## D-Link AirPremier® DWL-G550 High-Speed 802.11g

High-Speed 802.11g Wireless PCI Adapter

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## **Package Contents**



## **Contents of Package:**

- D-Link AirPremier®DWL-G550 High-Speed 2.4 GHz/802.11g Wireless PCI Adapter
- Manual and Drivers on CD
- Quick Installation Guide

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

## System Requirements:

- A computer or laptop with an available 32-bit PCI slot
- Windows XP/2000/ME/98SE/Vista
- At least 64 MB of memory and a 500 MHz processor
- An 802.11g or 802.11b Access Point (for Infrastructure mode), or another 802.11g or 802.11b wireless adapter (for Ad-Hoc, Peer-to-Peer networking mode).

# Introduction

The D-Link AirPremier® DWL-G550 Wireless PCI Adapter is an 802.11g high-performance, wireless adapter that supports high-powered wireless networking at home, at work or in public places.

Unlike most network cards, the DWL-G550 provides data transfers at up to 108 Mbps. The 802.11g standard is backwards compatible with 802.11b products.

The DWL-G550 has the newest, strongest, and most advanced security features available today. When used with other 802.11 WPA/WPA2 (Wi-Fi Protected Access/Wi-Fi Protected Access 2<sup>™</sup>) and 802.1x compatible products in a network with a RADIUS server, the security features include:

- WPA/WPA2: Wi-Fi Protected Access/Wi-Fi Protected Access 2<sup>™</sup> which authorizes and identifies users based on a secret key that changes automatically at regular intervals. WPA/WPA2 uses TKIP (Temporal Key Integrity Protocol) to change the temporal key every 10,000 packets (a packet is a kind of message transmitted over a network.) This ensures much greater security than the standard WEP security. (By contrast, the older WEP encryption required the keys to be changed manually.)
- **802.1x:** Authentication which is a first line of defense against intrusion. In the authentication process, the Authentication Server\* verifies the identity of the client attempting to connect to the network. Unfamiliar clients would be denied access.

For home users that will <u>not</u> incorporate a RADIUS server in their network, the security for the DWL-G550, used in conjunction with other WPA/WPA2-compatible 802.11 products, will still be much stronger than ever before. Utilizing the **Pre Shared Key mode** of WPA/WPA2, the DWL-G550 will obtain a new security key every time it connects to the 802.11 network. You only need to input your encryption information once in the configuration menu. No longer will you have to manually input a new WEP key frequently to ensure security. With the DWL-G550, you will automatically receive a new key every time you connect, vastly increasing the safety of your communication.

# Features & Benefits

- Five times faster achieve data transfer speeds up to 108 Mbps; up to 5x faster than conventional 802.11b networks, when used with other 802.11a devices
- **Fully compliant with the 802.11b** standard and interoperable with all existing 802.11b compliant and 802.11g compliant devices
- Provides a simple and inexpensive way to connect your desktop computer to a wireless network at home, at the office, or in public places
- Quick and Easy Installation- The DWL-G550 installs quickly and easily into a standard PCI 2.2 slot in a desktop computer. By following the simple steps outlined in the Quick Installation Guide, you can connect to an available wireless network in a matter of seconds
- High Performance 32-bit PCI The high capacity PCI interface utilized by the DWL-G550 ensures optimal performance in transmitting a wireless signal within the desktop computer. By utilizing a standard PCI 2.2 interface, the DWL-G55 ensures a wide range of compatibility with motherboards used by PC manufacturers
- Operates in the 2.4GHz frequency range
- Maximum reliability, throughput and connectivity with automatic data rate switching
- **Supports Infrastructure** networks via an access point and Peer-to-Peer communication in Ad-Hoc mode
- User-friendly configuration and diagnostic utilities
- **Provides a measure of security** for the information transmitted over a wireless network with high data encryption at 64-, 128-, and 152-bit WEP
- Stronger Security than ever before with WPA/WPA2 Wi-Fi Protected Access/Wi-Fi Protected Access 2<sup>™</sup> authorizes and identifies users based on a secret key that changes automatically at regular intervals, for example:
  - TKIP (Temporal Key Integrity Protocol), in conjunction with a RADIUS server, changes the temporal key every 10,000 packets, ensuring greater security
  - Pre-Shared Key mode means that the home user, without a RADIUS server, will obtain a new security key every time he or she connects to the network, vastly improving the safety of communications on the network
- Extra Protection 802.1x Authentication in conjunction with the RADIUS server verifies the identity of wireless clients wishing to gain access to the WLAN

# **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 public access wireless networks. 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 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.

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 WLANs 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.

**Inexpensive Solution -** Wireless network devices are as competitively priced as conventional Ethernet network devices.

### Wireless Basics (continued)

The DWL-G550 is compatible with 802.11g and 802.11b wireless products, which include:

- D-Link Air DWL-650,D-Link AirPlus DWL-650+,
   D-Link AirPremier<sup>®</sup> DWL-G680
   2.4GHz Wireless Cardbus Adapter used with laptop computers
- D-Link Air DWL-520, D-Link AirPlus DWL-520+ 2.4GHz Wireless PCI cards used with desktop computers
- D-Link AirPlus DWL-900AP+, D-Link AirPlus Xtreme G<sup>TM</sup> DWL-2100AP 2.4GHz Wireless Access Points
- D-Link AirPlus DI-614+, DI-714P+ 2.4GHz Wireless Routers

## Standards-Based Technology

The DWL-G550 Wireless PCI Adapter utilizes the new 802.11g standard.

The IEEE **802.11g** standard is an extension of the 802.11b standard. It increases the data rate up to 54 Mbps within the 2.4GHz band, utilizing **OFDM technology**.

This means that in most environments, within the specified range of this device, you will be able to transfer large files quickly or even watch a movie in MPEG format over your network without noticeable delays. This technology works by transmitting high-speed digital data over a radio wave utilizing **OFDM** (Orthogonal Frequency **D**ivision **M**ultiplexing) technology. **OFDM** works by splitting the radio signal into multiple smaller sub-signals that are then transmitted simultaneously at different frequencies to the receiver. **OFDM** reduces the amount of **crosstalk** (interference) in signal transmissions. The D-Link DWL-G550 will automatically sense the best possible connection speed to ensure the greatest speed and range possible.

