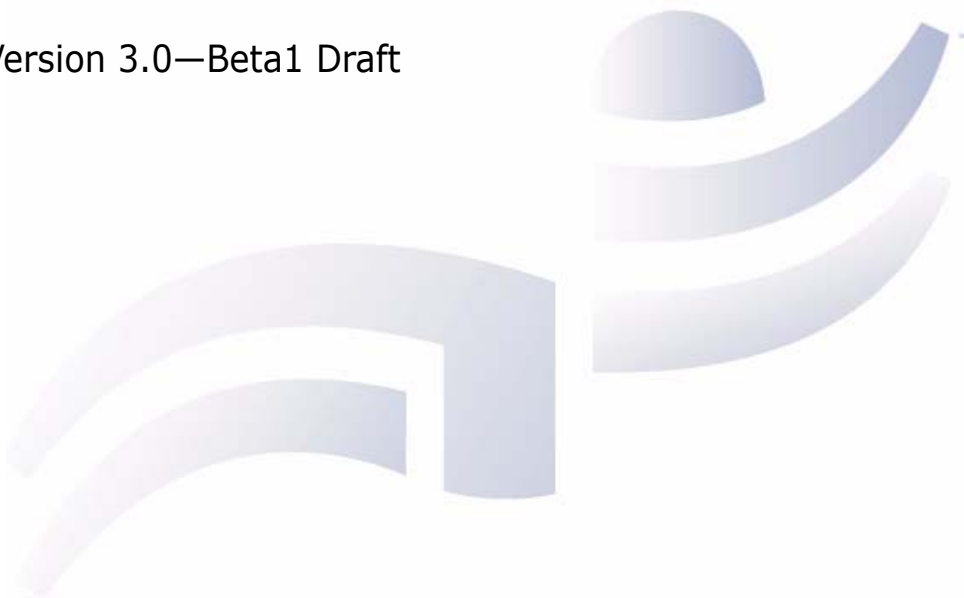


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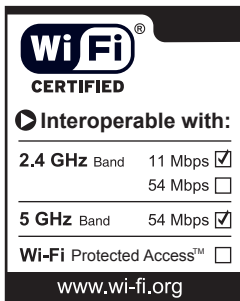
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	Emergency	After hours	1-hour callback
	Non-emergency	Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Pacific Time (GMT-8)	Same business day
	Non-emergency	After hours	Next business day
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	Non-emergency	After hours	Next business day

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- Your name, telephone number, cell phone or pager number, and email address
- Name, model, and serial number of the product(s) requiring service
- Software version and release number
- Output of the **show tech-support** command
- Wireless client information
- License levels for RingMaster™ and Mobility Exchange™ (MX™) products
- Description of the problem and status of the troubleshooting effort



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# Introducing the Trapeze Networks Mobility System

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This guide shows you how to install a Trapeze Networks™ Mobility Point™ (MP™) access point in a Trapeze Networks Mobility System™ wireless LAN (WLAN).

Read this guide if you are a network administrator or other person installing MP access points in a network.

## Trapeze Networks Mobility System

The Trapeze Networks Mobility System is a system for planning and deploying a secure WLAN in an existing wired enterprise network. The Trapeze system provides authenticated connectivity to both wireless and wired users in large environments such as office buildings, hospitals, and university campuses.

The Trapeze Mobility System fulfills the three fundamental requirements of an enterprise WLAN: It eliminates the distinction between wired and wireless networks, allows users to work safely from anywhere (*secure mobility*), and provides a comprehensive suite of intuitive tools for planning and managing the network before and after deployment.



The Trapeze Networks Mobility System consists of the following components:

- **RingMaster tool suite**—A full-featured graphical user interface (GUI) client application for planning, configuring, and deploying a WLAN and its users; and a centralized service application for WLAN and user monitoring, reporting, and diagnostics
- **One or more Mobility Exchange™ (MX™) switches**—Distributed, intelligent machines for managing user connectivity, connecting and powering Mobility Point (MP) access points, and connecting the WLAN to the wired network backbone
- **Multiple Mobility Point™ (MP™) access points**—Wireless access points (APs) that transmit and receive radio frequency (RF) signals to and from wireless users and connect them to an MX switch
- **Mobility System Software™ (MSS™)**—The operating system that runs all MX switches and MP access points in a WLAN, and is accessible through a command-line interface (CLI), the Web View interface, or the RingMaster GUI

## Documentation

Consult the following documents to plan, install, configure, and manage a Trapeze Networks Mobility System.

### Planning, Configuration, and Deployment

*Trapeze RingMaster User's Guide*. Instructions for planning, configuring, deploying, and managing the entire WLAN with the RingMaster tool suite. Read this guide to learn how to plan wireless services, how to configure and deploy Trapeze equipment to provide those services, and how to optimize and manage your WLAN.

*Trapeze RingMaster Reference Manual*. Detailed instructions and information for all RingMaster planning, configuration, and management features.





## Installation

- *Trapeze Mobility Exchange Installation and Basic Configuration Guide*. Instructions and specifications for installing an MX switch in a Trapeze Mobility System WLAN, and basic instructions for deploying a secure IEEE 802.11 wireless service
- *Trapeze Mobility Point Installation Guide*. Instructions and specifications for installing an MP access point and connecting it to an MX switch
- *Trapeze Regulatory Information*. Important safety instructions and compliance information that you must read before installing Trapeze Networks products



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**Note.** *Trapeze Regulatory Information* is updated frequently. See [www.trapezenetworks.com](http://www.trapezenetworks.com) for the most current version.

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## Configuration and Management

- *Trapeze RingMaster Reference Manual*. Instructions for planning, configuring, deploying, and managing the entire WLAN with the RingMaster tool suite
- *Trapeze Mobility System Software Configuration Guide*. Instructions for configuring and managing the system through the MSS CLI
- *Trapeze Mobility System Software Command Reference*. Functional and alphabetic reference to all MSS commands supported on MX switches and MP access points

## Safety and Advisory Notices

The following kinds of safety and advisory notices appear in this manual. (For translations of the warning conventions and of all warnings in this manual, see Appendix C, “Translated Warning Conventions and Warnings,” on page 75.)



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**Caution!** This situation or condition can lead to data loss or damage to the product or other property.

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**Warning!** This situation or condition can cause injury.

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**Warning!** High voltage. This situation or condition can cause injury due to electric shock.

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**Warning!** Radiation. This situation or condition can cause injury due to improper handling of fiber-optic equipment.

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**Note.** This information is of special interest.

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## Text and Syntax Conventions

Trapeze manuals use the following text and syntax conventions:

<b>Convention</b>	<b>Use</b>
Monospace text	Sets off command syntax or sample commands and system responses.
<b>Bold text</b>	Highlights commands that you enter or items you select.
<i>Italic text</i>	Designates command variables that you replace with appropriate values, or highlights publication titles or words requiring special emphasis.
<b>Menu Name &gt; Command</b>	Indicates a menu item that you select. For example, <b>File &gt; New</b> indicates that you select <b>New</b> from the File menu.
[ ] (square brackets)	Enclose optional parameters in command syntax.



**Convention**

{ } (curly brackets)

| (vertical bar)

**Use**

Enclose mandatory parameters in command syntax.

Separates mutually exclusive options in command syntax.





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A Trapeze Networks Mobility Point (MP) access point provides IEEE 802.11 wireless access to the network. MP access points are designed for use with a Trapeze Networks Mobility Exchange (MX) switch. MP access points require hardware installation only. All configuration for an MP access point takes place on the MX switch.




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**Warning!** Installation must be performed by qualified service personnel only. Read and follow all warning notices and instructions marked on the product or included in the documentation. Before installing the product, read the [Trapeze Regulatory Information](#) document. (For translations of this warning, see “Qualified Service Personnel Warning” on page 77.)

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# MP Model Numbers

The MP access point models differ based on the number of 802.11 radios they contain. Table 1 lists the MP access point model numbers.

**Table 1. MP Access Point Model Numbers**

Model	Radios
MP-352	One 802.11a radio and one 802.11b/g radio. Both radios have internal omnidirectional antennas. In addition, the 802.11b/g radio has a jack for attachment of an optional external sectorized antenna. The antenna must be ordered separately.
MP-341	One radio that can be configured through software for 802.11a or 802.11b/g. The radio has an internal omnidirectional antenna. In addition, the 802.11b/g radio has a jack for attachment of an optional external sectorized antenna. The antenna must be ordered separately.
MP-52	One 802.11a radio and one 802.11b/g radio. Both radios have sectorized external antennas that are adjustable and are installed at the factory.
MP-262 (discontinued— order MP-352)	One 802.11a radio and one 802.11b/g radio. The 802.11a radio has an internal omnidirectional antenna and the 802.11b/g radio uses an external sectorized antenna, which must be ordered and installed separately.
MP-252 (discontinued— order MP-352)	One 802.11a radio and one 802.11b/g radio. Both radios have internal omnidirectional antennas.
MP-241 (discontinued— order MP-341)	One radio that can be configured through software for 802.11a or 802.11b/g. The radio has an internal omnidirectional antenna.
MP-122 (discontinued— order MP-352)	One 802.11a radio and one 802.11b radio. Both radios have internal omnidirectional antennas.
MP-101 (discontinued— order MP-341)	One radio that can be configured through software for 802.11a or 802.11b. The radio has an internal omnidirectional antenna.



The model number is listed on the product label, located to the right of the cable ports on the bottom of the device.

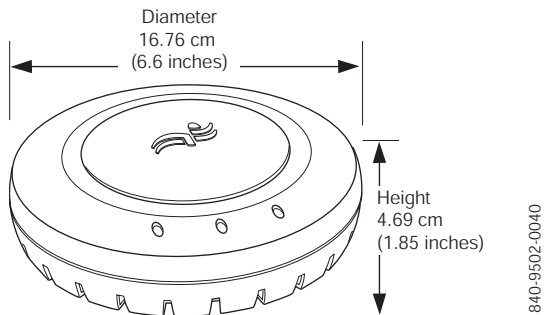


**Note.** The MP access point radios are disabled by default and can be enabled only by a system administrator using the MX switch.

## External Hardware Features

Figure 1 and Figure 2 show the external hardware features of MP access point models MP-341 and MP-352. (The MP-1xx and MP-2xx models also have these features, except the external antenna connector is on model MP-262 only.)

**Figure 1. MP Access Point Model MP-3xx—Top View**



**Figure 2. MP Access Point Model MP-3xx—Bottom View**

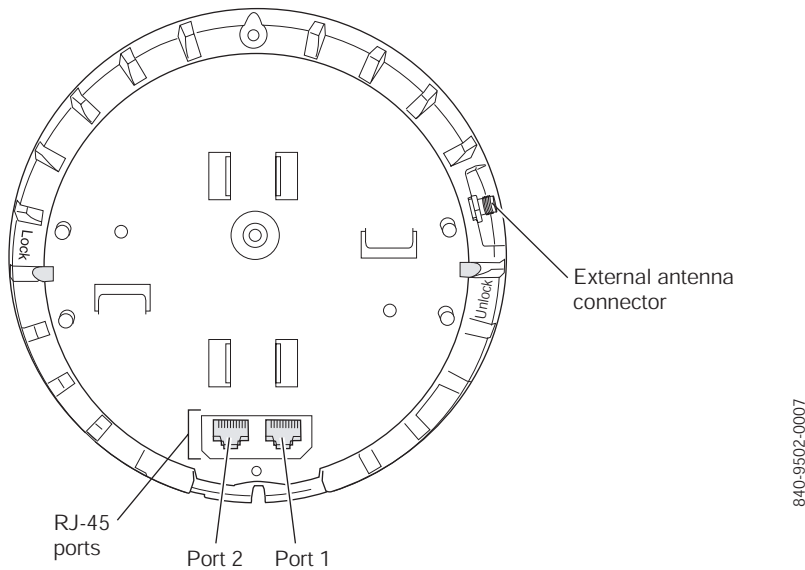
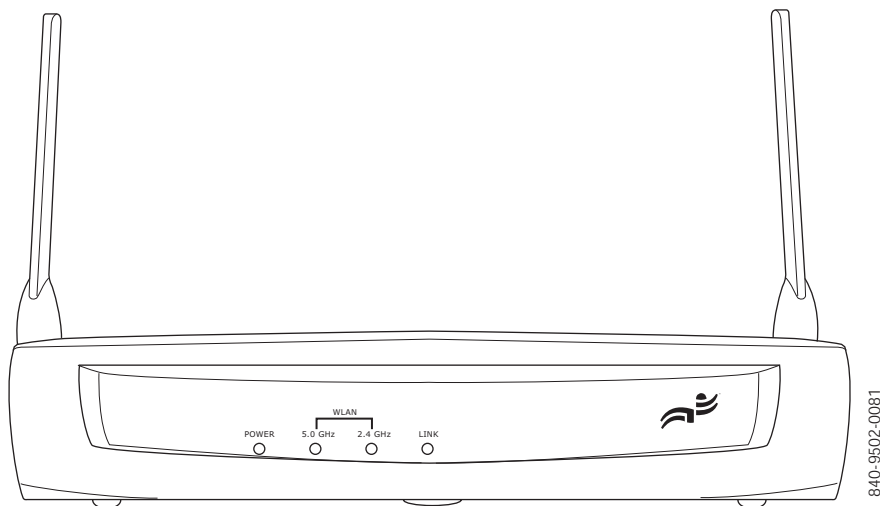
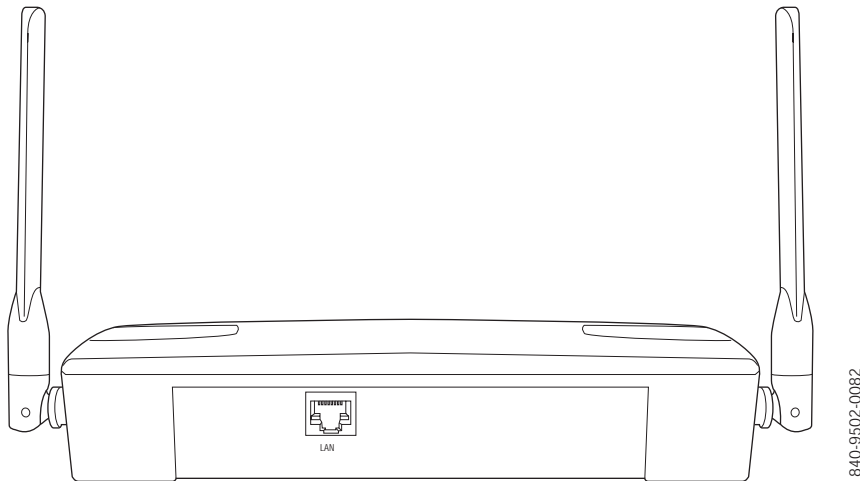


Figure 3 and Figure 4 show the external hardware features of MP access point model MP-52.

