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Use only shielded cables to connect other devices to this equipment by RS-232 / RS-485 ports. Be cautioned that changes or modifications not approved by the party responsible for compliance could void your authority to operate the equipment.

ATOP declared that GW51W-MAXI is limited in ch1~ch11 by specified firmware controlled in USA.

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1. Introduction

Atop GW51W-MAXI Wireless Serial-Ethernet Server is a gateway between Ethernet (TCP/IP) and RS-232/RS-485 communications. It allows almost any serial device to be connected to a new or existing Ethernet network. The information transmitted by GW51W-MAXI is transparent to both host computers (Ethernet) and devices (RS-232/RS-485). Data coming from the Ethernet (TCP/IP) is sent to the designated RS-232/RS-485 port and data being received from RS-232/RS-485 port is sent to the Ethernet (TCP/IP) transparently.

In the computer integration manufacturing or industrial automation area, Atop GW51W-MAXI Serial-Ethernet Server is used for field devices to direct connect to Ethernet network. Terminal Server (main control program run in GW51W-MAXI) transforms whatever data received from RS-232/RS-485 to TCP/UDP port then connects devices to the Ethernet network via a single application program or multiple application programs.

Many control devices provide the ability to communicate with hosts through RS-232/RS-485 however RS-232/RS-485 serial communication has its limitations. For one, it is hard to transfer data through a long distance. With Atop GW51W-MAXI, it is possible to communicate with a remote device in the Intranet environment or even in the Internet and thus, increases the communication distance dramatically.

Flexible configuration options enable this unit to be setup remotely over Ethernet by Telnet, web browser, or Window utility. Packed in a rugged DIN Rail mountable case and 9~30V DC power input range, GW51W-MAXI is ideal for almost any industrial and manufacturing automation.

1.1 Packaging

Atop Serial-Ethernet Server x 1

Mini DIN to RS-232 DB 9 connector cable x 1

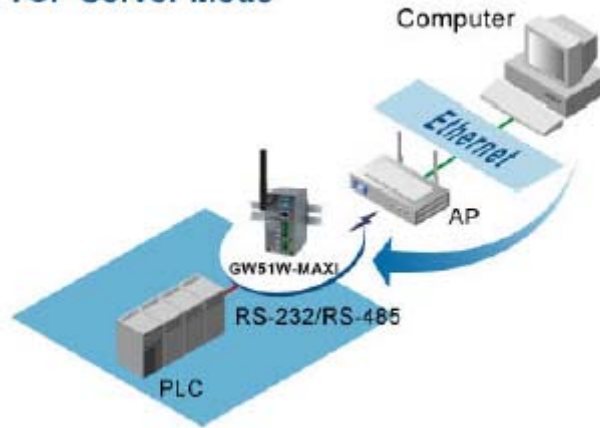
Wall mount x 2

Atop Serial-Ethernet Server quick start guide x 1

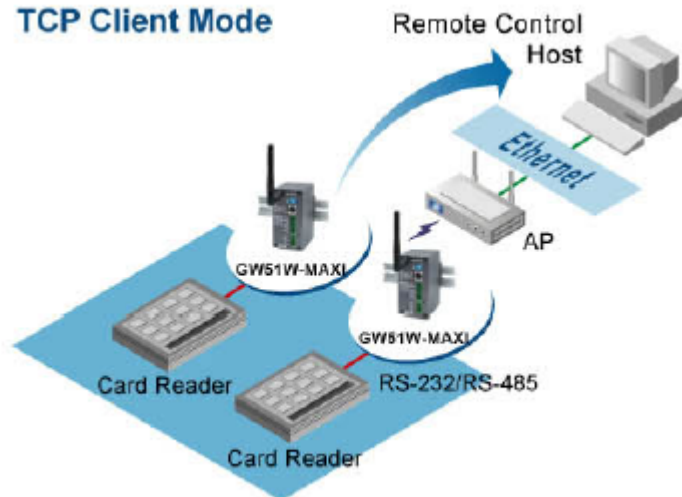
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1. 2 Application Connectivity

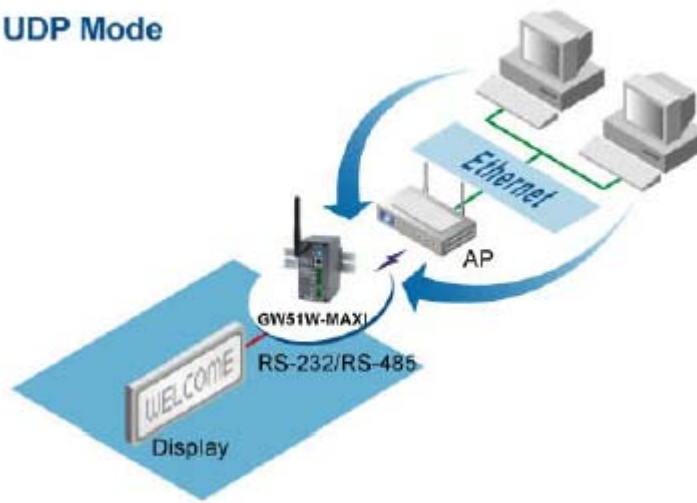
TCP Server Mode



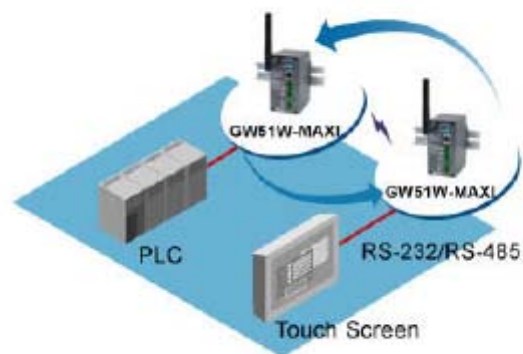
TCP Client Mode



UDP Mode



Tunneling Mode (Ad-Hoc)



2. Nomenclature and Settings

2.1 Nomenclature of GW51W-MAXI Components

Figure 2.1 shows the names of GW51W-MAXI components. In the figure, the indicated switch settings represent factory settings.

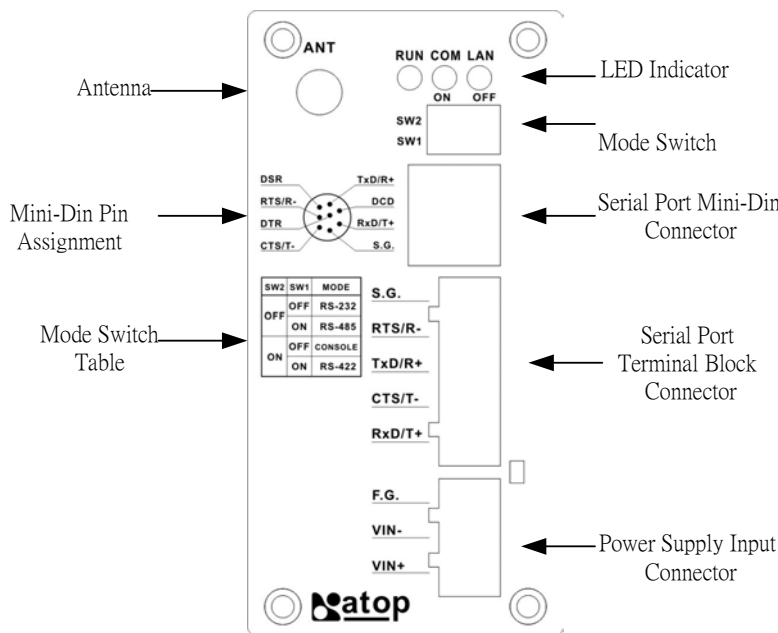


Figure 2.1. Nomenclature of GW51W-MAXI Components

2.2 MODE Switch

This sets or initializes the operating mode for the GW51W-MAXI.

