

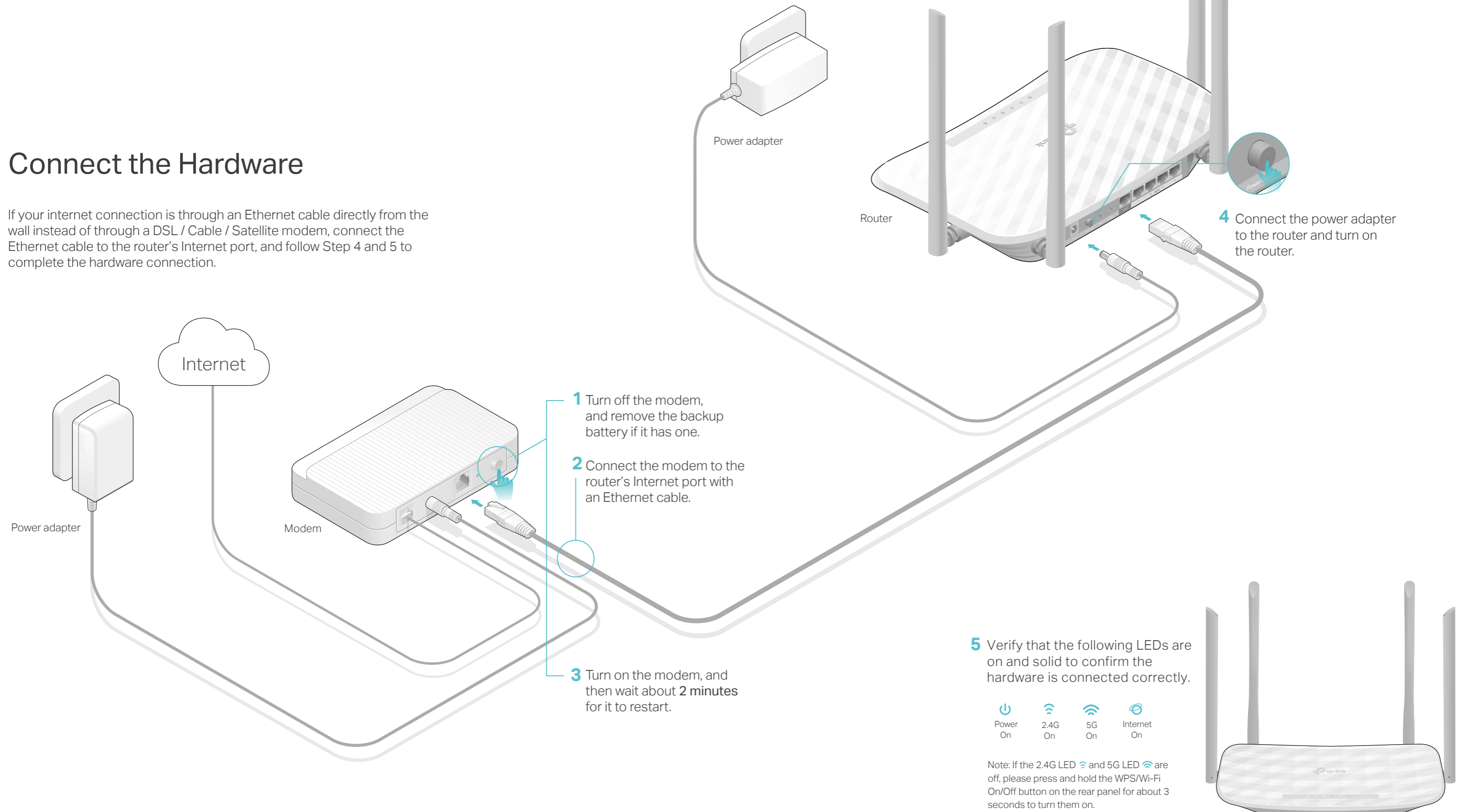
Quick Installation Guide

AC1200 Wireless Dual Band Router

Archer C50

Connect the Hardware

If your internet connection is through an Ethernet cable directly from the wall instead of through a DSL / Cable / Satellite modem, connect the Ethernet cable to the router's Internet port, and follow Step 4 and 5 to complete the hardware connection.

