



Super G Wireless Broadband Router

Model # AR430W

Quick Installation Guide

Section 1

This Quick Installation Guide only provides the basic instructions. For more detailed information, please refer to the User's Manual in the supplied CD.

Connecting the Router

Note: Prior to connecting the router, be sure to power off your computer, DSL/Cable modem, and the router. You should setup the router with a wired connection first before attempting to setup any wireless connection.

Step 1 Connect one end of a network cable to the **WAN** port of the router and connect the other end of the cable to the DSL/Cable modem.

Step 2 With another network cable, connect one end of the cable to your computer's network card and connect the other end to one of the **LAN** (Ethernet) ports of the router.

Step 3 Power on the DSL/Cable modem and wait for the lights on the modem to settle down.

Step 4 Power on the router by connecting one end of the supplied power adapter to the power jack of the router and connecting the other end to an electrical outlet.

Step 5 Power on your computer.

Step 6 Make sure the **WAN**, **WLAN**, and the **LAN** port that the computer is connected to are lit. If not try the above steps again.

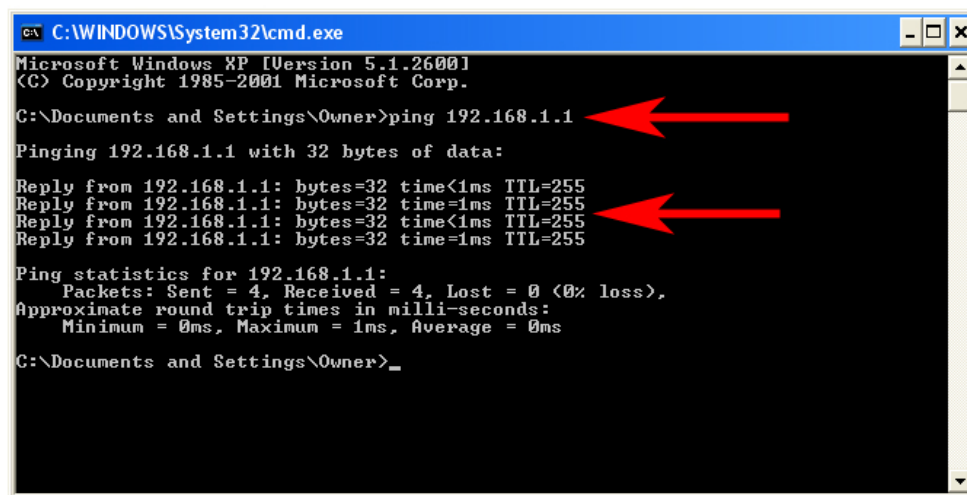


Section 2

Verifying Connection to the Router

Step 1 Go to **Start, Run**, type **command** (for Windows 95/98/ME) or **cmd** (for Windows 2000/XP) and click **OK**. You will see the command prompt as below.

Step 2 Type **ping 192.168.1.1** and press **Enter**. You should get four reply responses back.



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C:\WINDOWS\System32\cmd.exe
Microsoft Windows XP [Version 5.1.2600]
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C:\Documents and Settings\Owner>ping 192.168.1.1
Pinging 192.168.1.1 with 32 bytes of data:

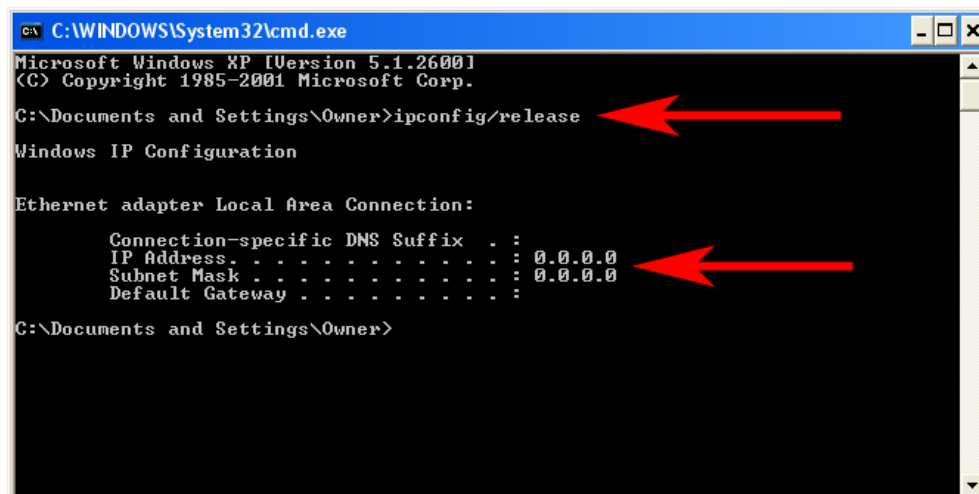
Reply from 192.168.1.1: bytes=32 time<1ms TTL=255
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Ping statistics for 192.168.1.1:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
    Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
        Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 1ms, Average = 0ms

C:\Documents and Settings\Owner>
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Step 3 If you get **Request timed out**, or **Destination host unreachable**, double-check the network cable connection between the computer and the router and try **Step 2** again. If you still encounter problem, go to the next step; otherwise proceed to **Section 3, Configure the Router**.

Step 4 For Windows 2000/XP, type **ipconfig/release** and press **Enter**.



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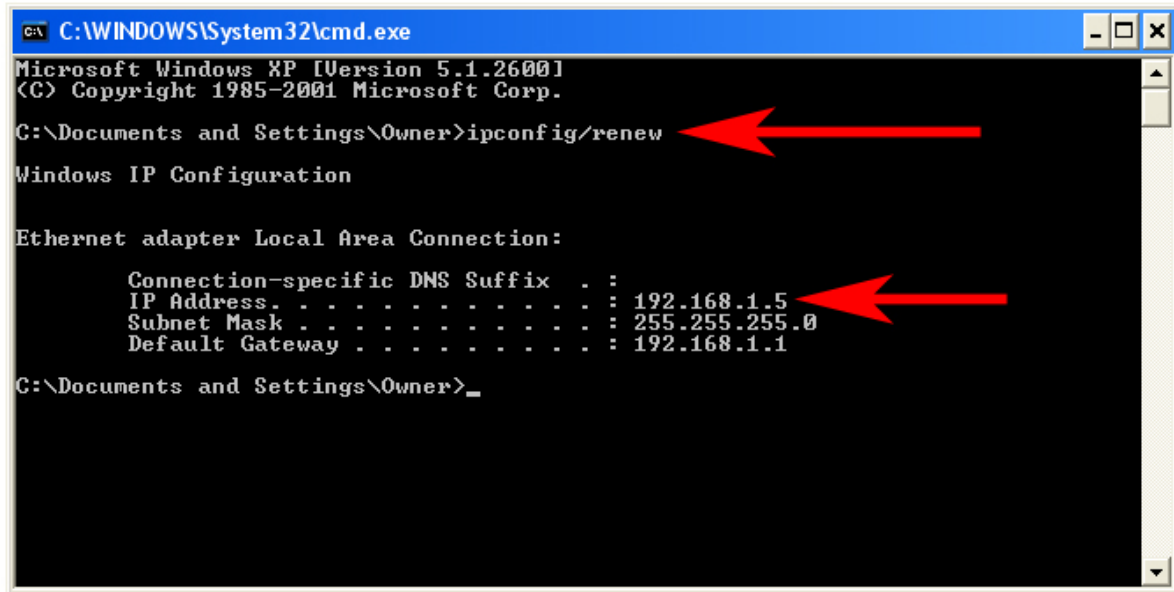
C:\Documents and Settings\Owner>ipconfig/release
Windows IP Configuration

Ethernet adapter Local Area Connection:

    Connection-specific DNS Suffix . . :
    IP Address . . . . . : 0.0.0.0
    Subnet Mask . . . . . : 0.0.0.0
    Default Gateway . . . . . :

C:\Documents and Settings\Owner>
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Step 5 Type **ipconfig/renew** and press **Enter**. You should get an IP address of **192.168.1.x** (where **x** is a number between 2 - 254). Proceed to **Section 3, Configure the Router**. If you don't get an IP address, reset the router by holding in the reset button at the back of the router for 10 seconds while it is ON and try **ipconfig/renew** again.