802.11g offers the most advanced network security features available today, including: WPA/WPA2, 802.1x, TKIP, AES and Pre-Shared Key mode. These security features are explained in more detail in the Introduction and the Features section of this manual.

The DWL-G550 is backwards compatible with 802.11b devices. This means that if you have an existing 802.11b network, the devices in that network will be compatible with 802.11g devices at speeds up to 11Mbps in the 2.4GHz range.

## Wireless Basics (continued)

#### Installation Considerations

The D-Link *Air*Premier<sup>®</sup> DWL-G550 lets you access your network using a wireless connection from virtually anywhere within its operating range. Keep in mind, however, that the number, thickness and location of walls, ceilings, or other objects that the wireless signals must pass through, may limit the range. Typical ranges vary depending on the types of materials and background RF (radio frequency) noise in your home or business. The key to maximizing wireless range is to follow these basic guidelines:

- 1 Keep the number of walls and ceilings between the DWL-G550 and other network devices to a minimum - each wall or ceiling can reduce your DWL-G550 range from 3-90 feet (1-30 meters.) Position your devices so that the number of walls or ceilings is minimized.
- 2 Be aware of the direct line between network devices. A wall that is 1.5 feet thick (.5 meters), at a 45-degree angle appears to be almost 3 feet (1 meter) thick. At a 2-degree angle it looks over 42 feet (14 meters) thick! Position devices so that the signal will travel straight through a wall or ceiling (instead of at an angle) for better reception.
- 3 Building materials can impede the wireless signal a solid metal door or aluminum studs may have a negative effect on range. Try to position wireless devices and computers with wireless adapters so that the signal passes through drywall or open doorways and not other materials.
- 4 Keep your product away (at least 3-6 feet or 1-2 meters) from electrical devices or appliances that generate RF noise.

# **Getting Started**

With its default settings, the DWL-G550, when activated, will connect with other D-Link *Air*Premier<sup>®</sup> products, right out of the box.

There are basically two modes of networking:

- Infrastructure using an Access Point or Router, such as the DI-624
- Ad-Hoc directly connecting to another computer, for peer-topeer communication, using wireless network adapters on each computer, such as two or more DWL-G550 wireless network adapters

On the following pages we will show you an example of an **Infrastructure Network** and an **Ad-Hoc Network**.

An **Infrastructure** network contains an Access Point or Router. The **Infrastructure Network** example shown on the following page contains the following D-Link network devices (your existing network may be comprised of other devices):

- A wireless Router D-Link AirPlus Xtreme G®DI-624
- A desktop computer with a wireless adapter D-Link AirPremier® DWL-G550, D-Link AirPlus Xtreme G
   DWL-G520, or D-Link AirPlus DWL-520+
- A Cable modem D-Link DCM-201

## LEDs

LED stands for Light-Emitting Diode.

#### Power:

Solid green light indicates connection to the network

#### Action:

Blinking green light indicates activity on the network



#### Getting Started (continued) Setting up a Wireless Infrastructure Network



Please remember that **D-Link AirPremier®** wireless devices are pre-configured to connect together, right out of the box, with their default settings.

For a typical wireless setup at home (as shown above), please do the following:

You will need broadband Internet access (a Cable or DSL-subscriber line into your home or office).



Consult with your Cable or DSL provider for proper installation of the modem.



Connect the Cable or DSL modem to your broadband router (see the **Quick** *Installation Guide* included with your router.)



Install the D-Link *Air*Premier® DWL-G550 Wireless PCI Adapter into an available PCI slot on your desktop computer. (See the **Quick Installation Guide** included with the DWL-G550.)



Install the D-Link AirPremier®DWL-G680 Wireless PC Card Adapter into a laptop computer.

(See the Quick Installation Guide included with the DWL-G680.)



If you wish, you may connect a computer that is equipped with an Ethernet network adapter (such as a DFE-530TX+) to the router also.



A RADIUS Server is optional. Connect a RADIUS Server to your network to use all the features of WPA/WPA2. (Without a RADIUS Server you can still use the *WPA/WPA2 Pre-Shared Key* mode.) RADIUS Authentication can also be provided by another service provider over the Internet and remote to your network site. 10

### Getting Started (continued) Setting up a Wireless Ad Hoc Network





Install the DWL-G550 into the desktop computer. (See the **Quick Installation Guide** included with the product for installation instructions.)



Install the DWL-G680 Wireless PC Card Adapter into a laptop computer. (See the **Quick Installation Guide** included with the product.)



Set the wireless configuration for the adapters to Ad-Hoc mode, set the adapters to the same channel, and assign an IP Address to each computer on the Ad-Hoc network. (See Box below).

## **IP Address**

When assigning IP Addresses to the computers on the network, please remember that the IP Address for each computer must be in the same IP Address range as all the computers in the network, and the subnet mask must be exactly the same for all the computers in the network.

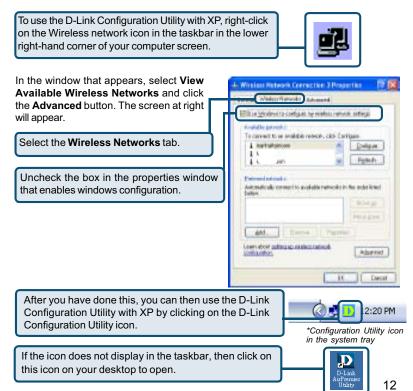
For example: If the first computer is assigned an IP Address of 192.168.0.2 with a Subnet Mask of 255.255.255.0, then the second computer can be assigned an IP Address of 192.168.0.3 with a Subnet Mask of 255.255.255.0, etc.

IMPORTANT: If computers or other devices are assigned the same IP Address, one or more of the devices may not be visible on the network.

