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Troubleshooting Converged Access Wireless Deployments

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BRKEWN-3021 Session Overview and Objectives

This session discusses troubleshooting techniques and best practices for the Cisco Converged Access Mobility Architecture.

We will cover how to troubleshoot mobility and client connectivity issues under the various deployment models, including Mobility Agents (MA), Mobility Controllers (MC), and Mobility Oracles (MO).

We will cover common information, tools, and debugs used by TAC to resolve issues. We will also review key issues to watch out for.

Agenda

- Converged Access (CA) Architecture
- Troubleshooting
- Common issues
- Summary



Converged Access Architecture

Agenda

Converged Access Architecture

- Hardware platforms
- Internal architecture
- Mobility overview

CA Architecture

Hardware Platforms

Catalyst WS-C3850

Directly connected APs
Up to 50 APs / 2000 users



Catalyst WS-C3650

Directly connected APs
Up to 25 APs / 1000 users



WLC CT-5760

Up to 1000 APs / 12000 clients



CA Architecture

Access Points

- AP 1040 / 1140
- AP 1260 / 3500
- AP 1600 / 2600
- AP 3600 + 11ac module
- AP 3700

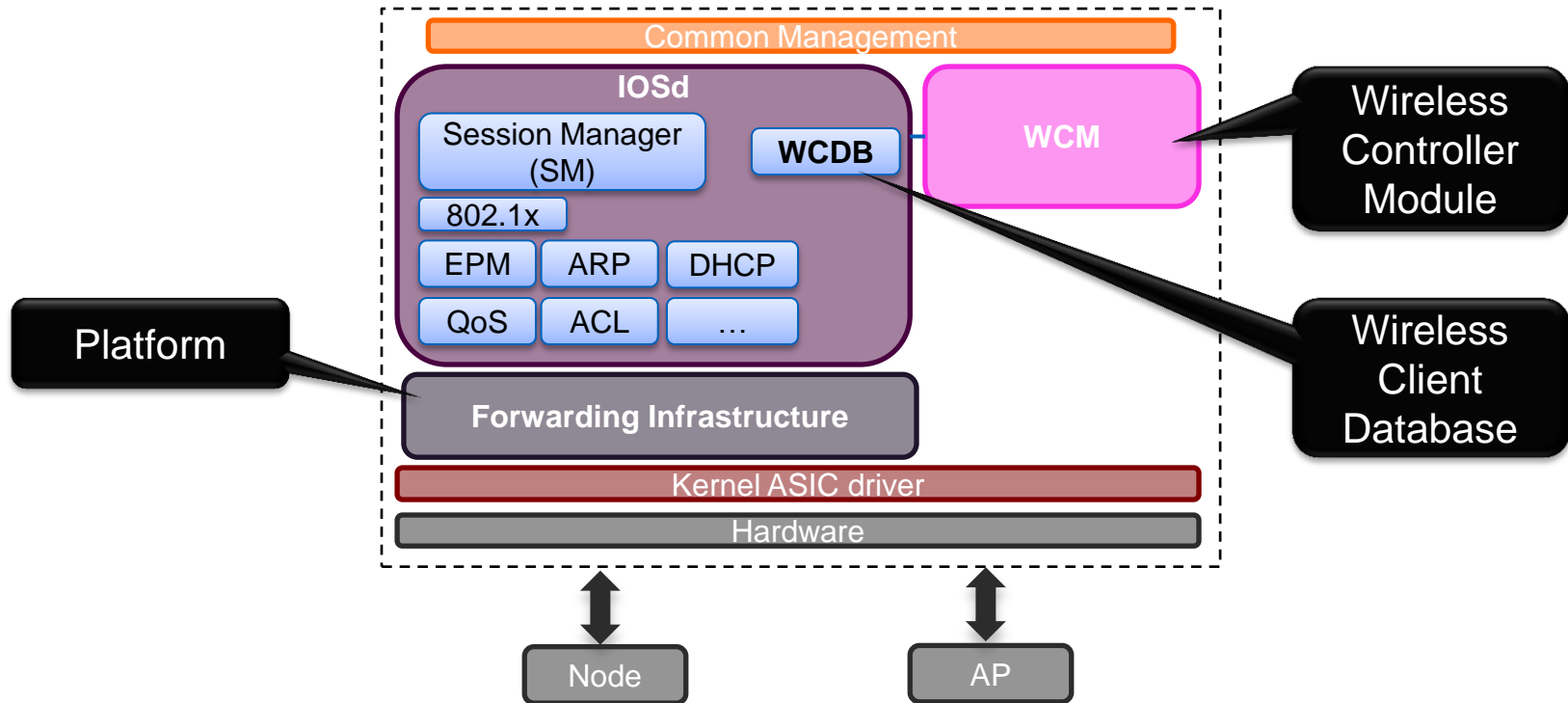
AP modes:

- Local
- Monitor, SE-Connect, Sniffer



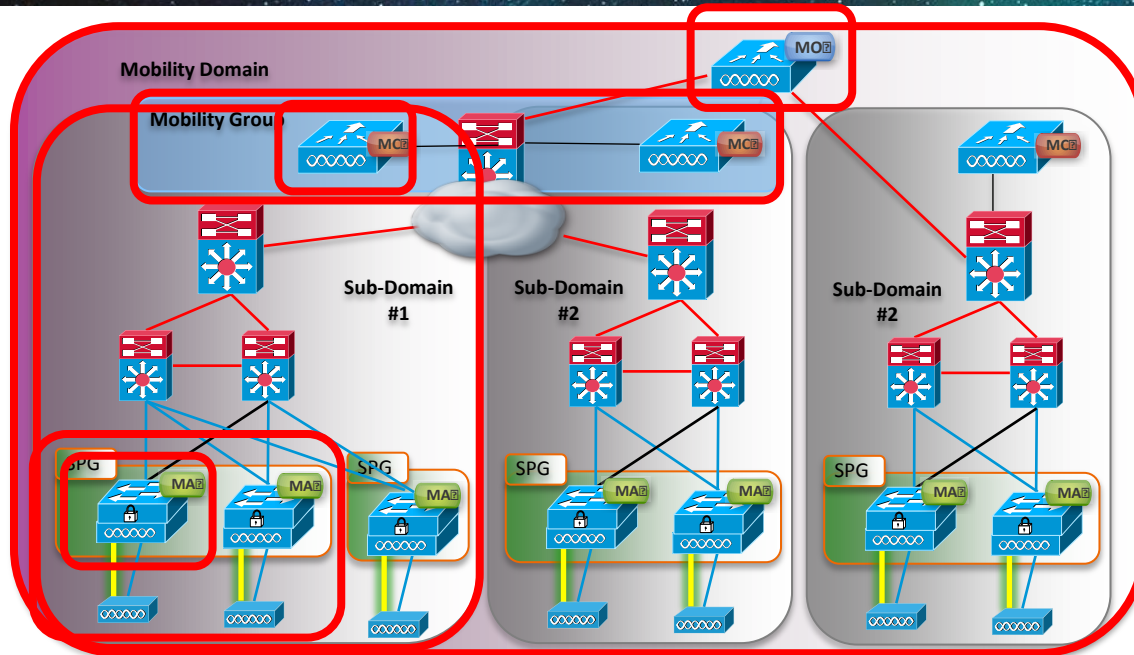
CA Architecture

Internal Components (Simplified Schema)






CA Architecture – Hierarchical Mobility




Components, Roles and Roaming



Physical Entities

-  Mobility Controller
-  Mobility Agent
-  Mobility Oracle

Logical Entities

-  Switch Peer Group
-  Mobility Group
-  Mobility Domain

CA Architecture – Mobility

PoP and PoA



- Point of Presence (PoP) vs. Point of Attachment (PoA)
 - PoP is where the wireless user is seen to be within the wired portion of the network
 - PoA is where the wireless user has roamed to while mobile
- Before a user roams, PoP and PoA are in the same place

CA Architecture – Mobility

Sticky Anchoring

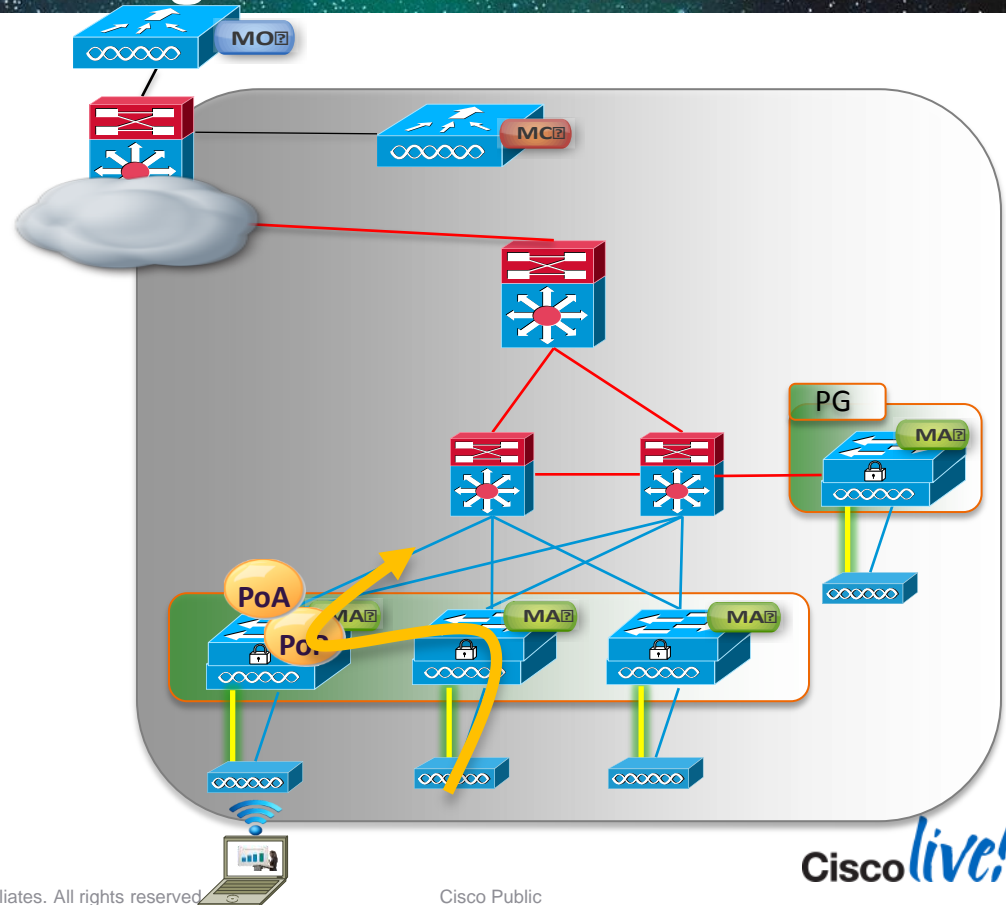


- Sticky Anchoring (default behaviour)
 - PoA moves with the user
 - PoP doesn't move with the user
- Can be disabled on a WLAN basis:
`3850(config-wlan)# no mobility anchor sticky`

