



# Webdyn EasyRouter

Hardware manual

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## **Important Information**

This technical description contains important information for the start-up and use of the Webdyn EasyRouter gateway. Read it carefully before you start working with the EasyRouter device. The warranty will be void should damage occur due to non-compliance with these instructions for use. We cannot accept any responsibility for consequential loss.

## **Revision Information**

REVISION	DATE	AUTHOR	CHANGES
1.0	2022/10	FJGG	First Release
1.1	2023/04	JZM	Updated changes
1.2	2023/07	JZM	Review pictures and schema
2.4	2023/10	CPF	GNSS and Antenna Updates
2.8	2023/11	CPF	Notes related to certification and product label

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## Rohs statement

EasyRouter gateway is compliant with the 2002/95/EC (RoHS 1) and 2011/65/EC (RoHS 2) directives of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 January 2003 (and revised on 8 June 2011) on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS).



## **CF** mark

EasyRouter conforms to the essential requirements of Directive 2014/53/UE (RED)

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## Disposal of old electrical and electronic equipment

**Recyclage:** 



This symbol, applied on our products and/or on its packaging, indicates that this product should not be treated as household waste when you wish to dispose of it. Instead, it should be handed over to an applicable collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. By ensuring this product is disposed of correctly, you will help prevent potential negative consequences to the environment and human health, which could otherwise be caused by inappropriate disposal of this product.

The recycling of materials will help to conserve natural resources. For more detailed information about the recycling of this product, please contact your local city office, household waste disposal service or the retail store where you purchased this product.

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PLEASE READ THESE GENERAL PRECAUTIONS AND KEEP A COPY OF THEM.

- EasyRouter as a standalone item is designed for indoor use only. For outdoor use it must be integrated into a weatherproof enclosure. Do not exceed the environmental and electrical limits as specified in Technical Data
- Avoid exposing the device to lighted cigarettes, naked flames or to extreme hot or cold temperatures.
- Never try to dismantle the device yourself. There are no components inside the router that can be serviced by the user. If you attempt to dismantle the device, you may invalidate the warranty.
- The EasyRouter terminal must not be neither installed nor located in areas where the surface temperature of the metallic case could exceed 85°C.

- Check that voltage and power available at installation is within range specified for router. It can be found
  on this guide and labelled on gateway.
- Do not install any gateway that is obviously damaged or suspected of having been damaged.
- To provide strain relief and to avoid transmitting excessive vibration to the device during installation, all cables connected to EasyRouter must be secured or clamped immediately adjacent to the device's connectors.
- To protect the power supply cables, and to comply with the fire safety requirements, when the unit is powered from a battery or a high current supply, a fast 1.25A fuse should be connected in line with the positive supply.
- No compatible component or product must not be connected to EasyRouter.

Note! EasyRouter distributors and sales offices may refuse warranty claims where evidence of product misuse is found.

## Safety requirements and protection regulations



PLEASE READ THESE GENERAL PRECAUTIONS AND KEEP A COPY OF THEM.

- EasyRouter, for any type of operation, is only accessible for instructed and skilled installers, testers and technical engineers.
- Before any type of handling of EasyRouter, it must be ensured that it has been de-energized to allow for electrical work to be carried out and it cannot be inadvertently re-energized.
- Always ensure that use of EasyRouter is permitted. The router may present a hazard if used in proximity to
  personal electronic medical devices. As a rule, the router must not be used in hospitals, airports or planes.
- This equipment is not suitable for use in locations where children are likely to be present.
- Never use the device at a gas station, refuelling point, blasting area or in any other environment where explosives may be present.
- Operating the device close to other electronic devices, such as antennas, television sets, and radios may cause electromagnetic interference.
- This product is intended to be used with the antenna or other radiating element at least 20cm away from any part of the human body. In applications where this rule cannot be applied, the application designer is responsible for providing the SAR measurement test report and declaration.
- You are responsible for observing your country's safety standards, and where applicable, the relevant wiring rules.

### 1.2 SIM Card Precautions

Before handling the SIM card in your application, ensure that you are not charged with static electricity. Use proper precautions to avoid electrostatic discharges.

- When the SIM card hatch is opened, the SIM card connectors lie exposed under the SIM card holder.
- Caution! Do not touch these connectors! If you do, you may release an electrical discharge that could damage the router or the SIM card.
- When designing your application, the SIM card's accessibility should be considered. We always recommend that you have the SIM card protected by a PIN code. This will ensure that the SIM card cannot be used by an unauthorized person.

