

Installation Guide

JetStream Stackable L2+/L3 Managed Switch

T2700G-28TQ/T3700G-28TQ

About this Installation Guide

This Installation Guide describes the hardware characteristics, installation methods and the points that should be attended to during the installation. This Installation Guide is structured as follows:

Chapter 1 Introduction.

This chapter describes the external components of the switch.

Chapter 2 Installation.

This chapter illustrates how to install the switch.

Chapter 3 Lightning Protection.

This chapter illustrates how to prevent lightning damage.

Chapter 4 Connection.

This chapter illustrates how to do the physical connection of the switch.

Chapter 5 Configuration.

This chapter instructs you to configure the switch via Web Interface and CLI commands.

Appendix A Troubleshooting.

Appendix B Specifications.

Audience

This Installation Guide is for:

Network Engineer Network Administrator

Conventions

- The figures in Chapter 2 to Chapter 5 are for demonstration purposes only. Your switch may differ in appearance from that depicted.
- This Guide uses the specific formats to highlight special messages. The following table lists the notice icons that are used throughout this guide.



Remind to be careful. A caution indicates a potential which may result in device damage.

Remind to take notice. The note contains the helpful information for a better use of the product.

Related Document

The User Guide and CLI Reference Guide of the product are provided on the resource CD. To obtain the latest product information, please visit the official website: http://www.tp-link.com

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Chapter 1 Introduction

1.1 Product Overview

T2700G-28TQ/T3700G-28TQ is TP-Link's JetStream Stackable L2+/L3 Managed Switch, supporting up to 4 SFP+ slots. T2700G-28TQ/T3700G-28TQ is ideal for large businesses, campuses or SMB networks requiring an outstanding, reliable and affordable 10 Gigabit solution.

T2700G-28TQ/T3700G-28TQ supports stacking of up to 8 units, thus providing flexible scalability and protective redundancy for your networks. Moreover, aiming to better protect your network, T2700G-28TQ/T3700G-28TQ's main power is removable. With the help of TP-Link's RPS, administrators can easily change its main power if it encounters some problems without shutting down the switch, thus enabling your network to really enjoy the benefit of uninterrupted operation.

Supporting advanced features such as OSPF, VRRP, IGMP and PIM DM/SM, T3700G-28TQ can fully implement resilient scalable networks, and T2700G-28TQ can be upgraded with the addition of a layer 3 license to provide these layer 3 routing features as well.



Note:

- Obtain the T2700G-28TQ Layer 3 License T2700G-28TQ-L1000 via the following steps:
- Buy a license key from a TP-Link authorized distributor.
- Go to T2700G-28TQ page on TP-Link website, use the license key together with the switch S/N and the MAC address for authentication to download the license T2700G-28TQ-L1000.

1.2 Appearance

Front Panel

The front panel of T2700G-28TQ/T3700G-28TQ is shown as the following figure. Here we take T3700G-28TQ as an example.





Console Port

Designed to connect with the serial port of a computer or terminal for monitoring and configuring the switch.

| | Ctotuo | | Indiantian | | |
|-------------------------|----------|-----------|--|--|--|
| LED | On | | | | |
| _ | On | | | | |
| Power | Off | | The switch is powered off or power supply is abnormal | | |
| | Flashin | g | Power supply is abnormal | | |
| Svstem | Flashin | g | The switch works properly | | |
| -, | On/Off | | The switch works improperly | | |
| | On | Green | Both the Power Supply Module and the redundant power supply work properly | | |
| RPS | on | Yellow | The Power Supply Module works improperly, but the redundant power supply works properly | | |
| | Off | | The switch is not connected to any redundant power supply | | |
| | Green | | All the fans work properly | | |
| FAN | Yellow | | Not all the fans work properly | | |
| Master | On | | The switch works as master in the stack system, or does not join any stack system | | |
| | Off | | The switch works as slave in the stack system | | |
| | On(gre | en) | An Interface Card is connected to the switch and works properly | | |
| Module | Flashin | g(yellow) | An Interface Card is connected to the switch, but works improperly | | |
| | Off | | No Interface Card is connected to the switch | | |
| | Green | On | A 1000Mbps device is connected to the corresponding port, but no activity | | |
| | | Flashing | Data is being transmitted or received | | |
| Link/Act (Port 1-24) | Yellow | On | A 10/100Mbps device is connected to the corresponding port, but no activity | | |
| | | Flashing | Data is being transmitted or received | | |
| | Off | | No device is connected to the corresponding port | | |
| | On | | An SFP transceiver is connected to the corresponding port, and it is connected to a device, but no activity | | |
| 21F-24F | Flashing | | A 1000Mbps device is connected to the corresponding port and transmitting data | | |
| Off | | | An SFP transceiver is connected to the corresponding port, but it is not connected to a device, or no SFP transceiver is connected | | |
| | On | | An SFP+ transceiver/cable is connected to the corresponding port, and it is connected to a 10Gbps device, but no activity | | |
| 25, 26 | Flashin | g | A 10Gbps device is connected to the corresponding port and transmitting data | | |
| | Off | | An SFP+ transceiver/cable is connected to the corresponding port, but it is not connected to a device, or no SFP+ transceiver/cable is connected | | |

