USER MANUAL DIR-456U

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Preface

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Package Contents

- D-Link DIR-456U Mobile Router
- Power Adapter
- Ethernet Cable
- RJ-11 Telephone Cable
- Manual and Warranty on CD



Note: Using a power supply with a different voltage rating than the one included with the DIR-456U will cause damage and void the warranty for this product.

System Requirements

- A compatible (U)SIM card with service*
- 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 (for configuration)

*Subject to services and service terms available from your carrier.

Introduction

DIR-456U allows users to access worldwide mobile broadband networks. Once connected, users can transfer data, stream media, send SMS messages, and make mobile phone calls. Simply insert your UMTS/HSUPA SIM card, and share your 3.5G Internet connection through a secure 802.11n wireless network or using any of the four 10/100 Ethernet ports.

While accessing your 3.5G Internet connection, you will still have the ability to answer incoming mobile calls and respond to SMS messages. An RJ-11 jack allows you to attach a standard analog phone for high-quality mobile calls over a GSM network. Enjoy the comfort and convenience of your favorite office phone anywhere you go.

Keep your wireless network safe with WPA/WPA2 wireless encryption. The DIR-456U utilizes dual-active firewalls (SPI and NAT) to prevent potential attacks across the Internet.

DIR-456U can be installed quickly and easily almost anywhere. This router is great for situations where an impromptu wireless network must be set up, or wherever conventional network access is unavailable. The DIR-456U can even be installed in buses, trains, or boats, allowing passengers to check e-mail or chat online while commuting.

Hardware Overview Rear Panel



Port	Function		
LAN 1-2 (RJ-45)	Insert an Ethernet cable connected to a network device such		
	as a desktop or notebook computer.		
WAN (RJ-45)	Insert a standard CAT5 Ethernet cable connected to a DSL/		
	Cable modem or router.		
SIM	Insert a standard (U)SIM card into this slot.		
Power	Insert the provided DC power adapter into this socket.		
Phone (RJ-11)	Insert an RJ-11 telephone cable connected to a standard		
	landline telephone.		
Reset	Hold this button down to reset the device.		
WPS	Press this button to initiate a new WPS connection.		

Hardware Overview Front Panel



Hardware Overview LEDs

LED Name	Function		
Power	On (Green): Orange when booting, then change to solid green		
	Un (Urange): Blinking orange if system fail		
WAN	Off: without Ethernet cable		
	On (Green solid): 3G connected dial up success or with Ethernet WAN		
	On (Orange): 3G Error (PIN code error, SIM fail) or WAN type fail or system fail error		
	On (Green blinking) : 3G access enable or Ethernet WAN (backup mode)		
3G	OFF : WAN disconnect		
	ON (Orange) : in GPRS/EDGE mode (non3G mode)		
	ON (Green) : in HSDPA/HSUPA mode (3G mode)		
3G Signal	OFF : no signal.		
strength	ength ON (Blinking Orange) : 3G signal is weak		
_	ON (Solid Orange) : Moderate 3G signal		
	ON (Solid Green) : Strong 3G signal		
WLAN On: Wireless on			
	Off : Wireless off		
	Blinking: data transmission		
Phone	On (Green): off hook		
	Off: on hook		
SMS	ON (Green): Transmit/receive SMS		
WPS (Blue)	In Progress: Fast Blinking (Blue)		
	Success: Blue/On for 300 seconds		

Installation

This section will guide you through the installation process. Placement of the router is very important. Do not place the router in an enclosed area such as a closet, cabinet, or in an attic or garage.

Connect to Your Network

Note: Ensure that your DIR-456U Mobile Router is disconnected and powered off before performing the installation steps below.

- 1. Insert a standard (U)SIM card into the SIM card slot on the back of the router with the gold contacts facing downwards.
- 2. Insert your Internet/WAN network cable into the **INTERNET** port on the back of the router.

Note: The 3.5G connection can also be used as a backup WAN. Once a backup is configured, the router will automatically use 3.5G for the Internet connection if the Ethernet WAN is not available.

3. Insert the Ethernet cable into the LAN Port 1 on the back panel of the DIR-456U Mobile Router, and an available Ethernet port on the network adapter in the computer you will use to configure the unit.

Note: The DIR-456U Mobile Router LAN Ports are "Auto-MDI/MDIX." Therefore, patch or crossover Ethernet cables can be used.

- 4. Connect the power adapter to the socket on the back panel of your DIR-456U Mobile Router. Plug the other end of the power adapter into a wall outlet or power strip.
 - a. The Status LED will light up to indicate that power has been supplied to the router.
 - b. The LEDs on the front panel will flash on and off as the DIR-456U Mobile Router performs initialization and Internet connection processes.
 - c. After a few moments, if a connection has been established, the following LEDs will turn solid green: Power, Status, WAN, WLAN, and LAN Port 1 (or whichever port(s) your Ethernet cable has been connected to).
 - Caution! Always unplug/power down the router before installing or removing the SIM card. Never insert or remove the SIM card while the router is in use.

Connect a Telephone

A standard RJ-11 jack on the back of the router allows you to connect a standard analog telephone for voice calls.

Simply plug the phone cable into the jack labeled **FXS**.

You can then use your handset to dial out as you typically would with a standard landline.

Your attached phone will also ring for any incoming voice calls.



Wireless Installation Considerations

The DIR-456U can be accessed using a wireless connection from virtually anywhere within the operating range of your wireless network. Keep in mind, however, that the quantity, thickness and location of walls, ceilings, or other objects that the wireless signals must pass through, may limit the range. Ranges vary depending on the types of materials and background RF (radio frequency) noise in your home or office. The key to maximizing the wireless range is to follow these basic guidelines:

- 1. Minimize the number of walls and ceilings between the D-Link router and other network devices. Each wall or ceiling can reduce your adapter's range from 3 to 90 feet (1 to 30 meters).
- 2. Be aware of the direct line between network devices. A wall that is 1.5 feet thick (0.5 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. Try to position access points, wireless routers, and computers so that the signal passes through open doorways and drywall. Materials such as glass, metal, brick, insulation, concrete and water can affect wireless performance. Large objects such as fish tanks, mirrors, file cabinets, metal doors and aluminum studs may also have a negative effect on range.
- 4. If you are using 2.4GHz cordless phones, make sure that the 2.4GHz phone base is as far away from your wireless device as possible. The base transmits a signal even if the phone in not in use. In some cases, cordless phones, X-10 wireless devices, and electronic equipment such as ceiling fans, fluorescent lights, and home security systems may dramatically degrade wireless connectivity.

Configuration

This section will show you how to configure your new D-Link mobile router using the web-based configuration utility.

Web-based Configuration Utility

To access the configuration utility, open a web-browser such as Internet Explorer and enter the IP address of the router (192.168.0.1).



Type **Admin** and then enter the password. By default, the password is blank.

If you get a **Page Cannot be Displayed** error, please refer to the **Troubleshooting** section for assistance.

LOGIN	
Log in to the router:	
User Name : admin	
Password : Log In	

Setup Wizard

The setup wizard guides you through the initial setup of your router. There are two ways to setup your Internet connection. You can use the Web-based **Internet Connection Setup Wizard** or you can manually configure using the **Manual Internet Connection Setup** wizard.

Click Internet Connection Setup Wizard to begin.

If you want to enter your settings without running the wizard, click **Manual Internet Connection Setup** and skip to page 14.



Internet Connection Setup Wizard

This wizard will guide you through a step-by-step process to configure
your D-Link router to connect to the Internet.

Click Next to continue.

WELCOME TO THE SETUP WIZARD It appears that you have already successfully connected your new router to the Internet.



Section 3 - Configuration

Create a new password and then click **Next** to continue.

Click Prev to go back to the previous page or click Cancel to close the wizard.

Select your time zone from the drop-down box and then click Next to continue.

Click Prev to go back to the previous page or click Cancel to close the wizard.

Select the Internet connection type. The connection types are explained on the following page. If you are unsure of the correct connection type, you may have to contact your Internet Service Provider (ISP).

Click **Prev** to go back to the previous page or click **Cancel** to close the wizard.

Note: The DIR-456U supports several kinds of WAN interfaces, allowing you to assign either a WAN or a WWAN(3.5G) connection as the Backup WAN. If the Primary WAN is down or unavailable, configure the Backup WAN to **Enable**, and all the traffic will be routed through Backup WAN. This feature is called **WAN Failover**. You can use WAN Failover if you need redundancy to your Internet connection or any other network.

STEP 1: SET YOUR PASSWORD
To secure your new networking device, please set and verify a password below: Password : Verify Password :
Prev Next Cancel Connect



STEP 3: CONFIGURE YOUR INTERNET CONNECTION

DHCP Connection (Dynamic IP Address)

Choose this if your Internet connection automatically provides you with an IP Address. Most Cable Modems use this type of connection.

O Username / Password Connection (PPPoE)

Choose this option if your Internet connection requires a username and password to get online. Most DSL modems use this type of connection.

O Username / Password Connection (PPTP)

Choose this option if your Internet connection requires a username and password to get online. Most DSL modems use this type of connection.

C Username / Password Connection (L2TP)

Choose this option if your Internet connection requires a username and password to get online. Most DSL modems use this type of connection.

C Static IP Address Connection

Choose this option if your Internet Setup Provider provided you with IP Address information that has to be manually configured.

C Russia PPTP (Dual Access)

Choose this option if your Internet connection requires a username and password to get online as well as a static route to access the Internet Service Provider's internal network. Certain ISPs in Russia use this type of connection.

C Russia PPPoE (Dual Access)

Choose this option if your Internet connection requires a username and password to get online as well as a static route to access the Internet Service Provider's internal network. Certain ISPs in Russia use this type of connection.

3G INTERNET CONNECTION

Skip 3G Configuration :

The subsequent configuration pages will differ depending on the selection you make on this page.

Static IP Address Choose this option if your Internet connection uses an IP address that does not change. Your ISP generally will provide you with this information. See page 16 for information about how to configure this type of connection.

DHCP Connection Choose this if your Internet connection automatically provides you with an IP Address. Most cable modems (Dynamic IP Address): use this type of connection. See page 17 for information about how to configure this type of connection.

