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User Guide

TL-MR3420 3G/4G Wireless N Router



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- When product has power button, the power button is one of the way to shut off the product;
 when there is no power button, the only way to completely shut off power is to disconnect the product or the power adapter from the power source.
- Don't disassemble the product, or make repairs yourself. You run the risk of electric shock and voiding the limited warranty. If you need service, please contact us.
- Avoid water and wet locations.
- Adapter shall be installed near the equipment and shall be easily accessible.
- The plug considered as disconnect device of adapter.
- Use only power supplies which are provided by manufacturer and in the original packing of this product. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Explanation of the symbols on the product label

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Symbol	Explanation
===	DC voltage
	RECYCLING This product bears the selective sorting symbol for Waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE). This means that this product must be handled pursuant to European directive 2012/19/EU in order to be recycled or dismantled to minimize its impact on the environment.
	User has the choice to give his product to a competent recycling organization or to the retailer when he buys a new electrical or electronic equipment.

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Package Contents

The following items should be found in your package:

- TL-MR3420 3G/4G Wireless N Router
- > DC Power Adapter for TL-MR3420 3G/4G Wireless N Router
- > Ethernet Cable
- Quick Installation Guide

✓ Note:

Make sure that the package contains the above items. If any of the listed items is damaged or missing, please contact with your distributor.

Chapter 1. Introduction

1.1 Overview of the Router

TP-LINK understands the need for sharing the 3G/4G connection locally that benefits our end users. We realize the convenience with our latest wireless N 3G/4G routers ----- they give you the freedom to quickly set up a stable and high speed wireless network, up to 300Mbps, on-the-go and share a 3G/4G connection. By connecting a USB Card to the router, a Wi-Fi hotspot is instantly established allowing users to share a Internet connection anywhere 3G/4G coverage is available. So whether you're on the train, camping, or at a construction site, you'll have a reliable wireless connection to accommodate your networking needs.

3G/4G and WAN Broadband

The TL-MR3420 3G/4G Wireless N router provides 3G/4G and WAN (xDSL, static IP, or dynamic IP) two kinds of broadband connections to get on the Internet, you can via the Internet no matter at home or outside on business. Automatic 3G/4G and WAN failover feature just provide nonstop internet connection.

Incredibly High Speed

TP-LINK 3G/4G router provides up to 300Mbps, faster than that of traditional 11g products, surpasses 11G performance enabling the use of high bandwidth-consuming applications such as HD Videos.

Wi-fi Protected Setup

With just pressing on the 'WPS' button, the router automatically establishes a WPA2 secure connection for solid security in under a minute.

1.2 Conventions

The router or TL-MR3420 mentioned in this guide stands for TL-MR3420 3G/4G Wireless N router without any explanation.

1.3 Main Features

- One 10/100M Auto-Negotiation RJ45 WAN port, four 10/100M Auto-Negotiation RJ45 LAN ports, supporting Auto MDI/MDIX
- Automatic 3G/4G and WAN failover
- Wireless N speed up to 300Mbps
- > 2T2R MIMO, CCA technologies deliver greater coverage and higher speed
- Wireless security encryption easily at a push of "WPS" button
- > WDS wireless bridge provides seamless bridging to expand your wireless network
- Backward compatible with 802.11b and 802.11g devices

- Provides WPA/WPA2-Enterprise, WPA/WPA2-Personal authentication, TKIP/AES encryption security
- ➤ Supports 3G/4G/Dynamic IP/Static IP/PPPoE/L2TP/PPTP Internet access
- > Supports Virtual Server, Special Application and DMZ host
- > Supports UPnP, Dynamic DNS, Static Routing
- Provides Automatic-connection and Scheduled Connection on certain time to the Internet
- > Built-in NAT and DHCP server supporting static IP address distributing
- > Connects Internet on demand and disconnects from the Internet when idle for PPPoE
- Provides 64/128-bit WEP encryption security and wireless LAN ACL (Access Control List)
- > Supports Flow Statistics
- > Supports IPv6.
- > Supports firmware upgrade and Web management

1.4 Panel Layout

1.4.1 The Front Panel



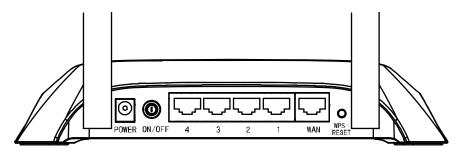
The router's LEDs are located on the front panel (View from left to right).

Item	Status	Indication
۵ (PWR)	On	Power is on.
O (PVVR)	Off	Power is off.
	On	The router is initializing.
♯ (SYS)	Flashing	The router is working properly.
	Off	The router has a system error.
	Flashing	The Wireless function is enabled.
~ (VVLAIN)	Off	The Wireless function is disabled.
	On	A device is linked to the corresponding port but there is no
Ø (MAN)		activity.
₩ (LAN1-4)	Flashing	An active device is linked to the corresponding port.
	Off	No device is linked to the corresponding port.
	On	The USB 3G/4G modem is connected but no data being
← (USB)		transferred.
(665)	Flashing	Data is received or sent through the 3G/4G modem.
	Off	The USB 3G/4G modem is not connected.
	Slow	A wireless device is connecting to the network by WPS
	Flash	function. This process will last in the first 2 minutes.
₫ (WPS)	On	A wireless device has been successfully added to the network
(,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		by WPS function.
	Quick	A wireless device failed to be added to the network by WPS
	Flash	function.

P Note:

After a device is successfully added to the network by WPS function, the WPS LED will keep on for about 5 minutes and then turn off.

1.4.2 The Rear Panel



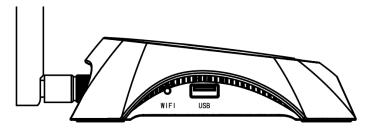
The following parts are located on the rear panel (View from left to right).

- POWER: The Power socket is where you will connect the power adapter. Please use the power adapter provided with this TL-MR3420 3G/4G Wireless N router.
- > **ON/OFF:** The switch is for you to turn on/off the router, but only with the router powered on.
- ➤ **4,3,2,1 (LAN):** These ports (4,3,2,1) connect the router to the local PC(s)
- > WAN: This WAN port is where you will connect the DSL/cable Modem, or Ethernet
- > WPS/RESET:

There are two ways to reset to the router's factory defaults:

- Use the Factory Defaults function on "System Tools > Factory Defaults" page in the router's Web-based Utility.
- 2) Use the Factory Default Reset button: With the router powered on, use a pin to press and hold the WPS/RESET button (about 5 seconds) until the SYS LED becomes quick- flashing from slow-flashing. And then release the button and wait the router to reboot to its factory default settings.
- Wireless antenna: To receive and transmit the wireless data.

1.4.3 The Side Panel



The following parts are located on the side plate (View from left to right).

- ➤ **WIFI:** This switch is an easy and convenient operation for you to turn on or off the wireless network.
- > **USB:** Connect to the USB Modem.

Chapter 2. Connecting the Router

2.1 System Requirements

- Broadband Internet Access Service (DSL/Cable/Ethernet)
- One DSL/Cable Modem that has an RJ45 connector (which is not necessary if the router is connected directly to the Ethernet.)
- > PCs with a working Ethernet Adapter and an Ethernet cable with RJ45 connectors
- > TCP/IP protocol on each PC
- > Web browser, such as Microsoft Internet Explorer 5.0, Netscape Navigator 6.0 or above

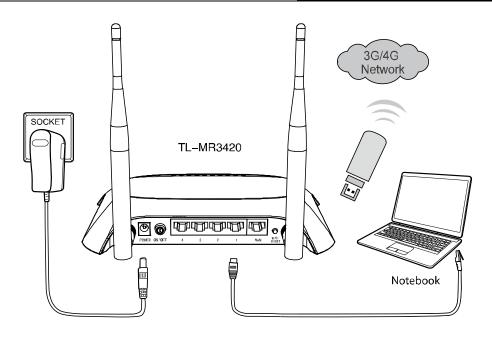
2.2 Installation Environment Requirements

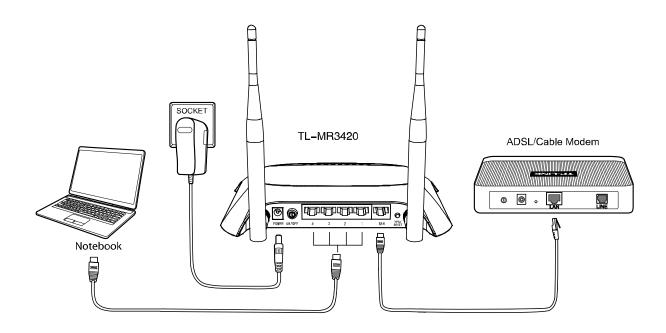
- > Place the router in a well ventilated place far from any heater or heating vent.
- Avoid direct irradiation of any strong light (such as sunlight).
- Keep at least 2 inches (5 cm) of clear space around the router.
- Operating Temperature: 0°C~40°C (32°F~104°F).
- > Operating Humidity: 10%~90%RH, Non-condensing.

2.3 Connecting the Router

Before installing the router, make sure your PC is connected to the Internet through the broadband service successfully. If there is any problem, please contact your ISP. After that, please install the router according to the following steps. Don't forget to pull out the power plug and keep your hands dry.

- 1. Power off your Cable/DSL Modem, and the router.
- 2. Locate an optimum location for the router. The best place is usually at the center of your wireless network. The place must accord with the <u>Installation Environment Requirements</u>.
- 3. Adjust the direction of the antenna. Normally, upright is a good direction.
- 4. Connect the PC(s) or Switch/Hub in your LAN to the LAN Ports of the 3G/4G router with Ethernet cable.
- 5. The 3G/4G router supports both 3G/4G and WAN connection; so you can insert 3G/4G USB Modem to the USB port of the router, or connect the DSL/Cable Modem to the WAN port of the router.
- 6. Connect the power adapter to the power socket on the router, and the other end into an electrical outlet. The router will start to work automatically.
- 7. Power on your Cable/DSL Modem.





Chapter 3. Quick Installation Guide

This chapter will show you how to configure the basic functions of your 3G/4G Wireless N router using **Quick Setup** Wizard within minutes.

3.1 TCP/IP Configuration

The default IP address of the 3G/4G Wireless N router is 192.168.0.1. And the default Subnet Mask is 255.255.255.0. These values can be changed as you desire. In this guide, we use all the default values for description.

Connect the local PC to the LAN ports of the router. And then you can configure the IP address for your PC in the following two ways.

- Configure the IP address manually
- 1) Set up the TCP/IP Protocol for your PC. If you need instructions as to how to do this, please refer to Appendix B: Configuring the PC
- Configure the network parameters. The IP address is 192.168.0.xxx ("xxx" is any number from 2 to 254), Subnet Mask is 255.255.255.0, and Gateway is 192.168.0.1 (The router's default IP address)
- > Obtain an IP address automatically
- 1) Set up the TCP/IP Protocol in "**Obtain an IP address automatically**" mode on your PC. If you need instructions as to how to do this, please refer to <u>Appendix B: Configuring the PC</u>
- 2) Then the built-in DHCP server will assign IP address for the PC.

3.2 Quick Installation Guide

Note:

If you are trying to connect to TL-MR3420 wirelessly, please refer to the label on the bottom of the router for the **Wireless Password**.

 To access the configuration utility, open a web browser and type in the default address http://tplinkwifi.net in the address field.



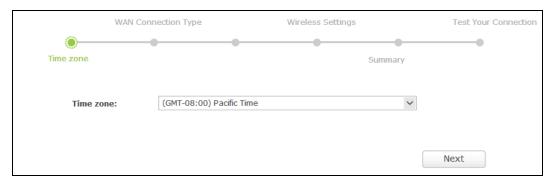
After a moment, a login window will appear, similar to the figure below. Enter **admin** for the User Name and Password, both in lower case letters. Then click the **OK** button or press the **Enter** key.



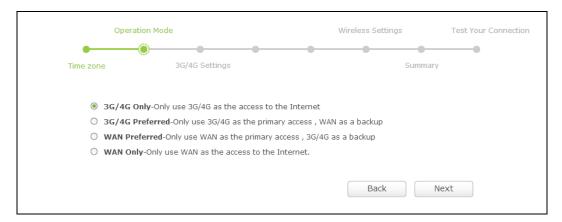
✓ Note:

If the above screen does not pop-up, it means that your Web browser has been set to a proxy. Go to **Tools menu > Internet Options > Connections > LAN Settings**, cancel the Using Proxy checkbox, and click **OK** to finish it.

After successful login, the Quick Setup page will appear for you to select your time zone and click Next.



3. Select a desired **Internet Access** mode and then click **Next**. The configuration for each mode is similar. As follows we will take **3G/4G Only** mode for example.



> 3G/4G Only

In this mode, the router will try 3G/4G access only. WAN access is disabled.

> 3G/4G Preferred

In this mode, the router will try 3G/4G access first. If 3G/4G access fails and WAN access is valid, or if no 3G/4G USB modem is inserted, the router would switch to WAN access. Once the router succeeds to connect to the 3G/4G network, the router would stop the WAN connection and switch back to 3G/4G access immediately.

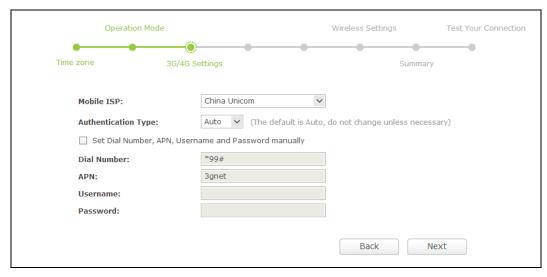
> WAN Preferred

In this mode, the router will try WAN access first. If the WAN access fails and 3G/4G access is valid, the router would switch to 3G/4G access. Once the router succeeds to connect to the WAN network, the router would stop the 3G/4G connection and switch back to WAN access immediately.

> WAN Only

In this mode, the router will try WAN access only. 3G/4G access is disabled.

4. The next screen will appear as shown in the figure below. You need to set the required parameters and then click **Next**.



- Mobile ISP Select the ISP (Internet Service Provider) you apply to for 3G/4G service. The router will show the default Dial Number and APN of that ISP. If your ISP is not listed in the Mobile ISP, check the box before Set the Dial Number, APN, Username and Password manually and fill the Dial Number and APN blanks below.
- > Authentication Type Some ISPs need a specific authentication type. Please confirm it with your ISP or keep it Auto.
- Dial Number & APN Set these two parameters manually after Set the Dial Number, APN, Username and Password manually is checked.
- Username/Password Enter the Username and Password provided by your ISP. These fields are optional but case-sensitive.
- Configure the Wireless settings on the screen as shown in the figure below then click Next.



- > Wireless 2.4GHz Displays whether the wireless function is enabled or not.
- Network Name (SSID) Also called the SSID (Service Set Identification). Enter a value of up to 32 characters. The same name must be assigned to all wireless devices in your network. This value is case-sensitive. For example, TEST is NOT the same as test.
- > **Password -** Create a password for your wireless network.
- 6. Click Finish to complete the Quick Setup.

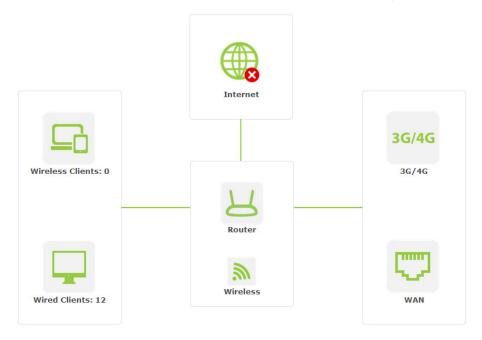


After the rebooting, please check whether you can access the Internet or not in the <u>5.1 Status</u> page.

Chapter 4. Basic

4.1 Network Map

Network Map provides a router-centered dashboard that lets you see the status of your Internet connection and network at a glance. You can click any of the six sections of the dashboard to view the detail information. All the information is read-only.

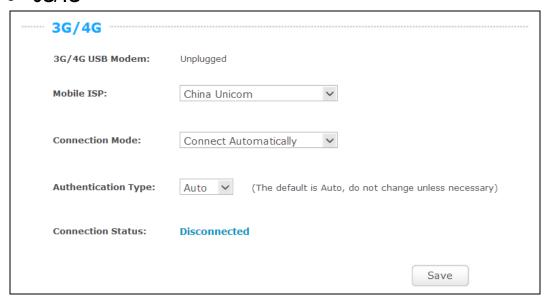


- > Internet Click to view the ISP settings of your router.
- > Wireless Clients Click to view the wireless devices connected to your network.
- > Wired Clients Click to view the wired devices connected to your network.
- > Wireless Click to view or change the wireless settings for your router.
- > **3G/4G** Click to view or change the parameters apply to the 3G/4G USB modem of the router.
- USB Disk Click to view the information of the USB storage device connected to your network.

4.2 Internet

Choose menu "Basic > Internet", and you can view or change the basic ISP information for your router.

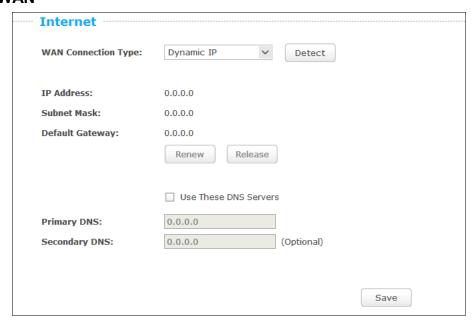
• 3G/4G



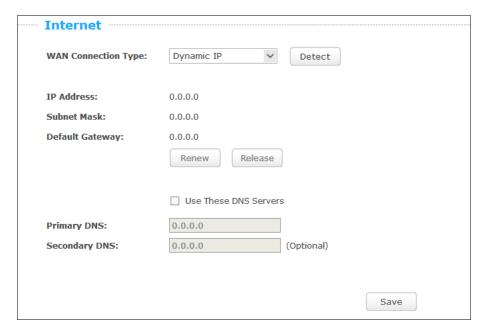
- 3G/4G USB Modem 3G/4G device status Plugged or Unplugged.
- Mobile ISP Please select the ISP(Internet Service Provider) you apply to for 3G/4G service. The router will show the default Dial Number and APN of that ISP.
- Connection Mode Please select the Connection Mode to accessing the Internet with 3G/4G.
 - Connect on Demand You can configure the router to disconnect your Internet connection after a specified period of the Internet connectivity (Max Idle Time). If your Internet connection has been terminated due to inactivity, Connect on Demand enables the router to automatically re-establish your connection as soon as you attempt to access the Internet again. If you wish to activate Connect on Demand, click the radio button. If you want your Internet connection to remain active at all times, enter 0 in the Max Idle Time field. Otherwise, enter the number of minutes you want to have elapsed before your Internet connection terminates.
 - Note Sometimes the connection cannot be disconnected although you specify a
 time to Max Idle Time because some applications visit the Internet continually in
 the background.
 - Connect Automatically Connect automatically after the router is disconnected.
 To use this option, click the radio button.
 - Connect Manually You can configure the router to make it connect or disconnect manually. After a specified period of inactivity (Max Idle Time), the router will disconnect your Internet connection, and not be able to re-establish your connection automatically as soon as you attempt to access the Internet again. To use this option, click the radio button. If you want your Internet connection to remain active at all times, enter 0 in the Max Idle Timefield. Otherwise, enter the

- number in minutes that you wish to have the Internet connecting last unless a new link requested.
- Note Sometimes the connection cannot be disconnected although you specify a time to Max Idle Time because some applications visit the Internet continually in the background.
- ➤ **Authentication Type -** Some ISPs need a specifical authentication type, please confirm it with your ISP or keep it Auto. There are three choices:
 - Auto: The router will have dynamic negotiation with the dialing server and the Autnentication Type need not to be specified. The default type is Auto.
 - PAP: Password Authentication Protocol. This protocol allows the router to establish authentication with the peer using two handshakes. Select this option if the ISP requires this authentication type.
 - CHAP: Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol. This protocol allows the
 route to establish authentication with the peer using three handshakes and
 checking the peer identity periodically. Select this option if the ISP requires this
 authentication type.
- > Connection Status 3G/4G Connection status: Disconnected, Connected Or Connecting.