LEDs

| LED | Status | Indication |
|-------|----------|---|
| M1,M2 | On | An SFP+ transceiver/cable is connected to the corresponding port of the Interface Card, and it is connected to a 10Gbps device, but no activity |
| | Flashing | A 10Gbps device is connected to the corresponding port of the Interface Card and transmitting data |
| | Off | No Interface Card is connected No SFP+ transceiver/cable is connected to the installed Interface Card |
| | | An SFP+ transceiver/cable is connected to the corresponding port of the Interface Card, but it is not connected to a device |

Port Feature

| Model | 10/100/1000Mbps RJ45 Port | Console Port | 1000Mbps SFP Port | 10Gbps SFP+ Port |
|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| T2700G-28TQ | 24 | 1 | 4 (Combo) | 4 (2 fixed + 2 optional) |
| T3700G-28TQ | 24 | 1 | 4 (Combo) | 4 (2 fixed + 2 optional) |

10/100/1000Mbps Port

Port 1-24, designed to connect to the device with a bandwidth of 10Mbps, 100Mbps or 1000Mbps. Each has a corresponding Link/Act LED.

SFP Port

Port 21F-24F, designed to install the SFP transceiver. These four SFP transceiver slots are shared with the associated RJ45 ports. The associated two ports are referred as a "Combo" port, which means they cannot be used simultaneously, otherwise only RJ45 port works. The SFP ports support 1000M SFP module connection only.

SFP+ Port

Port 25-26, designed to install the 10Gbps SFP+ transceiver or SFP+ cables. T3700G-28TQ also provides an interface card slot on the rear panel to install the expansion card (TX432 of TP-Link for example). If TX432 is installed, you get another two 10Gbps SFP+ ports.

Unit ID LED

Designed to display the stack Unit ID of the switch. For the switch that does not join any stack system, it displays its default Unit ID. To modify the default unit number, please logon to the GUI of the switch and go to **Stack**→**Stack Management**→**Switch Renumber** page.

Rear Panel

The rear panel of T2700G-28TQ/T3700G-28TQ is shown as the following figure.

Figure 1-1 Rear Panel (1)



The Interface Card Slot and RPS Input Connector are shipped with protective covers.

Interface Card Slot

Designed to extend the interfaces. You can select a TP-Link Interface Card (TX432 for example) for your switch if needed. For how to install an Interface Card, please refer to **3.4 Installing & Removing the Interface Card**.

Grounding Terminal

The switch already comes with lightning protection mechanism. You can also ground the switch through the PE (Protecting Earth) cable of AC cord or with Ground Cable. For detailed information, please refer to **Chapter 4 Lightning Protection**.

RPS Input Connector

Designed to connect the RPS (Redundant Power Supply). You can selected an RPS of TP-Link (RPS150 for example) for your switch if needed. For how to install an RPS, please refer to **5.6 Power on via Redundant Power Supply**.

Power Supply Module

The AC Power Supply Module PSM150-AC is installed in the switch. The malfunctioned PSM150-AC can be replaced with a TP-Link power supply module of the same model. Its input voltage is 100-240V~ 50/60Hz.

The AC Power Supply Module is fully hot swappable, helping to ensure no system interruption during installation or replacement. For how to install/remove the Power Supply Module, please refer to **3.3 Installing & Removing the Power Supply Module**.



Caution:

Please use the provided power cord.

With all the protective covers removed and the Interface Card (TX432 for example) inserted, the rear panel of T2700G-28TQ/T3700G-28TQ is shown as the following figure.





Chapter 2 Installation

2.1 Package Contents

Make sure that the package contains the following items. If any of the listed items is damaged or missing, please contact your distributor.



2.2 Safety Precautions

To avoid any device damage and bodily injury caused by improper use, please observe the following rules.

Safety Precautions

- Keep the power off during the installation.
- Wear an ESD-preventive wrist strap, and make sure that the wrist strap has a good skin contact and is well grounded.
- Use only the power cord provided with the switch.
- Make sure that the supply voltage matches the specifications indicated on the rear panel of the switch.
- Ensure the vent hole is well ventilated and unblocked.
- Do not open or remove the cover of the switch.
- Before cleaning the device, cut off the power supply. Do not clean it by the waterish cloth, and never use any other liquid cleaning method.

