

and the maximum number of IAPs in the link. Then you will select the IAPs to be used in the link. When the client link is created, each member IAP will associate to an IAP on the host Array.

You may wish to consider configuring the WDS link IAPs so that only the WDS link SSIDs are active on them. See "Active IAPs" on page 261.

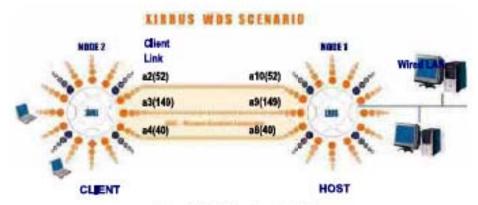


Figure 163. Configuring a WDS Link



Once an IAP has been selected to act as a WDS client link, you will not be allowed to use auto-configured cell sizing on that IAP (since the cell must extend all the way to the other Array).



When configuring WDS, if you use WPA-PSK (Pre-Shared Key) as a security mechanism, ensure that EAP is disabled. Communication between two Arrays in WDS mode will not succeed if the client Array has both PSK and EAP enabled on the SSID used by WDS. See SSID Management.



TKIP encryption does not support high throughput rates, per IEEE 802.11n.
TKIP should never be used for WDS links on XR and XN arrays.

# Long Distance Links

If you are using WDS to provide backhaul over an extended distance, use the WDS Dist. (Miles) setting to prevent timeout problems associated with long transmission times. (See "IAP Settings" on page 274) Set the approximate distance



in miles between this IAP and the connected Array in the WDS Dist. (Miles) column. This will increase the wait time for frame transmission accordingly.

# See Also

SSID Management Active IAPs WDS Client Link IAP Assignments: WDS Client Links WDS Statistics

# **WDS Client Links**

This window allows you to set up a maximum of four WDS client links.

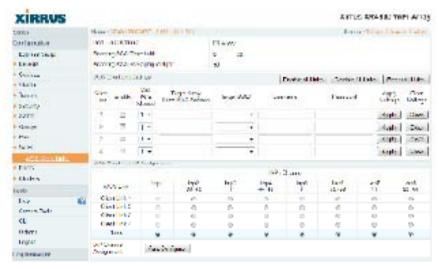


Figure 164. WDS Client Links



# Procedure for Setting Up WDS Client Links

#### WDS Client Link Settings:

 Host Link Stations: Check the Allow checkbox to instruct the Array to allow stations to associate to IAPs on a host Array that participates in a WDS link. The WDS host IAP will send beacons announcing its availability to wireless clients. This is disabled by default.



Once an IAP has been selected to act as a WDS client link, no other association will be allowed on that IAP. However, wireless associations will be allowed on the WDS host side of the WDS session.

2. Spanning Tree Protocol (STP): Check the Enable checkbox to instruct the Array to enforce the Spanning Tree Protocol on all WDS links. This is enabled by default. Use of STP is strongly recommended in most situations. However, in situations like the one in the next step, where WDS is used by an Array mounted on a high speed train, STP can add significant delay (often on the order of 30 to 60 seconds) while initially analyzing network topology. In such a situation, it may be desirable to disable STP.



Caution: If STP is disabled and a network connection is made on the WDS Client Array's Gigabit link that can reach the WDS Host Array, broadcast and multicast packets will not be blocked. A broadcast storm may cause a network outage.

- 3. Roaming RSSI Threshold: If an Array is deployed on a mobile site (on a train, for example), you can use WDS to implement a wireless backhaul that will roam between Arrays at fixed locations. When another candidate Array for WDS host target is found, the client link will roam to the new Array if its RSSI is stronger than the RSSI of the current host connection by at least the Roaming RSSI Threshold. The default is 6 dB.
- Roaming RSSI Averaging Weight: This weight changes how much the latest RSSI reading influences the cumulative weighted RSSI value utilized in checking the threshold (above) to make a roaming decision.



The higher the weight, the lower the influence of a new RSSI reading. This is not exactly a percentage, but a factor in the formula for computing the current RSSI value based on new readings:

StoredRSSI = (StoredRSSI \* RoamingAvgWeight + NewRSSIReading \* (100 - RoamingAvgWeight)) / 100

This prevents erroneous or out-of-line RSSI readings from causing the WDS link to jump to a new array. Such readings can result from temporary obstructions, external interference, etc.

Click Save changes to flash after you are finished making changes on this page if you wish to make your changes permanent.

#### WDS Client Link IAP Setting:

- 6. Enable/Disable/Reset All Links: Click the appropriate button to:
  - Enable All Links—this command activates all WDS links configured on the Array.
  - Disable All Links—this command deactivates all WDS links configured on the Array. It leaves all your settings unchanged, ready to re-enable.
  - Reset All Links—this command tears down all links configured on the Array and sets them back to their factory defaults, effective immediately.
- Client Link: Shows the ID (1 to 4) of each of the four possible WDS links.
- Enabled: Check this box if you want to enable this WDS link, or uncheck the box to disable the link.
- Max IAPs Allowed (1-3): Enter the maximum number of IAPs for this link, between 1 and 3.
- 10. Target Array Base MAC Address: Enter the base MAC address of the target Array (the host Array at the other side of this link). To find this MAC address, open the WDS window on the target Array, and use This Array Address located on the right under the Summary of WDS Host



Links. To allow any Xirrus Array to be accepted as a WDS target, enter the Xirrus OUI: 00:0f:7d:00:00:00 (this is useful for roaming in a mobile deployment, as described in Step 3 on page 341.

- 11. Target SSID: Enter the SSID that the target Array is using.
- 12. Username: Enter a username for this WDS link. A username and password is required if the SSID is using PEAP for WDS authentication from the internal RADIUS server.
- 13. Password: Enter a password for this WDS link.
- Clear Settings: Click on the Clear button to reset all of the fields on this line.

#### WDS Client Link IAP Assignments:

- 15. For each desired client link, select the IAPs that are part of that link. The IAP channel assignments are shown in the column headers.
- 16. IAP Channel Assignment: Click Auto Configure to instruct the Array to automatically determine the best channel allocation settings for each IAP that participates in a WDS link, based on changes in the environment. These changes are executed immediately, and are automatically applied.

#### See Also

SSID Management WDS Planning WDS WDS Statistics



# **Filters**



This feature is only available if the Array's license includes the Xirrus Advanced RF Security Manager (RSM). If a setting is unavailable (grayed out), then your license does not support the feature. Please see "About Licensing and Upgrades" on page 361.

The Wireless Array's integrated firewall uses stateful inspection to speed the decision of whether to allow or deny traffic. Filters are used to define the rules used for blocking or passing traffic. Filters can also set the VLAN and QoS level for selected traffic.



The air cleaner feature offers a number of predetermined filter rules that eliminate a great deal of unnecessary wireless traffic. See "Air Cleaner" on page 403.

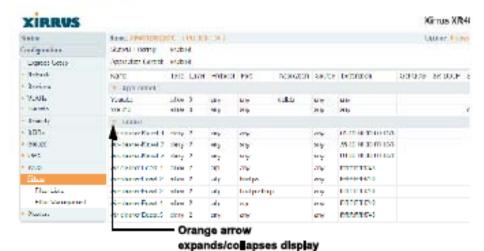


Figure 165. Filters

User connections managed by the firewall are maintained statefully—once a user flow is established through the Array, it is recognized and passed through



without application of all defined filtering rules. Stateful inspection runs automatically on the Array. The rest of this section describes how to view and manage filters.

Filters are organized in groups, called Filter Lists. A filter list allows you to apply a uniform set of filters to SSIDs or Groups very easily.

The read-only Filters window provides you with an overview of all filter lists that have been defined for this Array, and the filters that have been created in each list. Filters are listed in the left side column by name under the filter list to which they belong. Each filter entry is a link that takes you to its Filter Management entry, and the list includes information about the type of filter, the protocol it is filtering, which port it applies to, source and destination addresses, and QoS and VLAN assignments.

#### Filter Lists

This window allows you to create filter lists. The Array comes with one predefined list, named Global, which cannot be deleted. Filter lists (including Global) may be applied to SSIDs or to Groups. Only one filter list at a time may be applied to a group or SSID (although the filter list may contain a number of filters). All filters are created within filter lists.



Figure 166. Filter Lists



# Procedure for Managing Filter Lists

- Stateful Filtering: Stateful operation of the integrated firewall can be Enabled or Disabled. If you have a large number of filters and you don't want to apply them in a stateful manner, you may use this option to turn the firewall off.
- Application Control: Operation of the Application Control feature may be Enabled or Disabled. See "Application Control Windows" on page 150.



The Application Control feature is only available if the Array license includes Application Control. If a setting is unavailable (grayed out), then your license does not support the feature. See "About Licensing and Upgrades" on page 361.

Application Control data is only available from XR Series Array models. It is not available on XN Arrays.

- 3. New Filter List Name: Enter a name for the new filter list in this field, then click on the Create button to create the list. All new filters are disabled when they are created. The new filter list is added to the Filter List table in the window. Click on the filter list name, and you will be taken to the Filter Management window for that filter list.
- On: Check this box to enable this filter list, or leave it blank to disable the list. If the list is disabled, you may still add filters to it or modify it, but none of the filters will be applied to data traffic.
- Filters: This read-only field displays the number of filters that belong to this filter list.
- SSIDs: This read-only field lists the SSIDs that use this filter list.
- User Groups: This read-only field lists the Groups that use this filter list.
- Delete: Click this button to delete this filter list. The Global filter list may not be deleted.



- Click Save changes to flash if you wish to make your changes permanent.
- Click a filter list to go to the Filter Management window to create and manage the filters that belong to this list.

#### Filter Management

This window allows you to create and manage filters that belong to a selected filter list, based on the filter criteria you specify. Filters are an especially powerful feature when combined with the intelligence provided by the "Application Control Windows" on page 150.

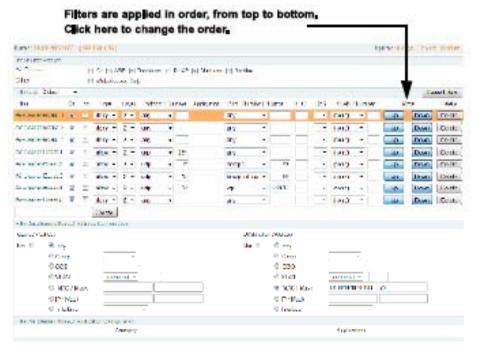


Figure 167. Filter Management



Based on Application Control's analysis of your wireless traffic, you can create filters to enhance wireless usage for your business needs:

- Usage of non-productive and risky applications like BitTorrent can be restricted.
- Traffic for mission-critical applications like VoIP and WebEx may be given higher priority (QoS).
- Non- critical traffic from applications like YouTube may be given lower priority (QoS).
- Traffic flows for specific applications may be controlled by sending them into VLANs that are designated for that type of traffic.

Note that filtering is secondary to the stateful inspection performed by the integrated firewall. Traffic for established connections is passed through without the application of these filtering rules.

### Procedure for Managing Filters

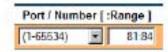
- Filter List: Select the filter list to display and manage on this window. All
  of the filters already defined for this list are shown, and you may create
  additional filters for this list.
- Add Preset Filter: A number of predefined "Air Cleaner" filters are available using these buttons. You can use these rules to eliminate a great deal of unnecessary wireless traffic, resulting in improved performance. For more information, please see "Air Cleaner" on page 403.
- 3. New Filter Name: To add a new filter, enter its name in the field next to the Create button at the bottom of the list, then click Create. All new filters are added to the table of filters in the window. The filter name must be unique within the list, but it may have the same name as a filter in a different filter list. Two filters with the same name in different filter lists will be completely unrelated to each other—they may be defined with different parameter values.



Viewing or modifying existing filter entries:

- Filter: Select a filter entry if you wish to modify it. Source and destination details are displayed below the bottom of the list.
- 5. On: Use this field to enable or disable this filter.
- Log: Log usage of this filter to Syslog.
- 7. Type: Choose whether this filter will be an Allow filter or a Deny filter. If you define the filter as an Allow filter, then any associations that meet the filter criteria will be allowed. If you define the filter as a Deny filter, any associations that meet the filter criteria will be denied.
- 8. Laver: Select network laver 2 or 3 for operation of this filter.
- Protocol/Number: Choose a specific filter protocol from the pull-down list, or choose numeric and enter a Number, or choose any to instruct the Array to use the best filter. This is a match criterion.
- Port/Number: This is a match criterion. From the pull-down list, choose the target port type for this filter. Choose any to instruct the Array to apply the filter to any port, or choose 1-65534 and enter a Number.

To enter a Range of port numbers, separate the start and end numbers with a colon as shown: Start #: End #.



- 11. QoS: (Optional) Set packets that match the filter criteria to this QoS level (0 to 3), selected from the pull-down list. Level 0 has the lowest priority; level 3 has the highest priority. By default, this field is blank and the filter does not modify QoS level. See "Understanding QoS Priority on the Wireless Array" on page 244.
- VLAN/Number: (Optional) Set packets that match the filter criteria to this VLAN. Select a VLAN from the pull-down list, or select numeric and enter the number of a previously defined VLAN (see "VLANs" on page 199).



- 13. Move Up/Down: The filters are applied in the order in which they are displayed in the list, with filters on the top applied first. To change an entry's position in the list, just click its Up or Down button.
- To delete a filter, click its Delete button.

Select an existing filter entry in the list to view or modify the following, shown below the list of filters:

- 15. Source Address: Define a source address to match as a filter criterion. Click the radio button for the desired type of address (or other attribute) to match. Then specify the value to match in the field to the right of the button. Choose Any to use any source address. Check Not to match any address except for the specified address.
- 16. Destination Address: Define a destination address to match as a filter criterion. Click the radio button for the desired type of address (or other attribute) to match. Then specify the value to match in the field to the right of the button. Choose any to use any source address. Check Not to match any address except for the specified address.

Below the Source and Destination Addresses, you may enter a Category or an Application to be matched by the filter:

 Category: If you wish this filter to apply to a particular category of application, such as File-Transfer or Database, select it from the listed options.



Figure 168. Filter Category or Application



- 18. Applications: If you wish this filter to apply to a specific application, such as WebEx, click the letter or number that it starts with. Then select the desired application. You may select a Category or an Application, but not both.
- Click Save changes to flash if you wish to make your changes permanent.

# See Also

Filters
Filter Statistics
Understanding QoS Priority on the Wireless Array
VLANs



# Clusters



# This feature is not avialable on XR-500 Series Arrays.

Clusters allow you to configure multiple Arrays at the same time. Using WMI (or CLI), you may define a set of Arrays that are members of the cluster. Then you may enter Cluster mode for a selected cluster, which sends all successive configuration commands issued via CLI or WMI to all of the member Arrays. When you exit cluster mode, configuration commands revert to applying only to the Array to which you are connected.

The read-only Clusters window provides you with an overview of all clusters that have been defined for this Array, and the Arrays that have been added to each. Arrays are listed in the left hand column by name under the cluster to which they belong. Each Array entry displays its IP Address, Username, and Password.



Figure 169. Clusters

Clusters are discussed in the following topics:

- Cluster Definition
- Cluster Management
- Cluster Operation



# Cluster Definition

This window allows you to create clusters. All existing clusters are shown, along with the number of Arrays currently in each. Up to 16 clusters may be created, with up to 50 Arrays in each.



Figure 170. Cluster Definition

# Procedure for Managing Cluster Definition

- New Cluster Name: Enter a name for the new cluster in the field to the left of the Create button, then click Create to add this entry. The new cluster is added to the list in the window. Click on the cluster name, and you will be taken to the Cluster Management window for that cluster.
- Delete: To delete a cluster, click its Delete button.
- Click Save changes to flash if you wish to make your changes permanent.
- Click a cluster to go to the Cluster Management window to add or remove Arrays in the cluster.



# Cluster Management

This window allows you to add Arrays to or delete them from a selected cluster. A cluster may include a maximum of 50 Arrays.

Note that the Array on which you are currently running WMI is not automatically a member of the cluster. If you would like it to be a member, you must add it explicitly.



Figure 171. Cluster Management

#### Procedure for Managing Clusters

- Edit Cluster: Select the cluster to display and manage on this window. All
  of the Arrays already defined for this cluster are shown, and you may
  add additional Arrays to this list.
- Array: Enter the hostname or IP address of the Array that you wish to add to this cluster.
- Username/Password: In these columns, enter the administrator name and password for access to the Array.
- Click the Add Array button to enter the Array.
- To delete an Array, click its Delete button.
- Click Save changes to flash if you wish to make your changes permanent.



#### Cluster Operation

This window puts WMI into Cluster Mode. In this mode, all configuration operations that you execute in WMI or CLI are performed on the members of the cluster. They are not performed on the Array where you are running WMI, unless it is a member of the cluster.



An XR-1000 Series Array cannot act as the Cluster controller. It will operate correctly as a member of a cluster.

You must use the Save changes to flash button at the top of configuration windows to permanently save your changes in Cluster Mode, just as you would in normal operation. When you are done configuring Arrays in the cluster, return to this window and click the Exit button to leave Cluster Mode.



Figure 172. Cluster Mode Operation

# Procedure for Operating in Cluster Mode

Operate: Click the Operate button to the right of the desired cluster. A
message informs you that you are operating in cluster mode. Click OK.
The Operate button is replaced with an Exit button.



