

AOS-S Switch 16.11.0012

Release Notes



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Important Information

To avoid damage to your equipment, do not interrupt power to the switch during a software update.

Terminology Change

As part of advancing HPE's commitment to racial justice, we are taking a much-needed step in overhauling HPE engineering terminology to reflect our belief system of diversity and inclusion. Some legacy products and publications may continue to include terminology that seemingly evokes bias against specific groups of people. Such content is not representative of our HPE culture and moving forward, Aruba will replace racially insensitive terms and instead use the following new language:

Usage	Old Language	New Language
Switch Security	Master	Main
Switch Routing	Master	Main Router
Smart Link	Master-Slave	Primary-Secondary
Chassis Events, IPv6 Configuration, and Troubleshooting	Master-Slave	Management-Slot
Switch Stack	Master-Slave	Conductor-Member
Switch Security, Configuration and Routing	Blacklist, Whitelist	Denylist, Allowlist
Route Type	Blackhole Route	Null Route
Type of Hackers	Black Hat, White Hat	Unethical, Ethical

Version History



All released versions are fully supported by Hewlett Packard Enterprise, unless noted in the table.

Table 1: Version History

Version number	Software	Release Date	Remarks
16.11.0012	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2023-05-29	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0011	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2023-04-10	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0010	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2023-02-15	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0009	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	-	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.
16.11.0008	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2022-11-14	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0007	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2022-10-03	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0006	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2022-07-29	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0005	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2022-05-30	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0004	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2022-03-16	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0003	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2021-12-13	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0002	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2021-09-30	Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.
16.11.0001	KB, WC, YC, and YA/YB	2021-09-13	Initial release of the 16.11 branch. Released, fully supported, and posted on the web.

Security Bulletin Subscription Service

You can sign up at https://sirt.arubanetworks.com/mailman/listinfo/security-alerts_sirt.arubanetworks.com to initiate a subscription to receive future Aruba Security Bulletin alerts via email.

Compatibility/Interoperability

The switch web agent supports the following web browsers:

- Internet Explorer- Edge, 11
- Chrome- 53, 52
- Firefox- 49, 48
- Safari (MacOS only)- 10, 9



HPE recommends using the most recent version of each browser as of the date of this release note.

This release note covers software versions for the KB.16.11 branch of the software.

Version KB.16.11.0001 is the initial build of Major version KB.16.11 software. KB.16.11.0012 includes all enhancements and fixes in the KB.16.11.0011 software, plus the additional enhancements and fixes in the KB.16.11.0012 enhancements and fixes sections of this release note.

This release applies to the following Aruba 5400R Switch Series and Aruba 3810M Switch Series:

Table 2: Products Supported

Product number	Description
J9821A	Aruba 5406R z12 Switch
J9823A	Aruba 5406R 44G PoE+/2SFP+ (No PSU) v2 z12 Switch
J9824A	Aruba 5406R 44G PoE+/4SFP (No PSU) v2 z12 Switch
J9822A	Aruba 5412R z12 Switch
J9825A	Aruba 5412R 92G PoE+/2SFP+ (No PSU) v2 z12 Switch
J9826A	Aruba 5412R 92G PoE+/4SFP (No PSU) v2 z12 Switch
J9868A	Aruba 5406R 8XGT/8SFP+ (No PSU) v2 z12 Switch
JL001A	Aruba 5412R 92GT PoE+ / 4SFP+ (No PSU) v3 z12 Switch
JL002A	Aruba 5406R 8 port 1/2.5/5/10GBASE T PoE+ / 8 port SFP+ (No PSU) v3 z12 Switch
JL095A	Aruba 5406R 16 port SFP+ (No PSU) v3 z12 Switch
JL003A	Aruba 5406R 44GT PoE+ / 4SFP+ (No PSU) v3 z12 Switch
JL071A	Aruba 3810M 24G 1 slot Switch
JL072A	Aruba 3810M 48G 1 slot Switch
JL073A	Aruba 3810M 24G PoE+ 1 slot Switch
JL074A	Aruba 3810M 48G PoE+ 1 slot Switch
JL075A	Aruba 3810M 16SFP+ 2 slot Switch
JL076A	Aruba 3810M 40G 8 HPE Smart Rate PoE+ 1 slot Switch

Minimum Supported Software Versions



If your switch or module is not listed in the below table, it runs on all versions of the software.

Table 3: Minimum Supported Software Versions

Product number	Product name	Minimum software version
J9986A	HPE 24-port 10/100/1000BASE-T PoE+ MACsec v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9987A	HPE 24-port 10/100/1000BASE-T MACsec v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9988A	HPE 24-port 1GbE SFP MACsec v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9989A	HPE 12-port 10/100/1000BASE-T PoE+ / 12-port 1GbE SFP MACsec v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9990A	HPE 20-port 10/100/1000BASE-T PoE+ / 4-port 1G/10GbE SFP+ MACsec v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9991A	HPE 20-port 10/100/1000BASE-T PoE+ / 4p 1/2.5/5/10GBASE-T PoE+ MACsec v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9992A	HPE 20-port 10/100/1000BASE-T PoE+ MACsec / 1-port 40GbE QSFP+ v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9993A	HPE 8-port 1G/10GbE SFP+ MACsec v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9995A	HPE 8-port 1/2.5/5/10GBASE-T PoE+ MACsec v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
J9996A	HPE 2-port 40GbE QSFP+ v3 zl2 Module	KB.15.17.0003
JH231A	HPE X142 40G QSFP+ MPO SR4 Transceiver	KB.15.17.0003
JH232A	HPE X142 40G QSFP+ LC LR4 SM Transceiver	KB.15.17.0003
JH233A	HPE X142 40G QSFP+ MPO eSR4 300M XCVR	KB.15.17.0003
JH234A	HPE X242 40G QSFP+ to QSFP+ 1m DAC Cable	KB.15.17.0003
JH235A	HPE X242 40G QSFP+ to QSFP+ 3m DAC Cable	KB.15.17.0003
JH236A	HPE X242 40G QSFP+ to QSFP+ 5m DAC Cable	KB.15.17.0003
JL001A	Aruba 5412R 92GT PoE+ / 4SFP+ (No PSU) v3 zl2 Switch	KB.15.17.0003
JL002A	Aruba 5406R 8-port 1/2.5/5/10GBASE-T PoE+ / 8-port SFP+ (No PSU) v3 zl2 Switch	KB.15.17.0003
JL003A	Aruba 5406R 44GT PoE+ / 4SFP+ (No PSU) v3 zl2 Switch	KB.15.17.0003
JL095A	Aruba 5406R 16-port SFP+ (No PSU) v3 zl2 Switch	KB.15.17.0003
JL075A	Aruba 3810M 16SFP+ 2-slot Switch	KB.16.01.0004
JL071A	Aruba 3810M 24G 1-slot Switch	KB.16.01.0004

Product number	Product name	Minimum software version
JL073A	Aruba 3810M 24G PoE+ 1-slot Switch	KB.16.01.0004
JL076A	Aruba 3810M 40G 8 HPE Smart Rate PoE+ 1-slot Switch	KB.16.01.0004
JL072A	Aruba 3810M 48G 1-slot Switch	KB.16.01.0004
JL074A	Aruba 3810M 48G PoE+ 1-slot Switch	KB.16.01.0004
JL081A	Aruba 3810M/2930M 4 1/2.5/5/10 GbE HPE Smart Rate Module	KB.16.04.0008
JL308A	Aruba 40G QSFP+ LC Bidirectional 150m MMF 2-strand Transceiver	KB.16.04.0008
JL745A	Aruba 1G SFP LC SX 500m MMF TAA XCVR	KB.16.10.0007
JL746A	Aruba 1G SFP LC LX 10km SMF TAA XCVR	KB.16.10.0007
JL747A	Aruba 1G SFP RJ45 T 100m Cat5e TAA XCVR	KB.16.10.0007
JL748A	Aruba 10G SFP+ LC SR 300m MMF TAA XCVR	KB.16.10.0007
JL749A	Aruba 10G SFP+ LC LR 10km SMF TAA XCVR	KB.16.10.0007



For information on networking application compatibility, see the Software Feature Support Matrix.

Enhancements

This section lists enhancements added to this branch of the software.

Software enhancements are listed in reverse-chronological order, with the newest on the top of the list. Unless otherwise noted, each software version listed includes all enhancements added in earlier versions.

Table 4: Enhancements

Version	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0012	KB	Support for https-based firmware downloads from Aruba Central has been added. The firmware has been embedded with trust anchor for verifying the firmware repository server certificate. Updates are made to verify the Subject Alternative Name (SAN) from the server certificate and to limit the newly added trust anchor for only https-based firmware downloads.	Central Integration
16.11.0011	KB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0011.	NA
16.11.0010	KB	The User Role feature of the switch is enhanced to allow configuring the authentication client limits for a port.	User Role

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		<p>The following new attributes are added under the device context of user role.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <code>client-limit dot1x</code>: Configure the 802.1X client-limit . ▪ <code>client-limit mac-based</code>: Configure the mac-based client-limit on the client's port using the User Role. <p>When a client is authenticated with an user role with above attributes, the ports client limit is temporarily overridden. Multiple overrides are allowed on same port using user role or RADIUS VSA, only if the new limits are greater than already applied limit.</p>	
16.11.0009	KB	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.	NA
16.11.0008	KB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0008.	NA
16.11.0007	KB	<p>A new configuration option is added in LLDP to mention which VLANs IP address should be included in the outbound LLDP advertisements of switch ports.</p> <p>The IPv4/IPv6 address configured statically or dynamically assigned through DHCP on the specified management VLAN will be included in the outbound LLDP advertisements.</p> <p>Syntax: <code>[no] lldp management-address vlan <vid></code></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Interface level management address configuration will take precedence over the newly introduced management VLAN address. ▪ In case of Multinetting, first IP address in the interface will be advertised. ▪ Statically configured and dynamically assigned IP address of the LLDP management VLAN will be considered for advertising. ▪ If the LLDP management VLAN has both IPv4 and IPv6 address configured, then both IPv4 and IPv6 address will be advertised. ▪ If there is no IPv4 or IPv6 address present in the configured LLDP management VLAN, then the existing workflow will be used to select the management address. Refer to the <i>Aruba 2530 Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information on the workflow. 	LLDP
16.11.0007	KB	<p>To provide a secured management connection to the switch, the following improvements are made:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Disabled TELNET on default configuration (no telnet-server). ▪ Disabled HTTP on default configuration (no web- 	Security

Version	Software	Description	Category
		<p>management).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enabled HTTPS on default configuration (web-management ssl) using the installed self-signed certificate. Switch will redirect all HTTP request (including REST) to HTTPS, when HTTP is disabled and HTTPS is enabled. <p>The above configuration changes will be applied on firmware upgrade of switches with default configuration, i.e. only for switches that meet the following configuration criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only the default VLAN must be present. The default VLAN should have DHCP IP rather than a static IP. AirWave should not be configured. Aruba Central URL should not be configured. Manger password should not be configured. 	
16.11.0006	KB	<p>The IP Auth manager feature has been added to close a TCP connection from an unauthorized client by sending a TCP RST immediately after receiving a TCP SYN packet, rather than allowing a complete three-way TCP handshake and then sending a TCP RST.</p> <p>NOTE: When an unauthorized client connects via the OOBM port, the existing behaviour remains unchanged.</p>	Security
16.11.0005	KB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0005.	NA
16.11.0004	KB	<p>OSPF Route Filtering feature provides an option to filter the intra-area routes from installing into local FIB table.</p> <p>By using this, operator can create <code>distribute-list</code> with one or more network addresses which will be used to filter the intra area routes in OSPFv2/OSPFv3.</p> <p>Syntax: OSPFv2: <code>distribute-list <IP-ADDR>/<Prefix-Len></code> OSPFv3: <code>distribute-list <IPV6-ADDR>/<Prefix-Len></code></p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 3810/5400R Multicasting and Routing Guide for AOS-S Switch 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba 3810/5400R IPv6 Configuration Guide for AOS-S Switch 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	OSPF/OSPFv3
16.11.0004	KB	<p>Added support in Device fingerprinting (DFP) module to send protocol data to Aruba Central for telemetry.</p> <p>Added <code>options-list</code> parameter to device-fingerprinting CLI. Switch software is enhanced to collect DHCP options list and up to three instances of HTTP user agent headers.</p>	Device Finger Printing

Version	Software	Description	Category
		<p>Syntax: device-fingerprinting [policy]<PROFILE_NAME> dhcp [option-num <NUM> options-list].</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 3810/5400R Access Security Guide for AOS-S Switch 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	
16.11.0003	KB	<p>The Enrollment over Secured Transport (EST) client feature is updated to download and renew the CA certificates from an EST server independent of application certificate enrollment. A new command <code>est-server <profile-name> cacerts-download</code> is added to enable independent CA certificate download from the EST server. This enhancement initiates automatic CA certificate download and renewal when the existing TA profile is about to expire. The switch will use the existing <code>est-server <profile-name> re-enrollment-prior-expiry</code> command to determine how many days in advance the renewal is to be done. A MIB has also been added to enable automatic download and renewal of the CA certificates from the EST server.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 3810/5400R Access Security Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba MIB and Trap Support Matrix for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	EST
16.11.0002	KB	<p>TCP timestamps are an extension to the original TCP stack, that was introduced to identify and reject old duplicate packets (PAWS) and to improve round-trip-time measurement. Using a scanner or other tool, an attacker can observe the TCP timestamp and determine the system uptime to gain information about the operational state of the system.</p> <p>To avoid such risks, a new command <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> has been introduced to randomize the TCP timestamp offsets per connection. Once the command is issued, all the newly established TCP sessions will use a random offset along with the timestamp.</p> <p>A MIB has also been added to enable or disable the randomization of TCP timestamp offsets.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 3810/5400R Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba MIB and Trap Support Matrix for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	Security
16.11.0002	KB	<p>This is an enhancement to an existing User-Based Tunneling <code>vlan-extend-enable</code> (VLAN-aware) mode. Silent devices like Programmable Logic Controller (PLC) devices do not initiate any traffic until they receive a message from the uplink server. Thus, such devices cannot leverage the benefits of colorless ports, which include being authenticated through a RADIUS server and being dynamically placed in a VLAN or being tunneled to a controller.</p>	Support for Silent Device

Version	Software	Description	Category
		<p>To support such silent devices, a new command <code>tunneled-node-server ubt-wol-enable vlan <VLAN-ID-LIST></code> has been introduced. This command configures the silent client so that the controller allows the first packet from the silent server to reach the silent client without a user tunnel. This will initiate user authentication and tunnel formation.</p> <p>A MIB has also been added to enable User-Based Tunneling Wake-on-LAN (WoL) on the specified VLANs.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 3810/5400R Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba MIB and Trap Support Matrix for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	
16.11.0001	KB	Updated all non-inclusive terminologies. Refer to Terminology Change for more information.	-

Fixes

This section lists released builds that include fixes found in this branch of the software. Software fixes are listed in reverse-chronological order, with the newest on the top of the list. Unless otherwise noted, each software version listed includes all fixes added in earlier versions.

