

Quick Installation Guide

MU-MIMO Wi-Fi Router

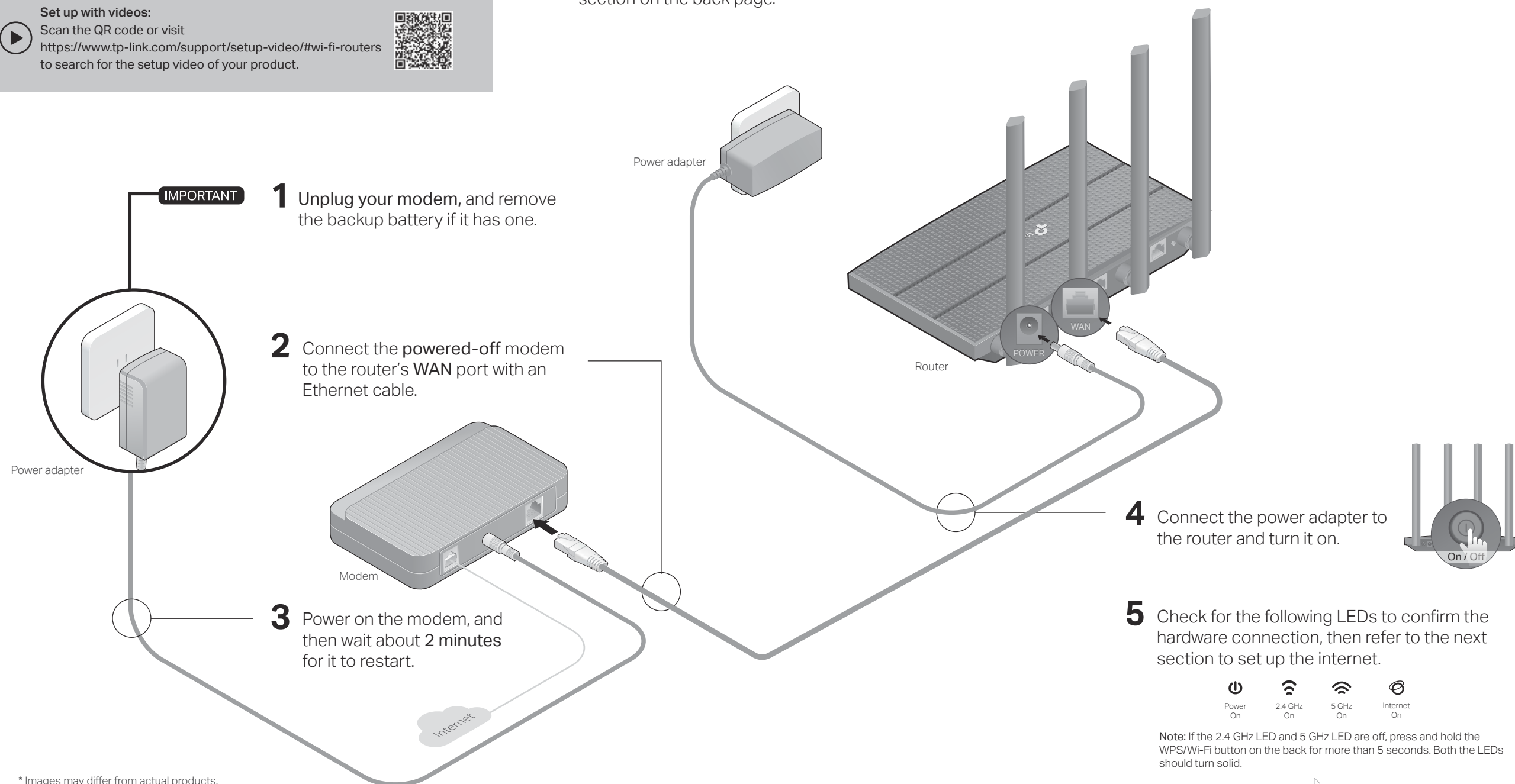
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1 Connect the Hardware

- If your internet comes from an Ethernet outlet, connect the router's **WAN** port to it, then follow Step 4 and Step 5.
- If you want to configure this new router as an access point to extend your network, refer to the **Access Point Mode** section on the back page.



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2 Set Up the Network

Method 1: Via TP-Link Tether App

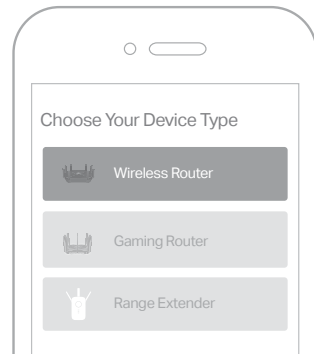
1. Download the Tether app.



