LEGUANG N900 Wireless Router Configuration Guide

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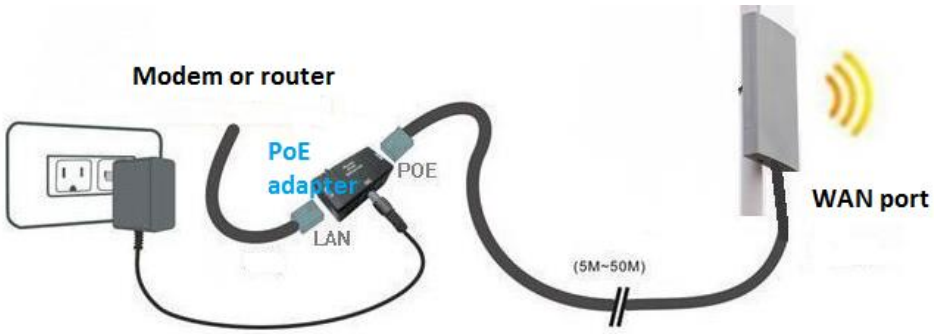
1. What is included

2. Installation Guide

2.1 How to connect

N900 comes with 2 network ports, one of which (beside the four LEDs) is intended to connect local PC or switches and the other is intended to connect service provider to upper level router. N900 can be powered using the DC power supply shipped with the box or using Power over Ethernet (PoE) through WAN port. Using power supply is very straightforward. Just plug the jack of the power supply into the power outlet on the wireless router. When you install N900 outdoor and there is no power outlet around, PoE is a good solution. The black adapter is PoE power supply. It comes with 2 ports: POE and LAN. LAN is used to connect the router or Modem. POE is used to connect to the WAN port of N900.

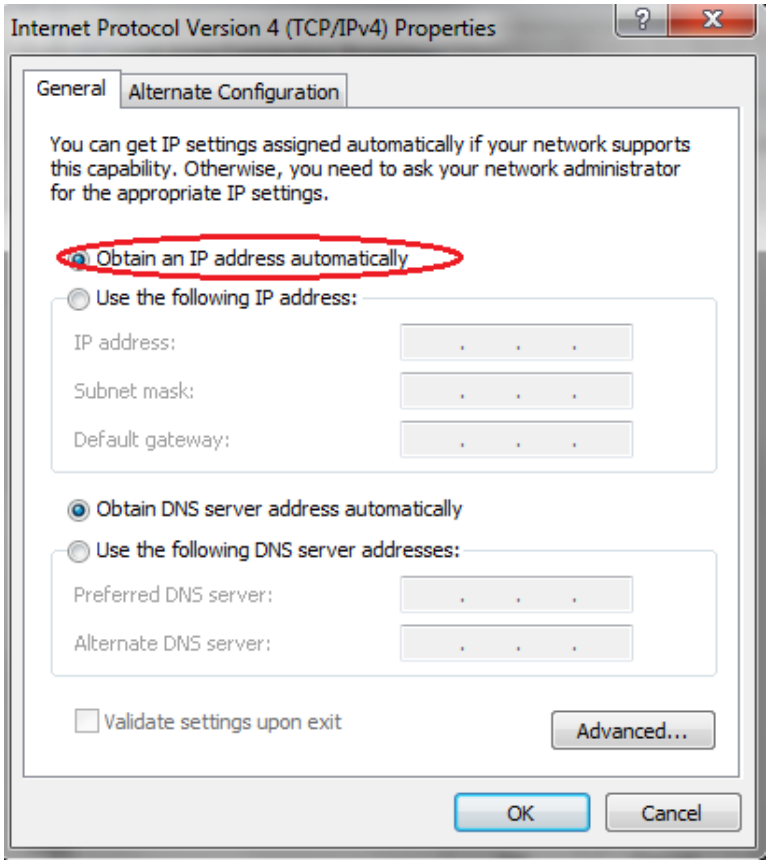


2.2 How to reset

In some cases, you may need to factory reset the system. For example, you forget your password. After the system has boot up which takes about 1 minute, press the RESET button which is located between the power supply plug and LEDs(see diagram above) for around 15 seconds before release it, the system will be reset after reboot with default configuration.

2.3 How to configure your PC for initial setup

The default IP address of the wireless router LAN port is 192.168.1.1. Since DHCP server on LAN port is enabled by default. You can simply enable DHCP on the PC connecting to the LAN port of the wireless router and the PC will get IP address automatically.



