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Access Point Model WAX610

Mounting bracket with screw holes for mounting to a solid ceiling or 15/16 in. (23.8 mm) T-bar.

Mounting bracket without screw holes for mounting to a 9/16 in. (14.3 mm) T-bar.

Two screws and anchors for ceiling- or wall mounting

Installation options

You can mount the access point to a solid surface (a wall or a ceiling) or to a ceiling with a 9/16 in. (14.3 mm) or 15/16 in. (23.8 mm) T-bar, or you can install the access point freestanding on a flat surface.

Mount to a solid wall

The bottom of the access point includes two holes that let you mount the access point on two screws inserted in a wall.

1. Mark the wall where you want to insert the provided anchors and screws, which must be 3.875 in. (98.5 mm) apart, and insert the anchors and screws.
2. Leave about 0.25 in. (6 mm) of each screw protruding from the wall so that you can insert the screws into the holes on the bottom of the access point.

Mount to a T-bar

1. Depending on the size of the T-bar, slide the 9/16 in. (14.3 mm) or 15/16 in. (23.8 mm) bracket between the guides on the bottom the access point until it locks in place. The locking tab must be at the front of the access point.
2. Hold the access point upside down.
   - Note: If you can reach behind the T-bar, hold the T-bar with one hand and the access point with your other hand.
3. Align the rectangular protruding part of the bracket with the T-bar.
4. Hook the bracket onto one side of the T-bar.
5. Hook the bracket onto the other side of the T-bar until the bracket locks onto the T-bar.

Note:

- To unlock the access point, push the locking tab toward the ceiling and slide the access point out of the bracket.

Mount to a solid ceiling

1. Using the anchors and screws provided, attach the 15/16 in. (23.8 mm) bracket with the screw holes to the ceiling. The rectangular protruding part of the bracket must be facing the ceiling.
2. Hold the access point upside down with the front of the access point facing the bracket. Then, line up the guides on the bottom of the access point with the bracket.
3. Slide the access point into the bracket until it locks in place. The locking tab must be at the front of the access point.
1. Register the access point in NETGEAR Insight

1. On your mobile device, visit the Apple App Store or Google Play Store, search for NETGEAR Insight, and download the latest version of the app.

2. Open the NETGEAR Insight app.
3. If you do not own a NETGEAR account, tap Create NETGEAR Account and follow the instructions.
4. Enter the email address and password for your account and tap LOG IN.
5. Tap + in the upper right corner.
6. Either use the camera on your phone to scan the QR code or barcode, or type in the serial number.
7. Follow the instructions to register the device.

2. Connect the access point to a PoE+ switch

Power up the access point by connecting the LAN/PoE+ port to a PoE+ switch that supplies 802.3at (PoE+) power.

The LAN/PoE+ port supports Ethernet speeds up to 2.5 Gbps. The following figure shows a NETGEAR MS510TXP switch, which supports speeds of 2.5 Gbps and higher. However, if your Internet connection, modem, and switch support a speed of 2.5 Gbps or higher, you must additionally use the access point’s local browser user interface (UI). For more information, see the user manual, which you can download by visiting netgear.com/support/product/WAX610.

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3. Configure the access point with NETGEAR Insight

Make sure that the switch to which the access point is connected is connected to the Internet.

1. Connect your mobile device to the access point’s default SSID.
   The default SSID is on the access point label on the bottom of the access point and is shown in the format NETGEARxxxxxx-SETUP, where xxxxxx are the last six hexadecimal digits of the access point’s MAC address. The default password is sharedsecret.

2. Open the NETGEAR Insight app.

3. Enter the email address and password for your Insight account and tap LOG IN.

   In most situations, Insight detects the access point automatically. This process can take several minutes.

4. Select the access point and tap Next.
   You are prompted to add the access point to an Insight network location.

5. Create a new network location, tap Next, and then tap OK.
   The device admin password that you entered for the new network location replaces the existing admin password on all devices that you add to the network location.

6. If prompted, name the access point and tap Next.
   The access point automatically updates to the latest Insight firmware. This might take up to 10 minutes, during which the access point might restart.

7. Use the Insight app to configure and manage the access point.

Other setup methods
If you are an Insight Premium or Insight Pro subscriber, you can use the NETGEAR Insight Cloud portal to set up the access point.

To set up the access point, you can also use the access point’s local browser user interface (UI). For more information, see the user manual, which you can download by visiting netgear.com/support/product/WAX610.

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