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Chapter 1 WLAN - Bintec WLAN Controller Introduction

1.1 Functional overview

The **bintec WLAN Controller** offers the following advantages for an easier management of your WLAN infrastructure:

- · Wizard-guided quick installation in five steps
- · Automatic recognition and installation of new devices
- VLAN and Multi SSID support
- Integrated 802.11abgn support
- · Optimised roaming characteristics for VoWLAN
- · Centralised management of all Access Points:
 - Easy modification of settings for all APs
 - Any modification, e.g. of the SSIDs, immediately applies to all APs
- · Access Points installed at public locations no longer are a security risk:
 - Network keys and passwords are not saved on the AP and hence cannot fall into unauthorised hands through AP theft
 - · Any direct AP (configuration) access is blocked by the WLAN controller
- Automated frequency management:
 - · Integrated channel plan, for non-overlapping frequency assignment
 - · Interference reduction through intelligent frequency assignment
 - Consideration of foreign access points (neighbor APs)
- Monitoring:
 - Access point operation
 - Client activity
 - · Recognition and display of undesired access points (neighbor access points)
- · E-mail Alert in case of failure of a managed access points
- Scheduler based actions (e.g. overnight shutdown of the WLAN)
- Configuration Management: The configuration is centrally saved and automatically reassigned to APs, e.g. after loss of power.
- · Centralised firmware updates

1.2 Project planning

1.2.1 Determining customer requirements

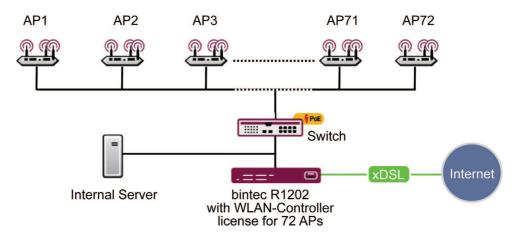
It all starts with the customers - and determining what their needs really are. In most cases customers want a WLAN network in the 2.4GHz frequency range, allowing employees and visitors wireless connection to the company network and the Internet throughout offices and meeting rooms. Next the question arises of whether a radio frequency site survey by a specialist needs to be performed. Because of the considerable expense involved, the radio frequency site survey is frequently skipped; instead the APs are positioned at customer discretion and in consideration of the facility's spatial arrangement.

However in case of complex buildings or if the customer requires a high-performance network with continuous coverage and VoWLAN-readiness, a radio frequency site survey is indispensable.

1.2.2 Recommended hardware installation on site

Next an electrician comes into play to install the access points in corridors and offices. If doing without a radio frequency site survey, APs should be mounted at a distance of 15-20 meters to each other: this rule usually results in a functional setup.

All APs should be connected to a PoE-capable switch over an Ethernet cable. Power supply via the Ethernet cable (PoE) avoids installation of a 230V socket and considerably simplifies setup.



The electrician should document the locations and MAC addresses of the devices so that names or locations can later be assigned to the devices during configuration.

1.3 System requirements

1.3.1 WLAN Controller hardware

The following devices with firmware versions 7.9.6 or higher can be used as WLAN controllers (supported devices with firmware versions lower than 7.9.6 need to be updated before installation):

- bintec W1002n: single radio indoor access point
- bintec WI1040n: single radio indoor industrial access point (IP 40)
- bintec WI2040n: dual radio indoor industrial access point (IP 40)
- bintec WI1065n: single radio outdoor industrial access point (IP 65)
- bintec WI2065n: dual radio outdoor industrial access point (IP 65)
- bintec R1202: medium router, VPN gateway
- bintec R3002: medium router, VPN gateway with ADSL 2+ modem
- bintec R3502: medium router, VPN gateway with VDSL 2 modem (minimum required firmware version: 7.10.1)
- bintec R3802: medium router, VPN gateway with SHDSL.bis modem
- bintec R4402: medium router, VPN gateway with PRI interface
- bintec RXL12100: central router, high-performance multiplex VPN gateway (minimum required firmware version: 7.10.1)
- bintec RXL12500: central router, high-performance central site VPN gateway (minimum required firmware version: 7.10.1)

For small installations up to 6 access points no dedicated WLAN controller hardware is needed and one of the access points (running as master access point) can take on the function of the WLAN controller. If a WLAN network with more than 6 access points is desired, at mimimum a R1202 is necessary as WLAN controller hardware.

