Reference Manual for the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P

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Chapter 1
About This Manual

Congratulations on your purchase of the NETGEAR® ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P. This chapter introduces important features of this manual.

Audience, Conventions, Scope

This reference manual assumes that the reader has basic-to-intermediate computer and Internet skills. However, basic computer network, Internet, firewall, and networking technology tutorial information is provided in the appendices.

This guide uses the following typographical conventions:

Table 1. Typographical conventions

italics	Emphasis, books, CDs, URL names
bold times roman	User input
`courier font`	Screen text, file and server names, extensions, commands, IP addresses

This guide uses the following formats to highlight special messages:

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This manual is written according to these specifications.

Table 1-1. Manual Specifications

Product Version	ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P v2
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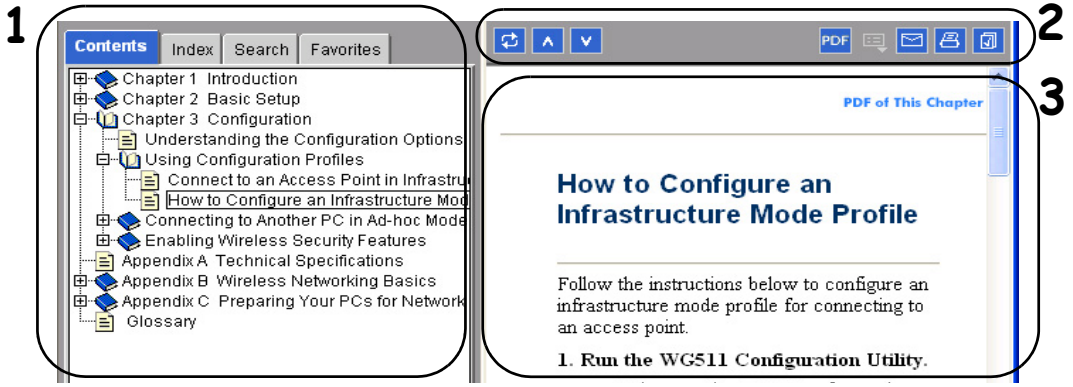

Figure Preface -2: HTML version of this manual

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  - Click the PDF button  on the upper right of the toolbar. The PDF version of the chapter you were viewing opens in a browser window.
  - Click the print icon in the upper left of the window.

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Chapter 2
Introduction

This chapter describes the features of the NETGEAR ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P.

Key Features of the FWG114P

The ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P, with a 4-port switch, connects your LAN to the Internet through a broadband modem. With auto fail-over connectivity through the serial port, the FWG114P provides highly reliable Internet access.

The FWG114P is a complete security solution that protects your network from attacks and intrusions and enables secure communications using Virtual Private Networks (VPNs). Unlike simple Internet sharing routers that rely on Network Address Translation (NAT) for security, the FWG114P uses Stateful Packet Inspection for Denial of Service attack (DoS) attack protection and intrusion detection. The FWG114P allows Internet access for up to 253 users. It provides multiple Web content filtering options, plus browsing activity reporting and instant alerts via e-mail. Parents or network administrators can establish restricted access policies based on time-of-day, Web site addresses and address keywords, and share high-speed cable/DSL Internet access for up to 253 personal computers.

With minimum setup, you can install and use the router within minutes. The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server provides the following features:

- 802.11g and 802.11b standards-based wireless networking.
- Easy, Web-based setup for installation and management.
- Supports two VPN tunnels, Content Filtering, and Site Blocking Security.
- Built-in 4-port 10/100 Mbps Switch and USB 2.0 Printer Port.
- Ethernet and Serial ports for connection to a WAN device, such as a broadband modem.
- Extensive Protocol Support.
- Login capability.
- Front panel LEDs for easy monitoring of status and activity.
- Flash memory for firmware upgrade.
- NAT off (classical routing).

Full Routing on Both the Broadband and Serial Ports

You can install, configure, and operate the FWG114P to take full advantage of a variety of routing options on both the serial and broadband WAN ports, including:

- Internet access via either the serial or broadband port.
- Auto fail-over connectivity through an analog or ISDN modem connected to the serial port. If the broadband Internet connection fails, after waiting for an amount of time you specify, the FWG114P can automatically establish a backup ISDN or dial-up Internet connection via the serial port on the firewall.
- Remote Access Server (RAS) that allows you to log in remotely through the serial port to access a server on your LAN, other LAN resources, or the Internet, based on a user name and password you define.
- LAN-to-LAN access between two FWG114P wireless firewall/print servers through the serial port, with the option of enabling auto-failover Internet access across the serial LAN-to-LAN connection.

802.11g and 802.11b Wireless Networking

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server includes an 802.11g-compliant wireless access point. The access point provides:

- 802.11b standards-based wireless networking at up to 11 Mbps.
- 802.11g wireless networking at up to 54 Mbps, which conforms to the 802.11g standard.
- WPA enterprise class strong security with RADIUS and certificate authentication as well as dynamic encryption key generation.
- WPA-PSK pre-shared key authentication without the overhead of RADIUS servers but with all of the strong security of WPA.
- 64-bit and 128-bit WEP encryption security.
- WEP keys can be generated manually or by passphrase.
- Wireless access can be restricted by MAC Address.
- Wireless network name broadcast can be turned off so that only devices that have the network name (SSID) can connect.

Virtual Private Networking

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server provides a secure encrypted connection between your local network and remote networks or clients. Its VPN features include:

- Support for up to 2 simultaneous VPN connections.
- Support for industry standard VPN protocols.

  The ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P supports standard keying methods (Manual or IKE), standard authentication methods (MD5 and SHA-1), and standard encryption methods (DES, 3DES). It is compatible with many other VPN products.
- Support for up to 168 bit encryption (3DES) for maximum security.
- Support for VPN Main Mode, Aggressive mode, or Manual Keying.
- Support for Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) configuration when the Dynamic DNS feature is enabled with one of the supported service providers.

A Powerful, True Firewall with Content Filtering

Unlike simple Internet sharing NAT routers, the FWG114P is a true firewall, using stateful packet inspection to defend against hacker attacks. Its firewall features include:

- DoS protection.

  Automatically detects and thwarts DoS attacks, such as Ping of Death, SYN Flood, LAND Attack, and IP Spoofing.
- Blocks unwanted traffic from the Internet to your LAN.
- Blocks access from your LAN to Internet locations or services that you specify as off-limits.
- Logs security incidents.

  The FWG114P will log security events, such as blocked incoming traffic, port scans, attacks, and administrator logins. You can configure the router to e-mail the log to you at specified intervals. You can also configure the router to send immediate alert messages to your e-mail address or e-mail pager whenever a significant event occurs.
- With its content filtering feature, the FWG114P prevents objectionable content from reaching your PCs. The router allows you to control access to Internet content by screening for keywords within Web addresses. You can configure the router to log and report attempts to access objectionable Internet sites.

Security

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server is equipped with several features designed to maintain security, as described in this section:

- PCs hidden by NAT.

  NAT opens a temporary path to the Internet for requests originating from the local network. Requests originating from outside the LAN are discarded, preventing users outside the LAN from finding and directly accessing the PCs on the LAN.

- Port forwarding with NAT.

  Although NAT prevents Internet locations from directly accessing the PCs on the LAN, the router allows you to direct incoming traffic to specific PCs based on the service port number of the incoming request, or to one designated “DNS” host computer. You can specify forwarding of single ports or ranges of ports.

Autosensing Ethernet Connections with Auto Uplink

With its internal 8-port 10/100 switch, the FWG114P can connect to either a 10 Mbps standard Ethernet network or a 100 Mbps Fast Ethernet network. Both the LAN and WAN interfaces are autosensing and capable of full-duplex or half-duplex operation.

The router incorporates Auto Uplink™ technology. Each Ethernet port will automatically sense whether the Ethernet cable plugged into the port should have a ‘normal’ connection, such as to a computer, or an ‘uplink’ connection, such as to a switch or hub. That port will then configure itself to the correct configuration. This feature also eliminates the need to worry about crossover cables, as Auto Uplink will accommodate either type of cable to make the right connection.

Extensive Protocol Support

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server supports the Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) and Routing Information Protocol (RIP). For further information about TCP/IP, refer to Appendix B, “Network, Routing, and Firewall Basics.”

- The ability to enable or disable IP address sharing by NAT.

  The FWG114P allows several networked PCs to share an Internet account using only a single IP address, which may be statically or dynamically assigned by your Internet service provider (ISP). This technique, known as NAT, allows the use of an inexpensive single-user ISP account. This feature can also be turned off completely for using the FWG114P in settings where you want to manage the IP address scheme of your organization.

- Automatic configuration of attached PCs by DHCP.

  The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server dynamically assigns network configuration information, including IP, gateway, and domain name server (DNS) addresses, to attached PCs on the LAN using the Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP). This feature greatly simplifies configuration of PCs on your local network.

- DNS Proxy.

  When DHCP is enabled and no DNS addresses are specified, the router provides its own address as a DNS server to the attached PCs. The router obtains actual DNS addresses from the ISP during connection setup and forwards DNS requests from the LAN.

- PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE).

  PPPoE is a protocol for connecting remote hosts to the Internet over a DSL connection by simulating a dial-up connection. This feature eliminates the need to run a login program, such as Entersys or WinPOET on your computer.

- PPTP login support for European ISPs, BigPond login for Telstra cable in Australia.

- Classical IP (RFC 1577).

  Some Internet service providers, in Europe for example, use Classical IP in their ADSL services. In such cases, the firewall is able to use the Classical IP address from the ISP.

Easy Installation and Management

You can install, configure, and operate the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P within minutes after connecting it to the network. The following features simplify installation and management tasks:

- Automatic fail-over connectivity through an analog or ISDN modem connected to the serial port. If the broadband modem Internet connection fails, after waiting for an amount of time you specify, the FWG114P can automatically establish a backup ISDN or dial-up Internet connection via the serial port on the firewall.

- Browser-based management.

  Browser-based configuration allows you to easily configure your router from almost any type of personal computer, such as Windows, Macintosh, or Linux. A user-friendly Setup Wizard is provided and online help documentation is built into the browser-based Web Management Interface.
- Smart Wizard.

  The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server automatically senses the type of Internet connection, asking you only for the information required for your type of ISP account.
- Diagnostic functions.

  The firewall incorporates built-in diagnostic functions, such as Ping, DNS lookup, and remote reboot.
- Remote management.

  The firewall allows you to log in to the Web Management Interface from a remote location on the Internet. For security, you can limit remote management access to a specified remote IP address or range of addresses, and you can choose a nonstandard port number.
- Visual monitoring.

  The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server's front panel LEDs provide an easy way to monitor its status and activity.
- Regional support, including ISPs like Telstra DSL and BigPond, or Deutsche Telekom.
- Flash memory for firmware upgrades.

Package Contents

The product package should contain the following items:

- ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P.
- AC power adapter.
- Category 5 (Cat 5) Ethernet cable.
- FWG114P Installation Guide (M-10150-02).
- *Resource CD for the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P (SW-10023-02)*, including:
  - This manual.
  - Application Notes and other helpful information.
- Registration and Warranty Card.

If any of the parts are incorrect, missing, or damaged, contact your NETGEAR dealer. Keep the carton, including the original packing materials, in case you need to return the router for repair.

The FWG114P Front Panel

The front panel of the FWG114P contains the status LEDs. Use the LEDs to verify various operations. Viewed from left to right, Table 2-1 describes the LEDs on the front of the router.

Figure 2-1: FWG114P Front Panel

Table 2-1. LED Descriptions

Label	Activity	Description
POWER	On	Power is supplied to the firewall.
TEST	On Off	The system is initializing. The system is ready and running.
PRINTER		
ACT	On Blinking	The printer is connected and powered on. Data is being transmitted or received by the Printer port.
ALERT	On (Amber)	The printer has a problem, such as out of paper, out of ink, or a paper jam.
MODEM		
ACT	Blinking	Data is being transmitted or received by the Modem port.
LINK	On (Amber)	The port has detected a link with an attached device.
INTERNET	**Note:** The operation of these LEDs depends on how the WAN port is configured.	
100 (100 Mbps)	On Off	The Internet (WAN) port is operating at 100 Mbps. The Internet (WAN) port is operating at 10 Mbps.
LINK/ACT (Link/Activity)	On Blinking	The Internet port has detected a link with an attached device. Data is being transmitted or received by the Internet port.
LOCAL		
100 (100 Mbps)	On Off	The Local port is operating at 100 Mbps. The Local port is operating at 10 Mbps.
LINK/ACT (Link/Activity)	On Blinking	The Local port has detected a link with an attached device. The Local port is transmitting or receiving data.
WLAN	On Blinking	The Wireless (WLAN) port is operating. The Wireless (WLAN) port is transmitting or receiving data.

The FWG114P Rear Panel

The rear panel of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server contains the port connections listed below.

Figure 1-2: FWG114P Rear Panel

Viewed from left to right, the rear panel contains the following features:

- Wireless antenna.
- DB-9 serial port for modem connection.
- USB 2.0 Printer Port.
- Factory Default Reset push button.
- Four Ethernet LAN ports.
- Internet Ethernet WAN port for connecting the router to a broadband modem.
- AC power adapter outlet.

Chapter 3
Connecting the FWG114P to the Internet

This chapter describes how to set up the router on your local area network (LAN) and connect to the Internet. You will find out how to configure your ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P for Internet access using the Setup Wizard, or how to manually configure your Internet connection.

What You Will Need Before You Begin

You need to prepare these three things before you begin:

1. An active Internet service, such as those provided by a cable or DSL broadband account.
2. Locate the Internet Service Provider (ISP) configuration information for your broadband account.
3. Connect the router to a broadband modem and a computer as explained below.

Cabling and Computer Hardware Requirements

To use the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server on your network, each computer must have an installed Ethernet Network Interface Card (NIC) and an Ethernet cable. If the computer will connect to your network at 100 Mbps, you must use a Category 5 (CAT5) cable, such as the one provided with your router.

Computer Network Configuration Requirements

The FWG114P includes a built-in Web Configuration Manager. To access the configuration menus on the FWG114P, you must use a Java-enabled Web browser program that supports HTTP uploads, such as Microsoft Internet Explorer or Netscape Navigator. Use Internet Explorer or Netscape Navigator versions 4.0 or above. Free browser programs are readily available for Windows, Macintosh, or UNIX/Linux.

For the initial connection to the Internet and configuration of your router, you will need to connect a computer to the router that is set to automatically get its TCP/IP configuration from the router via DHCP.

Note: For help with DHCP configuration, please refer to Appendix C, "Preparing Your Network."

The cable or DSL modem broadband access device must provide a standard 10 Mbps (10BASE-T) Ethernet interface.

Internet Configuration Requirements

Depending on how your ISP set up your Internet account, you might need one or more of these configuration parameters to connect your router to the Internet:

- Host and Domain Names.
- ISP login name and password.
- ISP Domain Name Server (DNS) Addresses.
- Fixed IP address which is also known as static IP address.

Where Do I Get the Internet Configuration Parameters?

There are several ways you can gather the required Internet connection information:

- Your ISP provides all the information needed to connect to the Internet. If you cannot locate this information, you can ask your ISP to provide it or you can try one of the options below.
- If you have a computer already connected using the active Internet access account, you can gather the configuration information from that computer.
  - For Windows 95/98/ME, open the Network control panel, select the TCP/IP entry for the Ethernet adapter, and click Properties. Record all the settings for each tab page.
  - For Windows 2000/XP, open the Local Area Network Connection, select the TCP/IP entry for the Ethernet adapter, and click Properties. Record all the settings for each tab page.
  - For Macintosh computers, open the TCP/IP or Network control panel. Record all the settings for each section.
- You may also refer to the *FWG114P Resource CD* for the NETGEAR Router ISP Guide which provides Internet connection information for many ISPs.

Once you locate your Internet configuration parameters, you may want to record them on the following form:

Record Your Internet Connection Information

Print this page. Fill in the configuration parameters from your Internet Service Provider (ISP).

ISP Login Name: The login name and password are case sensitive and must be entered exactly as given by your ISP. For AOL customers, the login name is their primary screen name. Some ISPs use your full e-mail address as the login name. The Service Name is not required by all ISPs. If you connect using a login name and password, then fill in the following:

Login Name: _____ Password: _____

Service Name: _____

Fixed or Static IP Address: If you have a static IP address, record the following information. For example, 169.254.141.148 could be a valid IP address.

Fixed or Static Internet IP Address: _____._____._____._____
Gateway IP Address: _____._____._____._____
Subnet Mask: _____._____._____._____

ISP DNS Server Addresses: If you were given DNS server addresses, fill in the following:

Primary DNS Server IP Address: _____._____._____._____

Secondary DNS Server IP Address: _____._____._____._____

Host and Domain Names: Some ISPs use a specific host or domain name like **CCA7324-A** or **home**. If you have not been given host or domain names, you can use the following examples as a guide:

- If your main e-mail account with your ISP is **aaa@yyy.com**, then use **aaa** as your host name. Your ISP might call this your account, user, host, computer, or system name.
- If your ISP's mail server is **mail.xxx.yyy.com**, then use **xxx.yyy.com** as the domain name.

ISP Host Name: _____ ISP Domain Name: _____

Serial Port Internet Access: If you use a dial-up account, record the following:
Account/User Name: _____ Password: _____
Telephone number: _____ Alternative number: _____

Connecting the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server

This section provides instructions for connecting the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server. Also, the *Resource CD for the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P (SW-10023-02)*, included with your router, contains an animated Installation Assistant to help you through this procedure.

Verify That Basic Requirements Are Met

Assure that the following requirements are met:

- You have your broadband Internet service settings handy.
- The computer is configured to obtain an IP address automatically via DHCP. For instructions on how to do this, please see the *Reference Manual* on the *Resource CD for the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P (SW-10023-02)*.

1. CONNECT THE WIRELESS FIREWALL/PRINT SERVER

a. Turn off your computer and cable or DSL modem.

b. Disconnect the Ethernet cable (**A)** from your computer which connects to the broadband modem.

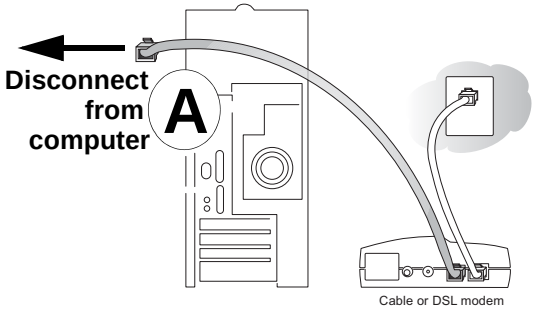


Figure 3-1: Disconnect the broadband modem

c. Securely insert the Ethernet cable from your broadband modem into the Internet port (**B)** on the FWG114P.

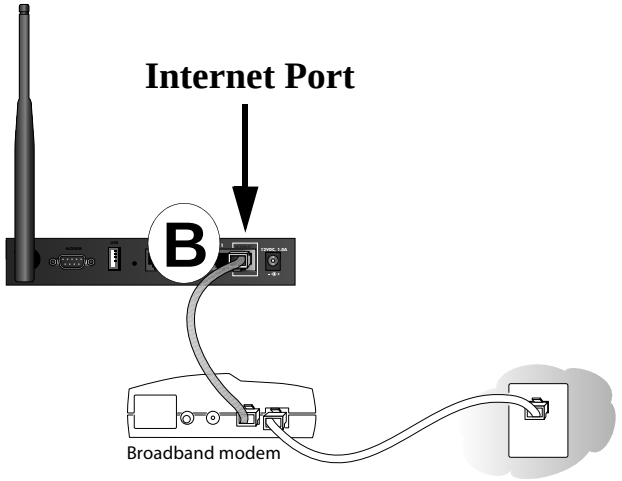


Figure 3-2: Connect the broadband modem to the router

d. Securely insert one end of the Ethernet cable that came with your wireless firewall/print server into a Local port on the router, such as Local port 4 (**C)**, and the other end into the Ethernet port of your computer (**D)**.

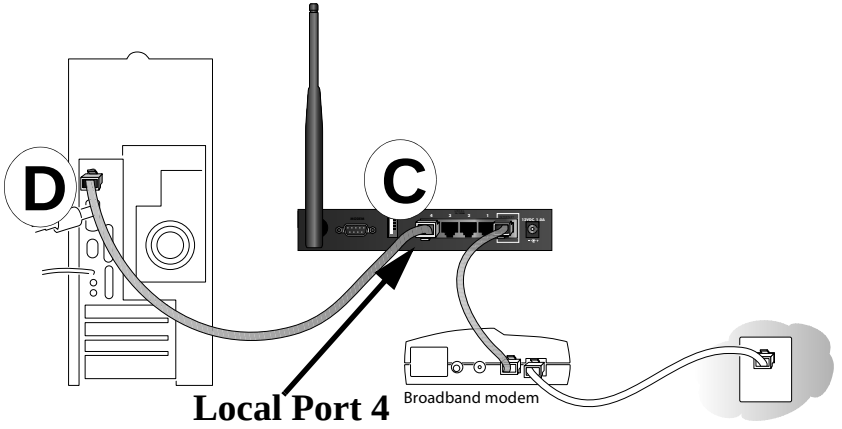


Figure 3-3: Connect the computers on your network to the router

Note: The FWG114P incorporates Auto Uplink™ technology which eliminates the need to worry about crossover cables by automatically adjusting to the cable type.

2. RESTART YOUR NETWORK IN THE CORRECT SEQUENCE

Warning: Failure to restart your network in the correct sequence could prevent you from connecting to the Internet.

a. First, turn on the broadband modem and wait 2 minutes.

b. Now, turn on your wireless firewall/print server.

c. Last, turn on your computer.
Note: If software usually logs you in to the Internet, *do not* run that software, or cancel it if it starts automatically.

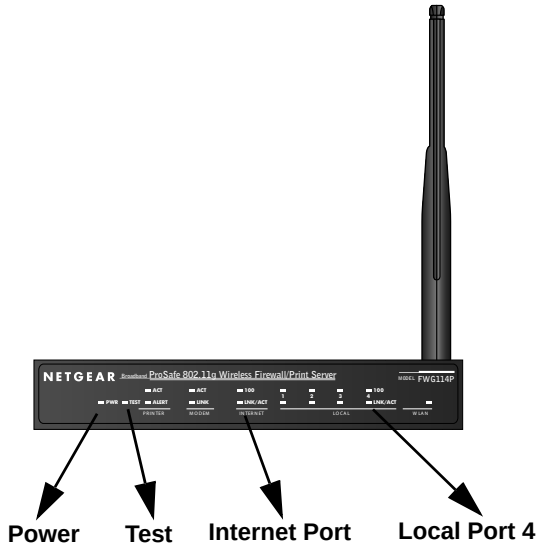


Figure 3-4: Verify the connections to the firewall

d. Check the status lights and verify the following:

- *Power*: The power light goes on when your turn the wireless firewall/print server on.
- *Test*: The test light turns on, then goes off after less than a minute.
- *Local*: A Local light on the router is lit. If no Local lights are lit, check that the Ethernet cable connecting the powered on computer to the router is securely attached at both ends.
- *Internet*: The Internet light on the wireless firewall/print server is lit. If the Internet light is not lit, make sure the Ethernet cable is securely attached to the wireless firewall/print server Internet port and the powered on modem.

3. LOG IN TO THE WIRELESS FIREWALL/PRINT SERVER

a. From your PC, launch your Internet browser. Because you are not yet connected to the Internet, your browser will display a page not found message.

b. Connect to the wireless firewall/print server by typing **http://192.168.0.1** in the address field of Internet Explorer or Netscape® Navigator.

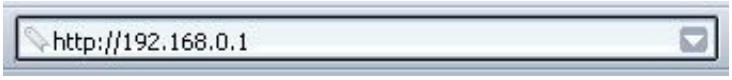


Figure 3-5: Log in to the firewall

c. Enter **admin** for the router user name and **password** for the router password, both in lower case letters.A login window opens as shown here:

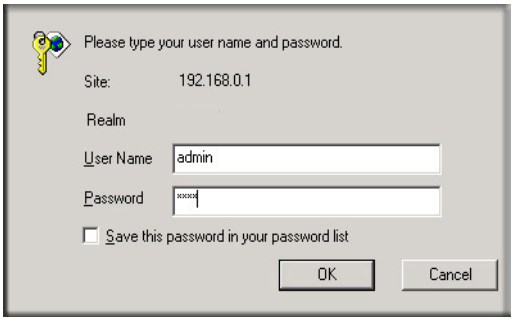


Figure 3-6: Login window

d. After logging in to the router, you will see the Internet connection Setup Wizard on the settings main page.

4. Run the Setup Wizard to connect to the Internet

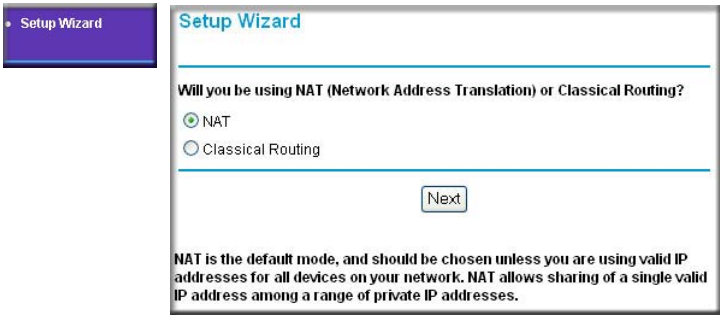


Figure 3-7: Setup Wizard

a. You are now connected to the router. If you do not see the menu above, click the Setup Wizard link on the upper left of the main menu.

b. Choose NAT or Classical Routing. Typically, NAT is used. NAT automatically assigns private IP addresses (192.168.0.x) to LAN connected devices. Classical routing lets you directly manage the IP addresses the FWG114P uses.

   Note: If you choose not to use NAT, each computer on the LAN connected to the FWG114P must have a valid public IP address in the same subnet as the Wan port of the FWG114P. For more information on NAT, please see "Single IP Address Operation Using NAT" on page B-7. Furthermore, if you turn NAT off and plan to use VPN, you will have to open UDP port 500 in the Security settings according to the instructions at

c. Click **Next** to proceed. Input your ISP settings, as needed.

d. At the end of the Setup Wizard, click the **Test** button to verify your Internet connection and register your product. If you have trouble connecting to the Internet, use the Troubleshooting Tips below to correct basic problems, or refer to the *Reference Manual* on the CD.

   If you were unable to connect to the firewall, please refer to Basic Functioning "Basic Functioning" on page 11-1.

You are now connected to the Internet!

Note: For wireless placement and range guidelines, and wireless configuration instructions, please see Chapter 4, "Wireless Configuration."

Basic Setup Troubleshooting Tips

Here are some tips for correcting simple problems that prevent with you from connecting to the Internet or connecting to the wireless firewall/print server.

Be sure to restart your network in the correct sequence.

Follow this sequence. Turn off the modem, wireless firewall/print server, and computer. Turn on the modem first and wait two minutes. Next, turn on the wireless firewall/print server, and finally the computer.

Make sure the Ethernet cables are securely plugged in.

- For each powered on computer connected to the wireless firewall/print server with a securely plugged in Ethernet cable, the corresponding wireless firewall/print server Local port status light will be lit. The label on the bottom of the wireless firewall/print server identifies the number of each Local port.
- The Internet port status light on the wireless firewall/print server will be lit if the Ethernet cable from the wireless firewall/print server to the modem is plugged in securely and the modem and wireless firewall/print server are turned on.

Make sure the network settings of the computer are correct.

LAN connected computers *must* be configured to obtain an IP address automatically via DHCP, unless you have turned NAT off and are managing the IP addresses directly. For instructions on these configuration settings, please see the *Reference Manual* on the *Resource CD for the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P (SW-10023-02)*.

FWG114P Setup Wizard Auto Detection

There are two ways you can configure your firewall to connect to the Internet:

- Let the FWG114P auto-detect the type of Internet connection you have and configure it.
- Manually choose which type of Internet connection you have and configure it.

These options are described below. Unless your ISP uses DHCP, you will need the parameters from your ISP you entered in “Record Your Internet Connection Information” on page 3.

The Setup Wizard will can check for the following connection types:

- Dynamic IP assignment
- A login protocol, such as PPPoE

- Fixed IP address assignment

Next, the Setup Wizard will report which connection type it has discovered, and then display the appropriate configuration menu. If the Setup Wizard finds no connection, you will be prompted to check the physical connection between your firewall and the cable or DSL modem. When the connection is properly made, the firewall's Internet LED should be on.

The procedures for filling in the configuration menu for each type of connection follow below.

Wizard-Detected Login Account Setup

If the Setup Wizard determines that your Internet service account uses a login protocol, such as PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE), you will be directed to a menu like the PPPoE menu in Figure 3-8:

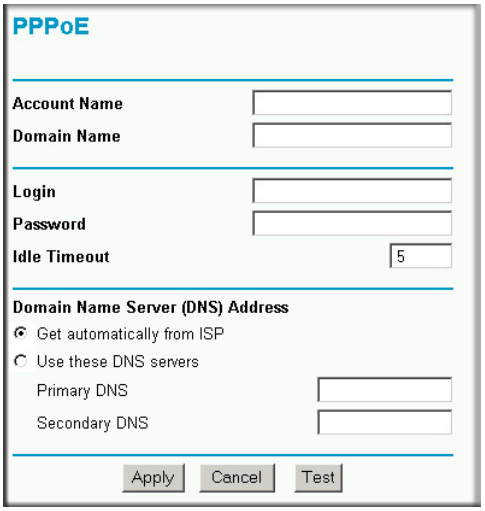


Figure 3-8: Setup Wizard menu for PPPoE login accounts

1. Enter your Account Name (may also be called Host Name) and Domain Name. These parameters may be necessary to access your ISP's services, such as mail or news servers. If you leave the Domain Name field blank, the firewall will attempt to learn the domain automatically from the ISP. If this is not successful, you may need to enter it manually.
2. Enter the PPPoE login user name and password provided by your ISP. These fields are case sensitive. If you wish to change the idle timeout, enter a new value in minutes.

Note: You will no longer need to launch the ISP's login program on your computer in order to access the Internet. When you start an Internet application, your firewall will automatically log you in.

3. The Idle Timeout setting determines how long to wait after there is no activity before disconnecting from the Internet. This is useful in countries where Internet service charges are based on the amount of time connected to the Internet. Whenever a computer on the network requests access to the Internet the FWG114P will automatically reconnect.
4. Domain Name Server (DNS) Address: If you know that your ISP does not automatically transmit DNS addresses to the firewall during login, select "Use these DNS servers" and enter the IP address of your ISP's Primary DNS Server. If a Secondary DNS Server address is available, enter it also.

   Note: If you enter an address here, after you finish configuring the firewall, reboot your PCs so that the settings take effect.
5. Click **Apply** to save your settings.
6. Click **Test** to test your Internet connection. If the NETGEAR Web site does not appear within one minute, refer to Chapter 11, "Troubleshooting".

Wizard-Detected Dynamic IP Account Setup

If the Setup Wizard determines that your Internet service account uses Dynamic IP assignment, you will be directed to the menu shown in Figure 3-9 below:

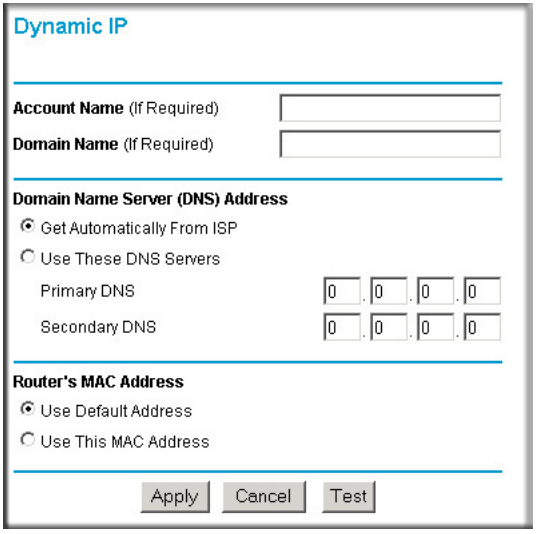


Figure 3-9: Setup Wizard menu for Dynamic IP address

1. Enter your Account Name (may also be called Host Name) and Domain Name. These parameters may be necessary to access your ISP's services, such as mail or news servers. If you leave the Domain Name field blank, the firewall will attempt to learn the domain automatically from the ISP. If this is not successful, you may need to enter it manually.
2. If you know that your ISP does not automatically transmit DNS addresses to the firewall during login, select "Use these DNS servers" and enter the IP address of your ISP's Primary DNS Server. If a Secondary DNS Server address is available, enter it also.

   Note: DNS servers are required to perform the function of translating an Internet name, such as www.netgear.com to a numeric IP address. For a fixed IP address configuration, you must obtain DNS server addresses from your ISP and enter them manually here. You should reboot your PCs after configuring the firewall for these settings to take effect.
3. The Router's MAC Address is the Ethernet MAC address that will be used by the firewall on the Internet port.

If your ISP allows access from only one specific computer's Ethernet MAC address, select "Use this MAC address." The firewall will then capture and use the MAC address of the computer that you are now using. You must be using the one computer that is allowed by the ISP. Otherwise, you can type in a MAC address.

Note: Some ISPs will register the Ethernet MAC address of the network interface card in your computer when your account is first opened. They will then only accept traffic from the MAC address of that computer. This feature allows your firewall to masquerade as that computer by using its MAC address.

4. Click **Apply** to save your settings.
5. Click **Test** to test your Internet connection. If the NETGEAR Web site does not appear within one minute, refer to Chapter 11, "Troubleshooting".

Wizard-Detected Fixed IP Account Setup

If the Setup Wizard determines that your Internet service account uses Fixed IP assignment, you will be directed to the menu shown in Figure 3-10 below:

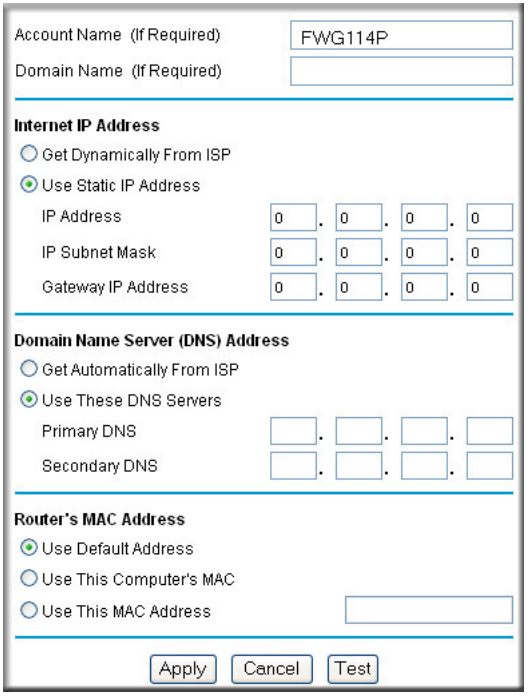


Figure 3-10: Setup Wizard menu for Fixed IP address

1. Enter your assigned IP Address, Subnet Mask, and the IP Address of your ISP's gateway router. This information should have been provided to you by your ISP. You will need the configuration parameters from your ISP you recorded in "Record Your Internet Connection Information" on page 3.
2. Enter the IP address of your ISP's Primary DNS Server. If a Secondary DNS Server address is available, enter it also.

   Note: DNS servers are required to perform the function of translating an Internet name, such as www.netgear.com to a numeric IP address. For a fixed IP address configuration, you must obtain DNS server addresses from your ISP and enter them manually here. You should reboot your PCs after configuring the firewall for these settings to take effect.
3. Click **Apply** to save the settings.
4. Click **Test** to test your Internet connection. If the NETGEAR Web site does not appear within one minute, refer to Chapter 11, "Troubleshooting.

How to Configure the Serial Port as the Primary Internet Connection

Use the procedure below to configure an Internet connection via the serial port of your firewall.

There are three steps to configuring the serial port of your firewall for an Internet connection:

1. Connect the firewall to your ISDN or dial-up analog modem.
2. Configure the firewall.
3. Connect to the Internet.

Follow the steps below to configure a serial port Internet connection on your firewall.

1. **Connect the Firewall to your ISDN or dial-up modem**
   a. Turn off your modem and connect the cable from the serial port of the FWG114P to the modem.
   b. Turn on the modem and wait about 30 seconds for the lights to stop blinking.
2. **Configure the Serial Port of the Firewall**.
   a. Use a browser to log in to the firewall at http://192.168.0.1 with its default User Name of **admin** and default Password of **password**, or using whatever Password you have set up.
   b. From the Setup Basic Settings menu, click Serial Port.

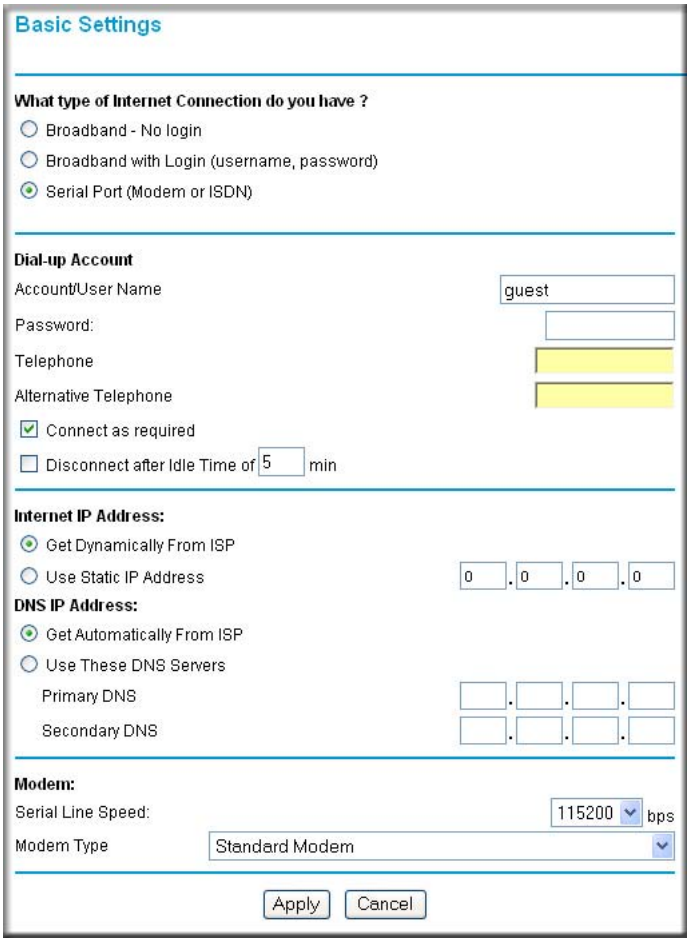


Figure 3-11: Serial Internet Connection configuration menu

c. Fill in the ISDN or analog ISP Internet configuration parameters as appropriate:

- For a Dial-up Account, enter the Account information. Check “Connect as required” to enable the firewall to automatically dial the number. To enable Idle Time disconnect, check the box and enter a time in minutes.
- To configure the Internet IP settings, fill in the address parameters your ISP provided.

d. Configure the Modem parameters.

Note: You can validate modem string settings by first connecting the modem directly to a computer, establishing a connection to your ISP, and then copying the modem string settings from the computer configuration and pasting them into the FWG114P Modem Properties Initial String field. For more information on this procedure, please refer to the support area of the NETGEAR Web site.

- Select the Serial Line Speed. This is the maximum speed the modem will attempt to use. For ISDN permanent connections, the speeds are typically 64000 or 128000 bps. For dial-up modems, 56000 bps would be a typical setting.
- Select the Modem Type:
  - For ISDN, select "Permanent connection (leased line)."
  - For dial-up, select your modem from the list. "Standard Modem" should work in most cases.
  - If your modem is not on the list, select "User Defined" and enter the Modem Properties.

Note: If you are using the "User Defined" Modem Type, you must first use the Serial Port menu Modem link to fill in the Modem Properties settings for your modem.

e. Click **Apply** to save your settings.

3. **Connect to the Internet to test your configuration.**

a. If you have a broadband connection, disconnect it.

b. From a workstation, open a browser and test your serial port Internet connection.

Note: The response time of your serial port Internet connection will be slower than a broadband Internet connection.

Testing Your Internet Connection

After completing the Internet connection configuration, your can test your Internet connection. Log in to the firewall, then, from the Setup Basic Settings link, click the Test button. If the NETGEAR Web site does not appear within one minute, refer to Chapter 11, "Troubleshooting."

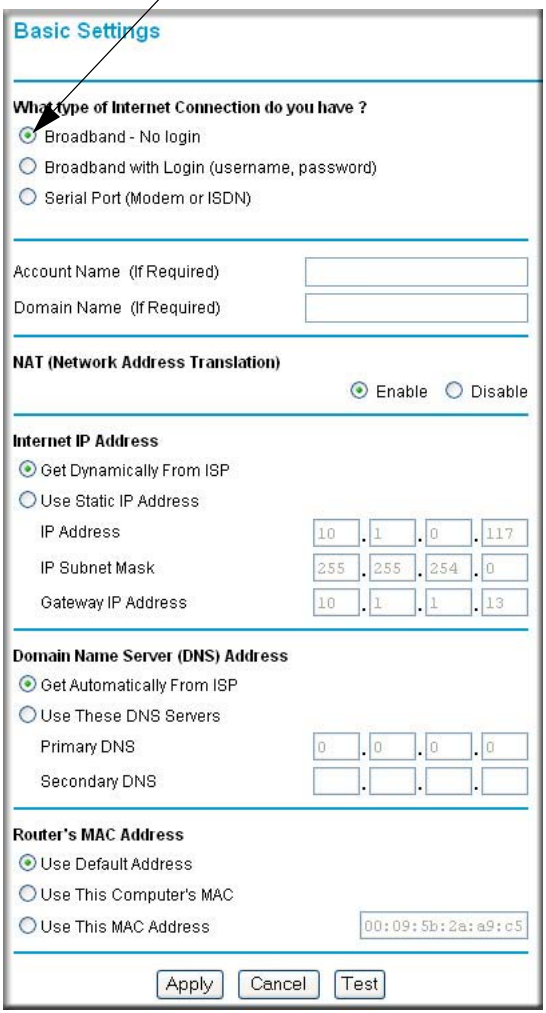
Note: Popup blocking software may block the test page from opening. Alternately, you can just open a new browser window and browse the Internet.

To access the Internet from any computer connected to your firewall, launch a browser, such as Microsoft Internet Explorer or Netscape Navigator. You should see the firewall's Internet LED blink, indicating communication to the ISP. The browser should begin to display a Web page.

Manually Configuring Your Internet Connection

You can manually configure your firewall using the menu below, or you can allow the Setup Wizard to determine your configuration as described in the previous section.

ISP *Does Not* Require Login



ISP *Does* Require Login

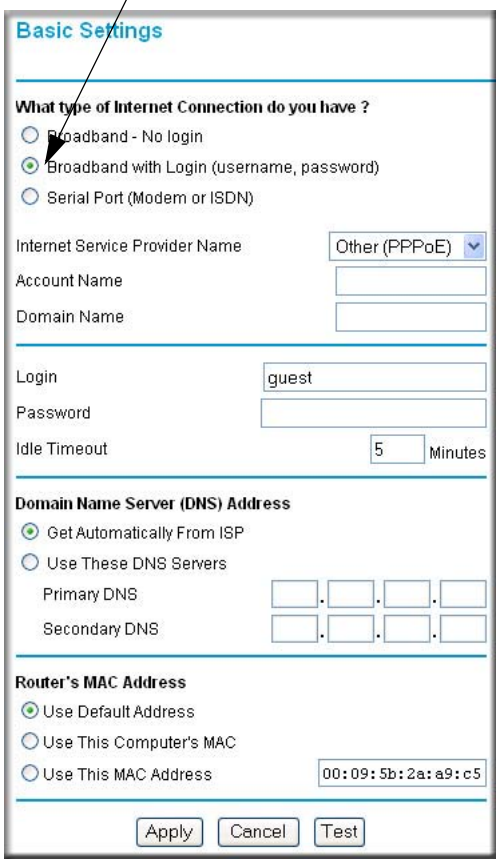


Figure 3-12: Browser-based configuration Basic Settings menu

How to Manually Configure the Primary Internet Connection

Use these steps to manually configure the primary Internet connection in the Basic Settings menu.

1. Select your Internet connection type (broadband with or without login, or serial).

   Note: If you are a Telstra BigPond broadband customer, or if you are in an area, such as Austria that uses broadband PPTP, login is required. If so, select BigPond or PPTP from the Internet Service Type drop down box.

2. Enter your Account Name (may also be called Host Name) and Domain Name. These parameters may be necessary to access your ISP's services, such as mail or news servers.

3. If needed, enter the PPPoE login user name and password provided by your ISP. These fields are case sensitive. To change the login timeout, enter a new value in minutes.

   Note: You will no longer need to run the ISP's login program on your computer in order to access the Internet. When you start an Internet application, your firewall automatically logs you in.

4. You should only disable NAT if you are sure you do not require it. NAT automatically assigns private IP addresses (for example, 192.168.0.x) to LAN connected devices. When NAT is disabled, only standard routing is performed by this router.

   Note: Disabling NAT will reboot the router and reset all the FWG114P configuration settings to the factory default. Disable NAT only if you plan to install the FWG114P in a setting where you will be manually administering the IP address space on the LAN side of the router.

5. Internet IP Address: If your ISP assigned you a permanent, fixed IP address for your computer, select "Use Static IP Address." Enter the IP address your ISP assigned. Also enter the IP Subnet Mask and the Gateway IP address. The Gateway is the ISP's router to which your firewall will connect.

6. Domain Name Server (DNS) Address: If your ISP does not automatically transmit DNS addresses to the firewall during login, select "Use These DNS Servers" and enter the IP address of your ISP's Primary DNS Server. If a Secondary DNS Server address is available, enter it.

   Note: A DNS server is a host on the Internet that translates Internet names (such as www.netgear.com) to numeric IP addresses. Typically your ISP transfers the IP address of one or two DNS servers to your firewall during login. If the ISP does not transfer an address, you must obtain it from the ISP and enter it manually here. If you enter an address here, you should reboot your PCs after configuring the firewall.

7. Router's MAC Address: This section determines the Ethernet MAC address that will be used by the firewall on the Internet port. Some ISPs will register the Ethernet MAC address of the network interface card in your computer when your account is first opened. They will then only accept traffic from the MAC address of that computer. This feature allows your firewall to masquerade as that computer by "cloning" its MAC address. To change the MAC address, select "Use This Computer's MAC Address." The firewall will then capture and use the MAC address of the computer that you are now using. You must be using the one computer that is allowed by the ISP. Or, select "Use This MAC Address" and enter it.
8. Click **Apply** to save your settings.
9. Click **Test** to test your Internet connection. If the NETGEAR Web site does not appear within one minute, refer to Chapter 11, "Troubleshooting."

The remaining chapters in this manual describe how to configure the Advanced features of your firewall, and how to troubleshoot problems that may occur.

Chapter 4
Wireless Configuration

This chapter describes how to configure the wireless features of your FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server.

Observing Performance, Placement, and Range Guidelines

In planning your wireless network, you should consider the level of security required. You should also select the physical placement of your FWG114P in order to maximize the network speed. For further information on wireless networking, refer to in Appendix E, "Wireless Networking Basics."

Note: Failure to follow these guidelines can result in significant performance degradation or inability to wirelessly connect to the wireless firewall/print server. For complete range and performance specifications, please see Appendix A, "Technical Specifications."

The operating distance or range of your wireless connection can vary significantly based on the physical placement of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server. The latency, data throughput performance, and notebook power consumption also vary depending on your configuration choices. For best results, place your wireless firewall/print server:

- Near the center of the area in which your PCs will operate.
- In an elevated location, such as a high shelf where the wirelessly connected PCs have line-of-sight access (even if through walls). The best location is elevated, such as wall mounted or on the top of a cubicle, and at the center of your wireless coverage area for all the mobile devices.
- Away from sources of interference, such as PCs, microwaves, and 2.4 GHz cordless phones.
- Away from large metal surfaces.

Be aware that the time it takes to establish a wireless connection can vary depending on both your security settings and placement. WEP connections can take slightly longer to establish. Also, WEP encryption can consume more battery power on a notebook computer.

Implementing Appropriate Wireless Security

Note: Indoors, computers can connect to wireless networks at ranges of 300 feet or more. Such distances allow others outside of your area to access your network.

Unlike wired network data, your wireless data transmissions can extend beyond your walls and can be received by anyone with a compatible adapter. For this reason, use the security features of your wireless equipment. The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server provides highly effective security features which are covered in detail in this chapter.

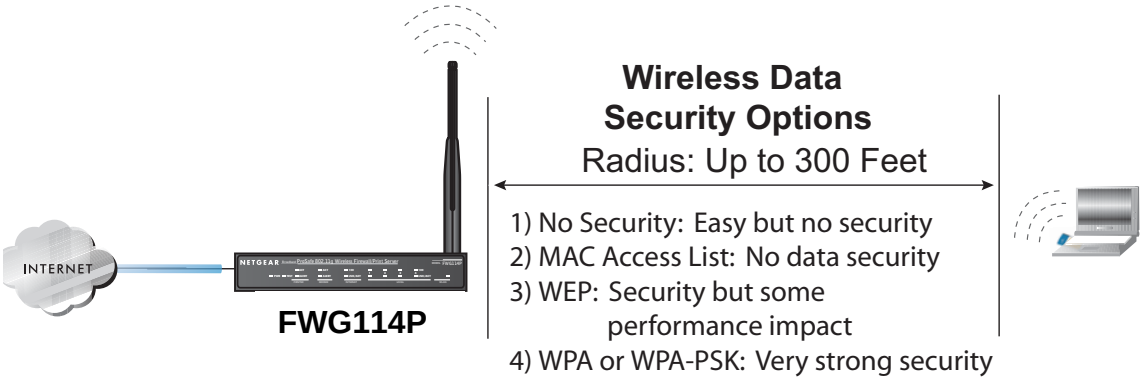


Figure 4-1: FWG114P wireless data security options

There are several ways you can enhance the security of your wireless network:

- **Restrict Access Based on MAC Address.** You can allow only trusted PCs to connect so that unknown PCs cannot wirelessly connect to the FWG114P. Restricting access by MAC address adds an obstacle against unwanted access to your network, but the data broadcast over the wireless link is fully exposed.
- **Turn Off the Broadcast of the Wireless Network Name SSID.** If you disable broadcast of the SSID, only devices that have the correct SSID can connect. This nullifies wireless network 'discovery' feature of some products, such as Windows XP, but the data is still exposed.
- **WEP.** Wired Equivalent Privacy (WEP) data encryption provides data security. WEP Shared Key authentication and WEP data encryption will block all but the most determined eavesdropper.

- **WPA or WPA-PSK.** Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA) data encryption provides data security. The very strong authentication along with dynamic per frame rekeying of WPA make it virtually impossible to compromise. Because this is a new standard, wireless device driver and software availability may be limited.

Understanding Wireless Settings

To configure the wireless settings of your FWG114P, click the Wireless link in the Setup section of the main menu. The wireless settings menu will appear, as shown below.

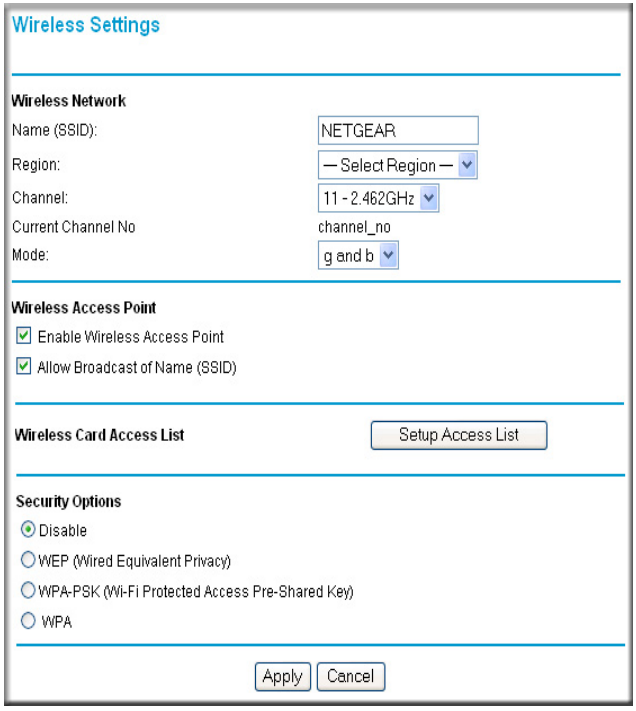


Figure 4-2: Wireless Settings menu

	Note: The 802.11b and 802.11g wireless networking protocols are configured in exactly the same fashion. The FWG114P will automatically adjust to the 802.11g or 802.11b protocol as the device requires without compromising the speed of the other devices.

