

# RouterBOARD Groove

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## Quick Setup Guide and Warranty Information

The RouterBOARD **Groove** comes preinstalled in an outdoor case, with a built-in wireless interface, an N-Male antenna connector, and one 10/100/1000 Ethernet connector which supports MDI-X auto detection. The device is packaged with a 24V power adapter, a PoE injector and two mounting loops. Several models are available (dual band, single band, AP and CPE variants).

### First use

1. Connect the antenna to the N-Male connector
2. Twist to open the Groove case, connect an Ethernet cable to the Ethernet port
3. Use the provided rubber insulator to put on the Ethernet cable, and push it into the case opening, so that the opening is tightly closed
4. The Groove accepts 10-30V Passive PoE from a PoE injector
5. The default IP address from Ether1 is 192.168.88.1 for configuration  
Username is **admin** and there is **no password**
6. Depending on the antenna used, you must set it's gain in the RouterOS software to ensure that EIRP meets the limit set by authorities. This is done in the Wireless menu.

### Powering

The board accepts powering from the Ethernet port (Passive PoE):

- Ethernet port accepts passive Power over Ethernet 10-30V DC. Package contains a 24V adapter and a PoE injector.

Maximum power consumption of the device is 5W.

### Booting process

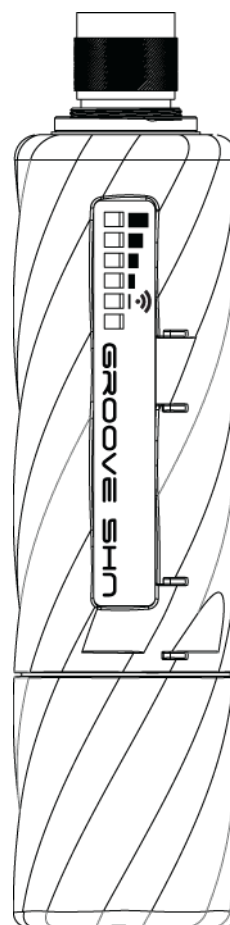
Initial connection has to be done via the Ethernet cable. Open **192.168.88.1** in your web browser, and choose "Webfig" for browser based configuration or "Winbox" for a Windows utility with the same functions. Username is **admin** and there is no password. In case IP connection is not available, Winbox can be used to connect to the MAC address of the device. More information here: [http://wiki.mikrotik.com/wiki/First\\_time\\_startup](http://wiki.mikrotik.com/wiki/First_time_startup)

In case you wish to boot the device from network, for example to use MikroTik Netinstall, hold the RESET button of the device when starting it until the LED light turns off, and Metal will start to look for Netinstall servers.

### Mounting

The Groove is to be mounted vertically, so that the Ethernet cable points downwards.

If you wish to tighten the Groove to a pole, you can do it with the provided mounting loops. The Groove comes bundled with two mounting loops - guide the loops around the Groove though the provided edge markings, and around the pole where it will be mounted. You should avoid connecting a loose Ethernet cable to the Ethernet port, secure the cable to a wall or the pole, so that the cable weight is not pulling the port. It is recommended to secure the Ethernet cable less than 2m from the Groove device. This is to ensure that the cable doesn't damage the port by it's weight, or doesn't fall out.



## Expansion Slots and Ports

- Built in 5GHz or 2GHz (or both) wireless device (depends on model), 1x1 MIMO
- One 10/100/1000 Ethernet port, supporting automatic cross/straight cable correction (Auto MDI/X), so you can use either straight or cross-over cable for connecting to other network devices. The Ethernet port accepts 30V DC powering from a passive PoE injector.

## Buttons and Jumpers

- RouterOS reset jumper hole (no direct access, board has removed from case) – resets RouterOS software to defaults. Must short circuit the metallic sides of the hole (with a screwdriver, for example) and boot the device. Hold screwdriver in place until RouterOS configuration is cleared.
- RouterBOOT reset button (access through the plastic door) has two functions:
  - Hold this button during boot time until LED light starts flashing, release the button to **reset RouterOS configuration** (same result as with reset hole)
  - Hold this button during boot time longer, until LED turns off, then release it to make the device **look for Netinstall servers**.

## Operating System Support

Currently tested operating system is MikroTik RouterOS (starting from version v5.0).

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2. We do not offer repairs for products that are not covered by warranty. Exceptions can be made for RB1000 series.
3. Out-of-warranty devices and devices not covered by warranty sent to MikroTiks will be returned to the sender at sender's cost.

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## Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement (FCC ID: TV7GRV-A52HPC)

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.

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

### **IMPORTANT: Exposure to Radio Frequency Radiation.**

65 cm minimum distance has to be maintained between the antenna and the occupational user and 145 cm to general public. Under such configuration, the FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an population/uncotrolled environment can be satisfied.

**Antenna Installation. WARNING:** It is installer's responsibility to ensure that when using the authorized antennas in the United States (or where FCC rules apply); only those antennas certified with the product are used. The use of any antenna other than those certified with the product is expressly forbidden in accordance to FCC rules CFR47 part 15.204. The installer should configure the output power level of antennas, according to country regulations and per antenna type. Professional installation is required of equipment with connectors to ensure compliance with health and safety issues.

