### **Device Information**

This page displays the current information for the DIR-615. It will display the LAN, WAN (Internet), and Wireless information.

If your Internet connection is set up for a Dynamic IP address then a **Release** button and a **Renew** button will be displayed. Use **Release** to disconnect from your ISP and use **Renew** to connect to your ISP.

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

See the following page for more information.

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D-Lin	K				
DIR-615	SETUP	ADVANCED	TOOLS	STATUS	SUPPORT
DEVICE INFO	DEVICE INFORMAT	ION			Helpful Hints
LOGS	All of your Internet an	d network connection de	tails are displayed on this p	oage. The firmware	All of your WAN and
STATISTICS	version is also displayed	d here.			LAN connection details are displayed here.
INTERNET SESSIONS	GENERAL				More
WIRELESS					
		Time: Thursday, Ma	rch 01, 2007 1:30:08 PM		
	Firmware	Version: 3.00, 2007	/02/12		
	WAN				
	Connecti	on Type : DHCP Client			
	QoS	Engine : Active			
	Cable	Status :			
	Network	: Status :			
	Connection	Up Time :			
	MAC	Renew R	elease		
	ID .	Address : 00:03:64:00: Address :	UI.23		
	Subn	et Mask :			
	Default G	iateway :			
	Primary DNS	6 Server :			
	Secondary DNS	Server :			

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

Displays the MAC address and the public IP **WAN:** settings for the router.

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

#### **IGMP Multicast**

Memberships: Displays the Multicast Group IP Address.



### Log

The router automatically logs (records) events of possible interest in it's internal memory. If there isn't enough internal memory for all events, logs of older events are deleted but logs of the latest events are retained. The Logs option allows you to view the router logs. You can define what types of events you want to view and the level of the events to view. This router also has external Syslog Server support so you can send the log files to a computer on your network that is running a Syslog utility.

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

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DIR-615	SETUP	ADVANCED	TOOLS	STATUS	SUPPORT
EVICE INFO	LOGS				Helpful Hints
DGS TATISTICS ITERNET SESSIONS VIRELESS	System Logs Use this option to viev view and the event le can send the log files	w the router logs. You ca vels to view. This router a to a computer on your ne	n define what types of ev also has external syslog ser stwork that is running a sy	ents you want to ver support so you slog utility.	Check the log frequently to detect unauthorized network usage. You can also have the log mailed to you
	LOG OPTIONS				periodically. Refer to Tools EMail.
	What t View LOG DETAILS [INF0] Thu Mar 01 13: 67.129.235.161:1363	o View : Firewall & Levels : Critical Apply Log Se afresh Clear 35:51 2007 Log viewed b 35:92007 Bocked Incor to 67.130.140.145:1433	Security System Warning Warning Warning Ittings Now Save Log y IP address 192.152.81.0 ning TCP connection requires the second s	Router Status Informational Informational Informational Informational State	More
	[INFO] Thu Mar 01 13; [INFO] Thu Mar 01 13; 67, 129, 235, 161:2097 [INFO] Thu Mar 01 13; [INFO] Thu Mar 01 13; Allowed, Web Stes - N [INFO] Thu Mar 01 13; access will be restricted [INFO] Thu Mar 01 13; 200,92,202,36 to 67,1 [INFO] Thu Mar 01 13; [INFO] Thu Mar 01 13; 2019,22,23,12,1216	33:43 2007 Previous mes 33:43 2007 Previous mes 32:43 2007 Previous mes 32:72 2007 Previous mes 32:72 2007 Blocked incor 32:52 2007 Previous mes 29:13 2007 Blocked incor 0:49:11 2007 Previous mes 20:16 2007 Stored config 20:12 2007 Policy Exampl d to: Allowed, Web Sites 20:12 2007 Policy Exampl d to: Allowed, Web Sites 20:12 2007 Policy Exampl d to: Allowed, Web Sites 20:12 2007 Policy Exampl d to: Allowed, Ports - Non 20:12 2007 Policy Exampl d according to these polici 00:15 2007 Blocked incor 00:13 2007 Blocked incor 00:13 2007 Allowed confi 04:12 2007 Administrator	sage repeated 1 time ning TCP connection requi- sage repeated 1 time ning TCP connection requi- ning TCP connection requi- sage repeated 1 time ning ICMP packet (ICMP ty sage repeated 1 time quaration to non-volatile me e 1 started; Internet acce - Restricted; Logged, Port e 1 started; Internet acce - Restricted; Logged, Port ss for IP address 192.168 e Blocked Internet access policies ar es ing ICMP packet (ICMP ty sage repeated 1 time guration authentication by loggout	est from est from pe 8) from mory ess for IP address is - Restricted .0.100 set to: e in effect. Internet pe 8) from y IP address	

