

D-Link *AirPremier* DWL-1700AP

Outdoor 2.4 GHz Wireless Access Point

Manual



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Package Contents



Contents of Package:

- 1** D-Link AirPremier DWL-1700AP
Outdoor 2.4GHz Wireless Access Point
- 2** Inline Power Injector
- 3** AC Power Cord
- 4** MIL-C-5015 style RS232 Console Port Cable
- 5** Grounding Wire
- 6** Crossover Ethernet Cable
- 7** 30M MIL-C-5015 style Ethernet Cable
- 8** Two rubber dipole antennas
- 9** Mast Mounting Kit
- 10** Wall Mounting Kit
- 11** Manual on CD

If any of the above items are missing, please contact your reseller.

Introduction

The DWL-1700AP conforms to the 802.11 standard and covers a large operating distance, providing an 11Mbps outdoor WLAN which enables users to access the Internet or an organization's network.

The D-Link *AirPremier* DWL-1700AP features a die-cast watertight housing and a built-in lightning protector to protect the access point from harsh environmental conditions, including extreme variance in temperature. It also includes *Power over Ethernet* (POE) and a unique outdoor remote-mounted design for easy installation.

The DWL-1700AP is suitable for manufacturing plants, industrial sites, military bases, universities, hotels, airports and golf courses.

Configurable as either a Wireless Access Point or a Wireless Router, the DWL-1700AP offers 128-bit encryption; 802.1x authentication when used with a RADIUS server; MAC address access control; and additional security features.

With a built-in firewall, the DWL-1700AP can operate as a NAT inbound virtual server and provides IP based access control. Denial of Service (DoS) protection is also included with the DWL-1700AP to prevent the wireless network from being hacked. The DWL-1700AP is easily managed via a web-based user interface, Telnet, or RS-232 console configuration. The DWL-1700AP can also be managed remotely through SNMP (MIB I & MIB II) support.

System Requirements for Configuration:

- Computers with Windows, Macintosh, or Linux-based operating systems with an installed Ethernet adapter
- Internet Explorer Version 6.0 or Netscape Navigator Version 6.0 and Above

Connections

Power Port

Attach one end of the power cord to the power port; attach the other end to the wall outlet.



Special Ethernet Port

Connect one end of the MIL-C-5015 Ethernet Cable into this port; connect the other end into the Power and Data Output Port on *Inline Power Injector*.

Data Input Port

Connect one end of the cross-over Ethernet cable to this port; connect the other end to the Ethernet port on the computer.

Antennas

Attach the antennas, with the unit powered **OFF**. Do not over-tighten. Position antennas vertically for best reception.

Special serial port (optional)

Connect one end of the MIL-C-5015 style RS-232 console port cable to this port; connect the other end to a Serial Port on a computer that is running a terminal emulation program. Set the terminal to 115,200 Baud, No Parity, 8 data bits, 1 stopbit and ANSI compatible.

Note: This connection is optional. Use this console connection only if you are configuring the DWL-1700AP via the console. (Or when you fail to configure the unit through the Web-based utility).

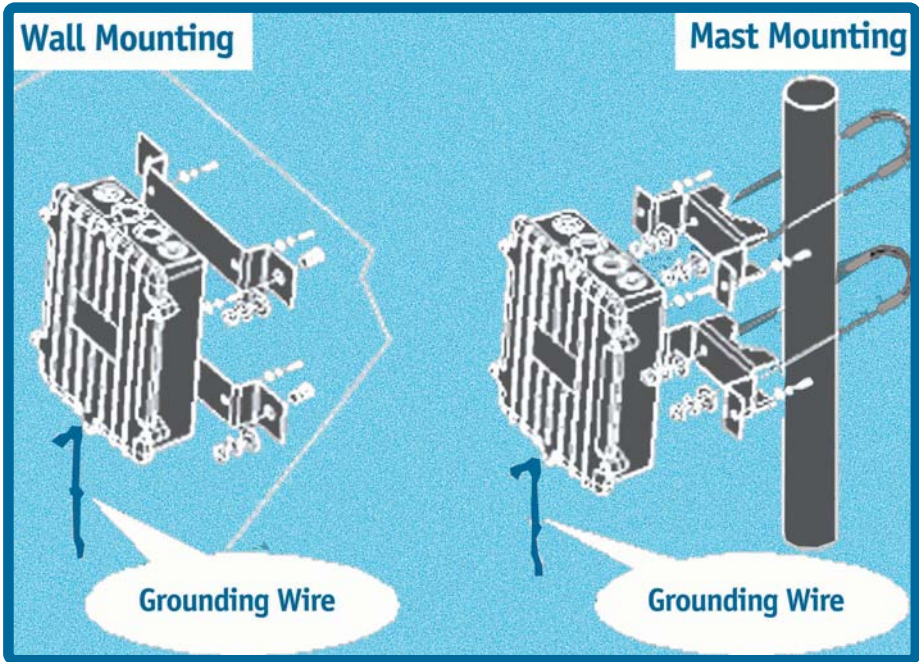
Power & Data Output Port

Attach one end of the special Ethernet cable to this port; attach the other end to the Special Ethernet Port on the DWL-1700AP.

Outdoor Installation



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The DWL-1700AP can be mounted on the side of a building or mounted to a mast as shown above. A wall mount is a convenient location if the roof overhang is not excessive and/or the location is high enough to provide a clear line of sight.

Grounding



A safety grounding system is necessary to protect your outdoor installation from lightning strikes and the build-up of static electricity. Direct grounding of the antenna mast and the DWL-1700AP is very important. The grounding system must comply with the National Electrical Code and the safety standards that apply in your country. Always check with a qualified electrician if you do not know how to properly ground the DWL-1700AP.

Features

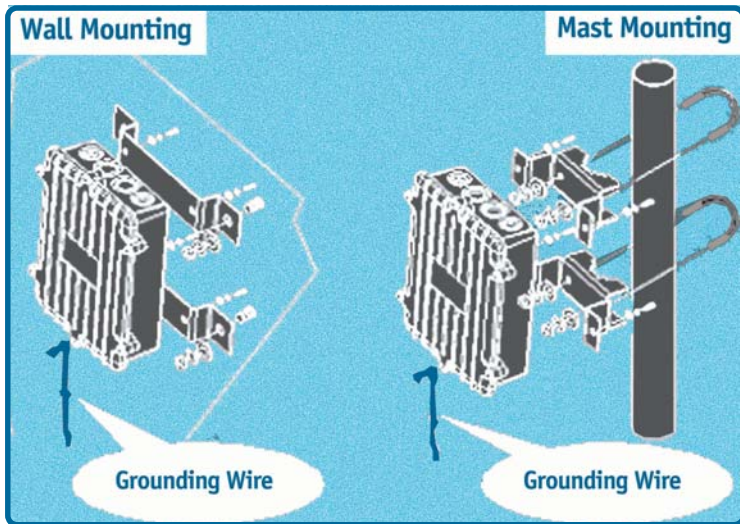
- **Ideal for Internet Hotspots**- Provides outdoor users with wireless Internet Access
- **Robust Outdoor Housing** - Designed for harsh outdoor environments, with die-cast, watertight housing and built-in lightning protector
- **2 Different Operation modes** - Capable of operating as either a Router or an Access Point.
- **Compatible with the 802.11b standard** to provide a wireless transfer rate of up to 11Mbps.
- **Better security**
 - **802.1x** - In conjunction with a RADIUS server, 802.1x Authentication verifies the identity of would be clients
 - **Built-in Firewall**

Advanced Firewall Features	
Built-in NAT firewall	✓
IP based Access Control	✓
Denial of Service (DoS) Protection	✓
MAC Filtering	✓
Scheduling	✓

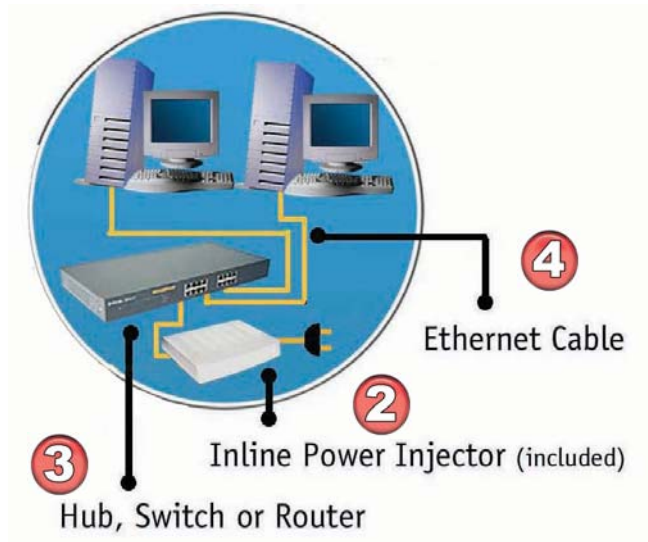
- **Multiple Management options** - Great for enterprise wireless network management
 - **Web-based configuration**
 - **Telnet**
 - **RS-232 Console configuration**
 - **SNMP (MIB I & MIB II) support**
- Operates in the 2.4GHz frequency range
- **Easy Installation** with the Setup Wizard

Network Layout

- 1 Mount the DWL-1700AP to an unobstructed wall or mast. Make sure that it is grounded.



- 2 Connect the DWL-1700AP to the Inline Power Injector
- 3 Connect a Hub, Switch or Router to the Inline Power Injector
- 4 Connect a desktop computer to the router. You can use this Ethernet connected computer to configure and manage the DWL-1700AP



Network Layout (continued)

- 5 Upon completion of the installation, laptops, with wireless network cards installed, will be able to connect wirelessly to the DWL-1700AP in order to surf the Internet.

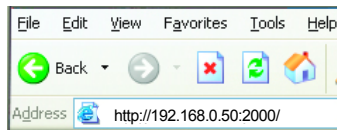


For more information regarding installation, please see the sections on *Grounding* and *Connections* in this manual, and the *Quick Installation Guide* that came with your purchase.

Using the Configuration Utility

To configure the DWL-1700AP, use a computer which is connected to the DWL-1700AP with an Ethernet cable (see the *Network Layout* diagram).

- First, disable the ***Access the Internet using a proxy server*** function. To disable this function, go to **Control Panel > Internet Options > Connections > LAN Settings** and uncheck the enable box.
- Start your web browser program (Internet Explorer, Netscape Navigator)
- Type the IP Address and HTTP port of the DWL-1700AP (the default port is 2000; the IP is 192.168.0.50) in the address field (http://192.168.0.50:2000/) and press Enter. Make sure that the IP Addresses of the DWL-1700AP and your computer are in the same subnet.



Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

After the connection is established, you will see the user identification window as shown.

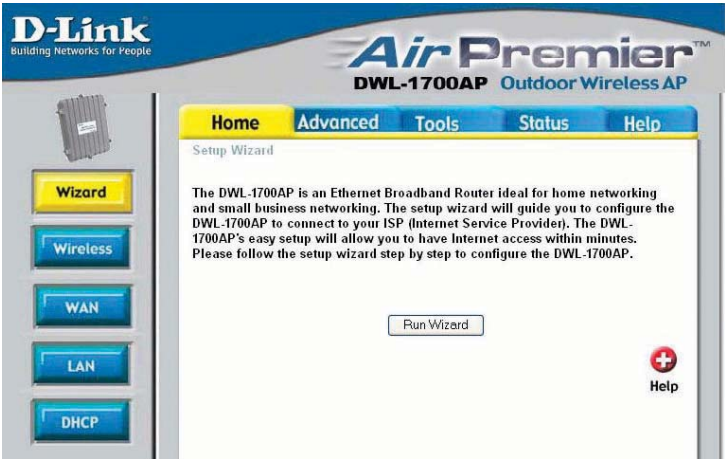
Note: if you have changed the default IP Address assigned to the DWL-1700AP, make sure to enter the correct IP Address.

- Type **admin** in the **User Name** field
- The default password is **root**.
(However, if you have changed the password, please enter the correct password.)
- Click **OK**



Home > Wizard

The **Home>Wizard** screen will appear. Please refer to the *Quick Installation Guide* for more information regarding the *Setup Wizard*.



Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Home > Wireless

The screenshot shows the D-Link configuration utility for the Air Premier DWL-1700AP. The left sidebar contains navigation buttons: Wizard, Wireless (highlighted), WAN, LAN, and DHCP. The main area is titled 'Wireless Settings' and includes the following fields and options:

- SSID: DWL-1700AP
- Channel: 11 (dropdown)
- WEP: ☐ Enable ☒ Disable
- WEP Encryption: 64Bit (dropdown)
- Key Type: HEX (dropdown)
- Passphrase: wepkey (text field) with a Generate button
- Key_1: ☒ (selected)
- Key_2: ☐
- Key_3: ☐
- Key_4: ☐

At the bottom right, there are three buttons: Apply (green checkmark), Cancel (orange X), and Help (red plus).

SSID-

Service Set Identifier (SSID) is the name designated for a specific wireless local area network (WLAN). The SSID's factory default setting is **default**. The SSID can be easily changed to connect to an existing wireless network or to establish a new wireless network.

Channel-

6 is the default channel. All devices on the network must share the same channel.

WEP-

Wired Equivalent Privacy (WEP) is a wireless security protocol for Wireless Local Area Networks (WLAN). WEP provides security by encrypting the data that is sent over the WLAN. Select **Enabled** or **Disabled**. **Disabled** is the default setting. *(Note: If you enable encryption on the DWL-1700AP make sure to also enable encryption on all the wireless clients or wireless connection will not be established.)*

WEP

Encryption-

Select the level of encryption desired: 64-bit, or 128-bit

Key Type-

Select **HEX** or **ASCII**

Hexadecimal digits consist of the numbers 0-9 and the letters A-F

ASCII (American Standard Code for Information Interchange) is a code for representing English letters as numbers from 0-127

Keys 1-4-

Input up to 4 WEP keys; select the one you wish to use.

Apply-

Click **Apply** to save the changes.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Home > WAN > Dynamic IP Address

The screenshot shows the D-Link Air Premier DWL-1700AP configuration utility. The interface has a blue header with the D-Link logo and product name. On the left, there is a sidebar with buttons for Wizard, Wireless, WAN (highlighted), LAN, and DHCP. The main content area has tabs for Home, Advanced, Tools, Status, and Help. Under the Home tab, the 'WAN Settings' section is active. It contains a message: 'Please select the appropriate option to connect to your ISP.' Below this are three radio button options: 'Dynamic IP Address' (selected), 'Static IP Address', and 'PPPoE'. Each option has a descriptive text. Under the 'Dynamic IP' section, there is a 'Host Name' field with the text 'HWLAN' entered and '(optional)' to its right. At the bottom right, there are three buttons: 'Apply' (with a green checkmark icon), 'Cancel' (with a yellow X icon), and 'Help' (with a red plus icon).

Most Cable modem users will select **Dynamic IP Address** to obtain an IP Address automatically from their ISP (Internet Service Provider.)

Host Name- This field is optional, but may be required by some ISPs. The *Host Name* is the device name.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Home > WAN > Static IP Address

The screenshot shows the D-Link configuration utility interface for the Air Premier DWL-1700AP. On the left is a sidebar with buttons for Wizard, Wireless, WAN (highlighted in yellow), LAN, and DHCP. The main area has tabs for Home, Advanced, Tools, Status, and Help. Under the Home tab, the 'WAN Settings' section asks the user to select a connection option. Three radio buttons are present: 'Dynamic IP Address', 'Static IP Address' (which is selected), and 'PPPoE'. Each option has a descriptive text. Below this, the 'Static IP' section contains five input fields: 'IP Address' (192.168.0.50), 'Subnet Mask' (255.255.255.0), 'ISP Gateway Address' (192.168.0.254), 'Primary DNS Address' (192.168.0.254), and 'Secondary DNS Address' (empty). To the right of the last three fields is the text '(assigned by your ISP)'. At the bottom right are three buttons: 'Apply' (with a green checkmark icon), 'Cancel' (with an orange X icon), and 'Help' (with a red plus icon).

If you use a **Static IP Address**, you will input the following information that your ISP has provided to you. *(The above screen is for illustration purposes only; the information that you enter into this screen may be different.)*

IP Address- The IP Address is assigned by your ISP.

Subnet Mask- Enter the Subnet Mask for your network. All devices must share the same Subnet Mask to communicate.

ISP Gateway Address- The ISP Gateway Address will be provided by your ISP.

Primary DNS Address- This will be provided by your ISP. DNS (Domain Name System or Service) is an Internet service that translates domain names into IP Addresses.

Secondary DNS Address- (Optional) The Secondary DNS Address is provided by your ISP.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Home > WAN > PPPoE

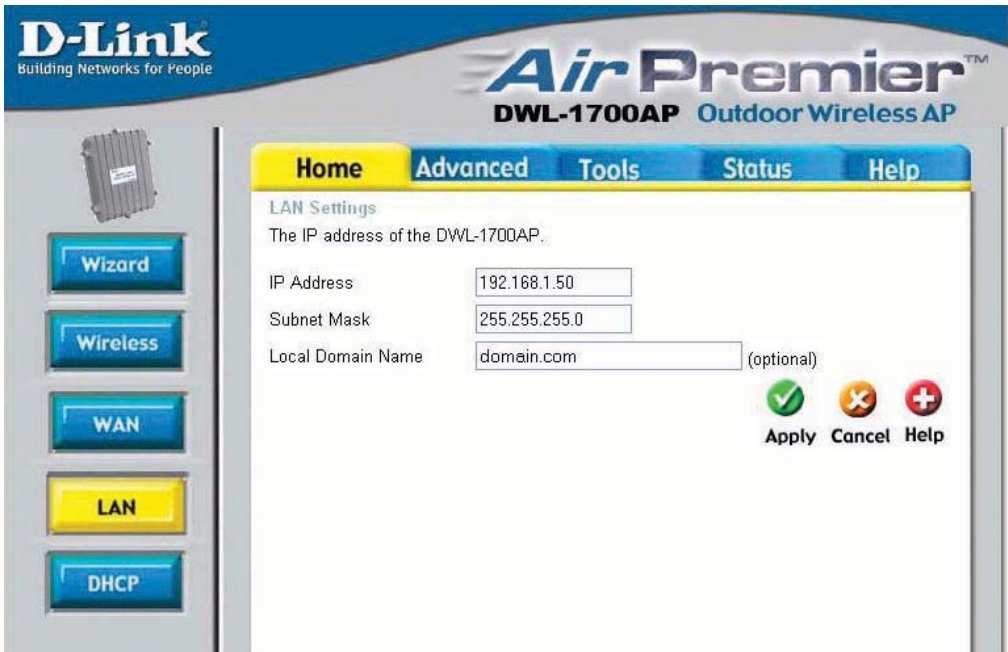
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Most DSL users will select this option to obtain an IP Address automatically from their ISP through the use of PPPoE.

- Dynamic or Static PPPoE-** Select Dynamic or Static PPPoE. This information will be provided by your ISP .
- User Name-** Enter a user name. This is optional.
- Password-** Enter a password. This is optional.
- Retype Password-** Retype the password. This is optional.
- Service Name-** This is optional.
- IP Address-** This is optional for Static PPPoE only.
- Maximum Idle Time-** Enter the maximum Idle time.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Home > LAN



LAN is short for Local Area Network. This is considered your internal network. These are the IP settings of the LAN interface for the DWL-1700AP. These settings may be referred to as Private settings. You may change the LAN IP Address if needed. The LAN IP Address is private to your internal network and cannot be seen on the Internet.

IP Address- The IP Address of the LAN interface. The default IP Address is:
192.168.0.50 for the **Ethernet port**
192.168.1.50 for the **Wireless port**

Subnet Mask- The subnet mask of the LAN interface.
The default subnet mask is **255.255.255.0**

Local Domain Name- This field is optional. You may enter the Local Domain Name.

