IoT Smart Home Network with RADIUS Authentication - Project Documentation

Project Name: Smart Home IoT Network with RADIUS Server

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1. Introduction

This document provides detailed information about the IoT Smart Home Network project with RADIUS authentication. The network is designed and simulated in Cisco Packet Tracer, connecting IoT devices through a wireless router, controlled via an IoT server, and authenticated through a RADIUS server. This documentation includes network design, IP address allocation, device configurations, and project screenshots.

2. Objectives

- Simulate a smart home IoT network in Cisco Packet Tracer.
- Implement RADIUS authentication for secure device access.
- Connect IoT devices, PCs, and laptops for monitoring and control.
- Configure DHCP and static IP where required.
- Test the network for connectivity and authentication functionality.

3. Network Topology

The network topology consists of an IoT server, RADIUS server, wireless router, switch, and multiple IoT devices including smart lights, fans, temperature monitors, and motion detectors. The laptop is connected via a copper straight-through cable to the switch.

4. Device List

- 1. Wireless Router
- 2. Switch
- 3. IoT Server
- 4. RADIUS Server
- 5. Smart Light(s)
- 6. Smart Fan(s)

- 7. Temperature Monitor
- 8. Motion Detector
- 9. Laptop

5. IP Address Plan

The network uses the IP range 192.168.0.0 with a subnet mask of 255.255.255.0. DHCP is enabled on the wireless router for automatic IP allocation to IoT devices and laptops. Static IPs are assigned to servers.

Refer to ip_address_plan.txt for detailed IP allocation.

6. Device Configurations

Device-specific configurations are saved in the file device_configurations.txt.

7. RADIUS Configuration

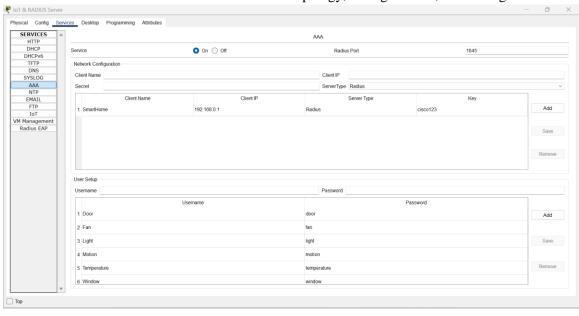
The RADIUS server is configured with user authentication settings. Refer to radius_config.txt for full configuration details.

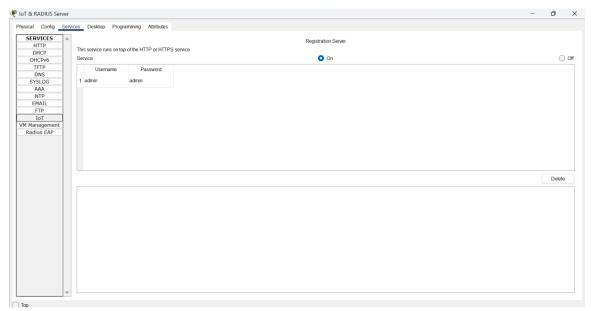
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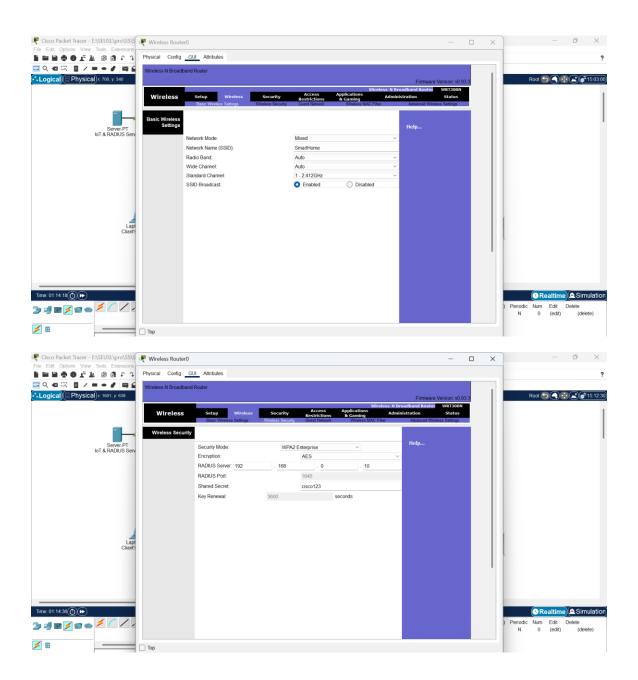
- Ping tests were conducted between devices to ensure network connectivity.
- IoT devices were successfully controlled via the IoT server.
- RADIUS authentication was tested to confirm secure access control.