Figure 173. Cluster Mode Activation



- Select a WMI window for settings that you wish to configure for the cluster, and proceed to make the desired changes.
- 3. Proceed to any additional pages where you wish to make changes.
- Some Status and Statistics windows will present information for all Arrays in the cluster.
- Click the Save button when done if you wish to save changes on the cluster member Arrays.
- Exit: Click the Exit button to the right of the operating cluster to terminate Cluster Mode. The WMI returns to normal operation—managing only the Array to which it is connected.

#### Status and Statistics Windows in Cluster Mode

In Cluster Mode, many of the Status and Statistics windows will display information for all of the members of the cluster. You can tell whether a window displays cluster information—if so, it will display the Cluster Name near the top, as shown in Figure 174.



Figure 174. Viewing Statistics in Cluster Mode



You have the option to show aggregate information for the cluster members, or click the Group by Array check box to separate it out for each Array.

You may terminate cluster mode operation by clicking the Exit button to the right of the Group by Array check box.





# Using Tools on the Wireless Array

These WMI windows allow you to perform administrative tasks on your Array, such as upgrading software, rebooting, uploading and downloading configuration files, and other utility tasks. Tools are described in the following sections:

- "System Tools" on page 360
- "CLI" on page 371
- "Options" on page 373
- "Logout" on page 376

Note that the **Tools** menu section may be collapsed down to hide the headings under it by clicking it. Click again to display the headings. (See Figure 43 on page 89)

This section does not discuss using status or configuration windows. For information on those windows, please see:

- "Viewing Status on the Wireless Array" on page 95
- "Configuring the Wireless Array" on page 159



# System Tools

This window allows you to manage files for software images, configuration, and Web Page Redirect (WPR), manage the system's configuration parameters, reboot the system, and use diagnostic tools.

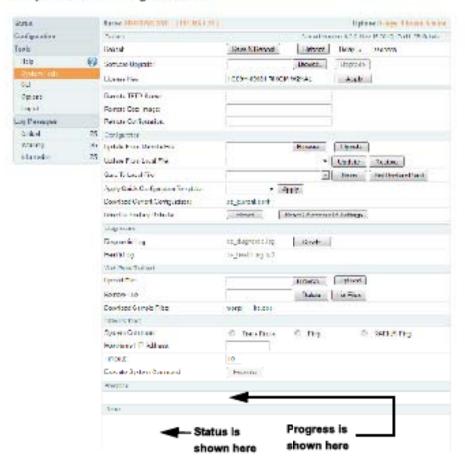


Figure 175. System Tools





Some tools, such as Network Tools and Diagnostics, are only available if the Array's license includes the Xirrus Advanced RF Analysis Manager (RAM). If a tool is unavailable (grayed out), then your license does not support the feature. See "About Licensing and Upgrades" on page 361.

# About Licensing and Upgrades

The Array's license determines many of the features that are available on the Array. For example, automatic cell sizing and channel allocation require a license that includes the Xirrus Advanced RF Performance Manager (RPM). Also, IEEE 802.11n operation on XN model Arrays is a licensed feature. To check the features supported by your license, see "Array Information" on page 101.

If you are upgrading the Array to add new features that are not supported by your existing license, you must enter the new license key that includes the upgrade's features before upgrading.

Similarly, if you are upgrading the Array for a new release, you must enter the new license key that enables the operation of that release before upgrading. If you do not enter the new license first, the Array will display a message and revert to the previous software image, rather than trying to run new software for which it is not licensed. Major releases will need a new license key, but minor releases will not. For example, to upgrade from ArrayOS Release 5.0.5 to Release 5.1, you must enter a new license key. To upgrade from ArrayOS Release 5.0.5 to Release 5.0.6, use your existing license key.

If you will be entering license keys and performing upgrades on many Arrays, the effort will be streamlined by using the Xirrus Management System (XMS).

#### Procedure for Configuring System Tools

These tools are broken down into the following sections:

- System
- Configuration
- Diagnostics
- Web Page Redirect



- Network Tools
- Progress and Status Frames

#### System

- Save & Reboot or Reboot: Use Save & Reboot to save the current
  configuration and then reboot the Array. The LEDs on the Array indicate
  the progress of the reboot, as described in "Powering Up the Wireless
  Array" on page 63. Alternatively, use the Reboot button to discard any
  configuration changes which have not been saved since the last reboot.
  You may specify an optional Delay period in seconds to wait before the
  reboot starts.
- Software Upgrade: This feature upgrades the ArrayOS to a newer version provided by Xirrus. Please note that you typically will need to enter a new license key to cover the upgrade's features before clicking the Upgrade button. See "About Licensing and Upgrades" on page 361 for details.

Enter the filename and directory location (or click on the **Browse** button to locate the software upgrade file), then click on the **Upgrade** button to upload the new file to the Array. Progress of the operation will be displayed below, in the **Progress** section. Completion status of the operation is shown in the **Status** section.

This operation does not run the new software or change any configured values. The existing software continues to run on the Array until you reboot, at which time the uploaded software will be used.



If you have difficulty upgrading the Array using the WMI, see "Upgrading the Array via CLI" on page 464 for a lower-level procedure you may use.

Software Upgrade always uploads the file in binary mode. If you transfer any image file to your computer to have it available for the Software Upgrade command, it is critical to remember to transfer it (ftp, tftp) in binary model



3. License Key: If Xirrus provides you with a new license key for your Array, use this field to enter it, then click the Apply button to the right. A valid license is required for Array operation, and it controls the features available on the Array. If you upgrade your Array for additional features, you will be provided with a license key to activate those capabilities.

If you attempt to enter an invalid key, you will receive an error message and the current key will not be replaced.

# Automatic Updates from Remote Image or Configuration File

The Array software image or configuration file can be downloaded from an external server. In large deployments, all Arrays can be pointed to one TFTP server instead of explicitly initiating software image uploads to all Arrays. When the Array boots, the Array will download the software image from the specified TFTP server. Similarly, if you decide to change a setting in the Arrays, you can simply modify a single configuration file. After the Arrays are rebooted, they will automatically download the new configuration file from a single location on the specified TFTP server.

- Remote TFTP Server: This field defines the path to a TFTP server to be used for automated remote update of software image and configuration files when rebooting. You may specify the server using an IP address or host name.
- Remote Boot Image: When the Array boots up, it fetches the software image file specified here from the TFTP server defined above, and upgrades to this image before booting. This must be an Array image file with a .bin extension.

Make sure to place the file on the TFTP server. If you disable the remote boot image (by blanking out this field) or if the image can't be transferred, the Array will fall back to booting whatever image is on the compact flash.





The Remote Boot Image or Configuration update happens every time that the Array reboots. If you only want to fetch the remote image or configuration file one time, be sure to turn off the remote option (blank out the field on the System Tools page) after the initial download. When a remote boot image is used, the image is transferred directly into memory and is never written to the compact flash.

6. Remote Configuration: When the Array boots up, it fetches the specified configuration file from the TFTP server defined above, and applies this configuration after the local configuration is applied. The remote configuration must be an Array configuration file with a .conf extension. Make sure to place the file on the TFTP server.

A partial configuration file may be used. For instance, if you wish to use a single configuration file for all of your Arrays but don't want to have the same IP address for each Array, you may remove the ipaddr line from the file. You can then load the file on each Array and the local IP addresses will not change.

A remote configuration is never saved to the compact flash unless you issue a Save command.

# Configuration

- 7. Update from Remote File: This field allows you to define the path to a configuration file (one that you previously saved—see Step 9 and Step 10 below). Click on the Browse button if you need to browse for the location of the file, then click Update to update your configuration settings.
- Update from Local File: This field updates Array settings from a local configuration file on the Array. Select one of the following files from the drop-down list:
  - factory.conf: The factory default settings.
  - lastboot.conf: The setting values from just before the last reboot.
  - saved.conf: The last settings that were explicitly saved using the Save changes to flash button at the top of each window.



- history/saved-yyyymmdd-pre-update.conf: history/saved-yyyymmdd-post-update.conf:
  - Two files are saved for an upgrade: the setting values from just before an upgrade was performed, and the initial values afterward. The filename includes the upgrade date.
- history/saved-yyyymmdd-auto.conf: Each time you use the Save changes to flash button, an "auto" file is saved with the settings current at that time.
- history/saved-yyyymmdd-pre-reset.conf: history/saved-yyyymmdd-post-reset.conf:
  - Each time you use one of the Reset to Factory Default buttons, two files are saved: the setting values from just before the reset, and the initial values afterward. The filename includes the reset date.
- history/saved-yyyymmdd-hhmm.conf: The setting values that were explicitly saved using the Set Restore Point button (see Step 9 below).

Click **Update** to update your configuration settings. Note that the History folder allows a maximum of 16 files. The oldest file is automatically deleted to make room for each new file.

- Save to Local File: There are a few options for explicitly requesting the Array to save your current configuration to a file on the Array:
  - To view the list of configuration files currently on the Array, click the
    down arrow to the right of this field. If you wish to replace one of
    these files (i.e., save the current configuration under an existing file
    name), select the file, then click Save. Note that you cannot save to
    the file names factory.conf, lastboot.conf, and saved.conf these files
    are write-protected.
  - You may enter the desired file name, then click Save.
  - Click Set Restore Point to save a copy of the current configuration, basing the file name on the current date and time. For example:

history/saved-20100318-1842.conf



Note that the configuration is automatically saved to a file in a few situations, as described in Step 8 above.



Important! When you have initially configured your Array, or have made significant changes to its configuration, we strongly recommend that you save the configuration to a file in order to have a safe backup of your working configuration.

- 10. Download Current Configuration: Click on the link titled xs\_current.conf to download the Array's current configuration settings to a file (that you can upload back to the Array at a later date). The system will prompt you for a destination for the file. The file will contain the Array's current configuration values.
- 11. Reset to Factory Defaults: Click on the Reset/Preserve IP Settings button to reset the system's current configuration settings to the factory default values, except for the Array's management IP address which is left unchanged. This function allows you to maintain management connectivity to the Array even after the reset. This will retain the Gigabit Ethernet port's IP address (see "Network Interfaces" on page 171), or if you have configured management over a VLAN it will maintain the management VLAN's IP address (see "VLAN Management" on page 201). All other previous configuration settings will be lost.

Click Reset to reset all of the system's current configuration settings to the factory default values, including the management IP address—all previous configuration settings will be lost. The Array's Gigabit Ethernet ports default to using DHCP to obtain an IP address.



If the IP settings change, the connection to the WMI may be lost.

#### Diagnostics

12. Diagnostic Log: Click the Create button to save a snapshot of Array information for use by Xirrus Customer Support personnel. The Progress and Status Frames show the progress of this operation. When the process



is complete, the filename xs\_diagnostic.log will be displayed in blue and provides a link to the newly created log file. Click the link to download this file to the C:\ folder on your local computer. (Figure 176)

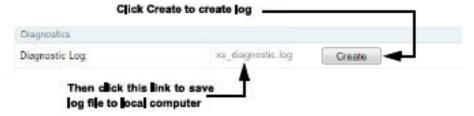


Figure 176. Saving the Diagnostic Log

This feature is only used at the request of Customer Support. It saves all of the information regarding your Array, including status, configuration, statistics, log files, and recently performed actions.

The diagnostic log is always saved as a file named xs\_diagnostic.log on your C:\ drive, so you should immediately rename the file to save it. This way, it will not be lost the next time you save a diagnostic log. Often, Customer Support will instruct you to save two diagnostic logs about ten minutes apart so that they can examine the difference in statistics between the two snapshots (for example, to see traffic and error statistics for the interval). Thus, you must rename the first diagnostic log file.



All passwords are stored on the array in an encrypted form and will not be exposed in the diagnostic log.



# Web Page Redirect

The Array uses a Perl script and a cascading style sheet to define the default splash/login Web page that the Array delivers for WPR. You may replace these files with files for one or more custom pages of your own. See Step 15 below to view the default files. See Step 14 on page 253 for more information about WPR and how the splash/login page is used.

Each SSID that has WPR enabled may have its own page. Custom files for a specific SSID must be named based on the SSID name. For example, if the SSID is named Public, the default wpr.pl and hs.css files should be modified as desired and renamed to wpr-Public.pl and hs-Public.css before uploading to the Array. If you modify and upload files named wpr.pl and hs.css, they will replace the factory default files and will be used for any SSID that does not have its own custom files, per the naming convention just described. Be careful not to replace the default files unintentionally.



Figure 177. Managing WPR Splash/Login page files

13. Upload File: Use this to install files for your own custom WPR splash/login page (as described above) on the Array. Note that uploaded files are not immediately used - you must reboot the Array first. At that time, the Array looks for and uses these files, if found.

Enter the filename and directory location (or click **Browse** to locate the splash/login page files), then click on the **Upload** button to upload the new files to the Array. You must reboot to make your changes take effect.



- 14. Remove File: Enter the name of the WPR file you want to remove, then click on the Delete button. You can use the List Files button to show you a list of files that have been saved on the Array for WPR. The list is displayed in the Status section at the bottom of the WMI window. You must reboot to make your changes take effect.
- 15. Download Sample Files: Click on a link to access the corresponding sample WPR files:
  - wpr.pl—a sample Perl script.
  - hs.css—a sample cascading style sheet.

#### Network Tools



Figure 178. System Command (Ping)

16. System Command: Choose Trace Route, Ping., or RADIUS Ping. For Trace Route and Ping, fill in IP Address and Timeout. Then click the Execute button to run the command.

The RADIUS Ping command is a simple utility that tests connectivity to a RADIUS server by attempting to log in with the specified Username and Password. When using a RADIUS server, this command allows you to verify that the server configuration is correct and whether a particular Username and Password are set up properly. If a client is having trouble



accessing the network, you can quickly determine if there is a basic RADIUS problem by using the RADIUS Ping tool. For example, in Figure 179 (A), RADIUS Ping is unable to contact the server. In Figure 179 (B), RADIUS Ping verifies that the host information and secret for a RADIUS server are correct, but that the user account information is not.

Select RADIUS allows you to select a RADIUS server that you have already configured. When you make a choice in this field, additional fields will be displayed. Set Select RADIUS to External Radius, Internal Radius, or a server specified for a particular SSID, or select Other Server to specify another server by entering its Host name or IP address, Port, and shared Secret.

Enter the RADIUS Credentials: Username and Password. Select the Authentication Type, PAP or CHAP. Click the Execute button to run the command. The message Testing RADIUS connection appears. Click OK to proceed.

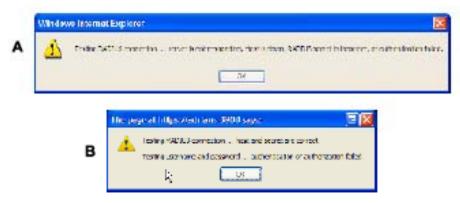


Figure 179. Radius Ping Output

- IP Address: For Ping or Trace Route, enter the IP address of the target device.
- Timeout: For Ping or Trace Route, enter a value (in seconds) before the action times out.



19. Execute System Command: Click Execute to start the specified command. Progress of command execution is displayed in the Progress frame. Results are displayed in the Status frame.

# Progress and Status Frames

The **Progress** frame displays a progress bar for commands such as Software Upgrade and Ping. The **Status** frame presents the output from system commands (Ping and Trace Route), as well as other information, such as the results of software upgrade.

20. If you want to save the parameters you established in this window for future sessions, click on the Save changes to flash button.

# CL

The WMI provides this window to allow you to use the Array's Command Line Interface (CLI). You can enter commands to configure the Array, or display information using show commands. You will not need to log in - you already logged in to the Array when you started the WMI.

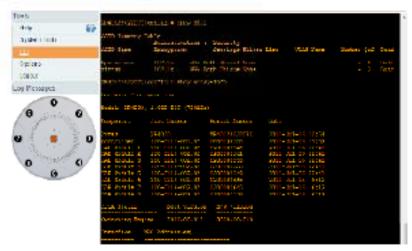


Figure 180. CLI Window



To enter a command, simply type it in. The command is echoed and output is shown in the normal way—that is, the same way it would be if you were using the CLI directly. You may use the extra scroll bar inside the right edge of the window to scroll through your output. If output runs past the right edge of the screen, there is also a horizontal scroll bar at the bottom of the page.

This window has some minor differences, compared to direct use of the CLI via the console or an SSH connection:

• The CLI starts in config mode. All configuration and show commands are available in this mode. You can "drill down" the mode further in the usual way. For example, you can type interface iap to change the mode to config-iap. The prompt will indicate the current command mode, for example:

```
My-Array(config-iap) #
```

- You can abbreviate a command and it will be executed if you have typed enough of the command to be unambiguous. The command will not auto-complete, however. Only the abbreviated command that you actually typed will be shown. You can type a partial command and press Tab to have the command auto-complete. If the partial command is ambiguous a list of legal endings is displayed.
- Entering quit will return you to the previously viewed WMI page.
- Most, but not all, CLI commands can be run in this window. Specifically
  the run-test menu of commands is not available in this window. To use
  the run-test command, please connect using SSH and use CLI directly, or
  use the System Tools described in this chapter, such as Trace Route, Ping,
  and RADIUS Ping.

