

Web-Based Authentication

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Local Web Authentication Overview

Web authentication is a Layer 3 security solution designed for providing easy and secure guest access to hosts on WLAN with open authentication or appropriate layer 2 security methods. Web authentication allows users to get authenticated through a web browser on a wireless client, with minimal configuration on the client side. It allows users to associate with an open SSID without having to set up a user profile. The host receives an IP address and DNS information from the DHCP server, however cannot access any of the network resources until they authenticate successfully. When the host connects to the guest network, the WLC redirects the host to an authentication web page where the user needs to enter valid credentials. The credentials are authenticated by the WLC or an external authentication server and if authenticated successfully is given full access to the network. Hosts can also be given limited access to particular network resources before authentication for which the pre-authentication ACL functionality needs to be configured.

The following are the different types of web authentication methods:

- Local Web Authentication (LWA): Configured as Layer 3 security on the controller, the web authentication page and the pre-authentication ACL are locally configured on the controller. The controller intercepts htttp(s) traffic and redirects the client to the internal web page for authentication. The credentials entered by the client on the login page is authenticated by the controller locally or through a RADIUS or LDAP server.
- External Web Authentication (EWA): Configured as Layer 3 security on the controller, the controller intercepts htttp(s) traffic and redirects the client to the login page hosted on the external web server. The credentials entered by the client on the login page is authenticated by the controller locally or through a RADIUS or LDAP server. The pre-authentication ACL is configured statically on the controller.

• Central Web Authentication (CWA): Configured mostly as Layer 2 security on the controller, the redirection URL and the pre-authentication ACL reside on ISE and are pushed during layer 2 authentication to the controller. The controller redirects all web traffic from the client to the ISE login page. ISE validates the credentials entered by the client through HTTPS and authenticates the user.

Use the local web authentication feature, known as web authentication proxy, to authenticate end users on host systems that do not run the IEEE 802.1x supplicant.

When a client initiates an HTTP session, local web authentication intercepts ingress HTTP packets from the host and sends an HTML login page to the users. The users enter their credentials, which the local web authentication feature sends to the authentication, authorization, and accounting (AAA) server for authentication.

If authentication succeeds, local web authentication sends a Login-Successful HTML page to the host and applies the access policies returned by the AAA server.

If authentication fails, local web authentication forwards a Login-Fail HTML page to the user, prompting the user to retry the login. If the user exceeds the maximum number of attempts, local web authentication forwards a Login-Expired HTML page to the host, and the user is excluded with the exclusion reason as Web authentication failure.

When a client reaches maximum HTTP connections (maximum of 200 connections when configured), it will cause Transmission Control Protocol (TCP) resets and client exclusion.



Note

You should use either global or named parameter-map under WLAN (for method-type, custom, and redirect) for using the same web authentication methods, such as consent, web consent, and webauth. Global parameter-map is applied by default, if none of the parameter-map is configured under WLAN.



Note

The traceback that you receive when webauth client tries to do authentication does not have any performance or behavioral impact. It happens rarely when the context for which FFM replied back to EPM for ACL application is already dequeued (possibly due to timer expiry) and the session becomes 'unauthorized'.



Note

When command authorization is enabled as a part of AAA Authorization configuration through TACACS and the corresponding method list is not configured as a part of the HTTP configuration, WebUI pages will not load any data. However, some wireless feature pages may work as they are privilege based and not command based.

Based on where the web pages are hosted, the local web authentication can be categorized as follows:

- *Internal*—The internal default HTML pages (Login, Success, Fail, and Expire) in the controller are used during the local web authentication.
- *Customized*—The customized web pages (Login, Success, Fail, and Expire) are downloaded onto the controller and used during the local web authentication.
- External—The customized web pages are hosted on the external web server instead of using the in-built or custom web pages.

Based on the various web authentication pages, the types of web authentication are as follows:

- Webauth—This is a basic web authentication. Herein, the controller presents a policy page with the user name and password. You need to enter the correct credentials to access the network.
- Consent or web-passthrough—Herein, the controller presents a policy page with the Accept or Deny buttons. You need to click the Accept button to access the network.
- *Webconsent*—This is a combination of webauth and consent web authentication types. Herein, the controller presents a policy page with Accept or Deny buttons along with user name or password. You need to enter the correct credentials and click the Accept button to access the network.



Note

- You can view the webauth parameter-map information using the **show running-config** command output.
- The wireless Web-Authentication feature does not support the bypass type.
- Change in web authentication parameter map redirect login URL does not occur until a AP rejoin happens. You must enable and disable the WLAN to apply the new URL redirection.



Note

We recommend that you follow the Cisco guidelines to create a customized web authentication login page. If you have upgraded to the latest versions of Google Chrome or Mozilla Firefox browsers, ensure that your webauth bundle has the following line in the *login.html* file:

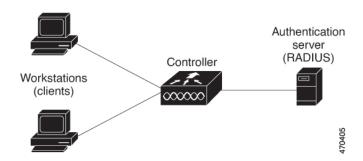
<body onload="loadAction();">

Device Roles

With local web authentication, the devices in the network have these specific roles:

- *Client*—The device (workstation) that requests access to the network and the controller and responds to requests from the controller. The workstation must be running an HTML browser with Java Script enabled.
- Authentication server—Authenticates the client. The authentication server validates the identity of the
 client and notifies the controller that the client is authorized to access the network and the controller
 services or that the client is denied.
- *Controller*—Controls the physical access to the network based on the authentication status of the client. The controller acts as an intermediary (proxy) between the client and the authentication server, requesting identity information from the client, verifying that information with the authentication server, and relaying a response to the client.

Figure 1: Local Web Authentication Device Roles



Authentication Process

When the page is hosted on the controller, the controller uses its virtual IP (a non-routable IP like 192.0.2.1 typically) to serve the request. If the page is hosted externally, the web redirection sends the client first to the virtual IP, which then sends the user again to the external login page while it adds arguments to the URL, such as the location of the virtual IP. Even when the page is hosted externally, the user submits its credentials to the virtual IP.

When you enable local web authentication, these events occur:

- The user initiates an HTTP session.
- The HTTP traffic is intercepted, and authorization is initiated. The controller sends the login page to the user. The user enters a username and password, and the controller sends the entries to the authentication server.
- If the authentication succeeds, the controller downloads and activates the user's access policy from the authentication server. The login success page is sent to the user.
- If the authentication fails, the controller sends the login fail page. The user retries the login. If the maximum number of attempts fails, the controller sends the login expired page, and the host is placed in a watch list. After the watch list times out, the user can retry the authentication process.
- If authentication server is not available, after the web authentication retries, the client moves to the excluded state and the client receives an Authentication Server is Unavailable page.
- The controller reauthenticates a client when the host does not respond to an ARP probe on a Layer 2 interface, or when the host does not send any traffic within the idle timeout on a Layer 3 interface.
- Web authentication sessions can not apply new VLAN as part of the authorization policy, as the client
 already has been assigned an IP address and you will not be able to change the IP address in the client,
 in case the VLAN changes.
- If the terminate action is default, the session is dismantled, and the applied policy is removed.



Note

Do not use semicolons (;) while configuring username for GUI access.

Local Web Authentication Banner

With Web Authentication, you can create a default and customized web-browser banners that appears when you log in to the controller.

The banner appears on both the login page and the authentication-result pop-up pages. The default banner messages are as follows:

- Authentication Successful
- Authentication Failed
- Authentication Expired

The Local Web Authentication Banner can be configured as follows:

• Use the following global configuration command:

```
Device(config) # parameter map type webauth global
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # banner ?
file <file-name>
text <Banner text>
title <Banner title>
```

The default banner *Cisco Systems* and *Switch host-name Authentication* appear on the Login Page. *Cisco Systems* appears on the authentication result pop-up page.

Figure 2: Authentication Successful Banner



The banner can be customized as follows:

• Add a message, such as switch, router, or company name to the banner:

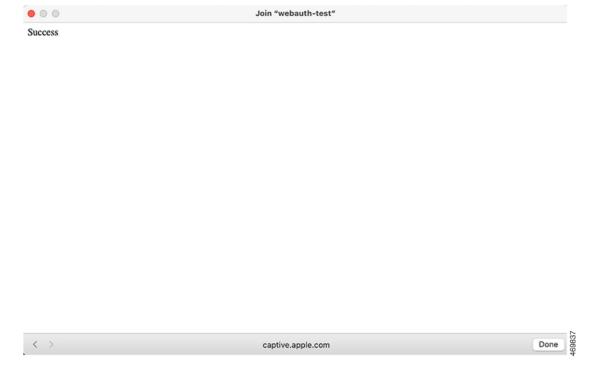
• New-style mode—Use the following global configuration command:

parameter-map type webauth global banner text <text>

- Add a logo or text file to the banner:
 - New-style mode—Use the following global configuration command:

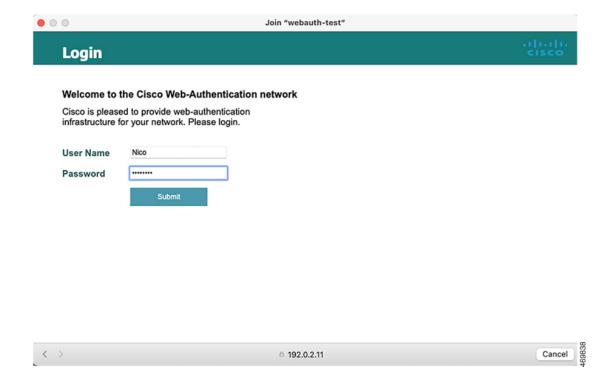
parameter-map type webauth global banner file <filepath>

Figure 3: Customized Web Banner



If you do not enable a banner, only the username and password dialog boxes appear in the web authentication login screen, and no banner appears when you log into the switch.

