

NIO200 HAG - WirelessHART All-in-One Gateway - User Guide

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1 General Information

1.1 Document Purpose

The purpose of this document is to provide instructions for using WirelessHART Monitoring Control System (MCS) and to provide information about the NEXCOM NIO200HAG WirelessHART All-In-One Gateway as well as instructions on how to configure certain settings.

1.2 Definitions, Acronyms and Abbreviations

The following table lists definitions, acronyms, and abbreviations that are only suitable to this document.

Term	Description
AP	Access Point
CSV	Comma Separated Values: A method to store data that is separated by "comma" so that it can be easily read and processed by Win32 and Unix programs
GW	Gateway
Нор	A hop describes the data being passed from one device to another as a means to lengthen the transmit distance
MCS	Monitoring Control System
NM	Network Manager
NIO200HAG	NIO 200HAG – NEXCOM WirelessHART All-in-One Gateway

2 Product Overview

2.1 About the NIO200 HAG Gateway

The NIO200HAG Gateway is industrial wireless-enabled computer designed to enable customers to deliver market leading wireless solutions. The WirelessHART Monitoring Control System is a web application that runs on NIO200 HAG Gateway enables users to remotely view and configure their WirelessHART network. The MCS runs on the NIO200HAG and gives users with proper rights control over the network, including the means to monitor the topology, set up data transmissions, and control the processes that take place in the network.

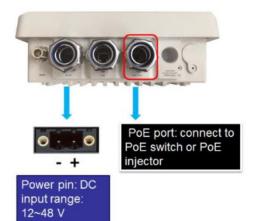
2.2 Logical Interfaces

Interface	Description	
Serial Port	The serial port is used as a kernel console and emergency backup.	
ТСР	The NIO200HAG Gateway accepts the following TCP connections. The NIO200HAG Gateway has an http server listening on port 80. The NIO200HAG Gateway has an http server listening on port 8080. The NIO200HAG Gateway has an https server listening on port 443. The MODBUS TCP server is listening on TCP port 502.	
UDP	The NIO200HAG Gateway utilizes the NTP protocol to synchronize time with Internet time servers. The UDP port 123 must be open in both directions to allow time synchronization.	

NOTE: Not all interfaces are guaranteed to be up in all cases. Some might be disabled for specific applications.

3 Hardware Installation

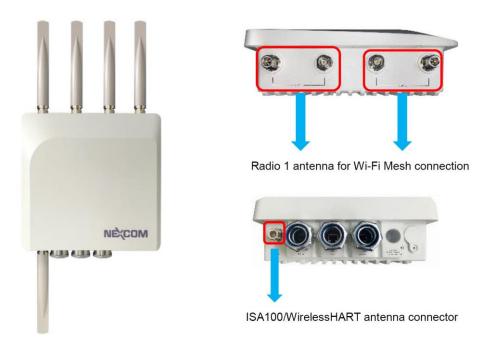
3.1 Power-up NIO200HAG



- Prepare DC power source (12~48 VDC) or standard PoE facility such PoE swtich or PoE injector.
- If use external DC power source, please carefully check if the polarity of power cord fits the polarity drawing in this diagram.
- When use PoE power source, just plug in the Ethernet cable

If the power connects correctly, then the "Power LED" will lit accordingly.

3.2 Connect Wi-Fi Antennas



4 Getting Started

4.1 NIO200HAG Gateway

The web-based administration is the **preferred** method to administer/configure the NIO200HAG Gateway. It requires a web browser and the IP of the NIO200HAG Gateway. The NIO200HAG Gateway must be connected to the local LAN then powered on, and the IP/mask or the router must be accessible from the PC where the browser is running.

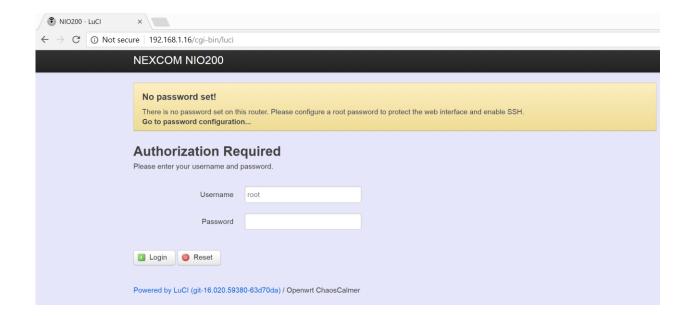
4.2 Connecting to the NIO200HAG Gateway

The NIO200HAG is pre-configured a static IP address **192.168.1.1** for connection directly to a computer. In order to communicate with the NIO200HAG, the user must temporarily set the computer IP address to a static address (**192.168.1.100** for example) and may use an Ethernet cross-over cable to connect the NIO200HAG to the computer.

4.3 Accessing NIO200 Admin website

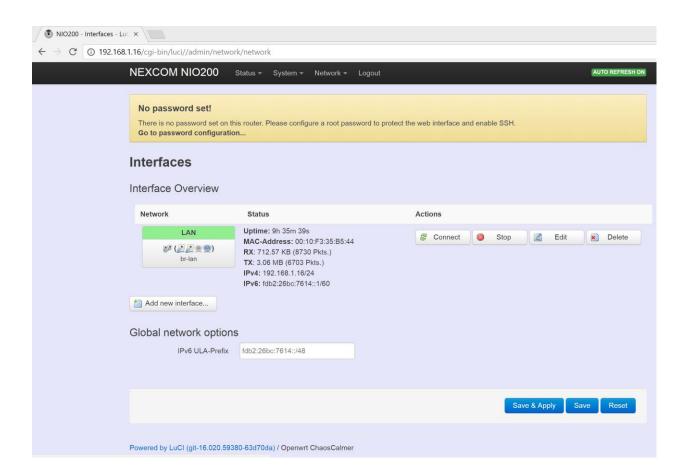
Once the communication has been established with the NIO200HAG, the user can log in the NIO200 Admin website to change the network configuration, including its IP address. To the access this website:

- In browser, open a connection to http://192.168.1.1/ (or the user defined IP Address)
- Admin website requires authentication, the default *username* and *password* are *root* and *admin*.



4.4 Configuring the IP Address

The IP Address can be changed in Network>Interfaces page. The user must click "Save" or "Click Save and Apply" when done.



4.5 Configuring the NTP settings

The NTP Settings can be changed in System page. The user must click "Save" or "Click Save and Apply" when done. It is strongly recommended to have access to the Internet in order to allow the NTP client configured on the HAG to synchronize with external time servers present online. WIRELESSHART mandates the existence of a master source clock exists in each network. In this implementation this role is fulfilled by the Network Manager through the NTP application running on the device.

4.6 Monitoring Control System

WIRELESSHART specific network management and configuration takes place into the Monitoring Control System (MCS). Steps to access the MCS:

Step	Action
1.	Open the following URL: http:// <nio200hag_ip>:8080/ replacing <nio200hag_ip> with NIO 200HAG Gateway IP.</nio200hag_ip></nio200hag_ip>
	Once the address is accessed, the login screen appears, as shown in the Figure 4.
2.	Type the following user name and password in the Login fields:
	Username: the username provided.
	Password: use the password provided.
	Note: the default username and password are admin and adminadmin.
3.	Click the Login button.



Figure 1

5 Home page

Once the credentials are entered and access is granted, the browser will display the Device List by default.

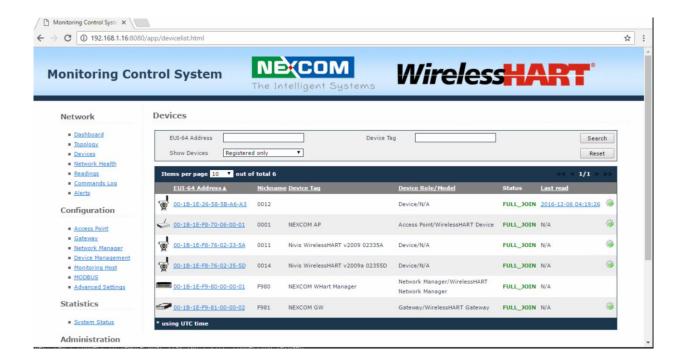


Figure 2

The user interface consists of two sections:

- > The menus on the left, which allow you to navigate through the pages of the website
- > The main section, which displays the contents of the selected page

6 Administration for the Network Devices

The Network section provides information about various network tasks accessed from the Monitoring Control System Webpage.



6.1 Dashboard

The **Dashboard** page is a report zone that allows you to monitor reading variations for selected devices. The Dashboard consists in a series of panes added by the user, which provide a visual representation of the information published by selected devices on selected channels.

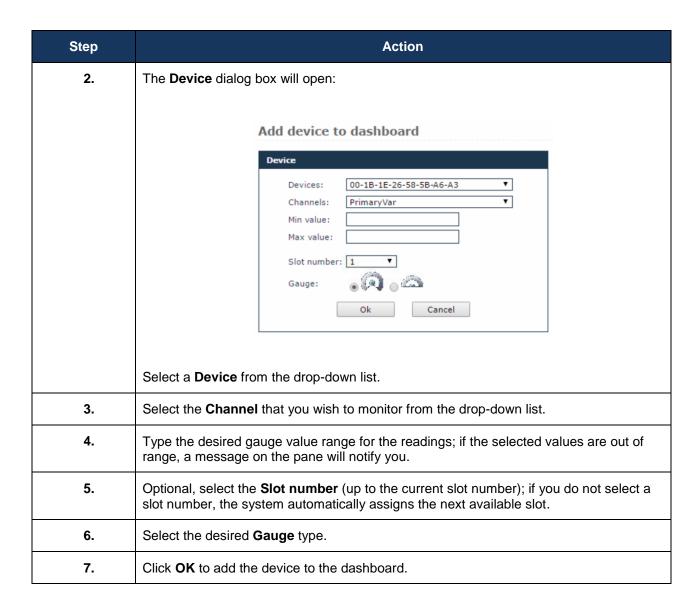
The information is refreshed automatically at regular intervals (10 seconds, 30 seconds, or 1 minute).



To delete a device from the dashboard, click 🗵 in the top right corner of the pane. No confirmation is required for the system to delete the pane.

To add a device to the dashboard, perform the following steps:

Step	Action	
1.	Click on the Add Device button.	



NOTE:

- You can also add a reading to the dashboard from the Device Details page: in the Information pane, click the **Add to dashboard (ATD)** icon an ext to a reading.
- > Up to 9 devices are supported in the dashboard.

6.2 Topology

The **Topology** page displays a graphical representation of the current network topology as well as allows users to view data about contracts and devices.



When you load the page, the topology graph is generated based on the latest topology information available. The system continuously updates this information in the background based on notifications sent by the Network Manager on network topology changes (device registering/leaving the network). The time of the last topology information update is indicated at the top of the page. To view the latest topology, press *Refresh*.

The **registered** devices are displayed on multiple levels represented as grey bands. The levels are numbered from 0 to n, where n is a natural number. The level number is indicated in the upper left corner of a level. The Gateway, the Network Manager, and the Access Point are found on level 0. For the field devices, the level represents the number of hops from device to Access Point on the clock source graph. A **hop** is a term used to describe the data being passed from one device to another as a means to lengthen the transmit distance.

Communication-wise, field devices are linked directly or via other devices to the Access Point, which is the central device in the RF network. The Access Point further relays to the Gateway, while the

Network Manager organizes the entire network. The field devices can have various sensors attached: temperature sensors, humidity sensors, etc.

The devices are identified in the topology by the last four characters of their EUI-64 address. For easier identification, the Access Point, the Gateway, and the Network Manager are identified with the abbreviations AP, GW, and NM. The devices are placed within a level in the order of their EUI64 address. They can be moved freely within the range of their level by *drag-and-drop* to obtain better legibility of the topology.

In addition, they are represented by suggestive icons and against backgrounds of different colors, to distinguish their roles:

- Gateway purple background
- Access Point light green
- Network Manager dark green
- Field devices blue

By positioning the cursor over an icon, you can view the tooltip, which includes the following details for a device:

- the EUI-64 address.
- the device role,
- · the device tag,
- the manufacturer,
- the model.

The available Topology page elements and viewing options are described in the following paragraphs.

Adjusting Width and Height

You can adjust the size of the topology representation using the buttons and for height and weight.

You can also adjust the height and weight to the size of the Topology pane by clicking Fit, or revert to the original viewing settings by clicking Normal.

Links

To show the links between devices, check the "Links" option located above the topology graph (This option is checked by default when the page is loaded).

When the page is loaded for the first time, the Access Point is selected and its links to the devices and to the Gateway are shown as black lines.

- 1. To show the links for a particular device, click on that device in the topology graph, or select the device in the drop-down list located on top of the Topology pane.
- 2. To view all the other links formed between the network devices, check the *Show all links* option. This option is unchecked by default.
- 3. To view the RSQI signal values next to each link, check the *Show signal quality* option. For more information about the signal see section Settings.

Services

To view the services for a selected device:

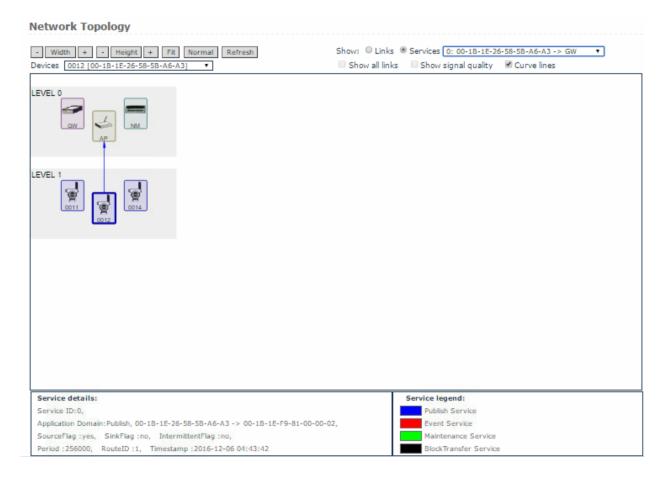
- 1. Check the "Services" option located at the top of the topology graph,
- 2. Choose a device by clicking on it in the topology graph or by selecting it in the Devices drop down list located above the graph,
- 3. In the Services drop-down list you will view the selected device's inbound and outbound services with the Network Manager and the Gateway.

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- a. To view all the inbound services for the selected device, click *Inbound* in the drop-down list.
- b. To view all the outbound services for the selected device on the graph, click *Outbound* in the drop-down list.
- c. To view a single service, select it in the list. There are four types of services, which are represented by differently colored lines:
 - Blue for publish services
 - Red for event services
 - Green for maintenance services
 - Black for block transfer services

The Services legend located in the lower right corner of the Topology page also indicates how the types of services and links are represented.

Note: A device can have multiple services with the same NM or GW at the same time.