- **Wireless Network.** The station name of the FWG114P.
  - **Wireless Network Name (SSID).** The SSID is also known as the wireless network name. Enter a value of up to 32 alphanumeric characters. In a setting where there is more than one wireless network, different wireless network names provide a means for separating the traffic. Any device you want to participate in the 802.11b/g wireless network will need to use this SSID for that network. The FWG114P default SSID is: **NETGEAR**.
  - **Region.** This field identifies the region where the FWG114P can be used. It may not be legal to operate the wireless features of the wireless firewall/print server in a region other than one of those identified in this field. Unless you select a region, you will only be able to use Channel 11.
  - **Channel.** This field determines which operating frequency will be used. It should not be necessary to change the wireless channel unless you notice interference problems with another nearby access point. For more information on the wireless channel frequencies, please refer to "Wireless Channels" on page E-7.
  - **Mode**. Select the desired wireless mode. The options are:
    - g & b - Both 802.11g and 802.11b wireless stations can be used.
    - g only - Only 802.11g wireless stations can be used.
    - b only - All 802.11b wireless stations can be used. 802.11g wireless stations can still be used if they can operate in 802.11b mode.

    The default is "g & b" which allows both 802.11g and 802.11b wireless stations to access this device.
- **Wireless Access Point**
  - **Enable Wireless Access Point.** Enables the wireless radio. When disabled, there are no wireless communications through the FWG114P.
  - **Allow Broadcast of Name (SSID).** The default setting is to enable SSID broadcast. If you disable broadcast of the SSID, only devices that have the correct SSID can connect. Disabling SSID broadcast somewhat hampers the wireless network 'discovery' feature of some products.
- **Wireless Card Access List**

  Lets you restrict wireless connections according to a list of Trusted PCs MAC addresses. When the Trusted PCs Only radio button is selected, the FWG114P checks the MAC address of the wireless station and only allows connections to PCs identified on the trusted PCs list.

  To restrict access based on MAC addresses, click the Set up Access List button and update the MAC access control list**.**

- **Security Options**

Table 4-1. Wireless Security Options

Field	Description
Disable **WEP** (Wired Equivalent Privacy)	Wireless security is not used. You can select the following WEP options: **Authentication Type** • Open: the FWG114P does not perform any authentication. • Shared: WEP shared key authentication. For a full explanation of WEP shared key, see "Authentication and WEP Data Encryption" on page E-2. **Encryption Strength** • If Shared or Open Network Authentication is enabled, you can choose 64- or 128-bit WEP data encryption. **Note**: With Open Network Authentication and 64- or 128-bit WEP Data Encryption, the FWG114P *does* perform 64- or 128-bit data encryption but *does not* perform any authentication. **Security Encryption (WEP) Key** These key values must be identical on all wireless devices in your network (key 1 must be the same for all, key 2 must be the same for all, and so on). The FWG114P provides two methods for creating WEP encryption keys: • Passphrase. These characters *are* case sensitive. Enter a word or group of printable characters in the Passphrase box and click the Generate button. **Note**: Not all wireless adapters support passphrase key generation. • Manual. These values *are not* case sensitive. 64-bit WEP: enter 10 hexadecimal digits (any combination of 0-9, a-f, or A-F). 128-bit WEP: enter 26 hexadecimal digits (any combination of 0-9, a-f, or A-F).

Table 4-1. Wireless Security Options

Field	Description
WPA-PSK (Wi-Fi Protected Access Pre-Shared Key)	WPA Pre-Shared-Key uses a pre-shared key to perform the authentication and generate the initial data encryption keys. Then, it dynamically varies the encryption key. For a full explanation of WPA, see "WPA Wireless Security" on page E-8. **Note**: Not all wireless adapters support WPA. Furthermore, client software is required on the client. Windows XP and Windows 2000 with Service Pack 3 do include the client software that supports WPA. Nevertheless, the wireless adapter hardware and driver must also support WPA.
WPA	User authentication is implemented using RADIUS servers. For a full explanation of WPA, see "WPA Wireless Security" on page E-8. Fill in the following: • Primary Radius Server Name/IP Address This field is required. Enter the name or IP address of the Radius Server on your LAN. • Secondary Radius Server Name/IP Address This field is optional. Enter the name or IP address of the Secondary Radius Server on your LAN. • Radius Port Enter the port number used for connections to the Radius Server. • Radius Shared Key Enter the desired value for the Radius shared key. This key enables the FWG114P to log in to the Radius server and must match the value used on the Radius server. **Radius Accounting Option** The Radius Accounting option can be enabled so that you can track various information like who connected to the network, when they connected, how long they were connected, how much network traffic they generated, and so on.

Default Factory Settings

The FWG114P default factory settings shown below. You can restore these defaults with the Factory Default Restore button on the rear panel as seen in the illustration "FWG114P Rear Panel" on page 2-8. After you install the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server, use the procedures below to customize any of the settings to better meet your networking needs.

FEATURE	DEFAULT FACTORY SETTINGS
SSID	**NETGEAR**
RF Channel	**11 until the region is selected**
Access Point	**Enabled**
SSID broadcast	**Enabled**
Wireless Card Access List for Access Point Connections	**All wireless stations allowed**
WEP Security	**Disabled**
Authentication Type	**Open System**

Before You Change the SSID and WEP Settings

Take the following steps:

For a new wireless network, print or copy this form and fill in the configuration parameters. For an existing wireless network, the person who set up or is responsible for the network will be able to provide this information. Be sure to set the Regulatory Domain correctly as the first step.

- **SSID*:*** The Service Set Identification (SSID) identifies the wireless local area network. **Wireless** is the default FWG114P SSID. However, you may customize it by using up to 32 alphanumeric characters. Write your customized SSID on the line below.

  Note: The SSID in the wireless firewall/print server is the SSID you configure in the wireless adapter card. All wireless nodes in the same network must be configured with the same SSID:
- **Authentication**

  Circle one: Open System or Shared Key. Choose "Shared Key" for more security.

  Note: If you select shared key, the other devices in the network will not connect unless they are set to Shared Key as well and have the same keys in the same positions as those in the FWG114P.
- **WEP Encryption Keys**

  For all four 802.11b keys, choose the Key Size. Circle one: 64 or 128 bits

  Key 1: _____

  Key 2: _____

  Key 3: _____

  Key 4: _____
- **WPA-PSK (Pre-Shared Key)**

  Record the WPA-PSK key:

  Key: _____
- **WPA RADIUS Settings**

  For WPA, record the following RADIUS settings:

  Server Name/IP Address: Primary _____ Secondary _____

  Port: _____

  Shared Key: _____

Use the procedures described in the following sections to configure the FWG114P. Store this information in a safe place.

How to Set Up and Test Basic Wireless Connectivity

Follow the instructions below to set up and test basic wireless connectivity. Once you have established basic wireless connectivity, you can enable security settings appropriate to your needs.

1. Log in using the default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1* with the default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**, or using whatever LAN address and password you have set up.

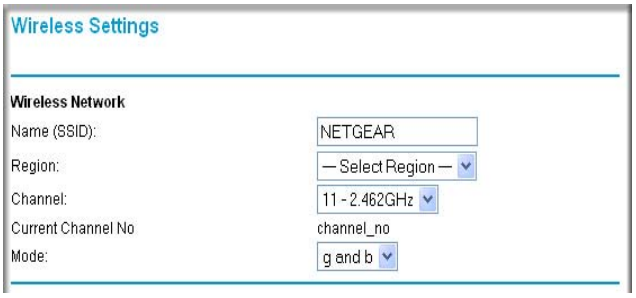


Figure 4-3: Wireless Settings menu

2. Set the Regulatory Domain correctly.
3. Choose a suitable descriptive name for the wireless network name (SSID). In the SSID box, enter a value of up to 32 alphanumeric characters. The default SSID is NETGEAR.

   Note: The characters are case sensitive. An access point always functions in infrastructure mode. The SSID for any wireless device communicating with the access point must match the SSID configured in the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P. If they do not match, you will not get a wireless connection to the FWG114P.

4. Set the Channel.

   It should not be necessary to change the wireless channel unless you notice interference problems with another nearby wireless router or access point. Select a channel that is not being used by any other wireless networks within several hundred feet of your wireless firewall/print server. For more information on the wireless channel frequencies please refer to “Wireless Channels” on page E-7.

5. Depending on the types of wireless adapters you have in your computers, choose from the Mode drop-down list.
6. For initial configuration and test, leave the Wireless Card Access List set to “All Wireless Stations” and the Encryption Strength set to “Disable.”

7. Click **Apply** to save your changes.

	**Note:** If you are configuring the FWG114P from a wireless computer and you change the wireless firewall/print server's SSID, channel, or security settings, you will lose your wireless connection when you click on Apply. You must then change the wireless settings of your computer to match the FWG114P's new settings.

8. Configure and test your PCs for wireless connectivity.

   Program the wireless adapter of your PCs to have the same SSID that you configured in the FWG114P. Check that they have a wireless link and are able to obtain an IP address by DHCP from the wireless firewall/print server.

Once your PCs have basic wireless connectivity to the wireless firewall/print server, then you can configure the advanced options and wireless security functions.

How to Restrict Wireless Access by MAC Address

To restrict access based on MAC addresses, follow these steps:

1. Log in at the default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1* with the default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**.
2. Click **Wireless** in the main menu of the FWG114P. From the Wireless Settings menu, click **Setup Access List**.
3. Click the **Turn Access Control On** checkbox to enable MAC filtering.
4. Click **Add** to open the Wireless Card Access Setup menu. You can select a device from the list of available wireless cards the FWG114P has discovered in your area, or you can manually enter the MAC address and Device Name (usually the NetBIOS name).
5. Click **Add** to add this device to your MAC access control list.

	**Note:** When configuring the FWG114P from a wireless computer whose MAC address is not in the access control list, if you select Turn Access Control On, you will lose your wireless connection when you click Apply. You must then access the wireless firewall/print server from a wired computer or from a wireless computer which is on the access control list to make any further changes.

6. Be sure to click **Apply** to save your trusted wireless PCs list settings. Now, only devices on this list will be allowed to wirelessly connect to the FWG114P.

To remove a MAC address from the table, click to select it, then click the Delete button.

How to Configure WEP

Note: When changing the wireless settings from a wireless computer, you will lose your wireless connection when you click Apply. You must then either configure your wireless adapter to match the new wireless settings or access the wireless firewall/print server from a wired computer to make any further changes.

To configure WEP data encryption, follow these steps:

1. Log in at the default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1* with the default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**, or using whatever LAN address and password you set up.
2. Click **Wireless Settings** in the main menu of the FWG114P.
3. Click the **WEP** radio button. The WEP options menu will open.
4. Choose the **Authentication Type** and **Encryption Strength** options. You can manually or automatically program the four data encryption keys. These values must be identical on all PCs and Access Points in your network.
   - Automatic - Enter a word or group of printable characters in the Passphrase box. This phrase is case sensitive. Click Generate. The four keys will be automatically generated.
   - Manual - Enter ten hexadecimal digits (any combination of 0-9, a-f, or A-F) These hex values are not case sensitive. Select which of the four keys will be the default.

   Please refer to "Overview of WEP Parameters" on page E-5 for a full explanation of each of these options, as defined by the IEEE 802.11b wireless communication standard.
5. Click **Apply** to save your settings.

How to Configure WPA

Note: Not all wireless adapters support WPA. Furthermore, client software is required on the client. Windows XP and Windows 2000 with Service Pack 3 do include the client software that supports WPA. Nevertheless, the wireless adapter hardware and driver must also support WPA. Consult the product document for your wireless adapter and WPA client software for instructions on configuring WPA settings.

To configure WPA, follow these steps:

1. Log in at the default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1* with the default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**, or using whatever LAN address and password you have set up.
2. Click **Wireless Settings** in the Setup section of the main menu of the FWG114P.

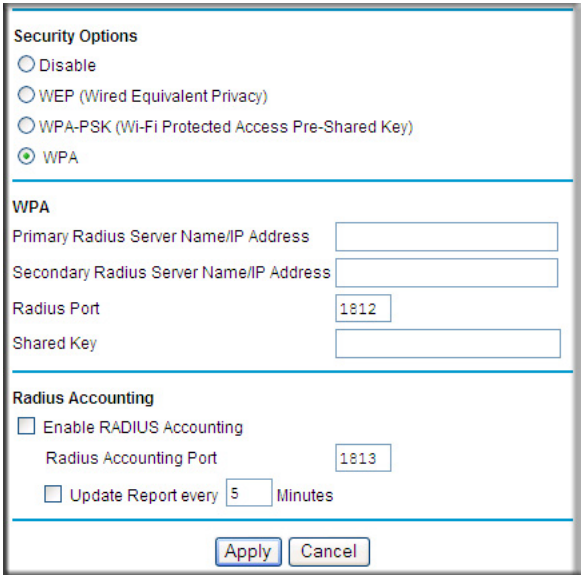


Figure 4-4: Wireless Settings menu

3. Choose the **WPA** radio button. The WPA menu will open.
4. Enter the Radius settings.
5. Click **Apply** to save your settings.

How to Configure WPA-PSK

Note: Not all wireless adapters support WPA. Furthermore, client software is required on the client. Windows XP and Windows 2000 with Service Pack 3 do include the client software that supports WPA. Nevertheless, the wireless adapter hardware and driver must also support WPA. Consult the product document for your wireless adapter and WPA client software for instructions on configuring WPA settings.

To configure WPA-PSK, follow these steps:

1. Log in at the default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1,* with the default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**, or using whatever LAN address and password you have set up.
2. Click **Wireless Settings** in the Setup section of the main menu of the FWG114P.
3. Choose the **WPA-PSK** radio button. The WPA-PSK menu will open.
4. Enter the pre-shared key in the Passphrase field.
5. Enter the Key Lifetime. This setting determines how often the encryption key is changed. Shorter periods provide greater security, but adversely affect performance.
6. Click **Apply** to save your settings.

Chapter 5
Serial Port Configuration

This chapter describes how to configure the serial port options of your ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P. The FWG114P serial port lets you share the broadband connection of another FWG114P, share resources between two LANs, and take advantage of the routing functions on the broadband (WAN), LAN, and serial network interfaces.

Note: If you configure the serial port of the FWG114P as the primary Internet connection, you will not be able to configure the other serial port options. For instructions on configuring the serial port as the primary Internet connection, please see "How to Configure the Serial Port as the Primary Internet Connection" on page 3-14.

The FWG114P provides these serial port configuration options:

- **Modem**
  Use this option to configure the serial modem settings for any of the features below.
- **Auto-Rollover**
  Use this option to provide a backup connection for your broadband service. If the broadband service you configured in the Basic Settings menu fails, the FWG114P will automatically connect to the Internet through the serial port. However, you will then be accessing the Internet at a slower speed than you would through your broadband service.
- **Dial-in**
  Dial-in lets a single remote computer connect to the FWG114P through the serial port to gain access to LAN resources or a remote access server.
- **LAN-to-LAN**
  LAN-to-LAN enables direct communications between two FWG114P wireless firewall/print servers to:
  - — Share resources on the two LANs.
  - — Let users on one FWG114P share the Internet connection of the other FWG114P.
  - — Let users on one FWG114P connect to the Internet through the second FWG114P in case the broadband connection of the first FWG114P fails.

The procedures for these configuration options are presented below.

Configuring a Serial Port Modem

You can configure a serial port modem for any of the features described above.

Be sure you have prepared the basic requirements listed below, then follow the ‘how to’ procedure.

Basic Requirements for Serial Port Modem Configuration

Configuring a serial port modem requires these elements:

1. A serial analog or ISDN modem.
2. A serial modem cable with a DB9 connector.
3. An active phone or ISDN line.

How to Configure a Serial Port Modem

Follow the steps below to configure a serial port modem.

1. From the main menu, click **Modem** in the Serial Port section.

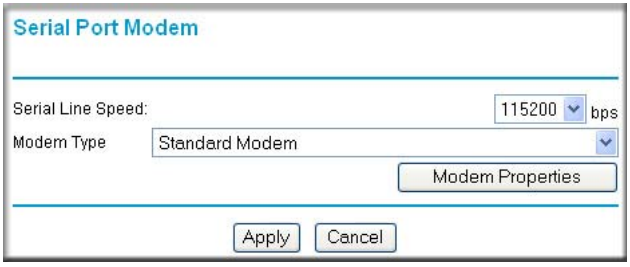


Figure 5-1: Serial Port Modem configuration menu

2. Select the Serial Line Speed.
   This is the maximum speed the modem will attempt to use. For ISDN permanent connections, the speeds are typically 64000 or 128000 bps. For dial-up modems, 56000 bps would be a typical setting.
3. Select the Modem Type:
   — For ISDN, select “Permanent connection (leased line).”

— For dial-up, “Standard Modem” should work in most cases. Otherwise, select your modem from the list.

— If your modem is not on the list, select “User Defined” and enter the Modem Properties.

If you are using the “User Defined” selection and configuring your own modem stings, fill in the Modem Properties settings.

Note: You can validate modem string settings by first connecting the modem directly to a computer, establishing a connection to your ISP, and then copying the modem string settings from the computer configuration and pasting them into the FWG114P Modem Properties Initial String field. For more information on this procedure, please refer to the support area of the NETGEAR Web site.

4. Click **Apply** to save your settings.

Configuring Auto-Rollover

You can configure the serial port of the FWG114P to provide an auto-rollover backup connection for your broadband service.

Be sure you have prepared the basic requirements listed below, then follow the ‘how to’ procedure.

Basic Requirements for Auto-Rollover

Auto-Rollover requires these elements:

1. A broadband connection to the FWG114P.
2. An ISDN or analog phone line with an active ISDN or dial-up ISP account.
3. A serial modem properly configured and attached to the DB9 connector on the serial port.
4. The Auto-Rollover settings configured and applied to the FWG114P.

How to Configure Auto-Rollover

Follow the steps below to configure a serial port auto-rollover connection.

1. Configure a serial port modem according to the instructions above.
2. From the main menu, click **Auto-rollover** in the Serial Port section.

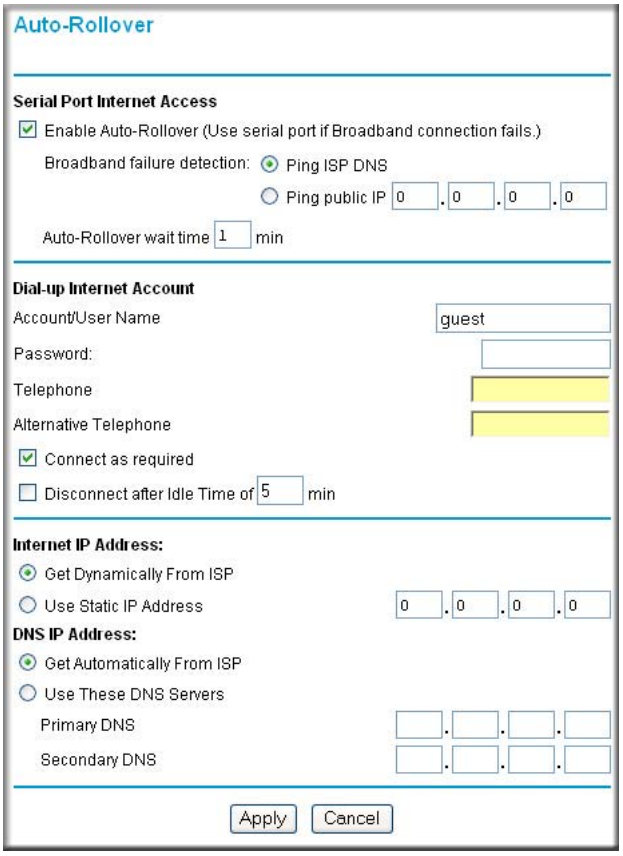


Figure 5-2: Auto-Rollover configuration menu

3. Configure the Auto-Rollover settings.
4. Click **Apply** for the changes to take effect.

Configuring Dial-in on the Serial Port

Dial-in lets a single remote computer connect to the FWG114P through the serial port to gain access to LAN resources or a remote access server.

Be sure you have prepared the basic requirements listed below, then follow the ‘how to’ procedure.

Basic Requirements for Dial-in

Dial-in requires these elements:

1. A broadband connection to the FWG114P.
2. An analog phone line.
3. A serial modem properly configured and attached to the DB9 connector on the serial port.
4. The Dial-in settings configured and applied to the FWG114P.

How to Configure Dial-in

Follow the steps below to configure a serial port dial-in connection.

1. Configure a serial port modem according to the instructions above.
2. From the Serial Port section of the main menu, click **Dial-in**.

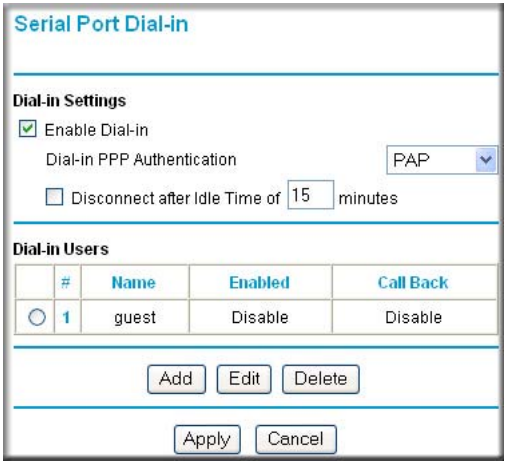


Figure 5-3: Serial Port Dial-in settings screen

3. Configure the Dial-in settings.
4. Click **Apply** for the changes to take effect.

Configuring LAN-to-LAN Settings

LAN-to-LAN enables direct communications between two FWG114P wireless firewall/print servers.

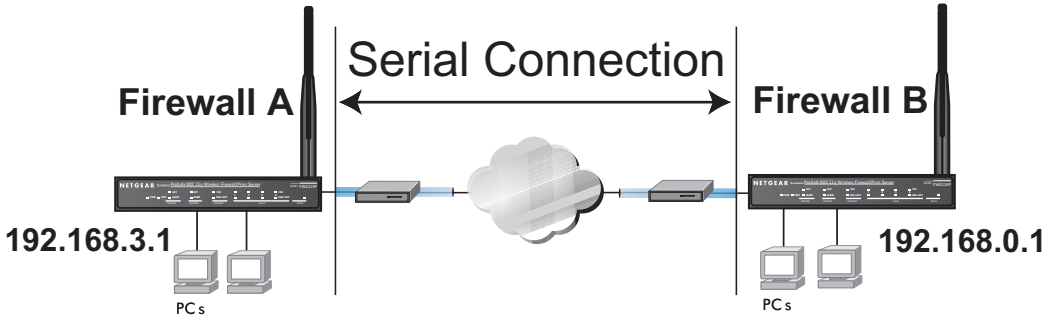


Figure 5-4: LAN-to-LAN network configuration

Basic Requirements for LAN-to-LAN Connections

Serial port LAN-to-LAN configurations require these elements:

1. An ISDN or analog phone line with an active ISDN or dial-up ISP account.
2. A serial modem properly configured and attached to the DB9 connector on the serial port.
3. A broadband connection to one FWG114P for LAN-to-LAN auto-rollover Internet access.
4. The LAN-to-LAN settings configured and applied to the two FWG114P wireless firewall/print servers.

How to Configure LAN-to-LAN Connections

Follow these steps to configure a serial port LAN-to-LAN connection.

1. Configure a serial port modem.
2. From the main menu, click **LAN-to-LAN** in the Serial Port section.

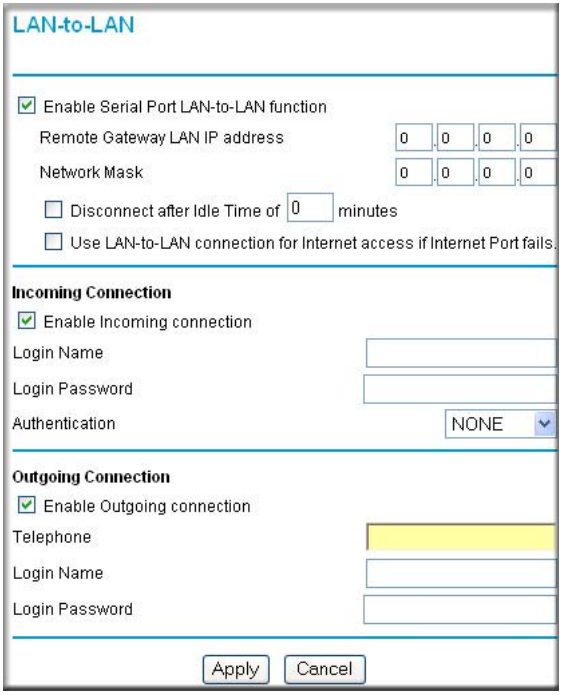


Figure 5-5: LAN-to-LAN configuration menu

3. Configure the LAN-to-LAN settings.

   Note: The LAN subnet address of each FWG114P must be different.

4. Click **Apply** for the changes to take effect.

Chapter 6
Firewall Protection and Content Filtering

This chapter describes how to use the content filtering features of the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P to protect your network. These features can be found by clicking on the Content Filtering heading in the Main Menu of the browser interface.

Firewall Protection and Content Filtering Overview

The ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P provides you with Web content filtering options, plus browsing activity reporting and instant alerts via e-mail. Parents and network administrators can establish restricted access policies based on time-of-day, Web addresses, and Web address keywords. You can also block Internet access by applications and services, such as chat or games.

A firewall is a special category of router that protects one network (the “trusted” network, such as your LAN) from another (the “untrusted” network, such as the Internet), while allowing communication between the two. A firewall incorporates the functions of a NAT (Network Address Translation) router, while adding features for dealing with a hacker intrusion or attack, and for controlling the types of traffic that can flow between the two networks. Unlike simple Internet sharing NAT routers, a firewall uses a process called stateful packet inspection to protect your network from attacks and intrusions. NAT performs a very limited stateful inspection in that it considers whether the incoming packet is in response to an outgoing request, but true Stateful Packet Inspection goes far beyond NAT.

To configure these features of your router, click on the subheadings under the Content Filtering heading in the Main Menu of the browser interface. The subheadings are described below:

Using the Block Sites Menu to Screen Content

The FWG114P allows you to restrict access based on the following categories:

- Use of a proxy server
- Type of file (Java, ActiveX, Cookie)

- Web addresses
- Web address keywords

These options are discussed below.

The Keyword Blocking menu is shown here.

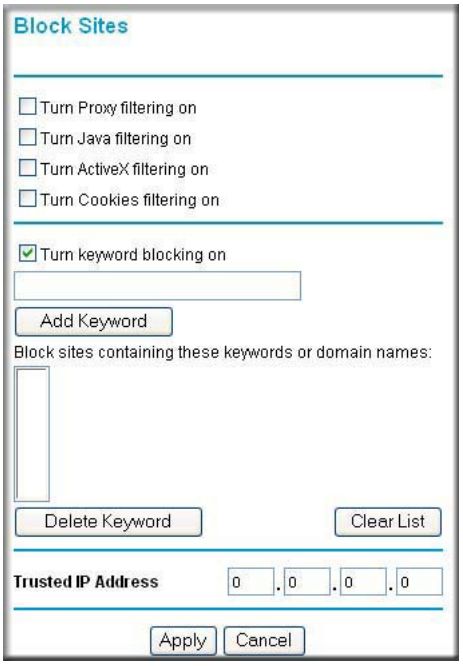


Figure 6-1: Block Sites menu

To enable filtering, click the checkbox next to the type of filtering you want to enable. The filtering choices are:

- Proxy: blocks use of a proxy server
- Java: blocks use of Java applets
- ActiveX: blocks use of ActiveX components (OCX files) used by IE on Windows
- Cookies: blocks all cookies

To enable keyword blocking, check “Turn keyword blocking on”, then click Apply.

To add a keyword or domain, type it in the Keyword box, click Add Keyword, then click Apply.

To delete a keyword or domain, select it from the list, click Delete Keyword, then click Apply.

Keyword application examples:

- If the keyword "XXX" is specified, the URL <http://www.badstuff.com/xxx.html> is blocked, as is the newsgroup alt.pictures.XXX.
- If the keyword ".com" is specified, only Web sites with other domain suffixes (such as .edu or .gov) can be viewed.
- If you want to block all Internet browsing access, enter the keyword ".".

Up to 255 entries are supported in the Keyword list.

To specify a Trusted User, enter that computer's IP address in the Trusted User box and click Apply. You may specify one Trusted User, which is a computer that will be exempt from blocking and logging. Since the Trusted User will be identified by an IP address, you should configure that computer with a fixed or reserved IP address.

Services and Rules Regulate Inbound and Outbound Traffic

The ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P firewall lets you regulate what ports are available to the various TCP/IP protocols. Follow these two steps to configure inbound or outbound traffic:

1. **Define a Service**
2. **Set up an Inbound or Outbound Rule that uses the Service**

These steps are discussed below.

Defining a Service

Services are functions performed by server computers at the request of client computers. For example, Web servers serve Web pages, time servers serve time and date information, and game hosts serve data about other players' moves. When a computer on the Internet sends a request for service to a server computer, the requested service is identified by a service or port number. This number appears as the destination port number in the transmitted IP packets. For example, a packet that is sent with destination port number 80 is an HTTP (Web server) request.

The service numbers for many common protocols are defined by the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) and published in RFC1700, “Assigned Numbers.” Service numbers for other applications are typically chosen from the range 1024 to 65535 by the authors of the application.

Although the FWG114P already holds a list of many service port numbers, you are not limited to these choices. Use the Services menu to add additional services and applications to the list for use in defining firewall rules. The Services menu shows a list of services that you have defined.

To define a new service, first you must determine which port number or range of numbers is used by the application. This information can usually be determined by contacting the publisher of the application or from user groups of newsgroups. When you have the port number information, go the Services menu and click on the Add Custom Service button. The Add Services menu will appear.

To add a service,

1. Enter a descriptive name for the service so that you will remember what it is.
2. Select whether the service uses TCP or UDP as its transport protocol.
   If you can’t determine which is used, select both.
3. Enter the lowest port number used by the service.
4. Enter the highest port number used by the service.
   If the service only uses a single port number, enter the same number in both fields.
5. Click Apply.

The new service will now appear in the Services menu, and in the Service name selection box in the Rules menu.

Using Inbound/Outbound Rules to Block or Allow Services

Firewall rules are used to block or allow specific traffic passing through from one side of the wireless firewall/print server to the other. Inbound rules (WAN to LAN) restrict access by outsiders to private resources, selectively allowing only specific outside users to access specific resources. Outbound rules (LAN to WAN) determine what outside resources local users can have access to.

A firewall has two default rules, one for inbound traffic and one for outbound. The default rules of the FWG114P are:

- Inbound: Block all access from outside except responses to requests from the LAN side.
- Outbound: Allow all access from the LAN side to the outside.

These default rules are shown in the Rules table of the Rules menu in Figure 6-2:

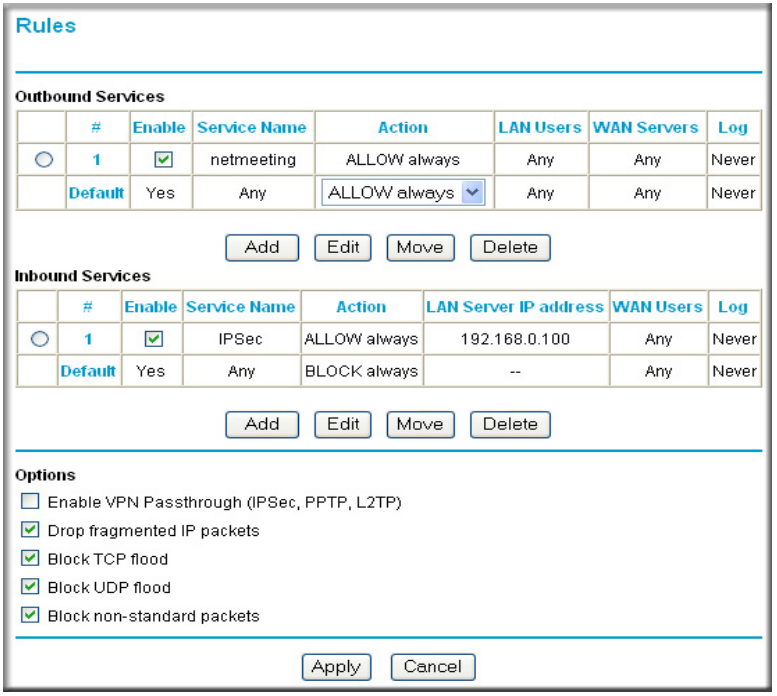


Figure 6-2: Rules menu

You can define additional rules that will specify exceptions to the default rules. By adding custom rules, you can block or allow access based on the service or application, source or destination IP addresses, and time of day. You can also choose to log traffic that matches or does not match the rule you have defined.

To create a new rule, click the Add button.

To edit an existing rule, select its button on the left side of the table and click Edit.

To delete an existing rule, select its button on the left side of the table and click Delete.

To move an existing rule to a different position in the table, select its button on the left side of the table and click Move. At the script prompt, enter the number of the desired new position and click OK.

An example of the menu for defining or editing a rule is shown in Figure 6-3. The parameters are:

- Service. From this list, select the application or service to be allowed or blocked. The list already displays many common services, but you are not limited to these choices. Use the Services menu to add any additional services or applications that do not already appear.
- Action. Choose how you would like this type of traffic to be handled. You can block or allow always, or you can choose to block or allow according to the schedule you have defined in the Schedule menu.
- Source Address. Specify traffic originating on the LAN (outbound) or the WAN (inbound), and choose whether you would like the traffic to be restricted by source IP address. You can select Any, a Single address, or a Range. If you select a range of addresses, enter the range in the start and finish boxes. If you select a single address, enter it in the start box.
- Destination Address.The Destination Address will be assumed to be from the opposite (LAN or WAN) of the Source Address. As with the Source Address, you can select Any, a Single address, or a Range unless NAT is enabled and the destination is the LAN. In that case, you must enter a Single LAN address in the start box.
- Log. You can select whether the traffic will be logged. The choices are:
  - Never - no log entries will be made for this service.
  - Match - traffic of this type which matches the parameters and action will be logged.

Examples of Using Services and Rules to Regulate Traffic

Use the examples to see how you combine Services and Rules to regulate how the TCP/IP protocols are used on your firewall to enable either blocking or allowing specific Internet traffic on your wireless firewall/print server.

Inbound Rules (Port Forwarding)

Because the FWG114P uses Network Address Translation (NAT), your network presents only one IP address to the Internet, and outside users cannot directly address any of your local computers. However, by defining an inbound rule, also known as port forwarding, you can make a local server (for example, a Web server or game server) visible and available to the Internet. The rule tells the router to direct inbound traffic for a particular service to one local server based on the destination port number. This is also known as port forwarding.

Note: Some home broadband accounts do not allow you to run any server processes (such as a Web or FTP server). Your ISP may check for servers and suspend your account if it discovers active servers at your location. If you are unsure, refer to the Acceptable Use Policy of your ISP.

Follow these guidelines when setting up port forwarding inbound rules:

- If your external IP address is assigned dynamically by your ISP, the IP address may change periodically as the DHCP lease expires. Consider using the Dyamic DNS feature in the Advanced menus so that external users can always find your network.
- If the IP address of the local server computer is assigned by DHCP, it may change when the computer is rebooted. To avoid this, use the Reserved IP address feature in the LAN IP menu to keep the computer's IP address constant.
- Local computers must access the local server using the local LAN address of the computer. Attempts by local computers to access the server using the external WAN IP address will fail.

Remember that allowing inbound services opens holes in your FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server. Only enable those ports that are necessary for your network. Following are two application examples of inbound rules:

Example: Port Forwarding to a Local Public Web Server

If you host a public Web server on your local network, you can define a rule to allow inbound Web (HTTP) requests from any outside IP address to the IP address of your Web server any time of day.

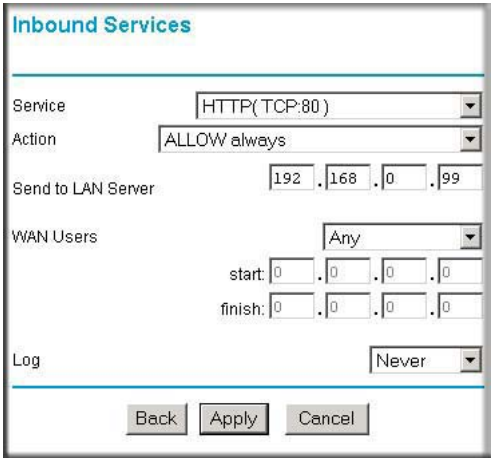


Figure 6-3: Rule example: A Local Public Web Server

This rule is shown in Figure 6-3.

Example: Port Forwarding for Videoconferencing

If you want to allow incoming videoconferencing to be initiated from a restricted range of outside IP addresses, such as from a branch office, you can create an inbound rule. In the example shown in Figure 6-4, CU-SeeMe is a predefined service and its connections are allowed only from a specified range of external IP addresses. In this case, we have also specified logging of any incoming CU-SeeMe requests that do not match the allowed parameters.

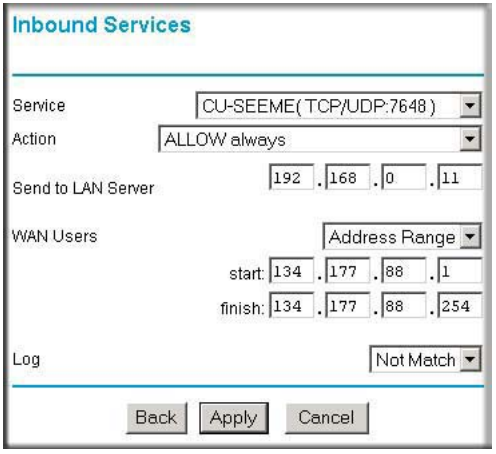


Figure 6-4: Rule example: Videoconference from Restricted Addresses

Example: Port Forwarding for VPN Tunnels when NAT is Off

If you want to allow incoming VPN IPSec tunnels to be initiated from outside IP addresses anywhere on the Internet when NAT is off, first create a service and then an inbound rule.

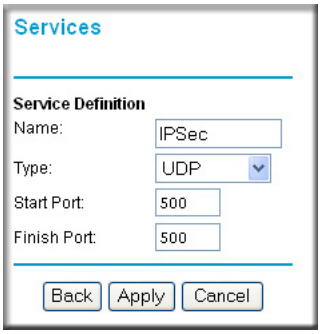


Figure 6-5: Service example: port forwarding for VPN when NAT is Off

In the example shown in Figure 6-5, UDP port 500 connections are defined as the IPSec service.

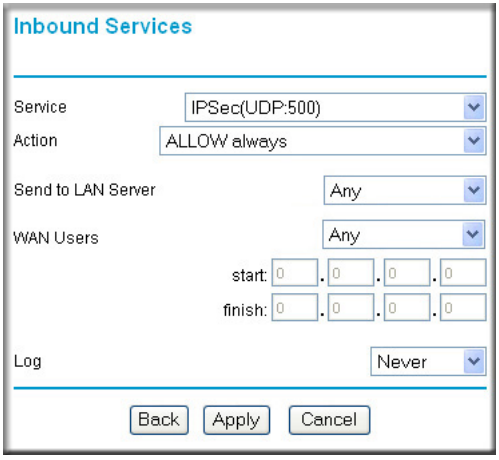


Figure 6-6: Inbound rule example: VPN IPSec when NAT is off

In the example shown in Figure 6-6, VPN IPSec connections are allowed any internal LAN IP address.

Outbound Rules (Service Blocking or Port Filtering)

The FWG114P allows you to block the use of certain Internet services by computers on your network. This is called service blocking or port filtering. You can define an outbound rule to block Internet access from a local computer based on:

- IP address of the local computer (source address)

- IP address of the Internet site being contacted (destination address)
- Time of day
- Type of service being requested (service port number)

Outbound Rule Example: Blocking Instant Messaging

If you want to block Instant Messenger usage by employees during working hours, you can create an outbound rule to block that application from any internal IP address to any external address according to the schedule that you have created in the Schedule menu. You can also have the router log any attempt to use Instant Messenger during that blocked period.

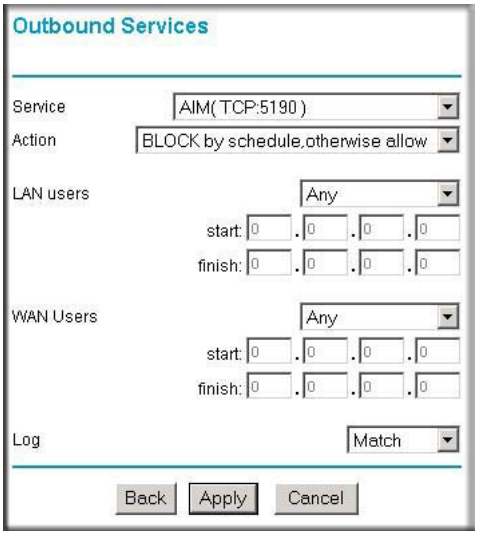


Figure 6-7: Rule example: Blocking Instant Messenger

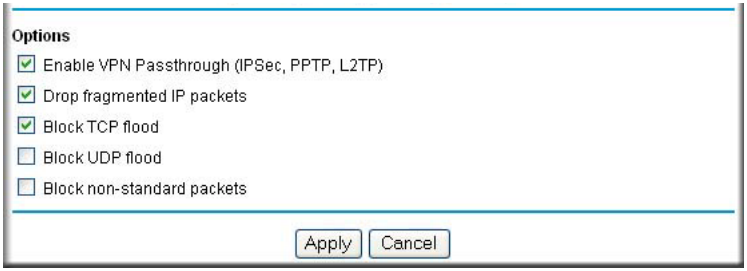
Other Rules Considerations

The order of precedence of rules is determined by the position of the rule on a list of many rules. Also, there are optional Rules settings you can configure. These topics are presented here.

Order of Precedence for Rules

As you define new rules, they are added to the tables in the Rules menu. For any traffic attempting to pass through the firewall, the packet information is subjected to the rules in the order of the entries in the Rules Table, beginning at the top and proceeding to the default rules at the bottom. In some cases, the order of precedence of two or more rules may be important in determining the disposition of a packet. The Move button allows you to relocate a defined rule to a new position in the table.

Rules Menu Options



Use the Options checkboxes to enable the following:

- **Enable VPN Passthrough (IPSec, PPTP, L2TP)**
  If LAN users need to use VPN (Virtual Private Networking) software on their computer, and connect to remote sites or servers, enable this checkbox. This will allow the VPN protocols (IPSec, PPTP, L2TP) to be used. If this checkbox is not checked, these protocols are blocked.
- **Drop fragmented IP packets**
  If checked, all fragmented IP packets will be dropped (discarded). Normally, this should NOT be checked.
- **Block TCP flood**
  If checked, when a TCP flood attack is detected, the port used will be closed, and no traffic will be able to use that port.
- **Block UDP flood**
  If checked, when a UDP flood attack is detected, all traffic from that IP address will be blocked.
- **Block non-standard packets**
  If checked, only known packet types will be accepted; other packets will be blocked. The known packet types are TCP, UDP, ICMP, ESP, and GRE. Note that these are packet types, not protocols.

Using a Schedule to Block or Allow Content or Traffic

If you enabled content filtering in the Block Sites menu, or if you defined an outbound rule to use a schedule, you can set up a schedule for when blocking occurs or when access is restricted. The router allows you to specify when blocking will be enforced by configuring the Schedule tab shown below.

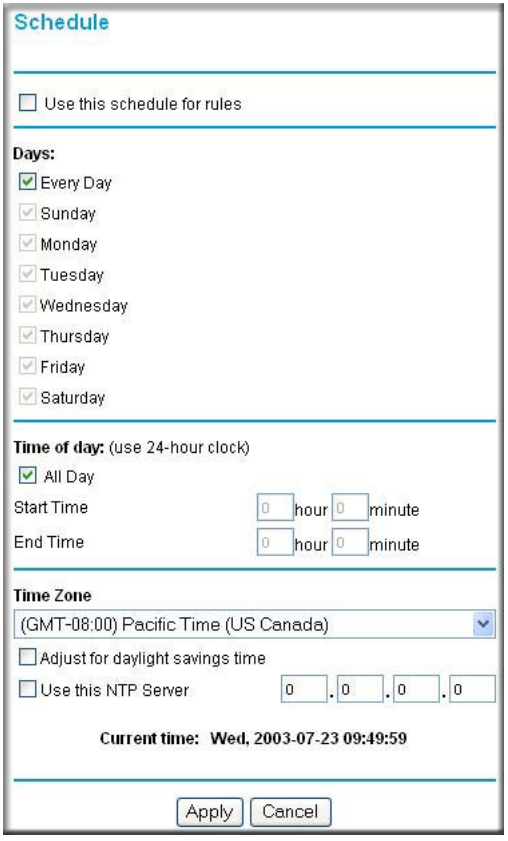


Figure 6-8: Schedule menu

To block keywords or Internet domains based on a schedule, select Every Day or select one or more days. If you want to limit access completely for the selected days, select All Day. Otherwise, If you want to limit access during certain times for the selected days, type a Start Time and an End Time.

Note: Enter the values in 24-hour time format. For example, 10:30 am would be 10 hours and 30 minutes and 10:30 pm would be 22 hours and 30 minutes.

Be sure to click Apply when you have finished configuring this menu.

Setting the Time Zone

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server uses the Network Time Protocol (NTP) to obtain the current time and date from one of several Network Time Servers on the Internet. In order to localize the time for your log entries, you must specify your Time Zone:

- Time Zone. Select your local time zone. This setting will be used for the blocking schedule and for time-stamping log entries.
- Daylight Savings Time. Select this check box for daylight savings time.

  Note: If your region uses Daylight Savings Time, you must manually select Adjust for Daylight Savings Time on the first day of Daylight Savings Time, and unselect it at the end. Enabling Daylight Savings Time will add one hour to the standard time.

Be sure to click Apply when you have finished configuring this menu.

Getting E-Mail Notifications of Event Logs and Alerts

In order to receive logs and alerts by e-mail, you must provide your e-mail information in the E-Mail subheading:

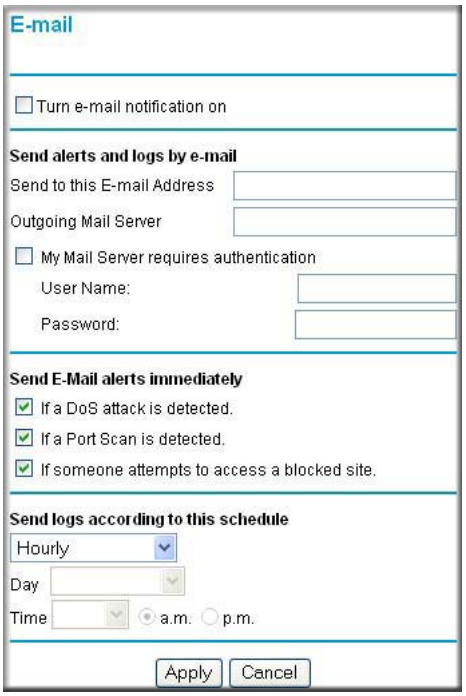


Figure 6-9: E-mail menu

- **Turn e-mail notification on.** Select this check box if you want to receive e-mail logs and alerts from the router.
- **Send alerts and logs by e-mail.** If you enable e-mail notification, these boxes cannot be blank. Enter the name or IP address of your ISP's outgoing (SMTP) mail server (such as mail.myISP.com). You may be able to find this information in the configuration menu of your e-mail program. Enter the e-mail address to which logs and alerts will be sent. This e-mail address will also be used as the From address. If you leave this box blank, log and alert messages will not be sent via e-mail. Check "My Mail Server requires authentication" if you need to log in to your SMTP server in order to send e-mail. If this is checked, you must enter the login name and password for your mail server.

  Tip: You used this information when you set up your e-mail program. If you cannot remember it, check the settings in your e-mail program.
- **Send E-mail alerts immediately.** You can specify that logs are immediately sent to the specified e-mail address when any of the following events occur:

  - If a Denial of Service attack is detected.
  - If a Port Scan is detected.
  - If a user on your LAN attempts to access a website that you blocked using Keyword blocking.

- **Send logs according to this schedule.** You can specify that logs are sent to you according to a schedule. Select whether you would like to receive the logs Hourly, Daily, Weekly, When Full, or None for no logs. Depending on your selection, you may also need to specify:

  - Day for sending log
    Relevant when the log is sent weekly or daily.
  - Time for sending log
    Relevant when the log is sent daily or weekly.

  If the Weekly, Daily or Hourly option is selected and the log fills up before the specified period, the log is automatically e-mailed to the specified e-mail address. After the log is sent, the log is cleared from the router's memory. If the router cannot e-mail the log file, the log buffer may fill up. In this case, the router overwrites the log and discards its contents.

Be sure to click Apply when you have finished configuring this menu.

Viewing Logs of Web Access or Attempted Web Access

The router will log security-related events, such as denied incoming and outgoing service requests, hacker probes, and administrator logins. If you enable content filtering in the Block Sites menu, the Log page will also show you when someone on your network tries to access a blocked site. If you enabled e-mail notification, you will receive these logs in an e-mail message. If you do not have e-mail notification enabled, you can view the logs here.

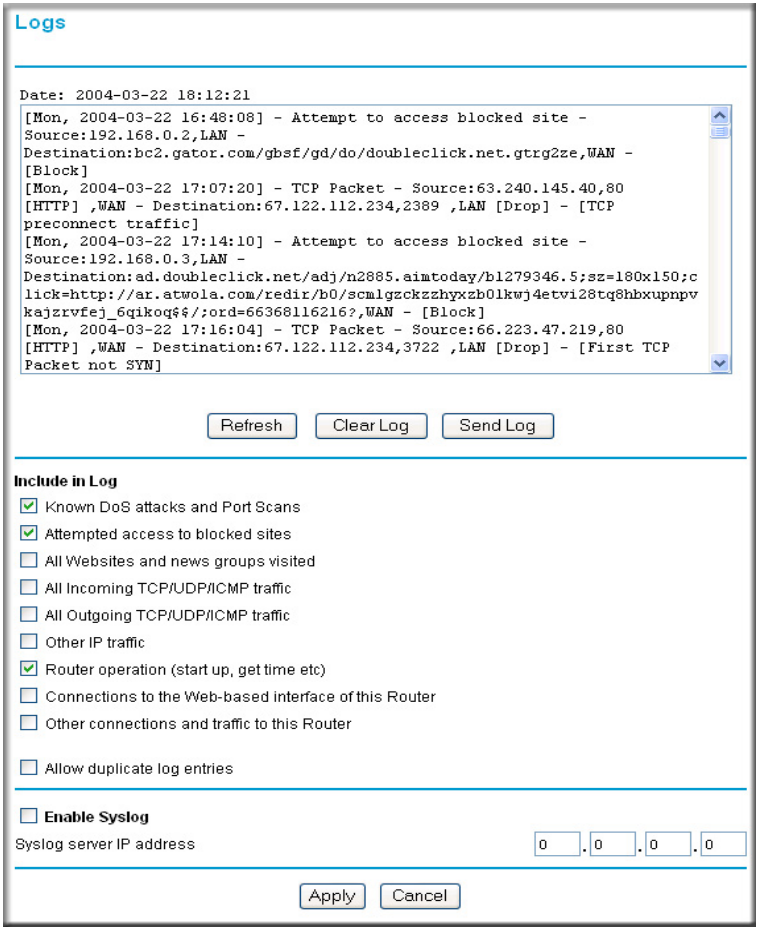


Figure 6-10: Logs menu

See Appendix D, “Firewall Log Formats” for a full explanation of log entry formats.

Log action buttons are described in Table 6-1.

Table 6-1. Log action buttons

Field	Description
Refresh	Refreshes the log screen.
Clear Log	Clears the log entries.
Send Log	E-mails the log immediately.

What to Include in the Event Log

Use these checkboxes to determine which events are included in the log. Checking all options will increase the size of the log, so it is good practice to disable any events which are not really required.

- All Websites and news groups visited - If checked, all visited websites and newsgroups are logged.
- All Incoming TCP/UDP/ICMP traffic - If checked, all incoming TCP/UDP/ICMP connections and traffic is logged.
- All Outgoing TCP/UDP/ICMP traffic - If checked, all outgoing TCP/UDP/ICMP connections and traffic is logged.
- Other IP traffic - If checked, all other traffic (IP packets which are not TCP, UDP, or ICMP) is logged.
- Router operation (start up, get time, etc.) - If checked, Router operations, such as starting up and getting the time from the Internet Time Server, are logged.
- Connection to the Web-based interface of this Router - If checked, Administrator connections to the Web-based interface will be logged.
- Other connections and traffic to this Router - If checked, this will log traffic sent to this Router (rather than through this Router to the Internet).
- Allow duplicate log entries - If checked, then events or packets which fall within more than one (1) category above will have a log entry for each category in which they belong. This will generate a large number of log entries. If unchecked, then events or packets will only be logged once. Usually, this should be left unchecked.