Help commands (the ? character) are available, either at the prompt or after you have typed part of a command.



# Options

This window allows you to customize the behavior and appearance of the WMI. By default, the Array uses the **New** style option, shown below.



Figure 181. WMI Display Options

# Procedure for Configuring Options

- Style: This option allows you to change the appearance and operation of the user interface. Select one of the available styles from the drop-down list. Click the Apply button to view the WMI with the selected style.
  - Note that some styles just change the display appearance (the skin) of WMI, in much the same way as changing the display theme used in Windows 7. Other styles include more extensive changes to the interface.





Figure 182. iPhone Style Option

For example, the iPhone style option (Figure 182) has a more compact display, suitable for use on smart phones. It shows the main menu in the orange bar at the top, rather than as a tree in its own frame on the left. Clicking one of the menu choices at the top in Figure 182 will display a drop-down menu with the options for that menu choice. Menus may be toggled on and off by clicking on the headers (Status, Configuration, etc.).

Refresh Interval in Seconds: Many of the windows in the Status section of the WMI have an Auto Refresh option. You may use this setting to change how often a status or statistics window is refreshed, if its auto refresh option is enabled. Enter the desired number of seconds between refreshes. The default refresh interval is 30 seconds.



- 3. Close Menu Section when Deselected: When you click a main section such as SSIDs in the left frame of the WMI (the navigation tree), the section is expanded to show submenu choices. Click Yes to automatically close any open submenus when you select a different section. If you click No, all menu sections will remain expanded once opened. No is the default. Note that if you enable this feature and you expand a section by clicking its orange arrow, the section will stay open as you select windows in other menu sections.
- 4. Clear Screen When Loading New Page: When this option is enabled and you click on a page that takes a long time to load for any reason, the main area of the screen is blanked out and displays a Loading... message. If this option is disabled, WMI simply shows the page you were viewing until the new page loads.



# Logout

Click on the Logout button to terminate your session. When the session is terminated, you are presented with the Array's login window.



Figure 183. Login Window



# The Command Line Interface

This section covers the commands and the command structure used by the Wireless Array's Command Line Interface (CLI), and provides a procedure for establishing an SSH connection to the Array. Topics discussed include:

- "Establishing a Secure Shell (SSH) Connection" on page 377.
- "Getting Started with the CLI" on page 379.
- "Top Level Commands" on page 381.
- "Configuration Commands" on page 390.
- "Sample Configuration Tasks" on page 426.



Some commands are only available if the Array's license includes appropriate Xirrus Advanced Feature Sets. If a command is unavailable, an error message will notify you that your license does not support the feature. See "About Licensing and Upgrades" on page 361.

### See Also

Establishing Communication with the Array Network Map System Tools

### Establishing a Secure Shell (SSH) Connection

Use this procedure to initialize the system and log in to the Command Line Interface (CLI) via a Secure Shell (SSH) utility, such as PuTTY. When connecting to the unit's Command Line Interface over a network connection, you must use a Secure SHell version 2 (SSH-2) utility. Make sure that your SSH utility is set up to use SSH-2.

- Start your SSH session and communicate with the Array via its IP address.
  - If the Array is connected to a network that uses DHCP, use the address assigned by DHCP. We recommend that you have the



- network administrator assign a reserved address to the Array for ease of access in the future.
- If the network does not use DHCP, use the factory default address 10.0.2.1 to access either the Gigabit 1 or Gigabit 2 Ethernet port. You may need to change the IP address of the port on your computer that is connected to the Array—change that port's IP address so that it is on the same 10.0.2.xx subnet as the Array port.
- If your Array is an 8-, 12-, or 16-port model, it has a 10/100Mb Ethernet port called Ethernet0. This management port has a default IP address of 10.0.1.1. You may connect your computer directly to this port, but you will need to set the IP address of the connected port on your computer to the 10.0.1.xx subnet.
- At the login prompt, enter your user name and password (the default for both is admin). Login names and passwords are case-sensitive. You are now logged in to the Array's Command Line Interface.

```
Rinnum Hi Fi Horay
ArrapOS Version 9.8 428
Eppyright (c) 2005-2007 Rinnum, that.
http://www.mirrum.com
Username: odmin
Piccomord: coras
Kinnum Hi Fi Array
```

Figure 184. Logging In



# Getting Started with the CLI

The root command prompt (Root Command Prompt) is the first prompt you see after logging in to the CLI. If you are at a level other than the root command prompt you can return to this prompt at any time by using the exit command to step back through each command prompt level. The root command prompt you see in the CLI window is determined by the host name you assigned to your Array. The prompt Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array is displayed throughout this document simply because this is the host name assigned to the Array used for development. To terminate your session at any time, use the quit command.

### Inputting Commands

When inputting commands you need only type as many characters as the system requires before it recognizes your input. For example, you can type the abbreviated term config to access the configure prompt.

### Getting Help

The CLI offers the following two levels of assistance:

#### help Command

The help command is only available at the root command prompt. Initiating this command generates a window that provides information about the types of help that are available with the CLI.

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Figure 185. Help Window



### ? Command

This command is available at any prompt and provides either FULL or PARTIAL help. Using the ? (question mark) command when you are ready to enter an argument will display all the possible arguments (full help). Partial help is provided when you enter an abbreviated argument and you want to know what arguments will match your input.

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Figure 186. Full Help

Figure 187 shows an example of how the Help system can provide the argument and format when specifying the time zone under the date-time command.