#### 1.3 Antenna Precautions

If the antenna is to be mounted outside the device, consider the risk of lightning. Follow the instructions provided by the antenna manufacturer. Never connect more than one router to a single antenna. The router can be damaged by radio frequency energy from the transmitter of another router.

- Like any mobile station, the antenna of the gateway emits radio frequency energy. To avoid EMI (electromagnetic interference), you must determine whether the application itself, or equipment in the application's proximity, needs further protection against radio emission and the disturbances it might cause. Protection is secured either by shielding the surrounding electronics or by moving the antenna away from the electronics and the external signal cable.
- The gateway and antenna may be damaged if either of them meets ground potentials other than the one in your application. Beware: ground potentials are not always what they appear to be.

#### 1.4 Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure and SAR

Your wireless device is a low-power radio transmitter and receiver (transceiver). When it is turned on, it emits low levels of radio frequency energy (also known as radio waves or radio frequency fields).

Governments around the world have adopted comprehensive international safety guidelines, developed by scientific organizations such as ICNIRP (International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection) and IEEE (The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Inc.), through periodic and thorough evaluation of scientific studies. These guidelines establish permitted levels of radio wave exposure for the general population. The levels include a safety margin designed to assure the safety of all persons, regardless of age and health, and to account for any variations in measurements.

Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) is the unit of measurement for radio frequency energy absorbed by the body when using a transceiver. The SAR value is determined at the highest certified power level in laboratory conditions, but the actual SAR level of the transceiver while operating can be well below this value. This is because the transceiver is designed to use the minimum power required to reach the network.

EasyRouter device has been approved for applications where the antenna is located more than 20cm from the body of the user. In all other configurations the user is responsible for meeting the local SAR regulations. Users of the EasyRouter gateway are responsible for ensuring that they meet the SAR regulatory requirements of the countries in which they intend to operate the device and that their documentation contains the relevant SAR declaration, certification information and user guidance as appropriate.

### 1.5 SAR Information

Wireless Modules models: EC21 is marketed without a defined antenna.

The Maximum Antenna Gain when using indoor antennas depends on the distance from the antenna to any nearby persons when in normal operation. It should not exceed the values shown on the table below. According to the limit in 47 CFR 1.1310, we get the value of the maximum antenna gain as follows:

The maximum measured power output in the 900 MHz band is 1995.26 mW (33 dBm).

The maximum permissible exposure defined by 47 CFR 1.1310 is  $f/1500 = 0.6 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ .

The maximum measured power output in the 1800 MHz band is 1000 mW (30 dBm).

The maximum permissible exposure is defined as 47 CFR 1.1310 with 1 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>.

According to the limit in 47 CFR 1.1310, we get the value of the maximum antenna gain as follows:  $S = P^*G/4\pi R^2$ ;  $G = 4\pi R^2 (S / P)$   $S = 0.6 \text{ mW/cm}^2 \text{ or } 1 \text{ mW/cm}^2 P = 1995.26 \text{ mW or } 1000 \text{ mW}$   $R = 20 \text{ cm or } 50 \text{ cm } \pi = 3.1416$  $G(dBi)=10^*\log(G)$ 

Solving for G; the maximum antenna gain is:

BAND	P (mW/ dBm)	S ( mW/ cm²)	DISTANCE	MAX. GAIN (dBi)
900 MHz	1995.26 / 33	0.6	20cm	1.79
900 MHz	1995.26 / 33	0.6	50cm	9.75
1800 MHz	1000 / 30	1	20cm	4.79
1800 MHz	1000 / 30	1	50cm	14.97

### 1.6 Personal Medical Devices

Wireless devices may affect the operation of cardiac pacemakers, hearing aids and certain other implanted equipment. If a minimum distance of 15 cm (6 inches) is maintained between the EasyRouter device radiating antenna and a pacemaker, the risk of interference is limited. If the user's application is likely to be situated in the vicinity of personnel, a suitable warning should be contained in the equipment manual to this effect.

## 1.7 SAR Requirements Specific to Portable Mobiles

Mobile phones, PDAs or other portable transmitters and receivers incorporating a GSM module must be in accordance with the guidelines for human exposure to radio frequency energy. This requires the Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) of portable EC21 based applications to be evaluated and approved for compliance with national and/or international regulations.

