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Introduction

Cisco ISE is a leading, identity-based network access control and policy enforcement system. It is a common policy engine for controlling, endpoint access and network device administration for enterprises. ISE allows an administrator to centrally control access policies for wired, wireless, and VPN endpoints in a network.

Figure 1: Cisco Identity Services Engine



ISE builds context about the endpoints that include users and groups (Who), device type (What), access time (When), access location (Where), access type (Wired/Wireless/VPN) (How), threats, and vulnerabilities. By sharing vital contextual data with technology partner integrations and the implementation of the Cisco TrustSec® policy for software-defined segmentation, ISE transforms a network from a conduit for data into a security enforcer that accelerates the time-to-detection and time-to-resolution of network threats.

About This Document

This document provides technical guidance to design, deploy and operate Cisco Identity Services Engine (ISE) with JAMF MDM Server. This document focuses on integration of ISE with JAMF server so that ISE can retrieve compliance information from JAMF server and leverage the information to control network access to the user's APPLE device.

The first half of the document focuses on the planning and design activities, the other half covers specifics of configurations and operations. There are three major sections in this document. The initial, define part talks about defining the problem area, planning for deployment, and other considerations. Next, in the design section, you will see how to configure JAMF server to communicate with Cisco ISE to make policy decision based on the compliance information. Lastly, in the operate section, you will learn how troubleshoot and monitor.

Definition

ISE supports JAMF as a partner MDM server for managing Windows computers. JAMF server allows users to manage a large number of APPLE computers. With JAMF, IT Technicians proactively manage the entire lifecycle of all Apple devices. This includes deploying and maintaining software, responding to security threats, distributing settings, and analysing inventory data.



Use Cases of ISE with JAMF

After you add the MDM server definition in Cisco ISE, the MDM dictionary attributes are available in Cisco ISE that you can use in authorization policies. You can view the dictionary attributes that are available for use in authorization policies.

Attribute		ISE		
	Type / Values	Version	Available	Usage Description How many days elapsed from last MDM check for particular endpoint
DaysSinceLastCheckin	Days count	2.1	Authorization	Tion many days dispose from act them discuss to particular chapters.
DeviceCompliantStatus	String		Authorization	
	Compliant			Attribute validate that complaint status been confirmed by MDM server for particular endpoint
	NonCompliant			Attribute validate that non complaint status been confirmed by MDM server for particular endpoint
DeviceRegisterStatus	String		Authorization	
	Registered			Endpoint is known to MDM server and been previously registered
	UnRegistered			Endpoint is unknown to MDM server and has not been registered
DiskEncryptionStatus	String		Authorization	
	Off			Disk encryption is not enabled on the endpoint
18.451	On			Disk encryption is enabled on the endpoint IMEI value. Match based on endpoint IMEI value from MDM server
IMEI	String		Authorization	response
JailBrokenStatus	String		Authorization	
	Broken			Match endpoint status JailBroken based on MDM server response
	UnBroken			Match endpoint status UnJailBroken based on MDM server response
Manufacturer	String		Authorization	Manufacturer name. Match based on mobile device manufacturer name from MDM server response
MDMFailureReason		2.1	Authorization	FailureReason value
MDMServerName	MDMServerName		Authorization	Match based on MDMServerName from endpoint attributes
MDMServerReachable	String		Authorization	
	Reachable			Match reachable status of MDM server
	UnReachable			Match unreachable status of MDM server
MEID	String		Authorization	MEID Value. Match based on endpoint mobile equipment identifier(MEID) value from MDM server response
Model	String		Authorization	Model Value. Match based on mobile device model from MDM server response
OsVersion	String		Authorization	OsVersion Value. Match based on mobile device OS version from MDM server response
PhoneNumber	String		Authorization	PhoneNumber Value. Match based on phone number of mobile device
PinLockStatus	String		Authorization	
	Off			Pinlock disabled on endpoint
	On			Pinlock enabled on endpoint
SerialNumber	String		Authorization	SerialNumber Value. Match based on mobile device serial number from MDM server response
ServerType	String	2.1	Authorization	
	DesktopDeviceManager			Server on which endpoint registered belongs to Desktop Device Manager type (ex: Microsoft System Center)
	MobileDeviceManager			Server on which endpoint registered belongs to Mobile Device Manager type (regular MDM server)
UDID	UDID Value		Authorization	UDID Value. Match based on Unique Device Identifier (Apple specific)
UserNotified	String	2.1	Authorization	
	No			User has not been notified previously about requirement to register device (Desktop Device Manager specific check)
	Yes			User was notified previously about requirement to register device (Desktop Device Manager specific check)

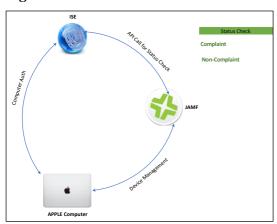
In this document following use case is considered:

During authorisation process ISE is checking JAMF server for APPLE computer compliance status;

- 1. if computer is complaint give required access
- 2. If non-complaint redirect computer to JAMF MDM server for remediation.