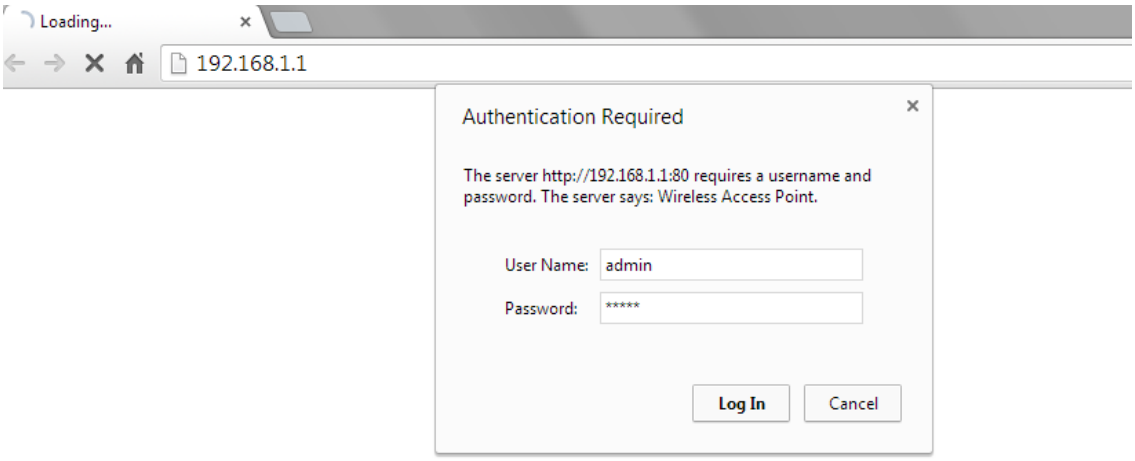
2.4 Login to the wireless router

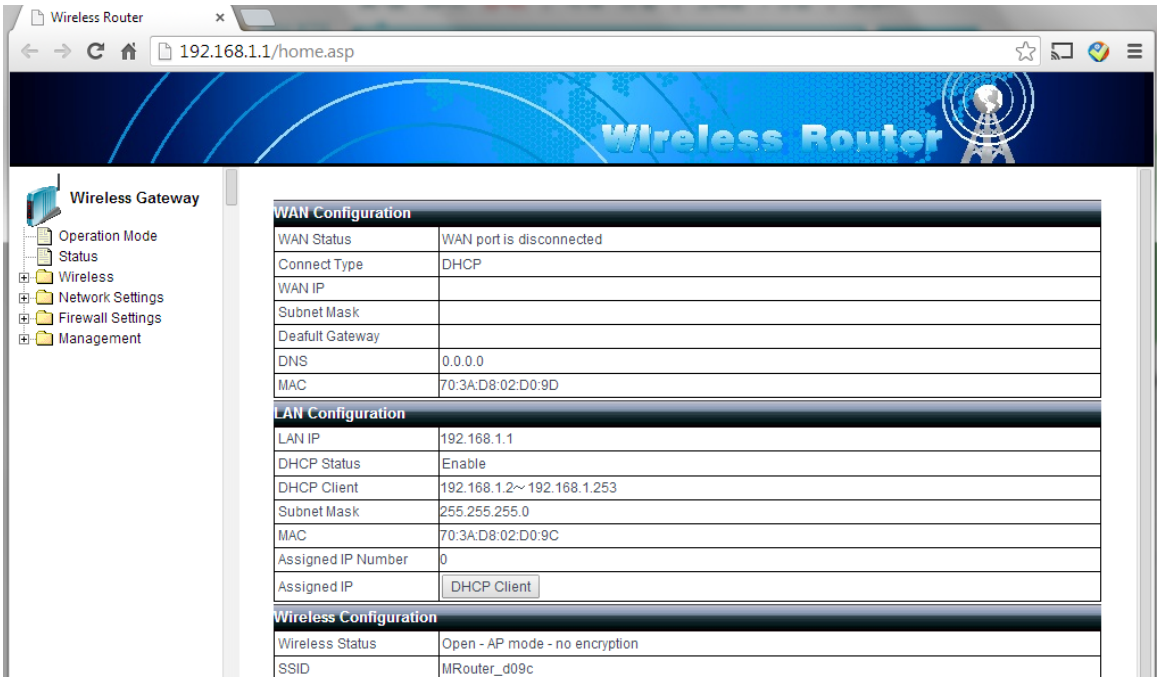
The factory default IP address: 192.168.1.1

Default username: admin

Default password: admin

Open your browser and type the default IP into the address field, and enter the default user credential as prompted, you should be able access the admin GUI of the wireless router.





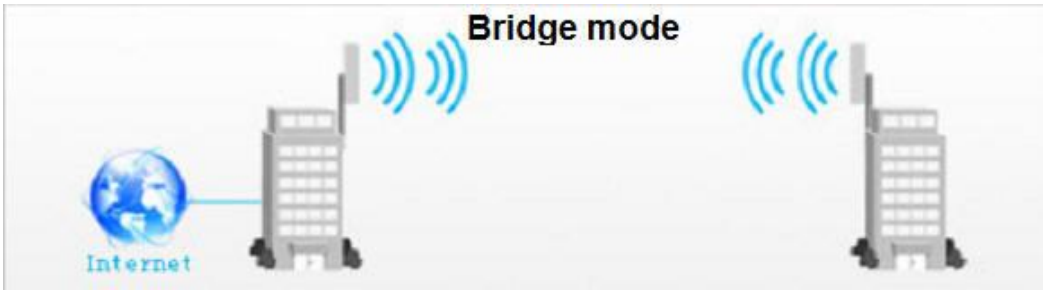
3. Wireless Router Configuration

3.1 Wireless Router Operating Modes

LEGUANG N900 supports three operation modes:

- Gateway Mode: In this mode, the device works as a router, connecting to Internet with WAN port via ADSL/Cable Modem. Local PCs are connected to the router with LAN port or WiFi. Network Address Translation (NAT) is enabled. Local PCs share the same IP to ISP through WAN port. WAN port supports PPPOE, DHCP client or static IP. DHCP server on LAN port is enabled by default to assign IP address to local PCs. With outdoor high gain antenna, N900 can also connect the remote network together to share the Internet connection. It is a very good solution for suburbs or rural area to access Internet. This is the default mode of the equipment.

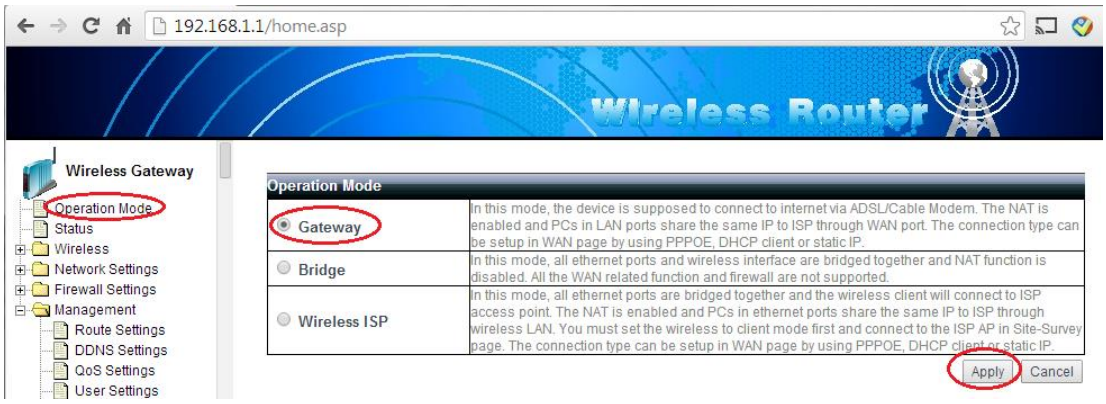
- Bridge Mode: In this mode, all Ethernet ports and wireless interface are bridged together so both network ports can be used to connect local PC. NAT function is disabled. All the WAN related function and firewall are not supported. DHCP server on LAN port can be enabled as needed. The device is essentially used as an access pint (AP).