Since the SAR value varies significantly with the individual product design, manufacturers are advised to submit their product for approval if designed for portable use. For European markets the relevant directives are mentioned below. It is the responsibility of the manufacturer of the final product to verify, whether further standards recommendations or directives are in force outside these areas.

Products intended for sale in US markets:

EN 59005/ANSI C95.1: Considerations for evaluation of human exposure to Electromagnetic Fields (EMFs) from Mobile Telecommunication Equipment (MTE) in the frequency range 30MHz – 6GHz

Products intended for sale in European markets:

EN 50360: Product standard to demonstrate the compliance of mobile phones with the basic restrictions related to human exposure to electromagnetic fields (300MHz – 3GHz)

Please note that SAR requirements are specific only for portable devices and not for mobile devices as defined below:

- Portable device: A portable device is defined as a transmitting device designed to be used so that the radiating structure(s) of the device is/are within 20cm to the user's body.
- Mobile device: A mobile device is defined as a transmitting device designed to be used in other than fixed locations and to generally be used in such a way that a separation distance of at least 20cm is normally maintained between the transmitter's radiating structure(s) and the user's body or that of nearby persons. In this context, the term "fixed location" means that the device is physically secured at one location and cannot be easily moved to another location.

## 2 Technical Description

#### 2.1 Overview

The EasyRouter is an innovate industrial gateway that comprises a set of features to provide remote wireless connectivity on customer facilities. It is equipped with a rich set of interfaces and Led indicators to show operating status of the router.

Router includes the following features:

- 4G LTE Cat 1 module.
- GNSS that supports GPS, GLONASS, BeiDou/Compass, Galileo and QZSS.
- Sx Antenna connection: 1x SMA Female for LTE, 1x SMA F for GNSS, 1x SMA F RP for WiFi
- Double Mini SIM card socket.
- RS232 on RJ45 connector.
- RS485 on Terminal block connector.
- Ethernet GIGABIT port.
- WiFi IEEE 802.11a/b/g/n/ac (2.4 GHz / 5 GHz).
- 1x Digital input.
- 1x Digital output.
- RTC with Super-Capacitor based backup energy.
- Factory reset button.
- 3.5mm pitch screwed terminal blocks for power supply input connection.
- Status Leds to show power, coverage, WAN connection and errors.

EasyRouter has an industrial temperature range (-40/+85°C) and is built in a metal casing that provides high impact resistance. It has a detachable accessory for DIN rail mounting and is equipped with two supports with removable

tray for Mini Sim cards, gigabit Ethernet, Wifi, digital input and output and RS485 and RS232 interfaces to minimize the need for further hardware development. This device can be used as a powerful and flexible device that can be integrated into a wide range of applications that require 4G technology, in addition, it includes a RTC in cases where real time is needed. A full list of antennas, cables and accessory supplies are available.



## 2.2 Operating Range

Electrical specifications	Min.	Тур	Max.
Power supply voltage	7VDC	12VDC	30VDC
Current consumption (12VDC)			175mA (Average
Power consumption			value) <3W
Digital Input voltage	OV		28VDC
Digital Input voltage			
"Low" digital input voltage	OV		0.8V
"High" digital input voltage	3V		28VDC
Factory Default Input voltage	OV		30VDC
Digital Output voltage	OV		VIN-0.4V
"Low" digital output voltage	OV		
"High" digital output voltage			30VDC
RS485 baudrate			500 kbps
RS485 D+, D- common mode	-7V		12V
RS485 short circuit current			±250mA (HBM)
RS485 ESD protection			±16kV (HBM)
RS232 baudrate			250 kbps
RS232 ESD protection			±15kV (HBM)
SIM card slot ESD protection			±15kV (Contact)
LTE module		Detailed	
LTE Main antenna		parameters on chapter 2.6	
GNSS antenna		50 ohms	
WiFi antenna		50 ohms	
Real Time Clock backup : Internal Supercapacitor		50 ohms	

Cellular output power	Max.
GSM850/EGSM900	33 dBm
DCS1800/PCS1900	30 dBm
GSM850/EGSM900 (8-PSK)	27 dBm
DCS1800/PCS1900 (8-PSK)	26 dBm
WCDMA bands	23 dBm
LTE bands	23 dBm

