



Smart Business Communications System Feature Configuration Guide

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Introduction

Cisco Configuration Assistant (CCA) simplifies the task of configuring, deploying and administering the [Cisco Smart Business Communications System](#) (SBCS) -- a complete system of advanced voice, data, security, and wireless networking products designed specifically for small and medium-sized businesses. Cisco Configuration Assistant improves network security and performance and substantially reduces deployment and configuration time. This PC-based application features a simple graphical user interface (GUI) and provides everything required to quickly set up a small office network.

Cisco Configuration Assistant provides:

- Configuration, deployment, and ongoing network management support for the Cisco Smart Business Communications System
- Multiple network views
- Simplified network reporting
- Drag and drop software updates
- Troubleshooting

This document provides guidance to partners on the features that are supported within CCA Release 1.5 and what to use instead for features that are unsupported in CCA, for example Command Line Interface (CLI) or the Cisco Unity Express (CUE) GUI. The information is categorized by Voice, Switching, Wireless and Security.

Download [Cisco Configuration Assistant](#) at no charge at www.cisco.com/go/configassist by selecting the "LAN Network Management" option.

CCA Voice Feature Support

The following table lists the voice features that are supported by CCA 1.5 and those that require the use of other interfaces.

Table 1

| CCA Voice Feature Support | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|---|
| Category | Feature | v 1.0 | v 1.1 | v 1.5 | Description |
| Basic Network Config | | | | | |
| | WAN IP Address | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | DHCP | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Time Zone | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Data & Voice VLANs | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | IP Address on pre-existing data VLAN (VLAN 1) cannot be changed via CCA. Use CCA to create a new VLAN if required |
| | Routing | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Only Static Routing supported |
| Voice Deployment Scenarios | | | | | |
| | Key System / Square Mode | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Supported for FXO and T1/E1 CAS |
| | PBX Mode | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Support for DID and DOD |
| | Hybrid Mode (Key System with AA) | | | ✓ | Adds AA support to Key System mode |
| | Remote Teleworker | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Multi-site SBCS deployment | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| Key System Deployment | | | | | |
| | Trunk Monitor | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Supported for pure Key System (w/o AA) |
| | Paging Groups | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Intercom | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Multiple intercom is CLI. Only supported on button #2 |
| | Speed Dials | | | ✓ | System Speed Dials supported via CCA. All others must be configured via CLI |
| | CO Trunk (FXO) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Trunk line appearances on IP Phones |
| | Analog DID | | | ✓ | Only supported on the expansion VIC slot |
| | BRI | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Not supported on BRI SKU (unless VIC slot has FXO/T1/E1 module) |
| | T1 (PRI) including fractional | | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | E1 (PRI) including fractional | | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | T1 (CAS) including fractional | | | ✓ | E&M (Wink Start & Immediate Start signaling types supported). For FXS/FXO, loop start and ground start signaling types supported. |

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| | E1(CAS) including fractional | | | ✓ | E&M (Wink Start & Immediate Start signaling types supported). For FXS/FXO, loop start and ground start signaling types supported. |
| | Auto Attendant | | | ✓ | Only supported in Hybrid of Key System & PBX. Incoming call handed off to AA. |
| | E1 - R2 | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | FXO Hook Flash | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Busy Lamp Field (BLF) | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Line Monitoring | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| Dial Plan (PBX Mode) | | | | | |
| | Inbound Call Handling | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Call handling for FXO, BRI/T1/E1 incoming call handling mechanism |
| | Outbound Call Handling | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Ability to specify multiple emergency numbers, customized call blocking capability |
| | PSTN Number Mapping (DID) | | | ✓ | Ability to 1-to-1 and 1-to-many DID to internal extension mapping. |
| | Call Forward Busy | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Not supported for non-primary dn - requires CLI |
| | Call Forward No Answer | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Not supported for non-primary dn - requires CLI |
| | Inbound Caller ID Support | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Supported onFXO, BRI, PRI, SIP |
| | Outbound Caller ID Support | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Supported on BRI, PRI, SIP. If DID range is non-contiguous, outbound caller ID is AA number. |
| | Caller ID blocking | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Call Blocking | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Added ability to customize upto 5 call block numbers or ranges |
| | Outbound Dialing Restrictions (COR) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Based on outgoing dial-plans. Only North American dial plans supported. Limited support for outside US. Customization for outside US requires CLI. |
| | After Hours Dialing Restrictions | | | | Supported via CLI only |