**Figure 3. MP Access Point Model MP-52—Front View**





**Figure 4. MP Access Point Model MP-52—Rear View**

## Cable Ports

All MP access point models except the MP-52 have two RJ-45 ports. (See Figure 2.) Each port provides a 10/100BASE-TX Ethernet connection to an MX switch. The connection can be direct to an MX-switch or indirect through an intermediate Layer 2 or Layer 3 network.

MP model MP-52 has one RJ-45 port for direct or indirect connection to an MX switch. (See Figure 4.)



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**Note.** The DC input and serial console port on the MP-52 are not used.

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The MPs receive power and data through the RJ-45 ports. Use a Category 5 (Cat 5) cable with straight-through signaling and standard RJ-45 connectors to connect an MP to an MX switch or other device in the network.

The two RJ-45 ports support dual-homed configurations for redundancy. An MP uses only one link for booting, configuration, and data transfer. If the link becomes unavailable, the MP can reboot using the other link. The ports are identical except for logical numbering (1 or 2). You can use either port to connect an MP access point to an MX switch. However, an MP always attempts to boot on

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MP port 1 first. Only if the boot attempt on port 1 fails does the MP attempt to boot on port 2. If both ports are directly connected to MX switch ports supplying Power over Ethernet (PoE), the ports load-share. If one port becomes unavailable, the other port can provide full power to the MP.



**Note.** MP access points do not support daisy-chain configurations. Do not connect the MP access point to another MP access point.

## External Antenna Connector

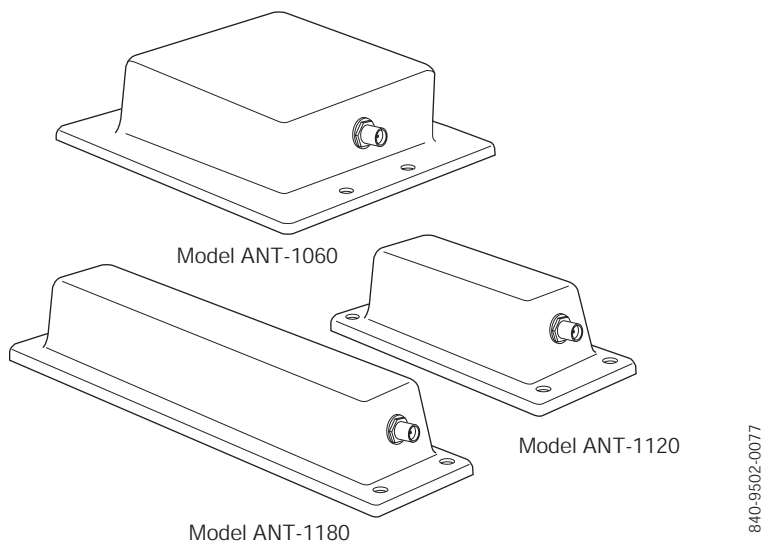
The MP-341 and MP-352 each have a connector for attaching an optional external sectorized antenna for the 802.11b/g radio. (See Figure 2.) Table 2 lists the external antennas. (The MP-262 also uses these antenna models. An external antenna is required for the 802.11b/g radio in an MP-262.)

**Table 2. MP-262 External Antennas**

Model	Beamwidth	
	Horizontal	Vertical
ANT-1060	60°	65°
ANT-1120	120°	60°
ANT-1180	180°	40°

Figure 5 shows the antennas.



**Figure 5. External Antennas**

The antennas come with a connector cable, mounting hardware, and installation instructions.



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**Note.** The MP-341, MP-352, and MP-262 802.11b/g radios are certified for use only with these external antennas.

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## MP Mounting Options

You can mount an MP access point on any of the following types of surfaces:

- Suspended T-bar ceiling
- Junction box
- Solid surface wall or ceiling

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- Tabletop



**Note.** The solid surface mounting option requires Cat 5 cable that does not have strain relief. The other mounting options can use Cat 5 cable with or without strain relief.

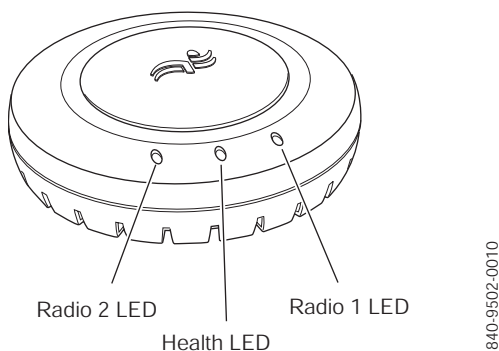
## Status LEDs

MP access points have LEDs that provide status information for the device.

### LEDs on Models MP-341 and MP-352

Figure 6 shows the locations of the LEDs on models MP-341 and MP-352. (These are also the LED locations for models MP-241, MP-252, MP-262, MP-101, and MP-122.) Table 3 describes the LEDs.

**Figure 6. Health and Radio LEDs—MP-341 and MP-352**



On model MP-341, radio LED 1 indicates activity for the single radio. On model MP-352, radio LED 1 indicates activity for the 802.11b/g or 802.11b radio, and radio LED 2 indicates activity for the 802.11a radio.



**Table 3. MP Access Point LEDs—MP-341 and MP-352**

<b>LED</b>	<b>Appearance</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
Health	Solid green	All the following are true: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Management link with an MX switch is operational.</li> <li>• MP access point has booted.</li> <li>• MP access point has received a valid configuration from an MX switch.</li> <li>• At least one radio is enabled or is in sentry mode.</li> </ul>
	Solid amber	MP access point is waiting to receive boot instructions and a configuration file from an MX switch.
	Slowly alternating green and amber	MP access point is booting and receiving its configuration file from an MX switch. After the access point boots and receives its configuration, this LED appearance persists until a radio is enabled or is placed in sentry mode.
Radio 1	Solid green	A client is associated with the radio.
Radio 2	Blinking green	Associated client is sending or receiving traffic.
	Blinking amber	Non-associated client is sending or receiving traffic.
	Alternating green and amber	Radio is unable to transmit. This state can occur due to any of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The radio is in sentry rogue detection mode.</li> <li>• Excessive radio interference in the environment is preventing the radio from sending beacons.</li> <li>• The radio has failed.</li> </ul>
	Solid amber	Radio is disabled.
	Unlit	No radio is present or, if a radio is present and enabled, no clients are associated with the radio and there is no traffic activity.



**LEDs on Model MP-52**

Figure 3 on page 10 shows the locations of the LEDs on model MP-52. Table 4 describes the LEDs.

**Table 4. MP Access Point LEDs—MP-52**

<b>LED</b>	<b>Appearance</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
Power	Solid green	MP is receiving power.
	Unlit	MP is not receiving power.
LINK	Solid green	All the following are true: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Management link with an MX switch is operational.</li> <li>• MP access point has booted.</li> <li>• MP access point has received a valid configuration from an MX switch.</li> <li>• At least one radio is enabled or is in sentry mode.</li> </ul>
	Blinking green	Management link with the MX is operational, but at least one of the other conditions for a solid green has not been achieved.
	Unlit	Management link with the MX is not operational.
WLAN 5.0 GHz	Solid green	A client is associated with the radio.
	Slowly blinking green	Associated client is sending or receiving traffic.
WLAN 2.4 GHz	Rapidly blinking green	The radio is unable to transmit.
	Unlit	Either of the following is true: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Radio is disabled.</li> <li>• No clients are associated with the radio and there is no traffic activity.</li> </ul>



# Connection Options

You can connect an MP access port directly to an MX switch port or indirectly to MX switches through an intermediate Layer 2 or Layer 3 network. In either case, use Category 5 (CAT 5) cable with straight-through signaling for each MP connection.

For MP models with two Ethernet ports, you can provide data link redundancy by connecting both of its ports directly to MX switch ports or indirectly to MX switches through the network.

For all MP models, you can provide MX management redundancy even on a single MP Ethernet port by connecting the MP indirectly to multiple MX switches through an intermediate Layer 2 or Layer 3 network.



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**Note.** Install the Cat 5 cables for the MP access point at the installation site before installing the access point itself. During installation, you will insert the Cat 5 cable(s) into the MP port(s) before attaching the access point to the bracket.

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**Note.** Before installing an MP access point, you might need to generate a network plan and an MP work order with RingMaster. (See “RingMaster Network Plan and Work Orders” on page 23.)

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# Unpacking an MP

The shipping carton for an MP access point contains the following items:

- One MP access point
- Mounting kit (models MP-341 and MP-352):
  - One universal mounting bracket (attached to the MP)
  - One paper mounting template (used for marking cutting areas and screw holes)
  - One two-piece 14.2-mm (9/16-inch) T-bar clamp
  - One two-piece 15.9-mm (5/8-inch) T-bar clamp
  - One two-piece 23.9-mm (15/16-inch) T-bar clamp
  - Two #6 sheet metal screws and two drywall anchors
  - Three adhesive rubber feet
- Mounting kit (model MP-52):
  - One single-piece 14.2-mm (9/16-inch) T-bar clamp
  - One single-piece 23.9-mm (15/16-inch) T-bar clamp
  - Four 10-24 x 1/2-inch pan-head screws and four matching hexagonal nuts
- One mounting template (MP-341 and MP-352).
- One documentation pack that includes quick mounting instructions and a registration card (not shown).



Figure 7 shows the contents of the shipping carton for model MP-341 and MP-352.

**Figure 7. MP-341 and MP-352 Shipping Carton Contents**

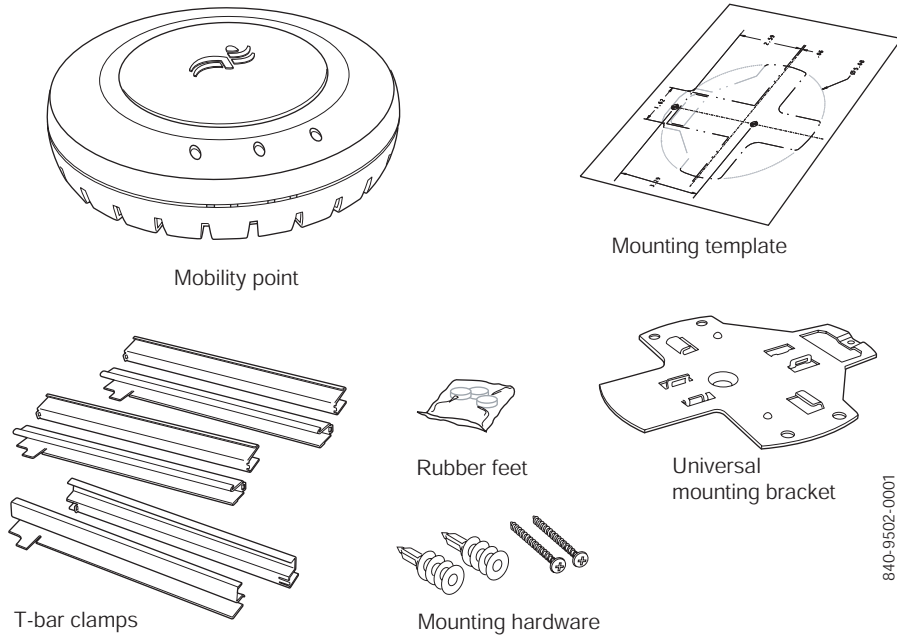
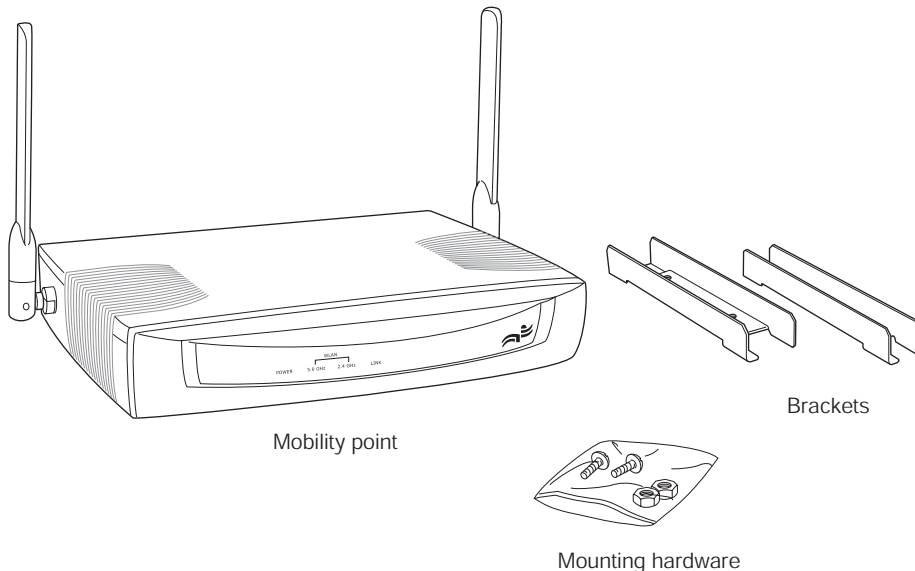


Figure 8 shows the contents of the shipping carton for model MP-52.

**Figure 8. MP-52 Shipping Carton Contents**



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Before you begin installation:

- 1 Open the carton and carefully remove the contents, if you have not already done so.
- 2 Place the packing materials back in the carton and save the carton.
- 3 Verify that you received each item in the previous list. If any item is missing or damaged, contact Trapeze Networks.