Apply- Click **Apply** to save the changes.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Home > DHCP

The screenshot shows the D-Link configuration utility for the Air Premier DWL-1700AP. The left sidebar contains navigation buttons: Wizard, Wireless, WAN, LAN, and DHCP (highlighted). The main content area has tabs for Home, Advanced, Tools, Status, and Help. The DHCP Server section is active, showing a description and configuration options. The 'Trigger DHCP Service' is set to 'Enable'. The 'Default Gateway' is 192.168.1.50, 'Net Mask' is 255.255.255.0, 'DHCP Start IP' is 192.168.1.240, and 'DHCP End IP' is 192.168.1.254. The 'Lease Time' is set to 1 Day. At the bottom, there are 'Apply', 'Cancel', and 'Help' buttons. Below these is a 'DHCP Client Table' with columns for IP Address and MAC Address.

DHCP stands for Dynamic Host Control Protocol. The DWL-1700AP has a built-in DHCP server. The DHCP Server will automatically assign an IP Address to the computers on the LAN/private network. Be sure to set your computers to be DHCP clients by setting their TCP/IP settings to “Obtain an IP Address Automatically.” When you turn your computers ON, they will automatically load the proper TCP/IP settings provided by the DWL-1700AP. The DHCP Server will automatically allocate an unused IP Address from the IP Address pool to the requesting computer. You must specify the starting and ending address of the IP Address pool. (We suggest that you enable the DHCP server for wireless clients.)

Trigger DHCP Service-

Select Enable to use the DHCP feature of the DWL-1700AP.
Select Disable to disable this function

Default Gateway-

Enter the IP Address of the DWL-1700AP

Net Mask-

The subnet mask of the LAN interface
The default subnet mask is **255.255.255.0**

DHCP Start IP-

The starting IP Address for the DHCP server’s IP Assignment

DHCP End IP-

The ending IP Address for the DHCP server’s IP Assignment

Lease Time-

The length of time for the DHCP lease

DHCP Client Table-

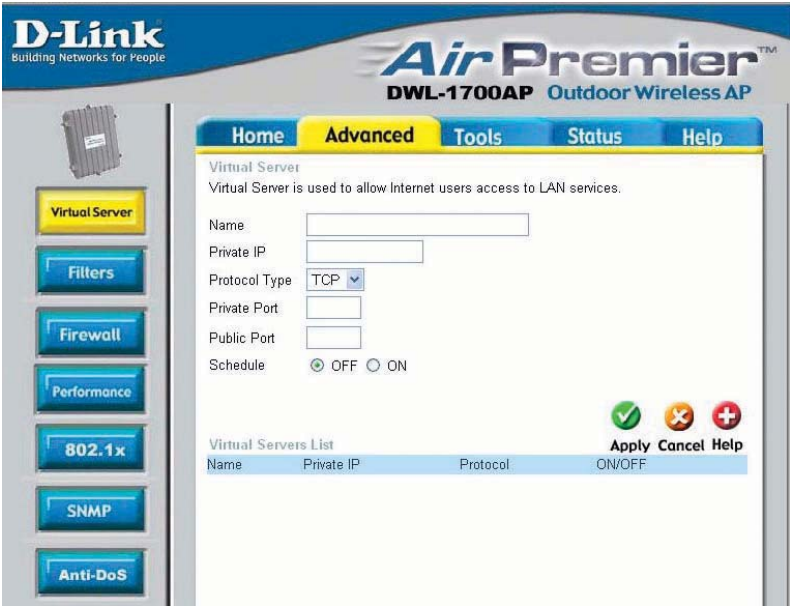
Lists the DHCP clients connected to the DWL-1700AP. Click Refresh to update the list. The table will show the Host Name, IP Address, and MAC Address of the DHCP client computer.

Apply-

Click **Apply** to save the changes.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Advanced > Virtual Server



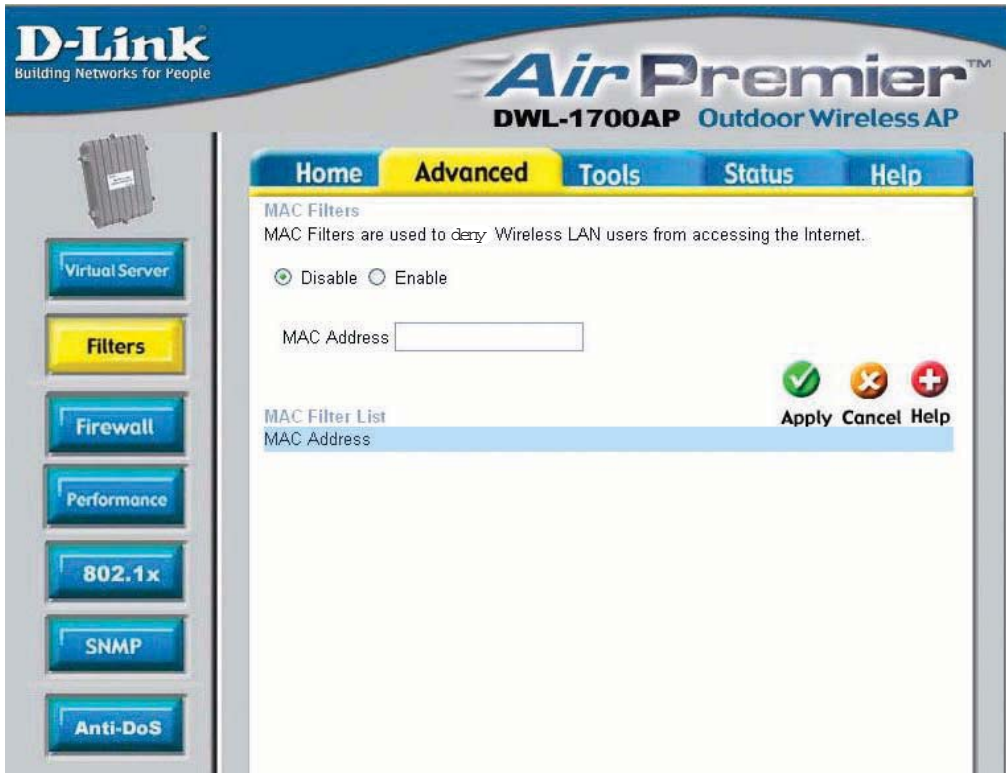
The DWL-1700AP can be configured as a Virtual Server so that remote users accessing Web and FTP services via the public IP Address can be automatically redirected to local servers in the LAN (Local Area Network.)

The DWL-1700AP firewall feature filters out unrecognized packets to protect your LAN network so all computers networked with the DWL-1700AP are invisible to the outside world. If you wish you can make some of the LAN computers accessible from the Internet by enabling Virtual Server. Each Virtual Service that is created will be listed at the bottom of the screen in the Virtual Servers List.

- Name-** The Name referencing the virtual service
- Private IP-** The server computer in the LAN that will be providing virtual services
- Protocol Type-** The protocol used for the virtual service
- Private Port-** The port number of the service used by the Private IP computer
- Public Port-** The port number on the WAN side that will be used to access the virtual service
- Schedule-** The schedule of time during which the virtual service will be enabled.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Advanced > Filters



The screenshot shows the D-Link configuration utility for the Air Premier DWL-1700AP. The left sidebar contains buttons for Virtual Server, Filters (highlighted in yellow), Firewall, Performance, 802.1x, SNMP, and Anti-DoS. The main panel has tabs for Home, Advanced (selected), Tools, Status, and Help. Under the Advanced tab, the 'MAC Filters' section is active. It includes a description: 'MAC Filters are used to deny Wireless LAN users from accessing the Internet..', two radio buttons for 'Disable' (selected) and 'Enable', and a text input field for 'MAC Address'. Below this is a 'MAC Filter List' table with a header 'MAC Address'. To the right of the table are three icons: a green checkmark, a yellow 'X', and a red plus sign, with the labels 'Apply', 'Cancel', and 'Help' respectively.

Filters are used to deny or allow LAN computers from accessing the Internet using their MAC Addresses.

Disable or Enable - Click **Enable** to enable the MAC filter. By enabling the filter you allow access to the Internet to only those computers whose MAC Addresses are listed in the filter list. Computers not listed are blocked from the Internet.

MAC Address - Enter the MAC Address of the wireless LAN user that will be allowed Internet access when the filter is enabled.

Apply - Click Apply if you have made any changes

MAC Address - Media Access Control Address

A unique hardware address that identifies a device on a network. It is assigned at the factory and cannot be changed. Usually you will find this address on a sticker on the device or packaging.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Advanced > Firewall

The screenshot shows the D-Link Air Premier DWL-1700AP configuration utility. The left sidebar contains navigation buttons: Virtual Server, Filters, Firewall (highlighted), Performance, 802.1x, SNMP, and Anti-Dos. The main content area is titled 'Firewall Rules' and includes a description: 'Firewall Rules can be used to allow/deny/count traffic from passing through the DWL-1700AP'. Below this, there are configuration options: 'Firewall Service' with radio buttons for 'Disabled' and 'Enabled' (selected); 'Rule Name' with a text box and a 'Clear' button; 'Schedule' with radio buttons for 'OFF', 'Always' (selected), and 'Count'; 'Action' with radio buttons for 'Accept' (selected), 'Deny', and 'Count'; 'Priority' with a text box containing '(1000 ~ 65535)'; and 'Protocol' with a dropdown menu showing 'TCP'. Below these are fields for 'Source' and 'Destination' with 'IP' and 'NetMask' sub-labels. At the bottom, there is a 'Firewall Rules List' table with columns: Schedule, Priority, Name, Action, Source, Destination, and Protocol. To the right of the table are three status icons (green checkmark, yellow cross, red plus) and buttons for 'Apply', 'Cancel', and 'Help'.

Firewall Rules is an advanced feature that is used to deny, allow or count traffic that passes through the DWL-1700AP. The Firewall Rules that you create will appear in the list at the bottom of the page. Please be sure to Click Apply, after you have made changes or additions.

Firewall Service-

Select Enabled to enable the Firewall Service feature

Rule Name-

Enter the name for the Firewall Rule

Schedule-

To schedule the time during which the Firewall Rule will be in effect select OFF or Always

Action-

Choose to Accept, Deny or Count the Firewall Rule

Priority-

Select the Priority status of the Firewall Rule

Protocol-

Select the Protocol of the Firewall Rule

IP-

Enter the IP Address of both the Source and the Destination of the Firewall Rule

Netmask-

Enter the Subnet Mask of both the Source and the Destination of the Firewall Rule

Port-

Enter the Port of both the Source and the Destination of the Firewall Rule

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Advanced > Performance

The screenshot shows the D-Link Air Premier DWL-1700AP configuration utility. The interface has a blue header with the D-Link logo and product name. Below the header is a navigation bar with tabs: Home, Advanced (selected), Tools, Status, and Help. On the left side, there is a vertical menu with buttons for Virtual Server, Filters, Firewall, Performance (highlighted in yellow), 802.1x, SNMP, and Anti-DoS. The main content area is titled 'Wireless Performance' and contains the following settings:

- Beacon interval: 100 (msec, range: 1~65535, default: 100)
- RTS Threshold: 250 (range: 0~3000, default: 250)
- Fragmentation: 1600 (range: 256~3000, default: 1600, even number only)
- SSID broadcast: ☒ Enable ☐ Disable

At the bottom right of the settings area are three buttons: Apply (with a green checkmark icon), Cancel (with an orange X icon), and Help (with a red plus icon).

Beacon Interval-

Beacons are packets sent by an Access Point to synchronize a wireless network. Specify a value. 100 is the default setting and is recommended.

RTS Threshold-

This value should remain at its default setting of 250. If you encounter inconsistent data flow, only minor modifications should be made within the value range of 0-3000.

Fragmentation-

The fragmentation threshold, which is specified in bytes, determines whether packets will be fragmented. Packets exceeding the 1600 byte setting will be fragmented before transmission. 1600 is the default setting.

SSID Broadcast-

Enable the SSID Broadcast feature to announce the SSID across the network. Allowing this will enable you to use XP's site survey tools, Disabling SSID Broadcast can be a useful security feature.

Apply-

Click Apply if you have made any changes.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Advanced > 802.1x

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802.1X
Setup 802.1X access control to regulate wireless LAN users.

802.1X function: ☒ Disable ☐ Enable

Accessible 802.1x Users on: ☐ Local ☒ Remote RADIUS

RADIUS parameters:

Server IP

share Key

Authentication Port

Accounting Port

user parameters:

User Name

Password

Local User List

User Name
test

Apply Cancel Help

802.1x function -

Disabled is the default setting

Accessible 802.1x Users on -

Select *Local* or *Remote* RADIUS SERVER parameters

Server IP -

Enter the IP Address of the RADIUS SERVER

Share Key -

Enter the Shared key. It must be the same as the Shared Key on the RADIUS SERVER

Authentication Port -

Enter the Port number that your RADIUS SERVER uses for Authentication. The default setting of 1812 is the port setting for many RADIUS SERVERS.

Accounting Port -

Enter the Accounting Port number that your RADIUS SERVER uses for Accounting. The default setting is 1813.

User Name -

Enter the User Name

Password -

Enter the password

Apply -

Click Apply if you have made any changes

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

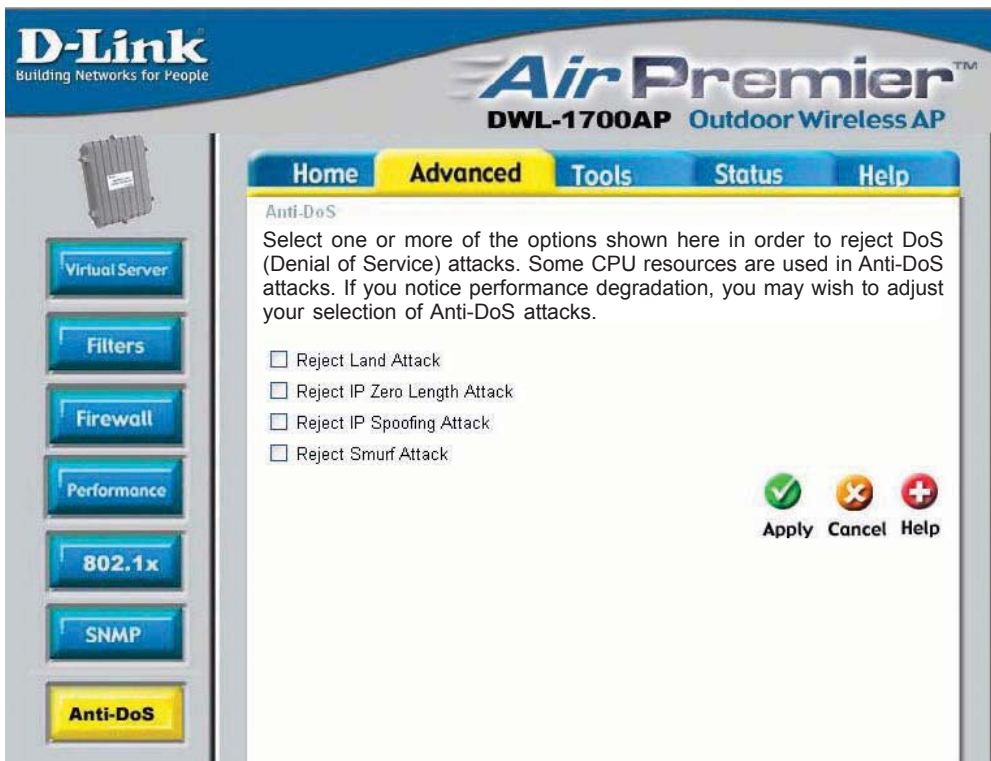
Advanced > SNMP



SNMP (Simple Network Management Protocol) is a widely used network monitoring and control protocol that reports activity on each network device to the administrator of the network. SNMP can be used to monitor traffic and statistics of the DWL-1700AP.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Advanced > Anti-DoS



Select one or more of these options to reject DoS (Denial of Service) attacks. Some CPU resources are used in Anti-DoS attacks. If you notice performance degradation, you may adjust your selection of Anti-DoS attacks.

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Tools> Admin

The screenshot shows the D-Link Air Premier DWL-1700AP configuration utility. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Advanced', 'Tools' (highlighted), 'Status', and 'Help'. On the left sidebar, there are buttons for 'Admin' (highlighted), 'System', and 'Firmware'. The main content area is titled 'Administrator Settings' and contains the following sections:

- Administrator Settings**
Administrators can change their login password.
- Administrator (The Login Name is "admin")**
 - New Password: [password field]
 - Confirm Password: [password field]
- Block WAN Ping**
When you "Block WAN Ping", you are causing the public WAN IP address on the DWL-1700AP to not respond to ping commands. Pinging public WAN IP addresses is a common method used by hackers to test whether your WAN IP address is valid.
 - ☐ Disable PING from WAN Side
- Remote Management**
 - ☐ Disable Remote Manager from WAN Side
- HTTP Port: [2000]

At the bottom right, there are three icons: a green checkmark, a red 'X', and a red plus sign, with the labels 'Apply', 'Cancel', and 'Help' respectively.

At this page, the DWL-1700AP administrator can change the system password.
The Login name is **admin**

New Password- Enter a new password in this field

Confirm Password- Retype the password for confirmation

Block WAN Ping

Disable Ping from the WAN side-

Disabling Ping from the WAN side will eliminate one method that hackers can use to intrude on your network

Remote Management

Disable Remote Manager from WAN Side-

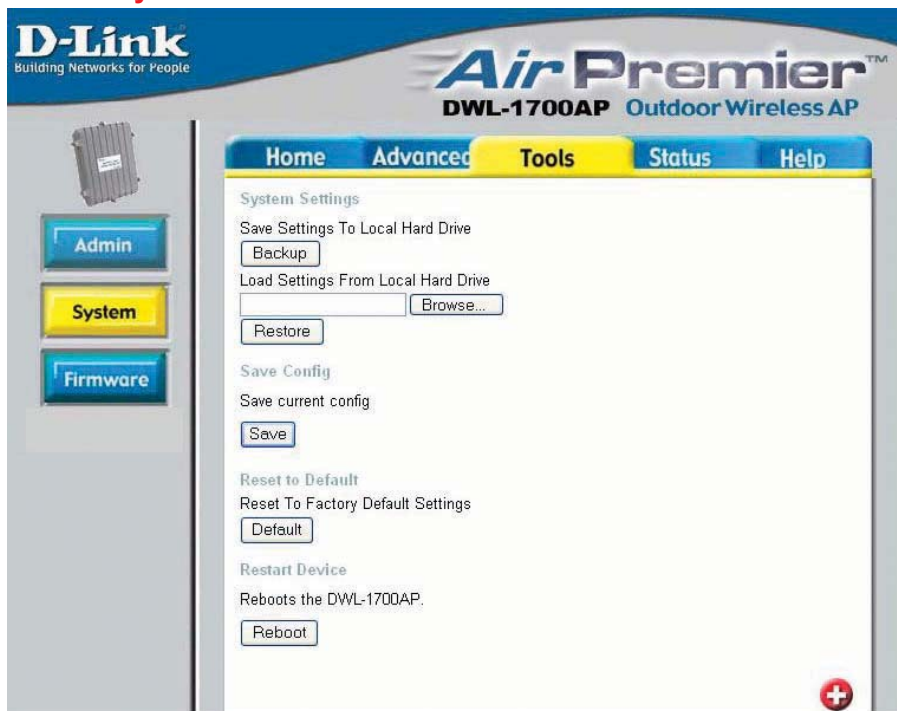
Check here to disable Remote Manager from the WAN side

HTTP Port- Enter the HTTP Port

Apply- Click Apply to save changes

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Tools > System



The current system settings can be saved as a file onto the local hard drive. The saved file or any other saved setting file can be loaded back on the DWL-1700AP. To reload a system settings file, click on **Browse** to browse the local hard drive and locate the system file to be used. You may also reset the *Wireless Access Point* back to factory settings by clicking on **Default**.

