



54Mbps Wireless Access Point

WAP-4033

User's Manual

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Chapter 1 Introduction

Thank you for purchasing WAP-4033. The WAP-4033 supports both IEEE 802.11b and IEEE 802.11g standards. You can use it to connect an existing WLAN, or to build up a new wireless LAN. Except for essential AP mode, WAP-4033 also provides AP Client/ Bridge/ Repeater and WDS (Wireless Distributed System) modes to accommodate all kinds of network topology. High data rate (up to 54Mbps) support allows faster communication between LAN and WLAN. Maximize network efficiency while minimizing your network investment and maintenance costs.

Supports WPA, WPA2, WEP and MAC address filter function to consolidate the wireless network security, you can prevent unauthorized wireless stations from accessing your wireless network.

This product provides a friendly web interface and allows users to configuring from browser. Without utility install, user doesn't need to find the utility for this product in lots of program list; it can be configured in different OS via web browser.

1.1 Package Contents

Make sure that you have the following items:

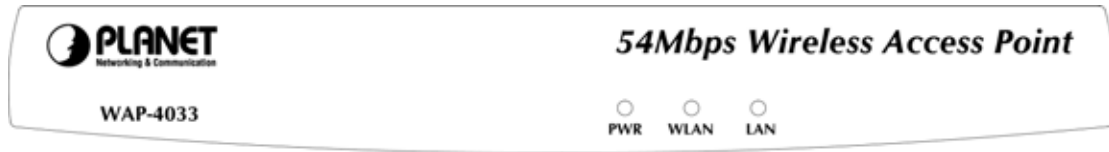
- 1 x WAP-4033
- 1 x Power Adapter
- 1 x User's Manual CD
- 1 x Quick Installation Guide
- 1 x External Antenna

| | |
|--------------|---|
| Note: | If any of the above items are missing, contact your supplier as soon as possible. |
|--------------|---|

1.2 Features

- Complies with the IEEE 802.11b/g (DSSS) 2.4GHz specification
- Data rate supports up to 54Mbps
- Auto rate fallback in case of obstacles or interferences
- Supports WEP/WPA-PSK/WPA/WPA2 encryption
- Supports AP/ AP Client/ Bridge/ Repeater and WDS (Wireless Distributed System) mode
- Seamlessly integrate wireless and wired networks
- Provides MAC Filter function
- Built-in DHCP server
- Web-based configuration

1.3 LED Indicators



| LED | Color | Function |
|------|-------|--|
| PWR | Green | Off: Power is not connected On: Device is ready Blink: During boot up procedure |
| WLAN | Green | Off: Wireless LAN is no function Blink: Transmitting or receiving data through the Wireless LAN |
| LAN | Green | Off: LAN is not connected On: LAN is connected Blink: Transmitting or receiving data through the LAN |

1.4 Wireless Performance

The following information will help you utilizing the wireless performance and operating coverage of WAP-4033.

1. Site selection

To avoid interferences, please locate WAP-4033 and wireless client away from transformers, microwave ovens, heavy-duty motors, fluorescent lights and other industrial equipments. Keep the number of walls or ceilings between AP and clients as few as possible. Otherwise the signal strength may be seriously reduced. Place WAP-4033 in an open space or add additional WAP-4033 as needed to improve the coverage.

2. Environmental factors

The wireless network is easily affected by many environment factors. Every environment is unique with different obstacles, construction materials, weather, etc. It is hard to determine the exact operation range of WAP-4033 in a specific location without testing.

3. Antenna adjustment

The bundle antenna of WAP-4033 is adjustable. Firstly install the antenna pointing straight up, then smoothly adjust it if the radio signal strength is poor. But the signal reception is definitely weak in some certain areas, such as location right down the antenna.

Moreover, the original antenna of WAP-4033 can be replaced with other external antennas to extend the coverage. Please check the specification of the antenna you want to use, and make sure it can be used on WAP-4033.

4. WLAN Type

If WAP-4033 is installed in an 802.11b and 802.11g mixed WLAN, its performance will be reduced significantly. Because every 802.11g OFDM packet needs to be preceded by an RTS-CTS or CTS packet exchange that can be recognized by legacy 802.11b devices. This additional overhead lowers the speed. If there are no 802.11b devices connected, or if connections to all 802.11b devices are denied, the WAP-4033 can operate in 11g-only mode, and its data rate should actually be 54Mbps.

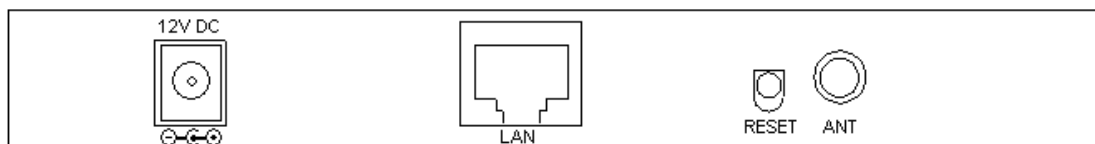
1.5 Reset Button

WAP-4033 provides a Reset button on the rear panel for user to restart or set WAP-4033 configuration to factory default.

| Time | Active |
|------------------------|--|
| Press less than 5 Sec. | WAP-4033 will re-boot itself, keeping your original configurations |
| Press more than 5 Sec. | WAP-4033 will reset itself to the factory default settings |

Chapter 2 Hardware Installation

Before you proceed with the installation, it is necessary that you have enough information about the WAP-4033.