WAN



 If your ISP provides the DHCP service, please choose **Dynamic IP** type, and the router will automatically get IP parameters from your ISP. You can see the page as shown below.



- > IP Address Assigned dynamically by your ISP.
- > Subnet Mask Assigned dynamically by your ISP.
- Default Gateway Assigned dynamically by your ISP.

Click the **Renew** button to renew the IP parameters from your ISP. Click the **Release** button to release the IP parameters.

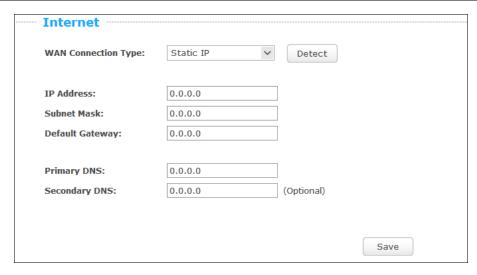
Primary/Secondary DNS - If your ISP gives you one or two DNS addresses, select Use These DNS Servers and enter the primary and secondary addresses into the correct fields. Otherwise, the DNS servers will be assigned dynamically from your ISP.

Note:

If you find error when you go to a website after entering the DNS addresses, it is likely that your DNS servers are set up improperly. You should contact your ISP to get DNS server addresses.

Click the **Save** button to save your settings.

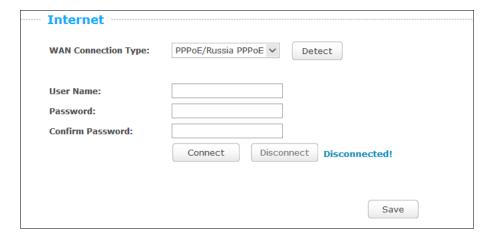
2. If your ISP provides a static or fixed IP Address, Subnet Mask, Gateway and DNS setting, select **Static IP**. The Static IP settings page will appear as shown below.



- > IP Address Enter the IP address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- > **Subnet Mask -** Enter the subnet Mask in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP, usually is 255.255.255.0.
- Default Gateway Enter the gateway IP address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- Primary/Secondary DNS Enter one or two DNS addresses in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.

Click the Save button to save your settings.

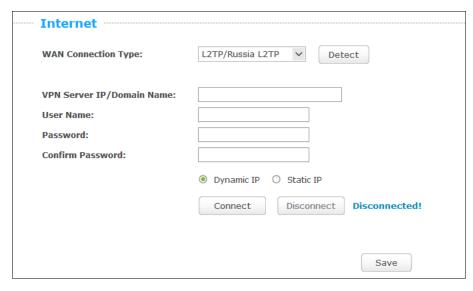
3. If your ISP provides a PPPoE connection, select **PPPoE/Russia PPPoE** option. And you should enter the following parameters in the screen below.



User Name/Password - Enter the User Name and Password provided by your ISP. These fields are case-sensitive. Click the Connect button to connect immediately. Click the Disconnect button to disconnect immediately.

Click the Save button to save your settings.

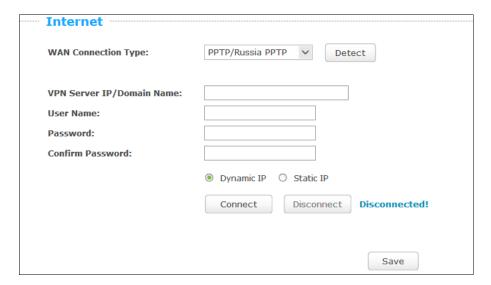
4. If your ISP provides L2TP connection, please select **L2TP/Russia L2TP** option. And you should enter the following parameters in the screen below.



- > VPN Server IP/Domain Name Enter the IP address or domain name of your VPN server.
- User Name/Password Enter the User Name and Password provided by your ISP. These fields are case-sensitive.
- Dynamic IP/Static IP Choose either as you are given by your ISP. Click the Connect button to connect immediately. Click the Disconnect button to disconnect immediately.

Click the Save button to save your settings.

5. If your ISP provides PPTP connection, please select **PPTP/Russia PPTP** option. And you should enter the following parameters.



- > VPN Server IP/Domain Name Enter the IP address or domain name of your VPN server.
- User Name/Password Enter the User Name and Password provided by your ISP. These fields are case-sensitive.
- Dynamic IP/ Static IP Choose either as you are given by your ISP and enter the ISP's IP address or the domain name. If you choose static IP and enter the domain name, you should also enter the DNS assigned by your ISP. And click the Save button. Click the

Connect button to connect immediately. Click the **Disconnect** button to disconnect immediately.

Click the **Save** button to save your settings.

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- **PPPoE** Connections which use PPPoE that requires a user name and password.
- Dynamic IP Connections which use dynamic IP address assignment.
- Static IP Connections which use static IP address assignment.

The router cannot detect PPTP and L2TP connections with your ISP. If your ISP uses one of these protocols, then you must configure your connection manually.

4.3 Wireless

Choosing menu "Basic > Wireless", and you can configure the basic settings for the wireless network



- Wireless 2.4GHz Select ON to enable your wirelessnetwork, and select OFF to disable your wireless network.
- Network Name (SSID) Create a name (up to 32 characters) for your wireless network. If the Hide SSID checkbox is selected, the SSID of your wireless network will be hidden from the Wi-Fi network.
- Password Create a password for your wireless network. The password must have a minimum of 8 characters in length.

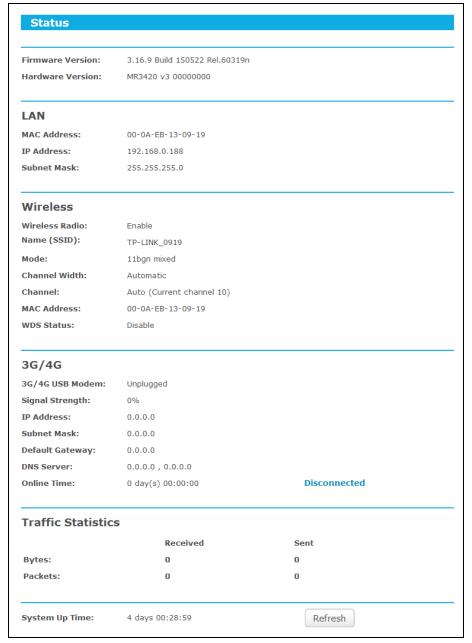
Click the Save button to save your settings.

Chapter 5. Configuring the Router

This chapter will show each Web page's key functions and the configuration way.

5.1 Status

Choose menu "**Advanced > Status**", you can see the current status information about the router.



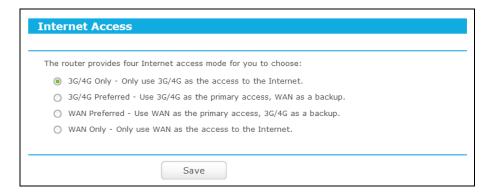
5.2 Network



There are three submenus under the Network menu as shown in the figure above: **Inernet Access**, **3G/4G**, **WAN**, **MAC Clone**, and **LAN**. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding function.

5.2.1 Internet Access

Choose menu "**Network > Internet Access**", and you can configure the access mode on the screen below. The router is designed to work with either WAN port or 3G/4G USB modem, and supports "automatically take over back up with 3G/4G access" as Ethernet WAN failover.



- > 3G/4G Only In this mode, the router will try 3G/4G access only. WAN access is disabled.
- > 3G/4G Preferred In this mode, the router will try 3G/4G access first;
 - When 3G/4G access fails and WAN access is valid, or when no 3G/4G USB modem is inserted, the router would switch to WAN access;
 - When the router succeeds to connect to the 3G/4G network, the router would stop the
 WAN connection and switch back to 3G/4G access immediately.
- WAN Preferred In this mode, the router will try WAN access first;
 - When the WAN access fails, and 3G/4G access is valid, the router would switch to 3G/4G access:
 - When the router succeeds to connect to the WAN network, the router would stop the 3G/4G connection and switch back to WAN access immediately.

WAN Only - In this mode, the router will try WAN access only. 3G/4G access is disabled.

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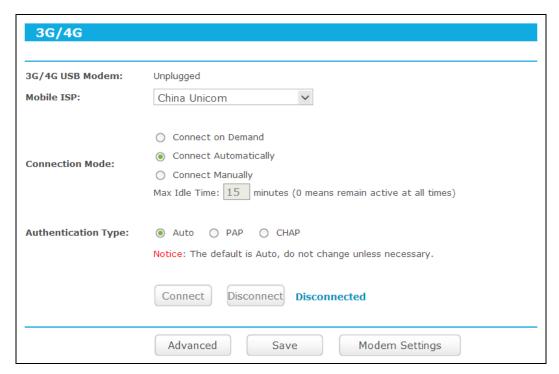
- 1. If you are using the **3G/4G Preferred** or **WAN Preferred**, the router would connect, disconnect or switch the current access automatically. The Connect/Disconnect button (on 3G/4G, PPPoE, PPTP, L2TP) and some related parameters could not be set manually.
- 2. Only when the WAN connection is Dynamic IP, Static IP or PPPoE can the router support the switch between 3G/4G mode and WAN mode.

5.2.2 3G/4G

Choose menu "**Network > 3G/4G**", and you can configure parameters for 3G/4G function on the screen below. To use the 3G/4G function, you should first insert your USB modem on the USB port of the router. There is already much 3G/4G USB modem information embedded in the router. The USB modem parameters will be set automatically if the card is supported by the router. If your USB modem inserted is supported by the router, then "**Identify successfully**" will display in the 3G/4G USB Modem field.

✓ Note:

3G/4G settings are unavailable when the Internet Access mode is set to **WAN Only** mode. Please change settings on 5.2.1 Internet Access if you want to use 3G/4G.



- > 3G/4G USB Modem 3G/4G device status Plugged or Unplugged.
- Mobile ISP Please select the ISP(Internet Service Provider) you apply to for 3G/4G service. The router will show the default Dial Number and APN of that ISP.
- Connection Mode Please select the Connection Mode to accessing the Internet with 3G/4G.

- Connect on Demand You can configure the router to disconnect your Internet connection after a specified period of the Internet connectivity (Max Idle Time). If your Internet connection has been terminated due to inactivity, Connect on
 Demand enables the router to automatically re-establish your connection as soon as you attempt to access the Internet again. If you wish to activate Connect on Demand, click the radio button. If you want your Internet connection to remain active at all times, enter 0 in the Max Idle Time field. Otherwise, enter the number of minutes you want to have elapsed before your Internet connection terminates.
- Note Sometimes the connection cannot be disconnected although you specify a time
 to Max Idle Time because some applications visit the Internet continually in the
 background.
- Connect Automatically Connect automatically after the router is disconnected. To
 use this option, click the radio button.
- Connect Manually You can configure the router to make it connect or disconnect manually. After a specified period of inactivity (Max Idle Time), the router will disconnect your Internet connection, and not be able to re-establish your connection automatically as soon as you attempt to access the Internet again. To use this option, click the radio button. If you want your Internet connection to remain active at all times, enter 0 in the Max Idle Timefield. Otherwise, enter the number in minutes that you wish to have the Internet connecting last unless a new link requested.
- Note Sometimes the connection cannot be disconnected although you specify a time
 to Max Idle Time because some applications visit the Internet continually in the
 background.
- ➤ Authentication Type Some ISPs need a specifical authentication type, please confirm it with your ISP or keep it Auto. There are three choices:
 - Auto The router will have dynamic negotiation with the dialing server and the Autnentication Type need not to be specified. The default type is Auto.
 - PAP Password Authentication Protocol. This protocol allows the router to establish authentication with the peer using two handshakes. Select this option if the ISP requires this authentication type.

CHAP - Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol. This protocol allows the route
to establish authentication with the peer using three handshakes and checking the
peer identity periodically. Select this option if the ISP requires this authentication type.

Click the **Connect** button to connect to Internet with 3G/4G.

Click the **Disconnect** button to disconnect to Internet with 3G/4G while connecting to Internet with 3G/4G.

Click the **Advanced** button to set up the advanced options.

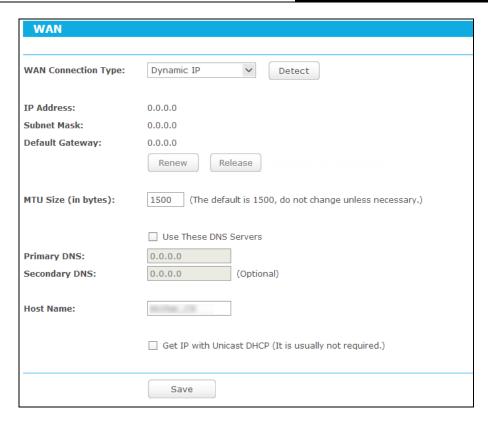
Click the **Save** button to save your settings.

Click the **Modem Settings** button if your 3G/4G USB Modem is not supported by the router.

5.2.3 WAN

Choose menu "**Advanced > Network > WAN**", and you can configure the IP parameters of the WAN on the screen below.

1. If your ISP provides the DHCP service, please choose **Dynamic IP** type, and the router will automatically get IP parameters from your ISP. You can see the page, shown in the figure below.



This page displays the WAN IP parameters assigned dynamically by your ISP, including IP address, Subnet Mask, Default Gateway, etc. Click the **Renew** button to renew the IP parameters from your ISP. Click the **Release** button to release the IP parameters.

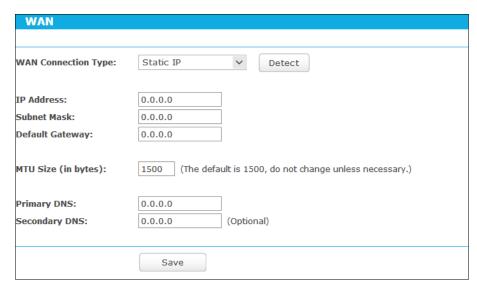
- ➤ MTU Size The normal MTU (Maximum Transmission Unit) value for most Ethernet networks is 1500 Bytes. It is not recommended that you change the default MTU Size unless required by your ISP.
- ➤ Use These DNS Servers If your ISP gives you one or two DNS addresses, select Use These DNS Servers and enter the primary and secondary addresses into the correct fields. Otherwise, the DNS servers will be assigned dynamically from your ISP.

If you find error when you go to a website after entering the DNS addresses, it is likely that your DNS servers are set up improperly. You should contact your ISP to get DNS server addresses.

- Host Name This option specifies the Host Name of the router.
- ➤ **Get IP with Unicast DHCP -** A few ISPs' DHCP servers do not support the broadcast applications. If you cannot get the IP Address normally, you can choose this option. (It is rarely required.)

Click the **Save** button to save your settings.

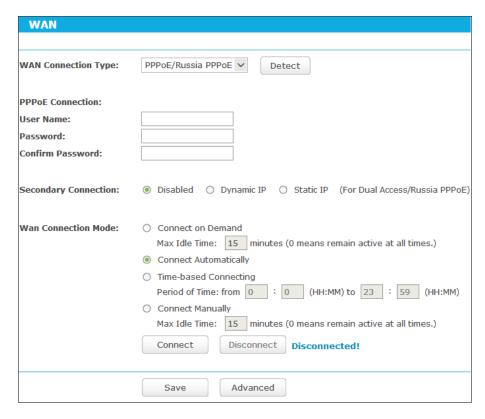
2. If your ISP provides a static or fixed IP Address, Subnet Mask, Gateway and DNS setting, select **Static IP**. The Static IP settings page will appear, shown in the figure below.



- > IP Address Enter the IP address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- > **Subnet Mask -** Enter the subnet Mask in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP, usually is 255.255.255.0.
- Default Gateway Enter the gateway IP address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- MTU Size The normal MTU (Maximum Transmission Unit) value for most Ethernet networks is 1500 Bytes. It is not recommended that you change the default MTU Size unless required by your ISP.
- Primary/Secondary DNS (Optional) Enter one or two DNS addresses in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.

Click the Save button to save your settings.

If your ISP provides a PPPoE connection, select PPPoE/Russia PPPoE option. And you should enter the following parameters in the figure below.



- User Name/Password Enter the User Name and Password provided by your ISP. These fields are case-sensitive.
- Secondary Connection It's available only for PPPoE Connection. If your ISP provides an extra Connection type such as Dynamic/Static IP to connect to a local area network, then you can check the radio button of Dynamic/Static IP to activate this secondary connection.
 - **Disabled** The Secondary Connection is disabled by default, so there is PPPoE connection only. This is recommended.
 - Dynamic IP You can check this radio button to use Dynamic IP as the secondary connection to connect to the local area network provided by ISP.
 - Static IP You can check this radio button to use Static IP as the secondary connection to connect to the local area network provided by ISP.
- Connect on Demand In this mode, the Internet connection can be terminated automatically after a specified inactivity period (Max Idle Time) and be re-established when you attempt to access the Internet again. If you want your Internet connection keeps active all the time, please enter "0" in the Max Idle Time field. Otherwise, enter the number of minutes you want to have elapsed before your Internet access disconnects.
- > Connect Automatically The connection can be re-established automatically when it was down.
- > **Time-based Connecting -** The connection will only be established in the period from the start time to the end time (both are in HH:MM format).

Note:

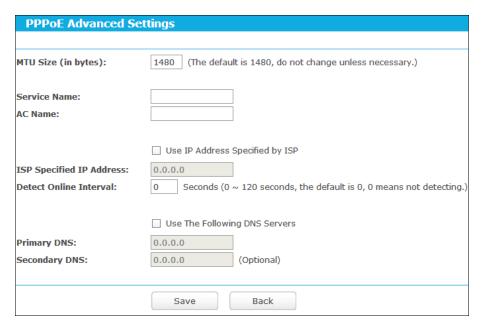
Only when you have configured the system time on "Advanced > System Tools > Time Settings" page, will the Time-based Connecting function can take effect.

Connect Manually - You can click the Connect/Disconnect button to connect/disconnect immediately. This mode also supports the Max Idle Time function as Connect on Demand mode. The Internet connection can be disconnected automatically after a specified inactivity period and re-established when you attempt to access the Internet again.

Click the **Connect** button to connect immediately. Click the **Disconnect** button to disconnect immediately.

Caution: Sometimes the connection cannot be terminated although you specify a time to Max Idle Time because some applications are visiting the Internet continually in the background.

If you want to do some advanced configurations, please click the **Advanced** button, and the page shown in the figure below will then appear.