Figure 4: Login Screen With No Banner



Customized Local Web Authentication

During the local web authentication process, the switch's internal HTTP server hosts four HTML pages to deliver to an authenticating client. The server uses these pages to notify you of these four authentication process states:

- Login: Your credentials are requested
- Success: The login was successful
- Fail: The login failed
- Expire: The login session has expired because of excessive login failures



Note

Virtual IP address is mandatory to configure custom web authentication.

From Cisco IOS XE Dublin 17.11.1, special characters such as \ddot{o} or \dot{a} are supported in the login portal for banner title and banner text. The number of characters supported on the banner text has been doubled to 400. To support special characters, ensure that you configure the **exec-character-bits** command under the line console (for serial port) or line vty (for SSH).



Note

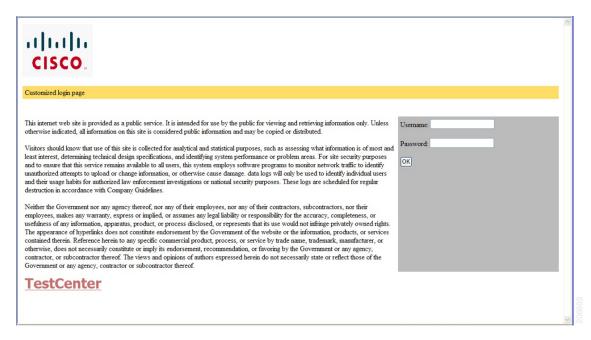
- If the banner text string exceeds the maximum limit of 400 characters, an error message is displayed and the configuration is rejected. Also, the parser has a limitation of 254 characters per line (including the CLI keywords). If you want to use more than 254 characters, ensure that you split it into two or multiple lines.
- The webauth login page displays only the default banner strings if banner command is not configured.

Guidelines

- You can substitute your own HTML pages for the default internal HTML pages.
- You can use a logo or specify text in the *login*, *success*, *failure*, and *expire* web pages.
- On the banner page, you can specify text in the login page.
- The pages are in HTML.
- You must include an HTML redirect command in the success page to access a specific URL.
- The URL string must be a valid URL (for example, http://www.cisco.com). An incomplete URL might cause *page not found* or similar errors on a web browser.
- If you configure web pages for HTTP authentication, they must include the appropriate HTML commands (for example, to set the page time out, to set a hidden password, or to confirm that the same page is not submitted twice). The custom page samples in the webauth bundle are provided with the image and the details of what you can and cannot change.
- The CLI command to redirect users to a specific URL is not available when the configured login form is enabled. The administrator should ensure that the redirection is configured in the web page.
- If the CLI command redirecting users to specific URL after authentication occurs is entered and then the command configuring web pages is entered, the CLI command redirecting users to a specific URL does not take effect.
- Configured web pages can be copied to the switch boot flash or flash.
- The login page can be on one flash, and the success and failure pages can be another flash (for example, the flash on the active switch or a member switch).
- You must configure all four pages.
- All of the logo files (image, flash, audio, video, and so on) that are stored in the system directory (for example, flash, disk0, or disk) and that are displayed on the login page must use web_auth_<filename> as the file name.
- The configured authentication proxy feature supports both HTTP and SSL.

You can substitute your HTML pages for the default internal HTML pages. You can also specify a URL to which users are redirected after authentication occurs, which replaces the internal Success page.

Figure 5: Customizable Authentication Page



Redirection URL for Successful Login Guidelines

When configuring a redirection URL for successful login, consider these guidelines:

- If the custom authentication proxy web pages feature is enabled, the redirection URL feature is disabled and is not available in the CLI. You can perform redirection in the custom-login success page.
- If the redirection URL feature is enabled, a configured auth-proxy-banner is not used
- To remove the specification of a redirection URL, use the **no** form of the command.
- If the redirection URL is required after the web-based authentication client is successfully authenticated, then the URL string must start with a valid URL (for example, http://) followed by the URL information. If only the URL is given without http://, then the redirection URL on successful authentication might cause page not found or similar errors on a web browser.

How to Configure Local Web Authentication

Configuring Default Local Web Authentication

The following table shows the default configurations required for local web authentication.

Table 1: Default Local Web Authentication Configuration

Feature	Default Setting
AAA	Disabled

Feature	Default Setting
RADIUS server	None specified
• IP address	1
UDP authentication port	
• Key	
Default value of inactivity timeout	3600 seconds
Inactivity timeout	Disabled

Information About the AAA Wizard

The AAA wizard helps you to add the authentication, authorization, and accounting details without having to access multiple windows.



Note

When command authorization is enabled as a part of AAA Authorization configuration through TACACS and the corresponding method list is not configured as a part of the HTTP configuration, WebUI pages will not load any data. However, some wireless feature pages may work as they are privilege-based and not command based.



Note

Note the following limitations for a TACACS+ user on the 9800 WebUI:

- Users with privilege level 1-10 can only view the **Monitor** tab.
- Users with privilege level 15 have full access.
- Users with privilege level 15 and a command set allowing specific commands only, is not supported.



Note

When you configure the AAA authentication and authorization attributes, the following format must be followed:

- · protocol:attr=bla
- protocol:attr#0=bla
- protocol:attr#*=bla
- attr=bla
- attr#0=bla
- attr#*=bla

attr is mapped to the supported AAA attributes. If attr is an unknown or undefined attribute, a warning message parse unknown cisco vsa is displayed when you configure the **radius-server disallow unknown vendor-code** command. Otherwise, the transaction will be treated as a failure.

We recommend that you configure the command as per the format discussed above. Otherwise, the transaction fails. Whenever the passed attribute does not match any of the patterns mentioned, then AAA fails to decode that specific attribute and marks the request as a failure.

To edit the details entered using the wizard, use the respective screens.

Procedure

- Step 1 Choose Configuration > Security > AAA.
- Step 2 Click + AAA Wizard.

The **Add Wizard** page is displayed.

Step 3 Click RADIUS tab.

The RADIUS server option is enabled by default. You can switch between the **Basic** and **Advanced** options using the radio buttons.

- a) In the **Name** field, enter the name of the RADIUS server.
- b) In the IPv4 / IPv6 Server Address field, enter the IPv4 or IPv6 address, or hostname.
- c) Check the PAC Key check box to enable the Protected Access Credential (PAC) authentication key option.
- d) From the **Key Type** drop-down list, choose the authentication key type.
- e) In the **Key** field, enter the authentication key.
- f) In the **Confirm Key** field, re-enter the authentication key.
- g) Click the Advanced radio button.

This enables the **Advanced** options.

- h) In the **Auth Port** field, enter the authorization port number.
- i) In the **Acct Port** field, enter the accounting port number.
- j) In the **Server Timeout** field, enter the timeout duration, in seconds.
- k) In the **Retry Count** field, enter the number of retries.

1) Use the **Support for CoA** toggle button to enable or disable change of authorization (CoA).

Step 4 Check the **TACACS**+ check box.

This enables the TACACS+ options. You can switch between the **Basic** and **Advanced** options using the radio buttons.

- a) In the **Name** field, enter the TACACS+ server name.
- b) In the IPv4 / IPv6 Server Address field, enter the IPv4 or IPv6 address, or hostname.
- c) In the **Key** field, enter the authentication key.
- d) In the **Confirm Key** field, re-enter the authentication key.
- e) Click the **Advanced** radio button.

This enables the **Advanced** options.

- f) In the **Port** field, enter the port number to use.
- g) In the **Server Timeout** field, enter the timeout duration, in seconds.

Step 5 Check the **LDAP** check box.

This enables the LDAP options. You can switch between the **Basic** and **Advanced** options using the radio buttons.

- a) In the Server Name field, enter the **LDAP** server name.
- b) In the IPv4 / IPv6 Server Address field, enter the IPv4 or IPv6 address, or hostname.
- c) In the **Port Number** field, enter the port number to use.
- d) From the **Simple Bind** drop-down list, choose the authentication key type.
- e) In the **User Base DN** field, enter the details.
- f) Click the **Advanced** radio button.

This enables the **Advanced** options.