- Username / Password Choose this option if your Internet connection requires a username and password to connect. Most DSL modems use this style of connection. See page 18 for information about how to configure this type of connection.
- Username / Password Choose this option if your Internet connection requires Point-to-Point Tunneling Protocol (PPTP). See page 19 for information about how to configure this type of connection.
- Username / Password Choose this option if your Internet connection requires Layer 2 Tunneling Protocol (L2TP). See page 21 for Connection (L2TP): information about how to configure this type of connection.
 - Russia PPTP (Dual To configure a Russian PPTP Internet connection, configure as previously described for PPTP connections. Access): See page 21 for information about how to configure this type of connection.
 - Russia PPPoE (Dual Access): Some PPPoE connections use a static IP route to the ISP in addition to the global IP settings for the connection. This requires an added step to define IP settings for the physical WAN port. To configure a Russian PPPoE Internet connection, configure as previously described for PPPoE connections and add the physical WAN IP settings as instructed by your ISP. See page 23 for information about how to configure this type of connection.

Skip 3G Configuration: Select this option if you do not need to configure 3G.

SETUP COMPLETE!		
The Internet Connection Setup Wizard has completed. Click the Connect button to save your settings and reboot the router.		
Prev	Next Cancel Connect	

Click **Connect** to save your settings.

You have completed the Setup Wizard.

A popup will appear to confirm your settings.

Click **OK** to save your settings.

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Manual Internet Connection Setup

Click Manual Internet Connection Setup to begin.

If you prefer to configure your router's Internet connection using the wizard, click **Internet Connection Setup Wizard** and refer to page 10.



Internet Connection Internet Connection Type

Several different Internet Connection types can be selected depending upon the specifications of your Internet Service Provider (ISP).

My Internet Connection is: Select the Internet Connection type specified by your Internet Service Provider (ISP). The corresponding settings will be displayed below. Please see the following pages for details on how to configure these different connection types.

Enable WAN Failover:

When this box is checked, the selected connection will act as a backup for the 3.5G connection. Select this box to enable checking wired-WAN alive. The router will test your connection status and



connect to the 3G connection if your WAN connection goes down.

Internet Host: Enter the IP address of the Internet host to be used as the backup connection.

Static IP

Choose this Internet connection if your ISP assigns you a static IP address.

IP Address:	Enter the IP address assigned to	STATIC IP ADDRESS INTERNET CONNECTION TYPE Enter the static address information provided by your Internet Service Provider (ISP).	
	your network connection.		
Subnet Mask:	Enter the subnet mask.	IP Address :	0.0.0.0
		Subnet Mask :	255.255.255.0
Default Gateway:	Enter the default gateway.	Default Gateway :	0.0.0.0
	Enter the primary DNS server.	Primary DNS Server :	0.0.0.0
Primary DNS Server:		Secondary DNS Server :	0.0.0.0
	ary DNS Server: Enter the secondary DNS server.	MTU :	1500 (bytes) MTU default = 1500
Secondary DNS Server:		MAC Address :	00-00-00-01-00 Save Restore MAC
MTU:	You may need to change the	Save Settings Don't Save Settings	
	Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU)		
	for optimal performance. The defau	lt value is 1500.	

MAC Address: The default MAC Address is set to the Internet port's physical interface MAC address on the Broadband Router. It is not recommended that you change the default MAC address unless required by your ISP. You can use the **Clone Your PC's MAC Address** button to replace the Internet port's MAC address with the MAC address of your Ethernet card.

Dynamic IP (DHCP)

This section will help you to obtain IP Address information automatically from your ISP. Use this option if your ISP didn't provide you with IP Address information and/or a username and password.

Host Name:	(Optional) Required by some ISPs.	DYNAMIC IP (DHCP) INTERNET CONNECTION TYPE :
Primary DNS Server:	(Optional) Fill in with IP address of primary DNS	Use this Internet connection type if your Internet Service Provider (ISP) didn't provide you with IP Address information and/or a username and password.
	server.	Host Name : DIR-456
		Primary DNS Server :
Secondary DNS Server:	(Optional) Fill in with IP address of secondary DNS	Secondary DNS Server : (optional)
-	server	MTU : 1500
		MAC Address :
MTU (Maximum Transmission Unit):	You may need to change the Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU) for optimal performance. The default value is 1500.	Clone Your PC's MAC Address
MAC Address:	AC Address: The default MAC Address is set to the Internet port's physical interface MAC address on the Broadband Rou It is not recommended that you change the default MAC address unless required by your ISP. You can the Clone Your PC's MAC Address button to replace the Internet port's MAC address with the MAC addr	

Click Save Settings to save your changes, or click Don't Save Settings to discard your changes.

of your PC.

PPPoE

Choose this Internet connection if your ISP provides you PPPoE account.

Username:	The username/account name that your ISP provides	PPPOE			
Password:	The password that your ISP provides to you for PPPoE dial-up.	Username : Password : Verify Password :			
Verify Password:	Re-enter the password.	IP Address : 0.0.0.0 Primary DNS Server : 0.0.0.0 Secondary DNS Server : 0.0.0.0 (optional)			
IP Address:	(Optional) Fill in if provided by your ISP. If not, keep the default value.	MAC Address : 00-00-00-00-01-00 Save Restore MAC Maximum Idle Time : 300 seconds MTU : 1492 (bytes) MTU default = 1492			
Primary DNS Server:	(Optional) Fill in if provided by your ISP. If not, keep the default value.	Auto-reconnect : Enable Save Settings Don't Save Settings			
Secondary DNS Server:	(Optional) Fill in if provided by your ISP. If not, keep the default value.				
MAC Address:	MAC address of WAN interface. You can also copy MAC address of your PC to its WAN interface by pressing Clone Your PC's MAC button. The Restore MAC button will reset the router to its default MAC address.				
Maximum Idle Time:	The amount of time of inactivity before disconnecting established PPPoE session. Set it to zero or enable Auto-reconnect will disable this feature.				
Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU):	The default setting of PPPoE is 1492.				

PPTP

PPTP

Choose this Internet connection if your ISP provides you PPTP account.

Address Mode:	Choose Static IP only if your ISP assigns you an IP address. Otherwise, please choose Dynamic IP.	PPTP Enter the information provided by your Internet Service Provider (ISP).
PPTP IP Address :	Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP PPTP.)	Address Mode : C Dynamic IP • Static IP PPTP IP Address : 0.0.0.0 PPTP Subnet Mask : 255.255.0
PPTP Subnet Mask:	Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP PPTP.)	PPTP Gateway IP Address : 0.0.00 PPTP Server IP Address : Username : Password :
PTP Gateway IP Address:	Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP PPTP.)	Verify Password : Reconnect Mode : Maximum Idle Time : 300 seconds
PPTP Server IP Address:	Enter the IP address of the PPTP server.	Save Settings Don't Save Settings

Username: User/account name that your ISP provides to you for PPTP dial-up.

Password: Password that your ISP provides to you for PPTP dial-up.

Verify Password: Re-enter the password.

- Reconnect Mode: Choose Always-on when you want to establish PPTP connection all the time. If you choose Connect-ondemand, the device will establish PPTP connection when local users want to surf Internet, and disconnect if no traffic after time period of Maximum Idle Time.
- Maximum Idle Time: The time of no activity to disconnect your PPTP session. Set it to zero or choose Always-on to disable this feature.

L2TP

Choose this Internet connection if your ISP provides you L2TP account.

Address Mode:	Choose Static IP only if your ISP assigns you an IP address. Otherwise, please choose Dynamic IP.	L2TP Enter the information provided by your Internet Service Provider (ISP).
L2TP IP Address:	Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP L2TP.)	Address Mode : O Dynamic IP Static IP L2TP IP Address : 0.0.0. L2TP Subnet Mask : 255.255.255.0
L2TP Subnet Mask:	Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP L2TP.)	L2TP Gateway IP Address : 0.0.0.0 L2TP Server IP Address : Username : Password :
L2TP Gateway IP Address:	Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP L2TP.)	Verify Password : Reconnect Mode : Maximum Idle Time : 300 seconds
L2TP Server IP Address:	IP address of L2TP server.	Save Settings Don't Save Settings

Username: User/account name that your ISP provides to you for L2TP dial-up.

Password: Password that your ISP provides to you for L2TP dial-up.

Verify Password: Re-enter the password.

- **Reconnect Mode:** Choose Always-on when you want to establish L2TP connection all the time. Choose Connect-on-demand the device will establish L2TP connection when local users want to surf Internet, and disconnect if no traffic after time period of Maximum Idle Time.
- Maximum Idle Time: The time of no activity to disconnect your L2TP session. Set it to zero or choose Always-on to disable this feature.

Russia PPTP (Dual Access)

Choose this Internet connection if you are using PPTP in Russia.

- Address Mode: Choose Static IP only if your ISP assigns you an IP address. Otherwise, please choose Dynamic IP.
- **PPTP IP Address:** Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP PPTP.)
- **PPTP Subnet Mask:** Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP PPTP.)
- **PPTP Gateway IP Address:** Enter the information provided by your ISP. (Only applicable for Static IP PPTP.)
 - PPTP Server IP Address: Enter the IP address of the PPTP server.
 - User/account name that your ISP provides to you for PPTP dial-up.



Password: Password that your ISP provides to you for PPTP dial-up.

Verify Password: Re-enter the password.

- **Reconnect Mode:** Choose **Always-on** when you want to establish PPTP connection all the time. If you choose **Connect-on-demand**, the device will establish PPTP connection when local users want to surf Internet, and disconnect if no traffic after time period of Maximum Idle Time.
- Maximum Idle Time: The time of no activity to disconnect your PPTP session. Set it to zero or choose Always-on to disable this feature.

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Primary DNS Server: (Optional) Fill in with IP address of primary DNS server.

- Secondary DNS Server: (Optional) Fill in with IP address of secondary DNS server.
- Maximum Transmission You may need to change the Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU) for optimal performance. The default value Unit (MTU): is 1400.
 - MAC Address: The default MAC Address is set to the Internet port's physical interface MAC address on the Broadband Router. It is not recommended that you change the default MAC address unless required by your ISP. You can use the **Clone Your PC's MAC Address** button to replace the Internet port's MAC address with the MAC address of your PC.

Russia PPPoE (Dual Access)

Choose this Internet connection if you are using PPPoE in Russia.

