Ethernet Switch (Cloud Managed PoE Switch)

Quick Start Guide



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Foreword

General

This manual introduces the installation, functions and operations of the cloud managed switch (hereinafter referred to as "the device"). Read carefully before using the device, and keep the manual safe for future reference.

Safety Instructions

The following signal words might appear in the manual.

Signal Words	Meaning
DANGER	Indicates a high potential hazard which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.
WARNING	Indicates a medium or low potential hazard which, if not avoided, could result in slight or moderate injury.
CAUTION	Indicates a potential risk which, if not avoided, could result in property damage, data loss, reductions in performance, or unpredictable results.
TIPS	Provides methods to help you solve a problem or save time.
NOTE	Provides additional information as a supplement to the text.

Revision History

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Important Safeguards and Warnings

This section introduces content covering the proper handling of the device, hazard prevention, and prevention of property damage. Read carefully before using the device, and comply with the guidelines when using it.

Transportation Requirements



Transport the device under allowed humidity and temperature conditions.

Storage Requirements



Store the device under allowed humidity and temperature conditions.

Installation Requirements



Stability Hazard

Possible result: The device might fall down and cause serious personal injury.

Preventive measures (including but not limited to):

- Only use furniture and structures that can safely support the device.
- Carefully arrange the cables connected to the device to avoid people tripping over them and pulling on them.



- Do not connect the power adapter to the device while the adapter is powered on.
- Strictly comply with the local electrical safety code and standards. Make sure that the ambient voltage is stable and meets the power supply requirements of the device.
- Personnel working at heights must take all necessary measures to ensure personal safety including wearing a helmet and safety belts.
- Please follow the electrical requirements to power the device.
  - Following are the requirements for selecting a power adapter.
    - The power supply must conform to the requirements of IEC 60950-1 ans IEC 62368-1 standards.
    - The voltage must meet the SELV (Safety Extra Low Voltage) requirements and not exceed ES-1 standards.
    - When the power of the device does not exceed 100 W, the power supply must meet LPS requirements and be no higher than PS2.
  - We recommend using the power adapter provided with the device.
  - When selecting the power adapter, the power supply requirements (such as rated voltage) are subject to the device label.



- Do not place the device in a place exposed to sunlight or near heat sources.
- Keep the device away from dampness, dust, and soot.
- Put the device in a well-ventilated place, and do not block its ventilation.
- Use an adapter or cabinet power supply provided by the manufacturer.
- Do not connect the device to two or more kinds of power supplies, to avoid damage to the device.
- The device is a class I electrical appliance. Make sure that the power supply of the device is connected to a power socket with protective earthing.
- When installing the device, make sure that the power plug can be easily reached to cut off the power.
- Voltage stabilizer and lightning surge protector are optional depending on the actual power supply on site and the ambient environment.
- To ensure heat dissipation, the gap between the device and the surrounding area should not be less than 10 cm on the sides and 10 cm on top of the device.
- When installing the device, make sure that the power plug and appliance coupler can be easily reached to cut off power.

Operation Requirements



- The device or remote control contains button batteries. Do not swallow the batteries due to the risk of chemical burns.

  Possible result: The swallowed button battery can cause serious internal burns and death within 2 hours.

  Preventive measures (including but not limited to):

  - ◇ Keep new and used batteries out of reach of children.
  - ◇ If the battery compartment is not securely closed, stop using the product immediately and keep out of reach of children.
  - ◇ Seek immediate medical attention if a battery is believed to be swallowed or inserted inside any part of the body.
- Battery Pack Precautions

  Preventive measures (including but not limited to):

  - ◇ Do not transport, store or use the batteries in high altitudes with low pressure and environments with extremely high and low temperatures.
  - ◇ Do not dispose the batteries in fire or a hot oven, or mechanically crush or cut the batteries to avoid an explosion.
  - ◇ Do not leave the batteries in environments with extremely high temperatures to avoid explosions and leakage of flammable liquid or gas.
  - ◇ Do not subject the batteries to extremely low air pressure to avoid explosions and the leakage of flammable liquid or gas.



