



Switching Security Features

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Course Objectives

- + To help you to understand and configure three, optional security features within a switched environment:
 - + Port Security
 - + DHCP Snooping
 - + Dynamic ARP Inspection
- + To recognize the concepts associated with AAA

- + Understand how switches typically process Ethernet frames
- + Explain the Ethernet frame structure
- + Understand the role of DHCP and ARP in a network

Course Prerequisites





Port Security

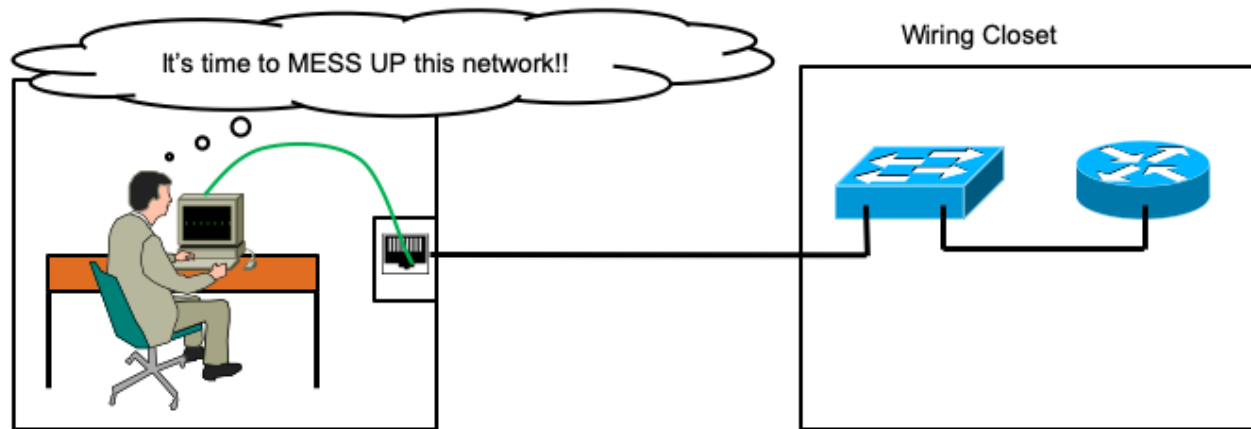
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Topic Overview

- + What Problem Is Solved By Port Security?
- + Port Security Overview & Configuration
- + Port Security Violations
- + Sticky MACs

Anyone can connect to the network!



You're In!!

- + By default, routers and switches do not perform security checks against any device that connects to them
- + Routers and switches will forward any frame/packet received on an interface if:
 - + The appropriate protocol is enabled on the ingress interface
 - + The appropriate forwarding tables or trees exist

Limiting Switch Access

- + Port Security can be used to limit access to switchports
- + Not available on dynamic ports
- + What can be secured?
 - + Maximum quantity of learned, dynamic MAC addresses can be limited
 - + Static, authorized MAC addresses can be pre-configured
 - + Combination of both options above

Port Security will work on a trunk as long as DTP is not in-use.

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A secure port cannot be:
Destination port for SPAN
Port-channel
Private VLAN port

Basic Configuration

- + Port Security can be enabled with a single command;
 - + (config-if)#**switchport port-security**
- + What are the defaults with this one command?
 - + Port is allowed to learn a single MAC only
 - + First MAC learned is assumed to be an authorized MAC
 - + Subsequent MACs learned on the same port will cause a security violation

Optional Configurations

- + Allow pre-defined quantity of MACs
 - + (config-if)#switchport port-security maximum <1-1536>
- + Pre-configure known, authorized MACs
 - + (config-if)#switchport port-security mac <address>
- + Apply aging timer to authorized MACs
 - + (config-if)#switchport port-security aging time <1-1440 mins>
 - + (config-if)#switchport port-security aging type <absolute | inactivity>

Port-Security Violations

- + If a violation occurs, you have three options with regards to the response:
 - + Shutdown (default)
 - + Protect
 - + Restrict

```
interface FastEthernet0/1
switchport access vlan 22
switchport mode access
switchport port-security
switchport port-security violation restrict
switchport port-security mac-address 001a.6c30.8faa vlan access
```

Protect doesn't give you syslogs or ANY indication that there has been a violation. ALL it does is silently discard the offending frames.

Sticky MACs

- + Allows dynamic learning of allowed MAC addresses
- + MACs learned become part of the Running-Config
- + If saved (write memory) sticky MACs become static, authorized MACs upon a reload or powercycle

```
Switch-2(config-if)#switchport port-security mac-address ?  
H.H.H    48 bit mac address  
sticky   Configure dynamic secure addresses as sticky
```



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Monitoring Port Security

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- + Monitoring Port Security

Monitoring Port Security

```
Switch-2#show port-security
Secure Port  MaxSecureAddr  CurrentAddr  SecurityViolation  Security Action
              (Count)        (Count)        (Count)
-----
    Fa0/1           3             1             0             Restrict
    Fa0/10          1             0             1             Shutdown
-----
Total Addresses in system (excluding one mac per port)  : 0
Max Addresses limit in system (excluding one mac per port) : 2048
Switch-2#
```

The last line indicates that, of all the interfaces you have participating in this feature, you can have an aggregate total of 2048 secure (manually-configured) MAC addresses.