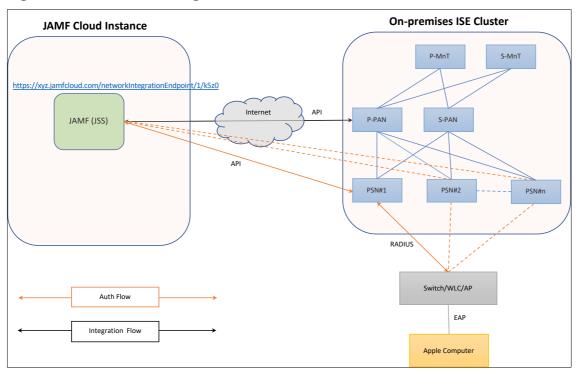
Figure 2: MDM Flow with ISE



Deploy

Deployment Architecture

Figure 3: ISE & JAMF Integration & Flow



As shown in figure JAMF is cloud instance and ISE cluster is in on-premises. ISE cluster integration with JAMF happens with ISE PAN and after successful integration, during authentication/authorisation, PSN directly reaches to JAMF to check MDM attribute/s status for authorisation policy enforcement.

Note: Make sure that firewall port is opened and API communication is allowed between ISE cluster (PAN & PSN) and JAMF cloud instance.



JAMF Configuration

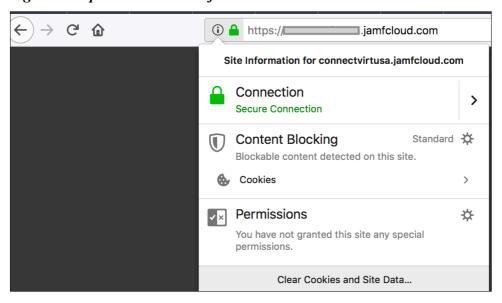
In order to integrate JAMF to ISE, first of all configure JAMF/JSS to create integration URL or Instance ID. For configuration, following steps are required:

- Log in to the JSS with a web browser.
- In the top-right corner of the page, click Settings.
- Click Network Organization.
- Click Network Integration.
- Click New. Note: Only one network integration instance can be added per site in the JSS.
- Configure the network integration instance using the settings on the pane, including the site, the advanced computer search and advanced mobile device search to be used for compliance verification, compliance messaging to be displayed to users, and the remote lock and wipe passcode setting for computers. Note: If you select the "Create Random Passcode" option for the passcode assignment method for computers, to identify the passcode used for a remote lock or wipe on a specific computer, you will need to view the management history for the computer in the JSS.
- Click Save.
- After saving the network integration instance, a unique network integration URL appears at the
 bottom of the pane. This URL will be used by the network access management service to
 communicate with the specific JSS network integration instance. In this context, URL generated
 for ISE integration is https://xyz.jamfcloud.com/networkIntegrationEndpoint/1/k5z0 where
 xyz.jamfcloud.com is FQDN of JAMF instance and networkIntegrationEndpoint/1/k5z0 is
 instance name.

Certificate Export from JAMF

If https connection is required to integrate JAMF to ISE, export JAMF certificate. In order to export JAMF certificate go to web browser and open JAMF URL, as shown in figure below (Firefox is used in sample figure):

Figure 4:Expoort JAMF Certificate



Now click on "Connection" → "More Information" → "View Certificate" → "Details" and export certificate to local machine where bowser is opened.



Certificate Import to ISE Trusted Store

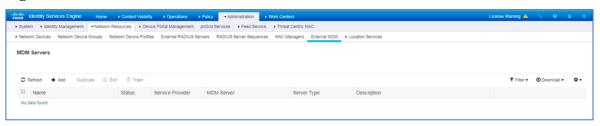
In order to complete the https integration with JAMF, JAMF certificate must be in ISE Certificate Trusted Store. To import certificate to ISE Certificate Trusted Store go to ISE Admin GUI and navigate to Administration \rightarrow System \rightarrow Certificates \rightarrow Trusted Certificates and import JAMF certificate.

ISE Configuration for JAMF Integration

Now, configure ISE to connect to the JAMF server, test the connection, and add the JAMF server as an available MDM server in the ISE system.