The factory default setting is that Switch 1 (SW1) and Switch 2 (SW2) are set to OFF. You can use the Mode switch to change the operating mode from the factory default settings to your desired mode.

GW51W-MAXI can be setup either RS-232, RS-485, RS-422 or Console configuration mode by MODE Switch.

| SW1 | SW2 | Mode |
|-----|-----|---------|
| OFF | OFF | RS-232 |
| | ON | CONSOLE |
| ON | OFF | RS-485 |
| | ON | RS-422 |

3. Hardware Installation

- Prepare necessary cables, hub, power cord and RS-232/RS-485 connector.
- Place GW51W-MAXI to the area that an access point can cover.
- Connect a serial device to a serial port of GW51W-MAXI, make sure the right connection of either RS-232 or RS-485.
- Plug in DC-9-30V, the buzzer will beep and the RUN LED will blink if GW51W-MAXI functions normally. Please refer to Appendix A.5 to see all of LED messages.
- Use **monitor.exe** configuration utility in the product CD or diskette to diagnose GW51W-MAXI. If it starts up successfully, you are able to find the IP and MAC addresses of GW51W-MAXI. You can change the network parameters of GW51W-MAXI to join your LAN by changing its IP address, gateway IP address and subnet mask.

Note: If there are more than one access points, the access point's ESSID must be the same.

3.1 Configuration

Atop GW51W-MAXI Serial-Ethernet Server is shipped with default settings shown in the following table:

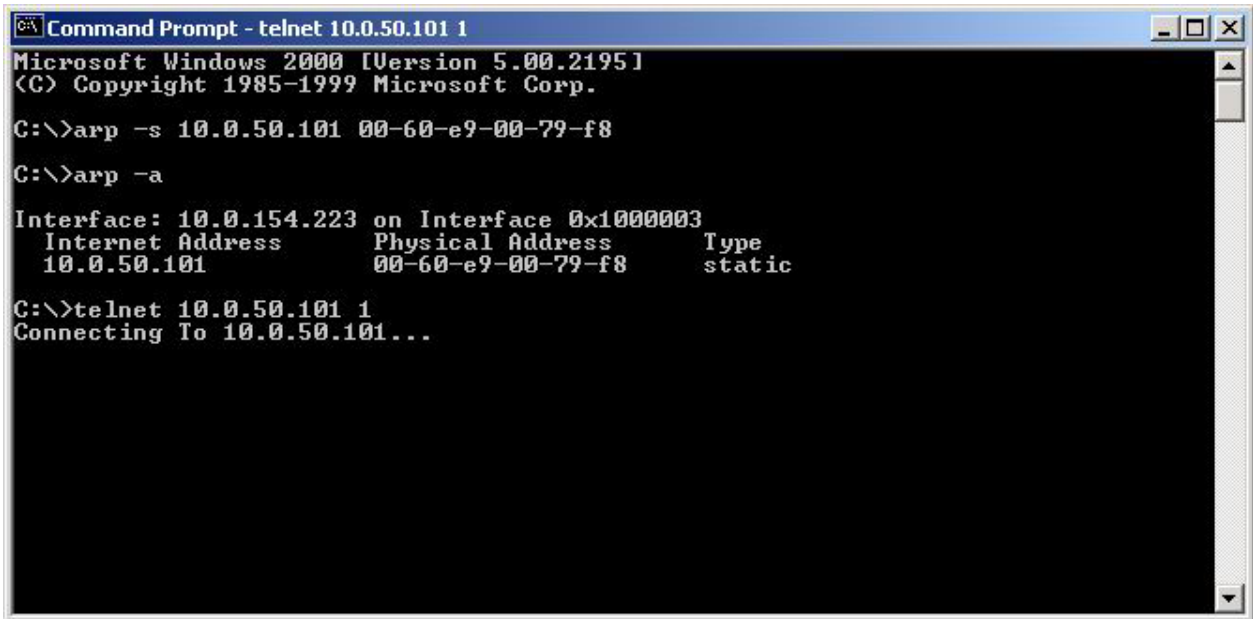
| Property | Default Value |
|---------------------|---|
| IP Address | 10.0.50.100 |
| Gateway | 10.0.0.254 |
| Subnet Mask | 255.255.0.0 |
| User Name | admin |
| Password | Null |
| COM 1 | 9600,None, 8, 1, No flow control, buffer disabled, packet delimiter timer 1ms |
| Link 1 | Type: TCP Server, Listen port 4660, Filter=0.0.0.0, Virtual COM disabled |
| SysName of SNMP | name |
| SysLocation of SNMP | location |
| SysContact of SNMP | contact |

NOTE: Atop provides a default button to restore system settings including IP address, gateway IP address and subnet mask etc. to the defaults. Press and hold the default button for 5 seconds till the server reboots.

3.2 Assigning a new IP Address by ARP command

Arp -s is used to assign a static IP address of GW51W-MAXI and add this static entries to the Arp cache of the computer, when TCP/IP packet with destination port number 1 is sent to GW51W-MAXI, it causes the device to check its MAC address with IP address, once GW51W-MAXI finds those two unmatched, it will reboot and change to the new IP address which was set by Arp -s command. The following example uses ARP to assign a static IP address of GW51W-MAXI using its MAC address printed on the label of the rear panel, then use Telnet to send the TCP/IP packet with destination port number 1 to GW51W-MAXI, after

GW51W-MAXI reboots it will change its IP address to the new one.

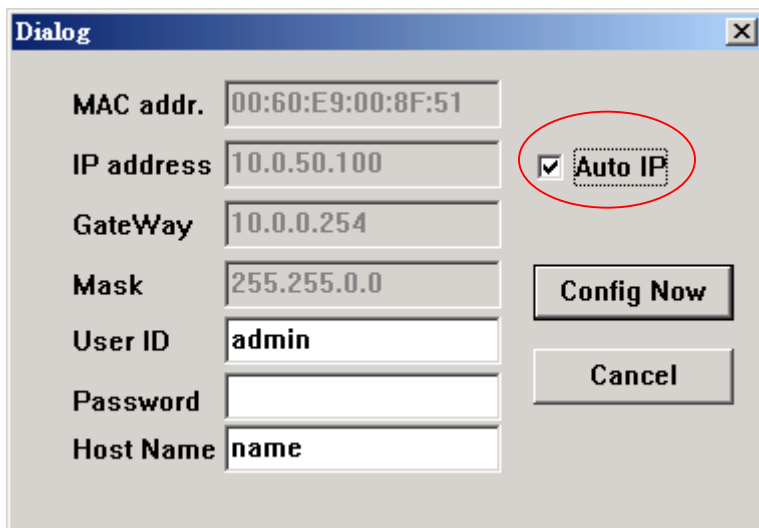


Note:

1. Arp command can only be used to set a static IP address of GW51W-MAXI using system reset user name admin and default password null.
2. Only TCP/IP packet with destination port number 1 will lead GW51W-MAXI to reboot and change the IP address.

3.3 Auto IP

A DHCP server automatically assigns the IP address and network settings. GW51W-MAXI supports DHCP. It will supply for the unit with an IP address gateway address, and subnet mask. You may use **Monitor.exe** software to search network information automatically by putting a check on **Auto IP** on Dialog window.



