

Configure ISE 2.0 3rd Party Integration with Aruba Wireless

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Introduction

This document describes how to troubleshoot 3rd Party Integration feature on Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE).

Note: Be aware that Cisco is not responsible for configuration or support of devices from other vendors.

Prerequisites

Requirements

Cisco recommends that you have knowledge of these topics:

- Aruba IAP configuration
- BYOD flows on ISE
- ISE configuration for password and certificate authentication

Components Used

This document describes how to troubleshoot 3rd Party Integration feature on Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE).

It can be used as a guide for integration with other vendors and flows. ISE version 2.0 supports 3rd Party Integration.

This is a configuration example that presents how to integrate wireless network managed by Aruba IAP 204 with ISE for Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) services.

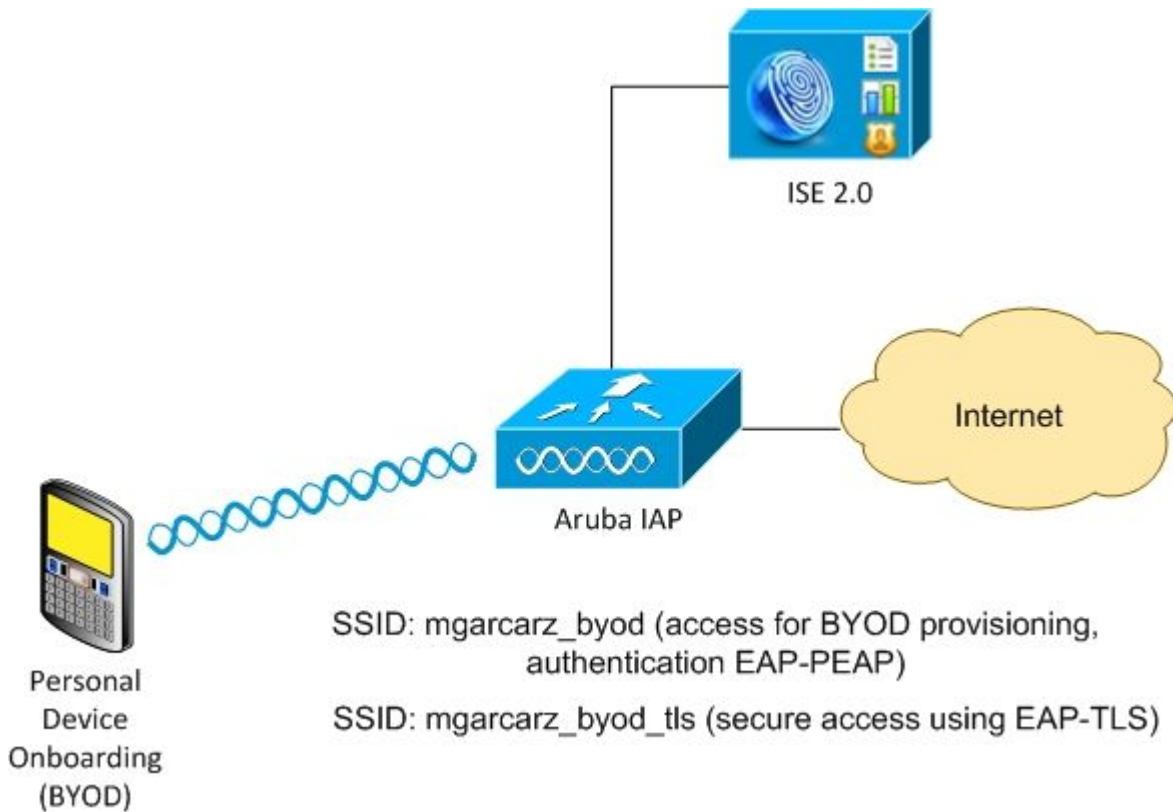
The information in this document is based on these software versions:

- Aruba IAP 204 software 6.4.2.3
- Cisco ISE, Release 2.0 and later

The information in this document was created from the devices in a specific lab environment. All of the devices used in this document started with a cleared (default) configuration. If your network is live, ensure that you understand the potential impact of any command.

Configure

Network Diagram



There are two wireless networks managed by Aruba AP.

The first one (mgarcarz_byod) is used for 802.1x Extensible Authentication Protocol-Protected EAP (EAP-PEAP) access.

After a successful authentication, Aruba controller must redirect user to ISE BYOD portal - Native Supplicant Provisioning (NSP) flow.

User is redirected, Network Setup Assistant (NSA) application is executed and certificate is provisioned and installed on Windows client.

ISE internal CA is used for that process (default configuration).

NSA is also responsible for creation of wireless profile for the second Service Set Identifier (SSID) managed by Aruba (mgarcarz_byod_tls) - that one is used for 802.1x Extensible Authentication Protocol-Transport Layer Security (EAP-TLS) authentication.

As a result, corporate user is able to perform onboarding of personal device and get secure access into corporate network.

This example can be easily modified for different types of access, for example:

- Central Web Authentication (CWA) with BYOD service
- 802.1x authentication with Posture and BYOD redirection
- Typically, for EAP-PEAP authentication Active Directory is used (to keep this article short internal ISE users are used)
- Typically, for Certificate Provisioning external Simple Certificate Enrollment Protocol (SCEP) server is used, commonly Microsoft Network Device Enrollment Service (NDES) in order to keep this article short, internal ISE CA is used.

Challenges with 3rd Party Support

There are the challenges when you use ISE Guest flows (like BYOD, CWA, NSP, Client Provisioning Portal (CPP)) with 3rd party devices.

Sessions

Cisco Network Access Devices (NAD) uses Radius cisco-av-pair called audit-session-id in order to inform Authentication, Authorization, and Accounting (AAA) server about session ID.

That value is used by ISE in order to track the sessions and provide the correct services for each flow. Other vendors do not support cisco-av pair.

ISE has to rely on IETF attributes received in Access-Request and Accounting Request.

After you receive Access-Request, ISE builds synthesized Cisco Session ID (from Calling-Station-ID, NAS-Port, NAS-IP-Address and shared secret). That value has a local significance only (not sent via network).

As a result, it's expected from every flow (BYOD, CWA, NSP, CPP) to attach correct attributes - so ISE is able to recalculate Cisco Session ID and perform a lookup in order to correlate it with the correct session and continue the flow.

URL Redirect

ISE uses Radius cisco-av-pair called url-redirect and url-redirect-acl in order to inform NAD that specific traffic must be redirected.

Other vendors do not support cisco-av pair. So typically, those devices must be configured with static redirection URL which points to specific service (Authorization Profile) on ISE.

Once the user initiates HTTP session, those NADs redirect to the URL and also attach additional arguments (like IP address or MAC address) in order to allow ISE identify specific session and continue the flow.

CoA

ISE uses Radius cisco-av-pair called subscriber:command, subscriber:reauthenticate-type in order to indicate what actions must NAD take for a specific session.

Other vendors do not support cisco-av pair. So typically, those devices use RFC CoA (3576 or 5176) and one of the two defined messages:

- disconnect request (called also packet of disconnect) - that one is used to disconnect the session (very often to force reconnection)
- CoA push - that one is used to change session status transparently without disconnection (for example VPN session and new ACL applied)

ISE supports both Cisco CoA with cisco-av-pair and also both RFC CoA 3576/5176.

Solution on ISE

In order to support 3rd party vendors, ISE 2.0 introduced a concept of Network Device Profiles which describes how specific vendor behaves - how Sessions, URL Redirect and CoA is supported.

Authorization Profiles are of specific type (Network Device Profile) and once the authentication occurs ISE behavior is derived from that profile.

As a result, devices from other vendors can be managed easily by ISE. Also configuration on ISE is flexible and allows to tune or create new Network Device Profiles.

This article presents the usage of default profile for Aruba device.

More information on the feature:

[Network Access Device Profiles with Cisco Identity Services Engine](#)

Cisco ISE

Step 1. Add Aruba Wireless Controller to Network Devices

Navigate to **Administration > Network Resources > Network Devices**. Choose correct Device Profile for selected vendor, in this case: **ArubaWireless**. Ensure to configure **Shared Secret** and **CoA port** as shown in the images.

Network Devices

* Name

Description

* IP Address: /

* Device Profile

Model Name

Software Version

* Network Device Group

Location

Device Type



▼ RADIUS Authentication Settings

Enable Authentication Settings

Protocol **RADIUS**

* Shared Secret

Enable KeyWrap

* Key Encryption Key

* Message Authenticator Code Key

Key Input Format ASCII HEXADECIMAL

CoA Port

In case, there is no available profile for the desired vendor, it can be configured under **Administration > Network Resources > Network Device Profiles**.

Step 2. Configure Authorization Profile

Navigate to **Policy > Policy Elements > Results > Authorization > Authorization Profiles** choose the same **Network Device Profile** as in Step 1. **ArubaWireless**. The profile configured is **Aruba-redirect-BYOD with BYOD Portal** and as shown in the images.

Authorization Profile

* Name

Description

* Access Type

Network Device Profile

Common Tasks

Web Redirection (CWA, MDM, NSP, CPP)

Value

Advanced Attributes Settings

=

Attributes Details

Access Type = ACCESS_ACCEPT

Missing part of the Web Redirection configuration, where static link to Authorization Profile is generated. While Aruba doesn't support dynamic redirection to guest portal, there is one link assigned to each Authorization profile, which is then configured on Aruba and as shown in the image.

