters.
Step 4	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz } beaconperiod time_unit	Specifies the rate at which the SSID is broadcast by the corresponding access point.
	Example: Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz beaconperiod 500	The beacon interval is measured in time units (TUs). One TU is 1024 microseconds. You can configure the access point to send a beacon every 20 to 1000 milliseconds.
Step 5	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz } fragmentation threshold	Specifies the size at which packets are fragmented.
	Example: Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz fragmentation 300	The threshold is a value between 256 and 2346 bytes (inclusive). Specify a low number for areas where communication is poor or where there is a great deal of radio interference.
Step 6	[no] ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz } dtpc Example:	Enables access points to advertise their channels and transmit the power levels in beacons and probe responses.
	Device (config) # <b>ap dotl1 5ghz dtpc</b> Device (config) # <b>no ap dotl1 24ghz dtpc</b>	The default value is enabled. Client devices using dynamic transmit power control (DTPC) receive the channel-level and power-level information from the access points and adjust their settings automatically. For example, a client device used primarily in Japan can rely on DTPC to adjust its channel and power settings automatically when it travels to Italy and joins a network there.
		The <b>no</b> form of the command disables the DTPC setting.
Step 7	wireless client association limit <i>number</i> interval <i>milliseconds</i>	Specifies the maximum allowed clients that can be configured.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example: Device(config) # wireless client association limit 50 interval 1000	You can configure the maximum number of association requests on a single access point slot at a given interval. The range of association limit that you can configure is from 1 to 100.
		The association request limit interval is measured between 100 to 10000 milliseconds.
Step 8	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} rate rate {disable   mandatory   supported}	Specifies the rate at which data can be transmitted between the controller embedded wireless controller and the client.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz rate 36 mandatory</pre>	• <b>disable</b> : Defines that the clients specify the data rates used for communication.
		• mandatory: Defines that the clients support this data rate in order to associate to an access point on the controller embedded wireless controller.
		• <b>supported</b> : Any associated clients that support this data rate can communicate with the access point using that rate. However, the clients are not required to use this rate in order to associate.
		• <i>rate</i> : Specifies the rate at which data is transmitted. For the 802.11a and 802.11b bands, the data is transmitted at the rate of 1, 2, 5.5, 6, 9, 11, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, or 54 Mbps.
Step 9	no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	Enables the 802.11a band.
	Example:	<b>Note</b> The default value is enabled.
	Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	
Step 10	no ap dot11 24ghz shutdown	Enables the 802.11b band.
	Example:	Note The default value is enabled.
	Device(config)# no ap dot11 24ghz shutdown	
Step 11	ap dot11 24ghz dot11g	Enables or disables 802.11g network support.
	Example:	The default value is enabled. You can use this
	Device(config)# <b>ap dot11 24ghz dot11g</b>	command only if the 802.11b band is enabled If you disable this feature, the 802.11b band is enabled without 802.11g support.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 12	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	

### **Configuring a Band-Select RF Profile (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless > Advanced.
Step 2	In the <b>Band Select</b> tab, enter a value between 1 and 10 in the <b>Cycle Count</b> field. The cycle count sets the number of suppression cycles for a new client. The default cycle count is 2.
Step 3	In the <b>Cycle Threshold</b> field, enter a value between 1 and 1000 milliseconds for the scan cycle period threshold. This setting determines the time threshold during which new probe requests from a client come from a new scanning cycle. The default cycle threshold is 200 milliseconds.
Step 4	In the <b>Age Out Suppression</b> field, enter a value between 10 and 200 seconds. Age-out suppression sets the expiration time for pruning previously known 802.11b/g/n clients. The default value is 20 seconds. After this time elapses, clients become new and are subject to probe response suppression.
Step 5	In the <b>Age Out Dual Band</b> field, enter a value between 10 and 300 seconds. The age-out period sets the expiration time for pruning previously known dual-band clients. The default value is 50 seconds. After this time elapses, clients become new and are subject to probe response suppression.
Step 6	In the <b>Client RSSI</b> field, enter a value between -90 dBm and -20 dBm. This is the minimum RSSI for a client to respond to a probe.
Step 7	In the <b>Client Mid RSSI</b> field, enter a value between -20 dBm and -90 dBm. This parameter sets the mid-RSSI, whose value can be used for toggling 2.4 GHz probe suppression based on the RSSI value.
Step 8	Click Apply.

### **Configuring 802.11n Parameters (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > RF.	
Step 2	Click Add to view the Add RF Profile window.	
Step 3	In the <b>802.11</b> tab, proceed as follows:	
	a) Choose the required operational rates.	
	b) Select the required <b>802.11n MCS Rates</b> by checking the corresponding check boxes.	
Step 4	Click Save & Apply to Device.	

## Configuring 802.11n Parameters (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} dot11n	Enables 802.11n support on the network.
	Example:	The <b>no</b> form of this command disables the
	Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n	802.11n support on the network.
Step 3	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} dot11n mcs tx rtu	Specifies the modulation and coding scheme
	Example:	(MCS) rates at which data can be transmitted between the access point and the client.
	Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n mcs tx 20	<i>rtu</i> -The valid range is between 0 and 23.
		The <b>no</b> form of this command disables the
		MCS rates that are configured.
Step 4	wlanwlan_profile_name wlan_ID	Enables WMM on the WLAN and uses the
	SSID_network_name wmm require	802.11n data rates that you configured.
	Example:	The <b>require</b> keyword requires client devices to use WMM. Devices that do not support
	<pre>Device(config) # wlan wlan1 25 ssid12</pre>	WMM cannot join the WLAN.
	Device(config-wlan)# wmm require	
Step 5	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} shutdown	Disables the network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dotl1 5ghz shutdown	
Step 6	{ap   no ap} dot11 {5ghz   24 ghz} dot11n a-mpdu tx priority {all   0-7}	Specifies the aggregation method used for 802.11n packets.
	Example:	Aggregation is the process of grouping packe
	Device(config)# <b>ap dot11 5ghz dot11n</b> <b>a-mpdu tx priority all</b>	data frames together, rather than transmitting them separately. Two aggregation methods are available: Aggregated MAC Protocol Data Unit (A-MPDU) and Aggregated MAC Service Data Unit (A-MSDU). Both A-MPDU and A-MSDU are performed in the software.
		You can specify the aggregation method for various types of traffic from the access point to the clients.
		The list defines the priority levels (0-7) assigned per traffic type.
		• 0—Best effort

	Command or Action	Purpose
		• 1—Background
		• 2—Spare
		• 3—Excellent effort
		• 4—Controlled load
		• 5—Video, less than 100-ms latency and jitter
		• 6—Voice, less than 100-ms latency and jitter
		• 7—Network control
		You can configure each priority level independently, or you can use the all the parameters to configure all the priority levels at once. You can configure priority levels so that the traffic uses either A-MPDU transmission or A-MSDU transmission.
		• When you use the <b>ap</b> command along with the other options, the traffic associated with that priority level uses A-MPDU transmission.
		• When you use the <b>no ap</b> command along with the other options, the traffic associated with that priority level uses A-MSDU transmission.
		Configure the priority levels to match the aggregation method used by the clients. By default, A-MPDU is enabled for priority level 0, 4, and 5, and the rest are disabled. By default, A-MPDU is enabled for all priorities except 6 and 7.
Step 7	no ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} shutdown	Re-enables the network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	
Step 8	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} dot11n guard-interval {any   long}	Configures the guard interval for the network.
	Example:	
	Device (config) # ap dot11 5ghz dot11n guard-interval long	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 9	ap dot11 {5ghz   24ghz} dot11n rifs rx	Configures the Reduced Interframe Space
	Example:	(RIFS) for the network.
	Device(config)# <b>ap dot11 5ghz dot11n</b> <b>rifs rx</b>	
Step 10	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to e global configuration mode.
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	giobal configuration mode.

# Configuring 802.11h Parameters (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	Disables the 802.11 network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dotl1 5ghz shutdown	
Step 2	{ap   no ap} dot11 5ghz channelswitch mode switch_mode	Enables or disables the access point to announce when it is switching to a new channel.
	Example:	<i>switch_mode</i> Enter 0 or 1 to specify whether
	Device(config)# <b>ap dotl1 5ghz</b> channelswitch mode 0	transmissions are restricted until the actual channel switch (0) or are not restricted (1). The default value is disabled.
Step 3	ap dot11 5ghz power-constraint value	Configures the 802.11h power constraint value
	Example:	in dB. The valid range is from 0 to 255. The default value is 3.
	Device(config)# <b>ap dot11 5ghz</b> <b>power-constraint 200</b>	
Step 4	no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	Re-enables the 802.11a network.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown	
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# Monitoring Configuration Settings for Band Selection, 802.11 Bands, and Parameters

### Verifying Configuration Settings Using Band Selection and 802.11 Bands Commands

The following commands can be used to verify band selection, 802.11 bands, and parameters on the embedded wireless controller.

Table 5: Monitoring Configuration Settings Using Band Selection and 802.11 Band Commands

Command	Purpose
show ap dot11 5ghz network	Displays 802.11a band network parameters, 802.11a operational rates, 802.11n MCS settings, and 802.11n status information.
show ap dot11 24ghz network	Displays 802.11b band network parameters, 802.11b/g operational rates, 802.11n MCS settings, and 802.11n status information.
show wireless dot11h	Displays 802.11h configuration parameters.
show wireless band-select	Displays band-select configuration settings.

### Example: Viewing the Configuration Settings for the 5-GHz Band

```
Device# show ap dot11 5ghz network
802.11a Network : Enabled
11nSupport : Enabled
  802.11a Low Band : Enabled
  802.11a Mid Band : Enabled
  802.11a High Band : Enabled
802.11a Operational Rates
  802.11a 6M : Mandatory
  802.11a 9M : Supported
  802.11a 12M : Mandatory
  802.11a 18M : Supported
  802.11a 24M : Mandatory
  802.11a 36M : Supported
  802.11a 48M : Supported
  802.11a 54M : Supported
802.11n MCS Settings:
 MCS 0 : Supported
 MCS 1 : Supported
 MCS 2 : Supported
 MCS 3 : Supported
 MCS 4 : Supported
 MCS 5 : Supported
 MCS 6 : Supported
 MCS 7 : Supported
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MCS 8 : Supported
 MCS 9 : Supported
  MCS 10 : Supported
  MCS 11 : Supported
  MCS 12 : Supported
  MCS 13 : Supported
  MCS 14 : Supported
  MCS 15 : Supported
  MCS 16 : Supported
  MCS 17 : Supported
  MCS 18 : Supported
  MCS 19 : Supported
  MCS 20 : Supported
  MCS 21 : Supported
  MCS 22 : Supported
  MCS 23 : Supported
802.11n Status:
 A-MPDU Tx:
   Priority 0 : Enabled
    Priority 1 : Disabled
   Priority 2 : Disabled
    Priority 3 : Disabled
    Priority 4 : Enabled
   Priority 5 : Enabled
   Priority 6 : Disabled
   Priority 7 : Disabled
  A-MSDU Tx:
    Priority 0 : Enabled
    Priority 1 : Enabled
   Priority 2 : Enabled
   Priority 3 : Enabled
   Priority 4 : Enabled
    Priority 5 : Enabled
    Priority 6 : Disabled
   Priority 7 : Disabled
Guard Interval : Any
 Rifs Rx : Enabled
Beacon Interval : 100
CF Pollable mandatory : Disabled
CF Poll Request Mandatory : Disabled
CFP Period : 4
CFP Maximum Duration : 60
Default Channel : 36
Default Tx Power Level : 1
DTPC Status : Enabled
Fragmentation Threshold : 2346
Pico-Cell Status : Disabled
Pico-Cell-V2 Status : Disabled
TI Threshold : 0
Legacy Tx Beamforming setting : Disabled
Traffic Stream Metrics Status : Disabled
Expedited BW Request Status : Disabled
EDCA profile type check : default-wmm
Call Admision Control (CAC) configuration
Voice AC
  Voice AC - Admission control (ACM) : Disabled
  Voice Stream-Size : 84000
  Voice Max-Streams : 2
 Voice Max RF Bandwidth : 75
  Voice Reserved Roaming Bandwidth : 6
  Voice Load-Based CAC mode : Enabled
 Voice tspec inactivity timeout : Enabled
CAC SIP-Voice configuration
  SIP based CAC : Disabled
```

```
SIP Codec Type : CODEC_TYPE_G711
SIP call bandwidth : 64
SIP call bandwith sample-size : 20
Video AC
Video AC - Admission control (ACM) : Disabled
Video max RF bandwidth : Infinite
Video reserved roaming bandwidth : 0
```

### Example: Viewing the Configuration Settings for the 2.4-GHz Band

```
Device# show ap dot11 24ghz network
802.11b Network : Enabled
11gSupport : Enabled
11nSupport : Enabled
  802.11b/g Operational Rates
  802.11b 1M : Mandatory
  802.11b 2M : Mandatory
  802.11b 5.5M : Mandatory
  802.11g 6M : Supported
  802.11g 9M : Supported
  802.11b 11M : Mandatory
  802.11g 12M : Supported
  802.11g 18M : Supported
  802.11g 24M : Supported
  802.11g 36M : Supported
  802.11g 48M : Supported
  802.11g 54M : Supported
802.11n MCS Settings:
 MCS 0 : Supported
  MCS 1 : Supported
  MCS 2 : Supported
 MCS 3 : Supported
 MCS 4 : Supported
 MCS 5 : Supported
 MCS 6 : Supported
 MCS 7 : Supported
 MCS 8 : Supported
 MCS 9 : Supported
 MCS 10 : Supported
 MCS 11 : Supported
 MCS 12 : Supported
  MCS 13 : Supported
 MCS 14 : Supported
 MCS 15 : Supported
 MCS 16 : Supported
 MCS 17 : Supported
 MCS 18 : Supported
 MCS 19 : Supported
 MCS 20 : Supported
  MCS 21 : Supported
 MCS 22 : Supported
 MCS 23 : Supported
802.11n Status:
 A-MPDU Tx:
   Priority 0 : Enabled
   Priority 1 : Disabled
   Priority 2 : Disabled
   Priority 3 : Disabled
   Priority 4 : Enabled
   Priority 5 : Enabled
   Priority 6 : Disabled
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Priority 7 : Disabled A-MSDU Tx: Priority 0 : Enabled Priority 1 : Enabled Priority 2 : Enabled Priority 3 : Enabled Priority 4 : Enabled Priority 5 : Enabled Priority 6 : Disabled Priority 7 : Disabled Guard Interval : Any Rifs Rx : Enabled Beacon Interval : 100 CF Pollable Mandatory : Disabled CF Poll Request Mandatory : Disabled CFP Period : 4 CFP Maximum Duration : 60 Default Channel : 11 Default Tx Power Level : 1 DTPC Status : true Call Admission Limit : 105 G711 CU Quantum : 15 ED Threshold : -50 Fragmentation Threshold : 2346 PBCC Mandatory : Disabled Pico-Cell Status : Disabled Pico-Cell-V2 Status : Disabled RTS Threshold : 2347 Short Preamble Mandatory : Enabled Short Retry Limit : 7 Legacy Tx Beamforming setting : Disabled Traffic Stream Metrics Status : Disabled Expedited BW Request Status : Disabled EDCA profile type : default-wmm Call Admision Control (CAC) configuration Voice AC Voice AC - Admission control (ACM) : Disabled Voice Stream-Size : 84000 Voice Max-Streams : 2 Voice Max RF Bandwidth : 75 Voice Reserved Roaming Bandwidth : 6 Voice Load-Based CAC mode : Enabled Voice tspec inactivity timeout : Enabled CAC SIP-Voice configuration SIP based CAC : Disabled SIP Codec Type : CODEC TYPE G711 SIP call bandwidth : 64 SIP call bandwith sample-size : 20 Video AC Video AC - Admission control (ACM) : Disabled Video max RF bandwidth : Infinite Video reserved roaming bandwidth : 0

### Example: Viewing the status of 802.11h Parameters

Device# show wireless dot11h Power Constraint: 0 Channel Switch: 0 Channel Switch Mode: 0

### Example: Verifying the Band-Selection Settings

The following example displays a band-select configuration:

#### Device# show wireless band-select

Band Select Probe Response	: per WLAN enablin	g
Cycle Count	: 2	
Cycle Threshold (millisec)	: 200	
Age Out Suppression (sec)	: 20	
Age Out Dual Band (sec)	: 60	
Client RSSI (dBm)	: -80	
Client Mid RSSI (dBm)	: -80	

# Configuration Examples for Band Selection, 802.11 Bands, and Parameters

### **Examples: Band Selection Configuration**

This example shows how to set the probe cycle count and time threshold for a new scanning cycle period for band select:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless client band-select cycle-count 3
Device(config)# wireless client band-select cycle-threshold 5000
Device(config)# end
```

This example shows how to set the suppression expiry time to the band select:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless client band-select expire suppression 100
Device(config)# end
```

This example shows how to set the dual-band expiry time for the band select:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless client band-select expire dual-band 100
Device(config)# end
```

This example shows how to set the client RSSI threshold for the band select:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless client band-select client-rssi 40
Device(config)# end
```

This example shows how to configure band selection on specific WLANs:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wlan wlan1 25 ssid12
Device(config-wlan)# band-select
Device(config)# end
```

### **Examples: 802.11 Bands Configuration**

This example shows how to configure 802.11 bands using beacon interval, fragmentation, and dynamic transmit power control:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz shutdown
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz beaconperiod 500
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz fragmentation 300
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dtpc
Device(config)# wireless client association limit 50 interval 1000
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz rate 36 mandatory
Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)# no ap dot11 24ghz shutdown
Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz dot11g
Device(config)# and
```

### Examples: 802.11n Configuration

This example shows how to configure 802.11n parameters for 5-GHz band using aggregation method:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n mcs tx 20
Device(config)# wlan wlan1 25 ssid12
Device(config-wlan)# wmm require\
Device(config-wlan)# exit
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n a-mpdu tx priority all
Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
```

This example shows how to configure the guard interval for 5-GHz band:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n mcs tx 20
Device(config)# wlan wlan1 25 ssid12
Device(config-wlan)# wmm require\
Device(config-wlan)# exit
Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n guard-interval long
Device(config)#end
```

This example shows how to configure the RIFS for 5-GHz band:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n mcs tx 20
Device(config)# wlan wlan1 25 ssid12
Device(config-wlan)# wmm require\
Device(config-wlan)# exit
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n rifs rx
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz dot11n rifs rx
```

### **Examples: 802.11h Configuration**

This example shows how to configure the access point to announce when it is switching to a new channel using restriction transmission:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz channelswitch mode 0
Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)#end
```

This example shows how to configure the 802.11h power constraint for 5-GHz band:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz power-constraint 200
Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz shutdown
Device(config)#end
```



### **Image Download**

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### Information About Image Download

Software updates ensure that all the access points in the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network are running the latest software. The software update or image download can be performed using both the GUI and the CLI.

A typical Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network contains the following components:

- Cisco Catalyst APs acting as controller (embedded wireless controller)
- Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller-capable APs (Other Cisco Catalyst series APs that participate in the Virtual Router Redundancy Protocol (VRRP)-based election process)
- Subordinate APs (Cisco Catalyst Series or Cisco Aironet Series Wave 2 APs)
- External TFTP and SFTP server.

**Note** For best user experience when using the GUI, view the browser at 100% resolution. The lines may break if the resolution is greater than 100%.

### Updates to the AP Image Predownload Status (GUI)

From Cisco IOS XE Amsterdam, Release 17.3.1 onwards, during an access point (AP) image download, the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points calculates the current percentage of the download and the estimated completion time of the download. (You can view these values in the CLI output by running the **show wireless ewc-ap ap image predownload status** command.)

To access the **Software Upgrage** window, from the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points home page, choose **Administration** > **Software Management** > **Software Upgrade**. The **Software Update Status** section in the GUI displays the update status bar that shows the progress of a software update, such as, **Initiate**, **Controller Image Download**, **AP Image Download**, **Network Upgrade**, **Activate**, and **Reload**.

To view the logs, click the Show Install Logs link.

The **Status** field displays the current status of the upgrade and indicates further action, if any, that you should perform.

The other details displayed in the window are - Total Number of APs, Initiated, Predownloading AP Image, Predownloading Controller Image, Completed Predownloading AP Image, Completed Predownloading Controller Image, Failed to Predownload AP Image, Failed to Predownload Controller Image.

The currently active AP, the AP on standby, and the preferred active AP are also displayed.

#### Image Download Scenarios

In a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network, image download from the embedded wireless controller to the subordinate AP takes place in the following scenarios:

- · During AP join
- During network software upgrade (pre-download)

#### Image Download During AP Join

APs with older software trying to join the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network are automatically upgraded to match the latest software version on the embedded wireless controller. The embedded wireless controller compares the software version on the new AP with that on itself. If there is a mismatch, the AP requests the controller for a software upgrade and image download is triggered. The embedded wireless controller facilitates the transfer of the latest software from an external TFTP server or SFTP server, to the new AP.

Depending on the new AP joining the network, there are two image downloads that take place:

- **AP software image download:** This applies to all new APs joining the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller.
- **Controller software image download:** This applies only to Cisco Catalyst series APs, capable of becoming a controller, trying to join the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network.

#### **AP Software Image Download**

Any Cisco Catalyst Series AP or Cisco Aironet Series Wave 2 AP can only join an embedded wireless controller if its AP software image version matches that of the controller.

During the AP join process, the embedded wireless controller first checks the AP software image version on the new AP and if it does not match what is on the controller, the latest AP software is downloaded from the controller to the new AP. Once the AP software image on the new AP is upgraded to match the version that is on the embedded wireless controller in the network, the new AP reloads. Once the new AP is back up with the upgraded AP software image, it joins the embedded wireless controller.

#### **Controller Software Image Download**

If the new AP joining the network is a CiscoCatalyst Series AP capable of becoming an embedded wireless controller, first the controller checks the AP software image on the new AP and if outdated, it is upgraded to

match the AP software version on the controller. The AP then reloads with the new AP software image and joins the embedded wireless controller in the network.

Next, the embedded wireless controller does a similar check to compare the controller software version on the embedded wireless controller-capable AP. Similar to the AP software upgrade, if there is a mismatch, the controller software on this CiscoCatalyst Series AP is also upgraded to the latest version on the embedded wireless controller. The AP reloads again, this time with the upgraded controller software image.

#### **Efficient AP Join**

If the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controllerr network contains an AP of the same image type as the newly joining AP, then the new AP downloads the AP software image from this AP. For example, if a CiscoCatalyst 9130AX Series AP is newly joining the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network and another CiscoCatalyst 9130AX Series AP already exists in the network, then the new AP gets its AP software image from the already joined AP.

This method, known as efficient AP join, enables homogenous APs to get the software locally (within the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network) rather than downloading it from an external server. This improves software download efficiency.

The first AP of a series that joins the network and downloads the software from the embedded wireless controller is called a primary image. The other APs of the same series are known as image subordinates.

#### Network Software Upgrade (Pre-Download)

In the pre-download scenario, image download in the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network occurs to upgrade the software on all the APs from one software version to another. However, these APs continue to serve existing as well as new clients and there is no network disruption.

For pre-download, all the APs should be connected to the embedded wireless controller in a stable join state. Once image download is initiated during pre-download, new APs are not allowed to join the embedded wireless controller.

#### **Efficient AP Upgrade**

In this method, the first AP of an AP series to get the image from the embedded wireless controller becomes the primary image. The remaining APs of the same AP series, the image subordinates, then download the software image locally from this primary image. This method is also known as efficient AP upgrade.

### Methods Supported for Image Download

In a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network, there are four ways in which the software image can be downloaded from the embedded wireless controller. These methods are based on the location from where the controller transfers the software image to the subordinate AP:

- From an external TFTP server
- From an external SFTP server
- From the desktop (via HTTP)

#### TFTP Image Download Method

In the TFTP method, the AP and controller software images are stored on a TFTP server. To download the software images from the TFTP server, you need to specify the IP address of the TFTP server and the path to the software image bundle on the TFTP server.

The TFTP image download method can be triggered using both the GUI and CLI.

#### SFTP Image Download Method

In the SFTP method, the AP and controller software images are stored on an SFTP server. To download the software images from the SFTP server, in addition to the IP address of the SFTP server and the software image bundle path, you need to specify the SFTP server credentials.

The SFTP image download method also can be triggered using both the GUI and CLI.

#### Desktop (HTTP) Image Download Method

Image download through desktop (HTTP) is applicable only in the network software upgrade (pre-download) scenario.

For the desktop (HTTP) method, download the software image bundle for the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller to your computer or laptop desktop. This downloaded bundle contains the AP and controller software images which need to be extracted to the computer or laptop desktop before they can be uploaded to the embedded wireless controller.

Note that the desktop (HTTP) method works only for a homogenous network. A homogenous Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network is one which contains APs that have the same AP software image type. For example, the Cisco Catalyst 9115AX series AP and the Cisco Catalyst 9120AX series AP use the ap1g7 AP software image file. So, the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network in this example containing Cisco Catalyst 9115AX series and 9120AX series APs is a homogenous network.

The embedded wireless controller CLI can only be used to set the mode for image download as desktop (HTTP). The Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller GUI has to be used to configure and trigger network software upgrade (pre-download) using the desktop (HTTP) image download method.

### Prerequisites for Image Download

- Connectivity to an external (TFTP or SFTP) server is required for image download during AP join in a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network.
- Connectivity to a PC or laptop is required for image download during network software upgrade in a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network.
- All APs should be connected to the embedded wireless controller for image download in the network software upgrade (pre-download) scenario.
- For image upgrade, you must not configure a preferred-master. If you configure a preferred-master, ensure that it points to the currently active AP, which is displayed in the **show wireless ewc-ap redundancy summary** command.

If a different AP is configured as the preferred-master, the upgrade process will not take place in the **install activate** step. If the upgrade does not take place, you should either remove the preferred-master

configuration, or re-configure the preferred-master to match the AP that is currently active, and then run the **install activate** command, again.

### **Configuring Image Download Profile**

You need to configure the image download profile for both the AP join image download and pre-download scenarios. The only profile supported is *default*. In a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network, only one site tag is supported, the *default-site-tag*. The *default* image download profile is attached to the *default-site-tag*.

### **Configuring TFTP Image Download (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Administration > Software Management.
Step 2	On the Software Management page, under the Software Upgrade tab, select the Mode as TFTP.
Step 3	In the Image Server field, enter the TFTP server IP address.
Step 4	In the Image Path field, enter the absolute or relative path to the software image bundle.
Stop 5	Chaose one of the following:

**Step 5** Choose one of the following:

• Save: Choose this option to save the image download profile and enable image download for new APs joining the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network.

- Save & Download: Choose this option to save the configuration and enable network software upgrade (pre-download). The image download profile is saved (even if no change is made to the configuration) and the latest image is downloaded in the background. This allows the APs to continue serving the clients.
- Activate: Choose this option to enable the APs in the network to swap to the latest image and reboot. The Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network is activated once the APs come up with the new image file.
- Cancel: Choose this option to cancel any changes made to the image download profile.

Option	Description	
Save	Choose this option to save the image download profile and enable image download for new APs joining the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network.	
Save & Download	Choose this option to save the configuration and enable network software upgrade (pre-download). The image download profile is saved (even if no change is made to the configuration) and the latest image is downloaded in the background. This allows the APs to continue serving the clients.	
Activate	Choose this option to enable the APs in the network to swap to the latest image and reboot. The Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network is activated once the APs come up with the new image file.	

Option	Description	
Cancel	Choose this option to cancel any changes made to the image download profile.	

### Configuring TFTP Image Download (CLI)

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile image-download default	Configures the default AP profile.
	Example:	
	Device (config)# wireless profile image-download default	
Step 3	image-download-mode tftp	Configure image download using TFTP.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-image-download-profile)# image-download-mode tftp	
Step 4	tftp-image-server server-ip	Configure the TFTP server for image download
	Example:	by specifying the IPv4 or IPv6 <i>server-ip</i> address.
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-tftp)#	
	tftp-image-server 10.1.1.1	
Step 5	tftp-image-path server-path	Configure the absolute or relative path to the
	Example:	software image on the TFTP server.
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-tftp)#	
	<b>tftp-image-path</b> /download/object/stream/images/ap-images	
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-tftp)# end	global configuration mode.

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### **Configuring SFTP Image Download (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Choose Administra	Choose Administration > Software Management.	
On the <b>Software M</b>	On the Software Management page, under the Software Upgrade tab, select the Mode as SFTP.	
The SFTP port is no	t configurable and is fixed at 22.	
In the <b>Image Serve</b>	r field, enter the SFTP server IP address.	
In the <b>Image Path</b> f	ield, enter the path to the software image bundle.	
In the User Name f	ield, enter the SFTP server username.	
Choose the appropri	ate Password Type from Unencrypted or AES Encrypted.	
In the Password fie	ld, enter the SFTP server password.	
Choose one of the fo	ollowing:	
Option	Option Description	
Save	Choose this option to save the image download profile and enable image download for new APs joining the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network.	
Save & Download	Choose this option to save the configuration and enable network software upgrade (pre-download). The image download profile is saved (even if no change is made to	

the APs to continue serving the clients.

come up with the new image file.

the configuration) and the latest image is downloaded in the background. This allows

Choose this option to enable the APs in the network to swap to the latest image and reboot. The Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network is activated once the APs

Choose this option to cancel any changes made to the image download profile.

### **Configuring SFTP Image Download (CLI)**

#### Procedure

Activate

Cancel

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile image-download default	Configures the default AP profile.
	Example:	
	Device (config)# wireless profile image-download default	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	image-download-mode sftp	Configure image download using SFTP.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-image-download-profile)# image-download-mode sftp	
Step 4	sftp-image-server server-ip	Configure the SFTP server for image download
	Example:	by specifying the IPv4 or IPv6 <i>server-ip</i> address.
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-sftp)# sftp-image-server 10.1.1.1	
Step 5	sftp-image-path server-path	Configure the path to the software image on the
	Example:	SFTP server.
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-sftp)#	
	<b>sftp-image-path</b> /download/object/stream/images/ap-images	
Step 6	sftp-username username	Specify the username to log in to the SFTP
	Example:	server for image download.
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-sftp)#	
	sftp-username test	
Step 7	sftp-password {0   8} password	Specify the password associated with the above
	Example:	username to download the image from the SFTP
	 Device(config-wireless-image-download-profile-sftp)#	server. You need to re-enter the password to confirm the entry.
	sftp-password 0 password1	To configure an AES encrypted password,
		specify 8, else specify 0 to configure an
		unencrypted password.
Step 8	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-tftp)#	
	end	

### **Configuring CCO Mode for Software Upgrade (GUI)**

#### Before you begin

The CCO account must have a physical address entered at the CCO Profile Manager. The account must have EULA and K9 acknowledged. For more information about creating a CCO account, refer to https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/about/help/registration-benefits-help.html.

#### Procedure

Activate

Cancel

Step 1	Choose Administration > Software Management.		
Step 2		<b>nagement</b> page, under the <b>Software Upgrade</b> tab, select the <b>Mode</b> as CCO.	
Step 3	In the User Name field, enter the CCO username.		
Step 4		d, enter the password to access the CCO server.	
Step 5		te <b>Password Type</b> from Unencrypted or AES Encrypted.	
Step 6	Choose either Enable	ed or Disabled from the <b>Automatically Check for Updates</b> field. If you enable this itomatically checks for software updates.	
	The interval is for 30 days. After the interval expires, the controller automatically checks and updates the latest or recommend software version information in the controller configuration.		
Step 7	In the <b>Software Check</b> field, click the <b>Check now</b> button and retrieve up-to-date information about the <b>Latest software release</b> (the latest version available on the CCO website) and the <b>Recommended software release</b> (the recommended software version for the currently running software) version numbers.		
Step 8	The Last CCO Response field displays the error messages encountered when configuring the CCO image download method. For example, if you have entered a wrong username and password, the following error message is displayed: HTTP 400 Error: 400 Client Error: Bad Request for url: https://cloudsso.cisco.com/as/token.oauth2 Please check your username/password and try again. For more information about the Last CCO Response error messages, refer to Troubleshooting - CCO Image Download Error Messages, on page 234.		
Step 9	From the <b>Version</b> drop-down list, choose either <b>Recommended</b> or <b>Latest</b> . After fetching the latest and the recommended software versions, you can choose the version to upgrade.		
Step 10	Choose one of the fo	llowing:	
	Option	Description	
	Save	Choose this option to save the image download profile and enable image download for new APs joining the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network.	
	Save & Download	Choose this option to save the configuration and enable network software upgrade (pre-download). The image download profile is saved (even if no change is made to the configuration) and the latest image is downloaded in the background. This allows the APs to continue serving the clients.	

Choose this option to enable the APs in the network to swap to the latest image and reboot. The Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network is activated once the APs

Choose this option to cancel any changes made to the image download profile.

come up with the new image file.

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### **Configuring CCO Image Download (CLI)**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile image-download default	Configures the default AP profile.
	Example:	
	Device (config)# wireless profile image-download default	
Step 3	image-download-mode cco	Configure image download using CCO.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-image-download-profile)# image-download-mode cco	
Step 4	cco-username username	Specify the username to log in to the CCO
	Example:	server for image download.
	Device(config-wireless-image-download-profile-coo)# <b>CCO-USERNAME</b> username	
Step 5	cco-password {0   8} password	Specify the password associated with the above
	Example:	username to download the image from the CCO server. You need to re-enter the password
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-cco)#	to confirm the entry.
	cco-password 0 password1	To configure an AES encrypted password,
		specify 8, else specify 0 to configure an unencrypted password.
Step 6	cco-version {latest   suggested}	Specify the latest or the suggested version to
	Example:	be downloaded from the CCO server. By default the <b>suggested</b> version is downloaded.
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-cco) # cco-version latest	default life suggested version is downloaded.
Step 7	cco-auto-check	Enables or disables automatic check of new
	Example:	software versions at CCO every 30 days. This is applicable to Image Upgrade or
	Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-cco)# cco-auto-check	Predownload only. By default, <b>cco-auto-check</b> is enabled. To disable the command use the <b>no</b> form of the command.

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 8	end Example: Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile-cco)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	
Step 9	wireless ewc-ap predownload poll-cco Example: Device# wireless ewc-ap predownload poll-cco	Polls the CCO server to check for the latest software version.	
Step 10	clear ap predownload statistics Example: Device# clear ap predownload statistics	Clears the AP predownload statistics.	
Step 11	install remove profile default Example: Device# install remove profile default	Removes the image download profile. Choose <b>Y</b> to remove the profile or choose <b>N</b> to cancel.	
Step 12	install add profile default Example: Device# clear ap predownload statistics	<ul> <li>Downloads the controller and AP software image from the embedded wireless controller.</li> <li>The controller image is sent to all Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller-capable APs.</li> <li>The AP image is downloaded to all APs sharing the same image type</li> </ul>	
Step 13	<pre>install activate Example: Device# install activate</pre>	<ul> <li>Activates the network after upgrade.</li> <li>All the subordinate APs get the new AP image and reboot. Once all APs are rebooted, the embedded wireless controller also reboots.</li> <li>Note The network can also be activated if the controller image is downloaded but all APs have not received the AP image via predownload.</li> <li>Important If the network is activated during partial predownload success, and a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller-capable AP with old controller software becomes the controller, then the network will not get upgraded to the new image.</li> </ul>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 14	install commit	Commits the current software image once the
	Example:	embedded wireless controller comes up after rebooting.
	Device# install commit	

### **Troubleshooting - CCO Image Download Error Messages**

Following are the expected error messages and the causes, which will be displayed at the Last CCO Response field:

#### DNS resolution or connectivity issue

Connection Error: HTTPSConnectionPool(host='cloudsso.cisco.com', port=443): Max retries exceeded with url: /as/token.oauth2 (Caused by NewConnectionError('<url!b3.connection.VerifiedHTTPSConnection object at 0xf6170250>: Failed to establish a new connection: [Errno -3] Temporary failure in name resolution',))

#### CCO username/password error

HTTP 400 Error: 400 Client Error: Bad Request for url: https://cloudsso.cisco.com/as/token.oauth2 Please check your username/password and try again

#### Address missing exception

Thank you for registering with Cisco.com. In order to consume software or services we require your full address. Please follow <a href="https://rpfa.cloudapps.cisco.com/rpfa/profile/profile\_management.do" target=" blank">this link</a> to return to profile manager to complete your profile.

#### **EULA form missing exception**

Eula form have not been accepted or rejected to continue download. Please go tohttps://software.cisco.com/download/eula.

#### K9 form missing exception

K9 form have not been accepted or rejected to continue download. Please go to https://software.cisco.com/download/k9

### Configuring Desktop (HTTP) Image Download (GUI)

- Image download using desktop (HTTP) is only enabled in a homogeneous network, that is a network containing APs that have the same image type.
- Image download using desktop (HTTP) can only be configured from the GUI.
- The CLI can only be used to set the image download mode to desktop (HTTP).

#### Procedure

Step 1 Step 2 Step 3 Step 4	Choose Administration > Software Management. On the Software Management page, under the Software Upgrade tab, select the Mode as Desktop (HTTP). In the Controller Image field, navigate to the embedded wireless controller software image on your computer or laptop desktop. In the AP Image field, navigate to the AP software image on your computer or laptop desktop. The GUI displays the name of the AP image to be used. Depending on the AP model, the name of the AP image varies.			
Step 5	Choose one of the following:			
	Option	Description		
	Save	Choose this option to save the image download profile and enable image download for new APs joining the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network.		
	Save & DownloadChoose this option to save the configuration and enable network softwar (pre-download). The image download profile is saved (even if no chang the configuration) and the latest image is downloaded in the background the APs to continue serving the clients.			
	Activate	Choose this option to enable the APs in the network to swap to the latest image and reboot. The Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller network is activated once the APs come up with the new image file.		

### **Initiating Pre-Download (CLI)**

#### Procedure

Cancel

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	clear ap predownload statistics	Clear AP predownload statistics.
Step 2	install remove profile default	Remove the image download profile.
		Choose <b>Y</b> to remove the profile or choose <b>N</b> to cancel.
Step 3	install add profile default	Download the controller and AP software image from the embedded wireless controller.
		The controller image is sent to all Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller-capable APs. The AP image is downloaded to all APs sharing the same image type.

Choose this option to cancel any changes made to the image download profile.

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 4	show wireless ewc-ap predownload status	Monitor the overall software download status		
		The download is successful when the status message is Controller Image Predownload to EWC Capable APs Complete.		
Step 5	install activate	Activate the network after upgrade.		
		All the subordinate APs get the new AP ima and reboot. Once all APs are rebooted, the embedded wireless controller also reboots.		
		<b>Note</b> The network can also be activated if the controller image is downloaded but all APs have not received the AP image via predownload.		
		Important If the network is activated during partial predownload success, and a Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller-capable AP with old controller software becomes the controller, then the network will not get upgraded to the new image.		
Step 6	show install summary	Verify the current image status after reboot		
		If the status is Activated and Uncommitted, proceed to Step 7, else wait.		
Step 7	install commit	Commits the current software image once the embedded wireless controller comes up after rebooting.		

### **Verifying Image Download**

To monitor the overall progress of the software download process during predownload, run the following command.

Device# show wireless ewc-ap predownload status

The following are the various status messages indicating the status of the predownload operation. These are displayed when you run the **show wireless ewc-ap predownload status** command:

- None
- · Controller Image Download Initiated
- · Controller Image Download In Progress
- · Controller Image Download Complete

- Controller Image Download Failed
- AP Image Predownload Initiated
- AP Image Predownload In Progress
- AP Image Predownload Complete
- AP Image Predownload Unsupported
- AP Image Predownload Failed
- Controller Image Predownload to EWC Capable APs In Progress
- Controller Image Predownload to EWC Capable APs Complete
- Controller Image Predownload to EWC Capable APs Failed
- Image Activation Succeeded
- Image Activation Failed
- Invalid State

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To view the AF	' image predownload	statistics run the	following command:
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Device# show wireless ewc-ap ap image predownload status	
Total number of APs : 5	
Total number of EWC capable APs : 4	
Number of APs	
Initiated : 0	
Predownloading AP image : 0	
Predownloading Controller image : 1	
Completed predownloading AP : 5	
Completed predownloading Controller : 0	
Failed to Predownload AP : 0	
Failed to Predownload Controller : 0	
AP Name Primary Image (AP/Controller)	Backup Image (AP/Controller)
Predownload Status Predownload Version	AP Image
Role Retries AP image Controller image	

ETA/Percent ETA/Percent		Туре	
APXXXX.9XXX.8FXX 17.3.0.85 /17.3.01.0.XXXX	17.2.2.2	/17.2.02.0	).xxxx
Complete 17.2.2.2 /17.2.02.0	.2XXX	ap1g7	Slave
0 00:00:00/100% 00:00:00/ 0%			
APXXXX.5XXX.71XX 17.3.0.85 /	17.2.2.2	/	
Complete 17.2.2.2 /		ap1g5	
Master 0 00:00:00/100% 00:00:00/ 0%			
APXXXX.8XXX.59XX 17.3.0.85 /17.3.01.0.XXXX	17.2.2.2	/17.2.02.0	).XXXX
Complete 17.2.2.2 /		ap1g7	Slave
0 00:00:00/100% 00:00:00/ 0%			
APXXXX.8XXX.5AXX 17.3.0.85 /17.3.01.0.XXXX	17.2.2.2	/17.3.01	.0.XXX
Controller Predownloading 17.2.2.2 /		ap1g7	
Master 0 00:00:00/100% 00:00:00/ 0%			
APXXXX.8XXX.5BXX 17.3.0.85 /17.3.01.0.XXXX	17.2.2.2	/	
Complete 17.2.2.2 /		ap1g7	
Slave 0 00:00:00/100% 00:00:00/ 0%			

To view details of the AP acting as the primary image, use the following command:

Device# show wireless ewc-ap image-master Image Master List Image Name: ap1g7							
Master AP MAC Contro	oller	AP		AP	Controller		
Predownload (		In Progress	Predownload	Complete	Predownload In Progress		
c0XX.eXXX.90XX Yes Image Name: ap2			No		No		
Master AP MAC Contro	oller	AP		AP	Controller		
Predownload (		In Progress	Predownload	Complete	Predownload In Progress		
70XX.1XXX.4bXX Yes	No		No		No		

To check the image download status on all the APs, run the following command:

Device# show ap image

To check AP status during image download, run the following command:

Device# show ap summary

To monitor efficient AP join status, run the following command:

Device# show ap master list

To view the details of the last AP image download attempt, run the following command:

Device# show wireless stats ap image-download

To check the current status of the upgraded image, run the following command:

Device# show install summary

To check the download status from external servers (TFTP or SFTP), run the following command: Device# show install log



### **Conditional Debug and Radioactive Tracing**

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### Introduction to Conditional Debugging

The Conditional Debugging feature allows you to selectively enable debugging and logging for specific features based on the set of conditions you define. This feature is useful in systems where a large number of features are supported.

The Conditional debug allows granular debugging in a network that is operating at a large scale with a large number of features. It allows you to observe detailed debugs for granular instances within the system. This is very useful when we need to debug only a particular session among thousands of sessions. It is also possible to specify multiple conditions.

A condition refers to a feature or identity, where identity could be an interface, IP Address, or a MAC address and so on.

This is in contrast to the general debug command, that produces its output without discriminating on the feature objects that are being processed. General debug command consumes a lot of system resources and impacts the system performance.

### Introduction to Radioactive Tracing

Radioactive tracing (RA) provides the ability to stitch together a chain of execution for operations of interest across the system, at an increased verbosity level. This provides a way to conditionally print debug information (up to DEBUG Level or a specified level) across threads, processes and function calls.



Note

• The radioactive tracing supports First-Hop Security (FHS).

- The radioactive tracing filter does not work, if the certificate is not valid.
- For effective debugging of issues on mesh features, ensure that you add both Ethernet and Radio MAC address as conditional MAC for RA tracing, while collecting logs.
- To enable debug for wireless IPs, use the debug platform condition feature wireless ip *ip-address* command.

### **Conditional Debugging and Radioactive Tracing**

Radioactive Tracing when coupled with Conditional Debugging, enable us to have a single debug CLI to debug all execution contexts related to the condition. This can be done without being aware of the various control flow processes of the feature within the box and without having to issue debugs at these processes individually.

Use the **clear platform condition all** command to remove the debug conditions applied to the platform.

### **Location of Tracefiles**

By default the tracefile logs will be generated for each process and saved into either the /tmp/rp/trace or /tmp/fp/trace directory. In this temp directory, the trace logs are written to files, which are of 1 MB size each. You can verify these logs (per-process) using the **show platform software trace message** *process\_name* **chassis active R0** command. The directory can hold up to a maximum of 25 such files for a given process. When a tracefile in the /tmp directory reaches its 1MB limit or whatever size was configured for it during the boot time, it is rotated out to an archive location in the /crashinfo partition under **tracelogs** directory.

The **/tmp** directory holds only a single tracefile for a given process. Once the file reaches its file size limit it is rotated out to **/crashinfo/tracelogs**. In the archive directory, up to 25 files are accumulated, after which the oldest one is replaced by the newly rotated file from **/tmp**. File size is process dependent and some processes uses larger file sizes (upto 10MB). Similarly, the number of files in the **tracelogs** directory is also decided by the process. For example, WNCD process uses a limit of 400 files per instance, depending on the platform.

The tracefiles in the crashinfo directory are located in the following formats:

Process-name\_Process-ID\_running-counter.timestamp.gz

Example: IOSRP\_R0-0.bin\_0.14239.20151101234827.gz

2. Process-name\_pmanlog\_Process-ID\_running-counter.timestamp.bin.gz

Example: wncmgrd\_R0-0.27958\_1.20180902081532.bin.gz

Note

### **Configuring Conditional Debugging (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Troubleshooting > Radioactive Trace.
Step 2	Click Add.
Step 3	Enter the MAC/IP Address.
Step 4	Click Apply to Device.
Step 5	Click Start to start or Stop to stop the conditional debug.
Step 6	Click Generate to create a radioactive trace log.
Step 7	Click the radio button to set the time interval.
Step 8	Click the <b>Download Logs</b> icon that is displayed next to the trace file name, to download the logs to your local folder.
Step 9	Click the <b>View Logs</b> icon that is displayed next to the trace file name, to view the log files on the GUI page. Click <b>Load More</b> to view more lines of the log file.
Step 10	Click Apply to Device.

## **Configuring Conditional Debugging**

Follow the procedure given below to configure conditional debugging:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	<b>Purpose</b> Configures conditional debugging for a feature using the specified MAC address.		
Step 1	debug platform condition feature wireless mac {mac-address}			
	Example: Device# debug platform condition feature wireless mac b838.61a1.5433	Note This is supported with AP or client MAC/IP and also on CMX IP address and mobility peer IP.		
Step 2	debug platform condition start Example: Device# debug platform condition start	Starts conditional debugging (this will start radioactive tracing if there is a match on one of the conditions above). Note This is supported with AP or client MAC/IP and also on CMX IP address and mobility peer IP.		
Step 3	show platform condition OR show debug Example:	Displays the current conditions set.		

	Command or Action	Purpose		
	Device# show platform condition Device# show debug			
Step 4	debug platform condition stop Example: Device# debug platform condition stop	Stops conditional debugging (this will stop radioactive tracing). Note This is supported with AP or client		
	Device# debug practorm condicton stop	MAC/IP and also on CMX IP address and mobility peer IP.		
Step 5	<pre>show logging profile wireless [counter   [last]{x days/hours}   filter mac{<mac address="">} [to-file]{<destination>}</destination></mac></pre>	Displays the logs from the latest wireless profile. Note You can use either the <i>show logging</i>		
	<b>Example:</b> Device# show logging profile wireless start last 20 minutes to-file bootflash:logs.txt	<b>Note</b> You can use either the <i>show loggir</i> profile wireless command or <i>show logging process</i> command to colle the logs.		
Step 6	show logging process <process name=""></process>	Displays the logs collection specific to the		
	Example:	process.		
	Device# show logging process wncd to-file flash:wncd.txt	.e		
Step 7	clear platform condition all	Clears all conditions.		
	Example:			
	Device# clear platform condition all			

#### What to do next



- **Note** The command **request platform software trace filter-binary wireless** {*mac-address*} generates 3 flash files:
  - collated\_log\_<.date..>
  - mac\_log <...date..>
  - mac\_database .. file

Of these, *mac\_log <...date..>* is the most important file, as it gives the messages for the MAC address we are debugging. The command **show platform software trace filter-binary** also generates the same flash files, and also prints the mac\_log on the screen.

### **Recommended Workflow for Trace files**

1. To request the tracelogs for a specific time period.

EXAMPLE 1 day.

Use the command:

Device#show logging process wncd to-file flash:wncd.txt

- 2. The system generates a text file of the tracelogs in the location /flash:
- **3.** Copy the file off the device. By copying the file, the tracelogs can be used to work offline. For more details on copying files, see section below.
- **4.** Delete the tracelog file (.txt) file from /flash: location. This will ensure enough space on the device for other operations.

### **Copying Tracefiles Off the Box**

An example of the tracefile is shown below:

```
Device# dir flash:/tracelogs
Directory of crashinfo:/tracelogs/
50664 -rwx 760 Sep 22 2015 11:12:21 +00:00 plogd_F0-0.bin_0.gz
50603 -rwx 991 Sep 22 2015 11:12:08 +00:00 fed_pmanlog_F0-0.bin_0.9558.20150922111208.gz
50610 -rw- 11 Nov 2 2015 00:15:59 +00:00 timestamp
50611 -rwx 1443 Sep 22 2015 11:11:31 +00:00
auto_upgrade_client_sh_pmanlog_R0-.bin_0.3817.2015092211130.gz
50669 -rwx 589 Sep 30 2015 03:59:04 +00:00 cfgwr-8021_R0-0.bin_0.gz
50612 -rwx 1136 Sep 22 2015 11:11:46 +00:00 reflector_803_R0-0.bin_0.1312.2015092211116.gz
50794 -rwx 4239 Nov 2 2015 00:04:32 +00:00 IOSRP_R0-0.bin_0.14239.20151101234827.gz
50615 -rwx 131072 Nov 2 2015 00:19:59 +00:00 linux iosd image pmanlog R0-0.bin_0
```

The trace files can be copied using one of the various options shown below:

```
Device# copy flash:/tracelogs ?
 crashinfo: Copy to crashinfo: file system
 flash: Copy to flash: file system
 ftp: Copy to ftp: file system
 http: Copy to http: file system
 https: Copy to https: file system
 null: Copy to null: file system
 nvram: Copy to nvram: file system
 rcp: Copy to rcp: file system
 running-config Update (merge with) current system configuration
 scp: Copy to scp: file system
 startup-config Copy to startup configuration
 syslog: Copy to syslog: file system
 system: Copy to system: file system
 tftp: Copy to tftp: file system
 tmpsys: Copy to tmpsys: file system
```

The general syntax for copying onto a TFTP server is as follows:

```
Device# copy source: tftp:
Device# copy crashinfo:/tracelogs/IOSRP_R0-0.bin_0.14239.20151101234827.gz tftp:
Address or name of remote host []? 2.2.2.2
Destination filename [IOSRP R0-0.bin 0.14239.20151101234827.gz]?
```



Note

It is important to clear the generated report or archive files off the switch in order to have flash space available for tracelog and other purposes.

### **Configuration Examples for Conditional Debugging**

The following is an output example of the show platform condition command.

The following is an output example of the show debug command.

### Verifying Conditional Debugging

The table shown below lists the various commands that can be used to verify conditional debugging:

Command	Purpose
show platform condition	Displays the current conditions set.
show debug	Displays the current debug conditions set.
show platform software trace filter-binary	Displays logs merged from the latest tracefile.
request platform software trace filter-binary	Displays historical logs of merged tracefiles on the system.

### Example: Verifying Radioactive Tracing Log for SISF

The following is an output example of the *show platform software trace message ios chassis active R0 | inc sisf* command.

#### Device# show platform software trace message ios chassis active R0 | inc sisf

2017/10/26 13:46:22.104 {IOSRP\_RO-0}{1}: [parser]: [5437]: UUID: 0, ra: 0 (note): CMD: 'show platform software trace message ios switch active R0 | inc sisf' 13:46:22 UTC Thu Oct 26 2017 2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug):

FF8E802918 semaphore system unlocked 2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug):

Unlocking, count is now 0

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): FF8E802918 semaphore system unlocked

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Unlocking, count is now 1

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Gil/0/5 vlan 10 aaaa.bbbb.cccc Setting State to 2

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Gil/0/5 vlan 10 aaaa.bbbb.cccc Start timer 0

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Gi1/0/5 vlan 10 aaaa.bbbb.cccc Timer value/granularity for 0 :299998/1000 2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug):

Gi1/0/5 vlan 10 aaaa.bbbb.cccc Updated Mac Timer : 299998 2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug):

Gil/0/5 vlan 10 aaaa.bbbb.cccc Before Timer : 350000

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_RO-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Gil/0/5 vlan 10 aaaa.bbbb.cccc Timer 0, default value is 350000

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Allocating timer wheel for 0

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Gi1/0/5 vlan 10 aaaa.bbbb.cccc No timer running

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Granularity for timer MAC T1 is 1000

2017/10/26 13:46:10.667 {IOSRP\_R0-0}{1}: [sisf]: [5437]: UUID: 480000000060, ra: 7 (debug): Gi1/0/5 vlan 10 aaaa.bbbb.cccc Current State :MAC-STALE, Req Timer : MAC\_T1 Current Timer MAC T1



### **Aggressive Client Load Balancing**

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### Information About Aggressive Client Load Balancing

The Aggressive Client Load Balancing feature allows lightweight access points to load balance wireless clients across access points.

When a wireless client attempts to associate to a lightweight access point, the associated response packets are sent to a client with an 802.11 response packet including status code 17. This code 17 indicates that the corresponding AP is busy. The AP does not respond with the response 'success' if the AP threshold is not met, and with code 17 (AP busy) if the AP utilization threshold is exceeded, and another less busy AP hears the client request.

For example, if the number of clients on AP1 is more than the number of clients on AP2 and the load-balancing window, then AP1 is considered to be busier than AP2. When a client attempts to associate to AP1, the client receives an 802.11 response packet with status code 17, indicating that the access point is busy, and the client attempts to associate to a different access point.

You can configure the embedded wireless controller to deny client associations up to 10 times (if a client attempts to associate 11 times, it will be allowed to associate on the 11th try). You can also enable or disable load balancing on a particular WLAN, which is useful if you want to disable load balancing for a select group of clients, such as time-sensitive voice clients.



Note

A voice client does not authenticate when delay is configured to more than 300 ms. To avoid this, configure a central-authentication, local-switching WLAN with Cisco Centralized Key Management (CCKM), configure a pagent router between an AP and WLC with a delay of 600 ms (300 ms UP and 300 ms DOWN), and try associating the voice client.



Note

For a FlexConnect AP, the association is locally handled. The load-balancing decisions are taken at the controller. A FlexConnect AP sends an initial response to the client before knowing the result of the calculations in the controller. Load-balancing does not take effect when the FlexConnect AP is in standalone mode.

A FlexConnect AP does not send (re)association response with status 17 for load balancing the way local-mode APs do; instead, it first sends (re)association with status 0 (success) and then deauth with reason 5.

### **Enabling Aggressive Client Load Balancing (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1 Choose Conf	iguration > Wireless	s > WLANs > Wire	less Networks.
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- **Step 2** Select a WLAN to view the Edit WLAN window.
- Step 3 Click Advanced tab.
- **Step 4** Select the **Load Balance** check box to enable the feature.
- Step 5 Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring Aggressive Client Load Balancing (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration &gt; Wireless &gt; Advanced</b> . The <b>Load Balancing</b> window is displayed.
Step 2	In the <b>Aggressive Load Balancing Window (clients)</b> field, enter the number of clients for the aggressive load balancing client window.
Step 3	In the Aggressive Load Balancing Denial Count field, enter the load balancing denial count.
Step 4	Click Apply.

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### **Configuring Aggressive Client Load Balancing (CLI)**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	wlan wlan-name	Specifies the WLAN name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>wlan</b> test-wlan	
Step 4	shutdown	Disables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>shutdown</b>	
Step 5	load-balance	Configures a guest embedded wireless
	Example:	controller as mobility controller, in order to enable client load balance to a particular
	<pre>Device(config-wlan) # load-balance</pre>	WLAN.
		Configure the WLAN security settings as the
		WLAN requirements.
Step 6	no shutdown	Enables WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	giobal configuration mode.
Step 8	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 9	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz } load-balancingdenial <i>count</i>	Configures the load balancing denial count.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz load-balancing denial 10	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 10	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz } load-balancingwindow clients	Configures the number of clients for the aggressive load balancing client window.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz load-balancing denial 10	
Step 11	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# end	
Step 12	show running-config   section wlan-name	Displays a filtered section of the current
	Example:	configuration.
	Device# show running-config   section test-wlan	



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### **Configuring Accounting Identity List (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > AAA.	
Step 2	In the AAA Method List tab, go to the Accounting section, and click Add.	
Step 3	In the Quick Setup: AAA Accounting window that is displayed, enter a name for your method list.	
Step 4	Choose the type of authentication as identity, in the <b>Type</b> drop-down list.	
Step 5	Choose the server groups you want to use to authenticate access to your network, from the <b>Available Server</b> <b>Groups</b> list and click > icon to move them to the <b>Assigned Server Groups</b> list.	
Step 6	Click Save & Apply to Device.	

### **Configuring Accounting Identity List (CLI)**

Accounting is the process of logging the user actions and keeping track of their network usage. Whenever a user successfully executes an action, the RADIUS accounting server logs the changed attributes, the user ID of the person who made the change, the remote host where the user is logged in, the date and time when the command was executed, the authorization level of the user, and a description of the action performed and the values provided.

Follow the procedure given below to configure accounting identity list.

#### Before you begin

Configure the RADIUS server and AAA group server.

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	aaa accounting identity named-list start-stopgroup server-group-nameExample:	Enables accounting to send a start-record accounting notice when a client is authoriz and a stop-record at the end.	
	Device(config)# aaa accounting identity userl start-stop group aaa-test	<b>Note</b> You can also use the default list, instead of a named list.	

Whenever there is a change in the client attribute, for example, change in IP address, client roaming, and so on, an accounting interim update is sent to the RADIUS server.

### **Configuring Client Accounting (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Policy.	
Step 2	2 Click the <b>Policy Profile Name</b> and in the <b>Edit Policy Profile</b> window, go to the <b>Advanced</b> tab.	
Step 3	From the <b>Accounting List</b> drop-down, select the appropriate accounting list for this policy profile. This will ensure that the policy profile undergoes that type of accounting you want to perform, before allowing it access to the network.	
Step 4	Click Save & Apply to Device.	

### **Configuring Client Accounting (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure client accounting.

#### Before you begin

Ensure that RADIUS accounting is configured.

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	wireless profile policy profile-policy	Configures WLAN policy profile and enters	
	Example: wireless policy configuration	wireless policy configuration mode.	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy   default-policy-profile</pre>		
Step 2	shutdown	Disables the policy profile.	
	Example:		

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# shutdow	n
Step 3	accounting-list list-name	Sets the accounting list.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# accounting-list user1	
Step 4	no shutdown	Enables the policy profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# no shutdown	



# **Volume Metering**

The Volume Metering feature allows you to configure the interval at which an access point (AP) updates client accounting statistics to the embedded wireless controller and in turn to the RADIUS server. Currently, the report is sent from an AP to the controller every 90 seconds. With this feature, you can configure the time from 5 to 90 seconds. This helps reduce the delay in accounting data usage by a device.

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# **Configuring Volume Metering**

Follow the procedure given below to configure volume metering:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap profile profile-name	Configures an AP profile and enters ap profile
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device(config)# ap profile yy-ap-profile	
Step 3	dot11 24ghz reporting-interval reporting-interval	Configures the dot11 parameters.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# dot11 24ghz reporting-interval 60</pre>	
Step 4	dot11 5ghz reporting-interval reporting-interval	Configures the dot11 parameters.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# dot11 5ghz reporting-interval 60</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# exit</pre>	
interval-in-minutes e	Sets the time interval (in minutes) at which the embedded wireless controller sends interim accounting updates of the client to the RADIUS	
	Device(config)# aaa accounting update periodic 75	server.
Step 7	exit	Exits configuration mode and returns to
	Example:	privileged EXEC mode.
	Device(config)# exit	



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# Information About Enabling Syslog Messages in Access Points and Embedded Wireless Controller for Syslog Server



Note You will be able to view the Syslog server messages only after an AP join.

The Syslog server on access points and embedded wireless controller has many levels and facilities.

The following are the Syslog levels:

- Emergencies
- Alerts
- Critical
- Errors
- Warnings
- Notifications
- Informational
- Debugging

The following options are available for the Syslog facility:

- auth—Authorization system.
- cron—Cron/ at facility.
- daemon—System daemons.
- kern—Kernel.
- local0-Local use.
- local1—Local use.
- local2—Local use.
- local3—Local use.
- local4—Local use.
- local5—Local use.
- local6—Local use.
- local7—Local use.
- lpr—Line printer system.
- mail—Mail system.
- news—USENET news.
- sys10—System use.
- sys11—System use.
- sys12-System use.
- sys13—System use.
- sys14—System use.
- sys9—System use.
- syslog—Syslog itself.
- user-User process.
- uucp—Unix-to-Unix copy system.

# **Configuring Syslog Server for an AP Profile**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	ap profile ap-profile	Configures an AP profile and enters the AP
	Example:	profile configuration mode.
	Device(config)# ap profile xyz-ap-profile	
Step 3	syslog facility	Configures the facility parameter for Syslog
	Example:	messages.
	<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# syslog facility</pre>	
Step 4	syslog host ip-address	Configures the Syslog server IP address and
	Example:	parameters.
	<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# syslog host 9.3.72.1</pre>	
Step 5	syslog level { alerts   critical   debugging	Configures the Syslog server logging level.
	emergencies   errors   informational   notifications   warnings}	The following are the Syslog server logging levels:
	<pre>Example: Device(config-ap-profile)# syslog level</pre>	• emergencies—Signifies severity 0. Implies that the system is not usable.
		• alerts—Signifies severity 1. Implies tha an immediate action is required.
		• <b>critical</b> —Signifies severity 2. Implies critical conditions.
		• errors—Signifies severity 3. Implies error conditions.
		<ul> <li>warnings—Signifies severity 4. Implies warning conditions.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>notifications—Signifies severity 5. Implies normal but significant conditions</li> </ul>
		• informational—Signifies severity 6. Implies informational messages.
		<ul> <li>debugging—Signifies severity 7. Implie debugging messages.</li> </ul>

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
		NoteTo know the number of Syslog levels supported, you need to select a Syslog level. Once a Syslog level is selected, all the levels below it are also enabled.	
		If you enable <i>critical</i> Syslog level then all levels below it are also enabled. So, all three of them, namely, <i>critical</i> , <i>alerts</i> , and <i>emergencies</i> are enabled.	
Step 6	end Example: Device(config-ap-profile)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	

# **Configuring Syslog Server for the Controller (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose <b>Troubleshooting</b> > <b>Logs</b> .		
Step 2	Click Manage Syslog Servers button.		
Step 3	In Log L	evel Settings, from the Syslog drop-down list, choose a security level.	
Step 4	From the	Message Console drop-down list, choose a logging level.	
Step 5	In Messa	ge Buffer Configuration, from the Level drop-down list, choose a server logging level.	
Step 6	In <b>IP Co</b>	nfiguration settings, click Add.	
Step 7	Choose the Server Type, from the IPv4 / IPv6 or FQDN option.		
Step 8	For Server Type <b>IPv4 / IPv6</b> , enter the <b>IPv4 / IPv6 Server Address</b> . For Server Type <b>FQDN</b> , enter the <b>H</b> <b>Name</b> , choose the IP type and the appropriate <b>VRF Name</b> from the drop-down lists.		
	To delete	a syslog server, click 'x' next to the appropriate server entry, under the Remove column.	
	<b>Note</b> When creating a host name, spaces are not allowed.		
Step 9	Click Apply to Device.		
	<ul> <li>Note When you click on Apply to Device, the changes are configured. If you click on Cancel, the configurations are discarded.</li> </ul>		

# **Configuring Syslog Server for the Embedded Wireless Controller**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	logging host { hostname   ipv6 }	Enables Syslog server IP address and
	Example:	parameters.
	Device (config) # logging host 124.3.52.62	
Step 3	logging facility { auth   cron   daemon   kern   local0   local1   local2	Enables facility parameter for the Syslog messages.
	local3         local4         local5         local6         local7         sys10         sys11         sys12         sys13         sys14         sys9	You can enable the following facility parameter for the Syslog messages:
	syslog   user   uucp}	• <b>auth</b> —Authorization system.
	Example:	• <b>cron</b> —Cron facility.
	Device(config)# logging facility syslog	• daemon—System daemons.
		• kern—Kernel.
		• local0 to local7—Local use.
		• <b>lpr</b> —Line printer system.
		• mail—Mail system.
		• <b>news</b> —USENET news.
		• sys10 to sys14 and sys9—System use.
		• <b>syslog</b> —Syslog itself.
		• <b>user</b> —User process.
		• <b>uucp</b> —Unix-to-Unix copy system.
Step 4	logging trap { severity-level   alerts	Enables Syslog server logging level.
	critical   debugging   emergencies   errors   informational   notifications   warnings}	<i>severity-level</i> - Refers to the logging severity level. The valid range is from 0 to 7.
	Example:	The following are the Syslog server logging levels:
	Device(config)# logging trap 2	• emergencies—Signifies severity 0. Implies that the system is not usable.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
		• alerts—Signifies severity 1. Implies that an immediate action is required.
		• <b>critical</b> —Signifies severity 2. Implies critical conditions.
		• errors—Signifies severity 3. Implies error conditions.
		• warnings—Signifies severity 4. Implies warning conditions.
		• <b>notifications</b> —Signifies severity 5. Implies normal but significant conditions.
		• <b>informational</b> —Signifies severity 6. Implies informational messages.
		• <b>debugging</b> —Signifies severity 7. Implies debugging messages.
		<b>Note</b> To know the number of Syslog levels supported, you need to select a Syslog level. Once a Syslog level is selected, all the levels below it are also enabled.
		If you enable <i>critical</i> Syslog level then all levels below it are also enabled. So, all three of them, namely, <i>critical</i> , <i>alerts</i> , and <i>emergencies</i> are enabled.
Step 5	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# **Verifying Syslog Server Configurations**

#### Verifying Global Syslog Server Settings for all Access Points

To view the global Syslog server settings for all access points that joins the controller, use the following command:

AP Country Code : IN - India AP Regulatory Domain Slot 0 : -A Slot 1 : -D MAC Address : a0f8.4984.5e48 IP Address Configuration : DHCP IP Address : 9.4.172.111 IP Netmask : 255.255.255.0 Gateway IP Address : 9.4.172.1 Fallback IP Address Being Used : Domain : Name Server : CAPWAP Path MTU : 1485 Telnet State : Disabled SSH State : Disabled Jumbo MTU Status : Disabled Cisco AP Location : default location Site Tag Name : ST1 RF Tag Name : default-rf-tag Policy Tag Name : PT3 AP join Profile : default-ap-profile Primary Cisco Controller Name : WLC2 Primary Cisco Controller IP Address : 9.4.172.31 Secondary Cisco Controller Name : Not Configured Secondary Cisco Controller IP Address : 0.0.0.0 Tertiary Cisco Controller Name : Not Configured Tertiary Cisco Controller IP Address : 0.0.0.0 Administrative State : Enabled Operation State : Registered AP Certificate type : Manufacturer Installed Certificate AP Mode : Local AP VLAN tagging state : Disabled AP VLAN tag : 0 CAPWAP Preferred mode : Not Configured AP Submode : Not Configured Office Extend Mode : Disabled Remote AP Debug : Disabled Logging Trap Severity Level : notification Software Version : 16.10.1.24 Boot Version : 1.1.2.4 Mini IOS Version : 0.0.0.0 Stats Reporting Period : 180 LED State : Enabled PoE Pre-Standard Switch : Disabled PoE Power Injector MAC Address : Disabled Power Type/Mode : PoE/Full Power (normal mode) Number of Slots : 3 AP Model : AIR-AP1852I-D-K9 IOS Version : 16.10.1.24 Reset Button : Disabled AP Serial Number : KWC212904UB Management Frame Protection Validation : Disabled AP User Mode : Automatic AP User Name : Not Configured AP 802.1X User Mode : Global AP 802.1X User Name : Not Configured Cisco AP System Logging Host : 9.4.172.116 AP Up Time : 11 days 1 hour 15 minutes 52 seconds AP CAPWAP Up Time : 6 days 3 hours 11 minutes 6 seconds Join Date and Time : 09/05/2018 04:18:52 Join Taken Time : 3 minutes 1 second Join Priority : 1 Ethernet Port Duplex : Auto Ethernet Port Speed : Auto

AP Link Latency : Disable AP Lag Configuration Status : Disabled AP Lag Operational Status : Disabled Lag Support for AP : Yes Rogue Detection : Enabled Rogue Containment auto-rate : Disabled Rogue Containment of standalone flexconnect APs : Disabled Rogue Detection Report Interval : 10 Rogue AP minimum RSSI : -90 Rogue AP minimum transient time : 0 AP TCP MSS Adjust : Enabled AP TCP MSS Size : 1250 AP IPv6 TCP MSS Adjust : Enabled AP IPv6 TCP MSS Size : 1250 Hyperlocation Admin Status : Disabled Retransmit count : 5 Retransmit interval : 3 Fabric status : Disabled FIPS status : Disabled WLANCC status : Disabled USB Module Type : USB Module USB Module State : Enabled USB Operational State : Disabled USB Override : Disabled Lawful-Interception Admin status : Disabled Lawful-Interception Oper status : Disabled

#### Verifying Syslog Server Settings for a Specific Access Point

To view the Syslog server settings for a specific access point, use the following command:

Device# show ap name <ap-name> config general show ap name APA0F8.4984.5E48 config general Cisco AP Name : APA0F8.4984.5E48 \_\_\_\_\_ Cisco AP Identifier : a0f8.4985.d360 Country Code : IN Regulatory Domain Allowed by Country : 802.11bg:-A 802.11a:-DN AP Country Code : IN - India AP Regulatory Domain Slot 0 : -A Slot 1 : -D MAC Address : a0f8.4984.5e48 IP Address Configuration : DHCP IP Address : 9.4.172.111 IP Netmask : 255.255.255.0 Gateway IP Address : 9.4.172.1 Fallback IP Address Being Used : Domain : Name Server : CAPWAP Path MTU : 1485 Telnet State : Disabled SSH State : Disabled Jumbo MTU Status : Disabled Cisco AP Location : default location Site Tag Name : ST1 RF Tag Name : default-rf-tag Policy Tag Name : PT3 AP join Profile : default-ap-profile Primary Cisco Controller Name : WLC2 Primary Cisco Controller IP Address : 9.4.172.31 Secondary Cisco Controller Name : Not Configured Secondary Cisco Controller IP Address : 0.0.0.0

Tertiary Cisco Controller Name : Not Configured Tertiary Cisco Controller IP Address : 0.0.0.0 Administrative State : Enabled Operation State : Registered AP Certificate type : Manufacturer Installed Certificate AP Mode : Local AP VLAN tagging state : Disabled AP VLAN tag : 0 CAPWAP Preferred mode : Not Configured AP Submode : Not Configured Office Extend Mode : Disabled Remote AP Debug : Disabled Logging Trap Severity Level : notification Software Version : 16.10.1.24 Boot Version : 1.1.2.4 Mini IOS Version : 0.0.0.0 Stats Reporting Period : 180 LED State : Enabled PoE Pre-Standard Switch : Disabled PoE Power Injector MAC Address : Disabled Power Type/Mode : PoE/Full Power (normal mode) Number of Slots : 3 AP Model : AIR-AP1852I-D-K9 IOS Version : 16.10.1.24 Reset Button : Disabled AP Serial Number : KWC212904UB Management Frame Protection Validation : Disabled AP User Mode : Automatic AP User Name : Not Configured AP 802.1X User Mode : Global AP 802.1X User Name : Not Configured Cisco AP System Logging Host : 9.4.172.116 AP Up Time : 11 days 1 hour 15 minutes 52 seconds AP CAPWAP Up Time : 6 days 3 hours 11 minutes 6 seconds Join Date and Time : 09/05/2018 04:18:52 Join Taken Time : 3 minutes 1 second Join Priority : 1 Ethernet Port Duplex : Auto Ethernet Port Speed : Auto AP Link Latency : Disable AP Lag Configuration Status : Disabled AP Lag Operational Status : Disabled Lag Support for AP : Yes Rogue Detection : Enabled Rogue Containment auto-rate : Disabled Rogue Containment of standalone flexconnect APs : Disabled Roque Detection Report Interval : 10 Rogue AP minimum RSSI : -90 Roque AP minimum transient time : 0 AP TCP MSS Adjust : Enabled AP TCP MSS Size : 1250 AP IPv6 TCP MSS Adjust : Enabled AP IPv6 TCP MSS Size : 1250 Hyperlocation Admin Status : Disabled Retransmit count : 5 Retransmit interval : 3 Fabric status : Disabled FIPS status : Disabled WLANCC status : Disabled USB Module Type : USB Module USB Module State : Enabled USB Operational State : Disabled USB Override : Disabled

Lawful-Interception Admin status : Disabled Lawful-Interception Oper status : Disabled



# **Introduction to Software Maintenance Upgrade**

The Software Maintenance Upgrade (SMU) is a package that can be installed on a system to provide a patch fix or a security resolution to a released image. A SMU package is provided for each release and is specific to the corresponding platform.