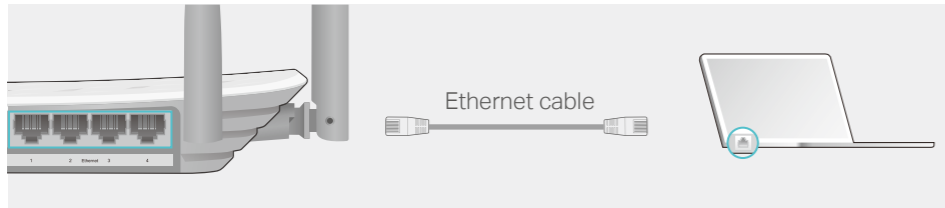


Configure the Router

1. Connecting your computer to the router (Wired or Wireless)

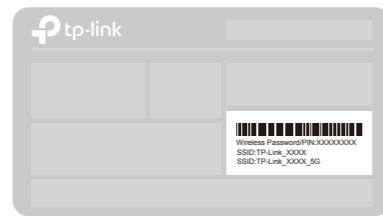
• Wired

Turn off the Wi-Fi on your computer and connect the devices as shown below.

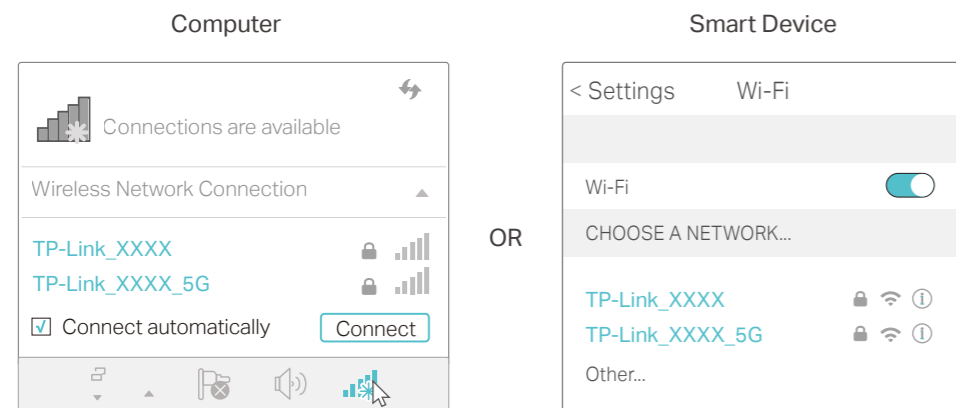


• Wireless

a Find the SSID (Network Name) and Wireless Password printed on the label at the bottom of the router.



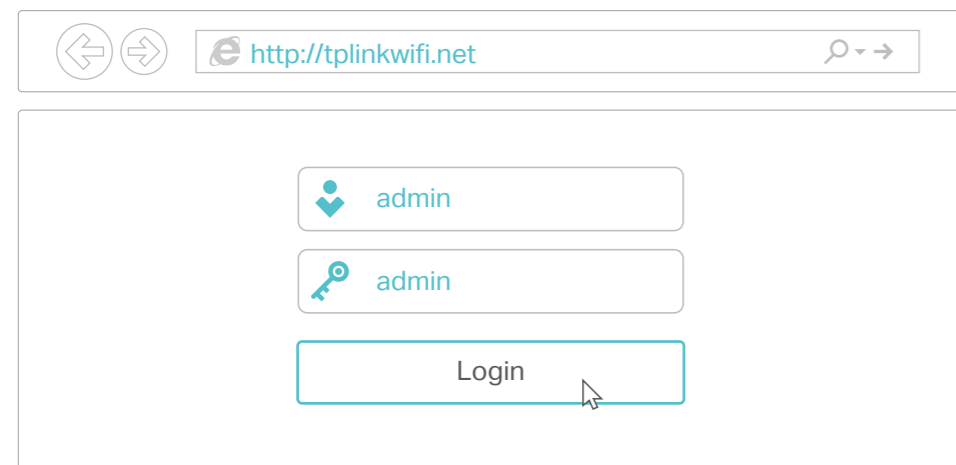
b Click the network icon of your computer or go to Wi-Fi Settings of your smart device, and then select the SSID to join the network.