# Installation Requirements and Recommendations

For best results, follow these requirements and recommendations before installing an MP access point.

## RingMaster Network Plan and Work Orders

If you are using RingMaster to plan your Trapeze Networks Mobility System installation, you might want to create and verify a network plan for the entire Trapeze network installation and generate an MP work order, before installing MP access points. A network plan and the MP work orders generated from it provide the following information about MP access point installation and configuration:

- Number of MP access points required for adequate WLAN capacity in each coverage area
- Detailed installation location for each MP access point
- Settings for all MP access points in the WLAN

(For information about installing RingMaster, creating and verifying a network plan, and generating an MP work order, see the [Trapeze RingMaster User's Guide](#) and [Trapeze RingMaster Reference Manual](#).)

## MX Switch Recommendation

Trapeze Networks recommends that you install and configure the MX switch before installing an MP access point. If the switch is already installed and configured for the MP access point(s), you can immediately verify the cable connection(s) when you plug the cable(s) into the MP access point.



**Caution!** MP models MP-341, MP-352 and MP-52 are designed to receive power only from an 802.11af-compliant source, a Trapeze Networks Mobility Exchange (MX) switch, or a Trapeze-approved power injector. Connecting an MP access point to a Power over Ethernet (PoE) device that is not approved by Trapeze Networks can damage the equipment. Other MP models do not support 802.11af.



(For information about connecting an MP access point to an MX switch port, see “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59.)

## Wall Installation Recommendations

If you plan to install MP model MP-341 or MP-352 on a partial wall or other vertical surface, orient the top of the access point (the side with the LEDs) toward the intended coverage area. The radio antennas transmit through the top of the access point but not through the bottom (where the bracket is).

This recommendation does not apply if you plan to use only the 802.11b/g radio, with an external antenna. You can orient the antenna independently of the MP itself. Orient an external antenna to face the intended coverage area.

## MP Radio Safety Advisories

When you enable the MP radio(s) as part of MX switch configuration, the radios are able to receive and transmit radio frequency energy as soon as you connect the MP access point(s) to the MX switch, either directly or through the network.

## Radio Frequency Exposure

Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Docket 96-8 for Spread Spectrum Transmitters specifies a safety standard for human exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic energy emitted by FCC-certified equipment. When used with the proper antennas (shipped in the product), Trapeze Networks MP access point products meet the uncontrolled environmental limits found in OET-65 and ANSI C95.1-1991. Proper installation of the MP access point according to the instructions in this manual will result in user exposure that is substantially below the FCC recommended limits.



### Additional Radio Safety Advisories

(For translations of these warnings, see “Radio Safety Warnings” on page 78.)



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**Warning!** In the U.S., locate the MP access point a minimum of 20 cm (7.9 inches) away from people. This safety warning conforms with FCC radio frequency exposure limits for dipole antennas such as those used in the MP access point.

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**Warning!** Do not operate the MP access point near unshielded blasting caps or in an otherwise explosive environment unless the device has been modified for such use by qualified personnel.

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**Warning!** Do not touch or move the MP access point when the antennas are transmitting or receiving.

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**Warning!** Do not hold any radio device so that the antenna is very close to or touching the face, eyes, or other exposed body part while the device's radio antenna is transmitting.

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**Warning!** Before using a wireless device in a hazardous location, consult the local codes, national codes, and safety directors of the location for usage constraints.

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### Cable Requirements



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**Warning!** Do not connect or disconnect cables or otherwise work with the MP access point hardware during periods of lightning activity. (For translations of this warning, see “Lightning Warning” on page 81.)

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## Installation Requirements and Recommendations

### Chapter 3



**Note.** The MP access point is intended for indoor use only. Do not install the device outdoors, unless you install it in a properly installed Trapeze Networks outdoor MP enclosure.



**Note.** To reduce the possibility of connection interference caused by dust, clean the Cat 5 connector pins before inserting a cable into an MP access point.

Cat 5 cable with straight-through signaling must be installed at the site before you install an MP access point. A single connection requires one cable. A dual-homed connection requires two cables.

Table 5 lists the pin signals for 10/100 Ethernet straight-through wiring. Pins 4, 5, 7, and 8 are used when Trapeze Power over Ethernet (PoE) is enabled on the port. *RD* means *Receive Data* and *TD* means *Transmit Data*.

**Table 5. 10/100 Ethernet Straight-Through Pin Signals**

MX Switch		Other Device	
Pin	Function	Pin	Function
1	RD+	1	TD+
2	RD-	2	TD-
3	TD+	3	RD+
4	PoE+	4	PoE+
5	PoE+	5	PoE+
6	TD-	6	RD-
7	PoE-	7	PoE-
8	PoE-	8	PoE-

Mounting an MP access point on a solid surface requires Cat 5 cable that does not have strain relief. For installation on all other surfaces, you can use Cat 5 cable with or without strain relief.

(For more information about cables, see “Cable Ports” on page 11.)





## Installing an MP—Models MP-341 and MP-352

To install an MP access point, use one of the procedures in this section.

### Installation Hardware and Tools

Table 6 lists the mounting hardware and tools required for each type of installation.

**Table 6. Required Mounting Hardware and Tools—Models MP-341 and MP-352**

Mounting Option	Required Hardware and Tools	Included with the Product
Suspended ceiling—flush ceiling tiles	Mounting template	Yes
	Universal mounting bracket	Yes
	T-bar clamp	Yes
	<b>Note:</b> A T-bar clamp is not required for a 23.9-mm (15/16-inch) T-bar ceiling with flush ceiling tiles.	
	Box cutter	No
	Small screwdriver (3-mm or 1/8-inch)	No
Suspended ceiling—drop ceiling tiles	Mounting template	Yes
	Universal mounting bracket	Yes
	T-bar clamp	Yes
	Box cutter	No
	Small screwdriver (3-mm or 1/8-inch)	No

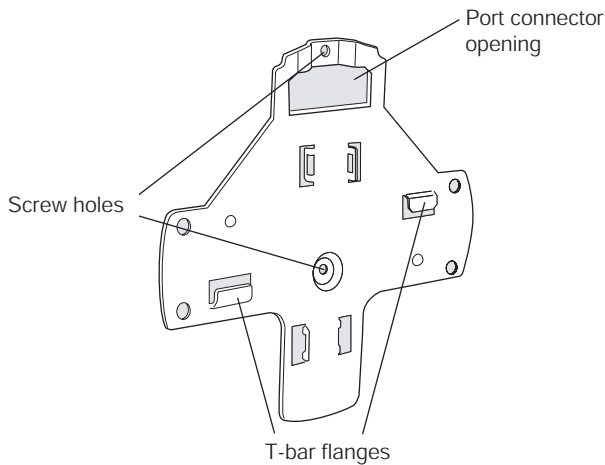


**Table 6. Required Mounting Hardware and Tools—Models MP-341 and MP-352 (continued)**

<b>Mounting Option</b>	<b>Required Hardware and Tools</b>	<b>Included with the Product</b>
Junction box	Junction box	No
	Two #6-32 x 1-inch machine screws	Yes
	Universal mounting bracket	Yes
	Small screwdriver (3-mm or 1/8-inch)	No
	#2 Phillips-head screwdriver	No
Solid wall or ceiling	Two #6 sheet metal screws and two drywall anchors	Yes
	Universal mounting bracket	Yes
	Hammer	No
	Small screwdriver (3-mm or 1/8-inch)	No
	#2 Phillips-head screwdriver	No
Tabletop	Universal mounting bracket	Yes
	Three adhesive rubber feet	Yes
	Small screwdriver (3-mm or 1/8-inch)	No

Figure 9 shows the universal mounting bracket.



**Figure 9. Universal Mounting Bracket**

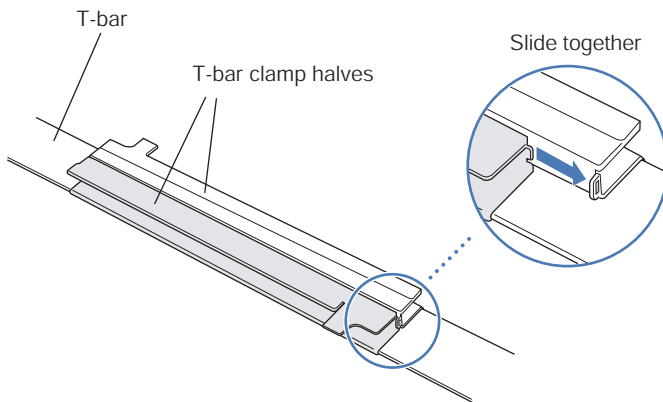
## Suspended Ceiling Installation—Flush Ceiling Tiles

(For required mounting hardware and tools, see Table 6 on page 27.)

- 1** Select an installation location that is centered over a T-bar in the ceiling.
- 2** Cut a hole as follows in the ceiling tile for the Cat 5 cable(s):
  - a** Place the mounting template over the area where you plan to install the MP access point.
  - b** Use the box cutter to cut along the line marking the opening for the port connectors.
  - c** Remove the mounting template and the material you cut from the ceiling panel.
- 3** Determine whether to install a T-bar clamp onto the ceiling T-bar:
  - If the T-bar width is 14.2 mm (9/16 inches), you need to install the 14.2-mm (9/16-inch) T-bar clamp. Go to step 4.
  - If the T-bar width is 23.9 mm (15/16 inches), the universal mounting bracket fits directly onto the T-bar. Go to step 5.

- 4 Install the 14.2-mm (9/16-inch) T-bar clamp onto the ceiling T-bar as shown in Figure 10.
  - a Slide each half of the clamp onto the T-bar so that the clamp lip is fully on the T-bar.
  - b Slide the two halves of the clamp toward each other until the tabs are inserted completely into the holes and the clamp fits snugly on the T-bar.

**Figure 10. Step 4—Installing a T-bar Clamp**



- 5 Unlock the universal mounting bracket from the MP access point by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Unlock* hole on the MP access point as shown in Figure 11.

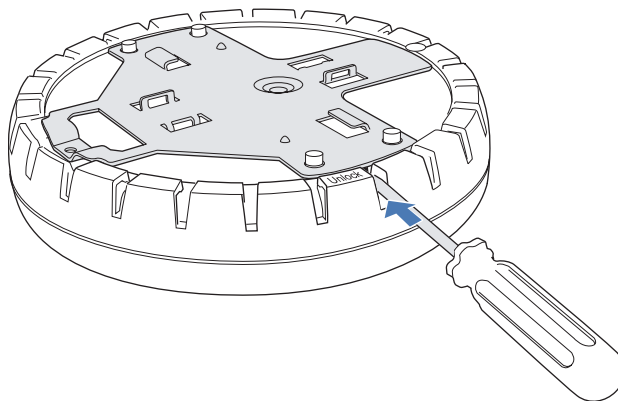


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**Caution!** To avoid damage to the MP access point's lock mechanism or electronic components, do not use excessive force when inserting a tool into the *Unlock* or *Lock* hole.

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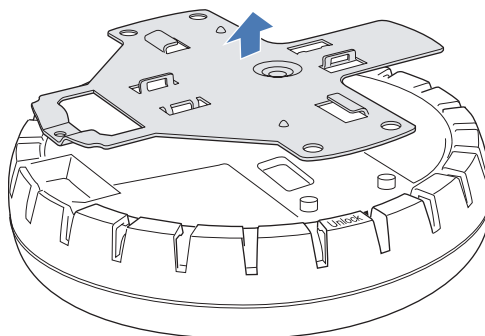
**Figure 11. Step 5—Unlocking the Bracket**



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6 Remove the bracket as shown in Figure 12.

**Figure 12. Step 6—Removing the Bracket**

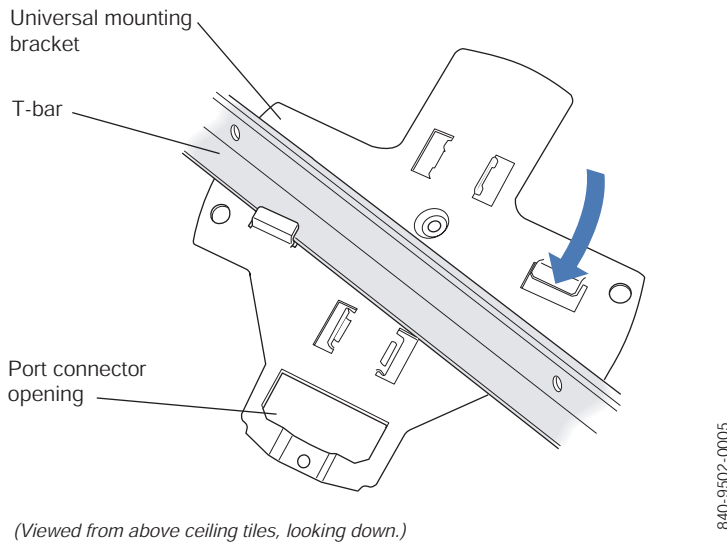


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7 Install the universal mounting bracket as follows onto the T-bar or T-bar clamp:

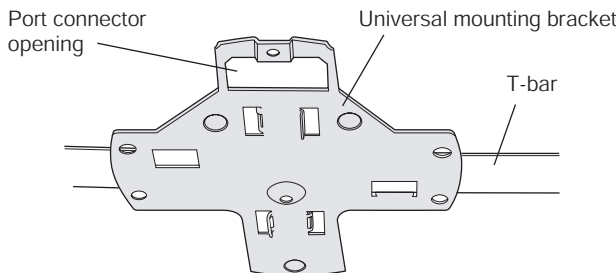
- a As shown in Figure 13, place the universal mounting bracket against the T-bar or clamp so that the two screw holes face downward and the two T-bar flanges face upward and are adjacent to the T-bar edges.

**Figure 13. Step 7—Top View**



- b** Properly align the bracket for mounting by placing the bracket so that its port connector opening is to the left of the hole you cut for the cables.
- c** Rotate the universal mounting bracket clockwise until the flanges snap into place on the T-bar or clamp as shown in Figure 14.

