



Computer Security

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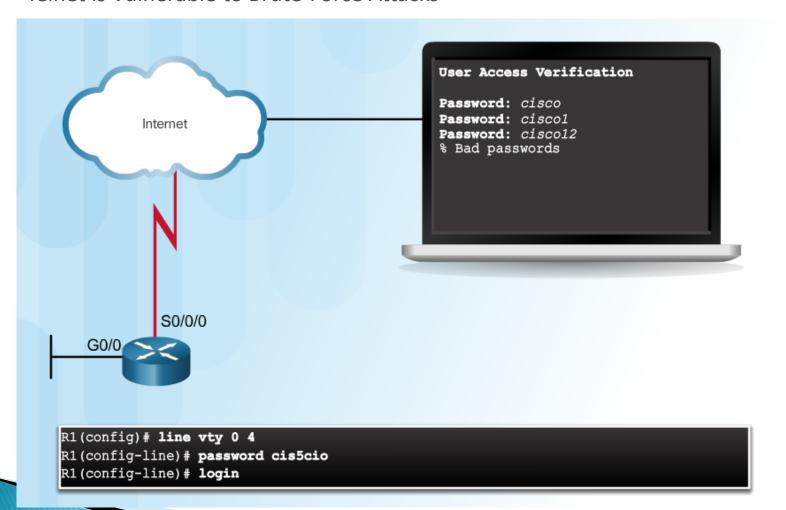
Outlines

- AAA protocol
- ▶ Dot 802.1x port authentication protocol.
- Firewall examples.



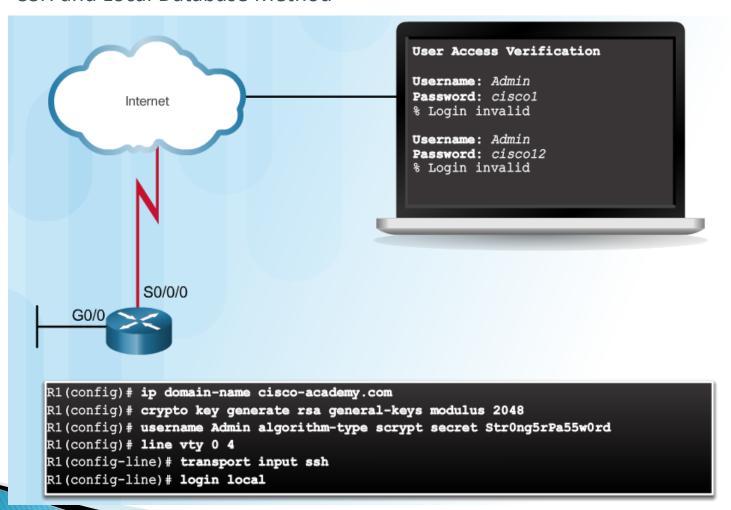
Authentication without AAA

Telnet is Vulnerable to Brute-Force Attacks

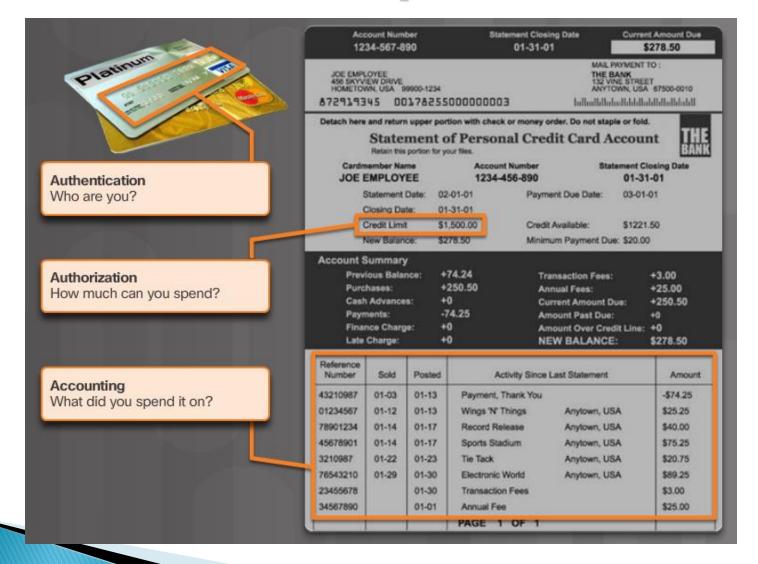


Authentication without AAA (Cont.)