CA Client Intra SPG Roaming

Roaming within the **same SPG**

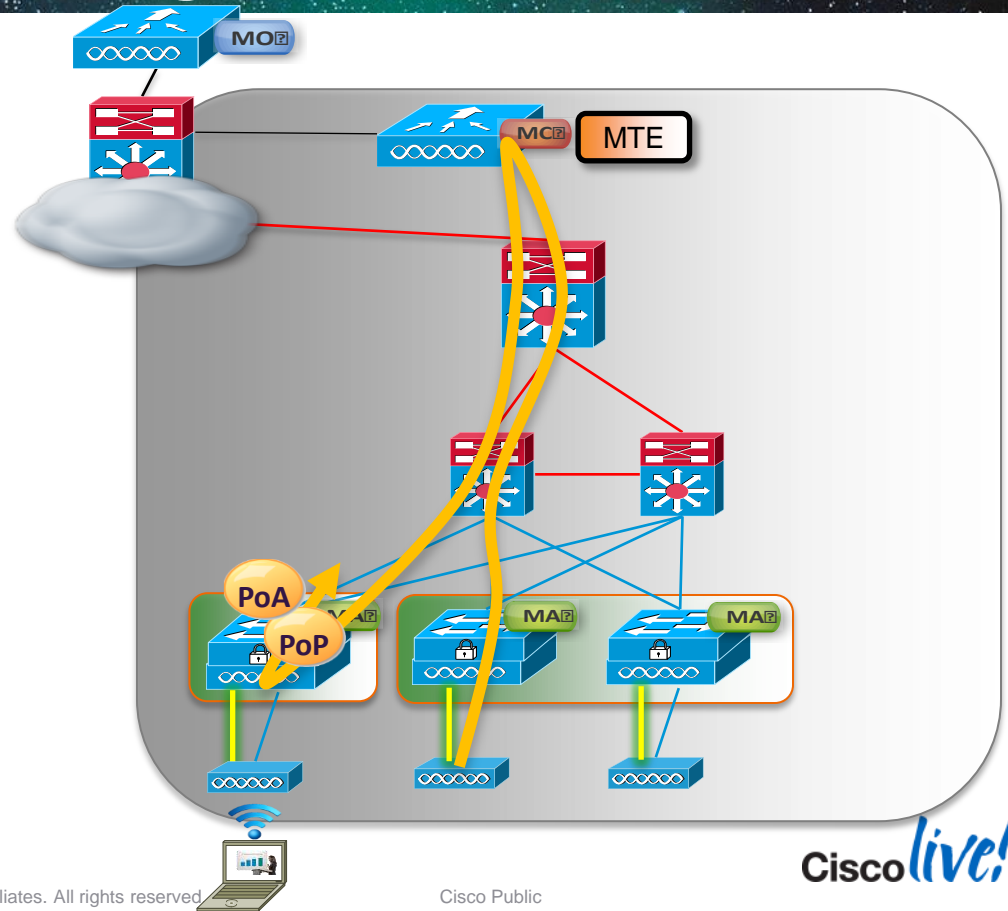
- With sticky anchor (default behaviour)
 - PoA moves to the new switch
 - PoP stays on the original switch
 - Traffic flows through the old switch (regardless of L2 or L3 roam)



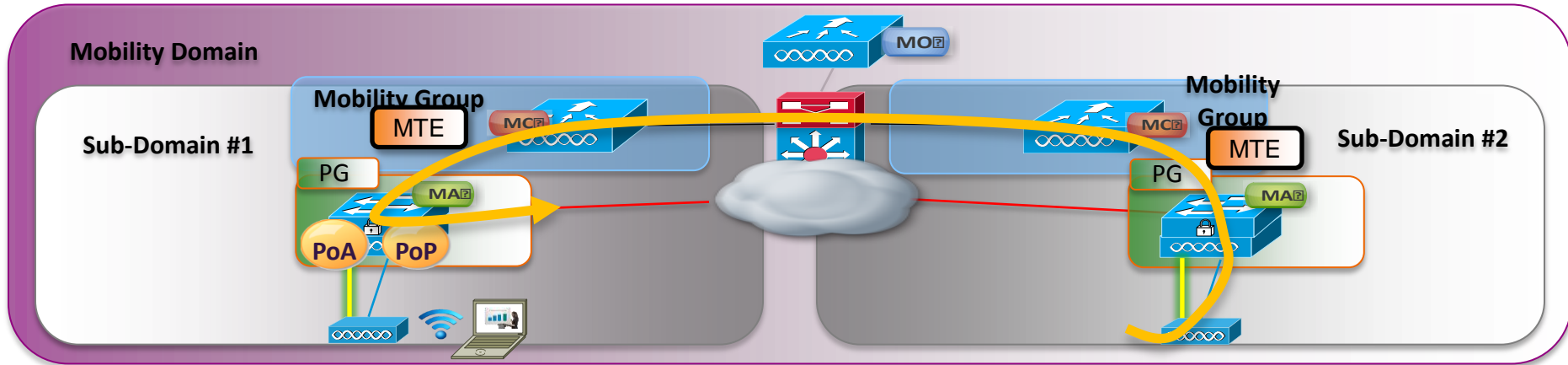
CA Client Inter SPG Roaming

Roaming to a **different SPG**, within the **same sub-domain**

- With sticky anchoring, even with L2 roam, PoP stays on original switch
- Traffic flows as illustrated
- MTE functionality is used
- Mobility Tunnel Endpoint



CA Client Inter Sub-domain Roaming



Roaming to a **different sub-domain** within the same domain

- With sticky anchoring and L2 roam
 - PoA is moved to the new switch
 - PoP stays at the old switch
- Traffic flows through the MTEs



Troubleshooting

Agenda

Troubleshooting

- Troubleshooting Tools
- System level sanity check
- Traces vs. Debugs
- Licensing
- Mobility
- AP Join
- Client flow
- RRM

Troubleshooting Tools

What is needed...

- Problem definition
 - Identify the issue(s)
 - Reduce the scope of investigation
- Capture
 - L1: Spectrum Expert
 - L2/L3: Wireless sniffer trace (Omnipeek, AirPcap, Sniffer mode AP, etc..)
- Configuration check
 - Configuration analysis: WLC Config Analyser (WLCCA) – Coming soon!
- Debugging
 - Proper traces/debugs
 - Custom made tool
 - Editor tools (text processing)

System Level Sanity Check

- Memory utilisation
- CPU utilisation

Just an overview, for more details refer to:

BRKCRS-3146 - Troubleshooting Cisco Catalyst 3850 Series Switches



Available at
CiscoLive365!

Memory Utilisation

Show Commands

```
3850-1#show processes memory sorted
```

```
System memory : 1941580K total, 1109004K used, 832576K free, 118584K kernel reserved
```

```
Lowest (b) : 215392912
```

PID	Text	Data	Stack	Heap	RSS	Total	Process
9136	56944	33900	92	3872	192152	323428	iosd
5542	15040	307580	92	3648	122832	595900	fed
9132	21980	557376	88	10544	105796	721672	wcm
6035	4	94196	116	88484	95508	113168	idope.py
5544	836	159180	88	4088	55092	330104	stack-mgr
10083	4	144128	236	18136	46260	240788	
wnweb_paster.py							
6203	3532	132904	88	872	45868	339972	ffm
6219	112	153364	88	7420	44208	225500	cli_agent
6204	1232	256752	88	9060	33124	363320	eicored
6195	52	113340	88	1188	24820	206348	pdsd

Memory Utilisation

Show Commands

```
3850-1#show processes memory detailed process iosd sorted
```

```
Processor Pool Total: 268435456 Used: 133113932 Free: 135321524
IOS Proce Pool Total: 16777216 Used: 9425820 Free: 7351396
  PID TTY  Allocated      Freed      Holding      Getbufs      Retbufs Process
   0   0  169226784  33615104  125812548         0           0 *Init*
  163   0   1534944         0      1558112      907264         0 NGWC DOT1X Proce
   0   0         0         0      918996         0           0 *MallocLite*
   0   0   7235404   5923276   618844   40708507   1348801 *Dead*
  275   0   933472    297340   572084         0           0 os_info_p provid
   1   0   524640     1544   547808         0           0 Chunk Manager
  342   0   270484         0   296652   102676         0 EEM ED Syslog
   33   0  48903984  39285468  292800         0           0 SPI PL client ap
  352   0   223176         0   246344         0           0 EEM Server
```

Memory Utilisation

Common Causes

Common Cause	Recommended Solution
Extensive config	Reduce the configuration to supported scale
Excessive memory allocated to trace buffers	Reset trace buffers to default sizes
DoS Attack/Punted traffic causing buffer depletion	Identify packets and block them using an ACL
Protocol flaps/re-convergence causing high transient memory utilisation	Identify reason for network instability
Memory leak caused by software bug	Open a TAC Service Request

CPU Utilisation

Show Commands

```
3850-1#show processes cpu sorted
```

```
Core 0: CPU utilization for five seconds: 3%; one minute: 5%; five minutes: 5%
Core 1: CPU utilization for five seconds: 0%; one minute: 1%; five minutes: 0%
Core 2: CPU utilization for five seconds: 0%; one minute: 0%; five minutes: 0%
Core 3: CPU utilization for five seconds: 1%; one minute: 1%; five minutes: 1%
PID      Runtime(ms)  Invoked  uSecs   5Sec    1Min    5Min    TTY    Process
5542     1452240      25452052 57       0.63    0.59    0.56    1088   fed
9136     2528710      47631614 53       0.49    0.48    0.48    0      iosd
6206     918720       801369   1146    0.15    0.14    0.15    0      cpumemd
6200     75900        786850   96       0.05    0.01    0.03    0      mem_mgmt
6228     17950        2228827  8        0.05    0.05    0.01    0      snmp_subagent
9132     984350       37970483 25       0.05    0.12    0.11    0      wcm
1        1850         1066     1735    0.00    0.00    0.00    0      init
2        0            122      0        0.00    0.00    0.00    0      kthreadd
3        40           3323     12       0.00    0.00    0.00    0      migration/0
4        0            3        0        0.00    0.00    0.00    0      sirq-high/0
```

CPU Utilisation

Show Commands

```
3850-1#show processes cpu detailed process iosd sorted
```

```
Core 0: CPU utilization for five seconds: 8%; one minute: 4%; five minutes: 4%
```

```
Core 1: CPU utilization for five seconds: 0%; one minute: 5%; five minutes: 2%
```

```
Core 2: CPU utilization for five seconds: 0%; one minute: 0%; five minutes: 0%
```

```
Core 3: CPU utilization for five seconds: 1%; one minute: 3%; five minutes: 1%
```

PID	T	C	TID	Runtime(ms)	Invoked	uSecs	5Sec	1Min	5Min	TTY	Process
							(%)	(%)	(%)		
9136	L			2531310	4767539	53	1.16	0.62	0.52	0	iosd
9136	L	1	9136	2331260	4667549	0	1.06	0.52	0.43	0	iosd
9136	L	0	9919	200000	997609	0	0.10	0.10	0.08	0	iosd.fastpath
9136	L	1	9920	50	2282	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	iosd.aux
6	I			419250	38598	0	3.33	0.44	0.22	0	Check heaps
2	I			610	30677	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	Load Meter
3	I			0	9	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	SpanTree 4

Traces vs Debugs

- Traces are not displayed on console/terminal, but stored in a **circular buffer**
- Traces are “**always-on**”, you can change the level and filtering options
- Traces are less impactful on system performance

