



Wired Guest Access

The Wired Guest Access feature enables guest users of an enterprise network that supports both wired and wireless access to connect to the guest access network from a wired Ethernet connection. The wired Ethernet connection is designated and configured for guest access. Wired session guests on mobility agents are directed to a wireless guest controller in a demilitarized zone (DMZ) through a Control And Provisioning of Wireless Access Points (CAPWAP) tunnel.

Wired guest access can be configured in a standalone configuration or in a dual-controller configuration that uses both an anchor controller and a foreign controller. A dual-controller configuration isolates wired guest access traffic; however it is not required for deployment of the wired guest access.

Wired-guest-access ports initially terminate on a Layer 2 access switch or switch port that is configured with VLAN interfaces for wired guest access traffic. The wired guest traffic is then trunked from the access switch to a controller. This controller is configured with an interface that is mapped to a Wired-guest-access VLAN on the access switch.

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Finding Feature Information

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Restrictions for Wired Guest Access

- Tunneling of wired clients is not supported when the client is attached to a port at the Cisco Next Generation Wiring Closet (NGWC) device that is configured for open mode.
- Tunneling of wired clients is not supported after successful web authentication at the NGWC device because automated IP address reassignment is not supported after web-authentication.
- The NGWC device supports network access only via the tunnel based on the web authentication that occurs at the controller.
- The Network Advertisement and Selection Protocol (NASP) is not supported for wired clients.
- High availability is not supported for wireless sessions. If the wireless controller fails while providing tunneled guest access for a wired client, the state is not automatically recovered.
- Inactivity aging is not enforced for a wired client that is provisioned to the wireless controller; for example, within a RADIUS Access-Accept request that is received after web authentication is performed at the controller.

Information About Wired Guest Access

Wired Guest Access Overview

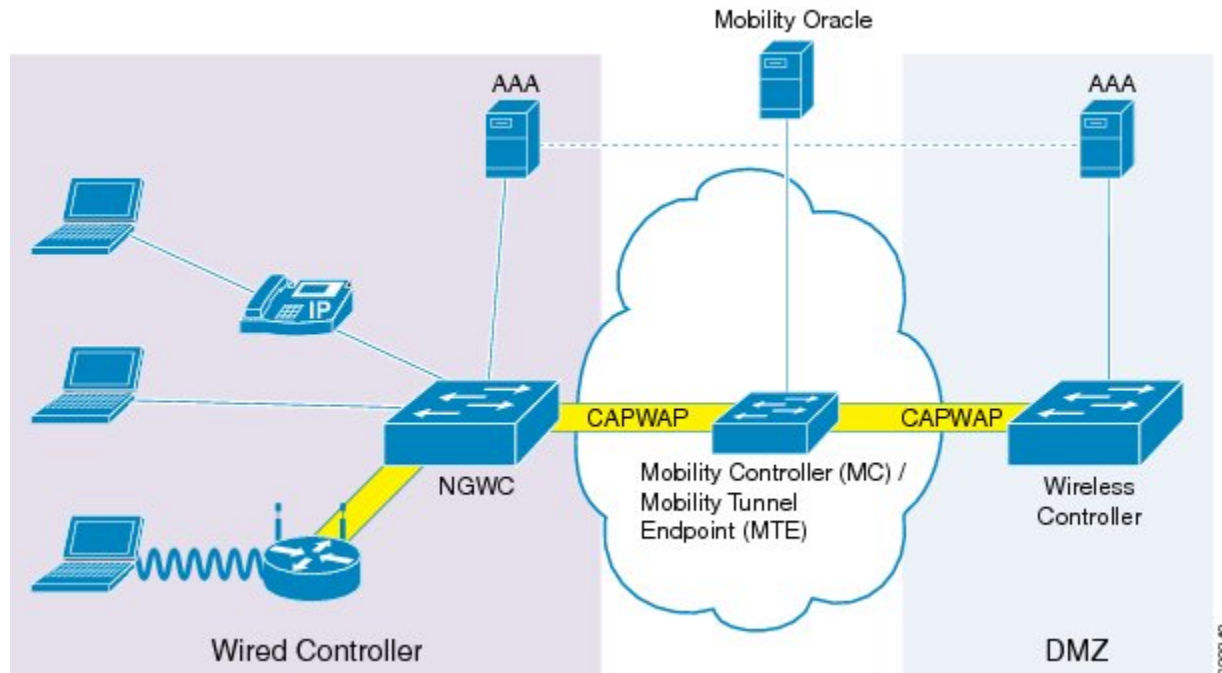
Enterprise networks that support both wired and wireless access need to provide guest services that are consistent across the two access media, from a perspective of both client experience and manageability. For wireless networks, guest traffic from a mobility anchor device is directed typically through a Control And Provisioning of Wireless Access Points (CAPWAP) tunnel to an array of controllers in the demilitarized zone (DMZ), where either web-authenticated access or open access is provided. Wired guest traffic can also be backhauled to the DMZ using more traditional tunneling mechanisms like Generic Routing Encapsulation (GRE). The Cisco Next Generation Wiring Closet (NGWC) platforms, with converged wired and wireless access, can extend CAPWAP tunneling to wired guests also, allowing for very similar handling at the controller platform (in the DMZ) and reducing the provisioning overhead.

