



CHAPTER 2

Installing Cisco Access Registrar 4.2

This chapter provides information about installing CAR 4.2 software. The software is available in CD-ROM form and can also be downloaded from the Cisco.com website. The installation instructions differ slightly depending on whether you install the software from the Cisco AR CD-ROM or from downloaded software.



Note

CAR 4.2 can be used with Solaris 9, Solaris 10, or the Red Hat Enterprise Linux 4.0 32-bit operating system using kernel 2.6.9-22.0.2.EL or later, and Glibc version: glibc-2.3.4-2.13 or later.

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Installing the Cisco Access Registrar 4.2 License File

You must have a license file in a directory on the Cisco AR machine before you attempt to install Cisco AR software. After purchasing Cisco AR, you will receive a license file in an e-mail attachment. Save or copy this license file to a directory on the Cisco AR workstation. If you have not installed the Cisco AR license file before beginning the software installation, the installation process will fail.

You can store the Cisco AR license file in any directory on the Cisco AR machine. During the installation process, you will be asked the location of the license file, and the installation process will copy the license file to the `/opt/CSCOar/license` directory or to the base installation directory you specify when you install the software if you are not using the default installation location.

The license file might have the name **ciscoar.lic**, but it can be any filename with the suffix **.lic**. To install the Cisco AR license file, you can copy and paste the text into a file, or you can simply save the file you receive in e-mail to an accessible directory.



Note

CAR 4.2 or 4.1 evaluation license can be generated using your CCO account in the Product License Registration tool <http://www.cisco.com/web/go/license/index.html>. The evaluation license is valid only for 90 days. The generated CAR license works for both Solaris as well as Linux server.

Installing Cisco Access Registrar 4.2 Software on Solaris

This section describes the software installation process when installing Cisco AR software on a Solaris workstation for the first time.

This section includes the following subsections:

- [Deciding Where to Install](#)
- [Installing Cisco Access Registrar Software from CD-ROM](#)
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- [Common Solaris Installation Steps](#)
- [Installing Cisco Access Registrar on LDOMs](#)

**Tips**

Before you begin to install the software, check your workstation's `/etc/group` file and make sure that group `staff` exists. The software installation will fail if group `staff` does not exist before you begin.

Deciding Where to Install

Before you begin the software installation, you should decide where you want to install the new software. The default installation directory for CAR 4.2 software is `/opt/CSCOAr`. You can use the default installation directory, or you can choose to install the Cisco AR software in a different directory.

Installing Cisco Access Registrar Software from CD-ROM

The following steps describe how to begin the software installation process when installing software from the CAR 4.2 CD-ROM. If you are installing downloaded software, proceed to [Installing Downloaded Software](#).

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- Step 1** Place the Cisco AR software CD-ROM in the Cisco AR workstation CD-ROM drive.
- Step 2** Log in to the Cisco AR workstation as a root user, and enter one of the following command lines:
- For Solaris 9:
- ```
pkgadd -d /cdrom/cdrom0/kit/solaris-2.9 CSCOAr
```
- For Solaris 10:
- ```
pkgadd -d /cdrom/cdrom0/kit/solaris-2.10 CSCOAr
```
- Step 3** Proceed to [Common Solaris Installation Steps](#).
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Installing Downloaded Software

This section describes how to uncompress and extract downloaded Cisco AR software and begin the software installation.

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- Step 1** Log in to the Cisco AR workstation as a root user.
- Step 2** Change directory to the location where you have stored the uncompressed tarfile.
- ```
cd /tmp
```

**Step 3** Use the following command line to uncompress the tarfile and extract the installation package files.

```
zcat CSCOar-4.2.1-sol9-K9.tar.gz | tar xvf -
```



**Note**

These instructions are for the Solaris 9 package. There is no difference in download or installation procedures for Solaris 9 or Solaris 10 other than the package name.

**Step 4** Enter the following command to begin the installation:

```
pkgadd -d /tmp CSCOar
```

where */tmp* is the temporary directory where you stored and uncompressed the installation files.