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Windows IP Configuration

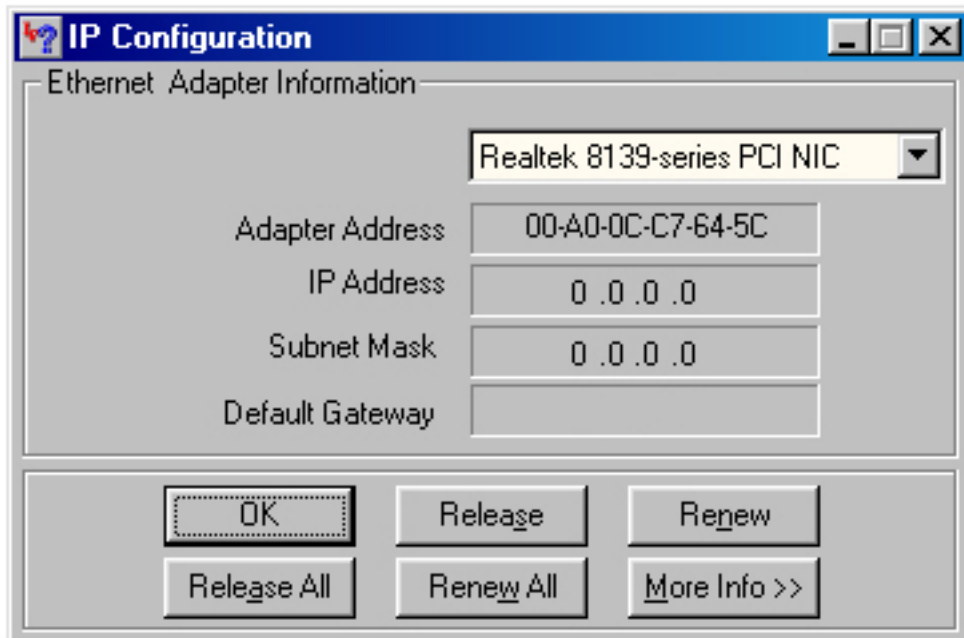
Ethernet adapter Local Area Connection:

    Connection-specific DNS Suffix  . : 
    IP Address. . . . .               : 192.168.1.5
    Subnet Mask . . . . .             : 255.255.255.0
    Default Gateway . . . . .         : 192.168.1.1

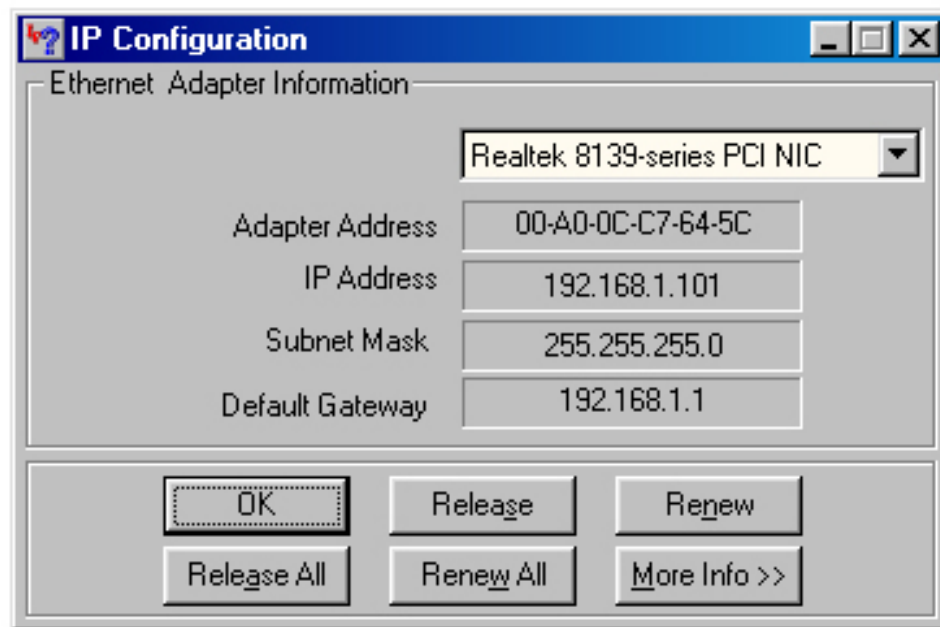
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Step 6 For Windows 95/98/ME go to **Start, Run**, type **winipcfg** and click **OK**.