# **Using the Configuration Utility**

D-Link AirPremier® DWL-G550 uses the Configuration Utility as the management software. The utility provides the user an easy interface to change any settings related to the wireless adapter. After you have completed the installation of the DWL-G550 (refer to the Quick Installation Guide that came with your purchase) whenever you start the computer, the Configuration Utility starts automatically and the system tray icon is loaded in the toolbar (see illustration below\*.) Clicking on the utility icon will start the Configuration Utility. Another way to start the Configuration Utility is to click on Start>Programs>D-Link AirPremier>D-Link AirPremier Client Utility.

If you are using Windows XP, you can use either the Zero Configuration Utility or the D-Link Configuration Utility.



After clicking on the Configuration Utility icon, the Link Info screen will display the settings for the DWL-G550:

#### Status:

Displays the MAC Address of the Access Point or Router to which the DWL-G550 is associated

#### SSID:

The Service Set Identifier is the name assigned to the wireless network. The factory SSID setting is **default**.

#### **Frequency:**

802.11g indicates that the DWL-G550 is communicating in the 2.4GHz band.

#### Wireless Mode:

## D D-Link AirPremier Client Utility

	Status Associated BSSID=00.0F:3D:FA:4F:6A
Link Info	SSID default
	Frequency 802.11g
	Wireless Mode Infrastructure
Advanced	Encryption Enabled
<ul> <li>Advanced</li> </ul>	Connection Info Connected
Site Survey	Tx Rate 54.0 Mbps
	Channel 149 Rescan
About	F Signal Quality
	Signal Strength 66%
	Packet Count
	Transmit >500
	250

Either **Infrastructure** or **Ad-Hoc** will be displayed here. (Please see the *Getting Started* section in this manual for an explanation of these two modes.)

#### **Encryption:**

You can see if WEP (Wired Equivalent Privacy) is Enabled or Disabled here.

#### Tx Rate:

Tx Rate settings are automatically determined for an optimal speed up to a maximum of 54Mbps.

#### Channel:

The channel selection is automatically determined by the DWL-G550.

#### Signal Strength:

Displays the Link Quality for the DWL-G550 wireless connection to the Access Point. The Signal Strength represents the wireless signal between the Access Point and the DWL-G550. The percentage coincides with the graphical bar.

#### Packet Count:

Displays the statistics of the data packets that are transmitted and received.

#### **Rescan Button:**

Rescans for the strongest signal in your environment and associates with that Access Point or Router.

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Configuration

After you have configured the network through the Site Survey section of the D-Link AirPremier Utility, you can make minor adjustments and check on settings in this **Configuration** screen.

For a complete explanation of the configuration of a network, please refer to the **Site Survey** section in this chapter.

D D-Link AirPremier Client Utility			
Link Info	SSID	default	
P Link into	Wireless Mode	Infrastructure 💌	
Configuration	Data Encryption	Enabled	
	Authentication	Open -	
Advanced	Key Length	128 bits (104+24) - 26 Hexadecimal 💌	
▶ Site Surveγ	IEEE802.1X	Disabled	
About	<b>O</b> 1	*****	
P About	0 2		
	03	****	
	04	****	
		Authentication Config	
	IP Settings		
		Apply	

#### SSID:

Service Set Identifier is a name that identifies a wireless network. Access Points and wireless devices attempting to connect to a specific WLAN (Wireless Local Area Network) must use the same SSID. The default setting is **default**.

#### Wireless Mode:

Click on the pull-down menu; select from the following options:

**Infrastructure** - connecting to the WLAN using an Access Point. (This is the **default** setting).

**Ad-Hoc** - wireless mode used when connecting directly to a computer equipped with a wireless adapter in a peer-to-peer environment.

#### **Data Encryption:**

Select Enabled or Disabled.

#### Authentication:

Choose one of the following modes:

Open Authentication - the DWL-G550 is visible to all devices on the network

Shared Authentication - allows communication only with other devices with identical WEP settings

**WPA/WPA2** - Wi-Fi Protected Access/Wi-Fi Protected Access 2<sup>™</sup> which authorizes and identifies users based on a secret key that changes automatically at a regular interval. (A RADIUS Server is required for this mode.)

WPA-PSK/WPA2-PSK - WPA/WPA2 Pre-Shared Key mode ensures that the DWL-G550 will obtain a new security key every time it connects to the 802.11 network.(A RADIUS Server is not required for this mode.)14

#### Key Length:

Select the key length and either ASCII or hexadecimal format.

#### IEEE 802.1x:

Authentication which is a first line of defense against intrusion. In the Authentication process the Authentication Server\* verifies the identity of the client attempting to connect to the network. Unfamiliar clients are denied access.

#### Keys 1-4:

Select the default key

**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

### **IP Settings**

When you click **IP Settings** in the Configuration window, this pop-up screen will appear. Configure the IP Settings in this window.

IP Settings
Obtain an IP Address Automatically
C Assign the following IP Address
IP Address
Subnet Mask
Default Gateway
Obtain DNS Server Address Automatically     Use the following DNS Server address     Preferred DNS Server     Alternate DNS Server
Apply with profile proxy Proxy OK Cancel

Click Apply to save changes.

#### **Frequency:**

Select the Frequency

#### Starting Ad-Hoc Network:

Select the Ad-Hoc Network

#### Ad-Hoc Channel:

All devices in the Ad-Hoc network must be set to the same channel

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#### **Profile IP Settings:**

You can **Enable** or **Disable** the *IP* Settings portion of your profile here. If you select **Disable** you will need to configure the IP Address information each time you connect to a network. If you select **Enable** you will maintain the same IP Address information each time you connect to a network.

#### **Power Mode:**

**Disable** -this default setting consumes the most power **Enable** - this setting consumes the least power.

#### Launch Utility on Startup: Select Enable or Disable

#### **Data Packet Parameter:**

Set the Fragmentation Threshold and the RTS Threshold. Please see below.

#### **Fragmentation Threshold:**

This value should remain at its default setting of 2432. If you experience a high packet error rate, you may slightly increase your Fragmentation Threshold within the value range of 256 to 2432. Setting the Fragmentation Threshold too low may result in poor performance.

#### **RTS Threshold:**

This value should remain at its default setting of 2432. If inconsistent data flow is a problem, only a minor modification should be made.