A SMU provides a significant benefit over classic Cisco IOS software because it allows you to address the network issue quickly while reducing the time and scope of the testing required. The Cisco IOS XE platform internally validates the SMU compatibility and does not allow you to install noncompatible SMUs.

All the SMUs are integrated into the subsequent Cisco IOS XE software maintenance releases. A SMU is an independent and self-sufficient package and does not have any prerequisites or dependencies. You can choose which SMUs to install or uninstall in any order.



**Note** SMUs are supported only on Extended Maintenance releases and for the full lifecycle of the underlying software release.

SMU infrastructure can be used to meet the following requirements in the wireless context:

- Controller SMU: Embedded Wireless Controller bug fixes or Cisco Product Security Incident Response information (PSIRT).
- AP bug fixes, PSIRTs, or minor features which do not require any embedded wireless controller changes.
- APDP: Support for new AP models without introduction of new hardware or software capabilities.



**Note** The **show ap image** command displays cumulative statistics regarding the AP images in the controller. We recommend that you clear the statistics using the **clear ap predownload statistics** command, before using the **show ap image** command, to ensure that correct data is displayed.

#### **SMU Workflow**

The SMU process should be initiated with a request to the SMU committee. Contact your customer support to raise an SMU request. During the release, the SMU package is posted on the Cisco Software Download page and can be downloaded and installed.

#### **SMU Package**

An SMU package contains the metadata and fix for the reported issue the SMU is requested for.

#### **SMU** Reload

The SMU type describes the effect to a system after installing the SMU. SMUs can be non-traffic affecting or can result in device restart, reload, or switchover.

Controller hot patching support allows SMU to be effective immediately after activation without reloading the system. Other controller SMUs require a cold reload of the system during activation. A cold reload is the complete reload of the operating system. This action affects the traffic flow for the duration of the reload ( $\sim$ 5 min currently). This reload ensures that all processes are started with the correct libraries and files that are installed as part of the SMU.

After the SMU is committed, the activation changes are persistent across reloads.

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## **Overview of Controller SMUs**

The following table describes the SMU types supported in the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller:

Package Type	Use Case	SMU Type	Supported on EWC
Controller SMU - Cold Patch	Replace impacted binaries, libraries, or subpackages.	Reload	Limited support (Patch size < 20 MB). No support for IOSD.
Controller SMU - Hot Patch	Replace impacted functions.	Nonreload	Yes
APSP	AP fix by replacing the AP image (does not impact the AP running the active controller).	Nonreload	Yes
APSP	AP fix by replacing the AP image (impacts the AP that is running the active controller).	Reload	Yes (EWC specific variation)
APDP	New AP model support without upgrading the controller.	Nonreload	Yes

Table 6: Supported SMU Types in the Embedded Wireless Controller

# **Managing Controller Hot or Cold SMU Package**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<pre>install add file tftp://<server-ip>/<path>/<smu-filename> Example: Device# install add file tftp://<server-ip>/<path>/<smu-filename></smu-filename></path></server-ip></smu-filename></path></server-ip></pre>	The install add command copies the file from the external server to the backup_image directory on the embedded wireless controller.
Step 2	<pre>install activate file backup_image:     smu-filename  Example:     Device# install activate file     backup_image:<smu-filename></smu-filename></pre>	This command is used to activate the patch. The install activate causes the controller reload only for a cold patch. There is no reload for a hot patch.
Step 3	install auto-abort-timer stop Example: Device# install auto-abort-timer stop	(Optional) Stops the auto cancel timer in case of activated or deactivated SMUs.
Step 4	<pre>install commit Example: Device# install commit</pre>	Commits the activation changes to be persistent across reloads. The commit can be done after activation while the system is up, or after the first reload. If a patch is activated and not committed, the auto cancel timer automatically cancels the activation of the patch in six hours .
Step 5	show install rollback         Example:         Device# show install rollback	Displays the list of rollback IDs that are available.
Step 6	<pre>install rollback to {base   committed   id     label } specific-rollback-point Example: Device# install rollback to base</pre>	Rolls back a committed patch. The committed patch can be deactivated and the commit for deactivation can be done using the single install rollback command.
Step 7	<pre>install deactivate file backup_image: smu-filename Example: Device# install deactivate file backup_image:<smu-filename></smu-filename></pre>	Deactivates a comitted patch. The install deactivate command causes the reload of the controller in case of a cold patch. There is no reload of the controller in case of a hot patch.
Step 8	install auto-abort-timer stop Example:	(Optional) Stops the auto cancel timer in case of activated or deactivated SMUs.

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Device# install auto-abort-timer stop		
Step 9	install commit	Commits the deactivation changes to be	
	Example:	persistent across reloads.	
	Device# install commit		
Step 10	install remove file backup_image:	Removes a patch that is in the inactive state.	
	smu-filename	This command also removes the file physically	
	Example:	from backup-image:	
	<pre>Device# install remove file backup_image:<smu-filename></smu-filename></pre>		
Step 11	install abort	Cancels the upgrade by resetting the APs in	
	Example:	rolling fashion.	
	Device# install abort		
Step 12	show install summary	Displays information about the active package.	
	Example:	The output of this command varies based on	
	Device# show install summary	the packages, and the package states that are installed.	
Step 13	<b>show install package backup_image:</b> <i>smu-filename</i>	Displays information about the SMU package.	
	Example:		
	Device# show install package backup-image: < <i>smu_filename</i> >		

# **Creating SMU Files (GUI)**

Follow the steps given below to create SMU files:

Step 1	Choose Administration > Software Management > Software Maintenance Upgrade (SMU).
Step 2	Click Add. A dialog box is displayed.
Step 3	From the Transport Type drop-down list,
	• TFTP: Specify the Server IP Address (IPv4/IPv6), File Path, File Name, and File System.
	• SFTP: Specify the Server IP Address (IPv4/IPv6), Port Number (Default port number is 22), SFTP username and password, File Path, File Name, and File System.
	• FTP: Specify the Server IP Address (IPv4/IPv6), Port Number (Default port number is 22), FTP username and password, File Path, File Name, and File System.
	• Device: Specify the File System and File path.
	• My Desktop: Specify the File System and Source File Path.

Step 4 Click Add File.

### **Configuration Examples for SMU**

The following is sample of the SMU configuration:

```
Device# install add file
tftp://10.1.1.2/auto/tftpboot/user1/ewc/ewc-apsp1.bin
install add: START Tue Jun 4 15:08:26 UTC 2019
Downloading file tftp://10.1.1.2/auto/tftpboot/user1/ewc/ewc-smu.bin
Finished downloading file tftp://10.1.1.2/auto/tftpboot/user1/ewc/ewc-smu.bin to
backup image:ewc-smu.bin
install add: Adding SMU
install add: Checking whether new add is allowed ....
install add: ap image predownload is allowed.
--- Starting initial file syncing ---
Info: Finished copying backup image: ewc-smu.bin to the selected chassis
Finished initial file syncing
--- Starting SMU Add operation ---
Performing SMU ADD on all members
[1] SMU ADD package(s) on chassis 1
MEWLC response success sync successCumulative SMU Size: 24 KB
Cumulative size of all SMU's will not exceed 20000 KB
Available Memory in /backup_image is 251480 KB
Available memory 251480 KB is greater than available memory required 2000 KB
[1] Finished SMU ADD on chassis 1
Checking status of SMU ADD on [1]
SMU ADD: Passed on [1]
Finished SMU Add operation
SUCCESS: install add
Device# install activate file backup image:ewc-apsp1.bin
install activate: START Tue Jun 4 15:18:58 UTC 2019
install activate: Activating SMU
Cumulative SMU Size: 24 KB
Cumulative size of all SMU's will not exceed 20000 KB
Available Memory in /backup image is 250984 KB
Available memory 250984 KB is greater than available memory required 2000 KB
MEWLC response success sync successExecuting pre scripts....
Executing pre sripts done.
--- Starting SMU Activate operation ---
Performing SMU ACTIVATE on all members
ls: cannot access '/tmp/sw/fp/*/*/*/mount/.pkginfo': No such file or directory
ls: cannot access '/tmp/sw/fp/*/*/*/mount/.pkginfo': No such file or directory
[1] SMU ACTIVATE package(s) on chassis 1
valid
install activate: FP fp error skipping. Platform to fix this in Fru List
[1] Finished SMU ACTIVATE on chassis 1
Checking status of SMU ACTIVATE on [1]
SMU ACTIVATE: Passed on [1]
Finished SMU Activate operation
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Executing post scripts.... Executing post scripts done. Executing post scripts.... Executing post scripts done. SUCCESS: install\_activate /backup\_image/ewc-apsp1.bin Device#install commit install commit: START Tue Jun 4 16:15:25 UTC 2019 install commit: Committing SMU Executing pre scripts.... install commit: Executing pre sripts done. --- Starting SMU Commit operation ---Performing SMU COMMIT on all members ls: cannot access '/tmp/sw/fp/\*/\*/\*/mount/.pkginfo': No such file or directory ls: cannot access '/tmp/sw/fp/\*/\*/\*/mount/.pkginfo': No such file or directory [1] SMU COMMIT package(s) on chassis 1 valid [1] Finished SMU COMMIT on chassis 1 Checking status of SMU\_COMMIT on [1] SMU COMMIT: Passed on [1] Finished SMU Commit operation

Waiting for the platform to set the SMU sync timerSMU sync status is sync\_successSMU sync to AP's success /tmp/rp/chasfs/wireless/wlc\_notify SUCCESS: install commit /backup image/ewc-apsp1.bin

#### Device#install rollback to base

install\_rollback: START Tue Jun 4 16:42:24 UTC 2019
install\_rollback: Rolling back SMU
Executing pre scripts...
install\_rollback:
Executing pre sripts done.

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--- Starting SMU Rollback operation ---

Performing SMU_ROLLBACK on all members

ls: cannot access '/tmp/sw/fp/*/*/mount/.pkginfo': No such file or directory

ls: cannot access '/tmp/sw/fp/*/*/mount/.pkginfo': No such file or directory

[1] SMU_ROLLBACK package(s) on chassis 1

[1] Finished SMU_ROLLBACK on chassis 1

Checking status of SMU_ROLLBACK on [1]

SMU_ROLLBACK: Passed on [1]

Finished SMU Rollback operation
```

Executing post scripts.... Executing post scripts done. Waiting for the platform to set the SMU sync timerSMU sync status is sync\_successSMU sync to AP's success /tmp/rp/chasfs/wireless/wlc\_notifyExecuting post scripts.... Executing post scripts done. SUCCESS: install\_rollback /backup\_image/ewc-apsp1.bin Tue Jun 4 16:43:01 UTC 2019

#### Device# install deactivate file backup image: ewc-apsp1.bin

#### install remove file backup image:ewc-apsp1.bin

#### Device#show install sum

Auto abort timer: inactive

# **Rolling AP Upgrade**

Rolling AP upgrade is a method of upgrading the APs in a staggered manner such that some APs are always up in the network and provide seamless coverage to clients, while the other APs are selected to be upgraded.



Note

The AP images should be downloaded before the rolling upgrade is triggered, so that all the APs that are to be upgraded have the new image version.

### **Rolling AP Upgrade Process**

Rolling AP upgrade is done on a per controller basis. The number of APs to be upgraded at a given time, is the percentage of the total number of APs that are connected to the controller. The percentage is capped at a user configured value. The default percentage is 15. The non-client APs will be upgraded before the actual upgrade of APs begin.

The upgrade process is as follows:

#### 1. Candidate AP Set Selection

In this stage, a set of AP candidates are selected based on neighbouring AP information. For example, if you identify an AP for upgrade, a certain number (N) of its neighbours are excluded from candidate selection. The N values are generated in the following manner:

If the user configurable capped percentage is 25%, then N=6 (Expected number of iterations =5)

If the user configurable capped percentage is 15%, then N=12 (Expected number of iterations=12)

If the user configurable capped percentage is 5%, then N=24 (Expected number of iterations =22)

If the candidates cannot be selected using the neighbouring AP information, select candidates from indirect neighbours. If you still are not able to select candidates, the AP will be upgraded successfully without any failure.



**Note** After the candidates are selected, if the number of candidates are more than the configured percentage value, the extra candidates are removed to maintain the percentage cap.

#### 2. Client Steering

Clients that are connected to the candidate APs are steered to APs that are not there in the candidate AP list, prior to rebooting the candidate APs. The AP sends out a request to each of its associated clients with a list of APs that are best suited for them. This does not include the candidate APs. The candidate APs are marked as unavailable for neighbour lists. Later, the markings are reset in the AP rejoin and reload process.

#### 3. AP Rejoin and Reload Process

After the client steering process, if the clients are still connected to the candidate AP, the clients are sent a de-authorization and the AP is reloaded and comes up with a new image. A three-minute timer is set for the APs to rejoin. When this timer expires, all the candidates are checked and marked if they have either joined the controller or the mobility peer. If 90% of the candidate APs have joined, the iteration is concluded; if not, the timer is extended to three more minutes. The same check is repeated after three minutes. After checking thrice, the iteration ends and the next iteration begins. Each iteration may last for about 10 minutes.

For rolling AP upgrade, there is only one configuration that is required. It is the number of APs to be upgraded at a time, as a percentage of the total number of APs in the network.

Default value will be 15.

Device (config) #ap upgrade staggered <25 | 15 | 5>

### Verifying AP Upgrade on the Controller

Use the following show command to verify the AP upgrade on the controller:

```
Device# show ap upgrade
AP upgrade is in progress
From version: 17.1.0.6
To version: 17.1.0.99
Started at: 06/04/2019 15:19:32 UTC
Configured percentage: 15
Percentage complete: 0
Expected time of completion: 06/04/2019 16:39:32 UTC
Progress Report
Iterations
 _____
Iteration Start time End time AP count
0 06/04/2019 15:19:33 UTC 06/04/2019 15:19:33 UTC 1
1 06/04/2019 15:19:33 UTC ONGOING 1
Upgraded
 _____
Number of APs: 1
AP Name Ethernet MAC Iteration Status Site
_____
AP7069.5A74.7604 7069.5a78.5580 0 Not Impacted default-site-tag
In Progress
Number of APs: 1
AP Name Ethernet MAC
                  _____
APB4DE.3169.7842 4c77.6dc4.a220
Remaining
_____
Number of APs: 0
AP Name Ethernet MAC
  _____
APs not handled by Rolling AP Upgrade
```

AP Name Ethernet MAC Status Reason for not handling by Rolling AP Upgrade

# AP Device Pack (APDP) and AP Service Pack (APSP)

### **APSP and APDP**

**AP Service Pack (APSP)** - APSP rolls out fixes to AP images for one or more AP models. Pre-download the AP images and activate (through rolling upgrade) these images to a subset of AP models.

- Patched APs run a different CAPWAP version than the rest of the APs. For e.g. 17.1.0.100 and 17.1.0.0.
- Per site APSP rollout is not supported. In embedded wireless controller APSP all APs must be in a single default site.

#### AP Device Pack (APDP) -

Currently, when a new AP hardware model is introduced, those get shipped along with the corresponding embedded wireless controller related major software version. Then you need to wait for the release of a corresponding embedded wireless controller version relative to the new AP model and upgrade the entire network.

APDP allows you introduce the new AP model into your wireless network using the SMU infrastructure without the need to upgrade to the new embedded wireless controller version.

#### **AP Image Changes -**

When new AP models are introduced, there may or may not be corresponding new AP images. This means that AP images are mapped to the AP model families. If a new AP model belongs to an existing AP model family then you will have existing AP image entries (Example: ap3g3, ap1g5, and so on). For instance, if an AP model belongs to either ap3g3 or ap1g5, the respective image file is bundled with APDP SMU zip file. The corresponding metadata file is updated with the new AP model capability information including the AP image that it requires.

If a new AP model belongs to a new AP model family, a new image file would be bundled in the APDP SMU zip file. The corresponding metadata file is updated with the new AP model capability information including the AP image that it requires.

#### Information about APSP and APDP

SMU AP images are not part of the SMU binary, and the AP images are hosted outside the contoller.

- Only SFTP and TFTP methods are supported for SMU AP image download.
- HTTP, HTTP, and CCO methods are not supported for APSP or APDP.

A SMU package contains the metadata that carry AP model and its capability related details.

Note

All the zipped files are required in order to successfully proceed with the upgrade. All the contained files in the zip folder are made accessible through the download method.

Following are the pre-requisites for TFTP/SFTP software upgrade:

- A TFTP/SFTP server is reachable from the management IP address of the embedded wireless controller.
- The upgrade bundle with the AP images (ap1g6, ap1g6a, ap1g7, ap3g3, and so on) and the controller image (C9800-AP-iosxe-wlc.bin) that is downloaded from the website is unzipped and copied onto the TFTP/SFTP server.

## **Managing APSP and APDP**

AP images are hosted outside the wireless controller. In the embedded wireless controller, only TFTP or SFTP is supported for SMU AP image download.

### **Configuring the APSP and APDP Files (GUI)**

Follow the steps given below to add APSP or APDP files:

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Administration > Software Management > AP Service Package (APSP) or AP Device Package (APDP). The Add an AP Device Package or Add an AP Service Package window is displayed.
Step 2	<ul> <li>From the Transport Type drop-down list,</li> <li>TFTP: Specify the Server IP Address (IPv4/IPv6), File Path, File Name, and File System.</li> <li>SFTP: Specify the Server IP Address (IPv4/IPv6), Port Number (Default port number is 22), SFTP</li> </ul>
Step 3	username and password, File Path, File Name, and File System. Click Add File.

### **Configuring the TFTP Server Directory**

To set up the TFTP server directory, complete the following steps:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter the configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device#configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	<pre>wireless profile image-download default Example: Device(config)#wireless profile image-download default</pre>	Configures EWC-AP image download parameters. Use only default as the image download profile name.
Step 3	image-download-mode { tftp   sftp } Example: Device(config-wireless-image-download-profile)#image-download-mode tftp	Configures image download using TFTP.
Step 4	tftp-image-path tftp-image-path Example: Device(config-wineless-image-conlocd-poofile-tftp)#tftp-image-path /tftpboot/cisco/ewc/	Configures the TFTP server root directory for the AP images.
Step 5	tftp-image-server {A.B.C.D   X:X:X:X:X}}         Example:         Device(config-wireless-image-download-profile-tftp)#tftp-image-server         5.5.5.5	Configures the TFTP server address.

#### What to do next

- Set up the remote server directory: When you receive the complete bundle in a zip file, copy the zip file to a root directory, for example, /tftpboot/user/ewc. Example of the complete bundle /tftpboot/user/ewc/17.1.zip.
- Unzip the file. The following are the examples of the files that will be present in the root directory: ap3g3, ap1g4, C9800-AP-iosxe-wlc.bin, and so on.



Note

When there is an issue and you want to patch an APSP SMU based on the 17.1 patch file C9800\_AP.17\_1.22.CSCvr11111.apsp.zip is pasted in the same root folder, that is, /tftproot/user/ewc/C9800\_AP.17\_1.22.CSCvr11111.apsp.zip. When you unzip the file, a sub-directory, for example, /tftpboot/user/ewc/17\_1.22.CSCvr11111/ is created automatically. The AP images (for example, ap3g3) and SMU binary (apsp\_CSCvr11111.bin) are present in that sub-directory.

### **Configuring the SFTP Server Directory**

To set up the SFTP server directory, complete the following steps:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter the configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device#configure terminal	
Step 2	<pre>wireless profile image-download default Example: Device(config)#wireless profile image-download default</pre>	Configures EWC-AP image download parameters. Use only default as the image download profile name.
Step 3	<pre>image-download-mode {tftp   sftp }</pre>	Configures image download using SFTP.
	Example: Device (config-wireless-image-download-profile) #image-download-mode sftp	
Step 4	sftp-image-path sftp-image-path Example: Devic(orfigwieless-ing-conladpcfile-sftp)#sftp-ing-path/sftpact/cisc/bc/	Configures the SFTP server root directory for the AP images.
Step 5	sftp-image-server {A.B.C.D   X:X:X:X:X}	Configures the SFTP server address.
	Example: Device (config-wireless-inage-dwnlowd-profile-stlp) #stlp-inage-server 5.5.5.5	
Step 6	<b>sftp-password</b> { <b>0</b>   <b>8</b> } <i>password re-enter password</i>	Configures the SFTP password.
	Example:	
	Device (config-wireless-image-dwnload-profile-sftp)#sftp-password 0 admin	
Step 7	sftp-username username	Configures the SFTP username.
	Example:	
	Device (config-wireless-inage-dwnload-profile-sftp)#sftp-uærrane admin	

#### What to do next

- Set up the remote server directory: When you receive the complete bundle in a zip file, copy the zip file to a root directory, for example, /sftpboot/user/ewc. Example of the complete bundle /sftpboot/user/ewc/17.1.zip.
- Unzip the file. The following are the examples of the files that will be present in the root directory: ap3g3, ap1g4, C9800-AP-iosxe-wlc.bin, and so on.



Note When there is an issue and you want to patch an APSP SMU based on the 17.1 patch file C9800\_AP.17\_1.22.CSCvr11111.apsp.zip is pasted in the same root folder, that is, /sftproot/user/ewc/C9800\_AP.17\_1.22.CSCvr11111.apsp.zip. When you unzip the file, a sub-directory, for example, /sftpboot/user/ewc/17\_1.22.CSCvr11111/ is created automatically, and the AP images (for example, ap3g3) and SMU binary (apsp\_CSCvr11111.bin) are present in that sub-directory.

### **Positive Workflow - APSP and APDP**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<pre>install add file {tftp:   sftp:   backup_image:} apsp.bin</pre>	The install add command copies the file from the external server to the backup_image
	Example:	directory on the embedded wireless controller.
	TFTP and Backup Image -	
	Device# install add file tfp://æver_path/ato/tfpbost/web/07122CSSx11111/app_CSSx11111.bin	
	Device#install add file backup-image:apsp_CSCvr11111.bin	
Step 2	ap image predownload	This command is optional. The command
	Example:	predownloads the AP image. If the predownload has started, ensure that it completes before step
	Device# ap image predownload	3 is initiated.
Step 3	install activate file backup-image: apsp.bin	This command starts the rolling AP upgrade.
	Example:	<b>Note</b> For APDP, after activate, the EWC
	Device# install activate file backup-image:apsp.bin	Controller allows APs of the new AP model to join, and get the newly installed SMU AP image.
Step 4	install commit	Commits the activation changes to be persistent
	Example:	across reloads.
	Device# install commit	The commit can be done after activation while the system is up, or after one reload. If a patch is activated and not committed, the auto abort timer automatically cancels the activation of the patch in six hours .

### **Rollback and Cancel**

#### **One-Shot Rollback**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	show install rollback	Displays the possible rollback points.
	Example:	
	Device# show install rollback	
Step 2	<pre>install rollback to { base   committed   id   label } specific-rollback-point Example: Device# install rollback to base</pre>	This command triggers the Rolling AP upgrade. Rolling upgrade works for all APs that have the required image. Rest of the APs are rebooted together. Rolls back a committed patch. The committed patch can be deactivated and the commit for deactivation can be done using the single install rollback command.

#### **Multi-Step Rollback**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<pre>show install profile Example: Device# show install profile</pre>	The show install profile command displays the profiles corresponding to the rollback points.
Step 2	<pre>install add profile profile-rollback-point Example: Device# install add profile profile-rollback-point</pre>	This command prepares the wireless module for the predownload step corresponding to the rollback point.
Step 3	<pre>install rollback to { base   committed   id   label } specific-rollback-point Example: Device# install rollback to base</pre>	This command triggers the Rolling AP upgrade. Rolling upgrade works for all APs that have the required image. Rest of the APs are rebooted together. Rolls back a committed patch. The committed patch can be deactivated and the commit for
		deactivation can be done using the single install rollback command.

#### **One-Shot Cancel**

The following command is used for the One-Shot manual cancel:

#### Procedure

#### install abort

#### Example:

Device# install abort

This command triggers rolling AP upgrade. Cancel is allowed only if commit is not yet completed. With One-Shot Cancel there is no predownload step. Rolling AP upgrade works for all APs which have the required image. Rest are rebooted together.

#### Automatic Timer-Based One-Shot Cancel

After activation, a default 6-hour cancel timer is started. The cancel timer can be set to a different value when the **activate** command is issued, through the **auto-abort-timer** parameter. When the cancel timer expires, cancellation is performed the same way as the manual cancellation.

#### **Configuring Rollback (GUI)**

Follow the steps given below to configure rollback for APSP and APDP:

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Administration > Software Management .
Step 2	Select either AP Service Pack (APSP) or AP Device Pack (APDP).
Step 3	From the <b>Rollback to</b> drop-down list, choose the Rollback type as <i>Base</i> or <i>Committed</i> .
Step 4	Click Submit.

### Verifying APDP on the Embedded Wireless Controller

To verify the status of APDP packages on the embedded wireless controller, use the following command:

```
Device# show install summary
```

	<pre>1 ] Installed Package(s) Information: : I - Inactive, U - Activated &amp; Uncommitted, C - Activated &amp; Committed, D - Deactivated &amp; Uncommitted</pre>
Type St	Filename/Version
APDP I IMG C	
Auto abort	timer: inactive



**Note** The output of this command varies based on the packages, and the package states that are installed.

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# Information about Network Security with ACLs

This chapter describes how to configure network security on the switch by using access control lists (ACLs), which in commands and tables are also referred to as access lists.

### **ACL Overview**

Packet filtering can help limit network traffic and restrict network use by certain users or devices. ACLs filter traffic as it passes through a controller and permit or deny packets crossing specified interfaces. An ACL is a sequential collection of permit and deny conditions that apply to packets. When a packet is received on an interface, the switch compares the fields in the packet against any applied ACLs to verify that the packet has the required permissions to be forwarded, based on the criteria specified in the access lists. One by one, it tests packets against the conditions in an access list. The first match decides whether the controller accepts or rejects the packets. Because the controller stops testing after the first match, the order of conditions in the list is critical. If no conditions match, the controller rejects the packet. If there are no restrictions, the controller forwards the packet; otherwise, the controller drops the packet. The controller can use ACLs on all packets it forwards. There is implcit any host deny deny rule.

You configure access lists on a controller to provide basic security for your network. If you do not configure ACLs, all packets passing through the switch could be allowed onto all parts of the network. You can use ACLs to control which hosts can access different parts of a network or to decide which types of traffic are forwarded or blocked at router interfaces. For example, you can allow e-mail traffic to be forwarded but not Telnet traffic.

### **Access Control Entries**

An ACL contains an ordered list of access control entries (ACEs). Each ACE specifies *permit* or *deny* and a set of conditions the packet must satisfy in order to match the ACE. The meaning of *permit* or *deny* depends on the context in which the ACL is used.



Note

The maximum number of ACEs that can be applied under an access policy (ACL) for central switching is 256 ACEs. The maximum number of ACEs applicable for Flex Mode or Local Switching is 64 ACEs.

### ACL Supported Types

The switch supports IP ACLs and Ethernet (MAC) ACLs:

- IP ACLs filter IPv4 traffic, including TCP, User Datagram Protocol (UDP), Internet Group Management Protocol (IGMP), and Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP).
- Ethernet ACLs filter non-IP traffic.

This switch also supports quality of service (QoS) classification ACLs.

### Supported ACLs

The controller supports three types of ACLs to filter traffic:

- Port ACLs access-control traffic entering a Layer 2 interface. You can apply port ACLs to a Layer 2 interface in each direction to each access list type IPv4 and MAC.
- Router ACLs access-control routed traffic between VLANs and are applied to Layer 3 interfaces in a specific direction (inbound or outbound).
- FQDN ACL: FQDN ACL is encoded along with IPv6 ACL and sent to AP. FQDN ACL is always a custom ACL. AP does DNS snooping and sends the IPv4 and IPv6 addresses to the controller.

### **ACL Precedence**

When Port ACLs, and router ACLs are configured on the same switch, the filtering precedence, from greatest to least for ingress traffic is port ACL, and then router ACL. For egress traffic, the filtering precedence is router ACL, and then port ACL.

The following examples describe simple use cases:

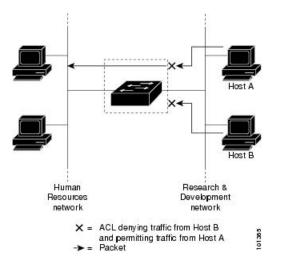
- When an input router ACL and input port ACL exist in a switch virtual interface (SVI), incoming packets received on ports to which a port ACL is applied are filtered by the port ACL. Incoming routed IP packets received on ports are filtered by the router ACL. Other packets are not filtered.
- When an output router ACL and input port ACL exist in an SVI, incoming packets received on the ports to which a port ACL is applied are filtered by the port ACL. Outgoing routed IP packets are filtered by the router ACL. Other packets are not filtered.

### Port ACLs

- · Standard IP access lists using source addresses
- Extended IP access lists using source and destination addresses and optional protocol type information
- MAC extended access lists using source and destination MAC addresses and optional protocol type information

The switch examines ACLs on an interface and permits or denies packet forwarding based on how the packet matches the entries in the ACL. In this way, ACLs control access to a network or to part of a network.

Figure 4: Using ACLs to Control Traffic in a Network



This is an example of using port ACLs to control access to a network when all workstations are in the same VLAN. ACLs applied at the Layer 2 input would allow Host A to access the Human Resources network, but prevent Host B from accessing the same network. Port ACLs can only be applied to Layer 2 interfaces in the inbound direction.

When you apply a port ACL to a trunk port, the ACL filters traffic on all VLANs present on the trunk port. When you apply a port ACL to a port with voice VLAN, the ACL filters traffic on both data and voice VLANs.

With port ACLs, you can filter IP traffic by using IP access lists and non-IP traffic by using MAC addresses. You can filter both IP and non-IP traffic on the same Layer 2 interface by applying both an IP access list and a MAC access list to the interface.



Note

You can't apply more than one IP access list and one MAC access list to a Layer 2 interface. If an IP access list or MAC access list is already configured on a Layer 2 interface and you apply a new IP access list or MAC access list to the interface, the new ACL replaces the previously configured one.

### **Router ACLs**

You can apply router ACLs on switch virtual interfaces (SVIs), which are Layer 3 interfaces to VLANs; on physical Layer 3 interfaces; and on Layer 3 EtherChannel interfaces. You apply router ACLs on interfaces for specific directions (inbound or outbound). You can apply one router ACL in each direction on an interface.

The switch supports these access lists for IPv4 traffic:

- Standard IP access lists use source addresses for matching operations.
- Extended IP access lists use source and destination addresses and optional protocol type information for matching operations.

As with port ACLs, the switch examines ACLs associated with features configured on a given interface. As packets enter the switch on an interface, ACLs associated with all inbound features configured on that interface are examined. After packets are routed and before they are forwarded to the next hop, all ACLs associated with outbound features configured on the egress interface are examined.

ACLs permit or deny packet forwarding based on how the packet matches the entries in the ACL, and can be used to control access to a network or to part of a network.

### ACEs and Fragmented and Unfragmented Traffic

IP packets can be fragmented as they cross the network. When this happens, only the fragment containing the beginning of the packet contains the Layer 4 information, such as TCP or UDP port numbers, ICMP type and code, and so on. All other fragments are missing this information.

Some access control entries (ACEs) do not check Layer 4 information and therefore can be applied to all packet fragments. ACEs that do test Layer 4 information cannot be applied in the standard manner to most of the fragments in a fragmented IP packet. When the fragment contains no Layer 4 information and the ACE tests some Layer 4 information, the matching rules are modified:

Permit ACEs that check the Layer 3 information in the fragment (including protocol type, such as TCP, UDP, and so on) are considered to match the fragment regardless of what the missing Layer 4 information might have been.



Note

For TCP ACEs with L4 Ops, the fragmented packets will be dropped per RFC 1858.

• Deny ACEs that check Layer 4 information never match a fragment unless the fragment contains Layer 4 information.

### ACEs and Fragmented and Unfragmented Traffic Examples

Consider access list 102, configured with these commands, applied to three fragmented packets:

```
Device (config) # access-list 102 permit tcp any host 10.1.1.1 eq smtp
Device (config) # access-list 102 deny tcp any host 10.1.1.2 eq telnet
Device (config) # access-list 102 permit tcp any host 10.1.1.2
Device (config) # access-list 102 deny tcp any any
```

- **Note** In the first and second ACEs in the examples, the *eq* keyword after the destination address means to test for the TCP-destination-port well-known numbers equaling Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP) and Telnet, respectively.
  - Packet A is a TCP packet from host 10.2.2.2., port 65000, going to host 10.1.1.1 on the SMTP port. If this packet is fragmented, the first fragment matches the first ACE (a permit) as if it were a complete packet because all Layer 4 information is present. The remaining fragments also match the first ACE, even though they do not contain the SMTP port information, because the first ACE only checks Layer 3 information when applied to fragments. The information in this example is that the packet is TCP and that the destination is 10.1.1.1.

• Packet B is from host 10.2.2.2, port 65001, going to host 10.1.1.2 on the Telnet port. If this packet is fragmented, the first fragment matches the second ACE (a deny) because all Layer 3 and Layer 4 information is present. The remaining fragments in the packet do not match the second ACE because they are missing Layer 4 information. Instead, they match the third ACE (a permit).

Because the first fragment was denied, host 10.1.1.2 cannot reassemble a complete packet, so packet B is effectively denied. However, the later fragments that are permitted will consume bandwidth on the network and resources of host 10.1.1.2 as it tries to reassemble the packet.

• Fragmented packet C is from host 10.2.2.2, port 65001, going to host 10.1.1.3, port ftp. If this packet is fragmented, the first fragment matches the fourth ACE (a deny). All other fragments also match the fourth ACE because that ACE does not check any Layer 4 information and because Layer 3 information in all fragments shows that they are being sent to host 10.1.1.3, and the earlier permit ACEs were checking different hosts.

### **Standard and Extended IPv4 ACLs**

This section describes IP ACLs.

An ACL is a sequential collection of permit and deny conditions. One by one, the switch tests packets against the conditions in an access list. The first match determines whether the switch accepts or rejects the packet. Because the switch stops testing after the first match, the order of the conditions is critical. If no conditions match, the switch denies the packet.

The software supports these types of ACLs or access lists for IPv4:

- Standard IP access lists use source addresses for matching operations.
- Extended IP access lists use source and destination addresses for matching operations and optional protocol-type information for finer granularity of control.



Note

Only extended ACLs are supported while the standard ACLs are not supported.

### IPv4 ACL Switch Unsupported Features

Configuring IPv4 ACLs on the switch is the same as configuring IPv4 ACLs on other Cisco switches and routers.

The following ACL-related features are not supported:

- Non-IP protocol ACLs
- IP accounting
- Reflexive ACLs and dynamic ACLs are not supported.
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- •

### **Access List Numbers**

The number you use to denote your ACL shows the type of access list that you are creating.

This lists the access-list number and corresponding access list type and shows whether or not they are supported in the switch. The switch supports IPv4 standard and extended access lists, numbers 1 to 199 and 1300 to 2699.

Access List Number	Туре	Supported
1–99	IP standard access list	Yes
100–199	IP extended access list	Yes
200–299	Protocol type-code access list	No
300–399	DECnet access list	No
400–499	XNS standard access list	No
500–599	XNS extended access list	No
600–699	AppleTalk access list	No
700–799	48-bit MAC address access list	No
800-899	IPX standard access list	No
900–999	IPX extended access list	No
1000–1099	IPX SAP access list	No
1100–1199	Extended 48-bit MAC address access list	No
1200–1299	IPX summary address access list	No
1300–1999	IP standard access list (expanded range)	Yes
2000–2699	IP extended access list (expanded range)	Yes

#### **Table 7: Access List Numbers**

In addition to numbered standard and extended ACLs, you can also create standard and extended named IP ACLs by using the supported numbers. That is, the name of a standard IP ACL can be 1 to 99; the name of an extended IP ACL can be 100 to 199. The advantage of using named ACLs instead of numbered lists is that you can delete individual entries from a named list.

### **Numbered Standard IPv4 ACLs**

When creating an ACL, remember that, by default, the end of the ACL contains an implicit deny statement for all packets that it did not find a match for before reaching the end. With standard access lists, if you omit the mask from an associated IP host address ACL specification, 0.0.0.0 is assumed to be the mask.

The switch always rewrites the order of standard access lists so that entries with **host** matches and entries with matches having a *don't care* mask of 0.0.0.0 are moved to the top of the list, above any entries with

non-zero *don't care* masks. Therefore, in **show** command output and in the configuration file, the ACEs do not necessarily appear in the order in which they were entered.

After creating a numbered standard IPv4 ACL, you can apply it to terminal lines (virtual teletype (VTY) lines), or to interfaces.

### Numbered Extended IPv4 ACLs

Although standard ACLs use only source addresses for matching, you can use extended ACL source and destination addresses for matching operations and optional protocol type information for finer granularity of control. When you are creating ACEs in numbered extended access lists, remember that after you create the ACL, any additions are placed at the end of the list. You cannot reorder the list or selectively add or remove ACEs from a numbered list.

The switch does not support dynamic or reflexive access lists. It also does not support filtering based on the type of service (ToS) minimize-monetary-cost bit.

Some protocols also have specific parameters and keywords that apply to that protocol.

You can define an extended TCP, UDP, ICMP, IGMP, or other IP ACL. The switch also supports these IP protocols:

These IP protocols are supported:

- Authentication Header Protocol (ahp)
- Encapsulation Security Payload (esp)
- Enhanced Interior Gateway Routing Protocol (eigrp)
- generic routing encapsulation (gre)
- Internet Control Message Protocol (icmp)
- Internet Group Management Protocol (igmp)
- any Interior Protocol (ip)
- IP in IP tunneling (ipinip)
- KA9Q NOS-compatible IP over IP tunneling (nos)
- Open Shortest Path First routing (ospf)
- Payload Compression Protocol (pcp)
- Protocol-Independent Multicast (pim)
- Transmission Control Protocol (tcp)
- User Datagram Protocol (**udp**)

### Named IPv4 ACLs

You can identify IPv4 ACLs with an alphanumeric string (a name) rather than a number. You can use named ACLs to configure more IPv4 access lists in a router than if you were to use numbered access lists. If you identify your access list with a name rather than a number, the mode and command syntax are slightly different. However, at times, not all commands that use IP access lists accept a named access list.



The name you give to a standard or extended ACL can also be a number in the supported range of access list numbers. That is, the name of a standard IP ACL can be 1 to 99 and . The advantage of using named ACLs instead of numbered lists is that you can delete individual entries from a named list.

Consider these guidelines before configuring named ACLs:

- Numbered ACLs are also available.
- A standard ACL and an extended ACL cannot have the same name.

### ACL Logging

The controller software can provide logging messages about packets permitted or denied by a standard IP access list. That is, any packet that matches the ACL causes an informational logging message about the packet to be sent to the console. The level of messages logged to the console is controlled by the **logging console** commands controlling the syslog messages.



Note

Because routing is done in hardware and logging is done in software, if a large number of packets match a *permit* or *deny* ACE containing a **log** keyword, the software might not be able to match the hardware processing rate, and not all packets will be logged.

The first packet that triggers the ACL causes a logging message right away, and subsequent packets are collected over 5-minute intervals before they appear or logged. The logging message includes the access list number, whether the packet was permitted or denied, the source IP address of the packet, and the number of packets from that source permitted or denied in the prior 5-minute interval.



Note

The logging facility might drop some logging message packets if there are too many to be handled or if there is more than one logging message to be handled in 1 second. This behavior prevents the router from crashing due to too many logging packets. Therefore, the logging facility should not be used as a billing tool or an accurate source of the number of matches to an access list.

### Hardware and Software Treatment of IP ACLs

ACL processing is performed in hardware. If the hardware reaches its capacity to store ACL configurations, all packets on that interface are dropped.

The ACL scale for controllers is as follows:

- Cisco Catalyst 9800-40 Wireless Controller, Cisco Catalyst 9800-L Wireless Controller, Cisco Catalyst 9800-CL Wireless Controller (small and medium) support 128 ACLs with 128 Access List Entries (ACEs).
- Cisco Catalyst 9800-80 Wireless Controller and Cisco Catalyst 9800-CL Wireless Controller (large) support 256 ACLs and 256 ACEs.
- FlexConnect and Fabric mode APs support 96 ACLs.



Note

If an ACL configuration cannot be implemented in the hardware due to an out-of-resource condition on the controller, then only the traffic in that VLAN arriving on that controller is affected.

When you enter the **show ip access-lists** privileged EXEC command, the match count displayed does not account for packets that are access controlled in hardware. Use the privileged EXEC command to obtain some basic hardware ACL statistics for switched and routed packets.

### IPv4 ACL Interface Considerations

For inbound ACLs, after receiving a packet, the controller checks the packet against the ACL. If the ACL permits the packet, the controller continues to process the packet. If the ACL rejects the packet, the controller discards the packet.

For outbound ACLs, after receiving and routing a packet to a controlled interface, the controller checks the packet against the ACL. If the ACL permits the packet, the controller sends the packet. If the ACL rejects the packet, the controller discards the packet.

If an undefined ACL has nothing listed in it, it is an empty access list.

# **Restrictions for Configuring IPv4 Access Control Lists**

The following are restrictions for configuring network security with ACLs:

#### **General Network Security**

The following are restrictions for configuring network security with ACLs:

- A standard ACL and an extended ACL cannot have the same name.
- Though visible in the command-line help strings, **AppleTalk** is not supported as a matching condition for the **deny** and **permit** MAC access-list configuration mode commands.
- DNS traffic is permitted by default with or without ACL entries for clients that are awaiting web authentication.

#### **IPv4 ACL Network Interfaces**

The following restrictions apply to IPv4 ACLs to network interfaces:

- When controlling access to an interface, you can use a named or numbered ACL.
- You do not have to enable routing to apply ACLs to Layer 2 interfaces.

#### MAC ACLs on a Layer 2 Interface

After you create a MAC ACL, you can apply it to a Layer 2 interface to filter non-IP traffic coming in that interface. When you apply the MAC ACL, consider these guidelines:

• You can apply no more than one IP access list and one MAC access list to the same Layer 2 interface. The IP access list filters only IP packets, and the MAC access list filters non-IP packets. • A Layer 2 interface can have only one MAC access list. If you apply a MAC access list to a Layer 2 interface that has a MAC ACL configured, the new ACL replaces the previously configured one.



**Note** The **mac access-group** interface configuration command is only valid when applied to a physical Layer 2 interface. You cannot use the command on EtherChannel port channels.

#### IP Access List Entry Sequence Numbering

• This feature does not support dynamic, reflexive, or firewall access lists.

# **How to Configure ACLs**

## Configuring IPv4 ACLs (GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > ACL.
Step 2	Click Add.
Step 3	In the Add ACL Setup dialog box, enter the following parameters.
	• ACL Name: Enter the name for the ACL.
	ACL Type: IPv4 Standard.
	• Sequence: Enter the sequence number.
	• Action: Choose Permit or Deny the packet flow from the drop-down list.
	• Source Type: Choose any, Host or Network from which the packet is sent.
	• Log: Enable or disable logging.
Step 4	Click Add.
Step 5	Add the rest of the rules and click <b>Apply to Device</b> .

## **Configuring IPv4 ACLs**

Follow the procedure given below to use IP ACLs on the switch:

### Procedure

**Step 1** Create an ACL by specifying an access list number or name and the access conditions.

**Step 2** Apply the ACL to interfaces or terminal lines..

## **Creating a Numbered Standard ACL (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1 Step 2 Step 3	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>ACL</b> . On the <b>ACL</b> page, click <b>Add</b> . In the <b>Add ACL Setup</b> window, enter the following parameters.
	• ACL Name: Enter the name for the ACL.
	ACL Type: IPv4 Standard.
	• Sequence: Enter the sequence number.
	• Action: Choose Permit or Deny access from the drop-down list.
	Source Type: Choose any, Host or Network
	• Log: Enable or disable logging, this is limited to ACLs associated to Layer 3 interface only.
Step 4	Click Add.
Step 5	Click Save & Apply to Device.

# **Creating a Numbered Standard ACL (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to create a numbered standard ACL:

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. Enter your
	Example:	password if prompted.
	Device> <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	access-list access-list-number {deny   permit} source source-wildcard ]	Defines a standard IPv4 access list by using a source address and wildcard.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example:	The <i>access-list-number</i> is a decimal number from 1 to 99 or 1300 to 1999.
	<pre>Device(config)# access-list 2 deny your_host</pre>	Enter <b>deny</b> or <b>permit</b> to specify whether to deny or permit access if conditions are matched
		The <i>source</i> is the source address of the network or host from which the packet is being sent specified as:
		• The 32-bit quantity in dotted-decimal format.
		• The keyword <b>any</b> as an abbreviation for <i>source</i> and <i>source-wildcard</i> of 0.0.0.0 255.255.255.255. You do not need to enter a source-wildcard.
		• The keyword <b>host</b> as an abbreviation for source and <i>source-wildcard</i> of <i>source</i> 0.0.0.0.
		(Optional) The <i>source-wildcard</i> applies wildcard bits to the source.
		<b>Note</b> Logging is supported only on ACLs attached to Layer 3 interfaces.
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	
Step 5	show running-config	Verifies your entries.
	Example:	
	Device# show running-config	
Step 6	copy running-config startup-config	(Optional) Saves your entries in the
	Example:	configuration file.
	Device# copy running-config startup-config	

## Creating a Numbered Extended ACL (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>ACL</b> .
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- Step 2 On the ACL page, click Add.
- **Step 3** In the Add ACL Setup window, enter the following parameters.
  - ACL Name: Enter the name for the ACL.
  - ACL Type: IPv4 Extended.
  - Sequence: Enter the sequence number.
  - Action: Choose Permit or Deny the packet flow from the drop-down list.
  - Source Type: Choose any, Host or Network from which the packet is sent.
  - Destination Type: Choose any, Host or Network to which the packet is sent.
  - Protocol: Choose a protocol from the drop-down list.
  - Log: Enable or disable logging.
  - DSCP: Enter to match packets with the DSCP value

Step 4 Click Add.

Step 5 Click Save & Apply to Device.

## **Creating a Numbered Extended ACL (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to create a numbered extended ACL:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	access-list access-list-number {deny   permit}         protocol source source-wildcard destination         destination-wildcard [precedence precedence]         [tos tos] [fragments] [time-range         time-range-name] [dscp dscp]	access conditions.

Command or Action	Purpose
Example: Device(config)# access-list 101 permit ip host 10.1.1.2 any precedence 0 tos 0 log	Enter <b>deny</b> or <b>permit</b> to specify whether to deny or permit the packet if conditions are matched. For <i>protocol</i> , enter the name or number of an P protocol: <b>ahp</b> , <b>eigrp</b> , <b>esp</b> , <b>gre</b> , <b>icmp</b> , <b>igmp</b> , <b>igrp</b> , <b>ip</b> , <b>ipinip</b> , <b>nos</b> , <b>ospf</b> , <b>pcp</b> , <b>pim</b> , <b>tcp</b> , or <b>udp</b> , or an integer in the range 0 to 255 representing an IP protocol number. To match any Internet protocol (including ICMP, TCP,
	and UDP), use the keyword <b>ip</b> . <b>Note</b> This step includes options for most
	IP protocols. For additional specific parameters for TCP, UDP, ICMP, and IGMP, see the following steps.
	The <i>source</i> is the number of the network or host from which the packet is sent.
	The <i>source-wildcard</i> applies wildcard bits to the source.
	The <i>destination</i> is the network or host number to which the packet is sent.
	The <i>destination-wildcard</i> applies wildcard bits to the destination.
	Source, source-wildcard, destination, and destination-wildcard can be specified as:
	• The 32-bit quantity in dotted-decimal format.
	• The keyword <b>any</b> for 0.0.0.0 255.255.255.255 (any host).
	• The keyword <b>host</b> for a single host 0.0.0.0.
	The other keywords are optional and have these meanings:
	• <b>precedence</b> —Enter to match packets with a precedence level specified as a number from 0 to 7 or by name: <b>routine</b> (0), <b>priority</b> (1), <b>immediate</b> (2), <b>flash</b> (3), <b>flash-override</b> (4), <b>critical</b> (5), <b>internet</b> (6), <b>network</b> (7).
	• <b>fragments</b> —Enter to check non-initial fragments.
	• <b>tos</b> —Enter to match by type of service level, specified by a number from 0 to 15

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	Command or Action	Purpose
		or a name: <b>normal</b> (0), <b>max-reliability</b> (2), <b>max-throughput</b> (4), <b>min-delay</b> (8).
		• <b>time-range</b> —Specify the time-range name.
		• <b>dscp</b> —Enter to match packets with the DSCP value specified by a number from 0 to 63, or use the question mark (?) to see a list of available values.
		<b>Note</b> Your embedded controller must support the ability to:
		Mark DCSP
		• Mark UP
		• Map DSCP and UP
		For more information on <b>DSCP-to-UP Mapping</b> , see:
		https://tools.ietf.org/html/ draff-ietf-tsvwg-ieee-802-11-01
		<b>Note</b> If you enter a <b>dscp</b> value, you cannot enter <b>tos</b> or <b>precedence</b> . You can enter both a <b>tos</b> and a <b>precedence</b> value with no <b>dscp</b> .
Step 3	access-list access-list-number {deny   permit}           tcp source source-wildcard [operator port]	Defines an extended TCP access list and the access conditions.
	destination destination-wildcard [operator port] [precedence precedence] [tos tos] [fragments] [time-range time-range-name] [dscp dscp] [flag]	The parameters are the same as those described for an extended IPv4 ACL, with these exceptions:
	Example: Device(config)# access-list 101 permit tcp any any eq 500	(Optional) Enter an <i>operator</i> and <i>port</i> to compare source (if positioned after <i>source</i> <i>source-wildcard</i> ) or destination (if positioned after <i>destination destination-wildcard</i> ) port. Possible operators include <b>eq</b> (equal), <b>gt</b> (greater than), <b>lt</b> (less than), <b>neq</b> (not equal), and <b>range</b> (inclusive range). Operators require a port number (range requires two port numbers separated by a space).
		Enter the <i>port</i> number as a decimal number (from 0 to 65535) or the name of a TCP port. Use only TCP port numbers or names when filtering TCP.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
		The other optional keywords have these meanings:
		<ul> <li><i>flag</i>—Enter one of these flags to match by the specified TCP header bits: ack (acknowledge), fin (finish), psh (push), rst (reset), syn (synchronize), or urg (urgent).</li> </ul>
Step 4	access-list access-list-number {deny   permit} udp source source-wildcard [operator port] destination destination-wildcard [operator port] [precedence precedence] [tos tos] [fragments] [time-range time-range-name] [dscp dscp] Example: Device (config) # access-list 101 permit udp any any eq 100	(Optional) Defines an extended UDP access list and the access conditions. The UDP parameters are the same as those described for TCP except that the [operator [port]] port number or name must be a UDP port number or name, and the <b>flag</b> not valid for UDP.
Step 5	<pre>access-list access-list-number {deny   permit} icmp source source-wildcard destination destination-wildcard [icmp-type   [[icmp-type icmp-code]   [icmp-message]] [precedence precedence] [tos tos] [fragments] [time-range time-range-name] [dscp dscp] Example: Device (config) # access-list 101 permit icmp any any 200</pre>	<ul> <li>Defines an extended ICMP access list and the access conditions.</li> <li>The ICMP parameters are the same as those described for most IP protocols in an extended IPv4 ACL, with the addition of the ICMP message type and code parameters. These optional keywords have these meanings: <ul> <li><i>icmp-type</i>—Enter to filter by ICMP message type, a number from 0 to 255.</li> <li><i>icmp-code</i>—Enter to filter ICMP packets that are filtered by the ICMP message code type, a number from 0 to 255.</li> <li><i>icmp-message</i>—Enter to filter ICMP packets by the ICMP message type name or the ICMP message type and code name.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Step 6	access-list access-list-number {deny   permit} igmp source source-wildcard destination destination-wildcard [igmp-type] [precedence precedence] [tos tos] [fragments] [time-range time-range-name] [dscp dscp] Example:	<ul> <li>(Optional) Defines an extended IGMP access list and the access conditions.</li> <li>The IGMP parameters are the same as those described for most IP protocols in an extended IPv4 ACL, with this optional parameter.</li> <li><i>igmp-type</i>—To match IGMP message type, enter a number from 0 to 15, or enter the</li> </ul>
	Device(config)# access-list 101 permit igmp any any 14	message name: <b>dvmrp</b> , <b>host-query</b> , <b>host-report</b> , <b>pim</b> , or <b>trace</b> .

Command or Action	Purpose
end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
Example:	
Device(config)# <b>end</b>	
	end Example:

# **Creating Named Standard ACLs (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1 Step 2 Step 3	Click <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>ACL</b> . Click <b>Add</b> to create a new ACL setup. In the <b>Add ACL Setup</b> window, enter the following parameters. • <b>ACL Name:</b> Enter the name for the ACL • <b>ACL Type:</b> IPv4 Standard • <b>Sequence:</b> The valid range is between 1 and 99 or 1300 and 1999 • <b>Action:</b> Choose <b>Permit</b> or <b>Deny</b> access from the drop-down list. • <b>Source Type:</b> Choose <b>any, Host</b> or <b>Network</b> • <b>Log:</b> Enable or disable logging, this is limited to ACLs associated to Layer 3 interface only.
Step 4	Click Add to add the rule.
Step 5	Click Save & Apply to Device.

# **Creating Named Standard ACLs**

Follow the procedure given below to create a standard ACL using names:

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. Enter your
	Example:	password if prompted.
	Device> <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	<pre>ip access-list standard name Example: Device(config)# ip access-list standard 20</pre>	Defines a standard IPv4 access list using a name, and enter access-list configuration mode. The name can be a number from 1 to 99.
Step 4	<pre>Use one of the following: • deny {source [source-wildcard]   host source   any } [log] • permit {source [source-wildcard]   host source   any } [log] Example: Device (config-std-nacl) # deny 192.168.0.0 0.0.255.255 255.255.0.0 0.0.255.255 or Device (config-std-nacl) # permit 10.108.0.0 0.0.0 255.255.255.0 0.0.0.0</pre>	
Step 5	<pre>end Example: Device(config-std-nacl)# end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
Step 6	show running-config Example: Device# show running-config	Verifies your entries.
Step 7	copy running-config startup-config Example: Device# copy running-config startup-config	(Optional) Saves your entries in the configuration file.

## **Creating Extended Named ACLs (GUI)**

#### Procedure

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Security** > **ACL**.
- Step 2 Click Add.
- **Step 3** In the Add ACL Setup window, enter the following parameters.
  - ACL Name: Enter the name for the ACL.
  - ACL Type: IPv4 Extended.
  - Sequence: Enter the sequence number.
  - Action: Choose Permit or Deny the packet flow from the drop-down list.
  - Source Type: Choose any, Host or Network from which the packet is sent.
  - Destination Type: Choose any, Host or Network to which the packet is sent.
  - Protocol: Choose a protocol from the drop-down list.
  - Log: Enable or disable logging.
  - DSCP: Enter to match packets with the DSCP value

#### Step 4 Click Add.

**Step 5** Add the rest of the rules and click **Apply to Device**.

## **Creating Extended Named ACLs**

Follow the procedure given below to create an extended ACL using names:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. Enter your
	Example:	password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	<pre>ip access-list extended name Example: Device(config)# ip access-list extended 150</pre>	Defines an extended IPv4 access list using a name, and enter access-list configuration mode The name can be a number from 100 to 199.
Step 4	<pre>{deny   permit} protocol {source [source-wildcard]   host source   any} {destination [destination-wildcard]   host destination   any} [precedence precedence] [tos tos] [log] [time-range time-range-name] Example: Device (config-ext-nacl) # permit 0 any any</pre>	<ul> <li>In access-list configuration mode, specify the conditions allowed or denied. Use the log keyword to get access list logging messages, including violations.</li> <li>host <i>source</i>—A source and source wildcard of <i>source</i> 0.0.0.0.</li> <li>host <i>destintation</i>—A destination and destination wildcard of <i>destination</i> 0.0.0.0</li> <li>any—A source and source wildcard or destination and destination wildcard of 0.0.0.0 255.255.255.255.255.</li> </ul>
Step 5	<pre>end Example: Device(config-ext-nacl)# end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
Step 6	show running-config Example: Device# show running-config	Verifies your entries.
Step 7	copy running-config startup-config Example: Device# copy running-config startup-config	(Optional) Saves your entries in the configuration file.

When you are creating extended ACLs, remember that, by default, the end of the ACL contains an implicit deny statement for everything if it did not find a match before reaching the end. For standard ACLs, if you omit the mask from an associated IP host address access list specification, 0.0.0 is assumed to be the mask.

After you create an ACL, any additions are placed at the end of the list. You cannot selectively add ACL entries to a specific ACL. However, you can use **no permit** and **no deny** access-list configuration mode commands to remove entries from a named ACL.

Being able to selectively remove lines from a named ACL is one reason you might use named ACLs instead of numbered ACLs.

#### What to do next

After creating a named ACL, you can apply it to interfaces or to VLANs.

## Applying an IPv4 ACL to an Interface (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose	Configuration	> Security	> ACL.
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- Step 2 Click Associating Interfaces.
- **Step 3** Choose the interface from the **Available Interfaces** list to view its ACL details on the right-hand side. You can change the ACL details, if required.
- Step 4 Click Save & Apply to Device.

## Applying an IPv4 ACL to an Interface (CLI)

This section describes how to apply IPv4 ACLs to network interfaces.

Beginning in privileged EXEC mode, follow the procedure given below to control access to an interface:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	interface interface-id	Identifies a specific interface for configuration,
	Example:	and enter interface configuration mode.
	Device(config)#	The interface can be a Layer 2 interface (port ACL), or a Layer 3 interface (router ACL).
Step 3	ip access-group {access-list-number   name} {in   out}	Controls access to the specified interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# ip access-group 2 in	
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-if)# end	
Step 5	show running-config	Displays the access list configuration.
	Example:	
	Device# show running-config	
Step 6	copy running-config startup-config	(Optional) Saves your entries in the
	Example:	configuration file.
	Device# copy running-config startup-config	

# **Applying ACL to Policy Profile (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Policy.	
Step 2	On the Policy Profile page, click Add.	
Step 3	In the Add Policy Profile window, click Access Policies tab.	
Step 4	In the WLAN ACL area, choose the IPv4 ACL from the IPv4 ACL drop-down list.	
Step 5	Click Apply to Device.	

# **Applying ACL to Policy Profile**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy profile-policy	Configures a WLAN policy profile and enters
	Example:	wireless policy configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy     profile-policy</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	ipv4 acl acl-name	Configures an IPv4 ACL.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# ipv4 acl   test-acl</pre>	
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	<pre>Example: Device(config-wireless-policy)# end</pre>	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# **Configuration Examples for ACLs**

## **Examples: Including Comments in ACLs**

You can use the **remark** keyword to include comments (remarks) about entries in any IP standard or extended ACL. The remarks make the ACL easier for you to understand and scan. Each remark line is limited to 100 characters.

The remark can go before or after a permit or deny statement. You should be consistent about where you put the remark so that it is clear which remark describes which permit or deny statement. For example, it would be confusing to have some remarks before the associated permit or deny statements and some remarks after the associated statements.

To include a comment for IP numbered standard or extended ACLs, use the **access-list** *access-list number* **remark** *remark* global configuration command. To remove the remark, use the **no** form of this command.

In this example, the workstation that belongs to Jones is allowed access, and the workstation that belongs to Smith is not allowed access:

```
Device(config) # access-list 1 remark Permit only Jones workstation through
Device(config) # access-list 1 permit 171.69.2.88
Device(config) # access-list 1 remark Do not allow Smith through
Device(config) # access-list 1 deny 171.69.3.13
```

For an entry in a named IP ACL, use the **remark** access-list configuration command. To remove the remark, use the **no** form of this command.

In this example, the Jones subnet is not allowed to use outbound Telnet:

```
Device (config) # ip access-list extended telnetting
Device (config-ext-nacl) # remark Do not allow Jones subnet to telnet out
Device (config-ext-nacl) # deny tcp host 171.69.2.88 any eq telnet
```

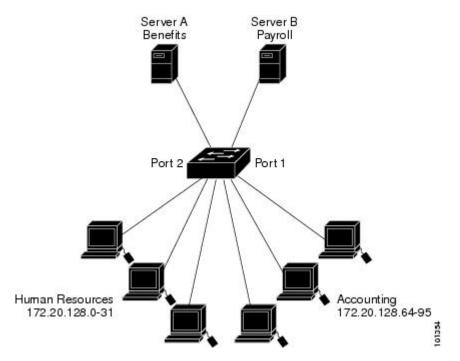
## **IPv4 ACL Configuration Examples**

This section provides examples of configuring and applying IPv4 ACLs. For detailed information about compiling ACLs, see the *Cisco IOS Security Configuration Guide, Release 12.4* and to the Configuring IP

Services" section in the "IP Addressing and Services" chapter of the *Cisco IOS IP Configuration Guide*, *Release 12.4*.

### ACLs in a Small Networked Office

Figure 5: Using Router ACLs to Control Traffic



This shows a small networked office environment with routed Port 2 connected to Server A, containing benefits and other information that all employees can access, and routed Port 1 connected to Server B, containing confidential payroll data. All users can access Server A, but Server B has restricted access.

Use router ACLs to do this in one of two ways:

- Create a standard ACL, and filter traffic coming to the server from Port 1.
- Create an extended ACL, and filter traffic coming from the server into Port 1.

### Examples: ACLs in a Small Networked Office

This example uses a standard ACL to filter traffic coming into Server B from a port, permitting traffic only from Accounting's source addresses 172.20.128.64 to 172.20.128.95. The ACL is applied to traffic coming out of routed Port 1 from the specified source address.

```
Device(config)# access-list 6 permit 172.20.128.64 0.0.0.31
Device(config)# end
Device# how access-lists
Standard IP access list 6
    10 permit 172.20.128.64, wildcard bits 0.0.0.31
Device(config)# interface gigabitethernet1/0/1
Device(config-if)# ip access-group 6 out
```

This example uses an extended ACL to filter traffic coming from Server B into a port, permitting traffic from any source address (in this case Server B) to only the Accounting destination addresses 172.20.128.64 to 172.20.128.95. The ACL is applied to traffic going into routed Port 1, permitting it to go only to the specified destination addresses. Note that with extended ACLs, you must enter the protocol (IP) before the source and destination information.

```
Device(config)# access-list 106 permit ip any 172.20.128.64 0.0.0.31
Device(config)# end
Device# show access-lists
Extended IP access list 106
    10 permit ip any 172.20.128.64 0.0.0.31
Device(config)# interface gigabitethernet1/0/1
Device(config-if)# ip access-group 106 in
```

### **Example: Numbered ACLs**

In this example, network 10.0.0.0 is a Class A network whose second octet specifies a subnet; that is, its subnet mask is 255.255.0.0. The third and fourth octets of a network 10.0.0.0 address specify a particular host. Using access list 2, the switch accepts one address on subnet 48 and reject all others on that subnet. The last line of the list shows that the switch accepts addresses on all other network 10.0.0.0 subnets. The ACL is applied to packets entering a port.

```
Device(config)# access-list 2 permit 10.48.0.3
Device(config)# access-list 2 deny 10.48.0.0 0.0.255.255
Device(config)# access-list 2 permit 10.0.0.0 0.255.255.255
Device(config)#
Device(config)# ip access-group 2 in
```

### Examples: Extended ACLs

In this example, the first line permits any incoming TCP connections with destination ports greater than 1023. The second line permits incoming TCP connections to the Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP) port of host 128.88.1.2. The third line permits incoming ICMP messages for error feedback.

```
Device(config)# access-list 102 permit tcp any 128.88.0.0 0.0.255.255 gt 1023
Device(config)# access-list 102 permit tcp any host 128.88.1.2 eq 25
Device(config)# access-list 102 permit icmp any any
Device(config)#
Device(config)#
Device(config-if)# ip access-group 102 in
```

In this example, suppose that you have a network connected to the Internet, and you want any host on the network to be able to form TCP connections to any host on the Internet. However, you do not want IP hosts to be able to form TCP connections to hosts on your network, except to the mail (SMTP) port of a dedicated mail host.

SMTP uses TCP port 25 on one end of the connection and a random port number on the other end. The same port numbers are used throughout the life of the connection. Mail packets coming in from the Internet have a destination port of 25. Because the secure system of the network always accepts mail connections on port 25, the incoming are separately controlled.

```
Device (config) # access-list 102 permit tcp any 128.88.0.0 0.0.255.255 eq 23
Device (config) # access-list 102 permit tcp any 128.88.0.0 0.0.255.255 eq 25
Device (config) #
```

Device(config-if) # ip access-group 102 in

### Examples: Named ACLs

#### **Creating named standard and extended ACLs**

This example creates a standard ACL named *internet\_filter* and an extended ACL named *marketing\_group*. The *internet\_filter* ACL allows all traffic from the source address 1.2.3.4.

```
Device(config)# ip access-list standard Internet_filter
Device(config-ext-nacl)# permit 1.2.3.4
Device(config-ext-nacl)# exit
```

The *marketing\_group* ACL allows any TCP Telnet traffic to the destination address and wildcard 171.69.0.0 0.0.255.255 and denies any other TCP traffic. It permits ICMP traffic, denies UDP traffic from any source to the destination address range 171.69.0.0 through 179.69.255.255 with a destination port less than 1024, denies any other IP traffic, and provides a log of the result.

```
Device(config)# ip access-list extended marketing_group
Device(config-ext-nacl)# permit tcp any 171.69.0.0 0.0.255.255 eq telnet
Device(config-ext-nacl)# deny tcp any any
Device(config-ext-nacl)# permit icmp any any
Device(config-ext-nacl)# deny udp any 171.69.0.0 0.0.255.255 lt 1024
Device(config-ext-nacl)# deny ip any any log
Device(config-ext-nacl)# exit
```

The *Internet\_filter* ACL is applied to outgoing traffic and the *marketing\_group* ACL is applied to incoming traffic on a Layer 3 port.

Device(config)# interface gigabitethernet3/0/1

```
Device(config-if)# ip address 2.0.5.1 255.255.255.0
Device(config-if)# ip access-group Internet_filter out
Device(config-if)# ip access-group marketing group in
```

#### **Deleting individual ACEs from named ACLs**

This example shows how you can delete individual ACEs from the named access list border-list:

```
Device (config) # ip access-list extended border-list
Device (config-ext-nacl) # no permit ip host 10.1.1.3 any
```

# **Monitoring IPv4 ACLs**

You can monitor IPv4 ACLs by displaying the ACLs that are configured on the switch, and displaying the ACLs that have been applied to interfaces and VLANs.

When you use the **ip access-group** interface configuration command to apply ACLs to a Layer 2 or 3 interface, you can display the access groups on the interface. You can also display the MAC ACLs applied to a Layer 2 interface. You can use the privileged EXEC commands as described in this table to display this information.

Table 8: Commands for Displaying Access Lists and Access Groups

Command	Purpose
show access-lists [number   name]	Displays the contents of one or all current IP and MAC address access lists or a specific access list (numbered or named).
show ip access-lists [number   name]	Displays the contents of all current IP access lists or a specific IP access list (numbered or named).
show ip interface interface-id	Displays detailed configuration and status of an interface. If IP is enabled on the interface and ACLs have been applied by using the <b>ip access-group</b> interface configuration command, the access groups are included in the display.
show running-config [interface interface-id]	Displays the contents of the configuration file for the switch or the specified interface, including all configured MAC and IP access lists and which access groups are applied to an interface.

**Monitoring IPv4 ACLs** 

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# **DNS-Based Access Control Lists**

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# Information About DNS-Based Access Control Lists

The DNS-based ACLs are used for wireless client devices. When using these devices, you can set pre-authentication ACLs on the embedded wireless controller to determine the data requests that are allowed or blocked.