The Symptom statement describes what a user might experience if this is seen on the network. The Scenario statement provides additional environment details and trigger summaries. When available, the Workaround statement provides a workaround to the issue for customers who decide not to update to this version of software.

The number that precedes the fix description is used for tracking purposes.

Table 5: Fixed Issues

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0012	256928	KB	<p>Symptom: The interface module of the switch crashes with either of the following signatures.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ports 1-24,A subsystem went down: 12/15/22 08:31:08 KB.16.10.0020 646Software exception in kernel context at ghsException.c:1539-> Internal system error at 0x869e034 Ports 1-24,A subsystem went down: 12/11/22 02:42:10 KB.16.10.0020 646Health Monitor: Write Error Restr Mem AccessHW Addr=0xc04e1c18 IP=0x882bfbcb Task='mPmSlvCtrl' Task ID=0x6bce41c0Bus Err Data=0x00000000 Bus Err Status=0x100008d1 Status=0xb0000001 Bus Err Addr=0xec020f4 	Flex Port

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ports 9-16 subsystem went down: 12/08/22 01:09:01 KB.16.10.0020 646Health Monitor: Read Error Restr Mem AccessHW Addr=0xe0200410 IP=0x8800c74 Task='mIpAdMUpCt' Task ID=0x6bccc140Bus Err Data=0x00000000 Bus Err Status=0x100008d1 Status=0xb0000001 Bus Err Addr=0xec02f540 	
16.11.0012	257080	KB	<p>Symptom: VSF switch stack connected to Aruba Central crashes.</p> <p>Scenario: This crash is a rare scenario and occurred when one of the switch members was not able to collect the temperate data.</p>	Central Integration
16.11.0012	257033	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch logs the event :Unsolicited Echo Reply from <ip address>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the DHCP server was enabled in the switch and the DHCP client connected to the switch for the first time.</p>	DHCP
16.11.0012	257023	KB	<p>Symptom: amp-server secret is not encrypted even after configuring encrypt-credentials.</p> <p>Scenario: This problem occurred when the amp-server secret was configured, followed by encrypt-credentials, but the amp-server secret was not encrypted and appeared as plain-text under show running-config.</p>	Config
16.11.0012	257031	KB	<p>Symptom: Switch crashes due to invalid memory access.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch sent DFP data to Cisco ISE.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure the valid ClearPass IP address and credentials in the switch.</p>	Device Finger Printing
16.11.0012	257005	KB	<p>Symptom: SSH session from the switch to AP505 does not close sometimes when the exit command is executed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the SSH session is established from the switch to AP 505. execute the command exit.</p> <p>Workaround: Use the key sequence ~.</p>	SSH
16.11.0011	256897	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes with the message similar to Software exception in ISR at Interrupts_fd.c:1145 -> Excessive FD 0 interrupts.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the IPSEC traffic was tunneled via UBT.</p>	Tunneled Node

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0011	256956	KB	Symptom: An incorrect community string is advertised from a neighbor AOS-S switch. Scenario: This issue occurred when the BGP community string with more than 3 digits was set in the format AS:NN on a KB platform switch and advertised to neighbor. Workaround: Use a shorter community string.	BGP
16.11.0011	256927	KB	Symptom: The devices that are not directly connected to the switch show up in the LLDP neighbour table. Scenario: This issue occurred when the device sent LLDPDUs with the STP multicast destination MAC address and STP was disabled in the switch. Workaround: Configure an ACL on the interface connected to the device to drop the packets with STP multicast destination MAC address.	LLDP
16.11.0011	256958	KB	Symptom: The top interface metric is empty in the dashboard page of WebUI. Scenario: This issue occurred when the WebUI was accessed 18 times or more with the duration of each access lasting more than a minute. Workaround: Reboot the switch.	WebUI
16.11.0011	256991	KB	Symptom: The switch fails to come online. Scenario: This issue occurred when the <code>netservice</code> and <code>netdestination</code> was configured with <code>ip access-list</code> on the switch. Workaround: Remove the <code>netservice</code> configuration.	Management Stacking
16.11.0011	256995	KB	Symptom: Unable to get the LAG MIB information through SNMP in the operator mode. Scenario: This issue occurred when the LACP and SNMP server community were configured in the operator mode and SNMP Walk was performed.	SNMPv2
16.11.0011	256987	KB	Symptom: The switch crashes while connecting to Aruba Central. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch running AOS-S16.07 or older version was upgraded to AOS-S 16.08 or a later version and attempted to connect to Aruba Central. This issue has a very low probability of occurrence. Workaround: Power cycle the switch one more time after the upgrade.	REST Infrastructure
16.11.0011	256905	KB	Symptom: The switch passwords are not erased after <code>erase all</code> command is executed. Scenario: This issue occurred when the passwords were configured on the switch and then the <code>erase all</code> command was executed.	Credentials

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			Workaround: Execute <code>no password manager/no password operator</code> commands prior to the <code>erase all</code> command.	
16.11.0011	256876	KB	<p>Symptom: HTTP traffic from clients does not pass through UBT.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the UBT topology with device finger-printing was enabled on the switch. Device finger-printing must include HTTP protocol.</p> <p>Workaround: Disable device finger-printing.</p>	Device Finger Printing
16.11.0010	256816	KB	<p>Symptom: Some of the data displayed in the <code>show system power-supply detail</code> command output, such as AC MAIN Voltage and Power Supplied may be incorrect for some JL087A model PSUs.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when some of the JL087A model PSUs were powered on and the <code>show-system power-supply</code> command was executed and the output parameters like Voltage and Power were out of range.</p> <p>Note: This is an issue with the command output only and doesn't impact the PSU functionality.</p>	Chassis Manager
16.11.0010	256676	KB	<p>Symptom: The PSU is operational and delivering power, even though the status is displayed as Faulted in some PSU/PoE related <code>show</code> commands.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the PSU fan had a failure and the PSU/PoE related <code>show</code> commands were executed.</p> <p>Note: PSU may be operational in this scenario although the related <code>show</code> commands indicate a fault. If the operating temperature is no longer ambient for PSU, it will shut down and the PSU operational state will match the output of the <code>show</code> command.</p>	Chassis Manager
16.11.0010	256679	KB	<p>Symptom: Switch event logs will not be generated even if PSU encounters multiple problems like over temperature, over current, fan fault, and so on.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when there was a recurring set of one or more PSU events, such as overcurrent, overheating, and so on. However, such events are not anticipated in most of the deployments.</p>	Chassis Manager
16.11.0010	256651	KB	<p>Symptom: System memory depletes and the switch reboots after a few months of runtime.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was connected to AirWave, and the AirWave was polling certain MIBs including <code>ieee8021SpanningTreeDesignatedRoot</code> and <code>hpicfXpsSwitchModType</code>.</p>	Central Integration

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0010	256812	KB	<p>Symptom: The simultaneous execution of <code>Show Tech</code> from the switch CLI and from Aruba Central may cause the switch to crash.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the user executed the <code>Show Tech</code> command in CLI and Aruba Central in parallel.</p>	Boot and Reload
16.11.0010	256872	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes with the message similar to: NMI event SW:IP=0x0ea80030 MSR:0x02029200 LR:0x0ea800cccr: 0x42000400 sp:0x1f5d46e8 xer:0x00000000Task='mDsnoopCtrl' Task ID=0x1f5d13a8.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue can occur if the DHCP snooping is enabled and the switch is processing continuous DHCP packets.</p> <p>Workaround: Disable the DHCP snooping.</p>	DHCP Snooping
16.11.0010	256887	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch management module crashes.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was configured with an initial role containing a <code>reauth-period</code>. The mac-auth clients were placed in the initial role as the controller was not reachable. Later, the controller connectivity was regained within the time window of the mac-auth client re-authentication.</p>	Coredump
16.11.0010	256860	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch will run out of ternary content addressable memory (TCAM) meter resources and the client authentication using user roles fails.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the last port with DFP config was toggled for several times.</p>	Device Finger Printing
16.11.0010	256898	KB	<p>Symptom: Authentication fails due to an insufficient ACL resources error.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the client was authenticated using a user role with a classifier configuration having a VLAN which was not configured on the switch.</p> <p>Workaround: Make sure that the VLANs used in classifier configuration is present in the switch.</p>	Access Control Lists (ACL)
16.11.0009	-	KB	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.	-
16.11.0008	256574	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes if the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration is present on the switch.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration and SSH/Telnet/Web UI was established on the switch.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration.</p>	Boot and Reload

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0008	256762	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch configuration fails with an <code>invalid oobm</code> or <code>400 bad response</code> error when the RADIUS server is updated with <code>is_oobm</code> or <code>is_tls_oobm</code> and the value is updated from <code>False</code> to <code>False</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the PUT request was sent to the RADIUS server with <code>is_oobm</code> or <code>is_tls_oobm</code> and the value was updated from <code>False</code> to <code>False</code> (no change).</p>	REST APIs
16.11.0008	256800	KB	<p>Symptom: Clients experience random connectivity issues in a topology with the distributed trunking (DT) switches because connected devices' MAC addresses are learned on the inter switch connect (ISC) ports.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the DT switches were not connected (inter switch connect) via a direct layer 1 connection, and ISC port flaps on either of the DT switches.</p> <p>Workaround: Clear MAC address on both the DT switches.</p>	Distributed Trunking
16.11.0007	256543	KB	<p>Symptom: IPTV stream freezes on a periodic basis as the querier information is lost.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when IGMPv3 query was sent with a QQIC value lower than IGMPv2 config.</p> <p>Workaround: Change the querier interval value configured for IGMPv2 to a value higher than 60 seconds (default IGMPv2 querier interval).</p>	IGMPv3
16.11.0007	256613	KB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: Some IP addresses for <code>save config</code> and <code>config change</code> in the traps will not be displayed in the AirWave.</p>	AirWave
16.11.0007	256631	KB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: UBT Client on one port will authenticate and a tunnel is established, but no traffic passes and the <code>counter packets to non existent tunnel</code> will increase. Other ports may function normally.</p> <p>Workaround: <code>Disable</code> or <code>Enable</code> either the <code>tunneled-node-profile</code> or the UBT user port.</p>	Tunneled Node
16.11.0007	256695	KB	<p>Symptom: Dynamically learned routes will lose the nexthop and traffic will not be forwarded.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when VRRP was configured in owner mode along with routing protocols.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure VRRP in backup mode when using routing protocols.</p>	OSPFv2

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0007	256733	KB	<p>Symptom: IP SLA for reachability failed status shows garbage RTT value when polling using SNMP, i.e. <code>hpicfIpSlaHistSummRTT</code> returns non zero values even for unreachable history records.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the IP SLA target was reachable for 25 intervals and then became unreachable.</p>	IP SLA
16.11.0007	256575	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch stops responding to valid SNMP packets.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the UDP packets were sent without any data. After 65 packets, the switch will stop responding to valid packets.</p>	SNMPv3
16.11.0007	256600	KB	<p>Symptom: Client will not be in authenticated state until cached-reauth period.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the 802.1x authentication was configured with the cached-reauth.</p> <p>Workaround:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First, enable the user-role authentication and then configure the critical user-role for the authentication port. Critical user-role should not have the reauth-period attribute and auth-order should be removed for the authentication port. 	802.1x
16.11.0007	256732	KB	<p>Symptom: Local-user with group cannot be configured via SNMP.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the local-user with group using SNMP was configured.</p> <p>Workaround: User can configure local-user with group using CLI configuration.</p>	SNMPv2
16.11.0006	256590	KB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: When a port is added to a VLAN from the Web UI, IPv6 will be enabled on the VLAN.</p>	NextGen WebUI
16.11.0006	256541	KB	<p>Symptom: Authentication or Accounting using RadSec server is delayed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when there was only one RadSec server configured and the TLS connection to that server was terminated.</p>	Radius
16.11.0006	256509	KB	<p>Symptom: The BSR and RP candidate cannot be configured with a VLAN ID greater than 999.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a VLAN ID greater than 999 was configured with <code>ip pim-sparse enabled</code> and <code>bsr-candidate/rp-candidate</code> was configured in router <code>pim/pim6</code> with the respective VLAN ID.</p>	PIM Sparse Mode

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0006	256491	KB	<p>Symptom: Multicast traffic stops for several seconds, causing the video stream to freeze.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when multiple clients were connected to the same access switch (the access layer with AOS-S switches and distribution/core layer with CX switches) receiving the same multicast stream, and one of the clients sent an IGMP leave.</p> <p>NOTE: This fix is only specific to IGMPv2.</p>	IGMP
16.11.0006	256485	KB	<p>Symptom: REST request over HTTPS fails as SSL connection is not established.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a GET request with an empty JSON payload was sent.</p> <p>Workaround: Replace the empty JSON payload with <i>None</i> in the GET request.</p>	REST APIs
16.11.0006	256372	KB	<p>Symptom: Traffic from the secondary VLAN does not reach the primary VLAN.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when there was a tagged trunk port in the secondary VLAN and the switch was rebooted.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the tagged trunk configuration from the secondary VLAN and re-add the tagged trunk configuration to the secondary VLAN.</p>	PVLAN
16.11.0006	256358	KB	<p>Symptom: An invalid username or password grants the operator access to the switch's Web UI.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a banner and a manager password were configured but not an operator password.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the banner configuration.</p>	WEB UI
16.11.0005	256433	KB	<p>Symptom: When an end client is moved between two different switches, authentication does not occur on the second switch.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the MAC address of the end client is learned on the uplink port first (where authentication was not enabled) and later learned on an access port (where authentication was enabled).</p>	Mac Authentication
16.11.0005	256424	KB	<p>Symptom: Device fingerprinting fails when the first RADIUS server in the list is unreachable.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when there were more than one RADIUS server configured and the first server in the list was not reachable.</p> <p>Workaround: Keep the unreachable RADIUS server as the last entry in the list.</p>	Device Finger Printing
16.11.0005	256420	KB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: The switch crashes after entering the <code>ip-recv-mac-address</code> command.</p> <p>Workaround: Use an interval value greater than 2 when configuring <code>ip-recv-mac-address</code>.</p>	Boot and Reload

