

 Gaming Tools

The router provides a variety of gaming tools to bring you the most immersive gaming experience.

* Log in to the web management page of the router to use these gaming tools.

• **Game Panel**

View real-time device status on an exclusive gaming dashboard, including RGB effects, network traffic, performance, and connected USB devices. Also, your boosting games and devices are displayed.

• **Game Port Forwarding**

Game Port Forwarding includes built-in rules for popular online games. Simply select your game from the list and configure basic settings for it. An optimized gaming experience is just around the corner.

• **Game Detector**

Users can see the real-time ping of their game server.

• **Game Statistics**

Displays your gaming record, including data traffic and the duration of every game played.

 TP-Link HomeShield

TP-Link HomeShield premium security services keep your home network safe with cutting-edge features. Tap the HomeShield tab to enjoy.

• **Network Protection**

Detects cyber threats to keep your privacy and connected devices well protected.

• **Parental Controls**

Manage online time and block inappropriate content to maintain healthy online habits.

• **Quality of Service (QoS)**

Prioritize your bandwidth needs for a better networking experience.

• **Comprehensive Reports**

Gain full statistics and insight to help you understand your home network better.

For more details, visit <https://www.tp-link.com/homeshield>.

 EasyMesh-Compatible

You can experience strong, stable, and seamless wireless connections throughout your home with EasyMesh.

• **Seamless Roaming**

Connects mobile devices to your routers or extenders that provide the best coverage. Devices compatible with EasyMesh also share a single Wi-Fi name so you stay connected in every room.

• **Flexible Scalability**

Flexibly scale your home networking with different vendors*, different topologies, different Protocols and different product categories.

• **One-Click Settings**

Press the WPS button on the main router and the satellite device within 2 minutes of each other, then the EasyMesh network will set up.

*Failure may be due to firmware conflicts of different vendors. A better network connection can be established between all APs from TP-Link.

For more information, visit

<https://www.tp-link.com/easymesh/>



Scan for Setup Video

 USB Applications

With the USB port, it's easy to share files and media with multiple devices.

Visit <https://www.tp-link.com/app/usb> to learn more about the USB applications.

• **Remote Access**

Access the USB drive when you are away from home

• **Media Server**

Play media from the USB drive on your computer and smart devices

• **Local Storage Sharing**

Share files from the USB drive with devices on your home network

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 any other chargers than those recommended.
Do not use damaged charger or USB cable to charge the device.
Do not use the device where wireless devices are not allowed.
Adapter shall be installed near the equipment and shall be easily accessible.

TP-Link hereby declares that the device is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of directives 2014/53/EU, 2009/125/EC, 2011/65/EU and (EU) 2015/863.
The original EU declaration of conformity may be found at <https://www.tp-link.com/en/support/ce/>
TP-Link hereby declares that the device is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of the Radio Equipment Regulations 2017.
The original UK declaration of conformity may be found at <https://www.tp-link.com/support/ukca/>

Need Help?

Q1. What should I do if I want to change the Internet (WAN) port for internet service?

- Connect to your desired Internet (WAN) port with an Ethernet cable. During the quick network setup, select the corresponding port as the internet port. Alternatively, go to **More > Internet Connection > Internet Port** (Tether app) or **Internet > Internet Port** (web management page) to change the internet port.

Q2. What should I do if I can't access the web management page?

- Reboot your router and try again.
- If the computer is set to a static IP, 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.
- Use another web browser and try again.
- Disable and enable the network adapter in use.

Q3. What should I do if I can't access the internet?

- Log in to the web management page of the router, go to **Internet > Internet Port**, and check if you selected the port that you've already plugged your Ethernet cable into.
- 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 the 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.

Q4. What should I do if I forget my wireless 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 the **Wireless** page to retrieve or reset your wireless password.

Q5. 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, press and hold the Reset button until the LED blinks blue. Then visit <http://tplinkwifi.net> to create a new login password.

Q6. How should I position my router for optimal Wi-Fi performance?

- Keep the router vertical while working.
- Don't place your router in a corner or in a closet.
- Avoid obstacles and high-powered appliances.
- Keep your router in a central location at a certain height.

 For technical support, replacement services, user guides, and other information, please visit <https://www.tp-link.com/support>.



Quick Installation Guide

AXE5400 Tri-Band Wi-Fi 6E Gaming Router