Logging programs are available for Windows, Macintosh, and Linux computers.

Enable one of these three options, as required:

- Disable - select this if you do not have a Syslog server.
- Broadcast on LAN - the Syslog data is broadcast, rather than sent to a specific Syslog server. Use this if your Syslog Server does not have a fixed IP address.
- Send to this Syslog server IP address - If your Syslog server has a fixed IP address, select this option, and enter the IP address of your Syslog server.

Chapter 7
Print Server

This chapter describes how to install and configure the print server in your ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P.

Printing Options

The FWG114P supports these methods for printing:

- **For Windows XP and 2000 Only: TCP/IP Line Printer Remote (LPR) Printing**
  - — No software needs to be installed
  - — Windows XP or 2000 users can print directly to the firewall. Print jobs are spooled (queued) on each computer. The computer sends the print job directly to the LAN IP address of the FWG114P.
- **For Windows 95/98/Me, NT4.0, 2000, and XP: Netgear Printer Port Driver**
  - — Install the Netgear Printer Port Driver on Each computer.
  - — After installing the Print Port Driver from the *Resource CD for the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P (SW-10023-02)* Windows users can print directly to the firewall. Print jobs are spooled (queued) on each computer.
- **For Macintosh computers: LPR printing**
  - — No software needs to be installed
  - — LPR printing can be set up on any Macintosh that has Desktop Printing installed or available. Desktop Printing is supported on MacOS versions beginning from 8.1. LaserWriter8 version 8.5.1 or higher is also required.
- **For Windows NT 4.0 Server or 2000 Server: LPD/LPR Printing**
  - — No software needs to be installed
  - — If using Windows NT 4.0 Server or Windows 2000 Server, LPD/LPR printing can be used. No software needs to be installed on either the Windows Server or each client computer. Print jobs will be spooled (queued) on the Windows Server, and can be managed using the standard Windows Server tools.

For Windows XP and 2000, Use TCP/IP LPR Printing

Follow these instructions to set up TCP/IP printing on your Windows XP and 2000 PCs.

1

Install the FWG114P, connect your printer to the USB port on the FWG114P, and run the Windows Add Printer Wizard.

a. Follow the instructions in the printed Installation Guide or this manual to install your FWG114P. Connect your printer to the USB port on the back of the FWG114P.

b. From the Windows Start menu of a computer connected to the FWG114P, click **Printers and Faxes**.

c. Click **Add a printer**. Click **Next** to proceed.

d. Be sure to choose the **Local printer attached to this computer** option.

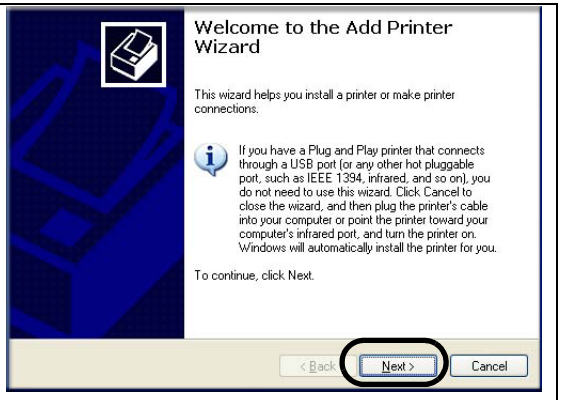
Click **Next** to proceed.

e. On the Select a Printer Port screen, be sure to choose the **Create a new port:** option.

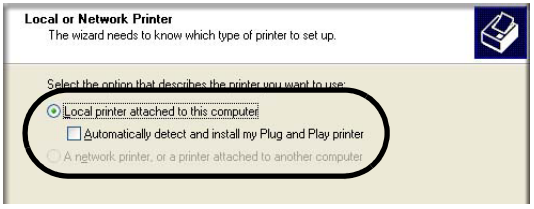
From the Type of port: drop-down list, be sure to select **Standard TCP/IP Port**.

Click **Next** to proceed.

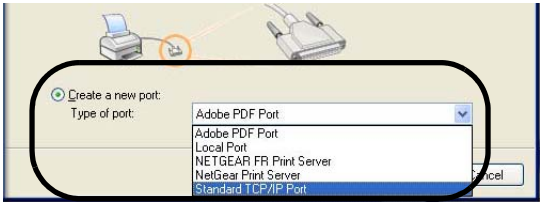
This will start the Add Standard TCP/IP Printer Port Wizard.



Add Printer Wizard



Local or Network Printer screen



Select a Printer Port screen

2

Complete the Add Standard TCP/IP Printer Port Wizard.

a. Click **Next** to proceed with the Add Standard TCP/IP Printer Port Wizard. The Add Port screen will display.

b. From the Add Port screen, enter **192.168.0.1**, the FWG114P default LAN IP address, in the IP Address field. **Note**: If you changed the default LAN IP Address of the FWG114P, be sure to use the address you assigned here. The Port Name is automatically filled in.

   Click **Next** to proceed.

c. In the Device Type section of the Additional Port Information Required screen, select **Custom**.

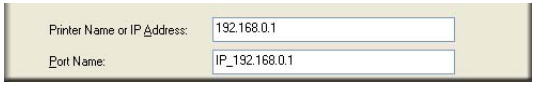
d. In the Custom selection, click **Settings.**

e. The Port Settings tab page opens. In the Protocol section, select the **LPR** radio button, and enter **FWG114P** as the Queue Name in the LPR Settings section. Click **OK** to close this tab page.

   Click **Next** to proceed.

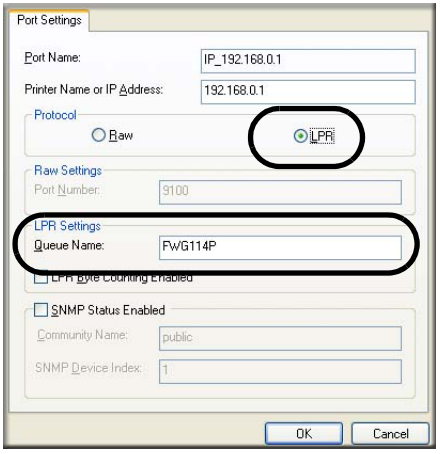
   The Add Printer Wizard will now prompt you to install the software for the printer you attached to the FWG114P.

Add Standard TCP/IP Printer Port Wizard



Add Port Screen

Additional Port Information Required



Additional Port Information Required

3

Identify the printer connected to FWG114P USB printer port.

a. From the Install Printer Software screen selection lists, find the manufacturer and model of the printer you connected to the USB port on the FWG114P.

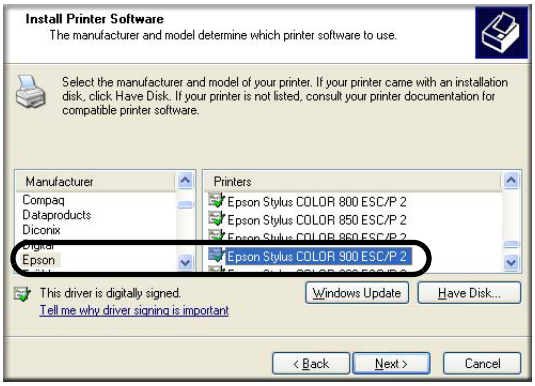
Click **Next** to proceed.

If the printer software is already installed on this computer, the Add Printer Wizard will inform you and let you keep the existing driver.

b. The Name Your Printer screen prompts for a descriptive name and if you want it to be the default. Enter your choices.

Click **Next** to proceed.

c. On the Printer Sharing screen, accept the "Do not share this printer" option and click **Next** to proceed.



Add Printer Wizard Install Printer Software page

If you do not see your make and model printer in the lists, and you are connected to the Internet, you can click the Windows Update button to download additional printer software from the Microsoft Web site, or you can click the Have Disk button to install the printer software from a disk you have.

4

Print a test page to verify successful printing on your network.

a. Upon completion of the Add Printer Wizard, you will be prompted to print a test page.

b. Check the printer attached to the FWG114P to see that the test page printed successfully.

If you are unable to print a test page, see "Troubleshooting the Print Server" on page -11.

Note: If two long files are sent to the printer at once, Windows will pop up a print failure error message. This message can be ignored. The file will print once the printer finishes printing the first file.

For Windows 95/98/Me, Use the Netgear Printer Port Driver

Follow these instructions to set up the Netgear Printer Port Drive on Windows 9x PCs.

1

Install the Netgear Printer Port Driver and configuration utility software.

a. Follow the instructions in the printed Installation Guide or this manual to install your FWG114P.

b. Connect your printer to the USB port on the back of the FWG114P.

c. Insert the Resource CD for the FWG114P into the CD-ROM drive of a computer connected to the FWG114P.

The CD main page shown at the right will load.

d. Click the **Print Server** button.

Follow the instructions for running the setup utility.

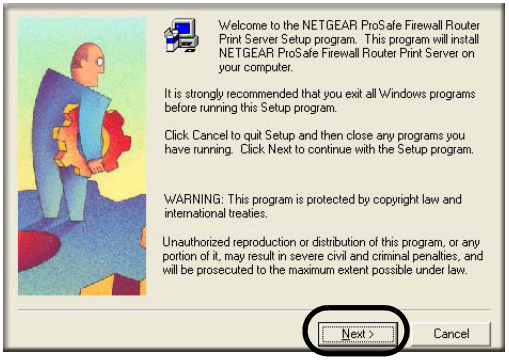
e. Click **Next** to proceed through the Netgear Printer Port Installation Wizard steps.

Note: Windows 2000 or XP may require you to be logged on with administrator rights.

Warning: If you are installing the Netgear printer port driver on a Windows computer where an Epson printer had been installed, you must disable the Epson Spool Manager. Failure to disable Epson Spool Manager software will prevent the Netgear printer port driver from operating.

To disable the Epson Spool Manager, run the Epson Spool Manager, select **Queue Setup** from the menu, click **Use Print Manager for this port**, and click **OK** to exit.

FWG114P Resource CD

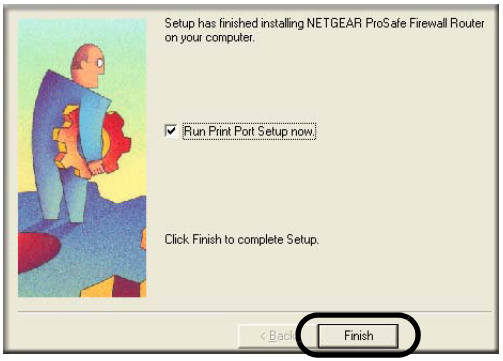


Netgear Printer Port Installation Wizard

2

Set up the Netgear printer port driver.

a. Click **Finish** when the Installation Wizard is done.



Netgear Printer Port Installation Wizard

The Printer Port Setup utility displays, and queries the network to locate the print server in the FWG114P.

After a short delay, the Printer Port Setup utility will display the port it finds in the FWG114P print server.

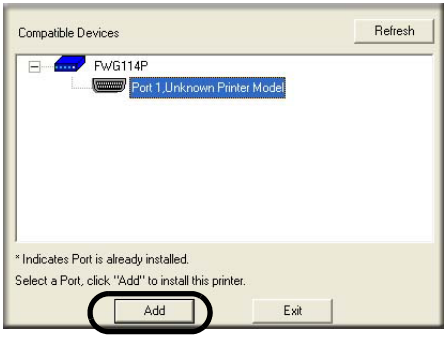
Note: Under Windows 95, you may receive an error message stating that SETUPAPI.DLL was not found. In this case, you should upgrade your Internet Explorer to version 5 or later.

b. Click **Add** to add this printer port to your computer.

The Printer Port Setup utility will report that Port FWG114P_P1 has been added to the computer.

c. Click **Exit** to exit the Printer Port Setup utility.

The Windows Add Printer Wizard automatically runs.



Netgear Printer Port Setup Utility

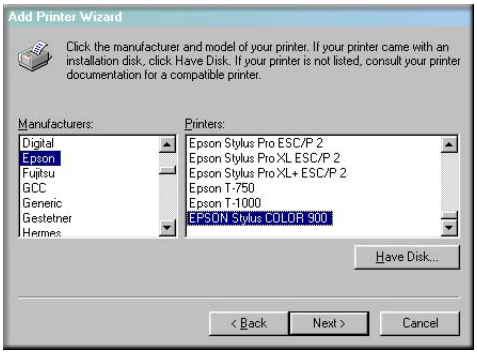
3

Identify the printer connected to the FWG114P USB printer port.

a. From the Add Printer Wizard screen selection lists, find the manufacturer and model of the printer you connected to the USB port on the FWG114P.

Click **Next** to proceed.

If the printer software is already installed on this PC, the Add Printer Wizard will inform you and let you keep the existing driver.



Windows Add Printer Wizard

If you do not see your make and model printer in the lists, and you are connected to the Internet, you can click the Windows Update button to download additional printer software from the Microsoft Web site, or you can click the Have Disk button to install the printer software from a disk you have.

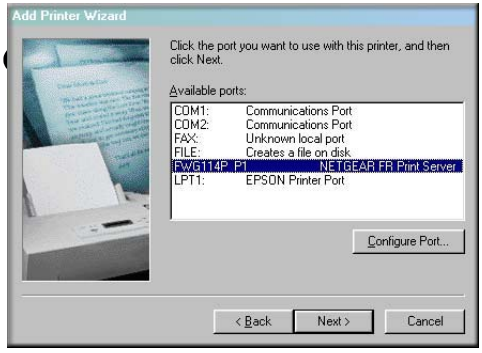
b. Be sure to select the **FWG114P_P1** port in the Add Printer Wizard.

Click **Next.**

c. The Name Your Printer screen prompts for a descriptive name and if you want it to be the default. Enter your choices.

If prompted about Sharing, do not enable Sharing.

Click **Next** to proceed and finish the Add Printer Wizard steps.



Windows Add Printer Wizard

4

Print a test page to verify successful printing on your network.

a. Upon completion of the Add Printer Wizard, print a test page.

- From the Windows Start menu, select Setup > Printers.
- Highlight the printer you just added.
- Right-click and the select **Properties**.
  The printer properties dialog box opens to the General tab page.
- On the General tab page, click **Print Test Page**.

b. Check the printer attached to the FWG114P to see that the test page printed successfully.

If you are unable to print a test page, see “Troubleshooting the Print Server“ on page -11.

Printing from the Macintosh

Macintosh computers can connect to a TCP/IP network printer using the Line Printer Remote (LPR) protocol. LPR printing can be set up on any Macintosh that has Desktop Printing installed or available. Desktop Printing is supported on MacOS versions beginning from 8.1. LaserWriter8 version 8.5.1 or higher is also required.

To configure the Macintosh to use the print server, follow these steps:

1. From the Apple Extras folder, under Apple LaserWriter Software, launch the Desktop Printing Utility. A new window titled New Desktop Printer appears.
2. Select LaserWriter 8 in the “With” drop-down menu.
3. Select Printer (LPR) and click OK. A new window called Untitled 1 will open.
4. If the PostScript Printer Description does not match your printer, click Change... and select your actual printer.
   If your printer model does not appear, click the Generic button.
5. Click OK to return to the Untitled 1 window.
6. In the LPR Printer Selection box, click Change...

7. In the Printer Address field, type the name or IP address of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/ Print Server.
   The IP address will usually be 192.168.0.1.
   You can leave the Queue Name blank.

   Click Verify to make sure your computer can see the printer.
   You should see the IP address displayed above the button. If no IP Address appears, check that you have correctly typed the queue name or IP Address.

   Click OK to return to the Untitled 1 window.

8. At the bottom of the Untitled 1 dialog box, click Create....

   When prompted, rename the printer with a descriptive name and click Save.
   A printer icon should now appear on your desktop.

9. Quit the Desktop Printer Utility.

Windows Printer Port Management

- Print jobs can be managed from Windows. Open the Printers folder (Start -> Settings -> Printers) and double-click any printer to see the current print jobs.
- To delete a port created by this setup program, use the Windows Delete Port facility:
  a. Right-click any printer in the Printers folder, and select Properties.
  b. Highlight the port you want to delete.
  c. Use the Delete Port button to delete the port. This button is on either the Details or Ports tab, depending on your version of Windows.
- If you change the printer attached to the FWG114P, run the Add Port program again and select the new printer.

The options for the Print Port Driver are accessed via the Windows Port Settings button.

Use Start -> Settings -> Printers to open the Printers folder, then right-click the Printer and select Properties. The Port Settings button is on either the Details or Port tab, depending on your version of Windows. An example screen is shown below:

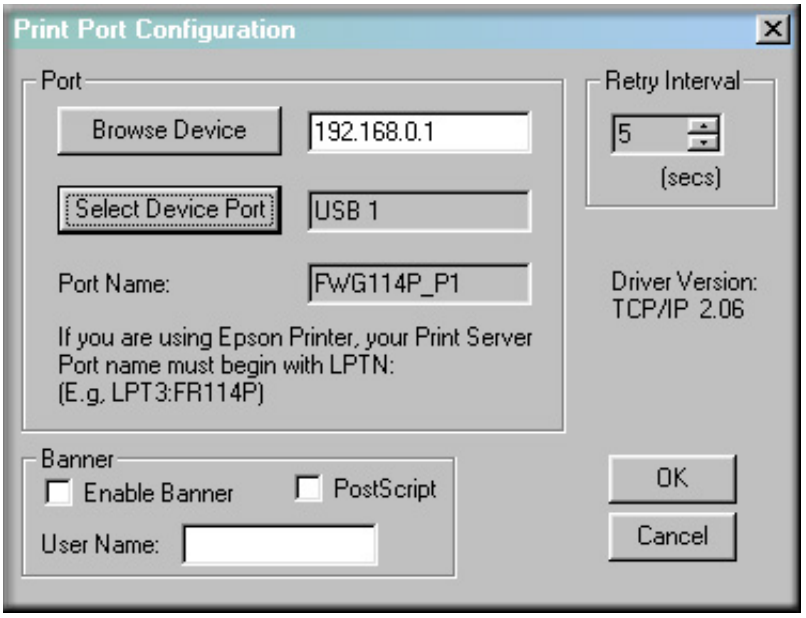


Figure 7-1: Print Port Configuration menu

Items shown on this screen are as follows:

- Port

  If desired, click Browse Device to select a different device. The Select Device Port button supports multi-port models, but the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server is a single-port print server. The Port Name is shown in the Printer's Properties.

- Banner

  Check this option to print a banner page before each print job. The User Name you enter will be printed on the banner page. If using a PostScript Printer, check the PostScript box.

- Retry Interval

  Determines how often Windows will poll the print server to establish a connection when the printer is busy.

Troubleshooting the Print Server

	**Note:** When the TCP/IP LPR configuration is used, if two long files are sent to the printer at once, Windows will pop up a print failure error message. This message can be ignored. The file will print once the printer finishes printing the first file. This does not happen when the Netgear Printer Port driver is used.

Question: When I tried to install the Printer Driver for Peer-to-Peer printing, I received an error message and the installation was aborted.

Answer: This may be caused by an existing installation of the printer port software. Before attempting another installation, remove the existing installation and restart your PC.

To remove an existing printer port installation:

a. Open Start -> Settings -> Control Panel -> Add/Remove Programs.

b. Look for an entry with a name like “NETGEAR ProSafe Firewall Router”, “NETGEAR Print Server”, "Print Server Driver" or "Print Server Port".

c. Select this item, click Add/Remove, and confirm the deletion.

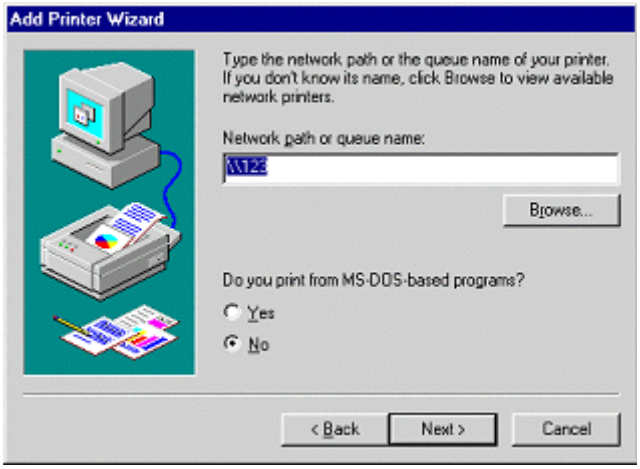
Question: I am using Windows 95. The Printer Driver installed and ran, but when I selected a port and clicked Add, the printer was not installed.

Answer: Try installing the printer using the standard Windows tools, as follows:

a. From Start -> Settings, open the Printers folder, and start the Add Printer Wizard.

b. When prompted, select Network Printer and click Next.

c. For Network Path or Queue, enter a dummy value, such as \\123, as shown below. Select NO for “Do you print from MS-DOS-based programs?”.



d. Click Next.

Figure 7-2: Windows Add Printer Wizard

e. The printer wizard will display a message stating that "The Network Printer is off-line". This is OK. Continue the Add Printer Wizard until finished.

f. When finished, go to Start -> Settings -> Printers. The new printer icon will be grayed out indicating the printer is not ready.

g. Right-click the new printer and select Properties. Then select the Details tab, as shown below.

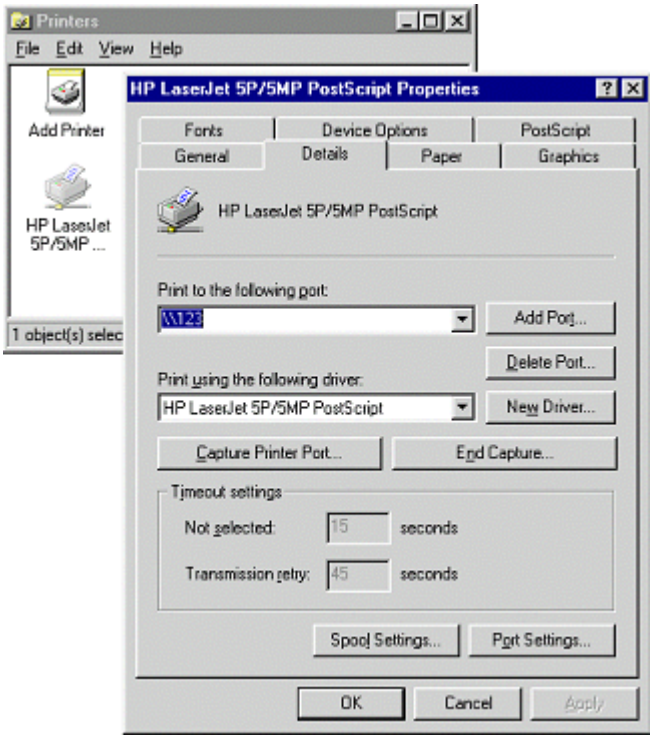
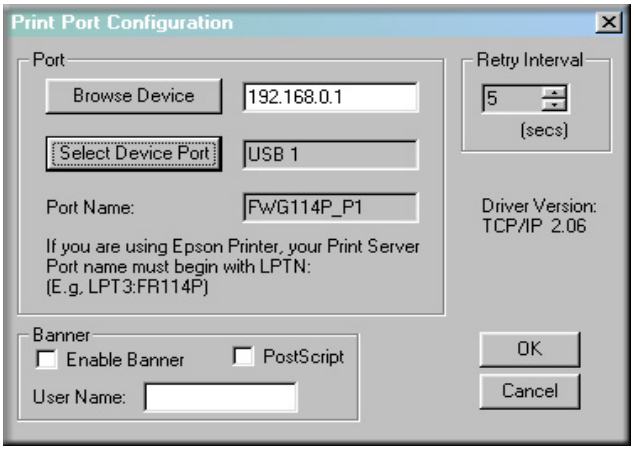


Figure 7-3: Windows Printer Properties

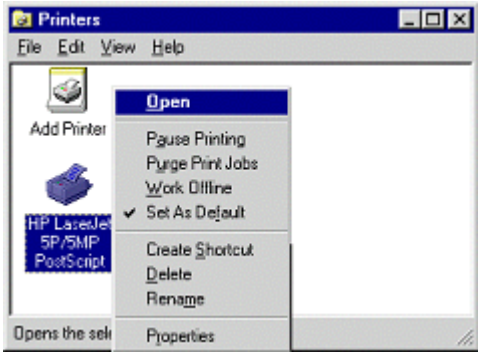
h. Click the Add Port button. On the resulting screen, select Other, then select the NETGEAR Print Server Port as the port to add.

i. Click OK to see the Print Port Configuration screen.

j. Click the Browse Device button, select the firewall, and click OK.



k. Click OK to return to the Printers folders, and right-click on the new printer. Make sure that the Work Offline option is NOT checked.



l. From the printer Properties page, General tab, print a test page to confirm that the settings work.

m. The new printer icon should no longer be grayed out, and the printer is ready for use.

Chapter 8
Virtual Private Networking

This chapter describes how to use the virtual private networking (VPN) features of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server. VPN tunnels provide secure, encrypted communications between your local network and a remote network or computer. The FWG114P supports 2 VPN tunnels.

Overview of FWG114P Policy-Based VPN Configuration

The FWG114P uses state-of-the-art firewall and security technology to facilitate controlled and actively monitored VPN connectivity. Since the FWG114P strictly conforms to IETF standards, it is interoperable with devices from major network equipment vendors.

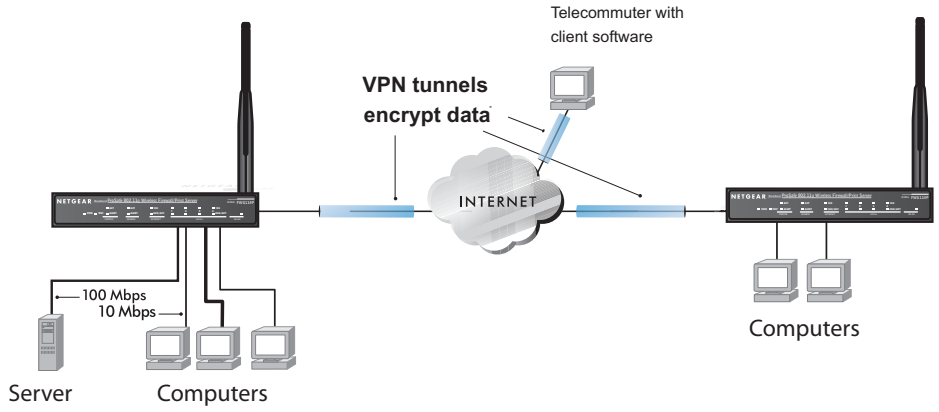


Figure 8-1: Secure access through FWG114P VPN routers

Using Policies to Manage VPN Traffic

You create policy definitions to manage VPN traffic on the FWG114P. There are two kinds of policies:

- **IKE Policies**: Define the authentication scheme and automatically generate the encryption keys. As an alternative option, to further automate the process, you can create an IKE policy which uses a trusted certificate authority to provide the authentication while the IKE policy still handles the encryption.
- **VPN Policies**: Apply the IKE policy to specific traffic which requires a VPN tunnel. Or, you can create a VPN policy which does not use an IKE policy but in which you manually enter all the authentication and key parameters.

Since the VPN policies use the IKE policies, you define the IKE policy first. The FWG114P also allows you to manually input the authentication scheme and encryption key values. In the case of manual key management there will not be any IKE policies.

In order to establish secure communication over the Internet with the remote site you need to configure matching VPN policies on both the local and remote FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Servers. The outbound VPN policy on one end must match to the inbound VPN policy on other end, and vice versa.

When the network traffic enters into the FWG114P from the LAN network interface, if there is no VPN policy found for a type of network traffic, then that traffic passes through without any change. However, if the traffic is selected by a VPN policy, then the IPSec authentication and encryption rules will be applied to it as defined in the VPN policy.

By default, a new VPN policy is added with the least priority, that is, at the end of the VPN policy table.

Using Automatic Key Management

The most common configuration scenarios will use IKE policies to automatically manage the authentication and encryption keys. Based on the IKE policy, some parameters for the VPN tunnel are generated automatically. The IKE protocols perform negotiations between the two VPN endpoints to automatically generate required parameters.

Some organizations will use an IKE policy with a Certificate Authority (CA) to perform authentication. Typically, CA authentication is used in large organizations which maintain their own internal CA server. This requires that each VPN gateway has a certificate from the CA. Using CAs reduces the amount of data entry required on each VPN endpoint.

IKE Policies' Automatic Key and Authentication Management

Click the IKE Policies link from the VPN section of the main menu, and then click the Add button of the IKE Policies screen to display the IKE Policy Configuration menu shown in Figure 8-2.

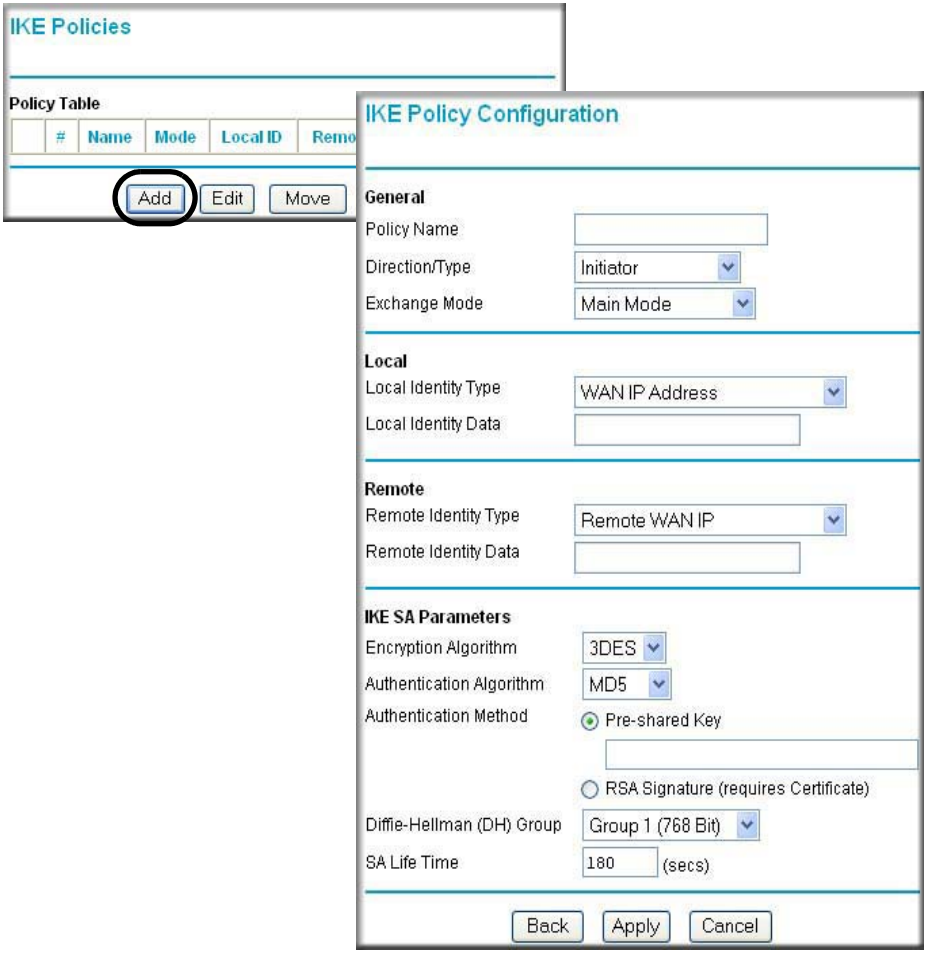


Figure 8-2: IKE - Policy Configuration Menu

The IKE Policy Configuration fields are defined in the following table.

Table 8-1. IKE Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
General	These settings identify this policy and determine its major characteristics.
Policy Name	The descriptive name of the IKE policy. Each policy should have a unique policy name. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN endpoint. It is only used to help you identify IKE policies.
Direction/Type	This setting is used when determining if the IKE policy matches the current traffic. The drop-down menu includes the following: • Initiator – Outgoing connections are allowed, but incoming are blocked. • Responder – Incoming connections are allowed, but outgoing are blocked. • Both Directions – Both outgoing and incoming connections are allowed. • Remote Access – This is to allow only incoming client connections, where the IP address of the remote client is unknown. If Remote Access is selected, the “Exchange Mode” MUST be “Aggressive,” and the ‘Identities’ below (both Local and Remote) MUST be “Name.” On the matching VPN Policy, the IP address of the remote VPN endpoint should be set to 0.0.0.0.
Exchange Mode	Main Mode or Aggressive Mode. This setting must match the setting used on the remote VPN endpoint. • Main Mode is slower but more secure. Also, the “Identity” below must be established by IP address. • Aggressive Mode is faster but less secure. The “Identity” below can be by name (host name, domain name, e-mail address, and so on) instead of by IP address.
Local	These parameters apply to the Local FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server.
Local Identity Type	Use this field to identify the local FWG114P. You can choose one of the following four options from the drop-down list: • By its Internet (WAN) port IP address. • By its Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) -- your domain name. • By a Fully Qualified User Name -- your name, E-mail address, or other ID. • By DER ASN.1 DN -- the binary DER encoding of your ASN.1 X.500 Distinguished Name.
Local Identity Data	This field lets you identify the local FWG114P by name.

Table 8-1. IKE Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
Remote	These parameters apply to the target remote FWG114P, VPN gateway, or VPN client.
Remote Identity Type	Use this field to identify the remote FWG114P. You can choose one of the following four options from the drop-down list: • By its Internet (WAN) port IP address. • By its Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) — your domain name. • By a Fully Qualified User Name — your name, e-mail address, or other ID. • By DER ASN.1 DN — the binary DER encoding of your ASN.1 X.500 Distinguished Name.
Remote Identity Data	This field lets you identify the target remote FWG114P by name.
IKE SA Parameters	These parameters determine the properties of the IKE Security Association.
Encryption Algorithm	Choose the encryption algorithm for this IKE policy: • DES is the default. • 3DES is more secure.
Authentication Algorithm	If you enable Authentication Header (AH), this menu lets you to select from these authentication algorithms: • MD5 is the default. • SHA-1 is more secure.
Authentication Method	You may select Pre-Shared Key or RSA Signature.
Pre-Shared Key	Specify the key according to the requirements of the Authentication Algorithm you selected. • For MD5, the key length should be 16 bytes. • For SHA-1, the key length should be 20 bytes.
RSA Signature	RSA Signature requires a certificate.
Diffie-Hellman (D-H) Group	The DH Group setting determines the bit size used in the key exchange. This must match the value used on the remote VPN gateway or client.
SA Life Time	The amount of time in seconds before the Security Association expires; over an hour (3600) is common.

VPN Policy Configuration for Auto Key Negotiation

An already defined IKE policy is required for VPN - Auto Policy configuration. From the VPN Policies section of the main menu, you can navigate to the VPN - Auto Policy configuration menu.

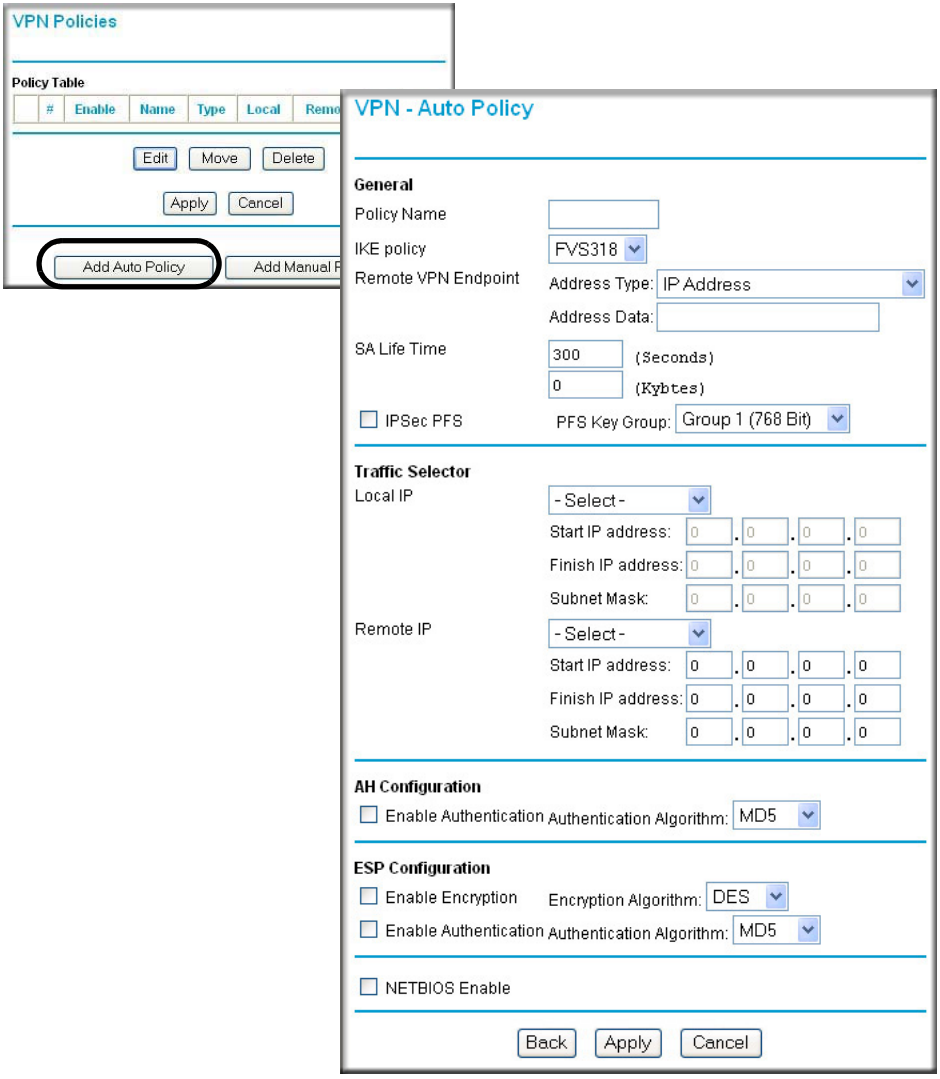


Figure 8-3: VPN - Auto Policy Menu

The VPN Auto Policy fields are defined in the following table.

Table 8-1. VPN Auto Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
General	These settings identify this policy and determine its major characteristics.
Policy Name	The descriptive name of the VPN policy. Each policy should have a unique policy name. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN endpoint. It is only used to help you identify VPN policies.
IKE Policy	The existing IKE policies are presented in a drop-down list. **Note:** Create the IKE policy BEFORE creating a VPN - Auto policy.
Remote VPN Endpoint	The address used to locate the remote VPN firewall or client to which you wish to connect. The remote VPN endpoint must have this FWG114P's Local IP values entered as its "Remote VPN Endpoint." • By its Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) — your domain name. • By its IP Address.
Address Type	The address type used to locate the remote VPN firewall or client to which you wish to connect. • By its Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) — your domain name. • By its IP Address.
Address Data	The address used to locate the remote VPN firewall or client to which you wish to connect. The remote VPN endpoint must have this FWG114P's Local Identity Data entered as its "Remote VPN Endpoint." • By its Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) — your domain name. • By its IP Address.
SA Life Time	The duration of the Security Association before it expires. • Seconds - the amount of time before the SA expires. Over an hour is common (3600). • Kbytes - the amount of traffic before the SA expires. One of these can be set without setting the other.
IPSec PFS	If enabled, security is enhanced by ensuring that the key is changed at regular intervals. Also, even if one key is broken, subsequent keys are no easier to break. Each key has no relationship to the previous key.
PFS Key Group	If PFS is enabled, this setting determines the DH group bit size used in the key exchange. This must match the value used on the remote gateway.

Table 8-1. VPN Auto Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
Traffic Selector	These settings determine if and when a VPN tunnel will be established. If network traffic meets *all* criteria, then a VPN tunnel will be created.
Local IP	The drop-down menu allows you to configure the source IP address of the outbound network traffic for which this VPN policy will provide security. Usually, this address will be from your network address space. The choices are: • Default: ANY for all valid IP addresses in the Internet address space **Note:** Selecting ANY means all traffic goes through the IPSec tunnel and prevents access to the Internet. • Single IP Address • Range of IP Addresses • Subnet Address
Remote IP	The drop-down menu allows you to configure the destination IP address of the outbound network traffic for which this VPN policy will provide security. Usually, this address will be from the remote site's corporate network address space. The choices are: • ANY for all valid IP addresses in the Internet address space **Note:** Selecting ANY means all traffic goes through the IPSec tunnel and prevents access to the Internet. • Single IP Address • Range of IP Addresses • Subnet Address
Authenticating Header (AH) Configuration	AH specifies the authentication protocol for the VPN header. These settings must match the remote VPN endpoint.
Enable Authentication	Use this checkbox to enable or disable AH for this VPN policy.
Authentication Algorithm	If you enable AH, then select the authentication algorithm: • MD5 is the default. • SHA1 is more secure.
Encapsulated Security Payload (ESP) Configuration	ESP provides security for the payload (data) sent through the VPN tunnel. Generally, you will want to enable both Encryption and Authentication. Two ESP modes are available: • Plain ESP encryption • ESP encryption with authentication These settings must match the remote VPN endpoint.

Table 8-1. VPN Auto Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
Enable Encryption	Use this checkbox to enable or disable ESP Encryption.
Encryption Algorithm	If you enable ESP encryption, then select the encryption algorithm: • DES is the default. • 3DES is more secure.
Enable Authentication	Use this checkbox to enable or disable ESP transform for this VPN policy. You can also select the ESP mode with this menu. Two ESP modes are available: • Plain ESP • ESP with authentication
Authentication Algorithm	If you enable AH, then use this menu to select which authentication algorithm will be employed. The choices are: • MD5 is the default. • SHA1 is more secure.
NETBIOS Enable	Check this if you wish NETBIOS traffic to be forwarded over the VPN tunnel. The NETBIOS protocol is used by Microsoft Networking for such features as Network Neighborhood.

VPN Policy Configuration for Manual Key Exchange

With Manual Key Management, you will not use an IKE policy. You must manually type in all the required key information. Click the VPN Policies link from the VPN section of the main menu to display the menu shown below.

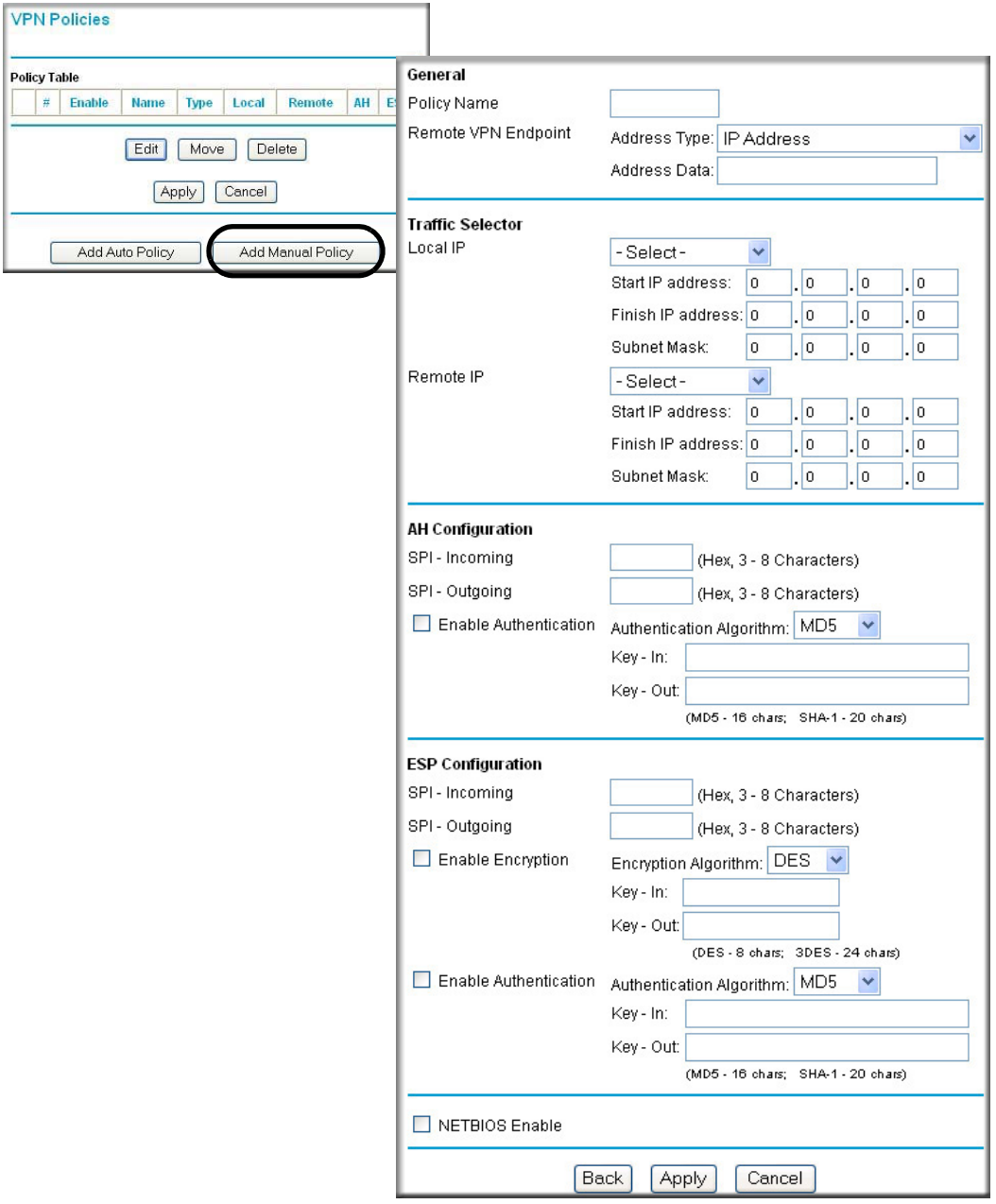


Figure 8-4: VPN - Manual Policy Menu

The VPN Manual Policy fields are defined in the following table.

Table 8-1. VPN Manual Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
General	These settings identify this policy and determine its major characteristics.
Policy Name	The name of the VPN policy. Each policy should have a unique policy name. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN Endpoint. It is used to help you identify VPN policies.
Remote VPN Endpoint	The WAN Internet IP address of the remote VPN firewall or client to which you wish to connect. The remote VPN endpoint must have this FWG114P's WAN Internet IP address entered as its "Remote VPN Endpoint."
Traffic Selector	These settings determine if and when a VPN tunnel will be established. If network traffic meets *all* criteria, then a VPN tunnel will be created.
Local IP	The drop down menu allows you to configure the source IP address of the outbound network traffic for which this VPN policy will provide security. Usually, this address will be from your network address space. The choices are: • ANY for all valid IP addresses in the Internet address space **Note:** Selecting ANY means all traffic goes through the IPSec tunnel and prevents access to the Internet. • Single IP Address • Range of IP Addresses • Subnet Address
Remote IP	The drop down menu allows you to configure the destination IP address of the outbound network traffic for which this VPN policy will provide security. Usually, this address will be from the remote site's corporate network address space. The choices are: • ANY for all valid IP addresses in the Internet address space **Note:** Selecting ANY means all traffic goes through the IPSec tunnel and prevents access to the Internet. • Single IP Address • Range of IP Addresses • Subnet Address

Table 8-1. VPN Manual Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
Authenticating Header (AH) Configuration	AH specifies the authentication protocol for the VPN header. These settings must match the remote VPN endpoint. **Note:** The "Incoming" settings here must match the "Outgoing" settings on the remote VPN endpoint, and the "Outgoing" settings here must match the "Incoming" settings on the remote VPN endpoint.
SPI - Incoming	Enter a Hex value (3 - 8 chars). Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its "Outgoing SPI" field.
SPI - Outgoing	Enter a Hex value (3 - 8 chars). Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its "Incoming SPI" field.
Enable Authentication	Use this checkbox to enable or disable AH. Authentication is often not used. In this case, leave the checkbox unchecked.
Authentication Algorithm	If you enable AH, then select the authentication algorithm: • MD5 is the default. • SHA1 is more secure.
	Enter the keys in the fields provided. For MD5, the keys should be 16 characters. For SHA-1, the keys should be 20 characters.
Key - In	Enter the keys. • For MD5, the keys should be 16 characters. • For SHA-1, the keys should be 20 characters. Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its Authentication Algorithm "Key - Out" field.
Key - Out	Enter the keys in the fields provided. • For MD5, the keys should be 16 characters. • For SHA-1, the keys should be 20 characters. Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its Authentication Algorithm "Key - In" field.
Encapsulated Security Payload (ESP) Configuration	ESP provides security for the payload (data) sent through the VPN tunnel. Generally, you will want to enable both encryption and authentication when you use ESP. Two ESP modes are available: • Plain ESP encryption • ESP encryption with authentication These settings must match the remote VPN endpoint.
SPI - Incoming	Enter a Hex value (3 - 8 chars). Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its "Outgoing SPI" field.

Table 8-1. VPN Manual Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
SPI - Outgoing	Enter a Hex value (3 - 8 chars). Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its "Incoming SPI" field.
Enable Encryption	Use this checkbox to enable or disable ESP Encryption.
Encryption Algorithm	If you enable ESP Encryption, then select the Encryption Algorithm: • DES is the default. • 3DES is more secure.
Key - In	Enter the key in the fields provided. • For DES, the key should be 8 characters. • For 3DES, the key should be 24 characters. Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its Encryption Algorithm "Key - Out" field.
Key - Out	Enter the key in the fields provided. • For DES, the key should be 8 characters. • For 3DES, the key should be 24 characters. Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its Encryption Algorithm "Key - In" field.
Enable Authentication	Use this checkbox to enable or disable ESP authentication for this VPN policy.
Authentication Algorithm	If you enable authentication, then use this menu to select the algorithm: • MD5 is the default. • SHA1 is more secure.
Key - In	Enter the key. • For MD5, the key should be 16 characters. • For SHA-1, the key should be 20 characters. Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its Authentication Algorithm "Key - Out" field.

Table 8-1. VPN Manual Policy Configuration Fields

Field	Description
Key - Out	Enter the key in the fields provided. • For MD5, the key should be 16 characters. • For SHA-1, the key should be 20 characters. Any value is acceptable, provided the remote VPN endpoint has the same value in its Authentication Algorithm "Key - In" field.
NETBIOS Enable	Check this if you wish NETBIOS traffic to be forwarded over the VPN tunnel. The NETBIOS protocol is used by Microsoft Networking for such features as Network Neighborhood.

Using Digital Certificates for IKE Auto-Policy Authentication

Digital certificates are strings generated using encryption and authentication schemes which cannot be duplicated by anyone without access to the different values used in the production of the string. They are issued by Certification Authorities (CAs) to authenticate a person or a workstation uniquely. The CAs are authorized to issue these certificates by Policy Certification Authorities (PCAs), who are in turn certified by the Internet Policy Registration Authority (IPRA). The FWG114P is able to use certificates to authenticate users at the end points during the IKE key exchange process.

The certificates can be obtained from a certificate server an organization might maintain internally or from the established public CAs. The certificates are produced by providing the particulars of the user being identified to the CA. The information provided may include the user's name, e-mail ID, domain name, and so on.

Each CA has its own certificate. The certificates of a CA are added to the FWG114P and can then be used to form IKE policies for the user. Once a CA certificate is added to the FWG114P and a certificate is created for a user, the corresponding IKE policy is added to the FWG114P. Whenever the user tries to send traffic through the FWG114P, the certificates are used in place of pre-shared keys during initial key exchange as the authentication and key generation mechanism. Once the keys are established and the tunnel is set up the connection proceeds according to the VPN policy.

Certificate Revocation List (CRL)

Each Certification Authority (CA) maintains a list of the revoked certificates. The list of these revoked certificates is known as the Certificate Revocation List (CRL).

Whenever an IKE policy receives the certificate from a peer, it checks for this certificate in the CRL on the FWG114P obtained from the corresponding CA. If the certificate is not present in the CRL it means that the certificate is not revoked. IKE can then use this certificate for authentication. If the certificate is present in the CRL it means that the certificate is revoked, and the IKE will not authenticate the client.

You must manually update the FWG114P CRL regularly in order for the CA-based authentication process to remain valid.

Walk-Through of Configuration Scenarios on the FWG114P

There are a variety of configurations you might implement with the FWG114P. The scenarios listed below illustrate typical configurations you might use in your organization.

In order to help make it easier to set up an IPsec system, the following two scenarios are provided. These scenarios were developed by the VPN Consortium (*http://www.vpnc.org*). The goal is to make it easier to get the systems from different vendors to interoperate. NETGEAR is providing you with both of these scenarios in the following two formats:

- VPN Consortium Scenarios without Any Product Implementation Details as presented in "VPNC Scenario 1: Gateway to Gateway with Preshared Secrets" on page 8-19 and "VPNC Scenario 2: Gateway-to-Gateway with Certificates" on page 8-25.
- VPN Consortium Scenarios Based on the FWG114P User Interface as presented in "Scenario 1: FWG114P to FWG114P with Preshared Secrets" on page 8-20 and "Scenario 2: FWG114P to FWG114P with Certificates" on page 8-26.

