

## LANforge WiFi AP and Stations with HS20 and EAP-SIM

**Goal**: Use LANforge to create AP, RADIUS server, and Station that supports HotSpot 2.0 (HS20) and EAP-SIM authentication.

Requires LANforge 5.2.11 or later. Create a Virtual AP configured for HotSpot 2.0 and RADIUS (802.1x) authentication. Create a MAC-VLAN interface to act as RADIUS server using hostapd. Configure back-end tools authenticate EAP-SIM. Create and configure LANforge WiFi station to test authentication. This example uses two LANforge CT520 systems but the procedure should work on all CT520, CT523, CT524 and CT525 systems. Information here should be useful for non-LANforge users creating their own AP using the hostapd program.

This example uses LANforge for all components, so it is both the test gear and the system under test. This cookbook is primarily intended to record information on how to set up various components of an HS20 EAP-SIM network for demo purposes. Users may choose to implement sub-sections of this cookbook and replace others with third-party APs, RADIUS servers, etc.







A. Go to the Port Manager tab, select wiphy0 on proper resource, click Create, fill out appropriate information and create basic Virtual AP interface.

B. The new VAP should appear in the Port-Mgr table. Double-click to modify. Configure IP Address information, SSID and select WPA2:

	Current: Driver Info:	Port Status Informa LINK-UP GRO NONE Port Type: WIFI-AP	tion Parent: wiphy	0	
Standard Configura	ation Advanced	Port Configurable	es sc Configuratio	n Custom WiFi	
Enable		General Inte	erface Settings		
Set IF Down	DHCP-IPv6	DHCP Belease		Aux-Mat	
Set MAC		Eccondary IDc	DHCD Client ID	Nana	
Set TX Q Len	DHCP-IPV4	BLANK	DHCP Client ID	Nine Via	
Set MTU	DNS Servers:	BLANK	Peer IP:		
Set Offload	IP Address:	10.97.1.1	Giobal IPvo:		
Set PROMISC	Gateway ID:	233.233.0.0	IDV6 GW:		
	Alias:	0.0.0.0	MTU:	1500	
Services —	MAC Addr:	00:0e:8e:c3:19:79	TX OL en	1000	
НТТР	Rot Timer:	medium (8 s)	WiEi Bridge:	NONE	
FTP		wirit	Tettie		
		WIFT:	Settings		
Low Level	SSID: AD	CD-1234	AP:		
	Key/Phrase:	745/2 40	Mode: 8	SU2.11aDQN	
TSO Enabled	Preq/Channel: 5	745/149	Rate:	DODZ	
	Beacon: 24	0	Max-STA.	2007	
			Disable UT40		
	Verbese Debu	2 _ OSEN _ WEP _	DISADIE H140		
GRO Enabled	verbose Deb	uy			
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C. Select the **Advanced Configuration** tab in the Port-Modify window and configure the 802.1x, 802.11u, HotSpot 2.0, RADIUS and other information. Note that the 3GPP Cell Net entry must correspond to the IMSI we enter as the station's identity and the IMSI information in the hlr\_auc\_gw config file. Also, note that the Realm must contain the EAP Method Type 18 (EAP-SIM) as described in http://www.iana.org/assignments/eap-numbers/eap-numbers.xhtml#eap-numbers-4:

•		vap1 (lf0301-1n-	f17	7-32) Configure S	Settings	$\odot$ $\sim$ $\times$		
	Port Status Information							
	Current: LINK-UP GRO NONE							
	Driver Info: Port Type: WIFI-AP Parent: wiphy0							
		Р	ort	Configurables				
ļ	Standard Configuration Advanced Configuration Misc Configuration Custom WiFi							
		Adv	an	ced WiFi Settings	A harmond (2022 Au			
	and enable Advance	ed/802.1x to enable mos	st o	f these. Enabling	802.11u enables others.			
	Ignore Probes:	zero (0%)	-	HESSID:	00:00:00:00:33			
	Ignore Auth-Assoc:	zero (0%)	-	Realm:	0,mytest.com,13:[5:6],18:[5:1][5:2],21:[5:7]			
	Ignore Assoc:	zero (0%)	-	IMSI:				
	Ignore Re-Assoc:	zero (0%)	-	Milenage:				
	Corrupt GTK:	zero (0%)	-	Domain:	mytest.com			
	HS20 Capabilities			Consortium:				
	HS20 Oper Class	517C		RADIUS IP	127.0.0.1			
	HS20 WAN Metrics	01:8000:1000:80:240:300	0	RADIUS Port	1812			
	leee80211w:	Disabled (0)	-	RADIUS Secret	lanforge			
	Venue Group:	Business (2)	•	Venue Type:	Private Residence (1)			
	Network Type:	Personal (4)	-	Address Types:	Public IPv4 (4)			
	Network Auth:	00		3GPP Cell Net:	123,20			
	Use 80211d Use 80211h Short-Preamble							
	Advanced/802.1x HotSpot 2.0 Disable DGAF							
	🕑 Enable 802.11u   10 802.11u Internet 🗌 802.11u ASRA 🕑 802.11u ESR 🕑 802.11u UESA							
Print	Print         View Details         Logs         Probe         Display Scan         Sync         Apply         OK         Cancel							