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Energy A.F. Seeing St. St. See St. See
```

Figure 187. Partial Help



# Top Level Commands

This section offers an at-a-glance view of all top level commands—organized alphabetically. Top level commands are defined here as commands that are directly accessible from the root command prompt (Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array#). The root command prompt is based on the host name assigned to your Array. When inputting commands, be aware that all commands are case-sensitive.

All other commands are considered second level configuration commands these are the commands you use to configure specific elements of the Array's features and functionality. For a listing of these commands with examples of command formats and structure, go to "Configuration Commands" on page 390.

### **Root Command Prompt**

The following table shows the top level commands that are available from the root command prompt [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array].

Command	Description
8	Type 8n to execute command n (as shown by the history command).
configure	Enter the configuration mode. See "Configuration Commands" on page 390.
exit	Exit the CLI and terminate your session—if this command is used at any level other than the root command prompt you will simply exit the current level (step back) and return to the previous level.
help	Show a description of the interactive help system. See also, "Getting Help" on page 379.
history	List history of commands that have been executed.
more	Turn terminal pagination ON or OFF.
quit	Exit the Command Line Interface (from any level).
search	Search for pattern in show command output.



Command	Description
show	Display information about the selected item. See "show Commands" on page 385.
statistics	Display statistical data about the Array. See "statistics Commands" on page 388.
uptime	Display the elapsed time since the last boot.

# configure Commands

The following table shows the second level commands that are available with the top level configure command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)#].

Command	Description
8	Type In to execute command n (as shown by the history command).
acl	Configure the Access Control List.
admin	Define administrator access parameters.
cdp	Configure Cisco Discovery Protocol settings.
clear	Remove/clear the requested elements.
cluster	Make configuration changes to multiple Arrays.
contact-info	Contact information for assistance on this Array.
date-time	Configure date and time settings.
dhcp-server	Configure the DHCP Server.
dns	Configure the DNS settings.
end	Exit the configuration mode.
exit	Go UP one mode level.
file	Manage the file system.



Command	Description
filter	Define protocol filter parameters.
group	Define user groups with parameter settings
help	Description of the interactive Help system.
history	List history of commands that have been executed.
hostname	Host name for this Array.
interface	Select the interface to configure.
load	Load running configuration from flash
location	Location name for this Array.
management	Configure array management parameters
more	Turn ON or OFF terminal pagination.
netflow	Configure NetFlow data collector.
no	Disable (if enabled) or set to default value.
quit	Exit the Command Line Interface.
radius-server	Configure the RADIUS server parameters.
reboot	Reboot the Array.
reset	Reset all settings to their factory default values and reboot.
restore	Reset all settings to their factory default values and reboot.
run-tests	Run selective tests.
save	Save the running configuration to FLASH.
search	Search for pattern in show command output.
security	Set the security parameters for the Array.



Command	Description
show	Display current information about the selected item.
snmp	Enable, disable or configure SNMP.
ssid	Configure the SSID parameters.
statistics	Display statistics.
syslog	Enable, disable or configure the Syslog Server.
uptime	Display time since the last boot.
vlan	Configure VLAN parameters.
wifi-tag	Configure VLAN parameters.



# show Commands

The following table shows the second level commands that are available with the top level show command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array# show].

Command	Description
acl	Display the Access Control List.
admin	Display the administrator list or login information.
array-info	Display system information.
associated- stations	Display stations that have associated to the Array.
boot-env	Display Boot loader environment variables.
capabilities	Display detailed station capabilities.
cdp	Display Cisco Discovery Protocol settings.
channel-list	Display list of Array's 802.11an and bgn channels.
clear-text	Display and enter passwords and secrets in the clear.
conntrack	Display the Connection Tracking table.
console	Display terminal settings.
contact-info	Display contact information.
date-time	Display date and time settings summary.
dhcp-leases	Display IP addresses (leases) assigned to stations by the DHCP server.
dhcp-pool	Display internal DHCP server settings summary information.
diff	Display the difference between configurations.
dns	Display DNS summary information.



Command	Description
error-numbers	Display the detailed error number in error messages.
ethernet	Display Ethernet interface summary information.
external-radius	Display summary information for the external RADIUS server settings.
factory-config	Display the Array factory configuration information.
filters	Display filter information.
iap	Display IAP configuration information.
internal-radius	Display the users defined for the embedded RADIUS server.
lastboot-config	Display Array configuration at the time of the last boot-up.
management	Display settings for managing the Array, plus Standby, FIPS, and other information.
network-map	Display network map information.
realtime-monitor	Display realtime statistics for all IAPs.
rogue-ap	Display rogue AP information.
route	Display the routing table.
rssi-map	Display RSSI map by IAP for station.
running-config	Display configuration information for the Array currently running.
saved-config	Display the last saved Array configuration.
security	Display security settings summary information.
self-test	Display self test results.
snmp	Display SNMP summary information.



Command	Description
spanning-tree	Display spanning tree information.
spectrum- analyzer	Display spectrum analyzer measurements.
ssid	Display SSID summary information.
stations	Display station information.
statistics	Display statistics.
syslog	Display the system log.
syslog-settings	Display the system log (Syslog) settings.
temperature	Display the current board temperatures.
unassociated- stations	Display unassociated station information.
vlan	Display VLAN information.
wds	Display WDS information.
<cr></cr>	Display configuration or status information.



# statistics Commands

The following table shows the second level commands that are available with the top level statistics command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array# statistics].

Command	Description
ethernet	Display statistical data for all Ethernet interfaces.
Ethernet Name eth0, gig1, gig2	Display statistical data for the defined Ethernet interface (either eth0, gig1 or gig2). FORMAT: statistics gig1
filter	Display statistics for defined filters (if any). FORMAT: statistics filter [detail]
filter-list	Display statistics for defined filter list (if any). FORMAT: statistics filter <filter-list></filter-list>
iap	Display statistical data for the defined IAP. FORMAT: statistics iap iap2 statistics iap abgn4
station	Display statistical data about associated stations. FORMAT: statistics station billw
vlan	Display statistical data for the defined VLAN. You must use the VLAN number (not its name) when defining a VLAN. FORMAT: statistics vlan 1



Command	Description
wds	Display statistical data for the defined active WDS (Wireless Distribution System) links. FORMAT: statistics wds 1
<er></er>	Display configuration or status information.



# **Configuration Commands**

All configuration commands are accessed by using the configure command at the root command prompt (Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array#). This section provides a brief description of each command and presents sample formats where deemed necessary. The commands are organized alphabetically. When inputting commands, be aware that all commands are case-sensitive.

To see examples of some of the key configuration tasks and their associated commands, go to "Sample Configuration Tasks" on page 426.

ac

The acl command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# acl] is used to configure the Access Control List.

Command	Description
add	Add a MAC address to the list. FORMAT: acl add AA:BB:CC:DD:EE:FF
del	Delete a MAC address from the list. FORMAT: acl del AA:BB:CC:DD:EE:FF
disable	Disable the Access Control List FORMAT: acl disable
enable	Enable the Access Control List FORMAT: acl enable
reset	Delete all MAC addresses from the list. FORMAT: acl reset



# admin

The admin command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-admin)#] is used to configure the Administrator List.

Command	Description
add	Add a user to the Administrator List. FORMAT: admin add [userID]
del	Delete a user to the Administrator List. FORMAT: admin del [userID]
edit	Modify user in the Administrator List. FORMAT: admin edit [userID]
radius	Define a RADIUS server to be used for authenticating administrators.  FORMAT:  admin radius [disable   enable   off   on   timeout <seconds>   auth-type [PAP   CHAP]]  admin radius [primary   secondary]  port <portid> server [<ip-addr>   <host>   secret <shared-secret></shared-secret></host></ip-addr></portid></seconds>
reset	Delete all users and restore the default user. FORMAT: admin reset



# cdp

The cdp command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# cdp] is used to configure the Cisco Discovery Protocol.

Command	Description
disable	Disable the Cisco Discovery Protocol FORMAT: cdp disable
enable	Enable the Cisco Discovery Protocol FORMAT: cdp enable
hold-time	Select CDP message hold time before messages received from neighbors expire. FORMAT: cdp hold-time [# seconds]
interval	The Array sends out CDP announcements at this interval. FORMAT: cdp interval [# seconds]
off	Disable the Cisco Discovery Protocol FORMAT: cdp off
on.	Enable the Cisco Discovery Protocol FORMAT: cdp on



#### clear

The clear command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# clear] is used to clear requested elements.

Command	Description
authentication	Deauthenticate a station. FORMAT: clear station [authenticated station]
history	Clear the history of CLI commands executed. FORMAT: clear history
screen	Clear the screen where you're viewing CLI output. FORMAT: clear syslog
statistics	Clear the statistics for a requested interface. FORMAT: clear statistics [eth0]
syslog	Clear all Syslog messages, but continue to log new messages. FORMAT: clear syslog



### cluster

The cluster command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# cluster] is used to create and operate clusters. Clusters allow you to configure multiple Arrays at the same time. Using CLI (or WMI), you may define a set of Arrays that are members of the cluster. Then you may switch the Array to Cluster operating mode for a selected cluster, which sends all successive configuration commands issued via CLI or WMI to all of the member Arrays. When you exit cluster mode, configuration commands revert to applying only to the Array to which you are connected.

For more information, see "Clusters" on page 352.

Command	Description
add	Create a new Array cluster. Enters edit mode for that cluster to allow you to specify the Arrays that belong to the cluster. FORMAT: cluster add [cluster-name]
del	Delete an Array cluster. Type del ? to list the existing clusters. FORMAT: cluster del [cluster-name]
edit	Enter edit mode for selected cluster to add or delete Arrays that belong to the cluster. FORMAT: cluster edit [cluster-name]
end	Exit Cluster configuration mode. Configuration returns to normal operation, affecting this Array only.  FORMAT: cluster end



Command	Description
operate	Enter Cluster operation mode. All configuration commands are applied to all of the selected cluster's member Arrays until you give the end command (see above).  FORMAT: cluster operate [cluster-name]
reset	Delete all clusters. FORMAT: cluster reset

# contact-info

The contact-info command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# contact-info] is used for managing administrator contact information.

Command	Description
email	Add an email address for the contact (must be in quotation marks). FORMAT: contact-info email ["contact@mail.com"]
name	Add a contact name (must be in quotation marks). FORMAT: contact-info name ["Contact Name"]
phone	Add a telephone number for the contact (must be in quotation marks).  FORMAT: contact-info phone ["8185550101"]



### date-time

The date-time command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-date-time)#] is used to configure the date and time parameters. Your Array supports the Network Time Protocol (NTP) in order to ensure that the Array's internal time is accurate. NTP is set to UTC time by default; however, you can set the time zone so that your Array will display local time. This is done by defining an offset from the UTC value. For example, Pacific Standard Time is 8 hours behind UTC time, so the offset from UTC time would be -8.

Command	Description
dst_adjust	Enable adjustment for daylight savings. FORMAT: date-time dst_adjust
no	Disable daylight savings adjustment. FORMAT: date-time no dst_adjust
ntp	Enable the NTP server. FORMAT: date-time ntp on (or off to disable)
offset	Set an offset from Greenwich Mean Time. FORMAT: date-time no dst_adjust
set	Set the date and time for the Array. FORMAT: date-time set [10:24 10/23/2007]
timezone	Configure the time zone. FORMAT: date-time timezone [-8]



# dhcp-server

The dhcp-server command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-dhcp-server)#] is used to add, delete and modify DHCP pools.

Command	Description
add	Add a DHCP pool. FORMAT: dhcp-server add [dhcp pool]
del	Delete a DHCP pool. FORMAT: dhcp-server del [dhcp pool]
edit	Edit a DHCP pool FORMAT: dhcp-server edit [dhcp pool]
reset	Delete all DHCP pools. FORMAT: dhcp-server reset



#### dns

The dns command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-dns)#] is used to configure your DNS parameters.

Command	Description
domain	Enter your domain name. FORMAT: dns domain [www.mydomain.com]
server1	Enter the IP address of the primary DNS server. FORMAT: dns server1 [1.2.3.4]
server2	Enter the IP address of the secondary DNS server. FORMAT: dns server1 [2.3.4.5]
server3	Enter the IP address of the tertiary DNS server. FORMAT: dns server1 [3.4.5.6]



file

The file command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-file)#] is used to manage files.

Command	Description
active-image	Validate and commit a new array software image.
backup-image	Validate and commit a new backup software image.
check-image	Validate a new array software image.
chkdsk	Check flash file system.
сер	Copy a file to another file. FORMAT: file copy [sourcefile destinationfile]
dir	List the contents of a directory. FORMAT: file dir [directory]
erase	Delete a file from the FLASH file system. FORMAT: file erase [filename]
format	Format flash file system.
ftp	Open an FTP connection with a remote server. Files will be transferred in binary mode.  FORMAT:  file ftp host { <hostname>   <ip>   [port <port #="">]     [user {anonymous   <username> password</username></port></ip></hostname>
list	List the contents of a file. FORMAT: file list [filename]



Command	Description
remote-config	When the Array boots up, it fetches the specified configuration file from the TFTP server defined in the file remote-server command, and uses this configuration. This must be an Array configuration file with a .conf extension.  A partial configuration file may be used. For instance, if you wish to use a single configuration file for all of your Arrays but don't want to have the same IP address for each Array, you may remove the ipaddr line from the file. You can then load the file on each array and the local IP addresses will not change. FORMAT:  file remote-config <config-file.conf> Note: If you enter file remote-config?, the help</config-file.conf>
	response suggests possibilities by listing all of the configuration files that are currently in the Array's flash.
remote-image	When the Array boots up, it fetches the named image file from the TFTP server defined in the file remote-server command, and upgrades to this file before booting. This must be an Array image file with a .bin extension.  FORMAT:
	file remote-image <image-file.bin></image-file.bin>
	Note: This will happen every time that the Array reboots. If you only want to fetch the remote-image one time be sure to turn off the remote image option after the initial download.
remote-server	Sets up a TFTP server to be used for automated remote update of software image and configuration files when rebooting. FORMAT:
	file remote-server A.B.C.D
rename	Rename a file.



Command	Description
scp	Copy a file to or from a remote system. You may specify the port to use.
tftp	Open a TFTP connection with a remote server.  FORMAT:  file tftp host { <hostname>   <ip>} [port <port #="">]   [user {anonymous   <username> password   <passwd> }] { put <source_file> [<dest_file>]     get <source_file>   <dest_file>] }  Note: Any time you transfer any kind of software image file for the Array, it must be transferred in binary mode, or the file may be corrupted.</dest_file></source_file></dest_file></source_file></passwd></username></port></ip></hostname>



# filter

The filter command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-filter)#] is used to manage protocol filters and filter lists.

Command	Description
add	Add a filter. Details about the air cleaner feature are after the end of this table.  FORMAT:  filter add [air-cleaner   name]
add-list	Add a filter list. FORMAT: filter add-list [name]
del	Delete a filter. FORMAT: filter del [name]
del-list	Delete a filter list. FORMAT: filter del-list [name]
edit	Edit a filter. FORMAT: filter edit [name type]
edit-list	Edit a filter list FORMAT: filter edit-list [name type]
enable	Enable a filter list. FORMAT: filter enable
move	Change a filter priority. FORMAT: filter move [name priority]



Command	Description
off	Disable a filter list. FORMAT: filter off
on	Enable a filter list. FORMAT: filter on
reset	Delete all protocol filters and filter lists. FORMAT: filter reset
stateful	Enable or disable stateful filtering (firewall). FORMAT: Stateful [enable   disable   on   loff]

### Air Cleaner

The air cleaner feature offers a number of predetermined filter rules that eliminate a great deal of unnecessary wireless traffic, resulting in improved performance. You may select all of the air cleaner rules for the greatest effect, or only specific rules, such as **broadcast** or **multicast**, to eliminate only a particular source of traffic. The following options are offered:

MyArray(config)# filter add air-cleaner

all All air cleaner filters

arp Eliminate station to station ARPs over the air broadcast Eliminate broadcast traffic from the air

dhcp Eliminate stations serving DHCP addresses from the air

multicast Eliminate chatty multicast traffic from the air netbios Eliminate NetBIOS traffic from the air

If you select all, the rules shown in Figure 188 are added to the predefined filter list named Global. These rules assume that you have station-to-station blocking enabled, that a DHCP server is on the Array's wired connection, and that you want to block most all multicast and all broadcast traffic not vital to normal



operation. If you find that there is a particular type of multicast or broadcast traffic that you want to allow, just add a specific allow filter for it before the deny filter in this list that would normally block it. Add or delete any of the Multicast rules as necessary for a specific site. Remember that the order of the rules is important.

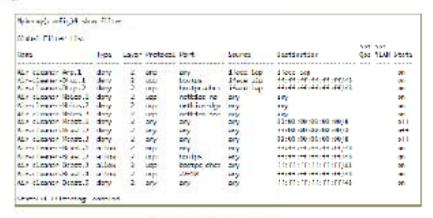


Figure 188. Air Cleaner Filter Rules

Explanations of some sample rules are below.

- Air-cleaner-Arp.1 blocks ARPs from one client from being transmitted to clients via all of the radios. The station to station block setting doesn't block this traffic, so this filter eliminates this unnecessary traffic.
- Air-cleaner-Dhcp.1 drops all DHCP client traffic coming in from the gigabit interface. This traffic doesn't need to be transmitted by the radios since there shouldn't be any DHCP server associated to the radios and offering DHCP addresses. For large subnets the DHCP discover/request broadcast traffic can be significant.
- Air-cleaner-Dhcp.2 drops all DHCP server traffic coming in from the radio interfaces. There should not be any DHCP server associated to the radios. These rogue DHCP servers are blocked from doing any damage with this filter. There have been quite a few cases in public venues like schools and conventions where such traffic is seen.



- Air-cleaner-Mcast.1 drops all multicast traffic with a destination MAC address starting with 01. This filters out a lot of IP multicast traffic that starts with 224.