Common Tasks

Value

The network device profile selected above requires the following redirect URL to be configured manually on the network access device

https://iseHost:8443/portal/g?p=10lmawmkileZQhapEvIXPAoELx

Step 3. Configure Authorization Rules

Navigate to **Policy > Authorization Rules** and the configuration is as shown in the image.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Basic_Authenticated_Access	if Employee AND (EAP-TLS AND EndPoints:BYODRegistration EQUALS Yes)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ArubaRedirect	if Aruba:Aruba-Essid-Name EQUALS mgarcarz_aruba

First, user connects to SSID mgarcarz_aruba and ISE returns Authorization Profile Aruba-redirect-BYOD which redirects client to default BYOD portal. After the completion of BYOD process, client connects with EAP-TLS and full access to the network is granted.

In the newer versions of ISE the same Policy might look like the following:

The screenshot shows the ISE Policy Elements configuration page. It features a table with columns for Status, Policy Set Name, Description, and Conditions. Below the table, there are sections for Authentication Policy, Authorization Policy - Local Exceptions, Authorization Policy - Global Exceptions, and an expanded Authorization Policy (3) section. The expanded section shows a table with columns for Status, Rule Name, Conditions, Results, and Profiles. The rules listed are: Authorized (with AND conditions: example.com-ExternalGroups EQUALS example.com/Builtin/Administrators, EndPoints-BYODRegistration EQUALS Yes, and Network Access-EapAuthentication EQUALS EAP-TLS), Redirect (with condition: Aruba-Aruba-Essid-Name EQUALS mgarcarz_aruba), and Default.

Status	Policy Set Name	Description	Conditions
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Aruba		Aruba-Aruba-Essid-Name EQUALS mgarcarz_aruba

Status	Rule Name	Conditions	Results	Profiles
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Authorized	AND example.com-ExternalGroups EQUALS example.com/Builtin/Administrators EndPoints-BYODRegistration EQUALS Yes Network Access-EapAuthentication EQUALS EAP-TLS	PermitAccess	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Redirect	Aruba-Aruba-Essid-Name EQUALS mgarcarz_aruba	Aruba_Redirect_BYOD	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Default		DenyAccess	

Aruba AP

Step 1. Captive Portal Configuration

In order to configure Captive Portal on Aruba 204, navigate to **Security > External Captive Portal** and add new one. Enter this information for proper configuration and as shown in the image.

- Type: Radius Authentication
- IP or hostname: ISE server
- URL: link that is created on ISE under Authorization Profile configuration; it is specific to particular Authorization Profile and can be found here under the Web Redirection configuration

Native Supplicant Provisioning ▼

Value BYOD Portal (default) ▼

The network device profile selected above requires the following redirect URL to be configured manually on the network access device:

https://iseHost:8443/portal/g?p=10lmawmklleZQhapEvIXPAoELx

- Port: port number on which selected portal is hosted on ISE (by default: 8443) as shown in the image.

The screenshot shows a configuration window titled 'mgarcarz_ise20'. It contains the following fields and options:

- Type: Radius Authentication ▼
- IP or hostname: mgarcarz-ise20.example.
- URL: /portal/g?p=Kjr7eB7RrrLI
- Port: 8443
- Use https: Enabled ▼
- Captive Portal failure: Deny internet ▼
- Automatic URL Whitelisting: Disabled ▼
- Redirect URL: (optional)

At the bottom right, there are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Step 2. Radius Server Configuration

Navigate to **Security > Authentication Servers** ensure that CoA port is the same as configured on ISE as shown in the image.

By default, on Aruba 204, it is set to 5999, however, that is not compliant with RFC 5176 and it also does not work with ISE.

Security

Authentication Servers Users for Internal Server Roles Blacklisting

Edit

Name:	mgarcarz_ise20	
IP address:	<input type="text" value="10.48.17.235"/>	
Auth port:	<input type="text" value="1812"/>	
Accounting port:	<input type="text" value="1813"/>	
Shared key:	<input type="text" value="*****"/>	
Retype key:	<input type="text" value="*****"/>	
Timeout:	<input type="text" value="5"/>	sec.
Retry count:	<input type="text" value="3"/>	
RFC 3576:	<input type="text" value="Enabled"/>	
Air Group CoA port:	<input type="text" value="3799"/>	
NAS IP address:	<input type="text" value="10.62.148.118"/>	(optional)
NAS identifier:	<input type="text"/>	(optional)
Dead time:	<input type="text" value="5"/>	min.
DRP IP:	<input type="text"/>	
DRP Mask:	<input type="text"/>	
DRP VLAN:	<input type="text"/>	
DRP Gateway:	<input type="text"/>	

Note: In Aruba version 6.5 and newer select also "Captive Portal" checkbox.

Step 3. SSID Configuration

- Security tab is as shown in the image.

Edit mgarcarz_aruba

1 WLAN Settings 2 VLAN 3 Security 4 Access

Security Level

More Secure

Enterprise

Personal

Open

Less Secure

Key management: WPA-2 Enterprise

Termination: Disabled

Authentication server 1: mgarcarz_ise20 [Edit](#)

Authentication server 2: -- Select Server --

Reauth interval: 0 hrs.

Authentication survivability: Disabled

MAC authentication: Perform MAC authentication before 802.1X
 MAC authentication fail-thru

Accounting: Use authentication servers

Accounting interval: 0 min.

Blacklisting: Disabled

Fast Roaming

Opportunistic Key Caching(OKC):

802.11r:

802.11k:

802.11v:

- Access tab: select **Network-based Access Rule** in order to configure captive portal on SSID.

Use captive portal that was configured in Step 1. Click **New**, choose Rule type: **Captive portal**, Splash page type: **External** as shown in the image.

1 WLAN Settings 2 VLAN 3 Security 4 Access

Access Rules

More Control

Role-based

Network-based

Unrestricted

Less Control

Access Rules (3)

- Enforce captive portal
- Allow any to all destinations
- Allow TCP on ports 1-20000 on server 10.48.17.235

Edit Rule Enforce captive portal

Rule type: Captive portal

Splash page type: External

Captive portal profile: mgarcarz_ise20

[Edit](#)

In addition, allow all traffic to ISE server (TCP ports in range 1-20000), while rule configured by default on

Aruba: **Allow any to all destinations** seems to be not working properly as shown in the image.

The screenshot shows the Aruba configuration interface with four tabs: 1 WLAN Settings, 2 VLAN, 3 Security, and 4 Access. The 'Access Rules' section is active, showing a list of three rules: 'Enforce captive portal', 'Allow any to all destinations', and 'Allow TCP on ports 1-20000 on server 10.48.17.235'. The 'Edit Rule' dialog for the selected rule is open, showing the following configuration:

- Rule type: Access control
- Service: Network (selected)
- Protocol: TCP
- Port(s): 1-20000
- Action: Allow
- Options: Log, Blacklist, Classify media, Disable scanning, DSCP tag, 802.1p priority (all unchecked)

Verify

Use this section in order to confirm that your configuration works properly.

Step 1. Connection to SSID mgarcarz_aruba with EAP-PEAP

First authentication log on ISE appears. Default authentication policy has been used, Aruba-redirect-BYOD authorization profile has been returned as shown in the image.

The screenshot shows the Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE) interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Identity Services Engine', 'Home', 'Operations', 'Policy', 'Guest Access', 'Administration', and 'Work Centers'. The 'RADIUS Livelog' section is active, showing the following summary:

- Misconfigured Supplicants: 1
- Misconfigured Network Devices: 0
- RADIUS Drops: 12

The 'Show Live Sessions' table displays the following data:

Time	Status	Det...	R.	Identity	Endpoint ID	Authentication Policy	Authorization Policy	Authorization P
2015-10-29 22:23:37...			0	cisco	CO:4A:00:14:6E:31	Default >> Dot1X >> EAP-TLS	Default >> Basic_Authenticated...	PermitAccess
2015-10-29 22:23:37...				cisco	CO:4A:00:14:6E:31	Default >> Dot1X >> EAP-TLS	Default >> Basic_Authenticated...	PermitAccess
2015-10-29 22:19:09...				cisco	CO:4A:00:14:6E:31	Default >> Dot1X >> Default	Default >> ArubaRedirect	Aruba-redirect

ISE returns Radius Access-Accept message with EAP Success. Note that no additional attributes are returned (no Cisco av-pair url-redirect or url-redirect-acl) as shown in the image.

