





# Tether App

The TP-Link Tether app provides a simple, intuitive way to access and manage your router. Scan the QR code to download Tether from the Apple App Store or Google Play.



- the bottom of the router.
- B. Use the default network name (SSID) and password to join the network.

Tip: If you are using a smartphone or tablet, you can also scan the QR code to join the preset network directly.

Ptp-link		
	QR Code	Wireless Password/PIN: XXXXXXXX SSID:TP-Link_XXXX



## Access Point Mode

In this mode, the router transforms your existing wired network to a wireless one.



### A. Power on the router.

- B. Connect the router's WAN port to your wired router's Ethernet port via an Ethernet cable as shown above.
- C. Connect a computer to the router via an Ethernet cable or wirelessly by using the SSID (network name) and Wireless Password printed on the label at the bottom of the router.
- D. Launch a web browser and enter http://tplinkwifi.net in the address bar. Create a password to log in.
- E. Click Change Mode in the top right corner and select Access Point Mode. Wait for the router to reboot.
- Tip: You can also go to Advanced > Operation Mode to switch to Access Point Mode.
- F. Use http://tplinkwifi.net to log in to the web management page and follow the step-by-step instructions to set up the internet connection.



## Range Extender Mode

In this mode, the router boosts the existing wireless coverage in your home.

### 1. Configure

- A. Place the router next to your host router and power it on.
- B. Connect a computer to the router via an Ethernet cable or wirelessly by using the SSID (network name) and Wireless Password printed on the label at the bottom of the router.
- C. Launch a web browser and enter http://tplinkwifi.net in the address bar. Create a password to log in.
- D. Click Change Mode in the top right corner and select Range Extender Mode. Wait for the router to reboot.
- Tip: You can also go to Advanced > Operation Mode to switch to Range Extender Mode.
- E. Use http://tplinkwifi.net to log in to the web management page and follow the step-by-step instructions to set up the internet connection.

### 2. Relocate

Place the router about **halfway** between your host router and the Wi-Fi "dead" zone. The location you choose must be within the range of your existing host network.





## WISP Mode

In this mode, the router connects to the ISP network wirelessly in areas without wired service.



### A. Power on the router.

- B. Connect a computer to the router via an Ethernet cable or wirelessly by using the SSID (network name) and Wireless Password printed on the label at the bottom of the router.
- C. Launch a web browser and enter http://tplinkwifi.net in the address bar. Create a password to log in.
- D. Click Change Mode in the top right corner and select WISP Mode. Wait for the router to reboot.
  - Tip: You can also go to Advanced > Operation Mode to switch to WISP Mode.
- E. Use http://tplinkwifi.net to log in to the web management page and follow the step-by-step instructions to set up the internet connection.



### Appearance

Item	Description		
Ø	Orange	Solid on: Router Mode: The WAN port is connected, but internet is not available. Access Point Mode: The WAN port is not connected. Range Extender Mode: The router is not connected to the host network WISP Mode: Internet is not available. Blinking: The WAN port is not connected while in Router Mode.	
Internet LED		Solid on: Router/WISP Mode: Internet is available. Access Point Mode: The WAN port is connected. Range Extender Mode: The router is connected to the host network. Blinking: The system is starting up or firmware is being upgraded*.	
🖵 LAN LED	Green	Solid on: At least one LAN port is connected.	
중 Wi-Fi LED	Green	Solid on: The wireless function is enabled. Blinking: WPS connection is in progress. This may take up to 2 minutes.	
WPS/RESET Button		r 1 second to enable the WPS function. d hold for more than 5 seconds to reset the router to its factory default settings.	

\* To avoid device damage, do not disconnect or power off your router during the upgrade.

## FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions)

### Q1. What can I do if the login window does not appear?

- Reboot your router and try again.
- If the computer is set to a static IP address, change its settings to obtain an IP address and DNS server address automatically.
- Verify that http://tplinkwifi.net or http://192.168.0.1 is correctly entered in the web browser. Alternatively, enter http://192.168.1.1 in the web browser and press Enter.
- Use another web browser and try again.
- Disable and then enable the network adapter being used.

#### Q2. What can I do if I cannot access the internet when in Router mode?

- Reboot your modem and router, then try again.
- Check if the internet is working normally by connecting a computer directly to the
  modem using an Ethernet cable. If it is not, contact your Internet Service Provider.
- Log in to the web management page of the router, and go to the Network Map page to check whether the WAN IP address is valid or not. If it is not, check the hardware connection or contact your internet service provider.
- For cable modem users, log in to the web management page of the router. Go to Advanced > Network > Internet and locate the MAC Clone section. Select Clone Current Device MAC, and click SAVE. Then reboot both the modem and the router.

### Q3. How do I restore the router to its factory default settings?

- With the router powered on, press and hold the WPS/RESET button on the back panel of the router for more than 5 seconds until the Internet LED blinks. The router will reboot.
- Log in to the web management page of the router. Go to Advanced > System >

Backup & Restore (or System > Backup & Restore in Access Point Mode or Range Extender Mode), and locate the Factory Default Restore section. Then Click FACTORY RESTORE. The router will restore and reboot automatically.

### Q4. What can I do if I forgot my web management password?

• Refer to FAQ > Q3 to reset the router, then create a password to log in.

### Q5. What can I do if I forgot my wireless network password?

- The factory default wireless password is printed on the label of the router.
- Connect a computer directly to the router using an Ethernet cable. Log in to the router's web management page, and go to Wireless to obtain or reset your wireless password.

#### Safety Information

- Keep the device away from water, fire, humidity or hot environments.
- Do not attempt to disassemble, repair, or modify the device.
- Do not use damaged charger or USB cable to charge the device.
- Do not use any other chargers than those recommended.
- Do not use the device where wireless devices are not allowed.
- Adapter shall be installed near the equipment and shall be easily accessible.