Monitoring Port Security

```
Switch-#show port-security interface fast 0/1
Port Security : Enabled
Port Status : Secure-up
Violation Mode : Restrict
Aging Time : 1 mins
Aging Type : Absolute
SecureStatic Address Aging : Enabled
Maximum MAC Addresses : 3
Total MAC Addresses : 1
Configured MAC Addresses : 0
Sticky MAC Addresses : 1
Last Source Address:Vlan : 001a.6c30.8fdf:22
Security Violation Count : 0
```

CCNA doesn't expect you to know anything about Port-Security address aging.

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When a MAC is "learned" and authorized via P-S it is entered as a "static" entry in CAM and so does NOT age.

P-S aging is a way of applying an aging timer to these types of MACs.

Monitoring Port Security

```
Switch-2#show port-security address
Secure Mac Address Table
-----
Vlan    Mac Address      Type                Ports    Remaining Age
(mins)
-----
  22     001a.6c30.8fdf   SecureDynamic       Fa0/1    1
  1      0014.f24d.c58c   SecureDynamic       Fa0/10   < 1
-----
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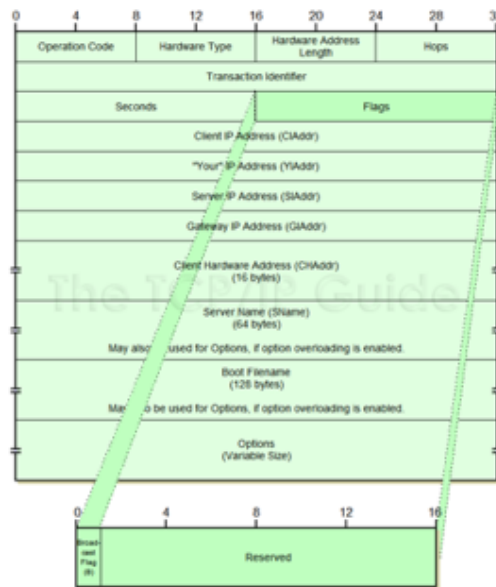
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DHCP Packet Format



Graphic taken from TCP/IP Guide

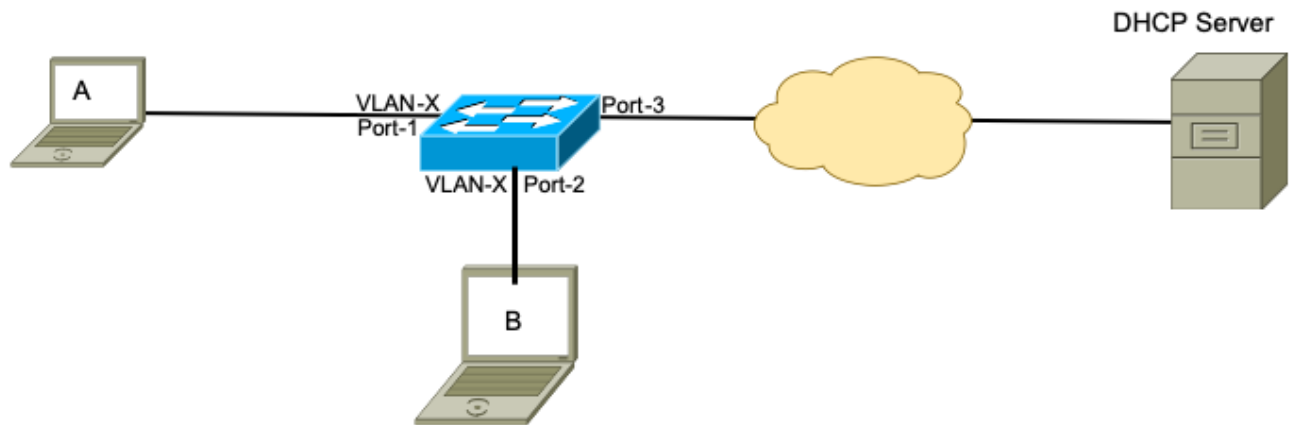
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http://www.tcpipguide.com/free/t_DHCPMessageFormat.htm

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Emphasize the "GIAddr" and "Options" fields...both of which play a critical role in DHCP Snooping.

DHCP Operation





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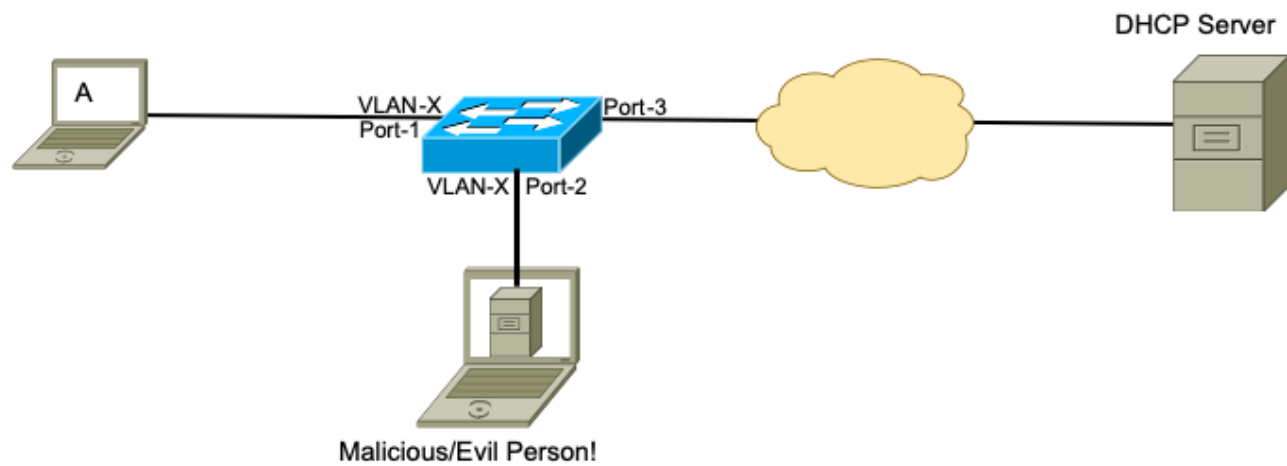