Service details

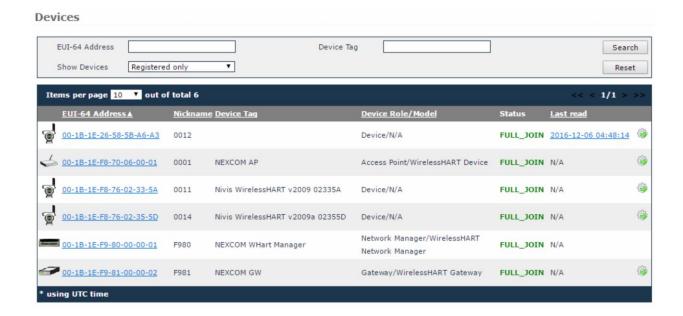
In addition, when you select a service, information about the service parameters will be shown in the Service details section at the bottom of the page.

The service information includes the following parameters:

- Service ID the service identifier based on the service owner,
- Application domain the type of service,
- Source/destination device the EUI64 address of the source device, and the destination device respectively,
- SourceFlag indicates if selected device is the source of the communication,
- SinkFlag indicates if selected device is the destination of the communication. If both SourceFlag and SinkFlag are set, indicate a bidirectional communication between selected device and the destination of service.
- IntermittentFlag indicates if the service is used for acyclic/intermit communication,
- Period the frequency for generating packets for cyclic communication (burst messages),
- RouteID the ID of the route assigned to the service (each service having one Route ID assigned by Network Manager,
- Timestamp the time and date the service was created.

6.3 Devices

The devices page features the list of devices that exist in the network and a search form that enables you to search devices based on their EUI-64 address, tag and/or state.



6.3.1. Search devices

When the device page is loaded, the registered devices are displayed by default.

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1. Search by EUI-64 address

To search a device by its EUI-64 address, type the address in the EUI-64 Address input field and click *Search*.

For partial search:

- a. Type part of the EUI-64 address in the EUI-64 Address input field
- b. Select the desired state from the Show Devices drop -down list and click Search. The system will

retrieve all the devices whose EUI-64 addresses contain the characters provided by the user. To delete the search parameters, click *Reset*.

2. Search by device tag:

A tag is a custom description that you can assign to a device in order to facilitate identification of that device in the plant. One tag can be assigned to a single device.

To search for devices based on their tag, type the tag in the Device Tag input field, and click *Search*. *Note that the tag field is case sensitive*.

To delete the search parameters, click Reset.

3. Search by device state only:

To display devices based on their state at a given time, select the desired state from the Show Devices drop-down list. The device list will update automatically.

You can choose between two states:

- Registered the device has successfully joined the network and is ready to operate,
- Unregistered the device has lost connection with its neighbors in the network.

6.3.2. Device List

The **Device list** shows the network devices in a table, one item per line, with main information about each **logical** device:

- EUI-64 address (the MAC address),
- Nickname the short address,
- Device tag,
- Device role (Gateway, Network Manager, Access Point, Field Router) and model (manufacturer information),
- Status ("Full Join" for registered devices; "Not Joined" for unregistered devices), and
- Last Read (the date and time of the last reading from the device) and a link to the Readings
 page for the device in question.

In addition, the device list provides a quick link to the Run Commands page for that specific device.

When you load the page, the registered devices are displayed by default. In order to v iew unregistered devices, select "Unregistered only" in the Show Devices drop-down list.

The total number of rows in the table is indicated in the top left corner of the table. Here you can set the number of items to be displayed per page in the table. The default number is 10. Paging controls in the top right corner of the table also enable you to navigate through the other pages of the table.

6.3.3. Delete a device

In the devices page you have the option of deleting an unregistered device. When you delete a device, it will be removed from the network and any related data, including previous readings, will be deleted from the database.

To delete the device, click the icon located next to the device. The system will require confirmation to perform the action. Click **OK** to delete the device or **Cancel** to abort the action.

6.4 Device Details

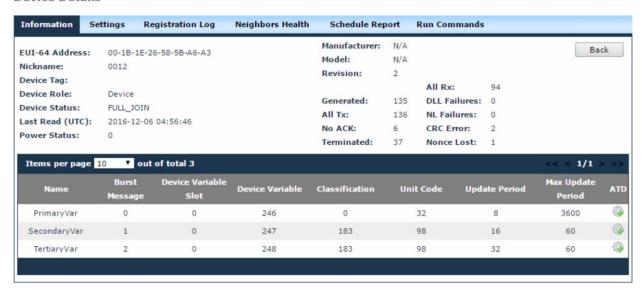
In this page you can see all the information available for the selected device and perform devicespecific commands. The page is accessed by clicking on the device EUI-64 address in the device list.

The page is organized into several tabbed panes by types of information and also features a Back button to allow you to quickly revert to the Devices page.

6.4.1 Information

The Information pane displays general as well as activity specific information about the device. When the page is loaded, it shows the latest information available.

Device Details



The following details are shown in addition to those already indicated in the device list:

- ➤ Manufacturer the name of the device manufacturer,
- ➤ Model the model/type of the device,
- ➤ Revision the radio firmware version,
- ➤ Power Status not available in the current version,
- ➤ Data transmission statistics the number of transmitted/received packages and the number of failed transmissions/receptions,
- Burst messages the definition of burst messages that the device will publish to the Gateway.

Burst messages

Burst messages are used to publish data to applications, in general to the Gateway, which is the entity providing access to the WirelessHART network and caching the data reported by devices. The information about defined burst messages is displayed in a table with the following related information:

- Name a user friendly name assigned to the published variable,
- Burst Message the value can be between 0 and 2, indicating the number of burst message out of 3 burst messages currently supported by devices,
- Device Variable Slot the value indicates the position of the variable in the burst packet,
- Device Variable will have one of the values described in Common Table 34 Device Variable
 Code from HCF_Spec-183 specification document,
- Classification will have one of the values described in Common Table 21 Device Variable
 Classification Codes from HCF_Spec-183 specification document,
- Unit Code will have one of the values described in Common Table 2 Engineering Unit Codes from HCF_Spec-183 specification document,
- Update Period the value set through Command 103 at the configuration of burst message,
- Max Update Period the value set through Command 103.

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6.4.2 Settings

The settings reflect the current operation of the WIRELESSHART stack on a device.

The type of information displayed in this pane includes neighbor details, routes and graph details:

Device Details



Services

The Services section lists all the services for the selected device in a table, with the following information:

- Service the service ID,
- Peer the destination device for the selected device,
- Application Domain the service type (publish; event; maintenance; block transfer),
- Is Source indicates whether the selected device is the source of the communication,
- Is Sink indicates whether the selected device is the destination of the communication,
- Is Intermittent indicates whether the communication on the service in question is intermittent on not,
- Period the publishing period on the service in question,
- Route indicates the ID of the route of which the selected device is the source.

Routes

The Routes section lists the routes of which the source is the selected device.

Routes are of two types:

• Graph routes - they are based on graphs, and therefore are a directed list of redundant

communication paths that connect network endpoints,

Source routes – they are single directed routes between a source and a destination device.

The source route is statically specified in the packet itself.

Routes are listed in a table displaying the following information:

• Route – route identification data; ID's are given in the order of creation of the routes. For every

device, Route with ID 1 is the default route established between the field device and the

Network Manager, and Route with ID 2 is the default route established between the field

device and the Gateway,

Peer – the destination device, which is either the Gateway or the Network Manager,

Graph – the ID of the graph used by the route (only for graph routes) ,

• Is Source Path – indicates whether the route is a source route,

• Source Path – for a source route, it indicates the hops of the selected path (source device,

intermediate device and destination device).

To view the updated device settings, click the Refresh button. The Request Topology, Request

Routes and Source Routes, and Request Services commands will be sent to the Network

Manager. To view the command status, go the Commands Log.

When the command is generated, a message at the top of the screen will indicate that the device

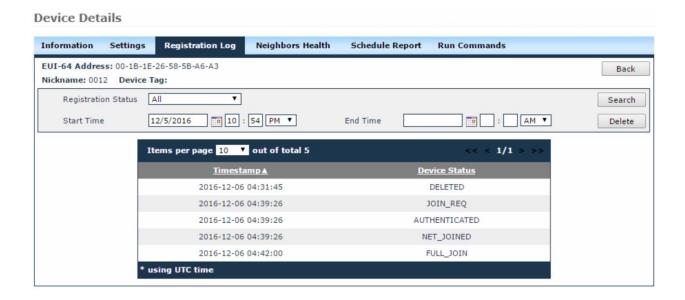
information is refreshing.

Graphs Neighbors

This section lists the graph-neighbor pairs for the selected device, in a table. For each graph to which the selected device belongs, the table provides the ID of the graph and the ID's of the device's neighbors on the same graph.

6.4.3 Registration Log

The registration log displays the registration history for the selected device, at different dates and times, commonly known as timestamps.



Use the Search functionality to view the behavior of the device over a specific period time:

- Choose the status you wish to view from the Registration Status drop-down list,
- Optionally, fill in the Start time and the End time fields, and then click Search.

The results are displayed in a table that indicates the timestamp and the device status at that specific timestamp. A device can have one of the following statuses at a given moment:

- NOT_JOINED The device is not joined,
- JOIN_REQ The Network Manager received the join request from the device,
- JOIN_FAILED The device was removed by the Network Manager from the network due to a timeout,

- AUTHENTICATED The Network Key and Network Manager Session were established,
- NET_JOINED Normal superframes and links were obtained,
- FULL_JOIN The device is joined and configured and all information about it is available.

The total number of rows in the table is indicated in the top left corner of the table. Here you can set the number of items to be displayed per page in the table. The default number is 10. Paging controls in the top right corner of the table also enable you to navigate through the other pages of the table.

6.4.4 Neighbors Health

This pane provides a communication health report about the selected device's neighbors.



The report includes:

- Neighbor identification information the EUI-64 address,
- The timestamp of the report request,
- Flags this column indicates whether or not the neighbor is a clocksource for the selected device; the values for this column are "yes" and "no",
- · Communication health information:
 - The number of DPDUs transmitted to the neighbor and the number of failed transmission attempts,
 - the number of DPDUs received from the neighbor, and

The signal level – the RSL of the neighbor, expressed in dBm.

The following table indicates the RSL thresholds and the associated labels:

RSL	Signal Level
-9985	Poor signal
-8573	Fair signal
-7260	Good signal
-5910	Excellent signal

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6.4.5 Schedule Report

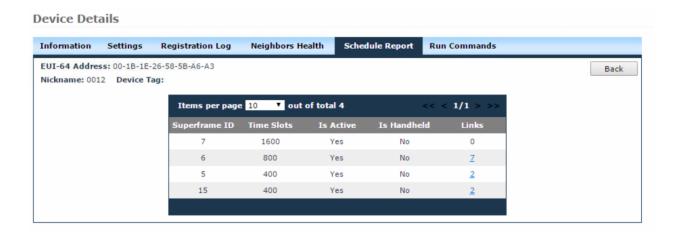
The schedule report pane provides information about time slot and channel allocation for the selected device.

Superframes and links

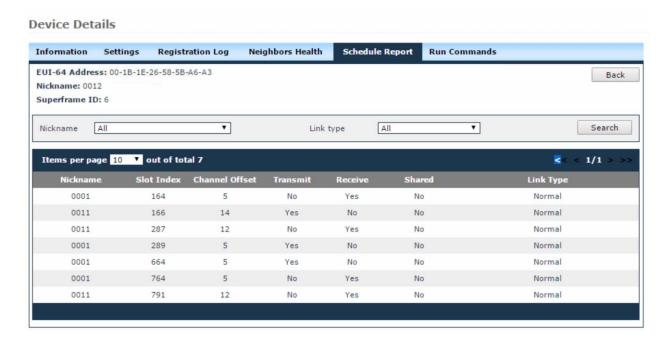
The superframes that the device uses for communication are listed in the page along with the following information:

- Time slots the size of the superframe, expressed in number of time slots,
- Is Active indicates whether the superframe is currently active (is being used) or not,

- Is handheld indicates whether the superframe in question is used for communication between a handheld device and the selected device,
- Links the number of links allocated on each superframe.



Clicking on the number of links will display a new page with link related information for each individual link allocated on the selected Superframe, as shown in the following screen:



The following details are shown:

Nickname of the neighbor – the short address of the neighbor or the broadcast address
 FFFF:FFFF:FFFF (used only for advertisements and receive links),

- Slot index the ID of the slot within the superframe,
- Channel offset the channel offset in the superframe's underlying hopping pattern,
- Direction reception or transmission,
- Shared indicates whether the channel is shared with other devices for communication purposes,
- Link type, which can be:
 - o Normal,
 - Broadcast,
 - o Join,
 - o Discovery.

You can use the search form on the top of the page to sort links based on the nickname of the neighbor device and the link type.

In addition, in both the Superframes and Links tables you can view the information by the number of items listed per page. The default number is 10. Paging controls at the bottom of the table enable you to navigate through the pages of the table.

6.4.6 Run Commands

This pane enables you to perform device-specific commands.



To go to a specific command, select it from the Commands drop-down list. After you generate the command, a message at the bottom of the screen will indicate its status ("Command sent successfully", "Command sent error"). The tracking number of the command is also indicated, together with a link to the Commands Log, where you can view the results of the command.

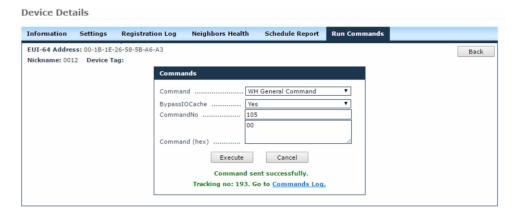
Note: Currently only the WirelessHART general command is supported. Other commands may be added in the future.

6.4.6.1 WH General Command

This set encompasses all the general commands that can be issued on the devices (e.g. 800 - read service list, 782 - read session list, etc.). To generate the command, follow the steps described below:

- 1. Select the WH General Commands set from the Command drop -down list;
- 2. Optionally, select the BypassIOCache value:
 - Yes if you wish to retrieve the response to the command directly from the device,
 - No if you wish to obtain the response from the Gateway cache,
 - If you do not select a value, the default value "No" will be considered,
- 3. Type the command number in the CommandNo field,
- 4. For commands that have parameters, type the content of the request in the Command (hex) field ,

Press *Execute*. A message at the bottom of the screen will indicate the command status ("Command sent successfully", "Command sent error"). The tracking number of the command is also indicated, together with a link to Commands Log, where you can view the response.



6. Follow the Commands Log link to see the response of the command.



6.5 Network Health

The Network Health page provides a communication health report at network level.

The page consists of two sections containing network summary statistics and device-specific communication health information.



In the network summary section the following information is indicated:

- Devices Count the total number of registered devices, including the Access Point,
- Join count the total number of joins of all the devices in the network,
- Start Date the date and time the Network Manager application was started,
- Current Date the present time,
- Transmission and reliability statistics, based on the summary report per device.

The device communication report section consists in a table displaying the following information for each device:

- EUI-64 Address the network address of the device,
- Join Count the total number of joins per device,
- Power Status the battery status for the device in question; the power status can have one of the following values:
 - 0 –Nominal,
 - 1 Low,
 - 2 Critically low,
 - 3 Recharging Low
 - 4 Recharging High.