### **Stats**

The screen below displays the Traffic Statistics. Here you can view the amount of packets that pass through the DIR-615 on both the Internet and the LAN ports. The traffic counter will reset if the device is rebooted.



### **Internet Sessions**

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

- Local: The IP address and, where appropriate, port number of the local application.
- **NAT:** The port number of the LAN-side application as viewed by the WAN-side application.

The IP address and, where appropriate, port **Internet:** number of the application on the Internet.

The communications protocol used for the conversation.

Product Page: DIR-62	5					ŀ	Hardware '	Version: C1	Firmware Version: 3.00
D-Lini	ĸ								
DIR-615	SETUP		ADVANCED	тоо	15		ST	ATUS	SUPPORT
DEVICE INFO	INTERNET SESSIO	ONS							Helpful Hints
LOGS	This page displays th	ne full (	details of active internet	sessions to	your re	uter.			This is a list of all active
STATISTICS									conversations between WAN computers and
INTERNET SESSIONS	Local	NAT	Internet	Protocol	State	Dir	Priority	Time Out	LAN computers.
WIRFLESS	192.168.0.1:80	8080	192.152.81.222:1774	TCP	EST	In	196	7800	Mara
	192.168.0.1:80	8080	192.152.81.222:1773	TCP	EST	In	255	7800	Plore
	192.168.0.1:80	8080	192.152.81.222:1772	TCP	CL	In	169	225	
	192.168.0.1:80	8080	192.152.81.222:1771	TCP	CL	In	169	223	
	192.168.0.1:80	8080	192.152.81.222:1770	TCP	CL	In	169	231	
	67.130.140.145:68	68	67.130.140.152:67	UDP	-	Out	137	227	
	192.168.0.1:80	8080	192.152.81.222:1769	TCP	CL	In	169	198	
	192.168.0.1:80	8080	192.152.81.222:1768	TCP	CL	In	169	174	

#### **Protocol:**

**State:** State for sessions that use the TCP protocol:

NO: None -- This entry is used as a placeholder for a future connection that may occur.

SS: SYN Sent -- One of the systems is attempting to start a connection.

EST: Established -- the connection is passing data.

FW: FIN Wait -- The client system has requested that the connection be stopped.

CW: Close Wait -- The server system has requested that the connection be stopped.

TW: Time Wait -- Waiting for a short time while a connection that was in FIN Wait is fully closed.

LA: Last ACK -- Waiting for a short time while a connection that was in Close Wait is fully closed.

CL: Closed -- The connection is no longer active but the session is being tracked in case there are any retransmitted packets still pending.

The direction of initiation of the conversation:

**Out** - Initiated from LAN to WAN. **In** - Initiated from WAN to LAN.

- Dir: The preference given to outbound packets of this conversation by the QoS Engine logic. Smaller numbers represent higher priority.
- **Priority:** The number of seconds of idle time until the router considers the session terminated. The initial value of Time Out depends on the type and state of the connection.
- Time Out:300 seconds UDP connections.240 seconds Reset or closed TCP connections. The connection does not close instantly so that lingering packets<br/>can pass or the connection can be re-established.<br/>7800 seconds Established or closing TCP connections.