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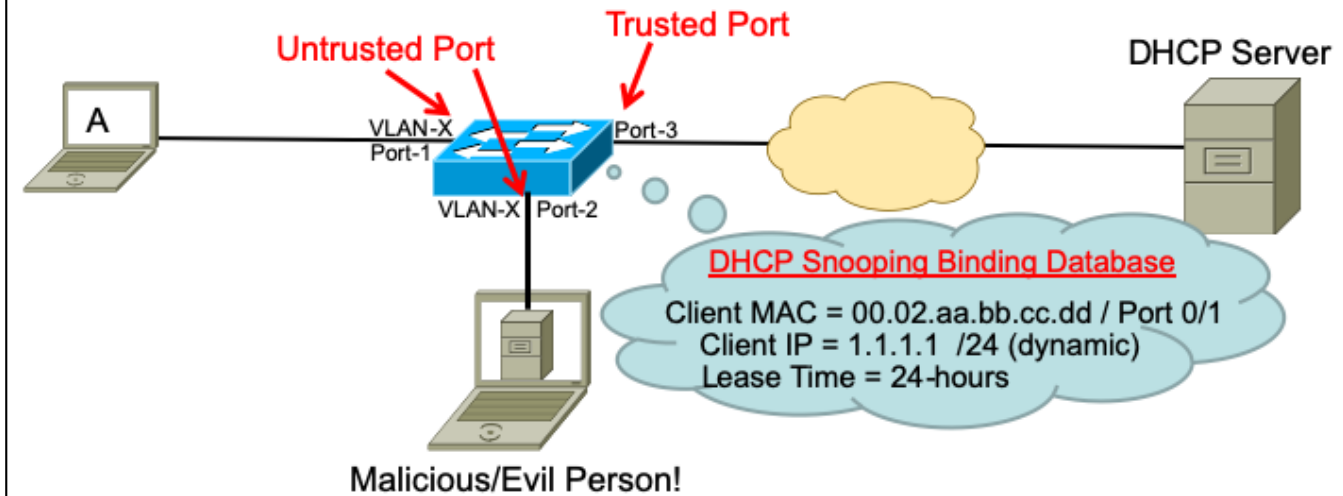
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- + What Problem Is Solved By DHCP Snooping?
- + Terminology
- + DHCP Snooping Operation

DHCP Snooping: What Problem Is Solved?



DHCP Snooping Terminology



DHCP Binding Database only built based on information gleaned from UNTRUSTED interfaces.

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Mention that Binding Database also used by many other features, (Dynamic ARP Inspection, IP Source Guard, etc).

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No way to manually add entries to this table but other features that use this table have their own methods for adding static entries (for example, connected servers with static IP addresses).

DHCP Snooping Operation

- + DHCP Client messages only allowed from Untrusted to Trusted ports
 - + DHCP Discover
 - + DHCP Request / Inform
 - + DHCP Decline
 - + DHCP Release
- + DHCP Server messages only allowed on ingress from Trusted ports
 - + DHCP Offer
 - + DHCP Ack
 - + DHCP NACK

DHCP Inform: Used by Client when it already has an address but would like to obtain other/additional information from DHCP Server.

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This means that DHCP client messages won't be seen by rogue DHCP servers on untrusted ports.

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Feature should ONLY be enabled on access-layer switches because it drops any DHCP packet with a non-zero GIADDR field



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- + DHCP Snooping Configuration
- + DHCP Snooping Verification

DHCP Snooping Configuration