- g) From the **User Attribute** drop-down list, choose the user attribute.
- h) In the **User Object Type** field, enter the object type details and click the + icon.

The objects that have been added are listed in the area below. Use the x mark adjacent to each object to remove it.

- i) In the **Server Timeout** field, enter the timeout duration, in seconds.
- j) Check the **Secure Mode** check box to enable secure mode.

Checking this enables the **Trustpoint Name** drop-down list.

- k) From the **Trustpoint Name** drop-down list, choose the trustpoint.
- 1) Click Next.

This enables the **Server Group Association** page and the RADIUS tab is selected by default.

Step 6 Perform the following actions under **RADIUS** tab.

- a) In the **Name** field, enter the name of the RADIUS server group.
- b) From the **MAC-Delimiter** drop-down list, choose the delimiter to be used in the MAC addresses that are sent to the RADIUS servers.
- c) From the **MAC Filtering** drop-down list, choose a value based on which to filter MAC addresses.
- d) To configure the dead time for the server group and direct AAA traffic to alternative groups of servers that have different operational characteristics, in the **Dead-Time** field, enter the amount of time, in minutes, after which a server is assumed to be dead.

- e) Choose the servers that you want to include in the server group from the **Available Servers** list and move them to the **Assigned Servers** list.
- f) Click Next.

The TACACS+ window is displayed, if you have selected TACACS+ in server configuration.

- Step 7 Use the TACACS+ window to enter the following details:
 - a) In the **Name** field, enter the name of the TACACS+ server group.
 - b) From the **Available Servers** list, choose the servers that you want to include in the server group from the list and move them to the **Assigned Servers** list.
 - c) Click Next.

The **LDAP** window is displayed, if you have selected **LDAP** under server configuration.

- **Step 8** Use the **LDAP** window to enter the following details:
 - a) In the Name field, enter the name of the LDAP server group.
 - b) From the **Available Servers** list, choose the servers that you want to include in the server group from the list and move them to the **Assigned Servers** list.
- Step 9 Click Next.

The **MAP AAA** window is displayed.

Use the check boxes to enable the **Authentication**, **Authorization**, and **Accounting** tabs. You cannot unselect all the three options. At least one option has to be selected.

- **Step 10** Use the **Authentication** tab to enter the authentication details:
 - a) In the **Method List Name** field, enter the name of the method list.
 - b) From the **Type** drop-down list, choose the type of accounting that you want to perform before allowing access to the network.
 - c) From the **Group Type** drop-down list, choose a value depending on whether you want to assign a group of servers as your access server, or want to use a local server to authenticate access.

If you choose the local option, the **Fallback** to local option is removed.

- d) Check the **Fallback to local** check box to configure a local server to act as a fallback method when servers in the group are unavailable.
- e) From the **Available Server Groups** list, choose the server groups that you want to use to authenticate access to your network and click the > icon to move them to the **Assigned Server Groups** list.
- **Step 11** Check the **Authorization** check box to configure the authorization details:
 - a) In the **Method List Name** field, enter the name of the method list.
 - b) From the **Type** drop-down list, choose the type of authorization you want to perform before allowing access to the network.
 - c) From the **Group Type** drop-down list, choose a value depending on whether you want to assign a group of servers as your access server, or want to use a local server to authorize access.

If you choose the local option, the **Fallback** to local option is removed.

- d) Check the **Fallback to local** check box to configure a local server to act as a fallback method when the servers in the group are unavailable.
- e) From the **Available Server Groups** list, choose the server groups you want to use to authorize access to your network and click > icon to move them to the **Assigned Server Groups** list.

- **Step 12** Check the **Accounting** check box to configure the accounting details:
 - a) In the **Method List Name** field, enter the name of the method list.
 - b) From the **Type** drop-down list, choose the type of accounting that you want to perform.
 - c) From the **Available Server Groups** list, choose the server groups that you want to use to authorize access to your network and click the > icon to move them to the **Assigned Server Groups** list.
- Step 13 Click Apply to Device.

Configuring AAA Authentication (GUI)



Note

The WebUI does not support the ipv6 radius source-interface under AAA radius server group configuration.

Procedure

- **Step 1** Choose Configuration > Security > AAA.
- **Step 2** In the **Authentication** section, click **Add**.
- **Step 3** In the Quick Setup: AAA Authentication window that is displayed, enter a name for your method list.
- **Step 4** Choose the type of authentication you want to perform before allowing access to the network, in the **Type** drop-down list.
- **Step 5** Choose if you want to assign a group of servers as your access server, or if you want to use a local server to authenticate access, from the **Group** Type drop-down list.
- Step 6 To configure a local server to act as a fallback method when servers in the group are unavailable, check the Fallback to local check box.
- Step 7 Choose the server groups you want to use to authenticate access to your network, from the Available Server Groups list and click > icon to move them to the Assigned Server Groups list.
- **Step 8** Click **Save & Apply to Device**.

Configuring AAA Authentication (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	aaa new-model	Enables AAA functionality.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa new-model	

	Command or Action	Purpose		
Step 2	aaa authentication login {default named_authentication_list} group	Defines the list of authentication methods at login.		
	AAA_group_name Example:	named_authentication_list refers to any name that is not greater than 31 characters.		
	Device(config)# aaa authentication login default group group1	AAA_group_name refers to the server group name. You need to define the server-group server_name at the beginning itself.		
Step 3	aaa authorization network {default named} group AAA_group_name	Creates an authorization method list for web-based authorization.		
	Example:			
	Device(config)# aaa authorization network default group group1			
Step 4	tacacs server server-name	Specifies an AAA server.		
	Example:			
	Device(config)# tacacs server yourserver			
Step 5	address {ipv4 ipv6}ip_address	Configures the IP address for the TACACS		
	Example:	server.		
	Device(config-server-tacacs)# address ipv4 10.0.1.12			
Step 6	single-connection	Multiplexes all packets over a single TCP		
	Example:	connection to TACACS server.		
	<pre>Device(config-server-tacacs) # single-connection</pre>			
Step 7	tacacs-server host {hostname ip_address}	Specifies a AAA server.		
	Example:			
	Device(config)# tacacs-server host 10.1.1.1			

Configuring the HTTP/HTTPS Server (GUI)

Procedure

Step 1 Choose Administration > Management > HTTP/HTTPS/Netconf. Step 2 In the HTTP/HTTPS Access Configuration section, enable HTTP Access and enter the port that will listen for HTTP requests. The default port is 80. Valid values are 80, and ports between 1025 and 65535. Step 3 Enable HTTPS Access on the device and enter the designated port to listen for HTTPS requests. The default port is 1025. Valid values are 443, and ports between 1025 and 65535. On a secure HTTP connection, data to and from an HTTP server is encrypted before being sent over the Internet. HTTP with SSL encryption provides a secure connection to allow such functions as configuring a switch from a Web browser. Step 4 Choose the **Personal Identity Verification** as enabled or disabled. Step 5 In the HTTP Trust Point Configuration section, enable Enable Trust Point to use Certificate Authority servers as trustpoints. Step 6 From the **Trust Points** drop-down list, choose a trust point. Step 7 In the **Timeout Policy Configuration** section, enter the HTTP timeout policy in seconds. Valid values can range from 1 to 600 seconds. Step 8 Enter the number of minutes of inactivity allowed before the session times out. Valid values can range from 180 to 1200 seconds. Step 9 Enter the server life time in seconds. Valid values can range from 1 to 86400 seconds. Step 10 Enter the maximum number of requests the device can accept. Valid values range from 1 to 86400 requests. Step 11 Save the configuration.

Configuring the HTTP Server (CLI)

To use local web authentication, you must enable the HTTP server within the device. You can enable the server for either HTTP or HTTPS.



Note

The Apple psuedo-browser will not open if you configure only the **ip http secure-server** command. You should also configure the **ip http server** command.

Follow the procedure given below to enable the server for either HTTP or HTTPS:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 2	<pre>ip http server Example: Device(config) # ip http server</pre>	Enables the HTTP server. The local web authentication feature uses the HTTP server to communicate with the hosts for user authentication.	
Step 3	ip http secure-server	Enables HTTPS.	
	<pre>Example: Device(config) # ip http secure-server</pre>	You can configure custom authentication proxy web pages or specify a redirection URL for successful login.	
		Note To ensure secure authentication when you enter the ip http secure-server command, the login page is always in HTTPS (secure HTTP) even if the user sends an HTTP request.	
Step 4	end	Exits configuration mode.	
	Example: Device(config)# end		

Allowing Special Characters for Serial Port

Before you begin

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	line console line-num	Configures the primary terminal line number.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# line console 0		
Step 3	exec-timeout mins sec	Configures the time to disconnect idle EXEC	
	Example:	sessions.	
	Device(config-line)# exec-timeout 12 0		

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 4	login authentication word default	Configures login authentication checking. It can	
	Example:	be authentication list with a name or the default authentication list.	
	Device(config-line)# login authentication NO_LOGIN		
Step 5	exec-character-bit {7 8}	Configures the character widths of EXEC	
	Example:	command characters.	
	Device(config-line)# exec-character-bit 8		
Step 6	stopbits {1 1.5 2}	Configures the stop bits for the console port.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-line)# stopbits 1		
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-line)# end		

Allowing Special Characters for VTY Port

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example: Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth global Example: Device(config) # parameter-map type webauth global	Creates a parameter map and enters parameter-map webauth configuration mode.	
Step 3	banner text text Example: Device (config-params-parameter-map) # banner text #Hêllö#	You can create a custom banner (of up to 400 characters) by entering $c < banner-text > c$, where c is a delimiting character. If the string exceeds the maximum limit of 40 characters, an error message is displayed and the configuration is rejected. Also, the parser has a limitation of 254 characters per line (including the CLI keywords). If you want to use more than 254 characters, ensure that you split it into two or multiple lines.	

