



# **DIR-615**

## **Wireless Router with Built-in 4-port Switch**

# **BEFORE YOU BEGIN**

#### **Delivery Package**

- Wireless router DIR-615
- Power adapter DC 12V/0.5A
- Straight-through Ethernet cable (CAT 5E)
- CD-ROM with "User Manual" and "Quick Installation Guide"
- "Quick Installation Guide" (brochure).

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

**Using a power supply with a different voltage rating than the one included will cause damage and void the warranty for this product.** 

### Default Settings

192.168.0.1
admin
admin
DIR-615

### System Requirements and Equipment

- A computer with any operating system that supports a web browser.
- A web browser to access the web-based interface of the router: Windows Internet Explorer, Mozilla Firefox, or Opera.
- A NIC (Ethernet or Wi-Fi adapter) to connect to the router.
- An 802.11b, g, or n Wi-Fi adapter to create a wireless network.

## **CONNECTING TO PC**

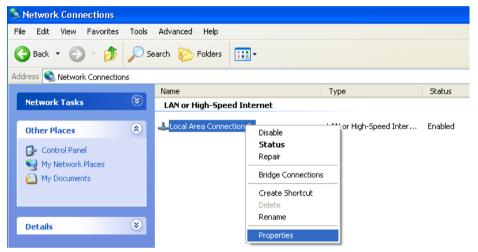
#### PC with Ethernet Adapter

- 1. Make sure that your PC is powered off.
- 2. Connect an Ethernet cable between any of LAN ports located on the back panel of the router and the Ethernet port of your PC.
- 3. Connect the power cord to the power connector port on the back panel of the router, then plug the power adapter into an electrical outlet or power strip.
- 4. Turn on your PC and wait until your operating system is completely loaded.

Now you should configure your PC to obtain an IP address automatically (as DHCP client).

## Obtaining IP Address Automatically in OS Windows XP

- 1. Click the Start button and proceed to the Control Panel > Network and Internet Connections > Network Connections window.
- 2. In the **Network Connections** window, right-click the relevant **Local Area Connection** icon and select the **Properties** line in the menu displayed.



3. In the Local Area Connection Properties window, on the General tab, select the Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) line. Click the Properties button.

4. Select the **Obtain an IP address automatically** and **Obtain DNS server address automatically** radio buttons. Click the **OK** button.

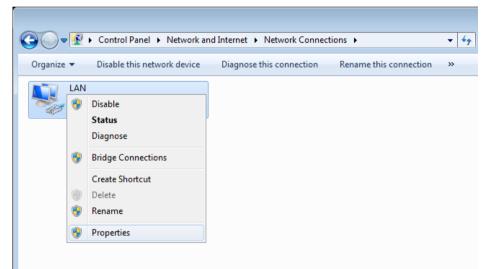
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General Alternate Configuration			
You can get IP settings assigned automatically if your network supports this capability. Otherwise, you need to ask your network administrator for the appropriate IP settings.			
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Use the following IP address: —			
IP address:			
S <u>u</u> bnet mask:			
Default gateway:			
Obtain DNS server address auto	matically		
OUse the following DNS server ad	dresses:		
Preferred DNS server:			
<u>A</u> lternate DNS server;			
	Ad <u>v</u> anced		
	OK Cancel		

5. Click the **OK** button in the connection properties window.

Now your computer is configured to obtain an IP address automatically.

#### Obtaining IP Address Automatically in OS Windows 7

- 1. Click the **Start** button and proceed to the **Control Panel** window.
- 2. Select the **Network and Sharing Center** section. (If the Control Panel has the category view (the **Category** value is selected from the **View by** drop-down list in the top right corner of the window), choose the **View network status and tasks** line under the **Network and Internet** section.)
- 3. In the menu located on the left part of the window, select the **Change** adapter settings line.
- 4. In the opened window, right-click the relevant **Local Area Connection** icon and select the **Properties** line in the menu displayed.