No.	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info	User-
133	10.62.148.118	10.48.17.235	RADIUS	681	Access-Request(1) (id=102, l=639)	cisco
134	10.48.17.235	10.62.148.118	RADIUS	257	Access-Challenge(11) (id=102, l=215)	
135	10.62.148.118	10.48.17.235	RADIUS	349	Access-Request(1) (id=103, l=307)	cisco
136	10.48.17.235	10.62.148.118	RADIUS	235	Access-Challenge(11) (id=103, l=193)	
137	10.62.148.118	10.48.17.235	RADIUS	386	Access-Request(1) (id=104, l=344)	cisco
138	10.48.17.235	10.62.148.118	RADIUS	267	Access-Challenge(11) (id=104, l=225)	
139	10.62.148.118	10.48.17.235	RADIUS	450	Access-Request(1) (id=105, l=408)	cisco
140	10.48.17.235	10.62.148.118	RADIUS	283	Access-Challenge(11) (id=105, l=241)	
141	10.62.148.118	10.48.17.235	RADIUS	386	Access-Request(1) (id=106, l=344)	cisco
142	10.48.17.235	10.62.148.118	RADIUS	235	Access-Challenge(11) (id=106, l=193)	
143	10.62.148.118	10.48.17.235	RADIUS	386	Access-Request(1) (id=107, l=344)	cisco
149	10.48.17.235	10.62.148.118	RADIUS	363	Access-Accept(2) (id=107, l=321)	cisco
150	10.62.148.118	10.48.17.235	RADIUS	337	Accounting-Request(4) (id=108, l=295)	cisco
153	10.48.17.235	10.62.148.118	RADIUS	62	Accounting-Response(5) (id=108, l=20)	

Packet identifier: 0x6b (107)

Length: 321

Authenticator: 1173a3d3ea3d0798fe30fdaccf644f19

[\[This is a response to a request in frame 143\]](#)

[Time from request: 0.038114000 seconds]

Attribute Value Pairs

- ▷ AVP: l=7 t=User-Name(1): cisco
- ▷ AVP: l=67 t=State(24): 52656175746853657373696f6e3a30613330313165625862...
- ▷ AVP: l=87 t=Class(25): 434143533a30613330313165625862697544413379554e6f...
- ▷ AVP: l=6 t=EAP-Message(79) Last Segment[1]
- ▷ AVP: l=18 t=Message-Authenticator(80): e0b74092cacf88803dcd37032b761513
- ▷ AVP: l=58 t=Vendor-Specific(26) v=Microsoft(311)
- ▷ AVP: l=58 t=Vendor-Specific(26) v=Microsoft(311)

Aruba reports that the session is established (EAP-PEAP identity is **cisco**) and selected Role is **mgarcarz_aruba** as shown in the image.

The screenshot shows the Aruba NetworkMiner interface. On the left, the 'Info' section for client 'cisco' displays the following details:

- Name: cisco
- IP Address: 10.62.148.71
- MAC address: c0:4a:00:14:6e:31
- OS: Win 7
- Network: mgarcarz_aruba
- Access Point: 04:bd:88:c3:88:14
- Channel: 11
- Type: GN
- Role: mgarcarz_aruba

Below the info is an 'RF Dashboard' with a table showing client status:

Client	Signal	Speed
cisco		

On the right, the 'RF Trends' section contains two line graphs:

- Signal (dB):** A line graph showing signal strength over time. The y-axis ranges from 0 to 100 dB. The signal remains relatively stable around 30-40 dB until approximately 06:20, after which it spikes sharply to nearly 100 dB.
- Speed (mbps):** A line graph showing network speed over time. The y-axis ranges from 0 to 150 mbps. The speed is low (around 10-20 mbps) until approximately 06:20, after which it spikes to nearly 150 mbps.

That role is responsible for the redirection to the ISE (captive portal functionality on Aruba).

In Aruba CLI, it is possible to confirm what is the current authorization status for that session:

<#root>

04:bd:88:c3:88:14#

show datapath user

Datapath User Table Entries

Flags: P - Permanent, W - WEP, T- TKIP, A - AESCCM
R - ProxyARP to User, N - VPN, L - local, I - Intercept, D - Deny local routing
FM(Forward Mode): S - Split, B - Bridge, N - N/A

IP	MAC	ACLs	Contract	Location	Age	Sessions	Flags	Vlan	FM
10.62.148.118	04:BD:88:C3:88:14	105/0	0/0	0	1	0/65535	P	1	N
10.62.148.71	C0:4A:00:14:6E:31	138/0	0/0	0	0	6/65535		1	B
0.0.0.0	C0:4A:00:14:6E:31	138/0	0/0	0	0	0/65535	P	1	B
172.31.98.1	04:BD:88:C3:88:14	105/0	0/0	0	1	0/65535	P	3333	B
0.0.0.0	04:BD:88:C3:88:14	105/0	0/0	0	0	0/65535	P	1	N

And in order to check ACL ID 138 for the current permissions:

<#root>

04:bd:88:c3:88:14#

show datapath acl 138

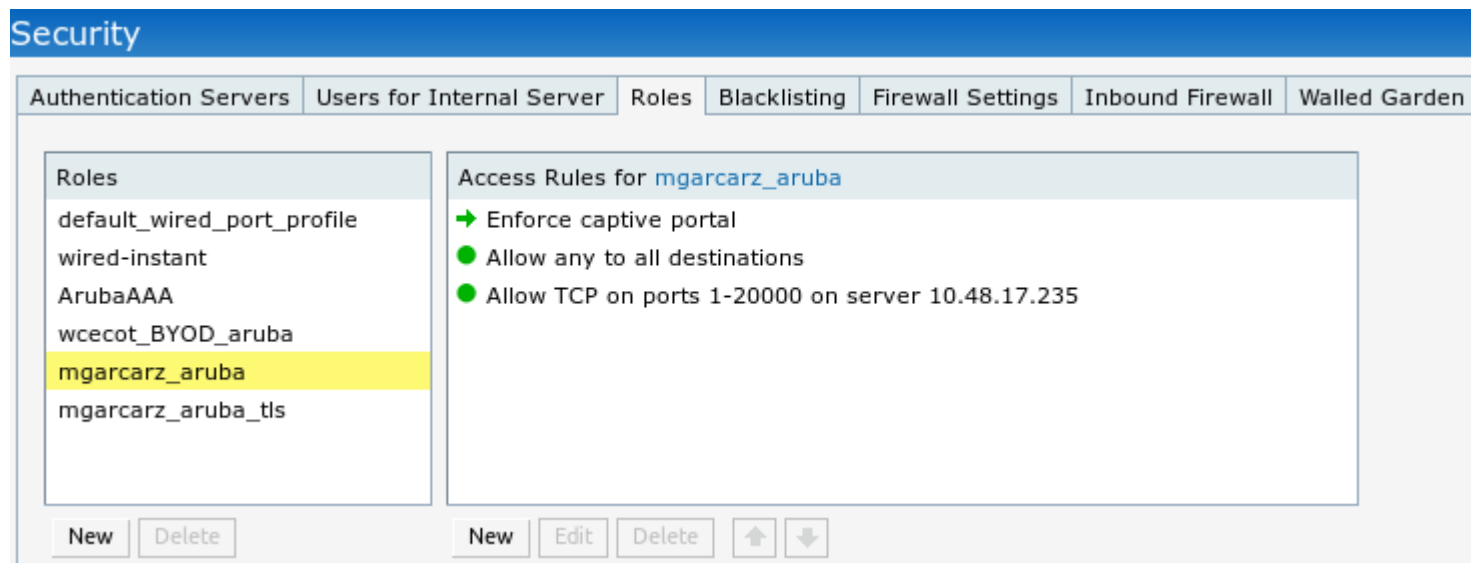
Datapath ACL 138 Entries

Flags: P - permit, L - log, E - established, M/e - MAC/etype filter
S - SNAT, D - DNAT, R - redirect, r - reverse redirect m - Mirror
I - Invert SA, i - Invert DA, H - high prio, O - set prio, C - Classify Media
A - Disable Scanning, B - black list, T - set TOS, 4 - IPv4, 6 - IPv6
K - App Throttle, d - Domain DA

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- 1: any any 17 0-65535 8209-8211 P4
 - 2: any 172.31.98.1 255.255.255.255 6 0-65535 80-80 PSD4
 - 3: any 172.31.98.1 255.255.255.255 6 0-65535 443-443 PSD4
 - 4: any mgarcarz-ise20.example.com 6 0-65535 80-80 Pd4
 - 5: any mgarcarz-ise20.example.com 6 0-65535 443-443 Pd4
 - 6: any mgarcarz-ise20.example.com 6 0-65535 8443-8443 Pd4 hits 37
 - 7: any 10.48.17.235 255.255.255.255 6 0-65535 1-20000 P4 hits 18

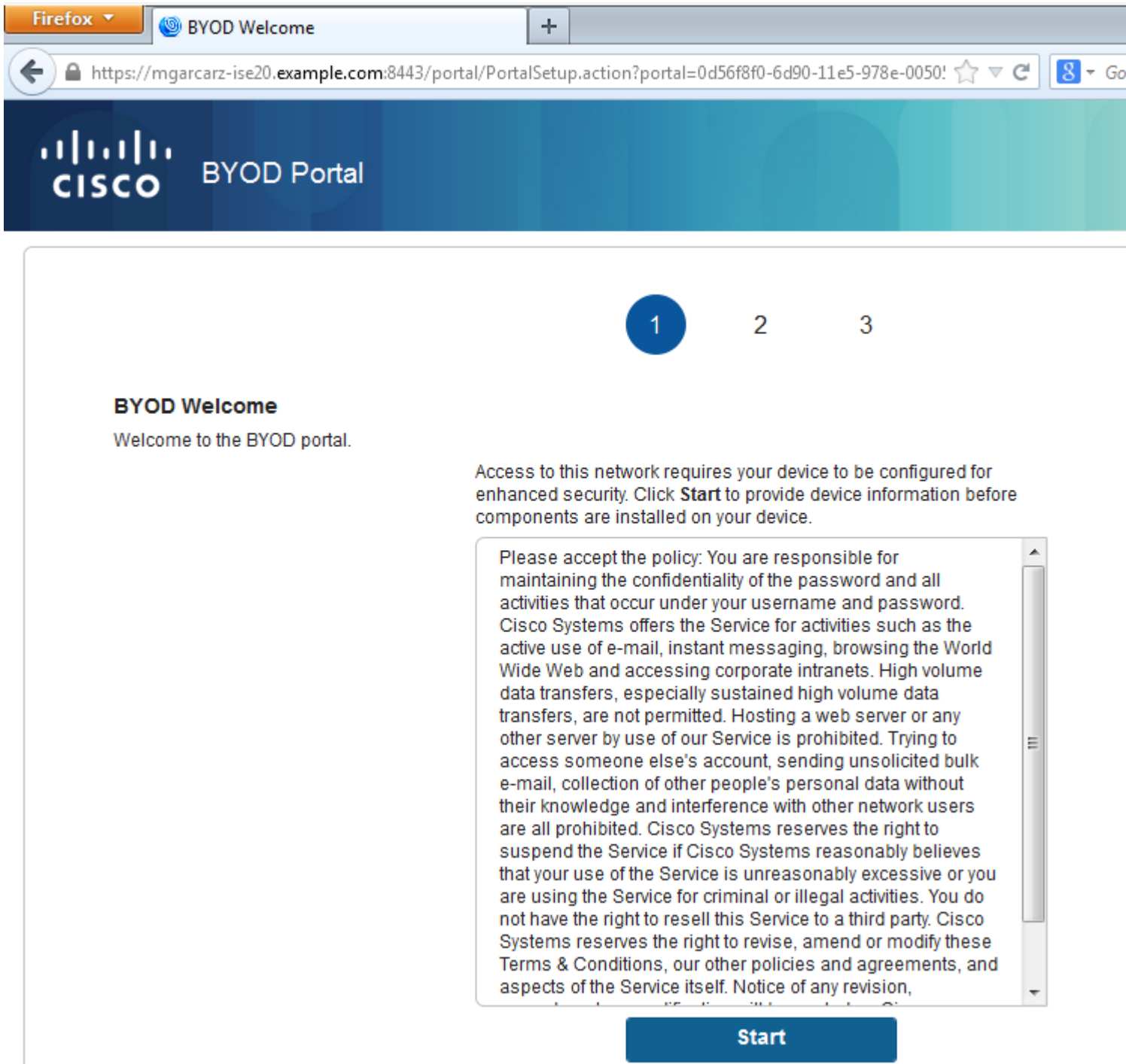
<....some output removed for clarity ... >