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0005	256406	KB	<p>Symptom: Traffic is sent directly to clients in VLANs that do not have an IP address configured instead of being sent to the gateway configured in the routing table.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had both Layer 2 and Layer 3 VLANs and IP client tracker was enabled.</p> <p>Workaround: Disable the IP client tracker.</p> <p>Note: The IP address of silent clients being tracked may not be learnt unless a port bounce is performed after a redundancy failover.</p>	Static Routing
16.11.0005	256366	KB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: The switch crashes with a message similar to the following: <code>Software exception at multMgmtUtil.c:259 - in 'mOobmCtrl' -> Internal error.</code></p>	Coredump
16.11.0005	256349	KB	<p>Symptom: The memory of the switch is slowly consumed until executing any CLI command results in an <code>Out of memory</code> message.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had <code>aaa</code> configured, was connected to Aruba Central, and had neighbours that shared LLDP information.</p>	VSF
16.11.0005	256122	KB	<p>Symptom: Tx drops are seen on the port after the trunk member is removed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the port was configured to be a member of the trunk and subsequently removed from the trunk when the port was down. The issue will be seen when a client is connected to the port.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure the trunk while the port is up.</p>	LACP
16.11.0005	256069	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch reports a selftest failure on transceiver ports with <code>Rx timeout error</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the 3810 stack rebooted with SFP+ flex modules and J8177D transceivers.</p>	Chassis Manager
16.11.0004	256274	KB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: VSF Stack Member crashed with a message similar to the following: <code>Software exception at lava_chassis_slot_sm.c:3626 - in 'eChassMgr', task ID = 0x37b07bc0.</code></p>	VSF
16.11.0004	256257	KB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: Certain transceivers had link issues in unsupported transceiver mode.</p>	Transceivers
16.11.0004	256234	KB	<p>Symptom: The <code>show rmon statistics <port no></code> command returns the wrong counter values.</p>	CLI

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			Scenario: This issue occurred when the <code>clear statistics global</code> or <code>clear statistics <port no></code> was executed first and then <code>show rmon statistics <port no></code> .	
16.11.0004	256233	KB	<p>Symptom: Client ports may encounter packet drops when multicast sources stream video over 500 Mbps.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue can occur when multiple clients from different ports subscribed to the same group, which streams using HD channels requiring high bandwidth. TX drops can occur when several clients change channels simultaneously.</p> <p>Workaround: Lower the bandwidth of the video streams to below 500 Mbps in order to avoid over-subscription of ports.</p>	IGMP-NG
16.11.0004	256220	KB	<p>Symptom: Missing OSPF routes.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when both userbased tunneling and OSPF are configured and either of the uplinks to the controller is down.</p> <p>NOTE: <code>source-interface</code> to be configured for tunneled node when the switch has more than one vlan to the reach the controller.</p>	OSPFv2
16.11.0004	256205	KB	<p>Symptom: A configuration template push from Aruba Central fails.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the end devices are connected to ports that are configured with <code>port-security learn-mode static</code>.</p>	Central Integration
16.11.0004	256121	KB	<p>Symptom: Web authentication fails when the switch is managed by Aruba Central (<code>aruba-central support-mode disable</code>).</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch connects to Aruba Central and <code>aruba-central support-mode</code> is disabled.</p> <p>Workaround: Execute <code>aruba-central support-mode enable</code> command so the switch is no longer managed by Aruba Central.</p>	Web Authentication
16.11.0004	256140	KB	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes with an error message: <code>NMI event</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the HP MSM 775 wireless controller was connected to the switch and <code>snmpwalk</code> was executed.</p>	SNMPV2
16.11.0004	256167	KB	<p>Symptom: Ports with per-port tunneled node (PPTN) configured may be disabled after a switch reboot.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a device profile was configured with <code>tunneled-node</code>.</p>	Tunneled Node

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			Workaround: Disable and enable the problematic PPTN enabled port manually.	
16.11.004	256144	KB	Symptom: The switch is unable to establish a connection with Aruba Activate. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was first onboarded, but it can also happen after the switch is visible on Aruba Central.	Activate
16.11.0004	255916	KB	Symptom/Scenario: Slot crashes with signatures OMFP LPTR Err Status = 0x00000310 (DEC_ERR_CNT) and FR Error = 0x18000020 (ALLOC_CHIP_PORT_UNDERFLOW).	Basic Layer2
16.11.0004	256115	KB	Symptom: Although the switch does not react to pings or SSH commands, it continues to transit traffic. The event log contains a crash message. Scenario: This issue occurred when device fingerprinting was configured with DHCP protocol.	CPPM
16.11.0003	256037	KB	Symptom: Clients are not authenticated on a switch port. Scenario: This issue occurred when multiple clients were connected to a single port (for example, a Personal Computer (PC) was connected to a phone), both MAC authentication and 802.1X authentication methods were attempted at the same time on the PC, and both the authentication methods used the same user role attribute. Workaround: Configure the <code>auth-order</code> parameter first with <code>authenticator</code> , and then with <code>mac-based</code> .	802.1X
16.11.0003	255940	KB	Symptom: A switch crashes with a message similar to the following: Software exception at <code>svc_misc.c:1088</code> - in ' <code>mDHCPClient</code> ' -> Failed to malloc 9202 bytes Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch attempted to reconnect to Aruba Central.	Aruba Central
16.11.0003	255928	KB	Symptom/Scenario: A switch is unable to connect to Aruba Central.	Aruba Central
16.11.0003	255978	KB	Symptom: A switch crashes with a message similar to the following: Software exception in ISR at <code>pvDmaVlRx.c</code> -> ASSERT: No resources available! Scenario: This issue occurred when 802.1X and	Authentication

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			MAC authentication were enabled on the same port with auth-order, and the client was initially authenticated through MAC authentication with a user role having the <code>port mode</code> attribute.	
16.11.0003	255995	KB	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes when the <code>show port-access clients</code> command is issued or when an <code>SNMP GET</code> operation is performed to get the MIB object <code>hpicfUsrAuthMacAuthSessionStatsEntry</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: The switch crashed when a MAC-authenticated client had a username of more than 40 characters.</p>	Authentication
16.11.0003	255896	KB	<p>Symptom: A stack member loses connection to the stack and gets stuck in a boot loop.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the stacking links were configured as a full mesh, and two links went down leaving the stacking links in a chain configuration.</p>	Back Plan Stacking
16.11.0003	254566	KB	<p>Symptom: Traffic fails to pass through an IEEE 802.1ad tunnel.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred because of the following reasons:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A Small Form-factor Pluggable+ (SFP+) port was configured as an uplink. 2. IEEE 802.1ad was configured on the same port. 3. The switch was rebooted without a transceiver in the slot. 4. A 1G SFP transceiver was inserted during the runtime. <p>Workaround: Insert the 1G SFP transceiver, and then reboot the switch.</p>	IEEE 802.1ad
16.11.0003	256123	KB	<p>Symptom: Received packet drops are observed on a port.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the TCP traffic, with the push flag set, consumed 100% bandwidth on a 1G port of a V3 module.</p>	Interfaces
16.11.0003	256016	KB	<p>Symptom: When a private VLAN is configured on a switch, the traffic from the secondary VLAN does not reach the primary VLAN.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was rebooted, and the secondary VLAN contained a tagged trunk or Link Aggregation Control Protocol (LACP) port.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove and add the tagged trunk or LACP configuration to the secondary VLAN.</p>	Private VLAN

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0003	256034	KB	Symptom: SNMP MIB files are not reachable, and the MIB file returns some errors. Scenario: This issue occurred when the customer used an SNMP monitoring tool to read or parse the MIB files.	SNMP
16.11.0003	256050	KB	Symptom: A switch crashes when the WebUI Security > Clientspage is accessed. Scenario: The switch crashed when a MAC-authenticated client had a username of more than 40 characters.	Web UI
16.11.0002	255888	KB	Symptom/Scenario: When a proxy server is configured on the switch, the switch does not onboard into Aruba Central or Activate.	Aruba Central
16.11.0002	255799	KB	Symptom: The user is unable to copy a configuration file to the switch using Secure File Transfer Protocol (SFTP) and the following error message is displayed. <code>Invalid input: grep usage error</code> Scenario: This issue occurred when the pipe character () was used as a part of the command input for some configuration commands, such as the <code>banner motd</code> and <code>snmpv3 user</code> commands. Workaround: Do not use the pipe character () in the command input for the configuration commands.	Configuration
16.11.0002	255825	KB	Symptom/Scenario: When a switch is rebooted through an SSH session, the <code>show boot-history</code> , <code>show logging</code> , and <code>boot</code> command outputs include the <code>Operator cold reboot from TELNET session</code> message instead of the <code>Operator cold reboot from SSH session</code> message.	SSH
16.11.0001	-	KB	No fixes were included in version 16.11.0001.	-

Issues and Workarounds

The following are known open issues with this branch of the software.

The Symptom statement describes what a user might experience if this is seen on the network. The Scenario statement provides additional environment details and trigger summaries. When available, the Workaround statement provides a workaround to the issue.

Table 6: Known Issues

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0010	256986	KB	Symptom/Scenario: UBT Client on one port will authenticate and a tunnel is established, but no traffic passes and the counterpackets to non-existent tunnel will increase. Other ports may function normally. Workaround: Disable or Enable either the tunneled-node-profile or the UBT user port.	Tunneled Node
16.11.0006	256681	KB	Symptom: Loop protect does not block the PBT enabled port in tunnel established/establishing state. Scenario: This issue occurred when the loop protect was enabled or configured for a PBT-enabled port in the tunnel-established state. Workaround: Disable or enable PBT for the affected ports. NOTE: When using PBT, it is recommended to use STP instead of loop protect. If inevitable, loop protect must be enabled first and then the PBT on the port.	Tunneled Node
16.11.0006	256681	KB	Symptom: A PBT tunnel is formed for an MSTP-blocked port. Scenario: This issue occurred when a PBT-enabled port was in a forwarding state for even one MSTP instance. Workaround: Configure a single instance STP.	Tunneled Node

Upgrade Information

Upgrading Restrictions and Guidelines

KB.16.11.0012 uses BootROM KB.16.01.0009 when running on 5400R switches and BootROM KB.16.01.0009 when running on 3810M switches. If your switch has an older version of BootROM, the BootROM will be updated with this version of software.

IMPORTANT: During the software update, the switch will automatically boot twice. The switch will update the primary BootROM, then reboot, and then update the secondary BootROM. After the switch flash memory is updated and the final boot is initiated, no additional user intervention is needed. Do not interrupt power to the switch during this important update.

Firmware downgrade to a version earlier than 16.01 is not allowed if MSTP instances configured are greater than 16; or the max-vlans value is greater than 2048, or this system is part of a VSF stack.

Unconfigure these features before attempting to downgrade from KB.16.01.0004 or later to a version earlier than 16.01 of the firmware.

Firmware downgrade to a version earlier than 16.04 will generate new SSH keys upon switch boot-up. These keys will be different than the ones previously stored in SSH peer's known hosts file and may result in SSH connectivity issues after the OS downgrade completes. You will need to erase the pre-existing switch keys from SSH peer's known hosts file to restore SSH connectivity.

This issue will not be encountered when the option "StrictHostKeyChecking" is disabled in the SSH peer.

For more information regarding clearing SSH keys and changing strict host key checking settings, see the documentation provided with your SSH client.

For information on best practices when updating software or rolling back to previous versions of software, see the "Best practices for software updates" section of the Basic Operation Guide.

Aruba Security Policy

A Security Bulletin is the first published notification of security vulnerabilities and is the only communication vehicle for security vulnerabilities.

- Fixes for security vulnerabilities are not documented in manuals, release notes, or other forms of product documentation.
- A Security Bulletin is released when all vulnerable products still in support life have publicly available images that contain the fix for the security vulnerability.

The Aruba security policy can be found at <https://www.arubanetworks.com/en-au/support-services/sirt/>.

Security bulletins can be found at <https://www.arubanetworks.com/en-au/support-services/security-bulletins/>.

This release note covers software versions for the WC.16.11 branch of the software.

Version WC.16.11.0001 is the initial build of Major version WC.16.11 software. WC.16.11.0012 includes all enhancements and fixes in the WC.16.11.0011 software, plus the additional enhancements and fixes in the WC.16.11.0012 enhancements and fixes sections of this release note.

This release applies to the following Aruba 2930F Switch Series and Aruba 2930M Switch Series:

Table 7: Products Supported

Product number	Description
JL253A	Aruba 2930F 24G 4SFP+ Switch
JL254A	Aruba 2930F 48G 4SFP+ Switch
JL255A	Aruba 2930F 24G PoE+ 4SFP+ Switch
JL256A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP+ Switch
JL258A	Aruba 2930F 8G PoE+ 2SFP+ Switch
JL259A	Aruba 2930F 24G 4SFP Switch
JL260A	Aruba 2930F 48G 4SFP Switch
JL261A	Aruba 2930F 24G PoE+ 4SFP Switch
JL262A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP Switch
JL263A	Aruba 2930F 24G PoE+ 4SFP+ TAA-compliant Switch
JL264A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP+ TAA-compliant Switch
JL319A	Aruba 2930M 24G 1-slot Switch
JL320A	Aruba 2930M 24G PoE+ 1-slot Switch
JL321A	Aruba 2930M 48G 1-slot Switch
JL322A	Aruba 2930M 48G PoE+ 1-slot Switch
JL323A	Aruba 2930M 40G 8SR PoE+ 1-slot Switch
JL324A	Aruba 2930M 24SR PoE+ 1-slot Switch
JL557A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP 740W Switch
JL558A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP+ 740W Switch

Product number	Description
JL559A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP+ 740W TAA-compliant Switch
JL692A	Aruba 2930F 8G PoE+ 2SFP+ TAA Switch
JL693A	Aruba 2930F 12G PoE+ 2G/2SFP+ Switch
R0M67A	Aruba 2930M 40G 8 HPE Smart Rate PoE Class 6 1-slot Switch
R0M68A	Aruba 2930M 24 HPE Smart Rate PoE Class 6 1-slot Switch

Minimum Supported Software Versions



If your switch or module is not listed in the below table, it runs on all versions of the software.

Table 8: *Minimum Supported Software Versions*

Product number	Product name	Minimum software version
JL078A	Aruba 3810M/2930M 1-port QSFP+ 40GbE Module	WC.16.04.0004
JL083A	Aruba 3810M/2930M 4-port 100M/1G/10G SFP+ MACsec Module	WC.16.04.0004
JL308A	Aruba 40G QSFP+ LC Bidirectional 150m MMF 2-strand Transceiver	WC.16.04.0008
JL323A	Aruba 2930M 40G 8SR PoE+ 1-slot Switch	WC.16.04.0008
JL324A	Aruba 2930M 24SR PoE+ 1-slot Switch	WC.16.04.0008
JL557A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP 740W Switch	WC.16.05.0003
JL558A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP+ 740W Switch	WC.16.05.0003
JL559A	Aruba 2930F 48G PoE+ 4SFP+ 740W TAA-compliant Switch	WC.16.05.0003
R0M67A	Aruba 2930M 40G 8 HPE Smart Rate PoE Class 6 1-slot Switch	WC.16.07.0002
R0M68A	Aruba 2930M 24 HPE Smart Rate PoE Class 6 1-slot Switch	WC.16.07.0002
J9142B	HPE X122 1G SFP LC BX-D Transceiver	WC.16.07.0003
J9143B	HPE X122 1G SFP LC BX-U Transceiver	WC.16.07.0003
JL692A	Aruba 2930F 8G PoE+ 2SFP+ TAA Switch	WC.16.08.0005
JL693A	Aruba 2930F 12G PoE+ 2G/2SFP+ Switch	WC.16.10.0001

Product number	Product name	Minimum software version
JL745A	Aruba 1G SFP LC SX 500m MMF TAA XCVR	WC.16.10.0007
JL746A	Aruba 1G SFP LC LX 10km SMF TAA XCVR	WC.16.10.0007
JL747A	Aruba 1G SFP RJ45 T 100m Cat5e TAA XCVR	WC.16.10.0007
JL748A	Aruba 10G SFP+ LC SR 300m MMF TAA XCVR	WC.16.10.0007
JL749A	Aruba 10G SFP+ LC LR 10km SMF TAA XCVR	WC.16.10.0007



For information on networking application compatibility, see the Software Feature Support Matrix.

