LantechIDS-2102A User's Manual

1 RS-232/422/485 port to 2 10/100TX Ethernet Device Server



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Getting Started

1.1 About IDS-2102A Series

The IDS-2102A is an industrial device server with one RS-232/422/485 port and two LAN ports designed for converting signals between serial and Ethernet networks. It provides standard features of device servers such as TCP/IP interfaces and versatile operation modes including Virtual Com, Serial Tunnel, TCP Server, TCP Client, UDP. The device also supports Windows utility DS-Tool which allows you to configure multiple devices and set up the mappings of Virtual Com. The features of NAT Router Pass Through, make it more convenient for administrators to configure Lantech's device servers through a NAT router from different IP domains or Internet via modem remotely. The device can transfer data to five host PCs simultaneously for redundancy in case of Ethernet connection breakdown or host PC failure. Further, the device supports HTTPS, SSH, and SSL encryption to assure the security of critical data transmission.

Software Features

- Supports five host devices including Virtual COM, TCP Server, TCP Client modes and four IP ranges
- Supports operating modes such as Virtual Com, Serial Tunnel, TCP Server, TCP Client, UDP
- NAT-pass through support for users to manage IDS-2102A through NAT router
- Ensure high levels of security with SSL data encryption, HTTPS/SSH, IP access control and IP white list
- Event warning by Syslog, Email, SNMP trap, and beeper
- Configurable by Web Interface and Windows utility
- Configurable by Windows utility (DS-Tool)
- Various Windows OS supported: Windows NT/2000/ XP/ 2003/VISTA(32/64bit)/
 Windows 7(32/64bit)

1.2 Hardware Specifications

- 1 x RS-232/422/485 serial ports
- 2 x 10/100Base-T(X) Ethernet ports
- DIN-rail and wall-mount enabled
- Redundant DC power inputs
- Operating Temperature: -10 to 60°C
- Storage Temperature: -40 to 85°C
- Operating Humidity: 5% to 95%, non-condensing



■ Casing: IP-30

■ Dimensions: 26 (W) x 75 (D) x 110 (H) mm



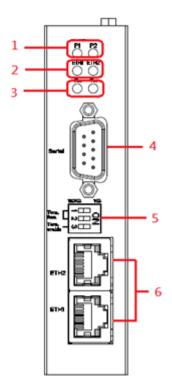
Hardware Overview

2.1 Front Panel

2.1.1 Ports and Connectors

The device provides the following ports on the top panel. The Ethernet port on the device use RJ-45 connectors

Port	Description
Copper port	2 x 10/100Base-T(X) port (one is PoE-enabled)
Serial port	1 x DB9 serial ports



IDS-2102A

- 1. Power status indicators
- 2. LAN port connection indicators
- Serial signal reception status indicator
- 4. DB9 serial port

- 5. RS 422/ 485 Termination
- 6. Ethernet ports



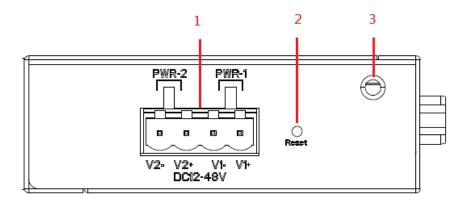
2.1.2 LED

LED	Color	Status	Description
Power	Green	On	Power is on and function normally
1/2	Green	Oli	Fower is on and function normally
ETH	Green	On	Ethernet port link up
1/2	Green	Oli	
TX /	Red	On	Receiving data
RX	Green	On	Transmitting data

2.2 Top Panel

Below are the top panel components of the device:

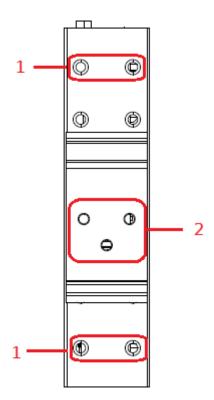
- 1. Terminal blocks: PWR1, PWR2,
- 2. Reset default button
- 3. Ground wire. For more information on how to ground the switch, please refer to <u>3.3.1</u> Grounding.



2.3 Rear Panel

- 1. Wall-Mount screw holes
- 2. Din-rail



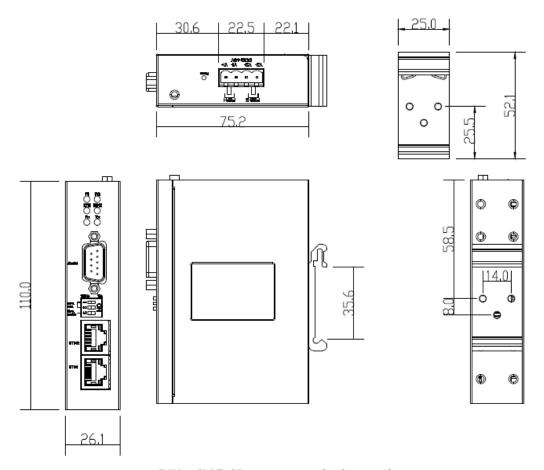




Hardware Installation

3.1 DIN-rail Installation

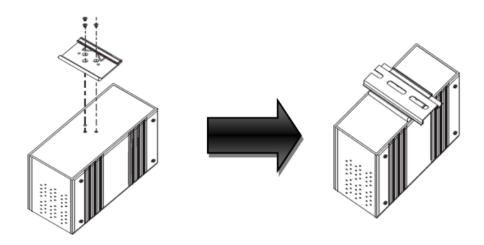
The device comes with a DIN-rail kit to allow you to fasten the device to a DIN-rail in any environments.



DIN-rail Kit Measurement (unit = mm)

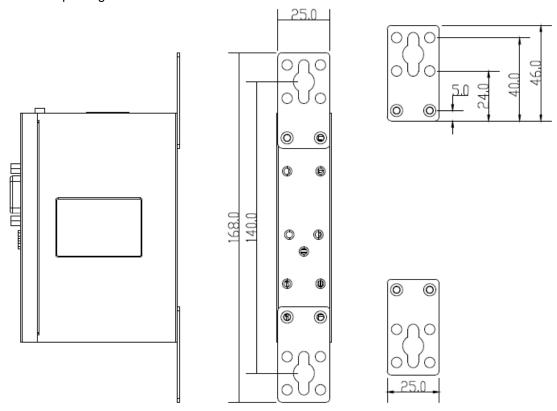
Installing the device on the DIN-rail is easy. First, screw the Din-rail kit onto the back of the device, right in the middle of the back panel. Then slide the device onto a DIN-rail from the Din-rail kit and make sure the device clicks into the rail firmly.





3.2 Wall Mounting

Besides Din-rail, the device can be fixed to the wall via wall mount kits, which can be found in the package.



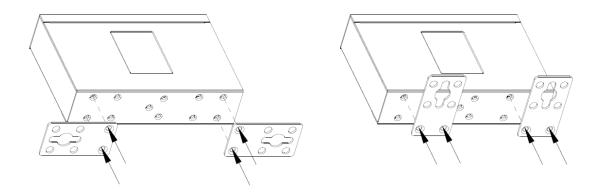
Wall-Mount Kit Measurement (unit = mm)

Follow the steps below to install the device to a rack.