Save Settings to Local Hard Drive-

Click **Backup** to save the current settings to the local Hard Drive

Load Settings from Local Hard Drive-

Click **Browse** to find the settings, then click **Restore**

Save Current Config- Click **Save** to save the current configuration

Reset to Default- Click **Default** to reset to factory default settings

Reset Device- Click **Reboot** to Restart the DWL-1700AP

Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Tools > Firmware

The screenshot shows the D-Link configuration utility interface for the Air Premier DWL-1700AP. On the left is a sidebar with a device icon and three buttons: 'Admin', 'System', and 'Firmware' (which is highlighted in yellow). The main content area has a top navigation bar with 'Home', 'Advanced', 'Tools' (highlighted in yellow), 'Status', and 'Help'. Below the navigation bar, the 'Firmware Upgrade' section contains the following text: 'There may be new firmware for your DWL-1700AP available on the D-Link support website. Click [here](#) to check for a firmware upgrade on our support site. You will need to download and install TFTP software on a computer in your network. Copy the firmware upgrade file that you downloaded from our website into the TFTP folder on your hard-drive.' Below this text, it displays 'Current Firmware Version: HWLAN 1.5.1.201' and 'Firmware Date: 2003/03/10'. There are three input fields: 'TFTP Server IP' with the value '192.168.2.100', 'Program Firmware' with a checkbox and the value 'soho.bin', and 'Web image Firmware' with a checkbox and the value 'pfs.img'. At the bottom right are three buttons: 'Apply' (with a green checkmark icon), 'Cancel' (with an orange X icon), and 'Help' (with a red plus icon).

You can upgrade the firmware of the Access Point here. Make sure the firmware you want to use has been copied into the TFTP folder on the computer in your network which has the TFTP software installed. Remember the names of the firmware upgrade files. Please check the D-Link support site for firmware updates at <http://support.dlink.com>. You can download firmware upgrades to your hard drive from the D-Link support site.

Firmware Upgrade- Click on the link in this screen to find out if there is an updated firmware; if so, download the new firmware to your hard drive and into the TFTP server folder.

TFTP Server IP- Input the IP Address of the computer on the network which has the TFTP software installed.


Program Firmware- Enter the name of the program firmware update file that you downloaded into the TFTP folder.

Web image Firmware- Enter the name of the Web image firmware update file that you downloaded into the TFTP folder.


Apply- Click Apply to update the firmware.



Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Status > Device Info



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Device Information

Firmware Version: HWLAN 1.5.1.201 , 2003/03/10

Wireless

MAC Address [00-02-6F-01-77-55]

IP Address 192.168.1.50

Subnet Mask 255.255.255.0

ESSID DWL-1700AP

Channel 11

WEP Disable

DHCP Server Enable

WAN

MAC Address [00-09-0A-00-72-A3]

Connection Fixed IP based

IP Address 192.168.0.50

Subnet Mask 255.255.255.0

Default Gateway 192.168.0.254

DNS 192.168.0.254

The Device Info screen displays information about the DWL-1700AP.

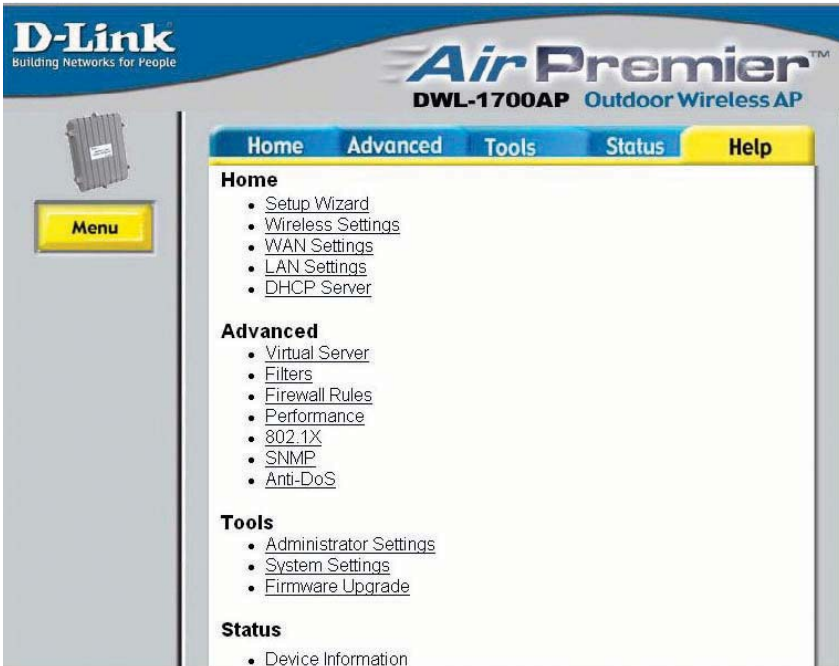
Using the Configuration Utility (continued)

Status > Wireless



The screen above displays the Wireless Status and the length of time of the current connection.

Help



At the **Help** screen you can select from **Help** files displayed above.

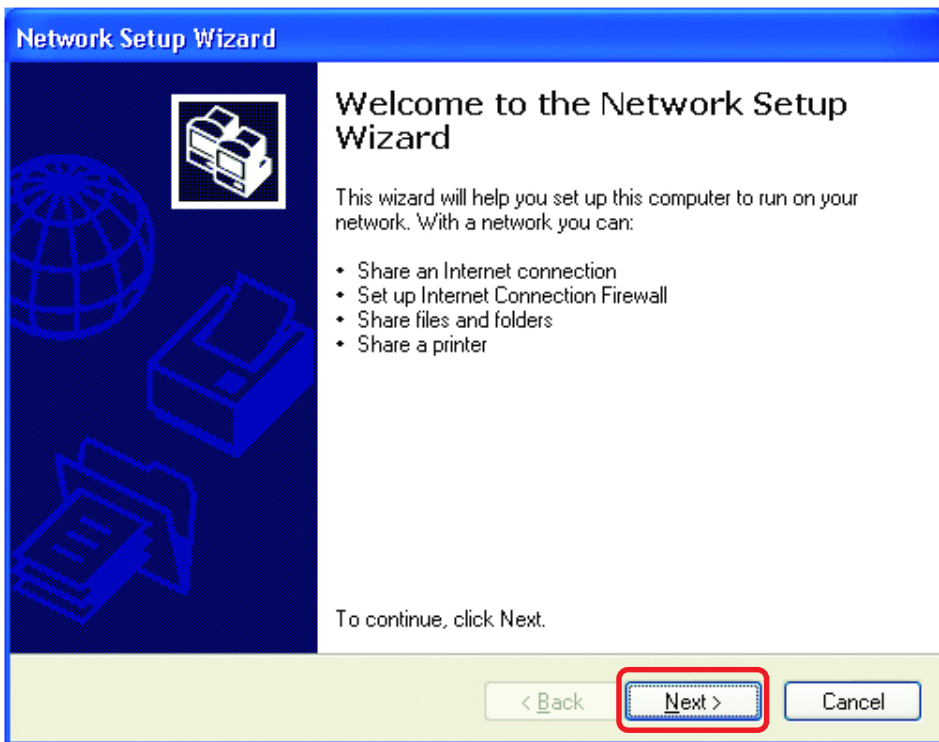
Networking Basics

Using the Network Setup Wizard in Windows XP

In this section you will learn how to establish a network at home or work, using **Microsoft Windows XP**.

Note: Please refer to websites such as <http://www.homenethelp.com> and <http://www.microsoft.com/windows2000> for information about networking computers using Windows 2000, ME or 98.

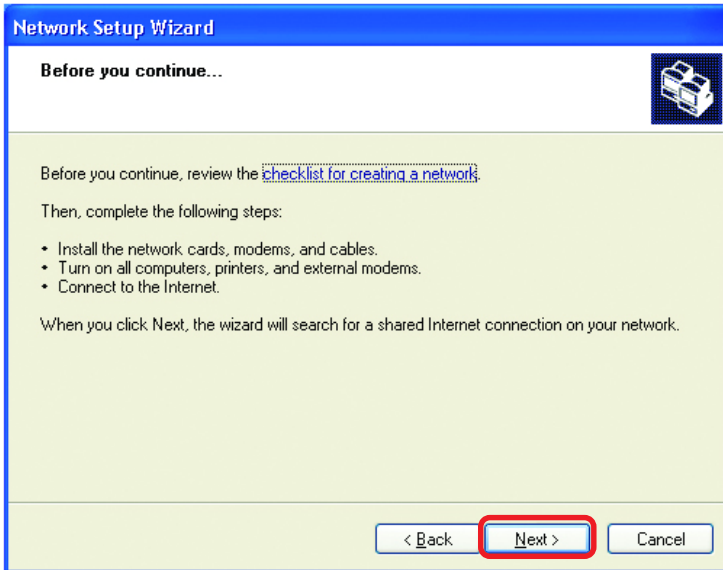
Go to **Start>Control Panel>Network Connections**
Select **Set up a home or small office network**



When this screen appears, Click **Next**.

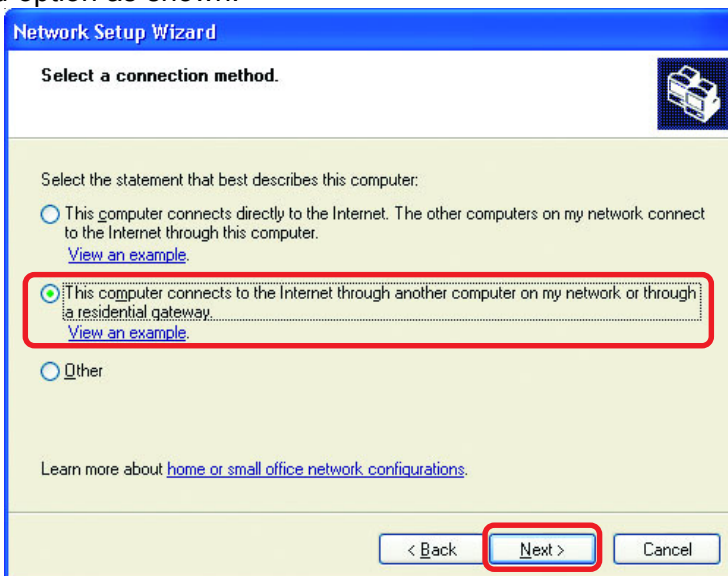
Networking Basics (continued)

Please follow all the instructions in this window:



Click **Next**

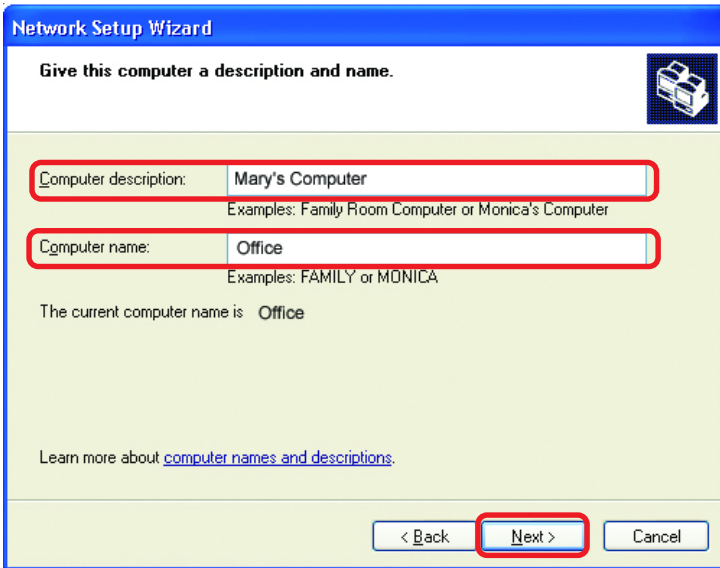
In the following window, select the best description of your computer. If your computer connects to the internet through a gateway/router, select the second option as shown.



Click **Next**

Networking Basics (continued)

Enter a **Computer description** and a **Computer name** (optional.)



The screenshot shows the 'Network Setup Wizard' window with the title 'Give this computer a description and name.' The window has a blue header bar and a small computer icon in the top right. There are two text input fields: 'Computer description:' with the value 'Mary's Computer' and 'Computer name:' with the value 'Office'. Both fields are highlighted with red rectangles. Below the 'Computer name' field, it says 'Examples: FAMILY or MONICA'. Below the 'Computer description' field, it says 'Examples: Family Room Computer or Monica's Computer'. At the bottom, it says 'The current computer name is Office'. There is a link 'Learn more about computer names and descriptions.' and three buttons: '< Back', 'Next >' (highlighted with a red rectangle), and 'Cancel'.

Network Setup Wizard

Give this computer a description and name.

Computer description: Mary's Computer
Examples: Family Room Computer or Monica's Computer

Computer name: Office
Examples: FAMILY or MONICA

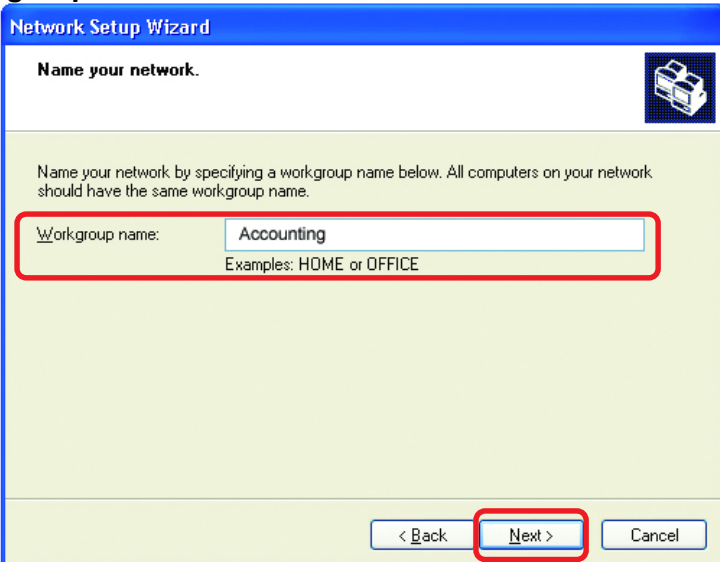
The current computer name is Office

Learn more about [computer names and descriptions](#).

< Back Next > Cancel

Click **Next**

Enter a **Workgroup** name. All computers on your network should have the same **Workgroup** name.



The screenshot shows the 'Network Setup Wizard' window with the title 'Name your network.' The window has a blue header bar and a small computer icon in the top right. There is a text input field 'Workgroup name:' with the value 'Accounting', which is highlighted with a red rectangle. Below it, it says 'Examples: HOME or OFFICE'. At the bottom, there are three buttons: '< Back', 'Next >' (highlighted with a red rectangle), and 'Cancel'.

Network Setup Wizard

Name your network.

Name your network by specifying a workgroup name below. All computers on your network should have the same workgroup name.

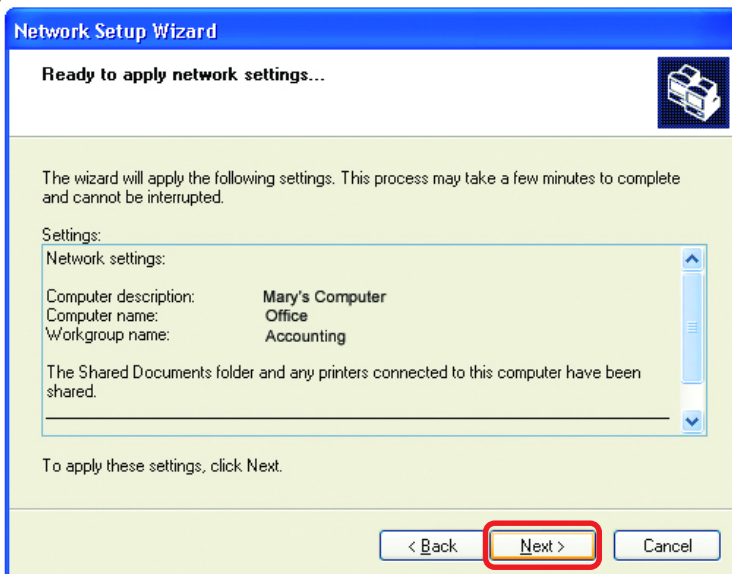
Workgroup name: Accounting
Examples: HOME or OFFICE

< Back Next > Cancel

Click **Next**

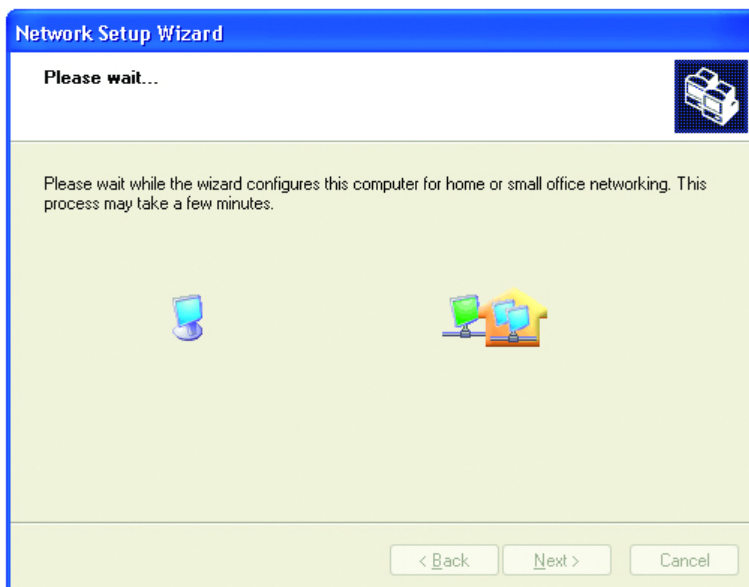
Networking Basics (continued)

Please wait while the **Network Setup Wizard** applies the changes.



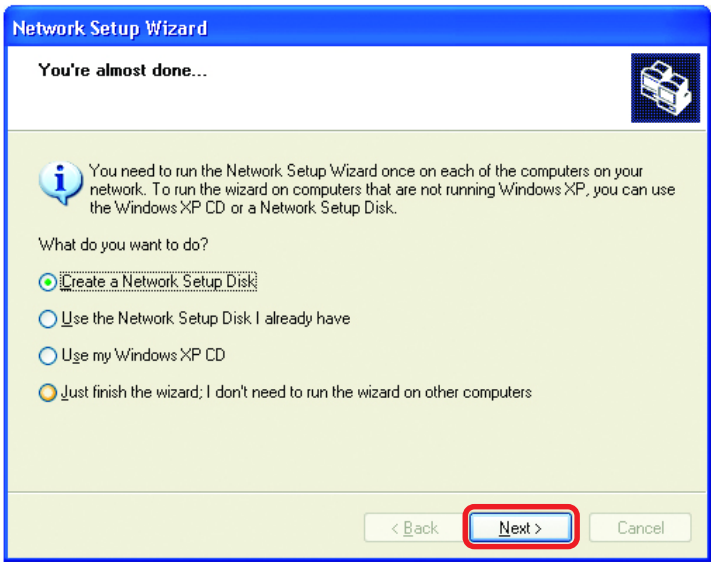
When the changes are complete, Click **Next**.

Please wait while the **Network Setup Wizard** configures the computer. This may take a few minutes.