- D. Use Netsmith to create Virtual-Router. Add the vapX interface to the Virtual router, configure the Virtual Router port object to serve DHCP. Optionally, add external Ethernet interface to virtual router so that it can route to upstream networks. You could also set up the VAP in bridge mode and use external DHCP server if preferred.
- E. For those doing this manually, the hostapd.conf file looks like this:

interface=vap1
driver=nl80211
logger_syslog=-1
logger_syslog_level=2
logger_stdout=-1
logger_stdout_level=2
<pre>dump_file=/home/lanforge/wifi/hostapd_vap0.dump</pre>
ctrl_interface=/var/run/hostapd
ctrl_interface_group=0
ssid=ABCD-1234
bssid=00:0e:8e:c3:19:79
country_code=US
ieee80211d=1
ieee80211h=0
ieee80211w=0
hw_mode=a
ieee80211n=1
beacon_int=240
dtim_period=2
max_num_sta=2007
rts_threshold=2347
fragm_threshold=2346

preamble=0 macaddr acl=0 auth algs=1 ignore broadcast ssid=0 # Enable HT modes if you want 300Mbps+ throughput. #ht capab=[HT20][HT40-][HT40+][GF][SHORT-GI-20][SHORT-GI-40] [TX-STBC][RX-STBC123][MAX-AMSDU-7935][DSSS\_CCK-40][PSMP][LSIG-TXOP-PROT] # ht capab=[HT20][HT40+][SHORT-GI-40][SHORT-GI-20] #vht\_capab=[HT20][HT80+][HT80-][SHORT-GI-80] wmm enabled=1 wmm ac bk cwmin=4 wmm ac bk cwmax=10 wmm ac bk aifs=7 wmm ac bk txop limit=0 wmm ac bk acm=0 wmm ac be aifs=3 wmm ac be cwmin=4 wmm ac be cwmax=10 wmm ac be txop limit=0 wmm\_ac\_be\_acm=0 wmm ac vi aifs=2 wmm ac vi cwmin=3 wmm ac vi cwmax=4 wmm ac vi txop limit=94 wmm ac vi acm=0 wmm ac vo aifs=2 wmm ac vo cwmin=2 wmm ac vo cwmax=3 wmm ac vo txop limit=47 wmm ac vo acm=0 channel=149 ieee8021x=1 own ip addr=127.0.0.1 auth server addr=127.0.0.1 auth\_server\_port=1812 auth server shared secret=lanforge wpa=2 wpa pairwise=CCMP wpa key mgmt=WPA-EAP WPA-EAP-SHA256 # 802.11u configuration interworking=1 access network type=4 internet=1 asra=1 esr=1 uesa=1 venue group=2 venue\_type=1 hessid=00:00:00:00:00:33 venue\_name=eng:LANforge Test Venue network auth type=00 ipaddr type availability=04 domain name=mytest.com angp 3gpp cell net=123,20 nai\_realm=0,mytest.com,13:[5:6],18:[5:1][5:2],21:[5:7] # HotSpot 2.0 configuration hs20=1 hs20 oper friendly name=eng:LANforge HotSpot 2.0 hs20 wan metrics=01:8000:1000:80:240:3000 hs20\_operating\_class=517C

- 2. Create a MAC-VLAN interface on eth1 of Resource 1 to act as RADIUS server.
  - A. Go to the Port Manager tab, select eth1 on the proper resource, click Create, fill out appropriate information and create a basic MAC-VLAN interface.
  - B. The new interface should appear in the Port-Mgr table. Double-click to modify. Configure IP Address information and select the RADIUS checkbox which will allow a hostapd based RADIUS server on the interface using the config file /home/lanforge/wifi/hostapd\_eth1#0.conf :

