## Chapter 5

Overview

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AirStation Related Problems Refer to the manual included in AirStation.

### 5.1 Trouble in the Wireless LAN Card Setting

## The wireless LAN card installation window does not appear.

You have verified with the confirmation procedure shown below that the PC card driver is operating normally, but the installation window does not appear after the wireless LAN card is installed.

- Windows Me/98: "Checking the PC card driver" on page 36 in Chapter 3
- Windows 2000: "Checking the PC card driver" on page 73 in Chapter 4

Possible cause ①: The wireless LAN card is not firmly inserted to the PC card slot on the computer. Alternatively, it is

inserted in the reverse direction

Solution (1): After confirming the connector side of the wireless

LAN card, completely insert the card.

Possible cause 2: The wireless LAN card drivers are not correctly

installed.

Solution 2: Uninstall the wireless LAN card drivers, and re-

install them according to the instructions.

#### 《Re-installing the wireless LAN card drivers》

The following describes the procedure for re-installing the wireless LAN card drivers.

- 1 Carefully read the section "I want to uninstall the wireless LAN card" on page 100, and uninstall the wireless LAN card drivers.
- 2 Remove the installed wireless LAN card from your computer.
- 3 Follow the instruction below according to your Windows type, and confirm that the PC card driver is operating normally.

#### WindowsCE:

You do not have to check the PC card driver.

#### WindowsMe/98:

"Checking the PC card driver" on page 36.

#### Windows2000:

See "Checking the PC card driver" on page 73.

4 Install the wireless LAN card drivers. See the appropriate page shown below according to you Windows type.

#### WindowsCE:

See "Step 2 Installing the wireless LAN card drivers" on page 18 in Chapter 2.

#### WindowsMe/98:

See "Step 3 Installing the wireless LAN card drivers" on page 43 in Chapter 3.

#### Windows2000:

See "Step 3 Installing the wireless LAN card drivers" on page 79 in Chapter 4.

#### ■ The ! mark is attached to the wireless LAN card icon.

When the procedure shown below is executed, the ! mark appears next to the wireless LAN card icon.

- "Capter 3 Windows Me/98Settings" "Step 4 Confirming that the wireless LAN card is normally operating" on page 47 in Chapter 3
- "Capter 4 Windows 2000 Settings" "Step 4 Confirming that the wireless LAN card is normally operating" on page 82 in Chapter 4

Solution: See Solution (2) for the problem "The wireless LAN card installation window does not appear" on page 96.

#### The wireless LAN card cannot be removed from the Windows 2000 computer.

When you try to remove the wireless LAN card from your Windows 2000 computer, the message "The device "BUFFALO WLI-PCM-L11G Wireless LAN adapter #2" cannot be stopped because a program is still accessing it." appears.

Possible cause : Client Manager is active.

Solution: Quit Client Manager before removing the wireless

LAN card.

Communication is disabled when the wireless LAN card is re-installed after removal.

Solution: Make the connection settings using Client Manager.

#### When Client Manager is started, the message "Cannot find a WLI-PCM card " appears.

Possible cause: You are using an old version of Client Manager.

Solution: Uninstall the current Client Manager. Then, install

Client Manager from the "AirStation Driver CD".

Note

For the Client Manager uninstall procedure, see "To uninstall Client Manager" on page 61.

#### ■ The wireless LAN card drivers cannot be installed.

Possible cause: You are using an old version of the "AirStation

Driver CD."

Solution: When installing the wireless LAN card drivers, be

sure to use the "AirStation Driver CD".

#### I want to uninstall the wireless LAN card.

#### **《WindowsCE》**

Meauting Be sure to remove the wireless LAN card from your Windows CE device before staring the procedure below.

- 1 Select [Start]-[Settings]-[System]-[Add/Remove Programs].
- 2 1. Tap [BUFFALO WLI-CF-S11G].
  - 2. Tap [Delete].
- 3 When the message that confirms removing the wireless LAN card driver appears, tap [Yes].
- 4 Reset the Windows CE device.

For how to reset the Windows CE device, refer to the manual provided with your Windows CE device. Never reset your Windows CE device to the initial setting state as it will delete all data.

#### 《WindowsMe/98》

Confirm that the wireless LAN card is firmly inserted in your Windows computer before starting the procedure below.

- 1 Select [Start]-[Settings]-[Control Panel].
- 2 Double-click the [System] icon in [Control Panel].

- 3 1. Click the [Device Manager] tab.
  - 2. Select "BUFFALO WLI-CF-S11G Wireless LAN Adapter" in [Network Adapters].
  - 3. Click [remove].

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If the driver name is not listed in the [Network Adapters], check the [Other devices] list.

If "BUFFALO WLI-CF-S11G Wireless LAN Adapter" is listed in [Other devices], follow the steps below.

- 1. Select "BUFFALO WLI-CF-S11G Wireless LAN Adapter."
- 2. Click [Remove].
- 4 Click [OK].
- 5 Click [No].
- 6 Double-click the "Network" icon in "Control Panel."
- 7 When "BUFFALO WLI-CF-S11G Wireless LAN Adapter" appears, delete it.
- 8 Click [OK].
  - If the message "Do you want to restart your computer now?" appears, click "No."

- 9 Select [Start]-[Programs]-[Accessories]-[Windows Explorer].
- 10 Select [Tools]-[Folder Options], and then click the "View" tab.
- 11 1. Select "Show hidden files and folders."
  - 2. Click [OK].
- 12 Open the folders "Windows," "INF," and "OTHER" in that order on the drive with Windows Me/98 installed.
- 13 1. Select "MELCO INC.NETS11."
  - 2. Click [Delete].
- 14 Exit Windows Me/98. Turn off your computer.

#### 《Windoes2000》

- 1 Select [Start]-[Settings]-[Control Panel].
- 2 Double-click [System].
- 3 Click [Hardware].
- 4 Click [Device Manager].
- 5 Double-click [Network Adapters].
- 6 Right-click "BUFFALO WLI-CF-S11G Wireless LAN Adapter" and select [uninstall].
- 7 When "Confirm Device Removal" appears, click [OK].

- 8 Select [Start]-[Programs]-[Accessories]-[Windows Explorer] to start Explorer.
- 9 Select [Tools]-[Folder Options].
- 10 Double-click [View].
- 11 Select [Show hidden files and folders].
- 12 Click the checkbox for [Hide file extensions for known file types] to remove a check mark
- 13 Click [OK].
- 14 Double-click the OEM?.INF files ("?" for a number such as OEM1.INF) to open in the \WINNT\INF folder on the drive with Windows 2000 installed. Find the file containing the character string "WLI-CF-S11G" from those OEM?.INF files.
- 15 The OEM?.INF file with the character string "WLI-CF-S11G" and the OEM?.PNF ("?" for the same number) are the wireless LAN card drivers. Delete these files.

#### AirStation cannot be found by AirStation Manager (when you are using AirStation).

AirStation Manager does not allow selecting "File"-"Connect"

Possible cause: You are using an old version of AirStation Manager.

Solution: Uninstall AirStation Manager. Then, install

AirStation Manager from the "AirStation Driver

CD" of version 2.00 or later.

#### AirStation cannot be found during execution of the Simple Installation Wizard.

No window appears to set the MAC address, group name, encryption key, and roaming function for AirStation.

Possible cause: You are using an old version of the Simple

Installation Wizard.

Solution: Start the Simple Installation Wizard using the

"AirStation Driver CD" of version 2.00 or later.

### **Trouble in Communication With** Wireless LAN Computers

The wireless LAN card drivers are successfully configured in the computer, but the AirStation is not detected.

Possible cause 1: •The wireless LAN card is not firmly inserted.

•The wireless LAN card driver installation has

failed

Solution (1): See "The wireless LAN card installation window does not

appear" on page 96, and refer to the AirStation manual.

Possible cause (2): You are using an old version of Client Manager.

Solution (2): Uninstall the current Client Manager. Then, install

Client Manager from the "AirStation Driver CD"

provided with the WLI-CF-S11G.

When uninstalling the current Client Manager, see the procedure in Note "To uninstall Client Manager" on page 61 for Windows ME/98 or on

page 88 for Windows 2000.

#### Other computers are not listed (during communication without the AirStation).

You have confirmed on Device Manager that the wireless LAN card is operating normally, but other computers on the network are not listed.

Acaution If you are using the AirStation, take measures with the AirStation manual.

Possible cause (1): The wireless LAN card is not operating normally.

Solution ①: See "The wireless LAN card installation window does

not appear" on page 96.

Possible cause ②: No password was entered during Windows startup.

(It is assumed that you clicked [Cancel] in the user name/password entry window or pressed the <ESC> key on the keyboard during display of that window.)

Solution 2: Be sure to click [OK] in the user name/password

entry window displayed during Windows Me/98

startup.

If you forget your password, enter another user name, so that a new user name and a new password will be

registered in your computer.

The password field may be empty, but be sure to click

[OK].

Possible cause (3): The network settings are not correctly made.

Solution (3): Check the protocol, workgroup name, and sharing

settings according to your Windows type.

WindowsMe/98:

See "3.2 Preparing for connecting to the network" on page 49 in

Chapter 3.

Windows2000 ·

Refer to the Windows 2000 manual.

Possible cause 4: It takes much time to list connected computers by

searching the network.

Solution (4): Use the procedure below to search for the

computers.

#### 《WindowsMe/2000》

- 1 Right-click [My Computer] on Desktop.
- 2 Select [search].
- 3 1. Enter the target computer name to the "Computer Name" field.
  - 2. Click [Find Now].
- 4 Double-click the icon of the found computer to access it.

#### 《Windows98》

- 1 Select [Start]-[Find]-[Computers].
- 2 1. Enter the target computer name to the "Name" field.
  - 2. Click [Find Now].
- 3 Double-click the icon of the found computer to access it.

Possible cause 5: The signal condition is so poor that other computers

are out of effective signal range.

Solution ⑤: Reduce the distance or remove obstacles between the

wireless LAN computers, and then retry to connect.

Possible cause (6): The radio channel and WEP encryption key settings

differ from those of the computers to be connected.

Solution (6): Check the radio channel and WEP encryption key

settings of the target computers, and then set the

same values in your computer.

Follow the steps below to set the radio channel.

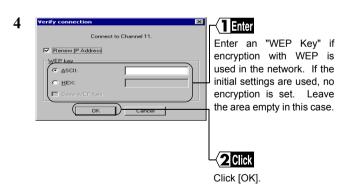
1 Select [Start]-[Programs]-[AirStation Utility]-[Client Manager].

If the icon below appears in the task tray in the lower right on the screen, you can double-click that icon to start Client Manager.





- 3 1. Select "Peer to Peer Communication" in the "Network Mode" field
  - 2. In the "DS Channel" field, select the same channel as the other computers equipped with a wireless LAN card of another company.
  - 3. Click [OK].



When a 128-bit encryption key cannot be entered, re-install Client Manager using the "AirStation Driver CD".

Possible Cause ①: Client Manager is incorrectly configured. The

communication mode is not set to "Peer to Peer

Communication"

Solution ①: Set the communication mode to "Peer to Peer

Communication" using Client Manager Use the

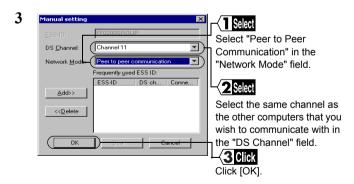
steps below to set the communication mode.

#### 1 Select [Start]-[Programs]-[AirStation Utility]-[Client Manager].

If the icon below appears in the task tray in the lower right on the screen, you can double-click that icon to start Client Manager.



#### 2 1. Select [File]-[Manual].



#### I want to check the IP address/MAC address.

Solution: If the TCP/IP protocol is installed, you can check

the IP address/MAC address using the procedure

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#### 《WindowsMe/98》

1 Select [Start]-[Run].

2 Enter "WINIPCEG " Click [OK]. The "IP SET" dialog box appears.

- 3 1. Select "BUFFALO WLI-CF-S11G."
  - 2. The MAC address appears in the "Adapter Address" field.
  - 3. The IP address appears in the "IP Address" field.

#### 《Windows2000》

- 1 Select [Start]-[Programs]-[Accessories]-[Command Prompt].
- When "C:\>" appears on the screen, type "IPCONFIG/ALL." Press the <ENTER> key.

Connection-specific DNS Suffix:				
Description	:	BUFFALO WLI-CF-S11G		
		Wireless LAN Adapter		
Physical Address	:	00-60-1D-1F-36-23		
DHCP Enabled	:	Yes		
(IP Address	:	192.168.0.2		
Subnet Mask	:	255.255.255.0		
Default Gateway	:	192.168.0.1		
DNS Servers	:	192.168.0.1		

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The MAC address appears in the "Physical Address" field.
The IP address appears in the "IP Address" field.

#### I do not know how to assign the IP address.

Solution · Set the IP address using the following for reference.

#### When a DHCP server (\*) exists on the network:

Select the following option.

WindowsCE : "Use server-assigned IP address." WindowsMe/98: "Obtain an IP address automatically." Windows2000 : "Obtain an IP address automatically."

#### When the IP address is already assigned in other computers on the network

Check with the network administrator the IP address to be set in your computer.

#### When no IP address is assigned in the computers on the network

Set the IP address in the computers and AirStation as shown below

<Example>

		ii Addicas	Net mask
AirStation	:	192.168.0.1	(255.255.255.0)
Computer A	:	192.168.0.2	(255.255.255.0)
Computer B	:	192.168.0.3	(255.255.255.0)
Computer C	:	192.168.0.4	(255.255.255.0)

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Computer X: 192.168.0.254 (255.255.255.0)

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X The DHCP server automatically assigns the IP address to the computers on the network. (Some models of AirStation have this function.)

When such equipment with the DHCP server function as the Windows 2000/NT server or dial-up router exists on the network, the DHCP server function may be operating. Refer to the manual included in the Windows 2000/NT or dial-up router to check whether the DHCP server function is active on the Windows 2000/NT server or dial-up router. Alternately, inquire to the manufacturer

When the network includes only Windows Me/98 computers, no DHCP server exists.

## **Chapter 6**

#### Overview

Among the terminology used in this manual, this chapter describes the terms required for the network configuration or displayed on the Windows screens.

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#### 6.2 Terms in Windows Screens Related to the Network

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	User name and password entry window in	
	Windows Me/98	123p
	Identification information window in	
	Windows Me/98	125r

### **6.1** Terms Related to the Network

The following lists and describes the network-related terms in alphabetic order.

#### Client

The party which receives services in the client-server system is called "client" while the party which provides services is called "server." Information and services in the server can be used from a client computer.

#### **DHCP server (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol server)**

When configuring a network using TCP/IP, the IP address must be set in equipment including computers involved in the network.

When the DHCP server exists on the network, the IP address can automatically be assigned to the computers and AirStation on the network. When such equipment with the DHCP server function as the Windows 2000 server or dial-up router exists on the network, the DHCP server function may be operating.

Refer to the manual included in the Windows 2000 or dial-up router to check whether the DHCP server function is active on the Windows 2000 server or dial-up router. Alternately, inquire to the manufacturer. When the network includes only Windows Me/98/95 computers, no DHCP server exists.

#### ESS-ID (Extended Service Set ID)

The ESS-ID is an identification code required to avoid interference during communication between wireless LAN computers and the AirStation. Only the wireless LAN computers with the same ESS-ID as the AirStation can communicate with the AirStation. (The ESS-ID is not used in communication between wireless LAN computers.)

The initial setting of ESS-ID in the AirStation shows the "last six digits of the MAC address" plus "GROUP" (upper-case). The ESS-ID is case-sensitive and can consist of up to 32 alphanumeric characters and symbols.

#### Firmware

Firmware is software (programs) incorporated in such hardware as a router. modem, and terminal adapter (TA). Due to software integrated into hardware, it is assumed as being intermediate between hardware and software

#### I/O port address (Input/Output port address)

Input and output ports for receiving and sending information are provided between CPU and peripheral equipment. The I/O port address is a number assigned to each equipment to distinguish which input/output ports are used by which peripheral equipment.

#### IRQ (Interrupt Request)

The CPU in a computer carries out processing in accordance with a request from peripheral equipment. However, it is impossible to predict when a request is issued from which equipment. If the CPU constantly monitors all equipment to receive a request, the monitoring time will be longer than the processing time. Thus, when peripheral equipment wants the CPU to execute a certain routine, a request interrupts the processing currently performed by the CPU. The CPU then specifies the equipment which issued the request using the IRQ number, and starts the requested processing. Upon completion of the interrupt request processing, the CPU returns to the interrupted processing.

#### LAN (Local Area Network)

LAN is a network established in a comparatively small area such as in one building or on the premises of a campus. LAN generally uses transmission speeds of 10 Mbps to 100 Mbps.

#### MAC address (Media Access Control address)

The MAC address is a physical address specific to each piece of network equipment. The MAC address consists of six bytes including the most significant three bytes for the vendor code and the least significant three bytes for the user code. The vendor code is managed/assigned by the IEEE while the user code is controlled by the network equipment manufacturer using its original number (without duplication). Namely, the MAC address is a unique physical address. Based on this address, Ethernet sends and receives packets (frames).

#### Microsoft Network Client

Microsoft Network Client is software installed on client computers to use Windows Me/98/2000 server services in a LAN. It usually uses "NetBEUI" or "TCP/IP" for the protocol. The TCP/IP protocol is used to connect to the Internet.

#### **NetBEUI protocol**

NetBEUI protocol is a network transport protocol for exchanging data in a small-scale or mid-scale LAN.

NetBEUI is equivalent to the transport and network layer protocols of the OSI protocol model. These are integrated with NetBEUI to implement an efficient communication system in the workgroup LAN environment. This is supported in Windows Me/98/95/2000.

#### Peer-to-peer connection

Peer-to-peer connection is communication carried out by computers in an equal relationship with each other via LAN or WAN.

Unlike a server-client system, the settings can be made to use resources (drives and folders) in other computers from any computer on the network.

#### Protocol

Protocol is a procedure or a set of rules used to transmit data between network terminals

For example, when communicating between two computers, the conditions required for communication can be established in a procedure to assure correctly ordered information transmission. Such requirements include which first starts sending what kind of message, what kind of message should respond to the received message, what format data should be in, what should be done in case of an error, and so on.

#### Radio channel

If several types of wireless LAN are used with different ESS-IDs on the same floor, the transfer speed of the local wireless network may be affected when communication is performed on other wireless LANs. This is because radio signals with the same frequency are being used. To avoid this problem, a different frequency (radio channel) can be set for each type of wireless LAN to communicate without mutual interference with other wireless LANs

\* When communicating between wireless LAN computers, the same radio channel must be used in all the wireless LAN computers involved.

#### Resource (system resource)

Resource is a generic name for IRO and I/O port addresses assigned to the computer's peripheral equipment (mouse, keyboard, etc.), PCI bus adapter, wireless LAN card, and such.

#### TCP/IP (Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol)

TCP/IP is equivalent to the network layer and transport layer of the OSI reference model, and is defined by the RFC. Therefore, execution of TCP/IP enables different terminals to communicate each other.

- Normally, application protocols such as TELNET and FTP are also included
- · TCP/IP is the Internet standard protocol

#### **USB (Universal Serial Bus)**

USB is a new standard for connecting computers and peripheral equipment. Its features include data transfer capability at a maximum speed of 12 Mbps, compatibility with the Hot Swap feature allowing insertion and removal to/from the USB port with the computer or peripheral equipment turned on, no conflict with other devices due to no IRQ. The USB is supported in Windows Me/98/2000.

#### **WECA (Wireless Ethernet Compatibility Alliance)**

WECA is an organization which promotes the IEEE 802.11b High-Rate standard for propagation of the unified wireless LAN and ensures the mutual operation of compliant products. It was established in 1999 by six companies of Lucent Technologies, Intersil, Nokia, 3com, Symbol Technologies, and Aironet Wireless Communications that played a leading role in development of the IEEE 802.11 standard.

The organization has been developing activities for wireless LAN propagation on world-wide basis. We have currently participated in the organization. The latest information about the participating companies and Wi-Fi certified products can be obtained from the web site below.

 $http://www.wi-fi.org/certified\_products.asp$ 

#### WEP [encryption] (Wired Equivalent Privacy)

Setting an encryption key in the AirStation enables protecting wireless packets from being externally analyzed. To communicate with the AirStation with the encryption key set, it is necessary to input an encryption key set on Client Manager.

#### Wi-Fi (the standard for Wireless Fidelity)

Wi-Fi is a brand name of the wireless LAN standard "IEEE 802.11b High-Rate" specified by WECA for marketing purposes. Wi-Fi is provided only to products that pass the WECA mutual operability test. The Wi-Fi products are assured in mutual operability with each other by WECA.

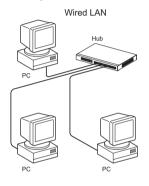
#### "Wired LAN" and "Wireless LAN"

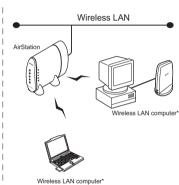
The following terms are used in this manual to distinguish between a 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX LAN connected by cables and a LAN using no cables.

Wired LAN .....LAN connected by cables

Wireless LAN···LAN using wireless communication

Note that these are not general terms and are used only for descriptions in this manual.





<sup>\*</sup> A computer with BUFFALO's wireless LAN card is generally referred to as a "wireless LAN computer" in this

### 6.2 Terms in Windows Screens Related to the Network

#### Sharing settings windows in Windows Me/98

Right-click the icon of the drive to be shared and select "Sharing" from the menu, and the window shown below appears.

#### User name and password entry window in Windows Me/98

When you restart your computer after completing the driver installation, the "Enter Network Password" dialog box appears.

- To use the network, be sure to enter your user name and password. You do not have to do so when not using the network.
- The user name and password are set in the process of Windows Me/98 setup. When you log in to Windows for the first time, enter the same user name and password as those set during Windows Me/98 setup.
- · More than one user can use the same Windows computer by changing the multiple operating environments. Therefore, you can log in as a new user by entering a new user name and password.
- Not shared . . . . . . : Select to cancel the drive sharing.
- Shared As ..... : Select to share the drive.
- · Access Type...... You can select from the following three access options.
- Read-Only ...... Sets the shared drive to a read-only drive.
- drive.
- Passwords ...... Allows reading/writing from/to the shared drive with a password.
- Passwords ...... Password for "Access Type."

- Read-Only Passwords.....: Set a password for reading from the shared drive.
- Full Access Passwords ....: Set a password for reading/writing from/to the shared drive.

#### Identification information window in Windows Me/98

Double-click the "Network" icon, and then click the "Identification" tab. The following window appears.

Computer name : Name for identifying the local computer on

the network. Set a unique name for each

computer.

Workgroup : Name for grouping the computers on the

> network. When it is not necessary to group the computers, use the same name for all the

computers on the network.

Computer Description : Supplementary explanation of the "Computer

name." No entry necessary.

It is recommended to use alphanumeric characters for the [Computer Note

name] and [Workgroup].

If the entered character string contains a special character such as a period (.), the computer may be disabled from

connecting to the network.

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#### Overview

## **Chapter 7**

This chapter describes the specifications of the wireless LAN card WLI-CF-S11G.

#### 7.1 Product Specifications

## 7.1 Product Specifications

	Conforming	FCC Part15.247 ETS 300-328		
	standards	IEEE802.11b (wireless LAN standard protocol)		
	Transmission	DS-SS (IEEE802.11 compliant)		
	method	Half-duplex		
		11 Mbps transmission		
		160 m outdoors (estimated)		
		50 m indoors (1) (estimated)		
		25 m indoors (2) (estimated)		
		2 Mbps transmission		
		400 m outdoors (estimated)		
Wireless		90 m indoors (1) (estimated)		
LAN		40 m indoors (2) (estimated)		
interface		1 Mbps transmission		
	Max. distance between terminals	550 m outdoors (estimated)		
		115 m indoors (1) (estimated)		
		50 m indoors (2) (estimated)		
		* Indoors ① Office with few obstacles		
		Indoors ② Office with many obstacles		
		* The effective range is adversely affected by the		
		operating environment.		
		Within a reinforced concrete building such		
		as a condo, or a house with a metal frame		
		Near large metal furniture		
Host interface	Transmission method	CompactFlash compliant		

Applicable PC		Personal computers equipped with a CompactFlash slot (type II) or PC card slot (type II) listed below.  • Pocket PC  • Handheld PC  • IBM AT compatible PC (OADG compliant)			
Operating System		Windows CE3.0 (Handheld PC 2000, Packet PC), Windows ME, Windows 98, Windows 2000			
Frequency range (central frequency)		2412 to 2483.5 MHz (total 11 channels)			
Data transmission rate		11M/5.5M/2M/1M (bps)			
Security		40-/128-bit WEP			
Operating voltage		3.3V			
Power consumption		Max. 660mW			
Current consumption		Standby: Max. 200mA Sending: Max. 340mA			
Operating	Temper ature	0 ~ 55 °C			
environment	Humidit y	20 to 80% (no condensation)			
Weight		18g			
Dimensions		43.0mm (W) x 5.0mm (H) x 58.0mm (D) (not including 8mm antenna)			

Note

For the latest product information and applicable PC models, refer to the BUFFALO's catalog, brochure, or Internet homepage (http:// www.buffalotech.com).

#### Federal Communications Commission Notice

This equipment has been tested an found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residental instration. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guar-antee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and the receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

#### **Modifications**

The FCC requires the user to be notified that any changes or modifications made to this device that are not expressly approved by MELCO INC. (the manufacturer) may void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

#### **FCC Radiation Exposure Statement** Caution:

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for at uncontrolled equipment.

This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance at least 2.5cm between the radiator and persons body (excluding extremities: hands, wrists, feet and ankles) and must not be colocated or operated with any other antenna or transmitter.

### CE approved statement

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#### Important Notice

This device is a 2.4 GHz low power RLAN Transceiver intended for use in all EU memher states

#### Intended use

This product is a low power 2.4 GHz RLAN transceiver intended for home and office use

#### FU Countries intended for use

The FTSI version of this device is intended for home and office use in Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and United Kingdom.

This device is also authorized for use in EFTA member states Iceland. Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland.

#### EU Countries Not intended for use

None

#### Potential restrictive use

France: The band for RLAN is limited to 2446 5-2483 5 MHz with some geographical constraints and the e.i.r.p. is limited to -20 dBW/ MHz

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