1.3.2 Access Point hardware

The WLAN controller can manage the following WLAN devices with software version 7.9.6 or higher (devices with firmware versions lower than 7.9.6 need to be updated before installation):

- bintec W1002n: single radio indoor access point
- bintec W1002n: single radio indoor industrial access point (IP 40)
- bintec WI2040n: dual radio indoor industrial access point (IP 40)

- bintec WI1065n: single radio outdoor industrial access point (IP 65)
- bintec WI2065n: dual radio outdoor industrial access point (IP 65)

1.3.3 WLAN Controller software licences

For testing purposes, the WLAN controller is already activated in the firmware of every supported device; however, only a single access point can be managed. For business operation a WLAN controller licence must be installed on the controller. Six access points can be managed with each licence. One WLAN controller software licence can be installed on an access point (e.g. W1002n); this allows the management of 6 access points, including the access point running as WLAN controller. Up to twelve WLAN controller licences can be installed on a medium router (e.g. R1202), allowing the management of a maximum of 72 access points. On central routers (e.g. RXL12100) up to 25 licenses can be installed, which allows for at maximum 150 managed access points.

Overview of minimum WLAN controller hardware and licenses required in relation to the intended of number of access points:

Required	up to 6 APs	up to 12 APs	up to 18 APs	up to 72 APs	up to 150 APs
Minimal con- troller hard- ware	None, runs on the master AP	R1202	R1202	R1202	RXL12100
WLAN Con- troller li- cences	1x	2x	Зx	6x	25x

1.4 Network configuration

1.4.1 WLAN Controller device network settings

Before connecting the WLAN controller device to the network of the (still unconfigured) access points it needs to have its IP address and network settings (different from factory defaults) configured according to the setup of your local network. Otherwise the next steps will fail.

1.4.2 DHCP server

1.4.2.1 Internal DHCP server

If there is no active DHCP server in your network, and if the WLAN controller device will also act as DHCP server (internal DHCP server) you can directly proceed with *WLAN rol-lout with the WLAN controller wizard* on page 5 and start the WLAN rollout. The WLAN controller wizard includes the setup of all necessary DHCP server settings.

1.4.2.2 External DHCP server

For the access points to be manageable by the WLAN controller they must know the IP address of the WLAN controller. So in addition to the required basic network settings such as device IP address, default gateway and nameserver, the DHCP server needs to provide the access point with the IP address of the WLAN controller. This is done via option 138 of the DHCP protocol. This option (also named CAPWAP Access Controller) must, therefore, be enabled on the DHCP server, and the IP address of the WLAN controller (which you configured in chapter 4.1) must be specified. In case:

· Another Bintec router is operating as DHCP server:

The required configuration steps are described in the appendix.

A Microsoft Server 2003 or Server 2008 is operating as DHCP server:

The required configuration steps are described in the appendix.

• A Linux server is operating as DHCP server:

The required configuration steps are described in the appendix.

• The router of a third-party provider is operating as DHCP server:

Please perform the configuration of DHCP option 138 according to the respective documentation.

1.4.2.3 No DHCP server - APs with static IP address settings

Occasionally, it may be necessary to operate a WLAN-controller-managed network with static IP address and network settings. Thus each access point requires the manual configuration of IP and network settings. The necessary configuration steps for all access points is described in *Appendix* on page 11.

1.5 WLAN rollout with the WLAN controller wizard

The WLAN controller wizard guides you through configuration and rollout of your WLAN network in five steps.

1.5.1 Wizard Step 1

Save configuration)			Wireless LAN Cont	roller Wizard
Assistants	-				
System Management	-				
Physical Interfaces	-		Step 1		Basic Settings
LAN	-	Basic Settings			Here you can configure all of the various
Wireless LAN Controller		Region	Germany 💌		settings that you require for the actual
Wizard		Interface	LAN_EN1-0 *		wireless LAN controller.
Controller Configuration					The wireless LAN controller uses the following
Slave AP configuration		DHCP Server	C External	enabled CAPWAP option (138):	settings:
Monitoring		DHCP Server	External		Region
Maintenance					Select the country in which the wireless
letworking	-	IP Address Range	10.10.10.10	- 10.10.10.50	controller is to be operated.
Routing Protocols	-	-			 Note: The range of channels that can be used varies depending on the country setting.
Multicast	-				Interface
WAN	-				Select the interface to be used for the wireless _ controller.
/PN	-				DHCP Server
Firewall	+				Select whether an external DHCP server shall
/oIP	-				assign IP addresses to the APs or if your device should be used as the DHCP server.
ocal Services	-				For an internal DHCP server, CAPWAP option
Maintenance	-				138 is enabled in order to allow communication between the master and
External Reporting	-				slaves.
Monitoring	-				Note: Make sure that option 138 is enabled when using an external DHCP server.
					If you wish to use a bintec Gateway for
		C	Cancel) (Next	