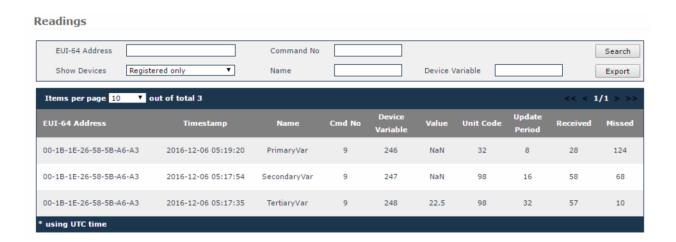
Note: In version 1.x of the WirelessHART system, battery operation mode is not supported. All devices will report 0 - Nominal

- Generated the number of packets generated by the device,
- All Tx all the packets transmitted but the selected device (including for routing purposes),
- No ACK the number of packets that require acknowledgement and which were sent by the selected device but not acknowledged by the destination device,
- Terminated the number of packets received by this device as a destination device,
- All Rx all the packets received by the selected device (including for routing purposes),
- DLL Failure the number of Data-Link Layer MIC (Message Integrity Check) failures detected,
- CRC Error the number of CRC (cyclic redundancy check) errors detected,
- Nonce Lost the number of Nonce Counter Values not received.

The total number of rows in the table is indicated in the top left corner of the table. Here you can set the number of items to be displayed per page in the table. The default number is 10. Paging controls in the top right corner of the table also enable you to navigate through the other pages of the table .

6.6 Readings

In this page you can view the readings received from the devices, which are generated either on demand by Read Value commands or by automatic burst messages. The readings can be filtered by device, variable name, command number or the device variable code.



To search for readings, select a device or fill out the input fields as desired and click *Search*. The results are displayed in a table that contains the following information for each reading:

- Device EUI-64 address (MAC address of the device that reported the reading),
- Timestamp (date and time of the reading),
- Name (the variable name),
- Command No. (the number of the command triggering the reading),
- Device Variable (the variable code as per the WirelessHART specification),
- Value (the value received on that particular reading) shown in engineering values,

- Classification (the type of variable, e.g. 64 temperature); please consult the WirelessHART Common Table No. 21 for a comprehensive list of variables and associated classification codes,
- Unit Code (the unit of measurement of the variable in question); please consult the WirelessHART Common Table No. 2 for a comprehensive list of unit codes and their descriptions,
- Update Period (the frequency configured for data publishing, in seconds),
- Last Update (the timestamp of the last value received in GW),
- Received (the number of packets received by the particular device),
- Missed (the number of packets that did not reach the particular device).

The total number of rows in the table is indicated in the top left corner of the table. Here you can set the number of items to be displayed per page in the table. The default number is 10. Paging controls in the top right corner of the table also enable you to navigate through the other pages of the table.

From this page you can also save the search results into a Microsoft Excel CSV file, by clicking *Export*.

6.7 Commands Log

In this page you can view all the commands issued on the registered devices in the system. The commands can be filtered by Device, Command (type), or Command Status (New – command posted in database, Sent – command sent to device, Responded – device responded successfully to the command, Failed – command failed to execute).

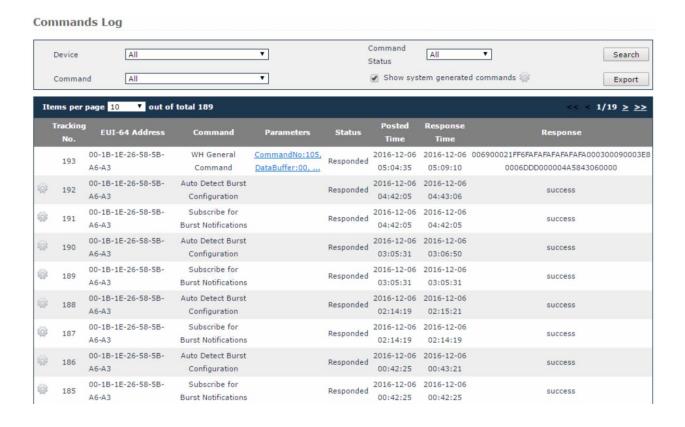
To search for commands, select the desired device, command, and command status and click *Search*. The results will be displayed in a table, as shown in the screen above, with the following information for each command:

- Tracking Number (internal ID of the command),
- EUI-64 address (MAC address of the command destination device),
- Command (name of the executed command),

- Parameters (description of the parameters chosen for the command, if applicable),
- Status (current status of the command),
- Posted Time (date and time when the command was generated),
- Response Time (date and time when the command was responded), and

Response (the response for the issued command if the command was responded successfully or the error reason if the command failed), which can consist of:

- System generated commands:
 - 'success' or the hex value representing the response payload (if any), in case of success;
 - Error code and reason in case of command failure;
- WH General Command:
 - two bytes representing the command code, followed by one byte representing the command return code, followed by a hex value representing the response payload (if any).



Given the large number of commands generated automatically by the system at regular intervals, these commands are hidden by default. To view them, check the Show system generated commands option in the Search dialog and click Search.

The total number of rows in the table is indicated in the top left corner of the table. Here you can set the number of items to be displayed per page in the table. The default number is 10. Paging controls in the top right corner of the table also enable you to navigate through the other pages of the table.

From this page you can also save the search results into a Microsoft Excel CSV file, by clicking Export.

6.8 Alerts

The Alerts page enables you to view alarms and events generated by devices.

Alerts consist in application messages that advise or warn the recipient of the presence of an impending or existing situation of interest.



To search for alerts:

- Select the device, the alert category, priority and type (Class) of alert,
- · Optionally, fill in the Start time and the End time fields, and then click

Search. The results are displayed in a table that indicates the following

information:

- · The device tag,
- The device nickname,
- EUI-64 address the MAC address of the device generating the alert,
- Alert Time the date and time when the alert condition was detected,
- Alert Type:
 - Path Down when the device's path to a neighbor has failed,
 - Source Route Failed when any neighbor is unreachable on a source route, hence the source route has failed,

- Graph Route Failed when communication on any route of the graph has failed (in the given example, graph ID 303),
 - Transport Layer Failed when there has been a Transports Layer connection failure in the communication between the selected device and its peer,
 - Peer ID/ Graph ID the nickname of the neighbor, peer or graph, depending on the type of alert ,
 - MIC the MIC value of the packet that failed routing on a source route that failed.

You can set the number of records to be displayed per page in the table. The default number is 10. Paging controls at the bottom of the table allow you to navigate through different pages of the search results.

From this page you can also save the search results into a Microsoft Excel CSV file, by clicking *Export*.

7 Configuration

The configuration section enables you to view and edit certain settings for the configuration/provisioning of the devices and the network, including connection settings, publishers, alert subscriptions, and Modbus register mapping.

IMPORTANT:

This section is intended for users with thorough technical knowledge, and certain configurations require advanced expertise, therefore they should be carefully planned, as any inconsistencies may render the devices/network inoperative.

NOTE:

The changes you perform in the settings for each separate entity will also be reflected in the Advanced Settings page and vice-versa.

7.1 Access Point

The Access Point configuration page consists of 4 sections, as shown is the image below. On hover over an edit box a tooltip will appear, indicating the allowed format and range for each value.



Under General Settings:

 Specify the EUI64 address, the tag and the Network ID. The Network ID is a unique numeric identifier for the WirelessHART network. **Note**: If you change any of these settings, you must restart the Access Point in order for the new settings to take effect.

Under Provision/security:

• Specify the Join Key.

Note: If you change this value, you must restart the

Access Point in order for the new setting to take effect.

Under Serial communication, provide the name of the serial port.

Under Logging:

- Select the application and stack logging level. The numbers suggest the degree of detail provided in the Access Point logs:
 - o 1 (ERROR) for error messages only,
 - o 2 (WARN) for error and warning messages,
 - o 3 (DEBUG) for error, warning and debug messages.

When you have finished editing the settings, click *Save*. As mentioned previously, depending on the settings that you modify, the Access Point may need to be restarted for the changes to take effect.

7.2 Gateway

The Gateway configuration page consists of 3 sections, as shown is the table below.



Under General Settings:

• Specify the tag for the gateway (optional) and the timeout period, in seconds, for cache read response and cache burst response.

Note: If you change any of these settings, you must restart the Gateway in order for the new settings to take effect.

Under Provision/security:

Specify the Join key.

Note: If you change any of these settings, you must restart the Gateway in order for the new settings to take effect.

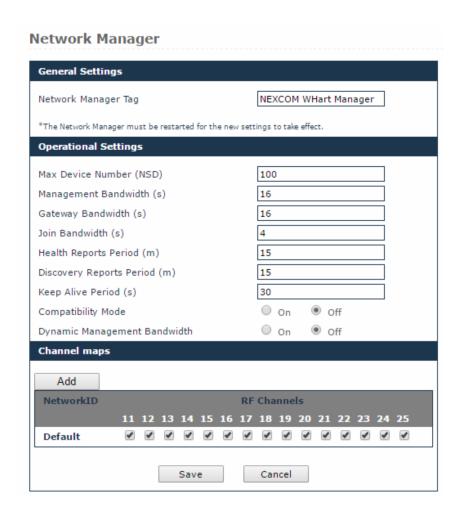
Under Logging:

- Select the application and stack logging level. The numbers suggest the degree of detail provided in the Gateway logs:
 - o 1 (ERROR) for error messages only,
 - o 2 (WARN) for error and warning messages,
 - o 3 (DEBUG) for error, warning and debug messages.

When you have finished editing the settings, click *Save*. As mentioned above, depending on the settings that you modify, the Access Point may need to be restarted for the changes to take effect.

7.3 Network Manager

The Network Manager configuration page consists of 3 sections, as shown is the screen capture below. On hover over an edit box a tooltip will appear, indicating the allowed format and range for each value.



Under General Settings:

• Specify the tag of the Network Manager.

Note: If you change this setting, you must restart the Network Manager in order for the new setting to take effect.

Under Operational Settings:

- Fill in the bandwidth fields with the desired/appropriate values;
- Enable/Disable Compatibility Mode for the old Emerson devices starting with revision 2;
- Enable/Disable Dynamic Management Bandwidth for the Network Manager to dynamically adjust devices bandwidth.

Under Channel maps:

- Enable the desired frequency channels for communication with the network devices for each Network ID. Click *Add* for a new Network ID* or ¥ to remove it.
- If you are using more than one Network

ID be sure that each channel is used only by one network.

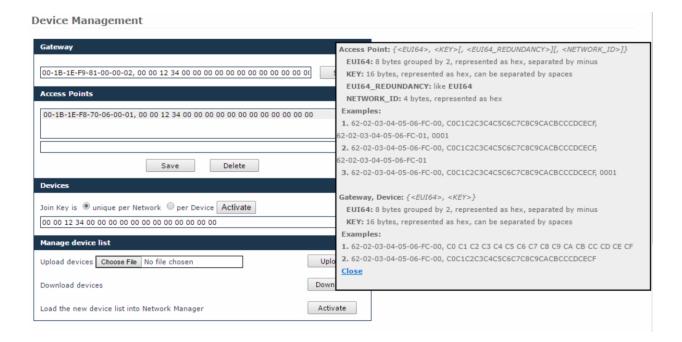
When you have finished editing the settings, click Save.

7.4 Device Management

This section enables you to edit network configuration information in the "whart_provisioning.ini" file for existing devices and to add new devices or access points to the network.

Manage those sections with care, incorrect values may render the devices dysfunctional, or may cause difficulty to trace malfunctions.

Click **Help** in the upper right corner of the window to view information and examples of the accepted data formats in all the sections.



Notes:

- 1. The EUI-64 address is unique in a network,
- 2. All the devices in a network must have the Network ID of one of the Access Points.

When adding a device, you have the possibility to select whether the Join Key is unique per network or per device.

If the Join Key is unique per network, any device that has the correct key provisioned, regardless of its network address, will join the network.

If the Join Key differs from device to device, you must enter the correct EUI-64 address and join key for each device, for the devices to be able to join. Afterwards, click Save to save the data in the "whart_provisioning.ini" file.

At the end, click Activate, to activate the configuration settings.

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7.4.1. Configuring Access Point

To add an Access Point in the network, type its EUI64, security key, and Network ID in an empty edit box and click *Save*. The new Access Point will be added to the Access Points list.

To edit an Access Point:

- 1. Click on the entry that you want to edit in the Access Points list,
- 2. Edit the security key and/or Network ID, and click Save to save the changes in the "whart provisioning.ini" file.

Considering Note 1 above, if you change the EUI64 address of an existing Access Point, the Network Manager will recognize it as a new entity and will add the new Access Point to the current list.

Considering Notes 2 above, if you edit an Access Point, it will be removed from an existing network and the devices in that network will be unable to join the network, unless you edit the same parameters for all the field devices in that network.

To delete an Access Point:

- 1. Select the desired Access Point in the list and click Delete,
- 2. You will be asked for confirmation. Click Yes to delete the Access Point or No to abort the action.

When you delete an Access Point the devices in its network will be unable to join until a new Access Point provisioned with the same security key and Network ID is added to that network.

After you perform any of the above operations, click *Activate* to load the changes into the Network Manager. The changes will be visible in the network topology and where applicable in the device list.

7.4.2. Configuring Gateways

To edit the Gateway:

- 1. Click on the entry that you want to edit in the Gateways list
- 2. Edit the security key and/or Network ID, and click *Save* to save the changes in the "whart provisioning.ini" file.

After you edit the Gateway section, click *Activate* to load the changes into the Network Manager. The changes will be visible in the network topology and where applicable in the device list.

7.4.3. Configuring Devices

Adding devices:

You can add devices either individually, one device at a time, or you can add multiple devices at a time.

To add a single device in the network type its EUI64, security key, and Network ID in the empty edit box and click *Save*. The new device will be added to the Devices list.

To edit a device / multiple devices:

- 1. In the device list, click on the entry that you want to edit,
- 2. Edit the security key and/or Network ID,
- 3. Click Save to save the changes in the "whart_provisioning.ini" file.

To delete a device / multiple devices:

- 1. Select the desired entry in the list and click *Delete*,
- 2. You will be asked for confirmation. Click Yes to delete the device(s) or No to abort the action.

After you perform any of the above operations, click *Activate* to load the changes into the Network Manager. The changes will be visible in the network topology and where applicable in the device list.

Loading a List of Devices:

You can add multiple devices at the same time by importing them from a file. The file will contain a list of devices with the <EUI64>, <Key>, and <NetworkID> when appropriate, comma separated values.

To load a list:

- 1. Click on Browse to locate the text file that you wish to load, and click Upload,
- 2. Click *Activate*, to load the new device list into the Network Manager. The current "whart provisioning.ini" file will be overwritten and all previous settings will be lost.