Enhancements

This section lists enhancements added to this branch of the software.

Software enhancements are listed in reverse-chronological order, with the newest on the top of the list. Unless otherwise noted, each software version listed includes all enhancements added in earlier versions

Table 9: *Enhancements*

Version	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0012	WC	Support for https-based firmware downloads from Aruba Central has been added. The firmware has been embedded with trust anchor for verifying the firmware repository server certificate. Updates are made to verify the Subject Alternative Name (SAN) from the server certificate and to limit the newly added trust anchor for only https-based firmware downloads.	Central Integration
16.11.0011	WC	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0011.	NA
16.11.0010	WC	The User Role feature of the switch is enhanced to allow configuring the authentication client limits for a port. The following new attributes are added under the device context of User Role. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <code>client-limit dot1x</code>: Configure the 802.1X client-limit . ▪ <code>client-limit mac-based</code>: Configure the mac-based client-limit on the client's port using the user-role. When a client is authenticated with an user role with above attributes, the ports client limit is temporarily overridden. Multiple overrides are allowed on same port using user role or RADIUS VSA, only if the new limits are greater than already applied limit.	User Role
16.11.0009	WC	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.	NA
16.11.0008	WC	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0008.	NA

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16.11.0007	WC	<p>A new configuration option is added in LLDP to mention which VLANs IP address should be included in the outbound LLDP advertisements of switch ports.</p> <p>The IPv4/IPv6 address configured statically or dynamically assigned through DHCP on the specified management VLAN will be included in the outbound LLDP advertisements.</p> <p>Syntax: <code>[no] lldp management-address vlan <vid></code></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interface level management address configuration will take precedence over the newly introduced management VLAN address. In case of Multinetting, first IP address in the interface will be advertised. Statically configured and dynamically assigned IP address of the LLDP management VLAN will be considered for advertising. If the LLDP management VLAN has both IPv4 and IPv6 address configured, then both IPv4 and IPv6 address will be advertised. If there is no IPv4 or IPv6 address present in the configured LLDP management VLAN, then the existing workflow will be used to select the management address. Refer to the <i>Aruba 2530 Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information on the workflow. 	LLDP
16.11.0007	WC	<p>To provide a secured management connection to the switch, the following improvements are made:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Disabled TELNET on default configuration (no telnet-server). Disabled HTTP on default configuration (no web-management). Enabled HTTPS on default configuration (web-management ssl) using the installed self-signed certificate. Switch will redirect all HTTP request (including REST) to HTTPS, when HTTP is disabled and HTTPS is enabled. <p>The above configuration changes will be applied on firmware upgrade of switches with default configuration, i.e. only for switches that meet the following configuration criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only the default VLAN must be present. The default VLAN should have DHCP IP rather than a static IP. AirWave should not be configured. Aruba Central URL should not be configured. Manger password should not be configured. 	Security

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16.11.0006	WC	<p>The IP Auth manager feature has been added to close a TCP connection from an unauthorized client by sending a TCP RST immediately after receiving a TCP SYN packet, rather than allowing a complete three-way TCP handshake and then sending a TCP RST.</p> <p>NOTE: When an unauthorized client connects via the OOBM port, the existing behaviour remains unchanged.</p>	Security
16.11.0005	WC	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0005.	NA
16.11.0004	WC	<p>OSPF Route Filtering feature provides an option to filter the intra-area routes from installing into local FIB table.</p> <p>By using this, operator can create <code>distribute-list</code> with one or more network addresses which will be used to filter the intra area routes in OSPFv2/OSPFv3.</p> <p>Syntax: OSPFv2: <code>distribute-list <IP-ADDR>/<Prefix-Len></code> OSPFv3: <code>distribute-list <IPV6-ADDR>/<Prefix-Len></code></p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 3810/5400R Multicasting and Routing Guide for AOS-S Switch 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba 3810/5400R IPv6 Configuration Guide for AOS-S Switch 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	OSPF/OSPFv3
16.11.0004	WC	<p>Added support in Device fingerprinting (DFP) module to send protocol data to Aruba Central for telemetry.</p> <p>Added <code>options-list</code> parameter to device-fingerprinting CLI. Switch software is enhanced to collect DHCP options list and up to three instances of HTTP user agent headers.</p> <p>Syntax: <code>device-fingerprinting [policy]<PROFILE_NAME> dhcp [option-num <NUM> options-list]</code>.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 3810/5400R Access Security Guide for AOS-S Switch 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	Device Finger Printing
16.11.0003	WC	<p>The Enrollment over Secured Transport (EST) client feature is updated to download and renew the CA certificates from an EST server independent of application certificate enrollment. A new command <code>est-server <profile-name> cacerts-download</code> is added to enable independent CA certificate download from the EST server. This enhancement initiates automatic CA certificate download and renewal when the existing TA profile is about to expire. The switch will use the existing <code>est-server <profile-name> re-enrollment-prior-expiry</code> command to determine how many days in advance the renewal is to be done. A MIB has also been added to enable automatic download and renew of the CA certificates from the EST server.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 2930M/2930F Access Security Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba MIB and Trap Support Matrix for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	EST

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16.11.0002	WC	<p>TCP timestamps are an extension to the original TCP stack, that was introduced to identify and reject old duplicate packets (PAWS) and to improve round-trip-time measurement. Using a scanner or other tool, an attacker can observe the TCP timestamp and determine the system uptime to gain information about the operational state of the system.</p> <p>To avoid such risks, a new command <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> has been introduced to randomize the TCP timestamp offsets per connection. Once the command is issued, all the newly established TCP sessions will use a random offset along with the timestamp.</p> <p>A MIB has also been added to enable or disable the randomization of TCP timestamp offsets.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 2930F/2930M Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba MIB and Trap Support Matrix for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	Security
16.11.0002	WC	<p>This is an enhancement to an existing User-Based Tunneling <code>vlan-extend-enable</code> (VLAN-aware) mode. Silent devices like Programmable Logic Controller (PLC) devices do not initiate any traffic until they receive a message from the uplink server. Thus, such devices cannot leverage the benefits of colorless ports, which include being authenticated through a RADIUS server and being dynamically placed in a VLAN or being tunneled to a controller.</p> <p>To support such silent devices, a new command <code>tunneled-node-server ubt-wol-enable vlan <VLAN-ID-LIST></code> has been introduced. This command configures the silent client so that the controller allows the first packet from the silent server to reach the silent client without a user tunnel. This will initiate user authentication and tunnel formation.</p> <p>A MIB has also been added to enable User-Based Tunneling Wake-on-LAN (WoL) on the specified VLANs.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 2930F/2930M Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba MIB and Trap Support Matrix for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	Support for Silent Device
16.11.0001	WC	Updated all non-inclusive terminologies. Refer to Terminology Change for more information.	-

Fixes

This section lists released builds that include fixes found in this branch of the software. Software fixes are listed in reverse-chronological order, with the newest on the top of the list. Unless otherwise noted, each software version listed includes all fixes added in earlier versions.

The Symptom statement describes what a user might experience if this is seen on the network. The Scenario statement provides additional environment details and trigger summaries. When available, the Workaround statement provides a workaround to the issue for customers who decide not to update to this version of software.

The number that precedes the fix description is used for tracking purposes.

Table 10: Fixed Issues

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0012	256928	WC	<p>Symptom: The interface module of the switch crashes with either of the following signatures.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ports 1-24,A subsystem went down: 12/15/22 08:31:08 KB.16.10.0020 646Software exception in kernel context at ghsException.c:1539-> Internal system error at 0x869e034 Ports 1-24,A subsystem went down: 12/11/22 02:42:10 KB.16.10.0020 646Health Monitor: Write Error Restr Mem AccessHW Addr=0xc04e1c18 IP=0x882bfbcb Task='mPmSlvCtrl' Task ID=0x6bce41c0Bus Err Data=0x00000000 Bus Err Status=0x100008d1 Status=0xb0000001 Bus Err Addr=0xec020f4 Ports 9-16 subsystem went down: 12/08/22 01:09:01 KB.16.10.0020 646Health Monitor: Read Error Restr Mem AccessHW Addr=0xe0200410 IP=0x8800c74 Task='mIpAdMUPCt' Task ID=0x6bccc140Bus Err Data=0x00000000 Bus Err Status=0x100008d1 Status=0xb0000001 Bus Err Addr=0xec02f540 	Flex Port
16.11.0012	257080	WC	<p>Symptom: VSF Switch stack connected to Aruba Central crashes.</p> <p>Scenario: This crash is a rare scenario when one of the switch members was not able to collect the temperate data.</p>	Central Integration
16.11.0012	257020	WC	<p>Symptom: REST GET request for poe/stats fails with a message:Invalid PoE power class returned from SNMP.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when an REST GET request for poe/stats was issued for a port connected to a class 6 poe device.</p>	REST API
16.11.0012	257033	WC	<p>Symptom: The switch logs the event :Unsolicited Echo Reply from <ip address>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the DHCP server was enabled on the switch and the DHCP client connected to the switch for the first time.</p>	DHCP
16.11.0012	257023	WC	<p>Symptom: amp-server secret is not encrypted even after configuring encrypt-credentials.</p>	Config

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			Scenario: This problem occurred when the amp-server secret was configured, followed by encrypt-credentials, but the amp-server secret was not encrypted and appeared as plain-text under <code>show running-config</code> .	
16.11.0012	257031	WC	Symptom: Switch crashes due to invalid memory access. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch sent DFP data to Cisco ISE. Workaround: Configure the valid clear pass IP address and credentials in the switch.	Device Finger Printing
16.11.0012	257025	WC	Symptom: User role download from ClearPass fails. Scenario: This issue occurred when the RADIUS server was reachable via OOBM interface and the Downloadable User Role feature was enabled. Workaround: RADIUS server must be reachable via a non OOBM interface.	CPPM
16.11.0012	257005	WC	Symptom: SSH session from the switch to AP505 does not close sometimes when the exit command is executed. Scenario: This issue occurred when the SSH session is established from the switch to AP 505. execute the command exit. Workaround: Use the key sequence ~.	SSH
16.11.0011	256995	WC	Symptom: Unable to get the LAG MIB information through SNMP in the operator mode. Scenario: This issue occurred when the LACP and SNMP server community was configured in the operator mode and SNMP Walk was performed.	SNMPv2
16.11.0011	256991	WC	Symptom: The switch fails to come online. Scenario: This issue occurred when the <code>netservice</code> and <code>netdestination</code> was configured with <code>ip access-list</code> on the switch. Workaround: Remove the <code>netservice</code> configuration.	Management Stacking
16.11.0011	256958	WC	Symptom: The top interface metric is empty in the dashboard page of WebUI. Scenario: This issue occurred when the WebUI was accessed 18 times or more with the duration of each access lasting more than a minute. Workaround: Reboot the switch.	WebUI
16.11.0011	256987	WC	Symptom: The switch crashes while connecting to Aruba Central. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch running AOS-S16.07 or older version was upgraded to AOS-S 16.08 or a later version and attempted to connect to Aruba Central. This issue has a very low probability of occurrence.	REST Infrastructure

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			Workaround: Power cycle the switch one more time after the upgrade.	
16.11.0011	256927	WC	<p>Symptom: The devices that are not directly connected to the switch show up in the LLDP neighbour table.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the device sent LLDPDUs with the STP multicast destination MAC address and STP was disabled in the switch.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure an ACL on the interface connected to the device to drop the packets with STP multicast destination MAC address.</p>	LLDP
16.11.0011	256905	WC	<p>Symptom: The switch passwords are not erased after <code>erase all</code> command is executed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the passwords were configured on the switch and then the <code>erase all</code> command was executed.</p> <p>Workaround: Execute <code>no password manager/no password operator</code> commands prior to the <code>erase all</code> command.</p>	Credentials
16.11.0011	256897	WC	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes with the message similar to <code>Software exception in ISR at Interrupts_fd.c:1145 -> Excessive FD 0 interrupts</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the IPSEC traffic was tunneled via UBT.</p>	Tunneled Node
16.11.0010	256816	WC	<p>Symptom: Some of the data displayed in the <code>show system power-supply detail</code> command output, such as AC MAIN Voltage and Power Supplied may be incorrect for some JL087A model PSUs.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when some of the JL087A model PSUs were powered on and the <code>show-system power-supply</code> command was executed and the output parameters like Voltage and Power were out of range.</p> <p>Note: This is an issue with the command output only and doesn't impact the PSU functionality.</p>	Chassis Manager
16.11.0010	256676	WC	<p>Symptom: The PSU is operational and delivering power, even though the status is displayed as <code>Faulted</code> in some PSU/PoE related <code>show</code> commands.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the PSU fan had a failure and the PSU/PoE related <code>show</code> commands were executed.</p> <p>Note: PSU may be operational in this scenario although the related <code>show</code> commands indicate a fault. If the operating temperature is no longer ambient for PSU, it will shut down and the PSU operational state will match the output of the <code>show</code></p>	Chassis Manager

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			command.	
16.11.0010	256679	WC	Symptom: Switch event logs will not be generated even if PSU encounters multiple problems like over temperature, over current, fan fault, and so on. Scenario: This issue occurred when there was a recurring set of one or more PSU events, such as overcurrent, overheating, and so on. However, such events are not anticipated in most of the deployments.	Chassis Manager
16.11.0010	256651	WC	Symptom: System memory depletes and the switch reboots after a few months of runtime. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was connected to AirWave, and the AirWave was polling certain MIBs including <code>ieee8021SpanningTreeDesignatedRoot</code> and <code>hpicfXpsSwitchModType</code> .	Central Integration
16.11.0010	256860	WC	Symptom: The switch will run out of ternary content addressable memory (TCAM) meter resources and the client authentication using user roles fails. Scenario: This issue occurred when the last port with DFP config was toggled for several times.	Device Finger Printing
16.11.0010	256898	WC	Symptom: Authentication fails due to an insufficient ACL resources error. Scenario: This issue occurred when the client was authenticated using a user role with a classifier configuration having a VLAN which was not configured on the switch. Workaround: Make sure that the VLANs used in classifier configuration is present in the switch.	Access Control Lists (ACL)
16.11.0010	256887	WC	Symptom: The switch management module crashes. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was configured with an initial role containing a <code>reauth-period</code> . The mac-auth clients were placed in the initial role as the controller was not reachable. Later, the controller connectivity was regained within the time window of the mac-auth client re-authentication.	Coredump
16.11.0010	256872	WC	Symptom: The switch crashes with the message similar to: <code>NMI event SW:IP=0x0ea80030 MSR:0x02029200 LR:0x0ea800cccr: 0x42000400 sp:0x1f5d46e8 xer:0x00000000Task='mDsnoopCtrl' Task ID=0x1f5d13a8.</code> Scenario: This issue can occur if the DHCP snooping is enabled and the switch is processing continuous DHCP packets. Workaround: Disable the DHCP snooping.	DHCP Snooping