Click Apply if you have made any changes

#### D-Link AirPremier Client Utility x Frequency Auto -Super A/G Enable Configuration Starting Ad Hoc Network 2.4GHz • Advanced • Adhoc Channel Channel 6 Ŧ Profile IP Settings Enable Ahout Power Mode Disable • Launch Utility on Startup Enable • Data Packet Parameter 2346 Fragmentation Threshold RTS Threshold 2346

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#### Available Network:

The top section of the window displays the **Available Networks**. Scroll up and down the list and highlight the network to which you wish to connect. Click on the **Connect** button.

#### Profile:

In the lower half of the screen, you can manage the profiles that you have created for the wireless network at home, at the office and in public places. Scroll up and down and highlight the profile that you wish to configure. You can **Add** or **Remove** a profile, or configure the **Properties** of the profile in order to connect with an available network.

#### **Refresh:**

Click on **Refresh** to get the most updated list of available networks.

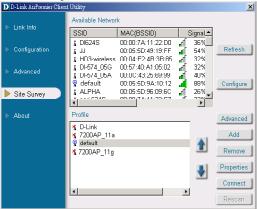
#### Configure:

Highlight an existing network and click **Configure**; the configuration window on the next page will appear.

#### Advanced:

Highlight a network; click Advanced and the screen on the next page will appear.

### Site Survey



#### Add:

Click Add and the screen on the next page will appear.

#### Remove:

Highlight a network profile; click Remove to remove a network from the profile list.

#### **Properties:**

Highlight a network profile; click **Properties** and the screen on the next page will appear.

#### Connect:

Highlight a network profile; click Connect to connect to that network.

#### Rescan:

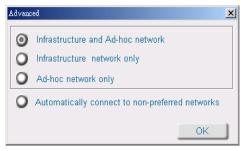
Click Rescan to rescan and connect to the strongest signal.

## Using the Configuration Utility (continued) Site Survey > Add

In this window you can select the type of network connection.

Click **OK** to save the changes.

### Advanced



If you clicked on **Add**, you can configure, in this window, all the properties of a profile that you wish to add to the network.

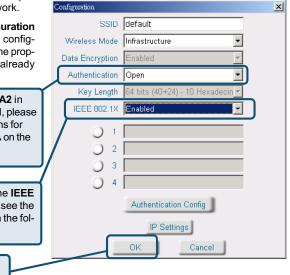
If you clicked on **Configuration** or **Properties** you can configure, in this window, all the properties of a profile that already exists in the network.

If you select **WPA/WPA2** in the *Authentication* field, please see detailed instructions for configuring WPA/WPA on the following pages.

If you choose to use the **IEEE 802.1x** feature, please see the detailed instructions on the following pages.

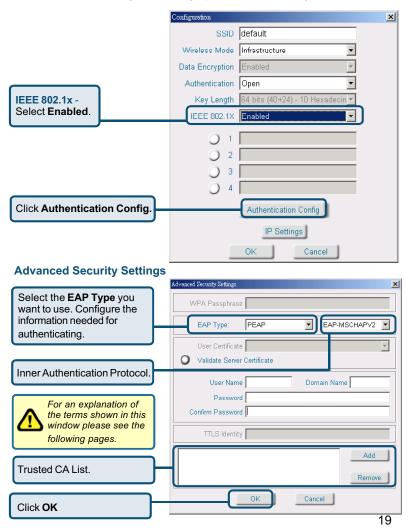
Click **OK** to save the changes.

## **Configuration, Add or Properties**



## Using the Configuration Utility (continued) Site Survey > Configuration > 802.1x

To use 802.1x and to configure its settings, please do the following:



## Using the Configuration Utility (continued) 802.1x > Advanced Security Settings > EAP Types

EAP Type	Inner Authentication Protocol	Information needed for Authenticating
EAP-TLS		Certificate User Name
EAP- MSCHAPv2		User Name Password Domain Name
LEAP		User Name Password
	PAP	TTLS Identity User Name Password
EAP-TTLS	СНАР	TTLS Identity User Name Password
	MSCHAP	TTLS Identity User Name Password Domain Name
	MSCHAPv2	TTLS Identity User Name Password Domain Name

### Using the Configuration Utility (continued) 802.1x > Advanced Security Settings > EAP Types (continued)

EAP Type	Inner Authentication Protocol	Information needed for Authenticating
	EAP-MD5	TTLS Identity User Name Password
EAP-TTLS	EAP- Generic Token card	TTLS Identity User Name Password
	EAP-MSCHAPv2	TTLS Identity User Name Password Domain Name
	EAP-MD5	User Name Password
PEAP	EAP-MSCHAPv2	User Name Password Domain Name
	EAP- Generic Token card	User Name Password

### 802.1x > Advanced Security Settings > Definitions of Terms

### Validate Server Certificate:

Check **Validate Server Certificate** to verify the identity of the authentication server based on its certificate when using EAP-TTLS, PEAP, and EAP-TLS. (This is checked by default.)

Certain protocols, such as EAP-TTLS, PEAP, and EAP-TLS, allow you to verify the identity of the authentication server as the server verifies your identity. This is called mutual authentication.

You can select trusted authentication server certificates using the **Add** button at the **Trusted CA List** (at the bottom of the **Advanced Security Settings** page).

### Using the Configuration Utility (continued) 802.1x > Advanced Security Settings > Definitions of Terms (continued)

#### Domain Name:

Each server has a domain name that uniquely identifies it. That domain name is normally contained in the *Subject CN* field of the server certificate. A server domain name ends with the name of a larger administrative domain, to which the server belongs.

#### **TTLS Identity:**

Tunneled Transport Layer Security satisfies a requirement for strong encryption and mutual authentication on Wireless networks. EAP-TTLS has a unique feature that other protocols do not offer. Because it sets up an encrypted tunnel for your credentials, it is also able to pass your login name through that tunnel. That means that not only are your credentials secure from eavesdropping, but your identity is protected as well. Thus, with EAP-TTLS you have two identities: an inner one, and an outer one. The inner identity is your actual user name. Your outer identity can be completely anonymous. Set your outer identity in the *TTLS Identity* field.