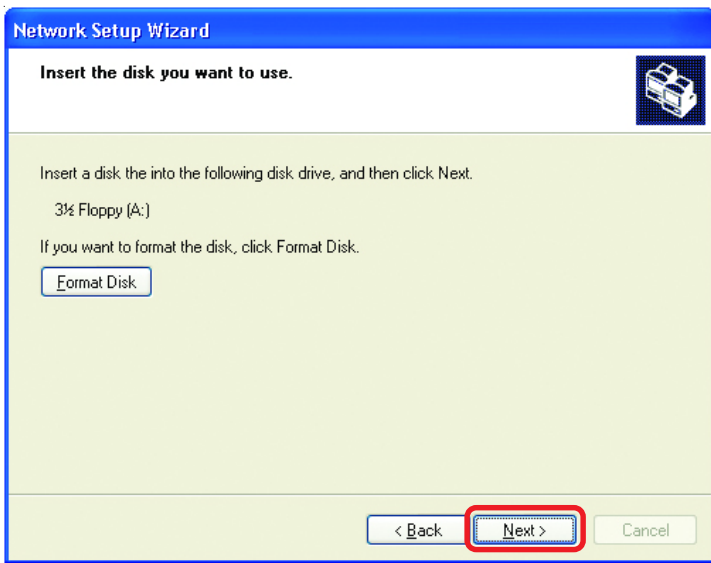


Networking Basics (continued)

In the window below, select the option that fits your needs. In this example, **Create a Network Setup Disk** has been selected. You will run this disk on each of the computers on your network. Click **Next**.



Insert a disk into the Floppy Disk Drive, in this case drive **A**.

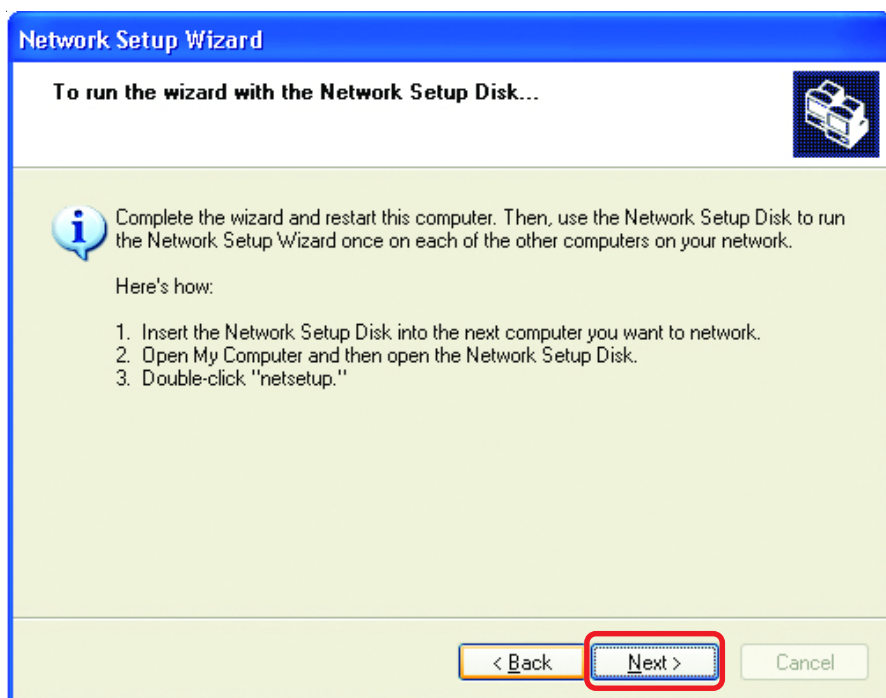


Click **Next**

Networking Basics (continued)

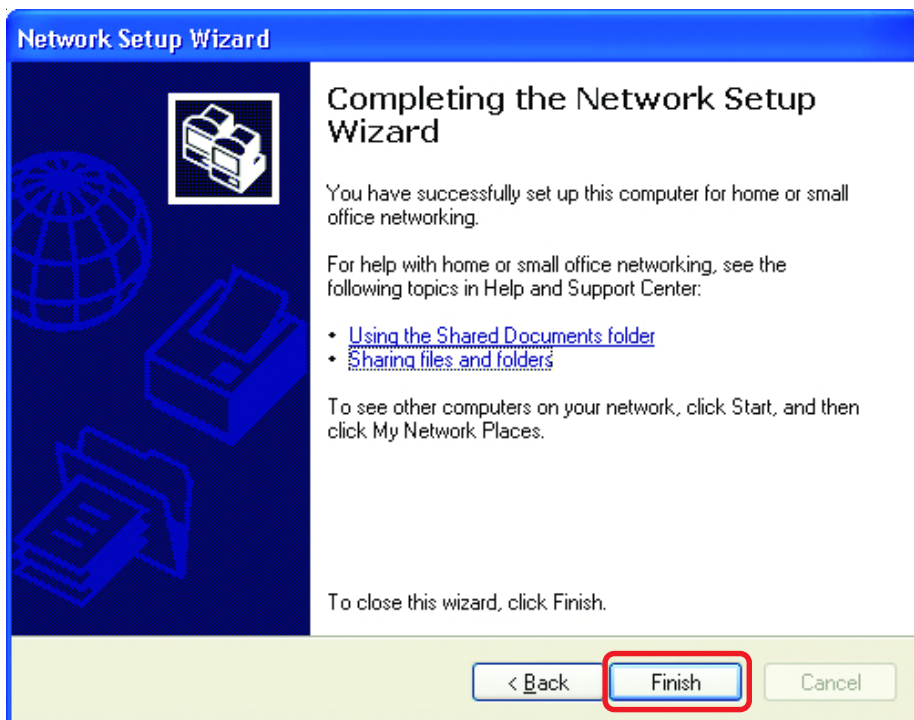


Please read the information under **Here's how** in the screen below. After you complete the **Network Setup Wizard** you will use the **Network Setup Disk** to run the **Network Setup Wizard** once on each of the computers on your network. Click **Next**.

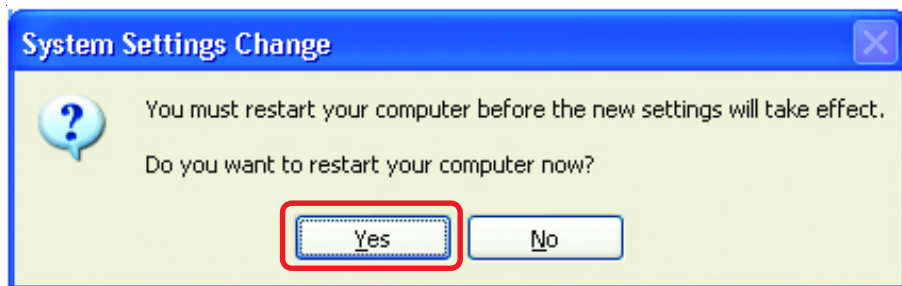


Networking Basics (continued)

Please read the information on this screen, then click **Finish** to complete the **Network Setup Wizard**.



The new settings will take effect when you restart the computer. Click **Yes** to restart the computer.



You have completed configuring this computer. Next, you will need to run the **Network Setup Disk** on all the other computers on your network. After running the **Network Setup Disk** on all your computers, your new wireless network will be ready to use.

Networking Basics (continued)

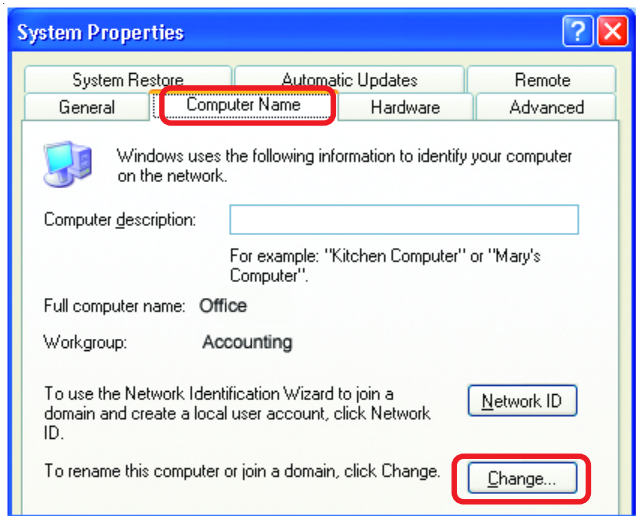
Naming your Computer

To name your computer, please follow these directions:(In **Windows XP**)

- Click **Start** (in the lower left corner of the screen)
- **Right-click** on **My Computer**
- Select **Properties** and Click



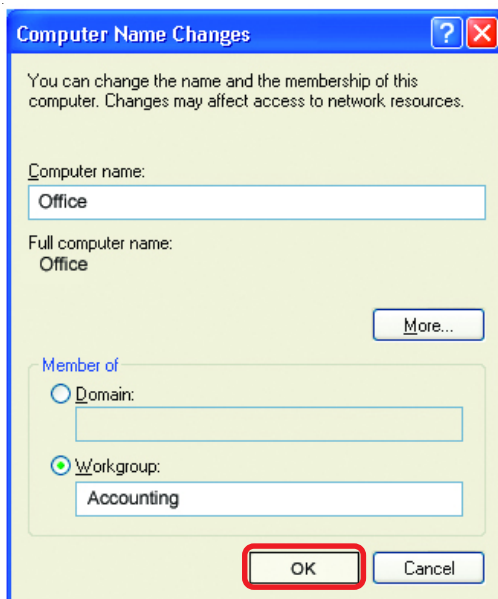
- Select the **Computer Name Tab** in the System Properties window.
- You may enter a **Computer Description** if you wish; this field is optional.
- To rename the computer and join a domain, Click **Change**.



Networking Basics (continued)

Naming your Computer

- In this window, enter the **Computer name**
- Select **Workgroup** and enter the name of the **Workgroup**
- All computers on your network must have the same **Workgroup** name.
- Click **OK**



Checking the IP Address in Windows XP

The adapter-equipped computers in your network must be in the same IP Address range (see *Getting Started* in this manual for a definition of IP Address Range.) To check on the IP Address of the adapter, please do the following:

- Right-click on the **Local Area Connection icon** in the task bar
- Click on **Status**



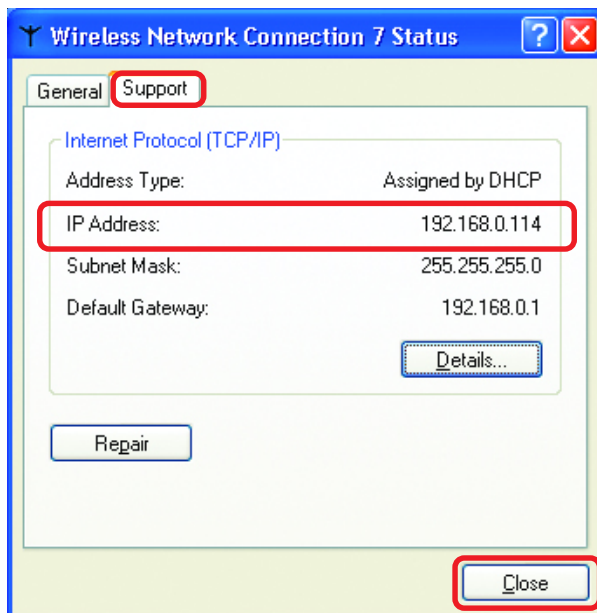
Networking Basics (continued)

Checking the IP Address in Windows XP

This window will appear.

- Click the **Support** tab

- Click **Close**

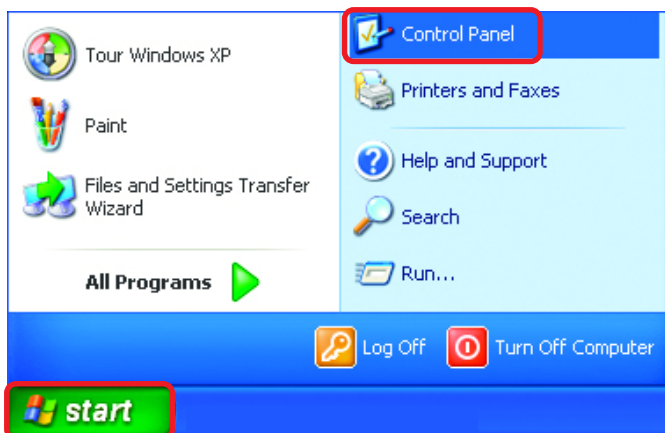


Assigning a Static IP Address in Windows XP/2000

Note: Residential Gateways/Broadband Routers will automatically assign IP Addresses to the computers on the network, using DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) technology. If you are using a DHCP-capable Gateway/Router you will not need to assign Static IP Addresses.

If you are not using a DHCP capable Gateway/Router, or you need to assign a Static IP Address, please follow these instructions:

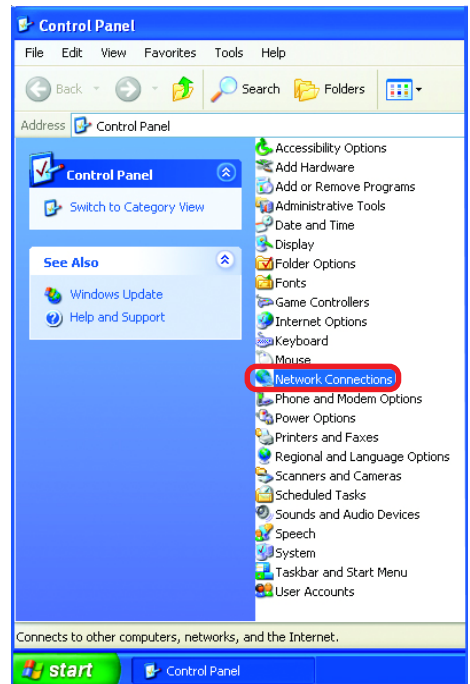
- Go to **Start**
- Double-click on **Control Panel**



Networking Basics (continued)

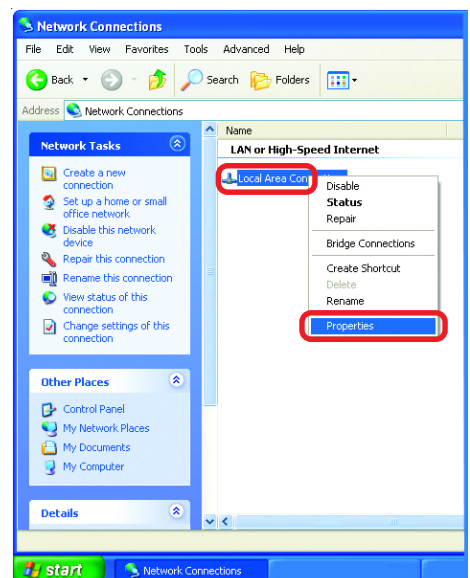
Assigning a Static IP Address in Windows XP/2000

- Double-click on **Network Connections**



- Right-click on **Local Area Connections**

- Double-click on **Properties**



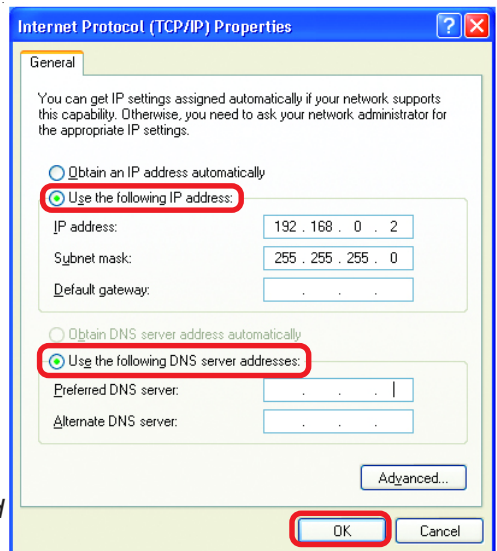
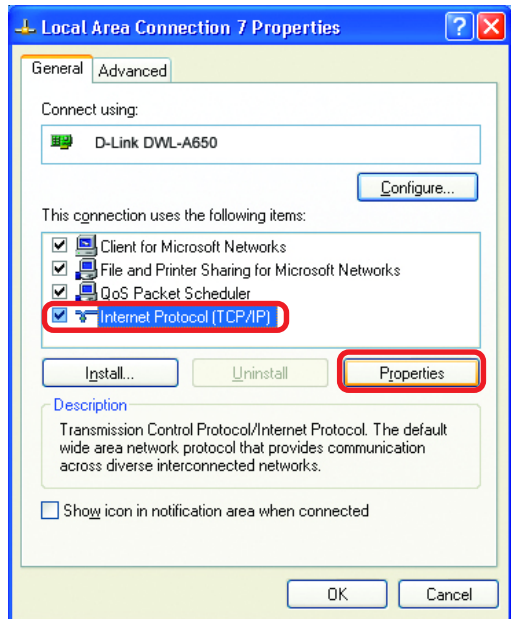
Networking Basics (continued)

Assigning a Static IP Address in Windows XP/2000

- Click on **Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)**
- Click **Properties**
- Input your **IP Address and subnet mask**. (The IP Addresses on your network must be within the same range. For example, if one computer has an IP Address of 192.168.0.2, the other computers should have IP Addresses that are sequential, like 192.168.0.3 and 192.168.0.4. The subnet mask must be the same for all the computers on the network.)
- Input your **DNS server addresses**. (Note: If you are entering a DNS server, you must enter the IP Address of the Default Gateway.)

The DNS server information will be supplied by your ISP (Internet Service Provider.)