Site Requirements

Temperature/Humidity



Please keep a proper temperature and humidity in the equipment room. Too high/low humidity may lead to bad insulation, electricity leakage, mechanical property changes and corrosions. Too high temperature may accelerate aging of the insulation materials and can thus significantly shorten the service life of the device. For normal temperature and humidity of the device, please check the following table.

| Environment Temperature | | Humidity |
|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| Operating | 0℃ to 40℃ | 10% to 90%RH Non-condensing |
| Storage | -40℃ to 70℃ | 5% to 90%RH Non-condensing |

Clearness



The dust accumulated on the switch can be absorbed by static electricity and result in poor contact of metal contact points. Some measures have been taken for the device to prevent static electricity, but too strong static electricity can cause deadly damage to the electronic elements on the internal circuit board. To avoid the effect of static electricity on the operation of the Switch, please attach much importance to the following items:

- Dust the device regularly, and keep the indoor air clean.
- Keep the device well grounded and ensure static electricity has been transferred.

Electromagnetic Interference



Electronic elements including capacitance and inductance on the device can be affected by external interferences, such as conducted emission by capacitance coupling, inductance coupling, and impedance coupling. To decrease the interferences, please make sure to take the following measures:

- Use the power supply that can effectively filter interference from the power grid.
- Keep the device far from high-frequency, strong-current devices, such as radio transmitting station.
- Use electromagnetic shielding when necessary.

Lightening Protection



Extremely high voltage currents can be produced instantly when lightning occurs and the air in the electric discharge path can be instantly heated up to 20,000°C. As this instant current is strong

enough to damage electronic devices, more effective lightning protection measures should be taken.

- Ensure the rack and device are well earthed.
- Make sure the power socket has a good contact with the ground.
- Keep a reasonable cabling system and avoid induced lightning.
- Use the signal SPD (Surge Protective Device) when wiring outdoor.



For detailed lightning protection measures, please refer to **Chapter 3 Lightning Protection**.

Installation Site



When installing the device on a rack or a flat workbench, please note the following items:

- The rack or workbench is flat and stable, and sturdy enough to support the weight of 5.5kg at least.
- The rack or workbench has a good ventilation system. The equipment room is well ventilated.
- The rack is well grounded. Keep the power socket less than 1.5 meters away from the device.

2.3 Installation Tools

- Phillips screwdriver
- ESD-preventive wrist wrap
- Cables

Note:

These tools are not provided with our product. If needed, please self purchase them.

2.4 Installation & Connection Flow

The switch provides two interfaces to install the swappable Power Supply Module and Interface Card, and one interface to connect to Redundant Power Supply. The switch has already been installed with a Power Supply Module PSM150-AC, and you can also self-purchase the Interface Card/Redundant Power Supply if needed.

The Installation & Connection flow is shown as the following figure.







Caution:

Make sure the power supply of RPS150 is cut off when connecting or disconnecting RPS150 and the switch, otherwise both RPS150 and the switch may work abnormally or even be damaged.

Note:

The switch can be powered by the Power Supply Module and Redundant Power Supply simultaneously or individually. If simultaneously, the Power Supply Module and Redundant Power Supply together will enable your network to enjoy the benefit of uninterrupted operation.

2.5 Product Installation

Desktop Installation

To install the device on the desktop, please follow the steps:

- 1. Set the device on a flat surface strong enough to support the entire weight of the device with all fittings.
- 2. Remove the adhesive backing papers from the rubber feet.
- 3. Turnover the device and attach the supplied rubber feet to the recessed areas on the bottom at each corner of the device.

Figure 2-2 Desktop Installation



Rack Installation

To install the device in an EIA standard-sized, 19-inch rack, follow the instructions described below:

- 1. Check the grounding and stability of the rack.
- 2. Secure the supplied rack-mounting brackets to each side of the device with supplied screws, as illustrated in the following figure.

Figure 2-3 Bracket Installation



3. After the brackets are attached to the device, use suitable screws (not provided) to secure the brackets to the rack, as illustrated in the following figure.

Figure 2-4 Rack Installation





Caution:

- Please set 5 to 10cm gaps around the device for air circulation.
- Please avoid any heavy thing placed on the device.
- Please mount devices in sequence from the bottom to top of the rack and ensure a certain clearance between devices for the purpose of heat dissipation.

2.6 Installing & Removing the Power Supply Module

The Power Supply Module has already been installed in the switch. Operate as the following steps if you need to replace the Power Supply Module.

Removing the Power Supply Module

- 1. Wear an ESD-preventive wrist strap, and make sure that it has good skin contact and is well grounded.
- 2. Remove the power cord from the power module and the external power supply system.
- 3. Use a Phillips screwdriver to loosen the captive screws at both sides of the power supply module until all spring pressure is released.
- 4. Pull the handle by one hand towards you along the guide rails, and hold the bottom of the module by the other hand, until it completely comes out of the switch chassis.
- 5. In order to better protect the removed power supply module, it is recommended to package it by an antistatic bag.
- 6. After removing the PSM150-AC, please install the protective cover as soon as possible to prevent dust from entering and ensure the normal ventilation in the switch.