Exporting the Settings

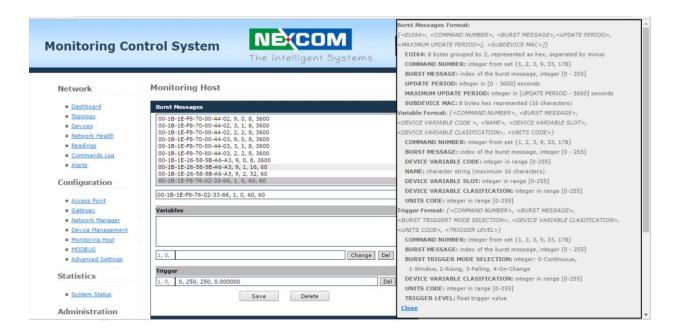
This page also enables you to export the configuration settings, by clicking *Save* in the "Manage device list" section.

7.5 Monitoring Host

This section enables you to configure burst messages (data publishing from devices to Gateway and visualization in MCS web interface). The configuration settings are stored in the "Monitor Host Publishers.conf" file.

By default, the system will automatically discover the settings for burst messages for devices joined to the network, provided that such information was not manually entered in Monitor_Host_Publishers.conf" file or a discovery process was not ran previously, filling the appropriate settings in the file.

Click **Help** in the upper right corner of the window to view information and examples of the accepted data formats in all the sections.



7.6.1. Burst Messages

To add a burst message definition:

 In the empty edit box, type the parameters of a burst message definition from a particular device, following the order and format indicated in the Help form: EUI64 address, the number of command of which response will be published through the burst message, the index of the burst message, the update period and maximum update period in 1/32 ms not exceed 3600s as configured through command 103,

- 2. Click Save. The burst message definition will be added to the list and the changes will be saved in the Monitoring Host configuration file,
- 3. Add the variables to be published, by following the steps described under 7.3.5.2 Variables,
- 4. Add the burst trigger, by following the steps described under 7.3.5.3 Triggers.

You can also add a burst message based on an existing one:

- 1. Click on a burst message in the list,
- 2. In the edit box, change the EUI64 and burst message index into that of the new burst message,
- 3. Change other parameters, if applicable,
- 4. Click *Save*. The burst message will be added to the list; the variables and triggers of the original burst message are preserved in the newly added burst message.

To edit a burst message:

- 1. In the burst message list, click on the entry that you want to edit,
- Edit the desired parameters and click Save. The changes will be stored in the Monitor Host Publishers.conf" file.

To delete a burst message:

- 1. Select a burst message in the list and click *Delete*,
- 2. You will be asked for confirmation. Click Yes to delete the burst message or *Cancel* to abort the action.

After you perform any of the above operations, click *Activate* to load the changes into the Monitoring Host.

7.6.2. Variables

This section enables you to configure the Device Variables being published through the burst message. We will be calling these Variables for simplicity.

To add a Variable to a burst message definition:

1. In an empty edit box, type the variable parameters in the order and format indicated in the Help form: the device variable code (see Common Table 34 and device family codes), the name on the v ariable to be displayed in the Readings page, the slot of device variable (value in 0-7 range: 0-3 for command 33 and 0-7 for command 9), the device variable classification (see Common Table 21 and Command 104; required for commands 3 and 33), the units code (see Common Table 2 and Command 4; required for commands 3, 9 and 33),

The command number and burst message index are the same as those used in the burst message definition and are not editable in the interface.

2. Click Save. The variable will be added to the variables list for that specific burst message and the changes will be saved in the Monitoring Host configuration file.

To edit a variable:

- 1. In the variables list, click on the entry that you want to edit
- Edit the desired parameters and click Save. The changes will be stored in the Monitor Host Publishers.conf" file

To delete a variable:

- 1. Select a variable in the list and click Delete.
- 2. You will be asked for confirmation. Click Yes to delete the variable or *Cancel* to abort the action.

After you perform any of the above operations, click *Activate* to load the changes into the Monitoring Host.

7.6.3. Triggers

This section is optional and enables you to configure the trigger of a burst message. To add a Trigger to a burst message definition:

- 1. In an empty edit box, type the trigger parameters in the order and format indicated in the Help form: the burst trigger mode selection, having one of the values: Continuous, Window, Rising, Falling, On-Change (see Cmd 104, Common Table 33), the device variable classification (see Common Table 21 and Cmd 104), the units code (see Common Table 2 and Cmd 4), the trigger level (float value). The command number and burst message index are the same as those used in the burst message definition and are not editable in the interface,
- 2. Click Save. The trigger will be added for the selected burst message and changes will be saved in the Monitoring Host configuration file.

To edit a trigger:

1. In the trigger edit box, edit the desired parameters and click *Save*. The changes will be stored in the

Monitor Host Publishers.conf" file.

To delete a variable:

- 1. Click *Delete* button near the trigger edit box,
- 2. You will be asked for confirmation. Click Yes to delete the trigger or Cancel to abort the action.

After you perform any of the above operations, click *Activate* to load the changes into the Monitoring Host.

Loading a List of Burst Message Definitions

You can add multiple burst message definitions from different devices at the same time by importing them from a file. The file will contain the list of devices and their burst message definitions, with the associated parameters respectively expressed as comma separated values.

To load a list:

- 1. Click on Browse to locate the text file that you wish to load, and click Upload,
- 2. Click *Activate*, to load the new burst messages list into the Monitoring Host. The current Monitor Host Publishers.conf" file will be overwritten.

Exporting the Burst Message Definitions:

This page also enables you to export the publisher list (including channels), by clicking *Download* in the "Manage burst messages list" section.

7.6 MODBUS

This section enables you to map WIRELESSHART attributes to Modbus registers.

Click **Help** in the upper right corner of the window to view information and examples of the accepted data formats in all the sections.



7.6.1. Mapping Registers

The mapping area contains two sections listings the two different groups of registers: Input Registers and Holding Registers.

The mapping between a register and a device variable is achieved by adding register line in the appropriate section. Please note that mapping read-only variables to holding registers will not make the variables themselves writable.

To add a register line:

- 1. In an empty edit box, type the parameters in the order and format indicated in the Help form:
 - start address decimal integer, between 0 and 65535, representing the start address of the Modbus register;
 - word count decimal integer, between 1 and 125, representing the number of 16-bit modbus words allocated for this Wireless HART data element;
 - EUI-64 string of 16 hex digits, representing the 8 bytes of a device's EUI-64 address;
 - register type: device_variable, gw_info or gw_code_word are the three register types
 - supported;

When register type is "device variable", the following parameters must be specified:

- the burst message you want to map;
- device variable code;
- device state decimal integer, 0 and 2 with the following meaning:
 - 0 the Wireless Hart device variable is mapped onto the chunk of registers, starting from address <start_addr>. The value should be interpreted as 4 bytes float. Wireless Hart Communication errors (e.g. device not joined) will make addressing these registers return the MODBUS exception 0x04 (slave device failure);
 - 2 the Wireless Hart device variable is mapped onto the chunk of registers, starting from address <start_addr>+1. The value should be interpreted as 4 bytes float. At address <start_addr> there is a "device state register" generated by the MODBUS server which reflects the

state of the Wireless Hart communication. The value should be interpreted as 16 bit big-endian integer with the following values:

- 128: Device Joined with fresh data
- 8: Device NOT joined and no data read so far
- 20: Device NOT joined but with stale data
- 24: Device Joined but no data read so far
- 4: Device Joined but with stale data

When register type is "gw_info", general gateway information will be exposed to Modbus, using the following registers:

Register	Item exposed	Observation
<start_addr> + 0</start_addr>	Number of devices currently connected.	16bit big-endian integer
<start_addr> + 1</start_addr>	Total number of burst messages.	16bit big-endian integer
<start_addr> + 2</start_addr>	Versa Router MAC	3 words * 16bit big-endian unsigned integer

Note: For register type "gw_info" the <word_cnt> must be 5.

When register type is "gw_code_word", the gateway's "code word" will be exposed to Modbus. The "code word" is read-only.

Note: For register type "gw_code_word", the <word_cnt> should be 16 or less.

The <EUI64> in "gw_info" and "gw_code_word" register lines should identify the WirelessHart Gateway.

Accepted values: 001B1EF981000002, 000000000000000, FFFFFFFFFFFFFF.

2. Click Save to add the new register line in the Registers list.

Note: For register type "gw info" the <word_cnt> must be 5.

When register type is "gw_code_word", the gateway's "code word" will be exposed to Modbus. The "code word" is read-only.

Note: For register type "gw_code_word", the <word_cnt> should be 16 or less.

The <EUI64> in "gw_info" and "gw_code_word" register lines should identify the WirelessHart Gateway.

Accepted values: 001B1EF981000002, 00000000000000, FFFFFFFFFFFFFF.

3. Click Save to add the new register line in the Registers list.

Notes:

- When mapping the Modbus registers on the WirelessHART data entities, you must consider the size of the WirelessHART data entity and allocate a contiguous chunk of Modbus 16-bit registers in the Modbus addressing space to hold the entire data entity (plus an additional Modbus register to hold the auto-generated status, if applicable). When the chunk is bigger than the size of the data entity, it will be filled with the actual data from the lowest addressed register to the highest, and from the MSB of each register to the LSB. If the data entity does not entirely fill the last register, the register will have the data on the MSB and the LSB will be set to zero.
- If the address range of a register line overlaps an existing register line in the same group, or if it does not fit in the range 0-65535, it will be ignored

Loading a List of Registers

You can import the register map from a file that includes the input and holding registers lines with their parameters which are expressed as comma separated values.

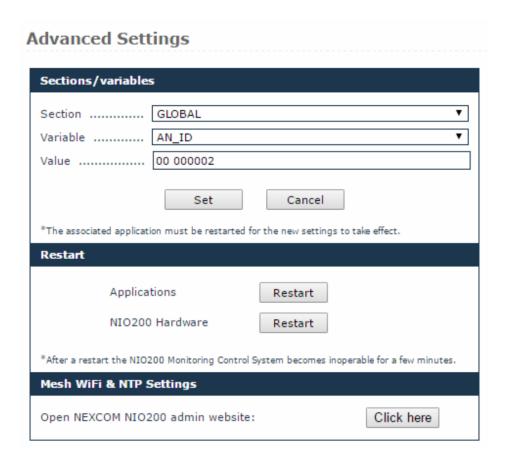
To load the list:

- 1. In the "Manage registers list" section click on *Browse* to locate the text file that you wish to load, and click *Upload*.
- 2. Click *Activate*, to load the new host list into Modbus. The current "modbus_gw.ini" file will be overwritten.

Exporting the Registers:

This page also enables you to export the registers, by clicking *Download* in the "Manage registers list" section.

7.7 Advanced Settings

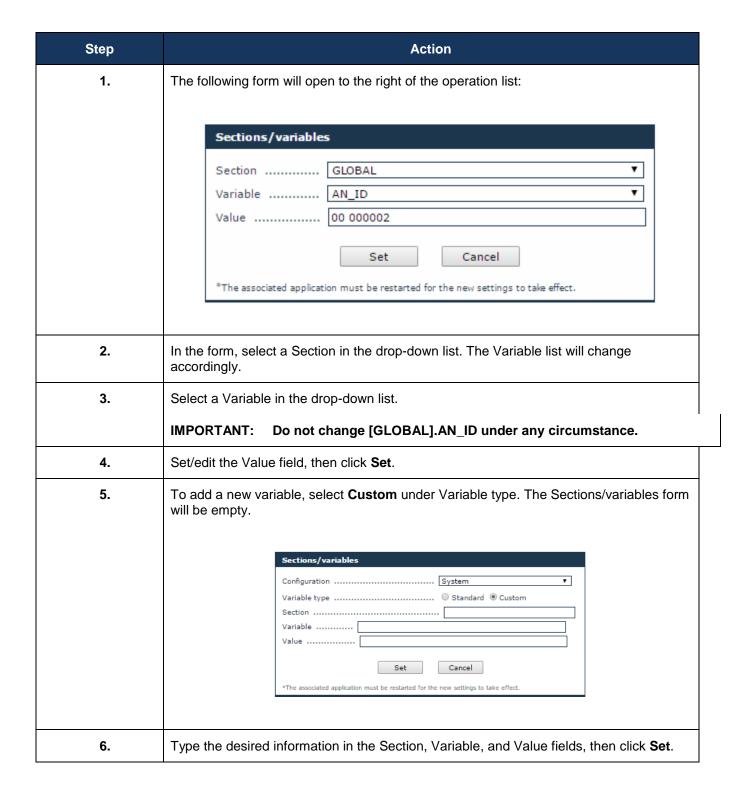


7.6.2. Edit Configuration Variables

This page allows you to view/set less common configuration variables, which cannot be changed using the classic MCS web interface.

IMPORTANT:

This page is for advanced users only – do not use unless you have been instructed exactly by a NEXCOM representative on what values to change. Incorrect values may render the router dysfunctional, or may cause difficulty to trace malfunctions.



7.6.3. Restart



This section enables the user to restart the applications running on the NIO 200HAG Gateway.

The "Restart Applications" restart all applications, without rebooting the board.

The "Restart NIO200 Hardware" reboots the NIO 200HAG Gateway.

After restarting the applications or rebooting the NIO 200HAG Gateway, the Monitoring Control System becomes inoperative for a few minutes.

NOTE:

After Stopping the applications, the Monitoring Control System becomes inoperative until the next power cycle.

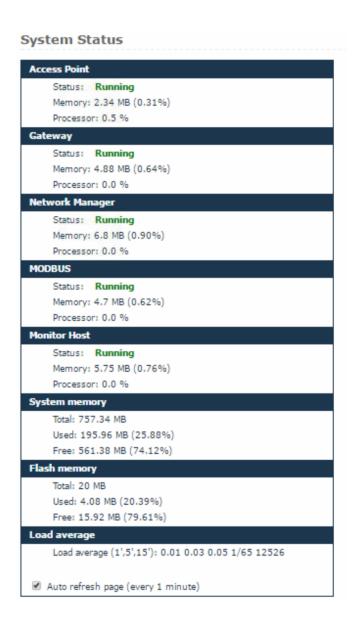
7.6.4. Access NEXCOM NIO200 admin website



This section allows the user to navigate to NEXCOM NIO200 admin website, where the NIO200 Network Configuration (WiFi settings, IP Addresses, NTP Server, etc) can be changed.

8 System Status

The Statistics page displays statistical information regarding processor and memory usage, and load average on the NIO 200HAG Gateway.



The System Status page displays statistical information regarding processor and memory usage, and load average on the NIO200.

The first five sections indicate the status ("Running" or "Not Running"), memory usage and processor usage for the Access Point, Gateway, Network Manager, MODBUS, and Monitor Host processes.

The following two sections display system memory and flash memory availability information.

The Load average section indicates:

- The system's load average over the past one, five and fifteen minutes respectively,
- The number of running processes out of the total number of processes,
- The ID of the last started process.

If you wish to regularly update the system status information, enable the Auto refresh page option at the bottom of the page. The page will auto refresh at one-minute intervals.