Here you define certain basic characteristics of the WLAN controller:

- **Region**: The region where your WLAN network is located. This setting adapts your WLAN network to the WLAN regulations of your region (e.g. permitted frequencies).
- Interface: Defines over which interface the controller communicates with the APs (the IP of this interface is the WLAN Controller IP address configured in option 138 of the DHCP server).
- **DHCP Server**: Defines whether the internal or an external DHCP server is used for the access points. When using the internal DHCP server, all DHCP server settings including option 138 are made automatically. You'll find information on configuring an external DH-CP server in *Appendix* on page 11.
- IP Address Range: Defines the IP address range available to the internal DHCP server.

Note

Before proceeding, please make sure that any existing external DHCP server is operative and that DHCP option 138 is enabled. If an external or internal DHCP server was already enabled at the time of AP installation, but DHCP option 138 was only subsequently enabled, the WLAN controller may fail to display the APs within your network. This can happen because the APs have already been assigned an IP address, but have not yet received the WLAN controller IP address. This can be remedied by waiting for the expiration of the DHCP lease time or by resetting the APs.

1.5.2 Wizard Step 2

Save configuration			Wireless	LAN Controller Wizard
Assistants				
System Management	+			
Physical Interfaces	-	place and the second second	Step 2	Radio Profile
LAN	+	Select the Radio Profi	ile	Select which frequency band your WLAN
Wireless LAN Controller		Radio Profile	2.4 GHz Radio Profile 💌	controller shall use.
Wizard		-		If the 2.4 GHz Radio Profile is set
Controller Configuration	È.			then the 2.4 GHz frequency band is used. If the 5 GHz Redio Profile is set then
Slave AP configuration				the 5 GHz Radio Profile is set then the 5 GHz frequency band is used.
Monitoring				
Maintenance				
Networking	-			
Routing Protocols	-			
Multicast	-			
WAN	-			
/PN				
Firewall	-			
/oIP	+			
ocal Services	-			
Maintenance	-			
External Reporting				
Monitoring	-			
		1	Back Next	

Here, you define the radio profile with which the WLAN network will operate. A 2.4GHz and a 5GHz radio profile are available by default. Additional radio profiles can be created outside of the wizard via the **Wireless LAN Controller**-> **Slave AP configuration** -> **Radio Profiles** menu.

1.5.3 Wizard Step 3

Save configuration				Wireless LAN	Controlle	r Wizard
Assistants						
System Management	-					
Physical Interfaces	-		Step 3			Wireless Networks
AN	-	Wireless Networks ((VSS)			All of the configured wireless networks (VSS
Vireless LAN Controller		VSS Description	Network Name (SSID)	Security	1971	are displayed in the list. At least one wireles
Wizard		vss-1	Staff	WPA-PSK		network (VSS) is set up. This entry cannot b deleted
Controller Configuration		Add	\supset			Click on 🖉 to edit an existing entry.
Slave AP configuration						You can also delete entries with the aid of
Monitoring						With Add, you can create new entries. You
Maintenance						can create up to eight wireless networks
etworking	-					(VSS) for a wireless module.
outing Protocols	-					and the second se
lulticast	-					Note: If you wish to use the default wireless network that is set up, you must at least
VAN						change the Preshared Key parameters.
PN						Otherwise you will be prompted.
	-					Contents:
rewall	-					Change or add wireless networks
olP	-					
ocal Services	-					
laintenance	+					
xternal Reporting	-					
Aonitoring	-					
			(Back)	Next		

Here, you define which SSID/VSS shall be present in the network. One VSS is already available per default; this can be customised via the wrench icon. With **Add** you can can create up to seven additional VSS.