- Operating the device in a domestic environment may cause radio interference.
- Do not disassemble the device without professional instruction.
- Operate the device within the rated range of power input and output.
- Make sure that the power supply is correct before use.

- Make sure the device is powered off before disassembling wires to avoid personal injury.
- Do not unplug the power cord on the side of the device while the adapter is powered on.
- Ground the device to protective ground before you power it on.
- The device must be reliably grounded by professionals. They must install the grounding conductor in the building floor and verify the grounding connection of the output receptacle.



- Use the device under allowed humidity and temperature conditions.
- Do not drop or splash liquid onto the device, and make sure that there is no object filled with liquid on the device to prevent liquid from flowing into it.
- Operating temperature: –10 °C to +55 °C (+14 °F to +131 °F).
- Do not block the ventilator of the device with objects, such as a newspaper, table cloth or curtain.
- Do not place an open flame on the device, such as a lit candle.
- This is a class 1 laser device. You can only insert modules that meet the requirements of class 1 lasers.

Maintenance Requirements



Replacing unwanted batteries with the wrong type of new batteries might result in explosion.

Preventive measures (including but not limited to):

- Replace unwanted batteries with new batteries of the same type and model to avoid the risk of fire and explosion.
- Dispose of the old batteries as instructed.



Power off the device before maintenance.

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1 Overview

1.1 Introduction

The cloud managed device is a layer-2 commercial device. With a full-metal design, the device has great heat dissipation capabilities on its shell surface, and is able to work in environments that range from –10 °C to +55 °C (+14 °F to +131 °F).

In addition, through cloud management, webpage management, the device can be remotely managed. The device is applicable for uses in different scenarios, including buildings, homes, factories and offices.



Cloud management refers to managing this device through the DoLynk apps and webpages. Scan the QR code in the packaging box to learn how to perform cloud management operations.

1.2 Features

- Supports app management.
- Supports network topology visualization.
- Supports one-stop maintenance.
- The gray ports conform with IEEE802.3af and IEEE802.3at standards, the orange ports conform with Hi-PoE or IEEE802.3bt standard and the red ports conform with IEEE802.3bt standards.
- Supports LLDP (Link Layer Discovery Protocol).
- Supports DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) Client.
- Supports VLAN configuration based on IEEE802.1Q.
- STP/RSTP is available on select models.
- Manual link aggregation is available on select models.
- Supports long-distance power supply.
- Desktop mount and rack mount for 16/24 port. Desktop mount and wall mount for 4/8 port.

2 Port and Indicator

2.1 Front Panel

The following examples use the 8-port and 16-port devices. The actual device might only include part of it. Please refer to the interface introduction in conjunction with the actual object for details.

Figure 2-1 Front panel (8-port)

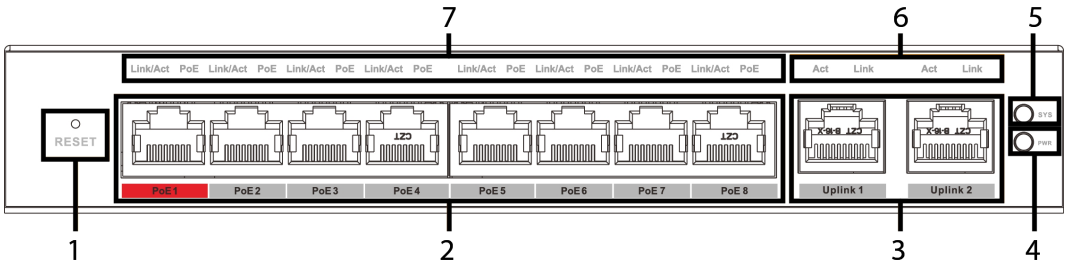


Figure 2-2 Front panel (16-port)