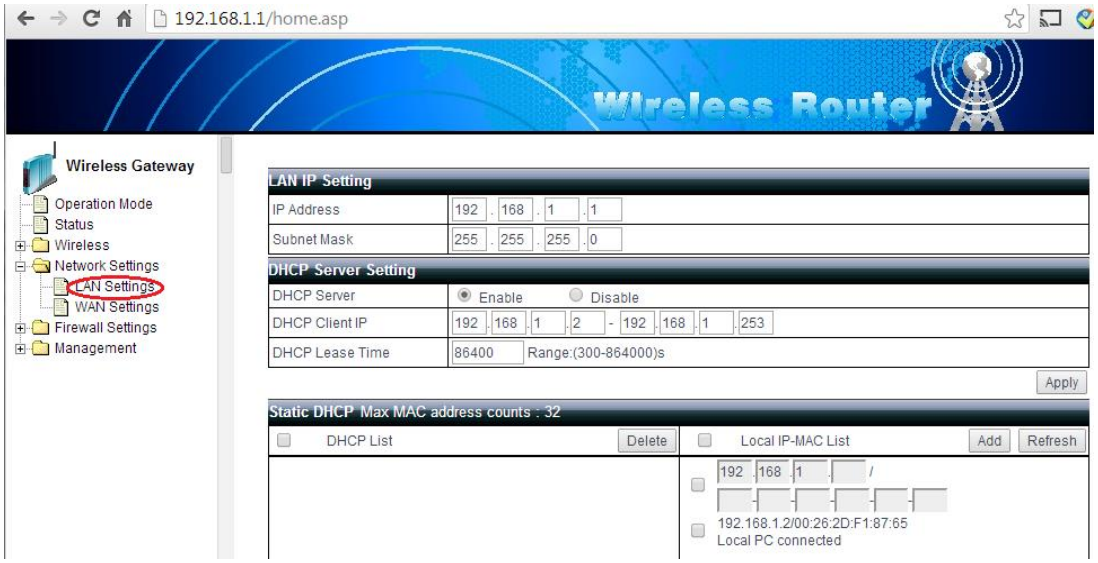
- Wireless ISP: In this mode, the device works as a wireless client and access point at the same time. It acts as a wireless client to connect to ISP. It also acts as an access point to connect local PCs with WiFi. All Ethernet ports are bridged together so both network ports can be used to connect local PC. The NAT is enabled and all local PCs share the same IP address to access ISP. The difference between Wireless ISP mode and Gateway mode is that Gateway mode uses wired connection while Wireless ISP mode wireless connection to access the service provider.

3.2 Gateway Mode configuration

1. Gateway mode is the default operating mode. If you are running a brand new system, you don't have to make any change to be in this mode. Otherwise you can switch to Gateway mode on operation mode page as following:



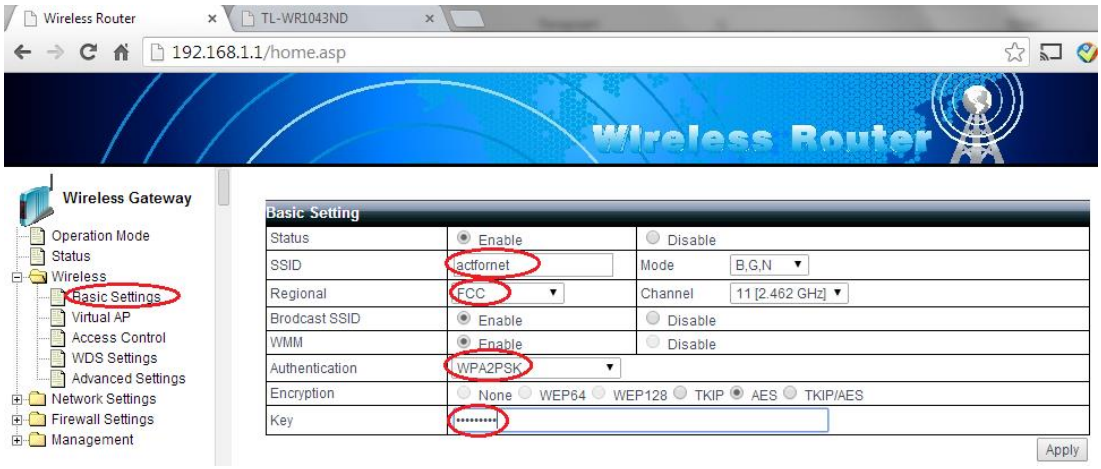
2. Configure the LAN settings
   In Gateway mode, wireless router can be used as a DHCP server to assign IP address to PCs on local network, either wired or wireless. It is recommended to use the default setting and enable DHCP to avoid IP address conflict.



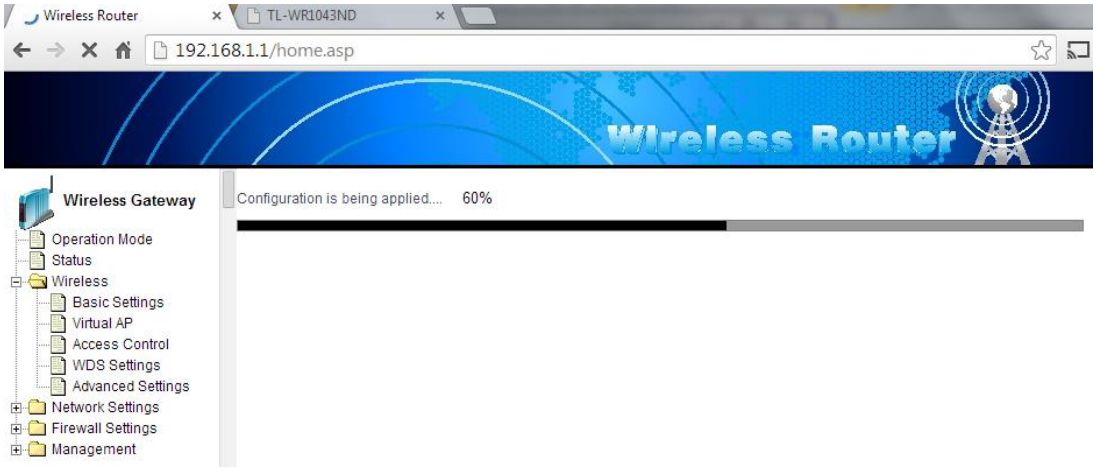
3. Configure WAN settings
   WAN is the port that connects to the service providers and it has to be configured to access the Internet. Wireless router supports Dynamic IP, PPPoE, Static IP or PPTP. Pick the appropriate the settings according to the service provider requirement. For most home users, either PPPoE(ADSL) or dynamic IP (cable modem) should be used.

4. Wireless settings

At a minimum, you need to configure the SSID(network name), region, authentication scheme and the key.