- **Traces are preferred for troubleshooting wireless issues!**

Using Traces

- Set the trace level to debug for the trace we want to collect

```
3850-1#set trace capwap ap event level debug
debug    Debug-level messages (7)
default  Unset Trace Level Value
err      Error conditions (3)
info     Informational (6)
warning  Warning conditions (4)
```

– To turn off the trace debugging, set the level back to **default**

- Set and remove the filter for the MAC address

```
3850-1#set trace capwap ap event filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
3850-1#set trace capwap ap event filter mac yyyy.yyyy.yyyy
3850-1#set trace capwap ap event filter none
```

} Adding multiple addresses to the filter list

Using Traces

- To view **unfiltered** output:
 - `show trace message <feature>`
- To view **filtered** output:
 - `show trace sys-filtered-traces`
 - `show trace messages <feature> filtered`
- Several **macros** are available to enable sets of traces, example:
 - `set trace group-wireless-secure level debug`
- Clear a trace
 - `set trace control <feature> clear`
- Redirect the output to a file for easier offline analysis:
 - `show trace message <feature> | redirect tftp:...`
 - `show trace message <feature> | tee tftp:...`

Feature list:
show trace all-buffer settings

3.3+

File only

Console + File

Getting Started

Before a client can join, basics must be covered:

- Licensing setup
- Establish mobility relationships
- Have APs to join the controllers

Licensing

- Must run **ipservices** or **ipbase** license to enable wireless services on 3850 / 3650

```
3850-2#show license right-to-use
Slot#  License name  Type      Count  Period left
-----
1      ipservices  permanent N/A    Lifetime
1      ipbase     permanent N/A    Lifetime
1      apcount    adder     50     Lifetime

License Level on Reboot: ipservices
```

- The 5760 does not have activated license levels, the image is already **ipservices**

AP Count Licenses

- AP count licenses are **applied at the MC** and are automatically provisioned and enforced at the MA
 - 3650 acting as MC can support up to 25 APs
 - 3850 acting as MC can support up to 50 APs
 - 5760 acting as MC can support up to 1000 APs

```
c5760-1#show license right-to-use summary
License Name      Type      Count  Period left
-----
apcount          base       0      Lifetime
apcount          adder     25     Lifetime
-----

Evaluation AP-Count: Disabled
Total AP Count Licenses: 25
AP Count Licenses In-use: 4
AP Count Licenses Remaining: 21
```


Mobility Configuration

Mobility Agent and Mobility Controller

- The **3850 and 3650 are Mobility Agent (MA)** by default
- **AP licensing** is handled by the **Mobility Controller (MC)**
- Must either set a 3850/3650 as mobility controller or point it to another device acting as MC

Mobility Configuration

Mobility Agent and Mobility Controller

- To configure a 3850 as a MC:

```
MC(config)# wireless mobility controller
```

NOTE: This configuration change will require a reboot!

- To point the 3850 to a different MC:

```
MA(config)# wireless mobility controller ip a.b.c.d
```

- And on the MC (define the SPG and add an MA to it):

```
MC(config)# wireless mobility controller peer-group <SPG1>  
MC(config)# wireless mobility controller peer-group <SPG1> member ip w.x.y.z
```

Mobility Troubleshooting

Show Commands

```
c5760-1#show wireless mobility summary
```

```
Mobility Role : Mobility Controller
```

```
~cut~
```

```
Controllers configured in the Mobility Domain:
```

IP	Public IP	Group Name	Multicast IP	Link Status
192.168.151.21	-	5760	0.0.0.0	UP : UP

```
Switch Peer Group Name : group1
```

```
~cut~
```

IP	Public IP	Link Status
192.168.151.11	192.168.151.11	UP : UP
192.168.151.12	192.168.151.12	UP : UP

Mobility Troubleshooting

Protocols

- **Control Path**
 - UDP port 16666
 - CAPWAP (control) encapsulated
 - DTLS Encrypted
- **Data Path**
 - UDP port 16667
 - CAPWAP (data) encapsulated
- **Mobility Oracle**
 - UDP port 16668
 - CAPWAP (control) encapsulated
 - DTLS Encrypted

Mobility Troubleshooting

Capturing Data

- Now the traffic will be properly decoded and viewable:

192.168.75.1	192.168.75.116	ICMP	128	Echo (ping) reply
192.168.75.116	192.168.75.1	ICMP	124	Echo (ping) request
192.168.75.1	192.168.75.116	ICMP	128	Echo (ping) reply
192.168.75.116	192.168.75.1	ICMP	124	Echo (ping) request
192.168.75.1	192.168.75.116	ICMP	128	Echo (ping) reply

0.0.0.0	255.255.255.255	DHCP	411	DHCP Request
192.168.75.1	192.168.75.116	DHCP	396	DHCP ACK

- Allowing you to view communications such as ICMP or DHCP, to assist in packet loss diagnosis

Mobility Troubleshooting

Traces and Debugs

Traces

- set trace mobility handoff level debug
- set trace mobility keepalive level debug

Debugs

- debug mobility keep-alive
- debug mobility handoff
- debug mobility peer-ip w.x.y.z
- debug capwap ios event
- debug capwap ios error

MC-MA, or MA-MA
troubleshooting

WLC internal capwap
(WLC to WLC, etc)

Mobility Troubleshooting

MA Disconnected

```
5760# debug mobility peer-ip 10.10.20.6
```

```
*Oct 9 20:27:43.564: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: A unsolicited configdownload  
response with subtype 2 sent to MA 10.10.20.6.^M
```

```
*Oct 9 20:27:43.564: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: [679: Configdownload  
response MC->MA] to 10.10.20.6:16666
```

```
*Oct 9 20:27:43.564: %IOSXE-3-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: *eicore_ipc: %MM-3-end  
CONFIGDOWNLOAD_FAILED: Failed to send a config download response packet sending  
packet to 10.10.20.6.
```

No ACK from MA

```
*Oct 9 20:27:44.014: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: Received keepalive status  
change message type:1 peer Ip 10.10.20.6
```

Retry

```
*Oct 9 20:27:44.411: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: [679: Configdownload  
response MC->MA] to 10.10.20.6:16666
```

Keepalive status change... To "not responding"

```
*Oct 9 20:27:44.998: %SYS-5-CONFIG_I:
```

```
*Oct 9 20:27:45.403: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: [679: Configdownload  
response MC->MA] to 10.10.20.6:16666
```


AP Join

Config on 3850

- Enable wireless management

```
3850a(config)# wireless management interface vlan <1-4095>
```

What if “no...”?

- Directly connected APs must be configured as **access** port in the wireless management vlan!

```
3850a(config)#interface gigabit1/0/10  
3850a(config-if)#switchport mode access  
3850a(config-if)#switchport access vlan 151
```

If AP exists on this port, WLC will reject switch to trunk port

```
3850(config-if)#switchport mode trunk  
Command rejected: Conflict with Capwap
```

```
3850(config-if)#switchport mode trunk  
3850(config-if)#
```

However, if no AP is detected...

AP Join

Verify Directly Joined APs (MA and MC)

- show ap summary

```
3850-2#show ap summary
Number of APs: 2

Global AP User Name: Not configured
Global AP Dot1x User Name: Not configured

AP Name                AP Model  Ethernet MAC  Radio MAC  State
-----
ap1140-sw3850-2-2      1142N     0022.bd1a.d42b 0026.cbd2.6750 Registered
ap1140-sw3850-2-1      1142N     c84c.75f3.e788 18ef.639b.f9d0 Registered
```

AP Join

Verify (sub-)domain Joined APs (MC)

- show wireless mobility ap-list

```
c5760-1#show wireless mobility ap-list
```

```
Number of AP entries in the mobility group : 3  
Number of AP entries in the sub-domain    : 3
```

AP name	AP radio MAC	Controller IP	Learnt from
ap1140-sw3850-2-2	0026.cbd2.6750	192.168.151.12	Mobility Agent
ap2600-sw3850-3-11	04da.d24f.f1e0	192.168.151.21	Self
ap1140-sw3850-2-1	18ef.639b.f9d0	192.168.151.12	Mobility Agent

Controller IP	AP Count
192.168.151.12	2
192.168.151.21	1

AP Configuration Modes

```
3850#ap name 3600a ?
ap-groupname      Set groupname
capwap            AP Capwap parameters
cdp               Enable cdp
command           Remote execute a command on Cisco AP
console-redirect  Enable redirecting remote debug output of Cisco AP to console
.../...
```

Configure individual AP from here

```
3850(config)#ap ?
auth-list         Configure Access Point authentication
capwap           ap capwap parameters
cdp              Enable/Disable CDP for all Cisco
core-dump        Enable/Disable memory core dump
country          Configure the country of operation
dot11            Configures 802.11 parameters
.../...
```

Configure global AP parameters from here

AP Join Troubleshooting

Typical Issues

- Licensing
- Regulatory domain mismatch
- AP not on wireless management VLAN (3850)
- Certificate validation (time)

AP Join

Traces and Debugs

Traces

- set trace group-ap level debug
- set trace group-ap filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx

Debugs

- debug capwap **ap** events
- debug capwap **ap** error

Note: No filter functionality

AP Join Troubleshooting

Licensing

```
[12/30/13 03:17:36.802 UTC f0e9 8531] 0026.cbd2.6750 License is denied for the AP,  
calling the AP reset
```

```
[12/30/13 03:17:36.802 UTC f0ea 8531] 0026.cbd2.6750 Reset request sent to  
192.168.151.13:44356
```

```
[12/30/13 03:17:36.802 UTC f0eb 8531] 0026.cbd2.6750 License check failed: License  
is denied for the AP, calling the AP reset
```

- Is the MA configured to talk with an MC?