	Command or Action	Purpose		
		The webauth login page displays only the default banner strings, if banner command is not configured.		
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.		
	Example:			
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end			

Configuring HTTP and HTTPS Requests for Web Authentication

Information About Configuring HTTP and HTTPS Requests for Web Authentication

Using the Configuring HTTP and HTTPS Requests for Web Authentication feature, you can have HTTPS access to device management and HTTP access to web authentication. To control the HTTP and HTTPS requests being sent to the web authentication module, run the **secure-webauth-disable** and **webauth-http-enable** commands in the global parameter map mode.



Note

The **secure-webauth-disable** and **webauth-http-enable** commands are not enabled by default; you must configure them explicitly.

The following table describes the various CLI combinations:

Table 2: CLI Combinations

Admin (Device Management)		WebAuthentication		Required Configurations	
HTTP Access	HTTPS Access	HTTP Access	HTTPS Access	Admin	Web Authentication
No	Yes	Yes	Yes	no ip http server ip http secure-server	no ip http server ip http secure-server parameter-map type webauth global webauth-http-enable
No	Yes	No	Yes	no ip http server ip http secure-server	no ip http server ip http secure-server

Admin (Device Management)		WebAuthentication		Required Configurations	
HTTP Access	HTTPS Access	HTTP Access	HTTPS Access	Admin	Web Authentication
No	Yes	Yes	No	no ip http server ip http secure-server	no ip http server ip http secure-server
					parameter-map type webauth global
					webauth-http-enable
					secure-webauth-disable
No	Yes	No	No	no ip http server ip http secure-server	no ip http server ip http secure-server
					parameter-map type webauth global
					secure-webauth-disable
No	No	No	Yes	no ip http server no ip http secure-server	Not Supported
No	No	Yes	No	no ip http server no ip http secure-server	no ip http server no ip http secure-server
					parameter-map type webauth global
					webauth-http-enable
Yes	No	Yes	No	ip http server no ip http secure-server	ip http server no ip http secure-server
Yes	Yes	Yes	No	ip http server ip http secure-server	ip http server ip http secure-server
					parameter-map type webauth global
					secure-webauth-disable



Note

- The **ip http server** and **ip http secure-server** commands allow access for HTTP and HTTPS, respectively. For example, in the first row of the table, for HTTP access to web authentication, you do not require the **ip http server** command. You can use the new **webauth-http-enable** command under the global parameter map, to allow HTTP access.
- For HTTPS access to webauth, the **ip http secure-server** command is required. Therefore, HTTPS access for both admin and web authentication are enabled in the first row. To disable HTTPS access for web authentication, configure the **secure-webauth-disable** command. For example, in the fourth row of the table, HTTPS access is disabled for web authentication because the **secure-webauth-disable** command is configured.

Guidelines and Limitations

The following are the guidelines and limitations for configuring HTTP and HTTPS requests for web authentication:

- You cannot enable HTTPS web authentication without enabling HTTPS for device management.
- If the **secure-webauth-disable** command is configured, central web authentication cannot be performed, if the initial request from the client is https://<>.

Configuring HTTP and HTTPS Requests for Web Authentication (CLI)

To configure the HTTP and HTTPS requests being sent to the webauth module, complete the steps given below:

	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	no ip http server	Sets the HTTP server to its default.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# no ip http server	
Step 4	ip http {server secure-server}	Enables the HTTP server or the HTTP secure
	Example:	server.
	Device(config)# ip http server	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 5	parameter-map type webauth global	Enables the global parameter map mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth global	
Step 6	secure-webauth-disable	Disables HTTP secure server for web
	Example:	authentication.
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# secure-webauth-disable	
Step 7	webauth-http-enable	Enables HTTP server for web authentication.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map)# webauth-http-enable</pre>	

Creating a Parameter Map (GUI)

Procedure

Step 1 Choose Config	uration > Security > Web Auth.
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Step 2 Click Add.

Step 3 Click Policy Map.

Step 4 Enter Parameter Name, Maximum HTTP connections, Init-State Timeout(secs) and choose webauth in the Type drop-down list.

Step 5 Click Apply to Device.

Creating Parameter Maps

Configuring Local Web Authentication (GUI)

Step 1 Choose Configuration	> Security > Web Auth.
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- Step 2 On the Web Auth page, click Add.
- **Step 3** In the **Create Web Auth Parameter** window that is displayed, enter a name for the parameter map.
- **Step 4** In the **Maximum HTTP Connections** field, enter the maximum number of HTTP connections that you want to allow.
- In the **Init-State Timeout** field, enter the time after which the init state timer should expire due to user's failure to enter valid credentials in the login page.

- **Step 6** Choose the type of Web Auth parameter.
- Step 7 Click Apply to Device.
- **Step 8** On the **Web Auth** page, click the name of the parameter map.
- **Step 9** In the **Edit WebAuth Parameter** window that is displayed, choose the required **Banner Type**.
 - If you choose **Banner Text**, enter the required banner text to be displayed.
 - If you choose **File Name**, specify the path of the file from which the banner text has to be picked up.
- **Step 10** Enter the virtual IP addresses as required.
- Step 11 Set appropriate status of WebAuth Intercept HTTPS, Captive Bypass Portal.
- Step 12 Set appropriate status for Disable Success Window, Disable Logout Window, and Login Auth Bypass for FQDN.
- Step 13 Check the Sleeping Client Status check box to enable authentication of sleeping clients and then specify the Sleeping Client Timeout in minutes. Valid range is between 10 minutes and 43200 minutes.
- Step 14 Click the Advanced tab.
- **Step 15** To configure external web authentication, perform these tasks:
 - a) In the **Redirect for log-in** field, enter the name of the external server to send login request.
 - b) In the **Redirect On-Success** field, enter the name of the external server to redirect after a successful login.
 - c) In the **Redirect On-Failure** field, enter the name of the external server to redirect after a login failure.
 - d) (Optional) Under **Redirect to External Server** in the **Redirect Append for AP MAC Address** field, enter the AP MAC address.
 - e) (Optional) In the Redirect Append for Client MAC Address field, enter the client MAC address.
 - f) (Optional) In the **Redirect Append for WLAN SSID** field, enter the WLAN SSID.
 - g) In the **Portal IPV4 Address** field, enter the IPv4 address of the portal to send redirects.
 - h) In the **Portal IPV6 Address** field, enter the IPv6 address of the portal to send redirects, if IPv6 address is used.
- **Step 16** To configure customized local web authentication, perform these tasks:
 - a) Under Customized Page, specify the following pages:
 - Login Failed Page
 - · Login Page
 - Logout Page
 - Login Successful Page
- Step 17 Click Update & Apply.

Configuring the Internal Local Web Authentication (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to configure the internal local web authentication:

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth {parameter-map-name global}	Creates the parameter map. The parameter-map-name must not exceed
	Example:	99 characters.
	<pre>Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth sample</pre>	
Step 3	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end	3

Configuring the Customized Local Web Authentication (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to configure the customized local web authentication:



Note

Virtual IP address is mandatory for custom web authentication.