 In the Local Area Connection Properties window, on the Networking tab, select the Internet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IPv4) line. Click the Properties button. 6. Select the **Obtain an IP address automatically** and **Obtain DNS server address automatically** radio buttons. Click the **OK** button.

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General Alternate Configuration			
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Obtain an IP address automatically			
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IP address:	· · · ·		
Subnet mask:			
Default gateway:			
Obtain DN5 server address automatically			
OUSe the following DNS server add	resses:		
Preferred DNS server:	· · · · · ·		
Alternate DNS server:			
Validate settings upon exit	Advanced		
	OK Cancel		

7. Click the **OK** button in the connection properties window.

Now your computer is configured to obtain an IP address automatically.

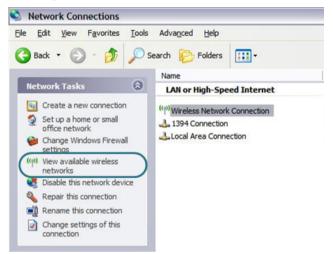
#### PC with Wi-Fi Adapter

- 1. Connect the power cord to the power connector port on the back panel of the router, then plug the power adapter into an electrical outlet or power strip.
- 2. Turn on your PC and wait until your operating system is completely loaded.
- 3. Turn on your Wi-Fi adapter. As a rule, modern notebooks with built-in wireless NICs are equipped with a button or switch that turns on/off the wireless adapter (refer to your PC documents). If your PC is equipped with a pluggable wireless NIC, install the software provided with your Wi-Fi adapter.

Now you should configure your Wi-Fi adapter.

## Configuring Wi-Fi Adapter in OS Windows XP

- 1. Click the Start button and proceed to the Control Panel > Network and Internet Connections > Network Connections window.
- 2. Select the icon of the wireless network connection and make sure that your Wi-Fi adapter is on.



- 3. Search for available wireless networks.
- 4. In the opened **Wireless Network Connection** window, select the wireless network **DIR-615** and click the **Connect** button.

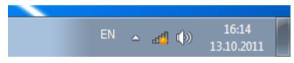
#### After that the Wireless Network Connection Status window appears.

If you perform initial configuration of the router via Wi-Fi connection,

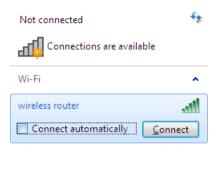
- note that immediately after changing the wireless default settings of the
- router you will need to reconfigure the wireless connection using the newly specified settings.

## Configuring Wi-Fi Adapter in OS Windows 7

- 1. Click the **Start** button and proceed to the **Control Panel** window.
- 2. Select the **Network and Sharing Center** section. (If the Control Panel has the category view (the **Category** value is selected from the **View by** drop-down list in the top right corner of the window), choose the **View network status and tasks** line under the **Network and Internet** section.)
- 3. In the menu located on the left part of the window, select the **Change** adapter settings line.
- 4. In the opened window, select the icon of the wireless network connection and make sure that your Wi-Fi adapter is on.
- 5. To open the list of available wireless networks, select the icon of the wireless network connection and click the **Connect To** button or left-click the network icon in the notification area located on the right side of the taskbar.



6. In the opened window, in the list of available wireless networks, select the wireless network **DIR-615** and click the **Connect** button.



Open	Network	and	Sharing	Center
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7. Wait for about 20-30 seconds. After the connection is established, the network icon will be displayed as the signal level scale.

If you perform initial configuration of the router via Wi-Fi connection,

note that immediately after changing the wireless default settings of the router you will need to reconfigure the wireless connection using the newly specified settings.

# **CONFIGURING ROUTER**

#### Connecting to Web-based Interface

- 1. Start a web browser.
- In the address bar of the web browser, enter the IP address of the router (by default, the following IP address is specified: 192.168.0.1). Press the Enter key.



3. On the opened page, enter the username (login) and password for the administrator account (by default, the following username and password are specified: admin, admin). Then click the **Enter** link.

