User's Guide

Wireless 802.11n CardBus PC Card

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IEEE 802.11b or 802.11g operation of this product in the U.S.A. is firmware-limited to channels 1 through 11.

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This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. End users must follow the specific operating instructions for satisfying RF exposure compliance. To maintain compliance with FCC RF exposure compliance requirements, please follow operation instruction as documented in this manual.

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Overview

Thank you for purchasing this product. Read this chapter to know about your IEEE 802.11n Wireless PC Card.

Unpacking Information

Before getting started, please verify that your package includes the following items:

1. IEEE 802.11n Wireless CardBus PC Card.
2. One Utility/ Manual CD.

Introduction to the IEEE 802.11n Wireless CardBus PC Card

The IEEE 802.11n Wireless PC Card provides users to launch IEEE 802.11n wireless network at 150/300 Mbps in the 2.4GHz band, which is also compatible with IEEE 802.11b/g wireless devices at 11/54 Mbps. You can configure this adapter with Ad-hoc mode to connect to other 2.4GHz wireless computers, or with Infrastructure mode to connect to a wireless AP or router for accessing to Internet. This adapter includes a convenient Utility for scanning available networks and saving preferred networks that users usually connected with. Security encryption can also be configured by this utility.
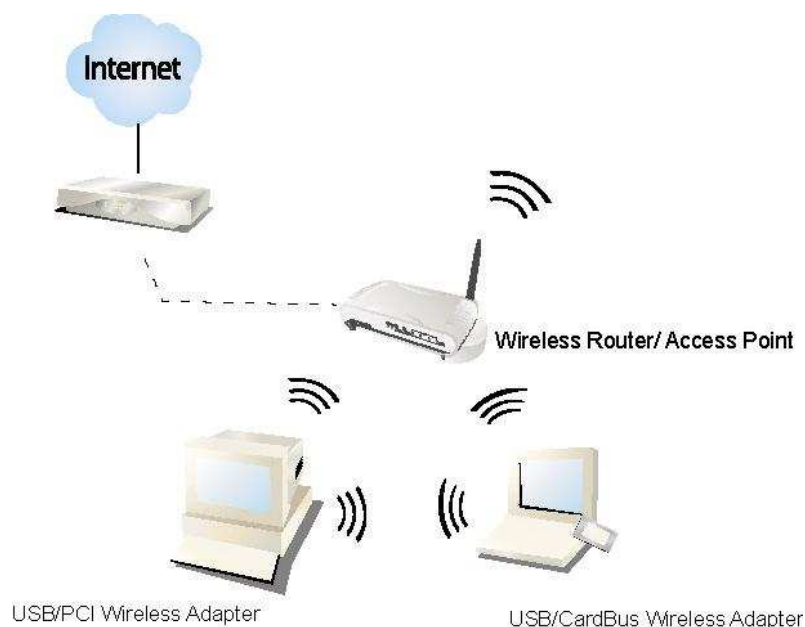
Key Features

- Complies with IEEE 802.11n draft 2.0, 802.11b/g wireless standards
- 2.4GHz frequency band, MIMO 1T2R
- Complies with 32-bit CardBus type II
- High speed transfer TX rate up to 150 Mbps
- High speed transfer RX rate up to 300 Mbps
- Supports auto-installation and diagnostic utilities

- Supports wireless data encryption with 64/128-bit WEP, WPA, WPA2
- Supports QoS: WMM, WMM-PS
- Supports multiple BSSID
- Supports driver for Windows 2000, XP 32/64, Vista 32/64, Linux (2.4.x/2.6.x), and Mac (10.3.x/10.4.x)

Installation Guide

Software Installation

Note:

- For Linux or Mac driver installation guide, please refer to the instruction in **/Driver/Linux/README** or **/Driver/Mac/README** in the CD-Rom.

- The following driver installation guide uses Windows XP as the presumed operation system. The procedures and screens in Windows 2000 and Vista are familiar with Windows XP.

1. Insert this product to your computer. The system finds the newly installed device automatically. Click **Cancel** to close this window.
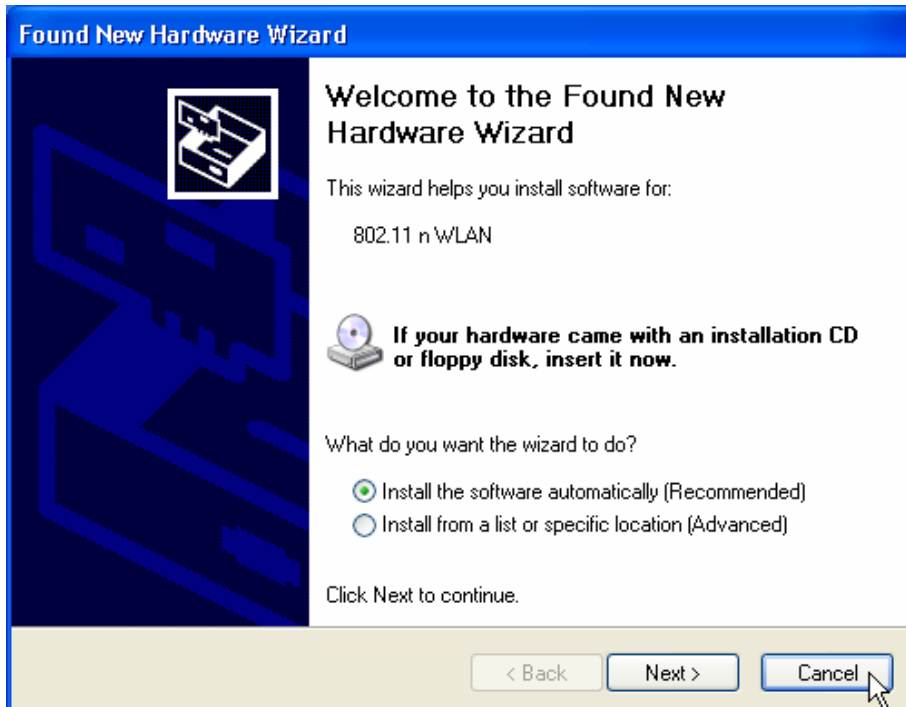

2. Insert the CD-Rom that came with this product to your CD-Rom drive. The menu window pops up automatically. Please click the **Driver** button of this product.

   Note: If the CD-Rom fails to auto-run, please click on **My Computer** > **your CD-Rom drive** > **(folder of this product) > Driver** then double-click the **Setup** icon to start this menu.

3. Select if you are going to configure your wireless network with this device or with Microsoft Zero Configuration tool.

   Note: This can be changed after installing this software.
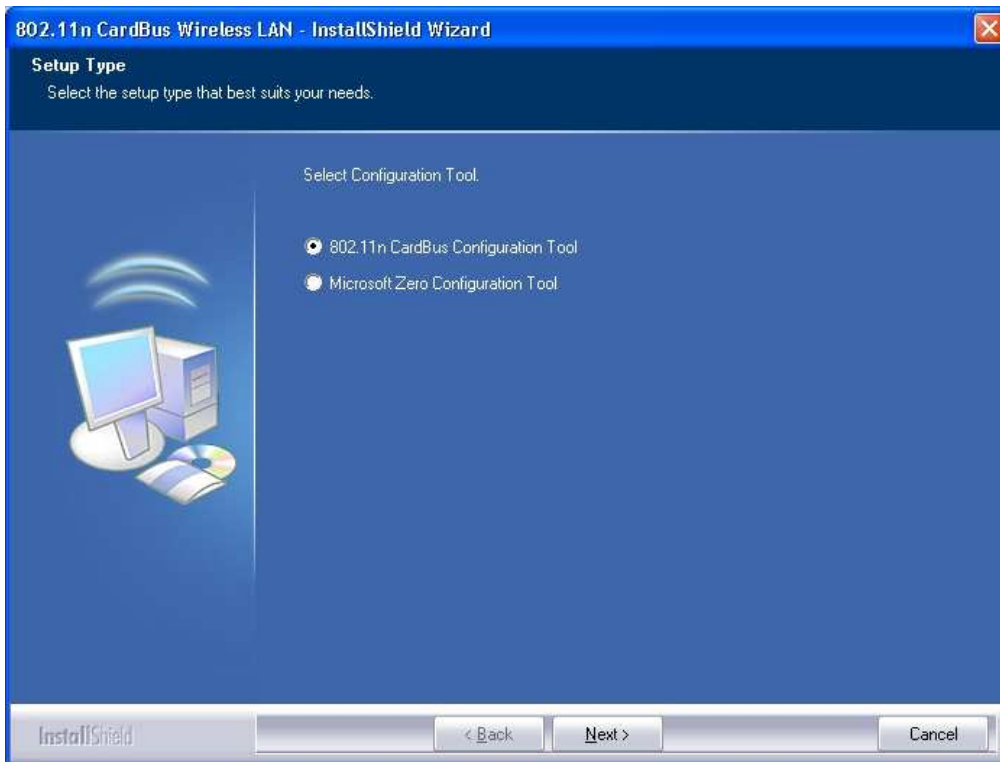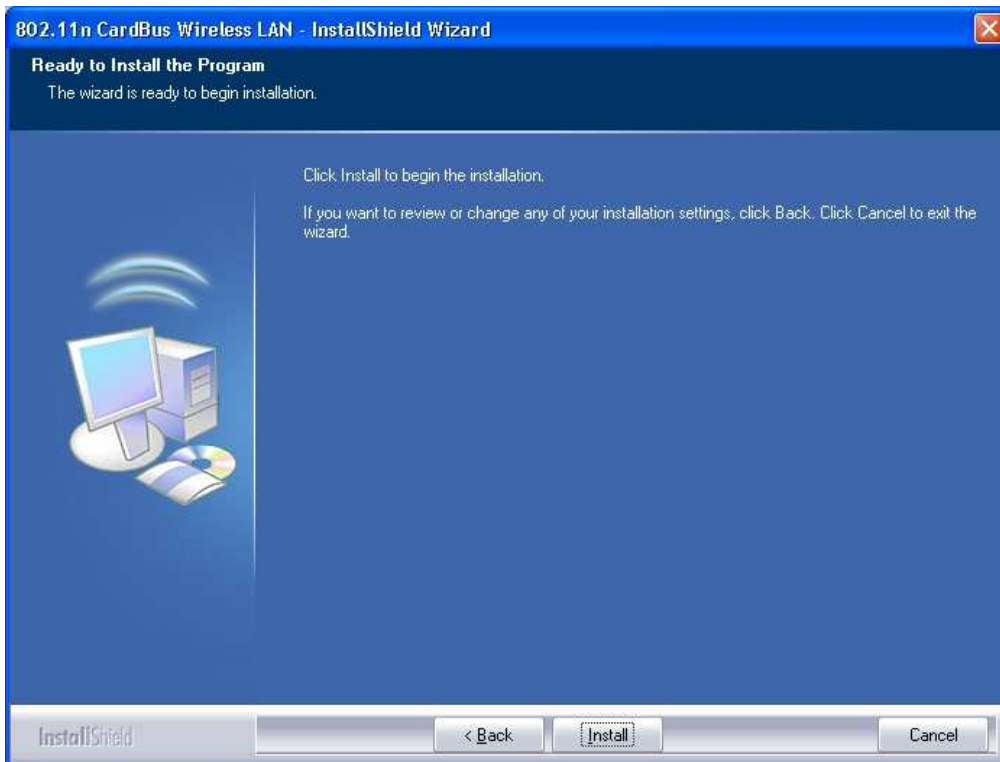