9 Administration

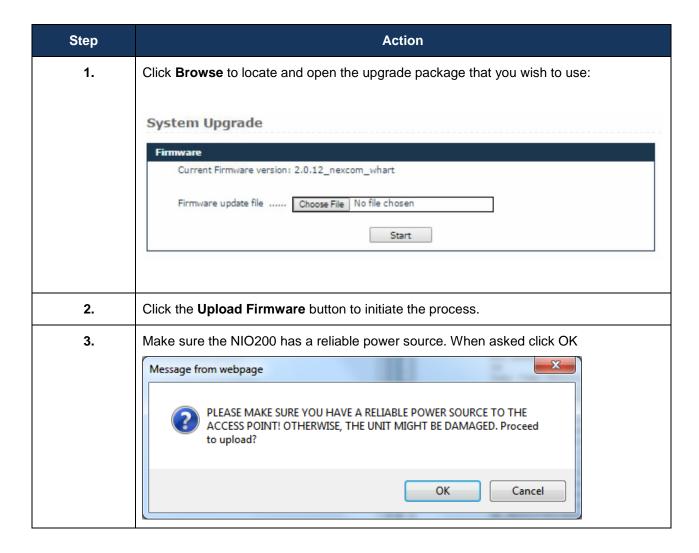
The administration section encompasses tools for the management of the WirelessHART based system. It allows the users with proper rights to update system firmware and to manage device icons.

9.1 System Upgrade

The System Upgrade page enables you to upgrade the system components hosted on the connected NIO 200HAG Gateway.

The Firmware form indicates the current system version on the NIO 200HAG Gateway.

To initiate the upgrade



Step	Action	
4.	When the upgrade is complete, the page indicates the result of the upgrade:	
	System has been upgraded successfully.	
	System rebooting	
	Main Page	

9.2 Custom Icons

This page enables you to assign custom icons for the devices in a network based on their role, with a view to better distinguishing them.

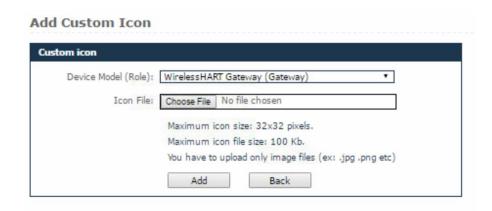
When the page is loaded, the existing custom icons are displayed in a table, with the following information:

- ➤ Model the device model
- ➤ Role the device role
- > Icon shows the existing picture

The default icons are not listed.

To add an icon:

1. Click the *Add Icon* button. The Custom Icon form will open:



- 2. Select the Device Model (Role) from the drop-down list,
- 3. Click *Browse* to locate the icon you want to use. The maximum icon size must be 32x32 pixels and the maximum file size must be 100 Kb. Supported formats are jpg, png, and gif,

- 4. Click Add. A message will appear, indicating that the icon has been added successfully,
- 5. Click Back in the form or Custom Icons under Administration to return to the Icons list,
- 6. The newly added icon will be visible in the Icons list, the Topology page, and the Devices page.

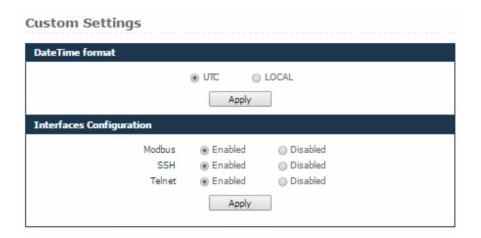
To delete an icon:

- 1. In the Icons list, click a next to the icon entry,
- 2. You will be asked for confirmation. Click OK to delete the icon or Cancel to abort the action.

Note: When you delete an icon, it will be automatically replaced with the def ault icon for the selected device model/role in the Topology and Devices pages.

9.3 Custom Settings

This page enables user to define whether the timestamps get shown using browser local time zone or UTC; and enable/disable various high-side interfaces.



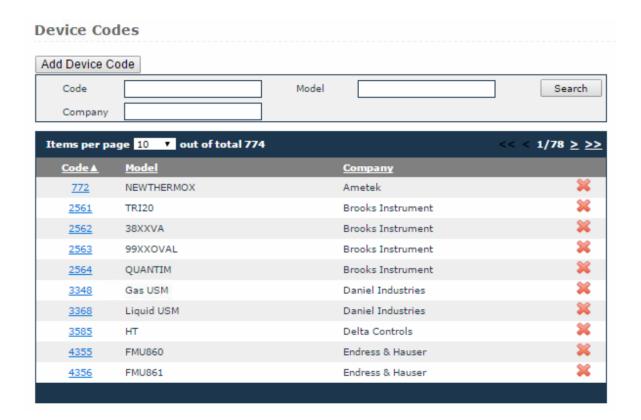
Date Time Format devined the format to display timestamps: using the browser local time zone settings or using UTC.

The Interfaces configuration allow enabling/disabling the high-side interfaces.

9.4 Device Codes

This page features a list of all the WirelessHART devices that have been approved by HART Communication Foundation (HCF). The devices are listed in a table with the following information:

- Code the device code assigned by HCF,
- Model the device model (name) as given by the vendor,
- Company the device vendor.



When a new device joins the Nivis WirelessHART network and reports a device code that is not part of the list, the new device code will be automatically added to the list, having the Model and Company fields populated with ,N/A'. You must change the model and company names manually. To learn how to change these fields, see section Editing a Device Code.

You can sort or search for entries in the table by code, model and company.

To search for specific entries:

- 1. In the search form located on top of the list, type the desired code, model, or company (or part of the selected criterion) in the corresponding field. *Note that you can use multiple search criteria at the same time*,
- 2. Click *Search*. The MCS will display all the entries that match your search criteria. If no entries match your selected criteria, the system will display the message "No records!"

9.4.1 Adding a Device Code



To add a device code:

- 1. Click the Add Device Code button located on top of the search form. The Add Device Code form will open
- 2. In the form, fill in the edit fields with the desired information,
- 3. Click *Save* to add the device to the list, or *Back* to cancel the action and return to the Device Codes page.

9.4.2 Editing a Device Code



To edit a device code:

- 1. Click on the code in the list. The Edit Device Code form will open
- 2. In the form, edit the desired information under Model and Company,

Note that you cannot change the device Code in this form. To change a device code, you can delete a device code and add it again.

3. Click *Save* to save your changes, or *Back* to cancel the action and return to the Device Codes page.

9.4.3 Deleting a Device Code

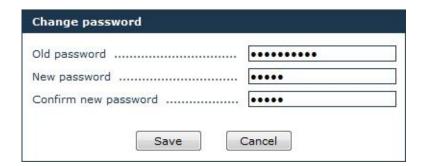
To delete a device code, click the icon located next to the corresponding entry in the table. The system will require confirmation to perform the action. Click *OK* to delete the device code or *Cancel* to abort the action.

Note: When you remove a device from the Device Codes list, the device will no longer be visible in the MCS, even when it is joined.

10 Session

10.1 Change Password

This page enables you to change your own password.



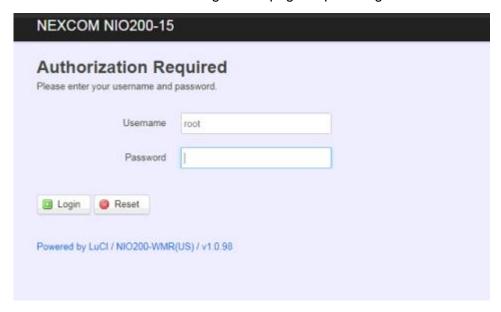
Step	Action	
1.	In the form, type your current password in the Old Password field.	
2.	Type the new password in the New password field.	
3.	Retype the new password in the Confirm new password field, for verification.	
	NOTE: The passwords are case sensitive.	
4.	Click Save at the bottom of the page to save the new password, which will become your current password.	

Tip: To prevent unauthorized persons to gain access to your account, use a strong password in order to make it difficult for others to determine it and do not disclose your password to anyone.



1. Login

To access the NIO200HAG device, you may open a browser to access the Web GUI via default IP address 192.168.1.1. The login Web page requires login information as below:



Default login information is:

Login: root

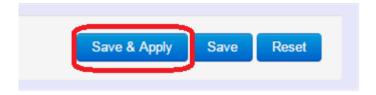
Password: admin

After successful login, you will see the "Status" page of the device Web UI.



Saving Changes

Saving & apply the configuration in WebUI after you do the changes at the bottom of WebUI.



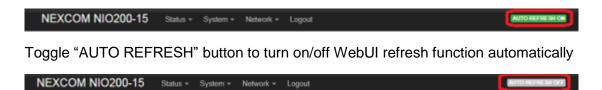
Unsaved Changes



"UNSAVED CHANGES" provides the help to see the parameters which were not saved & applied,

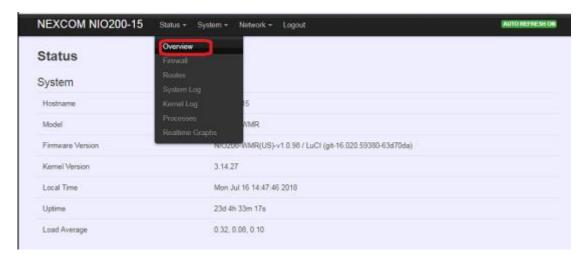
Click "Save & Apply" button to save the parameters.

Auto Refresh



2. Status

To display more detailed status, you can click the "Status" under the page bar. This allows users to select the item of Overview, Firewall, Routes, System Log, Kernel Log, Process, and Real-time Graphs from the pull-down list like below screen:



2.1 Overview

To see NIO200 over all status, click "Overview" to displays the current system information and interface connection status.

System



Hostname: Displays NIO200 host name

Model: Displays NIO200 HW basic information

Firmware Version: Displays NIO200 firmware version.

Kernel Version: Displays NIO200 Kernel version. **Local Time:** Displays NIO200 current date and time.

Uptime: Displays how long NIO200 has been operating since last boot-up.

Load Average: CPU average loading in recent time frame.

For example,

Load Average	0.94, 0.43, 0.24
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CPU average loading:

94% in the past 1 minute.

43% in the past 5 minutes

24% in the past 15 minutes.

Memory

Memory	
Total Available	101876 kB / 126316 kB (80%)
Free	99156 kB / 126316 kB (78%)
Buffered	2720 kB / 126316 kB (2%)

Total Available: Displays the available memory in percentage.

Free: Displays free memory of NIO200.

Buffered: Displays buffer memory used in the system.

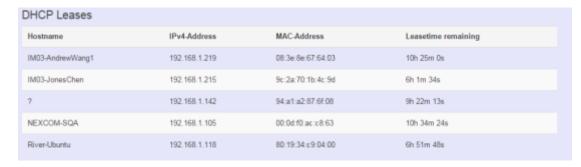
Network



IPv4 WAN Status: Displays current connecting IPv4 information. **IPv6 WAN Status:** Displays current connecting IPv6 information.

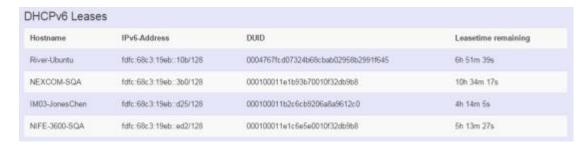
Active Connections: Displays current active connections.

DHCP Leases



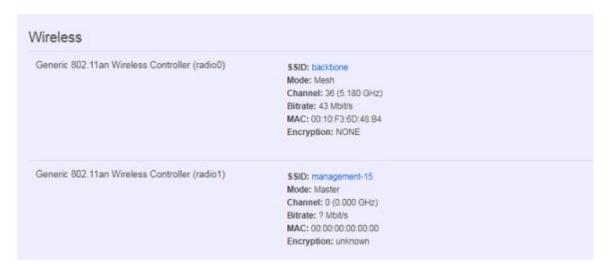
This displays information about hosts (Personal Computers or electronic devices) that are connected to NIO200 including IPv4, MAC address and leasing time

DHCPv6 Leases



This displays information about hosts (Personal Computers or electronic devices) that are connected to NIO200 including IPv6, DUID and leasing time.

Wireless



This displays Wireless information about NIO200 for radio 0&1.

SSID: Displays the name of the wireless network.

Mode: Displays the mode in this radio

Channel: Displays current channel using.

Bitrate: Displays current wireless data rate.

BSSID: Displays MAC address of this radio

Encryption: Displays current encryption setting.

Associated Stations

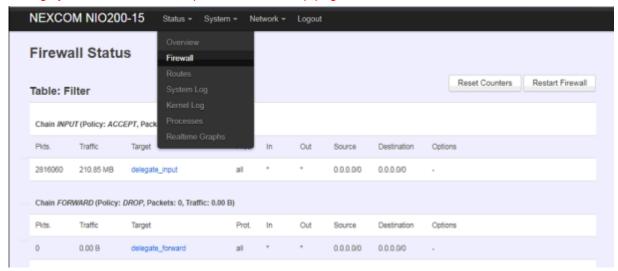


Displays current associated device information (Personal Computers or electronic devices) with NIO200HAG, including device's MAC address, signal level, noise, connecting data rate.

2.2 Firewall

Firewall setting is a particular function which allows user to connect or block two or more interfaces in device with sophisticated and specifically defined parameters in this Web page.

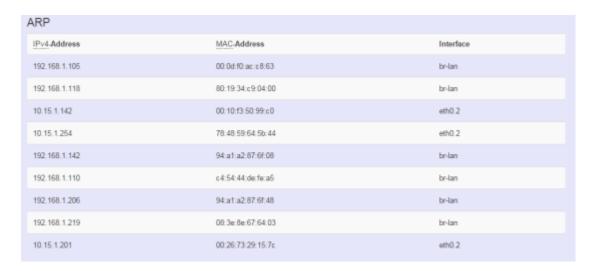
It's highly recommended to keep this Firewall setup page as it is.



2.3 Routes

This section display information about routing list for current connecting device.

ARP



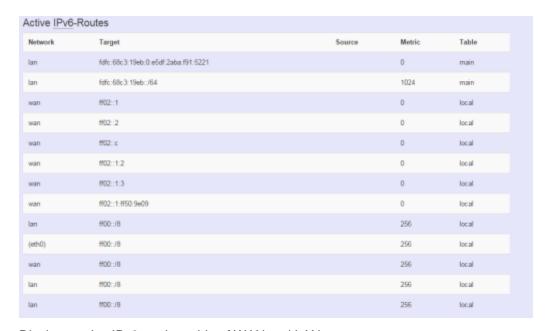
Displays APR table information of NIO200 including IPv4 address, MAC address and connecting interface.

Active IPv4-Routes



Displays active WAN and LAN port's IPv4 routing table.

Active IPv6-Routes



Displays active IPv6 routing table of WAN and LAN port.