The purpose of providing these two versions of the same scenarios is to help you determine where the two vendors use different vocabulary. Seeing the examples presented in these different ways will reveal how systems from different vendors do the same thing.

How to Use the VPN Wizard to Configure a VPN Tunnel

Note: If you have turned NAT off, before configuring VPN IPSec tunnels you must first open UDP port 500 for inbound traffic as explained in "Example: Port Forwarding for VPN Tunnels when NAT is Off" on page 6-8.

Follow this procedure to configure a VPN tunnel using the VPN Wizard.

Note: The LAN IP address ranges of each VPN endpoint must be different. The connection will fail if both are using the NETGEAR default address range of 192.168.0.x.

1. Log in to the FVS318 on LAN A at its default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1* with its default user name of **admin** and password of **password**. Click the VPN Wizard link in the main menu to display this screen. Click **Next** to proceed.

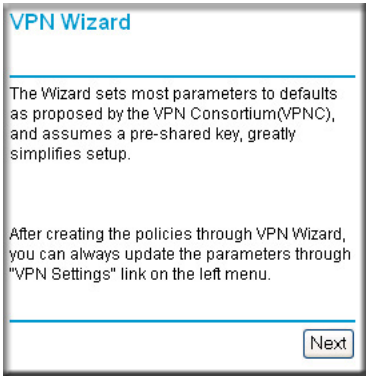


Figure 8-5: VPN Wizard Start Screen

2. Fill in the Connection Name, pre-shared key, and select the type of target end point, and click **Next** to proceed.

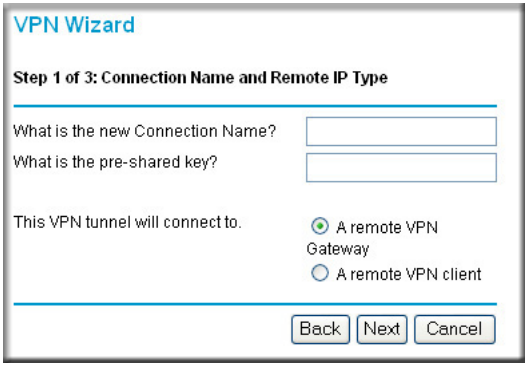


Figure 8-6: Connection Name and Remote IP Type

3. Fill in the IP Address or FQDN for the target VPN endpoint WAN connection and click **Next**.

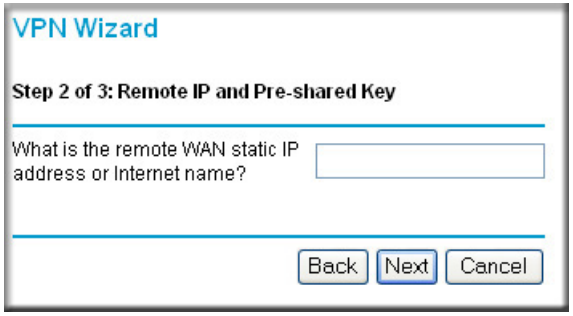


Figure 8-7: Remote IP

4. Identify the IP addresses at the target endpoint which can use this tunnel, and click **Next**.

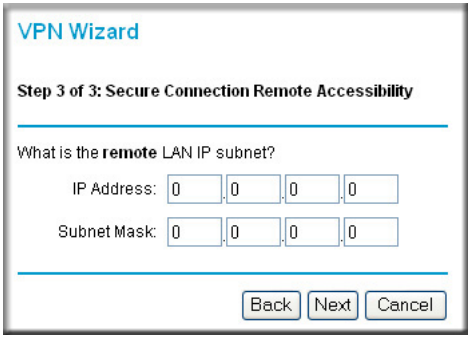


Figure 8-8: Secure Connection Remote Accessibility

The Summary screen below displays.

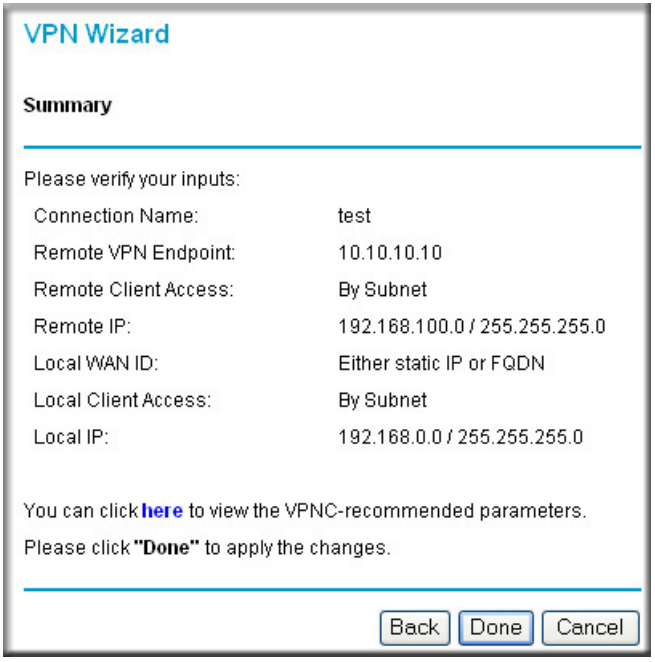


Figure 8-9: VPN Wizard Summary

To view the VPNC recommended authentication and encryption Phase 1 and Phase 2 settings the VPN Wizard used, click the "**here**" link.

5. Click **Done** to complete the configuration procedure. The VPN Settings menu displays showing that the new tunnel is enabled

   To view or modify the tunnel settings, select the radio button next to the tunnel entry and click Edit.

VPNC Scenario 1: Gateway to Gateway with Preshared Secrets

The following is a typical gateway-to-gateway VPN that uses a preshared secret for authentication.

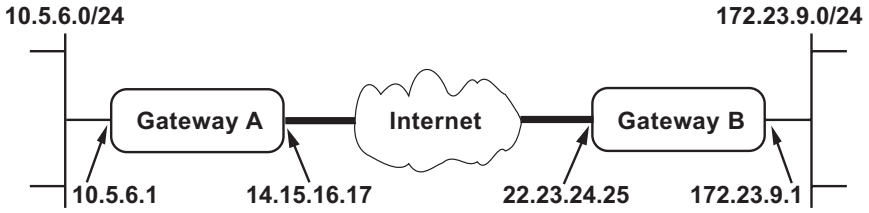


Figure 8-10: VPN Consortium Scenario 1

Gateway A connects the internal LAN 10.5.6.0/24 to the Internet. Gateway A's LAN interface has the address 10.5.6.1, and its WAN (Internet) interface has the address 14.15.16.17.

Gateway B connects the internal LAN 172.23.9.0/24 to the Internet. Gateway B's WAN (Internet) interface has the address 22.23.24.25. Gateway B's LAN interface address, 172.23.9.1, can be used for testing IPsec but is not needed for configuring Gateway A.

The IKE Phase 1 parameters used in Scenario 1 are:

- Main mode
- TripleDES
- SHA-1
- MODP group 2 (1024 bits)
- pre-shared secret of "hr5xb84l6aa9r6"
- SA lifetime of 28800 seconds (eight hours) with no kbytes rekeying

The IKE Phase 2 parameters used in Scenario 1 are:

- TripleDES
- SHA-1
- ESP tunnel mode
- MODP group 2 (1024 bits)
- Perfect forward secrecy for rekeying
- SA lifetime of 3600 seconds (one hour) with no kbytes rekeying
- Selectors for all IP protocols, all ports, between 10.5.6.0/24 and 172.23.9.0/24, using IPv4 subnets

Scenario 1: FWG114P to FWG114P with Preshared Secrets

Note: This scenario assumes all ports are open on the FWG114P. You can verify this by reviewing the security settings as seen in the "Rules menu" on page 6-5.

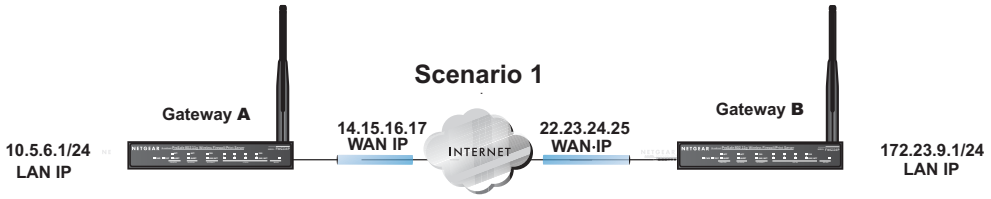


Figure 8-11: LAN to LAN VPN access from an FWG114P to an FWG114P

Use this scenario illustration and configuration screens as a model to build your configuration.

1. **Log in to the FWG114P labeled Gateway A as in the illustration.**

   Log in at the default address of *http://192.168.0.1* with the default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**, or using whatever password and LAN address you have chosen.

2. **Configure the WAN (Internet) and LAN IP addresses of the FWG114P.**

   a. From the main menu Setup section, click on the Basic Setup link.

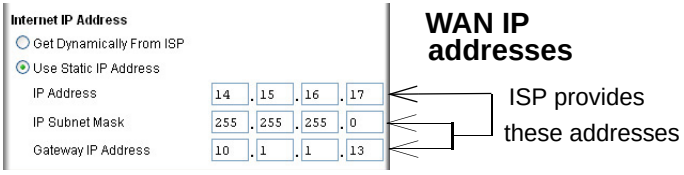


Figure 8-12: FWG114P Internet IP Address menu

   b. Configure the WAN Internet Address according to the settings above and click Apply to save your settings. For more information on configuring the WAN IP settings in the Basic Setup topics, please see "Manually Configuring Your Internet Connection" on page 3-17.

c. From the main menu Advanced section, click on the LAN IP Setup link.

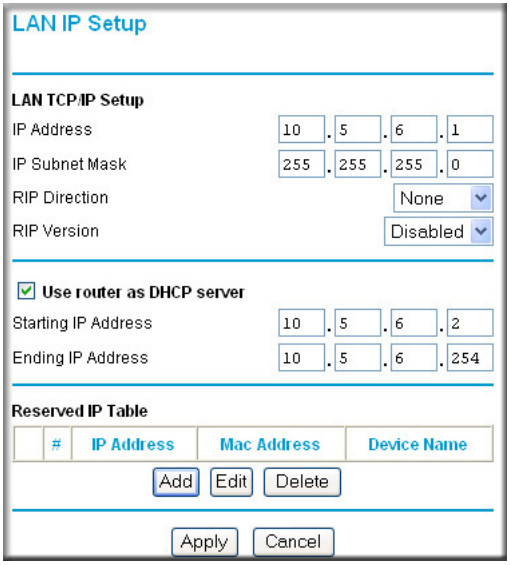


Figure 8-13: LAN IP configuration menu

d. Configure the LAN IP address according to the settings above and click Apply to save your settings. For more information on LAN TCP/IP setup topics, please see "Using the LAN IP Setup Options" on page 10-5.

Note: After you click Apply to change the LAN IP address settings, your workstation will be disconnected from the FWG114P. You will have to log on with *http://10.5.6.1*, which is now the address you use to connect to the built-in web-based configuration manager of the FWG114P.

3. Set up the IKE Policy illustrated below on the FWG114P.

a. From the main menu VPN section, click on the IKE Policies link, and then click the Add button to display the screen below.

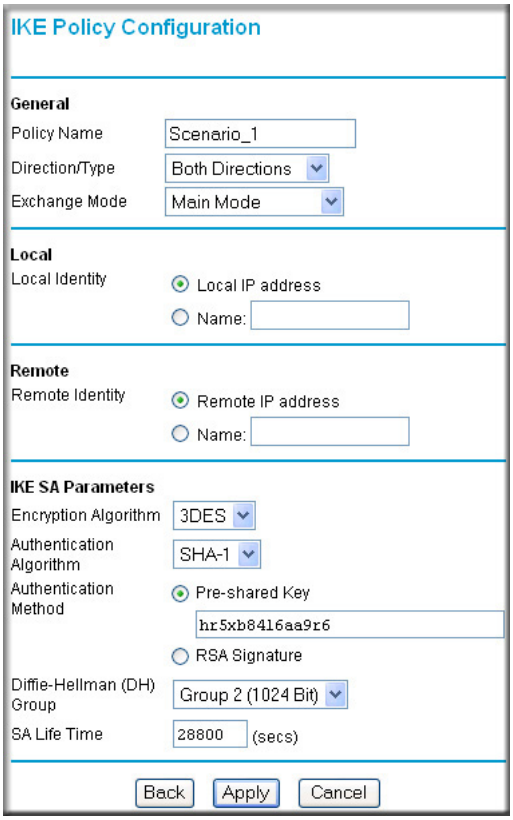


Figure 8-14: Scenario 1 IKE Policy

b. Configure the IKE Policy according to the settings in the illustration above and click Apply to save your settings. For more information on IKE Policy topics, please see "IKE Policies' Automatic Key and Authentication Management" on page 8-3.

4. Set up the FWG114P VPN -Auto Policy illustrated below.

a. From the main menu VPN section, click on the VPN Policies link, and then click on the Add Auto Policy button.

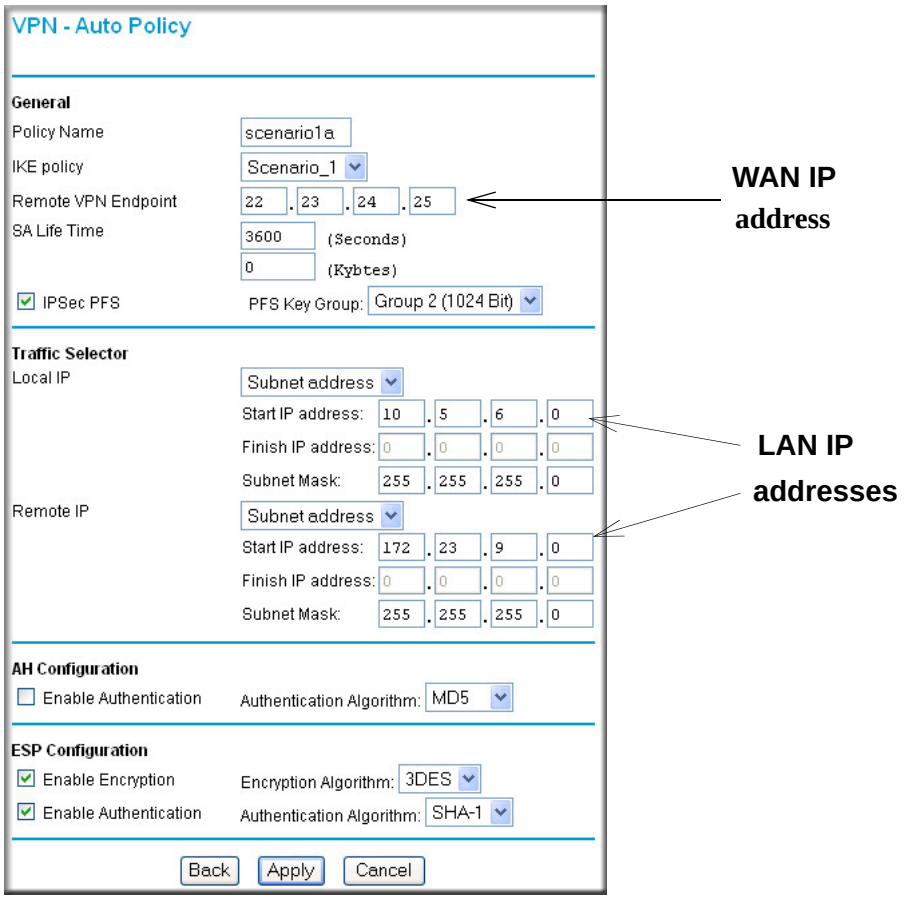


Figure 8-15: Scenario 1 VPN - Auto Policy

b. Configure the IKE Policy according to the settings in the illustration above and click Apply to save your settings. For more information on IKE Policy topics, please see "IKE Policies' Automatic Key and Authentication Management" on page 8-3.
Note: Selecting ANY for the Traffic Selectors means all traffic goes through the IPSec tunnel and prevents access to the Internet.

5. After applying these changes, all traffic from the range of LAN IP addresses specified on FWG114P A and FWG114P B will flow over a secure VPN tunnel.

How to Check VPN Connections

You can test connectivity and view VPN status information on the FWG114P.

1. To test connectivity between the Gateway A FWG114P LAN and the Gateway B LAN, follow these steps:
   a. Using our example, from a PC attached to the FWG114P on LAN A, on a Windows PC click the Start button on the taskbar and then click Run.
   b. Enter **`ping -t 172.23.9.1`**, and then click OK.
   c. This will cause a continuous ping to be sent to the LAN interface of Gateway B. After between several seconds and two minutes, the ping response should change from "timed out" to "reply."
   d. At this point the connection is established.
2. To test connectivity between the FWG114P Gateway A and Gateway B WAN ports, follow these steps:
   a. Using our example, log in to the FWG114P on LAN A, go to the main menu Maintenance section and click the Diagnostics link.
   b. To test connectivity to the WAN port of Gateway B, enter **`22.23.24.25`**, and then click Ping.
   c. This will cause a ping to be sent to the WAN interface of Gateway B. After between several seconds and two minutes, the ping response should change from "timed out" to "reply." You may have to run this test several times before you get the "reply" message back from the target FWG114P.
   d. At this point the connection is established.

   Note: If you want to ping the FWG114P as a test of network connectivity, be sure the FWG114P is configured to respond to a ping on the Internet WAN port by checking the checkbox seen in "Rules menu" on page 6-5. However, to preserve a high degree of security, you should turn off this feature when you are finished with testing.
3. To view the FWG114P event log and status of Security Associations, follow these steps:
   a. Go to the FWG114P main menu VPN section and click the VPN Status link.
   b. The log screen will display a history of the VPN connections, and the IPSec SA and IKE SA tables will report the status and data transmission statistics of the VPN tunnels for each policy.

VPNC Scenario 2: Gateway-to-Gateway with Certificates

The following is a typical gateway-to-gateway VPN that uses PKIX certificates for authentication.

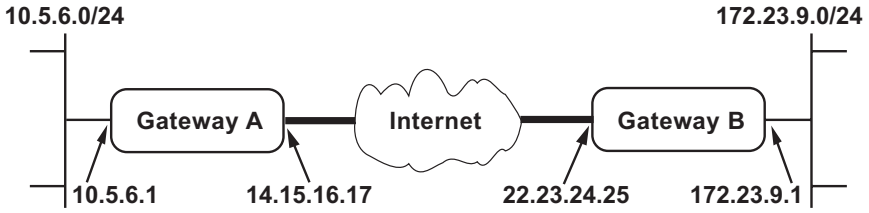


Figure 8-16: VPN Consortium Scenario 2

Gateway A connects the internal LAN 10.5.6.0/24 to the Internet. Gateway A's LAN interface has the address 10.5.6.1, and its WAN (Internet) interface has the address 14.15.16.17.

Gateway B connects the internal LAN 172.23.9.0/24 to the Internet. Gateway B's WAN (Internet) interface has the address 22.23.24.25. Gateway B's LAN interface address, 172.23.9.1, can be used for testing IPsec but is not needed for configuring Gateway A.

The **IKE Phase 1 parameters** used in Scenario 2 are:

- Main mode
- TripleDES
- SHA-1
- MODP group 2 (1024 bits)
- Authentication with signatures authenticated by PKIX certificates; both Gateway A and Gateway B have end-entity certificates that chain to a root authority called "Trusted Root CA."
- SA lifetime of 28800 seconds (eight hours) with no kbytes rekeying

The **IKE Phase 2 parameters** used in Scenario 2 are:

- TripleDES
- SHA-1
- ESP tunnel mode
- MODP group 2 (1024 bits)
- Perfect forward secrecy for rekeying
- SA lifetime of 3600 seconds (one hour) with no kbytes rekeying

- Selectors for all IP protocols, all ports, between 10.5.6.0/24 and 172.23.9.0/24, using IPv4 subnets

Scenario 2: FWG114P to FWG114P with Certificates

The following is a typical gateway-to-gateway VPN that uses Public Key Infrastructure x.509 (PKIX) certificates for authentication. The network setup is identical to the one given in scenario 1. The IKE Phase 1 and Phase 2 parameters are identical to the ones given in scenario 1, with the exception that the identification is done with signatures authenticated by PKIX certificates.

Note: Before completing this configuration scenario, make sure the correct Time Zone is set on the FWG114P. For instructions on this topic, please see, "Setting the Time Zone" on page 6-13.

1. **Obtain a root certificate.**
   a. Obtain the root certificate (which includes the public key) from a Certificate Authority (CA)

      Note: The procedure for obtaining certificates differs from a CA like Verisign and a CA, such as a Windows 2000 certificate server, which an organization operates for providing certificates for its members. For example, an administrator of a Windows 2000 certificate server might provide it to you via e-mail.

   b. Save the certificate as a text file called *trust.txt*.
2. **Install the trusted CA certificate for the Trusted Root CA.**
   a. Log in to the FWG114P.
   b. From the main menu VPN section, click on the CA's link.
   c. Click Add to add a CA.
   d. Click Browse to locate the *trust.txt* file.
   e. Click Upload.
3. **Create a certificate request for the FWG114P.**
   a. From the main menu VPN section, click the Certificates link.

b. Click the Generate Request button to display the screen illustrated in Figure 8-17 below.

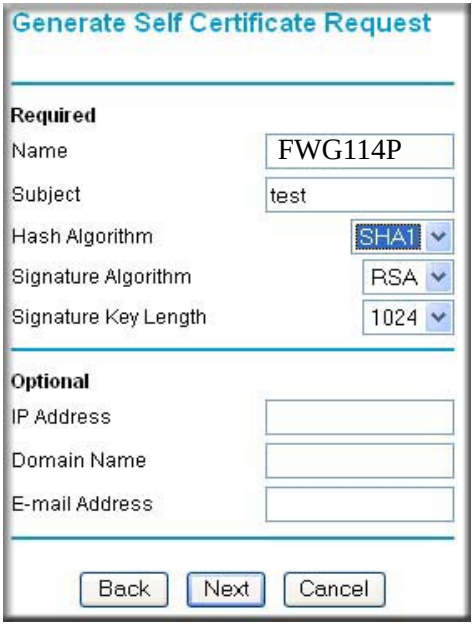


Figure 8-17: Generate Self Certificate Request menu

c. Fill in the fields on the Add Self Certificate screen.

- Required
  - Name. Enter a name to identify this certificate.
  - Subject. This is the name which other organizations will see as the holder (owner) of this certificate. This should be your registered business name or official company name. Generally, all certificates should have the same value in the Subject field.
  - Hash Algorithm. Select the desired option: MD5 or SHA1.
  - Signature Algorithm. Select the desired option: DSS or RSA.
  - Signature Key Length. Select the desired option: 512, 1024, or 2048.
- Optional
  - IP Address. If you use “IP type” in the IKE policy, you should input the IP Address here. Otherwise, you should leave this blank.
  - Domain Name. If you have a domain name, you can enter it here. Otherwise, you should leave this blank.

– E-mail Address. You can enter your e-mail address here.

d. Click the Next button to continue. The FWG114P generates a Self Certificate Request as shown below.

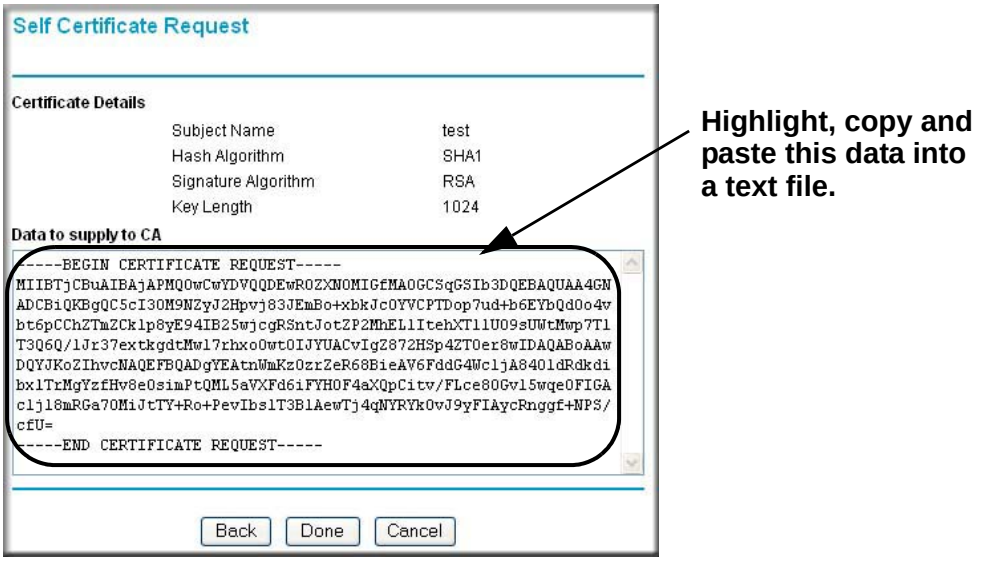


Figure 8-18: Self Certificate Request data

4. Transmit the Self Certificate Request data to the Trusted Root CA.

a. Highlight the text in the Data to supply to CA area, copy it, and paste it into a text file.

b. Give the certificate request data to the CA. In the case of a Windows 2000 internal CA, you might simply e-mail it to the CA administrator. The procedures of a CA like Verisign and a CA, such as a Windows 2000 certificate server administrator will differ. Follow the procedures of your CA.

c. When you have finished gathering the Self Certificate Request data, click the Done button. You will return to the Certificates screen where your pending "FWG114P" Self Certificate Request will be listed, as illustrated in Figure 8-19 below.

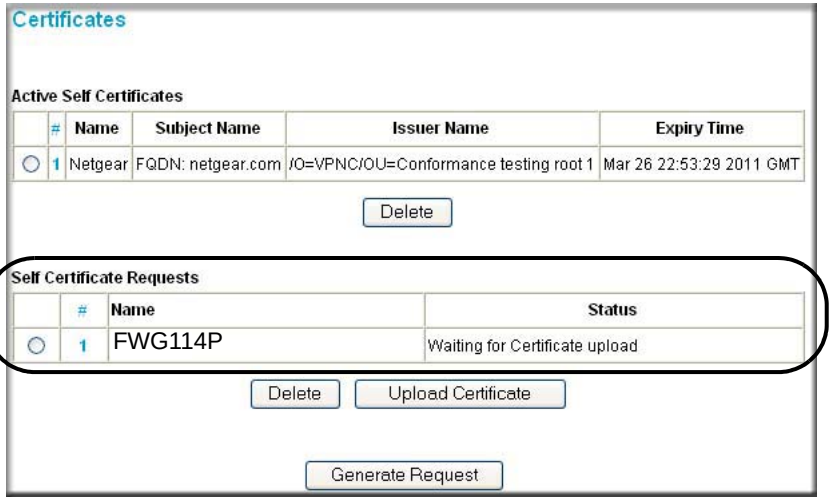


Figure 8-19: Self Certificate Requests table

5. Receive the certificate back from the Trusted Root CA and save it as a text file.

Note: In the case of a Windows 2000 internal CA, the CA administrator might simply e-mail it to back to you. Follow the procedures of your CA. Save the certificate you get back from the CA as a text file called *final.txt*.

6. Upload the new certificate.

a. From the main menu VPN section, click on the Certificates link.

b. Click the radio button of the Self Certificate Request you want to upload.

c. Click the Upload Certificate button.

d. Browse to the location of the file you saved in step 5 above which contains the certificate from the CA.

e. Click the Upload button.

f. You will now see the “FWG114P” entry in the Active Self Certificates table and the pending “FWG114P” Self Certificate Request is gone, as illustrated below.

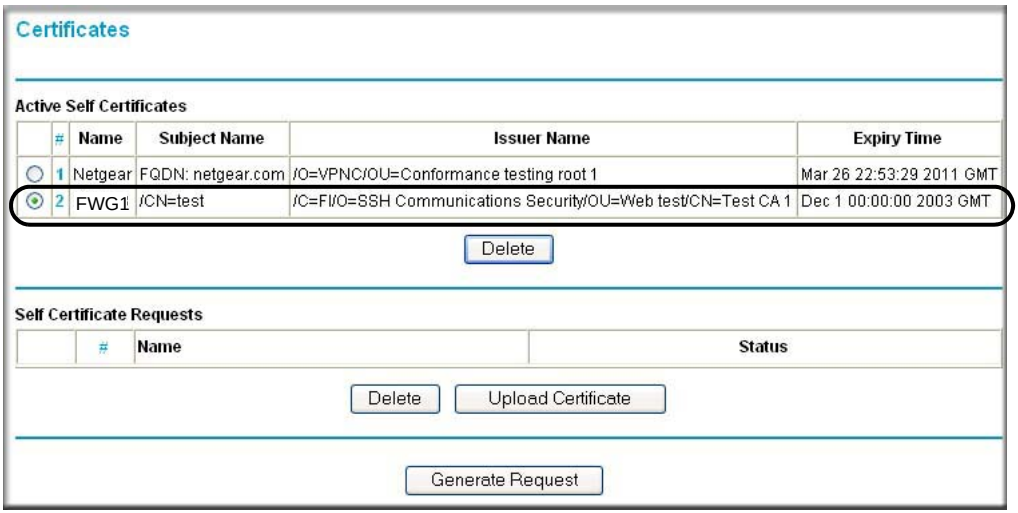


Figure 8-20: Self Certificates table

7. Associate the new certificate and the Trusted Root CA certificate on the FWG114P.

a. Create a new IKE policy called **Scenario_2** with all the same properties of **Scenario_1** (see “Scenario 1 IKE Policy” on page 8-22) except now use the RSA Signature instead of the shared key.

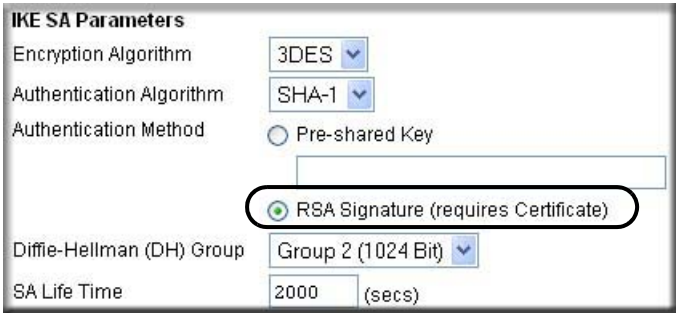


Figure 8-21: IKE policy using RSA Signature

b. Create a new VPN Auto Policy called **scenario2a** with all the same properties as **scenario1a** except that it uses the IKE policy called Scenario_2.

Now, the traffic from devices within the range of the LAN subnet addresses on FWG114P A and Gateway B will be authenticated using the certificates rather than via a shared key.

8. Set up Certificate Revocation List (CRL) checking.

a. Get a copy of the CRL from the CA and save it as a text file.

Note: The procedure for obtaining a CRL differs from a CA like Verisign and a CA, such as a Windows 2000 certificate server, which an organization operates for providing certificates for its members. Follow the procedures of your CA.

b. From the main menu VPN section, click on the CRL link.

c. Click Add to add a CRL.

d. Click Browse to locate the CRL file.

e. Click Upload.

Now expired or revoked certificates will not be allowed to use the VPN tunnels managed by IKE policies which use this CA.

Note: You must update the CRLs regularly in order to maintain the validity of the certificate-based VPN policies.

Netgear VPN Client to FWG114P

Follow these procedures to configure a VPN tunnel from a NETGEAR ProSafe VPN Client to an FWG114P. This case study follows the Virtual Private Network Consortium (VPNC) interoperability profile guidelines. The menu options for the FVS328, FVL328, FWAG114, and FWG114P are the same.

Configuration Profile

The configuration in this document follows the addressing and configuration mechanics defined by the VPN Consortium. Gather all the necessary information before you begin the configuration process. Verify whether the firmware is up to date, all of the addresses that will be necessary, and all of the parameters that need to be set on both sides. Check that there are no firewall restrictions.

Table 8-1. Summary

VPN Consortium Scenario:		Scenario 1
Type of VPN		PC/Client-to-Gateway
Security Scheme:		IKE with Preshared Secret/Key (not Certificate-based)
Date Tested:		December 2003
Model/Firmware Tested:		
	Gateway	FWG114P firmware v 2.2
	Client	NETGEAR ProSafe VPN Client v10.1
IP Addressing:		
	Gateway	Static IP address
	Client	Dynamic

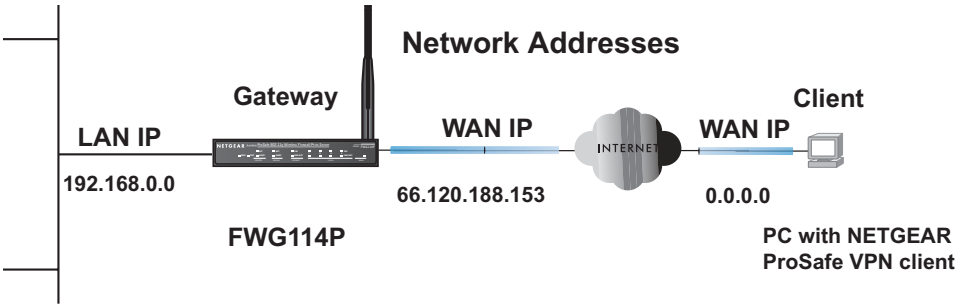


Figure 8-22: Addressing and Subnet Used for Examples

Step-By-Step Configuration of FWG114P Gateway

1. Log in to the FWG114P gateway as in the illustration.

   Out of the box, the FWG114P is set for its default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1*, with its default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**.

2. Click **IKE Policies** under the VPN menu and click **Add** on the IKE Policies Menu.

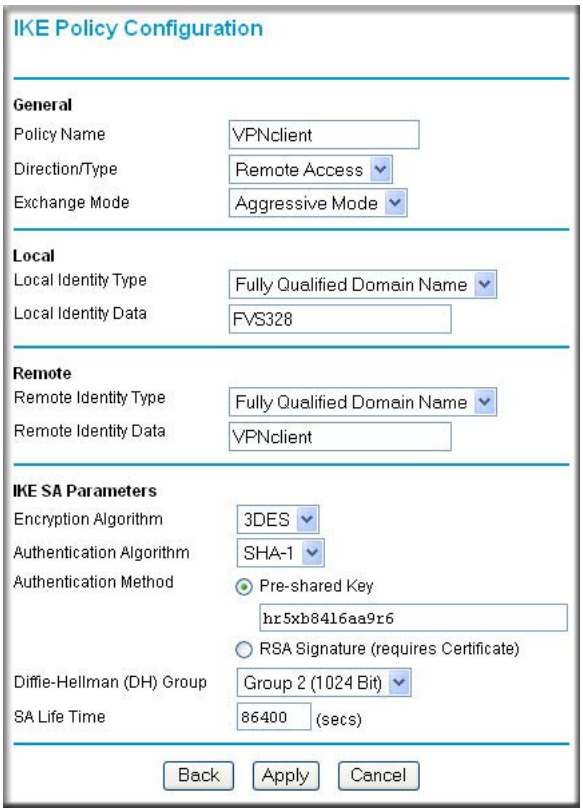


Figure 8-23: NETGEAR FWG114P IKE Policy Configuration

- Enter a descriptive name for the policy in the Policy Name field. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN endpoint. It is used to help you manage the IKE policies. In our example, we used **VPNclient** as the Policy Name.
- From the Direction/Type drop-down box, select **Remote Access**.
- From the Exchange Mode drop-down box, select **Aggressive Mode**. This will also be selected in the VPN Client My Identity ID Type fields, as seen in "Security Policy" on page 8-41.
- From the Local Identity drop-down box, select **Fully Qualified Domain Name** (the actual WAN IP address of the FWG114P will also be used in the Connection ID Type fields of the VPN Client as seen in "Security Policy Editor New Connection" on page 8-39).
- For this example we typed **FWG114P** in the Local Identity Data field.

- From the Remote Identity drop-down box, select **Fully Qualified Domain Name**.
- Type **VPNclient** in the Remote Identity Data. This will also be entered in the VPN Client My Identity ID Type fields, as seen in "My Identity" on page 8-40.
- From the Encryption Algorithm drop-down box, select **3DES**. This will also be selected in the VPN Client Security Policy Authentication Phase 1 Proposal 1 Encrypt Alg field, as seen in "Connection Security Policy Authentication (Phase 1)" on page 8-42.
- From the Authentication Algorithm drop-down box, select **SHA-1**.This will also be selected in the VPN Client Security Policy Authentication Phase 1 Proposal 1 Hash Alg field, as seen in "Connection Security Policy Authentication (Phase 1)" on page 8-42.
- From the Authentication Method radio button, select **Pre-shared Key**. This will also be selected in the VPN Client Security Policy Authentication Phase 1 Proposal 1 Authentication Method field, as seen in "Connection Security Policy Authentication (Phase 1)" on page 8-42.
- In the Pre-Shared Key field, type **hr5xb84l6aa9r6**. You must make sure the key is the same for both the client and the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server. This will also be selected in the VPN client Security Policy Authentication Phase 1 Proposal 1 Encrypt Alg field, as seen in "Connection Identity Pre-Shared Key" on page 8-41.
- From the Diffie-Hellman (DH) Group drop-down box, select **Group 2 (1024 Bit)**. This will also be selected in the VPN Client Security Policy Authentication Phase 1 Proposal 1 Key Group field, as seen in "Connection Security Policy Authentication (Phase 1)" on page 8-42.
- In the SA Life Time field, type **86400**.

Click **Apply**. This will bring you back to the IKE Policies Menu.The FWG114P IKE Policy is now displayed in the IKE Policies page.

3. Click the **VPN Policies** link under the VPN category on the left side of the main menu. This will take you to the VPN Policies Menu page. Click **Add Auto Policy**. This will open a new screen titled VPN – Auto Policy.

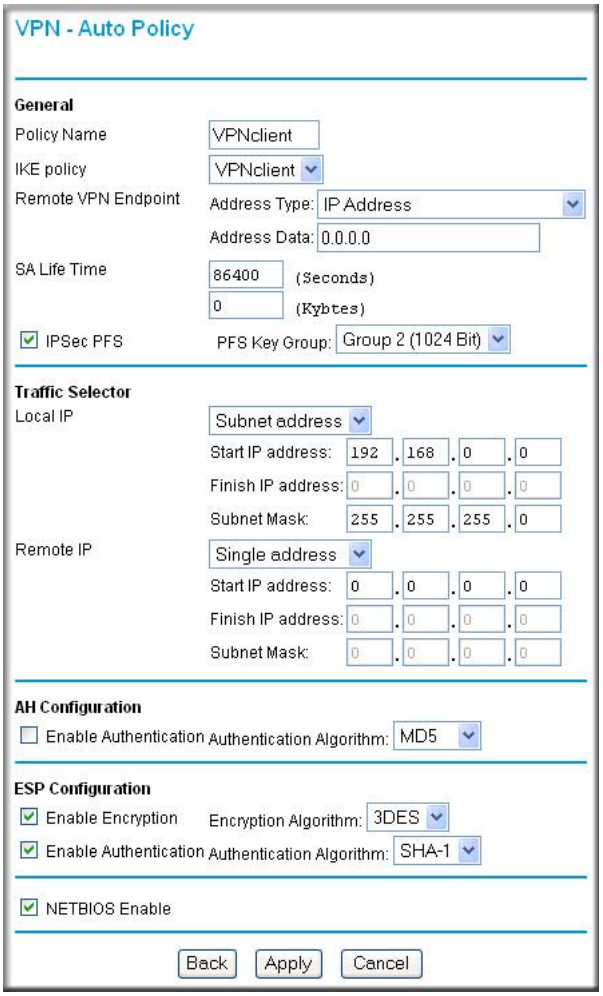


Figure 8-24: VPN – Auto Policy settings

– Enter a unique name to identify this policy. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN endpoint. In our example, we use **VPNclient** as the Policy Name.

– From the IKE policy drop-down box, select **VPNclient** which is the IKE Policy that was set up in the earlier step.

- From the Remote VPN Endpoint Address Type drop-down box, select **IP Address**.
- Type **0.0.0.0** as the Address Data of the client because we are assuming the remote PC will have a dynamically assigned IP address. This will also be entered in the VPN Client Internal Network IP Address field, as seen in "My Identity" on page 8-40.
- Type **86400** in the SA Life Time (Seconds) field.
- Type **0** in the SA Life Time (Kbytes) field.
- Check the **IPSec PFS** check box to enable Perfect Forward Secrecy. This will also be entered in the VPN Client Security Policy Enable Perfect Forward Secrecy check box, as seen in "Security Policy" on page 8-41.
- From the PFS Key Group drop-down box, select **Group 2 (1024 Bit)**. This will also be entered in the VPN Client Security Policy PFS Key Group drop-down selection box, as seen in "Security Policy" on page 8-41.
- From the Traffic Selector Local IP drop-down box, select **Subnet addresses**. This will also be entered in the VPN Client Connection Remote Party Identity and Addressing ID Type field, as seen in "Security Policy Editor New Connection" on page 8-39.
  Note: Selecting ANY for the Traffic Selectors means all traffic goes through the IPSec tunnel and prevents access to the Internet.
- Type the starting LAN IP Address of the FWG114P in the Local IP Start IP Address field. For this example, we used **192.168.0.0** which is the default LAN IP address of the FWG114P**.** This will also be entered in the VPN Client Connection Remote Party Identity and Addressing Subnet field, as seen in "Security Policy Editor New Connection" on page 8-39.
- Type the LAN Subnet Mask of the FWG114P (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the Local IP Subnet Mask field. This will also be entered in the VPN Client Connection Remote Party Identity and Addressing Mask field, as seen in "Security Policy Editor New Connection" on page 8-39.
- From the Traffic Selector Remote IP drop-down box, select **Single addresses**.
- Type **0.0.0.0** as the start IP Address of the in the Remote IP Start IP Address field because we are assuming the remote PC will have a dynamically assigned IP address. This will also be entered in the VPN Client My Identity Internal Network IP Address field, as seen in "My Identity" on page 8-40.
- Select the **Enable Encryption** check box. This will also be selected in the VPN Client Security Policy Key Exchange (Phase 2) Encapsulation Protocol (ESP) check box, as seen in "Connection Security Policy Key Exchange (Phase 2)" on page 8-43.
- From the ESP Configuration Encryption Algorithm drop-down box, select **3DES**. This will also be entered in the VPN Client Security Policy Key Exchange (Phase 2) Encrypt Alg field, as seen in "Connection Security Policy Key Exchange (Phase 2)" on page 8-43.

– Select **Enable Authentication** in the ESP Configuration Enable Authentication check box.
Note: Do not confuse this with the Authentication Protocol (AH) option. Using the AH option will prevent clients behind a home NAT router from connecting.
– From the ESP Configuration Authentication Algorithm drop-down box, select **SHA-1**. This will also be entered in the VPN Client Security Policy Key Exchange (Phase 2) Hash Alg field, as seen in "Connection Security Policy Key Exchange (Phase 2)" on page 8-43.
– Select the **NETBIOS Enable** check box to enable networking features like Windows Network Neighborhood.

Click **Apply** to save your changes. You will be taken back to the VPN Policies Menu page.

4. When the screen returns to the VPN Policies, make sure the Enable check box is selected. Click **Apply** to save your changes.

Step-By-Step Configuration of the Netgear VPN Client

Note: The Netgear ProSafe VPN Client has the ability to "Import" a predefined configuration profile. The FWG114P.SPD file on the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P *Resource CD for the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P (SW-10023-02)* includes all the settings identified in this procedure.

Whenever importing policy settings, you should first export any existing settings you may have configured to prevent the new imported settings from replacing an existing working configuration.

To import this policy, use the Security Policy Editor File menu to select Import Policy, and select the FWG114P.SPD file at D:\Software\Policies where D is the drive letter of your CD-ROM drive.

This procedure describes linking a remote PC and a LAN. The LAN will connect to the Internet using an FWG114P with a static IP address. The PC can be directly connected to the Internet through dialup, cable or DSL modem, or other means, and we will assume it has a dynamically assigned IP address.

1. Install the Netgear VPN Client Software on the PC.

	Note: Before installing the Netgear VPN Client software, be sure to turn off any virus protection or firewall software you may be running on your PC.

- You may need to insert your Windows CD to complete the installation.
- Reboot your PC after installing the client software.

2. Configure the Connection Network Settings.

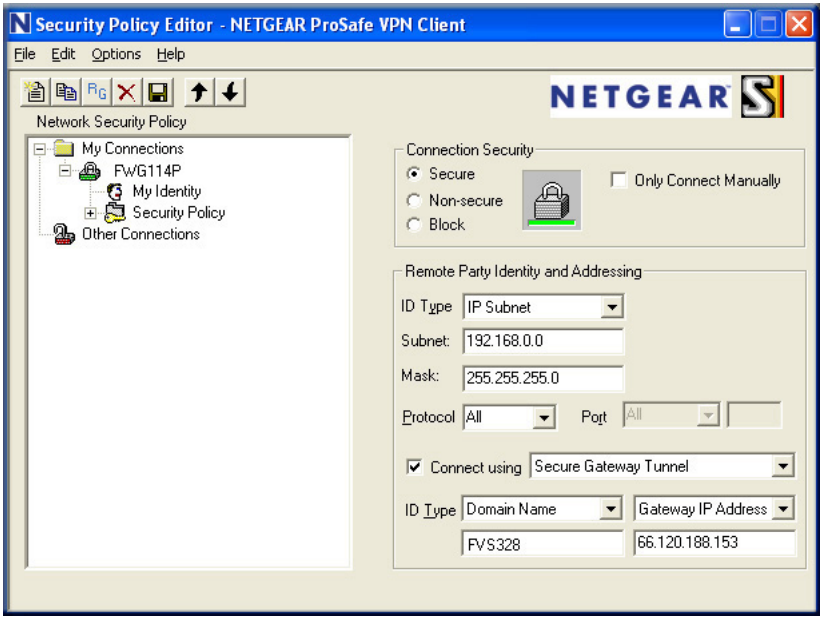


Figure 8-25: Security Policy Editor New Connection

a. Run the Security Policy Editor program and create a VPN Connection.

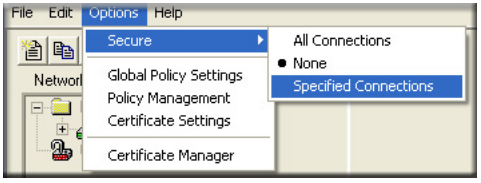


Figure 8-26: Security Policy Editor Options menu

Note: If the configuration settings on this screen are not available for editing, go to the Options menu, select Secure, and Specified Options to enable editing these settings.

From the Edit menu of the Security Policy Editor, click **Add**, then **Connection**. A "New Connection" listing appears. Rename the "New Connection" to **FWG114P**.

b. Ensure that the following settings are configured:

- In the Connection Security box, Secure is selected.
- In the Protocol menu, All is selected.
- The Connect using Secure Gateway Tunnel check box is selected.

c. In this example, select IP Subnet as the ID Type, **192.168.0.0** in the Subnet field (the Subnet address is the LAN IP Address of the FWG114P with 0 as the last number), and **255.255.255.0** in the Mask field, which is the LAN Subnet Mask of the FWG114P.

d. In the ID Type menus, select **Domain Name** and **Gateway IP Address**. Enter **FWG114P** in the Domain Name field. In this example, **66.120.188.153** would be used for the Gateway IP Address, which is the static IP address for the FWG114P WAN port.

3. Configure the Connection Identity Settings.

a. In the Network Security Policy list, click the My Identity subheading.

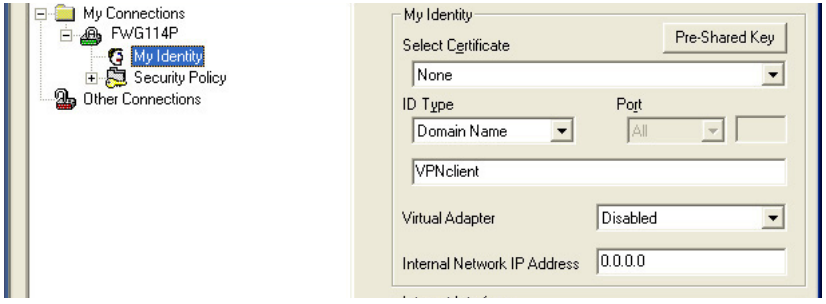


Figure 8-27: My Identity

In this example, select Domain Name as the ID Type, and enter **VPNclient**. Also, accept the default Internal Network IP Address of 0.0.0.0.

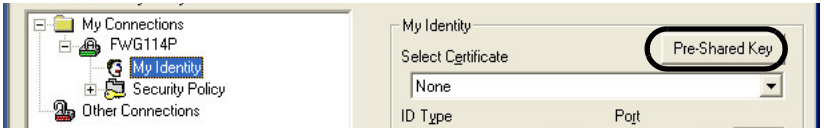


Figure 8-28: My Identity Pre-Shared Key

b. Click **Pre-Shared Key**.

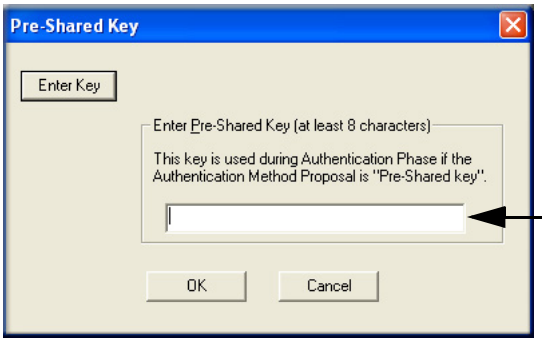


Figure 8-29: Connection Identity Pre-Shared Key

c. Enter **hr5xb84l6aa9r6,** which is the same Pre-Shared Key entered in the FWG114P.

d. Click **OK**.

4. Configure the Connection Identity Settings.

a. In the Network Security Policy list, click the Security Policy subheading.

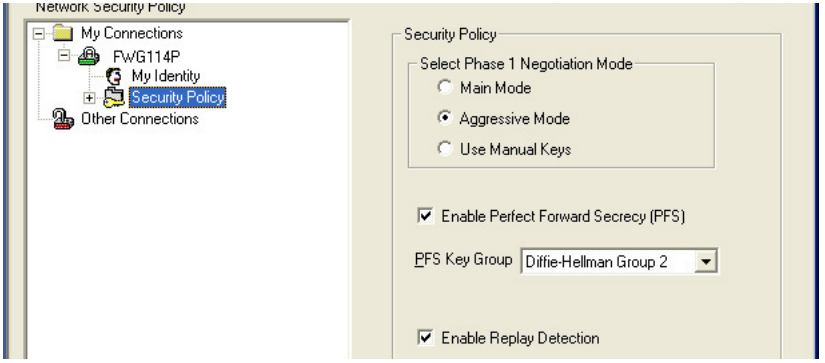


Figure 8-30: Security Policy

b. For this example, ensure that the following settings are configured:

- In the Select Phase 1 Negotiation Mode menu, select **Aggressive Mode**.
- Select the **Enable Perfect Forward Secrecy (PFS)** check box.
- In the PFS Key Group drop-down list, **Diffie-Hellman Group 2**.
- Select the Enable Replay Detection check box.

5. Configure the Connection Security Policy

In this step, you will provide the authentication (IKE Phase 1) settings, and the key exchange (Phase 2) settings. The setting choices in this procedure follow the VPNC guidelines.

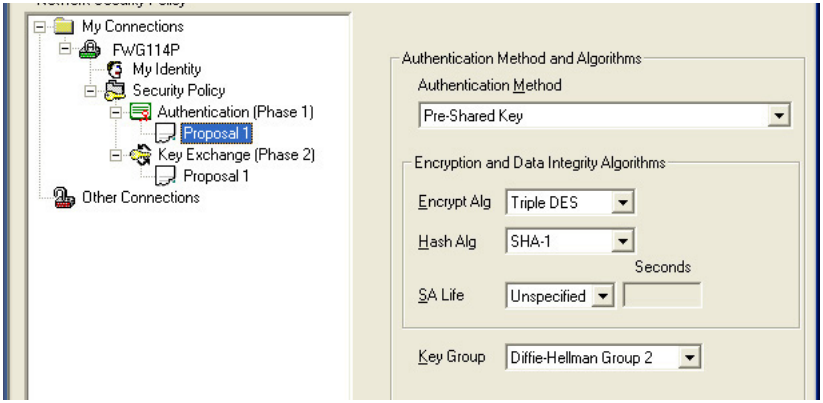


Figure 8-31: Connection Security Policy Authentication (Phase 1)

a. Configure the Authentication (Phase 1) Settings.