```
Switch(config)# ip dhcp snooping
```

```
Switch(config)# ip dhcp snooping vlan <vlan-id>
```

```
!
```

```
Switch(config-if)# ip dhcp snooping limit rate <1-2048>
```

```
Switch(config-if)# ip dhcp snooping trust
```

```
!
```

```
Switch(config)# [no] ip dhcp snooping information option
```

DHCP Snooping Verification

```
Sw3#sho ip dhcp snooping
Switch DHCP snooping is enabled
DHCP snooping is configured on following VLANs:
18
DHCP snooping is operational on following VLANs:
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DHCP snooping is configured on the following L3 Interfaces:

Insertion of option 82 is disabled
  circuit-id format: vlan-mod-port
  remote-id format: MAC
Option 82 on untrusted port is not allowed
Verification of hwaddr field is enabled
Verification of giaddr field is enabled
DHCP snooping trust/rate is configured on the following Interfaces:
```

Interface	Trusted	Rate limit (pps)
FastEthernet0/6	yes	unlimited

```
SW3#
```

DHCP Snooping Monitoring

```
Sw3#show ip dhcp snooping binding
```

MacAddress	IpAddress	Lease(sec)	Type	VLAN	Interface
A4:0C:C3:D4:74:9C	18.19.18.5	604784	dhcp-snooping	18	FastEthernet0/4
00:13:80:7A:D8:CC	18.19.18.3	603960	dhcp-snooping	18	FastEthernet0/5

Total number of bindings: 2



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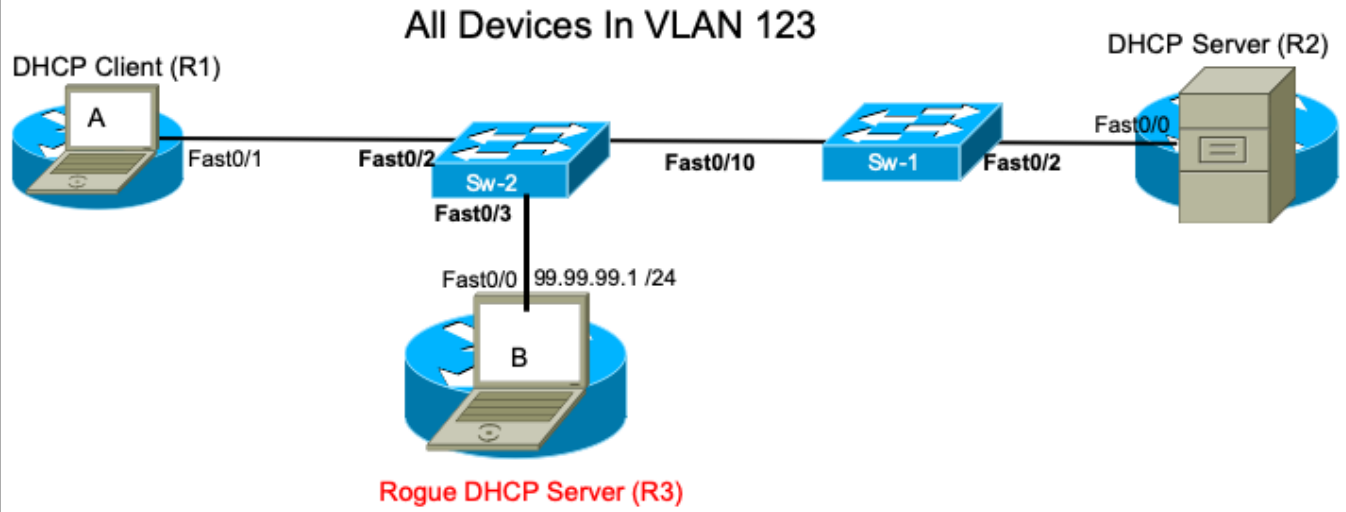
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DHCP Demonstration Topology





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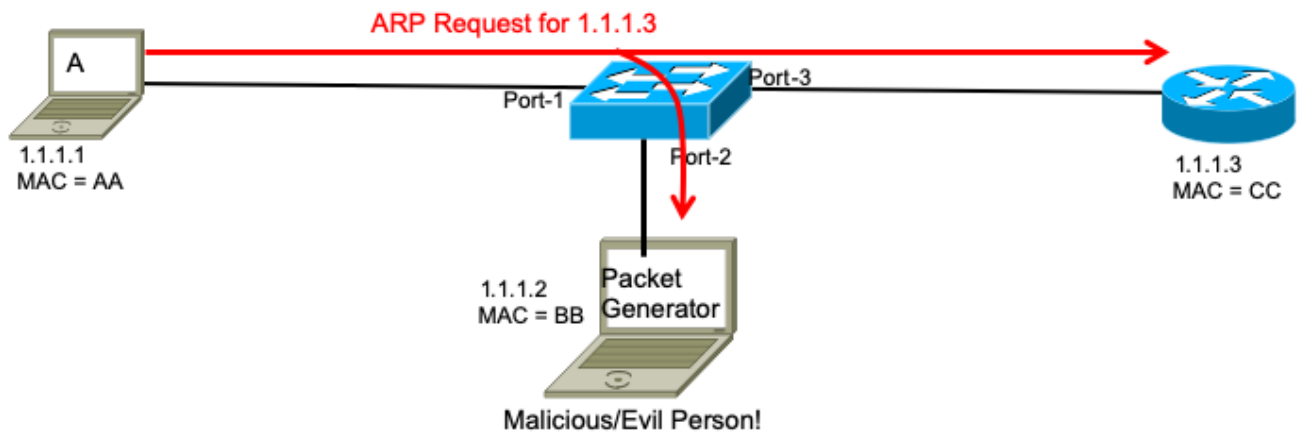
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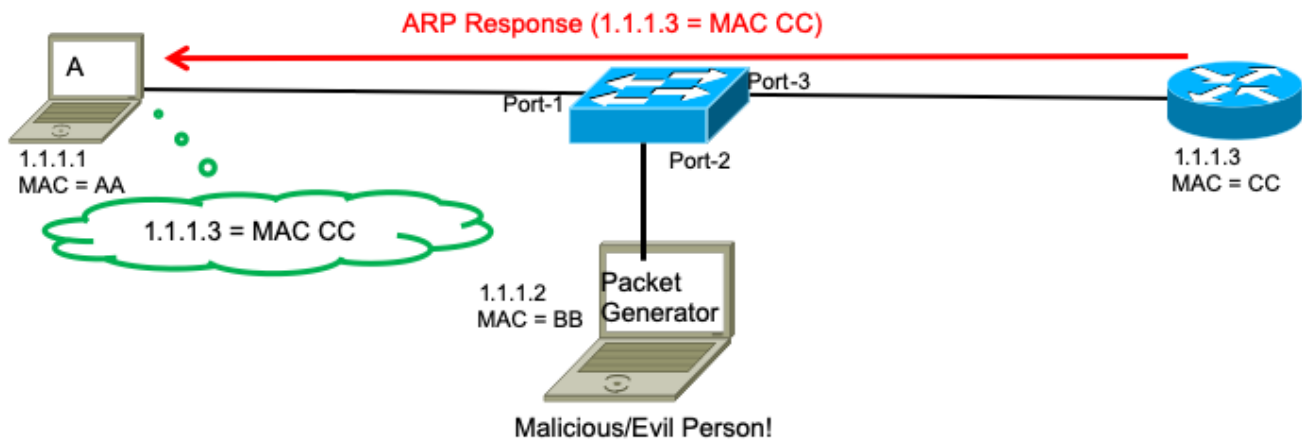