Step 7 Select your network card from the drop-down menu and click **Release**.



Step 8 After your IP address is released, click **Renew**. You should get an IP address of **192.168.1.x** (where **x** is a number between 2 - 254). If you don't get an IP address, reset the router by holding in the reset button at the back of the router for 10 seconds while it is ON and try **Renew** again.



Section 3

Configuring the Router

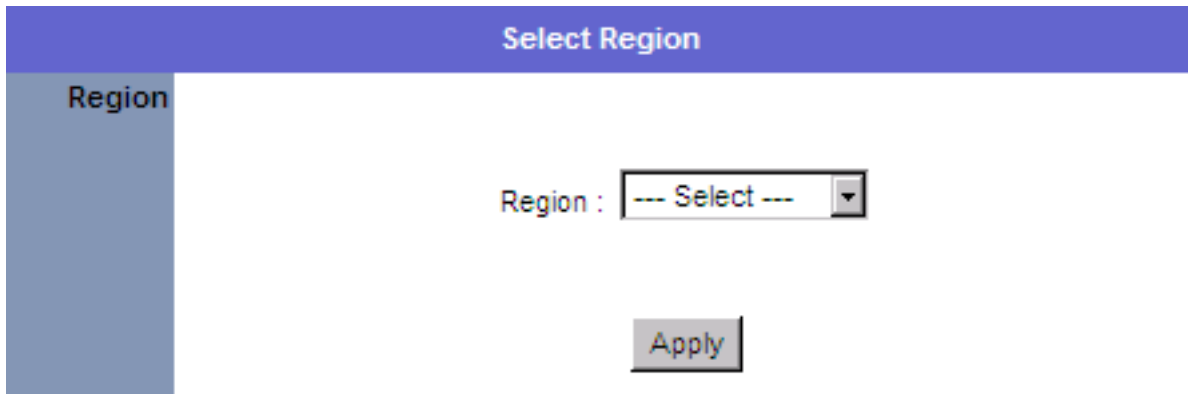
Step 1 Open the web browser and type **192.168.1.1** in the URL Address field and press **Enter**.

Step 2 Enter **admin** for both username and password fields and click **OK**.

A screenshot of a web browser showing the login page for a 'Super G Wireless Router'. The page has a purple header with the text 'Super G Wireless Router'. On the left side, there is a vertical grey bar with the word 'Login' in white. To the right of this bar, there are two input fields. The first is labeled 'User Name:' and contains the text 'admin'. The second is labeled 'Password:' and contains five black dots. Below these fields is a button labeled 'Login'.

Step 3 Select the proper region, **North America** or **South America**, and click **Apply**.