In this example, we create an additional VSS for visitor access:

Save configuration	9			Wireless LAN C	ontroller Wizard
Assistants	-				
System Management	-				
Physical Interfaces	-	Service Set Parameters			Change or add wireless
LAN	-	Network Name (SSID)	Guests		networks
Vireless LAN Controller	-	Security Settings			Click on 🖉 to edit an existing entry.
Wizard	_	Security Mode	WPA-PSK *		With Add, you can create new entries.
Controller Configuration	2	Decanty mode	-		The following parameters are available
Slave AP configuration	_	WPA Mode	WPA and WPA 2 💌		Network Name (SSID) Enter the name of the wireless network
Monitoring Maintenance	-	WPA Cipher			(SSID).
letworking	-	WPA2 Cipher			Enter an ASCII string with a maximum of 32 characters.
outing Protocols	-	Preshared Key	- Hur - ALS		Also select whether the Network Name
lulticast	-		1		(SSID) Visible is to be transmitted.
/AN	-	VLAN			Security Mode
PN		VLAN	Enabled		Select the security mode (encryption and authentication) for the wireless network.
	-	VLAN ID	2		Note: WPA Enterprise means 802.11x.
rewall	-				Transmit Key
olP	-				Enter a transmission key for Security Mode
ocal Services	-				= WEP 40 or WEP 204. Select one of the keys configured in WEP
laintenance	-				Key <1-4>as standard key.
xternal Reporting	-				WEP Key <1 -4 >
Aonitoring	-				Enter a WEP key for Security Mode = WEP 40 or WEP 104.
					Note: Enter a character string with the right
		C	OK)	Cancel	

A network name is assigned for the new VSS and "WPA-PSK" is selected as the security mode. As we do not want access to the company intranet from the guest network, a VLAN is defined for this VSS (in this example VLAN ID 2): All data from the "Guest" network will be tagged with that VLAN ID on the Ethernet (LAN).

Note

VLAN ID 0 and 1 are reserved (for management VLAN) and cannot be used for any VSS.

VLAN tagging gives you the possibility to separate guest data from other data, and you can setup your network switches and/or Internet access routers in a way 'so that, e.g., all data from VLAN ID 2 and thus all guests are allowed to access the Internet but not the company intranet (please see the manual of your switch and/or router for how to configure VLAN separation there).

We now leave the VSS configuration with **OK** and return back to the VSS overview page. Before proceeding to wizard step 4 make sure that all access points that are supposed to be managed are connected to your LAN and are powered on.

1.5.4 Wizard Step 4

Save configuration	and a second				Willeless LAP	Controller Wi	2010			
Assistants	-									
System Management	•									
Physical Interfaces	-				Ste	p 4				
LAN	 Manage Select a Deselect 		Device	IP Address	LAN MAC Address	Wireless Network	Radio Profile	Channel	Status	
Wireless LAN Controller Wizard	•	1:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.11	00:01:cd:0e:f3:3a	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	Discovered	
Controller Configuration Slave AP configuration	9	2:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.14	00:01:cd:0f:4b:3c	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	Discovered	
Monitoring Maintenance	•	3:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.16	00:01:cd:0f:4c:ae	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	Discovered	
Networking	-	4:	WI2065n	10.10.10.13	00:01:cd:06:6b:b0	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	Discovered	
Routing Protocols Multicast	- I	5:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.15	00:01:cd:0e:90:6c	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	Discovered	
WAN	v	6:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.12	00:01:cd:Deteetbc	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	Discovered	
VPN Firewall VolP		f you want t					nnaged with the Wireles lected automatically. Th			click
Local Services	-			C	Back	START				
Maintenance	-			-						
External Reporting	-									
Monitoring	100									

Now all discovered access points are displayed. By default, all defined wireless network profiles (VSS) and the previously selected radio profile are assigned to all access points. With the wench symbol you can customise these standard settings and provide each device with an individual location description.

In some cases, not all expected APs are displayed. The reason in that case is that not all APs were discovered by the WLAN controller. In this case **Back** can be used to update the display.