That matches with what was configured in GUI for that Role as shown in the image.



Step 2. Web Browser Traffic Redirection for BYOD

Once user opens the web browser and types any address, redirection occurs as shown in the image.



Looking at the packet captures, it is confirmed that Aruba spoofs the destination (5.5.5.5) and returns the HTTP redirection to ISE.

Note that it is the same static URL as configured in ISE and copied to Captive Portal on Aruba - but additionally multiple arguments are added as follows and as shown in the image:

- cmd = login
- mac = c0:4a:00:14:6e:31
- essid = mgarcarz_aruba
- ip = 10.62.148.7
- apname = 4bd88c38814 (mac)
- url = <http://5.5.5.5>

*Wireless Network Connection [Wireshark 1.10.3 (SVN Rev 53022 from /trunk-1.10)]

File Edit View Go Capture Analyze Statistics Telephony Tools Internals Help

Filter: http Expression... Clear Apply Save

No.	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
724	10.62.148.71	5.5.5.5	HTTP	335	GET / HTTP/1.1
726	5.5.5.5	10.62.148.71	HTTP	498	HTTP/1.1 302
752	10.62.148.71	23.62.99.25	HTTP	151	GET /ncsi.txt HTTP/1.1
755	23.62.99.25	10.62.148.71	HTTP	515	HTTP/1.1 302

Frame 726: 498 bytes on wire (3984 bits), 498 bytes captured (3984 bits) on interface 0

Ethernet II, Src: 04:bd:88:c3:88:14 (04:bd:88:c3:88:14), Dst: Tp-LinkT_14:6e:31 (c0:4a:00:14:6e:31)

Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 5.5.5.5 (5.5.5.5), Dst: 10.62.148.71 (10.62.148.71)

Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: http (80), Dst Port: 53939 (53939), Seq: 1, Ack: 282

Hypertext Transfer Protocol

HTTP/1.1 302\r\n

Server:\r\n

Date: Thu, 01 Jan 1970 05:36:56 GMT\r\n

Cache-Control: no-cache,no-store,must-revalidate,post-check=0,pre-check=0\r\n

[truncated] Location: https://mgarcarz-ise20.example.com:8443/portal/g?p=101mawmk1lezQhapEv

Connection: close\r\n

\r\n

[HTTP response 1/1]

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00b0 70 72 65 2d 63 68 65 63 6b 3d 30 0d 0a 4c 6f 63 pre-heck=0..Loc
00c0 61 74 69 6f 6e 3a 20 68 74 74 70 73 3a 2f 2f 6d ation: h ttps://m
00d0 67 61 72 63 61 72 7a 2d 69 73 65 32 30 2e 65 78 garcarz- ise20.ex
00e0 61 6d 70 6c 65 2e 63 6f 6d 3a 38 34 34 33 2f 70 ample.co m:8443/p
00f0 6f 72 74 61 6c 2f 67 3f 70 3d 31 4f 6c 6d 61 77 ortal/g? p=101maw
0100 6d 6b 6c 6c 65 5a 51 68 61 70 45 76 6c 58 50 41 mk1lezQh apEvXPA
0110 6f 45 4c 78 26 63 6d 64 3d 6c 6f 67 69 6e 26 6d oELx&cmd =login&m
0120 61 63 3d 63 30 3a 34 61 3a 30 30 3a 31 34 3a 36 ac=c0:4a :00:14:6
0130 65 3a 33 31 26 65 73 73 69 64 3d 6d 67 61 72 63 e:31&ess id=mgarc
0140 61 72 7a 5f 61 72 75 62 61 26 69 70 3d 31 30 2e arz_arub a&ip=10.
0150 36 32 2e 31 34 38 2e 37 31 26 61 70 6e 61 6d 65 62.148.7 1&apname
0160 3d 30 34 25 33 41 62 64 25 33 41 38 38 25 33 41 =04%3Abd %3A88%3A
0170 63 33 25 33 41 38 38 25 33 41 31 34 26 76 63 6e c3%3A88% 3A14&vcn
0180 61 6d 65 3d 69 6e 73 74 61 6e 74 2d 43 33 25 33 ame=inst ant-C3%3
0190 41 38 38 25 33 41 31 34 26 73 77 69 74 63 68 69 A88%3A14 &switchi
01a0 70 3d 73 65 63 75 72 65 6c 6f 67 69 6e 2e 61 72 p=secure login.ar
01b0 75 62 61 6e 65 74 77 6f 72 6b 73 2e 63 6f 6d 26 ubanetwo rks.com&
01c0 75 72 6c 3d 68 74 74 70 25 33 41 25 32 46 25 32 url=http %3A%2F%2
01d0 46 35 2e 35 2e 35 2e 35 25 32 46 0d 0a 43 6f 6e F5.5.5.5 %2F..Con
01e0 6e 65 63 74 69 6f 6e 3a 20 63 6c 6f 73 65 0d 0a nection: close..
01f0 0d 0a ..

```

Because of these arguments, ISE is able to recreate Cisco Session ID, find out the corresponding session on ISE and continue with BYOD (or any other configured) flow.

For Cisco devices, `audit_session_id` would be normally used but that is not supported by other vendors.

In order to confirm that from ISE debugs, it's possible to see the generation of audit-session-id value (which is never sent over the network):

<#root>

```

AcSLogs,2015-10-29 23:25:48,538,DEBUG,0x7fc0b39a4700,cntx=0000032947,CallingStationID=c04a00146e31,FramedIPAddress=10.62.148.71,MessageFormatter::appendValue() attrName:cisco-av-pair appending value:

```

```

audit-session-id=0a3011ebXbiuDA3yUNoLUvtCRYuPFxkqYJ7TT06foOZ7G1HXj1M

```

And then, correlation of that after registration of the device on BYOD Page 2:

<#root>

```
AcSLogs,2015-10-29 23:25:48,538,DEBUG,0x7fc0b39a4700,cntx=0000032947,CallingStationID=c04a00146e31,FramedIPAddress=10.62.148.71,Log_Message=[2015-10-29 23:25:48.533 +01:00 0000011874 88010 INFO
```

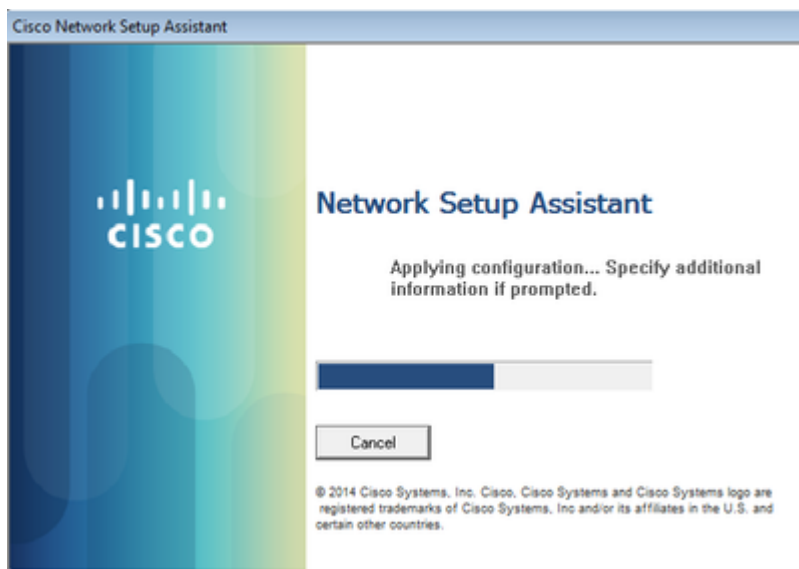
MyDevices: Successfully registered/provisioned the device