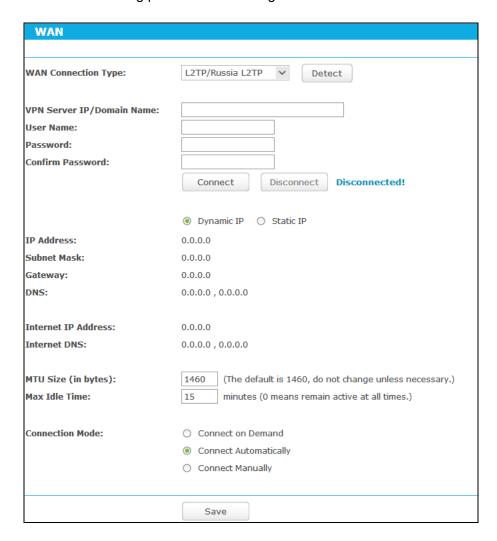


- > **MTU Size** The default MTU size is "1480" bytes, which is usually fine. It is not recommended that you change the default **MTU Size** unless required by your ISP.
- Service Name/AC Name The service name and AC (Access Concentrator) name should not be configured unless you are sure it is necessary for your ISP. In most cases, leaving these fields blank will work.
- > **ISP Specified IP Address -** If your ISP does not automatically assign IP addresses to the router during login, please click "**Use IP address specified by ISP**" check box and enter the IP address provided by your ISP in dotted-decimal notation.
- Detect Online Interval The router will detect Access Concentrator online at every interval. The default value is "0". You can input the value between "0" and "120". The value "0" means no detect.

Primary DNS/Secondary DNS - If your ISP does not automatically assign DNS addresses to the router during login, please click "Use the following DNS servers" check box and enter the IP address in dotted-decimal notation of your ISP's primary DNS server. If a secondary DNS server address is available, enter it as well.

Click the Save button to save your settings.

4. If your ISP provides L2TP connection, please select **L2TP/Russia L2TP** option. And you should enter the following parameters in the figure below.



- VPN Server IP/Domain Name Enter the IP address or domain name of the VPN server provided by your ISP.
- User Name/Password Enter the User Name and Password provided by your ISP. These fields are case-sensitive.
- Dynamic IP/ Static IP Select Static IP if IP address, subnet mask, gateway and DNS server address have been provided by your ISP. Otherwise, please select Dynamic IP.
- Connect on Demand You can configure the router to disconnect from your Internet connection after a specified period of inactivity (Max Idle Time). If your Internet connection has been terminated due to inactivity, Connect on Demand enables the router to

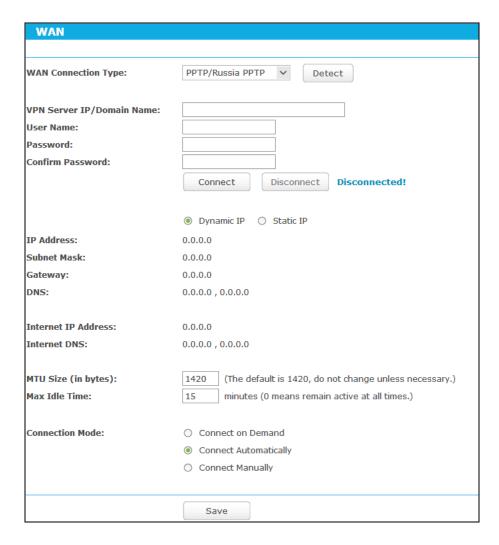
automatically re-establish your connection as soon as you attempt to access the Internet again. If you wish to activate **Connect on Demand**, check the radio button. If you want your Internet connection to remain active at all times, enter 0 in the **Max Idle Time** field. Otherwise, enter the number of minutes you want to have elapsed before your Internet connection terminates.

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Caution: Sometimes the connection cannot be disconnected although you specify a time to Max Idle Time, because some applications are visiting the Internet continually in the background.

Click the **Save** button to save your settings.

5. If your ISP provides PPTP connection, please select **PPTP/Russia PPTP** option. And you should enter the following parameters in the figure below.



- VPN Server IP/Domain Name Enter the IP address or domain name of the VPN server provided by your ISP.
- User Name/Password Enter the User Name and Password provided by your ISP. These fields are case-sensitive.
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- Connect on Demand You can configure the router to disconnect from your Internet connection after a specified period of inactivity (Max Idle Time). If your Internet connection has been terminated due to inactivity, Connect on Demand enables the router to automatically re-establish your connection as soon as you attempt to access the Internet again. If you wish to activate Connect on Demand, check the radio button. If you want your Internet connection to remain active at all times, enter "0" in the Max Idle Time field. Otherwise, enter the number of minutes you want to have elapsed before your Internet connection terminates.
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5.2.4 MAC Clone

Choose menu "**Advanced > Network > MAC Clone**", and you can configure the MAC address of the WAN on the screen below in the figure below.



Some ISPs require that you register the MAC Address of your adapter. Changes are rarely needed here.

- WAN MAC Address This field displays the current MAC address of the Internet port. If your ISP requires you to register the MAC address, please enter the correct MAC address into this field in XX-XX-XX-XX-XX format (X is any hexadecimal digit).
- Your PC's MAC Address This field displays the MAC address of the PC that is managing the router. If the MAC address is required, you can click the Clone MAC Address button and this MAC address will fill in the WAN MAC Address field.

Click **Restore Factory MAC** to restore the MAC address of Internet port to the factory default value. Click the **Save** button to save your settings.

P Note:

Only the PC on your LAN can use the MAC Address Clone function.

5.2.5 LAN

Choose menu "Advanced Network LAN", and you can configure the IP parameters of the LAN on the screen as below.

MAC Address:	00-0A-EB-13-7B-00
IP Address:	192.168.0.1
Subnet Mask:	255.255.255.0
IGMP Proxy:	Enable
Note: IGMP(Internet Group Management Protocol) works for IPTV multicast stream. The device supports both IGMP proxy with enabled/disabled option and IGMP snooping.	
	Save

- MAC Address The physical address of the router, as seen from the LAN. The value can't be changed.
- > **IP Address -** Enter the IP address of your router or reset it in dotted-decimal notation (factory default: 192.168.0.1).
- > **Subnet Mask -** An address code that determines the size of the network. Normally use 255.255.255.0 as the subnet mask.
- IGMP Proxy If you want to watch TV through IGMP, please enable it.

Note:

1) If you change the IP Address of LAN, you must use the new IP Address to log in the router.

If the new LAN IP Address you set is not in the same subnet, the IP Address pool of the DHCP server will change accordingly at the same time, while the Virtual Server and DMZ Host will not take effect until they are re-configured.

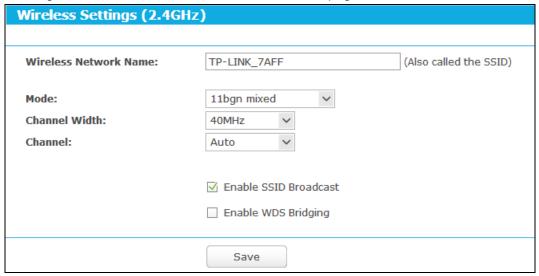
5.3 Wireless 2.4GHz



There are six submenus under the Wireless menu, shown in the figure above **Wireless Settings**, **WPS**, **Wireless Security**, **Wireless MAC Filtering**, **Wireless Advanced** and **Wireless Statistics**. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding functions.

5.3.1 Wireless Settings

Choose menu "Advanced Wireless 2.4GHz Wireless Settings", and you can configure the basic settings for the wireless network of 2.4GHz on this page.



- Wireless Network Name The wireless network name (SSID) that the router uses. You can create a new one with up to 32 characters. The default SSID is set to be TP-LINK_XXXX. This value is case-sensitive. For example, TEST is NOT the same as test.
- Mode Select the desired mode.
 - 11n only Select if you are using 802.11n wireless clients.
 - 11bg mixed Select if you are using both 802.11b and 802.11g wireless clients.

- 11bgn mixed Select if you are using a mix of 802.11b, 11g, and 11n wireless clients. It is strongly recommended that you set the Mode to 802.11bgn mixed, and all of 802.11b, 802.11g, and 802.11n wireless stations can connect to the router.
- Channel Width Select the channel width from the drop-down list, including Auto, 20MHz, 40MHz. The default setting is Auto.

If **11bg mixed** is selected in the **Mode** field, the **Channel Width** selecting field will turn grey and the value will become 20MHz, which is unable to be changed.

- Channel This field determines which operating frequency will be used. The default channel is set to Auto, so the router will choose the best channel automatically. It is not necessary to change the wireless channel unless you notice interference problems with another nearby access point.
- Enable SSID Broadcast When wireless clients survey the local area for wireless networks to associate with, they will detect the SSID broadcast by the router. If you select the Enable SSID Broadcast checkbox, the Wireless router will broadcast its name (SSID) on the air.
- Enable WDS Bridging Check this box to enable WDS. With this function, the router can bridge two or more WLANs. If this checkbox is selected, you will have to set the following parameters as shown in the figure below. Make sure the following settings are correct.



- **SSID** (to be bridged) The SSID of the AP your router is going to connect to as a client. You can also use the Survey function to select the SSID to join.
- MAC Address (to be bridged) The MAC address (BSSID) of the AP your router is going to connect to as a client. You can also use the Survey function to select the MAC address (BSSID) to join.
- Survey Click this button, you can search the APs that run in all channels.
- **Key type** This option should be chosen according to the AP's security configuration.
- WEP Index This option should be chosen if the key type is WEP. It indicates the index of the WEP key.
- Auth Type This option should be chosen if the key type is WEP. It indicates the authorization type of the Root AP.

Password - If the AP your router is going to connect needs password, you need to fill
the password in this blank.

5.3.2 WPS

Choose menu "Advanced Wireless 2.4GHz WPS", and you can see the screen as shown in the figure below. This section will guide you to add a new wireless device to an existing network guickly by WPS (Wi-Fi Protected Setup) function.



- > WPS Status Enable or disable the WPS function here.
- Current PIN Displays the current value of the router's PIN. The default PIN of the router can be found in the label or User Guide.
- > Restore PIN Restore the PIN of the router to its default value.
- Gen New PIN Click this button, and then you can get a new random value for the router's PIN. You can ensure the network security by generating a new PIN.
- Add device You can add a new device to the existing network manually by clicking this button.

If the wireless adapter supports Wi-Fi Protected Setup (WPS), you can establish a wireless connection between wireless adapter and the router using either Push Button Configuration (PBC) method or PIN method.

I. Use the Wi-Fi Protected Setup Button

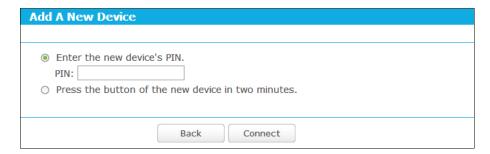
Use this method if your client device has a WPS button.

- **Step 1:** Press the **WPS/Reset** button on the back panel of the router.
- **Step 2:** Press and hold the **WPS** button of the client device. The WPS LED flashes for two minutes during the Wi-Fi Protected Setup process.
- **Step 3:** When the WPS LED is on, the client device has successfully connected to the router.

II. Enter the client device's PIN on the router

Use this method if your client device does not have the WPS button, but has a Wi-Fi Protected Setup PIN number.

Step 4: Enable WPS. The default is enabled. Click the **Add device** button in the figure above, then Figure 5-17 will appear.



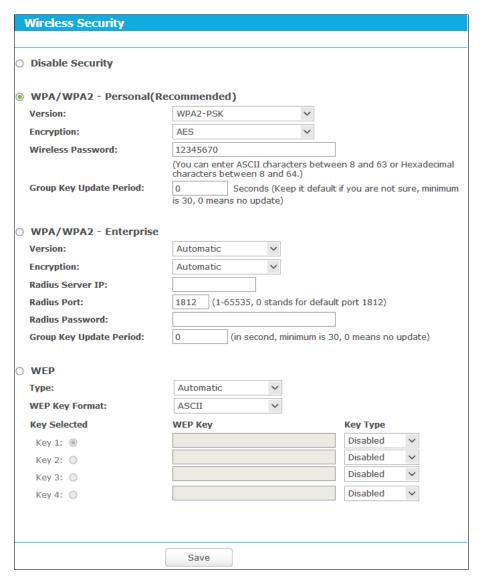
- **Step 5**: Enter the PIN number from the client device in the field on the WPS screen above. Then click **Connect** button.
- **Step 6:** "Connect successfully" will appear on the screen of in the figure above, which means the client device has successfully connected to the router.

Note:

- 1) The WPS LED on the router will light blue for five minutes if the device has been successfully added to the network.
- 2) The WPS function cannot be configured if the wireless function of the router is disabled. Please make sure the wireless function is enabled before configuring the WPS.

5.3.3 Wireless Security

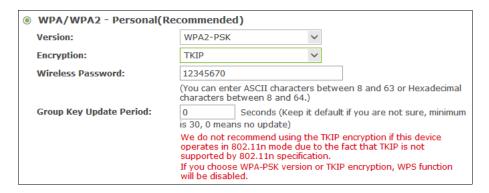
Choose menu "Advanced Wireless 2.4GHz Wireless Security", and you can configure the security settings of your wireless network. There are five wireless security modes supported by the router: WPA-Personal, WPA2-Personal, WPA2-Enterprise, WPA2-Enterprise, and WEP.



- ➤ **Disable Security -** If you do not want to use wireless security, check this radio button. But it's strongly recommended to choose one of the following modes to enable security.
- > WPA/WPA2-Personal It's the WPA/WPA2 authentication type based on pre-shared passphrase. The router is configured by this security type by default.
 - Version You can choose the version of the WPA-PSK or WPA2-PSK security on the drop-down list. The default setting is WPA2-PSK.
 - Encryption You can select either TKIP or AES as Encryption. The default setting is AES.

Note:

If you check the **WPA/WPA2-Personal** radio button and choose **TKIP** encryption, you will find a notice in red as shown in the figure below.



- Wireless Password You can enter ASCII characters between 8 and 63 characters or 8 to 64 Hexadecimal characters. The default password is the same with the default PIN code, which is labeled on the router.
- **Group Key Update Period -** Specify the group key update interval in seconds. The value should be 30 or above. Enter 0 to disable the update.
- WPA/WPA2- Enterprise It's based on Radius Server. If you choose WPA/WPA2 Enterprise, WPS function will be disabled.
 - Version you can choose the version of the WPA security on the drop-down list. The
 default setting is Automatic, which can select WPA (Wi-Fi Protected Access) or
 WPA2 (WPA version 2) automatically based on the wireless station's capability and
 request.
 - Encryption You can select either Automatic, or TKIP or AES.

✓ Note:

If you check the **WPA/WPA2-Enterprise** radio button and choose **TKIP** encryption, you will find a notice in red as shown in the figure below.

WPA/WPA2 - Enterprise	
Version:	Automatic
Encryption:	TKIP
Radius Server IP:	
Radius Port:	1812 (1-65535, 0 stands for default port 1812)
Radius Password:	
Group Key Update Period:	0 (in second, minimum is 30, 0 means no update)
	We do not recommend using the TKIP encryption if this device operates in 802.11n mode due to the fact that TKIP is not supported by 802.11n specification. If you choose WPA/WPA2 - Enterprise, WPS function will be disabled.

- Radius Server IP Enter the IP address of the Radius server.
- Radius Port Enter the port number of the Radius server.
- Radius Password Enter the password for the Radius server.
- **Group Key Update Period -** Specify the group key update interval in seconds. The value should be 30 or above. Enter 0 to disable the update.

➤ **WEP -** It is based on the IEEE 802.11 standard. If you check this radio button, you will find a notice in red as shown in the figure below.



- Type you can choose the type for the WEP security on the drop-down list. The
 default setting is Automatic, which can select Shared Key or Open System
 authentication type automatically based on the wireless station's capability and
 request.
- WEP Key Format Hexadecimal and ASCII formats are provided here.
 Hexadecimal format stands for any combination of hexadecimal digits (0-9, a-f, A-F) in the specified length. ASCII format stands for any combination of keyboard characters in the specified length.
- WEP Key Select which of the four keys will be used and enter the matching WEP key
 that you create. Make sure these values are identical on all wireless stations in your
 network.
- Key Type You can select the WEP key length (64-bit or 128-bit) for encryption.
 "Disabled" means this WEP key entry is invalid.
 - **64-bit -** You can enter 10 hexadecimal digits (any combination of 0-9, a-f, A-F, zero key is not promoted) or 5 ASCII characters.
 - **128-bit -** You can enter 26 hexadecimal digits (any combination of 0-9, a-f, A-F, zero key is not promoted) or 13 ASCII characters.

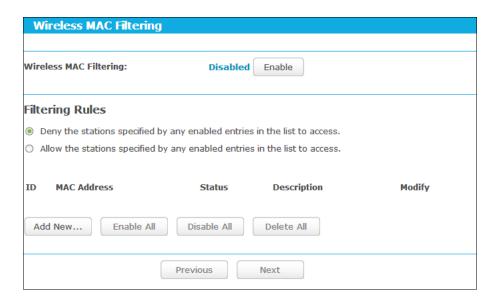
P Note:

If you do not set the key, the wireless security function is still disabled even if you have selected Shared Key as Authentication Type.

Be sure to click the **Save** button to save your settings on this page.

5.3.4 Wireless MAC Filtering

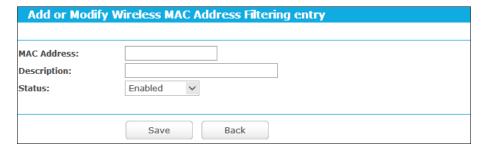
Choose menu "Advanced Wireless 2.4GHz Wireless MAC Filtering", and you can control the wireless access by configuring the Wireless MAC Filtering function, shown in the figure below.



To filter wireless users by MAC Address, click **Enable**. The default setting is **Disabled**.

- MAC Address The wireless station's MAC address that you want to filter.
- > Status The status of this entry, either Enabled or Disabled.
- Description A simple description of the wireless station.

To Add a Wireless MAC Address filtering entry, click the **Add New...** button. The "**Add or Modify Wireless MAC Address Filtering entry**" page will appear, shown in the figure below.



To add or modify a MAC Address Filtering entry, follow these instructions:

- Enter the appropriate MAC Address into the MAC Address field. The format of the MAC Address is XX-XX-XX-XX-XX (X is any hexadecimal digit). For example: 00-0A-EB-B0-00-0B.
- 2. Give a simple description for the wireless station in the **Description** field. For example: Wireless station A.
- 3. Select **Enabled** or **Disabled** for this entry on the **Status** drop-down list.
- 4. Click the **Save** button to save this entry.

To modify or delete an existing entry:

- Click the Modify in the entry you want to modify. If you want to delete the entry, click the Delete.
- 2. Modify the information.

3. Click the Save button.

Click the **Enable All** button to make all entries enabled

Click the **Disable All** button to make all entries disabled.

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all entries.

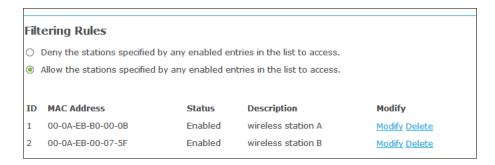
Click the **Next** button to go to the next page.

Click the **Previous** button to return to the previous page.