Address Mode:	Choose Static IP only if your ISP assigns you an IP address. Otherwise, please choose Dynamic IP.	Addres IP /
IP Address:	(Optional) Fill in if provided by your ISP. If not, keep the default value.	Pa Verify Pa Servic
Username:	The username/account name that your ISP provides to you for PPPoE dial-up.	Reconnec Maximum Ic
Password: Verify Password:	Password that your ISP provides to you for PPPoE dial-up.	DN Primary DNS Secondary DNS
Service Name:	(Optional) Enter the service name.	MAC
Reconnect Mode:	 Always - The connection will always be on. Schedule - The connection run according to a specified schedule. On demand - The router will reconnect when needed. Manual - The router will reconnect only when the user initiates a connection. 	WAN PHYSICAL SETTIN IP / Subn G Primary DNS / Secondary DNS /
Maximum Idle Time:	The amount of time of inactivity before disconnecting established PPPoE session. Setting it to zero or enabling Auto-reconnect will disable this feature.	Save Settings Don't Sa
DNS Mode:	You may choose Receive DNS from ISP or Enter I	ONS Manually.
Primary DNS Server:	(Optional) Fill in with IP address of primary DNS ser	ver.

Secondary DNS Server: (Optional) Fill in with IP address of secondary DNS server.

Enter the information provided	by your Internet Service Provider (ISP).
Address Mode :	Oynamic IP O Static IP
IP Address :	
Username :	MPPE :
Password :	
Verify Password :	
Service Name :	(optional)
Reconnect Mode :	Always New Schedule
	C On demand C Manual
Maximum Idle Time :	(minutes, 0=infinite)
DNS Mode :	
Primary DNS Server :	
Secondary DNS Server :	(optional)
MTU :	1492
MAC Address :	
	Clone Your PC's MAC Address
WAN PHYSICAL SETTINGS	
	Dynamic IP O Static IP
IP Address :	
Subnet Mask :	0.0.0.0
Gateway :	
Primary DNS Address :	
Secondary DNS Address :	(optional)
-	
Save Settings Don't Save Settings	

PPPOE INTERNET CONNECTION TYPE :

- Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU):
 You may need to change the Maximum Transmission Unit (MTU) for optimal performance. The default value is 1492.
 PPPOE INTERNET CONNECTION TYPE : Enter the information provided by you Address Mode : © Dy IP Address :
 - MAC Address: The default MAC Address is set to the Internet port's physical interface MAC address on the Broadband Router. It is not recommended that you change the default MAC address unless required by your ISP. You can use the **Clone Your PC's MAC Address** button to replace the Internet port's MAC address with the MAC address of your PC.

WAN PHYSICAL SETTINGS

- Address Mode: Choose Static IP only if your ISP assigns you an IP address. Otherwise, please choose Dynamic IP.
 - **IP Address:** (Optional) Fill in if provided by your ISP. If not, keep the default value.
- Subnet Mask: Enter the Subnet Mask of the router. The default subnet mask is 255.255.255.0.

Gateway: Enter the default gateway.

- Primary DNS Address: (Optional) Fill in with IP address of primary DNS server.
- Secondary DNS Address: (Optional) Fill in with IP address of secondary DNS server.

PPPOE INTERNET CONNECTION TYPE :
Enter the information provided by your Internet Service Provider (ISP).
Address Mode : O Dynamic IP Static IP
IP Address :
Username : MPPE :
Password :
Verify Password :
Service Name : (optional)
Reconnect Mode : Always New Schedule
C On demand C Manual
Maximum Idle Time : (minutes, 0=infinite)
DNS Mode: Receive DNS from ISP Enter DNS Manually
Primary DNS Server :
Secondary DNS Server : (optional)
MTU: 1492
MAC Address :
Clone Your PC's MAC Address
WAN PHYSICAL SETTINGS
⊙ Dynamic IP ○ Static IP
IP Address :
Subnet Mask : 0.0.0.0
Gateway :
Primary DNS Address :
Secondary DNS Address : (optional)
Save Settings Don't Save Settings

3G Internet

Choose this Internet connection if you already apply a SIM card for 3G Internet service from Telecom company. The fields here may not be necessary for your connection. The information on this page is only be used when your service provider requires.

Prefer Service Type:	You may select GPRS/EDGE or WCDMA as the preferred service type.	3G INTERNET CONNECTION Enter the information provided by your Internet Service Provid	er (ISP).	
Auto Config:	Select this box to enable automatic configuration.	Prefer Service Type : Auto Mode Auto Config : Enable		
Country:	Select your country.	Country : select country v ISP : select ISP v		
ISP:	Select your ISP.	User Name : () Password : ()	optional) optional)	
User Name:	(Optional) Fill in only if requested by your ISP.	Dial Number : (optional)	
Password:	(Optional) Fill in only if requested by your ISP.	SIM Card PIN Code : (PIN Code Status : SIM card is locked.	optional, 4~8 digits)	
Dial Number:	Enter the number to be dialed.	Maximum Idle Time : 0 (minutes, 0=infinite) MTU : 1492 valid value(Range:576 ~	nand O Manual 1492)	
APN:	(Optional) Enter the APN information.	Save Settings Don't Save Settings		
Reconnect Mode:	You may select from the following option:			
	Always-on - The 3G connection will always be on. Connect on demand - The router will reconnect when needed. Manual - The router will reconnect only when the user initiates a connection.			
SIM Card Pin Code:	Enter the PIN associated with your SIM card.			
Pin Code Sataus :	SIM Card Pin Code Status.			
MTU (Maximum Transmission Unit:	The default value for 3G is 1492.			

Wireless Settings

This section will help you to manually configure the wireless settings of your router. Please note that changes made on this section may also need to be duplicated on your Wireless Client.

WIRELESS NETWORK SETTINGS

- **Enable Wireless:** Select this checkbox to enable wireless access. When you set this option, the following parameters take effect.
- Wireless Network Name: Also known as the SSID (Service Set Identifier), this is the name of your Wireless Local Area Network (WLAN). Enter a name using up to 32 alphanumeric characters. The SSID is case-sensitive.
 - Auto Channel Scan: A wireless network uses specific channels in the wireless spectrum to handle communication between clients. Some channels in your area may experience interference from other electronic devices. Choose the clearest channel to help optimize the performance and coverage of your wireless network.



- Wireless Channel: Indicates the channel setting for the DIR-456U. By default the channel is set to 11. This can be changed to fit the channel setting for an existing wireless network or to customize your wireless network. Click **Auto Channel Scan** to automatically select the channel that it will operate on. This option is recommended because the router will choose the channel with the least amount of interference.
 - Visibility Status: Select Invisible if you do not want the SSID of your wireless network to be broadcasted by DIR-456U. The SSID of your router will not be seen by Site Survey utilities. Therefore while setting up your wireless clients, you will have to manually enter your SSID to connect to the router.

WIRELESS SECURITY MODE

Security Mode: This device supports three wireless security modes, WEP, WPA-Personal, WPA-Enterprise or None. WEP is the original



wireless encryption standard. WPA provides a higher level of security and WPA-Personal does not require an authentication server. When WPA enterprise is enabled, the router uses EAP (802.1x) to authenticate clients via a remote RADIUS server.

- Radius Server IP: IP address of RADIUS server.
 - Radius Port: The port used for RADIUS server. The default port is 1812.
- Radius Shared Key: Key value shared by RADIUS server and this device.

Please refer to Section 4 - Wireless Security for more information on security and encryption.

Network Settings Router Settings

This section will help you to change the internal network settings of your router and to configure the DHCP Server settings.

Router IP Address: Enter the IP address of the router. The default IP address is **192.168.0.1**.

If you change the IP address, you will need to enter the new IP address in your browser to get into the configuration utility.

Default Subnet Mask: Enter the **Subnet Mask** of the router. The default subnet mask is **255.255.255.0**.

Local Domain Name: Enter the local domain name for your network.

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WIRELESS SETTINGS NETWORK SETTINGS MESSAGE SERVICE	Use this section to cor the built-in DHCP serve that is configured here interface. If you chang network settings to ac Please note that thi settings here to get	figure the internal netwo r to assign IP addresses t is the IP address that yo le the IP address in this si ccess the network again. s section is optional an your network up and	rk settings of your router o computers on your netw u use to access the Web- ection, you may need to a d you do not need to c running.	and also to configure work. The IP address based management djust your PC's change any of the	If you already have a DHCP server on your network or are using static IP addresses on all the devices on your network, uncheck Enable DHCP Server to disable this feature.
	Save Settings Don'	t Save Settings	- -		If you have devices on your network that should
	ROUTER SETTINGS Use this section to cor configured here is the If you change the IP a access the network ag Router I Default Sut Local Dom Enable I	ifigure the internal netwo IP address that you use t ddress here, you may net ain. P Address : [192.168.0.1 onet Mask : [255.255.255 lost Name : DIR-456 nain Name : DIS Relay : ☑	rk settings of your router. o access the Web-based i ed to adjust your PC's net	The IP address that is management interface. work settings to	amaga nave nave nave nave nave adresses, add a DHCP Reservation for each such device.
	DHCP SERVER SETTI	NGS			
	Use this section to cor your network.	figure the built-in DHCP s	erver to assign IP address	to the computers on	
	Enable DH DHCP IP Addro DHCP L	CP Server : ☑ ess Range : 100 to 1 ease Time : 1440 (n	99 (addresses within th ninutes)	ie LAN subnet)	

DHCP Server Settings

The DIR-456U has a built-in DHCP (Dynamic Host Control Protocol) server. The DHCP server assigns IP addresses to devices on the network that request them. By default, the DHCP Server is enabled on the device. The DHCP address pool contains a range of IP addresses, which is automatically assigned to the clients on the network.

Enable DHCP Server:	Select this box to enable the DHCP	DHCP SERVER SETTINGS
	server on your router.	Use this section to configure the built-in DHCP server to assign IP address to the computers on
DHCP IP Address Range:	Enter the starting and ending	your network.
	IP address for the server's IP	Enable DHCP Server : 🔽
	assignment.	DHCP IP Address Range: 100 to 199 (addresses within the LAN subnet)
DHCP Lease Time:	The time period for the IP address	DHCP Lease Time : 1440 (minutes)
	lease. Enter the Lease time in minutes.	

DHCP Reservations

- **Enable:** Select the box next to the computer name to enable the DHCP reservation.
- **Computer Name:** Specifies the name of the workstation.
 - **IP Address:** Specifies IP Address of the workstation.
 - MAC Address: Specifies the MAC Address of workstation.

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Host Name		IP Add	dress	MAC Ac	Idress	Expired Tir	ne	
NUMBER OF DYNAMIC DHCP CLIENTS								
Host Name		IP Ad	dress	MAC Ac	Idress	Expired Tir	ne	
07134PCWINXPSP2		192.16	58.0.100	00:21:9b:57:2a:9b		23 Hours 52 Minutes	2	
24 -	DHCP RESERVATION	DN						
Rem	aining number of rule	s that can b	e create	ed: 24				
	Computer Name	IP Addres	s	MAC Add	ress			
						<< Com	nputer Name	•
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Message Service

If your ISP provide **SMS** service, you can create new messages, and manage your messages from this page.