```
(endpoint), ConfigVersionId=145, UserName=cisco, MacAddress=c0:4a:00:14:6e:31,
IpAddress=10.62.148.71, AuthenticationIdentityStore=Internal Users,
PortalName=BYOD Portal (default), PsnHostName=mgarcarz-ise20.example.com,
GuestUserName=cisco, EPMacAddress=C0:4A:00:14:6E:31, EPIIdentityGroup=RegisteredDevices
Staticassignment=true, EndPointProfiler=mgarcarz-ise20.example.com, EndPointPolicy=
Unknown, NADAddress=10.62.148.118, DeviceName=ttt, DeviceRegistrationStatus=Registered
AuditSessionId=0a3011ebXbiuDA3yUNoLUvtCRyuPFxkqYJ7TT06foOZ7G1HXj1M,
cisco-av-pair=
```

audit-session-id=0a3011ebXbiuDA3yUNoLUvtCRyuPFxkqYJ7TT06foOZ7G1HXj1M

In subsequent requests, client is redirected to BYOD Page 3. where NSA is downloaded and executed.

Step 3. Network Setup Assistant Execution



NSA has the same task as web browser. First, it needs to detect what is the IP address of ISE. That is achieved via HTTP redirection.

Because this time user does not have a possibility to type IP address (as in the web browser), that traffic is generated automatically.

Default gateway is used (also **enroll.cisco.com** can be used) as shown in the image.

The image shows a Wireshark capture of an HTTP GET request. The packet list pane shows two packets: packet 182 (GET /auth/discovery) and packet 184 (HTTP 302 response). The packet details pane for packet 182 shows the following structure:

- Frame 182: 223 bytes on wire (1784 bits), 223 bytes captured (1784 bits) on interface 0
- Ethernet II, Src: Tp-LinkT_14:6e:31 (c0:4a:00:14:6e:31), Dst: Cisco_f2:b1:42 (c4:0a:cb:f2:b1:42)
- Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 10.62.148.71 (10.62.148.71), Dst: 10.62.148.100 (10.62.148.100)
- Transmission Control Protocol, Src Port: 55937 (55937), Dst Port: http (80), Seq: 1, Ack: 1
- Hypertext Transfer Protocol
 - GET /auth/discovery HTTP/1.1\r\n
 - User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (windows NT 6.1; compatible; Cisco NAC web Agent v.)\r\n
 - Accept: */*\r\n
 - Host: 10.62.148.100\r\n
 - Cache-Control: no-cache\r\n
 - \r\n
 - [Full request URI: http://10.62.148.100/auth/discovery]
 - [HTTP request 1/1]
 - [Response in frame: 184]

Response is exactly the same as for the web browser.

This way NSA is able to connect to ISE, get xml profile with configuration, generate SCEP request, send it to ISE, get signed certificate (signed by ISE internal CA), configure wireless profile and finally connect to the configured SSID.

Collect logs from the client (on Windows are in `%temp%/spwProfile.log`). Some outputs are omitted for clarity:

```
<#root>

Logging started
SPW Version: 1.0.0.46
System locale is [en]
Loading messages for english...
Initializing profile
SPW is running as High integrity Process - 12288
GetProfilePath: searched path = C:\Users\ADMINI~1.EXA\AppData\Local\Temp\ for file name = spwProfile.xml
GetProfilePath: searched path = C:\Users\ADMINI~1.EXA\AppData\Local\Temp\Low for file name = spwProfile.xml

Profile xml not found Downloading profile configuration...

Downloading profile configuration...

Discovering ISE using default gateway

Identifying wired and wireless network interfaces, total active interfaces: 1
Network interface - mac:C0-4A-00-14-6E-31, name: Wireless Network Connection, type: wireless
Identified default gateway: 10.62.148.100