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- + Overview Of Operation
- + Terminology

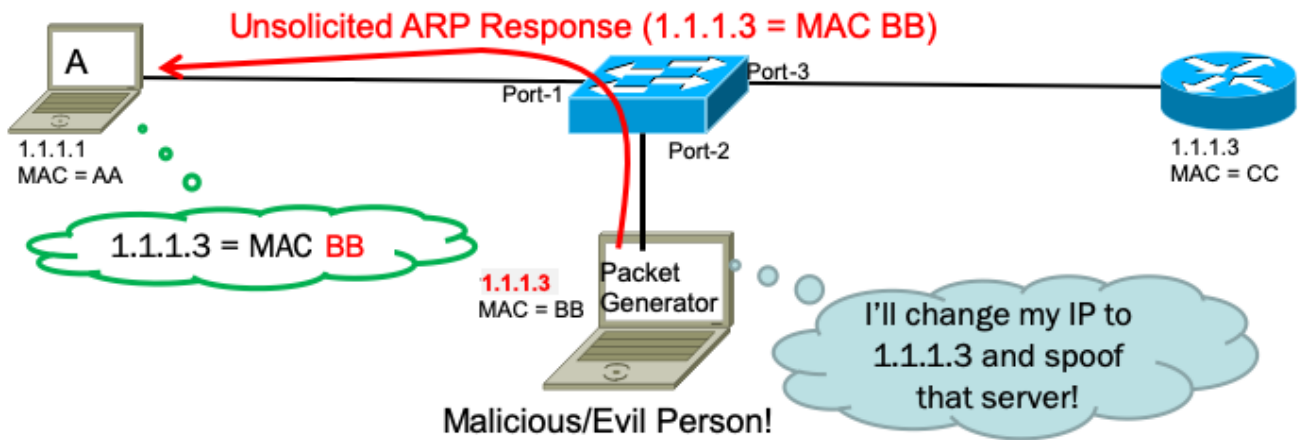
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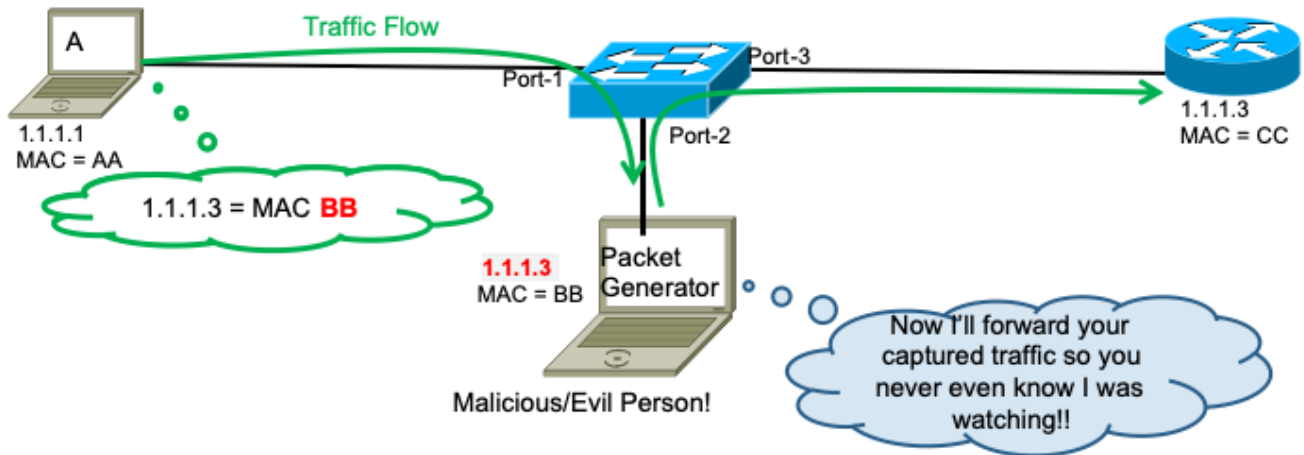
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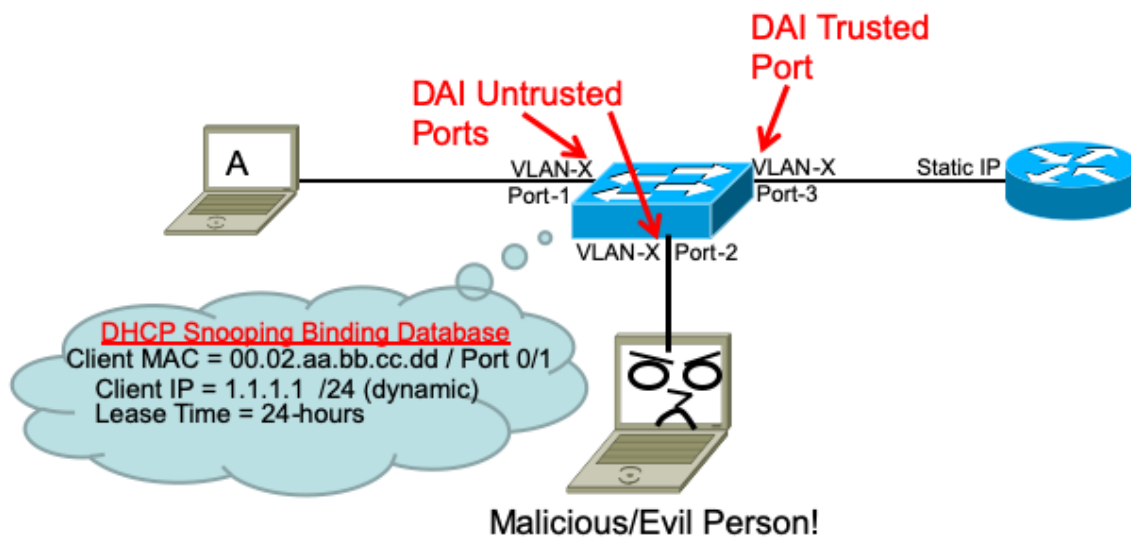
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Dynamic ARP Inspection Overview

- + DAI verifies ARP requests and replies by inspecting them against entries in the DHCP Snooping Binding Database
 - + No match? Drop the ARP and log message!
- + Can also match against static ARP ACL entries for devices with static IP addresses

DAI Terminology





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Configuring Dynamic ARP Inspection In Cisco IOS

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Topic Overview

- + Configuration Of Dynamic ARP Inspection
- + Incorporating DAI With Static IP Addresses
- + What Gets Checked In The ARP Packet?
- + Verification & Monitoring

Configuring Dynamic ARP Inspection

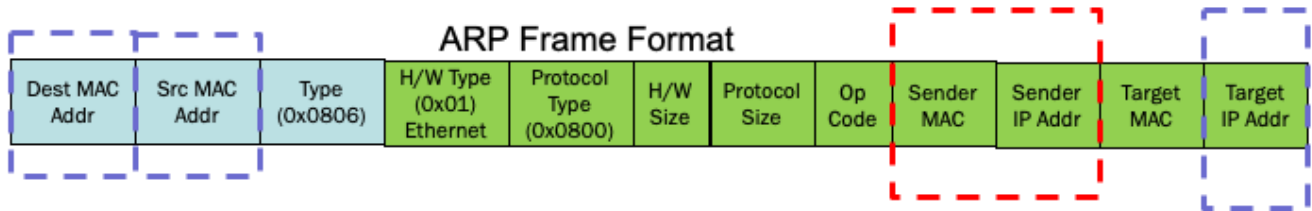
- + Only two commands needed!
 - + Switch(config)# **ip arp inspection vlan <vlan-id>**
 - + Switch(config-if)# **ip arp inspection trust**

DAI – Configuration of Static Entries

- + Creating a Static ARP ACL
 - + Switch(config)# **arp access-list** <name>
 - + Switch(config-acl)# **permit ip host** <ip-addr> **mac host** <mac-addr>
- + Applying Static ARP ACL
 - + Switch(config)# **ip arp inspection filter** <arp-acl-name> **vlan** <vlan-id> [**static**]