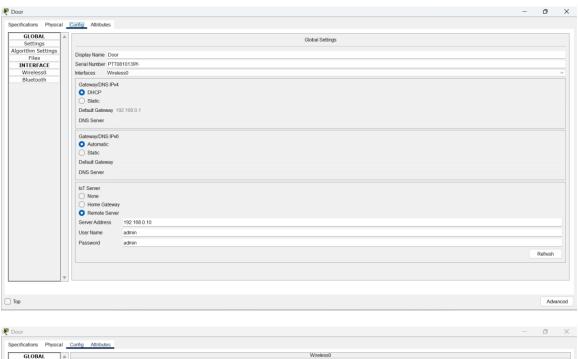
9. Screenshots

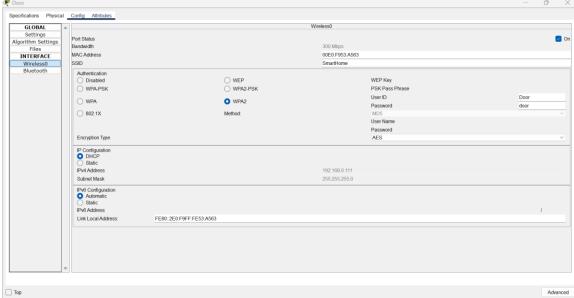
This section includes screenshots of the network topology, configurations, and testing results.