0		eth1#0 (lf0	301-1n-f17-32) Co	onfigure Settin	gs		$\odot$ $\otimes$ $\otimes$
		Current: Driver Info	Port Status Info LINK-UP PROBE D: Port Type: MAC	ormation -ERROR TSO UF -VLAN Parent:	O : ethl		
			Port Configur	ables			
Enable Set IF Down		General Int	erface Settings			Port Rates	Advert Rates —
Set TX Q Len	Down DHCP-IPv6	Aux-Mgt  DHCP Release	DHCP Vendor ID:	None	-	○ 100bt-HD ○ 100bt-FD ○ 1000-FD ○ 10G-FD	✓ 100bt-HD ✓ 100bt-HD ✓ 100bt-FD
Set Offload	DHCP-IPv4	Secondary-IPs BLANK	DHCP Client ID: Peer IP:	None NA	-	Autonegotiate	<ul> <li>✓ 1000-FD</li> <li>☐ 10G-FD</li> </ul>
Set Rx-All/FCS	IP Address: IP Mask:	172.16.30.2 255.255.255.0	Global IPv6:			Restart Xcvr	40G-FD
Services — HTTP	Alias: MAC Addr: Br Cost:	00:01:a1:de:03:34	MTU: TX Q Len Priority:	1500 0 Ignore		RX-ALL RX-FCS Bypass NOW!	Offload TSO Enabled UFO Enabled
RADIUS	Rpt Timer:	medium (8 s) 🔻	WiFi Bridge:	NONE	•	Bypass Power-OP	CRO Enabled
	Print V	iew Details	Probe Sync	Арр	ly	OK Cancel	

C. We are just using LANforge to start/stop the hostapd process associated with the MAC-VLAN interface. All interesting configuration is in the custom config file, which should appear similar to this:

interface=eth1#0 driver=wired logger syslog=-1 logger\_syslog\_level=2 logger stdout=-1 logger\_stdout\_level=2 #dump\_file=/home/lanforge/wifi/hostapd\_eth1#0.dump ctrl interface=/var/run/hostapd ctrl interface group=0 ieee8021x=1 eapol key index workaround=0 eap server=1 eap user file=/etc/hostapd.eap user server id=lf0301.mytest.com eap sim db=unix:/tmp/hlr auc gw.sock radius\_server\_auth\_port=1812 radius server clients=/etc/hostapd.radius clients

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ca_cert=/etc/raddb/certs/ca.pem
server_cert=/etc/raddb/certs/server.pem
private_key=/etc/raddb/certs/server.key
private key passwd=lanforge
```

D. Create RADIUS client authentication file on the LANforge machine called /etc/hostapd.radius\_clients with contents similar to:

192.168.100.0/24 lanforge 127.0.0.1/24 lanforge E. Create the /etc/hostap.eap\_user file, with contents similar to this:

"\*@mytest.com" TLS "0"\* SIM,TTLS,TLS,PEAP,AKA "1"\* SIM,TTLS,TLS,PEAP,AKA

- 3. Configure back-end authenticator for EAP-SIM.
  - A. On the LANforge machine, use your favorite editor to create the file **/etc/hlr\_auc\_gw.milenage\_db** It should have contents similar to:

# Parameters for Milenage (Example algorithms for AKA).
# The example Ki, OPc, and AMF values here are from 3GPP TS 35.208 v6.0.0
# 4.3.20 Test Set 20. SQN is the last used SQN value.
# These values can be used for both UMTS (EAP-AKA) and GSM (EAP-SIM)
# authentication. In case of GSM/EAP-SIM, AMF and SQN values are not used, but
# dummy values will need to be included in this file.
# IMSI Ki OPc AMF SQN
23201000000000 90dca4eda45b53cf0f12d7c9c3bc6a89 cb9cccc4b9258e6dca4760379fb82581 61df 00000000000
# These values are from Test Set 19 which has the AMF separation bit set to 1
# and as such, is suitable for EAP-AKA' test.
555444333222111 5122250214c33e723a5dd523fc145fc0 981d464c7c52eb6e5036234984ad0bcf c3ab 16f3b3f70fc1

B. As root user, start the hlr\_auc\_gw tool:

```
cd /home/lanforge
. lanforge.profile
hlr_auc_gw -m /etc/hlr_auc_gw.milenage_db > /tmp/hlr_auc_gw.log &
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NOTE: If the hlr\_auc\_gw does not start, you may have to remove the file /tmp/hlr\_auc\_gw.sock first.

- C. In the LANforge-GUI, select the MAC-VLAN interface (eth1#0 in our example) and click **Reset** to restart the hostapd RADIUS process now that the hlr\_auc\_gw program is running.
- 4. Create WiFi Station on second wiphy (and/or second LANforge) to test connectivity
  - A. Go to the Port Manager tab, select wiphyX on proper resource, click Create, fill out appropriate information and create a basic Virtual Station interface.