IPv6 Neighbors

IPv6 Neighbours		
IPv6.Address	MAC-Address	Interface
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:1f4:f243:8e92:e881	80:19:34:49:04:00	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:e5df:2aba:f91:5221	80:19:34:49:04:00	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb::3b0	00:0d f0:ac:c8:63	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:21cf:78b5:a2c9:e438	00:0d:f0:ac:c8:63	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:6815:35d6:d6b7:df68	00:0d:f0:ac:c8:63	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:691a:9a70.b879:924d	80:19:34:19:04:00	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:468:1e7:d4fc:8c9a	9c:2a:70:1b:4c:9d	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:f118:d10c:ab71:1676	80:19:34:c9:04:00	lan
fdfc:58c3:19eb:0:7c3e:bc4c:52e3:de5a	00:0d:f0:ae:e8:63	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:6046:1236:d6c8:82c1	00:0d:f0:ac:c8:63	lan
fdfc:68c3;19eb:0:c654;44ff fede:fea5	c4:54:44:de.fe:a5	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:e151:5f16:e221fc7c	c4:54:44:de:fe:a5	lan
fdfc:68c3:19eb:0:61ad:92b6:99e2:bf9b	80:19:34:c9:04:00	lan

Display connected device with IPv6 information.

2.4 System Log

The "System Log" Web page contains the events log in NIO200 system for trouble shooting reference.

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System Log
 Tue Juli 19 01:58:46 2018 daemon info matpd: error, ethicol_get_speed_duplex: Cannot get speed/duplex for wlan1: Operation not supported
 Tue Jul 10 01:58:46 2018 daemon info matpd: set_if_up: Port wlan1 : up
 Tue Jul 10 01:58:46 2018 daemon info mstpd: error, ethtool_get_speed_duplex: Cannot get speed/duplex for wlan1: Operation not supported
 Tue Jul 10 01:58:46 2018 daemon info mstpd: set_if_up: Port wlan1 : up
 Tue Jul 10 01:58:46 2018 daemon into matpd: error, ethtool get speed duplex: Cannot get speed/duplex for wlan1. Operation not supported
 Tue Jul 10 01:58:46 2018 kern info kernel: [1439056.639602] br-lan: port 4(wtan1) entered learning state
 Tue Jul 10 01:58:46 2018 kern info kernel: [1439056.639811] br-lan: port 4(wlan1) entered forwarding state
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 daemon notice netifd: Interface 'tan' is now down
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 deemon info metpd: set_br_up: br-lan was up. Set down
Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 deemon info metpd: MSTP_OUT_set_state: br-lan:eth1:0 entering disabled state
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 kern info kernel: [1439075.062970] br-lan: port 4(wlan1) entered disabled state
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 kern info kernel: [1439075.063040] br-lan: port 3(wtan0) entered disabled state
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 kem info kernel: [1439075.065882] br-lan: port 1(eth1) entered disabled state
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 daemon info mstpd: MSTP_OUT_set_state: br-lan:eth2:0 entering disabled state
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 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 daemon info mstpd: set_if_up: Port eth1 : down
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 daemon info matpd: set_if_up: Port eth2 : down
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 daemon info metpd: set_if_up: Port eth2 : down
 Tue Jul 10 01:59:04 2018 daemon info mstpd: set_if_up: Port wlan0 : up
 Tue Juli 10 01:59:94 2018 daemon info matpd: error, elitrool, get_speed_duplex: Cannot get speed/duplex for wlan0: Operation not supported
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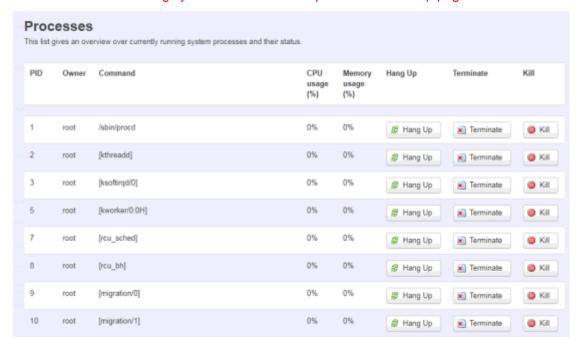
2.5 Kernel Log

The "Kernel Log" displays the record of kernel activities. The administrator can monitor the system status by checking this log.



2.6 Processes

This Webpage is designed for detailed trouble shooting/status monitoring by professional personnel in the field. Any improper terminating or killing individual process tasks may cause device malfunction. It's highly recommended to keep this Firewall setup page as it is.



2.7 Real-time Graphic

This section provides utilities to monitor NIO200 system information including real-time load, real-time Ethernet traffic, Real-time wireless signal and real-time associated device traffic.

To monitor status in this section, please make sure WebUI "auto refresh" function must be "turn on".

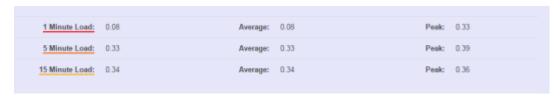


Load



Display real-time CPU average loading percentage.

i.e.



1 minute		8%		8%		33%
5 minutes	Minimum	33%	Average	33%	Peak	39%
15 minutes		34%		34%		36%

Traffic



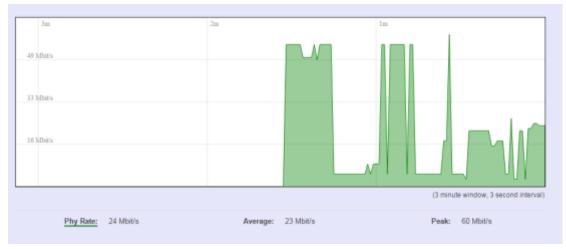
Display NIO200 real-time traffic loading of Ethernet, WLAN and internal bridge interfaces.

Inbound: Incoming data throughput of the observed interface.

Outbound: Outgoing data throughput of the observed interface.

Wireless





Display Wireless real-time signal quality including signal level, noise and data rate.

wlan0: Radio0 information.wlan1: Radio1 information.

Note:

There will be no radio information when the WLAN interface is disabled.

Connections

This "Connections" displays NIO200 real-time active TCP/UDP/ICMP,... connection information for trouble shooting reference.



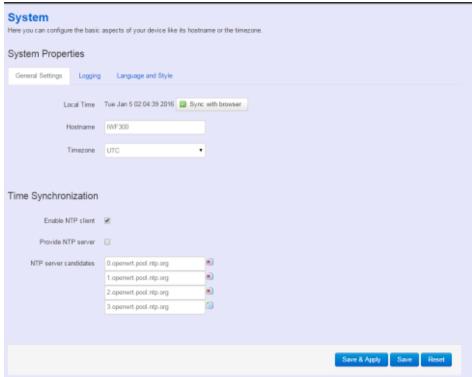
3. System

To setup detail configuration about NIO200 system, click the "System" under the page bar, then select the item of System, Administration, SNMP, Backup/Flash Firmware and Reboot from the pull-down list like below screen.

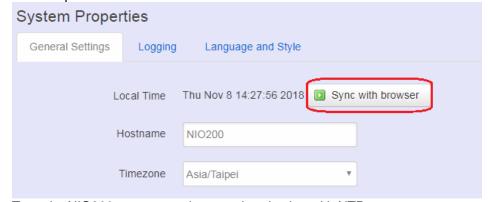
3.1 System

General Settings

This section provide general settings of NIO200 including Time, Host name, Time zone and NTP.



Click "Sync with browser" let NIO200 sync time with your computer. And select country from the pull-down list in the Timezone.

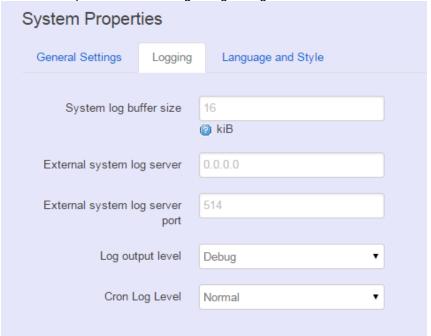


To make NIO200 system get time synchronization with NTP server, user may enable the NTP client and input the address of an NTP server to get the time updates.



Logging

This section provides the setting of log configuration.



System log buffer size: The size of log information. Unit: Kbytes. **External system log server:** The server address of external log server. **External system log server port:** The port number of external log server.

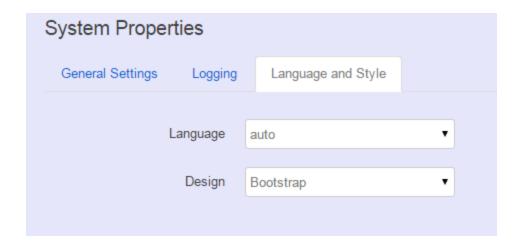
Log output level: The output information of log, including Debug, Info, Notice, Warring,

Error, Critical, Alert, and Emergency.

Cron Log Level: The minimal level for cron messages to be logged to syslog.

Language and Style

This section provides setting of language and WebUI style. NIO200 only provides English as default style.



3.2 Administration Router Password

To change default password, enter new password and confirm new one.



SSH Access

Secure Shell(SSH). Enable NIO200 to be accessed via SSH-based application. This increase the security in configuration of NIO200 remotely.



Interface: Select the interface.

Port: Enter the port number for the communication via SSH.

Password authentication: Enable/Disable SSH password authentication.

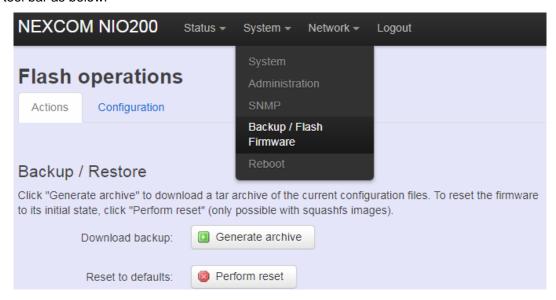
Allow root logins with password: Enable/Disable the *root* user to login with password.

User may paste the public SSH-Keys (one per line) for additional SSH public-key authentication.



3.3 Backup/Flash Firmware

To upgrade new firmware on device, user may choose "Backup/Flash Firmware" from "Systme" in tool bar as below:

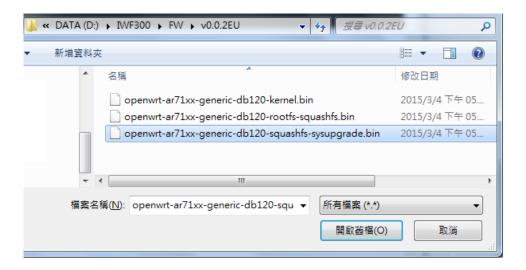


Upgrade Firmware

To flash a new firmware image to NIO200, user may press the button of "Flash image" as below:



Then select the correct firmware file from the file browser:



Then, WebUI displays the file checksum.



You can choose "Proceed" to start the upgrading.

Note: After you click "Proceed", the DUT firmware will be upgraded with the file you selected, and the upgrade progress will display like below:



Note: The whole firmware image may take several minutes to complete the flash writing.

PLEASE DO NOT REBOOT OR POWER OFF THE DEVICE before the whole progress.

If the firmware upgraded is successful, the WebUI should switch to the Login page. User can also confirm the firmware image is successfully upgraded via "Status" Web page.

Backup Configuration

To back up the configuration file, user may select the "Generate archive" button as below:



Then save it as a file in your PC.

To restore previous configuration, user need to browse the backup file and then press "Upload archive..." button as belwo:



Note: After restore the file, system will apply the changes and automatically reboot. Due to configuration backup may cause IP address change, you have to enter new IP address accordingly. Otherwise, the new web page may not be accessible.

Reset to default

To reset NIO200 to factory default configuration, user will need to press "Perform reset" button as below.



Note: The whole process may take several minutes to complete.

PLEASE DO NOT REBOOT OR POWER OFF THE DEVICE before the whole process being successfully done.

3.4 Reboot

Click the "Perform reboot" button will help to warm start the system. After system finish reboot process, it will back to Login page.

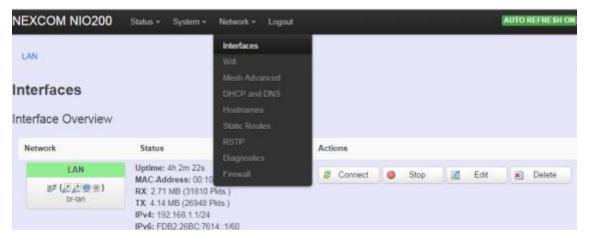


4 Network

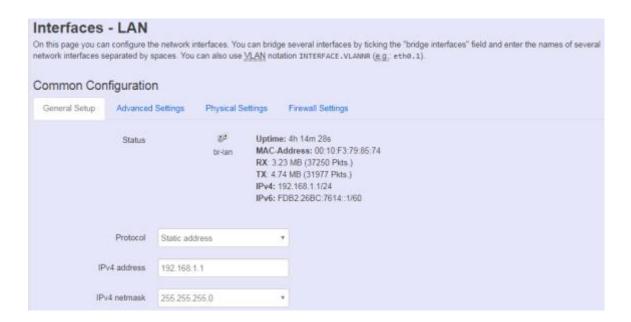
4.1 Interfaces

Configuration of IP address

To set up a new IP address, please click "Network" from page bar, then select the "Interface", and then click "Edit"



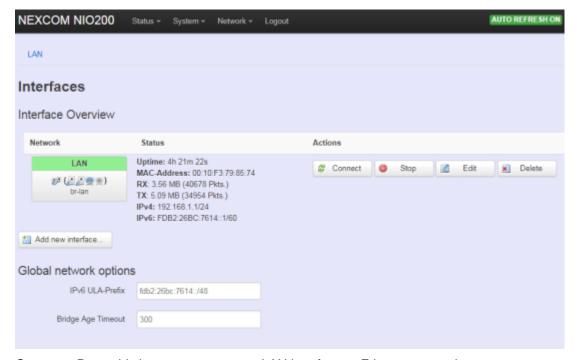
Edit IP address:



When modifying the IP address, user needs to input the IP address, netmask, gateway,.. for this device and then click "Save & Apply" to save this new IP address into flash and apply it immediately.

Note: after apply new IP, it would take several minutes to switch to the Status page via the new IP address. Please enter the new IP address on browser again if the browser does not switch to new Web page after 5 minutes.

Interfaces overview



Connect: Press this button to re-connect LAN interface to Ethernet network.

Stop: Shutdown this interface.

Edit: Modify WAN port setting or LAN port group settings

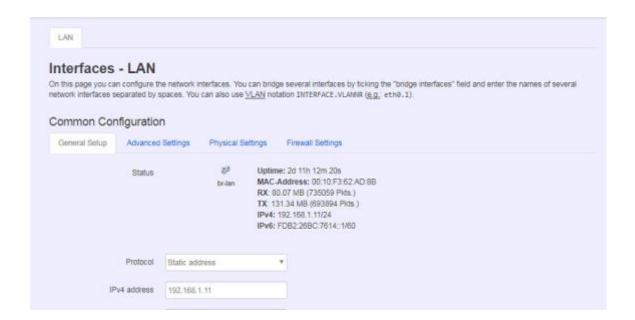
Delete: Delete this Interfaces from group

Note:

- Do not perform "Stop" LAN interface when this is the only available interface, otherwise, the system will not be able to work.
- Under such condition, please press the button longer than 10 sec. to get system back to factory default setting. User can go on the configuration with defult IP address "192.168.1.1".