WLAN power at 2.4GHz	Max.
802.11b 1 Mbps	17 dBm
802.11b 11 Mbps	17 dBm
802.11g 6 Mbps	16.5 dBm
802.11g 54 Mbps	15 dBm
802.11n, HT20 MCS0	16.5 dBm
802.11n, HT20 MCS7	15 dBm
802.11n, HT40 MCS0	15 dBm
802.11n, HT40 MCS7	14 dBm

WLAN power at 5GHz	Max.
802.11a 6 Mbps	15 dBm
802.11a 54 Mbps	12 dBm
802.11n, HT20 MCS0	14 dBm
802.11n, HT20 MCS7	11 dBm
802.11n, HT40 MCS0	14 dBm
802.11n, HT40 MCS7	11 dBm
802.11ac, VHT20 MCS0	14 dBm
802.11ac, VHT20 MCS8	11 dBm
802.11ac, VHT40 MCS0	13 dBm
802.11ac, VHT40 MCS9	8.5 dBm
802.11ac, VHT80 MCS0	13 dBm
802.11ac, VHT80 MCS9	9 dBm

Mechanical and environnemental specifications.	
Enclosure fixing	DIN rail mounting compliant
Operating temperature (*)	-40ºC to +85ºC
Storage temperature	-40ºC to +85ºC
Dimensions with DIN Rail plate	113.2 x 30.5 x 90.2 mm
Weight	195g
(*) LTE module extended operation	

## 2.3 Ordering information

Model Name	Part Number
Webdyn EasyRouter EU	000199811003
Webdyn EasyRouter AU/LATAM	000199811004
Mechanical and environmental specifications.	
Enclosure fixing	DIN rail mounting compliant
Operating temperature (*)	-40ºC to +85ºC
Storage temperature	-40ºC to +85ºC
Dimensions with DIN Rail plate	113.2 x 30.5 x 90.2 mm
Weight	195g
(*) LTE module extended operation	

## 2.4 Packaging

EasyRouter gateway is packaged without any additional accessories and through an open window on the box it allows the product label to be read when closed.



### 2.5 Product Label

The label fixed to the top of a EasyRouter device comprises the following information :

- Webdyn logo
- Product name (model)
- Part number/ordering code
- Manufacturing Year/week (YYMM)
- IMEI Bar Code
- RoHS symbol
- Pb-Free logo
- WEEE logo
- CE logo
- IMEI
- Power supply operating specifications



#### 2.6 System Architecture

EasyRouter gateway is based on a commercial LTE module with a rich set of interfaces and a companion power management controller, all of them assembled on a main board as appear on following diagram.

Connectors for external interfaces are grouped to be accessible at a common front and rear panel.



LTE interface covers EMEA region and is CE certified with following frequency bands and data rates : For 000199811003 Webdyn EasyRouter EU

NETWORK	BANDS	TECHNOLOGY	MAX DATA RATE	MAX DATA RATE
			DL	UL
4G	B1/B3/B7/B8 /B20/B28A	LTE-FDD	10 Mbps	5 Mbps
3G	B1/B8	DC-HSDPA+ WCDMA	42 Mbps 384 kbps	5.76 Mbps 384 kbps
2G	B3/B8	EDGE GPRS	296 kbps 107 kbps	236.8 kbps 85.6 kbps

LTE interface covers Australia and Latin America region and is certified with following frequency bands and data rates : For 000199811004 Webdyn EasyRouter AU/LATAM

NETWORK	BANDS	TECHNOLOGY	MAX DATA RATE DL	MAX DATA RATE
4G	B1/B2/B3/B4 /B5/B7/B8/B28	LTE-FDD	10 Mbps	5 Mbps
	B40	LTE-TDD	8.96 Mbps	3.1 Mbps
3G	B1/B2/B5/B8	DC-HSPA+ WCDMA	42 Mbps 384 kbps	5.76 Mbps 384 kbps
2G	B2/B3/B5/B8	EDGE	296 kbps 107 kbps	236.8 kbps 85.6 kbps

### 2.7 External interfaces on front and rear panel



- Antenna (A1) SMA-F connector for 4G main antenna.
- Antenna (A2) SMA-F connector for GNSS antenna.
- Antenna (A3) SMA-F-RP connector for WiFi antenna
- Double SIMs x2 SIM sockets for Mini-SIM form factor card with tray.
- LEDs Five leds for operation status.
- Gigabit Ethernet port (RJ45)
- COM Communication Port RS232 (RJ45)

#### TERMINAL BLOCK – 6-way plug-in 3.5mm pitch terminal block for :

- Power supply input
- RS485 interface
- 1x General Purpose Digital Input
- 1x General Purpose Digital Output
- Factory Reset push button (rear panel)

### 2.8 Terminal Block Connection

EasyRouter device has a terminal block type connector for fastening to front panel for power supply input, RS485 port and inputs connection.