SSH and Local Database Method

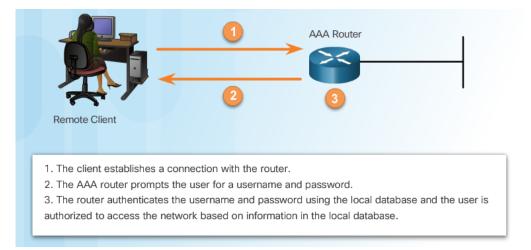


AAA Components



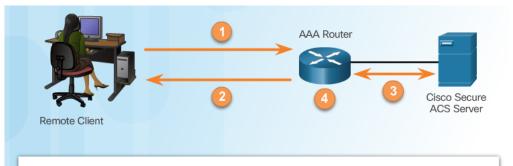
Authentication Modes

Local AAA
Authentication



Server-Based

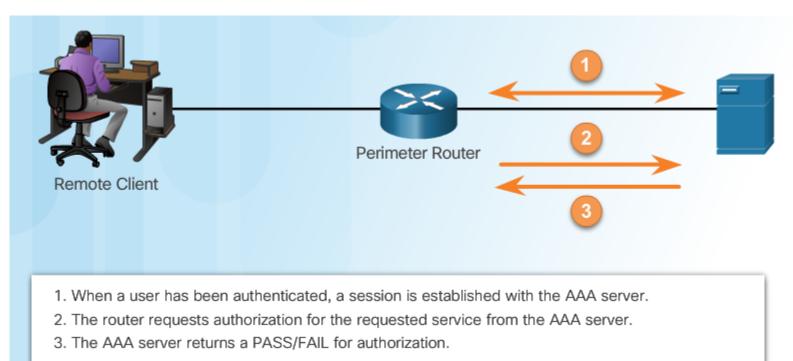
AAA Authentication



- 1. The client establishes a connection with the router.
- 2. The AAA router prompts the user for a username and password.
- 3. The router authenticates the username and password using a remote AAA server.
- 4. The user is authorized to access the network based on information on the remote AAA Server.

Authorization

AAA Authorization

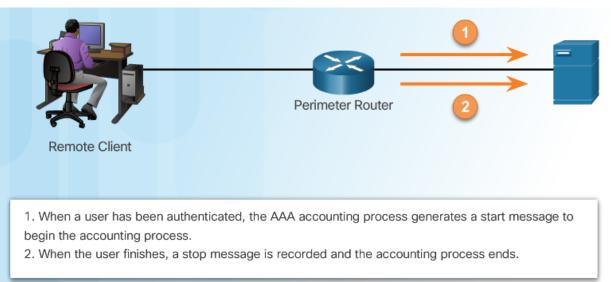


Accounting

Types of accounting information:

- Network
- Connection
- EXEC
- System
- Command
- Resource

AAA Accounting





Authenticating Administrative Access

- 1. Add usernames and passwords to the local router database for users that need administrative access to the router.
- 2. Enable AAA globally on the router.
- 3. Configure AAA parameters on the router.
- 4. Confirm and troubleshoot the AAA configuration.

```
R1(config)# username JR-ADMIN algorithm-type scrypt secret Str0ng5rPa55w0rd
R1(config)# username ADMIN algorithm-type scrypt secret Str0ng5rPa55w0rd
R1(config)# aaa new-model
R1(config)# aaa authentication login default local-case
R1(config)#
```

Authentication Methods

Method Type Keywords Description

enable	Uses the enable password for authentication.
local	Uses the local username database for authentication.
local-case	Uses case-sensitive local username authentication.
none	Uses no authentication.
group radius	Uses the list of all RADIUS servers for authentication.
group tacacs+	Uses the list of all TACACS+ servers for authentication.
group group-name	Uses a subset of RADIUS or TACACS+ servers for authentication as defined by the aaa group server radius or aaa group server tacacs+ command.

router(config-line)#

aaa authentication login {default | list-name} method1...[method4]

Command	Description
default	Uses the listed authentication methods that follow this keyword as the default list of methods when a user logs in.
list-name	Character string used to name the list of authentication methods activated when a user logs in.
method1[method4]	Identifies the list of methods that the AAA authentication process will query in the given sequence. At least one method must be specified. A maximum of four methods may be specified.

