

ArubaOS 6.4.4.25



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Revision History

The following table provides the revision history of this document.

Table 1: *Revision History*

Revision	Change Description
Revision 01	Initial release.

This ArubaOS release notes includes the following topics:

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- [Regulatory Updates on page 11](#)
- [Resolved Issues on page 12](#)
- [Known Issues and Limitations on page 13](#)
- [Upgrade Procedure on page 45](#)

For the list of terms, refer to the [Glossary](#).

Important Points to Remember

This section describes the important points to remember before you upgrade the controller to this release of ArubaOS.

AirGroup

Support for Wired Users

Starting from ArubaOS 6.4.3.0, AirGroup does not support trusted wired users.

AP Settings Triggering a Radio Restart

If you modify the configuration of an AP, those changes take effect immediately; you do not need to reboot the controller or the AP for the changes to affect the current running configuration. Certain commands, however, automatically force the AP radio to restart.

Table 2: Profile Settings in ArubaOS 6.4.x

Profile	Settings
802.11a/802.11g Radio Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Channel ■ Enable Channel Switch Announcement (CSA) ■ CSA Count ■ High throughput enable (radio) ■ Very high throughput enable (radio) ■ TurboQAM enable ■ Maximum distance (outdoor mesh setting) ■ Transmit EIRP ■ Advertise 802.11h Capabilities ■ Beacon Period/Beacon Regulate ■ Advertise 802.11d Capabilities
Virtual AP Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Virtual AP enable ■ Forward Mode ■ Remote-AP operation
SSID Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ ESSID ■ Encryption ■ Enable Management Frame Protection ■ Require Management Frame Protection ■ Multiple Tx Replay Counters ■ Strict Spectralink Voice Protocol (SVP) ■ Wireless Multimedia (WMM) settings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Wireless Multimedia (WMM) ● Wireless Multimedia U-APSD (WMM-UAPSD) Powersave ● WMM TSPEC Min Inactivity Interval ● Override DSCP mappings for WMM clients ● DSCP mapping for WMM voice AC ● DSCP mapping for WMM video AC ● DSCP mapping for WMM best-effort AC ● DSCP mapping for WMM background AC

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Profile	Settings
High-throughput SSID Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none">High throughput enable (SSID)40 MHz channel usageVery High throughput enable (SSID)80 MHz channel usage (VHT)
802.11r Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Advertise 802.11r Capability802.11r Mobility Domain ID802.11r R1 Key Durationkey-assignment (CLI only)
Hotspot 2.0 Profile	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Advertise Hotspot 2.0 CapabilityRADIUS Chargeable User Identity (RFC4372)RADIUS Location Data (RFC5580)

Supported Browsers

The following browsers are officially supported for use with the Web User Interface (WebUI) in this release:

- Microsoft Internet Explorer 11 on Windows 7 and Windows 8
- Microsoft Edge (Microsoft Edge 38.14393.0.0 and Microsoft EdgeHTML 14.14393) on Windows 10
- Mozilla Firefox 58 or later on Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 10, and macOS
- Apple Safari 9.0 or later on macOS
- Google Chrome 67 or later on Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 10, and macOS

Contacting Support

Table 3: Contact Information

Main Site	arubanetworks.com
Support Site	https://asp.arubanetworks.com/
Airheads Social Forums and Knowledge Base	community.arubanetworks.com

North American Telephone	1-800-943-4526 (Toll Free) 1-408-754-1200
International Telephone	arubanetworks.com/support-services/contact-support/
Software Licensing Site	lms.arubanetworks.com
End-of-life Information	arubanetworks.com/support-services/end-of-life/
Security Incident Response Team	Site: arubanetworks.com/support-services/security-bulletins/ Email: aruba-sirt@hpe.com

There are no new features or enhancements introduced in this release.

This chapter contains the Downloadable Regulatory Table (DRT) file version introduced in this release.

Periodic regulatory changes require modifications to the regulatory channel list supported by an AP. To view a complete list of channels supported by an AP for a specific country domain, access the CLI and execute the **show ap allowed-channels country-code <country-code> ap-type <ap-model>** command.

For a complete list of countries certified with different AP models, refer to the respective DRT release notes at asp.arubanetworks.com.



Contact your local Aruba sales representative about device availability and support for your country.

The following DRT file version is part of this release:

- DRT-1.0_79703

The following issues are resolved in this release:



We have migrated to a new defect tracking tool. Some bugs are listed with the new bug ID, which is prefixed by AOS.

Table 4: Resolved Issues in ArubaOS 6.4.4.25

New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-207998	—	<p>Symptom: The Udbserver process crashed unexpectedly. The fix ensures that the controllers work as expected.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue was observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.5.2.1 or later versions.</p>	Local Database	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.5.2.1

This chapter describes the known issues and limitations identified in ArubaOS 6.4.4.25.



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Limitations in ArubaOS 6.4.4.25

Following are the limitations observed in this release:

Base OS Security

ArubaOS 6.4.4.25 does not support ASCOM device-type while performing device classification.

CLI Updates

- ArubaOS 6.4.4.25 does not support any command that provides the entire list of rogue APs. However, you can download a partial list of rogue APs from **Dashboard > Security** page in the WebUI.
- The **show ap arm status** command output does not display **ARM history** and **ARM status** on 5 GHz radio. The channel changes are visible in the output of **ap debug radio stats** command.
- The **Client Match Restriction timeout (sec)**, **Client Match Sticky client check SNR (dB)**, and **Client Match Sticky Min Signal** parameters under the **show rf arm-profile** command are inconsistent when compared to the corresponding configuration commands.

Controller-Platform

Aruba 7005 controllers do not allow you to specify a source address or interface (for example, the loopback interface). This limitation does not allow the full functionality of unified management or monitoring of a device.

Station Management

The **Spoofed Deauth Blacklist** feature under **Configuration > Wireless > AP Configuration** page, or the **spoofed-deauth-blacklist** command does not allow blacklisting of clients.

Known Issues in ArubaOS 6.4.4.25

Following are the known issues observed in this release:

Table 5: *Known Issues in ArubaOS 6.4.4.25*

New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-81973 AOS-88689	97030 105837	Symptom: Some bridge mode clients are unable to update Roles . Scenario: This issue occurs in a HA setup, when GSM channel object that should be deleted are in REPLICATED state. Therefore, when the client re-connects, the 802.11x authentication is skipped. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.0.3 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.0.3
AOS-86488 AOS-96071	102974 114831	Symptom: The Authentication Manager process crashes for bridge captive portal users. Scenario: This issue is observed when a reauthentication timer expires after the user table is emptied. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.0.3. Workaround: None.	XML API	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.0.3
AOS-93173 AOS-92587 AOS-117911 AOS-122714	110487 111226 141739 147893	Symptom: A client device may run multiple UCC applications such as Lync, X-lite, Cisco soft phone etc., but the Aruba UCC solution supports only one UCC application per client device. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.0.0 or later versions. Workaround: None.	UCC	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.0.0
AOS-95455 AOS-190285	114072	Symptom: Some controllers display an error message, Auth GSM: DEV_ID_CACHE publish failed for mac , as there are no free slots in the dev_id_cache GSM channel. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.2 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.2
AOS-96384 AOS-121104	115215 145811	Symptom: The show ap spectrum channel-metrics ap-name command output always displays the Wi-Fi utility value as 0%. Scenario: This issue occurs when the AP operates on Spectrum Monitor mode. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.2.5 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Spectrum-Infrastructure	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.5

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-96420 AOS-106521	115260 128209	<p>Symptom: When an administrator tries to hard reboot a controller, it fails to reboot with the error message, Not enough space on flash.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs due to a database file corruption. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.3 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: Contact Technical Support to remove the corrupted database file.</p>	Controller-Platforms	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.3
AOS-96856	115817	<p>Symptom: A client witnesses unexpected runtime error in the STM process. The controller displays the stm_sysctl_write_param, 10460, Error opening /proc/sys/dev/wifi0/active_voice_client : No such file or directory error message.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Station Management	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6
AOS-96993	115984	<p>Symptom: The WMS, STM, and Authentication processes running on a controller crash unexpectedly.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.1.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platforms	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.1.0
AOS-97746	116977	<p>Symptom: Radius accounting stop is sent immediately after the accounting start.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a bridge mode user roams from one AP to another AP. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.1.0.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.1.0
AOS-100066	120099	<p>Symptom: The output of the show airgroupservice and show airgroup vlan command is not sorted.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.6.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AirGroup	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6

