LDF 2

The LDF (Lite dish feed) is an outdoor wireless system with a built-in antenna, meant to be installed on satellite offset dish antennas.

Assembly

The device is compatible with standard offset dishes, commonly used for satellite television. The offset mount is universal at 40 mm diameter, and the LDF can easily be placed inside it. To attach the Ethernet cable to the LDF unit, follow these steps:

1. Assemble all components as shown in the illustration. If using pre-made cables, cut the rubber seal on one side, to put it onto the cable. Self crimped cables should be crimped after the seal is on the cable;
2. Connect Ethernet cable to Ethernet connector on LDF;
3. Attach Housing nut to LDF body by rotating clockwise;
4. Slide rubber seal into housing nut, then close the waterproof gland by turning compression nut clockwise.

Assembling on dish

Please ensure to mount the LDF unit on the offset mount in the proper position as shown in the picture to the right. Unit facing upwards to the dish.

The dish will act as a reflector, amplifying the signal. The final position of your assembly should be placed and installed on the pole or wall as shown on the picture to the left.
Mounting

The IP rating scale for this device is IP54.

The Device designed to use outdoors, please ensure that any cable openings are directed downwards. Use POE injector with Cat6 cable. Installation infrastructure (towers and masts), as well as the router itself, to be properly grounded.

*Warning! This equipment should be installed and operated with a minimum distance of 40 cm between the device and your body. Operation of this equipment in the residential environment could cause radio interference.*

Powering

The device accepts 10-28 V DC input from passive Power over Ethernet injectors. The device does not work with IEEE802.3af compliant 48 V power injectors. A PoE injector is included in the package.

Maximum power consumption 7 W.

Connecting to a PoE Adapter:

1. Connect the Ethernet cable from the device to the PoE+DATA port of the PoE adapter;
2. Connect an Ethernet cable from your local network (LAN) to the PoE adapter;
3. Connect the power cord to the adapter, and then plug the power cord into a power outlet.

First steps

1. Connect an Ethernet cable to the Ethernet port, connect the other end of the Ethernet cable to a PoE injector. Plug the PoE injector into your PC or into your local network switch. Plug the power adapter into the PoE injector to start your device.
2. Set your computer IP configuration to automatic (DHCP).
3. Once connected to the network, open http://192.168.88.1 in your web browser to start configuration, since there is no password by default, you will be logged in automatically.
4. We recommend clicking the “Check for updates” button and updating your RouterOS software to the latest version to ensure the best performance and stability.
5. Choose your country and to apply country regulation settings and set up your password on the screen that loads.
6. Depending on the antenna used, you must set its gain in the RouterOS software to ensure that EIRP meets the limit set by the local authorities. This is done in the Wireless menu:
   - Click on the “WebFig” tab;
   - Choose “Wireless” on the left side menu;
   - Click on the interface;
   - Enter “Antenna Gain” in the field;
   - Click OK.

Configuration

Once logged in, we recommend clicking the “Check for updates” button in the QuickSet menu, as updating your RouterOS software to the latest version ensures the best performance and stability. For wireless models, please make sure you have selected the country where the device will be used, to conform with local regulations.

RouterOS includes many configuration options in addition to what is described in this document. We suggest starting here to get yourself accustomed to the possibilities: [http://mt.lv/help](http://mt.lv/help). In case IP connection is not available, the Winbox tool ([http://mt.lv/winbox](http://mt.lv/winbox)) can be used to connect to the MAC address of the device from the LAN side (all access is blocked from the Internet port by default).

For recovery purposes, it is possible to boot the device for reinstallation, see section [Buttons and Jumpers](http://mt.lv/help).
Extension slots and ports

- Integrated wireless 2.4 GHz, 802.11b/g/n.
- One Ethernet port, supporting automatic cross/straight cable correction (Auto MDI/X), so you can use either straight or cross-over cables for connecting to other network devices.

Buttons and jumpers

The reset button has three functions:

- Hold this button during boot time until LED light starts flashing, release the button to reset RouterOS configuration (total 5 seconds);
- Keep holding for 5 more seconds, LED turns solid, release now to turn on CAP mode. The device will now look for a CAPsMAN server (total 10 seconds);
- Or Keep holding the button for 5 more seconds until LED turns off, then release it to make the RouterBOARD look for Netinstall servers (total 15 seconds);

Regardless of the above option used, the system will load the backup RouterBOOT loader if the button is pressed before power is applied to the device. Useful for RouterBOOT debugging and recovery.