Step 1: Install the L-shape mounting kits provided in the package to the left and right of the device.



Step 2: With front brackets orientated in front of the rack, mount the device in the rack with four rack-mounting screws.



3.3 Wiring



WARNING

Do not disconnect modules or wires unless power has been switched off or the area is known to be non-hazardous. The devices may only be connected to the supply voltage shown on the type plate.



ATTENTION

- 1. Be sure to disconnect the power cord before installing and/or wiring your devices.
- 2. Calculate the maximum possible current in each power wire and common wire. Observe all electrical codes dictating the maximum current allowable for each wire size.
- 3. If the current goes above the maximum ratings, the wiring could overheat, causing serious damage to your equipment.
- 4. Use separate paths to route wiring for power and devices. If power wiring and device wiring paths must cross, make sure the wires are perpendicular at the intersection point.
- 5. Do not run signal or communications wiring and power wiring through the same wire conduit. To avoid interference, wires with different signal characteristics should be routed separately.
- 6. You can use the type of signal transmitted through a wire to determine which wires should be kept separate. The rule of thumb is that wiring sharing similar electrical characteristics can be bundled together
- 7. You should separate input wiring from output wiring
- 8. It is advised to label the wiring to all devices in the system

3.3.1 Grounding



Grounding and wire routing help limit the effects of noise due to electromagnetic interference (EMI). Run the ground connection from the ground pin on the power module to the grounding surface prior to connecting devices.



3.3.2 Redundant Power Inputs

The device has two sets of DC power inputs on a 4-pin terminal block located on top of the device. Follow the steps below to wire the power input on the terminal block.

Step 1: insert the negative/positive wires into the V-/V+ terminals, respectively.

Step 2: to keep the wires from pulling loose, use a small flat-blade screwdriver to tighten the wire-clamp screws on the front of the terminal block connector.

3.4 Connection

3.4.1 Cables

10/100BASE-T(X) Pin Assignments

The device has two standard Ethernet ports. According to the link type, the device uses CAT 3, 4, 5,5e UTP cables to connect to any other network devices (PCs, servers, switches, routers, or hubs). Please refer to the following table for cable specifications.

Cable Types and Specifications:

Cable	Туре	Max. Length	Connect or
10BASE-T	Cat. 3, 4, 5 100-ohm	UTP 100 m (328 ft)	RJ-45
100BASE-TX	Cat. 5 100-ohm UTP	UTP 100 m (328 ft)	RJ-45

With 10/100Base-T(X) cables, pins 1 and 2 are used for transmitting data, and pins 3 and 6 are used for receiving data.

10/100 Base-T(X) RJ-45 Pin Assignments:

Pin Number	Assignment
1	TD+
2	TD-
3	RD+
4	Not used
5	Not used
6	RD-
7	Not used
8	Not used

The device also supports auto MDI/MDI-X operation. You can use a cable to connect the



device to a PC. The table below shows the 10/100Base-T(X) MDI and MDI-X port pin outs.

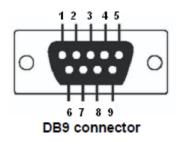
10/100 Base-T(X) MDI/MDI-X Pin Assignments:

Pin Number	MDI port	MDI-X port
1	TD+(transmit)	RD+(receive)
2	TD-(transmit)	RD-(receive)
3	RD+(receive)	TD+(transmit)
4	Not used	Not used
5	Not used	Not used
6	RD-(receive)	TD-(transmit)
7	Not used	Not used
8	Not used	Not used

Note: "+" and "-" signs represent the polarity of the wires that make up each wire pair.

DB9 console port wiring

The serial ports can be connected using a DB9 cable. The DB9 connector supports RS232 / RS422 / RS485 operation modes. Please refer to the following table for the pin assignments of the DB9 connector.



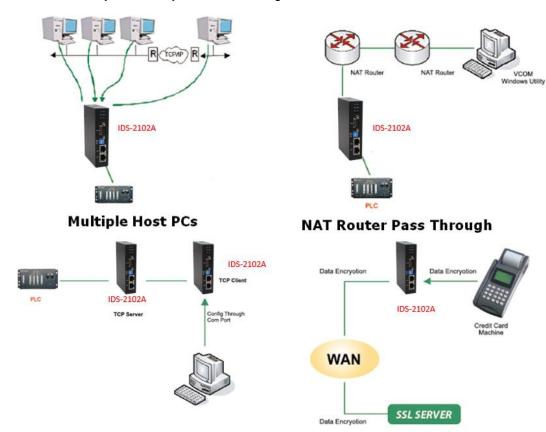
Pin#	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485 (4 wire)	RS-485 (2 wire)
1	DCD	TX-	TX-	,
2	RXD	TX+	TX+	
3	TXD	RX+	RX+	DATA+
4	DTR	RX-	RX-	DATA-
5	GND			
6	DSR			
7	RTS			
8	CTS			



Management

4.1 DS-Tool

The Windows utility DS-Tool is a powerful Windows utility for DS series. It supports device discovery, device configuration, group setup, group firmware update, and monitoring functions. The tool enables you to easily install and configure devices on the network.

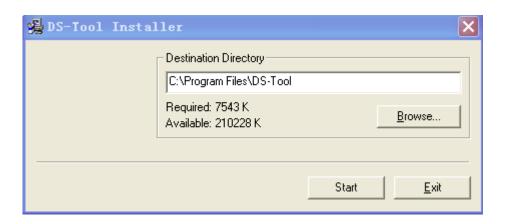


4.1.1 Install DS-Tool

Follow the steps below to install the tool.

Step 1: Run the Setup program by clicking Start after selecting the folder for DS-Tool.





Step 2: When installation completes successfully, click **OK**.



Step 3: You can launch the tool right immediately by checking **Launch DS-Tool Now** or launch it later by checking **Launch DS-Tool Later**.



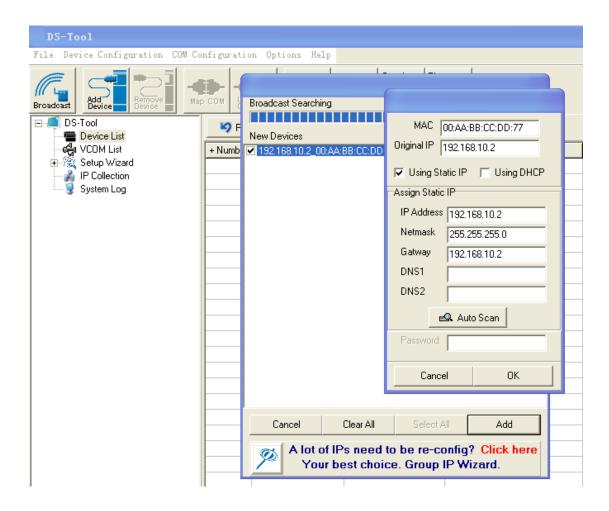
4.1.2 Using DS-Tool

Explore device servers

DS-Tool will broadcast to the network and search all available DS devices in the network automatically. The default IP address of the device is "192.168.10.2". Select the device you wish to use and press Add button.