PIN	SIGNAL	ТҮРЕ	FUNCTION
1	01	DO	Digital output #1
2	10	DI	Digital input #0
3	D+	IO	RS485 positive line
4	D-	10	RS485 negative line
5			
5	+	PWR	Positive power supply input
6	-	PWR	Negative power supply
			input

Power supply input is externally connected on terminal block, positive signal at pin 5 and negative signal at pin 6. Operating range values are specified at (table 2.2).

EasyRouter gateway is equipped with a RS485 half-duplex interface with external connection on terminal block type connector. D+ signal has to be connected on pin 3 and D- signal on pin 4.

Formerly, TIA/EIA-RS485 specification identifies A signal as equivalent to D- and B signal as equivalent to D+, nonetheless, some semiconductor manufacturers adopted the opposite relationship, so it is recommended to follow D+ and D- signal identification.

RS485 interface features ESD protection with internal network termination resistor and fail-safe polarization network. A general-purpose digital input is included within EasyRouter gateway, available on the terminal block type connector on pin 2.

To activate any input externally, it must be shorted to V- input on pin 6 of terminal block so it is recommended to use external dry-contact type devices, as relays or open-drain/collector transistors.

Finally, a general-purpose digital output is included within EasyRouter gateway in this terminal block. Operating range values are specified at (table 2.2).

#### 2.9 Main Antenna Connection

EasyRouter device provides SMA Female connector to attach external antenna. This connector allows radio frequency (RF) transmission signals between the router and an external customer-supplied antenna. EasyRouter is fitted with a  $50\Omega$  SMA Female coaxial connector.

These external antennas must be matched properly to achieve the best performance regarding radiated power, DC-power consumption, modulation accuracy and harmonic suppression.

SSMA Interface Specifications	
Impedance	50 Ω
Туре	SMA Female
ESD Protection	15 KV air / 8 KV contact



Consider the following requirements:

- The antenna must be designed for one of the frequency bands in use; please ask your network provider for more information.
- Frequency according to band of chosen 4G module
- The impedance of the antenna and antenna cable must be 50Ω
- Antenna connector should be SMA Male type
- Antenna power should be at least 500mW as maximum power is 316.23mW.
- Maximum Output RF load mismatch ruggedness at antenna is 10:1 VSWR

The antenna should be placed away from electronic devices and other antennas. The recommended minimum distance between adjacent antennas, operating in a similar radio frequency band, is at least 50cm. If the signal strength is weak, it is useful to face a directional antenna towards the closest radio base station. This can increase the strength of the signal received by the router. The LoRa module's peak output power can reach 320mW.

RF field strength varies with antenna type and distance. At 10cm from the antenna the field strength may be up to 70V/m and at 1m it will have reduced to 7V/m. In general, CE-marked products for residential / commercial areas and the light industry can withstand a minimum of 3V/m.

Possible communication disturbances include the following:

- Noise can be caused by electronic devices and radio transmitters.
- Path-loss occurs as the strength of the received signal steadily decreases in proportion to the distance from the transmitter.
- Shadowing is a form of environmental attenuation of radio signals caused by hills, buildings, trees or even vehicles. This can be a particular problem inside buildings, especially if the walls are thick and reinforced.
- Multi-path fading is a sudden decrease or increase in the signal strength. This is the result of
  interference which is caused when direct and reflected signals reach the antenna simultaneously.
  Surfaces such as buildings, streets, vehicles, etc., can reflect signals.
- Hand-over occurs as you move from one cell to another in the GSM network. Your mobile application call is transferred from one cell to the next. Hand-over can briefly interfere with communication and may cause a delay, or at worst, disruption.

### 2.10 GNSS Antenna Connection

EasyRouter device provides SMA Female connector to attach external antenna. This connector allows radio frequency (RF) transmission signals between the router and an external customer-supplied antenna. EasyRouter is fitted with a 50Ω SMA Female coaxial connector.