“static” keyword prevents checking of DHCP Snooping Binding table if ARP ACL doesn’t match (creates implicit “deny”)

DAI – What gets checked?



- + When DAI is enabled, an ARP is considered valid if Sender <MAC, IP, VLAN> triplet is valid
- + Additional Option:
 - + Switch(config)# ip arp inspection validate {[src-mac] [dst-mac] [ip]}

The “ip arp inspection validate” command is useful if you suspect that someone is crafting or forging ARP packets using a packet generator.

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Src-Mac: (Optional) Enables validation of the source MAC address in the Ethernet header against the sender MAC address in the ARP body for ARP requests and responses. The device classifies packets with different MAC addresses as invalid and drops them.

Dst-mac: (Optional) Enables validation of the destination MAC address in the Ethernet header against the target MAC address in the ARP body for ARP responses. The device classifies packets with different MAC addresses as invalid and drops them.

IP: (Optional) Enables validation of the ARP body for invalid and unexpected IP addresses. Addresses include 0.0.0.0, 255.255.255.255, and all IP multicast addresses. The device checks the sender IP addresses in all ARP requests and responses and checks the target IP addresses only in ARP responses.

DAI – Rate Limiting

- + Excessive ARP Requests can be another form of DOS
- + DAI default = Limit ARPs to 15pps
 - + (config-if)# ip arp inspection limit rate <0-2048>
- + Trusted interfaces are not rate-limited (inbound)

Verifying Dynamic ARP Inspection