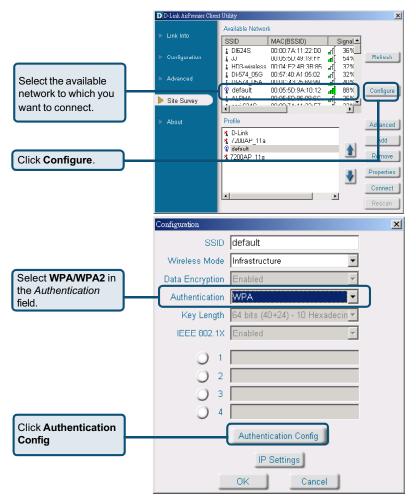
#### Trusted CA List:

The **Trusted CA List** allows you to configure which authentication servers you trust for the purpose of logging you in to the network.

Click Add at the Trusted CA List at the bottom of the *Advanced Security Settings* page. Select the Trusted CA that you want to add and click OK.

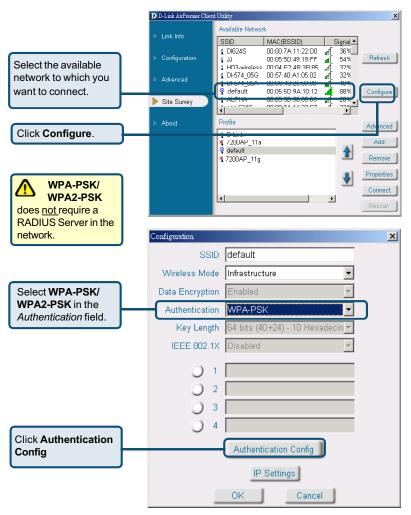
Trust CA I	ist		×
Selec	t the Trust CA:		
Π			•
	ОК	Cancel	

## Using the Configuration Utility (continued) Authentication > WPA/WPA2



After you click **Authentication Config**, the *Advanced Security Settings* screen will appear. Complete the *Advanced Security Settings* configuration. Please see pages 19-22 of this manual to find out more about the *Advanced Security Settings*.

## Using the Configuration Utility (continued) Authentication > WPA-PSK/WPA2-PSK



## Using the Configuration Utility (continued) Authentication > WPA-PSK/WPA2-PSK (continued)

### Advanced Security Settings

	Advanced Security Settings	×
Enter the WPA/WPA2 Passphrase.	WPA Passphrase	
	EAP Type:	Y
	User Certificate	<u>_</u>
	Validate Server Certificate	
	User Name Password	Domain Name
	Confirm Password	
	TTLS Identity	
Click <b>OK</b> .		Add
The configuration is done.	ОК	Cancel

# **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 <u>http://www.homenethelp.com</u> and <u>http://www.microsoft.com/windows2000</u> for information about networking computers using Windows 2000.

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



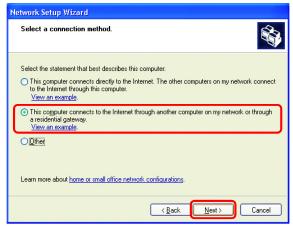
When this screen appears, click Next.

Please follow all the instructions in this window:

Network Setup Wizard			
Before you continue			
Before you continue, review the <u>checklist for creating a network</u> . Then, complete the following steps: • Install the network cards, moderns, and cables. • Turn on all computers, printers, and external moderns. • Connect to the Internet. When you click. Next, the wizard will search for a shared Internet connection on your network.			
Cancel			

#### 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

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

Network Setup Wizard			
G	Give this computer a description and name.		
-			
Ē	omputer description:	Mary's Computer	
		Examples: Family Room Computer or Monica's Computer	
	omputer name:	Office	
	he current computer name earn more about <u>computer</u>		
		<back next=""> Cancel</back>	

#### Click Next

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

N	etwork Setup Wizard		
	Name your network.	<b>\$</b>	
	Name your network by specifying a workgroup name below. All computers on your network should have the same workgroup name.		
Iſ	Workgroup name:	Accounting	
ι		Examples: HOME or OFFICE	
		< <u>B</u> ack Next> Cancel	

Click Next

Please wait while the Network Setup Wizard applies the changes.

Network Setup Wizard			
Ready to apply network settings			
The wizard will apply the following settings. This process may take a few minutes to complete and cannot be interrupted.			
Network settings: Computer description: Mary's Computer Computer name: Office Workgroup name: Accounting The Shared Documents folder and any printers connected to this computer have been ohared.			
To apply these settings .click Next.			
(Back Next) Cancel			

When the changes are complete, click Next.

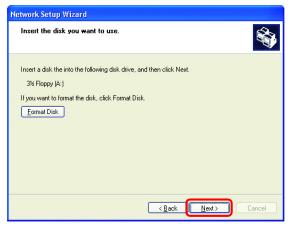
Please wait while the **Network Setup Wizard** configures the computer. This may take a few minutes.



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**.

Network Setup Wizard
You're almost done
You need to run the Network Setup Wizard once on each of the computers on your network. To run the wizard on computers that are not running Windows XP, you can use the Windows XP CD or a Network Setup Disk.
What do you want to do?
⊙ Create a Network Setup Disk
◯ <u>U</u> se the Network Setup Disk I already have
O Use my Windows XP CD
Oust finish the wizard; I don't need to run the wizard on other computers
< <u>B</u> ack Next > Cancel

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



Copying	
Please wait while the wizard copies files	
C	Cancel

Please read the information under **Here show** 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. To continue click **Next**.

Network Setup Wizard
To run the wizard with the Network Setup Disk
Complete the wizard and restart this computer. Then, use the Network Setup Disk to run the Network Setup Wizard once on each of the other computers on your network. Here's how: 1. Insert the Network Setup Disk into the next computer you want to network. 2. Open My Computer and then open the Network Setup Disk. 3. Double-click "netsetup."
Karl         Mext >         Cancel

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.

System	Settings Change	
?	You must restart your computer before the new settings will take effect. Do you want to restart your computer now?	

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.