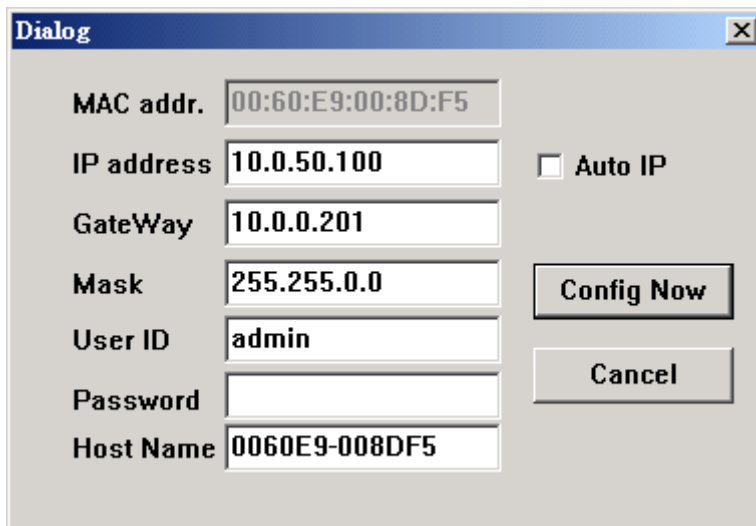
3.4 TCP/IP Port Number

Port number 4660 is default of GW51W-MAXI and is associated with serial port COM1. After your application program connects to the TCP port 4660 of GW51W-MAXI, data being sent to this TCP connection from your application program are transparent to the COM1 of GW51W-MAXI. Vice versa is also true.

4. Software Configuration

4.1 Configuration set by monitor.exe utility

Use **monitor.exe** that comes with the product CD or diskette to configure the network parameters of GW51W-MAXI. As you can see from the following picture, you can change IP address, gateway IP address, subnet mask, user ID and password of GW51W-MAXI from the utility. For more details of the utility please refer to Appendix-D Configuration Utility.



4.2 Configuration set by Telnet utility

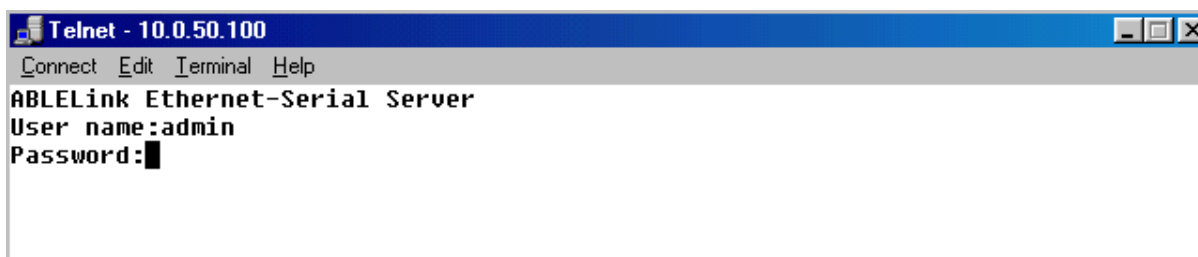
You can use Telnet utility to change configuration settings of GW51W-MAXI. To do so, please do the following.

Log in to the system

- Telnet to GW51W-MAXI using command "**Telnet IP_address**".

For example Telnet 10.0.50.100

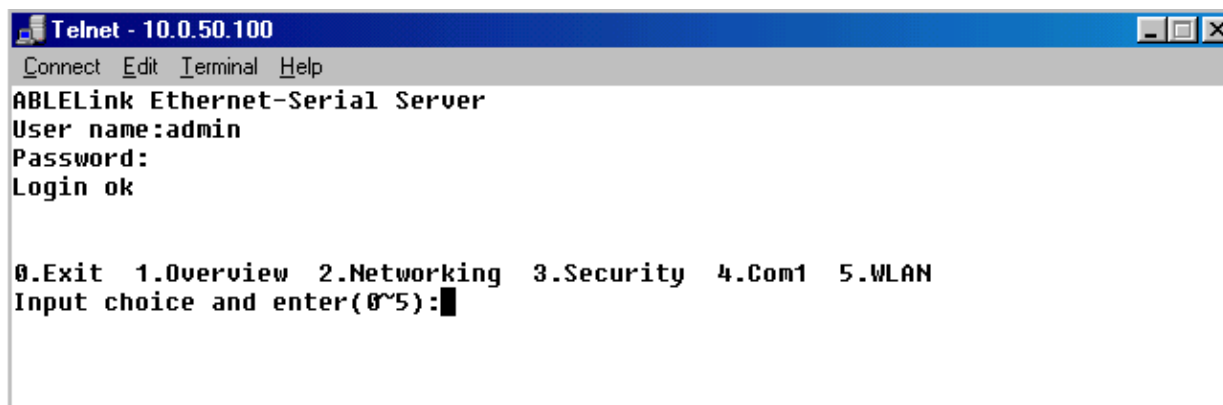
1. After Telnet to GW51W-MAXI, system prompts for a password, the default password is null.



```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:█
```

Note: You can press the default button of GW51W-MAXI to reset the password to the default value.

2. After verifying the password, the following terminal screen appears.



```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN
Input choice and enter(0~5):█
```

Notes:

1. If GW51W-MAXI does not receive any command within 1 **minute**, Telnet will be terminated automatically.
2. The changes of networking parameters will take effect only when you exit and restart GW51W-MAXI.
3. Select "1" from "Input choice and enter (0~5):" to enter overview page as following:

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 1

Overview:
Model Name      : GW51W-MAXI
IP Address      : 10.0.50.100
MAC Address     : 00:60:E9:00:8D:F6
SysName         : name
SysLocation     : location
SysContact      : contact
Kernel Version : 2.20
AP Version      : TerminalSrv ver3.07
Link Status     : S

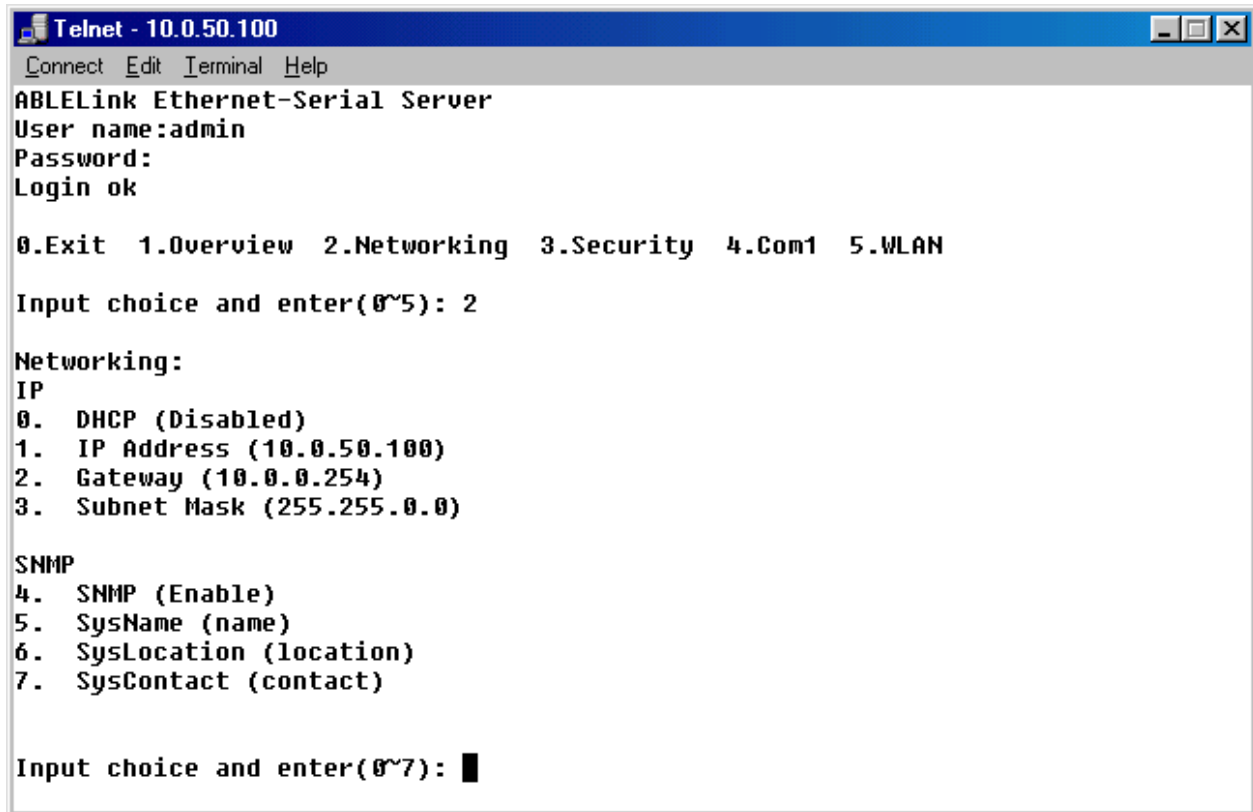
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Input choice and enter(0~5): █
```

This page gives you the general information of GW51W-MAXI including IP and MAC address, SNMP information, kernel and AP version, and connection status of the device.

Networking

Select “2” from “Input choice and enter (0~5):” to enter Networking page as following:



```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN
Input choice and enter(0~5): 2

Networking:
IP
0. DHCP (Disabled)
1. IP Address (10.0.50.100)
2. Gateway (10.0.0.254)
3. Subnet Mask (255.255.0.0)

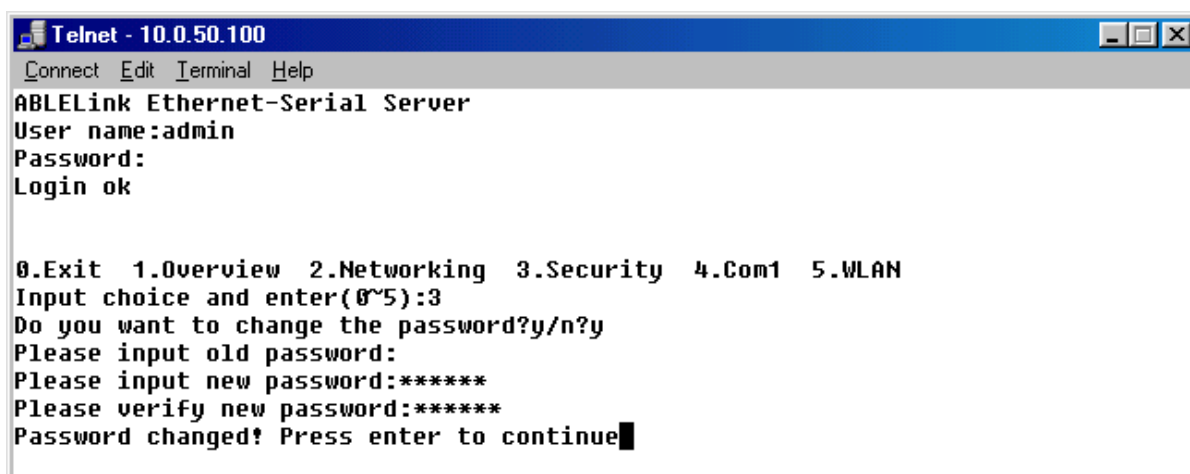
SNMP
4. SNMP (Enable)
5. SysName (name)
6. SysLocation (location)
7. SysContact (contact)

Input choice and enter(0~7): █
```

This page allows you to change network settings of the device including IP address, subnet mask, gateway IP address and SNMP information of GW51W-MAXI. Please notice that any setting change made on this page won't take effect until you restart the device.

Change the password

1. Select “3” from “Input choice and enter (0~5):” the following screen appears.



```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN
Input choice and enter(0~5):3
Do you want to change the password?y/n?y
Please input old password:
Please input new password:*****
Please verify new password:*****
Password changed! Press enter to continue█
```

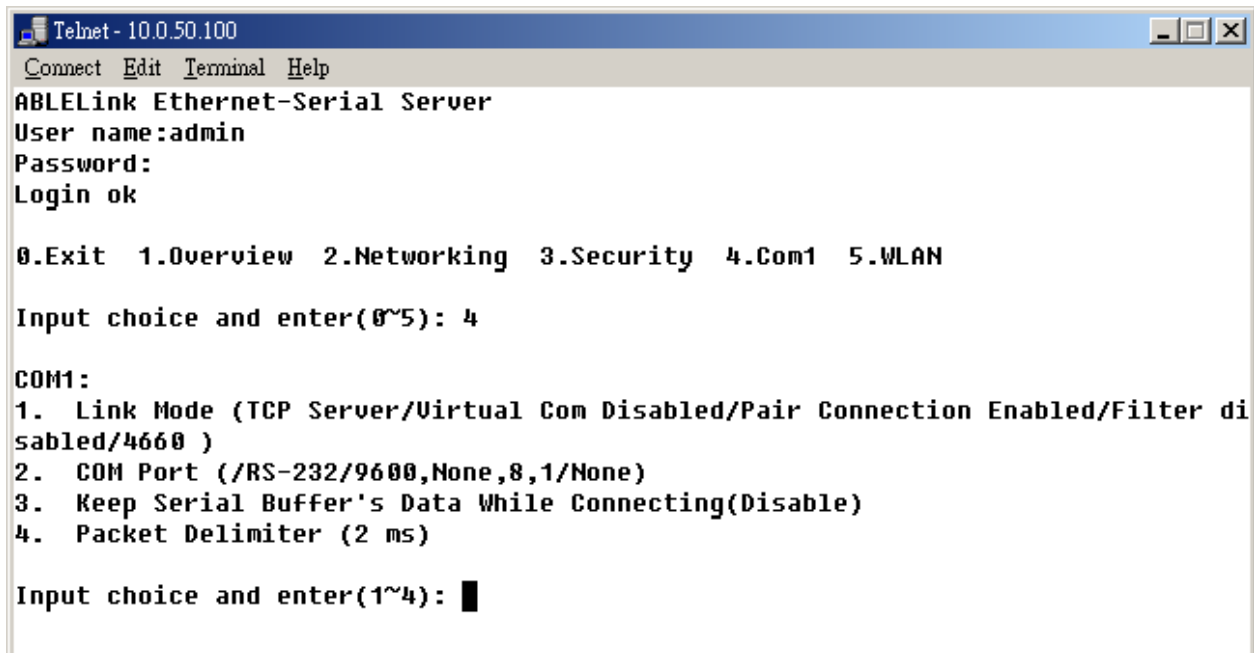
2. If you want to change the password, please type the old password in the “Please input old password”

field, type the new password in the “Please input new password” and the “Please verify new password” fields.

Note: You can press the default key of product to reset password to the default value.

COM1 Setup

Select “4” from “Input choice and enter (0~5):” the following screen appears



```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 4

COM1:
1. Link Mode (TCP Server/Virtual Com Disabled/Pair Connection Enabled/Filter disabled/4660 )
2. COM Port (/RS-232/9600,None,8,1/None)
3. Keep Serial Buffer's Data While Connecting(Disable)
4. Packet Delimiter (2 ms)

Input choice and enter(1~4): █
```

The page gives you an opportunity to configure parameters of COM1 setting which includes COM1 working mode, port parameters, enabling or disabling serial buffer’s data and setting packet delimiter.

LINK1 Setup

Type 1 from “Input choice and enter (1~4):” of COM1, the following screen appears. Configure GW51W-MAXI as TCP server and the local port is 4660. IP filter is disabled by default, if IP filter is enabled, only source IP 10.0.0.154 can connect to GW51W-MAXI.

Note: IP filtering function is disabled if setting FILTER_IP to “0.0.0.0”.