Installing the Power Supply Module

- 1. Wear an ESD-preventive wrist strap, and make sure that it has good skin contact and is well grounded.
- 2. If the protective cover has been installed on the power supply module slot of the switch, use a Phillips screwdriver to loosen the mounting screws of the protective cover and remove the protective cover, as shown in the following figure.

Figure 2-5 Removing the Protective Cover



3. Grip the handle of the module by one hand, and hold the bottom of the module by the other hand, as shown in the following figure. Then gently push the module in along the slot guide rail until the module is flush with the switch.



Note:

Do not use too much force in the operation. If resistance is encountered or positions of the power supply module appear larger deflection in the operation of installation, you must first remove the module and then reinstall the module.

Figure 2-6 Installing the Power Supply Module



4. Tighten the captive screws with a Phillips screwdriver to fix the power supply module in place. If the screws cannot be tighten, probably because the power supply module is not installed properly due. Please check carefully.

2.7 Installing & Removing the Interface Card (Optional)

Installing the Interface Card

- 1. Wear an ESD-preventive wrist strap, and make sure that it has good skin contact and is well grounded.
- 2. Use a Phillips screwdriver to loosen the mounting screws of the protective cover on the interface card slot of the switch and remove the protective cover, similar to the procedure shown in Figure 2-5.

3. Hold the captive screws on the front panel of the interface card, and gently push the interface card in along the slot guide rail until the interface card is flush with the switch, as shown in the following figure.

Figure 2-7 Installing the Interface Card



4. Tighten the captive screws with a Phillips screwdriver to fix the interface card in place.

Removing the Interface Card

- 1. Wear an ESD-preventive wrist strap, and make sure that it has good skin contact and is well grounded.
- 2. Use a Phillips screwdriver to loosen the captive screws at both sides of the interface card until all spring pressure is released.
- 3. Pull the interface card towards you along the guide rails, until it completely comes out of the switch chassis.
- 4. After removing an interface card, if no new interface card is to be installed, please install the protective cover as soon as possible to prevent dust from entering and ensure the normal ventilation in the switch.



- TX432 supports hot plug, so if necessary you can install or remove the interface card when the switch is operating. However, it is recommended that the power be turned off during installation.
- Do not touch the surface-mounted components directly with your hand while the switch is in operation.

2.8 Stacking Using Interface Card on Rear Panel

You can connect up to 8 switches to form a stack with a single management IP address. Follow the steps below to connect the switches and configure the stack ports, then the switches will automatically elect a master unit and establish a stack. Once the stack is established, you can use any port of any switch in the stack to manage the stack system.

You can use either the SFP+ ports on the front panel or the Interface Card on the rear panel to create a stack. These two pairs of stack ports cannot be mixedly used in the stack connection.

Here we take stacking using Interface Card for example.

- 1. Install an Interface Card (TX432 for example) into the Interface Card Slot of each switch, see **3.4** Installing & Removing the Interface Card.
- Log on to the GUI of each switch, go to Stack→Stack Management→Stack Config page to enable the stack mode of port M1 and M2 (port 1/1/1 and 1/1/2 on the GUI). Remember to click Save Config after the configuration.

- 3. Power off the switches, and then connect a 10G SFP+ cable (TXC432-CU1M/TXC432-CU3M of TP-Link for example) between each pair of Interface Cards among the switches, thus forming a ring topology as the following figure shows. A ring topology system provides redundancy and resiliency to the stack.
 - Figure 2-8 Stacking Using Interface Card



- 4. Power on the switches, then the switches will automatically select a master unit. The Master LED of the selected switch will be on.
- 5. You can access to any member of the stack via Web/SSH/Telnet/Console connection, thus to manage all the switches in the stack.



Caution:

In the process of using TP-Link SFP+ Cables, please never bend them into a radius of 45mm (1.77 inch) or less, because it may permanently damage the SFP+ Cables.

Chapter 3 Lightning Protection

3.1 Cabling Reasonably

In the actual network environment, you may need cable outdoors and indoors, and the requirements for cabling outdoors and indoors are different. A reasonable cabling system can decrease the damage of induced lightning to devices.



Note:

It's not recommended using Ethernet cables outdoors. When cabling outdoors, please use a signal lightning arrester.

Requirements for Cabling Outdoors

Aerial cabling without safeguard is not allowed.



It's not allowed cabling down the building to connect network devices in different floors.