**Figure 14. Step 7—Bottom View**



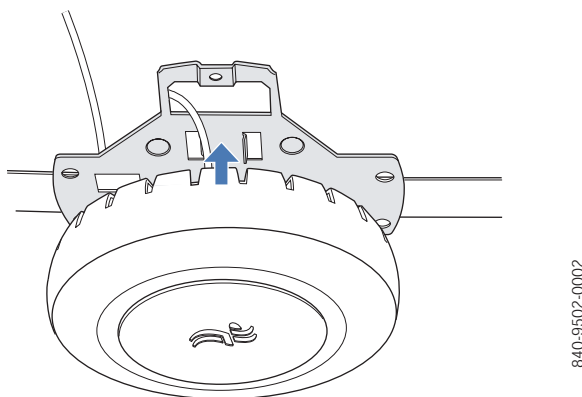
- 8** Pull the Cat 5 cable(s) about 15 cm (about 6 inches) out of the hole in the ceiling tile and through the port connector opening to create enough slack to insert the cable(s).



- 9 Insert the Cat 5 cable(s) into the connector(s):
  - For a single connection, use the connector for port 1.
  - For a dual-homed connection, insert one cable into each connector.
- 10 Lift the MP access point into place on the universal mounting bracket as shown in Figure 15.

Make sure the cable feeds properly into the ceiling as you lift the device, and does not become trapped between the access point and the bracket.

**Figure 15. Step 10—Placing the MP Access Point on the Bracket**



- 11 Lock the MP access point onto the bracket by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Lock* hole on the access point as shown in Figure 16.

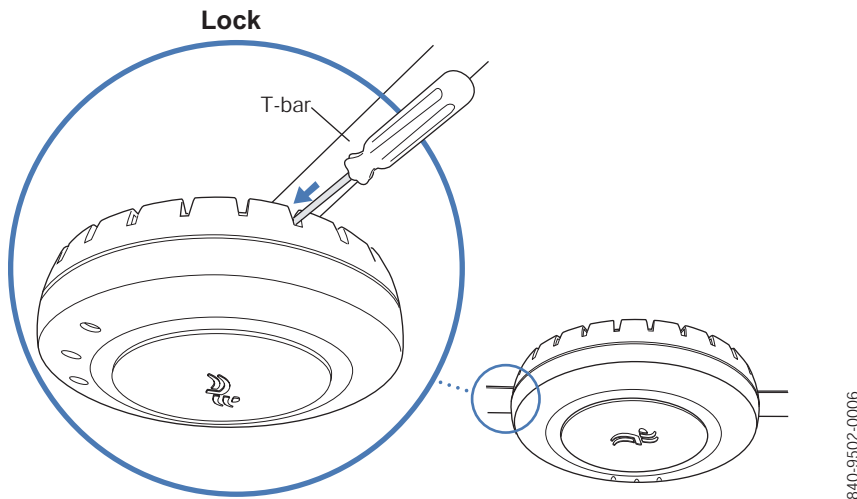


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**Caution!** To prevent possible damage to the MP access point, make sure the device is fully locked onto the bracket before letting go of it.

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**Figure 16. Step 11—Locking the Bracket**



- 12** To ensure that the MP access point is fully locked onto the bracket, gently pull down on the access point and attempt to rotate it from side to side.
- 13** If the access point comes off the bracket, relock the device onto the bracket as described in step 11 on page 33.
- 14** If the MP requires an external antenna, install and connect the antenna. (See “Connecting an MP to an External Antenna” on page 53.)
- 15** If the other ends of the Cat 5 cable(s) are not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.



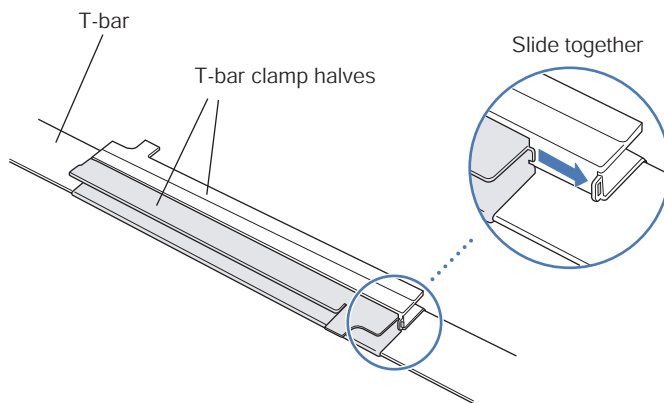
## Suspended Ceiling Installation—Drop Ceiling Tiles

(For required mounting hardware and tools, see Table 6 on page 27.)

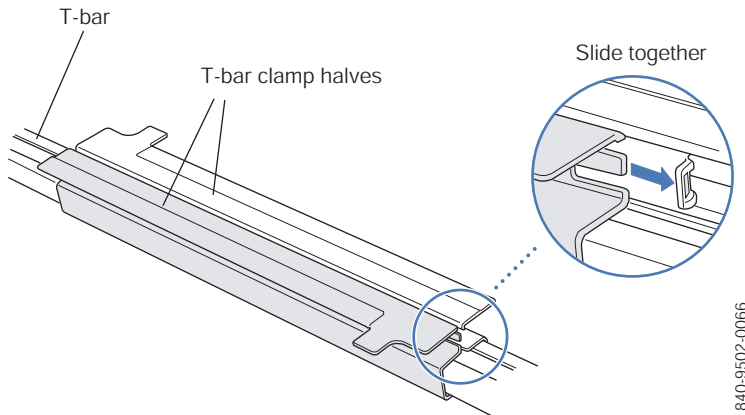
- 1 Select an installation location that is centered over a T-bar in the ceiling.
- 2 Cut a hole as follows in the ceiling tile for the Cat 5 cable(s):
  - a Place the mounting template over the area where you plan to install the MP access point.
  - b Use the box cutter to cut along the line marking the opening for the port connectors.
  - c Remove the mounting template and the material you cut from the ceiling panel.
- 3 Install the T-bar clamp that fits the T-bar:
  - a Slide each half of the clamp onto the T-bar so that the clamp lip is fully on the T-bar.
  - b Slide the two halves of the clamp toward each other until the tabs are inserted completely into the holes and the clamp fits snugly on the T-bar.

Figure 17 shows an example for a 23.9-mm (15/16-inch) T-bar. Figure 18 shows an example for a 15.9-mm (5/8-inch) T-bar.

**Figure 17. Step 3—Installing the T-bar Clamp for a 23.9-mm (15/16-inch) T-bar**



**Figure 18. Step 3—Installing the T-bar Clamp for a 15.9-mm (5/8-inch) T-bar**

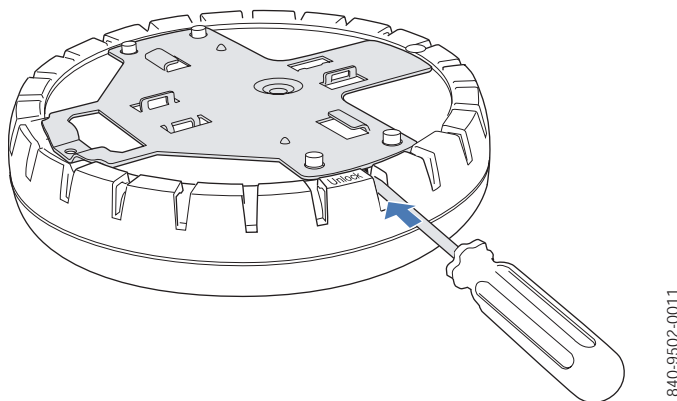


- 4 Unlock the universal mounting bracket from the MP access point by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Unlock* hole on the MP access point as shown in Figure 19.



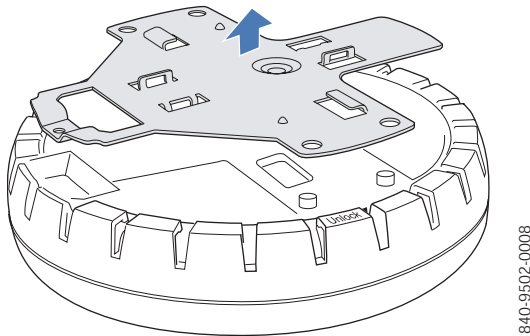
**Caution!** To avoid damage to the MP access point's lock mechanism or electronic components, do not use excessive force when inserting a tool into the *Unlock* or *Lock* hole.

**Figure 19. Step 4—Unlocking the Bracket**



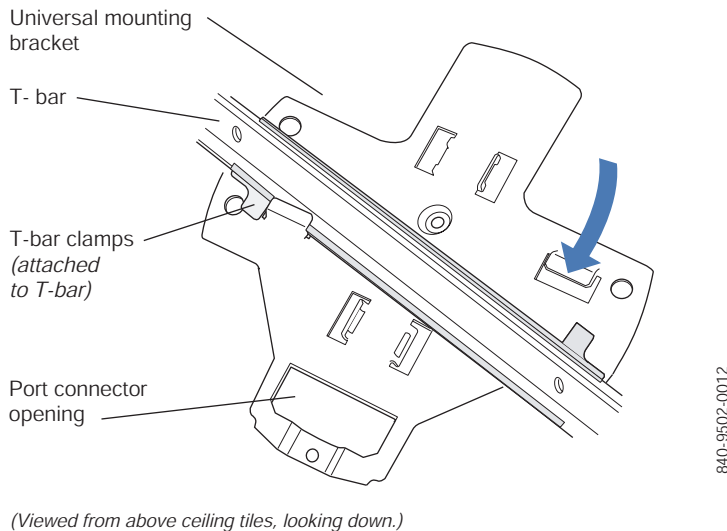
- 5 Remove the bracket as shown in Figure 20.

**Figure 20. Step 5—Removing the Bracket**

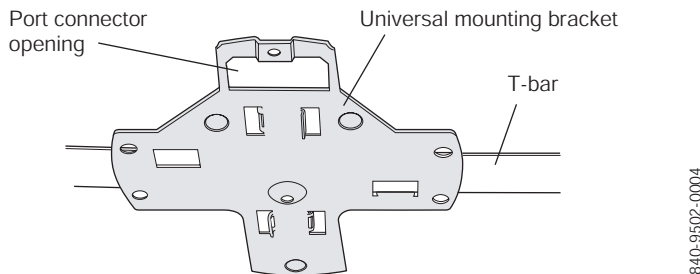


- 6 Install the universal mounting bracket as follows onto the T-bar clamp:
  - a As shown in Figure 21, place the universal mounting bracket against the T-bar clamp so that the two screw holes face downward and the two T-bar flanges face upward and are adjacent to the T-bar edges.
  - b Properly align the bracket for mounting by placing the bracket so that its port connector opening is to the left of the hole you cut for the cables.
  - c Rotate the universal mounting bracket clockwise until the flanges snap into place on the T-bar clamp as shown in Figure 22.

#### Figure 21. Step 6—Top View



#### Figure 22. Step 6—Bottom View

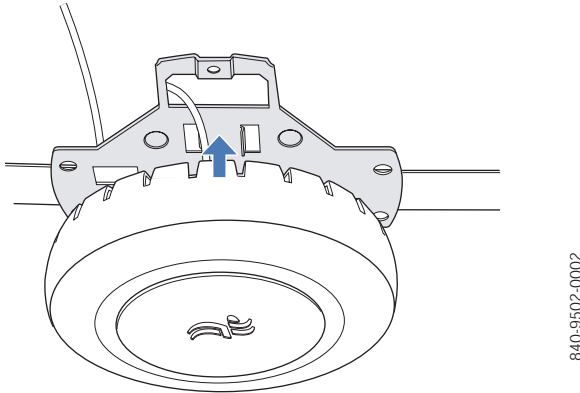


- 7** Pull the Cat 5 cable(s) about 15 cm (about 6 inches) out of the hole in the ceiling tile and through the port connector opening to create enough slack to insert the cable(s).
- 8** Insert the Cat 5 cable(s) into the connector(s):
  - For a single connection, use the connector for port 1.
  - For a dual-homed connection, insert one cable into each connector.
- 9** Lift the MP access point into place on the universal mounting bracket as shown in Figure 23.



Make sure the cable feeds properly into the ceiling as you lift the device, and does not become trapped between the access point and the bracket.

**Figure 23. Step 9—Placing the MP Access Point on the Bracket**

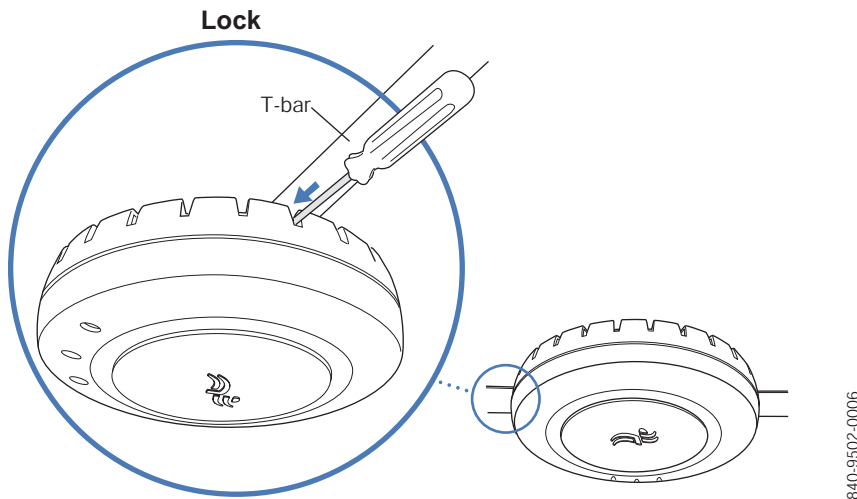


- 10** Lock the MP access point onto the bracket by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Lock* hole on the access point as shown in Figure 24.



**Caution!** To prevent possible damage to the MP access point, make sure the device is fully locked onto the bracket before letting go of it.

**Figure 24. Step 10—Locking the Bracket**



- 11** To ensure that the MP access point is fully locked onto the bracket, gently pull down on the access point and attempt to rotate it from side to side.  
  