```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 4

COM1:
1. Link Mode (TCP Server/Virtual Com Disabled/Pair Connection Disabled/Filter d
isabled/4660 )
2. COM Port (/RS-232/115200,None,8,1/RTS/CTS)
3. Keep Serial Buffer's Data While Connecting(Disable)
4. Packet Delimiter (2 ms)

Input choice and enter(1~4): 1
Link mode
1.TCP server
2.TCP client
3.UDP
4.Virtual Com(Disabled)
5.Pair Connection(Disabled)

Input choice (1 ~ 5) and enter: █
```

Configure GW51W-MAXI as TCP client, the destination IP is 10.0.29.123, destination port is 666.

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 4

COM1:
1. Link Mode (TCP Server/Virtual Com Disabled/Pair Connection Disabled/Filter d
isabled/4660 )
2. COM Port (/RS-232/115200,None,8,1/RTS/CTS)
3. Keep Serial Buffer's Data While Connecting(Disable)
4. Packet Delimiter (2 ms)

Input choice and enter(1~4): 1
Link mode
1.TCP server
2.TCP client
3.UDP
4.Virtual Com(Disabled)
5.Pair Connection(Disabled)

Input choice (1 ~ 5) and enter: 2
TCP client
Please input destination IP:10.0.29.123
Please input destination port:666
mode changed! Press enter to continue
```

Configure GW51W-MAXI as UDP client, the local port is 4660, the destination IP is 10.0.29.254, destination port is 666.

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 4

COM1:
1. Link Mode (TCP Client/Virtual Com Enabled[M-PLC]/Pair Connection Disabled/Remote 10.0.29.123/666)
2. COM Port (/RS-232/9600,None,8,1/None)
3. Keep Serial Buffer's Data While Connecting(Disable)
4. Packet Delimiter (2 ms)

Input choice and enter(1~4): 1
Link mode
1.TCP server
2.TCP client
3.UDP
4.Virtual Com(Enabled[M-PLC])
5.Pair Connection(Disabled)

Input choice (1 ~ 5) and enter: 3
UDP
Please input local port:4660
Please input destination IP:10.0.29.254
Please input destination port:666
mode changed! Press enter to continue
```

COM port setting

Type 2 from "Input choice and enter (1~4):" of COM1, the following screen appears, you can then give the COM port alias name, set the baud rate and parity, determine number of data bit and stop bit, and decide if you want to use flow control and the type of flow control you want to use.

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 4

COM1:
1. Link Mode (TCP Client/Virtual Com Disabled/Pair Connection Disabled/Remote 1
0.0.29.123/666)
2. COM Port (/RS-232/9600,None,8,1/None)
3. Keep Serial Buffer's Data While Connecting(Disable)
4. Packet Delimiter (2 ms)

Input choice and enter(1~4): 2

COM Port: RS-232
1. Alias name():
2. Baud rate(9600):
3. Parity(None):
4. Data bit(8):
5. Stop bit(1):
6. Flow control(None):

Input choice and enter(1~6): █
```

Enabling serial data buffer

Type 3 from “Input choice and enter (1~4):” of COM1, by default COM port serial data buffer is enabled meaning that when TCP/IP Ethernet connection is broken, serial data collected from serial device will be kept in GW51W-MAXI, once TCP/IP connection is resumed, the serial data will be sent through Ethernet connection, you can disable it if you wish.

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 4

COM1:
1. Link Mode (TCP Client/Virtual Com Disabled/Pair Connection Disabled/Remote 1
0.0.29.123/666)
2. COM Port (/RS-232/9600,None,8,1/None)
3. Keep Serial Buffer's Data While Connecting(Disable)
4. Packet Delimiter (2 ms)

Input choice and enter(1~4): 3

Keep serial Buffer's Data While Connecting
(1)Enable (2)Disable
Please select keep type:1
Keep type changed! Press enter to continue
```

Setting packet delimiter

Packet delimiter is a way of controlling packets within serial communication. It can prevent packets from being cut thus keep the packets complete. GW51W-MAXI provides two ways of parameter setting as inter character timer and terminator. By default packet delimiter timer is 0 ms, you can change timer shown in the following figure:

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

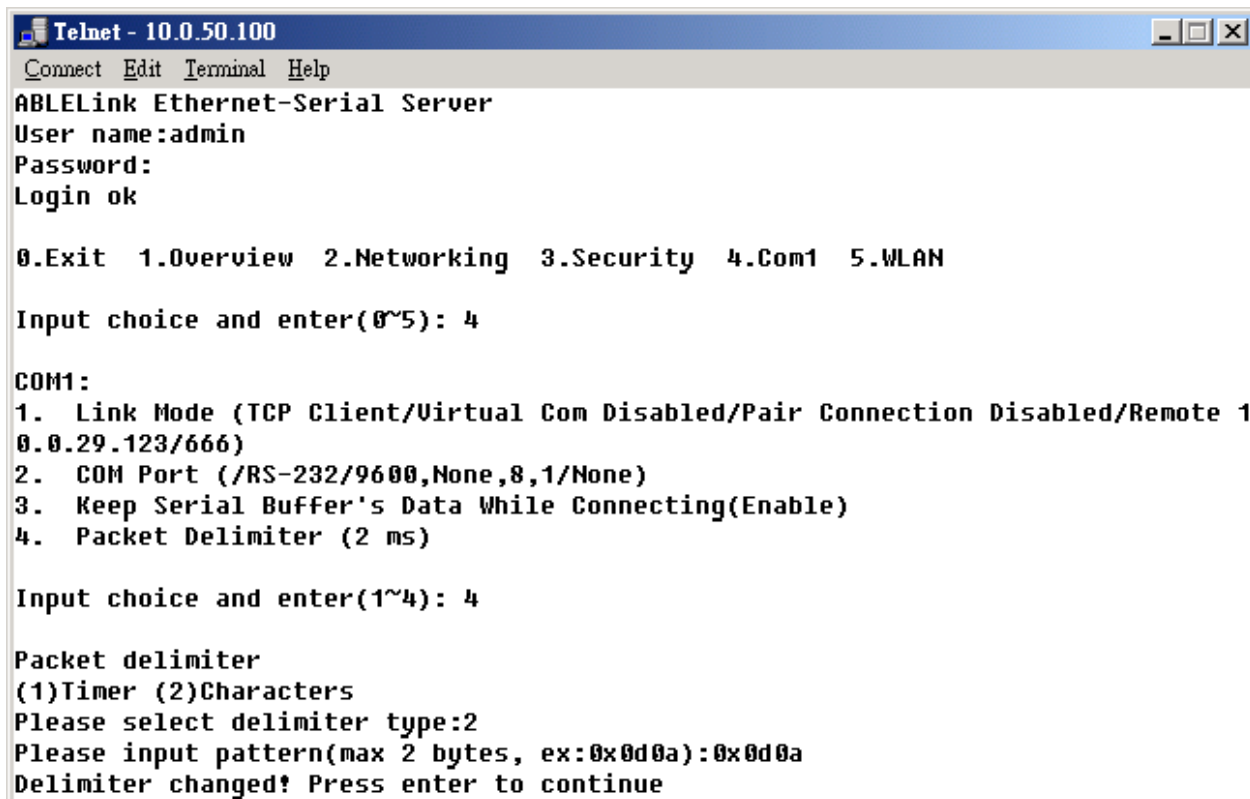
Input choice and enter(0~5): 4

COM1:
1. Link Mode (TCP Client/Virtual Com Disabled/Pair Connection Disabled/Remote 1
0.0.29.123/666)
2. COM Port (/RS-232/9600,None,8,1/None)
3. Keep Serial Buffer's Data While Connecting(Enable)
4. Packet Delimiter (2 ms)

Input choice and enter(1~4): 4

Packet delimiter
(1)Timer (2)Characters
Please select delimiter type:1
Please input timer(0 ~ 30000 ms):2
Delimiter changed! Press enter to continue
```

You can also choose character pattern as the packet delimiter indicated in the following figure:



```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 4

COM1:
1. Link Mode (TCP Client/Virtual Com Disabled/Pair Connection Disabled/Remote 1
0.0.29.123/666)
2. COM Port (/RS-232/9600,None,8,1/None)
3. Keep Serial Buffer's Data While Connecting(Enable)
4. Packet Delimiter (2 ms)

Input choice and enter(1~4): 4

Packet delimiter
(1)Timer (2)Characters
Please select delimiter type:2
Please input pattern(max 2 bytes, ex:0x0d0a):0x0d0a
Delimiter changed! Press enter to continue
```

Accessing Wireless LAN setting

Select "5" from "Input choice and enter (0~5):" the following screen appears.