| PSTN Trunks(PBX Mode) | | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| | CO Trunk (FXO) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Call handling per FXO port can be customized to redirect to AA/operator/hunt group/shared line, etc |
| | Analog DID | | | ✓ | Only supported on the expansion VIC slot |
| | BRI | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | T1 (PRI) including fractional | | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | E1(PRI) including fractional | | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | T1 (CAS) including fractional | | | ✓ | E&M (Wink Start & Immediate Start signaling types supported). For FXS/FXO, loop start and ground start signaling types supported. |
| | E1(CAS) including fractional | | | ✓ | E&M (Wink Start & Immediate Start signaling types supported). For FXS/FXO, loop start and ground start signaling types supported. |
| | E1 - R2 | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Analog Station Ports (Integrated FXS) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Outbound Caller ID supported via CLI only |
| | SIP Trunks | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Added support for AT&T in CCA 1.5. Other providers may require CLI configuration. |
| Voice System Features(PBX Mode) | | | | | |
| | Call Pickup | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Call Park | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Hunt Groups | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Final destination parameter unsupported |
| | Paging Groups | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Intercom | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Multiple intercom is CLI. Only supported on button #2 |
| | Adhoc Conferencing | | | ✓ | For 8/16 user system, max number of conferences is 4. For 32/48 user system, this limit is at 8. |
| | MeetMe Conferencing | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Basic Automatic Call Distribution | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Night Service | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | URL Provision | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | FAX support | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | CDR Integration | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| Users/phones/extensions(PBX Mode) | | | | | |
| | Multiple extensions per phone | | | ✓ | |
| | Shared line | | | ✓ | Cannot share primary DN |

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| | 2 calls per line | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Overlay DN | | | ✓ | Cannot overlay primary DN. Use CLI for Call Waiting Overlay |
| | Busy Line Monitoring | | | ✓ | |
| | PSTN Line Appearance | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Speed Dials | | | ✓ | System Speed Dials supported via CCA. All others must be configured via CLI |
| | SIP Phone support | | | ✓ | Cisco 39xx only |
| | Soft Key Templates | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Extension Mobility | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Distinctive Ring/Silent Ring | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| Voice Mail (PBX Mode and Key System Mode) | | | | | |
| | Mailbox | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Voice View Xpress | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Automatically configured by CCA |
| | IMAP | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Automatically configured by CCA. IMAP client must be configured manually. |
| | Greeting | | | | Administered by Telephony UI |
| | Message Notification (Email/page) | | | | Supported via CUE GUI only |
| Auto Attendant (PBX Mode and Hybrid Mode) | | | | | |
| | AA_transfer script customization | | | ✓ | |
| | AA_SBCS_v01 script support | | | | Supported via CUE GUI and CLI |
| | Custom Script creation | | | | Requires CUE Script Editor ver 2.3.4 |
| | Prompt mgmt | | | | Supported via CUE GUI and CLI |
| | Holiday/Business Hrs | | | | Requires CUE GUI + script modification |
| UC-520 Administration (All Deployment Modes) | | | | | |
| | Backup/Restore of Config/Data | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Both UC-520 and vmail data backed up. Vmail only works with CUE 2.3.x (CUE 3.0 not supported) |
| | Reset to factory default | | | ✓ | |
| | IOS Upgrade | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | drag-n-drop |
| | CME/CUE localization | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Phone loads | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Phone loads should be in the phone load folder in CCA |
| | Music on Hold (MOH) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | .au & .wav files can be drag-n-dropped |
| | CUE upgrade | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Ring tones | NA | NA | NA | Included in 4.2.5 s/w bundle |

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|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----|----|----|--|
| | Background Images | NA | NA | NA | Included in 4.2.5 s/w bundle |
| Remote Teleworker Deployment | | | | | |
| | Video Support via VT Advantage | NA | NA | NA | Point-to-Point supported via UC-500 default config |
| | Soft phone (CIPC) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | 871W | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | EzVPN Client on 871W |
| | Codec Config | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Firewall/NAT Traversal(MTP) | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Transcoding | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| Multi-site SBCS Deployment | | | | | |
| | H.323 and SIP VoIP parameters | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Call admission control (CAC) | | | | Supported via CLI only |
| | Vmail Networking (VPIM) | | | | Supported via CUE GUI only |
| | Broadcast lists | | | | Supported via CUE GUI only |
| | Distribution list | | | | Supported via CUE GUI only |

CCA Switching Feature Support

The following table lists the switching features that are supported by CCA 1.5 and those that require the use of other interfaces.

