

Static IP Client Mobility

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Information About Static IP Client Mobility

At times, you may want to configure static IP addresses for wireless clients. When these wireless clients move about in a network, they might try associating with other controllers.

If the clients try to associate with a controller that does not support the same subnet as the static IP address, the clients fail to connect to the network. The controller inspects the ARP requests sent by the clients to determine if the clients are using static IP addresses or IP addresses that were previously assigned by DHCP. If the ARP requests contain IP addresses that do not exist on any of the controller's Switched Virtual Interfaces (SVIs), the clients are disconnected due to a "VLAN_FAIL" error, resulting in client traffic backhauled without explicit disconnection.

The disconnection due to VLAN mismatch is a change in functionality introduced in the 17.9.1 release.

Static IP clients with static IP addresses can be associated with other controllers in which the client's subnet is supported by tunneling the traffic to another controller in the same mobility group. This feature enables you to configure your WLAN so that the network is serviced even though the clients use static IP addresses.

Restrictions

- This feature is not supported on the Fabric and Cisco Catalyst 9800 Wireless Controller for Switch platforms.
- IPv6 is not supported.
- FlexConnect mode is not supported.
- WebAuth (LWA and CWA) is not supported.
- Supported only Open, Dot1x, and PSK authentication mechanisms.

- Supports only on the WLANs that are exclusive of the mobility anchor configuration. If the mobility anchor is already configured on a WLAN, and if static IP mobility is enabled, the feature is not supported.
- Supported only when all the peers are configured for the static IP mobility that is enabled.
- IRCM is not supported.

Configuring Static IP Client Mobility (GUI)

Procedure

- **Step 1** Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > Policy.
- **Step 2** On the **Policy** page, click the policy profile name or click **Add** to create a new one.
- Step 3 Click the Mobility tab.
- **Step 4** Set the **Static IP Mobility** field to **Enabled** state.
- Step 5 Click Update & Apply to Device.

Configuring Static IP Client Mobility (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to configure static IP client mobility:

Before you begin

- Configure the SVI interface (L3 VLAN interface) to service the static IP client on at least one of the peer controllers in the network.
- For clients to join a controller, the VLAN (based on the VLAN number in the policy profile configuration) should be configured on the device.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example: Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	<pre>wireless profile policy profile-policy-name Example: Device(config) # wireless profile policy static-ip-policy</pre>	Configures a WLAN policy profile and enters wireless policy configuration mode.
Step 3	static-ip-mobility Example:	Enables static IP mobility.

Command or Action	Purpose
Device(config-wireless-policy)# static-ip-mobility	

Verifying Static IP Client Mobility

Use the following commands to verify the static IP client mobility configuration:

Device# show wireless profile policy detailed static-ip-policy

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Policy Profile Name
                             : static-ip-policy
Description
Status
                             : DISABLED
VLAN
Wireless management interface VLAN
                                          : 34
Passive Client : DISABLED
ET-Analytics
                             : DISABLED
                            : DISABLED
StaticIP Mobility
WLAN Switching Policy
 Central Switching : ENABLED
Central Authentication : ENABLED
DISABLED
 Flex NAT PAT : DISABLED
Central Assoc : DISABLED
 Flex NAT PAT
WLAN Flex Policy
 VLAN based Central Switching
                                         · DISABLED
WLAN ACL
 IPv4 ACL
                             : Not Configured
                             : Not Configured
 TPv6 ACL
 Layer2 ACL : Not Configured
Preauth urlfilter list : Not Configured
Postauth urlfilter list : Not Configured
WLAN Timeout
 Session Timeout
                            : 1800
                             : 300
  Idle Timeout
  Idle Threshold
                             : 0
WLAN Local Profiling
 Subscriber Policy Name
                            : Not Configured
 RADIUS Profiling
                            : DISABLED
                            : DISABLED
 HTTP TLV caching
  DHCP TLV caching
                             : DISABLED
WLAN Mobility
                            : DISABLED
 Anchor
AVC VISIBILITY
                             : Disabled
Flow Monitor IPv4
 Flow Monitor Ingress Name : Not Configured
 Flow Monitor Egress Name : Not Configured
Flow Monitor IPv6
 Flow Monitor Ingress Name : Not Configured
  Flow Monitor Egress Name : Not Configured
NBAR Protocol Discovery : Disabled
Reanchoring
                             : Disabled
Classmap name for Reanchoring
 Reanchoring Classmap Name : Not Configured
QOS per SSID
 Ingress Service Name
                            : Not Configured
  Egress Service Name
                             : Not Configured
QOS per Client
  Ingress Service Name
                             : Not Configured
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Egress Service Name : Not Configured
Umbrella information
 Cisco Umbrella Parameter Map : Not Configured
Autogos Mode
                           : None
Call Snooping
                            : Disabled
Fabric Profile
 Profile Name
                           : Not Configured
Accounting list
 Accounting List
                             : Not Configured
DHCP
                            : DISABLED
 required
 server address
                            : 0.0.0.0
 Opt82
 DhcpOpt82Enable : DISABLED
DhcpOpt82Ascii : DISABLED
DhcpOpt82Rid : DISABLED
 DhcpOpt82Rid
                           : DISABLED
 APMAC
                            : DISABLED
 SSID
                            : DISABLED
 AP ETHMAC
                           : DISABLED
 APNAME
                           : DISABLED
 POLICY TAG
                           : DISABLED
 POLICI ....
AP_LOCATION
                           : DISABLED
 VLAN ID
                            : DISABLED
Exclusionlist Params
                         : ENABLED
 Exclusionlist
 Exclusion Timeout
                           : 60
AAA Policy Params
 AAA Override
                           : DISABLED
                        : DISABLED
: default-aaa-policy
 NAC
AAA Policy name
WGB Policy Params
 - Broadcast Tagging : DISABLED
                           : DISABLED
 Client VLAN
Mobility Anchor List
 IP Address
                                           Priority
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Device# show run | section profile policy

```
wireless profile policy default-policy-profile central switching description "default policy profile" static-ip-mobility vlan 50 no shutdown
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