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 5

WLAN:
Access Point Name : default
Access Point MAC : 00:80:C8:17:4A:3E
Current channel : 6
Current Tx Rate : 11 Mbps
BSS Quality : 100%
Signal Strength : 100%

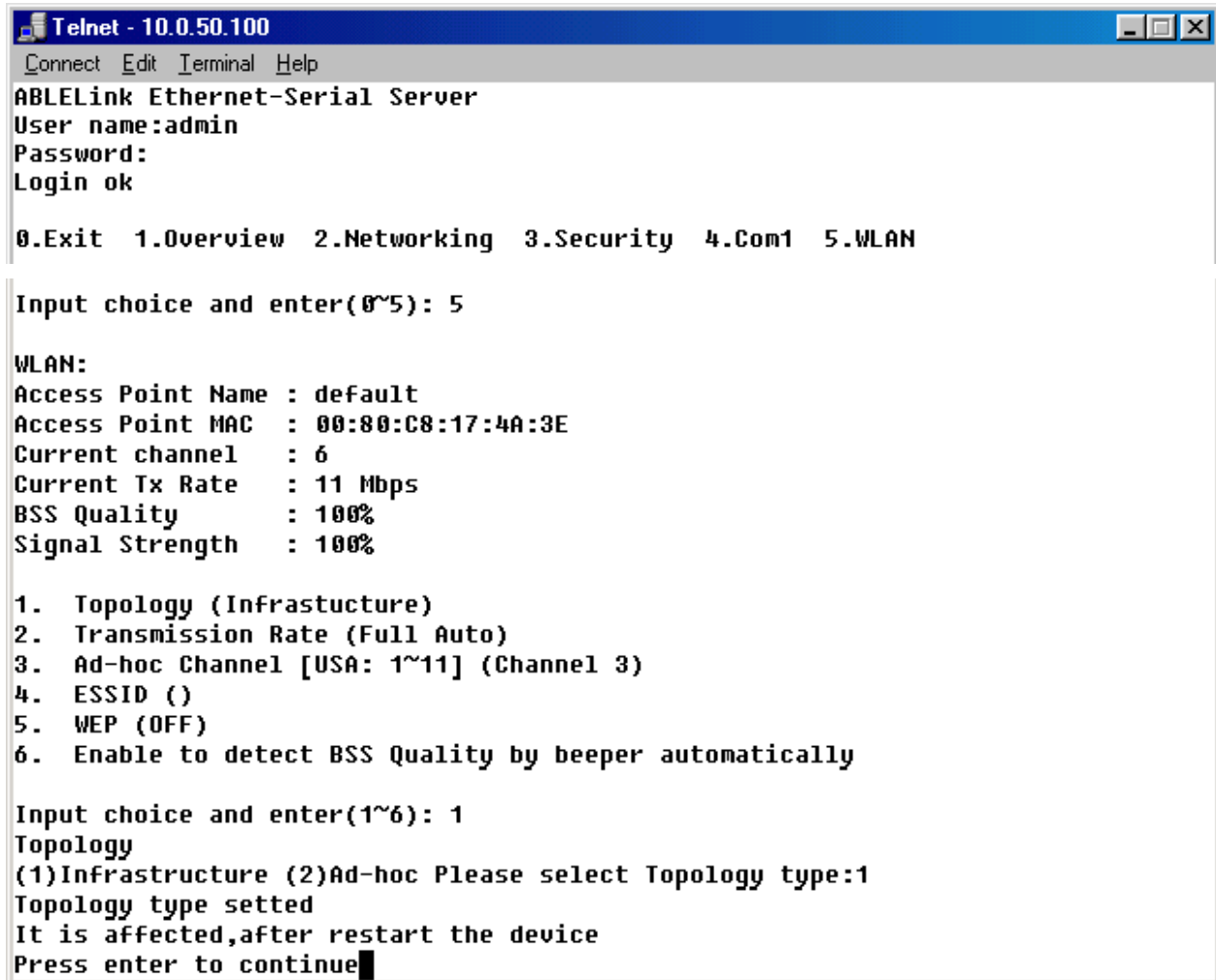
1. Topology (Infrastructure)
2. Transmission Rate (Full Auto)
3. Ad-hoc Channel [USA: 1~11] (Channel 3)
4. ESSID ( )
5. WEP (OFF)
6. Enable to detect BSS Quality by beeper automatically

Input choice and enter(1~6):
```

The above page gives you the general information about GW51W-MAXI wireless configurations including the access point it connects to, the current channel and transmitting rate it communicates with the other wireless devices, topology it uses, and what the ESSID (extended service set identifier) and WEP (wireless encryption protocol) are if you use them.

Wireless LAN topology

You can choose either infrastructure or ad-hoc mode for GW51W-MAXI as indicated in the following figure:



```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 5

WLAN:
Access Point Name : default
Access Point MAC : 00:80:C8:17:4A:3E
Current channel : 6
Current Tx Rate : 11 Mbps
BSS Quality : 100%
Signal Strength : 100%

1. Topology (Infrastructure)
2. Transmission Rate (Full Auto)
3. Ad-hoc Channel [USA: 1~11] (Channel 3)
4. ESSID ( )
5. WEP (OFF)
6. Enable to detect BSS Quality by beeper automatically

Input choice and enter(1~6): 1
Topology
(1)Infrastructure (2)Ad-hoc Please select Topology type:1
Topology type setted
It is affected,after restart the device
Press enter to continue
```

Wireless LAN Transmission Rate

You can set GW51W-MAXI transmission rate as 1 Mbps, 2Mbps, 5.5Mbps, 11Mbps, or full auto based on 802.11 standard shown in the following figure:

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN
Input choice and enter(0~5):5
WLAN:
Access Point Name : default
Access Point MAC : 00:80:C8:17:4A:3E
Current channel : 6
Current Tx Rate : 11 Mbps
BSS Quality : 100%
Signal Strength : 100%

1. Topology (Infrastructure)
2. Transmission Rate (Full Auto)
3. Ad-hoc Channel [USA: 1~11] (Channel 3)
4. ESSID ( )
5. WEP (OFF)
6. Enable to detect BSS Quality by beeper automatically

Input choice and enter(1~6): 2
Transmission Rate
(1)1Mbps (2)2Mbps (3)Auto 1/2 (4)5.5Mbps (5)11Mbps (6)Full Auto
Please select Transmission Rate type:4
Transmission Rate type setted
It is affected,after restart the device
Press enter to continue
```

Wireless LAN Ad-hoc channel

You have to select the same channel for two wireless devices to talk to each other as indicated in the following figure:

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server
User name:admin
Password:
Login ok

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN
Input choice and enter(0~5):5