1.5.5 Start WLAN rollout to access points

After selecting the check box in the "Manage" field of all access points you want to use, you can launch the WLAN controller rollout and automatic frequency management with **Start**. The display now switches to a status screen indicating the WLAN controller's current activities:

Save configuration				Wirele	ess LAN Controller W	izard					
Assistants 🔹											
System Management 🔹 👻											
Physical Interfaces 🔹 👻	parameters and			and the second se	ave Access Points		1				
AN 🗸	Location	Device bintec W1002n	P Address	LAN MAC Address 00:01:cd:0e:f3:3a	Wireless Network Profile vss-1:Staff	Radio Profile 2.4 GHz Radio Profile	Channel 11	Status			
ireless LAN Controller 🔺	1.63	bintec wirouzh	10.10.10.11	00.01.00.0013.3a	vss-1.5tall vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHZ Radio Profile	11	Managed			
Wizard	2:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.14	00:01:cd:0f:4b:3c	vss-1:Staff	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	OInitialising			
Controller Configuration					vss-2:Guests	and the second s					
Slave AP configuration	3:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.16	00:01:cd:0f:4c:ae	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	ODiscovered			
Monitoring	-										
Maintenance	4:	WI2065n	10.10.10.13	00:01:cd:06:6b:b0	vss-1:Staff vss-2'Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	ODiscovered			
etworking 👻	5:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.15	00:01:cd:0e:90:6c	vss-1:Staff	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	ODiscovered			
outing Protocols 🔹 👻					vss-2:Guests		1				
ulticast 🔹	6:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.12	00:01:cd:0e:ee:bc	vss-1:Staff vss-2 Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	0	ODiscovered			
/AN 🔫	Logging			-L							
PN 👻	Time	Message									
rewall 👻	11:27:55	00:01:CD:0F	4B:3C: WTP st	tarts configuration							
	11:27:55	00:01:CD:0F	:4B:3C: sendin	g configuration inform	nation to WTP (16 tables)						
olP 🔻	11:27:55	Initialising n	ext WTP (2)								
ocal Services 🔹 👻	11:27:55	00:01:CD:0E	F3:3A: WTP is	online							
aintenance 🔹	11:27:55	00:01:CD:0E	F3:3A: WTP fir	ished configuration							
xternal Reporting 🔹 👻	11:27:55	00:01:CD:0E	F3:3A: WTP se	elected Channel=11 a	ind SecondaryChannel=0	on Wlanif=8000					
lonitoring 🗸 🗸	11:27:48	00:01:CD:0E	F3:3A: WTP st	arts configuration							
	11:27:45	00:01:CD:0E	F3:3A: sendin	a configuration inform	nation to WTP (16 tables)						

The configuration now is transfered sequentially to all access points. The configuration of an access point is finished and indicated with status *managed* after the best radio channel was found for it. When assigning radio channels, the WLAN controller ensures that only non-overlapping channels (e.g. 1, 6, 11) are assigned and that interference between the individual access points is kept to a minimum.

Managed access points are locked by the WLAN controller and all direct access to them is prohibited. An access point can only be locally configured after the WLAN controller released the access point.

After all access points are managed, the display changes once again and shows the final result:

Save configuration				wirele	ss LAN Controller Wi	zaru		
Assistants	•							
System Management	*							
Physical Interfaces	-			and the second distance in a second se	we Access Points			
.AN	- Location		IP Address	LAN MAC Address	Wireless Network Profile	Radio Profile	Channel	Status
Vireless LAN Controller	1:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.11	00:01:cd:0e:f3:3a	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	11	OManageo
Wizard	2:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.14	00:01:cd:0f.4b:3c	vss-1:Staff	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	6	OManageo
Controller Configuration		and a second second	1	a second second second second	vss-2:Guests		-	
Slave AP configuration	3:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.16	00:01:cd:0f.4c:ae	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	1	OManaged
Monitoring							19.9	0
Maintenance	4:	WI2065n	10.10.10.13	00:01:cd:06:6b:b0	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	11 6	OManaged
letworking	- 5:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.15	00:01:cd:0e:90:6c	vss-1:Staff	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	11	OManaged
touting Protocols	-		An other second to the		vss-2:Guests		1.1	
luiticast	- 6:	bintec W1002n	10.10.10.12	00:01:cd:0e:ee:bc	vss-1:Staff vss-2:Guests	2.4 GHz Radio Profile	1	OManaged
VAN	•			WI AN.Controller In	istallation completed.			
PN	-				infiguration by pressing th	e "Save Configuration" B	utton in the	e left window.
irewall	* New N	leighborscan		START	C			
olP	-							
ocal Services	*							
laintenance	-							
advantal Demosting								

The configuration now needs to be saved on the WLAN controller device via the **Save configuration** button in the upper left. The access points themselves keep their current configuration in their volatile memory only and do not save it to their persistent memory. In the event of power failure, the configuration within the access points is lost and automatically re-loaded into the access point by the WLAN controller after power is restored. Keeping the configuration only in the volatile memory of the APs has the additional advantage that no sensitive access data (such as WLAN keys) can be compromised through theft of an access point installed at a public location.