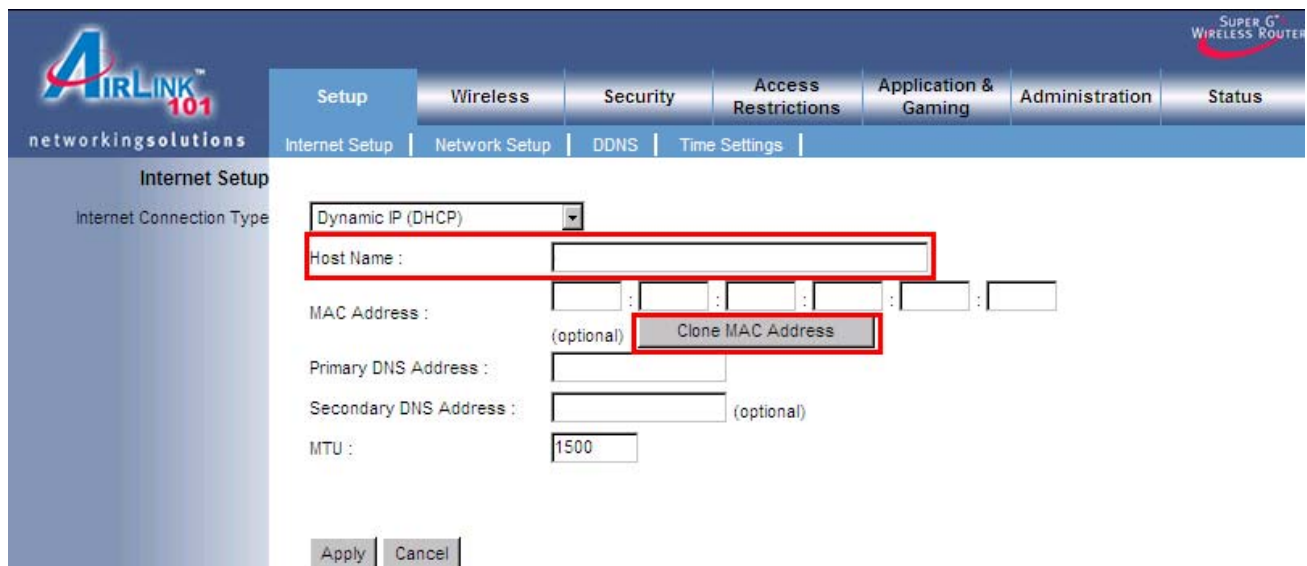
Warning: Incorrectly selecting the current region of operation may result in illegal operation and may cause harmful interference to other system. You can refer to the user manual in the provided CD for more details.



Cable Modem

For most cable modem users, you should be able to connect to the Internet without any configuration. If your ISP has provided you with a host name, enter it in the optional **Host Name** field.

If your ISP requires a registered MAC Address, click on the **Clone MAC Address** button. Click **Apply** and **OK** to save the setting.