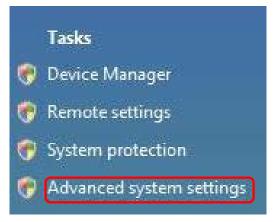
## Networking Basics (continued) Naming Your Computer

To name your computer in Windows VISTA, please follow these directions:

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



Click the Advanced system setting



- 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.

omputer Name	Hardware	Advanced	System Protection	Remote
omputer Manie	Haroware	Advanced	System Protection	Remote
	ws uses the network.	e following inf	ormation to identify y	our compute
Computer descrip	otion:			
		or example: " omputer".	Kitchen Computer" o	r "Mary's
Full computer na	me: te	st2-PC		
Workgroup:	W	WORKGROUP		
To rename this c	omputer, cli	ick Change.		Change

## Networking Basics (continued) Naming Your Computer

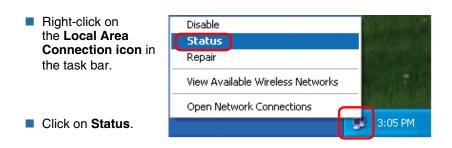
- In this window, enter the Computer name.
- Enter the name of the Workgroup.
- All computers on your network must have the same Workgroup name.

Click OK.

Computer Name Changes	
You can change the name and workg computer. You cannot join a computer Home Basic to a domain. More informa	running Windows Vista***
Computer name:	
test2-PC	
Full computer name: test2-PC	More
	Wore
Workgroup:	
WORKGROUP	
	K Cancel

## **Checking the IP Address**

In Windows XP



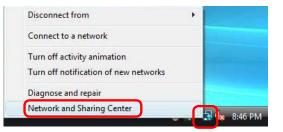
## Networking Basics (continued) Checking the IP Address in Windows XP

This window will appear.		ction 7 Status 🛛 🕐 🔀
Click the Support tab.	General Support Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Address Type: IP Address:	Assigned by DHCP 192.168.0.114
	Subnet Mask: Default Gateway:	255.255.255.0 192.168.0.1 Details
Click Close.	Repair	
		<u>C</u> lose

## **Checking the IP Address**

In Windows VISTA

- Right-click on the Wireless Network Connection icon in the task bar.
- Click on Network and Sharing Center.



### Networking Basics (continued) Checking the IP Address

### In Windows Vista

This window will appear.

Click the View Status.

TEST2-F (This comp		Internet
dlink-624 (Public net		Customize
Access	Local and Internet	
Connection	Wireless Network Connection 4 (dlink-624)	View status
	Jul Signal strength: Excellent	Disconnect

View full map

Network and Sharing Center

 Click on the Detail.

Click	Close.

General	
Connection	
IPv4 Connectivity:	Internet
IPv6 Connectivity:	Limited
Media State:	Enabled
SSID:	dlink-624
Duration:	00:46:16
Speed:	54.0 Mbps
Signal Quality:	Ullee
Details	
Activity	Cash Reviewed
	Sent — Received
Bytes:	7,180 26,142

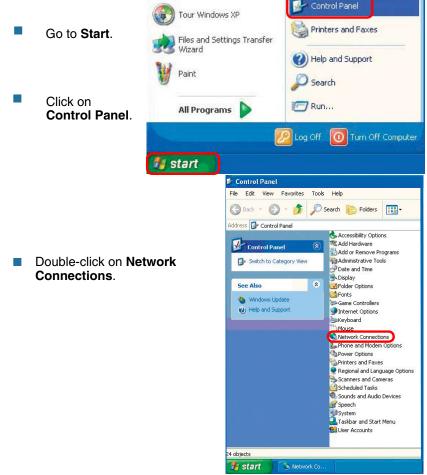
Property	Value
Connection-specific DN	
Description	D-Link AirPlus G DWL-G122 Wireless US
Physical Address	00-15-E9-32-66-8B
DHCP Enabled	Yes
IPv4 IP Address	192.168.174.105
IPv4 Subnet Mask	255.255.255.0
Lease Obtained	Tuesday, January 18, 2005 8:43:48 PM
Lease Expires	Tuesday, January 25, 2005 8:43:47 PM
IPv4 Default Gateway	192.168.174.1
IPv4 DHCP Server	192.168.174.1
IPv4 DNS Server	192.168.174.1
IPv4 WINS Server	
NetBIOS over Topip En	Yes
Link-local IPv6 Address	fe80::9199:2bff:9ca7:8197%14
IPv6 Default Gateway	
IPv6 DNS Server	
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### Networking Basics (continued) Assigning a Static IP Address

Note: Many 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 router you will not need to assign static IP addresses.

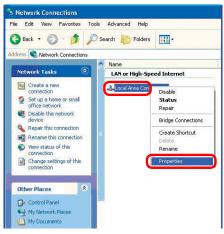
If you are not using a DHCP capable router, or you need to assign a static IP address, please follow these instructions:

#### In Windows XP/ 2000



### **Networking Basics (continued)**

- Right-click on Local Area Connections.
- Click on Properties.



#### Click on Internet Protocol (TCP/IP).

Click Properties.

🕂 Wireless Network Connection Properties 🛛 🛛 🔀
General Wireless Networks Advanced
Connect using:
B-Link AirPlus <sup>®</sup> G DWL-G122 Wireless USB Adapter
Configure
This connection uses the following items:
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Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)
Install Uninstall Properties
Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol. The default wide area network protocol that provides communication across diverse interconnected networks.
Show icon in notification area when connected
OK Cancel

### **Networking Basics (continued)**

- 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.)

Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Prope	rties 🛛 🕐 🔀
General	
You can get IP settings assigned auton this capability. Otherwise, you need to a the appropriate IP settings.	
O Obtain an IP address automatical	y
Use the following IP address:	
IP address:	192.168.0.2
S <u>u</u> bnet mask:	255.255.255.0
Default gateway:	· · ·
O Dbtain DNS server address autom	natically
⊙ Use the following DNS server add	Iresses:
Preferred DNS server:	
Alternate DNS server:	· · ·
	Advanced
	OK Cancel

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

Click OK.

#### In Windows VISTA

 Right Click on Wireless Network Connection icon in the task bar
 Click Network and Sharing Center
 Disconnect from
 Connect to a network
 Connect to a network
 Turn off activity animation
 Turn off notification of new networks
 Diagnose and repair
 Network and Sharing Center

## **Networking Basics (continued)**



Click on View Status .