After you click apply, the system will take a few seconds to make the new settings take effect:



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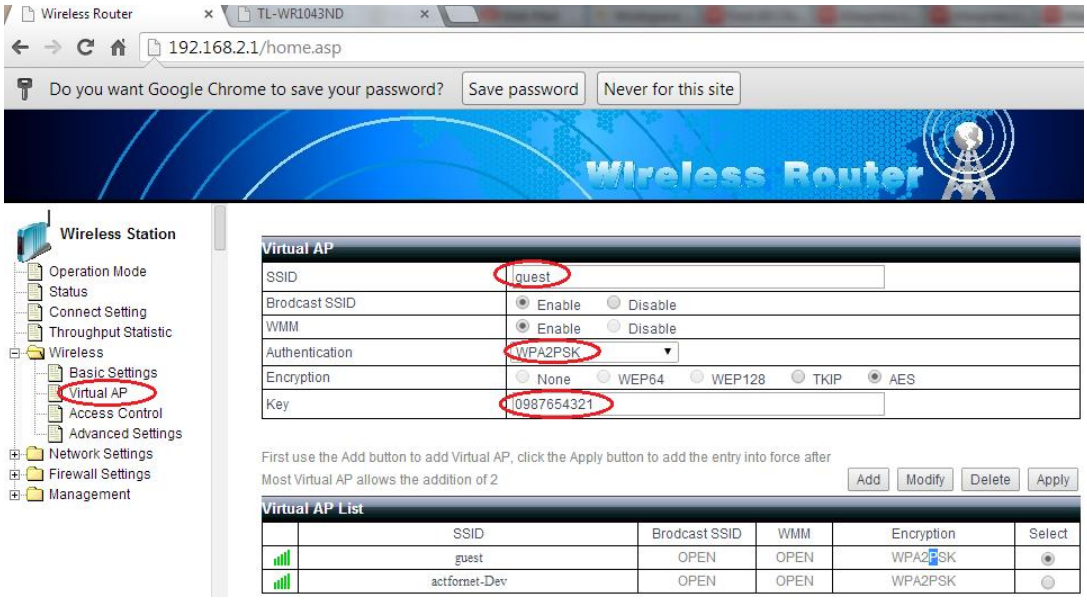
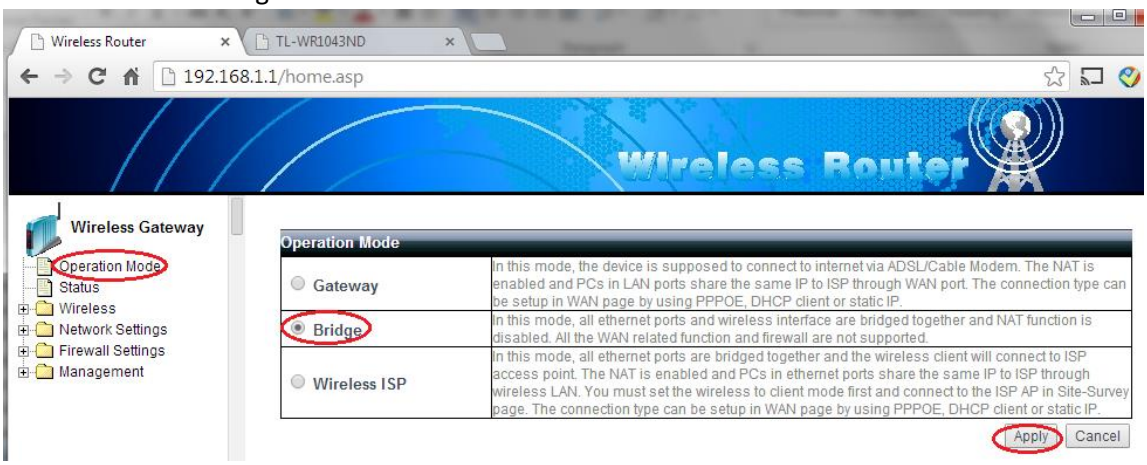


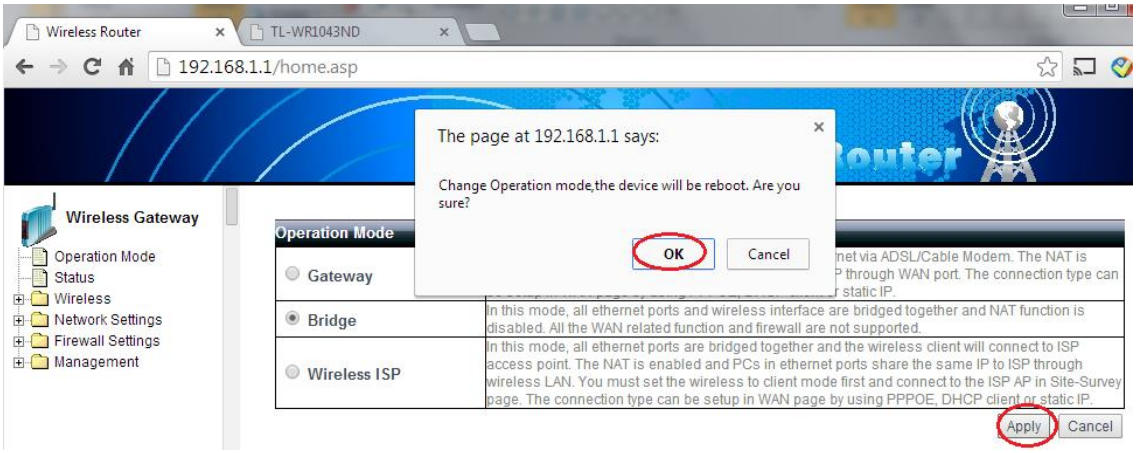
5. Now you should be able to see the wireless network you just configured from your PC or tablet, smart phones, etc. Click the network and supply the password/key you just configured to access the network.

3.3 Bridge Mode configuration

1. Switch to bridge mode
   Since the default mode is not bridge mode, you need to manually change the operating mode as following:



After you click “Apply”, the system will ask you to confirm whether to reboot the system to make the change take effect.