However, security remains an issue because it is not possible to determine, prior to authentication, whether a wired client is a guest or requires access to the corporate network. Consequently, the decision to tunnel a wired client's traffic to the DMZ cannot be made with the certain knowledge that the client is a guest.

Due to the lack of network selection for wired clients, open mode cannot be supported with guest tunneling. Open mode is when an IP address is allocated as soon as a client connects to the access switch. Once the client is connected via a tunnel, it must be reassigned an IP address from a subnet provisioned at the DMZ, before web authentication can be attempted.

Converged Guest Access Solution

Figure 1: Converged Guest Access Solution



In the preceding figure, the Cisco Next Generation Wiring Closet (NGWC) device forms the attachment point for both wired and wireless sessions and provides Layer 2 authentication, where applicable. Wired session guests on a mobility agent (a foreign device) are directed through a Control And Provisioning of Wireless Access Points (CAPWAP) tunnel to the wireless controller (the anchor device) in the demilitarized zone (DMZ). The wired session guests are provided open or web-authenticated access from the wireless controller. This approach simplifies the management of guest access because only one network device is provisioned to manage HTTP traffic and serve web pages.

Tunneling wired guest traffic to the DMZ allows the same controller platform to provide web-authenticated and open access to wired guests also, further simplifying the management of guest access and ensuring a consistent experience for end users. To activate the CAPWAP tunnel, matching guest LAN profiles must be configured on foreign and anchor devices.

Authentication, authorization, and accounting (AAA) services are required at the access layer for Layer 2 authentication and, optionally, to direct the device to open a tunnel for a wired client. A DMZ uses AAA for client guest authentication. The Mobility Controller/Mobility Tunnel Endpoint (MC/MTE) allows the CAPWAP tunnel to the DMZ to be load-balanced across an array of wireless controllers.

CAPWAP Tunneling

In an enterprise Edge (eEdge) implementation of wired guest access, Control And Provisioning of Wireless Access Points (CAPWAP) tunneling is implemented as an Enterprise Policy Manager (EPM) plug-in.

When a tunnel is specified within a user profile or a service template, the EPM invokes the CAPWAP tunnel. The EPM requests that the Wireless Controller Module (WCM) establish a CAPWAP tunnel for the session on which the EPM is installed. If the WCM returns an error or indicates unsolicited tunnel termination at any subsequent point, the CAPWAP tunnel notifies the EPM of failure. The failure results in an authorization-failure event at the session manager, and a control policy rule can be specified to determine the failure handling.

The Session Manager is responsible for creating and managing wired sessions in the eEdge framework. It assigns an audit-session-id at session creation and stores client identity data in a session entry in the database. It also manages the authentication of connecting endpoints where authentication is specified under a control policy.

Based on requests, the WCM is responsible for the CAPWAP tunneling of wired clients at an NGWC switch. The WCM also provides identical handling of tunneled wireless and wired guest sessions at the controller.



Note A new tunnel is established only if it does not exist between the access switch and the relevant controller. If a tunnel exists, a client is added to it.



Note The Vendor-specific attribute (VSA) for activating CAPWAP tunneling using user profiles is “subscriber:capwap-tunnel-profile-name= name”.