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Login:	
admin	
Password:	
<u>Enter</u> <u>Clear</u>	

If the error "*The page cannot be displayed*" (or "*Unable to display the page*"/"*Could not connect to remote server*") occurs upon connecting to the web-based interface of the router, make sure that you have properly connected the router to your computer. Right after the first access to the web-based interface you are forwarded to the page for changing the administrator password specified by default.

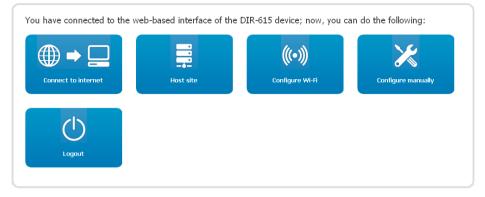
System passw	ord setting up
	ssword and the password for the web-based interface will be changed at the same time.
Login:	admin V
Password:	
Confirmation:	

Enter the new password in the **Password** and **Confirmation** fields. Then click the **Save** button.

Remember or write down the new password for the administrator account. In case of losing the new password, you can access the settings

of the router only after restoring the factory default settings via the hardware Reset button. This procedure wipes out all settings that you have configured for your router.

#### After successful registration the router's quick settings page opens.



On the page, you can proceed to the Wizards (use the **Connect to internet**, **Host site**, and **Configure Wi-Fi** buttons) or switch to the standard webbased interface of the router by clicking the **Configure manually** button. After clicking the button, the system statistics page opens. The page displays general information on the router and its software.

The web-based interface of the router is multilingual. Select a needed language from the menu displayed when the mouse pointer is over the **Language** caption. You can change the language of the web-based interface in any menu item.



After selecting the language, the notification on unsaved changes will be displayed. Click the **Save** button to save the current language of the web-based interface as the default language.

#### **Configuring Connection to the Internet**

You should configure your WAN connection in accordance with data provided by your Internet service provider (ISP). Make sure that you have obtained all necessary information prior to configuring your connection. Otherwise contact your ISP.

- 1. Go to the **Net** / **WAN** page, select the **WAN** connection and click the **Delete** button.
- 2. Click the **Add** button.
- 3. In the **General settings** section, select a needed value from the **Connection Type** drop-down list.
- 4. From the **Port** drop-down list, select the **Internet** value.
- 5. Specify a name for your connection (any name for easier identification) in the **Name** field.

General settings	
Connection Type:	PPPoE 👻
Port:	Internet 💌
Name:	pppoe_Internet_2
Enable:	
Direction:	WAN

6. If your ISP uses MAC address binding, in the **Ethernet** section, in the **MAC** field, enter the MAC address registered by your ISP upon concluding the agreement. To set the MAC address of the network interface card (of the computer that is being used to configure the router at the moment) as the MAC address of the WAN interface, click the **Clone MAC** button. To set the address of a device connected to the router's LAN at the moment, select the relevant value from the drop-down list located to the right of the field.

Ethernet	
MTU:	1500
MAC:	00:90:4C:08:00:0D <select address=""> -</select>
	Clone MAC

7. *For connection of PPPoE type:* in the **PPP** section, enter authorization data provided by your ISP (the username (login) in the **Username** field and the password in the **Password** and **Password confirmation** fields), or select the **Without authorization** checkbox if authorization is not required.

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Username:		
Without authorization:		
Password:		
Password confirmation:		

8. *For connection of Static IP type*: in the **IP** section, fill in the **IP** Address, Netmask, Gateway **IP** Address, and Primary DNS server fields.

IP	
IP Address:	
Netmask:	
Gateway IP address:	
Primary DNS server:	
Secondary DNS server:	

9. *For connection of Dynamic IP type*: if your ISP has provided the address of the DNS server, in the IP section, deselect the **Obtain DNS server addresses automatically** checkbox and fill in the **Primary DNS server** field.