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16.11.0010	256812	WC	Symptom: The simultaneous execution of <code>Show Tech</code> from the switch CLI and from Aruba Central may cause the switch to crash. Scenario: This issue occurred when the user executed the <code>Show Tech</code> command in CLI and Aruba Central in parallel.	Boot and Reload
16.11.0009	-	WC	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.	-
16.11.0008	256574	WC	Symptom: The switch crashes if the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration is present on the switch. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration and SSH/Telnet/Web UI was established on the switch. Workaround: Remove the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration.	Boot and Reload
16.11.0008	256762	WC	Symptom: The switch configuration fails with an <code>invalid oobm or 400 bad response error</code> when the RADIUS server is updated with <code>is_oobm</code> or <code>is_tls_oobm</code> and the value is updated from <code>False</code> to <code>False</code> . Scenario: This issue occurred when the PUT request was sent to RADIUS server with <code>is_oobm</code> or <code>is_tls_oobm</code> and the value was updated from <code>False</code> to <code>False</code> (no change).	REST APIs
16.11.0008	256727	WC	Symptom/Scenario: The switch crashes when the OSPF neighbor sends exactly 256 OSPF routes. Workaround: Configure the OSPF protocol with more or less than 256 OSPF routes.	OSPF
16.11.0007	256543	WC	Symptom: IPTV stream freezes on a periodic basis as the querier information is lost. Scenario: This issue occurred when IGMPv3 query was sent with a QQIC value lower than IGMPv2 configs. Workaround: Change the querier interval value configured for IGMPv2 to value higher than 60 seconds (default IGMPv2 querier interval).	IGMPv3
16.11.0007	256613	WC	Symptom/Scenario: Some IP addresses for <code>save config</code> and <code>config change</code> in the traps will not be displayed in the AirWave.	AirWave
16.11.0007	256631	WC	Symptom/Scenario: UBT Client on one port will authenticate and a tunnel is established, but no traffic passes and the counter "packets to non existent tunnel" will increase. Other ports might function normally. Workaround: <code>Disable</code> or <code>Enable</code> either the <code>tunneled-node-profile</code> or the UBT user port.	Tunneled Node

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16.11.0007	256695	WC	<p>Symptom: Dynamically learned routes will lose the nexthop and traffic will not be forwarded.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when VRRP was configured in owner mode along with routing protocols.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure VRRP in backup mode when using the routing protocols.</p>	OSPFv2
16.11.0007	256733	WC	<p>Symptom: IP SLA for reachability failed status shows garbage RTT value when polling using SNMP i.e. <code>hpicfIpSlaHistSummRTT</code> returns non zero values even for unreachable history records.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the IP SLA target was reachable for 25 intervals and then became unreachable.</p>	IPSLA
16.11.0007	256575	WC	<p>Symptom: The switch will stop responding to valid SNMP packets.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the UDP packets were sent without any data. After 65 packets, the switch will stop responding to valid packets.</p>	SNMPv3
16.11.0007	256600	WC	<p>Symptom: Client will not be in authenticated state until cached-reauth period.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when 802.1x authentication was configured with cached-reauth.</p> <p>Workaround:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First, enable the user-role authentication and then configure the critical user-role for the authentication port. Critical user-role should not have the reauth-period attribute and auth-order should be removed for the authentication port. 	802.1x
16.11.0007	256732	WC	<p>Symptom: Local-user with group cannot be configured via SNMP.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when local-user with group using SNMP was configured.</p> <p>Workaround: User can configure local-user with group using CLI configuration.</p>	SNMPv2
16.11.0006	256590	WC	<p>Symptom/Scenario: When a port is added to a VLAN from the Web UI, IPv6 will be enabled on the VLAN.</p>	NextGen WebUI
16.11.0006	256491	WC	<p>Symptom: Multicast traffic stops for several seconds, causing the video stream to freeze.</p>	IGMP

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			<p>Scenario: This issue occurred when multiple clients were connected to the same access switch (the access layer had AOS-S switches and distribution/core had CX switches) receiving the same multicast stream, and one of the clients sent an IGMP leave.</p> <p>NOTE: This fix is specific to IGMPv2 only.</p>	
16.11.0006	256372	WC	<p>Symptom: Traffic from the secondary VLAN does not reach the primary VLAN.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when there was a tagged trunk port in the secondary VLAN and the switch was rebooted.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the tagged trunk configuration from the secondary VLAN and re-add the tagged trunk configuration to the secondary VLAN.</p>	PVLAN
16.11.0006	256541	WC	<p>Symptom: Authentication or Accounting using RadSec server is delayed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when there was only one RadSec server configured and the TLS connection to that server was terminated.</p>	Radius
16.11.0006	256509	WC	<p>Symptom: The BSR and RP candidate cannot be configured with a VLAN ID greater than 999.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a VLAN ID greater than 999 was configured with <code>ip pim-sparse enabled</code> and <code>bsr-candidate/rp-candidate</code> was configured in <code>router pim/pim6</code> with the respective VLAN ID.</p>	PIM Sparse Mode
16.11.0006	256485	WC	<p>Symptom: REST request over HTTPS fails as SSL connection is not established.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a GET request with an empty JSON payload was sent.</p> <p>Workaround: Replace the empty JSON payload with None in the GET request.</p>	REST APIs
16.11.0006	256358	WC	<p>Symptom: An invalid username or password grants the operator access to the switch's Web UI.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a banner and a manager password were configured but not an operator password.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the banner configuration.</p>	WEB UI
16.11.0005	256433	WC	<p>Symptom: When an end client is moved between two different switches, authentication does not occur on the second switch.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the MAC address of the end client was learned on the uplink port first (where authentication was not enabled) and later learned on an access port (where authentication was enabled).</p>	Mac Authentication

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16.11.0005	256424	WC	Symptom: Device fingerprinting fails when the first RADIUS server in the list is unreachable. Scenario: This issue occurred when there were more than one RADIUS server configured and the first server in the list was not reachable. Workaround: Keep the unreachable RADIUS server as the last entry in the list.	Device Finger Printing
16.11.0005	256420	WC	Symptom/Scenario: The switch crashes after entering the <code>ip-recv-mac-address</code> command. Workaround: Use an interval value greater than 2 when configuring <code>ip-recv-mac-address</code> .	Boot and Reload
16.11.0005	256406	WC	Symptom: Traffic is sent directly to the clients in VLANs that do not have an IP address configured instead of being sent to the gateway configured in the routing table. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had both Layer 2 and Layer 3 VLANs and IP client tracker was enabled. Workaround: Disable the IP client tracker. Note: The IP address of silent clients being tracked may not be learnt unless a port bounce is performed after a redundancy failover.	Static Routing
16.11.0005	256366	WC	Symptom/Scenario: The switch crashes with a message similar to the following: <code>Software exception at multMgmtUtil.c:259 - in 'mOobmCtrl' -> Internal error.</code>	Coredump
16.11.0005	256349	WC	Symptom: The memory of the switch is slowly consumed until executing any CLI command results in an <code>Out of memory</code> message. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had <code>aaa</code> configured, was connected to Aruba Central, and had neighbours that shared LLDP information.	VSF
16.11.0005	256301	WC	Symptom: The port is mistakenly blocked by MACsec. Scenario: This issue occurred when MACSec was configured and the switch was up for approximately 100 days.	Mac_Sec
16.11.0005	256262	WC	Symptom: Delay in captive portal redirection. Scenario: This issue occurred when multiple clients were connected and when there were several TLS sessions from each client.	Captive Portal
16.11.0005	256247	WC	Symptom/Scenario: The stack topology shown in the <code>show stacking</code> output is Chain even though the actual topology is a Ring.	Back Plane Stacking
16.11.0005	256122	WC	Symptom: Tx drops are seen on the port after the trunk member is removed.	LACP

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			<p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the port was configured to be a member of the trunk and subsequently removed from the trunk when the port was down. The issue will be seen when a client is connected to the port.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure the trunk while the port is up.</p>	
16.11.0005	256069	WC	<p>Symptom: The switch reports a selftest failure on transceiver ports with <code>Rx timeout error</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the 3810 stack rebooted with SFP+ flex modules and J8177D transceivers.</p>	Chassis Manager
16.11.0004	256274	WC	<p>Symptom/Scenario: VSF Stack Member crashed with a message similar to the following: Software exception at lava_chassis_slot_sm.c:3626 - in 'eChassMgr', task ID = 0x37b07bc0.</p>	VSF
16.11.0004	256257	WC	<p>Symptom/Scenario: Certain transceivers had link issues in unsupported transceiver mode.</p>	Transceivers
16.11.0004	256234	WC	<p>Symptom: The <code>show rmon statistics <port no></code> command returns the wrong counter values.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the <code>clear statistics global</code> or <code>clear statistics <port no></code> was executed first and then <code>show rmon statistics <port no></code>.</p>	CLI
16.11.0004	256233	WC	<p>Symptom: Client ports may encounter packet drops when multicast sources stream video over 500 Mbps.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue can occur when multiple clients from different ports subscribed to the same group, which streams using HD channels requiring high bandwidth. TX drops can occur when several clients change channels simultaneously.</p> <p>Workaround: Lower the bandwidth of the video streams to below 500 Mbps in order to avoid over-subscription of ports.</p>	IGMP-NG
16.11.0004	256220	WC	<p>Symptom: Missing OSPF routes.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when both userbased tunneling and OSPF are configured and either of the uplinks to the controller is down.</p> <p>NOTE: <code>source-interface</code> to be configured for tunneled node when the switch has more than one vlan to the reach the controller.</p>	OSPFv2
16.11.0004	256205	WC	<p>Symptom: A configuration template push from Aruba Central fails.</p>	Central Integration

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			Scenario: This issue occurred when the end devices are connected to ports that are configured with <code>port-security learn-mode static</code> .	
16.11.0004	256121	WC	<p>Symptom: Web authentication fails when the switch is managed by Aruba Central (<code>aruba-central support-mode disable</code>).</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch connects to Aruba Central and <code>aruba-central support-mode</code> is disabled.</p> <p>Workaround: Execute <code>aruba-central support-mode enable</code> command so the switch is no longer managed by Aruba Central.</p>	Web Authentication
16.11.0004	256167	WC	<p>Symptom: Ports with per-port tunneled node (PPTN) configured may be disabled after a switch reboot.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a device profile was configured with tunneled-node.</p> <p>Workaround: Disable and enable the problematic PPTN enabled port manually.</p>	Tunneled Node
16.11.0004	256115	WC	<p>Symptom: Although the switch does not react to pings or SSH commands, it continues to transit traffic. The event log contains a crash message.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when device fingerprinting was configured with DHCP protocol.</p>	CPPM
16.11.0003	256037	WC	<p>Symptom: Clients are not authenticated on a switch port.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when multiple clients were connected to a single port (for example, a Personal Computer (PC) was connected to a phone), both MAC authentication and 802.1X authentication methods were attempted at the same time on the PC, and both the authentication methods used the same user role attribute.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure the <code>auth-order</code> parameter first with <code>authenticator</code>, and then with <code>mac-based</code>.</p>	802.1X
16.11.0003	255940	WC	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes with a message similar to the following:</p> <pre>Software exception at svc_misc.c:1088 - in 'mDHCP Clint' -> Failed to malloc 9202 bytes</pre> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch attempted to reconnect to Aruba Central.</p>	Aruba Central
16.11.0003	255928	WC	Symptom/Scenario: A switch is unable to connect to Aruba Central.	Aruba Central

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0003	255978	WC	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes with a message similar to the following:</p> <pre>Software exception in ISR at pvDmaVlRx.c -> ASSERT: No resources available!</pre> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when 802.1X and MAC authentication were enabled on the same port with auth-order, and the client was initially authenticated through MAC authentication with a user role having the <code>port mode</code> attribute.</p>	Authentication
16.11.0003	255995	WC	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes when the <code>show port-access clients</code> command is issued or when an <code>SNMP GET</code> operation is performed to get the MIB object <code>hpicfUsrAuthMacAuthSessionStatsEntry</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: The switch crashed when a MAC-authenticated client had a username of more than 40 characters.</p>	Authentication
16.11.0003	254566	WC	<p>Symptom: Traffic fails to pass through an IEEE 802.1ad tunnel.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred because of the following reasons:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A Small Form-factor Pluggable+ (SFP+) port was configured as an uplink. 2. IEEE 802.1ad was configured on the same port. 3. The switch was rebooted without a transceiver in the slot. 4. A 1G SFP transceiver was inserted during the runtime. <p>Workaround: Insert the 1G SFP transceiver, and then reboot the switch.</p>	IEEE 802.1ad
16.11.0003	256016	WC	<p>Symptom: When a private VLAN is configured on a switch, the traffic from the secondary VLAN does not reach the primary VLAN.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was rebooted, and the secondary VLAN contained a tagged trunk or Link Aggregation Control Protocol (LACP) port.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove and add the tagged trunk or LACP configuration to the secondary VLAN.</p>	Private VLAN
16.11.0003	256034	WC	<p>Symptom: SNMP MIB files are not reachable, and the MIB file returns some errors.</p>	SNMP

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			Scenario: This issue occurred when the customer used an SNMP monitoring tool to read or parse the MIB files.	
16.11.0003	256050	WC	Symptom: A switch crashes when the WebUI Security > Clientspage is accessed. Scenario: The switch crashed when a MAC-authenticated client had a username of more than 40 characters.	Web UI
16.11.0002	255888	WC	Symptom/Scenario: When a proxy server is configured on the switch, the switch does not onboard into Aruba Central or Activate.	Aruba Central
16.11.0002	255799	WC	Symptom: The user is unable to copy a configuration file to the switch using Secure File Transfer Protocol (SFTP) and the following error message is displayed. <code>Invalid input: grep usage error</code> Scenario: This issue occurred when the pipe character () was used as a part of the command input for some configuration commands, such as the <code>banner motd</code> and <code>snmpv3 user</code> commands. Workaround: Do not use the pipe character () in the command input for the configuration commands.	Configuration
16.11.0002	255825	WC	Symptom/Scenario: When a switch is rebooted through an SSH session, the <code>show boot-history</code> , <code>show logging</code> , and <code>boot</code> command outputs include the <code>Operator cold reboot from TELNET session</code> message instead of the <code>Operator cold reboot from SSH session</code> message.	SSH
16.11.0001	-	WC	No fixes were included in version 16.11.0001.	-

Issues and Workarounds

The following are known open issues with this branch of the software.

The Symptom statement describes what a user might experience if this is seen on the network. The Scenario statement provides additional environment details and trigger summaries. When available, the Workaround statement provides a workaround to the issue.

Table 11: Known Issues

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0010	256986	WC	Symptom/Scenario: UBT Client on one port will authenticate and a tunnel is established, but no traffic passes and the counter <code>packets to non-existent tunnel</code> will increase. Other ports may function normally.	Tunneled Node

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			Workaround: Disable or Enable either the tunneled-node-profile or the UBT user port.	
16.11.0006	256681	WC	<p>Symptom: Loop protect does not block the PBT enabled port in tunnel established/establishing state.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the loop protect was enabled or configured for a PBT-enabled port in the tunnel-established state.</p> <p>Workaround: Disable or enable PBT for the affected ports.</p> <p>NOTE: When using PBT, it is recommended to use STP instead of loop protect. If inevitable, loop protect must be enabled first and then the PBT on the port.</p>	Tunneled Node
16.11.0006	256681	WC	<p>Symptom: A PBT tunnel is formed for an MSTP-blocked port.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a PBT-enabled port was in a forwarding state for even one MSTP instance.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure a single instance STP.</p>	Tunneled Node

Upgrade Information

Upgrading Restrictions and Guidelines

WC.16.11.0012 uses BootROM WC.16.01.0006 when running on 2930F switches and BootROM WC.17.02.0006 when running on 2930M switches. If your switch has an older version of BootROM, the BootROM will be updated with this version of software.

IMPORTANT: During the software update, the switch will automatically boot twice. The switch will update the primary BootROM, then reboot, and then update the secondary BootROM. After the switch flash memory is updated and the final boot is initiated, no additional user intervention is needed. Do not interrupt power to the switch during this important update.

Firmware downgrade to a version earlier than 16.04 will generate new SSH keys upon switch boot-up. These keys will be different than the ones previously stored in SSH peer's known hosts file and may result in SSH connectivity issues after the OS downgrade completes. You will need to erase the pre-existing switch keys from SSH peer's known hosts file to restore SSH connectivity.

This issue will not be encountered when the option "StrictHostKeyChecking" is disabled in the SSH peer.

For more information regarding clearing SSH keys and changing strict host key checking settings, see the documentation provided with your SSH client.

For information on best practices when updating software or rolling back to previous versions of software, see the "Best practices for software updates" section of the Basic Operation Guide.

Aruba Security Policy

A Security Bulletin is the first published notification of security vulnerabilities and is the only communication vehicle for security vulnerabilities.

- Fixes for security vulnerabilities are not documented in manuals, release notes, or other forms of product documentation.
- A Security Bulletin is released when all vulnerable products still in support life have publicly available images that contain the fix for the security vulnerability.

The Aruba security policy can be found at <https://www.arubanetworks.com/en-au/support-services/sirt/>.

Security bulletins can be found at <https://www.arubanetworks.com/en-au/support-services/security-bulletins/>.

This release note covers software versions for the YA/YB.16.11 branch of the software.

Version YA/YB.16.11.0001 is the initial build of Major version YA/YB.16.11 software. YA/YB.16.11.0012 includes all enhancements and fixes in the YA/YB.16.11.0011 software, plus the additional enhancements and fixes in the YA/YB.16.11.0012 enhancements and fixes sections of this release note.

This release applies to the following Aruba 2530 Switch Series:

Table 12: Products Supported

Product number	Description
J9783A	Aruba 2530 8 Switch
J9782A	Aruba 2530 24 Switch
J9781A	Aruba 2530 48 Switch
J9777A	Aruba 2530 8G Switch
J9776A	Aruba 2530 24G Switch
J9775A	Aruba 2530 48G Switch
J9780A	Aruba 2530 8 PoE+ Switch
J9779A	Aruba 2530 24 PoE+ Switch
J9778A	Aruba 2530 48 PoE+ Switch
J9774A	Aruba 2530 8G PoE+ Switch
J9773A	Aruba 2530 24G PoE+ Switch
J9772A	Aruba 2530 48G PoE+ Switch
JL070A	Aruba 2530 8 PoE+ Internal Power Supply Switch
J9856A	Aruba 2530 24G 2SFP+ Switch
J9855A	2530 48G 2SFP+ Switch
J9854A	2530 24G PoE+ 2SFP+ Switch
J9853A	2530 48G PoE+ 2SFP+ Switch

Minimum Supported Software Versions



If your switch or module is not listed in the below table, it runs on all versions of the software.

Table 13: Minimum Supported Software Versions

Product number	Product name	Minimum software version
J9856A	Aruba 2530 24G 2SFP+ Switch	YA.15.15.0006
J9855A	Aruba 2530 48G 2SFP+ Switch	YA.15.15.0006
J9854A	Aruba 2530 24G PoE+ 2SFP+ Switch	YA.15.15.0006
J9853A	Aruba 2530 48G PoE+ 2SFP+ Switch	YA.15.15.0006
J9783A	Aruba 2530 8 Switch	YB.15.12.0006
J9782A	Aruba 2530 24 Switch	YB.15.12.0006
J9780A	Aruba 2530 8 PoE+ Switch	YB.15.12.0006
J9779A	Aruba 2530 24 PoE+ Switch	YB.15.12.0006
J9781A	Aruba 2530 48 Switch	YA.15.12.0006
J9778A	Aruba 2530 48 PoE+ Switch	YA.15.12.0006
J9777A	Aruba 2530 8G Switch	YA.15.12.0006
J9774A	Aruba 2530 8G PoE+ Switch	YA.15.12.0006
J9776A	Aruba 2530 24G Switch	YA.15.10.0003
J9775A	Aruba 2530 48G Switch	YA.15.10.0003
J9773A	Aruba 2530 24G PoE+ Switch	YA.15.10.0003
J9772A	Aruba 2530 48G PoE+ Switch	YA.15.10.0003



For information on networking application compatibility, see the Software Feature Support Matrix.

Enhancements

This section lists enhancements added to this branch of the software.

Software enhancements are listed in reverse-chronological order, with the newest on the top of the list. Unless otherwise noted, each software version listed includes all enhancements added in earlier versions.

Table 14: Enhancements

Version	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0012	YA/YB	Support for https-based firmware downloads from Aruba Central has been added. The firmware has been embedded with trust anchor for verifying the firmware repository server certificate. Updates are made to	Central Integration

Version	Software	Description	Category
		verify the Subject Alternative Name (SAN) from the server certificate and to limit the newly added trust anchor for only https-based firmware downloads.	
16.11.0011	YA/YB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0011.	NA
16.11.0010	YA/YB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0010.	NA
16.11.0009	YA/YB	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.	NA
16.11.0008	YA/YB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0008.	NA
16.11.0007	YA/YB	<p>A new configuration option is added in LLDP to mention which VLANs IP address should be included in the outbound LLDP advertisements of switch ports.</p> <p>The IPv4/IPv6 address configured statically or dynamically assigned through DHCP on the specified management VLAN will be included in the outbound LLDP advertisements.</p> <p>Syntax: [no] lldp management-address vlan <vid></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interface level management address configuration will take precedence over the newly introduced management VLAN address. In case of Multinetting, first IP address in the interface will be advertised. Statically configured and dynamically assigned IP address of the LLDP management VLAN will be considered for advertising. If the LLDP management VLAN has both IPv4 and IPv6 address configured, then both IPv4 and IPv6 address will be advertised. If there is no IPv4 or IPv6 address present in the configured LLDP management VLAN, then the existing workflow will be used to select the management address. Refer to the <i>Aruba 2530 Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information on the workflow. 	LLDP
16.11.0007	YA/YB	<p>To provide a secured management connection to the switch, the following improvements are made:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Disabled TELNET on default configuration (no telnet-server). Disabled HTTP on default configuration (no web-management). Enabled HTTPS on default configuration (web-management ssl) using the installed self-signed certificate. Switch will redirect all HTTP request (including REST) to HTTPS, when HTTP is disabled and HTTPS is enabled. <p>The above configuration changes will be applied on firmware upgrade of switches with default configuration, i.e. only for switches that meet the following configuration criteria:</p>	Security

Version	Software	Description	Category
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only the default VLAN must be present. The default VLAN should have DHCP IP rather than a static IP. AirWave should not be configured. Aruba Central URL should not be configured. Manager password should not be configured. 	
16.11.0006	YA/YB	<p>The IP Auth manager feature has been added to close a TCP connection from an unauthorized client by sending a TCP RST immediately after receiving a TCP SYN packet, rather than allowing a complete three-way TCP handshake and then sending a TCP RST.</p> <p>NOTE: When an unauthorized client connects via the OOBM port, the existing behaviour remains unchanged.</p>	Security
16.11.0005	YA/YB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0005.	NA
16.11.0004	YA/YB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0004.	NA
16.11.0003	YA/YB	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0003.	NA
16.11.0002	YA/YB	<p>TCP timestamps are an extension to the original TCP stack, that was introduced to identify and reject old duplicate packets (PAWS) and to improve round-trip-time measurement. Using a scanner or other tool, an attacker can observe the TCP timestamp and determine the system uptime to gain information about the operational state of the system.</p> <p>To avoid such risks, a new command <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> has been introduced to randomize the TCP timestamp offsets per connection. Once the command is issued, all the newly established TCP sessions will use a random offset along with the timestamp.</p> <p>A MIB has also been added to enable or disable the randomization of TCP timestamp offsets.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 2530 Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba MIB and Trap Support Matrix for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	Security
16.11.0001	YA/YB	Updated all non-inclusive terminologies. Refer to Terminology Change for more information.	-

Fixes

This section lists released builds that include fixes found in this branch of the software. Software fixes are listed in reverse-chronological order, with the newest on the top of the list. Unless otherwise noted, each software version listed includes all fixes added in earlier versions.

The Symptom statement describes what a user might experience if this is seen on the network. The Scenario statement provides additional environment details and trigger summaries. When available, the Workaround statement provides a workaround to the issue for customers who decide not to update to this version of software.

The number that precedes the fix description is used for tracking purposes.

Table 15: Fixed Issues

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0012	257023	YA/YB	Symptom: amp-server secret is not encrypted even after configuring encrypt-credentials. Scenario: This problem occurred when the amp-server secret was configured, followed by encrypt-credentials, but the amp-server secret was not encrypted and appeared as plain-text under <code>show running-config</code> . Workaround: Use the key sequence ~.	Config
16.11.0012	257005	YA/YB	Symptom: SSH session from the switch to AP505 does not close sometimes when the exit command is executed. Scenario: This issue occurred when the SSH session is established from the switch to AP 505. execute the command exit. Workaround: Use the key sequence ~.	SSH
16.11.0011	256995	YA/YB	Symptom: Unable to get the LAG MIB information through SNMP in the operator mode. Scenario: This issue occurred when the LACP and SNMP server community was configured in the operator mode and SNMP Walk was performed.	SNMPv2
16.11.0011	256958	YA/YB	Symptom: The top interface metric is empty in the dashboard page of WebUI. Scenario: This issue occurred when the WebUI was accessed 18 times or more with the duration of each access lasting more than a minute. Workaround: Reboot the switch.	WebUI
16.11.0011	256987	YA/YB	Symptom: The switch crashes while connecting to Aruba Central. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch running AOS-S16.07 or older version was upgraded to AOS-S 16.08 or a later version and attempted to connect to Aruba Central. This issue has a very low probability of occurrence. Workaround: Power cycle the switch one more time after the upgrade.	REST Infrastructure
16.11.0011	256927	YA/YB	Symptom: The devices that are not directly connected to the switch show up in the LLDP neighbour table. Scenario: This issue occurred when the device sent LLDPDUs with the STP multicast destination MAC address and STP was disabled in the switch. Workaround: Configure an ACL on the interface connected to the device to drop the packets with STP multicast destination MAC address.	LLDP
16.11.0011	256905	YA/YB	Symptom: The switch passwords are not erased after <code>erase all</code> command is executed.	Credentials

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			<p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the passwords were configured on the switch and then the <code>erase all</code> command was executed.</p> <p>Workaround: Execute <code>no password manager/no password operator</code> commands prior to the <code>erase all</code> command.</p>	
16.11.0010	256651	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: System memory depletes and the switch reboots after a few months of runtime.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was connected to AirWave, and the AirWave was polling certain MIBs including <code>ieee8021SpanningTreeDesignatedRoot</code> and <code>hpicfXpsSwitchModType</code>.</p>	Central Integration
16.11.0010	256898	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: Authentication fails due to an insufficient ACL resources error.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the client was authenticated using a user role with a classifier configuration having a VLAN which was not configured on the switch.</p> <p>Workaround: Make sure that the VLANs used in classifier configuration is present in the switch.</p>	Access Control Lists (ACL)
16.11.0010	256872	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes with the message similar to: <code>NMI event SW:IP=0x0ea80030 MSR:0x02029200 LR:0x0ea800cccr: 0x42000400 sp:0x1f5d46e8 xer:0x00000000Task='mDsnoopCtrl' Task ID=0x1f5d13a8</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue can occur if the DHCP snooping is enabled and the switch is processing continuous DHCP packets.</p> <p>Workaround: Disable the DHCP snooping.</p>	DHCP Snooping
16.11.0010	256935	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: The switch crashed with a message similar to <code>Software exception at wma_ctrl_sm.c:283 - in 'mWebAuth'</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the <code>User Role</code>, <code>Auth order</code>, and <code>Server timeout</code> were configured on the switch, and RADIUS server was unreachable.</p>	Mac Authentication
16.11.0010	256812	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: The simultaneous execution of <code>Show Tech</code> from the switch CLI and from Aruba Central may cause the switch to crash.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the user executed the <code>Show Tech</code> command in CLI and Aruba Central in parallel.</p>	Boot and Reload
16.11.0009	-	YA/YB	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.	-

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0008	256574	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes if the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration is present on the switch.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration and SSH/Telnet/Web UI was established on the switch.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> configuration.</p>	Boot and Reload
16.11.0008	256762	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: The switch configuration fails with an <code>invalid oobm or 400 bad response error</code> when the RADIUS server is updated with <code>is_oobm</code> or <code>is_tls_oobm</code> and the value is updated from <code>False</code> to <code>False</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the PUT request was sent to the RADIUS server with <code>is_oobm</code> or <code>is_tls_oobm</code> and the value was updated from <code>False</code> to <code>False</code> (no change).</p>	REST APIs
16.11.0007	256672	YA/YB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: The switch fails to connect to activate with an error <code>activate: EST enrollment with server failed because of Unable to generate CSR</code>.</p>	Central Integration
16.11.0007	256575	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: The switch will stop responding to valid SNMP packets.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when UDP packets were sent without any data. After 65 packets, the switch will stop responding to valid packets.</p>	SNMPv3
16.11.0007	256613	YA/YB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: Some IP addresses for <code>save config</code> and <code>config change</code> in the traps will not be displayed in AirWave.</p>	AirWave
16.11.0007	256600	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: Client will not be in authenticated state until cached-reauth period.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the 802.1x authentication was configured with the cached-reauth.</p> <p>Workaround:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First, enable the user-role authentication and then configure the critical user-role for the authentication port. Critical user-role should not have the reauth-period attribute and auth-order should be removed for the authentication port. 	802.1x
16.11.0007	256732	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: Local-user with group cannot be configured via SNMP.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when local-user with group using SNMP was configured.</p>	SNMPv2

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			Workaround: User can configure local-user with group using CLI configuration.	
16.11.0006	256590	YA/YB	Symptom/Scenario: When a port is added to a VLAN from the Web UI, IPv6 will be enabled on the VLAN.	NextGen WebUI
16.11.0006	256561	YA/YB	Symptom: Network access is denied for a 802.1X authenticated client. Scenario: This issue occurred when the 802.1X client was authenticated with the <code>auth-vid</code> and <code>unauth-vid</code> configurations. Workaround: Configure a client limit for the authenticator-enabled port.	802.1X
16.11.0006	256485	YA/YB	Symptom: REST request over HTTPS fails as SSL connection is not established. Scenario: This issue occurred when a GET request with an empty JSON payload was sent. Workaround: Replace the empty JSON payload with None in the GET request.	REST APIs
16.11.0006	256358	YA/YB	Symptom: An invalid username or password grants the operator access to the switch's Web UI. Scenario: This issue occurred when a banner and a manager password were configured but not an operator password. Workaround: Remove the banner configuration.	WEB UI
16.11.0005	256406	YA/YB	Symptom: Traffic is sent directly to clients in VLANs that do not have an IP address configured instead of being sent to the gateway configured in the routing table. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had both Layer 2 and Layer 3 VLANs and IP client tracker was enabled. Workaround: Disable the IP client tracker. Note: The IP address of silent clients being tracked may not be learnt unless a port bounce is performed after a redundancy failover.	Static Routing
16.11.0005	256366	YA/YB	Symptom/Scenario: The switch crashes with a message similar to the following: <code>Software exception at multMgmtUtil.c:259 - in 'mOobmCtrl' -> Internal error.</code>	Coredump
16.11.0005	256122	YA/YB	Symptom: Tx drops are seen on the port after the trunk member is removed. Scenario: This issue occurred when the port was configured to be a member of the trunk and subsequently removed from the trunk when the port was down. The issue will be seen when a client is connected to the port. Workaround: Configure the trunk while the port is up.	LACP

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0004	256234	YA/YB	Symptom: The <code>show rmon statistics <port no></code> command returns the wrong counter values. Scenario: This issue occurred when the <code>clear statistics global</code> or <code>clear statistics <port no></code> was executed first and then <code>show rmon statistics <port no></code> .	CLI
16.11.0004	256257	YA/YB	Symptom/Scenario: Certain transceivers had link issues in unsupported transceiver mode.	Transceivers
16.11.0004	256233	YA/YB	Symptom: Client ports may encounter packet drops when multicast sources stream video over 500 Mbps. Scenario: This issue can occur when multiple clients from different ports subscribed to the same group, which streams using HD channels requiring high bandwidth. TX drops can occur when several clients change channels simultaneously. Workaround: Lower the bandwidth of the video streams to below 500 Mbps in order to avoid over-subscription of ports.	IGMP-NG
16.11.0004	256205	YA/YB	Symptom: A configuration template push from Aruba Central fails. Scenario: This issue occurred when the end devices are connected to ports that are configured with <code>port-security learn-mode static</code> .	Central Integration
16.11.0004	256202	YA/YB	Symptom: Unable to provision the switch from Aruba Activate and records an EST enrollment failure. Scenario: This issue occurred when the hostname for the EST enrollment server is not resolved during zero-touch provisioning (ZTP). Workaround: Ensure that the DHCP server provides a DNS server IP address.	CertManager
16.11.0004	256121	YA/YB	Symptom: Web authentication fails when the switch is managed by Aruba Central (<code>aruba-central support-mode disable</code>). Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch connects to Aruba Central and <code>aruba-central support-mode</code> is disabled. Workaround: Execute <code>aruba-central support-mode enable</code> command so the switch is no longer managed by Aruba Central.	Web Authentication
16.11.0003	255819	YA/YB	Symptom: A switch crashes with a message similar to the following: <pre>SubSystem 100 went down: Health Monitor: Read Error Restr Mem Access</pre> Scenario: This issue occurred because of the following actions:	802.1X

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. An AP was authenticated with 802.1X port mode. 2. The AP was rebooted, and the 802.1X authentication configuration was removed from the port. 	
16.11.0003	255940	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes with a message similar to the following:</p> <pre>Software exception at svc_misc.c:1088 - in 'mDHCPCLint' -> Failed to malloc 9202 bytes</pre> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch attempted to reconnect to Aruba Central.</p>	Aruba Central
16.11.0003	255995	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes when the <code>show port-access clients</code> command is issued or when an <code>SNMP GET</code> operation is performed to get the MIB object <code>hpicfUsrAuthMacAuthSessionStatsEntry</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: The switch crashed when a MAC-authenticated client had a username of more than 40 characters.</p>	Authentication
16.11.0003	255120	YA/YB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: The Key Expansion Module of a Cisco 8851 phone does not power up.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure <code>poe-allocate-by</code> command with <code>class</code> parameter on the ports, and reduce the number of powered devices connected to the switch.</p>	PoE
16.11.0003	256034	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: SNMP MIB files are not reachable, and the MIB file returns some errors.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the customer used an SNMP monitoring tool to read or parse the MIB files.</p>	SNMP
16.11.0003	256050	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes when the WebUI Security > Clients page is accessed.</p> <p>Scenario: The switch crashed when a MAC-authenticated client had a username of more than 40 characters.</p>	Web UI
16.11.0002	255888	YA/YB	<p>Symptom/Scenario: When a proxy server is configured on the switch, the switch does not onboard into Aruba Central or Activate.</p>	Aruba Central
16.11.0002	255799	YA/YB	<p>Symptom: The user is unable to copy a configuration file to the switch using Secure File Transfer Protocol (SFTP) and the following error message is displayed.</p> <pre>Invalid input: grep usage error</pre>	Configuration

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			Scenario: This issue occurred when the pipe character () was used as a part of the command input for some configuration commands, such as the <code>banner motd</code> and <code>snmpv3 user</code> commands. Workaround: Do not use the pipe character () in the command input for the configuration commands.	
16.11.0002	255825	YA/YB	Symptom/Scenario: When a switch is rebooted through an SSH session, the <code>show boot-history</code> , <code>show logging</code> , and <code>boot</code> command outputs include the <code>Operator cold reboot from TELNET session</code> message instead of the <code>Operator cold reboot from SSH session</code> message.	SSH
16.11.0001	-	YA/YB	No fixes were included in version 16.11.0001.	-

Upgrade Information

Upgrading Restrictions and Guidelines

YA/YB.16.11.0012 uses BootROM YA.15.20/YB.15.10. If your switch has an older version of BootROM, the BootROM will be updated with this version of software.

IMPORTANT: During the software update, the switch will automatically boot twice. The switch will update the primary BootROM, then reboot, and then update the secondary BootROM. After the switch flash memory is updated and the final boot is initiated, no additional user intervention is needed. Do not interrupt power to the switch during this important update.

Firmware downgrade to a version earlier than 16.04 will generate new SSH keys upon switch boot-up. These keys will be different than the ones previously stored in SSH peer's known hosts file and may result in SSH connectivity issues after the OS downgrade completes. You will need to erase the pre-existing switch keys from SSH peer's known hosts file to restore SSH connectivity.

This issue will not be encountered when the option "StrictHostKeyChecking" is disabled in the SSH peer.

For more information regarding clearing SSH keys and changing strict host key checking settings, see the documentation provided with your SSH client.

For information on best practices when updating software or rolling back to previous versions of software, see the "Best practices for software updates" section of the **Basic Operation Guide**.

Aruba Security Policy

A Security Bulletin is the first published notification of security vulnerabilities and is the only communication vehicle for security vulnerabilities.

- Fixes for security vulnerabilities are not documented in manuals, release notes, or other forms of product documentation.
- A Security Bulletin is released when all vulnerable products still in support life have publicly available images that contain the fix for the security vulnerability.

The Aruba security policy can be found at <https://www.arubanetworks.com/en-au/support-services/sirt/>.

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This release note covers software versions for the YC.16.11 branch of the software.

Version YC.16.11.0001 is the initial build of Major version YC.16.11 software. YC.16.11.0012 includes all enhancements and fixes in the YC.16.11.0011 software, plus the additional enhancements and fixes in the YC.16.11.0012 enhancements and fixes sections of this release note.

This release applies to the following Aruba 2540 Switch Series:

Table 16: Products Supported

Product number	Description
JL354A	Aruba 2540 24G 4SFP+ Switch
JL356A	Aruba 2540 24G PoE+ 4SFP+ Switch
JL355A	Aruba 2540 48G 4SFP+ Switch
JL357A	Aruba 2540 48G PoE+ 4SFP+ Switch

Enhancements

This section lists enhancements added to this branch of the software.

Software enhancements are listed in reverse-chronological order, with the newest on the top of the list. Unless otherwise noted, each software version listed includes all enhancements added in earlier versions.

Table 17: Enhancements

Version	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0012	YC	Support for https-based firmware downloads from Aruba Central has been added. The firmware has been embedded with trust anchor for verifying the firmware repository server certificate. Updates are made to verify the Subject Alternative Name (SAN) from the server certificate and to limit the newly added trust anchor for only https-based firmware downloads.	Central Integration
16.11.0011	YC	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0011.	NA
16.11.0010	YC	The User Role feature of the switch is enhanced to allow configuring the authentication client limits for a port. The following new attributes are added under the device context of user role. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <code>client-limit dot1x</code>: Configure the 802.1X client-limit. 	User Role

Version	Software	Description	Category
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ <code>client-limit mac-based</code>: Configure the mac-based client-limit on the client's port using the User Role. <p>When a client is authenticated with an user role with the above attributes, the ports client limit is temporarily overridden.</p> <p>Multiple overrides are allowed on same port using user role or RADIUS VSA, only if the new limits are greater than already applied limit.</p>	
16.11.0009	YC	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.	NA
16.11.0008	YC	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0008.	NA
16.11.0007	YC	<p>A new configuration option is added in LLDP to mention which VLANs IP address should be included in the outbound LLDP advertisements of switch ports. The IPv4/IPv6 address configured statically or dynamically assigned through DHCP on the specified management VLAN will be included in the outbound LLDP advertisements</p> <p>Syntax: <code>[no] lldp management-address vlan <vid></code></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Interface level management address configuration will take precedence over the newly introduced management VLAN address. ■ In case of Multinetting, first IP address in the interface will be advertised. ■ Statically configured and dynamically assigned IP address of the LLDP management VLAN will be considered for advertising. ■ If the LLDP management VLAN has both IPv4 and IPv6 address configured, then both IPv4 and IPv6 address will be advertised. ■ If there is no IPv4 or IPv6 address present in the configured LLDP management VLAN, then the existing workflow will be used to select the management address. Refer to the <i>Aruba 2530 Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information on the workflow. 	LLDP
16.11.0007	YC	<p>To provide a secured management connection to the switch, the following improvements are made:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Disabled TELNET on default configuration (no telnet-server). ■ Disabled HTTP on default configuration (no web-management). 	Security

Version	Software	Description	Category
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enabled HTTPS on default configuration (web-management ssl) using the installed self-signed certificate. Switch will redirect all HTTP request (including REST) to HTTPS, when HTTP is disabled and HTTPS is enabled. <p>The above configuration changes will be applied on firmware upgrade of switches with default configuration, i.e. only for switches that meet the following configuration criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only the default VLAN must be present. The default VLAN should have DHCP IP rather than a static IP. AirWave should not be configured. Aruba Central URL should not be configured. Manager password should not be configured. 	
16.11.0006	YC	<p>The IP Auth manager feature has been added to close a TCP connection from an unauthorized client by sending a TCP RST immediately after receiving a TCP SYN packet, rather than allowing a complete three-way TCP handshake and then sending a TCP RST.</p> <p>NOTE: When an unauthorized client connects via the OOBM port, the existing behavior remains unchanged.</p>	Security
16.11.0005	YC	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0005.	NA
16.11.0004	YC	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0004.	NA
16.11.0003	YC	No enhancements were included in version 16.11.0003.	NA
16.11.0002	YC	<p>TCP timestamps are an extension to the original TCP stack, that was introduced to identify and reject old duplicate packets (PAWS) and to improve round-trip-time measurement. Using a scanner or other tool, an attacker can observe the TCP timestamp and determine the system uptime to gain information about the operational state of the system.</p> <p>To avoid such risks, a new command <code>ip tcp randomize-timestamp</code> has been introduced to randomize the TCP timestamp offsets per connection. Once the command is issued, all the newly established TCP sessions will use a random offset along with the timestamp.</p> <p>A MIB has also been added to enable or disable the randomization of TCP timestamp offsets.</p> <p>Refer to the <i>Aruba 2540 Management and Configuration Guide for AOS-S 16.11</i> and <i>Aruba MIB and Trap Support Matrix for AOS-S 16.11</i> for more information.</p>	Security

Version	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0001	YC	Updated all non-inclusive terminologies. Refer to Terminology Change for more information.	-

Fixes

This section lists released builds that include fixes found in this branch of the software. Software fixes are listed in reverse-chronological order, with the newest on the top of the list. Unless otherwise noted, each software version listed includes all fixes added in earlier versions.

The Symptom statement describes what a user might experience if this is seen on the network. The Scenario statement provides additional environment details and trigger summaries. When available, the Workaround statement provides a workaround to the issue for customers who decide not to update to this version of software.

The number that precedes the fix description is used for tracking purposes.

