

iPhone Client
Broadcast
Cisco AP 1
Client AR
Client AU
Client L
Client AS
Client AV

roam\_intra\_open.pcapng

Probe Request (0x0004)

Dst	ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
Src	00:56:cd:ee:f1:71
Seq	3720

Probe Response (0x0005)

Dst	00:56:cd:ee:f1:71
Src	84:b2:61:24:a2:00
BSS	84:b2:61:24:a2:00
Seq	460
Capabilities Information	0x1421

ACK (0x001d)

RA	84:b2:61:24:a2:00
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Beacon frame (0x0008)

BSS	10:86:8c:3b:0f:b2
Seq	2575
Beacon Interval	0.102400 [Seconds]
DTIM count	0

Beacon frame (0x0008)

BSS	60:02:92:a1:72:10
Seq	4023
Beacon Interval	0.102400 [Seconds]
DTIM count	1

Beacon frame (0x0008)

BSS	00:7f:28:4b:ab:d5
Seq	19
Beacon Interval	0.102400 [Seconds]
DTIM count	0

Authentication (0x000b)

Dst	84:b2:61:24:a2:00
Src	00:56:cd:ee:f1:71
BSS	84:b2:61:24:a2:00
Seq	3722

💡 Probe Request – active scanning: client solicits responses from APs; directed (specific SSID) or wildcard (broadcast SSID); faster than passive scanning (beacon-only)

💡 Probe Response – AP replies with capabilities (SSID, rates, RSN, channel); client uses signal strength + capabilities to select best AP for association

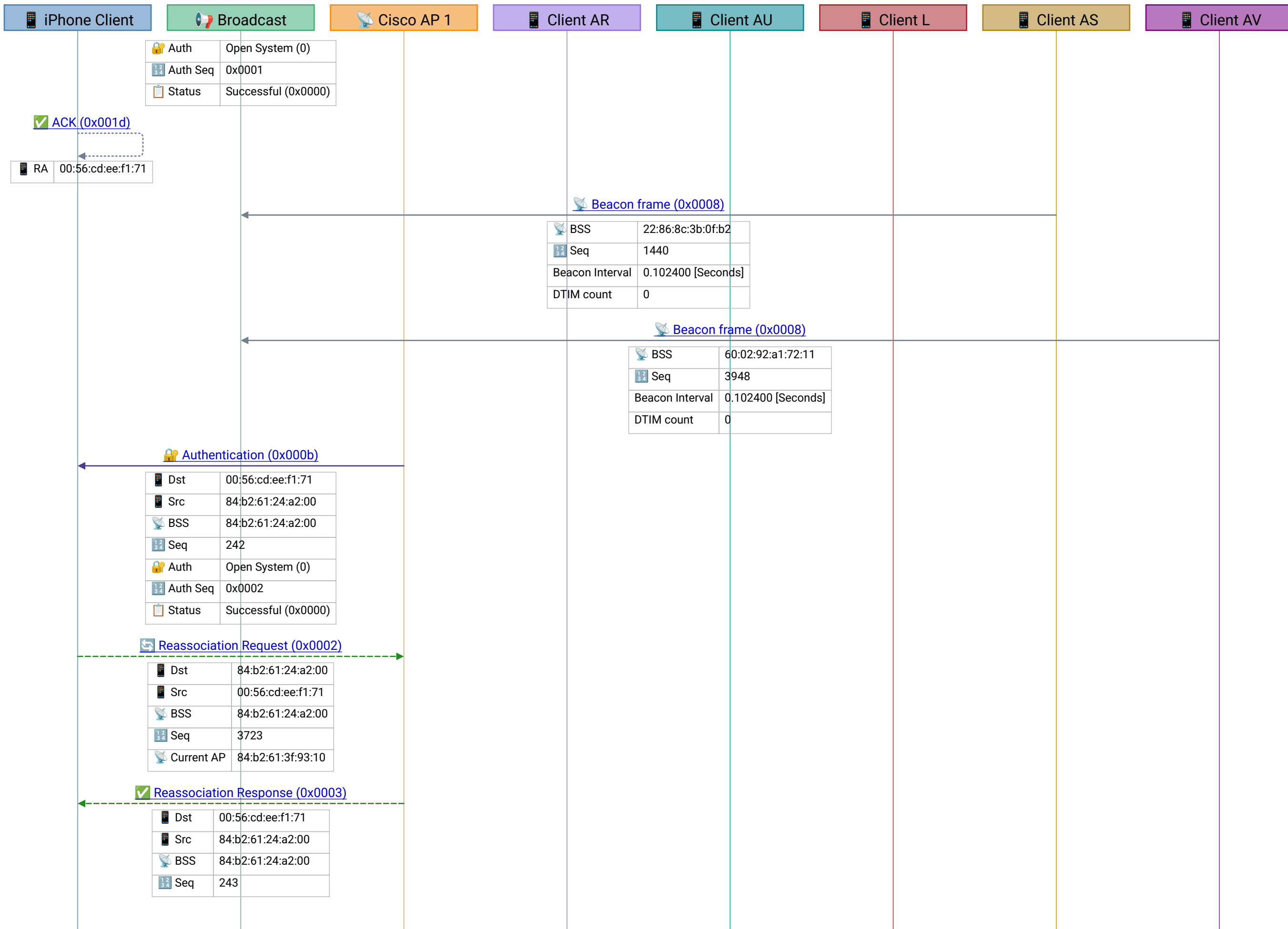
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💡 Reassociation Request – client roams to new AP within same ESS; carries Current AP MAC so new AP can request PMK from old AP (fast roaming) or via RADIUS


💡 Reassociation Response – new AP accepts roaming client; AID may change; PMK transfer via OKC, 802.11r FT, or CCKM enables fast secure roaming without full re-auth


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 Status	Successful (0x0000)
 AID	0x0001