2. Open the Tether app and log in with your TP-Link ID.

Note: If you don't have an account, create one first.

3. Tap the + button in the Tether app and select Wireless Router > Standard Routers. Follow the steps to complete the setup and connect to the internet.



Method 2: Via a Web Browser

1. Connect your device to the router (wired or wireless).

• Wired

Turn off the Wi-Fi on your computer and connect to the router using an Ethernet cable.

• Wireless

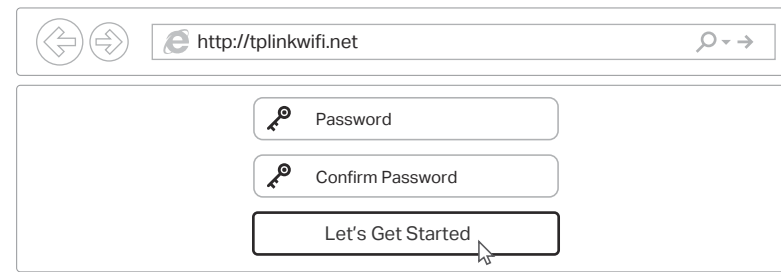
a Find the **SSID** (network name) and **Wireless Password** printed on the label at the bottom of the router.

b Click the network icon of your computer or go to Wi-Fi settings of your smart device, and then select the SSID to join the network.

2. Connect the router to the internet.

a Launch a web browser, and enter <http://tplinkwifi.net> or <http://192.168.0.1> in the address bar. Create a password to log in.

Note: If the login window does not appear, please refer to Q1 of Need Help? in this guide.

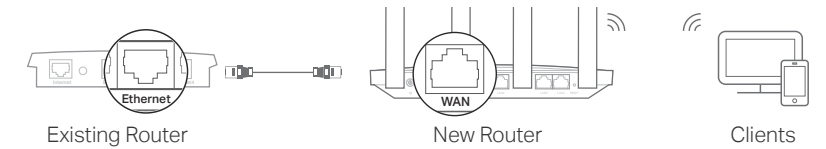


b Follow the step-by-step instructions to set up the internet connection and register for the TP-Link Cloud service.



Access Point Mode

If you already have a router, you can switch this new router to Access Point mode to extend your existing network. Follow the steps below.



1. Power on the router.

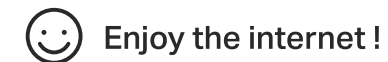
2. Connect the router's **WAN port** to your existing router's Ethernet port via an Ethernet cable as shown above.

3. 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.

4. Launch a web browser, and enter <http://tplinkwifi.net> in the address bar. Create a password to log in.

5. Go to **Advanced > Operation Mode** and switch to **Access Point Mode**.

6. Wait for the router to reboot, then log in and follow the **Quick Setup** to complete the setup.



Need Help?

Q1. What should I do if I cannot access the web management page?

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

Q2. What should I do if I cannot access the internet?

- Power off your modem for about 5 minutes, then power it on and check the internet. If your modem has more than one Ethernet port, keep other ports unconnected.
- Check if the internet is working normally by connecting a computer directly to the modem via an Ethernet cable. If it is not, contact your internet service provider.
- Log in to the web management page, and go to the Network Map page to check whether the internet IP address is valid or not. If it's valid, go to **Advanced > Network > Internet**, click **Advanced Settings**, select **Use the Following DNS Addresses**, set the primary DNS to 8.8.8.8, and set the secondary DNS to 8.8.4.4. 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 and go to **Advanced > Network > Internet > MAC Clone**. 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, use a pin to press and hold the RESET button on the back until the Power LED blinks.
- Log in to the web management page of the router, go to **Advanced > System > Backup & Restore > Factory Default Restore**, and click **FACTORY RESTORE**. The router will restore and reboot automatically.

Q4. What should I do if I forget my web management page password?

- If you are using a TP-Link ID to log in, click **Forgot password** on the login page and then follow the instructions to reset it.
- Alternatively, refer to Q3 to reset your router, then visit <http://tplinkwifi.net> to create a new login password.

Q5. What should I do if I forget my wireless network password?

- If you have not changed the default wireless password, it can be found on the label at the bottom of the router.
- Connect a computer directly to the router using an Ethernet cable. Log in to the router's web management page at <http://tplinkwifi.net>, and go to **Wireless** to retrieve or reset your wireless password.

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Safety Information

- Keep the device away from water, fire, humidity or hot environments.
- Do not attempt to disassemble, repair, or modify the device. If you need service, please contact us.
- 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.