- Air-cleaner-Mcast.2 drops all multicast traffic with a destination MAC address starting with 33. A lot of IPv6 traffic and other multicast traffic is blocked by this filter.
- Air-cleaner-Mcast.3 drops all multicast traffic with a destination MAC address starting with 09. A lot of Appletalk traffic and other multicast traffic is blocked by this filter. Note that for OSX 10.6.\* Snow Leopard no longer supports Appletalk.
- Air-cleaner-Bcast.1 allows all ARP traffic (other than the traffic that was denied by Air-cleaner-Arp.1). This is needed because Air-cleaner-Bcast.5 would drop this valid traffic.
- Air-cleaner-Bcast.4 allows all XRP traffic from Arrays to be received from the wire. This is needed because Air-cleaner-Bcast.5 would drop this valid traffic.
- Air-cleaner-Bcast.5 drops all other broadcast traffic that hasn't previously been explicitly allowed. This filter will catch all UDP broadcast traffic as well as all other known and unknown protocol broadcast traffic.



### group

The group command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# group] is used to create and configure user groups. User groups allow administrators to assign specific network parameters to users through RADIUS privileges rather than having to map users to a specific SSID. Groups provide flexible control over user privileges without the need to create large numbers of SSIDs. For more information, see "Groups" on page 264.

Command	Description
add	Create a new user group. FORMAT: group add [group-name]
del	Delete a user group. FORMAT: group del [group-name]
edit	Set parameters values for a group. FORMAT: group edit [group-name]
reset	Reset the group. FORMAT: group reset

### hostname

The hostname command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# hostname] is used to change the hostname used by the Array.

Command	Description
hostname	Change the hostname of the Array. FORMAT: hostname [name]



### interface

The interface command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# interface] is used to select the interface that you want to configure. To see a listing of the commands that are available for each interface, use the ? command at the selected interface prompt. For example, using the ? command at the Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-gig1)# prompt displays a listing of all commands for the gig1 interface.

Command	Description
console	Select the console interface. The console interface is used for management purposes only. FORMAT: interface console
eth0	Select the Fast Ethernet interface. The Fast Ethernet interface is used for management purposes only. FORMAT: interface eth0 Note: To configure a static route for management traffic, next enter: static-route addr [ip-addr] static-route mask [subnet-mask]
gig1	Select the Gigabit 1 interface. FORMAT: interface gig1
gig2	Select the Gigabit 2 interface. FORMAT: interface gig2
iap	Select an IAP. FORMAT: interface iap



# oad

The load command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# load] loads a configuration file.

Command	Description
factory.conf	Load the factory settings configuration file. FORMAT: load [factory.conf]
lastboot.conf	Load the configuration file from the last boot-up. FORMAT: load [lastboot.conf]
[myfile].conf	If you have saved a configuration, enter its name to load it.  FORMAT:  load [myfile.conf]
saved.conf	Load the configuration file with the last saved settings. FORMAT: load [saved.conf]

# ocation

The location command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# location] is used to set the location for the Array.

Command	Description
<cr></cr>	Set the location for the Array. FORMAT: location [newlocation]



### management

The management command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# management] enters management mode, where you may configure management parameters.

Command	Description
<er></er>	Enter management mode. FORMAT: management <cr></cr>

The following types of settings may be configured in management mode:

•	banner	Configure	login	hannar	maccagac
•	Danner	Configure	wgun	paruner	messages

•	network-assurance	Enable/disable network assurance
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٠	ssh	Enable/disable SSH access
•	standby	Configure standby parameters
٠	telnet	Enable/disable telnet access
٠	uptime	Display time since last boot

 xircon Enable/disable xircon access. See Xircon User's Guide for more information. Not available for XN Arrays.



# more

The more command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# more] is used to turn terminal pagination ON or OFF.

Command	Description
off	Turn OFF terminal pagination. FORMAT: more off
on	Turn ON terminal pagination.  FORMAT: more on



#### netflow

The netflow command [Xirrus\_Wi-Pi\_Array(config-netflow)#] is used to enable or disable, or configure sending IP flow information (traffic statistics) to the collector you specify.

Command	Description
disable	Disable netflow. FORMAT: netflow disable
enable	Enable netflow. FORMAT: netflow enable
off	Disable netflow. FORMAT: netflow off
on	Enable netflow. FORMAT: netflow on
collector	Set the netflow collector IP address or fully qualified domain name (host.domain). Only one collector may be set. If port is not specified, the default is 2055.  FORMAT:  netflow collector host { <ip-addr>   <domain>} [port <port#>]</port#></domain></ip-addr>



no

The no command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# no] is used to disable a selected element or set the element to its default value.

Command	Description
acl	Disable the Access Control List. FORMAT: no acl
dot11a	Disable all 802.11an IAPs (radios). FORMAT: no dot11a
dot11bg	Disable all 802.11bgn IAPs (radios). FORMAT: no dot11bg
https	Disable https access. FORMAT: no https
intrude-detect	Disable intrusion detection. FORMAT: no intrude-detect
management	Disable management on all Ethernet interfaces. FORMAT: no management
more	Disable terminal pagination. FORMAT: no more
ntp	Disable the NTP server. FORMAT: no ntp



Command	Description
snmp	Disable SNMP features. FORMAT: no snmp
ssh	Disable ssh access. FORMAT: no ssh
syslog	Disable the Syslog services. FORMAT: no syslog
telnet	Disable Telnet access. FORMAT: no telnet
ETH-NAME	Disable the selected Ethernet interface (eth0, gig1 or gig2). You cannot disable the console interface. with this command.  FORMAT:  no eth0 (gig1 or gig2)



#### quit

The quit command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# quit] is used to exit the Command Line Interface.

Command	Description
<er></er>	Exit the Command Line Interface. FORMAT: quit If you have made any configuration changes and your changes have not been saved, you are prompted to save your changes to Flash. At the prompt, answer Yes to save your changes, or answer No to discard your changes.

#### radius-server

The radius-server command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-radius-server)#] is used to configure the external and internal RADIUS server parameters.

Command	Description
external	Configure an external RADIUS server. FORMAT: radius-server external To configure a RADIUS server (primary, secondary, or accounting server, by IP address or host name), and the reporting interval use: radius-server external accounting
internal	Configure the external RADIUS server. FORMAT: radius-server internal
use	Choose the active RADIUS server (either external or internal). FORMAT: use external (or internal)



#### reboot

The reboot command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# reboot] is used to reboot the Array. If you have unsaved changes, the command will notify you and give you a chance to cancel the reboot.

Command	Description
<er></er>	Reboot the Array. FORMAT: reboot
delay	Reboot the Array after a delay of 1 to 60 seconds. FORMAT: reboot delay [n]

#### reset

The reset command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# reset] is used to reset all settings to their default values then reboot the Array.

Command	Description
<cr></cr>	Reset all configuration parameters to their factory default values. FORMAT: reset The Array is rebooted automatically.
preserve-ip- settings	Preserve all ethernet and VLAN settings and reset all other configuration parameters to their factory default values. FORMAT: reset preserve-ip-settings The Array is rebooted automatically.



#### restore

The restore command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# restore] is used to restore configuration to a version that was previously saved locally.

Command	Description
?	Use this to display the list of available config files. FORMAT: restore?
<filename></filename>	Enter the name of the locally saved configuration to restore.  FORMAT: restore <config-filename></config-filename>



#### run-tests

The run-tests command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(run-tests)#] is used to enter runtests mode, which allows you to perform a range of tests on the Array.

Command	Description
<cr></cr>	Enter run-tests mode. FORMAT: run-tests
iperf	Execute iperf utility. FORMAT: run-tests iperf
kill-beacons	Turn off beacons for selected single IAP: FORMAT: run-tests kill-beacons [off   iap-name]
kill-probe- responses	Turn off probe responses for selected single IAP. FORMAT: run-tests kill-probe-responses [off   iap-name]
led	LED test. FORMAT: run-tests led [flash   rotate]
memtest	Execute memory tests. FORMAT: run-tests memtest
ping	Execute ping utility.  FORMAT: run-tests ping [host-name   ip-addr]



Command	Description
radius-ping	Special ping utility to test the connection to a RADIUS server.
	FORMAT:
	run-tests radius-ping [external   ssid <ssidnum>] [primary   secondary] user <raduser> password <radpasswd> auth-type [CHAP   PAP]</radpasswd></raduser></ssidnum>
	run-tests radius-ping [internal   server <radserver> port <radport> secret <radsecret> ] user <raduser> password <radpasswd> auth-type [CHAP   PAP]</radpasswd></raduser></radsecret></radport></radserver>
	You may select a RADIUS server that you have already configured (ssid or external or internal) or specify another server.
rib	Run manufacturing radio loopback test.
	FORMAT:
	run-tests rlb (optional command line switches)
self-test	Execute self-test.
	FORMAT:
	run-tests self-test (logfile-name (optional))
site-survey	Enable or disable site survey mode.
	FORMAT:
	run-tests site-survey [on   off   enable   disable]
ssh	Execute ssh utility.
	FORMAT:
	run-tests ssh [hostname   ip-addr] [command-line-switches (optional)]
tcpdump	Execute tcpdump utility to dump traffic for selected interface or VLAN. Supports 802.11 headers.
	FORMAT:
	run-tests tcpdump



Command	Description
telnet	Execute telnet utility.  FORMAT:  run-tests telnet [hostname   ip-addr]  [command-line-switches (optional)]
traceroute	Execute traceroute utility.  FORMAT: run-tests traceroute [host-name   ip-addr]

#### security

The security command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-security)#] is used to establish the security parameters for the Array.

Command	Description
wep	Set the WEP encryption parameters. FORMAT: security wep
wpa	Set the WEP encryption parameters. FORMAT: security wpa



#### snmp

The snmp command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-snmp)#] is used to enable, disable, or configure SNMP.

Command	Description
v2	Enable SNMP v2. FORMAT: snmp v2
v3	Enable SNMP v3. FORMAT: snmp v3
trap	Configure traps for SNMP. Up to four trap destinations may be configured, and you may specify whether to send traps for authentication failure. FORMAT: snmp trap



#### esid

The ssid command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-ssid)#] is used to establish your SSID parameters.

Command	Description
add	Add an SSID. FORMAT: ssid add [newssid]
del	Delete an SSID. FORMAT: ssid del [oldssid]
edit	Edit an existing SSID. FORMAT: ssid edit [existingssid]
reset	Delete all SSIDs and restore the default SSID. FORMAT: ssid reset



#### syslog

The syslog command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-syslog)#] is used to enable, disable, or configure the Syslog server.

Command	Description
console	Enable or disable the display of Syslog messages on the console, and set the level to be displayed. All messages at this level and lower (i.e., more severe) will be displayed. FORMAT:  syslog console [on/off] level [0-7]
disable	Disable the Syslog server. FORMAT: syslog disable
email	Disable the Syslog server.  FORMAT:  syslog email from [email-from-address]  level [0-7]  password [email-acct-password]  server [email-server-IPaddr]  test [test-msg-text]  to-list [recipient-email-addresses]  user [email-acct-username]
enable	Enable the Syslog server. FORMAT: syslog enable
local-file	Set the size and/or severity level (all messages at this level and lower will be logged). FORMAT: syslog local-file size [1-500] level [0-7]
no	Disable the selected feature. FORMAT: syslog no [feature]



Command	Description
off	Disable the Syslog server. FORMAT: syslog off
on	Enable the Syslog server. FORMAT: syslog on
primary	Set the IP address of the primary Syslog server and/or the severity level of messages to be logged. FORMAT: syslog primary [1.2.3.4] level [0-7]
secondary	Set the IP address of the secondary (backup) Syslog server and/or the severity level of messages to be logged. FORMAT: syslog primary [1.2.3.4] level [0-7]

#### uptime

The uptime command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config)# uptime] is used to display the elapsed time since you last rebooted the Array.

Command	Description
<er></er>	Display time since last reboot. FORMAT: uptime



#### vlan

The vlan command [Xirrus\_Wi-Fi\_Array(config-vlan)#] is used to establish your VLAN parameters.

Command	Description
add	Add a VLAN. FORMAT: vlan add [newvlan]
default-route	Assign a VLAN for the default route (for outbound management traffic). FORMAT: vlan default-route [defaultroute]
delete	Delete a VLAN. FORMAT: vlan delete [oldvlan]
edit	Modify an existing VLAN. FORMAT: vlan edit [existingvlan]
native-vlan	Assign a native VLAN (traffic is untagged). FORMAT: vlan native-vlan [nativevlan]
no	Disable the selected feature. FORMAT: vlan no [feature]
reset	Delete all existing VLANs. FORMAT: vlan reset



#### wifi-tag

The wifi-tag command [Xirrus\_Wi-Pi\_Array(config-wifi-tag)#] is used to enable or disable Wi-Fi tag capabilities. When enabled, the Array listens for and collects information about Wi-Fi RFID tags sent on the designated channels. See also "Wi-Fi Tag" on page 188.

Command	Description
disable	Disable wifi-tag. FORMAT: wifi-tag disable
enable	Enable wifi-tag. FORMAT: wifi-tag enable
off	Disable wifi-tag. FORMAT: wifi-tag off
en	Enable wifi-tag. FORMAT: wifi-tag on
tag-channel-bg	Set an 802.11b or g channel for listening for tags. FORMAT: wifi-tag tag-channel-bg <1-255>
udp-port	Set the UDP port which a tagging server will use to query the Array for tagging information. FORMAT: wifi-tag udp-port <1025-65535>



#### Sample Configuration Tasks

This section provides examples of some of the common configuration tasks used with the Wireless Array, including:

- "Configuring a Simple Open Global SSID" on page 427.
- "Configuring a Global SSID using WPA-PEAP" on page 428.
- "Configuring an SSID-Specific SSID using WPA-PEAP" on page 429.
- "Enabling Global IAPs" on page 430.
- "Disabling Global IAPs" on page 431.
- "Enabling a Specific IAP" on page 432.
- "Disabling a Specific IAP" on page 433.
- "Setting Cell Size Auto-Configuration for All IAPs" on page 434
- "Setting the Cell Size for All IAPs" on page 435.
- "Setting the Cell Size for a Specific IAP" on page 436.
- "Configuring VLANs on an Open SSID" on page 437.
- "Configuring Radio Assurance Mode (Loopback Tests)" on page 438.

To facilitate the accurate and timely management of revisions to this section, the examples shown here are presented as screen images taken from a Secure Shell (SSH) session (in this case, PuTTY). Depending on the application you are using to access the Command Line Interface, and how your session is set up (for example, font and screen size), the images presented on your screen may be different than the images shown in this section. However, the data displayed will be the same.

Some of the screen images shown in this section have been modified for clarity. For example, the image may have been "elongated" to show all data without the need for additional images or scrolling. We recommend that you use the Adobe PDF version of this User's Guide when reviewing these examples—a hard copy document may be difficult to read.

As mentioned previously, the root command prompt is determined by the host name assigned to your Array.



#### Configuring a Simple Open Global SSID

This example shows you how to configure a simple open global SSID.

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Figure 189. Configuring a Simple Open Global SSID



#### Configuring a Global SSID using WPA-PEAP

This example shows you how to configure a global SSID using WPA-PEAP encryption in conjunction with the Array's Internal RADIUS server.

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CARCIONAL LINE
  Kirme Vi-Fi flerte
Amerika Zapajan 3.1 425
Dourish (c) 2000 (OC) Linnes, Inc
latta Ziona sino como
    Kinna Vi+; Hernal nor Tanne
Kinna VIII (A hydrod'hig Asid
Kinna VIII (Anne) carde valle del Femores communita que breadese.
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Rey 2 size : re. cml
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Figure 190. Configuring a Global SSID using WPA-PEAP

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#### Configuring an SSID-Specific SSID using WPA-PEAP

This example shows you how to configure an SSID-specific SSID using WPA-PEAP encryption in conjunction with the Array's Internal RADIUS server.



Figure 191. Configuring an SSID-Specific SSID using WPA-PEAP



#### Enabling Global APs

This example shows you how to enable all IAPs (radios), regardless of the wireless technology they use.

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Broyd Vytajen 3.9 420
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Figure 192. Enabling Global IAPs



#### Disabling Global APs

This example shows you how to disable all IAPs (radios), regardless of the wireless technology they use.

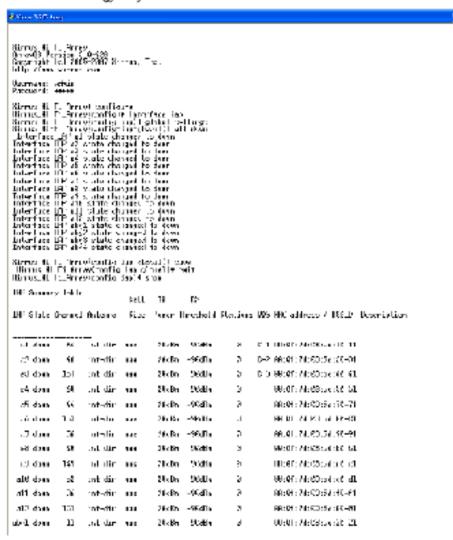


Figure 193. Disabling Global IAPs



#### Enabling a Specific IAP

This example shows you how to enable a specific IAP (radio). In this example, the IAP that is being enabled is a1 (the first IAP in the summary list).

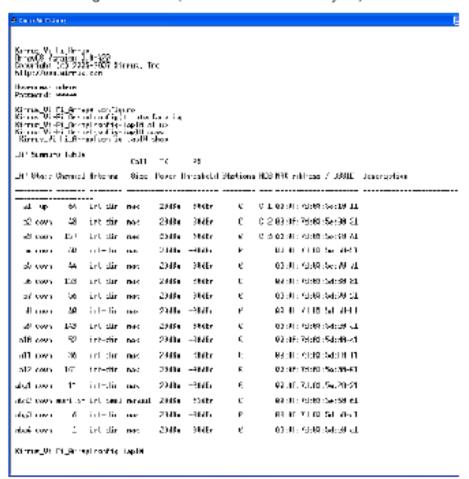


Figure 194. Enabling a Specific IAP



#### Disabling a Specific IAP

This example shows you how to disable a specific IAP (radio). In this example, the IAP that is being disabled is a2 (the second IAP in the summary list).

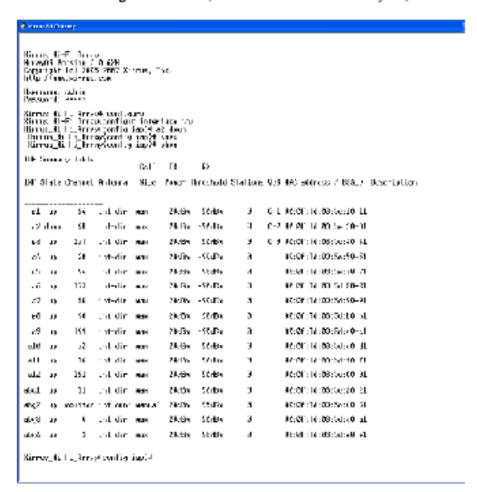


Figure 195. Disabling a Specific IAP



#### Setting Cell Size Auto-Configuration for All APs

This example shows how to set the cell size for all enabled IAPs to be autoconfigured (auto). (See "Fine Tuning Cell Sizes" on page 31.) The auto\_cell option
may be used with global\_settings, global\_a\_settings, or global\_bg\_settings. It
sets the cell size of the specified IAPs to auto, and it launches an autoconfiguration to adjust the sizes. Be aware that if the intrude-detect feature is
enabled on the monitor radio, its cell size is unaffected by this command. Also,
any IAPs used in WDS links are unaffected.

Auto-configuration may be set to run periodically at intervals specified by auto\_cell period (in seconds) if period is non-zero. The percentage of overlap allowed between cells in the cell size computation is specified by auto\_cell overlap (0 to 100). This example sets auto-configuration to run every 1200 seconds with an allowed overlap of 5%. It sets the cell size of all IAPs to auto, and runs a cell size auto-configure operation which completes successfully.

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Figure 196. Setting the Cell Size for All IAPs



#### Setting the Cell Size for All IAPs

This example shows you how to establish the cell size for all IAPs (radios), regardless of the wireless technology they use. Be aware that if the intrude-detect feature is enabled on the monitor radio the cell size cannot be set globally—you must first disable the intrude-detect feature on the monitor radio.

In this example, the cell size is being set to small for all IAPs. You have the option of setting IAP cell sizes to small, medium, large, or max. See also, "Fine Tuning Cell Sizes" on page 31.

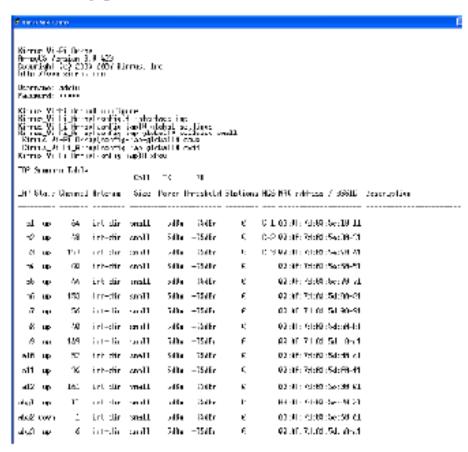


Figure 197. Setting the Cell Size for All IAPs



#### Setting the Cell Size for a Specific IAP

This example shows you how to establish the cell size for a specific IAP (radio). In this example, the cell size for a2 is being set to medium. You have the option of setting IAP cell sizes to small, medium, large, or max (the default is max). See also, "Fine Tuning Cell Sizes" on page 31.

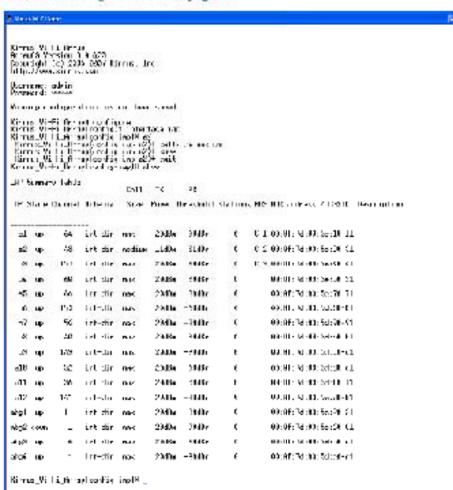


Figure 198. Setting the Cell Size for a Specific IAP



#### Configuring VLANs on an Open SSID

This example shows you how to configure VLANs on an Open SSID.

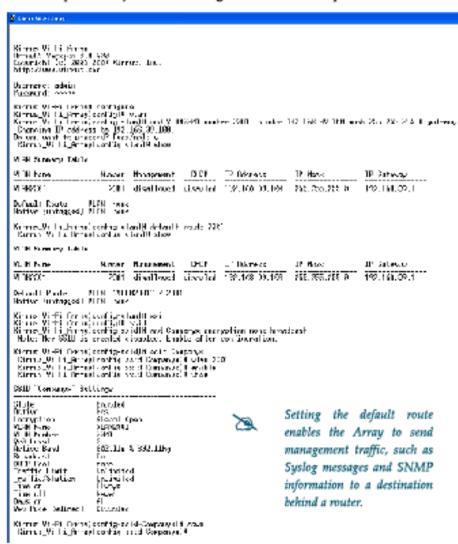


Figure 199. Configuring VLANs on an Open SSID