These external antennas must be matched properly to achieve the best performance regarding radiated power, DC-power consumption, modulation accuracy and harmonic suppression.

SMA INTERFACE SPECIFICATIONS	
Impedance	50 Ω
Туре	SMA Female
ESD Protection	15 KV air / 8 KV contact
Active Power Out	3.3 V



Consider the following requirements :

- The antenna must be designed for one of the frequency bands in use.
- Frequency according to band of chosen the right GNSS solution.
- The impedance of the antenna and antenna cable must be 50Ω.
- Antenna connector should be SMA Male type.
- The maximum active antenna current consumption must be less than 30mA.
- Active antenna could be used, for this instance, the router is able to supply 3.3V ±5% for this function.

The antenna should be placed away from electronic devices and other antennas. The recommended minimum distance between adjacent antennas, operating in a similar radio frequency band, is at least 50cm. If the signal strength is weak, it is useful to face a directional antenna towards the closest radio base station. This can increase the strength of the signal received by the router.

RF field strength varies with antenna type and distance. At 10cm from the antenna the field strength may be up to 70V/m and at 1m it will have reduced to 7V/m. In general, CE-marked products for residential / commercial areas and the light industry can withstand a minimum of 3V/m.

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- Noise can be caused by electronic devices and radio transmitters.
- Path-loss occurs as the strength of the received signal steadily decreases in proportion to the distance from the transmitter.
- Shadowing is a form of environmental attenuation of radio signals caused by hills, buildings, trees or even vehicles. This can be a particular problem inside buildings, especially if the walls are thick and reinforced.
- Multi-path fading is a sudden decrease or increase in the signal strength. This is the result of interference which is caused when direct and reflected signals reach the antenna simultaneously. Surfaces such as buildings, streets, vehicles, etc., can reflect signals.

#### 2.11 WiFi Antenna Connection

EasyRouter device provides SMA Female RP connector to attach external antenna. This connector allows radio frequency (RF) transmission signals between the router and an external customer-supplied antenna. EasyRouter is fitted with a  $50\Omega$  SMA Female RP coaxial connector, and maximum power of 17dB.

These external antennas must be matched properly to achieve the best performance regarding radiated power, DC-power consumption, modulation accuracy and harmonic suppression.

SMA INTERFACE SPECIFICATIONS	
Impedance	50 Ω
Туре	SMA Female RP
ESD Protection	15 KV air / 8 KV contact

With the correct antennas and the appropriate conditions these are the maximum speeds that can be obtained in each mode.

Data Rate (Max.)		COM
302.11a	54 Mbps	0
302.11b	11 Mbps	
802.11g	54 Mbps	
802.11n	150 Mbps	
802.11ac	433 Mbps	43
		>> / Manada

Consider the following requirements :

- The antenna must be designed for one of the frequency bands in use (2.4 GHz / 5 GHz).
- Frequency according to band of chosen the right WiFi solution.
- The impedance of the antenna and antenna cable must be 50Ω.
- Antenna connector should be SMA Male RP type.
- Maximum Output RF load mismatch ruggedness at antenna is 10:1 VSWR.

The antenna should be placed away from electronic devices and other antennas. The recommended minimum distance between adjacent antennas, operating in a similar radio frequency band, is at least 50cm. If the signal strength is weak, it is useful to face a directional antenna towards the closest radio base station. This can increase the strength of the signal received by the router.

RF field strength varies with antenna type and distance. At 10cm from the antenna the field strength may be up to 70V/m and at 1m it will have reduced to 7V/m. In general, CE-marked products for residential / commercial areas and the light industry can withstand a minimum of 3V/m.

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- Noise can be caused by electronic devices and radio transmitters.
- Path-loss occurs as the strength of the received signal steadily decreases in proportion to the distance from the transmitter.
- Shadowing is a form of environmental attenuation of radio signals caused by hills, buildings, trees or even vehicles. This can be a particular problem inside buildings, especially if the walls are thick and reinforced.

Multi-path fading is a sudden decrease or increase in the signal strength. This is the result of
interference which is caused when direct and reflected signals reach the antenna simultaneously.
Surfaces such as buildings, streets, vehicles, etc., can reflect signals.

### 2.12 SIM Card Reader

EasyRouter device is fitted with two Mini SIM card readers designed for 1.8V and 3V Mini SIM cards. It is the bar push type with tray and can be accessed through the front panel.

