

# Quick Installation Guide

3G/4G Wireless N Router  
TL-MR3420



7106506269 REV3.0.0

## Get Started

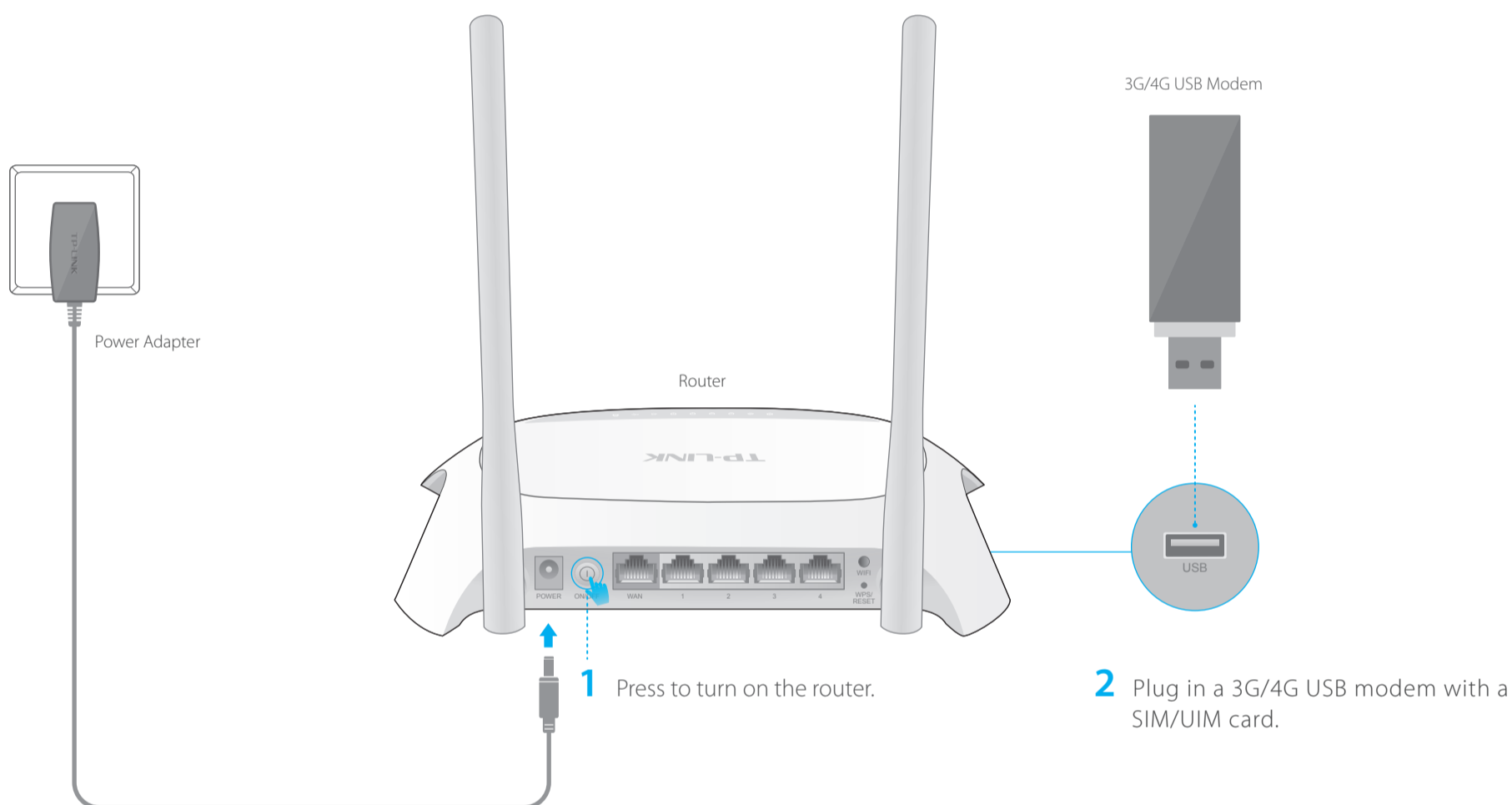
Follow the specific instructions in this guide to connect to the Internet and enjoy.

- > Refer to **Plug and Play via 3G/4G USB Modem** to share the Internet through a 3G/4G USB modem.
- > Refer to **Connect to DSL/Cable/Satellite Modem** to share the Internet through a DSL/Cable/Satellite modem or an Ethernet cable connection.

The router can also be configured with a primary WAN and a 3G/4G USB modem as a backup (secondary) solution to ensure "always-on" Internet connectivity.

