



Product Highlights

- Selectable Dual Band Connectivity for Increased Network Capacity
- Ideal for Indoor Deployments
- Periodical Key Change in WPA/WPA2- Personal



DAP-2553

Wireless N Dual Band PoE Access Point

Key Features

Multiple Operation Modes

- Access Point
- WDS (Wireless Distribution System) / Bridge
- Point-to-Point
- Point-to-Multiple-Points
- WDS with AP
- Wireless Client

High Performance Connectivity

- IEEE 802.11n Wireless
- Up to 300Mbps1

Trusted Security Features

- WPA2™ Enterprise/Personal
- WPA™ Enterprise/Personal
- WPA2 PSK/AES over WDS
- 64/128-bit WEP Encryption
- MAC Address Filtering
- 802.1X

Convenient Installation

• Supports 802.3af Power over Ethernet

Easy Management

- Web Browser (HTTP) & HTTPS
- Telnet
- SNMP v1, v2c, and v3
- AP Manager II
- SSH
- D-View 5.1 and 6.0
- AP Array

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• Wireless Scheduler

Overview

The D-Link DAP-2553 Wireless N Dual Band PoE Access Point provides businesses with a solution for deploying 802.11n local area networks (LANs). Designed specifically for business-class environments, this Access Point provides secure and manageable dual band wireless LAN options for network administrators.

Versatile Access Point

The DAP-2553 Wireless N Dual Band PoE Access Point allows network administrators to arrange a highly manageable and extremely robust dual band wireless network. All three detachable dual band antennas supply optimal wireless coverage in either 2.4GHz (802.11g and 802.11n) or 5GHz (802.11a and 802.11n) frequency bands. For advanced installations, this high-speed Access Point has integrated 802.3af Power over Ethernet (PoE) support, allowing installation of this device in areas where power outlets are not readily available.

Enhanced Performance

The DAP-2553 delivers reliable wireless performance with maximum wireless signal rates of up to 300Mbps in either the 2.4GHz or 5GHz wireless band. Support for the Wi-Fi Multimedia™ (WMM) Quality of Service feature, makes it an ideal access point for audio, video and voice applications. Additionally, this Access Point supports load balance features to ensure maximum performance.

Security

To help maintain a secure wireless network, it provides the latest in wireless security technologies by supporting both Personal and Enterprise versions of WPA and WPA2 (802.11i) with support for RADIUS server backend. This access point also includes MAC Address Filtering, Wireless LAN segmentation, Disable SSID Broadcast, Rogue AP Detection, and Wireless On/Off Scheduling to further protect your wireless network.



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Additionally, the DAP-2553 supports Network Access Protection (NAP), which is a feature of Microsoft® Windows Server 2008. NAP allows network administrators to define multiple levels of network access based on the needs of individual clients. If a client is identified outside of their access area, the client will be automatically brought back to their permitted network access level.

This Access Point includes support for up to 4 VLANs for implementing multiple service set identifiers (SSIDs) to further help segment users on the network. The DAP-2553 also includes a wireless client isolation mechanism to limit direct client-to-client communication.

Network Management

Network administrators have multiple options for managing the Wireless N Dual Band PoE Access Point including Web (HTTP), Secure Sockets Later (SSL, which provides for a secure connection to the Internet), Secure Shell (SSH, which provides for a secure channel between local and remote computers), and Telnet (bi-directional, eightbit byte oriented communications facility). For advanced network management, administrators can use the D-Link AP Manager II or D-View management module to configure and manage multiple access points from a single location. In addition to a streamlined management process, the AP Manager II or D-View software provides network administrators with the means of verifying and conducting regular maintenance checks without wasting resources by sending personnel out to physically verify proper operation. Also available is an AP Array, allowing the management of a set of network devices as a single group for easy configuration and deployment. In addition, the DAP-2553 has a wireless scheduler feature for power saving.

With the selectable dual band functionality, PoE support, extensive manageability, versatile operation modes, and solid security enhancements, the DAP-2553 wireless provides with a solution for deploying a wireless network in the workplace.

Multiple Operation Modes

The DAP-2553 can be configured to optimise network performance based on any one of its multiple operation modes: Access Point, Wireless Distribution System (WDS) with Access Point, WDS/Bridge (No AP Broadcasting) and Wireless Client. With WDS support, network administrators can set up multiple DAP-2553s throughout a facility and configure them to bridge with one another while also providing network access to individual clients. Also included are advanced features such as Spanning Tree Protocol support, which allows greater efficiency and avoids broadcast storms when used in WDS mode.



If the worst should happen to your network you need the very best support and fast. Downtime costs your business money. D-Link Assist maximises your uptime by solving technical problems quickly and effectively. Our highly trained technicians are on standby around the clock, ensuring that award-winning support is only a phone call away.

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Technical Specifications		
Standards	• IEEE 802.11n • IEEE 802.11g • IEEE 802.3af • IEEE 802.3	• IEEE 802.11a • IEEE 802.3ab • IEEE 802.3u
Network Management	Command Line Interface Telnet Secure (SSH) Telnet D-View 6.0 AP Array AP Manager II	 Web Browser interface HTTP - Secure HTTP (HTTPS) SNMP Support Private MIB
Security	 WPA™-Personal WPA2TM-Enterprise 64/128-bit WEP MAC Address Access Control 802.1X 	 WPATM-Enterprise WPA2[™]-Personal SSID Broadcast Disable Network Access Protection
Wireless Frequency Range ²	• 2.4GHz (2.4GHz to 2.4835GHz)	• 5GHz (5.15GHz to 5.35GHz and 5.47GHz to 5.85GHz)
Operating Modes	Access Point (AP) WDS with AP	WDS Wireless Client
Maximum Transmit Output Power ³	• 21dBm @ 2.4GHz	• 20dBm @5GHz
Dipole Antenna Gain	• 3dBi@2.4GHz	• 5dBi@5GHz
LEDs	• Power • LAN	• 5GHz • 2.4GHz
Operating Voltage	• 5V2.5A (power adapter not included)	• 48VDC +/- 10% for PoE
Temperature	• Operating: 32°F to 104°F (0°C to 40°C)	• Storing: -4°F to 149°F (-20°C to 65°C)
Humidity	• Operating: 10% ~ 90% (Non-condensing)	• Storing: 5% ~ 95% (Non-condensing)
Certifications	•FCC •CE •C-Tick •IC •CSA •Wi-Fi®	
Weight	• 0.9 lbs (400g)	
Dimensions (WxLxH)	• 198 x 120 x 32 mm	



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Maximum wireless signal rate derived from IEEE Standard 802.11g, 802.11a, and 802.11n specifications. Actual data throughput will vary.

Network conditions and environmental factors, including volume of network traffic, building materials and construction, and network overhead, lower actual data throughput rate.

Environmental factors will adversely affect wireless signal range.

Please note that operating frequency ranges vary depending on the regulations of individual countries and jurisdictions. The DAP-2553 may not be supported in the 5.25~5.35 GHz and 5.47~5.725 GHz frequency ranges in certain regions.

All references to speed and range are for comparison purposes only. Product specifications, size, and shape are subject to change without notice, and actual product appearance may differ from that depicted herein.

The maximum transmit power is available with 2 antennas. The value for 1 antenna is 18dBm @ 2.4GHz and 17dBm @ 5GHz.