SMS INBOX

SMS Inbox: Click this button to view any SMS message that you may have received.

CREATE MESSAGE

Create Message: Click this button to create a message.

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DIR-456U	SETUP	ADVANCED	TOOLS	STATUS	SUPPORT		
INTERNET	MESSAGE SERVICE						
WIRELESS SETTINGS	Message Service provid	les the useful tools for me	ssage management.				
NETWORK SETTINGS							
MESSAGE SERVICE	SMS INBOX	SMS INBOX					
	If you would like to view SMS message, click on the button below.						
	SMS Inbox						
	CREATE MESSAGE						
	If you would like to cre	ate and send SMS messag	ge,then click on the butto	on below.			
		Create	Message				

CREATE MESSAGE

This page allows you to send an SMS to your contacts. Just fill in the phone number of the recipient, and type the content of message. Then push the "Send Message" button to send out this message. If you would like to add more than one recipient, you must put a semicolon (;) between each of the phone numbers.

- **Receiver:** Type the phone number of the recipient.
- **Text Message:** Type the message that you would like to send.
- **Sent Message:** Click this button to send the message.
 - Cancel: Click this button to cancel message input.

INBOX

This page shows all messages that are stored on the SIM card. Selecting a message, and the content will be shown in the SMS window. After you read it, you can delete it, or reply to the sender. Push the "Refresh" button to update the list.

SMS

- Delete Message: Deletes the selected SMS message.
- **Reply Message:** Replies to the selected SMS message.

Refresh: Click this button to check for new messages.

CREATE MESSAGE	
Receiver :	
	Add '+' for international format of the phone number.
Text Message:	
S	end message Cancel

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	From	Timestamp 🔺		Text
SMS				
				
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Delete message Reply message Refresh
Virtual Server

The device can be configured as a virtual server so that users can access services such as Web or FTP via the public (WAN) IP address of the router.

Use schedule rule: You may select Always On or choose the number of a schedule rule that you have defined.

VIRTUAL SERVERS LIST

- **ID:** Identifies the virtual server.
- Server IP: Port: Enter the last digits of the IP address of the computer on your local network that you want to allow the incoming service. In the next box, enter the port number that you would like to open.
 - Enable: Select this box to enable the rule.
- Schedule Rule #: Specify the schedule rule number.

D-Link DIR-456U SETUP ADVANCED TOOLS STATUS SUPPORT Helpful Hints... VIRTUAL SERVER VIRTUAL SERVER PORT FORWARDING The Virtual Server option allows you to define a single public port on your router for redirection Check the to an internal LAN IP Address and Private LAN port if required. This feature is useful for hosting APPLICATION RULES online services such as FTP or Web Servers. nu for a list of QOS ENGINE Save Settings Don't Save Settings NETWORK FILTER 24 - VIRTUAL SERVERS LIST WEBSITE FILTER FIREWALL SETTINGS Remaining number of rules that can be created: 24 ADVANCED WIRELESS Traffic Type Port WI-FI PROTECTED SETUP nts in the Protocol Name << | Application Name -All 💌 Always -ADVANCED NETWORK IP Addres Private CALL SETTING ch you would like t << Computer Name -Protocol ect a schedule fo Public << | Application Name -All 👻 Always en the virtual server ill be enabled. If you do IP Address not see the schedule you Private eed in the list of << | Computer Name hedules, go to the Protocol creen and create a new << | Application Name -All 👻 Always 👻 IP Address Private << | Computer Name -

Routing

The Routing page allows you to specify custom routes that determine how data is moved around your network.

RIP SETTING

- RIP: Select this box to enable routing.
- **Ripv1:** Protocol in which the IP address is routed through the internet.
- **RIPv2:** Enhanced version of RIPv1 with added features such as Authentication, Routing Domain, Next Hop Forwarding, and Subnetmask Exchange.

ROUTING RULES

- **ID:** Identifies the rule.
- **Destination:** Enter in the IP of the specified network that you want to access using the static route.
- Subnet Mask: Enter in the subnet mask to be used for the specified net work.

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VIRTUAL SERVER	ROUT	ING							Helpful Hints	
ROUTING	The Ro	uting option allow	vs you to define	static route	s to specifi	c destinations.			• Enable:	
PORT FORWARDING	Save Settings Don't Save Settings							Specifies whethe entry will be enal	r the bled or	
APPLICATION RULES									disabled.	
QOS ENGINE	32 9	STATIC ROUTI	NG						Specifies the inte	rface
NETWORK FILTER	Remain	Remaining number of rules that can be created: 32							that the IP packet	rsical t must
WEBSITE FILTER		Interf	200	Destin	ation	Subnet Mask		Gateway	use to transit out router, when this	of the route is
FIREWALL SETTINGS				Desuit	auon	Sublict Mask		Odleway	used.	
ADVANCED WIRELESS		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1)		_				Destination The IP address o	IP: f packets
WI-FI PROTECTED SETUP		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) -						that will take this	route.
ADVANCED NETWORK		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 💌						One bit in the ma	isk Isk
CALL SETTING		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 🔻						IP address must	its of the match.
		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 💌						Gateway: Specifies the nex	t hop to
		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 💌						be taken if this ro used. A gateway	of 0.0.0.0
		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 💌						hop, and the IP a	o next ddress
		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 🔻						connected to the	router on
		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 💌						WAN or WAN Phy	sical.
		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 🔻							
		LAN-1(192.16	8.0.1) 💌							

- Gateway: Enter in the gateway IP address to the specified network.
 - **Hop:** Enter in the amount of hops it will take to reach the specified network. Note: In a transmission path, each link is terminated at a network device such as a router or gateway. The number of hops equals the number of routers or gateways that data must pass through before reaching the destination.
 - **Enable:** Select this box to enable the rule.

Application Rules

Some applications require multiple connections, such as Internet gaming, video conferencing, Internet telephony and others. These applications have difficulties working through NAT (Network Address Translation). **Applications Rules** allow some of these applications work with the DIR-456U.

APPLICATION RULES

- Enable: Select this box to enable the rule.
- Name: Enter a name for the rule.
- Applications: Select from a list of popular applications.
 - Trigger: The name of the trigger.
 - Trigger: The port that will be used on your internal network.
 - Firewall: The port that will be accessed from the Internet.
 - Protocol: Select TCP or UDP.
 - Schedule: Specify whether the rule should always be active, or active according a predefined schedule.

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DIR-456U	SETUP	ADVANCED	TOOLS	51	TATUS	SUPPORT
/IRTUAL SERVER	APPLICATION RULES					Helpful Hints
PORT FORWARDING APPLICATION RULES QOS ENGINE	The Application Rules or router senses data sen Application rules apply Save Settings Don'	 Use this feature if you are trying to execute one of the listed network applications and it is not communicating as expected. 				
VEBSITE FILTER	24 APPLICATION	RULES				 Use the Application Name drop-down menu
IREWALL SETTINGS	Remaining number of r	to view a list of pre-defined applications				
ADVANCED WIRELESS			Port	Traffic Type	Schedule	that you can select from. If you select one of the
VILFI PROTECTED SETUP ADVANCED NETWORK	□ Name	Application	Trigger	Protocol All • Protocol All •	Schedule Always 💌	pre-defined applications, click the arrow button next to the drop-down menu to fill out the appropriate fields.
	□ Name	Application	Trigger	Protocol All V Protocol	Schedule Always 🗸	
	□ Name	Application	Trigger	Protocol All V Protocol	Schedule Always 🗸	
	□ Name	Application	Trigger	Protocol All • Protocol All •	Schedule Always •	
	Name Name	Application	Trigger Firewall	Protocol All V Protocol All V	Schedule Always 🗸	

QoS Engine

The **QoS Engine** improves your online gaming experience by ensuring that your game traffic is prioritized over other network traffic, such as FTP or Web. For best performance, use the Automatic Classification option to automatically set the priority for the applications.

QoS ENGINE SETUP

Enable QoS Engine:	Check this option if you want to enable the QoS function.
Automatic Uplink Speed:	Check this option to automatically get the optimal performance.
Measured Uplink Speed:	This field displays the current measured uplink speed here.
Manual Uplink Speed:	If the measured uplink speed is not optimal, please disable the Automatic Uplink Speed and select the transmission rate from drop-down menu.



Connection Type: You can choose auto-detect for the known connection type. Or choose xDSL or cable etc if you know what connection type you use for the Internet network.

Network Filter

The **MAC (Media Access Controller) Address Filter** option is used to control network access based on the MAC Address of the network adapter. A MAC address is a unique ID assigned by the manufacturer of the network adapter. This feature can be configured to ALLOW or DENY network/Internet access.

MAC FILTERING SETTINGS

- Enable: Select this box to enable MAC Filtering.
- MAC Address: The MAC address of the network device to be added to the MAC Filter List.
- DHCP Client List: DHCP clients will have their hostname in the Computer Name drop down menu. You can select the client computer you want to add to the MAC Filter List and click arrow button. This will automatically add that computer's MAC address to the appropriate field.

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IRTUAL SERVER	MAC ADDRESS FILTE	R					Helpful Hints	
ORT FORWARDING	The MAC (Media Access	s Controller)	Address filter	option is u	ed to control	network access based	Create a list of MAC	
PPLICATION RULES	 on the MAC Address of manufacturer of the ne 	the network twork adapt	k adapter. A M er. This featur	AC addres e can be o	s is a unique I configured to a	D assigned by the ALLOW or DENY	whether to allow or de	
OS ENGINE	network/Internet acces	55.	_		-		them access to your network.	
TWORK FILTER	Save Settings Don't	Save Settings					Computers that have obtained an IP address	
BSITE FILTER	- 24 MAC FILTERING	24 MAC FILTERING RULES						
REWALL SETTINGS							Client List. Select a	
VANCED WIRELESS	Configure MAC Filtering	below:			-		device from the drop down menu and click th	
I-FI PROTECTED	Transie Filtening of t						arrow to add that device's MAC to the lis	
VANCED NETWORK	Remaining number of ru	les that can	be created: 2	4			• Use the check box	
	MAC Address	5	DHCP Clie	ent List		Schedule	or disable a particular	
		<<	Computer Nan	ie 🔻	Always 🔻	New Schedule	 Use the Always dr 	
		<<	Computer Nan	ie 🔻	Always 👻	New Schedule	down menu if you hav	
		<<	Computer Nan	ie 💌	Always 💌	New Schedule	schedule in the router	
		<<	Computer Nan	ie 🔹	Always -	New Schedule	Schedule button to a one.	
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Website Filter

URL Filter allows you to set up a list of Web-sites that will be blocked from users on your network.