How to Configure Wired Guest Access

Configuring a Guest LAN

SUMMARY STEPS

1. **enable**
2. **configure terminal**
3. **guest-lan** *profile-name* [*lan-id*]
4. **shutdown**
5. **client** {**association limit** [*max-connections*] | **vlan** [*vlan-id*]}
6. **security web-auth** [**parameter-map** *parameter-name*]
7. **mobility anchor** [*ip-address* | *mac-address*]
8. **no shutdown**
9. **end**

DETAILED STEPS

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable Example: Device> enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. • Enter your password if prompted.
Step 2	configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Step 3	guest-lan profile-name [lan-id] Example: Device(config)# guest-lan guest-lan-name 1	Configures the wireless guest LAN network and enters guest LAN configuration mode.
Step 4	shutdown Example: Device(config-guest-lan)# shutdown	Disables the guest LAN.
Step 5	client {association limit [max-connections] vlan [vlan-id]} Example: Device(config-guest-lan)# client vlan VLAN100	Enables guest LAN configuration for clients.
Step 6	security web-auth [parameter-map parameter-name] Example: Device(config-guest-lan)# security web-auth	Configures a security policy for a guest LAN.
Step 7	mobility anchor [ip-address mac-address] Example: Device(config-guest-lan)# mobility anchor	Configures mobility for a guest LAN.
Step 8	no shutdown Example: Device(config-guest-lan)# no shutdown	Enables the guest LAN.
Step 9	end Example: Device(config-guest-lan)# end	Exits guest LAN configuration mode and enters privileged EXEC mode.

Configuring a CAPWAP Tunnel in a Service Template

Perform the following task to configure a Control And Provisioning of Wireless Access Points (CAPWAP) tunnel in a service template. Perform the following task to activate a tunnel service when Layer 2 authentication failure occurs.

SUMMARY STEPS

1. **enable**
2. **configure terminal**
3. **service-template** *template-name*
4. **tunnel type capwap name** *tunnel-name*
5. **exit**
6. **policy-map type control subscriber** *control-policy-name*
7. **event session-started** [**match-all** | **match-any**]
8. *priority-number* **class** {*control-class-name* | **always**} [**do-all** | **do-until-failure** | **do-until-success**]
9. *action-number* **authenticate using** {**dot1x** | **mab** | **webauth**}
10. **exit**
11. **exit**
12. **event authentication-failure** [**match-all** | **match-any**]
13. *priority-number* **class** {*control-class-name* | **always**} [**do-all** | **do-until-failure** | **do-until-success**]
14. *action-number* **activate** {**policy type control subscriber** *control-policy-name* | **service-template** *template-name* [**aaa-list** *list-name*] [**precedence** [**replace-all**]]}
15. **end**

DETAILED STEPS

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable Example: Device> enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. • Enter your password if prompted.
Step 2	configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Step 3	service-template <i>template-name</i> Example: Device(config)# service-template GUEST-TUNNEL	Defines a template that contains a set of service policy attributes to apply to subscriber sessions and enters service template configuration mode.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	tunnel type capwap name <i>tunnel-name</i> Example: Device(config-service-template)# tunnel type capwap name TUNNEL-CAPWAP	Configures a CAPWAP tunnel in a service template.
Step 5	exit Example: Device(config-service-template)# exit	Exits service template configuration mode and enters global configuration mode.
Step 6	policy-map type control subscriber <i>control-policy-name</i> Example: Device(config)# policy-map type control subscriber TUNNELLED-GUEST	Defines a control policy for subscriber sessions and enters control policy-map event configuration mode.
Step 7	event session-started [match-all match-any] Example: Device(config-event-control-policymap)# event session-started	Specifies the type of event that triggers actions in a control policy if all authentication events are a match and enters control policy-map class configuration mode.
Step 8	priority-number class { <i>control-class-name</i> always } [do-all do-until-failure do-until-success] Example: Device(config-class-control-policymap)# 1 class always	Specifies that the control class should execute the actions in a control policy, in the specified order, until one of the actions fails, and enters control policy-map action configuration mode.
Step 9	action-number authenticate using { dot1x mab webauth } Example: Device(config-action-control-policymap)# 1 authenticate using dot1x	Authenticates a control policy on a subscriber session.
Step 10	exit Example: Device(config-action-control-policymap)# exit	Exits control policy-map action configuration mode and enters control policy-map class configuration mode.
Step 11	exit Example: Device(config-class-control-policymap)# exit	Exits control policy-map class configuration mode and enters control policy-map event configuration mode.
Step 12	event authentication-failure [match-all match-any] Example: Device(config-event-control-policymap)# event authentication-failure	Specifies the type of event that triggers actions in a control policy if all authentication events are a match and enters control policy-map class configuration mode.
Step 13	priority-number class { <i>control-class-name</i> always } [do-all do-until-failure do-until-success]	Specifies that the control class should execute the actions in a control policy, in the specified order, until one of the

