



Preface

This publication explains the steps for configuration, control, and maintenance of the Cisco Aironet workgroup bridge.

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Audience

This publication is for the person configuring and operating a workgroup bridge. The person should be familiar with network structures and with network terms and concepts.

Organization

The major sections of this guide are:

- Chapter 1, “Workgroup Bridge Overview,” contains a general overview and a summary of key features.
- Chapter 2, “Using the Console System,” introduces the Console System, the Main menu, and shows you how to set up and configure the bridge’s parameters.
- Chapter 3, “Using the Configuration Menu,” provides an overview of the Configuration menu and how to save and restore your configurations.
- Chapter 4, “Configuring the Radio Network,” contains detailed procedures for configuring the radio network.
- Chapter 5, “Configuring the Ethernet Port,” contains detailed procedures for configuring the Ethernet port.
- Chapter 6, “Setting Network Identifiers,” outlines the procedures for setting the bridge’s Network Identifiers.
- Chapter 7, “Viewing Statistics,” describes how to use the Statistics menu to monitor the performance of the bridge.
- Chapter 8, “Using the Association Table,” provides an introduction to the association process and detailed procedures for setting up the bridge’s association table.
- Chapter 9, “Using Filters,” describes the use of filters to improve network performance.
- Chapter 10, “Setting Up Event Logs,” outlines the procedures for setting up event logs and lists the common error log messages received on the bridge.
- Chapter 11, “Performing Diagnostics,” provides detailed procedures for restarting your bridge, returning to your default configuration, and loading new firmware versions.
- Appendix A, “Workgroup Bridge Specifications,” details the bridge radio and physical specifications.
- Appendix B, “Console Menu Tree,” provides menu maps for the bridge’s configuration menus.

Conventions

This publication uses the following conventions to convey instructions and information:

- Commands and keywords are in **boldface** type.
- Web-browser page links are underlined.



Note

Means *reader take note*. Notes contain helpful suggestions or references to materials not contained in this manual.



Timesaver

Means the described action saves time. You can save time by performing the action described in the paragraph.



Caution

Means *reader be careful*. In this situation, you might do something that could result in equipment damage or loss of data.

Related Publications

For more information about installation and related products, refer to the following publications:

- *Cisco Aironet Workgroup Bridge Hardware Installation Guide*
- *Mounting Instructions for Cisco Aironet 340 and 350 Series Access Points, Base Stations, and Workgroup Bridges*
- *Release Notes for Cisco Aironet Workgroup Bridges*

Obtaining Documentation

The following sections provide sources for obtaining documentation from Cisco Systems.

World Wide Web

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- <http://www.cisco.com>
- <http://www-china.cisco.com>
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Technical Assistance Center

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Contacting TAC by Using the Cisco TAC Website

If you have a priority level 3 (P3) or priority level 4 (P4) problem, contact TAC by going to the TAC website:

<http://www.cisco.com/tac>

P3 and P4 level problems are defined as follows:

- P3—Your network performance is degraded. Network functionality is noticeably impaired, but most business operations continue.
- P4—You need information or assistance on Cisco product capabilities, product installation, or basic product configuration.

In each of the above cases, use the Cisco TAC website to quickly find answers to your questions.

To register for Cisco.com, go to the following website:

<http://www.cisco.com/register/>

If you cannot resolve your technical issue by using the TAC online resources, Cisco.com registered users can open a case online by using the TAC Case Open tool at the following website:

<http://www.cisco.com/tac/caseopen>

Contacting TAC by Telephone

If you have a priority level 1 (P1) or priority level 2 (P2) problem, contact TAC by telephone and immediately open a case. To obtain a directory of toll-free numbers for your country, go to the following website:

<http://www.cisco.com/warp/public/687/Directory/DirTAC.shtml>

P1 and P2 level problems are defined as follows:

- P1—Your production network is down, causing a critical impact to business operations if service is not restored quickly. No workaround is available.
- P2—Your production network is severely degraded, affecting significant aspects of your business operations. No workaround is available.