```
Sw3#sho ip arp inspection
```

```
Source Mac Validation : Disabled  
Destination Mac Validation : Disabled  
IP Address Validation : Disabled
```

Vlan	Configuration	Operation	ACL Match	Static ACL
18	Enabled	Active		

Vlan	ACL Logging	DHCP Logging	Probe Logging
18	Deny	Deny	off

Vlan	Forwarded	Dropped	DHCP Drops	ACL Drops
18	0	0	0	0

Vlan	DHCP Permits	ACL Permits	Probe Permits	Source MAC Failures
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Vlan	Dest MAC Failures	IP Validation Failures	Invalid Protocol Data
18	0	0	0

Verifying Dynamic ARP Inspection

```
Sw3#sho ip arp inspection interfaces fast0/4
```

Interface	Trust State	Rate (pps)	Burst Interval
Fa0/4	Untrusted	15	1



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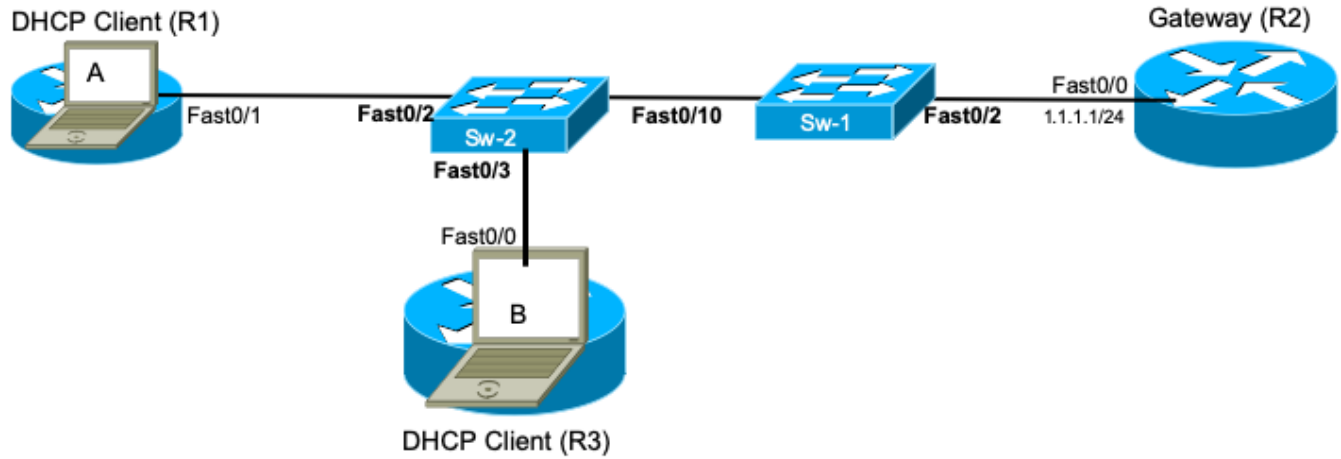
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DAI Demonstration Topology

All Devices In VLAN 123





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Topic Overview

- + Securing Network Devices
- + Management Plane Protection
- + AAA Defined
- + AAA Components
- + Design Guidelines
- + AAA Protocols
- + Sample Configuration

Securing Network Devices

- + Three “planes” should be secured:
 - + Data Plane: Path through which data flows
 - + Control Plane: Path through which devices learn information
 - + Management Plane: Path through which devices are managed (CLI or Web)
- + Management plane protection is critical!
 - + Secure your CLI and Web access to routers, switches, etc
- + Methods of protection
 - + Physical controls
 - + Logical controls

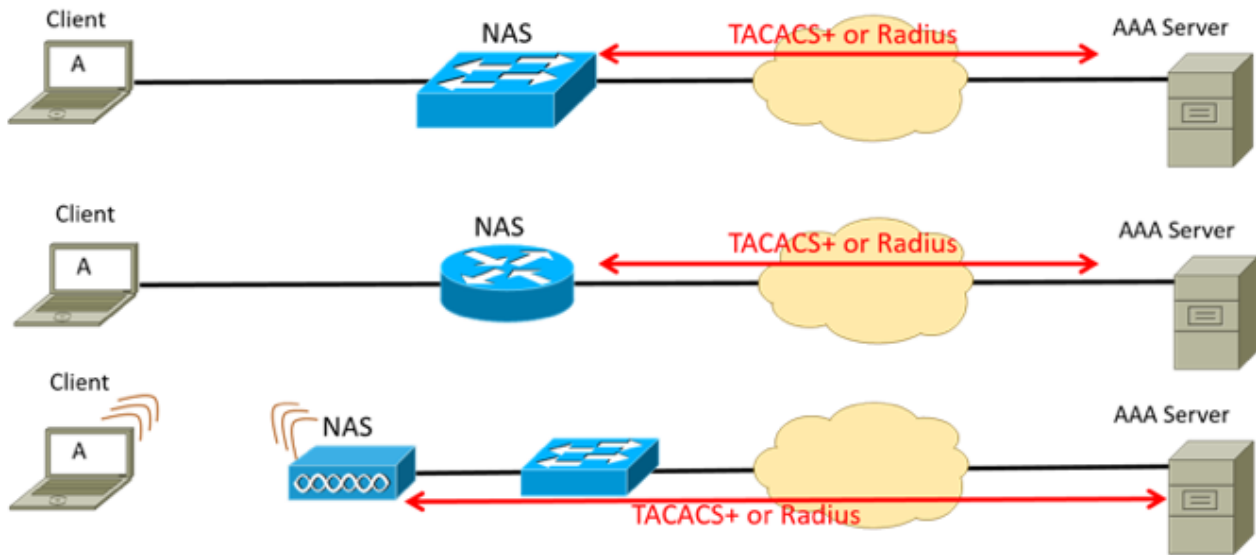
Management Plane Protection

- + **Physical Controls**
 - + Place devices in locked wiring closets/datacenters
 - + Place devices inside locked cages/racks
 - + Use of video surveillance
- + **Logical Controls**
 - + Password protection
 - + Local database
 - + External storage of credentials
 - + CLI Privilege Levels
 - + Restricting Source Addresses

What Is AAA?

- + Authentication, Authorization, & Accounting
- + Client – NAS – Server Architecture
- + Typically used to secure access to Management Plane
 - + Client wants CLI access to network device or...
- + Can also assist in controlling access to the Data Plane
 - + Client wants network access (802.1x)

AAA Components



Authentication

- + Verifying credentials of client
- + Authentication does NOT determine WHAT the client is allowed to do/not do
 - + That is done by Authorization
- + Many different methods to facilitate Authentication
 - + Username/Password
 - + Digital Certificates
 - + MAC Address

Authorization

- + Determining privileges of authenticated clients
- + Determines WHAT the client is allowed to do/not do
- + Many different features that can be authorized
 - + Basic network access
 - + CLI availability
 - + VLAN Assignment
 - + Dynamic QoS Policies
 - + Dynamic ACLs

Accounting

- + Gathering of statistics
- + Typically a separate/unique process aside from Authentication/Authorization