For example: If you desire that the wireless station A with MAC address 00-0A-EB-B0-00-0B and the wireless station B with MAC address 00-0A-EB-00-07-5F are able to access the router, but all the other wireless stations cannot access the router, you can configure the **Wireless MAC Address Filtering** list by following these steps:

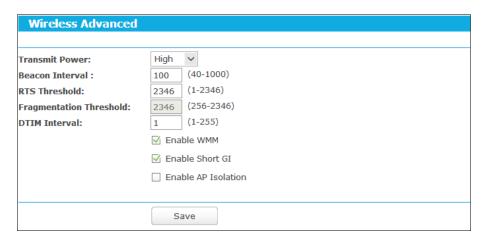
- 1. Click the **Enable** button to enable this function.
- 2. Select the radio button "Allow the stations specified by any enabled entries in the list to access" for Filtering Rules.
- 3. Delete all or disable all entries if there are any entries already.
- 4. Click the Add New... button.
 - Enter the MAC address 00-0A-EB-B0-00-0B/00-0A-EB-00-07-5F in the MAC Address field.
 - 2) Enter wireless station A/B in the **Description** field.
 - 3) Select **Enabled** in the **Status** drop-down list.
 - 4) Click the Save button.

The filtering rules that configured should be similar to the following list:



5.3.5 Wireless Advanced

Choose menu "Advanced→Wireless 2.4GHz Wireless Advanced", and you can configure the advanced settings of your wireless network.



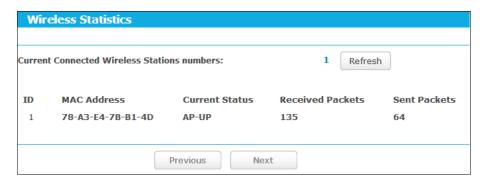
- > **Transmit Power -** Here you can specify the transmit power of router. You can select High, Middle or Low which you would like. High is the default setting and is recommended.
- Beacon Interval Enter a value between 40-1000 milliseconds for Beacon Interval here. The beacons are the packets sent by the router to synchronize a wireless network. Beacon Interval value determines the time interval of the beacons. The default value is 100.
- RTS Threshold Here you can specify the RTS (Request to Send) Threshold. If the packet is larger than the specified RTS Threshold size, the router will send RTS frames to a particular receiving station and negotiate the sending of a data frame. The default value is 2346.
- Fragmentation Threshold This value is the maximum size determining whether packets will be fragmented. Setting the Fragmentation Threshold too low may result in poor network performance because of excessive packets. 2346 is the default setting and is recommended.
- DTIM Interval This value determines the interval of the Delivery Traffic Indication Message (DTIM). A DTIM field is a countdown field informing clients of the next window for listening to broadcast and multicast messages. When the router has buffered broadcast or multicast messages for associated clients, it sends the next DTIM with a DTIM Interval value. You can specify the value between 1-255 Beacon Intervals. The default value is 1, which indicates the DTIM Interval is the same as Beacon Interval.
- ➤ **Enable WMM WMM** function can guarantee the packets with high-priority messages being transmitted preferentially. It is strongly recommended.
- Enable Short GI This function is recommended for it will increase the data capacity by reducing the guard interval time.
- Enabled AP Isolation This function can isolate wireless stations on your network from each other. Wireless devices will be able to communicate with the router but not with each other. To use this function, check this box. AP Isolation is disabled by default.

P Note:

If you are not familiar with the setting items in this page, it's strongly recommended to keep the provided default values; otherwise it may result in lower wireless network performance.

5.3.6 Wireless Statistics

Choose menu "Advanced Wireless 2.4GHz Wireless Statistics", and you can see the MAC Address, Current Status, Received Packets and Sent Packets for each connected wireless station.



- > MAC Address The connected wireless station's MAC address
- Current Status The connected wireless station's running status, one of STA-AUTH/ STA-ASSOC/ STA-JOINED/ WPA/ WPA-PSK/ WPA2/ WPA2-PSK/ AP-UP/ AP-DOWN/ Disconnected
- > Received Packets Packets received by the station
- > Sent Packets Packets sent by the station

You cannot change any of the values on this page. To update this page and to show the current connected wireless stations, click on the **Refresh** button.

If the numbers of connected wireless stations go beyond one page, click the **Next** button to go to the next page and click the **Previous** button to return the previous page.

This page will be refreshed automatically every 5 seconds.

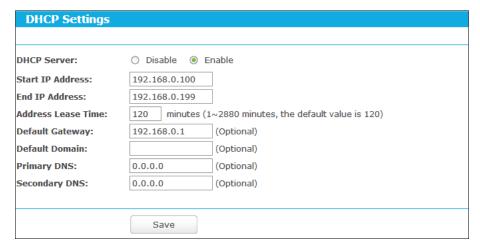
5.4 DHCP



There are three submenus under the DHCP menu, shown in the figure above: **DHCP Settings**, **DHCP Clients List** and **Address Reservation**. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding functions.

5.4.1 DHCP Settings

Choose menu "Advanced DHCP DHCP Settings", and you can configure the DHCP Server on the page as shown in the figure below. The router is set up by default as a DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) server, which provides the TCP/IP configuration for all the PC(s) that are connected to the router on the LAN.



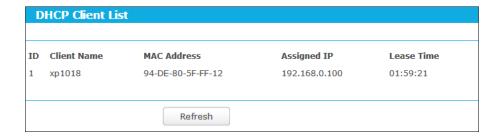
- DHCP Server Enable or Disable the DHCP server. If you disable the Server, you must have another DHCP server within your network or else you must configure the computer manually.
- > Start IP Address Specify an IP address for the DHCP Server to start with when assigning IP addresses. 192.168.0.100 is the default start address.
- > **End IP Address -** Specify an IP address for the DHCP Server to end with when assigning IP addresses. 192.168.0.199 is the default end address.
- Address Lease Time The Address Lease Time is the amount of time a network user will be allowed connection to the router with their current dynamic IP Address. Enter the amount of time in minutes and the user will be "leased" this dynamic IP Address. After the time is up, the user will be automatically assigned a new dynamic IP address. The range of the time is 1 ~ 2880 minutes. The default value is 120 minutes.
- Default Gateway (Optional.) It is suggested to input the IP address of the Ethernet port of the router. The default value is 192.168.0.1.
- > **Default Domain -** (Optional) Input the domain name of your network.
- > Primary DNS (Optional) Input the DNS IP address provided by your ISP or consult your ISP.
- Secondary DNS (Optional.) Input the IP address of another DNS server if your ISP provides two DNS servers.

Note:

To use the DHCP server function of the router, you must configure all computers on the LAN as "Obtain an IP Address automatically".

5.4.2 DHCP Clients List

Choose menu "Advanced DHCP DHCP Clients List", and you can view the information about the clients connected to the router.

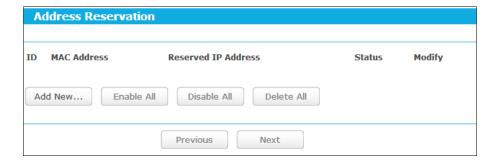


- > Client Name The name of the DHCP client
- > MAC Address The MAC address of the DHCP client
- > Assigned IP The IP address that the router has allocated to the DHCP client
- Lease Time The time of the DHCP client leased. After the dynamic IP address has expired, a new dynamic IP address will be automatically assigned to the user.

You cannot change any of the values on this page. To update this page and to show the current attached devices, click the **Refresh** button.

5.4.3 Address Reservation

Choose menu "Advanced DHCP Address Reservation", you can view and add a reserved address for clients via the next screen, shown in the figure below. When you specify a reserved IP address for a PC on the LAN, that PC will always receive the same IP address each time when it accesses the DHCP server. Reserved IP addresses should be assigned to the servers that require permanent IP settings.



- > MAC Address The MAC address of the PC for which you want to reserve an IP address.
- > Reserved IP Address The IP address reserved for the PC by the router.
- Status The status of this entry, either Enabled or Disabled.

To Reserve an IP address:

1. Click the **Add New...** button. Then in the figure below will pop up.

- 2. Enter the MAC address (in XX-XX-XX-XX-XX format.) and IP address (in dotted-decimal notation) of the computer for which you want to reserve an IP address.
- 3. Click the Save button.

Add or Modify an Address Reservation Entry		
MAC Address: Reserved IP Address: Status:	Enabled	
	Save Back	

To modify or delete an existing entry:

- Click the Modify in the entry you want to modify. If you want to delete the entry, click the Delete.
- 2. Modify the information.
- 3. Click the Save button.

Click the Enable/Disable All button to make all entries enabled/disabled

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all entries.

Click the **Next** button to go to the next page and Click the **Previous** button to return the previous page.

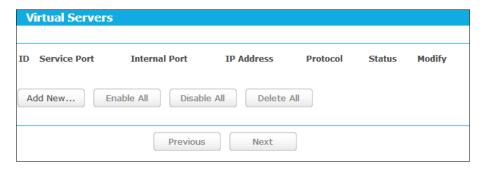
5.5 Forwarding



There are four submenus under the Forwarding menu: **Virtual Servers**, **Port Triggering**, **DMZ** and **UPnP**. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding function.

5.5.1 Virtual Servers

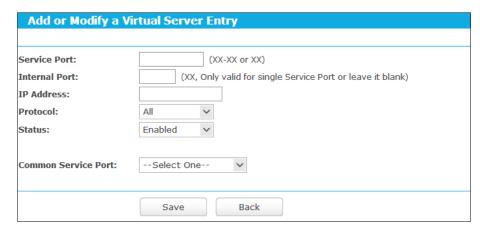
Choose menu "Advanced Forwarding Virtual Servers", and then you can view and add virtual servers in the next screen shown in Figure 5-32. Virtual servers can be used for setting up public services on your LAN. A virtual server is defined as a service port, and all requests from Internet to this service port will be redirected to the computer specified by the server IP. Any PC that was used for a virtual server must have a static or reserved IP address because its IP address may change when using the DHCP function. If you want the Virtual Servers configuration take effect, please make sure the NAT is enabled.



- Service Port The numbers of External Service Ports. You can enter a service port or a range of service ports (the format is XXX – YYY; XXX is the Start port and YYY is the End port).
- Internal Port The Internal Service Port number of the PC running the service application.
 You can leave it blank if the Internal Port is the same as the Service Port, or enter a specific port number when Service Port is a single one.
- > IP Address The IP address of the PC running the service application.
- Protocol The protocol used for this application, either TCP, UDP, or All (all protocols supported by the router).
- > Status The status of this entry, "Enabled" means the virtual server entry is enabled.
- > Common Service Port Some common services already exist in the drop-down list.
- Modify To modify or delete an existing entry.

To setup a virtual server entry:

- 1. Click the Add New... button.
- Select the service you want to use from the Common Service Port list. If the Common Service Port menu does not list the service that you want to use, enter the number of the service port or service port range in the Service Port field.
- 3. Enter the IP address of the computer running the service application in the **IP Address** field.
- 4. Select the protocol used for this application in the **Protocol** drop-down list, either **TCP**, **UDP**, or **All**.
- 5. Select the **Enabled** option in the **Status** drop-down list.
- 6. Click the Save button.



Note:

It is possible that you have a computer or server that has more than one type of available service. If so, select another service, and type the same IP address for that computer or server.

To modify or delete an existing entry:

- 1. Find the desired entry in the table.
- 2. Click **Modify** or **Delete** as desired on the **Modify** column.

Click the **Enable/ Disable All** button to make all entries enabled/ disabled.

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all entries.

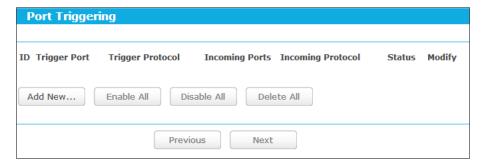
Click the **Next** button to go to the next page and click the **Previous** button to return to the previous page.

Note:

If you set the service port of the virtual server as 80, you must set the Web management port on **Advanced Security Remote Management** page to be any other value except 80 such as 8080. Otherwise there will be a conflict to disable the virtual server.

5.5.2 Port Triggering

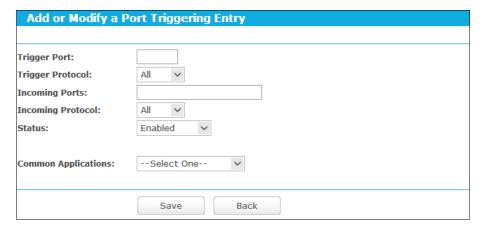
Choose menu "Advanced Forwarding Port Triggering", and you can view and add port triggering in the next screen shown in the figure below. Some applications require multiple connections, like Internet games, video conferencing, Internet telephoning and so on. Port Triggering is used for some of these applications that cannot work with a pure NAT router.



To add a new rule, follow the steps below.

1. Click the **Add New...** button, the next screen will pop-up as shown in the figure below.

- Select a common application from the Common Applications drop-down list, then the Trigger Port field and the Incoming Ports field will be automatically filled. If the Common Applications do not have the application you need, enter the Trigger Port and the Incoming Ports manually.
- Select the protocol used for Trigger Port from the Trigger Protocol drop-down list, either TCP, UDP, or All.
- 4. Select the protocol used for Incoming Ports from the **Incoming Protocol** drop-down list, either **TCP** or **UDP**, or **All**.
- 5. Select Enabled in Status field.
- 6. Click the **Save** button to save the new rule.



- > **Trigger Port** The port for outgoing traffic. An outgoing connection using this port will trigger this rule.
- > **Trigger Protocol** The protocol used for Trigger Ports, either **TCP**, **UDP**, or **All** (all protocols supported by the router).
- Incoming Ports The port or port range used by the remote system when it responds to the outgoing request. A response using one of these ports will be forwarded to the PC which triggered this rule. You can input at most 5 groups of ports (or port sections). Every group of ports must be separated with ",", for example, 2000-2038, 2046, 2050-2051, 2085, 3010-3030.
- Incoming Protocol The protocol used for Incoming Port, either TCP, UDP, or ALL (all protocols supported by the router).
- > Status The status of this entry, Enabled means the Port Triggering entry is enabled.
- > **Modify** To modify or delete an existing entry.
- Common Applications Some popular applications already listed in the drop-down list of Incoming Protocol.

To modify or delete an existing entry:

1. Find the desired entry in the table.

2. Click **Modify** or **Delete** as desired on the **Modify** column.

Click the **Enable All** button to make all entries enabled.

Click the **Disable All** button to make all entries disabled.

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all entries

Once the router is configured, the operation is as follows:

- A local host makes an outgoing connection to an external host using a destination port number defined in the **Trigger Port** field.
- The router records this connection, opens the incoming port or ports associated with this entry in the **Port Triggering** table, and associates them with the local host.
- When necessary, the external host will be able to connect to the local host using one of the ports defined in the **Incoming Ports** field.

Note:

- 1. When the trigger connection is released, the corresponding opened ports will be closed.
- 2. Each rule can only be used by one host on the LAN at a time. The trigger connection of other hosts on the LAN will be refused.
- 3. **Incoming Ports** ranges cannot overlap each other.

5.5.3 DMZ

Choose menu "Advanced Forwarding DMZ", and then you can view and configure DMZ host in the screen shown in the figure below. The DMZ host feature allows one local host to be exposed to the Internet for a special-purpose service such as Internet gaming or videoconferencing. The router forwards packets of all services to the DMZ host. Any PC whose port is being forwarded must have its DHCP client function disabled and should have a new static IP Address assigned to it because its IP Address may be changed when using the DHCP function.

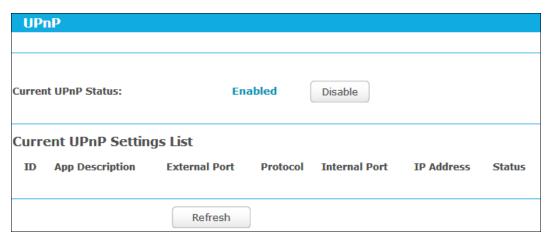


To assign a computer or server to be a DMZ server:

- 1. Select the **Enable** radio button.
- 2. Enter the IP address of a local PC that is set to be DMZ host in the **DMZ Host IP Address** field.
- 3. Click the Save button.

5.5.4 UPnP

Choose menu "Advanced Forwarding UPnP", and then you can view the information about UPnP in the screen shown in the figure below. The Universal Plug and Play (UPnP) feature allows the devices, such as Internet computers, to access the local host resources or devices as needed. UPnP devices can be automatically discovered by the UPnP service application on the LAN.



- Current UPnP Status UPnP can be enabled or disabled by clicking the Enable or Disable button. This feature is enabled by default.
- > Current UPnP Settings List This table displays the current UPnP information.
 - App Description The description about the application which initiates the UPnP request.
 - **External Port** The port which the router opened for the application.
 - **Protocol** The type of protocol which is opened.
 - Internal Port The port which the router opened for local host.
 - IP Address The IP address of the local host which initiates the UPnP request.
 - **Status** Either Enabled or Disabled. "Enabled" means that the port is still active; otherwise, the port is inactive.

Click the **Enable** button to enable UPnP.

Click the **Disable** button to disable UPnP.

Click the **Refresh** button to update the Current UPnP Settings List.

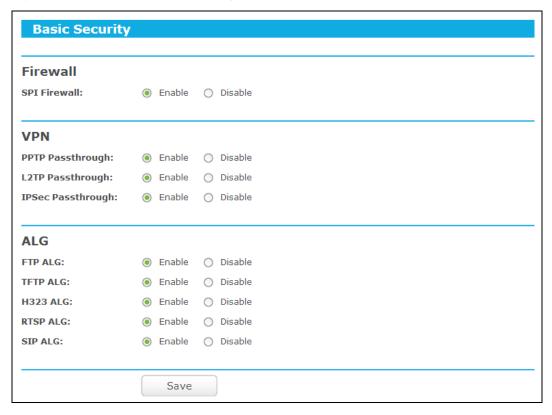
5.6 Security



There are four submenus under the Security menu: **Basic Security**, **Advanced Security**, **Local Management** and **Remote Management**. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding functions.

5.6.1 Basic Security

Choose menu "Advanced Security Basic Security", and then you can configure the basic security in the screen as shown in the figure below.



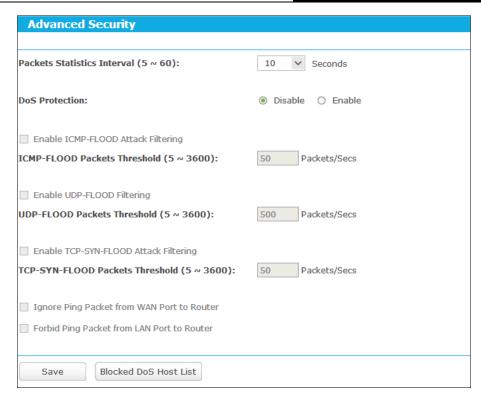
- Firewall A firewall protects your network from the outside world. Here you can enable or disable the router's firewall.
 - SPI Firewall SPI (Stateful Packet Inspection, also known as dynamic packet filtering)
 helps to prevent cyber attacks by tracking more state per session. It validates that the
 traffic passing through the session conforms to the protocol. SPI Firewall is enabled
 by factory default. If you want all the computers on the LAN exposed to the outside
 world, you can disable it.
- > **VPN -** VPN Passthrough must be enabled if you want to allow VPN tunnels using VPN protocols to pass through the router.
 - PPTP Passthrough Point-to-Point Tunneling Protocol (PPTP) allows the Point-to-Point Protocol (PPP) to be tunneled through an IP network. To allow PPTP tunnels to pass through the router, click Enable.
 - L2TP Passthrough Layer Two Tunneling Protocol (L2TP) is the method used to enable Point-to-Point sessions via the Internet on the Layer Two level. To allow L2TP tunnels to pass through the router, click Enable.