- Click **OK**



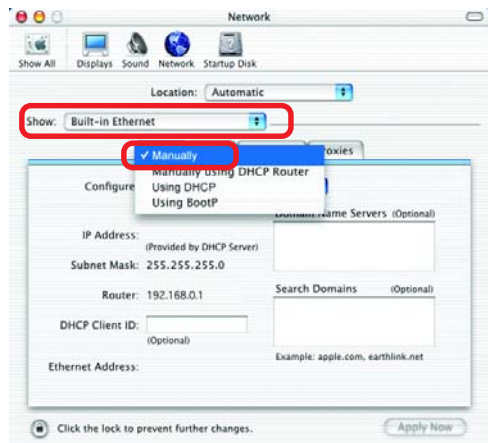
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Assigning a Static IP Address with Macintosh OSX

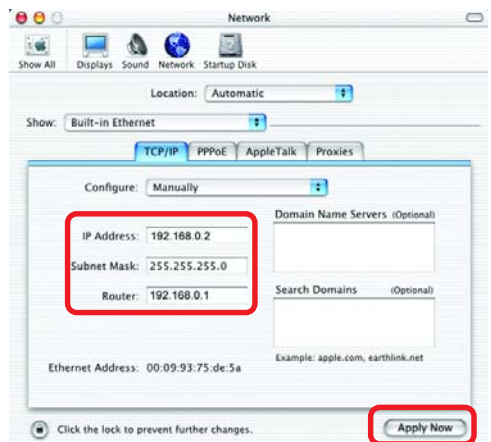
- Go to the **Apple Menu** and select **System Preferences**
- Click on **Network**



- Select **Built-in Ethernet** in the **Show** pull-down menu
- Select **Manually** in the **Configure** pull-down menu



- Input the **Static IP Address**, the **Subnet Mask** and the **Router IP Address** in the appropriate fields



- Click **Apply Now**

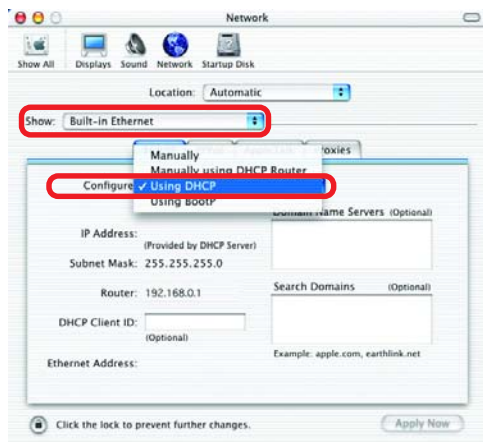
Networking Basics (continued)

Selecting a Dynamic IP Address with Macintosh OSX

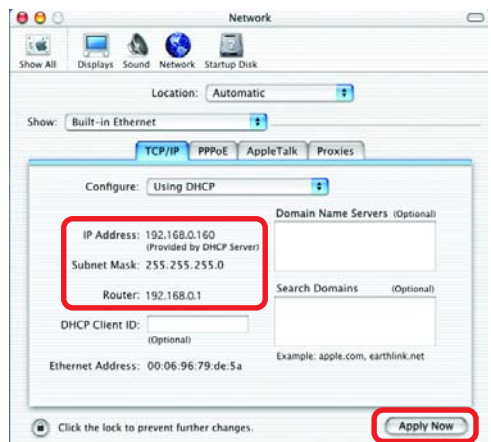
- Go to the **Apple Menu** and select **System Preferences**
- Click on **Network**



- Select **Built-in Ethernet** in the **Show** pull-down menu
- Select **Using DHCP** in the **Configure** pull-down menu



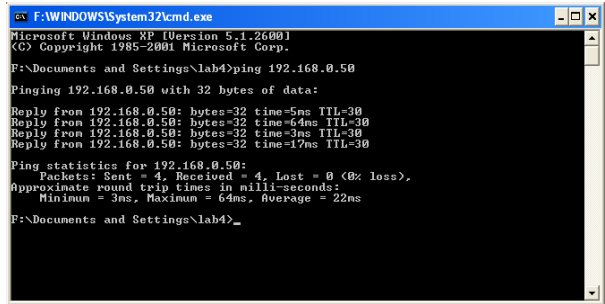
- Click **Apply Now**
- The **IP Address**, **Subnet mask**, and the **Router's IP Address** will appear in a few seconds



Networking Basics (continued)

Checking the Wireless Connection by Pinging in Windows XP and 2000

- Go to **Start > Run** > type **cmd**. A window similar to this one will appear. Type **ping xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx**, where **xxx** is the **IP Address** of the Wireless Router or Access Point. A good wireless connection will show four replies from the Wireless Router or Access Point, as shown.



```
F:\WINDOWS\System32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows XP [Version 5.1.2600]
(C) Copyright 1985-2001 Microsoft Corp.

F:\Documents and Settings\lab4>ping 192.168.0.50

Pinging 192.168.0.50 with 32 bytes of data:

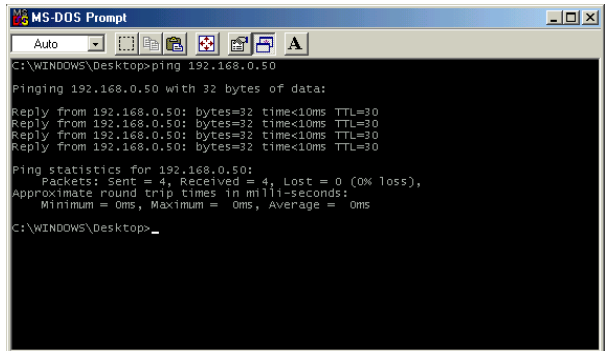
Reply from 192.168.0.50: bytes=32 time=5ms TTL=30
Reply from 192.168.0.50: bytes=32 time=64ms TTL=30
Reply from 192.168.0.50: bytes=32 time=3ms TTL=30
Reply from 192.168.0.50: bytes=32 time=17ms TTL=30

Ping statistics for 192.168.0.50:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 3ms, Maximum = 64ms, Average = 22ms

F:\Documents and Settings\lab4>_
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Checking the Wireless Connection by Pinging in Windows Me and 98

- Go to **Start > Run** > type **command**. A window similar to this will appear. Type **ping xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx** where **xxx** is the **IP Address** of the Wireless Router or Access Point. A good wireless connection will show four replies from the wireless router or access point, as shown.



```
MS-DOS Prompt
Auto

C:\WINDOWS\Desktop>ping 192.168.0.50

Pinging 192.168.0.50 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 192.168.0.50: bytes=32 time=10ms TTL=30
Reply from 192.168.0.50: bytes=32 time=10ms TTL=30
Reply from 192.168.0.50: bytes=32 time=10ms TTL=30
Reply from 192.168.0.50: bytes=32 time=10ms TTL=30

Ping statistics for 192.168.0.50:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 0ms, Average = 0ms

C:\WINDOWS\Desktop>_
```

Frequently Asked Questions

Q1: My wireless LAN card supports Short and Long Preamble, if I want to use DWL-1700AP as my access device, what is the best preamble setting for it?

A: The DWL-1700AP default allows all stations to associate and cannot disallow associations from stations that do not support Long Preamble.

Q2: What are the differences between Local and Remote authentication settings in 802.1x function?

A:

Local – refers to the user that is authenticated by the DWL-1700AP. The DWL-1700AP only supports EAP-MD5 for the 802.1x security. If you select **Local** in 802.1x settings, you need to enable the 802.1x function and type the appropriate Username and Password in the **user** settings.

Remote RADIUS –

refers to the user that is authenticated by the RADIUS Server. When you select Remote RADIUS server, the Local **user parameters** settings will become useless. You will need to configure the RADIUS Server settings and type the appropriate **RADIUS Server IP** and **RADIUS Share Key** in the **Advanced>802.1x** screen in the DWL-1700AP's configuration utility, matching the settings in the Remote RADIUS Server.

Q3: The connecting distance in theory and in practice for the DWL-1700AP.

A:

Estimated Transmission Range (Clear Space)

Pairs	DWL-1700AP (25dBm, 5dBi Omni Antenna)
Station (50mW,17dBm)	Maximum Range: 3280ft.(1.0Km)
Station (100mW, 20dBm)	Maximum Range: 4921ft.(1.5 Km)
Station (200mW, 23dBm)	Maximum Range: 6561ft.(2.0 Km)

Q4: How many users can the DWL-1700AP support at the same time?

A: The maximum associated stations for the DWL-1700AP are 256 users, but for performance consideration, the appropriate associated users must be less than 16.

Frequently Asked Questions (continued)

Q5: How do I backup the MAC Filters or Firewall rules in DWL-1700AP?

A: Go to **Tools>System** in the Configuration utility. Use the backup function on that screen.

Q6: How can I reset the DWL-1700AP to its factory default settings?

A: Using the Web-browser, go to **Tools > System** and click on **Default** in that window.

-or-

From the RS-232 console – In the console window, press the **D** button from the keyboard and choose the **Y** to reset the DWL-1700AP to its factory default settings.

Q7: Does the DWL-1700AP support a change to output power manually?

A: This function is not supported in the current version.

Q8: To which of the DWL-1700AP's two jacks should I connect when I want to use a high gain antenna to reach the farthest possible distance?

A: Since the DWL-1700AP has the built-in function of diversity antennas, there is only one of the two antennas that can both receive and transfer data (the other antenna can only receive data). Use the antenna shown below.



Troubleshooting

This Chapter provides solutions to problems that can occur during the installation and operation of the DWL-1700AP Wireless Access Point. We cover various aspects of the network setup, including the network adapters. Please read the following if you are having problems.

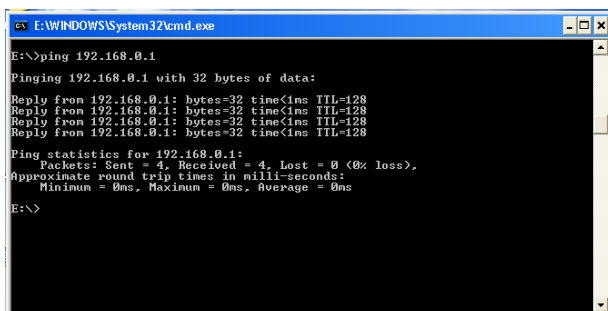
Note: *It is recommended that you use an Ethernet connection to configure the DWL-1700AP Wireless Access Point.*

1. The computer used to configure the DWL-1700AP cannot access the Configuration menu.

- Check that the **Ethernet Cable** is being used correctly. The Cross-over Ethernet cable that comes with the DWL-1700AP is used only when the unit is connected to your PC directly. If the DWL-1700AP is connected to a switch, a Straight-through cable must be used, not a Cross-over cable.
- Check that the Ethernet Adapter is working properly. Please see item 3 (***Check that the drivers for the network adapters are installed properly***) in this **Troubleshooting** section to check that the drivers are loaded properly.
- Check that the **IP Address** is in the same range and subnet as the DWL-1700AP. Please see ***Checking the IP Address in Windows XP*** in the **Networking Basics** section of this manual.

Note: *The default Ethernet IP Address of the DWL-1700AP is 192.168.0.50; the default wireless IP Address is 192.168.1.50. All the computers on the network must have a unique IP Address in the same range, e.g., 192.168.0.x. Any computers that have identical IP Addresses will not be visible on the network. They must all have the same subnet mask, e.g., 255.255.255.0*

- Do a **Ping test** to make sure that the DWL-1700AP is responding. Go to **Start>Run>Type Command>Type ping 192.168.0.50**. A successful ping will show four replies.



```
ex E:\WINDOWS\System32\cmd.exe
E:\>ping 192.168.0.1
Pinging 192.168.0.1 with 32 bytes of data:
Reply from 192.168.0.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.0.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.0.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128
Reply from 192.168.0.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=128

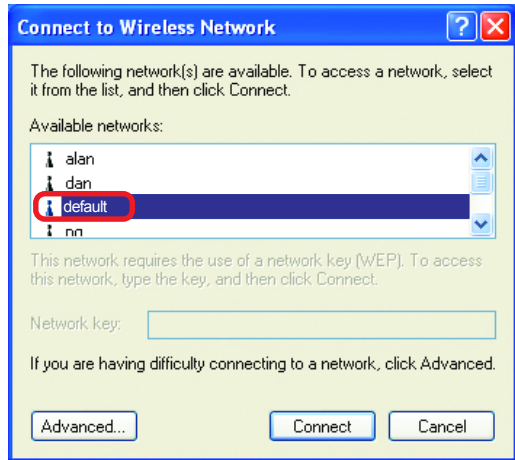
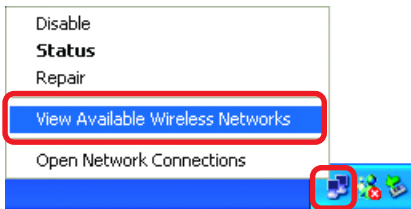
Ping statistics for 192.168.0.1:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milliseconds:
        Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 0ms, Average = 0ms
E:\>
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Note: If you have changed the default IP Address, make sure to ping the correct IP Address assigned to the DWL-1700AP.

Troubleshooting (continued)

2. The wireless client cannot access the Internet in the Infrastructure mode.

Make sure the wireless client is associated and joined with the correct Access Point. To check this connection: **Right-click** on the **Local Area Connection icon** in the taskbar> select **View Available Wireless Networks**. The **Connect to Wireless Network** screen will appear. Please make sure you have selected the correct available network, as shown in the illustration below.



- Check that the **IP Address** assigned to the wireless adapter is within the same **IP Address range** as the access point and gateway. *(Since the DWL-2000AP has an IP Address of 192.168.0.50, wireless adapters must have an IP Address in the same range, e.g., 192.168.0.x. Each device must have a unique IP Address; no two devices may have the same IP Address. The subnet mask must be the same for all the computers on the network.)* To check the **IP Address** assigned to the wireless adapter, **double-click** on the **Local Area Connection icon** in the taskbar > select the **Support** tab and the **IP Address** will be displayed. *(Please refer to **Checking the IP Address in the Networking Basics** section of this manual.)*
- If it is necessary to assign a **Static IP Address** to the wireless adapter, please refer to the appropriate section in **Networking Basics**. If you are entering a **DNS Server address** you must also enter the **Default Gateway Address**. *(Remember that if you have a DHCP-capable router, you will not need to assign a Static IP Address. See **Networking Basics: Assigning a Static IP Address**.)*

Troubleshooting (continued)

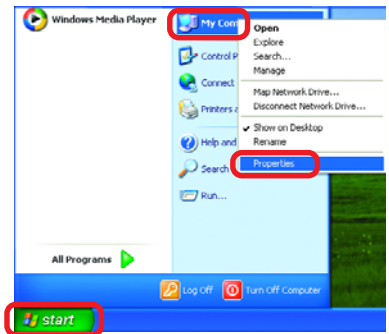
2. The wireless client cannot access the Internet in the Infrastructure mode. *(continued)*

- Check to make sure that the Router in your network is functioning properly by pinging it. If the router is not functioning properly, it will not connect to the Internet. If you need to find out how to ping network devices, please refer to “Checking the Wireless Connection by pinging” in the *Networking Basics* section of this manual.
- Check to make sure that the DNS server in your network is functioning properly by pinging it. If the DNS server is not functioning properly, you may be unable to access the Internet. Typically, your ISP (Internet Service Provider) will be able to give you the DNS server information. If you need to find out how to ping network devices, please refer to “Checking the Wireless Connection by pinging” in the *Networking Basics* section of this manual.

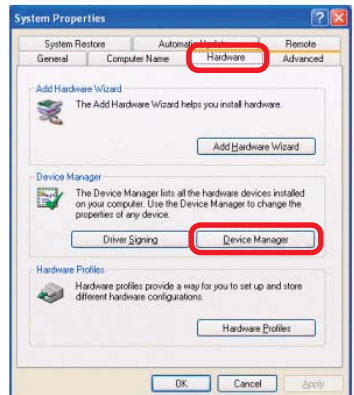
3. Check that the drivers for the network adapters are installed properly.

You may be using different network adapters than those illustrated here, but this procedure will remain the same, regardless of the type of network adapters you are using.

- Go to **Start > My Computer > Properties**



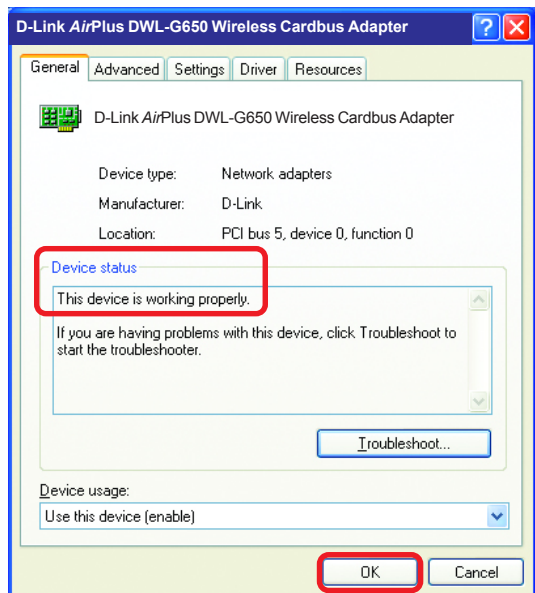
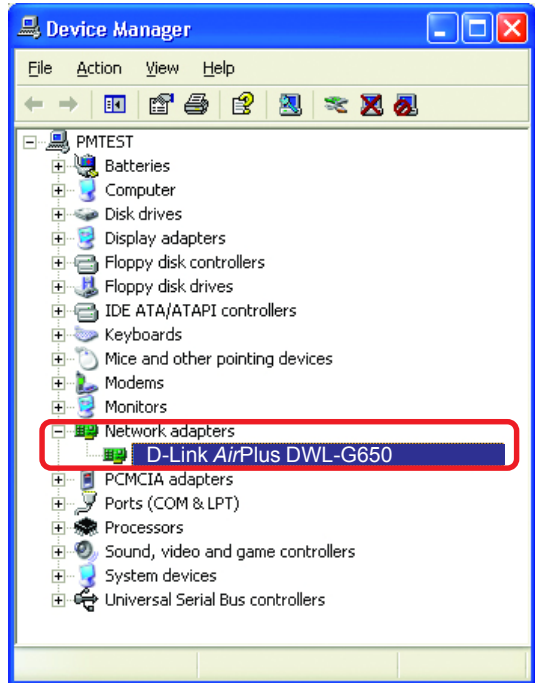
- Select the **Hardware** Tab



- Click **Device Manager**

Troubleshooting (continued)

- Double-click on **Network Adapters**
- Right-click on **D-Link AirPlus DWL-G650 Wireless Cardbus Adapter** (In this example we use the DWL-G650; you may be using other network adapters, but the procedure will remain the same.)
- Select **Properties** to check that the drivers are installed properly
- Look under **Device Status** to check that the device is working properly
- Click **OK**



Troubleshooting (continued)

4. What variables may cause my wireless products to lose reception?

D-Link products let you access your network from virtually anywhere you want. However, the positioning of the products within your environment will affect the wireless range. Please refer to **Installation Considerations** in the **Wireless Basics** section of this manual for further information about the most advantageous placement of your D-Link wireless products.

6. Why can't I get a wireless connection?

If you have enabled Encryption on the DWL-1700AP, you must also enable encryption on all wireless clients in order to establish a wireless connection.

- Make sure that the SSID on the Access Point and the Wireless Client are exactly the same. If they are not, wireless connection will not be established.
- Disable all security settings. (WEP, MAC Address Control)
- Turn off your DWL-1700AP and the client. Turn the DWL-1700AP back on again, and then turn on the client.
- Make sure that all devices are set to **Infrastructure** mode.
- Check that the LED indicators are indicating normal activity. If not, check that the AC power and Ethernet cables are firmly connected.
- Check that the IP Address, subnet mask, and gateway settings are correctly entered for the network.

7. I forgot my encryption key or login password.

- Reset the DWL-1700AP to its factory default settings and restore the other devices on your network to their default settings. You will lose the current configuration settings. Reset and restore the DWL-1700AP to the factory default settings, without WEP encryption, by using Telnet or the Console connection. Please see the Appendix in this manual for information on how to use Telnet and/or the Console connection.

Appendix 1:

Telnet Configuration

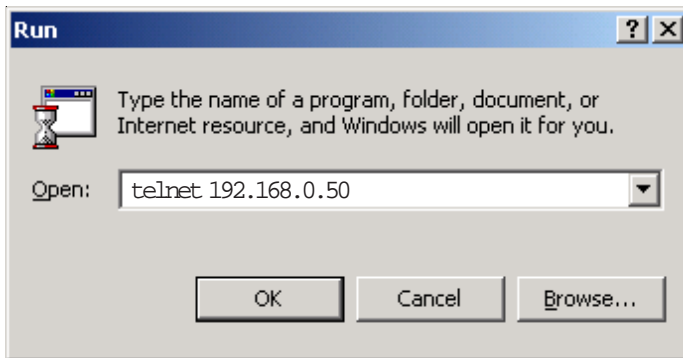
The AP is designed to operate as shipped from the factory without any special set-up. However, it has many options and parameters that can be changed if users have special requirements. Most of the management functions can be accessed using TCP/IP protocol; it can also be configured by Telnet/Console.

Configure the AP using a Telnet session on a wired LAN attached computer. To use the Telnet session, you can simply open a Telnet window using the IP address that has been assigned to the AP.

1. Go to **Start > Run**; open the **Run** dialog box.

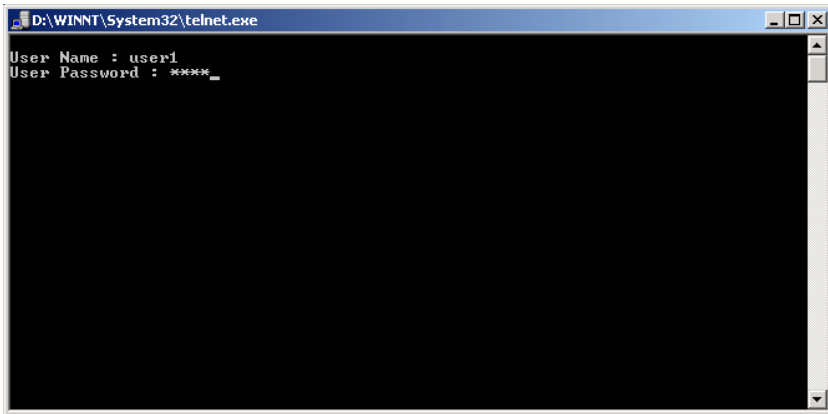
Enter **telnet 192.168.0.50** (the default terminal type of Telnet is VT100; the default Ethernet IP Address of the AP is **192.168.0.50**; the default wireless IP Address is **192.168.1.50**).

