# **Network Filters**

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.

- Configure MAC Select Turn MAC Filtering Off, Allow MAC Filtering: addresses listed below, or Deny MAC addresses listed below from the drop-down menu.
- MAC Address: Enter the MAC address you would like to filter.

To find the MAC address on a computer, please refer to the *Networking Basics* section in this manual.

**DHCP Client:** Select a DHCP client from the drop-down menu and click << to copy that MAC Address.

Clear: Click to remove the MAC address.

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VIRTUAL SERVER	MAC ADDRESS FIL	TER			Helpful Hints			
PORT FORWARDING					Create a list of MAC			
APPLICATION RULES	The MAC (Media Access C Address of the network a	ontroller) Address filter option dapter. A MAC address is a un	i is used to control network ac iique ID assigned by the manu	cess based on the MAC facturer of the network	addresses that you would either like to allow or deny			
QOS ENGINE	adapter. This feature can	be configured to ALLOW or D	ENY network/Internet access.		access to your network.			
NETWORK FILTER	Save Settings	Save Settings Don't Save Settings						
ACCESS CONTROL			_		from the router's DHCP			
WEBSITE FILTER	24 MAC FILTER	ING RULES			Client List. Select a device			
INBOUND FILTER	Configure MAC Filtering b	elow:	~		then click the arrow to add			
FIREWALL SETTINGS		i li -			to the list.			
ADVANCED WIRELESS	MAC Address	DHCP Client List			Click the <b>Clear</b> button to			
WISH		Computer Name	<b>v</b>	Clear	remove the MAC address from the MAC Filtering list.			
ADVANCED NETWORK		Computer Name	<b>v</b>	Clear				
		Computer Name	<b>M</b>	Clear	More			
		Computer Name	<b>~</b>	Clear				
		Computer Name	<b>V</b>	Clear				

# **Access Control**

The Access Control section allows you to control access in and out of your network. Use this feature as Parental Controls to only grant access to approved sites, limit web access based on time or dates, and/or block access from applications like P2P utilities or games.

Add Policy: Click the Add Policy button to start the Access Control Wizard.



### **Access Control Wizard**

Click Next to continue with the wizard.



### **Access Control Wizard (continued)**

Enter a name for the policy and then click **Next** to continue.



Select a schedule (I.E. Always) from the drop-down menu and then click **Next** to continue.



Enter the following information and then click **Next** to continue.

- Address Type Select IP address, MAC address, or Other Machines.
- IP Address Enter the IP address of the computer you want to apply the rule to.



### **Access Control Wizard (continued)**

Select the filtering method and then click **Next** to continue.



#### Enter the rule:

Enable - Check to enable the rule.
Name - Enter a name for your rule.
Dest IP Start - Enter the starting IP address.
Dest IP End - Enter the ending IP address.
Protocol - Select the protocol.
Dest Port Start - Enter the starting port number.
Dest Port End - Enter the ending port number.



To enable web logging, click **Enable**.

Click Save to save the access control rule.



## **Website Filters**

Website Filters are used to allow you to set up a list of allowed Web sites that can be used by multiple users through the network. To use this feature select to **Allow** or **Deny**, enter the domain or website and click **Save Settings**. You must also select **Apply Web Filter** under the *Access Control* section (page 40).

#### Add Website Select Allow or Deny. Filtering Rule:

Website URL/ Enter the keywords or URLs that you want to **Domain:** allow or block. Click **Save Settings**.



# **Inbound Filters**

The Inbound Filter option is an advanced method of controlling data received from the Internet. With this feature you can configure inbound data filtering rules that control data based on an IP address range. Inbound Filters can be used with Virtual Server, Port Forwarding, or Remote Administration features.

Name: Enter a name for the inbound filter rule.

Action: Select Allow or Deny.

Enable: Check to enable rule.

- **Remote IP Start:** Enter the starting IP address. Enter 0.0.0.0 if you do not want to specify an IP range.
- Remote IP End: Enter the ending IP address. Enter 255.255.255.255 if you do not want to specify and IP range.
  - Add: Click the Add button to apply your settings. You must click **Save Settings** at the top to save the settings.
- Inbound Filter This section will list any rules that are created. Rules List: You may click the Edit icon to change the settings or enable/disable the rule, or click the Delete icon to remove the rule.

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PORT FORWARDING	The Inbound Filter opt	ion is an ad	vanced metho	d of controlli	ng data recei	ived from th	e	Give each rule a Name
APPLICATION RULES	Internet. With this fea based on an IP address	ture you ca ; range.	n configure in	bound data f	iltering rules 1	that control	data	that is meaningful to you.
QOS ENGINE	Inbound Filters can be	used for lim	iting access t	o a server on	your networ	k to a system	m or	
NETWORK FILTER	Administration features	r rules cari b	je used with	virtuai server	, Port Forwar	ang, or ker	note	Allow or Deny access
ACCESS CONTROL								from the WAN.
WEBSITE FILTER	ADD INBOUND FILT	ER RULE						Up to eight ranges of WAN IP addresses can
INBOUND FILTER		Name :						be controlled by each
FIREWALL SETTINGS		Action :	Deny 💌					each IP range can be
ROUTING	Remote IP	Range :	Enable Rem	ote IP Star	Remote IP	End		already defined.
ADVANCED WIRELESS			0.0.0	.0	255.255.255	.255		The starting and
WISH			0.0.0	.0	255.255.255	.255		ending IP addresses are
WI-FI PROTECTED				.0	255,255,255	.255		WAN-sue augless.
			0.0.0	.0	255.255.255	.255		Click the <b>Add</b> or <b>Update</b> button to
ADVANCED NETWORK			0.0.0	.0	255.255.255	.255		store a finished rule in the Rules List below.
			0.0.0	.0	255.255.255	.255		
			0.0.0	.0	255.255.255	.255		Click the <b>Edit</b> icon in the Rules List to
	Add Clear							change a rule.
								Click the <b>Delete</b> icon in the Rules List to
	INBOUND FILTER RU	ULES LIST	Г					permanently remove a
	Name Actio	n	Remote	IP Range				
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# **Firewall Settings**

A firewall protects your network from the outside world. The DIR-855 offers a firewall type functionality. The SPI feature helps prevent cyber attacks. Sometimes you may want a computer exposed to the outside world for certain types of applications. If you choose to expose a computer, you can enable DMZ. DMZ is short for Demilitarized Zone. This option will expose the chosen computer completely to the outside world.

- **Enable SPI:** SPI (Stateful Packet Inspection, also known as dynamic packet filtering) helps to prevent cyber attacks by tracking more state per session. It validates that the traffic passing through the session conforms to the protocol.
- **NAT Endpoint** Select one of the following for TCP and UDP ports:
  - Filtering: Endpoint Independent Any incoming traffic sent to an open port will be forwarded to the application that opened the port. The port will close if idle for 5 minutes.

**Address Restricted** - Incoming traffic must match the IP address of the outgoing connection.

**Address + Port Restriction** - Incoming traffic must match the IP address and port of the outgoing connection.

- Anti-Spoof Check: Enable this feature to protect your network from certain kinds of "spoofing" attacks.
  - **Enable DMZ:** If an application has trouble working from behind the router, you can expose one computer to the Internet and run the application on that computer.

**Note:** Placing a computer in the DMZ may expose that computer to a variety of security risks. Use of this option is only recommended as a last resort.



DMZ IP Address: Specify the IP address of the computer on the LAN that you want to have unrestricted Internet communication. If this computer obtains it's IP address automatically using DHCP, be sure to make a static reservation on the **Basic** > **DHCP** page so that the IP address of the DMZ machine does not change.

# Application Level Gateway (ALG) Configuration

Here you can enable or disable ALG's. Some protocols and applications require special handling of the IP payload to make them work with network address translation (NAT). Each ALG provides special handling for a specific protocol or application. A number of ALGs for common applications are enabled by default.

PPTP: Allows multiple machines on the LAN to connect to their corporate network using PPTP protocol.

**IPSEC (VPN):** Allows multiple VPN clients to connect to their corporate network using IPSec. Some VPN clients support traversal of IPSec through NAT. This ALG may interfere with the operation of such VPN clients. If you are having trouble connecting with your corporate network, try turning this ALG off. Please check with the system adminstrator of your corporate network whether your VPN client supports NAT traversal.

### Advanced Wireless Settings 802.11n/g (2.4GHz)

ADVANCED WIRELESS SETTINGS

Transmit Power: Set the transmit power of the antennas.

- **Beacon Period:** 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 **Threshold:** in bytes, determines whether packets will be fragmented. Packets exceeding the 2346 byte setting will be fragmented before transmission. 2346 is the default setting.

Wireless Band :	2.4GHz Band
Transmit Power :	High 🔽
Beacon Period :	100 (201000)
RTS Threshold :	2346 (02347)
Fragmentation Threshold :	2346 (2562346)
DTIM Interval :	1 (1255)
802.11d Enable :	
Wireless Isolation :	
WMM Enable :	
A-MPDU Aggregation :	
Short GI :	

- **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.
  - **802.11d**: This enables 802.11d operation. 802.11d is a wireless specification developed to allow implementation of wireless networks in countries that cannot use the 802.11 standard. This feature should only be enabled if you are in a country that requires it.
- Wireless Isolation: When checked, it will disable the ability for computers on the wireless network from seeing each other, but will allow you to see computers on the wired network.
  - WMM Function: WMM is QoS for your wireless network. This will improve the quality of video and voice applications for your wireless clients.

**A-MPDU** Aggregated-MAC Packet Data Unit, is a group of MPDUs which built an PSDU (Physical Service Data Unit). It has lower **Aggregation**: overhead and provides robust recovery in case of loss.

Short GI: Check this box to reduce the guard interval time therefore increasing the data capacity. However, it's less reliable and may create higher data loss.

### Advanced Wireless Settings 802.11n/a (5GHz)

Transmit Power: Set the transmit power of the antennas.

- **Beacon Period:** 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 **Threshold:** 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.

- **802.11d**: This enables 802.11d opration. 802.11d is a wireless specification developed to allow implementation of wireless networks in countries that cannot use the 802.11 standard. This feature should only be enabled if you are in a country that requires it.
- Wireless Isolation: When checked, it will disable the ability for computers on the wireless network from seeing each other, but will allow you to see computers on the wired network.
  - WMM Function: WMM is QoS for your wireless network. This will improve the quality of video and voice applications for your wireless clients.

A-MPDU Aggregated-MAC Packet Data Unit, is a group of MPDUs which built an PSDU (Physical Service Data Unit). It will lower Aggregation: overhead and provides robust recovery in case of loss.

Short GI: Check this box to reduce the guard interval time therefore increasing the data capacity. However, it's less reliable and may create higher data loss.

#### Wireless Band : 5GHz Band Transmit Power : High ¥ Beacon Period : 100 (20..1000)RTS Threshold : 2346 (0..2347)Fragmentation Threshold : 2346 (256..2346) DTIM Interval : 1 (1..255)802.11d Enable : 🦳 Wireless Isolation : WMM Enable : 🔽 A-MPDU Aggregation : 🔽 Short GI : 🔽 Extra Wireless Protection : 🔽

#### ADVANCED WIRELESS SETTINGS

# **WISH Settings**

WISH is short for Wireless Intelligent Stream Handling, a technology developed to enhance your experience of using a wireless network by prioritizing the traffic of different applications.

- Enable WISH: Enable this option if you want to allow WISH to prioritize your traffic.
  - **HTTP:** Allows the router to recognize HTTP transfers for many common audio and video streams and prioritize them above other traffic. Such streams are frequently used by digital media players.
- Windows Media Enables the router to recognize certain audio Center: and video streams generated by a Windows Media Center PC and to prioritize these above other traffic. Such streams are used by systems known as Windows Media Extenders, such as the Xbox 360.
  - Automatic: When enabled, this option causes the router to automatically attempt to prioritize traffic streams that it doesn't otherwise recognize, based on the behaviour that the streams exhibit. This acts to deprioritize streams that exhibit bulk transfer characteristics, such as file transfers, while leaving interactive traffic, such as gaming or VoIP, running at a normal priority.



WISH Rules: A WISH Rule identifies a specific message flow and assigns a priority to that flow. For most applications, the priority classifiers ensure the right priorities and specific WISH Rules are not required.

WISH supports overlaps between rules. If more than one rule matches for a specific message flow, the rule with the highest priority will be used.

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

**Priority:** The priority of the message flow is entered here. The four priorities are defined as:

BK: Background (least urgent)BE: Best Effort.VI: VideoVO: Voice (most urgent)

24 ·	WISH RULES		
	Name	Priority Best Effort (BE)	Protocol
	Host 1 IP Range 0.0.0.0 to 255.255	5.255.255	Host 1 Port Range 0 to 65535
	Host 2 IP Range 0.0.0.0 to 255.255	5.255.255	Host 2 Port Range 0 to 65535

**Protocol:** The protocol used by the messages.

Host IP Range: The rule applies to a flow of messages for which one computer's IP address falls within the range set here.

Host Port Range: The rule applies to a flow of messages for which host's port number is within the range set here.

## **Advanced Network Settings**

- **Enable UPnP:** To use the Universal Plug and Play (UPnP<sup>™</sup>) feature click on **Enabled**. UPNP provides compatibility with networking equipment, software and peripherals.
  - WAN Ping: Unchecking the box will not allow the DIR-855 to respond to pings. Blocking the Ping may provide some extra security from hackers. Check the box to allow the Internet port to be "pinged".
- WAN Ping Inbound Select from the drop-down menu if you would Filter: like to apply the Inbound Filter to the WAN ping. Refer to page 44 for more information regarding Inbound Filter.
- WAN Port Speed: You may set the port speed of the Internet port to 10Mbps, 100Mbps, or auto. Some older cable or DSL modems may require you to set the port speed to 10Mbps.
- Multicast streams: Check the box to allow multicast traffic to pass through the router from the Internet.



# **Administrator Settings**

This page will allow you to change the Administrator and User passwords. You can also enable Remote Management. There are two accounts that can access the management interface through the web browser. The accounts 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. Only the admin account has the ability to change both admin and user account passwords.

- Admin Password: Enter a new password for the Administrator Login Name. The administrator can make changes to the settings.
  - **User Password:** Enter the new password for the User login. If you login as the User, you can only see the settings, but cannot change them.

System Name: Enter a name for the DIR-855 router.

Remote Remote management allows the DIR-855 to be configured Management: 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.

Remote Admin Port: The port number used to access the DIR-855. Example: http://x.x.x.x8080 whereas x.x.x.x is the Internet IP address of the DIR-855 and 8080 is the port used for the Web Management interface.

Inbound Filter: This section will list any rules that are created. You may click the Edit icon to change the settings or enable/disable the rule, or click the Delete icon to remove the rule.



# **Time Settings**

The Time Configuration option allows you to configure, update, and maintain the correct time on the internal system clock. From this section you can set the time zone that you are in and set the Time Server. Daylight Saving can also be configured to automatically adjust the time when needed.

- Time Zone: Select the Time Zone from the drop-down menu.
- **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.
- Enable NTP Server: NTP is short for Network Time Protocol. NTP synchronizes computer clock times in a network of computers. Check this box to use a NTP server. This will only connect to a server on the Internet, not a local server.
  - NTP Server Used: Enter the NTP server or select one from the drop-down menu.
    - Manual: To manually input the time, enter the values in these fields for the Year, Month, Day, Hour, Minute, and Second and then click Set Time. You can also click Copy Your Computer's Time Settings.



# SysLog

The Broadband Router keeps a running log of events and activities occurring on the Router. You may send these logs to a SysLog server on your network.

Enable Logging to Check this box to send the router logs to a SysLog Server: SysLog Server.

SysLog Server IP The address of the SysLog server that will be Address: used to send the logs. You may also select your computer from the drop-down menu (only if receiving an IP address from the router via DHCP).



# **Email Settings**

The Email feature can be used to send the system log files, router alert messages, and firmware update notification to your email address.

**Enable Email** When this option is enabled, router activity logs **Notification:** are e-mailed to a designated email address.

**From Email** This email address will appear as the sender **Address:** when you receive a log file or firmware upgrade notification via email.

- To Email Address: Enter the email address where you want the email sent.
  - SMTP Server Enter the SMTP server address for sending email. Address: If your SMTP server requires authentication, select this option.

**Enable** Check this box if your SMTP server requires **Authentication:** authentication.

Account Name: Enter your account for sending email.

- **Password:** Enter the password associated with the account. Re-type the password associated with the account.
- **On Log Full:** When this option is selected, logs will be sent via email when the log is full.
- **On Schedule:** Selecting this option will send the logs via email according to schedule.



Schedule: This option is enabled when On Schedule is selected. You can select a schedule from the list of defined schedules. To create a schedule, go to Tools > Schedules.

# **System Settings**

This section allows you to manage the router's configuration settings, reboot the router, and restore the router to the factory default settings. Restoring the unit to the factory default settings will erase all settings, including any rules that you've created.

Save Settings to Use this option to save the current router Local Hard Drive: configuration settings to a file on the hard disk of the computer you are using. First, click the Save button. You will then see a file dialog, where you can select a location and file name for the settings.

Local Hard Drive: In this option to load previously saved Local Hard Drive: In the provide the provide

**Restore to Factory Default Settings:** This option will restore all configuration settings back to the settings that were in effect at the time the router was shipped from the factory. Any settings that have not been saved will be lost, including any rules that you have created. If you want to save the current router configuration settings, use the **Save** button above.

Reboot Device: Click to reboot the router.



# **Update Firmware**

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 locate the firmware file 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 Check Now to find out if there is an updated firmware; if so, download the new firmware to your hard drive.
  - Browse: After you have downloaded the new firmware, click Browse to locate the firmware update on your hard drive. Click Upload to complete the firmware upgrade.
  - Notifications Check Automatically Check Online for Options: Latest Firmware Version to have the router check automatically to see if there is a new firmware upgrade.

Check **Email Notification of Newer Firmware Version** to have the router send an email when there is a new firmware available.



## DDNS

The DDNS feature allows you to host a server (Web, FTP, Game Server, etc...) using a domain name that you have purchased (www.whateveryournameis.com) with your dynamically assigned IP address. Most broadband Internet Service Providers assign dynamic (changing) IP addresses. Using a DDNS service provider, your friends can enter in your domain name to connect to your server no matter what your IP address is.

- Enable Dynamic Dynamic Domain Name System is a method ofDNS: keeping a domain name linked to a changingIP Address. Check the box to enable DDNS.
- Server Address: Choose your DDNS provider from the drop down menu.
  - Host Name: Enter the Host Name that you registered with your DDNS service provider.
- Username or Key: Enter the Username for your DDNS account.
- Password or Key: Enter the Password for your DDNS account.

Timeout: Enter a time (in hours).



## System Check

**Ping Test:** The Ping Test is used to send Ping packets to test if a computer is on the Internet. Enter the IP Address that you wish to Ping, and click **Ping**.

**Ping Results:** The results of your ping attempts will be displayed here.



# Schedules

Schedules can be created for use with enforcing rules. For example, if you want to restrict web access to Mon-Fri from 3pm to 8pm, you could create a schedule selecting Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, and Fri and enter a Start Time of 3pm and End Time of 8pm.

Name: Enter a name for your new schedule.

- **Days:** Select a day, a range of days, or All Week to include every day.
- Time: Check All Day 24hrs or enter a start and end time for your schedule.
- Save: Click Save to save your schedule. You must click Save Settings at the top for your schedules to go into effect.
- Schedule Rules The list of schedules will be listed here. Click the List: Edit icon to make changes or click the Delete icon to remove the schedule.



## **Device Information**

This page displays the current information for the DIR-855. It will display the LAN, WAN (Internet), and Wireless information. If your Internet connection is set up for a Dynamic IP address then a **Release** button and a **Renew** button will be displayed. Use **Release** to disconnect from your ISP and use **Renew** to connect to your ISP.

If your Internet connection is set up for PPPoE, a **Connect** button and a **Disconnect** button will be displayed. Use **Disconnect** to drop the PPPoE connection and use **Connect** to establish the PPPoE connection.

**General:** Displays the router's time and firmware version.

- **WAN:** Displays the MAC address and the public IP settings for the router.
- LAN: Displays the MAC address and the private (local) IP settings for the router.
- Wireless LAN: Displays the wireless MAC address and your wireless settings such as SSID and Channel.
- LAN Computers: Displays computers and devices that are connected to the router via Ethernet and that are receiving an IP address assigned by the router (DHCP).

**IGMP Multicast** Displays the Multicast Group IP Address. **Memberships:** 

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DEVICE INFORM	IATION		
All of your Internet	t and network connection de	tals are displayed on this	page. The firmware
version is also depi	layed here.		
GENERAL			
Property and a second state	A.S. 2111-1-3	Concernence of the second	920
	Time : Saturday, Jan	uary 31, 2004 11:53:58	AM
Firmw	are Version : 1.00, 2007	/10/17	
WAN			
Conne	ection Type : DHCP Clent		
	QoS Engine : Active able Status : Disconnected	Ξ.	
Netw	work Status : Disconnected		
Connecti	ion Up Time : N/A		
	Receve.	alacana	
м	AC Address : 00:03:64:00:	01:23	
9	IP Address : 0.0.0.0		
Defa	dt Gateway : 0.0.0.0		
Primary	DNS Server : 0.0.0.0		
Secondary	DNS Server : 0.0.0.0		
1000			
allana.			
м	AC Address : 00:03:64:00:	01:24	
	IP Address : 192.168.0.1		
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WIRELESS LAN			
	where found a 12 draw former		
W	reless Band : 2.4642 Bank reless Radio : Enabled		
м	AC Address : 00:19:58:5E	CB:52	
Network N	ame (SSID) : dirk		
122	Channel: 1		
Sec	with Action		
Wi-Fi Prote	cted Setup : Enabled/Not	Configured	
		2011791318	
WIRELESS LAN			
w	reless Band : SGHz Band		
wir	eless Radio : Enabled		
м	AC Address : 00:18:11:F2:	91:00	
Network N	ame (SSID) : dirk_media		
<b>6</b> -1	Channel: 157		
580	WISH : Active		
Wi-Fi Prote	cted Setup : Enabled/Not	Configured	
LAN COMPUTER	8		
ChartebrandTex	N/C		
IP Address	Name (if any)	MAC	
192.168.0.100	BLACK-53	00:0fb0:5	Sare7:de

# Log

The router automatically logs (records) events of possible interest in it's internal memory. If there isn't enough internal memory for all events, logs of older events are deleted but logs of the latest events are retained. The Logs option allows you to view the router logs. You can define what types of events you want to view and the level of the events to view. 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.

- What to View: You can select the types of messages that you want to display from the log. Firewall & Security, System, and Router Status messages can be selected.
- View Levels: There are three levels of message importance: Informational, Warning, and Critical. Select the levels that you want displayed in the log.
- Apply Log Settings: Will filter the log results so that only the selected options appear.
  - **Refresh:** Updates the log details on the screen so it displays any recent activity.
    - **Clear:** Clears all of the log contents.
  - **Email Now:** This option will send a copy of the router log to the email address configured in the **Tools** > **Email** screen.
  - Save Log: This option will save the router to a log file on your computer.

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DEVICE INFO	LOGS				Helpful Hints
LOGS STATISTICS	System Logs				Check the log frequently to detect unauthorized network usage
INTERNET SESSIONS WIRELESS	Use this option to view the levels to view. This router on your network that is ru	router logs. You can define ( also has external syslog serv nning a syslog utility.	what types of events you war er support so you can send th	nt to view and the event ne log files to a computer	You can also have the log mailed to you periodically. Refer to <b>Tools → EMail</b> .
WISH SESSIONS	LOG OPTIONS				More
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## **Stats**

The screen below displays the Traffic Statistics. Here you can view the amount of packets that pass through the DIR-855 on both the Internet, LAN ports and both the 802.11n/g and 802.11a wireless bands. The traffic counter will reset if the device is rebooted.

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DIR-855	SETUP	ADVANCED	TOOLS	STATUS	SUPPORT
DEVICE INFO	TRAFFIC STATIST	C.C.			Helpful Hints
LOGS	Traffic Statistics displa	v Receive and Transmit p	ackets passing through you	ur router.	This is a summary of
STATISTICS	Refresh Statistics	Clear Statistics			the number of packets that have passed
INTERNET SESSIONS					between the WAN and the LAN since the
WIRELESS	LAN STATISTICS				router was last initialized.
WISH SESSIONS		Sent : 6181	Received	: 3222	More
	TX Packets I	Dropped: 4	RX Packets Dropped	: 0	nore
	C	Collisions : 0	Errors	: 0	
	WAN STATISTICS				
		Cont : 0	Deceived . (	_	
	TX Packets I	Dropped: 0	Received:( RX Packets Dropped:(		
	C	Collisions : 0	Errors : (	5	
	WIRELESS STATIS	TICS – 2.4GHZ BANI	)		
		Sent : 338	Received :	41	
	TX Packets I	Dropped: 0	RX Packets Dropped :	0	
			Errors :	4	
	WIRELESS STATIS	TICS – 5GHZ BAND			
			Possived		
		Sent : 381	RX Packets Dropped :	0	
	TX Packets I	Dropped: 0	Errors :	0	
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# **Internet Sessions**

The Internet Sessions page displays full details of active Internet sessions through your router. An Internet session is a conversation between a program or application on a LAN-side computer and a program or application on a WAN-side computer.

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DIR-855	SE	TUP	A	DVANCED	្រា	OOLS		STATUS	SUPPORT
DEVICE INFO	INTERN	NET SES	SIONS						Helpful Hints
LOGS	This pa	ge displa	ys the full deta	ails of active inte	rnet session	is to yo	our router.		This is a list of all active
STATISTICS									WAN computers and
INTERNET SESSIONS	Local	NAT	Internet	Protocol	State	Dir	Priority	Time Out	LAN computers.
WIRELESS									More
WISH SESSIONS	Ĉ.								
WIRELESS									

### Wireless

The wireless client table displays a list of current connected wireless clients. This table also displays the connection time and MAC address of the connected wireless clients.



### WISH

The WISH details page displays full details of wireless clients that are connected when WISH is enabled.



# Support

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DIR-855	SETUP	ADVANCED	TOOLS	STATUS	SUPPORT
MENU	SUPPORT MENU				
SETUP	<ul> <li>Setup</li> </ul>				
	Advanced     Tools				
STATUS	<u>Status</u> <u>Glossary</u>				
GLOSSARY					
	SETUP HELP				
	Internet Connecti     WAN     Wireless     Network Settings	n			
	ADVANCED HELP				
	Virtual Server     Port Forwarding     Application Rules     OOS ENGINE     Routing     Access Control     Web Filter     MAC Address Filte     Firewall     Inbound Filter     Advanced Wireles	r E			
	TOOLS HELP Admin Syslag Syslag System Firmware Dramic DNS Windows Connect System Check System Check Schedules Sentinel Services	Now			
	STATUS HELP Device Info Wireless Routing Loas Statistics Active Sessions				
WIRELESS					

# **Wireless Security**

This section will show you the different levels of security you can use to protect your data from intruders. The DIR-855 offers the following types of security:

- WPA2 (Wi-Fi Protected Access 2)
- WPA (Wi-Fi Protected Access)

- WPA2-PSK (Pre-Shared Key)
- WPA-PSK (Pre-Shared Key)

# What is WPA?

WPA, or Wi-Fi Protected Access, is a Wi-Fi standard that was designed to improve the security features of WEP (Wired Equivalent Privacy).

The 2 major improvements over WEP:

- Improved data encryption through the Temporal Key Integrity Protocol (TKIP). TKIP scrambles the keys using a hashing algorithm and, by adding an integrity-checking feature, ensures that the keys haven't been tampered with. WPA2 is based on 802.11i and uses Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) instead of TKIP.
- User authentication, which is generally missing in WEP, through the extensible authentication protocol (EAP). WEP regulates access to a wireless network based on a computer's hardware-specific MAC address, which is relatively simple to be sniffed out and stolen. EAP is built on a more secure public-key encryption system to ensure that only authorized network users can access the network.

WPA-PSK/WPA2-PSK uses a passphrase or key to authenticate your wireless connection. The key is an alpha-numeric password between 8 and 63 characters long. The password can include symbols (!?\*&\_) and spaces. This key must be the exact same key entered on your wireless router or access point.

WPA/WPA2 incorporates user authentication through the Extensible Authentication Protocol (EAP). EAP is built on a more secure public key encryption system to ensure that only authorized network users can access the network.

# **Wireless Security Setup Wizard**

To run the security wizard, click on Setup at the top and then click Launch Wireless Security Setup Wizard.

Check the **Manually set 5GHz band Network Name...** box to manually set your desired wireless network name for the 5GHz band.

Type your desired wireless network name (SSID).

Automatically: Select this option to automatically generate the router's network key and click **Next**.

**Manually:** Select this option to manually enter your network key and click **Next**.

Check the "Use WPA encryption..." box to use WPA.



STEP 1: WELCOME TO THE D-LINK WIRELESS SECURITY SETUP WIZARD
Give your network a name, using up to 32 characters.
Network Name (SSID) 2.4GHz Band : dlink
Manually set 5GHz band Network Name (SSID)
Network Name (SSID) 5GHz Band : dlink_media
To prevent outsiders from accessing your network, the router will automatically assign a security (also called WEP or WPA key) to your network. Manually assign a network key Use this options if you prefer to create our own key.
Use WPA encryption instead of WEP(WPA is stronger than WEP and all D-Link wireless client adapters support WPA)
Note: All D-Link wireless adapters currently support WPA.
Prev Next Cancel Save

If you selected **Automatically**, the summary window will display your settings. Write down the security key and enter this on your wireless clients. Click **Save** to save your settings.

#### SETUP COMPLETE! Below is a detailed summary of your wireless security settings. Please print this page out, or write the information on a piece of paper, so you can configure the correct settings on your wireless client adapters. Wireless Network Name (SSID) : dlink Wep Key Length: 128 bits Default WEP Key to Use : 1 Authentication : Both Wep Key: 6494971F655A79EA71AC7268F0 Wireless Network Name (SSID) : dlink\_media Wep Key Length: 128 bits Default WEP Key to Use : 1 Authentication : Both Wep Key: 6494971F655A79EA71AC7268F0 Prev Next Cancel Save

# Add Wireless Device with WPS Wizard

From the **Basic** > **Wizard** screen, click **Add Wireless Device** with WPS.

ADD WIRELESS DEVICE WITH WPS (WI-FI PROTECTED SETUP) WIZARD
This wizard is designed to assist you in connecting your wireless device to your router. It will guide you through step-by-step instructions on how to get your wireless device connected. Click the button below to begin.
Add Wireless Device with WPS

Select **Auto** to add a wireless client using WPS (Wi-Fi Protected Setup). Once you select **Auto** and click **Connect**, you will have a 120 second time limit to apply the settings to your wireless client(s) and successfully establish a connection.

If you select **Manual**, a settings summary screen will appear. Write down the security key and enter this on your wireless clients.

**PIN:** Select this option to use PIN method. In order to use this method you must know the wireless client's 8 digit PIN and click **Connect**.

**PBC:** Select this option to use PBC (Push Button) method to add a wireless client. Click **Connect**.



STEP 2: CONNECT YOUR WIRELESS DEVICE
There are two ways to add wireless device to your wireless network: -PIN (Personal Identification Number) -PBC (Push Button Configuration)
PIN:     please enter the PIN from your wireless device and click the below 'Connect' Button
PBC please press the push button on your wireless device and click the below 'Connect' Button within 120 seconds
Prev Next Cancel Connect

# **Configure WPA-Personal (PSK)**

It is recommended to enable encryption on your wireless router before your wireless network adapters. Please establish wireless connectivity before enabling encryption. Your wireless signal may degrade when enabling encryption due to the added overhead.

- 1. Log into the web-based configuration by opening a web browser and entering the IP address of the router (192.168.0.1). Click on **Setup** and then click **Wireless Settings** on the left side.
- 2. Next to Security Mode, select WPA-Personal.
- 3. Next to *WPA Mode*, select **Auto**, **WPA2 Only**, or **WPA Only**. Use **Auto** if you have wireless clients using both WPA and WPA2.
- 4. Next to Cypher Type, select TKIP and AES, TKIP, or AES.
- 5. Next to *Group Key Update Interval*, enter the amount of time before the group key used for broadcast and multicast data is changed (3600 is default).



7. Click **Save Settings** to save your settings. If you are configuring the router with a wireless adapter, you will lose connectivity until you enable WPA-PSK on your adapter and enter the same passphrase as you did on the router.

WIRELESS SECURITY MODE		
To protect your privacy you can configure wireless security features. This device supports two wireless security modes including: WPA-Personal, and WPA-Enterprise. WPA provides a higher level of security. WPA-Personal does not require an authentication server. The WPA-Enterprise option requires an external RADIUS server.		
Security Mode :	WPA-Personal 💌	
WPA		
WPA requires stations to use high grade encryption and authentication. For legacy compatibility, use <b>WPA or WPA2</b> mode. This mode uses WPA for legacy clients while maintaining higher security with stations that are WPA2 capable. The strongest cipher that the client supports will be used. For best security, use <b>WPA2</b> Only mode. In this mode, legacy stations are not allowed access with WPA security. The AES cipher will be used across the wireless network to ensure best security.		
WPA Mode :	Auto (WPA or WPA2)	
Cipher Type :	TKIP and AES 💌	
Group Key Update Interval :	3600 (seconds)	
PRE-SHARED KEY		
Pre-Shared Key :	•••••	

# **Configure WPA-Enterprise (RADIUS)**

It is recommended to enable encryption on your wireless router before your wireless network adapters. Please establish wireless connectivity before enabling encryption. Your wireless signal may degrade when enabling encryption due to the added overhead.

- 1. Log into the web-based configuration by opening a web browser and entering the IP address of the router (192.168.0.1). Click on **Setup** and then click **Wireless Settings** on the left side.
- 2. Next to Security Mode, select WPA-Enterprise.
- 3. Next to *WPA Mode*, select **Auto**, **WPA2 Only**, or **WPA Only**. Use **Auto** if you have wireless clients using both WPA and WPA2.
- 4. Next to Cypher Type, select TKIP and AES, TKIP, or AES.
- 5. Next to *Group Key Update Interval*, enter the amount of time before the group key used for broadcast and multicast data is changed (3600 is default).
- 6. Next to *Authentication Timeout*, enter the amount of time before a client is required to re-authenticate (60 minutes is default).
- 7. Next to RADIUS Server IP Address enter the IP Address of your RADIUS server.

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Security Mode :	WPA-Enterprise	
WPA		
WPA requires stations to use high grade encryption a mode uses WPA for legacy clients while maintaining h the client supports will be used. For best security, us WPA security. The AES cipher will be used across the	and authentication. For legacy compatibility, use <b>WPA or WPA2</b> mode. This igher security with stations that are WPA2 capable. The strongest cipher that e <b>WPA2 Only</b> mode. In this mode, legacy stations are not allowed access wit wireless network to ensure best security.	
WPA Mode :	Auto (WPA or WPA2)	
Cipher Type :	TKIP and AES 💌	
Group Key Update Interval :	3600 (seconds)	
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- 8. Next to *RADIUS Server Port*, enter the port you are using with your RADIUS server. 1812 is the default port.
- 9. Next to *RADIUS Server Shared Secret*, enter the security key.
- 10. If the *MAC Address Authentication* box is selected then the user will need to connect from the same computer whenever logging into the wireless network.
- 11. Click **Advanced** to enter settings for a secondary RADIUS Server.
- 12. Click **Apply Settings** to save your settings.

When WPA enterprise is enabled, the router uses EAP (802.1x) to authenticate clients via a remote RADIUS server.		
60 (minutes)		
0.0.0.0		
1812		
radius_shared		
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1812		
radius_shared		

# Connect to a Wireless Network Using Windows<sup>®</sup> Vista<sup>™</sup>

Windows<sup>®</sup> Vista<sup>™</sup> users may use the built-in wireless utility. If you are using another company's utility or Windows<sup>®</sup> 2000, please refer to the user manual of your wireless adapter for help with connecting to a wireless network. Most utilities will have a "site survey" option similar to the Windows<sup>®</sup> Vista<sup>™</sup> utility as seen below.

If you receive the **Wireless Networks Detected** bubble, click on the center of the bubble to access the utility.

or

Right-click on the wireless computer icon in your system tray (lower-right corner next to the time). Select **Connect to a network**.

The utility will display any available wireless networks in your area. Click on a network (displayed using the SSID) and click the **Connect** button.

If you get a good signal but cannot access the Internet, check you TCP/IP settings for your wireless adapter. Refer to the **Networking Basics** section in this manual for more information.





# **Configure Wireless Security**

It is recommended to enable wireless security (WPA/WPA2) on your wireless router or access point before configuring your wireless adapter. If you are joining an existing network, you will need to know the security key or passphrase being used.

1. Open the Windows<sup>®</sup> Vista<sup>™</sup> Wireless Utility by right-clicking on the wireless computer icon in your system tray (lower right corner of screen). Select **Connect to a network**.



**2.** Highlight the wireless network (SSID) you would like to connect to and click **Connect**.



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**3.** Enter the same security key or passphrase that is on your router and click **Connect**.

It may take 20-30 seconds to connect to the wireless network. If the connection fails, please verify that the security settings are correct. The key or passphrase must be exactly the same as on the wireless router.

Type the network see	irity key or passphrase for Candy	
The person who setup the n	twork can give you the key or passphrase.	
Security key or passphrase:		
Display characters		

# Connect Using WCN 2.0 in Windows Vista<sup>m</sup>

The router supports Wi-Fi protection, referred to as WCN 2.0 in Windows Vista<sup>™</sup>. The following instructions for setting this up depends on whether you are using Windows Vista<sup>™</sup> to configure the router or third party software.

When you first set up the router, Wi-Fi protection is disabled and unconfigured. To enjoy the benefits of Wi-Fi protection, the router must be both enabled and configured. There are three basic methods to accomplish this: use Windows Vista's built-in support for WCN 2.0, use software provided by a third party, or manually configure.

If you are running Windows Vista<sup>™</sup>, log into the router and click the **Enable** checkbox in the **Basic** > **Wireless** section. Use the Current PIN that is displayed on the **Advanced** > **Wi-Fi Protected Setup** section or choose to click the **Generate New PIN** button or **Reset PIN to Default** button.

For additional information, please refer to page 47.

PIN SETTINGS		
Current PIN :	53468734	
	Reset PIN to Default	Generate New PIN

If you are using third party software to set up Wi-Fi Protection, carefully follow the directions. When you are finished, proceed to the next section to set up the newly-configured router.

# Connect to a Wireless Network Using Windows® XP

Windows<sup>®</sup> XP users may use the built-in wireless utility (Zero Configuration Utility). The following instructions are for Service Pack 2 users. If you are using another company's utility or Windows<sup>®</sup> 2000, please refer to the user manual of your wireless adapter for help with connecting to a wireless network. Most utilities will have a "site survey" option similar to the Windows<sup>®</sup> XP utility as seen below.

If you receive the **Wireless Networks Detected** bubble, click on the center of the bubble to access the utility.

or

Right-click on the wireless computer icon in your system tray (lower-right corner next to the time). Select **View Available Wireless Networks**.

The utility will display any available wireless networks in your area. Click on a network (displayed using the SSID) and click the **Connect** button.

If you get a good signal but cannot access the Internet, check you TCP/IP settings for your wireless adapter. Refer to the **Networking Basics** section in this manual for more information.





# **Configure WPA-PSK**

It is recommended to enable WPA on your wireless router or access point before configuring your wireless adapter. If you are joining an existing network, you will need to know the WPA key being used.

- Open the Windows<sup>®</sup> XP Wireless Utility by right-clicking on the wireless computer icon in your system tray (lower-right corner of screen). Select View Available Wireless Networks.
- 2. Highlight the wireless network (SSID) you would like to connect to and click **Connect**.





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**3.** The **Wireless Network Connection** box will appear. Enter the WPA-PSK passphrase and click **Connect**.

It may take 20-30 seconds to connect to the wireless network. If the connection fails, please verify that the WPA-PSK settings are correct. The WPA-PSK passphrase must be exactly the same as on the wireless router.

Wireless Network Con	nection 🔀
The network 'test1' require key helps prevent unknow	is a network key (also called a WEP key or WPA key). A network n intruders from connecting to this network.
Type the key, and then click Connect.	
Network <u>k</u> ey:	1
Confirm network key:	
	<u>C</u> onnect Cancel