After a power failure, all access points are re-initalised by the WLAN controller at once and radio management is not re-started, but the previously used channel is used instead. Thus recovery of WLAN infrastructure after power failure is much faster than the initial rollout.

1.6 Appendix

1.6.1 E-mail alert in case of access point failure

Starting with Release 7.10.1 the WLAN Controller offers the option to send an E-mail in case one of the managed access points is no longer reachable. This is especially helpful in larger and complex WLAN infrastructures where this kind of failure does not become immediately apparent. The necessary configuration is done on the WLAN Controller device in the menu **External Reporting** -> **E-mail Alert** -> **E-mail Alert Recipient**.

Save configuration			E-mail Alert Server E-mail Alert Recipient
Assistants	-		
System Management			
Physical Interfaces	-	Add / Edit E-mail Alert Recipient	
LAN		Recipient	hotline@support.company.tld
Wireless LAN Controller	-	E-Mail Subject	WLAN status: Hotel Lake View
Networking	-		
Routing Protocols	-	Event	Managed AP offline
Multicast	-	Message Timeout	60
WAN	-	Number of Messages	1
VPN	+	Message Compression	₩ Enable
Firewall	-		- Section of
VolP	-		OK Cancel
Local Services	-		
Maintenance	-		
External Reporting			
Syslog			
IP Accounting			
E-mail Alert	_		
SNMP			
Activity Monitor			
Monitoring			

1.6.2 Configuration of a DHCP server on another Bintec router

The requirement is a Bintec router with software release 7.9.6 or higher. Here the DHCP option **CAPWAP Controller** is selected under **Lokal Services** -> **DHCP Server** -> **DHCP Pool** and the IP address of the WLAN controller device is entered in the Value field:

Save configuration			DHCP Pool IP/MAC Binding DHCP Relay Settings
Assistants	-		
System Management	-		
Physical Interfaces	-	Basic Parameters	
AN	-	IP Pool Name	WTPs
Wireless LAN Controller	-	Interface	en1-0
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Routing Protocols	-	ir Address Kange	
Aulticast	-	Pool Usage	Local 🗾
WAN			Advanced Settinger
/PN			Advanced Settings:
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Web Filter			AUU
CAPI Server			
Scheduling			OK Cancel
Surveillance	_		
ISDII Theft Protection			
UPnP	_		
HotSpot Gateway	_		
BRRP	_		
Maintenance			
External Reporting	-		
lonitoring	-		
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1.6.3 Configuration of a DHCP server on Windows Server 2003/2008

First, your Windows DHCP server service must receive a basic set up, i.e. the DHCP IP address range needs to be defined, and standard options such as DNS server and standard gateway/router need to be configured according to your network infrastructure.

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1.6.3.1 Step 1

In the DHCP service window (accessible via **Control Panel**, there under **Administration**), right-click on the existing DHCP service instance (you can identify it through the computer name and the IP address the DHCP service is linked to), then click on **Set Predefined Options** in the expanded context menu.

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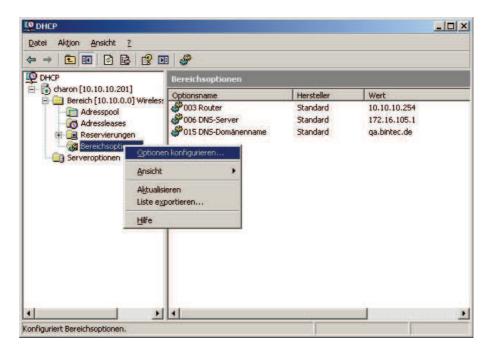
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In the window now opening, click Add to add the CAPWAP option.