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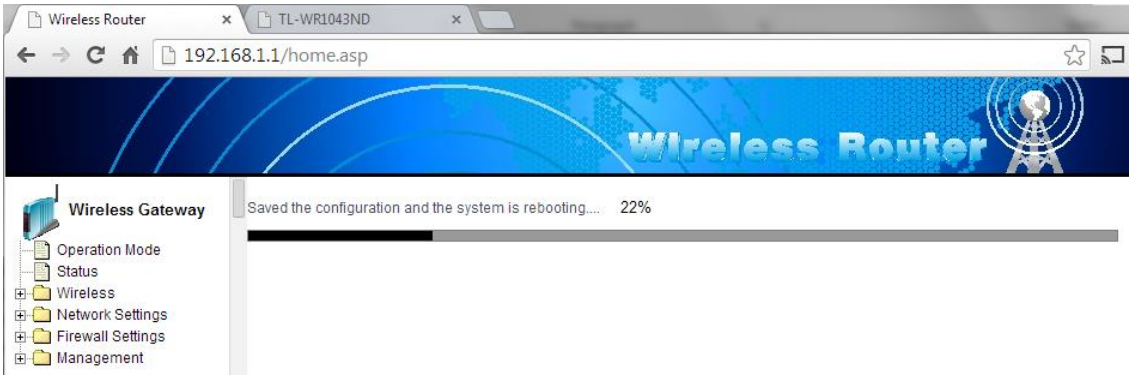
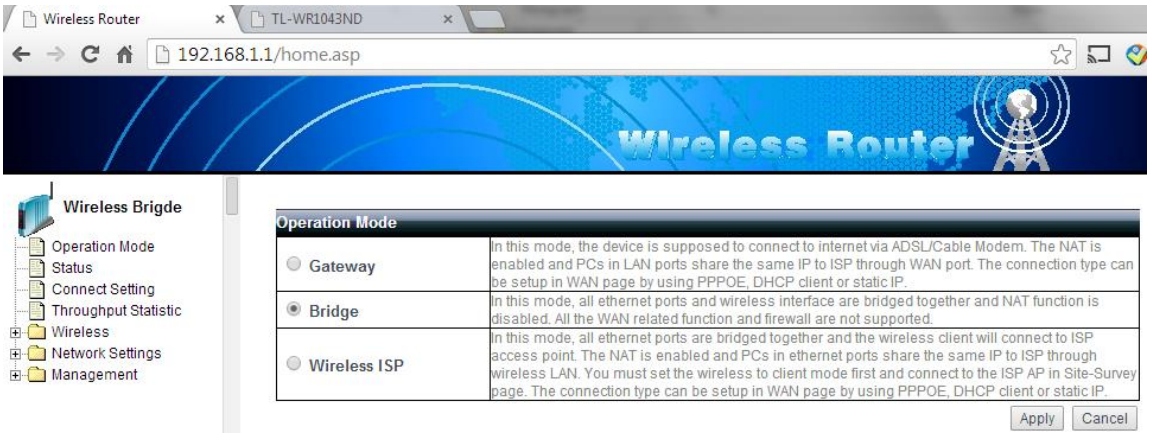


2. After the system switches to bridge mode, the GUI will be a bit different because some settings like WAN and Firewall are not applicable in bridge mode.



3. Network settings

Only LAN port can be configured in bridge mode. DHCP is disabled by default, which works for most cases. But you can enable it if desired:

4. Wireless settings

Wireless settings in bridge mode is no difference than Gateway mode. At a minimum, you need to configure the SSID(network name), region, authentication scheme and the key.

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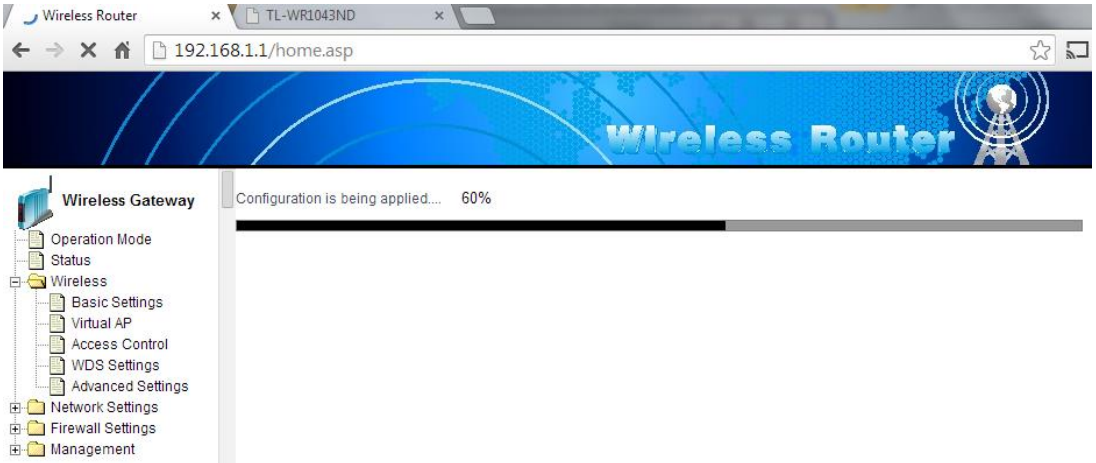

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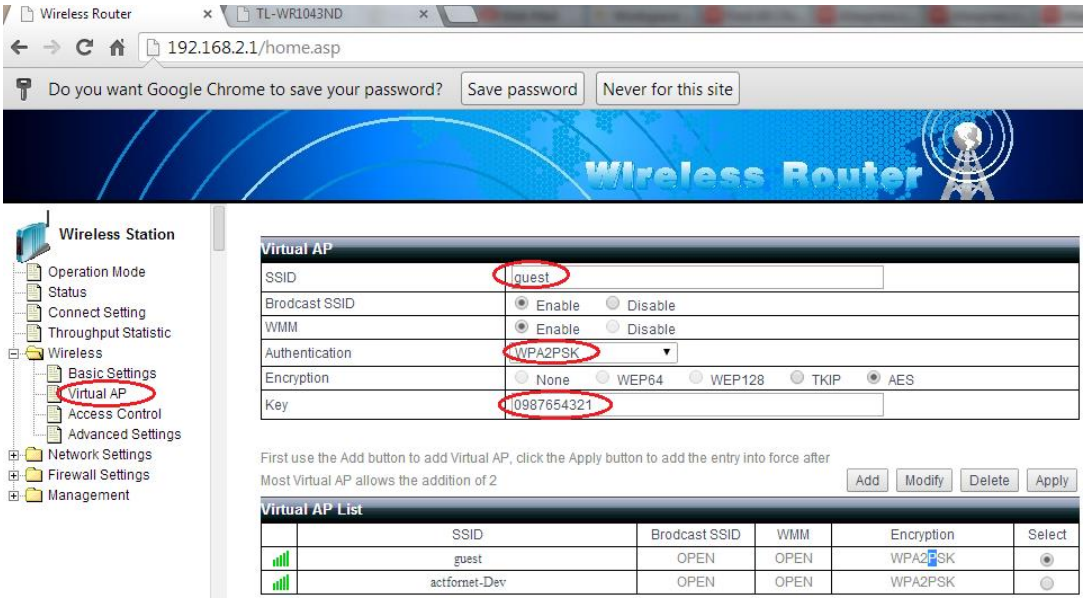