To enable DNS-based ACLs on the embedded wireless controller, you need to configure the allowed URLs or denied URLs for the ACLs. The URLs need to be pre-configured on the ACL.

With DNS-based ACLs, the client when in registration phase is allowed to connect to the configured URLs. The embedded wireless controller is configured with the ACL name that is returned by the AAA server. If the ACL name is returned by the AAA server, then the ACL is applied to the client for web-redirection.

At the client authentication phase, the AAA server returns the pre-authentication ACL (url-redirect-acl, which is the attribute name given to the AAA server). The DNS snooping is performed on the AP for each client until the registration is complete and the client is in SUPPLICANT PROVISIONING state. When the ACL configured with the URLs is received on the embedded wireless controller, the CAPWAP payload is sent to the AP enabling DNS snooping for the URLs to be snooped.

With URL snooping in place, the AP learns the IP address of the resolved domain name in the DNS response. If the domain name matches the configured URL, then the DNS response is parsed for the IP address. The AP adds the IP address to the allowed list of IP addresses and thus the client can access the URLs configured.

During pre-authentication or post-authentication, DNS ACL is applied to the client in the access point. If the client roams from one AP to another AP, the DNS learned IP addresses on the old AP is valid on the new AP as well.

This feature supports:

- A maximum of 32 URL lists.
- A maximum of 32 URLs per URL list.
- Up to 30 IP addresses per URL.

- A maximum of 16 URL lists with wild-cards.
- A maximum of 10 URLs per wild-card URL.



**Note** When configuring wild-card based URLs, generic wild-card URLs are not allowed; wild-cards cannot be present between the domain name; multiple wild-cards are not allowed in a URL. Wild-card specification in a URL can only be at a third-degree level or a higher level.



**Note** Conflicting or invalid configurations are not allowed. The same URL cannot have different actions. For example, Deny and Allow cannot be configured on www.yahoo.com.

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**Note** URL filter needs to be attached to a policy profile in case of the local mode. In the flex mode, the URL filter is attached to the flex profile and it is not need to be attached to a policy profile.



**Note** DNS based URLs work with active DNS query from the client. Hence, for URL filtering, the DNS should be setup correctly.



Note URL filter takes precedence over punt or redirect ACL, and over custom or static pre-auth ACL.s

## FlexConnect in Embedded Wireless Controller

FlexConnect is a wireless solution for branch office and remote office deployments. It enables customers to configure and control access points in a branch or remote office from the corporate office through a wide area network (WAN) link without deploying a embedded wireless controller in each branch office.

The FlexConnect access points can switch client data traffic locally while carrying the authentication centrally. Also, FlexConnect APs perform client authentication locally when their connection to the controller is lost. When they are connected back to the controller, they can also send authentication/policy details back to the embedded wireless controller.

The embedded wireless controller network comprises of at least one 802.11ax Wave 2 Cisco Aironet Series access point (AP) with a software-based embedded wireless controller managing other APs in the network. The AP acting as the embedded wireless controller is referred to as the primary AP while the other APs in the network, which are managed by this primary AP, are referred to as subordinate APs. In addition to acting as an embedded wireless controller, the primary AP also operates as an AP to serve clients along with the subordinate APs.

Pre-Auth DNS ACL feature is also known as Walled Garden feature. The walled garden is a list of web sites or domains that you can visit without being authenticated. DNS snooping is performed on the AP for each client and configured rule is applied to client traffic after matching the Source or Destination IP.

## Roaming

During Roaming, the support clients roam from one AP to the other using the existing roaming support. DNS ACLs are retained at the target AP even after roaming. For Roaming with DNS Pre-Auth ACL and Post-Auth ACL, the target AP learns the client-resolved IP from the serving AP.

# **Restrictions on DNS-Based Access Control Lists**

The restriction for DNS-based ACLs is as follows:

- Only supported for FlexConnect local switching APs with Central Authorization.
- Post-Auth DNS based ACL is not supported for FlexConnect with local Authorization when AP is in FlexConnect local switching mode.
- Fully qualified domain name (FQDN) or DNS based ACLs are not supported on Cisco Wave 1 Access Points.
- The URL filter considers only the first 20 URLs, though you can add more.
- The URL filter employs regular regex patterns and permits wildcard characters only at the beginning or at the end of an URL.
- The URL ACLs are defined and added to the FlexConnect policy profile in which they associate with a WLAN. The URL ACL creation follows a similar mechanism as that of local mode URL ACLs.
- In FlexConnect mode, the URL domain ACL works only if they are connected to a FlexConnect policy profile.
- The ACL can be attached to a WLAN by associating a policy profile with a WLAN or local policies. However, you can override it using "url-redirect-acl".
- For the Cisco AV pair received from ISE, the policy that needs to be applied for a particular client is pushed as part of ADD MOBILE

message.

- When an AP joins or when an existing URL ACL is modified and applied on FlexConnect profile, the ACL definition along with mapped URL filter list is pushed to the AP.
- The AP stores the URL ACL definition with mapped ACL name and snoops the DNS packets for learning the first IP address for each URL in the ACL. When the AP learns the IP addresses, it updates the controller of the URL and IP bindings. The controller records this information in the client database for future use.
- When a client roams to another AP during the pre-authentication state, the learned IP addresses are pushed to a new AP. Otherwise, these learned IP addresses are purged when a client moves to a post-authentication state or when the TTL for the learned IP address expires.

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# **Flex Mode**

# **Configuring the URL Filter List (CLI)**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile flex custom-flex-profile	Configures a wireless flex profile and enters
	Example:	wireless flex profile configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile flex custom-flex-profile</pre>	
Step 3	acl-policy acl-policy-name	Configures the ACL policy description
	Example:	
	Device (config-wireless-flex-profile) #acl-policy acl-policy-name	
Step 4	urlfilter list url-filterlist-name	Configures and applies the name of the URL
	Example:	filter list to the flex profile.
	Device(config-wireless-flex-profile-acl)# urlfilter list url-filterlist-name	This is the Flex URL filter configuration command for ACL binding.

# **Configuring the URL Filter List (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>URL Filters</b> . The <b>URL Filters</b> page is displayed.	
Step 2	Click the <b>Add</b> button. The <b>Add URL Filters</b> window is displayed.	
Step 3	<ul><li>From the Type drop-down list, choose either PRE-AUTH or POST-AUTH.</li><li>a) POST-AUTH: Specify the Redirect Servers for IPv4 and IPv6.</li></ul>	
Step 4	Use the slider to <b>Permit</b> or <b>Deny</b> the <b>Action</b> .	
Step 5	Specify the URLs in the URLs field. Enter every URL on a new line.	
Step 6	Click Apply to Device.	

## **Applying Custom Pre-Auth DNS ACL on WLAN**

For pre-auth, this configuration should be on a web-auth WLAN.

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlanwlan-name wlan-id ssid-name	Enters the WLAN configuration sub-mode.
	Example: Device(config)# wlan wlan-name wlan-id	1. wlan-name — Enter the profile name. The range is from 1 to 32 alphanumeric characters.
	ssid-name	2. wlan-id—Enter the WLANID. The range is from 1 to 512.
		3. SSID-name—Enter the Service Set Identifier (SSID) for this WLAN. If the SSID is not specified, the WLAN profile name is set as the SSID. If you have already configured WLAN, enter wlan wlan-name command.
Step 3	<b>ip access-group web</b> <i>access-list-name</i> <b>Example:</b>	Maps the ACL to the web auth WLAN. access-list-name is the IPv4 ACL name or ID.
	Device(config-wlan)#ip access-group web preauth-acl-wlan	

# **Applying Custom Post-Auth DNS ACL on Policy Profile**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	Wireless profile policy profile-name	Creates policy profile for the WLAN.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy   custom-policy-profile</pre>	
Step 3	{ <b>ipv4</b>   <b>ipv6</b> } acl post-acl-name	Creates ACL configuration for wireless IPv4
	Example:	or IPv6 configuration.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)#ipv4 acl post-acl	

### Configuring ISE for Central Web Authentication (GUI)

Perform the following steps to configure ISE for Central Web Authentication.

#### Procedure

Step 1	Login to the (	Cisco Identity	Services I	Engine (	(ISE)
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- **Step 2** Click **Policy** and then click **Policy Elements**.
- Step 3 Click Results.
- **Step 4** Expand **Authorization** and click **Authorization Profiles**.
- **Step 5** Click **Add** to create a new authorization profile for URL filter.
- **Step 6** Enter a name for the profile in the **Name** field. For example, CentralWebauth.
- Step 7 Choose ACCESS\_ACCEPT option from the Access Type drop-down list.
- Step 8 Alternatively, in the Common Tasks section, check Web Redirection...
- **Step 9** Choose the **Centralized Web Auth** option from the drop-down list.
- **Step 10** Specify the ACL and choose the ACL value from the drop-down list.
- Step 11 In the Advanced Attributes Setting section, choose Cisco:cisco-av-pair from the drop-down list.
  - **Note** Multiple ACL can be applied on the controller based on priority. In L2 Auth + webauth multi-auth scenario, if the ISE returns ACL during L2 Auth then ISE ACL takes precedence over the default webauth redirect ACL. This leads to traffic running in webauth pending state, if ISE ACL has permit rule. To avoid this scenario, you need to set the precedence for L2 Auth ISE returned ACL. The default webauth redirect ACL priority is 100. To avoid traffic issue, you need to configure the redirect ACL priority above 100 for ACL returned by ISE.
- **Step 12** Enter the following one by one and click (+) icon after each of them:
  - url-redirect-acl=<sample\_name>
  - url-redirect=<sample\_redirect\_URL>

For example,

```
Cisco:cisco-av-pair = priv-lvl=15
Cisco:cisco-av-pair = url-redirect-acl=ACL-REDIRECT2
Cisco:cisco-av-pair = url-redirect=
https://9.10.8.247:port/portal/gateway?
sessionId=SessionIdValue&portal=0ce17ad0-6d90-11e5-978e-005056bf2f0a&daysToExpiry=value&action=cwa
```

**Step 13** Verify contents in the **Attributes Details** section and click **Save**.

# Viewing DNS-Based Access Control Lists

To view the URL Lists, use the following command:

```
Device #show wireless urlacl-enhanced summary
URL-List
```

```
urllist_ut
urllist_max1
urllist_max2
urllist_max3
urllist_max4
urllist_max5
```

To view the details of a particular URL List, use the following command:

```
Device#show wireless urlacl-enhanced details urllist ut
List Name..... : urllist_ut
Configured List of URLs
URL
              Preference Action Validity Invalidated URL
_____
url1.dns.com 1
                            PERMIT
                                       VALID 0
                                     VALID 0
             2
3
4
                           DENY
url2.dns.com
url3.dns.com
url4.dns.com
                            PERMIT
DENY
                                       VALID 0
VALID 0
                   DENY
PERMIT
DENY
PERMIT
url11.dns.com
              6
                                       VALID 0
url12.dns.com
              7
                                      VALID 0
              8
url13.dns.com
                                       VALID 0
              14
                                       VALID 0
www.example.com
```

To view the flex profile details, use the following command:

```
Device# sh wireless profile flex detailed custom-flex-profile
Flex Profile Name : custom-flex-profile
Description : custom flex profile
Local Auth :
      AP:
             Radius Enable : ENABLED
             PEAP
                                   : DISABLED
                                   : DISABLED
             LEAP
             TLS : DISABLED
EAP fast profile : Not Configured
User List : Not Configured
             User List
       RADIUS:
             RADIUS server group name : Not Configured
       Fallback Radio shut : DISABLED
      ARP caching: ENABLEDEfficient Image Upgrade: ENABLEDOfficeExtend AP: DISABLEDJoin min latency: DISABLED
       Policy ACL :
             ACL Name
                                          URL Filter List
                        Central Webauth
       Name
       _____
       post-acl urllist_ut DISABLED
       pre v4
                       urllist pre cwa DISABLED
       VLAN Name - VLAN ID mapping
                                   : Not Configured
```

To view client details, use the following command:

Device#sh wireless client mac-address <Mac-address> detail

#### **Verifying the Access Point**

To view the ACL configuration on the AP, use the following command:

```
Device# show ip access-lists
Extended IP access list pre_v4
1 permit udp any range 0 65535 any eq 53
2 permit tcp any range 0 65535 any eq 53
3 permit udp any dhcp_server any range 0 65535
```

4 permit udp any range 0 65535 any eq 68 5 permit udp any dhcp\_client any range 0 65535 6 deny ip any any

#### To view the URL List configuration, use the following command:

Device#show flexconnect url-acl ACL-NAME URL-LIST ACTION pre v4 allow test.dns.com url2.dns.com allow allow url3.dns.com url10.dns.com allow allow url11.dns.com allow www.cwapre.com allow www.google.com allow oldconfig.dns.com allow \*.cisco.com

To view pre-auth client configuration, use the following command:

```
Device# show client access-lists pre-auth all C0:C1:C0:70:58:2F
Pre-Auth URL ACLs for Client: C0:C1:C0:70:58:2F
IPv4 ACL: pre v4
IPv6 ACL:
ACTION
            URL-LIST
allow
            url1.dns.com
             url2.dns.com
denv
             url3.dns.com
allow
deny
             url4.dns.com
allow
             www.example.com
deny
            url11.dns.com
            url12.dns.com
allow
denv
             url13.dns.com
Resolved IPs for Client: C0:C1:C0:70:58:2F
HIT-COUNT
                                         IP-LIST
                URL
                          ACTION
post-acl
      rule 0:
               allow true
No IPv6 ACL found
```

#### To view post-auth client configuration, use the following command:

```
Device# show client access-lists post-auth all C0:C1:C0:70:58:2F
Post-Auth URL ACLs for Client: C0:C1:C0:70:58:2F
IPv4 ACL: post-acl
IPv6 ACL:
ACTION
             URL-LIST
allow
            url1.dns.com
            url2.dns.com
deny
allow
             url3.dns.com
deny
             url4.dns.com
             www.example.com
allow
             url11.dns.com
deny
allow
             url12.dns.com
denv
             url13.dns.com
Resolved IPs for Client: C0:C1:C0:70:58:2F
HIT-COUNT
               URL
                          ACTION
                                          IP-LIST
post-acl
       rule 0: allow true
No IPv6 ACL found
```

To view the IPs learnt in pre-auth, use the following command:

Device#show client access-lists pre-auth all 60:14:B3:AA:C6:FB Pre-Auth URL ACLs for Client: 60:14:B3:AA:C6:FB IPv4 ACL: acl 1 IPv6 ACL: ACTION URL-LIST allow url1.dns.com url2.dns.com deny Resolved IPs for Client: 60:14:B3:AA:C5:FB HIT-COUNT IP-LIST URT. ACTION 10 url1.dns.com allow 9.10.8.1

#### To view the IPs learnt in post-auth, use the following command:

Device#show client access-lists post-auth all 60:14:B3:AA:C6:FB Post-Auth URL ACLs for Client: 60:14:B3:AA:C5:FB IPv4 ACL: post\_acl IPv6 ACL: ACTION URL-LIST deny url1.dns.com allow url2.dns.com Resolved IPs for Client: 60:14:B3:AA:C5:FB ACTION HIT-COUNT IP-LIST URL 16 url2.dns.com allow 9.10.9.1 postauth acl rule 0: allow true

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# **Allowed List of Specific URLs**

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# **Allowed List of Specific URLs**

This feature helps you to add specific URLs to allowed list on the embedded wireless controller or the AP so that those specific URLs are available for use, even when there is no connectivity to the internet. You can add URLs to allowed list for web authentication of captive portal and walled garden. Authentication is not required to access the allowed list of URLs. When you try to access sites that are not in allowed list, you are redirected to the Login page.

# **Adding URL to Allowed List**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	<b>urlfilter list</b> <i><urlfilter-name></urlfilter-name></i>	Configures the URL filter profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# urlfilter list url-allowedlist-nbn</pre>	
Step 3	action [deny   permit]	Configures the list as allowed list. The permit
	Example:	command configures the list as allowed list and the <b>deny</b> command configures the list as
	Device(config-urlfilter-params)# action permit	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	{redirect-server-ipv4   redirect-server-ipv6}	Configures the IP address of the redirect servers
	Example:	to which the user requests will be redirected in case of denied requests.
	<pre>Device(config-urlfilter-params)# redirect-server-ipv4 X.X.X.X</pre>	case of defined requests.
Step 5	url url-to-be-allowed	Configures the URL to be allowed.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-urlfilter-params)# url www.cisco.com</pre>	

**Note** redirect-server-ipv4 and redirect-server-ipv6 is applicable only in the local mode, specifically in post-authentication. For any further tracking or displaying any warning messages, the denied user request is redirected to the configured server.

But the **redirect-server-ipv4** and **redirect-server-ipv6** configurations do not apply to pre-authentication scenario as you will be redirected to the controller for the redirect login URL for any denied access.

You can associate the allowed URL with the ACL policy in flex profile.

#### Example

Associating the allowed URL with the ACL policy in flex profile:

```
Device (config) # wireless profile flex default-flex-profile
Device(config-wireless-flex-profile)# acl-policy user_v4_acl
Device(config-wireless-flex-profile-acl)# urlfilter list url_allowedlist_nbn
Device(config-wireless-flex-profile-acl)# exit
Device (config-wireless-flex-profile) # description "default flex profile"
Device(config)# urlfilter enhanced-list urllist_pre_cwa
Device (config-urlfilter-enhanced-params) # url url1.dns.com preference 1 action permit
Device (config-urlfilter-enhanced-params) # url url2.dns.com preference 2 action deny
Device(config-urlfilter-enhanced-params) # url url3.dns.com preference 3 action permit
Device(config) # wlan wlan5 5 wlan5
Device(config-wlan) #ip access-group web user v4 acl
Device (config-wlan) #no security wpa
Device (config-wlan) #no security wpa
Device(config-wlan) #no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes
Device(config-wlan) #no security wpa akm dot1x
Device (config-wlan) #security web-auth
Device (config-wlan) #security web-auth authentication-list default
Device(config-wlan)#security web-auth parameter-map global
Device(config-wlan) #no shutdown
```

# Verifying URLs on the Allowed List

To verify the summary and the details of the URLs on the allowed list, use the following **show** commands:

Device# show wireless urlfilter summary Black-list - DENY White-list - PERMIT Filter-Type - Specific to Local Mode URL-List ID Filter-Type Action Redirect-ipv4 Redirect-ipv6 \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ PRE-AUTH url-whitelist 1 PERMIT 1.1.1.1 Device# Device# show wireless urlfilter details url-whitelist List Name..... : url-whitelist Filter ID..... : : 1 Filter Type..... : PRE-AUTH Action..... : PERMIT Redirect server ipv4..... : 1.1.1.1 Redirect server ipv6..... : Configured List of URLs URL..... : www.cisco.com

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# **Web-Based Authentication**

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# **Authentication Overview**

Web authentication is a Layer 3 security solution designed for providing easy and secure guest access to hosts on WLAN with open authentication or appropriate layer 2 security methods. Web authentication allows users to get authenticated through a web browser on a wireless client, with minimal configuration on the client side. It allows users to associate with an open SSID without having to set up a user profile. The host receives an IP address and DNS information from the DHCP server, however cannot access any of the network resources until they authenticate successfully. When the host connects to the guest network, the WLC redirects the host to an authentication web page where the user needs to enter valid credentials. The credentials are authenticated by the WLC or an external authentication server and if authenticated successfully is given full access to the network. Hosts can also be given limited access to particular network resources before authentication for which the pre-authentication ACL functionality needs to be configured.

The following are the different types of web authentication methods:

- Local Web Authentication (LWA): Configured as Layer 3 security on the controller, the web authentication page and the pre-authentication ACL are locally configured on the controller. The controller intercepts http(s) traffic and redirects the client to the internal web page for authentication. The credentials entered by the client on the login page is authenticated by the controller locally or through a RADIUS or LDAP server.
- External Web Authentication (EWA): Configured as Layer 3 security on the controller, the controller intercepts http(s) traffic and redirects the client to the login page hosted on the external web server. The credentials entered by the client on the login page is authenticated by the controller locally or through a RADIUS or LDAP server. The pre-authentication ACL is configured statically on the controller.
- Central Web Authentication (CWA): Configured mostly as Layer 2 security on the controller, the redirection URL and the pre-authentication ACL reside on ISE and are pushed during layer 2 authentication to the controller. The controller redirects all web traffic from the client to the ISE login page. ISE validates the credentials entered by the client through HTTPS and authenticates the user.

Use the authentication feature, known as web authentication proxy, to authenticate end users on host systems that do not run the IEEE 802.1x supplicant.

When a client initiates an HTTP session, authentication intercepts ingress HTTP packets from the host and sends an HTML login page to the users. The users enter their credentials, which the authentication feature sends to the authentication, authorization, and accounting (AAA) server for authentication.

If authentication succeeds, authentication sends a Login-Successful HTML page to the host and applies the access policies returned by the AAA server.

If authentication fails, authentication forwards a Login-Fail HTML page to the user, prompting the user to retry the login. If the user exceeds the maximum number of attempts, authentication forwards a Login-Expired HTML page to the host, and the user is .



The traceback that you receive when webauth client tries to do authentication does not have any performance or behavioral impact. It happens rarely when the context for which FFM replied back to EPM for ACL application is already dequeued (possibly due to timer expiry) and the session becomes 'unauthorized'.



Note

When command authorization is enabled as a part of AAA Authorization configuration through TACACS and the corresponding method list is not configured as a part of the HTTP configuration, WebUI pages will not load any data. However, some wireless feature pages may work as they are privilege based and not command based.

Based on where the web pages are hosted, the local web authentication can be categorized as follows:

- Internal—The internal default HTML pages (Login, Success, Fail, and Expire) in the embedded wireless
  controller are used during the local web authentication.
- *Customized*—The customized web pages (Login, Success, Fail, and Expire) are downloaded onto the embedded wireless controller and used during the local web authentication.
- *External*—The customized web pages are hosted on the external web server instead of using the in-built or custom web pages.

Based on the various web authentication pages, the types of web authentication are as follows:

- *Webauth*—This is a basic web authentication. Herein, the embedded wireless controller presents a policy page with the user name and password. You need to enter the correct credentials to access the network.
- *Consent or web-passthrough*—Herein, the controller presents a policy page with the Accept or Deny buttons. You need to click the Accept button to access the network.
- Webconsent—This is a combination of webauth and consent web authentication types. Herein, the
  embedded wireless controller presents a policy page with Accept or Deny buttons along with user name
  or password. You need to enter the correct credentials and click the Accept button to access the network.

You can view the webauth parameter-map information using the show running-config command output.
The wireless Web-Authentication feature does not support the bypass type.

• Change in web authentication parameter map redirect login URL does not occur until a AP rejoin happens. You must enable and disable the WLAN to apply the new URL redirection.

Note

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We recommend that you follow the Cisco guidelines to create a customized web authentication login page. If you have upgraded to the latest versions of Google Chrome or Mozilla Firefox browsers, ensure that your webauth bundle has the following line in the *login.html* file:

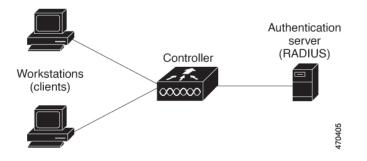
<body onload="loadAction();">

## **Device Roles**

With local web authentication, the devices in the network have these specific roles:

- *Client*—The device (workstation) that requests access to the network and the controller and responds to requests from the controller. The workstation must be running an HTML browser with Java Script enabled.
- Authentication server—Authenticates the client. The authentication server validates the identity of the client and notifies the controller that the client is authorized to access the network and the controller services or that the client is denied.
- *Controller*—Controls the physical access to the network based on the authentication status of the client. The controller acts as an intermediary (proxy) between the client and the authentication server, requesting identity information from the client, verifying that information with the authentication server, and relaying a response to the client.

#### Figure 6: Local Web Authentication Device Roles



## **Authentication Process**

When the page is hosted on the controller, the controller uses its virtual IP (a non-routable IP like 192.0.2.1 typically) to serve the request. If the page is hosted externally, the web redirection sends the client first to the virtual IP, which then sends the user again to the external login page while it adds arguments to the URL,

such as the location of the virtual IP. Even when the page is hosted externally, the user submits its credentials to the virtual IP.

When you enable local web authentication, these events occur:

- The user initiates an HTTP session.
- The HTTP traffic is intercepted, and authorization is initiated. The controller sends the login page to the user. The user enters a username and password, and the controller sends the entries to the authentication server.
- If the authentication succeeds, the controller downloads and activates the user's access policy from the authentication server. The login success page is sent to the user.
- If the authentication fails, the controller sends the login fail page. The user retries the login. If the maximum number of attempts fails, the controller sends the login expired page, and the host is placed in a watch list. After the watch list times out, the user can retry the authentication process.
- If authentication server is not available, after the web authentication retries, the client moves to the
  excluded state and the client receives an Authentication Server is Unavailable page.
- The controller reauthenticates a client when the host does not respond to an ARP probe on a Layer 2 interface, or when the host does not send any traffic within the idle timeout on a Layer 3 interface.
- Web authentication sessions can not apply new VLAN as part of the authorization policy, as the client already has been assigned an IP address and you will not be able to change the IP address in the client, in case the VLAN changes.
- If the terminate action is default, the session is dismantled, and the applied policy is removed.

## Local Web Authentication Banner

With Web Authentication, you can create a default and customized web-browser banners that appears when you log in to the controller.

The banner appears on both the login page and the authentication-result pop-up pages. The default banner messages are as follows:

- Authentication Successful
- Authentication Failed
- Authentication Expired

The Local Web Authentication Banner can be configured as follows:

• Use the following global configuration command:

```
Device(config) # parameter map type webauth global
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # banner ?
file <file-name>
text <Banner text>
title <Banner title>
```

The default banner *Cisco Systems* and *Switch host-name Authentication* appear on the Login Page. *Cisco Systems* appears on the authentication result pop-up page.



#### Figure 7: Authentication Successful Banner

The banner can be customized as follows:

- Add a message, such as switch, router, or company name to the banner:
  - New-style mode—Use the following global configuration command:

parameter-map type webauth global

#### banner text <text>

- Add a logo or text file to the banner:
  - New-style mode—Use the following global configuration command:

parameter-map type webauth global

banner file <filepath>

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Figure 8: Customized Web Bann	ure 8: Customized Web Banner	
00	Join "webauth-test"	
Success		
< >	captive.apple.com	Done

If you do not enable a banner, only the username and password dialog boxes appear in the web authentication login screen, and no banner appears when you log into the switch.

0	Join "webauth-test"	
Login		- iliu cisc
Welcome to t	he Cisco Web-Authentication network	
Cisco is please	d to provide web-authentication or your network. Please login.	
User Name	Nico	
Password		
	Submit	

#### Figure 9: Login Screen With No Banner

## **Customized Local Web Authentication**

During the local web authentication process, the switch internal HTTP server hosts four HTML pages to deliver to an authenticating client. The server uses these pages to notify you of these four-authentication process states:

- Login—Your credentials are requested.
- Success—The login was successful.
- Fail—The login failed.
- Expire—The login session has expired because of excessive login failures.



Note

Virtual IP address is mandatory to configure custom web authentication.

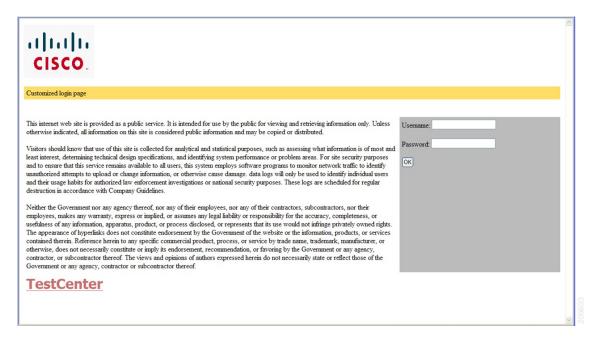
Guidelines

- You can substitute your own HTML pages for the default internal HTML pages.
- You can use a logo or specify text in the login, success, failure, and expire web pages.
- On the banner page, you can specify text in the login page.
- The pages are in HTML.

- You must include an HTML redirect command in the success page to access a specific URL.
- The URL string must be a valid URL (for example, http://www.cisco.com). An incomplete URL might
  cause page not found or similar errors on a web browser.
- If you configure web pages for HTTP authentication, they must include the appropriate HTML commands (for example, to set the page time out, to set a hidden password, or to confirm that the same page is not submitted twice). The custom page samples in the webauth bundle are provided with the image and the details of what you can and cannot change.
- The CLI command to redirect users to a specific URL is not available when the configured login form is enabled. The administrator should ensure that the redirection is configured in the web page.
- If the CLI command redirecting users to specific URL after authentication occurs is entered and then the command configuring web pages is entered, the CLI command redirecting users to a specific URL does not take effect.
- Configured web pages can be copied to the switch boot flash or flash.
- The login page can be on one flash, and the success and failure pages can be another flash (for example, the flash on the active switch or a member switch).
- You must configure all four pages.
- All of the logo files (image, flash, audio, video, and so on) that are stored in the system directory (for example, flash, disk0, or disk) and that are displayed on the login page must use *web\_auth\_<filename>* as the file name.
- The configured authentication proxy feature supports both HTTP and SSL.

You can substitute your HTML pages for the default internal HTML pages. You can also specify a URL to which users are redirected after authentication occurs, which replaces the internal Success page.

Figure 10: Customizable Authentication Page



## **Redirection URL for Successful Login Guidelines**

When configuring a redirection URL for successful login, consider these guidelines:

- If the custom authentication proxy web pages feature is enabled, the redirection URL feature is disabled and is not available in the CLI. You can perform redirection in the custom-login success page.
- If the redirection URL feature is enabled, a configured auth-proxy-banner is not used
- To remove the specification of a redirection URL, use the no form of the command.
- If the redirection URL is required after the web-based authentication client is successfully authenticated, then the URL string must start with a valid URL (for example, http://) followed by the URL information. If only the URL is given without http://, then the redirection URL on successful authentication might cause page not found or similar errors on a web browser.

# How to Configure Local Web Authentication

## **Configuring Default Local Web Authentication**

The following table shows the default configurations required for local web authentication.

Table 9: Default Local Web Authentication Configuration

Feature	Default Setting
ААА	Disabled
RADIUS server	None specified
• IP address	
• UDP authentication port	
• Key	
Default value of inactivity timeout	3600 seconds
Inactivity timeout	Disabled

## **Configuring AAA Authentication (GUI)**

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**Note** The WebUI does not support the ipv6 radius source-interface under AAA radius server group configuration.

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### Procedure

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>AAA</b> .	
Step 2	In the Authentication section, click Add.	
Step 3	In the Quick Setup: AAA Authentication window that is displayed, enter a name for your method list.	
Step 4	Choose the type of authentication you want to perform before allowing access to the network, in the <b>Type</b> drop-down list.	
Step 5	Choose if you want to assign a group of servers as your access server, or if you want to use a local server to authenticate access, from the <b>Group</b> Type drop-down list.	
Step 6	To configure a local server to act as a fallback method when servers in the group are unavailable, check the <b>Fallback</b> to local check box.	
Step 7	Choose the server groups you want to use to authenticate access to your network, from the Available Server Groups list and click > icon to move them to the Assigned Server Groups list.	
Step 8	Click Save & Apply to Device.	

# **Configuring AAA Authentication (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	aaa new-model	Enables AAA functionality.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa new-model	
Step 2	aaa authentication login {default   named_authentication_list} group AAA_group_name	Defines the list of authentication methods at login.
	Example:	<b>named_authentication_list</b> refers to any name that is not greater than 31 characters.
	Device(config)# aaa authentication login default group group1	AAA_group_name refers to the server group name. You need to define the server-group server_name at the beginning itself.
Step 3	aaa authorization network {default   named} group AAA_group_name	Creates an authorization method list for web-based authorization.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authorization network default group group1	
Step 4	tacacs-server host {hostname   ip_address}	Specifies a AAA server.
	Example:	

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 Command or Action	Purpose
Device(config)# tacacs-server host 10.1.1.1	

# **Configuring the HTTP/HTTPS Server (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Administration > Management > HTTP/HTTPS/Netconf.	
Step 2	In the <b>HTTP/HTTPS Access Configuration</b> section, enable HTTP Access and enter the port that will lister for HTTP requests. The default port is 80. Valid values are 80, and ports between 1025 and 65535.	
Step 3	Enable <b>HTTPS Access</b> on the device and enter the designated port to listen for HTTPS requests. The default port is 1025. Valid values are 443, and ports between 1025 and 65535. On a secure HTTP connection, data to and from an HTTP server is encrypted before being sent over the Internet. HTTP with SSL encryption provides a secure connection to allow such functions as configuring a switch from a Web browser.	
Step 4	Choose the Personal Identity Verification as enabled or disabled.	
Step 5	In the <b>HTTP Trust Point Configuration</b> section, enable <b>Enable Trust Point</b> to use Certificate Authority servers as trustpoints.	
Step 6	From the <b>Trust Points</b> drop-down list, choose a trust point.	
Step 7	In the <b>Timeout Policy Configuration</b> section, enter the HTTP timeout policy in seconds. Valid values can range from 1 to 600 seconds.	
Step 8	Enter the number of minutes of inactivity allowed before the session times out. Valid values can range from 180 to 1200 seconds.	
Step 9	Enter the server life time in seconds. Valid values can range from 1 to 86400 seconds.	
Step 10	Enter the maximum number of requests the device can accept. Valid values range from 1 to 86400 requests.	
Step 11	Save the configuration.	

# **Configuring the HTTP Server (CLI)**

To use local web authentication, you must enable the HTTP server within the device. You can enable the server for either HTTP or HTTPS.



Note

The Apple psuedo-browser will not open if you configure only the **ip http secure-server** command. You should also configure the **ip http server** command.

Follow the procedure given below to enable the server for either HTTP or HTTPS:

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ip http server	Enables the HTTP server. The local web	
	Example:	authentication feature uses the HTTP server to communicate with the hosts for user	
	Device(config)# <b>ip http server</b>	authentication.	
Step 3	ip http secure-server	Enables HTTPS.	
	Example:	You can configure custom authentication proxy web pages or specify a redirection URL for	
	Device(config) # <b>ip http secure-server</b>	successful login.	
		Note To ensure secure authentication when you enter the <b>ip http</b> <b>secure-server</b> command, the login page is always in HTTPS (secure HTTP) even if the user sends an HTTP request.	
Step 4	end	Exits configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>		

#### Procedure

# **Creating a Parameter Map (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Web Auth.	
Step 2	Click Add.	
Step 3	Click Policy Map.	
Step 4	Enter Parameter Name, Maximum HTTP connections, Init-State Timeout(secs) and choose webauth in the Type drop-down list.	
Step 5	Click Apply to Device.	

# **Configuring the Maximum Web Authentication Request Retries**

Follow these steps to configure the maximum web authentication request retries:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	wireless security web-auth retries number	<i>number</i> is the maximum number of web auth
	Example:	request retries. The valid range is 0 to 20.
	Device(config)# wireless security web-auth retries 2	
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	

#### Procedure

# **Configuring a Local Banner in Web Authentication Page (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Web Auth.	
Step 2	2 In the Webauth Parameter Map tab, click the parameter map name. The Edit WebAuth Parameter wind is displayed.	
Step 3	In the General tab and choose the required Banner Type:	
	• If you choose <b>Banner Text</b> , enter the required banner text to be displayed.	
	• If you choose File Name, specify the path of the file from which the banner text has to be picked up.	
Step 4	Click Update & Apply.	

# **Configuring a Local Banner in Web Authentication Page (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure a local banner in web authentication pages.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth param-map	Configures the web authentication parameters.
	Example:	Enters the parameter map configuration mode.
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth param-map	
Step 3	<b>banner</b> [ file   banner-text   title ]	Enables the local banner.
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-params-parameter-map)# banner http C My Switch C	Create a custom banner by entering $C$ banner-text $C$ (where $C$ is a delimiting character), or <i>file</i> that indicates a file (for example, a logo or text file) that appears in the banner, or <i>title</i> that indicates the title of the banner.
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end	a

#### Procedure

# **Configuration Examples for Local Web Authentication**

## **Example: Obtaining Web Authentication Certificate**

This example shows how to obtain web authentication certificate.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device (config) # crypto pki import cert pkcs12 tftp://9.1.0.100/ldapserver-cert.p12 cisco
Device(config) # end
Device# show crypto pki trustpoints cert
 Trustpoint cert:
    Subject Name:
    e=rkannajr@cisco.com
    cn=sthaliya-lnx
    ou=WNBU
    o=Cisco
   l=SanJose
    st=California
    c=US
          Serial Number (hex): 00
    Certificate configured.
Device# show crypto pki certificates cert
Certificate
  Status: Available
  Certificate Serial Number (hex): 04
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```
Certificate Usage: General Purpose
  Issuer:
    e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=sthaliya-lnx
   ou=WNBU
    o=Cisco
   l=SanJose
   st=California
   c=US
  Subject:
   Name: ldapserver
    e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=ldapserver
   ou=WNBU
   o=Cisco
   st=California
    c=US
  Validity Date:
   start date: 07:35:23 UTC Jan 31 2012
   end date: 07:35:23 UTC Jan 28 2022
  Associated Trustpoints: cert ldap12
  Storage: nvram:rkannajrcisc#4.cer
CA Certificate
  Status: Available
  Certificate Serial Number (hex): 00
  Certificate Usage: General Purpose
  Issuer:
    e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=sthaliya-lnx
   ou=WNBU
   o=Cisco
   l=SanJose
    st=California
   c=US
  Subject:
    e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=sthaliya-lnx
   ou=WNBU
   o=Cisco
   l=SanJose
   st=California
   c=US
  Validity Date:
   start date: 07:27:56 UTC Jan 31 2012
   end date: 07:27:56 UTC Jan 28 2022
  Associated Trustpoints: cert ldap12 ldap
  Storage: nvram:rkannajrcisc#OCA.cer
```

## **Example: Displaying a Web Authentication Certificate**

This example shows how to display a web authentication certificate.

```
Device# show crypto ca certificate verb
Certificate
Status: Available
Version: 3
Certificate Serial Number (hex): 2A9636AC0000000858B
Certificate Usage: General Purpose
Issuer:
cn=Cisco Manufacturing CA
```

```
o=Cisco Systems
Subject:
Name: WS-C3780-6DS-S-2037064C0E80
Serial Number: PID:WS-C3780-6DS-S SN:FOC1534X12Q
cn=WS-C3780-6DS-S-2037064C0E80
serialNumber=PID:WS-C3780-6DS-S SN:FOC1534X120
CRL Distribution Points:
http://www.cisco.com/security/pki/crl/cmca.crl
Validity Date:
start date: 15:43:22 UTC Aug 21 2011
end date: 15:53:22 UTC Aug 21 2021
Subject Key Info:
Public Key Algorithm: rsaEncryption
RSA Public Key: (1024 bit)
Signature Algorithm: SHA1 with RSA Encryption
Fingerprint MD5: A310B856 A41565F1 1D9410B5 7284CB21
Fingerprint SHA1: 04F180F6 CA1A67AF 9D7F561A 2BB397A1 0F5EB3C9
X509v3 extensions:
X509v3 Key Usage: F0000000
  Digital Signature
  Non Repudiation
  Key Encipherment
  Data Encipherment
X509v3 Subject Key ID: B9EEB123 5A3764B4 5E9C54A7 46E6EECA 02D283F7
X509v3 Authority Key ID: D0C52226 AB4F4660 ECAE0591 C7DC5AD1 B047F76C
Authority Info Access:
Associated Trustpoints: CISCO IDEVID SUDI
Key Label: CISCO IDEVID SUDI
```

## Example: Choosing the Default Web Authentication Login Page

This example shows how to choose a default web authentication login page.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device (config) # parameter-map type webauth test
This operation will permanently convert all relevant authentication commands to their CPL
control-policy equivalents. As this conversion is irreversible and will
disable the conversion CLI 'authentication display [legacy|new-style]', you are strongly
advised to back up your current configuration before proceeding.
Do you wish to continue? [yes]: yes
Device(config) # wlan wlan50
Device(config-wlan) # shutdown
Device (config-wlan) # security web-auth authentication-list test
Device(config-wlan) # security web-auth parameter-map test
Device (config-wlan) # no shutdown
Device(config-wlan) # end
Device# show running-config | section wlan50
wlan wlan50 50 wlan50
 security wpa akm cckm
security wpa wpal
security wpa wpal ciphers aes
security wpa wpal ciphers tkip
security web-auth authentication-list test
 security web-auth parameter-map test
 session-timeout 1800
no shutdown
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map type webauth test
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
```

## Example: Choosing a Customized Web Authentication Login Page from an IPv4 External Web Server

This example shows how to choose a customized web authentication login page from an IPv4 external web server.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config) # parameter-map type webauth global
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # virtual-ip ipv4 1.1.1.1
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # parameter-map type webauth test
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # type webauth
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # redirect for-login http://9.1.0.100/login.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # redirect portal ipv4 9.1.0.100
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map
parameter-map type webauth global
virtual-ip ipv4 1.1.1.1
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
redirect for-login http://9.1.0.100/login.html
redirect portal ipv4 9.1.0.100
security web-auth parameter-map rasagna-auth-map
security web-auth parameter-map test
```

## Example: Choosing a Customized Web Authentication Login Page from an IPv6 External Web Server

This example shows how to choose a customized web authentication login page from an IPv6 external web server.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device (config) # parameter-map type webauth global
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # virtual-ip ipv6 1:1:1::1
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # parameter-map type webauth test
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# type webauth
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # redirect for-login http://9:1:1::100/login.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # redirect portal ipv6 9:1:1::100
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # end
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map
parameter-map type webauth global
virtual-ip ipv6 1:1:1::1
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
redirect for-login http://9:1:1::100/login.html
redirect portal ipv6 9:1:1::100
security web-auth parameter-map rasagna-auth-map
security web-auth parameter-map test
```

## Example: Assigning Login, Login Failure, and Logout Pages per WLAN

This example shows how to assign login, login failure and logout pages per WLAN.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device (config) # parameter-map type webauth test
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page login device flash:loginsantosh.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page login expired device flash:loginexpire.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page failure device flash:loginfail.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page success device flash:loginsucess.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # end
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map type webauth test
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
 redirect for-login http://9.1.0.100/login.html
redirect portal ipv4 9.1.0.100
custom-page login device flash:loginsantosh.html
 custom-page success device flash:loginsucess.html
 custom-page failure device flash:loginfail.html
 custom-page login expired device flash:loginexpire.html
```

## Example: Configuring Preauthentication ACL

This example shows how to configure preauthentication ACL.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wlan fff
Device(config-wlan)# shutdown
Device(config-wlan)# ip access-group web preauthrule
Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown
Device(config-wlan)# end
Device# show wlan name fff
```

## Example: Configuring Webpassthrough

This example shows how to configure webpassthrough.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth webparalocal
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# type consent
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map type webauth test
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
redirect for-login http://9.1.0.100/login.html
redirect portal ipv4 9.1.0.100
```

## Verifying Web Authentication Type

To verify the web authentication type, run the following command:

```
Device# show parameter-map type webauth all
Type Name
------
Global global
Named webauth
Named ext
Named redirect
Named abc
```

```
Named glbal
Named ewa-2
Device# show parameter-map type webauth global
Parameter Map Name : global
Banner:
Text : CisCo
Type : webauth
Auth-proxy Init State time : 120 sec
Webauth max-http connection : 100
Webauth logout-window : Enabled
Webauth success-window : Enabled
Consent Email : Disabled
Sleeping-Client : Enabled
Sleeping-Client timeout : 60 min
Virtual-ipv4 : 1.1.1.1
Virtual-ipv4 hostname :
Webauth intercept https : Disabled
Webauth Captive Bypass : Disabled
Webauth bypass intercept ACL :
Trustpoint name :
HTTP Port : 80
Watch-list:
Enabled : no
Webauth login-auth-bypass:
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Parameter Map Name : global
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## **Configuring Authentication for Sleeping Clients (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Web Auth.	
Step 2	In the <b>Webauth Parameter Map</b> tab, click the parameter map name. The <b>Edit WebAuth Parameter</b> window is displayed.	
Step 3	Select Sleeping Client Status check box.	

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Step 4 Click Update & Apply to Device.

# **Configuring Authentication for Sleeping Clients (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	[no] parameter-map type webauth {parameter-map-name   global}	Creates a parameter map and enters parameter-map webauth configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth global		
Step 2	sleeping-client [timeout time]	Configures the sleeping client timeout to 100	
	Example:	minutes. Valid range is between 10 minutes and 43200 minutes.	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)#		
	sleeping-client timeout 100	Note If you do not use the timeout keyword, the sleeping client is configured with the default timeout value of 720 minutes.	
Step 3	end	Exits parameter-map webauth configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
Step 4	(Optional) show wireless client sleeping-client		
	Example:	time remaining in their respective sessions.	
	Device# show wireless client sleeping-client		
Step 5	(Optional) clear wireless client sleeping-client [mac-address mac-addr]	clear wireless client     sleeping-client—Deletes all sleeping client	
	Example:	entries from the sleeping client cache.	
	Device# clear wireless client	• clear wireless client sleeping-client	
	sleeping-client	mac-address mac-addr—Deletes the	
	mac-address 00e1.e1e1.0001	specific MAC entry from the sleeping client cache.	



# **Central Web Authentication**

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# Information About Central Web Authentication

Central web authentication offers the possibility to have a central device that acts as a web portal (in this example, the ISE). The major difference compared to the usual local web authentication is that it is shifted to Layer 2 along with MAC filtering or dot1x authentication. The concept also differs in that the radius server (ISE in this example) returns special attributes that indicate to the switch that a web redirection must occur. This solution eliminates any delay to start the web authentication.

The following are the different types of web authentication methods:

- Local Web Authentication (LWA): Configured as Layer 3 security on the controller, the web authentication page and the pre-authentication ACL are locally configured on the controller. The controller intercepts http(s) traffic and redirects the client to the internal web page for authentication. The credentials entered by the client on the login page is authenticated by the controller locally or through a RADIUS or LDAP server.
- External Web Authentication (EWA): Configured as Layer 3 security on the controller, the controller intercepts http(s) traffic and redirects the client to the login page hosted on the external web server. The credentials entered by the client on the login page is authenticated by the controller locally or through a RADIUS or LDAP server. The pre-authentication ACL is configured statically on the controller.
- Central Web Authentication (CWA): Configured mostly as Layer 2 security on the controller, the redirection URL and the pre-authentication ACL reside on ISE and are pushed during layer 2 authentication to the controller. The controller redirects all web traffic from the client to the ISE login page. ISE validates the credentials entered by the client through HTTPS and authenticates the user.

Globally, if the MAC address of the client station is not known by the radius server (but other criteria can also be used), the server returns the redirection attributes, and the embedded wireless controller authorizes the station (using the MAC filtering) but places an access list to redirect the web traffic to the portal.

Once the user logs into the guest portal, it is possible to re-authenticate the client so that a new Layer 2 MAC filtering occurs using the Change of Authorization (CoA). This way, the ISE remembers that it was a webauth

user and pushes the necessary authorization attributes to the embedded wireless controller for accessing the network.

## **Prerequisites for Central Web Authentication**

• Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE)

# **How to Configure ISE**

To configure ISE, proceed as follows:

- 1. Create an authorization profile.
- 2. Create an authentication rule.
- 3. Create an authorization rule.

## **Creating an Authorization Profile**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Click Policy, and click Policy Elements.	
Step 2	Click <b>Results</b> .	
Step 3	Expand Authorization, and click Authorization Profiles.	
Step 4	Click Add to create a new authorization profile for central webauth.	
Step 5	In the Name field, enter a name for the profile. For example, CentralWebauth.	
Step 6	Choose ACCESS_ACCEPT from the Access Type drop-down list.	
Step 7	Check the Web Redirection (CWA, MDM, NSP, CPP) check box, and choose Centralized Web Auth from the drop-down list.	
Step 8	In the ACL field, enter the name of the ACL that defines the traffic to be redirected. For example, redirect.	
Step 9	In the Value field, choose the default or customized values.	
	The Value attribute defines whether the ISE sees the default or a custom web portal that the ISE admin created.	
Step 10	Click Save.	

# **Creating an Authentication Rule**

Follow the procedure given below to use the authentication profile and create the authentication rule:

## Procedure

Step 1	In the <b>Policy</b> > <b>Authentication</b> page, click <b>Authentication</b> .	
Step 2	Enter a name for your authentication rule. For example, MAB.	
Step 3	In the If condition field, select the plus (+) icon.	
Step 4	Choose Compound condition, and choose Wireless_MAB.	
Step 5	Click the arrow located next to and in order to expand the rule further.	
Step 6	Click the + icon in the Identity Source field, and choose Internal endpoints.	
Step 7	Choose Continue from the 'If user not found' drop-down list.	
	This option allows a device to be authenticated even if its MAC address is not known.	
Step 8	Click Save.	

# **Creating an Authorization Rule**

You can configure many rules in the authorization policy. The *MAC not known* rule is configured in this section:

Step 1	Click <b>Policy</b> > <b>Authorization</b> .	
Step 2	In the Rule Name field, enter a name. For example: Mac not known.	
Step 3	In the Conditions field, click the plus (+) icon.	
Step 4	Choose Compound Conditions, and choose Wireless_MAB.	
Step 5	From the settings icon, select Add Attribute/Value from the options.	
Step 6	In the Description field, choose <b>Network Access</b> > <b>AuthenticationStatus</b> as the attribute from the drop-down list.	
Step 7	Choose the <b>Equals</b> operator.	
Step 8	From the right-hand field, choose <b>UnknownUser</b> .	
Step 9	In the Permissions field, choose the authorization profile name that you had created earlier.	
	The ISE continues even though the user (or MAC) is not known.	
	Unknown users are now presented with the Login page. However, once they enter their credentials, they are presented again with an authentication request on the ISE; therefore, another rule must be configured with a condition that is met if the user is a guest user. For example, if UseridentityGroup Equals Guest is used then it is assumed that all guests belong to this group.	
Step 10	In the Conditions field, click the plus (+) icon.	
Step 11	Choose Compound Conditions, and choose to create a new condition.	
	The new rule must come before the MAC not known rule.	
Step 12	From the settings icon, select Add Attribute/Value from the options.	

Step 13	In the Description field, choose <b>Network Access</b> > <b>UseCase</b> as the attribute from the drop-down list.	
Step 14	Choose the <b>Equals</b> operator.	
Step 15	From the right-hand field, choose GuestFlow.	
Step 16	In the Permissions field, click the plus (+) icon to select a result for your rule.	
	You can choose <b>Standard</b> > <b>PermitAccess</b> option or create a custom profile to return the attributes that you like.	

When the user is authorized on the login page, the ISE triggers a COA that results in the restart of Layer 2 authentication. When the user is identified as a guest user, the user is authorized.

# How to Configure Central Web Authentication on the Controller

To configure central web authentication on the controller, proceed as follows:

- 1. Configure WLAN.
- 2. Configure policy profile.
- 3. Configure redirect ACL.
- 4. Configure AAA for central web authentication.
- 5. Configure redirect ACL in Flex profile.

# **Configuring WLAN (GUI)**

### Before you begin

You need to enable MAC filtering for Layer 2 authentication to download the redirect URL and ACL.

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.	
Step 2	<b>p 2</b> In the WLANs window, click the name of the WLAN or click Add to create a new one.	
Step 3	In the Add/Edit WLAN window that is displayed, click the General tab to configure the following parameters	
	• In the <b>Profile Name</b> field, enter or edit the name of the profile.	
	• In the <b>SSID</b> field, enter or edit the SSID name.	
	The SSID name can be alphanumeric, and up to 32 characters in length.	
	• In the WLAN ID field, enter or edit the ID number. The valid range is between 1 and 512.	
	• From the Radio Policy drop-down list, choose the 802.11 radio band.	

- Using the Broadcast SSID toggle button, change the status to either Enabled or Disabled .
- Using the Status toggle button, change the status to either Enabled or Disabled .

#### **Step 4** Click the **Security** tab, and then **Layer 2** tab to configre the following parameters:

- From the Layer 2 Security Mode drop-down list, choose None. This setting disables Layer 2 security.
- Enter the **Reassociation Timeout** value, in seconds. This is the time after which a fast transition reassociation times out.
- Check the Over the DS check box to enable Fast Transition over a distributed system.
- Choose OWE, Opportunistic Wireless Encryption (OWE) provides data confidentiality with encryption over the air between an AP radio and a wireless client. OWE Transition Mode is meant to provide a sort of backwards compatibility.
- Choose Fast Transition, 802.11r which is the IEEE standard for fast roaming, introduces a new concept of roaming where the initial handshake with a new AP is done even before the corresponding client roams to the target access point. This concept is called Fast Transition.
- Check the check box to enable MAC filtering in the WLAN.

Step 5 Click Save & Apply to Device.

## **Configuring WLAN (CLI)**



**Note** You need to enable MAC filtering for Layer 2 authentication to download the redirect URL and ACL.

After completing the WLAN configuration, if the changes are not pushed to all the APs, the following syslog message appears:

2021/01/06 16:20:00.597927186 {wncd\_x\_R0-4}{1}: [wlanmgr-db] [20583]: UUID: 0, ra: 0, TID: 0 (note): Unable to push WLAN config changes to all APs, cleanup required for WlanId: 2, profile: wlan1 state: Delete pending

If the above mentioned syslog message appears for more than six minutes, reload the controller.

If the controller does not reload and still the syslog message appears, then collect the archive logs, wncd core file, and raise a case by clicking the following link: Support Case Manager.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	wlan wlan-name wlan-id SSID-name	Enters the WLAN configuration sub-mode.
	Example:	wlan-name is the name of the configured
	ngwcSSID	WLAN.
		<b>wlan-id</b> is the wireless LAN identifier. The range is 1 to 512.
		<b>SSID-name</b> is the SSID name which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.

	Command or Action	Purpos	e
		Note	If you have already configured this command, enter <b>wlan</b> <b>wlan-name</b> command.
Step 2	mac-filtering [name]	Enables	s MAC filtering on a WLAN.
	<pre>Example: Device(config-wlan)# mac-filtering name</pre>	Note	While configuring mac-filtering the default authentication list is considered, if the authentication list is not configured earlier.
Step 3	no security wpa	Disable	e WPA security.
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa		
Step 4	no shutdown	Enables	s the WLAN.
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown		
Step 5	end	Returns	s to privileged EXEC mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-wlan)# end		

#### Example

```
Device# config terminal
Device(config)# wlan wlanProfileName 1 ngwcSSID
Device(config-wlan)# mac-filtering default
Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa
Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown
Device(config-wlan)# end
```

# **Configuring Policy Profile (CLI)**



**Note** You need a AAA override to apply policies coming from the AAA or ISE servers. When a redirect URL and redirect ACL is received from the ISE server, NAC is used to trigger the Central Web Authentication (CWA).

Both NAC and AAA override must be available in the policy profile to which the client is being associated.

The default policy profile is associated to an AP, if the AP is not associated to any other policy profiles.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	wireless profile policy default-policy-profile	Sets the policy profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy   default-policy-profile</pre>	
Step 2	vlan vlan-id	Maps the VLAN to a policy profile. If vlan-id
	Example:	is not specified, the default native vlan 1 is applied. The valid range for vlan-id is 1 to 4096.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# vlan 41	Management VLAN is applied if no VLAN is configured on the policy profile.
Step 3	aaa-override	Configures AAA override to apply policies
	Example:	coming from the AAA or ISE servers.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# aaa-override	
Step 4	nac	Configures Network Access Control in the
	Example:	policy profile. NAC is used to trigger the Central Web Authentication (CWA).
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# nac</pre>	Central web Authentication (CWA).
Step 5	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# no shutdown	
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# end	

## Procedure

## Example

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless profile policy default-policy-profile
Device(config-wireless-policy)# vlan 41
Device(config-wireless-policy)# aaa-override
Device(config-wireless-policy)# nac
Device(config-wireless-policy)# no shutdown
Device(config-wireless-policy)# end
```

## **Configuring a Policy Profile (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Policy.		
Step 2	On the <b>Policy Profile</b> page, click <b>Add</b> .		
Step 3	In the <b>Add Policy Profile</b> window, in General Tab, enter a name and description for the policy profile.		
Step 4	To enable the policy profile, set <b>Status</b> as Enabled.		
Step 5	Use the slider to enable or disable Passive Client and Encrypted Traffic Analytics.		
Step 6	(Optional) In the CTS Policy section, choose the appropriate status for the following:		
	• Inline Tagging—a transport mechanism using which a embedded wireless controller or access point understands the source SGT.		
	SGACL Enforcement		
Step 7	Specify a default <b>SGT</b> . The valid range is from 2 to 65519.		
Step 8	In the WLAN Switching Policy section, choose the following, as required:		
	Central Switching		
	Central Authentication		
	Central DHCP		
	Central Association Enable		
	• Flex NAT/PAT		
Step 9	Click Save & Apply to Device.		

# **Creating Redirect ACL**

The redirect ACL is a punt ACL that needs to be predefined on the controller (or the AP in case of FlexConnect local switching): the AAA server returns the name of the ACL and not its definition. The redirect ACL defines traffic (matching "deny"statements, as it denies redirection for it) that will be allowed through on the data plane and traffic (matching "permit" statements) that will be sent to the control plane towards the CPU for further processing (that is, the web interception and redirection in this case). The ACL has implicit (that is, the invisible) statements allowing DHCP and DNS traffic towards all IPs, just like it is the case with LWA. It also ends with a statement that a security ACL implicit deny.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	ip access-list extended redirect	The HTTP and HTTPS browsing does not work
	Example:	without authentication (per the other ACL) as

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	<pre>Device(config)# ip access-list extended   redirect</pre>	ISE is configured to use a redirect ACL (named <b>redirect</b> ).	
Step 2	<pre>deny ip any host ISE-IP-add Example: Device(config)# deny ip any host 123.123.134.112</pre>	Allows traffic to ISE and all other traffic is blocked.	
Step 3	deny ip host ISE-IP-add any Example: Device(config)# deny ip host 123.123.134.112 any	Allows traffic to ISE and all other traffic is blocked. <b>Note</b> This ACL is applicable for both local and flex mode.	
Step 4	<pre>permit TCP any any eq web address/port-number Example: In case of HTTP: Device(config) # permit TCP any any eq www Device(config) # permit TCP any any eq 80 Example: In case of HTTPS: Device(config) # permit TCP any any eq 443</pre>	Redirects all HTTP or HTTPS access to the ISE login page. port-number 80 is used for HTTP and port-number 443 is used for HTTPS. For the ACE to allow traffic to ISE, ISE should be configured above the HTTP/HTTPS ACE.	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# end		

# **Configuring AAA for Central Web Authentication**

## Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	aaa server radius dynamic-author	Configures the Change of Authorization (CoA)	
	Example:	on the embedded wireless controller.	
	Device(config)# aaa server radius dynamic-author		
Step 2	client ISE-IP-add server-key radius-shared-secret	Specifies a RADIUS client and the RADIUS key to be shared between a device and a	
	Example:	RADIUS client.	

Command or Action	Purpose	
 Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# client 123.123.134.112 server-key 0 SECRET	client.	<b>add</b> is the IP address of the RADIUS <b>ey</b> is the radius client server-key.
	radius-s	hared-secret covers the following:
	• 0—	Specifies unencrypted key.
	• 6—	Specifies encrypted key.
	• 7—	Specifies HIDDEN key.
	• Workey.	rd—Unencrypted (cleartext) server
		DIUS shared secret should not exceed acters while configuring WSMA data
	Note	All these steps work only if the AAA configuration is in place. See the <i>Configuring AAA Authentication</i> for details.

#### Example

```
Device# config terminal
Device(config)# aaa server radius dynamic-author
Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# client 123.123.134.112 server-key 0 SECRET
Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# end
```

## **Configuring Redirect ACL in Flex Profile (GUI)**

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Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Flex.	
Step 2	On the <b>Flex Profile</b> page, click the name of the FlexConnect profile or click <b>Add</b> to create a new FlexConnect profile.	
Step 3	In the Add/Edit Flex Profile window that is displayed, click the Policy ACL tab.	
Step 4	Click Add to map an ACL to the FlexConnect profile.	
Step 5	Choose the ACL name, enable central web authentication, and specify the preauthentication URL filter.	
Step 6	Click Save.	

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## Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	wireless profile flex default-flex-profile	Creates a new flex policy. The default flex profile name is <b>default-flex-profile</b>	
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile flex default-flex-profile</pre>		
Step 2	acl-policy acl policy name	Configures ACL policy.	
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-flex-profile)# acl-policy acl1</pre>		
Step 3	central-webauth	Configures central web authentication.	
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-flex-profile-acl)#     central-webauth</pre>		
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-flex-profile-acl)#   end</pre>		

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### **Configuring Authentication for Sleeping Clients (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>Web Auth</b> .
Step 2	In the <b>Webauth Parameter Map</b> tab, click the parameter map name. The <b>Edit WebAuth Parameter</b> window is displayed.
Step 3	Select Sleeping Client Status check box.
Step 4	Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring Authentication for Sleeping Clients (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	[no] parameter-map type webauth {parameter-map-name   global}	Creates a parameter map and enters parameter-map webauth configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth global		
Step 2	sleeping-client [timeout time]	Configures the sleeping client timeout to 100	
	Example:	minutes. Valid range is between 10 minutes and 43200 minutes.	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# sleeping-client timeout 100	<b>Note</b> If you do not use the timeout keyword, the sleeping client is configured with the default timeout value of 720 minutes.	
Step 3	end	Exits parameter-map webauth configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
Step 4	(Optional) show wireless client sleeping-client	Shows the MAC address of the clients and the	
	Example:	time remaining in their respective sessions.	
	Device# show wireless client sleeping-client		
Step 5	(Optional) clear wireless client sleeping-client		
	[mac-address mac-addr]	<b>sleeping-client</b> —Deletes all sleeping client entries from the sleeping client cache.	
	Example:		
	Device# clear wireless client sleeping-client	• clear wireless client sleeping-client mac-address mac-addr—Deletes the	
	mac-address 00el.ele1.0001	specific MAC entry from the sleeping	
		client cache.	



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# **Utilities for Configuring Security**

This chapter describes how to configure all the RADIUS server side configuration using the following command:

#### wireless-default radius server ip key secret

This simplified configuration option provides the following:

- Configures AAA authorization for network services, authentication for web auth and Dot1x.
- Enables local authentication with default authorization.
- Configures the default redirect ACL for CWA.
- Creates global parameter map with virtual IP and enables captive bypass portal.
- Configures all the AAA configuration for a default case while configuring the RADIUS server.
- The method-list configuration is assumed by default on the WLAN.
- Enables the radius accounting by default.
- Disables the radius aggressive failovers by default.
- Sets the radius request timeouts to 5 seconds by default.
- Enables captive bypass portal.

This command configures the following in the background:

```
aaa new-model
aaa authentication webauth default group radius
aaa authentication dotlx default group radius
aaa authorization network default group radius
aaa accounting identity default start-stop group radius
!
aaa server radius dynamic-author
```

```
client <IP> server-key cisco123
T.
radius server RAD SRV DEF <IP>
description Configured by wireless-default
address ipv4 <IP> auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813
key <key>
T.
aaa local authentication default authorization default
aaa session-id common
1
ip access-list extended CISCO-CWA-URL-REDIRECT-ACL-DEFAULT
remark " CWA ACL to be referenced from ISE "
deny udp any any eq domain
deny tcp any any eq domain
deny udp any eq bootps any
deny udp any any eq bootpc
deny udp any eq bootpc any
deny ip any host <IP>
permit tcp any any eq www
parameter-map type webauth global
 captive-bypass-portal
  virtual-ip ipv4 192.0.2.1
 virtual-ip ipv6 1001::1
I
wireless profile policy default-policy-profile
   aaa-override
   local-http-profiling
   local-dhcp-profiling
   accounting
```

Thus, you need not go through the entire Configuration Guide to configure wireless embedded wireless controller for a simple configuration requirement.

### **Configuring Multiple Radius Servers**

Use the following procedure to configure a RADIUS server.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless-default radius server ip key secret	Configures a radius server.
	Example:	Note You can configure up to ten
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless-default radius   server 9.2.58.90 key ciscol23</pre>	RADIUS servers.
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device (config) # <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

### Verifying AAA and Radius Server Configurations

To view details of AAA server, use the following command:

```
Device# show run aaa
1
aaa new-model
aaa authentication webauth default group radius
aaa authentication dot1x default group radius
aaa authorization network default group radius
aaa accounting Identity default start-stop group radius
1
aaa server radius dynamic-author
client 9.2.58.90 server-key cisco123
!
radius server RAD SRV DEF 9.2.58.90
description Configured by wireless-default
 address ipv4 9.2.58.90 auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813
kev cisco123
1
aaa local authentication default authorization default
aaa session-id common
ip access-list extended CISCO-CWA-URL-REDIRECT-ACL-DEFAULT
remark " CWA ACL to be referenced from ISE "
deny udp any any eq domain
deny tcp any any eq domain
deny udp any eq bootps any
deny udp any any eq bootpc
deny udp any eq bootpc any
deny ip any host 9.2.58.90
permit tcp any any eq www
parameter-map type webauth global
 captive-bypass-portal
  virtual-ip ipv4 192.0.2.1
 virtual-ip ipv6 1001::1
1
wireless profile policy default-policy-profile
   aaa-override
   local-http-profiling
   local-dhcp-profiling
   accounting
```

### 

Note

The show run aaa output may change when new commands are added to this utility.

# Configuring Captive Portal Bypassing for Local and Central Web Authentication

### Information About Captive Bypassing

WISPr is a draft protocol that enables users to roam between different wireless service providers. Some devices (For example, Apple iOS devices) have a mechanism using which they can determine if the device is connected

to Internet, based on an HTTP WISPr request made to a designated URL. This mechanism is used for the device to automatically open a web browser when a direct connection to the internet is not possible. This enables the user to provide his credentials to access the internet. The actual authentication is done in the background every time the device connects to a new SSID.

The client device (Apple iOS device) sends a WISPr request to the embedded wireless controller, which checks for the user agent details and then triggers an HTTP request with a web authentication interception in the embedded wireless controller. After verification of the iOS version and the browser details provided by the user agent, the embedded wireless controller allows the client to bypass the captive portal settings and provides access to the Internet.

This HTTP request triggers a web authentication interception in the embedded wireless controller as any other page requests are performed by a wireless client. This interception leads to a web authentication process, which will be completed normally. If the web authentication is being used with any of the embedded wireless controller splash page features (URL provided by a configured RADIUS server), the splash page may never be displayed because the WISPr requests are made at very short intervals, and as soon as one of the queries is able to reach the designated server, any web redirection or splash page display process that is performed in the background is cancelled, and the device processes the page request, thus breaking the splash page functionality.

For example, Apple introduced an iOS feature to facilitate network access when captive portals are present. This feature detects the presence of a captive portal by sending a web request on connecting to a wireless network. This request is directed to http://www.apple.com/library/test/success.html for Apple iOS version 6 and older, and to several possible target URLs for Apple iOS version 7 and later. If a response is received, then the Internet access is assumed to be available and no further interaction is required. If no response is received, then the Internet access is assumed to be blocked by the captive portal and Apple's Captive Network Assistant (CNA) auto-launches the pseudo-browser to request portal login in a controlled window. The CNA may break when redirecting to an ISE captive portal. The embedded wireless controller prevents this pseudo-browser from popping up.

You can now configure the embedded wireless controller to bypass WISPr detection process, so the web authentication interception is only done when a user requests a web page leading to splash page load in user context, without the WISPr detection being performed in the background.

### Configuring Captive Bypassing for WLAN in LWA and CWA (GUI)

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>Web Auth</b> .
Step 2	In the <b>Webauth Parameter Map</b> tab, click the parameter map name. The <b>Edit WebAuth Parameter</b> window is displayed.
Step 3	Select Captive Bypass Portal check box.
Step 4	Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring Captive Bypassing for WLAN in LWA and CWA (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth	Creates the parameter map.
	parameter-map-name	The <i>parameter-map-name</i> must not exceed 99
	Example:	characters.
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth WLAN1_MAP	
Step 3	captive-bypass-portal	Configures captive bypassing.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# captive-bypass-portal	
Step 4	wlan profile-name wlan-id ssid-name	Specifies the WLAN name and ID.
	Example:	• <i>profile-name</i> is the WLAN name which
	Device(config) # wlan WLAN1_NAME 4	can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.
	WLAN1_NAME	• <i>wlan-id</i> is the wireless LAN identifier. The valid range is from 1 to 512.
		• <i>ssid-name</i> is the SSID which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.
Step 5	security web-auth	Enables the web authentication for the WLAN
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth</pre>	
Step 6	security web-auth parameter-map	Maps the parameter map.
	parameter-map-name	<b>Note</b> If parameter map is not associated
	Example:	with a WLAN, the configuration is
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth parameter-map WLAN1_MAP	considered from the global parameter map.
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exi
	Device(config-wlan)# end	global configuration mode.

# Sending DHCP Options 55 and 77 to ISE

### Information about DHCP Option 55 and 77

The DHCP sensors use the following DHCP options on the ISE for native and remote profiling:

- Option 12: Hostname
- Option 6: Class Identifier

Along with this, the following options needs to be sent to the ISE for profiling:

- Option 55: Parameter Request List
- Option 77: User Class

### Configuration to Send DHCP Options 55 and 77 to ISE (GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Policy.
Step 2	On the Policy Profile page, click Add to view the Add Policy Profile window.
Step 3	Click <b>Access Policies</b> tab, choose the <b>RADIUS Profiling</b> and <b>DHCP TLV Caching</b> check boxes to configure radius profiling and DHCP TLV Caching on a WLAN.
Step 4	Click Save & Apply to Device.

### Configuration to Send DHCP Options 55 and 77 to ISE (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy profile-policy	Configures WLAN policy profile and enters the wireless policy configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy   rr-xyz-policy-1</pre>	
Step 3	dhcp-tlv-caching	Configures DHCP TLV caching on a WLAN.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# dhcp-tlv-caching	
Step 4	radius-profiling	Configures client radius profiling on a WLAN.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# radius-profiling</pre>	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example: Device(config-wireless-policy)# end	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

### **Configuring EAP Request Timeout (GUI)**

Follow the steps given below to configure the EAP Request Timeout through the GUI:

Step 1	Choose	Configuration > Security > Advanced EAP.
Step 2		<b>CAP-Identity-Request Timeout</b> field, specify the amount of time (in seconds) in which the device s to send an EAP identity request to wireless clients using local EAP.
Step 3		<b>CAP-Identity-Request Max Retries</b> field, specify the maximum number of times that the device s to retransmit the EAP identity request to wireless clients using local EAP.
Step 4	connect	<b>P Max-Login Ignore Identity Response</b> to <b>Enabled</b> state to limit the number of clients that can be ted to the device with the same username. You can log in up to eight times from different clients (PDA, IP phone, and so on) on the same device. The default state is <b>Disabled</b> .
Step 5	In the <b>EAP-Request Timeout</b> field, specify the amount of time (in seconds) in which the device attempts to send an EAP request to wireless clients using local EAP.	
Step 6	In the <b>EAP-Request Max Retries</b> field, specify the maximum number of times that the device attempts to retransmit the EAP request to wireless clients using local EAP.	
Step 7	In the <b>EAPOL-Key Timeout</b> field, specify the amount of time (in seconds) in which the device attempts to send an EAP key over the LAN to wireless clients using local EAP.	
Step 8		<b>CAPOL-Key Max Retries</b> field, specify the maximum number of times that the device attempts to EAP key over the LAN to wireless clients using local EAP.
Step 9	<b>ep 9</b> In the <b>EAP-Broadcast Key Interval</b> field, specify the time interval between rotations of the broat encryption key used for clients and click <b>Apply</b> .	
	Note	After configuring the EAP-Broadcast key interval to a new time period, you must shut down or restart the WLAN for the changes to take effect. Once the WLAN is shut down or restarted, the M5 and M6 packets are exchanged when the configured timer value expires.

### **Configuring EAP Request Timeout**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps client-exclusion dot1x-timeout	Enables exclusion on timeout and no response.
	Example:	By default, this feature is enabled.
	Device(config)# wireless wps client-exclusion dot1x-timeout	To disable, append a <b>no</b> at the beginning of the command.
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config)# end	global configuration mode.

### **Configuring EAP Request Timeout in Wireless Security (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless security dot1x request {retries 0 - 20   timeout 1 - 120}	Configures the EAP request retransmission timeout value in seconds.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless security dot1x request timeout 60	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press Ctrl-Z to exit global configuration mode.
	Device(config) # end	giotal configuration mode.

# **Captive Portal**

### **Captive Portal Configuration**

This feature enables you to configure multiple web authentication URLs (including external captive URLs) for the same SSID based on an AP. The default setting is to use the Global URL for authentication. The override option is available at WLAN and AP level.

The order of precedence is:

- AP
- WLAN
- · Global configuration

### **Restrictions for Captive Portal Configuration**

- This configuration is supported in a standalone controller only.
- Export-Anchor configuration is not supported.

### **Configuring Captive Portal (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	Click Add.
Step 3	In the General tab, enter the Profile Name, the SSID, and the WLAN ID.
Step 4	In the Security > Layer2 tab, uncheck the WPA Policy, AES and 802.1x check boxes.
Step 5	In the <b>Security</b> > <b>Layer3</b> tab, choose the parameter map from the <b>Web Auth Parameter Map</b> drop-down list and authentication list from the <b>Authentication List</b> drop-down list.
Step 6	In the Security >AAA tab, choose the Authentication list from the Authentication List drop-down list.
Step 7	Click Apply to Device.
Step 8	Choose Configuration > Security > Web Auth.
Step 9	Choose a Web Auth Parameter Map.
Step 10	In the General tab, enter the Maximum HTTP connections, Init-State Timeout(secs) and choose webauth from the Type drop-down list.
Step 11	In the Advanced tab, under the Redirect to external server settings, enter the Redirect for log-in server.
Step 12	Click Update & Apply.

# **Configuring Captive Portal**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	<pre>configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal</pre>	Enters global configuration mode.
Step 2	<pre>wlan {profile-name   shutdown} network-name Example: Device(config)# wlan edc6 6 edc</pre>	Configures the WLAN profile. Enables or Disables all WLANs and creates the WLAN identifier. The profile-name and the SSID network name should be up to 32 alphanumeric charcters.
Step 3	<pre>ip {access-group   verify} web IPv4-ACL-Name Example: Device(config-wlan)# ip access-group web CPWebauth</pre>	Configures the WLAN web ACL. <b>Note</b> WLAN needs to be disabled before performing this operation.
Step 4	no security wpa Example: Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa	Disables WPA security.
Step 5	<pre>no security wpa akm dot1x Example: Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x</pre>	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
Step 6	no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes Example: Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables WPA2 ciphers for AES.
Step 7	<pre>security web-auth { authentication-list authentication-list-name   authorization-list authorization-list-name   on-macfilter-failure   parameter-map parameter-map-name} Example: Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth authentication-list cp-webauth Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth parameter-map parMap6</pre>	<ul> <li>authentication-list authentication-list-name: Sets the authentication list for IEEE 802.1x.</li> <li>authorization-list authorization-list-name: Sets the</li> </ul>

	Command or Action	Purpose
		• parameter-map
		<i>parameter-map-name</i> : Configures the parameter map.
		Note When security web-auth is enabled, you get to map the default authentication-list and global parameter-map. This is applicable for authentication-list and parameter-map that are not explicitly mentioned.
Step 8	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	
Step 9	exit	Exits from the WLAN configuration.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# exit</pre>	
Step 10	parameter-map type webauth parameter-map-name	Creates a parameter map and enters parameter-map webauth configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth parMap6	
Step 11	parameter-map type webauth parameter-map-name	Creates a parameter map and enters parameter-map webauth configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth parMap6	
Step 12	type webauth	Configures the webauth type parameter.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map)# type webauth</pre>	
Step 13	<pre>timeout init-state sec <timeout-seconds></timeout-seconds></pre>	Configures the WEBAUTH timeout in
	Example:	seconds. Valid range for the time in sec parameter is 60 seconds to 3932100 seconds.
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map)# timeout inti-state sec 3600</pre>	r
Step 14	redirect for-login <url-string></url-string>	Configures the URL string for redirect during
	Example:	login.
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# redirect for-login https://172.16.100.157/portal/login.html	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 15	exit	Exits the parameters configuration.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map)# exit</pre>	
Step 16	wireless tag policy policy-tag-name	Configures policy tag and enters policy tag
	Example:	configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless tag policy policy_tag_edc6</pre>	
Step 17	<b>wlan</b> wlan-profile-name <b>policy</b> policy-profile-name	Attaches a policy profile to a WLAN profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-policy-tag)# wlan edc6 policy policy_profile_flex</pre>	
Step 18	end	Saves the configuration and exits configuration
	Example:	mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode
	<pre>Device(config-policy-tag)# end</pre>	

### **Captive Portal Configuration - Example**

The following example shows how you can have APs at different locations, broadcasting the same SSID but redirecting clients to different redirect portals:

Configuring multiple parameter maps pointing to different redirect portal:

```
parameter-map type webauth parMap1
type webauth
timeout init-state sec 21600
redirect for-login
https://172.16.12.3:8080/portal/PortalSetup.action?portal=cfdbce00-2ce2-11e8-b83c-005056a06b27
redirect portal ipv4 172.16.12.3
!
!
parameter-map type webauth parMap11
type webauth
timeout init-state sec 21600
redirect for-login
https://172.16.12.4:8443/portal/PortalSetup.action?portal=094e7270-3808-11e8-9797-02421e4cae0c
redirect portal ipv4 172.16.12.4
!
```

Associating these parameter maps to different WLANs:

```
wlan edc1 1 edc
ip access-group web CPWebauth
no security wpa
no security wpa akm dot1x
no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes
security web-auth
security web-auth authentication-list cp-webauth
security web-auth parameter-map parMap11
```

```
no shutdown
wlan edc2 2 edc
ip access-group web CPWebauth
no security wpa
no security wpa akm dot1x
no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes
security web-auth
security web-auth authentication-list cp-webauth
security web-auth parameter-map parMap1
no shutdown
```

### Note All WLANs have identical SSIDs.

#### Associating WLANs to different policy tags:

```
wireless tag policy policy_tag_edc1
wlan edc1 policy policy_profile_flex
wireless tag policy policy_tag_edc2
wlan edc2 policy policy_profile_flex
```

#### Assigning these policy tags to the desired APs:

```
ap E4AA.5D13.14DC
policy-tag policy_tag_edc1
site-tag site_tag_flex
ap E4AA.5D2C.3CAC
policy-tag policy_tag_edc2
site-tag site_tag_flex
```



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# Information About Authentication and Authorization Between **Multiple RADIUS Servers**

Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points uses the approach of request and response transaction with a single RADIUS server that combines both authentication and authorization. You can split the authentication and authorization on the controller between multiple RADIUS servers.

A RADIUS sever can assume the role of either an authentication server, authorization server, or both. In cases where there are disparate RADIUS servers for authentication and authorization, the Session Aware Networking (SANet) component on the embedded wireless controller now allows authentication on one server and authorization on another when a client joins the embedded wireless controller.

Authentication can be done using the Cisco ISE, Cisco DNAC, Free RADIUS, or any third-party RADIUS Server. After successful authentication from an authentication server, the embedded wireless controller relays attributes received from the authentication server to another RADIUS sever designated as authorization server.

The authorization server then performs the following:

- Processes received attributes with the other policies or rules defined on the server.
- Derives attributes as part of the authorization response and returns it to the embedded wireless controller.



In a split authentication and authorization configuration, both servers must be available and must successfully authenticate and authorize with an ACCESS-ACCEPT for a session to be accepted by the embedded wireless controller.

# **Configuring 802.1X Security for WLAN with Split Authentication and Authorization Servers**

### **Configuring Explicit Authentication and Authorization Server List (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>AAA</b> .	
Step 2	On the Authentication Authorization and Accounting page, click the Servers/Groups tab.	
Step 3	Click the type of AAA server you want to configure from the following options:	
	• RADIUS • TACACS+ • LDAP	
	In this procedure, the RADIUS server configuration is described.	
Step 4	With the <b>RADIUS</b> option selected, click <b>Add</b> .	
Step 5	Enter a name for the RADIUS server and the IPv4 or IPV6 address of the server.	
Step 6	Enter the authentication and encryption key to be used between the device and the key string RADIUS daemon running on the RADIUS server. You can choose to use either a PAC key or a non-PAC key.	
Step 7	Enter the server timeout value; valid range is 1 to 1000 seconds.	
Step 8	Enter a retry count; valid range is 0 to 100.	
Step 9	Leave the Support for CoA field in Enabled state.	
Step 10	Click Save & Apply to Device.	
Step 11	On the Authentication Authorization and Accounting page, with RADIUS option selected, click the Server Groups tab.	
Step 12	Click Add.	
Step 13	In the <b>Create AAA RADIUS Server Group</b> window that is displayed, enter a name for the RADIUS server group.	
Step 14	From the <b>MAC-Delimiter</b> drop-down list, choose the delimiter to be used in the MAC addresses that are sent to the RADIUS servers.	
Step 15	From the MAC Filtering drop-down list, choose a value based on which to filter MAC addresses.	
Step 16	To configure dead time for the server group and direct AAA traffic to alternative groups of servers that have different operational characteristics, in the <b>Dead-Time</b> field, enter the amount of time, in minutes, after which a server is assumed to be dead.	

Step 17Choose the servers that you want to include in the server group from the Available Servers list and move<br/>them to the Assigned Servers list.Step 18Click Save & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring Explicit Authentication Server List (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > AAA > Servers/Groups.	
Step 2	Choose <b>RADIUS</b> > <b>Servers</b> tab.	
Step 3	Click Add to add a new server or click an existing server.	
Step 4	Enter the Name, the Server Address, Key, Confirm Key, Auth Port and Acct Port. Check the PAC Key checkbox and enter the PAC key and Confirm PAC Key	
Step 5	Click Apply to Device.	
Step 6	Choose <b>RADIUS</b> > Server Groups and click Add to add a new server group or click an existing server group.	
Step 7	Enter the <b>Name</b> of the server group and choose the servers that you want to include in the server group, from the <b>Available Servers</b> list and move them to the <b>Assigned Servers</b> list.	
Step 8	Click Apply to Device.	

### **Configuring Explicit Authentication Server List (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# radius server free-radius-authc-server	
Step 4	address ipv4 address auth-port auth_port_number acct-port acct_port_number	Specifies the RADIUS server parameters
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-radius-server)# address ipv4 9.2.62.56 auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813	
Step 5	<pre>[pac] key key Example: Device(config-radius-server)# key cisco</pre>	Specify the authentication and encryption key used between the Device and the key string RADIUS daemon running on the RADIUS server.
Step 6	<pre>exit Example: Device(config-radius-server)# exit</pre>	Returns to the configuration mode.
Step 7	aaa group server radius server-group Example: Device(config)# aaa group server radius authc-server-group	Creates a radius server-group identification.
Step 8	<pre>server name server-name Example: Device(config)# server name free-radius-authc-server</pre>	Configures the server name.
Step 9	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode. For more information, see <b>Configuring AAA</b> <b>for External Authentication</b> .

# **Configuring Explicit Authorization Server List (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration &gt; Security &gt; AAA &gt; Servers/Groups</b> .
Step 2	Choose <b>RADIUS</b> > <b>Servers</b> tab.
Step 3	Click Add to add a new server or click an existing server.
Step 4	Enter the Name, the Server Address, Key, Confirm Key, Auth Port and Acct Port. Check the PAC Key checkbox and enter the PAC key and Confirm PAC Key
Step 5	Click Apply to Device.
Step 6	Choose <b>RADIUS</b> > Server Groups and click Add to add a new server group or click an existing server group.
Step 7	Enter the <b>Name</b> of the server group and choose the servers that you want to include in the server group, from the <b>Available Servers</b> list and move them to the <b>Assigned Servers</b> list.
Step 8	Click Apply to Device.

# Configuring Explicit Authorization Server List (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# radius server cisco-dnac-authz-server	
Step 4	address ipv4 address auth-port auth_port_number acct-port acct_port_number	Specifies the RADIUS server parameters.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-radius-server)# address ipv4 9.4.62.32 auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813</pre>	
Step 5	[pac] key key	Specify the authorization and encryption key
	Example:	used between the Device and the key string RADIUS daemon running on the RADIUS
	Device(config-radius-server)# <b>pac key</b> cisco	server.
Step 6	exit	Returns to the configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-radius-server) # exit</pre>	
Step 7	aaa group server radius server-group	Creates a radius server-group identification.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# aaa group server radius    authz-server-group</pre>	
Step 8	server name server-name	
	Example:	
	Device(config)# server name cisco-dnac-authz-server	
Step 9	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exi global configuration mode.
	Device(config)# end	

### **Configuring Authentication and Authorization List for 802.1X Security (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	Click Add.
Step 3	In the General tab, enter the Profile Name, the SSID, and the WLAN ID.
Step 4	In the <b>Security</b> > <b>AAA</b> tab, choose the Authentication list from the <b>Authentication List</b> drop-down list.
Step 5	Click Apply to Device.

### **Configuring Authentication and Authorization List for 802.1X Security**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	wlan wlan-name wlan-id SSID-name	Enters WLAN configuration sub-mode.
	Example:	• <i>wlan-name</i> : Is the name of the configured
	Device(config)# wlan wlan-foo 222 foo-ssid	WLAN.
		• <i>wlan-id</i> : Is the wireless LAN identifier. Range is from 1 to 512.
		• <i>SSID-name</i> : Is the SSID name which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.
		<b>Note</b> If you have already configured this command, enter <b>wlan</b> <i>wlan-name</i> command.
Step 4	security dot1x authentication-list authenticate-list-name	Enables authentication list for dot1x security.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security dot1x authentication-list authc-server-group	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	<pre>security dot1x authorization-list authorize-list-name Example: Device(config-wlan)# security dot1x authorization-list authz-server-group</pre>	Specifies authorization list for dot1x security. For more information on the <b>Cisco Digital</b> <b>Network Architecture Center (DNAC)</b> , see the <b>DNAC documentation</b> .
Step 6	<pre>end Example: Device(config-wlan)# end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# Configuring Web Authentication for WLAN with Split Authentication and Authorization Servers

# **Configuring Authentication and Authorization List for Web Authentication** (GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.	
Step 2	Click Add.	
Step 3	In the General tab, enter the Profile Name, the SSID, and the WLAN ID.	
Step 4	In the Security > Layer2 tab, uncheck the WPAPolicy, AES and 802.1x check boxes.	
Step 5	Check the <b>MAC Filtering</b> check box to enable the feature. With MAC Filtering enabled, choose the Authorization list from the <b>Authorization List</b> drop-down list.	
Step 6	In the <b>Security</b> > <b>AAA</b> tab, choose the Authentication list from the <b>Authentication List</b> drop-down list.	
Step 7	Click Apply to Device.	

### **Configuring Authentication and Authorization List for Web Authentication**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	wlan wlan-name wlan-id SSID-name	Enters WLAN configuration sub-mode.
	Example: Device(config)# wlan wlan-bar 1 bar-ssid	• <i>wlan-name</i> : Is the name of the configured WLAN.
		• wlan-id: Is the wireless LAN identifier.
		• <i>SSID-name</i> : Is the SSID name which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.
		<b>Note</b> If you have already configured this command, enter <b>wlan</b> <i>wlan-name</i> command.
Step 4	no security wpa	Disables WPA security.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa	
Step 5	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x	
Step 6	no security wpa wpa2	Disables WPA2 security.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2	
Step 7	authenticate-list-name   authorization-list	Enables authentication or authorization list for dot1x security.
	authorize-list-name} Example:	<b>Note</b> You get to view the following error, if you do not disable WPA security,
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth</pre>	AKM for dot1x, and WPA2 security:
	authentication-list authc-server-group	% switch-1:dbm:wireless:web-auth cannot be enabled. Invalid WPA/WPA2 settings.
Step 8	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press Ctrl-Z to exit
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

# **Verifying Split Authentication and Authorization Configuration**

To view the WLAN details, use the following command:

```
Device# show run wlan
wlan wlan-foo 2 foo-ssid
security dot1x authentication-list authc-server-group
security dot1x authorization-list authz-server-group
```

wlan wlan-bar 3 bar-ssid security web-auth authentication-list authc-server-group security web-auth authorization-list authz-server-group

To view the AAA authentication and server details, use the following command:

```
Device# show run aaa
1
aaa authentication dot1x default group radius
username cisco privilege 15 password 0 cisco
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radius server free-radius-authc-server
address ipv4 9.2.62.56 auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813
key cisco
1
radius server cisco-dnac-authz-server
 address ipv4 9.4.62.32 auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813
pac key cisco
!
1
aaa new-model
aaa session-id common
1
```

To view the authentication and authorization list for 802.1X security, use the following command:

```
Device# show wlan name wlan-foo | sec 802.1x
802.1x authentication list name : authc-server-group
802.1x authorization list name : authz-server-group
802.1x : Enabled
```

To view the authentication and authorization list for web authentication, use the following command:

```
Device# show wlan name wlan-bar | sec Webauth
Webauth On-mac-filter Failure : Disabled
Webauth Authentication List Name : authc-server-group
Webauth Authorization List Name : authz-server-group
Webauth Parameter Map : Disabled
```

# **Configuration Examples**

Configuring Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points for Authentication with a Third-Party RADIUS Server: Example

This example shows how to configure Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points for authentication with a third-party RADIUS server:

```
Device(config)# radius server free-radius-authc-server
Device(config-radius-server)# address ipv4 9.2.62.56 auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813
```

Security

Device(config-radius-server) # key cisco
Device(config-radius-server) # exit
Device(config) # aaa group server radius authc-server-group
Device(config) # server name free-radius-authc-server
Device(config) # end

# Configuring Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points for Authorization with Cisco ISE or DNAC: Example

This example shows how to configure Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points for authorization with Cisco ISE or DNAC:

Device(config)# radius server cisco-dnac-authz-server Device (config-radius-server)# address ipv4 9.4.62.32 auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813 Device (config-radius-server)# pac key cisco Device (config-radius-server)# exit Device(config)# aaa group server radius authz-server-group Device(config)# server name cisco-dnac-authz-server Device(config)# end



# **Secure LDAP**

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# Information About SLDAP

#### **Transport Layer Security (TLS)**

The Transport Layer Security (TLS) is an application-level protocol that enables secure transactions of data through privacy, authentication, and data integrity. TLS relies upon certificates, public keys, and private keys to prove the identity of clients.

The certificates are issued by the Certificate Authorities (CAs).

Each certificate includes the following:

- The name of the authority that issued it.
- The name of the entity to which the certificate was issued.
- The public key of the entity.
- The timestamps of the entity that indicate the expiration date of the certificate.

You can find the TLS support for LDAP in the RFC2830 which is an extension to the LDAP protocol.

#### **LDAP Operations**

Bind

The bind operation is used to authenticate a user to the server. It is used to start a connection with the LDAP server. LDAP is a connection-oriented protocol. The client specifies the protocol version and authentication information.

LDAP supports the following binds:

- Authenticated bind—An authenticated bind is performed when a root Distinguished Name (DN) and password are available.
- Anonymous bind—In the absence of a root DN and password, an anonymous bind is performed.

In LDAP deployments, the search operation is performed first and the bind operation later. This is because, if a password attribute is returned as part of the search operation, the password verification can be done locally on an LDAP client. Thus, there is no need to perform an extra bind operation. If a password attribute is not returned, the bind operation can be performed later. Another advantage of performing a search operation first and a bind operation later is that the DN received in the search result can be used as the user DN instead of forming a DN by prefixing the username (cn attribute) with the base DN. All entries stored in an LDAP server have a unique DN.

The DN consists of two parts:

- Relative Distinguished Name (RDN)
- Location in the LDAP server where the record resides.

Most of the entries that you store in an LDAP server will have a name, and the name is frequently stored in the Common Name (cn) attribute. Because every object has a name, most objects you store in an LDAP will use their cn value as the basis for their RDN.

#### Search

A search operation is used to search the LDAP server. The client specifies the starting point (base DN) of the search, the search scope (either the object, its children, or the subtree rooted at the object), and a search filter.

For authorization requests, the search operation is directly performed without a bind operation. The LDAP server can be configured with certain privileges for the search operation to succeed. This privilege level is established with the bind operation.

An LDAP search operation can return multiple user entries for a specific user. In such cases, the LDAP client returns an appropriate error code to AAA. To avoid these errors, you must configure appropriate search filters to match a single entry.

#### Compare

The compare operation is used to replace a bind request with a compare request for an authentication. The compare operation helps to maintain the initial bind parameters for the connection.

#### LDAP Dynamic Attribute Mapping

The Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) is a powerful and flexible protocol for communication with AAA servers. LDAP attribute maps provide a method to cross-reference the attributes retrieved from a server to Cisco attributes supported by the security appliances.

When a user authenticates a security appliance, the security appliance, in turn, authenticates the server and uses the LDAP protocol to retrieve the record for that user. The record consists of LDAP attributes associated with fields displayed on the user interface of the server. Each attribute retrieved includes a value that was entered by the administrator who updates the user records.

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# **Prerequisite for Configuring SLDAP**

If you are using a secure Transport Layer Security (TLS) secure connection, you must configure the X.509 certificates.

# **Restrictions for Configuring SLDAP**

- LDAP referrals are not supported.
- Unsolicited messages or notifications from the LDAP server are not handled.
- LDAP authentication is not supported for interactive (terminal) sessions.

# **Configuring SLDAP**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	ldap server name	Defines a Lightweight Directory Access
	Example:	Protocol (LDAP) server and enters LDAP server
	Device(config)# ldap server server1	configuration mode.
Step 4	ipv4 ipv4-address	Specifies the LDAP server IP address using
	Example:	IPv4.
	Device(config-ldap-server)# <b>ipv4</b> 9.4.109.20	
Step 5	timeout retransmit seconds	Specifies the number of seconds the embedded
	Example:	wireless controller waits for a reply to an LDAI request before retransmitting the request.
	Device(config-ldap-server)# timeout retransmit 20	
Step 6	<b>bind authenticate root-dn password</b> [0 <i>string</i>   7 <i>string</i> ] <i>string</i>	Specifies a shared secret text string used between the embedded wireless controller and
	Example:	an LDAP server.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-ldap-server)# bind authenticate root-dn CN=ldapipv6user,CN=Users,DC=ca,DC=ssh2,DC=com password Cisco12345	Use the <b>0</b> line option to configure an unencrypted shared secret. Use the <b>7</b> line option to configure an encrypted shared secret.
Step 7	<pre>base-dn string Example: Device(config-ldap-server)# base-dn CN=Users,DC=ca,DC=ssh2,DC=com</pre>	Specifies the base Distinguished Name (DN) of the search.
Step 8	<pre>mode secure [no- negotiation] Example: Device(config-ldap-server)# mode secure no- negotiation</pre>	Configures LDAP to initiate the TLS connection and specifies the secure mode.
Step 9	<pre>end Example: Device(config-ldap-server)# end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

### Configuring an AAA Server Group (GUI)

Configuring a device to use AAA server groups helps you to group existing server hosts, select a subset of the configured server hosts and use them for a particular service. A server group is used with a global server-host list. The server group lists the IP addresses of the selected server hosts.

You can create the following server groups:

#### Procedure

### Step 1 RADIUS

- a) Choose Services > Security > AAA > Server Groups > RADIUS.
- b) Click the Add button. The Create AAA Radius Server Group dialog box appears.
- c) Enter a name for the RADIUS server group in the Name field.
- d) Choose a desired delimiter from the **MAC-Delimiter** drop-down list. The available options are colon, hyphen, and single-hyphen.
- e) Choose a desired filter from the MAC-Filtering drop-down list. The available options are mac and Key.
- f) Enter a value in the **Dead-Time (mins)** field to make a server non-operational. You must specify a value between 1 and 1440.
- g) Choose any of the available servers from the Available Servers list and move them to the Assigned Servers list by clicking the > button.
- h) Click the Save & Apply to Device button.

#### Step 2 TACACS+

a) Choose Services > Security > AAA > Server Groups > TACACS+.

- b) Click the Add button. The Create AAA Tacacs Server Group dialog box appears.
- c) Enter a name for the TACACS server group in the Name field.
- d) Choose any of the available servers from the **Available Servers** list and move them to the **Assigned Servers** list by clicking the > button.
- e) Click the Save & Apply to Device button.

#### Step 3 LDAP

- a) Choose Services > Security > AAA > Server Groups > LDAP.
- b) Click the Add button. The Create AAA Ldap Server Group dialog box appears.
- c) Enter a name for the LDAP server group in the Name field.
- d) Choose any of the available servers from the Available Servers list and move them to the Assigned Servers list by clicking the > button.
- e) Click the Save & Apply to Device button.

### **Configuring a AAA Server Group**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	aaa new-model	Enables AAA.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>aaa new-model</b>	
Step 4	aaa group server ldap group-name	Defines the AAA server group with a group
	Example:	name and enters LDAP server group configuration mode.
	Device(config)# aaa group server ldap	
	name1	All members of a group must be of the same type, that is, RADIUS, LDAP, or TACACS+.
Step 5	server name	Associates a particular LDAP server with the
	Example:	defined server group.
	Device(config-ldap-sg)# server server1	Each security server is identified by its IP address and UDP port number.
Step 6	exit	Exits LDAP server group configuration mode
	Example:	

 Command or Action	Purpose
Device(config-ldap-sg)# <b>exit</b>	

# **Configuring Search and Bind Operations for an Authentication Request**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	aaa new-model	Enables AAA.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa new-model	
Step 4	Idap server name	Defines a Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) server and enters LDAP server configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 1dap server server1	
Step 5	authentication bind-first	Configures the sequence of search and bind
	Example:	operations for an authentication request.
	Device(config-ldap-server)# authentication bind-first	
Step 6	authentication compare	Replaces the bind request with the compare request for authentication.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ldap-server)# authentication compare	
Step 7	exit	Exits LDAP server group configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ldap-server)# exit	

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# **Configuring a Dynamic Attribute Map on an SLDAP Server**

You must create LDAP attribute maps that map your existing user-defined attribute names and values to Cisco attribute names and values that are compatible with the security appliance. You can then bind these attribute maps to LDAP servers or remove them as required.



**Note** To use the attribute mapping features correctly, you need to understand the Cisco LDAP and user-defined attribute names and values.

Command or Action	Purpose
enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
Device# enable	
configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Example:	
Device# configure terminal	
Idap attribute-map map-name	Configures a dynamic LDAP attribute map and
Example:	enters attribute-map configuration mode.
Device(config) # ldap attribute-map map1	
map type ldap-attr-type aaa-attr-type	Defines an attribute map.
Example:	
Device(config-attr-map)# map type department supplicant-group	
exit	Exits attribute-map configuration mode.
Example:	
Device(config-attr-map)# <b>exit</b>	
	enable         Example:         Device# enable         configure terminal         Example:         Device# configure terminal         Idap attribute-map map-name         Example:         Device (config)# ldap attribute-map map1         map type ldap-attr-type aaa-attr-type         Example:         Device (config-attr-map)# map type         department supplicant-group         exit         Example:

#### Procedure

### **Verifying the SLDAP Configuration**

To view details about the default LDAP attribute mapping, use the following command:

Device# show ldap attributes

To view the LDAP server state information and various other counters for the server, use the following command:

Device# show ldap server



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# Information About RADIUS DTLS

The Remote Authentication Dial-In User Service (RADIUS) is a client or server protocol that provides centralized security for users attempting to gain management access to a network. The RADIUS protocol is a widely deployed authentication and authorization protocol that delivers a complete Authentication, Authorization, and Accounting (AAA) solution.

### **RADIUS DTLS Port**

The RADIUS port (DTLS server) is used for authentication and accounting. The default DTLS server port is 2083.

You can change the RADIUS DTLS port number using **dtls port** *port\_number*. For more information, see the Configuring RADIUS DTLS Port Numbersection.

### **Shared Secret**

You can use radius/dtls as the shared secret, if you have enabled DTLS for a specific server.

#### **Handling PAC for CTS Communication**

You can download PAC from ISE for CTS communication. Once the PAC is downloaded, you need to encrypt all the CTS attributes with the PAC key instead of the shared secret.

The ISE then decrypts these attributes using PAC.

#### Session Management

The RADIUS client purely depends on the response from the DTLS server. If the session is ideal for ideal timeout, then the session must be closed.

In case of invalid responses, the sessions must be deleted.

If you need to send the radius packets over DTLS, the DTLS session needs to be re-established with the specific server.

#### Load Balancing

Multiple DTLS servers and load balancing methods are configured.

You need to select the AAA server to which the request needs to be sent. Then use the DTLS context of the specific server to encrypt the RADIUS packet and send it back.

#### **Connection Timeout**

After the encrypted RADIUS packet is sent, you need to start the retransmission timer. If you do not get a response before the retransmission timer expires, the packet is re-encrypted and re-transmitted.

You can continue for number of times as per the **dtls retries** configuration or till the default value. Once the number of tries exceeds the limit, the server becomes unavailable and responses are sent back to the AAA clients.



**Note** The default connection timeout is 5 seconds.

#### **Connection Retries**

As the RADIUS DTLS is UDP based, you need to retry the connection after a specific timeout interval for a specific number of retries.

After all retries are exhausted, the DTLS connection performs the following:

- Is marked as unsuccessful.
- Looks up for the next available server for processing the RADIUS requests.



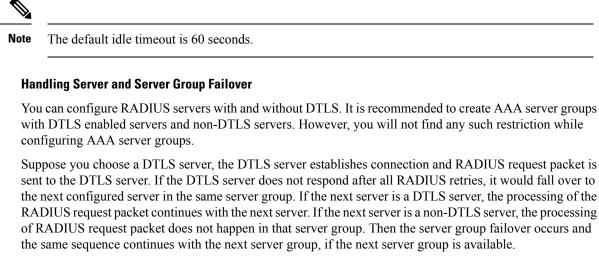
**Note** The default connection retries is 5.

#### Idle Timeout

When the idle timer expires and no transactions exists since the last idle timeout, the DTLS session remains closed.

After you establish the DTLS session, you can start the idle timer. If you start the idle timer for 30 seconds and one of the RADIUS DTLS packet is sent, then after 30 seconds, the idle timer expires and checks for number of RADIUS DTLS transactions.

If the idle timer value exceeds zero, the idle timer resets the transaction counter and restarts the timer.





Note You need to use either only DTLS or non-DTLS servers in a server group.

## **Prerequisites**

#### Support for IOS and BINOS AAA

The AAA server runs in IOS and BINOS platforms. Once you complete the RADIUS DTLS support in IOS, the same needs to be ported to BINOS.

# **Configuring RADIUS DTLS Server**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# radius server R1	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	dtls	Configures DTLS parameters.
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-radius-server)# dtls	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
-	<pre>Example: Device(config-radius-server)# end</pre>	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# **Configuring RADIUS DTLS Connection Timeout**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# radius server R1	
Step 4	dtls connectiontimeout timeout	Configures RADIUS DTLS connection timeout.
	Example:	Here,
	Device(config-radius-server)# dtls connectiontimeout 1	<i>timeout</i> refers to the DTLS connection timeout value. The valid range is from 1 to 65535.
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config-radius-server)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

# **Configuring RADIUS DTLS Idle Timeout**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# radius server R1	
Step 4	dtls idletimeout idle_timeout	Configures RADIUS DTLS idle timeout.
	Example:	Here,
	Device(config-radius-server)# dtls idletimeout 2	<i>idle_timeout</i> refers to the DTLS idle timeout value. The valid range is from 1 to 65535.
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config-radius-server)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

# **Configuring Source Interface for RADIUS DTLS Server**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# radius server R1	
Step 4	dtls ip {radius source-interface         Ethernet-Internal interface_number	Configures source interface for RADIUS DTLS server.
	Example:	Here,
	Device(config-radius-server)# dtls ip radius source-interface Ethernet-Internal 0	• <i>interface_number</i> refers to the Ethernet-Internal interface number. The default value is 0.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	end Example: Device(config-radius-server)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# **Configuring RADIUS DTLS Port Number**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # radius server R1	
Step 4	dtls port port_number	Configures RADIUS DTLS port number.
	Example:	Here,
	Device(config-radius-server)# dtls port 2	<i>port_number</i> refers to the DTLS port number.
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config-radius-server)# end	global configuration mode.

# **Configuring RADIUS DTLS Connection Retries**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# radius server R1	
Step 4	dtls retries retry_number	Configures RADIUS connection retries.
	Example:	Here,
	Device(config-radius-server)# dtls retries 3	<i>retry_number</i> refers to the DTLS connection retries. The valid range is from 1 to 65535.
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config-radius-server)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

# **Configuring RADIUS DTLS Trustpoint**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	radius server server-name	Specifies the RADIUS server name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# radius server R1	
Step 4	dtls trustpoint {client LINE dtls   server LINE dtls}	Configures trustpoint for client and server.
	Example:	
	Device(config-radius-server)# dtls trustpoint client client1 dtls	
	Device(config-radius-server)# <b>dtls</b> trustpoint server server1 dtls	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config-radius-server)# end	global configuration mode.

# **Configuring DTLS Dynamic Author**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	aaa server radius dynamic-author	Configures local server profile for RFC 3576
	Example:	support.
	Device(config)# aaa server radius dynamic-author	
Step 4	dtls	Configures DTLS source parameters.
	Example:	
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# dtls	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

# **Enabling DTLS for Client**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	aaa server radius dynamic-author	Configures local server profile for RFC 3576
	Example:	support.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config)# aaa server radius dynamic-author	
Step 4	client <i>IP_addr</i> dtls	Enables DTLS for the client.
	Example:	
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# client 10.104.49.14 dtls	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# <b>end</b>	giotal configuration mode.

# **Configuring Client Trustpoint for DTLS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	aaa server radius dynamic-author	Configures local server profile for RFC 3576
	Example:	support.
	Device(config)# aaa server radius dynamic-author	
Step 4	<pre>client IP_addr dtls {client-tp client-tp-name   server-tp server-tp-name}</pre>	Configures client trustpoint for DTLS.
	Example:	
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# client	
	10.104.49.14 dtls client-tp client_tp_name	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to ex global configuration mode.
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# <b>end</b>	

# **Configuring DTLS Idle Timeout**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	aaa server radius dynamic-author	Configures local server profile for RFC 3576
	Example:	support.
	Device(config)# aaa server radius dynamic-author	
Step 4	client <i>IP_addr</i> dtls idletimeout	Configures DTLS idle time.
	<pre>timeout-interval {client-tp client_tp_name   server-tp server_tp_name}</pre>	Here,
	Example:	<i>timeout-interval</i> refers to the idle timeout interval. The valid range is from 60 to 600.
	Device (config-locsvr-da-radius) # client	
	10.104.49.14 dtls idletimeout 62 client-tp dtls_ise	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exglobal configuration mode.
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# <b>end</b>	

### **Configuring Server Trustpoint for DTLS**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enters privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device# enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	aaa server radius dynamic-author	Configures local server profile for RFC 3576
	Example:	support.
	Device(config)# aaa server radius dynamic-author	
Step 4	<pre>client IP_addr dtls server-tp server_tp_name</pre>	Configures server trust point.
	Example:	
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# client 10.104.49.14 dtls server-tp dtls_client	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# end	global configuration mode.

# **Verifying the RADIUS DTLS Server Configuration**

To view information about the DTLS enabled servers, use the following command:

```
Device# show aaa servers
DTLS: Packet count since last idletimeout 1,
Send handshake count 3,
Handshake Success 1,
Total Packets Transmitted 1,
Total Packets Received 1,
Total Connection Resets 2,
Connection Reset due to idle timeout 0,
Connection Reset due to No Response 2,
Connection Reset due to Malformed packet 0,
```

# **Clearing RADIUS DTLS Specific Statistics**

To clear the radius DTLS specific statistics, use the following command:

Device# clear aaa counters servers radius {<server-id> | all}



Note

Here, *server-id* refers to the server ID displayed by **show aaa servers**. The valid range is from 0 to 2147483647.



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# **MAC** Authentication Bypass

You can configure the embedded wireless controller to authorize clients based on the client MAC address by using the MAC authentication bypass (MAB) feature.

When MAB is enabled, the embedded wireless controller uses the MAC address as the client identity. The authentication server has a database of client MAC addresses that are allowed network access. After detecting a client, the embedded wireless controller waits for a packet from the client. The embedded wireless controller sends the authentication server a RADIUS-access/request frame with a username and password based on the MAC address. If authorization succeeds, the embedded wireless controller grants the client access to the network. If authorization fails, the embedded wireless controller assigns the port to the guest WLAN, if one is configured.

Clients that were authorized with MAC authentication bypass can be re-authenticated. The re-authentication process is the same as that for clients that were authenticated. During re-authentication, the port remains in the previously assigned WLAN. If re-authentication is successful, the embedded wireless controller keeps the port in the same WLAN. If re-authentication fails, the embedded wireless controller assigns the port to the guest WLAN, if one is configured.

#### **MAB** Configuration Guidelines

- MAB configuration guidelines are the same as the 802.1x authentication guidelines.
- When MAB is disabled from a port after the port has been authorized with its MAC address, the port state is not affected.

- If the port is in the unauthorized state and the client MAC address is not in the authentication-server database, the port remains in the unauthorized state. However, if the client MAC address is added to the database, the switch can use MAC authentication bypass to re-authorize the port.
- If the port is in the authorized state, the port remains in this state until re-authorization occurs.
- You can configure a timeout period for hosts that are connected by MAB but are inactive. The valid range is from 1 to 65535, in seconds.



Note

If wlan-profile-name is configured for a user, guest user authentication is allowed only from that WLAN.

If wlan-profile-name is not configured for a user, guest user authentication is allowed on any WLAN.

If you want the client to connect to SSID1, but not to SSID2 using mac-filtering, ensure that you configure **aaa-override** in the policy profile.

In the following example, when a client with MAC address 1122.3344.0001 tries to connect to a WLAN, the request is sent to the local RADIUS server, which checks the presence of the client MAC address in its attribute list (FILTER\_1 and FILTER\_2). If the client MAC address is listed in an attribute list (FILTER\_1), the client is allowed to join the WLAN (WLAN\_1) that is returned as *ssid attribute* from the RADIUS server. The client is rejected, if the client MAC address is not listed in the attribute list.

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!Configures an attribute list as FILTER 2 aaa attribute list FILTER 2 !Defines an attribute type that is to be added to an attribute list. attribute type ssid "WLAN 2" !Username with the MAC address is added to the filter username 1122.3344.0002 mac aaa attribute list FILTER 2 ! aaa attribute list FILTER 1 attribute type ssid "WLAN 1" username 1122.3344.0001 mac aaa attribute list FILTER\_1 **Controller Configuration** ! Sets authorization to the local radius server aaa authorization network MLIST MACFILTER local !A WLAN with the SSID WLAN 2 is created and MAC filtering is set along with security parameters. wlan WLAN 2 2 WLAN 2 mac-filtering MLIST MACFILTER no security wpa

```
no security wpa wpa2 ciphers
!WLAN with the SSID WLAN_1 is created and MAC filtering is set along with security parameters.
wlan WLAN_1 1 WLAN_1
mac-filtering MLIST_MACFILTER
no security wpa
no security wpa akm 2 ciphers aes
no security wpa akm dot1x
security web-auth
security web-auth authentication-list WEBAUTH
```

```
! Policy profile to be associated with the above WLANs
```

```
wireless profile policy MAC_FILTER_POLICY
aaa-override
vlan 504
no shutdown
```

# **Configuring 802.11 Security for WLAN (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	Click <b>Add</b> to create WLANs.

The Add WLAN page is displayed.

- **Step 3** In the **Security** tab, you can configure the following:
  - Layer2
  - Layer3
  - AAA

**Step 4** In the Layer2 tab, you can configure the following:

- a) Choose the Layer2 Security Mode from the following options:
  - None—No Layer 2 security.
  - WPA + WPA2—Wi-Fi Protected Access.
  - Static WEP—Static WEP encryption parameters.
- b) Enable MAC Filtering if required. MAC Filtering is also known as MAC Authentication Bypass (MAB).
- c) In the **Protected Management Frame** section, choose the **PMF** as *Disabled*, *Optional*, or *Required*. By default, the PMF is disabled.
- d) In the **WPA Parameters** section, choose the following options, if required:
  - WPA Policy
  - WPA2 Policy
  - WPA2 Encryption
- e) Choose an option for Auth Key Mgmt.
- f) Choose the appropriate status for **Fast Transition** between APs.
- g) Check the Over the DS check box to enable Fast Transition over a distributed system.
- h) Enter the **Reassociation Timeout** value, in seconds. This is the time after which a fast transition reassociation times out.
- i) Click Save & Apply to Device.

#### **Step 5** In the Layer3 tab, you can configure the following:

- a) Check the Web Policy check box to use the web policy.
- b) Choose the required Webauth Parameter Map value from the drop-down list.

- c) Choose the required Authentication List value from the drop down list.
- d) In the Show Advanced Settings section, check the On Mac Filter Failure check box.
- e) Enable the Conditional Web Redirect and Splash Web Redirect.
- f) Choose the appropriate IPv4 and IPv6 ACLs from the drop-down lists.
- g) Click Save & Apply to Device.

Step 6

- In the **AAA** tab, you can configure the following:
  - a) Choose an authentication list from the drop-down.
  - b) Check the Local EAP Authentication check box to enable local EAP authentication on the WLAN. Also, choose the required EAP Profile Name from the drop-down list.
  - c) Click Save & Apply to Device.

# Configuring 802.11 Security for WLAN (CLI)

Follow the procedure below to configure 802.11 security for WLAN:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	wlan profile-name wlan-id ssid	Configures the WLAN profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wlan ha-wlan-dot1x-test 3 ha-wlan-dot1x-test	
Step 2	security dot1x authentication-list auth-list-name	Enables security authentication list for dot1x security.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security dot1x authentication-list default	
Step 3	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	

# **Configuring AAA for External Authentication**

Follow the procedure given below to configure AAA for external authentication.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	radius server server-name	Sets the radius server.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config)# radius server ISE	
Step 2	address {ipv4   ipv6} radius-server-ip-address auth-port auth-port-no acct-port acct-port-no	Specifies the radius server address.
	<pre>Example: Device(config-radius-server)# address</pre>	
	ipv4 9.2.58.90 auth-port 1812 acct-port 1813	
Step 3	key key	Sets the per-server encryption key.
	Example:	
	Device(config-radius-server)# key any123	
Step 4	exit	Returns to the configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-locsvr-da-radius)# exit</pre>	
Step 5	aaa local authentication default authorization default	Selects the default local authentication and authorization.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa local authentication default authorization default	
Step 6	aaa new-model	Creates a AAA authentication model. Enable
	Example:	new access control commands and functions.
	Device(config)# aaa new-model	
Step 7	aaa session-id common	Creates common session ID.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa session-id common	
Step 8	aaa authentication dot1x default group radius	Configures authentication for the default dot13 method.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authentication dot1x default group radius	
Step 9	aaa authorization network default group radius	Configures authorization for network services
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authorization network default group radius	
Step 10	dot1x system-auth-control	Enables SysAuthControl.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# dot1x system-auth-control	

# **Configuring AAA for Local Authentication (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
On the Wireless Networks page, click Add.
In the Add WLAN window that is displayed, select Security $> AAA$ .
Select a value from the Authentication List drop-down.
Check the Local EAP Authentication check box to enable local EAP authentication on the WLAN.
Select a value from the EAP Profile Name drop-down.
Click Save & Apply to Device.

# **Configuring AAA for Local Authentication (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure AAA for local authentication.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	aaa authentication dot1x default local	Configures to use the default local RADIUS server.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authentication dot1x default local	
Step 2	aaa authorization network default local	Configures authorization for network services
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authorization network default local	
Step 3	aaa authorization credential-download default local	Configures default database to download credentials from local server.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authorization credential-download default local	
Step 4	username mac-address mac	For MAC filtering using username, use the
	Example:	<b>username</b> <i>abcdabcdabcd</i> <b>mac</b> command.
	Device(config)# username abcdabcdabcd mac	
Step 5	aaa local authentication default authorization default	Configures the local authentication method list.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa local authentication default authorization default	
Step 6	<pre>aaa new-model Example: Device(config)# aaa new-model</pre>	Creates a AAA authentication model. Enable new access control commands and functions.
Step 7	aaa session-id common	Creates common session ID.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa session-id common	

# **Configuring MAB for Local Authentication**

Follow the procedure given below to configure MAB for local authentication.

#### Before you begin

Configure AAA local authentication.

Configure the username for WLAN configuration (local authentication) using **username** *mac-address* **mac** command.



Note The mac-address must be in the following format: *abcdabcdabcd* 

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	wlan profile-name wlan-id	Specifies the WLAN name and ID.
	Example:	
	wlan CR1_SSID_mab-local-default 1 CR1_SSID_mab-local-default	
Step 2	mac-filtering default	Sets MAC filtering support for the WLAN.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# mac-filtering default</pre>	
Step 3	no security wpa	Disables WPA secuirty.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x	
Step 5	no security wpa wpa2	Disables WPA2 security.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2	
Step 6	no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables WPA2 ciphers for AES.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	
Step 7	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	

# **Configuring MAB for External Authentication (GUI)**

#### Before you begin

Configure AAA external authentication.

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless > WLANs.
Step 2	On the Wireless Networks page, click the name of the WLAN.
Step 3	In the Edit WLAN window, click the Security tab.
Step 4	In the Layer2 tab, check the MAC Filtering check box to enable the feature.
Step 5	With MAC Filtering enabled, choose the Authorization List from the drop-down list.
Step 6	Save the configuration.

# **Configuring MAB for External Authentication (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure MAB for external authentication.

#### Before you begin

Configure AAA external authentication.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	wlan wlan-name wlan-id ssid-name	Specifies the WLAN name and ID.
	Example:	
	wlan CR1_SSID_mab-ext-radius 3 CR1_SSID_mab-ext-radius	
Step 2	mac-filtering list-name	Sets the MAC filtering parameters. Here,
	Example:	<i>ewlc-radius</i> is an example for the <i>list-name</i>
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# mac-filtering ewlc-radius</pre>	
Step 3	no security wpa	Disables WPA secuirty.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa	
Step 4	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
·	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x	
Step 5	no security wpa wpa2	Disables WPA2 security.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2	
Step 6	mab request format attribute {1 groupsize	Optional. Configures the delimiter while using
	size separator separator [lowercase   uppercase]   2 {0   7   LINE} LINE password   32 vlan access-vlan}	MAC filtering in a WLAN.
		Here,
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config)# mab request format attribute 1 groupsize 4 separator	1- Specifies the username format used for MAB requests.
		<b>groupsize</b> <i>size</i> - Specifies the number of hex digits per group. The valid values range from 1 to 12.
		<b>separator</b> <i>separator</i> - Specifies how to separate groups. The separators are comma, semicolon, and full stop.
		<b>lowercase</b> - Specifies the username in lowercase format.
		<b>uppercase-</b> Specifies the username in uppercase format.
		<b>2-</b> Specifies the global password used for all the MAB requests.
		0- Specifies the unencrypted password.

	Command or Action	Purpose
		7- Specifies the hidden password.
		<b>LINE-</b> Specifies the encrypted or unencrypted password.
		password- LINE password.
		<b>32</b> - Specifies the NAS-Identifier attribute.
		vlan- Specifies a VLAN.
		<b>access-vlan-</b> Specifies the configured access VLAN.
Step 7	no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables WPA2 ciphers for AES.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	
Step 8	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	



# **Dynamic Frequency Selection**

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# Information About Dynamic Frequency Selection

Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) is the process of detecting radar signals and automatically setting the frequency on a DFS-enabled 5.0-GHz (802.11a/h) radio to avoid interference with the radar signals. Radios configured for use in a regulatory domain must not interfere with radar systems.

In normal DFS, when a radar signal is detected on any of the channels in the 40-MHz or 80-MHz bandwidth, the whole channel is blocked. With Flex DFS, if the radar signals are not detected on the secondary channel, the AP is moved to a secondary channel with a reduction in the bandwidth, usually, by half.

# **Configuring Dynamic Frequency Selection (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless > Mesh > Profiles
Step 2	Choose a profile.
Step 3	In General tab, check the Full sector DFS status check box
Step 4	Click Update & Apply to Device.

# **Configuring Dynamic Frequency Selection**

Follow the procedure given below to configure DFS:

#### Before you begin

- The corresponding AP must be on one of the DFS channels.
- Shut down the radio before applying the configuration changes.

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	no ap dot11 5ghz dtpc	Disables the 802.11a Dynamic Transmit Power
	Example:	Control (DTPC) setting.
	Device(config)# no ap dot11 5ghz dtpc	
Step 3	ap dot11 5ghz channelswitch mode mode-num	Configures the 802.11h channel switch mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz channelswitch mode 1	
Step 4	ap dot11 5ghz power-constraint value	Configures the 802.11h power-constraint value.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap dot11 5ghz power-constraint 12	
Step 5	ap dot11 5ghz smart-dfs	Configures nonoccupancy time for the radar
	Example:	interference channel.
	Device(config)# ap dotl1 5ghz smart-dfs	

# **Verifying DFS**

Use the following commands to verify the DFS configuration:

To display the 802.11h configuration, use the following command:

```
Device# show wireless dot11h
```

To display the auto-rF information for 802.11h configuration, use the following command:

Device# show ap auto-rf dot11 5ghz

To display the auto-rF information for a Cisco AP, use the following command: Device# show ap name ap1 auto-rf dot11 5gh



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# **Rogue Detection**

### **Rogue Devices**

Rogue access points can disrupt wireless LAN operations by hijacking legitimate clients and using plain-text or other denial-of-service or man-in-the-middle attacks. That is, a hacker can use a rogue access point to capture sensitive information, such as usernames and passwords. The hacker can then transmit a series of Clear to Send (CTS) frames. This action mimics an access point, informing a particular client to transmit, and instructing all the other clients to wait, which results in legitimate clients being unable to access network resources. Wireless LAN service providers have a strong interest in banning rogue access points from the air space.

Because rogue access points are inexpensive and readily available, employees sometimes plug unauthorized rogue access points into existing LANs and build ad hoc wireless networks without their IT department's knowledge or consent. These rogue access points can be a serious breach of network security because they can be plugged into a network port behind the corporate firewall. Because employees generally do not enable any security settings on the rogue access point, it is easy for unauthorized users to use the access point to intercept network traffic and hijack client sessions. There is an increased chance of enterprise security breach when wireless users connect to access points in the enterprise network.

The following are some guidelines to manage rogue devices:

• The access points are designed to serve associated clients. These access points spend relatively less time performing off-channel scanning: about 50 milliseconds on each channel. If you want to detect a large number of rogue APs and clients with high sensitivity, a monitor mode access point must be used. Alternatively, you can reduce the scan intervals from 180 seconds to a lesser value, for example, 120 or 60 seconds, ensuring that the radio goes off-channel more frequently, which improves the chances of rogue detection. However, the access point continues to spend about 50 milliseconds on each channel.

- Rogue detection is disabled by default for OfficeExtend access points because these access points, which are deployed in a home environment, are likely to detect many rogue devices.
- Client card implementation might mitigate the effectiveness of containment. This normally happens when a client might quickly reconnect to the network after receiving a "de-association/de-authentication" frame, so it might still be able to pass some traffic. However, the browsing experience of the rogue client would be badly affected when it is contained.
- It is possible to classify and report rogue access points by using rogue states and user-defined classification rules that enable rogues to automatically move between states.
- Each controller limits the number of rogue containments to three and six per radio for access points in the monitor mode.
- When manual containment is performed using configuration, the rogue entry is retained even after the rogue entry expires.
- When a rogue entry expires, the managed access points are instructed to stop any active containment on it.
- When Validate Rogue Clients Against AAA is enabled, the controller requests the AAA server for rogue client validation only once. As a result, if rogue client validation fails on the first attempt then the rogue client will not be detected as a threat any more. To avoid this, add the valid client entries in the authentication server before enabling Validate Rogue Clients Against AAA.

#### **Restrictions on Rogue Detection**

Rogue containment is not supported on DFS channels.

A rogue access point is moved to a contained state either automatically or manually. The controller selects the best available access point for containment and pushes the information to the access point. The access point stores the list of containments per radio. For auto containment, you can configure the controller to use only the monitor mode access point. The containment operation occurs in the following two ways:

- The container access point goes through the list of containments periodically and sends unicast containment frames. For rogue access point containment, the frames are sent only if a rogue client is associated.
- Whenever a contained rogue activity is detected, containment frames are transmitted.

Individual rogue containment involves sending a sequence of unicast disassociation and deauthentication frames.

#### **AP Impersonation Detection**

The various methods to detect AP impersonation are:

- AP impersonation can be detected if a managed AP reports itself as Rogue. This method is always enabled and no configuration is required.
- AP impersonation detection is based on MFP.

Infrastructure MFP protects 802.11 session management functions by adding message integrity check (MIC) information elements, to the management frames sent by APs (and not those sent by clients), which are then validated by other APs in the network. If infrastructure MFP is enabled, the managed APs check if the MIC

information elements are present and if MIC information elements are as expected. If either of these conditions is not fulfilled, the managed AP sends rogue AP reports with updated AP authentication failure counter.

### **Configuring Rogue Detection (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > AP Join.
Step 2	Click the AP Join Profile Name to edit the AP join profile properties.
Step 3	In the Edit AP Join Profile window, click the Rogue AP tab.
Step 4	Check the <b>Rogue Detection</b> check box to enable rogue detection.
Step 5	In the Rogue Detection Minimum RSSI field, enter the RSSI value.
Step 6	In the Rogue Detection Transient Interval field, enter the interval in seconds.
Step 7	In the Rogue Detection Report Interval field, enter the report interval value in seconds.
Step 8	In the Rogue Detection Client Number Threshold field, enter the threshold for rogue client detection.
Step 9	Check the Auto Containment on FlexConnect Standalone check box to enable auto containment.
Step 10	Click Update & Apply to Device.

# **Configuring Rogue Detection (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
<b>min-transient-time</b> time <b>Example:</b> Device (config) # ap pro Device (config) # rogue	ap profile <i>profile-name</i> rogue detection min-transient-time <i>time in seconds</i>	Specify the time interval at which rogues have to be consistently scanned for by APs after the
	Example:	first time the rogues are scanned.
	Device(config)# ap profile profile1	Valid range for the time in sec parameter is 120
	Device(config)# rogue detection min-transient-time 120	seconds to 1800 seconds, and the default values is 0.

	Command or Action	Purpose
		Note This feature is applicable to all AP modes.
		Using the transient interval values, you can control the time interval at which APs should scan for rogues. APs can also filter the rogues based on their transient interval values.
		This feature has thefollowing advantages:
		Rogue reports from APs to the controller are shorter
		• Transient rogue entries are avoided in the controller
		Unnecessary memory allocation fortransient rogues are avoided
Step 3	ap profile <i>profile-name</i> rogue detection containment {auto-rate   flex-rate}	Specifies the rogue containment options. The <b>auto-rate</b> option enables auto-rate for
	Example:	containment of rogues. The <b>flex-rate</b> option enables rogue containment of standalone
	Device(config)# ap profile profile1	flexconnect APs.
	<pre>Device(config)# rogue detection containment flex-rate</pre>	
Step 4	ap profile profile-name rogue detection enable	Enables rogue detection on all APs.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>ap profile profile1</b>	
Step 5	ap profile profile-name rogue detection report-interval time in seconds	Configures rogue report interval for monitor mode Cisco APs.
	Example:	The valid range for reporting the interval in
	Device(config)# <b>ap profile profile1</b>	seconds is 10 seconds to 300 seconds.
	Device(config)# rogue detection report-interval 120	

## **Configuring RSSI Deviation Notification Threshold for Rogue APs (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	wireless wps rogue ap notify-rssi-deviation	Configures RSSI deviation notification	
	Example:	threshold for Rogue APs.	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap notify-rssi-deviation</pre>		
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example: Device(config)# end	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	

# **Configuring Management Frame Protection (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Wireless Protection Policies.
Step 2	In the <b>Rogue Policy</b> tab, under the <b>MFP Configuration</b> section, check the <b>Global MFP State</b> check box and the <b>AP Impersonation Detection</b> check box to enable the global MFP state and the AP impersonation detection, respectively.
Step 3	In the MFP Key Refresh Interval field, specify the refresh interval in hours.
Step 4	Click Apply.

# **Configuring Management Frame Protection (CLI)**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps mfp	Configures a management frame protection.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless wps mfp	
Step 3	wireless wps mfp {ap-impersonation   key-refresh-interval}	Configures ap impersonation detection (or) MFP key refresh interval in hours.
	Example:	key-refresh-interval-Refers to the MFP key
	Device(config)# wireless wps mfp ap-impersonation	refresh interval in hours. The valid range is from 1 to 24. Default value is 24.

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless wps mfp key-refresh-interval</pre>		
Step 4	end	Saves the configuration and exits configuration mode and returns to privileged <b>EXEC</b> mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# end		

### **Verifying Management Frame Protection**

To verify if the Management Frame Protection (MFP) feature is enabled or not, use the following command:

```
Device# show wireless wps summary
Client Exclusion Policy
 Excessive 802.11-association failures : unknown
 Excessive 802.11-authentication failures: unknown
 Excessive 802.1x-authentication
                                       : unknown
                                        : unknown
 TP-theft
 Excessive Web authentication failure
                                        : unknown
 Failed Qos Policy
                                        : unknown
Management Frame Protection
 Global Infrastructure MFP state : Enabled
 AP Impersonation detection : Disabled
 Key refresh interval
                                : 15
```

To view the MFP details, use the following command:

```
Device# show wireless wps mfp summary
Management Frame Protection
Global Infrastructure MFP state : Enabled
AP Impersonation detection : Disabled
Key refresh interval : 15
```

### **Verifying Rogue Events**

To verify the rogue event history, run the show wireless wps rogue ap detailed command:

Device# show wireless wps rogue ap detailed d8b1.901c.3cfd

```
Rogue Event history
```

Timestamp RC	#Times	Class/State	Event	Ctx
 05/01/2020 08:37:03.556 0x0	45 41616	Mal/CPend	FSM_GOTO	ContPending(NotContYet)
05/01/2020 08:37:03.554 0x0	27 28163	Mal/CPend	EXPIRE_TIMER_START	1200s
05/01/2020 08:37:03.553 0x0	80 28163	Mal/CPend	RECV_REPORT	38ed.18cf.83e0/1
05/01/2020 08:36:54.659 0x0	136 7356	Mal/CPend	NO_OP_UPDATE	
05/01/2020 08:36:33.347 0x0	132 3185	Mal/CPend	CHANNEL_CHANGE	e4aa.5d44.fec0/2,36->40
05/01/2020 08:25:19.573 0x0	720 247	Mal/CPend	LRAD_EXPIRE	7c21.0e41.0700/0

04/30/2020 07:55:37.977450 2 Mal/CPend PMF CONTAINMENT ContPending (PMFDetected) 0x0 04/30/2020 07:55:37.977242 1 Unc/Alert INIT TIMER DONE 0xab9800439e00024f 0x0 04/30/2020 07:52:33.600332 1 Unk/Init INIT TIMER START 180s 0x0 04/30/2020 07:52:33.600326 1 Unk/Init CREATE 0x0

#### To verify the impersonations detected due to authentication errors, use the following command:

Device# show wireless wps rogue ap detailed

```
Rogue BSSID
                                        : 0062.ecf3.8d30
Last heard Rogue SSID
                                       : rogueA
802.11w PMF required
                                       : No
Is Rogue an impersonator
                                        : Yes
Is Rogue on Wired Network
                                        : No
Classification
                                       : Malicious
Manually Contained
                                       : No
State
                                       : Threat
                                      : 01/07/2020 15:51:01
First Time Rogue was Reported
Last Time Roque was Reported
                                       : 01/08/2020 08:08:35
Number of clients
                                        : 0
Reported By
 AP Name : AP38ED.18CE.45E0
    MAC Address
                                        : 38ed.18cf.83e0
    Detecting slot ID
                                        : 0
   Radio Type
                                       : dot11q, dot11n - 2.4 GHz
    SSID
                                       : roqueA
    Channel
                                       : 6 (From DS)
    Channel Width
                                       : 20 MHz
    RSST
                                        : -33 dBm
                                       : 52 dB
    SNR
    ShortPreamble
                                       : Disabled
   Last reported by this AP: WPA2/WPA/FTAuthentication Failure Count: 01/08/2020 08:02:53
```

### **Verifying Rogue Detection**

This section describes the new command for rogue detection.

The following command can be used to verify rogue detection on the device.

#### Table 10: Verifying Adhoc Rogues Information

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue adhoc detailed mac_address	Displays the detailed information for an Adhoc rogue.
show wireless wps rogue adhoc summary	Displays a list of all Adhoc rogues.

#### Table 11: Verifying Rogue AP Information

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue ap clients mac_address	Displays the list of all rogue clients associated with a rogue.
show wireless wps rogue ap custom summary	Displays the custom rogue AP information.
show wireless wps rogue ap detailed mac_address	Displays the detailed information for a rogue AP.
show wireless wps rogue ap friendly summary	Displays the friendly rogue AP information.
show wireless wps rogue ap list mac_address	Displays the list of rogue APs detected by a given AP.
show wireless wps rogue ap malicious summary	Displays the malicious rogue AP information.
show wireless wps rogue ap summary	Displays a list of all Rogue APs.
show wireless wps rogue ap unclassified summary	Displays the unclassified rogue AP information.

#### Table 12: Verifying Rogue Auto-Containment Information

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue auto-contain	Displays the rogue auto-containment information.

#### Table 13: Verifying Classification Rule Information

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue rule detailed <i>rule_name</i>	Displays the detailed information for a classification rule.
show wireless wps rogue rule summary	Displays the list of all rogue rules.

#### **Table 14: Verifying Rogue Statistics**

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue stats	Displays the rogue statistics.

#### Table 15: Verifying Rogue Client Information

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue client detailed mac_address	Displays detailed information for a Rogue client.
show wireless wps rogue client summary	Displays a list of all the Rogue clients.

Table 16: Verifying Rogue Ignore List

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue ignore-list	Displays the rogue ignore list.

## **Examples: Rogue Detection Configuration**

This example shows how to configure the minimum RSSI that a detected rogue AP needs to be at, to have an entry created in the device:

Device# wireless wps rogue ap notify-min-rssi 100

This example shows how to configure the classification interval:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)#
Device(config)#
Device(config)#
Device(config)# end
Device# show wireless wps rogue client /show wireless wps rogue ap summary
```

### **Configuring Rogue Policies (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Wireless Protection Policies.		
Step 2	In the Rogue Policies tab, use the Rogue Detection Security Level drop-down to select the security level.		
Step 3	In the Expiration timeout for Rogue APs (seconds) field, enter the timeout value.		
Step 4	Select the Validate Rogue Clients against AAA check box to validate rogue clients against AAA server.		
Step 5	Select the Validate Rogue APs against AAA check box to validate rogue access points against AAA server.		
Step 6	In the Rogue Polling Interval (seconds) field, enter the interval to poll the AAA server for rogue information.		
Step 7	Select the Detect and Report Adhoc Networks check box to enable detection of rogue adhoc networks.		
Step 8	In the Rogue Detection Client Number Threshold field, enter the threshold to generate SNMP trap.		
Step 9	In the Auto Contain section, enter the following details.		
Step 10	Use the Auto Containment Level drop-down to select the level.		
Step 11	Select the <b>Auto Containment only for Monitor Mode APs</b> check box to limit the auto-containment only to monitor mode APs.		
Step 12	Select the <b>Rogue on Wire</b> check box to limit the auto-containment only to rogue APs on wire.		
Step 13	Select the <b>Using our SSID</b> check box to limit the auto-containment only to rogue APs using one of the SSID configured on the controller.		
Step 14	Select the Adhoc Rogue AP check box to limit the auto-containment only to adhoc rogue APs.		
Step 15	Click Apply.		

# **Configuring Rogue Policies (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps rogue ap timeout number of seconds	Configures the expiration time for rogue entries, in seconds. Valid range for the time in seconds 240 seconds to 3600 seconds.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap timeout 250	
Step 3	wireless wps rogue client notify-min-rssi RSSI threshold	Configures the minimum RSSI notification threshold for rogue clients. Valid range for the
	Example:	RSSI threshold in dB is -128 - dB to -70 dB.
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue client notify-min-rssi -128	
Step 4	wireless wps rogue client	Configures the RSSI deviation notification
	notify-min-deviation RSSI threshold	threshold for rogue clients. Valid range for the RSSI threshold in dB is 0 dB to 10 dB.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config) # wireless wps rogue client     notify-min-deviation 4</pre>	
Step 5	wireless wps rogue ap aaa polling-interval	Configures rogue AP AAA validation interval The valid range for the AP AAA interval in seconds is 60 seconds to 86400 seconds.
	AP AAA Interval	
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap aaa polling-interval 120	
Step 6	wireless wps rogue adhoc	Enables detecting and reporting adhoc rogue (IBSS).
	Example:	
	Device(config) # wireless wps rogue adhoc	
Step 7	wireless wps rogue client client-threshold threshold	Configures the rogue client per a rogue AP SNMP trap threshold. The valid range for the threshold is 0 to 256.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue client client-threshold 100	

# **Rogue Location Discovery Protocol (RLDP)**

### **Rogue Location Discovery Protocol**

Rogue Location Discovery Protocol (RLDP) is an active approach, which is used when rogue AP has no authentication (Open Authentication) configured. This mode, which is disabled by default, instructs an active AP to move to the rogue channel and connect to the rogue as a client. During this time, the active AP sends de-authentication messages to all connected clients and then shuts down the radio interface. Then, it associates to the rogue AP as a client. The AP then tries to obtain an IP address from the rogue AP and forwards a User Datagram Protocol (UDP) packet (port 6352) that contains the local AP and rogue connection information to the controller through the rogue AP. If the controller receives this packet, the alarm is set to notify the network administrator that a rogue AP was discovered on the wired network with the RLDP feature. RLDP has 100 % accuracy in rouge AP detection. It detects Open APs and NAT APs.

Following are some guidelines to manage RLDP:

- Rogue Location Discovery Protocol (RLDP) detects rogue access points that are configured for open authentication.
- RLDP detects rogue access points that use a broadcast Basic Service Set Identifier (BSSID), that is, the
  access point broadcasts its Service Set Identifier in beacons.
- RLDP detects only those rogue access points that are on the same network. If an access list in the network prevents the sending of RLDP traffic from the rogue access point to the embedded wireless controller, RLDP does not work.
- RLDP does not work on 5-GHz Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) channels.
- If RLDP is enabled on mesh APs, and the APs perform RLDP tasks, the mesh APs are dissociated from the embedded wireless controller. The workaround is to disable RLDP on mesh APs.
- If RLDP is enabled on non-monitor APs, client connectivity outages occur when RLDP is in process.

The following steps describe the functioning of RLDP:

- 1. Identify the closest Unified AP to the rogue using signal strength values.
- 2. The AP then connects to the rogue as a WLAN client, attempting three associations before timing out.
- 3. If association is successful, the AP then uses DHCP to obtain an IP address.
- 4. If an IP address was obtained, the AP (acting as a WLAN client) sends a UDP packet to each of the embedded wireless controller's IP addresses.
- 5. If the embedded wireless controller receives even one of the RLDP packets from the client, that rogue is marked as on-wire.



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The RLDP packets are unable to reach the embedded wireless controller if filtering rules are placed between the embedded wireless controller's network and the network where the rogue device is located.

The embedded wireless controller continuously monitors all the nearby access points and automatically discovers and collects information on rogue access points and clients. When the embedded wireless controller discovers a rogue access point, it uses the Rogue Location Discovery Protocol (RLDP), if RLDP is enabled, to determine if the rogue is attached to your network.

Embedded Wireless Controller initiates RLDP on rogue devices that have open. If RLDP uses FlexConnect or local mode access points, then clients are disconnected for that moment. After the RLDP cycle, the clients are reconnected to the access points. As and when rogue access points are seen, the RLDP process is initiated.

You can configure the embedded wireless controller to use RLDP on all the access points or only on the access points configured for the monitor (listen-only) mode. The latter option facilitates automated rogue access point detection in a crowded radio frequency (RF) space, allowing monitoring without creating unnecessary interference and without affecting the regular data access point functionality. If you configure the embedded wireless controller to use RLDP on all the access points, the embedded wireless controller always chooses the monitor access point for RLDP operation if a monitor access point and a local (data) access point are both nearby. If RLDP determines that the rogue is on your network, you can choose to contain the detected rogue either manually or automatically.

RLDP detects on wire presence of the rogue access points that are configured with open authentication only once, which is the default retry configuration. Retries can be configured using the .

You can initiate or trigger RLDP from embedded wireless controller in three ways:

- 1. Enter the RLDP initiation command manually from the embedded wireless controller CLI.
- 2. Schedule RLDP from the embedded wireless controller CLI.
- **3.** Auto RLDP. You can configure auto RLDP on embedded wireless controller either from embedded wireless controller CLI or GUI but keep in mind the following guidelines:
  - The auto RLDP option can be configured only when the rogue detection security level is set to custom.
  - Either auto RLDP or schedule of RLDP can be enabled at a time.