You can set a static IP address or use the DHCP client mode to acquire an IP address automatically. Click **OK** and the device will be added.



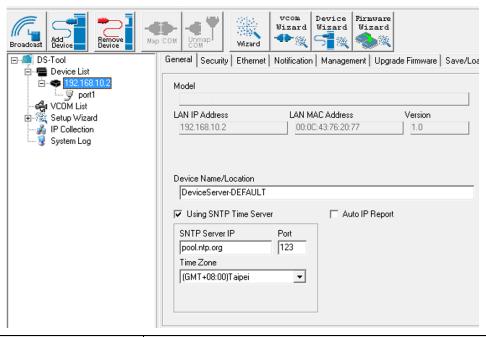


4.1.3 Configure Device Servers

General

This page enables you to perform general configuration for the device, includes the device name, SNTP server, and auto IP report.



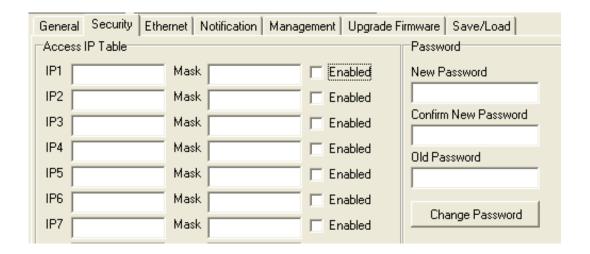


Label	Description
	You can input the device name or related information in this
Device Name/Location	field. By clicking Locate On , you can locate the serial server's
	position.
	If you want to set the time via a SNTP time server, check the
Using SNTP Time Server	box and input related information such as the SNTP server
Using SINTE Time Server	domain name or IP address and the port number, and select a
	time zone.
	Check the Auto IP Report box if you want to receive IP report
	regularly. By Clicking the Get Current Host, you will get your
Auto IP Report	local IP address. Input a value in the Report Interval time
	based on how often you want the device server to report its
	status.

Security

This page allows you to set up access IP tables for your device to allow authorized and deny unauthorized access, thereby ensuring data security and facilitating device management.





Label	Description	
Access IP Table	You can input the host IP addresses and network masks to prevent	
Access IF Table	unauthorized access.	
Bassword	You can set the password to prevent unauthorized access from your	
Password	server. Factory default is no password.	

Ethernet

You must assign a valid IP address for DS before attached in your network environment. Your network administrator should provide you the IP address and related settings. The IP address must be unique within the network (otherwise, DS will not have a valid connection to the network). You can choose from three possible "IP configuration" modes: Static, DHCP/BOOTP. The Factory Default IP address is "192.168.10.2"



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Wire	
✓ Using Static	IP Using DHCP/BOOTP
Static IP Setting	gs
IP Address	192.168.2.214
Netmask	255.255.255.0
Gateway	192.168.2.214
DNS1	
DNS2	

Label	Description	
Using Static IP	Manually assign an IP address to the device.	
Using DHCP/BOOTP	Check this box to have the IP address automatically assigned by a DHCP server in your network.	
Netmask	All devices on the network must have the same subnet mask to communicate on the network.	
Gateway	Enter the IP address of the router in you network.	
DNS1/2	Enter the IP addresses of the primary and secondary DNS servers, The DNS server translates domain names into IP address.	

Notification

Specify the events that should be notified to the administrator. The events can be alarmed by E-mail, SNMP trap, or Syslog.



Label	Description
SNMP Trap	Check the box to allow the system to send SNMP traps when an



	event occurs. SNMP traps are data packages sent from the SNMP client to the server without being explicitly requested. You need to set up trap servers that will receive these messages if the box is checked. Trap Server1 Trap Server3 Trap Server4
Email Notification	Check the box to allow the system to send e-mails when an event occurs. You need to specify the SMTP Server and the email address to use for sending emails if the box is checked. SMTP Settings SMTP Server Port Port Port Port Email List Email Address 1 Email Address 3 Sender Email Address 2 Email Address 4
Syslog Notification	Check the box to allow the system to send a detailed log to an external Syslog server when an event occurs. The syslog will capture all log activity and includes every connection source and destination IP address, IP service, and number of bytes transferred to facilitate troubleshooting. You need to enter Server IP address and Server Port of the syslog server. System Log Settings Server IP O Using Current Host's Log Server
Notified items	Select the corresponding check box to send an event alert to a remote syslog sever ·Hardware Reset (Cold Start): Rebooting the device from power plug will trigger the event



	·Software Reset (Warm Start): Rebooting the device from
	Reboot Device function from Save/Load menu will trigger the
	event.
	·Login Failed: Using wrong password in console will trigger the
	event
	·IP Changed: Changing network setting will trigger the event
	·Password Changed: Changing the password will trigger the
	event
	·Access IP Blocked: Report blocked IP addresses
	You can specify the server IP address and port or click Using
System Log Settings	Current Host's Log Server to specify current host as the log
	server.

Management

This section enables you to perform management functions using different interfaces including the Web, Telnet, and SNMP.

e/Load

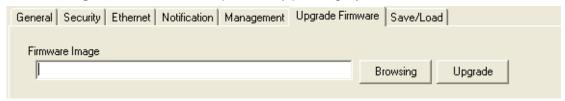
Label	Description
Web Management Enable	Check the box to enable management from Web. Click



	Goto Web Management button to access the Web.
	Check the box to enable management by Telnet. Click
Telnet Management Enable	Goto Telnet Management button to execute Telnet
	command.
SNMP Management Enable	Check the box to enable management by SNMP.
SNMP Management Settings	If SNMP Management Enable is checked, you need to fill
	in the SNMP settings in these fields by assigning the
	Community, Location, Contact, and Trap Server.

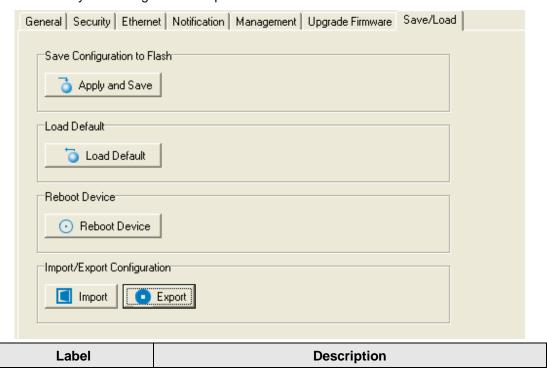
Upgrade Firmware

You can find up-to-date firmware from support@lantechcom.tw. To update firmware for the device, save the firmware file in your host PC, and then specify the file location by clicking on the Browsing button and continue operation by pressing Update.



Save/Load

This page allows you to save the current configuration file to any local drive or any network drive to which your management computer can connect.