- Expand the Security Policy heading, then expand the Authentication (Phase 1) heading, and click on Proposal 1.
- For this example, ensure that the following settings are configured:
  - In the Encrypt Alg menu, select **Triple DES**.
  - In the Hash Alg, select **SHA-1**.
  - In the SA Life, select Unspecified.
  - In the Key Group menu, select **Diffie-Hellman Group 2**.

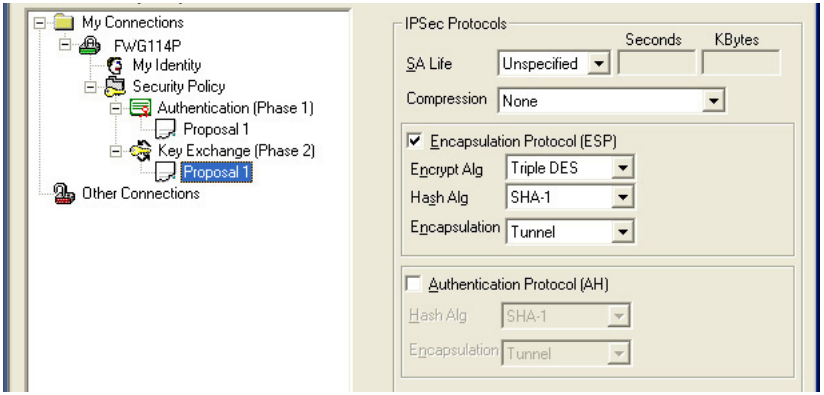


Figure 8-32: Connection Security Policy Key Exchange (Phase 2)

b. Configure the Key Exchange (Phase 2).

- Expand the Key Exchange (Phase 2) heading, and click on Proposal 1.
- For this example, ensure that the following settings are configured:
  - In the SA Life menu, select **Unspecified**.
  - In the Compression menu, select **None**.
  - Check the **Encapsulation Protocol (ESP)** check box.
  - In the Encrypt Alg menu, select **Triple DES**.
  - In the Hash Alg, select **SHA-1**.
  - In the Encapsulation menu, select **Tunnel**.

6. **Configure the Global Policy Settings.**

   a. From the Options menu at the top of the Security Policy Editor window, select **Global Policy Settings**.

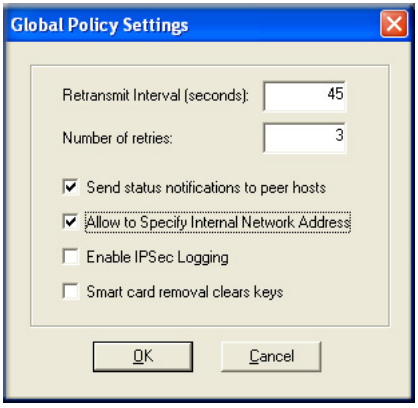


Figure 8-33: Security Policy Editor Global Policy Options

   b. Increase the Retransmit Interval period to **45** seconds.

   c. Select the Allow to Specify Internal Network Address check box and click **OK**.

7. **Save the VPN Client Settings.**

   From the File menu at the top of the Security Policy Editor window, select Save.

   After you have configured and saved the VPN client information, your PC will automatically open the VPN connection when you attempt to access any IP addresses in the range of the remote VPN router's LAN.

	Note: Whenever you make changes to a Security Policy, save them first, then deactivate the security policy, reload the security policy, and finally activate the security policy. This ensures that your new settings will take effect.

Testing the VPN Connection

You can test the VPN connection in several ways:

- From the client PC to the FWG114P
- From the FWG114P to the client PC

These procedures are explained below.

	**Note:** Virus protection or firewall software can interfere with VPN communications. Be sure such software is not running on the remote PC with the Netgear ProSafe VPN Client and that the firewall features of the FWG114P are not set in such a way as to prevent VPN communications.

From the Client PC to the FWG114P

To check the VPN Connection, you can initiate a request from the remote PC to the FWG114P by using the “Connect” option of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server popup menu.

1. Open the popup menu by right-clicking on the system tray icon.
2. Select **Connect** to open the My Connections list.
3. Choose **FWG114P**.

   The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server will report the results of the attempt to connect.

Once the connection is established, you can access resources of the network connected to the FWG114P.

Another method is to ping from the remote PC to the LAN IP address of the FWG114P. To perform a ping test using our example, start from the remote PC:

1. Establish an Internet connection from the PC.
2. On the Windows taskbar, click the Start button, and then click Run.
3. Type **`ping -t 192.168.0.1`** and click OK.

   This will cause a continuous ping to be sent to the first FWG114P. After a period of up to two minutes, the ping response should change from “timed out” to “reply.”

To test the connection to a computer connected to the FWG114P, simply ping the IP address of that computer.

Once connected, you can open a browser on the remote PC and enter the LAN IP Address of the FWG114P, which is http://192.168.0.1 in this example. After a short wait, you should see the login screen of the FWG114P.

From the FWG114P to the Client PC

You can use the FWG114P Diagnostic utilities to test the VPN connection from the FWG114P to the client PC. Run ping tests from the Diagnostics link of the FWG114P main menu.

Monitoring the PC VPN Connection

Information on the progress and status of the VPN client connection can be viewed by opening the Netgear ProSafe VPN Client Connection Monitor or Log Viewer. To launch these functions, click on the Windows Start button, then select Programs, then Netgear ProSafe VPN Client, then either the Connection Monitor or Log Viewer.

The Log Viewer screen for a successful connection is similar to the one shown below:

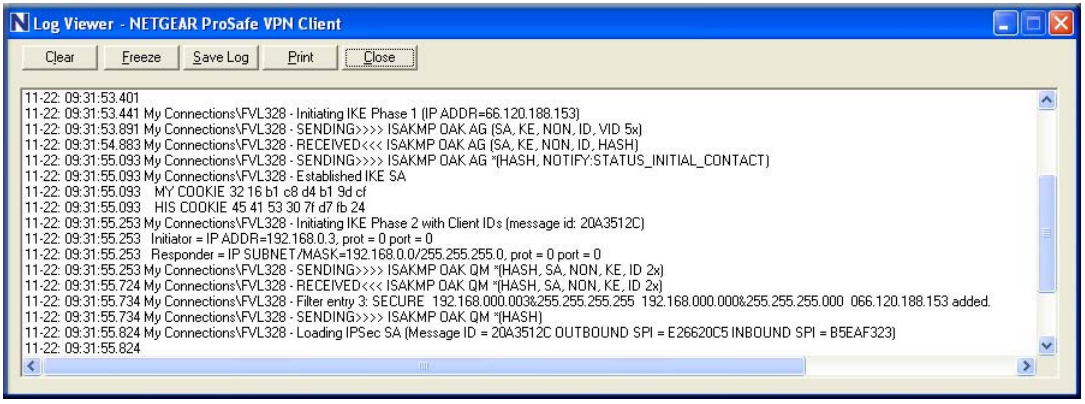


Figure 8-34: Log Viewer screen

A sample Connection Monitor screen for a different connection is shown below:

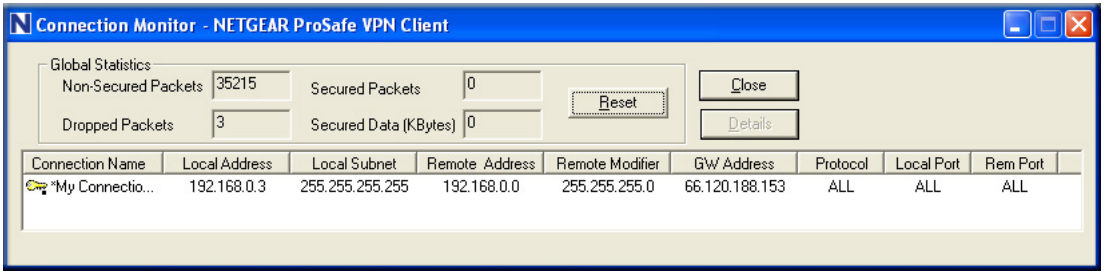


Figure 8-35: Connection Monitor screen

In this example the following connection options apply:

- The FWG114P has a public IP WAN address of 66.120.188.153
- The FWG114P has a LAN IP address of 192.168.0.1
- The VPN client PC is behind a home NAT router and has a dynamically assigned address of 192.168.0.3

While the connection is being established, the Connection Name field in this menu will say “SA” before the name of the connection. When the connection is successful, the “SA” will change to the yellow key symbol shown in the illustration above.

Viewing the FWG114P VPN Status and Log Information

Information on the status of the VPN client connection can be viewed by opening the FWG114P VPN Status screen. To view this screen, click the VPN Status link on the FWG114P main menu.

The FWG114P VPN Status screen for a successful connection is shown below:

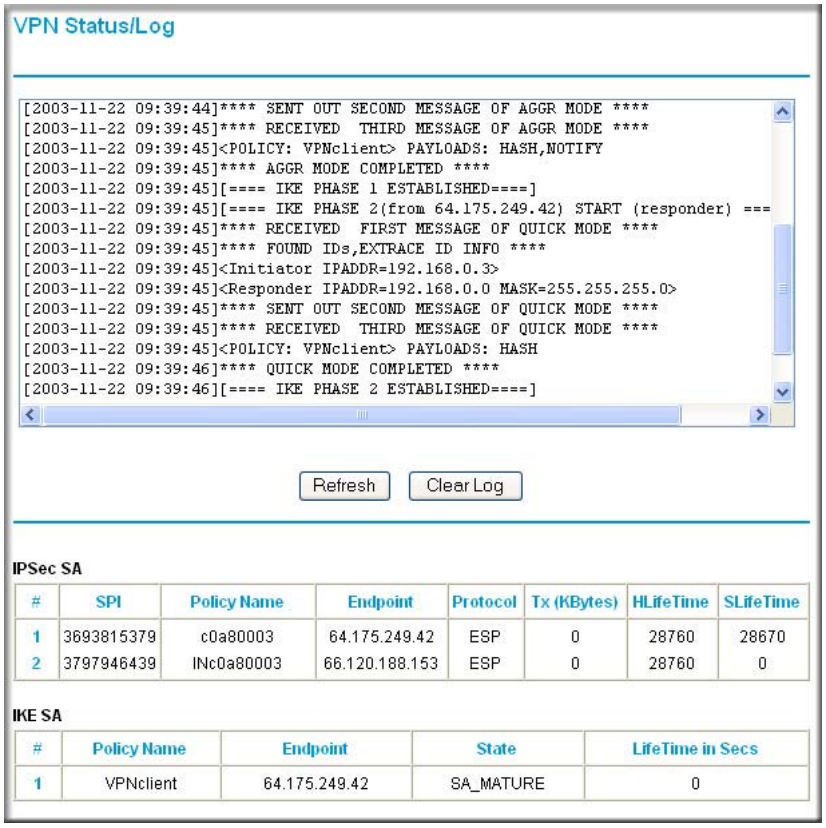


Figure 8-36: FWG114P VPN Status screen

Chapter 9
Maintenance

This chapter describes how to use the maintenance features of your ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P. These features are accessed via the Main Menu Maintenance heading.

Viewing Wireless Firewall/Print Server Status Information

The Router Status menu provides status and usage information. From the main menu of the browser interface, click on Maintenance, then select Router Status to view this screen.

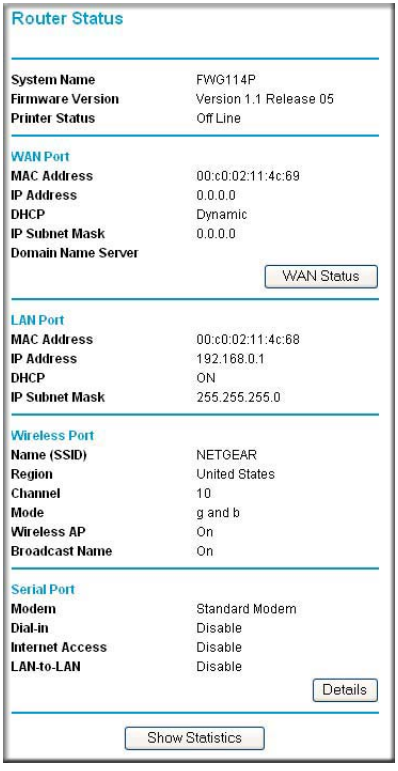


Figure 9-1: Router Status screen

The Router Status screen shows the following parameters:

Table 9-1. Status Fields

Field	Description
System Name	The System Name assigned to the router.
Firmware Version	The router firmware version.
Printer Status	The printer status.
WAN Port	These parameters apply to the Internet (WAN) port of the router.
MAC Address	This field displays the MAC address being used by the Internet (WAN) port of the router.
IP Address	This field displays the IP address being used by the Internet (WAN) port of the router. If no address is shown, the router cannot connect to the Internet.
DHCP	This field if the WAN port DHCP settings are dynamic or static.
IP Subnet Mask	This field displays the IP Subnet Mask being used by the Internet (WAN) port of the router.
Domain Name Server	Identifies the IP address of the DNS server(s).
LAN Port	
MAC Address	The Media Access Control address being used by the LAN port of the router.
IP Address	The IP address being used by the Local (LAN) port of the router. The default is 192.168.0.1.
DHCP	Identifies if the router's built-in DHCP server is active for the LAN attached devices.
IP Subnet Mask	The IP Subnet Mask being used by the Local (LAN) port of the router. The default is 255.255.255.0.
Wireless Port	
Name (SSID)	This field displays the wireless network name (SSID) being used by the wireless port of the router. The default is Wireless.
Region	This field displays the MAC address being used by the wireless port of the router.
Channel/Frequency	Identifies the channel the wireless port is using. See "Wireless Channels" on page E-7 for the frequencies used on each channel.
Mode	Identifies if the channel the wireless port is set for 802.11b, 802.11g, or both.
Wireless AP	Identifies if the wireless access point is on or off.

Table 9-1. Status Fields

Field	Description
Broadcast Name	Identifies if the Name (SSID) is being broadcast.
Serial Port	
Status	The status of the serial port. Click the Details button to view the Serial Port Log, Port Status, Physical Link, PPP Link, PPP IP Address, Phone Line Speed, and Serial Line Speed.
Modem	The status of the modem port.
Dial-In	The status of the Dial-In port.
Internet Access	The status of the serial Internet connection.
Lan-to-LAN	The status of the serial LAN-to-LAN connection.

Click "WAN Status" to display the WAN connection status.

Figure 9-2: Connection Status screen

This screen shows the following statistics:.

Table 9-1. Connection Status Fields

Field	Description
Connection Time	The length of time the router has been connected to your Internet service provider's network.
Connection Method	The method used to obtain an IP address from your Internet service provider.
IP Address	The WAN (Internet) IP Address assigned to the router.

Table 9-1. Connection Status Fields (continued)

Field	Description
Network Mask	The WAN (Internet) Subnet Mask assigned to the router.
Default Gateway	The WAN (Internet) default gateway the router communicates with.

Log action buttons are described in Table 9-2.

Table 9-2. Connection Status action buttons

Field	Description
Renew	Click the Renew button to renew the DHCP lease.

Click "Show Statistics" to display router usage statistics.

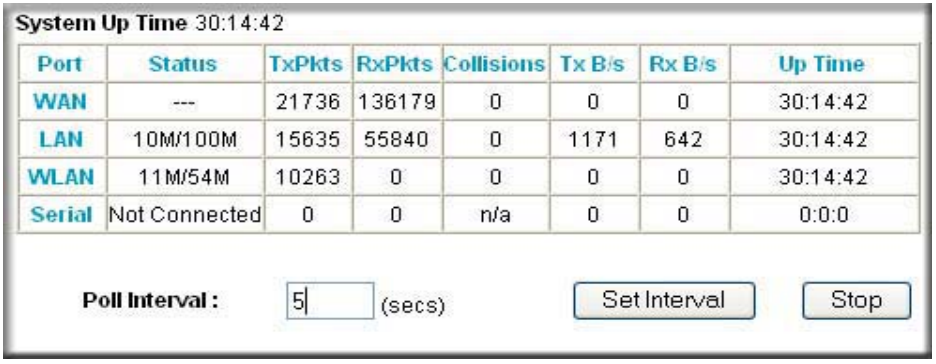


Figure 9-3: Router Statistics screen

This screen shows the following statistics:

Table 9-1. Router Statistics Fields

Field	Description
interface	The statistics for the WAN (Internet), LAN (local), Wireless, and Serial interfaces. For each interface, the screen displays:
Status	The link status of the interface.
TxPkts	The number of packets transmitted on this interface since reset or manual clear.
RxPkts	The number of packets received on this interface since reset or manual clear.

Table 9-1. Router Statistics Fields (continued)

Field	Description
Collisions	The number of collisions on this interface since reset or manual clear.
Tx B/s	The current transmission (outbound) bandwidth used on the interfaces.
Rx B/s	The current reception (inbound) bandwidth used on the interfaces.
Up Time	The amount of time since the router was last restarted.
Serial Up Time	The time elapsed since this port acquired the link.
Poll Interval	Specifies the intervals at which the statistics are updated in this window. Click on Stop to freeze the display.

WAN Status action buttons are described in Table 9-2.

Table 9-2. Connection Status action buttons

Field	Description
Set Interval	Enter a time and click the button to set the polling frequency.
Stop	Click the Stop button to freeze the polling information.

Viewing a List of Attached Devices

The Attached Devices menu contains a table of all IP devices that the router has discovered on the local network. From the Main Menu of the browser interface, under the Maintenance heading, select Attached Devices to view the table shown below:

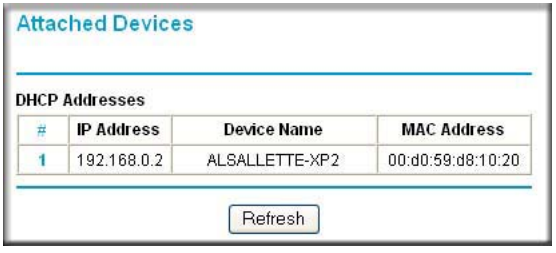


Figure 9-4: Attached Devices menu

For each device, the table shows the IP address, Device Name (if available), and Ethernet MAC address. Note that if the router is rebooted, the table data is lost until the router rediscovers the devices. To force the router to look for attached devices, click the Refresh button.

Upgrading the Router Software

The routing software of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server is stored in FLASH memory, and can be upgraded as new software is released by NETGEAR. Upgrade files can be downloaded from Netgear's Web site. If the upgrade file is compressed (.ZIP file), you must first extract the binary file before sending it to the router. The upgrade file can be sent to the router using your browser.

Note: The Web browser used to upload new firmware into the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server must support HTTP uploads. NETGEAR recommends using Microsoft Internet Explorer or Netscape Navigator 3.0, or above.

From the Main Menu of the browser interface, under the Maintenance heading, select the Router Upgrade heading.

To upload new firmware:

1. Download and unzip the new software file from NETGEAR.
2. In the Router Upgrade menu, click the Browse button and browse to the location of the binary (.IMG) upgrade file.
3. Click Upload.

   Note: When uploading software to the FWG114P, it is important not to interrupt the Web browser by closing the window, clicking a link, or loading a new page. If the browser is interrupted, it may corrupt the software. When the upload is complete, your router will automatically restart. The upgrade process will typically take about one minute.

In some cases, you may need to reconfigure the router after upgrading.

Configuration File Management

The configuration settings of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server are stored within the router in a configuration file. This file can be saved (backed up) to a user’s computer, retrieved (restored) from the user’s computer, or cleared to the factory default settings.

From the Main Menu of the browser interface, under the Maintenance heading, select the Settings Backup heading to bring up the menu shown below.

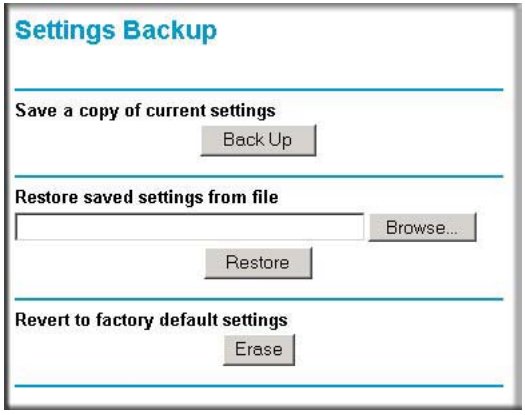


Figure 9-5: Settings Backup menu

Three options are available, and are described in the following sections.

Restoring and Backing Up the Configuration

The Restore and Backup options in the Settings Backup menu allow you to save and retrieve a file containing your router's configuration settings.

To save your settings, click Backup. Your browser will extract the configuration file from the router and will prompt you for a location on your computer to store the file. You can give the file a meaningful name at this time, such as SBC.cfg.

To restore your settings from a saved configuration file, enter the full path to the file on your computer or click the Browse button to locate the file. When you have located it, click the Restore button to send the file to the router. The router will then reboot automatically.

Erasing the Configuration

It is sometimes desirable to restore the router to a known blank condition. This can be done by using the Erase function, which will restore all factory settings. After an erase, the router's password will be **password**, the LAN IP address will be 192.168.0.1, and the router's DHCP client will be enabled.

To erase the configuration, click the Erase button.

To restore the factory default configuration settings without knowing the login password or IP address, you must use the Default Reset button on the rear panel of the router. See "Restoring the Default Configuration and Password" on page 11-7.

Changing the Administrator Password

The default password for the router's Web Configuration Manager is **password**. Netgear recommends that you change this password to a more secure password.

From the main menu of the browser interface, under the Maintenance heading, select Set Password to bring up this menu.

Figure 9-6: Set Password menu

To change the password, first enter the old password, and then enter the new password twice. Click Apply. To change the login idle timeout, change the number of minutes and click Apply.

Chapter 10
Advanced Configuration

This chapter describes how to configure the advanced features of your ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P. These features can be found under the Advanced heading in the Main Menu of the browser interface.

Using the WAN Setup Options

The first feature category under the Advanced heading is WAN Setup. This menu allows configuration of a DMZ server, MTU size, port speed, and so on. From the Main Menu of the browser interface, under Advanced, click on WAN IP Setup to view the WAN IP Setup menu, shown below.

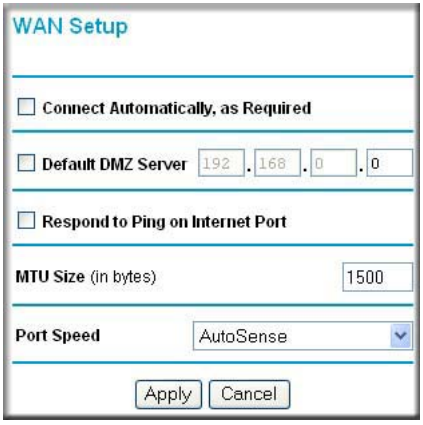


Figure 10-1: WAN Setup Menu

The WAN Setup options let you configure a DMZ server, change the MTU size, and set the WAN port speed. These options are discussed below.

- **Connect Automatically, as Required**

Normally, this option is Enabled, so that an Internet connection will be made automatically whenever Internet-bound traffic is detected. In locations where Internet access is billed by the minute, if this causes high connection costs, you can disable this setting.

If disabled, you must connect manually, using the sub-screen accessed from the Router Status menu “Show WAN Status” screen.

- **Setting Up a Default DMZ Server**

Note: DMZ servers pose a security risk. A computer designated as the default DMZ server loses much of the protection of the firewall, and is exposed to attacks from the Internet. If compromised, the DMZ server can be used to attack your network.

The use of the term ‘DMZ’ has become common, although it is a misnomer. In traditional firewalls, a DMZ is actually a separate physical network port. A true DMZ port is for connecting servers that require greater access from the outside, and will therefore be provided with a different level of security by the firewall. A better term for our application is Exposed Host.

The default DMZ server feature is helpful when using some online games and videoconferencing applications that are incompatible with NAT. The router is programmed to recognize some of these applications and to work properly with them, but there are other applications that may not function well. In some cases, one local computer can run the application properly if that computer’s IP address is entered as the default DMZ server.

Incoming traffic from the Internet is normally discarded by the router unless the traffic is a response to one of your local computers or a service that you have configured in the Ports menu. Instead of discarding this traffic, you can have it forwarded to one computer on your network. This computer is called the Default DMZ Server.

The WAN Setup menu lets you configure a Default DMZ Server.

To assign a computer or server to be a Default DMZ server, follow these steps:

1. Click WAN Setup link on the Advanced section of the main menu.
2. Type the IP address for that server. To remove the default DMZ server, replace the IP address numbers with all zeros.
3. Click Apply.

- **Respond to Ping on Internet WAN Port**

If you want the router to respond to a 'ping' from the Internet, click the ‘Respond to Ping on Internet WAN Port’ check box. This should only be used as a diagnostic tool, since it allows your router to be discovered. Do not check this box unless you have a specific reason to do so.

- **Setting the MTU Size**

  The default MTU size is usually fine. The normal MTU (Maximum Transmit Unit) value for most Ethernet networks is 1500 Bytes. For some ISPs, particularly those using PPPoE, you may need to reduce the MTU. This should not be done unless you are sure it is necessary for your ISP.

  Any packets sent through the router that are larger than the configured MTU size will be repackaged into smaller packets to meet the MTU requirement. To change the MTU size, under MTU Size, enter a new size between 64 and 1500. Then, click Apply to save the new configuration.

- **Setting the WAN Port Speed**

  In most cases, your router can automatically determine (AutoSense) the connection speed of the Internet (WAN) port. If you cannot establish an Internet connection and the Internet LED blinks continuously, you may need to manually select the port speed.

  If you know that the Ethernet port on your broadband modem supports 100BaseT, select 100M; otherwise, select 10M.

How to Configure Dynamic DNS

If your network has a permanently assigned IP address, you can register a domain name and have that name linked with your IP address by public Domain Name Servers (DNS). However, if your Internet account uses a dynamically assigned IP address, you will not know in advance what your IP address will be, and the address can change frequently. In this case, you can use a commercial dynamic DNS service, which will allow you to register your domain to their IP address, and will forward traffic directed to your domain to your frequently-changing IP address.

The router contains a client that can connect to a dynamic DNS service provider. To use this feature, you must select a service provider and obtain an account with them. After you have configured your account information in the router, whenever your ISP-assigned IP address changes, your router will automatically contact your dynamic DNS service provider, log in to your account, and register your new IP address.

1. Log in to the router at its default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1*, with its default user name of **admin**, default password of **password**, or using whatever password and LAN address you have chosen for the router.
2. From the Main Menu of the browser interface, under Advanced, click on Dynamic DNS.

3. Access the website of one of the dynamic DNS service providers whose names appear in the 'Select Service Provider' box, and register for an account.
   For example, for dyndns.org, go to *www.dyndns.org*.
4. Select the "Use a dynamic DNS service" check box.
5. Select the name of your dynamic DNS Service Provider.
6. Type the host name that your dynamic DNS service provider gave you.
   The dynamic DNS service provider may call this the domain name. If your URL is myName.dyndns.org, then your host name is "myName."
7. Type the user name for your dynamic DNS account.
8. Type the password (or key) for your dynamic DNS account.
9. If your dynamic DNS provider allows the use of wildcards in resolving your URL, you may select the Use wildcards check box to activate this feature.
   For example, the wildcard feature will cause *.yourhost.dyndns.org to be aliased to the same IP address as yourhost.dyndns.org
10. Click Apply to save your configuration.

Note: If your ISP assigns a private WAN IP address, such as 192.168.x.x or 10.x.x.x, the dynamic DNS service will not work because private addresses will not be routed on the Internet.

Using the LAN IP Setup Options

The second feature category under the Advanced heading is LAN IP Setup. This menu allows configuration of LAN IP services, such as DHCP and RIP. From the Main Menu of the browser interface, under Advanced, click on LAN IP Setup to view the LAN IP Setup menu, shown below.

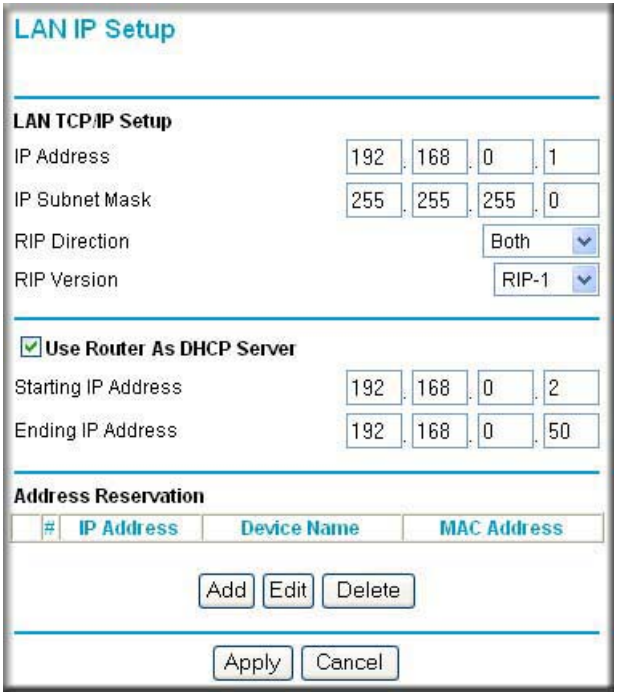


Figure 10-2: LAN IP Setup Menu

Configuring LAN TCP/IP Setup Parameters

The router is shipped preconfigured to use private IP addresses on the LAN side, and to act as a DHCP server. The router's default LAN IP configuration is:

- LAN IP addresses—192.168.0.1
- Subnet mask—255.255.255.0

These addresses are part of the IETF-designated private address range for use in private networks, and should be suitable in most applications. If your network has a requirement to use a different IP addressing scheme, you can make those changes in this menu.

The LAN IP parameters are:

- IP Address
  This is the LAN IP address of the router.
- IP Subnet Mask
  This is the LAN Subnet Mask of the router. Combined with the IP address, the IP Subnet Mask allows a device to know which other addresses are local to it, and which must be reached through a gateway or router.
- RIP Direction
  RIP (Router Information Protocol) allows a router to exchange routing information with other routers. The RIP Direction selection controls how the router sends and receives RIP packets. Both is the default.
  - — When set to Both or Out Only, the router will broadcast its routing table periodically.
  - — When set to Both or In Only, it will incorporate the RIP information that it receives.
  - — When set to None, it will not send any RIP packets and will ignore any RIP packets received.
- RIP Version
  This controls the format and the broadcasting method of the RIP packets that the router sends. (It recognizes both formats when receiving.) By default, this is set for RIP-1.
  - — RIP-1 is universally supported. RIP-1 is probably adequate for most networks, unless you have an unusual network setup.
  - — RIP-2 carries more information. RIP-2B uses subnet broadcasting.

	**Note:** If you change the LAN IP address of the router while connected through the browser, you will be disconnected. You must then open a new connection to the new IP address and log in again.

Using the Router as a DHCP server

By default, the router will function as a DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) server, allowing it to assign IP, DNS server, and default gateway addresses to all computers connected to the router's LAN. The assigned default gateway address is the LAN address of the router. IP addresses will be assigned to the attached PCs from a pool of addresses specified in this menu. Each pool address is tested before it is assigned to avoid duplicate addresses on the LAN.

For most applications, the default DHCP and TCP/IP settings of the router are satisfactory. See "IP Configuration by DHCP" on page B-10 for an explanation of DHCP and information about how to assign IP addresses for your network.

If another device on your network will be the DHCP server, or if you will manually configure the network settings of all of your computers, clear the 'Use router as DHCP server' check box. Otherwise, leave it checked.

Specify the pool of IP addresses to be assigned by setting the Starting IP Address and Ending IP Address. These addresses should be part of the same IP address subnet as the router's LAN IP address. Using the default addressing scheme, you should define a range between 192.168.0.2 and 192.168.0.253, although you may wish to save part of the range for devices with fixed addresses.

The router will deliver the following parameters to any LAN device that requests DHCP:

- An IP Address from the range you have defined.
- Subnet Mask.
- Gateway IP Address (the router's LAN IP address).
- Primary DNS Server (if you entered a Primary DNS address in the Basic Settings menu; otherwise, the router's LAN IP address).
- Secondary DNS Server (if you entered a Secondary DNS address in the Basic Settings menu).

Using Address Reservation

When you specify a reserved IP address for a computer on the LAN, that computer will always receive the same IP address each time it access the router's DHCP server. Reserved IP addresses should be assigned to servers that require permanent IP settings.

To reserve an IP address:

1. Click the Add button.

2. In the IP Address box, type the IP address to assign to the computer or server. (choose an IP address from the router's LAN subnet, such as 192.168.0.X)
3. Type the MAC Address of the computer or server. (Tip: If the computer is already present on your network, you can copy its MAC address from the Attached Devices menu and paste it here.)
4. Click Apply to enter the reserved address into the table.

Note: The reserved address will not be assigned until the next time the computer contacts the router's DHCP server. Reboot the computer or access its IP configuration and force a DHCP release and renew.

To edit or delete a reserved address entry:

1. Click the button next to the reserved address you want to edit or delete.
2. Click Edit or Delete.

Configuring Static Routes

Static Routes provide additional routing information to your router. Under normal circumstances, the router has adequate routing information after it has been configured for Internet access, and you do not need to configure additional static routes. You must configure static routes only for unusual cases, such as multiple routers or multiple IP subnets located on your network.

From the Main Menu of the browser interface, under Advanced, click on Static Routes to view the Static Route menu.

To add or edit a Static Route:

1. Click the Add button to open the Static Routes menu.

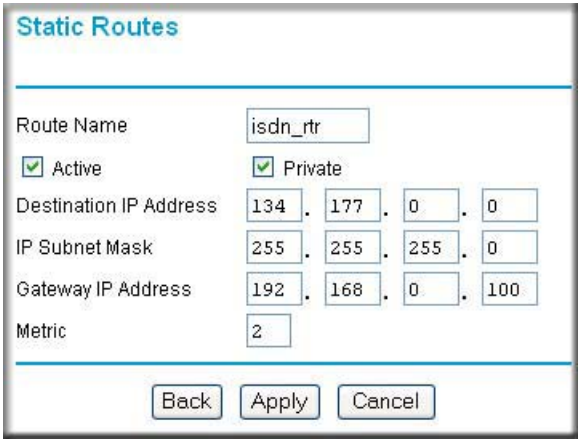


Figure 10-3. Static Route Entry and Edit Menu

2. Type a route name for this static route in the Route Name box.
(This is for identification purpose only.)
3. Select Active to make this route effective.
4. Select Private if you want to limit access to the LAN only. The static route will not be reported in RIP.
5. Type the Destination IP Address of the final destination.
6. Type the IP Subnet Mask for this destination.
If the destination is a single host, type 255.255.255.254.
7. Type the Gateway IP Address, which must be a router on the same LAN segment as the router.
8. Type a number between 1 and 15 as the Metric value.
This represents the number of routers between your network and the destination. Usually, a setting of 2 or 3 works, but if this is a direct connection, set it to 1.
9. Click Apply to have the static route entered into the table.

As an example of when a static route is needed, consider the following case:

- Your primary Internet access is through a cable modem to an ISP.
- You have an ISDN router on your home network for connecting to the company where you are employed. This router's address on your LAN is 192.168.0.100.

- Your company's network is 134.177.0.0.

When you first configured your router, two implicit static routes were created. A default route was created with your ISP as the gateway, and a second static route was created to your local network for all 192.168.0.x addresses. With this configuration, if you attempt to access a device on the 134.177.0.0 network, your router will forward your request to the ISP. The ISP forwards your request to the company where you are employed, and the request will likely be denied by the company's firewall.

In this case you must define a static route, telling your router that 134.177.0.0 should be accessed through the ISDN router at 192.168.0.100. The static route would look like Figure 10-3.

In this example:

- The Destination IP Address and IP Subnet Mask fields specify that this static route applies to all 134.177.x.x addresses.
- The Gateway IP Address fields specifies that all traffic for these addresses should be forwarded to the ISDN router at 192.168.0.100.
- A Metric value of 1 will work since the ISDN router is on the LAN.
- Private is selected only as a precautionary security measure in case RIP is activated.

Enabling Remote Management Access

Using the Remote Management page, you can allow a user or users on the Internet to configure, upgrade and check the status of your FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server.

	**Note:** Be sure to change the router's default configuration password to a very secure password. The ideal password should contain no dictionary words from any language, and should be a mixture of letters (both upper and lower case), numbers, and symbols. Your password can be up to 30 characters.

To configure your router for Remote Management:

1. Select the Turn Remote Management On check box.
2. Specify what external addresses will be allowed to access the router's remote management. **Note:** For enhanced security, restrict access to as few external IP addresses as practical.
   a. To allow access from any IP address on the Internet, select Everyone.

b. To allow access from a range of IP addresses on the Internet, select IP address range. Enter a beginning and ending IP address to define the allowed range.

c. To allow access from a single IP address on the Internet, select Only this computer. Enter the IP address that will be allowed access.

3. Specify the Port Number that will be used for accessing the management interface.

   Web browser access normally uses the standard HTTP service port 80. For greater security, you can change the remote management Web interface to a custom port by entering that number in the box provided. Choose a number between 1024 and 65535, but do not use the number of any common service port. The default is 8080, which is a common alternate for HTTP.

4. Click Apply to have your changes take effect.

Note: When accessing your router from the Internet, you will type your router's WAN IP address into your browser's Address (in IE) or Location (in Netscape) box, followed by a colon (:) and the custom port number. For example, if your external address is 134.177.0.123 and you use port number 8080, you must enter in your browser: http://134.177.0.123:8080

Using Universal Plug and Play (UPnP)

Universal Plug and Play (UPnP) helps devices, such as Internet appliances and computers, access the network and connect to other devices as needed. UPnP devices can automatically discover the services from other registered UPnP devices on the network.

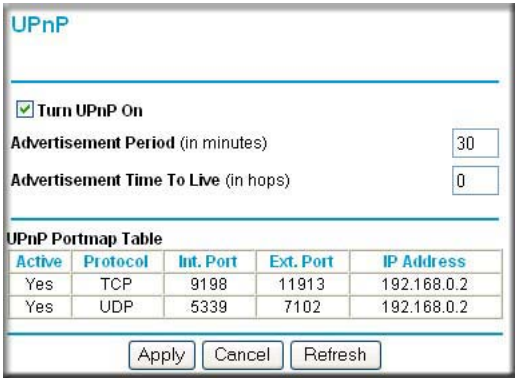


Figure 10-4. UPnP Menu

Turn UPnP On: UPnP can be enabled or disabled for automatic device configuration. The default setting for UPnP is enabled. If disabled, the router will not allow any device to automatically control the resources, such as port forwarding (mapping), of the router.

Advertisement Period: The Advertisement Period is how often the router will broadcast its UPnP information. This value can range from 1 to 1440 minutes. The default period is 30 minutes. Shorter durations will ensure that control points have current device status at the expense of additional network traffic. Longer durations may compromise the freshness of the device status but can significantly reduce network traffic.

Advertisement Time To Live: The time to live for the advertisement is measured in hops (steps) for each UPnP packet sent. The time to live hop count is the number of steps a broadcast packet is allowed to propagate for each UPnP advertisement before it disappears. The number of hops can range from 1 to 255. The default value for the advertisement time to live is 4 hops, which should be fine for most home networks. If you notice that some devices are not being updated or reached correctly, then it may be necessary to increase this value a little.

UPnP Portmap Table: The UPnP Portmap Table displays the IP address of each UPnP device that is currently accessing the router and which ports (Internal and External) that device has opened. The UPnP Portmap Table also displays what type of port is opened and if that port is still active for each IP address.

Advanced Wireless Settings

Note: Incorrectly changing these settings can prevent the wireless functions from working.

- **RTS Threshold**

  Request to Send Threshold. The packet size that is used to determine if it should use the CSMA/CD (Carrier Sense Multiple Access with Collision Detection) mechanism or the CSMA/CA define the mechanism for packet transmission. With the CSMA/CD transmission mechanism, the transmitting station sends out the actual packet as soon as it has waited for the silence period. With the CSMA/CA transmission mechanism, the transmitting station sends out an RTS packet to the receiving station, and waits for the receiving station to send back a CTS (Clear to Send) packet before sending the actual packet data.

- **Fragmentation Length**

  This is the maximum packet size used for fragmentation. Packets larger than the size programmed in this field will be fragmented. The Fragment Threshold value must be larger than the RTS Threshold value.

- **Beacon Interval**

  Specifies the data beacon rate between 20 and 1000.

- **DTIM**

  The Delivery Traffic Indication Message. Specifies the data beacon rate between 1 and 255.

- **Preamble Type**

  A long transmit preamble may provide a more reliable connection or slightly longer range. A short transmit preamble gives better performance.

Chapter 11
Troubleshooting

This chapter gives information about troubleshooting your ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/ Print Server Model FWG114P. After each problem description, instructions are provided to help you diagnose and solve the problem.

Basic Functioning

After you turn on power to the router, the following sequence of events should occur:

1. When power is first applied, verify that the PWR LED is on.
2. After approximately 10 seconds, verify that:
   a. The TEST LED is not lit.
   b. The LAN port LEDs are lit for any local ports that are connected.

      If a port's LED is lit, a link has been established to the connected device. If a LAN port is connected to a 100 Mbps device, verify that the port's LED is green. If the port is 10 Mbps, the LED will be OFF.
   c. The Internet port LED is lit.

If any of these conditions does not occur, refer to the appropriate following section.

Power LED Not On

If the Power and other LEDs are off when your router is turned on:

- Make sure that the power cord is properly connected to your router and that the power supply adapter is properly connected to a functioning power outlet.
- Check that you are using the 12 V DC power adapter supplied by NETGEAR for this product.

If the error persists, you have a hardware problem and should contact technical support.

LEDs Never Turn Off

When the router is turned on, the LEDs turns on for about 10 seconds and then turns off. If all the LEDs stay on, there is a fault within the router.

If all LEDs are still on one minute after power up:

- Cycle the power to see if the router recovers.
- Clear the router's configuration to the factory defaults. This will set the router's IP address to 192.168.0.1. This procedure is explained in "Restoring the Default Configuration and Password" on page 11-7.

If the error persists, you might have a hardware problem and should contact technical support.

LAN or Internet Port LEDs Not On

If either the LAN LEDs or the Internet LED do not light when the Ethernet connection is made, check the following:

- Make sure that the Ethernet cable connections are secure at the router and at the hub or workstation.
- Make sure that power is turned on to the connected hub or workstation.
- Be sure you are using the correct cable:

  When connecting the router's Internet port to a broadband modem, use the cable that was supplied with the broadband modem. This cable could be a standard straight-through Ethernet cable or an Ethernet crossover cable.

Troubleshooting the Web Configuration Interface

If you are unable to access the router's Web Configuration interface from a computer on your local network, check the following:

- Check the Ethernet connection between the computer and the router as described in the previous section.
- Make sure your computer's IP address is on the same subnet as the router. If you are using the recommended addressing scheme, your computer's address should be in the range of 192.168.0.2 to 192.168.0.254. Refer to "Verifying TCP/IP Properties" on page 3-5 or "Verifying TCP/IP Properties (Macintosh)" on page 3-8 to find your computer's IP address. Follow the instructions in Chapter 4 to configure your computer.

  Note: If your computer's IP address is shown as 169.254.x.x: Recent versions of Windows and MacOS will generate and assign an IP address if the computer cannot reach a DHCP server. These auto-generated addresses are in the range of 169.254.x.x. If your IP address is in this range, check the connection from the computer to the router and reboot your computer.
- If your router's IP address has been changed and you do not know the current IP address, clear the router's configuration to the factory defaults. This will set the router's IP address to 192.168.0.1. This procedure is explained in "Restoring the Default Configuration and Password" on page 11-7.
- Make sure your browser has Java, JavaScript, or ActiveX enabled. If you are using Internet Explorer, click Refresh to be sure the Java applet is loaded.
- Try quitting the browser and launching it again.
- Make sure you are using the correct login information. The factory default login name is **admin** and the password is **password**. Make sure that CAPS LOCK is off when entering this information.

If the router does not save changes you have made in the Web Configuration Interface, check the following:

- When entering configuration settings, be sure to click the APPLY button before moving to another menu or tab, or your changes will be lost.
- Click the Refresh or Reload button in the Web browser. The changes may have occurred, but the Web browser may be caching the old configuration.

Troubleshooting the ISP Connection

If your router is unable to access the Internet, you should first determine whether the router is able to obtain a WAN IP address from the ISP. Unless you have been assigned a static IP address, your router must request an IP address from the ISP. You can determine whether the request was successful using the Web Configuration Manager.

To check the WAN IP address:

1. Launch your browser and select an external site, such as www.netgear.com.
2. Access the Main Menu of the router's configuration at http://192.168.0.1.
3. Under the Maintenance heading, select Router Status.
4. Check that an IP address is shown for the WAN Port.
   If 0.0.0.0 is shown, your router has not obtained an IP address from your ISP.

If your router is unable to obtain an IP address from the ISP, you may need to force your broadband modem to recognize your new router by performing the following procedure:

1. Turn off power to the broadband modem.
2. Turn off power to your router.
3. Wait five minutes and reapply power to the broadband modem.
4. When the modem's LEDs indicate that it has reacquired sync with the ISP, reapply power to your router.

If your router is still unable to obtain an IP address from the ISP, the problem may be one of the following:

- Your ISP may require a login program.
  Ask your ISP whether they require PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE) or some other type of login.
- If your ISP requires a login, you may have incorrectly set the login name and password.
- Your ISP may check for your computer's host name.
  Assign the computer Host Name of your ISP account as the Account Name in the Basic Settings menu.
- Your ISP only allows one Ethernet MAC address to connect to Internet, and may check for your computer's MAC address. In this case:

  Inform your ISP that you have bought a new network device and ask them to use the router's MAC address.

OR

Configure your router to spoof your computer's MAC address. This can be done in the Basic Settings menu. Refer to "Manually Configuring Your Internet Connection" on page 3-17.

If your router can obtain an IP address, but your computer is unable to load any Web pages from the Internet:

- Your computer may not recognize any DNS server addresses.

  A DNS server is a host on the Internet that translates Internet names (such as www addresses) to numeric IP addresses. Typically your ISP will provide the addresses of one or two DNS servers for your use. If you entered a DNS address during the router's configuration, reboot your computer and verify the DNS address as described in "Verifying TCP/IP Properties" on page 3-5. Alternatively, you may configure your computer manually with DNS addresses, as explained in your operating system documentation.

- Your computer may not have the router configured as its TCP/IP gateway.

  If your computer obtains its information from the router by DHCP, reboot the computer and verify the gateway address as described in "Verifying TCP/IP Properties" on page 3-5.

Troubleshooting a TCP/IP Network Using a Ping Utility

Most TCP/IP terminal devices and routers contain a ping utility that sends an echo request packet to the designated device. The device then responds with an echo reply. Troubleshooting a TCP/IP network is made very easy by using the ping utility in your computer or workstation.

Testing the LAN Path to Your Router

You can ping the router from your computer to verify that the LAN path to your router is set up correctly.

To ping the router from a computer running Windows 95 or later:

1. From the Windows toolbar, click on the Start button and select Run.
2. In the field provided, type Ping followed by the IP address of the router, as in this example:

   `ping 192.168.0.1`

3. Click on OK.

   You should see a message like this one:

Pinging <IP address> with 32 bytes of data

If the path is working, you see this message:

Reply from < IP address >: bytes=32 time=NN ms TTL=xxx

If the path is not working, you see this message:

Request timed out

If the path is not functioning correctly, you could have one of the following problems:

- Wrong physical connections
  - — Make sure the LAN port LED is on. If the LED is off, follow the instructions in "LAN or Internet Port LEDs Not On" on page 11-2.
  - — Check that the corresponding Link LEDs are on for your network interface card and for the hub ports (if any) that are connected to your workstation and router.
- Wrong network configuration
  - — Verify that the Ethernet card driver software and TCP/IP software are both installed and configured on your computer or workstation.
  - — Verify that the IP address for your router and your workstation are correct and that the addresses are on the same subnet.

Testing the Path from Your Computer to a Remote Device

After verifying that the LAN path works correctly, test the path from your computer to a remote device. From the Windows run menu, type:

PING -n 10 *<IP address>*

where <*IP address*> is the IP address of a remote device, such as your ISP's DNS server.

If the path is functioning correctly, replies as in the previous section are displayed. If you do not receive replies:

- — Check that your computer has the IP address of your router listed as the default gateway. If the IP configuration of your computer is assigned by DHCP, this information will not be visible in your computer's Network Control Panel. Verify that the IP address of the router is listed as the default gateway as described in "Verifying TCP/IP Properties" on page 3-5.
- — Check to see that the network address of your computer (the portion of the IP address specified by the netmask) is different from the network address of the remote device.
- — Check that your broadband modem is connected and functioning.

— If your ISP assigned a host name to your computer, enter that host name as the Account Name in the Basic Settings menu.

— Your ISP could be rejecting the Ethernet MAC addresses of all but one of your PCs. Many broadband ISPs restrict access by only allowing traffic from the MAC address of your broadband modem, but some ISPs additionally restrict access to the MAC address of a single computer connected to that modem. If this is the case, you must configure your router to "clone" or "spoof" the MAC address from the authorized computer. Refer to "Manually Configuring Your Internet Connection" on page 3-17.

Restoring the Default Configuration and Password

This section explains how to restore the factory default configuration settings, changing the router's administration password to **password** and the IP address to 192.168.0.1. You can erase the current configuration and restore factory defaults in two ways:

- Use the Erase function of the router (see "Erasing the Configuration" on page 9-8).
- Use the Default Reset button on the rear panel of the router. Use this method for cases when the administration password or IP address is not known.

To restore the factory default configuration settings without knowing the administration password or IP address, you must use the Default Reset button on the rear panel of the router.

1. Press and hold the Default Reset button until the Test LED turns on (about 10 seconds).
2. Release the Default Reset button and wait for the router to reboot.

Problems with Date and Time

The E-Mail menu in the Content Filtering section displays the current date and time of day. The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server uses the Network Time Protocol (NTP) to obtain the current time from one of several Network Time Servers on the Internet. Each entry in the log is stamped with the date and time of day. Problems with the date and time function can include:

- Date shown is January 1, 2000. Cause: The router has not yet successfully reached a Network Time Server. Check that your Internet access settings are configured correctly. If you have just completed configuring the router, wait at least five minutes and check the date and time again.
- Time is off by one hour. Cause: The router does not automatically sense Daylight Savings Time. In the E-Mail menu, check or uncheck the box marked "Adjust for Daylight Savings Time".

Appendix A
Technical Specifications

This appendix provides technical specifications for the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P.

Network Protocol and Standards Compatibility	
Data and Routing Protocols:	TCP/IP, RIP-1, RIP-2, DHCP PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)
VPN	
Protocols:	IPSec, SHA-1, MD5, DES, 3DES, ESP, DH1, DH2
Tunnels:	2 IPSec Tunnels
Power Adapter	
North America:	120V, 60 Hz, input
United Kingdom, Australia:	240V, 50 Hz, input
Europe:	230V, 50 Hz, input
Japan:	100V, 50/60 Hz, input
All regions (output):	12 V DC @ 1.2 A output, 18W maximum
Physical Specifications	
Dimensions:	H: 32 x L: 188 x W: 124 mm (1.25 x 7.4 x 4.9 in.)
Weight:	0.64 kg (1.4 lb)
Environmental Specifications	
Operating temperature:	0° to 40° C (32º to 104º F)
Operating humidity:	90% maximum relative humidity, noncondensing

Electromagnetic Emissions			
For North America and Australia	FCC Part 15 Class B		
For Japan	VCCI Class B		
For Europe	EN 300 328, EN 301 489-17, EN 301 489-1, EN 60950		
Interface Specifications			
LAN:	10BASE-T or 100BASE-Tx, RJ-45		
WAN:	10BASE-T or 100BASE-Tx		
Printer:	USB v1.1		
Serial:	RS-232 male DB-9 connector		
Wireless			
Data Encoding:	802.11b: Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum (DSSS)		
	802.11g: Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM)		
Maximum Computers Per Wireless Network:	Limited by the amount of wireless network traffic generated by each node. Typically 30-70 nodes.		
802.11b and g Radio Data Rate	1, 2, 5.5, 6, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, and 54 Mbps (Auto-rate capable)		
802.11b and g Transmit Power and Receive Sensitivity		Maximum Transmit Power	Receive Sensitivity
	54 Mbps, 11g	14.5 dBm typical	- 72 dBm typical
	48 Mbps, 11g	14.5 dBm typical	- 75 dBm typical
	36 Mbps, 11g	15.5 dBm typical	- 80dBm typical
	24 Mbps, 11g	15.5 dBm typical	- 82 dBm typical
	18Mbps, 11g	16.5 dBm typical	- 84 dBm typical
	12 Mbps, 11g	16.5 dBm typical	- 85 dBm typical
	6 Mbps, 11g	16.5 dBm typical	- 86 dBm typical
	11 Mbps, 11b	17.5 dBm typical	- 83 dBm typical
	5.5 Mbps, 11b	17.5 dBm typical	- 86 dBm typical
	2 Mbps, 11b	17.5 dBm typical	- 89 dBm typical
	1Mbps, 11b	17.5 dBm typical	- 92 dBm typical
	Note: For Europe, the maximum transmit power does not exceed +15 dBm		
Antenna:	External detachable 5 dBi omnidirectional		
802.11 Security	40-bits (also called 64-bits), 128-bits WEP data encryption, and WPA		

Appendix B
Networks, Routing, and Firewall Basics

This appendix provides an overview of IP networks, routing, and firewalls.