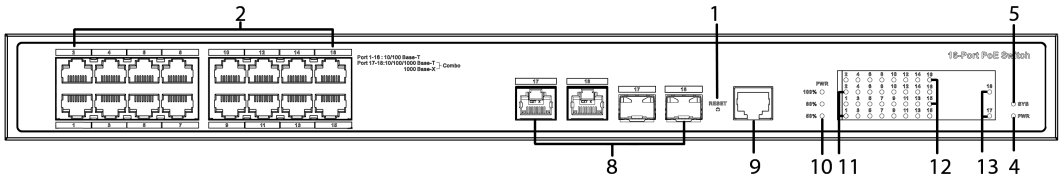


Table 2-1 Description of front panel

No.	Description
1	Reset button. Press and hold for longer than 5 seconds, wait until all the indicators are solid on, and then release. The device recovers to the default settings.
2	RJ-45 port. 4/8/16/24 × 10/100 Mbps or 10/100/1000 Mbps self-adaptive PoE Ethernet ports.
3	10/100/1000 Mbps self-adaptive uplink ports. ● The number of the uplink ports might differ from different models. Please refer to the actual product. ● Some models support 1000 Mbps optical ports. Please refer to the actual product.
4	Power indicator. ● On: Power on. ● Off: Power off.
5	System indicator. ● Flashes: The system works normally. ● Off: The system is not working normally.

No.	Description
6	Uplink port status indicators. ● Link indicator. ◇ On: The port is connected to the device. ◇ Off: The port is not connected to the device. ● Activity indicator. ◇ Flashing: Data transmission is in progress. ◇ Off: No data transmission in progress.
7	● PoE network port power supply status indicator. ◇ On: Use PoE power supply. ◇ Off: Not using PoE power supply. ● Link/Act indicator. ◇ On: The port is connected to the device. ◇ Flashes: Data transmission is in progress. ◇ Off: The port is not connected to the device.
8	10/100/1000 Mbps self-adaptive uplink Ethernet ports and 1000 Mbps uplink optical ports. The uplink ports are combo ports on select models.
9	Console serial port. Device debugging port. Only supported by select models.
10	PoE output power indicator. ● Only solid green: PoE output power < 50%. ● Solid green and yellow: 50% ≤ PoE output power < 80%. ● Solid green, yellow and red: 80% ≤ PoE output power.
11	Single port connection/data transmission status (Link/Act) indicator. ● On: The port is connected to the device. ● Flashes: Data transmission is in progress. ● Off: The port is not connected to the device.
12	PoE network port power supply status indicator. ● On: Use PoE power supply. ● Off: Not using PoE power supply.
13	Uplink port status indicator. ● On: The port connected to the device. ● Off: The port not connected to the device. ● Flashes: Data transmission is in progress.

2.2 Rear Panel

The following examples use the 8-port and 16-port devices. The actual device might only include part of it. Please refer to the interface introduction in conjunction with the actual object for details.

Figure 2-3 Rear panel (8-port)

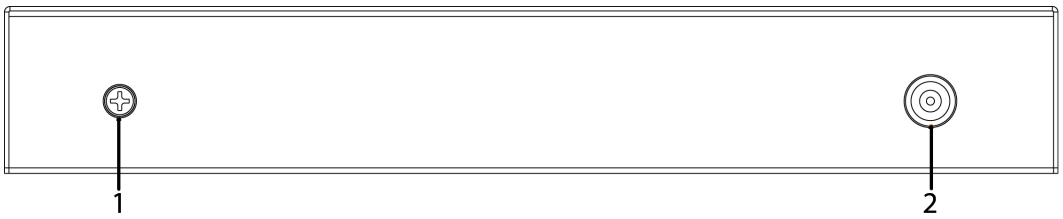


Figure 2-4 Rear panel (16-port)

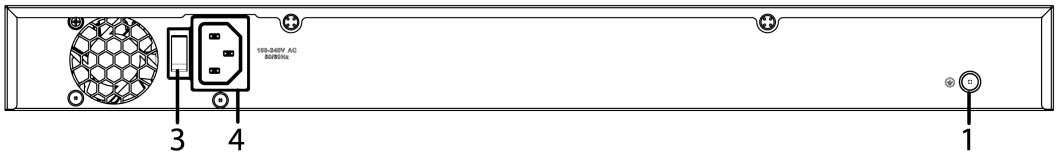


Table 2-2 Description of rear panel

No.	Description
1	Ground terminal. Connects GND. ● Normal GND connection of the device guarantees device lightning protection and anti-interference. You must connect the GND cable before powering on the device and power off the device before disconnecting the GND cable. ● The sectional area of the GND cable must be more than 2.5 mm^2, and the GND resistance must be less than 4 Ω.
2	Power port. Supports 53 VDC or 54 VDC.
3	DIP switch. Supported by select models.
4	Power port. Supports 100–240 VAC.

