



User Manual

FCC Model: DIR-842, DIR-843 IC Model: DIR-842C1, DIR-843A1

AC1200 Wi-Fi Gigabit Router



Preface

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Manual Revisions

Revision	Date	Description
1.0	July 17, 2015	• Initial release
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Power Usage

This device is an Energy Related Product (ErP) with High Network Availability (HiNA), and automatically switches to a power-saving Network Standby mode within 1 minute of no packets being transmitted. It can also be turned off through a power switch to save energy when it is not needed.

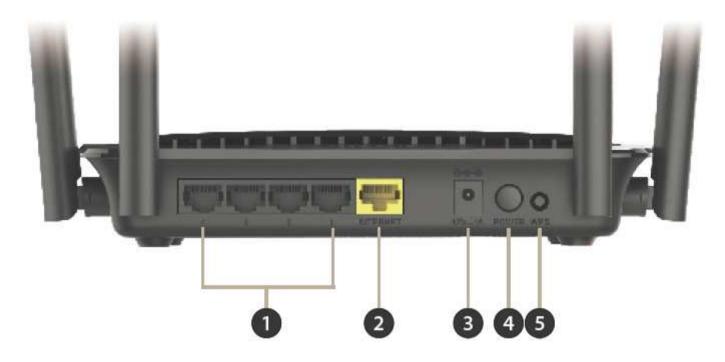
Network Standby: 6.0643 watts Switched Off: 0.0578 watts



System Requirements

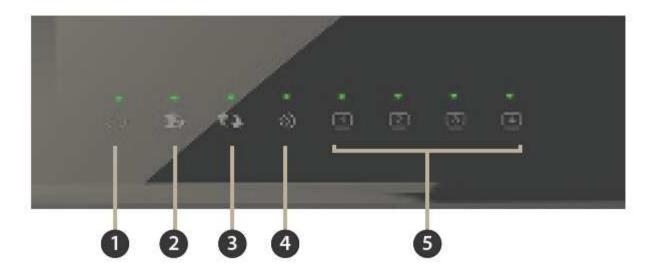
Network Requirements	 An Ethernet-based cable or DSL modem IEEE 802.11ac/n/g/b/a wireless clients 10/100 Ethernet
	Computer with the following: • Windows®, Macintosh, or Linux-based operating system • An installed Ethernet adapter
Web-based Configuration Utility Requirements	Browser Requirements: Internet Explorer 9 or higher Firefox 20 or higher Safari 5.1 or higher Chrome 25 or higher
	Windows® Users: Make sure you have the latest version of Java installed. Visit www.java.com to download the latest version.
QRS Mobile Requirements	• iPhone®/iPad®/iPod Touch® (iOS 6.0 or higher) • Android™ device (2.33 or higher)





1	LAN Ports (1-4)	Connect 10/100/1000 Ethernet devices such as computers, switches, storage (NAS) devices, and game consoles.	
2	Internet Port	Using an Ethernet cable, connect your broadband modem to this port.	
3	Power Receptor	Receptor for the supplied power adapter.	
4	Power Button	Press the power button to power the DIR-842 on and off.	
5	WPS Button	Short press to start the WPS process	
	Reset Button	Long press for 8 seconds to reset the router to default settings. Located at bottom of device.	





1	Power LED	A solid light indicates that the device is powered on. The light will blink while the device is in recovery mode.
2	Internet LED	A solid light indicates that an Internet link is established.
3	WPS LED	A solid light indicates that the WPS handshake has been completed. The light will blink while the WPS handshake is processing.
4	WLAN LED	A solid light indicates that the wireless is operating.
5	LAN LEDs 1-4	A solid light indicates a connection to an Ethernet-enabled computer on ports 1-4 respectively.



Installation

This section will walk 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.