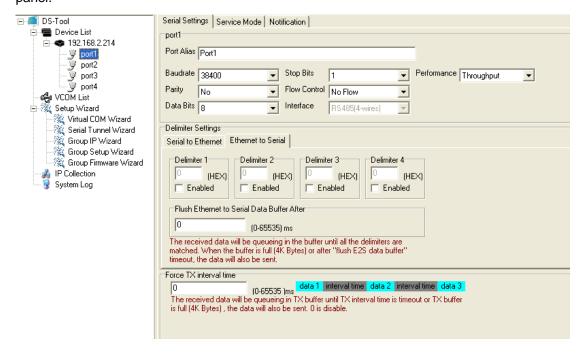




Apply and Save	Click this button will save all applied settings into the flash of the appliance
Load Default	All parameters changes to factory's default except network settings. If you want to load all factory default, you need to press Reset button on the device (Hardware restore).
Reboot Device	Click this button will reboot device and need to broadcast again in order to search the device (warm start).
Import Configuration	Click this button will retrieve saved configuration file and apply it to in current device
Export Configuration	Saving the current parameters to a file and export it to a current host.

4.1.4 Configure Serial Port

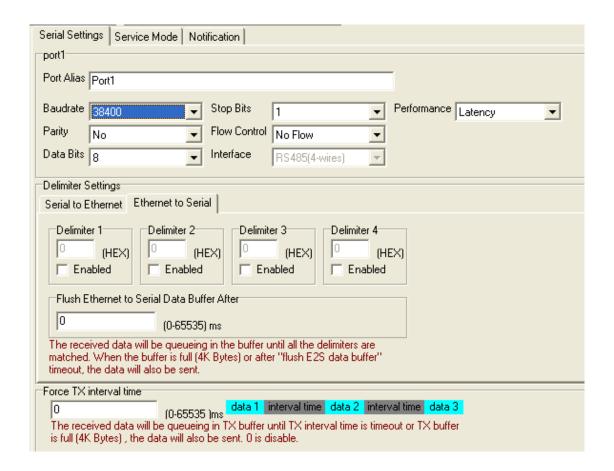
You can configure the settings for each serial port by clicking on the port number in the left panel of the window. Once you click on a port, the following screen will show up in the right panel.



Serial Settings

The page allows you to configure serial parameters, serial communication modes, data packing options, and event notifications.





Label	Description
	Port alias enables the device server to easily identify the
Port Alias	serial devices connected to it. Enter an identifying name to be
	identified by the connected device.
	Baud rate is the rate at which data is transferred over a serial
	link. When setting the baud rate to 9600bps, the serial port
Baud rate	will transfer a maximum of 9600 bits per second. You can
	select a baud rate from the drop-down list which ranges from
	110bps to 460800bps
	Parity is a simple form of error detection which guards data on
	the cable between the connected devices and the serial port.
	Available options include:
Parity	None : parity checking is not performed and the parity bit is
	not transmitted.
	Odd : the number of mark bits in the data is counted, and the
	parity bit is asserted or unasserted to obtain an odd number of



	mark bits.
	Even : the number of mark bits in the data is counted, and the
	parity bit is asserted or unasserted to obtain an even number
	of mark bits.
	of mark bits.
	Mark: the parity bit is always set to the mark signal condition (logical 1)
	Space: the last transmitted data bit will always be a logical 0
	Choose the number of data bits to transmit. You can
Data Bita	configure data bits to be 5, 6, 7, or 8. Data is transmitted as a
Data Bits	series of five, six, seven, or eight bits (five and six bit data
	formats are used rarely for specialized communications
	equipment).
	Choose the number of bits used to indicate the end of a byte.
	You can configure stop bits to be 1 or 2(1.5). If Stop Bits is
Stop Bits	1.5, the stop bit is transferred for 150% of the normal time
	used to transfer one bit. Both the computer and the peripheral
	device must be configured to transmit the same number of
	stop bits.
	Serial communication consists of hardware flow control and
	software flow control, so called as the control is handled by
	software or hardware. XOFF and OXN is software flow control
	while RTS/CTS or DTR/DSR is hardware flow control.
	Choose XOFF to tell the computer to stop sending data; then
	the receiving side will send an XOFF character over its Tx line
	to tell the transmitting side to stop transmitting. Choose XON
Flow Comtrol	to tell the computer to begin sending data again; then the
Flow Control	receiving side will send an XON character over its Tx line to
	tell the transmitting side to resume transmitting. In hardware
	flow control mode, when the device is ready to receive data, it
	sends a CTS (Clear To Send) signal to the device on the other
	end. When a device has something it wants to send, it will
	send a RTS (Ready To Send) signal and waits for a CTS
	signal to come back its way. These signals are sent apart
	from the data itself on separate wires.
Interface	Choose an interface for your serial device. Available
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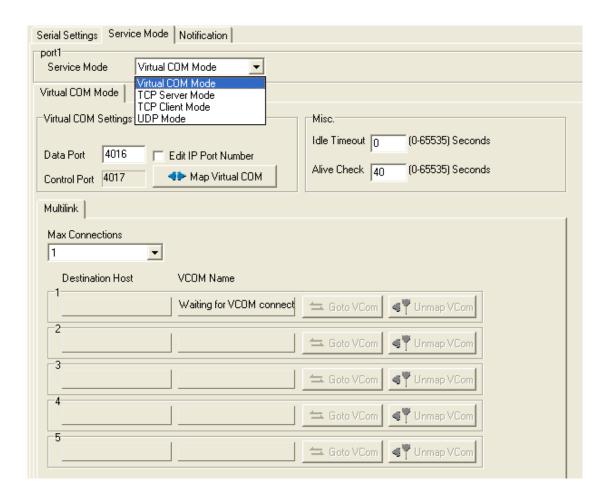
	interfaces include RS-232, RS-422, RS-485(2-wires), and
	RS-485(4-wires),
Performance	Throughput: guarantees highest transmission speed.
	Latency: guarantees shortest response time.
	Serial to Ethernet / Ethernet to Serial
	For advanced data packing options, you can specify
	delimiters for Serial to Ethernet and / or Ethernet to
	Serial communications. You can define max. 4 delimiters
	(00~FF, Hex) for each way. The data will be hold until
	the delimiters are received or the option.
Delimiter Settings	Flush Serial to Ethernet data buffer times out. 0
	means disable. Factory default is 0 .
	Flush Data Buffer After:
	The received data will be queuing in the buffer until all the
	delimiters are matched. When the buffer is full (4K Bytes) or
	after "flush S2E data buffer" timeout the data will also be
	sent. You can set the time from 0 to 65535 seconds.
	Force TX interval time is to specify the timeout when no data
Force TX Interval Time	has been transmitted. When the timeout is reached or TX
FUICE IA IIILEIVAI TIME	buffer is full (4K Bytes), the queued data will be sent. 0 means
	disable. Factory default value is 0 .