WEBSITE FILTERING RULES

Configure Website FilterSpecify the way website filtering should operate.Below:You may specify from the following:

- Turn OFF WEBSITE FILTERING
- ALLOW access to ONLY these sites
- DENY access to ONLY these sites
- Website URL: Enter the URLs that you would like to filter. Select the checkbox next to the URL to enable the URL.
 - Schedule: Choose whether the filter should always be on, or specify a schedule to use. Select New Schedule to create a new schedule.



Firewall Settings

Firewall rules can be used to allow or deny traffic passing through the router. You can specify a single port by utilizing the input box at the top or a range of ports by utilizing both input boxes. DMZ means "Demilitarized Zone." DMZ allows computer behind the router firewall to be accessible to Internet traffic. Typically, your DMZ would contain Web servers, FTP servers and others.

FIREWALL SETTINGS

Enable SPI: Select this box to enable Stateful Packet Inspection (SPI).

DMZ HOST

- Enable DMZ: Select this box to enable to the DMZ.
- **DMZ IP Address:** Select a computer from the dropdown box and click the << button to display the IP address.

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IRTUAL SERVER	FIREWALL & DMZ SE	TTINGS			Helpful Hints
ORT FORWARDING	Firewall rules can be us	ed to allow or deny traffic	passing through the rout	er. You can specify a	• DMZ:
PPLICATION RULES	single port by utilizing t	only enable the DM2 option as a last resort. If			
OS ENGINE	accessible to Internet t	ed Zone". DMZ allows con raffic. Typically, your DMZ	would contain Web serve	frewall to be ers, FTP servers and	you are having trouble using an application from
ETWORK FILTER	others.				a computer behind the router, first try opening
VEBSITE FILTER	Save Settings Don't	ports associated with the			
IREWALL SETTINGS	FIREWALL SETTINGS	Advanced Port			
DVANCED WIRELESS	_	Firewall:			
VI-FI PROTECTED ETUP	E	nable SPI: 🗌			Firewall Rules are an advanced feature used to deny or allow traffic
DVANCED NETWORK	DMZ HOST				from passing through the
ALL SETTING	The DMZ (Demilitarized the router. If you have behind the router, the access. Note: Putting a compu	Zone) option lets you set a computer that cannot n you can place the comp ter in the DMZ may expos	t a single computer on you run Internet applications s uter into the DMZ for unr se that computer to a vari	ur network outside of successfully from estricted Internet iety of security risks,	detailed rules for the detailed rules for the device. Please refer to the manual for more details and examples.
	Use of this option is on	ly recommended as a last	resort.	,	
	En	able DMZ : 📋			
	DMZ IF	Computer Na	<<		

FIREWALL RULES

- Name: Enter a name for the rule.
- Interface: Specify the interface for the source and destination. You may select LAN, WAN, or WAN(3G).

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Rema	aining number	of rules that ca	n be created: 50		
		Interface	IP Address		
	Name	Source 💌		Protocol	Always
	Action Allow 💌	Dest 💌		Port Range	New Schedule

- IP Address: Enter the starting and ending IP address that you wish to apply the rule to. If you are only applying this rule to one IP address, you may enter the same IP address in both boxes.
 - Protocol: Specify a protocol for the rule. You may select TCP, UDP, ICMP.
 - Action: Specify whether to Allow or Deny access.
- **Port Range:** Specify the starting port and ending port.
 - Schedule: Specify when the rule should be active. You may choose: Always or specify a schedule. Click **New Schedule** to open the Schedules page.

Advanced Wireless

Advanced Wireless contains settings which can negatively affect the performance of your router if configured improperly. Do not change these settings unless you are already familiar with them or have been instructed to make the change by one of our support personnel.

- Transmit Power: You can lower the output power of the router by selecting lower percentage Transmit Power values from the drop down. Your choices are: 100%, 50%, 25%, and 12.5%.
- **Beacon Interval:** Beacons are packets sent by an Access Point to synchronize a wireless network. Specify a Beacon interval value between 20 and 1000. The default value is set to 100 milliseconds.

RTS Threshold:

This value should remain at its default setting of 2346. If you encounter inconsistent data flow, only minor modifications to the value range between 256 and 2346 are



recommended. The default value for RTS Threshold is set to 2346.

- **Fragmentation:** This value should remain at its default setting of 2346. If you experience a high packet error rate, you may slightly increase your "Fragmentation" value within the value range of 1500 to 2346. Setting the Fragmentation value too low may result in poor performance.
- **DTIM Interval:** Enter a value between 1 and 255 for the Delivery Traffic Indication Message (DTIM). A DTIM is a countdown informing clients of the next window for listening to broadcast and multicast messages. When the Access Point has buffered broadcast or multicast messages for associated clients, it sends the next DTIM with a DTIM Interval value. AP clients hear the beacons and awaken to receive the broadcast and multicast messages. The default value for DTIM interval is set to 1.

Preamble Type: The Preamble Type defines the length of the CRC (Cyclic Redundancy Check) block for communication between the Access Point and roaming wireless adapters. Make sure to select the appropriate preamble type and click the Apply button.

Note: High network traffic areas should use the shorter preamble type. CRC is a common technique for detecting data transmission errors.

- Wireless Mode: If all of the wireless devices you want to connect with this access point can connect in the same transmission mode, you can improve performance slightly by choosing the appropriate "Only" mode. If you have some devices that use a different transmission mode, choose the appropriate "Mixed" mode.
 - Band Width: The "Auto 20/40 MHz" option is usually best. The other options are available for special circumstances.
 - Short Guard Using a short guard interval can increase throughput. However, it can also increase error rate in some installations, due to increased sensitivity to radio-frequency reflections. Select the option that works best for your installation .

Wi-Fi Protected Setup

Wi-Fi Protected Setup (WPS) is used to easily add devices to a network using a PIN or button press. Devices must support Wi-Fi Protected Setup in order to be configured by this method.

If the PIN changes, the new PIN will be used in following Wi-Fi Protected Setup process. Clicking on "Don't Save Settings" will not reset the PIN. However, if the new PIN is not saved, it will be lost when the device reboots or loses power.

WI-FI PROTECTED SETUP

- Enable: Select this box to enable the WPS if wireless devices you wish to include in the local network support Wi-Fi Protected Setup.
- **PIN Settings:** Only the "Admin" account can change security settings.
- **Reset PIN to** Resets the PIN to the default number **Default:** shown on the device.
- Generate New PIN: Generates a new PIN number for the device.
 - Add Wireless Click Connect your Wireless Device Station: to add wireless devices to the wireless network.

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VIRTUAL SERVER	WI-FI PROTECTED SE	TUP			Helpful Hints
PORT FORWARDING	Wi-Fi Protected Setup	is used to easily add devi	ces to a network using a P	IN or button press.	• Enable if other
APPLICATION RULES	Devices must support \	Wi-Fi Protected Setup in (order to be configured by	this method. Setup process, Clicking	to include in the local
QOS ENGINE	on "Don't Save Setting	gs" button will not reset t	he PIN.	Secup process, clicking	Protected Setup.
NETWORK FILTER	However, if the new P	IN is not saved, it will get	lost when the device reb	oots or loses power.	Only "Admin" account can change segurity
WEBSITE FILTER	Save Settings Don'	t Save Settings			settings.
FIREWALL SETTINGS	WI-FI PROTECTED SE	TUP			 Click Connect your Wireless Device to use
ADVANCED WIRELESS					Wi-Fi Protected Setup to add wireless devices to
WI-FI PROTECTED SETUP		Enable :			the wireless network.
ADVANCED NETWORK		Reset to Ur	nconfigured		
CALL SETTING					
	PIN SETTINGS				
		PIN : 70556025			
		Reset PIN 1	to Default Generate New	V PIN	
	ADD WIRELESS STAT	TION			
		Connectivo	ur Wireless Device		
		Conflict ye	ar the clob be vice		
	Save Settings Don't	t Save Settings			

STEP 1: SELECT CONFIGURATION METHOD

You may select **Auto** if your device supports WPS. You may select **Manual** if you would like to view the current wireless setting for configuring your device manually.

STEP 2: CONNECT YOUR WIRELESS DEVICE

If **Auto** configuration is chose, you will be given the option to add a wireless device using a PIN, or using the Push Button Configuration (PBC).

PIN: Enter the PIN from your wireless device and click the **Connect** button on your screen within 120 seconds.

PBC: Press the WPS button on your wireless device and click the **Connect** button on your screen within 120 seconds.

If **Manual** Configuration is chosen, you will see a screen like the one shown on the right.

Click **Next** to save your changes, or click **Cancel** to discard your changes.

STEP 1: SELECT CONFIGURATION METHOD FOR YOUR WIRELESS NETWORK
Please select one of following configuration methods and click next to continue.
Auto [©] Select this option if your wireless device supports WPS (Wi-Fi Protected Setup) Manual ^O Select this option will display the current wireless settings for you to configure the wireless device manually
Prev Next Cancel Connect

STEP 2: CONNECT YOUR WIRELESS DEVICE
There are two ways to add wireless device to your wireless network: -PIN (Personal Identification Number) -PBC (Push Button Configuration)
• PIN : 123456
please enter the PIN from your wireless device and click the below "Connect" Button within 120 seconds
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please press the push button on your wireless device and click the below "Connect" Button within 120 seconds
Prev Next Cancel Connect

SID: dlink		
Security Mode:	Auto (WPA or WPA2) - Personal	
Cipher Type: T	IP and AES	
re-shared Key:	22e7243e7393d8eb612e03a0d3ed4d0231500	c3c0be7b81e9060c19b4cef14a0e

Advanced Network

Advanced Network contains settings which can change the way the router handles certain types of traffic. We recommend that you do not change any of these settings unless you are already familiar with them or have been instructed to make the change by one of our support personnel.

Enable UPnP: UPnP is short for Universal Plug and Play which is a networking architecture that provides compatibility among networking equipment, software, and peripherals. The device is a UPnP enabled router, meaning it will work with other UPnP devices/software. If you do not want to use the UPnP functionality, it can be disabled by selecting "Disabled".