- IPSec Passthrough Internet Protocol security (IPSec) is a suite of protocols for ensuring private, secure communications over Internet Protocol (IP) networks, through the use of cryptographic security services. To allow IPSec tunnels to pass through the router, click Enable.
- ALG It is recommended to enable Application Layer Gateway (ALG) because ALG allows customized Network Address Translation (NAT) traversal filters to be plugged into the gateway to support address and port translation for certain application layer "control/data" protocols such as FTP, TFTP, H323 etc.
 - FTP ALG To allow FTP clients and servers to transfer data across NAT, click
 Enable.
 - TFTP ALG To allow TFTP clients and servers to transfer data across NAT, click
 Enable.
 - H323 ALG To allow Microsoft NetMeeting clients to communicate across NAT, click
 Enable.
 - RTSP ALG To allow some media player clients to communicate with some streaming media servers across NAT, click Enable.
 - SIP ALG To allow some multimedia clients to communicate across NAT, click Enable.

Click the **Save** button to save your settings.

5.6.2 Advanced Security

Choose menu "Advanced Security Advanced Security", and then you can protect the router from being attacked by TCP-SYN Flood, UDP Flood and ICMP-Flood in the screen as shown in the figure below.



- Packets Statistics Interval (5~60) The default value is 10. Select a value between 5 and 60 seconds from the drop-down list. The Packets Statistics Interval value indicates the time section of the packets statistics. The result of the statistics is used for analysis by SYN Flood, UDP Flood and ICMP-Flood.
- DoS Protection Denial of Service protection. Check the Enable or Disable button to enable or disable the DoS protection function. Only when it is enabled, will the flood filters be enabled.

Note:

Dos Protection will take effect only when the **Traffic Statistics** in "**Advanced System Tools Statistics**" is enabled.

- ➤ Enable ICMP-FLOOD Attack Filtering Enable or Disable the ICMP-FLOOD Attack Filtering.
- ➤ ICMP-FLOOD Packets Threshold (5~3600) The default value is 50. Enter a value between 5 ~ 3600. When the current ICMP-FLOOD Packets number is beyond the set value, the router will startup the blocking function immediately.
- **Enable UDP-FLOOD Filtering -** Enable or Disable the UDP-FLOOD Filtering.
- ➤ UDP-FLOOD Packets Threshold (5~3600) The default value is 500. Enter a value between 5 ~ 3600. When the current UPD-FLOOD Packets number is beyond the set value, the router will startup the blocking function immediately.
- Enable TCP-SYN-FLOOD Attack Filtering Enable or Disable the TCP-SYN-FLOOD Attack Filtering.

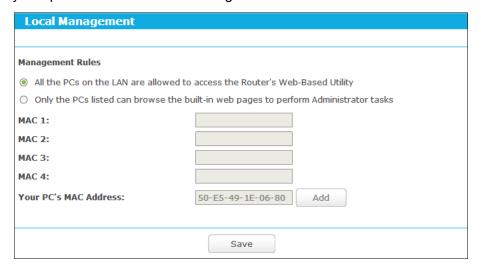
- ➤ TCP-SYN-FLOOD Packets Threshold (5~3600) The default value is 50. Enter a value between 5 ~ 3600. When the current TCP-SYN-FLOOD Packets numbers is beyond the set value, the router will startup the blocking function immediately.
- ▶ Ignore Ping Packet From WAN Port Enable or Disable Ignore Ping Packet From WAN Port. The default setting is disabled. If enabled, the ping packet from the Internet cannot access the router.
- Forbid Ping Packet From LAN Port Enable or Disable Forbid Ping Packet From LAN Port. The default setting is disabled. If enabled, the ping packet from LAN cannot access the router. This function can be used to defend against some viruses.

Click the **Save** button to save the settings.

Click the **Blocked DoS Host List** button to display the DoS host table by blocking.

5.6.3 Local Management

Choose menu "Advanced Security Local Management", and then you can configure the management rule in the screen as shown in the figure below. The management feature allows you to deny computers in LAN from accessing the router.



By default, the radio button "All the PCs on the LAN are allowed to access the router's Web-Based Utility" is checked. If you want to allow PCs with specific MAC Addresses to access the Setup page of the router's Web-Based Utility locally from inside the network, check the radio button "Only the PCs listed can browse the built-in web pages to perform Administrator tasks", and then enter each MAC Address in a separate field. The format for the MAC Address is XX-XX-XX-XX-XX-XX (X is any hexadecimal digit). Only the PCs with MAC address listed can use the password to browse the built-in web pages to perform Administrator tasks while all the others will be blocked.

After click the **Add** button, your PC's MAC Address will be placed in the list above.

Click the **Save** button to save your settings.

Note:

If your PC is blocked but you want to access the router again, use a pin to press and hold the **WPS/Reset** button (hole) on the back panel for about 5 seconds to reset the router's factory defaults on the router's Web-Based Utility.

5.6.4 Remote Management

Choose menu "Advanced Security Remote Management", and then you can configure the Remote Management function in the screen as shown in the figure below. This feature allows you to manage your router from a remote location via the Internet.



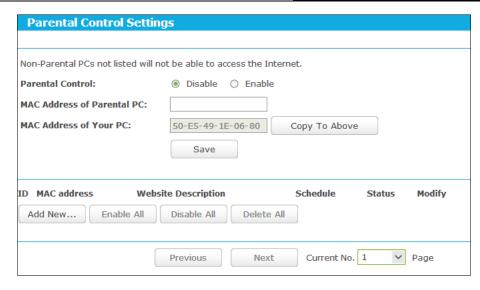
- ➤ Web Management Port Web browser access normally uses the standard HTTP service port 80. This router's default remote management web port number is 80. For greater security, you can change the remote management web port to a custom port by entering that number in the box provided. Choose a number between 1 and 65534 but do not use the number of any common service port.
- Remote Management IP Address This is the current address you will use when accessing your router from the Internet. This function is disabled when the IP address is set to the default value of 0.0.0.0. To enable this function change 0.0.0.0 to a valid IP address. If set to 255.255.255.255, then all the hosts can access the router from internet.

P Note:

- 1. To access the router, you should type your router's WAN IP address into your browser's address (in IE) or Location (in Navigator) box, followed by a colon and the custom port number. For example, if your router's WAN address is 202.96.12.8, and the port number used is 8080, please enter http://202.96.12.8:8080 in your browser. Later, you may be asked for the router's password. After successfully entering the username and password, you will be able to access the router's web-based utility.
- 2. Be sure to change the router's default password to a very secure password.

5.7 Parental Control

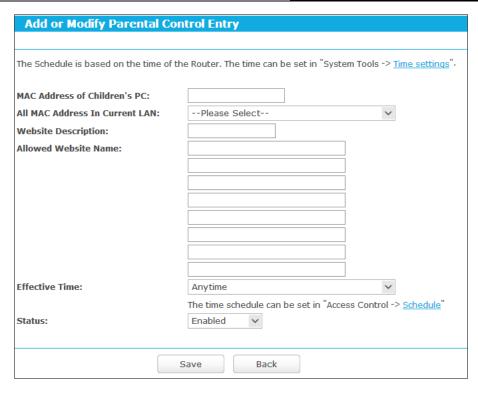
Choose menu "**Advanced Parental Control**", and then you can configure the parental control in the screen as shown in the figure below. The Parental Control function can be used to control the internet activities of the child, limit the child to access certain websites and restrict the time of surfing.



- Parental Control Check Enable if you want this function to take effect; otherwise, check Disable.
- MAC Address of Parental PC In this field, enter the MAC address of the controlling PC, or you can make use of the Copy To Above button below.
- MAC Address of Your PC This field displays the MAC address of the PC that is managing this router. If the MAC Address of your adapter is registered, you can click the Copy To Above button to fill this address to the MAC Address of Parental PC field above.
- **Website Description -** Description of the allowed website for the PC controlled.
- Schedule The time period allowed for the PC controlled to access the Internet. For detailed information, please go to "Advanced Access Control Schedule".
- > Status Check to enable the corresponding entry.
- Modify Here you can edit or delete an existing entry.

To add a new entry, please follow the steps below.

1. Click the **Add New...** button and the next screen will pop-up as shown in the figure below.



- Enter the MAC address of the PC (e.g. 00-11-22-33-44-AA) you'd like to control in the MAC Address of Child PC field, or you can choose the MAC address from the All Address in Current LAN drop-down list.
- 3. Give a description (e.g. Allow tp-link) for the website allowed to be accessed in the **Website Description** field.
- 4. Enter the allowed website name, e.g. www.tp-link.com.
- Select the schedule (e.g. Schedule_1) you want from the Effective Time drop-down list. If
 there are not suitable schedules for you, please go to "Access Control > Schedule" page to
 create the schedule you need.
- 6. In the Status field, you can select **Enabled** or **Disabled** to enable or disable your entry.
- 7. Click the **Save** button.

Click the **Enable All** button to enable all the rules in the list.

Click the **Disable All** button to disable all the rules in the list.

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all the entries in the table.

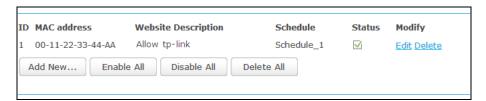
Click the **Next** button to go to the next page, or click the **Previous** button to return to the previous page.

For example: If you desire that the child PC with MAC address 00-11-22-33-44-AA can access www.tp-link.com on Saturday only, while the parent PC with MAC address 00-11-22-33-44-BB is without any restriction, you should follow the settings below.

Click "Parental Control" menu on the left to enter the Parental Control Settings page.
 Check Enable and enter the MAC address 00-11-22-33-44-BB in the MAC Address of Parental PC field.

- Click "Advanced Access Control Schedule" on the left to enter the Schedule Settings page. Click Add New... button to create a new schedule with Schedule Description is Schedule_1, Day is Sat and Time is all day-24 hours.
- 3. Click "Parental Control" menu on the left to go back to the Add or Modify Parental Control Entry page:
 - 1. Click Add New... button.
 - 2. Enter 00-11-22-33-44-AA in the MAC Address of Child PC field.
 - 3. Enter "Allow tp-link" in the **Website Description** field.
 - 4. Enter "www.tp-link.com" in the Allowed Website Name field.
 - 5. Select "Schedule_1" you create just now from the **Effective Time** drop-down list.
 - 6. In **Status** field, select Enable.
- 4. Click **Save** to complete the settings.

Then you will go back to the Parental Control Settings page and see the following list.



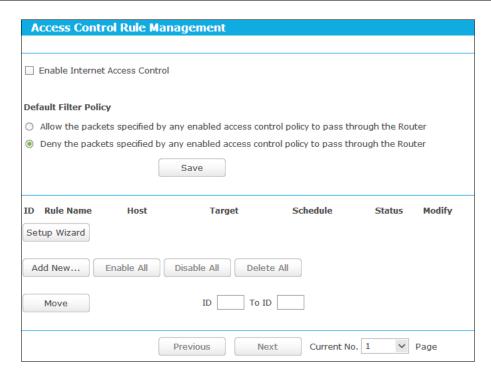
5.8 Access Control



There are four submenus under the Access Control menu as shown in the figure below: **Rule**, **Host**, **Target** and **Schedule**. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding function.

5.8.1 Rule

Choose menu "Advanced Access Control Rule", and then you can view and set Access Control rules.



- ➤ Enable Internet Access Control Select the checkbox to enable the Internet Access Control function, so the Default Filter Policy can take effect.
- **Rule Name -** Displays the name of the rule and this name is unique.
- **Host -** Displays the host selected in the corresponding rule.
- > Target Displays the target selected in the corresponding rule.
- > **Schedule -** Displays the schedule selected in the corresponding rule.
- > Status Displays the status of the rule, enabled or not. Select the corresponding checkbox to enable the entry.
- > Modify Here you can edit or delete an existing rule.
- > **Setup Wizard -** Click the **Setup Wizard** button to create a new rule entry.
- Add New... Click the Add New... button to add a new rule entry.
- **Enable All -** Click the **Enable All** button to enable all the rules in the list.
- > Disable All Click the Disable All button to disable all the rules in the list.
- > **Delete All -** Click the **Delete All** button to delete all the entries in the table.
- ➤ Move You can change the entry's order as desired. Enter in the first box the ID number of the entry you want to move and in the second box another ID number, and then click the Move button to change the entries' order.

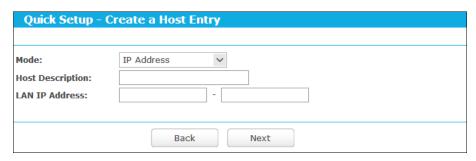
Click the **Next** button to go to the next page.

Click the **Previous** button to return to the previous page.

There are two methods to add a new rule.

Method One:

1. Click **Setup Wizard** button and the next screen will appear as shown in the figure below.



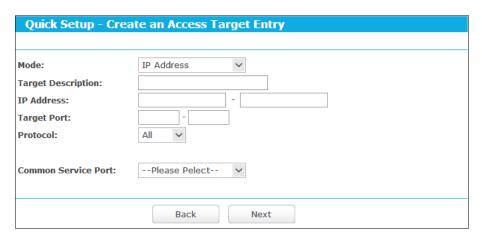
- ➤ Host Description In this field, create a unique description for the host (e.g. Host_1).
- Mode Here are two options, IP Address and MAC Address. You can select either of them from the drop-down list.

If the **IP Address** is selected, you can see the following item:

LAN IP Address - Enter the IP address or address range of the host in dotted-decimal format (e.g. 192.168.0.23).

If the MAC Address is selected, you can see the following item:

- MAC Address Enter the MAC address of the host in XX-XX-XX-XX-XX format (e.g. 00-11-22-33-44-AA).
- 2. Click **Next** when finishing creating the host entry. The next screen will appear as shown in the figure below.



- > Target Description In this field, create a description for the target. Note that this description should be unique (e.g. Target_1).
- Mode Here are two options, IP Address and Domain Name. You can choose either of them from the drop-down list.

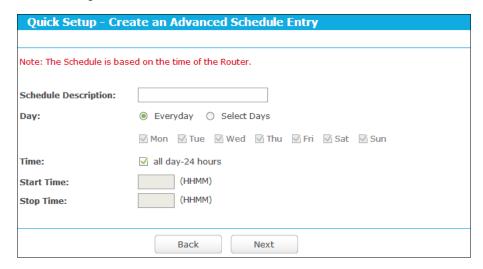
If the **IP Address** is selected, you will see the following items:

- > IP Address Enter the IP address (or address range) of the target (targets) in dotted-decimal format (e.g. 192.168.0.33).
- > **Target Port** Specify the port or port range for the target. For some common service ports, you can make use of the Common Service Port item below.

- Protocol Here are four options, All, TCP, UDP, and ICMP. Select one of them from the drop-down list for the target.
- Common Service Port Lists some common service ports. Select one from the drop-down list and the corresponding port number will be filled in the Target Port field automatically. For example, if you select "FTP", "21" will be filled in the Target Port automatically.

If the **Domain Name** is selected, you will see the following items:

- ➤ **Domain Name** Here you can enter 4 domain names, either the full name or the keywords (for example, tp-link). Any domain name with keywords in it (www.tp-link.com, www.tp-link.cn) will be blocked or allowed.
- 3. Click **Next** when finishing creating the access target entry, and the next screen will appear as shown in the figure below.



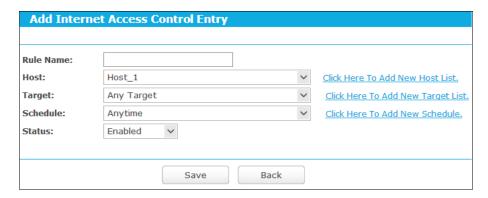
- > Schedule Description In this field, create a description for the schedule. Note that this description should be unique (e.g. Schedule_1).
- Day Choose Select Days and select the certain day (days), or choose Everyday.
- > **Time** Select "all day-24 hours" checkbox, or deselect the checkbox and specify the Start Time and Stop Time manually.
- > Start Time Enter the start time in HHMM format (HHMM are 4 numbers). For example 0800 is 8:00.
- > Stop Time Enter the stop time in HHMM format (HHMM are 4 numbers). For example 2000 is 20:00.
- 4. Click **Next** when finishing creating the advanced schedule entry. The next screen will appear as shown in the figure below.



- Rule Name In this field, create a name for the rule. Note that this name should be unique (e.g. Rule_1).
- ➤ **Host** In this field, select a host from the drop-down list for the rule. The default value is the **Host Description** you set just now.
- > Target In this filed, select a target from the drop-down list for the rule.
- > Schedule In this field, select a schedule from the drop-down list for the rule.
- > Status In this field, there are two options, Enabled or Disabled. Select Enabled so that the rule will take effect. Select Disabled so that the rule won't take effect.
- 5. Click **Finish** to complete adding a new rule.

Method Two:

- 1. Click the **Add New...** button and the next screen will pop up.
- 2. Give a name (e.g. Rule_1) for the rule in the **Rule Name** field.
- 3. Select a host from the Host drop-down list or choose "Click Here To Add New Host List".
- 4. Select a target from the **Target** drop-sown list or choose "**Click Here To Add New Target** List".
- 5. Select a schedule from the **Schedule** drop-down list or choose "**Click Here To Add New Schedule**".
- 6. In the **Status** field, select **Enabled** or **Disabled** to enable or disable your entry.
- 7. Click the **Save** button.



For example: If you desire to allow the host with MAC address 00-11-22-33-44-AA to access www.tp-link.com only from 18:00 to 20:00 on Saturday and Sunday, and forbid other hosts in the LAN to access the Internet, you should follow the settings below:

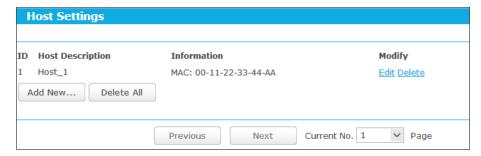
- Click the menu Access Control on the left. Select Enable Internet Access Control and choose "Allow the packets specified by any enabled access control policy to pass through the router".
- 2. Click **Setup Wizard** button.
- 3. Add a new host with the Host Description is Host_1 and MAC Address is 00-11-22-33-44-AA, and click **Next**.
- Add a new target with the Target Description is Target_1 and Domain Name is www.tp-link.com, and click Next.
- 5. Add a new schedule with the Schedule Description is Schedule_1, Day is Sat and Sun, Start Time is 1800 and Stop Time is 2000, and click **Next**.
- 6. Add a new rule with the Rule Description is Rule_1, Host is Host_1, Target is Target_1, Schedule is Schedule_1, Status is Enabled, and click **Finish**.

Then you will go back to the Access Control Rule Management page and see the following list.



5.8.2 Host

Choose menu "Advanced Access Control Host", and then you can view and set a Host list in the screen as shown in the figure below. The host list is necessary for the Access Control Rule.



- **Host Description -** Displays the description of the host and this description is unique.
- > Information Displays the information about the host. It can be IP or MAC.
- Modify To modify or delete an existing entry.

To add a new entry, please follow the steps below.

- 1. Click the **Add New...** button.
- In the Mode field, select IP Address or MAC Address.
 - If you select IP Address, the screen is shown as the figure below.
 - 1) In **Host Description** field, create a unique description for the host, e.g. Host_1.
 - 2) In LAN IP Address field, enter the IP address.



- If you select MAC Address, the screen is shown as the figure below.
 - 1) In **Host Description** field, create a unique description for the host, e.g. Host_1.
 - 2) In **MAC Address** field, enter the MAC address.



3. Click the **Save** button to complete the settings.

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all the entries in the table.

Click the **Next** button to go to the next page, or click the **Previous** button to return to the previous page.