Service Mode

Virtual COM Mode

In Virtual COM Mode, the driver establishes a transparent connection between host and serial device by mapping the port of the serial server serial port to a local COM port on the host computer. Virtual COM Mode also supports up to 5 simultaneous connections, so that multiple hosts can send or receive data by the same serial device at the same time.



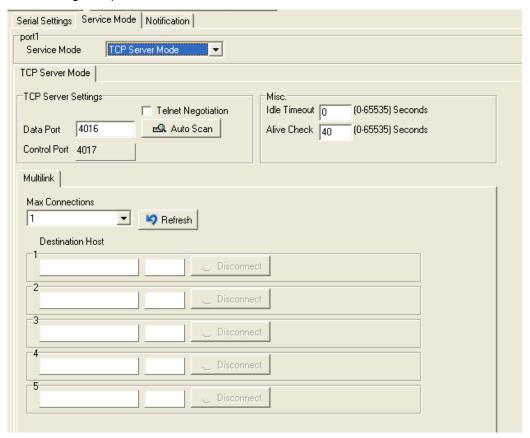


Label	Description
Data Port	Set the port number for data transmission.
	When a serial port stops data transmission for a defined
	period of time (Idle Timeout), the connection will be closed
Idle Timeout	and the port will be freed and try to connect with other hosts.
idle Tillleout	0 means the function is disabled which is also the factory
	default value. If multilink is configured, only the first host
	connection is effective for this setting.
	The serial device will send a TCP alive-check package in
	each defined time interval (Alive Check) to remote host to
Alive Check	check the the status of TCP connections. If the TCP
Alive Check	connection is not alive, the connection will be closed and the
	port will be freed. 0 means the function is disabled which is
	also the factory default value.
Max Connection	The number of max connections can be supported
IVIAX COIIIIECTIOII	simultaneously is 5 ; default values is 1 .
Map Virtual COM	Select a Virtual COM name to map on.



TCP Server Mode

In TCP Server mode, the serial port on the device server is assigned a unique port number. The host computer initiates contact with the device server, establishes the connection, and receives data from the serial device. Five simultaneous connections are supported in this mode, enabling multiple hosts to collect data from the same serial device at the same time.



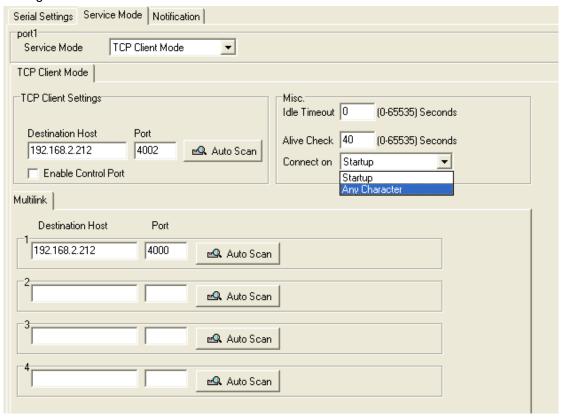
Label	Description
Data Port	Set the port number for data transmission.
Auto Scan	Scan the data port automatically.
	When a serial port stops data transmission for a defined period
	of time (Idle Timeout), the connection will be closed and the port
Idle Timeout	will be freed and try to connect with other hosts. 0 means the
	function is disabled which is the factory default value. If multilink
	is configured, only the first host connection is effective for this
	setting.
Alive Check	The serial device will send a TCP alive-check package in each
	defined time interval (Alive Check) to remote host to check the
	TCP connection. If the TCP connection is not alive, the
	connection will be closed and the port will be freed. 0 means the



	function is disabled which is the factory default value.		
Max Connection	The number of maximum connections can be support		
	simultaneously is 5; default values is 1.		
Destination Host	Input the IP address of the host.		

TCP Client Mode

In TCP Client mode, the device can establish a TCP connection with the server by the method you have settled (Startup or any character). After the data has been transferred, the device can disconnect automatically from the server by using the TCP alive check time or idle time settings.



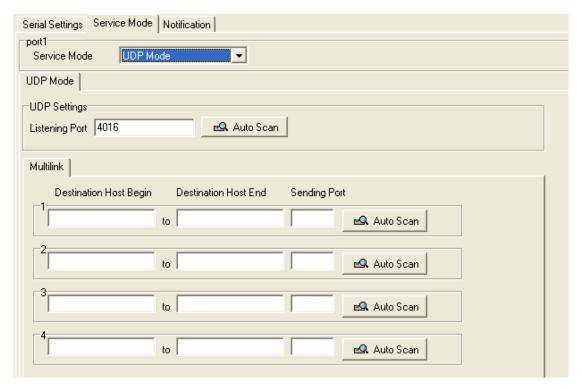
Label	Description	
Destination Host	Input the IP address of the host.	
Port	Set the port number of data port.	
	When a serial port stops data transmission for a defined period	
Idle Timeout	of time (Idle Timeout), the connection will be closed and the port	
	will be freed and try to connect with other hosts. 0 means the	
	function is disabled which is the factory default value. If multilink	
	is configured, only the first host connection is effective for this	
	setting.	



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	defined time interval (Alive Check) to remote host to check the	
Alive Check	TCP connection. If the TCP connection is not alive, the	
	connection will be closed and the port will be freed. 0 means the	
	function is disabled which is the factory default value.	
Compact on Startur	The TCP Client will build a TCP connection once the connected	
Connect on Startup	serial device is started.	
Connect on Any	The TCP Client will build a TCP connection once the connected	
Character	serial device starts to send data.	

UDP Mode

Compared to TCP communication, UDP is faster and more efficient as you can unicast or multicast data from the serial device server to host computers, and the serial device can also receive data from one or multiple host.



Label		Description	
Listening Port		IP port for listening incoming messages	
		If there are more than one destination hosts, specify the IP	
Destination	Host	address range by inputting a value in destination host IP begin /	
Begin / End		end fields. You can also auto scan the sending port number of	
		the device	



Sending Port	IP port for sending outgoing messages
Serialing i ort	ii port for seriality outgoing messages

Notification

Port status can be notified to administrator by means of Email, SNMP trap, or System Log. You can specify the events that should be noticed and the notification methods in this page.

Serial Settings Service Mode N	lotification	
SNMP Trap	Email Notification	Syslog Notification
SNMP Settings Email Settings	Syslog Settings	
Notified Items		
CDCD Changed	CTS Chang	ged
☐ DSR Changed	Port Conne	cted
	Port Discor	nnected
Trap Server1		-1
Trap Server2		
T 0 0		
Trap Server3		
Toon Convert		
Trap Server4		

Label	Description	
	When DCD (Data Carrier Detect) signal changes, it indicates that	
DCD changed	the modem connection status has changed. A notification will be	
	sent if the box is checked.	
	When DSR (Data Set Ready) signal changes, it indicates that the	
DSR changed	data communication equipment is powered off. A notification will	
	be sent if the box is checked.	
	When CTS (Clear To Send) signal changes, it indicates that t	
CTS changed	transmission between computer and DCE can proceed. A	
	notification will be sent if the box is checked.	
RI changed	When RI (Ring Indicator) signal changes, it indicates that the	



	incoming of a call. A notification will be sent if the box is checked.
	checked.
	In TCP Server Mode, when the device accepts an incoming TCP
	connection, this event will be triggered. In TCP Client Mode, when
Port connected	the device has connected to the remote host, this event will be
	triggered. In Virtual COM Mode, Virtual COM is ready to use. A
	notification will be sent if the box is checked.
	In TCP Server/Client Mode, when the device loses the TCP link,
Port disconnected	this event will be triggered. In Virtual COM Mode, when Virtual
Port disconnected	COM is not available, this event will be triggered. A notification will
	be sent if the box is checked.

