



Altai VX200Dual-Band CPE/AP



ck Setup Guide

Version 1.1



Introduction

Thank you for purchasing the Altai VX200 product. This guide provides instructions to install the product and set it up as CPE (Station mode) with minimal effort.

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Package Contents



1	-	- VX200 Main Unit;	1 pc
		 DC Terminal Block Connector (3- Contact); 	
		 Chassis Ground Screw (Phillips, 3 x 6mm, with Square Washer) 	
2		35mm DIN-railMounting Kit	1 pc
3		Wall-mounting Plate	2
			pcs
4		Wall Mount Anchor & Long Screw	4
		(Phillips, 3 x 19mm)	pcs
5		Short Screw (Phillips, 3 x 5mm)	6
		(For both DIN-rail Mount and Wall	pcs
		Mount)	
6		Foot Pad (For Desk Mount)	4
			pcs
7		Quick Setup Guide	1 pc



Hardware Overview





A: LED Panel

Ċ	Power	0	Off: No power
		*	Flashing: AP booting up
		•	Steady : AP boot up finished and ready for
			service
8	LAN (Ethernet)	0	Off: LAN (Ethernet) disconnected
		☆	Flashing: Data transmitting/receiving
	2.4G/5G WiFi Radios	0	Off: Radio disabled
	(Station/Repeater/	•	Steady:
	AP/Bridge Mode)		1. Station/Repeater Mode on but not
			connected to remote AP
			2. AP Mode on but with no clients
			associated
			3. Bridge Mode on but not connected to
			remote peer
		☆	Flashing:
			1. Station/Repeater Mode on and
			connected to remote AP
			2. AP Mode on with clients associated
			3. Bridge Mode on and connected to
			remote peer

B: RP-SMA RF Port 1 (Female)

Used with Port 2 together to attach 2 x 2.4G/5G antennae (purchased separately) for 2x2 MIMO WiFi connection.



C: Reset Button

Serves two functions below.

- Reboot: Press and hold the Reset Button for <u>1-2 seconds until the power</u> <u>LED blinks once</u>.
- Factory Reset: Press and hold the Reset Button for <u>5-8 seconds until the</u> power LED blinks twice consecutively.



D: RS232 DB9 SerialPort (Male)

Used to connect with a peripheral RS-232 serial device so that you can access the serial device, via the VX200, from anywhere over TCP/IP network.

E: Ethernet Port (PoE In)

Used to connect to power source (seelater section forPower Options) and provides 10/100/1000 Mbps network interface for LAN connection.

F: DC Terminal Block Receptor (3-Contact: Ground/+/-)

Used to connect to DC power source (seelater section forPower Options).

G: RP-SMA RF Port 2 (Female)

Used with Port 1 together to attach 2 x 2.4G/5G antennae (purchased separately) for 2x2 MIMO WiFi connection.



H: Ground Point

Used for AP chassis grounding. Use size 14 AWG of ground wire (not included) and attach it to the chassis with the provided ground screw. Connect the other end of ground wire to a reliable earth ground point at site.



I: Screw Holes for Wall Mount

See later section forInstallation Options.

J: Screw Holes for DIN-rail Mount

See later section forInstallation Options.

Setup Requirements and Preparation

- A computer with web browser: Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, or Microsoft Internet Explorer 8 (or above)
- Two Cat 5e/6 Ethernet cables
- Aground wire (AWG: 14) for chassis grounding
- Three wires (AWG: 12 24) for DC power; Or alternatively an 802.3af/atcompliant PoE switch to power up VX200
- Two 2.4G/5G external antennae (not provided)
- Screw drivers (Phillips, and flat-blade) and a drill



Installation Option 1: DIN-Rail Mount (For 35mm Rail)

To mount the VX200 unit on the rail, follow the steps below.



- 1. Drive the short screws to attach the DIN-rail mounting bracket to the back of the unit.
- 2. Insert the upper bracket lip into the DIN rail. Make sure the rail lies between the bracket body and the spring.
- 3. Press the unit towards the rail until it snaps into place.

To remove the VX200 unit from the rail, follow the steps below.

- Press the unit down so that the lower bracket lip slightly detaches from the rail.
- 2. Pull the unit out to remove it from the rail.





Installation Option 2: Wall Mount

1. Drive the short screws to attach the two wall mounting plates to the unit.



- Determine where the device is to be placed and mark location of the mounting holes on a wall surface. Use an appropriate drill bit to drill the holes, each with 1/3" (8.1mm) in diameter and 1" (26mm) deep, on the markings.
- 3. Insert the anchors into the holes.
- 4. Insert the long screws through the mounting plates into the anchors.
- 5. Tighten the screws to secure the unit in place.







Power Options and Cable Connection Instructions

Follow one of the options below to power upVX200 for configuration.

- -DC input:12~48VDC=1.25A
- PoE input:54VDC, 0.6A

Option 1: 12-48 VDC Power



 Insert Ground/DC positive/DC negative wires (recommended AWG range: 12 -24) into the terminal block. Use a small flat-blade screwdriver to tighten the wireclamp screws so as to prevent the wires from loosening.



- 2. Insert the terminal block into the receptor. Use the flat-blade screwdriver to lock the terminal block to the VX200 main unit in place.
- 3. Connect the ground wireto a reliable earth ground point at site, and the other two wires: DC positive/DC negative to a power source.
- 4. Connect a computer to theVX200 Eth (PoE) port with an Ethernet cable.
- 5. Turn on the power source. When the Power LED light is up and becomes steady, the unit should be ready for configuration.

Option 2: 802.3af/at-Compliant PoE Switch



- 1. Connect VX200 Eth(PoE) port to an 802.3af/at PoE Switch with an Ethernet cable.
- 2. Connect a computer to theswitch with another Ethernet cable.
- 3. When the Power LED light is up and becomes steady, the unit should be ready for configuration.