3 Installation

Different installation methods suit for different models. Please select appropriate methods as needed.

3.1 Preparation

- Select an appropriate installation method as needed.
- Install the device on a solid and flat surface.
- Leave around 10 cm of open space around the device for heat dissipation and to ensure good ventilation.

3.2 Desktop Mount

The device supports desktop mount. You can directly place it on a solid and flat desktop.

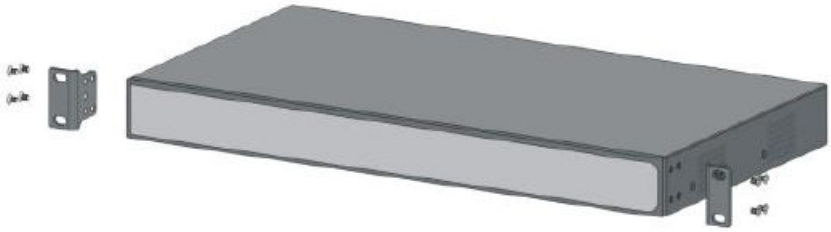
3.3 Rack Mount

The device supports rack mount.

Procedure

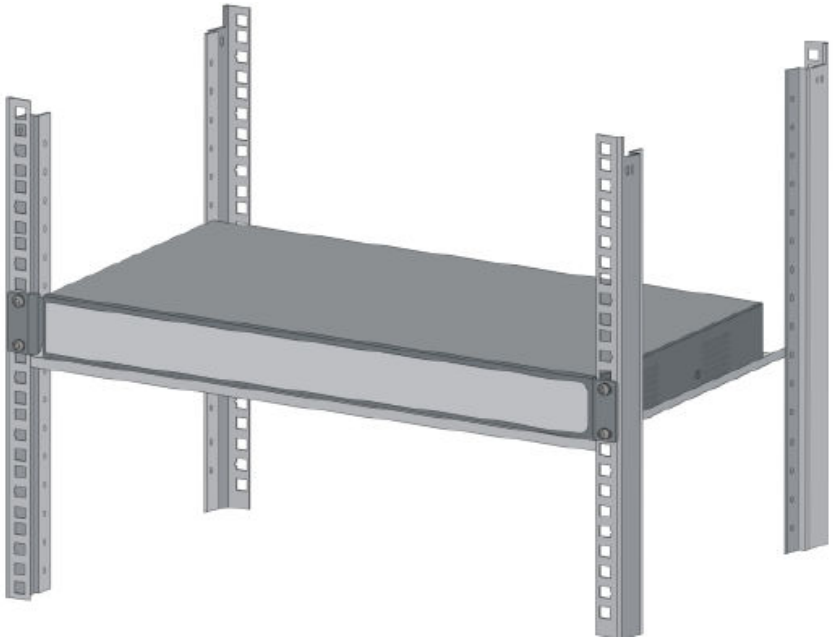
Step 1 Attach the mounting brackets to the device (one on each side), and fix them with the provided screws.

Figure 3-1 Attach the mounting brackets



Step 2 Fix the device onto the rack.