- Outdoor cables should be buried and paved to the indoor through basement. A piece of steel wire should be paved underground along the pipe and connected to the lightning protection terminal of the building for shielding. Before connecting the cable to the device, install a signal lightning arrester on the corresponding port.
- When an aerial cable is set up, the cable should be through a metal pipe (15m long at least) before coming into the building. The two ends of this metal pipe should be grounded. Before connecting the cable to the device, install a signal lightning arrester on the corresponding port.
- It's not necessary to pave STP cables through pipes. The shielded layer of STP cable should be well grounded. Before connecting the cable to the device, install a signal lightning arrester on the corresponding port.

Requirements for Cabling Indoors

When cabling indoors, keep a certain distance away from the devices that may cause highfrequency interferences, such as down-conductor cable, powerline, power transformer and electromotor.

- The main cable should be paved in the metal raceway of the access shaft. When cabling, keep the loop area formed by the cable itself as small as possible.
- Requirements for the distance between Ethernet cable and other pipelines are shown in the table.

| | Ethernet Cable | | | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Other Pipelines | Min Parallel Net Length L (mm) | Min Parallel-overlapping Net Height H (mm) | | |
| Down-conductor | 1000 | 300 | | |
| PE | 50 | 20 | | |
| Service pipe | 150 | 20 | | |
| Compressed air pipe | 150 | 20 | | |
| Thermal pipe (not wrapped) | 500 | 500 | | |
| Thermal pipe (wrapped) | 300 | 300 | | |
| Gas pipe | 300 | 20 | | |

The two diagrams below demonstrate parallel net length and parallel-overlapping net height.





Note:

The above minimum net length/height is required when metal raceway is not used. If any requirements cannot be met, you can add a steel tube or metal raceway for shielding.

• Requirements for the distance between Ethernet cable and high-power electric devices are in following tables.

| Cable | Pave Way | Min Parallel Length (mm) |
|-----------------|--|-----------------------------|
| | Parallel cabling | 130 |
| <2kVA powerline | One is in the grounded metal raceway or metal pipe | 70 |
| | The both are in the grounded metal raceway or metal pipe | 10 |
| | Parallel cabling | 300 |
| 2 to 5KVA | One is in the grounded metal raceway or metal pipe | 150 |
| powernine | The both are in the grounded metal raceway or metal pipe | 80 |
| >5kVA powerline | Parallel cabling | 600 |
| | One is in the grounded metal raceway or metal pipe | 300 |
| | The both are in the grounded metal raceway or metal pipe | 150 |

| Device | Min Distance (m) |
|----------------------|------------------|
| Switch case | 1.00 |
| Transformer room | 2.00 |
| Elevator tower | 2.00 |
| Air-conditioner room | 2.00 |

3.2 Connect to Ground

Connecting the device to ground is to quickly release the lightning over-voltage and over-current of the device, which is also a necessary measure to protect the body from electric shock.

In different environments, the device may be grounded differently. The following will instruct you to connect the device to the ground in two ways, connecting to the grounding bar or connecting to the ground via the power cord. Please connect the device to ground in the optimum way according to your specific operation environment.

Connecting to the Grounding Bar

If the device is installed in the Equipment Room, where a grounding bar is available, you are recommended to connect the device to the grounding bar as shown in the following figure.





The grounding bar and the ground cable are not provided with our product. If needed, please self purchase them.

Connecting to the Ground via the Power Supply

If the device is installed in the normal environment, the device can be grounded via the PE (Protecting Earth) cable of the AC power supply as shown in the following figure.

Figure 3-2 Connecting to the Ground



(1) Switch (Rear Panel)

(2) AC Power Cord (with PE cable)

Note:

- The figure is to illustrate the application and principle. The power plug you get from the package and the socket in your situation will comply with the regulation in your country, so they may differ from the figure above.
- If you intend to connect the device to the ground via the PE (Protecting Earth) cable of AC power cord, please make sure the PE (Protecting Earth) cable in the electrical outlet is well grounded in advance.

3.3 Equipotential Bonding

Equipotential Bonding is the practice of intentionally electrically connecting all earthed systems to the same grounding grid or connecting the grounding grids of all the earthed systems together through the ground or overground metal so as to create an earthed equipotential zone. When lightning occurs, the high voltage produced by lightning current in all systems will meanwhile exist in their ground cables, and thus all ground cables have the same electrical potential and basically eliminate the electric strikes between the systems.

The figure below illustrates how to practice equipotential bonding in a network.

Figure 3-3 Equipotential Bonding



When equipotential bonding, please note that the cable should be copper wrapped Kelly with its area being 6mm² at least. The shorter cable the better, and use a grounding bar to establish an equipotential bonding point.



Note:

The equipotential bonding cable and ground cable are not provided with our product. If needed, please self purchase it.