Related Publications

As you read this document, you may be directed to various RFC documents for further information. An RFC is a Request For Comment (RFC) published by the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF), an open organization that defines the architecture and operation of the Internet. The RFC documents outline and define the standard protocols and procedures for the Internet. The documents are listed on the World Wide Web at *www.ietf.org* and are mirrored and indexed at many other sites worldwide.

Basic Router Concepts

Large amounts of bandwidth can be provided easily and relatively inexpensively in a local area network (LAN). However, providing high bandwidth between a local network and the Internet can be very expensive. Because of this expense, Internet access is usually provided by a slower-speed wide-area network (WAN) link, such as a cable or DSL modem. In order to make the best use of the slower WAN link, a mechanism must be in place for selecting and transmitting only the data traffic meant for the Internet. The function of selecting and forwarding this data is performed by a router.

What is a Router?

A router is a device that forwards traffic between networks based on network layer information in the data and on routing tables maintained by the router. In these routing tables, a router builds up a logical picture of the overall network by gathering and exchanging information with other routers in the network. Using this information, the router chooses the best path for forwarding network traffic.

Routers vary in performance and scale, number of routing protocols supported, and types of physical WAN connection they support.

Routing Information Protocol

One of the protocols used by a router to build and maintain a picture of the network is the Routing Information Protocol (RIP). Using RIP, routers periodically update one another and check for changes to add to the routing table.

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server supports both the older RIP-1 and the newer RIP-2 protocols. Among other improvements, RIP-2 supports subnet and multicast protocols. RIP is not required for most home applications.

IP Addresses and the Internet

Because TCP/IP networks are interconnected across the world, every machine on the Internet must have a unique address to make sure that transmitted data reaches the correct destination. Blocks of addresses are assigned to organizations by the Internet Assigned Numbers Authority (IANA). Individual users and small organizations may obtain their addresses either from the IANA or from an Internet service provider (ISP). You can contact IANA at www.iana.org.

The Internet Protocol (IP) uses a 32-bit address structure. The address is usually written in dot notation (also called dotted-decimal notation), in which each group of eight bits is written in decimal form, separated by decimal points.

For example, the following binary address:

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11000011  00100010  00001100  00000111
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is normally written as:

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195.34.12.7
```

The latter version is easier to remember and easier to enter into your computer.

In addition, the 32 bits of the address are subdivided into two parts. The first part of the address identifies the network, and the second part identifies the host node or station on the network. The dividing point may vary depending on the address range and the application.

There are five standard classes of IP addresses. These address classes have different ways of determining the network and host sections of the address, allowing for different numbers of hosts on a network. Each address type begins with a unique bit pattern, which is used by the TCP/IP software to identify the address class. After the address class has been determined, the software can correctly identify the host section of the address. The following figure shows the three main address classes, including network and host sections of the address for each address type.

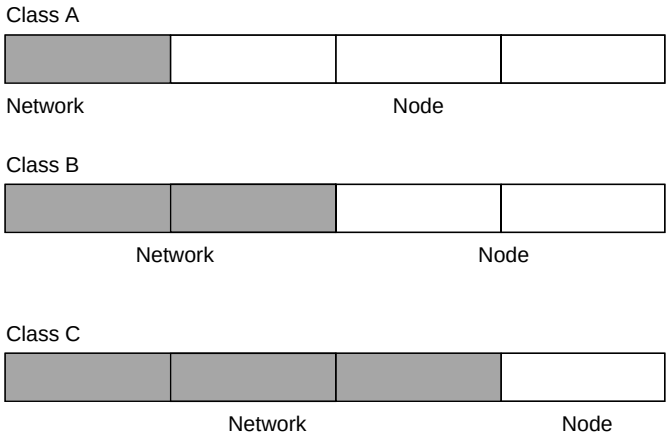

Figure 11-1: Three Main Address Classes

The five address classes are:

- Class A
  Class A addresses can have up to 16,777,214 hosts on a single network. They use an eight-bit network number and a 24-bit node number. Class A addresses are in this range:

  1.x.x.x to 126.x.x.x.

- Class B
  Class B addresses can have up to 65,354 hosts on a network. A Class B address uses a 16-bit network number and a 16-bit node number. Class B addresses are in this range:

  128.1.x.x to 191.254.x.x.

- Class C
  Class C addresses can have 254 hosts on a network. Class C addresses use 24 bits for the network address and eight bits for the node. They are in this range:

  192.0.1.x to 223.255.254.x.

- Class D
  Class D addresses are used for multicasts (messages sent to many hosts). Class D addresses are in this range:

  224.0.0.0 to 239.255.255.255.

- Class E
  Class E addresses are for experimental use.

This addressing structure allows IP addresses to uniquely identify each physical network and each node on each physical network.

For each unique value of the network portion of the address, the base address of the range (host address of all zeros) is known as the network address and is not usually assigned to a host. Also, the top address of the range (host address of all ones) is not assigned, but is used as the broadcast address for simultaneously sending a packet to all hosts with the same network address.

Netmask

In each of the address classes previously described, the size of the two parts (network address and host address) is implied by the class. This partitioning scheme can also be expressed by a netmask associated with the IP address. A netmask is a 32-bit quantity that, when logically combined (using an AND operator) with an IP address, yields the network address. For instance, the netmasks for Class A, B, and C addresses are 255.0.0.0, 255.255.0.0, and 255.255.255.0, respectively.

For example, the address 192.168.170.237 is a Class C IP address whose network portion is the upper 24 bits. When combined (using an AND operator) with the Class C netmask, as shown here, only the network portion of the address remains:

```
11000000  10101000  10101010  11101101 (192.168.170.237)
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combined with:

```
11111111  11111111  11111111  00000000 (255.255.255.0)
```

Equals:

```
11000000  10101000  10101010  00000000 (192.168.170.0)
```

As a shorter alternative to dotted-decimal notation, the netmask may also be expressed in terms of the number of ones from the left. This number is appended to the IP address, following a backward slash (/), as “/n.” In the example, the address could be written as 192.168.170.237/24, indicating that the netmask is 24 ones followed by 8 zeros.

Subnet Addressing

By looking at the addressing structures, you can see that even with a Class C address, there are a large number of hosts per network. Such a structure is an inefficient use of addresses if each end of a routed link requires a different network number. It is unlikely that the smaller office LANs would have that many devices. You can resolve this problem by using a technique known as subnet addressing.

Subnet addressing allows us to split one IP network address into smaller multiple physical networks known as subnetworks. Some of the node numbers are used as a subnet number instead. A Class B address gives us 16 bits of node numbers translating to 64,000 nodes. Most organizations do not use 64,000 nodes, so there are free bits that can be reassigned. Subnet addressing makes use of those bits that are free, as shown below.

Figure 11-2: Example of Subnetting a Class B Address

A Class B address can be effectively translated into multiple Class C addresses. For example, the IP address of 172.16.0.0 is assigned, but node addresses are limited to 255 maximum, allowing eight extra bits to use as a subnet address. The IP address of 172.16.97.235 would be interpreted as IP network address 172.16, subnet number 97, and node number 235. In addition to extending the number of addresses available, subnet addressing provides other benefits. Subnet addressing allows a network manager to construct an address scheme for the network by using different subnets for other geographical locations in the network or for other departments in the organization.

Although the preceding example uses the entire third octet for a subnet address, note that you are not restricted to octet boundaries in subnetting. To create more network numbers, you need only shift some bits from the host address to the network address. For instance, to partition a Class C network number (192.68.135.0) into two, you shift one bit from the host address to the network address. The new netmask (or subnet mask) is 255.255.255.128. The first subnet has network number 192.68.135.0 with hosts 192.68.135.1 to 129.68.135.126, and the second subnet has network number 192.68.135.128 with hosts 192.68.135.129 to 192.68.135.254.

	Note: The number 192.68.135.127 is not assigned because it is the broadcast address of the first subnet. The number 192.68.135.128 is not assigned because it is the network address of the second subnet.

The following table lists the additional subnet mask bits in dotted-decimal notation. To use the table, write down the original class netmask and replace the 0 value octets with the dotted-decimal value of the additional subnet bits. For example, to partition your Class C network with subnet mask 255.255.255.0 into 16 subnets (4 bits), the new subnet mask becomes 255.255.255.240.

Table 11-1. Netmask Notation Translation Table for One Octet

Number of Bits	Dotted-Decimal Value
1	128
2	192
3	224
4	240
5	248
6	252
7	254
8	255

The following table displays several common netmask values in both the dotted-decimal and the masklength formats.

Table 11-2. Netmask Formats

Dotted-Decimal	Masklength
255.0.0.0	/8
255.255.0.0	/16
255.255.255.0	/24
255.255.255.128	/25
255.255.255.192	/26
255.255.255.224	/27
255.255.255.240	/28
255.255.255.248	/29
255.255.255.252	/30
255.255.255.254	/31
255.255.255.255	/32

NETGEAR strongly recommends that you configure all hosts on a LAN segment to use the same netmask for the following reasons:

- So that hosts recognize local IP broadcast packets.

  When a device broadcasts to its segment neighbors, it uses a destination address of the local network address with all ones for the host address. In order for this scheme to work, all devices on the segment must agree on which bits comprise the host address.

- So that a local router or bridge recognizes which addresses are local and which are remote.

Private IP Addresses

If your local network is isolated from the Internet (for example, when using NAT), you can assign any IP addresses to the hosts without problems. However, the IANA has reserved the following three blocks of IP addresses specifically for private networks:

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10.0.0.0 - 10.255.255.255
172.16.0.0 - 172.31.255.255
192.168.0.0 - 192.168.255.255
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NETGEAR recommends that you choose your private network number from this range. The DHCP server of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server is preconfigured to automatically assign private addresses.

Regardless of your particular situation, do not create an arbitrary IP address; always follow the guidelines explained here. For more information about address assignment, refer to RFC 1597, *Address Allocation for Private Internets*, and RFC 1466, *Guidelines for Management of IP Address Space*. The Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) publishes RFCs on its Web site at *www.ietf.org*.

Single IP Address Operation Using NAT

In the past, if multiple computers on a LAN needed to access the Internet simultaneously, you had to obtain a range of IP addresses from the ISP. This type of Internet account is more costly than a single-address account typically used by a single user with a modem, rather than a router. The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server employs an address-sharing method called Network Address Translation (NAT). This method allows several networked computers to share an Internet account using only a single IP address, which may be statically or dynamically assigned by your ISP.

The router accomplishes this address sharing by translating the internal LAN IP addresses to a single address that is globally unique on the Internet. The internal LAN IP addresses can be either private addresses or registered addresses. For more information about IP address translation, refer to RFC 1631, *The IP Network Address Translator (NAT)*.

The following figure illustrates a single IP address operation.

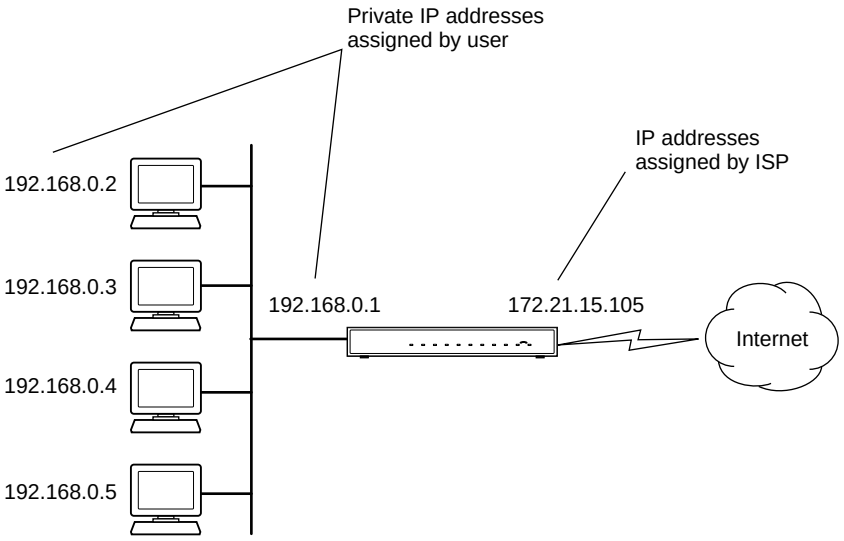

Figure 11-3: Single IP Address Operation Using NAT

This scheme offers the additional benefit of firewall-like protection because the internal LAN addresses are *not* available to the Internet through the translated connection. All incoming inquiries are filtered out by the router. This filtering can prevent intruders from probing your system. However, using port forwarding, you can allow one PC (for example, a Web server) on your local network to be accessible to outside users.

MAC Addresses and Address Resolution Protocol

An IP address alone cannot be used to deliver data from one LAN device to another. To send data between LAN devices, you must convert the IP address of the destination device to its media access control (MAC) address. Each device on an Ethernet network has a unique MAC address, which is a 48-bit number assigned to each device by the manufacturer. The technique that associates the IP address with a MAC address is known as address resolution. Internet Protocol uses the Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) to resolve MAC addresses.

If a device sends data to another station on the network and the destination MAC address is not yet recorded, ARP is used. An ARP request is broadcast onto the network. All stations on the network receive and read the request. The destination IP address for the chosen station is included as part of the message so that only the station with this IP address responds to the ARP request. All other stations discard the request.

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The station with the correct IP address responds with its own MAC address directly to the sending device. The receiving station provides the transmitting station with the required destination MAC address. The IP address data and MAC address data for each station are held in an ARP table. The next time data is sent, the address can be obtained from the address information in the table.

For more information about address assignment, refer to the IETF documents RFC 1597, *Address Allocation for Private Internets,* and RFC 1466, *Guidelines for Management of IP Address Space*.

For more information about IP address translation, refer to RFC 1631, *The IP Network Address Translator (NAT)*.

Domain Name Server

Many of the resources on the Internet can be addressed by simple descriptive names, such as *www.NETGEAR.com*. This addressing is very helpful at the application level, but the descriptive name must be translated to an IP address in order for a user to actually contact the resource. Just as a telephone directory maps names to phone numbers, or as an ARP table maps IP addresses to MAC addresses, a domain name system (DNS) server maps descriptive names of network resources to IP addresses.

When a PC accesses a resource by its descriptive name, it first contacts a DNS server to obtain the IP address of the resource. The PC sends the desired message using the IP address. Many large organizations, such as ISPs, maintain their own DNS servers and allow their customers to use the servers to look up addresses.

IP Configuration by DHCP

When an IP-based local area network is installed, each PC must be configured with an IP address. If the computers need to access the Internet, they should also be configured with a gateway address and one or more DNS server addresses. As an alternative to manual configuration, there is a method by which each PC on the network can automatically obtain this configuration information. A device on the network may act as a Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) server. The DHCP server stores a list or pool of IP addresses, along with other information (such as gateway and DNS addresses) that it may assign to the other devices on the network. The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server has the capacity to act as a DHCP server.

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server also functions as a DHCP client when connecting to the ISP. The firewall can automatically obtain an IP address, subnet mask, DNS server addresses, and a gateway address if the ISP provides this information by DHCP.

Internet Security and Firewalls

When your LAN connects to the Internet through a router, an opportunity is created for outsiders to access or disrupt your network. A NAT router provides some protection because by the very nature of the Network Address Translation (NAT) process, the network behind the NAT router is shielded from access by outsiders on the Internet. However, there are methods by which a determined hacker can possibly obtain information about your network or at the least can disrupt your Internet access. A greater degree of protection is provided by a firewall router.

What is a Firewall?

A firewall is a device that protects one network from another, while allowing communication between the two. A firewall incorporates the functions of the NAT router, while adding features for dealing with a hacker intrusion or attack. Several known types of intrusion or attack can be recognized when they occur. When an incident is detected, the firewall can log details of the attempt, and can optionally send e-mail to an administrator notifying them of the incident. Using information from the log, the administrator can take action with the ISP of the hacker. In some types of intrusions, the firewall can fend off the hacker by discarding all further packets from the hacker's IP address for a period of time.

Stateful Packet Inspection

Unlike simple Internet sharing routers, a firewall uses a process called stateful packet inspection to ensure secure firewall filtering to protect your network from attacks and intrusions. Since user-level applications, such as FTP and Web browsers can create complex patterns of network traffic, it is necessary for the firewall to analyze groups of network connection "states." Using stateful packet inspection, an incoming packet is intercepted at the network layer and then analyzed for state-related information associated with all network connections. A central cache within the firewall keeps track of the state information associated with all network connections. All traffic passing through the firewall is analyzed against the state of these connections in order to determine whether or not it will be allowed to pass through or be rejected.

Denial of Service Attack

A hacker may be able to prevent your network from operating or communicating by launching a Denial of Service (DoS) attack. The method used for, such an attack can be as simple as merely flooding your site with more requests than it can handle. A more sophisticated attack may attempt to exploit some weakness in the operating system used by your router or gateway. Some operating systems can be disrupted by simply sending a packet with incorrect length information.

Ethernet Cabling

Although Ethernet networks originally used thick or thin coaxial cable, most installations currently use unshielded twisted pair (UTP) cabling. The UTP cable contains eight conductors, arranged in four twisted pairs, and terminated with an RJ45 type connector. A normal straight-through UTP Ethernet cable follows the EIA568B standard wiring as described below in Table B-1

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Table B-1. UTP Ethernet cable wiring, straight-through

Pin	Wire color	Signal
1	Orange/White	Transmit (Tx) +
2	Orange	Transmit (Tx) -
3	Green/White	Receive (Rx) +
4	Blue	
5	Blue/White	
6	Green	Receive (Rx) -
7	Brown/White	
8	Brown	

Category 5 Cable Quality

Category 5 distributed cable that meets ANSI/EIA/TIA-568-A building wiring standards can be a maximum of 328 feet (ft.) or 100 meters (m) in length, divided as follows:

20 ft. (6 m) between the hub and the patch panel (if used)

295 ft. (90 m) from the wiring closet to the wall outlet

10 ft. (3 m) from the wall outlet to the desktop device

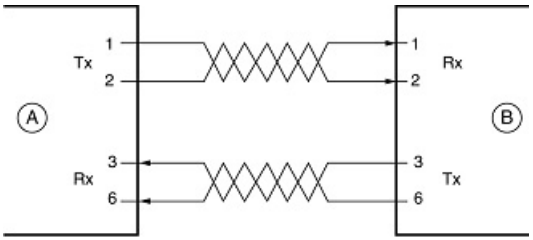
The patch panel and other connecting hardware must meet the requirements for 100 Mbps operation (Category 5). Only 0.5 inch (1.5 cm) of untwist in the wire pair is allowed at any termination point.

A twisted pair Ethernet network operating at 10 Mbits/second (10BASE-T) will often tolerate low quality cables, but at 100 Mbits/second (10BASE-Tx) the cable must be rated as Category 5, or Cat 5, by the Electronic Industry Association (EIA). This rating will be printed on the cable jacket. A Category 5 cable will meet specified requirements regarding loss and crosstalk. In addition, there are restrictions on maximum cable length for both 10 and 100 Mbits/second networks.

Inside Twisted Pair Cables

For two devices to communicate, the transmitter of each device must be connected to the receiver of the other device. The crossover function is usually implemented internally as part of the circuitry in the device. Computers and workstation adapter cards are usually media-dependent interface ports, called MDI or uplink ports. Most repeaters and switch ports are configured as media-dependent interfaces with built-in crossover ports, called MDI-X or normal ports. Auto Uplink technology automatically senses which connection, MDI or MDI-X, is needed and makes the right connection.

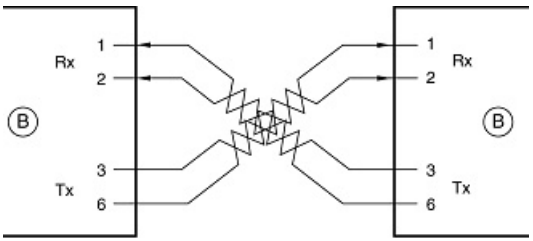
Figure B-1 illustrates straight-through twisted pair cable.



Key:
A = UPLINK OR MDI PORT (as on a PC)
B = Normal or MDI-X port (as on a hub or switch)
1, 2, 3, 6 = Pin numbers

Figure B-1: Straight-Through Twisted-Pair Cable

Figure B-2 illustrates crossover twisted pair cable.



Key:
B = Normal or MDI-X port (as on a hub or switch)
1, 2, 3, 6 = Pin numbers

Figure B-2: Crossover Twisted-Pair Cable

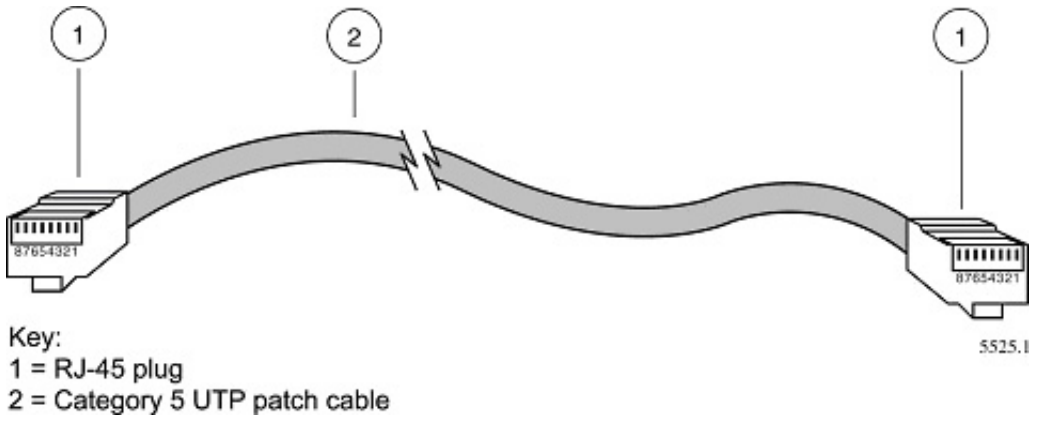


Figure B-3: Category 5 UTP Cable with Male RJ-45 Plug at Each End

Note: Flat “silver satin” telephone cable may have the same RJ-45 plug. However, using telephone cable results in excessive collisions, causing the attached port to be partitioned or disconnected from the network.

Uplink Switches, Crossover Cables, and MDI/MDIX Switching

In the wiring table above, the concept of transmit and receive are from the perspective of the PC, which is wired as Media Dependant Interface (MDI). In this wiring, the PC transmits on pins 1 and 2. At the hub, the perspective is reversed, and the hub receives on pins 1 and 2. This wiring is referred to as Media Dependant Interface - Crossover (MDI-X).

When connecting a PC to a PC, or a hub port to another hub port, the transmit pair must be exchanged with the receive pair. This exchange is done by one of two mechanisms. Most hubs provide an Uplink switch which will exchange the pairs on one port, allowing that port to be connected to another hub using a normal Ethernet cable. The second method is to use a crossover cable, which is a special cable in which the transmit and receive pairs are exchanged at one of the two cable connectors. Crossover cables are often unmarked as such, and must be identified by comparing the two connectors. Since the cable connectors are clear plastic, it is easy to place them side by side and view the order of the wire colors on each. On a straight-through cable, the color order will be the same on both connectors. On a crossover cable, the orange and blue pairs will be exchanged from one connector to the other.

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server incorporates Auto Uplink™ technology (also called MDI/MDIX). Each LOCAL Ethernet port will automatically sense whether the Ethernet cable plugged into the port should have a normal connection (e.g. connecting to a PC) or an uplink connection (e.g. connecting to a router, switch, or hub). That port will then configure itself to the correct configuration. This feature also eliminates the need to worry about crossover cables, as Auto Uplink™ will accommodate either type of cable to make the right connection.

Appendix C
Preparing Your Network

This appendix describes how to prepare your network to connect to the Internet through the ProSafe Wireless 802.11g Firewall/Print Server Model FWG114P and how to verify the readiness of broadband Internet service from an Internet service provider (ISP).

Note: If an ISP technician configured your computer during the installation of a broadband modem, or if you configured it using instructions provided by your ISP, you may need to copy the current configuration information for use in the configuration of your firewall. Write down this information before reconfiguring your computers. Refer to "Obtaining ISP Configuration Information for Windows Computers" on page C-10 or "Obtaining ISP Configuration Information for Macintosh Computers" on page C-11 for further information.

Preparing Your Computers for TCP/IP Networking

Computers access the Internet using a protocol called TCP/IP (Transmission Control Protocol/ Internet Protocol). Each computer on your network must have TCP/IP installed and selected as its networking protocol. If a Network Interface Card (NIC) is already installed in your PC, then TCP/ IP is probably already installed as well.

Most operating systems include the software components you need for networking with TCP/IP:

- Windows® 95 or later includes the software components for establishing a TCP/IP network.
- Windows 3.1 does not include a TCP/IP component. You need to purchase a third-party TCP/ IP application package, such as NetManage Chameleon.
- Macintosh Operating System 7 or later includes the software components for establishing a TCP/IP network.
- All versions of UNIX® or Linux® include TCP/IP components. Follow the instructions provided with your operating system or networking software to install TCP/IP on your computer.

In your IP network, each PC and the firewall must be assigned unique IP addresses. Each PC must also have certain other IP configuration information, such as a subnet mask (netmask), a domain name server (DNS) address, and a default gateway address. In most cases, you should install TCP/IP so that the PC obtains its specific network configuration information automatically from a DHCP server during bootup. For a detailed explanation of the meaning and purpose of these configuration items, refer to "Appendix B, "Networks, Routing, and Firewall Basics."

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server is shipped preconfigured as a DHCP server. The firewall assigns the following TCP/IP configuration information automatically when the computers are rebooted:

- PC or workstation IP addresses—192.168.0.2 through 192.168.0.254
- Subnet mask—255.255.255.0
- Gateway address (the firewall)—192.168.0.1

These addresses are part of the IETF-designated private address range for use in private networks.

Configuring Windows 95, 98, and Me for TCP/IP Networking

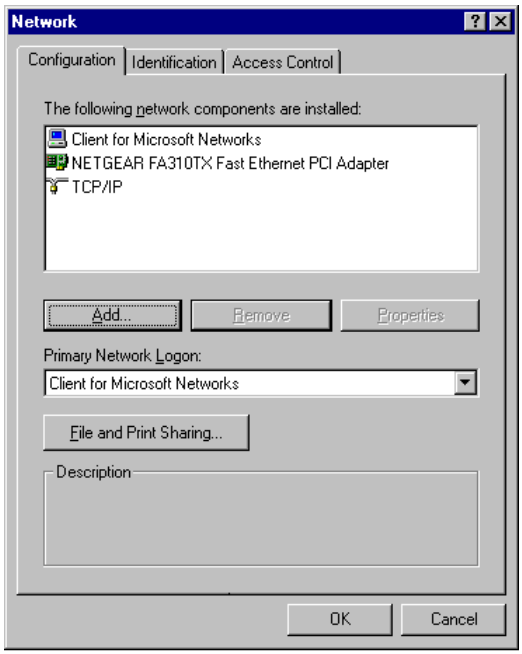
As part of the PC preparation process, you need to manually install and configure TCP/IP on each networked PC. Before starting, locate your Windows CD; you may need to insert it during the TCP/IP installation process.

Install or Verify Windows Networking Components

To install or verify the necessary components for IP networking:

1. On the Windows taskbar, click the Start button, point to Settings, and then click Control Panel.
2. Double-click the Network icon.

   The Network window opens, which displays a list of installed components:



You must have an Ethernet adapter, the TCP/IP protocol, and Client for Microsoft Networks.

Note: It is not necessary to remove any other network components shown in the Network window in order to install the adapter, TCP/IP, or Client for Microsoft Networks.

If you need to install a new adapter, follow these steps:

a. Click the Add button.

b. Select Adapter, and then click Add.

c. Select the manufacturer and model of your Ethernet adapter, and then click OK.

If you need TCP/IP:

a. Click the Add button.

b. Select Protocol, and then click Add.

c. Select Microsoft.

d. Select TCP/IP, and then click OK.

If you need Client for Microsoft Networks:

a. Click the Add button.

b. Select Client, and then click Add.

c. Select Microsoft.

d. Select Client for Microsoft Networks, and then click OK.

3. Restart your PC for the changes to take effect.

Enabling DHCP to Automatically Configure TCP/IP Settings

After the TCP/IP protocol components are installed, each PC must be assigned specific information about itself and resources that are available on its network. The simplest way to configure this information is to allow the PC to obtain the information from the internal DHCP server of the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server. To use DHCP with the recommended default addresses, follow these steps:

1. Connect all computers to the firewall, then restart the firewall and allow it to boot.
2. On each attached PC, open the Network control panel (refer to the previous section) and select the Configuration tab.
3. From the components list, select TCP/IP->(your Ethernet adapter) and click Properties.
4. In the IP Address tab, select “Obtain an IP address automatically”.
5. Select the Gateway tab.
6. If any gateways are shown, remove them.
7. Click OK.
8. Restart the PC.

Repeat steps 2 through 8 for each PC on your network.

Selecting Windows’ Internet Access Method

1. On the Windows taskbar, click the Start button, point to Settings, and then click Control Panel.
2. Double-click the Internet Options icon.
3. Select “I want to set up my Internet connection manually” or “I want to connect through a Local Area Network” and click Next.
4. Select “I want to connect through a Local Area Network” and click Next.

5. Uncheck all boxes in the LAN Internet Configuration screen and click Next.
6. Proceed to the end of the Wizard.

Verifying TCP/IP Properties

After your PC is configured and has rebooted, you can check the TCP/IP configuration using the utility *winipcfg.exe*:

1. On the Windows taskbar, click the Start button, and then click Run.
2. Type **`winipcfg`**, and then click OK.

   The IP Configuration window opens, which lists (among other things), your IP address, subnet mask, and default gateway.
3. From the drop-down box, select your Ethernet adapter.

   The window is updated to show your settings, which should match the values below if you are using the default TCP/IP settings that NETGEAR recommends:

   - The IP address is between 192.168.0.2 and 192.168.0.254
   - The subnet mask is 255.255.255.0
   - The default gateway is 192.168.0.1

Configuring Windows NT, 2000 or XP for IP Networking

As part of the PC preparation process, you need to manually install and configure TCP/IP on each networked PC. Before starting, locate your Windows CD; you may need to insert it during the TCP/IP installation process.

Installing or Verifying Windows Networking Components

To install or verify the necessary components for IP networking:

1. On the Windows taskbar, click the Start button, point to Settings, and then click Control Panel.
2. Double-click the Network and Dialup Connections icon.
3. If an Ethernet adapter is present in your PC, you should see an entry for Local Area Connection. Double-click that entry.
4. Select Properties.

5. Verify that 'Client for Microsoft Networks' and 'Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)' are present. If not, select Install and add them.
6. Select 'Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)', click Properties, and verify that "Obtain an IP address automatically is selected.
7. Click OK and close all Network and Dialup Connections windows.
8. Make sure your PC is connected to the firewall, then reboot your PC.

Verifying TCP/IP Properties

To check your PC's TCP/IP configuration:

1. On the Windows taskbar, click the Start button, and then click Run.

   The Run window opens.

2. Type **cmd** and then click OK.

   A command window opens

3. Type **ipconfig /all**

   Your IP Configuration information will be listed, and should match the values below if you are using the default TCP/IP settings that NETGEAR recommends:

   - The IP address is between 192.168.0.2 and 192.168.0.254
   - The subnet mask is 255.255.255.0
   - The default gateway is 192.168.0.1

4. Type **exit**

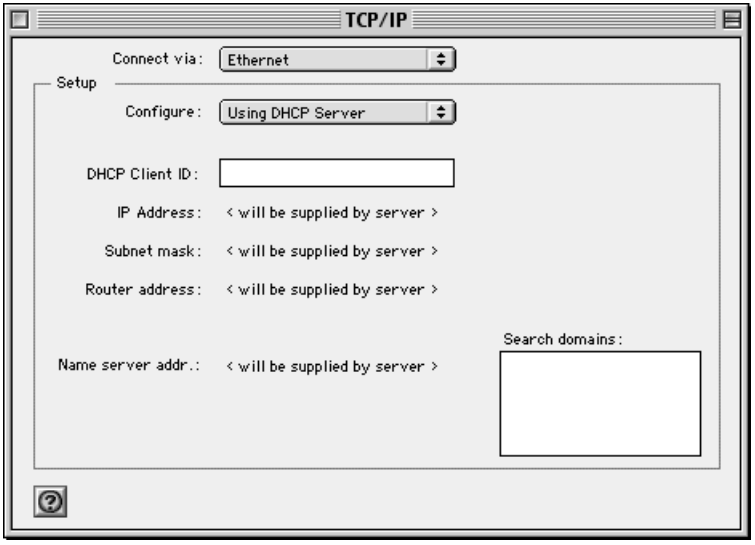
Configuring the Macintosh for TCP/IP Networking

Beginning with Macintosh Operating System 7, TCP/IP is already installed on the Macintosh. On each networked Macintosh, you will need to configure TCP/IP to use DHCP.

MacOS 8.6 or 9.x

1. From the Apple menu, select Control Panels, then TCP/IP.

The TCP/IP Control Panel opens:



2. From the “Connect via” box, select your Macintosh’s Ethernet interface.
3. From the “Configure” box, select Using DHCP Server.

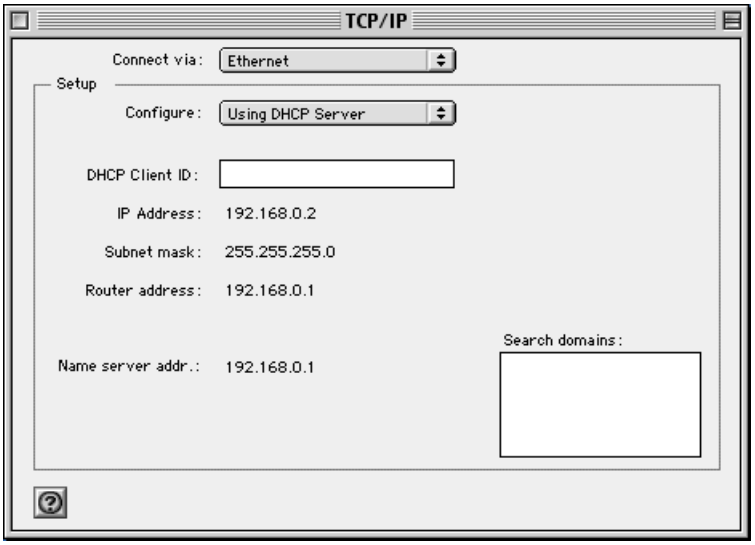
   You can leave the DHCP Client ID box empty.
4. Close the TCP/IP Control Panel.
5. Repeat this for each Macintosh on your network.

MacOS X

1. From the Apple menu, choose System Preferences, then Network.
2. If not already selected, select Built-in Ethernet in the Configure list.
3. If not already selected, Select Using DHCP in the TCP/IP tab.
4. Click Save.

Verifying TCP/IP Properties for Macintosh Computers

After your Macintosh is configured and has rebooted, you can check the TCP/IP configuration by returning to the TCP/IP Control Panel. From the Apple menu, select Control Panels, then TCP/IP.



The panel is updated to show your settings, which should match the values below if you are using the default TCP/IP settings that NETGEAR recommends:

- The IP Address is between 192.168.0.2 and 192.168.0.254
- The Subnet mask is 255.255.255.0
- The Router address is 192.168.0.1

If you do not see these values, you may need to restart your Macintosh or you may need to switch the “Configure” setting to a different option, then back again to “Using DHCP Server”.

Verifying the Readiness of Your Internet Account

For broadband access to the Internet, you need to contract with an Internet service provider (ISP) for a single-user Internet access account using a cable modem or DSL modem. This modem must be a separate physical box (not a card) and must provide an Ethernet port intended for connection to a Network Interface Card (NIC) in a computer. Your firewall does not support a USB-connected broadband modem.

For a single-user Internet account, your ISP supplies TCP/IP configuration information for one computer. With a typical account, much of the configuration information is dynamically assigned when your PC is first booted up while connected to the ISP, and you will not need to know that dynamic information.

In order to share the Internet connection among several computers, your firewall takes the place of the single PC, and you need to configure it with the TCP/IP information that the single PC would normally use. When the firewall's Internet port is connected to the broadband modem, the firewall appears to be a single PC to the ISP. The firewall then allows the computers on the local network to masquerade as the single PC to access the Internet through the broadband modem. The method used by the firewall to accomplish this is called Network Address Translation (NAT) or IP masquerading.

Are Login Protocols Used?

Some ISPs require a special login protocol, in which you must enter a login name and password in order to access the Internet. If you normally log in to your Internet account by running a program, such as WinPOET or EnterNet, then your account uses PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE).

When you configure your router, you will need to enter your login name and password in the router's configuration menus. After your network and firewall are configured, the firewall will perform the login task when needed, and you will no longer need to run the login program from your PC. It is not necessary to uninstall the login program.

What Is Your Configuration Information?

More and more, ISPs are dynamically assigning configuration information. However, if your ISP does not dynamically assign configuration information but instead uses fixed configurations, your ISP should have given you the following basic information for your account:

- An IP address and subnet mask
- A gateway IP address, which is the address of the ISP's router
- One or more domain name server (DNS) IP addresses
- Host name and domain suffix

  For example, your account's full server names may look like this:

  `mail.xxx.yyy.com`

  In this example, the domain suffix is `xxx.yyy.com`.

If any of these items are dynamically supplied by the ISP, your firewall automatically acquires them.

If an ISP technician configured your PC during the installation of the broadband modem, or if you configured it using instructions provided by your ISP, you need to copy the configuration information from your PC's Network TCP/IP Properties window or Macintosh TCP/IP Control Panel before reconfiguring your PC for use with the firewall. These procedures are described next.

Obtaining ISP Configuration Information for Windows Computers

As mentioned above, you may need to collect configuration information from your PC so that you can use this information when you configure the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server. Following this procedure is only necessary when your ISP does not dynamically supply the account information.

To get the information you need to configure the firewall for Internet access:

1. On the Windows taskbar, click the Start button, point to Settings, and then click Control Panel.
2. Double-click the Network icon.

   The Network window opens, which displays a list of installed components.
3. Select TCP/IP, and then click Properties.

   The TCP/IP Properties dialog box opens.
4. Select the IP Address tab.

   If an IP address and subnet mask are shown, write down the information. If an address is present, your account uses a fixed (static) IP address. If no address is present, your account uses a dynamically-assigned IP address. Click "Obtain an IP address automatically".
5. Select the Gateway tab.

If an IP address appears under Installed Gateways, write down the address. This is the ISP's gateway address. Select the address and then click Remove to remove the gateway address.

6. Select the DNS Configuration tab.

   If any DNS server addresses are shown, write down the addresses. If any information appears in the Host or Domain information box, write it down. Click Disable DNS.

7. Click OK to save your changes and close the TCP/IP Properties dialog box.

   You are returned to the Network window.

8. Click OK.

9. Reboot your PC at the prompt. You may also be prompted to insert your Windows CD.

Obtaining ISP Configuration Information for Macintosh Computers

As mentioned above, you may need to collect configuration information from your Macintosh so that you can use this information when you configure the FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server. Following this procedure is only necessary when your ISP does not dynamically supply the account information.

To get the information you need to configure the firewall for Internet access:

1. From the Apple menu, select Control Panels, then TCP/IP.

   The TCP/IP Control Panel opens, which displays a list of configuration settings. If the "Configure" setting is "Using DHCP Server", your account uses a dynamically-assigned IP address. In this case, close the Control Panel and skip the rest of this section.

2. If an IP address and subnet mask are shown, write down the information.

3. If an IP address appears under Router address, write down the address. This is the ISP's gateway address.

4. If any Name Server addresses are shown, write down the addresses. These are your ISP's DNS addresses.

5. If any information appears in the Search domains information box, write it down.

6. Change the "Configure" setting to "Using DHCP Server".

7. Close the TCP/IP Control Panel.

Restarting the Network

Once you have set up your computers to work with the firewall, you must reset the network for the devices to be able to communicate correctly. Restart any computer that is connected to the firewall.

After configuring all of your computers for TCP/IP networking and restarting them, and connecting them to the local network of your FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server, you are ready to access and configure the firewall.

Appendix D
Firewall Log Formats

Action List

Drop:	Packet dropped by Firewall current inbound or outbound rules.
Reset:	TCP session reset by Firewall.
Forward:	Packet forwarded by Firewall to the next hop based on matching the criteria in the rules table.
Receive:	Packet was permitted by the firewall rules and modified prior to being forwarded and/or replied to.

Field List

<DATE><TIME>:	Log's date and time
<EVENT>:	Event is that access the device or access other host via the device
<PKT_TYPE>:	Packet type pass Firewall
<SRC_IP><DST_IP>:	IP address in the packet
<SRC_PORT><DST_PORT>:	Port in the packet
<SRC_INF><DST_INF>:	Include `LAN` and `WAN` (optional)
<ACTION>:	As `Action List` referenced
<DESCRIPTION>:	A complement to the log (optional)
<DIRECTION>:	Inbound and Outbound
<SERVICE>:	Firewall costumed service

Outbound Log

Outgoing packets that match the Firewall rules are logged.

The format is:

```
<DATE> <TIME> <PKT_TYPE> <SRC_IP> <SRC_INF> <DST_IP > <DST_INF>
<ACTION><DESCRIPTION>

[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:19:42] - UDP Packet - Source:172.31.12.233,138 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.255,138 ,LAN [Drop] - [Inbound Default rule match]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:35:04] - TCP Packet - Source:172.31.12.156,34239 ,WAN -
Destination:192.168.0.10,21[FTP Control] ,LAN [Forward] - [Inbound Rule(1)
match]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:35:11] - UDP Packet - Source:172.31.12.200,138 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.255,138 ,LAN [Forward] - [Inbound Rule(1) not match]

Notes:
SRC_INF = WAN
DST_INF = LAN
DESCRIPTION = "Inbound rule match", "Inbound Default rule match"
PKT_TYPE = "UDP packet", "TCP connection", "ICMP packet"
```

Inbound Log

Incoming packets that match the Firewall rules are logged.

The format is:

```
<DATE> <TIME> <PKT_TYPE> <SRC_IP> <SRC_INF> <DST_IP > <DST_INF>
<ACTION><DESCRIPTION>

[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:59:56] - ICMP Packet [Echo Request] - Source:192.168.0.10,LAN
- Destination:192.168.0.1,WAN [Forward] - [Outbound Default rule match]

[Fri, 2003-12-05 23:00:58] - ICMP Packet [Echo Request] - Source:192.168.0.10,LAN
- Destination:172.31.12.200,WAN [Forward] - [Outbound Default rule match]

[Fri, 2003-12-05 23:02:30] - TCP Packet - Source:192.168.0.10,3472 ,LAN -
Destination:216.239.39.99,80[HTTP] ,WAN [Forward] - [Outbound Default rule
match]

Notes:
SRC_INF = LAN
DST_INF = WAN
DESCRIPTION = "Outbound rule match", "Outbound Default rule match"
PKT_TYPE = "UDP packet", "TCP connection", "ICMP packet"
```

Other IP Traffic

Some special packets matching the Firewall rules, like VPN connection, etc. are logged.

The format is:

```
<DATE><TIME><PKT_TYPE>< SRC_IP><SRC_PORT ><SRC_INF>< DST_IP><DST_PORT
><DST_PORT><ACTION><DESCRIPTION>

<DATE><TIME> <PKT_TYPE> <SRC_IP> <SRC_INF> <DST_IP> <DST_INF> <ACTION>
<DESCRIPTION>

[Wed, 2003-07-30 17:43:28] - IPSEC Packet - Source: 64.3.3.201, 37180 WAN -
Destination: 10.10.10.4,80[HTTP] LAN - [Drop] [VPN Packet]

[Wed, 2003-07-30 18:44:50] - IP Packet [Type Field: 321] - Source 18.7.21.69
192.168.0.3 - [Drop]

Notes:
DESCRIPTION = "VPN Packet"
PKT_TYPE = "GRE", "AH", "ESP", "IP packet [Type Field: Num]", "IPSEC"
ACTION = "Forward", "Drop"
```

Router Operation

Operations that the router initiates are logged.

The format is:

```
<DATE><TIME><EVENT>

[Wed, 2003-07-30 16:30:59] - Log emailed
[Wed, 2003-07-30 13:38:31] - NETGEAR activated
[Wed, 2003-07-30 13:42:01] - NTP Reply Invalid
```

The format is:

```
<DATE><TIME><EVENT><DST_IP>
<DATE><TIME><EVENT><SRC_IP>

[Wed, 2003-07-30 16:32:33] - Send out NTP Request to 207.46.130.100
[Wed, 2003-07-30 16:35:27] - Receive NTP Reply from 207.46.130.100
```

Other Connections and Traffic to this Router

The format is:

```
<DATE><TIME>< PKT_TYPE ><SRC_IP><DST_IP><ACTION>

[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:31:27] - ICMP Packet[Echo Request] - Source: 192.168.0.10 -
Destination: 192.168.0.1 - [Receive]
[Wed, 2003-07-30 16:34:56] - ICMP Packet[Type: 238]  - Source:  64.3.3.201 -
Destination: 192.168.0.3 - [Drop]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:59:56] - ICMP Packet[Echo Request] - Source:192.168.0.10 -
Destination:192.168.0.1 - [Receive]
```

The format is:

```
<DATE><TIME><EVENT>< SRC_IP><SRC_PORT ><SRC_INF><
DST_IP><DST_PORT><DST_INF><ACTION>

[Wed, 2003-07-30 16:24:23] - UDP Packet - Source: 207.46.130.100 WAN -
Destination: 10.10.10.4,1234 LAN - [Drop]
[Wed, 2003-07-30 17:48:09] - TCP Packet[SYN] - Source: 64.3.3.201,65534 WAN -
Destination: 10.10.10.4,1765 LAN - [Receive]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:07:11] - IP Packet [Type Field:8], from 20.97.173.18 to
172.31.12.157 - [Drop]

Notes:
ACTION = "Drop", "Receive"
EVENT = "ICMP Packet", "UDP Packet", "TCP Packet", "IP Packet"
```

DoS Attack/Scan

Common attacks and scans are logged.

The format is:

```
<DATE><TIME><PKT_TYPE>< SRC_IP><SRC_PORT ><SRC_INF>< DST_IP><DST_PORT
><DST_PORT><ACTION><DESCRIPTION>
<DATE> <TIME> <PKT_TYPE> <SRC_IP> <SRC_INF> <DST_IP> <DST_INF> <ACTION>
<DESCRIPTION>

[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:22:07] - TCP Packet - Source:172.31.12.156,54611 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,134 ,LAN [Drop] - [FIN Scan]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:22:38] - TCP Packet - Source:172.31.12.156,59937 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,670 ,LAN [Drop] - [Nmap Xmas Scan]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:23:06] - TCP Packet - Source:172.31.12.156,39860 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,18000 ,LAN [Drop] - [Null Scan]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:27:55] - TCP Packet - Source:172.31.12.156,38009 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,15220 ,LAN [Drop] - [Full Sapu Scan]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:28:56] - TCP Packet - Source:172.31.12.156,35128 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,38728 ,LAN [Drop] - [Full Xmas Scan]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:30:30] - IP Packet - Source:227.113.223.77,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,LAN [Drop] - [Fragment Attack]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:30:30] - IP Packet - Source:20.97.173.18,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,LAN [Drop] - [Targa3 Attack]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:30:30] - TCP Packet - Source:3.130.176.84,37860 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,63881 ,LAN [Drop] - [Vecna Scan]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:30:31] - ICMP Packet [Type 238]  - Source:100.110.182.63,WAN
- Destination:172.31.12.157,LAN [Drop] - [ICMP Flood]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:33:52] - UDP Packet - Source:127.0.0.1,0 ,WAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,0 ,LAN [Drop] - [Fragment Attack]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 19:20:00] - TCP Session - Source:54.148.179.175,58595 ,LAN -
Destination:192.168.0.1,20[FTP Data] ,WAN [Reset] - [SYN Flood]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 19:21:22] - UDP Packet - Source:172.31.12.156,7 ,LAN -
Destination:172.31.12.157,7 ,WAN [Drop] - [UDP Flood]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 20:59:08] - ICMP Echo Request packet - Source:192.168.0.5,LAN -
Destination:172.31.12.99,WAN [Drop] - [ICMP Flood]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 18:07:29] - TCP Packet - Source:192.168.0.10,1725 ,LAN -
Destination:61.177.58.50,1352 ,WAN [Drop] - [TCP incomplete sessions overflow]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:11:24] - TCP Packet - Source:192.168.0.10,2342 ,LAN -
Destination:61.177.58.50,1352 ,WAN [Drop] - [First TCP Packet not SYN]

Notes:
DESCRIPTION = "SYN Flood", "UDP Flood", "ICMP Flood", "IP Spoofing", "TearDrop",
"Brute Force", "Ping of Death", "Fragment Attack", "Targa3 Attack", "Big Bomb"
"SYN with Data", "Full Xmas Scan", "Full Head Scan", "Full Sapu Scan", "FIN
Scan", "SYN FIN Scan", "Null Scan", "Nmap Xmas Scan", "Vecna Scan", "Tcp SYN RES
Set", "Other Scan"
"TCP incomplete sessions overflow", "TCP preconnect traffic", "TCP invalid
traffic", "First TCP Packet not SYN", "First TCP Packet with no SYN"

<DATE><TIME><PKT_TYPE>< SRC_IP >< DST_IP><ACTION>

[Wed, 2003-07-30 17:45:17] - TCP Packet [Malformed, Length=896] - Source:
64.3.3.201 - Destination: 10.10.10.4 - [Drop]
[Wed, 2003-07-30 17:45:17] - TCP Packet [Malformed, Length=1000] - Source:
64.3.3.201- Destination:  10.10.10.4 - [Forward]

Notes:
PKT_TYPE = "TCP", "UDP", "ICMP", "Proto: Number"
```

Access Block Site

If keyword blocking is enabled and a keyword is specified, attempts to access a site whose URL contains a specified keyword are logged.

The format is

```
<DATE> <TIME> <EVENT> <SRC_IP> <SRC_INF> <DST_IP> <DST_INF> <ACTION>

[Fri, 2003-12-05 23:01:47] - Attempt to access blocked sites -
Source:192.168.0.10,LAN - Destination:www.google.com/,WAN - [Drop]

Notes:
EVENT = Attempt to access blocked sites
SRC_INF = LAN
DST_INF = WAN
```

All Web Sites and News Groups Visited

All Web sites and News groups that you visit are logged.

The format is

```
<DATE> <TIME> <EVENT> <SRC_IP> <SRC_INF> <DST_IP> <DST_INF> <ACTION>

[Fri, 2003-12-05 23:03:49] - Access site - Source:192.168.0.10,LAN -
Destination:euro.allyes.com,WAN - [Forward]

Notes:
EVENT = Attempt to access blocked sites
SRC_INF = LAN or WAN
DST_INF = WAN or LAN
```

System Admin Sessions

Administrator session logins and failed attempts are logged, as well as manual or idle-time logouts.

The format is:

```
<DATE><TIME><EVENT ><SRC_IP>
<DATE><TIME><EVENT ><SRC_IP><SRC_PORT><DST_IP><DST_PORT><ACTION>

[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:07:43] - Administrator login successful - IP:192.168.0.10
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:09:16] - Administrator logout - IP:192.168.0.10
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:09:31] - Administrator login fail, Username error -
IP:192.168.0.10
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:09:25] - Administrator login fail, Password error -
IP:192.168.0.10
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:16:15] - Login screen timed out - IP:192.168.0.10
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:07:43] - Administrator Interface Connecting[TCP] - Source
192.168.0.10,2440 - Destination 192.168.0.1,80 - [Receive]

Notes:
ACTION: Receive or Drop
```

Policy Administration LOG

```
<DATE> <TIME> <EVENT> <DIRECTION> <SERVICE>< DESCRIPTION >

[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:48:41] - Administrator Action - Inbound Policy to Service
[BGP] is Added
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:49:41] - Administrator Action - Outbound Policy to Service
[BGP] is Added
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:50:14] - Administrator Action - Inbound Policy to Service
[BGP] is Modified
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:50:57] - Administrator Action - Outbound Policy to Service
[BGP] is Modified
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:51:14] - Administrator Action - Inbound Policy to Service
[BGP] is Deleted
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:52:12] - Administrator Action - Inbound Policy to Service
[BGP] is Moved to Index [0]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 21:54:41] - Administrator Action - Outbound Policy to Service
[FTP] is Moved to Index [1]
[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:01:47] - Administrator Action - Inbound Policy to Service
[BGP] is changed to Disable
[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:02:14] - Administrator Action - Inbound Policy to Service
[BGP] is changed to Enable
[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:02:35] - Administrator Action - Outbound Policy to Service
[NFS] is changed to Disable
[Fri, 2003-12-05 22:02:52] - Administrator Action - Outbound Policy to Service
[NFS] is changed to Enable

Notes:
DIRECTION: Inbound or Outbound
SERVICE: Supported service name
```

Appendix E
Wireless Networking Basics

This chapter provides an overview of Wireless networking.