Figure 3-2 Fix the device onto the rack



3.4 Wall Mount

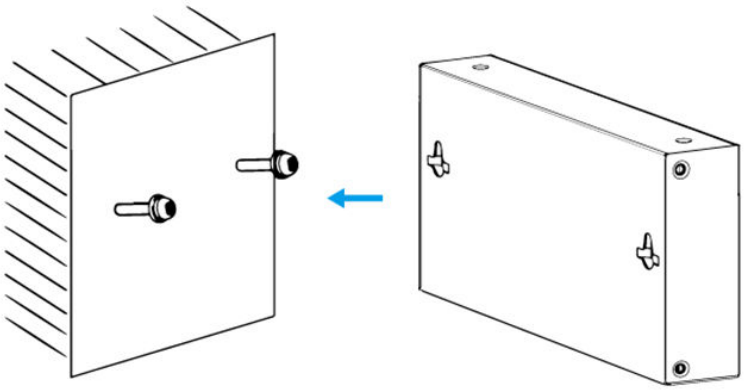
Procedure

Step 1 Drill two M4 screws into the wall, leaving a space of 4 mm between the wall and the head of the screw.

- Screws do not come with the package. Purchase them as needed.
- Make sure that the distance between the screws is the distance between the wall-mount holes (77.8 mm for a 4-port switch and 128.4 mm for an 8-port switch).

Step 2 Align the wall-mount holes on the back cover of the device with the screws, and hang the device on the screws.

Figure 3-3 Wall mount



4 Wiring

4.1 Connecting GND Cable

Normal GND connection of the device is the important guarantee for device lightning protection and anti-interference.

Procedure

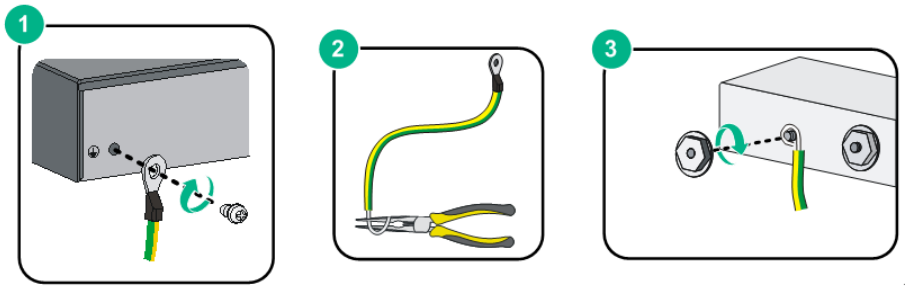
Step 1 Remove the ground screw on the device and place it properly. Pass the ground screw through the round hole of the OT terminal of the ground cable. Turn the ground screw clockwise with a cross screwdriver to fasten the OT terminal of the ground cable.

Step 2 Wind the other end of the ground cable into a circle with needle-nose pliers.

Step 3 Connect the other end of the ground cable to the ground bar, turn the hex nut clockwise with a wrench to fasten the other end of the ground cable to the ground terminal.

Use a yellow-green protective grounding wire with the cross-sectional area of at least 4 mm^2 and the grounding resistance of no more than 4 Ω.

Figure 4-1 Connect GND



4.2 Connecting Power Cord

Make sure that the switch is reliably grounded before connecting the power cord.

Procedure

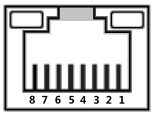
Step 1 Connect one end of the power cord into the power jack of the device accurately.

Step 2 Connect the other end of the power cord to the external power socket.

4.3 Connecting Ethernet Port

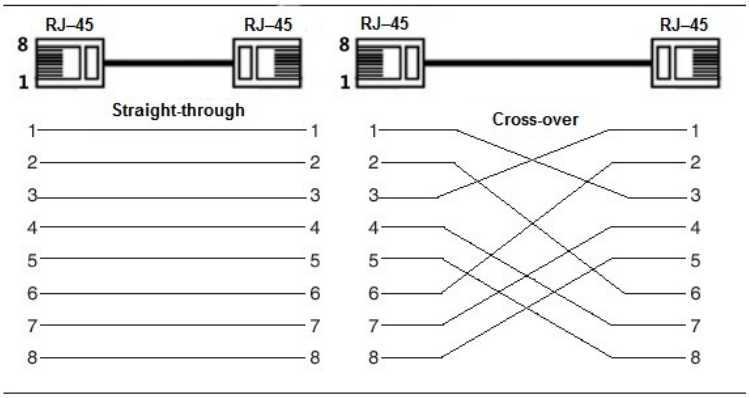
Ethernet port adopts standard RJ-45 port. Equipped with self-adaptation function, it can be automatically configured to full duplex/half-duplex operation mode, and supports MDI/MDI-X self-recognition function of the cable, which means that the switch can use cross-over cable or straight-through cable to connect terminal device to network device.