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example: Device(config-class-control-policymap)# 1 class DOT1X-NO-RESP	actions fails, and enters control policy-map action configuration mode.
Step 14	action-number activate { policy type control subscriber control-policy-name service-template template-name [aaa-list list-name] [precedence [replace-all]]} Example: Device(config-action-control-policymap)# 1 activate service-template GUEST-TUNNEL	Activates a control policy on a subscriber session.
Step 15	end Example: Device(config-action-control-policymap)# end	Exits control policy-map action configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.

Configuring CAPWAP Forwarding

Perform the following task to configure a specific VLAN for CAPWAP forwarding. Once configured, this VLAN can be used only for CAPWAP forwarding.

SUMMARY STEPS

1. **enable**
2. **configure terminal**
3. **vlan** *vlan-id*
4. **exit**
5. **access-session tunnel vlan** *vlan-id*
6. **end**

DETAILED STEPS

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable Example: Device> enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enter your password if prompted.
Step 2	configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	vlan <i>vlan-id</i> Example: Device(config)# vlan 1755	Configures a VLAN and enters VLAN configuration mode.
Step 4	exit Example: Device(config-vlan)# exit	Exits VLAN configuration mode and enters global configuration mode.
Step 5	access-session tunnel vlan <i>vlan-id</i> Example: Device(config)# access-session tunnel vlan 1755	Configures VLAN access session to the specified tunnel. Note Before you use this command, configure the VLAN using the vlan <i>vlan-id</i> command.
Step 6	end Example: Device(config)# end	Exits global configuration mode and enters privileged EXEC mode.

Configuration Examples for Wired Guest Access

Example: Configuring a CAPWAP Tunnel in a Service Template

The following example shows how to configure a CAPWAP tunnel in a service template to enable wired guest access.

```
Device> enable
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# service-template GUEST-TUNNEL
Device(config-service-template)# tunnel type capwap name TUNNEL-CAPWAP
Device(config-service-template)# exit
Device(config)# policy-map type control subscriber TUNNELLED-GUEST
Device(config-event-control-policymap)# event session-started
Device(config-class-control-policymap)# 1 class always
Device(config-action-control-policymap)# 1 authenticate using dot1x
Device(config-action-control-policymap)# exit
Device(config-class-control-policymap)# 1 class DOT1X-NO-RESP
Device(config-action-control-policymap)# 1 activate service-template GUEST-TUNNEL
Device(config-action-control-policymap)# end
```

Example: Configuring the Mobility Agent

The following example shows how to configure interface ports on the mobility agent (anchor).

Wired-guest-access ports initially terminate on a Layer 2 access switch or switch port configured with VLAN interfaces for wired-guest-access traffic. The wired guest traffic is then trunked from the access switch to a

controller. This controller is configured with an interface that is mapped to a wired-guest-access VLAN on the access switch.

```

!
interface GigabitEthernet1/0/44
  description Connected to Client_Laptop
  switchport access vlan 10
  switchport mode access
  access-session host-mode single-host
  access-session closed
  access-session port-control auto
  access-session control-direction in
  mab
  dot1x pae authenticator
  dot1x timeout tx-period 5
  service-policy type control subscriber Guest-Access
!
interface GigabitEthernet1/0/1
  description Connected_to_MobilityController
  switchport mode trunk
!
interface Vlan10
  description CLIENT-VLAN
  ip address 172.16.10.201 255.255.255.0
  ip helper-address 172.16.10.200
!
interface Vlan80
  description MANAGEMENT-VLAN
  ip address 10.20.1.1 255.255.255.0
!
wireless management interface Vlan80
wireless mobility controller ip 10.20.1.2 public-ip 10.20.1.2 << Mobility Controller IP >>
!
guest-lan glan-1 1
  shutdown
  client vlan Vlan10
  no security web-auth << Use "security webauth" for webauth access & "no security webauth"
  for open access. >>
  mobility anchor 10.20.1.3 << Guest Controller IP >>
  no shutdown
!