- 1. Locate an optimum location for the WAP-4033.** The best place for your WAP-4033 is usually at the center of your wireless network, with line of sight to all of your mobile stations.
- 2. Assemble the antenna to WAP-4033.** Try to place them to a position that can best cover your wireless network. The antenna's position will enhance the receiving sensitivity.
- 3. Connect RJ-45 cable to WAP-4033.** Connect this WAP-4033 to your LAN switch/hub or a single PC.
- 4. Plug in power adapter and connect to power source.** After power on, WAP-4033 will start to work.

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| Note: | ONLY use the power adapter supplied with the WAP-4033. Otherwise, the product may be damaged. If you want to reset your WAP-4033 to default settings, press the Reset button 5 second. Then release the button and wait for 10 seconds for rebooting. |
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Chapter 3 Web Configuration

Web configuration provides a user-friendly graphical user interface (web pages) to manage your WAP-4033. An AP with an assigned IP address (e.g. <http://192.168.0.1>) will allow you to monitor and configure (via web browser e.g., MS Internet Explorer or Netscape).

1. Open your web browser.
2. Enter WAP-4033 IP address (default IP address is <http://192.168.0.1>) into the address field of the web browser. Please also make sure your PC's IP address is in the same IP range with WAP-4033.
3. A User Name and Password dialog box will appear. Please enter your User Name and Password here. Default User Name and Password are both "admin". Click "OK" to access the management page.



The dialog box titled "Enter Network Password" contains a key icon and the instruction "Please type your user name and password." It displays the site as "192.168.0.1" and the realm as "Default: admin/admin". There are input fields for "User Name" and "Password". A checkbox labeled "Save this password in your password list" is present and unchecked. "OK" and "Cancel" buttons are at the bottom right.

3.1 Home

In this screen, you can check all the information of WAP-4033.



The screenshot shows the "Status and Information" page of the PLANET 54Mbps Access Point web interface. A left sidebar contains navigation links: Home, Basic Setting, Advanced Setting, Security, Radius Server, MAC Filtering, System Utility, Configuration Tool, Upgrade, and Reset. The main content area displays system and configuration details in a table format.

| System | |
|----------------------|---------------|
| Uptime | 0day 0h 0m 0s |
| Hardware Version | Rev. A |
| Runtime Code Version | 1.12 |

| Wireless Configuration | |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| Mode | AP |
| ESSID | default |
| Channel Number | 11 |
| Security | Disable |
| Associated Clients | 0 |
| BSSID | 00:30:41:3c:c6:25 |

| LAN Configuration | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| IP Address | 192.168.0.1 |
| Subnet Mask | 255.255.255.0 |
| Default Gateway | 0.0.0.0 |
| MAC Address | 00:30:41:3c:c6:25 |

3.2 Basic Setting

In this screen, you can configure WAP-4033 to work in different operating mode. Please refer to below sections to know the details of each operating mode.

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- Home
- **Basic Setting**
- Advanced Setting
- Security
- MAC Filtering
- System Utility
- Configuration Tool
- Upgrade
- Reset

Wireless Setting

This page allows you to define ESSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.

| | |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| Mode | AP |
| Band | 2.4 GHz (B+G) |
| ESSID | default |
| Channel Number | 11 |
| Associated Clients | Show Active Clients |

Apply Cancel

3.2.1 AP Mode

This mode is set to WAP-4033 by default. It serves as a transparent Media Access Control (MAC) bridge between wired and wireless network.

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This page allows you to define ESSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.

| | |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| Mode | AP |
| Band | 2.4 GHz (B+G) |
| ESSID | default |
| Channel Number | 11 |
| Associated Clients | Show Active Clients |

Apply Cancel

| Parameter | Description | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--|-------------|----------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Mode | Shows the current operation mode. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Band | 2.4GHz (B): It forces the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11b only. 2.4GHz (G): It forces the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11g only. 2.4GHz (B+G): It allows the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11b and 802.11g simultaneously. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ESSID | The ESSID (up to 32 printable ASCII characters) is the unique name identified in a WLAN. The ID prevents the unintentional merging of two co-located WLANs. Please make sure that the ESSID of all stations in the same WLAN network are identical. The default ESSID is “ default ”. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Channel Number | Select the appropriate channel from the list provided to correspond with your network settings. Channels differ from country to country. Channel 1-11 (North America) Channel 1-14 (Japan) Channel 1-13 (Europe) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Associated Clients | <p>You may press “Show Active Clients” button to check the connected client information. After the button pressed, you will see the dialog box as below.</p> <div><p>Active Wireless Client Table</p><p>This table shows the MAC address, transmission, reception packet counters for each associated wireless client.</p><table><tr><th>MAC Address</th><th>Tx Packet</th><th>Rx Packet</th><th>Tx Rate (Mbps)</th><th>Power Saving</th><th>Expired Time (s)</th></tr><tr><td>None</td><td>---</td><td>---</td><td>---</td><td>---</td><td>---</td></tr></table><div><div>Refresh</div><div>Close</div></div></div> <p>You may press “Refresh” to get the new client table or “Close” to close this dialog box.</p> | MAC Address | Tx Packet | Rx Packet | Tx Rate (Mbps) | Power Saving | Expired Time (s) | None | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| MAC Address | Tx Packet | Rx Packet | Tx Rate (Mbps) | Power Saving | Expired Time (s) | | | | | | | | |
| None | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | | | | | | | |

After configuration complete, please click “Apply” button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen below to prompt you the settings are save successfully. If you press “Continue”, you can proceed to configure other settings. However, the new configurations are not take effect at this time. You must click “Apply”, and then the WAP-4033 will restart with new configuration. You may check the LED status to make sure WAP-4033 finishes the restart.



3.2.2 Station - Ad Hoc Mode

WAP-4033 serves as a wireless station (Ad-hoc) in this mode. Connected to a PC or a small LAN (no more than 5 PCs), this station along with other wireless stations can establish a small wireless network without Access Points.



| Parameter | Description |
|-----------|---|
| Mode | Shows the current operation mode. |
| Band | 2.4GHz (B): It forces the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11b only. |

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|----------------|--|
| | <p>2.4GHz (G): It forces the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11g only.</p> <p>2.4GHz (B+G): It allows the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11b and 802.11g simultaneously.</p> |
| ESSID | Please make sure the ESSID of the wireless network that you will connect and enter the correct value in this field. The default ESSID is " default ". |
| Channel Number | <p>Select the appropriate channel from the list provided to correspond with your network settings. Channels differ from country to country.</p> <p>Channel 1-11 (North America)</p> <p>Channel 1-14 (Japan)</p> <p>Channel 1-13 (Europe)</p> |
| WLAN MAC | <p>Keep default setting: WAP-4033 will use it's own MAC address to access the wireless LAN.</p> <p>Press "MAC Clone" button: It will use PC's MAC address to access the wireless LAN.</p> |

After configuration complete, please click "Apply" button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press "Continue" to configure other settings or "Apply" to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.2.3 Station - Infrastructure Mode

WAP-4033 serves as a wireless station (infrastructure) in this mode. Connected to a PC or a small LAN (no more than 5 PCs), it allows the PC or small LAN able to access the wireless network via Access Point.

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Wireless Setting

This page allows you to define ESSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.

Mode:

Band:

ESSID:

WLAN MAC:

| Parameter | Description |
|-----------|---|
| Mode | Shows the current operation mode. |
| Band | 2.4GHz (B): It forces the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11b only. 2.4GHz (G): It forces the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11g only. 2.4GHz (B+G): It allows the WAP-4033 to operate in 802.11b and 802.11g simultaneously. |
| ESSID | Please make sure the ESSID of the wireless network that you will connect and enter the correct value in this field. The default SSID is "default" . |
| WLAN MAC | Keep default setting: WAP-4033 will use it's own MAC address to access the wireless LAN. Press "MAC Clone" button: It will use PC's MAC address to access the wireless LAN. |

After configuration complete, please click "Apply" button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press "Continue" for configure other settings or "Apply" to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.2.4 AP Bridge - Point to Point Mode

This function allows WAP-4033 to bridge 2 wired Ethernet networks wirelessly.

The screenshot shows the 'Wireless Setting' page of a Planet 54Mbps Access Point. The left sidebar contains a menu with options: Home, Basic Setting, Advanced Setting, MAC Filtering, System Utility, Configuration Tool, Upgrade, and Reset. The main content area is titled 'Wireless Setting' and includes a description: 'This page allows you to define ESSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.' Below this, there are several input fields: 'Mode' set to 'AP Bridge-Point to Point', 'Band' set to '2.4 GHz (B+G)', 'Channel Number' set to '11', and 'MAC Address' set to '000000000000'. There are also buttons for 'Set Security', 'Apply', and 'Cancel'.

| Parameter | Description |
|-----------|--|
| Mode | Shows the current operation mode. |
| Band | 2.4GHz (B): It allows to select the transmit rate up to 11Mbps. |

| | |
|----------------|---|
| | 2.4GHz (G): It allows to select the transmit rate up to 54Mbps. 2.4GHz (B+G): It allows selecting the 802.11b and 802.11g data rates. |
| Channel Number | Select the appropriate channel from the list provided to correspond with your network settings. Channels differ from country to country. Channel 1-11 (North America) Channel 1-14 (Japan) Channel 1-13 (Europe) |
| MAC Address 1 | Keep default setting: WAP-4033 will use it's own MAC address to access the wireless LAN. Press "MAC Clone" button: It will use PC's MAC address to access the wireless LAN. |
| Set Security | If you want to enable security to protect your wireless bridge connection, please press "Set Security" button and refer to section 3.2.8 "Security setting for bridge mode" to configure the detail settings. |

After configuration complete, please click "Apply" button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press "Continue" for configure other settings or "Apply" to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.2.5 AP Bridge - Point to Multipoint Mode

This function allows WAP-4033 to bridge more than 2 wired Ethernet networks together by wireless connection.