AP Join Troubleshooting

Licensing

- Verify: 3850-2#**show wireless mobility summary**

```
Mobility Agent Summary:
```

```
Mobility Role : Mobility Agent
```

```
Link Status is Control Link Status : Data Link Status
```

```
The status of Mobility Controller:
```

IP	Public IP	Link Status
0.0.0.0	0.0.0.0	- : -

- Fix: 3850-2(config)#**wireless mobility controller ip ...**

AP Join Troubleshooting

Invalid Country Code

```
*Dec 16 08:33:12.790: *%LWAPP-3-RD_ERR8: 1 wcm: Country code (ES ) not configured
for AP 18:ef:63:9b:f9:d0
*Dec 16 08:33:12.791: *%LOG-3-Q_IND: 1 wcm: Country code (ES ) not configured for
AP 18:ef:63:9b:f9:d0
*Dec 16 08:33:12.792: *%LWAPP-3-VALIDATE_ERR: 1 wcm: Validation of SPAM Vendor
Specific Payload failed - AP 18:ef:63:9b:f9:d0
*Dec 16 08:33:12.793: *%LOG-3-Q_IND: 1 wcm: Validation of SPAM Vendor Specific
Payload failed - AP 18:ef:63:9b:f9:d0
*Dec 16 08:33:12.793: *%LWAPP-3-RD_ERR8: 1 wcm: Country code (ES ) not configured
for AP 18:ef:63:9b:f9:d0
*Dec 16 08:33:12.793: *%LWAPP-3-RD_ERR4: 1 wcm: Invalid regulatory domain
802.11bg:-A      802.11a:-A for AP 18:ef:63:9b:f9:d0
```

- Verify: 3850-2#**show wireless country configured**
Configured Country.....: US - United States
- Fix: 3850-2(config)#**ap country ?** **Must shutdown 2.4 and 5**
WORD Enter the country code (e.g. US,MX,IN) up to a maximum of 20 countries

AP Join Troubleshooting - 3850

APs must be in Wireless Management VLAN

```
Oct  9 12:57:45.362: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: 64D9.8946.CA30 Received a
Discovery Request from 64:d9:89:46:ca:30 on an unsupported VLAN 1.
srcIp(172.29.129.178)  dstIp(10.10.20.2) Dropping the discovery request. AP will not
be able to join as it is on a different vlan than management or AP manager vlan
Oct  9 12:57:45.362: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: 64D9.8946.CA30 Unable to
process Discovery Request from 64d9.8946.ca30 due to missing AP Manager interface,
discovery request received on interface 65535 vlanId 1 srcIp(172.29.129.178)
dstIp(255.255.255.255)
Oct  9 12:57:45.363: %IOSXE-3-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: *spamApTask0: %CAPWAP-3-
DISC_WIRELESS_INTERFACE_ERR1: Unable to process discovery request from AP
64d9.8946.ca30 , VLAN (1) scrIp (172.29.129.178) dstIp(255.255.255.255) , could not
get wireless interface belonging to this network
```

- Verify: 3850-2#**show wireless interface summary**

Interface Name	Interface Type	VLAN ID	IP Address	IP Netmask	MAC Address
Vlan151	Management	151	192.168.151.12	255.255.255.0	44ad.d96c.77cd

- Fix: 3850-2(config)#interface gil1/0/1
3850-2(config-if)#**switchport access vlan 151**

AP Join Troubleshooting - 5760

Certificate Validation

```
Jan 1 12:14:04.539: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: 64D9.8946.B640 Discovery
Request from 10.10.22.31:9618
Jan 1 12:14:04.539: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: 64D9.8946.B640 Join Priority
Processing status = 0, Incoming Ap's Priority 0, MaxLrads = 1000, joined Aps =0
Jan 1 12:14:04.539: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: 64D9.8946.B640 Validated
Discovery request with dest ip : 10.10.21.3 from AP 10.10.22.31. Response to be
sent using ip : 10.10.21.3

Jan 1 12:14:14.551: %IOSXE-3-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: *spamApTask1: %DTLS-3-
HANDSHAKE_FAILURE: Failed to complete DTLS handshake with peer 10.10.22.31 Reason:
ssl3 alert bad certificate
```

AP on different subnet,
no problem so far...

```
5760#show clock
```

```
12:20:27.298 UTC Mon Jan 1 2001
```

- Fix: 3850-2#clock set ...
3850-2(config)#ntp server ...

NTP!

Client Troubleshooting

- 802.11 Authentication
- 802.11 (Re-)Association
- L2 Authentication (802.1x/PSK)
- Mobility discovery
- Client address learning
- L3 Authentication (Web-auth)
- Forwarding
- Roaming

Wireless Client Details

- Client information maintained in 3 main processes

- WCM**

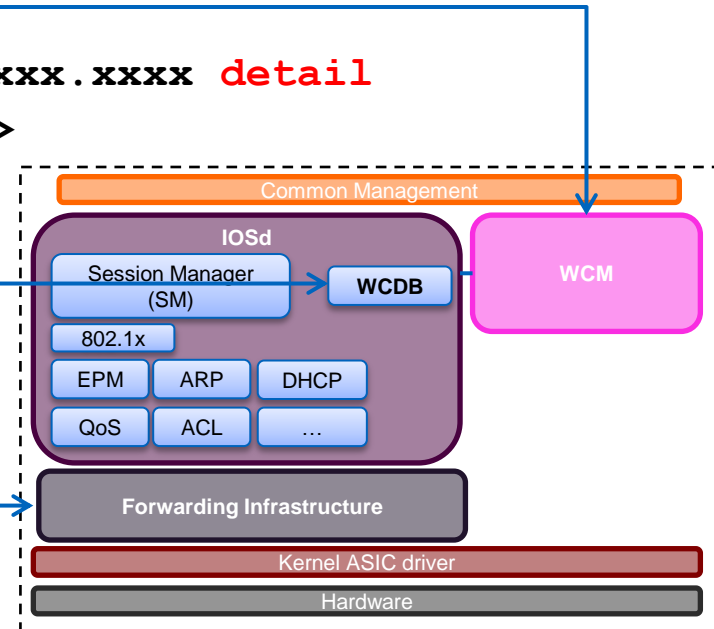
- `show wireless client mac-address xxxx.xxxx.xxxx detail`
- `show wireless client username <username>`

- IOSd WCDB**

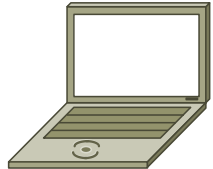
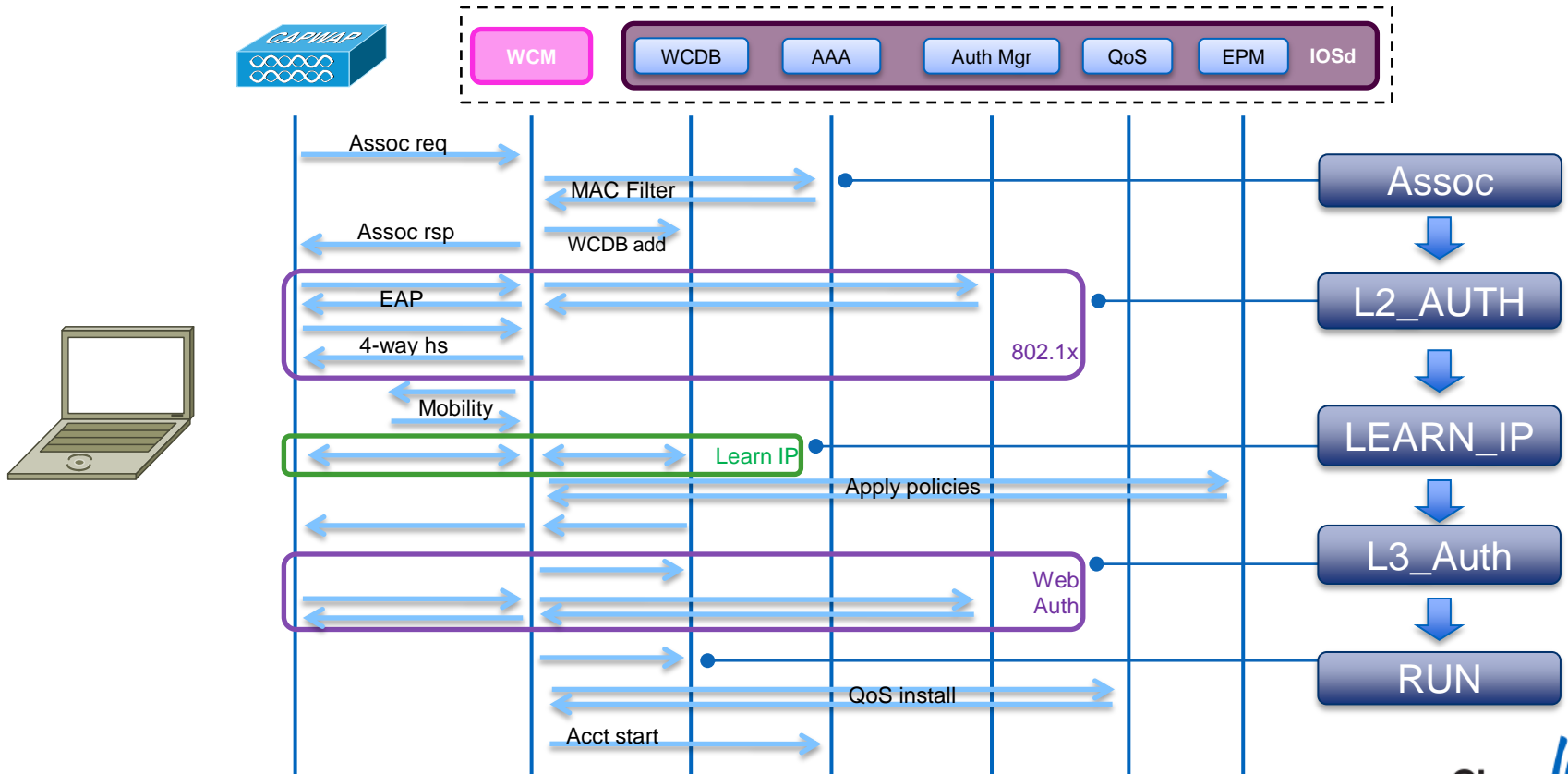
- `show wcdb database all`
- `show wcdb database xxxx.xxxx.xxxx`

- Platform (FED)**

- `show platform wcdb summary`
- `show platform wcdb clientIndex <client-index> summary`



Client Flow and States



Client Troubleshooting

Traces and Debugs

Traces

- set trace group-wireless-client filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- set trace group-wireless-client level debug

- set trace group-wireless-secure filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- set trace group-wireless-secure level debug

Open auth

L2 auth (3.3SE+)

Debugs

- debug client mac-address xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- debug wcm-dot1x trace
- debug wcm-dot1x event
- debug wcm-dot1x error

802.11 Authentication

- Handled by the Access Point
- Not visible at WLC logs/debugs
- Debugging has to be done at radio driver level (AP):

```
ap# debug dot11 dot11radio 0 monitor addr xxxx.xxxx.xxxx  
ap# debug dot11 dot11radio 0 trace print client mgmt
```

Radio slot:
0 = 2.4 GHz
1 = 5 GHz

MAC filter

Client Flow

The Route Toward the RUN State!



Client Association Success!