4.2 Web Management

The device can be managed via a built-in web server which supports Internet Explorer (Internet Explorer 5.0 or above versions) and other Web browsers such as Chrome. Therefore, you can manage and configure the device easily and remotely. You can also upgrade firmware via a Web browser. The Web management function not only reduces network bandwidth consumption, but also enhances access speed and provides a user-friendly viewing screen.

Note: By default, IE5.0 or later version do not allow Java applets to open sockets. You need to modify the browser setting separately in order to enable Java applets for network ports.

Management via Web Browser

Follow the steps below to manage your device via a Web browser

System Login

- 1. Launch an Internet Explorer.
- 2. Type http:// and the IP address of the device. Press **Enter**.



- 3. A login screen appears.
- 4. Type in the username and password. The default username and password is admin.
- 5. Press **Enter** or click **OK**, the management page appears.





Note: you can use the following default values:

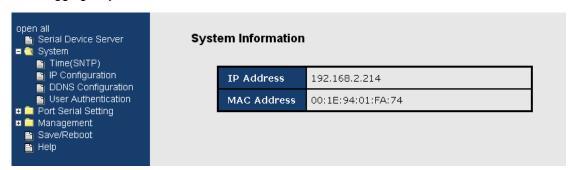
IP Address: 192.168.10.1

Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0

Default Gateway: 192.168.10.254

User Name: admin
Password: admin

After logging in, you will see the information of the device as below.



On the left hand side of the management interface shows links to various settings. Clicking on the links will bring you to individual configuration pages.

4.2.1 Settings

System

Time (SNTP)

SNTP (Simple Network Time Protocol) is a protocol able to synchronize the time on your system to the clock on the Internet. It will synchronize your computer system time with a server that has already been synchronized by a source such as a radio, satellite receiver or modem.



Name	DeviceServer-DEFAULT
Time	
SNTP	∗Enable ∘Disable
Time Zone	(GMT+08:00)Taipei ▼
Local Time	Thu May 21 2015 13:53:10 GM
Time Server	pool.ntp.org Port 123
Console	
Telnet Console	

Label	Description	
Name	Enter the model name of the device	
SNTP	Enable or disable SNTP function	
Time Zone	Choose the time zone according to the location of the device	
Local Time	Set up the local time	
Time Server	Enter the address of the time server	
Telnet Console	Click to enable or disable Telnet console function.	

The following table lists different location time zones for your reference.

Local Time Zone	Conversion from UTC	Time at 12:00 UTC
November Time Zone	- 1 hour	11 am
Oscar Time Zone	-2 hours	10 am
ADT - Atlantic Daylight	-3 hours	9 am
AST - Atlantic Standard EDT - Eastern	-4 hours	8 am
Daylight		
EST - Eastern Standard CDT - Central	-5 hours	7 am
Daylight		
CST - Central Standard MDT - Mountain	-6 hours	6 am
Daylight		
MST - Mountain Standard PDT - Pacific	-7 hours	5 am
Daylight		
PST - Pacific Standard ADT - Alaskan	-8 hours	4 am
Daylight		
ALA - Alaskan Standard	-9 hours	3 am
HAW - Hawaiian Standard	-10 hours	2 am
Nome, Alaska	-11 hours	1 am
CET - Central European FWT - French	+1 hour	1 pm



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+2 hours	2 pm
+3 hours	3 pm
+4 hours	4 pm
+5 hours	5 pm
+6 hours	6 pm
+7 hours	7 pm
+8 hours	8 pm
+9 hours	9 pm
+10 hours	10 pm
+12 hours	Midnight
	+3 hours +4 hours +5 hours +6 hours +7 hours +8 hours +9 hours +10 hours

IP Configuration

This page allows you to configure IP settings for the device. You can assign an IP address manually or leave it to DHCP/BOOTP servers which will reply with an automatically generated IP address and subnet mask for the device when they receive the request. The IP address must be unique and within the network, otherwise the device will not have a valid connection to the network. Select **Static IP** if you are using a fixed IP address. Click **Apply** after you complete configuration.



IP Configuration	Static ▼
IP Address	192.168.10.2
Netmask	255.255.255.0
Gateway	192.168.10.1
DNS Server 1	192.168.10.1
DNS Server 2	
Auto IP Report	
Auto Report to IP	
Auto Report to TCP Port	0
Auto Report Interval	0 seconds

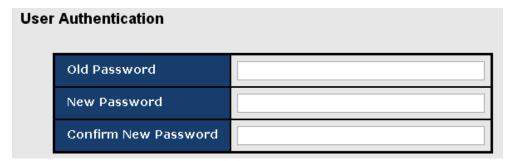
Label	Description
IP Configuration	Choose to use a static or DHCP-assigned IP. If you choose
	DHCP, the following fields will gray out.
	Static: Input an IP address for the device.
	DHCP/BOOTP: allows the IP address of the device to be
	automatically assigned by a configuration server.
	PPPoE: select this option if your ISP requires you to use a
	PPPoE connection which is typically used by DSL
	providers. Enter the PPPoE login user name and password
	which should have been provided to you by your ISP.
IP Address	Enter the IP address that identifies the server on the TCP/IP
	network
Netmask	Enter a subnet mask for the device.
Gateway	Enter the IP address of the router that provides network access
	outside the server's LAN
DNS Server 1/2	Enter the IP address of the primary and secondary domain
	name server
Auto Report to IP	Specify an IP address for reports generated by the Auto report function
	to be automatically sent to.
Auto Report to TCP Port	Specify a TCP Port for reports generated by the Auto report function to
	be automatically sent to.



Auto Report Interval	Specify a time interval for which reports will be delivered.
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User Authentication

This page allows you to set up login account and password. You can also change your password in this page.



Label	Description	
Old Password	Enter the existing password that is used to log in	
New Password	Enter a new password that will be used to log in	
Confirm New Password	Retype the new password to confirm	

Port Serial Setting

Serial Configuration

This page allows you to configure serial port parameters.