EasyRouter presents the possibility of mounting two cards, one as a backup. In the front panel is identified SIM card priority with the numbers 1 and 2.

To insert SIM card, look at bellow picture for proper orientation.

Mini Sim 1





Mini Sim 2

## 2.13 Ethernet Gigabit Port

EasyRouter gateway provides a full router functionality with ethernet connector (RJ45) available on a RJ45 connector at the front panel with this symbol.





RS485 SPECIFICATIONS	
LINK (Amber)	10Mb / 100Mb Led OFF
	1000Mb Led ON
ACTIVITY (Green)	Blink Transmitting Data

By connecting EasyRouter through an ethernet cable with our computer we will have access Titan Firmware

The PC must have a fixed IP, within the range: 192.168.1.x

EasyRouter has by factory default IP: 192.168.1.2 – Mask: 255.255.255.0

Open a browser, with the address "<u>http://192.168.1.2</u>" a window like the following should appear:

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	wowend webdyn Flexitron group by TITAN					
	Username: Password: LOGIN					
	Intelligent Router - Web Panel Control					

Use the default username and password: admin and admin

Through which we can configure WAN, Titan scripts, Sims, RTC, digital input and output, etc.

See Titan software manual for more information.

### 2.14 RS232 Connection

EasyRouter device have implemented RS232 interface in RJ45 (COM).

RS232 interface is implemented as a serial asynchronous transmitter and receiver conforming to ITU-T V.24 Interchange Circuits DCE. It is configured for 8 data bits, no parity and 1 stop bit and can be operated at fixed bit rates from 300bps to 460.8kbps.

If RS232 cable required length is longer than 3m, it is recommended to use a shielded cable. No hardware related configuration action is needed to enable RS232 port communication.



Terminal	RS232 DCE	Туре	Description
1	+VIN	Pwr	Positive power supply input
2	RS232 CTS	Out	Clear to send
3	RS232 Rx	Out	WAN received data is transmitted on this output
4	NC	NC	Not connected
5	RS232 RTS	In	Ready to send
6	GND	Pwr	Reference common signal
7	NC	NC	Not connected
8	RS232 Tx	In	Data received on this input is transmitted to WAN

RS232 LEDS	
Green	Blink Transmitting Data
Amber	Blink Receiving Data



RS232 SPECIFICATIONS	
Baud Rate	Max. 250 Kbps
ESD Protection	15 KV air / 15 KV contact
Cable length	Max. 3 m

Optionally, a cable can be supplied to convert the RJ45 to DB9 Male (usually used in electricity meters). This is the pin-out of the cable:



RS485-RJ45 Plug	Signal	Pin	Direction
	NC	1	x
	CTS	2	OUT
	RxD	3	OUT
	NC	4	X
	RxD	5	IN
	GND	6	x
	NC	7	x
	TxD	8	IN
	•	-	x

Webdyn	Cod. 002	30001103
Signal	Cable	DB9 MALE
1	NC	1
2	CTS	8
3	RxD	3
4	NC	4
5	RTS	7
6	GND	5
7	NC	6
8	TxD	2
-	NC	9

DB9 MALE	Signal	Pin	Direction
	NC	1	х
Pin	TxD	2	IN
	RxD	3	OUT
6-	NC	4	x
7	GND	5	-
8-1-4	NC	6	х
-5	RTS	7	IN
	CTS	8	OUT
	NC	9	x

### 2.15 RS485 Connection

EasyRouter provides RS485 interface on terminal block connector D+ and D-.

This communication port is intended to be connected to external meter through an additional cable ended with proper type connector and signal distribution. Maximum length for this cable is 1.5m.

If RS485 cable required length is longer than 3m, it is recommended to use a shielded cable. No hardware related configuration action is needed to enable RS485 port communication.



PIN	RS485	Туре	Description
1	01	DO	Digital output
2	IO	DI	Digital input
3	D+	Ю	RS485 positive line
4	D-	10	RS485 negative line
5	+	PWR	Positive power supply input
6	-	PWR	Negative power supply input

RS485 SPECIFICATIONS	
Baud Rate	Max. 500 Kbps
Termination	Internal Resistors on RS485 Fail-Safe Bias
ESD Protection	16 KV air / 16 KV contact
Cable length	Max. 3 m with UTP cable
	Max. 20 m with SFTP cable

### 2.16 Status LEDs

Four LEDs on front panel are included to inform about operation status of EasyRouter gateway.