**Step 5** Proceed to [Common Solaris Installation Steps](#).

## Common Solaris Installation Steps

This section describes the installation process immediately after you have issued the **pkgadd** command installing from CD-ROM or from downloaded software.

```
Processing package instance <CSCOar> from </tmp>
```

```
Cisco Access Registrar 4.2.1 [SunOS-5.9, official]
(sparc) 4.2.1
Copyright (C) 1998-2008 by Cisco Systems, Inc.
This program contains proprietary and confidential information.
All rights reserved except as may be permitted by prior written consent.
```

```
This package contains the Access Registrar Server and the
Access Registrar Configuration Utility. You can choose to
perform either a Full installation or just install the
Configuration Utility.
```

```
What type of installation: Full, Config only [Full] [?,q]
```

**Step 6** For a full install, press **Enter**.

```
Where do you want to install <CSCOar>? [/opt/CSCOar] [?,q]
```

**Step 7** Press **Enter** to accept the default location of **/opt/CSCOar**, or enter a different directory to be used as the base installation directory.

```
Access Registrar requires FLEXlm license file to operate. A list
of space delimited license files or directories can be supplied as
input; license files must have the extension ".lic".
```

```
Where are the FLEXlm license files located? [] [?,q]
```

**Step 8** Enter the directory where you have stored the CAR 4.2 license file.

```
Access Registrar provides a Web GUI. It requires J2RE version
1.4.* to be installed on the server.
```

```
If you already have a compatible version J2RE installed, please
enter the directory where it is installed. If you do not, the
compatible J2RE version can be downloaded from:
```

```
http://java.sun.com/
```

```
Where is the J2RE installed? [?,q] /nfs/insbu-cnstools/java
```

The J2RE is required to use the Cisco AR GUI. If you already have a Java 2 platform installed, enter the directory where it is installed.

**Note**

If you do not provide the J2RE path, or if the path is empty or unsupported, the installation process exits.

**Step 9** Enter the directory or mount point where the J2RE is installed.

```
If you are not using ORACLE, press Enter/Return to skip this step.
ORACLE installation directory is required for ODBC configuration.
ORACLE_HOME variable will be set in /etc/init.d/arserver script
```

```
Where is ORACLE installed? [] [?,q]
```

**Step 10** If you plan to use Oracle accounting, enter the location where you have installed Oracle; otherwise press **Enter**.

```
If you want to learn about Access Registrar by following the
examples in the Installation and Configuration Guide, you need to
populate the database with the example configuration.
```

```
Do you want to install the example configuration now [n] [y,n,?,q]
```

**Step 11** When prompted whether to install the example configuration now, enter **Y** or **N** to continue.

```
You can add the example configuration at any time by
running the command:
```

```
/opt/CSCOar/bin/aregcmd -f /opt/CSCOar/examples/cli/add-example-configuration.rc
```

**Note**

You can delete the example configuration at any time by running the command **/opt/CSCOar/usrbin/aregcmd -f /opt/CSCOar/examples/cli/delete-example-configuration.rc**.

```
Executing checkinstall script.
```

```
The selected base directory </opt/CSCOar> must exist before
installation is attempted.
```

```
Do you want this directory created now [y,n,?,q] y
```

**Step 12** Enter **Y** to enable the installation process to create the **/opt/CSCOar** directory.

```
Using </opt/CSCOar> as the package base directory.
Processing package information.
Processing system information.
Verifying package dependencies.
Verifying disk space requirements.
Checking for conflicts with packages already installed.
Checking for setuid/setgid programs.
```

```
The following files are being installed with setuid and/or setgid
permissions:
```

```
/opt/CSCOar/.system/screen <setuid root>
/opt/CSCOar/bin/aregcmd <setgid staff>
/opt/CSCOar/bin/radclient <setgid staff>
```

Do you want to install these as setuid/setgid files [y,n,?,q]

**Step 13** Enter **Y** to install the **setuid/setgid** files.

This package contains scripts which will be executed with super-user permission during the process of installing this package.

Do you want to continue with the installation of <CSCOar> [y,n,?]

**Step 14** Enter **Y** to continue with the software installation.

No further interaction is required; the installation process should complete successfully and the **arservagt** is automatically started.

