Quick Installation Guide

1. If the Internet LED is off or red, please refer to Configure your 3G/4G connection.

2. If the Wi-Fi LED is off, press the WIFI button on the rear panel for 3 seconds and then check the LED again.

3. Select 3G/4G Router Mode and click Next.
4. Select your Mobile ISP, and click Next.
5. If your ISP is not listed, select the Set Dial Number, APN, Username and Password manually option and enter the 3G/4G parameters provided by your internet service provider (ISP).
6. Follow the step-by-step instructions of the Quick Setup to complete the configuration.

Tips:
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Configure your 3G/4G connection

1. Connect your device to one of the router’s LAN ports via an Ethernet cable or use the default SSID and password printed on the label at the bottom of the router to join the wireless network.
2. Launch a web browser and enter http://tplinkwifi.net in the address bar. Create a password for future logins, and click Let’s Get Started.
3. Select your Time Zone and click Next.
4. Select 3G/4G Router Mode and click Next.
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Connect to DSL/Cable/Satellite Modem

1. Connect the hardware

   Note: If your internet connection is through an Ethernet cable directly from the wall instead of through a DSL/Cable/Satellite modem, connect the Ethernet cable to the router’s WAN port and then follow Step 4 and 5 to complete the hardware connection.

   1. Power off the modem and remove the backup battery if it has one.
   2. Connect the modem to the router’s WAN port via an Ethernet cable.
   3. Turn on the modem and then wait about 2 minutes for it to restart.
   4. Press to turn on the router.
   5. Confirm that the following LEDs are on and solid to verify the hardware connection is correct.

   - **Power**: On
   - **Wi-Fi**: On
   - **Internet**: On

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2. Configure via a web browser

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   2. Launch a web browser and enter http://tplinkwifi.net in the address bar. Create a password for future logins, and click Let’s Get Started.
      
      Note: If the login window does not appear, please refer to FAQ > Q1.
   3. Select your Time Zone, and click Next.
   4. Select Wireless Router Mode and click Next.
   5. Follow the step-by-step instructions of the Quick Setup to complete the configuration.

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   Note: If you have changed the default SSID (wireless network name) and password during the configuration, connect to the router with the new ones.

FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions)

Q1. What should I do if the login window does not appear?
   - If the computer is set to a static or fixed IP address, change its settings to obtain an IP address automatically.
   - Use another web browser and try again.
   - Reset your router to its factory default settings (FAQ > Q3) and try again.
   - Disable and then enable the network adapter in use.

Q2. What should I do if I forget my web management password?
   - Reset the router to its factory default settings (FAQ > Q4) and then create a password for future logins.

Q3. What should I do if I forget my wireless network password?
   - Log in to the router’s web management page and then go to Basic > Wireless to retrieve or reset your wireless password.

Q4. How do I reset the router to its factory default settings?
   - With the router powered on, press and hold the WPS/RESET button on the rear panel until all the LEDs are on and then release it. The router will automatically reboot itself.
   - Log in to the router’s web management page. Go to Advanced > System Tools > Backup & Restore and click Factory Restore. The router will restore and reboot automatically.

Q5. What should I do if I cannot get internet access from the 3G/4G USB modem?
   - Go to our website at www.tp-link.com, click Support > Compatibility List > TL-MR3420 and make sure that your 3G/4G USB modem is on the compatibility list.
   - Make sure that you have a valid SIM/UIM card inserted into the 3G/4G USB modem.
   - Plug the 3G/4G USB modem directly into your computer and disable the PIN verification via the modem utility to check if you have the internet connection on your computer.
   - Obtain the latest dial number and APN from your ISP, and update the information through the router’s web management page.