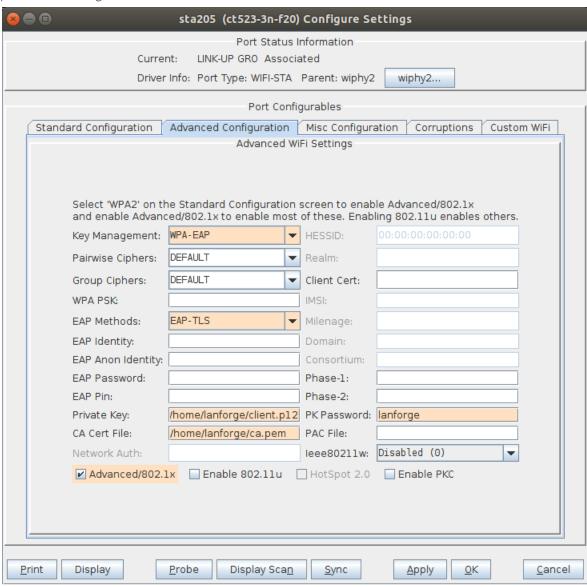


## Setting up a RADIUS Server

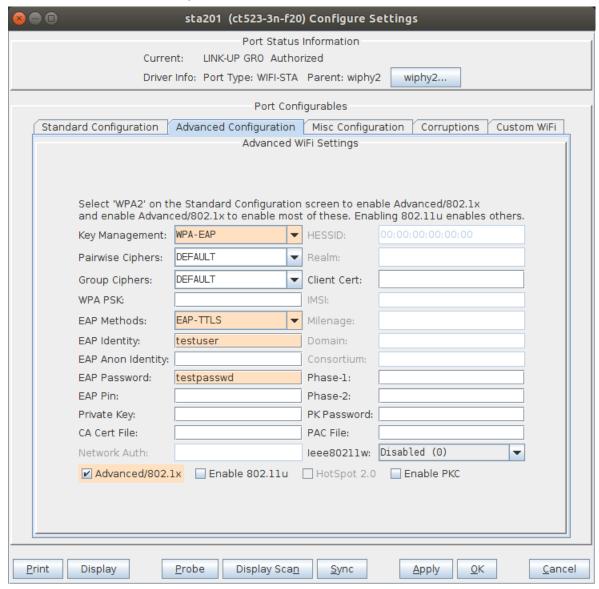
Goal: To set up a LANforge wireless access point with a local RADIUS server.

- 1. The LANforge <u>auto-install --do\_radius</u> option will setup FreeRADIUS on the LANforge system with two example EAP methods, EAP-TLS and EAP-TTLS
- 2. The config files for FreeRADIUS are located in /etc/raddb
  - A. /etc/raddb/certs contains the files necessary for EAP-TLS
  - B. The LANforge auto-install copies the necessary files into /home/lanforge for use by LANforge wireless clients.
  - C. For **EAP-TLS**, use client.p12 as the client's Private Key and ca.pem as the client's CA Cert File. The Private Key password is *lanforge*



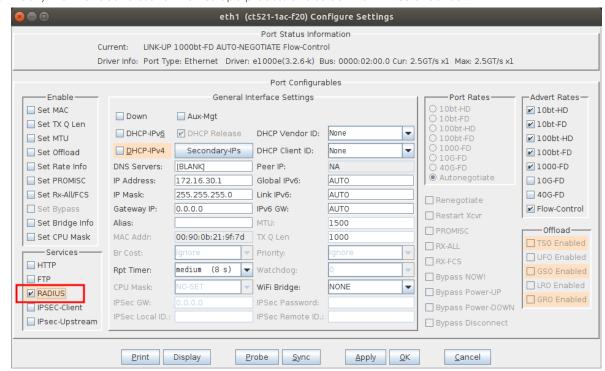
D. /etc/raddb/users contains the user and password for **EAP-TTLS** 

E. The example **EAP-TTLS** user is testuser with password testpasswd. Additional entries can be added to the users file, then restart FreeRADIUS with *systemctl restart radiusd.service* 



- 3. An alternative to FreeRADIUS is to use the hostapd RADIUS server.
  - A. Stop the FreeRADIUS service with systematl stop radiusd.service

B. Modify the interface to use for the hostapd process and select the RADIUS checkbox.



C. Create a hostapd\_<port-name>.conf file in the /home/lanforge/wifi directory with the following info.

```
root@ct521-1ac-f20:/home/lanforge/wifi
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[root@ct521-1ac-f20 wifi]# cat hostapd_eth1.conf
interface=eth1
driver=wired
logger_syslog=-1
logger_syslog_level=2
logger_stdout=-1
logger_stdout_level=2
dump_file=/home/lanforge/wifi/hostapd_eth1.dump
ctrl_interface=/var/run/hostapd
ctrl_interface_group=0
ieee8021x=1
eapol_key_index_workaround=0
eap server=1
eap user file=/etc/hostapd.eap user
server_id=lf0301.lanforge.com
eap_sim_db=unix:/tmp/hlr_auc_gw.sock
radius_server_auth_port=1812
radius_server_clients=/etc/hostapd.radius_clients
ca_cert=/etc/raddb/certs/ca.pem
server_cert=/etc/raddb/certs/server.pem
private_key=/etc/raddb/certs/server.key
private_key_passwd=lanforge
[root@ct521-1ac-f20 wifi]#
```