1. Change TCP/IP Setting on Your Computer

For Windows 7/Windows 10 users,

- Go toControl Panel, click Network and Sharing Center and then choose the Ethernet adapter that is in connection with the VX200 unit. Click it and then click Sproperties.
- Under the Networking tab, selectInternet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IPv4) in the list box "This connection uses the following items", and then click Properties.
- 3. Type in the following IP address and Subnet mask:
 - IP address: 192.168.1.2
 - Subnet mask: 255.255.255.0
- 4. Click **OK** to close the **Internet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IP)Properties** dialog box and click **OK** again to close the adapter**Properties** dialog box.

Local Area Connection Properties		Internet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IPv	/4) Properties			
Networking Sharing		General				
Connect using: Intel(R) 82579LM Gigabit Network Connection		You can get IP settings assigned automatically if your network supports this capability. Otherwise, you need to ask your network administrator for the appropriate IP settings.				
Configure		Obtain an IP address automat	ically			
This connection uses the following items:		Use the following IP address:				
 ✓ ➡ File and Printer Sharing for Microsoft Networks ✓ ➡ Ekahau User Protocol Driver for NDIS 6 		IP address:	192.168.1.2			
Advanced Network Services Protocol		Subnet mask:	255 . 255 . 255 . 0			
✓ ▲ Internet Protocol Version 6 (TCP/IPV6) ✓ Internet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IPv4) ■		Default gateway:				
Link-Layer Topology Discovery Mapper I/O Driver Link-Layer Topology Discovery Responder		Obtain DNS server address automatically				
۰ III ۲		Ose the following DNS server a	addresses:			
Install Uninstall Properties		Preferred DNS server:				
Description		Alternate DNC convers				
Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol. The default wide area network protocol that provides communication		Alternate DNS server:				
across diverse interconnected networks.		Validate settings upon exit	Advanced			
OK Cancel			OK Cancel			



2. Access to Web Interface

1. Open a web browser. Type **192.168.1.222**in the address bar and then hit **Enter**.

New Tab	×
$\ \in \ \Rightarrow \ \mathbf{G}$	192.168.1.222

- 2. Login page will come up andyou are required to enter username and password. By default, the credentials are:
 - Username: admin
 - Password: admin
- 3. Click Login.





3. Configure Station (CPE) Mode (2.4G/5G)

Network Scenario



Go to **Configuration>Wireless>Radio0(2.4G)/Radio1(5G)>General**. Below screenshots show an example for 5G radio configuration only. Same procedures can be applied to 2.4G radio configuration.

Check the box to Enable Radio. Select Station for the Radio Mode field.
 Then click Submit button.

Status	Configuration	Administration	Tools	About				
System Netv	vork Wireless	Remote Mgmt	Serial Port					
<u>Radio0(2.4G)</u>	- <u>Radio1(5</u>	<u>G)</u>						
				Radio1(50	i) Setting			
General	Station Adva	anced						
			Enable Radio:	•		!		
			Radio Mode:	Station		•		
		Count	y(Region) Code:	HONG KONG		•		
			fransmit Power:	23 The effective Tx Channel.	Power may be different, depe	▼ ends on the sele	ected	
								Submit

 ClickStationtab. Enter theRemoteSSID that you want to connect to.Then clickSubmit button.



General Station A	Advanced				
WLAN ID	Remote SSID	Auth Mode	WLAN Uplink Control	WLAN Downlink Control	Detail
0	Connect.Everything	<u>open</u>	0	0	More
					Submit

3. Configure security for WLAN connection. Click the hyperlink of Auth Mode, which is "open" in the above screenshot and you will be directed to the WLAN Security page. In this example, the WLAN that the VX200 connects to is WPA2-Personal protected, so passphrase is required. If you are not sure about the authentication mode that the WLAN is using, contact your network administrator. Once the setting is done, click Submit button.

ŀ	VLAN General WLAN Security QoS Bandwidth Control]			
	Authentication Mode:	WPA2 Personal			
	Cipher Mode:	AES			
	Pass Phrase:	altaitps	Show		
			- /		
				Back to Station List	Submit

- 4. Click Save & Apply at the top right corner to have all changes take effect.
- 5. To view connection status, go toStatus > Radio0(2.4G)/Radio1(5G)> Connection Info. If the connection is successful, it should show "Connected" under the AP Info table.

	Connection Info								
STA Info									
	MAC Addre	ess	Au	th Mode	Unicast Cipl	ner	Multicast Cipher		State
00:d0:41:e0:54:33 wpa2-psk		aes+tkip	aes+tkip		tkip B				
AP Info									
	MAC Address SSID SNR (dB) RSSI (dBm)		Channel	Max DataRate (Mbps)	^e Throughput	Data Rate	Connected Status		
	12:19:be:a3:09:23	Connect.Eve rything	55 📶	-58	5745MHz(Channel 149)	173	Tx: 2.0Kbps Rx: 0.0Kbps	Tx: 144.0Mbps Rx: 104.0Mbps	Connected



Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement (FCC) – USA

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

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

FCC Caution: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

FCC Radiation Exposure Statement:

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.

European Conformity (CE) -EU

This is a Class B product. In a domestic environment, this productmay cause radio interference, in which case the user may be required to take adequate measures.



Warning

VX200may require professional installation depending on the deployment scenario.

Only use the optional power adaptor available for VX200. Using a different power adaptor might damage the device.

The metal chassis of the equipment may be hot. Pay special attention or use special protection before handling this equipment.

Operations in the 5.15-5.25 GHz band are restricted to indoor usage only.

Disclaimer

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