Table 2

| CCA Switch Feature Support | | | | | |
|--|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|---|
| Category | Feature | v 1.0 | v 1.1 | v 1.5 | Description |
| Layer 2 Switching | | | | | |
| | Spanning Tree Protocol | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fast convergence using 802.1w, enabled by default • Portfast: supported on "Desktop," "Phone + Desktop," "Printer," and "Server" Smartports roles |
| | MAC addresses | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 8000 MAC addresses |
| | Virtual LANs (VLANs) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Up to 32 VLANs (1000 range) and support for 802.1Q trunking using Cisco Smartports |
| | Number and type of queues | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 queues per port • Shaped Round Robin (SRR) queuing • Support for differentiated services code point (DSCP) and class of service (CoS) using Cisco Smartports |
| | Port grouping | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for Cisco EtherChannel[®] and IEEE 802.3ad • Up to 6 groups • Up to 8 ports per group |
| Smartports (Preset Cisco Recommended Network Enhancements, QoS, and Security) | | | | | |
| | Desktop | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimized for desktop connectivity • Configurable VLAN setting • Port security enabled to limit unauthorized access to the network |
| | IP Phone + Desktop | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimized QoS for IP phone + desktop configurations • Voice traffic is placed on "Cisco-Voice" VLAN • Configurable data VLAN • QoS level assures voice-over-IP (VoIP) traffic takes precedence • Port security enabled to limit unauthorized access to the network |
| | Router | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Configured for optimal connection to a router or firewall for WAN connectivity |
| | Switch | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Configured as an uplink port to a backbone switch for fast convergence • Enables 802.1Q trunking |
| | Access Point | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Configured for optimal connection to a wireless access point • Configurable VLAN |
| | Server | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <p>Can be classified as trusted, critical, business, or standard server:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trusted: for use with Cisco CallManager Express, same QoS setting as voice (VoIP traffic is prioritized) • Critical: for critical servers with QoS set higher than default • Business: default setting; QoS higher than desktop Internet traffic • Standard: for servers set to same level as regular desktop Internet traffic <p>Configurable VLAN port security enabled to limit unauthorized access to the network</p> |

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| Printer | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • QoS settings for "Printer" are the same as "Desktop," "Access Point," and "Standard Server" • Configurable VLAN • Port security enabled to limit unauthorized access to the network |
| Guest | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guests are allowed access to the Internet, but not to the company network • All guest ports are placed on the "Cisco-Guest" VLAN • Port security enabled to limit unauthorized access to the network |
| Other | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Other" Smartports role allows for flexible connectivity of nonspecified devices • Configurable VLAN • No security • No QoS policy |
| Diagnostic | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Customers can connect diagnostics devices to monitor traffic on other switches (configurable using Cisco Configuration Assistant only) |
| Security | | | | |
| SSL | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | SSL support: encrypts all HTTP traffic, allowing secure access to the browser-based management GUI in the switch |
| Security policy slider | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <p>Three security levels: low, medium, and high (configurable using Cisco Configuration Assistant only):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Low: for business environments where there is limited guest access; limited number of devices are allowed per port • Medium: for business environments where security is important; only authorized devices (by MAC address) are allowed on the company network • High: for business environments where security is critical; only authorized devices (by MAC address) and authenticated users (using IEEE 802.1x) are allowed on the company network |
| Multicast | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High-bandwidth video traffic is optimized so that it does not affect other applications on the network. • Internet Group Management Protocol (IGMP) (v1, v2, and v3) snooping: IGMP snooping constrains multicast traffic at Layer 2 by configuring Layer 2 LAN ports dynamically to forward multicast traffic only to those ports that want to receive it. |

CCA Wireless Feature Support

The following table lists the wireless features that are supported by CCA 1.5 and those that require the use of other interfaces.