For example: If you desire to restrict the internet activities of host with MAC address 00-11-22-33-44-AA, you should first follow the settings below:

- 1. Click **Add New...** button to enter the Add or Modify a Host Entry page.
- 2. In Mode field, select MAC Address from the drop-down list.
- 3. In **Host Description** field, create a **unique** description for the host (e.g. Host_1).
- 4. In **MAC Address** field, enter 00-11-22-33-44-AA.
- 5. Click **Save** to complete the settings.

Then you will go back to the Host Settings page and see the following list.



5.8.3 Target

Choose menu "Advanced Access Control Target", and then you can view and set a Target list in the screen as shown in the figure below. The target list is necessary for the Access Control Rule.



- > Target Description Displays the description about the target and this description is unique.
- > **Information -** The target can be IP address, port, or domain name.
- > **Modify -** To modify or delete an existing entry.

To add a new entry, please follow the steps below.

- 1. Click the Add New... button.
- 2. In Mode field, select IP Address or Domain Name.
- 3. If you select **IP Address**, the screen is shown as the figure below.



- 1) In **Target Description** field, create a unique description for the target, e.g. Target_1.
- 2) In IP Address field, enter the IP address of the target.
- 3) Select a common service from **Common Service Port** drop-down list, so that the **Target Port** will be automatically filled. If the **Common Service Port** drop-down list doesn't have the service you want, specify the **Target Port** manually.
- 4) In **Protocol** field, select TCP, UDP, ICMP or ALL from the drop-down list.
- 4. If you select **Domain Name**, the screen is shown as the figure below.



- In Target Description field, create a unique description for the target, e.g. Target_1.
- 2) In **Domain Name** field, enter the domain name, either the full name or the keywords (e.g. tp-link) in the blank. Any domain name with keywords in it (www.tp-link.com, www.tp-link.cn) will be blocked or allowed. You can enter 4 domain names.
- Click the Save button.

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all the entries in the table.

Click the **Next** button to go to the next page, or click the **Previous** button to return to the previous page.

For example: If you desire to restrict the internet activities of host with MAC address 00-11-22-33-44-AA in the LAN to access **www.tp-link.com** only, you should first follow the settings below:

Click Add New... button.

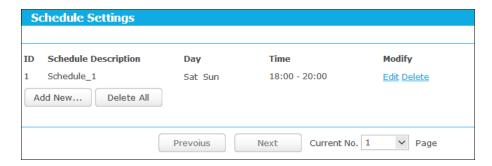
- 2. In **Mode** field, select Domain Name from the drop-down list.
- 3. In **Target Description** field, create a unique description for the target, e.g. Target_1.
- 4. In **Domain Name** field, enter www.tp-link.com.
- 5. Click **Save** to complete the settings.

Then you will go back to the Target Settings page and see the following list.



5.8.4 Schedule

Choose menu "Advanced Access Control Schedule", and then you can view and set a schedule in the next screen as shown in the figure below The schedule is necessary for the Access Control Rule.



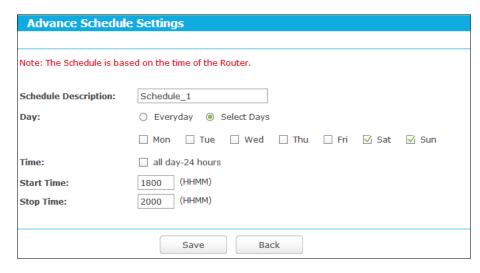
- Schedule Description Displays the description of the schedule and this description is unique.
- > **Day -** Displays the day(s) in a week.
- > **Time -** Displays the time period in a day.
- Modify Here you can edit or delete an existing schedule.

To add a new schedule, follow the steps below:

- 1. Click **Add New...** button shown in the figure above and the next screen will pop-up as shown in the figure below.
- In Schedule Description field, create a unique description for the schedule, e.g. Schedule_1.
- 3. In **Day** field, select the day or days you need.
- 4. In **Time** field, you can select all day-24 hours or you may enter the Start Time and Stop Time in the corresponding field.
- 5. Click **Save** to complete the settings.

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all the entries in the table.

Click the **Next** button to go to the next page, or click the **Previous** button to return to the previous page.



For example: If you desire to restrict the internet activities of host with MAC address 00-11-22-33-44-AA to access www.tp-link.com only from **18:00 to 20:00** on **Saturday** and **Sunday**, you should first follow the settings below:

- 1. Click **Add New...** button to enter the Advanced Schedule Settings page.
- 2. In **Schedule Description** field, create a unique description for the schedule, e.g. Schedule_1.
- 3. In **Day** field, check the Select Days radio button and then select Sat and Sun.
- 4. In **Time** field, enter 1800 in Start Time field and 2000 in Stop Time field.
- 5. Click **Save** to complete the settings.

Then you will go back to the Schedule Settings page and see the following list.



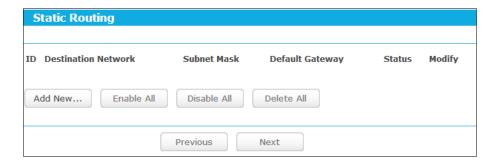
5.9 Advanced Routing



There are two submenus under the Advanced Routing menu: **Static Routing List** and **System Routing Table**. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding function.

5.9.1 Static Routing List

Choose menu "Advanced Advanced Routing Static Routing List", and then you can configure the static route in the next screen (shown in the figure below). A static route is a pre-determined path that network information must travel to reach a specific host or network.



To add static routing entries:

Click Add New... shown in the figure above, you will see the following screen.



2. Enter the following data:

- > **Destination Network** The Destination Network is the address of the network or host that you want to assign to a static route.
- > **Subnet Mask -** The **Subnet Mask** determines which portion of an IP Address is the network portion, and which portion is the host portion.
- > **Default Gateway** This is the IP Address of the gateway device that allows for contact between the router and the network or host.
- 3. Select **Enabled** or **Disabled** for this entry on the **Status** drop-down list.
- 4. Click the **Save** button to make the entry take effect.

Other configurations for the entries:

Click the **Delete** button to delete the entry.

Click the **Enable All** button to enable all the entries.

Click the **Disable All** button to disable all the entries.

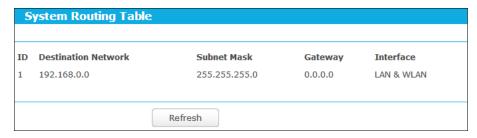
Click the **Delete All** button to delete all the entries.

Click the **Previous** button to view the information in the previous screen, click the **Next** button to view the information in the next screen.

5.9.2 System Routing Table

Choose menu "Advanced Advanced Routing System Routing Table", and then you can view the System Routing Table in the next screen (shown in the figure below). System routing

table views all of the valid route entries in use. The Destination IP address, Subnet Mask, Gateway, and Interface will be displayed for each entry.



- Destination Network The Destination Network is the address of the network or host to which the static route is assigned.
- > **Subnet Mask** The Subnet Mask determines which portion of an IP address is the network portion, and which portion is the host portion.
- > **Gateway** This is the IP address of the gateway device that allows for contact between the router and the network or host.
- Interface This interface tells you either the Destination IP Address is on the LAN & WLAN (internal wired and wireless networks), or on the WAN (Internet).

5.10 Bandwidth Control



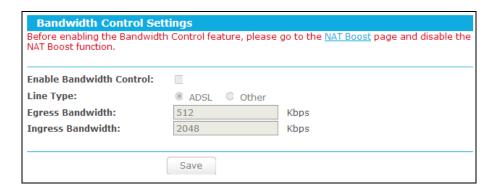
There are two submenus under the Bandwidth Control menu as shown in the figure above: **Control Settings** and **Rules List**. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding function. The detailed explanations for each submenu are provided below.

Note:

Bandwidth Control will become invalid if NAT Boost is enabled. If you want to enable Bandwidth Control, please go to "Advanced NAT Boost" to disable NAT Boost first.

5.10.1 Control Settings

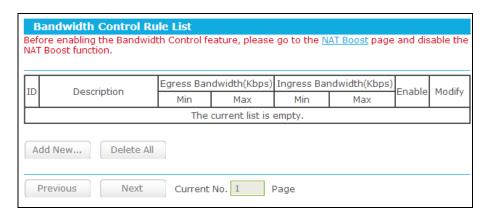
Choose menu "Advanced Bandwidth Control Control Settings", and then you can configure the Egress Bandwidth and Ingress Bandwidth in the next screen. For optimal control of the bandwidth, please select the right Line Type and ask your ISP for the total bandwidth of the egress and ingress.



- Enable Bandwidth Control Select this checkbox so that the Bandwidth Control settings can take effect.
- ➤ Line Type Select the right type for you network connection. If you don't know how to choose, please ask your ISP for the information.
- **Egress Bandwidth -** The upload speed through the Internet port.
- > Ingress Bandwidth The download speed through the Internet port.

5.10.2 Rules List

Choose menu "Advanced Bandwidth Control Rules List", and then you can view and configure the Bandwidth Control rules in the screen below.

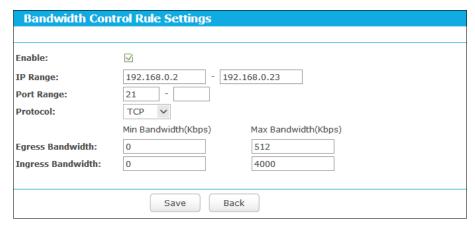


- **Description -** This is the information about the rules such as address range.
- **Egress bandwidth -** This field displays the max and mix upload bandwidth through the Internet port, the default is 0.
- ➤ Ingress bandwidth This field displays the max and mix download bandwidth through the Internet port, the default is 0.
- Enable This displays the status of the rule.
- Modify Click Modify to edit the rule. Click Delete to delete the rule.

To add/modify a Bandwidth Control rule, follow the steps below.

1. Click **Add New...** shown in the figure below, you will see a new screen shown in Figure 5-67.

2. Enter the information like the screen shown below.



Click the Save button.

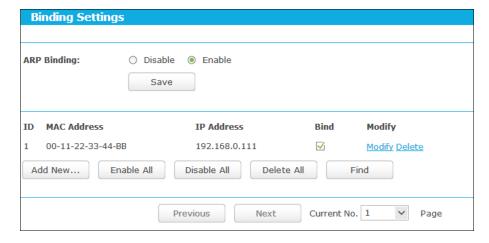
5.11IP & MAC Binding



There are two submenus under the IP &MAC Binding menu, shown in the figure above: **Binding Settings** and **ARP List**. Click any of them, and you will be able to scan or configure the corresponding function. The detailed explanations for each submenu are provided below.

5.11.1 Binding Settings

Choose menu "Advanced Bandwidth Control Binding Setting", you can configure the IP & MAC binding rules in the screen as shown in the figure below:



- MAC Address The MAC address of the controlled computer in the LAN.
- > IP Address The assigned IP address of the controlled computer in the LAN.
- **Bind -** Check this option to enable ARP binding for a specific device.
- Modify To modify or delete an existing entry.

When you want to add or modify an IP & MAC Binding entry, you can click the **Add New...** button or **Modify** button, and then you will go to the next page. This page is used for adding or modifying an IP & MAC Binding entry, shown in the figure below

IP & MAC Binding Settings			
Bind:	lee		
MAC Address:			
IP Address:			
	Save Back		

To add IP & MAC Binding entries, follow the steps below.

- 1. Click the Add New... button.
- 2. Enter the MAC Address and IP Address.
- 3. Select the Bind checkbox.
- 4. Click the Save button to save it.

To modify or delete an existing entry, follow the steps below.

- 1. Find the desired entry in the table.
- 2. Click **Modify** or **Delete** as desired on the **Modify** column.

To find an existing entry, follow the steps below.

- 1. Click the **Find** button.
- 2. Enter the MAC Address or IP Address.
- Click the **Find** button in the figure below.



Click the **Enable All** button to make all entries enabled.

Click the **Delete All** button to delete all entries.

5.11.2 ARP List

Choose menu "Advanced Bandwidth Control ARP List", you can see the ARP List, showing all the existing IP & MAC Binding entries as shown in the figure below To manage the computer, you could observe the computers in the LAN by checking the relationship of MAC address and IP address on the ARP list, and you could also configure the items on the ARP list.



- 1. **MAC Address -** The MAC address of the controlled computer in the LAN.
- 2. **IP Address -** The assigned IP address of the controlled computer in the LAN.
- 3. **Status -** Indicates whether or not the MAC and IP addresses are bound.
- 4. Configure Load or delete an item.
 - Load Load the item to the IP & MAC Binding list.
 - > **Delete -** Delete the item.

Click the **Bind All** button to bind all the current items, available after enable.

Click the **Load All** button to load all items to the IP & MAC Binding list.

Click the **Refresh** button to refresh all items.

Note:

An item could not be loaded to the IP & MAC Binding list if the IP address of the item has been loaded before. Error warning will prompt as well. Likewise, "Load All" only loads the items without interference to the IP & MAC Binding list.

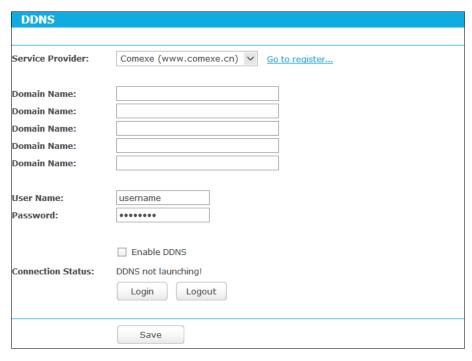
5.12 Dynamic DNS

Choose menu "Dynamic DNS", and you can configure the Dynamic DNS function.

The router offers the **DDNS** (Dynamic Domain Name System) feature, which allows the hosting of a website, FTP server, or e-mail server with a fixed domain name (named by yourself) and a dynamic IP address, and then your friends can connect to your server by entering your domain name no matter what your IP address is. Before using this feature, you need to sign up for DDNS service providers such as www.comexe.cn, dyn.com/dns, or www.no-ip.com. The Dynamic DNS client service provider will give you a password or key.

5.12.1 Comexe DDNS

If the dynamic DNS **Service Provider** you select is <u>www.comexe.cn</u>, the page will appear as shown in the figure below.



To set up for DDNS, follow these instructions:

- 1. Enter the **Domain Name** your dynamic DNS service provider gave.
- 2. Enter the **User Name** for your DDNS account.
- 3. Enter the **Password** for your DDNS account.
- 4. Click the **Login** button to login the DDNS service.

Connection Status -The status of the DDNS service connection is displayed here.

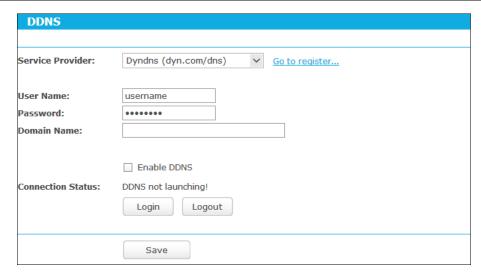
Click **Logout** to log out of the DDNS service.

P Note:

If you want to login again with another account after a successful login, please click the **Logout** button, then input your new username and password and click the **Login** button.

5.12.2 Dyn DDNS

If the dynamic DNS **Service Provider** you select is <u>dyn.com/dns</u>, the page will appear as shown in the figure below.



To set up for DDNS, follow these instructions:

- 1. Enter the **User Name** for your DDNS account.
- 2. Enter the **Password** for your DDNS account.
- 3. Enter the **Domain Name** you received from dynamic DNS service provider.
- 4. Click the **Login** button to login to the DDNS service.

Connection Status -The status of the DDNS service connection is displayed here.

Click Logout to logout of the DDNS service.

P Note:

If you want to login again with another account after a successful login, please click the **Logout** button, then input your new username and password and click the **Login** button.

5.12.3 No-ip DDNS

If the dynamic DNS **Service Provider** you select is <u>www.no-ip.com</u>, the page will appear as shown in the figure below.

DDNS	
Service Provider:	No-IP (www.no-ip.com) Go to register
User Name:	username
Password: Domain Name:	•••••
Connection Status:	☐ Enable DDNS DDNS not launching! Login Logout
	Save

To set up for DDNS, follow these instructions:

1. Enter the **User Name** for your DDNS account.

- 2. Enter the **Password** for your DDNS account.
- 3. Enter the **Domain Name** you received from dynamic DNS service provider.
- 4. Click the **Login** button to login to the DDNS service.

Connection Status - The status of the DDNS service connection is displayed here.

Click **Logout** to log out the DDNS service.

P Note:

If you want to login again with another account after a successful login, please click the **Logout** button, then input your new username and password and click the **Login** button.

5.13IPv6 Support



There are two submenus under the IPv6 Support menu: **IPv6 Status** and **IPv6 Setup**. Click either of them, and you will be able to scan or configure the corresponding function. The detailed explanations for each submenu are provided below.

5.13.1 IPv6 Status



The **IPv6 Status** page displays the router's current IPv6 status and configuration. All information is read-only.

> WAN

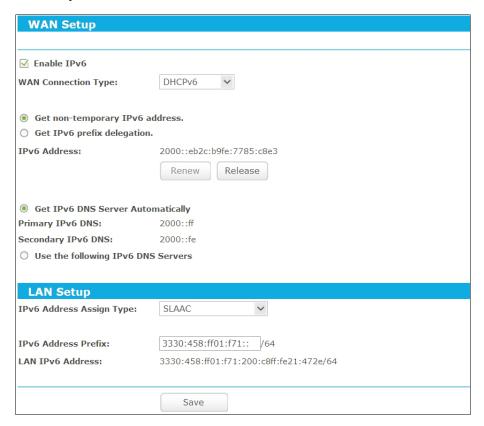
- Connection Type The IPv6 connection way for WAN
- IPv6 Address The WAN IPv6 address
- IPv6 Default Gateway The router's default gateway
- Primary IPv6 DNS The primary IPv6 DNS address

Secondary IPv6 DNS - The secondary IPv6 DNS address

> LAN

- **IPv6 Address Assign Type** There are two types of assignation for IPv6 address: SLAAC (Stateless address auto-configuration) and DHCPv6 (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol for IPv6) Server.
 - 1) SLAAC
 - IPv6 Address Prefix -The Prefix of IPv6 Address
 - 2) DHCPv6 Server
 - Release Time the length of time a network user will be allowed to keep connecting to the router with the current DHCPv6 Address. Enter the amount of time (in seconds) that the DHCPv6 address will be leased. The time range is 1~691200 seconds. The default value is 86400 seconds.
 - IPv6 Address Displays the LAN IPv6 Address.

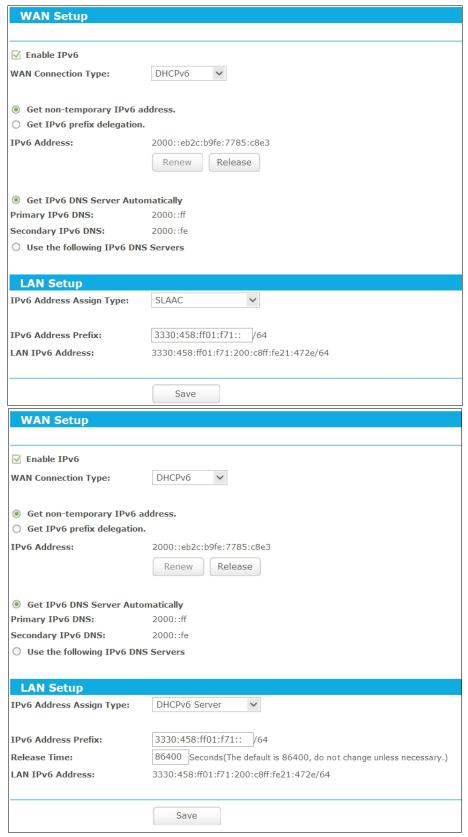
5.13.2 IPv6 Setup



- **Enable IPv6** Tick the checkbox to enable the IPv6 function. It's enabled by default.
- WAN Connection Type Choose the correct WAN connection type based on your ISP network topology.
 - DHCPv6 Connections which use dynamic IPv6 address assignment.
 - Static IPv6 Connections which use static IPv6 address assignment.
 - PPPoEv6 Connections which use PPPoEV6 that requires a user name and password.
 - Tunnel 6to4 Connections which use 6to4 address assignment.