3.4 Use Lightning Arrester

Power lightning arrester and signal lightning arrester are used for lighting protection.

Power lightning arrester is used for limiting the voltage surge due to a lightning. If an outdoor AC power cord should be directly connected to the device, please use a power lightning arrester.



Power lightning arrester is not provided with our product. If needed, please self purchase it.

Signal lightning arrester is used to protect RJ45 ports of the device from lightning. When cabling outdoors, please install a signal lightning arrester before connecting the cable to the device.

When purchasing or using a signal lightning arrester, please observe the following rules:

- The port rate of the signal lightning arrester should match the rate of the desired port on the device. If it is not matched, this signal lighting arrester will not work. Purchase a standard lightning arrester.
- Install signal lightning arrester near the protected device and connect it to the ground via a shorter ground cable.







Note:

Signal lightning arrester is not provided with our product. If needed, please self purchase it.

Chapter 4 Connection

4.1 Ethernet Port

 $Connect a \ Ethernet \ port \ of \ the \ switch \ to \ the \ computer \ by \ RJ45 \ cable \ as \ the \ following \ figure \ shows.$

Figure 4-1 Connecting the RJ45 Port



4.2 SFP/SFP+ Port

Connect an SFP transceiver to the SFP port, or connect an SFP+ transceiver/cable to the SFP+ port. For the switch, if an RJ45 port which is combo with SFP port has a valid link, the associated SFP port will be disabled and cannot be used.

The following takes SFP Transceiver installation as an example.

Figure 4-2 Inserting the SFP Transceiver



4.3 Console Port

CLI (Command Line Interface) enables you to manage the switch, thus you can load the CLI after connecting the PCs or Terminals to the console port on the switch via the provided cable.

Connect the console port of the device with your computer by the console cable as the following figure shown.

Figure 4-3 Connecting the Console Port



You can also manage the device through the console port, for details please refer to the CLI Reference Guide on the resource CD.



- The console port is the first port on the left of the front panel.
- Please keep the device power off when plugging the console cable.
- Do not connect the console port with other ports by RJ45 cable.

4.4 Verify Installation

After completing the installation, please verify the following items:

- There are 5~10cm of clearance around the sides of the device for ventilation and the air flow is adequate.
- The voltage of the power supply meets the requirement of the input voltage of the device.
- The power socket, device and rack are well grounded.
- The device is correctly connected to other network devices.

4.5 Power on via Power Supply Module

After the Power Supply Module (PSM150-AC for example) is installed on the switch, please plug the female connector of the provided power cord into the power socket of the device, and the male connector into a power outlet as the following figure shows.

Figure 4-4 Power on via PSM150-AC



Note:

The figure is to illustrate the application and principle. The power cord you get from the package and the socket in your situation will comply with the regulation in your country, so they may differ from the figure above.

4.6 Power on via Redundant Power Supply (Optional)

Follow the steps below to connect the Redundant Power Supply (RPS150 for example) to T3700G-28TQ.

- 1. Confirm that the power supply of the RPS150 is cut off.
- 2. Remove the protective covers covering the redundant power socket of RPS150 and the switch, similar to the procedure shown in .
- 3. Connect the RPS150 and the switch with DC power cord, as illustrated in Figure 4-5. One end of the DC power cord is marked by the letters "TOP" and the other end has a positioning card attached to it. Plug the end with the letters "TOP" into the input socket of the switch with "TOP" facing up and the other end with positioning card into the DC output socket of the RPS150 with the positioning card facing up.





4. Connect the AC input socket of RPS150 and the power socket with the power cord provided with RPS150, as shown in Figure 4-6.

Figure 4-6 Power on RPS150





Caution:

Make sure the power supply of RPS150 is cut off when connecting or disconnecting RPS150 and the switch, otherwise both RPS150 and the switch may work abnormally or even be damaged.

4.7 Initialization

After the device is powered on, it begins the Power-On Self-Test. A series of tests run automatically to ensure the device functions properly. During this time, its LED indicators will respond as follows:

- The Power LED indicator will light on all the time.
- After keeping off for about one minute, the rest of the LED indicators will flash momentarily, and then work as the table in **1.2 Appearance** shows after the initialization.

Chapter 5 Configuration

5.1 Configure the Switch via GUI

- 1. To access the GUI of the switch, open a web browser and type the default management address http://192.168.0.1 in the address field of the browser, then press the Enter key.
 - Figure 5-1 Web Browser



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To log on to the GUI of the switch, the IP address of your PC should be set in the same subnet addresses of the switch. The IP address is 192.168.0.x ("x" is any number from 2 to 254), Subnet Mask is 255.255.255.0.

2. Enter admin for the default User Name and Password, both in lower case letters. Then click the Login button or press the Enter key.

