



AT-WR2304N

IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router

User Manual

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This device complies with the essential requirements of the R&TTE Directive 1999/5/EC. The following test methods have been applied in order to prove presumption of conformity with the essential requirements of the R&TTE Directive 1999/5/EC:

EN60950-1: 2006

Safety of Information Technology Equipment

EN 50385: 2002

Product standard to demonstrate the compliance of radio base stations and fixed terminal stations for wireless telecommunication systems with the basic restrictions or the reference levels related to human exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic fields (110MHz - 40 GHz) - General public

EN 300 328 V1.7.1 (2006-10)

Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); Wideband transmission systems; Data transmission equipment operating in the 2,4 GHz ISM band and using wide band modulation techniques; Harmonized EN covering essential requirements under article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive

EN 301 893 V1.4.1: (2007-07)

Broadband Radio Access Networks (BRAN); 5 GHz high performance RLAN; Harmonized EN covering essential requirements of article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive

EN 301 489-1 V1.8.1 (2008-04)

Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio Spectrum Matters (ERM); ElectroMagnetic Compatibility (EMC) standard for radio equipment and services; Part 1: Common technical requirements

EN 301 489-17 V1.3.2 (2008-04)

Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); ElectroMagnetic Compatibility (EMC) standard for radio equipment and services; Part 17: Specific conditions for 2,4 GHz wideband transmission systems , 5 GHz high performance RLAN equipment and 5,8GHz Broadband Data Transmitting Systems.

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Preface

Purpose of This Manual

This manual is intended for customers and/or network administrators who are responsible for installing and maintaining the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router.

How This Manual is Organized

This guide contains instructions on how to install AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router.

- Chapter 1** **Overview**, describes the features, LEDs and ports on the equipment.
- Chapter 2** **Installation**, describes how to install the hardware.
- Chapter 3** **PC Setting**, describes how to prepare a PC for the equipment configuration.
- Chapter 4** **Network Configuration**, describes how to configure the equipment.
- Chapter 5** **Security**, describes wireless network security configuration of the equipment.
- Chapter 6** **Advanced Setting**, describes all setting items of the equipment.
- Chapter 7** **Troubleshooting**, describes what you should do when the equipment does not operate correctly.

Document Conventions

This guide uses several conventions that you should become familiar with before you begin to install the product:



Note

A note provides additional information. Please go to the Allied Telesis website <http://www.alliedtelesis.com> for the translated safety statement in your language.



Warning

A warning indicates that performing or omitting a specific action may result in bodily injury.



Caution

A caution indicates that performing or omitting a specific action may result in equipment damage or loss of data.

Contacting Allied Telesis

This section provides Allied Telesis contact information for technical support as well as sales and corporate information.

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You can request technical support online by accessing the Allied Telesis Knowledge Base: <http://www.alliedtelesis.com/kb/>. You can use the Knowledge Base to submit questions to our technical support staff and review answers to previously asked questions.

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- Allied Telesis FTP server: <ftp://ftp.alliedtelesis.com/>

If you prefer to download new firmware or software from the Allied Telesis FTP server from your workstation's command prompt, you will need FTP client software and you must log in to the server. Enter "anonymous" for the user name and your email address for the password.

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Chapter I: Overview

Thank you for purchasing Allied Telesis AT-WR2304N. The AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router is a wireless communications router for devices on your network. It provides continuous, high-speed access between your wireless and Ethernet devices. You administer the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router using the AT-WR2304N web interface configuration menu.

Features

The features of the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router include:

- Wireless LAN port offers a theoretical bandwidth of 300 Mbps.
- All LAN ports have 10/100Mbps Switching HUB interface
- Security support via WPA-PSK, WPA2-PSK, WPA/WPA2-PSK, WPA-EAP, WPA2-EAP, WPA/WPA2-EAP
- VPN pass through includes PPTP, L2TP, and IPSec
- Various WAN connect types, including DHCP/Static IP/PPPoE/PPTP
- Dynamic DNS supported
- Support Router Mode and AP Mode
- Support Wireless Distribution System (WDS) and AP Repeater Mode
- Support standard Wi-Fi WPS
- Support multiple SSID (up to 4)

Top and Back Panels

A WPS button presents on the top panel. The LEDs on the top panel show the power, wireless and connection status while power, WAN, LAN and antenna connectors are on the back panel together with a reset button.

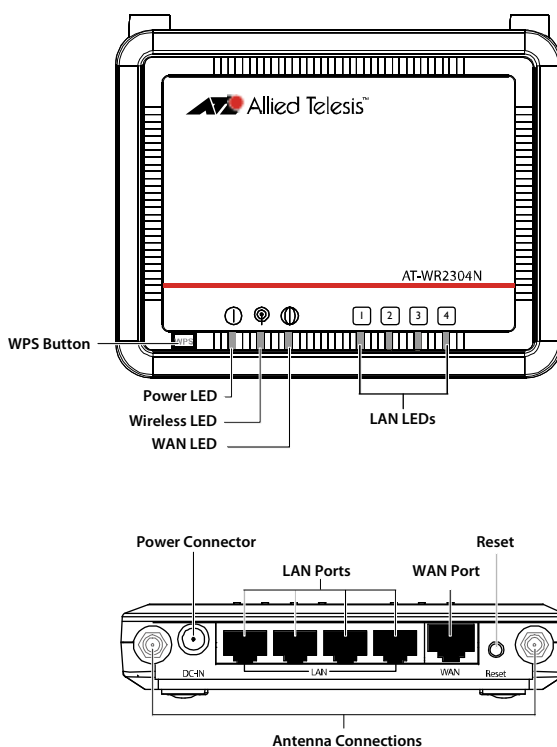


Figure I: Top and Back panels

LEDs

The Power LED on the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router is described in Table 1.

Table 1: Power LED

LED	State	Description
POWER	Off	The router is not receiving power.
	On	The router is booting or failed to update F/W.
	Blinking	The router is operating or updating F/W.

The Wireless/WPS LED is described in Table 2.

Table 2: Wireless/WPS LED

LED	State	Description
Wireless/WPS	Off	Wireless LAN is off.
	On	Wireless LAN is on.
	Blinking	Network activity is occurring.
	Quick blinking	WPS is working.

The WAN LED is described in Table 3.

Table 3: WAN LED

LED	State	Description
WAN LED	Off	No link is detected.
	On	A network link to WAN has been made.
	Blinking	Network activity is occurring.

The LAN LEDs are described in Table 4.

Table 4: LAN LEDs

LED	State	Description
LAN LEDs	Off	No link is detected.
	On	A network link to LAN has been made.
	Blinking	Network activity is occurring.

Chapter 2: Installation

Reviewing Safety Precautions

Please review the following safety precautions before you begin to install the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router.



Warning

To prevent electric shock, do not remove the cover. No user-serviceable parts inside. This unit contains hazardous voltages and should only be opened by a trained and qualified technician. To avoid the possibility of electric shock, disconnect electric power to the product before connecting or disconnecting the LAN cables.



Warning

Do not work on equipment or cables during periods of lightning activity.



Warning

Power cord is used as a disconnection device. To de-energize equipment, disconnect the power cord.

Pluggable Equipment. The socket outlet shall be installed near the equipment and shall be easily accessible.



Warning

Operating Temperature. This product is designed for a maximum ambient temperature of 40° degrees C.

All Countries: Install product in accordance with local and National Electrical Codes.



Caution

Do not install in direct sunlight, or a damp or dusty place.

Installation Guidelines

Allied Telesis recommends that you have an Allied Telesis-certified RF specialist conduct a site survey to determine the ideal locations for all your Allied Telesis wireless network devices. To conduct a proper site survey, you need to have proper equipment and training.

The following general practices should be followed in any installation:

- Locate routers centrally within areas requiring coverage.
- Overlap router radio coverage areas to avoid shadow areas.
- Position the router so that its LEDs are visible. The LEDs are useful for troubleshooting.
- Install wired LAN cabling within node limit and cable length limitations.
- Use an uninterruptible power supply (UPS) when AC power is not reliable.

Proper antenna placement can help improve range. For information about antenna options, contact your local Allied Telesis representative.

When determining ideal locations for the routers, be aware that you may see network performance degradation from microwave ovens, cordless telephones, and other routers. For more information, see the next sections.

Microwave Ovens

Microwave ovens operate in the same frequency band as 802.11g and 802.11b radios; therefore, if you use a microwave oven within range of your wireless network, you may notice network performance degradation. Both your microwave oven and your wireless network will continue to function, but you may want to consider relocating your microwave oven out of range of your router and wireless clients.

Cordless Telephones

IEEE 802.11bg radio may experience interference from some cordless telephones. For optimal performance, consider operating cordless telephones out of range of your routers.

Other IEEE 802.11b devices

IEEE 802.11b devices that are configured for the same frequency and that are in the same radio coverage area may interfere with each other and decrease throughput. You can reduce the chance of interference by configuring routers at least five channels apart, such as channels 1, 6, and 11.

Unpacking the Wireless Router

To unpack the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router, perform the following procedure:

1. Remove all components from the shipping package.



Note: Store the packing material in a safe location. You must use the original shipping material if you need to return the unit to Allied Telesis.

2. Place the router on a secure, level surface.
3. Ensure that the following hardware components are included in your router package. If any item is missing or damaged, contact your Allied Telesis sales representative for assistance.

Package Contents

- One AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router
- Two antennas
- One AC adapter
- One RJ-45 cable
- Two rubber feet
- One installation guide

Antennas Installation

To install the antennas, perform the following procedure:

1. Remove the antennas from their package.
2. Locate the antenna connectors in the back of the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router, as shown in Figure 2.

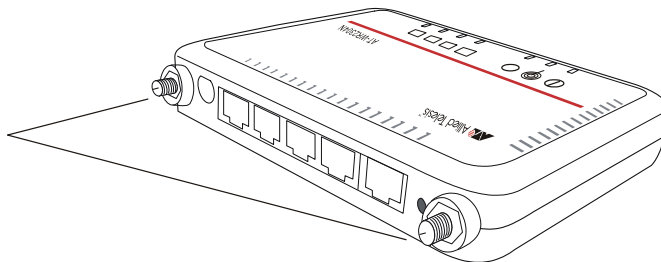


Figure 2: Location of the Antenna Connectors

3. Screw antennas to antenna connectors, as shown in Figure 3.

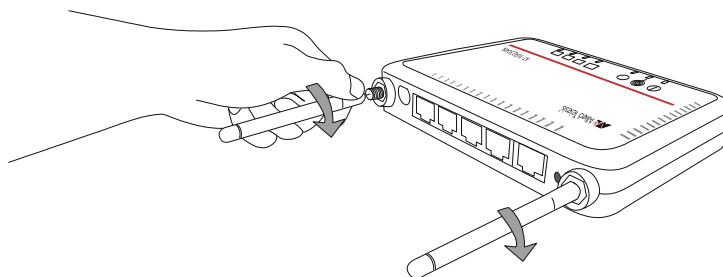


Figure 3: Connecting Antennas

You can try repositioning antennas until you get the best signal strength.

Using the Wireless Router on a Desktop

You can place the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router on a desktop or other flat surface.

To place the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router on a desktop, perform the following procedure:

1. Turn the router over so that the top is resting on a flat surface.
2. Attach the two rubber feet to the bottom of the router as shown in Figure 4.

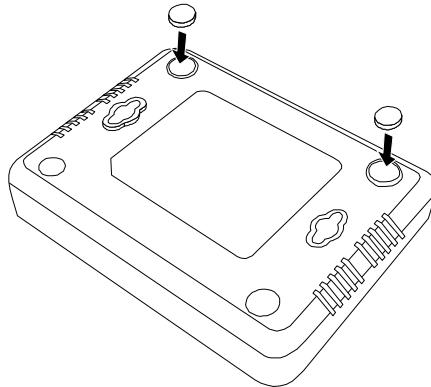


Figure 4: Attaching the Rubber Feet

3. Turn the router over and place it on a flat, secure surface such as a desk or table, leaving ample space around the unit for ventilation.

Connecting the Wireless Router to the LAN

To connect the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router to the LAN, perform the following procedure:



Note: For the first configuration, the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router needs to connect to a computer with a RJ-45 cable.

1. Locate the RJ-45 cable in the box.
2. Connect one end of the cable to a computer's Ethernet card. You will use this computer for the first configuration.
3. Connect the other end of the cable to one of the LAN ports on the back of the router, as shown in Figure 5.

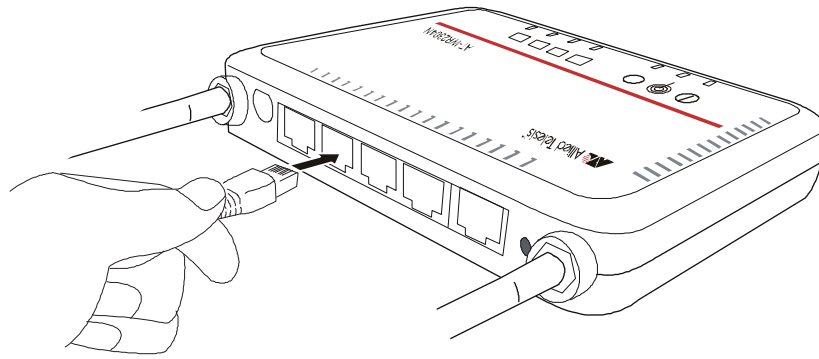


Figure 5: Attaching the LAN Cable

Connecting the Wireless Router to the WAN

To connect the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router to the WAN, perform the following procedure:

1. Locate another RJ45 cable, which usually is with modem.
2. Connect one end of the cable to a modem or an existing network.
3. Connect the other end of the cable to WAN port on the back of the router, as shown in Figure 6.

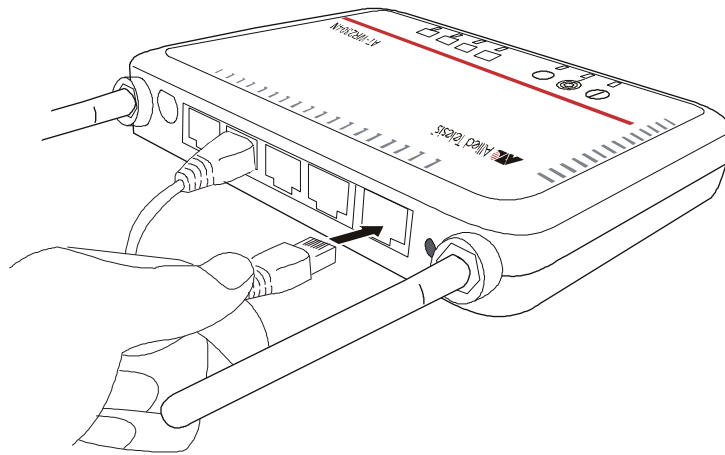


Figure 6: Attaching the WAN Cable

Powering On the Router

To power on the router, perform the following procedure:



Warning: Do not work on equipment or cables during periods of lightning activity.



Warning: Power adapter is used as a disconnection device. To de-energize equipment, disconnect the power adapter.

1. Plug the power adapter on the back panel, as shown in Figure 7, and plug the power adapter into a wall outlet.

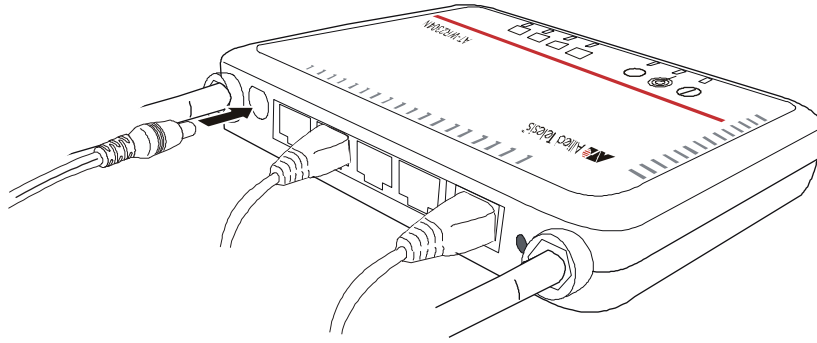


Figure 7: Connecting the Power Adapter

2. Verify that the Power LED is orange. If the LED is off, refer to **Chapter 7: Troubleshooting**.

The router is now powered on and ready for the first configuration.

Chapter 3: PC Setting

TCP/IP Configuration

For the first configuration, please configure you PC. The following steps and screen shots maybe dissimilar in different operating systems. This manual mainly takes Microsoft Windows Vista/XP as examples.

<Windows Vista >

1. Click on “Start” → “Control Panel”.



Figure 8: Windows Start Menu

2. In “Control Panel”, double click on “Network and Sharing Center”. Click on “View Status” under “Local Area Network”.

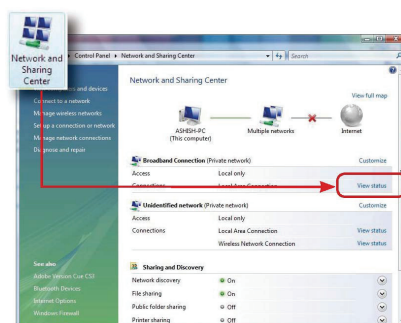


Figure 9: Windows Vista Network and Sharing Center

3. Click on “Properties”.

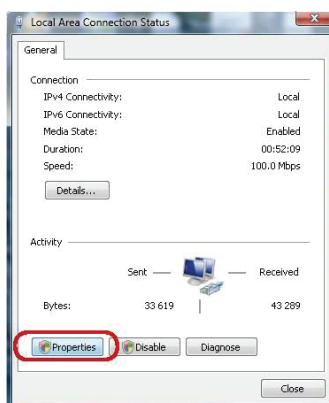


Figure 10: Windows Vista Local Area Connection Status

4. In “Networking” tab, select “Internet Protocol 4(TCP/IPv4)” and then click on “Properties”.

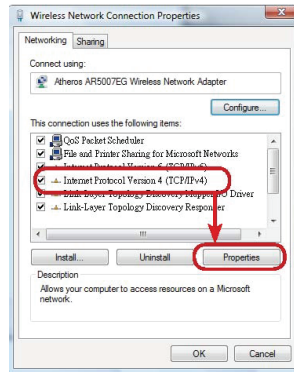


Figure 11: Windows Vista Local Area Connection Properties

5. In “General” tab, select both “Obtain an IP address automatically” and “Obtain DNS server address automatically”, and then click on “Advanced...”.

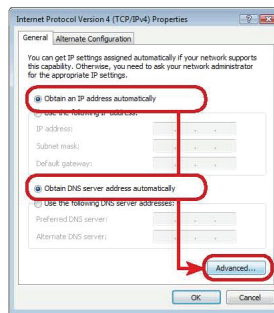


Figure 12: Windows Vista TCP/IP properties

6. In “DNS” tab, uncheck “Register this connection’s addresses in DNS” box, and then click on “OK”.

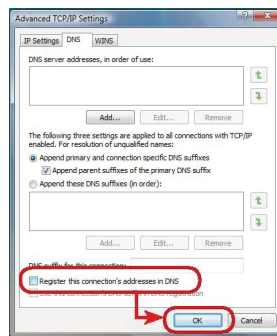


Figure 13: Windows Vista advanced TCP/IP Settings

7. Click “OK” to close all of the windows.

<Windows XP/2000 >

1. In “Control Panel”, double click on “Network Connections” to open it.



2. Right click on “Local Area Connection” and select “Properties”.

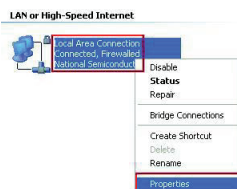


Figure 14: Windows XP/2000 Local Area Connection

3. In “General” tab, select “Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)” and then click on “Properties”.

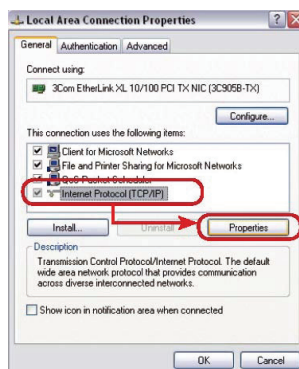


Figure 15: Local Area Connection Properties

4. In “General” tab, select both “Obtain an IP address automatically” and “Obtain DNS server address automatically”, and then click on “Advanced...”.

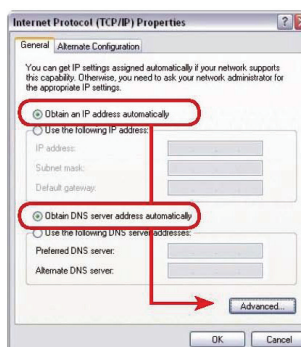


Figure 16: Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Properties

5. In “DNS” tab, uncheck “Register this connection’s addresses in DNS” box, and then click on “OK”.

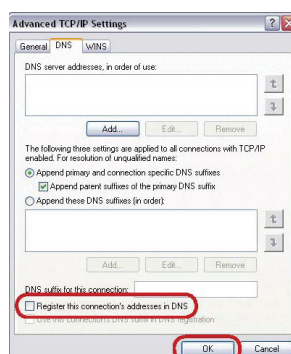


Figure 17: Advanced TCP/IP Settings

6. Click “OK” to close all of the windows.

<Mac OS 10.5/10.6 >

1. In Macintosh category, go to “System Configuration”.
2. Open “Network” configuration. If there is no “Network” configuration, select “Show all”.
3. In “Network” window, select “Built-in Ethernet” in “Show”, and then go to “TCP/IP”, select “Using DHCP” in “Configure IPv4”.

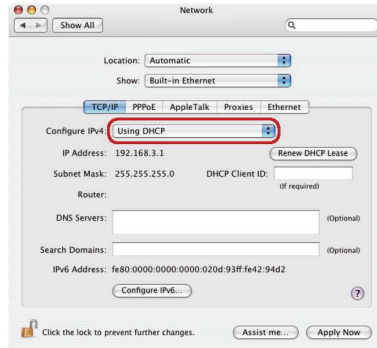


Figure 18: Mac OS Network

4. Click on “Apply Now”.

Browser Configuration

The following operation is for Windows Vista/XP users. If you are using Windows 2000/98/Me, you can skip this session.

1. Open Internet Explorer from program list.



2. Select “Tools” → “Internet Options”.

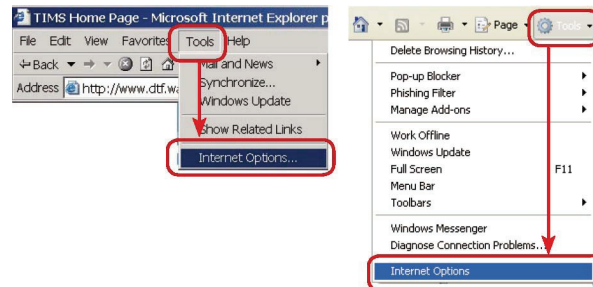


Figure 19: IE Tool bar

3. In “Connections” tab, check “Never dial a connection”, and then click on “LAN Settings...”.

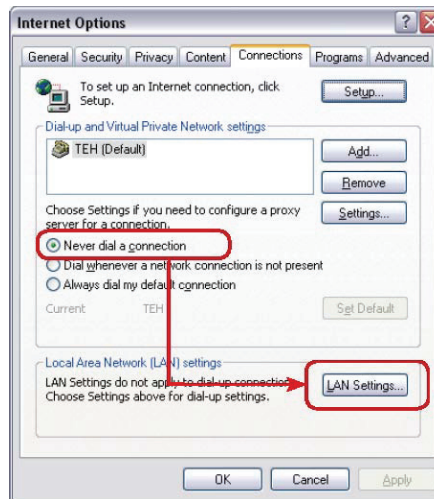


Figure 20: IE Internet Options

4. Uncheck those three boxes, and then click on “OK”.

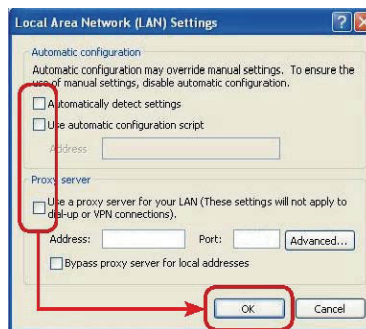


Figure 21: IE LAN Settings

5. Click on “OK” to close all of the windows.

Chapter 4: Network Configuration

First Configuration

Before using the equipment correctly, you must process first configuration. Please perform the following procedure:



Note: For firewall and anti-virus programs might interrupt the configuration, we suggest turning those programs off temporarily until the end of the first configuration.

1. Open a browser (e.g. Internet Explorer) and enter IP address **192.168.1.1**.
2. You are prompted for a username and password. The default user name is “**manager**” and the default password is “**friend**”, as shown in Figure 22. Then click on OK.

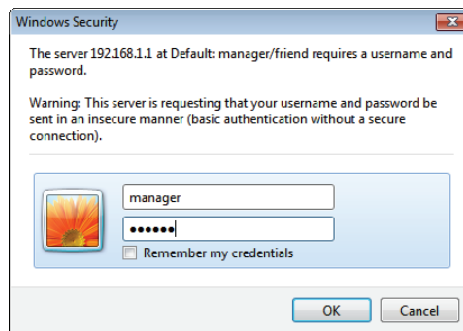


Figure 22: Login Dialog Box

3. Click on “Wizard” on the left side, as shown in Figure 23.

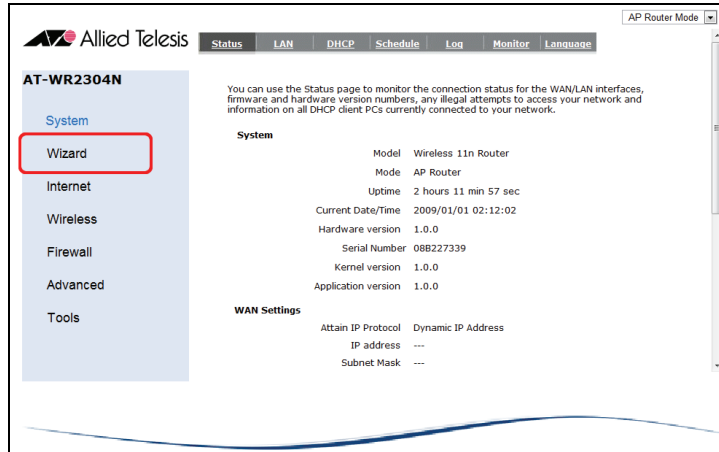


Figure 23: Setting Page

4. The step-to-step wizard will guide you to process the first configuration. Please choose the operation mode you want to use and then click on “Next”. This guild takes “AP Router Mode” as an example.

Figure 24: Wizard

5. Depends on the Internet type you chose, you might be prompted for more information which is provided by you ISP.
 - a. **Static IP Address:** If you are using static IP Internet service, please select this item.

Figure 25: Wizard > Static IP

- ☞ **Login Method:** Select “Static IP Address”.
- ☞ **IP address:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Subnet Mask:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Default Gateway:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Primary DNS:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Secondary DNS:** You can optionally input secondary DNS here.

- b. **Dynamic IP Address:** If you are using Internet provided by CATV company, or community broadband service, please select this item. For the complex factors, the connection might get failure. Please refer to your ISP for solution when encountering problem.

Figure 26: Wizard > Dynamic IP Address

- ☞ **Login Method:** Select “Dynamic IP Address”.
 - ☞ **Hostname:** If your ISP does not specify this parameter, keep default value.
 - ☞ **Mac:** Click on “Clone MAC Address” to get MAC address from PC.
- c. **PPP over Ethernet:** If you are using Internet service with a username and a password, please select this item.

Setup Wizard

Please, enter the data which is supplied by your ISP.

Login Method:

Username :

Password :

Service :

MTU : (512 <= MTU Value <= 1492)

Figure 27: Wizard > PPP over Ethernet

- ☞ **Login Method:** Select “PPP over Ethernet”.
- ☞ **Username:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Password:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Service:** You can optionally input service name here.
- ☞ **MTU:** Maximum transmission unit. It is recommended keeping default value.

- d. **PPTP:** If you are using PPTP Internet service, please select this item.

Setup Wizard

Please, enter the data which is supplied by your ISP.

Login Method:

WAN Interface Settings :

WAN Interface Type :

Hostname :

MAC Address :

PPTP Settings :

Login :

Password :

Service IP address :

Connection ID : (Optional)

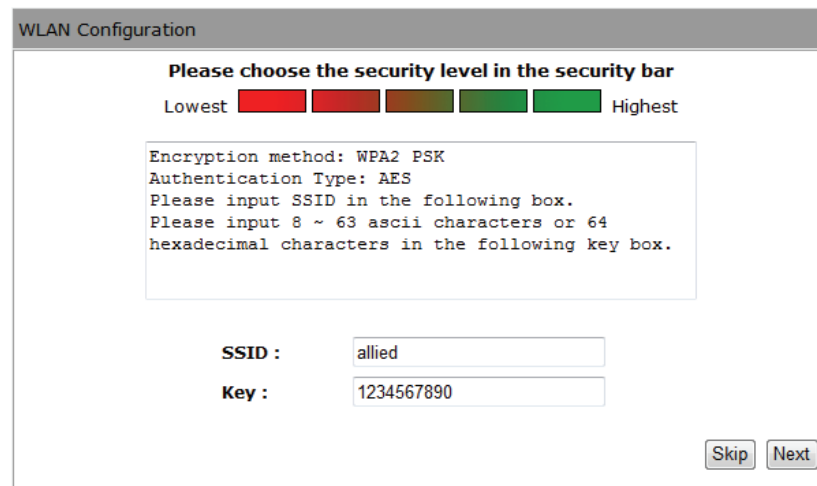
MTU : (512 <= MTU Value <= 1492)

Figure 28: Wizard > PPTP

- ☞ **Login Method:** Select “PPTP”.
- ☞ **WAN Interface Type:** Choose your IP address type according to your situation.
 - Static IP Address:** If you choose “Static IP Address”, you need to provide IP address, subnet mask, and gateway IP address.
 - Dynamic IP Address:** If you choose “Dynamic IP Address”, please input hostname provided by your ISP. You can click on “Clone MAC” to get MAC address from PC.
- ☞ **Login:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Password:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Service IP address:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Connection ID:** You can optionally input connection ID here.
- ☞ **MTU:** Maximum transmission unit. It is recommended keeping default value.

6. To choose a security level for your Wi-Fi connection, click on the bar above, as shown in Figure

29. AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router will automatically offer a SSID and a key, which are necessary when you perform a wireless connection. You can change both as you need. Then click on “Next”.

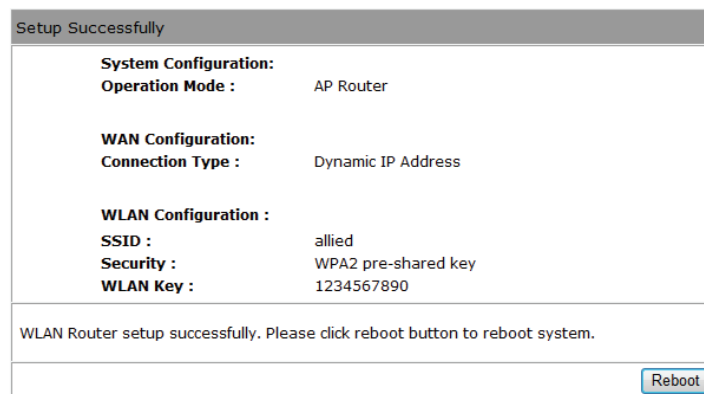


The image shows a 'WLAN Configuration' window. At the top, it says 'Please choose the security level in the security bar'. Below this is a horizontal bar with five colored segments: red, dark red, brown, green, and light green, labeled 'Lowest' on the left and 'Highest' on the right. The third segment (brown) is selected. Below the bar, a text box contains the following text: 'Encryption method: WPA2 PSK', 'Authentication Type: AES', 'Please input SSID in the following box.', and 'Please input 8 ~ 63 ascii characters or 64 hexadecimal characters in the following key box.'. Below this text box are two input fields: 'SSID : allied' and 'Key : 1234567890'. At the bottom right, there are two buttons: 'Skip' and 'Next'.

Figure 29: Security Level

- ☞ **SSID:** SSID is a name of wireless network for your identification. The default value is “allied”.
- ☞ **Key:** Input 8~63 ascii characters (from 0~9, a~z) or 64 hexadecimal characters (from 0~9, a~f).

7. When the message “Setup successfully” shows up, click on “Reboot” to apply the settings.



The image shows a 'Setup Successfully' window. It displays the following configuration summary:

System Configuration:	
Operation Mode :	AP Router
WAN Configuration:	
Connection Type :	Dynamic IP Address
WLAN Configuration :	
SSID :	allied
Security :	WPA2 pre-shared key
WLAN Key :	1234567890

Below the summary, it says: 'WLAN Router setup successfully. Please click reboot button to reboot system.' At the bottom right, there is a 'Reboot' button.

Chapter 5: Security

Security setting is the first thing you need to do after you build up a wireless network. To protect your network from unlawful use, please perform the following procedure.

WEP

WEP encryption is compatible with most wireless devices. If you are not sure which encryption standard is suitable for all devices, please use WEP.

1. Go to “Wireless” → “Security”.



Figure 30: Wireless > Security

2. Configure the parameter.

- ☞ **SSID Selection:** If you enable more than one SSID, select here to configure.
- ☞ **Broadcast SSID:** Enable or disable SSID broadcast. The default value is “Enable”.
- ☞ **WMM:** Enable or disable WMM function. The default value is “Enable”.
- ☞ **Encryption:** Select “WEP”.

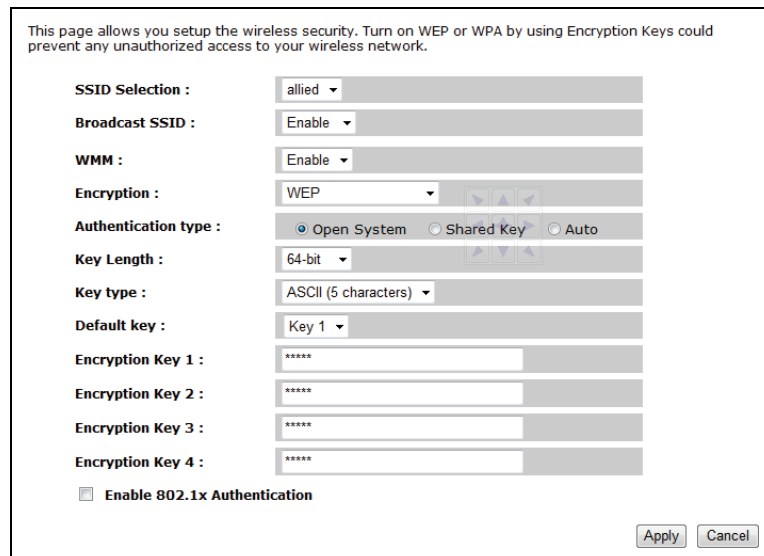


Figure 31: WEP Encryption

- ☞ **Authentication type:** It is recommended choosing “Auto”.
- ☞ **Key Length:** Select authentication key length here.
- ☞ **Key Type:** Select authentication key type here.
- ☞ **Default Key:** Select an encryption key as the default key.
- ☞ **Encryption Key:** Input your encryption key according to the length and format you select.

64-bits:

ASCII (5 characters): Pick from 0~9, a~z, and input 5 characters as the key.

Hex(10 characters): Pick from 0~9, a~f, and input 10 characters as the key.

128-bits:

ASCII (13 characters): Pick from 0~9, a~z, and input 13 characters as the key.

- ☞ **Hex(26 characters):** Pick from 0~9, a~f, and input 26 characters as the key.
 - ☞ **Enable 802.1x Authentication:** 802.1x Authentication works with RADIUS server. In this example, please uncheck this box.
3. Click on “Apply” to save the settings.



Note: To make connection successful, You must configure the wireless adapter the same setting with the wireless router.

WPA Pre-shared Key

WPA strengthens network security by means of key derivation function, which is more secure than WEP. Please make sure that the wireless adapter is compatible with this encryption.

1. Go to “Wireless” → “Security”.

Figure 32: WPA Pre-shared Key Encryption

2. Configure the parameter.
 - ☞ **SSID Selection:** If you enable more than one SSID, select here to configure.
 - ☞ **Broadcast SSID:** Enable or disable SSID broadcast. The default value is “Enable”.
 - ☞ **WMM:** Enable or disable WMM function. The default value is “Enable”.
 - ☞ **Encryption:** Select “WPA pre-shared key”.
 - ☞ **WPA Type:**
 - WPA (TKIP):** WPA is the first generation of WPA encryption technology. Select it if your wireless adapter does not support the latest standard.
 - WPA2 (AES):** WPA2 use more rigorous encryption than WPA. Please make sure that the wireless adapter is compatible with the encryption standard, or please select “WPA2 Mixed”.
 - WPA2 Mixed:** The equipment detects connected wireless adapter and automatically switch between WPA and WPA2. It is recommended using this setting.
 - ☞ **Pre-shared Key Type:**
 - Passphrase:** 8~63 character key.
 - Hex(64 characters):** 64 character key.
 - ☞ **Pre-shared Key:** Input your encryption key according to the pre-shared key type you select.
3. Click on “Apply” to save the settings.



Note: To make connection successful, You must configure the wireless adapter the same setting with the wireless router.

WPA RADIUS

WPA RADIUS is usually implemented in enterprise environment. Before perform this setting, please make sure you have a RADIUS server ready.

1. Go to “Wireless” → “Security”.

This page allows you setup the wireless security. Turn on WEP or WPA by using Encryption Keys could prevent any unauthorized access to your wireless network.

SSID Selection :	allied ▾
Broadcast SSID :	Enable ▾
WMM :	Enable ▾
Encryption :	WPA RADIUS ▾
WPA type :	<input type="radio"/> WPA(TKIP) <input checked="" type="radio"/> WPA2(AES) <input type="radio"/> WPA2 Mixed
RADIUS Server IP address :	<input type="text"/>
RADIUS Server port :	1812
RADIUS Server password :	<input type="text"/>

Figure 33: WPA RADUS Encryption

2. Configure the parameter.

- ☞ **SSID Selection:** If you enable more than one SSID, select here to configure.
 - ☞ **Broadcast SSID:** Enable or disable SSID broadcast. The default value is “Enable”.
 - ☞ **WMM:** Enable or disable WMM function. The default value is “Enable”.
 - ☞ **Encryption:** Select “WPA RADIUS”.
 - ☞ **WPA Type:**
 - WPA (TKIP):** WPA is the first generation of WPA encryption technology. Select it if your wireless adapter does not support the latest standard.
 - WPA2 (AES):** WPA2 use more rigorous encryption then WPA. Please make sure that the wireless adapter is compatible with the encryption, or please select “WPA2 Mixed”.
 - WPA2 Mixed:** The equipment detects connected wireless adapter and automatically switch between WPA and WPA2. It is recommended using this setting.
 - ☞ **RADIUS Server IP Address:** Please contact your IT administrator for the value.
 - ☞ **RADIUS Server Port:** Please contact your IT administrator for the value.
 - ☞ **RADIUS Server Password:** Please contact your IT administrator for the value.
3. Click on “Apply” to save the settings.



Note: To make connection successful, You must configure the wireless adapter the same setting with the wireless router.

Chapter 6: Advanced Setting

System

This page shows system status, LAN settings, DHCP, log and statistics. Please access by clicking on “System” on the left side.

Status

This page displays information about firmware version, WAN/LAN/WLAN settings.

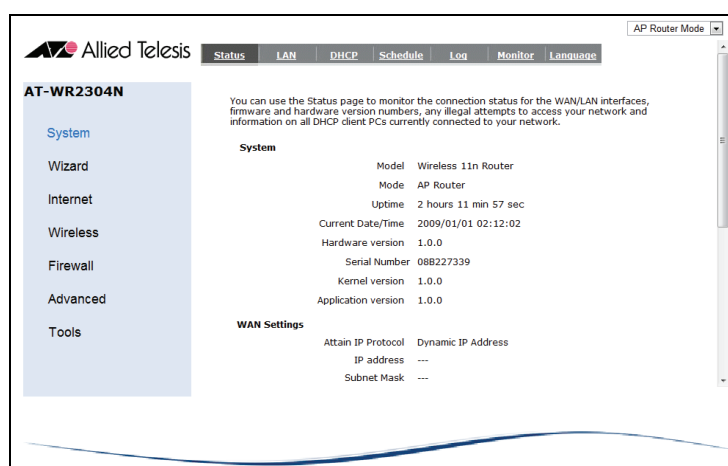


Figure 34: System > Status

LAN

In this page, you can perform LAN settings, such as virtual IP, subnet mask, DHCP server, etc.

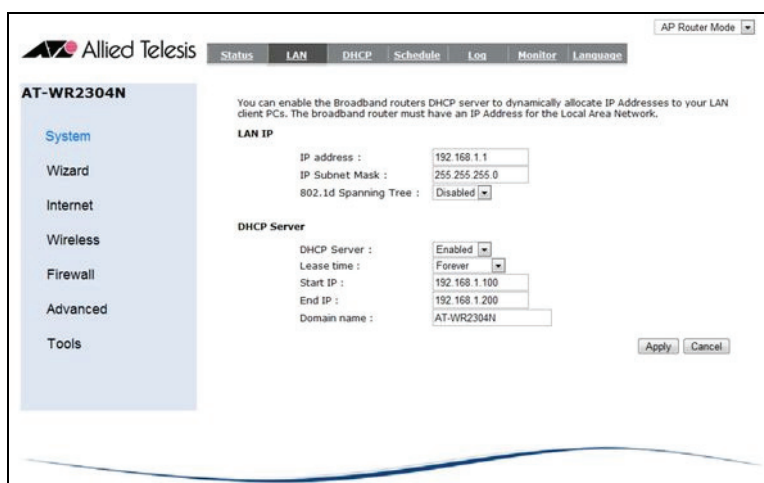


Figure 35: System LAN

- ☞ **IP address:** LAN IP of this equipment. Do not change it unless special need.
- ☞ **IP Subnet Mask:** The default value is “255.255.255.0”.
- ☞ **802.1d Spanning Tree:** Spanning Tree Protocol (STP) is a standard mechanism to maintain network bridge and switch. When conflict occurs, it coordinates network bridges and switches. The default value is “Disabled”.
- ☞ **DHCP Server:** When “Enabled” is selected, the equipment sends IP address as a DHCP server. When “Disabled” is selected, you have to manually assign IP and subnet mask. The default value is “Enabled”.

- ☞ **Lease time:** You can set lease time here. Client PC has to request an IP again after a certain portion of the lease time has expired.
- ☞ **Start IP:** You can limit the IP range here. This parameter works in DHCP “Enabled”.
- ☞ **End IP:** You can limit the IP range here. This parameter works in DHCP “Enabled”.
- ☞ **Domain name:** In usual situation, please keep the default value.

DHCP

This page shows information about PC connecting to AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router.

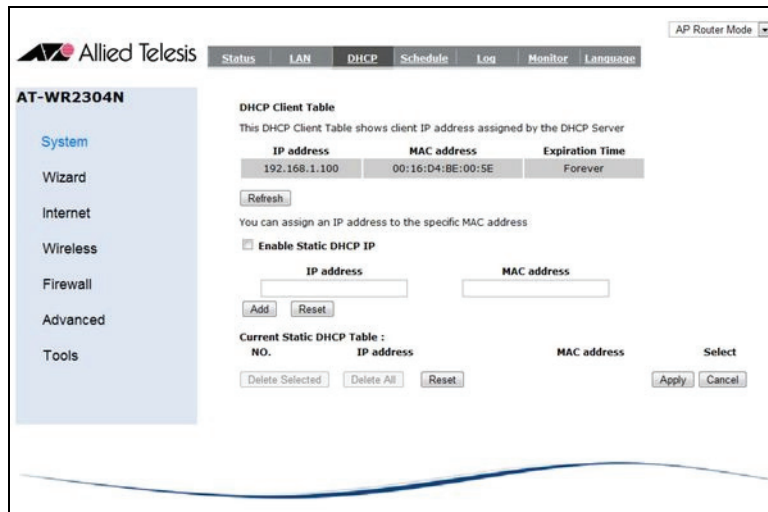


Figure 36: System > DHCP

- ☞ **Enable Static DHCP IP:** This function helps you to identify specific client by its MAC address. Check the box to enable this function. Input IP address and MAC address, and then click on “Add” to add a static DHCP IP.
- ☞ **Current Static DHCP Table:** All static IP information is listed here.

Current Static DHCP Table :			
NO.	IP address	MAC address	Select
1	192.168.1.15	00:0F:EA:40:B5:A2	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	192.168.1.16	00:0F:EB:42:B5:A2	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 37: System > Current Static DHCP Table



Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

Schedule

AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router provides schedule function by which you can administrate firewall and power-saving operation.

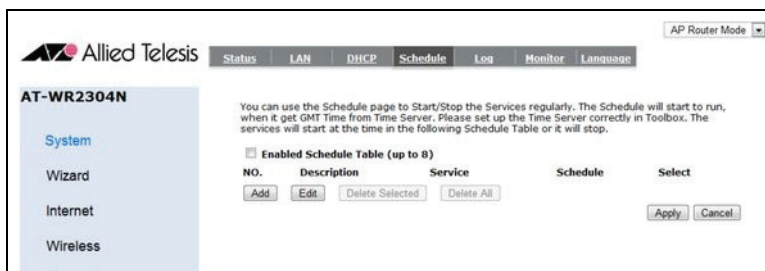


Figure 38: System > Schedule

☞ **Enable Schedule Table:** Check the box to enable this function. To add a schedule, perform the following procedure.

1. Click on “Add”.
2. Configure the following parameter.

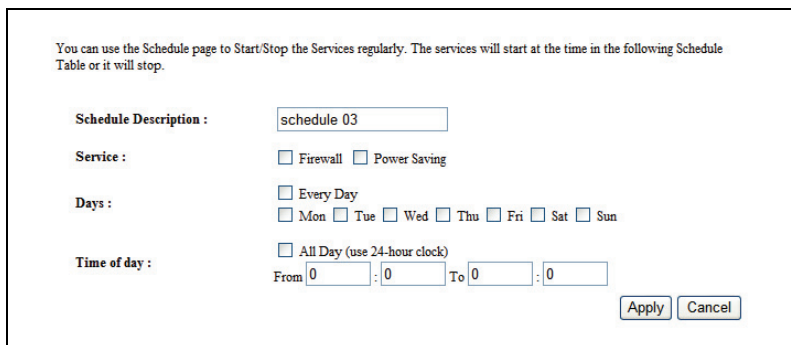


Figure 39: System > Schedule Settings

- ☞ **Schedule Description:** Give the scheduled task a name to identify.
 - ☞ **Service:** Check the service you want to schedule.
 - ☞ **Days:** Check the weekday you want to schedule.
 - ☞ **Time of Day:** Input the starting and the ending time.
3. Click on “Apply” to add the rule. All schedule rules are listed in the table.

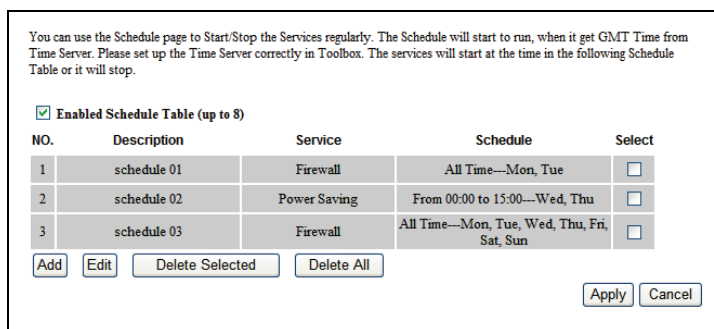


Figure 40: Schedule Table



Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

Log

System log is displayed in this page.



Figure 41: System > Log

- ☞ **Save:** Click on “Save” to save the log as a text file.
- ☞ **Clear:** Click on “Clear” to remove all log information.

Monitor

This page shows real-time bandwidth information, including WAN and wireless LAN.

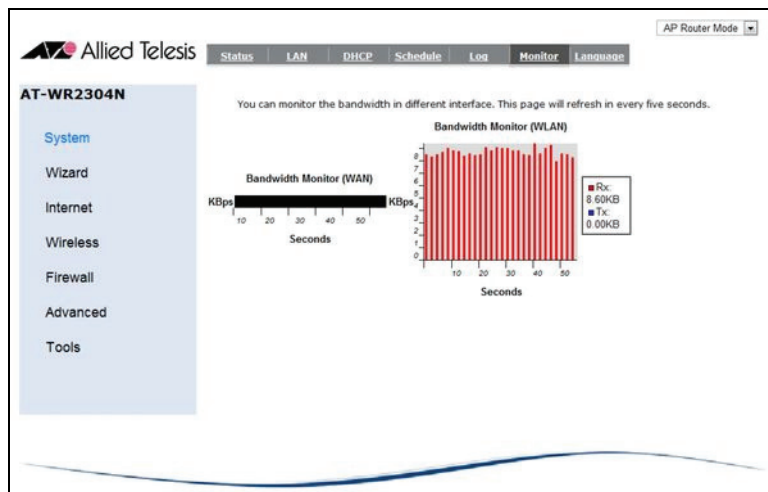


Figure 42: System > Monitor

Language

This page shows available system language.

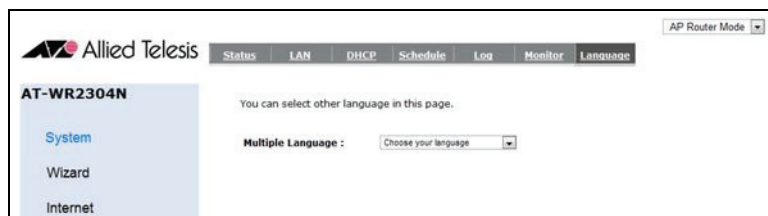


Figure 43: System > Language

Wizard

Please refer to **Chapter 4: Network Configuration** for Wizard configuration.

Internet

This page provides internet settings. Please set configuration according to your Internet type. If necessary, ask your ISP for assistance. Please access by clicking on “internet” on the left side.

Status

This page shows current Internet status. Click on “Renew” to reload the page.

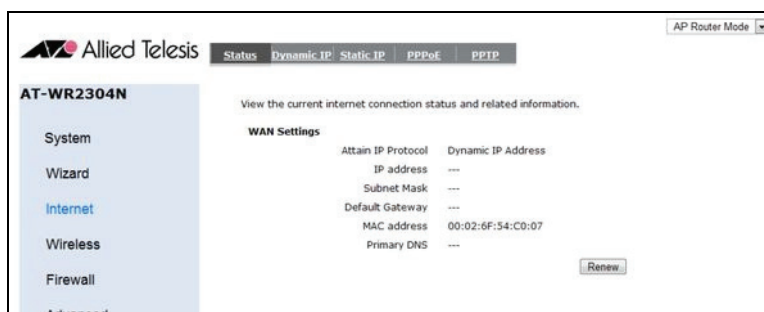


Figure 44: Internet > Status

Dynamic IP

If you are using Internet provided by CATV company, or community broadband service, please configure this page. For the complex factors, the connection might get failure. Please refer to your ISP for solution when encountering problem.

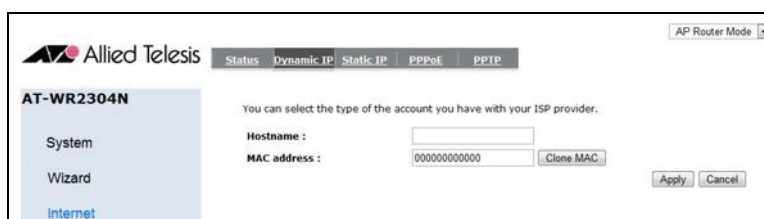


Figure 45: Internet > Dynamic IP

☞ **Hostname:** If your ISP does not specify this parameter, keep default value.

☞ **MAC address:** Click on “Clone MAC” to get MAC address from PC.

Click on “Apply” after configuration.

Static IP

If you are using static IP Internet service, please configure this page.

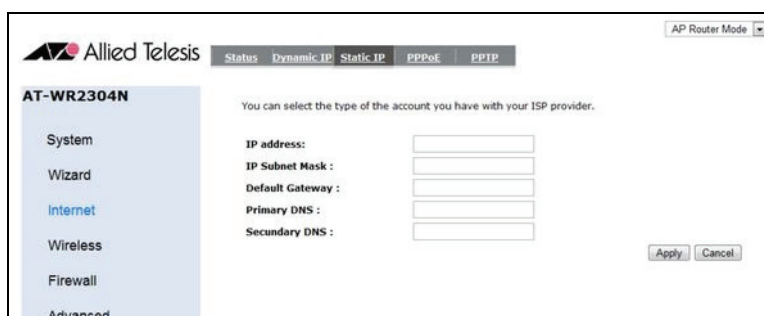


Figure 46: Internet > Static IP

☞ **IP address:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.

☞ **IP Subnet Mask:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.

- ☞ **Default Gateway:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Primary DNS:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Secondary DNS:** You can optionally input secondary DNS here.

Click on “Apply” after configuration.

PPPoE

If you are using Internet service with a username and a password, please configure this page.

The screenshot shows the 'PPPoE' configuration page in the Allied Telesis web interface. The left sidebar contains navigation options: System, Wizard, Internet (selected), Wireless, Firewall, and Advanced. The main content area has a title 'AT-WR2304N' and a sub-header 'You can select the type of the account you have with your ISP provider.' Below this, there are several input fields: 'Login', 'Password', 'Service Name', 'MTU' (with a value of 1492 and a note '(512<=MTU Value <=1492)'), 'Authentication type' (a dropdown menu set to 'Auto'), 'Type' (a dropdown menu set to 'Keep Connection'), and 'Idle Timeout' (a value of 10 with a note '(1-1000 Minutes)'). At the bottom right, there are 'Apply' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Figure 47: Internet > PPPoE

- ☞ **Login:** Input the username provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Password:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Service Name:** You can optionally input service name here.
- ☞ **MTU:** Maximum transmission unit. It is recommended keeping default value.
- ☞ **Authentication type:** Choose the authentication type of ISP here. It is recommended selecting “Auto”.
- ☞ **Type:**
 - Keep Connection:** When “Keep Connection” is selected, the equipment will always be on line. It is recommended selecting “Keep Connection”.
 - Automatic Connection:** When “Automatic Connection” is selected, the equipment connects when accessing to the Internet.
 - Manual Connection:** When “Manual Connection” is selected, you need to manually connect the equipment to the Internet.
- ☞ **Idle Timeout:** You can set maximum idle time here. The equipment disconnects if there is no activity in a period of time.

Click on “Apply” after configuration.

PPTP

If you are using PPTP Internet service, please configure this page.

The screenshot shows the 'PPTP' configuration page in the Allied Telesis web interface. The left sidebar contains navigation options: System, Wizard, Internet (selected), Wireless, Firewall, Advanced, and Tools. The main content area has a title 'AT-WR2304N' and a sub-header 'You can select the type of the account you have with your ISP provider.' Below this, there are several input fields: 'WAN Interface Settings' with 'WAN Interface Type' set to 'Dynamic IP Address', 'Hostname', 'MAC address' (with a 'Clone MAC' button), 'PPTP Settings' with 'Login', 'Password', 'Service IP address', and 'Connection ID' (with a note '(Optional)'), 'MTU' (with a value of 1400 and a note '(512<=MTU Value <=1492)'), 'Type' (a dropdown menu set to 'Keep Connection'), and 'Idle Timeout' (a value of 10 with a note '(1-1000 Minutes)'). At the bottom right, there are 'Apply' and 'Cancel' buttons.

Figure 48: Internet > PPTP

- ☞ **WAN Interface Type:** Choose your IP address type according to your situation. If you choose “Static IP Address”, you need to provide IP address, subnet mask, and gateway IP address. Address”. If you choose “Dynamic IP Address”, please input hostname provided by your ISP. You can click on “Clone MAC” to get MAC address from PC.
- ☞ **Hostname:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **MAC Address:** Click on “Clone MAC” to get MAC address from PC.
- ☞ **PPTP Settings:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Login:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Password:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Service IP address:** Input the parameter provided by your ISP.
- ☞ **Connection ID:** You can optionally input connection ID here.
- ☞ **MTU:** Maximum transmission unit. It is recommended keeping default value.
- ☞ **Type:**
 - Keep Connection:** When “Keep Connection” is selected, the equipment will always be on line. It is recommended selecting “Keep Connection”
 - Automatic Connection:** When “Automatic Connection” is selected, the equipment connects when accessing to the Internet.
 - Manual Connection:** When “Manual Connection” is selected, you need to manually connect the equipment to the Internet.
- ☞ **Idle Timeout:** You can set maximum idle time here. The equipment disconnects if there is no activity in a period of time.

Click on “Apply” after configuration.

Wireless

This page shows wireless LAN settings of AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router, including SSID, security, access control and WPS. Please access by clicking on “Wireless” on the left side.

Basic

The screenshot shows the web interface for the AT-WR2304N router. The 'Basic' tab is selected, and the 'Wireless' section is active. The settings are as follows:

- Radio:** Enable Disable
- Mode:** AP
- Band:** 2.4 GHz (B+G+T)
- Enable SSID#:** 1
- SSID:** AT154C060
- Auto Channel:** Enable Disable
- Channel:** 11

Buttons for 'Apply' and 'Cancel' are visible at the bottom right.

Figure 49: Wireless > Basic

- ☞ **Radio:** You can switch on or off the wireless function. The default value is “Enable”.
- ☞ **Mode:** You can switch wireless mode here.
 - AP:** To use this equipment as a wireless broadband router.
 - WDS:** To perform this mode, you need 2 AT-WR2304N. Please refer to next session for detail configuration.
- ☞ **Band:** Select the wireless band standard. It is recommended to remain default setting.
- ☞ **Enable SSID#:** AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router provides up to 4 SSID. Enable more than one SSID here.
- ☞ **SSID:** Name your wireless connection here. It helps to identify your wireless LAN network. The default value is “allied”, though it is recommended to have a unique SSID.
- ☞ **Auto Channel:** Enable or disable auto channel function here. The default value is “Disable”.
- ☞ **Check Channel Time:** Identify a period of time to renew channel.
- ☞ **Channel:** Identify a specific channel here. The default value is “11”.

Click on “Apply” after configuration.

WDS-P2MP

P2MP mode implement is applied to connect two environments with different LAN. Both of the AP cannot provide wireless services to users.

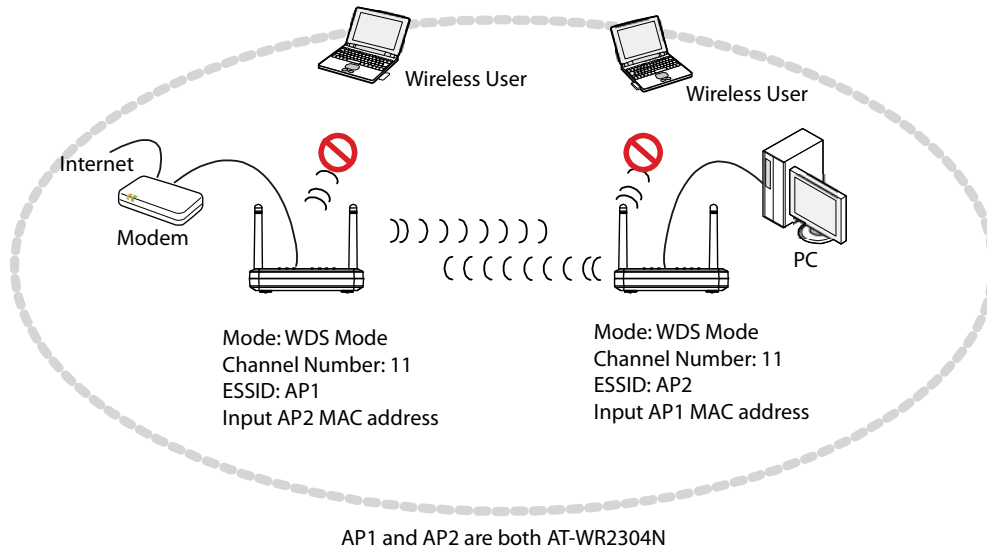


Figure 50: WDS P2MP Diagram

API

Please set API according to the following procedure.

1. Connect a PC and one of the LAN ports on API with a RJ-45 cable, and then set the PC static IP, e.g: 192.168.1.100.
2. In web browser, access 192.168.1.1 to enter the configuration menu, and then click on "Wireless" → "Basic".

This page allows you to define SSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.

Radio : Enable Disable

Mode : WDS

Band : 2.4 GHz (B+G+N)

Enable SSID#: 1

SSID 1 : AP1

Auto Channel : Enable Disable

Channel : 11

MAC address 1 : 00026F54C007

MAC address 2 : 000000000000

MAC address 3 : 000000000000

MAC address 4 : 000000000000

Set Security :

3. Use the following settings:

- ☞ **Radio:** Enable.
- ☞ **Mode:** WDS.
- ☞ **Band:** 82.4GHz (B+G+N) (must be the same with AP2).
- ☞ **SSID:** API.
- ☞ **Auto Channel:** Disable.
- ☞ **Channel:** 11 (must be the same with AP2).
- ☞ **MAC Address I:** input AP2 MAC address. The format is "xxxxxxxxxxxx".

- ☞ **Set Security:** You can optionally set wireless security by clicking on “Set Security”. Click on “Apple” to save the settings.
- 4. Click on “Apply” and wait for re-booting.

AP2

Please set AP2 according the following procedure.

1. Remove the cable from API, and then connect to one of the LAN ports on AP2.
2. In web browser, access 192.168.1.1 to enter the configuration menu. Click on “System” → “LAN” and use the following settings:

The screenshot shows the web interface for the AT-WR2304N router. The left sidebar has a menu with 'System' selected. The main content area is titled 'LAN IP' and 'DHCP Server'. The LAN IP settings are: IP address: 192.168.1.1, IP Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0, and 802.1d Spanning Tree: Disabled. The DHCP Server settings are: DHCP Server: Enabled, Lease time: Forever, Start IP: 192.168.1.100, End IP: 192.168.1.200, and Domain name: AT-WR2304N. There are 'Apply' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom right.

- ☞ **IP Address:** 192.168.1.1

- ☞ **DHCP Server:** Disable.

3. Click on “Apply” to save the settings.
4. Go to “Wireless” → ”Basic” and use the following settings:

The screenshot shows the wireless configuration page. The text at the top says: 'This page allows you to define SSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.' The settings are: Radio: Enable (selected), Mode: WDS, Band: 2.4 GHz (B+G+N), Enable SSID#: 1, SSID1: AP1, Auto Channel: Disable (selected), Channel: 11, MAC address 1: 00026F54C007, MAC address 2: 000000000000, MAC address 3: 000000000000, MAC address 4: 000000000000, and Set Security: Set Security. There are 'Apply' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom right.

- ☞ **Radio:** Enable.

- ☞ **Mode:** WDS Mode.

- ☞ **Band:** 2.4GHz (B+G+N) (must be the same with API).

- ☞ **SSID:** AP2.

- ☞ **Auto Channel:** Disable.

- ☞ **Channel:** 11 (must be the same with API).

- ☞ **MAC Address 1:** input API MAC address. The format is “xxxxxxxxxxxx”.

- ☞ **Set Security:** The security setting must be the same with API.

5. Click on “Apply” to save settings.
6. Set the PC to “Obtain an IP address automatically”.

WDS-Repeater

Wi-fi Distributed System (WDS) can efficiently extend the range of wireless signal. Both of the wireless routers provide wireless service. WDS implementation requires two sets of AT-WR2304N. Please perform the following procedure.

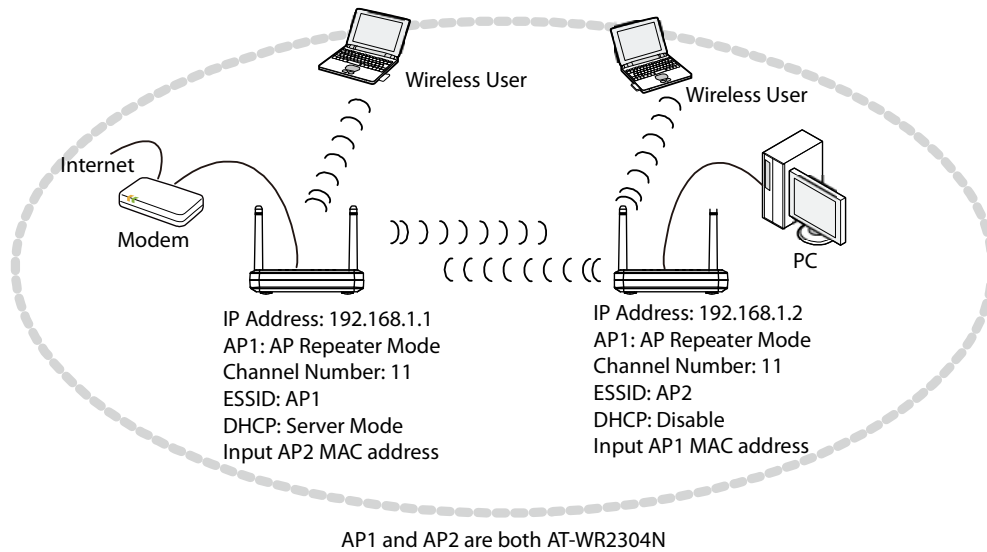


Figure 51: WDS Repeater Diagram

API

Please set API according to the following procedure.

1. Connect API LAN port and a computer with a RJ-45 cable. Set the PC static IP, such as 192.168.1.100.
2. In management configuration menu, check top-right side and make sure the equipment is at "AP Router Mode". You might need to wait for rebooting after this setting.
3. Go to "Wireless" → "Basic". Make sure the following configuration:

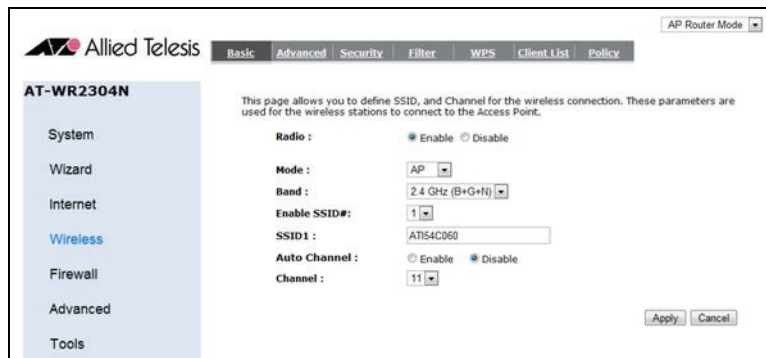


Figure 52: WDS Settings (API)

- ☞ **Radio:** Enable.
 - ☞ **Mode:** AP.
 - ☞ **Band:** 2.4GHz (B+G+N).
 - ☞ **Auto Channel:** Disable.
 - ☞ **Channel:** 11 or other fixed channel.
4. Click on "Apply" to save the settings.
 5. Go to "Wireless" → "Security" and set encryption. Refer to Chapter 5 for the configuration.

Figure 53: WDS Security Settings (API)

- Click on “Apply” to save the settings.

AP2

Please set AP2 according to the following procedure.

- Un-plug the cable connecting the PC and API, and connect it to AP2.
- In management configuration menu, check top-right side and make sure the equipment is at “Repeater Mode”. You might need to wait for rebooting after this setting.

- Go to “Wireless” → “Basic”, Click on “Site Survey”.

Figure 54: WDS Settings (AP2)

- Find and select API SSID. Click on “Connect” to set encryption configuration.

Site Survey									
NO.	Select	Channel	SSID	BSSID	Encryption	Auth	Signal (%)	Mode	
1	<input type="radio"/>	1	AP_0012378913	00:09:41:E9:99:10	WEP	AUTOWEP	15	11b/g	
2	<input type="radio"/>	1	AP1	00:09:41:E9:99:11	WEP	AUTOWEP	24	11b/g	
3	<input type="radio"/>	1	Office	00:09:41:E9:99:12	WEP	AUTOWEP	29	11b/g	
4	<input type="radio"/>	1	test	00:09:41:E9:99:13	NONE	OPEN	20	11b/g	

Refresh Connect

Figure 55: WDS Site survey

- Set encryption according to API’s wireless setting. Click on “Apply”.

This page allows you to setup the wireless security. Turn on WEP or WPA by using Encryption Keys could prevent any unauthorized access to your wireless network.

Site Survey Settings

Network Name (SSID) : Virtual Wireless Network 3

Encryption : WEP

Key Length : 64-bit

Key type : ASCII (5 characters)

Default key : Key 1

Encryption Key 1 : *****

Encryption Key 2 : *****

Encryption Key 3 : *****

Encryption Key 4 : *****

Apply

Figure 56: WDS Security Settings (AP2)

- Unplug the RJ-45 cable, and set the PC to “Obtain an IP address automatically”.

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AP Router Mode

These settings are only for more technically advanced users who have a sufficient knowledge about wireless LAN. These settings should not be changed unless you know what effect the changes will have on your Broadband router.

Fragment Threshold : 2346 (256-2346)

RTS Threshold : 2347 (1-2347)

Beacon Interval : 100 (20-1024 ms)

DTIM Period : 1 (1-255)

Data rate : Auto

N Data rate : Auto

Channel Bandwidth : Auto 20/40 MHz 20 MHz

Preamble Type : Long Preamble Short Preamble

CTS Protection : Auto Always None

Tx Power : 100 %

Apply Cancel

Figure 57: Wireless > Advanced

- ☞ **Fragment Threshold:** The maximum fragment size.
- ☞ **RTS Threshold:** The maximum RTS packet size.
- ☞ **Beacon Interval:** The interval of AP beacon.
- ☞ **DTIM Period:** Delivery Traffic Indication Message. It is recommended keeping default value.
- ☞ **Data rate:** It is recommended keeping default value “Auto”.
- ☞ **N Data rate:** It is recommended keeping default value “Auto”.
- ☞ **Channel Bandwidth:** It is recommended keeping default value “Auto 20/40 MHz”.
- ☞ **Preamble Type:** You can switch between “Long Preamble” and “Short Preamble”.
- ☞ **CTS Protection:** It is recommended keeping default value “Auto”.
- ☞ **Tx Power:** Configure this parameter to limit signal range. The default value is “100%”.

Security

Please refer to **Chapter 5: Security** for the configuration.

Filter

You can protect the network from unauthorized wireless user by means of MAC address filter. Only listed MAC address is allowed to connect to the AP.

For security reason, the Access Point features MAC Address Filtering which only allows authorized MAC Addresses to associate with the Access Point

Enable Wireless Access Control

Description	MAC address
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

MAC Address Filtering Table :

NO.	Description	MAC address	Select


Figure 58: Wireless > Filter

- ☞ **Enable Wireless Access Control:** Check the box to enable this function.
- ☞ **Description:** Specify a description for identification.
- ☞ **MAC Address:** Input the MAC address you want to allow. The format is “xxxxxxxxxx”.
- ☞ **MAC Address Filtering Table:** All authorized MAC address filtering rules are listed here.

MAC Address Filtering Table :


NO.	Description	MAC address	Select
1	authorized001	00:1A:0F:B1:0A:10	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	authorized002	00:1A:FF:B1:0A:10	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 59: MAC Address Filter Table

 **Note:** You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

WPS

Wi-fi Protected Setup (WPS) provides an easy way to connect to a secured AP. To perform WPS, make sure that the wireless adapter supports WPS feature. There are 3 ways to perform the setting.

 **Note:** The configuration and terminology in wireless adapter utility maybe dissimilar in different models.

<Push Button Connection >

Push button connection provides a simplest way to build a connection. It is recommended using this way.

- I. Push the WPS button on AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router. The wireless/WPS LED should blink quickly.

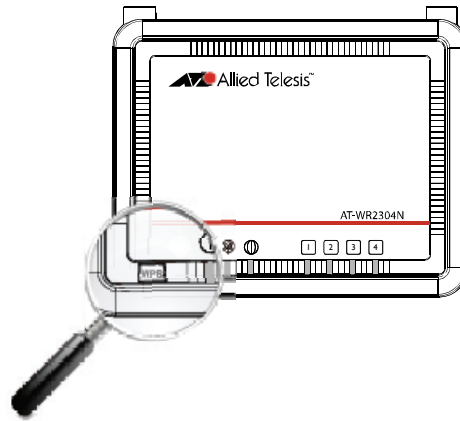


Figure 60: WPS Button Diagram

2. Open wireless adapter utility, and then find WPS configuration item. Click on “Rescan” to find the AP.

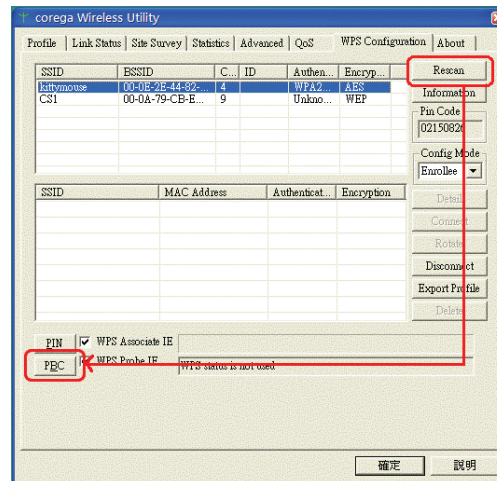


Figure 61: PBC Settings (Wireless Adapter)

3. Click on “PBC” button. The connection will be built in seconds.



Note: You need to push “PBC” button on wireless adapter in 120 seconds. Otherwise you need to perform the procedure from step 1.

<Input PIN Code to Wireless AP>

1. Push the WPS button on AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router. The wireless/WPS LED should blink quickly.
2. Open wireless adapter utility, and then find WPS configuration item. Configure the “Config Mode” to “Enrollee”. Note the 8-character PIN Code.

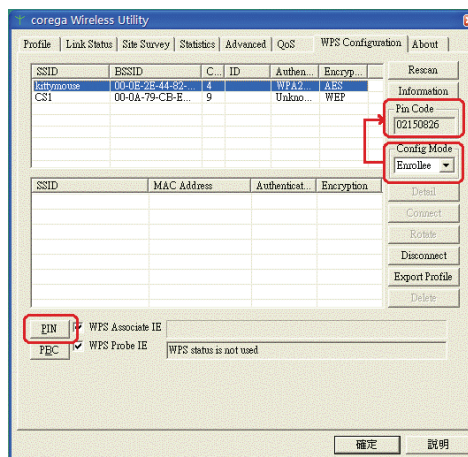


Figure 62: PIN Settings (Wireless Adapter)

3. In AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router configuration menu WPS page, input the 8-character PIN code to “WPS via PIN”.
4. Click on “Start to Process. The connection will be built in seconds.

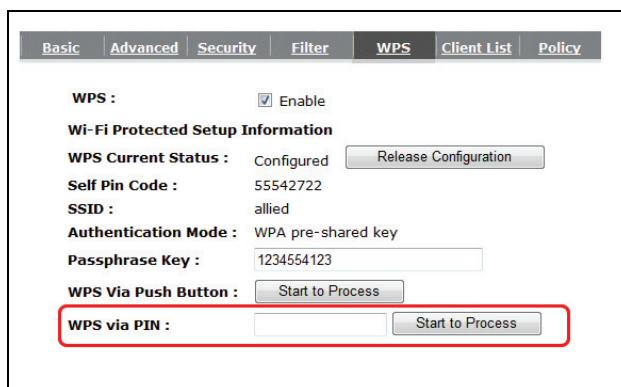


Figure 63: PIN Settings (Wireless Router)



Note: The configuration and terminology in wireless adapter utility maybe dissimilar in different models.



Note: After pushing “PBC” button on wireless adapter, you need to complete operation on wireless adapter in 120 seconds. Otherwise you need to perform the procedure from step 1.

<Input PIN Code to Wireless Adapter>

1. In AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router configuration menu WPS page, note the 8-character Self PIN Code.

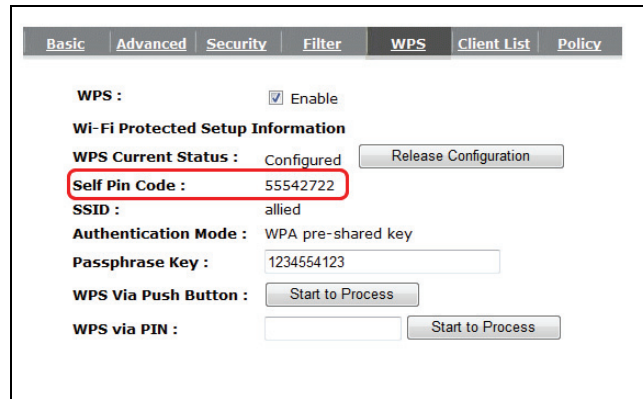


Figure 64: Self PIN Settings (Wireless Router)

- Open wireless adapter utility, and then find WPS configuration item. Configure the “Config Mode” to “Registrar”, and then input the Self PIN Code.

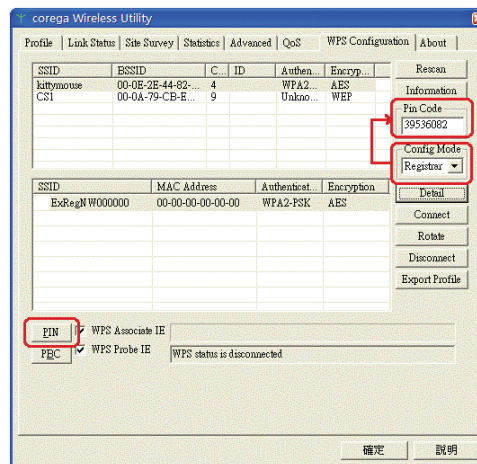


Figure 65: PIN Settings (Wireless Adapter)

- Click on “PIN” button. The connection will be built in seconds.



Note: The configuration and terminology in wireless adapter utility maybe dissimilar in different models.



Note: You need to complete wireless adapter operation in 120 seconds. Otherwise you need to perform the procedure from step 1.

<WPS Parameter>

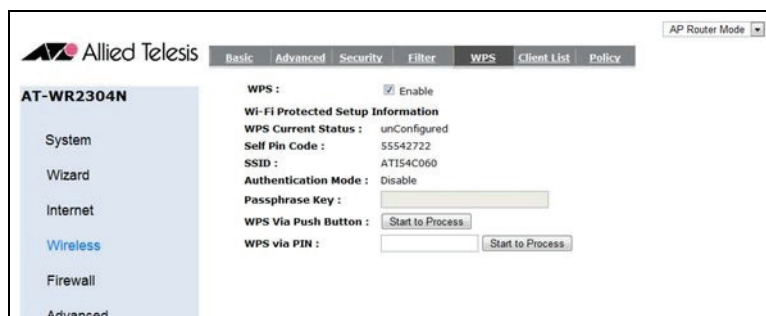


Figure 66: Wireless > WPS

- WPS:** Check the box to enable this function.

- ☞ **WPS Current Status:** The message “configured” means wireless encryption is properly set. Disable encryption function by clicking on “Release Configuration”.
- ☞ **Self Pin Code:** This is the WPS PIN code of AP. You can input this PIN code to wireless adapter. Refer to **<Input PIN Code to Wireless Adapter>** for the detail configuration.
- ☞ **SSID:** This is the SSID of AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router.
- ☞ **Authentication Mode:** It shows the current authentication mode information.
- ☞ **Passphrase Key:** It shows the authentication key of AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router. If the wireless adapter does not support WPS, you will need it to connect to this wireless router.
- ☞ **WPS Via Push Button:** Click on “Start to Process” to perform WPS PBC setting. Refer to **<Push Button Connection >** for the detail configuration.
- ☞ **WPS Via PIN:** Input wireless adapter PIN code and click on “Start to Process” to perform WPS. Refer to **<Input PIN Code to Wireless AP>** for the detail configuration.

Client List

This page shows wireless LAN client information. You can reload the page by clicking on “Refresh”.

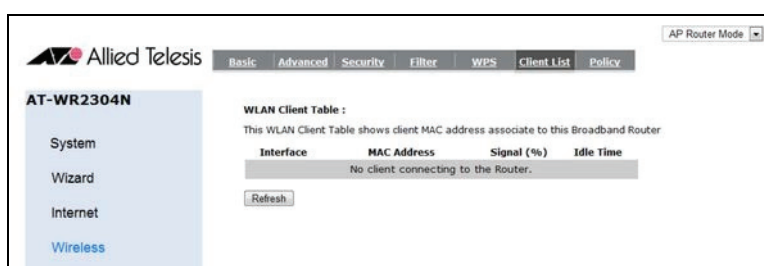


Figure 67: Wireless > Client List

Interface: It shows the SSID that client is connecting to.

MAC Address: It shows the client’s MAC address.

Signal (%): It shows the signal quality.

Idle Time: It shows the idle time of the client.

Policy

In this page, you can manage the equipment’s wireless networking policy. AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router gives flexibility to configure each SSID for your need.



Figure 68: Wireless > Policy

- ☞ **WAN Connection:** When this function is enabled, users who connect to this SSID are allowed to connect to WAN. When this function is disabled, users cannot visit WAN resource.
- ☞ **Communication between Wireless Clients:** When this function is disabled, users cannot connect to other wireless users, but are allowed to connect to LAN users.
- ☞ **Communication between Wireless Clients and Wired Clients:** When this function is disabled, users cannot connect to LAN users, but are allowed to connect to other wireless users.

Firewall

This page provides setting such as port filter, IP filter, port forwarding, DMZ, DoS and VPN. Please access by clicking on “Firewall” on the top-left side.

Enable

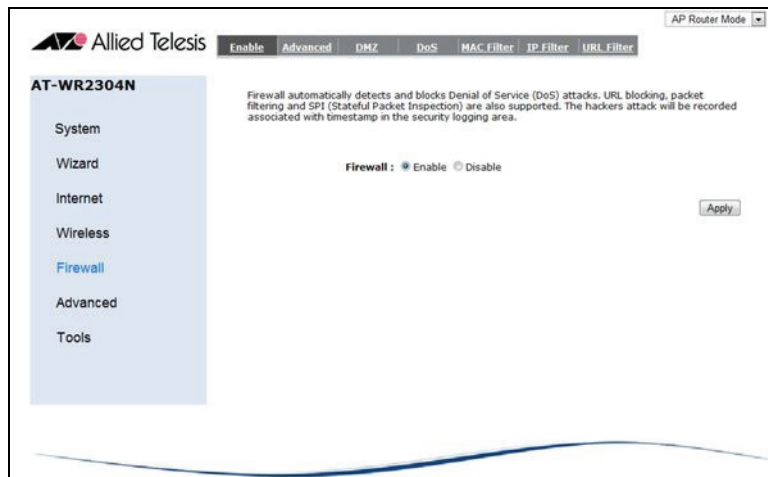


Figure 69: Firewall > Enable

☞ **Firewall:** Enable or disable firewall feature here. The default value is “Enable”.

Advanced

This page provides VPN functions including PPTP / IPSec pass through on VPN connection. You can enable by checking the box. Enable this function by checking the box.

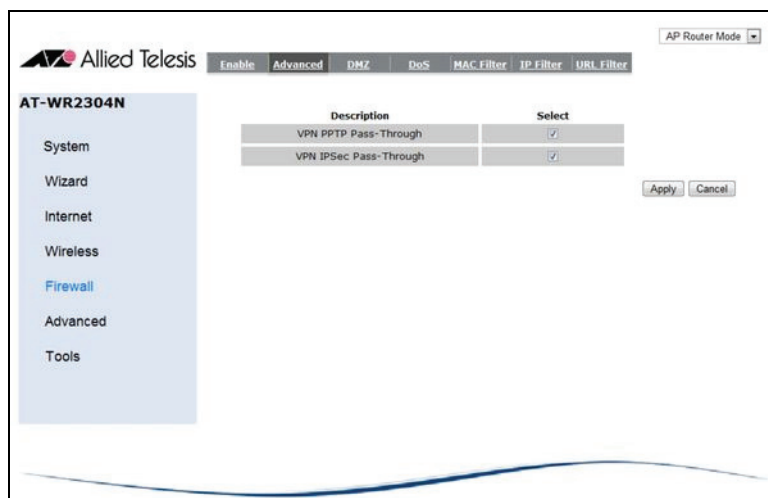


Figure 70: Firewall > Advanced

DMZ

Use this function if the connection port of on-line game is uncertain, or the connection varies every time. To enable DMZ, perform the following procedure.

1. Assign the PC you want to apply DMZ a static IP.
2. Go to “System” → “DHCP”, and then check the box Enable Static DHCP IP.

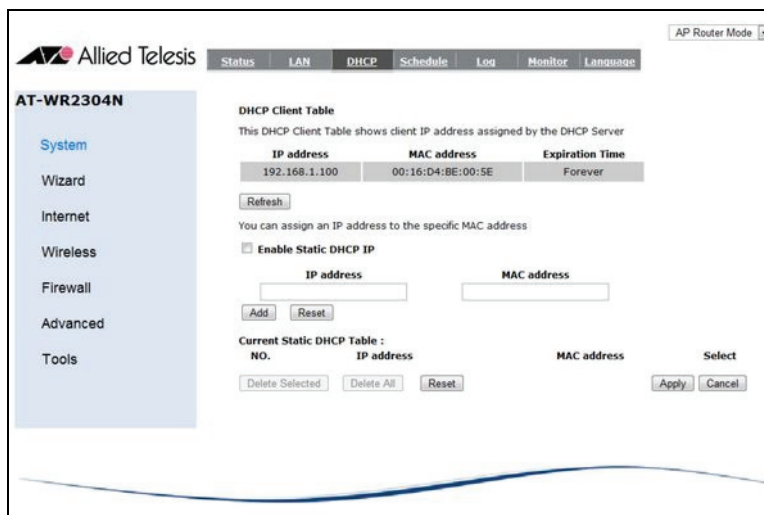


Figure 71: DMZ Settings

3. Input the "IP Address" and "MAC Address", and then click on "Add". Apply the setting.
4. Go to "Firewall" → "DMZ". Select the PC from "Please select a PC", and then click on "<" to add it to "Local IP Address".



Figure 72: Firewall > DMZ

5. Check "Enable DMZ" to apply the change.



Note: To enable DMZ might make computer suffer from hacker attacks. Please use only when necessary. You must apply static IP on the Client PC.

DoS

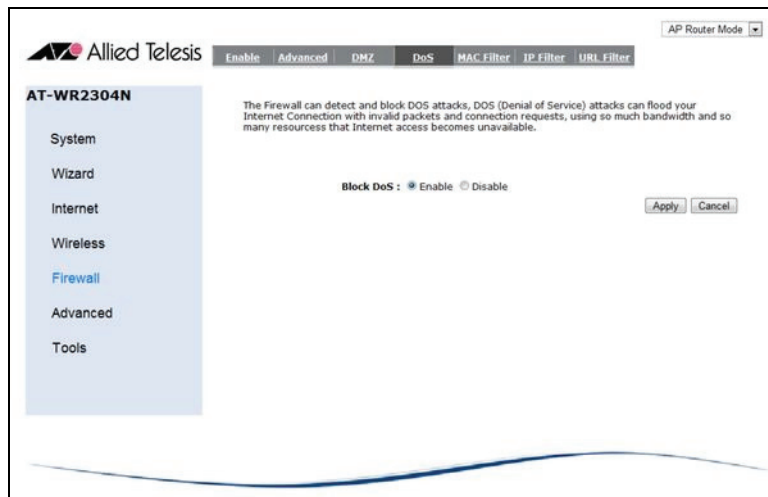


Figure 73: Firewall > DoS

- ☞ **Block DoS:** Enable or disable DoS blocking here. The default value is “Enable”.

MAC Filter

You can restrict LAN and WLAN network by MAC address.

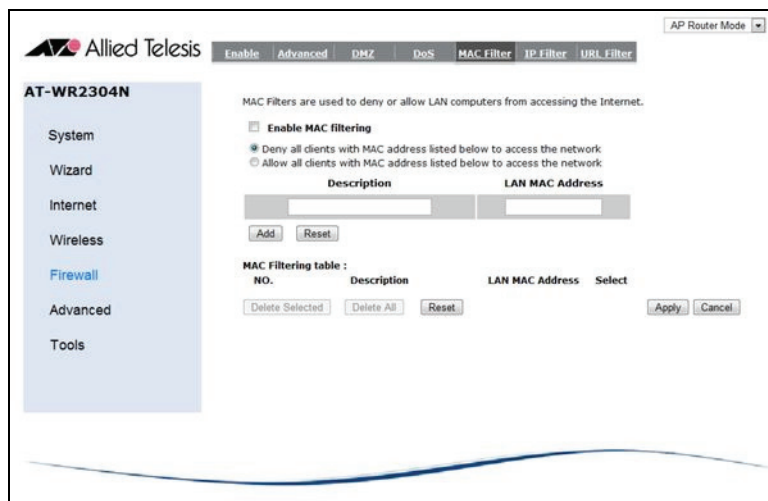


Figure 74: Firewall > MAC Filter

- ☞ **Enable MAC filtering:** Check the box to enable this function. When “Allow all...” is selected, only users in MAC Filter Table are allowed to connect to the equipment. When “Deny all...” is selected, the listed users are not allowed to connect to the equipment.
- ☞ **Description:** Specify a description for identification.
- ☞ **LAN MAC Address:** Input the MAC address you want to manage here. The format is xxxxxxxxxx. Click on “Add” to add a rule.
- ☞ **MAC Filter table:** All MAC address filtering rules are listed here.

MAC Address Filtering Table :			
NO.	Description	MAC address	Select
1	authorized001	00:1A:0F:B1:0A:10	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	authorized002	00:1A:FF:B1:0A:10	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 75: MAC Address Filter Table

Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

IP Filter

You can restrict network by IP address. IP address listed in the filter table will be prohibited from accessing Internet.

Figure 76: Firewall > IP Filter

- Enable IP Filter Table:** Check the box to enable this function.
- Description:** Specify a description for identification.
- Protocol:** Select protocol here.
- Local IP Address:** Input the IP you want to restrict. You can Input a single IP or a range.
- Port range:** Input the service port you want to restrict. You can Input a single port or a range. Click on “Add” to add a rule.

All IP address filtering rules are listed at lower page.

NO.	Description	Local IP Address	Protocol	Port range	Select
1	IP filter 01	192.168.1.5-192.168.1.6	BOTH	80	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	IP filter 02	192.168.1.8	BOTH	21	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 77: IP Filter Table

Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

URL Filter

In this page, URL filter can restrict users from visiting specific URL or webpage contents specific keyword. You can set up to 20 rules.



Figure 78: Firewall > URL Filter

- ☞ **Enable URL Blocking:** Check the box to enable this function.
- ☞ **URL/keyword:** Input URL or keyword here.
- ☞ **Current URL Blocking Table:** All URL/keyword filtering rules are listed here.

Current URL Blocking Table :		
NO.	URL/keyword	Select
1	keyword	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	www.keyword.com	<input type="checkbox"/>

Buttons: Delete Selected, Delete All, Reset

Figure 79: URL Filter Table



Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

Advanced

This page provides advanced settings, including NAT, port forwarding, port mapping, port triggering, ALG, QoS and Routing. Please access by clicking on “Advanced” on the left side.

NAT

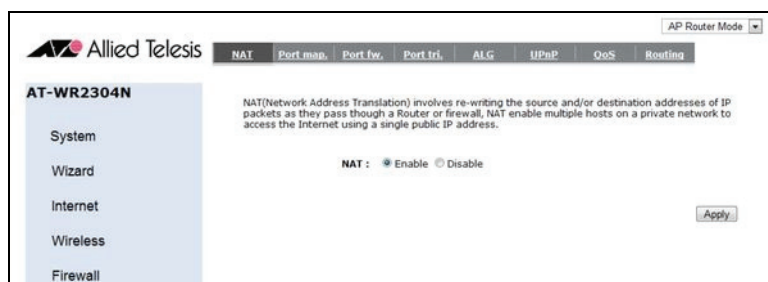


Figure 80: advanced > NAT

- ☞ **NAT:** Enable or disable NAT function here. The default value is “Enable”.

Port map.

Port Mapping re-directs a range of service port from the Internet / WAN Port to a particular LAN IP address. It is helpful when you host servers behind the router NAT firewall.

Figure 81: Advanced > Port Mapping

- ☞ **Enable Port Mapping:** Check the box to enable this function.
- ☞ **Description:** Specify a description for identification.
- ☞ **Local IP:** Input LAN IP address.
- ☞ **Protocol:** Select protocol here.
- ☞ **Port Range:** Input the service port range here.
- ☞ **Current Port Mapping Table:** All port mapping rules are listed here.

Current Port Mapping Table :					
NO.	Description	Local IP	Type	Port range	Select
1	Port Mapping 01	192.168.1.11	BOTH	28	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Port Mapping 02	192.168.1.13	BOTH	33-35	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 82: Current Port Mapping Table



Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

Port fw,

Figure 83: Advanced > Port Forwarding

- ☞ **Enable Port Forwarding:** Check the box to enable this function.
- ☞ **Description:** Specify a description for identification.
- ☞ **Local IP:** Input local IP address.
- ☞ **Protocol:** Select protocol here.
- ☞ **Local Port:** Input local port number, which is the public port will be sent to.
- ☞ **Public Port:** Input public port here.
- ☞ **Current Port Forwarding Table:** All port forwarding rules are listed here.

Current Port Forwarding Table :						
NO.	Description	Local IP	Local Port	Type	Public Port	Select
1	Port forwarding	192.168.1.53	8080	BOTH	8080	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	port forwarding	192.168.1.54	80	BOTH	80	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 84: Current Port Forwarding Table



Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

Port tri.

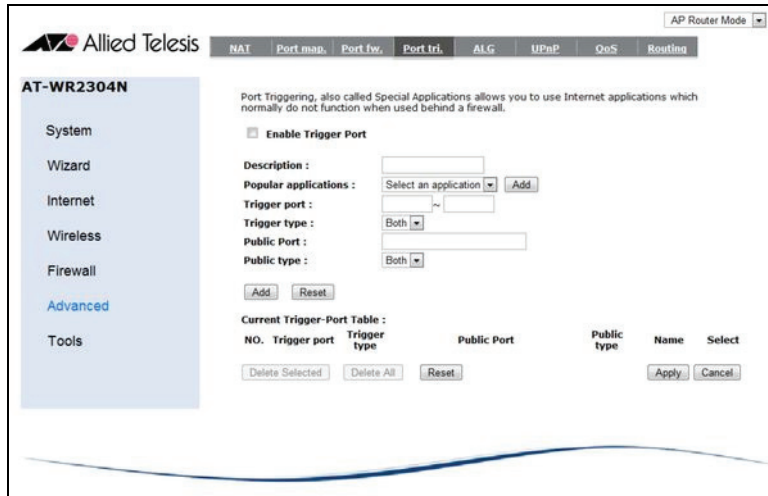


Figure 85: Advanced > Port Triggering

- ☞ **Enable Trigger Port:** Check the box to enable this function.
- ☞ **Description:** Specify a description for identification.
- ☞ **Popular applications:** Several suites of popular software are listed here. Select the application and click on “Add”.
- ☞ **Trigger port:** Input trigger port here according to the application.
- ☞ **Trigger Type:** Select trigger protocol here.
- ☞ **Public Port:** Specify public port here.
- ☞ **Public Type:** Select public protocol here
- ☞ **Current Trigger-Port Table:** All port triggering rules are listed here.

Current Trigger-Port Table :

NO.	Trigger port	Trigger type	Public Port	Public type	Name	Select
1	7175	BOTH	51200-51201,51210	BOTH	Dialpad	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	28800	BOTH	2300-2400,47624	BOTH	MSN Gaming Zone	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 86: Current Port Triggering Table



Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

ALG

Application layer gateway (ALG) provides a channel to exchange information on the open environment. Check the box to enable ALG.

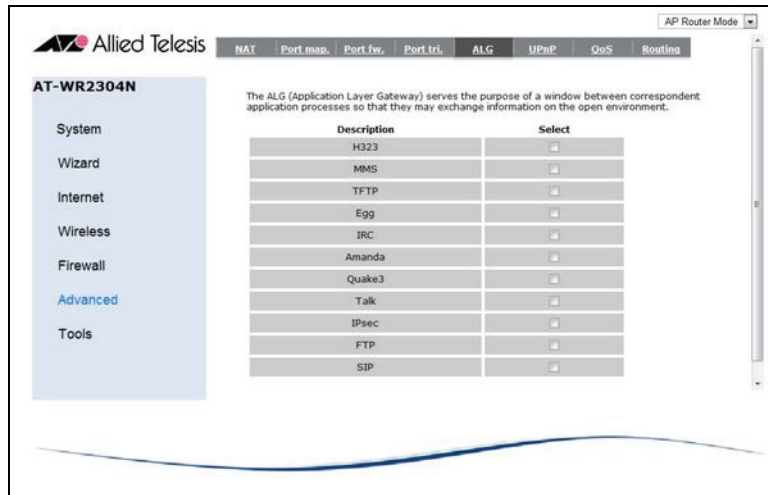


Figure 87: Advanced > ALG

UPnP

Universal Plug and play (UPnP) automatically detects devices and software which support UPnP in LAN, such as on-line games or MSN Messenger.

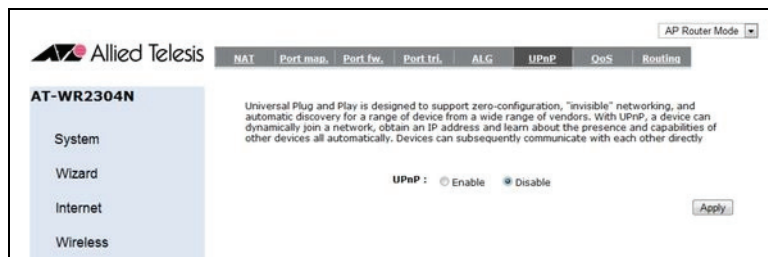


Figure 88: Advanced > UPnP

☞ **UPnP:** Enable or disable UPnP here. The default value is “Disable”.

QoS

Quality of service (QoS) is applied to provide better network quality to specific user or service.

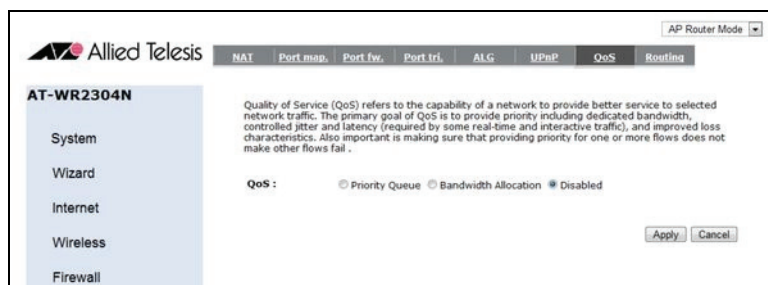


Figure 89: Advanced > QoS

Priority Queue

Priority Queue gives high priority to services which require much bandwidth for real-time or interactive traffic, such as web browsing or on-line games. To implement priority queue, please perform the following procedure.

QoS : Priority Queue Bandwidth Allocation Disabled

Unlimited Priority Queue

Local IP Address	Description
192.168.1.55	The IP address will not be bounded in the QoS limitation

High/Low Priority Queue

Protocol	High Priority	Low Priority	Specific Port
FTP	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	20,21
HTTP	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	80
TELNET	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	23
SMTP	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	25
POP3	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	110
Name: <input type="text"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Both <input type="text"/> ~ <input type="text"/>
Name: <input type="text"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Both <input type="text"/> ~ <input type="text"/>
Name: <input type="text"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Both <input type="text"/> ~ <input type="text"/>

Figure 90: Advanced > QoS (Priority Queue)

1. Go to Advanced → QoS, and then select “Priority Queue”.
2. You can additionally assign an unlimited IP address which is not limited by all rules. Input the IP address in “Local IP Address”.
3. Assign the priority of each protocol. You can also manually input QoS rule.
4. Click on “Apply” to save the configuration.

Bandwidth Allocation

Bandwidth allocation assigns a maximum or minimum bandwidth to users by IP.

Quality of Service (QoS) refers to the capability of a network to provide better service to selected network traffic. The primary goal of QoS is to provide priority including dedicated bandwidth, controlled jitter and latency (required by some real-time and interactive traffic), and improved loss characteristics. Also important is making sure that providing priority for one or more flows does not make other flows fail.

QoS : Priority Queue Bandwidth Allocation Disabled

Type :

Local IP range : ~

Protocol :

Port range : ~

Policy :

Rate(bps) :

Current QoS Table:

NO.	Type	Local IP range	Protocol	Port range	Policy	Rate(bps)	Select
1	Download	192.168.1.29 ~ 192.168.1.33	ALL	1 ~ 65535	Min	FULL	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Download	192.168.1.35	ALL	21 ~ 21	Max	2M	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 91: Advanced > QoS (Bandwidth Allocation)

- ☞ **Type:** Select the type you want to apply QoS.
- ☞ **Local IP range:** Input the IP you want to manage here.
- ☞ **Protocol:** Select network service here.
- ☞ **Port range:** Corresponding service port shows here when the Protocol is selected. You can also manually input the value.
- ☞ **Policy:** When “Min” is selected, the equipment guarantees a minimal traffic capability. When

- ☞ “Max” is selected, the equipment restricts the rate under specific limitation.
- ☞ **Rate(bps):** Select a speed you want to allocate to the rule. Click on “Add” to add a rule.
- ☞ **Current QoS Table:** All QoS rules are listed here.



Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

Routing

Before you apply routing function, you need to disable NAT first.

Figure 92: Advanced > Routing

- ☞ **Enable Static Routing:** Check the box to enable this function.
- ☞ **Destination LAN IP:** Specify the destination LAN IP address of static routing rule.
- ☞ **Subnet Mask:** Input the subnet mask of the corresponding IP address.
- ☞ **Default Gateway:** Input the default gateway of destination.
- ☞ **Hops:** Specify the Max Hops number of static routing rule.
- ☞ **Interface:** Select the interface here.
- ☞ **Current Static Routing Table:** All static routing rules are listed here.

Current Static Routing Table :						
NO.	Destination LAN IP	Subnet Mask	Default Gateway	Hops	Interface	Select
1	192.168.1.5	255.255.255.0	192.168.1.1	1	LAN	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	192.168.1.21	255.255.255.0	192.168.1.1	1	LAN	<input type="checkbox"/>

Figure 93: Current Static Routing Table



Note: You can remove a rule by checking the item and clicking on “Delete Selected”, or click on “Delete All” to remove all rules.

Tools

This page provides settings about password, time, DDNS, and firmware management. Please access by clicking on the “Tools” on the left side.

Admin

In this page, you can change the configuration menu password. The default username is “**manager**” and the default password is “**friend**”.

Figure 94: Tools > Admin

- ☞ **Old Password:** Input old password here to perform change.
- ☞ **New Password:** Input new password here.
- ☞ **Repeat New Password:** Repeat the new password.

Time

Figure 95: Tools > Time

- ☞ **Time Setup:** Select “Synchronize with the NTP Server” or “Synchronize with the NTP Server” here.
- ☞ **Time Zone:** Change time zone here.
- ☞ **NTP Time Server:** Assign a preferred NTP server to synchronize with this equipment here. Please manually input the NTP server IP.
- ☞ **Daylight Saving:** Check the box to enable this function. Select the starting and the ending day.



Note: Please be reminded that changing system time will affect log file information. Configure it only when it is necessary.

DDNS

For users who use PPPoE or DHCP Internet service, DDNS allows people to connect by an Internet domain name (an URL), as using static IP service. Before using this function, you need to apply an account from dynamic DNS service provider.

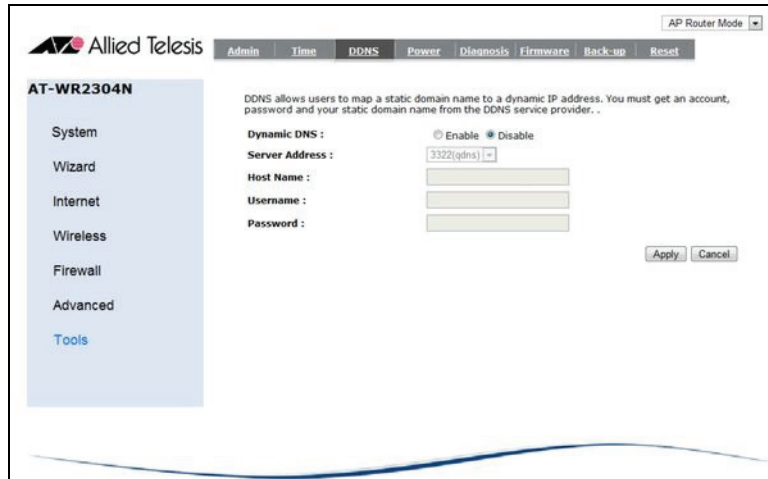


Figure 96: Tools > DDNS

- ☞ **Dynamic DNS:** Enable or disable DDNS function here. The default value is “Disable”.
- ☞ **Server Address:** Specify your DDNS service provider. This equipment supports 5 provides.
- ☞ **Host Name:** Input the domain name of your DDNS service registration.
- ☞ **Username:** Input the username of your DDNS service registration.
- ☞ **Password:** Input the password of your DDNS service registration.

Power

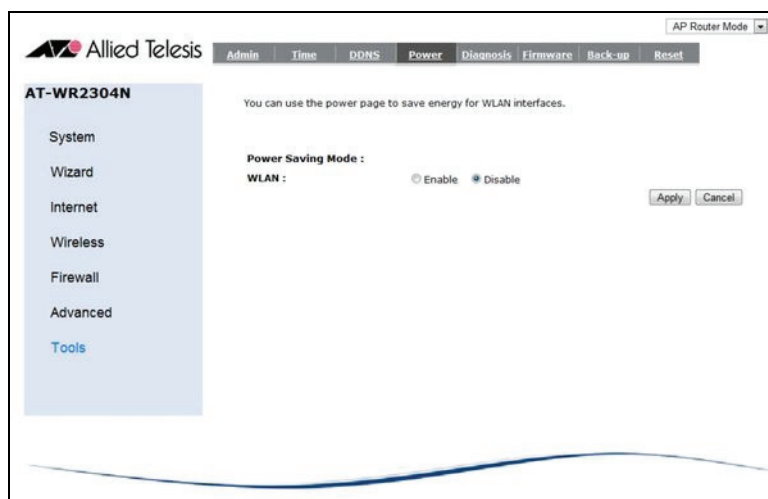


Figure 97: Tools > Power

- ☞ **WLAN:** Enable or disable WLAN power saving function. The default value is “Disable”.

Diagnosis



Figure 98: Tools > Diagnosis

- ☞ **Address to Ping:** Enter an IP address you want to test, and then click on “Start”.
- ☞ **Ping Result:** The result of diagnosis is shown here.

Firmware



Figure 99: Tools > Firmware

- ☞ **Browse...:** Click on “Browse...” and select the firmware.
- ☞ **Apply:** Click on “Apply” to process update.

Back-up

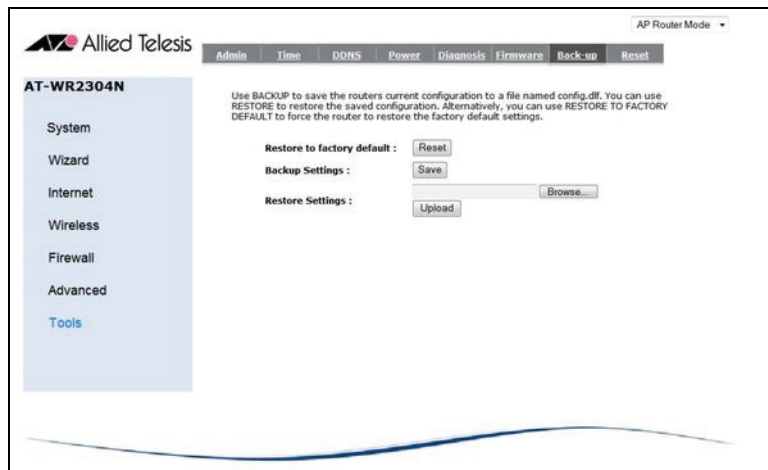


Figure 100: Tools > Back-up

- ☞ **Restore to factory default:** Click on “Reset” to restore to factory default value.
- ☞ **Backup Settings:** Click on “Save” to save current settings as a file. The default file name is config.dfl.
- ☞ **Restore Setting:** You can load a saved setting file. Click on “Browse...” and select the file, and then click on “Upload” to load it.

Reset

Click on “Apply” to recover the setting to factory default value.



Figure 101: Tools > Reset

Warranty Registration

After installing your router, please visit <http://www.alliedtelesis.com/support/warranty/> to register your product and check warranty conditions.

Chapter 7: Troubleshooting

Why Can I Not Access Setting Page with a Cable Connection

- Rechecking your physical connections. Make sure that power cable and RJ-45 cables are inserted tightly and LED lights up correctly. If LED does not light up properly, try to swap RJ-45 cables.
- If your client has a valid IP address, you can use “ping” to verify network connectivity. Run a command window from the client’s PC’s start menu and ping your router’s LAN IP address (such as 192.168.1.1). If pinging your router repeatedly timeout, you should try one of the following:
 - ☞ Check your PC’s Network Connections in Control Panel.
 - ☞ Reset the router and configure again.

My Laptop Cannot Find Wi-Fi Signal

- Checking router’s Wireless LED lights up correctly. If LED does not light up properly, try to configure the router via setting page.
- Verify the client’s wireless adapter is installed and working properly. On a Windows client, check your wireless connection from the Network Connections panels and make sure that its status is “Enabled”. If the adapter is not listed, please check if the adapter is plug-in well and installed the driver. If the adapter is listed but can not enable the connection, please check the Properties panel to make sure no resource conflicts.

The Wireless Router Cannot Connect to the Internet Correctly

If the AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router cannot connect to the Internet correctly, check the following:

- Make sure that your ISP provides service to you.
- Rechecking your physical connections. Make sure that a RJ-45 cable connects WAN port on the router and modem firmly.
- Make sure that the router has a correct setting corresponds to your Internet type. If not, configure the router again via setting page.

Resetting Factory Default Configuration

If you are experiencing problems with the AT-WR2304N and have tried all other troubleshooting measures, use the Reset Configuration function. This will restore factory defaults and clear all settings, including settings such as wireless settings.

Hold in the Reset button until the Power LED turns on to restore the factory default settings.

Appendix A: Technical Specifications

Physical Specifications

Dimensions: 176.34 mm x 103.62 mm x 23.20 mm (W x D x H)

(6.94 in. x 4.07 in. x .91 in.)

Weight: 250 g (8.81 oz.)

Environmental Specifications

Operating Temperature: 0 to 45°C

Storage Temperature: -10 to 70°C

Operating Humidity: 90% or less (non-condensing)

Storage Humidity: 95% or less (non-condensing)

Operating Altitude Range: 3,000 m

Power Specifications

Input Supply Voltage: 1A DC adapter

Power Consumption: 6.6 W (max.)

Safety and Electromagnetic Emissions Certifications

- EMI/RFI and Immunity:
- FCC marked (Compliant with FCC Part 15 Class B; FCC Part 15B and 15C);
 - CE Marked (compliant with EN 300 328; EN 301 489; EN 55022; EN61000; EN50385);
 - C-Tick marked (Compliant with AS/NZS / CISPR 22 Class B)

Electrical Safety: CE Marked (compliant with EN60950-1)

Appendix B: Radio Bands

Allied Telesis's AT-WR2304N IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Small Business Wireless Router is capable of operating in the 2.4GHz (IEEE 802.11b/g/n).

IEEE 802.11 n standard provides a major improvement in the speed at which data can be transferred over a wireless network. The amount of data being passed over most networks is increasing with many more large files, including photos, video clips (and videos), etc. being transferred.

IEEE 802.11 n standard uses Multiple Input Multiple Output (MIMO) exploiting multipath propagation; that increases the data rate by using a technique known as spatial division multiplexing. The data is split into a number of spatial streams and these are transmitted through separate antennas to corresponding antennas at the receiver. Increasing the spatial streams you get a greater utilization of the available bandwidth.