If the access point comes off the bracket, relock the device onto the bracket as described in step 10 on page 39.
- 12** If the MP requires an external antenna, install and connect the antenna. (See “Connecting an MP to an External Antenna” on page 53.)
- 13** If the other ends of the Cat 5 cable(s) are not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.

## Junction Box Installation

(For required mounting hardware and tools, see Table 6 on page 27.)

- 1 Unlock the universal mounting bracket from the MP access point by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Unlock* hole on the MP access point as shown in Figure 25.

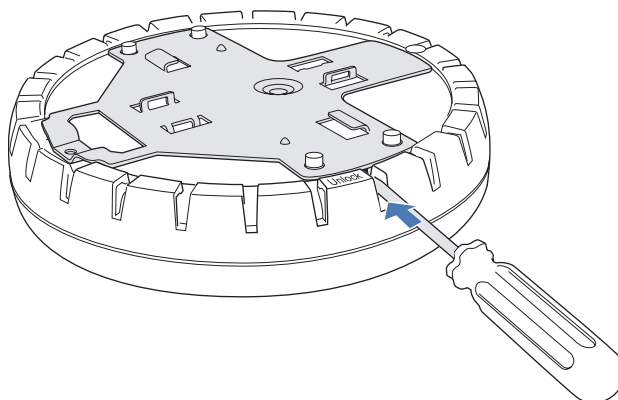


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**Caution!** To avoid damage to the MP access point's lock mechanism or electronic components, do not use excessive force when inserting a tool into the *Unlock* or *Lock* hole.

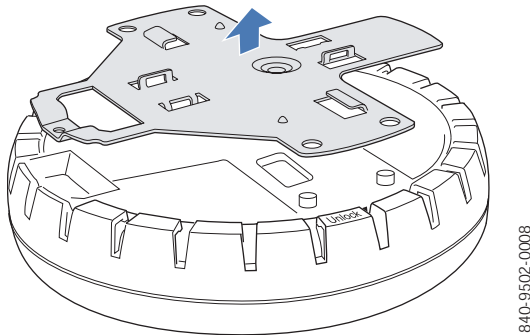
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**Figure 25. Step 1—Unlocking the Bracket**



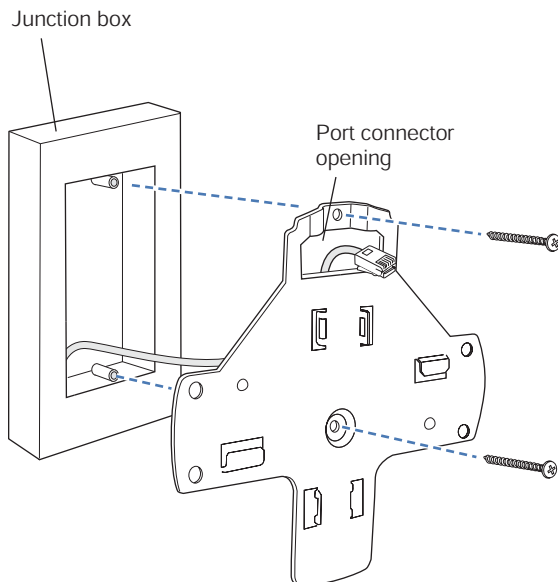
- 2 Remove the bracket as shown in Figure 26.

**Figure 26. Step 2—Removing the Bracket**



- 3** Attach the universal mounting bracket to the junction box as shown in Figure 27:
  - a** Place the universal mounting bracket against the junction box so that the two screw holes face the junction box and align over the screw holes in the box.
  - b** Insert the #6-32 x 1-inch machine screws in the universal mounting bracket's screw holes, and use a #2 Phillips-head screwdriver to tighten them.



**Figure 27. Step 3—Placing the Bracket on the Junction Box**

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- 4 Pull the Cat 5 cable(s) about 15 cm (about 6 inches) out of the junction box and through the port connector opening to create enough slack to insert the cable(s) into the port connectors.
- 5 Insert the Cat 5 cable(s) into the connector(s):

- For a single connection, use the connector for port 1.
- For a dual-homed connection, insert one cable into each connector.

- 6 Lift the MP access point into place on the universal mounting bracket.

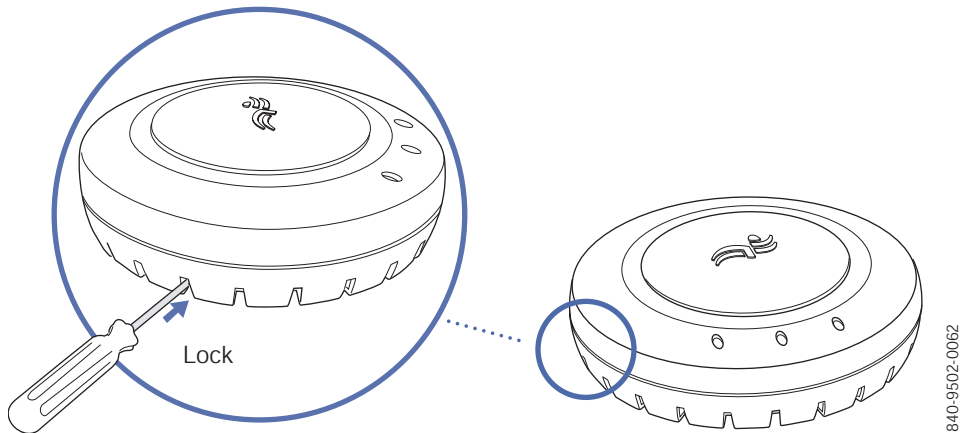
Make sure the cable feeds properly into the junction box as you lift the device, and does not become trapped between the access point and the bracket.

- 7 Lock the MP access point onto the bracket by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Lock* hole on the access point as shown in Figure 28.



**Caution!** To prevent possible damage to the MP access point, make sure the device is fully locked onto the bracket before letting go of it.

**Figure 28. Step 7—Locking the Bracket**



- 8** To ensure that the MP access point is fully locked onto the bracket, gently pull down on the access point and attempt to rotate it from side to side.  
  
If the access point comes off the bracket, relock the device onto the bracket as described in step 7 on page 43.
- 9** If the MP requires an external antenna, install and connect the antenna. (See “Connecting an MP to an External Antenna” on page 53.)
- 10** If the other ends of the Cat 5 cable(s) are not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.

## Solid Wall or Ceiling Installation



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**Note.** The solid surface mounting option requires Cat 5 cable that does not have strain relief, unless you plan to route the cable through a hole in the wall or ceiling. The other options can use Cat 5 cable with or without strain relief.

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(For required mounting hardware and tools, see Table 6 on page 27.)

- 1 Prepare holes in the wall or ceiling for the universal mounting bracket, using the following steps:
  - a Place the paper mounting template over the location where you want to install the MP access point.
  - b Mark the screw hole location(s).
    - If you plan to route the Cat 5 cable externally along the wall or ceiling, mark the locations of both the center screw hole and the screw hole by the port connector opening.
    - If you plan to route the Cat 5 cable through a hole in the wall or ceiling, mark the location of the center screw hole only. You cannot use the screw hole by the port connector opening if you cut a hole for the opening.



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**Note.** Do not mark the four holes on the edges of the bracket. (These are the holes indicated by the dashed lines in Figure 31.) The MP access point fits into these holes. They are not screw holes.

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- c Remove the template.
- 2 Install the drywall anchor(s):
  - a Hammer a drywall anchor into each hole, up to the beginning of the threads on the anchor.
  - b Screw each anchor the rest of the way into its hole using a #2 Phillips-head screwdriver.
  - c Remove the screw from each anchor and save the screw(s) for step 6 on page 47.

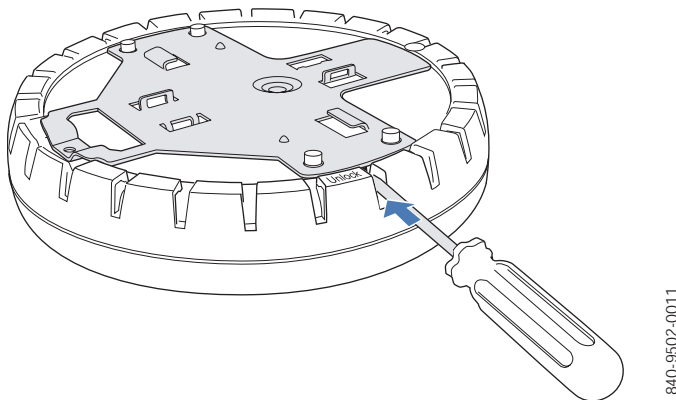


- 3 Unlock the universal mounting bracket from the MP access point by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Unlock* hole on the MP access point as shown in Figure 29.



**Caution!** To avoid damage to the MP access point's lock mechanism or electronic components, do not use excessive force when inserting a tool into the *Unlock* or *Lock* hole.

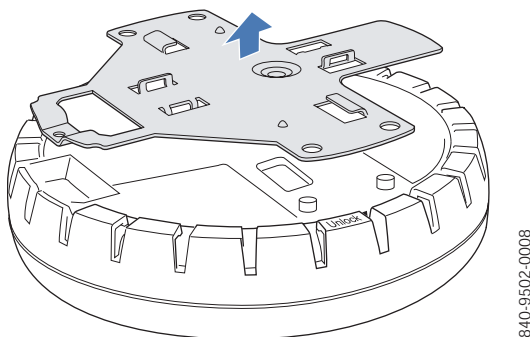
**Figure 29. Step 3—Unlocking the Bracket**



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- 4 Remove the bracket as shown in Figure 30.

**Figure 30. Step 4—Removing the Bracket**



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- 5 As shown in Figure 31, feed the Cat 5 cable(s) through the port connector opening and align the universal mounting bracket over the drywall anchors so that the two screw holes in the bracket face the drywall anchors.
- 6 Insert the #6 sheet metal screws into the screw holes, and tighten them to secure the universal mounting bracket to the wall or ceiling.

(If you routed the Cat 5 cable through a hole in the wall or ceiling, insert the screw into the center screw hole only.)

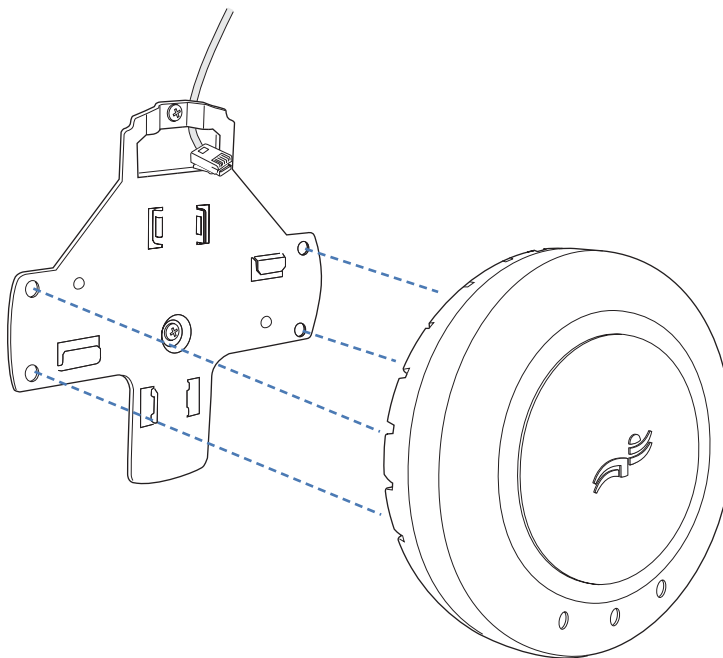


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**Note.** Do not insert screws in the four holes on the edges of the bracket. (These are the holes indicated by the dashed lines in Figure 31.) The MP access point fits into these holes. They are not screw holes.

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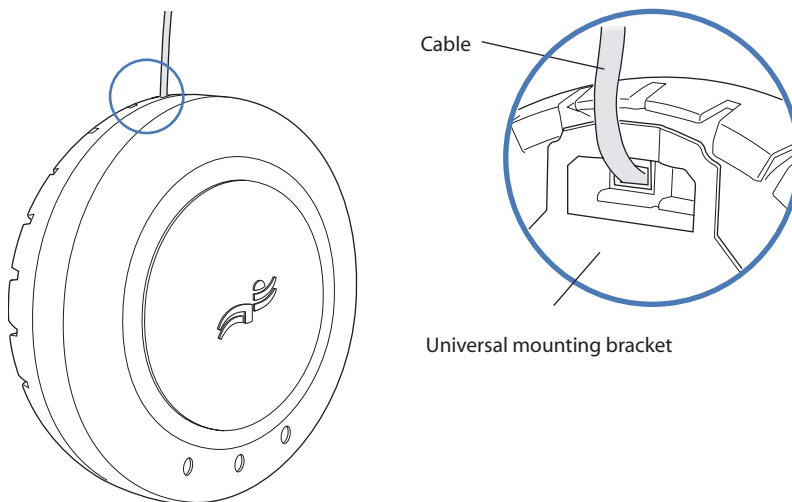
**Figure 31. Steps 5 and 6—Bracket Placement on Solid Wall or Ceiling**



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- 7 Insert the Cat 5 cable(s) into the connector(s):
  - For a single connection, use the connector for port 1.
  - For a dual-homed connection, insert one cable into each connector.
- 8 As shown in Figure 32, place the MP access point on the bracket, making sure to remove any slack that occurs in the cable between the bracket and the MP access point.

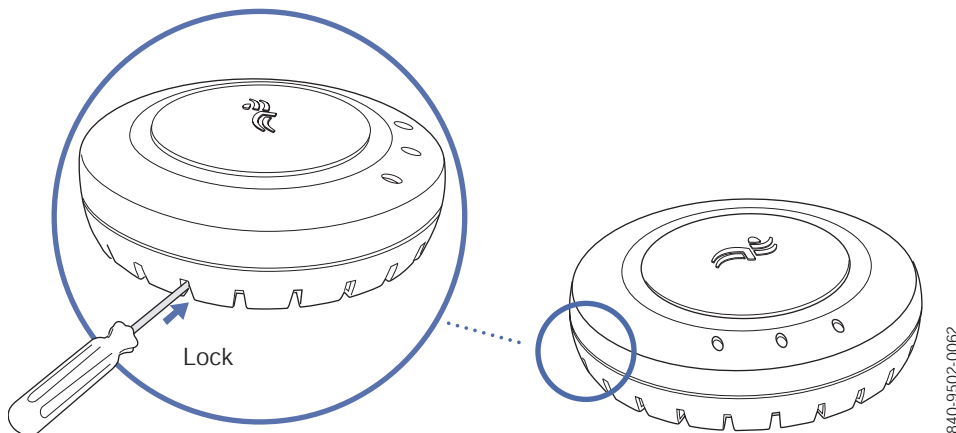
**Figure 32. Step 8—Cable Placement**



- 9 Lock the MP access point onto the bracket by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Lock* hole on the access point as shown in Figure 33.