Assoc

```
[04/27/13 14:38:47.659 CST 350c 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB Association received from mobile on
AP 10BD.186D.9A40
~cut~
for station 6896.7B0D.F3BB - vapId 1, site 'default-group', interface 'VLAN0079'
[04/27/13 14:38:47.660 CST 3513 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB Applying local bridging Interface
Policy for station 6896.7B0D.F3BB - vlan 79, interface 'VLAN0079'
[04/27/13 14:38:47.660 CST 3514 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB STA - rates (8): 130 132 139 150 36
48 72 108 0 0 0 0 0 0
[04/27/13 14:38:47.660 CST 3515 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB STA - rates (12): 130 132 139 150 36
48 72 108 12 18 24 96 0 0 0 0
[04/27/13 14:38:47.660 CST 3518 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB WCDB_ADD: ssid ciscohive bssid
10BD.186D.9A40 vlan 79 auth=ASSOCIATION(0) wlan(ap-group/global) 1/1 client 0 assoc 1
mob=Unassoc(0) radio 0 m_vlan 79 ip 0.0.0.0 src 0xcf3d4000000006 dst 0x0 cid
0xd3ae0000000079 glob rsc id 11ldhcpsrv 14.
~cut~
Changing state for mobile 6896.7B0D.F3BB on AP 10BD.186D.9A40 from Idle to Associated
[04/27/13 14:38:47.660 CST 351c 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB Ms Timeout = 0, Session Timeout = 0
[04/27/13 14:38:47.661 CST 351d 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB Sending Assoc Response to station on
BSSID 10BD.186D.9A40 (status 0) ApVapId 1 Slot 0
```

Wireless PCAP

IntelCor_89:51:ca	Broadcast	802.11	78 Probe Request, SN=3659, FN=0, Fla
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	268 Probe Response, SN=2825, FN=0, Fl.
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	802.11	78 Probe Request, SN=3672, FN=0, Fla
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	268 Probe Response, SN=2826, FN=0, Fl.
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	802.11	34 Authentication, SN=3673, FN=0, Fl.
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	34 Authentication, SN=1859, FN=0, Fl.
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	802.11	161 Association Request, SN=3674, FN=
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	180 Association Response, SN=1860, FN:

Client Association

Assoc

IE Processing

```
STA - rates (12): 130 132 139 150 12 18 24 36 48 72 96 108 0 0 0 0  
Processing RSN IE type 48, length 22 for mobile 00:16:ea:b2:04:36
```

- STA - rates

Mandatory Rates (>128) = (#-128)/2

Supported Rates (<128) = #/2

1m,2m,5.5m,11m,6s,9s,12s,18s,24s,36s,48s,54s

- Processing **RSN IE type 48**

Processing WPA IE type 221

WPA2-AES

WPA-TKIP

For more info:
IEEE 802.11-2012
8.4.2.27 RSNE

Client Association

Association Response

Assoc

```
Sending Assoc Response to station on BSSID 00:26:cb:94:44:c0 (status 0) ApVapId 1  
Slot 0
```

- **Slot 0** = B/G(2.4) Radio
Slot 1 = A(5) Radio
- Sending Assoc Response **Status 0** = Success
Anything other than Status 0 is Failure

Client Association

Typical Issues

Assoc

- Configuration related
 - Radio/WLAN shutdown
 - Data rate config mismatch
 - WMM policy mismatch
 - MAC filtering failure
- Scaling related
 - Max number of clients on radio interface
 - Call Admission Control (CAC)
- Client in exclusion list
- Client Idle

Client Association

Excluded Client

Assoc

- Client in exclusion list

```
*Dec 23 17:31:08.089: %IOSXE-7-PLATFORM: 1 process wcm: 0023.6907.e218 Ignoring  
assoc request due to mobile in exclusion list or marked for deletion
```

- Check client exclusion

```
c5760-1# show wireless exclusionlist
```

- Remove a client from exclusion list (death)

```
c5760-1# wireless client mac-address xxxx.xxxx.xxxx deauthenticate
```

Client Idle

- Client state as Idle

```
3850-2# show wireless client summary
```

```
Number of Local Clients : 1
```

MAC Address	AP Name	WLAN State	Protocol
0023.6907.e218	ap1140-sw3850-2-2	2 Idle	11n (2.4)

- Upon client association traces usually show...

```
Ignoring 802.11 assoc request from mobile pending deletion
```

- Different causes may lead to this state

Client Idle

- Examples of reasons for client idle:

- CSCug75799 – fixed in 3.2.3SE+
- Incorrect QoS config

For more info see [BRKCRS-2890](#) - Converged Access Quality of Service

Available at
CiscoLive365!

- Collect client idle troubleshooting info:

```
show tech-support platform wireless client mac-address xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
```

- Force deauth to recover the client:

```
wireless client mac-address xxxx.xxxx.xxxx deauthenticate forced
```

Client Flow

The Route Toward the RUN State!



Layer 2 Authentication

Show Client Status

■ WCM

```
3850-2#show wireless client summary
```

```
Number of Local Clients : 1
```

MAC Address	AP Name	WLAN	State	Protocol
0023.6907.e218	ap1140-sw3850-2-2	2	AUTHENTICATING	11g

■ WCDB

```
3850-2#show wcdb database all
```

Mac Address	VlanId	IP Address	Src If	Auth	Mob
0023.6907.e218	153	0.0.0.0	0x00C99740000006BC	ASSOCIAT	INIT

Layer 2 Authentication

802.1x Successful Authentication

```
0021.6a89.51ca Association received from mobile on AP c8f9.f983.4260
0021.6a89.51ca Sending Assoc Response to station on BSSID c8f9.f983.4260 (status 0)
ApVapId 2 Slot 1
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Session Start from wireless client
ACCESS-CORE-SM-CLIENT-SPI-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] Session start request from
Client[1] for 0021.6a89.51ca (method: Dot1X, method list: ACS, aaa id: 0x0000037C)
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] Posting !EAP_RESTART on Client 0x2000000E
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] Sending EAPOL packet
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-INFO: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] EAPOL packet sent to client 0x2000000E
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] Response sent to the server from
0x2000000E
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] 0x2000000E:request response action
AAA SRV(00000000): process authen req
AAA SRV(00000000): Authen method=SERVER_GROUP ACS
AAA SRV(00000000): protocol reply GET_CHALLENGE_RESPONSE for Authentication
AAA SRV(00000000): Return Authentication status=PASS
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-INFO: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] Received an EAP Success
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] Received Authz Success for the client
0x2000000E (0021.6a89.51ca)
```


Wireless PCAP

IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAPOL	43 Start
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	117 Request, Identity
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAP	52 Response, Identity
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Request, TLS EAP (EAP-TLS)
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAP	48 Response, Legacy Nak (Response only)
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Request, Protected EAP (EAP-PEAP)
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	188 Client Hello
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	543 Server Hello, Certificate, Server Hel
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	186 Client Key Exchange, Change Cipher Sp
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	107 Change Cipher Spec, Encrypted Handsha
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAP	48 Response, Protected EAP (EAP-PEAP)
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	85 Application Data
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	85 Application Data
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	117 Application Data
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	149 Application Data
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	133 Application Data
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	85 Application Data
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	85 Application Data
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	85 Application Data
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Success

Layer 2 Authentication

Typical Issues

- RADIUS server reachability
- Reject from RADIUS server
 - invalid credentials, certificate validation, max sessions...
- EAP timeout
- AAA override
- Incorrect Pre-Shared Key

Layer 2 Authentication

802.1x Auth Fail – RADIUS Timeout

```
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Posting EAPOL_EAP for 0x1A000001
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] 0x1A000001:entering response state
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Response sent to the server from
0x1A000001
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Received an EAP Fail
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Posting EAP FAIL for 0x1A000001
ACCESS-CORE-SM-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Authc failure from Dot1X (1), status AAA
Server Down (2) / event server dead (2)
ACCESS-CORE-SM-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Highest prio method: INVALID, Authz method:
INVALID, Conn hdl: dot1x
ACCESS-CORE-SM-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Client 0021.6a89.51ca, Method dot1x changing
state from 'Running' to 'Authc Failed'
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Authentication failed
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Sending deauth msg, Reason Code = 23
```

- Network connectivity issues?
- RADIUS server process running?

Wireless PCAP

Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	117 Request, Identity
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAPOL	43 Start
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	117 Request, Identity
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAP	52 Response, Identity
IntelCor_89:51:ca	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	802.11	30 QoS Null function (No data), SN=2, FN=0, F
IntelCor_89:51:ca	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAPOL	43 Start
IntelCor_89:51:ca	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	117 Request, Identity
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAP	52 Response, Identity
IntelCor_89:51:ca	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	802.11	30 QoS Null function (No data), SN=5, FN=0, F
IntelCor_89:51:ca	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	802.11	40 Deauthentication, SN=2502, FN=0, Flags=....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	30 Deauthentication, SN=2132, FN=0,
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Failure
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Failure
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Failure

Layer 2 Authentication

EAP Timeout

```
[13:36:29.668] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-INFO: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] EAPOL packet sent to
client 0x270001BD
[13:36:39.907] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] Received an EAP Timeout
[13:36:39.907] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] Posting EAP_TIMEOUT for
0x270001BD
[13:36:39.907] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] 0x270001BD:entering
timeout state
[13:36:39.907] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] 0x270001BD:request timeout
action
[13:36:39.907] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] 0x270001BD:entering idle
state
[13:36:39.907] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] Posting AUTH_TIMEOUT on
Client 0x270001BD
[13:36:39.907] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] 0x270001BD:exiting
authenticating state
[13:36:43.175] ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] Override cfg -
SuppTimeout 10s ReAuthMax 3, MaxReq 2, TxPeriod 30s
```

Wireless PCAP

```
Cisco_83:42:6e IntelCor_89:51:ca 802.11 268 Probe Response, SN=2868, FN=0, Flags=.
IntelCor_89:51:ca Broadcast 802.11 78 Probe Request, SN=51, FN=0, Flags=....
Cisco_83:42:6e IntelCor_89:51:ca 802.11 268 Probe Response, SN=2869, FN=0, Flags=.
IntelCor_89:51:ca Cisco_83:42:6e 802.11 78 Probe Request, SN=58, FN=0, Flags=....
IntelCor_89:51:ca IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA) 802.11 14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e IntelCor_89:51:ca 802.11 268 Probe Response, SN=2870, FN=0, Flags=.
IntelCor_89:51:ca Cisco_83:42:6e 802.11 34 Authentication, SN=59, FN=0, Flags=...
IntelCor_89:51:ca IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA) 802.11 14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e IntelCor_89:51:ca 802.11 34 Authentication, SN=395, FN=0, Flags=..
IntelCor_89:51:ca Cisco_83:42:6e 802.11 161 Association Request, SN=60, FN=0, Flag
IntelCor_89:51:ca IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA) 802.11 14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e IntelCor_89:51:ca 802.11 180 Association Response, SN=396, FN=0, Fl
Cisco_83:42:6e IntelCor_89:51:ca EAP 117 Request, Identity
IntelCor_89:51:ca Cisco_83:42:6e EAPOL 43 Start
IntelCor_89:51:ca IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA) 802.11 14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e IntelCor_89:51:ca EAP 117 Request, Identity
```

Layer 2 Authentication

EAP Timers

- `show run all | i wireless security dot1x`

```
wireless security dot1x eapol-key retries 2
wireless security dot1x eapol-key timeout 1000
wireless security dot1x group-key interval 3600

wireless security dot1x identity-request retries 2
wireless security dot1x identity-request timeout 30
wireless security dot1x request retries 2
wireless security dot1x request timeout 30
```

- Trace output

```
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [001a.7035.84d6, Ca2] Override cfg
- SuppTimeout 30s, ReAuthMax 2 MaxReq 2, TxPeriod 30s
```

Layer 2 Authentication

L2_AUTH

802.1x Auth Fail – Reject From AAA

```
0021.6a89.51ca Association received from mobile on AP c8f9.f983.4260
0021.6a89.51ca Change state to AUTHCHECK (2) last state START (0)
0021.6a89.51ca Change state to 8021X_REQD (3) last state AUTHCHECK (2)
0021.6a89.51ca Session Manager Call Client 5bc3800000003b, uid 41, capwap id
4cd14000000012, Flag 4, Audit-Session ID 0a6987b252838f4b00000029, method list ACS
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] 0xD100017:entering request state
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Sending EAPOL packet
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Received 802.11 EAPOL message (len 5) from mobile
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Received EAPOL-Start from mobile
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-DEB: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Posting AUTH_ABORT for 0xD100017
ACCESS-METHOD-DOT1X-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Received an EAP Fail
ACCESS-CORE-SM-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca3] Authc failure from Dot1X (1), status Cred
Fail (1) / event fail (1)
```

- Incorrect credentials?
- User not found?
- Max sessions?
- Incorrect EAP method?