Specifications

For more information about this product, specifications, pictures, downloads and test results please visit our webpage: [https://mikrotik.com/product/ldf_2](https://mikrotik.com/product/ldf_2)

Safety Warnings

Before you work on any equipment, be aware of the hazards involved with electrical circuitry and be familiar with standard practices for preventing accidents.

Read the installation instructions before connecting the system to the power source.

This equipment is to be installed by trained and qualified personnel, as per these installation instructions. The installer is responsible for obtaining any required local or national safety inspections of the structural integrity of the installation by the local authority/inspection department.

All installation methods for mounting an access point on any wall surface is subject to the acceptance of local jurisdiction.

The Installation of the equipment must comply with local and national electrical codes.

This unit is intended to be mounted outdoors on a pole. Please read the mounting instructions carefully before beginning installation. **Failure to use the correct hardware and configuration or to follow the correct procedures could result in a hazardous situation to people and damage to the system.**

We cannot guarantee that no accidents or damage will occur due to the improper use of the device. Please use this product with care and operate at your own risk.

Operating system support

The device supports RouterOS software version 6. The specific factory-installed version number is indicated in the RouterOS menu `/system resource`. Other operating systems have not been tested.
Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement

FCC ID TV7LDF2ND

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation.

This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

FCC Caution: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This device and its antenna must not be co-located or operation in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

IMPORTANT: Exposure to Radio Frequency Radiation.

40 cm minimum distance has to be maintained between the antenna and the occupational user. Under such configuration, the FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an population/uncontrolled environment can be satisfied.

Antenna Installation. WARNING: It is installer's responsibility to ensure that when using the authorized antennas in the United States (or where FCC rules apply); only those antennas certified with the product are used. The use of any antenna other than those certified with the product is expressly forbidden in accordance to FCC rules CFR47 part 15.204. The installer should configure the output power level of antennas, according to country regulations and per antenna type. Professional installation is required of equipment with connectors to ensure compliance with health and safety issues.

List of approved antennas:

- 25 dBi Dish Winegard model: DS2076
Industry Canada

This device complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence. L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes : (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

IMPORTANT: Exposure to Radio Frequency Radiation.

This equipment complies with the IC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with a minimum distance of 40 cm between the radiator and any part of your body.

Cet équipement est conforme aux limites d'exposition au rayonnement IC définies pour un environnement non contrôlé. Cet équipement doit être installé et utilisé à une distance minimale de 40 cm entre le radiateur et toute partie de votre corps.

CAN ICES-3 (B)/NMB-3(B)

This radio transmitter 7442A-LDF2ND has been approved by Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada to operate with the antenna types listed below, with the maximum permissible gain indicated. Antenna types not included in this list that have a gain greater than the maximum gain indicated for any type listed are strictly prohibited for use with this device.

List of approved antennas:

- 25 dBi Dish antenna, Winegard Model: DS2076
CE Declaration of Conformity

Manufacturer: Mikrotikls SIA, Brivibas gatve 214i Riga, Latvia, LV1039.

This equipment complies with EU radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance of 40 cm between the radiator and your body. In RouterOS you must specify your country, to make sure local wireless regulations are observed.

MPE statement

This equipment complies with EU radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance of 40 cm between the radiator and your body. In RouterOS you must specify your country, to make sure local wireless regulations are observed.

Frequency bands terms of use

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* It is the customer’s responsibility to follow local country regulations, including operation within legal frequency channels, output power, cabling requirements, and Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) requirements. All Mikrotik radio devices must be professionally installed!

Note: Information contained here is subject to change. Please visit the product page on www.mikrotik.com for the most up to date version of this document.
Connect the power adapter to open the device. Open 192.168.88.1 in your web browser, to configure it. More information on http://mt.lv/help-en


RU: Подключите адаптер питания, чтобы включить устройство. Откройте 192.168.88.1 в своем веб-браузере для конфигурации. Дополнительная информация http://mt.lv/help-ru

CN: 连接电源适配器以打开设备。在Web浏览器中打开 192.168.88.1。有关 http://mt.lv/help-zh 的更多信息

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