Wireless Networking Overview

The FWG114P Wireless Firewall/Print Server conforms to the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) 802.11b and 802.11g standards for wireless LANs (WLANs). On an 802.11b or g wireless link, data is encoded using direct-sequence spread-spectrum (DSSS) technology and is transmitted in the unlicensed radio spectrum at 2.5GHz. The maximum data rate for the 802.11b wireless link is 11 Mbps, but it will automatically back down from 11 Mbps to 5.5, 2, and 1 Mbps when the radio signal is weak or when interference is detected. The 802.11g auto rate sensing rates are 1, 2, 5.5, 6, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, and 54 Mbps.

The 802.11 standard is also called Wireless Ethernet or Wi-Fi by the Wireless Ethernet Compatibility Alliance (WECA, see *http://www.wi-fi.net*), an industry standard group promoting interoperability among 802.11 devices. The 802.11 standard offers two methods for configuring a wireless network - ad hoc and infrastructure.

Infrastructure Mode

With a wireless Access Point, you can operate the wireless LAN in the infrastructure mode. This mode provides wireless connectivity to multiple wireless network devices within a fixed range or area of coverage, interacting with wireless nodes via an antenna.

In the infrastructure mode, the wireless access point converts airwave data into wired Ethernet data, acting as a bridge between the wired LAN and wireless clients. Connecting multiple Access Points via a wired Ethernet backbone can further extend the wireless network coverage. As a mobile computing device moves out of the range of one access point, it moves into the range of another. As a result, wireless clients can freely roam from one Access Point domain to another and still maintain seamless network connection.

Ad Hoc Mode (Peer-to-Peer Workgroup)

In an ad hoc network, computers are brought together as needed; thus, there is no structure or fixed points to the network - each node can generally communicate with any other node. There is no Access Point involved in this configuration. This mode enables you to quickly set up a small wireless workgroup and allows workgroup members to exchange data or share printers as supported by Microsoft networking in the various Windows operating systems. Some vendors also refer to ad hoc networking as peer-to-peer group networking.

In this configuration, network packets are directly sent and received by the intended transmitting and receiving stations. As long as the stations are within range of one another, this is the easiest and least expensive way to set up a wireless network.

Network Name: Extended Service Set Identification (ESSID)

The Extended Service Set Identification (ESSID) is one of two types of Service Set Identification (SSID). In an ad hoc wireless network with no access points, the Basic Service Set Identification (BSSID) is used. In an infrastructure wireless network that includes an access point, the ESSID is used, but may still be referred to as SSID.

An SSID is a thirty-two character (maximum) alphanumeric key identifying the name of the wireless local area network. Some vendors refer to the SSID as network name. For the wireless devices in a network to communicate with each other, all devices must be configured with the same SSID.

The ESSID is usually broadcast in the air from an access point. The wireless station sometimes can be configured with the ESSID **ANY.** This means the wireless station will try to associate with whichever access point has the stronger radio frequency (RF) signal, providing that both the access point and wireless station use Open System authentication.

Authentication and WEP Data Encryption

The absence of a physical connection between nodes makes the wireless links vulnerable to eavesdropping and information theft. To provide a certain level of security, the IEEE 802.11 standard has defined these two types of authentication methods:

- **Open System**. With Open System authentication, a wireless computer can join any network and receive any messages that are not encrypted.

- **Shared Key**. With Shared Key authentication, only those PCs that possess the correct authentication key can join the network. By default, IEEE 802.11 wireless devices operate in an Open System network.

Wired Equivalent Privacy (WEP) data encryption is used when the wireless devices are configured to operate in Shared Key authentication mode.

802.11 Authentication

The 802.11 standard defines several services that govern how two 802.11 devices communicate. The following events must occur before an 802.11 Station can communicate with an Ethernet network through an access point, such as the one built in to the FWG114P:

1. Turn on the wireless station.
2. The station listens for messages from any access points that are in range.
3. The station finds a message from an access point that has a matching SSID.
4. The station sends an authentication request to the access point.
5. The access point authenticates the station.
6. The station sends an association request to the access point.
7. The access point associates with the station.
8. The station can now communicate with the Ethernet network through the access point.

An access point must authenticate a station before the station can associate with the access point or communicate with the network. The IEEE 802.11 standard defines two types of authentication: Open System and Shared Key.

- Open System Authentication allows any device to join the network, assuming that the device SSID matches the access point SSID. Alternatively, the device can use the “ANY” SSID option to associate with any available Access Point within range, regardless of its SSID.
- Shared Key Authentication requires that the station and the access point have the same WEP Key to authenticate. These two authentication procedures are described below.

Open System Authentication

The following steps occur when two devices use Open System Authentication:

1. The station sends an authentication request to the access point.

2. The access point authenticates the station.
3. The station associates with the access point and joins the network.

This process is illustrated below.

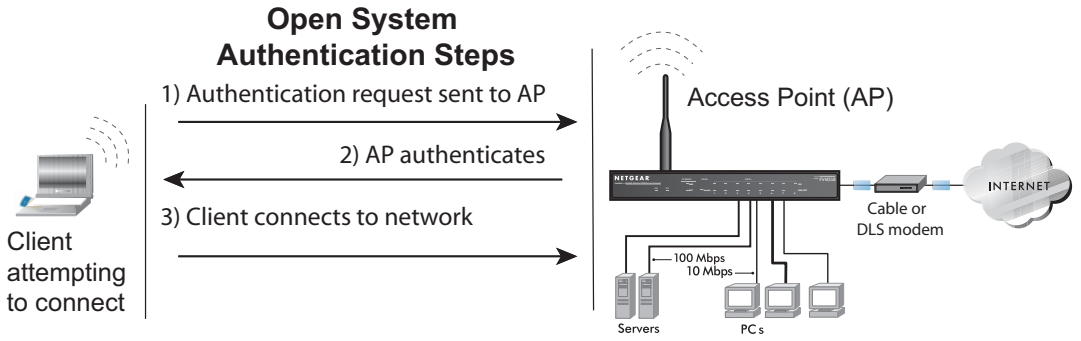


Figure E-1: Open system authentication

Shared Key Authentication

The following steps occur when two devices use Shared Key Authentication:

1. The station sends an authentication request to the access point.
2. The access point sends challenge text to the station.
3. The station uses its configured 64-bit or 128-bit default key to encrypt the challenge text, and sends the encrypted text to the access point.
4. The access point decrypts the encrypted text using its configured WEP Key that corresponds to the station's default key. The access point compares the decrypted text with the original challenge text. If the decrypted text matches the original challenge text, then the access point and the station share the same WEP Key and the access point authenticates the station.
5. The station connects to the network.

If the decrypted text does not match the original challenge text (the access point and station do not share the same WEP Key), then the access point will refuse to authenticate the station and the station will be unable to communicate with either the 802.11 network or Ethernet network.

This process is illustrated below.

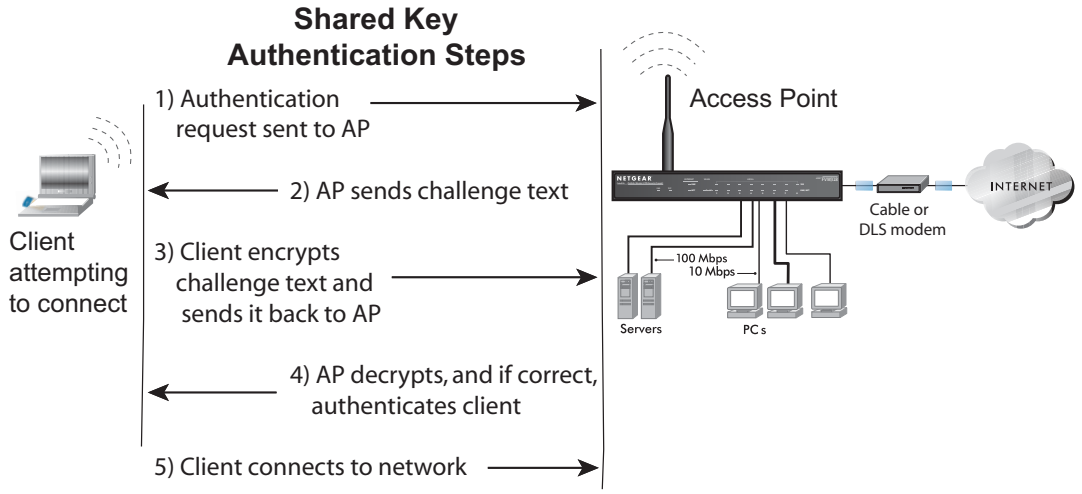


Figure E-2: Shared key authentication

Overview of WEP Parameters

Before enabling WEP on an 802.11 network, you must first consider what type of encryption you require and the key size you want to use. Typically, there are three WEP Encryption options available for 802.11 products:

1. **Do Not Use WEP:** The 802.11 network does not encrypt data. For authentication purposes, the network uses Open System Authentication.

2. **Use WEP for Encryption:** A transmitting 802.11 device encrypts the data portion of every packet it sends using a configured WEP Key. The receiving device decrypts the data using the same WEP Key. For authentication purposes, the network uses Open System Authentication.

3. **Use WEP for Authentication and Encryption:** A transmitting 802.11 device encrypts the data portion of every packet it sends using a configured WEP Key. The receiving device decrypts the data using the same WEP Key. For authentication purposes, the wireless network uses Shared Key Authentication.

Note: Some 802.11 access points also support **Use WEP for Authentication Only** (Shared Key Authentication without data encryption).

Key Size

The IEEE 802.11 standard supports two types of WEP encryption: 40-bit and 128-bit.

The 64-bit WEP data encryption method allows for a five-character (40-bit) input. Additionally, 24 factory-set bits are added to the forty-bit input to generate a 64-bit encryption key. The 24 factory-set bits are not user-configurable). This encryption key will be used to encrypt/decrypt all data transmitted via the wireless interface. Some vendors refer to the 64-bit WEP data encryption as 40-bit WEP data encryption since the user-configurable portion of the encryption key is 40 bits wide.

The 128-bit WEP data encryption method consists of 104 user-configurable bits. Similar to the forty-bit WEP data encryption method, the remaining 24 bits are factory set and not user configurable. Some vendors allow passphrases to be entered instead of the cryptic hexadecimal characters to ease encryption key entry.

128-bit encryption is stronger than 40-bit encryption, but 128-bit encryption may not be available outside of the United States due to U.S. export regulations.

When configured for 40-bit encryption, 802.11 products typically support up to four WEP Keys. Each 40-bit WEP Key is expressed as 5 sets of two hexadecimal digits (0-9 and A-F). For example, “12 34 56 78 90” is a 40-bit WEP Key.

When configured for 128-bit encryption, 802.11 products typically support four WEP Keys but some manufacturers support only one 128-bit key. The 128-bit WEP Key is expressed as 13 sets of two hexadecimal digits (0-9 and A-F). For example, “12 34 56 78 90 AB CD EF 12 34 56 78 90” is a 128-bit WEP Key.

Table E-1: Encryption Key Sizes

Encryption Key Size	# of Hexadecimal Digits	Example of Hexadecimal Key Content
64-bit (24+40)	10	4C72F08AE1
128-bit (24+104)	26	4C72F08AE19D57A3FF6B260037

Note: Typically, 802.11 access points can store up to four 128-bit WEP Keys but some 802.11 client adapters can only store one. Therefore, make sure that your 802.11 access and client adapters’ configurations match.

WEP Configuration Options

The WEP settings must match on all 802.11 devices that are within the same wireless network as identified by the SSID. In general, if your mobile clients will roam between access points, then all of the 802.11 access points and all of the 802.11 client adapters on the network must have the same WEP settings.

Note: Whatever keys you enter for an AP, you must also enter the same keys for the client adapter in the same order. In other words, WEP key 1 on the AP must match WEP key 1 on the client adapter, WEP key 2 on the AP must match WEP key 2 on the client adapter, and so on.

Note: The AP and the client adapters can have different default WEP Keys as long as the keys are in the same order. In other words, the AP can use WEP key 2 as its default key to transmit while a client adapter can use WEP key 3 as its default key to transmit. The two devices will communicate as long as the AP's WEP key 2 is the same as the client's WEP key 2 and the AP's WEP key 3 is the same as the client's WEP key 3.

Wireless Channels

The wireless frequencies used by 802.11b/g networks are discussed below.

IEEE 802.11b/g wireless nodes communicate with each other using radio frequency signals in the ISM (Industrial, Scientific, and Medical) band between 2.4 GHz and 2.5 GHz. Neighboring channels are 5 MHz apart. However, due to spread spectrum effect of the signals, a node sending signals using a particular channel will utilize frequency spectrum 12.5 MHz above and below the center channel frequency. As a result, two separate wireless networks using neighboring channels (for example, channel 1 and channel 2) in the same general vicinity will interfere with each other. Applying two channels that allow the maximum channel separation will decrease the amount of channel cross-talk, and provide a noticeable performance increase over networks with minimal channel separation.

The radio frequency channels used in 802.11b/g networks are listed in Table E-2:

Table E-2: 802.11b/g Radio Frequency Channels

Channel	Center Frequency	Frequency Spread
1	2412 MHz	2399.5 MHz - 2424.5 MHz
2	2417 MHz	2404.5 MHz - 2429.5 MHz
3	2422 MHz	2409.5 MHz - 2434.5 MHz

Table E-2: 802.11b/g Radio Frequency Channels

Channel	Center Frequency	Frequency Spread
4	2427 MHz	2414.5 MHz - 2439.5 MHz
5	2432 MHz	2419.5 MHz - 2444.5 MHz
6	2437 MHz	2424.5 MHz - 2449.5 MHz
7	2442 MHz	2429.5 MHz - 2454.5 MHz
8	2447 MHz	2434.5 MHz - 2459.5 MHz
9	2452 MHz	2439.5 MHz - 2464.5 MHz
10	2457 MHz	2444.5 MHz - 2469.5 MHz
11	2462 MHz	2449.5 MHz - 2474.5 MHz
12	2467 MHz	2454.5 MHz - 2479.5 MHz
13	2472 MHz	2459.5 MHz - 2484.5 MHz

Note: The available channels supported by the wireless products in various countries are different. For example, Channels 1 to 11 are supported in the U.S. and Canada, and Channels 1 to 13 are supported in Europe and Australia.

The preferred channel separation between the channels in neighboring wireless networks is 25 MHz (5 channels). This means that you can apply up to three different channels within your wireless network. There are only 11 usable wireless channels in the United States. It is recommended that you start using channel 1 and grow to use channel 6, and 11 when necessary, as these three channels do not overlap.

WPA Wireless Security

Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA) is a specification of standards-based, interoperable security enhancements that increase the level of data protection and access control for existing and future wireless LAN systems.

The IEEE introduced the WEP as an optional security measure to secure 802.11b (Wi-Fi) WLANs, but inherent weaknesses in the standard soon became obvious. In response to this situation, the Wi-Fi Alliance announced a new security architecture in October 2002 that remedies the shortcomings of WEP. This standard, formerly known as Safe Secure Network (SSN), is designed to work with existing 802.11 products and offers forward compatibility with 802.11i, the new wireless security architecture being defined in the IEEE.

WPA offers the following benefits:

- Enhanced data privacy
- Robust key management
- Data origin authentication
- Data integrity protection

The Wi-Fi Alliance is now performing interoperability certification testing on Wi-Fi Protected Access products. Starting August of 2003, all new Wi-Fi certified products will have to support WPA. NETGEAR will implement WPA on client and access point products and make this available in the second half of 2003. Existing Wi-Fi certified products will have one year to add WPA support or they will lose their Wi-Fi certification.

The 802.11i standard is currently in draft form, with ratification due at the end of 2003. While the new IEEE 802.11i standard is being ratified, wireless vendors have agreed on WPA as an interoperable interim standard.

How Does WPA Compare to WEP?

WEP is a data encryption method and is not intended as a user authentication mechanism. WPA user authentication is implemented using 802.1x and the Extensible Authentication Protocol (EAP). Support for 802.1x authentication is required in WPA. In the 802.11 standard, 802.1x authentication was optional. For details on EAP specifically, refer to IETF's RFC 2284.

With 802.11 WEP, all access points and client wireless adapters on a particular wireless LAN must use the same encryption key. A major problem with the 802.11 standard is that the keys are cumbersome to change. If you do not update the WEP keys often, an unauthorized person with a sniffing tool can monitor your network for less than a day and decode the encrypted messages. Products based on the 802.11 standard alone offer system administrators no effective method to update the keys.

For 802.11, WEP encryption is optional. For WPA, encryption using Temporal Key Integrity Protocol (TKIP) is required. TKIP replaces WEP with a new encryption algorithm that is stronger than the WEP algorithm, but that uses the calculation facilities present on existing wireless devices to perform encryption operations. TKIP provides important data encryption enhancements including a per-packet key mixing function, a message integrity check (MIC) named Michael, an extended initialization vector (IV) with sequencing rules, and a re-keying mechanism. Through these enhancements, TKIP addresses all of known WEP vulnerabilities.

How Does WPA Compare to IEEE 802.11i?

WPA will be forward compatible with the IEEE 802.11i security specification currently under development. WPA is a subset of the current 802.11i draft and uses certain pieces of the 802.11i draft that are ready to bring to market today, such as 802.1x and TKIP. The main pieces of the 802.11i draft that are not included in WPA are secure IBSS (Ad-Hoc mode), secure fast handoff (for specialized 802.11 VoIP phones), as well as enhanced encryption protocols, such as AES-CCMP. These features are either not yet ready for market or will require hardware upgrades to implement.

What are the Key Features of WPA Security?

The following security features are included in the WPA standard:

- WPA Authentication
- WPA Encryption Key Management
  - Temporal Key Integrity Protocol (TKIP)
  - Michael message integrity code (MIC)
  - AES Support (to be phased in)
- Support for a Mixture of WPA and WEP Wireless Clients, but mixing WEP and WPA is discouraged

These features are discussed below.

WPA addresses most of the known WEP vulnerabilities and is primarily intended for wireless infrastructure networks as found in the enterprise. This infrastructure includes stations, access points, and authentication servers (typically RADIUS servers). The RADIUS server holds (or has access to) user credentials (for example, user names and passwords) and authenticates wireless users before they gain access to the network.

The strength of WPA comes from an integrated sequence of operations that encompass 802.1X/ EAP authentication and sophisticated key management and encryption techniques. Its major operations include:

- Network security capability determination. This occurs at the 802.11 level and is communicated through WPA information elements in Beacon, Probe Response, and (Re) Association Requests. Information in these elements includes the authentication method (802.1X or Pre-shared key) and the preferred cipher suite (WEP, TKIP, or AES).

The primary information conveyed in the Beacon frames is the authentication method and the cipher suite. Possible authentication methods include 802.1X and Pre-shared key. Pre-shared key is an authentication method that uses a statically configured pass phrase on both the stations and the access point. This obviates the need for an authentication server, which in many home and small office environments will not be available nor desirable. Possible cipher suites include: WEP, TKIP, and AES (Advanced Encryption Standard). We talk more about TKIP and AES when addressing data privacy below.

- Authentication. EAP over 802.1X is used for authentication. Mutual authentication is gained by choosing an EAP type supporting this feature and is required by WPA. 802.1X port access control prevents full access to the network until authentication completes. 802.1X EAPOL-Key packets are used by WPA to distribute per-session keys to those stations successfully authenticated.

  The supplicant in the station uses the authentication and cipher suite information contained in the information elements to decide which authentication method and cipher suite to use. For example, if the access point is using the pre-shared key method then the supplicant need not authenticate using full-blown 802.1X. Rather, the supplicant must simply prove to the access point that it is in possession of the pre-shared key. If the supplicant detects that the service set does not contain a WPA information element then it knows it must use pre-WPA 802.1X authentication and key management in order to access the network.

- Key management. WPA features a robust key generation/management system that integrates the authentication and data privacy functions. Keys are generated after successful authentication and through a subsequent 4-way handshake between the station and Access Point (AP).

- Data Privacy (Encryption). Temporal Key Integrity Protocol (TKIP) is used to wrap WEP in sophisticated cryptographic and security techniques to overcome most of its weaknesses.

- Data integrity. TKIP includes a message integrity code (MIC) at the end of each plaintext message to ensure messages are not being spoofed.

WPA Authentication: Enterprise-level User Authentication via 802.1x/EAP and RADIUS

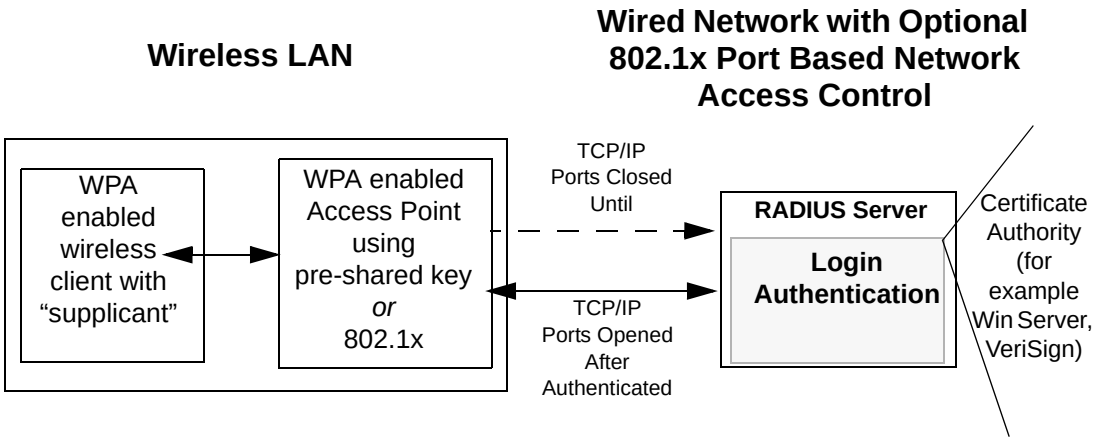


Figure E-3: WPA Overview

IEEE 802.1x offers an effective framework for authenticating and controlling user traffic to a protected network, as well as providing a vehicle for dynamically varying data encryption keys via EAP from a RADIUS server, for example. This framework enables using a central authentication server, which employs mutual authentication so that a rogue wireless user does not join the network.

It is important to note that 802.1x does not provide the actual authentication mechanisms. When using 802.1x, the EAP type, such as Transport Layer Security (EAP-TLS), or EAP Tunneled Transport Layer Security (EAP-TTLS), defines how the authentication takes place.

Note: For environments with a Remote Authentication Dial-In User Service (RADIUS) infrastructure, WPA supports Extensible Authentication Protocol (EAP). For environments without a RADIUS infrastructure, WPA supports the use of a pre-shared key.

Together, these technologies provide a framework for strong user authentication.

Windows XP implements 802.1x natively, and several NETGEAR switch and wireless access point products support 802.1x.

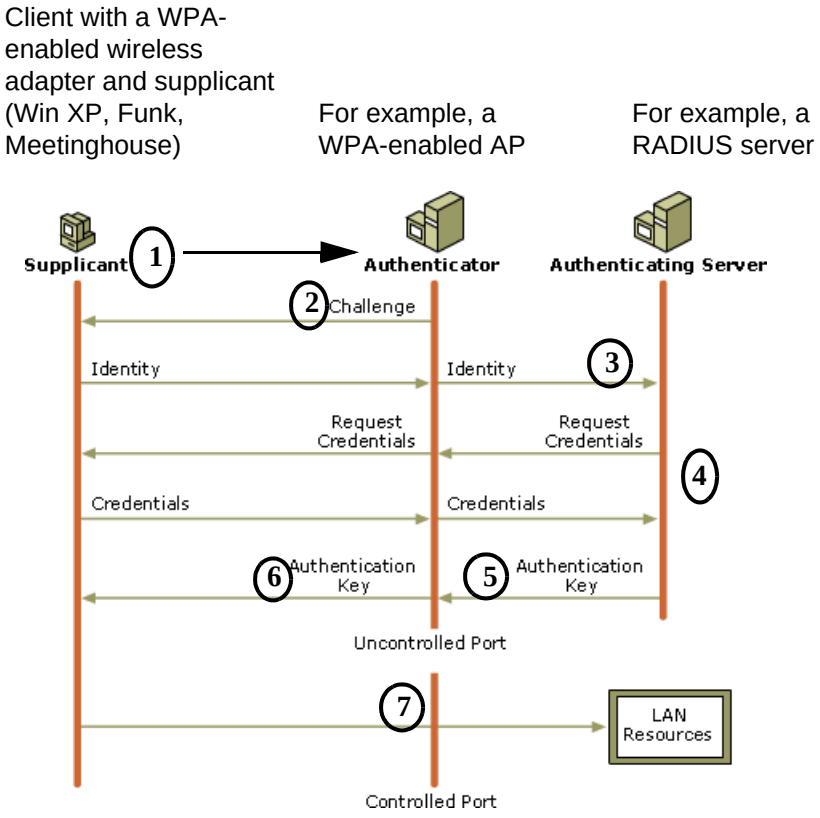


Figure E-4: 802.1x Authentication Sequence

The AP sends Beacon Frames with WPA information element to the stations in the service set. Information elements include the required authentication method (802.1x or Pre-shared key) and the preferred cipher suite (WEP, TKIP, or AES). Probe Responses (AP to station) and Association Requests (station to AP) also contain WPA information elements.

1. Initial 802.1x communications begin with an unauthenticated supplicant (client device) attempting to connect with an authenticator (802.11 access point). The client sends an EAP-start message. This begins a series of message exchanges to authenticate the client.
2. The access point replies with an EAP-request identity message.

3. The client sends an EAP-response packet containing the identity to the authentication server. The access point responds by enabling a port for passing only EAP packets from the client to an authentication server located on the wired side of the access point. The access point blocks all other traffic, such as HTTP, DHCP, and POP3 packets, until the access point can verify the client's identity using an authentication server (for example, RADIUS).
4. The authentication server uses a specific authentication algorithm to verify the client's identity. This could be through the use of digital certificates or some other EAP authentication type.
5. The authentication server will either send an accept or reject message to the access point.
6. The access point sends an EAP-success packet (or reject packet) to the client.
7. If the authentication server accepts the client, then the access point will transition the client's port to an authorized state and forward additional traffic.

The important part to know at this point is that the software supporting the specific EAP type resides on the authentication server and within the operating system or application “supplicant” software on the client devices. The access point acts as a “pass through” for 802.1x messages, which means that you can specify any EAP type without needing to upgrade an 802.1x-compliant access point. As a result, you can update the EAP authentication type to such devices as token cards (Smart Cards), Kerberos, one-time passwords, certificates, and public key authentication, or as newer types become available and your requirements for security change.

WPA Data Encryption Key Management

With 802.1x, the rekeying of unicast encryption keys is optional. Additionally, 802.11 and 802.1x provide no mechanism to change the global encryption key used for multicast and broadcast traffic. With WPA, rekeying of both unicast and global encryption keys is required.

For the unicast encryption key, the Temporal Key Integrity Protocol (TKIP) changes the key for every frame, and the change is synchronized between the wireless client and the wireless access point (AP). For the global encryption key, WPA includes a facility (the Information Element) for the wireless AP to advertise the changed key to the connected wireless clients.

If configured to implement dynamic key exchange, the 802.1x authentication server can return session keys to the access point along with the accept message. The access point uses the session keys to build, sign and encrypt an EAP key message that is sent to the client immediately after sending the success message. The client can then use contents of the key message to define applicable encryption keys. In typical 802.1x implementations, the client can automatically change encryption keys as often as necessary to minimize the possibility of eavesdroppers having enough time to crack the key in current use.

Temporal Key Integrity Protocol (TKIP)

WPA uses TKIP to provide important data encryption enhancements including a per-packet key mixing function, a message integrity check (MIC) named Michael, an extended initialization vector (IV) with sequencing rules, and a re-keying mechanism. TKIP also provides for the following:

- The verification of the security configuration after the encryption keys are determined.
- The synchronized changing of the unicast encryption key for each frame.
- The determination of a unique starting unicast encryption key for each preshared key authentication.

Michael

With 802.11 and WEP, data integrity is provided by a 32-bit *integrity check value* (ICV) that is appended to the 802.11 payload and encrypted with WEP. Although the ICV is encrypted, you can use cryptanalysis to change bits in the encrypted payload and update the encrypted ICV without being detected by the receiver.

With WPA, a method known as *Michael* specifies a new algorithm that calculates an 8-byte message integrity check (MIC) using the calculation facilities available on existing wireless devices. The MIC is placed between the data portion of the IEEE 802.11 frame and the 4-byte ICV. The MIC field is encrypted together with the frame data and the ICV.

Michael also provides replay protection. A new frame counter in the IEEE 802.11 frame is used to prevent replay attacks.

Optional AES Support to be Phased In

One of the encryption methods supported by WPA, besides TKIP, is the advanced encryption standard (AES), although AES support will not be required initially for Wi-Fi certification. This is viewed as the optimal choice for security conscience organizations, but the problem with AES is that it requires a fundamental redesign of the NIC's hardware in both the station and the access point. TKIP is a pragmatic compromise that allows organizations to deploy better security while AES capable equipment is being designed, manufactured, and incrementally deployed.

Is WPA Perfect?

WPA is not without its vulnerabilities. Specifically, it is susceptible to denial of service (DoS) attacks. If the access point receives two data packets that fail the message integrity code (MIC) within 60 seconds of each other, then the network is under an active attack, and as a result, the access point employs counter measures, which include disassociating each station using the access point. This prevents an attacker from gleaning information about the encryption key and alerts administrators, but it also causes users to lose network connectivity for 60 seconds. More than anything else, this may just prove that no single security tactic is completely invulnerable. WPA is a definite step forward in WLAN security over WEP and has to be thought of as a single part of an end-to-end network security strategy.

Product Support for WPA

Starting in August, 2003, NETGEAR, Inc. wireless Wi-Fi certified products will support the WPA standard. NETGEAR, Inc. wireless products that had their Wi-Fi certification approved before August, 2003 will have one year to add WPA so as to maintain their Wi-Fi certification.

WPA requires software changes to the following:

- Wireless access points
- Wireless network adapters
- Wireless client programs

Supporting a Mixture of WPA and WEP Wireless Clients is Discouraged

To support the gradual transition of WEP-based wireless networks to WPA, a wireless AP can support both WEP and WPA clients at the same time. During the association, the wireless AP determines which clients use WEP and which clients use WPA. The disadvantage to supporting a mixture of WEP and WPA clients is that the global encryption key is not dynamic. This is because WEP-based clients cannot support it. All other benefits to the WPA clients, such as integrity, are maintained.

However, a mixed mode supporting WPA and non-WPA clients would offer network security that is no better than that obtained with a non-WPA network, and thus this mode of operation is discouraged.

Changes to Wireless Access Points

Wireless access points must have their firmware updated to support the following:

- **The new WPA information element**
  To advertise their support of WPA, wireless APs send the beacon frame with a new 802.11 WPA information element that contains the wireless AP's security configuration (encryption algorithms and wireless security configuration information).
- **The WPA two-phase authentication**
  Open system, then 802.1x (EAP with RADIUS or preshared key).
- **TKIP**
- **Michael**
- **AES** (optional)

To upgrade your wireless access points to support WPA, obtain a WPA firmware update from your wireless AP vendor and upload it to your wireless AP.

Changes to Wireless Network Adapters

Wireless networking software in the adapter, and possibly in the OS or client application, must be updated to support the following:

- **The new WPA information element**
  Wireless clients must be able to process the WPA information element and respond with a specific security configuration.
- **The WPA two-phase authentication**
  Open system, then 802.1x supplicant (EAP or preshared key).
- **TKIP**
- **Michael**
- **AES** (optional)

To upgrade your wireless network adapters to support WPA, obtain a WPA update from your wireless network adapter vendor and update the wireless network adapter driver.

For Windows wireless clients, you must obtain an updated network adapter driver that supports WPA. For wireless network adapter drivers that are compatible with Windows XP (Service Pack 1) and Windows Server 2003, the updated network adapter driver must be able to pass the adapter's WPA capabilities and security configuration to the Wireless Zero Configuration service.

Microsoft has worked with many wireless vendors to embed the WPA firmware update in the wireless adapter driver. So, to update your Microsoft Windows wireless client, all you have to do is obtain the new WPA-compatible driver and install the driver. The firmware is automatically updated when the wireless network adapter driver is loaded in Windows.

Changes to Wireless Client Programs

Wireless client programs must be updated to permit the configuration of WPA authentication (and preshared key) and the new WPA encryption algorithms (TKIP and the optional AES component).

To obtain the Microsoft WPA client program, visit the Microsoft Web site.

Appendix F
Virtual Private Networking

There have been many improvements in the Internet, including Quality of Service, network performance, and inexpensive technologies, such as DSL. But one of the most important advances has been in Virtual Private Networking (VPN) Internet Protocol security (IPSec). IPSec is one of the most complete, secure, and commercially available, standards-based protocols developed for transporting data.

What is a VPN?

A VPN is a shared network, where private data is segmented from other traffic, so that only the intended recipient has access. The term VPN was originally used to describe a secure connection over the Internet. Today, however, VPN is also used to describe private networks, such as Frame Relay, Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM), and Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS).

A key aspect of data security is that the data flowing across the network is protected by encryption technologies. Private networks lack data security, which allows data attackers to tap directly into the network and read the data. IPSec-based VPNs use encryption to provide data security, which increases the network's resistance to data tampering or theft.

IPSec-based VPNs can be created over any type of IP network, including the Internet, Frame Relay, ATM, and MPLS, but only the Internet is ubiquitous and inexpensive.

VPNs are traditionally used for:

- **Intranets:** Intranets connect an organization's locations. These locations range from the headquarters offices, to branch offices, to a remote employee's home. Often this connectivity is used for e-mail and for sharing applications and files. While Frame Relay, ATM, and MPLS accomplish these tasks, the shortcomings of each limits connectivity. The cost of connecting home users is also very expensive compared to Internet-access technologies, such as DSL or cable. Because of this, organizations are moving their networks to the Internet, which is inexpensive, and using IPSec to create these networks.

- **Remote Access:** Remote access enables telecommuters and mobile workers to access e-mail and business applications. A dial-up connection to an organization's modem pool is one method of access for remote workers, but is expensive because the organization must pay the associated long distance telephone and service costs. Remote access VPNs greatly reduce expenses by enabling mobile workers to dial a local Internet connection and then set up a secure IPSec-based VPN communications to their organization.
- **Extranets**: Extranets are secure connections between two or more organizations. Common uses for extranets include supply-chain management, development partnerships, and subscription services. These undertakings can be difficult using legacy network technologies due to connection costs, time delays, and access availability. IPSec-based VPNs are ideal for extranet connections. IPSec-capable devices can be quickly and inexpensively installed on existing Internet connections.

What is IPSec and How Does It Work?

IPSec is an Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) standard suite of protocols that provides data authentication, integrity, and confidentiality as data is transferred between communication points across IP networks. IPSec provides data security at the IP packet level. A packet is a data bundle that is organized for transmission across a network, and includes a header and payload (the data in the packet). IPSec emerged as a viable network security standard because enterprises wanted to ensure that data could be securely transmitted over the Internet. IPSec protects against possible security exposures by protecting data while in transit.

IPSec Security Features

IPSec is the most secure method commercially available for connecting network sites. IPSec was designed to provide the following security features when transferring packets across networks:

- **Authentication:** Verifies that the packet received is actually from the claimed sender.
- **Integrity:** Ensures that the contents of the packet did not change in transit.
- **Confidentiality:** Conceals the message content through encryption.

IPSec Components

IPSec contains the following elements:

- **Encapsulating Security Payload (ESP)**: Provides confidentiality, authentication, and integrity.
- **Authentication Header (AH)**: Provides authentication and integrity.
- **Internet Key Exchange (IKE)**: Provides key management and Security Association (SA) management.

Encapsulating Security Payload (ESP)

ESP provides authentication, integrity, and confidentiality, which protect against data tampering and, most importantly, provides message content protection.

IPSec provides an open framework for implementing industry standard algorithms, such as SHA and MD5. The algorithms IPSec uses produce a unique and unforgeable identifier for each packet, which is a data equivalent of a fingerprint. This fingerprint allows the device to determine if a packet has been tampered with. Furthermore, packets that are not authenticated are discarded and not delivered to the intended receiver.

ESP also provides all encryption services in IPSec. Encryption translates a readable message into an unreadable format to hide the message content. The opposite process, called decryption, translates the message content from an unreadable format to a readable message. Encryption/ decryption allows only the sender and the authorized receiver to read the data. In addition, ESP has an option to perform authentication, called ESP authentication. Using ESP authentication, ESP provides authentication and integrity for the payload and not for the IP header.

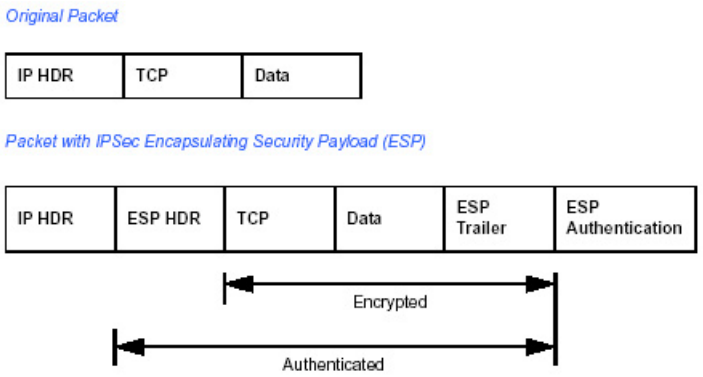


Figure F-1: Original packet and packet with IPSec Encapsulated Security Payload

The ESP header is inserted into the packet between the IP header and any subsequent packet contents. However, because ESP encrypts the data, the payload is changed. ESP does not encrypt the ESP header, nor does it encrypt the ESP authentication.

Authentication Header (AH)

AH provides authentication and integrity, which protect against data tampering, using the same algorithms as ESP. AH also provides optional anti-replay protection, which protects against unauthorized retransmission of packets. The authentication header is inserted into the packet between the IP header and any subsequent packet contents. The payload is not touched.

Although AH protects the packet's origin, destination, and contents from being tampered with, the identity of the sender and receiver is known. In addition, AH does not protect the data's confidentiality. If data is intercepted and only AH is used, the message contents can be read. ESP protects data confidentiality. For added protection in certain cases, AH and ESP can be used together. In the following table, IP HDR represents the IP header and includes both source and destination IP addresses.

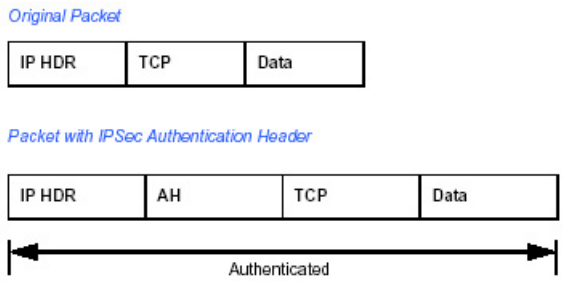


Figure F-2: Original packet and packet with IPSec Authentication Header

IKE Security Association

IPSec introduces the concept of the Security Association (SA). An SA is a logical connection between two devices transferring data. An SA provides data protection for unidirectional traffic by using the defined IPSec protocols. An IPSec tunnel typically consists of two unidirectional SAs, which together provide a protected, full-duplex data channel.

The SAs allow an enterprise to control exactly what resources may communicate securely, according to security policy. To do this an enterprise can set up multiple SAs to enable multiple secure VPNs, as well as define SAs within the VPN to support different departments and business partners.

Mode

SAs operate using modes. A mode is the method in which the IPSec protocol is applied to the packet. IPSec can be used in tunnel mode or transport mode. Typically, the tunnel mode is used for gateway-to-gateway IPSec tunnel protection, while transport mode is used for host-to-host IPSec tunnel protection. A gateway is a device that monitors and manages incoming and outgoing network traffic and routes the traffic accordingly. A host is a device that sends and receives network traffic.

- **Transport Mode:** The transport mode IPSec implementation encapsulates only the packet's payload. The IP header is not changed. After the packet is processed with IPSec, the new IP packet contains the old IP header (with the source and destination IP addresses unchanged) and the processed packet payload. Transport mode does not shield the information in the IP header; therefore, an attacker can learn where the packet is coming from and where it is going to. The previous packet diagrams show a packet in transport mode.
- **Tunnel Mode:** The tunnel mode IPSec implementation encapsulates the entire IP packet. The entire packet becomes the payload of the packet that is processed with IPSec. A new IP header is created that contains the two IPSec gateway addresses. The gateways perform the encapsulation/decapsulation on behalf of the hosts. Tunnel mode ESP prevents an attacker from analyzing the data and deciphering it, as well as knowing who the packet is from and where it is going.

Note: AH and ESP can be used in both transport mode or tunnel mode.

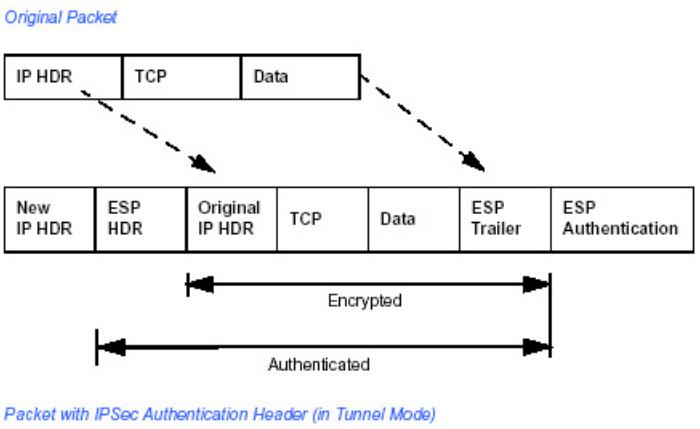


Figure F-3: Original packet and packet with IPSec ESP in Tunnel mode

Key Management

IPSec uses the Internet Key Exchange (IKE) protocol to facilitate and automate the SA setup and the exchange of keys between parties transferring data. Using keys ensures that only the sender and receiver of a message can access it.

IPSec requires that keys be re-created, or refreshed, frequently, so that the parties can communicate securely with each other. IKE manages the process of refreshing keys; however, a user can control the key strength and the refresh frequency. Refreshing keys on a regular basis ensures data confidentiality between sender and receiver.

Understand the Process Before You Begin

This document provides case studies on how to configure secure IPSec VPN tunnels. This document assumes the reader has a working knowledge of NETGEAR management systems.

NETGEAR is a member of the VPN Consortium, a group formed to facilitate IPSec VPN vendor interoperability. The VPN Consortium has developed specific scenarios to aid system administrators in the often confusing process of connecting two different vendor implementations of the IPSec standard. The case studies in this appendix follow the addressing and configuration mechanics defined by the VPN Consortium. Additional information regarding inter-vendor interoperability may be found at *http://www.vpnc.org/interop.html*.

It is a good idea to gather all the necessary information required to establish a VPN before you begin the configuration process. You should understand whether the firmware is up to date, all of the addresses that will be necessary, and all of the parameters that need to be set on both sides. Try to understand any incompatibilities before you begin, so that you minimize any potential complications which may arise from normal firewall or WAN processes.

If you are not a full-time system administrator, it is a good idea to familiarize yourself with the mechanics of a VPN. The brief description in this appendix will help. Other good sources include:

- The NETGEAR VPN Tutorial – *http://www.netgear.com/planetvpn/pvpn_2.html*
- The VPN Consortium – *http://www.vpnc.org/*
- The VPN bibliography in “Additional Reading“ on page F-11.

VPN Process Overview

Even though IPSec is standards-based, each vendor has its own set of terms and procedures for implementing the standard. Because of these differences, it may be a good idea to review some of the terms and the generic processes for connecting two gateways before diving into the specifics.

Network Interfaces and Addresses

The VPN gateway is aptly named because it functions as a “gatekeeper” for each of the computers connected on the Local Area Network behind it.

In most cases, each Gateway will have a “public” facing address (WAN side) and a “private” facing address (LAN side). These addresses are referred to as the “network interface” in documentation regarding the construction of VPN communication. Please note that the addresses used in the example do not use full TCP/IP notation.

Interface Addressing

This TechNote uses example addresses provided the VPN Consortium. It is important to understand that you will be using addresses specific to the devices that you are attempting to connect via IPSec VPN.

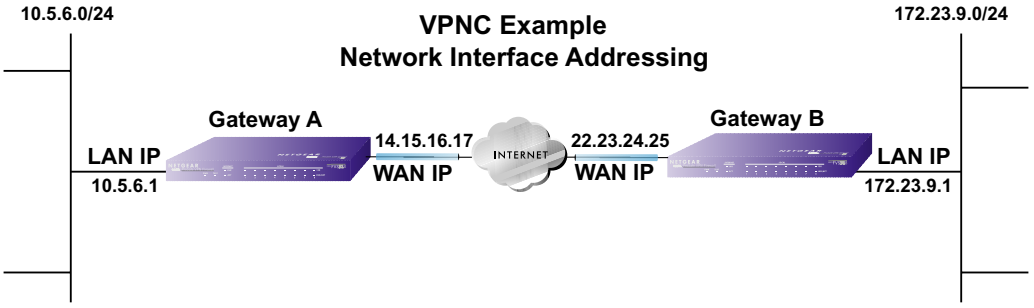


Figure F-4: VPNC Example Network Interface Addressing

It is also important to make sure the addresses do not overlap or conflict. That is, each set of addresses should be separate and distinct.

Table 5-3. WAN (Internet/Public) and LAN (Internal/Private) Addressing

Gateway	LAN or WAN	VPNC Example Address
Gateway A	LAN (Private)	10.5.6.1
Gateway A	WAN (Public)	14.15.16.17
Gateway B	LAN (Private)	22.23.24.25
Gateway B	WAN (Public)	172.23.9.1

It will also be important to know the subnet mask of both gateway LAN Connections.

Table 5-4. Subnet Addressing

Gateway	LAN or WAN	Interface Name	Example Subnet Mask
Gateway A	LAN (Private)	Subnet Mask A	255.255.255.0
Gateway B	LAN (Private)	Subnet Mask B	255.255.255.0

Firewalls

It is important to understand that many gateways are also firewalls. VPN tunnels cannot function properly if firewall settings disallow all incoming traffic. Please refer to the firewall instructions for both gateways to understand how to open specific protocols, ports, and addresses that you intend to allow.

Setting Up a VPN Tunnel Between Gateways

An SA, frequently called a tunnel, is the set of information that allows two entities (networks, PCs, routers, firewalls, gateways) to “trust each other” and communicate securely as they pass information over the Internet.

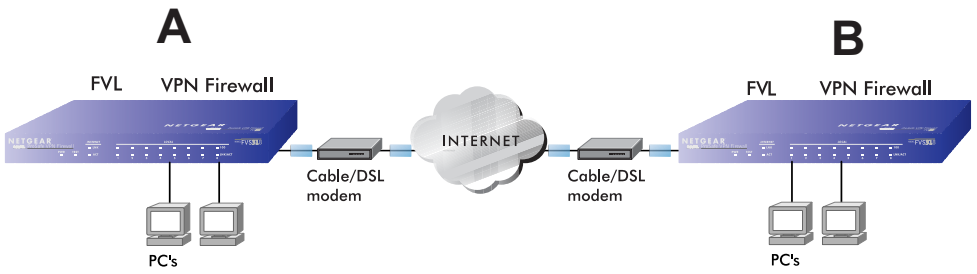


Figure F-5: VPN Tunnel SA

The SA contains all the information necessary for gateway A to negotiate a secure and encrypted communication stream with gateway B. This communication is often referred to as a "tunnel." The gateways contain this information so that it does not have to be loaded onto every computer connected to the gateways.

Each gateway must negotiate its Security Association with another gateway using the parameters and processes established by IPSec. As illustrated below, the most common method of accomplishing this process is via the Internet Key Exchange (IKE) protocol which automates some of the negotiation procedures. Alternatively, you can configure your gateways using manual key exchange, which involves manually configuring each paramter on both gateways.

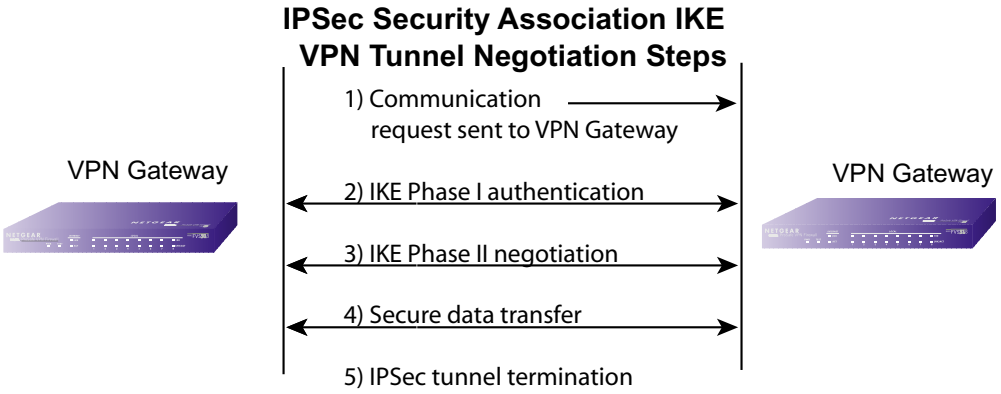


Figure F-6: IPSec SA negotiation

1. **The IPSec software on Host A initiates the IPSec process in an attempt to communicate with Host B.** The two computers then begin the Internet Key Exchange (IKE) process.

2. **IKE Phase I.**
    a. The two parties negotiate the encryption and authentication algorithms to use in the IKE SAs.
    b. The two parties authenticate each other using a predetermined mechanism, such as preshared keys or digital certificates.
    c. A shared master key is generated by the Diffie-Hellman Public key algorithm within the IKE framework for the two parties. The master key is also used in the second phase to derive IPSec keys for the SAs.
3. **IKE Phase II.**
    a. The two parties negotiate the encryption and authentication algorithms to use in the IPSec SAs.
    b. The master key is used to derive the IPSec keys for the SAs. Once the SA keys are created and exchanged, the IPSec SAs are ready to protect user data between the two VPN gateways.
4. **Data transfer.** Data is transferred between IPSec peers based on the IPSec parameters and keys stored in the SA database.
5. **IPSec tunnel termination.** IPSec SAs terminate through deletion or by timing out.

VPNC IKE Security Parameters

It is important to remember that both gateways must have the identical parameters set for the process to work correctly. The settings in these examples follow the examples given for Scenario 1 of the VPN Consortium.

VPNC IKE Phase I Parameters

The IKE Phase 1 parameters used:

- Main mode
- TripleDES
- SHA-1
- MODP group 1
- Ppre-shared secret of "hr5xb84l6aa9r6"
- SA lifetime of 28800 seconds (eight hours)

VPNC IKE Phase II Parameters

The IKE Phase 2 parameters used in Scenario 1 are:

- TripleDES
- SHA-1
- ESP tunnel mode
- MODP group 1
- Perfect forward secrecy for rekeying
- SA lifetime of 28800 seconds (one hour)

Testing and Troubleshooting

Once you have completed the VPN configuration steps you can use PCs, located behind each of the gateways, to ping various addresses on the LAN side of the other gateway.

You can troubleshoot connections using the VPN status and log details on the NETGEAR gateway to determine if IKE negotiation is working. Common problems encountered in setting up VPNs include:

- Parameters may be configured differently on Gateway A vs. Gateway B.
- Two LANs set up with similar or overlapping addressing schemes.
- So many required configuration parameters mean errors such as mistyped information or mismatched parameter selections on either side are more likely to happen.

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Appendix G
NETGEAR VPN Configuration FVS318 or FVM318 to FWG114P

This appendix provides a case study on how to configure a secure IPSec VPN tunnel between a NETGEAR FVS318 or FVM318 to a FWG114P. The configuration options and screens for the FVS318 and FVM318 are the same.