### Wireless

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

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DIR-615	SETUP	ADVANCED	тоо	L <b>S</b>	STATUS	SUPPORT				
DEVICE INFO	WIRELESS					Helpful Hints				
LOGS		This is a list of all								
STATISTICS	Associated wireless t	Associated Wireless Client List wireless clients that are currently connected to								
INTERNET SESSIONS	Use this option to viev	w the wireless clients that	are connecte	d to your v	vireless router.	your wireless router.				
WIRELESS	NUMBER OF WIRELESS CLIENTS : 1									
	MAC Address	IP Address	Mode	Rate	Signal (%)					
	0015E9F98114	192.168.0.111	11g	54	80					
WIRELESS										

### Support



# **Wireless Security**

This section will show you the different levels of security you can use to protect your data from intruders. The DIR-615 offers the following types of security:

- WPA2 (Wi-Fi Protected Access 2)
- WPA (Wi-Fi Protected Access)
- WEP (Wired Equivalent Privacy)

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

## What is WEP?

WEP stands for Wired Equivalent Privacy. It is based on the IEEE 802.11 standard and uses the RC4 encryption algorithm. WEP provides security by encrypting data over your wireless network so that it is protected as it is transmitted from one wireless device to another.

To gain access to a WEP network, you must know the key. The key is a string of characters that you create. When using WEP, you must determine the level of encryption. The type of encryption determines the key length. 128-bit encryption requires a longer key than 64-bit encryption. Keys are defined by entering in a string in HEX (hexadecimal - using characters 0-9, A-F) or ASCII (American Standard Code for Information Interchange – alphanumeric characters) format. ASCII format is provided so you can enter a string that is easier to remember. The ASCII string is converted to HEX for use over the network. Four keys can be defined so that you can change keys easily.

## What is WPA?

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

The 2 major improvements over WEP:

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

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

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

### **Wireless Security Setup Wizard**

To run the security wizard, browse to the Setup page and then click the Launch Wireless Security Setup Wizard



- Auto: Select to auto generate your wireless security settings. This option can be used when using a wireless adapter that supports Wi-Fi Protected Setup.
- **Manual:** Select this option to run the wireless setup wizard which will guide you to configure your wireless settings. Skip to page 73.

PLEASE SELECT CONFIGURA	TION METHOD TO SET UP YOUR WIRELESS NETWORK
Auto Manual	<ul> <li>Select this option if your wireless device supports Wi-Fi Protected Setup</li> <li>Select this option if you want to setup your network manually</li> </ul>
	Prev Next Cancel Save

### **Wireless Wizard - Auto**

The router has automatically generated your wireless settings. Please write down and keep this information for your reference. Click **Save**.



#### Click Next to continue.

WELCOME TO THE D-LINK WIRELESS SECURITY SETUP WIZARD
This wizard will guide you through a step-by-step process to setup your wireless network and make it secure.
<ul> <li>Step 1: Name your Wireless Network</li> <li>Step 2: Secure your Wireless Network</li> <li>Step 3: Set your Wireless Security Password</li> </ul>
Next Cancel

STEP 1: NAME YOUR WIRELESS NETWORK

Enter the SSID (Service Set Identifier). The SSID is the name of your wireless network. Create a name using up to 32 characters. The SSID is case-sensitive.

Select the level of security for your wireless network:

- Best WPA2 Authentication
- Better WPA Authentication
- Good WEP Encryption
- None No security

Click **Next** to continue.

is highly recommended to chan	ge the pre-configured network name of [dlink].
Wireless Network Name (55ID) :	dink Prev Next Cancel
STEP 2: SECURE YOUR WI	RELESS NETWORK
In order to protect your networ one of the following wireless net	k from hackers and unauthorized users, it is highly recommended you choose twork security settings.
There are three levels of wireles choose depends on the security	ss security -Good Security, Better Security, AND Best Security. The level you · features your wireless adapters support.
BEST 🔘	Select this option if your wireless adapters SUPPORT WPA2
BETTER 🔘	Select this option if your wireless adapters SUPPORT WPA
GOOD 🔘	Select this option if your wireless adapters DO NOT SUPPORT WPA
NONE 📀	Select this option if you do not want to activate any security features
For information on which securi documentation.	ty features your wireless adapters support, please refer to the adapters'
Note: All D-Link wireless adapte	rs currently support WPA.
	Prev Next Cancel

If you selecte	d Best	or	Better,	enter	а	password	between
8-63 characte	rs.						

If you selected Good, enter 13 characters or 26 Hex digits.

Click **Next** to continue.

STEP 3: SET YOUR WIREL	STEP 3: SET YOUR WIRELESS SECURITY PASSWORD					
You have selected your security leve	I - you will need to set a wireless security password.					
Wireless Security Password :	rd: (8 to 63 characters)					
Note: You will need to enter the enable proper wireless commu	same password as keyed in this step into your wireless clients in order to nication.					
	Prev Next Cancel					

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If you selected Good, the following screen will show you your WEP key to enter on your wireless clients.

Click Save to finish the Security Wizard.

elow is a detailed summary of formation on a piece of paper,	your wireless security settings. Please print this page out, or write the so you can configure the correct settings on your wireless client adapters.
Wireless Network Name (SSID) :	dlink
Wep Key Length :	128 bits
Default WEP Key to Use :	1
Authentication :	Open
Wep Key :	41AC3 DB525 1F8A8 D87AC B1B0F D

If you selected Better, the following screen will show you your Pre-Shared Key to enter on your wireless clients.

Click **Save** to finish the Security Wizard.

SETUP COMPLETE!							
Below is a detailed summary of information on a piece of paper,	your wireless security settings. Please print this page out, or write the so you can configure the correct settings on your wireless client adapters.						
Wireless Network Name (SSID) :	dlink						
Encryption : Pre-Shared Key :	WPA-PSK/TKIP (also known as WPA Personal) passwordIM2Z						
	Prev Cancel Save						

If you selected Best, the following screen will show you your Pre-Shared Key to enter on your wireless clients.

Click **Save** to finish the Security Wizard.

SETUP COMPLETE!						
Below is a detailed summary of your wireless security settings. Please print this page out, or write the information on a piece of paper, so you can configure the correct settings on your wireless client adapters.						
Wireless Network Name (SSID) :	dlink					
Encryption :	WPA2-PSK/AES (also known as WPA2 Personal)					
Pre-Shared Key :	password					
	Prev Cancel Save					

If you selected WPA-Enterprise, the RADIUS information will be displayed. Click **Save** to finish the Security Wizard.

## **Configure WEP**

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

- Log into the web-based configuration by opening a web browser and entering the IP address of the router (192.168.0.1). Click on Setup and then click Wireless Settings on the left side.
- 2. Next to Security Mode, select WEP.
- 3. Next to *WEP Key Length*, select the level of encryption (64 or 128-bit).

**Hex** - (recommended) Letters A-F and numbers 0-9 are valid.

- 4. Next to *WEP Key 1*, enter a WEP key that you create. Make sure you enter this key exactly on all your wireless devices. You may enter up to 4 different keys.
- 5. Next to Authentication, select Shared Key.
- 6. Click **Save Settings** to save your settings. If you are configuring the router with a wireless adapter, you will lose connectivity until you enable WEP on your adapter and enter the same WEP key as you did on the router.



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

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

- Log into the web-based configuration by opening a web browser and entering the IP address of the router (192.168.0.1). Click on Setup and then click Wireless Settings on the left side.
- 2. Next to Security Mode, select WPA-Personal.
- 3. Next to *WPA Mode*, select **Auto**, **WPA2 Only**, or **WPA Only**. Use **Auto** if you have wireless clients using both WPA and WPA2.
- 4. Next to *Cypher Type*, select **TKIP and AES**, **TKIP**, or **AES**. If you have wireless clients that use both types, use **TKIP and AES**.
- 5. Next to *Group Key Update Interval*, enter the amount of time before the group key used for broadcast and multicast data is changed (3600 is default).
- 6. Next to *Pre-Shared Key*, enter a key (passphrase). The key is entered as a pass-phrase in ASCII format at both ends of the wireless connection. The pass-phrase must be between 8-63 characters.



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

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

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

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

WIRELESS SECURITY MOD	WIRELESS SECURITY MODE	
To protect your privacy you can configure wireless security features. This device supports three wireless security modes including: WEP, WPA-Personal, and WPA-Enterprise. WEP is the original wireless encryption standard. WPA provides a higher level of security. WPA-Personal does not require an authentication server. The WPA-Enterprise option requires an external RADIUS server.		
Security Mode :	WPA-Enterprise 💌	
WPA		
Use <b>WPA or WPA2</b> mode to achieve a balance of strong security and best compatibility. This mode uses WPA for legacy clients while maintaining higher security with stations that are WPA2 capable. Also the strongest cipher that the client supports will be used. For best security, use <b>WPA2 Only</b> mode. This mode uses AES (CCMP) cipher and legacy stations are not allowed access with WPA security. For maximum compatibility, use <b>WPA Only</b> . This mode uses TKIP cipher. Some gaming and legacy devices work only in this mode.		
To achieve better wireless performance use <b>WPA2 Only</b> security mode (or in other words AES cipher).		
WPA Mode :	WPA Only	
Group Key Update Interval :	3600 (seconds)	
EAP (802.1X)		
When WPA enterprise is enabled, the router uses EAP (802.1x) to authenticate dients via a remote RADIUS server.		
Authentication Timeout :	60 (minutes)	
RADIUS server IP Address :	0.0.0.0	
RADIUS server Port :	1812	
RADIUS server Shared Secret :	radius_shared	
MAC Address Authentication :	V	
Advanced >>		

8. Next to RADIUS Server Port, enter the port you are using with your RADIUS server. 1812 is the default port.

9. Next to RADIUS Server Shared Secret, enter the security key.

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- 10. If the *MAC Address Authentication* box is selected then the user will need to connect from the same computer whenever logging into the wireless network.
- 11. Click **Advanced** to enter settings for a secondary RADIUS Server.
- 12. Click **Apply Settings** to save your settings.

EAP (802.1X)	
When WPA enterprise is enabled, the router uses EAP (802.1x) to authenticate dients via a remote RADIUS server.	
Authentication Timeout :	60 (minutes)
RADIUS server IP Address :	0.0.0.0
RADIUS server Port :	1812
RADIUS server Shared Secret :	radius_shared
MAC Address Authentication :	
<< Advanced	
Optional backup RADIUS server	:
Second RADIUS server IP Address :	0.0.0.0
Second RADIUS server Port :	1812
Second RADIUS server Shared Secret :	radius_shared
Second MAC Address Authentication :	

# **Connect to a Wireless Network** Add Wireless Device Wizard

This feature allows you to add any wireless devices that support Wi-Fi Protected Setup (WPS).

Click Next.

WELCOME TO THE ADD WIRELESS DEVICE WIZARD	
This wizard will guide you through a step-by-step process to add your wireless device to your wireless network.	
<ul> <li>Step 1: Select Configuration Method for your Wireless Network</li> <li>Step 2: Connect your Wireless Device</li> </ul>	
Prev Next Cancel Connect	

Select the method you would like to use for adding a new wireless device onto your wireless network.

STEP 1: SELECT CONFIGURATION METHOD FOR YOUR WIRELESS NETWORK	
For information on which configuration method your wireless device support, please refer to the adapters' documentation.	
PIN	<ul> <li>Select this option if your wireless device supports PIN</li> </ul>
Push Button	$\bigcirc$ Select this option if your wireless device supports push button
Manual	$\bigcirc$ Select this option if you want to configure your wireless device manually
	Prev Next Cancel Connect

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**PIN:** PIN requires you to enter your wireless device's PIN information.

Enter the wireless device's PIN information in the box and click on **Connect**.

**Push Button:** Push button allows you to connect a wireless device onto your wireless network through button press method.

Click on **Connect** button when you are ready.

To successfully add a new wireless device, you would have to enter either the PIN information or the button must be pressed within 120 seconds.

Manual: Use this option if you uncertain if your

your current wireless settings.

wireless device support WPS, it will display



STEP 2: CONNECT YOUR WIRELESS DEVICE	
Please push button on your wireless device, then click on the	Connect button below.
Prev Next C	ancel Connect

STEP 2: CONNECT YOUR WIRELESS DEVICE
Please wait 118 seconds for your wireless device to be connected. If you want to stop the process, click on the Cancel button below. Adding wireless device: Started.
Prev Next Cancel Wireless Status

STEP 2: CONNECT YOUR WIRELESS DEVICE	
Below is a detailed summary of your wireless security settings. Please print this page out, or write the information on a piece of paper, so you can configure the correct settings on your wireless client adapters.	
SSID: DIR_9a000000 Security Mode: Auto (WPA or WPA2) - Personal Cipher Type: TKIP and AES Pre-shared Key: b4ce49981a226d070017049bd3e1c3cfdb4607f3129a98f367e1413588b00d67	
Prev Next Cancel Wireless Status	

## Using Windows® XP

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

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

or

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

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

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







## **Configure WEP**

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

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



🔊 Wireless Network Connection 6		
Network Tasks	Choose a wireless network	
🛃 Refresh network list	Click an item in the list below to connect to a wireless network in range or to get more information.	
Set up a wireless network for a home or small office	((o)) Test	^
Related Tasks	((p)) default	=
(i) Learn about wireless networking	Unsecured wireless network	
Change the order of preferred networks	Security-enabled wireless network	
Change advanced settings	((•)) test1 Security-enabled wireless network	
	This network requires a network key. If you want to connect to this network, dick Connect.	
	((ရှာ)) DGL-4300	~
	Connect	

**3.** The **Wireless Network Connection** box will appear. Enter the same WEP key that is on your router and click **Connect**.

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

Wireless Network Connection		
The network 'test1' requires key helps prevent unknown i	a network key (also called a WEP key or WPA key). A networl ntruders from connecting to this network.	¢
Type the key, and then click Connect.		
Network <u>k</u> ey:	I	
Confirm network key;		
	<u>C</u> onnect Cancel	

## **Configure WPA-PSK**

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

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





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

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

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

# Troubleshooting

This chapter provides solutions to problems that can occur during the installation and operation of the DIR-615. Read the following descriptions if you are having problems. (The examples below are illustrated in Windows<sup>®</sup> XP. If you have a different operating system, the screen shots on your computer will look similar to the following examples.)

#### 1. Why can't I access the web-based configuration utility?

When entering the IP address of the D-Link router (192.168.0.1 for example), you are not connecting to a website on the Internet or have to be connected to the Internet. The device has the utility built-in to a ROM chip in the device itself. Your computer must be on the same IP subnet to connect to the web-based utility.

• Make sure you have an updated Java-enabled web browser. We recommend the following:

- Internet Explorer 6.0 or higher
- Netscape 8 or higher
- Mozilla 1.7.12 (5.0) or higher
- Opera 8.5 or higher
- Safari 1.2 or higher (with Java 1.3.1 or higher)
- Camino 0.8.4 or higher
- Firefox 1.5 or higher
- Verify physical connectivity by checking for solid link lights on the device. If you do not get a solid link light, try using a different cable or connect to a different port on the device if possible. If the computer is turned off, the link light may not be on.
- Disable any Internet security software running on the computer. Software firewalls such as Zone Alarm, Black Ice, Sygate, Norton Personal Firewall, and Windows<sup>®</sup> XP firewall may block access to the configuration pages. Check the help files included with your firewall software for more information on disabling or configuring it.

- Configure your Internet settings:
  - Go to Start > Settings > Control Panel. Double-click the Internet Options Icon. From the Security tab, click the button to restore the settings to their defaults.
  - Click the **Connection** tab and set the dial-up option to Never Dial a Connection. Click the LAN Settings button. Make sure nothing is checked. Click **OK**.
  - Go to the **Advanced** tab and click the button to restore these settings to their defaults. Click **OK** three times.
  - Close your web browser (if open) and open it.
- Access the web management. Open your web browser and enter the IP address of your D-Link router in the address bar. This should open the login page for your the web management.
- If you still cannot access the configuration, unplug the power to the router for 10 seconds and plug back in. Wait about 30 seconds and try accessing the configuration. If you have multiple computers, try connecting using a different computer.

#### 2. What can I do if I forgot my password?

If you forgot your password, you must reset your router. Unfortunately this process will change all your settings back to the factory defaults.

To reset the router, locate the reset button (hole) on the rear panel of the unit. With the router powered on, use a paperclip to hold the button down for 10 seconds. Release the button and the router will go through its reboot process. Wait about 30 seconds to access the router. The default IP address is 192.168.0.1. When logging in, the username is **admin** and leave the password box empty.

#### 3. Why can't I connect to certain sites or send and receive e-mails when connecting through my router?

If you are having a problem sending or receiving e-mail, or connecting to secure sites such as eBay, banking sites, and Hotmail, we suggest lowering the MTU in increments of ten (Ex. 1492, 1482, 1472, etc).

#### Note: AOL DSL+ users must use MTU of 1400.

To find the proper MTU Size, you'll have to do a special ping of the destination you're trying to go to. A destination could be another computer, or a URL.

- Click on Start and then click Run.
- Windows<sup>®</sup> 95, 98, and Me users type in **command** (Windows<sup>®</sup> NT, 2000, and XP users type in **cmd**) and press **Enter** (or click **OK**).
- Once the window opens, you'll need to do a special ping. Use the following syntax:

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ping [url] [-f] [-l] [MTU value]
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Example: ping yahoo.com -f -l 1472

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C:\>ping yahoo.com -f -l 1482
Pinging yahoo.com [66.94.234.13] with 1482 bytes of data:
Packet needs to be fragmented but DF set.
Packet needs to be fragmented but DF set.
Packet needs to be fragmented but DF set.
 Packet needs to be fragmented but DF set.
Ping statistics for 66.94.234.13:
Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 0, Lost = 4 (100% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:_
     Minimum = Oms, Maximum = Oms, Average =
                                                            Øms
C:\>ping yahoo.com -f -l 1472
Pinging yahoo.com [66.94.234.13] with 1472 bytes of data:
Reply from 66.94.234.13: bytes=1472 time=93ms TTL=52
Reply from 66.94.234.13: bytes=1472 time=109ms TTL=52
Reply from 66.94.234.13: bytes=1472 time=125ms TTL=52
Reply from 66.94.234.13: bytes=1472 time=203ms TTL=52
Ping statistics for 66.94.234.13:
Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
     Minimum = 93ms, Maximum = 203ms, Average =
                                                                132ms
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You should start at 1472 and work your way down by 10 each time. Once you get a reply, go up by 2 until you get a fragmented packet. Take that value and add 28 to the value to account for the various TCP/IP headers. For example, lets say that 1452 was the proper value, the actual MTU size would be 1480, which is the optimum for the network we're working with (1452+28=1480).

Once you find your MTU, you can now configure your router with the proper MTU size.

To change the MTU rate on your router follow the steps below:

- Open your browser, enter the IP address of your router (192.168.0.1) and click **OK**.
- Enter your username (admin) and password (blank by default). Click **OK** to enter the web configuration page for the device.
- Click on Setup and then click Manual Configure.
- To change the MTU enter the number in the MTU field and click **Save Settings** to save your settings.
- Test your e-mail. If changing the MTU does not resolve the problem, continue changing the MTU in increments of ten.