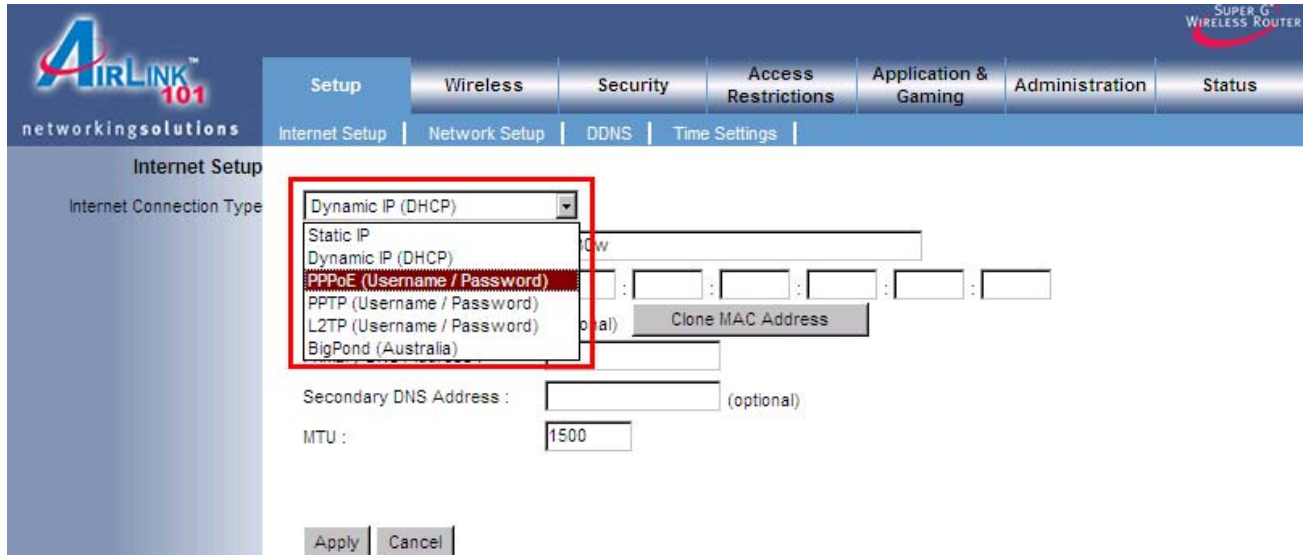


Go to **Status** tab, **Internet connection** section to verify if you get the valid IP address information. If you have trouble connecting to the Internet, please go through the **Troubleshooting** section at the end of this installation guide.

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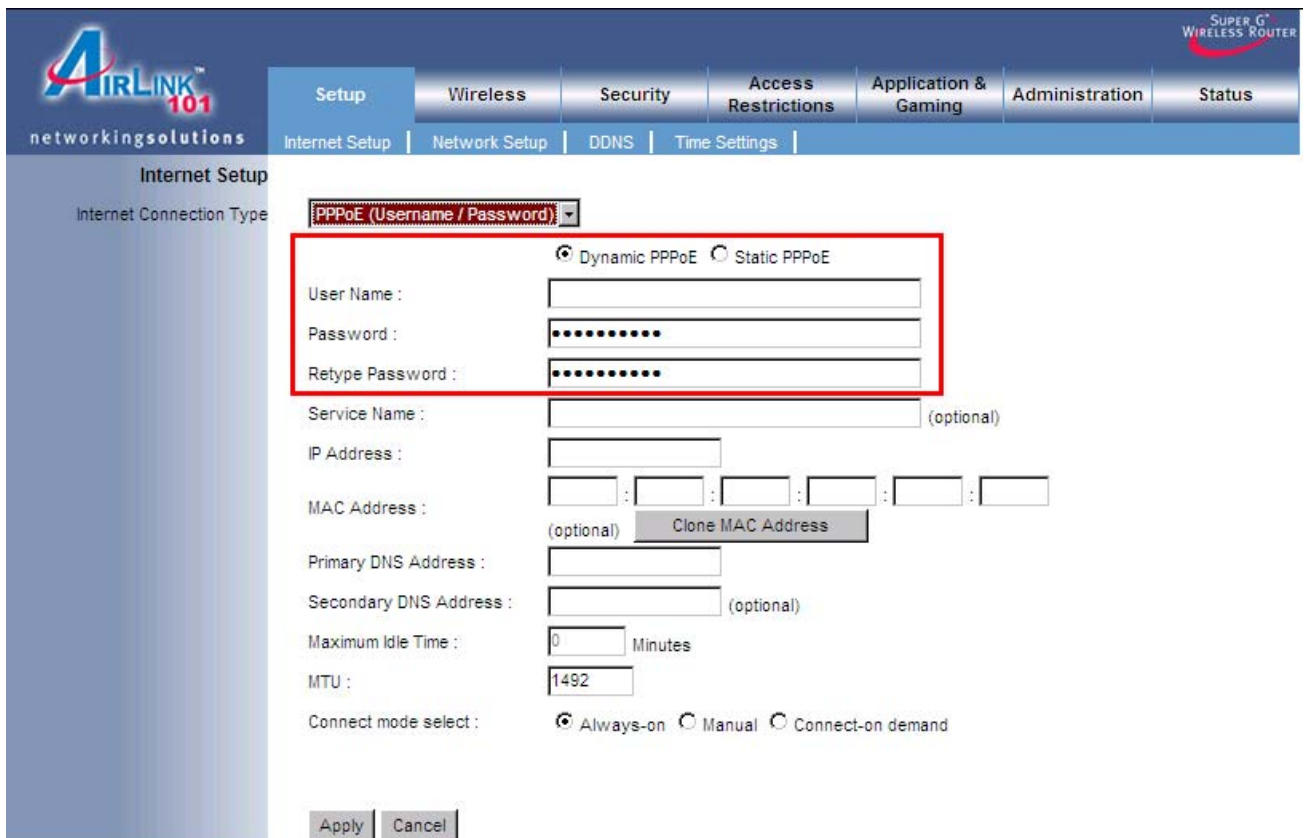
For DSL users, follow the steps below to configure the router.