#### **Restrictions for RLDP**

- RLDP only works with open rogue APs broadcasting their SSID with authentication and encryption disabled.
- RLDP requires that the Managed AP acting as a client is able to obtain an IP address via DHCP on the rogue network.
- Manual RLDP can be used to attempt an RLDP trace on a rogue multiple number of times.
- During RLDP process, the AP is unable to serve clients. This negatively impacts performance and connectivity for local mode APs. To avoid this case, RLDP can be selectively enabled for Monitor Mode AP only.
- RLDP does not attempt to connect to a rogue AP operating in a 5GHz DFS channel.
- RLDP is supported only on Cisco IOS APs.

# **Configuring RLDP for Generating Alarms (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Wireless Protection Policies.	
Step 2	In the <b>RLDP</b> tab, use the <b>Rogue Location Discovery Protocol</b> drop-down to select one of the following options:	
	a) <b>Disable</b> : Disables RLDP on all the access points. <b>Disable</b> is the default option.	
	b) All APs: Enables RLDP on all APs.	
	c) Monitor Mode APs: Enables RLDP only on APs in the monitor mode.	
	<b>Note</b> The <b>Schedule RLDP</b> check box is enabled only if the <b>Disable</b> option is selected. The Schedule RLDP check box remains disabled when you select the <b>All APs</b> option or the <b>Monitor Mode APs</b> option.	
Step 3	In the <b>Retry Count</b> field, specify the number of retries that should be attempted. The range allowed is between 1 and 5.	
Step 4	Click Apply.	

# **Configuring an RLDP for Generating Alarms (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps rogue ap rldp alarm-only <monitor-ap-only></monitor-ap-only>	Enables RLDP to generate alarms. In this method, the RLDP is always enabled.
	Example:	The <b>monitor-ap-only</b> keyword is optional.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap rldp alarm-only</pre>	The command with just the <b>alarm-only</b> keyword enables RLDP without any restriction
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap rldp alarm-only monitor-ap-only	on the AP mode.
	The atom only monitor up only	The command with <b>alarm-only</b> <b><monitor-ap-only></monitor-ap-only></b> keyword enables RLDP in monitor mode access points only.
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Device(config) # <b>end</b>	giobal configuration mode.

# **Configuring a Schedule for RLDP (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration &gt; Security &gt; Wireless Protection Policies</b> . In the <b>RLDP</b> tab, choose the following options from the <b>Rogue Location Discovery Protocol</b> drop-down list:		
Step 2			
	• <b>Disable (default)</b> : Disables RLDP on all the access points.		
Step 3	In the Retry Count field, specify the number of retries that should be attempted. Provide a valid range between 1 to 5.		
Step 4	Check the <b>Schedule RLDP</b> check box and then specify the days, start time, and end time for the process to take place.		
Step 5	Click Apply.		

# **Configuring a Schedule for RLDP (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps rogue ap rldp schedule daystartstartstartstart	Enables RLDP based on a scheduled day, start time, and end time.
	Example:	Here,
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap rldp schedule day Monday start 10:10:01 end 12:00:00</pre>	<i>day</i> is the day when the RLDP scheduling can be done. The values are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.
		<i>start-time</i> is the start time for scheduling RLDP for the day. You need to enter start time in <b>HH:MM:SS</b> format.
		<i>end-time</i> is the end time for scheduling RLDP for the day. You need to enter end time in <b>HH:MM:SS</b> format.
Step 3	wireless wps rogue ap rldp schedule	Enables the schedule.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap rldp schedule</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	

## **Configuring an RLDP for Auto-Contain (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Wireless Protection Policies.	
Step 2	In the Rogue Policies tab, under the Auto Contain section, check the Rogue on Wire checkbox.	
Step 3	Click Apply.	

## **Configuring an RLDP for Auto-Contain (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	wireless wps rogue ap rldp auto-contain [monitor-ap-only]	Enables RLDP to perform auto-contain. In this method, the RLDP is always enabled.	
	Example:	The <b>monitor-ap-only</b> keyword is optional.	
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap rldp auto-contain	The command with just the <b>auto-contain</b> keyword enables RLDP without any restriction	
	Device(config) # wireless wps rogue ap	on the AP mode.	
	rldp auto-contain monitor-ap-only	The command with <b>auto-contain</b> <monitor-ap-only> keyword enables RLDP in monitor mode access points only.</monitor-ap-only>	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
-	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit	
	Device(config)# end	global configuration mode.	

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Wireless Protection Policies.	
Step 2	On the Wireless Protection Policies page, click the RLDP tab.	
Step 3	Enter the RLDP retry attempt value for rogue access points in the Retry Count field.	
	The valid range is between 1 and 5.	
Step 4	Save the configuration.	

### **Configuring RLDP Retry Times on Rogue Access Points (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps rogue ap rldp retries num-entries	Enables RLDP retry times on rogue access points.
	Example: Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap rldp retries 2	<ul><li>Here, <i>num-entries</i> is the number of RLDP retry times for each of the rogue access points.</li><li>The valid range is 1 to 5.</li></ul>
Step 3	<pre>end Example: Device(config)# end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

### Procedure

### **Verifying Rogue AP RLDP**

The following commands can be used to verify rogue AP RLDP:

Table 17: Verifying Rogue AP Information

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue ap rldp detailed mac_address	Displays the RLDP details for a rogue AP.
show wireless wps rogue ap rldp in progress	Displays the list of in-progress RLDP.

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sho	w wireless wps rogue ap rldp summary	Displays the summary of RLDP scheduling information.

## **Rogue Detection Security Level**

The rogue detection security level configuration allows you to set rogue detection parameters.

The available security levels are:

- Critical: Basic rogue detection for highly sensitive deployments.
- High: Basic rogue detection for medium-scale deployments.
- Low: Basic rogue detection for small-scale deployments.
- Custom: Default security-level, where all detection parameters are configurable.



Note When in Critical, High or Low, some rogue parameters are fixed and cannot be configured.

The following table shows parameter details for the three predefined levels:

Table 18: Rogue	Detection: Predefined Levels
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Parameter	Critical	High	Low
Cleanup Timer	3600	1200	240
AAA Validate Clients	Disabled	Disabled	Disabled
Adhoc Reporting	Enabled	Enabled	Enabled
Monitor-Mode Report Interval	10 seconds	30 seconds	60 seconds
Minimum RSSI	-128 dBm	-80 dBm	-80 dBm
Transient Interval	600 seconds	300 seconds	120 seconds
Auto Contain	Disabled	Disabled	Disabled
Works only on Monitor Mode APs.			
Auto Contain Level	1	1	1
Auto Contain Same-SSID	Disabled	Disabled	Disabled
Auto Contain Valid Clients on Rogue AP	Disabled	Disabled	Disabled
Auto Contain Adhoc	Disabled	Disabled	Disabled

Parameter	Critical	High	Low
Containment Auto-Rate	Enabled	Enabled	Enabled
Validate Clients with CMX	Enabled	Enabled	Enabled
Containment FlexConnect	Enabled	Enabled	Enabled
RLDP	Monitor-AP if RLDP scheduling is disabled.	Monitor-AP if RLDP scheduling is disabled	Disabled
Auto Contain RLDP	Disabled	Disabled	Disabled

# **Setting Rogue Detection Security-level**

Follow the procedure given below to set the rogue detection security-level:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps rogue security-level custom	Configures rogue detection security level as
	Example:	custom.
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue security-level custom	
Step 3	wireless wps rogue security-level low	Configures rogue detection security level for
	Example:	basic rogue detection setup for small-scale deployments.
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue security-level low	deployments.
Step 4	wireless wps rogue security-level high	Configures rogue detection security level for
	Example:	rogue detection setup for medium-scale deployments.
	Device(config) # wireless wps rogue	deployments.
	security-level high	
Step 5	wireless wps rogue security-level critical	Configures rogue detection security level for
	Example:	rogue detection setup for highly sensitive deployments.
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue security-level critical	

## Wireless Service Assurance Rogue Events

Wireless Service Assurance (WSA) rogue events, supported in Release 16.12.x and later releases, consist of telemetry notifications for a subset of SNMP traps. WSA rogue events replicate the same information that is part of the corresponding SNMP trap.

For all the exported events, the following details are provided to the wireless service assurance (WSA) infrastructure:

- MAC address of the rogue AP
- Details of the managed AP and the radio that detected the rogue AP with strongest RSSI
- Event-specific data such as SSID, channel for potential honeypot event, and MAC address of the impersonating AP for impersonation event

The WSA rogue events feature can scale up to four times the maximum number of supported APs and half of the maximum number of supported clients.

The WSA rogue events feature is supported on Cisco DNA Center and other third-party infrastructure.

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	network-assurance enable	Enables wireless service assurance.
	Example:	
	Device# network-assurance enable	
Step 3	wireless wps rogue network-assurance enable	Enables wireless service assurance for rogue
	Example:	devices. This ensures that the WSA rogue
	Device# wireless wps rogue network-assurance enable	events are sent to the event queue.

### Monitoring Wireless Service Assurance Rogue Events

#### Procedure

· show wireless wps rogue stats

#### Example:

Device# show wireless wps rogue stats

```
WSA Events
Total WSA Events Triggered : 9
ROGUE_POTENTIAL_HONEYPOT_DETECTED : 2
ROGUE_POTENTIAL_HONEYPOT_CLEARED : 3
ROGUE_AP_IMPERSONATION_DETECTED : 4
```

Total WSA Events Enqueued	:	6
ROGUE_POTENTIAL_HONEYPOT_DETECTED	:	1
ROGUE_POTENTIAL_HONEYPOT_CLEARED	:	2
ROGUE AP IMPERSONATION DETECTED	:	3

In this example, nine events have been triggered, but only six of them have been enqueued. This is because three events were triggered before the WSA rogue feature was enabled.

show wireless wps rogue stats internal

show wireless wps rogue ap detailed rogue-ap-mac-addr

These commands show information related to WSA events into the event history.



# **Classifying Rogue Access Points**

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# Information About Classifying Rogue Access Points

The embedded wireless controller software enables you to create rules that can organize and display rogue access points as Friendly, Malicious, or Unclassified.

By default, none of the classification rules are used. You need to enable them. Therefore, all unknown access points are categorized as Unclassified. When you create or change a rule, configure conditions, and enable it, all rogue access points are then reclassified. Whenever you change a rule, it is applied to all the access points (friendly, malicious, and unclassified).



### Note

- Rule-based rogue classification does not apply to ad hoc rogues and rogue clients.
- You can configure up to 64 rogue classification rules per embedded wireless controller.

When the embedded wireless controller receives a rogue report from one of its managed access points, it responds as follows:

- If the unknown access point is in the friendly MAC address list, the embedded wireless controller classifies the access point as Friendly.
- If the unknown access point is not in the friendly MAC address list, the embedded wireless controller starts applying the rogue classification rules to the access point.
- If the rogue access point matches the configured rules criteria, the embedded wireless controller classifies the rogue based on the classification type configured for that rule.
- If the rogue access point does not match any of the configured rules, the rogue remains unclassified.

The embedded wireless controller repeats the previous steps for all the rogue access points.

- If the rogue access point is detected on the same wired network, the embedded wireless controller marks the rogue state as Threat and classifies it as Malicious automatically, even if there are no configured rules. You can then manually contain the rogue to change the rogue state to Contained. If the rogue access point is not available on the network, the embedded wireless controller marks the rogue state as Alert. You can then manually contain the rogue.
- If desired, you can manually move the access point to a different classification type and rogue state.

#### Table 19: Classification Mapping

Rule-Based Classification Type	Rogue State	
Friendly	• Internal—If the unknown access point poses no threat to WLAN security, yo can manually configure it as Friendly, Internal. An example of this would be access points in your lab network.	
	<ul> <li>External—If the unknown access point is outside the network and poses no threat to WLAN security, you can manually configure it as Friendly, External. An example of this would be the access point in your neighboring coffee shop.</li> <li>Alert—</li> </ul>	
	• Alen—	
Malicious	• Alert—	
	• Threat—The unknown access point is found to be on the network and poses a threat to WLAN security.	
	• Contained—The unknown access point is contained.	
Unclassified	• Alert—	
	• Contained—The unknown access point is contained.	

As mentioned earlier, the embedded wireless controller can automatically change the classification type and rogue state of an unknown access point based on user-defined rules. Alternatively, you can manually move the unknown access point to a different classification type and rogue state.

## **Guidelines and Restrictions for Classifying Rogue Access Points**

- Classifying Custom type rogues is tied to rogue rules. Therefore, it is not possible to manually classify a rogue as Custom. Custom class change can occur only when rogue rules are used.
- Some are sent for containment by rule and every 30 minutes for rogue classification change.
- Rogue rules are applied on every incoming new rogue report in the embedded wireless controller in the order of their priority.
- After a rogue satisfies a rule and is classified, it does not move down the priority list for the same report.
- If a rogue AP is classified as friendly

- Until the controller discovers all the APs through neighbor reports from APs, the rogue APs are kept in unconfigured state for three minutes after they are detected. After 3 minutes, the rogue policy is applied on the rogue APs and the APs are moved to unclassified, friendly, malicious, or custom class. Rogue APs kept in unconfigured state means that no rogue policy has yet been applied on them.
- When a rogue BSSID is submitted for a containment on Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controller, if the controller has enough resources, it will contain. The APs that detect the particular contained rogue AP starts broadcasting the DEAUTH packets.

Wireless client connected to the contained rogue BSSID will disconnect once DEAUTH packets are received. However, when the client assumes being in a connected state, repeatedly tries to reconnect and the wireless client's user browsing experience would be badly affected.

Also, in a high RF environment like that of a stadium, though DEAUTH packets are broadcasted, client does not receive all of them because of RF disturbance. In this scenario, the client may not be fully disconnected but will be affected badly.

## **How to Classify Rogue Access Points**

### **Classifying Rogue Access Points and Clients Manually (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Monitoring > Wireless > Rogues.
Step 2	In the Unclassified tab, select an AP to view the detail in the lower pane.
Step 3	Use the <b>Class Type</b> drop-down to set the status.
Step 4	Click Apply.

### **Classifying Rogue Access Points and Clients Manually (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless wps rogue adhoc {alert mac-addr  auto-contain   contain mac-addrcontainment-level   internal mac-addr  external mac-addr}Example:	<ul> <li>Detects and reports the ad hoc rogue.</li> <li>Enter one of these options after you enter the adhoc keyword:</li> <li>alert—Sets the ad hoc rogue access point to alert mode. If you choose this option,</li> </ul>

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue adhoc alert 74a0.2f45.c520	enter the MAC address for the <i>mac-addr</i> parameter.
		• <b>auto-contain</b> —Sets the automatically containing ad hoc rogue to auto-contain mode.
		• <b>contain</b> —Sets the containing ad hoc rogue access point to contain mode. If you choose this option, enter the MAC address for the <i>mac-addr</i> parameter and containment level for the <i>containment-level</i> parameter. The valid range for <i>containment-level</i> is from 1 to 4.
		• <b>external</b> —Sets the ad hoc rogue access point as <b>external</b> . If you choose this option, enter the MAC address for the <i>mac-addr</i> parameter.
		• <b>internal</b> —Sets the ad hoc rogue access point as <b>internal</b> . If you choose this option, enter the MAC address for the <i>mac-addr</i> parameter.
Step 3	state [external   internal]   malicious mac-addr state [alert   contain containment-level]	Configures the rogue access points.
		Enter one of the following options after the <b>ap</b> keyword:
		• <b>friendly</b> —Configures the friendly rogue access points. If you choose this option, enter the MAC address for the <i>mac-addr</i> parameter. After that enter the <b>state</b> keyword followed by either of these options: <b>internal</b> or <b>external</b> . If you select an <b>internal</b> option, it indicates that you trust a foreign access point. If you select an <b>external</b> option, it indicates that you acknowledge the presence of a rogue access point.
		<ul> <li>malicious—Configures the malicious rogue access points. If you choose this option, enter the MAC address for the <i>mac-addr</i> parameter. After that enter the state keyword followed by either of these options: alert or contain.</li> <li>alert—Sets the malicious rogue access point to alert mode.</li> </ul>

	Command or Action	Purpose
		• <b>contain</b> —Sets the malicious rogue access point to <b>contain</b> mode. If you choose this option, enter the containment level for the <i>containment-level</i> parameter. The valid range is from 1 to 4.
Step 4	<pre>wireless wps rogue client {contain mac-addr containment-level} Example:</pre>	Configures the rogue clients. Enter the following option after you enter the <b>client</b> keyword:
	Device(config)# wireless wps rogue client contain 74a0.2f45.c520 2	<b>contain</b> —Contains the rogue client. After you choose this option, enter the MAC address for the <i>mac-addr</i> parameter and the containment level for <i>containment-level</i> parameter. The valid range for <i>containment-level</i> is from 1 to 4.
Step 5	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

## **Configuring Rogue Classification Rules (GUI)**

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Security** > **Wireless Protection Policies**.
- Step 2 In the Wireless Protection Policies page, choose Rogue AP Rules tab.
- Step 3 On the Rogue AP Rules page, click the name of the Rule or click Add to create a new one.
- Step 4 In the Add/Edit Rogue AP Rule window that is displayed, enter the name of the rule in the Rule Name field.
- **Step 5** Choose the rule type from the following **Rule Type** drop-down list options:
  - Friendly
  - Malicious
  - Unclassified
  - Custom

# **Configuring Rogue Classification Rules (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Step 2	wireless wps rogue rule rule-name priority priority	Creates or enables a rule. While creating a rule you must enter the priority for the rule.
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# wireless wps rogue rule rule_3 priority 3</pre>	Note After creating a rule, you can edit the rule and change the priority only for the rogue rules that are disabled. You cannot change the priority for the rogue rules that are enabled. While editing, changing the priority for a rogue rule is optional.
Step 3	<pre>classify {friendly state {alert   external   internal}   malicious state {alert   contained }} Example: Device(config)# wireless wps rogue rule rule_3 priority 3 Device(config-rule)# classify friendly</pre>	<ul> <li>friendly—Configures the friendly rogue access points. After that enter the state keyword followed by either of these options: alert, internal, or external. If you select an internal option, it indicates that you trust a foreign access point. If you select an external option, it indicates that you acknowledge the presence of a rogue access point.</li> <li>malicious—Configures the malicious rogue access points. After that enter the state keyword followed by either of these options: alert or contained.</li> <li>alert—Sets the malicious rogue access point to alert mode.</li> <li>contained—Sets the malicious rogue access point to contained mode.</li> </ul>
Step 4	<pre>condition {client-count   duration   encryption   infrastructure   rssi   ssid} Example: Device(config) # wireless wps rogue rule rule_3 priority 3 Device(config-rule) # condition client-count 5</pre>	<ul> <li>Adds the following conditions to a rule, which the rogue access point must meet:</li> <li>client-count—Requires that a minimum number of clients be associated to the rogue access point. For example, if the number of clients associated to the rogue access point is greater than or equal to the configured value, the access point could be classified as Malicious. If you choose this option, enter the minimum number</li> </ul>

	Command or Action	Purpose
		of clients to be associated to the rogue access point for the parameter. The valid range is from 1 to 10 (inclusive), and the default value is 0.
		• <b>duration</b> —Requires that the rogue access point be detected for a minimum period of time. If you choose this option, enter a value for the minimum detection period for the parameter. The valid range is from 0 to 3600 seconds (inclusive), and the default value is 0 seconds.
		• encryption—Requires that the advertised WLAN does not have encryption enabled You can choose <b>any</b> for any type of encryption, <b>off</b> for no encryption, <b>wpa1</b> for WPA encryption, <b>wpa2</b> for WPA2 encryption, <b>wpa3-owe</b> for WPA3 OWE encryption, or <b>wpa3-sae</b> for WPA3 SAE encryption.
		• <b>infrastructure</b> —Requires the SSID to be known to the controller.
		• <b>rssi</b> —The valid range is from –95 to –50 dBm (inclusive).
		• <b>ssid</b> —Requires the rogue access point to have a specific SSID. You could specify up to 25 different SSIDs. You should specify an SSID that is not managed by the controller. If you choose this option, enter the SSID for the parameter.
		• wildcard-ssid—Allows you to specify an expression that could match an SSID string. You can specify up to 25 of these SSIDs.
Step 5	match {all   any}	Specifies whether a detected rogue access point
	Example:	must meet all or any of the conditions specified by the rule for the rule to be matched and the
	Device(config) # wireless wps rogue rule rule_3 priority 3	rogue access point to adopt the classification type of the rule.
0. 0	Device (config-rule) # match all	
Step 6	default	Sets a command to its default.
	Example: Device(config) # wireless wps rogue rule rule 3 priority 3	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-rule)# <b>default</b>	
Step 7	exit	Exits the sub-mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless wps rogue rule rule_3 priority 3</pre>	
	Device(config-rule)# exit	
	Device(config)#	
Step 8	shutdown	Disables a particular rogue rule. In this
	Example:	example, the rule <b>rule_3</b> is disabled.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless wps rogue rule rule_3 priority 3</pre>	
	Device(config-rule)# <b>shutdown</b>	
Step 9	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config)# end	global configuration mode.
Step 10	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 11	wireless wps rogue rule shutdown	Disables all the rogue rules.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # wireless wps rogue rule shutdown	
Step 12	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

# **Monitoring Rogue Classification Rules**

You can monitor the rogue classification rules using the following commands:

Table 20: Commands for Monitoring Rogue Classification Rules

Command	Purpose
show wireless wps rogue rule detailed	Displays detailed information of a classification rule.
show wireless wps rogue rule summary	Displays a summary of the classification rules.

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## **Examples: Classifying Rogue Access Points**

This example shows how to classify a rogue AP with MAC address 00:11:22:33:44:55 as malicious and mark it for being contained by 2 managed APs:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless wps rogue ap malicious 0011.2233.4455 state contain 2
```

This example shows how to create a rule that can categorize a rogue AP that is using SSID **my-friendly-ssid**, and it is seen for at least for 1000 seconds as friendly internal:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless wps rogue rule apl priority 1
Device(config-rule)# condition ssid my-friendly-ssid
Device(config-rule)# condition duration 1000
Device(config-rule)# match all
Device(config-rule)# classify friendly state internal
```

This example shows how to apply a condition that a rogue access point must meet:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless wps rogue rule ap1 priority 1
Device(config-rule)# condition client-count 5
Device(config-rule)# condition duration 1000
Device(config-rule)# end
```



# **Configuring Secure Shell**

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# Information About Configuring Secure Shell

Secure Shell (SSH) is a protocol that provides a secure, remote connection to a device. SSH provides more security for remote connections than Telnet does by providing strong encryption when a device is authenticated. This software release supports SSH Version 1 (SSHv1) and SSH Version 2 (SSHv2).

### **SSH and Device Access**

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### SSH Servers, Integrated Clients, and Supported Versions

The Secure Shell (SSH) Integrated Client feature is an application that runs over the SSH protocol to provide device authentication and encryption. The SSH client enables a Cisco device to make a secure, encrypted connection to another Cisco device or to any other device running the SSH server. This connection provides functionality similar to that of an outbound Telnet connection except that the connection is encrypted. With authentication and encryption, the SSH client allows for secure communication over an unsecured network.

The SSH server and SSH integrated client are applications that run on the switch. The SSH server works with the SSH client supported in this release and with non-Cisco SSH clients. The SSH client works with publicly and commercially available SSH servers. The SSH client supports the ciphers of Data Encryption Standard (DES), 3DES, and password authentication.

The switch supports an SSHv1 or an SSHv2 server.

The switch supports an SSHv1 client.



Note

#### The SSH client functionality is available only when the SSH server is enabled.

User authentication is performed like that in the Telnet session to the device. SSH also supports the following user authentication methods:

- TACACS+
- RADIUS
- Local authentication and authorization

### **SSH Configuration Guidelines**

Follow these guidelines when configuring the switch as an SSH server or SSH client:

- An RSA key pair generated by a SSHv1 server can be used by an SSHv2 server, and the reverse.
- If the SSH server is running on an active switch and the active switch fails, the new active switch uses the RSA key pair generated by the previous active switch.
- If you get CLI error messages after entering the **crypto key generate rsa** global configuration command, an RSA key pair has not been generated. Reconfigure the hostname and domain, and then enter the **crypto key generate rsa** command.
- When generating the RSA key pair, the message No host name specified might appear. If it does, you must configure a hostname by using the **hostname** global configuration command.
- When generating the RSA key pair, the message No domain specified might appear. If it does, you must configure an IP domain name by using the **ip domain-name** global configuration command.
- When configuring the local authentication and authorization authentication method, make sure that AAA is disabled on the console.

### Secure Copy Protocol Overview

The Secure Copy Protocol (SCP) feature provides a secure and authenticated method for copying switch configurations or switch image files. SCP relies on Secure Shell (SSH), an application and a protocol that provides a secure replacement for the Berkeley r-tools.

For SSH to work, the switch needs an RSA public/private key pair. This is the same with SCP, which relies on SSH for its secure transport.

Because SSH also relies on AAA authentication, and SCP relies further on AAA authorization, correct configuration is necessary.

- Before enabling SCP, you must correctly configure SSH, authentication, and authorization on the switch.
- Because SCP relies on SSH for its secure transport, the router must have an Rivest, Shamir, and Adelman (RSA) key pair.



Note

When using SCP, you cannot enter the password into the copy command. You must enter the password when prompted.

### Secure Copy Protocol

The Secure Copy Protocol (SCP) feature provides a secure and authenticated method for copying device configurations or switch image files. The behavior of SCP is similar to that of remote copy (rcp), which comes from the Berkeley r-tools suite, except that SCP relies on SSH for security. SCP also requires that authentication, authorization, and accounting (AAA) authorization be configured so the device can determine whether the user has the correct privilege level. To configure the Secure Copy feature, you should understand the SCP concepts.

### **SFTP Support**

SFTP client support is introduced from Cisco IOS XE Gibraltar 16.10.1 release onwards. SFTP client is enabled by default and no separate configuration required.

The SFTP procedures can be invoked using the **copy** command, which is similar to that of **scp** and **tftp** commands. A typical file download procedure using **sftp** command can be carried out as shown below:

copy sftp://user :password @server-ip/file-name flash0:// file-name

For more details on the **copy** command, see the following URL: https://www.cisco.com/c/m/en\_us/techdoc/dc/reference/cli/nxos/commands/fund/copy.html

## Prerequisites for Configuring Secure Shell

The following are the prerequisites for configuring the switch for secure shell (SSH):

- For SSH to work, the switch needs an Rivest, Shamir, and Adleman (RSA) public/private key pair. This
  is the same with Secure Copy Protocol (SCP), which relies on SSH for its secure transport.
- Before enabling SCP, you must correctly configure SSH, authentication, and authorization on the switch.
- Because SCP relies on SSH for its secure transport, the router must have an Rivest, Shamir, and Adelman (RSA) key pair.
- SCP relies on SSH for security.
- SCP requires that authentication, authorization, and accounting (AAA) authorization be configured so the router can determine whether the user has the correct privilege level.
- A user must have appropriate authorization to use SCP.
- A user who has appropriate authorization can use SCP to copy any file in the Cisco IOS File System (IFS) to and from a switch by using the **copy** command. An authorized administrator can also do this from a workstation.
- The Secure Shell (SSH) server requires an IPsec (Data Encryption Standard [DES] or 3DES) encryption software image; the SSH client requires an IPsec (DES or 3DES) encryption software image.)

• Configure a hostname and host domain for your device by using the **hostname** and **ip domain-name** commands in global configuration mode.

## **Restrictions for Configuring Secure Shell**

The following are restrictions for configuring the device for secure shell.

- The switch supports Rivest, Shamir, and Adelman (RSA) authentication.
- SSH supports only the execution-shell application.
- The SSH server and the SSH client are supported only on Data Encryption Standard (DES) (56-bit) and 3DES (168-bit) data encryption software. In DES software images, DES is the only encryption algorithm available. In 3DES software images, both DES and 3DES encryption algorithms are available.
- The device supports the Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) encryption algorithm with a 128-bit key, 192-bit key, or 256-bit key. However, symmetric cipher AES to encrypt the keys is not supported.
- When using SCP, you cannot enter the password into the copy command. You must enter the password when prompted.
- The login banner is not supported in Secure Shell Version 1. It is supported in Secure Shell Version 2.
- The -l keyword and userid : {number} {ip-address} delimiter and arguments are mandatory when configuring the alternative method of Reverse SSH for console access.
- To authenticate clients with freeradius over RADSEC, you should generate an RSA key longer than 1024 bit. Use the **crypto key generate rsa general-keys exportable label** *label-name* command to achieve this.

# **How to Configure SSH**

### Setting Up the Device to Run SSH

Follow the procedure given below to set up your device to run SSH:

#### Before you begin

Configure user authentication for local or remote access.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# Device# configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	hostname hostname Example:	Configures a hostname and IP domain name for your device.
	Device(config)# hostname your_hostname	<b>Note</b> Follow this procedure only if you are configuring the device as an SSH server.
Step 3	<pre>ip domain name domain_name Example: Device(config)# ip domain name your_domain</pre>	Configures a host domain for your device.
Step 4	<pre>crypto key generate rsa Example: Device(config)# crypto key generate rsa</pre>	<ul> <li>Enables the SSH server for local and remote authentication on the device and generates an RSA key pair. Generating an RSA key pair for the device automatically enables SSH.</li> <li>We recommend that a minimum modulus size of 1024 bits.</li> <li>When you generate RSA keys, you are prompted to enter a modulus length. A longer modulus length might be more secure, but it takes longer to generate and to use.</li> <li>Note Follow this procedure only if you are configuring the device as an SSH server.</li> </ul>
Step 5	end	Exits configuration mode.
	Example: Device(config)# end	

## **Configuring the SSH Server**

Follow the procedure given below to configure the SSH server:



**Note** This procedure is only required if you are configuring the device as an SSH server.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	<pre>ip ssh version [2] Example: Device(config)# ip ssh version 2</pre>	(Optional) Configures the device to run SSH Version 2.
Step 3	<pre>ip ssh {timeout seconds   authentication-retries number} Example: Device(config) # ip ssh timeout 90 authentication-retries 2</pre>	<ul> <li>Configures the SSH control parameters:</li> <li>Specify the time-out value in seconds; the default is 120 seconds. The range is 0 to 120 seconds. This parameter applies to the SSH negotiation phase. After the connection is established, the device uses the default time-out values of the CLI-based sessions.</li> <li>By default, up to five simultaneous, encrypted SSH connections for multiple CLI-based session or the network are available (session 0 to session 4). After the execution shell starts, the CLI-based session time-out value returns to the default of 10 minutes.</li> <li>Specify the number of times that a client can re-authenticate to the server. The default is 3; the range is 0 to 5.</li> <li>Repeat this step when configuring both parameters.</li> </ul>
Step 4	<pre>Use one or both of the following:</pre>	<ul> <li>(Optional) Configures the virtual terminal line settings.</li> <li>Enters line configuration mode to configure the virtual terminal line settings. For <i>line_number</i> and <i>ending_line_number</i>, specify a pair of lines. The range is 0 to 15.</li> <li>Specifies that the device prevent non-SSH Telnet connections. This limits the router to only SSH connections.</li> </ul>

	Command or Action	Purpose		
	NoteIf the Virtual Terminal (VTY) lines are exhausted, Telnet or SSH will fail. You can either disconnect the Telnet or SSH sessions to free up the VTY lines, or follow the recovery steps given below to clear VTY lines and reload Telnet or SSH: Device# configure terminal Device(config)# clear line line number			
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.		
	Example:			
	Device(config-line)# <b>end</b>			

# **Monitoring the SSH Configuration and Status**

This table displays the SSH server configuration and status.

```
Table 21: Commands for Displaying the SSH Server Configuration and Status
```

Command	Purpose	
show ip ssh	Shows the version and configuration information for the SSH server.	
show ssh	Shows the status of the SSH server.	



# **Private Shared Key**

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# **Information About Private Preshared Key**

With the advent of Internet of Things (IoT), the number of devices that connect to the internet has increased multifold. Not all of these devices support the 802.1x supplicant and need an alternate mechanism to connect to the internet. One of the security mechanisms, WPA-PSK, could be considered as an alternative. With the current configuration, the PSK is the same for all the clients that connect to the same WLAN. In certain deployments, such as educational institutions, this results in the key being shared to unauthorized users leading to security breach. This necessitates the need to provision unique PSKs for different clients on a large scale.

Identity PSKs are unique PSKs created for individuals or groups of users on the same SSID. No complex configuration is required for the clients. It provides the same simplicity of PSK, making it ideal for IoT, Bring your own device (BYOD), and guest deployments. The default password for PSK SSID is *password*.

Identity PSKs are supported on most devices, in which 802.1X is not, enabling stronger security for IoT. It is possible to easily revoke access, for a single device or individual without affecting everyone else. Thousands of keys can easily be managed and distributed through the AAA server.



Note

Special characters, such as '<' and '>' are not supported in SSID Preshared key.



**Note** PSK supports whitespace in passwords (before or after or in-between) within double quotes only; single quotes for whitespaces are not supported.

#### **IPSK Solution**

During client authentication, the AAA server authorizes the client MAC address and sends the passphrase (if configured) as part of the Cisco-AV pair list. The Embedded Wireless Controller receives this as part of the RADIUS response and processes this further for the computation of PSKs.

When a client sends an association request to the SSID broadcast by the corresponding access point, the Embedded Wireless Controller forms the RADIUS request packet with the particular mac address of the client and relays to the RADIUS server.

The RADIUS server performs the authentication and checks whether the client is allowed or not and sends either ACCESS-ACCEPT or ACCESS-REJECT as response to the WLC.

To support Identity PSKs, in addition to sending the authentication response, the authentication server also provides the AV pair passphrase for this specific client. This is used for the computation of the PMK.

The RADIUS server might also provide additional parameters, such as username, VLAN, Quality of Service (QoS), and so on, in the response, that is specific to this client. For multiple devices owned by a single user, the passphrase can remain the same.



Note

When the PSK length is less than 15 characters in Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS), the controller allows the WLAN configuration but displays the following error message on the console:

"AP is allowed to join but corresponding WLAN will not be pushed to the access point"

## Configuring a PSK in a WLAN (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to configure a PSK in a WLAN:

### Before you begin

- Security should be configured for a pre-shared key (PSK) in a WLAN.
- If there is no override from the AAA server, the value on the corresponding WLAN is considered for authentication.
- In Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS) and common criteria mode, ensure that the PSK WLAN has a minimum of 15 ASCII characters, else APs won't join the controller.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan wlan-name wlan-id ssid	Configures the WLAN and SSID.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wlan test-profile 4 abc	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 3	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x		
Step 4	security wpa akm psk	Configures the security type PSK.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm psk		
Step 5	security wpa akm psk set-key ascii/hex key	Configures the PSK authenticated key	
	Example:	management (AKM) shared key.	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm psk set-key asci 0		
Step 6	security wpa akm psk	Configures PSK support.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm psk		
Step 7	mac-filtering auth-list-name	Specifies MAC filtering in a WLAN.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# mac-filtering test1		

# Configuring a PSK in a WLAN (GUI)

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.		
Step 2	On the Wireless Networks page, click Security tab.		
Step 3	In the Layer 2 window that is displayed, go to the WPA Parameters section.		
Step 4	From the Auth Key Mgmt drop-down, select the PSK format and type.		
Step 5	Enter the Pre-Shared Key in hexadecimal characters.		
	• If you selected the PSK format as HEX, the key length must be exactly 64 characters.		
	• If you selected the PSK format as ASCII, the key length must be in the range of 8-63 characters.		
	Note that once you have configured the key, these details are not visible even if you click on the eye icon next to the preshared key box, due to security reasons.		
Step 6	Click Save & Apply to Device.		

# Applying a Policy Profile to a WLAN (GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags.
Step 2	On the Manage Tags page, click Policy tab.
Step 3	Click Add to view the Add Policy Tag window.
Step 4	Enter a name and description for the policy tag.
Step 5	Click Add to map WLAN and policy.
Step 6	Choose the WLAN profile to map with the appropriate policy profile, and click the tick icon.
Step 7	Click Save & Apply to Device.

# Applying a Policy Profile to a WLAN (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to a apply policy profile to a WLAN:

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy policy-profile-name	Configures the default policy profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy policy-iot</pre>	
Step 3	aaa-override	Configures AAA override to apply policies
	Example:	coming from the AAA server or ISE the Cisco Identify Services Engine (ISE) server.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# aaa-override	identity Services Englite (ISE) server.

## **Verifying a Private PSK**

Use the following show commands to verify the configuration of a WLAN and a client:

```
Device# show wlan id 2
```

WLAN Profile Name : test\_ppsk

Identifier :	2
Network Name (SSID) :	test ppsk
	Enabled
Broadcast SSID :	Enabled
Universal AP Admin :	Disabled
Max Associated Clients per WLAN :	0
-	0
Max Associated Clients per AP Radio per WLAN :	0
	0
Exclusionlist Timeout :	60
CHD per WLAN :	Enabled
-	default
Multicast Interface :	Unconfigured
WMM :	Allowed
WifiDirect :	Invalid
Channel Scan Defer Priority:	
	4
	5
-	6
	100
Media Stream Multicast-direct :	Disabled
CCX - AironetIe Support :	Enabled
	Disabled
	Disabled
Radio Policy :	All
DTIM period for 802.11a radio :	1
	1
Local EAP Authentication :	Disabled
Mac Filter Authorization list name :	test1
	Disabled
	Disabled
Security	
802.11 Authentication :	Open System
	Disabled
	Disabled
Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA/WPA2) :	Enabled
WPA (SSN IE) :	Disabled
WPA2 (RSN IE) :	Enabled
TKIP Cipher :	Disabled
AES Cipher :	Enabled
Auth Key Management	
802.1x :	Disabled
PSK :	Enabled
CCKM :	Disabled
FT dot1x :	Disabled
FT PSK :	Disabled
PMF dot1x :	Disabled
PMF PSK :	Disabled
CCKM TSF Tolerance :	1000
	Disabled
	20
	Enabled
	Disabled
	1
~ 1	200
	Disabled
	Disabled
1 5	Disabled
	Disabled
	Disabled
-	Disabled
-	60
Call Snooping :	Disabled

Passive Client	:	Disabled
Non Cisco WGB	:	Disabled
Band Select	:	Disabled
Load Balancing	:	Disabled
Multicast Buffer	:	Disabled
Multicast Buffer Size	:	0
IP Source Guard	:	Disabled
Assisted-Roaming		
Neighbor List	:	Disabled
Prediction List	:	Disabled
Dual Band Support	:	Disabled
IEEE 802.11v parameters		
Directed Multicast Service	:	Disabled
BSS Max Idle	:	Disabled
Protected Mode	:	Disabled
Traffic Filtering Service	:	Disabled
BSS Transition	:	Enabled
Disassociation Imminent	:	Disabled
Optimised Roaming Timer	:	40
Timer	:	200
WNM Sleep Mode	:	Disabled
802.11ac MU-MIMO	:	Disabled

Device# show wireless client mac-address a886.adb2.05f9 detail

Client MAC Address : a886.adb2.05f9 Client IPv4 Address : 9.9.58.246 Client Username : A8-86-AD-B2-05-F9 AP MAC Address : c025.5c55.e400 AP Name: saurabh-3600 AP slot : 1 Client State : Associated Policy Profile : default-policy-profile Flex Profile : default-flex-profile Wireless LAN Id : 6 Wireless LAN Name: SSS PPSK BSSID : c025.5c55.e40f Connected For : 280 seconds Protocol : 802.11n - 5 GHz Channel : 60 Client IIF-ID : 0xa0000001 Association Id : 1 Authentication Algorithm : Open System Client CCX version : No CCX support Session Timeout : 320 sec (Remaining time: 40 sec) Input Policy Name : Input Policy State : None Input Policy Source : None Output Policy Name : Output Policy State : None Output Policy Source : None WMM Support : Enabled U-APSD Support : Enabled U-APSD value : 0 APSD ACs : BK, BE, VI, VO Fastlane Support : Disabled Power Save : OFF Current Rate : m22 Supported Rates : 9.0,18.0,36.0,48.0,54.0 Mobility: Move Count : 0 Mobility Role : Local Mobility Roam Type : None

```
Mobility Complete Timestamp : 09/27/2017 16:32:25 IST
Policy Manager State: Run
NPU Fast Fast Notified : No
Last Policy Manager State : IP Learn Complete
Client Entry Create Time : 280 seconds
Policy Type : WPA2
Encryption Cipher : CCMP (AES)
Authentication Key Management : PSK
AAA override passphrase: Yes
Management Frame Protection : No
Protected Management Frame - 802.11w : No
EAP Type : Not Applicable
VLAN : 58
Access VLAN : 58
Anchor VLAN : 0
WFD capable : No
Manged WFD capable : No
Cross Connection capable : No
Support Concurrent Operation : No
Session Manager:
                  : capwap 90000005
 Interface
  IIF ID
                  : 0x90000005
                  : Apple-Device
: 0x000001
  Device Type
  Protocol Map
                 : TRUE
 Authorized
  Session timeout : 320
  Common Session ID: 1F380909000005DC30088EA
  Acct Session ID : 0x0000000
  Auth Method Status List
       Method : MAB
                                : TERMINATE
                SM State
                Authen Status : Success
  Local Policies:
        Service Template : wlan svc default-policy-profile (priority 254)
                Absolute-Timer : 320
                VT.AN
                                 : 58
  Server Policies:
  Resultant Policies:
                                 : 58
                VLAN
                                 : 320
                Absolute-Timer
Client Capabilities
  CF Pollable : Not implemented
  CF Poll Request : Not implemented
  Short Preamble : Not implemented
  PBCC : Not implemented
  Channel Agility : Not implemented
  Listen Interval : 0
Fast BSS Transition Details :
  Reassociation Timeout : 0
11v BSS Transition : Not implemented
FlexConnect Data Switching : Local
FlexConnect Dhcp Status : Local
FlexConnect Authentication : Central
FlexConnect Central Association : No
Client Statistics:
  Number of Bytes Received : 59795
  Number of Bytes Sent : 21404
  Number of Packets Received : 518
  Number of Packets Sent : 274
  Number of EAP Id Request Msg Timeouts :
  Number of EAP Request Msg Timeouts :
  Number of EAP Key Msg Timeouts :
  Number of Policy Errors : 0
  Radio Signal Strength Indicator : -32 dBm
```

Signal to Noise Ratio : 58 dB Fabric status : Disabled



# **Multi-Preshared Key**

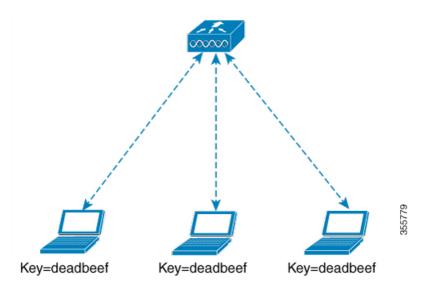
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# **Information About Multi-Preshared Key**

Multi-PSK feature supports multiple PSKs simultaneously on a single SSID. You can use any of the configured PSKs to join the network. This is different from the Identity PSK (iPSK), wherein unique PSKs are created for individuals or groups of users on the same SSID.

In a traditional PSK, all the clients joining the network use the same password as shown in the below figure.

### Figure 11: Traditional PSK



But with multi-PSK, client can use any of the configured pre-shared keys to connect to the network as shown in the below figure.

Figure 12: Multi-PSK

In Multi-PSK, two passwords are configured (deadbeef and beefdead) for the same SSID. In this scenario, clients can connect to the network using either of the passwords.

# **Restrictions on Multi-PSK**

- Central authentication is supported in local, flex, and fabric modes only.
- In central authentication flex mode, the standalone AP allows client join with the highest priority PSK (*priority 0* key). New clients that do not use the highest priority PSK are rejected during the standalone mode.
- Multi-PSK does not support local authentication.

# **Configuring Multi-Preshared Key (GUI)**

- Step 1 Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
- **Step 2** On the **Wireless Networks** page, click the name of the WLAN.
- **Step 3** In the **Edit WLAN** window, click the **Security** tab.
- **Step 4** In the Layer2 tab, choose the Layer2 Security Mode from the following options:
  - None: No Layer 2 security
  - 802.1X: WEP 802.1X data encryption type
  - WPA + WPA2: Wi-Fi Protected Access
  - Static WEP: Static WEP encryption parameters
  - Static WEP+802.1X: Both Static WEP and 802.1X parameters

Parameters	Description
802.1X	l
WEP Key Size	Choose the key size. The available values are <i>None</i> , 40 bits, and 104 bits.
WPA + WPA2	I
Protected Management Frame	Choose from the following options:
	• Disabled
	• Optional
	Required
WPA Policy	Check the check box to enable WPA policy.
WPA Encryption	Choose the WPA encryption standard. A WPA encryption standard must be specified if you have enabled WPA policy.
WPA2 Policy	Check the check box to enable WPA2 policy.
WPA2 Encryption	Choose the WPA2 encryption standard. A WPA encryption standard must be specified if you have enabled WPA policy.
Auth Key Mgmt	Choose the rekeying mechanism from the following options:
	• 802.1X
	• FT + 802.1X
	<ul> <li>PSK: You must specify the PSK format and a preshared key</li> </ul>
	• Cisco Centralized Key Management: You must specify a Cisco Centralized Key Management Timestamp Tolerance value
	• 802.1X + Cisco Centralized Key Management: You must specify a Cisco Centralized Key Management Timestamp Tolerance value
	• FT + 802.1X + Cisco Centralized Key Management: You must specify a Cisco Centralized Key Management Timestamp Tolerance value
Static WEP	

Parameters	Description
Key Size	Choose the key size from the following options: • 40 bits • 104 bits
Key Index	Choose a key index from 1 to 4. One unique WEP key index can be applied to each WLAN. As there are only four WEP key indexes, only four WLANs can be configured for static WEP Layer2 encryption.
Key Format	Choose the encryption key format as either ASCII or HEX.
Encryption Key	Enter an encryption key that is 13 characters long.
Static WEP + 802.1X	
Key Size	Choose the key size from the following options: • 40 bits • 104 bits
Key Index	Choose a key index from 1 to 4. One unique WEP key index can be applied to each WLAN. As there are only four WEP key indexes, only four WLANs can be configured for static WEP Layer2 encryption.
Key Format	Choose the encryption key format as either ASCII or HEX.
Encryption Key	Enter an encryption key that is 13 characters long.
WEP Key Size	Choose from the following options: • None • 40 bits • 104 bits

Step 5 Click Save & Apply to Device.

# **Configuring Multi-Preshared Key (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	wlan wlan-name wlan-id ssid	Configures WLAN and SSID.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# wlan mywlan 1 SSID_name		
Step 3	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x		
Step 4	security wpa akm psk	Configures PSK.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>security wpa akm psk</b>		
Step 5	security wpa wpa2 mpsk	Configures multi-PSK.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa wpa2 mpsk		
Step 6	<b>priority</b> <i>priority_value</i> <b>set-key</b> { <b>ascii</b> [ <b>0</b>   <b>8</b> ] <i>pre-shared-key</i>   <b>hex</b> [ <b>0</b>   <b>8</b> ] <i>pre-shared-key</i> }	Configures PSK priority and all its related passwords.	
	Example:	The <i>priority_value</i> ranges from 0 to 4.	
	<pre>Device(config-mpsk)# priority 0 set-key   ascii 0 deadbeef</pre>	Note You need to configure <b>priority 0</b> key for multi-PSK.	
Step 7	no shutdown	Enables WLAN.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-mpsk)# <b>no shutdown</b>		
Step 8	exit	Exits WLAN configuration mode and returns to configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>exit</b>		

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 9	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# **Verifying Multi-PSK Configurations**

To verify the configuration of a WLAN and a client, use the following command:

Device# show wlan id 8	
WLAN Profile Name : wlan_8	
Identifier	: 8
Network Name (SSID)	: ssid 8
Status	: Enabled
Broadcast SSID	: Enabled
Universal AP Admin	: Disabled
Max Associated Clients per WLAN	: 0
Max Associated Clients per AP per WLAN	: 0
Max Associated Clients per AP Radio per WLAN	: 200
Number of Active Clients	: 0
CHD per WLAN	: Enabled
Multicast Interface	: Unconfigured
WMM	: Allowed
WifiDirect	: Invalid
Channel Scan Defer Priority:	
Priority (default)	: 5
Priority (default)	: 6
Scan Defer Time (msecs)	: 100
Media Stream Multicast-direct	: Disabled
CCX - AironetIe Support	: Enabled
CCX - Diagnostics Channel Capability	: Disabled
Peer-to-Peer Blocking Action	: Disabled
Radio Policy	: All
DTIM period for 802.11a radio	: 1
DTIM period for 802.11b radio	: 1
Local EAP Authentication	: Disabled
Mac Filter Authorization list name	: Disabled
Mac Filter Override Authorization list name	: Disabled
Accounting list name	:
802.1x authentication list name	: Disabled
802.1x authorization list name	: Disabled
Security	
802.11 Authentication	: Open System
Static WEP Keys	: Disabled
802.1X	: Disabled
Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA/WPA2/WPA3)	: Enabled
WPA (SSN IE)	: Disabled
WPA2 (RSN IE)	: Enabled
MPSK	: Enabled
AES Cipher	: Enabled
CCMP256 Cipher	: Disabled
GCMP128 Cipher	: Disabled
GCMP256 Cipher	: Disabled
WPA3 (WPA3 IE)	: Disabled
Auth Key Management	• Disphled
802.1x	: Disabled
PSK	: Enabled

CCKM	:	Disabled
FT dot1x		Disabled
FT PSK		Disabled
FT SAE	:	Disabled
PMF dot1x	:	Disabled
PMF PSK	:	Disabled
SAE	:	Disabled
OWE	:	Disabled
SUITEB-1X	:	Disabled
SUITEB192-1X	:	Disabled
CCKM TSF Tolerance	:	1000
FT Support	:	Adaptive
FT Reassociation Timeout	:	20
FT Over-The-DS mode	:	Enabled
PMF Support	:	Disabled
PMF Association Comeback Timeout	:	1
PMF SA Query Time	:	200
Web Based Authentication	:	Disabled
Conditional Web Redirect	:	Disabled
Splash-Page Web Redirect	:	Disabled
Webauth On-mac-filter Failure	:	Disabled
Webauth Authentication List Name	:	Disabled
Webauth Authorization List Name	:	Disabled
Webauth Parameter Map		Disabled
Tkip MIC Countermeasure Hold-down Timer	:	60
Non Cisco WGB	:	Disabled
Band Select	:	Enabled
Load Balancing	:	Disabled
Multicast Buffer	:	Disabled
Multicast Buffer Size	:	0
IP Source Guard	:	Disabled
Assisted-Roaming		
Neighbor List		Disabled
Prediction List		Disabled
Dual Band Support	:	Disabled
IEEE 802.11v parameters		
Directed Multicast Service		Disabled
BSS Max Idle		Disabled
Protected Mode		Disabled
Traffic Filtering Service		Disabled
BSS Transition		Enabled
Disassociation Imminent		Disabled
Optimised Roaming Timer		40
Timer		200
WNM Sleep Mode		Disabled
802.11ac MU-MIMO	:	Disabled
802.11ax paramters		,
OFDMA Downlink		unknown
OFDMA Uplink		unknown
MU-MIMO Downlink		unknown
MU-MIMO Uplink		unknown
BSS Color		unknown
Partial BSS Color		unknown
BSS Color Code	:	

#### To view the WLAN details, use the following command:

```
Device# show run wlan
wlan wlan_8 8 ssid_8
security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 deadbeef
no security wpa akm dot1x
security wpa akm psk
security wpa wpa2 mpsk
priority 0 set-key ascii 0 deadbeef
priority 1 set-key ascii 0 deaddead
```



# **Multiple Authentications for a Client**

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# **Information About Multiple Authentications for a Client**

Multiple Authentication feature is an extension of Layer 2 and Layer 3 security types supported for client join.

Note You can enable both L2 and L3 authentication for a given SSID.

**Note** The Multiple Authentication feature is applicable for regular clients only.

### Information About Supported Combination of Authentications for a Client

The Multiple Authentications for a Client feature supports multiple combination of authentications for a given client configured in the WLAN profile.

The following table outlines the supported combination of authentications:

Layer 2	Layer 3	Supported
MAB	CWA	Yes
MAB Failure	LWA	Yes
802.1X	CWA	Yes
PSK	CWA	Yes
iPSK + MAB	CWA	Yes
iPSK	LWA	No

MAB Failure + PSK	LWA	No
MAB Failure + PSK	CWA	No

From 16.10.1 onwards, 802.1X configurations on WLAN support web authentication configurations with WPA or WPA2 configuration.

The feature also supports the following AP modes:

- Local
- FlexConnect
- Fabric

# **Configuring Multiple Authentications for a Client**

### Configuring WLAN for 802.1X and Local Web Authentication (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	Select the required WLAN from the list of WLANs displayed.
Step 3	Choose <b>Security</b> > <b>Layer2</b> tab.
Step 4	Select the security method from the Layer 2 Security Mode drop-down list.
Step 5	In the Auth Key Mgmt, check the 802.1x check box.
Step 6	Check the MAC Filtering check box to enable the feature.
Step 7	After MAC Filtering is enabled, from the Authorization List drop-down list, choose an option.
Step 8	Choose <b>Security</b> > <b>Layer3</b> tab.
Step 9	Check the Web Policy check box to enable web authentication policy.
Step 10	From the Web Auth Parameter Map and the Authentication List drop-down lists, choose an option.
Step 11	Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring WLAN for 802.1X and Local Web Authentication (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	Command or Action wlan profile-name wlan-id SSID_Name Example: Device(config) # wlan wlan-test 3 ssid-test	<ul> <li>Purpose</li> <li>Enters WLAN configuration sub-mode.</li> <li><i>profile-name</i>: Profile name of the configured WLAN.</li> <li><i>wlan-id</i>: Wireless LAN identifier. Range is from 1 to 512.</li> <li><i>SSID_Name</i>: SSID that can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.</li> <li>Note If you have already configured this command, enter the wlan profile-name command.</li> </ul>
Step 3	<pre>security dot1x authentication-list auth-list-name Example: Device(config-wlan)# security dot1x authentication-list default</pre>	Enables security authentication list for dot1x security. The configuration is similar for all dot1x security WLANs.
Step 4	<pre>security web-auth Example: Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth</pre>	Enables web authentication.
Step 5	<pre>security web-auth authentication-list authenticate-list-name Example: Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth authentication-list default</pre>	Enables authentication list for dot1x security.
Step 6	<pre>security web-auth parameter-map parameter-map-name Example: Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth parameter-map WLAN1_MAP</pre>	Maps the parameter map.         Note       If a parameter map is not associated with a WLAN, the configuration is considered from the global parameter map.
Step 7	<pre>no shutdown Example: Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown</pre>	Enables the WLAN.

#### Example

```
wlan wlan-test 3 ssid-test
  security dot1x authentication-list default
  security web-auth
  security web-auth authentication-list default
```

security web-auth parameter-map WLAN1\_MAP no shutdown

# **Configuring WLAN for Preshared Key (PSK) and Local Web Authentication** (GUI)

#### Procedure

Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	Select the required WLAN.
Step 3	Choose Security > Layer2 tab.
Step 4	Select the security method from the Layer 2 Security Mode drop-down list.
Step 5	In the Auth Key Mgmt, uncheck the 802.1x check box.
Step 6	Check the <b>PSK</b> check box.
Step 7	Enter the <b>Pre-Shared Key</b> and choose the PSK Format from the <b>PSK Format</b> drop-down list and the PSK Type from the <b>PSK Type</b> drop-down list.
Step 8	Choose Security > Layer3 tab.
Step 9	Check the Web Policy checkbox to enable web authentication policy.
Step 10	Choose the Web Auth Parameter Map from the <b>Web Auth Parameter Map</b> drop-down list and the authentication list from the <b>Authentication List</b> drop-down list.
Step 11	Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring WLAN for Preshared Key (PSK) and Local Web Authentication**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id SSID_Name	Enters WLAN configuration sub-mode.
	Example:	• profile-name- Is the profile name of the
	Device (config) # wlan wlan-test 3	configured WLAN.
	ssid-test	• <i>wlan-id</i> - Is the wireless LAN identifier. Range is from 1 to 512.
		• <i>SSID_Name</i> - Is the SSID which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.

Command or Action		Purpose	
	Note	If you have already configured this command, enter <b>wlan</b> <i>profile-name</i> command.	
security wpa psk set-key ascii/hex key password	Configures the PSK shared key.		
Example:			
Device(config-wlan)# security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 PASSWORD			
no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables	s security AKM for dot1x.	
Example:			
Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x			
security wpa akm psk	Configures the PSK support.		
Example:			
Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm psk			
security web-auth	Enables	web authentication for WLAN.	
Example:			
<pre>Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth</pre>			
security web-auth authentication-list authenticate-list-name	Enables	authentication list for dot1x security.	
Example:			
<pre>Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth authentication-list webauth</pre>			
security web-auth parameter-map	Configures the parameter map.		
parameter-map-name	Note	If parameter map is not associated	
Example:		with a WLAN, the configuration is	
<pre>(config-wlan) # security web-auth parameter-map WLAN1_MAP</pre>		considered from the global parameter map.	
	security wpa psk set-key ascii/hex key password         Example:         Device(config-wlan)# security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 PASSWORD         no security wpa akm dot1x         Example:         Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x         security wpa akm psk         Example:         Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x         security wpa akm psk         Example:         Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm psk         security web-auth         Example:         Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm psk         security web-auth         Example:         Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth         security web-auth authentication-list authenticate-list-name         Example:         Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth authentication-list authentication-list webauth         security web-auth parameter-map parameter-map parameter-map parameter-map-name         Example:         (config-wlan)# security web-auth	security wpa psk set-key ascii/hex key       Configure         password       Example:         Device (config-wlan) # security wpa psk       Security wpa akm dot1x         Device (config-wlan) # no security wpa akm dot1x       Disables         Example:       Device (config-wlan) # no security wpa akm dot1x         Security wpa akm psk       Configure         Example:       Device (config-wlan) # no security wpa akm dot1x         Security wpa akm psk       Configure         Example:       Device (config-wlan) # security wpa akm psk         Security web-auth       Enables         Example:       Device (config-wlan) # security web-auth         Security web-auth authentication-list authenticate-list-name       Enables         Example:       Device (config-wlan) # security web-auth authentication-list webauth         Security web-auth parameter-map parameter-map-name       Configure         Example:       (config-wlan) # security web-auth	

#### Example

```
wlan wlan-test 3 ssid-test
security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 PASSWORD
no security wpa akm dot1x
security wpa akm psk
security web-auth
security web-auth authentication-list webauth
security web-auth parameter-map WLAN1_MAP
```

### Configuring WLAN for PSK or Identity Preshared Key (iPSK) and Central Web Authentication (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	Select the required WLAN.
Step 3	Choose <b>Security</b> > <b>Layer2</b> tab.
Step 4	Select the security method from the Layer 2 Security Mode drop-down list.
Step 5	In the Auth Key Mgmt, uncheck the 802.1x check box.
Step 6	Check the <b>PSK</b> check box.
Step 7	Enter the <b>Pre-Shared Key</b> and choose the PSK Format from the <b>PSK Format</b> drop-down list and the PSK Type from the <b>PSK Type</b> drop-down list.
Step 8	Check the MAC Filtering check box to enable the feature.
Step 9	With MAC Filtering enabled, choose the Authorization List from the Authorization List drop-down list.
Step 10	Choose <b>Security</b> > <b>Layer3</b> tab.
Step 11	Check the Web Policy checkbox to enable web authentication policy.
Step 12	Choose the Web Auth Parameter Map from the <b>Web Auth Parameter Map</b> drop-down list and the authentication list from the <b>Authentication List</b> drop-down list.
Step 13	Click Update & Apply to Device.

# Configuring WLAN for PSK or Identity Preshared Key (iPSK) and Central Web Authentication

#### **Configuring WLAN**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id SSID_Name	Enters WLAN configuration sub-mode.
	Example:	• profile-name - Is the profile name of the
	Device(config)# wlan wlan-test 3	configured WLAN.
	ssid-test	• wlan-id - Is the wireless LAN identifier.
		Range is from 1 to 512.

	Command or Action	Purpose	
		• <i>SSID_Name</i> - Is the SSID which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.	
		<b>Note</b> If you have already configured this command, enter <b>wlan</b> <i>profile-nam</i> command.	
Step 3	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dotlx	m	
Step 4	security wpa psk set-key ascii/hex key password	Configures the PSK AKM shared key.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 PASSWORD		
Step 5	mac-filtering auth-list-name	Sets the MAC filtering parameters.	
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# mac-filtering test-auth-list</pre>		

#### Example

```
wlan wlan-test 3 ssid-test
no security wpa akm dot1x
security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 PASSWORD
mac-filtering test-auth-list
```

### **Applying Policy Profile to a WLAN**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy policy-profile-name	Configures the default policy profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy policy-iot</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	aaa-override	Configures AAA override to apply policies
	Example:	coming from the AAA or ISE servers.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# aaa-override	
Step 4	nac	Configures NAC in the policy profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# <b>nac</b>	
Step 5	no shutdown	Shutdown the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# no shutdown	
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# end	

#### Example

```
wireless profile policy policy-iot
aaa-override
nac
no shutdown
```

## **Verifying Multiple Authentication Configurations**

#### **Layer 2 Authentication**

After L2 authentication (Dot1x) is complete, the client is moved to Webauth Pending state.

To verify the client state after L2 authentication, use the following commands:

```
URL Redirect ACL: IP-Adm-V6-Int-ACL-global
Service Template: IP-Adm-V4-Int-ACL-global (priority 100)
URL Redirect ACL: IP-Adm-V4-Int-ACL-global
Service Template: wlan svc default-policy-profile local (priority 254)
Absolute-Timer: 1800
VLAN: 50
Device# show platform software wireless-client chassis active R0
     ID MAC Address
                    WLAN Client State
_____
 0xa0000003 58ef.68b6.aa60 3
                                     L3
                                              Authentication
Device# show platform software wireless-client chassis active F0
   ID
      MAC Address WLAN Client
                               State AOM ID Status
0xa0000003 58ef.68b6.aa60 3 L3 Authentication. 730.
Done
Device# show platform hardware chassis active qfp feature wireless wlclient cpp-client
summary
Client Type Abbreviations:
RG - REGULAR BLE - BLE
HL - HALO LI - LWFL INT
Auth State Abbrevations:
UK - UNKNOWN IP - LEARN IP IV - INVALID
L3 - L3 AUTH RN - RUN
Mobility State Abbreviations:
UK - UNKNOWN IN - INIT
LC - LOCAL
              AN -
MT - MTE
                  AN - ANCHOR
FR - FOREIGN
IV - INVALID
EoGRE Abbreviations:
N - NON EOGRE Y - EOGRE
CPP IF H DP IDX MAC Address VLAN CT MCVL AS MS E WLAN
                                                          POA
_____
0X49 0XA0000003 58ef.68b6.aa60 50 RG 0 L3 LC N wlan-test 0x90000003
Device# show platform hardware chassis active qfp feature wireless wlclient datapath summary
Vlan DP IDX MAC Address VLAN CT MCVL AS MS E WLAN POA
_____
0X49 0xa0000003 58ef.68b6.aa60 50 RG 0 L3 LC N wlan-test 0x90000003
```

#### **Layer 3 Authentication**

Once L3 authentication is successful, the client is moved to Run state.

To verify the client state after L3 authentication, use the following commands:

Device# show wireless client summary

```
Device# show wireless client mac-address 58ef.68b6.aa60 detail
Auth Method Status List
Method: Web Auth
Webauth State: Authz
Webauth Method: Webauth
Local Policies:
Service Template: wlan svc default-policy-profile local (priority 254)
Absolute-Timer: 1800
VI.AN: 50
Server Policies:
Resultant Policies:
VLAN: 50
Absolute-Timer: 1800
Device# show platform software wireless-client chassis active R0
ID
        MAC Address WLAN Client State
_____
0xa0000001 58ef.68b6.aa60 3
                               Run
Device# show platform software wireless-client chassis active f0
                     WLAN Client State AOM ID. Status
ΤD
       MAC Address
_____
                       _____
0xa0000001 58ef.68b6.aa60. 3
                              Run 11633 Done
Device# show platform hardware chassis active qfp feature wireless wlclient cpp-client
summary
Client Type Abbreviations:
RG - REGULAR BLE - BLE
HL - HALO
          LI - LWFL INT
Auth State Abbrevations:
UK - UNKNOWN IP - LEARN IP IV - INVALID
L3 - L3 AUTH RN - RUN
Mobility State Abbreviations:
UK - UNKNOWN IN - INIT
LC - LOCAL
              AN - ANCHOR
              MT – MTE
FR - FOREIGN
IV - INVALID
EoGRE Abbreviations:
N - NON EOGRE Y - EOGRE
CPP IF_H DP IDX
                 MAC Address VLAN CT MCVL AS MS E WLAN
                                                         POA
_____
                                                  _____
    0XA0000003 58ef.68b6.aa60 50 RG 0 RN LC N wlan-test 0x90000003
0X49
Device# show platform hardware chassis active qfp feature wireless wlclient datapath summary
Vlan pal if hd1
                  mac Input Uidb Output Uidb
_ _
50
    0xa0000003 58ef.68b6.aa60
                               95929
                                            95927
```

#### Verifying PSK+Webauth Configuration

Device# show wlan summary

Load for five secs: 0%/0%; one minute: 0%; five minutes: 0% Time source is NTP, 12:08:32.941 CEST Tue Oct 6 2020

Number of WLANs: 1

ID Profile Name SSID Status Security

23 Gladius1-PSKWEBAUTH Gladius1-PSKWEBAUTH UP [WPA2][PSK][AES],[Web Auth]



# **Information About Cisco Umbrella WLAN**

The Cisco Umbrella WLAN provides a cloud-delivered network security service at the Domain Name System (DNS) level, with automatic detection of both known and emergent threats.

This feature allows you to block sites that host malware, bot networks, and phishing before they actually become malicious.

Cisco Umbrella WLAN provides the following:

- Policy configuration per user group at a single point.
- Policy configuration per network, group, user, device, or IP address.

The following is the policy priority order:

- 1. Local policy
- 2. AP group
- 3. WLAN
- Visual security activity dashboard in real time with aggregated reports.
- Schedule and send reports through email.
- Support up to 60 content categories, with a provision to add custom allowed list and blocked list entries.

This feature does not work in the following scenarios:

- If an application or host use an IP address directly, instead of using DNS to query domain names.
- If a client is connected to a web proxy and does not send a DNS query to resolve the server address.
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# Registering Embedded Wireless Controller to Cisco Umbrella Account

#### **Before you Begin**

- You should have an account with Cisco Umbrella.
- You should have an API token from Cisco Umbrella.

The embedded wireless controller is registered to Cisco Umbrella server using the Umbrella parameter map. Each of the Umbrella parameter map must have an API token. The Cisco Umbrella responds with the device ID for the embedded wireless controller. The device ID has a 1:1 mapping with the Umbrella parameter map name.

#### Fetching API token for Embedded Wireless Controller from Cisco Umbrella Dashboard

From Cisco Umbrella dashboard, verify that your embedded wireless controller shows up under Device Name, along with their identities.

#### Applying the API Token on Embedded Wireless Controller

Registers the Cisco Umbrella API token on the network.

#### **DNS Query and Response**

Once the device is registered and Umbrella parameter map is configured on WLAN, the DNS queries from clients joining the WLAN are redirected to the Umbrella DNS resolver.



**Note** This is applicable for all domains not configured in the local domain RegEx parameter map.

The queries and responses are encrypted based on the DNScrypt option in the Umbrella parameter map.

For more information on the Cisco Umbrella configurations, see the Integration for ISR 4K and ISR 1100 – Security Configuration Guide.

#### **Limitations and Considerations**

The limitations and considerations for this feature are as follows:

- You will be able to apply the wireless Cisco Umbrella profiles to wireless entities, such as, WLAN or AP groups, if the device registration is successful.
- In case of L3 mobility, the Cisco Umbrella must be applied on the anchor embedded wireless controller always.
- When two DNS servers are configured under DHCP, two Cisco Umbrella server IPs are sent to the client from DHCP option 6. If only one DNS server is present under DHCP, only one Cisco Umbrella server IP is sent as part of DHCP option 6.

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# **Configuring Cisco Umbrella WLAN**

To configure Cisco Umbrella on the embedded wireless controller, perform the following:

- You must have the API token from the Cisco Umbrella dashboard.
- You must have the root certificate to establish HTTPS connection with the Cisco Umbrella registration server: api.opendns.com. You must import the root certificate from **digicert.com** to the embedded wireless controller using the **crypto pki trustpool import terminal** command.

### **Importing CA Certificate to the Trust Pool**

#### Before you begin

The following section covers details about how to fetch the root certificate and establish HTTPS connection with the Cisco Umbrella registration server:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	Perform either of the following tasks:	
	• crypto pki trustpool import url url	
	Device(config)# crypto pki trustpool import url http://www.cisco.com/security/pki/trs/ios.p7b	
	Imports the root certificate directly from the Cisco website.	
	<b>Note</b> The Trustpool bundle contains the root certificate of <i>digicert.com</i> together with other CA certificates.	
	• crypto pki trustpool import terminal	
	Device(config)# crypto pki trustpool import terminal	
	Imports the root certificate by executing the import terminal command.	
	• Enter PEM-formatted CA certificate from the following location: See the Related Information section to download the CA certificate.	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	BEGIN CERTIFICATE	
	MEGCAKANBAQIJINAWE9K11A/HABABAAKAMBAFABAAWQDAQ	5
	Evizermalkimkirinaqirbirrerizqisedazirinaqi2915	7
	HINQIECENIQYAHKEYNGIBAHQAEVOMENOMEROMEN	7
	MINIMSCABNEYAMREMIQEWERD24dBbeKABNEMIE	þ
	ZZDXOHNJESCEJOBJ ZDMJAQEMIEJABJ CKOMBQEACA3AM	
	CHCHERICELLER RELEARED ENTRY AND A CONTRACT OF	
	EM#2%IHIQUUSAUEXI57H4UE7EQQE9K0wEdr9/100rTCR18DH	
	VIRUUBADIINIKKOUVINIRALE//i-ph/Inviektriv80465666600421178	
	mzłźDJEKINER/UDWQGZEGYK/U4hyEKIRĄEKINOCOWEKI	
	Ka783HEb08LzZliczonicEXRLIIIAKcf82DQRABEjC2aoMQDR0EE	
	EdouppSeef25550ChMBALCLQMBAF4EDW01725Cj4tbv5gREVAA	
	ALIDE%QANBIABNESEFABGBEEGLAXKWEGLAMEMOROLQHEG	
	BEWEREBUERBERUERBERUERBERUERUERUERUERUERUERUERUERUERUERUERUERUE	
	InthergreffedaxCHR0dxi2Yt2ydMX3raWlcQi291CR22U2XCR2	
	YHIIAANHIIYIBBIVHEIBMENAAJKIKOSKIBMIJAYDAYD244C552	
	KIRUCHIQIWS2QEI3BAENAIJKIROSAG1240552	
	KIHUCHIGIWSEZQEISIMAALIAQMOBMZEMAKAZZEMQEAQ	
	BELACHABINQENWQXKZIWADEAGFEAELDE69MJOIKWE	
	35H/HET/LIKATIONE3HDOrf/KUPSCKQJ/2557kkHHLphint/E54cH/46546748	
	uxHcftulBrpj5223bHNUkwc/HQhMaxBwtIwcBj7/WhoK245sh	
	50g66ssnKhMicg0qg0A4HCjMbWKiKpPt2IFMInclwcj20:Qj719xKbj42	
	Kilestukapit9xzEbingcppjczZCBXfzEkUSACBXItzWODE18s511k	
	SaZMkE4f97Q=	
	END CERTIFICATE	
	Imports the root certificate by pasting the	
	CA certificate from the <b>digicert.com</b> .	
Step 3	quit	Imports the root certificate by entering the <b>quit</b>
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	Example:	command.
	Device(config)# <b>quit</b>	<b>Note</b> You will receive a message after the certificate has been imported.

# **Creating a Local Domain RegEx Parameter Map**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type regex parameter-map-name	Creates a regex parameter map.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # parameter-map type regex dns_wl	
Step 3	pattern regex-pattern	Configures the regex pattern to match.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example: Device(config-profile)# pattern www.google.com	<ul> <li>Note The following patterns are supported:</li> <li>Begins with .*. For example: .*facebook.com</li> <li>Begins with .* and ends with * . For example: .*google*</li> <li>Begins with * . For example: *facebook.com</li> <li>Begins with * and ends with *. For example: *google*</li> <li>Ends with *. For example: www.facebook*</li> <li>No special character. For example: www.facebook.com</li> </ul>
Step 4	<pre>end Example: Device(config-profile)# end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

### **Configuring Parameter Map Name in WLAN (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Policy.
Step 2	Click on the Policy Profile Name. The Edit Policy Profile window is displayed.
Step 3	Choose the <b>Advanced</b> tab.
Step 4	In the Umbrella settings, from the Umbrella Parameter Map drop-down list, choose the parameter map.
Step 5	Enable or disable Flex DHCP Option for DNS and DNS Traffic Redirect toggle buttons.
Step 6	Click Update & Apply to Device.

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### **Configuring the Umbrella Parameter Map**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type umbrella global	Creates an umbrella global parameter map.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# parameter-map type umbrella global	
Step 3	token token-value	Configures an umbrella token.
	Example:	
	Device(config-profile)# token 5xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	
Step 4	local-domain regex-parameter-map-name	Configures local domain RegEx parameter map
	Example:	
	Device(config-profile)# local-domain dns_wl	
Step 5	<b>resolver</b> { <b>IPv4</b> <i>X.X.X.X</i>   <b>IPv6</b> <i>X:X:X:X:X</i> }	Configures the Anycast address. The default
	Example:	address is applied when there is no specific address configured.
	<pre>Device(config-profile)# resolver IPv6 10:1:1:1:10</pre>	
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-profile)# end	

### Enabling or Disabling DNScrypt (GUI)

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Threat Defence > Umbrella.
Step 2	Enter the <b>Registration Token</b> received from Umbrella. Alternatively, you can click on <b>Click here to get your Token</b> to get the token from Umbrella.
Step 3	Enter the Whitelist Domains that you want to exclude from filtering.
Step 4	Check or uncheck the Enable DNS Packets Encryption check box to encrypt or decrypt the DNS packets.
Step 5	Click <b>Apply</b> .

### **Enabling or Disabling DNScrypt**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type umbrella global	Creates an umbrella global parameter map.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# parameter-map type umbrella global	
Step 3	[no] dnscrypt	Enables or disables DNScrypt.
	Example:	By default, the DNScrypt option is enabled.
	Device(config-profile)# no dnscrypt	<b>Note</b> Cisco Umbrella DNScrypt is not supported when DNS-encrypted responses are sent in the data-DTLS encrypted tunnel (either mobility tunnel or AP CAPWAP tunnel).
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-profile)# end	

### **Configuring Timeout for UDP Sessions**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type umbrella global	Creates an umbrella global parameter map.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# parameter-map type umbrella global	
Step 3	udp-timeout timeout_value	Configures timeout value for UDP sessions.
	Example:	The <i>timeout_value</i> ranges from 1 to 30 seconds
	Device(config-profile)# udp-timeout 2	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
		Note The public-key and resolver parameter-map options are automatically populated with the default values. So, you need not change them.
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	<pre>Example: Device(config-profile)# end</pre>	

### **Configuring Parameter Map Name in WLAN (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Policy.
Step 2	Click on the Policy Profile Name. The Edit Policy Profile window is displayed.
Step 3	Choose the <b>Advanced</b> tab.
Step 4	In the Umbrella settings, from the Umbrella Parameter Map drop-down list, choose the parameter map.
Step 5	Enable or disable Flex DHCP Option for DNS and DNS Traffic Redirect toggle buttons.
Step 6	Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring Parameter Map Name in WLAN**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy profile-name	Creates policy profile for the WLAN.
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# wireless profile policy default-policy-profile</pre>	The <i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the policy profile.
Step 3	umbrella-param-map umbrella-name	Configures the Umbrella OpenDNS feature for
	Example:	the WLAN.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# umbrella-param-map global	

Command or Action	Purpose
	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

### Verifying the Cisco Umbrella Configuration

To view the Umbrella configuration details, use the following command:

To view the Umbrella DNSCrypt details, use the following command:

Certificate Update Status: In Progress

To view the Umbrella global parameter map details, use the following command:

Device# show parameter-map type umbrella global

To view the regex parameter map details, use the following command:

Device# show parameter-map type regex <parameter-map-name>

To view the Umbrella details on the AP, use the following command:

AP#show client opendns summary Server-IP role 208.67.220.220 Primary 208.67.222.222 Secondary

Server-IP role 2620:119:53::53 Primary 2620:119:35::35 Secondary

Wlan Id DHCP OpenDNS Override Force Mode
0 true false
1 false false
...
15 false false
Profile-name Profile-id