**Caution!** To prevent possible damage to the MP access point, make sure the device is fully locked onto the bracket before letting go of it.

**Figure 33. Step 9—Locking the Bracket**

- 10** To ensure that the MP access point is fully locked onto the bracket, gently pull on the access point and attempt to rotate it from side to side.

If the access point comes off the bracket, relock the device onto the bracket as described in step 9 on page 48.

- 11** If the MP requires an external antenna, install and connect the antenna. (See “Connecting an MP to an External Antenna” on page 53.)
- 12** If the other ends of the Cat 5 cable(s) are not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.

## Tabletop Installation

(For required mounting hardware and tools, see Table 6 on page 27.)

- 1 Reverse the universal mounting bracket:
  - a Unlock the universal mounting bracket from the MP access point by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Unlock* hole on the MP access point as shown in Figure 34.

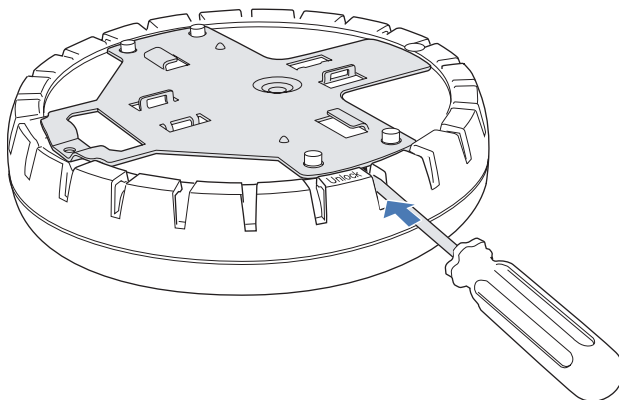


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**Caution!** To avoid damage to the MP access point's lock mechanism or electronic components, do not use excessive force when inserting a tool into the *Unlock* or *Lock* hole.

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**Figure 34. Step 1a—Unlocking the Bracket**



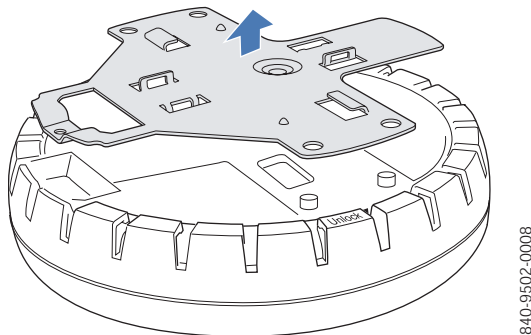
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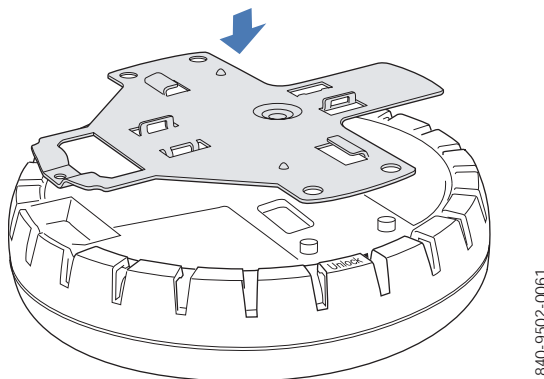
- b Remove the bracket as shown in Figure 35.

**Figure 35. Step 1b—Removing the Bracket**



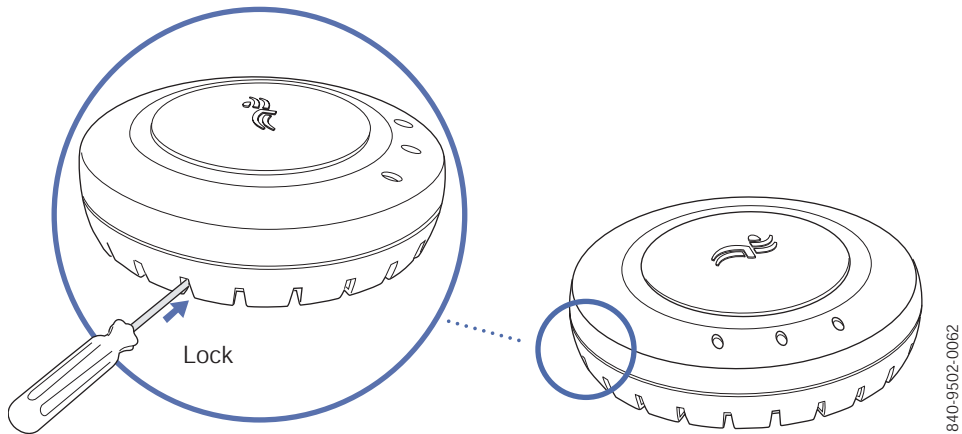
- c Turn over the universal mounting bracket, then align the bracket over the cable ports and the four mounting posts as shown in Figure 36.

**Figure 36. Step 1c—Turning Over the Bracket**



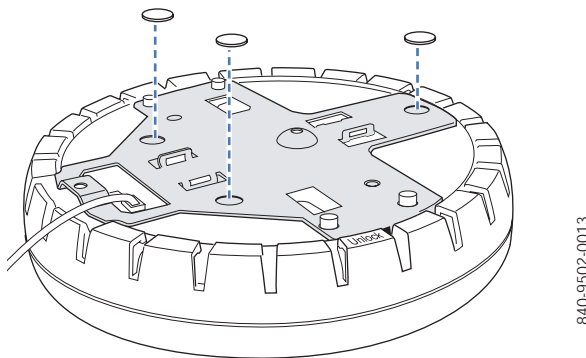
- d Once the bracket is fully seated, lock the bracket onto the MP access point by inserting the 3-mm or 1/8-inch screwdriver into the *Lock* hole on the access point as shown in Figure 37.

**Figure 37. Step 1d—Locking the Bracket**



- 2 Attach the three rubber adhesive feet onto the universal mounting bracket, in the three location circles, as shown in Figure 38.

**Figure 38. Step 2—Installing the Rubber Feet**



- 3 Insert the Cat 5 cable(s) into the connector(s):
  - For a single connection, use the connector for port 1.
  - For a dual-homed connection, insert one cable into each connector.
- 4 Place the MP access point in the desired location on the table.

- 5 If the MP requires an external antenna, install and connect the antenna. (See “Connecting an MP to an External Antenna” on page 53.)
- 6 If the other ends of the Cat 5 cable(s) are not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.

## Connecting an MP to an External Antenna

The 802.11b/g radio in models MP-341 and MP-352 can use an optional Trapeze external antenna. To install the antenna, see the instructions that come with the antenna.



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**Caution!** The external antenna must be installed at least 20 cm from the MP access point.

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To connect the installed antenna to model MP-341 or MP-352:

- 1 Attach the 3-foot exterior antenna cable to the MP external antenna connector. (For the location of the external antenna connector, see Figure 2 on page 10.)



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**Note.** If the MP is installed in a Trapeze Networks outdoor MP enclosure, attach the antenna cable to the lightning surge arrester (if installed) or the enclosure’s SMA bulkhead connector.

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- 2 Attach the other end of the antenna cable to the antenna.
- 3 If the other ends of the Cat 5 cable(s) are not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.

(You also can use the procedure above for the MP-262 external antenna.)



# Installing an MP—Model MP-52

To install MP access point model MP-52, use one of the procedures in this section.

## Installation Hardware and Tools

Table 7 lists the mounting hardware and tools required for each type of installation.

**Table 7. Required Mounting Hardware and Tools—Model MP-52**

<b>Mounting Option</b>	<b>Required Hardware and Tools</b>	<b>Included with the Product</b>
Suspended ceiling	One of the T-bar clamps:	Yes
	• 14.2-mm (9/16-inch)	
	• 23.9-mm (15/16-inch)	
	Two 10-24 x 1/2-inch pan-head screws	Yes
	Two 10-24 hexagonal nuts (optional)	
Solid wall or ceiling	#2 Phillips-head screwdriver	No
	12 mm (3/8-inch) deep-socket nut driver (optional)	
Tabletop	Box cutter	No
	Two panhead screws or wall anchors and tools to install them	No
Tabletop	None	Not Applicable

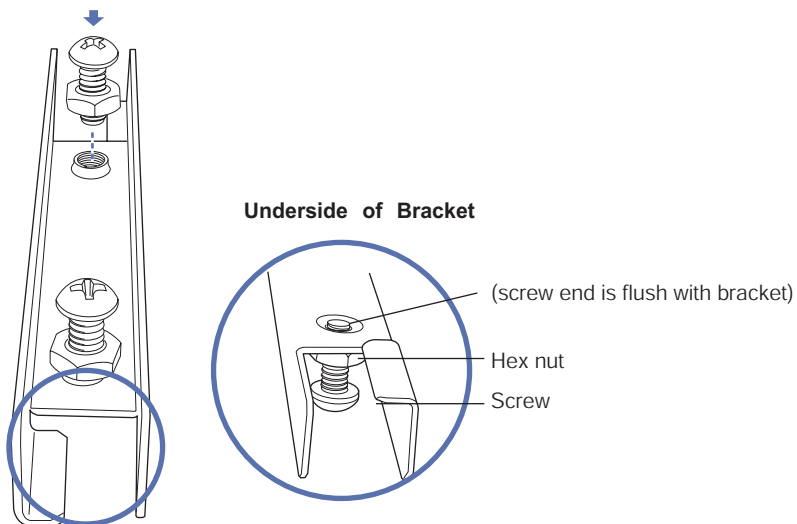
## Suspended Ceiling Installation

- 1 Select an installation location that is centered under a T-bar in the ceiling.
- 2 Cut a hole for the Cat 5 cable and pull about 15 cm (about 6 inches) of the cable through the hole.



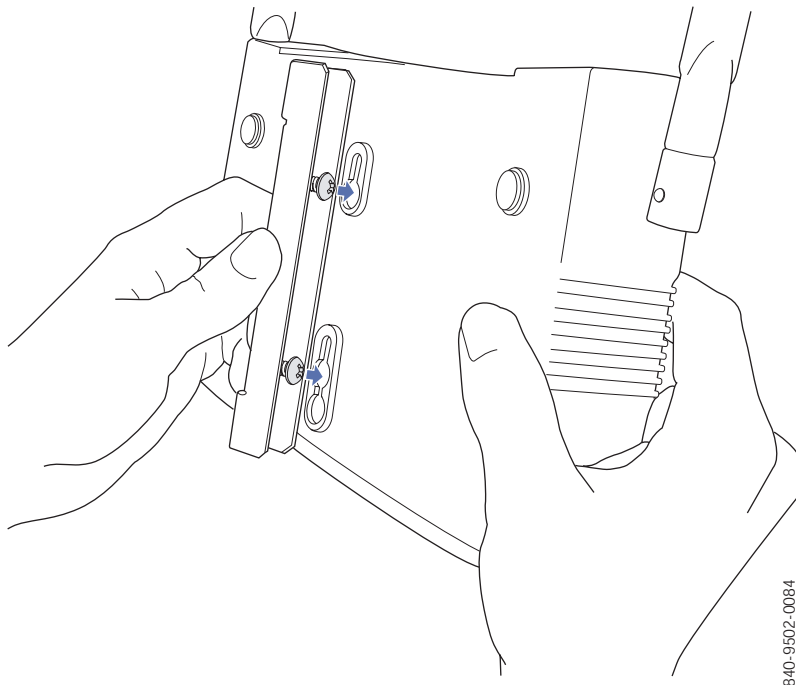
- 3 Prepare the 14.2-mm (9/16-inch) or 23.9-mm (15/16-inch) mounting bracket:
  - a Place a 10-24 hexagonal nut on each 10-24 x 1/2-inch panhead screw to act as a locking device for the screws. Turn the nut until two or three threads are visible on the end of the screw.
  - b Insert the screws into the holes of the bracket as shown in Figure 39. Tighten the screws only until the ends of the threads are flush with the back of the bracket.
  - c If you are using the hexagonal nuts, you can use a nut driver to tighten them further. Alternatively, use the screwdriver to continue tightening the screws until the nuts lock tightly into place. (Make sure the ends of the screws do not stick out from the bracket.)

**Figure 39. Step 3—Preparing the Mounting Bracket**



- 4 Turn the MP-52 over, align the screwheads over the screw openings on the bottom of the MP-52, and place the screwheads into the screw holes so that the bracket is flush with the MP-52. (See Figure 40.)