Figure 5-2 Login

Note:

| Ptp-link | |
|--|--|
| User Name: admin Password: ••••• Login Clear | |

3. After a successful login, the main page will appear as the following figure, and you can configure the function by clicking the setup menu on the left side of the screen.

Figure 5-3 Main Page of the Switch

| 3700G-28TQ | System Summary Device Description | on System Time Daylight Saving Time |
|---|--|---|
| System | Port Info | |
| • System Info | UNIT: 1 | |
| • User Management • System Tools • Access Security Stack | $\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | 14 16 18 20 22 24 22F 24F 26 13 15 17 19 21 23 21F 23F 25 |
| Switching | Suctom Info | |
| VLAN | | |
| Spanning Tree | System Description: | 29 Port Circobit I 2 Managed Switch |
| Multicast | Device Neme: | 20-FOIL GIGADILES Managed Switch |
| Routing | Device Name. | 0000-2010 |
| Multicast Routing | Device Location. | SHENZHEN |
| QoS | Contact Information: | nttp://www.tp-link.com |
| ACL | Hardware version: | 13700G-281Q 2.0 |
| Network Security | Firmware Version: | 2.0.0 Build 20161012 Rel.32560 |
| SNMP | Mac Address: | 00-0A-EB-00-13-01 |
| LLDP | System Time: | 2006-01-01 08:28:51 |
| Cluster | Running Time: | 0 Day - 0 Hour - 29 Min - 13 Sec |
| Maintenance | SubSlot1 Status | Not Present |
| Save Config | System Temperature: | 48.0 Degree Celsius |
| Index | Fan Speed-Mode: | Slow |
| | + Fan Status | Not Ok |
| Logout | Power Supply Module: | Present & Good |
| Convright © 2016 | Redundant Power Supply: | Not Present |

5.2 Configure the Switch Using CLI

You can log on to the switch and access the CLI by the following two methods:

- Log on to the switch by the console port on the switch.
- Log on to the switch remotely by a Telnet or SSH connection through an Ethernet port.

Logon by a Console Port

To log on to the switch by the console port on the switch, please take the following steps:

- 1. Connect the PCs or Terminals to the console port on the switch by a provided cable.
- 2. Click Start→All Programs→Accessories→Communications→Hyper Terminal to open the Hyper Terminal as the following figure shown.

- Set Program Access and Defaults Windows Catalog 🐌 Windows Update Program Updates Accessorie Accessibility . Admin Games Generation 🕨 🦃 HyperTerminal 🕅 Startup m Entertainment Network Connections Internet Ex Internet Explorer System Tools 👰 Network Setup Wizard MSN Address Book New Connection Wizard E-mail Microsoft Office Ou 0 Remote Desktop Connection 🗐 Outlook Express Calculator 🔔 Remote Assistance Command Prompt 🗳 Wireless Network Setup Wizard Notepad Windows Media Player Notepad 🔰 Paint 🔏 Windows Messenger Command Prompt Windows Movie Make Program Compatibility Wizard OvisLink Wireless Ci Utility R Activate Windows Synchronize Tour Windows XP m IxChariot MSN ASMAX indows Explorer D LogMeTT WordPad Windows Media Pla 🛅 Tera Term microsoft Office 14 Paint m Macrovision TP-LINK All Programs 🌔 m OvisLink 🖉 Log Off 🛛 Turn Off Compute is start 8 @
- Figure 5-4 Open Hyper Terminal

3. The Connection Description Window will prompt as Figure 5-5. Enter a name into the Name field and click OK.

Figure 5-5 Connection Description

| Connection Description | | ?× |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| New Connection | | |
| Enter a name and choose an Name: | icon for the connection: | |
| tp-link | | |
| Icon: | - • • | % |
| · <u></u> | OK Ca | ancel |

4. Select the port to connect in Figure 5-6, and click OK.

| Figure 5-6 | Select the Port to Connect |
|------------|----------------------------|
| rigule J-0 | |

| er that you want to dial: |
|---------------------------|
| 1) ~ |
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| ~ |
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5. Configure the port selected in the step above as the following Figure 5-7 shown. Configure Bits per second as 38400, Data bits as 8, Parity as None, Stop bits as 1, Flow control as None, and then click OK.

Figure 5-7 Port Settings

| COM1 Properties | ?> |
|------------------|------------------|
| Port Settings | |
| Bits per second: | 38400 |
| Data bits: | 8 |
| Parity: | None |
| Stop bits: | 1 |
| Flow control: | None |
| | Restore Defaults |
| | K Cancel Apply |

6. Type in the User name and Password in the Hyper Terminal window, the factory default value for both of them is admin. The DOS prompt "Switch>" will appear after pressing the Enter button as Figure 5-8 shown. It indicates that you can use the CLI now.

| Switch> | |
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Figure 5-8 Log in to the Switch

Logon by Telnet

To log on to the switch by a Telnet connection, please take the following steps:

- 1. Firstly CLI commands about configuring Telnet login mode and login authentication information should be configured through Console connection. For more details please refer to the CLI Reference Guide on the resource CD. Here we take login local mode as an example.
- 2. Make sure the switch and the PC are in the same LAN.
- 3. Click Start and type in **cmd** in the Search programs and files window and press the Enter button.