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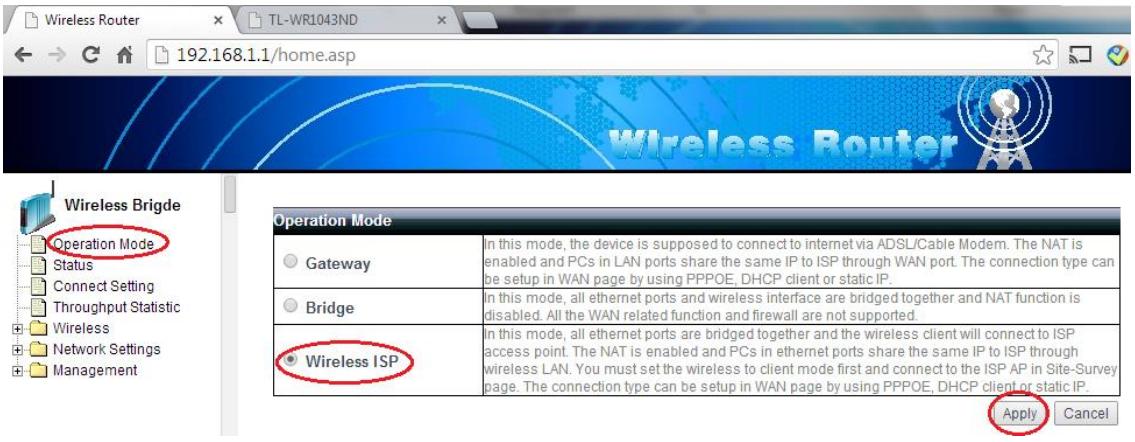

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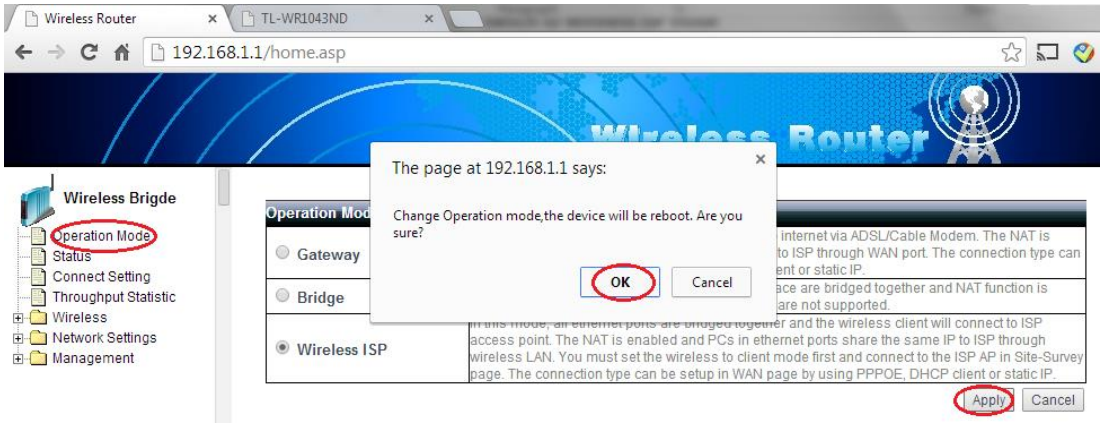