Default and Named Methods

Example Local AAA Authentication

```
R1(config)# username JR-ADMIN algorithm-type scrypt secret Str0ng5rPa55w0rd
R1(config)# username ADMIN algorithm-type scrypt secret Str0ng5rPa55w0rd
R1(config)# aaa new-model
R1(config)# aaa authentication login default local-case enable
R1(config)# aaa authentication login SSH-LOGIN local-case
R1(config)# line vty 0 4
R1(config-line)# login authentication SSH-LOGIN
```

Fine-Tuning the Authentication Configuration

Router(config)#

aaa local authentication attempts max-fail [number-of-unsuccessful-attempts]

Command Syntax

Command	Description
number-of-unsuccessful- attempts	Number of unsuccessful authentication attempts before a connection is dropped and the user account is locked.

Display Locked Out Users

R1# show aaa local user lockout

Local-user Lock time

JR-ADMIN 04:28:49 UTC Sat Dec 27 2015

Show Unique ID of a Session

```
RI# show aaa sessions
Total sessions since last reload: 4
Session Id: 1
    Unique Id: 175
    User Name: ADMIN
    IP Address: 192.168.1.10
    Idle Time: 0
    CT Call Handle: 0
```

Troubleshooting Local AMA Authentication

Debug Options

Debug Local AAA Authentication

```
R1# debug aaa ?
  accounting
                       Accounting
  administrative
                       Administrative
  api
                       AAA api events
                       AAA Attr Manager
  attr
  authentication
                       Authentication
  authorization
                       Authorization
  cache
                       Cache activities
                       AAA CoA processing
  coa
  db
                       AAA DB Manager
  dead-criteria
                       AAA Dead-Criteria Info
  id
                       AAA Unique Id
  ipc
                       AAA IPC
 mlist-ref-count
                       Method list reference counts
 mlist-state
                       Information about AAA method
                       list state change and notification
                       Per-user attributes
  per-user
                       AAA POD processing
  pod
  protocol
                       AAA protocol processing
  server-ref-count
                       Server handle reference counts
  sg-ref-count
                       Server group handle reference counts
  sq-server-selection
                       Server Group Server Selection
  subsys
                       AAA Subsystem
  testing
                       Info. about AAA generated test packets
```

Debugging AAA Authentication

Understanding Debug Output

```
R1# debug aaa authentication
113123: Feb 4 10:11:19.305 CST: AAA/MEMORY: create user (0x619C4940) user=''ruser=''
        port='tty1' rem addr='async/81560' authen type=ASCII service=LOGIN priv=1
113124: Feb 4 10:11:19.305 CST: AAA/AUTHEN/START (2784097690): port='tty1' list=''
        action=LOGIN service=LOGIN
113125: Feb 4 10:11:19.305 CST: AAA/AUTHEN/START (2784097690): using "default" list
113126: Feb 4 10:11:19.305 CST: AAA/AUTHEN/START (2784097690): Method=LOCAL
113127: Feb 4 10:11:19.305 CST: AAA/AUTHEN (2784097690): status = GETUSER
113128: Feb 4 10:11:26.305 CST: AAA/AUTHEN/CONT (2784097690): continue login
        (user='(undef)')
113129: Feb 4 10:11:26.305 CST: AAA/AUTHEN (2784097690): status = GETUSER
113130: Feb 4 10:11:26.305 CST: AAA/AUTHEN/CONT (2784097690): Method=LOCAL
113131: Feb 4 10:11:26.305 CST: AAA/AUTHEN (2784097690): status = GETPASS
113132: Feb 4 10:11:28.145 CST: AAA/AUTHEN/CONT (2784097690): continue login
        (user='diallocal')
113133: Feb 4 10:11:28.145 CST: AAA/AUTHEN (2784097690): status = GETPASS
113134: Feb 4 10:11:28.145 CST: AAA/AUTHEN/CONT (2784097690): Method=LOCAL
113135: Feb 4 10:11:28.145 CST: AAA/AUTHEN (2784097690): status = PASS
```