Installing Cisco Access Registrar 4.2.1 [SunOS-5.9, official] as <CSCOar>

```
Installing part 1 of 1.
/opt/CSCOar/.system/add-example-config
/opt/CSCOar/.system/run-ar-scripts
/opt/CSCOar/.system/screen
/opt/CSCOar/README
/opt/CSCOar/bin/arbug
/opt/CSCOar/bin/nasmonitor
/opt/CSCOar/bin/share-access
/opt/CSCOar/bin/xtail
/opt/CSCOar/java/javadoc.tar.gz
/opt/CSCOar/lib/getopts.tcl
.
.
.
setting up product configuration file /opt/CSCOar/conf/car.conf
linking /etc/init.d/arserver to /etc/rc.d files
setting ORACLE_HOME and JAVA_HOME variables in arserver
removing old session information
flushing old replication archive
creating initial configuration database
Rollforward recovery using "/opt/CSCOar/data/db/vista.tjf" started Fri Nov 07 13:54:54
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Rollforward recovery using "/opt/CSCOar/data/db/vista.tjf" finished Fri Nov 07 13:54:54
2008

installing example configuration
We will now generate an RSA key-pair and self-signed certificate that
may be used for test purposes
Generating a 1536 bit RSA private key
.....++++
.....++++
writing new private key to '/cisco-ar/certs/tomcat/server-key.pem'

Server self-signed certificate now resides in /cisco-ar/certs/tomcat/server-cert.pem
Server private RSA key now resides in /cisco-ar/certs/tomcat/server-key.pem

Remember to install additional CA certificates for client verification
Tomcat private RSA key now resides in /cisco-ar/certs/tomcat/server-key.pem
Starting Access Registrar Server Agent...
completed.
The Radius server is now running.
done with postinstall.

Installation of <CSCOar> was successful

hostname root /tmp##
```

## Configuring SNMP

If you choose not to use the SNMP features of CAR, the installation process is completed. To use SNMP features, complete the configuration procedure described in [Configuring SNMP, page 4-14](#).

## RPC Bind Services

The Cisco AR server and the **aregcmd** CLI requires RPC services to be running before the server is started. If the RPC services are stopped, you must restart RPC services, then restart the Cisco AR server. Use the following commands to restart RPC services:

```
/opt/CSCOAr/bin/arserver stop
```

```
/etc/init.d/rpc start
```

```
/opt/CSCOAr/bin/arserver start
```

If RPC services are not running, the following message is displayed when you attempt to start aregcmd:

```
Login to aregcmd fails with the message:
400 Login failed
```

## Installing Cisco Access Registrar on LDomS

Server virtualization is partitioning of network servers into several independent execution environments. Server virtualization allows a data center to be viewed and managed as a set of compute resources rather than a room of individual systems.

Server virtualization feature in CAR will enable maximum resource utilization with dynamic resource allocation between LDomS.



### Note

To know about configuration of CAR on LDomS, see White Paper under CAR Collateral in <http://www.in-nmbu.cisco.com/fieldportal/products/car/summary.cfm?Prod=car&tsession>.

## Installing Cisco Access Registrar 4.2 Software on Linux

This section describes the software installation process when installing Cisco AR software on a Linux workstation for the first time. This section includes the following subsections:

- [Deciding Where to Install](#)
- [Installing Cisco Access Registrar Software from CD-ROM](#)
- [Common Linux Installation Steps](#)



### Tips

Before you begin to install the software, check your workstation's **/etc/group** file and make sure that group **staff** exists. The software installation will fail if group **staff** does not exist before you begin.

## Deciding Where to Install

Before you begin the software installation, you should decide where you want to install the new software. The default installation directory for CAR 4.2 software is `/opt/CSCOAr`. You can use the default installation directory, or you can choose to install the Cisco AR software in a different directory.

## Installing Cisco Access Registrar Software from CD-ROM

The following steps describe how to begin the software installation process when installing software from the CAR 4.2 CD-ROM. If you are installing downloaded software, proceed to [Installing Downloaded Software](#).

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- Step 1** Place the CAR 4.2 software CD-ROM in the Cisco AR workstation CD-ROM drive.
- Step 2** Log in to the Cisco AR workstation as a root user and find a temporary directory, such as `/tmp`, to store the Linux installation file.



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**Note** The temporary directory requires at least 70 MB of free space.

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- Step 3** Change directory to the CD-ROM.
- ```
cd /cdrom/cdrom0/kit/linux-2.4
```
- Step 4** Copy the `CSCOAr-4.2.1-lnx26-install-K9.sh` file to the temporary directory.
- ```
cp CSCOAr-4.2.1-lnx26-install-K9.sh /tmp
```
- Step 5** Change the permissions of the `CSCOAr-4.1.4-lnx24-install-k9.sh` file to make it executable.

```
chmod 777 CSCOAr-4.2.1-lnx26-install-K9.sh
```

To continue the installation, proceed to [Common Linux Installation Steps](#).

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## Common Linux Installation Steps

This section describes how to install the downloaded Cisco AR software for Linux and begin the software installation.



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**Note** The Cisco AR Linux installation automatically installs `aregcmd` and `radclient` as setgid programs in group `adm`.