Different types of WAN connection require you to do different settings. Below are the detailed explanations for the respective type.

1) DHCPv6



Get non-temporary IPv6 address - Get a non-temporary IPv6 address from the ISP.

- ➤ **Get IPv6 prefix delegation** Get a temporary IPv6 address and IPv6 prefix from the ISP, the temporary IPv6 address is set to the WAN port, and the LAN port advertise IPv6 address by RADVD or DHCPs.
- > IPv6 Address The IPv6 address assigned by your ISP dynamically.

Click the **Renew** button to renew the IPv6 parameters from your ISP.

Click the Release button to release the IPv6 parameters from your ISP.

If your ISP gives you one or two DNS IPv6 addresses, select **Use the following IPv6 DNS Servers** and enter the **Primary IPv6 DNS** and **Secondary IPv6 DNS** into the correct fields.

Otherwise, the DNS servers will be assigned from ISP dynamically.

- Primary IPv6 DNS Enter the DNS IPv6 address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- Secondary IPv6 DNS Enter another DNS IPv6 address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.

P Note:

If you get Address not found error when you access a Web site, it is likely that your DNS servers are set up improperly. You should contact your ISP to get DNS server addresses.

▶ IPv6 Address Assign Type - There are two types of assignation for IPv6 address: SLAAC (Stateless address auto-configuration) and DHCPv6 (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol for IPv6) Server.

SLAAC

IPv6 Address Prefix -The Prefix of IPv6 Address.

DHCPv6 Server

- IPv6 Address Prefix -The Prefix of IPv6 Address.
- Release Time the length of time a network user will be allowed to keep connecting to
 the router with the current DHCPv6 Address. Enter the amount of time (in seconds) that
 the DHCPv6 address will be leased. The time range is 1~691200 seconds. The default
 value is 86400 seconds.
- LAN IPv6 Address Displays the LAN IPv6 Address.

2) Static IPv6



- > IPv6 Address Enter the IPv6 address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- Default Gateway Enter the default gateway in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- ➤ MTU Size The normal MTU (Maximum Transmission Unit) value for most Ethernet networks is 1500 Bytes. For some ISPs, you may need to modify the MTU. But this is rarely required, and should not be done unless you are sure it is necessary for your ISP connection.

- Primary DNS Enter the DNS IPv6 address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- Secondary DNS Enter another DNS IPv6 address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- ➤ IPv6 Address Assign Type There are two types of assignation for IPv6 address: SLAAC (Stateless address auto-configuration) and DHCPv6 (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol for IPv6) Server.

SLAAC

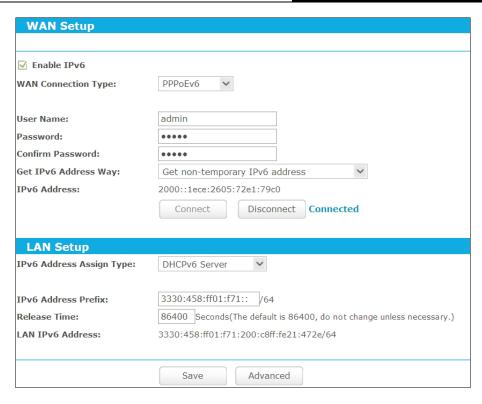
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DHCPv6 Server

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- Release Time the length of time a network user will be allowed to keep connecting to
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 that the DHCPv6 address will be leased. The time range is 1~691200 seconds. The
 default value is 86400 seconds.
- > LAN IPv6 Address Displays the LAN IPv6 Address.

3) PPPoEv6





- User Name/Password Enter the User Name and Password provided by your ISP. These fields are case-sensitive.
- Get IPv6 Address Way
 - Get non-temporary IPv6 address Get a non-temporary IPv6 address by DHCPv6 from the ISP.
 - **Get IPv6 prefix delegation** Get a prefix delegation IPv6 address by DHCPv6 from the ISP, and the clients in LAN create IPv6 address with the delegation.
 - Use IP address specified by ISP Input a static IPv6 address from the ISP

Click the **Connect** button to connect immediately.

Click the **Disconnect** button to disconnect immediately.

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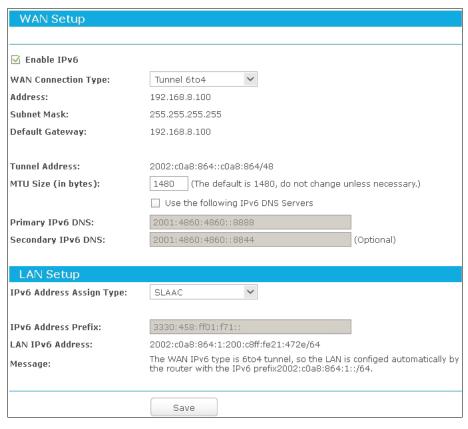
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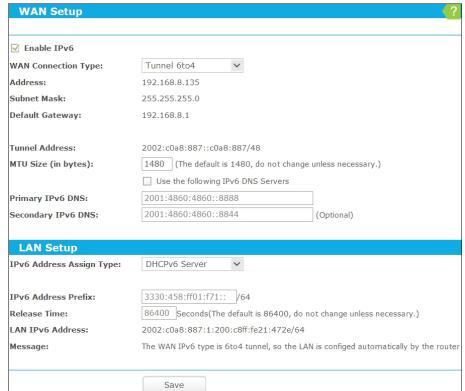
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DHCPv6 Server

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 the router with the current DHCPv6 Address. Enter the amount of time (in seconds) that
 the DHCPv6 address will be leased. The time range is 1~691200 seconds. The default
 value is 86400 seconds.
- LAN IPv6 Address Displays the LAN IPv6 Address.

4) Tunnel 6to4





- ➤ Address/Subnet Mask/Default Gateway the IPv4 address/ subnet mask/ default gateway assigned, in dotted-decimal notation.
- ➤ MTU Size The normal MTU (Maximum Transmission Unit) value for most Ethernet networks is 1480 Bytes. For some ISPs, you may need to modify the MTU. But this is rarely

required, and should not be done unless you are sure it is necessary for your ISP connection.

If your ISP gives you one or two DNS IPv6 addresses, select **Use the following IPv6 DNS Servers** and enter the **Primary IPv6 DNS** and **Secondary IPv6 DNS** into the correct fields.
Otherwise, the DNS servers will be assigned from ISP dynamically.

- ➤ **Primary IPv6 DNS** Enter the DNS IPv6 address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- > Secondary IPv6 DNS Enter another DNS IPv6 address in dotted-decimal notation provided by your ISP.
- IPv6 Address Assign Type There are two types of assignation for IPv6 address: SLAAC (Stateless address auto-configuration) and DHCPv6 (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol for IPv6) Server.

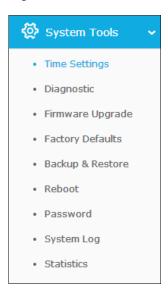
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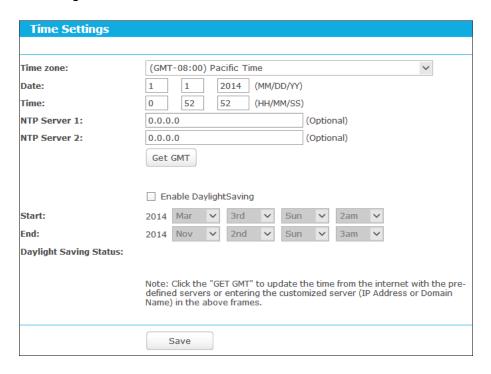
5.14System Tools



Choose menu "System Tools", and you can see the submenus under the main menu: Time Settings, Diagnostic, Firmware Upgrade, Factory Defaults, Backup & Restore, Reboot, Password, System Log and Statistics. Click any of them, and you will be able to configure the corresponding functions. The detailed explanations for each submenu are provided below.

5.14.1 Time Settings

Choose menu "Advanced System Tools Time Settings", and then you can configure the time on the following screen.



- > Time Zone Select your local time zone from this pull down list.
- Date Enter your local date in MM/DD/YY into the right blanks.
- > **Time -** Enter your local time in HH/MM/SS into the right blanks.
- NTP Server I / NTP Server II Enter the address or domain of the NTP Server I or NTP Server II, and then the router will get the time from the NTP Server preferentially. In addition, the router built-in some common NTP Servers, so it can get time automatically once it connects the Internet.
- **Enable Daylight Saving -** Check the box to enable the Daylight Saving function.
- > **Start -** The time to start the Daylight Saving. Select the month in the first field, the week in the second field, the day in the third field and the time in the last field.
- ➤ End The time to end the Daylight Saving. Select the month in the first field, the week in the second field, the day in the third field and the time in the last field.
- Daylight Saving Status Displays the status whether the Daylight Saving is in use.

To set time manually:

- Select your local time zone.
- 2. Enter the **Date** in Month/Day/Year format.
- 3. Enter the **Time** in Hour/Minute/Second format.
- 4. Click Save.

To set time automatically:

- 1. Select your local time zone.
- 2. Enter the address or domain of the NTP Server I or NTP Server II.
- Click the Get GMT button to get system time from Internet if you have connected to the Internet.

To set Daylight Saving:

- 1. Check the box to enable Daylight Saving.
- 2. Select the start time from the drop-down lists in the **Start** field.
- 3. Select the end time from the drop-down lists in the **End** field.
- 4. Click the **Save** button to save the settings.

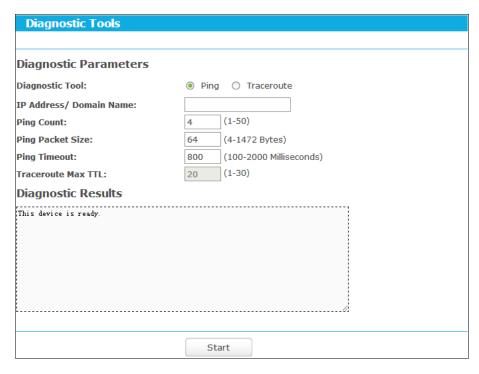


Note:

- 1) This setting will be used for some time-based functions such as firewall. You must specify your time zone once you login to the router successfully; otherwise, these functions will not take effect.
- 2) The time will be lost if the router is turned off.
- 3) The router will automatically obtain GMT from the Internet if it is configured accordingly.
- 4) The Daylight Saving will take effect one minute after the configurations are completed.

5.14.2 Diagnostic

Choose menu "Advanced System Tools Diagnostic", and then you can transact Ping or Traceroute function to check connectivity of your network in the following screen.



- Diagnostic Tool Check the radio button to select one diagnostic too.
 - Ping This diagnostic tool troubleshoots connectivity, reachability, and name resolution to a given host or gateway.
 - **Traceroute** This diagnostic tool tests the performance of a connection.

Note:

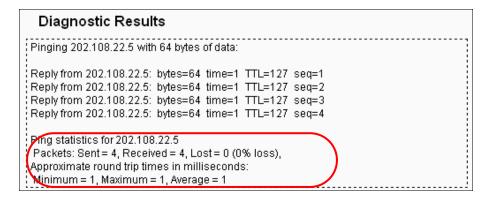
You can use ping/traceroute to test both numeric IP address or domain name. If pinging/tracerouting the IP address is successful, but pinging/tracerouting the domain name is not, you might have a name resolution problem. In this case, ensure that the domain name you are specifying can be resolved by using Domain Name System (DNS) queries.

- ➤ IP Address/Domain Name Enter the IP Address or Domain Name of the PC whose connection you wish to diagnose.
- Pings Count Specifies the number of Echo Request messages sent. The default is 4.
- Ping Packet Size Specifies the number of data bytes to be sent. The default is 64.
- > Ping Timeout Time to wait for a response, in milliseconds. The default is 800.
- > Traceroute Max TTL Set the maximum number of hops (max TTL to be reached) in the path to search for the target (destination). The default is 20.

Click **Start** to check the connectivity of the Internet.

The **Diagnostic Results** page displays the result of diagnosis.

If the result is similar to the following screen, the connectivity of the Internet is fine.

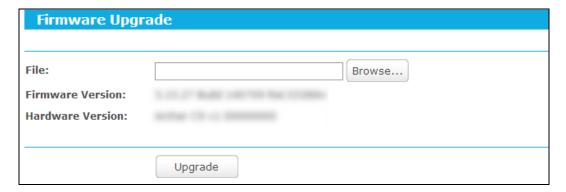


Note:

- 1. Only one user can use the diagnostic tools at one time.
- 2. "Ping Count", "Ping Packet Size" and "Ping Timeout" are Ping Parameters, and "Traceroute Max TTL" is Traceroute Parameter.

5.14.3 Firmware Upgrade

Choose menu "Advanced System Tools Firmware Upgrade", and then you can update the latest version of firmware for the router on the following screen.



- **Firmware Version -** Displays the current firmware version.
- ➤ **Hardware Version -** Displays the current hardware version. The hardware version of the upgrade file must accord with the router's current hardware version.

To upgrade the router's firmware, follow these instructions below:

- Download a most recent firmware upgrade file from our website (www.tp-link.com).
- 2. Enter or select the path name where you save the downloaded file on the computer into the **File** blank.
- 3. Click the **Upgrade** button.
- 4. The router will reboot while the upgrading has been finished.

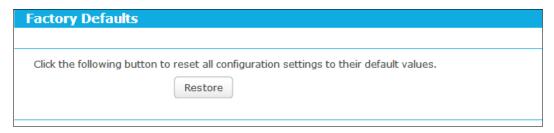
Note:

1) New firmware versions are posted at www.tp-link.com and can be downloaded for free. There is no need to upgrade the firmware unless the new firmware has a new feature you want to

- use. However, when experiencing problems caused by the router rather than the configuration, you can try to upgrade the firmware.
- 2) When you upgrade the router's firmware, you may lose its current configurations, so before upgrading the firmware please write down some of your customized settings to avoid losing important settings.
- 3) Do not turn off the router or press the Reset button while the firmware is being upgraded. Loss of power during the upgrade could damage the router.
- 4) The firmware version must correspond to the hardware.
- 5) The upgrade process takes a few moments and the router restarts automatically when the upgrade is complete.

5.14.4 Factory Defaults

Choose menu "Advanced System Tools Factory Defaults", and then and you can restore the configurations of the router to factory defaults on the following screen



Click the **Restore** button to reset all configuration settings to their default values.

> The default **User Name**: admin

> The default **Password**: admin

The default Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0

Note:

All changed settings will be lost when defaults are restored.

5.14.5 Backup & Restore

Choose menu "Advanced System Tools Backup & Restore", and then you can save the current configuration of the router as a backup file and restore the configuration via a backup file as shown in the figure below.



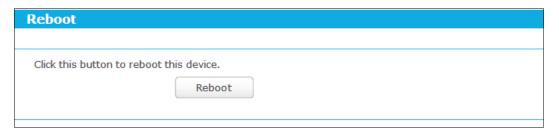
- Click the **Backup** button to save all configuration settings as a backup file in your local computer.
- > To upgrade the router's configuration, follow these instructions.
 - Click the Browse button to find the configuration file which you want to restore.
 - Click the **Restore** button to update the configuration with the file whose path is the one you have input or selected in the blank.

Note:

The current configuration will be covered with the uploading configuration file. Wrong process will lead the device unmanaged. The restoring process lasts for 20 seconds and the router will restart automatically then. Keep the power of the router on during the process, in case of any damage.

5.14.6 Reboot

Choose menu "Advanced System Tools Reboot", and then you can click the Reboot button to reboot the router via the next screen.

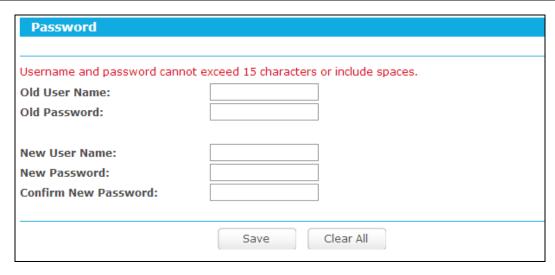


Some settings of the router will take effect only after rebooting, which include

- Change the LAN IP Address (system will reboot automatically).
- Change the DHCP Settings.
- Change the Wireless configurations.
- Change the Web Management Port.
- Upgrade the firmware of the router (system will reboot automatically).
- Restore the router's settings to factory defaults (system will reboot automatically).
- Update the configuration with the file (system will reboot automatically.

5.14.7 Password

Choose menu "**Advanced System Tools Password**", and then you can change the factory default user name and password of the router in the next screen as shown in the figure below.



It is strongly recommended that you should change the factory default user name and password of the router, because all users who try to access the router's Web-based utility or Quick Setup will be prompted for the router's default user name and password.

Note:

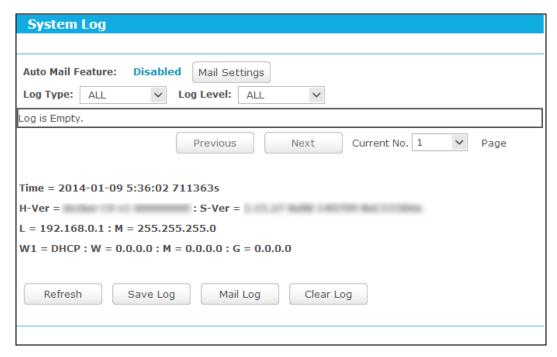
The new user name and password must not exceed 15 characters in length and not include any spaces. Enter the new Password twice to confirm it.

Click the Save button when finished.

Click the Clear All button to clear all.

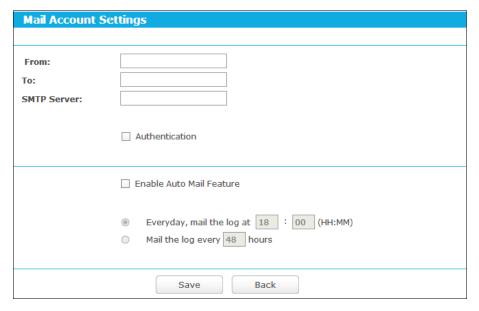
5.14.8 System Log

Choose menu "Advanced System Tools System Log", and then you can view the logs of the router.



> Auto Mail Feature - Indicates whether auto mail feature is enabled or not.

> **Mail Settings -** Set the receiving and sending mailbox address, server address, validation information as well as the timetable for Auto Mail Feature, as shown in the figure below.



- From Your mail box address. The router would connect it to send logs.
- To Recipient's address. The destination mailbox where the logs would be received.
- **SMTP Server -** Your smtp server. It corresponds with the mailbox filled in the **From** field. You can log on the relevant website for help if you are not clear with the address.
- **Authentication -** Most SMTP Server requires Authentication. It is required by most mailboxes that need User Name and Password to log in.

Note:

Only when you select **Authentication**, do you have to enter the User Name and Password in the following fields.