Serial Configuration

	Port1 ▼
Port Alias	Port1
Interface	RS485(4-wires) ▼
Baud Rate	38400 ▼
Data Bits	8 🔻
Stop Bits	1
Parity	None ▼
Flow Control	None ▼
Force TX Interval Time	0 ms
Performance	Throughput Latency

Label	Description
Port Alias	Enter the COM port number that modem is connected to
Interface	Choose an interface for your serial device. Available interfaces
	include RS-232, RS-422, RS-485(2-wires), and
	RS-485(4-wires),
Baud Rate	Choose a baud rate in the range between 110 bps and 460800
	bps.
Data Bits	Choose the number of data bits to transmit. You can
	configure data bits to be 7, or 8. Data is transmitted as a
	series of five, six, seven, or eight bits (five and six bit data
	formats are used rarely for specialized communications
	equipment).
Stop Bits	Choose the number of bits used to indicate the end of a byte.
	You can configure stop bits to be 1 or 2(1.5). If Stop Bits is 1.5,
	the stop bit is transferred for 150% of the normal time used to
	transfer one bit. Both the computer and the peripheral device
	must be configured to transmit the same number of stop bits.
Parity	Chose the method of detecting errors in transmission. Parity
	control bit modes include None, Odd, Even, Mark, and Space.



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transi	e: parity checking is not performed and the parity bit is not mitted.
	the number of mark bits in the data is counted, and the
	bit is asserted or unasserted to obtain an odd number of
mark	
	the number of mark bits in the data is counted, and the
	bit is asserted or unasserted to obtain an even number of
mark	
	the parity bit is always set to the mark signal condition
(logic	·
-	e: the last transmitted data bit will always be a logical 0
	communication consists of hardware flow control and
softw	are flow control, so called as the control is handled by
softw	are or hardware. XOFF and OXN is software flow control
while	RTS/CTS or DTR/DSR is hardware flow control.
Choo	se XOFF to tell the computer to stop sending data; then
the re	ceiving side will send an XOFF character over its Tx line to
tell th	e transmitting side to stop transmitting. Choose XON to tell
the c	omputer to begin sending data again; then the receiving
side	will send an XON character over its Tx line to tell the
transi	mitting side to resume transmitting. In hardware flow
contro	ol mode, when the device is ready to receive data, it sends
a CT	S (Clear To Send) signal to the device on the other end.
When	a device has something it wants to send, it will send a
RTS	(Ready To Send) signal and waits for a CTS signal to come
back	its way. These signals are sent apart from the data itself on
separ	ate wires.
ForceTX Interval Time Force	TX interval time is to specify the timeout when no data
has b	een transmitted. When the timeout is reached or TX buffer
is full	(4K Bytes), the queued data will be sent. 0 means disable.
Facto	ry default value is 0 .
Performance Thro	ughput: This mode optimized for highest transmission
speed	d.
Later	ncy: This mode optimized for shortest response time.

Port Profile



Port Profile

	Port1 •
Local TCP Port	4016
Mode	Serial to Ethernet
Flush Data Buffer After	0 ms
Delimiter(Hex 0∼ff)	1: 00 2: 00 3: 00 4: 00
Mode	Ethernet to Serial
Flush Data Buffer After	0 ms
Delimiter(Hex 0∼ff)	1: 00 2: 00 3: 00 4: 00

Label	Description
	The TCP port the device uses to listen to connections, and that
Local TCP Port	other devices must use to contact the device. To avoid conflicts
	with well known TCP ports, the default is set to 4000.
	The received data will be queuing in the buffer until all the
Flush Data Buffer After	delimiters are matched. When the buffer is full (4K Bytes) or
	after "flush S2E data buffer" timeout the data will also be
	sent. You can set the time from 0 to 65535 seconds.
	For advanced data packing options, you can specify
	delimiters for Serial to Ethernet and / or Ethernet to Serial
Delimiter	communications. You can define max. 4 delimiters (00~FF,
	Hex) for each way. The data will be hold until the delimiters
	are received or the option Flush Serial to Ethernet data
	buffer times out. 0 means disable. Factory default is 0 .

Service Mode - Virtual COM Mode

In Virtual COM Mode, the driver establishes a transparent connection between the host and the serial device by mapping the port of the serial server to a local COM port on the host computer. Virtual COM Mode also supports up to 5 simultaneous connections, so that multiple hosts can send or receive data by the same serial device at the same time.



Serv	ice Mode	
		Port1 ▼
	Data Encryption	○ Enable ● Disable
	Service Mode	Virtual COM Mode ▼
	Idle Timeout	0 (0~65535)seconds
	Alive Check	40 (0~65535)seconds
	Max Connection	1 ▼ max. connection (1~5)

Label	Description
Data Encryption	Click on the radio button to enable or disable data encryption
	When serial port stops data transmission for a defined period of
	time, the connection will be closed and the port will be freed and
Idle Timeout	try to connect with other hosts. 0 indicate disable this function.
	Factory default value is 0 . If Multilink is configured, only the first
	host connection is effective for this setting.
	The serial device will send TCP alive-check packages in each
	defined time interval to remote host to check the TCP
Alive Check	connection. If the TCP connection is not alive, the connection
	will be closed and the port will be freed. 0 indicate disable this
	function. Factory default is 0 .
Max Connection	The number of Max connection can support simultaneous
	connections are 5, default values is 1.

^{*}Not allowed to mapping Virtual COM from web

Service Mode - TCP Server Mode

In TCP Server Mode, DS is configured with a unique port combination on a TCP/IP network. In this case, DS waits passively to be contacted by the device. After the device establishes a connection with the serial device, it can then proceed with data transmission. TCP Server mode also supports up to 5 simultaneous connections, so that multiple device can receive data from the same serial device at the same time.



Service Mode Port1 ▼ Data Encryption EnableDisable Service Mode TCP Server Mode ▼ Telnet Negotiation O Enable O Disable TCP Server Port 4016 Idle Timeout 0 (0~65535)seconds Alive Check 40 (0~65535)seconds Max Connection 1 ▼ max. connection(1~5)

Label	Description
Data Encryption	Click on the radio button to enable or disable data encryption
TCP Server Port	Enter the TCP server port number
	When serial port stops data transmission for a defined period
	of time, the connection will be closed and the port will be freed
Idle Timeout	and try to connect with other hosts. 0 indicate disable this
	function. Factory default value is 0 . If Multilink is configured,
	only the first host connection is effective for this setting.
	The serial device will send TCP alive-check package in each
	defined time interval (Alive Check) to remote host to check the
Alive Check	TCP connection. If the TCP connection is not alive, the
	connection will be closed and the port will be freed. 0 indicate
	disable this function. Factory default is 0 .
	The serial device will send TCP alive-check packages in each
	defined time interval to remote host to check the TCP
Max Connection	connection. If the TCP connection is not alive, the connection
	will be closed and the port will be freed. 0 indicate disable this
	function. Factory default is 0.

Service Mode - TCP Client Mode

In TCP Client Mode, the device can establish a TCP connection with the server by the method you set (Startup or any character). After the data has been transferred, the device can disconnect automatically from the server by using the TCP alive check time or idle timeout settings.