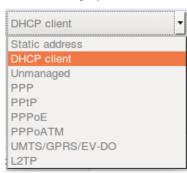
WAN(LAN) Interface overview

On this page you can configure the network interfaces. You can bridge several interfaces by ticking the "bridge interfaces" field and enter the names of several network interfaces separated by spaces.



<General Setup>

You can change your Protocol to link worldwide Internet.



The default setting is DHCP client, send discover to find DHCP server.

Static address

Static IP (Manual):. Choose this option if you do not have a DHCP server in your network, or if you wish to assign a static IP address to NIO200HAG

DHCP client

When Dynamic IP (DHCP) is selected, the DHCP client to be functional once this selection is made

Unmanaged

This Interface have no configuration interface or options.

PPP

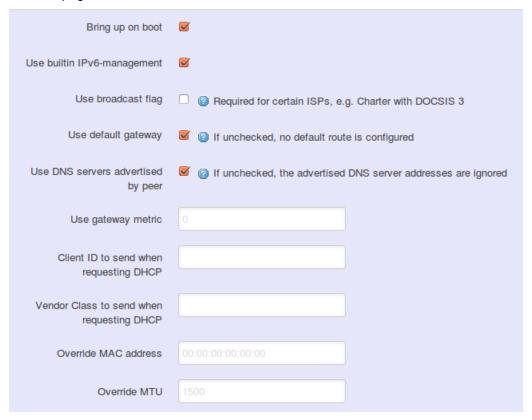
For old serial modem, provided point to point link for NIO200HAG

PPPoE

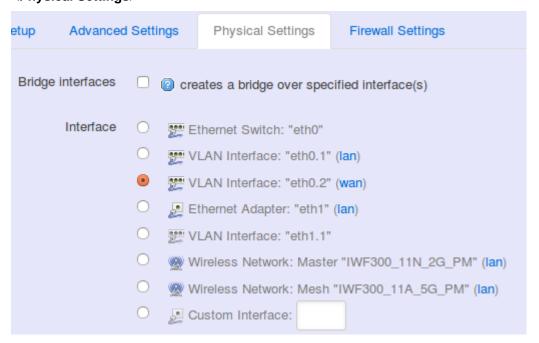
For cable modem or ADSL user, link NIO200HAG to your Internet provider.

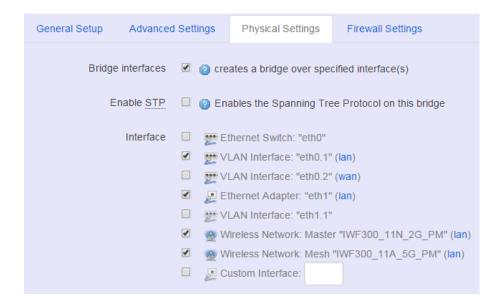
<Advanced Settings>

This is used for advanced settings and configure, strongly recommend user do not make change to this web page.



<Physical Settings>





Bridge interfaces

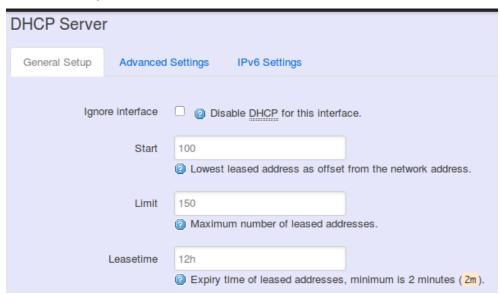
You can bridge an interfaces group for your WAN or LAN interface. Normally, only LAN interface need to enable bridge interfaces. After enable bridge interfaces, select interfaces to bridge.

Interface

Select interfaces for your bridge group. Select both the Ethernet adapter (most likely eth0.1' eth1) and the wireless network.

DHCP Server

<General Setup>



Ignore Interface: Select this option to disable your DHCP server, you will need static IP or another DHCP server for your network interfaces. Default is "enable DHCP"

<Advanced Settings>

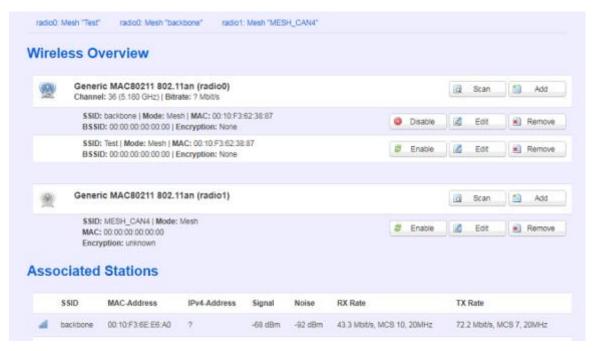


Dynamic DHCP: Dynamically allocate DHCP addresses for clients. If disabled, only clients having static leases will be served.

Force: Force DHCP on this network even if another server is detected.

4.2 Wi-Fi

Wireless Overview



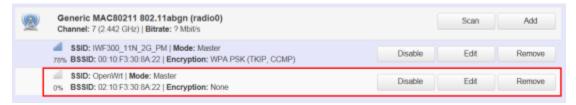
To set up the Wireless configuration, please select "Network" in the tab, then select "Wi-Fi", which would show you the current radio interfaces status.

Wireless Overview includes channel' SSID' MAC address and security setting information.

Scan: Scan can explore how many AP signals can be detected. This is a good way to get the idea about how noisy the installation site is. User can choose a channel which is less interference with other APs.



Add: Add new virtual AP in the same radio interface. You will see new interface after click "add"



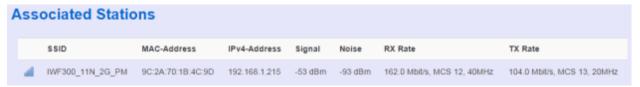
Disable: Disable the radio interface

Edit: Configure the radio interface

Remove: Remove radio interface. Please note that disable radio first when you don't want to use the radio interface.

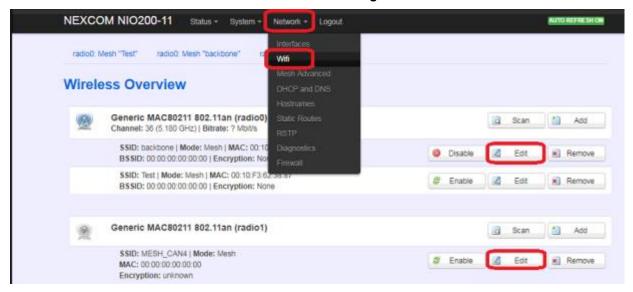
Associated Stations

Associated stations show wireless client connection information. It includes the SSID wireless client connect' wireless client MAC/ IP address' RSSI signal strength and Tx/Rx rate.

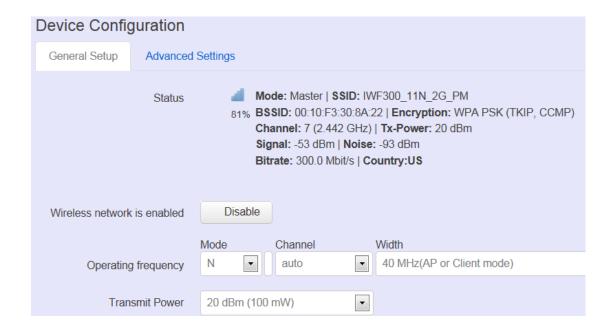


Wireless configuration

Please select "network" -> "Wi-Fi" and click Edit to configure Radio0 or Radio1.



The Device Configuration section covers physical settings of the radio hardware such as channel, transmit power...etc.

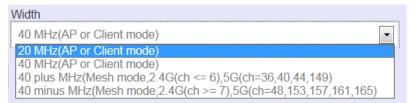


<General setup>

Wireless network is enabled: Enable or disable the radio interface

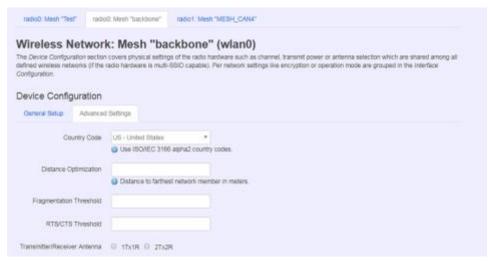
Operating frequency: Select radio frequency and channel bandwidth for signal transmission.

For channel bandwidth, please note you need to confirm AP/ client mode or mesh mode and which channel you will use



Transmit Power: Control the transmit power of a radio by selection of Transmission Power.

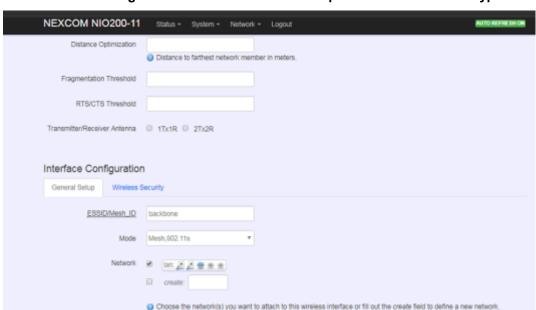
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Distance Optimization: Specify the ACK timeout by entering the value manually. ACK timeout can be entered by defining the link distance. Too short value of the ACK timeout may cause transmission time out and no packet can be received. Too long value may cause low throughput rate.

Fragmentation Threshold: Default=off. Specify the Fragmentation threshold by entering the value manually [300-2346 bytes]. This is the maximum size for a packet before data is fragmented into multiple packets. Setting the Fragmentation threshold too low may result in poor network performance. Only minor modifications of this value are recommended

RTS/CTS Threshold: Default=off. RTS/CTS (Request to Send / Clear to Send) is the optional mechanism used by the 802.11 wireless networking protocol to reduce frame collisions introduced by the hidden node problem. RTS/CTS is an additional method to implement virtual carrier sensing in Carrier sense multiple access with collision avoidance (CSMA/CA). Specify the RTS threshold by entering the value manually [0-2346 bytes]. Typically, sending RTS/CTS frames does not occur unless the packet size exceeds this threshold.



This Interface Configuration section covers SSID' operation mode and encryption.

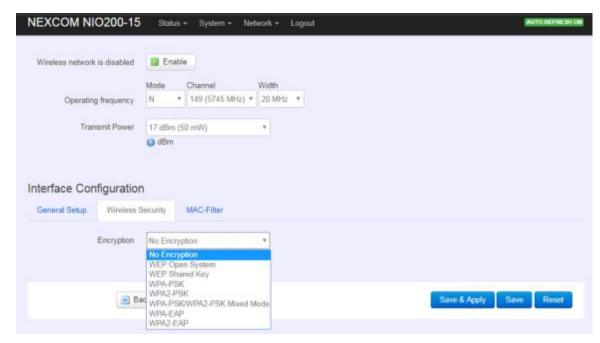
<General setup>

ESSID: Edit the SSID or Mesh ID.

Mode: Select operation mode

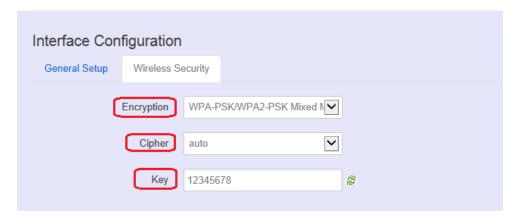
- AP
- Client Router
- 802.11s (Mesh mode)

<Wireless Security>



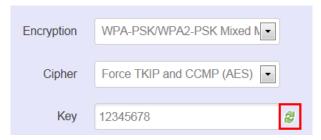
Encryption: To setup the Security on Radio, please select one of the Encryption:

- No Encryption
- WEP Open System: WEP provides a basic level of security, preventing unauthorized access to the network. WEP uses static shared keys that are manually distributed to all clients that want to use the network
- WEP Shared Key: WEP provides a basic level of security, preventing unauthorized access to the network, and encrypting data transmitted between wireless clients and an access point. WEP uses static shared keys that are manually distributed to all clients that want to use the network
- WPA-PSK: Clients using WPA for authentication
- WPA2-PSK: Clients using WPA2 for authentication
- WPA-PSK/WPA2-PSK Mixed Mode: Clients using WPA or WPA2 for authentication



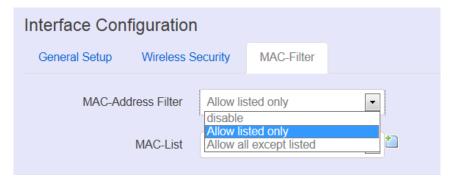
Cipher: To select cipher, recommend to select TKIP and CCMP(AES)

- Force CCMP(AES)
- Force TKIP
- Force TKIP and CCMP(AES)



The cycle icon will display the characters you just input.

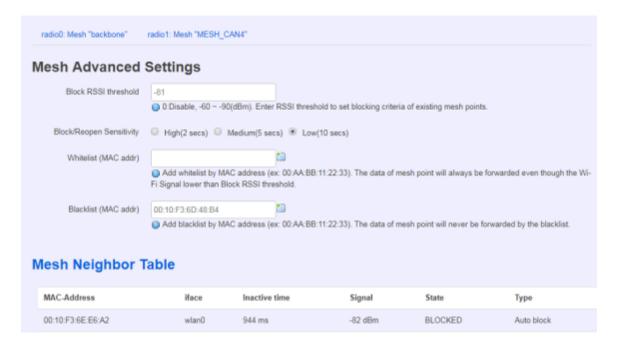
<MAC filter>



Select MAC Filtering. Specifies the MAC address to block or allow traffic from.

Mesh Advanced

Mesh Advanced setting contains the important information about real Mesh connection path and Neighbor node signal strength and blocking status. This is an advanced mechanism to keep Mesh network in stable and optimized condition.



- Block RSSI threshold: This is used to set the threshold of blocking current associated Mesh points.
 - 0: Disable
 - Input value between -60 ~ -90 (dBm)
- Block/Reopen Sensitivity: This is a criteria for choosing the sensitivity level in Mesh path availability.
 - High:
 - After continuous 2 seconds with signal level higher than Block threshold, the blocked Mesh link can be available again.
 - After continuous 2 seconds with signal level lower than Block threshold, the active Mesh link will be blocked.
 - Medium:
 - After continuous 5 seconds with signal level higher than Block threshold, the blocked Mesh link can be available again.
 - After continuous 5 seconds with signal level lower than Block threshold, the active Mesh link will be blocked.
 - Low:
 - After continuous 10 seconds with signal level higher than Block threshold, the blocked Mesh link can be available again.
 - After continuous 10 seconds with signal level lower than Block threshold, the active Mesh link will be blocked.
- Whitelist (MAC addr):

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The Mesh device in Whitelist will be regarded available connecting path for data forwarding no matter the RSSI value is high or low.

Blacklist (MAC addr):

The Mesh device in Blacklist will NOT be used for data forwarding no matter the RSSI value is high or low.