Click **OK**.

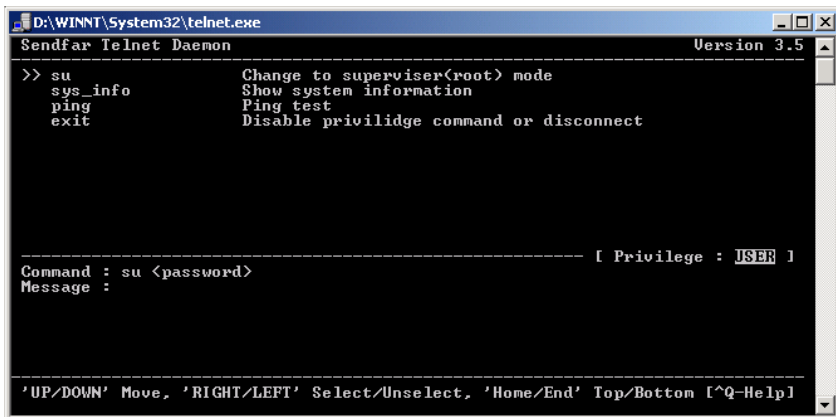


Telnet Configuration (continued)

2. Enter the **User Name** and **User Password** as shown below. (The default *User Name* is **user1** and the default *User Password* is **test**.)



After you have logged in, the *Telnet user interface* screen will appear, as shown below.



Telnet Configuration (continued)

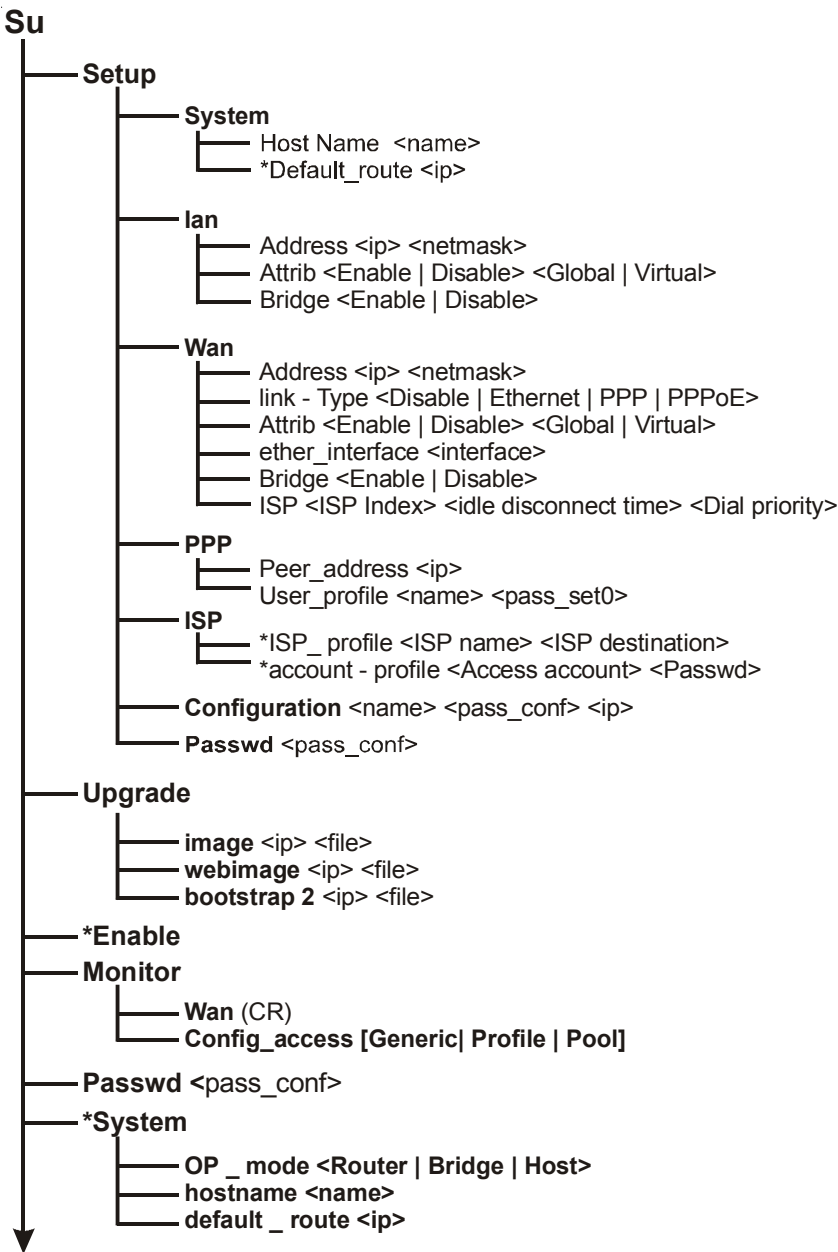
3. The structure of the menu tree is shown on the following page. Users can use the following keys to select the parameter to change or add.

- **Up/Down or i/k key:** move the cursor up/down to the specific item.
- **Right or l or Enter key:** select the item or enter the sub-menu.
- **Left or j key:** return to previous menu page.
- **Home or Ctrl-A:** move the cursor to the first item of the menu page.
- **End or Ctrl-E:** move the cursor to the last item of the menu page.
- **Ctrl-Q or F1:** Show the help page.

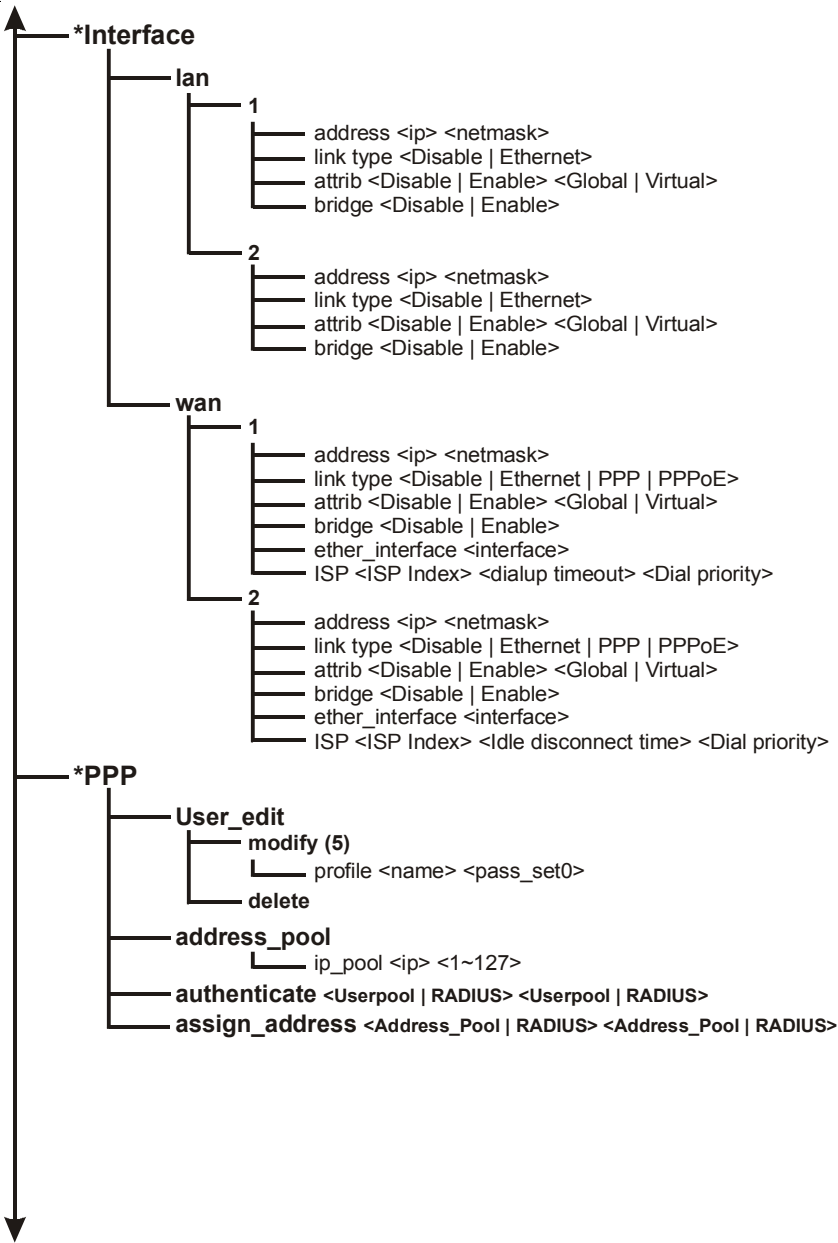
Hint 1: * denotes that the function is displayed after **enable configuration mode** is enabled.

Hint 2: In item **su**, type the default password **root** to enter the supervisor configuration mode.

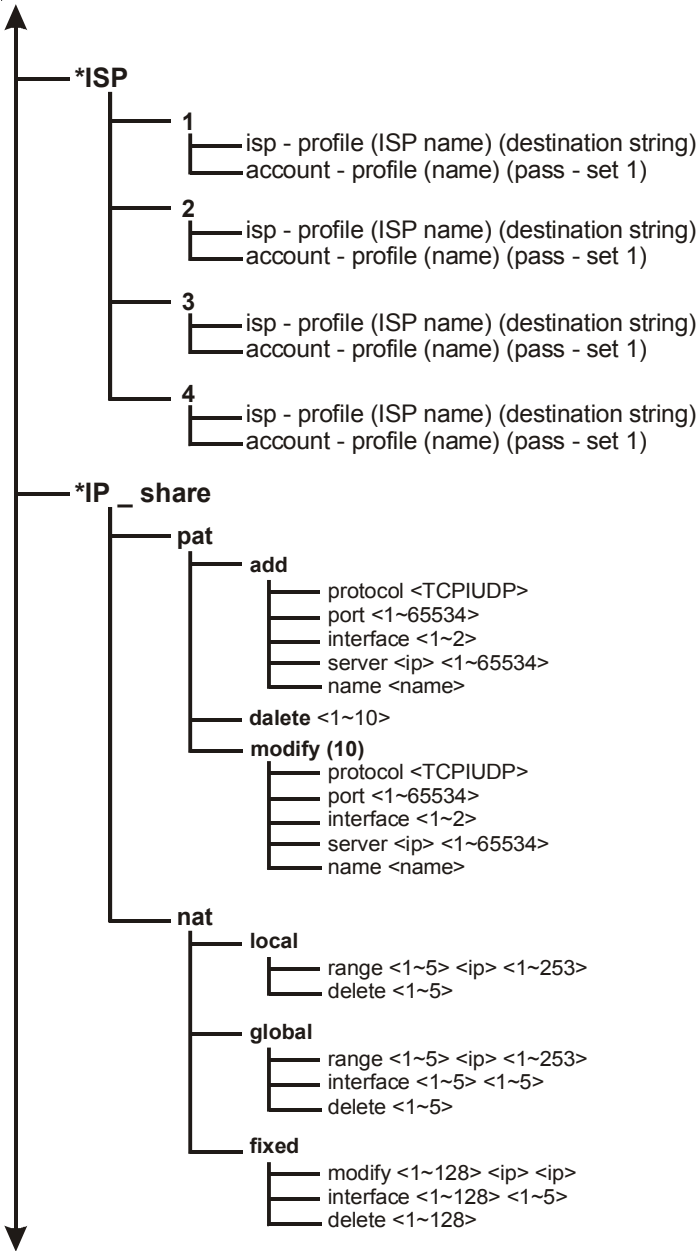
Telnet Configuration (continued)



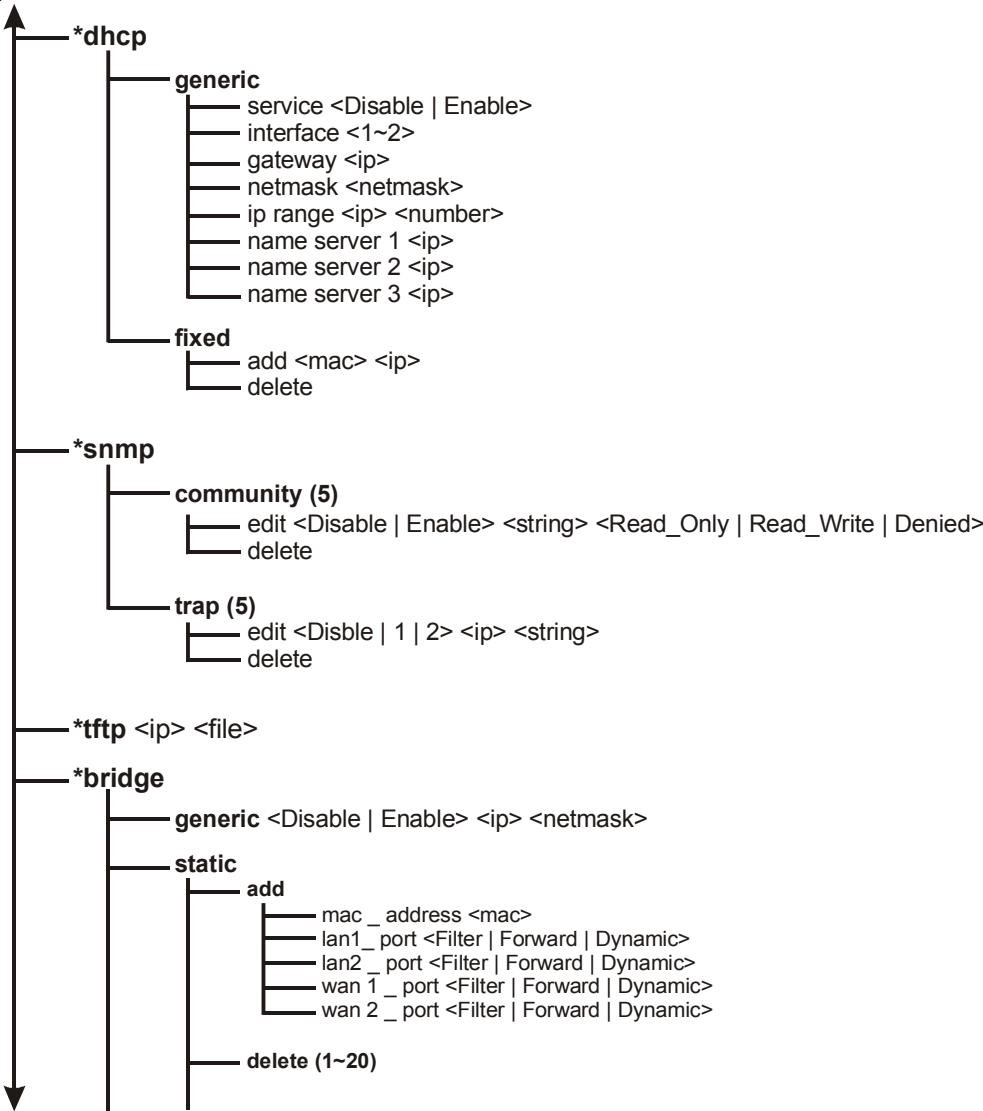
Telnet Configuration (continued)



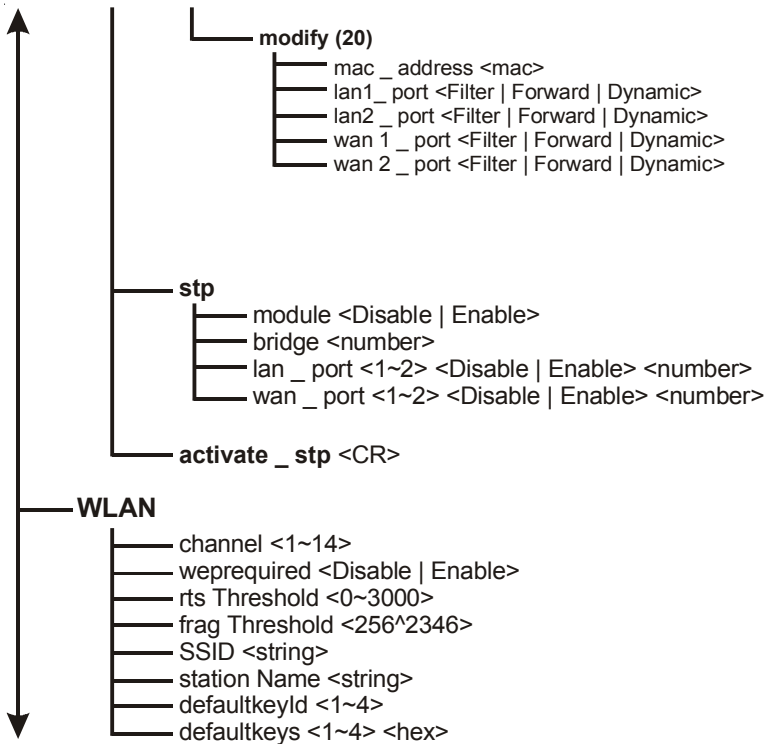
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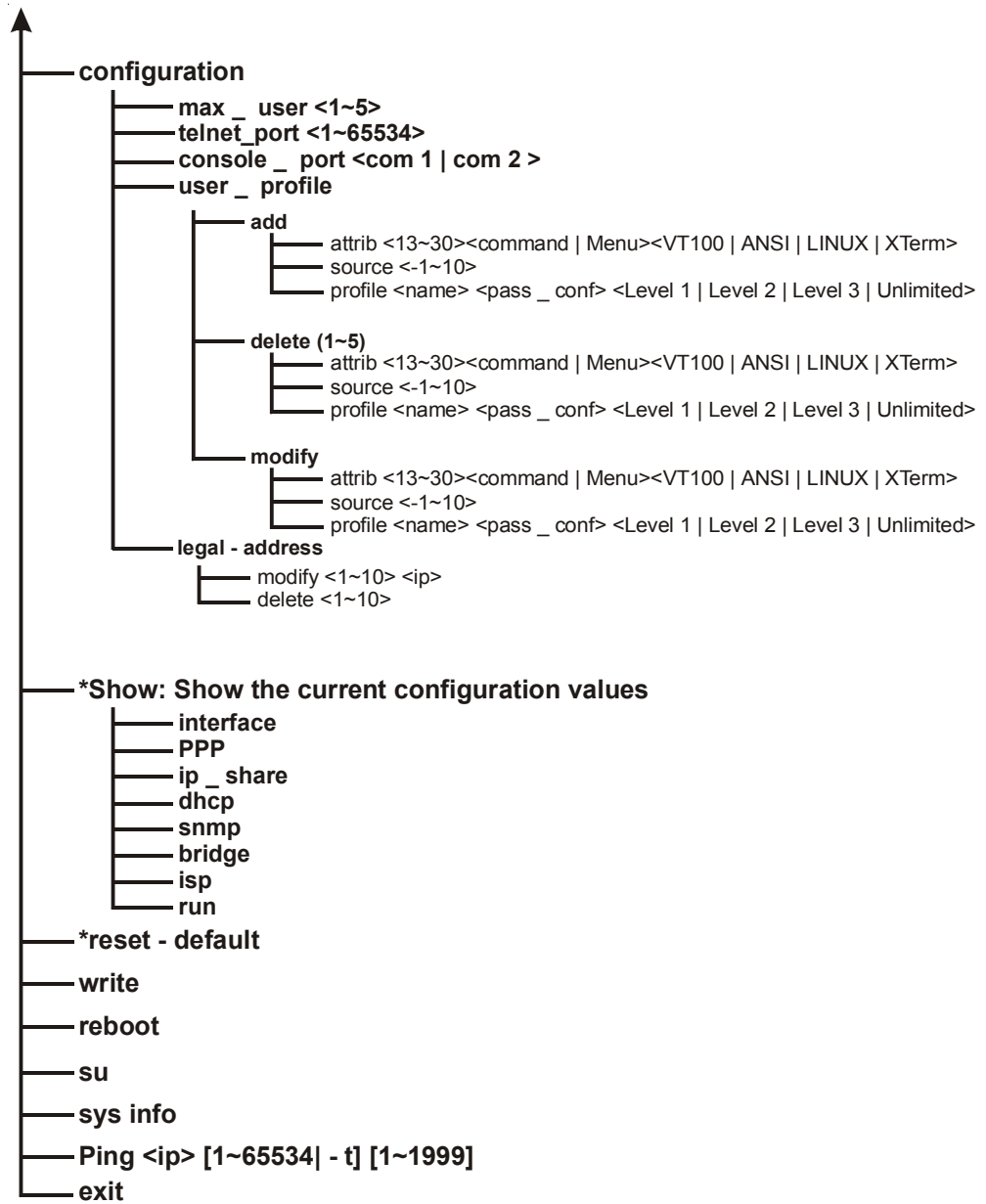
Telnet Configuration (continued)



Telnet Configuration (continued)



Telnet Configuration (continued)



Appendix 2:

Boot Code/Firmware Upgrade

This procedure is optional. If you wish to upgrade the Boot Code, check the D-Link support website to see if the Boot Code has been upgraded. If it has, and you wish to upgrade it (optional), here is the procedure to upgrade the Boot Code, program firmware and Web image by using the console port.