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- Basic Setting
- Advanced Setting
- MAC Filtering
- System Utility
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- Upgrade
- Reset

Wireless Setting

This page allows you to define ESSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.

Mode : AP Bridge-Point to Multi-Point

Band : 2.4 GHz (B+G)

Channel Number : 11

MAC Address 1 : 0000000000

MAC Address 2 : 0000000000

MAC Address 3 : 0000000000

MAC Address 4 : 0000000000

MAC Address 5 : 0000000000

MAC Address 6 : 0000000000

Set Security : Set Security


Apply Cancel

| Parameter | Description |
|----------------|--|
| Mode | Shows the current operation mode. |
| Band | 2.4GHz (B): It allows to select the transmit rate up to 11Mbps. 2.4GHz (G): It allows to select the transmit rate up to 54Mbps. 2.4GHz (B+G): It allows selecting the 802.11b and 802.11g data rates. |
| Channel Number | Select the appropriate channel from the list provided to correspond with your network settings. Channels differ from country to country. Channel 1-11 (North America) Channel 1-14 (Japan) Channel 1-13 (Europe) |
| AP MAC Address | If you want to bridge multiple WAP-4033 in this mode, you have to enter the MAC addresses of other WAP-4033 into the fields. |
| Set Security | If you want to enable security to protect your wireless connection, please press "Set Security" button and refer to section 3.2.8 "Security setting for bridge mode" to configure the detail settings. |

After configuration complete, please click "Apply" button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are saved successfully. You may press "Continue" for configure other settings or "Apply" to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.2.6 AP Bridge - WDS Mode

If you want WAP-4033 to bridge to other WAP-4033 and provide access for other wireless clients at the same time, you have to set the WAP-4033 to "AP Bridge - WDS". Simply speaking, "AP Bridge - WDS" function is the combination of "AP mode" and "AP Bridge-Point to Multi-Point mode".


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- Home
- Basic Setting
- Advanced Setting
- Security
- MAC Filtering
- System Utility
- Configuration Tool
- Upgrade
- Reset

Wireless Setting

This page allows you to define ESSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.

Mode : AP Bridge-WDS

Band : 2.4 GHz (B+G)

ESSID : default

Channel Number : 11

Associated Clients : Show Active Clients

MAC Address 1 : 000000000000

MAC Address 2 : 000000000000

MAC Address 3 : 000000000000

MAC Address 4 : 000000000000

MAC Address 5 : 000000000000

MAC Address 6 : 000000000000

Set Security : Set Security

Apply
Cancel

| Parameter | Description |
|--------------------|---|
| Mode | Shows the current operation mode. |
| Band | 2.4GHz (B): It allows to select the transmit rate up to 11Mbps. 2.4GHz (G): It allows to select the transmit rate up to 54Mbps. 2.4GHz (B+G): It allows selecting the 802.11b and 802.11g data rates. |
| ESSID | The ESSID (up to 32 printable ASCII characters) is the unique name identified in a WLAN. The ID prevents the unintentional merging of two co-located WLANs. Please make sure that the ESSID of all stations in the same WLAN network are the same. The default value is " default ". |
| Channel Number | Select the appropriate channel from the list provided to correspond with your network settings. Channels differ from country to country. Channel 1-11 (North America) Channel 1-14 (Japan) Channel 1-13 (Europe) |
| Associated Clients | You may press "Show Active Clients" button to check the connected client information. After the button pressed, you will see the dialog box as below: |


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Wireless Setting

This page allows you to define ESSID, and Channel for the wireless connection. These parameters are used for the wireless stations to connect to the Access Point.

Mode

Universal Repeater

Band

2.4 GHz (B+G)

ESSID

default

Channel Number

11

Associated Clients

Show Active Clients

WLAN MAC

000000000000

Clear MAC

Root AP SSID

Apply

Cancel

| Parameter | Description |
|--------------------|---|
| Mode | Shows the current operation mode. |
| Band | 2.4GHz (B): It allows to select the transmit rate up to 11Mbps. 2.4GHz (G): It allows to select the transmit rate up to 54Mbps. 2.4GHz (B+G): It allows selecting the 802.11b and 802.11g data rates. |
| ESSID | The ESSID (up to 32 printable ASCII characters) is the unique name identified in a WLAN. The ID prevents the unintentional merging of two co-located WLANs. Please make sure that the ESSID of all stations in the same WLAN network are the same. The default value is " default ". |
| Channel Number | Select the appropriate channel from the list provided to correspond with your network settings. Channels differ from country to country. Channel 1-11 (North America) Channel 1-14 (Japan) Channel 1-13 (Europe) |
| Associated Clients | You may press "Show Active Clients" button to check the connected client information. After the button pressed, you will see the dialog box as below. |