Before you Begin

- Please configure the router with the computer that was last connected directly to your modem.
- You can only use the Ethernet port on your modem. If you were using the USB connection before using the router, then you must turn off your modem, disconnect the USB cable and connect an Ethernet cable to the Internet port on the router, and then turn the modem back on. In some cases, you may need to call your ISP to change connection types (USB to Ethernet).
- If you have DSL and are connecting via PPPoE, make sure you disable or uninstall any PPPoE software such as WinPoET,
 BroadJump, or EnterNet 300 from your computer or you will not be able to connect to the Internet.



Manual Setup

1. Turn off and unplug your cable or DSL broadband modem. This is required.



- 2. Position your router close to your modem and a computer. Place the router in an open area of your intended work area for better wireless coverage.
- 3. Unplug the Ethernet cable from your modem (or existing router if upgrading) that is connected to your computer. Plug it into the LAN port labeled 1 on the back of your router. The router is now connected to your computer.



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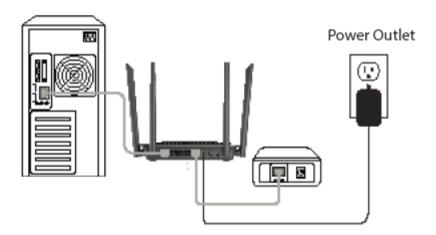


4. Plug one end of the included blue Ethernet cable that came with your router into the yellow port labeled INTERNET on the back of the router. Plug the other end of this cable into the Ethernet port on your modem.





- 5. Reconnect the power adapter to your cable or DSL broadband modem and wait for two minutes.
- Connect the supplied power adapter into the power port on the back of the router and then plug it into a power outlet or surge protector. Press the power button and verify that the power LED is lit. Allow 1 minute for the router to boot up.



7. If you are connecting to a broadband service, you may be online already and further configuration will be optional.



Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

FCC Caution: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

For operation within 5.15 ~ 5.25GHz / 5.47 ~5.725GHz frequency range, it is restricted to indoor environment.

The band from 5600-5650MHz will be disabled by the software during the manufacturing and cannot be changed by the end user. This device meets all



the other requirements specified in Part 15E, Section 15.407 of the FCC Rules.

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.



Industry Canada statement:

This device complies with RSS-210 of the Industry Canada Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Ce dispositif est conforme à la norme CNR-210 d'Industrie Canada applicable aux appareils radio exempts de licence. Son fonctionnement est sujet aux deux conditions suivantes: (1) le dispositif ne doit pas produire de brouillage préjudiciable, et (2) ce dispositif doit accepter tout brouillage reçu, y compris un brouillage susceptible de provoquer un fonctionnement indésirable.

Caution:

- (i) the device for operation in the band 5150-5250 MHz is only for indoor use to reduce the potential for harmful interference to co-channel mobile satellite systems;
- (ii) high-power radars are allocated as primary users (i.e. priority users) of the bands 5250-5350 MHz and 5650-5850 MHz and that these radars could cause interference and/or damage to LE-LAN devices.

Avertissement:

- (i) les dispositifs fonctionnant dans la bande 5 150-5 250 MHz sont réservés uniquement pour une utilisation à l'intérieur afin de réduire les risques de brouillage préjudiciable aux systèmes de satellites mobiles utilisant les mêmes canaux;
- (ii) De plus, les utilisateurs devraient aussi être avisés que les utilisateurs de radars de haute puissance sont désignés utilisateurs principaux (c.-à-d., qu'ils ont la priorité) pour les bandes 5 250-5 350 MHz et 5 650-5 850 MHz et que ces radars pourraient causer du brouillage et/ou des dommages aux dispositifs LAN-FL.



Radiation Exposure Statement:

This equipment complies with IC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 24cm between the radiator & your body.

Déclaration d'exposition aux radiations:

Cet équipement est conforme aux limites d'exposition aux rayonnements IC établies pour un environnement non contrôlé. Cet équipement doit être installé et utilisé avec un minimum de 24 cm de distance entre la source de rayonnement et votre corps.