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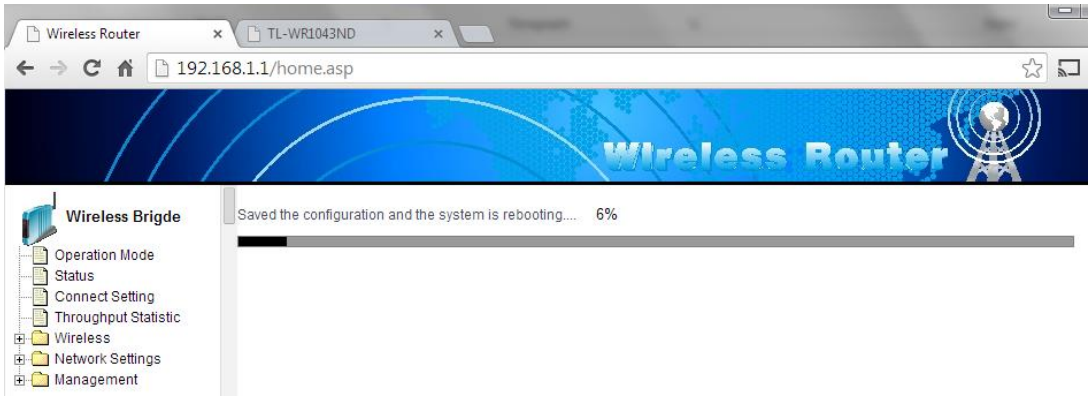
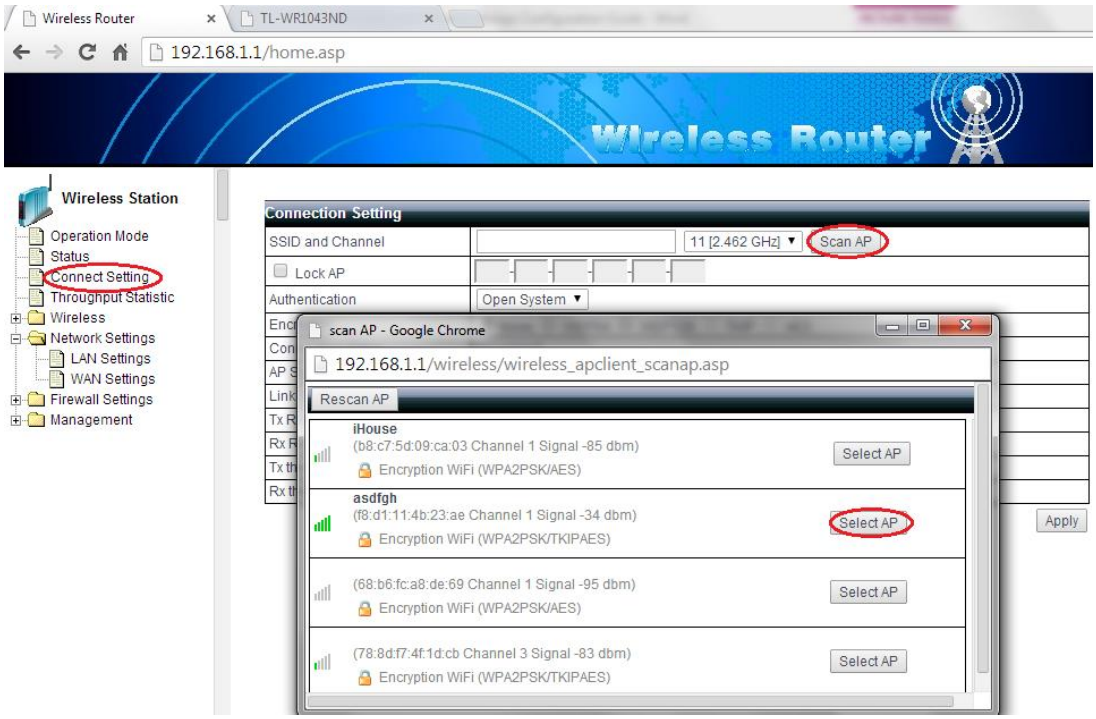
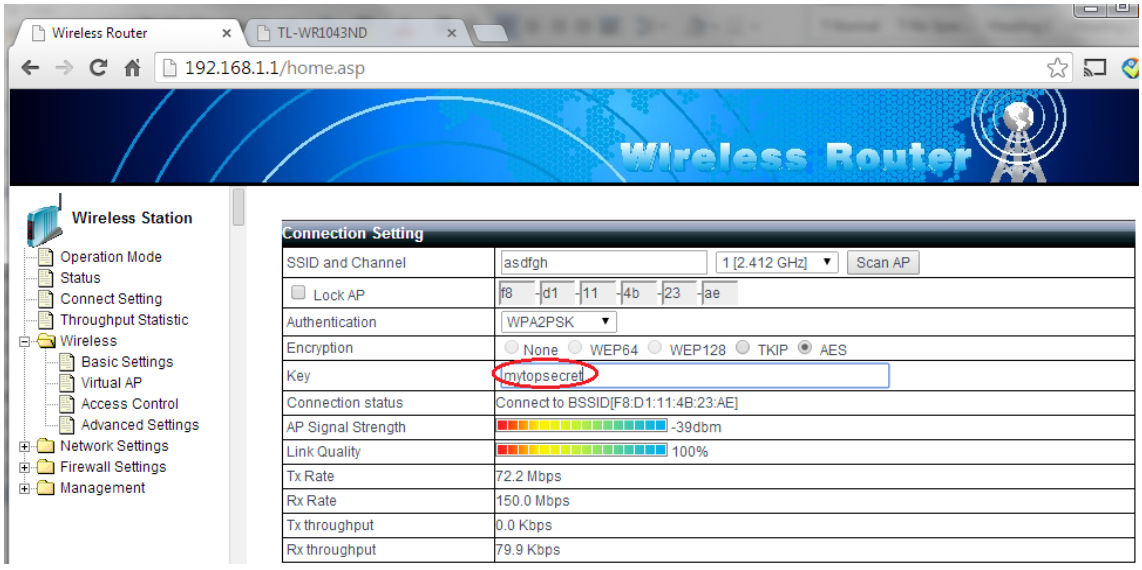


2. Wireless client setting

   In wireless ISP mode, the wireless router acts as a wireless client to the access point of the service provider. Click “Connect Setting” that leads to the connection setting page where all the wireless client related settings are configured. Click “ScanAP” and select the desired access point from the list as below:



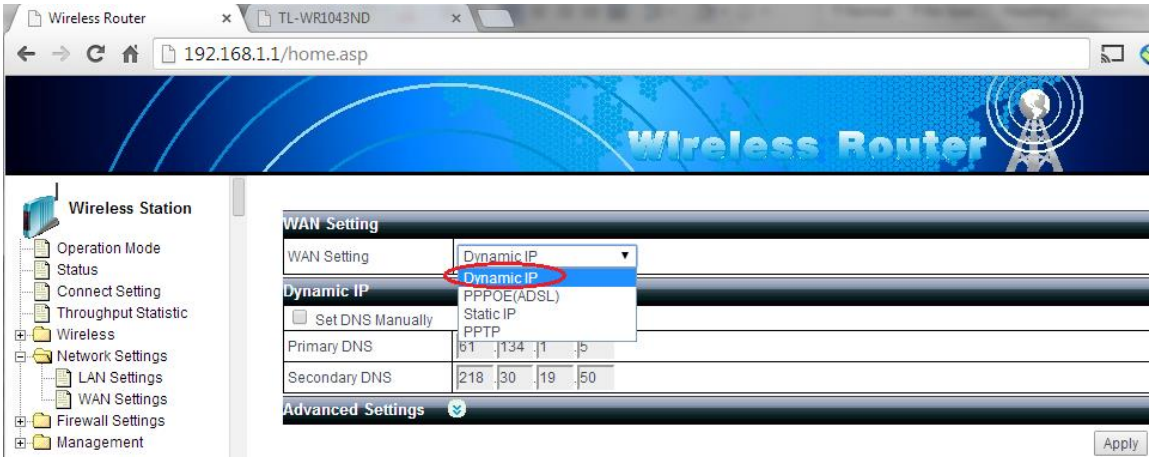
After you select the AP from the list, the Authentication field will be auto-populated accordingly. You just need to type in the password that is supplied by your service provider. After you click “Apply”, the system will reboot to make the change take effect. If the setting is correct, the wireless router should connect to the service provider access point like following:



3. WAN setting

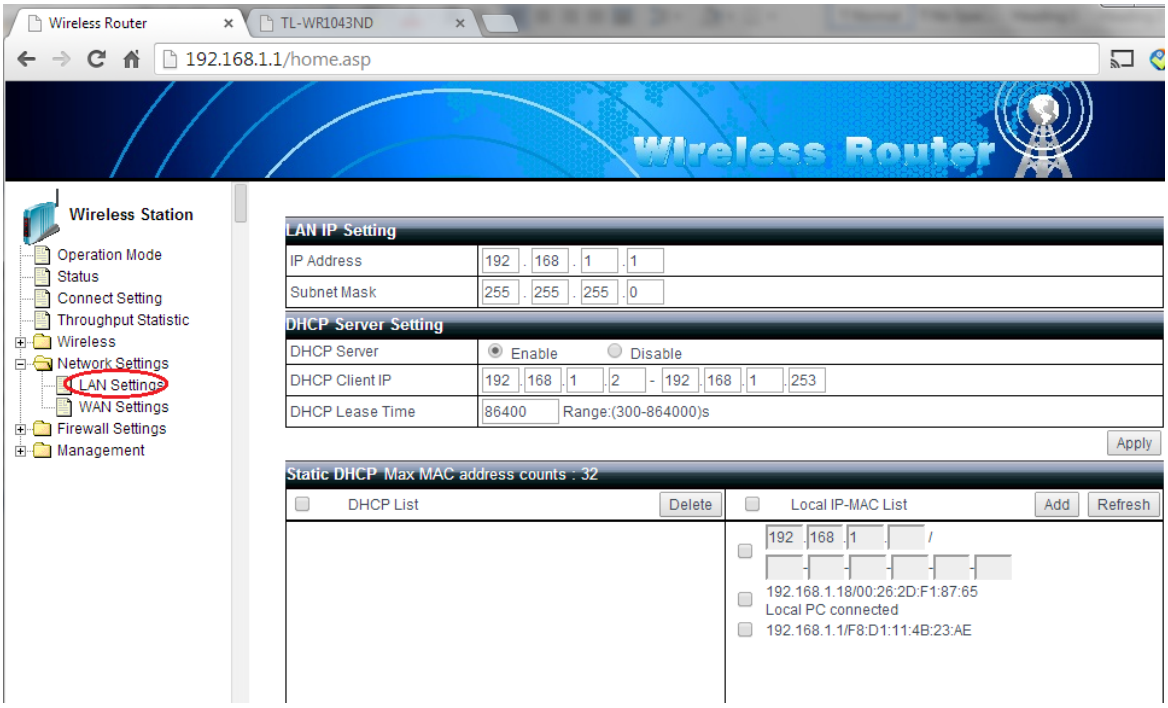
In wireless ISP mode, the WAN port refers to the logic port the wireless client uses to connect to the service provider. In other words, the WAN port of the wireless router is the only port visible from the service provider. Please keep it in mind that wireless router has NAT enabled by

default and all the PCs on the local network will share the WAN IP address to access Internet. In most case the default setting “dynamic IP” should work. But we can change it to static IP or PPPoE as well if needed.



4. LAN settings

LAN port is intended to connect all local PCs. Usually you need to enable DHCP server to automatically assign IP address to local PCs, like following:



5. Wireless settings

Settings in this section are used to control how local PCs, tablets or smarts phone connect to the wireless router using WiFi. The setting is the same as Gateway mode or Bridge mode. At a minimum, you need to configure the SSID(network name), region, authentication scheme

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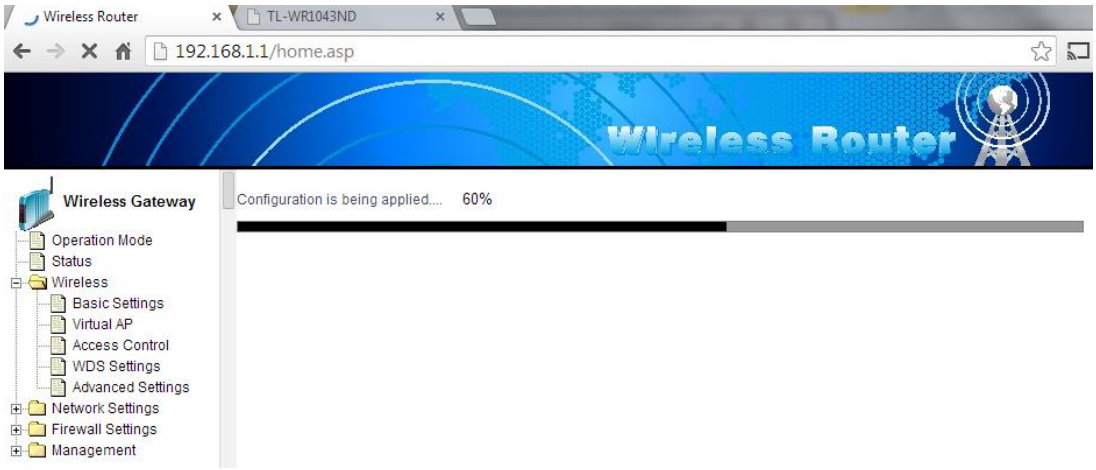

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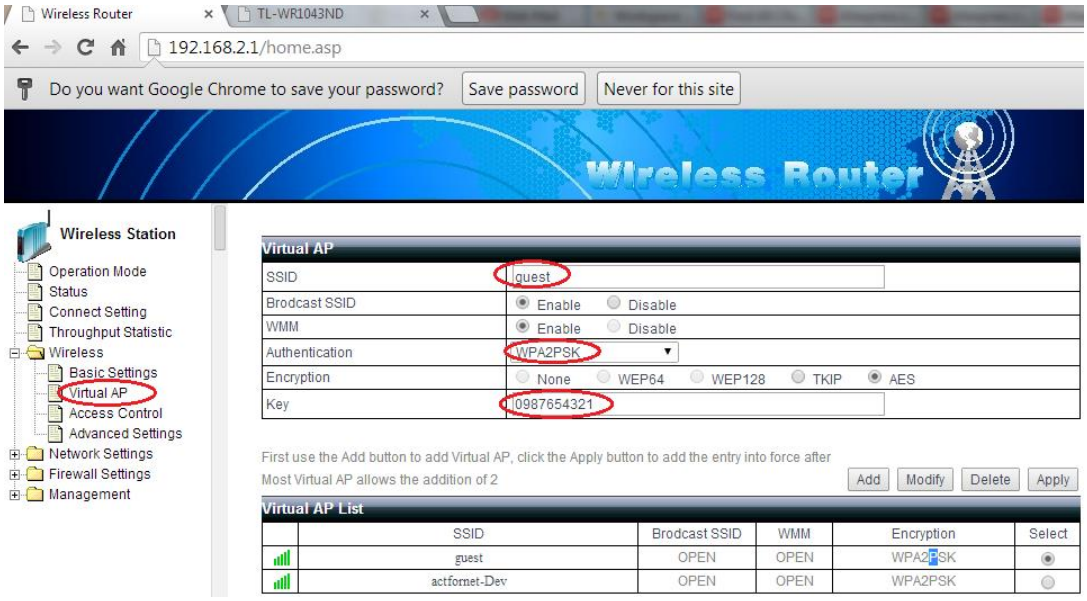

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