

## What is Port Forwarding?

Port forwarding allows a remote device to connect to a local LAN device through a specific port or port range. Subscribers can forward traffic from the WAN source to a local LAN device based on a port or range of port addresses.

NOTE: Certain ports are reserved for system use and cannot be mapped individually. These ports include 8080, 30005, and 30006.

| Port Forwa                 | rding                 |                    |                           |                     |  |
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| Advanced- Security – Port Forwarding Field Definitions |   |                 |           |   |  |  |  |
|--|---|-----------------|-----------|---|--|--|--|
| Label  | Definition  | Field<br>Type   | Editable? | Allowable Values/Defaults               |  |  |  |
| Port Forwarding Rules List                             |   |                 |           |   |  |  |  |
| New  | Create a new association<br>between a remote device and a<br>local LAN device through a<br>specified port or port range | Radio<br>Button | Yes       | Click to create a new port association  |  |  |  |
|  | Port Forwarding Rules List  |                 |           |   |  |  |  |
| Local LAN Ports  | Number or range of numbers for the local LAN port   | Info<br>Only    | No        | N/A                                     |  |  |  |
| Local LAN IP<br>Address                                | IP address of the local device  | Info<br>Only    | No        | N/A                                     |  |  |  |
| Protocol   | Protocol used to connect<br>between local and remote<br>devices   | Info<br>Only    | No        | N/A                                     |  |  |  |
| Remote Ports   | Number or range of numbers for remote port  | Info<br>Only    | No        | N/A                                     |  |  |  |
| Remote IP<br>Address                                   | Remote IP address or all IP<br>addresses associated with the<br>remote port   | Info<br>only    | No        | N/A                                     |  |  |  |
| Remove   | Remove the port forwarding association  | Radio<br>Button | Yes       | Click Remove to discard the association |  |  |  |





| Create New Ass  | ociation:          |     |   |  |
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| Local Port and I  | P: Clear Fiel      | ds  |   |  |
| Device:   | Wireless_Router    | r i | • |  |
| IP Address  | E.                 |     |   |  |
| Protocol:   | TCP -              |     |   |  |
| Port Start:   | 1 - 65535          |     |   |  |
| Port End:   | 1 - 65535          |     |   |  |
| Remote Port and   | d IP: Clear Fie    | ds  |   |  |
| All IP Addr   | esses              | ds  |   |  |
| <ul> <li>All IP Addr</li> <li>IP Address</li> </ul>   | esses              | ds  |   |  |
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| <ul> <li>All IP Addr</li> <li>IP Address</li> <li>Port Start:</li> <li>Port End:</li> </ul> | esses<br>1 - 65535 | ds  |   |  |





| Advanced- Security - Create New Association Port Forwarding Field Definitions |  |  |           |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| Label   | Definition   | Field<br>Type  | Editable? | Allowable Values/Defaults  |  |  |  |
| Local Port and IP   |  |  |           |  |  |  |  |
| Clear Fields  | Clears the Local Port and IP fields to allow a new association to be created   | Action<br>Button   | Yes       | Click to clear previously<br>entered data  |  |  |  |
| Device  | Select the local LAN device to<br>be connected to the remote<br>device   | "Device"<br>button<br>with a<br>drop-<br>down list<br>of devices | Yes       | Radio button with drop-down<br>list of currently connected<br>local devices.<br>Default: Device is selected but<br>drop-down list is blank until<br>devices are added. |  |  |  |
| IP Address  | Select "IP Addresses" to display<br>a field to enter an IP address for<br>association with the local device  | Radio<br>Button<br>with<br>numeric IP<br>Address<br>field        | Yes       | Click to enter IP Address (dot<br>delimited xx.xx.xx.xx)<br>Default: Not selected  |  |  |  |
| Protocol  | Protocol used to connect<br>between local and remove<br>devices  | Drop-<br>down list   | Yes       | TCP, UDP, TCP/UDP<br>Default: TCP  |  |  |  |
| Port Start  | Enter the number of the local port association's specified start port  | Numeric  | Yes       | 1-65535<br>Default: Null   |  |  |  |
| Port End  | Enter the number of the local port association's specified end port  | Numeric  | Yes       | 1-65535<br>Default: Null   |  |  |  |
|   | Remote   | Port and IP  |           |  |  |  |  |
| Clear Fields  | Clears the Remote Port and IP<br>fields to allow a new association<br>to be created  | Action<br>Button   | Yes       | Click to clear previously entered data   |  |  |  |
| All IP Addresses  | Select "All IP Addresses" to<br>associate all remote IP<br>addresses with a specified port<br>or range of ports  | Radio<br>Button  | Yes       | Choose between associating<br>all IP addresses or a specific IP<br>address for creating a port<br>forwarding rule (association)<br>Default: Selected                   |  |  |  |
| IP Address  | Select "IP Address" to display a<br>field to enter an IP address for<br>association with the local device  | Radio<br>Button<br>with<br>numeric IP<br>Address<br>field        | Yes       | Click radio button to enter an<br>IP address (dot delimited<br>xx.xx.xx.xx)<br>Default: Not Selected   |  |  |  |
| Port Start  | Enter the number of the remote port association's specified start port   | Numeric  | Yes       | 1-65535<br>Default: Null   |  |  |  |
| Port End  | Enter the number of the remote port association's specified end port   | Numeric  | Yes       | 1-65535<br>Default: Null   |  |  |  |
| Apply/Cancel  | "Apply" radio button applies<br>and saves the "Create New<br>Association" settings or<br>"Cancel" radio button cancels<br>the "Create New Association"<br>settings | Action<br>Buttons  | Yes       | Click Apply to apply and save<br>changes. Click Cancel to<br>remove port association.  |  |  |  |

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