Figure 5-9 Open the RUN Window

4. Type telnet **192.168.0.1** in the command prompt shown as Figure 5-6, and press the **Enter** button.

Figure 5-10 Connecting the Switch



5. Type the default user name and password (both of them are **admin**), then press the **Enter** button so as to enter User EXEC Mode.

Figure 5-11 Enter into the User EXEC Mode



For detailed CLI configuration instructions, please refer to the CLI Reference Guide on the resource CD.

Appendix A Troubleshooting

Q1. What could I do if I forgot the username and password of the switch?

- 1. Connect the console port of the PC to the console port of the switch and open hyper terminal.
- Power off and restart the switch. When you are prompted that "Press CTRL-B to enter the bootUtil" in the hyper terminal, please press CTRL-B key to enter into bootUtil menu shown as the following figure. (Please note that there is an extra command for T2700G-28TQ to delete the license file)



3. Enter the number 2 to reset the system. The system will be reset to the factory default settings, and the default login user name and password are both admin.

Q2. Why does the Power LED work abnormally?

The Power LED should be lit up when the power system works normally. If the Power LED worked abnormally, please take the following steps:

- 1. Make sure that the power cable is connected properly, and the power contact is normal.
- 2. Make sure the voltage of the power supply meets the requirement of the input voltage of the switch.

Q3. What could I do if I could not access the web-based configuration page?

You are recommended to check the following items:

- 1. Check every port LED on the switch and make sure the cable is installed properly.
- 2. Try another port on the switch and make sure the cable meets the requirement and works normally.
- 3. Turn off the power. After a while, turn on the power again.
- 4. Make sure the IP address of your PC is set within the subnet of the switch.
- 5. If you still cannot access the configuration page, please restore the switch to its factory defaults. Then the IP address should be set as 192.168.0.x ("x" is any number from 2 to 254) and Subnet Mask as 255.255.255.0.

Q4. Why does the hyper terminal display abnormally?

Please check as follows:

- 1. Make sure the power supply is normal and the console cable is properly connected.
- 2. Check if the console cable is the right type.
- 3. Ensure the parameters of the hyper terminal are correct: configure Bits per second as 38400, Data bits as 8, Parity as None, Stop bits as 1, and Flow control as None.

For more troubleshooting help, go to: http://www.tp-link.com/en/support/faq

Appendix B Hardware Specifications

| Item | Content | | |
|-----------------------|---|--|--|
| Standards | IEEE802.3i, IEEE802.3u, IEEE802.3ab, IEEE802.3ad, IEEE802.3ae, IEEE802.3z, IEEE802.3x, IEEE802.1p, IEEE802.1q, IEEE802.1x, IEEE802.1d, IEEE802.1s, IEEE802.1w | | |
| Transmission Medium | 10Base-T | 2-pair UTP/STP of Cat. 3 or above (maximum 100m) | |
| | 100Base-TX | 2-pair UTP/STP of Cat. 5 or above (maximum 100m) | |
| | 1000Base-T | 4-pair UTP/STP of Cat. 5e and Cat. 6 or above (maximum 100m) | |
| | 1000Base-SX | MMF SFP Module | |
| | 1000Base-LX | MMF or SMF SFP Module | |
| | 10GBASE-SR | MMF SFP+ Transceiver | |
| | 10GBASE-LR | SMF SFP+ Transceiver | |
| Transfer Method | Store-and-Forward | | |
| MAC Address Learning | Automatically lea | rning, automatically aging | |
| Frame Forward Rate | 10Base-T: 14881 | pps/Port | |
| | 100Base-Tx: 148810pps/Port | | |
| | 1000Base-T: 1488095pps/Port | | |
| | 1000Base-X: 148 | 8095pps/Port | |
| | 10GBASE-SR:14 | 880952pps/Port | |
| | 10GBASE-LR:14 | 880952pps/Port | |
| | Power, System, | RPS, FAN, Master, Module, Link/Act, 21F-24F, 25, 26, M1, M2, Unit ID | |
| | LED | | |
| Operating Temperature | 0℃ to 40℃ (32°F | to 104°F) | |
| Storage Temperature | -40℃ to 70℃ (-4 | 0°F to 158°F) | |
| Operating Humidity | 10% to 90%RH Non-condensing | | |
| Storage Humidity | 5% to 90%RH No | n-condensing | |

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