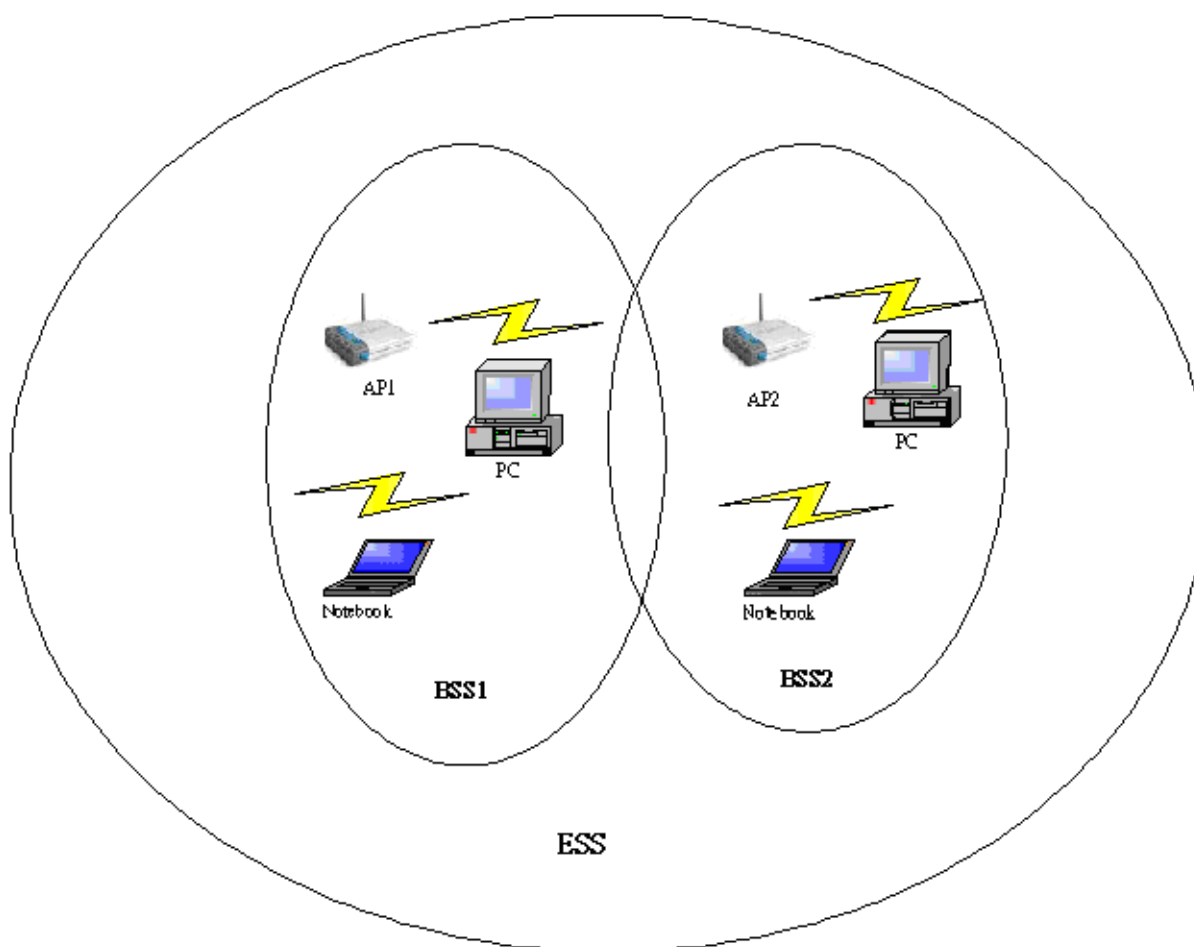
WLAN:
Access Point Name : default
Access Point MAC : 00:80:C8:17:4A:3E
Current channel : 6
Current Tx Rate : 11 Mbps
BSS Quality : 100%
Signal Strength : 100%

1. Topology (Infrastructure)
2. Transmission Rate (5.5 Mbps)
3. Ad-hoc Channel [USA: 1~11] (Channel 3)
4. ESSID ( )
5. WEP (OFF)
6. Enable to detect BSS Quality by beeper automatically

Input choice and enter(1~6): 3
Input Ad-hoc Channel 1~11:5
Ad-hoc channel setted
It is affected,after restart the device
Press enter to continue
```

Wireless LAN ESSID

ESSID (extended service set identification) is used to identify all of the computers in the wireless LAN system, it is different from BSSID (basic service set identification) which contains a single access point (AP) and several other nodes. The following diagram illustrates this concept:



By default, GW51W-MAXI's ESSID is NULL meaning that it can connect to any access point it detects regardless of SSID of the access point. However if there are two access points within the coverage of GW51W-MAXI, it will not connect to either of them, in this case you have to specifically input the ESSID of one of the access points for connection. From telnet you can input ESSID as indicated in the following figure:

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 5

WLAN:
Access Point Name : default
Access Point MAC  : 00:80:C8:17:4A:3E
Current channel   : 6
Current Tx Rate   : 11 Mbps
BSS Quality       : 100%
Signal Strength   : 100%

1. Topology (Infrastructure)
2. Transmission Rate (5.5 Mbps)
3. Ad-hoc Channel [USA: 1~11] (Channel 5)
4. ESSID ( )
5. WEP (OFF)
6. Enable to detect BSS Quality by beeper automatically

Input choice and enter(1~6): 4
Input ESSID:atop
ESSID changed
It is affected,after restart the device
Press enter to continue
```

Wireless Encryption Protocol or Wired Equivalent Protocol (WEP) Setting

For security reason, GW51W-MAXI can set up to use WEP key of 40 bits or 128 bits to securely communicate in the wireless network. Telnet WEP key set up screen is as following:

```
Telnet - 10.0.50.100
Connect Edit Terminal Help

0.Exit 1.Overview 2.Networking 3.Security 4.Com1 5.WLAN

Input choice and enter(0~5): 5

WLAN:
Access Point Name : default
Access Point MAC : 00:80:C8:17:4A:3E
Current channel : 6
Current Tx Rate : 11 Mbps
BSS Quality : 100%
Signal Strength : 100%

1. Topology (Infrastructure)
2. Transmission Rate (5.5 Mbps)
3. Ad-hoc Channel [USA: 1~11] (Channel 5)
4. ESSID (atop)
5. WEP (Wep40,Usekey=*****)
6. Enable to detect BSS Quality by beeper automatically

Input choice and enter(1~6): 5
Wep
(1)OFF (2)Wep40 (3)wep128
Please select Wep type:2

Input Key No 1~4:1
Do you want to change Wep key character?Y/Ny
*****
* Format Example: *
* 12345 or 0x3132333435 *
*****
Please Input 5 bytes:abcde
Wep is Setted
It is affected,after restart the device
Press enter to continue
```

4.3 Configuration set by hyper terminal console utility

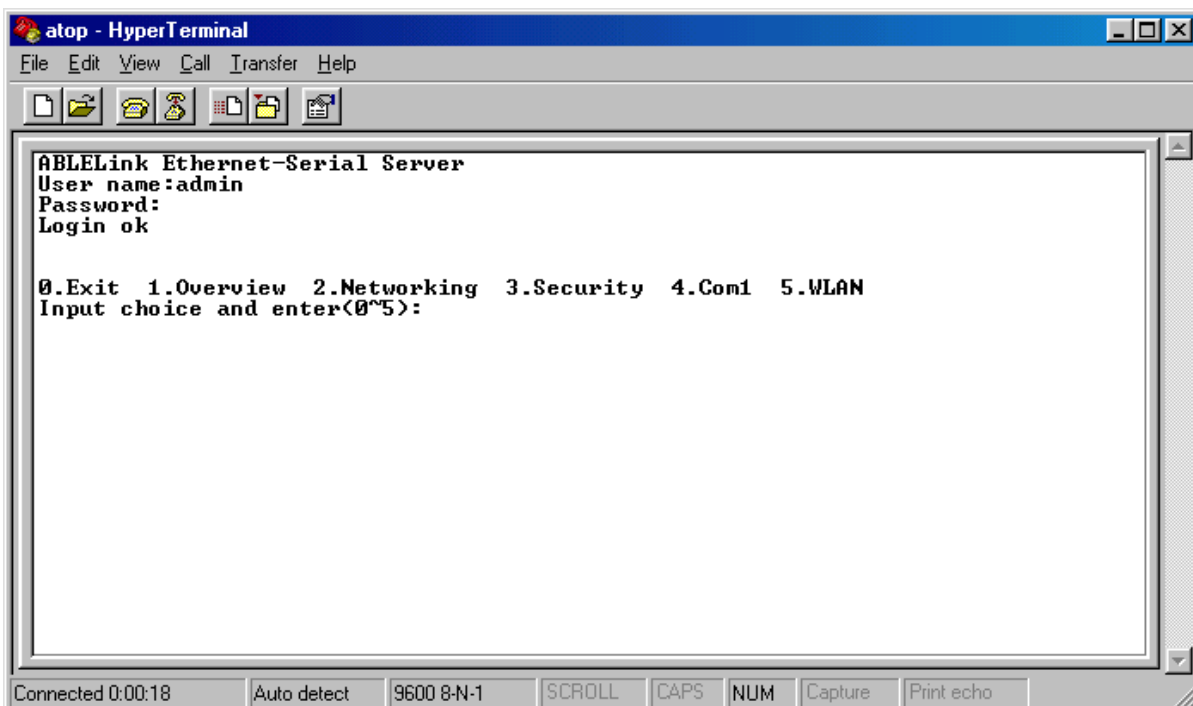
1. Power off GW51W-MAXI.
2. Set the MODE switch SW1 to 'OFF' and SW2 to 'ON'.
3. Use a PC to connect to GW51W-MAXI's console with RS-232 cross over cable.
4. Power on GW51W-MAXI.
5. Open a hyper terminal program from your computer Start menu -> Programs -> Accessories -> Communication -> hyper terminal, set COM1 parameters as follows.
 - Baud rate : 9600bps
 - Data bit: 8 bits
 - Parity: None

