**IBR600** 

# PRODUCT MANUAL

CradlePoint COR Integrated Broadband Router
Hardened for Machine to Machine







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## 1 INTRODUCTION

# 1.1 Package Contents

- CradlePoint COR: Integrated Broadband Router (IBR600) with embedded high-speed 3G EV-DO rev A modem
- Two external 3G EV-DO modem antennas
- AC power adapter (12V, 1.5A)
- Two 2.4 GHz High Performance 802.11n WiFi Antennas
- Mounting Hardware
- Quick Start Guide

# 1.2 System Requirements

- At least one internet source: an active subscription for the embedded 3G EV-DO modem; an Ethernet-based modem; or WiFi as WAN
- Windows 2000/XP/7, Mac OS X, or Linux computer (with WiFi adapter for WiFi functionality)
- Internet Explorer v6.0 or higher, Firefox v2.0 or higher, Safari v1.0 or higher

## 1.3 IBR600 Overview

## **COR: THE HEART OF YOUR M2M NETWORK**

- For use in business critical high-availability installations such as ATMs, Kiosks, Surveillance, Vehicles, etc. that require 24x7 connectivity
- Increase your network availability with WiPipe™-powered automatic failover/failback internal functionality
- Supports both wireless and wired Internet connections (two Ethernet ports for either LAN/LAN or WAN/LAN)
- Secure IPSec VPN (5 concurrent sessions maximum)
- Wireless 2x2 MIMO "N" WiFi (802.11 b/g/n)
- Create a customized Hotspot with our captive portal feature (include Terms of Service, advertisements, etc.)
- Centralize the administration and monitoring of distributed routers using WiPipe Central.



#### ENHANCED WIFI

- 500+ feet of WiFi Range
- Wireless "N" WiFi (802.11n, legacy 802.11b/g, 2x2 MIMO antenna system)
- Enhanced performance around walls and other obstructions
- 2.4 GHz WiFi broadcast
- Maximum security with both Public and Private networks

#### ADDITIONAL FEATURES

- 2x2 MIMO antenna system, removable external antennas, dual SSIDs
- Standardized platform and centralized remote management
- Built-in GPS
- IP passthrough
- Up to 5 concurrent VPN endpoint sessions
- Compatible with Cisco, Juniper, SonicWall, and other VPN termination systems
- Establish continuous uptime with optimum total cost of ownership for broad deployment
- Simple to install, configure and maintain with minimal impact on IT
- Virtual LAN capabilities
- Data Usage section that allows users to track and manage modem use relative to data plans
- NAT-less routing
- VPN NAT traversal

The CradlePoint IBR600E is a highly-featured, compact and robust router designed for deployment in critical business and enterprise applications that require 24x7 connectivity via Ethernet and/or WiFi. The router features a built-in high-speed 3G EV-DO modem as well as support for wired networks such as DSL or Cable. With its compact size, sleek metal case and mounting bracket, and external Cellular and WiFi antennas the IBR600E is ideal for use in high-availability portable or fixed applications (ATM, kiosk, surveillance, vehicle). With failover/failback capability, the IBR600E supports both wired and wireless internet.

The router increases internet availability and business continuity by detecting network failures and seamlessly switching over to the other network(s). It is also ideal for deployment as a primary connection solution where wired internet is not



available. The IBR600E provides secure and reliable VPN functionality, allowing users to create, manage and terminate up to 5 concurrent IPSec VPN sessions. It allows for secure access to company networks for enterprise applications and provides a secure way to transmit sensitive data to and from a remote site.

## 1.3.1 Captive Portal

The Captive Portal solution provided by CradlePoint routers enables businesses to provide their customers with a public WiFi hotspot with access controls. The controls can be as simple as requiring acceptance of a Terms of Service agreement, while Advanced features allow administrators to control and monitor usage, require login, direct users to specific web pages, provide revenue through services fees or paid advertising, and more.

#### 1.3.2 WiPipe Central

CradlePoint's cloud-based router management service allows for remote monitoring, configuration, and firmware updates of deployed routers like the IBR600. WiPipe Central drastically simplifies router administration for businesses using multiple routers. WiPipe Central can be purchased separately at <a href="http://cradlepoint.com/support/wipipe-central">http://cradlepoint.com/support/wipipe-central</a>.

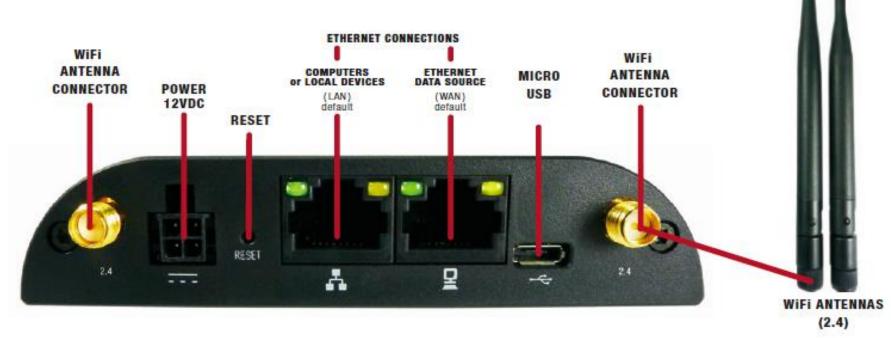


# **2 HARDWARE OVERVIEW**





# 2.1 Ports, LEDs, and Switches



**WiFi Antennas:** The IBR600 comes with two 2.4 GHz WiFi antennas (Reverse SMA). These antennas are simple to attach and adjust for maximum WiFi broadcast.

**Power 12VDC:** The power connector includes two pins for power and two pins for GPIO (General Purpose Input/Output) functionality. The included power adapter, however, only connects to the power pins. You will need a separate adapter for GPIO functionality.





**Reset:** You can return your router to factory default settings by pressing and holding the **Reset** button. This button is recessed, so it requires a pointed object such as a paper clip to press. Press and hold for 10 seconds to initiate reset.

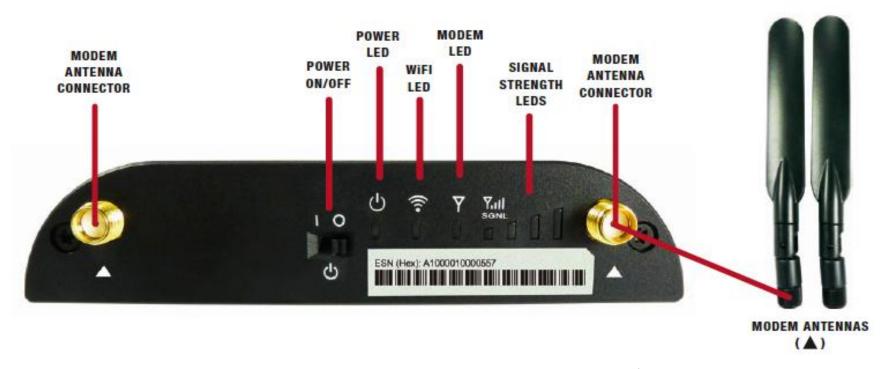
**Ethernet Ports:** By default, the IBR600 has one WAN (Wide Area Network—your internet source) port and one LAN (Local Area Network) port. Each of these ports can be reconfigured, however, if you need two LAN or two WAN Ethernet ports.

#### **Ethernet LED:**

- Solid Green connected
- Blinking Green data transfer activity

**Micro USB:** This port can be used to attach a direct firmware upgrade to enable manual firmware upgrades if necessary.





**Modem Antennas:** The IBR600 comes with two modem antennas to enhance reception for the embedded modem. These antennas are simple to attach and adjust.

# Power On/Off:

- I = On
- O = Off

## **Power LED:**

- Blue = On
- No light = Off



#### WiFi LED:

- Green = On and operating normally
- No light = Off

# **Modem LED:**

- Green = On and operating normally
- Blinking Green = Connecting
- Amber = Not available (idle, for example)
- Blinking Amber = Cellular data connection error
- No light = Off

#### **Additional LED Indications:**

Factory reset button detected	WiFi and modem LEDs blink amber twice
Error during USB firmware upgrade	WiFi and modem LEDs blink red

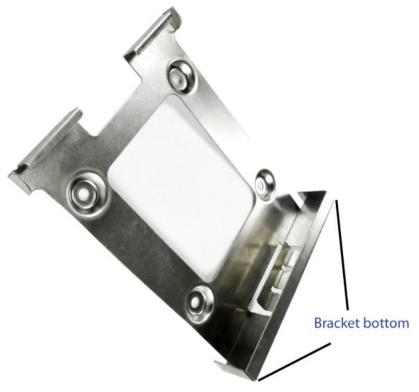


# 2.2 Mounting Bracket





# 2.2.1 Attaching the IBR600 to the Mounting Bracket



1) Attach the bracket to the wall or other surface with screws.

NOTE: Screws are not provided because the type of screw required depends on the mounting surface.

- 2) Place the router's edge against the bottom of the bracket.
- 3) Press the router down firmly, then push it inside the bracket. It should latch.





# 2.2.2 Removing the IBR600 from the Mounting Bracket

From the top of the bracket, press down firmly on the router using your thumb(s) and pull the device out.





# 3 QUICK START

# 3.1 Basic Setup

1. Attach the WiFi (right) and modem antennas.



2. Plug the power supply into an electrical outlet and connect it to the IBR600.



3. Make sure the power is switched on.



O = OFFI = ON

#### 3.1.1 Activate Your Modem

A wireless broadband data plan must be added to your IBR600. Wireless broadband data plans are available from wireless carriers such as Sprint and Verizon. A new line of service can be added or a data plan can be transferred from an existing account. You will need the ESN number from your product label on your router to add or transfer a line of service.

After adding a data plan to the modem, the modem may need to be activated. To activate the modem:

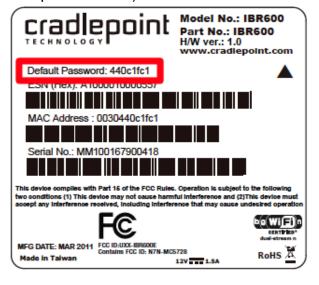
- 1. Log in to the IBR600 administration pages (see <u>Accessing the Administration Pages</u>).
- 2. Select **Internet** from the top navigation bar and **Modem Settings** from the dropdown menu (<u>Internet → Modem Settings</u>).
- 3. Find and select the CradlePoint modem.
- 4. Click Update/Activate.
- 5. Click Activate in the popup.



# 3.2 Connect to a Computer or other Device

#### 3.2.1 Wireless Network Connection

- 1) Find the network. On a WiFi-enabled computer or device, open the window or dropdown menu that allows you to access wireless networks. The IBR600 network will appear on the list: select this network.
- **2) Log in.** You will need to input the **Default Password** when prompted. The Default Password is provided on the product label found on the bottom of your router (this password is the last eight digits of the router's MAC address, which can be found on the product box or on the product label).





NOTE: If more than one IBR600 wireless router is visible, you can find the correct unit by checking for its **SSID** (service set identifier; the unique name of the local network). The default SSID of the primary network has the form IBR600-xxx, where "xxx" is the last 3 digits of the router's MAC address.



## 3.2.2 Accessing the Administration Pages

For most users the IBR600 Router can be used immediately without any special configuration changes. If you would like to change your network name or password or configure any of the advanced features of the IBR600, you will need to log in to the administration pages:

- Access your router's <u>Administrator</u> <u>Login</u> screen by opening a web browser window and typing "<u>cp/</u>" (your router's default hostname) or the IP address "<u>192.168.0.1</u>" into the address bar.
- Enter your **Default Password**. This password can be found on the bottom of the IBR600. Then click the **LOGIN** button.
- When you log in for the first time, you will be automatically directed to the <u>First Time Setup Wizard</u>. Follow the instructions given with the Wizard or see <u>Getting Started First Time Setup</u> for more information about using the <u>First Time Setup Wizard</u>.





#### 3.2.3 Connect to the Internet

If you used the <u>First Time Setup Wizard</u>, you might have changed the "WiFi Network Name" or the "Security Mode" password. If so, you will need to reconnect your device(s) to the IBR600 network.

- **Find the network**. Look for your new personalized network name (or the default SSID of the form "IBR600-xxx").
- Log in using your new personalized WiFi security password (or the Default Password found the bottom of the router).

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Your network should now be up and running, and users who have the security password can access the network on WiFi-enabled devices.





#### 3.3 Common Problems

Please visit CradlePoint Knowledgebase at <a href="http://knowledgebase.cradlepoint.com/">http://knowledgebase.cradlepoint.com/</a> for more help and answers to your other questions.

#### 3.3.1 You are Connected to the Router but Cannot Connect to the Internet

Make sure that you have an active data plan and that your modem has been activated. A wireless broadband data plan must be added to your IBR600. Wireless broadband data plans are available from wireless carriers such as Sprint and Verizon. A new line of service can be added or a data plan can be transferred from an existing account. You will need the ESN number from your product label on your router to add or transfer a line of service.

After adding a data plan to the modem, you must activate the modem:

- 1. Log in to the IBR600 administration pages (see Accessing the Administration Pages).
- 2. Select **Internet** from the top navigation bar and **Modem Settings** from the dropdown menu (<u>Internet → Modem Settings</u>).
- Find and select the CradlePoint modem.
- 4. Click Update/Activate.
- 5. Click Activate in the popup.

Finally, if you have an active data plan and you have already activated your modem, you may be out of range of your service provider. Check your signal strength in the Internet section of the **Dashboard** (**Status**  $\rightarrow$  **Dashboard**). If you have a weak signal in your location, contact your service provider.

If you are still not online after activating the modem, call CradlePoint Technical Support for further assistance.



# 4 WEB INTERFACE - ESSENTIALS

The IBR600 has a Web interface for configuration and administration of all features. The interface is organized with a button for toggling between **Basic Mode** and **Advanced Mode** and 5 tabs at the top of the screen:

- Getting Started
- Status
- Network Settings
- Internet
- System Settings



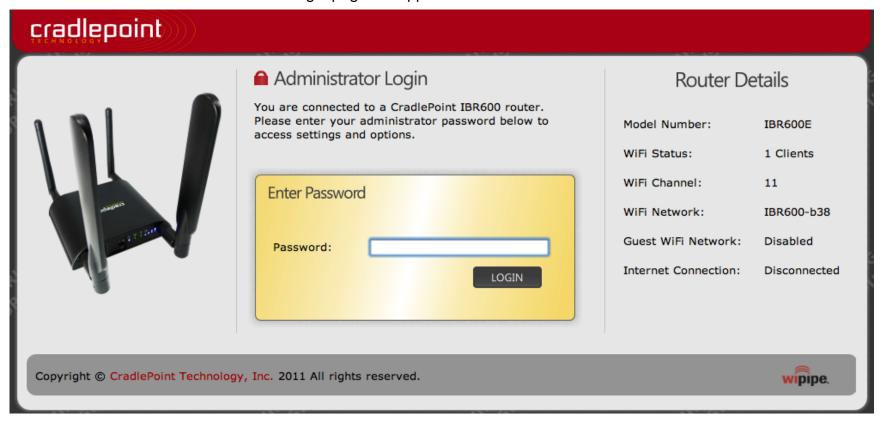
**Web Interface – Essentials** contains the following sections to help you more quickly and easy navigate these administration pages:

- 4.1 Administrator Login
- 4.2 Getting Started First Time Setup
- 4.3 Quick Links
- 4.4 Basic Mode vs. Advanced Mode
- 4.5 Network Settings vs. Internet



# 4.1 Administrator Login

To access the administration pages, open a Web browser and type the hostname "cp/" or IP address "http://192.168.0.1" into the address bar. The Administrator Login page will appear.



Log in using your administrator password. Initially, this password can be found on the bottom of the IBR600 unit as the **Default Password**. This password is also the last eight digits of the unit's MAC address.



You may have changed the administrator password during initial setup using the First Time Setup Wizard. Log in using your personalized administrator password.

If you have forgotten your personalized password, you can reset the IBR600 to factory defaults. When you reset the router, the administrator password will revert back to the **Default Password**. Press and hold the **reset button** on the router unit until the lights flash (Approximately 10-15 seconds). You can then log in using the **Default Password** (found on the bottom of your router).

#### 4.1.1 Router Details

The Administrator Login page includes a section that shows the following **Router Details**:

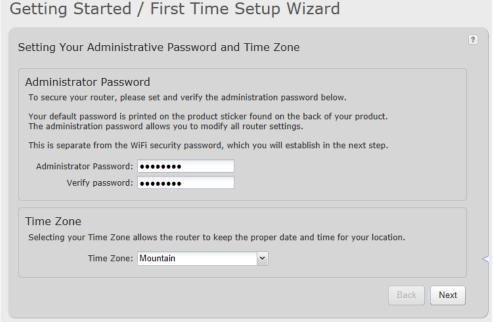
- Model Number: IBR600
- WiFi Status: The number of clients.
- WiFi Channel: The channel number.
- WiFi Network: The name of the main network.
- Guest WiFi Network: "Disabled" or, if enabled, the name of the guest network.
- Internet Connection: Connected/Disconnected



# 4.2 Getting Started – First Time Setup

The **First Time Setup Wizard** will help you customize the name of your wireless network, change passwords to something you choose, and establish an optimal WiFi security mode. The IBR600 comes out of the box with a unique password at WPA1/WPA2 WiFi security level.

- 1) Open a browser window and type "cp/" or "192.168.0.1" into the address bar. Press enter/return.
- 2) When prompted for your password, type the eight character **Default Password** found on the product label on the bottom of the IBR600 (this is also the last 8 digits of the router's MAC address).
- 3) When you log in for the first time, you will be automatically directed to the FIRST TIME SETUP WIZARD. (Otherwise, go to <u>Getting Started</u> → <u>First</u> <u>Time Setup</u>).
- 4) CradlePoint recommends that you change the router's **ADMINISTRATOR PASSWORD**, which is used to log in to the administration pages. The administrator password is separate from the WiFi security password, although initially the **Default Password** is used for both.
- 5) You can select your **TIME ZONE** from a dropdown list. (This may be necessary to properly show time in your router log, but typically your router will automatically determine your time zone through your browser.) Click **NEXT**.



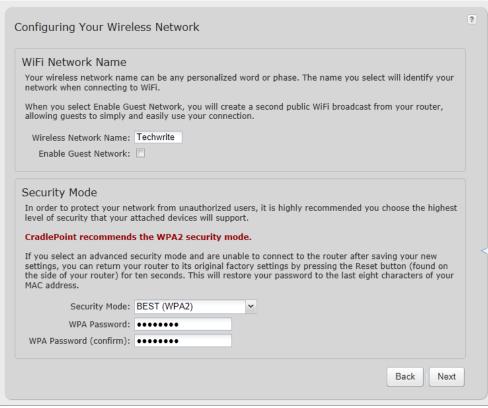


6) CradlePoint recommends that you customize your WiFi Network Name. Type in your personalized Network name here. You can also enable the Guest Network feature (for more configuration options, see Network Settings → WiFi / Local Networks and the Wireless (WiFi) Network Settings section of this manual).

Choose the **WIFI SECURITY MODE** that best fits your needs:

- BEST (WPA2): Select this option if your wireless adapters support WPA2-only mode. This will connect to most new devices and is the most secure, but may not connect to older devices or some handheld devices such as a PSP.
- GOOD (WPA1 & WPA2): Select this option if your wireless adapters support WPA or WPA2. This is the most compatible with modern devices and PCs.
- POOR (WEP): Select this option if your
  wireless adapters only support WEP. This should only be used if a legacy device that only supports WEP will be
  connected to the router. WEP is insecure and obsolete and is only supported in the router for legacy reasons.
  The router cannot use 802.11n modes if WEP is enabled; WiFi performance and range will be limited.
- NONE (OPEN): Select this option if you do not want to activate any security features.

CradlePoint recommends BEST (WPA2) WiFi security. Try this option first and switch only if you have a device that is incompatible with WPA2.





Choose a personalized **WPA PASSWORD** or **WEP KEY**. This password will be used to connect devices to the router's WiFi broadcast once the security settings have been saved.

- WPA Password: The WPA Password must be between 8 and 64 characters long. A combination of upper and lower case letters along with numbers and special characters is recommended to prevent hackers from gaining access to your network.
- **WEP Key:** A WEP Key must be either a hexadecimal value of 5 or 13 characters or a text value of 10 or 26 characters.

Click **NEXT**.

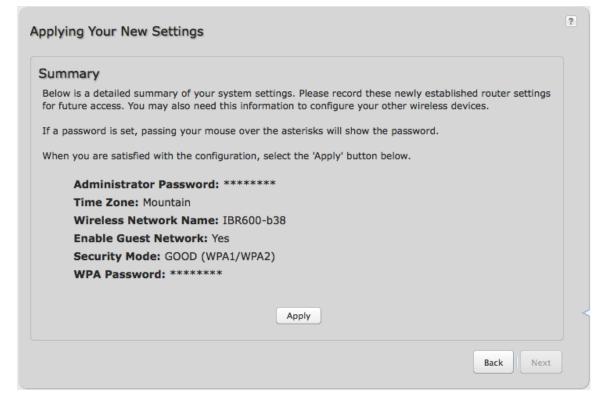


7) Review the details and record your wireless network name, administrative password, and WPA password (or WEP key). Move your mouse over the passwords to selectively reveal each password.

Please record these settings for future access. You may need this information to configure other wireless devices.

NOTE: If you are currently using the IBR600 WiFi network, reconnect your devices to the network using the new wireless network name and security password.

Click **APPLY** to save the settings and update them to your router.





## 4.3 Quick Links



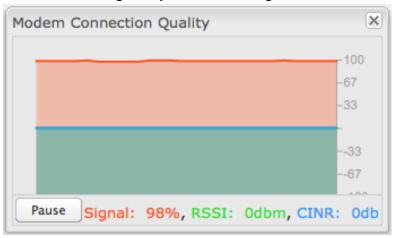
The <u>CradlePoint</u> logo in the upper left-hand corner of all the administration pages is a link to the Dashboard (<u>Status</u>  $\rightarrow$  <u>Dashboard</u>), which displays fundamental information about the router.

The black bar across the top provides quick access to important information and controls.

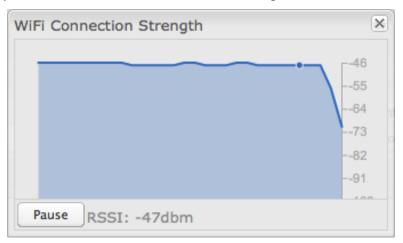


Internet Connection This links to the Connection Manager (Internet → Connection Manager) where you can manage your internet sources.

Click on the image of four signal bars to open a "Modem Connection Quality" popup window that shows the strength of your internet signal.



<u>WiFi Clients</u> Click to view a signal strength indicator for your network, "WiFi Connection Strength".