Identified default gateway: 10.62.148.100, mac address: C0-4A-00-14-6E-31
```

redirect attempt to discover ISE with the response url

DiscoverISE - start

Discovered ISE - : [mgarcarz-ise20.example.com, sessionId: 0a3011ebXbiuDA3yUNoLUvtCRyuPFxkqYJ7TT06fo0Z70

DiscoverISE - end

Successfully Discovered ISE: mgarcarz-ise20.example.com, session id: 0a3011ebXbiuDA3yUNoLUvtCRyuPFxkqYJ7

GetProfile - start

GetProfile - end

Successfully retrieved profile xml

using V2 xml version

parsing wireless connection setting

Certificate template: [keysize:2048, subject:OU=Example unit,O=Company name,L=City,ST=State,C=US, SAN:M

set ChallengePwd

creating certificate with subject = cisco and subjectSuffix = OU=Example unit,O=Company name,L=City,ST=

Installed [LAB CA, hash: fd 72 9a 3b b5 33 72 6f f8 45 03 58 a2 f7 eb 27^M

ec 8a 11 78^M

] as rootCA

Installed CA cert for authMode machineOrUser - Success

HttpWrapper::SendScepRequest

- Retrying: [1] time, after: [2] secs , Error: [0], msg: [Pending]

creating response file name C:\Users\ADMINI~1.EXA\AppData\Local\Temp\response.cer

Certificate issued - successfully

ScepWrapper::InstallCert start

ScepWrapper::InstallCert: Reading scep response file

[C:\Users\ADMINI~1.EXA\AppData\Local\Temp\response.cer].

ScepWrapper::InstallCert GetCertHash -- return val 1

ScepWrapper::InstallCert end

Configuring wireless profiles...

Configuring ssid [mgarcarz_aruba_tls]

WirelessProfile::SetWirelessProfile - Start

Wireless profile: [mgarcarz_aruba_tls] configured successfully

Connect to SSID

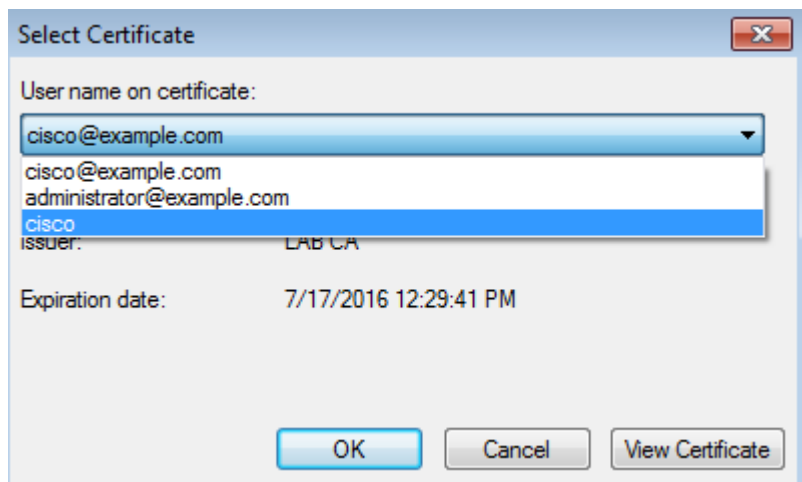
Successfully connected profile: [mgarcarz_aruba_tls]

WirelessProfile::SetWirelessProfile. - End

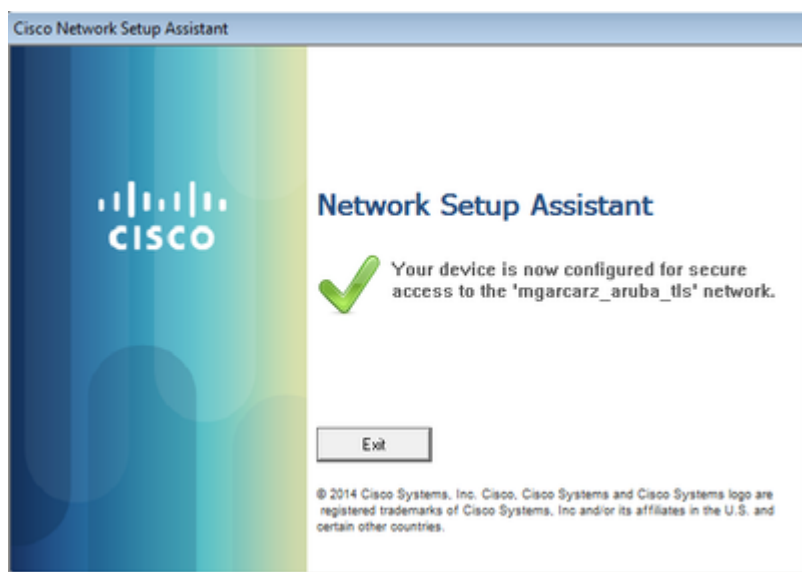
Those logs are exactly the same as for BYOD process with Cisco devices.

Note: Radius CoA is not required here. It's the application (NSA) which forces reconnection to a newly configured SSID.

At that stage, user can see that the system tries to associate to a final SSID. If you have more than one user certificate, you must select the correct one (as shown).



After a successful connection, NSA reports is as shown in the image.



That can be confirmed on ISE - the second log hits EAP-TLS authentication, which matches all the conditions for Basic_Authenticated_Access (EAP-TLS, Employee, and BYOD Registered true).

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Misconfigured Supplicants: 1 | Misconfigured Network Devices: 0 | RADIUS Drops: 12

Show Live Sessions | Add or Remove Columns | Refresh | Reset Repeat Counts

Time	Status	Det...	R.	Identity	Endpoint ID	Authentication Policy	Authorization Policy	Authorization F
2015-10-29 22:23:37...			0	cisco	CO:4A:00:14:6E:31	Default >> Dot1X >> EAP-TLS	Default >> Basic_Authenticated...	PermitAccess
2015-10-29 22:23:37...				cisco	CO:4A:00:14:6E:31	Default >> Dot1X >> EAP-TLS	Default >> Basic_Authenticated...	PermitAccess
2015-10-29 22:19:09...				cisco	CO:4A:00:14:6E:31	Default >> Dot1X >> Default	Default >> ArubaRedirect	Aruba-redirect

Also, endpoint identity view can confirm that endpoint has BYOD Registered flag set to true as shown in the image.

EndPoints | Users | Latest Manual Network Scan Results

Endpoint List

Endpoints by Profile

Windows7-Workstatl...: 100%

Endpoints by Policy Service Node

mgarcarz-is...: 100%

Endpoint Profile	MAC Address	Vendor(OUI)	Logical Profiles	Hostname	MDM Server	Device Identifier	IP Address	Static Assignment	Stat Gro	Ass
Windows7-Workstation	CO:4A:00:14:6E:31	TP-LINK TE...		mgarcarz-pc			10.62.148.71	false		true

On Windows PC, new wireless profile has been created automatically as preferred (and configured for EAP-TLS) and as shown.

Manage wireless networks that use (Wireless Network Connection)

Windows tries to connect to these networks in the order listed below.

Network Name	Security
mgarcarz_aruba_tls	Security: WPA2-Enterprise
mgarcarz_aruba	Security: WPA2-Enterprise
pgruszc_WLAN1	Security: WPA2-Enterprise
mgarcarz_byod	Security: WPA2-Enterprise

mgarcarz_aruba_tls Wireless Network Properties

Connection Security

Security type: WPA2-Enterprise

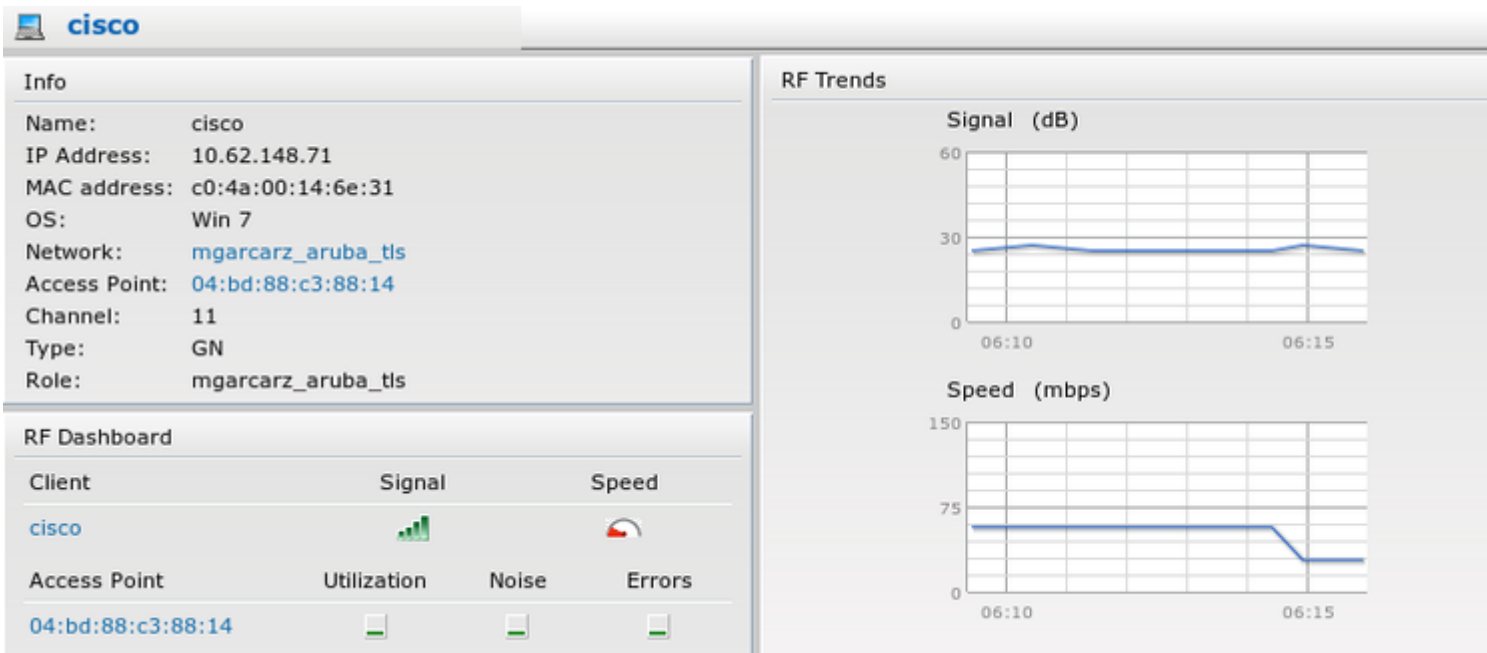
Encryption type: AES

Choose a network authentication method: Microsoft: Smart Card or other certificat

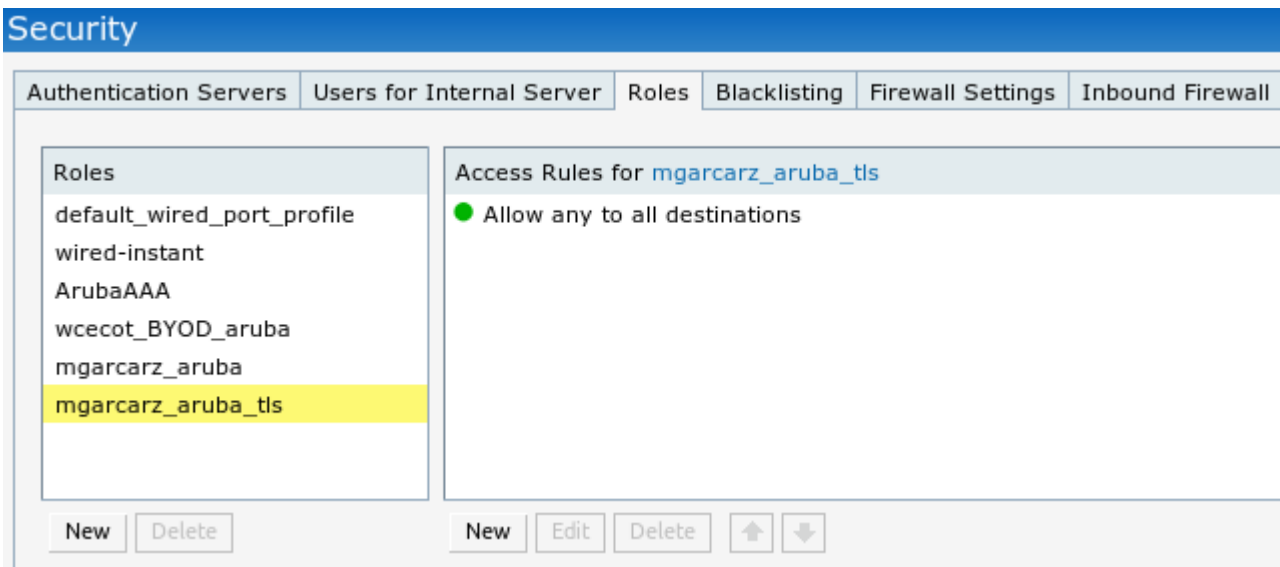
Remember my credentials for this connection each time I'm logged on

Advanced settings

At that stage, Aruba confirms that the user is connected to the final SSID.



The role which is created automatically and named the same as Network provides full network access.



Other Flows and CoA Support

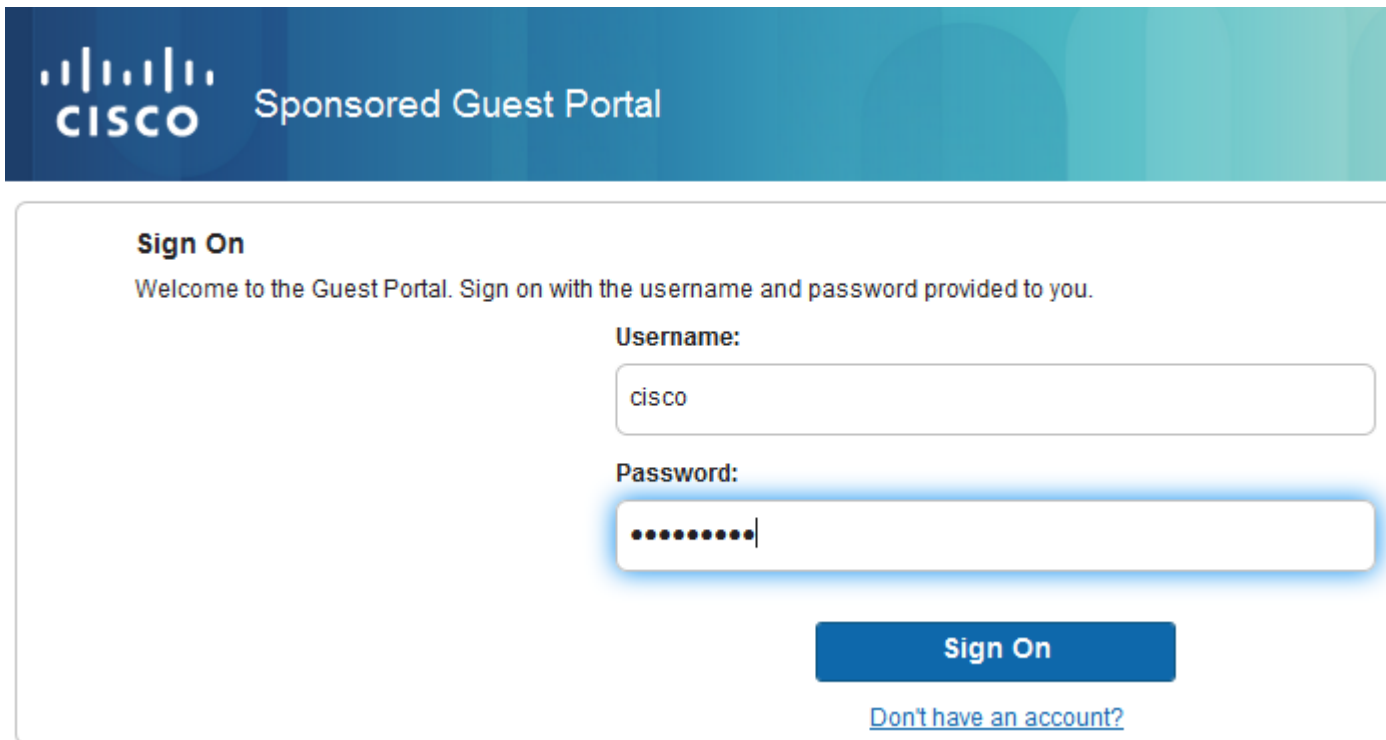
CWA with CoA

While in BYOD flow there are no CoA messages, CWA flow with Self Registered Guest Portal is demonstrated here:

The Authorization Rules configured are as shown in the image.

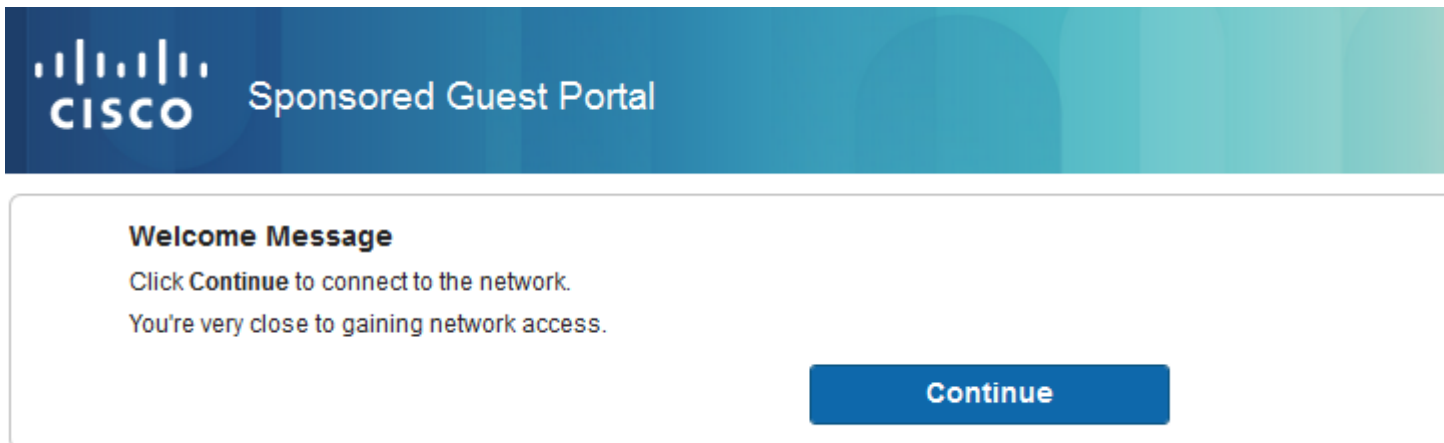
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Guest_Authenticate_internet	if GuestEndpoints AND Aruba:Aruba-Essid-Name EQUALS mgarcarz_aruba_guest
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Guest_Authenticate_Aruba	if Aruba:Aruba-Essid-Name EQUALS mgarcarz_aruba_guest

User connects to the SSID with MAB authentication and once when it tries to connect to some web page, redirection to Self Registered Guest Portal happens, where Guest can create new account or use current one.



The screenshot shows the 'Sign On' section of the Cisco Sponsored Guest Portal. It features a header with the Cisco logo and the text 'Sponsored Guest Portal'. Below the header, there is a 'Sign On' heading followed by a welcome message: 'Welcome to the Guest Portal. Sign on with the username and password provided to you.' There are two input fields: 'Username:' with the value 'cisco' and 'Password:' with masked characters. A blue 'Sign On' button is positioned below the password field, and a link for 'Don't have an account?' is located below the button.

After the guest is successfully connected, CoA message is sent from ISE to Network Device in order to change authorization state.



The screenshot shows the 'Welcome Message' section of the Cisco Sponsored Guest Portal. It features a header with the Cisco logo and the text 'Sponsored Guest Portal'. Below the header, there is a 'Welcome Message' heading followed by instructions: 'Click Continue to connect to the network. You're very close to gaining network access.' A blue 'Continue' button is positioned at the bottom right of the message area.

It can be verified under **Operations > Authentifications** and as shown in the image.

cisco	C0:4A:00:15:76:34	Windows7-Workstat...	Default >> MAB	Default >> Guest_Authenticate_internet	Autho
	C0:4A:00:15:76:34				Dynan
cisco	C0:4A:00:15:76:34				Guest
C0:4A:00:15:76	C0:4A:00:15:76:34		Default >> MAB >> ...	Default >> Guest_Authenticate_Aruba	Authe

CoA message in ISE debugs:

<#root>