**Figure 40. Step 4—Attaching the Mounting Bracket to the MP**



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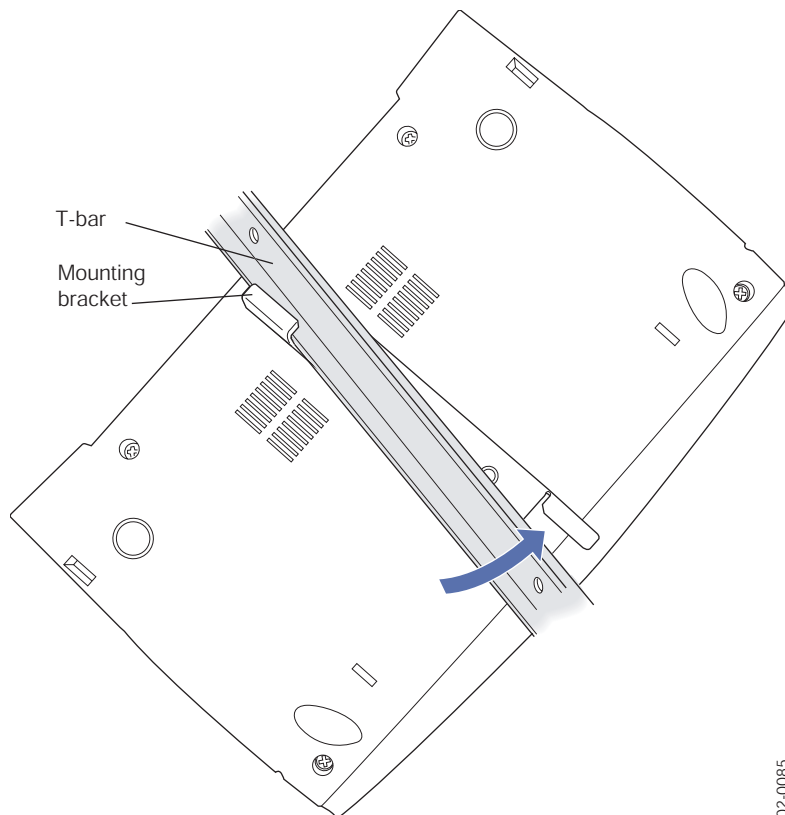
- 5 Firmly push the bracket toward the rear of the MP-52 to lock the bracket into place.
- 6 Lift the MP against the T-bar and twist the MP until the bracket fits completely onto the T-bar, as shown in Figure 41.



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**Caution!** To prevent possible damage to the MP, make sure the device is fully locked onto the bracket before letting go of it.

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**Figure 41. Step 6—Attaching the MP to the T-bar**

*(Viewed from above ceiling tiles, looking down.)*

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- 7** Plug the Cat 5 cable into the LAN connector on the back.
- 8** If the other end of the Cat 5 cable is not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.

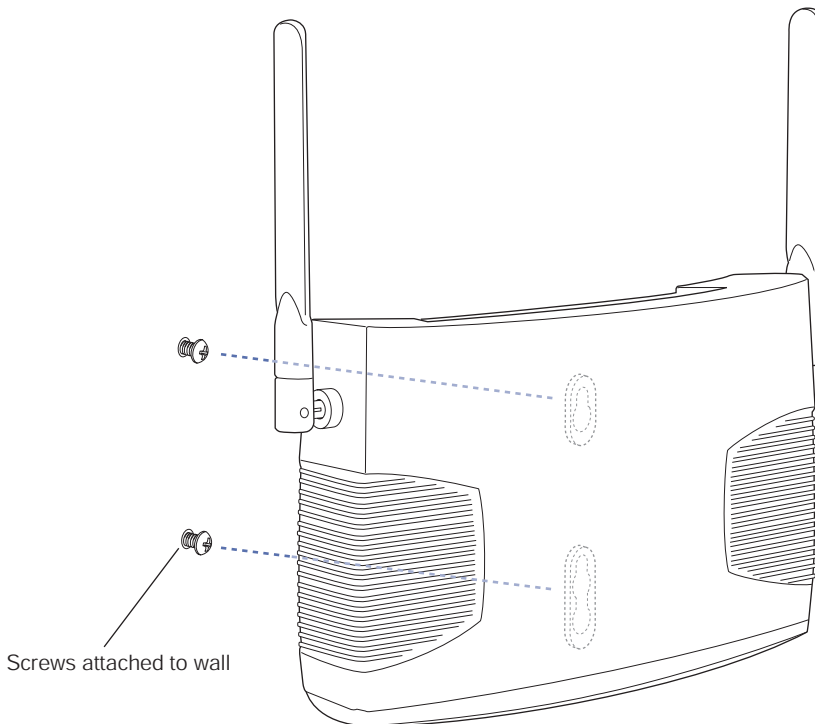
## Solid Wall or Ceiling Installation

- 1 Drill two pilot holes 6 cm (2-3/8 inches) apart. To install the MP as shown below, place the holes vertically (not side to side).
- 2 Insert a mounting screw into each hole. Leave the screws about 6 mm (about 1/4 inch) above the surface. (Do not use the screws from the MP mounting kit. Use screws appropriate for anchoring the device to the wall or ceiling.)
- 3 With the front panel of the MP facing downward, align the screw holes on the bottom of the MP-52 over the screws and slide the MP downward to secure it onto the screws, as shown in Figure 42.



**Caution!** To prevent possible damage to the MP, make sure the device is fully locked onto the screws before letting go of it.

**Figure 42. Step 3—Attaching the MP to the Wall or Ceiling**





- 4 If the other end of the Cat 5 cable is not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch” on page 59. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.

## Tabletop Installation

- 1 Place the MP-52 on the table.
- 2 Insert the Cat 5 cable(s) into the LAN connector on the rear of the MP.
- 3 If the other end of the Cat 5 cable is not already connected and the link activated, go to “Connecting an MP to an MX Switch”. Otherwise, go to “Verifying MP Health” on page 61.

## Connecting an MP to an MX Switch

You can connect an MP access point directly to an MX switch or indirectly to the switch through an intermediate Layer 2 or Layer 3 network.

- To connect the MP directly to an MX switch, configure the MX switch port as an MP access port and use the following procedure to insert the cable into the MX switch and verify the link.
- To connect the MP indirectly to an MX switch through the network, configure a Distributed MP connection on the MX switch.

You can use the CLI or RingMaster to configure an MP access port or Distributed MP connection. (See the *Trapeze Mobility System Software Configuration Guide* or the *Trapeze RingMaster Reference Manual*.)

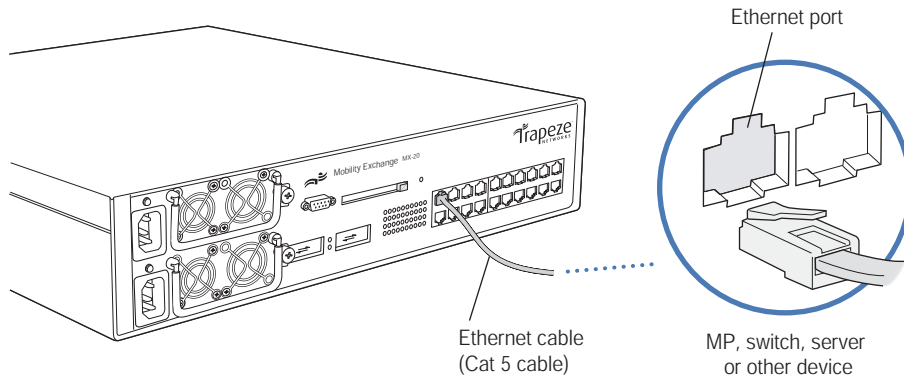


## Connecting an MP to an MX Switch

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Figure 43 shows how to insert a Cat 5 cable into 10/100 Ethernet port on an MX switch. Refer to this figure as you perform the procedure.

**Figure 43. 10/100 Cat 5 Cable Installation**



- 1 Insert a Cat 5 cable with a standard RJ-45 connector as shown in Figure 43. For connection to an MP access point, use a straight-through cable.
- 2 When the link is activated, observe the MP LED for the port on the MX switch:

#### MP LED Appearance

Solid green

#### Meaning

For an MP access point's active link, all the following are true:

- MP access point has booted.
- MP access point has received a valid configuration from the MX switch.
- Management link with an MP access point is operational.
- At least one radio is enabled or is in sentry mode.

For an MP access point's secondary link, the link is present.



MP LED Appearance	Meaning
Alternating green and amber	MP access point is booting with an image received from the MX switch. After the access point boots and receives its configuration, this LED appearance persists until a radio is enabled or is placed in sentry mode.
Solid amber	PoE is on.
Blinking amber	MP is unresponsive or there is a PoE problem.
Unlit	PoE is off.




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**Note.** An MX switch’s 10/100 Ethernet ports are configured as wired network ports by default. You or the system administrator must change the port type for an MX port directly connected to an MP to activate the link. (See the [Trapeze Mobility Exchange Installation and Basic Configuration Guide](#).)

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## Verifying MP Health

After you install the MP access point and enable PoE on the Ethernet cable connected to the MP, you can easily verify the MP’s status by observing the LEDs, particularly the health LED (MP-341 or MP-352) or the LINK LED (MP-52). (See Figure 6 on page 14 or Figure 3 on page 10.)

The health or LINK LED indicates whether the MP access point is ready for operation.

- If the LED is green and glowing steadily, the MP has been booted successfully by the MX switch and is ready for operation.
- If the LED is not steadily glowing green, contact the system administrator for the MX switch or, if you are the system administrator, see Appendix A, “MP Troubleshooting,” on page 63.





# MP Troubleshooting

After you insert a Cat 5 cable into an MP access point's port connector and enable PoE on the cable, observe the device's health or LINK LED to determine the status of the connection with the MX switch.

- If the LED is green and is glowing steadily, the MP has been booted successfully by the MX switch and is ready for operation.
- If the LED is not steadily glowing green, see Table 8.

(For descriptions of all the LEDs, see “Status LEDs” on page 14.)



Appendix A

**Table 8. Health LED States**

<b>Health or LINK LED Appearance</b>	<b>Diagnosis</b>	<b>Remedy</b>
Not solid green	MP radio needs to be enabled.	Enable at least one of the radios. If the LED is still not solid green, try the remedy listed in this table based on the LED's appearance.
Unlit	MP access point is not receiving power.	<p>Check the Cat 5 cable connection(s).</p> <p>For a direct connection to an MX switch:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Set the port type on the MX switch to an MP port.</li> <li>• Verify that Power over Ethernet (PoE) is enabled on the MX switch port connected to the MP access point.</li> </ul> <p>For an indirect connection through the network:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Configure a Distributed MP connection on an MX switch.</li> <li>• Verify that a Trapeze-approved power injector is supplying power to the MP.</li> </ul>



**Table 8. Health LED States (continued)**

<b>Health or LINK LED Appearance</b>	<b>Diagnosis</b>	<b>Remedy</b>
Slowly alternating green and amber (MP-341 or MP-352)	MP access point is booting with an image received from an MX switch.	Wait a few seconds for the boot process to complete. If this LED appearance persists, enable a radio or place a radio in sentry mode.
Solid amber (MP-341 or MP-352)	MP access point is waiting to receive boot instructions and a configuration file from an MX switch.	Wait a few seconds for the boot process to begin. If the LED remains amber, try the remedies for the other health LED appearances. If the LED still remains amber, make sure the MP access point is securely connected to an MX switch.



**Appendix A**

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# MP Technical Specifications

This appendix lists the technical specifications for the Trapeze Networks MP access point. Table 9 lists the mechanical and compliance specifications. Unless otherwise noted, the values apply to all currently shipping MP models. (For detailed compliance information, see the [Trapeze Regulatory Information](#) document.) Table 10, Table 11, and Table 12 list the radio specifications. Table 13 lists the MAC address allocation schemes for MPs.

(For specifications for the MX switch, see the [Trapeze Mobility Exchange Installation and Basic Configuration Guide](#).)



**Note.** This Listed Accessory is designed and approved to be used only with Trapeze Networks Mobility Exchange (MX) models MX-20 and MX-8. (The MX-400 switch does not directly connect to the MP.)

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**Note.** The MP access point radios are disabled by default and can be enabled only by the system administrator using the RingMaster management application or the MX switch's command-line interface (CLI).

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**Note.** The radio frequency band, operating channels, and transmit power depend on the country of operation specified by the system administrator using RingMaster or the MX switch's CLI.

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Appendix B

**Table 9. MP Mechanical and Compliance Specifications**

Specification	Description
Size	<p>MP-341 and MP-352 (also applies to MP-101, MP-122, MP-241, MP-252, and MP-262):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diameter: 16.76 cm (6.6 inches)</li> <li>• Height: 4.69 cm (1.85 inches)</li> </ul> <p>MP-52:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Width: 22.00 cm (8.66 inches)</li> <li>• Depth: 14.50 cm (5.71 inches)</li> <li>• Height: 3.50 cm (1.38 inches)</li> </ul>
Weight	<p>MP-341 and MP-352 (also applies to MP-101, MP-122, MP-241, MP-252, and MP-262):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Without mounting bracket: 0.35 kg (12.5 ounces)</li> <li>• With mounting bracket: 0.40 kg (14 ounces)</li> </ul> <p>MP-52:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0.50 kg (17.6 ounces)</li> </ul>
Operating Temperature	0° C to +50° C (32° F to 122° F)
Storage Temperature	-20° C to +70° C (-4° F to +158° F)
Humidity	10% to 95% noncondensing
Power over Ethernet (PoE)	41 VDC to 49 VDC (46 VDC nominal)
Status indicators	<p>Health/MX and radio LEDs</p> <p>(For descriptions of the LEDs, see “Status LEDs” on page 14.)</p>
Wired network ports	<p>MP-341 and MP-352 (also applies to MP-101, MP-122, MP-241, MP-252, and MP-262):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Two RJ-45 ports for 10/100BASE-T Ethernet and Power over Ethernet (PoE)</li> </ul> <p>MP-52:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One RJ-45 port for 10/100BASE-T Ethernet and Power over Ethernet (PoE)</li> </ul>



**Table 9. MP Mechanical and Compliance Specifications (continued)**

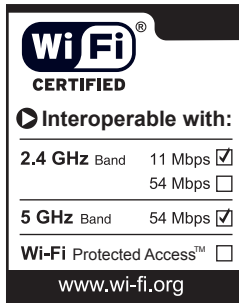
Specification	Description
Standards compliance	IEEE 802.11 IEEE 802.11a IEEE 802.11b IEEE 802.11g IEEE 802.11af (MP-341, MP-352, and MP-52 only)
Safety and electromagnetic compliance	MP-341 and MP-352 (also applies to MP-101, MP-122, MP-241, MP-252, and MP-262): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FCC Part 15, UL 60950</li> <li>• IC Part 15, CSA 22.2 N0-950, RSS-139-1 and RSS-210</li> <li>• ETS 300 328 (2.4 GHz) and 301 893 (5 GHz), EN 301 489-17</li> <li>• R&amp;TTE Directive 1999/5/EC</li> <li>• TELECOM, ARIB T66</li> <li>• GBT-15941-1995, GBT-16841-1997</li> <li>• LP0002</li> </ul> MP-52: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FCC Part 15</li> <li>• IC Part 15, RSS-139-1 and RSS-210</li> <li>• ETS 300 328 (2.4 GHz) and 301 893 (5 GHz), EN 60101-1-2 (1993)</li> <li>• R&amp;TTE Directive 1999/5/EC</li> </ul>