Enable WAN Ping Respond: When you Enable WAN Ping respond, you are causing the public WAN (Wide Area Network) IP address on the device to respond to ping commands sent by Internet users. Pinging public WAN IP addresses is a common method used by hackers to test whether your WAN IP address is valid.



- WAN Port Speed: This allows you to select the speed of the WAN interface of the router. You may select 100Mbps, 10Mbps, or 10/100Mbps Auto.
- Multicast Streams: Enable this option to allow Multicast traffic to pass from the Internet to your network more efficiently.
- Enable Multicast Streams: Enable this option if you are receiving video on demand type of service from the Internet. The router uses the IGMP protocol to support efficient multicasting -- transmission of identical content, such as multimedia, from a source to a number of recipients. This option must be enabled if any applications on the LAN participate in a multicast group. If you have a multimedia LAN application that is not receiving content as expected, try enabling this option.

Call Setting

The Call Setting page allows you to configure the settings for incoming calls. The DIR-456U allows you to connect a standard landline telephone and receive calls to the mobile number associated with your SIM card.

TELEPHONY SETTING

- **Caller ID Display:** Select this box to enable Caller ID display. **Caller ID Delivery:** Select this box to enable Caller ID delivery. **Call Waiting:** Select this box to enable call waiting. CALL FORWARDING Unconditional Number: Select this box to enable the Unconditional Number. Enter the number in the box provided. Busy Number: Select this box to enable the Busy Number. Enter the number in the box provided. No Answer Number: Select this box to enable the No Answer Number. Enter the number in the box provided.
 - No Answer Timer: Specify the No Answer Time in seconds.
- Not Reachable Number: Select this box to enable the Not Reachable Number. Enter the number in the box provided.

If your mobile service does not support these features, you will see a message at the bottom of the screen stating No network service or Request was rejected.

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APPLICATION RULES					
QOS ENGINE	TELEPHONY SETTING				
NETWORK FILTER	Caller	D Display + 🗔			
WEBSITE FILTER	Caller I				
FIREWALL SETTINGS	Caller II				
ADVANCED WIRELESS	Ca	li walting :			
WI-FI PROTECTED SETUP	CALL FORWARDING:				
ADVANCED NETWORK	Unconditiona Bus No Answe No Answe Not Reachabl No network service of	I Number : V Request was rejected	sec		
	Save Settings Don't	Save Settings			

Admin

The **Admin** page allows you to change the Administrator password and enable Remote Management. Admin has read/write access while the user has read-only access. Only the admin has the ability to change both admin and user account passwords.

ADMINISTRATOR

Admin Password: Enter and confirm the password that the admin account will use to access the router's management interface.

REMOTE MANAGEMENT

- **Enable Graphical** Enabling Graphical Authentication make you router more secure by helping to prevent against automated attacks.
- Remote Management: Remote management allows the DIR-456U to be configured from the Internet using a web browser. A username and password is still required to access the Web-Management interface. Usually only



a member of your network can browse the built-in web pages to perform Administrator tasks. This feature enables you to perform Administrator tasks from the remote (Internet) host.

Remote Admin Port: This is the port number used to access the router. Example: 8080 is the port used for the Web-Management interface.

Time

This section will help you set the time zone that you are in and the NTP (Network Time Protocol) Server. Daylight Saving can also be configured to adjust the time when needed.

Time Zone:	Select the appropriate Time Zone from the drop-down box.	D-Lin l	k			
Enable Daylight Saving:	Select this checkbox to enter a start date and an end date for daylight saving time.	DIR-456U ADMIN TIME EMAIL SETTINGS	SETUP TIME AND DATE The Time and Date C correct time on the in in and set the NTP (N	ADVANCED	TOOLS you to configure, updat this section you can set yeer. Davidah Saving car	e, and maintain the the time zone you are also be configured to
Automatic Time and Date Configuration:	The Network Time Protocol (NTP) synchronizes the computer's clock over a network.	SYSTEM FIRMWARE DYNAMIC DNS SYSTEM CHECK SCHEDULES	adjust the time when Save Settings Dor TIME AND DATE CO	nt Save Settings NFIGURATION Time: 2000/01/01 Time Zone: (GMT+06:00)	. 00:18:52) Taipei	
Set the Time and Date Manually:	Manually enter the values for Year , Month , Day , Hour , Minute , and Second .		Enable Daylin AUTOMATIC TIME A Automatically syn NTP S SET THE TIME AND Year 2009 x Hour 14 x	ght Saving : Sync. ND DATE CONFIGURATIO chronize with D-Link's Inte ierver Used : Select NTP S DATE MANUALLY Month Nov Minute 4	your computer's time setting The time server The time s	195 27 • 47 •

Click Save Settings to save your changes, or click Don't Save Settings to discard your changes.

Save Settings Don't Save Settings

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SUPPORT Helpful Hints...

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nually by clicking the

Email Settings

The Email feature can be used to send the system log files and router alert messages.

- From Email Address: Enter the e-mail address to be displayed in the from field of the e-mail that is send from the router.
 - To Email Address: Enter the e-mail address of the recipient.
 - Email Subject: Enter the subject of the e-mail to be sent.
- SMTP Server Address: Enter the SMTP server address for your e-mail account.
 - Account Name: Enter the account name for your e-mail account.

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FIRMWARE DYNAMIC DNS	EMAIL SETTINGS	I Address :			
SYSTEM CHECK SCHEDULES	To Emai Ema	l Address :			
	SMTP Serve Accor Verify	r Address : unt Name : Password : Password :	Send Mail Now	1	
	Save Settings Don't	Save Settings			

- **Password:** Enter the password associated with the account.
- Verify Password: Re-enter the password associated with the account.
- Send Mail Now: Click the Send Mail Now button to send a test message to e-mail address specified in the To Email Address field.

System

Here, you can save the current system settings onto the local hard drive.

Save To Local Hard Drive: Use this option to save your current router configuration settings to a file and onto your computer. Click Save to open a file dialog, and then select a location and file name for the settings.

Load From Local Hard Drive: Use this option to load the previously saved router configuration settings. Browse to find the saved file and then click Upload Settings to transfer those settings to the router.

D-Link DIR-456U ADVANCED SETUE TOOLS STATUS SUPPORT Helpful Hints... ADMIN SAVE AND RESTORE SETTINGS Once the router is configured you can save the configuration settings to a configuration file on Once your router is figured the way you your hard drive. You also have the option to load configuration settings, or restore the factory EMAIL SETTINGS ant it, you can sav default settings. SYSTEM uration file that SAVE AND RESTORE SETTINGS FIRMWARE ded in the DYNAMIC DNS Save Settings To Local Hard Drive : Save SYSTEM CHECK Load Settings From Local Hard Drive Browse... ere it says Save SCHEDULES tings to Local Har Upload Settings Restore To Factory Default Settings : Restore Device Reboot The Device : Reboot the Device Clear Language Pack : Clear

Restore To Factory Default This option will restore all settings

Settings: back to their defaults. Any settings that have not been backed up will be lost, including any rules that you have created.

Reboot the Device: Click to reboot your router.

Clear Language Pack: Click **Clear** to clear the language pack that has been installed to the router and restore the default language.

Firmware

Here, you can upgrade the firmware of your Router. Make sure the firmware you want to use is on the local hard drive of the computer and then click **Browse** to select the file to be uploaded. 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.

Current Firmware Version: Displays your current firmware version.

Browse: After you have downloaded the new firmware, click **Browse** to locate the firmware on your computer.

Click **Upload** to start the firmware upgrade.

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DIR-456U //	SETUP	ADVANCED	TOOLS	STATUS	SUPPORT		
ADMIN	FIRMWARE UPDATE				Helpful Hints		
IME MAIL SETTINGS	There may be new firm <u>Click here to check for</u>	iware for your router to in an upgrade on our suppor	nprove functionality and p <u>t site.</u>	erformance.	 Firmware Update are released periodically to improve the 		
SYSTEM	To upgrade the firmwa button. Once you have upgrade.	re, locate the upgrade file found the file to be used	on the local hard drive w d, click the Upload button	rith the Browse to start the firmware	functionality of your router and also to add features. If you run into		
	The language pack allo suggest that you upgra that any changes in the	ws you to change the lang de your current language e firmware are displayed co	guage of the user interface pack if you upgrade the prrectly.	te on the router. We firmware. This ensures	a problem with a specific feature of the router, check our support site by clicking on the Click		
CHEDULES	To upgrade the language pack, locate the upgrade file on the local hard drive with the Browse button. Once you have found the file to be used, click the Upload button to start the language pack upgrade.						
	FIRMWARE INFORMATION fromware is available for your router.						
	Current Firmware Version : 1.00						
	Current Firmware Date : Fri 13 Nov 2009 Check Online Now for Latest Firmware Version : Check Now						
	FIRMWARE UPGRADE						
	Note: Some firmware upgrades reset the configuration options to the factory defaults. Before performing an upgrade, be sure to save the current configuration.						
	To upgrade the firmware, your PC must have a wired connection to the router. Enter the name of the firmware upgrade file, and click on the Upload button.						
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		Upload : Upload		Browse_			

Dynamic DNS

The DDNS feature allows you to host a server (Web, FTP, or Game Server) using a domain name that you have purchased (yourname.com) with your dynamically assigned IP address.

Sign up for D-Link's free DDNS service at www.dlinkddns.com.

Enable Dynamic DNS: Dynamic Domain Name System is a method of keeping a domain name linked to a changing IP Address. Select this box to enable DDNS.

- **Provider:** Select your DDNS provider from the drop-down box.
- Host Name: Enter the Host Name that you registered with your DDNS service provider.
- Username / E-mail: Enter the Username for your DDNS account.
 - Password / Key: Enter the Password for your DDNS account.

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System Check

This useful diagnostic utility can be used to check if a computer is connected to the network. It sends ping packets and listens for responses from the specific host.

- Host Name or IP Address: Enter a host name or the IP address that you want to ping (Packet Internet Groper) and click **Ping**.
 - **PING Result:** The status of your Ping attempt will be displayed in the Ping Result box.



Schedules

This section allows you to manage schedule rules for various firewall and parental control features.

- Name: The name of the schedule being defined.
- Day(s): Select a day, range of days, or select the All Week checkbox to have this schedule apply every day.
- All Day 24 hrs: Check this box to have the schedule active the entire 24 hours on the days specified.
 - Start Time: Select the time at which you would like the schedule being defined to become active.
 - End Time: Select the time at which you would like the schedule being defined to become inactive.
- Schedule Rules List: This displays all the schedules that have been defined.