Table 3

| CCA Wireless Feature Support | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|---|
| Category | Feature | v 1.0 | v 1.1 | v 1.5 | Description |
| Basic Device Config | | | | | |
| | Host Name | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | System Time | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Day-Light Saving Time | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | AAP521 only |
| | Time Zone | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | NTP | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | HTTP Authentication | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | AAP521 only |
| | Enable Password | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | AAP521 only |
| | Local User Name & Password | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Telnet & Console Passwords | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | AAP521 only |
| | VLAN | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | For AAP521, VLAN is created as part of WLANs |
| | Data, Voice and Guest VLANs Usability | | | ✓ | WLC526 only |
| | Save Configuration | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| WLAN Deployment Scenarios | | | | | |
| | WLAN | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Data WLAN Usability | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| | Voice WLAN Usability | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| | Guest VLAN Usability | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| | Secure Authentication | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | WEP, EAP, WPA, WPA-PSK, WPA2, WPA2-PSK, MAC, MAC+EAP |
| | Web Authentication | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| | Fast Roaming (CCKM) | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| | Voice CAC | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| WLAN Users | | | | | |
| | Guest User | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| | non-Guest User | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| | Web Login Page | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x; both internal & customized web login page |
| Convert To LAP | | | | | |
| | Convert AAP to LAP | | | ✓ | AAP521 only |

| Reports | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|---|---|---|---|
| | Inventory | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | LAP521s are displayed under their respective WLC526 |
| | Wireless Radios | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | WLC526 only |
| | Wireless Clients | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | WLC526 only |
| Views | | | | | |
| | Topology | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Front Panel View | | | ✓ | WLC526 only |
| Monitor | | | | | |
| | Events | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Includes acknowledgements |
| | System Messages | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| Maintenance | | | | | |
| | Software Upgrade | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Configuration Archive | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Includes RMA setup |
| | Restart (i.e. reboot) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| | Reset to Factory Default | | | ✓ | |
| | Upload Troubleshooting Log | | | ✓ | |
| Out-Of-box Setup | | | | | |
| | Device Setup Wizard | | | ✓ | WLC526 only with version 4.2.x.x |
| Online Help | | | | | |
| | All Features | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Per device type context |
| | Wireless Client Setup | | | ✓ | |
| | 7921 Mobile IP Phone Setup | | | ✓ | |

CCA Security Feature Support

The following table lists the security features that are supported by CCA 1.5 and those that require the use of other interfaces.

Table 4

| CCA Security Feature Support | | | | | |
|------------------------------|---|-------|-------|-------|--|
| Category | Feature | v 1.0 | v 1.1 | v 1.5 | Description |
| Firewall | | | | | |
| | Application firewall | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides high, medium, and low security levels for firewall policy settings to enable accelerated and easy deployment Low-For business environments that do not need to track P2P and IM applications on the network or check for protocol conformance Medium-For business environments where security is important and there is a need to track the use of IM and P2P applications and check for HTTP and e-mail protocol conformance High-For business environments where security is critical, and there is a need for protocol anomaly detection services to drop non conformant HTTP and e-mail traffic and prevent use of P2P and IM applications |
| VPN | | | | | |
| | Cisco Easy VPN Remote | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Scalable, easy-to-manage, secure remote access for teleworkers or small offices on hub routers or branch office access routers |
| | Cisco Easy VPN Server | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | Offers wizard-based configuration of remote-access VPN server configuration for UC-500 |
| | Split Tunneling | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| Other | | | | | |
| | SSL- and SSHv2-based Secure Remote Access | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides for secure management between PC and UC-500 Automatically uses SSHv2 for all encrypted communication between CCA and UC-500 |
| | Network Address Translation (NAT) | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 1-to-1 static port mapping for TCP and UDP ports |
| | DMZ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | A DMZ network enables Internet users to access a company's public servers, including Web and File Transfer Protocol (FTP) servers, while maintaining security for the company's private LAN. |
| | Security Audit | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assesses vulnerability of existing UC-500 Provides quick compliance to best-practices (Cisco TAC, ICASA recommendations) security policies for UC-500 |