```

Example: Configuring the Mobility Controller

The following example shows how to configure the interface ports and wireless mobility on the mobility controller to enable wired guest access.

```

!
interface TenGigabitEthernet1/0/2
  description Connected-to-MobilityAgent
  switchport mode trunk
!
interface TenGigabitEthernet1/0/1
  description Connected-to-GuestController
  switchport mode trunk
!
interface Vlan80
  description MANAGEMENT-VLAN
  ip address 10.20.1.2 255.255.255.0
!
wireless management interface Vlan80
!
wireless mobility controller peer-group pg-name
wireless mobility controller peer-group pg-name member ip 10.20.1.1 public-ip 10.20.1.1 <<
  Mobility Agent IP >>
!
wireless mobility group member ip 10.20.1.3 public-ip 10.20.1.3 << Guest Controller IP >>
wireless mobility group name mcg-name
!

```

Example: Configuring the Guest Controller

The following example shows how to configure interface ports on the guest controller (anchor) and how to set up DHCP snooping.

The guest (local WLAN) controller anchors the client onto a demilitarized zone (DMZ) anchor WLAN controller that is configured for wired and wireless guest access. After a successful handoff of the client to the DMZ anchor controller, the DHCP IP address assignment, client authentication, and so on are handled in the DMZ Cisco Wireless LAN Controller (WLC). After WLC completes the authentication, the client is allowed to send and receive traffic.

```

!
interface TenGigabitEthernet1/0/1
  description Connected_to_MC
  switchport mode trunk
!
interface Vlan10
  description CLIENT-VLAN
  ip address 172.16.10.200 255.255.255.0
!
interface Vlan80
  description MANAGEMENT-VLAN
  ip address 10.20.1.3 255.255.255.0
!
ip dhcp snooping vlan 10
ip dhcp snooping
ip dhcp excluded-address 172.16.10.100 172.16.10.255
ip dhcp pool vlan10
  network 172.16.10.0 255.255.255.0
  default-router 172.16.10.200
!
wireless management interface Vlan80
!
wireless mobility group name mcg-name
wireless mobility group member ip 10.20.1.2 public-ip 10.20.1.2 << Mobility Controller IP
>>
!
guest-lan glan-1 1
  shutdown
  client vlan Vlan10
  no security web-auth << Use "security web-auth" for web-auth access & "no security web-auth"
  for open access. >>
  mobility anchor
  no shutdown
!

```

Example: Configuring CAPWAP Forwarding

```

Device> enable
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# vlan 1755
Device(config-vlan)# exit
Device(config)# access-session tunnel vlan 1775
Device(config)# end

```

Additional References for Wired Guest Access

Related Documents

Related Topic	Document Title
Cisco IOS commands	Cisco IOS Master Command List, All Releases
Cisco Identity-Based Networking Services commands	Cisco IOS Identity-Based Networking Services Command Reference

Standards and RFCs

RFC	Title
IEEE 802.1X	<i>Port based Network Access Control</i>

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Feature Information for Wired Guest Access

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Table 1: Feature Information for Wired Guest Access

Feature Name	Releases	Feature Information
Wired Guest Access	Cisco IOS XE Release 3.3SE	<p>The Wired Guest Access feature enables guest users of an enterprise network, that supports both wired and wireless access, to connect to the guest access network from a wired Ethernet connection. The wired Ethernet connection is designated and configured for guest access. Wired session guests on mobility agents are directed to a wireless guest controller in a demilitarized zone (DMZ) through a Control And Provisioning of Wireless Access Points (CAPWAP) tunnel.</p> <p>The following commands were introduced or modified: access-session tunnel vlan, event, match authorization-failure, tunnel type capwap.</p>

