

Configuring Auto SmartPorts

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Restrictions for Auto SmartPorts

• Although Auto SmartPort detects the Cisco switch it does not invoke the event trigger automatically. The event trigger needs to be manually invoked to map the switch to macros.

Information about Auto SmartPorts

Auto SmartPort macros dynamically configure ports based on the device type detected on the port. When the switch detects a new device on a port, it applies the appropriate Auto SmartPorts macro. When a link-down event occurs on the port, the switch removes the macro. For example, when you connect a Cisco IP phone to a port, Auto SmartPorts automatically applies the Cisco IP phone macro. The Cisco IP phone macro enables quality of service (QoS), security features, and a dedicated voice VLAN to ensure proper treatment of delay-sensitive voice traffic.

Auto SmartPorts uses event triggers to map devices to macros. The most common event triggers are based on Cisco Discovery Protocol (CDP) messages received from connected devices. The detection of a device (Cisco IP phone, Cisco wireless access point, or Cisco router) invokes an event trigger for that device.

Link Layer Discovery Protocol (LLDP) is used to detect devices that do not support CDP. Other mechanisms used as event triggers include the 802.1X authentication result and MAC-address learned.

System built-in event triggers exist for various devices based mostly on CDP and LLDP messages and some MAC address. These triggers are enabled as long as Auto SmartPort is enabled.

You can configure user-defined trigger groups for profiles and devices. The name of the trigger group is used to associate a user-defined macro.

Auto SmartPort Macros

The Auto SmartPort macros are groups of CLI commands. Detection of devices on a port triggers the application of the macro for the device. System built-in macros exist for various devices, and, by default, system built-in triggers are mapped to the corresponding built-in macros. You can change the mapping of built-in triggers or macros as needed.

A macro basically applies or removes a set of CLIs on an interface based on the link status. In a macro, the link status is checked. If the link is up, then a set of CLIs is applied; if the link is down, the set is removed (the no format of the CLIs are applied). The part of the macro that applies the set of CLIs is termed macro. The part that removes the CLIs (the no format of the CLIs) are termed antimacro.

When a device is connected to an Auto SmartPort, if it gets classified as a lighting end point, it invokes the event trigger CISCO_LIGHT_EVENT, and the macro CISCO_LIGHT_AUTO_SMARTPORT is executed.

Customizing Device Classifier

The device classifier (DC) collects information from protocols like CDP, LLDP, DHCP and other protocols to identify devices. You must enable CDP and LLDP on the device. To make DHCP options information available to the DC, you must enable the DHCP snooping feature on the switch. The device attributes collected from these protocols are evaluated against a set of profiles available to the DC to find the best match. The best-matched profile is used for device identification.

Device-classifier uses three types of profile definitions-built-in, default, and user-defined profiles.

- Built-in profiles contain the device profiles that are known to the Auto SmartPort module which comprises of a limited set of Cisco devices. They are built into Cisco IOS and cannot be changed.
- Default profiles are stored as a text file in non-volatile storage and allow the DC to identify a much larger set of devices. Default profiles are updated as part of the Cisco IOS archive download.
- User-defined profiles support custom profiling based on user's input. The device classifier identifies rules, conditions and profiles from the user input.

Commands executed by CISCO_LIGHT_AUTO_SMARTPORT

When the macro is executed, it runs a series of commands on the switch.

The commands that are executed by running the macro CISCO_LIGHT_AUTO_SMARTPORT are:

- switchport mode access
- switchport port-security violation restrict
- switchport port-security mac-address sticky

- switchport port-security
- power inline port poe-ha
- storm-control broadcast level 50.00
- storm-control multicast level 50.00
- storm-control unicast level 50.00
- spanning-tree portfast
- spanning-tree bpduguard enable

Enabling Auto SmartPort



Note

Auto SmartPort is disabled by default.

To disable Auto SmartPorts macros on a specific port, use the **no macro auto global processing** interface command before enabling Auto SmartPort globally.

To enable Auto SmartPort globally, use the **macro auto global processing** global configuration command. To enable Auto SmartPorts, perform this task:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	device classifier	Enables the device classifier.
	Example:	Use no device classifier command to disable the device classifier.
	Device(config)# device classifier	
Step 4	macro auto global processing	Enables Auto SmartPorts on the switch globally.
	Example:	Use no macro auto global processing command to disable Auto SmartPort globally.
	Device(config)# macro auto global	

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
	processing	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	
Step 6	show running-config	Verifies your entries.
	Example:	
	Device# show running-config	
Step 7	copy running-config startup-config	(Optional) Saves your entries in the
	Example:	configuration file.
	Device# copy running-config startup-config	

Configuring Device Classifier Profiles

To customise device classifier profiles, follow the steps:

Before you begin

Disable device classifier feature before customising device classifier profiles. Use the **no device classifier** command to disable device classifier feature.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	device classifier condition condition-name [op{OR AND}]	Defines device classifier condition.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example: Device(config)# device classifier condition ts-cond1	 <i>condition-name</i> sets the name of the condition for device classifier. op OR defines OR operator of rules. If either of the protocols defined matches, the device gets classified. op AND defines AND operator of rules. If all the protocols defined matches, the device gets classified. Note If you change any of the parameters of the condition, it is considered as a new condition. In this case, default AND operator
		of rules is applied for both the conditions.
Step 4	{cdp dhcp lldp}tlv-type number value {integer num string name} Example:	Configures profiling based on match of TLV for either integer or string value of the given protocol. The protocols supported are CDP, DHCP, and LLDP.
	Device(config-device-classifier-condition)# cdp tlv-type 1 value String TS01	• tlv-type <i>number</i> configures application TLV type information. The <i>number</i> range is 1 to 255.
		• value configures application TLV value information. You can set an integer or a string value.
		Note The supported protocols are CDP, DHCP, and LLDP. Protocols like HTTP, OUI are not supported in Cisco IOS XE Bengaluru 17.4.1.
Step 5	exit	Exits device classifier condition configuration
	Example:	mode.
	Device(config-device-classifier-condition)# exit	
Step 6	device classifier device-type profile-name	Configures profile based on defined conditions.
	Example: Device(config)# device classifier device-type Terminal-Server	<i>profile-name</i> defines a name for the device type. The device gets classified to the set <i>profile-name</i> if there is a match of the conditions.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	condition condition-name	Enter name of the condition for the profile.
	Example:	
	Device(config-device-classifier-dtype)# condition ts-cond1	
Step 8	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	

Configuring Mapping Between Event Triggers and Built-in Macros

Note

You need to perform this task when a Cisco switch is connected to the Auto SmartPort.

To map an event trigger to a built-in macros, perform this task:

Before you begin

You need to enable auto smartport macros globally.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	enable	Enables privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	• Enter your password if prompted.
	Device> enable	
Step 2	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 3	macro auto executeevent triggerbuiltinbuilt-in macro nameExample:	Specifies a user-defined event trigger and a macro name. This action configures mapping from an event trigger to a built-in Auto Smartports macro.
	Device(config) # macro auto execute CISCO_SWITCH_EVENT builtin CISCO_SWITCH_AUTO_SMARTPORT	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 4	macro auto trigger event trigger	Invokes the user-defined event trigger.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# macro auto trigger CISCO_SWITCH_EVENT	
Step 5	device device_ID	Matches the event trigger to the device
	Example:	identifier.
	Device(config)# device cisco WS-C3560CX-8PT-S	
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# end	
Step 7	show shell triggers	Displays the event triggers on the switch.
	Example:	
	Device# show shell triggers	
Step 8	show running-config	Verifies your entries.
	Example:	
	Device# show running-config	
Step 9	copy running-config startup-config	(Optional) Saves your entries in the
	Example:	configuration file.
	Device# copy running-config startup-config	

Example: Enabling Auto SmartPorts

This example shows how you can enable to Auto SmartPort.

```
Device> enable
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# device classifier
Device(config)# macro auto global processing
Device(config)# end
```

Example: Configuring Mapping Between Event Triggers and Built-in Macros

This example shows how you can configure mapping between event triggers and built-in macros.

```
Device> enable
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# macro auto execute CISCO SWITCH EVENT builtin CISCO SWITCH AUTO SMARTPORT
```

```
Device(config)# macro auto trigger CISCO_SWITCH_EVENT
Device(config)# device cisco WS-C3560CX-8PT-S
Device(config)# end
```

Example: Configuring Device Classifier Profiles

The following is a sample configuration of profiling based on match for string in device-name TLV of CDP packet. Once the match is found, the device gets classified to Terminal-Server.

```
Device> enable
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# device classifier condition ts-cond1
Device(config-device-classifier-condition)# cdp tlv-type 1 value String TS01
Device(config-device-classifier-condition)# exit
Device(config)# device classifier device-type Terminal-Server
Device(config-device-classifier-dtype)#condition ts-cond1
```

The following is a sample configuration of profiling based on match for two different protocols in the device name TLV of CDP packet and system name TLV of LLDP packet. If both the protocol match is found, the device gets classified to Terminal-Server.

```
Device> enable
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# device classifier condition ts-cond2 op OR
Device(config-device-classifier-condition)# cdp tlv-type 1 value number 0x0029
Device(config-device-classifier-condition)#lldp tlv-type 5 value String TS02
Device(config-device-classifier-condition)# exit
Device(config)#device classifier device-type Terminal-Server
Device(config-device-classifier-dtype)# condition ts-cond2
```

The following is a sample configuration of profiling based on match for two different protocols in the device name TLV of CDP packet and system name TLV of LLDP packet. If both the protocol match is found, the device gets classified to Terminal-Server.

```
Device> enable
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# device classifier condition ts-cond2 op AND
Device(config-device-classifier-condition)# cdp tlv-type 1 value number 0x0001
Device(config-device-classifier-condition)#lldp tlv-type 5 value String TS02
Device(config-device-classifier-condition)# exit
Device(config)#device classifier device-type Terminal-Server
Device(config-device-classifier-dtype)# condition ts-cond3
```

Feature Information for Auto SmartPorts

The following table provides release information about the feature or features described in this module. This table lists only the software release that introduced support for a given feature in a given software release train. Unless noted otherwise, subsequent releases of that software release train also support that feature.

Use Cisco Feature Navigator to find information about platform support and Cisco software image support. To access Cisco Feature Navigator, go to www.cisco.com/go/cfn. An account on Cisco.com is not required.

Table 1: Feature Information for Auto SmartPorts

Feature Name	Releases	Feature Information
Auto SmartPorts	Cisco IOS XE Everest 16.5.1a	Auto SmartPort macros dynamically configure ports based on the device type detected on the port. When the switch detects a new device on a port, it applies the appropriate Auto SmartPorts macro.
Device Classifier Profiles	Cisco IOS XE Bengaluru 17.4.1	Allows you to configure the rules for matching and classifying the device using device classifier conditions.