WDS Security Settings

This page allows you setup the wireless security for WDS. When enabled, you must make sure each WDS device has adopted the same encryption algorithm and Key.

| | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Encryption : | None |
| WEP Key Format : | ASCII (5 characters) |
| WEP Key : | ***** |
| Pre-Shared Key Format : | Passphrase |
| Pre-Shared Key : | |

| Parameter | Description |
|-----------------------|--|
| Encryption | You can select "None", "WEP 64bits", "WEP 128bits", "WPA (TKIP)" or "WPA2 (AES)" options . It is set to "None" by default. |
| Key Format | This is only used when you select WEP 64bits" or "WEP 128bits" encryption method. You may select to use ASCII Characters (alphanumeric format) or Hexadecimal Digits (in the "A-F", "a-f" and "0-9" range) to be the WEP Key. |
| WEP Key | <p>This is only used when you select WEP 64bits" or "WEP 128bits" encryption method. The WEP key is used to encrypt data transmitted between the bridged access points. Fill the text box by following the rules below.</p> <p>64-bit WEP: input 10-digit Hex values (in the "A-F", "a-f" and "0-9" range) or 5-digit ASCII character as the encryption keys.</p> <p>128-bit WEP: input 26-digit Hex values (in the "A-F", "a-f" and "0-9" range) or 10-digit ASCII characters as the encryption keys.</p> |
| Pre-shared Key Format | This is only used when "WPA" or "WPA2" is selected. You may use Passphrase (alphanumeric format) or Hexadecimal Digits (in the "A-F", "a-f" and "0-9" range) to be the Pre-shared Key. |
| Pre-shared Key | <p>This is only used when "WPA" or "WPA2" is selected. The Pre-shared key is used to authenticate and encrypt data transmitted between the bridged access points. Fill the text box by following the rules below.</p> <p>Hex (64 characters): input 64-digit Hex values (in the "A-F", "a-f" and "0-9" range)</p> <p>Passphrase: at least 8 characters.</p> |

After configuration complete, please click “Apply” button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press “Continue” for configure other settings or “Apply” to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.3 Advanced Settings

You should not change these advanced parameters unless you know what effect the changes will have on this access point.

| Parameter | | Description |
|---------------------|-------------|---|
| Authentication Type | Open System | Normally, you can leave this at “Auto”, so that Wireless Stations can use either method ("Open System" or "Shared Key"). |
| | Shared Key: | If you wish to use a particular method, select the appropriate value - "Open System" or "Shared Key". All Wireless stations must then be set to use the same method. |
| | Auto | |
| Fragment Threshold | | “Fragment Threshold” specifies the maximum size of packet during the fragmentation of data to be transmitted. If you set this value too low, it will result in bad performance. |
| RTS Threshold | | When the packet size is smaller than the RTS threshold, the access point will not use the RTS/CTS mechanism to send this packet. |
| Beacon Interval | | The interval of time that this access point broadcast a beacon. Beacon is used to synchronize the wireless network. |
| Data Rate | | The access point will use the highest possible selected data rate to transmit |

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| | the data packets. |
| Preamble Type | Preamble type defines the length of CRC block in the frames during the wireless communication. "Short Preamble" is suitable for high traffic wireless network. "Long Preamble" can provide more reliable communication. |
| Broadcast ESSID | If you enable "Broadcast ESSID", every wireless station located within the coverage of this access point can discover this access point easily. If you are building a public wireless network, enabling this feature is recommended. Disabling "Broadcast ESSID" can provide better security. |
| IAPP | If you enable "IAPP", the access point will automatically broadcast information of associated wireless stations to its neighbors. This will help wireless station roaming smoothly between access points. Disabling "IAPP" can provide better security. |
| 802.11g Protection | This is also called CTS Protection. It is recommended to enable the protection mechanism. This mechanism can decrease the rate of data collision between 802.11b and 802.11g wireless stations. When the protection mode is enabled, the throughput of the AP will be a little lower due to many of frame traffic should be transmitted. |

After configuration complete, please click "Apply" button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press "Continue" for configure other settings or "Apply" to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.4 Security

This Access Point provides complete wireless LAN security functions, includes WEP, 802.1x, 802.1x with WEP, WPA-PSK and WPA RADIUS. With these security functions, you can prevent your wireless LAN from illegal access. Please make sure your wireless stations use the same security mechanism. By default, the security option is "Disable".

Note: This access point can act as a station and an AP at the same time in "Universal Repeater" mode. The security settings only apply to the AP operation in "Universal Repeater" mode. The station operation has no security.

3.4.1 WEP

When you select 64-bit or 128-bit WEP key, you have to enter WEP keys to encrypt data. You can enter four WEP keys and select one of them as default key. Then the access point will only allow the clients configured with the same encryption keys for association. You can use WEP encryption in “AP mode”, “Station-Ad Hoc mode”, “Station-Infrastructure mode”, “AP Bridge-WDS mode” and “Universal Repeater mode”.