Service Mode

	Port1 ▼
Data Encryption	○ Enable ● Disable
Service Mode	TCP Client Mode ▼
Destination Host	: 4016
Idle Timeout	0 (0~65535)seconds
Alive Check	40 (0~65535)seconds
Connect on	● Startup ○ Any Character
Destination Host	Port
1.	65535
2.	65535
3.	65535
4.	65535

Label	Description
Data Encryption	Click on the radio button to enable or disable data encryption
Destination Host	Set the IP address of host and the port number of data port
	When serial port stops data transmission for a defined period of
	time, the connection will be closed and the port will be freed and
Idle Timeout	try to connect with other hosts. 0 indicate disable this function.
	Factory default value is 0. If Multilink is configured, only the first
	host connection is effective for this setting.
	The serial device will send TCP alive-check packages in each
	defined time interval to remote host to check the TCP connection.
Alive Check	If the TCP connection is not alive, the connection will be closed
	and the port will be freed. 0 indicate disable this function. Factory
	default is 0 .
0	The TCP Client will build TCP connection once the connected
Connect on Startup	serial device is started.
Connect on Any	The TCP Client will build TCP connection once the connected
Character	serial device starts to send data.

Service Mode – UDP Mode

Compared to TCP communications, UDP is faster and more efficient. In UDP mode, you can



uni-cast or multi-cast data from the serial device server to host computers, and the serial device can also receive data from one or multiple host.

Label	Description	
Listen Port	Allows the user to set a new TCP port number to listen on rather	
	than the default value of the device	
	If there are more than one destination hosts, specify the IP	
Host Start/End IP	address range by inputting a value in Host Start / End IP. You	
	can also auto scan the sending port number of the device	
Send Port	Set the send port number.	

Management

Access IP Control

Access IP Control List allows you to add or block remote host IP addresses to prevent unauthorized access. If a host's IP address is in the accessible IP table, the host will be allowed to access the DS. You can check



Acce	ccess IP Control List			
	☐ Enable IP Filtering (Not check this option will allow any IP to have assessibility)			
	No.	Activate the IP	IP Address	Netmask
	1			
	2			
	3			
	4			
	5			
	6			
	7			
	8			

Label	Description
Enable IP Filtering	Leaving the box unchecked means any host can access the
	device server.
Activate the IP	Check the box to activate the IP address
	Only the host with the specified IP address can access the
IP Address	device server. The format should be IP address
	/255.255.255.255 (e.g., "192.168.0.1/255.255.255.255").
	Only the host on the specified subnet can access the device
Netmask	server. The format should be IP address /255.255.255.0 (e.g.,
	"192.168.0.1/255.255.255.0").

SMTP/SNMP Conf

Email server configurations include the mail server's IP address or domain. If authentication is required, you need to specify your username and password. You can set up to four email addresses for receiving notifications.

SNMP server configurations include the SNMP trap server IP address, community, location and contact. You can set up to four SNMP addresses you for receiving notifications.



E-mail Settings		
SMTP Server	Port 25	
My server requires authentication		
User Name		
Password		
E-mail Sender		
E-mail Address 1		
E-mail Address 2		
E-mail Address 3		
E-mail Address 4		
SNMP Trap Server		
SNMP Server 1		
SNMP Server 2		
SNMP Server 3		
SNMP Server 4		
Community		
Location		
Contact		

Syslog Server IP Syslog Server Port Apply

System Event Conf.

Specify the events that will be reported to the administrator. The notifications of the events can be done via e-mail, SNMP trap, or system log.



Syste	System Event Configuration			
	Device Event Notification			
	Hardware Reset (Cold Start)	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	Software Reset (Warm Start)	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	Login Failed	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	IP Address Changed	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	Password Changed	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	Access IP Blocked	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	Port Event Notification			
	DCD Changed	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	DSR Changed	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	RI Changed	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	CTS Changed	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	Port Connected	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
	Port Disconnected	SMTP Mail	SNMP Trap	Syslog
(

Label	Description
	This refers to starting the system from power off (in contrast
Hardware Reset (Cold	with warm start). When performing a cold start, DS will
Start)	automatically issue an auto warning message via e-mail, logs,
	or SNMP trap after booting.
Software Boset (Marm	This refers to restarting the computer without turning the
Software Reset (Warm Start)	power off. When performing a warm start, DS will automatically
Start)	send an e-mail, log or SNMP trap after rebooting.
Login Failed	When unauthorized access from the console or Web interface
Logiii Failed	occurs, a notification will be sent.
IP Address Changed	When the IP address of the device is changed, a notification
ir Address Changed	will be sent.
Password Changed	When the password of the device is changed, a notification will
	be sent.
Access IP Blocked	When the host accesses the device with a blocked IP address,
	a notification will be sent.
DCD Changed	When a DCD (Data Carrier Detect) signal changes, indicating
	modem connection status has been changed, a notification will



	be sent.
DSR Changed	When a DSR (Data Set Ready) signal changes, indicating data
	communication equipment is powered off, a notification will be
	sent.
RI Changed	When a RI (Ring Indicator) signal changes, indicating there is
	an incoming call, a notification will be sent.
CTS Changed	When a CTS (Clear To Send) signal changes, indicating
	transmission between computer and DCE can proceed, a
	notification will be sent.
Port Connected	In TCP Server Mode, when the device accepts an incoming
	TCP connection, this event will be triggered. In TCP Client
	Mode, when the device has connected to the remote host, the
	event will be triggered. In Virtual COM Mode, when Virtual
	COM is ready to use, this event will be triggered. A notification
	will be sent when an event is triggered.
Port Disconnected	In TCP Server/Client Mode, when the device loses the TCP
	link, this event will be triggered. In Virtual COM Mode, when
	Virtual COM is not available, this event will be triggered. A
	notification will be sent when an event is triggered.

Save/Reboot

You can save current values from the device as a backup file or restore the device to previous settings by downloading a configuration file. Simply browse to the configuration file you want to use and click **Restore**.

Factory Default

Reset to default configuration.

Click Reset button to reset all configurations to the default value.

Reset

Restore Configuration

You can restore the previous saved configuration to Device Server.

File to restore: 選擇檔案 未選擇任何檔案

Restore

Backup Configuration

You can save current EEPROM value from the Device Server as a backup file of configuration.

Backup



Upgrade Firmware
Specify the firmware image to upgrade.
Note: Please DO NOT power off this device while upgrading firmware.
Firmware: 選擇信哀 未選擇任何檔案
Upgrade

Reboot Device
Please click [Reboot] button to restart device.
Reboot

Label	Description	
Factory Default	Press Reset for five seconds (Hardware restore) and it will load	
	default configurations to the system except the network settings	
Restore	Restore to previous settings using previously exported	
Configuration	configurations.	
Backup	Export the current configuration to a file.	
Configuration		
Upgrade Firmware	Upgrade to a new firmware by browsing to a specific folder.	
Reboot Device	Reboot the device server (warm start).	

4.3 Configuration by SSH Console

4.3.1 Connect to DS

You can use SSH Tool (e.g., PUTTY) to access the SSH console of the device. The SSH console interface is shown below.