- User Name Your mail account name filled in the From field. The part behind @ is included.
- Password Your mail account password.
- **Confirm The Password -** Enter the password again to confirm.
- Enable Auto Mail Feature Select it to mail logs automatically. You could mail the
 current logs either at a specified time every day or by intervals, but only one could be
 the current effective rule. Enter the desired time or intervals in the corresponding field
 as shown in the figure above.

Click Save to keep your settings.

Click **Back** to return to the previous page.

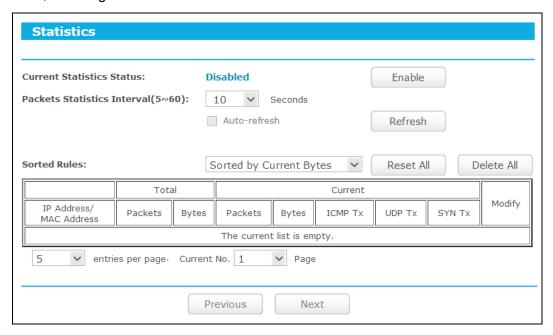
- Log Type By selecting the log type, only logs of this type will be shown.
- **Log Level -** By selecting the log level, only logs of this level will be shown.
- Refresh Refresh the page to show the latest log list.

- Save Log Click to save all the logs in a txt file.
- Mail Log Click to send an email of current logs manually according to the address and validation information set in Mail Settings.
- Clear Log All the logs will be deleted from the router permanently, not just from the page.

Click the **Next** button to go to the next page, or click the **Previous** button to return to the previous page.

5.14.9 Statistics

Choose menu "**Advanced System Tools Statistics**", and then you can view the statistics of the router, including total traffic and current traffic of the last Packets Statistic Interval.



- Current Statistics Status Enable or Disable. The default value is disabled. To enable it, click the Enable button. If it is disabled, the function of DoS protection in Security settings will be disabled.
- Packets Statistics Interval (5-60) The default value is 10. Select a value between 5 and 60 seconds in the drop-down list. The Packets Statistic interval indicates the time section of the packets statistic.
- > **Sorted Rules -** Choose how the displayed statistics are sorted.

Select the **Auto-refresh** checkbox to refresh automatically.

Click the **Refresh** button to refresh immediately.

Click **Reset All** to reset the values of all the entries to zero.

Click **Delete All** to delete all entries in the table.

Statistics Table:

IP/MAC Address		The IP and MAC address are displayed with related statistics.
Total	Packets	The total number of packets received and transmitted by the router.
	Bytes	The total number of bytes received and transmitted by the router.
Current	Packets	The total number of packets received and transmitted in the last Packets Statistic interval seconds.
	Bytes	The total number of bytes received and transmitted in the last Packets Statistic interval seconds.
	ICMP Tx	The number of the ICMP packets transmitted to WAN per second at the specified Packets Statistics interval. It is shown like "current transmitting rate / Max transmitting rate".
	UDP Tx	The number of UDP packets transmitted to the WAN per second at the specified Packets Statistics interval. It is shown like "current transmitting rate / Max transmitting rate".
	TCP SYN Tx	The number of TCP SYN packets transmitted to the WAN per second at the specified Packets Statistics interval. It is shown like "current transmitting rate / Max transmitting rate".
Modify	Reset	Reset the value of the entry to zero.
	Delete	Delete the existing entry in the table.

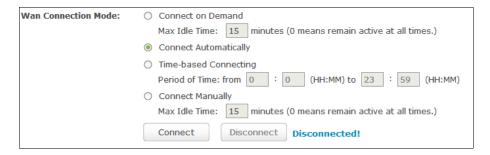
There would be 5 entries on each page. Click **Previous** to return to the previous page and **Next** to the next page.

Appendix A: FAQ

- 1. How do I configure the router to access Internet by ADSL users?
 - 1) First, configure the ADSL Modem configured in RFC1483 bridge model.
 - Connect the Ethernet cable from your ADSL Modem to the Internet port on the router.
 The telephone cord plugs into the Line port of the ADSL Modem.
 - 3) Login to the router, click the "Network" menu on the left of your browser, and click "WAN" submenu. On the WAN page, select "PPPoE/Russia PPPoE" for WAN Connection Type. Type user name in the "User Name" field and password in the "Password" field, type password in the "Confirm Password" field again, finish by clicking "Connect".

WAN Connection Type:	PPPoE/Russia PPPoE V Detect
PPPoE Connection:	
User Name:	
Password:	
Confirm Password:	

4) If your ADSL lease is in "pay-according-time" mode, select "Connect on Demand" or "Connect Manually" for Internet connection mode. Type an appropriate number for "Max Idle Time" to avoid wasting paid time. Otherwise, you can select "Auto-connecting" for Internet connection mode.



Note:

- 1) Sometimes the connection cannot be disconnected although you specify a time to Max Idle Time, since some applications is visiting the Internet continually in the background.
- 2) If you are a Cable user, please configure the router following the above steps.

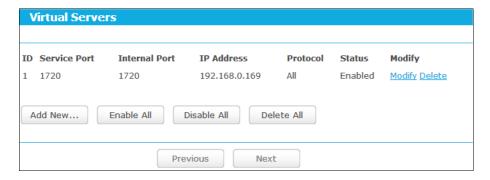
2. How do I configure the router to access Internet by Ethernet users?

 Login to the router, click the "Network" menu on the left of your browser, and click "WAN" submenu. On the WAN page, select "Dynamic IP" for "WAN Connection Type", finish by clicking "Save". Some ISPs require that you register the MAC Address of your adapter, which is connected to your cable/DSL Modem during installation. If your ISP requires MAC register, login to the router and click the "Network" menu link on the left of your browser, and then click "MAC Clone" submenu link. On the "MAC Clone" page, if your PC's MAC address is proper MAC address, click the "Clone MAC Address" button and your PC's MAC address will fill in the "WAN MAC Address" field. Or else, type the MAC Address into the "WAN MAC Address" field. The format for the MAC Address is XX-XX-XX-XX-XX. Then click the "Save" button. It will take effect after rebooting.



3. I want to use Netmeeting, what do I need to do?

- 1) If you start Netmeeting as a host, you don't need to do anything with the router.
- 2) If you start as a response, you need to configure Virtual Server or DMZ Host and make sure the H323 ALG is enabled.
- 3) How to configure Virtual Server: Log in to the router, click the "Forwarding" menu on the left of your browser, and click "Virtual Servers" submenu. On the "Virtual Servers" page, click Add New.... Then on the "Add or Modify a Virtual Server Entry" page, enter "1720" for the "Service Port" blank, and your IP address for the "IP Address" blank, taking 192.168.0.169 for an example, remember to Enable and Save.

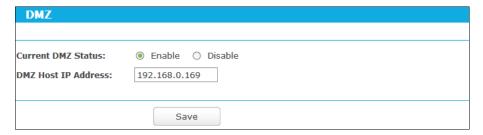




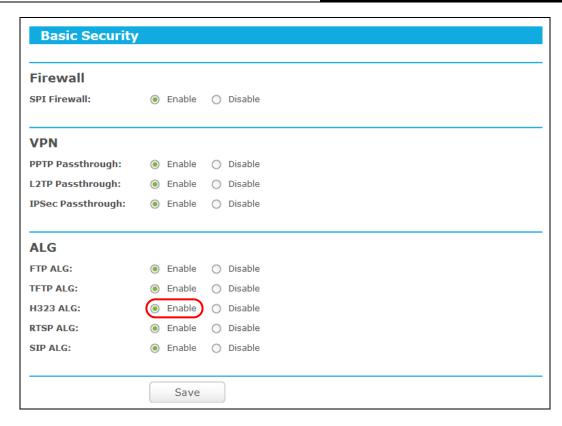
Note:

Your opposite side should call your WAN IP, which is displayed on the "Status" page.

4) How to enable DMZ Host: Log in to the router, click the "Forwarding" menu on the left of your browser, and click "DMZ" submenu. On the "DMZ" page, click Enable radio button and type your IP address into the "DMZ Host IP Address" field, using 192.168.0.169 as an example, remember to click the Save button.

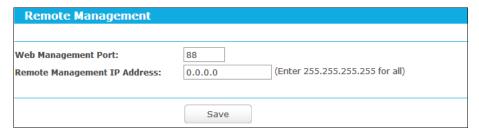


5) How to enable H323 ALG: Log in to the router, click the "Security" menu on the left of your browser, and click "Basic Security" submenu. On the "Basic Security" page, check the Enable radio button next to H323 ALG. Remember to click the Save button.



4. I want to build a WEB Server on the LAN, what should I do?

- 1) Because the WEB Server port 80 will interfere with the WEB management port 80 on the router, you must change the WEB management port number to avoid interference.
- 2) To change the WEB management port number: Log in to the router, click the "Security" menu on the left of your browser, and click "Remote Management" submenu. On the "Remote Management" page, type a port number except 80, such as 88, into the "Web Management Port" field. Click Save and reboot the router.

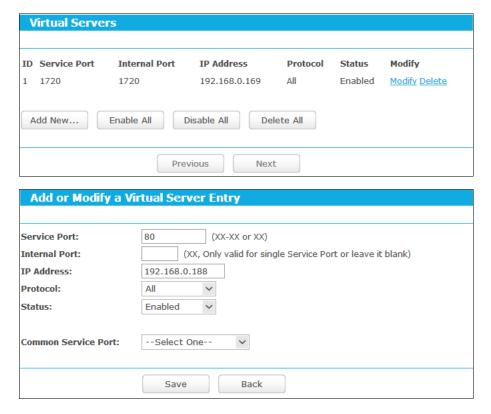


Note:

If the above configuration takes effect, you can visit and configure the router by typing http://192.168.0.1:88 (the router's LAN IP address: Web Management Port) in the address field of the Web browser. If the LAN IP of the modem connected with your router is 192.168.0.x, the default LAN IP of the router will automatically switch from 192.168.0.1 to 192.168.1.1 to avoid IP conflict; in this case, please try http://192.168.1.1:88.

3) Log in to the router, click the "Forwarding" menu on the left of your browser, and click the "Virtual Servers" submenu. On the "Virtual Servers" page, click Add New..., then on the "Add or Modify a Virtual Server" page, enter "80" into the blank next to

the "Service Port", and your IP address next to the "IP Address", assuming 192.168.0.188 for an example, remember to Enable and Save.



5. The wireless stations cannot connect to the router.

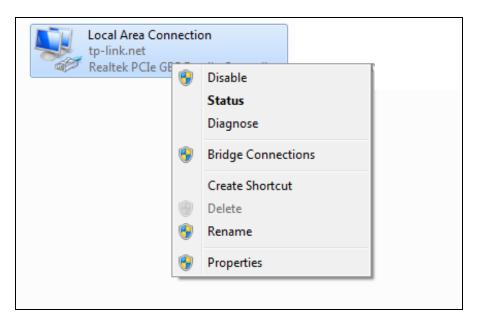
- 1) Make sure the "Wireless router Radio" is enabled.
- 2) Make sure that the wireless stations' SSID accord with the router's SSID.
- 3) Make sure the wireless stations have right KEY for encryption when the router is encrypted.
- If the wireless connection is ready, but you can't access the router, check the IP Address of your wireless stations.

Appendix B: Configuring the PC

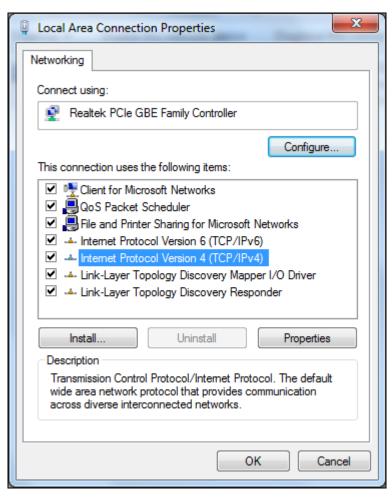
In this section, we'll introduce how to install and configure the TCP/IP correctly in Windows 7. First make sure your Ethernet Adapter is working, refer to the adapter's manual if needed.

1. Install TCP/IP component

- 1) On the Windows taskbar, click the **Start** button, and then click **Control Panel**.
- 2) Click the **Network and Internet**, and click the **Network and Sharing Center**, then click **Change adapter settings**.
- 3) Right click the icon that showed below, select **Properties** on the prompt page.



4) In the prompt page that showed below, double click on the **Internet Protocol Version** 4 (TCP/IPv4).

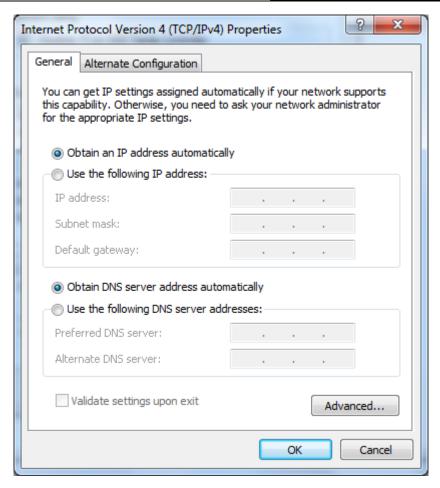


5) The following **TCP/IP Properties** window will display and the **IP Address** tab is open on this window by default.

Now you have two ways to configure the TCP/IP protocol below:

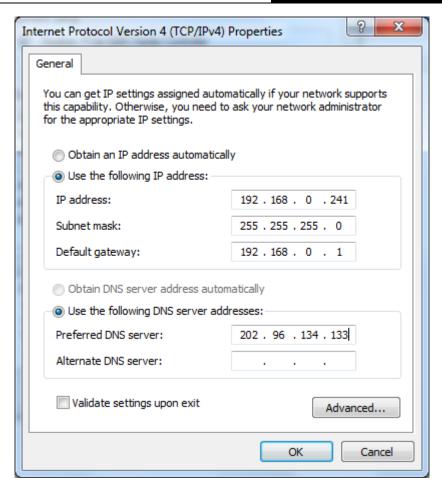
> Setting IP address automatically

Select **Obtain an IP address automatically**, Choose **Obtain DNS server automatically**, as shown in the Figure below:



> Setting IP address manually

- 1 Select **Use the following IP address** radio button. And the following items available
- 2 If the router's LAN IP address is 192.168.0.1, specify the IP address as 192.168.0.x (x is from 2 to 254), and **Subnet mask** is 255.255.255.0.
- 3 Type the router's LAN IP address (the default IP is 192.168.0.1) into the **Default gateway** field.
- 4 Select **Use the following DNS server addresses** radio button. In the **Preferred DNS Server** field you can type the DNS server IP address, which has been provided by your ISP



Appendix C: Specifications

General				
Standards	IEEE 802.11n, IEEE 802.11b, IEEE 802.11g, IEEE 802.3, IEEE			
	802.3u, IEEE 802.1x, IEEE 802.11e, IEEE 802.11i, IEEE 802.3x			
Protocols	TCP/IP, PPPoE, DHCP, ICMP, NAT, SNTP			
	One RJ45 WAN port,			
Ports	Four RJ45 LAN ports,			
	One USB 2.0 WAN port (for 3G/4G network connection)			
LEDs	(PWR), ★ (SYS), ★ (WLAN), Ø (WAN),			
	□ (LAN1-4), ← (USB), □ (WPS)			
Safety & Emissions	FCC, CE			
Wireless				
Frequency Band	2.4~2.4835GHz			
	11n: up to 300Mbps (Automatic)			
Radio Data Rate	11g: 54/48/36/24/18/12/9/6M (Automatic)			
	11b: 11/5.5/2/1M (Automatic)			
Frequency Expansion	DSSS (Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum)			
Modulation	DBPSK, DQPSK, CCK, OFDM, 16-QAM, 64-QAM			
Security	WEP, WPA/WPA2-Enterprise, WPA/WPA2-Personal			
	130M: -68dBm@10% PER			
	108M: -68dBm@10% PER;			
Sensitivity @PER	54M: -68dBm@10% PER			
Ochsitivity (c) Lix	11M: -85dBm@8% PER;			
	6M: -88dBm@10% PER			
	1M: -90dBm@8% PER			
Antenna Gain	4dBi			
Environmental and Physical				
Temperature.	Operating : 0 ℃~40 ℃ (32 °F~104 °F)			
	Storage: -40℃~70℃(-40°F~158°F)			
Humidity	Operating: 10% ~ 90% RH, Non-condensing			
. Tarridity	Storage: 5% ~ 90% RH, Non-condensing			

Appendix D: Glossary

- 802.11n 802.11n builds upon previous 802.11 standards by adding MIMO (multiple-input multiple-output). MIMO uses multiple transmitter and receiver antennas to allow for increased data throughput via spatial multiplexing and increased range by exploiting the spatial diversity, perhaps through coding schemes like Alamouti coding. The Enhanced Wireless Consortium (EWC) [3] was formed to help accelerate the IEEE 802.11n development process and promote a technology specification for interoperability of next-generation wireless local area networking (WLAN) products.
- 802.11b The 802.11b standard specifies a wireless networking at 11 Mbps using direct-sequence spread-spectrum (DSSS) technology and operating in the unlicensed radio spectrum at 2.4GHz, and WEP encryption for security. 802.11b networks are also referred to as Wi-Fi networks.
- > **802.11g** specification for wireless networking at 54 Mbps using direct-sequence spread-spectrum (DSSS) technology, using OFDM modulation and operating in the unlicensed radio spectrum at 2.4GHz, and backward compatibility with IEEE 802.11b devices, and WEP encryption for security.
- DDNS (Dynamic Domain Name System) The capability of assigning a fixed host and domain name to a dynamic Internet IP Address.
- > **DHCP** (**D**ynamic **H**ost **C**onfiguration **P**rotocol) A protocol that automatically configure the TCP/IP parameters for the all the PC(s) that are connected to a DHCP server.
- > **DMZ** (**D**emilitarized **Z**one) A Demilitarized Zone allows one local host to be exposed to the Internet for a special-purpose service such as Internet gaming or videoconferencing.
- > **DNS** (**D**omain **N**ame **S**ystem) An Internet Service that translates the names of websites into IP addresses.
- > **Domain Name -** A descriptive name for an address or group of addresses on the Internet.
- > **DSL** (**D**igital **S**ubscriber **L**ine) A technology that allows data to be sent or received over existing traditional phone lines.
- > ISP (Internet Service Provider) A company that provides access to the Internet.
- > MTU (Maximum Transmission Unit) The size in bytes of the largest packet that can be transmitted.
- NAT (Network Address Translation) NAT technology translates IP addresses of a local area network to a different IP address for the Internet.
- > **PPPoE** (Point to Point Protocol over Ethernet) PPPoE is a protocol for connecting remote hosts to the Internet over an always-on connection by simulating a dial-up connection.
- SSID A Service Set Identification is a thirty-two character (maximum) alphanumeric key identifying a wireless local area network. For the wireless devices in a network to communicate with each other, all devices must be configured with the same SSID. This is typically the configuration parameter for a wireless PC card. It corresponds to the ESSID in the wireless Access Point and to the wireless network name.
- > WEP (Wired Equivalent Privacy) A data privacy mechanism based on a 64-bit or 128-bit

- shared key algorithm, as described in the IEEE 802.11 standard.
- ➤ **Wi-Fi** A trade name for the 802.11b wireless networking standard, given by the Wireless Ethernet Compatibility Alliance (WECA, see http://www.wi-fi.net), an industry standards group promoting interoperability among 802.11b devices.
- > **WLAN** (Wireless Local Area Network) A group of computers and associated devices communicate with each other wirelessly, which network serving users are limited in a local area.