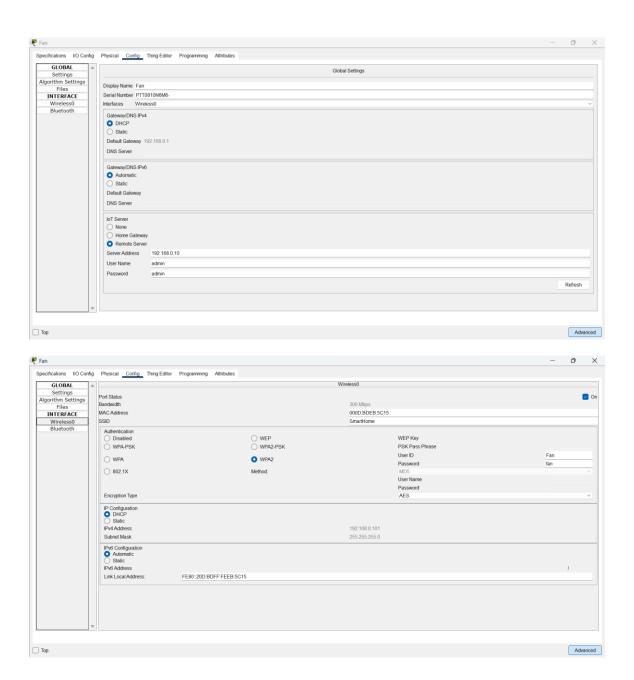


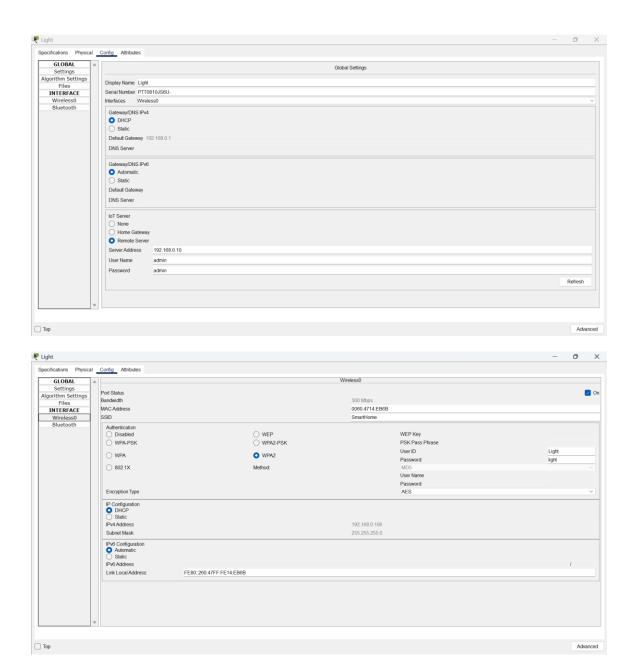


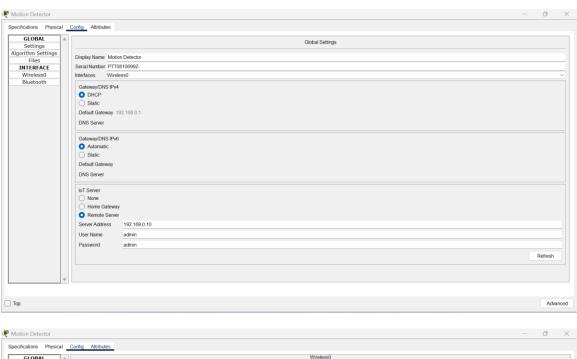


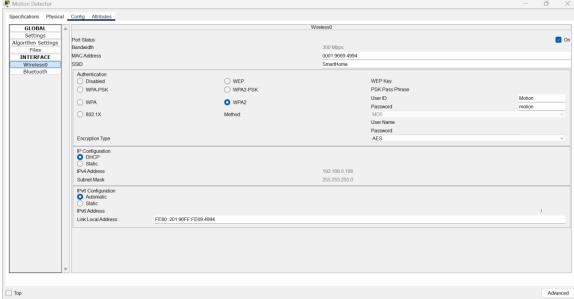


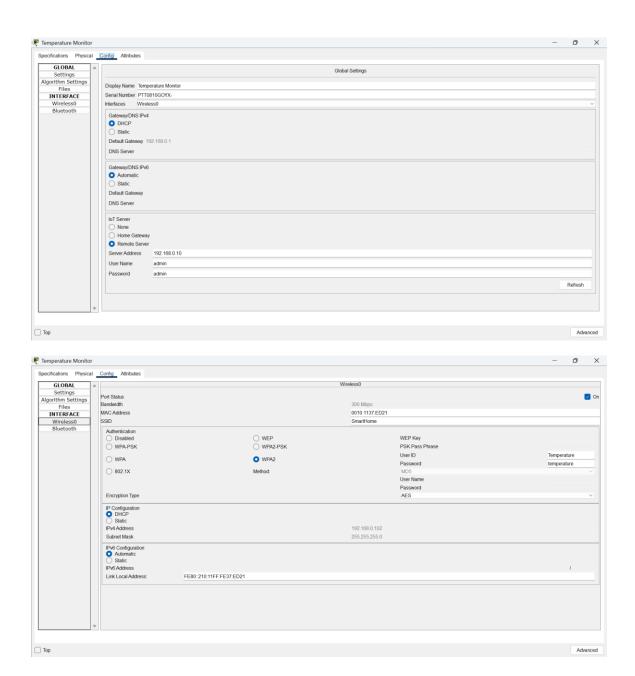


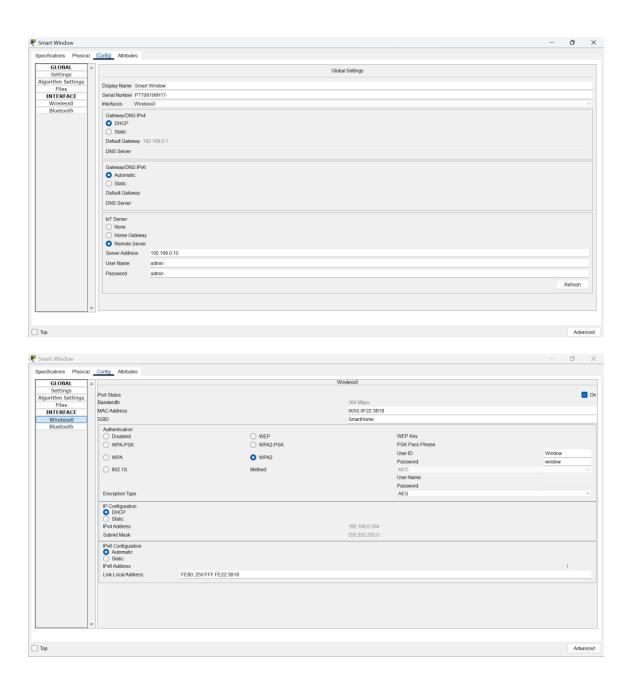


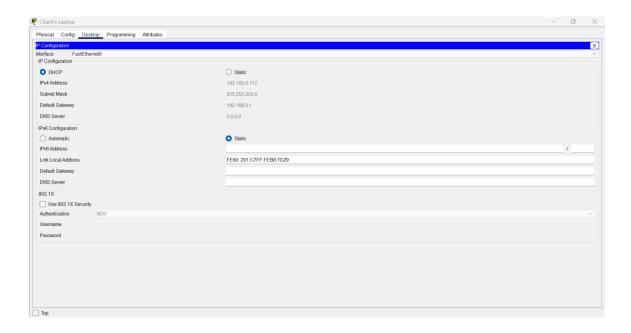






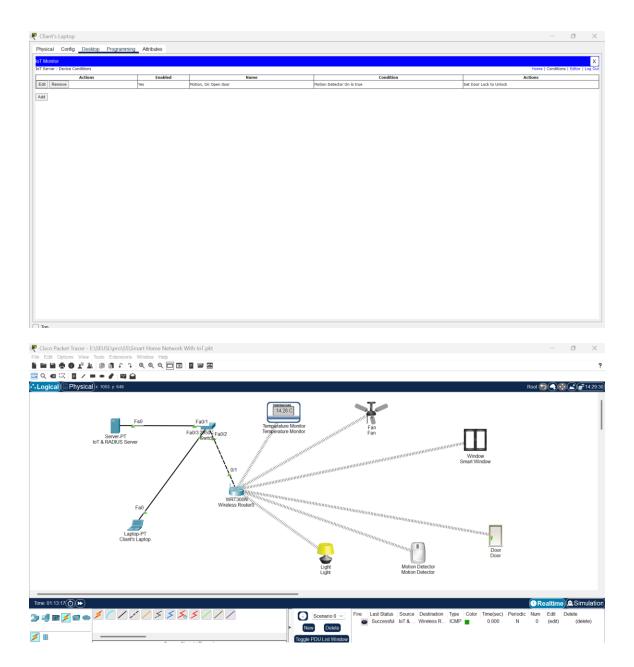






Screenshots will be added here in the final version.





10. Conclusion

The IoT Smart Home Network project with RADIUS authentication demonstrates how IoT devices can be securely managed over a network using centralized authentication. The simulation confirms that the design works effectively and meets the stated objectives.