D. Setup the desired EAP methods and passwords in the /etc/hostapd.eap\_users file.

```
root@ct521-1ac-f20:/etc
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[root@ct521-1ac-f20 etc]# cat hostapd.eap user
'dot11r.user" PEAP
dot11r.user" MSCHAPV2 "!!dot11r123" [2]
"dot11r.user@lanforge.com" PEAP
'dot11r.user@lanforge.com" MSCHAPV2 "!!dot11r123" [2]
"user-md5"
                MD5
                          "!!user-md5" [2]
"user-fast" MSCHAPV2 "!!fast123" [2]
"lanforge.peap" PEAP
"lanforge.peap" MSCHAPV2 "!!lanforge123" [2]
"lanforge.peap@lanforge.com" PEAP
'lanforge.peap@lanforge.com" MSCHAPV2 "!!lanforge123" [2]
"lanforge.tls" TLS
'lanforge.ttls" TLS,TTLS
 lanforge.ttls" MD5,TTLS-PAP,TTLS-CHAP,TTLS-MSCHAP,TTLS-MSCHAPV2 "!!ttls123" [2]
"lanforge.gtc" TTLS,PEAP
'lanforge.gtc" GTC "!!gtc123" [2]
'0"*
                ΔΚΔ
'1"*
                 SIM
                 TTLS
'*@lanforge.com" TLS
"0"*
         SIM, TTLS, TLS, PEAP, AKA
"1"*
         SIM, TTLS, TLS, PEAP, AKA
'*@mytest.com" TLS
'0"*
         SIM, TTLS, TLS, PEAP, AKA
'1"*
         SIM, TTLS, TLS, PEAP, AKA
[root@ct521-1ac-f20 etc]#
```

E. If using EAP-SIM or EAP-AKA, verify entries in the /etc/hlr\_auc\_gw.milenage\_db file, then start the HLR tool.

```
root@ct521-1ac-f20:/home/lanforge
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[root@ct521-1ac-f20 lanforge]# pwd
/home/lanforge
[root@ct521-1ac-f20 lanforge]# . lanforge.profile
[root@ct521-1ac-f20 lanforge]# hlr_auc_gw -m /etc/hlr_auc_gw.milenage_db > /tmp/hlr_auc_fw.log &
[1] 27335
[root@ct521-1ac-f20 lanforge]# ps auxwww |grep hlr
        27335 0.0 0.0 19676 2204 pts/0 S
root
                                                   09:15
                                                           0:00 hlr_auc_gw -m /etc/hlr_auc_gw.mi
lenage_db
root
        27338 0.0 0.0 112668 2304 pts/0
                                             S+
                                                   09:15
                                                           0:00 grep --color=auto hlr
[root@ct521-1ac-f20 lanforge]#
```

F. Verify the hostapd process is running for the interface selected for the RADIUS server, here it is eth1.

```
root@ct521-1ac-f20:/home/lanforge

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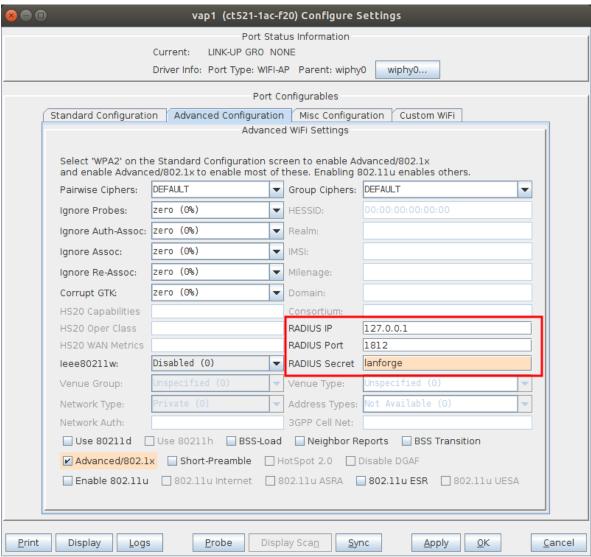
[root@ct521-1ac-f20 lanforge]# ps auxwww |grep hostapd_eth1

root 808 0.0 0.0 11268 2308 pts/0 S+ 09:36 0:00 grep --color=auto hostapd_eth1

root 15628 0.0 0.0 56380 4816 ? S<s 08:32 0:00 ./local/bin/hostapd -t -d -f /home/lanforge/
/wifi/hostapd_log_eth1.txt -B -P /home/lanforge/wifi/hostapd_eth1.pid wifi/hostapd_eth1.conf

[root@ct521-1ac-f20 lanforge]#
```

- 4. Whether you use FreeRADIUS or hostapd RADIUS, setup your AP with the RADIUS server's IP address and port.
  - A. If using a LANforge AP on the same system as the RADIUS server, then the AP will address the RADIUS server at localhost or 127.0.0.1 with port 1812.



B. If using an external AP or WLAN Controller, then configure the device to address the RADIUS server on the network connected to a LANforge interface configured for RADIUS.