Network and Sharing Ce	nter	
		View full map
TEST2-PC (This computer)	dink-624	Internet
dlink-624 (Public network)		Customize
Access	Local and Internet	
Connection	Wireless Network Connection 4 (dlink-624)	View status
	Signal strength: Excellent	Disconnect

Click on Properties .

eneral		
Connection		
IPv4 Connectiv	vity:	Internet
IPv6 Connectiv	vity:	Limited
Media State:		Enabled
SSID:		dlink-624
Duration:		00:49:25
Speed:		54.0 Mbps
Signal Quality:	]	llee
Activity	100	
	Sent —	Received
Bytes:	7,180	26,142
Properties	Disable Diag	gnose

### Networking Basics (continued) Assigning a Static IP Address

- Click on Internet Protocol (TCP/IPv4).
- 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.)

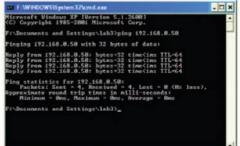
Click OK.

Connect using:	G DWL-G122 Wire	eless USB Adapter
-		Configure
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s capability. Otherwise, you nee	utomatically if your network supports ed to ask your network administrator
r the appropriate IP settings.	
🖱 Obtain an IP address automa	tically
Use the following IP address	
IP address:	192 . 168 . 0 . 100
Subnet mask:	255 . 255 . 255 . 0
Default gateway:	4 4 A
Obtain DNS server address a	
Use the following DNS server Preferred DNS server:	addresses:
Alternate DNS server:	· · ·
	Advanced

#### Networking Basics (continued) Checking the Wireless Connection by <u>Pinging in Windows XP and 2000\*</u>

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 aood wireless connection will show four replies from the Wireless Router or Access Point, as shown.



#### Checking the Wireless Connection by Pinging in Windows VISTA

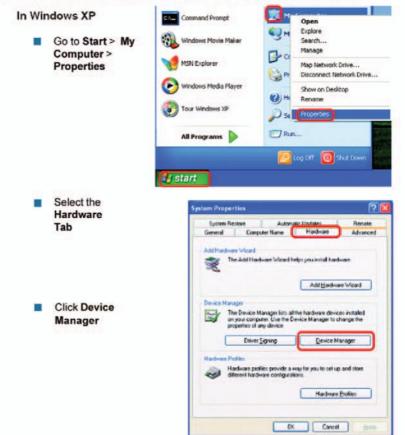
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ticrosoft Vindows [Version 6.0.6000] Spyright (c) 2006 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.	
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Go to Start > Start Search > type cmd. A window similar to this one will appear. Type ping xxx.xxx.xxx, 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.

# Troubleshooting

This chapter provides solutions to problems that can occur during the installation and operation of the DWL-G550. Read the following descriptions if you are having problems. (The examples below are illustrated in Windows Vista/Windows XP. If you have another operating system, these solutions will still apply although the appearance on your computer screen may differ.)

1. Check that the drivers for the DWL-G550 are installed properly.



- Double-click 🚇 Device Manager on Network File Action View Help Adapters + -> 🖪 🖆 🚭 😫 🔫 🗙 👧 🖃 🚇 PM + 💘 Batteries + 🚽 Computer + Disk drives Right-click on D-Link 🗄 📴 Display adapters AirPremier®DWL-G550 🗉 🌉 DVD/CD-ROM drives Floppy disk controllers
   Joppy disk drives Wireless PCI Adapter 🗄 🗃 IDE ATA/ATAPI controllers 🗄 👰 Infrared devices 🗄 🧼 Keyboards Mice and other pointing devices
   Monitors r DWL-G550 Wireless PCI Adapter 🕮 D-Link PCMCIA adapters 🗄 🍠 Ports (COM & LPT) Select Properties + R Processors to check that the drivers are
- Look under Device Status to check that the device is working properly

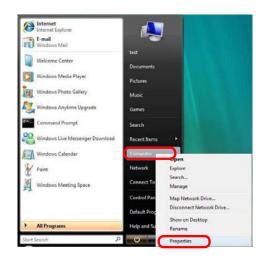
installed properly

-Link A	\irPremier DW	/L-G550 Wierless PCI Adapter 🛛 🛜
ieneral	Advanced Driv	er Resources
田田	D-Link AirPremie	r DWL-G550 Wierless PCI Adapter
	Device type:	Network adapters
	Manufacturer:	D-Link
	Location:	PCI bus 129, device 0, function 0
If you	device is working proble u are having proble the troubleshooter.	ms with this device, click Troubleshoot to
Davias		Troubleshoot
Device Use thi	usage: is device (enable)	~
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		OK Cancel

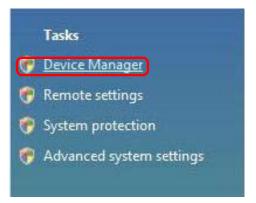


#### In Windows VISTA

Go to Start > Computer > Properties.







- Double-click on Network Adapters.
- Right-click on
   D-Link AirPlus<sup>®</sup> G
   DWL-G122 Wireless
   USB Adapter.
- Select Properties to check that the drivers are installed properly.
- D-Link AirPlus G DWL-G122 Wireless USB Adapter(rev.C) Pro... General Advanced Driver Details D-Link AirPlus G DWL-G122 Wireless USB D-Link AirPlus® G DWL-G122 Wireless USB Adapter Device type: Network adapters Manufacturer: D-Link Port\_#0005.Hub\_#0003 Location: Device status This device is working properly 2 OK Cancel
- Look under Device Status to check that the device is working properly.

Click OK.

#### 2. I cannot connect to the Access Point or the Wireless Router.

- Make sure that the SSID on the DWL-G550 Wireless PCI Adapter is exactly the same as the SSID on the Access Point or Wireless Router.
- Move the DWL-G550 and Access Point or Wireless Router into the same room and then test the wireless connection.
- Disable all security settings. (WEP, MAC Address Control, AES)
- Turn off your Access Point and the computer with the DWL-G550. Turn on the Access Point, and then turn on the computer with the DWL-G550.
- Refresh the DWL-G550 Utility

#### 3. The DWL-G550 Power and Link lights are not on.

Check to see if the DWL-G550 PCI adapter is firmly inserted into the PCI slot of your computer.