Table 18: *Fixed Issues*

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0012	256928	YC	<p>Symptom: The interface module of the switch crashes with either of the following signatures.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ports 1-24,A subsystem went down: 12/15/22 08:31:08 KB.16.10.0020 646Software exception in kernel context at ghsException.c:1539-> Internal system error at 0x869e034 Ports 1-24,A subsystem went down: 12/11/22 02:42:10 KB.16.10.0020 646Health Monitor: Write Error Restr Mem AccessHW Addr=0xc04e1c18 IP=0x882bfbcb Task='mPmSlvCtrl' Task ID=0x6bce41c0Bus Err Data=0x00000000 Bus Err Status=0x100008d1 Status=0xb0000001 Bus Err Addr=0xec020f4 Ports 9-16 subsystem went down: 12/08/22 01:09:01 KB.16.10.0020 646Health Monitor: Read Error Restr Mem AccessHW Addr=0xe0200410 IP=0x8800c74 Task='mIpAdMUpt' Task ID=0x6bccc140Bus Err Data=0x00000000 Bus Err Status=0x100008d1 Status=0xb0000001 Bus Err Addr=0xec02f540 	Flex Port
16.11.0012	257033	YC	<p>Symptom: The switch logs the event :Unsolicited Echo Reply from <ip address>.</p>	DHCP

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
			Scenario: This issue occurred when the DHCP server was enabled on the switch and the DHCP client connected to the switch for the first time.	
16.11.0012	257023	YC	Symptom: amp-server secret is not encrypted even after configuring encrypt-credentials. Scenario: This problem occurred when the amp-server secret was configured, followed by encrypt-credentials, but the amp-server secret was not encrypted and appeared as plain-text under <code>show running-config</code> .	Config
16.11.0012	257025	YC	Symptom: User role download from ClearPass fails. Scenario: This issue occurred when the RADIUS server was reachable via OOBM interface and the Downloadable User Role feature was enabled. Workaround: RADIUS server must be reachable via a non OOBM interface.	CPPM
16.11.0012	257005	YC	Symptom: SSH session from the switch to AP505 does not close sometimes when the exit command is executed. Scenario: This issue occurred when the SSH session is established from the switch to AP 505. execute the command exit. Workaround: Use the key sequence ~.	SSH
16.11.0011	256995	YC	Symptom: Unable to get the LAG MIB information through SNMP in the operator mode. Scenario: This issue occurred when the LACP and SNMP server community were configured in the operator mode and SNMP Walk was performed.	SNMPv2
16.11.0011	256991	YC	Symptom: The switch fails to come online. Scenario: This issue occurred when the <code>netservice</code> and <code>netdestination</code> was configured with <code>ip access-list</code> on the switch. Workaround: Remove the <code>netservice</code> configuration.	Management Stacking
16.11.0011	256958	YC	Symptom: The top interface metric is empty in the dashboard page of WebUI. Scenario: This issue occurred when the WebUI was accessed 18 times or more with the duration of each access lasting more than a minute. Workaround: Reboot the switch.	WebUI
16.11.0011	256987	YC	Symptom: The switch crashes while connecting to Aruba Central. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch running AOS-S16.07 or older version was upgraded to AOS-S 16.08 or a later version and attempted to connect to Aruba Central. This issue has a very low probability of occurrence. Workaround: Power cycle the switch one more time after the upgrade.	REST Infrastructure

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0011	256927	YC	<p>Symptom: The devices that are not directly connected to the switch show up in the LLDP neighbour table.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the device sent LLDPDUs with the STP multicast destination MAC address and STP was disabled in the switch.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure an ACL on the interface connected to the device to drop the packets with STP multicast destination MAC address.</p>	LLDP
16.11.0011	256905	YC	<p>Symptom: The switch passwords are not erased after <code>erase all</code> command is executed.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the passwords were configured on the switch and then the <code>erase all</code> command was executed.</p> <p>Workaround: Execute <code>no password manager/no password operator</code> commands prior to the <code>erase all</code> command.</p>	Credentials
16.11.0010	256651	YC	<p>Symptom: System memory depletes and the switch reboots after a few months of runtime.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was connected to AirWave, and the AirWave was polling certain MIBs including <code>ieee8021SpanningTreeDesignatedRoot</code> and <code>hpicfXpsSwitchModType</code>.</p>	Central Integration
16.11.0010	256898	YC	<p>Symptom: Authentication fails due to an insufficient ACL resources error.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the client was authenticated using a user role with a classifier configuration having a VLAN which was not configured on the switch.</p> <p>Workaround: Make sure that the VLANs used in classifier configuration is present in the switch.</p>	Access Control Lists (ACL)
16.11.0010	256872	YC	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes with the message similar to: <code>NMI event SW:IP=0x0ea80030 MSR:0x02029200 LR:0x0ea800cccr: 0x42000400 sp:0x1f5d46e8 xer:0x00000000Task='mDsnoopCtrl' Task ID=0x1f5d13a8.</code></p> <p>Scenario: This issue can occur if the DHCP snooping is enabled and the switch is processing continuous DHCP packets.</p> <p>Workaround: Disable the DHCP snooping.</p>	DHCP Snooping
16.11.0010	256812	YC	<p>Symptom: The simultaneous execution of <code>Show Tech</code> from the switch CLI and from Aruba Central may cause the switch to crash.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the user executed the <code>Show Tech</code> command in CLI and Aruba Central in parallel.</p>	Boot and Reload

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0010	256935	YC	<p>Symptom: The switch crashed with a message similar to Software exception at wma_ctrl_sm.c:283 - in 'mWebAuth'.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the User Role, Auth order, and Server timeout were configured on the switch, and RADIUS server was unreachable.</p>	Mac Authentication
16.11.0009	-	YC	Version 16.11.0009 is unavailable for download.	-
16.11.0008	256574	YC	<p>Symptom: The switch crashes if the ip tcp randomize-timestamp configuration is present on the switch.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had the ip tcp randomize-timestamp configuration and SSH/Telnet/Web UI was established on the switch.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the ip tcp randomize-timestamp configuration.</p>	Boot and Reload
16.11.0008	256762	YC	<p>Symptom: The switch configuration fails with an invalid oobm or 400 bad response error when the RADIUS server is updated with is_oobm or is_tls_oobm and the value is updated from False to False.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the PUT request was sent to the RADIUS server with is_oobm or is_tls_oobm and the value was updated from False to False (no change).</p>	REST APIs
16.11.0007	256543	YC	<p>Symptom: IPTV stream freezes on a periodic basis as the querier information is lost.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when IGMPv3 query was sent with a QQIC value lower than IGMPv2 config.</p> <p>Workaround: Change the querier interval value configured for IGMPv2 to value higher than 60 seconds (default IGMPv2 querier interval).</p>	IGMPv3
16.11.0007	256613	YC	Symptom/Scenario: Some IP addresses for save config and config change in the traps will not be displayed in AirWave.	AirWave
16.11.0007	256575	YC	<p>Symptom: The switch will stop responding to valid SNMP packets.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when UDP packets were sent without any data. After 65 packets, the switch will stop responding to valid packets.</p>	SNMPv3
16.11.0007	256600	YC	<p>Symptom: Client will not be in authenticated state until cached-reauth period.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when 802.1x authentication was configured with cached-reauth.</p> <p>Workaround:</p>	802.1x

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> First, enable the user-role authentication and then configure the critical user-role for the authentication port. Critical user-role should not have the reauth-period attribute and auth-order should be removed for the authentication port. 	
16.11.0007	256732	YC	<p>Symptom: Local-user with group cannot be configured via SNMP.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when local-user with group using SNMP was configured.</p> <p>Workaround: User can configure local-user with group using CLI configuration.</p>	SNMPv2
16.11.0006	256590	YC	<p>Symptom/Scenario: When a port is added to a VLAN from the Web UI, IPv6 will be enabled on the VLAN.</p>	NextGen Web UI
16.11.0006	256491	YC	<p>Symptom: Multicast traffic stops for several seconds, causing the video stream to freeze.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when multiple clients were connected to the same access switch (the access layer with AOS-S switches and distribution/core layer with CX switches) receiving the same multicast stream, and one of the clients sent an IGMP leave.</p> <p>NOTE: This fix is only specific to IGMPv2.</p>	IGMP
16.11.0006	256372	YC	<p>Symptom: Traffic from the secondary VLAN does not reach the primary VLAN.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when there was a tagged trunk port in the secondary VLAN and the switch was rebooted.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the tagged trunk configuration from the secondary VLAN and re-add the tagged trunk configuration to the secondary VLAN.</p>	PVLAN
16.11.0006	256485	YC	<p>Symptom: REST request over HTTPS fails as SSL connection is not established.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a GET request with an empty JSON payload was sent.</p> <p>Workaround: Replace the empty JSON payload with <i>None</i> in the GET request.</p>	REST APIs
16.11.0006	256358	YC	<p>Symptom: An invalid username or password grants the operator access to the switch's Web UI.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when a banner and a manager password were configured but not an operator password.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove the banner configuration.</p>	WEB UI

Version	Bug ID	Software	Description	Category
16.11.0005	256366	YC	Symptom/Scenario: The switch crashes with a message similar to the following: <code>Software exception at multMgmtUtil.c:259 - in 'mOobmCtrl' -> Internal error.</code>	Coredump
16.11.0005	256420	YC	Symptom/Scenario: The switch crashes after entering the <code>ip-recv-mac-address</code> command. Workaround: Use an interval value greater than 2 when configuring <code>ip-recv-mac-address</code> .	Boot and Reload
16.11.0005	256406	YC	Symptom: Traffic is sent directly to the clients in VLANs that do not have an IP address configured instead of being sent to the gateway configured in the routing table. Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch had both Layer 2 and Layer 3 VLANs and IP client tracker was enabled. Workaround: Disable the IP client tracker. Note: The IP address of silent clients being tracked may not be learnt unless a port bounce is performed after a redundancy failover.	Static Routing
16.11.0005	256122	YC	Symptom: Tx drops are seen on the port after the trunk member is removed. Scenario: This issue occurred when the port was configured to be a member of the trunk and subsequently removed from the trunk when the port was down. The issue will be seen when a client is connected to the port. Workaround: Configure the trunk while the port is up.	LACP
16.11.0005	256069	YC	Symptom: The switch reports a selftest failure on transceiver ports with <code>Rx timeout error</code> . Scenario: This issue occurred when the 3810 stack rebooted with SFP+ flex modules and J8177D transceivers.	Chassis Manager
16.11.0004	256274	YC	Symptom/Scenario: VSF Stack Member crashed with a message similar to the following: <code>Software exception at lava_chassis_slot_sm.c:3626 - in 'eChassMgr', task ID = 0x37b07bc0.</code>	VSF
16.11.0004	256257	YC	Symptom/Scenario: Certain transceivers had link issues in unsupported transceiver mode.	Transceivers
16.11.0004	256234	YC	Symptom: The <code>show rmon statistics <port no></code> command returns the wrong counter values. Scenario: This issue occurred when the <code>clear statistics global</code> or <code>clear statistics <port no></code> was executed first and then <code>show rmon statistics <port no></code> .	CLI

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16.11.0004	256233	YC	<p>Symptom: Client ports may encounter packet drops when multicast sources stream video over 500 Mbps.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue can occur when multiple clients from different ports subscribed to the same group, which streams using HD channels requiring high bandwidth. TX drops can occur when several clients change channels simultaneously.</p> <p>Workaround: Lower the bandwidth of the video streams to below 500 Mbps in order to avoid over-subscription of ports.</p>	IGMP-NG
16.11.0004	256205	YC	<p>Symptom: A configuration template push from Aruba Central fails.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the end devices are connected to ports that are configured with <code>port-security learn-mode static</code>.</p>	Central Integration
16.11.0004	256121	YC	<p>Symptom: Web authentication fails when the switch is managed by Aruba Central (aruba-central support-mode disable).</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch connects to Aruba Central and <code>aruba-central support-mode</code> is disabled.</p> <p>Workaround: Execute <code>aruba-central support-mode enable</code> command so the switch is no longer managed by Aruba Central.</p>	Web Authentication
16.11.0003	256037	YC	<p>Symptom: Clients are not authenticated on a switch port.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when multiple clients were connected to a single port (for example, a Personal Computer (PC) was connected to a phone), both MAC authentication and 802.1X authentication methods were attempted at the same time on the PC, and both the authentication methods used the same user role attribute.</p> <p>Workaround: Configure the <code>auth-order</code> parameter first with <code>authenticator</code>, and then with <code>mac-based</code>.</p>	802.1X
16.11.0003	255940	YC	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes with a message similar to the following:</p> <pre>Software exception at svc_misc.c:1088 - in 'mDHCP Clint'</pre> <p>-> Failed to malloc 9202 bytes</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch attempted to reconnect to Aruba Central.</p>	Aruba Central
16.11.0003	255928	YC	<p>Symptom/Scenario: A switch is unable to connect to Aruba Central.</p>	Aruba Central

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16.11.0003	255995	YC	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes when the <code>show port-access clients</code> command is issued or when an <code>SNMP GET</code> operation is performed to get the MIB object <code>hpicfUsrAuthMacAuthSessionStatsEntry</code>.</p> <p>Scenario: The switch crashed when a MAC-authenticated client had a username of more than 40 characters.</p>	Authentication
16.11.0003	256016	YC	<p>Symptom: When a private VLAN is configured on a switch, the traffic from the secondary VLAN does not reach the primary VLAN.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the switch was rebooted, and the secondary VLAN contained a tagged trunk or Link Aggregation Control Protocol (LACP) port.</p> <p>Workaround: Remove and add the tagged trunk or LACP configuration to the secondary VLAN.</p>	Private VLAN
16.11.0003	256034	YC	<p>Symptom: SNMP MIB files are not reachable, and the MIB file returns some errors.</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the customer used an SNMP monitoring tool to read or parse the MIB files.</p>	SNMP
16.11.0003	256050	YC	<p>Symptom: A switch crashes when the WebUI Security > Clientspage is accessed.</p> <p>Scenario: The switch crashed when a MAC-authenticated client had a username of more than 40 characters.</p>	Web UI
16.11.0002	255888	YC	<p>Symptom/Scenario: When a proxy server is configured on the switch, the switch does not onboard into Aruba Central or Activate.</p>	Aruba Central
16.11.0002	255799	YC	<p>Symptom: The user is unable to copy a configuration file to the switch using Secure File Transfer Protocol (SFTP) and the following error message is displayed.</p> <p>Invalid input: grep usage error</p> <p>Scenario: This issue occurred when the pipe character () was used as a part of the command input for some configuration commands, such as the <code>banner motd</code> and <code>snmpv3 user</code> commands.</p> <p>Workaround: Do not use the pipe character () in the command input for the configuration commands.</p>	Configuration

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16.11.0002	255825	YC	Symptom/Scenario: When a switch is rebooted through an SSH session, the <code>show boot-history</code> , <code>show logging</code> , and <code>boot</code> command outputs include the <code>Operator cold reboot from TELNET session</code> message instead of the <code>Operator cold reboot from SSH session</code> message.	SSH
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YC.16.11.0012 uses BootROM YC.16.01.0002. If your switch has an older version of BootROM, the BootROM will be updated with this version of software.

IMPORTANT: During the software update, the switch will automatically boot twice. The switch will update the primary BootROM, then reboot, and then update the secondary BootROM. After the switch flash memory is updated and the final boot is initiated, no additional user intervention is needed. Do not interrupt power to the switch during this important update.

Firmware downgrade to a version earlier than 16.04 will generate new SSH keys upon switch boot-up. These keys will be different than the ones previously stored in SSH peer's known hosts file and may result in SSH connectivity issues after the OS downgrade completes. You will need to erase the pre-existing switch keys from SSH peer's known hosts file to restore SSH connectivity.

This issue will not be encountered when the option "StrictHostKeyChecking" is disabled in the SSH peer.

For more information regarding clearing SSH keys and changing strict host key checking settings, see the documentation provided with your SSH client.

For information on best practices when updating software or rolling back to previous versions of software, see the "Best practices for software updates" section of the Basic Operation Guide.

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