Following table shows relationship between operation status and LED operation.

Fast refers to fast blinking On-Off every 1 second. Slow refers to

slow blinking On-Off every 2 seconds.

Power LED

Operating States	State
Power Off	OFF
Power On	ON
Fail turning router ON	Fast
Upgrade mode active	Medium
System will go to Bootloader or power down	Low

#### Coverage LED

Operating States	State
Starting Router	3 blinks
Mini SIM detected and ready	Slow/Fast/ON
Mini SIM undetected or incorrect PIN	OFF
Not enough/critical coverage	Slow
Low coverage	Fast
Good coverage	ON

#### IP Status LED

Operating States	State
IP Not Assigned	OFF
IP Assigned	ON

#### SIM Error LED

Operating States	State
Mini SIM OK	OFF
Mini SIM Error	ON

#### WiFi LED

Operating States	State
WiFi Power on	ON
WiFi Power off	OFF

### 2.17 Real Time Clock (RTC)

EasyRouter device integrates Real Time Clock for timestamping purposes.

RTC power backup is based on a supercapacitor to allow the system to keep hour and date for a month at least when external power supply is removed.

#### 2.18 Factory Default Reset

EasyRouter parameters can be restored to factory default values with an external input push button in rear panel. This input is labelled on rear panel with this symbol:



To proceed to restore parameters to factory default:

- 1. Power off the router.
- 2. Hold on Reset button and power on the router.

3. Wait for router to restart and ready for operation to check default parameters. Coverage LED start to blink (yellow LED).

- 4. Release Reset button.
- 5. Power off the gateway.
- 6. Power on again.

## 3 Mechanical Description

### 3.1 Dimensions



## 4 Device Installation

This chapter gives you advices and helpful hints on how to install the EasyRouter device from a hardware perspective.

There are several conditions which need to be taken into consideration when designing your application as they might affect the router and its function.

Please, carefully read the complete hardware user guide as there are many details to be considered for installation.

#### 4.1 Installation Location

EasyRouter is intended to be installed indoor with environmental conditions as stated in the "2.2 Operating Range" chapter.

Gateway is equipped with a DIN Rail holder on its rear-side plate lo let it be installed on a vertical flat surface, preferred into a cabinet.

Installation height referred to floor must be less than 2m and guarantee proper visibility of status Leds and connection of wires, SIM card insertion and Antenna attachement.

## 4.2 RF Signal Strength

The device must be placed in a way that ensures sufficient signal strength. To improve signal strength, the antenna can be moved to another position. Signal strength may depend on how close the gateway is to a radio base station. You must ensure that where you intend to use the router is within the network coverage area. Degradation in signal strength can be the result of disturbance from another source, i.e., an electronic device in the immediate vicinity. More information about possible communication disturbances can be found in section Operation 3.5 (Possible communications disturbances).

*Tip! Before installing the router, use an ordinary mobile telephone to check a possible location for it. In determining the location for the router and antenna, you should consider signal strength as well as cable length.* 

### 4.3 DIN Rail mounting

To install device on the DIN Rail, position the top groove of the rear module installation adapter on the top edge of the DIN rail. Push on the arrow direction on the adapter until the bottom groove of the installation adapter fits under the DIN rail.



#### 4.4 Connections of EasyRouter

The user is responsible for the final integrated system. If not correctly designed or installed, external components may cause radiation limits to be exceeded. For instance, improperly made connections or improperly installed antennas can disturb the network and lead to malfunctions in the router.

For power supply connection, use a high-quality power supply cable with low resistance. This ensures that the voltages at the connector pins are within the allowed range, even during the maximum peak current.

It is encouraged to perform installation with no external power applied, unplug the terminal block from the gateway and screw all required wirings. Plug again terminal block, fixing both fastening screws, and finally apply external power to the system.

When the unit is powered from a battery or a high current supply, connect a fast 1.25A fuse in line with the positive supply. This protects the power cabling and gateway.

Bellow figure shows connection for all available interfaces, nonetheless, only those required for the end application are to be connected.



## 5 EasyRouter Family of Products

P/N 1998110xx: xx is planned to cover a range of future releases based on EasyRouter Hardware Platform.

Hardware 2.x to cover different assembly variants to remove not used functionalities.

**Software Linux 5.x / Titan Software 6.x** to cover foreseen software dependant functional variants.

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