```
vj-1 010a29b176b34108
```

global 010a57bf502c85d4 vj-2 010ae385ce6c1256 AP0010.10A7.1000#

Client to profile command

AP#show client opendns address 50:3e:aa:ce:50:17 Client-mac Profile-name 50:3E:AA:CE:50:17 vj-1 AP0010.10A7.1000#



# **Locally Significant Certificates**

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### Information About Locally Significant Certificates

This module explains how to configure the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points and Lightweight Access Points (LAPs) to use the Locally Significant Certificate (LSC). If you choose the Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) with LSC, you can generate the LSC on the APs and embedded wireless controllers. You can then use the certificates to mutually authenticate the embedded wireless controller and the APs.

In Cisco embedded wireless controllers, you can configure the embedded wireless controller to use an LSC. Use an LSC if you want your own PKI to provide better security, have control of your Certificate Authority (CA), and define policies, restrictions, and usages on the generated certificates.

You need to provision the new LSC certificate on the embedded wireless controller and then the Lightweight Access Point (LAP) from the CA Server.

The LAP communicates with the embedded wireless controller using the CAPWAP protocol. Any request to sign the certificate and issue the CA certificates for LAP and embedded wireless controller itself must be initiated from the embedded wireless controller. The LAP does not communicate directly with the CA server. The CA server details must be configured on the embedded wireless controller and must be accessible.

The embedded wireless controller makes use of the Simple Certificate Enrollment Protocol (SCEP) to forward certReqs generated on the devices to the CA and makes use of SCEP again to get the signed certificates from the CA.

The SCEP is a certificate management protocol that the PKI clients and CA servers use to support certificate enrollment and revocation. It is widely used in Cisco and supported by many CA servers. In SCEP, HTTP is used as the transport protocol for the PKI messages. The primary goal of SCEP is the secure issuance of certificates to network devices. SCEP is capable of many operations, but for our release, SCEP is utilized for the following operations:

• CA and Router Advertisement (RA) Public Key Distribution

Certificate Enrollment

### **Certificate Provisioning in Controllers**

The new LSC certificates, both CA and device certificates, must be installed on the controller.

With the help of SCEP, CA certificates are received from the CA server. During this point, there are no certificates in the controller. After the **get** operation of obtaining the CA certificates, are installed on the controller. The same CA certificates are also pushed to the APs when the APs are provisioned with LSCs.

### **Device Certificate Enrollment Operation**

For both the LAP and the controller that request a CA-signed certificate, the certRequest is sent as a PKCS#10 message. The certRequest contains the Subject Name, Public Key, and other attributes to be included in the X.509 certificate, and must be digitally signed by the Private Key of the requester. These are then sent to the CA, which transforms the certRequest into an X.509 certificate.

The CA that receives a PKCS#10 certRequest requires additional information to authenticate the requester's identity and verify if the request is unaltered. (Sometimes, PKCS#10 is combined with other approaches, such as PKCS#7 to send and receive the certificate request or response.)

The PKCS#10 is wrapped in a PKCS#7 Signed Data message type. This is supported as part of the SCEP client functionality, while the PKCSReq message is sent to the controller. Upon successful enrollment operation, both the CA and device certificates are available on the controller.

### **Certificate Provisioning on Lightweight Access Point**

In order to provision a new certificate on LAP, while in CAPWAP mode, the LAP must be able to get the new signed X.509 certificate. In order to do this, it sends a certRequest to the controller, which acts as a CA proxy and helps obtain the certRequest signed by the CA for the LAP.

The certReq and the certResponses are sent to the LAP with the LWAPP payloads.

Both the LSC CA and the LAP device certificates are installed in the LAP, and the system reboots automatically. The next time when the system comes up, because it is configured to use LSCs, the AP sends the LSC device certificate to the controller as part of the JOIN Request. As part of the JOIN Response, the controller sends the new device certificate and also validates the inbound LAP certificate with the new CA root certificate.

#### What to Do Next

To configure, authorize, and manage certificate enrollment with the existing PKI infrastructure for controller and AP, you need to use the LSC provisioning functionality.

# **Restrictions for Locally Significant Certificates**

- LSC workflow is different in FIPS+WLANCC mode. CA server must support Enrollment over Secure Transport (EST) protocol and should be capable of issuing EC certificates in FIPS+WLANCC mode.
- Elliptic Curve Digital Signature Algorithm (ECDSA) cipher works only if both AP and controller are having EC certificates, provisioned with LSC.

- EC certificates (LSC-EC) can be provisioned only if CA server supports EST (and not SCEP).
- FIPS + CC security modes is required to be configured in order to provision EC certificate.

# **Provisioning Locally Significant Certificates**

### **Configuring RSA Key for PKI Trustpoint**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	crypto key generate rsa [exportable]	Configures RSA key for PKI trustpoint.
	general-keys modulus <i>key_size</i> label <i>RSA_key</i>	<b>exportable</b> is an optional keyword. You may or may not want to configure an exportable-key.
	Example: Device(config)# crypto key generate rsa exportable	If a last a sure and any and the last and af the
	general-keys modulus 2048 label lsc-tp	• <i>key_size</i> : Size of the key modulus. The valid range is from 2048 to 4096.
		• <i>RSA_key</i> : RSA key pair label.
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	

### **Configuring PKI Trustpoint Parameters**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	crypto pki trustpoint trustpoint_name Example: Device(config)# crypto pki trustpoint microsoft-ca	Creates a new trustpoint for an external CA server. Here, <i>trustpoint_name</i> refers to the trustpoint name.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	enrollment url <i>HTTP_URL</i> Example:	Specifies the URL of the CA on which your router should send certificate requests.
	Device(ca-trustpoint)# enrollment url http://CA_server/certsrv/mscep/mscep.dll	<b>url</b> <i>url</i> : URL of the file system where your router should send certificate requests. An IPv6 address can be added in the URL enclosed in brackets. For example: http:// [2001:DB8:1:1::1]:80. For more enrollment method options, see the enrollment url (ca-trustpoint) command page.
Step 4	subject-name subject_name	Creates subject name parameters for the trustpoint.
	Example:	
	Device(ca-trustpoint)# <b>subject-name C=IN</b> ,	
	ST=KA, L=Bengaluru, O=Cisco, CN=eagle-eye/emailAddress=support@abc.com	
Step 5	rsakeypair RSA_key key_size	Maps RSA key with that of the trustpoint.
	Example:	• <i>RSA_key</i> : RSA key pair label.
	Device(ca-trustpoint)# <b>rsakeypair</b> ewlc-tpl	• <i>key_size</i> : Signature key length. Range is from 360 to 4096.
Step 6	revocation {crl   none   ocsp}	Checks revocation.
	Example:	
	Device(ca-trustpoint)# revocation none	
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(ca-trustpoint)# end	

### Authenticating and Enrolling a PKI Trustpoint (GUI)

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Security** > **PKI Management**.
- **Step 2** In the **PKI Management** window, click the **Trustpoints** tab.
- **Step 3** In the **Add Trustpoint** dialog box, provide the following information:
  - a) In the Label field, enter the RSA key label.
  - b) In the Enrollment URL field, enter the enrollment URL.
  - c) Check the Authenticate check box to authenticate the Public Certificate from the enrollment URL.
  - d) In the Subject Name section, enter the Country Code, State, Location, Organisation, Domain Name, and Email Address.

- e) Check the **Key Generated** check box to view the available RSA keypairs. Choose an option from the **Available RSA Keypairs** drop-down list.
- f) Check the Enroll Trustpoint check box.
- g) In the **Password** field, enter the password.
- h) In the Re-Enter Password field, confirm the password.
- i) Click Apply to Device.

The new trustpoint is added to the trustpoint name list.

### Authenticating and Enrolling the PKI Trustpoint with CA Server (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	crypto pki authenticate trustpoint_name	Fetches the CA certificate.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# crypto pki authenticate microsoft-ca	
Step 3	yes	
	Example:	
	Device(config)# % Do you accept this certificate? [yes/no]: yes Trustpoint CA certificate accepted.	
Step 4	crypto pki enroll trustpoint_name	Enrolls the client certificate.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# crypto pki enroll	
	microsoft-ca %	
	<pre>% Start certificate enrollment</pre>	
	% Create a challenge password. You will need to verbally	
	provide this password to the CA	
	Administrator in order to revoke your certificate. For security	
	reasons your password	
	will not be saved in the configuration. Please make a note of it.	
Step 5	password	Enters a challenge password to the CA server
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>abcd123</b>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 6	password	Re-enters a challenge password to the CA
	Example:	server.
	Device(config)# <b>abcd123</b>	
Step 7	yes	
	Example:	
	Device(config)# % Include the router	
	<pre>serial number in the subject name? [yes/no]: yes</pre>	
Stop 0		
Step 8	no	
	Example:	
	Device(config)# % Include an IP address	
	in the subject name? [no]: no	
Step 9	yes	
	Example:	
	Device(config)#	
	Request certificate from CA? [yes/no]:	
	yes % Certificate request sent to	
	Certificate Authority	
	% The 'show crypto pki certificate	
	verbose client' command will show the	
	fingerprint.	
Step 10	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # end	

# **Configuring AP Join Attempts with LSC Certificate (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > Wireless > Access Points.
Step 2	In the All Access Points window, click the LSC Provision name.
Step 3	From the Status drop-down list, choose a status to enable LSC.
Step 4	From the Trustpoint Name drop-down list, choose the trustpoint.
Step 5	In the Number of Join Attempts field, enter the number of retry attempts that will be permitted.
Step 6	Click Apply.

### **Configuring AP Join Attempts with LSC Certificate (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ap lsc-provision join-attempt         number_of_attempts         Example:	Specifies the maximum number of AP join failure attempts with the newly provisioned LS certificate.	
	Device (config) # ap lsc-provision join-attempt 10	When the number of AP joins exceed the specified limit, AP joins back with the Manufacturer Installed Certificate (MIC).	
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	

### **Configuring Subject-Name Parameters in LSC Certificate**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap lsc-provision subject-name-parameter country country-str state state-str city city-str domain domain-str org org-str email-address email-addr-str	5 1
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap lsc-provision subject-name-parameter country India state Karnataka city Bangalore domain domain1 org Right email-address adc@gfe.com	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	

### **Configuring Key Size for LSC Certificate**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ap lsc-provision key-size { 2048   3072   4096}}	Specifies the size of keys to be generated for	
	Example:	the LSC on AP.	
	Device(config)# ap lsc-provision key-size 2048		
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit	
	Device (config) # <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.	

### **Configuring Trustpoint for LSC Provisioning on an Access Point**

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap lsc-provision trustpoint <i>tp-name</i> <b>Example:</b> Device(config)# ap lsc-provision trustpoint microsoft-ca	Specifies the trustpoint with which the LCS is provisioned to an AP. <i>tp-name</i> : The trustpoint name.
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.

### **Configuring an AP LSC Provision List (GUI)**

#### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Wireless** > **Access Points**.

Step 2	In the All Access Points window, click the corresponding LSC Provision name.		
Step 3	From the <b>Status</b> drop-down list, choose a status to enable LSC.		
Step 4	From the Trustpoint Name drop-down list, choose a trustpoint.		
Step 5	In the Number of Join Attempts field, enter the number of retry attempts that are allowed.		
Step 6	From the <b>Key Size</b> drop-down list, choose a key.		
Step 7	In the Edit AP Join Profile window, click the CAPWAP tab.		
Step 8	In the <b>Add APs to LSC Provision List</b> section, click <b>Select File</b> to upload the CSV file that contains AP details.		
Step 9	Click Upload File.		
Step 10	In the <b>AP MAC Address</b> field, enter the AP MAC address. and add them. (The APs added to the provision list are displayed in the <b>APs in provision List</b> .)		
Step 11	In the Subject Name Parameters section, enter the following details:		
	• Country		
	• State		
	• City		
	Organisation		
	• Department		
	• Email Address		
Step 12	Click Apply.		

# **Configuring an AP LSC Provision List (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters gl	obal configuration mode.
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	[no] ap lsc-provision mac-address mac-addr	Adds the	AP to the LSC provision list.
	Example:	Note	You can provision a list of APs using
	Device(config)# no ap lsc-provision mac-address 001b.3400.02f0		the <b>ap lsc-provision provision-list</b> command.
			(Or)
			You can provision all the APs using the <b>ap lsc-provision</b> command.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	end Returns to privileged EXEC mod	
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	

# Configuring LSC Provisioning for all the APs (GUI)

Step 1 Step 2 Step 3	Step 2In the Access Points window, expand the LSC Provision section.			
	Note	If you set <b>Status</b> to <b>Provision List</b> , LSC provisioning will be configured only for APs that are a part of the provision list.		
Step 4	From the	e Trustpoint Name drop-down list, choose the appropriate trustpoint for all APs.		
Step 5	In the <b>Number of Join Attempts</b> field, enter the number of retry attempts that the APs can make to join the embedded wireless controller.			
Step 6	From the <b>Key Size</b> drop-down list, choose the appropriate key size of the certificate:			
	• 204 • 307 • 409	2		
Step 7	In the <b>A</b> details.	dd APs to LSC Provision List section, click Select File to upload the CSV file that contains the AP		
Step 8	Click Upload File.			
Step 9	In the <b>AP MAC Address</b> field, enter the AP MAC address. (The APs that are added to the provision list are displayed in the <b>APs in Provision List</b> section.)			
<b>Step 10</b> In the <b>Subject Name Parameters</b> section, enter the following de		abject Name Parameters section, enter the following details:		
	a. Cou	ntry		
	b. Stat	e		
	c. City			
	d. Org	anization		
	e. Dep	artment		
	f. Ema	uil Address		
Step 11	Click A	oply.		

### **Configuring LSC Provisioning for All APs (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	[no] ap lsc-provision	Enables LSC provisioning for all APs.	
	Example:	By default, LSC provisioning is disabled for all	
	Device(config) # no ap lsc-provision	APs.	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit	
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.	

### **Configuring LSC Provisioning for the APs in the Provision List**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ap lsc-provision provision-list	Enables LSC provisioning for a set of APs configured in the provision list.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# <b>ap lsc-provision</b> <b>provision-list</b>		
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit	
	Device(config)# end	global configuration mode.	

# **Verifying LSC Configuration**

**Procedure** 

To view the details of the wireless management trustpoint, use the following command:

Device# show wireless management trustpoint

Trustpoint Name : microsoft-ca Certificate Info : Available Certificate Type : LSC

```
Certificate Hash : 9e5623adba5307facf778e6ea2f5082877ea4beb
Private key Info : Available
```

To view the LSC provision-related configuration details for an AP, use the following command:

```
Device# show ap lsc-provision summary
```

```
AP LSC-provisioning : Disabled
Trustpoint used for LSC-provisioning : microsoft-ca
LSC Revert Count in AP reboots : 10
AP LSC Parameters :
Country : IN
State : KA
City : BLR
Orgn : ABC
Dept : ABC
Email : support@abc.com
Key Size : 2048
AP LSC-provision List : Enabled
Total number of APs in provision list: 3
Mac Address
_____
0038.df24.5fd0
2c5a.0f22.d4ca
e4c7.22cd.b74f
```

## **Configuring Management Trustpoint to LSC (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Administration > Management > HTTP/HTTPS.	
Step 2	In the HTTP Trust Point Configuration section, set Enable Trust Point to the Enabled state.	
Step 3	From the Trust Points drop-down list, choose the appropriate trustpoint.	
Step 4	Save the configuration.	

# **Configuring Management Trustpoint to LSC (CLI)**

After LSC provisioning, the APs will automatically reboot and join at the LSC mode after bootup. Similarly, if you remove the AP LSC provisioning, the APs reboot and join at non-LSC mode.

In EWC, the internal APs will not automatically reboot. You should manually reboot the internal AP to make it work in LSC and non-LSC mode.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless management trustpoint	Configures the management trustpoint to LSC.
	trustpoint_name	The internal AP will not able to join before a
	Example:	reload, so follow the steps given below to reload
	Device(config)# wireless management trustpoint microsoft-ca	the internal AP.
Step 3	write memory	Saves the configuration.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# write memory	
Step 4	wireless ewc-ap ap reload	Reloads the internal AP. This will also reload
	Example:	the controller on the AP.
	Device(config)# write memory	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Device(config)# end	



# PART **VII**

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# **Quality of Service**

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# Wireless QoS Overview

Quality of Service (QoS), provides the ability to prioritize the traffic by giving preferential treatment to specific traffic over the other traffic types. Without QoS, the device offers best-effort service for each packet, regardless of the packet contents or size. The device sends the packets without any assurance of reliability, delay bounds, or throughput.

A target is the entity where the policy is applied. Wireless QoS policies for SSID and client are applied in the upstream and (or) downstream direction. The flow of traffic from a wired source to a wireless target is known as downstream traffic. The flow of traffic from a wireless source to a wired target is known as upstream traffic.

The following are some of the specific features provided by wireless QoS:

- SSID and client policies on wireless QoS targets
- · Marking and Policing (also known as Rate Limiting ) of wireless traffic

# Wireless QoS Targets

This section describes the various wireless QoS targets available on a device.

### SSID Policies

You can create QoS policies on SSID in both the ingress and egress directions. If not configured, there is no SSID policy applied.

The policy is applicable per AP per SSID.

You can configure policing and marking policies on SSID.

### **Client Policies**

Client policies are applicable in the ingress and egress direction. You can configure policing and marking policies on clients. AAA override is also supported.

### **Supported QoS Features on Wireless Targets**

This table describes the various features available on wireless targets.

Table 22: QoS Features Available on Wireless Targets

Target	Features	Direction Where Policies Are Applicable
SSID	Set     Police     Drop	Upstream and downstream
Client	Set     Police     Drop	Upstream and downstream

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**Note** For Drop support, the Drop action is achieved by the following configuration:

```
police <rate>
    conform-action drop
    exceed-action drop
```

Direct action drop is not supported.

## Precious Metal Policies for Wireless QoS

The precious metal policies are system-defined policies that are available on the embedded wireless controller. They cannot be removed or changed.

The following policies are available:

- Platinum-Used for VoIP clients.
- · Gold—Used for video clients.
- Silver— Used for traffic that can be considered best-effort.

• Bronze-Used for NRT traffic.

These policies are pre-configured. They cannot be modified.

For client metal policies, they can be pushed using AAA.

Based on the policies applied, the 802.11e (WMM), and DSCP fields in the packets are affected.

For more information about metal policies format see the Metal Policy Format, on page 514 section.

For more information about DSCP to UP mapping, see the Architecture for Voice, Video and Integrated Data (AVVID), on page 520 table.

# **Prerequisites for Wireless QoS**

Before configuring wireless QoS, you must have a thorough understanding of these items:

- Wireless concepts and network topologies.
- Understanding of QoS implementation.
- Modular QoS CLI (MQC). For more information on Modular QoS, see the MQC guide
- The types of applications used and the traffic patterns on your network.
- · Bandwidth requirements and speed of the network.

# **Restrictions for QoS on Wireless Targets**

#### **General Restrictions**

A target is an entity where a policy is applied. A policy can be applied to a wireless target, which can be an SSID or client target, in the downstream and/or upstream direction. Downstream indicates that traffic is flowing from the controller to the wireless client. Upstream indicates that traffic is flowing from wireless client to the controller.

- Hierarchical (Parent policy and child policy) QoS is not supported.
- One policy per target per direction is supported.
- Only BSSID and client targets are supported, on both directions.
- The following policy formats are supported:
  - QoS Policy Action
    - Police:

police [cir | rate] bps [conform-action action] [exceed-action action]

Policer action types are transmit or drop.

• Set:

```
set dscp
set wlan user-priority
```

```
        Note
        set wlan user-priority (downstream only; BSSID only)

        • QoS Policy Classification

        match [not] access-group

        match [not] dscp

        match [not] protocol
```

#### **AP Side Restrictions**

In Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller, FlexConnect local switching, and SDA deployments, the QoS policies are enforced on the AP. Due to this AP-side restriction, police actions (e.g., rate limiting) are only enforced at a per flow (5-tuple) level and not per client.

# **Metal Policy Format**

### **Metal Policy Format**

Metal Policies are system defined, and you cannot change it or delete it. There are four levels of metal policy - Platinum, Gold, Silver, and Bronze.



Note

Each metal policy defines a DSCP ceiling so that the DSCP or the UP marking does not exceed a certain value.

For Platinum the value is 46, Gold is AF41, Silver is 22, and Bronze is CS1.

Policy Name	Policy-map Format	Class-map Format
platinum	policy-map platinum class cm-dscp-34 set dscp af41 class cm-dscp-45 set dscp 45 class cm-dscp-46 set dscp ef class cm-dscp-47 set dscp 47	class-map match-any cm-dscp-34 match dscp af41 class-map match-any cm-dscp-45 match dscp 45 class-map match-any cm-dscp-46
gold	policy-map gold class cm-dscp-45 set dscp af41 class cm-dscp-46 set dscp af41 class cm-dscp-47 set dscp af41	match dscp ef class-map match-any cm-dscp-47 match dscp 47 class-map match-any cm-dscp-0 match dscp default
silver	policy-map silver class cm-dscp-34 set dscp default class cm-dscp-45 set dscp default class cm-dscp-46 set dscp default class cm-dscp-47 set dscp default	
bronze	<pre>policy-map bronze class cm-dscp-0 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-34 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-45 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-46 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-47 set dscp cs1</pre>	

Policy Name	Policy-map Format	Class-map Format
platinum-up	<pre>policy-map platinum-up class cm-dscp-set1-for-up-4 set dscp af41 class cm-dscp-set2-for-up-4 set dscp af41 class cm-dscp-for-up-5 set dscp af41 class cm-dscp-for-up-6 set dscp ef class cm-dscp-for-up-7 set dscp ef</pre>	class-map match-any cm-dscp-for-up-0 match dscp default match dscp cs2 class-map match-any cm-dscp-for-up-1 match dscp cs1 class-map match-any cm-dscp-set1-for-up-4 match dscp cs3
gold-up	policy-map gold-up class cm-dscp-for-up-6 set dscp af41 class cm-dscp-for-up-7 set dscp af41	match dscp af31 match dscp af32 match dscp af33 class-map match-any cm-dscp-set2-for-up-4
silver-up	<pre>policy-map silver-up class cm-dscp-setl-for-up-4 set dscp default class cm-dscp-set2-for-up-4 set dscp default class cm-dscp-for-up-5 set dscp default class cm-dscp-for-up-6 set dscp default class cm-dscp-for-up-7 set dscp default</pre>	match dscp af41 match dscp af42 match dscp af43 class-map match-any cm-dscp-for-up-5 match dscp cs4 match dscp cs5 class-map match-any cm-dscp-for-up-6
bronze-up	<pre>policy-map bronze-up class cm-dscp-for-up-0 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-for-up-1 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-set1-for-up-4 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-set2-for-up-4 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-for-up-5 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-for-up-6 set dscp cs1 class cm-dscp-for-up-7 set dscp cs1</pre>	match dscp 44 match dscp ef class-map match-any cm-dscp-for-up-7 match dscp cs6 match dscp cs7

Policy Name	Policy-map Format	Class-map Format
clwmm-platinum	policy-map clwmm-platinum class voice-plat set dscp ef class video-plat set dscp af41 class class-default set dscp default	class-map match-any voice-plat match dscp ef class-map match-any video-plat match dscp af41
clwmm-gold	policy-map clwmm-gold class voice-gold set dscp af41 class video-gold set dscp af41 class class-default set dscp default	class-map match-any voice-gold match dscp ef class-map match-any video-gold match dscp af41
clnon-wmm-platinum	policy-map clnon-wmm-platinum class class-default set dscp ef	
clnon-wmm-gold	policy-map clnon-wmm-gold class class-default set dscp af41	
clsilver	policy-map clsilver class class-default set dscp default	
clbronze	policy-map clbronze class class-default set dscp csl	

# Auto QoS Policy Format

Policy Name	Policy-map Format	Class-map Format
enterprise-avc	<pre>policy-map AutoQos-4.0-wlan-ET-SSID-Input-AVC-Policy class AutoQos-4.0-wlan-Voip-Data-Class set dscp ef class AutoQos-4.0-wlan-Voip-Signal-Class set dscp cs3 class AutoQos-4.0-wlan-Multimedia-Conf-Class set dscp af41 class AutoQos-4.0-wlan-Transaction-Class set dscp af21 class AutoQos-4.0-wlan-Bulk-Data-Class set dscp af11 class AutoQos-4.0-wlan-Scavanger-Class set dscp cs1 class class-default set dscp default policy-map AutoQos-4.0-wlan-ET-SSID-Output-Policy class AutoQos-4.0-RT1-Class set dscp ef class AutoQos-4.0-RT2-Class set dscp af31 class class-default</pre>	

Policy Name	Policy-map Format	Class-map Format
		class-map match-any Autogos-4.0-wlan-Voip-Data-Class
		match dscp ef
		class-map match-any AtoQos4.0wlan-Voip-Signal-Class
		match protocol skinny match protocol cisco-jabber-control match protocol sip match protocol sip-tls class-map match-any AttQs-4.0-WarMiltimeñaConF-Clas
		match protocol cisco-phone-video match protocol cisco-jabber-video match protocol ms-lync-video match protocol webex-media
		class-map match-any Atoge-4.0-wlan-Tharsection-Class
		<pre>match protocol cisco-jabber-im match protocol ms-office-web-apps match protocol salesforce match protocol sap</pre>
		class-map match-any AtcQos-4.0-wlan-Bulk-Data-Clas
		match protocol ftp match protocol ftp-data match protocol ftps-data match protocol cifs
		class-map match-any Autogos-4.0-wlan-Scavarger-Class
		match protocol netflix match protocol youtube match protocol skype
		match protocol bittorrent
		class-map match-any AutoQos-4.0-RT1-Class match dscp ef

Policy Name	Policy-map Format	Class-map Format
		match dscp cs6
		class-map match-any AutoQos-4.0-RT2-Class match dscp cs4 match dscp cs3 match dscp af41
voice	<pre>policy-map platinum-up class dscp-for-up-4 set dscp 34 class dscp-for-up-5 set dscp 34 class dscp-for-up-6 set dscp 46 class dscp-for-up-7 set dscp 46 policy-map platinum class cm-dscp-34</pre>	
	set dscp 34 class cm-dscp-46 set dscp 46	
guest	Policy Map AutoQos-4.0-wlan-GT-SSID-Output-Policy Class class-default set dscp default Policy Map AutoQos-4.0-wlan-GT-SSID-Input-Policy Class class-default set dscp default	
port (only applies to Local Mode)	<pre>policy-map AutoQos-4.0-wlan-Port-Output-Policy class AutoQos-4.0-Output-CAPWAP-C-Class priority level 1 class AutoQos-4.0-Output-Voice-Class priority level 2 class class-default ip access-list extended AutoQos-4.0-Output-Acl-CAPWAP-C permit udp any eq 5246 16666 any</pre>	class-map match-any Autoge-4.0-Output-CARWAP-CClass match access-group name Autoge-4.0-Output-Acl-CARWAP-C class-map match-any Autoges-4.0-Output-Voice-Class match dscp ef

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IETF DiffServ Service	DSCP	IEEE 802.11e	
Class		User Priority	Access Category
Network Control	(CS7) CS6	0	AC_BE
Telephony	EF	6	AC_VO
VOICE-ADMIT	44	6	AC_VO
Signaling	C85	5	AC_VI

IETF DiffServ Service	DSCP	IEEE 802.11e	
Class		User Priority	Access Category
Multimedia Conferencing	AF41	4	AC_VI
	AF42		
	AF43		
Real-Time Interactive	CS4	5	AC_VI
Multimedia Streaming	AF31	4	AC_VI
	AF32		
	AF33		
Broadcast Video	CS3	4	AC_VI
Low-Latency Data	AF21	3	AC_BE
	AF22		
	AF23		
OAM	CS2	0	AC_BE
High-Throughput Data	AF11	2	AC_BK
	AF12		
	AF13		
Standard	DF	0	AC_BE
Low-Priority Data	CS1	1	AC_BK
Remaining	Remaining	0	

# How to apply Bi-Directional Rate Limiting

### **Information about Bi-Directional Rate Limiting**

Bi-Directional Rate Limiting (BDRL) feature defines rate limits on both upstream and downstream traffic. These rate limits are individually configured. The rate limits can be configured on WLAN directly instead of QoS profiles, which will override QoS profile values. The WLAN rate limiting will always supersede Global QoS setting for controller and clients.

BDRL feature defines throughput limits for clients on their wireless networks and allows setting a priority service to a particular set of clients.

The following four QoS profiles are available to configure the rate limits:

• Gold

- Platinum
- Silver
- Bronze

The QoS profile is applied to all clients on the associated SSID. Therefore all clients connected to the same SSID will have the same rate limits.

To configure BDRL, select the QoS profile and configure the various rate limiting parameters. When rate limiting parameters are set to 0, the rate limiting feature is not functional. Each WLAN has a QoS profile associated with it in addition to the configuration in the QoS profile.



**Note** BDRL in a mobility Anchor-Foreign setup must be configured both on Anchor and Foreign controller. As a best practice, it is recommended to perform identical configuration on both the controllers to avoid breakage of any feature.

BDRL is is supported on Guest anchor scenarios. The feature is supported on IRCM guest scenarios with AireOS as Guest anchor or Guest Foreign. Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controller uses **Policing** option to rate limit the traffic.

To apply metal policy with BDRL, perform the following tasks:

- Configure Metal Policy on SSID
- Configure Metal Policy on Client
- Configure Bi-Directional Rate Limiting for All Traffic, on page 524
- Configure Bi-Directional Rate Limiting Based on Traffic Classification, on page 524
- Apply Bi-Directional Rate Limiting Policy Map to Policy Profile, on page 526
- Apply Metal Policy with Bi-Directional Rate Limiting, on page 527

### Prerequisites for Bi-Directional Rate Limiting

- Client metal policy is applied through AAA-override.
- You must specify the metal policy on ISE server.
- AAA-override must be enabled on policy profile.

### **Configure Metal Policy on SSID**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy <i>policy-profile-name</i> Example:	Configures WLAN policy profile and enters wireless policy configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy policy-profile1</pre>	
Step 3	description description	Adds a user defined description to the new
	Example:	wireless policy.
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# description policy-profile1</pre>	
Step 4	service-policy input input-policy	Sets platinum policy for input.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy input platinum-up</pre>	
Step 5	service-policy output output-policy	Sets platinum policy for output.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy output platinum	

# **Configure Metal Policy on Client**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy policy-profile-name	Configures WLAN policy profile and enters
	Example:	wireless policy configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy policy-profile1</pre>	
Step 3	description description	Adds a user defined description to the new
	Example:	wireless policy.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# description profile with aaa override	
Step 4	aaa-override	Enables AAA override on the WLAN.
	Example:	

Command or Action	Purpose	
Device(config-wireless-policy)# aaa-override	Note After AAA-override is enabl ISE server starts sending pol client policy defined in service-policy client will not effect.	icy,

### **Configure Bi-Directional Rate Limiting for All Traffic**

Use the police action in the policy-map to configure BDRL.

#### Procedure

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	policy-map policy-map	Creates a named object representing a set of	
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# policy-map policy-sample 1</pre>	policies that are to be applied to a set of traffic classes. Policy-map names can contain	
Step 3	class class-map-name	Associates a class map with the policy map, an	
	Example:	enters policy-map class configuration mode.	
	Device(config-pmap)# class class-default		
Step 4	police rate	Configures traffic policing (average rate, in bits	
	Example:	per second). Valid values are 8000 to 20000000.	
	Device(config-pmap-c)# police 500000	20000000.	

### **Configure Bi-Directional Rate Limiting Based on Traffic Classification**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	policy-map policy-map       Example:	Creates a named object representing a set of policies that are to be applied to a set of traffic classes. Policy-map names can contain

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	<pre>Device(config)# policy-map policy-sample2</pre>	alphabetic, hyphen, or underscore characters, are case sensitive, and can be up to 40 characters.	
Step 3	class class-map-name	Associates a class map with the policy map,	
	Example:	and enters policy-map class configuration mode.	
	Device(config-pmap)# class class-sample-youtube	inoue.	
Step 4	police rate	Configures traffic policing (average rate, in	
	Example:	bits per second). Valid values are 8000 to 200000000.	
	<pre>Device(config-pmap-c)# police 1000000</pre>	200000000	
Step 5	conform-action drop	Specifies the drop action to take on packets	
	Example:	that conform to the rate limit.	
	Device(config-pmap-c-police)# conform-action drop		
Step 6	exceed-action drop	Specifies the drop action to take on packets	
	Example:	that exceeds the rate limit.	
	<pre>Device(config-pmap-c-police)# exceed-action drop</pre>		
Step 7	exit	Exits the policy-map class configuration mode	
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config-pmap-c-police)# exit</pre>		
Step 8	set dscp default	Sets the DSCP value to default.	
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config-pmap-c)# set dscp default</pre>		
Step 9	police rate	Configures traffic policing (average rate, in	
	Example:	bits per second). Valid values are 8000 to 200000000.	
	<pre>Device(config-pmap-c)# police 500000</pre>	20000000	
Step 10	exit	Exits the policy-map class configuration mode	
	Example:		
	<pre>Device(config-pmap-c)# exit</pre>		
Step 11	exit	Exits the policy-map configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-pmap)# exit		
Step 12	class-map match-any class-map-name	Selects a class map.	
	Example:		

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config)# class-map match-any class-sample-youtube	
	Configures the match criteria for a class map	
	Example:	on the basis of the specified protocol.
	Device(config-cmap)# match protocol youtube	

### **Apply Bi-Directional Rate Limiting Policy Map to Policy Profile**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy policy-profile-name	Configures WLAN policy profile and enters wireless policy configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy policy-profile3</pre>	
Step 3	description description	Adds a user defined description to the new
	Example:	wireless policy.
	Device (config-wireless-policy) #	
	description policy-profile3	
Step 4	service-policy client input input-policy	Sets the input client service policy as platinum
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy client input platinum-up	
Step 5	service-policy client output output-policy	Sets the output client service policy as platinum
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy client output platinum</pre>	
Step 6	service-policy input input-policy	Sets the input service policy as platinum.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy input platinum-up</pre>	
Step 7	service-policy output output-policy	Sets the output service policy as platinum.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy output platinum	

### **Apply Metal Policy with Bi-Directional Rate Limiting**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy policy-profile-name	Configures WLAN policy profile and enters
	Example:	wireless policy configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config) # wireless profile policy policy-profile3</pre>	
Step 3	description description	Adds a user defined description to the new
	Example:	wireless policy.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# description policy-profile3	
Step 4	service-policy client input input-policy	Sets the input client service policy as platinum
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy client input platinum-up</pre>	
Step 5	service-policy client output output-policy	Sets the output client service policy as
	Example:	platinum.
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy client output platinum</pre>	
Step 6	service-policy input input-policy	Sets the input service policy as platinum.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy input platinum-up	
Step 7	service-policy output output-policy	Sets the output service policy as platinum.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy output platinum	
Step 8	exit	Exits the policy configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# exit</pre>	
Step 9	policy-map policy-map	Creates a named object representing a set of
	Example:	policies that are to be applied to a set of traffic
	Device(config)# policy-map policy-sample	classes. Policy map names can contain alphabetic, hyphen, or underscore characters,
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	Command or Action	Purpose
		are case sensitive, and can be up to 40 characters.
Step 10	class class-map-name	Associates a class map with the policy map,
	<pre>Example:   Device(config-pmap)# class class-default</pre>	and enters configuration mode for the specified system class.
Step 11	police rate	Configures traffic policing (average rate, in
	<pre>Example: Device(config-pmap-c)# police 500000</pre>	bits per second). Valid values are 8000 to 200000000.

# How to apply Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting

### Information About Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting

The Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting feature adds bi-directional rate limiting for each wireless clients on 802.11ac Wave 2 APs in a Flex local switching configuration. Earlier, the Wave 2 APs supported only per-flow rate limiting for a wireless client. When wireless client starts multiple streams of traffic, the client-based rate limiting does not work as expected. This limitation is addressed by this feature.

For instance, if the controller is configured with QoS policy and you expect each client to have a rate limiting cap of 1000 kbps. Due to per-flow rate limiting on the AP, if the wireless client starts a Youtube stream and FTP stream, each of them will be rate limited at 1000 Kbps, therefore the client will be 2000 Kbps rates. This is not desirable.

#### **Use Cases**

The following are the use cases supported by the Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting feature:

#### Use Case -1

#### Configuring only default class map

If policy map is configured only with default class map and mapped only to QoS client policy, AP does a per client rate limit to the client connected to AP.

#### Use Case-2

#### Changing from per client rate limit to per flow rate limit

If policy map is configured with another different class map along with a default class map and mapped to QoS client policy, AP performs per flow rate limit to client. As policy map has different class map along with the default class map. The per client rate limit values are cleared, if the AP has previously configured per client rate limit.

If the policy map has more than one class map, then additional class map is configured along with the default class map. So, the rate limit is applied from per client to per flow. The per client rate limit value is deleted from the rate info token bucket.

#### Use Case-3

#### Changing from per flow rate limit to per client limit

If different class map is removed from policy map and policy map has only one default class map, AP performs a per client rate limit to client.

The following covers the high-level steps for Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting feature:

- 1. Configure a policy map to WLAN through policy profile.
- 2. Map the QoS related policy map to WLAN.
- 3. Configure policy map with the default class map.
- 4. Configure different police rate value for class Default map.



- **Note** If policy map has class Default with valid police rate value, AP applies that rate limit to the overall client data traffic flow.
- 5. Apply the policy map with class Default to QoS client policy in WLAN policy profile.

### **Prerequisites for Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting**

- This feature is exclusive to QoS client policy, that is, the policy profile must have only QoS Policy or policy target as client.
- If policy map has class default with valid police rate value, AP applies that rate limit value to the overall client data traffic flow.

### **Restrictions on Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting**

• If policy map has class map other than the class Default map, the per client rate limit does not work in AP.

### **Configuring Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting (GUI)**

Step 1 Step 2	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Tags &amp; Profiles</b> > <b>Policy</b> . Click the Policy Profile Name. The <b>Edit Policy Profile</b> window is displayed.	
	Note	The Edit Policy Profile window is displayed and configured in default class map only.
Step 3 Step 4		the <b>QOS And AVC</b> tab. <b>PoS Client Policy</b> settings, choose the policies from the <b>Egress</b> and <b>Ingress</b> drop-down lists. You need to apply the default policy map to the QoS Client Policy.

Step 5 Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Verifying Per Client Bi-Directional Rate Limiting**

To verify whether per client is applied in AP, use the following command:

```
Device# show rate-limit client
Config:
          mac vap rt rate out rt rate in rt burst out rt burst in nrt rate out nrt rate in
nrt_burst_out nrt_burst_in
A0:D3:7A:12:6C:5E 0
                             0
                                       0
                                                   0
                                                              0
                                                                           0
               0
                           0
  0
Statistics:
      name up down
Unshaped 0 0
 Client RT pass 697610 8200
Client NRT pass 0 0
                  0 0
0 16
Client RT drops
Client NRT drops
                180
             9
                        0
Per client rate limit:
           mac vap rate_out rate_in
                                            policy
A0:D3:7A:12:6C:5E 0 88 23 per_client_rate_2
```

### **Configuring BDRL Using AAA Override**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy profile-name	Configures the WLAN policy profile and enters wireless policy configuration mode.
	Example:	whereas poncy configuration mode.
	Device (config)# wireless profile policy default-policy-profile	
Step 3	aaa-override	Configures AAA override to apply policies
	<b>EXample:</b> Device(config-wireless-policy)# <b>aaa</b>	coming from the AAA server or ISE the Cisco Identify Services Engine (ISE) server.
		The following attributes are available in the RADIUS server:
		Airespace-Data-Bandwidth-Average-Contract: 8001
		Airespace-Real-Time-Bandwidth-Average-Contract: 8002

Command or Ac	tion Purpose
	Airespace-Data-Bandwidth-Burst-Contract     8003
	Airespace-Real-Time-Bandwidth-Burst-Contract     8004
	Airespace-Data-Bandwidth-Average-Contract-Upstream 8005
	Aiespace-Real-Time-Bandwidth-Average-Contract-Upsteam 8006
	Airespace-Data-Bandwidth-Burst-Contract-Upstream 8007
	Airespace-Real-Time-Bandwidth-Burst-Contract-Upstream 8008
	Note 8001, 8002, 8003, 8004, 8005, 8006, 8007, and 8008 are the desired rate-limit values configured as an example.

### **Verifying Bi-Directional Rate-Limit**

To verify the bi-directional rate limit, use the following command:

To verify the bi-directio	inal fate finnt, use the following command.
Device# show wireles e88e.0000.0071	s client mac-address E8-8E-00-00-00-71 detailClient MAC Address :
Client MAC Type	: Universally Administered Address
Client IPv4 Address	: 100.0.7.94
Client Username	: e88e00000071
AP MAC Address	: 0a0b.0c00.0200
AP Name	: AP6B8B4567-0002
AP slot	
Client State	: Associated
Policy Profile	: dnas_qos_profile_policy
Flex Profile	: N/A
Wireless LAN Id	: 10
WLAN Profile Name	: QoS wlan
Wireless LAN Network	Name (SSID): QoS wlan
BSSID : 0a0b.0c00.02	
Connected For	: 28 seconds
Protocol	: 802.11n - 2.4 GHz
Channel	: 1
Client IIF-ID	: 0xa0000034
Association Id	: 10
Authentication Algor	ithm : Open System
Idle state timeout	: N/A
Session Timeout	: 1800 sec (Remaining time: 1777 sec)
Session Warning Time	e : Timer not running
Input Policy Name	: None
Input Policy State	: None
Input Policy Source	: None
Output Policy Name	: None
Output Policy State	: None

```
Output Policy Source : None
WMM Support : Enabled
U-APSD Support
                   : Disabled
Fastlane Support
                   : Disabled
Client Active State : In-Active
Power Save
                    : OFF
Supported Rates : 1.0,2.0,5.5,6.0,9.0,11.0,12.0,18.0,24.0,36.0,48.0,54.0
AAA QoS Rate Limit Parameters:
                                           : 8005 (kbps)
 QoS Average Data Rate Upstream
 QoS Realtime Average Data Rate Upstream : 8006 (kbps)
  QoS Burst Data Rate Upstream
                                           : 8007 (kbps)
 QoS Realtime Burst Data Rate Upstream
QoS Average Data Rate Downstream
                                           : 8008 (kbps)
                                            : 8001 (kbps)
  QoS Realtime Average Data Rate Downstream : 8002 (kbps)
  QoS Burst Data Rate Downstream
                                            : 80300 (kbps)
  QoS Realtime Burst Data Rate Downstream : 8004 (kbps)
```

To verify the rate-limit details from the AP terminal, use the following command

```
Device# show rate-limit client
Config:
mac vap rt_rate_out rt_rate_in rt_burst_out rt_burst_in nrt_rate_out nrt_rate_in nrt_burst_out
nrt_burst_in
00:1C:F1:09:85:E7 0 8001 8002 8003 8004 8005 8006 8007 8008
Statistics:
name up down
Unshaped 0 0
Client RT pass 0 0
Client RT pass 0 0
Client RT drops 0 0
Client NRT drops 0 0
Per client rate limit:
mac vap rate_out rate_in policy
```

# How to Configure Wireless QoS

### Configuring a Policy Map with Class Map (GUI)

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Services > QoS.
Step 2	Click Add to view the Add QoS window.
Step 3	In the text box next to the <b>Policy Name</b> , enter the name of the new policy map that is being added.
Step 4	Click Add Class-Maps.
Step 5	Configure AVC based policies or User Defined policies. To enable AVC based policies, and configure the following:
	a) Choose either Match Any or Match All.
	b) Choose the required <b>Mark Type</b> . If you choose <b>DSCP</b> or <b>User Priority</b> , you must specify the appropriate <b>Mark Value</b> .
	c) Check the <b>Drop</b> check box to drop traffic from specific sources.

Note When Drop is enabled, the Mark Type and Police(kbps) options are disabled.

- d) Based on the chosen Match Type, select the required protocols from the Available Protocol(s) list and move them to the Selected Protocol(s) list. These selected protocols are the ones from which traffic is dropped.
- e) Click Save.
- **Note** To add more Class Maps, repeat steps 4 and 5.
- **Step 6** To enable **User-Defined** QoS policy, and the configure the following:
  - a) Choose either Match Any or Match All.
  - b) Choose either ACL or DSCP as the Match Type from the drop-down list, and then specify the appropriate Match Value.
  - c) Choose the required **Mark Type** to associate with the mark label. If you choose *DSCP*, you must specify an appropriate **Mark Value**.
  - d) Check the **Drop** check box to drop traffic from specific sources.
    - Note When Drop is enabled, the Mark Type and Police(kbps) options are disabled.
  - e) Click Save.
  - **Note** To define actions for all the remaining traffic, in the Class Default, choose **Mark** and/or **Police(kbps)** accordingly.
- Step 7 Click Save & Apply to Device.

### **Configuring a Class Map (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure class maps for voice and video traffic:

Command or Action	Purpose
configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Example:	
Device# configure terminal	
class-map class-map-name	Creates a class map.
Example:	
Device(config)# class-map test	
match dscp dscp-value	Matches the DSCP value in the IPv4 and IPv6
Example:	packets.
Device(config-cmap)# match dscp 46	<b>Note</b> By default for the class map the value is match-all.
	configure terminal         Example:         Device# configure terminal         class-map class-map-name         Example:         Device(config)# class-map test         match dscp dscp-value         Example:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	end	Exits the class map configuration and returns
	Example:	to the privileged EXEC mode.
	<pre>Device(config-cmap)# end</pre>	
Step 5	show class-map class-map-name	Verifies the class map details.
	Example:	
	Device# show class-map class_map_name	

### **Configuring Policy Profile to Apply QoS Policy (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Tags &amp; Profiles</b> > <b>Policy</b> .		
Step 2	On the	Policy Profile page, click the name of the policy profile.	
Step 3	In the l	Edit Policy Profile window, click the QoS and AVC tab.	
Step 4	Under QoS SSID Policy, choose the appropriate Ingress and Egress policies for WLANs.		
	Note	The ingress policies can be differentiated from the egress policies by the suffix <i>-up</i> . For example, the Platinum ingress policy is named <i>platinum-up</i> .	
Step 5	Under	QoS Client Policy, choose the appropriate Ingress and Egress policies for clients.	
Step 6	Click Update & Apply to Device.		
	Note	Only custom policies are displayed under <b>QoS Client Policy</b> . AutoQoS policies are auto generated and not displayed for user selection.	

### **Configuring Policy Profile to Apply QoS Policy (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy profile-policy	Configures WLAN policy profile and enters the
	Example:	wireless policy configuration mode.
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy     gostest</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	<pre>service-policy client {input   output} policy-name</pre>	Applies the policy. The following options are available.
	Example:	• <b>input</b> —Assigns the client policy for ingress direction on the policy profile.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy client input policy-map-client	• <b>output</b> —Assigns the client policy for egress direction on the policy profile.
Step 4	<pre>service-policy {input   output} policy-name</pre>	Applies the policy to the BSSID. The following options are available.
	Example:	• <b>input</b> —Assigns the policy-map to all clients in WLAN.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# service-policy input policy-map-ssid	• <b>output</b> —Assigns the policy-map to all clients in WLAN.
Step 5	no shutdown	Enables the wireless policy profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy) # no shutdown</pre>	

### **Applying Policy Profile to Policy Tag (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags.
Step 2	On the Manage Tags page in the Policy tab, click Add.
Step 3	In the Add Policy Tag window that is displayed, enter a name and description for the policy tag.
Step 4	Map the required WLAN IDs and WLAN profiles with appropriate policy profiles.
Step 5	Click Update & Apply to Device.

# Applying Policy Profile to Policy Tag (CLI)

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	<pre>wireless tag policy policy-tag-name Example: Device(config-policy-tag)# wireless tag policy qostag</pre>	Configures policy tag and enters the policy tag configuration mode.
Step 3	<pre>wlan wlan-name policy profile-policy-name Example: Device(config-policy-tag)# wlan test policy qostest</pre>	Maps a policy profile to a WLAN profile.
Step 4	<pre>end Example: Device(config-policy-tag)# end</pre>	Saves the configuration and exits the configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.
Step 5	<pre>show wireless tag policy summary Example: Device# show wireless tag policy summary</pre>	Displays the configured policy tags. Note To view the detailed information of a policy tag, use the <b>show wireless</b> <b>tag policy detailed</b> <i>policy-tag-name</i> command.

# Attaching Policy Tag to an AP

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap mac-address	Configures Cisco APs and enters the ap profile configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap F866.F267.7DFB	
Step 3	policy-tag policy-tag-name	Maps a Policy tag to the AP.
	Example:	
	Device(config-ap-tag)# policy-tag qostag	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	end	Saves the configuration and exits the
	Example:	configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Device(config-ap-tag)# end	LALC mode.
Step 5	show ap tag summary	Displays the ap details and tags associated to it.
	Example:	
	Device# show ap tag summary	



# Wireless Auto-QoS

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# **Information About Auto QoS**

Wireless Auto QoS automates deployment of wireless QoS features. It has a set of predefined profiles which can be further modified by the customer to prioritize different traffic flows. Auto-QoS matches traffic and assigns each matched packet to qos-groups. This allows the output policy map to put specific qos-groups into specific queues, including into the priority queue.

#### AutoQoS Policy Configuration

#### Port Ingress | Port Egress Mode BSSID BSSID Client Client Radio Ingress Egress Ingress Egress Voice N/A N/A P3 P4 N/A P7 ACM on Guest N/A N/A P5 P6 N/A P7 N/A N/A N/A N/A P7 Fastlane N/A edca-parameters fastlane **P**1 Enterprise-avc | N/A N/A P2 N/A **P7 P**1 AutoQos-4.0-wlan-ET-SSID-Input-AVC-Policy P2 AutoQos-4.0-wlan-ET-SSID-Output-Policy P3 platinum-up P4 platinum P5 AutoQos-4.0-wlan-GT-SSID-Input-Policy

#### Table 23: AutoQoS Policy Configuration

Р6	AutoQos-4.0-wlan-GT-SSID-Output-Policy
P7	AutoQos-4.0-wlan-Port-Output-Policy

# How to Configure Wireless AutoQoS

### **Configuring Wireless AutoQoS on Profile Policy**

You can enable AutoQoS on a profile policy.

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable Example:	Enables privileged EXEC mode. Enter your password if prompted.
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	wireless autoqos policy-profile <i>policy-name</i> mode { enterprise-avc   fastlane   guest   voice}	Configures AutoQoS wireless policy.
		<ul> <li>enterprise-avc—Enables AutoQos Wireless Enterprise AVC Policy.</li> </ul>
	Example: Device# wireless autogos policy-profile test-profile mode voice	<ul> <li>fastlane—Enable AutoQos Wireless Fastlane Policy.</li> <li>guest—Enable AutoQos Wireless Guest Policy.</li> <li>voice—Enable AutoQos Wireless Voice Policy.</li> <li>Note AutoQoS MIB attribute does not support full functionality with service policy. Service policy must be configured manually. Currently, there is only support for AutoQoS mode.</li> </ul>

#### What to do next



Note

After enabling AutoQoS, we recommend that you wait for a few seconds for the policy to install and then try and modify the AutoQoS policy maps if required; or retry if the modification is rejected.

### **Disabling Wireless AutoQoS**

To globally disable Wireless AutoQoS:

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. Enter your password if prompted.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	shutdown	Shuts down the policy profile.
	Example:	
	Device# shutdown	
Step 3	wireless autoqos disable	Globally disables wireless AutoQoS.
	Example:	
	Device# wireless autoqos disable	
Step 4	[no] shutdown	Enables the wireless policy profile.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# no shutdown	<b>Note</b> Disabling Auto QoS does not reset global radio configurations like CAC and EDCA parameters.

### Rollback AutoQoS Configuration (GUI)

#### Procedure

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Services** > **QoS**.
- Step 2 Click Disable AutoQoS.
- Step 3 Click Yes to confirm.

### **Rollback AutoQoS Configuration**

#### Before you begin



AutoQoS MIB attribute does not support the full functionality with service policy. Currently, there is only support for AutoQoS mode. Service policy must be configured manually.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable Example: Deviceenable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. Enter your password if prompted.
Step 2	<pre>clear platform software autoqos config template { enterprise_avc   guest} Example: Device# clear platform software autoqos config template guest</pre>	<ul> <li>Resets AutoQoS configuration.</li> <li>enterprise-avc—Resets AutoQoS Enterprise AVC Policy Template.</li> <li>guest—Resets AutoQoS Guest Policy Template.</li> </ul>

# Clearing Wireless AutoQoS Policy Profile (GUI)

#### Procedure

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Tags & Profiles** > **Policy**.
- Step 2 Click on the Policy Profile Name.
- Step 3 Go to QOS and AVC tab.
- **Step 4** From the **Auto Qos** drop-down list, choose **None**.
- Step 5 Click Update & Apply to Device.

### **Clearing Wireless AutoQoS Policy Profile**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. Enter your password if prompted.
	Example:	
	Device# <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	shutdown	Shuts down the policy profile.
	Example:	
	Device# shutdown	
Step 3	wireless autoqos policy-profile <i>policy-name</i> mode clear	Clears the configured AutoQoS wireless policy.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# wireless autoqos policy-profile test-profile mode clear	
Step 4	[no] shutdown	Enables the wireless policy profile.
	Example:	
	no shutdown	

### Viewing AutoQoS on policy profile

#### Before you begin

Autoqos is supported on the local mode and flex mode. Autoqos configures a set of policies and radio configurations depending on the template. It is possible to override the service-policy that is configured by autoqos. The latest configuration takes effect, with AAA override policy being of highest priority.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. Enter your password if prompted.
	Example:	
	Device <b>enable</b>	
Step 2	<b>show wireless profile policy detailed</b> <i>policy-profile-name</i>	Shows policy-profile detailed parameters.
	Example:	
	Device# show wireless profile policy detailed testgos	

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# **Native Profiling**

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### Information About Native Profiling

You can profile devices based on HTTP and DHCP to identify the end devices on the network. You can configure device-based policies and enforce these policies per user or per device policy on the network.

Policies allow profiling of mobile devices and basic onboarding of the profiled devices to a specific VLAN. They also assign ACL and QoS or configure session timeouts.

You can configure policies as two separate components:

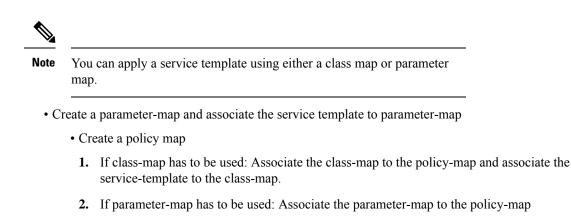
- Defining policy attributes as service templates that are specific to clients joining the network and applying policy match criteria
- Applying match criteria to the policy.



**Note** Before proceeding with the native profile configuration, ensure that HTTP Profiling and DHCP Profiling are enabled.

To configure Native Profiling, use one of the following procedures:

- Create a service template
- · Create a class map



• Associate the policy-map to the policy profile.

# **Creating a Class Map (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Click <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Services</b> > <b>QoS</b> .	
Step 2	In the Qos – Policy area, click Add to create a new QoS Policy or click the one you want to edit.	
Step 3	Add Add Class Map and enter the details.	
Step 4	Click Save.	
Step 5	Click Update and Apply to Device.	

# **Creating a Class Map (CLI)**



Note Configuration of class maps via CLI offer more options and can be more granular than GUI.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	class-map type control subscriber match-any class-map-name	Specifies the class map type and name.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# class-map type control   subscriber match-any cls_user</pre>	
Step 3	match username username	Specifies the class map attribute filter criteria
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-filter-control-classmap)#   match username ciscoise</pre>	
Step 4	class-map type control subscriber match-any class-map-name	Specifies the class map type and name.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# class-map type control   subscriber match-any cls_userrole</pre>	
Step 5	match user-role user-role	Specifies the class map attribute filter criteria
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-filter-control-classmap)# match user-role engineer</pre>	
Step 6	class-map type control subscriber match-any class-map-name	Specifies the class map type and name.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# class-map type control   subscriber match-any cls_oui</pre>	
Step 7	match oui oui-address	Specifies the class map attribute filter criteria
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-filter-control-classmap)# match oui 48.f8.b3</pre>	
Step 8	class-map type control subscriber match-any class-map-name	Specifies the class map type and name.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# class-map type control   subscriber match-any cls_mac</pre>	
Step 9	match mac-address mac-address	Specifies the class map attribute filter criteria.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-filter-control-classmap)# match mac-address 0040.96b9.4a0d</pre>	
Step 10	class-map type control subscriber match-any class-map-name	Specifies the class map type and name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# class-map type control subscriber match-any cls_devtype	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 11	match device-type device-type	Specifies the class map attribute filter criteria.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-filter-control-classmap)# match device-type windows</pre>	
Step 12	match join-time-of-day start-time end-time	Specifies a match to the time of day.
	<pre>Example: Device(config-filter-control-classmap)# match join-time-of-day 10:30 12:30</pre>	Here, join time is considered for matching. For example, if the match filter is set from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm, a device joining at 10:59 am is not considered, even if it acquires credentials after 11:00 am.
		Here,
		<i>start-time</i> and <i>end-time</i> specifies the 24-hour format.
		Use the <b>show class-map type control</b> <b>subscriber name</b> <i>name</i> command to verify the configuration.
		<b>Note</b> You should also disable AAA override for this command to work.

# **Creating a Service Template (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Security</b> > <b>Local Policy</b> .	
Step 2	On the Local Policy page, Service Template tab, click ADD.	
Step 3	In the Create Service Template window, enter the following parameters:	
	• Service Template Name: Enter a name for the template.	
	• VLAN ID: Enter the VLAN ID for the template. Valid range is between 1 and 4094.	
	• Session Timeout (secs): Sets the timeout duration for the template. Valid range is between 1 and 65535.	
	Access Control List: Choose the Access Control List from the drop-down list.	
	• Ingress QOS: Choose the input QoS policy for the client from the drop-down list	
	• Egress QOS: Choose the output QoS policy for the client from the drop-down list.	
Step 4	Click Save & Apply to Device.	

# **Creating a Service Template (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	service-template service-template-name	Enters service template configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# service-template svc1</pre>	
Step 3	access-group access-list-name	Specifies the access list to be applied.
	Example:	
	Device(config-service-template)# access-group acl-auto	
Step 4	vlan vlan-id	Specifies VLAN ID. Valid range is from 1-4094.
	Example:	
	Device(config-service-template)# vlan 10	
Step 5	absolute-timer timer	Specifies session timeout value for a service template. Valid range is from 1-65535.
	Example:	
	Device(config-service-template)# absolute-timer 1000	
Step 6	service-policy qos input <i>qos-policy</i>	Configures an input QoS policy for the client.
	Example:	
	Device(config-service-template)# service-policy qos input in_qos	
Step 7	service-policy qos output <i>qos-policy</i>	Configures an output QoS policy for the client.
	Example:	
	Device(config-service-template)# service-policy qos output out_qos	

### **Creating a Parameter Map**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type subscriber attribute-to-service parameter-map-name	Specifies the parameter map type and name.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# parameter-map type subscriber attribute-to-service param	
Step 3	map-indexmap device-type eqfilter-name	Specifies the parameter map attribute filter criteria. Multiple filters are used in the example provided here.
	Example:	
	Device(config-parameter-map-filter)# 1 map device-type eq "windows" mac-address eq 3c77.e602.2f91 username eq "cisco"	provided nere.
Step 4	<i>map-indexservice-templateservice-template-name</i> <b>precedence</b> <i>precedence-num</i>	Specifies the service template and its precedence.
	Example:	
	Device(config-parameter-map-filter-submode)# 1 service-template svc1 precedence 150	

### **Creating a Policy Map (GUI)**

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Security** > **Local Policy** > **Policy Map** tab..
- **Step 2** Enter a name for the Policy Map in the **Policy Map Name** text field.
- Step 3 Click Add
- **Step 4** Choose the service template from the **Service Template** drop-down list.
- **Step 5** For the following parameters select the type of filter from the drop-down list and enter the required match criteria
  - Device Type
  - User Role
  - User Name

- OUI
- MAC Address

Step 6 Click Add Criteria

Step 7 Click Update & Apply to Device.

# **Creating a Policy Map (CLI)**

#### Before you begin

Before removing a policy map or parameter map, you should remove it from the target or shut down the WLAN profile or delete the session.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	policy-map type control subscriber policy-map-name	Specifies the policy map type.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config) # policy-map type control    subscriber polmap5</pre>	
Step 3	event identity-update match-all	Specifies the match criteria to the policy map.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-event-control-policymap)#    event identity-update match-all</pre>	
Step 4	<ul> <li>You can apply a service template using either a class map or a parameter map, as shown here.</li> <li><i>class-num</i> class <i>class-map-name</i> do-until-failure</li> <li><i>action-index</i> activate service-template <i>service-template-name</i></li> <li><i>action-index</i> map attribute-to-service table <i>parameter-map-name</i></li> </ul>	Configures the local profiling policy class map number and specifies how to perform the action or activates the service template or maps an identity-update attribute to an auto-configured template.
	Example:	
	The following example shows how a class-map with a service-template has to be applied:	
	Device(config-class-control-policymap)# 10 class cls_mac do-until-failure	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-action-control-policymap)# 10 activate service-template svc1	
	Example:	
	The following example shows how a parameter map has to be applied (service template is already associated with the parameter map 'param' while creating it):	
	Device(config-action-control-policymap)#1 map attribute-to-service table param	
Step 5	end	Exits configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-action-control-policymap)# end</pre>	
Step 6	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 7	wireless profile policy wlan-policy-profile-name	Configures a wireless policy profile. <b>Caution</b> Do not configure aaa-override for
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# wireless profile policy wlan-policy-profilename</pre>	native profiling under a named wireless profile policy. Native profiling is applied at a lower priority than AAA policy. If aaa-override is enabled, the AAA policies will override native profile policy.
Step 8	description profile-policy-description	Adds a description for the policy profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# description "default policy profile"</pre>	
Step 9	dhcp-tlv-caching	Configures DHCP TLV caching on a WLAN
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# dhcp-tlv-caching	
Step 10	http-tlv-caching	Configures client HTTP TLV caching on a
	Example:	WLAN.
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# http-tlv-caching	
Step 11	subscriber-policy-name policy-name	Configures the subscriber policy name.
-	Example:	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# subscriber-policy-name polmap5	
Step 12	vlan vlan-id	Configures a VLAN name or VLAN ID.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy) # vlan 1</pre>	
Step 13	no shutdown	Saves the configuration.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# no shutdown	

### **Configuring Native Profiling in Local Mode**

To configure native profiling in the local mode, you must follow the steps described in Creating a Policy Map (CLI), on page 551. In the policy profile, you must enable central switching as described in the step given below in order to configure native profiling.

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	central switching	Enables central switching.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# central   switching</pre>	

# **Verifying Native Profile Configuration**

Use the following **show** commands to verify the native profile configuration:

Device# show wireless client device summary

Active classified MAC Address Protocol-map	l device summary Device-type	User-role
 1491.82b8.f94b 9	Microsoft-Workstation	sales
1491.82bc.2fd5 41	Windows7-Workstation	sales
Device# show wire	less client device cache	
Cached classified	device info	
MAC Address Protocol-map 	Device-type	User-role

2477.031b.aa18 Microsoft-Workstation 9 30a8.db3b.a753 Un-Classified Device 9 4400.1011.e8b5 Un-Classified Device 9 980c.a569.7dd0 Un-Classified Device Device# show wireless client mac-address 4c34.8845.e32c detail | s Session Manager: Interface : Microsoft-Workstation : 0x000009 TTF TD Device Type Protocol Map : TRUE Authorized Session timeout : 1800 Common Session ID: 7838020900000174BF2B5B9 Acct Session ID : 0 Auth Method Status List Method : MAB SM State : TERMINATE Authen Status : Success Local Polices: Service Template : wlan\_svc\_C414.3CCA.0A51 (priority 254) Absolute-Timer : 1800 Server Polices: Resultant Policies: Filter-ID : acl-auto Input OOS : in\_qos : out\_qos : 60 sec Output QOS Idle timeout VLAN : 10 Absolute-Timer : 1000

Use the following **show** command to verify the class map details for a class map name:

Device# show class-map type control subscriber name test Exec Hit Miss Comp Class-map Action \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_ \_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ 0 0 0 0 match day Monday match-any test match-any test match join-time-of-day 8:00 18:00 0 0 0 0 Key: "Exec" - The number of times this line was executed "Hit" - The number of times this line evaluated to TRUE "Miss" - The number of times this line evaluated to FALSE "Comp" - The number of times this line completed the execution of its condition without a need to continue on to the end



# PART **VIII**

# IPv6

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# **Information About IPv6 Client Address Learning**

Client Address Learning is configured on embedded wireless controller to learn the IPv4 and IPv6 address of wireless client, and the client's transition state maintained by the embedded wireless controller on association and timeout.

There are three ways for an IPv6 client to acquire IPv6 addresses:

- Stateless Address Auto-Configuration (SLAAC)
- Stateful DHCPv6
- Static Configuration

In all of these methods, the IPv6 client always sends a neighbor solicitation Duplicate Address Detection (DAD) request to ensure that there is no duplicate IP address on the network. The embedded wireless controller snoops on the Neighbor Discovery Protocol (NDP) and DHCPv6 packets of the client to learn about its client IP addresses.

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### Address Assignment Using SLAAC

The most common method for IPv6 client address assignment is SLAAC, which provides simple plug-and-play connectivity, where clients self-assign an address based on the IPv6 prefix.

SLAAC is configured as follows:

• A host sends a Router Solicitation message.

- The host waits for a Router Advertisement message.
- The host take the first 64 bits of the IPv6 prefix from the Router Advertisement message and combines it with the 64 bit EUI-64 address (in the case of Ethernet, this is created from the MAC address) to create a global unicast message. The host also uses the source IP address, in the IP header, of the Router Advertisement message, as its default gateway.
- Duplicate Address Detection is performed by the IPv6 clients to ensure that random addresses that are picked do not collide with other clients.

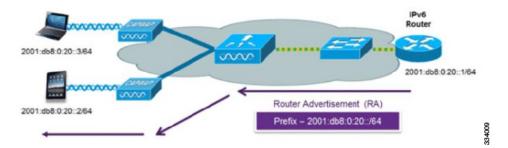


**Note** The choice of algorithm is up to the client and is often configurable.

The last 64 bits of the IPv6 address can be learned by using one of the following algorithms:

- EUI-64, which is based on the MAC address of the interface
- Private addresses that are randomly generated

Figure 13: Address Assignment Using SLAAC



The following Cisco IOS configuration commands from a Cisco-capable IPv6 router are used to enable SLAAC addressing and router advertisements:

```
ipv6 unicast-routing
interface Vlan20
description IPv6-SLAAC
ip address 192.168.20.1 255.255.255.0
ipv6 address FE80:DB8:0:20::1 linklocal
ipv6 address 2001:DB8:0:20::1/64
ipv6 enable
end
```

# **Stateful DHCPv6 Address Assignment**

The use of DHCPv6 is not required for IPv6 client connectivity if SLAAC is already deployed. There are two modes of operation for DHCPv6, that is, Stateless and Stateful.

The DHCPv6 Stateless mode is used to provide clients with additional network information that is not available in the router advertisement, but not an IPv6 address, becuase this is already provided by SLAAC. This information includes the DNS domain name, DNS servers, and other DHCP vendor-specific options.

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Figure 14: Stateful DHCPv6 Address Assignment



The following interface configuration is for a Cisco IOS IPv6 router implementing stateless DHCPv6 with SLAAC enabled:

```
ipv6 unicast-routing
ipv6 dhcp pool IPV6_DHCPPOOL
address prefix 2001:db8:5:10::/64
domain-name cisco.com
dns-server 2001:db8:6:6::1
interface Vlan20
description IPv6-DHCP-Stateless
ip address 192.168.20.1 255.255.255.0
ipv6 nd other-config-flag
ipv6 dhcp server IPV6_DHCPPOOL
ipv6 address 2001:DB8:0:20::1/64
end
```

### **Static IP Address Assignment**

Statically configured address on a client.

### **Router Solicitation**

A Router Solicitation message is issued by a host controller to facilitate local routers to transmit a Router Advertisement from which the controller can obtain information about local routing, or perform stateless auto configuration. Router Advertisements are transmitted periodically and the host prompts with an immediate Router Advertisement using a Router Solicitation such as - when it boots or following a restart operation.

### **Router Advertisement**

A Router Advertisement message is issued periodically by a router or in response to a Router Solicitation message from a host. The information contained in these messages is used by a host to perform stateless auto configuration and to modify its routing table.

### **Neighbor Discovery**

IPv6 Neighbor Discovery is a set of messages and processes that determine relationships between neighboring nodes. Neighbor Discovery replaces the Address Resolution Protocol (ARP), Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP) Router Discovery, and ICMP Redirect used in IPv4.

IPv6 Neighbor Discovery inspection analyzes neighbor discovery messages in order to build a trusted binding table database, and IPv6 Neighbor Discovery packets that do not comply, are dropped. The neighbor binding table in the tracks each IPv6 address and its associated MAC address. Clients are removed from the table according to neighbor-binding timers.

### **Neighbor Discovery Suppression**

The IPv6 addresses of wireless clients are cached by a device. When the device receives an NS multicast looking for an IPv6 address, and if the target address is known to the device and belongs to one of its clients, the device will reply with an NA message on behalf of the client. At the end of this process, the equivalent of the ARP table of IPv4 is generated, but is more efficient because it uses fewer messages.



**Note** The device acts as a proxy and responds with NA, only when the **ipv6 nd suppress** command is configured.

If the device does not have the IPv6 address of a wireless client, the device does not respond with NA; instead, it forwards the NS packet to the wireless side. To resolve this, an NS Multicast Forwarding knob is provided. If this knob is enabled, the device gets the NS packet for the IPv6 address that it does not have (cache miss) and forwards it to the wireless side. This packet reaches the intended wireless client, and the client replies with NA.

Note that this cache miss scenario occurs rarely, and only very few clients who do not implement complete IPv6 stack may not advertise their IPv6 address during NDP.

### **Router Advertisement Guard**

- Port on which the frame is received
- IPv6 source address
- Prefix list
- Trusted or Untrusted ports for receiving the router advertisement guard messages
- Trusted/Untrusted IPv6 source addresses of the router advertisement sender
- · Trusted/Untrusted Prefix list and Prefix ranges
- Router preference

### **Router Advertisement Throttling**

RA throttling allows the controller to enforce limits to the RA packets headed toward the wireless network. By enabling RA throttling, routers that send multiple RA packets can be trimmed to a minimum frequency that will still maintain an IPv6 client connectivity. If a client sends an RS packet, an RA is sent back to the client. This RA is allowed through the controller and unicast to the client. This process ensures that the new clients or roaming clients are not affected by the RA throttling.

### **Prerequisites for IPv6 Client Address Learning**

Before configuring IPv6 client address learning, configure the embedded wireless controller clients to support IPv6.

# **Configuring IPv6 on Embedded Wireless Controller Interface**

Follow the procedure given below to configure IPv6 on an interface:

#### Before you begin

Enable IPv6 on the client and IPv6 support on the wired infrastructure.

Command or Action	Purpose
enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
Example:	Enter your password, if prompted.
Device> <b>enable</b>	
configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Example:	
Device# configure terminal	
interface GigabitEthernet0	Creates the GigabitEthernet interface and enters
Example:	interface configuration mode.
<pre>Device(config)# interface GigabitEthernet0</pre>	
ip address fe80::1 link-local	Configures IPv6 address on the GigabitEthernet
Example:	interface using the link-local option.
Device(config-if)# ip address 198.51.100.1 255.255.255.0	
<pre>Device(config-if)# ipv6 address fe80::1 link-local</pre>	
Device(config-if)# ipv6 address 2001.DB8.0.1.FFFF.12345/64	
Device(config-if)# ipv6 address 2001:DB8:0:0:E000::F/64	
ipv6 enable	(Optional) Enables IPv6 on the GigabitEthernet
Example:	interface.
Device(config)# <b>ipv6 enable</b>	
	<pre>enable enable Example: Device&gt; enable configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal interface GigabitEthernet0 Example: Device(config)# interface GigabitEthernet0 ip address fe80::1 link-local Example: Device(config-if)# ip address 198.51.100.1 255.255.255.0 Device(config-if)# ipv6 address fe80::1 link-local Device(config-if)# ipv6 address 2001:DB8:0:1:FFFF:1234::5/64 Device(config-if)# ipv6 address 2001:DB8:0:0:E000::F/64 ipv6 enable Example:</pre>

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 6	end	Exits interface mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>		

### **Native IPv6**

### **Information About IPv6**

IPv6 is a packet-based protocol used to exchange data, voice, and video traffic over digital networks. IPv6 is based on IP, but with a much larger address space, and improvements such as a simplified main header and extension headers. The architecture of IPv6 has been designed to allow existing IPv4 users to transition easily to IPv6 while continuing to use services such as end-to-end security, quality of service (QoS), and globally unique addresses. The larger IPv6 address space allows networks to scale and provide global reachability.



**Note** The features and functions that work on IPv4 networks with IPv4 addresses also work on IPv6 networks with IPv6 addresses.

#### **General Guidelines**

- You must configure the **ipv6 unicast-routing** command on the embedded wireless controller for the IPv6 feature to work.
- The Wireless Management interface should have only one static IPv6 address.
- Router advertisement should be suppressed on the wireless management interface and client VLANs (if IPv6 is configured on the client VLAN).
- Preferred mode is part of an AP join profile. When you configure the preferred mode as IPv6, an AP attempts to join over IPv6 first. If it fails, the AP falls back to IPv4.
- You should use MAC addresses for RA tracing of APs and clients.

#### **Unsupported Features**

- UDP Lite is not supported.
- AP sniffer over IPv6 is not supported.
- IPv6 is not supported for the HA port interface.
- Auto RF grouping over IPv6 is not supported. Only static RF grouping is supported.

### **Configuring IPv6 Addressing**

Follow the procedure given below to configure IPv6 addressing:

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**Note** All the features and functions that work on IPv4 networks with IPv4 addresses will work on IPv6 networks with IPv6 addresses too.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ipv6 unicast-routing	Configures IPv6 for unicasting.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ipv6 unicast-routing	
Step 3	interface GigabitEthernet0	Creates the GigabitEthernet interface and enters
	Example:	interface configuration mode.
	Device(config)# interface GigabitEthernet0	
Step 4	ipv6 address ipv6-address	Specifies a global IPv6 address.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# ipv6 address FD09:9:2:49::53/64	
Step 5	ipv6 enable	Enables IPv6 on the interface.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-if)# ipv6 enable</pre>	
Step 6	ipv6 nd ra suppress all	Suppresses IPv6 router advertisement transmissions on the interface.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-if)# ipv6 nd ra suppress all</pre>	
Step 7	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# exit	
Step 8	wireless management interface	Configures the ports that are connected to the
	<b>gigabitEthernet</b> gigabitEthernet-interface- vlan 64	supported APs with the wireless management interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless management interface gigabitEthernet vlan 64	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 9	ipv6 route ipv6-address	Specifies IPv6 static routes.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# ipv6 route ::/0 FD09:9:2:49::1</pre>	

### **Creating an AP Join Profile (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > AP Join.	
Step 2	On the <b>AP Join Profile</b> window, click the <b>General</b> tab and click <b>Add</b> .	
Step 3	In the <b>Name</b> field enter, a name for the AP join profile.	
Step 4	(Optional) Enter a description for the AP join profile.	
Step 5	Choose <b>CAPWAP</b> > <b>Advanced</b> .	
Step 6	Under the <b>Advanced</b> tab, from the <b>Preferred Mode</b> drop-down list, choose <b>IPv6</b> . This sets the preferred mode of APs as IPv6.	
Step 7	Click Save & Apply to Device.	

### **Creating an AP Join Profile (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap profile ap-profile	Configures an AP profile and enters AP profile configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# ap profile xyz-ap-profile	
Step 3	description ap-profile-name	Adds a description for the AP profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# description "xyz ap profile"</pre>	
Step 4	preferred-mode ipv6	Sets the preferred mode of APs as IPv6.
	Example:	

Command or Action	Purpose
<pre>Device(config-ap-profile)# preferred-mode     ipv6</pre>	

### **Configuring the Primary and Backup Embedded Wireless Controller (GUI)**

#### Before you begin

Ensure that you have configured an AP join profile prior to configuring the primary and backup embedded wireless controllers.

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > AP Join.	
Step 2	On the <b>AP Join Profile</b> window, click the AP join profile name.	
Step 3	In the Edit AP Join Profile window, click the CAPWAP tab.	
Step 4	In the <b>High Availability</b> tab, under <b>Backup Controller Configuration</b> , check the <b>Enable Fallback</b> check box.	
Step 5	Enter the primary and secondary controller names and IP addresses.	
Step 6	Click Update & Apply to Device.	

### **Configuring Primary and Backup Controller (CLI)**

Follow the procedure given below to configure the primary and secondary controllers for a selected AP:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap profile profile-name	Configures an AP profile and enters AP profile
	Example:	configuration mode.
	Device(config)# ap profile yy-ap-profile	
Step 3	capwap backup primary primary-controller-name primary-controller-ip	Configures AP CAPWAP parameters with the primary backup controller's name.
	Example:	

	Command or Action		Purpose	
	Device(config)# capwap backup primary WLAN-Controller-A 2001:DB8:1::1	Note	You need to enable fast heartbeat for capwap backup primary and capwap backup secondary to work.	
			AP disconnection may occur if the link between the controller and AP is not reliable and fast heartbeat is enabled.	
Step 4	ap capwap backup secondary secondary-controller-name secondary-controller-ip	-	res AP CAPWAP parameters with the ry backup controller's name.	
	Example:			
	Device(config)# capwap backup secondary WLAN-Controller-B 2001:DB8:1::1			
Step 5	syslog host ipaddress	Configures the system logging settings for		
	Example: Device(config)# syslog host 2001:DB8:1::1	APs.		
Step 6	tftp-downgrade <i>tftp-server-ip imagename</i> Example:		AP image downgrade from a TFTP or all the APs.	
	Device(config)# tftp-downgrade 2001:DB8:1::1 testimage			

### **Verifying IPv6 Configuration**

Use the following show command to verify the IPv6 configuration:

Device# show wireless interface summary

Interface Name Interface Type VLAN ID IP Address IP Netmask NAT-IP Address MAC Address GigabitEthernet0 Management 0 0.0.0.0 255.255.255.0 0.0.0.0 d4c9.3ce6.b854

fd09:9:2:49::54/64

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# **Information About IPv6 ACL**

An access control list (ACL) is a set of rules used to limit access to a particular interface (for example, if you want to restrict a wireless client from pinging the management interface of the embedded wireless controller). ACLs are configured on the devicend applied to the management interface, the AP-manager interface, any of the dynamic interfaces, or a WLAN to control data traffic to and from wireless clients or to the embedded wireless controller central processing unit (CPU) to control all traffic destined for the CPU.

You can also create a preauthentication ACL for web authentication. Such an ACL is used to allow certain types of traffic before authentication is complete.

IPv6 ACLs support the same options as IPv4 ACLs including source, destination, source and destination ports.



Note

• You can enable only IPv4 traffic in your network by blocking IPv6 traffic. That is, you can configure an IPv6 ACL to deny all IPv6 traffic and apply it on specific or all WLANs.

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### **Understanding IPv6 ACLs**

### **Types of ACL**

### Per User IPv6 ACL

For the per-user ACL, the full access control entries (ACE) as the text strings are configured on the Cisco Secure Access Control Server (Cisco Secure ACS).

The ACE is not configured on the Controller Embedded Wireless Controller. The ACE is sent to the device in the ACCESS-Accept attribute and applies it directly for the client. When a wireless client roams into an foreign device, the ACEs are sent to the foreign device as an AAA attribute in the mobility Handoff message. Output direction, using per-user ACL is not supported.

### Filter ID IPv6 ACL

For the filter-Id ACL, the full ACEs and the acl name(filter-id) is configured on the device and only the filter-id is configured on the Cisco Secure ACS.

The filter-id is sent to the device in the ACCESS-Accept attribute, and the device looks up the filter-id for the ACEs, and then applies the ACEs to the client. When the client L2 roams to the foreign device, only the filter-id is sent to the foreign device in the mobility Handoff message. Output filtered ACL, using per-user ACL is not supported. The foreign device has to configure the filter-id and ACEs beforehand.

### **Downloadable IPv6 ACL**

For the downloadable ACL (dACL), all the full ACEs and the dacl name are configured only on the Cisco Secure ACS.

The Cisco Secure ACS sends the dacl name to the device in its ACCESS-Accept attribute, which takes the dacl name and sends the dACL name back to the Cisco Secure ACS for the ACEs, using the ACCESS-request attribute.

### **Prerequisites for Configuring IPv6 ACL**

You can filter IP Version 6 (IPv6) traffic by creating IPv6 access control lists (ACLs) and applying them to interfaces similarly to the way that you create and apply IP Version 4 (IPv4) named ACLs. You can also create and apply input router ACLs to filter Layer 3 management traffic when the switch is running the Network Essentials license.

### **Restrictions for Configuring IPv6 ACL**

With IPv4, you can configure standard and extended numbered IP ACLs, named IP ACLs, and MAC ACLs. IPv6 supports only named ACLs.

The device supports most of the Cisco IOS-supported IPv6 ACLs with some exceptions:

- The device does not support matching on these keywords: flowlabel, routing header, and undetermined-transport.
- The device does not support reflexive ACLs (the reflect keyword).
- The device does not apply MAC-based ACLs on IPv6 frames.
- When configuring an ACL, there is no restriction on keywords entered in the ACL, regardless of whether
  or not they are supported on the platform. When you apply the ACL to an interface that requires hardware
  forwarding (physical ports or SVIs), the device checks to determine whether or not the ACL can be
  supported on the interface. If not, attaching the ACL is rejected.

• If an ACL is applied to an interface and you attempt to add an access control entry (ACE) with an unsupported keyword, the device does not allow the ACE to be added to the ACL that is currently attached to the interface

### **Configuring IPv6 ACLs**

Follow the procedure given below to filter IPv6 traffic:

- 1. Create an IPv6 ACL, and enter IPv6 access list configuration mode.
- 2. Configure the IPv6 ACL to block (deny) or pass (permit) traffic.
- 3. Apply the IPv6 ACL to the interface where the traffic needs to be filtered.
- **4.** Apply the IPv6 ACL to an interface. For router ACLs, you must also configure an IPv6 address on the Layer 3 interface to which the ACL is applied.

### **Default IPv6 ACL Configuration**

There are no IPv6 ACLs configured or applied.

### **Interaction with Other Features and Switches**

- If an IPv6 router ACL is configured to deny a packet, the packet is not routed. A copy of the packet is sent to the Internet Control Message Protocol (ICMP) queue to generate an ICMP unreachable message for the frame.
- If a bridged frame is to be dropped due to a port ACL, the frame is not bridged.
- You can create both IPv4 and IPv6 ACLs on a switch or switch stack, and you can apply both IPv4 and IPv6 ACLs to the same interface. Each ACL must have a unique name; an error message appears if you try to use a name that is already configured.

You use different commands to create IPv4 and IPv6 ACLs and to attach IPv4 or IPv6 ACLs to the same Layer 2 or Layer 3 interface. If you use the wrong command to attach an ACL (for example, an IPv4 command to attach an IPv6 ACL), you receive an error message.

- You cannot use MAC ACLs to filter IPv6 frames. MAC ACLs can only filter non-IP frames.
- If the hardware memory is full, for any additional configured ACLs, packets are dropped to the CPU, and the ACLs are applied in software. When the hardware is full a message is printed to the console indicating the ACL has been unloaded and the packets will be dropped on the interface.

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# How To Configure an IPv6 ACL

### **Creating an IPv6 ACL**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	ipv6 access-list acl_name Example: Device# ipv6 access-list access-list-name	Use a name to define an IPv6 access list and enter IPv6 access-list configuration mode.
Step 4	<pre>{deny permit} protocol Example: {deny   permit} protocol {source-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length   any   host source-ipv6-address} [operator [port-number]]{destination-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length   any  host destination-ipv6-address} [operator [port-number]][dscp value] [fragments][log] [log-input] [routing][sequence value] [time-range name]</pre>	of an Internet protocol: ahp, esp, icmp,

<b>Command or Action</b>	Purpose
	in hexadecimal using 16-bit values between colons.
	• (Optional) For operator, specify an operand that compares the source or destination ports of the specified protocol. Operands are lt (less than), gt (greater than), eq (equal), neq (not equal), and range.
	If the operator follows the source-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length argument, it must match the source port. If the operator follows the destination-ipv6- prefix/prefix-length argument, it must match the destination port.
	<ul> <li>(Optional) The port-number is a decimal number from 0 to 65535 or the name of a TCP or UDP port. You can use TCP port names only when filtering TCP. You can use UDP port names only when filtering UDP.</li> </ul>
	• (Optional) Enter dscp value to match a differentiated services code point value against the traffic class value in the Traffic Class field of each IPv6 packet header. The acceptable range is from 0 to 63.
	• (Optional) Enter fragments to check noninitial fragments. This keyword is visible only if the protocol is ipv6.
	<ul> <li>(Optional) Enter log to cause an logging message to be sent to the console about the packet that matches the entry. Enter log-input to include the input interface in the log entry. Logging is supported only for router ACLs.</li> </ul>
	• (Optional) Enter routing to specify that IPv6 packets be routed.
	• (Optional) Enter sequence value to specify the sequence number for the access list statement. The acceptable range is from 1 to 4294967295
	• (Optional) Enter time-range name to specify the time range that applies to the deny or permit statement.

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 5	<pre>Command or Action {deny permit} tcp Example: {deny   permit} tcp {source-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length   any   hostsource-ipv6-address} [operator [port-number]]{destination-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length   any  hostdestination-ipv6-address} [operator [port-number]][ack] [dscp value][established] [fin] [log][log-input] [neq {port  protocol}] [psh] [range{port   protocol}] [rst][routing] [sequence value] [syn] [time-range name][urg]</pre>	<ul> <li>(Optional) Define a TCP access list and the access conditions.</li> <li>Enter tcp for Transmission Control Protocol.</li> <li>The parameters are the same as those described in Step 3, with these additional optional parameters: <ul> <li>ack—Acknowledgment bit set.</li> <li>established—An established connection</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>neq {port   protocol}—Matches only packets that are not on a given port number.</li> <li>psh—Push function bit set.</li> <li>range {port   protocol}—Matches only packets in the port number range.</li> <li>rst—Reset bit set.</li> <li>syn—Synchronize bit set.</li> <li>urg—Urgent pointer bit set.</li> </ul>	
Step 6	<pre>{deny permit} udp {deny permit} udp Example: {deny   permit} udp {source-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length   any   hostsource-ipv6-address} [operator [port-number]]{destination-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length   any   hostdestination-ipv6-address} [operator [port-number]][dscp value] [log][log-input] [neq {port  protocol}] [range {port  protocol}] [routing][sequence value][time-range name]</pre>	(Optional) Define a UDP access list and the access conditions. Enter udp for the User Datagram Protocol. The UDP parameters are the same as those described for TCP, except that the operator [port]] port number or name must be a UDP port number or name, and the established parameter is not valid for UDP.	
Step 7	<pre>{deny permit} icmp {deny permit} icmp {deny   permit} icmp {source-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length   any   hostsource-ipv6-address} [operator [port-number]] {destination-ipv6-prefix/prefix-length   any   hostdestination-ipv6-address} [operator [port-number]][icmp-type]</pre>	<ul> <li>(Optional) Define an ICMP access list and the access conditions.</li> <li>Enter icmp for Internet Control Message</li> <li>Protocol. The ICMP parameters are the same as those described for most IP protocols in Step 3a, with the addition of the ICMP message type and code parameters. These optional keywords have these meanings:</li> </ul>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<pre>[icmp-code]  icmp-message] [dscpvalue] [log] [log-input] [routing] [sequence value][time-range name]</pre>	<ul> <li>icmp-type—Enter to filter by ICMP message type, a number from 0 to 255.</li> <li>icmp-code—Enter to filter ICMP packets that are filtered by the ICMP message code type, a number from 0 to 255.</li> <li>icmp-message—Enter to filter ICMP packets by the ICMP message type name or the ICMP message type and code name. To see a list of ICMP message type names and code names, use the ? key or see command reference for this release.</li> </ul>
Step 8	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
Step 9	<pre>show ipv6 access-list Example: show ipv6 access-list</pre>	Verify the access list configuration.
Step 10	copy running-config startup-config Example: copy running-config startup-config	(Optional) Save your entries in the configuration file.

### **Creating WLAN IPv6 ACL**

# **Verifying IPv6 ACL**

### **Displaying IPv6 ACLs**

To display IPv6 ACLs, perform this procedure:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3     show access-list       Example:     Device# show access-lists	show access-list	Displays all access lists configured on the
	Example:	device
Step 4	show ipv6 access-list acl_name	Displays all configured IPv6 access list or the
	Example:	access list specified by name.
	Device# <b>show ipv6 access-list</b> [access-list-name]	

### **Configuration Examples for IPv6 ACL**

### Example: Creating an IPv6 ACL

This example configures the IPv6 access list named CISCO. The first deny entry in the list denies all packets that have a destination TCP port number greater than 5000. The second deny entry denies packets that have a source UDP port number less than 5000. The second deny also logs all matches to the console. The first permit entry in the list permits all ICMP packets. The second permit entry in the list permits all other traffic. The second permit entry is necessary because an implicit deny -all condition is at the end of each IPv6 access list.



Note Logging is supported only on Layer 3 interfaces.

```
Device(config)# ipv6 access-list CISCO
Device(config-ipv6-acl)# deny tcp any any gt 5000
Device(config-ipv6-acl)# deny ::/0 lt 5000 ::/0 log
Device(config-ipv6-acl)# permit icmp any any
Device(config-ipv6-acl)# permit any any
```

### **Example: Displaying IPv6 ACLs**

This is an example of the output from the **show access-lists** privileged EXEC command. The output shows all access lists that are configured on the switch or switch stack.

```
Device #show access-lists
Extended IP access list hello
10 permit ip any any
IPv6 access list ipv6
permit ipv6 any any sequence 10
```

This is an example of the output from the **show ipv6 access-lists** privileged EXEC command. The output shows only IPv6 access lists configured on the switch or switch stack.

Device# show ipv6 access-list IPv6 access list inbound permit tcp any any eq bgp (8 matches) sequence 10 permit tcp any any eq telnet (15 matches) sequence 20 permit udp any any sequence 30

IPv6 access list outbound deny udp any any sequence 10 deny tcp any any eq telnet sequence 20



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# Information About Cisco CleanAir

Cisco CleanAir is a solution designed to proactively manage the challenges of a shared wireless spectrum. It allows you to see all the users of a shared spectrum (both native devices and foreign interferers). It also enables the network to act upon this information. For example, you can manually remove the interfering device, or the system can automatically change the channel away from the interference. CleanAir provides spectrum management and Radio Frequency (RF) visibility.

A Cisco CleanAir system consists of CleanAir-enabled access points. These access points collect information about all the devices that operate in the industrial, scientific, and medical (ISM) bands, identify and evaluate the information as a potential interference source, and forward it to the embedded wireless controller. The controller embedded wireless controller controls the access points.

For every device operating in the unlicensed band, Cisco CleanAir provides information about what it is, how it is impacting your wireless network, and what actions you or your network should take. It simplifies RF.

Wireless LAN systems operate in unlicensed 2.4-GHz and 5-GHz ISM bands. Many devices, such as microwave ovens, cordless phones, and Bluetooth devices also operate in these bands and can negatively affect the Wi-Fi operations.

Some of the most advanced WLAN services, such as voice-over-wireless and IEEE 802.11 radio communications, might be significantly impaired by the interference caused by other legal users of the ISM bands. The integration of Cisco CleanAir functionality addresses this problem of RF interference.

## **Cisco CleanAir-Related Terms**

#### Table 24: CleanAir-Related Terms

Term	Decription	
AQI	Air Quality Index. The AQI is an indicator of air quality, based on the air pollutants. An AQI of 0 is bad and an AQI $> 85$ is good.	
AQR	Air Quality Report. AQRs contain information about total interference from all the identified sources represented by AQI and the summary of the most severe interference categories. AQRs are sent every 15 minutes to the Mobility Controller and every 30 seconds in the Rapid mode.	
DC	Duty Cycle. Percentage of time that the channel is utilized by a device.	
EDRRM	Event-Driven RRM. EDRRM allows an access point in distress to bypass normal RRM intervals and immediately change channels.	
IDR	Interference Device Reports that an access point sends to the embedded wireless controller.	
ISI	Interference Severity Index. The ISI is an indicator of the severity of the interference.	
RSSI	Received Signal Strength Indicator. RSSI is a measurement of the power present in a received radio signal. It is the power at which an access point sees the interferer device.	

### **Cisco CleanAir Components**

The basic Cisco CleanAir architecture consists of Cisco CleanAir-enabled APs and device.

An access point equipped with Cisco CleanAir technology collects information about Wi-Fi interference sources processes it. The access point sends the Air Quality Report (AQR) and Interference Device Report (IDR) to the embedded wireless controller.

The controller controls and configures CleanAir-capable access points, and collects and processes spectrum data. The provides local user interfaces (GUI and CLI) to configure basic CleanAir features and services and display current spectrum information. The also detects, merges, and mitigates interference devices using RRM TPC and DCA For details, see Interference Device Merging.

The device performs the following tasks in a Cisco CleanAir system:

- Configures Cisco CleanAir capabilities on the access point.
- Provides interfaces ( CLI) for configuring Cisco CleanAir features and retrieving data.
- Displays spectrum data.
- Collects and processes AQRs from the access point and stores them in the air quality database. AQRs contain information about the total interference from all the identified sources represented by the Air Quality Index (AQI) and the summary for the most severe interference categories. The CleanAir system can also include unclassified interference information under per-interference type reports that enable you to take action in scenarios where interference because of unclassified interfering devices is more.
- Collects and processes IDRs from the access point and stores them in the interference device database.

## Interference Types that Cisco CleanAir can Detect

### Cisco CleanAir.

Wi-Fi chip-based RF management systems share these characteristics:

- Any RF energy that cannot be identified as a Wi-Fi signal is reported as noise.
- Noise measurements that are used to assign a channel plan tend to be averaged over a period of time to avoid instability or rapid changes that can be disruptive to certain client devices.
- Averaging measurements reduces the resolution of the measurement. As such, a signal that disrupts clients might not look like it needs to be mitigated after averaging.
- All RF management systems available today are reactive in nature.

Cisco CleanAir is different and can positively identify not only the source of the noise but also its potential impact to a WLAN. Having this information allows you to consider the noise within the context of the network and make intelligent and, where possible, proactive decisions.



**Note** Spectrum event-driven RRM can be triggered only by Cisco CleanAir-enabled access points in local mode.

Spontaneous interference is interference that appears suddenly on a network, perhaps jamming a channel or a range of channels completely. The Cisco CleanAir spectrum event-driven RRM feature allows you to set a threshold for air quality (AQ) which, if exceeded, triggers an immediate channel change for the affected access point. Most RF management systems can avoid interference, but this information takes time to propagate through the system. Cisco CleanAir relies on AQ measurements to continuously evaluate the spectrum and can trigger a move within 30 seconds. For example, if an access point detects interference from a video camera, it can recover by changing channels within 30 seconds of the camera becoming active. Cisco CleanAir also identifies and locates the source of interference so that more permanent mitigation of the device can be performed at a later time.

Microwave Ovens, Outdoor Ethernet bridges are two classes of devices that qualify as persistent, since once detected, it is likely that these devices will continue to be a random problem and are not likely to move. For these types of devices we can tell RRM of the detection and Bias the affected channel so that RRM "remembers" that there is a high potential for client impacting interference for the Detecting AP on the detected channel. For more information, see https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/wireless/controller/technotes/8-3/b\_RRM\_White\_Paper\_chapter\_0100.html?bookSearch=true#id\_15217.

CleanAir PDA devices include:

- Microwave Oven
- WiMax Fixed
- WiMax Mobile
- Motorola Canopy

In the case of Bluetooth devices, Cisco CleanAir-enabled access points can detect and report interference only if the devices are actively transmitting. Bluetooth devices have extensive power-save modes. For example, interference can be detected when data or voice is being streamed between the connected devices.

## EDRRM and AQR Update Mode

EDRRM is a feature that allows an access point that is in distress to bypass normal RRM intervals and immediately change channels. A CleanAir access point always monitors AQ and reports the AQ every 15 minutes. AQ only reports classified interference devices. The key benefit of EDRRM is fast action time. If an interfering device is operating on an active channel and causes enough AQ degradation to trigger an EDRRM, then no clients will be able to use that channel or the access point. You must remove the access point from the channel. EDRRM is not enabled by default, you must first enable CleanAir and then enable EDRRM.

# **Prerequisites for CleanAir**

You can configure Cisco CleanAir only on CleanAir-enabled access points.

Only Cisco CleanAir-enabled access points using the following access point modes can perform Cisco CleanAir spectrum monitoring:

- Local—In this mode, each Cisco CleanAir-enabled access point radio provides air quality and interference detection reports for the current operating channel only. An AP can only measure air quality and interference when the AP is not busy transmitting Wi-Fi frames. This implies that CleanAir detections will be drastically lower if the AP is having a high channel utilization.
- Monitor—When Cisco CleanAir is enabled in monitor mode, the access point provides air quality and interference detection reports for all monitored channels.

The following options are available:

- All—All channels
- DCA—Channel selection governed by the DCA list
- · Country-All channels are legal within a regulatory domain

# **Restrictions for CleanAir**

- Access points in monitor mode do not transmit Wi-Fi traffic or 802.11 packets. They are excluded from
  radio resource management (RRM) planning and are not included in the neighbor access point list. IDR
  clustering depends on the device's ability to detect neighboring in-network access points. Correlating
  interference device detections from multiple access points is limited between monitor-mode access points.
- For 4800 AP slot 1 5 GHz is dedicated and cannot be individually moved to monitor mode. However, slot 0 is XOR and can be moved to monitor as well as 2.4/5 GHz. Slot 2 is dedicated monitor and will operate in 5GHz and in AP monitor mode, slot 2 will be disabled because a monitor radio is already available in both 2.4/5GHz. 3700 AP has dedicated 2.4GHz (slot0) and 5GHz (slot1).
- Do not connect access points in SE connect mode directly to any physical port on the controller.
- CleanAir is not supported wherein the channel width is 160 MHz.

# **How to Configure CleanAir**

## Enabling CleanAir for the 2.4-GHz Band (GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Radio Configurations > CleanAir
Step 2	On the <b>CleanAir</b> page, click the me <b>2.4 GHz Band</b> > <b>General</b> tab.
Step 3	Check the Enable CleanAir checkbox.
Step 4	Click Apply.

## Enabling CleanAir for the 2.4-GHz Band (CLI)

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	Enables the CleanAir feature on the 802.11b
	Example:	network. Run the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable CleanAir on the 802.11b network.
	Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	
	Device (config) #no ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to ex
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

## **Configuring Interference Reporting for a 2.4-GHz Device (GUI)**

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Radio Configurations > CleanAir.
Step 2	Click the <b>2.4 GHz Band</b> tab.

**Step 3** Choose the interference types and add them to the **Interference Types to detect** section.

The following interference types are available:

- BLE Beacon-Bluetooth low energy beacon
- · Bluetooth Discovery
- Bluetooth Link
- Canopy
- Continuous Transmitter
- DECT-like Phone—Digital Enhanced Cordless Technology phone
- 802.11 FH-802.11 frequency hopping device
- WiFi Inverted—Device using spectrally inverted Wi-Fi signals
- Jammer
- Microwave Oven
- · WiFi Invalid Channel-Device using nonstandard Wi-Fi channels
- TDD Transmitter
- Video Camera
- SuperAG—802.11 SuperAG device
- WiMax Mobile
- WiMax Fixed
- 802.15.4
- Microsoft Device
- SI\_FHSS
- Step 4 Click Apply.

## **Configuring Interference Reporting for a 2.4-GHz Device (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example: Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device {bt-discovery   bt-link   canopy   cont-tx   dect-like   fh   inv   jammer   mw-oven   nonstd   report	Configures the 2.4-GHz interference devices to report to the device. Run the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable the configuration.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
t	superag   tdd-tx   video   wimax-fixed	The following is a list of the keyword
	wimax-mobile   xbox   zigbee }	descriptions:
	Example:	• <b>bt-discovery</b> —Bluetooth discovery
	·	• <b>bt-link</b> —Bluetooth link
		• <b>Dt-IINK</b> —Bluetooth link
	<pre>Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device bt-discovery</pre>	• <b>canopy</b> —Canopy device
	Device(config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	• cont-tx—Continuous transmitter
	device bt-link	dect-like—Digital Enhanced Cordless
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	Communication-like phone
	device canopy	• <b>fh</b> —802.11-frequency hopping device
	Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	• inv Davias using anastrolly inverted
	device cont-tx	<ul> <li>inv—Device using spectrally inverted Wi-Fi signals</li> </ul>
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	• jammer Jammer
	device dect-like	• jammer—Jammer
	<pre>Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device fh</pre>	• <b>mw-oven</b> —Microwave oven
		• nonstd—Device using nonstandard Wi
	Device(config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	channels
	device inv	• <b>report</b> —Interference device reporting
	Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	
	device jammer	<ul> <li>superag—802.11 SuperAG device</li> </ul>
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	• <b>tdd-tx</b> —TDD transmitter
	device mw-oven	
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	• video—Video camera
	device nonstd	• wimax-fixed—WiMax Fixed
	Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	• wimax-mobile—WiMax Mobile
	device report	
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	• microsoft xbox—Microsoft Xbox dev
	device (config) # ap dotif 24gnz cleanair device superag	• <b>zigbee</b> —802.15.4 device
	<pre>Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device tdd-tx</pre>	
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	
	device video	
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	
	device wimax-fixed	
	Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	
	device wimax-mobile	
	Device (config) # an dot11 94chr alerrain	
	<pre>Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device xbox</pre>	
	Device (config) # ap dot11 24ghz cleanair	
	device zigbee	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config)# ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device alarm	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	

# Enabling CleanAir for the 5-GHz Band (GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Radio Configurations > CleanAir
Step 2	On the <b>CleanAir</b> page, click the me <b>5 GHz Band</b> > <b>General</b> tab.
Step 3	Check the Enable CleanAir checkbox.
Step 4	Click Apply.

# Enabling CleanAir for the 5-GHz Band (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 5ghz cleanair	Enables the CleanAir feature on a 802.11a
	Example:	network. Run the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable CleanAir on the 802 11a network
	Device (config) #ap dot11 5ghz cleanair	disable CleanAll on the 802.11a network.
	Device(config) #no ap dot11 5ghz cleanair	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.

## **Configuring Interference Reporting for a 5-GHz Device (GUI)**

### Procedure

- **Step 1** Choose **Configuration** > **Radio Configurations** > **CleanAir**.
- Step 2 Click the 5 GHz Band tab.
- **Step 3** Choose the interference types and add them to the **Interference Types to detect** section.

The following interference types are available:

- Canopy
- Continuous Transmitter
- DECT-like Phone—Digital Enhanced Cordless Technology phone
- 802.11 FH—802.11 frequency hopping device
- WiFi Inverted—Device using spectrally inverted Wi-Fi signals
- Jammer
- WiFi Invalid Channel-Device using nonstandard Wi-Fi channels
- SuperAG-802.11 SuperAG device
- TDD Transmitter
- WiMax Mobile
- WiMax Fixed
- Video Camera
- Step 4 Click Apply.

## **Configuring Interference Reporting for a 5-GHz Device (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ap dot11 5ghz cleanair device {canopy   cont-tx   dect-like   inv   jammer   nonstd   report   superag   tdd-tx   video   wimax-fixed   wimax-mobile}	Configures a 5-GHz interference device to report to the device. Run the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable interference device reporting.	

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Example:	The following is a list of the keyword descriptions:	
	Device(config)# <b>ap dotl1 5ghz cleanair</b> <b>device canopy</b>	• canopy—Canopy device	
		• <b>cont-tx</b> —Continuous transmitter	
	Device(config)#ap dot11 5ghz cleanair device cont-tx	dect-like—Digital Enhanced Cordless     Communication-like phone	
	Device(config)#ap dot11 5ghz cleanair device dect-like	• <b>fh</b> —802.11-frequency hopping device	
	Device(config)# <b>ap dot11 5ghz cleanair</b> <b>device inv</b>	• <b>inv</b> —Device using spectrally-inverted Wi-Fi signals	
	Device (config) #ap dot11 5ghz cleanair	• jammer—Jammer	
	<b>device jammer</b> Device(config)#ap dotl1 5ghz cleanair	• nonstd—Device using nonstandard Wi-Fi channels	
	device nonstd	• superag—802.11 SuperAG device	
	Device(config) #ap dot11 5ghz cleanair device report	• tdd-tx—TDD transmitter	
	Device (config) #ap dot11 5qhz cleanair	• video—Video camera	
	device superag	• wimax-fixed—WiMax fixed	
	Device(config)#ap dot11 5ghz cleanair device tdd-tx	• wimax-mobile—WiMax mobile	
	Device(config)# <b>ap dot11 5ghz cleanair</b> <b>device video</b>		
	Device(config)#ap dot11 5ghz cleanair device wimax-fixed		
	Device(config)#ap dot11 5ghz cleanair device wimax-mobile		
	Device(config)# <b>ap dotl1 5ghz cleanair</b> <b>device si_fhss</b>		
	Device(config)#ap dot11 5ghz cleanair device alarm		
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example: Device(config)# end	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	

## **Configuring Event Driven RRM for a CleanAir Event (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1		Configuration > Radio Configurations > RRM.
Step 2		io Resource Management page is displayed. DCA tab.
Step 3		<b>rent Driven RRM</b> section, check the <b>EDRRM</b> check box to run RRM when CleanAir-enabled AP significant level of interference.
Step 4	Configur	e the <b>Sensitivity Threshold</b> level at which RRM has to be invoked from the following options:
Step 5	• Mee • Hig • Cus To config	<ul> <li>w: Represents a decreased sensitivity to changes in the environment and its value is set at 35.</li> <li>dium: Represents medium sensitivity to changes in the environment at its value is set at 50.</li> <li>h: Represents increased sensitivity to changes in the environment at its value is set at 60.</li> <li>etom: If you choose this option, you must specify a custom value in the Custom Threshold box.</li> <li>gure rogue duty cycle, check the Rogue Contribution check box and then specify the Rogue cele in terms of percentage. The default value of rogue duty cycle is 80 percent.</li> </ul>
	Note	Rogue Contribution is a new component included in ED-RRM functionality. Rogue Contribution allows ED-RRM to trigger based on identified Rogue Channel Utilization, which is completely separate from CleanAir metrics. Rogue Duty Cycle comes from normal off channel RRM metrics, and invokes a channel change based on neighboring rogue interference. Because this comes from RRM metrics and not CleanAir, the timing - assuming normal 180 second off channel intervals - would be within 3 minutes or 180 seconds worst case. It is configured separately from CleanAir ED-RRM and is disabled by default. This allows the AP to become reactive to Wi-Fi interference that is not coming from own network and is measured at each individual AP.

**Step 6** Save the configuration.

# **Configuring EDRRM for a CleanAir Event (CLI)**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel cleanair-event	Enables EDRRM CleanAir event. Run the <b>no</b> form of this command to disable EDRRM.
	Example:	
	Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel cleanair-event	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config)#no ap dotl1 24ghz rrm channel cleanair-event	
Step 3	<pre>ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} rrm channel cleanair-event [sensitivity {high   low   medium}] Example: Device (config) #ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel cleanair-event sensitivity high</pre>	<ul> <li>Configures the EDRRM sensitivity of the CleanAir event.</li> <li>The following is a list of the keyword descriptions: <ul> <li>High—Specifies the most sensitivity to non-Wi–Fi interference as indicated by the AQ value.</li> <li>Low—Specifies the least sensitivity to non-Wi–Fi interference as indicated by the AQ value.</li> <li>Medium—Specifies medium sensitivity to non-Wi–Fi interference as indicated by the AQ value.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Step 4	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# **Verifying CleanAir Parameters**

You can verify CleanAir parameters using the following commands:

Table 25: Commands for verifying CleanAir

Command Name	Description
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type all	Displays all the CleanAir interferers for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type bt-discovery	Displays CleanAir interferers of type BT Discovery for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type bt-link	Displays CleanAir interferers of type BT Link for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type canopy	Displays CleanAir interferers of type Canopy for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type cont-tx	Displays CleanAir interferers of type Continuous transmitter for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type dect-like	Displays CleanAir interferers of type DECT Like for the 2.4-GHz band.

Command Name	Description
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type fh	Displays CleanAir interferers of type 802.11FH for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type inv	Displays CleanAir interferers of type Wi-Fi Inverted for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type jammer	Displays CleanAir interferers of type Jammer for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type mw-oven	Displays CleanAir interferers of type MW Oven for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type nonstd	Displays CleanAir interferers of type Wi-Fi inverted channel for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type superag	Displays CleanAir interferers of type SuperAG for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type tdd-tx	Displays CleanAir interferers of type TDD Transmit for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type video	Displays CleanAir interferers of type Video Camera for the 2.4-GHz band.
show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type wimax-fixed	Displays CleanAir interferers of type WiMax Fixed for the 2.4-GHz band.

## **Monitoring Interference Devices**

When a CleanAir-enabled access point detects interference devices, detections of the same device from multiple sensors are merged together to create clusters. Each cluster is given a unique ID. Some devices conserve power by limiting the transmit time until actually needed, which results in the spectrum sensor to stop detecting the device temporarily. This device is then correctly marked as down. Such a device is correctly removed from the spectrum database. In cases when all the interferer detections for a specific device are reported, the cluster ID is kept alive for an extended period of time to prevent possible device-detection bouncing. If the same device is detected again, it is merged with the original cluster ID and the device-detection history is preserved.

For example, some bluetooth headsets operate on battery power. These devices employ methods to reduce power consumption, such as turning off the transmitter when not actually needed. Such devices can appear to come and go from the classification. To manage these devices, CleanAir keeps the cluster IDs for longer and they are remerged into a single record upon detection. This process smoothens the user records and accurately represents the device history.

# **Configuration Examples for CleanAir**

This example shows how to enable CleanAir on the 2.4-GHz band and an access point operating in the channel:

```
Device#configure terminal
Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz cleanair
```

```
Device(config) #exit
Device#ap name TAP1 dot11 24ghz cleanair
Device#end
```

This example shows how to enable an EDRRM CleanAir event in the 2.4-GHz band and configure high sensitivity to non-Wi–Fi interference:

```
Device#configure terminal
Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel cleanair-event
Device(config)#ap dot11 24ghz rrm channel cleanair-event sensitivity high
Device(config)#end
```

## **CleanAir FAQs**

- **Q.** Multiple access points detect the same interference device. However, the device shows them as separate clusters or different suspected devices clustered together. Why does this happen?
- **A.** Access points must be RF neighbors for the device to consider merging the devices that are detected by these access points. An access point takes time to establish neighbor relationships. A few minutes after the device reboots or after there is a change in the RF group, and similar events, clustering will not be very accurate.
- **Q.** How do I view neighbor access points?
- A. To view neighbor access points, use the show ap *ap\_name* auto-rf dot11 {24ghz | 5ghz} command.

This example shows how to display the neighbor access points:

```
Device#show ap name AS-5508-5-AP3 auto-rf dot11 24ghz
```

<snippet> Nearby APs</snippet>	
AP 0C85.259E.C350 slot 0	: -12 dBm on 1 (10.10.0.5)
AP 0C85.25AB.CCA0 slot 0	: -24 dBm on 6 (10.10.0.5)
AP 0C85.25C7.B7A0 slot 0	: -26 dBm on 11 (10.10.0.5)
AP 0C85.25DE.2C10 slot 0	: -24 dBm on 6 (10.10.0.5)
AP 0C85.25DE.C8E0 slot 0	: -14 dBm on 11 (10.10.0.5)
AP 0C85.25DF.3280 slot 0	: -31 dBm on 6 (10.10.0.5)
AP 0CD9.96BA.5600 slot 0	: -44 dBm on 6 (10.0.0.2)
AP 24B6.5734.C570 slot 0	: -48 dBm on 11 (10.0.0.2)
<snippet></snippet>	

- **Q.** What are the AP debug commands available for CleanAir?
- A. The AP debug commands for CleanAir are:
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# **Spectrum Intelligence**

The Spectrum Intelligence feature scans for non-Wi-Fi radio interference on 2.4-GHz and 5-GHz bands. Spectrum intelligence provides basic functions to detect interferences of three types, namely microwave, continuous wave (like video bridge and baby monitor), wi-fi and frequency hopping (bluetooth and frequency-hopping spread spectrum (FHSS) cordless phone).

The following Cisco access points (APs) support Spectrum Intelligence feature:

- Cisco Catalyst 9115 Series Wi-Fi 6 APs
- Cisco Aironet 1852E/I APs
- Cisco Aironet 1832I APs
- Cisco Aironet 1815W/T/I/M APs
- Cisco Aironet 1810W/T APs
- Cisco Aironet 1800I/S APs
- Cisco Aironet 1542D/I APs



Note

te You must enable Spectrum Intelligence feature on the Cisco Aironet 1832 and 1852 series APs to get radio details, such as noise, air-quality, interference, and radio utilization on the Cisco DNA Center Assurance AP health.

### Restrictions

• SI APs only report a single interference type in Local mode.

- SI does not support high availability for air quality or interference reports. High Availability is not supported because interference report/device reported will not be copied to standby after switchover. We expect AP to send it again, if at all interference is still there.
- Spectrum Intelligence detects only three types of devices:
  - Microwave
  - Continuous wave—(video recorder, baby monitor)
  - SI-FHSS—(Bluetooth, Frequency hopping Digital European Cordless Telecommunications (DECT) phones)

# **Configuring Spectrum Intelligence**

Follow the procedure given below to configure spectrum intelligence:

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ap dot11 {24ghz   5ghz} SI	Configures the 2.4-GHz or 5-GHz Spectrum	
	Example:	Intelligence feature on the 802.11a or 802.11b network.	
	Device(config)# ap dotl1 24ghz SI	Add <b>no</b> form of the command to disable SI on the 802.11a or 802.11b network.	

# Verifying Spectrum Intelligence Information

Use the following commands to verify spectrum intelligence information:

To display the SI information for a 2.4-GHz or 5-GHz band, use the following command:

Device# show ap dot11 24ghz SI config

```
SI Solution..... : Enabled
Interference Device Settings:
SI_FHSS..... : Enabled
Interference Device Types Triggering Alarms:
SI_FHSS..... : Disabled
```

To display SI interferers of type Continuous transmitter for a 2.4-GHz band, use the following command:

Device# show ap dot11 24ghz SI device type cont\_tx

```
DC = Duty Cycle (%)
ISI = Interference Severity Index (1-Low Interference, 100-High Interference)
RSSI = Received Signal Strength Index (dBm)
```

DevID = Device ID AP type = CA, clean air, SI spectrum intelligence No ClusterID DevID Type AP Type AP Name ISI RSSI DC Channel xx:xx:xx:xx 0014 BT CA myAP1 -- -69 00 133 xx:xx:xx:xx 0014 BT SI myAP1 -- -69 00 133 Tr di l coccit i c

To display 802.11a interference devices information for the given AP for 5-GHz, use the following command:

```
Device# show ap dot11 5ghz SI device type ap
```

```
DC = Duty Cycle (%)

ISI = Interference Severity Index (1-Low Interference, 100-High Interference)

RSSI = Received Signal Strength Index (dBm)

DevID = Device ID

AP type = CA, clean air, SI spectrum intelligence

No ClusterID/BSSID DevID Type AP Type AP Name ISI RSSI DC Channel

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```

To display all Cisco CleanAir interferers for a 2.4-GHz band, use the following command:

Device# show ap dot11 24ghz cleanair device type all



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# Information About WLANs

This feature enables you to control WLANs for lightweight access points. Each WLAN has a separate WLAN ID, a separate profile name, and a WLAN SSID. All access points can advertise up to 16 WLANs. However, you can create up to 4096 WLANs and then selectively advertise these WLANs (using profiles and tags) to different APs for better manageability.

You can configure WLANs with different SSIDs or with the same SSID. An SSID identifies the specific wireless network that you want the controller to access.

## **Band Selection**

Band select enables client radios that are capable of dual-band (2.4 and 5-GHz) operations to move to a less congested 5-GHz access point. The 2.4-GHz band is often congested. Clients on this band typically experience interference from Bluetooth devices, microwave ovens, and cordless phones as well as co-channel interference from other access points because of the 802.11b/g limit of 3 nonoverlapping channels. To prevent these sources of interference and improve overall network performance, configure band selection on the device.

## **Off-Channel Scanning Deferral**

A lightweight access point, in normal operational conditions, periodically goes off-channel and scans another channel. This is in order to perform RRM operations such as the following:

- Transmitting and receiving Neighbor Discovery Protocol (NDP) packets with other APs.
- Detecting rogue APs and clients.
- Measuring noise and interference.

During the off-channel period, which normally is about 70 milliseconds, the AP is unable to transmit or receive data on its serving channel. Therefore, there is a slight impact on its performance and some client transmissions might be dropped.

While the AP is sending and receiving important data, it is possible to configure off-channel scanning deferral so that the AP does not go off-channel and its normal operation is not impacted. You can configure off-channel scanning deferral on a per-WLAN basis, per WMM UP class basis, with a specified time threshold in milliseconds. If the AP sends or receives, on a particular WLAN, a data frame marked with the given UP class within the specified threshold, the AP defers its next RRM off-channel scan. For example, by default, off-channel scanning deferral is enabled for UP classes 4, 5, and 6, with a time threshold of 100 milliseconds. Therefore, when RRM is about to perform an off-channel scan, a data frame marked with UP 4, 5, or 6 is received within the last 100 milliseconds, RRM defers going off-channel. The AP radio does not go off-channel when a voice call sending and receiving audio samples are marked as UP class 6 for every active 20 milliseconds.

Off-channel scanning deferral does come with a tradeoff. Off-channel scanning can impact throughput by 2 percent or more, depending on the configuration, traffic patterns, and so on. Throughput can be slightly improved if you enable off-channel scanning deferral for all traffic classes and increase the time threshold. However, by not going off-channel, RRM can fail to identify AP neighbors and rogues, resulting in negative impact to security, DCA, TPC, and 802.11k messages.

## **DTIM** Period

In the 802.11 networks, lightweight access points broadcast a beacon at regular intervals, which coincides with the Delivery Traffic Indication Map (DTIM). After the access point broadcasts the beacon, it transmits any buffered broadcast and multicast frames based on the value set for the DTIM period. This feature allows power-saving clients to wake up at the appropriate time if they are expecting broadcast or multicast data.

Typically, the DTIM value is set to 1 (to transmit broadcast and multicast frames after every beacon) or 2 (to transmit broadcast and multicast frames after every other beacon). For instance, if the beacon period of the 802.11 network is 100 ms and the DTIM value is set to 1, the access point transmits buffered broadcast and multicast frames for 10 times every second. If the beacon period is 100 ms and the DTIM value is set to 2, the access point transmits buffered broadcast and multicast frames for 5 times every second. Either of these settings are suitable for applications, including Voice Over IP (VoIP), that expect frequent broadcast and multicast frames.

However, the DTIM value can be set as high as 255 (to transmit broadcast and multicast frames after every 255th beacon). The only recommended DTIM values are 1 and 2; higher DTIM values will likely cause communications problems.



Note

A beacon period, which is specified in milliseconds on the device, is converted internally by the software to 802.11 Time Units (TUs), where 1 TU = 1.024 milliseconds. Depending on the AP model, the actual beacon period may vary slightly; for example, a beacon period of 100 ms may in practice equate to 104.448 ms.

## **Session Timeouts**

You can configure a WLAN with a session timeout. The session timeout is the maximum time for a client session to remain active before requiring reauthorization.

If a WLAN is configured with Layer 2 security, for example WPA2-PSK, and a Layer 3 authentication is also configured, the WLAN session timeout value is overridden with the 802.1X reauthentication timeout value. If APF reauthentication timeout value is greater than 65535, the WLAN session timeout is by default set to 65535; else, the configured 802.1X reauthentication timeout value is applied as the WLAN session timeout.

This section contains the following subsections:

## **Cisco Client Extensions**

The Cisco Client Extensions (CCX) software is licensed to manufacturers and vendors of third-party client devices. The CCX code resident on these clients enables them to communicate wirelessly with Cisco access points and to support Cisco features that other client devices do not, including those features that are related to increased security, enhanced performance, fast roaming, and power management.

- The software supports CCX versions 1 through 5, which enables devices and their access points to
  communicate wirelessly with third-party client devices that support CCX. CCX support is enabled
  automatically for every WLAN on the device and cannot be disabled. However, you can configure Aironet
  information elements (IEs).
- If Aironet IE support is enabled, the access point sends an Aironet IE 0x85 (which contains the access point name, load, number of associated clients, and so on) in the beacon and probe responses of this WLAN, and the device sends Aironet IEs 0x85 and 0x95 (which contains the management IP address of the device and the IP address of the access point) in the reassociation response if it receives Aironet IE 0x85 in the reassociation request.

## **Peer-to-Peer Blocking**

Peer-to-peer blocking is applied to individual WLANs, and each client inherits the peer-to-peer blocking setting of the WLAN to which it is associated. Peer-to-Peer enables you to have more control over how traffic is directed. For example, you can choose to have traffic bridged locally within the device, dropped by the device, or forwarded to the upstream VLAN.

Peer-to-peer blocking is supported for clients that are associated with local and central switching WLANs.



**Note** Peer-to-peer blocking feature is VLAN-based. WLANs using the same VLAN has an impact, if Peer-to-peer blocking feature is enabled.

This section contains the following subsections:

## **Diagnostic Channel**

You can choose a diagnostic channel to troubleshoot why the client is having communication problems with a WLAN. You can test the client and access points to identify the difficulties that the client is experiencing and allow corrective measures to be taken to make the client operational on the network. You can use the device GUI or CLI to enable the diagnostic channel, and you can use the device **diag-channel** CLI to run the diagnostic tests.



Note

We recommend that you enable the diagnostic channel feature only for nonanchored SSIDs that use the management interface. CCX Diagnostic feature has been tested only with clients having Cisco ADU card

# **Prerequisites for WLANs**

- You can associate up to 16 WLANs with each policy tag.
- We recommend that you assign one set of VLANs for WLANs and a different set of VLANs for management interfaces to ensure that devices properly route VLAN traffic.

# **Restrictions for WLANs**

- Do not configure PSK and CCKM in a WLAN, as this configuration is not supported and impacts client join flow.
- Ensure that TKIP or AES ciphers are enabled with WPA1 configuration, else ISSU may break during upgrade process.
- When you change the WLAN profile name, then FlexConnect APs (using AP-specific VLAN mapping) will become WLAN-specific. If FlexConnect Groups are configured, the VLAN mapping will become Group-specific.
- Do not enable IEEE 802.1X Fast Transition on Flex Local Authentication enabled WLAN, as client
  association is not supported with Fast Transition 802.1X key management.
- · Peer-to-peer blocking does not apply to multicast traffic.
- In FlexConnect, peer-to-peer blocking configuration cannot be applied only to a particular FlexConnect AP or a subset of APs. It is applied to all the FlexConnect APs that broadcast the SSID.
- The WLAN name and SSID can have up to 32 characters.
- WLAN and SSID names support only the following ASCII characters:
  - Numerals: 48 through 57 hex (0 to 9)
  - Alphabets (uppercase): 65 through 90 hex (A to Z)
  - Alphabets (lowercase): 97 through 122 hex (a to z)
  - ASCII space: 20 hex
  - Printable special characters: 21 through 2F, 3A through 40, and 5B through 60 hex, that is: ! " # \$ % & '() \* +, -./:; <=>? @ [\]^\_` { | }~
- WLAN name cannot be a keyword; for example, if you try to create a WLAN with the name as 's' by entering the **wlan s** command, it results in shutting down all WLANs because 's' is used as a keyword for shutdown.

- You cannot map a WLAN to VLAN 0. Similarly, you cannot map a WLAN to VLANs 1002 to 1006.
- Dual stack clients with a static-IPv4 address is not supported.
- In a dual-stack with IPv4 and IPv6 configured in the Cisco 9800 controller, if an AP tries to join controller with IPv6 tunnel before its IPv4 tunnel gets cleaned, you would see a traceback and AP join will fail.
- When creating a WLAN with the same SSID, you must create a unique profile name for each WLAN.
- When multiple WLANs with the same SSID get assigned to the same AP radio, you must have a unique Layer 2 security policy so that clients can safely select between them.
- If the newly configured SSID is on a 5-GHz DFS channel, beaconing does not start immediately.
- RADIUS server overwrite is not configured on a per WLAN basis, but rather on a per AAA server group basis.
- Downloadable ACL (DACL) is not supported in the FlexConnect mode or the local mode.

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Some clients might not be able to connect to WLANs properly if they detect the same SSID with multiple security policies. Use this WLAN feature with care.

# How to Configure WLANs

## **Creating WLANs (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	In the <b>Configuration</b> > <b>Tags &amp; Profiles</b> > <b>WLANs</b> page, click <b>Add</b> . The <b>Add WLAN</b> window is displayed.
Step 2	Under the <b>General</b> tab and <b>Profile Name</b> field, enter the name of the WLAN. The name can be ASCII characters from 32 to 126, without leading and trailing spaces.
Step 3	Click Save & Apply to Device.

## Creating WLANs (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id [ssid]	Specifies the WLAN name and ID:	
	Example: Device(config)# wlan mywlan 34 mywlan-ssid	• For the <i>profile-name</i> , enter the profile name. The range is from 1 to 32 alphanumeric characters.	
		• For the <i>wlan-id</i> , enter the WLAN ID. The range is from 1 to 512.	
		• For the <i>ssid</i> , enter the Service Set Identifier (SSID) for this WLAN. If the SSID is not specified, the WLAN profile name is set as the SSID.	
		<ul> <li>Note</li> <li>You can create SSID using GUI or CLI. However, we recommend that you use CLI to create SSID.</li> <li>By default, the WLAN is disabled.</li> </ul>	
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	

# **Deleting WLANs (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1 In the Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs page, check the checkbox adjacent to the WLAN you want to delete.

To delete multiple WLANs, select multiple WLANs checkboxes.

- Step 2 Click Delete.
- **Step 3** Click **Yes** on the confirmation window to delete the WLAN.

## **Deleting WLANs**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# <b>configure terminal</b>	
Step 2	<pre>no wlan wlan-name wlan-id ssid Example: Device(config)# no wlan test2</pre>	<ul> <li>Deletes the WLAN. The arguments are as follows:</li> <li>The <i>wlan-name</i> is the WLAN profile name.</li> <li>The <i>wlan-id</i> is the WLAN ID.</li> <li>The <i>ssid</i> is the WLAN SSID name configured for the WLAN.</li> </ul>
Step 3	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# Searching WLANs (CLI)

To verify the list of all WLANs configured on the controller, use the following show command:

Device# show wlan summary Number of WLANs: 4

WLAN	Profile Name	SSID	VLAN	Status
3 2	test1 test2 test3 test4	test1-ssid test2-ssid test3-ssid test4-ssid	137 136 1 1	• -

To use wild cards and search for WLANs, use the following show command:

Devi	ce# show wlan summary	include	e test-wlan-ssid		
1	test-wlan		test-wlan-ssid	137	UP

## **Enabling WLANs (GUI)**

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	On the WLANs page, click the WLAN name.
Step 3	In the Edit WLAN window, toggle the Status button to ENABLED.

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Step 4 Click Update & Apply to Device.

# **Enabling WLANs (CLI)**

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the
	Device(config)# wlan test4	configured WLAN.
Step 3	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>end</b>	

# **Disabling WLANs (GUI)**

Procedure

Step 1 Cho	cose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2 In t	he WLANs window, click the WLAN name.
Step 3 In t	he Edit WLAN window, set the Status toggle button as DISABLED.
Step 4 Clie	ck Update & Apply to Device.

# **Disabling WLANs (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the configured WLAN.
	Device(config)# wlan test4	configured wLAN.
Step 3	shutdown	Disables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# shutdown	
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# end	
Step 5	show wlan summary	Displays the list of all WLANs configured on
	Example:	the device. You can search for the WLAN in the output
	Device# show wlan summary	the output.

# **Configuring General WLAN Properties (CLI)**

You can configure the following properties:

- Media stream
- Broadcast SSID
- Radio

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the configured WLAN.
	Device(config)# wlan test4	configured wLAN.
Step 3	shutdown	Disables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# shutdown	
Step 4	broadcast-ssid	Broadcasts the SSID for this WLAN.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-wlan) # broadcast-ssid	
Step 5	<pre>radio {dot11a   dot11ag   dot11bg   dot11g} Example: Device(config-wlan)# radio dot11g</pre>	<ul> <li>Enables radios on the WLAN. The keywords are as follows:</li> <li>dot1a—Configures the WLAN on only 802.11a radio bands.</li> <li>dot11g—Configures the WLAN on 802.11ag radio bands.</li> <li>dot11bg—Configures the WLAN on only 802.11b/g radio bands (only 802.11b if 802.11g is disabled).</li> <li>dot11ag— Configures the wireless LAN on 802.11g radio bands only.</li> </ul>
Step 6	media-stream multicast-direct	Enables multicast VLANs on this WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# media-stream multicast-direct	
Step 7	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>no shutdown</b>	
Step 8	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# end	

# **Configuring Advanced WLAN Properties (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the configured WLAN.
	Device(config)# wlan test4	configured wLAN.
Step 3	chd	Enables coverage hole detection for this WLAN.
	Example:	

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-wlan)# chd	
Step 4	ccx aironet-iesupport	Enables support for Aironet IEs for this WLAN
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>ccx</b> aironet-iesupport	
Step 5	client association limit { clients-per-wlan   ap clients-per-ap-per-wlan   radioclients-per-ap-radioper-wlan }	Sets the maximum number of clients, clients per AP, or clients per AP radio that can be configured on a WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# client association limit ap 400	
Step 6	ip access-group web acl-name	Configures the IPv4 WLAN web ACL. The
	Example:	variable <i>acl-name</i> specifies the user-defined IPv4 ACL name.
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# ip access-group web test-acl-name</pre>	
Step 7	peer-blocking [drop   forward-upstream]	Configures peer to peer blocking parameters. The keywords are as follows:
	Example: Device(config-wlan)# peer-blocking drop	• <b>drop</b> —Enables peer-to-peer blocking on the drop action.
		• forward-upstream—No action is taken and forwards packets to the upstream.
Step 8	channel-scan {defer-priority {0-7}             defer-time {0 - 6000}}	Sets the channel scan defer priority and defer time. The arguments are as follows:
	Example:	• defer-priority—Specifies the priority
	Device(config-wlan)# channel-scan defer-priority 6	markings for packets that can defer off-channel scanning. The range is from ( to 7. The default is 3.
		• <b>defer-time</b> —Deferral time in milliseconds The range is from 0 to 6000. The default is 100.
Step 9	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
-	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# end	

## **Configuring Advanced WLAN Properties (GUI)**

### Before you begin

Ensure that you have configured an AP Join Profile prior to configuring the primary and backup controllers.

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Wireless > WLANs > Wireless Networks.		
Step 2	In the Wireless Networks window, click Add.		
Step 3	Under the Advanced tab, check the Coverage Hole Detection check box.		
Step 4	Check the Aironet IE check box to enable Aironet IE on the WLAN.		
Step 5	Check the <b>Diagnostic Channel</b> check box to enable diagnostic channel on the WLAN.		
Step 6	From the <b>P2P Blocking Action</b> drop-down list, choose the required value.		
Step 7	Set the <b>Multicast Buffer</b> toggle button as enabled or diabled.		
Step 8	Check the Media Stream Multicast-Direct check box to enable the feature.		
Step 9	In the Max Client Connections section, specify the maximumui number of client connections for the following:		
	• In the <b>Per WLAN</b> field, enter a value. The valid range is between 0 and 10000.		
	• In the <b>Per AP Per WLAN</b> field, enter a value. The valid range is between 0 and 400.		
	• In the <b>Per AP Radio Per WLAN</b> field, enter a value. The valid range is between 0 and 200.		
Step 10	In the <b>11v BSS Transition Support</b> section, perform the following configuration tasks:		
	a) Check the BSS Transition check box to enable 802.11v BSS Transition support.		
	b) In the <b>Disassociation Imminent</b> field, enter a value. The valid range is between 0 and 3000.		
	c) In the <b>Optimized Roaming Disassociation Timer</b> field, enter a value. The valid range is between 0 and 40.		
	d) Select the check box to enable the following:		
	BSS Max Idle Service		
	BSS Max Idle Protected		
	Disassociation Imminent Service		
	Directed Multicast Service		
	• Universal Admin		

- Load Balance
- · Band Select
- IP Source Guard
- **Step 11** From the **WMM Policy** drop-down list, choose the policy as Allowed, Disabled, or Required. By default, the WMM policy is Allowed.

Step 12	In the <b>Off Channel Scanning Defer</b> section, choose the appropriate <b>Defer Priority</b> values and then specify the required Scan Defer Time value in milliseconds.
Step 13	In the Assisted Roaming (11k) section, choose the appropriate status for the following:
	Prediction Optimization
	• Neighbor List
	Dual-Band Neighbor List
Step 14	In the <b>DTIM Period (in beacon intervals)</b> section, specify a value for 802.11a/n and 802.11b/g/n radios. The valid range is from 1 to 255.
Step 15	Click Save & Apply to Device.

# **Verifying WLAN Properties (CLI)**

To verify the WLAN properties based on the WLAN ID, use the following show command:

Device# show wlan id wlan-id

To verify the WLAN properties based on the WLAN name, use the following show command:

Device# show wlan name wlan-name

To verify the WLAN properties of all the configured WLANs, use the following show command:

Device# show wlan all

To verify the summary of all WLANs, use the following show command:

Device# show wlan summary

To verify the running configuration of a WLAN based on the WLAN name, use the following show command: Device# show running-config wlan wlan-name

To verify the running configuration of all WLANs, use the following show command:

Device# show running-config wlan

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# **Network Access Server Identifier**

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## Information About Network Access Server Identifier

Network access server identifier (NAS-ID) is used to notify the source of a RADIUS access request, which enables the RADIUS server to choose a policy for that request. You can configure one on each WLAN profile, or VLAN interface. The NAS-ID is sent to the RADIUS server by the embedded wireless controller through an authentication request to classify users to different groups. This enables the RADIUS server to send a customized authentication response.