#### Configuring Radio Assurance Mode (Loopback Tests)

The Array uses its built-in monitor radio to monitor other radios in the Array. Tests include sending probes on all channels and checking for a response, and checking whether beacons are received from the other radio. If a problem is detected, corrective actions are taken to recover. Loopback mode operation is described in detail in "Array Monitor and Radio Assurance Capabilities" on page 460.

The following actions may be configured:

- alert-only—the Array will issue an alert in the Syslog.
- repair-without-reboot—the Array will issue an alert and reset radios at the Physical Layer (Layer 1) and possibly at the MAC layer. The reset should not be noticed by users, and they will not need to reassociate.
- reboot-allowed—the Array will issue an alert, reset the radios, and schedule the Array to reboot at midnight (per local Array time) if necessary. All stations will need to reassociate to the Array.
- off—Disable IAP loopback tests (no self-monitoring occurs). Radio Assurance mode is off by default.

This is a global IAPs setting—the monitor radio will monitor all other radios according to the settings above, and it cannot be set up to monitor particular radios. Radio assurance mode requires Intrusion Detection to be set to Standard.

The following example shows you how to configure a loopback test.



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Figure 200. Configuring Radio Assurance Mode (Loopback Testing)





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# Appendix A: Quick Reference Guide

This section contains product reference information. Use this section to locate the information you need quickly and efficiently. Topics include:

- "Factory Default Settings" on page 443.
- "Keyboard Shortcuts" on page 449.

#### Factory Default Settings

The following tables show the Wireless Array's factory default settings.

#### **Host Name**

Setting	Default Value
Host name	Xirrus-WiFi-Array

#### Network Interfaces

#### Serial

Setting	Default Value
Baud Rate	115200
Word Size	8 bits
Stop Bits	1
Parity	No parity
Time Out	10 seconds



## Gigabit 1 and Gigabit 2

Setting	Default Value
Enabled	Yes
DHCP Bind	Yes
Default IP Address	10.0.2.1
Default IP Mask	255.255.255.0
Default Gateway	None
Auto Negotiate	On
Duplex	Full
Speed	1000 Mbps
MTU Size	1500
Management Enabled	Yes

## Server Settings

#### NTP

Setting	Default Value
Enabled	No
Primary	time.nist.gov
Secondary	pool.ntp.org

#### Syslog

Setting	Default Value
Enabled	Yes



Setting	Default Value
Local Syslog Level	Information
Maximum Internal Records	500
Primary Server	None
Primary Syslog Level	Information
Secondary Server	None
Secondary Syslog Level	Information

#### SNMP

Setting	Default Value
Enabled	Yes
Read-Only Community String	xirrus_read_only
Read-Write Community String	xirrus
Trap Host	null (no setting)
Trap Port	162
Authorization Fail Port	On

#### DHCP

Setting	Default Value
Enabled	No
Maximum Lease Time	300 minutes
Default Lease Time	300 minutes
IP Start Range	192.168.1.2
IP End Range	192.168.1.254



Setting	Default Value
NAT	Disabled
IP Gateway	None
DNS Domain	None
DNS Server (1 to 3)	None

#### Default SSID

Setting	Default Value
ID	xirrus
VLAN	None
Encryption	Off
Encryption Type	None
QuS	2
Enabled	Yes
Broadcast	On

#### Security

#### Global Settings - Encryption

Setting	Default Value
Enabled	Yes
WEP Keys	null (all 4 keys)
WEP Key Length	null (all 4 keys)
Default Key ID	1



Setting	Default Value	
WPA Enabled	No	
TKIP Enabled	Yes	
AES Enabled	Yes	
EAP Enabled	Yes	
PSK Enabled	No	
Pass Phrase	null	
Group Rekey	Disabled	

# External RADIUS (Global)

Setting	Default Value	
Enabled	Yes	
Primary Server	None	
Primary Port	1812	
Primary Secret	xirrus	
Secondary Server	null (no IP address)	
Secondary Port	1812	
Secondary Secret	null (no secret)	
Time Out (before primary server is retired)	600 seconds	
Accounting	Disabled	
Interval	300 seconds	
Primary Server	None	
Primary Port	1813	



Setting	Default Value	
Primary Secret	null (no secret)	
Secondary Server	None	
Secondary Port	1813	
Secondary Secret	null (no secret)	

# Internal RADIUS

Setting	Default Value	
Enabled	No	
The user database is cleared upon reset to the factory defaults. For the Internal RADIUS Server you have a maximum of 1,000 entries.		

# **Administrator Account and Password**

Setting	Default Value	
ID	admin	
Password	admin	

# Management

Setting	Default Value	
SSH	On	
SSH timeout	300 seconds	
Telnet	Off	
Telnet timeout	300 seconds	



Setting	Default Value	
Serial	On	
Serial timeout	300 seconds	
Management over IAPs	Off	
http timeout	300 seconds	

# **Keyboard Shortcuts**

The following table shows the most common keyboard shortcuts used by the Command Line Interface.

Action	Shortcut	
Cut selected data and place it on the clipboard.	Ctrl + X	
Copy selected data to the clipboard.	Ctrl + C	
Paste data from the clipboard into a document (at the insertion point).	Ctrl + V	
Go to top of screen.	Ctrl + Z	
Copy the active window to the clipboard.	Alt + Print Screen	
Copy the entire desktop image to the clipboard.	Print Screen	
Abort an action at any time.	Esc	
Go back to the previous screen.	ь	
Access the Help screen.	?	

See Also

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# Appendix B: Technical Support

This appendix provides valuable support information that can help you resolve technical difficulties. Before contacting Xirrus, review all topics below and try to determine if your problem resides with the Wireless Array or your network infrastructure. Topics include:

- "General Hints and Tips" on page 451
- "Frequently Asked Questions" on page 452
- "Array Monitor and Radio Assurance Capabilities" on page 460
- "RADIUS Vendor Specific Attribute (VSA) for Xirrus" on page 463
- "Upgrading the Array via CLI" on page 464
- "Contact Information" on page 469

# General Hints and Tips

This section provides some useful tips that will optimize the reliability and performance of your Wireless Arrays.

- The Wireless Array requires careful handling. For best performance, units should be mounted in a dust-free and temperature-controlled environment.
- If using multiple Arrays in the same area, maintain a distance of at least 100 feet (30m) between Arrays if there is direct line-of-sight between the units, or at least 50 feet (15 m) if a wall or other barrier exists between the units.
- Keep the Wireless Array away from electrical devices or appliances that generate RF noise. Because the Array is generally mounted on ceilings, be aware of its position relative to lighting (especially fluorescent lighting).
- If you are deploying multiple units, the Array should be oriented so that
  the monitor abgn2 radio is oriented in the direction of the least required
  coverage, because when in monitor mode the radio does not function as
  an AP servicing stations.



 The Wireless Array should only be used with Wi-Fi certified client devices.

#### See Also

Contact Information Multiple SSIDs Security VLAN Support

# Frequently Asked Questions

This section answers some of the most frequently asked questions, organized by functional area.

#### Multiple SSIDs

- Q. What Are BSSIDs and SSIDs?
- A. BSSID (Basic Service Set Identifier) refers to an individual access point radio and its associated clients. The identifier is the MAC address of the access point radio that forms the BSS.

A group of BSSs can be formed to allow stations in one BSS to communicate to stations in another BSS by way of a backbone that interconnects each access point.

The Extended Service Set (ESS) refers to the group of BSSIDs that are grouped together to form one ESS. The ESSID (often referred to as SSID or "wireless network name") identifies the Extended Service Set. Clients must associate to a single ESS at any given time. Clients ignore traffic from other Extended Service Sets that do not have the same SSID.

Legacy access points typically support one SSID per access point. Xirrus Wireless Arrays support the ability for multiple SSIDs to be defined and used simultaneously.

Q. What would I use SSIDs for?



- A. The creation of different wireless network names allows system administrators to separate types of users with different requirements. The following policies can be tied to an SSID:
  - Minimum security required to join this SSID.
  - The wireless Quality of Service (QoS) desired for this SSID.
  - The wired VLAN associated with this SSID.

As an example, one SSID named accounting might require the highest level of security, while another SSID named guests might have low security requirements.

Another example may define an SSID named voice that supports voice over Wireless LAN phones with the highest possible Quality of Service (QoS) definition. This type of SSID might also forward traffic to specific VLANs on the wired network.

## Q. How do I set up SSIDs?

- A. Use the following procedure as a guideline. For more detailed information, go to "SSIDs" on page 242.
  - From the Web Management Interface, go to the SSID Management page.
  - Select Yes to make the SSID visible to all clients on the network. Although the Wireless Array will not broadcast SSIDs that are hidden, clients can still associate to a hidden SSID if they know the SSID name to connect to it.
  - Select the minimum security that will be required by users for this SSID.
  - If desired (optional), select a Quality of Service (QoS) setting for this SSID. The QoS setting you define here will prioritize wireless traffic for this SSID over other SSID wireless traffic.
  - If desired (optional), select a VLAN that you want this traffic to be forwarded to on the wired network.



- If desired (optional), you can select which radios this SSID will
  not be available on—the default is to make this SSID available on
  all radios.
- Click on the Save changes to flash if you wish to make your changes permanent.
- If you need to edit any of the SSID settings, you can do so from the SSID Management page.

# See Also

Contact Information General Hints and Tips Security SSIDs SSID Management VLAN Support

# Security

- Q. How do I know my management session is secure?
- A. Follow these guidelines:
  - Administrator passwords

Always change the default administrator password (the default is **admin**), and choose a strong replacement password. When appropriate, issue **read only** administrator accounts.

#### SSH versus Telnet

Be aware that Telnet is not secure over network connections and should be used only with a direct serial port connection. When connecting to the unit's Command Line Interface over a network connection, you must use a Secure SHell (SSH) utility. The most commonly used freeware providing SSH tools is PuTTY. The Array only allows SSH-2 connections, so your SSH utility must be set up to use SSH-2.



# Configuration auditing

Do not change approved configuration settings. The optional Xirrus Management System (XMS) offers powerful management features for small or large Wireless Array deployments, and can audit your configuration settings automatically. In addition, using the XMS eliminates the need for an FIP server.

# O. Which wireless data encryption method should I use?

A. Wireless data encryption prevents eavesdropping on data being transmitted or received over the airwaves. The Wireless Array allows you to establish the following data encryption configuration options:

#### Open

This option offers no data encryption and is **not recommended**, though you might choose this option if clients are required to use a VPN connection through a secure SSH utility, like PuTTy.

# WEP (Wired Equivalent Privacy)

This option provides minimal protection (though much better than using an open network). An early standard for wireless data encryption and supported by all Wi-Fi certified equipment, WEP is vulnerable to hacking and is therefore not recommended for use by Enterprise networks.

#### WPA (Wi-Fi Protected Access)

This is a much stronger encryption model than WEP and uses TKIP (Temporal Key Integrity Protocol) with AES (Advanced Encryption Standard) to prevent WEP cracks.

TKIP solves security issues with WEP. It also allows you to establish encryption keys on a per-user-basis, with key rotation for added security. In addition, TKIP provides Message Integrity Check (MIC) functionality and prevents active attacks on the wireless network.

AES is the strongest encryption standard and is used by government agencies; however, old legacy hardware may not be capable of supporting the AES mode (it probably won't work on



older wireless clients). Because AES is the strongest encryption standard currently available, it is highly recommended for Enterprise networks.

Any of the above encryption modes can be used (and can be used at the same time).



TKIP encryption does not support high throughput rates, per the IEEE 802.11n.

TKIP should never be used for WDS links on XN arrays.

# Q. Which user authentication method should I use?

A. User authentication ensures that users are who they say they are. For example, the most obvious example of authentication is logging in with a user name and password. The Wireless Array allows you to choose between the following user authentication methods:

#### Pre-Shared Kev

Users must manually enter a key (pass phrase) on the client side of the wireless network that matches the key stored by the administrator in your Wireless Arrays.

#### RADIUS 802.1x with EAP

802.1x uses a RADIUS server to authenticate large numbers of clients, and can handle different EAP (Extensible Authentication Protocol) authentication methods, including EAP-TLS, EAP-TTLS and EAP-PEAP. The RADIUS server can be internal (provided by the Wireless Array) or external. An external RADIUS server offers more functionality and is recommended for large Enterprise deployments.

When using this method, user names and passwords must be entered into the RADIUS server for user authentication.

#### MAC Address ACLs (Access Control Lists)

MAC address ACLs provide a list of client adapter MAC addresses that are allowed or denied access to the wireless



network. Access Control Lists work well when there are a limited number of users—in this case, enter the MAC addresses of each user in the Allow list. In the event of a lost or stolen MAC adapter, enter the affected MAC address in the **Deny** list.

### Q. Why do I need to authenticate my Wireless Array units?

A. When deploying multiple Wireless Arrays, you may need to define which units are part of which wireless network (for example, if you are establishing more than one network). In this case, you need to employ the Xirrus Management System (XMS) which can authenticate your Arrays automatically and ensure that only authorized units are associated with the defined wireless network.

# Q. What is rogue AP (Access Point) detection?

A. The Wireless Array has integrated monitor capabilities, which can constantly scan the local wireless environment for rogue APs (non-Xirrus devices that are not part of your wireless network), unencrypted transmissions, and other security issues. Administrators can then classify each rogue AP and ensure that these devices do not interrupt or interfere with the network.

#### See Also

Contact Information General Hints and Tips Multiple SSIDs VLAN Support

# VLAN Support

#### O. What Are VLANs?

A. VLANs (Virtual Local Area Networks) are a logical grouping of network devices that share a common network broadcast domain. Members of a particular VLAN can be on any segment of the physical network but logically only members of a particular VLAN can see each other.



VLANs are defined and implemented using the wired network switches that are VLAN capable. Packets are tagged for transmission on a particular VLAN according to the IEEE 802.1Q standard, with VLAN switches processing packets according to the tag.

#### Q. What would I use VLANs for?

A. Logically separating different types of users, systems, applications, or other logical division aids in performance and management of different network devices. Different VLANs can also be assigned with different packet priorities to prioritize packets from one VLAN over packets from another VLAN.

VLANs are managed by software settings—instead of physically plugging in and moving network cables and users—which helps to ease network management tasks.

#### O. What are Wireless VLANs?

A. Wireless VLANs allow similar functionality to the wired VLAN definitions and extend the operation of wired VLANs to the wireless side of the network.

Wireless VLANs can be mapped to wireless SSIDs so that traffic from wired VLANs can be sent to wireless users of a particular SSID. The reverse is also true, where wireless traffic originating from a particular SSID can be tagged for transmission on a particular wired VLAN.

Sixteen SSIDs can be defined on your Wireless Array, allowing a total of sixteen VLANs to be accessed (one per SSID).

As an example, to provide guest user access an SSID of guest might be created. This SSID could be mapped to a wired VLAN that segregates unknown users from the rest of the wired network and restricts them to Internet access only. Wireless users could then associate to the wireless network via the guest SSID and obtain access to the Internet through the selected VLAN, but would be unable to access other privileged network resources.

See Also



Contact Information General Hints and Tips Multiple SSIDs Security



# Array Monitor and Radio Assurance Capabilities

All models of the Wireless Array have integrated monitoring capabilities to check that the Array's radios are functioning correctly, and act as a threat sensor to detect and prevent intrusion from rogue access points.

#### Enabling Monitoring on the Array

Any radio IAP abgn2 may be set to monitor the Array or to be a normal IAP radio. In order to enable the functions required for intrusion detection and for monitoring the other Array radios, you must configure one monitor radio on the IAP Settings window as follows:

- Check the Enabled checkbox.
- Set Mode to Monitor.
- Set Channel to Monitor.

The settings above will automatically set the Antenna selection to Internal-Omni., also required for monitoring. See the "IAP Settings" on page 274 for more details. The values above are the factory default settings for the Array.

#### How Monitoring Works

When the monitor radio has been configured as just described, it performs these steps continuously (24/7) to check the other radios on the Array and detect possible intrusions:

- The monitor radio scans all channels with a 200ms dwell time, hitting all channels about once every 10 seconds.
- Each time it tunes to a new channel it sends out a probe request in an attempt to smoke out rogues.
- It then listens for all probe responses and beacons to detect any rogues within earshot.
- Array radios respond to that probe request with a probe response.

Intrusion Detection is enabled or disabled separately from monitoring. See Step 1 in "Advanced RF Settings" on page 313.



#### Radio Assurance

The Array is capable of performing continuous, comprehensive tests on its radios to assure that they are operating properly. Testing is enabled using the Radio Assurance Mode setting on the Advanced RF Settings window (Step 2 in "Advanced RF Settings" on page 313). When this mode is enabled, the monitor radio performs loopback tests on the Array. Radio Assurance Mode requires Intrusion Detection to be set to Standard (See Step 1 in "Advanced RF Settings" on page 313).

#### When Radio Assurance Mode is enabled:

- The Array keeps track of whether or not it hears beacons and probe responses from the Array's radios.
- 2. After 10 minutes (roughly 60 passes on a particular channel by the monitor radio), if it has not heard beacons or probe responses from one of the Array's radios it issues an alert in the Syslog. If repair is allowed (see "Radio Assurance Options" on page 462), the Array will reset and reprogram that particular radio at the Physical Layer (PHY—Layer 1). This action takes under 100ms and stations are not deauthenticated, thus users should not be impacted.
- 3. After another 10 minutes (roughly another 60 passes), if the monitor still has not heard beacons or probe responses from the malfunctioning radio it will again issue an alert in the Syslog. If repair is allowed, the Array will reset and reprogram the MAC (the lower sublayer of the Data Link Layer) and then all of the PHYs. This is a global action that affects all radios. This action takes roughly 300ms and stations are not deauthenticated, thus users should not be impacted.
- 4. After another 10 minutes, if the monitor still has not heard beacons or probe responses from that radio, it will again syslog the issue. If reboot is allowed (see "Radio Assurance Options" on page 462), the Array will schedule a reboot. This reboot will occur at one of the following times, whichever occurs first:
  - When no stations are associated to the Array
  - Midnight



# Radio Assurance Options

If the monitor detects a problem with an Array radio as described above, it will take action according to the preference that you have specified in the **Radio Assurance Mode** setting on the Advanced RF Settings window (see Step 2 page 315):

- Failure alerts only—The Array will issue alerts in the Syslog, but will not
  initiate repairs or reboots.