**Appendix B**

**Table 9. MP Mechanical and Compliance Specifications (continued)**

<b>Specification</b>	<b>Description</b>
Encryption	Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA) Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) 40-bit/104-bit Wired-Equivalent Privacy (WEP)
General	Power-save mode supported Transmit power control in 1 dBm increments Supports up to 250 clients per radio Wi-Fi Certified for 802.11a and 802.11b



**Table 10. 802.11a Radio Specifications**

<b>Specification</b>	<b>Description</b>
Antenna type	Integrated omnidirectional diversity antennas
Antenna gain	Internal (MP-341 and MP-352; also applies to MP-101, MP-122, MP-241, MP-252, and MP-262): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 dBi</li> </ul> External (MP-52): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 dBi</li> </ul>
Frequency band	5.15 GHz to 5.85 GHz based on country regulations
Operating channels	Based on the country of operation specified by the system administrator
Association rates	54 Mbps, 48 Mbps, 36 Mbps, 24 Mbps, 18 Mbps, 12 Mbps, 9 Mbps, and 6 Mbps, with automatic fallback



**Table 10. 802.11a Radio Specifications (continued)**

Specification	Description
Modulation	Orthogonal frequency division multiplexing (OFDM)
Transmit power	Based on the country of operation specified by the system administrator

**Table 11. 802.11b Radio Specifications**

Specification	Description
Antenna type	Internal: integrated omnidirectional diversity antennas External: sectorized
Antenna gain	Internal (MP-341 and MP-352; also applies to MP-101, MP-122, MP-241, MP-252, and MP-262): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 dBi</li> </ul> External (MP-341 and MP-352): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6 dBi or more (ANT-1180); 7 dBi or more (ANT-1120); greater than 10 dBi (ANT-1060)</li> </ul> External (MP-52): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 dBi</li> </ul>
Frequency band	2.4 GHz to 2.4835 GHz based on country regulations
Operating channels	Based on the country of operation specified by the system administrator
Association rates	11 Mbps, 5.5 Mbps, 2 Mbps, and 1 Mbps, with automatic fallback
Modulation	Direct-sequence spread-spectrum (DSSS)
Transmit power	Based on the country of operation specified by the system administrator



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**Table 12. 802.11g Radio Specifications**

<b>Specification</b>	<b>Description</b>
Antenna type	Internal: integrated omnidirectional diversity antennas External: sectorized
Antenna gain	Internal (MP-341 and MP-352; also applies to MP-101, MP-122, MP-241, MP-252, and MP-262): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 dBi</li> </ul> External (MP-341 and MP-352): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6 dBi or more (ANT-1180); 7 dBi or more (ANT-1120); greater than 10 dBi (ANT-1060)</li> </ul> External (MP-52): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 dBi</li> </ul>
Frequency band	2.4 GHz to 2.4835 GHz based on country regulations
Operating channels	Based on the country of operation specified by the system administrator
Association rates	54 Mbps, 48 Mbps, 36 Mbps, 24 Mbps, 18 Mbps, 12 Mbps, 9 Mbps, and 6 Mbps, with automatic fallback
Modulation	Orthogonal frequency division multiplexing (OFDM)
Transmit power	Based on the country of operation specified by the system administrator

**MAC Addresses**

All MP access point models except MP-101 and MP-122 are assigned blocks of 64 MAC addresses each. Each radio has 32 MAC addresses and can therefore support up to 32 SSIDs, with one MAC address assigned to each SSID as its BSSID.

Models MP-101 and MP-122 are assigned blocks of four MAC addresses each. Each radio on models MP-101 and MP-122 is assigned one MAC address, which is shared by both the clear SSID and the encrypted SSID.



An MP access point's MAC address block is listed on a label on the back of the access point. If the MP is already deployed and running on the network, you can display the MAC address assignments by using the **show {ap | dap} status** command.

All MAC addresses on an MP are assigned based on the MP's base MAC address, as described in Table 13.



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**Table 13. MAC Address Allocations on MP Access Points**

<b>MP access point</b>	<b>All models</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The MP has a base MAC address. All the other addresses are assigned based on this address.</li> </ul>
<b>Ethernet Ports</b>	<b>All models</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ethernet port 1 equals the MP base MAC address.</li> <li>Ethernet port 2 (if the MP model has one) equals the MP base MAC address + 1.</li> </ul>
<b>Radios and SSIDs</b>	<b>MP-352</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The 802.11b/g radio equals the MP base MAC address + 2.</li> <li>The BSSIDs for the SSIDs configured on the 802.11b/g radio end in even numbers. The first BSSID is equal to the MP's base MAC address. The next BSSID is equal to the MP's base MAC address + 2, and so on.</li> </ul>
	<b>MP-262</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The 802.11a radio equals the MP base MAC address + 3.</li> </ul>
	<b>MP-252</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The BSSIDs for the SSIDs configured on the 802.11b/g radio end in odd numbers. The first BSSID is equal to the MP's base MAC address + 1. The next BSSID is equal to the MP's base MAC address + 3, and so on.</li> </ul>
	<b>MP-341</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The radio equals the MP base MAC address + 2.</li> <li>The BSSIDs for the SSIDs configured on the radio end in even numbers. The first BSSID is equal to the MP's base MAC address. The next BSSID is equal to the MP's base MAC address + 2, and so on.</li> </ul>
	<b>MP-241</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The 802.11b radio equals the base MAC address + 2, for both the clear and encrypted SSIDs.</li> <li>The 802.11a radio equals the base address + 3, for both the clear and encrypted SSIDs.</li> </ul>
	<b>MP-101</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The radio equals the base MAC address + 2, for both the clear and encrypted SSIDs.</li> </ul>





# Translated Warning Conventions and Warnings

The following warning conventions and warnings apply to this manual.

## Warning Conventions



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**Warning!** This situation or condition can cause injury.

**Waarschuwing!** Deze situatie of omstandigheid kan letsel veroorzaken.

**Warnung!** Diese Situation oder dieser Zustand kann zu Verletzungen führen.

**Avertissement !** Cette situation ou cette condition peuvent provoquer des blessures.

**Aviso** Esta situación o condición puede causar lesiones.

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## Appendix C

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**Warning!** High voltage. This situation or condition can cause injury due to electric shock.

**Waarschuwing!** Hoog voltage. Deze situatie of omstandigheid kan letsel veroorzaken door elektrische schokken.

**Warnung!** Hochspannung. Diese Situation oder dieser Zustand kann einen Elektroschock verursachen.

**Avertissement !** Haute tension. Cette situation ou cette condition peuvent provoquer des blessures dues à des décharges électriques.

**Aviso** Alta tensión. Esta situación o condición puede causar lesiones por descarga eléctrica.

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**Warning!** Radiation. This situation or condition can cause injury due to improper handling of fiber-optic equipment.

**Waarschuwing!** Straling. Deze situatie of omstandigheid kan letsel veroorzaken door onjuist gebruik van glasvezelapparatuur.

**Warnung!** Strahlung. Diese Situation oder dieser Zustand kann durch falschen Umgang mit glasfaserbasierten Geräten zu Verletzungen führen.

**Avertissement !** Radiation. Cette situation ou cette condition peuvent provoquer des blessures dues à une manipulation inappropriée d'appareils équipés de fibres optiques.

**Aviso** Radiación. Esta situación o condición puede causar lesiones debido a un manejo inadecuado del equipamiento de fibra óptica.

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## Qualified Service Personnel Warning



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**Warning!** Installation must be performed by qualified service personnel only. Read and follow all warning notices and instructions marked on the product or included in the documentation. Before installing the product, read the [Trapeze Regulatory Information](#) document.

**Waarschuwing!** De installatie mag alleen worden uitgevoerd door bevoegd onderhoudspersoneel. Het is essentieel dat u kennis neemt van alle waarschuwingen en instructies aangebracht op het product zelf en/of opgenomen in de documentatie. Voordat u het product installeert, dient u [Trapeze Regulatory Information](#) in zijn geheel te hebben gelezen.

**Warnung!** Die Installation darf nur von einem qualifizierten Kundendienstmitarbeiter vorgenommen werden. Lesen Sie alle Warnhinweise und Anweisungen auf dem Produkt oder in der Dokumentation und befolgen Sie sie. Bevor Sie das Produkt installieren, sollten Sie [Trapeze Regulatory Information](#) vollständig lesen.

**Avertissement !** L'installation doit être effectuée uniquement par des techniciens qualifiés. Lisez et suivez toutes les notices d'avertissement et les instructions figurant sur le produit ou comprises dans la documentation. Lisez l'[Trapeze Regulatory Information](#) avant d'installer ce produit.

**Aviso** Sólo puede realizar la instalación personal cualificado de asistencia técnica. Lea y siga todas las notas de advertencia e instrucciones indicadas en el producto o incluidas en la documentación. Antes de instalar el producto, lea [Trapeze Regulatory Information](#).

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## Appendix C

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### Radio Safety Warnings



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**Warning!** Do not operate the MP access point near unshielded blasting caps or in an otherwise explosive environment unless the device has been modified for such use by qualified personnel.

**Waarschuwing!** Het MP-toegangspunt mag niet worden gebruikt in de nabijheid van onafgeschermdde slaghoedjes of in een andere explosieve omgeving tenzij het apparaat voor een dergelijk gebruik is aangepast door bevoegd personeel.

**Warnung!** Die MP-Zugriffspunkte sollten nicht neben ungeschirmten Sprengkapseln betrieben oder in einer explosiven Umgebung eingesetzt werden. Für einen solchen Einsatz muss das Gerät von einem qualifizierten Kundendienstmitarbeiter entsprechend angepasst werden.

**Avertissement !** Le point d'accès MP ne doit pas fonctionner près de détonateurs non blindés ou dans un autre environnement qui présente un risque d'explosion, à moins que cet appareil n'ait été adapté en vue d'une telle utilisation par du personnel qualifié.

**Aviso** No utilice el punto de acceso de MP cerca de detonadores no blindados ni en un entorno explosivo, a menos que haya sido modificado el dispositivo con ese fin por personal cualificado.

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**Warning!** Do not touch or move the MP access point when the antennas are transmitting or receiving.

**Waarschuwing!** Het MP-toegangspunt mag niet worden aangeraakt of verplaatst terwijl de antennes uitzenden of ontvangen.

**Warnung!** Berühren oder bewegen Sie den MP-Zugriffspunkt nicht, während die Antennen senden oder empfangen.

**Avertissement !** Ne touchez ni ne déplacez le point d'accès MP lorsque les antennes sont en cours de transmission ou de réception.

**Aviso** No toque ni mueva el punto de acceso de MP cuando las antenas estén transmitiendo o recibiendo señales.

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**Warning!** Do not hold any radio device so that the antenna is very close to or touching the face, eyes, or other exposed body part while the device's radio antenna is transmitting.

**Waarschuwing!** De antenne van een apparaat dat radiogolven aan het uitzenden is, mag nooit vlakbij of tegen het gezicht, de ogen of een andere onbedekt deel van het lichaam worden gehouden.

**Warnung!** Halten Sie die drahtlosen Geräte während der Übertragung mit der Antenne nicht nahe ans Gesicht, an die Augen oder an andere ungeschützte Körperteile und berühren Sie die Antenne nicht.

**Avertissement !** Ne maintenez pas l'antenne d'un appareil radio près du visage, des yeux ou d'une autre partie du corps exposée ou en contact avec ces parties du corps, lorsqu'elle est en cours de transmission.

**Aviso** No coloque ningún dispositivo de radio demasiado cerca de la antena ni en contacto con la cara, los ojos u otras partes del cuerpo que estén al descubierto mientras la antena de radio del dispositivo esté transmitiendo señales.

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## Appendix C

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**Warning!** Before using a wireless device in a hazardous location, consult the local codes, national codes, and safety directors of the location for usage constraints.

**Waarschuwing!** Voordat u een draadloos apparaat gebruikt op een gevaarlijke locatie, dient u de plaatselijke en landelijke voorschriften, en de veiligheidsvoorschriften voor de locatie te raadplegen over eventuele gebruiksbeperkingen.

**Warnung!** Bevor Sie drahtlose Geräte an einem gefährlichen Standort einsetzen, sollten Sie die lokalen und nationalen Regelungen und Sicherheitsbestimmungen des Standorts auf Nutzungsbeschränkungen überprüfen.

**Avertissement !** Avant d'utiliser un appareil sans fil dans un endroit dangereux, consultez la réglementation locale et nationale ainsi que les responsables de la sécurité de l'endroit concerné pour obtenir des informations relatives aux conditions et aux limites d'utilisation de cet appareil.

**Aviso** Antes de utilizar un dispositivo inalámbrico en una ubicación peligrosa, consulte los códigos locales y nacionales y a los responsables de seguridad de la ubicación para conocer las restricciones de uso.

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## Lightning Warning



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**Warning!** Do not connect or disconnect cables or otherwise work with the MP access point hardware during periods of lightning activity.

**Waarschuwing!** Tijdens onweer met bliksem mogen kabels nooit worden aangekoppeld aan of losgekoppeld van het MP-toegangspunt of andere werkzaamheden aan het MP-toegangspunt worden verricht.

**Warnung!** Verbinden und trennen Sie während eines Gewitters keine Kabel zum MP-Zugriffspunkt und arbeiten Sie nicht damit.

**Avertissement !** Ne connectez pas et ne déconnectez pas de câbles et, de manière générale, ne travaillez pas sur le matériel du point d'accès MP lorsqu'il y a un risque de foudre.

**Aviso** No conecte ni desconecte cables, ni tampoco trabaje con el hardware del punto de acceso de MP durante una tormenta eléctrica.

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