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AOS-100169 AOS-139770 AOS-137716	120217 169889 167200	Symptom: The console logs and error logs of an AP display the protocol 0000 is buggy, dev eth0 nh= (null) d=ca613052 t=ca613074 message. Scenario: This issue is observed in RAP-155 and AP-324 access points running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0. Workaround: None.	AP-Platform	RAP-155 and AP-324 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.0
AOS-102230	122797	Symptom: On configuring a Pre-Shared Key (PSK) for a High Availability (HA) group profile with a plus character, the controller converts the plus character to a blank space. Scenario: This issue occurs only when a PSK is configured using the WebUI. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.8 or later versions. Workaround: None.	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.8
AOS-102262 AOS-109632	122830 131827	Symptom: The SAPD process in an AP crashes and the AP reboots unexpectedly. Scenario: This issue occurs when the wireless driver unexpectedly generates a frame of size 0. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0. Workaround: None.	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.0
AOS-102766	123400	Symptom: A client associates with an AP but does not communicate with it. Scenario: This issue is observed in AP-215 access points running ArubaOS 6.4.2.6. Workaround: None.	AP-Wireless	AP-215 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6
AOS-102767	123401	Symptom: During AP reprovisioning, the logs indicate that an internal error related to AP regulatory is encountered. Scenario: This issue occurs when the AP is re-provisioned from an older AP group (that may not exist on the controller) to a newer AP group. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.1.0 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AP Regulatory	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6

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AOS-103500 AOS-125747	124275 151661	<p>Symptom: All clients continue to obtain IP addresses from the same VLAN even though a RADIUS server VSA specifies a VLAN pool with multiple VLANs.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a RADIUS server VSA overrides the virtual AP VLANs with a different VLAN pool that is configured with the even assignment type. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: Change the VLAN assignment type from even to hash using the following CLI command: (host) (config) #vlan-name <name> assignment hash</p>	Station Management	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6
AOS-102818	123458	<p>Symptom: A VoIP client receives an IP address from a wrong VLAN.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs under the following scenarios:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ When an AP fails to send LLDP-MED packets after receiving LLDP packets from the VoIP phone. ■ When a client that supports LLDP-MED is connected to the downlink Ethernet port of an AP. <p>This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.3.3.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.3
AOS-103875 AOS-103930	124767 124841	<p>Symptom: Media traffic is not prioritized and call details are not visible for SIP calls on the UCC dashboard.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when large-segmented SIP signaling messages are broken into multiple segments and delivered out of order. This issue is not limited to any specific controller model or ArubaOS release version.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	UCC	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.4
AOS-103946	124863	<p>Symptom: Some controller nodes form a cluster group with VRRP IP and Wi-Fi clients cannot connect to an AP.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the controller's VRRP IP is configured in the cluster group. This issue is observed in all platforms with cluster group-VRRP IP topology, running ArubaOS 6.4.2.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	All AP Platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6

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AOS-103960 AOS-108876 AOS-113674 AOS-116507 AOS-118740 AOS-141191	118740 124878 130917 136646 140035 171854	<p>Symptom: When the show running config command is executed on the controller, the Module AMAPI SNMP trap client is busy. Please try later error message is displayed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when bulk SNMP queries are executed on a controller. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.x, ArubaOS 6.4.3.x, or ArubaOS 6.4.4.x versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	SNMP	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.5
AOS-104987	126176	<p>Symptom: The LLDP requests from multiple clients triggers unnecessary wired authentication requests and the wired authentication requests fail.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when wired authentication is coupled with MAC authentication. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.4 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	LLDP	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.4
AOS-105090 AOS-109214	126328 131316	<p>Symptom: Some clients receive the AMP alert, Device Event: Event Type is Syslog and Syslog Severity >= Critical.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.12 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Logging	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.12
AOS-106712	128457	<p>Symptom: The wlsxMeshNodeEntryChanged trap generated by a controller does not have mesh link reset information.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.1 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	SNMP	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.1
AOS-108888 AOS-147611	130931 180579	<p>Symptom: The Datapath and Authentication processes running on a controller crash after the controller is upgraded.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16

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AOS-108917	130965	<p>Symptom: The controller WebUI defaults the ACL queue priority value to Low even though it is set to High. However, the controller accepts the correct value when configured from the CLI.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs only when the queue priority for an ACL is set to High from the WebUI. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.3 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.3
AOS-108928	130981	<p>Symptom: A controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this as datapath timeout.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the copy command has the \\ characters at the end of the destination folder name. For example, ArubaOS misinterprets the \\ characters in the copy flash: crash.tar ftp: 10.1.1.1.test-user \ArubaOS\ crash.tar command. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platforms	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.0
AOS-109282	131401	<p>Symptom: The RC_ERROR_PEER_DELETE_SA error message is displayed even for successful IKE negotiations.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6
AOS-109655	131857	<p>Symptom: When the ToS value is set to 0 in the user role, the value does not take effect.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.3 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.3
AOS-110012 AOS-121852	132256 146837	<p>Symptom: A JS error is displayed while trying to configure an Override Rule under Configuration > Security > Access Control > Policies tab in the WebUI.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.8 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.8

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AOS-110394	132714	<p>Symptom: When an administrator tries to add a static ARP entry, a controller displays the Cannot add static ARP entry error message. The log file lists the reason for this event as Static ARP: too many entries (ipMapArpStaticEntryAdd).</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs because the static ARP counter continues to increment every time there is a change in the link status. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.4 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.4
AOS-110410	132734	<p>Symptom: Some controllers are unable to block torrent downloads on Bitcomet application using AppRF in ACLs.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	DPI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.0
AOS-112234 AOS-114137	134958 137206	<p>Symptom: The License Server IP cannot be configured under Network > Controller > Centralized License Management > Centralized Licenses tab in the WebUI.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.4 or later versions in a master-standby topology.</p> <p>Workaround: Use the CLI command to configure License Server IP.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.4
AOS-112537 AOS-115030	135317 138269	<p>Symptom: The returned SNMP value for OID wlanAPBssidHTMode does not specify the correct HT channel width for 80 MHz, 80 + 80 MHz, or 160 MHz channels.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.4 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	SNMP	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.4
AOS-112582 AOS-124422	135369 149880	<p>Symptom: The show gsm debug channel user command displays incorrect role information on both UACs for bridge mode users.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6

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AOS-113240 AOS-124191	136147 149596	<p>Symptom: Some APs are unable to discover IPv6 master using DHCPv6 option 60.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.2.15 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.15
AOS-113655 AOS-127753 AOS-128605	136623 154580 155690	<p>Symptom: The status of Spectrum Monitor is active but displays error messages or does not display any content when connected to the Spectrum UI.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs due to a memory leak. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.3.x.x, ArubaOS 6.4.x.x, or ArubaOS 6.5.x.x versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	UI-Spectrum	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.3.0.0
AOS-113955	136987	<p>Symptom: A controller denies traffic after the AppRF ACL appcategory peer-to-peer deny classifies the DNS traffic as thunder.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when users try to connect to the 802.1x SSID SecureTCC with user-role set as wlan-facstaff. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.14 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove any any appcategory peer-to-peer deny from the access-list.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.14
AOS-114057	137108	<p>Symptom: Some users are unable to log in to VIA when they use special characters in the authentication password.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	RADIUS	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.0
AOS-114654 AOS-168680	125154 137800	<p>Symptom: An AP does not acquire a routable IPv6 address by monitoring the RA packets in the network.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the managed flag is set in the RA packet. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.3.7 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.7

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AOS-115062	138305	<p>Symptom: A Remote AP fails to come up on a controller.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the AP uses 4G uplink. This issue is observed in RAP-3WN access points running ArubaOS 6.4.3.7 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	RAP-3G	RAP-3WN access points	ArubaOS 6.4.3.7
AOS-115173	138438	<p>Symptom: The Configuration > BRANCH > Smart Config > Networking page in the WebUI does not provide an option to set the IP address of the user VLAN to dhcp-client.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.6.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.6
AOS-115460 AOS-121750	138776 146701	<p>Symptom: The AP Poe Power Optimization drop-down list under AP Configuration > AP > Provisioning > default settings page cannot be configured.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.5 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.5
AOS-116437	139947	<p>Symptom: Some wired clients that appear on the master through an untrusted tunnel, and have AAA profile applied, record only the inbound traffic.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the packet-capture datapath mac <mac-address> all command is executed and there are no packets that share the same source IP address with the clients. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.5 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.5
AOS-116517	140049	<p>Symptom: An AP takes longer than usual to boot.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when CPsec is enabled on a controller. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.3-FIPS.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	IPsec	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.3-FIPS