- Failure alerts & repairs, but no reboots—The Array will issue alerts and perform resets of the PHY and MAC as described above.
- Failure alerts & repairs & reboots if needed—The Array will issue alerts, perform resets of the PHY and MAC, and schedule reboots as described above.
- Disabled—Disable IAP loopback tests (no self-monitoring occurs).
   Loopback tests are disabled by default.



# RADIUS Vendor Specific Attribute (VSA) for Xirrus

A RADIUS VSA is defined for Xirrus Arrays to control administrator privileges settings for user accounts. The RADIUS VSA is used by Arrays to define the following attribute for administrator accounts:

 Array administrators—the Xirrus-Admin-Role attribute sets the privilege level for this account. Set the value to the string defined in Privilege Level Name as described in "About Creating Admin Accounts on the RADIUS Server" on page 218.



# Upgrading the Array via C∐

If you are experiencing difficulties communicating with the Array using the Web Management Interface, the Array provides lower-level facilities that may be used to accomplish an upgrade via the CLI and the Xirrus Boot Loader (XBL).

- Download the latest software update from the Xirrus FTP site using your Enhanced Care FTP username and password. If you do not have an FTP username and password, contact Xirrus Customer Service for assistance (support@xirrus.com). The software update is provided as a zip file. Unzip the contents to a local temp directory. Take note of the extracted file name in case you need it later on—you may also need to copy this file elsewhere on the network depending on your situation.
- Install a TFTP server software package if you don't have one running. It may be installed on any PC on your network, including your desktop or laptop. The Solar Winds version is freeware and works well.

http://support.solarwinds.net/updates/New-customerFree.cfm?ProdId=52

The TFTP install process creates the TFTP-Root directory on your C: drive, which is the default target for sending and receiving files. This may be changed if desired. This directory is where you will place the extracted Xirrus software update file(s). If you install the TFTP server on the same computer to which you extracted the file, you may change the TFTP directory to C:\xirrus if desired.

You must make the following change to the default configuration of the Solar Winds TFTP server. In the File/Configure menu, select Security, then select Transmit only and click OK.

- Determine the IP address of the computer hosting the TFTP server. (To display the IP address, open a command prompt and type ipconfig)
- Connect your Array to the computer running TFTP using a serial cable, and open a terminal program if you haven't already. Attach a network cable to the Array's GIG1 port, if it is not already part of your network.



Boot your Array and watch the progress messages. When Press space bar to exit to bootloader: is displayed, press the space bar. The rest of this procedure is performed using the bootloader.

The following steps assume that you are running DHCP on your local network.

- Type dhcp and hit return. This instructs the Array to obtain a DHCP address and use it during this boot in the bootloader environment.
- 6. Type dix and hit return to see what's currently in the compact flash.
- Type del and hit return to delete the contents of the compact flash.
- Type update server <TFTP-server-ip-addr> XS-5.x-xxxx.bin (the actual Xirrus file name will vary depending on Array model number and software version—use the file name from your software update) and hit return. The software update will be transferred to the Array's memory and will be written to the compact flash card. (See output below.)
- Type reset and hit return. Your Array will reboot, running your new version of software.

#### Sample Output for the Upgrade Procedure:

The user actions are highlighted in the output below, for clarity.

Username: admin Password: \*\*\*\*\*

Xirrus-WiFi-Array# configure
Xirrus-WiFi-Array(config)# reboot
Are you sure you want to reboot? [yes/no]: yes
Array is being rebooted.

Xirrus Boot Loader 1.0.0 (Oct 17 2006 - 13:11:42), Build: 2725

Processor | Motorola PowerPC, PVR=80200020 SVR=80300020

Board | Xirrus MPC8540 CPU Board

Clocks | CPU: 825 MHz DDR: 330 MHz Local Bus: 41 MHz



L1 cache | Data: 32 KB Inst: 32 KB Status : Enabled

Watchdog | Enabled (5 secs)

I2C Bus | 400 KHz

DTT CPU:34C RF0:34C RF1:34C RF2:27C RF3:29C

RTC | Wed 2007-Nov-05 6:43:14 GMT

System DDR | 256 MB, Unbuffered Non-ECC (2T)

Packet DDR | 256 MB, Unbuffered Non-ECC, Enabled

Network | Mot FEC | Mot TSEC1 [Primary] Mot TSEC2

IDE Bus 0 OK

CFCard 122 MB, Model: Hitachi XXM2.3.0

Environment 4 KB, Initialized

In: serial Out: serial Err: serial

#### Press space bar to exit to bootloader:

XBL>dhcp

[DHCP ] Device : Mot TSEC1 1000BT Full Duplex

[DHCP ] IP Addr: 192.168.39.195

XBL>dir

[CFCard] Directory of /

Date Time Size File or Directory name

2007-Nov-05 6:01:56 29 lastboot

2007-Apr-05 15:47:46 28210390 xs-3.1-0433.bak

2007-Mar-01 16:39:42 storage/

2007-Apr-05 15:56:38 28210430 xs-3.1-0440.bin

2007-Mar-03 0:56:28 wpr/

3 file(s), 2 dir(s)



#### XBL>del \*

[CFCard] Delete : 2 file(s) deleted

#### XBL>update server 192.168.39.102 xs-3.0-0425.bin

[TFIP ] Device : Mot TSEC1 1000BT Full Duplex

[TFTP ] Client : 192.168.39.195 [TFTP ] Server : 192.168.39.102 [TFTP ] File : xs-3.0-0425.bin [TFTP ] Address : 0x1000000

[TFTP ] Loading : ###### done [TFTP ] Complete: 12.9 sec, 2.1 MB/sec [TFTP ] Bytes : 27752465 (1a77811 hex) [CFCard] File : xs-3.0-0425.bin

[CFCard] File : xs-3.0-0425.bin [CFCard] Address : 0x1000000

[CFCard] Complete: 137.4 sec, 197.2 KB/sec [CFCard] Bytes : 27752465 (1a77811 hex)

XBL>reset [RESET]

Xirrus Boot Loader 1.0.0 (Oct 17 2006 - 13:11:42), Build: 2725

Processor | Motorola PowerPC, PVR=80200020 SVR=80300020

Board | Xirrus MPC8540 CPU Board

Clocks | CPU: 825 MHz DDR: 330 MHz Local Bus: 41 MHz

L1 cache Data: 32 KB Inst: 32 KB Status : Enabled

Watchdog | Enabled (5 secs)

12C Bus 400 KHz

DTT CPU:33C RF0:32C RF1:31C RF2:26C RF3:27C

RTC | Wed 2007-Nov-05 6:48:44 GMT

System DDR 1 256 MB, Unbuffered Non-ECC (2T)



L2 cache | 256 KB, Enabled FLASH | 4 MB, CRC: OK

FPGA 2 Devices programmed

Packet DDR | 256 MB, Unbuffered Non-ECC, Enabled Network | Mot FEC | Mot TSEC1 [Primary] Mot TSEC2

IDE Bus 0 OK

CFCard 122 MB, Model: Hitachi XXM2.3.0

Environment 4 KB, Initialized

In: serial Out: serial Err: serial

# Press space bar to exit to bootloader:

[CFCard] File : xs\*.bin [CFCard] Address : 0x1000000

[CFCard] Complete: 26.9 sec, 1.0 MB/sec [CFCard] Bytes : 27752465 (1a77811 hex)

[Boot ] Address : 0x01000000

[Boot ] Image : Verifying checksum .... OK [Boot ] Unzip : Multi-File Image .... OK [Boot ] Initrd : Loading RAMDisk Image [Boot ] Initrd : Verifying checksum .... OK [Boot ] Execute : Transferring control to OS

Initializing hardware ...... OK

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Username:



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# Appendix C: Notices

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#### Notices

#### Wi-Fi Alliance Certification



#### www.wi-fi.org

#### FCC Notice

This device complies with Part 15 of the PCC Rules, with operation subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause unwanted operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate RF energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be



determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following safety measures:

- Recrient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and the receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced wireless technician for help.

Use of a shielded twisted pair (STP) cable must be used for all Ethernet connections in order to comply with EMC requirements.

FCC Caution: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

Operations in the 5.15-5.25GHz band are restricted to indoor usage only.

#### High Power Radars

High power radars are allocated as primary users (meaning they have priority) in the 5250MHz to 5350MHz and 5650MHz to 5850MHz bands. These radars could cause interference and/or damage to LE-LAN devices.

#### Non-Modification Statement

Unauthorized changes or modifications to the device are not permitted. Use only the supplied internal antenna, or external antennas supplied by the manufacturer. Modifications to the device will void the warranty and may violate FCC regulations. Please go to the Xirrus Web site for a list of all approved antennas.

## Cable Rune for Power over Cigabit Ethernet (PoCE)

If using PoCE, the Array must be connected to PoCE networks without routing cabling to the outside plant—this ensures that cabling is not exposed to lightning strikes or possible cross over from high voltage.

### **Battery Warning**



Contraint The Array contains a battery which is not in be replaced by the currence. Danger of Explosion article if the butting to incorrectly replaced Replace only with the signs or equivalent type recommended by the manufactories. Dispose of weed tractories according to the manufactores's instructions.

#### **UL Statement**

Use only with listed ITE product.



#### Power Cord

If you will be using Xirrus equipment with a power cord, you must use a UL-Approved cord (supplied with the unit). Order new power cords from the Xirrus product list—Xirrus supplies only UL-approved power cords.

# RF Radiation Hazard Warning

To ensure compliance with FCC and Industry Canada RF exposure requirements, this device must be installed in a location where the antennas of the device will have a minimum distance of at least 25 cm from all persons. Using higher gain antennas and types of antennas not certified for use with this product is not allowed. The device shall not be co-located with another transmitter.

Installez l'appareil en veillant à conserver une distance d'au moins 25 cm entre les éléments rayonnants et les personnes. Cet avertissement de sécurité est conforme aux limites d'exposition définies par la norme CNR-102 at relative aux fréquences radio.

#### Industry Canada statement:

This device complies with RSS-210 of the Industry Canada Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Ce dispositif est conforme à la norme CNR-210 d'Industrie Canada applicable aux appareils radio exempts de licence. Son fonctionnement est sujet aux deux conditions suivantes:

(1) le dispositif ne doit pas produire de brouillage préjudiciable, et (2) ce dispositif doit accepter tout brouillage reçu, y compris un brouillage susceptible de provoquer un fonctionnement indésirable.

#### Caution:

- (i) the device for operation in the band 5150-5250 MHz is only for indoor use to reduce the potential for harmful interference to co-channel mobile satellite systems;
- (ii) high-power radiars are allocated as primary users (i.e. priority users) of the bands 5250-5350 MHz and 5650-5850 MHz and that these radiars could cause interference and/or damage to LE-LAN devices.



# Avertissement:

- (i) les dispositifs fonctionnant dans la bande 5 150-5 250 MHz sont réservés uniquement pour une utilisation à l'intérieur afin de réduire les risques de brouillage préjudiciable aux systèmes de satellites mobiles utilisant les mêmes canaux;
- (ii) De plus, les utilisateurs devraient aussi être avisés que les utilisateurs de radars de haute puissance sont désignés utilisateurs principaux (c.-à-d., qu'ils ont la priorité) pour les bandes 5 250-5 350 MHz et 5 650-5 850 MHz et que ces radars pourraient causer du brouillage et/ou des dommages aux dispositifs LAN-EL.



# EU Directive 1999/5/EC Compliance Information

This section contains compliance information for the Xirrus Wireless Array family of products. The compliance information contained in this section is relevant to the European Union and other countries that have implemented the EU Directive 1999/5/EC.

# Declaration of Conformity

Cesky [Czech] Toto zahzeni je v souladu se základnimi požadavky a ostatnimi odpovidajcimi ustano veni mi Směrnice 1999/5/EC.

Dansk [Danish] Dette udstyr er i overensstemmelse med de væsentlige krav og andre relevante bestemmelser i Direktiv 1999/5/EF.

Deutsch [German] Dieses Gerat entspricht den grundlegenden Anforderungen und den weiteren entsprechenden Vorgaben der Richtinie 1999/5/EU.

Eesti [Estonian] See seande vastab direktiivi 1999/5/EU olulistele nöuetele ja teistele as jakohastele sätetele.

> English This equipment is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of Directive 1999/5/EC.

Español [Spain] Este equipo cump le con los requisitos esenciales asi como con otras disposiciones de la Directiva 1999/5/ CE.

Ελληνυκη [Greek] Αυτόζ ο εξοπλτσμόζ είναι σε συμμόρφωση με τιζ ουσιώδειζ απαιτήσειζ και ύλλεζ σχετικέζ διατάξειζ της Οδηγιαζ 1999/5/ΕС.

Français [French] Cet appareil est conforme aux exigences essentielles et aux autres dispositions pertinentes de la Directive 1999/5/EC.



Íslenska [Icelandic] Þetta tæki er samkvæmt grunnkröfum og öðrum viðeigandi ákvæðum Tilskipunar 1999/5/EC.

Italiano [Italian] Questo apparato é conforme ai requisiti essenziali ed agli altri principi sanciti dalla Direttiva 1999/5/CE.

Latviski [Latvian] Šī iekārta atbilst Direktīvas 1999/5/EK būtiskajā prasībām un citiem ar to saistītajiem noteikumiem.

Lietuvių [Lithuanian] Šis įrenginys tenkina 1995/5/EB Direktyvos esminius reikalavimus ir kitas šios direktyvos nuostatas.

Nederlands [Dutch] Dit apparant voldoet aan de essentiele eisen en andere van toepassing zijnde bepalingen van de Richtlijn 1995/5/EC.

Malti [Maltese] Dan l-apparant huwa konformi mal-htigiet essenzjali u l-provedimenti l-ohra rilevanti tad-Direttiva 1999/ 5/EC.

Margyar [Hungarian] Ez a készülék teljesiti az alapvető követelményeket és más 1999/5/EK irányelvben meghatározott vonatkozó rendelkezéseket.

Norsk [Norwegian] Dette utstyret er i samsvar med de grunnleggende krav og andre relevante bestemmelser i EU-direktiv 1999/5/EF.

Polski [Polish] Urządzenie jest zgodne z ogólnymi wymaganiami oraz sczególnymi mi warunkami określony mi Dyrektywą. UE:1999/5/EC.

Português [Portuguese] Este equipamento está em conformidade com os requisitos essenciais e outras provisões relevantes da Directiva 1999/5/EC.

Slovensko [Slovenian] Ta naprava je skladna z bistvenimi zahtevami in ostalimi relevantnimi popoji Direktive 1999/5/EC.



Slovensky [Slovak] Toto zariadenie je v zhode so základnými

požadavkami a inými prislušnými nariadeniami

direktiv: 1999/5/EC.

Suomi [Finnish] Tämä laite täyttää direktiivin 1999/5//EY olennaiset

vaatimukset ja on siinä asetettujen muiden laitetta

koskevien määräysten mukainen.

Svenska [Swedish] Denna utrustning är i överensstämmelse med de

väsentliga kraven och andra relevanta bestämmelser

i Direktiv 1999/5/EC.

# Assessment Criteria

The following standards were applied during the assessment of the product against the requirements of the Directive 1999/5/EC:

Radio: EN 301 893 and EN 300 328 (if applicable)

EMC: EN 301 489-1 and EN 301 489-17

Safety: EN 50371 to EN 50385 and EN 60601

# CE Marking

For the Xirrus Wireless Array, the CE mark and Class-2 identifier opposite are affixed to the equipment and its packaging:







# **WEEE Compliance**



- Natural resources were used in the production of this equipment.
- This equipment may contain hazardous substances that could impact the health of the environment.
- In order to avoid harm to the environment and consumption of natural resources, we encourage you to use appropriate take-back systems when disposing of this equipment.
- The appropriate take-back systems will reuse or recycle most of the materials of this equipment in a way that will not harm the environment.
- The crossed-out wheeled bin symbol (in accordance with European Standard EN 50419) invites you to use those take-back systems and advises you not to combine the material with refuse destined for a land fill.
- If you need more information on collection, reuse and recycling systems, please contact your local or regional waste administration.
- Please contact Xirrus for specific information on the environmental performance of our products.



#### National Restrictions

In the majority of the EU and other European countries, the 2.4 GHz and 5 GHz bands have been made available for the use of Wireless LANs. The following table provides an overview of the regulatory requirements in general that are applicable for the 2.4 GHz and 5 GHz bands.

Frequency Band (MHz)	Max Power Level (EIRP) (mW)	Indoor	Outdoor
2400-2483.5	100	х	X**
5250-5350*	200	х	N/A
5470-5725*	1000	Х	x

<sup>\*</sup>Dynamic frequency selection and Transmit Power Control is required in these frequency bands.

The requirements for any country may change at any time. Xirrus recommends that you check with local authorities for the current status of their national regulations for both 2.4 GHz and 5 GHz wireless LANs.

The following countries have additional requirements or restrictions than those listed in the above table:

#### Belgium

The Belgian Institute for Postal Services and Telecommunications (BIPT) must be notified of any outdoor wireless link having a range exceeding 300 meters. Xirrus recommends checking at <a href="https://www.bipt.be">www.bipt.be</a> for more details.

Draadloze verbindingen voor buitengebruik en met een reikwijdte van meer dan 300 meter dienen aangemeld te worden bij het Belgisch Instituut voor postdiensten en telecommunicatie (BIPT). Zie www.bipt.be voor meer gegevens.

<sup>\*\*</sup>France is indoor use only in the upper end of the band.



Les liasons sans fil pour une utilisation en extérieur d'une distance supérieure à 300 mèters doivent être notifiées à l'Institut Belge des services Postaux et des Télécommunications (IBPT). Visitez www.bipt.be pour de plus amples détails.

#### Greece

A license from EETT is required for the outdoor operation in the 5470 MHz to 5725 MHz band. Xirrus recommends checking www.sett.gr for more details.

Η δη ιουργβάικτ ωνεζωτερικο ρουστη ζ νησυ νοτ των 5470-5725 MHz ε ττρ ετάιωνο ετάά όάδειά της ΕΕΤΤ, ου ορηγεβτάι στερά ά ό σ φωνη γν η του ΓΕΕΘΑ. ερισσότερες λε τομ ρειεωστο www.sell.gr

# Italy

This product meets the National Radio Interface and the requirements specified in the National Frequency Allocation Table for Italy. Unless this wireless LAN product is operating within the boundaries of the owner's property, its use requires a "general authorization." Please check with www.communicazioni.it/it/ for more details.

Questo prodotto é conforme alla specifiche di Interfaccia Radio Nazionali e rispetta il Piano Nazionale di ripartizione delle frequenze in Italia. Se non viene installato all'interno del proprio fondo, l'utilizzo di prodotti wireless LAN richiede una "autorizzazione Generale." Consultare www.communicazioni.it/it/ per maggiori dettagli.

#### Norway, Switzerland and Liechtenstein

Although Norway, Switzerland and Liechtenstein are not EU member states, the EU Directive 1999/5/EC has also been implemented in those countries.

# Calculating the Maximum Output Power

The regulatory limits for maximum output power are specified in EIRP (radiated power). The EIRP level of a device can be calculated by adding the gain of the antenna used (specified in dBi) to the output power available at the connector (specified in dBm).



#### Antennas

The Xirrus Wireless Array employs integrated antennas that cannot be removed and which are not user accessible. Nevertheless, as regulatory limits are not the same throughout the EU, users may need to adjust the conducted power setting for the radio to meet the EIRP limits applicable in their country or region. Adjustments can be made from the product's management interface—either Web Management Interface (WMI) or Command Line Interface (CLI).

# Operating Frequency

The operating frequency in a wireless LAN is determined by the access point. As such, it is important that the access point is correctly configured to meet the local regulations. See National Restrictions in this section for more information.

If you still have questions regarding the compliance of Xirrus products or you cannot find the information you are looking for, please contact us at:

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# Compliance Information (Non-EU)

This section contains compliance information for the Xirrus Wireless Array family of products. The compliance information contained in this section is relevant to the listed countries (outside of the European Union and other countries that have implemented the EU Directive 1999/5/EC).

# Declaration of Conformity

Mexico XN16: Cofetel Cert #: RCPXIXN10-1052

XN12: Cofetel Cert #: RCPXIXN10-1052-A1 XN8: Cofetel Cert #: RCPXIXN10-1052-A2 XN4: Cofetel Cert #: RCPXIXN10-1052-A3

Thailand This telecommunication equipment conforms to

NTC technical requirement.



### Safety Warnings

### Safety Warnings

Read all user documentation before powering this device. All Xirrus interconnected equipment should be contained indoors. This product is not suitable for outdoor operation. Please verify the integrity of the system ground prior to installing Xirrus equipment. Additionally, verify that the ambient operating temperature does not exceed 50°C.

### ■ Explosive Device Proximity Warning

Do not operate the XR Series Wireless Array near unshielded blasting caps or in an explosive environment unless the device has been modified to be especially qualified for such use.