1.6.3.3 Step 3

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In the **Option Type** dialogue window, the CAPWAP option is now defined (but not yet activated). **Name** and **Description** can be freely selected, but should be plausible. Data type must be set to *IP* Address, and **Array** checked. In addition, **Code** must be set to *138*. If the code is already in use for another, self-defined DHCP option not matching the CAP-WAP DHCP option, the pre-existing one must first be deleted. Close the dialogue and the previous window by clicking **OK**.



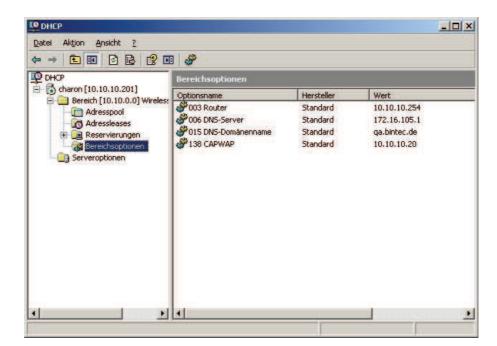
1.6.3.4 Step 4

Now, in the IP address range of the DHCP service already configured for future slave access points, right-click **Range options** and select **Configure Options** in the context menu.

1.6.3.5 Step 5

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In the expanding dialogue window, select option **138** in the list of **Available Options**. In the **IP Address** entry field, enter the IP address of the WLAN controller; then, on the right, click **Add**. Theoretically, it is possible to enter several WLAN controller IP addresses here. At present, however, only the first IP address is taken into account by the Funkwerk access points. Now, also close this dialogue box by clicking **OK**.



1.6.3.6 Step 6

The DHCP service overview window should now also list the CAPWAP option. At this stage, the access points and the WLAN controller in the network for which the DHCP service ihas been configured, can go into operation.

1.6.4 Configuration of a DHCP server under Linux

In the configuration file /etc/dhcp/dhcpd.conf, add the following:

```
# Format definition of DHCP CAPWAP option for Wireless LAN Controller
option wifi-controller code 138 = array of ip-address;
# IP address range for Slave APs/WTPs<
subnet 10.10.0.0 netmask 255.255.255.0 {
range 10.10.10.10 10.10.100;
option domain-name-servers mydnsserver.mydomain.tld;
option routers 10.10.10.1;
option broadcast-address 10.10.10.255;
default-lease-time 600;
max-lease-time 7200;
# IP address of Wireless LAN Controller
option wifi-controller 10.10.10.5;
}
```

The lines beginning with option wifi-controller are the most crucial ones. The first line

defines the data format of option 138, as it is not contained in the standard format definitions of the dhcpd. The second line specifies the IP address of the WLAN controller to which the individual slave AP's log in after they have received all data (own IP address, WLAN controller IP, etc.) from the DHCP server.

Any other information is standard for the definition of a DHCP pool: **subnet**, **range**, **do-main-name-servers**, **routers** etc. need to be configured according to the customer's own requirements.

Once the configuration file is saved, restart the DHCP server with the command / etc/init.d/dhcp-server restart.

1.6.5 Operation of APs with static IP address settings

As described in *DHCP server* on page 4 the DHCP server not only assigns IP addresses but also provides the access points to be managed with the IP address of the WLAN Controller. In case of static IP address settings for access points it is necessary not only to specify an IP address and a netmask at each access point that is to be managed, but also to manually specify the IP address of the WLAN controller. Starting with release 7.10.1 you can find the necessary configuration parameter in the menu **System managment** -> **Global Settings** -> **System** page:

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Assistants	*			
System Management				
Status		Basic Settings		
Global Settings		System Name w1002n		
Interface Mode / Bridge Groups		Location	WINDOW	
Administrative Access		Location		
Remote Authentication		Contact	funkwerk	
Certificates		Maximum Number of Syslog Entries	50	
Physical Interfaces	•			
LAN	-	Maximum Message Level of Syslog Entries	g Entries Information 💌	
Wireless LAN	•	Maximum Number of Accounting Log Entries	20	
Wireless LAN Controller	-	Manual WLAN Controller IP Address	10.10.10.1	
Networking	-			
Routing Protocols	-		OK Cancel	
Multicast	-			
WAN	-			
VPN	-			
Firewall	-			
Local Services	*			
Maintenance	-			
External Reporting	-			
Monitoring	-			

When starting the WLAN controller wizard, it is essential to choose **External** for DHCP Server in WLAN controller wizard step 1.