**<u>Logout</u>** Click to log out of the administration pages.



## 4.4 Basic Mode vs. Advanced Mode

For less complex uses, the IBR600 can be controlled within **Basic Mode**. Clicking on the **Basic Mode** button switches the complete Web interface to **Advanced Mode**. **Advanced Mode** provides several additional features.

The following chart shows the complete list of features found in **Basic Mode** and found exclusively in **Advanced Mode**:

	Getting Started	Status	Network Settings	Internet	System Settings
Basic Mode	First Time Setup WiFi Protected Setup	Client List Dashboard GPS Internet Connections Statistics System Logs	Content Filtering MAC Filter WiFi / Local Networks	Connection Manager Data Usage Ethernet Settings Modem Settings	Administration GPIO Connector System Control System Software
Advanced Mode (also includes all options in Basic Mode)		GRE Tunnels VPN Tunnels	DHCP Server DNS Firewall Routing WiPipe QoS	GRE Tunnels Load Balance VPN Tunnels WiFi as WAN Settings	Device Alerts Hotspot Services Managed Services

Since Advanced Mode includes all features found in both modes, ALL REMAINING INSTRUCTIONS IN THIS MANUAL WILL ASSUME YOU ARE IN ADVANCED MODE.

If an expected feature is missing from the user interface, be sure to check that you are using **Advanced Mode**.



# 4.5 Network Settings vs. Internet

When using the Web interface, it will be important to pay attention to the difference between the **internet source** for your IBR600 and the **network** created by the IBR600. The "**Internet**" tab broadly refers to the router's source of internet, while the "**Network Settings**" tab broadly refers to the network created by the router.

The following chart highlights this difference:

Network Settings tab	Internet tab
Internet "output"	Internet "input"
Network created by IBR600	Source for IBR600
LAN (Local Area Network)	WAN (Wide Area Network)

# Examples:

- If you want to change the content filtering settings for the network created by the IBR600, go to the **Network Settings** tab.
- If you have multiple internet sources—such as the embedded modem and an Ethernet connection—for which you would like to set priority levels, go to the **Internet** tab.



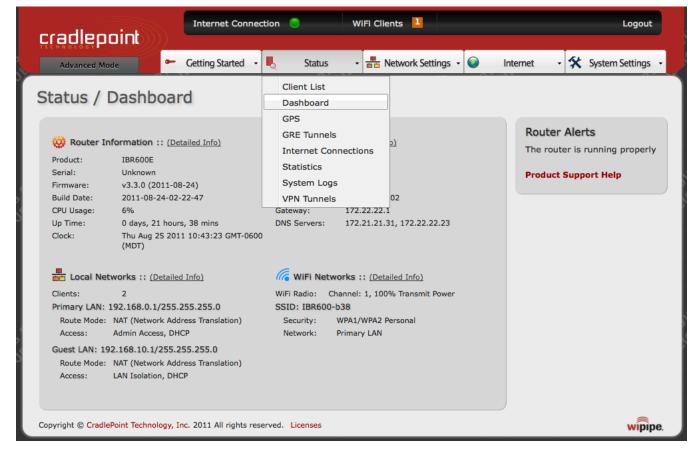
# 5 STATUS

The Status tab displays information—no adjustments can be made from within these pages. It provides access to 8

submenu options:

- Client List
- Dashboard
- GPS
- GRE Tunnels
- Internet Connections
- Statistics
- System Logs
- VPN Tunnels

(GRE Tunnels and VPN Tunnels: Advanced Mode only)



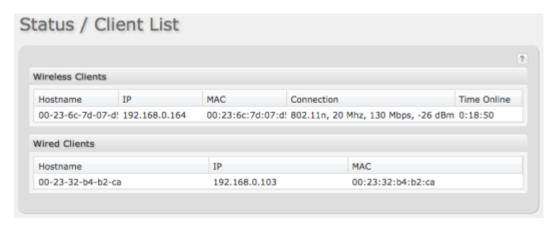


#### 5.1 Client List

The Client List displays the specifications of each device connected to your router, including **Wireless** and **Wired** clients.

Wireless Clients. For each device using a wireless connection to your IBR600, the following information is displayed: Hostname, IP, MAC, Connection, and Time Online.

**Wired Clients.** For each device using a wired connection to your IBR600, the following information is displayed: **Hostname**, **IP**, and **MAC**.



**Hostname:** The name by which each computer or device in a network is known.

IP: The "IP address," or "Internet Protocol address," specifies a location for each device.

**MAC:** This is the "MAC address", a factory-assigned identifier used to identify a specific attached computer or device.

Connection: Summary of the wireless connection. For example: 802.11n, 20 MHz, 130 Mbps, -26 dBm

- **802.11n:** The transmission standard being used by the client. Possible values include 802.11a, 802.11b, 802.11g, and 802.11n. 802.11n is the newest and best standard, but some older devices may not support it.
- 20 MHz: This is the channel width that defines the theoretical data rate (in megahertz) that the attached computer or device can send to or receive from the router. The channel width is set in Network Settings → WiFi / Local Networks. Typically this will be 20 MHz, but 40 MHz is possible if the router is set to use two adjacent 20 MHz channels. A wider channel can mean better performance, but not if there is too much interference. Even if you set the channel width to 40 MHz, the router may still fall back to 20 MHz if it encounters too much interference.
- **130 Mbps:** The transmit rate (in megabits per second) currently used to transmit packets from the router to the client. This rate changes automatically to match environmental conditions. Distance from the router, interference, etc can impact this value. Higher values indicate better performance. Devices can still function in the network with as little as 1 Mbps.



-26 dBm: A relative measure of wireless signal quality (decibels relative to one milliwatt). This expresses
theoretical best quality. The value is given as a negative exponent: -20 is a very good value while -80 is relatively
poor. Signal quality can be reduced by distance, by interference from other radio-frequency sources (such as
cordless telephones or neighboring wireless networks), and by obstacles between the router and the wireless
device.

**Time Online:** Simply the amount of time the device has been connected to the router.



#### 5.2 Dashboard

The **Dashboard** shows fundamental information about your router, divided into the following basic categories:

- Router Information
- Internet
- Local Networks
- WiFi Networks

For more in-depth information and/or configuration options, click on the <u>Detailed Info</u> link beside the category title. For each category, this links to:

- Router Information: <u>System Settings</u> → <u>Administration</u>
- Internet: Internet → Connection Manager
- Local Networks: <u>Network Settings</u> → <u>WiFi</u>
   / Local Networks
- WiFi Networks: <u>Network Settings</u> → <u>WiFi</u>
   / <u>Local Networks</u>





After the initial setup of the router, every time you log in you will automatically be directed to this **Dashboard**. Also, you can click on the CradlePoint logo in the upper left-hand corner to return to the **Dashboard** from any page.



# **Router Information**: "Detailed Info" links to **System Settings** → **Administration**.

- **Product**: IBR600
- Serial: The product serial number.
- Firmware: Gives the number of the current firmware version.
- Build Date: Year-month-day-hours-minutes-seconds for the most recent firmware upgrade.
- CPU Usage: Expressed as a percentage.
- **Up Time:** Total time for current session.
- Clock: Current local date and time.

To check for Firmware upgrades, see **System Settings** → **System Software**.

## <u>Internet</u>: "Detailed Info" links to <u>Internet</u> → <u>Connection Manager</u>.

- State: Connected/Disconnected
- Signal Strength: Expressed as a percentage. (Signal Strength is not included if Ethernet is the WAN type.)
- WAN Type: Ethernet, Modem, or WiFi as WAN.
- Connected Time: The time the current Internet source (WAN) has been connected.
- IP Address
- Gateway
- DNS Servers

For general configuration options, see <u>Internet — Connection Manager</u>. For more in-depth Internet source configuration options see the appropriate settings page for your WAN type.

- Internet → Ethernet Settings
- Internet → Modem Settings
- Internet → WiFi as WAN Settings

The IP address and gateway describe your active WAN source.

For DNS server configuration options, see **Network Settings** → **DNS**.



# <u>Local Networks</u>: "Detailed Info" links to <u>Network Settings</u> → <u>WiFi / Local Networks</u>.

• Clients: The number of current clients.

For each network, the following information is displayed:

- Network Name: IP Address/Netmask
  - o Route Mode: NAT (Network Address Translation), Standard (NAT-less), Hotspot, or Disabled.
  - o Access: Admin Access, LAN Isolation, UPnP (Universal Plug and Play), and/or DHCP.

To configure a network, see **Network Settings** → **WiFi / Local Networks**.

## <u>WiFi Networks</u>: "Detailed Info" links to <u>Network Settings</u> → <u>WiFi / Local Networks</u>.

• WiFi Radio: Channel: 1-11. Transmit Power (Expressed as a percentage).

For each WiFi network, the following information is displayed:

- **SSID:** Service Set Identifier—an identifier or name for a wireless network.
  - o Security: WPA2/WPA1/WEP Personal/Enterprise or Open; Isolated Clients
  - Network: The name of the local network.

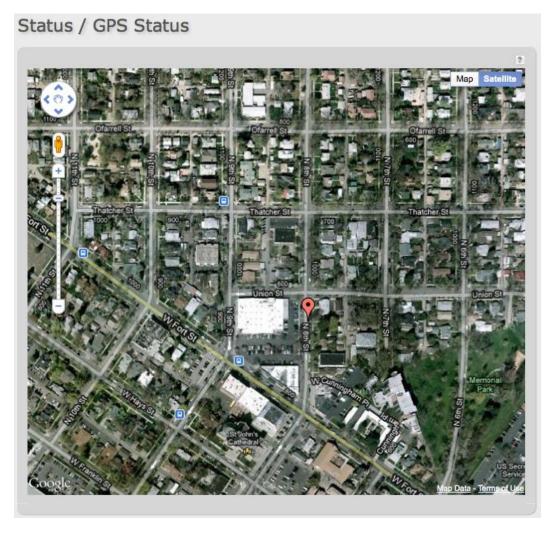
To configure WiFi network settings see **Network Settings** → **WiFi / Local Networks**.



# 5.3 GPS

If GPS support is enabled and the embedded modem is connected, this page will show a graphical view of your router's location. See the GPS section in <u>System Settings</u> → <u>Administration</u> to enable GPS support.

GPS information is only displayed if the modem has sufficient GPS signal strength. Make sure the modem is in an area where it can receive a signal from the GPS satellites.



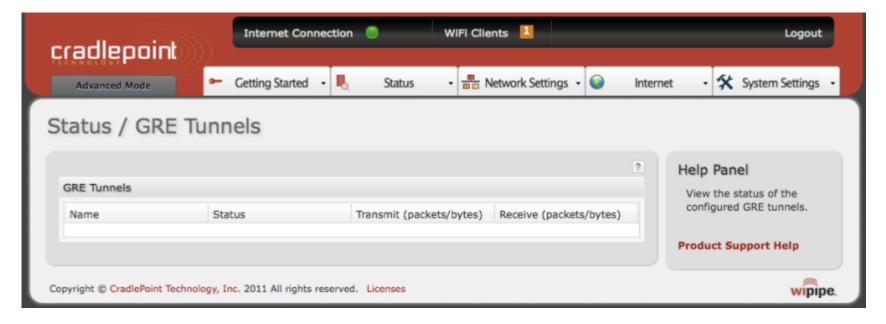


# 5.4 GRE Tunnels (Advanced Mode only)

View the status of configured GRE Tunnels. To set up or edit a GRE tunnel, go to **Internet** → **GRE Tunnels**.

#### Included information:

- Name
- Status
- Transmit (packets/bytes)
- Receive (packets/bytes)





#### 5.5 Internet Connections

The Internet Connections submenu option provides a list of attached WAN devices used as the internet source for the IBR600. Select one of these devices to see detailed information about that particular device.



For each type of device, different information will be included in the **Device Information** section. Possible devices include:

- Ethernet
- WiFi
- EVDO Modem (embedded modem)

Depending on the device, possible information will be in the following sections: Diagnostics, General Information, IP Information, and Statistics. For modems, the Diagnostics section provides specific information about how the modem is communicating with its carrier.



#### 5.5.1 Ethernet

# **Diagnostics**

• Connection State (connected, idle, etc.)

# **General Information**

- Protocol Ethernet Static
- Product Built-in Ethernet
- Type Ethernet
- Port
- Unique Identifier

# **Statistics**

- Outgoing Bits/Second
- Incoming Bits/Second
- Incoming Bytes
- Outgoing Bytes

Device Information: Built-in Ethernet		
Property	Value	
☐ Diagnostics		
Connection State	idle	
☐ General Information		
Protocol	Ethernet Static	
Product	Built-in Ethernet	
Туре	ethernet	
Port	0	
Unique Identifier	422875064	
∃ Statistics		
Outgoing Bits/Second	0	
Incoming Bits/Second	0	
Incoming Bytes	627432813	
Outgoing Bytes	10965885	



#### 5.5.2 WiFi as WAN

## **Diagnostics**

• Connection State (connected, idle, etc.)

# **General Information**

- Product Wireless As WAN
- Unique Identifier
- Type wwan

## **IP Information**

- Netmask
- IP Address
- Gateway

Property	Value	
∃ Diagnostics		
Connection State	connected	
∃ General Information		
Product	Wireless As WAN	
Unique Identifier	1819995126	
Туре	wwan	
∃ IP Information		
Netmask	255.255.255.0	
IP Address	192.168.0.197	
Gateway	192.168.0.1	



#### 5.5.3 EVDO Modem (embedded modem)

### **Diagnostics**

- Signal Strength (dBm)
- PRL Version
- Service Display 1xEV-DO,1X
- Carrier Status UP or DOWN
- Connection Type CDMA
- Connection State (connected, idle, etc.)
- Connection Uptime

## **General Information**

- Product EVDO Modem
- Protocol PPP
- Unique Identifier
- ESN/IMEI
- Model MC100E-VZ
- Type modem
- Port 1
- Manufacturer CradlePoint Inc.

## **IP Information**

- Netmask
- IP Address
- Gateway

# **Statistics**

- Outgoing Bits/Second
- Incoming Bits/Second
- Incoming Bytes
- Outgoing Bytes

Device List				
Device				
Modem: EVDO Modem, port: 1				
Ethernet: port 1				
-				
Device Information: EVDO Modem				
Property	Value			
Diagnostics				
Signal Strength(dBm)	-66 dBm			
PRL Version	52337			
Service Display	1xEV-DO,1X			
Carrier Status	UP			
Connection Type	CDMA			
Connection State	connected			
Connection Uptime	0:03:16			
General Information				
Product	EVDO Modem			
Protocol	PPP			
Unique Identifier	1438832383			
Carrier ID	5			
ESN/IMEI				
Model	MC100E-VZ			
Туре	modem			
Port	1			
Manufacturer	CradlePoint Inc.			
IP Information				
Netmask	255.255.255.0			
IP Address	75.220.77.172			
Gateway	66.174.192.64			
∃ Statistics				
Outgoing Bits/Second	890			
Incoming Bits/Second	25001			
Incoming Bytes	952305			
Outgoing Bytes	277278			



#### 5.6 Statistics

The Statistics submenu option displays basic traffic statistics for both LAN and WAN connections, separating Outgoing Traffic and Incoming Traffic.

**Data Rate:** A measure of the amount of information that is currently being sent or received through the network.

Data: A measure of the total amount of information that has been sent or received.

**Packets:** The number of network packets that have been sent or received.

**Errors:** The number of network packets that failed to be sent or received.

NOTE: Data, Packets, and Errors statistics include only the numbers since the router was most recently turned on or reset, not lifetime for the router.

Reset All: Press this button to zero all statistics. Counting restarts immediately.

Reminder: LAN vs. WAN

- LAN, or Local Area Network, is the network you have created through the IBR600.
- WAN, or Wide Area Network, is the internet source the IBR600 is using to create a new LAN. Possible WAN sources include: Ethernet, the embedded modem, or WiFi as WAN.





# 5.7 System Logs

The router automatically logs (records) events of possible interest in its internal memory. If there is not enough internal memory for all events, logs of older events are deleted, but logs of the latest events are retained. The log options allow you to filter the router logs so you can easily find relevant messages. This router also has external Syslog Server support so you can send the log files to a computer on your network that is running a Syslog utility.

**Auto Update**: The logs automatically refresh whenever the router creates a new message.

**Update:** Click to check for new router messages.

**Save log to a file:** This will open a dialog in your browser that will allow you to save the router's log to your computer.

**Search:** Enter keywords to find specific events.

**Level:** Select/Deselect from the following levels to filter messages by priority.

- Critical
- Error
- Warning
- Info

NOTE: The logs are erased whenever the router is rebooted or loses power.

Auto Update	Update	Save log to	o a file	search filter	Level
Time	Source	Level	Message		
Tue Aug 30th 12:37:3	svcmgr	INFO	No firmware upgrade found		
Tue Aug 30th 12:37:2	svcmgr	INFO	Checking upgrade server http	o://www.cradlepoint.com/file	es/upload
Tue Aug 30th 12:36:	upnp	INFO	UPnP IGD Enabled		
Tue Aug 30th 12:36:	upnp	INFO	UPnP Enabled - verbosity 20		
Tue Aug 30th 12:36:4	svcmgr	INFO	System time set to: 12:36:44	4 08/30/11 UTC	
Fri Aug 26th 02:33:0	wpc	INFO	Router is not managed by Wi	Pipe Central. Next check-in:	86400 s
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:5	wpc	INFO	Probe Managed Status		
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:5	dhcp	INFO	New DHCP lease handed out:	: 00-23-6c-7d-07-d5 192.16	8.0.134
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:5	dhcp	INFO	Updated DHCP lease for: 00-	23-6c-7d-07-d5 192.168.0.1	134 00:2
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:5	wlan	INFO	Client 00:23:6c:7d:07:d5 WPA2 key negotiation completed		ed
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:5	wlan	INFO	Client 00:23:6c:7d:07:d5 associated		
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:4	svcmgr	INFO	Route: setting default gatewa	ay -interface 75.220.186.119	9
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:4	svcmgr	INFO	Adding alert WAN Device Sta	tus Change	
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:4	wanmgr	INFO	Wan Device (Sierra Wireless Device) is connected		
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:4	svcmgr	INFO	Configuring ifname:cp1 with ipaddr:75.220.186.119, braddr:66.		ddr:66.1
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:4	wanmgr	INFO	Wan Device (Sierra Wireless Device) is attempting to connect		nect
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:4	svcmgr	INFO	Disabling passthrough		
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:4	svcmgr	INFO	Adding alert WAN Device Status Change		
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:4	svcmgr	INFO	Adding alert WAN Device Sta	tus Change	
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:3	wanmgr	INFO	Wan Device (Ethernet Port) is	s plugged	
Fri Aug 26th 02:32:3	wan	WARNING	Adding orphan Network device	ce: (type: ethernet, iface: vl	an2, uid:
Fri Aua 26th 02:32:3	portmar	INFO	Plugaina ethernet aroup: war	n. mode: wan	

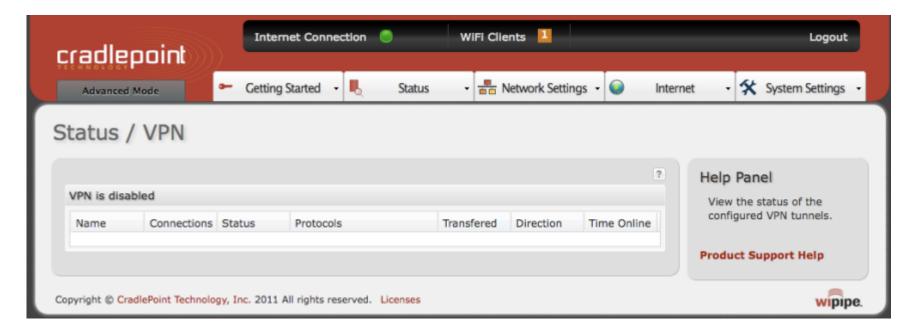


# 5.8 VPN Tunnels (Advanced Mode only)

View the status of configured VPN tunnels. To set up or edit a VPN tunnel, go to **Internet** → **VPN Tunnels**.

#### Included information:

- Name
- Connections
- Status
- Protocols
- Transferred
- Direction
- Time Online



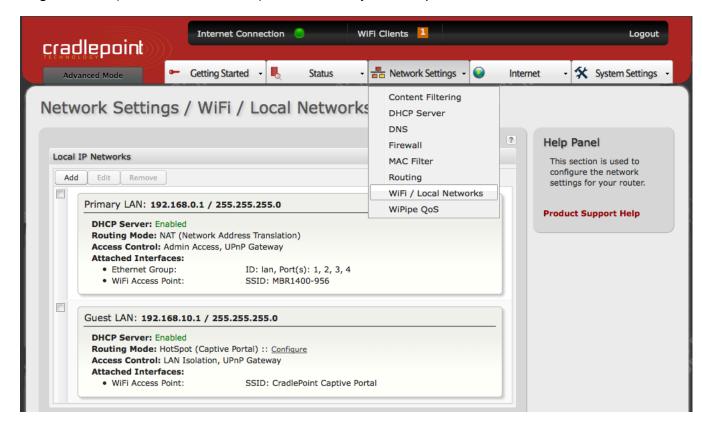


# 6 NETWORK SETTINGS

The Network Settings tab provides access to 8 submenu options for administering the following functions/tasks. These functions are all related to controlling the LAN (Local Area Network), the network you set up with the IBR600.

- Content Filtering
- DHCP Server
- DNS
- Firewall
- MAC Filter
- Routing
- WiFi / Local Networks
- WiPipe QoS

(DHCP Server, DNS, Firewall, Routing, and WiPipe QoS: Advanced Mode only)





# 6.1 Content Filtering

You have two main options for filtering content in a network created through your IBR600.

- Domain / URL Filter Rules: Create a list of websites that will be either disallowed (facebook.com, for example) or allowed exclusively (your company's website, for example).
- 2) **OpenDNS Content Filtering:** Allows several options for filtering rules.



To create **Domain / URL Filter Rules**, simply input one or more website domain names or URLs. By default, these websites will be disallowed as part of a Blacklist. You can change this to a Whitelist to exclusively allow these sites.

**Enable Whitelist:** Domain / URL filters allow you to **block** access from your network to any external domain or website. Enabling this as a Whitelist will allow access to only those sites in the list.



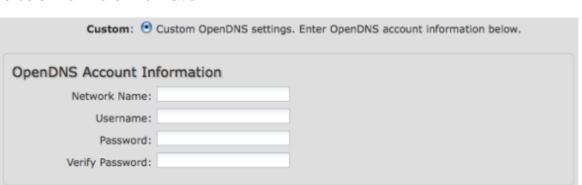
## 6.1.1 OpenDNS

OpenDNS is a service that protects you online by filtering websites. OpenDNS protects you from phishing websites and URL typos once you select a filtering level.

- None: Disables Web filtering that uses OpenDNS,
- Minimal: Filters phishing and URL typos.
- Good: Filters any Web site containing pornography and enables typo and phishing redirection.
- **Better:** Filters more nudity, sexuality, and tasteless content.
- Best: Filters more nudity, sexuality, and tasteless content. Selecting "Best" will filter all content that is deemed adult content by OpenDNS.
- Custom: Custom OpenDNS settings. See below for more information.

In addition to the standard filtering levels, you have the following options for filter control:

Custom OpenDNS: To use the Custom OpenDNS setting you need to first create an OpenDNS account. You can create an account at OpenDNS and click on the "Create Account" link. Follow the onscreen instructions to create an account.



Once you have an OpenDNS account, enter your account information in order to use your Custom OpenDNS settings. Custom OpenDNS settings use the <a href="DNS-O-MATIC">DNS-O-MATIC</a> (an OpenDNS Service) API to update the IP address of your





OpenDNS network. In order for Custom settings to work you need to login to <a href="DNS-O-MATIC">DNS-O-MATIC</a> using your OpenDNS credentials and "Add A Service" for the network specified above.

**Enable OpenDNS ISP Filter Bypass Algorithm:** It is possible that your Internet Service Provider (ISP) uses the port that OpenDNS is configured to access, port 53, which will prevent OpenDNS filtering. If OpenDNS does not appear to be working correctly, enabling this will attempt to bypass those ports when using an OpenDNS content filtering level.

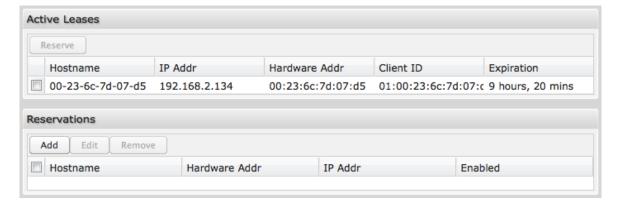


# 6.2 DHCP Server (Advanced Mode only)

DHCP stands for Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol. The built-in DHCP server automatically assigns IP addresses to the computers and other devices on each local area network (LAN). In this section you can view a list of assigned IP addresses and reserve IP addresses for particular devices.

Active Leases: A list of devices that have been provided DHCP leases. The DHCP server automatically assigns these leases. This list will not include any devices that have static IP addresses on the network.

Reservations: This option lets you reserve IP addresses; you can assign the same IP address to the network device with the specified MAC address any time it requests an IP address. This is almost the same as



when a device has a static IP address except that the device must still request an IP address from the router. The router will provide the device the same IP address every time. DHCP Reservations are helpful for server computers on the local network that are hosting applications such as Web and FTP. Servers on your network should either use a static IP address or a reservation.

While you have the option to manually input the information to reserve an IP address (Hostname, Hardware Addr, IP Addr), it is much simpler to select a device under the **Active Leases** section and click "**Reserve**." The selected device's information will automatically be added under **Reservations**.



# 6.3 DNS (Advanced Mode only)

DNS, or Domain Name System, is a naming system that translates between domain names (www.cradlepoint.com, for example) and internet IP addresses (206.207.82.197). A DNS server acts as an internet phone book, translating between names that make sense to people and the more complex numerical identifiers. The DNS page for the IBR600 has these distinct functions:

- **DNS Settings:** By default your router is set to automatically acquire DNS servers through your internet provider (Automatic). **DNS Settings** allows you to specify DNS servers of your choosing instead (Static).
- **Dynamic DNS Configuration:** Allows you to host a server (Web, FTP, etc.) using a domain name that you have purchased (www.yourname.com) with your dynamically assigned IP address.
- **Known Hosts Configuration:** Allows you to map a name (printer, scanner, laptop, etc.) to an IP address of a device on the network.

## 6.3.1 DNS Settings

You have the option to choose specific DNS servers for your network instead of using the DNS servers assigned by your internet provider. The default DNS servers are usually adequate. You may want to assign DNS servers if the default DNS servers are performing poorly, if you want



WiFi clients to access DNS servers that you use for customized addressing, or if you have a local DNS server on your network.

**Automatic Config:** Automatic or Static (default: Automatic). Switching to "Static" enables you to set specific DNS servers in the **Primary DNS** and **Secondary DNS** fields.

**Primary DNS** and **Secondary DNS**: If you choose to specify your DNS servers, then enter the IP addresses of the servers you want as your primary and secondary DNS servers in these fields. For example, Google Public DNS servers have the IP addresses 8.8.8.8 and 8.8.4.4 while 4.2.2.2 and 4.2.2.3 are servers from Level 3 Communications.



#### 6.3.2 Dynamic DNS Configuration

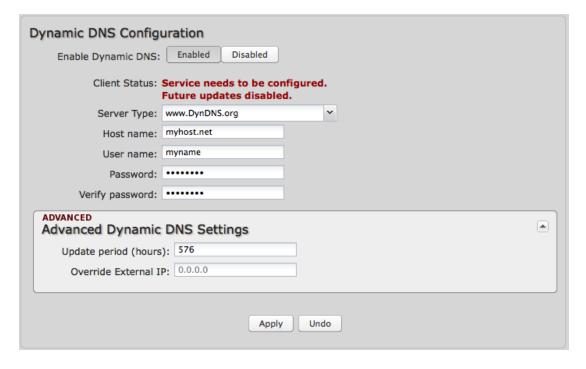
The Dynamic DNS feature allows you to host a server (Web, FTP, etc.) using a domain name that you have purchased (www.yourname.com) with your dynamically assigned IP address. Most broadband Internet Service Providers assign dynamic (changing) IP addresses. When you use a Dynamic DNS service provider, you can enter your host name to connect to your server, no matter what your IP address is.

**Enable Dynamic DNS Service:** Enable this option only if you have purchased your own domain name and registered with a Dynamic DNS service provider.

**Server Type.** Select a Dynamic DNS service provider from the pull-down list:

- www.DynDNS.org
- www.DNSomatic.com
- www.ChangelP.com
- www.NO-IP.com
- Custom Server (DynDNS clone)

Custom Server Address. Only available if you select Custom Server from the Server Address dropdown list. Enter your custom dynamic DNS server address here. The server must support the Dynamic DNS protocol. See www.dyndns.org for details. Example: myserver.mydomain.net.



Host name: Enter your host name, fully qualified. For example: myhost.mydomain.net.

**User name:** Enter the user name or key provided by the Dynamic DNS service provider. If the Dynamic DNS provider supplies only a key, enter that key for both the **User name** and **Password** fields.

**Password:** Enter the password or key provided by the Dynamic DNS service provider.



## 6.3.3 Advanced Dynamic DNS Settings

**Update period (hours)**. (Default: 576.) The time between periodic updates to the Dynamic DNS if your dynamic IP address has not changed. The timeout period is entered in hours so valid values are from 1 to 8760.

**Override External IP.** The external IP is usually configured automatically during connection. However, in situations where the unit is within a private network behind a firewall or router, the network's external IP address will have to be manually configured in this field.

You may find out what your external IP address is by going to <a href="http://myip.dnsomatic.com/">http://myip.dnsomatic.com/</a> in a web browser.

## 6.3.4 Known Hosts Configuration

The Known Hosts Configuration feature allows you to map a name (printer, scanner, laptop, etc.) to an IP address of a device on the network. This assigns a new hostname that can be used to conveniently identify a device within the network, such as an office printer.

Click **Add** to name a device in your network.

Fill in the following fields:

- **Hostname:** Choose a name that is meaningful to you. No spaces are allowed in this field.
- **IP address:** The address of the device within your network.

EXAMPLE: a personal laptop with IP address 192.168.0.164 could be assigned the name "MyLaptop".

Since the assigned name is mapped to an IP address, the device's IP address should not change. To ensure that the device keeps the same IP address, go to the "Reservations" section under **Network Settings** → **DHCP Server** and reserve the IP address for the device.







# 6.4 Firewall (Advanced Mode only)

The router automatically provides a firewall. Unless you configure the router to the contrary, the router does not respond to unsolicited incoming requests on any port, thereby making your LAN invisible to cyber attackers.

However, some network applications cannot run with a tight firewall. Those applications need to selectively open ports in the firewall to function correctly. The options on this page control ways of opening the firewall to address the needs of specific types of applications.

## 6.4.1 Port Forwarding Rules

A port forwarding rule allows traffic from the internet to reach a computer on the inside of your network. For example, a port forwarding rule might be used to run a Web server.



Exercise caution when adding new rules as they impact the security of your network.

Click **Add** to create a new port forwarding rule.

#### Add New Port Forwarding Rule: page 1

- Name: Name your rule.
- Description: Enter a short description of this rule for future reference.
- Click "Next" to continue.





Next

## Add New Port Forwarding Rule: page 2

- **Use Port Range:** Changes the selection options to allow you to input a range of ports (if desired).
- Internet Port(s): The port number(s) as you want it defined on the internet. Typically these will be the same as the local port numbers, but they do not have to be. These numbers will be mapped to the local port numbers.
- Local Computer: Select the IP address of an attached device from the dropdown menu, or manually input the IP address of a device.



Local Port(s): 1-65535

Add New Port Forwarding Rule

Use Port Range:

Internet Port(s): 1-65535

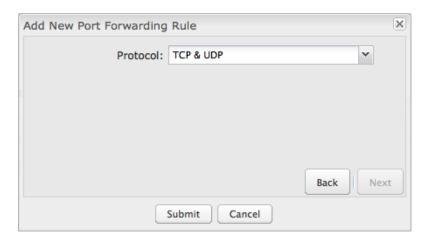
Local Computer: eg. 192.168.0.112

• Local Port(s): The port number(s) that corresponds to the service (Web server, FTP, etc) on a local computer or device.

For example, you might input "80" in the **Local Port(s)** field to open a port for a Web server on a computer within your network. The **Internet Port(s)** field could then also be 80, or you could choose another port number that will be used across the internet to access your Web server. If you choose a number other than 80 for the internet Port, connections to that number will be mapped to 80—and therefore the Web server—within your network.

## Add New Port Forwarding Rule: page 3

- **Protocol:** Select from the following options in the dropdown menu:
  - o TCP
  - o UDP
  - o TCP & UDP
- Click **Submit** to save your completed port forwarding rule.





#### 6.4.2 IP Filter Rules

An "Incoming" IP filter rule restricts remote access to computers on your local network. "Outgoing" filter rules prevent computers on your local network from initiating communication to the address range specified in the rule.



This feature is especially useful when combined with

port forwarding and/or DMZ to restrict remote access to a specified host or network range. For example, in order to host a server you might have opened ports with a port forwarding rule that could expose your LAN to cyber attacks. With an incoming IP filter rule, you can restrict the access to your LAN to only known devices.

- Name: Name your rule.
- Direction: "Incoming" or "Outgoing"
- Action: "Allow" or "Deny"
- Start Port: Use for a single port or a range of ports.
- End Port: Use for a single port or a range of ports.
- Network Address
- Subnet Mask

Use **Start Port**, **End Port**, **Network Address**, and **Subnet Mask** to specify the ports and addresses for which the rule applies. You can specify a range of ports or a single port (by inputting the same value in both port fields). Similarly, the subnet mask can be used to define either a range of addresses (i.e. 255.255.255.0) or a single address (255.255.255.255).

**Example of an IP Filter Rule:** Suppose you have opened a port in your firewall in order to run a server. Someone, Johnny, is abusing that opening, so you would like to restrict his access. Create a rule that will deny Johnny's IP address.

Name: No more JohnnyDirection: IncomingAction: Deny





Start Port: 80End Port: 80

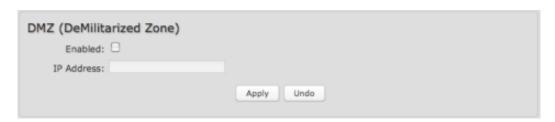
Network Address: 172.22.24.160 (Johnny's IP address)

• Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.255 (This subnet mask restricts the rule to one single address).



#### 6.4.3 DMZ (DeMilitarized Zone)

A DMZ host is effectively not firewalled in the sense that any computer on the internet may attempt to remotely access network services at the DMZ IP address. Typical uses involve running a public Web server or sharing files.



Input the **IP Address** of a single device in your network to create a DeMilitarized Zone for that device. To ensure that the IP address of the selected device remains consistent, go to the "Reservations" section under **Network Settings**  $\rightarrow$  **DHCP Server** and reserve the IP address for the device.

As with port forwarding, use caution when enabling the DMZ feature as it can threaten the security of your network. Only use DMZ as a last resort.

## 6.4.4 Firewall Options

Anti-Spoof: Anti-Spoof checks help protect against malicious users faking the source address in packets they transmit in order to either hide themselves or to impersonate someone else. Once the user has spoofed their address they can launch a network attack without revealing the true source of



the attack or attempt to gain access to network services that are restricted to certain addresses.

**Packet Normalization:** Normalizing packets helps secure the router in untrusted environments. It does so by "scrubbing" packets that are ambiguous or might represent a break-in attempt. Packet Normalization also helps insure reliable connectivity for some WAN devices such as WiMAX modems. Only disable this option if you are sure you do not need it.

**Static NAT Ports:** If enabled the source port does not translate in TCP and UDP packets during NAT. Some NAT traversal protocols such as STUN(T) require that the source port stay the same when traversing the firewall.



#### 6.5 MAC Filter

The MAC Filter allows you to create a list of devices that have either exclusive access (whitelist) or no access (blacklist) to your wireless I AN.

**Enabled:** Click to allow MAC Filter options.

Whitelist: Select either "Whitelist" or "Blacklist" from a dropdown list. By default, the list of addresses is designated a "white list." Deselecting White List turns the list of addresses into a disallowed black list.



**MAC Filter List (Whitelist or Blacklist):** Add devices to either your white list or black list simply by inputting each device's MAC address.

NOTE: Use caution when using the MAC Filter to avoid accidentally blocking yourself from accessing the router.



# 6.6 Routing (Advanced Mode only)

Add a new static route to the IP routing table or edit/remove an existing route.

Static routes are unnecessary for most users. They are typically only used in networks with more than one layer, such as when there is a



network within a network so that packet destinations are hidden behind an additional router. Adding a static route is a way of telling the router about an additional step that packets will need to take to reach their destination.

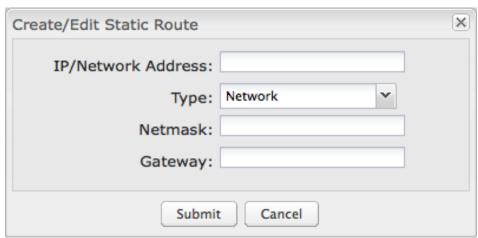
Click Add to create a new static route.

**IP/Network Address:** The IP address of the target network or host.

**Type:** Select from a dropdown list to specify the type of the target:

- Network
- Host

**Netmask:** The Netmask, along with the IP address, defines the network the computer belongs to and which other IP addresses the computer can see in the same LAN. An IP address of 192.168.0.1 along with a Netmask



of 255.255.255.0 defines a network with 256 available IP addresses from 192.168.0.0 to 192.168.0.255.

NOTE: 255.255.255.255 is used to signify only the host that was entered in the IP/Network Address field.

**Gateway:** Specifies the next hop to be taken if this route is used. A gateway of 0.0.0.0 implies there is no next hop, and the IP address matched is directly connected to the router on the interface specified: **LAN** or **WAN**.



#### 6.7 WiFi / Local Networks

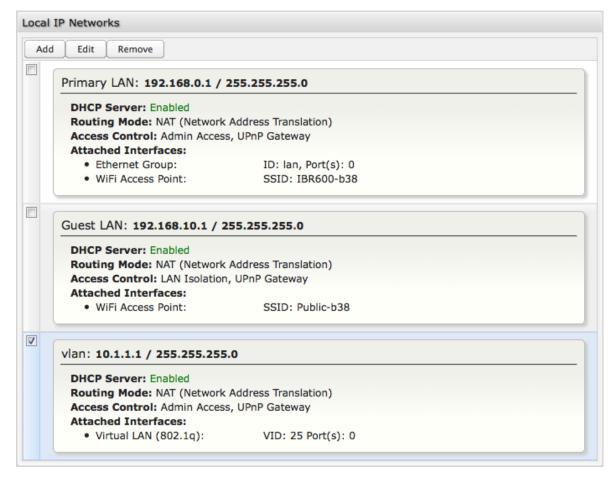
This section is used to configure the settings for wireless networks created by your router. Note that changes made in this section may also need to be duplicated on wireless devices that you want to connect to your wireless network.

For example, if you change a LAN's IP address, devices within that network will lose connection. They will have to reconnect to the network.

The user can set up multiple networks on the IBR600, each with its own unique configuration and its own selection of interfaces. Each local network can be attached to any of the following types of interfaces:

- WiFi
- Ethernet
- VLAN

For example, one network might be just an isolated WiFi hotspot for guests, while another might be the main network with administrative access, an Ethernet port, a password-protected WiFi SSID, and a VLAN interface.





#### 6.7.1 Local IP Networks

**Local IP Networks** displays the following information for each network:

- Network Name
- IP address/Netmask
- **DHCP Server** (Enabled/Disabled)
- Routing Mode (NAT, Standard, Hotspot, Disabled)
- Access Control (Admin Access, UPnP Gateway, LAN Isolation)
- Attached Interfaces (Ethernet ports, WiFi, VLAN)

Primary LAN: 192.168.2.1 / 255.255.255.0

**DHCP Server:** Enabled

Routing Mode: NAT (Network Address Translation)
Access Control: Admin Access, UPnP Gateway

**Attached Interfaces:** 

Ethernet Group: ID: lan, Port(s): 1, 2
 WiFi Access Point: SSID: TechWrite

Click **Add** to configure a new network, or select an existing network and click **Edit** to view configuration options.

## **HotSpot (Captive Portal)**

When you set a network as a "Hotspot" under **Routing Mode**, you will also need to:

 Configure hotspot settings under <u>System Settings</u> → <u>Hotspot</u>
 Services. This is where you can Guest LAN: 192.168.10.1 / 255.255.255.0

DHCP Server: Enabled

Routing Mode: HotSpot (Captive Portal) :: Configure
Access Control: LAN Isolation, UPnP Gateway

Attached Interfaces:

WiFi Access Point: SSID: CradlePoint Captive Portal

configure a "Terms of Service" agreement or select a website for redirection, for example. Click on **Configure** to link to the Hotspot Services page.

2) If you want a hotspot that includes WiFi, first set one of your WiFi interfaces to "Open" for its Security Mode and attach this interface to your hotspot network. Otherwise guests will need to know the password to connect to the WiFi network even before viewing a Terms of Service page (or other hotspot options).

Finally, make sure your WiFi interface is "Enabled".



#### 6.7.2 Local Network Editor

The Local Network Editor contains the following tabs: IP Settings, Interfaces, Access Control, and DHCP Server.

## **IP Settings**:

**Name:** This primarily helps to identify this network during other administration tasks.

**Hostname:** [Default: cp (for CradlePoint)] The hostname is the DNS name associated with the router's local area network IP address.

NOTE: You can access the router's administration pages by typing the hostname into your browser, so if you change "cp" to another hostname, you can access the administration pages through the new hostname.

**IP Address:** This is the address used by the router for local area network communication. Changes to this parameter may require a restart to computers on this network.

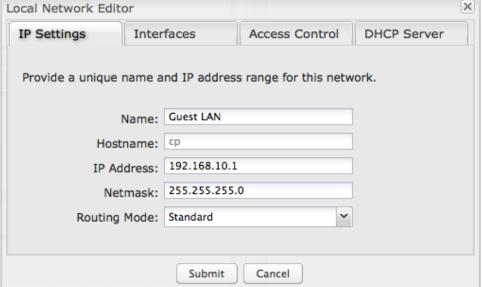
Each network must have a distinct IP address. Most users will want an address from one of the following private IP ranges:

- 10.0.0.1 10.255.255.1
- 172.16.0.1 172.31.255.1
- 192.168.0.1 192.168.255.1

NOTE: The final number does not have to be 1, but it is a simple, logical convention for routers that leaves higher numbers free for other devices.

**Netmask:** (Default: 255.255.255.0) The netmask controls how many IP addresses can be used in this network. The default value allows for 254 IP addresses, which is enough in most cases.

**Routing Mode:** (Default: NAT) Each network can use a unique routing mode to connect to the internet and other local networks. NAT is desirable for most configurations. Select from the following options in the dropdown list:



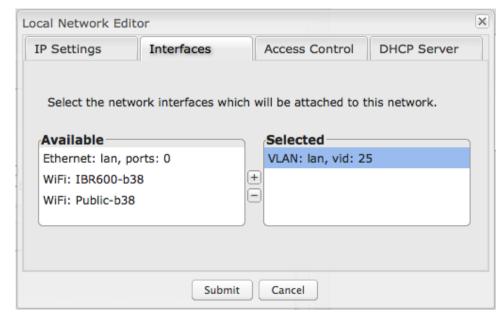


- **NAT:** Network Address Translation hides private IP addresses behind the router's IP address. This is the simplest and most common choice for users, because NAT does the translation work for you.
- **Standard:** NAT-less routing. If you select **Standard**, you must separately configure your IP addresses so that they will be publically accessible. Typically you will not select this option unless you have a specific reason to bypass NAT.
- Hotspot: Provide Hotspot Services on this network, requiring Terms of Service or RADIUS/UAM authentication before WAN access will occur on both wireless and wired LAN connections. To enable a Hotspot you must also configure your Hotspot settings under <u>System Settings</u> → <u>Hotspot Services</u>.
- Disabled: Disable this network.

#### Interfaces:

Select network interfaces to attach to this network. Choose from WiFi, Ethernet ports, and VLAN interfaces. Double-click on any of the interfaces shown on the left in the **Available** section to move them to the **Selected** section on the right (or highlight an interface and click the + button). To deselect an interface, double-click on an interface in the **Selected** section (or highlight the interface and click the – button).

If you want more interface options, you must configure additional WiFi, Ethernet ports, and VLAN interfaces separately. See the **Local Network Interfaces** section below (on this same administration page: **Network Settings**  $\rightarrow$  **WiFi / Local Networks**).

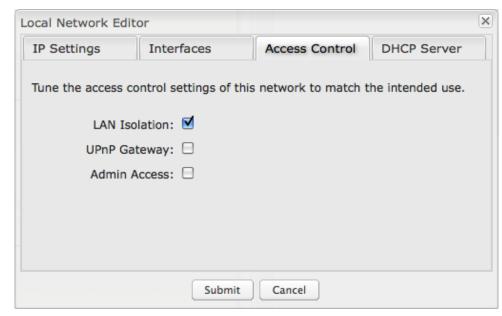




#### **Access Control:**

Tune the access control settings of this network to match the intended use. Simply select or deselect any of the following:

- LAN Isolation: When checked, this network will NOT be allowed to communicate with other local networks.
- UPnP Gateway: Select the UPnP (Universal Plug and Play) option if you want to enable the UPnP Gateway service for computers on this network.
- **Admin Access:** When enabled, users may access these administration pages on this network.





### **DHCP Server:**

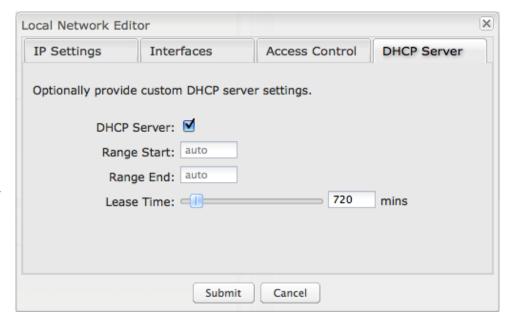
Changing settings for the DHCP server is optional. The default selections are almost always sufficient.

**DHCP Server:** (Default: Enabled) When the DHCP server is enabled, users of your network will be able to automatically connect to the internet without any special configuration. **It is recommended that you leave this enabled.** Disabling the DHCP server is only recommended if you have another DHCP server on your network and it is configured properly.

Range Start and Range End: These designate the range of values in the reserved pool of IP addresses for the DHCP server. Values within this range will be given to any DHCP enabled computers on your network. The default values are almost always sufficient (default: 72 to 200, as in 192.168.0.72 to 192.168.0.200).

Example: The IBR600 uses an IP address of 192.168.0.1 for its primary network by default. A computer designated as a Web server has a static IP address of 192.168.0.3. Another computer is

designated as an FTP server with a static IP address of 192.168.0.4. The starting IP address for the DHCP server needs to be 192.168.0.5 or higher.



**Lease Time:** [Default: 720 minutes (12 hours)] The lease time specifies how long DHCP-enabled computers will wait before requesting a new DHCP lease. Smaller values are better suited to busy environments.



#### 6.7.3 Local Network Interfaces

Each LAN type—WiFi, Ethernet, and VLAN—has a separate section with configuration options. Unless the default configuration is sufficient, YOU MUST CONFIGURE EACH INTERFACE SEPARATELY in order to create the desired interface options for a network. You can then select these interfaces to add to a network in the **Local Network Editor** (see above).

Select from the following tabs:

- Wireless (WiFi) Network Settings
- Ethernet Port Configuration
- VLAN Interfaces



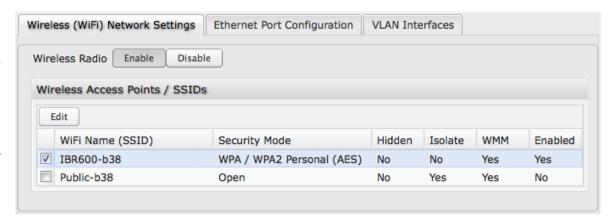
## Wireless (WiFi) Network Settings

The IBR600 can broadcast two SSIDs (service set identifiers — the names for WiFi networks). One primary WiFi network is enabled by default, while you may have enabled a second guest network when using the First Time Setup Wizard. You have the ability to change the settings for either of these networks.

Wireless Radio: Enable/Disable. (Default: Enabled). Leave enabled unless you don't

want any WiFi networks broadcast from your router.

Select a WiFi network and click **Edit** to change the settings.



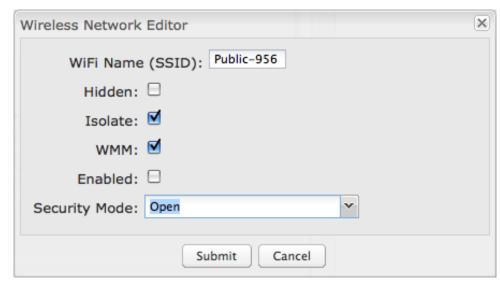


#### **Wireless Network Editor**

WiFi Name (SSID): When you are browsing for available wireless networks, this is the name that will be broadcast from this router for the selected network. This name is referred to as the SSID (service set identifier). For security purposes, CradlePoint highly recommends that you change this from the pre-configured name.

**Hidden:** This shows whether the router broadcasts its SSID. It is somewhat harder for hackers to find and attack a router that is not broadcasting its SSID, which adds to the wireless security, but it is also more difficult for friendly users to attach to a WiFi network with a hidden SSID.

**Isolate:** Select this to isolate all wireless clients so they cannot directly communicate with each other on the wireless network.



**WMM:** WiFi Multimedia. This is a basic traffic shaping, or QoS (quality of service), system for the network. WMM works behind the scenes to set priorities for different types of traffic on your network. For example, video streams are given higher priority than print jobs, since video streams need consistent throughput.

**Enabled:** If the network is available.



**Security Mode:** You have several options for selecting a security mode. The mode you choose depends on the security features your wireless adapters support.

- WPA2 Personal
- WPA / WPA2 Personal
- WPA Personal
- WPA2 Enterprise
- WPA / WPA2 Enterprise
- WPA Enterprise
- WEP Auto
- Open

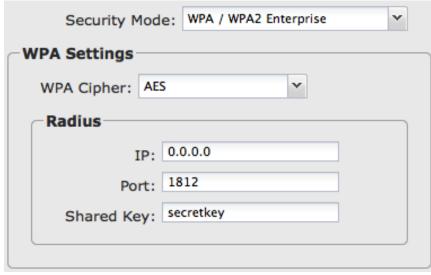
Select "Open" to create a hotspot: otherwise select the best security that your devices will support (CradlePoint recommends WPA2).

Depending on which Security Mode you select, there are different setup options.

- "Personal" security modes require passwords and a "Re-key Interval" (default: 3600 seconds).
- "Enterprise" security modes are linked to a RADIUS server and require RADIUS authentication: IP, Port, and Shared Key.
- "WPA2" (Personal or Enterprise) forces AES as the WPA Cipher.
- "WPA/WPA2" and "WPA" (Personal or Enterprise) allow AES, TKIP/AES, and TKIP.
- "WEP Auto" requires a WEP Key.
- "Open" has no password or other security measures.

NOTE: If you don't know whether you should choose Personal or Enterprise, assume Personal since you need to know RADIUS authentication for Enterprise.

In order to protect your network from hackers and unauthorized users, CradlePoint highly recommends <u>WPA2/AES</u> for security if your attached devices can support it. WEP and WPA/TKIP are obsolete and have been replaced by WPA/AES. Using those security settings will cause the WiFi to limit to 802.11g modes.



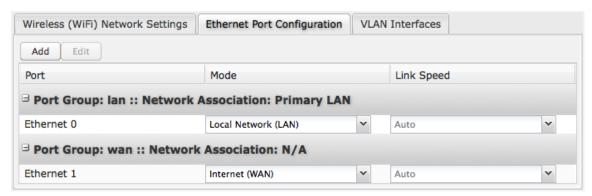


NOTE: If you select one of the security modes and are unable to connect to the router afterwards, you can use the reset buttons to reset the router to its factory default state and try a different security mode instead.



### **Ethernet Port Configuration**

Ethernet Port Configuration provides controls for your router's Ethernet ports. There are two ports: one set as LAN and one set as WAN. While default settings will be sufficient in most circumstances, you have the ability to control: **Mode** (WAN or LAN) and **Link Speed**. Additional controls for WAN ports are available in **Internet** → **Ethernet Settings**.



Mode: WAN or LAN.

- Internet (WAN) is used to connect to another network such as a hotel or office wired network. The WAN connection is used as a possible source of internet for the IBR600.
- Local Network (LAN) is for connecting a computer or similar device directly to the router with an Ethernet cable.

**Link Speed:** Default setting is Auto. The Auto setting is preferred in most cases.

- Auto
- 10Mbps Half Duplex
- 10Mbps Full Duplex
- 100Mbps Half Duplex
- 100Mbps Full Duplex
- 1000Mbps Full Duplex



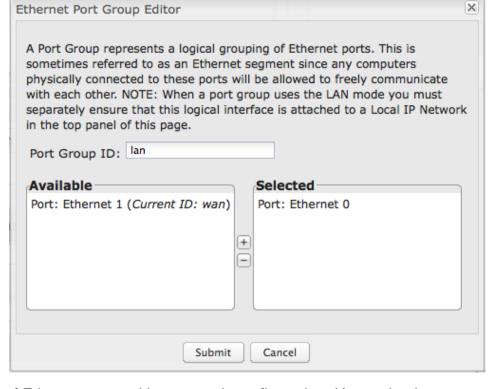
### **Ethernet Port Group Editor**

A Port Group represents a logical grouping of Ethernet ports. Any computers physically connected to ports in a group will be allowed to freely communicate with each other.

Since the IBR600 has only 2 Ethernet ports, this feature will rarely be necessary. It is possible, however, to set both ports as LAN ports (or both ports as WAN ports) and then either separate them or group them together. (For example, you could use one for the primary network and one for a guest network, or you could use both for the primary network.)

NOTE: When a port group uses the LAN mode you must separately ensure that this logical interface is attached to a **Local IP Network** in the top panel of this page.

**Port Group ID:** The Group ID field provides a reference to this grouping of ports to be used in other parts of the router configuration. For example, this ID is referenced in the



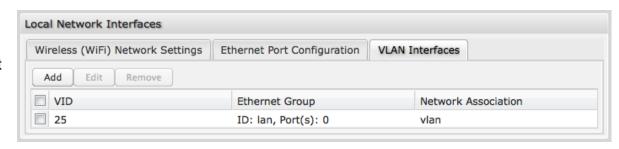
**Local IP Networks** configuration to attach this logical group of Ethernet ports with a network configuration. Use a simple short text phrase to describe a group, such as "main", "guestports", "backup\_wan", etc.

**Select** one or more ports to create a port group that you can subsequently attach to a network in the **Local Network Editor**. Double-click on any of the Ethernet ports shown on the left in the **Available** section to move them to the **Selected** section on the right (or highlight a port and click the + button). To deselect an Ethernet port, double-click on an interface in the **Selected** section (or highlight the port and click the – button).



#### **VLAN Interfaces**

A virtual local area network, or VLAN, functions as any other physical LAN, but it enables computers and other devices to be grouped together even if they are not physically attached to the same network switch.



To enable a VLAN, select a VID (virtual LAN ID) and a group of Ethernet ports through which users can access the VLAN. Then go back up to the **Local Network Editor** to attach your new VLAN to a network. To use a VLAN, the VID must be shared with another router or similar device so that multiple physical networks have access to the one virtual network.

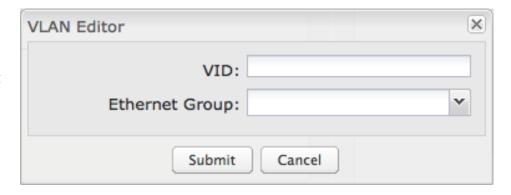
Click **Add** to create a new VLAN interface.

#### **VLAN Editor**

**VID:** An integer value that is the Virtual LAN ID.

**Ethernet Group:** Select the LAN ports with which you want to associate the VLAN ID from a dropdown list. Your Ethernet group must be created separately under **Ethernet Port Configuration**.

Click **Submit** to save your configured VLAN.





# 6.7.4 WiFi Settings (Advanced Mode only)

When you select the Wireless (WiFi)
Networks Settings tab in the Local
Network Interfaces section, you have
several additional options for configuring
your wireless LANs under the WiFi Settings
heading.

Random Channel: Select to randomize the WiFi channel. This makes it less likely that the wireless signal from this router will conflict with another router in the same area.

Channel: (Shows if Random Channel is deselected.) The WiFi channel corresponds to a frequency the router uses to communicate with other devices. The range is 1 to 11, and 1, 6, and 11 do not overlap each other. Select a channel from the dropdown list:

- 1 (2412 MHz)
- 2 (2417 MHz)
- 3 (2422 MHz)
- 4 (2427 MHz)
- 5 (2432 MHz)
- 6 (2437 MHz)
- 7 (2442 MHz)
- 8 (2447 MHz)
- 9 (2452 MHz)
- 10 (2457 MHz)
- 11 (2462 MHz)

ADVANCED WiFi Settings					_
Random Channel:	<b>☑</b>				
Client Timeout:	300				
TX Power:				100	%
RTS Threshold:				2347	bytes
Fragmentation Threshold:				2346	bytes
DTIM:	0			1	
Beacon:				100	ms
WPS:	<b>☑</b>				
Short Slot:	<b>☑</b>				
Wireless Mode:	802.11 b/g/n	~			
Channel Width:	20 MHz	~			
Extended Channel:	Above	~			
MCS:	Auto	~			
Short GI:	<b>✓</b>				
Greenfield Mode:					
RADIUS Timeout:	3600				
RADIUS Retry:	60				
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**Client Timeout:** (Default: 300 seconds) If the access point is not able to communicate with the client it will disconnect after this amount of time in seconds.

**TX Power:** Normally the wireless transmitter operates at 100% power. In some circumstances, however, there might be a need to isolate specific frequencies to a smaller area. By reducing the power of the radio, you can prevent transmissions from reaching beyond your corporate/home office or designated wireless area.

RTS Threshold: When an excessive number of wireless packet collisions are occurring, wireless performance can be improved by using the RTS/CTS (Request to Send/Clear to Send) handshake protocol. The wireless transmitter will begin to send RTS frames (and wait for CTS) when data frame size in bytes is greater than the RTS Threshold. This setting should remain at its default value.

**Fragmentation Threshold:** Wireless frames can be divided into smaller units (fragments) to improve performance in the presence of RF interference and at the limits of RF coverage. Fragmentation will occur when frame size in bytes is greater than the Fragmentation Threshold. This setting should remain at its default value. Setting the Fragmentation value too low may result in poor performance.

**DTIM:** A DTIM is a countdown informing clients of the next window for listening to broadcast and multicast messages. When the wireless router has buffered broadcast or multicast messages for associated clients, it sends the next DTIM with a DTIM Interval value. Wireless clients detect the beacons and awaken to receive the broadcast and multicast messages. The default value is 1. Valid settings are between 1 and 255.

**Beacon:** Beacons are packets sent by a wireless router to synchronize wireless devices. Specify a Beacon Period value between 20 and 1000 milliseconds.

**WPS:** WiFi Protected Setup is a method for easy and secure establishment of a wireless network. It can be used instead of passwords when connecting clients that support WPS.

**Short Slot:** Slot Time is the period wireless clients use in determining if the channel is free for transmission. Enabling this value allows clients that can utilize a shorter time to do so. Disabling this option forces all clients to use a longer backoff check and thus may reduce network throughput while reducing the number of transmission collisions.

**Wireless Mode:** Select the WiFi clients the router will be compatible with. Greater compatibility is a tradeoff with better performance. For greatest compatibility with all WiFi devices, select "802.11 b/g/n". For best performance, connect with only other 802.11n-compatible devices and select "802.11 n."



- 802.11 b
- 802.11 b/g
- 802.11 b/g/n
- 802.11 n

**Channel Width:** Selects whether the router uses a single 20 MHz channel to send/receive, or uses two adjacent 20 MHz channels to create a 40 MHz channel. Higher performance is possible with the 40 MHz channel. Selecting Auto is generally best. Enabling WiFi as WAN will force 20 MHz only mode.

**Extended Channel:** When operating in 40 MHz mode the access point will use an extended channel either below or above the current channel. Optimal selection will depend on the channels of other networks in the area.

**MCS:** 802.11n uses multiple Modulation Coding Schemes to enable higher throughput in various environments. Since clients can dynamically change rates depending on environment, selecting **Auto** is generally best.

**Short GI:** Short GI is an optimization for shortening the interval between transmissions. May be incompatible with older clients.

**Greenfield Mode:** Greenfield mode uses an 802.11n-only preamble to transmit packets that older wireless clients cannot interpret. Use of greenfield mode in a mixed 802.11 environment may result in degraded performance but can improve performance if all devices in the area are 802.11n compatible.

**RADIUS Timeout:** (Default: 3600 seconds) When using an Enterprise security mode clients will be forced to reauthenticate with the RADIUS server at this interval in seconds. This allows administrators to revoke access so when an attached client's authentication expires, the client must re-authenticate.

**RADIUS Retry:** (Default: 60 seconds) When using an Enterprise security mode, if a RADIUS query fails to receive a response from the server it will delay by this interval (in seconds) before attempting another query. This helps protect the network from floods of authentication requests if the RADIUS server is temporarily unreachable.



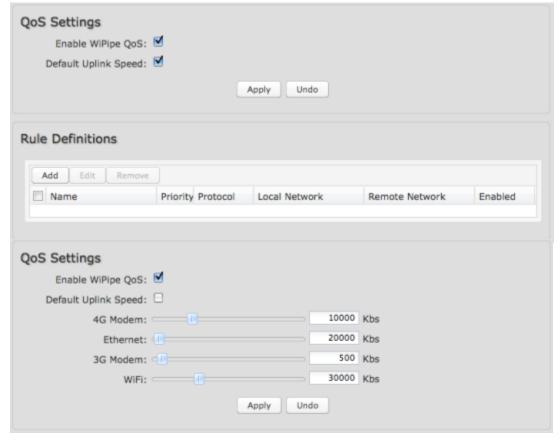
# 6.8 WiPipe QoS (Advanced Mode only)

When WiPipe QoS (Quality of Service/Traffic Shaping) is enabled, the router will control the flow of internet traffic according to the user-defined rules. In other words, Traffic Shaping improves performance by allowing the user to prioritize applications.

**Enable WiPipe QoS:** Click on this box to open options for controlling internet traffic. You can control Uplink Speed values or define your own Traffic Shaping rules. When WiPipe QoS is enabled, the router restricts the flow of outbound traffic so as not to exceed the WAN uplink bandwidth.

**Default Uplink Speed:** By default, the Uplink Speed values are set as fast as possible. Click to deselect default values if you want to restrict the maximum uplink speed for the internet source(s) you are using (4G Modem, Ethernet, 3G Modem, and/or WiFi).

You might do this to reduce overall bandwidth use for cost reasons or to prioritize available bandwidth for download. It is recommended that



you experiment with different values for your particular internet connection to yield the best results.

NOTE: Uplink speed is the speed at which data can be transferred to your ISP. You can test your uplink speed with a service such as speedtest.net.



#### 6.8.1 Add Traffic Shaping Rule

A Traffic Shaping Rule identifies a specific message flow and assigns a priority to that flow. For most applications, automatic classification will be adequate, and specific Traffic Shaping Rules will not be required.

Traffic Shaping supports overlap between rules, where more than one rule can match for a specific message flow. If more than one rule matches, the rule with the highest priority will be used.

**Name.** Create a name for the rule that is meaningful to you.

**Protocol.** The protocol used by the messages: TCP, UDP, or ICMP. Select "Any" if your rule does not control a specific type of message that uses a specific protocol.

**Priority.** The priority of the message flow is entered here--15 receives the highest priority (most urgent) and 0 receives the lowest priority (least urgent).

**Enable.** Specifies whether the entry will be active or inactive.

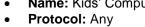
Click **Next** to continue to the next page.

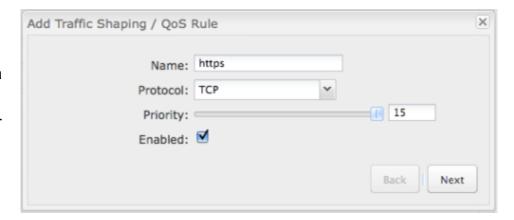
Example: You sometimes work from home, and you share bandwidth with your children. You can set a rule to prioritize your computer and a rule to reduce priority for their computer. To prioritize your computer, you might use the following settings:

- Name: My Computer
- **Protocol:** Any (Your computer will use all three protocols; there's no reason to restrict this rule to just one protocol)
- **Priority: 15**

To lower the priority of your children's computer, you might use these settings:

- Name: Kids' Computer
- Priority: 2







The second page allows you to designate the computer(s) on the local network for which you want to adjust traffic priority.

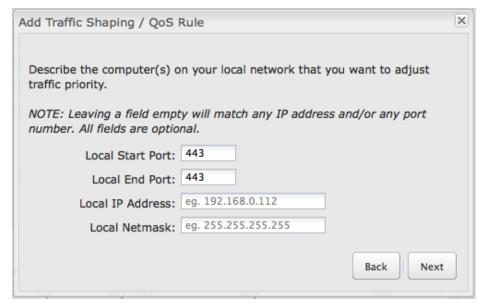
NOTE: Leaving a field empty will match any IP address and/or any port number. **All fields are optional.** 

**Local Start Port** and **Local End Port**: The rule applies to a flow of messages whose LAN-side port number is within the range set here.

**Local IP Address:** The rule applies to a flow of messages with this LAN-side IP address.

**Local Netmask:** The rule applies to a flow of messages with this LAN-side netmask.

**Example** (continued from previous page): To select your computer or your kids' computer, you only need to input the Local IP Address. You can ignore the other settings on this page.





The third and last page allows you to designate the network or server on the internet for which you want to shape traffic.

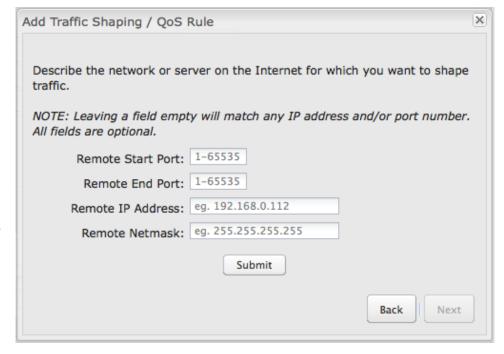
NOTE: Leaving a field empty will match any IP address and/or any port number. **All fields are optional.** 

Remote Start Port and Remote End Port: The rule applies to a flow of messages whose WAN-side port number is within the range set here.

**Remote IP Address.** The rule applies to a flow of messages with this WAN-side IP address.

**Remote Netmask.** The rule applies to a flow of messages with this WAN-side Netmask.

**Submit.** Click to record the changes you have made.



<u>Example (continued from previous page):</u> Since the goal is simply to control which devices in your network get priority, you can ignore all of the remote settings. Leave them blank to include all possibilities.

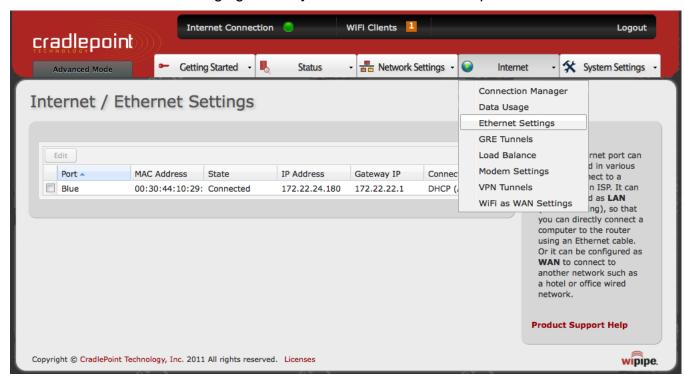


# 7 INTERNET

The Internet tab provides access to 8 submenu items for managing a variety of internet connection options.

- Connection Manager
- Data Usage
- Ethernet Settings
- GRE Tunnels
- Load Balance
- Modem Settings
- VPN Tunnels
- WiFi as WAN Settings

(Data Usage, GRE Tunnels, Load Balance, VPN Tunnels, and WiFi as WAN Settings: Advanced Mode only)





# 7.1 Connection Manager

The router can establish an uplink via the Ethernet WAN port, WiFi as WAN, or the embedded modem. If the primary WAN connection fails the router will automatically attempt to bring up a new link on another device. This feature is called failover. If Load Balance is enabled, multiple WAN devices may be plugged in and each may establish a link.

#### 7.1.1 WAN Interfaces

This is a list of the available interfaces used to access the internet. You can enable, stop, or start devices from this section. By using the priority arrows (the arrows in the red boxes; these show if you have more than



one available interface), you can set the interface the router uses by default and the order that it allows failover. To configure a specific interface, use the settings page for that type of interface (e.g. Ethernet Settings page for wired connections).

In the example shown, Ethernet is set as the primary internet source, while the embedded modem is a backup. The Ethernet is "Connected" while the modem is "Idle."

**Load Balance:** If this is enabled, the router will use multiple WAN interfaces to increase the data transfer throughput by using any connected WAN interface consecutively. Selecting Load Balance will automatically start the WAN interface and add it to the pool of WAN interfaces to use for data transfer. Turning off Load Balance for an active WAN interface may require the user to restart any current browsing session.



# 7.1.2 Failure Check (Advanced Mode Only)

If this is enabled, the router will check that the highest priority active WAN interface can get to the internet even if the WAN connection is not actively being used. If the interface goes down, the router will switch to the next highest priority interface available. If this is not selected, the router will still failover to the next highest priority interface but only after the user has attempted to get out to the internet and failed.



Idle Check Interval: The amount of time between each check. (Default: 30 seconds. Range: 10-3600 seconds.)

**ICMP Ping Check** and **Ping IP Address**: Enable and configure an IP address that the router will use to check if the WAN connection is available. For best results, select an established public IP address.

For example, you might ping Google Public DNS at 8.8.8.8 or Level 3 Communications at 4.2.2.2.



# 7.1.3 Failback Configuration (Advanced Mode Only)

This is used to configure failback, which is the ability to go back to a higher priority WAN interface if it regains connection to its network.

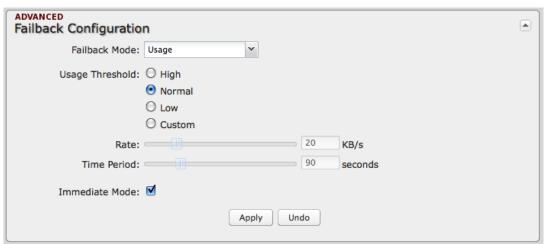
**Usage:** Fail back based on the amount of data passed over time. This is a good setting for when you have a dual-mode EVDO/WiMAX modem and you are going in and out of WiMAX coverage. If the router has failed over to EVDO it will wait until you have low data usage before bringing down the EVDO connection to check if a WiMAX connection can be made.

- **High** (Rate: 80 KB/s. Time Period: 30 seconds.)
- Normal (Rate: 20 KB/s. Time Period: 90 seconds.)
- Low (Rate: 10 KB/s. Time Period: 240 seconds.)
- Custom (Rate range: 1-100 KB/s. Time Period range: 10-300 seconds.)

**Time:** Fail back only after a set period of time. (Default: 90 seconds. Range: 10-300 seconds.) This is a good setting if you have a primary wired WAN connection and only use a modem for failover when your wired connection goes down. This ensures that the higher priority interface has remained online for a set period of time before it becomes active (in case the connection is dropping in and out, for example).

Disabled: Deactivate failback mode.

**Immediate Mode:** Fail back immediately whenever a higher priority interface is plugged in or when there is a priority change. Immediate failback returns you to the use of your preferred internet source more quickly which may have advantages such as reducing the cost of a failover data plan, but it may cause more interruptions in your network than **Usage** or **Time** modes.





# 7.2 Data Usage (Advanced Mode Only)

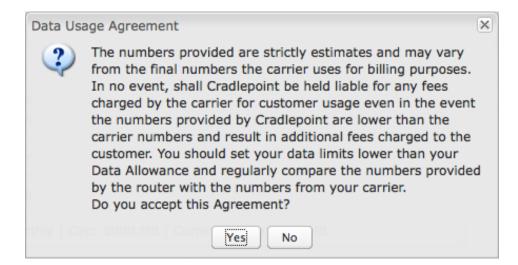
**Data Usage Management & Alerts** allows you to create and manage rules that help control the data usage of a modem. If you have a limited data plan or a price increase on your plan after a certain amount of usage, a **Data Usage Rule** can help you track these amounts. You can set a rule to shut down use of a modem and/or send a message when you reach a data usage amount you set.



**Enable Data Usage:** Enabled/Disabled. (Default: Disabled.)

When you select **Enabled**, you will see the **Data Usage Agreement** shown to the right. The purpose of this agreement is to ensure that you understand that the data numbers for the IBR600 may not perfectly match those of your carrier: CradlePoint cannot be held responsible. You must accept the agreement by clicking **Yes** in order to begin creating data usage rules.

**Warning:** You should set your data limits lower than your Data Allowance and regularly compare the numbers provided by the router with the numbers from your carrier.





# 7.2.1 Data Usage Rules

The Date Usage Rule display shows basic information for each rule you have created (including rules created with a template). The following information is displayed:

- Rule Name
- Enabled: True/False
- Date for Rule Reset
- Cycle Type: Daily, Weekly, or Monthly
- Cap: Amount in MB.
- Current Usage: Shown as an amount in MB, as a percentage of the cap, and in a bar graph.

Data Usage Rules

Rule Name

Ethernet

Edit

Embedded Modem

Remove

Rule resets on

(Wed) 10/05/2011

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Enabled: True | Cycle Type: Monthly | Cap: 2000 MB | Current Usage: 350 MB

Enabled: True | Cycle Type: Monthly | Cap: 5000 MB | Current Usage: 1650.75 MB

Add

Click Add to configure a new Data Usage Rule.

#### **Usage Rule Configuration – page 1**

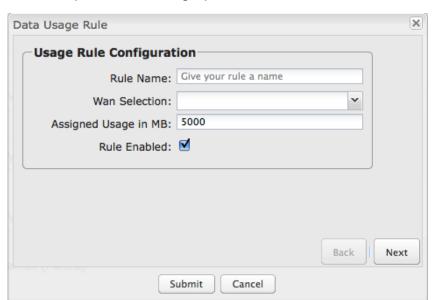
Rule Name: Give your rule a name for later recognition.

**WAN Selection:** Select from the dropdown list of currently attached WAN devices.

**Assigned Usage in MB:** Enter a cap amount in megabytes. 1024 megabytes equals 1 gigabyte.

Rule Enabled: (Default: Enabled.) Click to disable.

Click **Next** to continue to page 2.



Current Usage percent

18%

33%



# <u>Usage Rule Configuration – page 2</u>

**Cycle Type:** How often the rule will reset. The data usage amount will be reset at the end of each cycle. Select the length of a cycle from a dropdown menu with the following

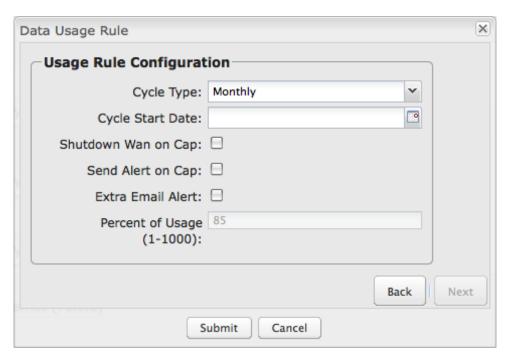
choices:

- Daily
- Weekly
- Monthly

Cycle Start Date: Select the date you wish the rule to begin. This date will be used to track when the rule will be reset.



**Shutdown WAN on Cap:** If selected, the WAN device will shut down when the assigned usage is reached. A cycle reset or a rule deletion will re-enable the device.



Send Alert on Cap: An email alert will be generated and sent when the assigned usage is reached.

WARNING: The SMTP mail server must be configured in <u>System Settings</u> → <u>Device Alerts</u>.

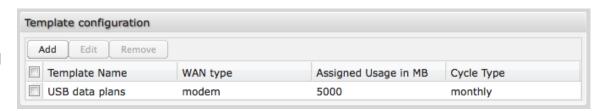
**Custom Alert:** When checked you enable a second email to be configured for a percentage of the assigned usage.

**Percent of Usage (1-1000):** If selected, a custom alert will be sent when your data usage reaches this percentage of your usage cap. For example, you could set this at 90 percent so that you know when your usage is nearing 100 percent of the cap.



# 7.2.2 Template Configuration

**Templates** allow you to control multiple WAN devices with the same rule. Each WAN device that matches a template will automatically have its own rule created.



Click **Add** to configure a new Template rule.

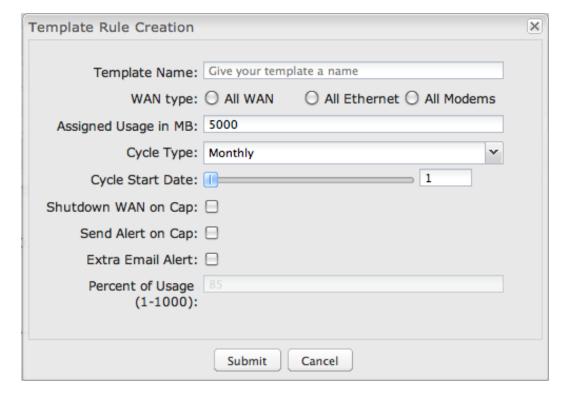
Create a **Template Name** that you can recognize.

The template will apply to one of the following **WAN types**:

- All WAN
- All Ethernet
- All Modems

Select one of these types.

The rest of the rule settings options match those in the **Data Usage Rules**. See the section above for additional information about how to configure your template usage rules.



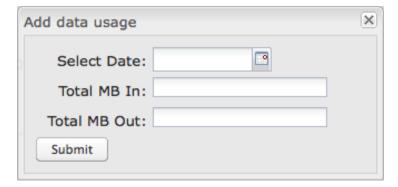


#### 7.2.3 Historical Data

Historical Data shows a graph of data usage for each attached WAN source that has an assigned Data Usage Rule. The graph shows the usage trend for one day.

Click **Add Usage** to manually input additional usage for an attached data source. You might do this if you used your modem while not attached to your router and you want to keep an accurate count of your data usage.

Enter the date of usage by using the pop-up calendar. Then enter the total data in MB—both in and out—to update the usage amounts.







# 7.3 Ethernet Manager

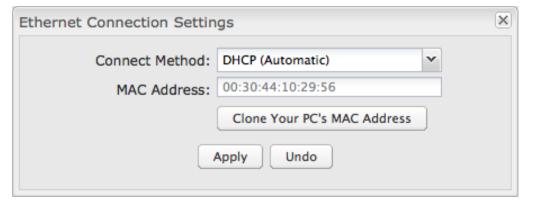
The Ethernet Manager provides controls for your router's Ethernet WAN ports. By default, only one port is set as a WAN port, but the other port can be reconfigured as



a WAN port in **Network Settings** → **WiFi / Local Networks**.

While default settings for each WAN Ethernet port will be sufficient in most circumstances, you have the ability to control:

- Connect Method: DHCP (Automatic), Static (Manual), or PPPoE (Point-to-Point Protocol over Ethernet).
- MAC Address: You have the ability to change the MAC address, but typically this is unnecessary. You can match this address with your device's address by clicking: "Clone Your PC's MAC Address".



#### 7.3.1 Connect Method

Your router's Ethernet ports are automatically configured for DHCP connection. DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) automatically assigns dynamic IP addresses to devices in your networks. This is preferable in most circumstances.

If you want to use a Static (Manual) or PPPoE connection instead, you will need to fill out additional information.



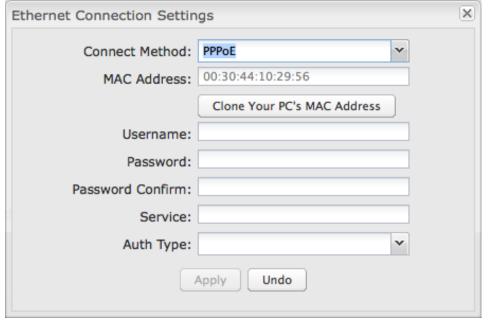
# Static (Manual):

- IP Address
- Subnet Mask
- Gateway IP
- Primary DNS Server
- Secondary DNS Server

# Connect Method: Static (Manual) MAC Address: 00:30:44:10:29:56 Clone Your PC's MAC Address IP Address: Subnet Mask: Gateway IP: Primary DNS Server: Secondary DNS Server: Apply Undo

#### PPPoE:

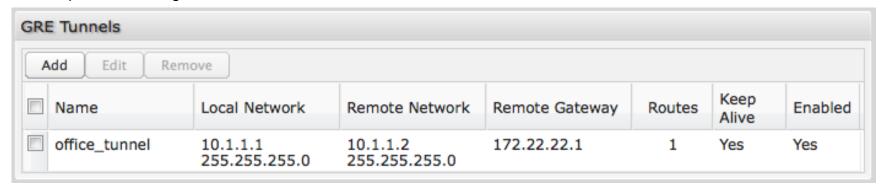
- Username
- Password
- Password Confirm
- Service
- Auth Type: None, PAP, CHAP





# 7.4 GRE Tunnels (Advanced Mode only)

Generic Routing Encapsulation (GRE) tunnels can be used to create a connection between two private networks. The IBR600 is enabled for either GRE or VPN tunnels. GRE tunnels are simpler to configure and more flexible for different kinds of packet exchanges, but VPN tunnels are much more secure.



In order to set up a tunnel you must know the following:

- Local Network and Remote Network addresses for the "Glue Network," the network that is created by the administrator that serves as the "glue" between the networks of the tunnel. Each address must be a different IP address from the same private network, and these addresses together form the endpoints of the tunnel.
- Remote Gateway, the public facing WAN IP address that the local gateway is going to connect to.
- Optionally, you might also want to enable the tunnel **Keep Alive** feature to monitor the status of a tunnel and more accurately determine if the tunnel is alive or not.

Click **Add** to configure a new GRE tunnel.



# Page 1: General

**<u>Tunnel Name</u>**: Choose a name that is meaningful to you.

**Local Network:** This is the local side of the "**Glue Network**," a network created by the administrator to form the tunnel. The user creates the IP address inputted here. It must be different from the IP addresses of the networks it is gluing together.

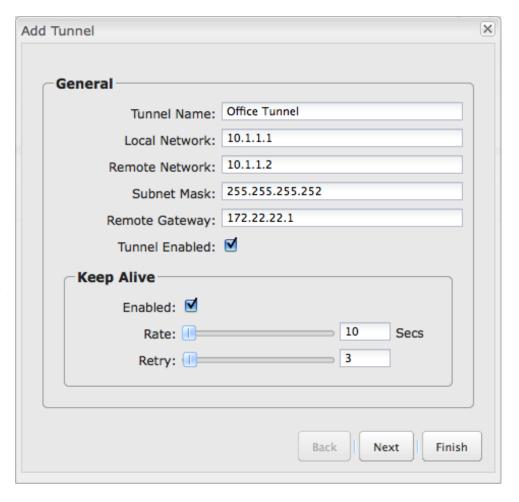
Choose any private IP address from the following three ranges that doesn't match either network:

- 10.0.0.0 10.255.255.255
- 172.16.0.0 172.31.255.255
- 192.168.0.0 192.168.255.255

**Remote Network:** This is the remote side of the "**Glue Network**." Again, the user must create an IP address that is distinct from the IP addresses of the networks that are being glued together.

The Remote Network and Local Network values will be flipped when inputted for the other side of the tunnel configuration.

<u>Subnet Mask</u>: This is the subnet mask for the Glue Network. The Local and Remote Network addresses must fit with this mask. 255.255.255.0 is a logical choice for most users.



**Remote Gateway:** This is the public facing, WAN-side IP address of the network that the local gateway is going to connect to.

<u>Tunnel Enabled</u>: Select to activate the tunnel.



<u>Keep Alive</u>: This feature monitors the status of a tunnel. This will more accurately determine if the tunnel is alive or not. Choose the **Rate** in seconds for each check (Default: 10 seconds. Range: 2 - 3600 seconds) and the number of **Retry** attempts (Default: 3. Range: 1 - 255).

### Page 2: Routes

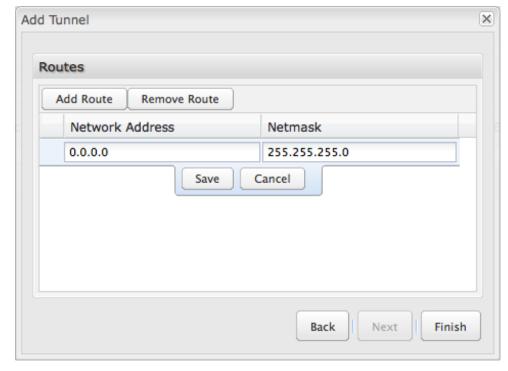
Adding routes allows you to configure what types of network traffic from the local host or hosts will be allowed through the tunnel.

Click **Add Route** to configure a new route. You will need to input the following information, defined by the remote network:

- Network Address
- Netmask: (Default: 255.255.255.0)

You can set the tunnel to connect to a range of IP addresses or to a single IP address. For example, you could input 192.168.0.0 and 255.255.255.0 to connect your tunnel to all the addresses of the remote network in the 192.168.0.x range. Alternatively, you could select a single address by inputting that address along with a Netmask of 255.255.255.255.

Click **Save** to record each new route.



When you have finished adding routes, click **Finish** to save your GRE tunnel configuration.



# 7.5 Load Balance (Advanced Mode only)

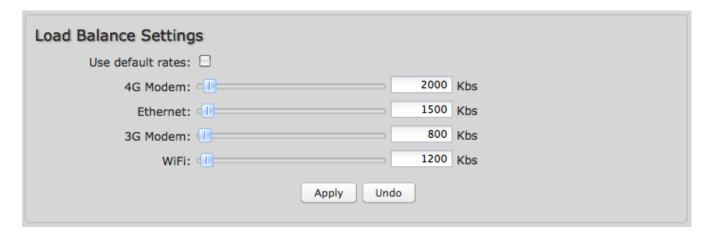
When enabled in <u>Connection Manager</u> (<u>Internet</u>  $\rightarrow$  <u>Connection Manager</u>), the router will use multiple WAN interfaces to increase the data transfer throughput by using any connected WAN interface consecutively. Connections are load balanced between interfaces based on a dynamic measurement of bandwidth available.

Leave "Use default rates" selected for automatically defined bandwidth values for Load Balance.

The default minimum rate can be changed to reflect the minimum bandwidth used during dynamic measurement. The dynamic measurement will assume that the interface has at least the specified minimum bandwidth available. You have the ability to set these minimum rates for:

- 4G Modem
- Ethernet
- 3G Modem
- WiFi

Range: 100-50000 Kbs.





# 7.6 Modem Settings

This section allows you to change the settings for your embedded modem.

# 7.6.1 Update/Activate a Modem

The embedded modem can be activated (or reactivated/upgraded). Select the checkbox next to the CradlePoint device and click "Update / Activate".



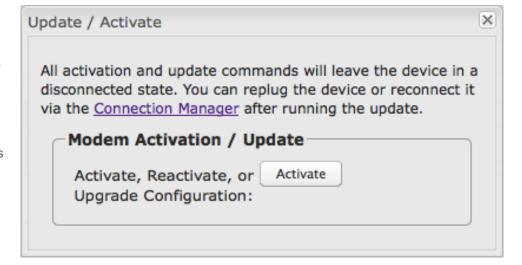
Modem Activation / Update: Activate, Reactivate, or Upgrade Configuration. Click Activate to start the process.

If the modem is connected when you start an operation the router will automatically disconnect it. The router may start another device as a failover measure. When the operation is done the modem will go back to an idle state, at which point the router may restart it depending on failover and failback settings.

NOTE: Only one operation is supported at a time. If you try to start the *same* operation on the *same* modem twice the UI will not report failure and the request will finish normally when the original request is done. However if you try to start a *different* operation or use a *different* modem, this second request will fail without interfering with the pending operation.

**Process Timeout:** If the process fails an error message will display.

Activation has a 3-minute timeout.





# 7.6.2 Modem Connection Settings (Advanced Mode Only)

This section changes settings that affect how modems attempt to connect to the service provider's network.

**Connection Mode:** Typically modem connections are not set to remain on. The router allows you to set the type of reconnection mode.

- Always On: A connection to the internet is continuously maintained.
- On Demand: A connection to the internet is made as needed.
- Manual: The administrator has to navigate to the Connection Manager (<u>Internet</u> → <u>Connection Manager</u>) page and use the control buttons shown in the WAN Interfaces table.

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Modem Connection Settings

Maximum Idle Time:

Aggressive Reset:

Connection Mode: On Demand

**Maximum Idle Time:** The interval at which the machine can be idle before the modem connection is disconnected. This setting is only valid for the "On Demand" and "Manual" connection modes.

**Aggressive Reset:** When Aggressive Reset is enabled the system will attempt to maintain a good modem connection. If the internet has been unreachable for a period of time a reset of the modem will occur in attempt to re-establish the connection.

# 7.6.3 Modem Configuration Rules (Advanced Mode Only)

This section allows you to create simple or complex rules that affect how individual modems or classes of modems behave in the router.

Click **Add** to create a new rule.



20

Undo

Apply

minutes



**Configuration Rule:** First page. Create a name for your rule and the condition for which the rule applies.

Rule Name: Create a name meaningful to you.

Select each of the following to create a condition for your rule. The condition will be of the following form:

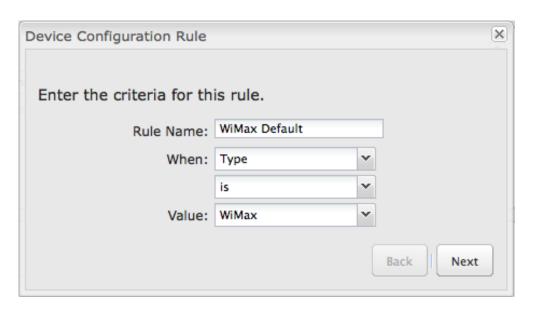
" (When) is/is not (value) "

For example:

"Type is not WiMAX"

#### When:

- Port (Internal USB Port)
- Manufacturer
- Model
- Type (WiMAX, Modem, HSPA)
- Serial Number
- MAC Address
- Unique ID



**Value:** If you chose Port or Type, select from the dropdown list. If you chose Manufacturer, Model, Serial Number, MAC Address, or Unique ID, you will need to manually input the information.



# **Configuration Rule: WiMAX Settings**

**WiMAX Realm:** Select from the following dropdown options:

- Clear clearwire-wmx.net
- Rover rover-wmx.net
- Sprint 3G/4G sprintpcs.com
- Xohm –xohm.com
- BridgeMAXX bridgeMAXX.com
- Time Warner Cable mobile.rr.com
- Comcast mob.comcast.net

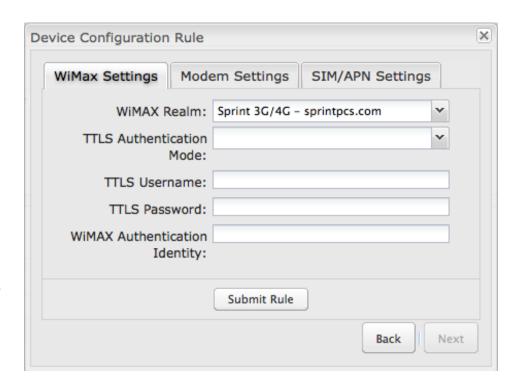
TTLS Authentication Mode: TTLS inner authentication protocol. Select from the following dropdown options:

- MSCHAPv2/MD5 (Microsoft Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol version2/Message-Digest Algorithm 5)
- PAP (Password Authentication Protocol)
- **CHAP** (Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol)

TTLS Username: Username for TTLS authentication.

**TTLS Password:** Password for TTLS authentication.

WiMAX Authentication Identity: User ID on the network. Leave this blank unless your provider tells you otherwise.





# **Configuration Rule: Modem Settings**

**AT Dial Script:** Enter the AT commands to be used in establishing a network connection. Each command must be entered on a separate line. All command responses must include "OK" except the final command response, which must include "CONNECT".

Example:

ΑT

AT+CGDCONT=2,"IP","isp.cingular"

ATCT\*99\*\*\*2#

**PPP Authentication Protocol:** Set this only if your service provider requires a specific protocol and the **Auto** option chooses the wrong one.

- Auto
- PAP (Password Authentication Protocol)
- CHAP (Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol)

PPP Password: Password for PPP authentication.

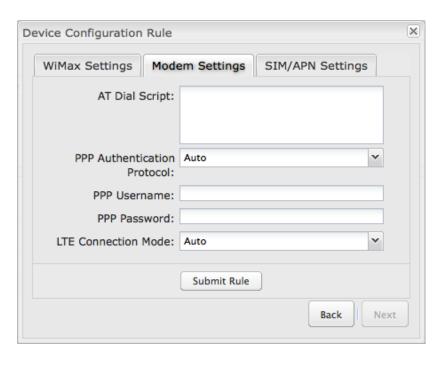
PPP Username: Username for PPP authentication.

SIM PIN: PIN number for GSM modem with a locked SIM.

**Access Point Name (APN):** Some wireless carriers provide multiple Access Point Names that a modem can connect to. If you wish to specify an APN, enter it into this field. Some examples of APN are 'isp.cingular" and "vpn.com". This APN will be set in the first profile position.

**LTE Connection Mode:** Specify how the LTE Multi Mode modem should connect to the network.

- Auto: Let the modem decide which network to use.
- Auto EVDO/1xRTT: Connect to CDMA, letting the modem decide which 3G network to use. Do not attempt to connect to LTE.
- Force LTE: Connect to LTE only (do not attempt to connect to CDMA/GSM).
- Force EVDO: Connect to CDMA EVDO network only.
- Force 1xRTT: Connect to CDMA 1xRTT network only.



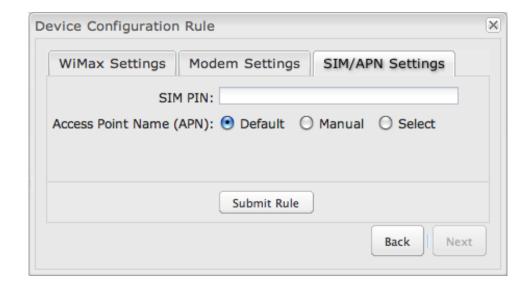


# **Configuration Rule: SIM/APN Settings**

**SIM PIN:** PIN number for a GSM modem with a locked SIM.

Access Point Name (APN): Some wireless carriers provide multiple Access Point Names that a modem can connect to.

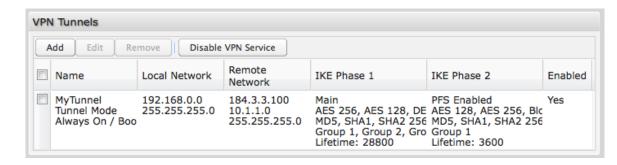
- Default: Let the router choose an APN automatically.
- Manual: Enter an APN by hand.
- Select: Select from a dropdown menu of the profiles already on the SIM.





# 7.7 VPN Tunnels (Advanced Mode only)

VPN (virtual private network) tunnels are used to establish a secure connection to a remote network over a public network. For example, VPN tunnels can be used across the internet by an individual to connect to an office network while traveling or by two office networks to function as one network. The two networks set up a secure connection across the (normally) unsecure internet by assigning VPN encryption protocols.



The IBR600 uses IPsec (Internet Protocol security) to authenticate and encrypt packets exchanged across the tunnel. To set up a VPN tunnel with the IBR600 on one end, there must be another device (usually a router) that also supports IPsec on the other end.

IKE (Internet Key Exchange) is the security protocol in IPsec. IKE has two phases, Phase 1 and Phase 2. The IBR600 has several different security protocol options for each phase, but the default selections will be sufficient for most users.

The VPN tunnel status page allows you to view the state of the VPN tunnels. If a tunnel fails to connect to the remote site, check the System Logs for more information. You may double click on a cell to directly edit that information.

Click **Add** to configure a new VPN tunnel.



# 7.7.1 Page 1: General

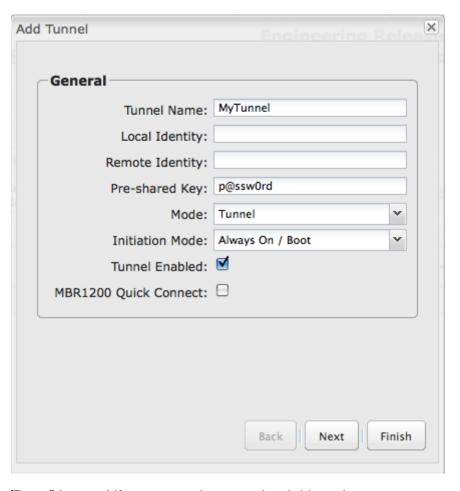
**<u>Tunnel Name</u>**: Choose a name meaningful to you.

Local Identity: This can be left blank for most users. If left blank it will default to the IP address of the WAN connection. Currently we only support identifiers in the form of an IP address, a user fully qualified domain name (user@mydomain.com) or just a fully qualified domain name (www.mydomain.com). If the remote side of the tunnel is configured to expect an identifier, then both *must match* in order for the negotiation to succeed.

Remote Identity: This can be left blank for most users. If left blank it will default to the IP address of the WAN connection. Currently we only support identifiers in the form of an IP address, a user fully qualified domain name (user@mydomain.com) or just a fully qualified domain name (www.mydomain.com). If no identifier is defined then no verification of the remote peer's identification will be done.

<u>Pre-shared Key</u>: Create a password or key. The routers on both sides of the tunnel must use this same key.

<u>Mode</u>: Tunnel or Transport. Tunnel Mode is used for protecting traffic between different networks, when traffic must pass through an intermediate, untrusted network. Transport **Mode** is used for end-to-end communications (for example, for communications between a client and a server).



<u>Initiator Mode</u>: "Always On/Boot" or "On Demand." "Always On/Boot" is used if you want the tunnel to initiate the tunnel connection whenever the WAN becomes available. On Demand is used if you want the tunnel to initiate a connection if and only if there is data traffic bound for the remote side of the tunnel.



Tunnel Enabled: Enabled or Disabled.

<u>MBR1200 Quick Connect</u>: VPN tunnels in the IBR600 have more choices than they do in the MBR1200, so it is more complex to configure. Check this box to simplify setup by streamlining your options.

### 7.7.2 Page 2: Networks

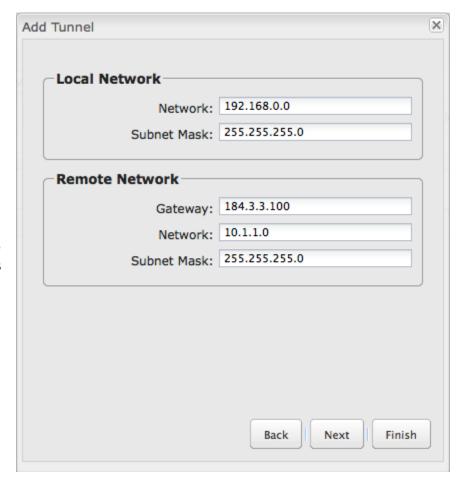
<u>Local Network</u>: The Network IP address and the Subnet Mask define what local devices have access to or can be accessed from the VPN tunnel. The IBR600 will automatically fill in the values for your network, but you can change the values to limit the tunnel to only some of the devices in your network.

NOTE: The local network IP address *must* be different from the remote network IP address.

Remote Network: Enter the remote Gateway's IP address or fully qualified domain name (my.domain.com). It is recommended you use a dynamic DNS host name instead of the static IP address. By using the dynamic DNS host name updates of the remote WAN IP are compensated for while connecting to a VPN tunnel.

Enter the **Network** IP address with the **Subnet Mask** to define the remote network subnet that the local devices will have access to.

NOTE: The remote network IP address *must* be different from the local network IP address.





# 7.7.3 Page 3: IKE Phase 1

IKE security has two phases, Phase 1 and Phase 2. You have the ability to distinctly configure each phase, but the default settings will be sufficient for most users.

To set up a tunnel with a remote site, you need to match your tunnel's IKE negotiation parameters with the remote site. By

selecting several encryption, hash, and DH group options, you improve your chances for a successful tunnel negotiation. For greatest compatibility, select all options; for greatest security, select only the most secure options that your devices support.

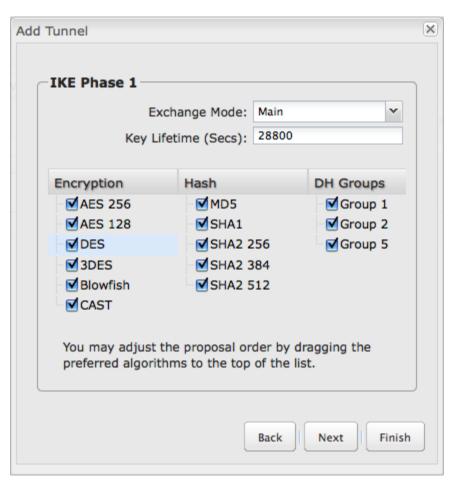
**Exchange Mode:** The IKE protocol has 2 modes of negotiating phase 1 - **Main** (also called Identity Protection) and **Aggressive**.

- In **Main** mode, IKE separates the key information from the identities, allowing for the identities of peers to be secure at the expense of extra packet exchanges.
- In **Aggressive** mode, IKE tries to combine as much information into fewer packets while maintaining security. Aggressive mode is slightly faster but less secure.

Because it has better security, **Main** mode is recommended for most users.

<u>Key Lifetime</u>: The lifetime of the generated keys of Phase 1 of the IPsec negotiation from IKE. After the time has expired, IKE will renegotiate a new set of Phase 1 keys.

<u>Encryption, Hash, and DH Groups</u>: Each IKE exchange uses one encryption algorithm, one hash function, and one DH group to make a secure exchange.





- **Encryption:** Used to encrypt messages sent and received by IPsec.
  - o AES 128
  - o AES 256
  - Blowfish
  - CAST
  - o DES
  - o 3DES
- **Hash:** Used to compare, authenticate, and validate that data across the VPN arrives in its intended form and to derive keys used by IPsec.
  - o MD5
  - o SHA1
  - o SHA2 256
  - o SHA2 384
  - o SHA2 512
- **DH Groups:** The DH (Diffie-Hellman) Group is a property of IKE and is used to determine the length of prime numbers associated with key generation. The strength of the key generated is partially determined by the strength of the DH Group. Group 5, for instance, has greater strength than Group 2.
  - o DH group 1: 768-bit key.
  - o DH group 2: 1024-bit key.
  - o DH group 5: 1536-bit key.

In Phase 1, only one DH group can be selected while using **Aggressive** exchange mode.

By default, all the algorithms (encryption, hash, and DH groups) supported by the IBR600 are checked, which means they are *allowed* for any given exchange. Deselect these options to limit which algorithms will be accepted. Be sure to check that the router (or similar device) at the other end of the tunnel has matching algorithms.

The algorithms are listed in order by priority. You can reorder this priority list by clicking and dragging algorithms up or down. Any selected algorithm may be used for IKE exchange, but the algorithms on the top of the list are more likely to be used more often.



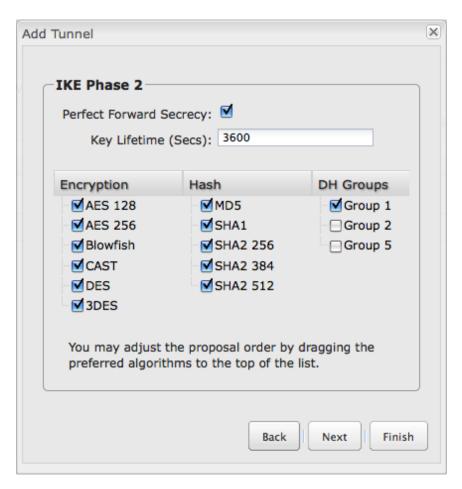
# 7.7.4 Page 4: IKE Phase 2

<u>Perfect Forward Secrecy (PFS)</u>: Enabling this feature will require IKE to generate a new set of keys in Phase 2 rather than using the same key generated in Phase 1.

Additionally, the new keys generated in Phase 2 (with this option enabled) are exchanged in an encrypted session. Enabling this feature affords the policy greater security.

<u>Key Lifetime</u>: The lifetime of the generated keys of Phase 2 of the IPsec negotiation from IKE. After the time has expired, IKE will renegotiate a new set of Phase 2 keys.

Phase 2 has the same selection of **Encryption**, **Hash**, and **DH Groups** as Phase 1, but you are restricted to only one DH Group. Phase 2 and Phase 1 selections do not have to match.





### 7.7.5 Page 5: Dead Peer Detection

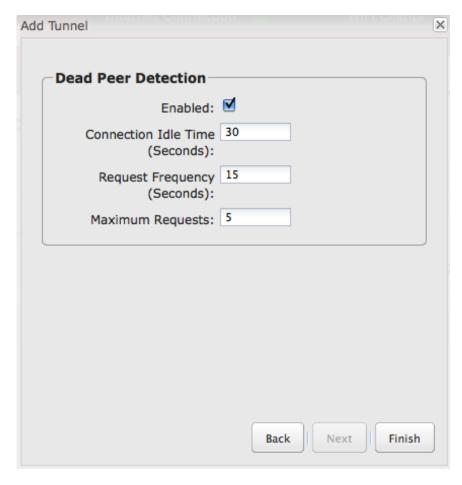
**Dead Peer Detection (DPD)** defines how the router will detect when one end of the IPsec session loses connection while a policy is in use.

**Connection Idle Time** allows you to configure how long the router will allow an IPsec session to be idle before beginning to send Dead Peer Detection (DPD) packets to the peer machine.

**Request Frequency** allows you to adjust the delay between these DPD packets to send as quickly as every 2 seconds up to 30 seconds apart.

Additionally, you can specify how many **Maximum Requests** to send at the selected time interval before the tunnel is considered dead.

You must click **Finish** to save your VPN tunnel.



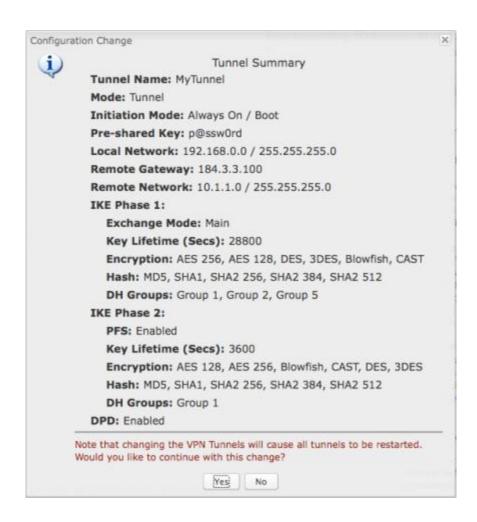


# 7.7.6 Page 6: Tunnel Summary

The final page of the tunnel configuration interface is a summary of the tunnel specifications. This is especially helpful for matching this information with the router (or similar device) at the other end of the tunnel.

- Tunnel Name
- Mode
- Initiation Mode
- Pre-shared Key
- Local Network
- Remote Gateway
- Remote Network
- IKE Phase 1:
  - o Exchange Mode
  - Key Lifetime (Secs)
  - Encryption
  - Hash
  - DH Groups
- IKE Phase 2:
  - o PFS
  - Key Lifetime (Secs)
  - Encryption
  - Hash
  - DH Groups
- DPD

Click **Yes** at the bottom of the Tunnel Summary page to save your configuration changes. This will cause active tunnels to restart.





# 7.7.7 Global VPN Settings

These settings apply to all configured VPN tunnels. Changing the Global VPN Settings is rarely necessary; the default values are almost always sufficient.



- **IKE / ISAKMP Port:** Internet Key Exchange / Internet Security Association and Key Management Protocol port. Default: 500. This is a standard VPN port that usually does not need to be changed.
- IKE / ISAKMP NAT-T Port: Internet Key Exchange / Internet Security Association and Key Management Protocol network address translation traversal port. Default: 4500. This is a standard VPN NAT-T port that usually does not need to be changed.
- NAT-T KeepAlive Interval: Default: 20 seconds. Range: 0-3600 seconds. 20 seconds will be sufficient in almost all cases.
- Tunnel Connect Retry: Default: 30 seconds. Range: 10-255 seconds. 30 seconds will be sufficient in almost all cases.



### 7.7.8 VPN with NAT-T

If one side of a planned VPN tunnel is behind a NAT (network address translation) firewall, the setup of your tunnel requires the following specifications:

- 1. Each side of the tunnel must use both a **Local Identity** and a **Remote Identity**. These must match the identities on the other side: The Local Identity must match the Remote Identity on the other side of the tunnel, and vice versa. In this case, these identities can each be a simple word.
- 2. The **Tunnel Name** for the side of the tunnel that is not behind the NAT firewall must be "anonymous".
- 3. The VPN tunnel must be initiated from the side that is behind the NAT firewall.



# 7.8 WiFi as WAN Settings (Advanced Mode only)

When WiFi as WAN is enabled and configured the router will use a remote WiFi access point for internet connectivity. In other words, external WiFi—from a hotel for example—can be used as the internet source for your own private network. When enabled in the WiFi as WAN Settings page, the IBR600 will find possible WiFi sources that you can select and add. Unless the WiFi source is on an unprotected network, you will need to know the password or key.

All CradlePoint routers and some other routers use the same default IP address for the primary network, 192.168.0.1. If you attempt to set up WiFi as WAN and there is an "IP conflict," you need to change the IP address. The router is attempting to use the same IP address for both WAN and LAN, which is impossible. Go to <a href="Network Settings">Network Settings</a> → WiFi / Local Networks. Select the network and click Edit. You can change the IP address under IP Settings. For example, you might change 192.168.0.1 to 192.168.1.1.

### **Saved Profiles:**

This is a list of WiFi networks that have already been configured as WAN sources. The router will attempt to connect to any of these access points using the password you have configured. If more than one access point is in range, then the router will connect with the highest priority network.



# 7.8.1 Site Survey

This is a list of WiFi networks that the router can currently find, along with information about the network such as its mode and channel. If you click on a network in the **Site Survey**, you can import it as a saved profile. You can sort the list based on any of the fields by clicking on the field name.

Click "Refresh" if a WiFi network to which you want to connect is invisible. **Site Survey** only operates on the band—2.4 GHz or 5.0 GHz—that is currently configured in the WiFi advanced settings. In order to connect to networks in a different band, first switch the WiFi settings to that band (**Network Settings** — **WiFi / Local Networks** in **Advanced Mode**).



**Network Name (SSID):** The name that is broadcast from each access point.

**Network ID (BSSID):** The numeric ID of the network. This parameter is required when trying to connect to a hidden network using WiFi as WAN. It is optional when connecting to a visible network.

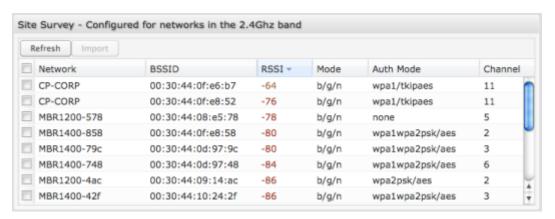
**Auth Mode:** The type of encryption that is used by the network.

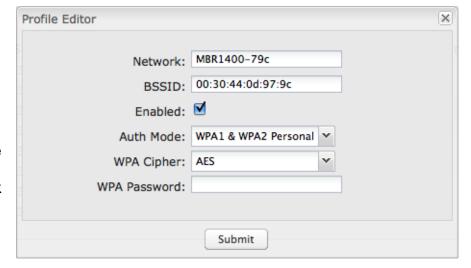
- None
- WEP Auto
- WEP Open
- WEP Shared
- WPA1 Personal
- WPA2 Personal
- WPA1 & WPA2 Personal

### 7.8.2 Profile Editor

You have the option to manually add network profiles, but it is usually much easier to import them from **Site Survey**. Either click on **Add** under "**Saved Profiles**" or select a WiFi network in "**Site Survey**" and click **Import**.

If you import a network from **Site Survey**, most of the information about the network will already be completed. You need to input the password (if there is one) and then click submit to save the WiFi as WAN profile.







# 7.8.3 Wireless Scan Settings



**Scan Interval:** How often WiFi as WAN scans the environment for updates. (Default: 60 seconds. Range: 5-3600 seconds.)

**Scan While Connected:** Continue to scan for WiFi as WAN profile updates when connected. Each time a scan occurs the wireless communication of the router will be temporarily interrupted. Normally this should be disabled.

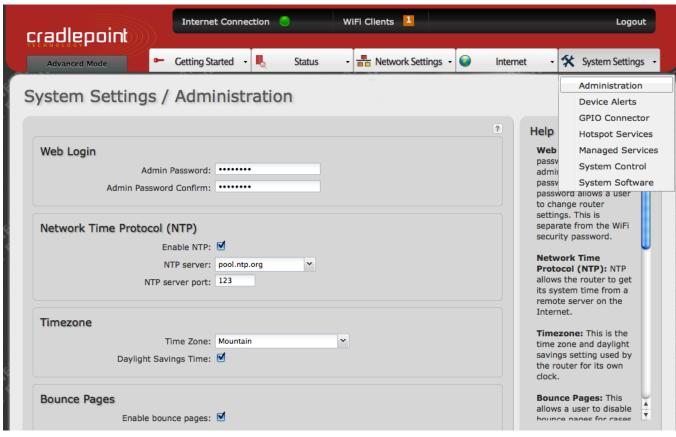


# 8 SYSTEM SETTINGS

The System Settings tab has 7 submenu options that provide access to tools for broad administrative control of the IBR600:

- Administration
- Device Alerts
- GPIO Connector
- Hotspot Services
- Managed Services
- System Control
- System Software

(Device Alerts, Hotspot Services, and Managed Services: Advanced Mode only)





## 8.1 Administration

Select the Administration submenu item in order to control any of the following functions:

- Web Login
- Network Time Protocol
- Timezone
- Bounce Pages
- UPnP
- Remote Management
- GPS
- Syslog Settings

# 8.1.1 Web Login

This password is the administration password; this is separate from the WiFi security password. It allows a user to change router settings. This password can also be changed through the First Time Setup Wizard. The default password is found on the bottom of the router.

Web Login	
Admin Password:	•••••
Admin Password Confirm:	•••••

# 8.1.2 Network Time Protocol

Enabling NTP will tell the router to get its system time from a remote server on the internet. If you do not enable NTP then the router time will be based on when the router firmware was built, which is guaranteed to be wrong. Whenever the internet connection is re-established and



once a week thereafter the router will ask the server for the current time so it can correct itself.

You then have the option of selecting an NTP server and adjusting the NTP server port. Any of the given NTP servers will be sufficient unless, for example, you need to synchronize your router's time with other devices in a network.



### 8.1.3 Timezone

This is the time zone and daylight savings setting used by the router for its own clock. You can also select this in the First Time Setup Wizard, but normally the router will automatically select the correct time zone from the browser.



Daylight Savings Time: Select this checkbox if your location observes daylight savings time.

# 8.1.4 Bounce Pages

Bounce pages show up in your web browser when the router is not connected to the internet. They inform you that you are not connected and try to explain why. If you disable bounce pages then you



will just get the usual browser timeout. In the normal case when the router is connected to the internet you don't see them at all.

This allows a user to disable bounce pages for cases where the router WAN link is down.

### 8.1.5 UPnP

Universal Plug and Play is a set of networking protocols standardized by the UPnP Forum. UPnP enables clients to determine network configuration



and configure the network to allow traffic through the firewall without direct user interaction. UPnP can simplify the use of special applications or devices that require network configuration, but can also allow unprivileged users to manipulate network configuration.



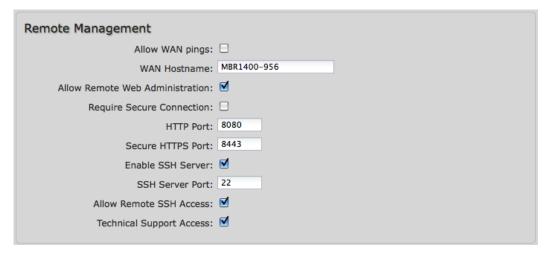
# 8.1.6 Remote Management

Allows a user to enable incoming WAN pings or to change settings for the router from the internet using the router's internet address.

**Allow WAN pings:** When enabled the functionality allows an external WAN client to ping the router.

**WAN Hostname:** This hostname is the DNS name associated with the router's internet connection interface. If DHCP is used on the interface this hostname will be used when requesting a DHCP lease.

Allow Remote Web Administration: When remote administration is enabled it allows access to these



administration web pages from the internet. With it disabled, you must be a client on the local network to access the administration website. For security, remote access is usually done via a non-standard http port. Additionally, encrypted connections can be required for an added level of security. Requiring a secure (https) connection is recommended.

- Require Secure Connection
- HTTP Port: Default: 8080. This option is disabled if you select "Require Secure Connection".
- Secure HTTPS Port: Default: 8443.

**Enable SSH Server:** When the router's SSH server is enabled you may access the router's command line interface (CLI) using the standards based SSH protocol. Use the username "admin" and the standard system password to login.

- SSH Server Port: Default: 22.
- Allow Remote SSH Access

**Technical Support Access:** Only enable this option if instructed by a CradlePoint support agent.



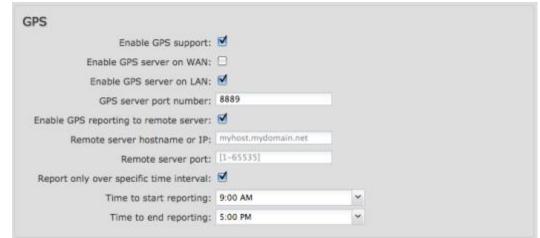
### 8.1.7 GPS

If you have an attached device with GPS support, you can enable a graphical view of your router's location which will appear in  $\underline{\text{Status}} \rightarrow \underline{\text{GPS Status}}$ .

Users can configure GPS NMEA GGA format sentence reporting, available through a router-based server and/or a remote server.

NOTE: Some carriers disable GPS support in otherwise supported modems. If you encounter issues with obtaining a fix, contact your carrier and ensure that GPS is supported.

- Enable GPS support: Enables support for querying GPS information from supported modems.
- Enable GPS server on WAN: Enables a TCP server on the WAN side of the firewall, which will periodically send GPS NMEA sentences to connected clients.



- Enable GPS server on LAN: Enables a TCP server on the LAN side of the firewall, which will periodically send GPS NMEA sentences to connected clients.
  - GPS server port number
- Enable GPS reporting to remote server: Enables periodic reporting of GPS NMEA sentences to a remote server. The router will buffer NMEA data if errors are encountered or if the internet connection goes down and send the buffered sentences when the connection is restored.
  - o Remote server hostname or IP
  - Remote server port
  - Report only over specific time interval: Restricts the NMEA sentence reporting to a remote server to a specific time interval.

The following GPS spec is copied from <a href="http://aprs.gids.nl/nmea/">http://aprs.gids.nl/nmea/</a>



# 8.1.8 \$GPGGA – Global Positioning System Fix Data

Name	Example Data	Description
Sentence Identifier	\$GPGGA	Global Positioning System Fix Data
Time	170834	17:08:34 Z
Latitude	4124.8963, N	41d 24.8963' N or 41d 24' 54" N
Longitude	08151.6838, W	81d 51.6838' W or 81d 51' 41" W
Fix Quality: - 0 = Invalid - 1 = GPS fix - 2 = DGPS fix	1	Data is from a GPS fix
Number of Satellites	05	5 Satellites are in view
Horizontal Dilution of Precision (HDOP)	1.5	Relative accuracy of horizontal position
Altitude	280.2, M	280.2 meters above mean sea level
Height of geoid above WGS84 ellipsoid	-34.0, M	-34.0 meters
Time since last DGPS update	blank	No last update
DGPS reference station id	blank	No station id
Checksum	*75	Used by program to check for transmission errors

Courtesy of Brian McClure, N8PQI.

Global Positioning System Fix Data. Time, position, and fix related data for a GPS receiver.



# eg2. \$--GGA,hhmmss.ss,llll.ll,a,yyyyy,yy,a,x,xx,x.x,x,x,x,M,x.x,M,x.x,xxxx

hhmmss.ss = UTC of position

IIII.II = latitude of position

a = N or S

yyyyy.yy = Longitude of position

a = E or W

x = GPS Quality indicator (0=no fix, 1=GPS fix, 2=Dif. GPS fix)

xx = number of satellites in use

x.x = horizontal dilution of precision

x.x = Antenna altitude above mean-sea-level

M = units of antenna altitude, meters

x.x = Geoidal separation

M = units of geoidal separation, meters

x.x = Age of Differential GPS data (seconds)

xxxx = Differential reference station ID

# eg3. \$GPGGA,hhmmss.ss,llll.ll,a,yyyyy.yy,a,x,xx,x.x,x.x,M,x.x,M,x.x,xxxx\*hh

- 1 = UTC of Position
- 2 = Latitude
- 3 = N or S
- 4 = Longitude
- 5 = E or W
- 6 = GPS quality indicator (0=invalid; 1=GPS fix; 2=Diff. GPS fix)
- 7 = Number of satellites in use [not those in view]
- 8 = Horizontal dilution of position
- 9 = Antenna altitude above/below mean sea level (geoid)
- 10 = Meters (Antenna height unit)
- 11 = Geoidal separation (Diff. between WGS-84 earth ellipsoid and mean sea level. -=geoid is below WGS-84 ellipsoid)
- 12 = Meters (Units of geoidal separation)



- 13 = Age in seconds since last update from diff. reference station
- 14 = Diff. reference station ID#
- 15 = Checksum

# 8.1.9 Syslog Settings

Enabling this option will send log messages to a specified Syslog server. After enabling, type the Hostname or IP address of the Syslog server.

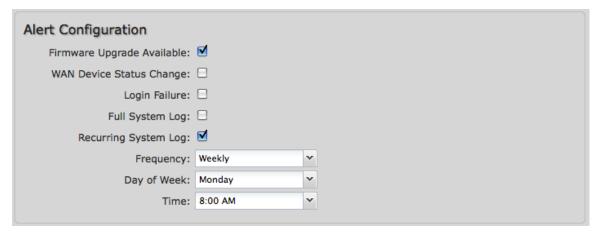




# 8.2 Device Alerts (Advanced Mode only)

The Device Alerts submenu choice allows you to receive email notifications of specific system events. YOU MUST ENABLE AN SMTP EMAIL SERVER TO RECEIVE ALERTS. Alerts can be included for the following:

- Firmware Upgrade Available: A firmware update is available for this device.
- WAN Device Status Change: An attached WAN device has changed status. The possible statuses are plugged, unplugged, connected, and disconnected.



- Login Failure: A failed login attempt has been detected.
- Full System Log: The system log has filled. This alert contains the contents of the system log.
- Recurring System Log: The system log is sent periodically. This alert contains all of the system events since the
  last recurring alert. It can be scheduled for daily, weekly and monthly reports. You also choose the time you want
  the alert sent.

### 8.2.1 SMTP Mail Server

Since the IBR600 does not have its own email server, to receive alerts you must enable an SMTP server. This is possible through most email services (Gmail, Yahoo, etc.).

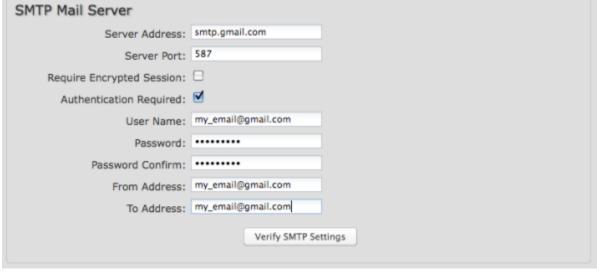
Each SMTP server will have different specifications for setup, so you have to look those up separately. The following is an example using Gmail:



- Server Address: smtp.gmail.com
- **Server Port:** 587 (for TLS, or Transport Layer Security port; the IBR600 does not support SSL).
- Authentication Required: For Gmail, mark this checkbox.
- User Name: Your full email address
- Password: Your Gmail password
- From Address: Your email address
- To Address: Your email address

Once you have filled in the information for the SMTP server, click on the "Verify

SMTP Settings" button. You should receive a test email at your account.



# Advanced: **Delivery Options**

**Email Subject Prefix:** This optional string is prefixed to the alert subject. It can be customized to help you identify alerts from specific routers.



**Retry Attempts:** The number of attempts made to send an alert to the mail server. After the attempts are exhausted, the alert is discarded.

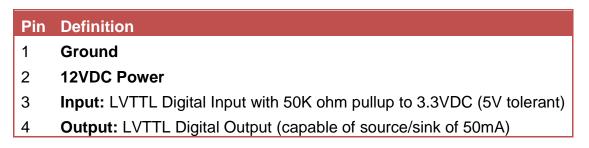
Retry Delay: The delay between retry attempts.

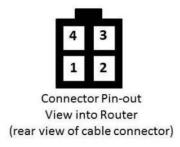


# 8.3 GPIO Connector

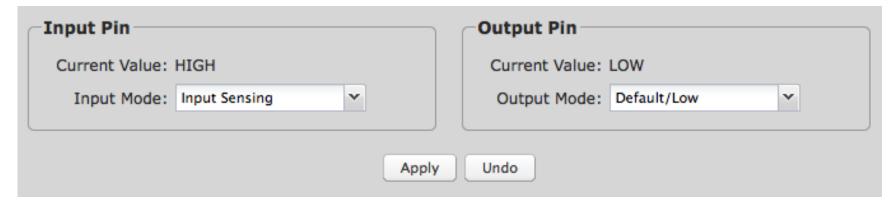
The power connector includes two pins defined for general purpose LVTTL compatible input and output. These pins are ESD protected and the input is 5V tolerant.

NOTE: GPIO functionality requires a separate adapter to connect to the I/O pins.





This section is used to configure these Input and Output General Purpose I/O pins.



Current Value: Displays HIGH or LOW for both the Input Pin and Output Pin.



<u>Input Pin</u> – The Input Pin can be used to read a value—either high or low—from an external device and either display that value on this administration page (as the Current Value) or cause the router to reset. Select one of the following options from the dropdown menu:

- Default/Ignored: In this mode the input pin is not used.
- **Input Sensing:** In this mode the logic state (high or low) is automatically sensed by the router and is readable as the Current Value.
- Router Reset: In this mode an external device can reset the router by holding the input low for 10-seconds.

<u>Output Pin</u> – The Output Pin can be used to allow an external device to read either whether the router is running or whether the modem is connected. Select one of the following options from the dropdown menu:

- Default/Low: In this mode the output pin is not used and is at 0V (ground potential).
- Set High/Router Running: In these modes the output pin is logic low while the router is booting and transitions to logic high when the router is fully running. If the router is reset, the output returns to low until the router has fully rebooted.
- Modem Connected: In this mode the output pin is logic low until the modem has connected to a tower. If the
  connection drops, this output is set low until the connection is restored.



# 8.4 Hotspot Services (Advanced Mode only)

Any of your networks can be enabled as a hotspot. To enable a hotspot, you need to select a network and set it as a hotspot in <u>Network Settings</u>  $\rightarrow$  <u>WiFi / Local Networks</u>.

NOTE: Although any network can be a hotspot, the IBR600 allows only one hotspot.

**Enable Hotspot Services:** Disabled by default. Click **Enabled** to activate Hotspot options.

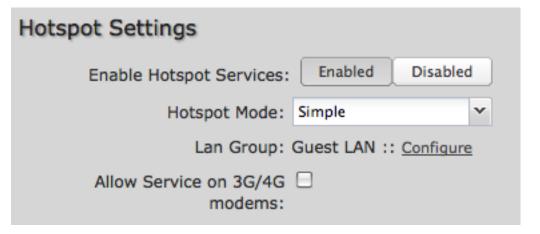
**Hotspot Mode:** Choose from the following dropdown options:

- **Simple:** Allows "Terms of Use" page and timeout settings controlled within the router.
- RADIUS/UAM: Allows you to set up external authentication servers.

**LAN Group:** A single LAN Group—including both WiFi and Ethernet—can be configured as your hotspot. If you do not already have a LAN Group configured as a hotspot, go to the <u>WiFi / Local Networks</u> page (you can click <u>Configure</u> to link to this page) and set the **Routing Mode** to "Hotspot" for the LAN Group you want to use.

NOTE: Routing Mode is in the Local Network Editor under the IP Settings tab. Select a network in **Network Settings WiFi / Local Networks** and click **Edit** to open the Local Network Editor. The IP Settings tab will already be open: the Routing Mode dropdown menu is at the bottom.

Allow Service on 3G/4G Modems: Allows you to enable or disable hotspot access to the internet over a modem. This is often used if the router has a main wired link and a secondary modem for failover (typically with a more expensive/limited data plan). Select this option if you want the router to allow data traffic over the modem if the wired connection goes down.





# 8.4.1 Simple Mode Settings

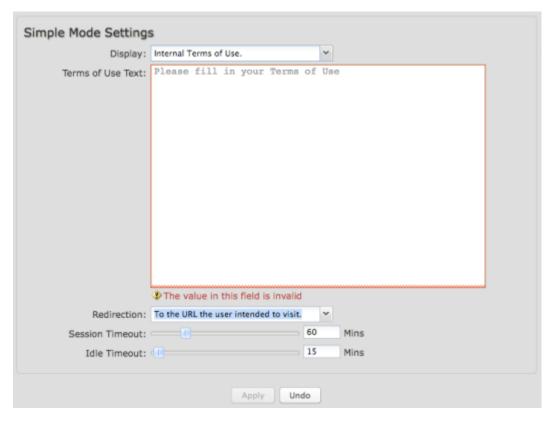
**Display:** This section allows you to choose if a "Terms of Use" page will be given to the user connecting to the hotspot.

- **Internal Terms of Use.** Fill in your own terms of use.
- External Terms of Use. Specify a URL that has the Terms of Use page. Users will automatically be directed to this page.
- No Terms of Use. Redirect Only.

Redirection: Depending on your choice for the "Terms of Use" page, your have further options for where the user will be directed. After the user accepts the terms, you can either let him/her continue to the URL they were trying to reach or you can force the user to go to a specified URL once before continuing on.

- To the URL the user intended to visit.
- To an administrator-defined URL.

**Redirect URL:** If you have chosen to send users to an administrator-defined URL, you will need to specify the address.



**Session Timeout:** The amount of time the user may use the router before being forced to authenticate again.

**Idle Timeout:** If the user is idle for this amount of time, make them re-authenticate.



# 8.4.2 RADIUS/UAM Settings

This section allows you to configure a RADIUS or Universal Access Method server. After the user accepts the terms, you can either let him/her continue to the URL they were trying to reach or you can force the user to go to a specified UAM Server or URL once before continuing on.

# **RADIUS settings:**

- Server Address
- Authentication Port (Default: 1812)
- Accounting Port (Default: 1813)
- Shared Secret
- **Redirection:** Choose from the dropdown list of options for redirection:
  - Redirect to the UAM Server
  - Redirect to the URL that the user intends to visit.
  - Redirect to the following URL (input the desired URL)
- Session Timeout: The amount of time the user may use the router before being forced to authenticate again. This value can be overwritten by the RADIUS server.
- **Idle Timeout:** If the user is idle for this amount of time, make them reauthenticate.

# **UAM Settings:**

- Login URL
- Shared Secret
- NAS/Gateway ID

ADIUS Settings	The second second second	2 1			
Server Address:	radius.someserver.co	m			
Authentication Port:	1812				
Accounting Port:	1813				
Shared Secret:	L				
	This field is requ	ired			
Confirm Secret:					
Redirection:	Redirect to the UAM Server				
	O Redirect to the	JRL that the use	er inte	ends to visit.	
	O Redirect to the f	ollowing URL			
Session Timeout:	B		50	Mins	
Idle Timeout:			15	Mins	
JAM Settings					
JAM Settings					1
JAM Settings Login URL:	This field is requ	ired			<b>3</b>
	STREET, STREET	ired			
Login URL:	STREET, STREET				
Login URL:	This field is requ				



### 8.4.3 Host/Domain Name

Adding Host / Domain names gives you the ability to **allow** access from your network to any external domain or website prior to being authenticated.

For example, a hotel might allow access to its own website prior to authentication.

Click **Add** to enter new hostnames you wish to allow.

Enter the Host or Domain Name of the website you wish to allow, i.e. www.google.com. To make sure the full domain is allowed, enter the most inclusive domain, i.e. google.com will effectively allow www.google.com as well as mail.google.com and images.google.com.

Click **Submit** to save your additions.







# 8.5 Managed Services (Advanced Mode only) ASK YOUR CRADLEPOINT SALES REPRESENTATIVE FOR DETAILS

Managed Services allow you to centralize your router configuration using the WiPipe Central server. WiPipe Central services must be purchased separately.

**Enable Services:** Enables the WiPipe Central client to contact the server.

**Ethernet Communication Only:** The WiPipe Central client will not start unless the WAN is Ethernet.

**Registration URL:** Register your router using the code provided by CradlePoint when you purchase WiPipe Central.

Enable Services:	<b>☑</b>	
Ethernet Communication Only:		
Registration URL:		
	Apply Undo	



# 8.6 System Control

**Restore to Factory Defaults:** This changes all settings back to their default values.

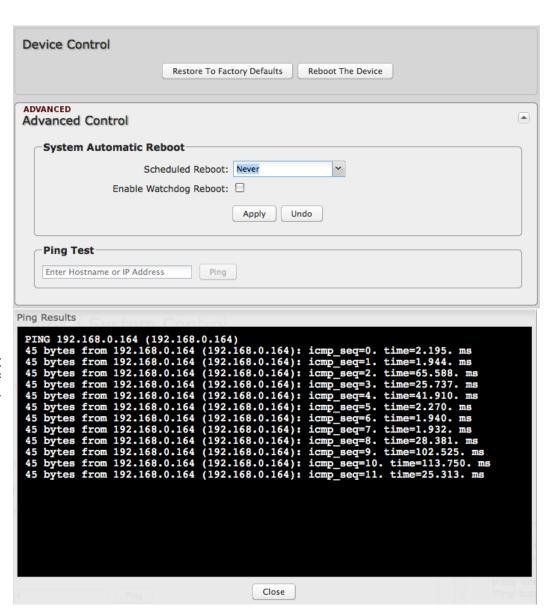
**Reboot The Device:** This causes the router to restart.

**Advanced:** System Automatic Reboot and Ping Test

**Scheduled Reboot:** This causes the router to restart at a user-determined time.

**Watchdog Reboot:** This causes the router to automatically restart when it determines an unrecoverable error condition has occurred.

**Ping Test:** A simple test to check internet connectivity. Type the Hostname or IP address of the computer you want to ping and press 'Enter' or click the 'Ping' button.





# 8.7 System Software

Firmware Upgrade: This allows the administrator to load new firmware onto the router to add new features or fix defects. If you are happy with the operation of the router, you may not want to upgrade just because a new version is available. Check the firmware release notes for information to decide if you should upgrade or not.

**Automatic (Internet):** Have the router download the file and perform the upgrade with no user interaction.

Firmware Upgrade  Current Firmware Version: v3.2.2 ( <i>Tue May 03 2011</i> )  Available Firmware Version: Up to date Check Again  Factory Reset:   Automatic (Internet) Manual Firmware Upload	
System Config Save/Restore  Backup Current Settings: Save to disk  Restore Settings: Upload from file	

Manual Firmware Upload: Upload the router firmware from an attached computer.

**Factory Reset:** Set default settings to match the new firmware. This is safest, as settings may have changed. You should back up your current settings and restore them after the new firmware is loaded.

**Backup Current Settings:** Save your current settings to a file on a computer.

**Restore Settings:** Restore your previous settings from a file on a computer.



# 9 GLOSSARY

### 802.11

A family of specifications for wireless local area networks (WLANs) developed by a working group of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE).

### **Access Control List**

ACL. This is a database of network devices that are allowed to access resources on the network.

### **Access Point**

AP. Device that allows wireless clients to connect to it and access the network.

### **ActiveX**

A Microsoft specification for the interaction of software components.

# Ad-hoc network

Peer-to-Peer network between wireless clients.

# **Address Resolution Protocol**

ARP. Used to map MAC addresses to IP addresses so that conversions can be made in both directions.

# **ADSL**

Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line.

# **Advanced Encryption Standard**

AES. Government encryption standard.

# **Alphanumeric**

Characters A-Z and 0-9.

### **Antenna**

Used to transmit and receive RF signals.

# **AppleTalk**

A set of Local Area Network protocols developed by Apple for their computer systems.

# **AppleTalk Address Resolution Protocol**

AARP. Used to map the MAC addresses of Apple computers to their AppleTalk network addresses, so that conversions can be made in both directions.

# **Application layer**

7th Layer of the OSI model. Provides services to applications to ensure that they can communicate properly with other applications on a network.

### **ASCII**

American Standard Code for Information Interchange. This system of characters is most commonly used for text files.

# **Attenuation**

The loss in strength of digital and analog signals. The loss is greater when the signal is being transmitted over long distances.



### Authentication

To provide credentials, like a Password, in order to verify that the person or device is really who they are claiming to be.

# **Automatic Private IP Addressing**

APIPA. An IP address that a Windows computer will assign itself when it is configured to obtain an IP address automatically but no DHCP server is available on the network.

# **Backward Compatible**

The ability for new devices to communicate and interact with older legacy devices to guarantee interoperability.

### **Bandwidth**

The maximum amount of bytes or bits per second that can be transmitted to and from a network device.

# **Basic Input/Output System**

BIOS. A program that the processor of a computer uses to startup the system once it is turned on.

### Baud

Data transmission speed.

# **Beacon**

A data frame by which one of the stations in a WiFi network periodically broadcasts network control data to other wireless stations.

### Bit rate

The amount of bits that pass in given amount of time.

### Bit/sec

Bits per second.

### **BOOTP**

Bootstrap Protocol. Allows for computers to be booted up and given an IP address with no user intervention.

### **Bottleneck**

A time during processes when something causes the process to slowdown or stop all together.

### **Broadband**

A wide band of frequencies available for transmitting data.

### **Broadcast**

Transmitting data in all directions at once.

### **Browser**

A program that allows you to access resources on the web and provides them to you graphically.

# Cable modem

A device that allows you to connect a computer up to a coaxial cable and receive internet access from your Cable provider.



### CardBus

A newer version of the PC Card or PCMCIA interface. It supports a 32- bit data path, DMA, and consumes less voltage.

### CAT 5

Category 5. Used for 10/100 Mbps or 1Gbps Ethernet connections.

### Client

A program or user that requests data from a server.

### Collision

When do two devices on the same Ethernet network try and transmit data at the exact same time.

### Cookie

Information that is stored on the hard drive of your computer that holds your preferences to the site that gave your computer the cookie.

## **Data**

Information that has been translated into binary so that it can be processed or moved to another device.

# **Data Encryption Standard**

Uses a randomly selected 56-bit key that must be known by both the sender and the receiver when information is exchanged.

### **Data-Link layer**

The second layer of the OSI model. Controls the movement of data on the physical link of a network.

### **Database**

Organizes information so that it can be managed updated, as well as easily accessed by users or applications.

### **DB-25**

A 25-pin male connector for attaching External modems or RS-232 serial devices.

### **DB-9**

A 9-pin connector for RS-232 connections

### dBd

Decibels related to dipole antenna.

### dBi

Decibels relative to isotropic radiator.

# dBm

Decibels relative to one milliwatt.

# **Decrypt**

To unscramble an encrypted message back into plain text.

### **Default**

A predetermined value or setting that is used by a program when no user input has been entered for this value or setting.



### **Demilitarized zone**

DMZ: A single computer or group of computers that can be accessed by both users on the internet as well as users on the Local Network, but that is not protected by the same security as the Local Network.

### **DHCP**

Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol: Used to automatically assign IP addresses from a predefined pool of addresses to computers or devices that request them.

# **Digital certificate**

An electronic method of providing credentials to a server in order to have access to it or a network.

# **Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum**

DSSS: Modulation technique used by 802.11b wireless devices.

### **DMZ**

"Demilitarized Zone". A computer that logically sits in a "no-mans-land" between the LAN and the WAN. The DMZ computer trades some of the protection of the router's security mechanisms for the convenience of being directly addressable from the internet.

# **DNS**

Domain Name System: Translates Domain Names to IP addresses.

# **Domain name**

A name that is associated with an IP address.

### Download

To send a request from one computer to another and have the file transmitted back to the requesting computer.

### **DSL**

Digital Subscriber Line. High bandwidth internet connection over telephone lines.

# **Duplex**

Sending and Receiving data transmissions at the same time.

# **Dynamic DNS service**

Dynamic DNS is provided by companies to allow users with Dynamic IP addresses to obtain a Domain Name that will always be linked to their changing IP address. The IP address is updated by either client software running on a computer or by a router that supports Dynamic DNS, whenever the IP address changes.

# **Dynamic IP address**

IP address that is assigned by a DHCP server and that may change. Cable internet providers usually use this method to assign IP addresses to their customers.

## **EAP**

Extensible Authentication Protocol.

# **Email**

Electronic Mail is a computer-stored message that is transmitted over the internet.



# **Encryption**

Converting data into cyphertext so that it cannot be easily read.

### **Ethernet**

The most widely used technology for Local Area Networks.

# Fiber optic

A way of sending data through light impulses over glass or plastic wire or fiber.

### File server

A computer on a network that stores data so that the other computers on the network can all access it.

# File sharing

Allowing data from computers on a network to be accessed by other computers on the network with different levels of access rights.

## **Firewall**

A device that protects resources of the Local Area Network from unauthorized users outside of the local network.

### **Firmware**

Programming that is inserted into a hardware device that tells it how to function.

# **Fragmentation**

Breaking up data into smaller pieces to make it easier to store.

### **FTP**

File Transfer Protocol. Easiest way to transfer files between computers on the internet.

# **Full-duplex**

Sending and Receiving data at the same time.

# Gain

The amount an amplifier boosts the wireless signal.

# **Gateway**

A device that connects your network to another, like the internet.

# **Gbps**

Gigabits per second.

# Gigabit Ethernet

Transmission technology that provides a data rate of 1 billion bits per second.

### GUI

Graphical user interface.

### H.323

A standard that provides consistency of voice and video transmissions and compatibility for video conferencing devices.



# Half-duplex

Data cannot be transmitted and received at the same time.

# Hashing

Transforming a string of characters into a shorter string with a predefined length.

### Hexadecimal

Characters 0-9 and A-F.

# Hop

The action of data packets being transmitted from one router to another.

### Host

Computer on a network.

# **HTTP**

Hypertext Transfer Protocol is used to transfer files from HTTP servers (web servers) to HTTP clients (web browsers).

# **HTTPS**

HTTP over SSL is used to encrypt and decrypt HTTP transmissions.

# Hub

A networking device that connects multiple devices together.

# **ICMP**

Internet Control Message Protocol.

### IEEE

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

### **IGMP**

Internet Group Management Protocol is used to make sure that computers can report their multicast group membership to adjacent routers.

### IIS

Internet Information Server is a WEB server and FTP server provided by Microsoft.

### **IKE**

Internet Key Exchange is used to ensure security for VPN connections.

### Infrastructure

In terms of a wireless network, this is when wireless clients use an access point to gain access to the network.

### Internet

A system of worldwide networks that use TCP/IP to allow for resources to be accessed from computers around the world.

# **Internet Explorer**

A World Wide Web browser created and provided by Microsoft.

# **Internet Protocol**

The method of transferring data from one computer to another on the internet.



# **Internet Protocol Security**

IPsec provides security at the packet processing layer of network communication.

### Internet Service Provider

An ISP provides access to the internet to individuals or companies.

### Intranet

A private network.

### Intrusion Detection

A type of security that scans a network to detect attacks coming from inside and outside of the network.

### IP

Internet Protocol.

### **IP address**

A 32-bit number, when talking about Internet Protocol Version 4, that identifies each computer that transmits data on the internet or on an intranet.

# **IPsec**

Internet Protocol Security.

# **IPX**

Internetwork Packet Exchange is a networking protocol developed by Novell to enable their Netware clients and servers to communicate.

# **ISP**

Internet Service Provider.

### Java

A programming language used to create programs and applets for web pages.

# **Kbps**

Kilobits per second.

# **Kbyte**

Kilobyte.

### L2TP

Layer 2 Tunneling Protocol.

### LAN

Local Area Network.

# Latency

The amount of time that it takes a packet to get from the one point to another on a network. Also referred to as delay.

### LED

Light Emitting Diode.

# Legacy

Older devices or technology.

# **Local Area Network**

LAN. A group of computers in a building that usually access files from a server.



### LPR/LPD

"Line Printer Requestor"/"Line Printer Daemon". A TCP/IP protocol for transmitting streams of printer data.

### **MAC Address**

A unique hardware ID assigned to every Ethernet adapter by the manufacturer.

# Mbps

Megabits per second.

### MDI

Medium Dependent Interface is an Ethernet port for a connection to a straight-through cable.

### MDIX

Medium Dependent Interface Crossover is an Ethernet port for a connection to a crossover cable.

### **MIB**

Management Information Base is a set of objects that can be managed by using SNMP.

### Modem

A device that modulates digital signals from a computer to an analog signal in order to transmit the signal over phone lines. It also demodulates the analog signals coming from the phone lines to digital signals for your computer.

### **MPPE**

Microsoft Point-to-Point Encryption is used to secure data transmissions over PPTP connections.

### MTU

Maximum Transmission Unit is the largest packet that can be transmitted on a packet-based network like the internet.

### **Multicast**

Sending data from one device to many devices on a network.

### NAT

Network Address Translation allows many private IP addresses to connect to the internet, or another network, through one IP address.

### **NetBEUI**

NetBIOS Extended User Interface is a Local Area Network communication protocol. This is an updated version of NetBIOS.

# **NetBIOS**

Network Basic Input/Output System.

# **Netmask**

Determines what portion of an IP address designates the Network and which part designates the Host.



### **Network Interface Card**

NIC. A card installed in a computer or built onto the motherboard that allows the computer to connect to a network.

# **Network Layer**

The third layer of the OSI model which handles the routing of traffic on a network.

### **Network Time Protocol**

Used to synchronize the time of all the computers in a network.

### **NIC**

Network Interface Card.

### **NTP**

Network Time Protocol.

# **OFDM**

Orthogonal Frequency-Division Multiplexing is the modulation technique for both 802.11a and 802.11g.

# OSI

Open Systems Interconnection is the reference model for how data should travel between two devices on a network.

# **OSPF**

Open Shortest Path First is a routing protocol that is used more than RIP in larger scale networks because only changes to the routing table are sent to all the other routers in the network as opposed to sending the entire routing table at a regular interval, which is how RIP functions.

### **Password**

A sequence of characters that is used to authenticate requests to resources on a network.

### Personal Area Network

The interconnection of networking devices within a range of 10 meters.

# Physical layer

The first layer of the OSI model. Provides the hardware means of transmitting electrical signals on a data carrier.

# Ping

A utility program that verifies that a given internet address exists and can receive messages. The utility sends a control packet to the given address and waits for a response.

### PoE

Power over Ethernet is the means of transmitting electricity over the unused pairs in a category 5 Ethernet cable.

# POP3

Post Office Protocol 3 is used for receiving email.

### **Port**

A logical channel endpoint in a network. A computer might have only one physical channel (its Ethernet



channel) but can have multiple ports (logical channels) each identified by a number.

### **PPP**

Point-to-Point Protocol is used for two computers to communicate with each over a serial interface, like a phone line.

# **PPPoE**

Point-to-Point Protocol over Ethernet is used to connect multiple computers to a remote server over Ethernet.

### **PPTP**

Point-to-Point Tunneling Protocol is used for creating VPN tunnels over the internet between two networks.

### **Preamble**

Used to synchronize communication timing between devices on a network.

### QoS

Quality of Service.

# **RADIUS**

Remote Authentication Dial-In User Service allows for remote users to dial into a central server and be authenticated in order to access resources on a network.

# Reboot

To restart a computer and reload its operating software or firmware from nonvolatile storage.

### Rendezvous

Apple's version of UPnP, which allows for devices on a network to discover each other and be connected without the need to configure any settings.

# Repeater

Retransmits the signal of an access point in order to extend its coverage.

### **RIP**

Routing Information Protocol is used to synchronize the routing table of all the routers on a network.

### **RJ-11**

The most commonly used connection method for telephones.

### **RJ-45**

The most commonly used connection method for Ethernet.

# **RS-232C**

The interface for serial communication between computers and other related devices.

### **RSA**

Algorithm used for encryption and authentication.

# Server

A computer on a network that provides services and resources to other computers on the network.



# **Session key**

An encryption and decryption key that is generated for every communication session between two computers.

# **Session layer**

The fifth layer of the OSI model which coordinates the connection and communication between applications on both ends.

# **Simple Mail Transfer Protocol**

Used for sending and receiving email.

# **Simple Network Management Protocol**

Governs the management and monitoring of network devices.

### SIP

Session Initiation Protocol. A standard protocol for initiating a user session that involves multimedia content, such as voice or chat.

# **SMTP**

Simple Mail Transfer Protocol.

# **SNMP**

Simple Network Management Protocol.

# **SOHO**

Small Office/Home Office.

# SPI

Stateful Packet Inspection.

## SSH

Secure Shell is a command line interface that allows for secure connections to remote computers.

### **SSID**

Service Set Identifier is a name for a wireless network.

# **Stateful Packet Inspection**

A feature of a firewall that monitors outgoing and incoming traffic to make sure that only valid responses to outgoing requests are allowed to pass though the firewall.

### Subnet mask

Determines what portion of an IP address designates the Network and which part designates the Host.

# **Syslog**

System Logger -- a distributed logging interface for collecting in one place the logs from different sources. Originally written for UNIX, it is now available for other operating systems, including Windows.

### **TCP**

Transmission Control Protocol.

# **TCP Raw**

A TCP/IP protocol for transmitting streams of printer data.

# TCP/IP

Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol.



### **TFTP**

Trivial File Transfer Protocol is a utility used for transferring files that is simpler to use than FTP but with less features.

# **Throughput**

The amount of data that can be transferred in a given time period.

## **Traceroute**

A utility displays the routes between you computer and specific destination.

### **UDP**

User Datagram Protocol.

### Unicast

Communication between a single sender and receiver.

# **Universal Plug and Play**

UPnP. A standard that allows network devices to discover each other and configure themselves to be a part of the network.

# **Update**

To install a more recent version of a software or firmware product.

# **Upgrade**

To install a more recent version of a software or firmware product.

# **Upload**

To send a request from one computer to another and have a file transmitted from the requesting computer to the other.

### **UPnP**

Universal Plug and Play.

### URL

Uniform Resource Locator is a unique address for files accessible on the internet.

### **USB**

Universal Serial Bus.

### **UTP**

Unshielded Twisted Pair.

### **Virtual Private Network**

VPN: A secure tunnel over the internet to connect remote offices or users to their company's network.

# **VLAN**

Virtual LAN.

# Voice over IP

Sending voice information over the internet as opposed to the PSTN

# **VoIP**

Voice over IP.



### Wake on LAN

Allows you to power up a computer through it's Network Interface Card.

### WAN

Wide Area Network.

### **WCN**

Windows Connect Now. A Microsoft method for configuring and bootstrapping wireless networking hardware (access points) and wireless clients, including PCs and other devices.

### **WDS**

Wireless Distribution System. A system that enables the interconnection of access points wirelessly.

### Web browser

A utility that allows you to view content and interact with all of the information on the World Wide Web.

# **WEP**

Wired Equivalent Privacy is security for wireless networks that is supposed to be comparable to that of a wired network.

### WiFi

Wireless Fidelity. Used to describe any of the 802.11 wireless networking specifications.

### WiFi Protected Access

An updated version of security for wireless networks that provides authentication as well as encryption.

### Wide Area Network

The larger network that your LAN is connected to, which may be the internet itself, or a regional or corporate network.

# Wireless (WiFi) LAN

Connecting to a Local Area Network over one of the 802.11 wireless standards.

### Wireless ISP

WISP. A company that provides a broadband internet connection over a wireless connection.

### **WISP**

Wireless Internet Service Provider.

# **WLAN**

Wireless Local Area Network.

# **WPA**

WiFi Protected Access. A WiFi security enhancement that provides improved data encryption, relative to WEP.

# **xDSL**

A generic term for the family of digital subscriber line (DSL) technologies, such as ADSL, HDSL, RADSL, and SDSL.



# Yagi antenna

A directional antenna used to concentrate wireless signals on a specific location.



# **10 APPENDIX**

# 10.1 Product Information and Safety Guide

This important Product Information and Safety Guide contains safety, handling, disposal, regulatory, trademark, copyright, and software licensing information. Read all safety information below and operating instructions before using the IBR600 3G device to avoid injury.

### **SAFETY AND HAZARDS**

Under no circumstances should the IBR600 3G device be used in any areas (a) where blasting is in progress, (b) where explosive atmospheres may be present, or (c) that are near (i) medical or life support equipment, or (ii) any equipment which may be susceptible to any form of radio interference. In such areas, the IBR600 3G device MUST BE POWERED OFF AT ALL TIMES (since the device otherwise could transmit signals that might interfere with such equipment). In addition, under no circumstances should the IBR600 3G device be used in any aircraft, regardless of whether the aircraft is on the ground or in flight. In any aircraft, the IBR600 3G device MUST BE POWERED OFF AT ALL TIMES (since the device otherwise could transmit signals that might interfere with various onboard systems on such aircraft). Furthermore, under no circumstances should the IBR600 3G device be used by the driver or operator of any vehicle. Such use of the device will detract from the driver or operator's control of that vehicle. In some jurisdictions, use of the IBR600 3G device while driving or operating a vehicle constitutes a civil and/or criminal offense.

Due to the nature of wireless communications, transmission and reception of data by the IBR600 3G device can never be guaranteed, and it is possible that data communicated or transmitted wirelessly may be delayed, corrupted (i.e., contain errors), or totally lost. The IBR600 3G device is not intended for, and CradlePoint recommends the device not be used in any critical applications where failure to transmit or receive data could result in property damage or loss or personal injury of any kind (including death) to the user or to any other party. CradlePoint expressly disclaims liability for damages of any kind resulting from: (a) delays, errors, or losses of any data transmitted or received using the device; or (b) any failure of the device to transmit or receive such data.

Warning: This product is only to be installed by qualified personnel!

To comply with FCC/IC regulations limiting both maximum RF output power and human exposure to RF radiation, the maximum antenna gain must not exceed 5 dBi in the Cellular band and 4 dBi in the PCS band.

### **ANTENNA CONSIDERATIONS**

Although the antenna model(s) used with these devices meet(s) the Industry Canada Radio Frequency requirements, it is possible that the future customers may swap them for different ones without network providers knowledge and approval. Such customers must be made aware of, and follow, the Radio Frequency requirements applied in the Technical Approval:

- RSS-102 "Radio Frequency Exposure Compliance of Radiocommunication Apparatus (All Frequency Bands)"
- RSS-129 "800 MHz Dual-Mode CDMA Cellular Telephones"
- RSS-132e "Cellular Telephones Employing New Technologies Operating in the Bands 824-849 MHz and 869-894 MHz"
- RSS-133 r1 "2 GHz Personal Communications Services"

### FEDERAL COMMUNICATION COMMISSION INTERFERENCE STATEMENT

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one of the following measures:

- · Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.



- · Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

FCC CAUTION: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

For product available in the USA/Canada market, only channel 1~11 can be operated. Selection of other channels is not possible.

This device and its antenna(s) must not be co-located or operation in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

### IMPORTANT NOTE

FCC Radiation Exposure Statement: This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.

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# 10.2 Specifications

### MODEL NAME

CradlePoint COR Integrated Broadband Router IBR600

### DATA IN

3G via internal EVDO Rev. A modem, backwards compatible to EVDO Rev 0 and 1xRTT, 10/100 Ethernet Port, WiFi

### **DATA OUT**

WiFi (802.11 b/g/n), Two 10/100 Ethernet Ports (WAN/LAN Switchable)

### **ANTENNAS**

2 external 2.4 GHz WiFi antennas (500+ feet range); 2 external 3G EV-DO modem antennas

### **BUTTONS / SWITCHES**

Power Switch, Reset

### LED INDICATORS

Power, WiFi, Modem, Signal Strength, Ethernet LAN, Ethernet WAN

### DIMENSIONS

3.3-in x 4-in x 0.9-in (85mm x 102mm x 22mm)

**WEIGHT:** 7.2 oz (200g)

**CERTIFICATIONS:** FCC, IC, CE, WiFi Alliance, PTCRB, 802.3, plus Carrier specific certifications

### **OPERATING TEMPERATURE**

- -10°C to 60°C (14°F to 140°F) Operating Modem as WAN
- -10°C to 50°C (14°F to 122°F) Operating Ethernet as WAN
- -20°C to 70°C (-4°F to 158°F) Storage

### **DETAILS**

- WAN Security NAT, SPI, ALG, inbound filtering of IP Addresses (future), Port Blocking, Service Filtering (FTP, SMTP, HTTP, RPL, SNMP, DNS, ICMP, NNTP, POP3, SSH), Protocol filtering, WAN ping (allow/ignore)
- Redundancy and Load Balancing Failover/Failback with 3G/ Ethernet, Load Balancing, WAN Failure Detection via ping
- Intelligent Routing UPnP, DMZ, Virtual Server/Port
  Forwarding, Routing Rules, Route Management, Content
  Filtering, Website Filtering, Local DHCP server, DHCP
  Client, DNS, DNS Proxy. ALGs: PPTP, L2TP, PPPoE passthrough, IPSec pass-through, FTP (passive), FTP (active),
  MAC Address Filtering, Dynamic DNS
- Management Remote WAN Web-based Management Access (HTTP, HTTPS), Web-based GUI (Easy Management), One-button firmware upgrade, USB firmware upgrade, Modem Configuration and Management, Serverbased centralized Management (WiPipe™ Central), Modem configuration and management
- Performance & Heath Monitoring WiPipe™ QoS, with Traffic Shaping, SSID-based priority, WAN port speed control
- VPN (IPSec). Device to CradlePoint, Cisco/Linksys, Linux system, Transfer Modes, Hash (MD5, SHA128, SHA256, SHA384, SHA512), Cipher (AES, 3DES, DES), Support for 5 concurrent connections, GRE Tunneling



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