SCHEDULE RULE SETTING							
Name of	Name of Rule 1 :						
Week Day	Start Time (hh:mm)	End Time (hh:mm)					
Sunday							
Monday							
Tuesday							
Wednesday							
Thursday							
Friday							
Saturday							
Every Day							
	Back						

Device Information

All of your Internet and network connection details are displayed on this page. The firmware version is also displayed here.

- **General:** Displays the current time and firmware version.
 - WAN: Displays the MAC address and the private (local) IP settings for the router.
 - LAN: Displays the MAC address and the public IP settings for the router.
- Wireless LAN: Displays the wireless MAC address and your wireless settings such as SSID, Channel, and Encryption type.

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STATISTICS	version is also displayed	here.			802.11 N connection	
INTERNET SESSIONS	GENERAL				here.	
WIRELESS		Time : 2000/01/01	00:19:16			
	Firmwai	e Version : 1.00 Fri 13 P	lov 2009			
	WAN					
	Connec	tion Type : DHCP Client				
	Cat	le Status : Connected				
	WAN Failov	er Status : Active				
	Netwo	rk Status : Connected				
	Connection	Renew	Release			
	Connection	Address: 00:24:01:00	11/ MIT 43 Sec			
	MA	Address : 00.24.01.09	.10.17			
	Ir Address : 1/2.1/.0.// Subnet Mask - 255 255 255 0					
	Default Gateway : 172.17.5.254					
	Primary DNS Server : 192.168.168.250					
	Secondary DNS Server: 192.168.168.201					
	LAN					
	MA	C Address : 00:24:01:c9	:1b:f6			
	I	Address : 192.168.0.1				
	Sub	net Mask : 255.255.25	5.0			
	DH	CP Server : Enabled				
	WIRELESS LAN					
	Wirel	ess Radio : Enabled				
	MAG	C Address : 00:24:01:c9	:1b:f6			
	802	.11 Mode : Mixed 802.1	1n, 802.11g and 802.11b			
	Chan	nel Width : 20/40MHz				
		Channel: 6				
	Network Nar	ne (SSID) : dlink				
	Wi-Fi Protect	ed Setup : Disabled				
		Security : WPA/WPA2	-PSK			
WIRELESS						

Logs

Here, you can view logs and define events that you would like to view.



Statistics

Here you can view the packets transmitted and received passing through your router on both WAN and LAN ports. The traffic counter will reset if the device is rebooted.

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DEVICE INFO LOGS STATISTICS INTERNET SESSIONS WIRELESS	TRAFFIC STATISTICS Traffic Statistics display TRAFFIC STATISTICS	Helpful Hints • This is a summary displaying the number of packets that have passed between the Internet and the LAN since the router was last initialized.			
	Internet	14213 Packets	8756 Packe	its	
	LAN	11067 Packets	10002 Pack	tets	
	WIRELESS 11n	17624 Packets	120 Packet	5	
WIRELESS					

Internet Sessions

This page displays Source and Destination packets passing through the device.



Wireless

This table displays a list of wireless clients that are connected to your wireless router. It also displays the connection time and MAC address of the connected wireless clients.

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DEVICE INFO	CONNECTED WIRELES	SS CLIENT LIST			Helpful Hints	
LOGS	View the wireless client	ts that are connected to	the router. (A client mig	ht linger in the list for a	• This is a list of all wireless clients that are	
STATISTICS	rew minutes after an u	few minutes after an unexpected disconnect.)				
INTERNET SESSIONS	NUMBER OF WIRELES		your wireless router.			
WIRELESS	SSID	MAC Address	IP Address N	Iode Rate (Mbps)		
WIRELESS						

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DIR-456U	SETUP	ADVANCED	TOOLS	STATUS	SUPPORT
MENU	SUPPORT MENU				
SETUP ADVANCED TOOLS STATUS	• <u>Setup</u> • <u>Advanced</u> • <u>Tools</u> • <u>Status</u>				
	SETUP HELP • Internet • Wireless Settings • Network Settings				
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	STATUS HELP Device Info Logs Statistics Internet Sessions Wireless				

Wireless Security

This section will show you the different levels of security you can use to protect your data from intruders. The

DIR-456U offers the following types of security:

- WPA2 (Wi-Fi Protected Access 2) WPA2-PSK (Pre-Shared Key)
- WPA (Wi-Fi Protected Access)
 WPA-PSK (Pre-Shared Key)
- WEP (Wired Equivalent Privacy)

What is WEP?

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

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

Configure WEP

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

- 1. Log into the web-based configuration by opening a web browser and entering the IP address of the router (192.168.0.1). Click on **Wireless Settings** on the left side.
- 2. Next to *Security Mode*, select **Enable WEP Security**.
- 3. Next to Authentication, select **Open** or **Shared Key**.
- 4. Select either **64-bit** or **128-bit** encryption from the drop-down box next to *WEP Encryption*.
- 5. Next to Key Type, select either Hex or ASCII.

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

ASCII - All numbers and letters are valid.

- 6. Next to *Key 1*, enter a WEP key that you create. Make sure you enter this key exactly on all your wireless devices. You may enter up to 4 different keys.
- WEP : WEP is the wireless encryption standard. To use it you must enter the same key(s) into the router and the wireless stations. For 64 bit keys you must enter 10 hex digits into each key box. For 128 bit keys you must enter 26 hex digits into each key box. A hex digit is either a number from 0 to 9 or a letter from A to F. For the most secure use of WEP set the authentication type to "Shared Key" when WEP is enabled. You may also enter any text string into a WEP key box, in which case it will be converted into a hexadecimal key using the ASCII values of the characters. A maximum of 5 text characters can be entered for 64 bit keys, and a maximum of 13 characters for 128 bit keys. Authentication : Open WEP Encryption : 64Bit 🔻 Key Type : HEX 🔽 Default WEP Key : WEP Key 1 💌 WEP Key 1 : 0000000000 WEP Key 2 : 0000000000 WEP Key 3 : 000000000 WEP Key 4 : 0000000000
- 7. Click **Save Settings** to save your settings. If you are configuring the router with a wireless adapter, you will lose connectivity until you enable WEP on your adapter and enter the same WEP key as you did on the router.

What is WPA?

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

The 2 major improvements over WEP:

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

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

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

Configure WPA-PSK

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

- 1. Log into the web-based configuration by opening a web browser and entering the IP address of the router (192.168.0.1). Click on **Wireless Settings** on the left side.
- 2. Next to Security Mode, select Enable WPA-Personal Security or Enable WPA2-Personal Security.
- 3. Next to Cipher Mode, select TKIP, AES, or Auto.
- 4. Next to *PSK/EAP*, select **PSK**.
- 5. Next to *Passphrase*, enter a key (passphrase). The key is an alphanumeric password between 8 and 63 characters long. The password can include symbols (!?*&_) and spaces. Make sure you enter this key exactly the same on all other wireless clients.
- 6. Enter the passphrase again next to Confirmed Passphrase.

WPA-PERSONAL :
WPA-Personal requires stations to use high grade encryption and authentication.
Cipher Type : TKIP - PSK / EAP : PSK -
Passphrase :
Confirmed Passphrase :

7. Click **Save Settings** to save your settings. If you are configuring the router with a wireless adapter, you will lose connectivity until you enable WPA-PSK (or WPA2-PSK) on your adapter and enter the same passphrase as you did on the router.

Configure WPA (RADIUS)

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

- 1. Log into the web-based configuration by opening a web browser and entering the IP address of the router (192.168.0.1). Click on **Wireless Settings** on the left side.
- 2. Next to *Security Mode*, select **Enable WPA-Personal Security** or **Enable WPA2-Personal Security**.
- 3. Next to Cipher Mode, select TKIP, AES, or Auto.
- 4. Next to *PSK/EAP*, select **EAP**.
- 5. Next to RADIUS Server 1 enter the IP Address of your RADIUS server.
- 6. Next to *Port*, enter the port you are using with your RADIUS server. 1812 is the default port.
- 7. Next to Shared Secret, enter the security key.
- 8. If you have a secondary RADIUS server, enter its IP address, port, and secret key.
- 9. Click Apply Settings to save your settings.

WPA-PERSONAL :						
WPA-Personal requires stations to use high grade encryption and authentication.						
Cipher Type : PSK / EAP : 802 1X	AUTO - EAP -					
RADIUS Server 1 : RADIUS Server 2 :	IP Port Shared Secret IP Port Shared Secret	0.0.0.0				

Using Windows[®] 7 and WPS for Wireless Configuration

The following steps allow you to configure your DIR-456U wireless network settings using Windows® 7 through WPS.

1. Click the **Start** button and select **Computer** from the Start menu.

2. Click the **Network** option.

3. Double-click the DIR-456U router.

4. Input the WPS PIN number (displayed in the **Advanced** > **Wi-Fi Protected Setup** section in the Router's Web UI) and click **Next**.

🕞 😵 Set Up a Network	
To set up a network, type the 8-digit PIN fro You can find the numeric PIN on a label attached to the router or in the printed information that came from the manufacture. PIN:	om the router label
	Next Cancel
5. Type a name for your wireless network.



6. To configure advanced settings, click the \odot icon.





Click Next to continue.

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7. The following window will appear while the Router is being configured.

Wait for the configuration to complete.

8. After configuration is complete, a window will appear that your wireless network has been set up successfully.

Make a note of the security key as you may need to provide this security key when adding an older wireless device to the network in the future.

Click **Close** to complete WPS setup.





Connecting to a Wireless Network Using Windows® 7

It is recommended that you enable wireless security (WPA/WPA2) on your wireless router or access point before configuring your wireless adapter. If you are joining an existing network, you will need to know the security key or passphrase being used.

1. Click on the wireless icon in the system tray in the lowerright corner of your screen.

2. The utility will display any available wireless networks in your area.



3. Highlight the wireless network (SSID) you would like to connect to and click the **Connect** button.



4. The following window appears while your computer tries to connect to the router.



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5. If your wireless network uses encryption such as WEP or WPA/WPA2, enter the encryption password/passphrase for your wireless network and click **Connect**.

It may take 20-30 seconds to connect to the wireless network. If the connection fails, please verify that the key or passphrase is exactly the same as on the wireless router.