#### 4. I forgot my Encryption key.

Reset the Access Point to its factory default settings and restore the DWL-G550 Wireless PCI Adapter to the factory default settings. (The default settings are listed in the Using the Configuration Utility section in this manual.)

#### 5. The computer does not recognize the DWL-G550 Wireless PCI Adapter.

- Make sure that the DWL-G550 Wireless PCI Adapter is properly seated in the computer PCI slot.
- If Windows does not detect the hardware upon insertion of the adapter, make sure to completely remove drivers that were previously loaded. To remove the drivers, do the following:

- A. Under Tools> select Folder Options> select View > under Hidden files and folders > select Show hidden files and folders
- B. Uncheck Hide extension for known file types > click on Apply
- C. Search for the files DWLG550.INF and DWLG550.SYS. Remove these files from the INF and SYSTEM32 (DRIVERS) folders in the Windows directory. Note: Windows XP and Windows 2000 will rename .inf files that have not received WHQL certification into oem.inf files (e.g., oem1.inf.)

## 6. The computer with the DWL-G550 installed is unable to connect to the wireless network and/or the Internet.

- Check that the LED indicators for the broadband modem are indicating normal activity. If not, there may be a problem with the broadband connection.
- Check that the LED indicators on the wireless router are functioning properly. If not, check that the AC power and Ethernet cables are firmly connected.
- Check that the IP Address, subnet mask, gateway, and DNS settings are correctly entered for the network
- In Infrastructure mode, make sure the same Service Set Identifier (SSID) is specified on the settings for the wireless clients and Access Points. The SSID factory default setting for the D-Link AirPremier® products is default. (Double-click on the WLAN icon in the taskbar. The Link Info screen will display the SSID setting.)
- In Ad-Hoc mode, both wireless clients will need to have the same SSID. Please note that it might be necessary to set up one client to establish a BSS (Basic Service Set) and wait briefly before setting up other clients. This prevents several clients from trying to establish a BSS at the same time, which can result in multiple singular BSSs being established, rather than a single BSS with multiple clients associated to it.

- Check that the Network Connection for the wireless client is configured properly. Select AP (Infrastructure) when connecting to an Access Point and select Ad-Hoc mode when connecting without an Access Point. Double-click on the WLAN icon in the taskbar > click on Configuration to change the settings for the wireless adapter.
- If Security is enabled, make sure that the correct encryption keys are entered on both the DWL-G550 and the Access Point. Double-click on the WLAN icon in the taskbar > click Encryption. Check to see that the key selected is set to the same key as other devices on the network.

#### 7. How can I troubleshoot distance issues using the DWL-G550.

- Move the DWL-G550 and Access Point or Wireless Router into the same room and then test the wireless connection.
- Change the channel of the Access Point.
- Move devices within the line of sight

# **Technical Specifications**

#### Standards

- IEEE 802.11g
- IEEE 802.11b

#### Bus Type:

PCI 2.2

#### Data Rates:

108, 54, 48, 36, 24, 18, 12, 11, 9, 6, 5.5, 2 and 1Mbps

#### Security:

- 802.1x
- WPA/WPA2 (Wi-Fi Protected Access/Wi-Fi Protected Access 2<sup>™</sup>), 64-,128-bit WEP with TKIP, MIC, IV Expansion, Shared Key Authentication

#### **Power Consumption:**

- PowerSave mode = 30mA
- Receive mode = 300mA
- Transmit mode = 500mA

#### Wireless Trasmit Power:

#### 802.11b

Typical 21dBm at 11, 5.5, 2 and 1Mbps

#### 802.11g

- Typical +15 18dBm for 54Mbps
- Typical +16 19dBm for 48Mbps
- Typical +17 20dBm for 36Mbps
- Typical +18 21dBm for 24, 18, 12, 9, 6Mbps

#### Internal Antenna Type:

Dipole with detachable reverse SMA connector

### **Technical Specifications**

#### Temperature

■ Operating: 0°C to 55°C (32°F to 149°F)

Humidity:

■ 10% - 90%, RH, non-condensing

#### **Receiver Sensitivity:**

802.11b

- DQPSK
- DBPSK
- DSSS
- CCK

802.11g

- BPSK
- QPSK
- 6QAM
- OFDM

#### **Physical Dimensions:**

- L = 6.6 inches (168mm)
- W = 4.2 inches (107mm)
- H = 0.16 inches (4mm)

#### Weight:

0.17 lb. (77 grams)

## **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 website, or by phone.

### Tech Support for customers within the United States:

*D-Link Technical Support over the Telephone:* (877) 453-5465 Monday through Friday 8:00am to 5:00pm (PST).

**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 7:30am to 12:00pm EST

#### D-Link Technical Support over the Internet:

http://support.dlink.ca email:support@dlink.ca

## Warranty (USA only)

Subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, D-Link Systems, Inc. ( D-Link? provides this Limited warranty for 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.

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

- Hardware (excluding power supplies and fans) Three (3) Years
- Power Supplies and Fans One (1) Year
- Spare parts and spare kits Ninety (90) days

D-Link 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 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 refurm 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 ( 3oftware? will substantially conform to D-Link sthen 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 sole obligation shall be to replace the non-conforming Software (or defective media) with software that substantially conforms to D-Link sfunctional specifications for the Software or to refund at D-Link ssole 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 nonconforming 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 sproducts 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 &-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 ( MA? 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
  ( (DD?) 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
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CE Mark Warning: This is a Class B product. In a domestic environment, this product may cause radio interference, in which case the user may be required to take adequate measures.

FCC Statement: 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 communication. However, there is no guarantee that 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 or more 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 that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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#### FCC Caution:

The manufacturer is not responsible for any radio or TV interference caused by unauthorized modifications to this equipment; such modifications could void the user sauthority to operate the 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.

#### IMPORTANT NOTE:

#### FCC Radiation Exposure Statement:

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. The antenna(s) used for this equipment must be installed to provide a separation distance of at least eight inches (20 cm) from all persons.

This equipment must not be operated in conjunction with any other antenna.

# Registration

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