AAA Server Logs

Wireless PCAP

IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAPOL	43 Start
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	117 Request, Identity
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAP	50 Response, Identity
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Request, TLS EAP (EAP-TLS)
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAP	48 Response, Legacy Nak (Response Only)
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Request, Protected EAP (EAP-PEAP)
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	154 Client Hello
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	543 Server Hello, Certificate, Server H
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	186 Client Key Exchange, Change Cipher :
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	107 Change Cipher Spec, Encrypted Handsh
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	EAP	48 Response, Protected EAP (EAP-PEAP)
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	85 Application Data
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	85 Application Data
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	117 Application Data
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	133 Application Data
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	TLSv1	85 Application Data
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6e	TLSv1	85 Application Data
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6e	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAP	84 Failure

Layer 2 Authentication

802.1x Auth Fail – AAA Override

```
[12/23/13 17:30:49.480 UTC a 8531] 0023.6907.e218 misconfiguration: client vlan not
enable, therefore blacklist the client
[12/23/13 17:30:49.480 UTC b 8531] 0023.6907.e218 apfBlacklistMobileStationEntry2
(apf_ms.c:6241) Changing state for mobile 0023.6907.e218 on AP 0026.cbd2.6750 from
Idle to Exclusion-list (1)
[12/23/13 17:30:49.480 UTC c 8531] 0023.6907.e218 Reason code 0, Preset 1, AAA cause 1
[12/23/13 17:30:49.480 UTC d 8531] 0023.6907.e218 Scheduling deletion of Mobile Station:
(callerId: 44) in 10 seconds
[12/23/13 17:30:49.480 UTC e 8531] 0023.6907.e218 client is added to the exclusion list,
reason 6
```

- Incorrect VLAN pushed by AAA?
- VLAN not defined or disabled locally?

Layer 2 Authentication

EAPOL Key Exchange

```
[05/15/13 16:21:45.430 CST 36e7 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB Starting key exchange with mobile -  
data forwarding is disabled  
[05/15/13 16:21:45.430 CST 36e8 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB 1XA: Sending EAPOL message to  
mobile, WLAN=1 AP WLAN=1  
~cut~  
[05/15/13 16:21:45.443 CST 36eb 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB 1XK: Received EAPOL-key in  
PTK_START state (msg 2) from mobile  
[05/15/13 16:21:45.443 CST 36ec 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB 1XK: Stopping retransmission timer  
[05/15/13 16:21:45.443 CST 36ed 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB 1XA: Sending EAPOL message to  
mobile, WLAN=1 AP WLAN=1  
~cut~  
[05/15/13 16:21:45.461 CST 36f0 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB 1XK: Received EAPOL-key in  
PTKINITNEGOTIATING state (msg 4) from mobile  
[05/15/13 16:21:45.461 CST 36f1 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB 1XK: Set Link Secure: 1  
[05/15/13 16:21:45.461 CST 36f2 9120] 6896.7B0D.F3BB 1XK: Key exchange complete -  
updating PEM
```

Wireless PCAP

Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	265 Probe Response, SN=2900, FN=0, Flags
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	802.11	75 Probe Request, SN=295, FN=0, Flags=.
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	265 Probe Response, SN=2901, FN=0, Flags
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	802.11	34 Authentication, SN=296, FN=0, Flags=
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	34 Authentication, SN=2200, FN=0, Flags
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	802.11	158 Association Request, SN=297, FN=0, F
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	180 Association Response, SN=2201, FN=0,
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAPOL	159 Key (Message 1 of 4)
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	EAPOL	161 Key (Message 2 of 4)
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAPOL	193 Key (Message 3 of 4)
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	EAPOL	137 Key (Message 4 of 4)
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....

Layer 2 Authentication

L2_AUTH

EAPOL Key Exchange – Wrong PSK

```
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Using PSK
0021.6a89.51ca 1XK: Creating a PKC PMKID Cache entry (RSN 1)
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Initiating RSN PSK
0021.6a89.51ca Starting key exchange with mobile - data forwarding is disabled
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Sending EAPOL message to mobile, WLAN=1 AP WLAN=1
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Received EAPOL-Key from mobile
0021.6a89.51ca 1XK: Received EAPOL-key in PTK_START state (msg 2) from mobile
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: 'key-response' timer expired
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Retransmit 1 of EAPOL-Key M1 (length 121)
0021.6a89.51ca Client authentication failed because the client did not respond to an
EAPOL-key message.SessionID().KeyMsg(1)
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Sending death msg, Reason Code = 15
0021.6a89.51ca Sent Deauthenticate to mobile with death reason code 15 on BSSID
1caa.076f.9e10 slot 1 (caller dot1xapi_api.c:1576)
0021.6a89.51ca 1XA: Cleaning up dot1x
```

Wireless PCAP

IntelCor_89:51:ca	Broadcast	802.11	75 Probe Request, SN=837, FN=0, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	265 Probe Response, SN=2948, FN=0, Flags=....R..
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	802.11	75 Probe Request, SN=850, FN=0, Flags=.....
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	265 Probe Response, SN=2949, FN=0, Flags=....R..
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	802.11	34 Authentication, SN=851, FN=0, Flags=.....
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	802.11	158 Association Request, SN=852, FN=0, Flags=...
	IntelCor_89:51:ca (RA)	802.11	14 Acknowledgement, Flags=.....
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	180 Association Response, SN=3719, FN=0, Flags=.
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAPOL	159 Key (Message 1 of 4)
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	EAPOL	161 Key (Message 2 of 4)
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	EAPOL	159 Key (Message 1 of 4)
IntelCor_89:51:ca	Cisco_83:42:6f	EAPOL	161 Key (Message 2 of 4)
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	30 Deauthentication, SN=3844, FN=0,
Cisco_83:42:6f	IntelCor_89:51:ca	802.11	30 Deauthentication, SN=3844, FN=0,

Client Flow

The Route Toward the RUN State!



IP Address Learning

- IP learning via IOSd modules

- ARP

```
0023.6907.e218 WCDB_IP_BIND: w/ IPv4 192.168.40.108  
ip_learn_type ARP add_delete 1,options_length 0
```

- DHCP

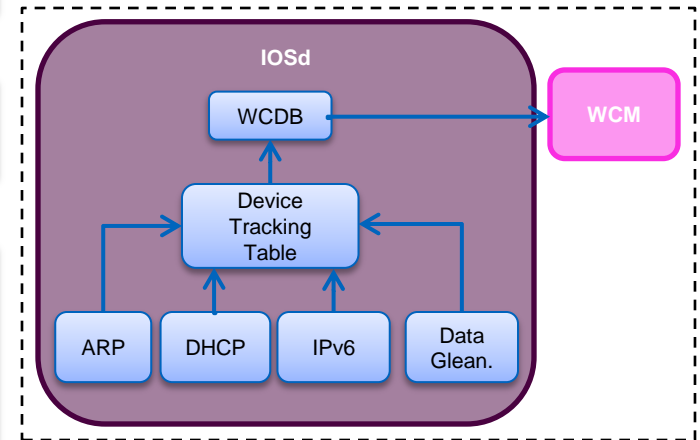
```
0023.6907.e218 WCDB_IP_BIND: w/ IPv4 192.168.40.108  
ip_learn_type DHCP add_delete 1,options_length 0
```

- IPv6 NDP

```
0023.6907.e218 WCDB_CHANGE: auth=RUN(4) vlan 40  
radio 0 client_id 0xe5cd800000068a  
mobility=Local(1) src_int 0xfbb30000000671 dst_int  
0x0 ackflag 2 reassoc_client 0 llm_notif 0 ip  
0.0.0.0 ip_learn_type IPV6_NDP
```

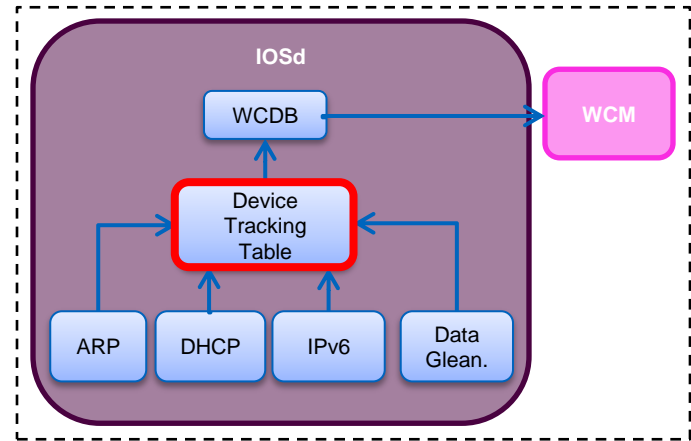
- Data Gleaning (1st IP packet)

- If roaming, IP info exchanged via mobility



IP Address Learning

- IP Device Tracking Table (IPDT)
 - Enabled by default on 3.2.0 and above
 - Usage: Dynamic ACL / Inventory



- Verify IP Device Tracking Table

```
3850-2#show ip device tracking all
Global IP Device Tracking for clients = Enabled
Global IP Device Tracking Probe Count = 3
Global IP Device Tracking Probe Interval = 30
Global IP Device Tracking Probe Delay Interval = 0
```

IP Address	MAC Address	Vlan	Interface	Probe-Timeout	State	Source
192.168.40.108	0023.6907.e218	40	Capwap3	30	ACTIVE	DHCP

IP Address Learning

Show Client Status

LEARN_IP

■ WCM

```
3850-2#show wireless client summary
Number of Local Clients : 1

MAC Address      AP Name                WLAN State      Protocol
-----
0023.6907.e218  ap1140-sw3850-2-2     2      IPLEARN        11g
```

■ WCDB

```
3850-2#show wcdb database all

Mac Address      VlanId IP Address      Src If                Auth      Mob
-----
0023.6907.e218   40 0.0.0.0        0x00C99740000006BC  LEARN_IP  LOCAL
```

DHCP Snooping

Basic Config

- Must enable DHCP snooping if “**DHCP Required**” is set on the WLAN

- Enable **globally**

```
3850a(config)# ip dhcp snooping
```

- Enable on **client VLAN(s)**

```
3850a(config)# ip dhcp snooping vlan X,Y,...
```

- Apply **trust** on the interface(s) to the DHCP server

```
3850(config)#int gigabitEthernet 1/0/22  
3850(config-if)#ip dhcp snooping trust
```

DHCP Snooping

Relay and DHCP Override

- If using an **ip-helper**, need to modify **option 82** behaviour
 - “**no ip dhcp snooping information option**” on the **DHCP snooping** device
 - Or
 - “**ip dhcp relay information trusted**” (per interface) on the **DHCP relay** device
 - “**ip dhcp relay information trust-all**” (global configuration) on the relay device
- Need Layer 3 VLAN interface IP address for WLAN DHCP server override

```
3850a(config-wlan)# ip dhcp server ?  
A.B.C.D Enter the override DHCP server's IP Address
```

DHCP Snooping

Traces and Debugs

Traces

- set trace dhcp filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- set trace dhcp level debug

Debugs

- debug client mac-address xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- debug ip dhcp snooping events,packet
- debug ip dhcp server events, packet
- debug wcdb error
- debug wcdb event
- debug ip device tracking