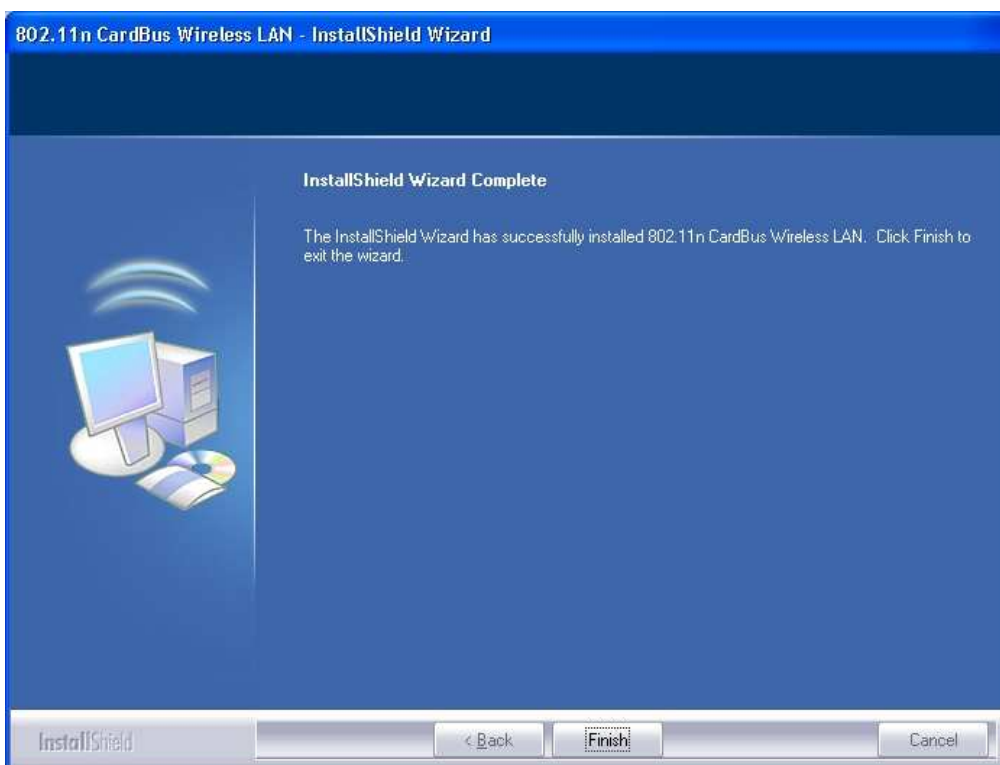4. Select to optimize this adapter in WiFi mode or performance mode.

   Note: The performance mode is only available while connecting to a TX Burst supported AP. Users that uses the AP without TX Burst please select WiFi mode (standard mode).
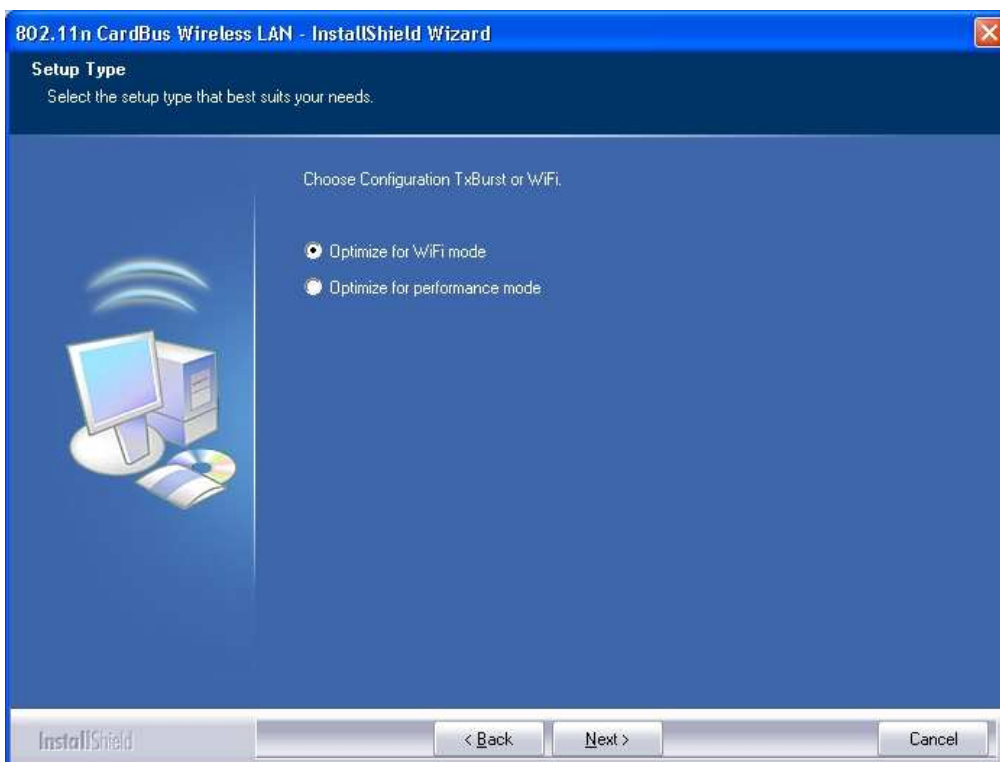
5. Click the **Install** button to start installing.

6. Click the **Finish** button to complete installation.

Management Guide

Read this chapter to understand the management interface of the device and how to manage the device.

Making a Basic Network Connection

Select a configuration tool

In the following instruction for making a network connection, we use the Utility we provide to configure your wireless network settings.

Note: You could use either the software we provide or Microsoft Zero Configuration tool to configure this adapter. To switch between the two configuration tools, please right click on the icon on system tray to select.

To connect with Microsoft Zero Configuration tool

After specifying the Microsoft Zero Configuration tool to configure your wireless network, right click on the icon on system tray. Select **View Available Wireless Networks** to specify your wireless network.
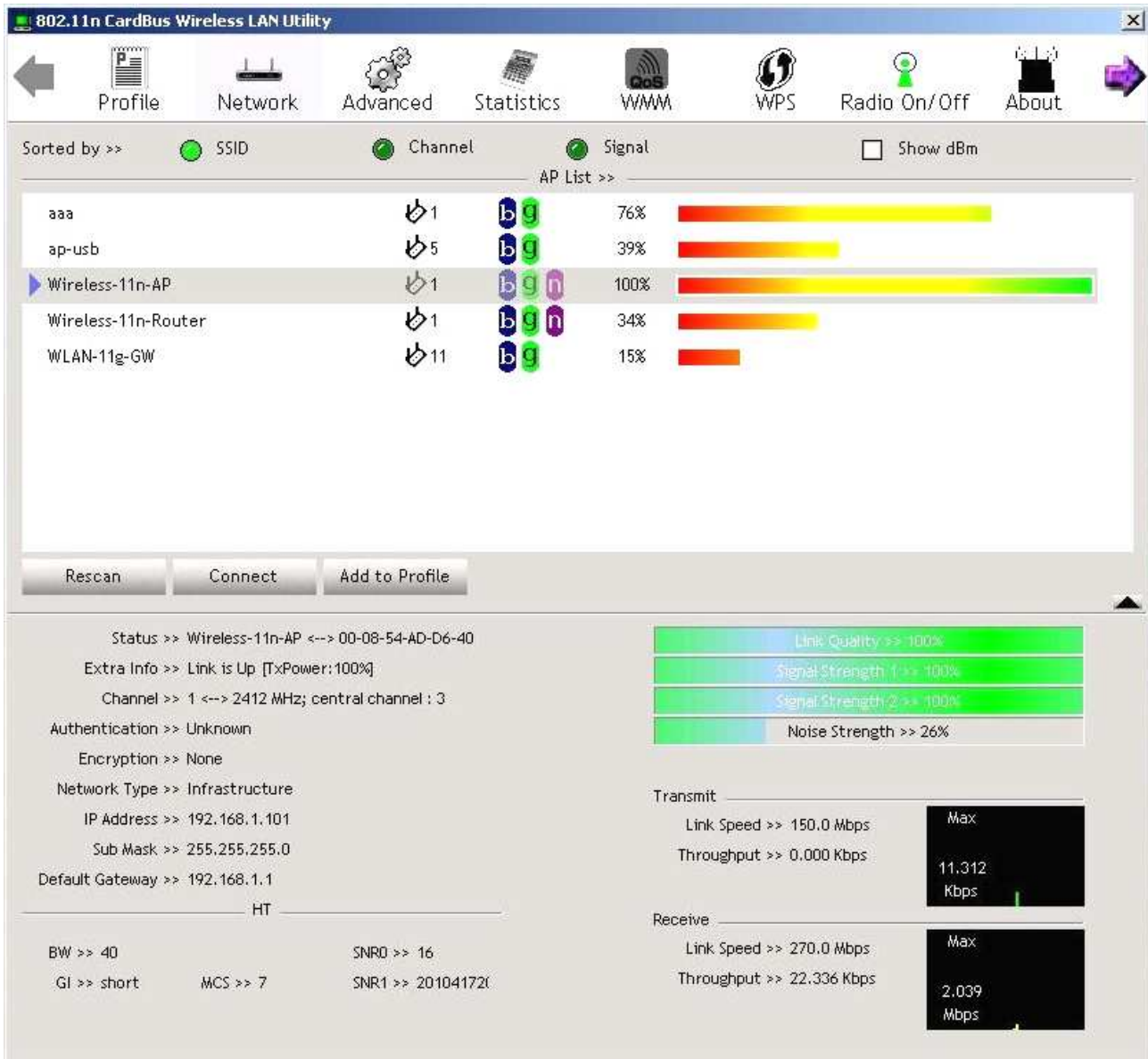
The tool shows the available wireless networks. Select your demanding network to connect with. To connect to a wireless network with more security settings, please click **Change advanced settings** to be compatible with your wireless network security settings.
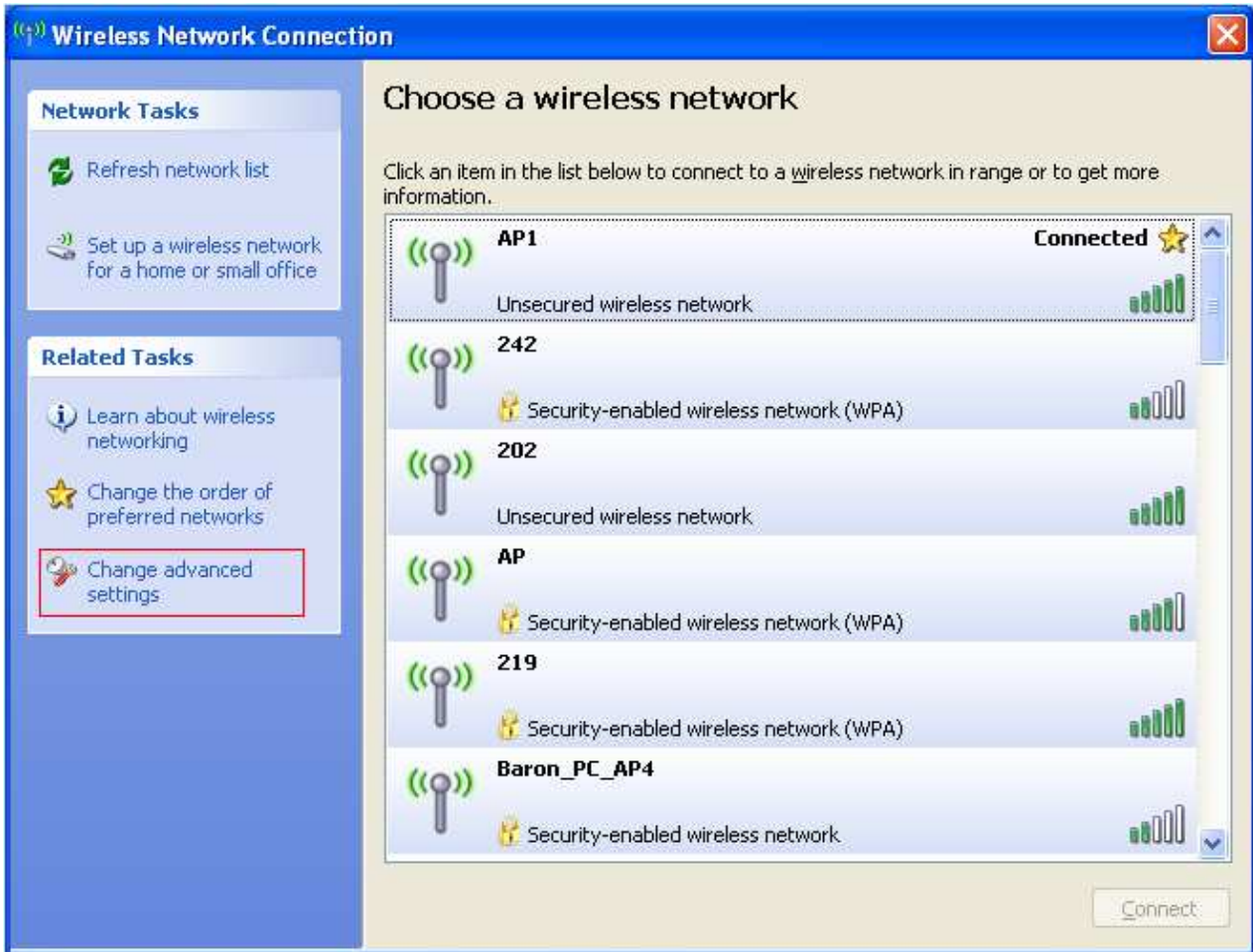
To connect with 802.11n Wireless LAN Utility

We provide this Utility for users to connect to a wireless network easily. It provides more information and configuration for this adapter. As default, the Utility is started automatically upon starting your computer and connects to a connectable wireless network with best signal strength. Right click on the ⚔ icon and select **Launch Config utilities** if the Utility does not start. Please refer to the following chapters to get information regarding to the functions of this Utility.

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Note: The Utility in Windows Vista, Linux and Mac are different from the following.

• For instructions on using the Utility included in Windows Vista please refer to the instruction in **Appendix**.

• For instructions on using the Utility included in Linux please refer to the instruction in **/Driver/Linux/README** in the CD-Rom.

• For instructions on using the Utility included in Mac please refer to the instruction in **/Driver/Mac/README** in the CD-Rom.

Interfaces

This Utility is basically consisted of three parts:

1. Functional buttons: on top of the window. You can click each button to access each configuration window.

   Note: Click ![icon] to enable/disable wireless connection status.

2. Configuration column: center of the Utility window. Make your changes for each function in this part.

3. Status information: bottom of the utility window. Shows the connection status and system information.

Information

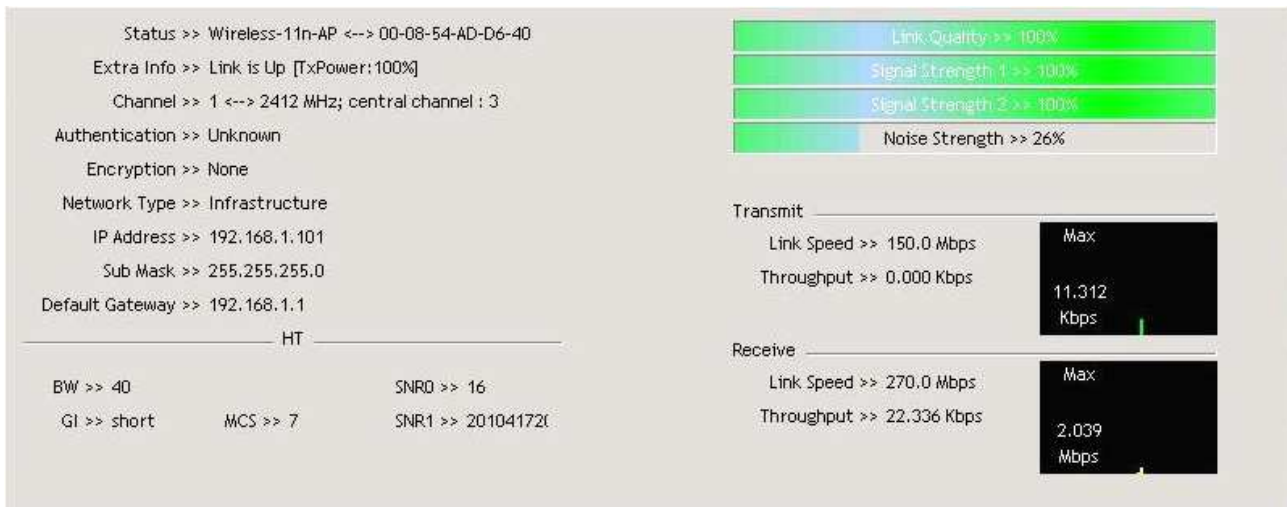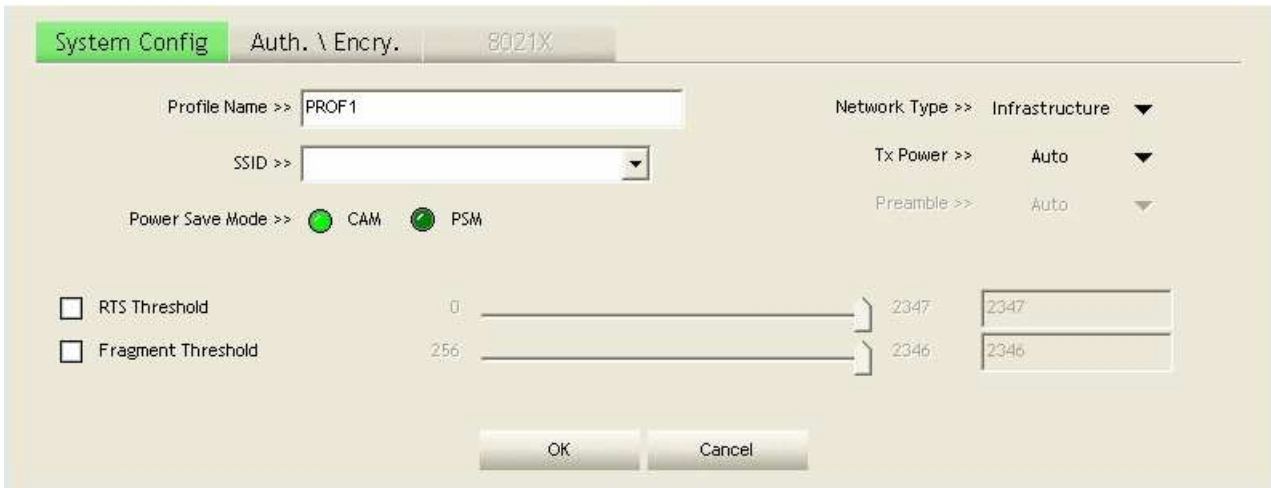| Items	Information
Status	Shows the connecting status. Also shows the SSID while connecting to a valid network.
Extra Info	Display link status in use.
Channel	Display current channel in use.
Authentication	Authentication mode in use.
Encryption	Encryption type in use.
Network Type	Network type in use.
IP Address	IP address of current connection.
Sub Mask	Subnet mask of current connection.
Default Gateway	Default gateway of current connection.
Link Speed	Show current transmit rate and receive rate.
Throughput	Display transmit and receive throughput in Mbps.
Link Quality	Display connection quality based on signal strength and TX/RX packet error rate.
Signal Strength 1	Receive signal strength 1, user can choose to display as percentage or dBm format.
Signal Strength 2	Receive signal strength 2, user can choose to display as percentage or dBm format.
Signal Strength 3	Receive signal strength 3, user can choose to display as percentage or dBm format.
Noise Strength	Display noise signal strength.
HT	Display current HT status in use, containing BW, GI, MCS, SNR0, and SNR1 value.

Profile

This profile page allows users to save different wireless settings, which helps users to get access to wireless networks at home, office or other wireless network environments quickly.
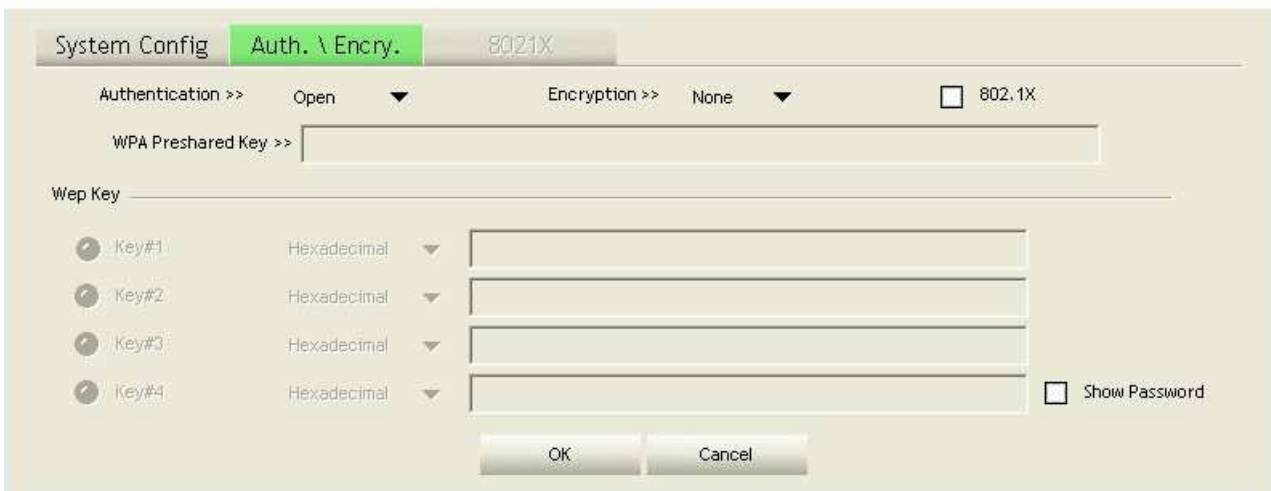

Items	Information
Profile Name	Choose a name for this profile, or use default name defined by system.
SSID	Fill in the intended SSID name or use the drop list to select from available Aps.
Network Type	There are two types, infrastructure and 802.11 Ad-hoc modes. Under Ad-hoc mode, you could also choose the preamble type; the available preamble type includes auto and long. In addition to that, the channel field will be available for setup in Ad-hoc mode.
Authentication	Authentication mode.
Encryption	Encryption mode.
Use 802.1x	Whether or not use 802.1x feature.
Channel	Channel in use for Ad-Hoc mode.
Power Save Mode	Choose from CAM (Constantly Awake Mode) or PSM (Power Saving Mode).
Tx Power	Transmit power, the amount of power used by a radio transceiver to send the signal out.
RTS Threshold	For adjusting the RTS threshold number by sliding the bar or key in the value directly. The default value is 2347.
Fragment Threshold	Adjust the Fragment threshold number by sliding the bar or key in the value directly. The default value is 2346.

To add a new profile:

1. Click the **Add** button. The add profile window pops up.
   Note: you could also add a new profile quickly by selecting an available network in the **Network** function then click the **Add to Profile** button.
2. Fill in information for this profile in the system config section:

3. Select an encryption type and fill in the corresponding wireless network information:

Items	Information
Authentication Type	There are 7 types of authentication modes supported by Utility including open, Shared, LEAP, WPA and WPA-PSK, WPA2 and WPA2-PSK.
Encryption Type	For open and shared authentication mode, the selection of encryption type are None and WEP. For WPA, WPA2, WPA-PSK and WPA2-PSK authentication mode, the encryption type supports both TKIP and AES.
802.1x	Use 802.1x to make WPA and WPA2 certification. This function only works when connecting to a WPA and WPA2 supported device.
WPA Pre-shared Key	This is the shared secret between AP and STA. For WPA-PSK and WPA2-PSK authentication mode, this field must be filled with character longer than 8 and less than 32 lengths.
WEP Key	Only valid when using WEP encryption algorithm. The key must match AP's key.

4. Specify the 802.1x information if you are using the 802.1X certification method.

Users that do not use this function or connecting to an open-wireless network please skip this part.

Items	Information
EAP method	To select an EAP method.
Tunnel Authentication	Select a Tunnel authentication mode.
Session Resumption	Select to enable this function or unmark it to disable.

ID \ PASSWORD

Items	Information
Authentication ID / Password	The identity, password and domain name for server. Only "EAP-FAST" and "LEAP" authentication can be key in domain name. Blank space can be key in domain name.
Tunnel ID / Password	Identity and Password for server.

Client Certification

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Items	Information
Use Client certificate	Client certificate for server authentication.

Server Certification

Items	Information
Use Certificate chain	Mark the checkbox to enable using certification chain.
Allow intimidate certificates	Mark to allow intimidates certification.
Server name	Enter an authentication sever root.

EAP Fast
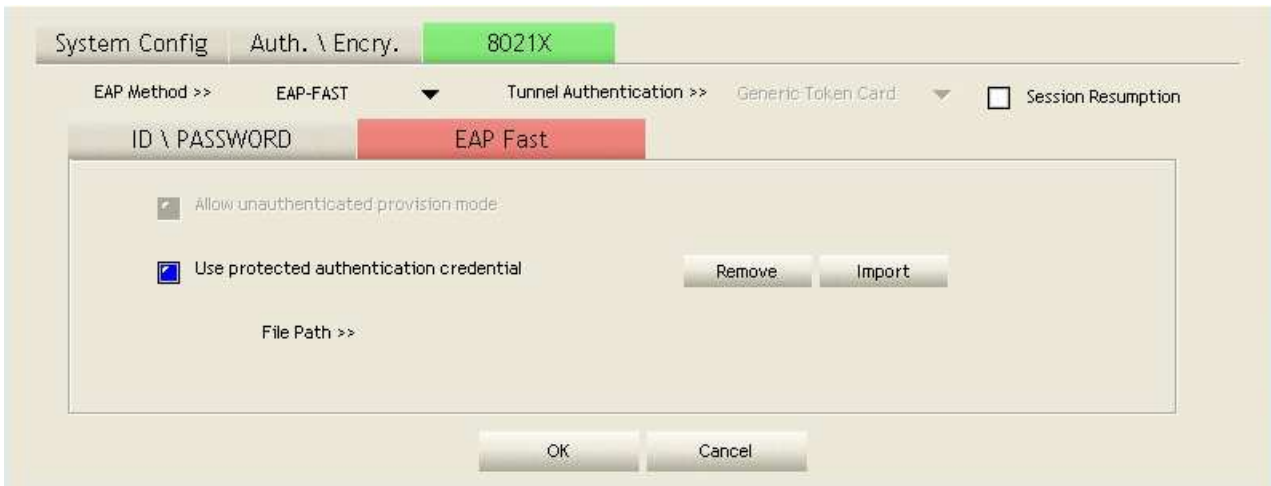
Items	Information
Allow unauthenticated provision mode	Mark to enable unauthenticated provision mode.
Use protected authentication credential	Mark to use protected authentication credential.

Network

This network lists the available wireless networks. The Utility connects to a wireless network with best signal strength automatically. You can change the connecting network by clicking on the network name and click the **Connect** button. To see detail information of each network, please double click on each item to pop up the information window.

Items	Information
SSID, Channel and Signal buttons	Click each button to sort the listing networks by SSID, channel and Signal strength.
Show dBm	Mark the checkbox to show the signal strength in dBm.
Rescan	To rescan available wireless networks.
Connect	Click this button to connect to a designated network.
Add to Profile	Click this button to add a network to profile after selecting a network.

Advanced

This page provides advanced configurations to this adapter. Please refer to the following chart for definitions of each item.

Items	Information
Wireless mode	Click the drop list to select a wireless mode.
Enable TX Burst	Select to enable connecting to a TX Burst supported device.
Enable TCP Window Size	Mark the checkbox to enable TCP window size, which help enhance throughput.
Fast Roaming at ___ dBm	Mark the checkbox to enable fast roaming. Specify the transmit power for fast roaming.
Show Authentication Status Dialog	Mark the checkbox to show "Authentication Status Dialog" while connecting to an AP with authentication. Authentication Status Dialog displays the process about 802.1 x authentications.
Enable CCX (Cisco Compatible extensions)	Select to enable CCX. This function can only be applied when connecting to a Cisco compatible device.
Turn on CCKM	Mark to enable CCKM.
Enable Radio Measurements	Mark to enable channel measurement every 0~2000 milliseconds.

Statistics

Statistics page displays the detail counter information based on 802.11 MIB counters. This page translates the MIB counters into a format easier for user to understand.

Items	Information
Frames Transmitted Successfully	Frames successfully sent.
Frames Retransmitted Successfully	Successfully retransmitted frames numbers.
Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries	Frames failed transmit after hitting retry limit.
RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS	Successfully receive CTS after sending RTS frame.
RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS	Failed to receive CTS after sending RTS.
Reset Counter	Reset counters to zero.

Items	Information
Frames Received Successfully	Frames received successfully.
Frames Received With CRC Error	Frames received with CRC error.
Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource	Frames dropped due to resource issue.
Duplicate Frames Received	Duplicate received frames.
Reset Counter	Reset counters to zero.

WMM

This page allows users to activate the WMM function for this device. Please note that this function only works while connecting to a WMM compatible device.

Items	Information
WMM Enable	Enable Wi-Fi Multi-Media.
WMM - Power Save Enable	Enable WMM Power Save. Please enable WMM before configuring this function.
Direct Link Setup Enable	Enable DLS (Direct Link Setup). Please enable WMM before configuring this function.
MAC Address	Fill in the blanks of Direct Link with MAC Address of STA.
Timeout Value	Time of automatically disconnect after some seconds. The value is integer. The integer must be between 0~65535. It represents that it always connects if the value is zero. Default value of Timeout Value is 60 seconds.
Apply / Tear Down	After fill in the "MAC Address" and "Timeout Value", click "Apply" button to save your configuration. The result will appear in the blanks. To remove the configuration, please select the configuration in the blanks and then click "Tear Down" button.

WPS

WPS Configuration: The primary goal of Wi-Fi Protected Setup (Wi-Fi Simple Configuration) is to simplify the security setup and management of Wi-Fi networks. This adapter supports the configuration setup using PIN configuration method or PBC configuration method through an internal or external Registrar.

Items	Information
WPS AP List	Display the information of surrounding APs with WPS IE from last scan result. List information includes SSID, BSSID, Channel, ID (Device Password ID), and Security-Enabled.
Rescan	Click to rescan the wireless networks.
Information	Display the information about WPS IE on the selected network. List information includes Authentication Type, Encryption Type, Config Methods, Device Password ID, Selected Registrar, State, Version, AP Setup Locked, UUID-E and RF Bands.
Pin Code	8-digit numbers. It is required to enter PIN Code into Registrar using PIN method. Each Network card has only one PIN Code of Enrollee. Click on the Renew button to renew the PIN code.
Config Mode	Enrollee or an external Registrar.
WPS Profile List	Display all of credentials got from the Registrar. List information includes SSID, MAC Address, Authentication and Encryption Type. If STA Enrollee, credentials are created as soon as each WPS success. If STA Registrar, Utility creates a new credential with WPA2-PSK/AES/64Hex-Key and doesn't change until next switching to STA Registrar.
Detail	Information about Security and Key in the credential.
Connect	Command to connect to the selected network inside credentials.
Rotate	Command to connect to the next network inside credentials.
Disconnect	Stop WPS action and disconnect this active link. And then select the last profile at the Profile Page of Utility if exists. If there is an empty profile page, the driver will select any non-security AP.
Delete	Delete an existing credential. And then select the next credential if exist. If there is an empty credential, the driver will select any non-security AP.
PIN	Start to add to Registrar using PIN configuration method.
PBC	Start to add to AP using PBC configuration method.
WPS associate IE	Send the association request with WPS IE during WPS setup. It is optional for STA.
WPS probe IE	Send the probe request with WPS IE during WPS setup. It is optional for STA.
Progress Bar	Display rate of progress from Start to Connected status.
Status Bar	Display currently WPS Status.

Note: When you click PIN or PBC, please don't do any rescan within two-minute connection. If you want to abort this setup within the interval, restart PIN/PBC or click Disconnect to stop WPS action.

Radio On/Off

Click on the button to enable/disable wireless connection status.

Connected:

Disconnected:

About

About function display the wireless card and driver version information

RaConfig Version >> 2.0.3.0   Date >> 10-09-2007

Driver Version >> 1.0.4.0   Date >> 07-28-2007

Phy_Address >> 00-08-54-AD-D5-5B
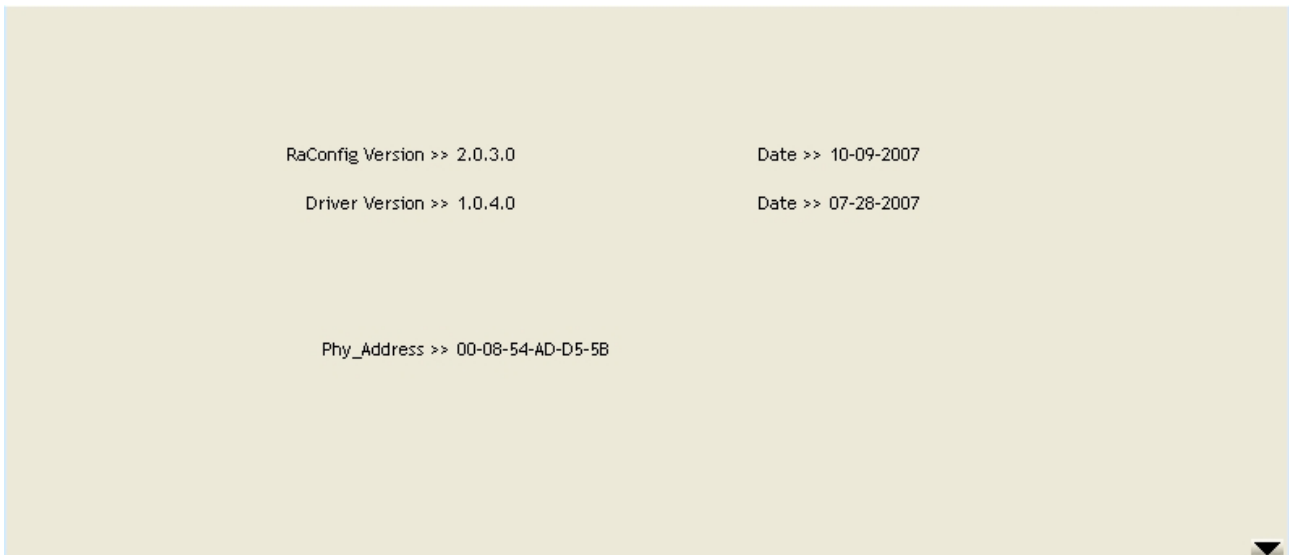
Appendix

Introduction to the configuration utility for Vista Users

This utility helps Vista users to configure the wireless network. Please refer to the following sections for introduction.

Profile

This profile page allows users to save different wireless settings, which helps users to get access to wireless networks at home, office or other wireless network environment quickly.
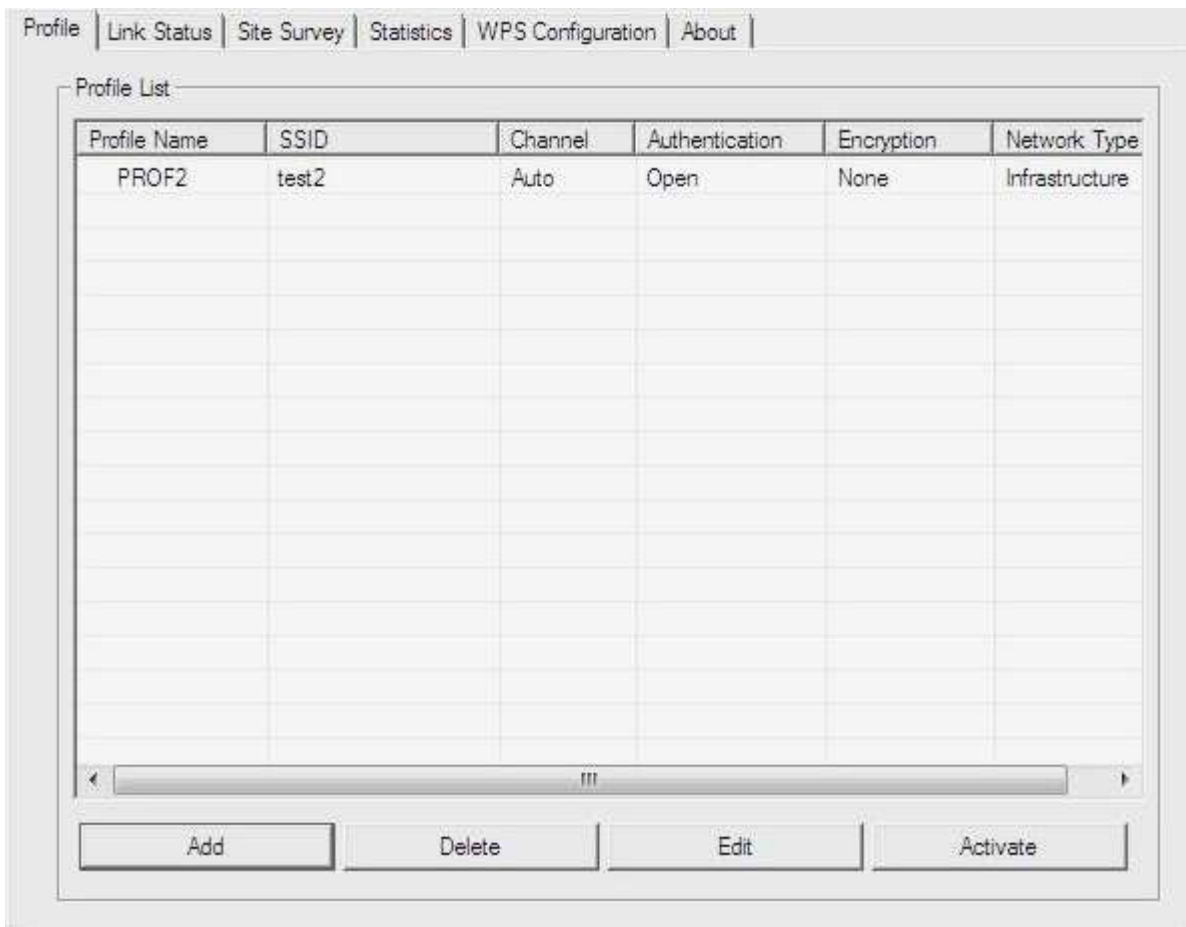
To add a new profile:

1. Click the **Add** button. The add profile window pops up.

   Note: you could also add a new profile quickly by selecting an available network in the **Site Survey** function then click the **Add to Profile** button.

2. Fill in the information of this wireless network and its relative security settings. Please note that the information should be corresponding to the wireless network you are connecting to.

To delete profile: Click the **Delete** button to delete the selected profile.

To edit profile: Click the **Edit** button to pop up the profile-setting page for users to edit the existing profile.

To active profile: Click the **Activate** button to activate the selected profile.

Link Status

This Link status shows the information about the connecting. Please refer to the following chart for definition.

Items	Information
Status	Display current connection status.
Extra Info	Display link status and current channel in use.
Link Speed	Display current transmitting and receiving rates.
Throughput	Display transmitting and receiving throughputs.
Link Quality	Display connecting quality based on signal strength and TX/RX packet error rate.
Signal Strength	Display receiving signal strength either in percentage or dBm format.
Noise Level	Display noise signal strength.

Site Survey

This page shows the available wireless networks within the coverage of this network adapter. You could check the status of wireless network around your computer or add a network into your profile.
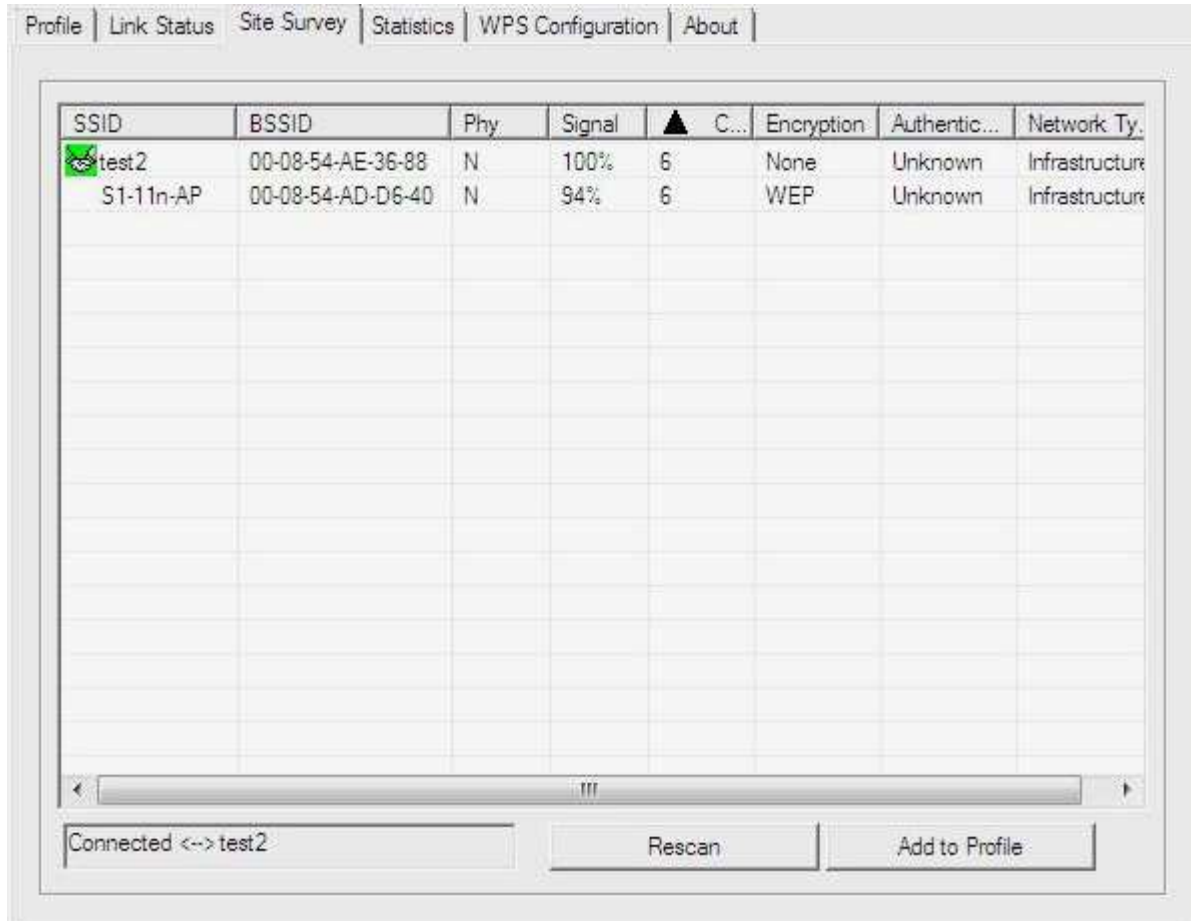
Items	Information
SSID	Name of the network.
BSSID	AP MAC address or random numbers generated for IBSS.
Phy Type	Phy Type of the network.
Signal	Signal strength of the network.
Channel	The channel in use.
Encryption	Encryption algorithm. The supported algorithms are WEP, TKIP, AES, and Not Use.
Authentication	Authentication mode. The supported modes are Unknown, WPA-PSK, WPA2-PSK, WPA and WPA2.
Network Type	Infrastructure or Ad-Hoc.
Rescan	Click the rescan button to perform re-scanning.
Add to profile	Select a network then click the Add to Profile button to bring up the profile-setting to add a wireless network profile.

Statistics

This page provides the statistics about the connection of this adapter.

Transmit Statistics

Items	Information
Frames Transmitted Successfully	Frames sent successfully.
Frames Transmitted Successfully After Retry	Frames sent successfully with retry.
Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries	Frames transmitted failed after hitting the retrying limit.
RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS	CTS frames received successfully after sending RTS frames.
RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS	The missing CTS frames after sending RTS frames.

Receive Statistics

Items	Information
Frames Received Successfully	Frames received successfully.
Frames Received With CRC Error	Frames received with CRC error.
Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource	Frames dropped due to insufficient resource.
Duplicate Frames Received	Duplicate frames received.

Reset Counter: Reset counters to zero.

WPS Configuration

This page provides users to connect this adapter to a WPS (Wi-Fi Protected Setup) AP. Those available WPS supported AP are listed on the upper column. Select the AP that you want to connect to and click the **Connect** button to activate.
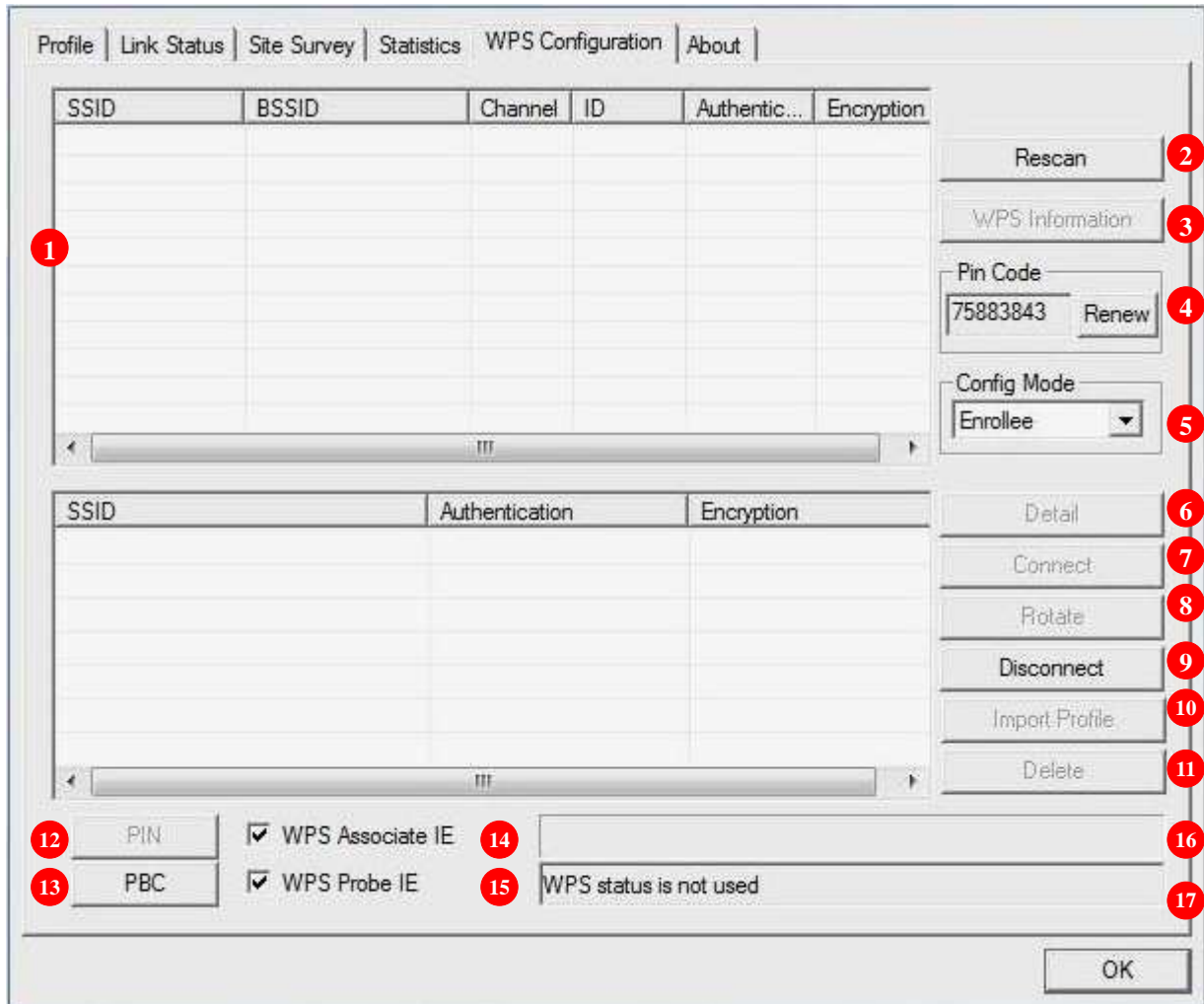
1. **WPS AP List:** Display the information of surrounding APs with WPS IE from last scan result. List information includes SSID, BSSID, Channel, ID (Device Password ID), and Security-Enabled.
2. **Rescan:** Click the **Rescan** button to perform the re-scanning.
3. **WPS AP Information:** Click the **WPS Information** button to bring up the WPS capable AP information dialog window.

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WPS Information                              [X]

Authentication          Unknown

Encryption              None

Config Methods          0x008A

Device Password ID      0x0004

Selected Registrar      TRUE

State                   Unconfigured

Version                 1.0

AP Setup Locked

UUID-E                  60FDAD001DD211B2BDA5000854AE3688

RF Bands                2.4GHz

                        [ OK ]
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The window shows the information including:

Items	Information
Authentication Type	There are three types of supported authentication modes including Open, Shared, WPA-PSK and WPA modes.
Encryption Type	For Open and Shared authentication modes, the available encryption types are None and WEP. For WPA, WPA2, WPA-PSK and WPA2-PSK authentication modes, the available encryption types are TKIP and AES.
Config Methods	This attribute contains the config methods supported and enabled by the selected Registrar.
Device Password ID	Device Password ID indicates the method or identifies the specific password that the selected Registrar intends to use.
Selected Registrar	Selected Registrar indicates if the user has recently activated a Registrar to add an Enrollee.
State	This attribute is used to indicate the current configuration state. This attribute is either "Un-configured" or "Configured".
Version	This attribute is the specified WPS version.
AP Setup Locked	AP Setup Locked indicates if AP has entered a setup locked state.
UUID-E	UUID-E is universally unique identifier (UUID) generated by the Enrollee.
RF Bands	RF Bands indicate the available RF bands.

4. **Pin Code:** 8-digit numbers. It is required to enter PIN Code into Registrar using PIN method. Each Network card has only one PIN Code of Enrollee. Click on the Renew button to renew the PIN code.

5. **Config Mode:** Enrollee or an external Registrar.

6. **Detail:** Information about Security and Key in the credential.

7. **Connect:** Command to connect to the selected network inside credentials.

8. **Rotate:** Command to connect to the next network inside credentials.

9. **Disconnect:** Stop WPS action and disconnect this active link. And then select the last profile at the Profile Page of Utility if exists. If there is an empty profile page, the driver will select any non-security AP.

10. **Import Profile:** Click the "Import Profile" button will import the WPS profile.

11. **Delete:** Delete an existing credential. And then select the next credential if exist. If there is an empty credential, the driver will select any non-security AP.

12. **PIN:** Start to add to Registrar using PIN configuration method.

13. **PBC:** Start to add to AP using PBC configuration method.

14. **WPS associate IE:** If the "WPS Associate IE" option is checked, station sends a association request with WPS IE during WPS setup.

15. **WPS probe IE:** If the "WPS Probe IE" option is checked, station probes a request with WPS IE during WPS setup.

16. **Progress Bar:** Display rate of progress from Start to Connected status.

17. **Status Bar:** Display currently WPS Status.

Configure WPS profiles

The user can configure WPS profiles with either PIN method or PBC method.

PIN Method:

Step 1: The Registrar enters the pin code generated by station.
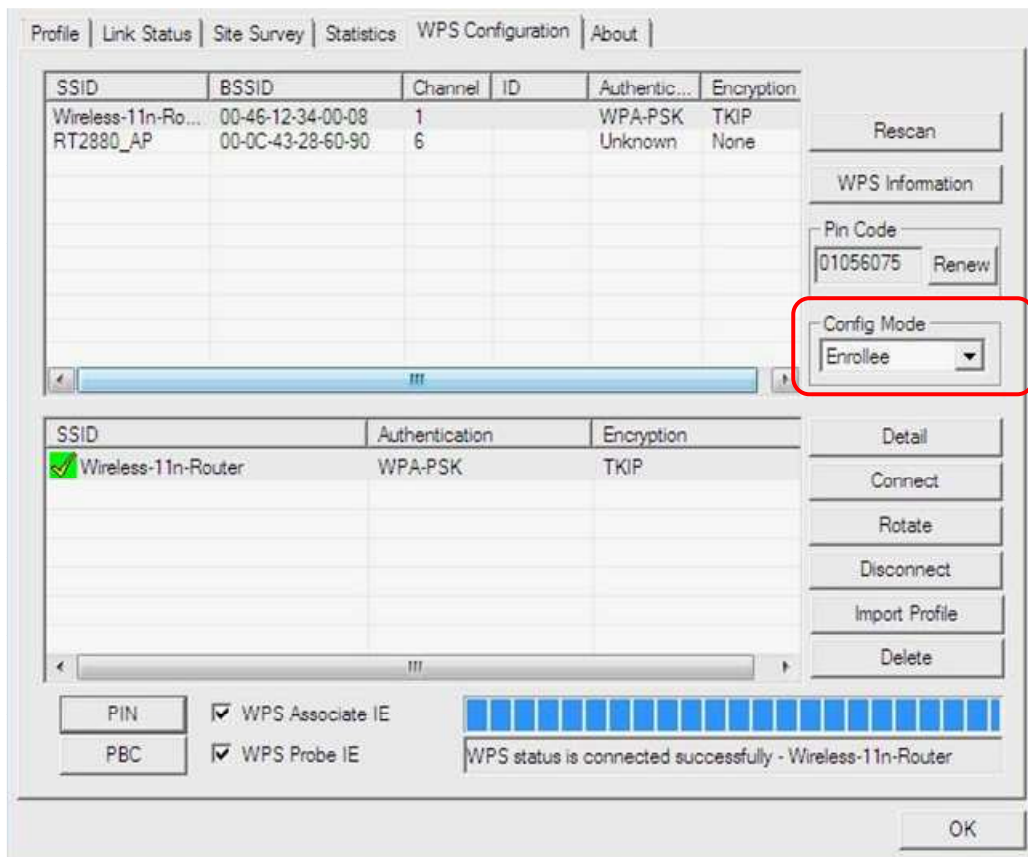Step 2: Push the **PIN** button.

PBC Method: Push the **PBC** button within 2 second while the Registrar pushes the button.

Apply WPS configuration

The user can either acts as an enrollee to receive WPS profiles or a registrar to configure AP.

Act as an enrollee

A WPS enrollee can get profiles from AP by PIN method or PBC method.   The received WPS profiles are listed in the lower frame, and the listed WPS profile attributes are SSID, authentication type, and encryption type.

- **Procedure to use PIN / PBC method:**

  a. **PIN Method:**

  Step 1: Choose "Config mode" as enrollee

  Step 2: The registrar enters the pin code generated by station.

  Step 3: Both the enrollee and registrar push the "PIN" button.

  b. **PBC Method (AP should support PBC):**

  Step 1: Choose "Config mode" as enrollee

  Step 2: Both the enrollee and registrar push the "PBC" button within 2 second.

- **Manage WPS profiles:**

  a. **WPS profile detail information:**

  Selecting a profile then clicking the "Detail" button brings up the WPS profile detail information dialog.

b.   Connect with WPS profile:

Clicking the "Connect" button to connect to AP with the selected WPS profile.

c.   Rotate WPS profiles:

If there are more than two WPS profiles, clicking the "Rotate" button will rotate to next profile and connect to AP with this profile. If the connection can't be made successfully, station will perform the WPS profile rotation repeatedly.

d.   Disconnect from WPS AP:

Clicking the "Disconnect" button will stop the WPS connection.

e.   Import profile:

Clicking the "Import Profile" button will import the WPS profiles.

f.   Delete WPS profile:

Clicking the "Delete" button will delete the selected WPS profile.

Act as a registrar

A WPS registrar can configure AP by PIN method or PBC method. The profile which the user uses to configure AP is listed in the lower frame.
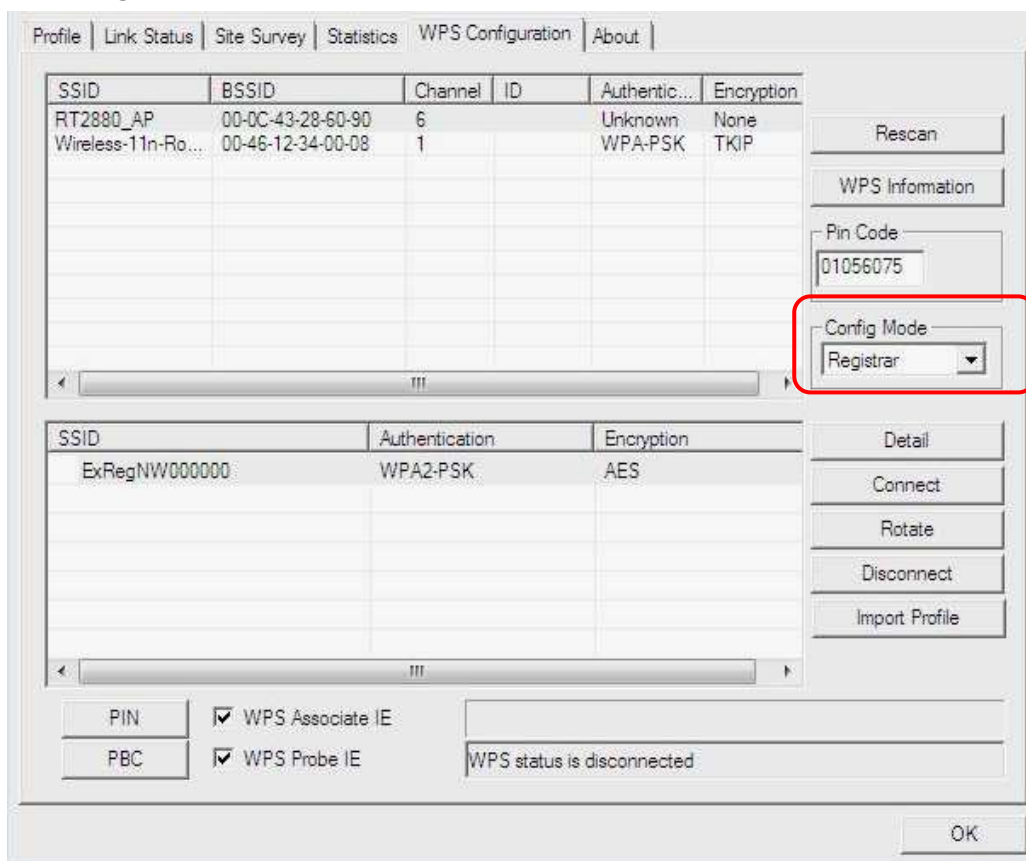
- ● **Procedure to use PIN / PBC method:**
  - **a.   PIN Method:**

    Step 1: Choose "Config mode" as registrar.

    Step 2: Click "Detail" button to bring up WPS profile setting dialog and edit the profile.

    Step 3: Enter the pin code which is generated by enrollee.

Step 4: Select the AP which is going to be configured in the upper frame.

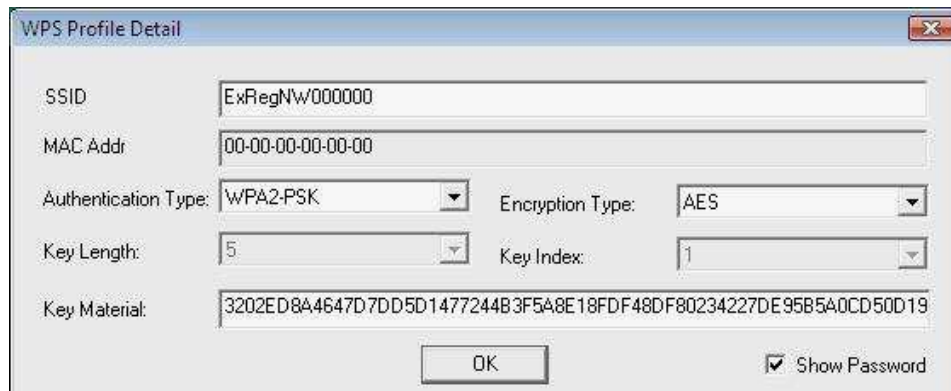Step 5: Both the enrollee and registrar click the "PIN" button.

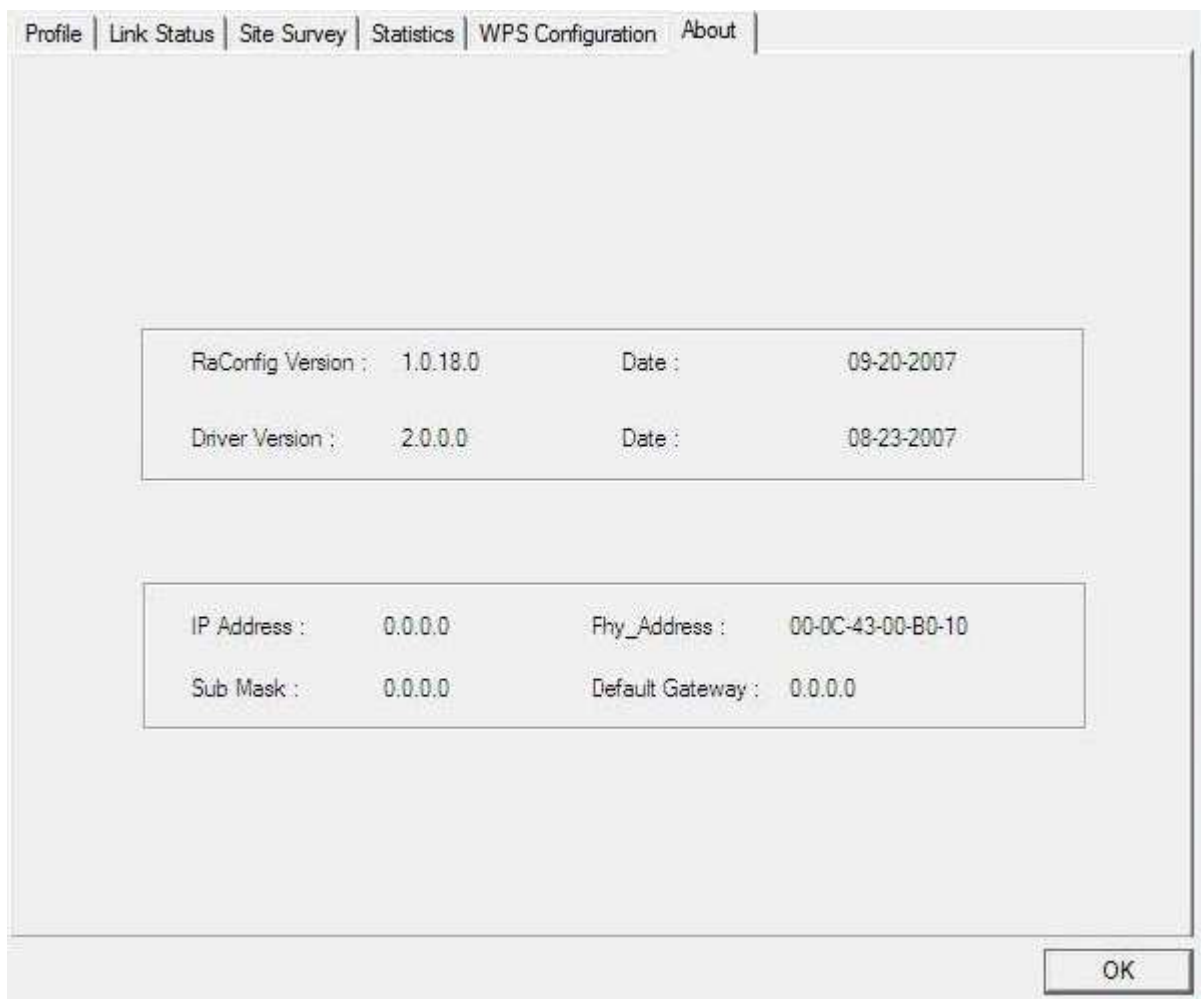**b.   PBC Method (AP should support PBC):**

Step 1: Choose "Config mode" as registrar.

Step 2: Click "Detail" button to bring up WPS profile setting dialog and edit the profile.

Step 3: Select the AP which is going to be configured in the upper frame.

Step 4: Both the enrollee and registrar click the "PBC" button within 2 second.

About

About function display the wireless card and driver version information

AP mode management guide for Windows 2000/XP/Vista

This adapter can be configured as AP mode. To use this adapter as an AP, please right click the icon on system tray and select **Switch to AP mode**. Please refer to the following introduction and information about this AP-mode utility.

Note: In windows XP, it provides WPA support at hotfix Q815485. However; you have to make sure that hotfix Q815485 (require XP SP1 installed) has been installed in your system before you can start using WPA features. You can check the installation of hotfix in add/remove software page under control panel.

Config

This page provides overall configuration to this adapter. Please find the following items for identification to each field.

1. **SSID:** AP name of user type. User also can select [Use Mac Address] to display it.

2. **Wireless Mode:** Select wireless mode. 802.11 B/G mix, 802.11B only, 802.11G only and 802.11 B/G/N mix mode are supported. When wireless card is 802.11N, system default is 802.11 B/G/N mix; Otherwise system default is 802.11 B/G mix (802.11 B/G/N mix selection item only exists for B/G/N adapter).

   Note: Wireless mode is not support for Vista.

3. **Beacon (ms):** The time between two beacons. System default is 100 ms.

4. **TX Power:** Manually force the AP transmits power. System default is 100%.

5. **Idle Time:** Manually force the Idle Time using selected value. Default is 300.

6. **Channel:** Manually force the AP using the channel. System default is channel 1.

7. **Use Mac Address:** Use MAC address of used wireless card to be AP name. System default is APX (X is last number of Mac Address).

8. **Security Setting:** Authentication mode and encryption algorithm used within the AP. System default is no authentication and encryption.

9. **No forwarding among wireless clients:** No beacon among wireless client, clients can share information each other. System default is no forwarding.

10. **Hide SSID:** Prevent this AP from recognized in wireless network. This is disabled as default.

11. **Allow BW40 MHz:** Allow BW40 MHz capability.

12. **Default:** Use system default value.

13. **Apply**: Apply the above changes.

Security Setting

This page pops up after clicking the **Security Setting** button. Please follow the instructions below:

1. **Authentication Type:** Select to be open or WPA-PSK system.
2. **Encryption Type:** Select an encryption type from the drop list.
3. **WPA Pre-shared Key:** A shared string between AP and STA. For WPA-PSK authentication mode, this field must be filled with character longer than 8 and less than 32 lengths.
4. **Group Rekey Interval:** Only valid when using WPA-PSK encryption algorithm. The key will change compliance with seconds or beacon that user set.
5. **WEP Key:** Only valid when using WEP encryption algorithm. The key must match the key on AP. There are several formats to enter the keys.
   a. Hexadecimal (40bits): 10 Hex characters.
   b. Hexadecimal (128bits): 32Hex characters.
   c. ASCII (40bits): 5 ASCII characters.
   d. ASCII (128bits): 13 ASCII characters.

Access Control

This function filters users to use this device by designating MAC address. Please refer to the following chart for introduction.
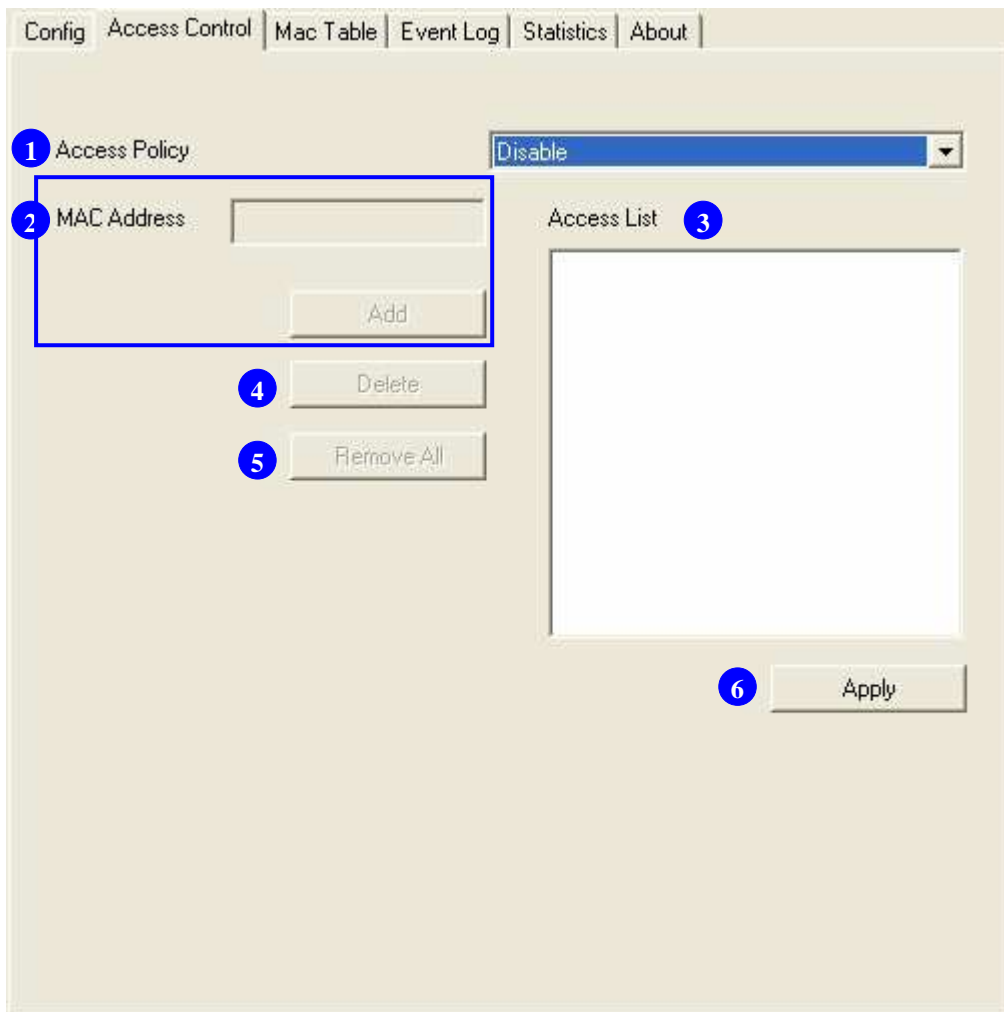
1. **Access Policy:** Choose a method to process access control from the drop list to determine the MAC addresses that you designated are allowed to access the AP or not.
2. **MAC Address:** Add allowed (or denied) MAC addresses to the MAC address list.
3. **Access List:** Display all Mac Addresses that you designated.
4. **Delete:** Delete Mac addresses that you selected.
5. **Remove All:** Remove all Mac address in [Access List].
6. **Apply:** Apply changes.

MAC Table

This page displays the station detail information of current connection.

Items	Information
MAC Address	The station MAC address of current connection.
AID	Raise value by current connection.
Power Saving Mode	Check if the connected station supports power saving.
Status	The connection status.

Event Log

Record Soft AP all event time and message.

Items	Information
Event Time (yy/mm/dd–hh:mm:ss)	Record event time.
Message	All event messages.

Statistics

Statistics page displays the detail counter information based on 802.11 MIB counters.

1. Transmit Statistics

Items	Information
Frames Transmitted Successfully	Frames that successfully sent.
Frames Fail To Receive ACK After All Retries	Frames that failed to transmit after hitting retry limit.
RTS Frames Successfully Receive CTS	Counts of CTS that successfully received after sending RTS frame.
RTS Frames Fail To Receive CTS	Counts of CTS that fail to be received after sending RTS frame.
Frames Retransmitted Successfully	Successfully retransmitted frames numbers.

2. Receive Statistics

Items	Information
Frames Received Successfully	Frames received successfully.
Frames Received With CRC Error	Frames received with CRC error.
Frames Dropped Due To Out-of-Resource	Frames dropped due to resource issue.
Duplicate Frames Received	Duplicate received frames.

3. Reset Counters: Reset counters to zero.

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Utility Version :	1.2.0.0	Date :	09-17-2007
Driver Version :	1.0.4.0	Date :	07-28-2007

IP Address :	192.168.0.1	Phy_Address :	00-08-54-AD-D5-5B
Sub Mask :	255.255.255.0	Default Gateway :	

Product Specification

Standard

IEEE 802.11n draft 2.0, IEEE 802.11b, IEEE 802.11g

Interface

32-Bit Card Bus type II

Antenna

Antenna gain: 2dB

Antenna type: Printing Antenna

LED indication

Link/Act (Green)

Security

64/128-bit WEP, WPA, WPA2

Maximum output power

802.11b:14.962 mW ,802.11G : 14.962 mW

Draft 802.11n(20MHz):14.962 mW , Draft 802.11n(40MHz) :14.962 mW

Number of Channel

11 for 802.11b,802.11g,draft 802.11n(20MHz)

7 for draft 802.11n(40MHz)

Transmit Power

802.11b 18dBm, 802.11g 15dBm, 802.11n 20MHz and 802.11n 40MHz 15dBm

Data Rate

802.11b: 11/ 5.5/ 2/ 1Mbps

802.11g: 54/ 48/ 36/ 24/ 18/ 12/ 9/ 6Mbps

Draft 802.11n (20MHz): 144.4/130.0/115.5/86.6/ 72.2/65.0/57.8/43.3/28.9/21.7/14.4/7.2Mbps

Draft 802.11n (40MHz): 150/135/120/90/60/45/30/15Mbps

Range Coverage

Indoor 35~100 meters

Outdoor 100~300 meters

Operating Temperature

0- 40℃

Operating Humidity

10% ~ 90% (non-condensing)

Emission

FCC Part 15.247 for US (2.412~2.462MHz)

ETS 300 328 for Europe (2.400~2483.5 MHz)