Figure 4-2 Ethernet port pin number



The cable connection of RJ-45 connector conforms to the standard 568B (1-orange&white, 2-orange, 3-green&white, 4-blue, 5-blue&white, 6-green, 7-brown&white, 8-brown).

Figure 4-3 Pin description



4.4 Connecting SFP Ethernet Port

Procedure

Step 1 Before installing the SFP optical module, wear antistatic wrist strap and ensure it makes proper contact with your bare skin. Then put on antistatic gloves.

Step 2 Lift the handle of SFP optical module upward vertically and make it get stuck to the top hook.

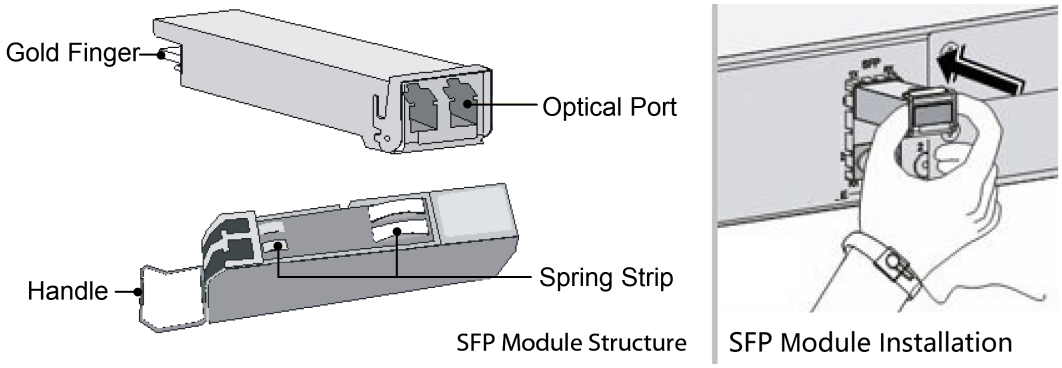
Step 3 Hold the SFP optical module on both sides and push it gently into the SFP slot till the SFP optical module is firmly connected to the slot (You can feel that both the top and bottom spring strip of the SFP optical module are firmly stuck with the SFP slot).

WARNING

The device uses laser to transmit signal via optical fiber cable. The laser conforms to the requirements of level 1 laser products. To avoid injury upon eyes, do not look at the 1000 Base-X optical port directly when the device is powered on.

- When installing the SFP optical module, do not touch the gold finger of the SFP optical module.
- Do not remove the dust plug of the SFP optical module before connecting the optical port.
- Do not directly insert the SFP optical module with the optical fiber inserted into the slot. Unplug the optical fiber before installing it.

Figure 4-4 SFP module structure and installation



4.5 Connecting PoE Ethernet Port

If the terminal device has a PoE Ethernet port, you can directly connect the terminal device PoE Ethernet port to the switch PoE Ethernet port through network cable to achieve synchronized network connection and power supply. The maximum distance between the switch and the terminal device is about 100 m.

When connecting to a non-PoE device, the device needs to be used with an isolated power supply.

5 Quick Operation

Cloud Management

Cloud management refers to managing this device through the DoLynk apps and webpages. Scan the QR code in the packaging box to learn how to perform cloud management operations.

Local Management

You can log in to the webpage to manage and configure the device.

- Make sure that the Device is connected to the computer, and the IP addresses of the computer and the device are on the same segment.
- Plan the network segment properly to connect the device to the network.
- By default, DHCP is enabled on the device. When connected to a network, the device typically obtains an IP address from a DHCP server, and then you can obtain the IP address of the device from the DHCP server, such as a router. If a DHCP server is not available, the IP address of the device is 192.168.1.110 by default.

  You can use the ConfigTool to obtain the IP address.

Appendix 1 Security Recommendation

Account Management

1. **Use complex passwords**

   Please refer to the following suggestions to set passwords:

   - The length should not be less than 8 characters;
   - Include at least two types of characters: upper and lower case letters, numbers and symbols;
   - Do not contain the account name or the account name in reverse order;
   - Do not use continuous characters, such as 123, abc, etc.;
   - Do not use repeating characters, such as 111, aaa, etc.

2. **Change passwords periodically**

   It is recommended to periodically change the device password to reduce the risk of being guessed or cracked.

3. **Allocate accounts and permissions appropriately**

   Appropriately add users based on service and management requirements and assign minimum permission sets to users.

4. **Enable account lockout function**

   The account lockout function is enabled by default. You are advised to keep it enabled to protect account security. After multiple failed password attempts, the corresponding account and source IP address will be locked.

5. **Set and update password reset information in a timely manner**

   The device supports password reset function. To reduce the risk of this function being used by threat actors, if there is any change in the information, please modify it in time. When setting security questions, it is recommended not to use easily guessed answers.

Service Configuration

1. **Enable HTTPS**

   It is recommended that you enable HTTPS to access web services through secure channels.

2. **Encrypted transmission of audio and video**

   If your audio and video data contents are very important or sensitive, it is recommended to use encrypted transmission function in order to reduce the risk of your audio and video data being eavesdropped during transmission.

3. **Turn off non-essential services and use safe mode**

   If not needed, it is recommended to turn off some services such as SSH, SNMP, SMTP, UPnP, AP hotspot etc., to reduce the attack surfaces.

   If necessary, it is highly recommended to choose safe modes, including but not limited to the following services:

   - SNMP: Choose SNMP v3, and set up strong encryption and authentication passwords.
   - SMTP: Choose TLS to access mailbox server.
   - FTP: Choose SFTP, and set up complex passwords.
   - AP hotspot: Choose WPA2-PSK encryption mode, and set up complex passwords.

4. **Change HTTP and other default service ports**

   It is recommended that you change the default port of HTTP and other services to any port between 1024 and 65535 to reduce the risk of being guessed by threat actors.

Network Configuration

1. **Enable Allow list**

   It is recommended that you turn on the allow list function, and only allow IP in the allow list to access the device. Therefore, please be sure to add your computer IP address and supporting device IP address to the allow list.
2. **MAC address binding**

   It is recommended that you bind the IP address of the gateway to the MAC address on the device to reduce the risk of ARP spoofing.
3. **Build a secure network environment**

   In order to better ensure the security of devices and reduce potential cyber risks, the following are recommended:

   - Disable the port mapping function of the router to avoid direct access to the intranet devices from external network;
   - According to the actual network needs, partition the network: if there is no communication demand between the two subnets, it is recommended to use VLAN, gateway and other methods to partition the network to achieve network isolation;
   - Stablish 802.1x access authentication system to reduce the risk of illegal terminal access to the private network.

Security Auditing

1. **Check online users**

   It is recommended to check online users regularly to identify illegal users.
2. **Check device log**

   By viewing logs, you can learn about the IP addresses that attempt to log in to the device and key operations of the logged users.
3. **Configure network log**

   Due to the limited storage capacity of devices, the stored log is limited. If you need to save the log for a long time, it is recommended to enable the network log function to ensure that the critical logs are synchronized to the network log server for tracing.

Software Security

1. **Update firmware in time**

   According to the industry standard operating specifications, the firmware of devices needs to be updated to the latest version in time in order to ensure that the device has the latest functions and security. If the device is connected to the public network, it is recommended to enable the online upgrade automatic detection function, so as to obtain the firmware update information released by the manufacturer in a timely manner.
2. **Update client software in time**

   It is recommended to download and use the latest client software.

Physical Protection

It is recommended that you carry out physical protection for devices (especially storage devices), such as placing the device in a dedicated machine room and cabinet, and having access control

and key management in place to prevent unauthorized personnel from damaging hardware and other peripheral equipment (e.g. USB flash disk, serial port).

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