Mesh Neighbor Table

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MAC-Address	iface	Inactive time	Signal	State	Туре
00:10:F3:6E:E6:A2	wlan0	828 ms	-79 dBm	BLOCKED	Auto block
00:10:F3:6E:E6:B6	wlan0	268 ms	-81 dBm	BLOCKED	Auto block
00:10:F3:6E:E6:A0	wlan0	8 ms	-79 dBm	BLOCKED	Auto block
00:10:F3:62:38:87	wlan0	96 ms	-65 dBm	ESTAB	Normal
00:10:F3:77:28:5D	wlan0	116 ms	-79 dBm	BLOCKED	Auto block
00:10:F3:6E:E6:9C	wlan0	512 ms	-80 dBm	BLOCKED	Auto block
00:10:F3:62:38:81	wlan0	384 ms	-68 dBm	ESTAB	Normal
00:10:F3:6D:48:B4	wlan0	872 ms	-85 dBm	BLOCKED	Auto block

- Iface: display the Mesh interface used in the Wi-Fi radio
- Inactive time: the elapsed time since last forward data by the according Mesh path.
 - Shorter inactive time implies more frequently used in data forwarding by Mesh network.
 - Too long inactive time means the Mesh path is almost un-used.
- Signal: display the dynamic RSSI signal strength when refresh
- State: display the current status is ESTAB (established) or BLOCKED (blocked). When BLOCKED, implies the signal strength is too low to use in data forwarding.

Mesh Path Table		
Dest addr	Next hop	iface
00:10:F3:62:38:87	00:10:F3:62:38:87	wlan0
00:10:F3:62:38:81	00:10:F3:62:38:81	wlan0
00:10:F3:6E:E6:9C	00:10:F3:62:38:81	wlan0

Dest addr/Next hop:

When Dest (Destination) MAC address and Next hop MAC address is the same, the destination is available to connect directly from source Mesh node.

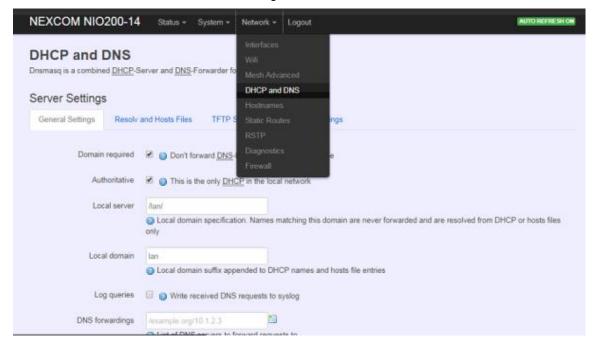
When the two MAC address is different, the data forwarding to Destination MAC address should be routed via Next hop path.

• Iface: display the Mesh interface used in the Wi-Fi radio

4.3 DHCP and DNS

A combined DHCP-Server and DNS-Forwarder for NAT firewall is provided in NIO200HAG.

Click the "Network" -> "DHCP and DNS" in the GUI menu. The "DHCP and DNS" page will appear. There are four categories of settings or lease status: "Active DHCP Leases", "Active DHCPv6 Leases", "Static Leases", and "Server Settings".



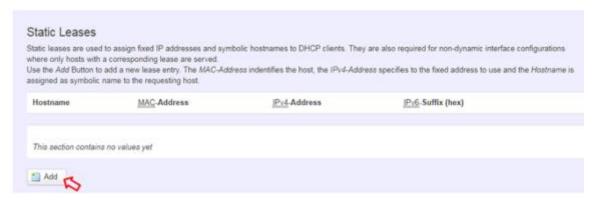
Scroll to the following screen in the "DHCP and DNS" window.



This screen displays the lease information to which DHCP server assigns automatically, including **Hostname**, **IP address**, **MAC address(or DUID)**, and Remaining Lease-time (DUID stands for the DHCP Unique Identifier). Please look at the frame in red above.

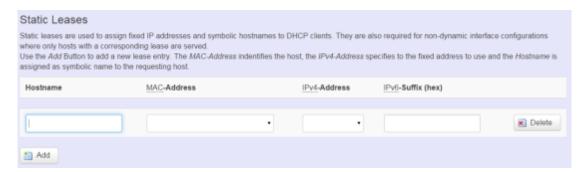
The next category that users can scroll to is "Static Leases" as follows.

Static leases are used to assign fixed IP addresses and symbolic hostnames to DHCP clients by calculating MAC-Address. They are also required for non-dynamic interface configurations where only hosts with a corresponding lease are served.



Add: Add a new lease entry.

After clicking "Add" button, a new entry with 4 blank input boxes will appear. Allow users to fill in the information such as The <u>MAC-Address</u> (identifies the host), the <u>IPv4-Address</u> (specifies the fixed address to use) and the **Hostname** (is assigned as symbolic name to the requesting host).



Delete: delete the followed entry.

Scroll to the screen identified as "Server Settings" category.

There are 4 tabs to select more options for DHCP and DNS services in the NIO200HAG.

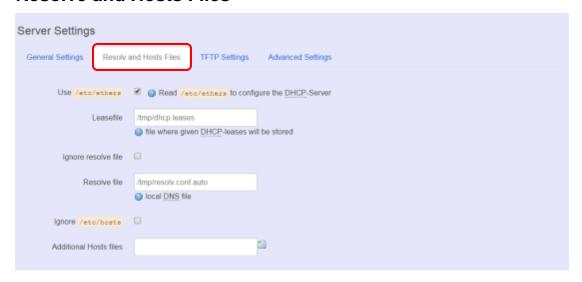
General Settings



Domain required: default value is checked.

Authoritative: default value is checked.

Resolve and Hosts Files

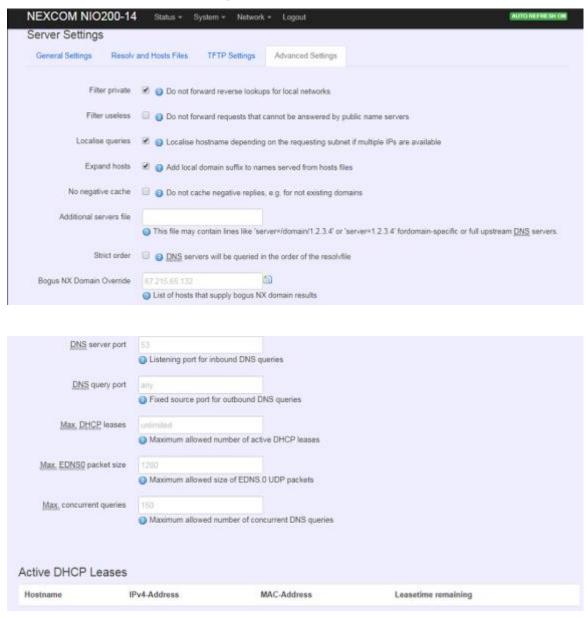


TFTP Settings



By default, TFTP server is not enabled.

4.4 Advanced Settings

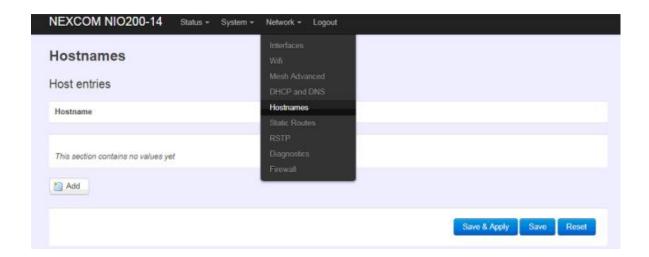


Max. DHCP Leases: default value is unlimited.

Max. concurrent queries: default value is 150

4.5 Hostnames

Clicking the "Network" -> "Hostnames" in the GUI menu will appear the "Hostnames" page.



For those device does not have hostname or does not resolve automatically, users manually assign hostname-IP pair to specific devices.

Add: create a host entry (hostname-IP pair) for a specific device.

(For example, **Hostname =>** "Test-Device"; **IP address =>** "192.168.1.251")

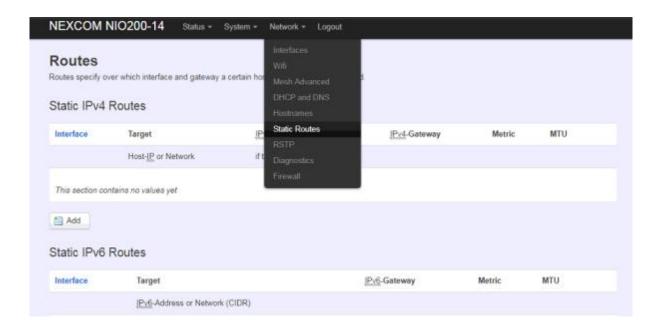


Delete: delete the followed host entry.

4.6 Static Routes

Clicking "Network" -> "Static Routes" in the GUI menu will appear the "Routes" page for two categories: "Static IPv4 Routes" and "Static IPv6 Routes".

Static routes specify interface and gateway which certain host or network can be reached over. Such pair (interface and gateway) is called route.



For IPv4 network, scroll down to "Static IPv4 Routes" screen as follows.



Add: add an entry for route to an IPv4 network or host.

For example: *Target network*=192.168.10.0; *Netmask*=255.255.255.0; *NIO200HAG WAN IP*=192.168.0.1;

The route to be assigned will be "wan" for interface and "192.168.0.253" for gateway.

Leave "Metric" and "MTU" field to have default values as 0 and 1500 respectively.



Delete: delete a followed route entry.

For IPv6 network, scroll down to "Static IPv6 Routes" screen as follows.



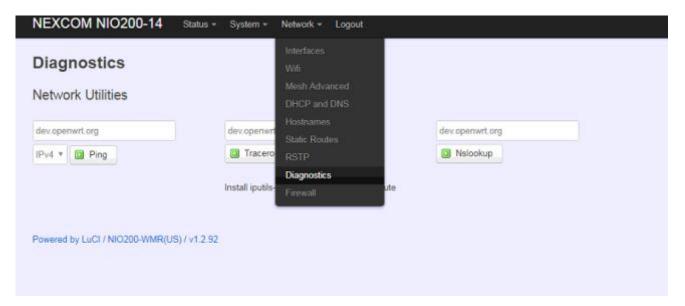
Add: add an entry for route to an IPv6 network or host.

Clicking "Add" button has an entry as follows.



4.7 Diagnostics

Click "Network" -> "Diagnostics" in the GUI menu, and navigate to "Diagnostics" web page.



In this page, there are 3 utilities for users to diagnose interface settings and network paths: Ping, Traceroute, and Nslookup.



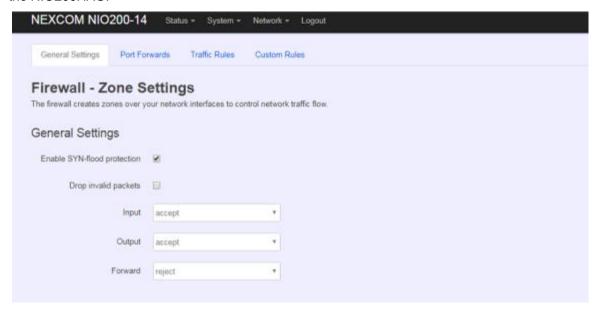
Ping: test the reachability of a host on an Internet Protocol (IP) network and measure the round-trip time for messages sent from the originating host to a destination host and back. The only required parameter is the name or IP address of the destination host.

Traceroute: track the route packets taken from an IP network on their way to a given destination host. The only required parameter is the name or IP address of the destination host.

Nslookup: query the <u>Domain Name System</u> (DNS) to obtain <u>domain name</u> or <u>IP address</u> mapping.

4.8 Firewall

Click "Network" -> "Firewall" in the GUI menu, and navigate to page configuring firewall attributes in the NIO200HAG.



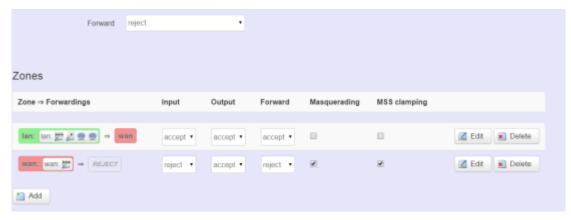
General Settings

Clicking "General Settings" tab on the top of screen will show the "Zone Settings" configuration including "General Settings" and "Zones" categories.

In the "General Settings" category, there are 5 basic options for traffic control over interfaces:

"Enable SYN-flood protection" (default: enabled), "Drop invalid packets" (default: disabled), "Input" (default: accept"), "Output" (default: accept), and "Forward" (default: reject)

In the "Zones" category, users create or edit zones over your network interfaces to control network traffic flow.



There 3 control buttons as follows for "Zones" settings:

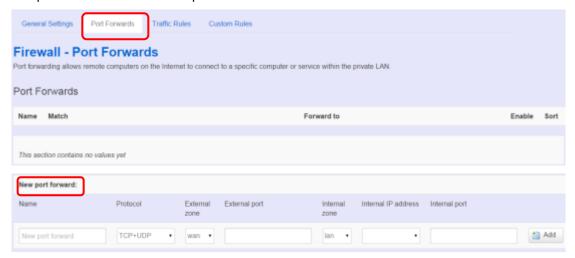
Edit: edit the followed flow entry.

Delete: delete the followed flow entry.

Add: create a new entry for traffic flow among zones over interfaces.

Port Forwards

Clicking the "Port Forwards" tab on the top of screen will show the tables for port forwarding. Adding or editing specific forwarding table allows remote computers on the Internet to connect to a specific computer or service within the private LAN.

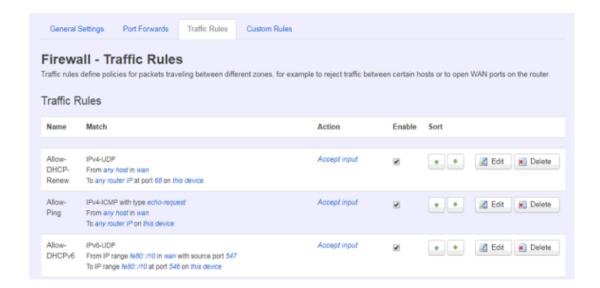


In the "New port forward" category, there is only one button for flow editing:

Add: create a new flow entry for port forwarding among zones.

Traffic Rules

Clicking the "Traffic Rules" tab on the top of screen will appear the policy tables of 2 categories: "Traffic Rules" and "Source NAT".



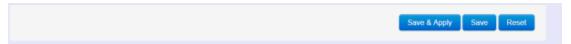
In the "Traffic Rules" category, the flow entries of traffic rule define policies for packets traveling between different zones (for example, to reject traffic between certain hosts or to open WAN ports on the router).

In "Source NAT" category, specific flow entries of masquerading that allow fine grained control over the source IP used for outgoing traffic(For example, to map multiple WAN addresses to internal subnets) can be added or edited.



Add and edit: create a new entry with default values, and edit at once if required.

Please remember clicking "Save & Apply" button to activate the new settings.



Custom Rules

Custom rules allow you to execute arbitrary iptables commands which are not otherwise covered by the firewall framework. The commands are executed after each firewall re-start, right after the default rule-set has been loaded.