Step 1 Select **PPPoE** from the drop-down menu.



The screenshot shows the 'Internet Setup' page of the AIRLINK 101 router. The 'Internet Connection Type' dropdown menu is open, and 'PPPoE (Username / Password)' is highlighted. Other options include Dynamic IP (DHCP), Static IP, PPTP (Username / Password), L2TP (Username / Password), and BigPond (Australia). The MTU is set to 1500. The 'Apply' and 'Cancel' buttons are visible at the bottom.

Step 2 Enter your username and password provided by your ISP.



The screenshot shows the 'Internet Setup' page with 'PPPoE (Username / Password)' selected. The 'Dynamic PPPoE' radio button is selected. The 'User Name' and 'Password' fields are highlighted with a red box. The 'Password' field is masked with dots. The 'Retype Password' field is also highlighted. The MTU is set to 1492. The 'Apply' and 'Cancel' buttons are visible at the bottom.

Note: Depending on the ISP, you may need to include the domain name with your username.
Example: `username@sbcglobal.net`

Step 3 Click **Apply** and **OK** to save the setting.

Go to **Status** tab, **Internet connection** section to verify if you get the valid IP address information. If you have trouble connecting to the Internet, please go through the **Troubleshooting** section at the end of this installation guide.

Section 4

Connecting the Router Wirelessly

Below are the default wireless settings of the router. You must configure your wireless network card to the same settings in order to establish a wireless connection to the router. Please refer to your wireless network card's manual on how to configure these settings.

SSID: **default**

Operating Mode: **Infrastructure**

Authentication: **Open System**

Channel #: **6**

WEP: **disabled**

If you want to change the router's wireless settings, log in to the router and select the **Wireless** tab. Be sure to click **Apply** and **OK** to save the setting.



The screenshot shows the web interface of an Airlink 101 router. The top navigation bar includes tabs for Setup, **Wireless** (highlighted with a red box), Security, Access Restrictions, Application & Gaming, Administration, and Status. Below this, there are sub-tabs for Basic Wireless Settings, Wireless Security, Wireless MAC Filter, and Advanced Wireless Settings. The main content area is titled 'Wireless Network' and 'Wireless-G Settings'. It contains the following settings:

- Mode: Mixed(g/b)
- Network Name (SSID): default
- Channel: 6-2.437GHz
- SSID Broadcast: Enable

At the bottom of the settings area, there are 'Apply' and 'Cancel' buttons.

For information on changing the router's log in password and enabling wireless encryption, please refer to the User's Manual in the provided CD.

Section 5

Troubleshooting

If you have trouble connecting to the Internet, try the following steps.

Step 1 Power off the Cable/DSL modem, router, and computer and wait for **5 minutes**.

Step 2 Turn on the Cable/DSL modem and wait for the lights on the modem to settle down.