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth	Configures the webauth type parameter.	
	parameter-map-name	Note You need to configure a virtual IP	
	Example:	in the global parameter map to use the customized web authentication	
	<pre>Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth sample</pre>	bundle.	
Step 3	type {authbypass consent webauth webconsent}	Configures webauth sub-types, such as passthru, consent, webauth, or webconsent.	
	Example:		

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# type webauth	
Step 4	custom-page login device html-filename	Configures the customized login page.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page login device bootflash:login.html</pre>	
Step 5	custom-page login expired device html-filename	Configures the customized login expiry page.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page login expired device bootflash:loginexpired.html</pre>	
Step 6	custom-page success device html-filename	Configures the customized login success page.
	Example:	
	Device (config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page success device bootflash:loginsuccess.html	
Step 7	custom-page failure device html-filename	Configures the customized login failure page.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page failure device bootflash:loginfail.html</pre>	
Step 8	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end	

Configuring the External Local Web Authentication (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to configure the external local web authentication:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth parameter-map-name Example:	Configures	the webauth type parameter.
	<pre>Device(config) # parameter-map type webauth sample</pre>		
Step 3	type {authbypass consent webauth webconsent} Example:	Configures the webauth sub-types, such as authbypass, consent, passthru, webauth, or webconsent.	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# type webauth		
Step 4	redirect [for-login on-failure on-success] URL	Configures the redirect URL for the login, failure, and success pages.	
	Example: Device (config-params-parameter-map) # redirect for-login http://www.cisco.com/login.html	Note	In the redirect url, you need to press <i>Ctrl+v</i> and type ? to configure the ? character. The ? character is commonly used in URL when ISE is configured as an external portal.
Step 5	redirect portal {ipv4 ipv6} ip-address	Configures	the external portal IPv4 address.
	Example: Device(config-params-parameter-map)# redirect portal ipv4 23.0.0.1	Note	The IP address should be one of the associated IP addresses of the domain and not a random IP address when using FQDN. It is recommended to use the FQDN URL here, if a given domain resolves to more than a single IP address.
Step 6	end	Returns to	privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:		
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end		

Configuring the Web Authentication WLANs

Follow the procedure given below to configure WLAN using web auth security and map the authentication list and parameter map:

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal Example:	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id ssid-name Example: Device(config) # wlan mywlan 34 mywlan-ssid no security wpa Example:	Specifies the WLAN name and ID. profile-name is the WLAN name which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters. wlan-id is the wireless LAN identifier. The valid range is from 1 to 512. ssid-name is the SSID which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters. Disables the WPA security.	
<u> </u>	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa		
Step 4	<pre>security web-auth Example: Device(config-wlan) # security web-auth</pre>	Enables web authentication for WLAN.	
Step 5	<pre>security web-auth {authentication-list authentication-list-name parameter-map parameter-map-name} Example: Device(config-wlan) # security web-auth authentication-list webauthlistlocal Device(config-wlan) # security web-auth parameter-map sample</pre>	Enables web authentication for WLAN. Here, • authentication-list authentication-list-name: Sets the authentication list for IEEE 802.1x. • parameter-map parameter-map-name: Configures the parameter map.	

	Command or Action	Purpose
		When security web-auth is enabled, you get to map the default authentication-list and global parameter-map. This is applicable for authentication-list and parameter-map that are not explicitly mentioned.
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# end	

Configuring Pre-Auth Web Authentication ACL (GUI)

Before you begin

Ensure that you have configured an access control list (ACL) and a WLAN.

Procedure

- Step 1 Choose Configuration > Tags & Profiles > WLANs.
- **Step 2** Click the name of the WLAN.
- Step 3 In the Edit WLAN window, click the Security tab and then click the Layer3 tab.
- Step 4 Click Show Advanced Settings.
- **Step 5** In the **Preauthenticaion ACL** section, choose the appropriate ACL to be mapped to the WLAN.
- Step 6 Click Update & Apply to Device.

Configuring Pre-Auth Web Authentication ACL (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to configure pre-auth web authentication ACL:

Command or Action	Purpose
configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Example:	
Device# configure terminal	
	configure terminal Example:

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 2	access-list access-list-number {deny permit}	Creates an ACL list.
	hostname source-wildcard-bits Example: Device (config) # access-list 2 deny	The <i>access-list-number</i> is a decimal number from 1 to 99, 100 to 199, 300 to 399, 600 to 699, 1300 to 1999, 2000 to 2699, or 2700 to 2799.
	your_host 10.1.1.1 log	Enter deny or permit to specify whether to deny or permit if the conditions are matched.
		The <i>source</i> is the source address of the network or host from which the packet is being sent specified as:
		The 32-bit quantity in dotted-decimal format.
		The keyword any as an abbreviation for source and source-wildcard of 0.0.0.0 255.255.255.255. You do not need to enter a source-wildcard.
		• The keyword host as an abbreviation for <i>source</i> and <i>source-wildcard</i> of source 0.0.0.0.
		(Optional) The <i>source-wildcard</i> applies wildcard bits to the source.
Step 3	wlan profile-name wlan-id ssid-name	Creates the WLAN.
-	Example:	profile-name is the WLAN name which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.
	Device(config)# wlan mywlan 34 mywlan-ssid	wlan-id is the wireless LAN identifier. The valid range is from 1 to 512.
		ssid-name is the SSID which can contain 32 alphanumeric characters.
Step 4	ip access-group web access-list-name	Maps the ACL to the web auth WLAN.
	Example:	access-list-name is the IPv4 ACL name or ID.
	Device(config-wlan)# ip access-group web name	
Step 5	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# end	

Configuring the Maximum Web Authentication Request Retries

Follow these steps to configure the maximum web authentication request retries:

Procedure

Command or Action	Purpose
configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Example:	
Device# configure terminal	
configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
Example:	
Device# configure terminal	
wireless security web-auth retries number	<i>number</i> is the maximum number of web auth
Example:	request retries. The valid range is 0 to 20.
Device(config) # wireless security web-auth retries 2	
end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
Example:	
Device(config)# end	
	configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal configure terminal Example: Device# configure terminal wireless security web-auth retries number Example: Device(config)# wireless security web-auth retries 2 end Example:

Configuring a Local Banner in Web Authentication Page (GUI)

- Step 1 Choose Configuration > Security > Web Auth.
- Step 2 In the Webauth Parameter Map tab, click the parameter map name. The Edit WebAuth Parameter window is displayed.
- **Step 3** In the **General** tab and choose the required Banner Type:
 - If you choose **Banner Text**, enter the required banner text to be displayed.
 - If you choose File Name, specify the path of the file from which the banner text has to be picked up.
- Step 4 Click Update & Apply.

Configuring a Local Banner in Web Authentication Page (CLI)

Follow the procedure given below to configure a local banner in web authentication pages.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth param-map	Configures the web authentication parameters.
	Example:	Enters the parameter map configuration mode.
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth param-map	
Step 3	banner [file banner-text title]	Enables the local banner.
	Example:	Create a custom banner by entering <i>C</i> banner-text <i>C</i> (where <i>C</i> is a delimiting
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)#banner http C My Switch C	character), or <i>file</i> that indicates a file (for example, a logo or text file) that appears in the banner, or <i>title</i> that indicates the title of the banner.
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end	1

Configuring Type WebAuth, Consent, or Both

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device # configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth parameter-map name	Configures the webauth type parameter.
	Example:	
	Device (config) # parameter-map type webauth webparalocal	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 3	<pre>type consent Example: Device (config-params-parameter-map) # type consent</pre>	Configures webauth type as consent. You can configure the type as webauth, consent, or both (webconsent).
Step 4	<pre>end Example: Device (config-params-parameter-map) # end</pre>	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
Step 5	<pre>show running-config section parameter-map type webauth parameter-map Example: Device (config) # show running-config section parameter-map type webauth test</pre>	Displays the configuration details.

Configuring Preauthentication ACL

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan wlan-name	For wlan-name, enter the profile name.
	Example:	
	Device (config)# wlan ramban	
Step 3	shutdown	Disables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device (config-wlan)# shutdown	
Step 4	ip access-group web preauthrule	Configures ACL that has to be applied before
	Example:	authentication.
	Device (config-wlan)# ip access-group web preauthrule	
Step 5	no shutdown	Enables the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device (config) # no shutdown	
Step 6	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example:	
	Device (config-wlan)# end	
Step 7	show wlan name wlan-name	Displays the configuration details.
	Example:	
	Device# show wlan name ramban	

Configuring TrustPoint for Local Web Authentication

Before you begin

Ensure that a certificate is installed on your controller . Using trustpoint controller presents the domain specific certificate that client browser trusts when it gets redirected to *.com portal.

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth global	Creates the parameter map.
	Example:	
	Device (config) # parameter-map type webauth global	
Step 3	trustpoint trustpoint-name	Configures trustpoint for local web authentication.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device (config-params-parameter-map) # trustpoint trustpoint-name</pre>	
Step 4	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device (config-params-parameter-map)# end</pre>	

Configuration Examples for Local Web Authentication

Example: Obtaining Web Authentication Certificate

This example shows how to obtain web authentication certificate.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# crypto pki import cert pkcs12 tftp://9.1.0.100/ldapserver-cert.p12 cisco
Device (config) # end
Device# show crypto pki trustpoints cert
Trustpoint cert:
   Subject Name:
    e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=sthaliya-lnx
   ou=WNBU
   o=Cisco
   l=SanJose
   st=California
    c=US
          Serial Number (hex): 00
   Certificate configured.
Device# show crypto pki certificates cert
Certificate
  Status: Available
  Certificate Serial Number (hex): 04
 Certificate Usage: General Purpose
   e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=sthaliya-lnx
   ou=WNBU
   o=Cisco
   l=SanJose
   st=California
   c=US
  Subject:
   Name: ldapserver
   e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=ldapserver
   OU=WNBU
   o=Cisco
   st=California
   c=US
  Validity Date:
   start date: 07:35:23 UTC Jan 31 2012
   end date: 07:35:23 UTC Jan 28 2022
  Associated Trustpoints: cert ldap12
  Storage: nvram:rkannajrcisc#4.cer
CA Certificate
  Status: Available
  Certificate Serial Number (hex): 00
  Certificate Usage: General Purpose
   e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=sthaliya-lnx
   ou=WNBU
   o=Cisco
   l=SanJose
   st=California
   c=US
  Subject:
   e=rkannajr@cisco.com
   cn=sthaliya-lnx
   ou=WNBU
   o=Cisco
   1=SanJose
   st=California
    c=US
```

Validity Date:

```
start date: 07:27:56 UTC Jan 31 2012
end date: 07:27:56 UTC Jan 28 2022
Associated Trustpoints: cert ldap12 ldap
Storage: nvram:rkannajrcisc#OCA.cer
```

Example: Displaying a Web Authentication Certificate

This example shows how to display a web authentication certificate.