Viewing Client DHCP Handshake

Trace

```
dhcp pkt processing routine is called for pak with SMAC = 0021.6a89.51ca and SRC_ADDR = 0.0.0.0
sending dhcp packet outafter processing with SMAC = 0021.6a89.51ca and SRC_ADDR = 0.0.0.0
DHCPD: Got overriding information from client db
DHCPD: Reload workspace interface Vlan30 tableid 0.
DHCPD: tableid for 0.0.0.0 on Vlan30 is 0
DHCPD: DHCPREQUEST received from client 0100.216a.8951.ca.
DHCPD: address 30.30.30.2 mask 255.255.255.0
DHCPD: Sending DHCPACK to client 0100.216a.8951.ca (30.30.30.2).
DHCPD: no option 125
0021.6a89.51ca MS got the IP, resetting the Reassociation Count 0 for client
[WCDB] wcdb_ffcp_cb: client (0021.6a89.51ca) client (0x724680000005ae): FFCP operation (UPDATE)
return code (0)
dhcp pkt processing routine is called for pak with SMAC = 0021.6a89.51ca and SRC_ADDR =
30.30.30.2
sending dhcp packet outafter processing with SMAC = 0021.6a89.51ca and SRC_ADDR = 30.30.30.2
DHCPD: Got overriding information from client db
DHCPD: Reload workspace interface Vlan30 tableid 0.
DHCPD: tableid for 0.0.0.0 on Vlan30 is 0
DHCPD: DHCPINFORM received from client 0100.216a.8951.ca (30.30.30.2).
DHCPD: Sending DHCPACK to client 0100.216a.8951.ca (30.30.30.2).
```


Wireless PCAP

IntelCor_89:51:ca	Broadcast	ARP	66 who has 30.30.30.251? Tell 30.30.30.15
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
0.0.0.0	255.255.255.255	DHCP	370 DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0xae9dacba
0.0.0.0	255.255.255.255	DHCP	370 DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0xae9dacba
30.30.30.1	30.30.30.15	DHCP	372 DHCP ACK - Transaction ID 0xae9dacba

DHCP Snooping

Not Getting an IP Address

```
0021.6a89.51ca Adding mobile on LWAPP AP 1caa.076f.9e10 (1)
0021.6a89.51ca Association received from mobile on AP 1caa.076f.9e10
0021.6a89.51ca WCDB_ADD: ssid Webauth bssid c8f9.f983.4260 vlan 12 auth=ASSOCIATION(0)
0021.6a89.51ca Change state to L2AUTHCOMPLETE (4) last state AUTHCHECK (2)
  0021.6a89.51ca Change state to DHCP_REQD (7) last state L2AUTHCOMPLETE (4)
  dhcp pkt processing routine is called for pak with SMAC = 0021.6a89.51ca and SRC_ADDR =
  0.0.0.0
DHCPD: Sending notification of DISCOVER:
  DHCPD: DHCPDISCOVER received from client 0100.216a.8951.ca on interface Vlan12.
  DHCPD: there is no address pool for 10.105.135.178.
dhcp pkt processing routine is called for pak with SMAC = 0021.6a89.51ca and SRC_ADDR =
0.0.0.0
```

IPv6 Snooping

Basic Config

- Enable IPv6 unicast-routing

```
5760-1 (config)#ipv6 unicast-routing
```

- Enable IPv6 snooping on the VLAN

```
5760-1 (config)#vlan configuration 40  
5760-1 (config-vlan-config)#ipv6 snooping
```

- Configure RA guard policy

```
5760-1 (config)#ipv6 nd raguard policy raguard-router  
5760-1 (config-nd-raguard)#trusted-port  
5760-1 (config-nd-raguard)#device-role router
```

Required on
5760

- Apply the RA guard policy to the uplink

```
5760-1 (config)#interface Te1/0/1  
5760-1 (config-if)#ipv6 nd raguard attach-policy raguard-router
```

IPv6 Snooping

Show Client Details

```
3850-2# show wireless client mac-address 0023.6907.e218 detail
```

```
Client MAC Address : 0023.6907.e218
```

```
Client Username : user
```

```
AP MAC Address : 0026.cbd2.6750
```

```
AP Name: ap1140-sw3850-2-2
```

```
AP slot : 0
```

```
Client State : Associated
```

```
Wireless LAN Id : 2
```

```
Wireless LAN Name: ciscolive
```

```
BSSID : 0026.cbd2.6751
```

```
~
```

```
IPv4 Address : Unknown
```

```
IPv6 Address : 2001:40:0:1:223:69ff:fe07:e218
```

```
                2001:40:0:1:8879:8efc:3968:c4e
```

```
                fe80::223:69ff:fe07:e218
```

IPv6 Snooping

Traces and Debugs

Traces

- set trace ipv6-snooping filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- set trace ipv6-snooping ndp-inspection level debug
- set trace ipv6-snooping rguard level debug
- set trace ipv6-snooping errors level debug

Debugs

- debug ipv6 snooping
- debug wcdb ipv6
- debug mobility ipv6 events
- debug mobility ipv6 events
- debug client mac-address xxxx.xxxx.xxxx

Client Flow

The Route Toward the RUN State!



Web Authentication

Basic Config

```

ip http server
ip http authentication local
ip http secure-server
!
parameter-map type webauth global
  type webauth
  virtual-ip ipv4 192.0.2.1
!
parameter-map type webauth ciscolive-webauth
  type webauth | consent | both

```

HTTPS
redirect + login

HTTP server

Global Parameter Map

Named Param Map

AAA

Named Map → WLAN

- Local Web-Auth (LWA)
 - Web-Auth vs. Consent
 - Local users vs. RADIUS
 - Custom pages
- Central Web-Auth (CWA)
 - External pages
 - ISE

Web Authentication

Basic Config – Central Web Authentication with ISE

Some key differences as compared to normal RADIUS scenario:

- MAC authentication
- RFC 3576 support (CoA)
- Redirect ACL (different than CUWN)
 - redirects all **ALLOWED** traffic to ISE

Web Authentication

Captive Portal Bypass

- Apple feature to detect a captive portal (“Captive Network Assistant”)
- Blank page shown if using **self-signed SSL** certificate on the WLC for Web-Auth
 - When the CNA browser is closed the device disconnects, hence Web-Auth cannot be completed
- Force to use full feature browser instead of CNA, using captive portal bypass on WLC:

```
3850-1 (config)# captive-portal-bypass
```

- iOS 7 support as of IOS-XE 3.2.3

Web Authentication

Show Client Status

■ WCM

```
3850-2#show wireless client summary
```

```
Number of Local Clients : 1
```

MAC Address	AP Name	WLAN	State	Protocol
0023.6907.e218	ap1140-sw3850-2-2	1	WEBAUTH_PEND	11g

■ WCDB

```
3850-2#show wcdb database all
```

Mac Address	VlanId	IP Address	Src If	Auth	Mob
0023.6907.e218	153	192.168.153.2	0x00C99740000006BC	L3_AUTH	LOCAL

Web Authentication

Traces and Debugs

Traces

- set trace group-wireless-client level debug
set trace group-wireless-client filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- set trace dhcp level debug
set trace dhcp filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- set trace access-session level debug
set trace access-session filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- set trace mobility handoff level debug
set trace mobility handoff filter mac xxxx.xxxx.xxxx

Roam / Guest anchor

Debugs

- debug client mac-address xxxx.xxxx.xxxx
- debug ip http all
- debug ip admission all
- debug access-session all
- debug ip tcp socket error
- debug ip http url

Captive bypass

Web Authentication

Successful Auth

```
0021.6a89.51ca Association received from mobile on AP 1caa.076f.9e10
0021.6a89.51ca Change state to L2AUTHCOMPLETE (4) last state AUTHCHECK (2)
0021.6a89.51ca WEBAUTH: Using method list local_webauth
[WCDB] ==Update event: client (0021.6a89.51ca) client id:(0x5e200000000026) vlan (30->30) global_wlan (9->9) auth_state (L2_AUTH_DONE->LEARN_IP) mob_state (INIT->LOCAL)
DHCPD: DHCPREQUEST received from client 0100.216a.8951.ca.
DHCPD: address 30.30.30.4 mask 255.255.255.0
DHCPD: creating ARP entry (30.30.30.4, 0021.6a89.51ca).
ACCESS-CORE-SM-NOTF: [0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] Authc success from WebAuth (3), status OK (0)
/ event success (0)
[0021.6a89.51ca, Ca2] Queued AUTHC SUCCESS from WebAuth for session 0x43000017
(0021.6a89.51ca)
0021.6a89.51ca WEBAUTH: IOS Auth Event - Authentication Success!
0021.6a89.51ca Change state to WEBAUTH_NOL3SEC (14) last state WEBAUTH_REQD (8)
0021.6a89.51ca Change state to AUTHZ_WAIT (19) last state WEBAUTH_NOL3SEC (14)
0021.6a89.51ca Client in AUTHZ_WAIT state, advance to RUN
```

Wireless PCAP

IntelCor_89:51:ca	Broadcast	ARP	66 who has 30.30.30.251? Tell 30.30.30.15
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
Cisco_fc:96:a8	IntelCor_89:51:ca	ARP	84 30.30.30.251 is at f0:f7:55:fc:96:a8
0.0.0.0	255.255.255.255	DHCP	370 DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0xae9dacba
0.0.0.0	255.255.255.255	DHCP	370 DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0xae9dacba
30.30.30.1	30.30.30.15	DHCP	372 DHCP ACK - Transaction ID 0xae9dacba
30.30.30.15	20.20.20.251	DNS	100 Standard query 0x716e
20.20.20.251	30.30.30.15	DNS	114 standard query response 0xd1a0 A 55.55.55.55
55.55.55.55	30.30.30.15	TCP	477 http > 64385 [FIN, RST, PSH, ACK, CWR, NS,
30.30.30.15	192.168.200.1	TCP	78 64391 > https [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64240 L

- ⊕ Frame 7606: 78 bytes on wire (624 bits), 78 bytes captured (624 bits)
- ⊕ 802.11 radio information
- ⊕ IEEE 802.11 QoS Data, Flags:T.
- ⊕ Logical-Link Control
- ⊖ Internet Protocol Version 4, src: 30.30.30.15 (30.30.30.15), dst: 192.168.200.1 (192.168.200.1)
 - Version: 4
 - Header length: 20 bytes

Web Authentication

Typical Issues

- No redirect to login page
- Unable to submit login page
- Logout pop-up
- Success redirect

Web Authentication

No Redirect to Login Page

- DNS resolution
 - Check DHCP pool
 - Check client config
- Incorrect Pre-auth ACL
 - Allowed traffic doesn't trigger a redirect
- Max connections (per client / global)

Test: point the browser to an IP addr: `http://1.2.3.4/`

Web Authentication

No Redirect to Login Page

■ Max HTTP connections

```
%AP-1-AUTH_PROXY_HTTP_CONNS_EXCEEDED: IP-address 192.168.153.9 has exceeded the max HTTP connections | AuditSessionID c0a8971552c68f9c00000033
```

■ Example of browser errors

No data received

Unable to load the webpage because the server sent no data.

Here are some suggestions:

- [Reload](#) this webpage later.

Error 324 (net::ERR_EMPTY_RESPONSE): The server closed the connection without sending any data.