Connect to a Net	work	×
Type the netwo	ork security key	
Security key:	Hide characters	
		OK Cancel

Connecting to a Wireless Network Using Windows Vista $^{\ensuremath{\mathbb{R}}}$

It is recommended that you enable wireless security (WPA/WPA2) on your wireless router or access point before configuring your wireless adapter. If you are joining an existing network, you will need to know the security key or passphrase being used.

1. Open the Windows Vista[®] Wireless Utility by right-clicking on the wireless computer icon in the system tray in the lower right corner of the screen. Select **Connect to a network**.

2. The utility will display any available wireless networks in your area.

Highlight the wireless network (SSID) you would like to connect to and click **Connect**.

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





3. If your wireless network uses encryption such as WEP or WPA/ WPA2, enter the encryption password/passphrase for your wireless network and click **Connect**.

It may take 20-30 seconds to connect to the wireless network. If the connection fails, please verify that the key or passphrase is exactly the same as on the wireless router.

Туре	the network security key or passphrase for Candy
The p	erson who setup the network can give you the key or passphrase.
Securi	ty key or passphrase:
Dis Dis	play characters
4	If you have a <u>USB flash drive</u> with network settings for Candy, insert it now.

Connecting to a Wireless Network Using Windows® XP

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

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

or

Right-click on the wireless computer icon in the system tray in the lower-right corner of the screen. Select **View Available Wireless Networks**.

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

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





Section 5 - Connecting to a Wireless Network

3. If your wireless network uses encryption such as WEP or WPA/ WPA2, enter the encryption password/passphrase for your wireless network and click **Connect**.

It may take 20-30 seconds to connect to the wireless network. If the connection fails, please verify that the key or passphrase is exactly the same as on the wireless router.

Wireless Network Conne	ection 🔀
The network 'test1' requires key helps prevent unknown i	a network key (also called a WEP key or WPA key). A network ntruders from connecting to this network.
Type the key, and then click	Connect.
Network <u>k</u> ey:	1
Confirm network key:	
	<u>Connect</u> Cancel

Troubleshooting

This chapter provides solutions to problems that can occur during the installation and operation of the DIR-456U. Read the following descriptions if you are having problems. (The examples below are illustrated in Windows[®] XP. If you have a different operating system, the screenshots on your computer will look similar to the following examples.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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. Strictly adhering to the IEEE standard, the D-Link wireless family of products will allow you to securely access the data you want, when and where you want it. You will be able to enjoy the freedom that wireless networking delivers.

A wireless local area network (WLAN) is a cellular computer network that transmits and receives data with radio signals instead of wires. Wireless LANs 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 Router is a device used to provide this link.

What is Wireless?

Wireless or Wi-Fi technology is another way of connecting your computer to the network without using wires. Wi-Fi uses radio frequency to connect wirelessly, so you have the freedom to connect computers anywhere in your home or office network.

Why D-Link Wireless?

D-Link is the worldwide leader and award winning designer, developer, and manufacturer of networking products. D-Link delivers the performance you need at a price you can afford. D-Link has all the products you need to build your network.

How does wireless work?

Wireless works similar to how cordless phone work, through radio signals to transmit data from one point A to point B. But wireless technology has restrictions as to how you can access the network. You must be within the wireless network range area to be able to connect your computer. There are two different types of wireless networks Wireless Local Area Network (WLAN), and Wireless Personal Area Network (WPAN).

Wireless Local Area Network (WLAN)

In a wireless local area network, a device called an Access Point (AP) connects computers to the network. The access point has a small antenna attached to it, which allows it to transmit data back and forth over radio signals. With an indoor access point as seen in the picture, the signal can travel up to 300 feet. With an outdoor access point the signal can reach out up to 30 miles to serve places like manufacturing plants, industrial locations, college and high school campuses, airports, golf courses, and many other outdoor venues.

Wireless Personal Area Network (WPAN)

Bluetooth is the industry standard wireless technology used for WPAN. Bluetooth devices in WPAN operate in a range up to 30 feet away.

Compared to WLAN the speed and wireless operation range are both less than WLAN, but in return it doesn't use nearly as much power which makes it ideal for personal devices, such as mobile phones, PDAs, headphones, laptops, speakers, and other devices that operate on batteries.

Who uses wireless?

Wireless technology as become so popular in recent years that almost everyone is using it, whether it's for home, office, business, D-Link has a wireless solution for it.

Home

- Gives everyone at home broadband access
- Surf the web, check e-mail, instant message, and etc
- Gets rid of the cables around the house
- Simple and easy to use

Small Office and Home Office

- Stay on top of everything at home as you would at office
- · Remotely access your office network from home
- Share Internet connection and printer with multiple computers
- No need to dedicate office space

Where is wireless used?

Wireless technology is expanding everywhere not just at home or office. People like the freedom of mobility and it's becoming so popular that more and more public facilities now provide wireless access to attract people. The wireless connection in public places is usually called "hotspots".

Using a D-Link Cardbus Adapter with your laptop, you can access the hotspot to connect to Internet from remote locations like Airports, Hotels, Coffee Shops, Libraries, Restaurants, and Convention Centers.

Wireless network is easy to setup, but if you're installing it for the first time it could be quite a task not knowing where to start. That's why we've put together a few setup steps and tips to help you through the process of setting up a wireless network.

Tips

Here are a few things to keep in mind, when you install a wireless network.

Centralize your Router or Access Point

Make sure you place the router/access point in a centralized location within your network for the best performance. Try to place the router/ access point as high as possible in the room, so the signal gets dispersed throughout your home. If you have a two-story home, you may need a repeater to boost the signal to extend the range.

Eliminate Interference

Place home appliances such as cordless telephones, microwaves, and televisions as far away as possible from the router/access point. This would significantly reduce any interference that the appliances might cause since they operate on same frequency.

Security

Don't let you next-door neighbors or intruders connect to your wireless network. Secure your wireless network by turning on the WPA or WEP security feature on the router. Refer to product manual for detail information on how to set it up.

Wireless Modes

There are basically two modes of networking:

- Infrastructure All wireless clients will connect to an access point or wireless router.
- Ad-Hoc Directly connecting to another computer, for peer-to-peer communication, using wireless network adapters on each computer, such as two or more WNA-2330 wireless network Cardbus adapters.

An Infrastructure network contains an Access Point or wireless router. All the wireless devices, or clients, will connect to the wireless router or access point.

An Ad-Hoc network contains only clients, such as laptops with wireless cardbus adapters. All the adapters must be in Ad-Hoc mode to communicate.

Networking Basics

Check your IP address

After you install your new D-Link adapter, by default, the TCP/IP settings should be set to obtain an IP address from a DHCP server (i.e. wireless router) automatically. To verify your IP address, please follow the steps below.

Click on **Start** > **Run**. In the run box type *cmd* and click **OK**. (Windows[®] Vista[™] users type *cmd* in the **Start Search** box.)

At the prompt, type *ipconfig* and press Enter.

This will display the IP address, subnet mask, and the default gateway of your adapter.



If the address is 0.0.0.0, check your adapter installation, security settings, and the settings on your router. Some firewall software programs may block a DHCP request on newly installed adapters.

Statically Assign an IP address

If you are not using a DHCP capable gateway/router, or you need to assign a static IP address, please follow the steps below:

Step 1

- Windows[®] Vista[™] Click on Start > Control Panel > Network and Internet > Network and Sharing Center > Manage Network Connections.
- Windows[®] XP Click on Start > Control Panel > Network Connections.
- Windows[®] 2000 From the desktop, right-click **My Network Places** > **Properties**.

Step 2

Right-click on the Local Area Connection which represents your network adapter and select Properties.

Step 3

Highlight Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) and click Properties.

Step 4

Click **Use the following IP address** and enter an IP address that is on the same subnet as your network or the LAN IP address on your router.

Example: If the router's LAN IP address is 192.168.0.1, make your IP address 192.168.0.X where X is a number between 2 and 99. Make sure that the number you choose is not in use on the network. Set Default Gateway the same as the LAN IP address of your router (192.168.0.1).

Set Primary DNS the same as the LAN IP address of your router (192.168.0.1). The Secondary DNS is not needed or you may enter a DNS server from your ISP.

Step 5

Click **OK** twice to save your settings.

You can get IP settings assigned this capability. Otherwise, you ne the appropriate IP settings.	automatically if your network supports ed to ask your network administrator for
Obtain an IP address autom	natically
 Observation → Observation → Obser	s:
IP address:	192.168.0.52
Subnet mask:	255 . 255 . 255 . 0
Default gateway:	192.168.0.1
Obtain DNS server address	automatically
Use the following DNS serv	er addresses:
Preferred DNS server:	192.168.0.1
Alternate DNS server:	

Technical Specifications

GSM Band (GSM/GPRS/EDGE)

- 850 / 900 / 1800 / 1900 MHz
- Power Class 4 (850 / 900 MHz)
- Power Class 1 (1800 / 1900 MHz)

UMTS/HSUPA Band *

- 850 / 1900 / 2100 MHz
- Power Class 3

Data Rates **

- 6/9/11/12/18/24/36/48/54Mbps in 802.11g mode
- 1/2/5.5/11Mbps in 802.11b mode

Standards

- 802.11g
- 802.11b
- 802.3
- 802.3u
- 150N

Wireless Security

- 64/128-bit WEP (Wired Equivalent Privacy)
- WPA & WPA2 (Wi-Fi Protected Access)

Firewall

- Network Address Translation (NAT)
- Stateful Packet Inspection (SPI)

VPN

- L2TP/PPTP/IPSEC VPN Pass-through
- 5 Dedicated IPSec tunnels

Antenna

3 Internal antennas

Ports

- 2 x LAN (RJ-45)
- 1 x WAN (RJ-45)
- 1 x Phone (RJ-11)

USIM Slot

Standard 6-pin SIM card interface

LED Status Indicators

- WPS
- WAN
- LAN
- WLAN
- 2G/2.5G
- 3G/3.5G
- SMS
- Signal

Dimensions (L x W x H)

• 184 x 125 x 30 mm

Operating Temperature

0° to 40°C (32° to 104°F)

Operating Humidity

10%-90% (Non-condensing)

Certification

- CE
- FCC

* Supported frequency band is dependent upon regional hardware version.

** Maximum wireless signal rate derived from IEEE Standard 802.11g specifications. Actual data throughput will vary. Network conditions and environmental factors, including volume of network traffic, building materials and construction, and network overhead, lower actual data throughput rate. Environmental factors will adversely affect wireless signal range.