Command explanation:

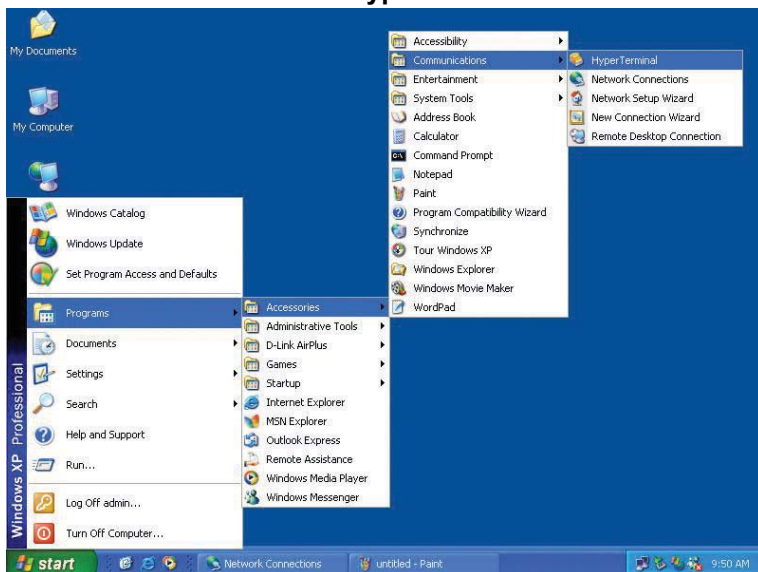
DLSC	Erase the old configuration file
DLX	Upgrade AP Boot Code
DLS	Upgrade program image file
DLP	Upgrade Web image file

BE CAREFUL!! If you failed in any command, please **DO NOT** “Power Off” or “Reboot” the machine!! You must **RETRY** this command until it succeeds!

Procedure:

1. Connect the *power supply* to the *Inline Power Injector* and the power outlet.
2. Connect *MIL-C-5015 style Ethernet cable* into the *Special Ethernet port* of the DWL-1700AP.
3. Connect the *RJ-45 Ethernet connector* (another end of MIL-C-5015 style Ethernet cable) into the *Power & Data Output Port* of the Inline Power Injector.
4. Connect the *MIL-C-5015 style RS232 Console Port cable* into the PC COM port and the DWL-1700AP special serial port.

Use HyperTerminal to upgrade the software: Click **Start** and then select **Programs > Accessories > Communications > HyperTerminal**.



Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

After the Hyper Terminal window appears:
Give this new connection a name.
(e.g., DWL-1700AP)

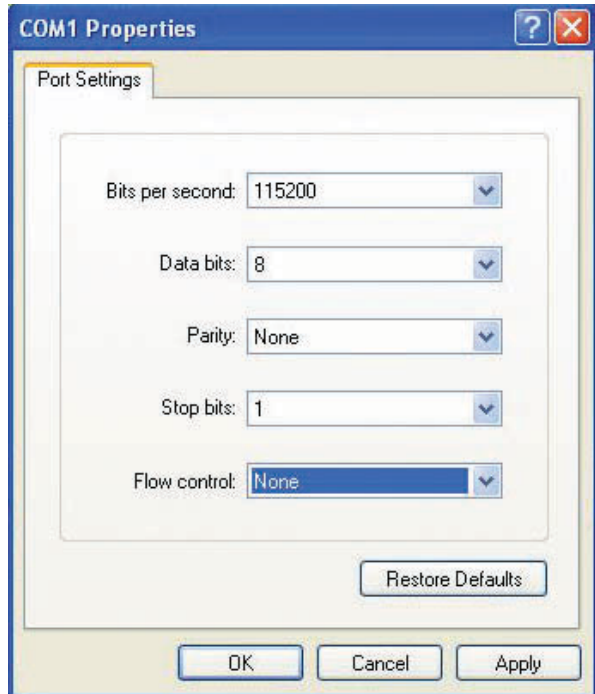


Select correct
COM port.
(e.g.,COM1)

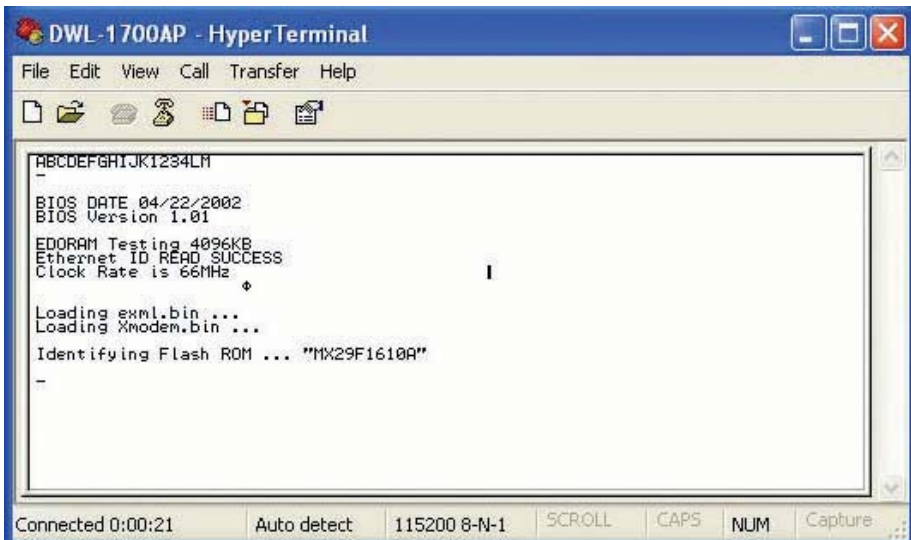


Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

Set baud rate as **115200**, and flow control as **None**. Then press **OK** to bring up the HyperTerminal window.



Press **Esc** to reboot the DWL-1700AP. After reboot, and when showing **EDORAM Testing**, press **X** to enter console mode.

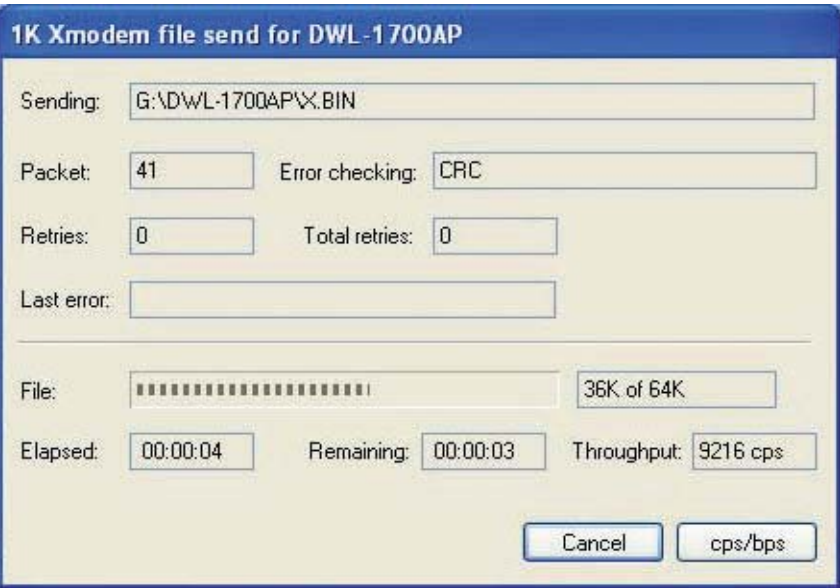
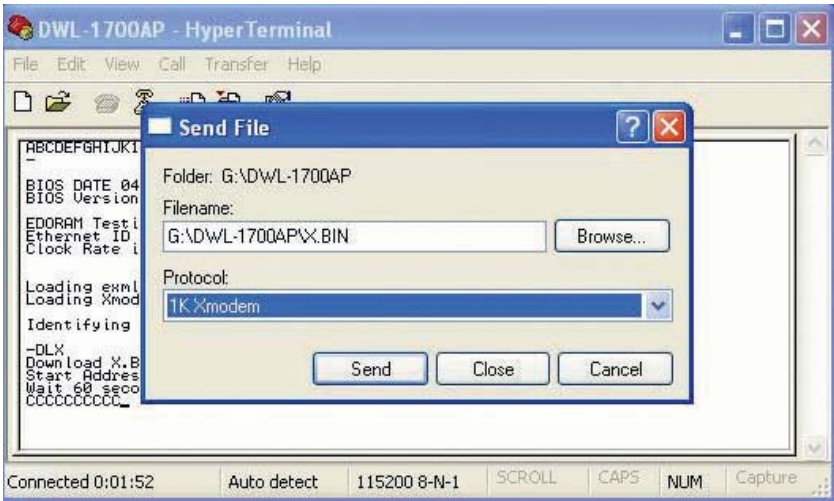


Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

Key-in **DLX** and press **Enter**. When **CCC...** appears, select **Transfer > Send File**.

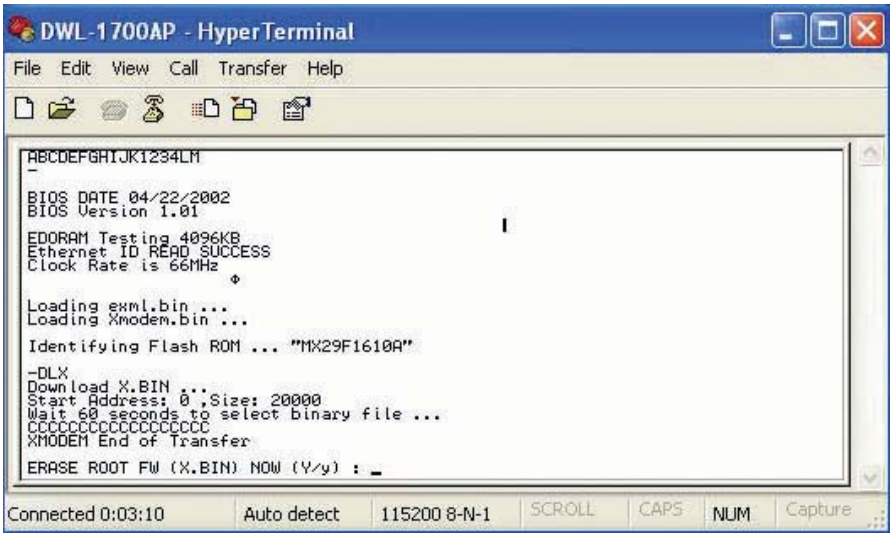
Set **Protocol** as **1K Xmodem**.

Key-in correct filename (**X.BIN**) and path, then choose **Send** to start boot code upgrade.



Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

When **XMODEM End of Transfer & ERASE ROOT FW (X.BIN) NOW (Y/y):** appears, type **Y** to update Flash.



```
ABCDEFHIJKL1234LM
_
BIOS DATE 04/22/2002
BIOS Version 1.01

EDORAM Testing 4096KB
Ethernet ID READ SUCCESS
Clock Rate is 66MHz
+

Loading exnl.bin ...
Loading Xmodem.bin ...

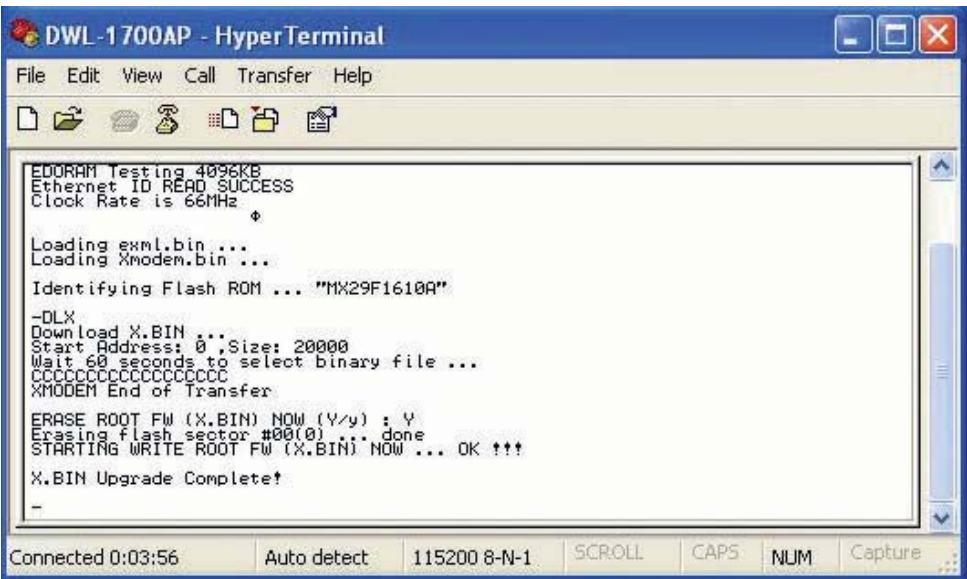
Identifying Flash ROM ... "MX29F1610A"

-DLX
Download X.BIN ...
Start Address: 0 ,Size: 20000
Wait 60 seconds to select binary file ...
CCCCCCCCCCCCCCCC
XMODEM End of Transfer

ERASE ROOT FW (X.BIN) NOW (Y/y) : _
```

Connected 0:03:10 Auto detect 115200 8-N-1 SCROLL CAPS NUM Capture

Upon completion, you will see **X.BIN Upgrade Complete!** displayed on the screen.



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EDORAM Testing 4096KB
Ethernet ID READ SUCCESS
Clock Rate is 66MHz
+

Loading exnl.bin ...
Loading Xmodem.bin ...

Identifying Flash ROM ... "MX29F1610A"

-DLX
Download X.BIN ...
Start Address: 0 ,Size: 20000
Wait 60 seconds to select binary file ...
CCCCCCCCCCCCCCCC
XMODEM End of Transfer

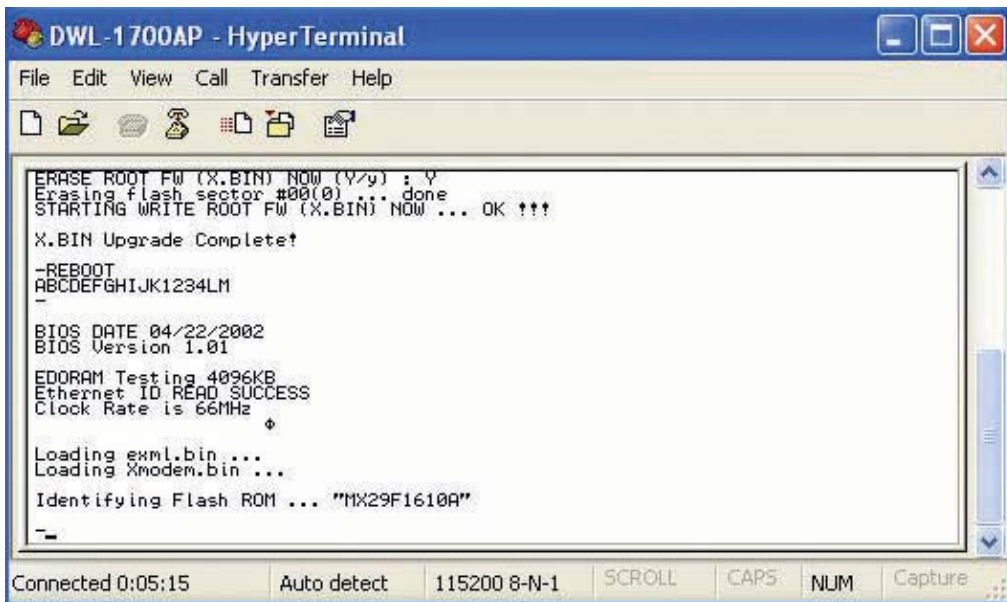
ERASE ROOT FW (X.BIN) NOW (Y/y) : Y
Erasing flash sector #00(0) ... done
STARTING WRITE ROOT FW (X.BIN) NOW ... OK !!!

X.BIN Upgrade Complete!
-
```

Connected 0:03:56 Auto detect 115200 8-N-1 SCROLL CAPS NUM Capture

Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

Key-in **reboot** and press **Enter** to let the new boot code activate. After rebooting and when showing **EDORAM Testing**, press **X** to enter console mode again.



```
DWL-1700AP - HyperTerminal
File Edit View Call Transfer Help

ERASE ROOT FW (X.BIN) NOW (Y/y) : Y
Erasing flash sector #00(0) ... done
STARTING WRITE ROOT FW (X.BIN) NOW ... OK !!!
X.BIN Upgrade Complete!
-REBOOT
ABCDEFGHJKLMN

BIOS DATE 04/22/2002
BIOS Version 1.01
EDORAM Testing 4096KB
Ethernet ID READ SUCCESS
Clock Rate is 66MHz
Loading exml.bin ...
Loading Xmodem.bin ...
Identifying Flash ROM ... "MX29F1610A"
_
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Connected 0:05:15 Auto detect 115200 8-N-1 SCROLL CAPS NUM Capture

Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

Key-in **DLS** and press **Enter**, the following warning will appear:

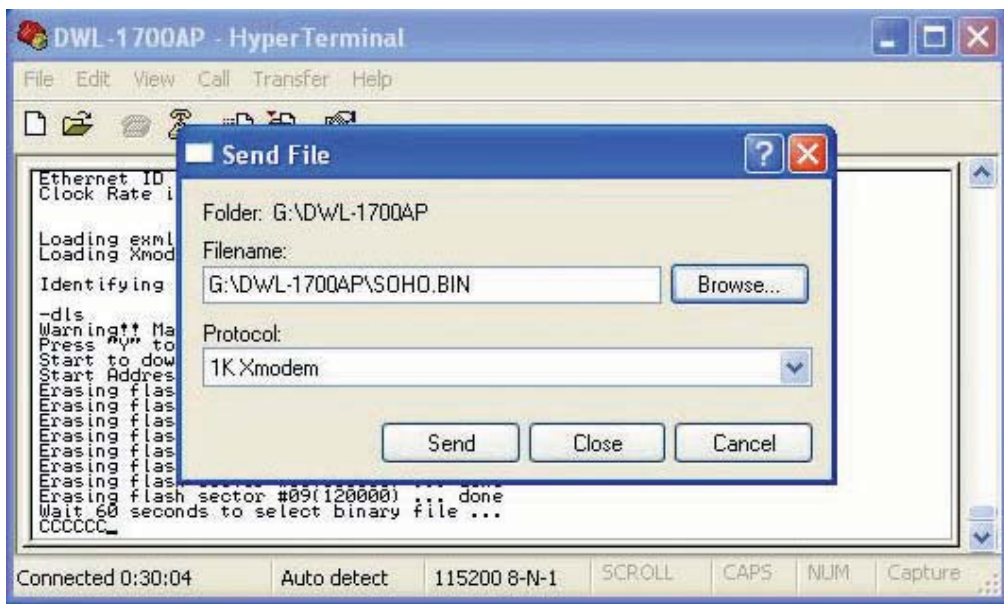
Warning!! Main program will be overwritten!!