```
Device# show crypto ca certificate verb
    Certificate
    Status: Available
    Version: 3
    Certificate Serial Number (hex): 2A9636AC00000000858B
    Certificate Usage: General Purpose
   cn=Cisco Manufacturing CA
   o=Cisco Systems
   Subject:
   Name: WS-C3780-6DS-S-2037064C0E80
   Serial Number: PID:WS-C3780-6DS-S SN:FOC1534X12Q
   cn=WS-C3780-6DS-S-2037064C0E80
   serialNumber=PID:WS-C3780-6DS-S SN:FOC1534X120
   CRL Distribution Points:
   http://www.cisco.com/security/pki/crl/cmca.crl
   Validity Date:
   start date: 15:43:22 UTC Aug 21 2011
   end date: 15:53:22 UTC Aug 21 2021
   Subject Key Info:
   Public Key Algorithm: rsaEncryption
   RSA Public Key: (1024 bit)
   Signature Algorithm: SHA1 with RSA Encryption
   Fingerprint MD5: A310B856 A41565F1 1D9410B5 7284CB21
   Fingerprint SHA1: 04F180F6 CA1A67AF 9D7F561A 2BB397A1 0F5EB3C9
   X509v3 extensions:
   X509v3 Key Usage: F0000000
     Digital Signature
     Non Repudiation
     Key Encipherment
     Data Encipherment
   X509v3 Subject Key ID: B9EEB123 5A3764B4 5E9C54A7 46E6EECA 02D283F7
   X509v3 Authority Key ID: D0C52226 AB4F4660 ECAE0591 C7DC5AD1 B047F76C
   Authority Info Access:
   Associated Trustpoints: CISCO IDEVID SUDI
   Key Label: CISCO IDEVID SUDI
```

Example: Choosing the Default Web Authentication Login Page

This example shows how to choose a default web authentication login page.

```
Device# configure terminal

Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth test

This operation will permanently convert all relevant authentication commands to their CPL control-policy equivalents. As this conversion is irreversible and will disable the conversion CLI 'authentication display [legacy|new-style]', you are strongly advised to back up your current configuration before proceeding.

Do you wish to continue? [yes]: yes
```

```
Device (config) # wlan wlan50
Device (config-wlan) # shutdown
Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth authentication-list test
Device (config-wlan) # security web-auth parameter-map test
Device (config-wlan) # no shutdown
Device (config-wlan) # end
Device# show running-config | section wlan50
wlan wlan50 50 wlan50
 security wpa akm cckm
security wpa wpa1
security wpa wpal ciphers aes
security wpa wpa1 ciphers tkip
security web-auth authentication-list test
 security web-auth parameter-map test
session-timeout 1800
no shutdown
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map type webauth test
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
```

Example: Choosing a Customized Web Authentication Login Page from an IPv4 External Web Server

This example shows how to choose a customized web authentication login page from an IPv4 external web server.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device (config) # parameter-map type webauth global
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # virtual-ip ipv4 192.0.2.1.
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # parameter-map type webauth test
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# type webauth
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # redirect for-login http://9.1.0.100/login.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # redirect portal ipv4 9.1.0.100
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # end
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map
parameter-map type webauth global
virtual-ip ipv4 192.0.2.1.
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
redirect for-login http://9.1.0.100/login.html
redirect portal ipv4 9.1.0.100
security web-auth parameter-map rasagna-auth-map
security web-auth parameter-map test
```

Example: Choosing a Customized Web Authentication Login Page from an IPv6 External Web Server

This example shows how to choose a customized web authentication login page from an IPv6 external web server.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth global
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# virtual-ip ipv6 2001:DB8::/48
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# parameter-map type webauth test
```

```
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # type webauth
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # redirect for-login http://9:1:1::100/login.html
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # redirect portal ipv6 9:1:1::100
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # end
Device # show running-config | section parameter-map
parameter-map type webauth global
virtual-ip ipv6 2001:DB8::/48
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
redirect for-login http://9:1:1::100/login.html
redirect portal ipv6 9:1:1::100
security web-auth parameter-map rasagna-auth-map
security web-auth parameter-map test
```

Example: Assigning Login, Login Failure, and Logout Pages per WLAN

This example shows how to assign login, login failure and logout pages per WLAN.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config) # parameter-map type webauth test
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page login device flash:loginsantosh.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page login expired device flash:loginexpire.html
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page failure device flash:loginfail.html
Device (config-params-parameter-map) # custom-page success device flash:loginsucess.html
Device(config-params-parameter-map) # end
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map type webauth test
parameter-map type webauth test
type webauth
redirect for-login http://9.1.0.100/login.html
redirect portal ipv4 9.1.0.100
custom-page login device flash:loginsantosh.html
custom-page success device flash:loginsucess.html
 custom-page failure device flash:loginfail.html
 custom-page login expired device flash:loginexpire.html
```

Example: Configuring Preauthentication ACL

This example shows how to configure preauthentication ACL.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# wlan fff
Device(config-wlan)# shutdown
Device(config-wlan)# ip access-group web preauthrule
Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown
Device(config-wlan)# end
Device# show wlan name fff
```

Example: Configuring Webpassthrough

This example shows how to configure webpassthrough.

```
Device# configure terminal
Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth webparalocal
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# type consent
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end
```

```
Device# show running-config | section parameter-map type webauth test parameter-map type webauth test type webauth redirect for-login http://9.1.0.100/login.html redirect portal ipv4 9.1.0.100
```

Verifying Web Authentication Type

To verify the web authentication type, run the following command:

```
Device# show parameter-map type webauth all
Type Name
_____
Global global
Named webauth
Named ext
Named redirect
Named abc
Named glbal
Named ewa-2
Device# show parameter-map type webauth global
Parameter Map Name : global
Banner:
Text : CisCo
Type : webauth
Auth-proxy Init State time: 120 sec
Webauth max-http connection: 100
Webauth logout-window : Enabled
Webauth success-window : Enabled
Consent Email : Disabled
Sleeping-Client : Enabled
Sleeping-Client timeout : 60 min
Virtual-ipv4: 192.0.2.1.
Virtual-ipv4 hostname :
Webauth intercept https: Disabled
Webauth Captive Bypass : Disabled
Webauth bypass intercept ACL:
Trustpoint name :
HTTP Port: 80
Watch-list:
Enabled : no
Webauth login-auth-bypass:
Device# show parameter-map type webauth name global
Parameter Map Name : global
Type : webauth
Auth-proxy Init State time: 120 sec
Webauth max-http connection : 100
Webauth logout-window : Enabled
Webauth success-window : Enabled
Consent Email : Disabled
Sleeping-Client : Disabled
Webauth login-auth-bypass:
```

External Web Authentication (EWA)

Configuring EWA with Single WebAuth Server Address and Default Ports (80/443) (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	aaa authentication login	Defines the authentication method at login.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# aaa authentication login WEBAUTH local	
Step 3	parameter-map type webauth	Creates the parameter map.
	parameter-map-name	The parameter-map-name must not exceed 99
	Example:	characters.
	<pre>Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth ISE-Ext-Webauth_IP</pre>	
Step 4	type webauth	Configures the webauth type parameter.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map) # type webauth</pre>	
Step 5	redirect for-login URL-String	Configures the URL string for redirect during
	Example:	login.
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)#	
	redirect for-login https://921809949/ontal/ontalstroation/ontals062084164894000000052	
Step 6	redirect portal ipv4 ip-address	Configures the external portal IPv4 address.
	Example:	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# redirect portal ipv4 192.168.0.98	
Step 7	exit	Returns to global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map) # exit</pre>	

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 8	wlan wlan-name wlan-id SSID-name	Configures a WLAN.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# wlan EWLC3-GUEST 3 EWLC3-GUEST		
Step 9	no security ft adaptive	Disables adaptive 11r.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# no security ft adaptive		
Step 10	no security wpa	Disables WPA security.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa		
Step 11	no security wpa wpa2	Disables WPA2 security.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2		
Step 12	no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables WPA2 ciphers for AES.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes		
Step 13	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x		
Step 14	security web-auth	Enables web authentication for WLAN.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth		
Step 15	security web-auth authentication-list authenticate-list-name	Enables authentication list for dot1x security.	
	Example:		
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth authentication-list WEBAUTH		
Step 16	security web-auth parameter-map	Configures the parameter map.	
	parameter-map-name	Note If parameter map is not	
	Example:	associated with a WLAN, the	
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth parameter-map ISE-Ext-Webauth_IP	configuration is considered from the global parameter map.	
		<u> </u>	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 17	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# end	

Configuring EWA with Multiple Web Servers and/or Ports Different than Default (80/443)

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	ip access-list extended name	Defines an extended IPv4 access list using a
	Example:	name, and enters access-list configuration mode.
	Device(config) # ip access-list extended preauth_ISE_Ext_WA	
Step 3	access-list-number permit tcp any host	Permits access from any host to the externa
	external_web_server_ip_address1 eq port-number	web server port number 8443.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 10 permit tcp any host 192.168.0.98 eq 8443	
Step 4	access-list-number permit tcp any host	Permits access from any host to the external
	external_web_server_ip_address2 eq port-number	web server port number 8443.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 10 permit tcp any host 192.168.0.99 eq 8443	
Step 5	access-list-number permit udp any any eq domain	Permits DNS UDP traffic.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 20 permit udp any any eq domain	
Step 6	access-list-number permit udp any any eq bootpc	Permits DHCP traffic.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 30 permit udp any any eq bootpc	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	access-list-number permit udp any any eq bootps	Permits DHCP traffic.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 40 permit udp any any eq bootps	
Step 8	access-list-number permit tcp host external_web_server_ip_address1 eq port_number any	Permits the access from the external web server port 8443 to any host.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 50 permit tcp host 192.168.0.98 eq 8443 any	
Step 9	access-list-number permit tcp host external_web_server_ip_address2 eq port_number any	Permits the access from the external web server port 8443 to any host.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 50 permit tcp host 192.168.0.99 eq 8443 any	
Step 10	access-list-number permit tcp any any eq domain	Permits the DNS TCP traffic.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 60 permit tcp any any eq domain	
Step 11	access-list-number deny ip any any	Denies all the other traffic.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# 70 deny ip any any	
Step 12	wlan wlan-name wlan-id ssid	Creates the WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# wlan EWLC3-GUEST 3 EWLC3-GUEST	
Step 13	ip access-group web name	Configures the IPv4 WLAN web ACL. The
	Example:	variable <i>name</i> specifies the user-defined IPv4 ACL name.
	Device(config-wlan)# ip access-group web preauth_ISE_Ext_WA	ACL mame.
Step 14	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# end	

Configuring Wired Guest EWA with Multiple Web Servers and/or Ports Different than Default (80/443)

Before you begin

You cannot assign a manual ACL to a wired guest LAN configuration. The workaround is to use the bypass ACL in the global parameter map.

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device# configure terminal		
Step 2	ip access-list extended name	Defines an extended IPv4 access list using a	
	Example:	name, and enters access-list configuration mode.	
	Device(config)# ip access-list extended BYPASS_ACL		
Step 3	access-list-number deny ip any host hostname	Allows the traffic to switch centrally.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# 10 deny ip any host 192.168.0.45		
Step 4	access-list-number deny ip any host hostname	Allows the traffic to switch centrally.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# 20 deny ip any host 4.0.0.1		
Step 5	parameter-map type webauth global	Creates a parameter map and enters parameter-map webauth configuration mode.	
	Example:		
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth global		
Step 6	webauth-bypass-intercept name	Creates a WebAuth bypass intercept using the	
	Example:	ACL name.	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# webauth-bypass-intercept BYPASS_ACL	Note You cannot apply a manual ACL to the wired guest profile and configure an external web authentication with multiple IP addresses or different ports. The workaround is to use the bypass ACL for wired guest profile.	
Step 7	end	Returns to privileged EXEC mode.	
	Example:		

Command or Action	Purpose
Device(config-params-parameter-map)# end	

Authentication for Sleeping Clients

Information About Authenticating Sleeping Clients

Clients with guest access that have had successful web authentication are allowed to sleep and wake up without having to go through another authentication process through the login page. You can configure the duration for which sleeping clients should be remembered for before reauthentication becomes necessary. The valid range is 10 minutes to 43200 minutes, with the default being 720 minutes. You can also configure this duration on WebAuth parameter map that is mapped to a WLAN. Note that the sleeping client timer comes into effect due to instances such as idle timeout, session timeout, disabling of the WLAN, and the AP being nonoperational.

This feature is supported in the following FlexConnect scenario: local switching and central authentication.



Caution

If the MAC address of a client that goes to sleep mode is spoofed, the fake device such as a laptop can be authenticated.

Mobility Scenarios

Following are some guidelines in a mobility scenario:

- L2 roaming in the same subnet is supported.
- Anchor sleeping timer is applicable.
- The sleeping client information is shared between multiple autoanchors when a sleeping client moves from one anchor to another.

A sleeping client does not require reauthentication in the following scenarios:

- Suppose there are two controller s in a mobility group. A client that is associated with one controller goes to sleep and then wakes up and gets associated with the other controller.
- Suppose there are three controller s in a mobility group. A client that is associated with the second controller that is anchored to the first controller goes to sleep, wakes up, and gets associated with the third controller.
- A client sleeps, wakes up and gets associated with the same or different export foreign controller that is anchored to the export anchor.

Restrictions on Authenticating Sleeping Clients

- The sleep client feature works only for WLAN configured with WebAuth security.
- You can configure the sleeping clients only on a per WebAuth parameter-map basis.

- The authentication of sleeping clients feature is supported only on WLANs that have Layer 3 security enabled.
- With Layer 3 security, the Authentication, Passthrough, and On MAC Filter failure web policies are supported. The Conditional Web Redirect and Splash Page Web Redirect web policies are not supported.
- The central web authentication of sleeping clients is not supported.
- The authentication of sleeping clients feature is not supported on guest LANs and remote LANs.
- A guest access sleeping client that has a local user policy is not supported. In this case, the WLAN-specific timer is applied.

Configuring Authentication for Sleeping Clients (GUI)

Procedure

- Step 1 Choose Configuration > Security > Web Auth.
- Step 2 In the Webauth Parameter Map tab, click the parameter map name. The Edit WebAuth Parameter window is displayed.
- **Step 3** Select **Sleeping Client Status** check box.
- Step 4 Click Update & Apply to Device.

Configuring Authentication for Sleeping Clients (CLI)

	Command or Action	Purpose	
Step 1	[no] parameter-map type webauth {parameter-map-name global}	Creates a parameter map and enters parameter-map webauth configuration mode.	
	Example: Device(config) # parameter-map type webauth global		
Step 2	sleeping-client [timeout time] Example:	Configures the sleeping client timeout to 10 minutes. Valid range is between 10 minutes a 43200 minutes.	
	<pre>Device(config-params-parameter-map)# sleeping-client timeout 100</pre>	Note If you do not use the timeout keyword, the sleeping client is configured with the default timeout value of 720 minutes.	
Step 3	end	Exits parameter-map webauth configuration mode and returns to privileged EXEC mode.	

Command or Action	Purpose
(Optional) show wireless client sleeping-client	Shows the MAC address of the clients and the time remaining in their respective sessions.
Example:	
Device# show wireless client sleeping-client	
(Optional) clear wireless client sleeping-client	• clear wireless client
[mac-address mac-addr]	sleeping-client—Deletes all sleeping cl
Example:	entries from the sleeping client cache.
Device# clear wireless client	 clear wireless client sleeping-client
sleeping-client	mac-address mac-addr—Deletes the
mac-address 00e1.ele1.0001	specific MAC entry from the sleeping client cache.