If you would like to enable 802.1x Authentication also, please check the “Enable 802.1x Authentication” and refer to section 3.4.2 for the detail settings.

| Parameter | Description |
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| Encryption | Select “WEP” in this option. |

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| Key Length | You can select the 64 or 128-bit key to encrypt transmitted data. Larger WEP key length will provide higher level of security, but the throughput will be lower. |
| Key Format | You may select to select ASCII Characters (alphanumeric format) or Hexadecimal Digits (in the “A-F”, “a-f” and “0-9” range) to be the WEP Key. |
| Default Tx Key | Select one of the four keys to encrypt your data. |
| Encryption Key 1 - Key 4 | The WEP keys are used to encrypt data transmitted in the wireless network. Fill the text box by following the rules below. 64-bit WEP: input 10-digit Hex values (in the “A-F”, “a-f” and “0-9” range) or 5-digit ASCII character as the encryption keys. 128-bit WEP: input 26-digit Hex values (in the “A-F”, “a-f” and “0-9” range) or 10-digit ASCII characters as the encryption keys. |
| Enable 802.1x Authentication | Check this box when you want to enable 802.1x authentication with WEP encryption. You may refer to section 3.4.2 for detail settings. |

After configuration complete, please click “Apply” button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press “Continue” for configure other settings or “Apply” to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.4.2 802.1x

IEEE 802.1x is an authentication protocol. Every user must use a valid account to login to this Access Point before accessing the wireless LAN. The authentication is processed by a RADIUS server. This mode only authenticates user by IEEE 802.1x, but it does not encryption the data during communication. It is suggested to enable 802.1x and WEP at the same time.

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Security

This page allows you setup the wireless security. Turn on WEP or WPA by using Encryption Keys could prevent any unauthorized access to your wireless network.

Encryption: Disable

☒ **Enable 802.1x Authentication**

RADIUS Server IP address:

RADIUS Server Port:

RADIUS Server Password:

Apply Cancel

| Parameter | Description |
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| Encryption | If you want to use 802.1x only, keep this setting in “Disable”. |
| Enable 802.1x Authentication | Check this option to enable 802.1x function. |
| RADIUS Server IP Address | Enter RADIUS Server IP address. |
| RADIUS Server Port | Leave the default port setting, or customize the port number the same as your RADIUS server. |
| RADIUS Server Password | Enter the password that is configured in RADIUS Server. |

After configuration complete, please click “Apply” button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press “Continue” for configure other settings or “Apply” to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.4.3 WPA pre-shared key

WiFi Protected Access (WPA) is an advanced security standard. You can use a pre-shared key to authenticate wireless stations and encrypt data during communication. It uses TKIP or CCMP (AES) to change the encryption key frequently. So the encryption key is not easy to be broken by hackers. This can improve security very much.



| Parameter | | Description |
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| Encryption | | Select “WPA pre-shared key” in this option. |
| WPA Unicast Cipher Suite | WPA (TKIP) | TKIP can change the encryption key frequently to enhance the wireless LAN security. |
| | WPA2 (AES) | This use CCMP protocol to change encryption key frequently. AES can provide high-level encryption to enhance the wireless LAN security. |
| | WPA2 Mixed | This will use TKIP or AES based on the other communication peer automatically. |

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| Pre-shared Key Format | You may select to select Passphrase (alphanumeric format) or Hexadecimal Digits (in the "A-F", "a-f" and "0-9" range) to be the Pre-shared Key. |
| Pre-shared Key | <p>The Pre-shared key is used to authenticate and encrypt data transmitted in the wireless network. Fill the text box by following the rules below.</p> <p>Hex: input 64-digit Hex values (in the "A-F", "a-f" and "0-9" range)</p> <p>Passphrase: at least 8 characters.</p> |

After configuration complete, please click "Apply" button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press "Continue" for configure other settings or "Apply" to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.4.4 WPA RADIUS

You can use an external RADIUS server to authenticate wireless stations and provide the session key to encrypt data during communication. It uses TKIP or CCMP (AES) to change the encryption key frequently.

| Parameter | | Description |
|--------------------------|------------|---|
| Encryption | | Select "WPA RADIUS" in this option. |
| WPA Unicast Cipher Suite | WPA (TKIP) | TKIP can change the encryption key frequently to enhance the wireless LAN security. |
| | WPA2 (AES) | This use CCMP protocol to change encryption key frequently. AES can provide high-level encryption to enhance the wireless LAN security. |
| | WPA2 Mixed | This will use TKIP or AES based on the other communication peer automatically. |

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| RADIUS Server IP Address | Enter RADIUS Server IP address. |
| RADIUS Server Port | Leave the default port setting, or customize the port number the same as your RADIUS server. |
| RADIUS Server Password | Please enter the password that is configured in RADIUS Server. |

After configuration complete, please click “Apply” button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press “Continue” for configure other settings or “Apply” to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.5 MAC Filtering

Enabling the MAC Filtering feature would allow only authorized clients associating to the Access Point.