2. Configure the router using a web browser

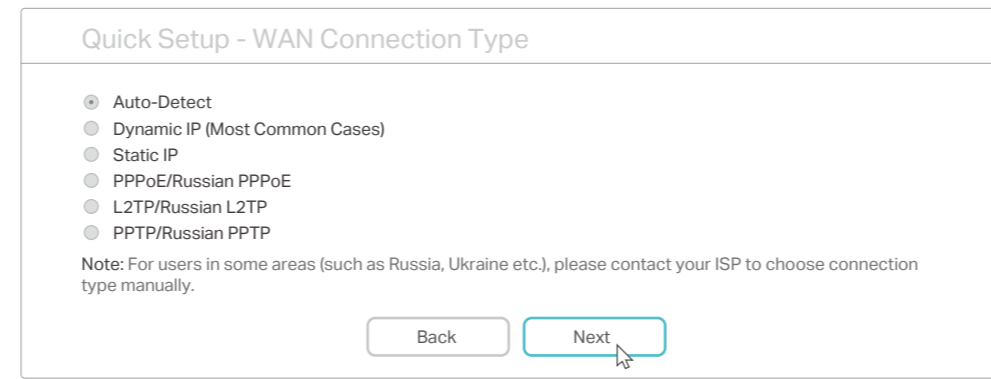
A Launch a web browser, and enter <http://tplinkwifi.net> or <http://192.168.0.1> in the address bar. Use **admin** for both username and password, and then click **Login**.

Note: If the login window does not appear, please refer to FAQ > Q1.



B Follow the step-by-step instructions of the Quick Setup to complete the initial configuration.

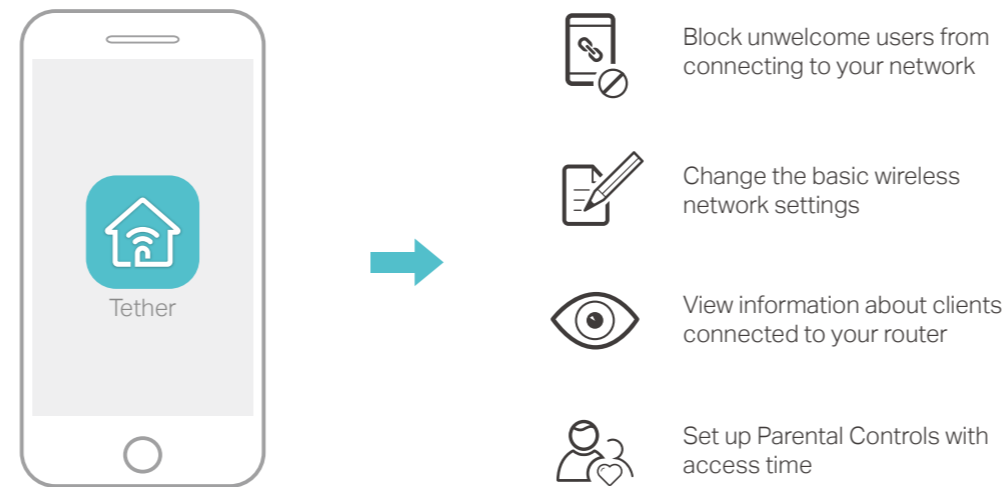
Note: If you are not sure of the WAN Connection Type, please click **Auto-Detect**.



😊 Enjoy the internet !

Tether App

The TP-Link Tether app provides a simple, intuitive way to access and manage your router.



How to begin?

1. Download the TP-Link Tether app from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.
2. Ensure your smart device is wirelessly connected to the home network.
3. Launch the Tether app and start managing your home network.



Scan to download

More Features

The TP-Link router supports various features, such as Guest Network, Parental Controls, Access Control and more.

You can log in to the router's web management page <http://tplinkwifi.net> to apply these functions. For instructions, please refer to the **User Manual** at www.tp-link.com.

FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions)

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

- If the computer is set to a static IP address, change its setting to obtain an IP address and DNS service 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.
- Reboot your router and try again.
- Disable and then enable the network adapter.

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

- 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 of the router, and go to the **Status** page to check whether the WAN IP address is valid or not. If it is, please run the Quick Setup again; otherwise, recheck the hardware connection.
- Reboot your router and try again.
- For cable modem users, log in to the web management page of the router. Go to **Network > MAC Clone**, click **Clone MAC Address** 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 of the router until all the LEDs turn on momentarily.
- Log in to the web management page of the router. Go to **System Tools > Factory Defaults** and click **Restore**. The router will restore and reboot automatically.

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

- Refer to FAQ > Q3 to reset the router, and then use **admin** (all lowercase) for both username and password to log in.

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 to the router via an Ethernet cable. Log in to the web management page, and go to **Wireless 2.4GHz (or Wireless 5GHz) > Wireless Security** to retrieve or reset your wireless password.

📞 For technical support and other information, please visit <http://www.tp-link.com/support>