



# Cisco DPC3825 router user manual

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<div></div> <div><b>Modem Information</b></div> <div>DOCSIS 3.0 Single Band WiFi Modem</div> <div>My WiFi Compatible</div> <div>8×4 channel bonding with speeds of up to 150 Mbps on a wired connection</div> <div>Cox recommends a DOCSIS 3.1 modem or gateway</div>	<div></div> <div><b>Highest Service Level</b></div> <div>Preferred 150</div>	

<p>—</p> <p><b>Front View</b></p>  <p><a href="#">Click to enlarge.</a></p>	<p>After the cable modem successfully registers on the network, the <b>POWER</b>, <b>DS</b>, <b>US</b>, and <b>ONLINE</b> indicators illuminate continuously to indicate that the cable modem is online and fully operational.</p>
<p>—</p> <p><b>Back View</b></p>  <p><a href="#">Click to enlarge.</a></p>	<p>The Cisco DPC3825 has the following ports available on the back.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>POWER</b> – Connects the modem to the power adapter</li> <li>• <b>USB</b> – Connects to selected client devices</li> <li>• <b>ETHERNET</b> – Provides internet access to a single device. Only one port is active at a time.</li> <li>• <b>WIRELESS SETUP</b> – Initiates wireless setup – allows the user to add new Wireless Protected Setup (WPS) compliant wireless clients to the home network</li> <li>• <b>RESET</b> – Used to reset the modem (<a href="#">login/Reset instructions</a>)</li> </ul>
<p>—</p> <p><b>MAC Address</b></p>  <p><a href="#">Click to enlarge.</a></p>	<p>The Cisco DPC3825 comes configured with wireless security. By default, the Cisco WiFi modem supports up to 802.11n wireless standards and uses WPA / WPA2 wireless security settings. The SSID and Passphrase are printed on the label on the modem.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The <b>SSID</b> on the modem is either the last 6 characters of the CM MAC Address or the SSID identified on the label.</li> <li>• The <b>Passphrase</b> is the same as the 9-digit S/N or serial number of the modem.</li> </ul>

## Troubleshooting



The lights indicate the current status of your modem. To troubleshoot any connection problems, use the table below.

Light	Status	Problem
	On	None

<b>POWER</b>	Bli nki ng	<p>Not connected to the Internet</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Turn off all network devices, including the modem and computers. Then turn on each device in the following order. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Modem</li> <li>Computer</li> </ol> </li> <li>Check the connections. Computers connected by Ethernet must be connected to one of the ports numbered 1 through 4 on the back of the modem.</li> </ol>
	Off	No power – Verify power supply connections and electrical outlet. Also make sure the outlet is not connected to a switch.
<b>DS</b>	On	None
	Am ber	None – narrowband operation
	Gr een	None – bonded channel operation
<b>US</b>	On	None
	Am ber	None – narrowband operation
	Gr een	None – bonded channel operation
<b>ONLINE</b>	On	None – modem registered on the network and operational
<b>ETHERNET 1 – 4</b>	On	None – modem successfully connected to a device through that port
	Bli nki ng	None – network activity over that port
	Off	No devices are connected – Verify Ethernet cable connections, the TCP/IP settings and the NIC. NIC drivers may need to be reinstalled.
<b>USB</b>	On	None – connection made through the USB port
	Bli nki ng	None – network activity over the USB port
	Off	No devices are connected – Verify all cable connections and try resetting the modem.
<b>WIRELESS LI NK</b>	On	None – wireless access point enabled
	Bli nki ng	None – modem actively sending or receiving data over the network
	Off	None wireless access point disabled by the user
<b>WIRELESS S ETUP (WPS)</b>	Off	None – wireless setup not active
	Bli nki ng	None – wireless setup active to add new wireless clients on the wireless network

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## Manufacturer Resources

For more detailed technical information on the DPC3825, use the resources below from Cisco.

- [Cisco\\_Gateway\\_DPC3825\\_Data\\_Sheet](#) [PDF]
- [Cisco\\_Gateway\\_DPC3825\\_User\\_Guide](#) [PDF]