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- Step 1** Log in to the Cisco AR workstation as a root user.
- Step 2** Change directory to the location where you have stored the `CSCOAr-4.1.4-lnx26-install-K9.sh` file.

```
cd /tmp
```

**Step 3** Enter the name of the script file to begin the installation:

**./CSCOAr-4.2.1-lnx26-install-k9.sh**

```
Name : CSCOAr Relocations: /opt/CSCOAr
Version : 4.2.1 Vendor: Cisco Systems, Inc.
Release : 1140764415 Build Date: Mon Nov 03 23:55:51 2008
Install date: (not installed) Build Host: spencer.cnsiab.cisco.com
Summary : Access Registrar, a carrier-class RADIUS server
build_tag: [Linux-2.6.20, official]
```

```
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This program contains proprietary and confidential information.
All rights reserved except as may be permitted by prior written consent.
```

```
This package contains the Access Registrar Server and the Access
Registrar Configuration Utility. All the Client, Server, and
Configuration utilities will be installed.
```

```
Where do you want to install <CSCOAr>? [/opt/CSCOAr] [?,q]
```

**Step 4** Press **Enter** to accept the default location of **/opt/CSCOAr**, or enter a different directory to be used as the base installation directory.

```
Access Registrar requires FLEXlm license file to operate. A list
of space delimited license files or directories can be supplied as
input; license files must have the extension ".lic".
```

```
Where are the FLEXlm license files located? [] [?,q]
```

**Step 5** Enter the directory where you have stored the Cisco AR license file.

```
Access Registrar provides a Web GUI. It requires J2RE version 1.4.*
to be installed on the server.
```

```
If you already have a compatible version of J2RE installed, please
enter the directory where it is installed. If you do not, the
compatible J2RE version can be downloaded from:
```

```
http://java.sun.com/
```

```
Where is the J2RE installed? [] [?,q]
```

The J2RE is required to use the CAR 4.2 GUI. If you already have a Java 2 platform installed, enter the directory where it is installed.



**Note**

If you do not provide the J2RE path, or if the path is empty or unsupported, the installation process exits.

```
If you are not using ORACLE, press Enter/Return to skip this step.
ORACLE installation directory is required for ODBC configuration.
ORACLE_HOME variable will be set in /etc/init.d/arserver script
```

```
Where is ORACLE installed? [] [?,q]
```

**Step 6** Enter the location where you have installed Oracle, otherwise press **Enter**.

```
If you want to learn about Access Registrar by following the examples
in the Installation and Configuration Guide, you need to populate
the database with the example configuration.
```

```
Do you want to install the example configuration now? [n]: [y,n,?,q] y
```

**Step 7** When prompted whether to install the example configuration now, enter **Y** or **N** to continue.



**Note**

You can delete the example configuration at any time by running the command  
**/opt/CSCOar/usrbin/aregcmd -f /opt/CSCOar/examples/cli/delete-example-configuration.rc.**

```

unpack the rpm file done
Preparing... ##### [100%]
 1:CSCOarui-add ##### [100%]
Archive: ./jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6.zip
 creating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/
 inflating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/bootstrap.jar
 inflating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/catalina.bat
 inflating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/catalina.sh
 inflating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/cpappend.bat
 inflating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/digest.bat
 inflating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/digest.sh
 inflating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/jasper.bat
 inflating: /opt/CSCOar/jakarta-tomcat-4.0.6/bin/jasper.sh
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.
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Rollforward recovery using "/opt/CSCOar/data/db/vista.tjf" finished Fri Nov 07 15:30:40
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add-example-config y
calling gen-tomcat
We will now generate an RSA key-pair and self-signed certificate that
may be used for test purposes
Generating a 1536 bit RSA private key
.....++++
.....++++
writing new private key to '/cisco-ar/certs/tomcat/server-key.pem'

Server self-signed certificate now resides in /cisco-ar/certs/tomcat/server-cert.pem
Server private RSA key now resides in /cisco-ar/certs/tomcat/server-key.pem

Remember to install additional CA certificates for client verification
Tomcat private RSA key now resides in /cisco-ar/certs/tomcat/server-key.pem
Starting Access Registrar Server Agent..completed.
The Radius server is now running.

hostname root /tmp###

```

## Configuring SNMP

If you choose not to use the SNMP features of Cisco AR, the installation process is completed. To use SNMP features, complete the configuration procedure described in [Configuring SNMP, page 4-14](#).