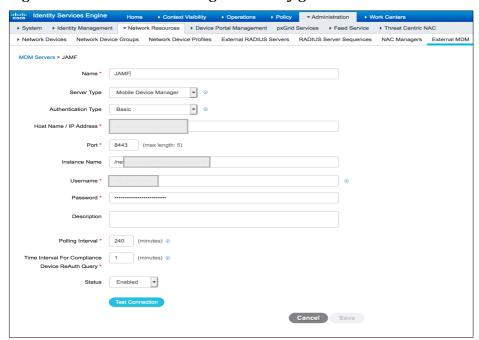
- 1. Login to the ISE Primary Admin node web interface
- 2. Select Administration -> Network Resources -> External MDM

Figure 5: JAMF Instance Creation



3. Click on the "Add" button to add a new MDM server.

Figure 6: JAMF Instance Integration Configuration



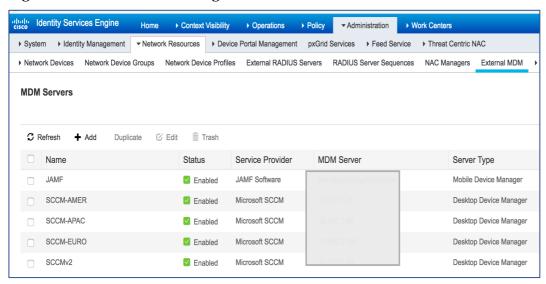
- 4. The "Name" field can be any name you want to reference the MDM as when creating policies within ISE. The name cannot contain, any spaces. In this example, we are using "JAMF".
- 5. The "Server Type" must be set to "Mobile Device Manager" for JAMF.
- 6. Enter the Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) of the JAMF server or the IP address that is reachable from the ISE Admin node. JAMF server FQDN is: xyz.jamfcloud.com
- 7. Port is TCP port number on which JAMF server is listening. In this document, JAMF instance is listening on TCP **443**



- 8. For the "Site or Instance Name", please use the JAMF Site Name. JAMF instance name is: networkIntegrationEndpoint/1/k5z0
- 9. The username will be the user account that was created for JAMF in order to integrate ISE. iseadmin service account is created to integrate ISE with JAMF.
- 10. Enter the password for the service account.
- 11. Select the "Test Connection" button at the bottom to test the connection to the JAMF server. If the connection is successful, you should see a dialog box stating it was successful
- 12. Click the "OK" button on the success dialog.
- 13. Change the "Status" to "Enabled".
- 14. Click "Submit" to add the new JAMF server to ISE as an MDM.
- 15. Verify that you can see the JAMF server added to the MDM servers Page.

Many MDM instances can be integrated into ISE. After integration JAMF MDM server page will look like below figure:

Figure 7: ISE MDM Server Page



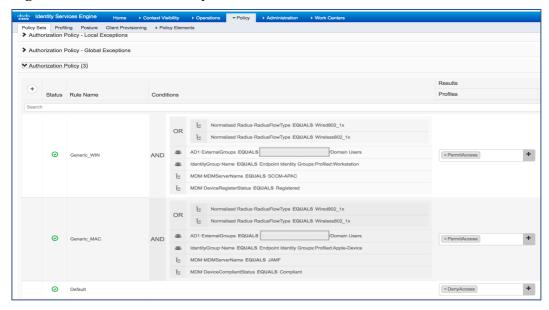
Authorisation Policy Configuration

Now MDM integration instance can be called in authorization policy as condition to define required access to APPLE computer.

In order to create authorisation policy with complaint status check with JAMF MDM server, navigate to Policy \rightarrow Policy Set \rightarrow "Policy_Set_Name" \rightarrow Authorization Policy and create a policy with MDM complaint and non-complaint attribute.



Figure 8: Authorization Policy with MDM Attribute



Similar way authorisation policy for non-complaint APPLE computer can be created where computer will be redirected to MDM page for remediation.

Testing

Bring a two APPLE computer, one which is complaint and one which is non-complaint and test network authentication and access control. Complaint computer should be getting required access however non-complaint computer should be redirected to MDM server.

Troubleshooting

Common issues during MDM integration are:

- 1. Connectivity issue between PAN & MDM Server
- 2. Connectivity issue between PSN & MDM Server
- 3. Permission issue in MDM Server

In order to troubleshoot, follow steps below:

Step-1: Enable packet capture. In order to enable packet capture in ISE, navigate to Operations \rightarrow Troubleshoot \rightarrow Diagnostic Tools \rightarrow TCP Dump and create capture. Once capture is taken, download it and analyse the log.

Step-2: To get visibility into communication between ISE and MDM server, enable TRACE in ISE. Logging level can be changed by navigating to Administration > System > Logging > Debug Log Configuration. To download log go to Operations → Troubleshoot → Download Logs.

During the node selection, choose Primary PAN node if you need to troubleshoot initial connection. When issues are seen with actual authentications, logging level needs to be changed on the PSN where endpoints are authenticated.

External-MDM component writes logs into the ise-psc.log, all logs related to the MDM operation can be easily filtered by the 'cpm.mdm'.

Example log taken from PSN:

