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Advanced > Virtual Server *continued*

Virtual Servers List				
Name	Private IP	Protocol	Schedule	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Virtual Server HTTP	192.168.0.25	TCP 80/80	always	 



Click on this icon to edit the virtual service



Click on this icon to delete the virtual service

Example #2:

If you have an FTP server that you wanted Internet users to access by WAN port 2100 and only during the weekends, you would need to enable it as such. FTP server is on LAN computer 192.168.0.30. FTP uses port 21, TCP.

Name: FTP Server
Private IP: 192.168.0.30
Protocol Type: TCP
Private Port: 21
Public Port: 2100

Schedule: From: 01:00AM to 01:00AM, Sat to Sun

All Internet users who want to access this FTP Server must connect to it from port 2100. This is an example of port redirection and can be useful in cases where there are many of the same servers on the LAN network.

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Advanced > Applications

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Special Application
Special Application is used to run applications that require multiple connections.

Enabled Disabled

Name:

Trigger Port: -

Trigger Type:

Public Ports:

Public Type:

Apply Cancel Help

Special Application List

Name	Trigger	Public Port	
<input type="checkbox"/> Battle.net	6112	6112	
<input type="checkbox"/> Dialpad	7175	51200-51201,51210	
<input type="checkbox"/> ICU II	2019	2000-2038,2050-2051,2069,2085,3010-3030	
<input type="checkbox"/> MSN Gaming Zone	47624	2300-2400,28800-29000	
<input type="checkbox"/> PC-to-Phone	12053	12120,12122,24150-24220	
<input type="checkbox"/> Quick Time	554	6970-6999	

Some applications require multiple connections, such as Internet gaming, video conferencing, Internet telephony and others. These applications have difficulties working through NAT (Network Address Translation). Special Applications makes some of these applications work with the DI-524. If you need to run applications that require multiple connections, specify the port normally associated with an application in the "Trigger Port" field, select the protocol type as TCP or UDP, then enter the public ports associated with the trigger port to open them for inbound traffic.

The DI-524 provides some predefined applications in the table on the bottom of the web page. Select the application you want to use and enable it.

Note! Only one PC can use each Special Application tunnel.

Name: This is the name referencing the special application.

Trigger Port: This is the port used to trigger the application. It can be either a single port or a range of ports.

Trigger Type: This is the protocol used to trigger the special application.

Public Port: This is the port number on the WAN side that will be used to access the application. You may define a single port or a range of ports. You can use a comma to add multiple ports or port ranges.

Public Type: This is the protocol used for the special application.

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Advanced > Filters > IP Filters

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Filter
Filters are used to allow or deny LAN users from accessing the Internet.
 IP Filters URL Blocking
 MAC Filters Domain Blocking

IP Filter
Use IP Filters to deny LAN IP addresses access to the Internet.

Enabled Disabled

IP Address: [] - []
Port Range: [] - []
Protocol: TCP
Schedule: Always
 From Time [00]:[00] To [00]:[00]
day [Sun] to [Sun]

Apply Cancel Help

IP Filter List

	IP Range	Protocol	Schedule	
<input type="checkbox"/>	*	TCP 20-21	always	
<input type="checkbox"/>	*	TCP 80	always	

Filters are used to deny or allow LAN (Local Area Network) computers from accessing the Internet. The DI-524 can be setup to deny internal computers by their IP or MAC addresses. The DI-524 can also block users from accessing restricted web sites.

IP Filters:

IP Filter is used to deny LAN IP addresses from accessing the Internet. You can deny specific port numbers or all ports for the specific IP address.

IP Address:

The IP address of the LAN computer that will be denied access to the Internet.

Port Range:

The single port or port range that will be denied access to the Internet.

Protocol Type:

Select the protocol type

Schedule:

This is the schedule of time when the IP Filter will be enabled.

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Advanced > Filters > URL Blocking

The screenshot shows the configuration interface for a D-Link DI-524 router. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Advanced' (highlighted), 'Tools', 'Status', and 'Help'. The left sidebar contains buttons for 'Virtual Server', 'Application', 'Filter' (highlighted), 'Firewall', 'DDNS', 'DMZ', and 'Performance'. The main content area is titled 'Filter' and explains that filters are used to allow or deny LAN users from accessing the Internet. It offers four filter types: IP Filters, URL Blocking (selected), MAC Filters, and Domain Blocking. Below this, the 'URL Blocking' section is shown, which is currently set to 'Disabled'. A text input field is present, and a dropdown menu below it shows '- Empty -' with a 'DELETE' button next to it. At the bottom right, there are three buttons: 'Apply' (with a green checkmark), 'Cancel' (with a red X), and 'Help' (with a red plus sign).

URL Blocking is used to deny LAN computers from accessing specific web sites by the URL. A URL is a specially formatted text string that defines a location on the Internet. If any part of the URL contains the blocked word, the site will not be accessible and the web page will not display. To use this feature, enter the text string to be blocked and click **Apply**. The text to be blocked will appear in the list. To delete the text, just highlight it and click **Delete**.

Filters-

Select the filter you wish to use; in this case, **URL Blocking** was chosen.

URL Blocking-

Select **Enabled** or **Disabled**.

Keywords-

Enter the keywords in this field. Block URLs which contain keywords listed below.

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Advanced > Filters > MAC Filters

The screenshot shows the configuration interface for a D-Link DI-524 AirPlus G 802.11g/2.4GHz Wireless Router. The left sidebar contains navigation buttons: Virtual Server, Application, Filter (highlighted in yellow), Firewall, DDNS, DMZ, and Performance. The main content area has tabs for Home, Advanced (selected), Tools, Status, and Help. Under the 'Filter' section, there are radio buttons for IP Filters, URL Blocking, MAC Filters (selected), and Domain Blocking. The 'MAC Filters' section includes instructions and three radio button options: Disabled MAC Filters (selected), Only allow computers with MAC address listed below to access the network, and Only deny computers with MAC address listed below to access the network. Below these are input fields for Name, MAC Address (with individual digit boxes), and a DHCP Client dropdown menu with a 'Clone' button. At the bottom right are 'Apply', 'Cancel', and 'Help' buttons. A 'MAC Filter List' table is partially visible at the bottom.

Use MAC (Media Access Control) Filters to allow or deny LAN (Local Area Network) computers by their MAC addresses from accessing the Network. You can either manually add a MAC address or select the MAC address from the list of clients that are currently connected to the Broadband Router.

Filters-

Select the filter you wish to use; in this case, **MAC filters** was chosen.

MAC Filters-

Choose **Disable** MAC filters; **allow** MAC addresses listed below; or **deny** MAC addresses listed below.

Name-

Enter the name here.

MAC Address-

Enter the MAC Address.

DHCP Client-

Select a DHCP client from the pull-down list; click **Clone** to copy that MAC Address.

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Advanced > Filters > Domain Blocking

The screenshot shows the configuration interface for a D-Link AirPlus G 802.11g/2.4GHz Wireless Router. The left sidebar contains navigation buttons: Virtual Server, Application, Filter (highlighted in yellow), Firewall, DDNS, DMZ, and Performance. The main content area is titled "802.11g/2.4GHz Wireless Router" and has tabs for Home, Advanced (selected), Tools, Status, and Help. Under the "Filter" section, there are radio buttons for IP Filters, URL Blocking, MAC Filters, and Domain Blocking (which is selected). The "Domain Blocking" section has two options: "Disabled" (selected) and "Allow users to access all domains except 'Blocked Domains'". Below this is a "Blocked Domains" list with an empty input field and a "DELETE" button. The "Deny users to access all domains except 'Permitted Domains'" option is also present, with a "Permitted Domains" list below it, also featuring an empty input field and a "DELETE" button. At the bottom right, there are three buttons: Apply (with a green checkmark), Cancel (with a yellow X), and Help (with a red plus sign).

Domain Blocking is used to allow or deny LAN (Local Area Network) computers from accessing specific domains on the Internet. Domain blocking will deny all requests to a specific domain such as http and ftp. It can also allow computers to access specific sites and deny all other sites.

Filters-

Select the filter you wish to use; in this case, **Domain Blocking** was chosen.

Domain Blocking-

Disabled-

Select **Disabled** to disable **Domain Blocking**

Allow-

Allows users to access all domains except **Blocked Domains**

Deny-

Denies users access to all domains except **Permitted Domains**

Blocked Domains-

Enter the **Blocked Domains** in this field

Permitted Domains-

Enter the **Permitted Domains** in this field

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Advanced > Firewall

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Firewall Rules
Firewall Rules can be used to allow or deny traffic from passing through the DI-524.

Enabled Disabled

Name:

Action: Allow Deny

Interface: IP Start: IP End: Protocol: Port Range:

Source: *

Destination: * TCP

Schedule: Always
 From Time 00:00 To 00:00
day Sun to Sun

Apply Cancel Help

Firewall Rules List

Action Name	Source	Destination	Protocol	
<input type="checkbox"/> Allow Allow to Ping WAN port	WAN,*	WAN,*	ICMP,8	
<input type="checkbox"/> Deny Default	**	LAN,*	**	
<input type="checkbox"/> Allow Default	LAN,*	**	**	

Firewall Rules is an advanced feature used to deny or allow traffic from passing through the DI-524. It works in the same way as IP Filters with additional settings. You can create more detailed access rules for the DI-524. When virtual services are created and enabled, it will also display in Firewall Rules. Firewall Rules contain all network firewall rules pertaining to IP (Internet Protocol).

In the Firewall Rules List at the bottom of the screen, the priorities of the rules are from top (highest priority) to bottom (lowest priority.)

Note:

The DI-524 MAC Address filtering rules have precedence over the Firewall Rules.

Firewall Rules-

Enable or **disable** the Firewall

Name-

Enter the name

Action-

Allow or **Deny**

Source-

Enter the **IP Address range**

Destination-

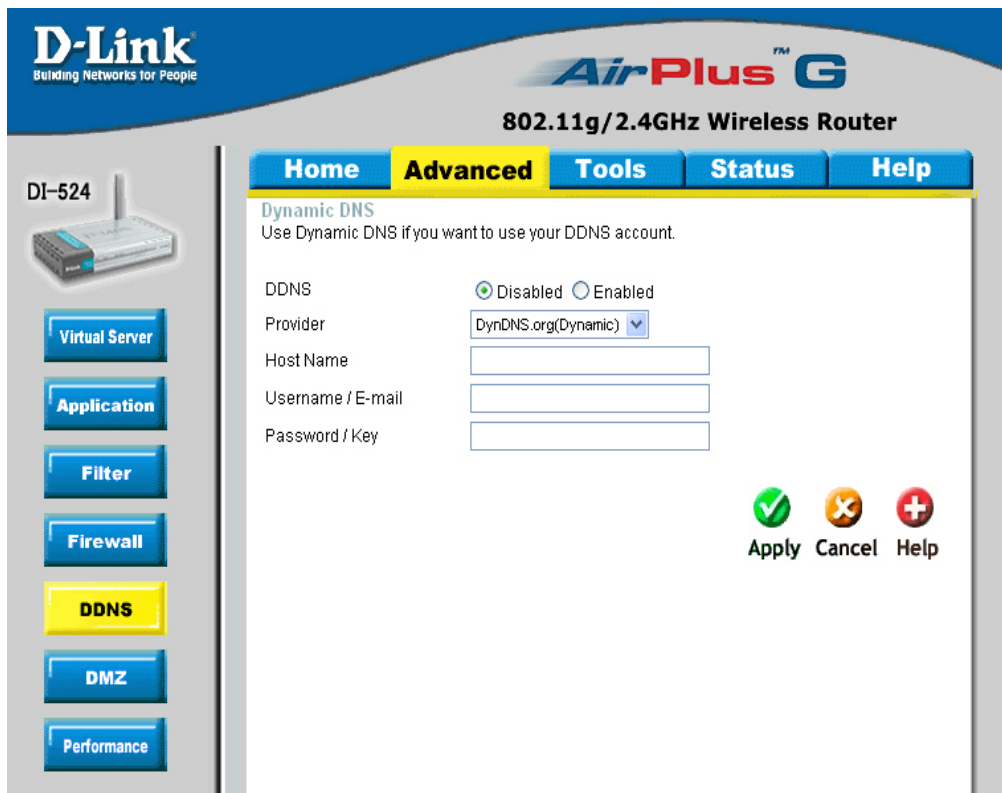
Enter the **IP Address range**; the **Protocol**; and the **Port Range**

Schedule-

Select **Always** or enter the **Time Range**.

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Advanced > DDNS



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Dynamic DNS
Use Dynamic DNS if you want to use your DDNS account.

DDNS Disabled Enabled

Provider

Host Name

Username / E-mail

Password / Key

Apply Cancel Help

Users who have a Dynamic DDNS account may use this feature on the DI-524.

Provider-

Select from the list of DDNS servers available.

Host Name-

Enter your DDNS account host name.

Username/Email-

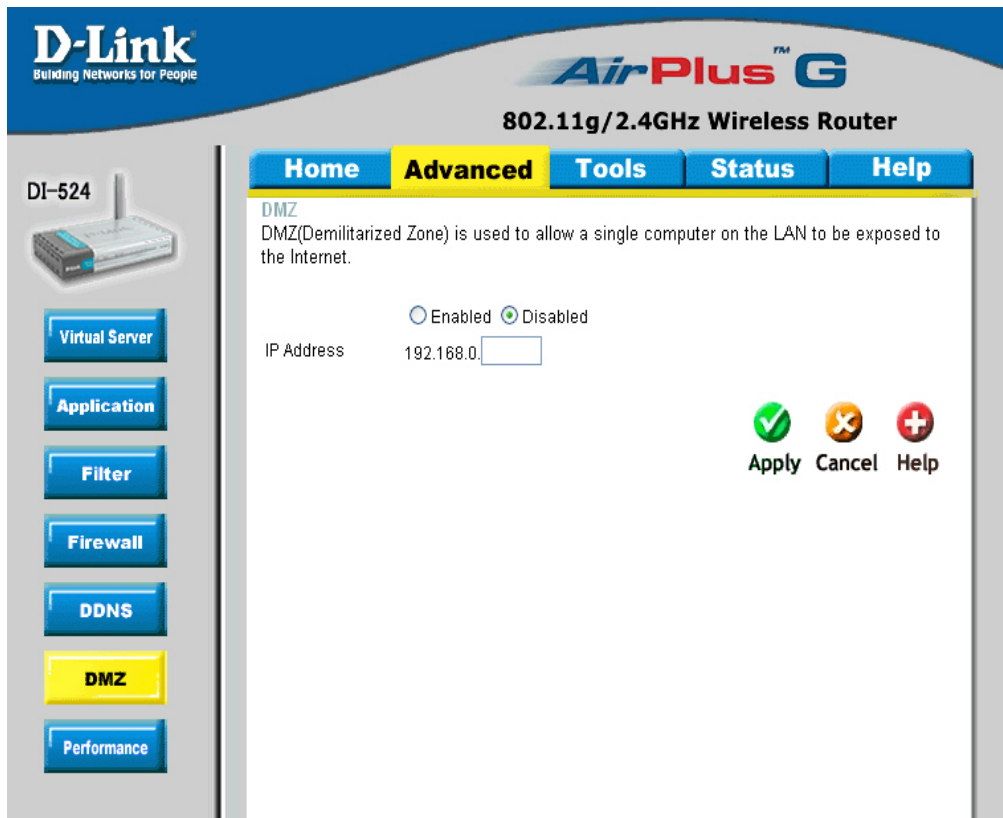
Enter your DDNS account username.

Password/Key-

Enter your DDNS account password.

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Advanced > DMZ



If you have a client PC that cannot run Internet applications properly from behind the DI-524, then you can set the client up for unrestricted Internet access. It allows a computer to be exposed to the Internet. This feature is useful for gaming purposes. Enter the IP address of the internal computer that will be the DMZ host. Adding a client to the DMZ (Demilitarized Zone) may expose your local network to a variety of security risks, so only use this option as a last resort.

DMZ-

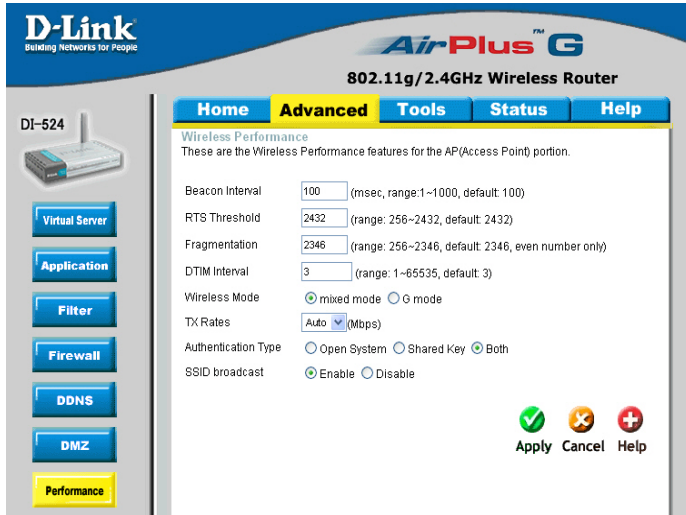
Enable or **Disable** the DMZ. The DMZ (Demilitarized Zone) allows a single computer to be exposed to the internet. By **default** the DMZ is **disabled**.

IP Address-

Enter the **IP Address** of the computer to be in the **DMZ**

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Advanced > Performance



Beacon Interval-

Beacons are packets sent by an Access Point to synchronize a wireless network. Specify a value. 100 is the default setting and is recommended.

RTS Threshold-

This value should remain at its default setting of 2432. If inconsistent data flow is a problem, only a minor modification should be made.

Fragmentation-

The fragmentation threshold, which is specified in bytes, determines whether packets will be fragmented. Packets exceeding the 2346 byte setting will be fragmented before transmission. 2346 is the default setting

DTIM Interval-

(Delivery Traffic Indication Message) **3** is the default setting. A DTIM is a countdown informing clients of the next window for listening to broadcast and multicast messages.

Wireless Mode-

Select **Short** or **Long Preamble**. The Preamble defines the length of the CRC block (Cyclic Redundancy Check is a common technique for detecting data transmission errors) for communication between the wireless router and the roaming wireless network adapters. *Note: High network traffic areas should use the shorter preamble type.*

TX Rates-

Auto is the default selection. Select from the drop down menu.

SSID Broadcast-

Choose **Enabled** to broadcast the SSID across the network. All devices on a network must share the same SSID (Service Set Identifier) to establish communication. Choose **Disabled** if you do not wish to broadcast the SSID over the network.

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Tools> Admin

The screenshot shows the D-Link DI-524 Web-Management interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Advanced', 'Tools' (selected), 'Status', and 'Help'. The main content area is titled 'Administrator Settings' and contains the following sections:

- Administrator Settings:** Administrators can change their login password. This section includes two password change forms:
 - Administrator (The Login Name is "admin"):** Fields for 'New Password' and 'Reconfirm Password'.
 - User (The Login name is "user"):** Fields for 'New Password' and 'Reconfirm Password'.
- Remote Management:** Let administrator perform administration task from remote host. It includes radio buttons for 'Enabled' and 'Disabled' (selected), an 'IP Address' field with '0.0.0.0', and a 'Port' dropdown menu with '8080' selected.

At the bottom right, there are three icons: a green checkmark for 'Apply', a yellow 'X' for 'Cancel', and a red plus sign for 'Help'.

At this page, the DI-524 administrator can change the system password. There are two accounts that can access the Broadband Router's Web-Management interface. They are admin and user. Admin has read/write access while user has read-only access. User can only view the settings but cannot make any changes.

Administrator- **admin** is the **Administrator login name**

Password- Enter the password and enter again to confirm

User- **user** is the **User login name**

Password- Enter the password and enter again to confirm

Remote Management- Remote management allows the DI-524 to be configured from the Internet by a web browser. A username and password is still required to access the Web-Management interface. In general, only a member of your network can browse the built-in web pages to perform **Administrator** tasks. This feature enables you to perform Administrator tasks from the remote (Internet) host.

IP Address- The Internet IP address of the computer that has access to the Broadband Router. If you input an asterisk (*) into this field, then any computer will be able to access the Router. Putting an asterisk (*) into this field would present a security risk and is not recommended.

Port- The port number used to access the Broadband Router.

Example- <http://x.x.x.x:8080> where x.x.x.x is the WAN IP address of the Broadband Router and 8080 is the port used for the Web-Mangement interface.

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Tools > Time

The screenshot shows the configuration page for a D-Link DI-524 wireless router. The page title is "AirPlus™ G 802.11g/2.4GHz Wireless Router". The navigation tabs are "Home", "Advanced", "Tools" (selected), "Status", and "Help". On the left sidebar, there are buttons for "Admin", "Time" (highlighted in yellow), "System", "Firmware", and "Misc". The main content area is titled "Time" and contains the following settings:

- Set the DI-524 system time.
Device Time : Fri Aug 13 03:07:49 2004
- Enable NTP
Default NTP Server: _____ (Optional)
- Time Zone: (GMT-08:00)Pacific Time (US & Canada) [dropdown]
- Set Device Date and Time
Year: 2004 [dropdown] Month: Aug [dropdown] Day: 13 [dropdown]
Hour: 00 [dropdown] Minute: 00 [dropdown] Second: 00 [dropdown]
- Daylight Saving
 Enable Disable
Start: Jan [dropdown] 01 [dropdown] End: Jan [dropdown] 01 [dropdown]

At the bottom right, there are three buttons: "Apply" (with a green checkmark icon), "Cancel" (with a yellow 'X' icon), and "Help" (with a red plus icon).

Default NTP Server-

NTP is short for *Network Time Protocol*. NTP synchronizes computer clock times in a network of computers. This field is optional.

Time Zone-

Set Device Date and Time: To manually input the time. Enter the values in these fields for the Year, Month, Day, Hour, Minute, and Second.

Set the Time-

To manually input the time, enter the values in these fields for the Year, Month, Day, Hour, Minute, and Second. Click **Set Time**.

Daylight Saving-

To select Daylight Saving time manually, select **enabled** or **disabled**, and enter a start date and an end date for daylight saving time.

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Tools > System

The screenshot shows the web interface of a D-Link AirPlus G 802.11g/2.4GHz Wireless Router. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Advanced', 'Tools' (highlighted in yellow), 'Status', and 'Help'. The 'Tools' menu is expanded to show 'System Settings'. On the left sidebar, there is a product image of the DI-524 router and a vertical menu with buttons for 'Admin', 'Time', 'System' (highlighted in yellow), 'Firmware', and 'Misc'. The main content area under 'System Settings' contains three sections: 'Save Settings To Local Hard Drive' with a 'Backup Setting' button; 'Load Settings From Local Hard Drive' with a text input field, a '浏览...' (Browse) button, and a 'Load' button; and 'Restore To Factory Default Settings' with a 'Reset to Default' button. A red cross icon labeled 'Help' is located in the bottom right corner of the main content area.

The current system settings can be saved as a file onto the local hard drive. The saved file or any other saved setting file can be loaded back on the Broadband Router. To reload a system settings file, click on **Browse** to browse the local hard drive and locate the system file to be used. You may also reset the Broadband Router back to factory settings by clicking on **Restore**.

Save Settings to Local Hard Drive-

Click **Save** to save the current settings to the local Hard Drive

Load Settings from Local Hard Drive-

Click **Browse** to find the settings, then click **Load**

Restore to Factory Default Settings-

Click **Restore** to restore the factory default settings

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Tools > Firmware

The screenshot shows the configuration interface for a D-Link DI-524 router. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Advanced', 'Tools' (highlighted), 'Status', and 'Help'. The 'Tools' section is titled 'Firmware Upgrade'. It contains a text block explaining that new firmware may be available to improve functionality and performance, and that the upgrade procedure takes about 20 seconds. Below this, it displays the 'Current Firmware Version: V1.00' and 'Firmware Date: Mon, Oct 4 2004'. There is a text input field followed by a '浏览...' (Browse) button. At the bottom right, there are three buttons: 'Apply' (with a green checkmark), 'Cancel' (with an orange X), and 'Help' (with a red plus sign). On the left side of the interface, there is a sidebar with a router image and buttons for 'Admin', 'Time', 'System', 'Firmware' (highlighted), and 'Misc'.

You can upgrade the firmware of the Router here. Make sure the firmware you want to use is on the local hard drive of the computer. Click on **Browse** to browse the local hard drive and locate the firmware to be used for the update. Please check the D-Link support site for firmware updates at <http://support.dlink.com>. You can download firmware upgrades to your hard drive from the D-Link support site.

Firmware Upgrade- Click on the link in this screen to find out if there is an updated firmware; if so, download the new firmware to your hard

Browse- After you have downloaded the new firmware, click **Browse** in this window to locate the firmware update on your hard drive. Click **Apply** to complete the firmware upgrade.