For details, refer to the User Guide at [www.tp-link.com](http://www.tp-link.com).

## Plug and Play via 3G/4G USB Modem



**3** Wait for 1-2 minutes and check the status of the following LEDs.



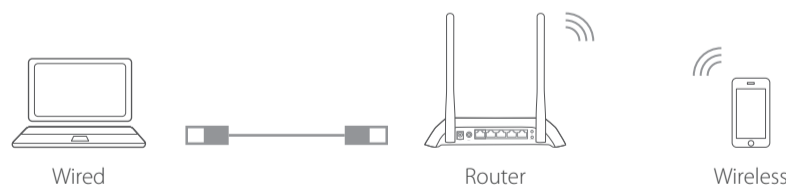
**Note:**

1. If the Internet LED (🌐) is not on or is amber, please refer to [Configuring your 3G/4G connection](#).
2. If the Wi-Fi LED (📶) is off, press the Wi-Fi button on the rear panel for 3 seconds and then check the LED again.

## Enjoy your Internet!

**Wired connection:** Connect your devices to the router's LAN (1 - 4) ports via Ethernet cables.

**Wireless connection:** Use the default SSID and password printed on the bottom of the router to join the wireless network.



**Tips:**

1. You can turn on/off the Wi-Fi as needed by pressing the Wi-Fi button on the rear panel for 3 seconds.
2. You can log into the web management page <http://tplinkwifi.net> to change the SSID and password.

### Configuring your 3G/4G connection

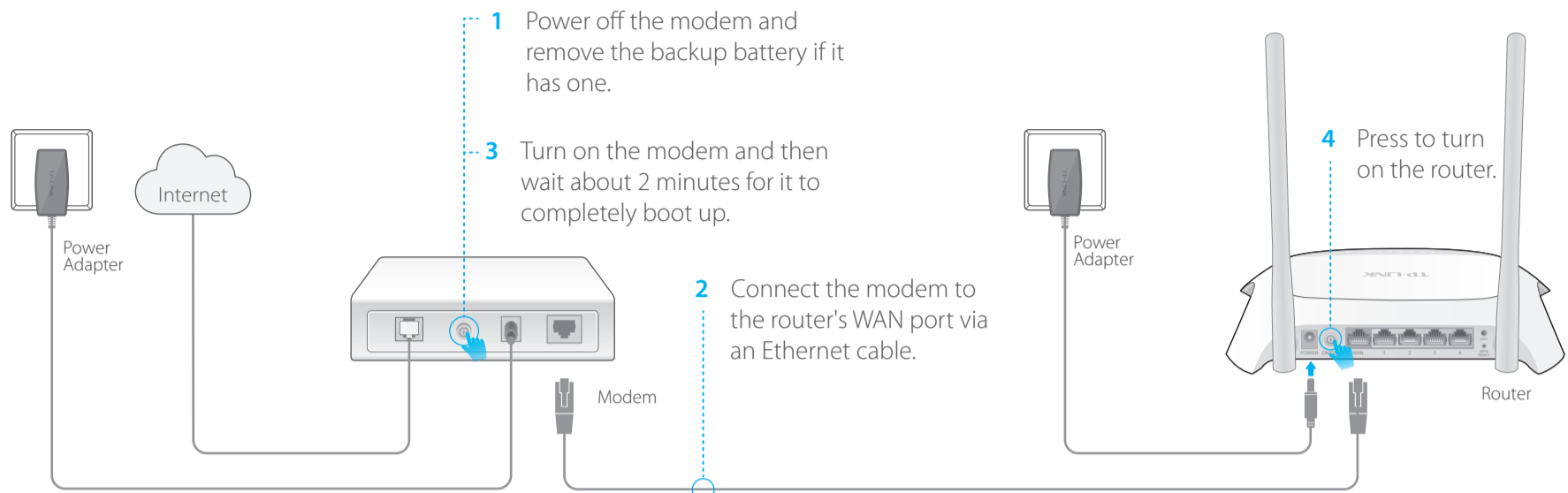
1. Connect your device to the router's LAN (1 - 4) port via an Ethernet cable or use the default SSID and password printed on the bottom of the router to join the wireless network.
2. Launch a web browser and enter <http://tplinkwifi.net> in the address bar. Use **admin** for both username and password, and then click **Login**.  
Note: If the login window does not appear, please refer to FAQ > Q3.
3. Select your **Time zone** and click **Next**.