| Parameter | Description |
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| MAC Address Filtering Table | This table records the MAC addresses of wireless stations you allow to access your network. The “Comment” field is the description of the wireless station and is helpful for you to recognize the wireless station. |
| Enable Wireless Access Control | Enable or disable the MAC Address Filtering function. |
| Add MAC address into the table | In the bottom “New” area, fill in the “MAC Address” and “Comment” of the wireless station, then click “Add”. This wireless station will be added into the “MAC Address Filtering Table” above. |

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| Remove MAC address from the table | If you want to remove a MAC address from the “MAC Address Filtering Table”, select the MAC address in the table and then click “Delete Selected”. If you want to remove all MAC addresses from the table, just click “Delete All” button. |
| Reset | Click “Reset” will clear your current selections. |

After configuration complete, please click “Apply” button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press “Continue” for configure other settings or “Apply” to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.6 System Utility

In this page, you can define the Access Point’s IP Address, Login Password and enable the DHCP Server feature.

| Parameter | Description |
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| Password Settings | |
| Current Password | Enter the current password (up to 15-digit alphanumeric string) of the |

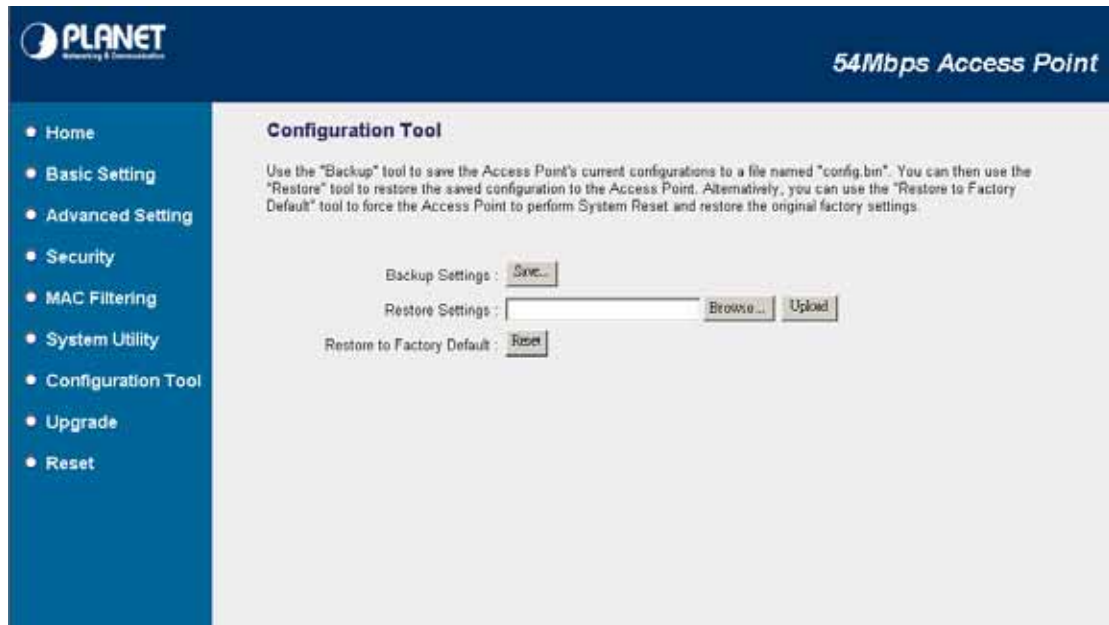
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| | Access Point. The default password for WAP-4033 is admin . Note that the password is case-sensitive. |
| New Password | Enter the password (up to 15-digit alphanumeric string) you want to login to the Access Point. Note that the password is case-sensitive. |
| Re-Enter Password | Reconfirm the password (up to 15-digit alphanumeric string) you want to login to the Access Point. Note that the password is case-sensitive. |
| Management IP | |
| IP Address | Designate the Access Point's IP Address. This IP Address should be unique in your network. The default IP Address is 192.168.0.1 . |
| Subnet Mask | Specify a Subnet Mask for your LAN segment. The default Subnet Mask of the Access Point is 255.255.255.0 . |
| Gateway Address | The IP address of the default gateway of the subnet that this access point resides in. It allows this access point be accessed by PC from deferent subnet to do configuration. |
| DHCP Server | Enable or disable the DHCP Server. |
| DHCP Server | |
| Default Gateway IP | Specify the gateway IP in your network. This IP address should be different from the Management IP. |
| Domain Name Server IP | This is the ISP's DNS server IP address that they gave you; or you can specify your own preferred DNS server IP address. |
| Start IP/End IP | You can designate a particular IP address range for your DHCP server to issue IP addresses to your LAN Clients. By default the IP range is from: Start IP 192.168.0.100 to End IP 192.168.0.200 . |
| Domain Name | You can specify the Domain Name for your Access Point. |
| Lease Time | The DHCP Server when enabled will temporarily give your LAN client an IP address. In the Lease Time setting you can specify the time period that the DHCP Server lends an IP address to your LAN clients. The DHCP Server will change your LAN client's IP address when this time threshold period is reached. |

After configuration complete, please click "Apply" button to save the configuration. Then you will see a screen to prompt you the settings are save successfully. You may press "Continue" for configure other settings or "Apply" to restart WAP-4033 with new configuration.