	(Optional) show wireless client sleeping-client Example: Device# show wireless client sleeping-client (Optional) clear wireless client sleeping-client [mac-address mac-addr] Example: Device# clear wireless client sleeping-client

Sleeping Clients with Multiple Authentications

Mobility Support for Sleeping Clients

From Release 17.1.1 onwards, mobility support for guest and nonguest sleeping clients.

Supported Combinations of Multiple Authentications

Multiple authentication feature supports sleeping clients configured in the WLAN profile.

The following table outlines the supported combination of multiple authentications:

Table 3: Supported Combinations of Multiple Authentications

Layer 2	Layer 3	Supported
MAB	LWA	Yes
MAB Failure	LWA	Yes
Dot1x	LWA	Yes
PSK	LWA	Yes

Configuring Sleeping Clients with Multiple Authentications

Configuring WLAN for Dot1x and Local Web Authentication

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id SSID_name	Enters WLAN configuration submode.
	Example: Device(config) # wlan wlan-test 3	• <i>profile-name</i> - Profile name of the configured WLAN.
	ssid-test	• wlan-id - Wireless LAN identifier. Range is from 1 to 512.
		• <i>SSID_Name</i> - SSID, which can contain up to 32 alphanumeric characters.
Step 3	security dot1x authentication-list auth-list-name	Enables security authentication list for dot1x security. The configuration is similar for all
	Example:	dot1x security WLANs.
	Device(config-wlan)# security dot1x authentication-list default	
Step 4	security web-auth	Configures web authentication.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth	
Step 5	security web-auth authentication-list authenticate-list-name	Enables authentication list for dot1x security.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth authentication-list default	
Step 6	security web-auth parameter-map	Maps the parameter map.
	parameter-map-name	Note : If the parameter map is not associated
	Example:	with a WLAN, the configuration is considered
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth parameter-map global	from the global parameter map.
Step 7	no shutdown	Enables WLAN.
	Example:	

Command or Action	Purpose
Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	

Configuring a WLAN for MAC Authentication Bypass and Local Web Authentication

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id SSID_name	Enters WLAN configuration submode.
	<pre>Example: Device(config) # wlan wlan-test 3 ssid-test</pre>	• profile-name - Profile name of the configured WLAN.
		• wlan-id - Wireless LAN identifier. Range is from 1 to 512.
		• SSID_Name - SSID, which can contain up to 32 alphanumeric characters.
Step 3	mac-filtering list-name	Sets the MAC filtering parameters.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# mac-filtering cat-radius	
Step 4	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x	
Step 5	no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables the WPA2 cipher.
	Example:	aes—Excryption type that specifies WPA/AES
	Device (config-wlan) # no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	support.
Step 6	security web-auth parameter-map	Maps the parameter map.
	parameter-map-name	Note : If parameter map is not associated with
	Example:	a WLAN, the configuration is considered from
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth parameter-map global	the global parameter map.
Step 7	no shutdown	Enables WLAN.
	Example:	

Command or Action	Purpose
Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	

Configuring a WLAN for Local Web Authentication and MAC Filtering

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id SSID_name	Enters WLAN configuration submode.
	<pre>Example: Device(config) # wlan wlan-test 3 ssid-test</pre>	• profile-name - Profile name of the configured WLAN.
		• wlan-id - Wireless LAN identifier. Range is from 1 to 512.
		• <i>SSID_Name</i> - SSID, which can contain up to 32 alphanumeric characters.
Step 3	mac-filtering list-name	Sets the MAC filtering parameters.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# mac-filtering cat-radius	
Step 4	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security Authenticated Key
	Example:	Management (AKM) for dot1x.
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x	
Step 5	no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables the WPA2 cipher.
	Example:	aes: Excryption type that specifies WPA/AES
	Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	support.
Step 6	security web-auth on-macfilter-failure	Configures the fallback policy with MAC
	Example:	filtering and web authentication.
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth on-macfilter-failure wlan-id	
Step 7	security web-auth parameter-map parameter-map-name	Maps the parameter map.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Example: Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth parameter-map global	Note : If the parameter map is not associated with a WLAN, the configuration is considered from the global parameter map.
Step 8	no shutdown	Enables WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# no shutdown	

Configuring a PSK + LWA in a WLAN

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	wlan profile-name wlan-id SSID_name	Enters WLAN configuration submode.
	<pre>Example: Device(config)# wlan wlan-test 3 ssid-test</pre>	• <i>profile-name</i> - Profile name of the configured WLAN.
		• wlan-id - Wireless LAN identifier. Range is from 1 to 512.
		• <i>SSID_Name</i> - SSID, which can contain up to 32 alphanumeric characters.
Step 3	no security wpa akm dot1x	Disables security AKM for dot1x.
	Example:	
	<pre>Device(config-wlan)# no security wpa akm dot1x</pre>	
Step 4	security web-auth	Enables web authentication for a WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth	
Step 5	no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	Disables the WPA2 cipher.
	Example:	aes : Excryption type that specifies WPA/AES
	Device(config-wlan) # no security wpa wpa2 ciphers aes	support.
Step 6	security wpa psk set-key ascii ascii/hex key	Configures the preshared key on a WLAN.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa psk set-key ascii 0 1234567	

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 7	security wpa akm psk	Configures PSK support.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security wpa akm psk	
Step 8	security web-auth authentication-list authenticate-list-name	Enables the authentication list for dot1x security.
	Example:	
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth authentication-list default	
Step 9	security web-auth parameter-map	Maps the parameter map.
•	parameter-map-name Example :	Note : If the parameter map is not associated
		with a WLAN, the configuration is considered
	Device(config-wlan)# security web-auth	from the global parameter map.
	parameter-map global	

Configuring a Sleeping Client

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enters global configuration mode.
	Example: Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth {parameter-map-name global}	Creates a parameter map and enters parameter-map-name configuration mode.
	<pre>Example: Device(config) # parameter-map type webauth MAP-2</pre>	The specific configuration commands supported for a global parameter map defined with the global keyword differ from the commands supported for a named parameter map defined with the <i>parameter-map-name</i> argument.
Step 3	<pre>sleeping client [timeout time] Example: Device(config-params-parameter-map)# sleeping-client timeout 60</pre>	Configures the sleeping client timeout, in minutes. The available range for the <i>time</i> argument is from 10 to 43200. Note: If you do not use the timeout keyword, the sleeping client is configured with the default timeout value of 720 minutes.

Verifying a Sleeping Client Configuration

To verify a sleeping client configuration, use the following command:

Device# show wireless client sleeping-client Total number of sleeping-client entries: 1

MAC Address Remaining time (mm:ss)

2477.031b.aa18 59:56

Multi Authentication Combination with 802.1X Authentication and Local Web Authentication

Feature History for Multiauthentication Combination of 802.1X and Local Web Authentication

This table provides release and related information about the feature explained in this section.

This feature is also available in all the releases subsequent to the one in which they are introduced in, unless noted otherwise.

Table 4: Feature History for Multiauthentication Combination of 802.1X and Local Web Authentication

Release	Feature	Feature Information
Cisco IOS XE Dublin 17.11.1	Multiauthentication Combination of 802.1X and Local Web Authentication	This feature supports the merging of applied policies during multiauthentication of 802.1X or MAC authentication bypass (MAB) and local web authentication (LWA).

Information About Multiauthentication Combination with 802.1X Authentication and Local Web Authentication

In a wireless setup, for example, in a university, clients authenticate through 802.1X authentication. Because the 802.1X (dot1X) authentication process is secure and does not require user intervention, the end-users are unaware of the network that their devices are connected to. This could lead to serious concerns if they connect to the university's wireless network and post inappropriate content or access restricted content.

To avoid this situation, web authentication (webauth) and 802.1X authentication are configured in the network. End-user consent is used as a part of webauth to inform users that they are connected to the university's Wi-Fi network.

When the end-users accept the credentials for consent, AAA policies are not applied. The AAA policies that were applied earlier are deleted, resulting in a VLAN change and client disconnection.

A new command is introduced in Cisco IOS XE Dublin 17.11.1 to fix this issue. When you run the **consent activation-mode merge** command, the policy that is applied through consent is merged with the policy applied

for 802.1X or MAC Authentication Bypass (MAB) authentication, thereby allowing clients to access the network. This command is available in parameter-map mode, which is configured with **type consent** command.

Limitations for Multi Authentication Combination of 802.1X and Local Web Authentication

The following are the limitations for multiauthentication combination of 802.1X authentication and LWA:

- It is not possible to configure this feature on the controller GUI.
- SNMP is not supported.
- When the **consent activation-mode merge** command is not configured on the webauth parameter map, the default activation mode is Replace. This means that the user profile for consent replaces all the user profile policies that were previously applied.

Enabling the Multiauthentication Combination of 802.1X Authentication and Local Web Authentication (CLI)

Before you begin

Ensure that you have working knowledge of multiauthentication concepts, LWA (consent), and AAA override.

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	configure terminal	Enter global configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device# configure terminal	
Step 2	parameter-map type webauth parameter-map-name	Configures the webauth type parameter. Enters the parameter map configuration mode.
	Example:	
	Device(config)# parameter-map type webauth parameter-map1	
Step 3	type consent	Configures the type as consent .
	Example:	
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# type consent	
Step 4	[no] consent {activation-mode merge email}	Enables policy activation mode and merges the
	Example:	previous policy. Run the no form of this
	Device(config-params-parameter-map)# consent activation-mode merge	command to disable the feature.

Verifying Multiauthentication Combination with 802.1X Authentication and Local Web Authentication

To verify the multiauthentication combination with 802.1X authentication and LWA, run the following command:

Device# show parameter-map type webauth lwa-consent Parameter Map Name : lwa_consent : Consent Title : Please accept the consent Banner Title Banner Text : consent Auth-proxy Init State time : 300 sec Webauth max-http connection : 200 Webauth logout-window : Enabled Webauth success-window : Enabled Consent Email : Disabled Activation Mode : Merge Sleeping-Client : Disabled Webauth login-auth-bypass: