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Cisco Aironet 1830 Series Access Points

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Figure 1.
Cisco Aironet 1830 Series

Product overview

Ideal for small and medium-sized networks, the Cisco® Aironet® 1830 Series delivers industry-leading wireless performance with support for the latest Wi-Fi standard, IEEE's new 802.11ac Wave 2 specification, and meets the growing requirements of wireless networks by delivering a better user experience. The 1830 Series extends support to a new generation of Wi-Fi clients, such as smartphones, tablets, and high-performance laptops that have integrated 802.11ac Wave 1 or Wave 2 support.

Features and benefits

With 802.11ac Wave 2, the 1830 Series provides a data rate of up to 867 Mbps on the 5-GHz radio, exceeding the data rates offered by today's high-end 802.11n access points. It also enables a total aggregate dual-radio data rate of up to 1 Gbps, providing the necessary foundation for enterprise and service provider networks to stay ahead of the performance and bandwidth expectations and needs of their wireless users.

Due to its convenience, wireless access is increasingly the preferred form of network connectivity for corporate users. Along with this shift, there is an expectation that wireless should not slow down users' day-to-day work, but should enable a high-performance experience while allowing users to move freely. The 1830 Series delivers industry-leading performance for highly secure and reliable wireless connections and provides a robust mobility experience that includes:

- 802.11ac Wave 2 with 3x3 Multiple-Input Multiple-Output (MIMO) technology with two spatial streams when operating in single-user or multiuser MIMO mode, offering 867-Mbps rates for more capacity and reliability than competing access points.
- Multiuser MIMO (MU-MIMO) allows transmission of data to multiple 802.11ac Wave 2 capable clients simultaneously to improve client experience. Prior to MU-MIMO, 802.11n and 802.11ac Wave 1 access points could transmit data to only one client at a time, typically referred to as single-user MIMO.
- Transmit beamforming technology improves downlink performance to mobile devices, including one- and two-spatial-stream devices on 802.11ac, while improving battery life on mobile devices such as smartphones and tablets.
- Flexible deployment mode through the [Mobility Express Solution](#) is ideal for small to medium-sized deployments that require multiple access points. Easy setup allows the 1830 Series to be deployed on networks without a physical controller.

- Security for remote workers or the micro-office. Any Cisco Aironet or Catalyst access point can function as an OfficeExtend access point (OEAP). With an OEAP, an employee at home or in a temporary micro-office will have access to the corporate SSID and the corporate network without the need to set up a VPN or have any advanced technical know-how.
- Cisco User Defined Network, a feature available in Cisco DNA Center that allows IT to give end users control of their very own wireless network partition on a shared network. End-users can then remotely and securely deploy their devices on this network. Perfect for university dormitories or extended hospital stays, Cisco User Defined Network grants both device security and control, allowing each user to choose who can connect to their network. (Available second half of calendar year 2020.)
- The Wi-Fi 6 readiness dashboard, a new dashboard in the Assurance menu of Cisco DNA Center. It will look through the inventory of all devices on the network and verify device, software, and client compatibility with the new Wi-Fi 6 standard. After upgrading, advanced wireless analytics will indicate performance and capacity gains as a result of the Wi-Fi 6 deployment. This is an incredible tool that will help your team define where and how the wireless network should be upgraded. It will also give you insights into the access point distribution by protocol (802.11 ac/n/abg), wireless airtime efficiency by protocol, and granular performance metrics.

All of these features help ensure the best possible end-user experience on the wireless network.

Product specifications

Table 1. Product specifications

Feature	Specifications
Software	Cisco Unified Wireless Network Software Release with AireOS wireless controllers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8.1.121.0 or later for the Cisco Aironet 1830 Series Access Points
Deployment modes	Centralized, standalone, sniffer,** Cisco FlexConnect®, monitor,** OfficeExtend,** mesh**
Supported wireless LAN controllers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cisco 2500 Series Wireless Controllers, Cisco 3500 Series Wireless Controllers, Cisco Wireless Controller Module for ISR G2, Cisco Wireless Services Module 2 (WiSM2) for Cisco Catalyst® 6500 Series Switches, Cisco 5500 Series Wireless Controllers, Cisco Flex® 7500 Series Wireless Controllers, Cisco 8500 Series Wireless Controllers, Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controllers, Cisco 5760 Wireless LAN Controller, ** Cisco Catalyst 3650 and 3850 Series Switches with integrated controller** • Cisco Mobility Express
802.11n version 2.0 (and related) capabilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3x3 MIMO with two spatial streams • Maximal Ratio Combining (MRC) • 20- and 40-MHz channels • PHY data rates up to 300 Mbps (40 MHz with 5 GHz) • Packet aggregation: A-MPDU (Tx/Rx), A-MSDU (Tx/Rx) • 802.11 Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) • Cyclic Shift Diversity (CSD) support

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802.11ac Wave 1 and 2 capabilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3x3 MIMO with two spatial streams, single-user or multiuser MIMO • MRC • 802.11ac beamforming (transmit beamforming) • 20-, 40-, and 80-MHz channels • PHY data rates up to 867 Mbps (80 MHz in 5 GHz) • Packet aggregation: A-MPDU (Tx/Rx), A-MSDU (Tx/Rx) • 802.11 DFS • CSD support 																																													
Data rates supported	<p>802.11a: 6, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, and 54 Mbps</p> <p>802.11g: 1, 2, 5.5, 6, 9, 11, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, and 54 Mbps</p> <p>802.11n data rates on 2.4 GHz (only 20 MHz and MCS 0 to MCS 23) and 5 GHz:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; text-align: center;"> <thead> <tr style="background-color: #cccccc;"> <th style="text-align: left;">MCS index¹</th> <th>GI² = 800 ns</th> <th>GI = 800 ns</th> <th>GI = 400 ns</th> <th>GI = 400 ns</th> </tr> <tr style="background-color: #cccccc;"> <th></th> <th>20-MHz rate (Mbps)</th> <th>40-MHz rate (Mbps)</th> <th>20-MHz rate (Mbps)</th> <th>40-MHz rate (Mbps)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>0</td><td>6.5</td><td>13.5</td><td>7.2</td><td>15</td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>13</td><td>27</td><td>14.4</td><td>30</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>19.5</td><td>40.5</td><td>21.7</td><td>45</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>26</td><td>54</td><td>28.9</td><td>60</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>39</td><td>81</td><td>43.3</td><td>90</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>52</td><td>108</td><td>57.8</td><td>120</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>58.5</td><td>121.5</td><td>65</td><td>135</td></tr> </tbody> </table>	MCS index ¹	GI ² = 800 ns	GI = 800 ns	GI = 400 ns	GI = 400 ns		20-MHz rate (Mbps)	40-MHz rate (Mbps)	20-MHz rate (Mbps)	40-MHz rate (Mbps)	0	6.5	13.5	7.2	15	1	13	27	14.4	30	2	19.5	40.5	21.7	45	3	26	54	28.9	60	4	39	81	43.3	90	5	52	108	57.8	120	6	58.5	121.5	65	135
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¹ MCS Index: The Modulation and Coding Scheme (MCS) index determines the number of spatial streams, the modulation, the coding rate, and data rate values.

² GI: A Guard Interval (GI) between symbols helps receivers overcome the effects of multipath delay spreads.

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Data rates supported	MCS index ¹		GI ² = 800 ns		GI = 800 ns		GI = 400 ns		GI = 400 ns							
			20-MHz rate (Mbps)		40-MHz rate (Mbps)		20-MHz rate (Mbps)		40-MHz rate (Mbps)							
	7		65		135		72.2		150							
	8		13		27		14.4		30							
	9		26		54		28.9		60							
	10		39		81		43.3		90							
	11		52		108		57.8		120							
	12		78		162		86.7		180							
	13		104		216		115.6		240							
	14		117		243		130		270							
	15		130		270		144.4		300							
	802.11ac data rates (5 GHz):															
	MCS index			Spatial streams		GI = 800 ns			GI = 400 ns							
				20-MHz rate (Mbps)		40-MHz rate (Mbps)		80-MHz rate (Mbps)		20-MHz rate (Mbps)		40-MHz rate (Mbps)		80-MHz rate (Mbps)		
	0			1		6.5		13.5		29.3		7.2		15		32.5
1			1		13		27		58.5		14.4		30		65	
2			1		19.5		40.5		87.8		21.7		45		97.5	
3			1		26		54		117		28.9		60		130	
4			1		39		81		175.5		43.3		90		195	
5			1		52		108		234		57.8		120		260	
6			1		58.5		121.5		263.3		65		135		292.5	
7			1		65		135		292.5		72.2		150		325	
8			1		78		162		351		86.7		180		390	

Feature	Specifications							
	MCS index		Spatial streams		GI = 800 ns		GI = 400 ns	
			20-MHz rate (Mbps)	40-MHz rate (Mbps)	80-MHz rate (Mbps)	20-MHz rate (Mbps)	40-MHz rate (Mbps)	80-MHz rate (Mbps)
	9	1	-	180	390	-	200	433.3
	0	2	13	27	58.5	14.4	30	65
	1	2	26	54	117	28.9	60	130
	2	2	39	81	175.5	43.3	90	195
	3	2	52	108	234	57.8	120	260
	4	2	78	162	351	86.7	180	390
	5	2	104	216	468	115.6	240	520
	6	2	117	243	526.5	130	270	585
	7	2	130	270	585	144.4	300	650
	8	2	156	324	702	173.3	360	780
9	2	-	360	780	-	400	866.7	
Maximum number of nonoverlapping channels	A (A regulatory domain): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.462 GHz; 11 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.500 to 5.700 GHz; 8 channels (excludes 5.600 to 5.640 GHz) • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels B (B regulatory domain): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.462 GHz; 11 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.500 to 5.720 GHz; 12 channels • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels C (C regulatory domain): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels D (D regulatory domain): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.462 GHz; 11 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels 				K (K regulatory domain): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.500 to 5.620 GHz; 7 channels • 5.745 to 5.805 GHz; 4 channels N (N regulatory domain): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.462 GHz; 11 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels Q (Q regulatory domain): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.500 to 5.700 GHz; 11 channels R (R regulatory domain): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.660 to 5,805 GHz; 7 channels 			

Feature	Specifications	
	<p>E (E regulatory domain):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.500 to 5.700 GHz; 8 channels (excludes 5.600 to 5.640 GHz) <p>F (F regulatory domain):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.250 to 5.350 GHz; 4 channels • 5.725 to 5.825 GHz; 4 channels <p>H (H regulatory domain):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.150 to 5.350 GHz; 8 channels • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels <p>I (I regulatory domain):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels 	<p>S (S regulatory domain):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 13 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.500 to 5.700 GHz; 11 channels • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels <p>T (T regulatory domain):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.462 GHz; 11 channels • 5.280 to 5.320 GHz; 3 channels • 5.500 to 5.700 GHz; 8 channels (excludes 5.600 to 5.640 GHz) • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels <p>Z (Z regulatory domain):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.412 to 2.462 GHz; 11 channels • 5.180 to 5.320 GHz; 8 channels • 5.500 to 5.700 GHz; 8 channels (excludes 5.600 to 5.640 GHz) • 5.745 to 5.825 GHz; 5 channels

Note: Customers are responsible for verifying approval for use in their individual countries. To verify approval that corresponds to a particular country, visit <https://www.cisco.com/go/aironet/compliance>.

Maximum number of nonoverlapping channels	<p>2.4 GHz</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 802.11b/g: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 20 MHz: 3 • 802.11n: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 20 MHz: 3 ◦ 40 MHz: 1 (hardware capable) 	<p>5 GHz</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 802.11a: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 20 MHz: 25 • 802.11n: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 20 MHz: 25 ◦ 40 MHz: 12 • 802.11ac: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 20 MHz: 21 ◦ 40 MHz: 12 ◦ 80 MHz: 6
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Note: This varies by regulatory domain. Refer to the product documentation for specific details for each regulatory domain.

Feature	Specifications					
Receive sensitivity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 802.11b (CCK) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -101 dBm @ 1 Mbps -98 dBm @ 2 Mbps -92 dBm @ 5.5 Mbps -89 dBm @ 11 Mbps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 802.11g (non HT20) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -96 dBm @ 6 Mbps -95 dBm @ 9 Mbps -94 dBm @ 12 Mbps -92 dBm @ 18 Mbps -88 dBm @ 24 Mbps -85 dBm @ 36 Mbps -81 dBm @ 48 Mbps -79 dBm @ 54 Mbps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 802.11a (non HT20) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -96 dBm @ 6 Mbps -95 dBm @ 9 Mbps -94 dBm @ 12 Mbps -92 dBm @ 18 Mbps -88 dBm @ 24 Mbps -85 dBm @ 36 Mbps -80 dBm @ 48 Mbps -79 dBm @ 54 Mbps 			
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	802.11ac receive sensitivity					
	802.11ac (non HT80)					
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -89 dBm @ 6 Mbps -73 dBm @ 54 Mbps 					
	MCS index	Spatial streams		VHT20	VHT40	VHT80
	0	1		-96 dBm	-93 dBm	-89 dBm
7	1		-76 dBm	-73 dBm	-70 dBm	
8	1		-71 dBm	-69 dBm	-66 dBm	
9	1		NA	-67 dBm	-64 dBm	
0	2		-93 dBm	-90 dBm	-86 dBm	
7	2		-73 dBm	-70 dBm	-67 dBm	
8	2		-68 dBm	-66 dBm	-63 dBm	

Feature	Specifications				
	9	2	NA	-64 dBm	-61 dBm
Maximum transmit power	2.4 GHz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 802.11b <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 22 dBm, 3 antennas • 802.11g <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 22 dBm, 3 antennas • 802.11n (HT20) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 22 dBm, 3 antennas 			5 GHz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 802.11a <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 23 dBm, 3 antennas • 802.11n (HT20) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 23 dBm, 3 antennas • 802.11n (HT40) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 23 dBm, 3 antennas • 802.11ac <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ non-HT80: 23 dBm, 3 antennas ◦ VHT20: 23 dBm, 3 antennas ◦ VHT40: 23 dBm, 3 antennas ◦ VHT80: 23 dBm, 3 antennas 	
<p>Note: The maximum power setting will vary by channel and according to individual country regulations. Refer to the product documentation for specific details.</p>					
Available transmit power settings	2.4 GHz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22 dBm • 19 dBm • 16 dBm • 13 dBm • 10 dBm • 7 dBm • 4 dBm • 1 dBm 			5 GHz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 23 dBm • 20 dBm • 17 dBm • 14 dBm • 11 dBm • 8 dBm • 5 dBm • 2 dBm 	
<p>Note: The maximum power setting will vary by channel and according to individual country regulations. Refer to the product documentation for specific details.</p>					
Integrated antenna	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2.4 GHz, gain 3 dBi, internal omni, horizontal beamwidth 360° • 5 GHz, gain 5 dBi, internal omni, horizontal beamwidth 360° 				
Interfaces	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 x 10/100/1000BASE-T autosensing (RJ-45), Power over Ethernet (PoE) • Management console port (RJ-45) • USB 2.0 (enabled via future software) 				

Feature	Specifications
Indicators	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Status LED indicates boot loader status, association status, operating status, boot loader warnings, boot loader errors
Dimensions (W x L x H)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access point (without mounting bracket): 8.3 x 8.3 x 2 in. (210.8 x 210.8 x 50.8 mm)
Weight	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2.05 lb (930 grams)
Environmental	<p>Cisco Aironet 1830i</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nonoperating (storage) temperature: -22° to 158°F (-30° to 70°C) Nonoperating (storage) altitude test: 25°C, 15,000 ft. Operating temperature: 32° to 104°F (0° to 40°C) Operating humidity: 10% to 90% (noncondensing) Operating altitude test: 40°C, 9843 ft.
System memory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 GB DRAM 256 MB flash
Input power requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AP1830: 44 to 57 VDC Power supply and power injector: 100 to 240 VAC; 50 to 60 Hz
Power draw	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15.4W <p>Note: When deployed using a PoE specification, the power drawn from the power sourcing equipment will be higher by some amount, depending on the length of the interconnecting cable.</p>
Powering options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 802.3af/802.3at Enhanced PoE Cisco local power supply, AIR-PWR-C= Cisco power injector, AIR-PWRINJ5= (Note: This injector supports 802.3af only), AIR-PWRINJ6= <p>Note: If 802.3af PoE is the source of power, the USB port is disabled.</p>
Warranty	<p>Limited lifetime hardware warranty</p>
Compliance standards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UL 60950-1 CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 60950-1 UL 2043 IEC 60950-1 EN 60950-1 Radio approvals: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> FCC Part 15.247, 15.407** RSS-210 (Canada) EN 300.328, EN 301.893 (Europe) ARIB-STD 66 (Japan) ARIB-STD T71 (Japan) EMI and susceptibility (Class B) FCC Part 15.107 and 15.109** ICES-003 (Canada) VCCI (Japan) EN 301.489-1 and -17 (Europe) IEEE standards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> IEEE 802.11a/b/g, 802.11n, 802.11h, 802.11d IEEE 802.11ac Draft 5

Feature	Specifications
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Security: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 802.11i, Wi-Fi Protected Access 3 (WPA3), WPA2, WPA ◦ 802.1X ◦ Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) • Extensible Authentication Protocol (EAP) types: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ EAP-Transport Layer Security (TLS) ◦ EAP-Tunneled TLS (TTLS) or Microsoft Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol Version 2 (MSCHAPv2) ◦ Protected EAP (PEAP) v0 or EAP-MSCHAPv2 ◦ EAP-Flexible Authentication via Secure Tunneling (FAST) ◦ PEAP v1 or EAP-Generic Token Card (GTC) ◦ EAP-Subscriber Identity Module (SIM) • Multimedia: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Wi-Fi Multimedia (WMM) • Other: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ FCC Bulletin OET-65C ◦ RSS-102

* Supported via Cisco Mobility Express with controller function running on the access point - not Cisco IOS® Software Autonomous based.

** Future.

Licensing

In order to connect any access points to the **controller**, Cisco DNA software subscriptions are required. To be entitled to connect to a Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controller, the access point requires a Cisco DNA subscription license.

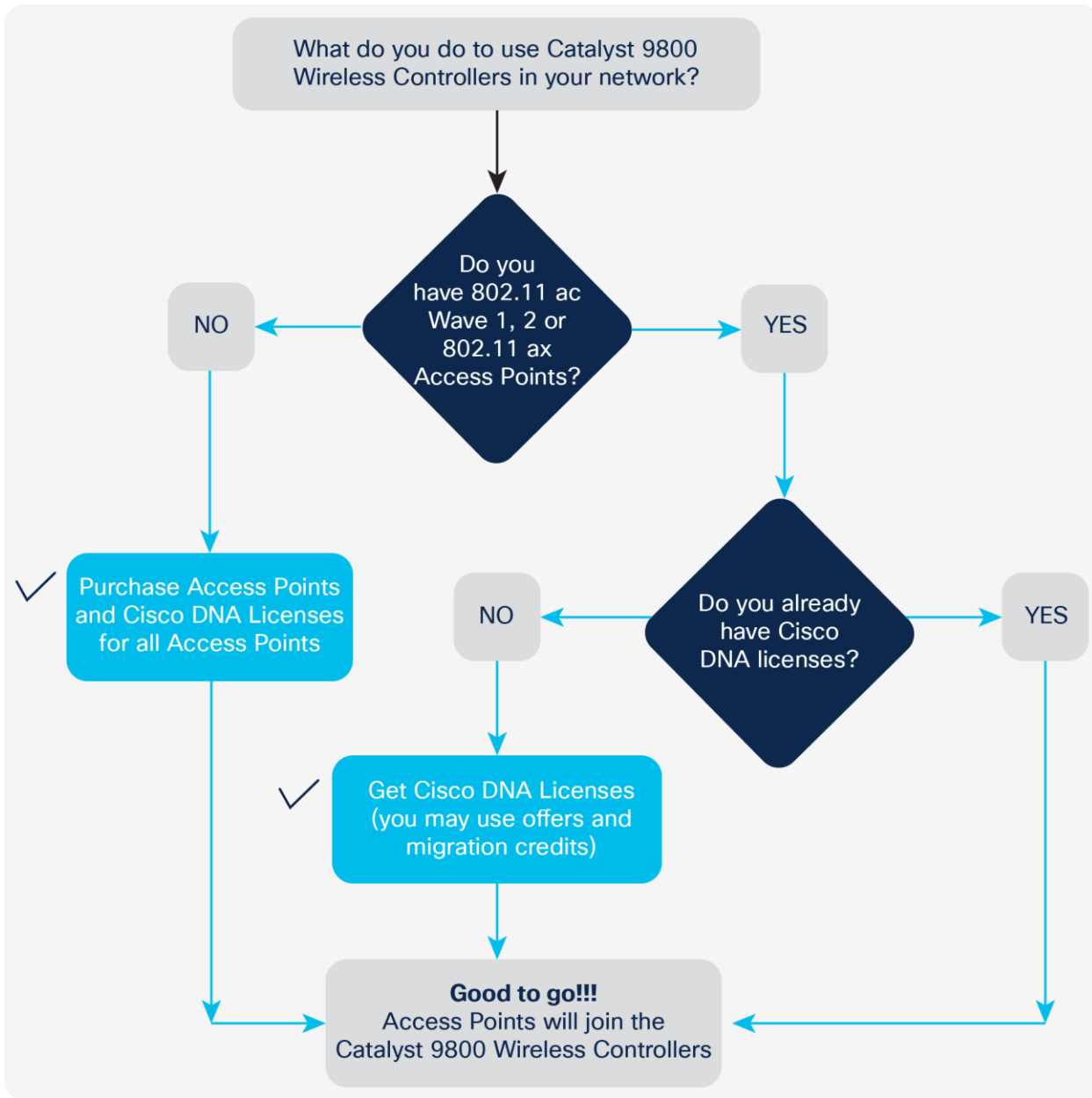


Figure 2. Determining license requirements for access points connecting to Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controllers

Access points connecting to a Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series controller have new and simplified software subscription packages. They can support three tiers of Cisco DNA software: Cisco DNA Essentials, Cisco DNA Advantage or Cisco DNA Premier.

Cisco DNA software subscriptions provide Cisco innovations on the access point. They also include perpetual Network Essentials and Network Advantage licensing options, which cover wireless fundamentals such as 802.1X authentication, Quality of Service (QoS), and Plug and Play (PnP); telemetry and visibility and Single Sign-On (SSO), as well as security controls.

Cisco DNA subscription software has to be purchased for a 3-, 5-, or 7-year subscription term. If not renewed by the end of the term, Cisco DNA features will expire, whereas Network Essentials and Network Advantage features will remain.

For the full feature list of Cisco DNA Software, including the perpetual Network Essentials and Network Advantage, please see the feature matrix: https://www.cisco.com/c/m/en_us/products/software/dna-subscription-wireless/en-sw-sub-matrix-wireless.html?oid=porew018984.

Two modes of licensing are available:

- Smart Licensing (SL) simplifies and adds flexibility to licensing. It is:
 - Simple: Procure, deploy, and manage licenses easily. Devices self-register, removing the need for Product Activation Keys (PAKs).
 - Flexible: Pool license entitlements in a single account. Move licenses freely through the network, wherever you need them.
 - Smart: Manage your license deployments with real-time visibility into ownership and consumption.
- Specific License Reservation (SLR) is a feature used in highly secure networks. It provides a method for customers to deploy a software license on a device (product instance) without communicating usage information to Cisco. There is no communication with Cisco or a satellite. The licenses are reserved for every controller. It is node-based licensing.

Four levels of license are supported on the **Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controllers**. The controllers can be configured to function at any one of the four levels.

- Cisco DNA Essentials: At this level the Cisco DNA Essentials feature set will be supported.
- Cisco DNA Advantage: At this level the Cisco DNA Advantage feature set will be supported.
- NE: At this level the Network Essentials feature set will be supported.
- NA: At this level the Network Advantage feature set will be supported.

Cisco DNA Premier is a bundle with ISE licenses and Cisco DNA Spaces Extend. It is inclusive of Cisco DNA Advantage, so at this level the Cisco DNA Advantage feature set will be supported. For customers who purchase Cisco DNA Essentials, Network Essentials will be supported and will continue to function even after term expiration. And for customers who purchase Cisco DNA Advantage or Cisco DNA Premier, Network Advantage will be supported and will continue to function even after term expiration.

Initial bootup of the controller will be at the Cisco DNA Advantage level.

For questions, contact the Cisco Catalyst 9800 Series Wireless Controllers Licensing mailer group at ask-catalyst9800licensing.

Warranty information

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Table 2. Links to sustainability information

Sustainability topic	Reference
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Sustainability inquiries	Contact: csr_inquiries@cisco.com

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Table 3. Ordering information

Product name	Part number
Cisco Aironet 1830 Series	Cisco Aironet 1832i Access Point: Indoor environments, with internal antennas <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AIR-AP1832I-x-K9: Dual-band, controller-based 802.11a/g/n/ac, Wave 2• AIR-AP1832I-x-K9C: Dual-band, controller-based 802.11a/g/n/ac, Wave 2, configurable, with default software Mobility Express<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Regulatory domains: (x = regulatory domain)◦ For Mobility Express, part number AIR-AP1832I-x-K9C offers default software option Mobility Express <p>Customers are responsible for verifying approval for use in their individual countries. To verify approval that corresponds to a particular country or the regulatory domain used in a specific country, visit https://www.cisco.com/go/aironet/compliance.</p> <p>Not all regulatory domains have been approved. As they are approved, the part numbers will be available on the Global Price List.</p>

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