Internet Explorer cannot display the webpage

What you can try:

[Diagnose Connection Problems](#)

[More information](#)

Web Authentication

No Redirect to Login Page

- Check auth-proxy status

```
c5760-1# show ip admission cache
Authentication Proxy Cache
Total Sessions: 2 Init Sessions: 1
  Client MAC 001a.7035.84d6 Client IP 192.168.153.9 IPv6 ::, State INIT, Method Webauth
  Client MAC 0023.6907.e218 Client IP 192.168.153.2 IPv6 ::, State AUTHZ, Method Webauth
```

- To modify the allowed max HTTP connections

```
parameter-map type webauth global | <named>
  max-http-conns <1-200>
```

Default: 20

Named takes precedence over global

Web Authentication

Unable to Submit Login Page

- Incorrect login page path
 - All pages (**login**, **success**, **failure**, **expired**) must be provided
 - Custom pages:

```
c5760-1(config)# parameter-map type webauth ciscolive-webauth
custom-page login device flash:login.html
custom-page login expired device flash:loginexpired.html
custom-page failure device flash:loginfail.html
custom-page success device flash:loginsuccess.html
```

- External pages

```
c5760-1(config-params-parameter-map)# redirect ?
for-login    Redirect for login
on-failure   Redirect On-Failure
on-success   Redirect On-Success
portal       External Portal
```

- Code errors in customised/external login page

Client Flow

The Route Toward the RUN State!



Run!

Show Client Status

RUN

■ WCM

```
3850-2#show wireless client summary
```

```
Number of Local Clients : 1
```

MAC Address	AP Name	WLAN	State	Protocol
0023.6907.e218	ap1140-sw3850-2-2	2	UP	11g

■ WCDB

```
3850-2#show wcdb database all
```

Mac Address	VlanId	IP Address	Src If	Auth	Mob
0023.6907.e218	153	192.168.153.2	0x00C99740000006BC	RUN	LOCAL

Traffic Forwarding Path

First Association – Mobility state: Local

RUN

```
c5760-1#show wcdb database 6c20.568c.dade
mac:                6c20.568c.dade
ssid:               ciscolive
client_type:        Regular Wireless
client_id:          0x00A0AC00000000C1
client_index:       129
user_id:            vlan40
src_interface:      0x00B01DC000000032
dst_interface:      0x0000000000000000
bssid:              04da.d24f.f1e0
radio_id:           0
wlan_id:            2
global_wlan_id:     2
assoc_id:           3
vlan_id:            40
mcast_vlan_id:     153
mobility_state:     LOCAL
auth_state:         RUN
auth_state_wcm:     RUN
```

```
c5760-1#show capwap detail
```

Name	APName	Type
PhyPortIf	Mode	McastIf

Ca2	ap2600-sw3850-3-11	data

Name	SrcIP	SrcPort	DestIP
Ca2	192.168.151.21	5247	192.168.30.132
7412	No	1449	0

Name	IfId	McastRef
Ca2	0x00B01DC000000032	0

The diagram illustrates the traffic forwarding path. A blue line starts from the `src_interface: 0x00B01DC000000032` in the first output, goes down to the `mobility_state: LOCAL` line, then continues down to the `Ca2` entry in the second table. From there, it goes down to the `Ca2` entry in the third table, and finally down to the `Ca2` entry in the fourth table.

Traffic Forwarding Path

Handoff – Sticky Anchoring - Mobility State: Anchor

RUN

```
c5760-1#show wcdb database 6c20.568c.dade
mac:                6c20.568c.dade
ssid:               ciscolive
client_type:        Regular Wireless
client_id:          0x00A0AC00000000C1
client_index:       129
user_id:            vlan40
src_interface:      0x0092780000000030
dst_interface:      0x0000000000000000
bssid:              0000.0000.0000
radio_id:           0
wlan_id:            2
global_wlan_id:     2
assoc_id:           3
vlan_id:            40
mcast_vlan_id:     153
mobility_state:     ANCHOR
auth_state:         RUN
auth_state_wcm:     RUN
```

```
c5760-1#show capwap detail
```

Name	APName	Mode	McastIf	Type
Ca1	-	-	-	mob

unicast				

Name	SrcIP	SrcPort	DestIP	
DstPort	DtlsEn	MTU	Xact	

Ca1	192.168.151.21	16667	192.168.151.12	
16667	No	1464	1	

Name	IfId	McastRef		

Ca1	0x0092780000000030	0		

The diagram illustrates the traffic forwarding path. A blue line starts from the `src_interface: 0x0092780000000030` in the left panel, points to the `Ca1` entry in the `show capwap detail` output, and then points to the `Ca1` entry in the unicast table. This indicates that traffic is being forwarded from the source interface to the mobility state (ANCHOR) and then to the unicast table.

Traffic Forwarding Path

Handoff – Sticky Anchoring - Mobility State: Foreign

```
3850-2#show wcdb database 6c20.568c.dade
mac:                6c20.568c.dade
ssid:               ciscolive
client_type:        Regular Wireless
client_id:           0x00CF9B0000000707
client_index:        95
user_id:             vlan40
src_interface:       0x00C99740000006BC
dst_interface:       0x00F2ED80000006A9
bssid:              0026.cbd2.6750
radio_id:            0
wlan_id:             2
global_wlan_id:     2
assoc_id:            1
vlan_id:             40
mcast_vlan_id:      153
mobility_state:     FOREIGN
auth_state:          RUN
auth_state_wcm:     RUN
```

```
3850-2#show capwap detail
```

Name	APName	Type
Ca0	-	mob
Ca3	ap1140-sw3850-2-2	data

Name	SrcIP	SrcPort	DestIP
Ca0	192.168.151.12	16667	192.168.151.21
Ca3	192.168.151.12	5247	192.168.151.16

Name	IfId	McastRef
Ca0	0x00F2ED80000006A9	0
Ca3	0x00C99740000006BC	0

When Traces Aren't Enough

Wireshark Support

- **Version 3.3** introduced the ability to capture traffic on a switch port and store it in a buffer:
 - Remote packet capture capability
 - Traffic can be uploaded off of flash and decoded in Wireshark!

```
c5760-1# monitor capture mycap interface Te1/0/1 both
c5760-1# monitor capture mycap match ipv4 any any
c5760-1# monitor capture mycap file location flash:<filename> buffer-size <MB>
c5760-1# monitor capture mycap limit packets 100
```

```
c5760-1# show monitor capture mycap
```

```
c5760-1# monitor capture mycap start
```

Interface/IF range,
NO Port-channel

Match statement

Location: flash or usb
on the active device

optional

Verify capture settings

Start the capture!

When Traces Aren't Enough


Wireless Capture

- Many times, traces/debugs will indicate the point of failure, but the root cause requires a wireless packet capture
- Mac OS X 10.6 and above
- Windows 7 with Netmon 3.4
- Omnippeek
- AP in Sniffer Mode
- For more information, see this supportforum article:
 - <https://supportforums.cisco.com/docs/DOC-24502>

Radio Resource Management


- AP specific RRM metrics – only on the MA

```
3850# show ap dot11 24ghz channel
Automatic Channel Assignment
Channel Assignment Mode      : AUTO
Channel Update Interval     : 600 seconds
Anchor time (Hour of the day) : 0
Channel Update Contribution  : SN...
Channel Assignment Leader    : 5760 (10.10.21.3)
DCA Sensitivity Level       : MEDIUM (10 dB)
Channel Energy Levels
  Minimum                   : -82
  Average                   : -82
  Maximum                   : -82
Channel Dwell Times
  Minimum                   : 4 hours 0 minutes
  Average                   : 4 hours 0 minutes
  Maximum                   : 4 hours 0 minutes
802.11b Auto-RF Channel List
802.11b Auto-RF Allowed Channel List: 1,6,11
Auto-RF Unused Channel List  : 2,3,4,5,7,8,9,10
```



- RRM RF Group functions either MA or MC
only devices having local APs will show stats:

```
5760# show ap dot11 24ghz channel
Automatic Channel Assignment
Channel Assignment Mode      : AUTO
Channel Update Interval     : 600 seconds
Anchor time (Hour of the day) : 0
Channel Update Contribution  : SN...
Channel Assignment Leader    : 5760 (10.10.21.3)
Last Run                    : 21 seconds ago
DCA Sensitivity Level       : MEDIUM (10 dB)
Channel Energy Levels
  Minimum                   : unknown
  Average                   : unknown
  Maximum                   : unknown
Channel Dwell Times
  Minimum                   : unknown
  Average                   : unknown
  Maximum                   : unknown
802.11b Auto-RF Channel List
802.11b Auto-RF Allowed Channel List : 1,6,11
Auto-RF Unused Channel List  : 2,3,4,5,7,8,9,10
```



Radio Resource Management

Traces and Debugs

Traces

- set trace rrm channel level debug
- set trace rrm power level debug
- set trace rrm group level debug

Debugs

- debug rrm channel
- debug rrm power
- debug rrm group

Radio Resource Management

Country Mismatch on MC/MA

```
[12/30/13 10:52:03.054 UTC 39 8531] Radio Resource Management: Group 802.11a attempting
to join group IP Address 192.168.151.21, ctrl count 1
[12/30/13 10:52:03.054 UTC 3a 8531] Radio Resource Management: Group 802.11bg attempting
to join group IP Address 192.168.151.21, ctrl count 1
[12/30/13 10:52:03.068 UTC 3b 8531] Radio Resource Management: Group received join
failure from 802.11a 00.00.00.00.00.00( 0) (192.168.151.21) for reason Non matching
country code
[12/30/13 10:52:03.068 UTC 3c 8531] Radio Resource Management: Group received join
failure from 802.11bg 00.00.00.00.00.00( 0) (192.168.151.21) for reason Non matching
country code
[12/30/13 10:52:03.068 UTC 3d 8531] Radio Resource Management: Group validated join
failure from 802.11a 00.00.00.00.00.00( 0) for reason Non matching country code
[12/30/13 10:52:03.068 UTC 3e 8531] Radio Resource Management: Group validated join
failure from 802.11bg 00.00.00.00.00.00( 0) for reason Non matching country code
```

- The country code config must match on all WLCs

Useful Commands

- **show tech-support wireless**

To be provided when opening a TAC Case, equivalent to a “show run-config” from CUWN

- **show run all | section <>**

Useful for viewing default settings

Recommended to use with output modifier

- **show wireless client summary**

Shows all clients connected on the current MA/MC, it will list the AP name and frequency, or the IP address of the anchor location

- **show wcdb database all**

This will output all of the clients, along with the VLAN, IP address, and mobility state



Common Issues

Bugs to Watch Out For

- CSCue76684 – 3850 switch or 5760 controller fails boot after configuration is saved
 - Fixed in 3.2(1)SE
- Copying & pasting multiple commands through SSH can cause character drops, rendering some of the commands ineffective
 - This does not occur when connecting via Telnet
 - Workaround is to add leading spaces to your commands so that the spaces are dropped and the commands are entered properly

Key Takeaways

- Understand the CA components and client flow
- Understand the mobility hierarchy and design your network accordingly for proper roaming behaviour
- Watch out for the simple stuff!
 - Mobility Config
 - Licensing
 - AP Join
 - DHCP Snooping
- We can use a combination of show commands, debugs and traces to collect information
- Always collect “show tech wireless” for TAC Cases



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