B. The new Station should appear in the Port-Mgr table. Double-click to modify. Set the SSID to [BLANK], and Select WPA2. The SSID and Key/Password do not need to be configured when using HotSpot 2.0:

•	stal (ct52	3-3n-f20) Configure	e Settings		$\odot$ $\sim$ $\otimes$
	Current: Driver Info:	Port Status Informa LINK-UP GRO Autho Port Type: WIFI-STA	ntion rized Parent: wiphy(	)	
Standard Configuration Advanced Con	nfiguration	Port Configurabl	es		
Enable —		General Int	erface Settings		1
Set MAC		DHCP Release	DHCP Client ID:	Aux-Mgt	
Set TX Q Len	DNS Servers:	192.168.4.1	Peer IP:	NA	
Set Offload	IP Address: IP Mask:	0.0.0.0	Global IPv6: Link IPv6:	AUTO	]
Set PROMISC	Gateway IP:	0.0.0.0	IPv6 GW:	AUTO	
	Alias: MAC Addr:	00:0e:8e:00:d0:71	MTU: TX Q Len	1500 1000	
Low Level	Rpt Timer:	medium (8 s) 🔻	WiFi Bridge:	NONE	
PROMISC TSO Enabled	SSID:	WiFi [BLANK] - AP:	DEFAULT		
GSO Enabled	Key/Phrase:	: 5745/149 Rat	le: 802.11abqn e: OS Default	<b>▼</b>	
GRO Enabled	Use WPA	🗹 Use WPA2 🗌 Use	WEP Disable	HT40 🗌 Disable SGI	
Print View Details	Probe	Display Scan	Sync	Apply OK	Cancel

C. Select the **Advanced Configuration** tab in the Port-Modify window and configure the 802.1x, 802.11u, HotSpot 2.0 and other information. The **EAP Identity** and **EAP Password** must match the configuration on your RADIUS server, and in this case, that means it must match the hlr\_auc\_gw configuration we entered earlier. The HS20 Realm and Domain should be configured to match the HS20 AP.

	sta1 (ct523-3n-f20) Configure Settings		$\odot$ $\odot$					
Port Status Information Current: LINK-UP GRO Authorized Driver Info: Port Type: WIFI-STA Parent: wiphy0								
	Port Configurables							
Standard Configur	ation Advanced Configuration Misc Configuration Custom WiFi							
Advanced WiFi Settings Select 'WPA2' on the Standard Configuration screen to enable Advanced/802.1x								
Key Management:	WPA-EAP	HESSID:	00:00:00:00:33					
Pairwise Ciphers:	DEFAULT	Realm:	mytest.com					
Group Ciphers:	DEFAULT	Client Cert:						
WPA PSK:		IMSI:						
EAP Methods:	EAP-SIM	Milenage:						
EAP Identity:	12320100000000@mytest.com	Domain:	mytest.com					
EAP Anon Identity:		Consortium:						
EAP Password:	90dca4eda45b53cf0f12d7c9c3bc6a89:cb9cccc4b9258e6dca4760379fb82581	Phase-1:						
EAP Pin:		Phase-2:						
Private Key:		PK Password:						
CA Cert File:		PAC File:						
Network Auth:		leee80211w:	Disabled (0) 🖵					
✓ Advanced/802.1x     ✓ Enable 802.11u     ✓ HotSpot 2.0     □ Enable PKC								
Print         View Details         Probe         Display Scan         Sync         Apply         OK         Cancel								

D. Verify Station connects to the AP and obtains DHCP IP Address configuration. If it does not work, look at the Station's supplicant logs, the AP logs, the RADIUS server logs, and the hlr\_auc\_gw logs.

E. For those doing this manually, the wpa\_supplicant.conf file looks like this:

```
ctrl_interface=/var/run/wpa_supplicant
fast_reauth=1
concurrent_assoc_ok=1
scan cur freq=1
min_scan_gap=5
p2p_disabled=1
# 802.11u / Interworking configuration.
interworking=1
hessid=00:00:00:00:00:33
auto_interworking=1
access_network_type=0
# HotSpot 2.0 configuration
hs20=1
bss_max_count=2000
network={
    interworking_defaults=1
    disable_ht=0
    disable_vht=1
    disable_ht40=0
    disable_sgi=0
    ht_mcs=""
    disable_max_amsdu=-1
    ampdu_factor=-1
    ampdu_density=-1
}
cred={
    username="123201000000000@mytest.com"
    password="90dca4eda45b53cf0f12d7c9c3bc6a89:cb9cccc4b9258e6dca4760379fb82581"
    realm="mytest.com"
    domain="mytest.com"
    eap=SIM
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For more information see WiFi Station Cookbook

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