```
2015-11-02 18:47:49,553 DEBUG [Thread-137][] cisco.cpm.prvt.impl.PrRTLoggerImpl -:::::-
DynamicAuthorizationFlow,DEBUG,0x7fc0e9cb2700,cntx=0000000561,sesn=c59aa41a-e029-4ba0-a31b
-44549024315e,CallingStationID=c04a00157634,[DynamicAuthorizationFlow::createCoACmd]
Processing incoming attribute vendor , name
```

```
NAS-IP-Address, value=10.62.148.118
```

```
.,
DynamicAuthorizationFlow.cpp:708
```

```
2015-11-02 18:47:49,567 DEBUG [Thread-137][] cisco.cpm.prvt.impl.PrRTLoggerImpl -:::::-
DynamicAuthorizationFlow,DEBUG,0x7fc0e9cb2700,cntx=0000000561,sesn=c59aa41a-e029-4ba0-a31b
-44549024315e,CallingStationID=c04a00157634,[DynamicAuthorizationFlow::createCoACmd]
Processing incoming attribute vendor , name
```

```
Acct-Session-Id, value=04BD88B88144-
C04A00157634-7AD
```

```
.,DynamicAuthorizationFlow.cpp:708
```

```
2015-11-02 18:47:49,573 DEBUG [Thread-137][] cisco.cpm.prvt.impl.PrRTLoggerImpl -:::::-
DynamicAuthorizationFlow,DEBUG,0x7fc0e9cb2700,cntx=0000000561,sesn=c59aa41a-e029-4ba0-a31b
-44549024315e,CallingStationID=c04a00157634,[DynamicAuthorizationFlow::createCoACmd]
Processing incoming attribute vendor , name cisco-av-pair, v
```

```
alue=audit-session-id=0a3011ebisZXypODwqjB6j64GeFiF7RwvyocneEia17ckjtU1HI.,DynamicAuthorizationFlow.cpp:708
```

```
2015-11-02 18:47:49,584 DEBUG [Thread-137][] cisco.cpm.prvt.impl.PrRTLoggerImpl -:::::-
DynamicAuthorizationFlow,DEBUG,0x7fc0e9cb2700,cntx=0000000561,sesn=c59aa41a-e029-4ba0-a31b
-44549024315e,CallingStationID=c04a00157634,[DynamicAuthorizationRequestHelper::
setConnectionParams]
```

```
defaults from nad profile : NAS=10.62.148.118, port=3799, timeout=5,
```

```
retries=2
```

```
.,DynamicAuthorizationRequestHelper.cpp:59
```

```
2015-11-02 18:47:49,592 DEBUG [Thread-137][] cisco.cpm.prvt.impl.PrRTLoggerImpl -:::::-
DynamicAuthorizationFlow,DEBUG,0x7fc0e9cb2700,cntx=0000000561,sesn=c59aa41a-e029-4ba0-a31b
-44549024315e,CallingStationID=c04a00157634,[DynamicAuthorizationRequestHelper::set
ConnectionParams] NAS=10.62.148.118, port=3799, timeout=5, retries=1,
```

```
DynamicAuthorizationRequestHelper.cpp:86
```

```
2015-11-02 18:47:49,615 DEBUG [Thread-137][] cisco.cpm.prvt.impl.PrRTLoggerImpl -:::::-
DynamicAuthorizationFlow,DEBUG,0x7fc0e9cb2700,cntx=0000000561,sesn=c59aa41a-e029-4ba0-a31b
-44549024315e,CallingStationID=c04a00157634,[DynamicAuthorizationFlow::onLocalHttpEvent]:
```

```
invoking DynamicAuthorization,DynamicAuthorizationFlow.cpp:246
```

and Disconnect-ACK that comes from Aruba:

```
<#root>
```

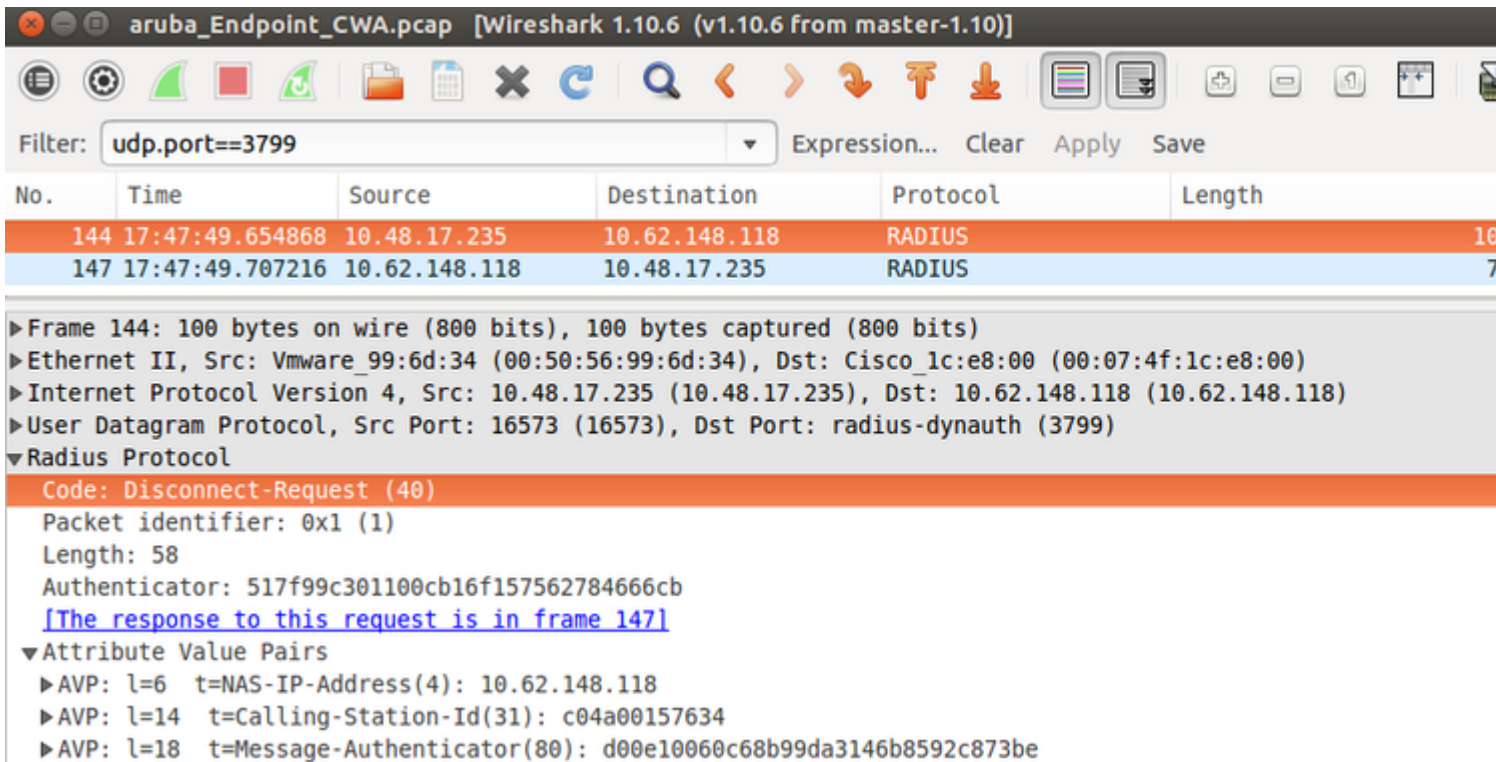
```
2015-11-02 18:47:49,737 DEBUG [Thread-147][] cisco.cpm.prvt.impl.PrRTLoggerImpl -:::::-
DynamicAuthorizationFlow,DEBUG,0x7fc0e9eb4700,cntx=0000000561,sesn=c59aa41a-e029-4ba0-a31b
-44549024315e,
```

```
CallingStationID=c04a00157634
```

```
,[DynamicAuthorizationFlow::
onResponseDynamicAuthorizationEvent] Handling response
ID c59aa41a-e029-4ba0-a31b-44549024315e, error cause 0,
```

```
Packet type 41(DisconnectACK).
```

Packet captures with CoA Disconnect-Request (40) and Disconnect-ACK (41) is as shown.



Note: RFC CoA has been used for authentication related to Device Profile Aruba (default settings). For authentication related to Cisco device, it would have been Cisco CoA type reauthenticate.

Troubleshoot

This section provides information you can use in order to troubleshoot your configuration.

Aruba Captive Portal with IP Address Instead of FQDN

If Captive Portal on Aruba is configured with IP address instead of FQDN of ISE, PSN NSA fails:

```
<#root>
```

```
Warning - [HTTPConnection]
```

```
Abort the HTTP connection due to invalid certificate
```

```
CN
```

The reason for that is strict certificate validation when you connect to ISE. When you use IP address in order to connect to ISE (as a result of redirection URL with IP address instead of FQDN) and are presented with

ISE certificate with Subject Name = FQDN validation fails.

Note: Web browser continues with BYOD portal (with warning which needs to be approved by user).

Aruba Captive Portal Incorrect Access Policy

By default, Aruba Access-Policy configured with Captive Portal allows for tcp ports 80, 443 and 8080.

NSA is not able to connect to tcp port 8905 in order to get xml profile from ISE. This error is reported:

```
<#root>
```

```
Failed to get spw profile url using - url
```

```
[
```

```
https://mgarcarz-ise20.example.com:8905
```

```
/auth/provisioning/evaluate?
```

```
typeHint=SPWConfig&referrer=Windows&mac_address=C0-4A-00-14-6E-31&spw_version=1.0.0.46&session=0a3011ebXbiuDA3yUNoLUvtCRYuPFxkqYJ7TT06fo0Z7G1HXj1M&os=Windows All]
- http Error: [2]
```

```
HTTP response code: 0
```

```
]
```

```
GetProfile - end
```

```
Failed to get profile. Error: 2
```

Aruba CoA Port Number

By default, Aruba provides port number for CoA **Air Group CoA port 5999**. Unfortunately, Aruba 204 did not respond to such requests (as shown).

Event	5417 Dynamic Authorization failed
Failure Reason	11213 No response received from Network Access Device after sending a Dynamic Authorization request

Steps

- 11201 Received disconnect dynamic authorization request
- 11220 Prepared the reauthenticate request
- 11100 RADIUS-Client about to send request - (port = 5999 , type = RFC 5176)
- 11104 RADIUS-Client request timeout expired (🕒 Step latency=10009 ms)
- 11213 No response received from Network Access Device after sending a Dynamic Authorization request

Packet capture is as shown in the image.

arubacoa5999.pcap [Wireshark 1.10.6 (v1.10.6 from master-1.10)]

Filter: `udp.port==5999` Expression... Clear Apply Save

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
685	20:17:44.908041	10.48.17.141	10.62.148.118	RADIUS	100	Discon
686	20:17:44.938510	10.62.148.118	10.48.17.141	ICMP	128	Destin

▶ Frame 685: 100 bytes on wire (800 bits), 100 bytes captured (800 bits)

▶ Ethernet II, Src: Vmware_99:37:59 (00:50:56:99:37:59), Dst: Cisco_1c:e8:00 (00:07:4f:1c:e8:00)

▶ Internet Protocol Version 4, Src: 10.48.17.141 (10.48.17.141), Dst: 10.62.148.118 (10.62.148.118)

▶ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 59726 (59726), Dst Port: cvsup (5999)

▼ Radius Protocol

- Code: Disconnect-Request (40)
- Packet identifier: 0xb (11)
- Length: 58
- Authenticator: 00b8961272015b5cecf27cc7f3e8fe81
- ▼ Attribute Value Pairs
 - ▶ AVP: l=6 t=NAS-IP-Address(4): 10.62.148.118
 - ▶ AVP: l=14 t=Calling-Station-Id(31): c04a00157634
 - ▶ AVP: l=18 t=Message-Authenticator(80): 1959020d15fe2b0584b3a887c1e3c366

The best option to use here can be CoA port 3977 as described in RFC 5176.

Redirection on Some Aruba Devices

On Aruba 3600 with v6.3 it is noticed that the redirection works slightly different then on other controllers. Packet capture and explanation can be found here.

770	09:29:40.5119116	10.75.94.213	173.194.124.52	HTTP	1373	GET / HTTP/1.1
772	09:29:40.5210656	173.194.124.52	10.75.94.213	HTTP	416	HTTP/1.1 200 Ok (tex
794	09:29:41.6982576	10.75.94.213	173.194.124.52	HTTP	63	GET /&arubalp=6b0512f
797	09:29:41.7563066	173.194.124.52	10.75.94.213	HTTP	485	HTTP/1.1 302 Temporar

<#root>

packet 1: PC is sending GET request to google.com
 packet 2: Aruba is returning HTTP 200 OK with following content:
 <meta http-equiv='refresh' content='1; url=http://www.google.com/

&arubalp=6b0512fc-f699-45c6-b5cb-e62b3260e5

'>\n

packet 3: PC is going to link with Aruba attribute returned in packet 2:
 http://www.google.com/

&arubalp=6b0512fc-f699-45c6-b5cb-e62b3260e5

packet 4: Aruba is redirecting to the ISE (302 code):
 https://10.75.89.197:8443/portal/g?p=4voD8q6W5Lxr8hpab77gL8VdaQ&cmd=login&

mac=80:86:f2:59:d9:db&ip=10.75.94.213&ssid=SC%2DWiFi&apname=LRC-006&apgroup=default&url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww

Related Information

- [Cisco Identity Services Engine Administrator Guide, Release 2.0](#)
- [Network Access Device Profiles with Cisco Identity Services Engine](#)

- [Technical Support & Documentation - Cisco Systems](#)