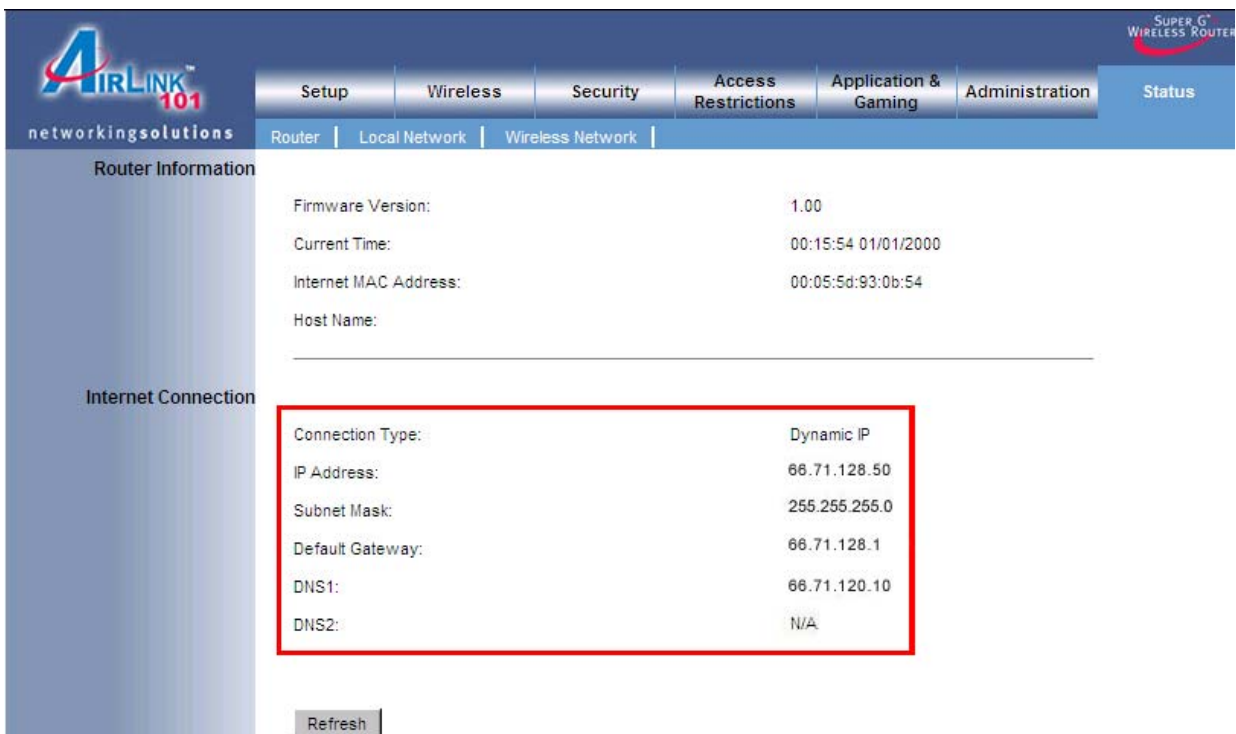
Step 3 Turn on the router and wait for the lights on the router to settle down.

Step 4 Turn on the computer.

Step 5 Reconfigure the router as described in **Section 3**.

Step 6 Log in to the router and select the **Status** tab.

Step 7 Verify that the **IP Address**, **Default Gateway**, and at least one of the **DNS** fields have valid numbers assigned to them (instead of all 0's).



The screenshot displays the 'Status' tab of the AirLink 101 router's web interface. The page is divided into two main sections: 'Router Information' and 'Internet Connection'. The 'Internet Connection' section is highlighted with a red box, showing the following details:

Connection Type:	Dynamic IP
IP Address:	66.71.128.50
Subnet Mask:	255.255.255.0
Default Gateway:	66.71.128.1
DNS1:	66.71.120.10
DNS2:	N/A

Below the table is a 'Refresh' button. The top navigation bar includes tabs for Setup, Wireless, Security, Access Restrictions, Application & Gaming, Administration, and Status. The left sidebar shows 'Router Information' and 'Internet Connection'.

If each field has a valid number assigned, the router is connected to the Internet.

Section 6

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