3.7 Configuration Tool

The Configuration Tools screen allows you to save (**Backup**) the WAP-4033 current settings. Saving settings provides an added protection and convenience for system backup. When you save the configuration setting (Backup), you can re-load the saved configuration into the

WAP-4033 through the **Restore** button. If extreme problems occur you can use the **Restore to Factory Default** button. This will set all configurations to original default settings (e.g. when you first purchased the Access Point).



3.8 Upgrade

This page allows you to upgrade WAP-4033 with latest firmware.



3.9 Reset

You can reset the WAP-4033 system if necessary. The reset function essentially reboots your WAP-4033 system.



| Parameter | Description |
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| Reset | In the event that the system stops responding correctly or in some way stops functioning, you can perform a reset. Your settings will not be changed by reset procedure. To perform the reset, click on the Apply button. You will be asked to confirm your decision. Once the reset process is complete you may start using the Access Point again. |

Appendix A Specification

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| Standard | IEEE 802.11g / 802.11b |
| Frequency Band | 2.400~2.4835GHz |
| Transfer Rate | 802.11g: 54/48/36/24/18/12/9/6Mbps 802.11b: 11/5.5/2/1Mbps |
| Modulation | OFDM, CCK, DQPSK and DBPSK |
| Sensitivity | 11g @ PER < 10% 54Mbps: -71.46 dBm 48Mbps: -73.1 dBm 36Mbps: -75 dBm 24Mbps: -77 dBm 18Mbps: -79.1 dBm 12Mbps: -81.1 dBm 9Mbps: -83.5 dBm 6Mbps: -85.52 dBm 11b @ PER < 8% 11Mbps: -82 dBm 5.5Mbps: -85.7dBm 2Mbps: -87 dBm 1Mbps: -91.5 dBm |
| Radio Technology | Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum (DSSS) |
| Antenna | Detachable dipole antenna |
| Transmit Power | 18dBm (max.) |
| LAN Interface | 1-port RJ-45 UTP, Auto-MDI/MDI-X |
| Cabling | Category 5/5e or above, 4-pair |
| LED Indicators | 3; PWR, WLAN, LAN |
| Power | 12V DC, 500mA |
| Temperature | 0 ~ 55°C (Operating) |
| Humidity | 10 ~ 90%, non-condensing (Operating) |
| Dimension | 170 x 87 x 32 (mm) |
| Weight | 162g |
| Emission | FCC Class B, CE-mark |

Appendix B Frequently Ask Question

This chapter provides answers to problems usually encountered during the *installation* and operation of the *Wireless Network Access Point*. Read the description below to solve your problems.

Q. Can I run an application from a remote computer over the wireless network?

A. This is depending on whether or not the application is designed to be used over a network. Consult the application's user guide to determine if it supports operation over a network.

Q. Can I play games with other members of the cordless network?

A. Yes, as long as the game supports multiple plays over a LAN (local area network). Refer to the game's user guide for more information.

Q. What is the IEEE 802.11g standard?

A. The IEEE 802.11g Wireless LAN standards subcommittee, which is formulating a standard for the industry. The objective is to enable wireless LAN hardware from different manufactures to communicate.

Q. What IEEE 802.11 features are supported?

A. The product supports the following IEEE 802.11 functions:

- CSMA/CA plus Acknowledge protocol
- Multi-Channel Roaming
- Automatic Rate Selection
- RTS/CTS feature
- Fragmentation
- Power Management

Q. What is Infrastructure?

A. An integrated wireless and wired LAN is called an Infrastructure configuration. Infrastructure is applicable to enterprise scale for wireless access to central database, or wireless application for mobile workers.

Q. What is Roaming?

A. Roaming is the ability of a portable computer user to communicate continuously while moving freely throughout an area greater than that covered by a single Wireless Network Access Point. Before using the roaming function, the workstation must make sure that it is the same channel number with the Wireless Network Access Point of dedicated coverage area.

Q. When WAP-4033 works with WDS mode, can wireless clients connect to it?

A. Yes, WDS mode is work as an AP and Bridge at the same time. So the wireless client can access to WDS mode WAP-4033 without problem. When wireless client connect to the remote site via WDS mode, the performance will be 50% then access to the connected WDS mode WAP-4033. Just like connect to AP via a repeater.

Q. How much wired client can connect to Station mode WAP-4033?

A. We will suggest you connect max. 5 wired clients to a WAP-4033. This more is not suit to connect a large wired network. If you have much more clients has to connected via wireless, please set WAP-4033 to Bridge mode. Bridge mode will be suit to connect wired LANs together.

Q. Is WAP-4033 Bridge mode compatible with other bridge mode device?

A. Yes. WAP-4033 Bridge mode is compatible with WAP-4035 and WRT-414. They are designed with the same chipset. So their bridge mode is compatible to each other.

Q. When I set WAP-4033 to Universal Repeater mode, the PCs that connect to WAP-4033 LAN port cannot access to wireless network. Why?

A. Since Repeater is used to extend the AP's coverage, the LAN port is for configuration purpose only. The computer connected to the Repeater's LAN port cannot access to wireless network.