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AOS-117064	140721	<p>Symptom: An AP reboots unexpectedly without providing any reboot information.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in AP-103H access points running ArubaOS 6.4.4.4 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	AP-103H access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.4
AOS-117105	140779	<p>Symptom: The SNMP enterprise-specific traps do not contain the enterprise trap OID.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.5 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	SNMP	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.5
AOS-117129	140805	<p>Symptom: The Configuration > BRANCH > Smart config > Routing > DHCP options page of the WebUI does not provide an option to configure multiple DHCP options for a DHCP pool.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.6.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6
AOS-117564	141310	<p>Symptom: The All WLAN Clients tab on the acting master controller does not display any records for the clients that are connected.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs because of the following reasons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ The LMS list is not relayed to apps if the role changes between master and standby controllers. ■ There is no heartbeat activity on the master. <p>This issue is observed in a Master-Standby topology and is not specific to any controller model or ArubaOS release version.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Master-Redundancy	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.4
AOS-117783	141588	<p>Symptom: The IPv6 router advertisements do not get optimized while forwarding to wireless clients.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.3 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	IPv6	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.3

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AOS-117871 AOS-111262 AOS-114809	131777 138008 141686	<p>Symptom: A branch controller does not communicate with a master controller.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs under the following scenarios:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ The NAT Outside option is enabled in the Configuration > BRANCH > Smart Config > Networking page of the WebUI. ■ The IP address of the master controller is different from the public IP address. <p>This issue is observed in branch controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Branch Controller	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.0
AOS-117953	141791	<p>Symptom: Video streaming for GLOP range of multicast addresses fails intermittently on different VLANs in a controller.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6
AOS-117978 AOS-119196	141822 143282	<p>Symptom: The process handling authentication requests crash due to a segmentation fault while sending RADIUS-accounting packets.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when you make the following changes to a AAA profile which is used by a client associated to the WLAN:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Modify the RADIUS accounting server-group assigned in the AAA profile to a different server-group. ■ Enable multiple-server-accounting which is originally disabled in the AAA profile. <p>This issue is not limited to any specific controller model or ArubaOS release version.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	RADIUS	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.12
AOS-118437 AOS-128068	142395 154990	<p>Symptom: The output of the show boot history command displays incorrect user information in the Reboot Cause message. However, the correct information is logged in the Controller Reboot initiated message before the reload.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs because the controller incorrectly uses the current user information who have logged in and executed the show boot history command for the Reboot Cause message. This issue is not limited to any specific controller model or ArubaOS release version.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.7

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-118533	142514	<p>Symptom: Some clients are unable to set IPv6 unique local address (ULA) as next-hop in static route.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the kernel does not allow the addition of IPv6 ULA as nexthop in static route. This issue is observed in 7005 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	IPv6	7005 controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.4.6
AOS-118623	142617	<p>Symptom: An AP continues to reboot with the reason, Rebooting after provisioning.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when an AP is provisioned with the master clear option and applied to the AP group. This results in the AP to reboot in a loop. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.6
AOS-118682	142678	<p>Symptom: Adding an NTP server to a controller causes the Remote APs to reconnect without notification and cannot recover many Instant AP VPNs.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the NTP server tries to correct the time difference in the controller. This issue is not limited to any specific controller model or ArubaOS release version.</p> <p>Workaround: Reboot the controller after configuring the NTP server.</p>	IPsec	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.13
AOS-118938	142975	<p>Symptom: An AP stops forwarding traffic until it is rebooted.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs in one of the following scenarios:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ When virtual APs in tunnel mode and bridge mode are configured on the same AP. ■ When a tunnel mode virtual AP and a bridge mode wired AP are configured on the same AP. <p>This issue is not limited to any specific AP model or ArubaOS release version.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure different VLANs for the Virtual AP or Wired AP in tunnel mode and bridge mode.</p>	AP Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.6

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AOS-119425	143566	<p>Symptom: A controller displays the Module authentication is busy. Please try later error when the show reference user-role <role-name> command is executed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when more than 212 entries exist for a given role in user derivation-rules or server-group derivation rules. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.16 in a master-local deployment.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Configuration	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.16
AOS-119819 AOS-125276	144039 150966	<p>Symptom: The Datapath process in a controller crashes unexpectedly.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a reputation-based deny ACL rule is configured and random URLs falling in the specific reputation range are sent to a controller. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.6.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.6
AOS-121097	145803	<p>Symptom: A controller does not generate wlsxNConnectionBackfromLocal trap although the trap is enabled.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a local controller is reloaded and the master controller does not generate the wlsxNConnectionBackfromLocal trap. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	SNMP	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.6
AOS-121851	146836	<p>Symptom: While trying to apply the reordered policies for a new user role in the WebUI, the following error message is displayed: Position 1 and 2 are reserved for Global and Role default session.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the Apply button is clicked after reordering the policies for a new role. This issue is not limited to any specific controller model or ArubaOS release version.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.8
AOS-121917	146924	<p>Symptom: The WIPS wizard does not load in a controller.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.9-FIPS version.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.9-FIPS

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AOS-122200	147300	Symptom: A controller fails to respond and reboots. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.6 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Station Management	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6
AOS-122358 AOS-133091 AOS-140866 AOS-174935 AOS-175072 AOS-175903 AOS-176731	147483 161501 162368 163249 167972 171427 171581	Symptom: Multiple radio resets are observed on the g radio operating in AP and AM modes. Scenario: This issue occurs when scanning is enabled. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.5.0.0
AOS-122430 AOS-131021	147563 158837	Symptom: An AP shuts down unexpectedly and its power LED glows solid red. Scenario: This issue is observed in PoE enabled AP-325 access points connected to controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.8 or later versions. Workaround: None.	BLE	AP-325 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.8
AOS-122794 AOS-131224 AOS-142597	147978 159105 173634	Symptom: An AP crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Reboot caused by kernel panic: Rebooting the AP because of FW ASSERT. Scenario: This issue occurs when the traffic from the AP is stopped and re-sent immediately. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.21. Workaround: None.	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.21
AOS-123180 AOS-123885	148416 149211	Symptom: The STM process crashes due to memory corruption. Scenario: This issue occurs when there is an increase in the number of user roles. This results in the role bandwidth message not fitting into one PAPI message. This issue is observed in 7210 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.4 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AP-Platform	7210 controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.3.4
AOS-123307	148557	Symptom: Some clients observe a sudden increase in the number of DHCPv6 or Multicast messages from the APs. Scenario: This issue is observed in 7220 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AP-Platform	7220 controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9

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AOS-123661 AOS-128320 AOS-129313	148977 155343 156514	<p>Symptom: A branch office controller randomly loses configuration updates from the master controller.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs after a new license is sent from the master controller to the branch office controller. Thereafter, license-dependent configuration updates are not sent to the branch office controller. This issue is observed in branch office controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.8 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Licensing	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.8
AOS-123701 AOS-139189	149019 169133	<p>Symptom: The USER_INFO AMON message does not populate the IPv4 and IPv6 addresses even though the DHCP event is successful.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.21.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.21
AOS-124189	149594	<p>Symptom: The AMON_USER_INFO_MESSAGE message does not contain the user-agent information, whereas the SNMP user information has the user-agent information.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in a master-local topology when AMON is selected over SNMP in AirWave. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.9 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: Choose SNMP in AirWave.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.9
AOS-124722	150245	<p>Symptom: The show user essid command fails to execute.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the ESSID contains one or more space characters. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.9.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.9
AOS-125100	150693	<p>Symptom: The datapath route cache entry is not cleared when an L3 GRE tunnel is closed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs after a channel change is triggered on the APs due to radar detection. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.9.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	OSPF	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.9

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AOS-125432 AOS-128114 AOS-129538 AOS-132345 AOS-174959	151188 155048 156819 160570 162510	Symptom: An AP reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as FW ASSERT at _tx_send_setup_ppdu_params . Scenario: This issue occurs in 320 Series access points running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AP-Wireless	320 Series access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9
AOS-125587	151416	Symptom: One of the FIPS KATs fails on booting up a controller. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.21-FIPS or later versions. Workaround: None.	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.21-FIPS
AOS-125925	151995	Symptom: An AP crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Reboot caused by kernel panic: Fatal exception . Scenario: This issue occurs due to high CPU and memory utilization. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.8. Workaround: None.	Wi-Fi Driver	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.8
AOS-126172 AOS-126208	152369 152427	Symptom: An AP stops responding and reboots. The log file lists the reason for this event as soft lockup - CPU#0 stuck . Scenario: This issue occurs due to a race condition between the virtual AP initialization and the LLDP PoE message. When the wireless driver of the AP tries to enable the virtual AP, it turns off the radio. This results in a soft lock. This issue is observed in 200 Series, 210 Series, 220 Series, and 270 Series access points running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AP-Platform	200 Series, 210 Series, 220 Series, and 270 Series access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9
AOS-126320 AOS-127713	152602 154513	Symptom: A master controller fails to delete the stale route entries of the branch office controller. When the entry is deleted manually, the controller displays the error, ERROR: Cannot Delete Static Route . Scenario: This issue occurs when the VLAN IP address of the branch office controller is changed and an updated CSV file (static IP address template) is uploaded on the master controller. This triggers the branch office controller to reboot, but fails to delete the stale route entries. This issue is observed in a master-branch office controller deployment with controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.8 or later versions. Workaround: None.	BOC	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.8

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AOS-126336 AOS-142989	152627 174134	<p>Symptom: Multiple APs crash and reboot unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Kernel panic - not syncing: Rebooting the AP because of FW ASSERT.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the AP switches the spatial stream based on the client capabilities while transmitting or receiving data. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-126364	152672	<p>Symptom: An AP generates multiple asap_voip_log: netif_rx to stm failed with ret : 1 messages.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the AP generates unwanted log messages. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.10 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	UCC	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.10
AOS-126401 AOS-127493	152740 154234	<p>Symptom: An increase in the memory consumption of the authentication process is observed when 802.11r clients are connected to the network.</p> <p>Scenario: The neighbor list entry associated with the roaming user is not released when the user entry times out or is deleted. This results in a memory leak of the authentication process in the controller. This issue is observed in 7220 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.10 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	7220 controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.3.10
AOS-126710 AOS-126711	153216 153217	<p>Symptom: Multiple processes running on a controller terminate unexpectedly.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a AAA server responds with more than one RADIUS state attributes in the RADIUS packets. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.3.x.x, ArubaOS 6.4.x.x, or ArubaOS 6.5.x.x versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6
AOS-126884	153463	<p>Symptom: The AP channel utilization graph shows multiple breaks and is incomplete.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.10 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.10

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AOS-126926 AOS-128694	153520 155788	<p>Symptom: The RF test for antenna connectivity with an AP always displays average SNR and success rate as either 0% or 9%.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	RF Troubleshooting	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9
AOS-127121 AOS-133318	153748 161770	<p>Symptom: Mesh point does not connect with the correct mesh profile but uses recovery profile to connect instead.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a mesh point roams to a portal on a different subnet. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Mesh	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.7
AOS-127177	153824	<p>Symptom: A controller fails to pass traffic when static IPsec routing with IP-to-IP IPsec tunnel is enabled.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the route cache entry is installed with the wrong flag. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.10 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	IPsec	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.10
AOS-127353	154045	<p>Symptom: Some APs keep sending the error message, mini_httpd [806]: main: 1349: no more children available to the controller syslog. This affects the control plane operations.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a Wi-Fi client is disconnected from the AP while generating many HTTPS redirect requests. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.2.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.6
AOS-127541 AOS-130229	154291 157755	<p>Symptom: Although the user completes captive portal authentication and the appropriate role is set in the user table, the web auth disabled message is displayed when the user tries to login again.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the user logs in again, and MAC authentication fails. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.3.1.23.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.3.1.23

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AOS-127792 AOS-128115 AOS-134323	154628 155049 163007	Symptom: A controller incorrectly displays high memory utilization on the Dashboard > Controllers > Gauges page of the WebUI. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.7 or later versions. Workaround: None.	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.5.1.0
AOS-128201	155190	Symptom: A controller does not identify certain models of HPE DAC cables of 1 m, 3 m, or 7 m; for example, J9281B, J9285B, or J9536A. Scenario: This issue is observed in 7200 Series controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.9 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Controller-Platform	7200 Series controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.3.9
AOS-128309	155332	Symptom: A mismatch in the number of APs in Down status is observed between the Monitoring > Network Summary page and the Monitoring > All Access Points page of the WebUI. Scenario: This issue occurs when an AP loses connectivity after it is changed from AP mode to AM mode. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.11 or later versions. Workaround: None.	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.11
AOS-128377	155419	Symptom: A controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this issue as Nanny rebooted machine - fpapps process failed . Scenario: This issue is caused by a memory leak that occurs due to a certificate mismatch when APs try to establish a tunnel. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.6 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6
AOS-128591	155672	Symptom: When the snmpwalk command is executed, the output does not reflect the configured Link Aggregation Identifier. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions. Workaround: None.	SNMP	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9

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AOS-128600	155685	<p>Symptom: A master controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Nanny rebooted machine - fpapps process died (Intent:cause:register 34:86:50:2) and crashed on fpapps module.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the show datapath session dpi counters command is executed. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.7 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.7
AOS-128792	155894	<p>Symptom: The VRRP state changes although heartbeats are not missed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a standby controller inadvertently transitions to master state because the master controller delays the processing of VRRP advertisements. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 in a master-local topology.</p> <p>Workaround: The suggested workarounds are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Disable debug logs and syslog server. ■ Increase the advertisement interval. <p>New Duplicates: AOS-127789, AOS-128621, AOS-129208, AOS-130788, AOS-133333, AOS-140532, AOS-141083, AOS-142791, AOS-148054, AOS-208162</p> <p>Old Duplicates: 154625, 155709, 156383, 158536, 161789, 170955, 171717, 173885, 181227</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-129001	156124	<p>Symptom: The VIA-VPN MOBIKE session establishment and termination generates negative values for user license usage.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.10 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.10
AOS-129609	156908	<p>Symptom: An AP crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Kernel panic - not syncing: softlockup: hung tasks.</p> <p>Scenario: The issue occurs because the frames with sequence number 0 are inserted in the incorrect position. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.3.7 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.7

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AOS-129902 AOS-140304	157301 170652	<p>Symptom: Some APs reboot unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Rebooting the AP because of FW ASSERT.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a backup LMS is configured as a new LMS. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-129929	157363	<p>Symptom: An AP shuts down unexpectedly and its power LED glows solid red.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in POE enabled AP-325 access points connected to a controller running ArubaOS 6.4.4.8 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	AP-325 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.8
AOS-129930 AOS-150476	157364 184431	<p>Symptom: Some APs display the error message, Error opening /proc/sys/dev/wifi0/nchannel, after booting up for the first time.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the backup SSID tries to initialize the radio parameters when a new AP is booted up for the first time. This issue is observed in 200 Series access points running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	200 Series access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9
AOS-130226	157752	<p>Symptom: Viber application traffic is not denied by AppRF as expected.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a Viber call is initiated from one of the clients from an external network. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.10 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.10
AOS-130444	158057	<p>Symptom: The log file in a controller displays the Unexpected fatal Configuration error messages although there is no functionality impact.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.7 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Configuration	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.7

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AOS-130790	158538	<p>Symptom: A controller reboots continuously after upgrading from ArubaOS 6.3.x.x version to ArubaOS 6.4.x.x version. The log file lists the reason for this event as Nanny rebooted machine - fpapps process died.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs due to an upgrade failure. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.12 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.12
AOS-130801	158550	<p>Symptom: A user is unable to add RAP whitelist with special characters in the full name field in the Configuration > AP Installation > Whitelist WebUI page.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.7 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.7
AOS-130805	158554	<p>Symptom: When the bcmc-optimization allow-unknown-unicast parameter is enabled, a controller floods unknown unicast packets.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.5 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	GRE	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.5
AOS-130820	158576	<p>Symptom: The word Interference is misspelled in the Dashboard mouse-over help for the Channel Utilization graph listed under the Radios table in the WebUI.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	WebUI	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9
AOS-130932 AOS-130933	158719 158720	<p>Symptom: A controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Reboot Cause: Datapath timeout (Intent:cause:register 56:86:50:2).</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when two Ethernet ports of an AP are plugged into a switch which leads to a loop and datapath spike in the controller. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-131044 AOS-131815	158871 159851	Symptom: A controller reboots due to datapath crash. Scenario: This issue occurs due to a race condition. This issue is observed in 7240 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Controller-Datapath	7240 controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.4.0
AOS-131555 AOS-133514	159493 162023	Symptom: Multiple controllers reboot unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as datapath timeout . Scenario: This issue occurs due to corrupt data entries in mobility multicast group table. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.12 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.12
AOS-131586	159544	Symptom: Some controllers display the error message, Unexpected UCC runtime error at ucm_call_statistics_msg, 879, ucm-record lookup failed . Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.12 or later versions. Workaround: None.	UCC	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.12
AOS-131587	159547	Symptom: Some controllers display the error message, mDNS proxy runtime error at mdns_send_packet_pseudo_mcast 548 bad buff_len! 0 . Scenario: This issue occurs when an mdns packet is sent from another controller and the source cluster IP in the mDNS database cannot be found. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.12 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AirGroup	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.12
AOS-131800 AOS-136100	159833 165229	Symptom: A user cannot enable or disable OSPF on a GRE tunnel interface. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.4 or later versions. Workaround: None.	OSPF	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.4

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-132155 AOS-142599	160323 173637	<p>Symptom: Some APs crash and reboot unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Kernel panic - not syncing: Fatal exception.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in 320 Series access points running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Wireless	320 Series access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-132315 AOS-130156 AOS-132374 AOS-146498	157662 160524 160615 178808	<p>Symptom: The Datapath process crashes on a controller that acts as a standby controller.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs due to corrupt data packets. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.5.0.3
AOS-133436 AOS-147369	161922 180193	<p>Symptom: Some AirGroup clients are unable to discover servers consistently.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs as the controller keeps caching multiple entries of TXT records for wired AirGroup servers. This issue is observed on controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AirGroup	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.5.1.4
AOS-133788 AOS-136900	162359 166229	<p>Symptom: Some Instant AP clients that terminate on a controller are unable to pass traffic. Hence, clients are not assigned the required Instant AP user role.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a custom AAA wired profile is applied on the port where the Instant AP is terminated. This issue is observed in 7240 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.11 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: Apply the default AAA wired profile on the port.</p>	Remote AP	7240 controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.4.11
AOS-134947 AOS-137794 AOS-174465	159791 163802 167305	<p>Symptom: An AP crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Reboot Time and Cause: Reboot caused by kernel panic: Fatal exception in interrupt.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the IPsec tunnel is terminated while passing traffic. This issue is observed in AP-215 access points running ArubaOS 6.4.3.6 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	VPN	AP-215 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-135483 AOS-145176	164476 177025	<p>Symptom: The show datapath session dpi command output indicates that the non-FTP sessions are incorrectly classified as FTP sessions.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when DPI is enabled on controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.14 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.14
AOS-136453	165669	<p>Symptom: A controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Reboot Cause: Datapath timeout (Intent:cause:register 56:86:0:2c).</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.6 version.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6
AOS-136651	165908	<p>Symptom: The kernel process in a controller crashes and the controller reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as control processor kernel panic.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.5 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p> <p>New Duplicates: AOS-140008, AOS-140614, AOS-142405, AOS-143136, AOS-143172, AOS-143582, AOS-143656, AOS-145264, AOS-145491, AOS-145643, AOS-146130, AOS-147592, AOS-147717, AOS-148015, AOS-149849, AOS-151349, AOS-152349, AOS-152535, AOS-152641, AOS-153358, AOS-156569, AOS-156881, AOS-158026, AOS-182050, AOS-183067, AOS-185346, AOS-185700</p> <p>Old Duplicates: 170224, 171074, 173372, 174322, 174370, 174917, 175009, 177151, 177457, 177662, 178307, 180558, 180741, 181173, 183588, 185596, 186993, 187232, 187418, 188367, 192790, 193202, 194859</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.5
AOS-137637 AOS-145111 AOS-150659	167111 176946 184674	<p>Symptom: A few clients are unable to pass traffic although they receive the IP address from the correct VLAN.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the netdestination configurations are updated. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-138608	168363	Symptom: A few clients experience packet loss due to high datapath utilization in the CPU. Scenario: This issue is observed in 7240 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.3.6. Workaround: None.	Controller-Datapath	7240 controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.3.6
AOS-138799	168587	Symptom: An AP shows incorrect High Availability (HA) information and clients lose connectivity. Scenario: This issue occurs during HA failover when an AP does not receive a failover response from the standby controller. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions. Workaround: Reboot the AP.	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9
AOS-138801 AOS-153250	168590 188228	Symptom: Some controllers unexpectedly display many error messages, when an unsupported AP tries to connect to the controller. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.21. Workaround: None.	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.21
AOS-138831	168634	Symptom: A controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Datapath timeout (SOS Assert) (Intent:cause:register 54:86:50:2) . Scenario: This issue occurs after a controller is upgraded. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.15. Workaround: None.	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.15
AOS-138850 AOS-139737	168654 169843	Symptom: The show datapath session table command does not display the CPU ID. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.21. Workaround: None.	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.21
AOS-138942 AOS-145229 AOS-146400	168795 177092 178670	Symptom: A WebCC URL cloud lookup in a controller fails. The log file lists the reason for the event as <ERRS> web_cc web_cc_callback: URL lookup failed . Scenario: This issue occurs when WebCC is enabled on controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions. Workaround: None.	WebCC	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-139079 AOS-139912 AOS-142606 AOS-143176 AOS-143647 AOS-152516	168984 170072 173647 174375 174998 187213	Symptom: A controller fails to update the syslog server. Scenario: This issue occurs because the syslog file becomes huge due to excess and incorrect logging from the controller. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.13 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.13
AOS-139604	169664	Symptom: A controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Datapath timeout (Intent:cause:register 56:86:50) . Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.2.16 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.2.16
AOS-139671	169749	Symptom: Some clients are unable to connect to 5 GHz radio on some APs. Scenario: This issue occurs because radio 0 does not transmit traffic. This issue is observed in AP-325 access points running ArubaOS 6.4.4.13 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AP-Wireless	AP-325 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.13
AOS-135373 AOS-158456	164342 195462	Symptom: A client does not associate with an AP. The log file lists the reason for this event as Denied; AP Disable Timerange active . Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.10 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Base OS Security	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.10
AOS-140431	170813	Symptom: Some clients fail to associate with an 802.1X SSID after an AP fails over to the LMS from the backup LMS. Scenario: This issue occurs when 802.11r configuration is enabled on the backup LMS but not on the LMS. This issue is not limited to any specific controller model or ArubaOS release version. Workaround: Ensure that the status of the 802.11r configuration is the same, either enabled or disabled, on both LMS and backup LMS.	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-141413 AOS-150894 AOS-157485	172149 184985 194055	<p>Symptom: A controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Reboot Cause: Kernel Panic (Intent:cause:register 12:86:f0:2).</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a DHCP pool is created. This issue is observed in 7200 Series controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None</p>	Controller-Platform	7200 Series controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.4.15
AOS-144515	176105	<p>Symptom: The configuration of an AP is lost and the AP reboots repeatedly.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs due to a missing boot environment configuration. This issue is observed in AP-205 access points running ArubaOS 6.4.3.5.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	AP-205 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.3.5
AOS-144968	176742	<p>Symptom: The 5 GHz Tx power is lower than the maximum EIRP in an AP.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when a user configures the min-tx-power parameter in the rf arm-profile command and issues the show ap bss-table command to view the current EIRP value. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.0
AOS-145006 AOS-147868	176803 180975	<p>Symptom: A controller dashboard does not display RF statistics or displays incomplete RF statistics of some APs.</p> <p>Scenario: This occurs when an AP truncates the client statistics. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-145018 AOS-173732	156127 176815	<p>Symptom: The STM process running in a controller crashes unexpectedly.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurs when the controller is running low on memory. This issue is observed in 6000 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.9 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AirGroup	6000 controllers	ArubaOS 6.4.4.9

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-145463	177420	Symptom: The HTTP Strict Transport Security (HSTS) header is missing in HTTP response. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Web Server	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-146050 AOS-147029 AOS-185609	178182 179612	Symptom: A user experiences intermittent Skype call drops. Scenario: This issue occurs when an AP stops transmitting packets for a few seconds to track power save status. This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions. Workaround: None.	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.5.1.9
AOS-146248 AOS-146886 AOS-147357 AOS-147676 AOS-148060 AOS-150611 AOS-150664 AOS-153393	117846 179319 180173 180667 181235 184615 184679 188406	Symptom: The show memory debug command does not include the memory available column. Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Controller-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-147344 AOS-147667 AOS-147792 AOS-153417	180146 180657 180855 188443	Symptom: Some clients fail RADIUS authentication when termination is enabled on a controller. Scenario: This issue occurs when Linux clients upgrade to Ubuntu 18.0.14 version. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.11 or later versions. Workaround: None.	802.1X	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.11
AOS-148604	181972	Symptom: Some APs are unable to connect to the network on the 5 GHz radio. Scenario: This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.8 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Mesh	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.8
AOS-154853	190321	Symptom: An AP resolves the IP address of an Aeroscout Location Engine server in the reverse direction. Scenario: This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions. Workaround: None.	Air Management - IDS	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-154994 AOS-183903	190518	<p>Symptom: When the client device sends an authentication frame after it is already authenticated, its association status is cleared but an incorrect error message is displayed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.20 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround:</p>	AP-Wireless	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.20
AOS-156027 AOS-157576 AOS-158392 AOS-158580 AOS-182573 AOS-182796 AOS-183467 AOS-183992 AOS-184344 AOS-184510	192034 194197 195377 195607	<p>Symptom: Some APs stop broadcasting on 2.4 GHz radios.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in AP-105 access points connected to 7220 controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.19 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Wireless	AP-105 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.19
AOS-185920 AOS-185921	—	<p>Symptom: A controller crashes and reboots unexpectedly. The log file lists the reason for this event as Nanny Rebooted Machine - fpapps process died and crashed on pubsub, cfgm, syslogdwrap, aaa and nanny module.</p> <p>Scenario: If the CPsec APs keep re-trying to terminate on the controller for which CPsec Whitelist DB entry is not present, or not-approved on the controller, then the memory leak in the ISAKMPD module leads to controller reboot subsequently. This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: Correct the whitelist database entries (corresponding to re-trying CPsec APs) on the controller so that tunnel establishment does not fail for the CPsec APs and memory leak does not happen.</p>	IPsec	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-187036	—	<p>Symptom: An AP is stuck in an upgrade loop and does not come up.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16

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New Bug ID	Old Bug ID	Description	Component	Platform	Reported Version
AOS-187906	—	<p>Symptom: The AP image mismatch logs are classified as debugging logs instead of error logs.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.16 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Platform	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.16
AOS-191675 AOS-208996 AOS-217422	—	<p>Symptom: Some clients experience packet loss, when they attempt to reach the destination with route-cache entry marked as inactive.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.23 or later versions.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.23
AOS-200867 AOS-209142	—	<p>Symptom: Clients trying to connect to AP-325 are unable to connect to dot1x-based SSID.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in APs running ArubaOS 6.4.4.21 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	AP-Wireless	AP-325 access points	ArubaOS 6.4.4.21
AOS-202552	—	<p>Symptom: The Dashboard > Traffic Analysis > AppRF page of the WebUI displays Unknown for WLANs, Roles, and Devices.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue is observed in controllers running ArubaOS 6.4.4.21 or later versions.</p> <p>Workaround: None.</p>	Controller-Datapath	All platforms	ArubaOS 6.4.4.21

This chapter details software upgrade procedures. It is recommend that you schedule a maintenance window for the upgrade.



CAUTION

Read all the information in this chapter before upgrading your controller.

Topics in this chapter include:

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Upgrade Caveats

Before upgrading to this version of ArubaOS, take note of these known upgrade caveats.

- AP LLDP profile is not supported on 120 Series access points in ArubaOS 6.4.x.
- Starting from ArubaOS 6.3.1.0, the local file upgrade option in the 600 Series controller Web UIs have been disabled.
- ArubaOS 6.4.x does not allow you to create redundant firewall rules in a single ACL. ArubaOS will consider a rule redundant if the primary keys are the same. The primary key is made up of the following variables:
 - source IP/alias
 - destination IP/alias
 - proto-port/service

If you are upgrading from ArubaOS 6.1 or earlier and your configuration contains an ACL with redundant firewall rules, upon upgrading, only the last rule will remain.

For example, in the below ACL, both ACE entries could not be configured in ArubaOS 6.4.x. When the second ACE is added, it overwrites the first.

```
(host) (config) #ip access-list session allowall-laptop
(host) (config-sess-allowall-laptop)# any any any permit time-range test_range
(host) (config-sess-allowall-laptop)# any any any deny
(host) (config-sess-allowall-laptop)#end
(host) #show ip access-list allowall-laptop
```

```
ip access-list session allowall-laptop
allowall-laptop
-----
Priority  Source  Destination  Service  Action  TimeRange
-----
1         any    any         any     deny
```

- ArubaOS 6.4.x supports only the newer MIPS controllers (600 Series, 3200XM, 3400, 3600, M3, 7000 Series, and 7200 Series). Legacy PPC controllers (200, 800, 2400, SC1/SC2) are not supported. Do not upgrade to ArubaOS 6.4.x if your deployment contains a mix of MIPS and PPC controllers in a master-local setup.
- When upgrading the software in a multi-controller network (one that uses two or more Aruba controllers), upgrade all the controllers in the proper sequence listed in [Upgrading in a Multi-controller Network on page 49](#).

GRE Tunnel-Type Requirements

This section describes the important points to remember when configuring an L2 GRE tunnel:

- ArubaOS 6.4.4.0 continues to support L2 GRE tunnel type zero, but it is recommended to use a non-zero tunnel type.
- If both L2 and L3 tunnels are configured between endpoint devices, you must use a non-zero tunnel type for L2 GRE tunnels.

Important Points to Remember and Best Practices

To upgrade your controller:

- Schedule the upgrade during a maintenance window and notify your community of the planned upgrade. This prevents users from being surprised by a brief wireless network outage during the upgrade.
- Avoid making any changes to your network, such as configuration changes, hardware upgrades, or changes to the rest of the network during the upgrade. This simplifies troubleshooting.
- Know your network and verify the state of the network by answering the following questions:

- How many APs are assigned to each controller? Verify this information by navigating to the **Monitoring > NETWORK > All Access Points** page in the WebUI, or by executing the **show ap active** or **show ap database** commands.
- How are those APs discovering the controller (DNS, DHCP Option, Broadcast)?
- What version of ArubaOS runs on your controller?
- Are all controller running the same version of ArubaOS?
- What services are used on your controller (employee wireless, guest access, Remote AP, wireless voice)?
- Resolve any existing issues (consistent or intermittent) before you upgrade.
- If possible, use FTP to load ArubaOS images to the controller. FTP is faster than TFTP and offers more resilience over slow links. If you must use TFTP, ensure the TFTP server can send over 30 MB of data.
- If you encounter any issue during the upgrade, you can restore the flash, and switch back to the boot partition. Upgrading the non-boot partition gives you a smoother downgrade path, if required.
- Before you upgrade to this version of ArubaOS, assess your software license requirements and load any new or expanded licenses you may require. For a detailed description of these new license modules, refer to the “Software Licenses” chapter in the *ArubaOS 6.4.x User Guide*.

Memory Requirements

All Aruba controllers store critical configuration data on an onboard compact flash memory module. Ensure that there is always free flash space on the controller. Loading multiple large files such as JPEG images for RF Plan can consume flash space quickly. Following are the best practices for memory management:

- Do not proceed with an upgrade unless 60 MB of free memory is available for an upgrade using the WebUI, or execute the **show memory** command to confirm that there is at least 40 MB of free memory available for an upgrade using the CLI. To recover memory, reboot the controller.
- Do not proceed with an upgrade unless 75 MB of flash space available for an upgrade using the WebUI, or execute the **show storage** command to confirm that there is at least 60 MB of flash space available for an upgrade using the CLI. If the output of the **show storage** command indicates that there is insufficient flash memory, free some used memory. Copy any log files, crash data, or flash backups from your controller to a desired location. Deleted the following files to free some memory:
 - **Crash data:** Execute the **tar crash** command to compress crash files to a file named **crash.tar**. Use the procedures described in [Backing Up Critical Data on page 48](#) to copy the **crash.tar** file to an external server. Execute the **tar clean crash** command to delete the file from the controller.
 - **Flash backups:** Use the procedures described in [Backing Up Critical Data on page 48](#) to back up the flash directory to a file named **flash.tar.gz**. Execute the **tar clean flash** command to delete the file from the controller.
 - **Log files:** Execute the **tar logs** command to compress log files to a file named **logs.tar**. Use the procedures described in [Backing Up Critical Data on page 48](#) to copy the **logs.tar** file to an external server. Execute the **tar clean logs** command to delete the file from the controller.