4. Select **3G/4G Only** and click **Next**.
5. Select your **Region** and **Mobile ISP**, and then click **Next**.  
Note: If your ISP is not listed, select the **Set Dial number, APN, Username and Password manually** option and enter the 3G/4G parameters provided by your Internet Service Provider (ISP).
6. Continue to follow the **Quick Setup** to complete the configuration.  
Note: If you have changed the default SSID (wireless network name) and password during the configuration, connect to the router with the new SSID and password.

# Connect to DSL/Cable/Satellite Modem

## 1. Connect the hardware

Note: If your Internet connection is through an Ethernet cable from the wall instead of through a DSL/Cable/Satellite modem, connect the Ethernet cable directly to the router's WAN port.



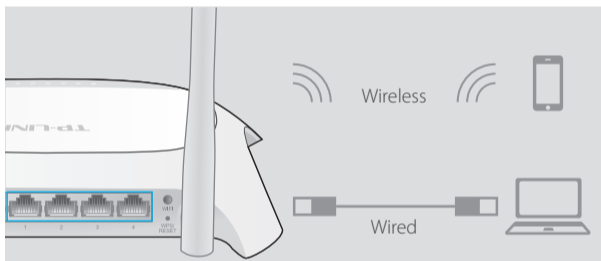
5 Verify that the hardware connection is correct by checking these LEDs.



Note: If the Wi-Fi LED  is not on, press the Wi-Fi button on the rear panel for 3 seconds and then check the LED again.

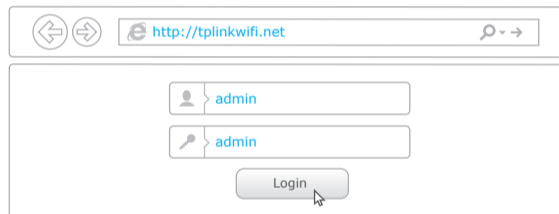
## 2. Configure via a web browser

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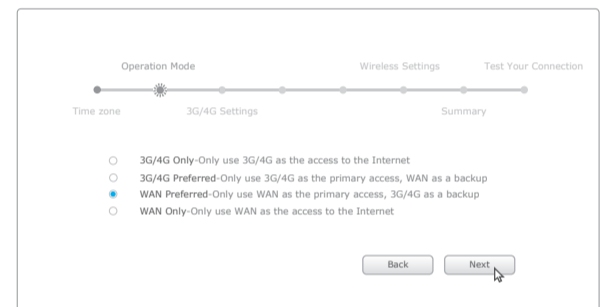
2 Launch a web browser, enter **http://tplinkwifi.net** in the address bar, use **admin** for both username and password, and then click **Login**.

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3 Select your **Time zone**, and click **Next**.

4 Select **WAN Preferred** and click **Next**.



5 Continue to follow the **Quick Setup** to complete the configuration.

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## FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions)

**Q1. What should I do if I cannot get Internet access from the 3G/4G USB modem?**

- A1. Go to our website at [www.tp-link.com](http://www.tp-link.com), click **Support > Compatibility List > TL-MR3420** and make sure that your 3G/4G USB modem is on the compatibility list.
- A2. Make sure that you have a valid SIM/UIM card inserted into the 3G/4G USB modem.
- A3. Plug the 3G/4G USB modem directly into your computer and disable the PIN verification via the modem utility to check if you have the Internet connection on your computer.
- A4. Obtain the latest **dial number** and **APN** from your ISP, and update the information through the router's web interface.

Note: For more troubleshooting help, please refer to FAQ (ID:400) at our website: <http://www.tp-link.com/en/support/faq>.

**Q2. How to reset the router to its factory default settings?**

- A1. With the router powered on, press and hold the **WPS/RESET** button on the rear panel until all the LEDs are on and then release the button. The router will automatically reboot itself.
- A2. Log into the router's web interface. Go to **Advanced > System Tools > Factory Default** and click **Restore**. The router will restore and reboot automatically.

**Q3. What should I do if the login window does not appear?**

- A1. If the computer is set to a static or fixed IP address, change the setting to obtain an IP address automatically.
- A2. Verify that <http://tplinkwifi.net> is correctly entered in the web browser. Alternatively, check spacing and enter <http://192.168.0.1> or <http://192.168.1.1> in the web browser.

A3. Use another web browser and try again.

- A4. Please reset your router to its factory default settings (FAQ > Q2) and try again.
- A5. Disable then enable the network adapter in use.

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

- A. Reset the router to its factory default settings (FAQ > Q2) and then use the default **admin** for both username and password to log in.

**Q5. What should I do if I forget my wireless network password?**

- A. Log into the router's web interface and then go to **Basic > Wireless** to retrieve or reset your wireless password.