### Lightning Activity Warning

Do not work on the XR Series Wireless Array or connect or disconnect cables during periods of lightning activity.

### ■ Circuit Breaker Warning

The XR Series Wireless Array relies on the building's installation for over current protection. Ensure that a fuse or circuit breaker no larger than 120 VAC, 15A (U.S.) or 240 VAC, 10A (International) is used on all current-carrying conductors.

Translated safety warnings appear on the following page.



### Translated Safety Warnings

### Avertissements de Sécurité

### Sécurité

Lisez l'ensemble de la documentation utilisateur avant de mettre cet appareil sous tension. Tous les équipements Xirrus interconnectés doivent être installés en intérieur. Ce produit n'est pas conçu pour être utilisé en extérieur. Veuillez vérifier l'intégrité de la terre du système avant d'installer des équipements Xirrus. Vérifiez également que la température de fonctionnement ambiante n'excède pas 50°C.

### Proximité d'appareils explosifs

N'utilisez pas l'unité XR Wireless Array à proximité d'amorces non blindées ou dans un environnement explosif, à moins que l'appareil n'ait été spécifiquement modifié pour un tel usage.

#### Foudre

N'utilisez pas l'unité XR Wireless Array et ne branchez pas ou ne débranchez pas de câbles en cas de foudre.

### Disjoncteur

L'unité XR Wireless Array dépend de l'installation du bâtiment pour ce qui est de la protection contre les surintensités. Assurez-vous qu'un fusible ou qu'un disjoncteur de 120 Vca, 15 A (États-Unis) ou de 240 Vca, 10 A (International) maximum est utilisé sur tous les conducteurs de courant.



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# Glossary of Terms

#### 802<sub>-11a</sub>

A supplement to the IEEE 802.11 WLAN specification that describes radio transmissions at a frequency of 5 GHz and data rates of up to 54 Mbps.

#### 802\_11b

A supplement to the IEEE 802.11 WLAN specification that describes radio transmissions at a frequency of 2.4 GHz and data rates of up to 11 Mbps.

#### 802\_11d

A supplement to the Media Access Control (MAC) layer in 802.11 to promote worldwide use of 802.11 WLANs. It allows Access Points to communicate information on the permissible radio channels with acceptable power levels for user devices. Because the 802.11 standards cannot legally operate in some countries, 802.11d adds features and restrictions to allow WLANs to operate within the rules of these countries.

### 802\_11g

A supplement to the IEEE 802.11 WLAN specification that describes radio transmissions at a frequency of 2.4 GHz and data rates of up to 54 Mbps.

#### 802-11n

A supplement to the IEEE 802.11 WLAN specification that describes enhancements to 802.11a/b/g to greatly enhance reach, speed, and capacity.

### 802-1Q

An IEEE standard for MAC layer frame tagging (also known as encapsulation). Frame tagging uniquely assigns a user-defined ID to each frame. It also enables a switch to communicate VLAN membership information across multiple (and multi-vendor) devices by frame tagging.

### AFS

(Advanced Encryption Standard) A data encryption scheme that uses three different key sizes (128-bit, 192-bit, and 256-bit). AES was adopted by the U.S. government in 2002 as the encryption standard for protecting sensitive but unclassified electronic data.



### authentication

The process that a station, device, or user employs to announce its identify to the network which validates it. IEEE 802.11 specifies two forms of authentication, open system and shared key.

#### bandwidth

Specifies the amount of the frequency spectrum that is usable for data transfer. In other words, it identifies the maximum data rate a signal can attain on the medium without encountering significant attenuation (loss of power).

#### beacon interval

When a device in a wireless network sends a beacon, it includes with it a beacon interval, which specifies the period of time before it will send the beacon again. The interval tells receiving devices on the network how long they can wait in low power mode before waking up to handle the beacon. Network administrators can adjust the beacon interval—usually measured in milliseconds (ms) or its equivalent, kilo-microseconds (Kmsec).

#### bit rate

The transmission rate of binary symbols ('0' and '1'), equal to the total number of bits transmitted in one second.

#### RSS

(Basic Service Set) When a WLAN is operating in infrastructure mode, each access point and its connected devices are called the Basic Service Set.

#### BSSID

The unique identifier for an access point in a BSS network. See also, SSID.

### CDP

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(Cisco Discovery Protocol) CDP is a layer 2 network protocol which runs on most Cisco equipment and some other network equipment. It is used to share information with other directly connected network devices. Information such as the model, network capabilities, and IP address is shared. Wireless Arrays can both advertise their presence by sending CDP announcements, and gather and display information sent by neighbors.



#### ce

The basic geographical unit of a cellular communications system. Service coverage of a given area is based on an interlocking network of cells, each with a radio base station (transmitter/receiver) at its center. The size of each cell is determined by the terrain and forecasted number of users.

#### channe

A specific portion of the radio spectrum—the channels allotted to one of the wireless networking protocols. For example, 802.11b and 802.11g use 14 channels in the 2.4 GHz band, only 3 of which don't overlap (1, 6, and 11).

#### CoS

(Class of Service) A category based on the type of user, type of application, or some other criteria that QoS systems can use to provide differentiated classes of service.

### default gateway

The gateway in a network that a computer will use to access another network if a gateway is not specified for use. In a network using subnets, a default gateway is the router that forwards traffic to a destination outside of the subnet of the transmitting device.

#### DHCP

(Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) A method for dynamically assigning IP addresses to devices on a network. DHCP issues IP addresses automatically within a specified range to client devices when they are first powered up.

### **DHCP lease**

The DHCP lease is the amount of time that the DHCP server grants to the DHCP client for permission to use a particular IP address. A typical DHCP server allows its administrator to set the lease time.

#### DNS

(Domain Name System) A system that maps meaningful domain names with complex numeric IP addresses. DNS is actually a separate network—if one DNS server cannot translate a domain name, it will ask a second or third until a server is found with the correct IP address.



#### domain

The main name/Internet address of a user's Internet site as registered with the InterNIC organization, which handles domain registration on the Internet. For example, the "domain" address for Xirrus is: http://www.xirrus.com, broken down as follows:

- http:// represents the Hyper Text Teleprocessing Protocol used by all Web pages.
- www is a reference to the World Wide Web.
- xirrus refers to the company.
- com specifies that the domain belongs to a commercial enterprise.

### DT M

(Delivery Traffic Indication Message) A DTIM is a signal sent as part of a beacon by an access point to a client device in sleep mode, alerting the device to a packet awaiting delivery.

#### EAP

(Extensible Authentication Protocol) When you log on to the Internet, you're most likely establishing a PPP connection via a remote access server. The password, key, or other device you use to prove that you are authorized to do so is controlled via PPP's Link Control Protocol (LCP). However, LCP is somewhat inflexible because it has to specify an authentication device early in the process. EAP allows the system to gather more information from the user before deciding which authenticator to use. It is called extensible because it allows more authenticator types than LCP (for example, passwords and public keys).

### **EDCF**

(Enhanced Distributed Coordinator Function) A QoS extension which uses the same contention-based access mechanism as current devices but adds "offset contention windows" that separate high priority packets from low priority packets (by assigning a larger random backoff window to lower priorities than to higher priorities). The result is "statistical priority," where high-priority packets usually are transmitted before low-priority packets.

### encapsulation

A way of wrapping protocols such as TCP/IP, AppleTalk, and NetBEUI in Ethernet frames so they can traverse an Ethernet network and be unwrapped when they reach the destination computer.



### encryption

Any procedure used in cryptography to translate data into a form that can be decrypted and read only by its intended receiver.

#### Fast Ethernet

A version of standard Ethernet that runs at 100 Mbps rather than 10 Mbps.

#### FCC

(Federal Communications Commission) US wireless regulatory authority. The FCC was established by the Communications Act of 1934 and is charged with regulating Interstate and International communications by radio, television, wire, satellite and cable.

#### FIPS

The Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS) Publication 140-2 establishes a computer security standard used to accredit cryptographic modules. The standard is a joint effort by the U.S. and Canadian governments.

#### frame

A packet encapsulated to travel on a physical medium, like Ethernet or Wi-Fi. If a packet is like a shipping container, a frame is the boat on which the shipping container is loaded.

### Gigabit 1 through 4

The Gigabit Ethernet interfaces on XR Series Arrays. XR-4000 Series Arrays have two gigabit interfaces, while XR-6000 Series and higher models have four gigabit interfaces. See also, Gigabit Ethernet.

### Gigabit Ethernet

A version of Ethernet with data transfer rates of 1 Gigabit (1,000 Mbps).

### Group

A user group, created to define a set of attributes (such as VLAN, traffic limits, and Web Page Redirect) and privileges (such as fast roaming) that apply to all users that are members of the group. This allows a uniform configuration to be easily applied to multiple user accounts. The attributes that can be configured for user groups are almost identical to those that can be configured for SSIDs.



### host name

The unique name that identifies a computer on a network. On the Internet, the host name is in the form comp.xyz.net. If there is only one Internet site the host name is the same as the domain name. One computer can have more than one host name if it hosts more than one Internet site (for example, home.xyz.net and comp.xyz.net). In this case, comp and home are the host names and xyz.net is the domain name.

#### Psec

A Layer 3 authentication and encryption protocol. Used to secure VPNs.

#### MAC address

(Media Access Control Address) A 6-byte hexadecimal address assigned by a manufacturer to a device.

#### Mbps

(Megabits per second) A standard measure for data transmission speeds (for example, the rate at which information travels over the Internet). 1 Mbps denotes one million bits per second.

#### MTU

(Maximum Transmission Unit) The largest physical packet size—measured in bytes—that a network can transmit. Any messages larger than the MTU are divided into smaller packets before being sent. Every network has a different MTU, which is set by the network administrator. Ideally, you want the MTU to be the same as the smallest MTU of all the networks between your machine and a message's final destination. Otherwise, if your messages are larger than one of the intervening MTUs, they will get broken up (fragmented), which slows down transmission speeds.

### NTP

(Network Time Protocol) An Internet standard protocol (built on top of TCP/IP) that ensures the accurate synchronization (to the millisecond) of computer clock times in a network of computers. Running as a continuous background client program on a computer, NTP sends periodic time requests to servers, obtaining server time stamps and using them to adjust the client's clock.



### packet

Data sent over a network is broken down into many small pieces—packets—by the Transmission Control Protocol layer of TCP/IP. Each packet contains the address of its destination as well the data. Packets may be sent on any number of routes to their destination, where they are reassembled into the original data. This system is optimal for connectionless networks, such as the Internet, where there are no fixed connections between two locations.

### PLCP

(Physical Layer Convergence Protocol) Defined by IEEE 802.6, a protocol specified within the Transmission Convergence layer that defines exactly how cells are formatted within a data stream for a particular type of transmission facility.

#### PoGE

This refers to the optional Xirrus-supplied Power over Gigabit Ethernet modules that provide DC power to Arrays. Power is supplied over the same Cat 5e or Cat 6 cable that supplies the data connection to your gigabit Ethernet switch, thus eliminating the need to run a power cable.

### preamble

Preamble (sometimes called a header) is a section of data at the head of a packet that contains information that the access point and client devices need when sending and receiving packets. PLCP Has two structures, a long and a short preamble. All compliant 802.11b systems have to support the long preamble. The short preamble option is provided in the standard to improve the efficiency of a network's throughput when transmitting special data, such as voice, VoIP (Voice-over IP) and streaming video.

### private key

In cryptography, one of a pair of keys (one public and one private) that are created with the same algorithm for encrypting and decrypting messages and digital signatures. The private key is provided only to the requestor and never shared. The requestor uses the private key to decrypt text that has been encrypted with the public key by someone else.

### PSK

(Pre-Shared Key) A TKIP passphrase used to protect your network traffic in WPA.



### public key

In cryptography, one of a pair of keys (one public and one private) that are created with the same algorithm for encrypting and decrypting messages and digital signatures. The public key is made publicly available for encryption and decryption.

#### QoS

(Quality of Service) QoS can be used to describe any number of ways in which a network provider prioritizes or guarantees a service's performance.

### RADIUS

(Remote Authentication Dial-In User Service) A client-server security protocol, developed to authenticate, authorize, and account for dial-up users. The RADIUS server stores user profiles, which include passwords and authorization attributes.

#### RSS

(Received Signal Strength Indicator) A measure of the energy observed by an antenna when receiving a signal.

#### SDMA

(Spatial Division Multiple Access) A wireless communications mode that optimizes the use of the radio spectrum and minimizes cost by taking advantage of the directional properties of antennas. The antennas are highly directional, allowing duplicate frequencies to be used for multiple zones.

### SNMP

(Simple Network Management Protocol) A standard protocol that regulates network management over the Internet.

### SNTP

(Simple Network Time Protocol) A simplified version of NTP. SNTP can be used when the ultimate performance of the full NTP implementation described in RFC 1305 is not needed or justified.



#### SSH

(Secure SHell) Developed by SSH Communications Security, Secure Shell is a program to log into another computer over a network, to execute commands in a remote machine, and to move files from one machine to another. The Array only allows SSH-2 connections. SSH-2 provides strong authentication and secure communications over insecure channels. SSH-2 protects a network from attacks, such as IP spoofing, IP source routing, and DNS spoofing. Attackers who has managed to take over a network can only force SSH to disconnect—they cannot "play back" the traffic or hijack the connection when encryption is enabled. When using SSH-2's slogin (instead of rlogin) the entire login session, including transmission of password, is encrypted making it almost impossible for an outsider to collect passwords. Be aware that your SSH utility must be set up to use SSH-2.

#### SSID

(Service Set IDentifier) Every wireless network or network subset (such as a BSS) has a unique identifier called an SSID. Every device connected to that part of the network uses the same SSID to identify itself as part of the family—when it wants to gain access to the network or verify the origin of a data packet it is sending over the network. In short, it is the unique name shared among all devices in a WLAN.

#### subnet mask

A mask used to determine what subnet an IP address belongs to. An IP address has two components: (1) the network address and (2) the host address. For example, consider the IP address 150.215.017.009. Assuming this is part of a Class B network, the first two numbers (150.215) represent the Class B network address, and the second two numbers (017.009) identify a particular host on this network.

#### TKIP

(Temporal Key Integrity Protocol) Provides improved data encryption by scrambling the keys using a hashing algorithm and, by adding an integritychecking feature, ensures that the encryption keys haven't been tampered with.

### transmit power

The amount of power used by a radio transceiver to send the signal out. Transmit power is generally measured in milliwatts, which you can convert to dBm.

### User group

See Group.



#### VLAN

(Virtual LAN) A group of devices that communicate as a single network, even though they are physically located on different LAN segments. Because VLANs are based on logical rather than physical connections, they are extremely flexible. A device that is moved to another location can remain on the same VLAN without any hardware reconfiguration.

### VLAN tagging

(Virtual LAN tagging) Static port-based VLANs were originally the only way to segment a network without using routing, but these port-based VLANs could only be implemented on a single switch (or switches) cabled together. Routing was required to transfer traffic between unconnected switches. As an alternative to routing, some vendors created proprietary schemes for sharing VLAN information across switches. These methods would only operate on that vendor's equipment and were not an acceptable way to implement VLANs. With the adoption of the 802.11n standard, traffic can be confined to VLANs that exist on multiple switches from different vendors. This interoperability and traffic containment across different switches is the result of a switch's ability to use and recognize 802.1Q tag headers—called VLAN tagging. Switches that implement 802.1Q tagging add this tag header to the frame directly after the destination and source MAC addresses. The tag header indicates:

- That the packet has a tag.
- Whether the packet should have priority over other packets.
- Which VLAN it belongs to, so that the switch can forward or filter it correctly.

### WDS (Wireless Distribution System)

WDS creates wireless backhauls between arrays. These links between arrays may be used rather than having to install data cabling to each array.

### WEP

(Wired Equivalent Privacy) An optional IEEE 802.11 function that offers frame transmission privacy similar to a wired network. The Wired Equivalent Privacy generates secret shared encryption keys that both source and destination stations can use to alter frame bits to avoid disclosure to eavesdroppers.



### Wi-Fi Alliance

A nonprofit international association formed in 1999 to certify interoperability of wireless Local Area Network products based on IEEE 802.11 specification. The goal of the Wi-Fi Alliance's members is to enhance the user experience through product interoperability.

### Wireless Array

A high capacity wireless networking device consisting of multiple radios arranged in a circular array.

#### WPA

(Wi-Fi Protected Access) A Wi-Fi Alliance standard that contains a subset of the IEEE 802.11i standard, using TKIP as an encryption method and 802.1x for authentication.

#### WPA2

(Wi-Fi Protected Access 2) WPA2 is the follow-on security method to WPA for wireless networks and provides stronger data protection and network access control. It offers Enterprise and consumer Wi-Fi users with a high level of assurance that only authorized users can access their wireless networks. Like WPA, WPA2 is designed to secure all versions of 802.11 devices, including 802.11a, 802.11b, 802.11g, and 802.11n, multi-band and multi-mode.

### Xirrus Management System (XMS)

A Xirrus product used for managing large Wireless Array deployments from a centralized Web-based interface.

### XP1 and XP8—Power over Gigabit Ethernet modules

See PoGE.

### XPS—Xirrus Power System

A family of optional Xirrus-supplied products that provides power over Gigabit Ethernet. See PoGE.





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