#### **LIST OF APPROVED 2GHz ANTENNAS:**

- 24 dBi Dish DC 24-HD-PFIP
- 20 dBi Panel WLP-2450-20
- 17 dBi Sector SA 24-90-17-WB
- 15 dBi Omni Directional (pole) WLO-2450-15
- 13 dBi Omni Directional HP ODH 24-13

#### **LIST OF APPROVED 5GHz ANTENNAS:**

- 8.5 dBi Omni MTI Wireless MT-482016/N/A
- 24 dBi Panel Pacific Wireless PA58-24-ANT
- 32 dBi Dish Antenna HDDA5W-32-DP2

## **Industry Canada (IC:7442A-GRVA52HPC)**

This device complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence. L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes : (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

### **LE-LAN device restriction:**

**The device for operation in the band 5150–5250 MHz is only for indoor use to reduce the potential for harmful interference to co-channel mobile satellite systems;**

**Users should also be advised that high-power radars are allocated as primary users (i.e. priority users) of the bands 5250-5350 MHz and 5650-5850 MHz and that these radars could cause interference and/or damage to LE-LAN devices.**

**les dispositifs fonctionnant dans la bande de 5 150 à 5 250 MHz sont réservés uniquement pour une utilisation à l'intérieur afin de réduire les risques de brouillage préjudiciable aux systèmes de satellites mobiles utilisant les mêmes canaux**

**Les utilisateurs devraient aussi être avisés, d'une part, que les utilisateurs de radars de haute puissance sont désignés utilisateurs principaux (c.-à-d., qu'ils ont la priorité) des bandes de 5 250 à 5 350 MHz et de 5 650 à 5 850 MHz et, d'autre part, que ces radars pourraient causer du brouillage et/ou des dommages aux dispositifs de RL-EL**



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**EN. Instruction manual:** Connect the power adapter to turn on the device. Open 192.168.88.1 in your web browser, to configure it. More information on <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**BG. Инструкциия:** Свържете адаптера на захранване, за да включите устройството. Отворете 192.168.88.1 в уеб браузър, за да настроите продукта. Повече информация в <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**CZ. Návod k použití:** Připojte napájecí adaptér k zapnutí přístroje. Otevřete 192.168.88.1 ve webovém prohlížeči pro konfiguraci produktu. Více informací najdete v <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**DK. Instruktionsbog:** Tilslut strømadapteren for at tænde for enheden. Åbn 192.168.88.1 i en webbrowser til at konfigurere produktet. Mere information i <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**FR. Mode d'emploi:** Connectez l'adaptateur d'alimentation pour allumer l'appareil. Ouvrez 192.168.88.1 dans un navigateur Web pour configurer le produit. Plus d'informations dans <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**DE. Bedienungsanleitung:** Verbinden Sie das Netzteil, um das Gerät einzuschalten. Öffnen Sie 192.168.88.1 in einem Web-Browser, um das Produkt zu konfigurieren. Weitere Informationen im <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**EE. Kasutusjuhend:** Ühendage toiteadapter seadme sisselülitamiseks. Avatud 192.168.88.1 in veebilehitseja seadistada toodet. Rohkem teavet <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**ES. Manual de instrucciones:** Conecte el adaptador de alimentación para encender la unidad. Abra 192.168.88.1 en un navegador web para configurar el producto. Más información en <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**IT. Manuale di istruzioni:** Collegare l'adattatore di alimentazione per accendere l'unità. Aprire 192.168.88.1 in un browser Web per configurare il prodotto. Maggiori informazioni in <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**LV. Lietošanas instrukcija:** Pievienojiet Strāvas adapteri, lai ieslēgtu ierīci. Atvērt 192.168.88.1 ar interneta pārlūku, lai konfigurētu produktu. Plašāka informācija <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**LT. Naudojimosi instrukcija:** Prijunkite maitinimo adapterį įjunkite įrenginį. Į interneto naršyklę 192.168.88.1 Atidarykite galite konfigūruoti gaminį. Daugiau informacijos rasite <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**HU. Használati utasítás:** Csatlakoztassa a hálózati adaptert a készülék bekapcsolásához. Megnyitása 192.168.88.1 egy webböngészőben beállítani a terméket. Több információ <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**NL. Handleiding:** Sluit voedingsadapter aan op het apparaat in te schakelen. Open 192.168.88.1 in een webbrowser om het product te configureren. Meer informatie in <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**PL. Instrukcja obsługi:** Podłącz adapter zasilania, aby włączyć urządzenie. Otwórz 192.168.88.1 w przeglądarce internetowej, aby skonfigurować urządzenie. Więcej informacji w <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**PT. Manual de instruções:** Conecte o adaptador de alimentação para ligar o aparelho. Abra 192.168.88.1 em um navegador da web para configurar o produto. Mais informações em <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**RO. Instrucțiuni de utilizare:** Conectați adaptorul de alimentare pentru a porni aparatul. Deschide 192.168.88.1 într-un browser web pentru a configura produsul. Mai multe informații în <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**SK. Návod na použití:** Připojte napájecí adaptér k zapnutí přístroje. Otvorte 192.168.88.1 vo webovom prehliadači pre konfiguráciu produktu. Viac informácií nájdete v <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**SI. Navodila:** Priključite napajalnik za vklop naprave. Odprite 192.168.88.1 v spletnem brskalniku nastaviti izdelek. Več informacij v <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**Fi. Käyttöohje:** Kytke virtalähde päälle laitteen. Avaa 192.168.88.1 in selaimen määrittää tuotteen. Lisää tietoa <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**SE. Instruktionsmanual:** Anslut nätadaptern för att slå på enheten. Öppna 192.168.88.1 i en webbläsare för att konfigurera produkten. Mer information på <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

**NO. Bruksanvisningen:** Koble strømadapteren for å slå på enheten. Åpne 192.168.88.1 i en nettleser for å konfigurere produktet. Mer informasjon på <http://wiki.mikrotik.com>

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