Press **Y** (in upper case) to proceed...

Press **Y** to erase old program image and when **CCC...** appears, select **Transfer > Send File**.

Set Protocol as **1K Xmodem**.

Key-in correct filename (**SOHO.BIN**) and path, then choose **Send** to start program image upgrade.

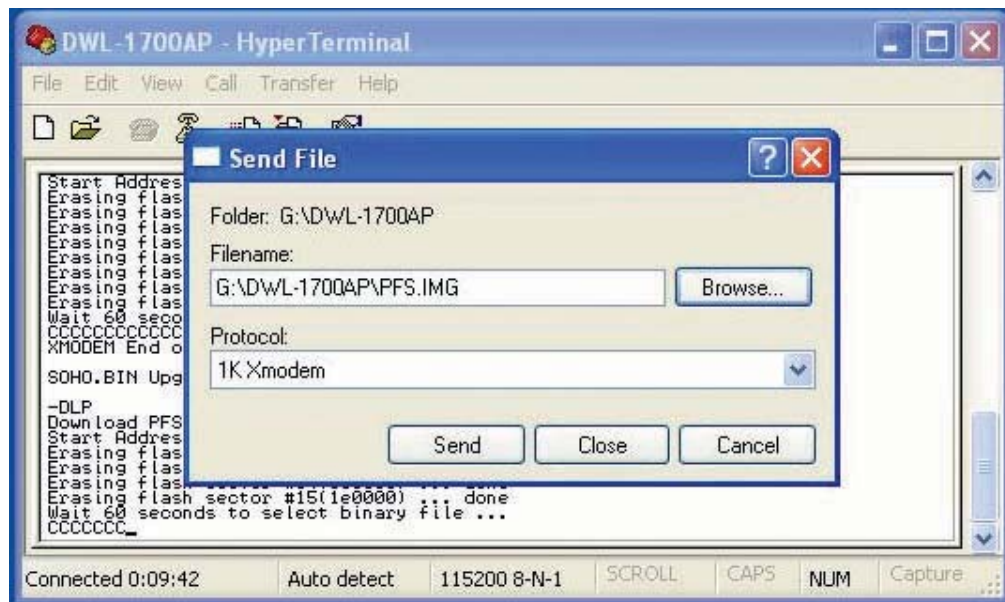


Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

Key-in **DLP** and press **Enter** to erase the old Web image and when **CCC...** appears, select **Transfer > Send File**.

Set Protocol as **1K Xmodem**.

Key-in correct filename (**PFS.IMG**) and path, then choose **Send** to start Web image upgrade.

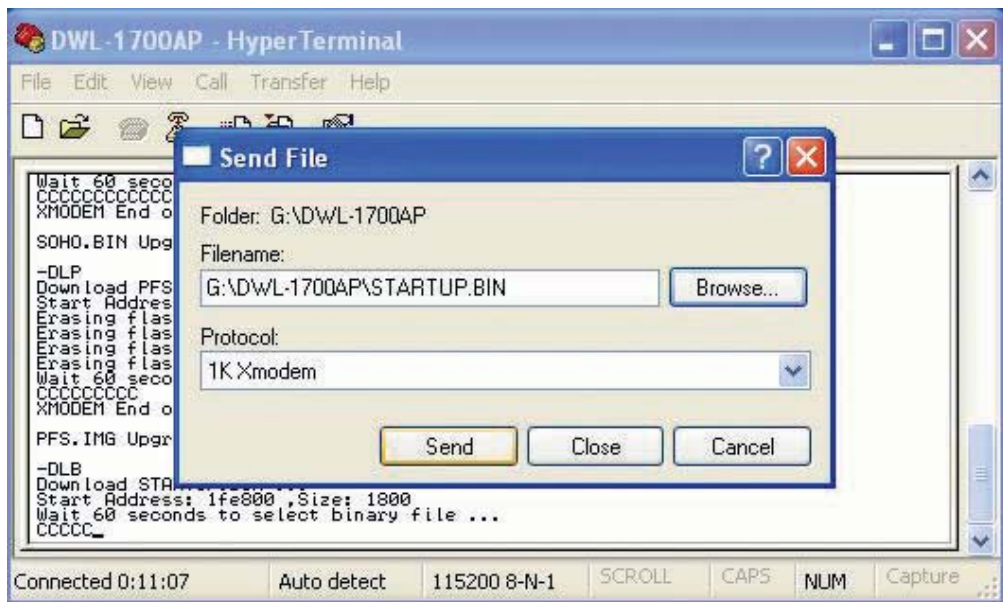


Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

Key in **DLB** and press **Enter** to upgrade the BIOS. When **CCC...** appears, select **Transfer > Send File**.

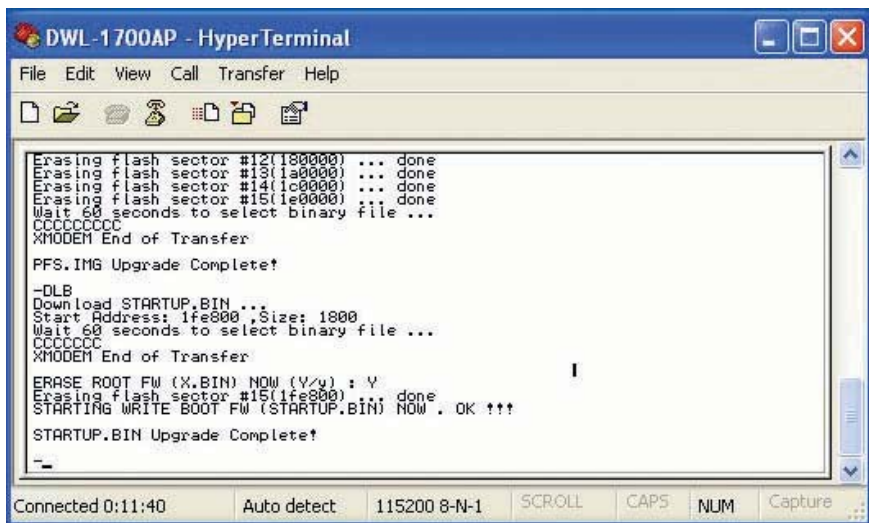
Set Protocol as **1K Xmodem**.

Key-in the correct filename (**STARTUP.BIN**) and path, then choose **Send** to start to upgrade the BIOS code.



Boot Code Firmware Upgrade (continued)

When **XMODEM End of Transfer** and **Erase Root FW (X.BIN) NOW (Y/y):** appears, type **Y** to update Flash.



```
DWL-1700AP - HyperTerminal
File Edit View Call Transfer Help

Erasing flash sector #12(180000) ... done
Erasing flash sector #13(1a0000) ... done
Erasing flash sector #14(1c0000) ... done
Erasing flash sector #15(1e0000) ... done
Wait 60 seconds to select binary file ...
CCCCCCC
XMODEM End of Transfer
PFS.IMG Upgrade Complete!

-dlb
Download STARTUP.BIN...
Start Address: 1fe800,Size: 1800
Wait 60 seconds to select binary file ...
CCCCCCC
XMODEM End of Transfer

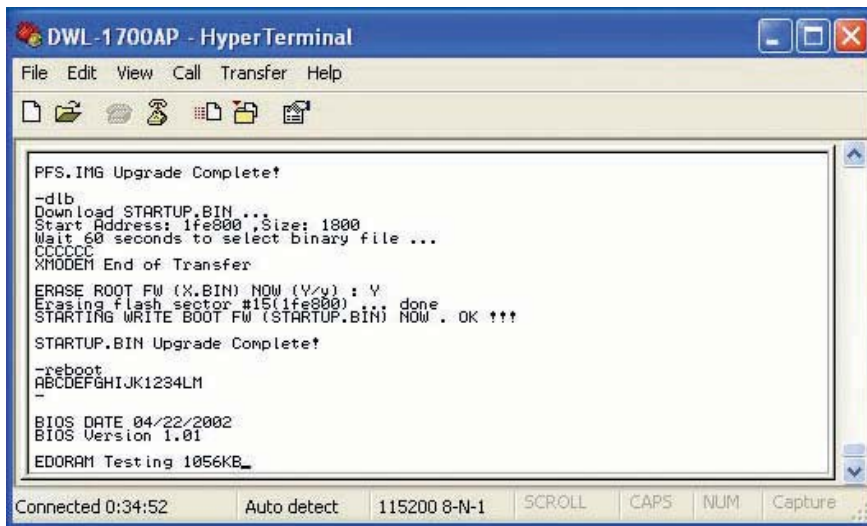
ERASE ROOT FW (X.BIN) NOW (Y/y) : Y
Erasing flash sector #15(1fe800) ... done
STARTING WRITE BOOT FW (STARTUP.BIN) NOW . OK !!!

STARTUP.BIN Upgrade Complete!
-

```

Connected 0:11:40 Auto detect 115200 8-N-1 SCROLL CAPS NUM Capture

After a successful upgrade, you will see **STARTUP.BIN Upgrade Complete!**



```
DWL-1700AP - HyperTerminal
File Edit View Call Transfer Help

PFS.IMG Upgrade Complete!

-dlb
Download STARTUP.BIN...
Start Address: 1fe800,Size: 1800
Wait 60 seconds to select binary file ...
CCCCCCC
XMODEM End of Transfer

ERASE ROOT FW (X.BIN) NOW (Y/y) : Y
Erasing flash sector #15(1fe800) ... done
STARTING WRITE BOOT FW (STARTUP.BIN) NOW . OK !!!

STARTUP.BIN Upgrade Complete!

-reboot
ABCDEFGHIJK1234LM
-

```

Connected 0:34:52 Auto detect 115200 8-N-1 SCROLL CAPS NUM Capture

Type in **reboot** to restart the DWL-1700AP.

Appendix 3:

Wireless Basics

D-Link wireless products are based on industry standards to provide easy-to-use and compatible high-speed wireless connectivity within your home, business or wherever a wireless network is available. D-Link wireless products will allow you access to the data you want, when and where you want it. You will be able to enjoy the freedom that wireless networking brings.

A wireless local area network (WLAN) is a cellular computer network that transmits and receives data with radio signals instead of wires. WLANs are used increasingly in both home and office environments, and public areas such as airports, coffee shops and universities. Innovative ways to utilize WLAN technology are helping people to work and communicate more efficiently. Increased mobility and the absence of cabling and other fixed infrastructure have proven to be beneficial for many users.

Wireless users can use the same applications they use on a wired network. Wireless adapter cards used on laptop and desktop systems support the same protocols as Ethernet adapter cards.

Under many circumstances, it may be desirable for mobile network devices to link to a conventional Ethernet LAN in order to use servers, printers or an Internet connection supplied through the wired LAN. A Wireless Access Point is a device that can be used to provide this link.

Wireless Basics (*continued*)

People use WLAN technology for many different purposes:

Mobility - Productivity increases when people have access to data in any location within the operating range of the WLAN. Management decisions based on real-time information can significantly improve worker efficiency.

Low Implementation Costs – WLANs are easy to set up, manage, change and relocate. Networks that frequently change can benefit from a WLAN's ease of implementation. WLANs can operate in locations where installation of wiring may be impractical.

Installation and Network Expansion - Installing a WLAN system can be fast and easy and can eliminate the need to pull cable through walls and ceilings. Wireless technology allows the network to go where wires cannot go-even outside the home or office.

Scalability – WLANs can be configured in a variety of ways to meet the needs of specific applications and installations. Configurations are easily changed and range from peer-to-peer networks suitable for a small number of users to larger infrastructure networks to accommodate hundreds or thousands of users, depending on the number of wireless devices deployed.

Technical Specifications

Standards

- IEEE 802.11b Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum (DSSS)

Device Management

- Web-Based- Internet Explorer v6 or later; Netscape Navigator v6 or later; or other Java-enabled browsers
- Console (RS-232) Configuration
- SNMP MIB I & MIB II

Wireless Operating Range

- Up to 1968 feet (600 meters)

Temperature

- Operating: -4°F to 158°F (-20°C to 70°C)
- Storing: -40°F to 176°F (-40°C to 80°C)

Humidity:

- 5% to 95% typical
- All-weather enclosure

Regulation Certifications:

- FCC Part15
- ETSI 300/328

Wireless Frequency Range:

- 2.4GHz to 2.497MHz

Data Rates & Modulation:

- 11 Mbps (CCK)
- 5.5 Mbps (CCK)
- 2 Mbps (DQPSK)
- 1 Mbps (DBPSK)

Transmit Power (including 5dBi antenna):

- 24dBm (250mW)

Technical Specifications (continued)

Receiver Sensitivity:

- <-84dBm @11Mbps
- <-90dBm @2Mbps

RF Connector:

- Proprietary N-type (Reverse Polarity)

Interface:

- 1 ports 10base-T/100Base-TX Ethernet for WAN/LAN
- UART for console

Firmware Upgrade:

- TFTP (Transparent FTP)
- Xmodem & 1K Xmodem

Physical Dimensions:

- L = 9.57 inches (243mm)
- W = 7.87 inches (200mm)
- H = 3.03 inches (77mm)

Wireless Transmit Power:

- 15dBm (32mW) \pm 2dB

Lightning Protector Surge Current:

- 20KA

Power Supply (PoE):

- Input: 100-240V AC 50-60Hz
- Output: -48V DC 0.7A

Technical Specifications (continued)

Protocol Supported:

- TCP/IP
- NAT/NAPT
- Virtual Server (NAT inbound server)
- DHCP client/server
- PPPoE
- Static Routing
- Ethernet Bridging

Security:

- 64/128-bit WEP (RC4)
- IEEE 802.1x port-based authentication
- MAC Address based access control
- 802.11b SSID hidden
- Denial Wireless 802.11b “ANY” station
- PPPoE authentication PAP/CHAP

Weight:

- 4.41 lbs.

Warranty:

- 1 year

Technical Support

You can find software updates and user documentation on the D-Link website.

D-Link provides free technical support for customers within the United States and within Canada for the duration of the warranty period on this product.

U.S. and Canadian customers can contact D-Link technical support through our web site, or by phone.

Tech Support for customers within the United States:

D-Link Technical Support over the Telephone:

(877) 453-5465

24 hours a day, seven days a week.

D-Link Technical Support over the Internet:

<http://support.dlink.com>

email:support@dlink.com

Tech Support for customers within Canada:

D-Link Technical Support over the Telephone:

(800) 361-5265

Monday to Friday 8:30am to 9:00pm EST

D-Link Technical Support over the Internet:

<http://support.dlink.ca>

email:support@dlink.ca

Subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, D-Link Systems, Inc. ("D-Link") provides this Limited warranty to its product only to the person or entity that originally purchased the product from:

- D-Link or its authorized reseller or distributor and
- Products purchased and delivered within the fifty states of the United States, the District of Columbia, U.S. Possessions or Protectorates, U.S. Military Installations, addresses with an APO or FPO.

Limited Warranty: D-Link warrants that the hardware portion of the D-Link products described below will be free from material defects in workmanship and materials from the date of original retail purchase of the product, for the period set forth below applicable to the product type ("Warranty Period"), except as otherwise stated herein.

1-Year Limited Warranty for the Product(s) is defined as follows:

- Hardware (excluding power supplies and fans) One (1) Year
- Power Supplies and Fans One (1) Year
- Spare parts and spare kits Ninety (90) days

D-Link's sole obligation shall be to repair or replace the defective Hardware during the Warranty Period at no charge to the original owner or to refund at D-Link's sole discretion. Such repair or replacement will be rendered by D-Link at an Authorized D-Link Service Office. The replacement Hardware need not be new or have an identical make, model or part. D-Link may in its sole discretion replace the defective Hardware (or any part thereof) with any reconditioned product that D-Link reasonably determines is substantially equivalent (or superior) in all material respects to the defective Hardware. Repaired or replacement Hardware will be warranted for the remainder of the original Warranty Period from the date of original retail purchase. If a material defect is incapable of correction, or if D-Link determines in its sole discretion that it is not practical to repair or replace the defective Hardware, the price paid by the original purchaser for the defective Hardware will be refunded by D-Link upon return to D-Link of the defective Hardware. All Hardware (or part thereof) that is replaced by D-Link, or for which the purchase price is refunded, shall become the property of D-Link upon replacement or refund.

Limited Software Warranty: D-Link warrants that the software portion of the product ("Software") will substantially conform to D-Link's then current functional specifications for the Software, as set forth in the applicable documentation, from the date of original retail purchase of the Software for a period of ninety (90) days ("Warranty Period"), provided that the Software is properly installed on approved hardware and operated as contemplated in its documentation. D-Link further warrants that, during the Warranty Period, the magnetic media on which D-Link delivers the Software will be free of physical defects. D-Link's sole obligation shall be to replace the non-conforming Software (or defective media) with software that substantially conforms to D-Link's functional specifications for the Software or to refund at D-Link's sole discretion. Except as otherwise agreed by D-Link in writing, the replacement Software is provided only to the original licensee, and is subject to the terms and conditions of the license granted by D-Link for the Software. Software will be warranted for the remainder of the original Warranty Period from the date or original retail purchase. If a material non-conformance is incapable of correction, or if D-Link determines in its sole discretion that it is not practical to replace the non-conforming Software, the price paid by the original licensee for the non-conforming Software will be refunded by D-Link; provided that the non-conforming Software (and all copies thereof) is first returned to D-Link. The license granted respecting any Software for which a refund is given automatically terminates.

Non-Applicability of Warranty: The Limited Warranty provided hereunder for hardware and software of D-Link's products will not be applied to and does not cover any refurbished product and any product purchased through the inventory clearance or liquidation sale or other sales in which D-Link, the sellers, or the liquidators expressly disclaim their warranty obligation pertaining to the product and in that case, the product is being sold "As-Is" without any warranty whatsoever including, without limitation, the Limited Warranty as described herein, notwithstanding anything stated herein to the contrary.

Submitting A Claim: The customer shall return the product to the original purchase point based on its return policy. In case the return policy period has expired and the product is within warranty, the customer shall submit a claim to D-Link as outlined below:

- The customer must submit with the product as part of the claim a written description of the Hardware defect or Software nonconformance in sufficient detail to allow D-Link to confirm the same.
- The original product owner must obtain a Return Material Authorization (“RMA”) number from the Authorized D-Link Service Office and, if requested, provide written proof of purchase of the product (such as a copy of the dated purchase invoice for the product) before the warranty service is provided.
- After an RMA number is issued, the defective product must be packaged securely in the original or other suitable shipping package to ensure that it will not be damaged in transit, and the RMA number must be prominently marked on the outside of the package. Do not include any manuals or accessories in the shipping package. D-Link will only replace the defective portion of the Product and will not ship back any accessories.
- The customer is responsible for all in-bound shipping charges to D-Link. No Cash on Delivery (“COD”) is allowed. Products sent COD will either be rejected by D-Link or become the property of D-Link. Products shall be fully insured by the customer. D-Link will not be held responsible for any packages that are lost in transit to D-Link. The repaired or replaced packages will be shipped to the customer via UPS Ground or any common carrier selected by D-Link, with shipping charges prepaid. Expedited shipping is available if shipping charges are prepaid by the customer and upon request.
- Return Merchandise Ship-To Address
USA: 53 Discovery Drive, Irvine, CA 92618
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