**Note** The acct-session-id is sent with the RADIUS access request only when accounting is enabled on the policy profile.

If you configure a NAS-ID for a WLAN profile, it overrides the NAS-ID that is configured for the VLAN interface.

The following options can be configured for a NAS ID:

- sys-name (System Name)
- sys-ip (System IP Address)
- sys-mac (System MAC Address)
- ap-ip (AP's IP address)
- ap-name (AP's Name)
- ap-mac (AP's MAC Address)
- ap-eth-mac (AP's Ethernet MAC Address)

- ap-policy-tag (AP's policy tag name)
- ap-site-tag (AP's site tag name)
- ssid (SSID Name)
- ap-location (AP's Location)

# Creating a NAS ID Policy(GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Security > Wireless AAA Policy.
Step 2	On the Wireless AAA Policy page, click the name of the Policy or click Add to create a new one.
Step 3	In the Add/Edit Wireless AAA Policy window that is displayed, enter the name of the policy in the Policy Name field.
Step 4	Choose from one of the NAS ID options from the <b>Option 1</b> drop-down list.
Step 5	Choose from one of the NAS ID options from the <b>Option 2</b> drop-down list.
Step 6	Choose from one of the NAS ID options from the <b>Option 3</b> drop-down list.
Step 7	Save the configuration.

# **Creating a NAS ID Policy**

Follow the procedure given below to create NAS ID policy:

### Before you begin

- NAS ID can be a combination of multiple NAS ID options; the maximum options are limited to 3.
- The maximum length of the NAS ID attribute is 253. Before adding a new attribute, the attribute buffer is checked, and if there is no sufficient space, the new attribute is ignored.
- By default, a wirleess aaa policy (default-aaa-policy) is created with the default configuration (sys-name). You can update this policy with various NAS ID options. However, the default-aaa-policy cannot be deleted.
- If a NAS ID is not configured, the default sys-name is considered as the NAS ID for all wireless-specific RADIUS packets (authentication and accounting) from the embedded wireless controller.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless aaa policy policy-name	Configures a new AAA policy.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # wireless aaa policy test	
Step 3	nas-id option1 sys-name	Configures NAS ID for option1.
	Example:	
	Device(config-aaa-policy)# nas-id option1 sys-name	
Step 4	nas-id option2 sys-ip	Configures NAS ID for option2.
	Example:	
	Device(config-aaa-policy)# nas-id option2 sys-ip	
Step 5	nas-id option3 sys-mac	Configures NAS ID for option3.
	Example:	
	Device(config-aaa-policy)# nas-id option3 sys-mac	

# Attaching a Policy to a Tag (GUI)

## Procedure

- Step 1 Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Tags page, click Policy tab.
- Step 2 Click Add to view the Add Policy Tag window.
- **Step 3** Enter a name and description for the policy tag.
- **Step 4** Click Add to map WLAN profile and Policy profile.
- **Step 5** Choose the WLAN Profile to map with the appropriate Policy Profile, and click the tick icon.
- Step 6 Click Save & Apply to Device.

# Attaching a Policy to a Tag (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to attach a NAS ID policy to a tag:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy policy-name	Configures a WLAN policy profile.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy   test1</pre>	
Step 3	aaa-policy aaa-policy-name	Configures a AAA policy profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# aaa-policy policy-aaa	
Step 4	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy) # exit</pre>	
Step 5	wireless tag policy policy-tag	Configures a wireless policy tag.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless tag policy policy-tag1</pre>	
Step 6	wlan wlan1 policy policy-name	Maps a WLAN profile to a policy profile.
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# wlan wlan1 policy test1</pre>	<b>Note</b> You can also use the <b>ap-tag</b> option to configure a NAS ID for an AP group, which will override the NAS ID that is configured for a WLAN profile or the VLAN interface.

## Procedure

# **Verifying the NAS ID Configuration**

Use the following show command to verify the NAS ID configuration:

```
Device# show wireless profile policy detailed test1
```

Policy Profile Name	:	test1
Description	:	
Status	:	ENABLED
VLAN	:	1
Client count	:	0
:		
:		
AAA Policy Params		
AAA Override	:	DISABLED

NAC AAA Policy name : DISABLED : test



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# **DHCP for WLANs**

DHCP packets sent by the wireless clients are released in their respective VLANs as broadcast by the AP and relies on the fact that the network gateway of that VLAN forwards the requests to the DHCP server.



Note

Internal DHCP server is not supported in EWC.



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# **Information About AAA Override**

The AAA Override option of a WLAN enables you to configure the WLAN for identity networking. It enables you to apply VLAN tagging, Quality of Service (QoS), and Access Control Lists (ACLs) to individual clients based on the returned RADIUS attributes from the AAA server.

# **Prerequisites for Layer 2 Security**

WLANs with the same SSID must have unique Layer 2 security policies so that clients can make a WLAN selection based on the information advertised in beacon and probe responses. The available Layer 2 security policies are as follows:

- None (open WLAN)
- WPA+WPA2



Note

- Although WPA and WPA2 cannot be used by multiple WLANs with the same SSID, you can configure two WLANs with the same SSID with WPA/TKIP with PSK and Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA)/Temporal Key Integrity Protocol (TKIP) with 802.1X, or with WPA/TKIP with 802.1X or WPA/AES with 802.1X.
  - A WLAN configured with TKIP support will not be enabled on an RM3000AC module.

• Static WEP (not supported on Wave 2 APs)

# **How to Configure WLAN Security**

## **Configuring Static WEP Layer 2 Security Parameters (CLI)**

### Before you begin

You must have administrator privileges.

## Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	end Example: Device(config)# end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

## **Configuring WPA + WPA2 Layer 2 Security Parameters (CLI)**

### Before you begin

You must have administrator privileges.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	security wpa	
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa	
Step 3	security wpa wpa1	Enables .
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa wpal	
Step 4	security wpa wpa1 ciphers [aes   tkip]	Specifies the WPA1 cipher. Choose one of the
	Example:	following encryption types:
		• aes—Specifies WPA/AES support.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa wpal ciphers aes	• tkip—Specifies WPA/TKIP support.
Step 5	security wpa wpa2	Enables WPA2.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa	
Step 6	security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Configure WPA2 cipher.
	Example:	
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit
	Device(config)# <b>end</b>	global configuration mode.



# **Peer-to-Peer Client Support**

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# Information About Peer-to-Peer Client Support

Peer-to-peer client support can be applied to individual WLANs, with each client inheriting the peer-to-peer blocking setting of the WLAN to which it is associated. The peer-to-Peer Client Support feature provides a granular control over how traffic is directed. For example, you can choose to have traffic bridged locally within a device, dropped by a device, or forwarded to the upstream VLAN.

Peer-to-peer blocking is supported for clients that are associated with the local switching WLAN.

### Restrictions

- Peer-to-peer blocking does not apply to multicast traffic.
- · Peer-to-peer blocking is not enabled by default.
- In FlexConnect, peer-to-peer blocking configuration cannot be applied only to a particular FlexConnect AP or a subset of APs. It is applied to all the FlexConnect APs that broadcast the SSID.
- FlexConnect central switching clients supports peer-to-peer upstream-forward. However, this is not supported in the FlexConnect local switching. This is treated as peer-to-peer drop and client packets are dropped.

FlexConnect central switching clients supports peer-to-peer blocking for clients associated with different APs. However, for FlexConnect local switching, this solution targets only clients connected to the same AP. FlexConnect ACLs can be used as a workaround for this limitation.

## **Configure Peer-to-Peer Client Support**

Follow the procedure given below to configure Peer-to-Peer Client Support:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the configured WLAN.
	Device(config)# wlan wlan1	configured wEAN.
Step 3	peer-blocking [drop   forward-upstream	Configures peer-to-peer blocking parameters.
	]	<b>drop</b> —Enables peer-to-peer blocking on the
	Example:	drop action.
	Device(config-wlan)# peer-blocking drop	<b>forward-upstream</b> —Enables peer-to-peer blocking on the forward upstream action.
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	
Step 5	show wlan id wlan-id	Displays the details of the selected WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device# show wlan id 12	

## Procedure



# 802.11r BSS Fast Transition

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# **Information About 802.11r Fast Transition**

802.11r, which is the IEEE standard for fast roaming, introduces a new concept of roaming where the initial handshake with a new AP is done even before the corresponding client roams to the target access point. This concept is called Fast Transition. The initial handshake allows a client and the access points to do the Pairwise Transient Key (PTK) calculation in advance. These PTK keys are applied to the client and the access points after the client responds to the reassociation request or responds to the exchange with new target AP.

The FT key hierarchy is designed to allow clients to make fast BSS transitions between APs without requiring reauthentication at every AP. WLAN configuration contains a new Authenticated Key Management (AKM) type called FT (Fast Transition).

### **Client Roaming**

For a client to move from its current AP to a target AP using the FT protocols, message exchanges are performed using one of the following methods:

- Over-the-Air—The client communicates directly with the target AP using IEEE 802.11 authentication with the FT authentication algorithm.
- Over-the-Distribution System (DS)—The client communicates with the target AP through the current AP. The communication between the client and the target AP is carried in FT action frames between the client and the current AP and is then sent through the device.

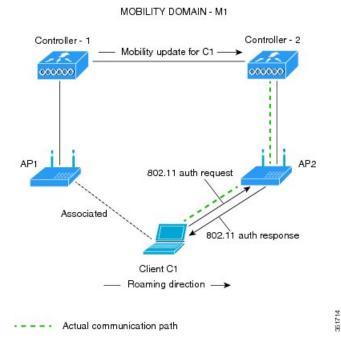
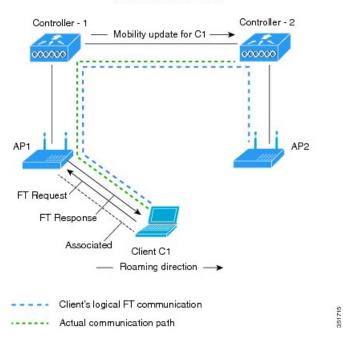


Figure 15: Message Exchanges when Over-the-Air Client Roaming is Configured

Figure 16: Message Exchanges when Over-the-DS Client Roaming is Configured

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# **Restrictions for 802.11r Fast Transition**

• EAP LEAP method is not supported.

- Traffic Specification (TSPEC) is not supported for 802.11r fast roaming. Therefore, RIC IE handling is not supported.
- If WAN link latency exists, fast roaming is also delayed. Voice or data maximum latency should be verified. The Cisco WLC handles 802.11r Fast Transition authentication requests during roaming for both Over-the-Air and Over-the-DS methods.
- Legacy clients cannot associate with a WLAN that has 802.11r enabled if the driver of the supplicant that is responsible for parsing the Robust Security Network Information Exchange (RSN IE) is old and not aware of the additional AKM suites in the IE. Due to this limitation, clients cannot send association requests to WLANs. These clients, however, can still associate with non-802.11r WLANs. Clients that are 802.11r-capable can associate as 802.11i clients on WLANs that have both 802.11i and 802.11r Authentication Key Management Suites enabled.

The workaround is to enable or upgrade the driver of the legacy clients to work with the new 802.11r AKMs, after which the legacy clients can successfully associate with 802.11r-enabled WLANs.

Another workaround is to have two SSIDs with the same name, but with different security settings (FT and non-FT).

- Fast Transition resource-request protocol is not supported because clients do not support this protocol. Also, the resource-request protocol is an optional protocol.
- To avoid any Denial of Service (DoS) attack, each Cisco WLC allows a maximum of three Fast Transition handshakes with different APs.
- Non-802.11r-capable devices will not be able to associate with FT-enabled WLAN.
- We do not recommend 802.11r FT + PMF.
- We recommend 802.11r FT Over-the-Air roaming for FlexConnect deployments.

## Monitoring 802.11r Fast Transition (CLI)

The following command can be used to monitor 802.11r Fast Transition:

Command	Description
	Displays a summary of the configured parameters on the WLAN.

Command	Description
show wireless client mac-address mac-address	Displays the summary of the 802.11r authentication key management configuration on a client.
	<pre> Client Capabilities CF Pollable : Not implemented CF Poll Request : Not implemented Short Preamble : Not implemented PBCC : Not implemented Channel Agility : Not implemented Listen Interval : 15 Fast BSS Transition Implemented Fast BSS Transition Details : Client Statistics: Number of Bytes Received : 9019 Number of Bytes Sent : 3765 Number of Packets Received : 130 Number of Packets Sent : 36 Number of EAP Id Request Msg Timeouts : 0 Number of EAP Request Msg Timeouts : 0 Number of EAP Request Msg Timeouts : 0 Number of Data Retries : 1 Number of Data Retries : 1 Number of Duplicate Received Packets : 1 Number of Duplicate Received Packets : 1 Number of Mic Failured Packets : 0 Number of Mic Missing Packets : 0 Number of Policy Errors : 0 Radio Signal Strength Indicator : -48 dBm Signal to Noise Ratio : 40 dB </pre>

# Configuring 802.11r BSS Fast Transition on a Dot1x Security Enabled WLAN (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the
	Device# <b>wlan test4</b>	configured WLAN.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	client vlan vlan-name	Associates the client VLAN to this WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# client vlan 0120	
Step 4	security dot1x authentication-list default	Enables security authentication list for dot1x
	Example:	security. The configuration is similar for all dot1x security WLANs.
	Device(config-wlan)# security dot1x authentication-list default	don't security weaks.
Step 5	security ft	Enables 802.11r Fast Transition on the WLAN.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# security ft</pre>	
Step 6	security wpa akm ft dot1x	Enables 802.1x security on the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm ft dot1x	
Step 7	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>no shutdown</b>	
Step 8	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-z</b> to exit
	Device(config-wlan)# end	global configuration mode

# Configuring 802.11r Fast Transition in an Open WLAN (GUI)

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.	
Step 2	Click Add to create WLANs.	
	The Add WLAN page is displayed.	
Step 3	In the <b>Security &gt; Layer2</b> tab, choose the appropriate status for <b>Fast Transition</b> between APs.	
Step 4	Click Save & Apply to Device.	

# **Configuring 802.11r Fast Transition in an Open WLAN (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the
	Device# wlan test4	configured WLAN.
Step 3	client vlan vlan-id	Associates the client VLAN to the WLAN
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# client vlan 0120	
Step 4	no security wpa	Disables WPA secuirty.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa	
Step 5	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x	
Step 6	no security wpa wpa2	Disables WPA2 security.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2</pre>	
Step 7	no wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables WPA2 ciphers for AES.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	
Step 8	security ft	Specifies the 802.11r Fast Transition
•	Example:	parameters.
	Device(config-wlan)# security ft	
Step 9	no shutdown	Shuts down the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>shutdown</b>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 10	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-z</b> to exit global configuration mode
	Device(config-wlan)# end	Stoom comparation mode

# Configuring 802.11r Fast Transition on a PSK Security–Enabled WLAN (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the
	Device# wlan test4	configured WLAN.
Step 3	client vlan vlan-name	Associates the client VLAN to this WLAN
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# client vlan 0120	
Step 4	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x	
Step 5	security wpa akm ft psk	Configures Fast Transition PSK support.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm ft psk	
Step 6	security wpa akm psk set-key {ascii {0   8}             hex {0   8}}	Configures PSK AKM shared key.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm psk set-key ascii 0 test	
Step 7	security ft	Configures 802.11r Fast Transition.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>security ft</b>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 8	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>no shutdown</b>	
Step 9	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-z</b> to ex global configuration mode
	Device(config-wlan)# <b>end</b>	

# **Disabling 802.11r Fast Transition (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	On the WLANs page, click the WLAN name.
Step 3	In the Edit WLAN window, click the Security > Layer2 tab.
Step 4	From the Fast Transition drop-down list, choose Disabled
Step 5	Click Update & Apply to Device.
Steh 2	Chek Opuale & Apply to Device.

# **Disabling 802.11r Fast Transition (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Enters WLAN configuration submode. The <i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the configured WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device# wlan test4	
Step 3	no security ft [over-the-ds   reassociation-timeout timeout-in-seconds]	Disables 802.11r Fast Transition on the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security ft over-the-ds	

Command or Action	Purpose
	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
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# 802.11k Neighbor List and Assisted Roaming

The 802.11k standard allows an AP to inform 802.11k-capable clients of neighboring BSSIDs (APs in the same SSID). This can help the client to optimize its scanning and roaming behavior. Additionally, the Assisted Roaming Prediction Optimization feature can be used with non-802.11k clients, to discourage them from roaming to suboptimal APs.

### Prediction Based Roaming - Assisted Roaming for Non-802.11k Clients

You can optimize roaming for non-802.11k clients by generating a prediction neighbor list for each client without sending an 802.11k neighbor list request. When prediction based roaming enables a WLAN, after each successful client association/re-association, the same neighbor list optimization applies on the non-802.11k client to generate and store the neighbor list in the mobile station software data structure. Clients at different locations have different lists because the client probes are seen with different RSSI values by the different neighbors as the clients usually probe before any association or re-association. This list is created with the most updated probe data and predicts the next AP that the client is likely to roam to.

The wireless infrastructure discourages clients from roaming to those less desirable neighbors by denying association if the association request to an AP does not match the entries on the stored prediction neighbor list.

- Denial count: Maximum number of times a client is refused association.
- Prediction threshold: Minimum number of entries required in the prediction list for the assisted roaming feature to activate.

For more information, see https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/wireless/controller/8-5/ Enterprise-Mobility-8-5-Design-Guide/Enterprise\_Mobility\_8-5\_Deployment\_Guide/ Chapter-11.html#pgfId-1140097.

# **Restrictions for Assisted Roaming**

- This feature is supported only on 802.11n capable indoor access points. For a single band configuration, a maximum of 6 neighbors are visible in a neighbor list. For dual band configuration, a maximum of 12 neighbors are visible.
- You can configure assisted roaming only using the device CLI.

# How to Configure Assisted Roaming

## **Configuring Assisted Roaming (CLI)**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless assisted-roaming floor-bias dBm	Configures neighbor floor label bias. The valid
	Example:	range is from 5 to 25 dBm, and the default value is 15 dBm.
	Device(config)# wireless assisted-roaming floor-bias 20	
Step 3	wlan wlan-id	Enters the WLAN configuration submode. The
	Example:	<i>wlan-name</i> is the profile name of the configure WLAN.
	Device(config)# wlan wlan1	WLAN.
Step 4	assisted-roaming neighbor-list	Configures an 802.11k neighbor list for a
	Example:	WLAN. By default, assisted roaming is enabled on the neighbor list when you create a WLAN.
	Device(wlan)# assisted-roaming neighbor-list	The <b>no</b> form of the command disables assister roaming neighbor list.
Step 5	assisted-roaming dual-list	Configures a dual-band 802.11k dual list for a
-	<b>Example:</b> Device(wlan)# assisted-roaming dual-list	WLAN. By default, assisted roaming is enable on the dual list when you create a WLAN. Th <b>no</b> form of the command disables assisted roaming dual list.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 6	assisted-roaming prediction Example: Device(wlan)# assisted-roaming prediction	Configures assisted roaming prediction list feature for a WLAN. By default, the assisted roaming prediction list is disabled. Note A warning message is displayed and load balancing is disabled for the WLAN if load balancing is already enabled for the WLAN.
Step 7	<pre>wireless assisted-roaming prediction-minimum count Example: Device# wireless assisted-roaming prediction-minimum</pre>	Configures the minimum number of predictedAPs required for the prediction list feature tobe activated. The default value is 3.NoteIf the number of the AP in the prediction assigned to the client is less than the number that you specify, the assisted roaming feature will not apply on this roam.
Step 8	wireless assisted-roaming denial-maximum count Example: Device# wireless assisted-roaming denial-maximum 8	Configures the maximum number of times a client can be denied association if the association request is sent to an AP does not match any AP on the prediction. The valid range is from 1 to 10, and the default value is 5.
Step 9	<pre>end Example: Device(config)# end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

# **Verifying Assisted Roaming**

The following command can be used to verify assisted roaming configured on a WLAN:

Command	Description
show wlan id wlan-id	Displays the WLAN parameters on the WLAN.

# **Configuration Examples for Assisted Roaming**

This example shows how to configure the neighbor floor label bias:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless assisted-roaming floor-bias 10
Device(config)# end
Device# show wlan id 23
```

This example shows how to disable neighbor list on a specific WLAN:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wlan test1
Device(config (wlan)# no assisted-roaming neighbor-list
Device(config)(wlan)# end
Device# show wlan id 23
```

This example shows how to configure the prediction list on a specific WLAN:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wlan test1
Device(config)(wlan)# assisted-roaming prediction
Device(config)(wlan)# end
Device# show wlan id 23
```

This example shows how to configure the prediction list based on assisted roaming prediction threshold and maximum denial count on a specific WLAN:

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wireless assisted-roaming prediction-minimum 4
Device(config)# wireless assisted-roaming denial-maximum 4
Device(config)(wlan)# end
Device# show wlan id 23
```



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# **Information About 802.11v**

The embedded wireless controller supports 802.11v amendment for wireless networks, which describes numerous enhancements to wireless network management.

One such enhancement is Network assisted Power Savings which helps clients to improve the battery life by enabling them to sleep longer. As an example, mobile devices typically use a certain amount of idle period to ensure that they remain connected to access points and therefore consume more power when performing the following tasks while in a wireless network.

Another enhancement is Network assisted Roaming which enables the WLAN to send requests to associated clients, advising the clients as to better APs to associate to. This is useful for both load balancing and in directing poorly connected clients.

## Enabling 802.11v Network Assisted Power Savings

Wireless devices consume battery to maintain their connection to the clients, in several ways:

- By waking up at regular intervals to listen to the access point beacons containing a DTIM, which indicates buffered broadcast or multicast traffic that the access point delivers to the clients.
- By sending null frames to the access points, in the form of keepalive messages- to maintain connection with access points.
- Devices also periodically listen to beacons (even in the absence of DTIM fields) to synchronize their clock to that of the corresponding access point.

All these processes consume battery and this consumption particularly impacts devices (such as Apple), because these devices use a conservative session timeout estimation, and therefore, wake up often to send keepalive messages. The 802.11 standard, without 802.11v, does not include any mechanism for the controller or the access points to communicate to wireless clients about the session timeout for the local client.

To save the power of clients due to the mentioned tasks in wireless network, the following features in the 802.11v standard are used:

- Directed Multicast Service
- Base Station Subsystem (BSS) Max Idle Period

### **Directed Multicast Service**

Using Directed Multicast Service (DMS), the client requests the access point to transmit the required multicast packet as unicast frames. This allows the client to receive the multicast packets it has ignored while in sleep mode and also ensures Layer 2 reliability. Furthermore, the unicast frame is transmitted to the client at a potentially higher wireless link rate which enables the client to receive the packet quickly by enabling the radio for a shorter duration, thus also saving battery power. Since the wireless client also does not have to wake up at each DTIM interval in order to receive multicast traffic, longer sleeping intervals are allowed.

### **BSS Max Idle Period**

The BSS Max Idle period is the timeframe during which an access point (AP) does not disassociate a client due to nonreceipt of frames from the connected client. This helps ensure that the client device does not send keepalive messages frequently. The idle period timer value is transmitted using the association and reassociation response frame from the access point to the client. The idle time value indicates the maximum time that a client can remain idle without transmitting any frame to an access point. As a result, the clients remain in sleep mode for a longer duration without transmitting the keepalive messages often. This in turn contributes to saving battery power.

## Prerequisites for Configuring 802.11v

- Applies for Apple clients like Apple iPad, iPhone, and so on, that run on Apple iOS version 7 or later.
- Supports local mode; also supports FlexConnect access points in central authentication modes only.

## **Restrictions for 802.11v**

Client needs to support 802.11v BSS Transition.

## **Enabling 802.11v BSS Transition Management**

802.11v BSS Transtion is applied in the following three scenarios:

- Solicited request—Client can send an 802.11v Basic Service Set (BSS) Transition Management Query before roaming for a better option of AP to reassociate with.
- Unsolicited Load Balancing request—If an AP is heavily loaded, it sends out an 802.11v BSS Transition Management Request to an associated client.
- Unsolicited Optimized Roaming request—If a client's RSSI and rate do not meet the requirements, the corresponding AP sends out an 802.11v BSS Transition Management Request to this client.



Note

802.11v BSS Transition Management Request is a suggestion (or advice) given to a client, which the client can choose to follow or ignore. To force the task of disassociating a client, turn on the disassociation-imminent function. This disassociates the client after a period if the client is not reassociated to another AP.

# **Configuring 802.11v BSS Transition Management (GUI)**

### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
Step 2	Click Add to create WLANs.
	The Add WLAN page is displayed.
Step 3	In the <b>Advanced</b> tab and <b>11v BSS Transition Support</b> section, select the <b>BSS Transition</b> check box to enable BSS transition per WLAN.
Step 4	Enter the <b>Disassociation Imminent</b> value. The valid range is from 0 to 3000 TBTT.
Step 5	Click Save & Apply to Device.

# **Configuring 802.11v BSS Transition Management (CLI)**

802.11v BSS Transtion is applied in the following three scenarios:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters the global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name	Configures WLAN profile and enters the
	Example:	WLAN profile configuration mode.
	Device(config)# wlan test-wlan	
Step 3	shut	Shutdown the WLAN profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# shut	
Step 4	bss-transition	Configure BSS transition per WLAN.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose				
	Device(config-wlan) # bss-transition					
Step 5	bss-transition disassociation-imminent	Configure BSS transition disassociation				
	Example:	Imminent per WLAN.				
	<pre>Device(config-wlan) # bss-transition disassociation-imminent</pre>					
Step 6	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN profile.				
	Example:					
	Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown					
Step 7	end	Return to privilege EXEC mode. Alternatively,				
	Example:	you can press $\mathbf{CTRL} + \mathbf{Z}$ to exit global configuration mode.				
	Device(config-wlan)# end	configuration mode.				



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## Information About 802.11w

Wi-Fi is a broadcast medium that enables any device to eavesdrop and participate either as a legitimate or rogue device. Management frames such as authentication, de-authentication, association, dissociation, beacons, and probes are used by wireless clients to initiate and tear down sessions for network services. Unlike data traffic, which can be encrypted to provide a level of confidentiality, these frames must be heard and understood by all clients and therefore must be transmitted as open or unencrypted. While these frames cannot be encrypted, they must be protected from forgery to protect the wireless medium from attacks. For example, an attacker could spoof management frames from an AP to attack a client associated with the AP.

The 802.11w protocol applies only to a set of robust management frames that are protected by the Protected Management Frames (PMF) service. These include Disassociation, De-authentication, and Robust Action frames.

Management frames that are considered as robust action and therefore protected are the following:

- Spectrum Management
- QoS
- DLS
- Block Ack
- Radio Measurement
- Fast BSS Transition
- SA Query
- Protected Dual of Public Action
- Vendor-specific Protected

When 802.11w is implemented in the wireless medium, the following occur:

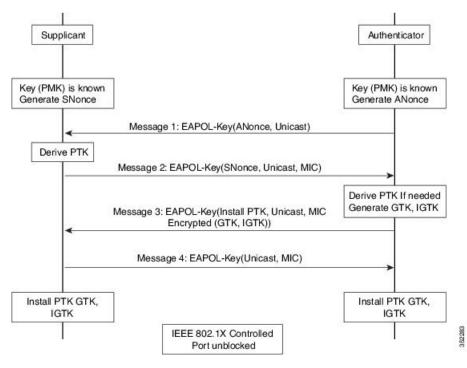
- Client protection is added by the AP adding cryptographic protection to de-authentication and dissociation frames preventing them from being spoofed in a DOS attack.
- Infrastructure protection is added by adding a Security Association (SA) tear down protection mechanism consisting of an Association Comeback Time and an SA-Query procedure preventing spoofed association request from disconnecting an already connected client.

802.11w has introduced a new IGTK Key, which is used to protect broadcast/multicast robust management frames:

• IGTK is a random value assigned by the authenticator STA (WLC) and used to protect MAC management protocol data units (MMPDUs) from that source STA.

When Management Frame Protection is negotiated, the AP encrypts the GTK and IGTK values in the EAPOL-Key frame, which is delivered in Message 3 of 4-way handshake.

Figure 17: IGTK Exchange in 4-way Handshake



• If the AP later changes the GTK, it sends the new GTK and IGTK to the client using the Group Key Handshake .

802.11w defines a new Broadcast/Multicast Integrity Protocol (BIP) that provides data integrity and replay protection for broadcast/multicast robust management frames after successful establishment of an IGTKSA - It adds a MIC that is calculated using the shared IGTK key.

### 802.11w Information Elements (IEs)

Figure 18: 802.11w Information Elements

1	1	2	4	2	4	2	4	2	2	16	1
Element ID	Length	Version	Group Key Cipher Suite	Pairwise Cipher Suite Count	Pairwise Cipher Suite List	Auth and Key Management Suite Count	Auth and Key Managemen Suit List		Key ID Count	Key ID List	Group Management Cipher Suite
2						_			-		6
				во	B1 B2-	B3 B4-B5	B6	B7	B8	В9	B10-B15

- 1. Modifications made in the RSN capabilities field of RSNIE.
  - a. Bit 6: Management Frame Protection Required (MFPR)
  - **b.** Bit 7: Management Frame Protection Capable (MFPC)
- 2. Two new AKM Suites, 5 and 6 are added for AKM Suite Selectors.
- 3. New Cipher Suite with type 6 is added to accommodate BIP.

The WLC adds this modified RSNIE in association and re-association responses and the APs add this modified RSNIE in beacons and probe responses.

The following Wireshark captures shows the RSNIE capabilities and the Group Management Cipher Suite elements.

Figure 19: 802.11w Information Elements

RS	SN Capabilities: 0x00e8
	0 = RSN Pre-Auth capabilities: Transmitter does not
	RSN NO Pairwise capabilities: Transmitter can :
	10 = RSN PTKSA Replay Counter capabilities: 4 replay
	10 = RSN GTKSA Replay Counter capabilities: 4 replay
	1 = Management Frame Protection Required: True
	1 1 = Management Frame Protection Capable: True
-	0 = Peerkey Enabled: False
PM	MKID Count: 0
PN	MKID LİST
Gr	roup Management Cipher Suite: 00-0f-ac (Ieee8021) BIP
	Group Management Cipher Suite OUI: 00-0f-ac (Ieee8021)

### **Security Association (SA) Teardown Protection**

SA teardown protection is a mechanism to prevent replay attacks from tearing down the session of an existing client. It consists of an Association Comeback Time and an SA-Query procedure preventing spoofed association requests from disconnecting an already connected client.

If a client has a valid security association, and has negotiated 802.11w, the AP shall reject another Association Request with status code 30. This status code stands for "Association request rejected temporarily; Try again later". The AP should not tear down or otherwise modify the state of the existing association until the SA-Query

procedure determines that the original SA is invalid and shall include in the Association Response an Association Comeback Time information element, specifying a comeback time when the AP would be ready to accept an association with this client.

The following capture shows the Association Reject message with status code 0x1e (30) and the Association comeback time set to 10 seconds.

Figure 20: Association Reject with Comeback Time

Capabilities Information: 0x0001 Status code: Association request rejected temporarily; try again late	r (0x001e)
■ Tagged parameters (95 bytes)	and the second second
★ Tag: Supported Rates 6(B), 9, 12(B), 18, 24(B), 36, 48, 54, [Mbit/sec	:)
⊞ Tag: HT Capabilities (802.11n D1.10)	
■ Tag: HT Information (802.11n D1.10)	
Tag: Vendor Specific: Microsof: WMM/WME: Parameter Element	
□ Tag: Timeout Interval Tag Number: Timeout Interval (56)	
Tag length: 5	
Timeout Interval Type: Association Comeback time (TUS) (3)	
Timeout Interval value: 10000	

Following this, if the AP is not already engaged in an SA Query with the client, the AP shall issue an SA Query until a matching SA Query response is received or the Association Comeback time expires. An AP may interpret reception of a valid protected frame as an indication of a successfully completed SA Query.

If a SA QUERY response with a matching transaction identifier within the time period, the AP shall allow the association process to be started without starting additional SA Query procedures.

## **Prerequisites for 802.11w**

• To configure 802.11w feature for optional and mandatory, you must have WPA and AKM configured.



Note The RNS (Robust Secure Network) IE must be enabled with an AES Cipher.

To configure 802.11w as mandatory, you must enable PMF AKM in addition to WPA AKM.

## **Restrictions for 802.11w**

- 802.11w cannot be applied on an open WLAN, WEP-encrypted WLAN, or a TKIP-encrypted WLAN.
- Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controller supports 802.11w + PMF combination for non-Apple clients. But Apple iOS version 11 and earlier require fix from the Apple iOS side to resolve the association issues.
- The controller will ignore disassociation or deauthentication frames sent by the clients if they are not using 802.11w PMF. The client entry will only get deleted immediately upon reception of such a frame if the client uses PMF. This is to avoid denial of service by malicious device since there is no security on those frames without PMF.

### How to Configure 802.11w

### Configuring 802.11w (GUI)

#### Before you begin

WPA and AKM must be configured.

#### Procedure

Step 1	Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.	
Step 2	Click Add to create WLANs.	
	The Add WLAN page is displayed.	
Step 3	In the <b>Security &gt; Layer2</b> tab, navigate to the <b>Protected Management Frame</b> section.	
Step 4	Choose <b>PMF</b> as <i>Disabled</i> , <i>Optional</i> , or <i>Required</i> . By default, the PMF is <i>disabled</i> .	
	If you choose <b>PMF</b> as <i>Optional</i> or <i>Required</i> , you get to view the following fields:	
	• Association Comeback Timer—Enter a value between 1 and 10 seconds to configure 802.11w association comeback time.	
	• <b>SA Query Time</b> —Enter a value between 100 to 500 (milliseconds). This is required for clients to negotiate 802.11w PMF protection on a WLAN.	

Step 5 Click Save & Apply to Device.

### Configuring 802.11w (CLI)

#### Before you begin

WPA and AKM must be configured.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id ssid	Configures a WLAN and enters configuration
	Example:	mode.
	Device(config) # wlan wlan-test 12 alpha	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	security wpa akm pmf dot1x	Configures 802.1x support.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)#security wpa akm pmf dot1x	
Step 4	security pmf association-comeback comeback-interval	Configures the 802.11w association comeback time.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security pmf association-comeback 10	
Step 5	security pmf mandatory	Requires clients to negotiate 802.11w PMF protection on a WLAN.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# security pmf mandatory</pre>	
Step 6	security pmf saquery-retry-time timeout	Time interval identified in milliseconds before
	Example:	which the SA query response is expected. If the device does not get a response, another SQ query is tried.
	Device(config-wlan)# security pmf saquery-retry-time 100	

### Disabling 802.11w

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id ssid	Configures a WLAN and enters configuration
	Example:	mode.
	Device(config)# wlan wlan-test 12 alpha	
Step 3	no security wpa akm pmf dot1x	Disables 802.1x support.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm pmf dot1x	
Step 4	no security pmf association-comeback comeback-interval	Disables the 802.11w association comeback time.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security pmf association-comeback 10	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	no security pmf mandatory	Disables client negotiation of 802.11w PMF
	Example:	protection on a WLAN.
	Device(config-wlan)# no security pmf mandatory	
Step 6	no security pmf saquery-retry-time timeout	Disables SQ query retry.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security pmf saquery-retry-time 100	

### Monitoring 802.11w

Use the following commands to monitor 802.11w.

#### Procedure

#### Step 1 show wlan name wlan-name

Displays the WLAN parameters on the WLAN. The PMF parameters are displayed.

Auth Key Management	
802.1x	: Disabled
PSK	: Disabled
CCKM	: Disabled
FT dot1x	: Disabled
FT PSK	: Disabled
FT SAE	: Disabled
Dot1x-SHA256	: Enabled
PSK-SHA256	: Disabled
SAE	: Disabled
OWE	: Disabled
SUITEB-1X	: Disabled
SUITEB192-1X	: Disabled
CCKM TSF Tolerance	: 1000
FT Support	: Adaptive
FT Reassociation Timeout	: 20
FT Over-The-DS mode	: Enabled
PMF Support	: Required
PMF Association Comeback Timeout	: 1
PMF SA Query Time	: 500

#### Step 2 show wireless client mac-address mac-address detail

Displays the summary of the 802.11w authentication key management configuration on a client.

NPU Fast Fast Notified : No Last Policy Manager State : IP Learn Complete Client Entry Create Time : 497 seconds Policy Type : WPA2 Encryption Cipher : CCMP (AES) Authentication Key Management : 802.1x-SHA256 Encrypted Traffic Analytics : No Management Frame Protection : No Protected Management Frame - 802.11w : Yes EAP Type : LEAP VLAN : 39 Multicast VLAN : 0 Access VLAN : 39 Anchor VLAN : 0 WFD capable : No Manged WFD capable : No . . . . . . . .



## Deny Wireless Client Session Establishment Using Calendar Profiles

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### Information About Denial of Wireless Client Session Establishment

Denial of client session establishment feature allows the controller to stop client session establishment based on a particular time. This helps control the network in efficient and controlled manner without any manual intervention.

In Embedded Wireless Controller, you can deny the wireless client session based on the following recurrences:

- Daily
- · Weekly
- Monthly

The Calendar Profiles created are then mapped to the policy profile. By attaching the calendar profile to a policy profile, you will be able to create different recurrences for the policy profile using different policy tag.

Note

You need to create separate Calendar Profile for Daily, Weekly, and Monthly sub-categories.

The following is the workflow for denial of wireless client session establishment feature:

- Create a calendar profile.
- Apply the calendar profile to a policy profile.



**Note** A maximum of 100 calendar profile configuration and 5 calendar profile association to policy profile is supported.

#### **Points to Remember**

If you boot up your controller, the denial of client session establishment feature kicks in after a minute from the system boot up.

If you change the system time after the calendar profile is associated to a policy profile, you can expect a maximum of 30 second delay to adapt to the new clock timings.

Note

You cannot use the **no action deny-client** command to disable action while associating the calendar profile to a policy profile.

If you want to disable the action command, you need to disassociate the calendar profile from the policy profile, and re-configure again.

### **Configuring Daily Calendar Profile**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile calendar-profile name name	Configures a calendar profile.
	Example:	Here,
	Device(config)# wireless profile calendar-profile name daily_calendar_profile	<i>name</i> refers to the name of the calendar profile.
Step 3	<pre>start start_time end end_time</pre>	Configures start and end time for the calendar
	Example:	profile.

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	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-calendar-profile)# start 09:00:00 end 17:00:00	Here,
	03.00.00 end 17.00.00	<i>start_time</i> is the start time for the calendar profile. You need to enter start time in <b>HH:MM:SS</b> format.
		<i>end_time</i> is the end time for the calendar profile. You need to enter end time in <b>HH:MM:SS</b> format.
Step 4	recurrence daily	Configures daily recurrences for a calendar
	Example:	profile.
	<pre>Device(config-calendar-profile)# recurrence daily</pre>	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	<pre>Example: Device(config-calendar-profile)# end</pre>	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.
		Note When the calendar profile kicks in, the AP power profile rules (for example, radio state and USB device state) that are defined for the Ethernet speed are not applied and continue to be as per the fixed power profile.

### **Configuring Weekly Calendar Profile**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile calendar-profile name name	Configures a calendar profile.
	Example:	Here,
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile calendar-profile name weekly_calendar_profile</pre>	<i>name</i> refers to the name of the calendar profile.
Step 3	<pre>start start_time end end_time</pre>	Configures start and end time for the calendar
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-calendar-profile)# start 18:00:00 end 19:00:00	profile. Here,

	Command or Action	Purpose
		<i>start_time</i> is the start time for the calendar profile. You need to enter start time in <b>HH:MM:SS</b> format.
		<i>end_time</i> is the end time for the calendar pro You need to enter end time in <b>HH:MM:SS</b> format.
Step 4	recurrence weekly	Configures weekly recurrences for the cale
	Example:	profile.
	<pre>Device(config-calendar-profile)# recurrence weekly</pre>	
Step 5	day {friday   monday   saturday   sunday   thursday   tuesday   wednesday}	Configure days when the weekly calendar no to be active.
	Example:	<b>Note</b> You can configure multiple days using this command.
	Device(config-calendar-profile)# day friday	
	Device(config-calendar-profile)# day monday	
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-calendar-profile)# end	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to global configuration mode.

### **Configuring Monthly Calendar Profile**

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile calendar-profile name name	Configures a calendar profile.
	Example:	Here,
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile calendar-profile name monthly_calendar_profile</pre>	<i>name</i> refers to the name of the calendar profile.
Step 3	<pre>start start_time end end_time</pre>	Configures start and end time for the calendar
	Example:	profile.
	Device(config-calendar-profile)# start 18:00:00 end 19:00:00	Here,

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	Command or Action	Purpose	
		<i>start_time</i> is the start time for the calendar profile. You need to enter start time in <b>HH:MM:SS</b> format.	
		<i>end_time</i> is the end time for the calendar profile. You need to enter end time in <b>HH:MM:SS</b> format.	
Step 4	recurrence monthly	Configures monthly recurrences for the calendar	
	Example:	profile.	
	<pre>Device(config-calendar-profile)# recurrence monthly</pre>		
Step 5	date value	Configures a date for the calendar profile.	
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-calendar-profile)# date 25	<b>Note</b> If the requirement is to perform denial of service in certain timing, such as, 2,10, and 25 of every month, all three days need to be configured using the <b>date</b> command. There is no range for date. You need to configure the dates as per your requirement.	
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	<pre>Example: Device(config-calendar-profile)# end</pre>	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.	

### Mapping a Daily Calendar Profile to a Policy Profile

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
<b>Example:</b> The profile-	wireless profile policy profile-name	Creates policy profile for the WLAN.
	Example:	The profile-name is the profile name of the
	policy profile.	
Step 3	calender-profile name calendar-profile-name	Maps a calender profile to a policy profile.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# calender-profile name daily_calendar_profile	The <i>calendar-profile-name</i> is the name of the calendar profile name created in Configuring Daily Calendar Profile, on page 654.	
		Note	You need to disable Policy Profile before associating a calendar profile to a policy profile. The following needs to be done: Device (config-wireless-policy) # shutdown
Step 4	<pre>action deny-client Example: Device(config-policy-profile-calender)# action deny-client</pre>	during c	res deny client session establishment alendar profile interval. Client associations are denied daily between timeslot 9:00:00 to 17:00:00. For start and end time details, see Configuring Daily Calendar Profile, on page 654.
Step 5	<pre>end Example: Device(config-policy-profile-calender)# end</pre>	Alternati	to privileged EXEC mode. ively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit onfiguration mode.

### Mapping a Weekly Calendar Profile to a Policy Profile

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy profile-name	Creates policy profile for the WLAN.
	Example:	The <i>profile-name</i> is the profile name of the
	Device(config)# wireless profile policy default-policy-profile	policy profile.
Step 3	calender-profile name calendar-profile-name	Maps a calender profile to a policy profile.
	Example:	The calendar-profile-name is the name of the
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# calender-profile name weekly_calendar_profile</pre>	calendar profile name created in Configuring Weekly Calendar Profile, on page 655.

	Command or Action	Purpose	
		Note You need to disable Policy Profile before associating a calendar profi to a policy profile. The following needs to be done: Device (config-wireless-polic shutdown	ofile g
Step 4	action deny-client Example:	Configures deny client session establishmer during calendar profile interval.	
	Device(config-policy-profile-calender)# action deny-client	Note Client associations are denied dail between timeslot 9:00:00 to 17:00:00. For start and end time details, see Configuring Weekly Calendar Profile, on page 655.	5
		On Monday and Tuesday, clients a denied between 17:30:00 and 19:00:00 besides regular time 9:00:00 to 17:00:00.	are
		On 25th of every month, clients a denied between 18:00:00 and 19:00:00 besides regular time 9:00:00 to 17:00:00.	are
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	<pre>Example: Device(config-policy-profile-calender)# end</pre>	Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to e global configuration mode.	exit

### Mapping a Monthly Calendar Profile to a Policy Profile

#### Procedure

Command or Action	Purpose
configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Example:	
Device# configure terminal	
wireless profile policy profile-name	Creates policy profile for the WLAN.
Example:	The profile-name is the profile name of the
<pre>Device(config)# wireless profile policy   default-policy-profile</pre>	policy profile.
calender-profile name calendar-profile-name	Maps a calender profile to a policy profile.
	configure terminal         Example:         Device# configure terminal         wireless profile policy profile-name         Example:         Device(config)# wireless profile policy default-policy-profile

	Command or Action	Purpose
	<b>Example:</b> Device(config-wireless-policy)# calender-profile name monthly_calendar_profile	The <i>calendar-profile-name</i> is the name of the calendar profile name created in Configuring Monthly Calendar Profile, on page 656.
Step 4	<pre>action deny-client Example: Device(config-policy-profile-calender)# action deny-client</pre>	<ul> <li>Configures deny client session establishment for the defined calendar profile interval.</li> <li>Note Every day client associations are denied between timeslot 9:00:00 to 17:00:00. For start and end time details, see Configuring Monthly Calendar Profile, on page 656.</li> <li>On Monday and Tuesday, clients are denied between 17:30:00 and 19:00:00 besides regular time 9:00:00 to 17:00:00.</li> <li>On 25th of every month, clients are denied between 18:00:00 and 19:00:00 besides regular time 9:00:00 to 17:00:00.</li> </ul>
Step 5	<pre>end Example: Device(config-policy-profile-calender)# end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode. Alternatively, you can also press <b>Ctrl-Z</b> to exit global configuration mode.

### **Verifying Calendar Profile Configuration**

To view the summary of calendar profiles, use the following command:

To view the calendar profile details for a specific profile name, use the following command:

Device# show wireless profile	calendar-profile detailed daily_calendar_profile
Calendar profiles	: daily_calendar_profile
Recurrence	: DAILY
Start Time	: 09:00:00
End Time	: 17:00:00

### **Verifying Policy Profile Configuration**

To view the detailed parameters for a specific policy profile, use the following command:

Device# show wireless profile polic Tunnel Profile	y detailed default-policy-profile
Profile Name	: Not Configured
Calendar Profile	
Profile Name	: monthly 25 profile
Wlan Enable	: Not Configured
Client Block	: Client Block Configured
Profile Name	: weekly_mon_profile
Wlan Enable	: Not Configured
Client Block	: Client Block Configured
Profile Name	: daily_calendar_profile
Wlan Enable	: Not Configured
Client Block	: Client Block Configured
Fabric Profile	
Profile Name	: Not Configured

To view the configured calendar profile information under policy profile, use the following command:

```
Device# show wireless profile policy all

Tunnel Profile

Profile Name : Not Configured

Calendar Profile

Profile Name : daily_calendar_profile

Wlan Enable : Not Configured

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Profile Name : weekly_calendar_profile

Wlan Enable : Not Configured

Client Block : Client Block Configured

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Fabric Profile

Profile Name : Not Configured
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Note

The anchor priority is always displayed as local. Priorities can be assigned on the foreign controller.

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### **Introduction to EoGRE**

Ethernet over GRE (EoGRE) is an aggregation solution for grouping Wi-Fi traffic from hotspots. This solution enables customer premises equipment (CPE) devices to bridge the Ethernet traffic coming from an end-host, and encapsulate the traffic in Ethernet packets over an IP Generic Routing Encapsulation (GRE) tunnel. When the IP GRE tunnels are terminated on a service provider's broadband network gateway, the end-host traffic is forwarded and subscriber sessions are initiated.

#### **Client IPv6**

#### **EoGRE for WLAN**

To enable EoGRE for a WLAN, the wireless policy profile should be mapped to a tunnel profile, which may contain the following:

- AAA override: Allows you to bypass rule filtering for a client.
- Gateway RADIUS proxy: Allows forwarding of AAA requests to tunnel gateways.
- Tunnel rules: Defines the domain to use for each realm. They also define VLAN tagging for the client traffic towards tunnel gateways.
- DHCP option 82: Provides a set of predefined fields.

#### **EoGRE Deployment with Multiple Tunnel Gateways**

The embedded wireless controller sends keepalive pings to the primary and secondary tunnel gateways and keeps track of the missed pings. When a certain threshold level is reached for the missed pings, switchover is performed and the secondary tunnel is marked as active. This switchover deauthenticates all the clients to enable them to rejoin the access points (APs). When the primary tunnel come back online, all the client traffic are reverted to the primary tunnel. However, this behavior depends on the type of redundancy.

#### Load Balancing in EtherChannels

Load balancing of tunneled traffic over Etherchannels works by hashing the source or destination IP addresses or mac addresses of the tunnel endpoint pair. Because the number of tunnels is very limited when compared to clients (each tunnel carries traffic for many clients), the spreading effect of hashing is highly reduced and optimal utilization of Etherchannel links can be hard to achieve.

Using the EoGRE configuration model, you can use the *tunnel source* option of each tunnel interface to adjust the load-balancing parameters and spread tunnels across multiple links.

You can use different source interfaces on each tunnel for load balancing based on the source or destination IP address. For that choose the source interface IP address in such a way that traffic flows take different links for each src-dest IP pair. The following is an example with four ports:

Client traffic on Tunnell - Src IP: 40.143.0.72 Dest IP: 40.253.0.2 Client traffic on Tunnel2 - Src IP: 40.146.0.94 Dest IP: 40.253.0.6 Client traffic on Tunnel3 - Src IP: 40.147.0.74 Dest IP: 40.253.0.10

Use the **show platform software port-channel link-select interface port-channel 4 ipv4** *src\_ip dest\_ip* command to determine the link that a particular flow will take.

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### **EoGRE Configuration Overview**

The EoGRE solution can be deployed in two different ways:

- Central-Switching: EoGRE tunnels connect the embedded wireless controller to the tunnel gateways.
- Flex or Local-Switching: EoGRE tunnels are initiated on the APs and terminated on the tunnel gateways.

To configure EoGRE, perform the following tasks:

- 1. Create a set of tunnel gateways.
- 2. Create a set of tunnel domains.
- 3. Create a tunnel profile with rules that define how to match clients to domains.
- 4. Create a policy profile and attach the tunnel profile to it.
- 5. Map the policy profile to WLANs using policy tags.



**Note** The EoGRE tunnel fallback to the secondary tunnel is triggered after the *max-skip-count* ping fails in the last measurement window. Based on the starting and ending instance of the measurement window, the fall-back may take more time than the duration that is configured.

#### Table 26: EoGRE Authentication Methods

Method Name	First Supported Release	Mode
PSK	17.2.1	Local/Flex (central authentication)
Open	16.12.1	Local/Flex (central authentication)

Method Name	First Supported Release	Mode
LWA	16.12.1	Local/Flex (central authentication)
Dot1x	16.12.1	Local/Flex (central authentication)
CWA	16.12.1	Local/Flex (central authentication)

### **Create a Tunnel Gateway**

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**Note** In the Cisco Embedded Wireless Controller on Catalyst Access Points, a tunnel gateway is modeled as a tunnel interface.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	interface tunnel tunnel_number	Configures a tunnel interface and enters
	Example:	interface configuration mode.
	Device(config)# interface tunnel 21	
Step 3	tunnel source source_intf	Sets the source address of the tunnel interface The source interface can be VLAN, Gigabit Ethernet or loopback.
	Example:	
	Device(config-if)# tunnel source 22	
Step 4	tunnel destination tunnel-address	Sets the destination address of the tunnel.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-if)# tunnel destination 10.11.12.13</pre>	
Step 5	tunnel mode ethernet gre {ipv4   ipv6} p2p	-
	Example:	Ethernet over GRE IPv4 or Ethernet over GRE
	Device(config-if)# tunnel mode ethernet gre ipv4 p2p	11 1 01

### **Configuring a Tunnel Domain**

# Note

Tunnel domains are a redundancy grouping of tunnels. The following configuration procedure specifies a primary and a secondary tunnel, along with a redundancy model.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	tunnel eogre domain domain	Configures EoGRE redundancy domain.
	Example:	
	Device(config) # tunnel eogre domain dom1	
Step 3	primary tunnel primary-tunnel_intf	Configures the primary tunnel.
	Example:	
	Device(config-eogre-domain)# primary tunnel 21	
Step 4	secondary tunnel secondary-tunnel_intf	Configures the secondary tunnel.
	Example:	
	Device(config-eogre-domain)# secondary tunnel 22	
Step 5	redundancy revertive	Sets the redundancy model as revertive.
	<pre>Example: Device(config-eogre-domain)# redundancy revertive</pre>	When redundancy is set to revertive and the primary tunnel goes down, a switchover to secondary tunnel is performed. When the primary tunnel comes back up, a switchover to the primary tunnel is performed, because the primary tunnel has priority over the secondary tunnel.
		When redundancy is not set to revertive, tunnels will have the same priority, and a switchover to the primary tunnel is not performed if the active tunnel is the secondary tunnel and the primary tunnel comes back up.

### **Configuring EoGRE Global Parameters**

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	tunnel eogre heartbeat interval interval-value	Sets EoGRE tunnel heartbeat periodic interval
	Example:	
	Device(config)# tunnel eogre heartbeat interval 600	
Step 3	tunnel eogre heartbeat max-skip-count skip-count	Sets the maximum number of tolerable dropped heartbeats.
	Example:	After reaching the maximum number of
	Device(config)# tunnel eogre heartbeat max-skip-count 7	heartbeats that can be dropped, the tunnel is declared as down and a switchover is performed.
Step 4	tunnel eogre source loopback tunnel_source	Sets the tunnel EoGRE source interface.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# tunnel eogre source loopback 12	
Step 5	tunnel eogre interface tunnel <i>tunnel-intf</i> aaa proxy key <i>key hey-name</i>	(Optional) Configures AAA proxy RADIUS key for the AAA proxy setup.
	Example:	<b>Note</b> When the tunnel gateway is
	Device(config)# tunnel eogre interface tunnel 21 aaa proxy key 0 mykey	behaving as the AAA proxy server, only this step is required for the configuration.

### **Configuring a Tunnel Profile**

#### Before you begin

Ensure that you define the destination VLAN on the controller. If you do not define the VLAN, clients will not be able to connect.

### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wireless profile policy profile-policy-name	Configures a WLAN policy profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless profile policy eogre_policy	
Step 3	tunnel-profile tunnel-profile-name	Creates a tunnel profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wireless-policy)# tunnel-profile tunnel1	
Step 4	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wireless-policy)# exit</pre>	
Step 5	wireless profile tunnel tunnel-profile-name	Configures a wireless tunnel profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wireless profile tunnel wl-tunnel-1	
Step 6	dhcp-opt82 enable	Activates DHCP Option 82 for the tunneled
	Example:	clients.
	<pre>Device(config-tunnel-profile)# dhcp-opt82 enable</pre>	
Step 7	dhcp-opt82 remote-id remote-id	Configures Remote ID options.
	Example:	Choose from the comma-separated list of
	Device(config-tunnel-profile)# dhcp-opt82 remote-id vlan	options such as <b>ap-mac</b> , <b>ap-ethmac</b> , <b>ap-name</b> , <b>ap-group-name</b> , <b>flex-group-name</b> , <b>ap-location</b> , <b>vlan</b> , <b>ssid-name</b> , <b>ssid-type</b> , and <b>client-mac</b> .
Step 8	aaa-override	Enables AAA policy override.
	Example:	
	Device(config-tunnel-profile)# aaa-override	
Step 9	gateway-radius-proxy	Enables the gateway RADIUS proxy.
	Example:	
	Device(config-tunnel-profile)# gateway-radius-proxy	

Command or Action	Purpose		
gateway-accounting-radius-proxy	Enables the gateway accounting RADIUS proxy.		
Example:			
Device(config-tunnel-profile)# gateway-accounting-radius-proxy			
<b>rule</b> <i>priority</i> <b>realm-filter</b> <i>realm</i> <b>domain</b> <i>domain-name</i> <b>vlan</b> <i>vlan-id</i>	Creates a rule to choose a domain, using the realm filter, for client Network Access		
<b>Example:</b> Device (config-tunnel-profile) # rule 12 roolm-filter roolm domain dom1 when 5	Identifier (NAI), tunneling domain name, and destination VLAN.		
	gateway-accounting-radius-proxy         Example:         Device (config-tunnel-profile) #         gateway-accounting-radius-proxy         rule priority realm-filter realm domain         domain-name vlan vlan-id         Example:		

### **Associating WLAN to a Wireless Policy Profile**

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	wireless tag policy policy-tag-name	Configures a policy tag and enters policy tag	
	Example:	configuration mode.	
	<pre>Device(config)# wireless tag policy eogre_tag</pre>		
Step 3	wlan wlan-name policy profile-policy-name	<i>cy-name</i> Maps an EoGRE policy profile to a WLAN	
	Example:	profile.	
	<pre>Device(config-policy-tag)# wlan eogre_open_eogre policy eogre_policy</pre>		
Step 4	end	Saves the configuration, exits configuration	
	Example:	mode, and returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Device(config-policy-tag)# end		

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### Attaching a Policy Tag and a Site Tag to an AP

#### Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	<pre>ap mac-address Example: Device(config)# ap 80E8.6FD4.0BB0</pre>	Configures an AP and enters AP profile configuration mode.
Step 3	<pre>policy-tag policy-tag-name Example: Device(config-ap-tag)# policy-tag eogre tag</pre>	Maps the EoGRE policy tag to the AP.
Step 4	<pre>site-tag site-tag-name Example: Device(config-ap-tag)# site-tag sp-flex-site</pre>	Maps a site tag to the AP.
Step 5	end Example: Device(config-ap-tag)# end	Saves the configuration, exits configuration mode, and returns to privileged EXEC mode.

### **Verifying the EoGRE Tunnel Configuration**

The show tunnel eogre command displays the EoGRE clients, domains, gateways, global-configuration, and manager information in the local mode.

To display the EoGRE domain summary in the local mode, use the following command:

Device# show tunnel eogre domain summary

Domain Name	Primary GW	Secondary GW	Active GW	Redundancy
domain1	Tunnel1	Tunnel2	Tunnel1	Non-Revertive
eogre domain	Tunnel1	Tunnel2	Tunnel1	Non-Revertive

To display the details of an EoGRE domain in the local mode, use the following command:

Device# show tunnel eogre domain detailed domain-name

Domain Name	: eogre_domain
Primary GW	: Tunnell
Secondary GW	: Tunnel2
Active GW	: Tunnell
Redundancy	: Non-Revertive

To view the EoGRE tunnel gateway summary and statistics in the local mode, use the following command:

Device# show tunnel eogre gateway summary

Name	Туре	Address	AdminState	State	Clients
Tunnell	IPv4	9.51.1.11	Up	Up	0

Tunnel2	IPv4	9.51.1.12	Up	Down	0
Tunnel10	IPv6	fd09:9:8:21::90	Down	Down	0
Tunnel11	IPv4	9.51.1.11	Up	Up	0
Tunnel12	IPv6	fd09:9:8:21::90	Up	Down	0
Tunnel100	IPv4	9.51.1.100	Up	Down	0

To view the details of an EoGRE tunnel gateway in the local mode, use the following command:

```
Device# show tunnel eogre gateway detailed gateway-name
```

```
Gateway : Tunnell
Mode : IPv4
ΙP
       : 9.51.1.11
Source : Vlan51 / 9.51.1.1
State : Up
SLA ID : 56
MTU : 1480
Up Time: 4 minutes 45 seconds
Clients
 Total Number of Wireless Clients
                                      : 0
Traffic
 Total Number of Received Packets
                                      : 0
 Total Number of Received Bytes
                                      : 0
 Total Number of Transmitted Packets : 0
 Total Number of Transmitted Bytes
                                      : 0
 Keepalives
 Total Number of Lost Keepalives
                                     : 0
 Total Number of Received Keepalives
                                     : 5
 Total Number of Transmitted Keepalives: 5
 Windows
                                      : 1
 Transmitted Keepalives in last window : 2
 Received Keepalives in last window
                                    : 2
```

To view the client summary of EoGRE in the local mode, use the following command:

Device# show tunnel eogre client summary

Client MAC	AP MAC	Domain	Tunnel	VLAN	Local
74da.3828.88b0	80e8.6fd4.9520	eogre domain	N/A	2121	No

To view the details of an EoGRE global configuration in the local mode, use the following command:

Device# show tunnel eogre global-configuration

Heartbeat interval : 60 Max Heartbeat skip count : 3 Source Interface : (none)

To view the details of the global tunnel manager statistics in the local mode, use the following command:

Device# show tunnel eogre manager stats global

```
Tunnel Global Statistics
Last Updated : 02/18/2019 23:50:35
EoGRE Objects
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Gateways Domains	:	6 2
EoGRE Flex Objects AP Gateways AP Domains AP Gateways HA inconsistencies AP Domains HA inconsistencies	: :	
Config events IOS Tunnel updates IOS Domain updates Global updates Tunnel Profile updates Tunnel Rule updates AAA proxy key updates	: : :	806 88 48 120 16 0
AP events Flex AP Join Flex AP Leave Local AP Join Local AP leave Tunnel status (rx) Domain status (rx) IAPP stats msg (rx) Client count (rx) VAP Payload msg (tx) Domain config (tx) Global config (tx) Client delete (tx) Client delete per domain (tx) DHCP option 82 (tx)		0 0 4 1 3 6 4 1 1 1 3
Client events Add-mobile Run-State Delete Cleanup Join Plumb Join Errors HandOff MsPayload FT Recover Zombie GW counter increase Zombie GW counter decrease Tunnel Profile reset Client deauth HA reconciliation		0 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 8 8 8 0
Client Join Events Generic Error MSPayload Fail Invalid VLAN Invalid Domain No GWs in Domain Domain Shut Invalid GWs GWs Down Rule Match Error AAA-override Flex No Active GW Open Auth join attempt Dotlx join attempt	:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Mobility join attempt Tunnel Profile not valid Tunnel Profile valid No rule match	::	2
Rule match	:	
AAA proxy	:	0
AAA proxy accounting	:	0
AAA eogre attributes	:	0
Has aaa override	:	0
Error in handoff payload	:	0
Handoff AAA override	:	0
Handoff no AAA override	:	0
Handoff payload received	:	0
Handoff payload sent	:	0
SNMP Traps Client Tunnel	:	
Domain	:	
IPC		
IOSd TX messages	:	0
Zombie Client Entries	:	0

To view the tunnel manager statistics of a specific process instance in the local mode, use the following command:

```
Device# show tunnel eogre manager stats instance instance-number
```

Tunnel Manager statistics for pro Last Updated EoGRE Objects Gateways Domains	cess instance : 0 : 02/18/2019 23:50:35 : 6 : 2	
EoGRE Flex Objects AP Gateways AP Domains AP Gateways HA inconsistencies AP Domains HA inconsistencies		
Config events IOS Tunnel updates IOS Domain updates Global updates Tunnel Profile updates Tunnel Rule updates AAA proxy key updates	: 102 : 11 : 6 : 15 : 2 : 0	
AP events Flex AP Join Flex AP Leave Local AP Join Local AP leave Tunnel status (rx) Domain status (rx) IAPP stats msg (rx) Client count (rx) VAP Payload msg (tx) Domain config (tx) Global config (tx)	: 1 : 0 : 0 : 0 : 4 : 1 : 3 : 6 : 4 : 1 : 1 : 1	

Client delete (tx) Client delete per domain (tx) DHCP option 82 (tx)		
Client events Add-mobile Run-State Delete Cleanup Join Plumb Join Errors HandOff MsPayload FT Recover Zombie GW counter increase Zombie GW counter decrease Tunnel Profile reset Client deauth HA reconciliation		3 1 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 0
Client Join Events Generic Error MSPayload Fail Invalid VLAN Invalid Domain No GWs in Domain Domain Shut Invalid GWs GWs Down Rule Match Error AAA-override Flex No Active GW Open Auth join attempt Dotlx join attempt Mobility join attempt Tunnel Profile not valid Tunnel Profile not valid Tunnel Profile valid No rule match Rule match AAA proxy AAA proxy accounting AAA eogre attributes Has aaa override Error in handoff payload Handoff no AAA override Handoff payload sent		0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
SNMP Traps Client Tunnel Domain	::	
IPC IOSd TX messages	:	0
Zombie Client Entries	:	0

The show ap tunnel eogre command displays the tunnel domain information, EoGRE events, and the tunnel gateway status on the APs, in the flex mode.

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To view the summary information of an EoGRE tunnel gateway in the flex mode, use the following command:

Device# show ap tunnel eogre domain summary

AP MAC Domain Active Gateway 80e8.6fd4.9520 eogre domain Tunnel1

To view the wireless tunnel profile summary, use the following command:

Device# show wireless profile tunnel summary

Profile Name	AAA-Override	AAA-Proxy	DHCP Opt82	Enabled
eogre_tunnel	No	No	Yes	Yes
eogre_tunnel_set	No	No	Yes	No
eogre_tunnel_snmp	No	No	No	No

To view a wireless tunnel profile's details, use the following command:

Device# show wireless profile tunnel detailed profile-name

To view detailed information about an EoGRE tunnel domain's status, use the following command:

Device# show ap tunnel eogre domain detailed

Domain : eogre\_domain AP MAC : 80e8.6fd4.9520 Active GW : Tunnel1

To view the EoGRE events on an AP, use the following command:

```
Device# show ap tunnel eogre events
```

AP 80e8.6fd4.9520 Event histor Timestamp #Times	Y Event 	RC Context
02/18/2019 23:50:26.341 6	IAPP_STATS	0 GW Tunnel2 uptime:0s
02/18/2019 23:49:40.222 2	CLIENT_JOIN	0 74da.3828.88b0, (eogre_domain/2121)
02/18/2019 23:48:43.549 1	CLIENT_LEAVE	0 74da.3828.88b0, (eogre_domain/2121)
02/18/2019 23:47:33.127 1	DOMAIN_STATUS	0 eogre_domain Active GW: Tunnel1
02/18/2019 23:47:33.124 4	AP_TUNNEL_STATUS	0 Tunnel2 Dn

02/18/2019 23:47:33.124 1	MSG_CLIENT_DEL	0 GW Tunnel2 (IP: 9.51.1.12)
02/18/2019 23:47:33.124 2	TUNNEL_ADD	0 GW Tunnel2
02/18/2019 23:47:33.120 3	MSG_CLIENT_DEL_PD	0 GW Tunnell (IP: 9.51.1.11)

02/18/2019 23:47:31.763 2	AP_DOMAIN_PUSH	0 Delete:eogre_domain_set, 0 GWs
02/18/2019 23:47:31.753 4 wlan:pyats_eogre	AP_VAP_PUSH	<pre>0 profile:'eogre_tunnel',</pre>

To view the summary information of the EoGRE tunnel gateway, use the following command:

#### Device# show ap tunnel eogre gateway summary

AP MAC	Gateway	Type IP	State	Clients
80e8.6fd4.9520	Tunnel1	IPv4 9.51.1.11	Up	1
80e8.6fd4.9520	Tunnel2	IPv4 9.51.1.12	Dow	n O

To view detailed information about an EoGRE tunnel gateway, use the following command:

Device# show ap tunnel eogre gateway detailed gateway-name

```
Gateway : Tunnell
 Mode : IPv4
 IP
        : 9.51.1.11
State : Up
 MTU : 1476
 Up Time: 14 hours 25 minutes 2 seconds
 AP MAC : 80e8.6fd4.9520
 Clients
 Total Number of Wireless Clients
                                           : 1
 Traffic
 Total Number of Received Packets : 6
Total Number of Received Bytes : 26
  Total Number of Received Bytes : 2643
Total Number of Transmitted Packets : 94
  Total Number of Transmitted Bytes
                                            : 20629
  Total Number of Lost Keepalive
                                            : 3
```

To view summary information about the EoGRE tunnel gateway status, use the following command:

Device# show ap tunnel eogre domain summary

AP MAC	Domain	Active Gateway
80e8.6fd4.9520	eogre_domain	Tunnell

To view information about EoGRE events on an AP, use the following command:

Device# show ap name ap-name tunnel eogre events

AP 80e8.6fd4.9520 Even Timestamp	t history #Times 	Event	RC Context
02/18/2019 23:50:26.341	6	IAPP_STATS	0 GW Tunnel2 uptime:0s
02/18/2019 23:49:40.222	2	CLIENT_JOIN	0 74da.3828.88b0, (eogre_domain/2121)
02/18/2019 23:48:43.549	1	CLIENT_LEAVE	0 74da.3828.88b0, (eogre_domain/2121)

02/18/2019 23:47:33.127 1	DOMAIN_STATUS	0 eogre_domain Active GW: Tunnel1
02/18/2019 23:47:33.124 4	AP_TUNNEL_STATUS	0 Tunnel2 Dn
02/18/2019 23:47:33.124 1	MSG_CLIENT_DEL	0 GW Tunnel2 (IP: 9.51.1.12)
02/18/2019 23:47:33.124 2	TUNNEL_ADD	0 GW Tunnel2
02/18/2019 23:47:33.120 3	MSG_CLIENT_DEL_PD	0 GW Tunnel1 (IP: 9.51.1.11)
02/18/2019 23:47:31.763 2	AP_DOMAIN_PUSH	0 Delete:eogre_domain_set, 0 GWs
02/18/2019 23:47:31.753 4 wlan:pyats_eogre	AP_VAP_PUSH	<pre>0 profile:'eogre_tunnel',</pre>

To view the summary information about EoGRE tunnel domain's status on an AP, use the following command:

Device# show ap name ap-name tunnel eogre domain summary

AP MAC Domain Active Gateway

80e8.6fd4.9520 eogre\_domain

To view the detailed information about EoGRE tunnel domain on an AP, use the following command:

Device# show ap name ap-name tunnel eogre domain detailed

Domain Name	: eogre_domain
Primary GW	: Tunnell
Secondary GW	: Tunnel2
Active GW	: Tunnell
Redundancy	: Non-Revertive
AdminState	: Up

To view the summary information about EoGRE tunnel gateways on an AP, use the following command:

Device# show ap name ap-name tunnel eogre gateway summary

AP MAC	Gateway	Туре	IP	State	Clients
80e8.6fd4.9520	Tunnell	IPv4	9.51.1.11	Up	1
80e8.6fd4.9520	Tunnel2	IPv4	9.51.1.12	Dow	n O

To view detailed information about an EoGRE tunnel gateway's status on an AP, use the following command:

Device# show ap name ap-name tunnel eogre gateway detailed gateway-name

```
Gateway : Tunnel2
Mode : IPv4
      : 9.51.1.12
ТP
State : Down
MTU
       : 0
AP MAC : 80e8.6fd4.9520
Clients
 Total Number of Wireless Clients
                                   : 0
 Traffic
 Total Number of Received Packets
                                    : 0
 Total Number of Received Bytes
                                     : 0
 Total Number of Transmitted Packets : 0
```

Total Number of Transmitted Bytes: 0Total Number of Lost Keepalive: 151