- + Information gathered may be:
 - + Identity of users
 - + Type of service(s) delivered
 - + When the service(s) began and ended

Design Guidelines Of AAA

- + Will you need to implement all three components of AAA?
- + Which protocol is best suited for your environment?
 - + Radius?
 - + TACACS+?
- + Implementation on networking devices
 - + Knowledge of CLI or Web-based implementation commands
- + Which server-level application is best for your needs?
 - + Free Radius Implementations?
 - + Cisco Secure ACS?
 - + Cisco ISE?
 - + Others?
- + Will you store user credentials locally on AAA Server?

AAA Protocols: TACACS+

- + Terminal Access Controller Access Control System
- + Protocol designed to carry Authentication, Authorization and Accounting information
 - + **Cisco Proprietary**
 - + **Utilizes TCP port-49**
- + Considers Authentication, Authorization and Accounting as separate processes
 - + i.e. For Authentication, one could use something other than TACACS+ (like Kerberos) and still use TACACS+ for Authorization and Accounting
- + **All packets encrypted between AAA Client and Server**

TACACS really designed to control which specific IOS commands a Network Admin is allowed access to.

AAA Protocols: Radius

- + Remote Authentication Dial In User Service
- + Protocol designed to carry Authentication, Authorization and Accounting information
- + **IETF Standard** Protocol
 - + Originally defined in RFC 2058. Updated multiple times since then
- + Bundles Authentication/Authorization
- + **Carried by UDP** (ports 1812/1813 or 1645/1646)
- + **Only the password is encrypted between AAA Clients and Server**

Carried by UDP port 1812 (Authentication) and 1813 (Accounting)

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Originally was UDP 1645 (Authentication) and 1646 (Accounting).

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Original intent behind radius was to protect the Data Plane. Dialup users had to pass Radius Authentication/Authorization before being granted access to the Data Plane. Although it CAN protect the Management Plane...that is not its forte nor original purpose.

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Generally acknowledged as providing more detailed and comprehensive Accounting support than

Local Database With Server Groups

```
aaa new-model
username Bob password admin
!
radius server Bldg-1
address ipv4 1.1.1.99 auth-port 1645 acct-port 1646
key cisco
!
radius server Bldg-2
address ipv4 1.1.1.100 auth-port 1645 acct-port 1646
key ine
!
aaa group server radius SW-Campus
server name Bldg-1
server name Bldg-2
!
aaa authentication login Campus group SW-Campus local
```

Defining
the
Servers.

Grouping
the
Servers.

In this configuration we've created a named-method list called, "Campus" that calls on all the Radius servers in the group called, "SW-Campus".



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