Configuration Template

The configuration in this document follows the addressing and configuration mechanics defined by the VPN Consortium. Gather all the necessary information before you begin the configuration process. Verify whether the firmware is up to date, all of the addresses that will be necessary, and all of the parameters that need to be set on both sides. Check that there are no firewall restrictions.

Table G-1. Summary

VPN Consortium Scenario:		Scenario 1
Type of VPN		LAN-to-LAN or Gateway-to-Gateway (not PC/Client-to-Gateway)
Security Scheme:		IKE with Preshared Secret/Key (not Certificate-based)
Date Tested:		December 2003
Model/Firmware Tested:		
	NETGEAR-Gateway A	FVS318 firmware version A1.4 or 2.0; FVM318 firmware version 1.1
	NETGEAR-Gateway B	FWG114P with firmware version 2 Release 2
IP Addressing:		
	NETGEAR-Gateway A	Static IP address
	NETGEAR-Gateway B	Static IP address

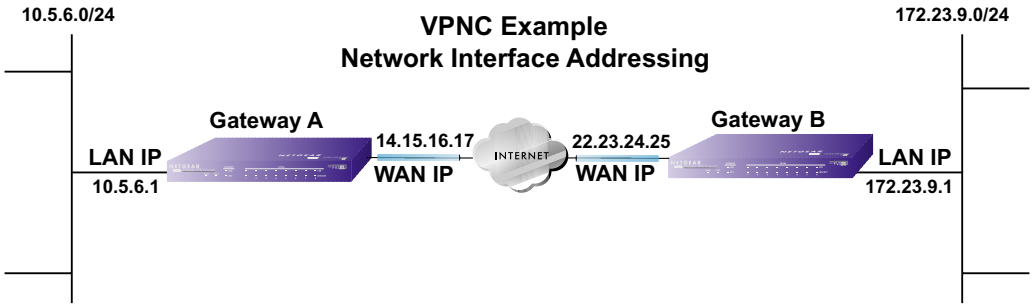

Figure G-1: Addressing and Subnet Used for Examples

Step-By-Step Configuration of FVS318 or FVM318 Gateway A

1. Log in to the FVS318 or FVM318 labeled Gateway A as in the illustration.

   Out of the box, the FVS318 or FVM318 is set for its default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1* with its default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**. For this example we will assume you have set the local LAN address as 10.5.6.1 for Gateway A and have set your own password.

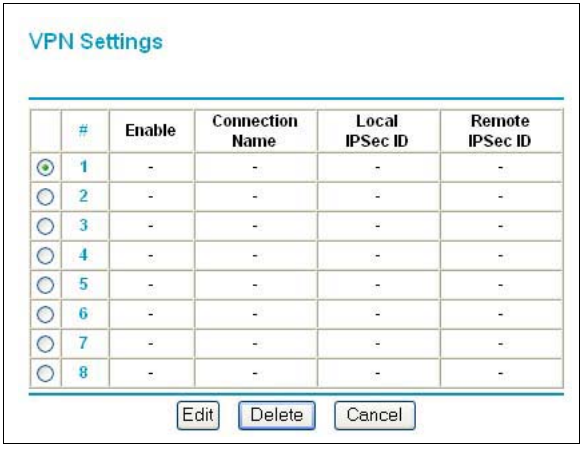

Figure G-2: NETGEAR FVS318 VPN Settings Pre-Configuration

2. Click the VPN Settings link on the left side of the Settings management GUI. Click the radio button of the first available VPN leg (all 8 links are available in the example). Click the Edit button below. This will take you to the VPN Settings – Main Mode Menu.

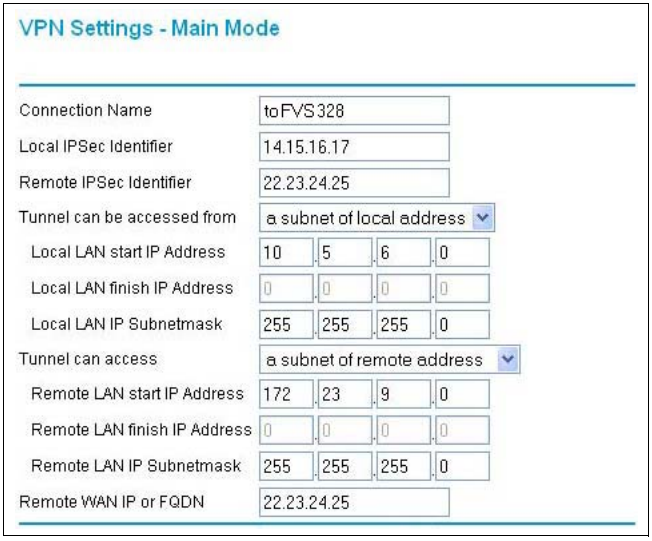

Figure G-3: Figure 3 – NETGEAR FVS318 VPN Settings (part 1) – Main Mode

- In the Connection Name box, enter in a unique name for the VPN tunnel to be configured between the NETGEAR devices. For this example we have used **toFVS328**.
- Enter a Local IPSec Identifier name for the NETGEAR FVS318 Gateway A. This name must be entered in the other endpoint as Remote IPSec Identifier. In this example we used **14.15.16.17** as the local identifier.
- Enter a Remote IPSec Identifier name for the remote NETGEAR FWG114P Gateway B. This name must be entered in the other endpoint as Local IPSec Identifier. In this example we used **22.23.24.25** as the remote identifier.
- Choose a subnet from local address from the “Tunnel can be accessed from” pull-down menu.
- Type the starting LAN IP Address of Gateway A (**10.5.6.1** in our example) in the Local IP Local LAN start IP Address field.
- Type the finishing LAN IP Address of Gateway A (**0.0.0.0** in our example) in the Local IP Local LAN finish IP Address field.
- Type the LAN Subnet Mask of Gateway A (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the Local LAN IP Subnetmask field.

- Choose a subnet from local address from the “Tunnel can access” pull-down menu.
- Type the starting LAN IP Address of Gateway B (**172.23.9.1** in our example) in the Local IP Remote LAN Start IP Address field.
- Type the finishing LAN IP Address of Gateway B (**0.0.0.0** in our example) in the Local IP Remote LAN Finish IP Address field.
- Type the LAN Subnet Mask of Gateway B (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the Remote LAN IP Subnetmask field.
- Type the WAN IP address (**22.23.24.25** in our example) of Gateway B in the Remote WAN IP or FQDN field.

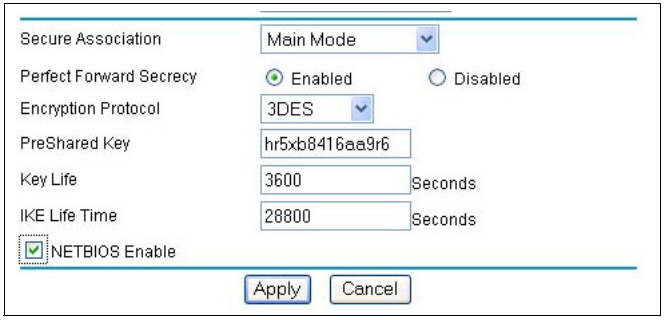

Figure G-4: Figure 4 – NETGEAR FVS318 VPN Settings (part 2) – Main Mode

- From the Secure Association drop-down box, select Main Mode.
- Next to Perfect Forward Secrecy, select the Enabled radio button.
- From the Encryption Protocol drop-down box, select 3DES.
- In the PreShared Key box, type a unique text string to be used as the shared key between Gateway A and Gateway B. In this example we used **hr5xb84l6aa9r6**. You must make sure the key is the same for both gateways.
- In the Key Life box, enter in 3600 seconds.
- In the IKE Life Time, enter 28800 seconds.
- Check the NETBIOS Enable box if you wish to pass NetBIOS traffic over the VPN tunnel, allowing functions, such as Microsoft Network Neighborhood browsing.

3. Click the Apply button in the lower center of the screen to save all changes and return to the VPN Settings screen.
4. When the screen returns to the VPN Settings, make sure the Enable check box is selected.

Step-By-Step Configuration of FWG114P Gateway B

1. Log in to the NETGEAR FVS328 labeled Gateway B as in the illustration.

   Out of the box, the FVS328 is set for its default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1,* with its default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**. For this example we will assume you have set the local LAN address as 172.23.9.1 for Gateway B and have set your own user name and password.

2. Click the IKE Policies link under the VPN category link on the left side of the Settings management GUI. This will open the IKE Policies Menu. Click Add. This will open a new screen titled IKE Policy Configuration.

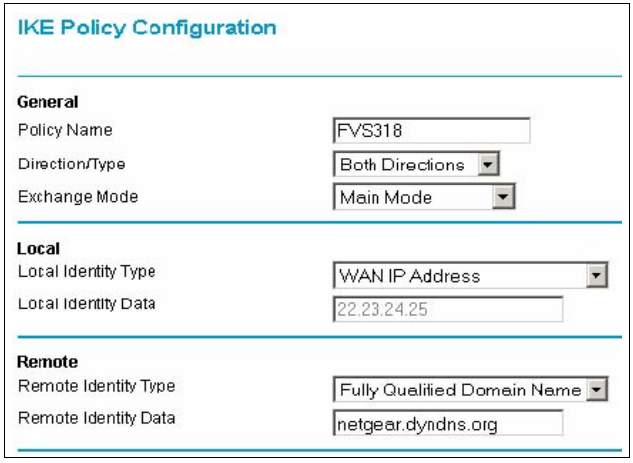

Figure G-5: NETGEAR FVS328 IKE Policy Configuration – Part 1

- Enter an appropriate name for the policy in the Policy Name field. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN Endpoint. It is used to help you manage the IKE policies. In our example we have used FVS318 as the Policy Name. In the Policy Name field type **FVS318**.
- From the Direction/Type drop-down box, select Both Directions.
- From the Exchange Mode drop-down box, select Main Mode.
- From the Local Identity drop-down box, select WAN IP Address (WAN IP address will automatically be populated into the Local Identity Data field after policy is applied).
- From the Remote Identity drop-down box, select Remote WAN IP (WAN IP address will automatically be populated into the Local Identity Data field after policy is applied).

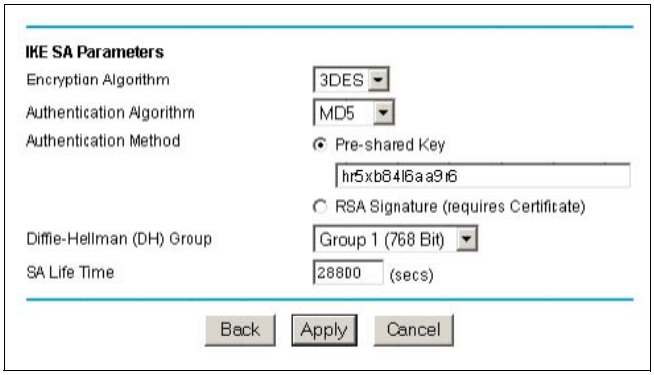

Figure G-6: NETGEAR FVS328 IKE Policy Configuration – Part 2

- From the Encryption Algorithm drop-down box, select 3DES.
- From the Authentication Algorithm drop-down box, select MD5.
- From the Authentication Method radio button, select Pre-shared Key.
- In the Pre-Shared Key field, type **hr5xb84l6aa9r6**. You must make sure the key is the same for both gateways.
- From the Diffie-Hellman (DH) Group drop-down box, select Group 1 (768 Bit).
- In the SA Life Time field, type 28800.

3. Click the Apply Button. This will bring you back to the IKE Policies Menu.

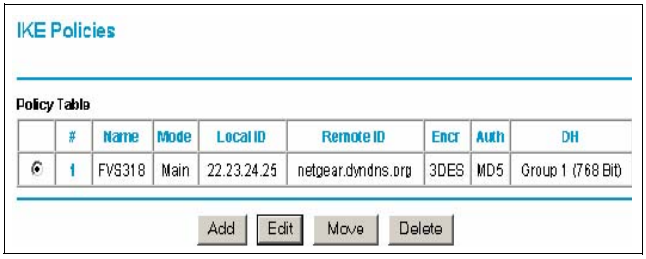

Figure G-7: NETGEAR FVS328 IKE Policies (Post Configuration)

The FVS318 IKE Policy is now displayed in the IKE Policies page.

4. Click the VPN Policies link under the VPN category link on the left side of the Settings management GUI. This will take you to the VPN Policies Menu page. Click Add Auto Policy. This will open a new screen titled VPN – Auto Policy.

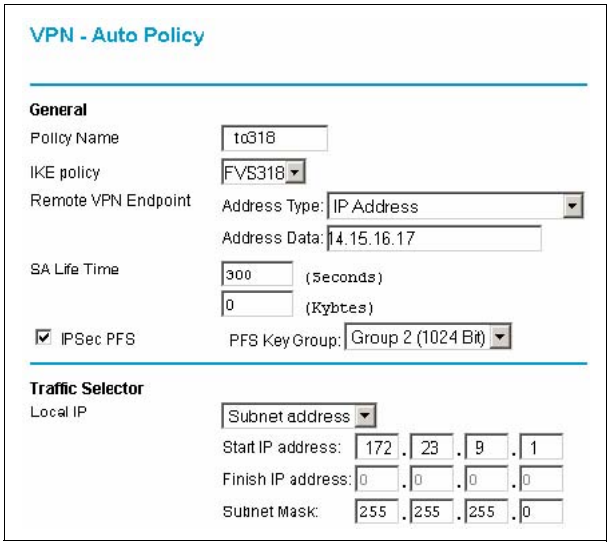

Figure G-8: NETGEAR FVS328 VPN – Auto Policy (part 1)

- Enter a unique name to identify this policy. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN endpoint. In our example we have used **to318** as the Policy Name. In the Policy Name field type **to318**.
- From the IKE policy drop-down box, select the IKE Policy that was set up in the earlier step – this being the FVS318 IKE Policy.
- From the Remote VPN Endpoint Address Type drop-down box, select IP Address.
- Type the WAN IP Address of Gateway A (**14.15.16.17** in our example) in the **Remote** VPN Endpoint Address Data field.
- Type **300** in the SA Life Time (Seconds) field.
- Type **0** in the SA Life Time (Kbytes) field.
- Check the IPSec PFS check box.
- From the PFS Key Group drop-down box, select Group 2 (1024 Bit).
- From the Traffic Selector Local IP drop-down box, select Subnet address.
- Type the starting LAN IP Address of Gateway B (**172.23.9.1** in our example) in the Local IP Start IP Address field.
- Type the finishing LAN IP Address of Gateway B (**0.0.0.0** in our example) in the Local IP Finish IP Address field.

– Type the LAN Subnet Mask of Gateway B (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the Local IP Subnet Mask field.

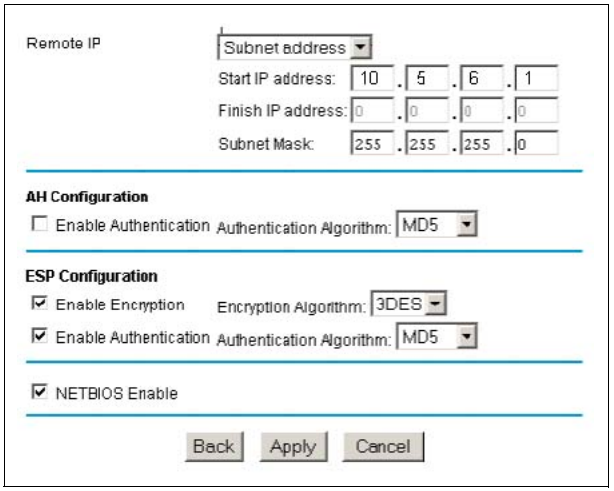

Figure G-9: NETGEAR FWG114P VPN – Auto Policy (part 2)

– From the Traffic Selector Remote IP drop-down box, select Subnet address.

– Type the starting LAN IP Address of Gateway A (**10.5.6.1** in our example) in the Remote IP Start IP Address field.

– Type the finishing LAN IP Address of Gateway A (**0.0.0.0** in our example) in the Remote IP Finish IP Address field.

– Type the LAN Subnet Mask of Gateway A (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the Remote IP Subnet Mask field.

– From the AH Configuration Authentication Algorithm drop-down box, select MD5.

– Select Enable Encryption in the ESP Configuration Enable Encryption check box.

– From the ESP Configuration Encryption Algorithm drop-down box, select 3DES.

– Select Enable Authentication in the ESP Configuration Enable Authentication check box.

– From the ESP Configuration Authentication Algorithm drop-down box, select MD5.

– Select NETBIOS Enable in the NETBIOS Enable check box.

5. Click the Apply Button. You will be taken back to the VPN Policies Menu page.

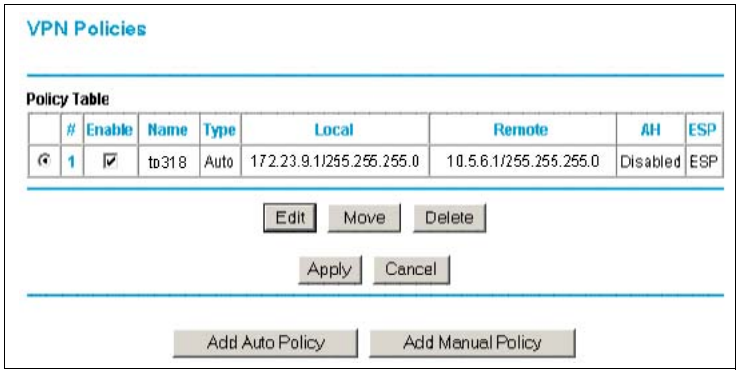

Figure G-10: NETGEAR FWG114P VPN Policies Menu (Post Configuration)

6. When the screen returns to the **VPN Policies**, make sure the **Enable** check box is selected. Click the **Apply** button.

Test the VPN Connection

1. From a PC behind the NETGEAR FVS318 or FVM318 gateway A attempt to ping the remote FWG114P gateway B LAN Interface address (example address 172.23.9.1).
2. From a PC behind the FWG114P gateway B attempt to ping the remote NETGEAR FVS318 or FVM318 gateway A LAN Interface address (example address 10.5.6.1).
3. Click the Broadband Status link on the left side of the FWG114P Settings management GUI. Click the Show VPN Status button below. This will take you to the IPSec Connection Status Screen. If the connection is functioning properly, the State fields will show “Estab.”
4. Click the Router Status link on the left side of the FVS318 Settings management GUI. Click the Show VPN Logs button below. NETGEAR log files should be similar to the example below.

Appendix H
NETGEAR VPN Configuration
FVS318 or FVM318 with FQDN to FVS328

This appendix provides a case study on how to configure a VPN tunnel between a NETGEAR FVS318 or FVM318 to a FWG114P using a Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN) to resolve the public address of one or both routers. The configurations screens and settings for the FVS318 and FVM318 are the same.

Configuration Template

The configuration in this document follows the addressing and configuration mechanics defined by the VPN Consortium. Gather all the necessary information before you begin the configuration process. Verify whether the firmware is up to date, all of the addresses that will be necessary, and all of the parameters that need to be set on both sides. Check that there are no firewall restrictions.

Table H-1. Summary

VPN Consortium Scenario:		Scenario 1
Type of VPN		LAN-to-LAN or Gateway-to-Gateway (not PC/Client-to-Gateway)
Security Scheme:		IKE with Preshared Secret/Key (not Certificate-based)
Date Tested:		December 2003
Model/Firmware Tested:		
	NETGEAR-Gateway A	FVS318 firmware version A1.4 or 2.0; FVM318 firmware version 1.1
	NETGEAR-Gateway B	FVS328 with firmware version 1.0 Release 00
IP Addressing:		
	NETGEAR-Gateway A	Fully Qualified Domain Name (FQDN)
	NETGEAR-Gateway B	Static IP address

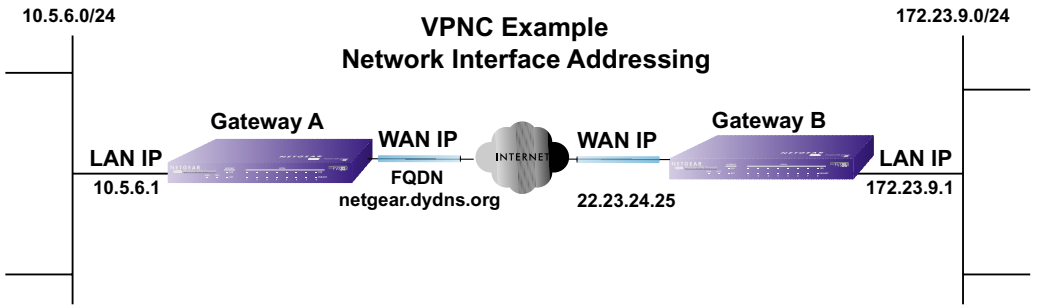

Figure H-1: Addressing and Subnet Used for Examples

Using DDNS and Fully Qualified Domain Names (FQDN)

Many ISPs (Internet Service Providers) provide connectivity to their customers using dynamic instead of static IP addressing. This means that a user's IP address does not remain constant over time, which presents a challenge for gateways attempting to establish VPN connectivity.

A Dynamic DNS (DDNS) service allows a user whose public IP address is dynamically assigned to be located by a host or domain name. It provides a central public database where information (such as e-mail addresses, host names and IP addresses) can be stored and retrieved. Now, a gateway can be configured to use a 3rd party service in lieu of a permanent and unchanging IP address to establish bi-directional VPN connectivity.

To use DDNS, you must register with a DDNS service provider. Example DDNS Service Providers include:

Table H-1. Example DDNS Service Providers

DynDNS	www.dyndns.org
TZO.com	netgear.tzo.com
ngDDNS	ngddns.iego.net

In this example, Gateway A is configured using an example FQDN provided by a DDNS Service provider. In this case we established the hostname **netgear.dyndns.org** for Gateway A using the

DynDNS service. Gateway B will use the DDNS Service Provider when establishing a VPN tunnel.

In order to establish VPN connectivity Gateway A must be configured to use Dynamic DNS, and Gateway B must be configured to use a DNS hostname to find Gateway A provided by a DDNS Service Provider. Again, the following step-by-step procedures assume that you have already registered with a DDNS Service Provider and have the configuration information necessary to set up the gateways.

Step-By-Step Configuration of FVS318 or FVM318 Gateway A

1. Log in to the FVS318 or FVM318 labeled Gateway A as in the illustration.

   Out of the box, the FVS318 or FVM318 is set for its default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1*, with its default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**. For this example we will assume you have set the local LAN address as 10.5.6.1 for Gateway A and have set your own password.
2. Click **Dynamic DNS** on the left side of the Settings management GUI.
3. Access the Web site of one of the dynamic DNS service providers whose names appear in the 'Use a dynamic DNS service' list, and register for an account.
   For example, for dyndns.org, click the link or go to www.dyndns.org.

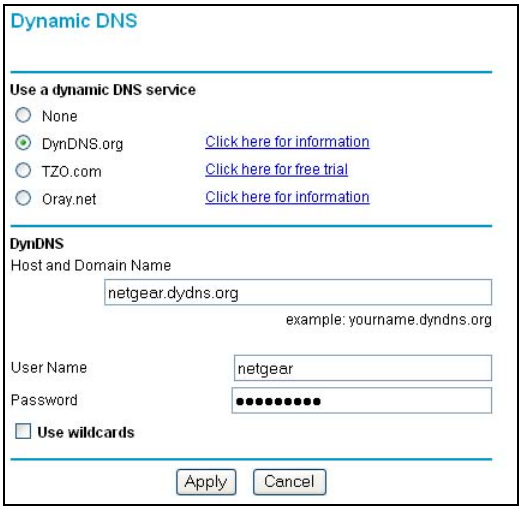

Figure H-2: Dynamic DNS Setup menu

4. Select the **Use a dynamic DNS service** radio button for the service you are using. In this example we are using www.DynDNS.org as the service provider.
   - Type the Host Name that your dynamic DNS service provider gave you. The dynamic DNS service provider may call this the domain name. In this example we are using dyndns.org as the domain suffix.
   - Type the User Name for your dynamic DNS account. In this example we used netgear as the Host Name. This means that the complete FQDN we are using is netgear.dyndns.org and the Host Name is "netgear."
   - Type the Password (or key) for your dynamic DNS account.
5. Click **Apply** to save your configuration.

Note: The router supports only basic DDNS and the login and password may not be secure. If your ISP assigns a private WAN IP address, such as 192.168.x.x or 10.x.x.x, the dynamic DNS service will not work because private addresses will not be routed on the Internet.

6. Click **VPN Settings** on the left side of the Settings management GUI.

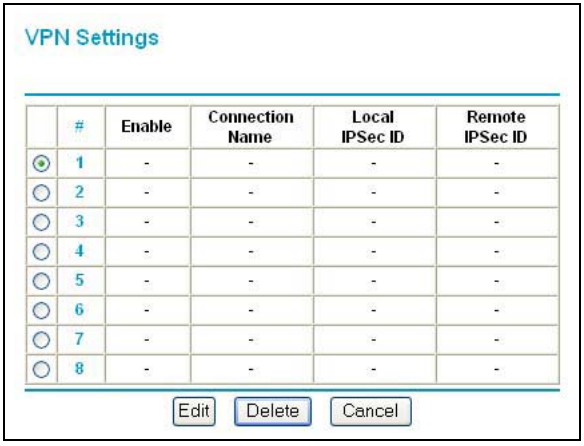

Figure H-3: NETGEAR FVS318 VPN Settings Pre-Configuration

7. Click the radio button of first available VPN leg (all 8 links are available in the example). Click **Edit**. This will take you to the VPN Settings – Main Mode Menu.

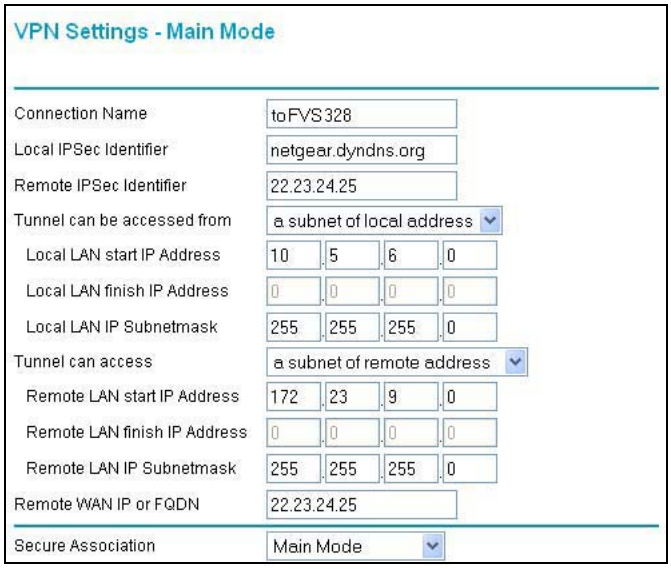

Figure H-4: NETGEAR FVS318 VPN Settings (part 1) – Main Mode

- In the Connection Name box, enter in a unique name for the VPN tunnel to be configured between the NETGEAR devices. For this example we have used **toFVS328**.
- Enter a Local IPSec Identifier name for the NETGEAR FVS318 Gateway A. This name must be entered in the other endpoint as Remote IPSec Identifier. In this example we used **netgear.dyndns.org** (the FQDN) as the local identifier.
- Enter a Remote IPSec Identifier name for the remote NETGEAR FVS328 Gateway B. This name must be entered in the other endpoint as Local IPSec Identifier. In this example we used **22.23.24.25** as the remote identifier.
- Choose a subnet from local address from the “Tunnel can be accessed” from pull-down menu.
- Type the starting LAN IP Address of Gateway A (**10.5.6.1** in our example) in the Local IP Local LAN start IP Address field.
- Type the finishing LAN IP Address of Gateway A (**0.0.0.0** in our example) in the Local IP Local LAN finish IP Address field.
- Type the LAN Subnet Mask of Gateway A (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the **Local** LAN IP Subnetmask field.
- Choose a subnet from local address from the “Tunnel can access” pull-down menu.
- Type the starting LAN IP Address of Gateway B (**172.23.9.1** in our example) in the Local IP Remote LAN Start IP Address field.

- Type the finishing LAN IP Address of Gateway B (**0.0.0.0** in our example) in the Local IP Remote LAN Finish IP Address field.
- Type the LAN Subnet Mask of Gateway B (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the Remote LAN IP Subnetmask field.
- Type the WAN IP address (**22.23.24.25** in our example) of Gateway B in the Remote WAN IP or FQDN field.

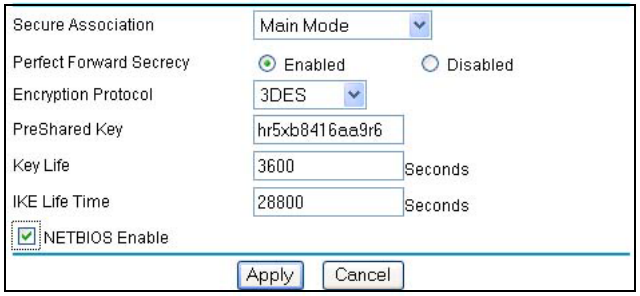

Figure H-5: Figure 4 – NETGEAR FVS318 VPN Settings (part 2) – Main Mode

- From the Secure Association drop-down box, select Main Mode.
- Next to Perfect Forward Secrecy, select the Enabled radio button.
- From the Encryption Protocol drop-down box, select 3DES.
- In the PreShared Key box, type a unique text string to be used as the shared key between Gateway A and Gateway B. In this example we used **hr5xb84l6aa9r6**. You must make sure the key is the same for both gateways.
- In the Key Life box, enter in 3600 seconds.
- In the IKE Life Time, enter 28800 seconds.
- Check the NETBIOS Enable box if you wish to pass NetBIOS traffic over the VPN tunnel, allowing functions, such as Microsoft Network Neighborhood browsing.

8. Click the Apply button in the lower center of the screen to save all changes and return to the VPN Settings screen.

9. When the screen returns to the VPN Settings, make sure the Enable check box is selected.

Step-By-Step Configuration of FVS328 Gateway B

1. Log in to the NETGEAR FVS328, labeled Gateway B in the illustration.

   Out of the box, the FVS328 is set for its default LAN address of *http://192.168.0.1,* with its default user name of **admin** and default password of **password**. For this example we will assume you have set the local LAN address as 172.23.9.1 for Gateway B.

2. Click IKE Policies link under the VPN category and click Add on the IKE Policies Menu.

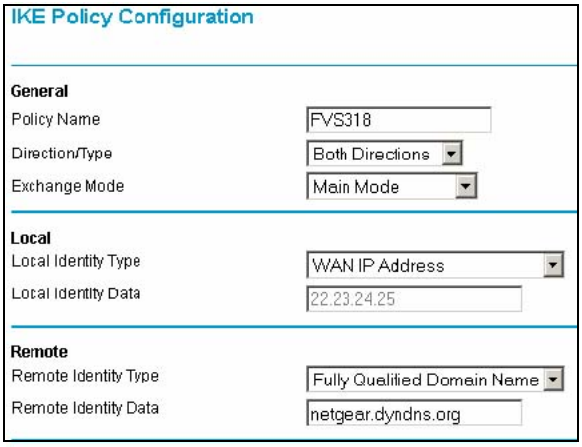

Figure H-6: NETGEAR FVS328 IKE Policy Configuration – Part 1

- Enter an appropriate name for the policy in the Policy Name field. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN Endpoint. It is used to help you manage the IKE policies. In our example we have used FVS318 as the Policy Name. In the Policy Name field type **FVS318**.
- From the Direction/Type drop-down box, select Both Directions.
- From the Exchange Mode drop-down box, select Main Mode.
- From the Local Identity drop-down box, select WAN IP Address (WAN IP address will automatically be populated into the Local Identity Data field after policy is applied).
- From the Remote Identity drop-down box, select Fully Qualified Domain Name.
- Type the FQDN (**netgear.dnydns.org** in our example) in the Remote Identity Data field.

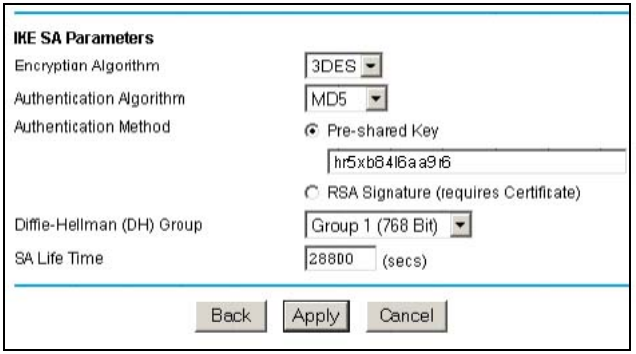

Figure H-7: NETGEAR FVS328 IKE Policy Configuration – Part 2

- From the Encryption Algorithm drop-down box, select 3DES.
- From the Authentication Algorithm drop-down box, select MD5.
- From the Authentication Method radio button, select Pre-shared Key.
- In the Pre-Shared Key field, type **hr5xb84l6aa9r6**. You must make sure the key is the same for both gateways.
- From the Diffie-Hellman (DH) Group drop-down box, select Group 1 (768 Bit).
- In the SA Life Time field, type 28800.

3. Click Apply. This will bring you back to the IKE Policies Menu.

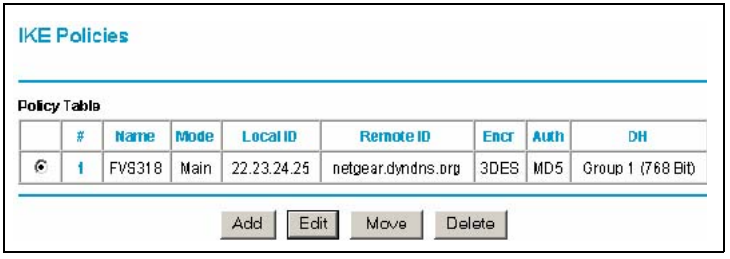

Figure H-8: NETGEAR FWG114P IKE Policies (Post Configuration)

The FVS318 IKE Policy is now displayed in the IKE Policies page.

4. Click the VPN Policies link under the VPN category on the left side of the Settings management GUI. This will take you to the VPN Policies Menu page. Click Add Auto Policy. This will open a new screen titled VPN – Auto Policy.

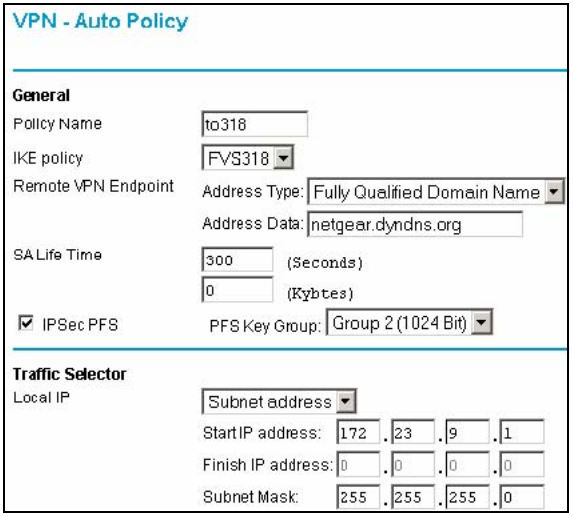

Figure H-9: NETGEAR FVS328 VPN – Auto Policy (part 1)

- Enter a unique name to identify this policy. This name is not supplied to the remote VPN endpoint. In our example we have used to318 as the Policy Name. In the Policy Name field type **to318**.
- From the IKE policy drop-down box, select the IKE Policy that was set up in the earlier step – the FVS318 IKE Policy.
- From the Remote VPN Endpoint Address Type drop-down box, select IP Address.
- Type the WAN IP Address of Gateway A (**14.15.16.17** in our example) in the Remote VPN Endpoint Address Data field.
- Type **300** in the SA Life Time (Seconds) field.
- Type **0** in the SA Life Time (Kbytes) field.
- Check the IPSec PFS check box.
- From the PFS Key Group drop-down box, select Group 2 (1024 Bit).
- From the Traffic Selector Local IP drop-down box, select Subnet address.
- Type the starting LAN IP Address of Gateway B (**172.23.9.1** in our example) in the Local IP Start IP Address field.
- Type the finishing LAN IP Address of Gateway B (**0.0.0.0** in our example) in the Local IP Finish IP Address field.
- Type the LAN Subnet Mask of Gateway B (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the Local IP Subnet Mask field.

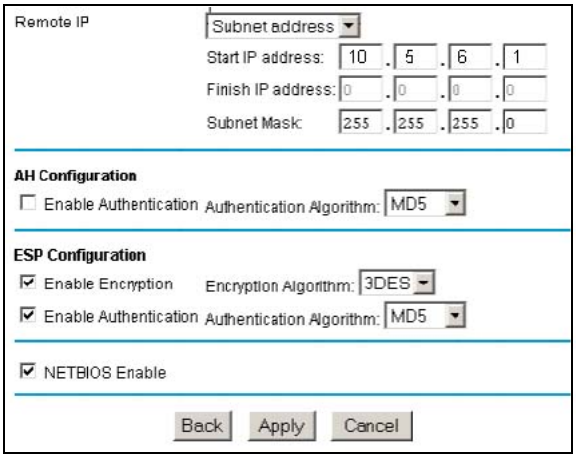

Figure H-10: NETGEAR FVS328 VPN – Auto Policy (part 2)

- From the Traffic Selector Remote IP drop-down box, select Subnet address.
- Type the starting LAN IP Address of Gateway A (**10.5.6.1** in our example) in the Remote IP Start IP Address field.
- Type the finishing LAN IP Address of Gateway A (**0.0.0.0** in our example) in the Remote IP Finish IP Address field.
- Type the LAN Subnet Mask of Gateway A (**255.255.255.0** in our example) in the Remote IP Subnet Mask field.
- From the AH Configuration Authentication Algorithm drop-down box, select MD5.
- Select the Enable Encryption check box.
- From the ESP Configuration Encryption Algorithm drop-down box, select 3DES.
- Select the Enable Authentication check box.
- From the ESP Configuration Authentication Algorithm drop-down box, select MD5.
- Select the NETBIOS Enable check box.

5. Click the Apply Button. You will be taken back to the VPN Policies Menu page.

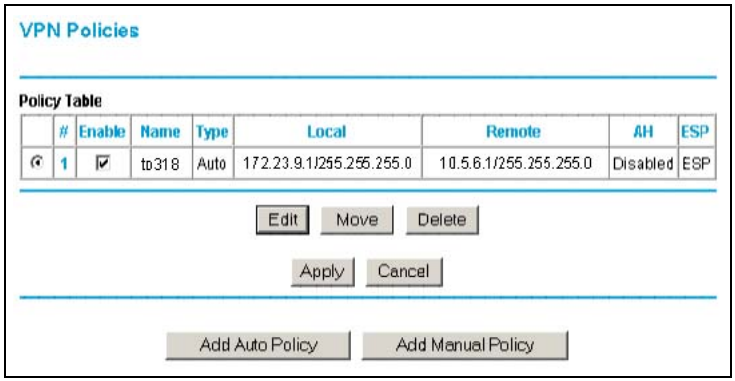

Figure H-11: NETGEAR FVS328 VPN Policies Menu (Post Configuration)

6. When the screen returns to the VPN Policies, make sure the Enable check box is selected. Click the Apply button.

Test the VPN Connection

1. From a PC behind the NETGEAR FVS318 or FVM318 Gateway A, attempt to ping the remote FWG114P Gateway B LAN Interface address (example address 172.23.9.1).
2. From the FVS318 or FVM318, click the Router Status link on the left side of the Settings management menu. Click the Show VPN Status button. This will take you to the IPSec Connection Status Screen. If the connection is functioning properly, the State fields will show "Estab."
3. From the FVS328, click the VPN Status link under the VPN section of the main menu. The VPN Logs and status are displayed.

Glossary

List of Glossary Terms

Use the list below to find definitions for technical terms used in this manual.

10BASE-T
IEEE 802.3 specification for 10 Mbps Ethernet over twisted pair wiring.

100BASE-Tx
IEEE 802.3 specification for 100 Mbps Ethernet over twisted pair wiring.

802.1x
802.1x defines port-based, network access control used to provide authenticated network access and automated data encryption key management.
The IEEE 802.1x draft standard offers an effective framework for authenticating and controlling user traffic to a protected network, as well as dynamically varying encryption keys. 802.1x uses a protocol called EAP (Extensible Authentication Protocol) and supports multiple authentication methods, such as token cards, Kerberos, one-time passwords, certificates, and public key authentication. For details on EAP specifically, refer to IETF's RFC 2284.

802.11b
IEEE specification for wireless networking at 11 Mbps using direct-sequence spread-spectrum (DSSS) technology and operating in the unlicensed radio spectrum at 2.4-2.5GHz.

802.11g
A soon to be ratified IEEE specification for wireless networking at 54 Mbps using direct-sequence spread-spectrum (DSSS) technology and operating in the unlicensed radio spectrum at 2.4GHz. 802.11g is backwards compatible with 802.11b.

Access Control List (ACL)
An ACL is a database that an Operating System uses to track each user’s access rights to system objects (such as file directories and/or files).

Ad-hoc Mode
An 802.11 networking framework in which devices or stations communicate directly with each other, without the use of an access point (AP). Ad-hoc mode is also referred to as peer-to-peer mode or an Independent Basic Service Set (IBSS). Ad-hoc mode is useful for establishing a network where wireless infrastructure does not exist or where services are not required.

ADSL

Short for asymmetric digital subscriber line, a technology that allows data to be sent over existing copper telephone lines at data rates of from 1.5 to 9 Mbps when receiving data (known as the downstream rate) and from 16 to 640 Kbps when sending data (known as the upstream rate).
ADSL requires a special ADSL modem. ADSL is growing in popularity as more areas around the world gain access.

ARP

Address Resolution Protocol, a TCP/IP protocol used to convert an IP address into a physical address (called a DLC address), such as an Ethernet address.
A host wishing to obtain a physical address broadcasts an ARP request onto the TCP/IP network. The host on the network that has the IP address in the request then replies with its physical hardware address. There is also Reverse ARP (RARP) which can be used by a host to discover its IP address. In this case, the host broadcasts its physical address and a RARP server replies with the host's IP address.

Auto Uplink

Auto Uplink™ technology (also called MDI/MDIX) eliminates the need to worry about crossover vs. straight-through Ethernet cables. Auto Uplink™ will accommodate either type of cable to make the right connection.

Bandwidth

The information capacity, measured in bits per second, that a channel could transmit. Bandwidth examples include 10 Mbps for Ethernet, 100 Mbps for Fast Ethernet, and 1000 Mbps (I Gbps) for Gigabit Ethernet.

Baud

The signaling rate of a line, that is, the number of transitions (voltage or frequency changes) made per second. Also known as line speed.

Broadcast

A packet sent to all devices on a network.

CA

A Certificate Authority is a trusted third-party organization or company that issues digital certificates used to create digital signatures and public-private key pairs.

Cat 5

Category 5 unshielded twisted pair (UTP) cabling. An Ethernet network operating at 10 Mbits/second (10BASE-T) will often tolerate low quality cables, but at 100 Mbits/second (10BASE-Tx) the cable must be rated as Category 5, or Cat 5 or Cat V, by the Electronic Industry Association (EIA).
This rating will be printed on the cable jacket. Cat 5 cable contains eight conductors, arranged in four twisted pairs, and terminated with an RJ45 type connector. In addition, there are restrictions on maximum cable length for both 10 and 100 Mbits/second networks.

Certificate Authority

A Certificate Authority is a trusted third-party organization or company that issues digital certificates used to create digital signatures and public-private key pairs.
The role of the CA in this process is to guarantee that the individual granted the unique certificate is, in fact, who he or she claims to be. Usually, this means that the CA has an arrangement with a financial institution, such as a credit card company, which provides it with information to confirm an individual's claimed identity. CAs are a critical component in data security and electronic commerce because they guarantee that the two parties exchanging information are really who they claim to be.

DHCP

An Ethernet protocol specifying how a centralized DHCP server can assign network configuration information to multiple DHCP clients. The assigned information includes IP addresses, DNS addresses, and gateway (router) addresses.

DMZ

Specifying a Default DMZ Server allows you to set up a computer or server that is available to anyone on the Internet for services that you have not defined. There are security issues with doing this, so only do this if you are willing to risk open access.

DNS

Short for Domain Name System (or Service), an Internet service that translates domain names into IP addresses.
Because domain names are alphabetic, they are easier to remember. The Internet however, is really based on IP addresses. Every time you use a domain name, therefore, a DNS service must translate the name into the corresponding IP address. For example, the domain name www.example.com might translate to 198.105.232.4. The DNS system is, in fact, its own network. If one DNS server does not know how to translate a particular domain name, it asks another one, and so on, until the correct IP address is returned.

Domain Name

A descriptive name for an address or group of addresses on the Internet. Domain names are of the form of a registered entity name plus one of a number of predefined top level suffixes, such as .com, .edu, .uk, and so on. For example, in the address mail.NETGEAR.com, mail is a server name and NETGEAR.com is the domain.

DSL

Short for digital subscriber line, but is commonly used in reference to the asymmetric version of this technology (ADSL) that allows data to be sent over existing copper telephone lines at data rates of from 1.5 to 9 Mbps when receiving data (known as the downstream rate) and from 16 to 640 Kbps when sending data (known as the upstream rate).
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Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol
DHCP. An Ethernet protocol specifying how a centralized DHCP server can assign network configuration information to multiple DHCP clients. The assigned information includes IP addresses, DNS addresses, and gateway (router) addresses.

EAP
Extensible Authentication Protocol is a general protocol for authentication that supports multiple authentication methods.
EAP, an extension to PPP, supports such authentication methods as token cards, Kerberos, one-time passwords, certificates, public key authentication and smart cards. In wireless communications using EAP, a user requests connection to a WLAN through an AP, which then requests the identity of the user and transmits that identity to an authentication server, such as RADIUS. The server asks the AP for proof of identity, which the AP gets from the user and then sends back to the server to complete the authentication. EAP is defined by RFC 2284.

ESSID
The Extended Service Set Identification (ESSID) is a thirty-two character (maximum) alphanumeric key identifying the wireless local area network.

Gateway
A local device, usually a router, that connects hosts on a local network to other networks.

IEEE
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers. This American organization was founded in 1963 and sets standards for computers and communications.

IETF
Internet Engineering Task Force. An organization responsible for providing engineering solutions for TCP/IP networks. In the network management area, this group is responsible for the development of the SNMP protocol.

IP
Internet Protocol is the main internetworking protocol used in the Internet. Used in conjunction with the Transfer Control Protocol (TCP) to form TCP/IP.

IP Address
A four-byte number uniquely defining each host on the Internet, usually written in dotted-decimal notation with periods separating the bytes (for example, 134.177.244.57).
Ranges of addresses are assigned by Internic, an organization formed for this purpose.

ISP
Internet service provider.

Internet Protocol
The main internetworking protocol used in the Internet. Used in conjunction with the Transfer Control Protocol (TCP) to form TCP/IP.

LAN
A communications network serving users within a limited area, such as one floor of a building.

local area network
LAN. A communications network serving users within a limited area, such as one floor of a building. A LAN typically connects multiple personal computers and shared network devices, such as storage and printers. Although many technologies exist to implement a LAN, Ethernet is the most common for connecting personal computers.

MAC address
The Media Access Control address is a unique 48-bit hardware address assigned to every network interface card. Usually written in the form 01:23:45:67:89:ab.

Mbps
Megabits per second.

MD5
MD5 creates digital signatures using a one-way hash function, meaning that it takes a message and converts it into a fixed string of digits, also called a message digest.
When using a one-way hash function, one can compare a calculated message digest against the message digest that is decrypted with a public key to verify that the message has not been tampered with. This comparison is called a “hashcheck.”

MDI/MDIX
In cable wiring, the concept of transmit and receive are from the perspective of the computer, which is wired as a Media Dependant Interface (MDI). In MDI wiring, a computer transmits on pins 1 and 2. At the hub, switch, router, or access point, the perspective is reversed, and the hub receives on pins 1 and 2. This wiring is referred to as Media Dependant Interface - Crossover (MDI-X). See also Auto Uplink.

MTU
The size in bytes of the largest packet that can be sent or received.

NAT
A technique by which several hosts share a single IP address for access to the Internet.

NetBIOS
Network Basic Input Output System. An application programming interface (API) for sharing services and information on local-area networks (LANs). Provides for communication between stations of a network where each station is given a name. These names are alphanumeric names, 16 characters in length.

netmask
Combined with the IP address, the IP Subnet Mask allows a device to know which other addresses are local to it, and which must be reached through a gateway or router.
A number that explains which part of an IP address comprises the network address and which part is the host address on that network. It can be expressed in dotted-decimal notation or as a number appended to the IP address. For example, a 28-bit mask starting from the MSB can be shown as 255.255.255.192 or as /28 appended to the IP address.

Network Address Translation
A technique by which several hosts share a single IP address for access to the Internet.

packet
A block of information sent over a network. A packet typically contains a source and destination network address, some protocol and length information, a block of data, and a checksum.

Point-to-Point Protocol
PPP. A protocol allowing a computer using TCP/IP to connect directly to the Internet.

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PPPoA
PPPoA. PPP over ATM is a protocol for connecting remote hosts to the Internet over an always-on connection by simulating a dial-up connection.

PPPoE
PPPoE. PPP over Ethernet is a protocol for connecting remote hosts to the Internet over an always-on connection by simulating a dial-up connection.

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PPTP
Point-to-Point Tunneling Protocol. A method for establishing a virtual private network (VPN) by embedding Microsoft's network protocol into Internet packets.

PSTN
Public Switched Telephone Network.

RADIUS

Short for Remote Authentication Dial-In User Service, RADIUS is an authentication system.
Using RADIUS, you must enter your user name and password before gaining access to a network. This information is passed to a RADIUS server, which checks that the information is correct, and then authorizes access. Though not an official standard, the RADIUS specification is maintained by a working group of the IETF.

RIP

A protocol in which routers periodically exchange information with one another so that they can determine minimum distance paths between sources and destinations.

router

A device that forwards data between networks. An IP router forwards data based on IP source and destination addresses.

SSID

A Service Set Identification is a thirty-two character (maximum) alphanumeric key identifying a wireless local area network. For the wireless devices in a network to communicate with each other, all devices must be configured with the same SSID.
This is typically the configuration parameter for a wireless computer card. It corresponds to the ESSID in the wireless Access Point and to the wireless network name. *See also* Wireless Network Name and ESSID.

Subnet Mask

Combined with the IP address, the IP Subnet Mask allows a device to know which other addresses are local to it, and which must be reached through a gateway or router.

TLS

Short for Transport Layer Security, TLS is a protocol that guarantees privacy and data integrity between client/server applications communicating over the Internet.
The TLS protocol is made up of two layers. The TLS Record Protocol ensures that a connection is private by using symmetric data encryption and ensures that the connection is reliable. The second TLS layer is the TLS Handshake Protocol, which allows authentication between the server and client and the negotiation of an encryption algorithm and cryptographic keys before data is transmitted or received. Based on Netscape's SSL 3.0, TLS supercedes and is an extension of SSL. TLS and SSL are not interoperable.

Universal Plug and Play

UPnP. A networking architecture that provides compatibility among networking technology. UPnP compliant routers provide broadband users at home and small businesses with a seamless way to participate in online games, videoconferencing and other peer-to-peer services.

UTP

Unshielded twisted pair is the cable used by 10BASE-T and 100BASE-Tx Ethernet networks.

WAN
A long distance link used to extend or connect remotely located local area networks. The Internet is a large WAN.

WEP
Wired Equivalent Privacy is a data encryption protocol for 802.11b wireless networks.
All wireless nodes and access points on the network are configured with a 64-bit or 128-bit Shared Key for data encryption.

wide area network
WAN. A long distance link used to extend or connect remotely located local area networks. The Internet is a large WAN.

Wi-Fi
A trade name for the 802.11b wireless networking standard, given by the Wireless Ethernet Compatibility Alliance (WECA, see http://www.wi-fi.net), an industry standards group promoting interoperability among 802.11b devices.

Windows Internet Naming Service
WINS. Windows Internet Naming Service is a server process for resolving Windows-based computer names to IP addresses.
If a remote network contains a WINS server, your Windows PCs can gather information from that WINS server about its local hosts. This allows your PCs to browse that remote network using the Windows Network Neighborhood feature.

WINS
WINS. Windows Internet Naming Service is a server process for resolving Windows-based computer names to IP addresses.

Wireless Network Name (SSID)
Wireless Network Name (SSID) is the name assigned to a wireless network. This is the same as the SSID or ESSID configuration parameter.

WPA
Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA) is a specification of standards-based, interoperable security enhancements that increase the level of data protection and access control for existing and future wireless LAN systems.

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