IP	
Obtain DNS server addresses automatically: Primary DNS server:	
Secondary DNS server: Vendor ID:	

10. For connection of PPTP + Static IP or L2TP + Static IP type: in the IP section, fill in the IP Address, Netmask, Gateway IP Address, and Primary DNS server fields. Then in the VPN section, enter authorization data provided by your ISP (the username (login) in the Username field and the password in the Password and Password confirmation fields), or select the Without authorization checkbox if authorization is not required. In the VPN server address field, enter the IP or URL address of the PPTP or L2TP authentication server. If your ISP applies encryption, select a needed value from the Encryption drop-down list.

IP	
IP Address:	
Netmask:	
Gateway IP address:	
Primary DNS server:	
Secondary DNS server:	

#### VPN

Connect automatically:	$\checkmark$
Username:	
Without authorization:	
Password:	
Password confirmation:	
VPN server address:	
Encryption:	No encrypt 👻

11. For connection of PPTP + Dynamic IP or L2TP + Dynamic IP type: if your ISP has provided the address of the DNS server, in the IP section, server addresses automatically deselect the **Obtain DNS** checkbox and fill in the Primary DNS server field. Then in the VPN section. enter authorization data provided by your ISP (the username (login) in the **Username** field and the password in the **Password** and Password confirmation fields), select the or Without authorization checkbox if authorization is not required. In the VPN server address field, enter the IP or URL address of the PPTP or L2TP authentication server. If your ISP applies encryption, select a needed value from the **Encryption** drop-down list.

IP	
Obtain DNS server addresses automatically: Primary DNS server: Secondary DNS server: Vendor ID:	
VPN	
Connect automatically:	
Username:	
Without authorization:	
Password:	
Password confirmation:	
VPN server address:	

- 12. If needed, fill in other fields on the page in accordance with data provided by the ISP.
- 13. Click the **Save** button.

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#### **Configuring Local Area Network**

1. Go to the **Net / LAN** page. If needed, change the IP address of the router's LAN interface and the mask of the local subnet in the **IP Address** and **Netmask** fields of the **IP** section. Then click the **Save** button.

IP		
IP Address:	192.168.0.1	
Netmask:	255,255,255,0	

By default, the DHCP server of the router is enabled. In the DHCP server section you can change the parameters of the DHCP server. If you want to manually assign IP addresses to devices of your LAN, disable the DHCP server (select the Disable value from the Mode drop-down list).

DHCP server		
Mode:	Enable 💌	
Start IP:	192.168.0.2	
End IP:	192.168.0.254	
Lease time (min):	86400	

3. After specifying the DHCP server settings, click the **Save** button.

## Configuring Wireless Network

By default, the wireless network of the router is open (it requires no password to access it). To avoid unauthorized access to your wireless local area network, change the default settings of the router.

#### **Example of Wireless Settings**

- 1. Go to the **Wi-Fi / Security settings** page.
- 2 Select the WPA2-PSK value from the Network Authentication dropdown list

Network Authentication:	WPA2-PSK 👻
Encryption Key PSK:	
WPA2 Pre-authentication:	
WPA Encryption settings	
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WPA Encryption:	AES 👻
WPA reneval:	3600

- 3. Enter a key (a password that will be used to access your wireless network) in the Encryption Key PSK field. Use digits and Latin characters
- 4. Select the **AES** value from the **WPA Encryption** drop-down list.
- 5. Click the **Change** button.

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- note that immediately after changing the wireless default settings you
- will need to reconfigure the wireless connection using the newly specified settings.

## Saving Settings to Non-volatile Memory

In order to avoid losing the new settings upon hardware reboot (accidental or intentional power-off of the device), it is recommended to save the settings to the non-volatile memory of the router.

Click the **Save&Reboot** line in the top-page menu displayed when the mouse pointer is over the **System** caption.



Wait until the router is rebooted. Now you can use it to access the Internet or access the web-based interface of the router to configure additional parameters (for detailed description of every page of the web-based interface, see the "User Manual" document).

## **TECHNICAL SUPPORT**

You can find software updates and user documentation on our website.

D-Link provides its customers with free support within the product's warranty period.

Customers can contact the technical support group by phone or by e-mail/Internet.

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