In certain situations, a reboot or a shutdown could cause the controller to lose the information stored in its flash memory. To avoid such issues, it is recommended that you execute the **halt** command before power cycling.

Backing Up Critical Data

It is important to frequently back up all critical configuration data and files on the compact flash file system to an external server or mass storage device. At the very least, you should include the following files in these frequent backups:

- Configuration data
- WMS database
- Local user database
- Licensing database
- Floor plan JPEGs
- Custom captive portal pages
- X.509 certificates
- Controller Logs

Backing up and Restoring Compact Flash in the WebUI

The WebUI provides the easiest way to back up and restore the entire compact flash file system. The following steps describe how to back up and restore the compact flash file system using the WebUI on the controller:

1. Click **Configuration**.
2. Click **Save Configuration**.
3. Navigate to the **Maintenance > File > Backup Flash** page.
4. Click **Create Backup** to backup the contents of the flash memory to the **flashbackup.tar.gz** file.
5. Click **Copy Backup** to copy the file to an external server.

You can copy the backup file from the external server to the flash memory using the file utility in the **Maintenance > File > Copy Files** page.

6. To restore the backup file to the flash memory, navigate to the **Maintenance > File > Restore Flash** page and click **Restore**.

In the CLI

To restore the backup file to the flash memory, navigate to the:

1. Execute the following command in the **enable** mode.

```
(host) #write memory
```
2. Execute the following command to back up the contents of the flash memory to the **flashbackup.tar.gz** file.

```
(host) #backup flash  
Please wait while we take the flash backup.....  
File flashbackup.tar.gz created successfully on flash.  
Please copy it out of the controller and delete it when done.
```

3. Execute either of the following command to transfer the flash backup file to an external server or storage device.

```
(host) copy flash: flashbackup.tar.gz ftp: <ftphost> <ftpusername> <ftpuserpassword> <remote directory>
(host) copy flash: flashbackup.tar.gz usb: partition <partition-number>
```

You can transfer the flash backup file from the external server or storage device to the flash memory by executing either of the following command:

```
(host) # copy tftp: <tftphost> <filename> flash: flashbackup.tar.gz
(host) # copy usb: partition <partition-number> <filename> flash: flashbackup.tar.gz
```

4. Execute the following command to untar and extract the **flashbackup.tar.gz** file to the flash memory.

```
(host) #restore flash
Please wait while we restore the flash backup.....
Flash restored successfully.
Please reload (reboot) the controller for the new files to take effect.
```

Upgrading in a Multi-controller Network

In a multi-controller network, upgrade your controller based on the controller type (master or local). Back up your controller before upgrading, as described in, [Backing Up Critical Data on page 48](#).



All controllers in the network must be upgraded with the same version of ArubaOS software. Ensure that the controller model is the same for redundant environments such as VRRP.

To upgrade a multi-controller:

1. Load the software ArubaOS image on all controllers (including redundant master controllers).
2. If all the controllers cannot be upgraded and rebooted simultaneously, use the following guidelines:
 - a. Upgrade the software image on all the controllers.
 - b. Reboot the master controller.
 - c. After the master controller reboots, reboot the local controllers simultaneously. Ensure that the master and local controllers are upgraded to the ArubaOS version.

Upgrading ArubaOS 6.4.4.x-FIPS

Before you install ArubaOS-FIPS version on a controller that is currently running a non-FIPS version, perform the following steps.



If you are currently running a ArubaOS-FIPS version on the controller, do not execute the **write erase** command.

1. Download the ArubaOS-FIPS image from the customer support site.

2. Install the ArubaOS-FIPS image on the controller.
3. Execute the **write erase** command to reset the configuration to the factory default.
4. Reboot the controller by executing the **reload** command.

Upgrading ArubaOS

Upgrade ArubaOS using the WebUI or CLI.



CAUTION

Ensure that there is enough free memory and flash space on your controller. For details, see [Memory Requirements on page 47](#).



NOTE

When you navigate to the **Configuration** tab in the WebUI, the controller might display the **Error getting information: command is not supported on this platform** message. This message is displayed when you upgrade using the WebUI and navigate to the **Configuration** tab after the controller reboots. This message disappears after clearing the Web browser cache.

In the WebUI

The following steps describe how to upgrade ArubaOS.

Upgrading From an Older Version of ArubaOS

Before you begin, verify the version of ArubaOS currently running on your controller. If you are running one of the following versions of ArubaOS, you must download and upgrade to an interim version of ArubaOS.



NOTE

When upgrading from an existing ArubaOS 6.4.4.x release, set AMON packet size manually to a desired value. The packet size is increased to 32K by default for fresh installations of ArubaOS 6.4.4.x.

- For controllers running ArubaOS 5.0.x versions earlier than ArubaOS 5.0.3.1, download and install the latest version of ArubaOS 5.0.4.x.
- For controllers running ArubaOS 6.0.0.0 or 6.0.0.1 versions, download and install the latest version of ArubaOS 6.0.1.x.

Follow step 2 to step 11 of the procedure described in [Upgrading ArubaOS on page 50](#) to install the interim version of ArubaOS, and then repeat steps 1 through 11 of the procedure to download and install ArubaOS.

Upgrading From a Recent Version of ArubaOS

The following steps describe the procedure to upgrade from one of these recent ArubaOS versions:

- ArubaOS 3.4.4.1 or later versions of ArubaOS
- ArubaOS 5.0.3.1 or the latest version of ArubaOS 5.0.x
- ArubaOS 6.0.1.0 or later versions of ArubaOS 6.x

Install the ArubaOS software image from a PC or workstation using the WebUI on the controller. You can also install the software image from a TFTP or FTP server using the same WebUI page.

1. Download ArubaOS 6.4.4.25 from the customer support site.
2. Upload the new software image(s) to a PC or workstation on your network.
3. Validate the SHA hash for a software image:
 - a. Download the **Aruba.sha256** file from the download directory.
 - b. To verify the image, load the image onto a Linux system and execute the **sha256sum <filename>** command or use a suitable tool for your operating system that can generate a **SHA256** hash of a file.
 - c. Verify that the output produced by this command matches the hash value found on the support site.



The ArubaOS image file is digitally signed, and is verified using RSA2048 certificates preloaded on the controller at the factory. Therefore, even if you do not manually verify the SHA hash of a software image, the controller will not load a corrupted image.

4. Log in to the ArubaOS WebUI from the PC or workstation.
5. Navigate to the **Maintenance > Controller > Image Management** page.
 - a. Select the **Local File** option.
 - b. Click **Browse** to navigate to the saved image file on your PC or workstation.
6. Select the downloaded image file.
7. Click the nonboot partition from the **Partition to Upgrade** radio button.
8. Click **Yes** in the **Reboot Controller After Upgrade** radio button to automatically reboot after upgrading. Click **No**, if you do not want the controller to reboot immediately.



Note that the upgrade will not take effect until you reboot the controller.

9. Click **Yes** in the **Save Current Configuration Before Reboot** radio button.
10. Click **Upgrade**.

When the software image is uploaded to the controller, a popup window displays the **Changes were written to flash successfully** message.
11. Click **OK**.

If you chose to automatically reboot the controller in step 8, the reboot process starts automatically within a few seconds (unless you cancel it).
12. When the reboot process is complete, log in to the WebUI and navigate to the **Monitoring > NETWORK > All WLAN Controllers** page to verify the upgrade.

When your upgrade is complete, perform the following steps to verify that the controller is functioning as expected.

1. Log in to the WebUI to verify all your controllers are up after the reboot.

2. Navigate to the **Monitoring > NETWORK > Network Summary** page to determine if your APs are up and ready to accept clients. In addition, verify that the number of access points and clients are what you would expect.
3. Verify that the number of access points and clients are what you would expect.
4. Test a different type of client for each access method that you use and in different locations when possible.
5. Complete a backup of all critical configuration data and files on the compact flash file system to an external server or mass storage facility. See [Backing Up Critical Data on page 48](#) for information on creating a backup. If the flash (Provisioning/Backup) image version string shows the letters *rn*, for example, 3.3.2.11-rn-3.0, note those AP names and IP addresses.

Install Using the CLI



Confirm that there is at least 40 MB of free memory and at least 60 MB of flash space available for an upgrade using the CLI. For details, see [Memory Requirements on page 47](#).

Upgrading From an Older Version of ArubaOS

Before you begin, verify the version of ArubaOS currently running on your controller. For more information, see [Upgrading ArubaOS on page 50](#).

Follow steps 2 through 7 of the procedure described in [Upgrading ArubaOS on page 50](#) to install the interim version of ArubaOS, and then repeat steps 1 through 7 of the procedure to download and install ArubaOS 6.4.4.25.

Upgrading From a Recent Version of ArubaOS

The following steps describe the procedure to upgrade from one of these recent versions of:

- ArubaOS 3.4.4.1 or later version of ArubaOS
- ArubaOS 5.0.3.1 or the latest version of ArubaOS 5.0.x
- ArubaOS 6.0.1.0 or later versions of ArubaOS 6.x

To install the ArubaOS software image from a PC or workstation using the CLI on the controller:

1. Download ArubaOS 6.4.4.25 from the customer support site.
2. Open an SSH session on your master (and local) controllers.
3. Execute the **ping** command to verify the network connection from the target controller to the SCP/FTP/TFTP server.

```
(host) # ping <ftphost>
```

or

```
(host) # ping <tftphost>
```

or

```
(host) # ping <scphost>
```

- Execute the **show image version** command to check if the ArubaOS images are loaded on the controller's flash partitions. The partition number appears in the **Partition** row; **0:0** is partition 0, and **0:1** is partition 1. The active boot partition is marked as **Default boot**.

```
(host) #show image version
```

- Execute the **copy** command to load the new image onto the nonboot partition.

```
(host)# copy ftp: <ftphost> <ftpusername> <image filename> system: partition <0|1>
```

or

```
(host)# copy tftp: <tftphost> <image filename> system: partition <0|1>
```

or

```
(host)# copy scp: <scphost> <scpusername> <image filename> system: partition <0|1>
```

or

```
(host)# copy usb: partition <partition-number> <image filename> system: partition <0|1>
```



The USB option is available on the 7010, 7030, and 7200 Series controllers.

- Execute the **show image version** command to verify that the new image is loaded.

```
(host)# show image version
```

- Reboot the controller.

```
(host)# reload
```

- Execute the **show version** command to verify that the upgrade is complete.

```
(host)# show version
```

When your upgrade is complete, perform the following steps to verify that the controller is functioning as expected.

- Log in to the CLI to verify that all your controllers are up after the reboot.
- Execute the **show ap active** command to determine if your APs are up and ready to accept clients.
- Execute the **show ap database** command to verify that the number of access points and clients are what you expected.
- Test a different type of client for each access method that you use and in different locations when possible.
- Complete a backup of all critical configuration data and files on the compact flash file system to an external server or mass storage facility. See [Backing Up Critical Data on page 48](#) for information on creating a backup.

Downgrading ArubaOS

A controller has two partitions, 0 and 1. If the upgrade fails on one of the partitions, you can reboot the controller from the other partition.



If you upgraded from ArubaOS 3.3.x to ArubaOS 5.0, the upgrade script encrypts the internal database. New entries created in ArubaOS 6.4.4.25 are lost after the downgrade (this warning does not apply to upgrades from ArubaOS 3.4.x to ArubaOS 6.1).



If you downgrade to a pre-6.1 configuration that was not previously saved, some parts of your deployment may not work as they previously did. For example, when downgrading from ArubaOS 6.4.4.25 to 5.0.3.2, changes made to WIPS in ArubaOS 6.x prevent the new predefined IDS profile assigned to an AP group from being recognized by the older version of ArubaOS. This unrecognized profile can prevent associated APs from coming up, and can trigger a profile error. These new IDS profiles begin with *ids-transitional* while older IDS profiles do not include *transitional*. If you have encountered this issue, execute the **show profile-errors** and **show ap-group** commands to view the IDS profile associated with the AP group.



When reverting the controller software, use the previous version used on the controller.

Prerequisites

Before you reboot the controller with the pre-upgrade software version, you must perform the following steps:

1. Back up your controller. For details, see [Backing Up Critical Data on page 48](#).
2. Verify that the control plane security is disabled.
3. Set the controller to boot with the previously saved configuration file.
4. Set the controller to boot from the partition that contains the pre-upgrade ArubaOS version.

When you specify a boot partition or copy an image file to a system partition, the controller checks to ensure that the image is compatible with the configuration file. An error message is displayed if the boot parameters are incompatible with the ArubaOS version and configuration files.

5. After switching the boot partition, perform the following steps:
 - Restore pre-upgrade flash backup from the file stored on the controller. Do not restore the ArubaOS flash backup file.
 - Do not import the WMS database.
 - If the RF plan is unchanged, do not import it. If the RF plan was changed before switching the boot partition, the changed RF plan does not appear in the downgraded ArubaOS version.
 - If any new certificates were added in the upgraded ArubaOS version, reinstall these certificates in the downgraded ArubaOS version.

In the WebUI

The following steps describe how to downgrade the ArubaOS version:

1. If the saved pre-upgrade configuration file is on an external FTP/TFTP server, copy the file to the controller by navigating to the **Maintenance > File > Copy Files** page.
 - a. For **Source Selection**, select FTP server or TFTP server, and enter the IP address of the FTP server or TFTP server and the name of the pre-upgrade configuration file.
 - b. For **Destination Selection**, enter a file name (other than default.cfg) for Flash File System.

2. Set the controller to boot with your pre-upgrade configuration file by navigating to the **Maintenance > Controller > Boot Parameters** page.
 - a. Select the saved pre-upgrade configuration file from the **Configuration File** drop-down list.
 - b. Click **Apply**.
3. Determine the partition on which the previous ArubaOS image is stored by navigating to the **Maintenance > Controller > Image Management** page. If there is no previous ArubaOS image stored on the system partition, load it to the backup system partition by performing the following steps:



You cannot load a new image into the active system partition.

- a. Enter the FTP server or TFTP server address and image file name.
 - b. Select the backup system partition.
 - c. Click **Upgrade**.
4. Navigate to the **Maintenance > Controller > Boot Parameters** page.
 - a. Select the system partition that contains the pre-upgrade image file as the boot partition.
 - b. Click **Apply**.
5. Navigate to the **Maintenance > Controller > Reboot Controller** page and click **Continue**.

The controller reboots after the countdown.
6. After the controller reboots, log in to the WebUI and navigating to the **Maintenance > Controller > Image Management** page to verify the ArubaOS version.

In the CLI

The following steps describe how to downgrade the ArubaOS version:

1. If the saved pre-upgrade configuration file is on an external FTP server or TFTP server, use the following command to copy it to the controller:

```
(host) # copy ftp: <ftphost> <ftpusername> <image filename> system: partition 1
```

or

```
(host) # copy tftp: <tftphost> <image filename> system: partition 1
```
2. Set the controller to boot with your pre-upgrade configuration file.

```
(host) # boot config-file <backup configuration filename>
```
3. Execute the **show image version** command to view the partition on which your pre-upgrade ArubaOS image is stored.



You cannot load a new image into the active system partition.

```
(host)# show image version
```

4. Set the backup system partition as the new boot partition.

```
(host) # boot system partition 1
```

5. Reboot the controller.

```
(host) # reload
```

6. When the boot process is complete, verify that the controller is using the correct ArubaOS version.

```
(host) # show image version
```

Before You Call Technical Support

Provide the following information when you call Technical Support:

- The status of installation (new or existing) and recent changes to network, device, or AP configuration. If there was a configuration change, list the exact configuration steps and commands used.
- A detailed network topology including all the devices in the network with the IP addresses and Interface numbers.
- The make and model number of the wireless device and NIC, driver date, version, and configuration of the NIC, and the OS version including any service packs or patches.
- The logs and output of the **show tech-support** command.
- The syslog file at the time of the problem.
- The date and time when the problem first occurred. If the problem is reproducible, list the exact steps taken to re-create the problem.
- Any wired or wireless sniffer traces taken during the time of the problem.
- The device site access information.