- Stop bit: 1bit
- Flow control: None

NOTE:

At present time baud rate is fixed at **9600, 8, n, 1, without flow control** for console port communication, RS-232C parameters of your computer COM port and GW51W-MAXI must be the same.

6. Once hyper terminal is connected, type in username and password then the following hyper terminal window appears.



7. The following configuration operations are totally the same as those configure by telnet.
8. After finishing console settings, power off GW51W-MAXI, put SW1 and SW2 back to the previous setting.

4.4 Configuration set by web browser

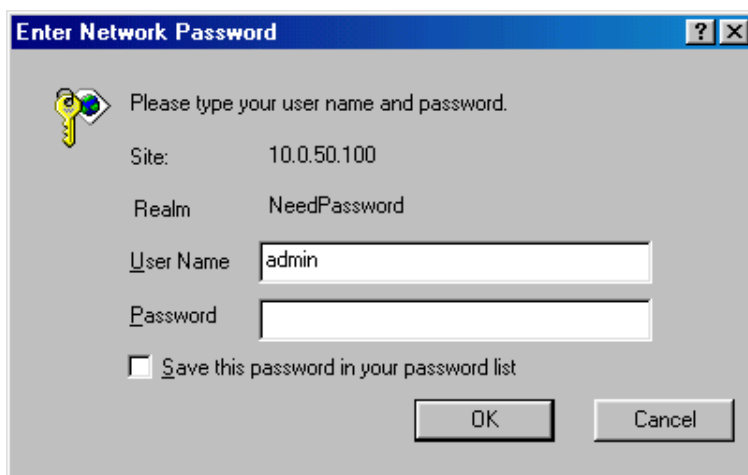
It is also possible to modify various settings through the web server interface. To do so, please follow the steps below.

Log in to the system

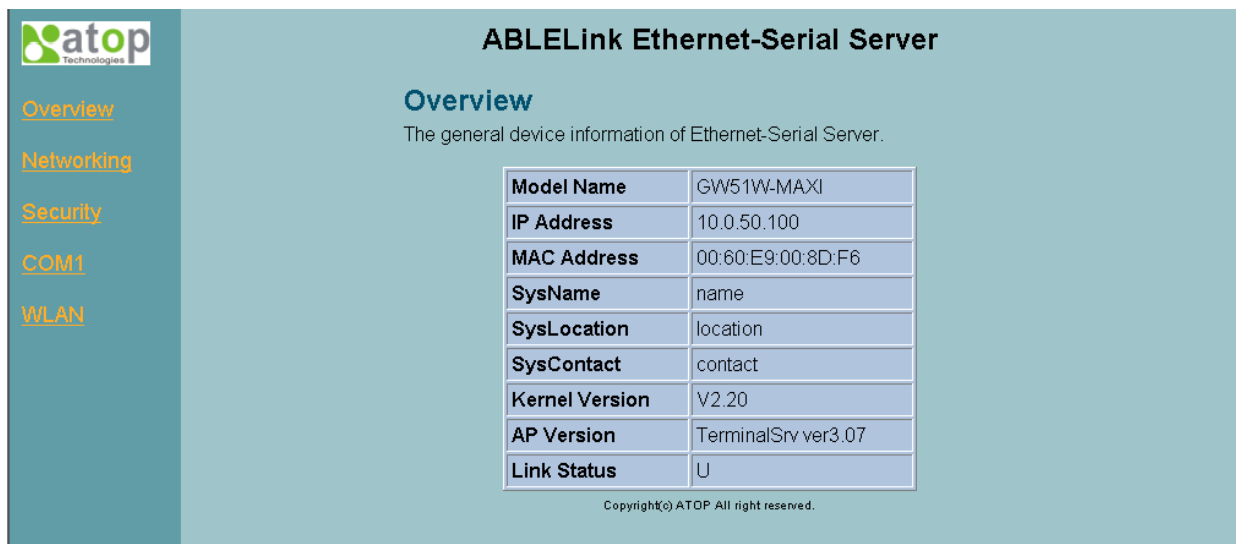
1. From web browser, type in the IP address of GW51W-MAXI in the URL.

Example: http://10.0.50.100

2. The following authentication screen appears. Please type in user name and password then click on "OK". The user name is **admin** and password is **null** by default.



3. The following overview page appears.

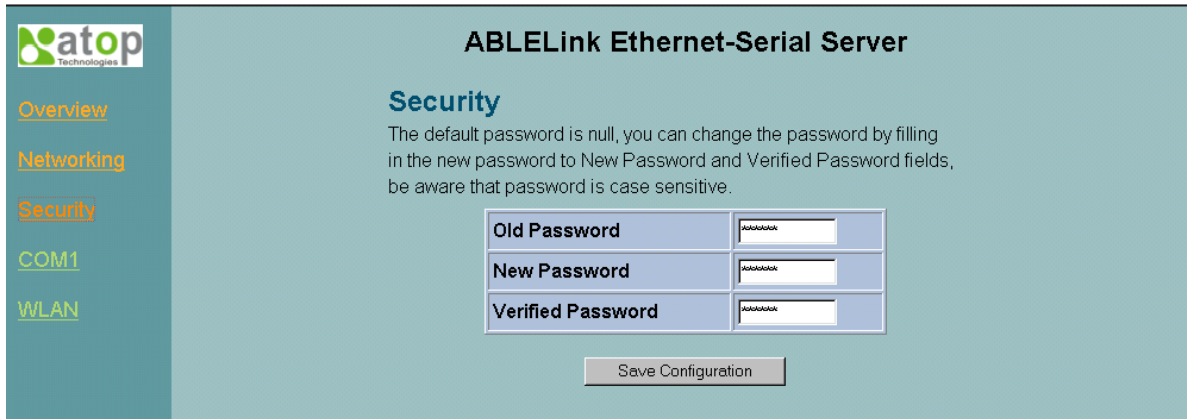


| Model Name | GW51W-MAXI |
|----------------|---------------------|
| IP Address | 10.0.50.100 |
| MAC Address | 00:60:E9:00:8D:F6 |
| SysName | name |
| SysLocation | location |
| SysContact | contact |
| Kernel Version | V2.20 |
| AP Version | TerminalSrv ver3.07 |
| Link Status | U |

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Change the password

1. Click on the “Security” link and the following screen appears.



| ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server | |
|--|--------------------------|
| Security | |
| The default password is null, you can change the password by filling in the new password to New Password and Verified Password fields, be aware that password is case sensitive. | |
| Old Password | <input type="password"/> |
| New Password | <input type="password"/> |
| Verified Password | <input type="password"/> |
| <input type="button" value="Save Configuration"/> | |

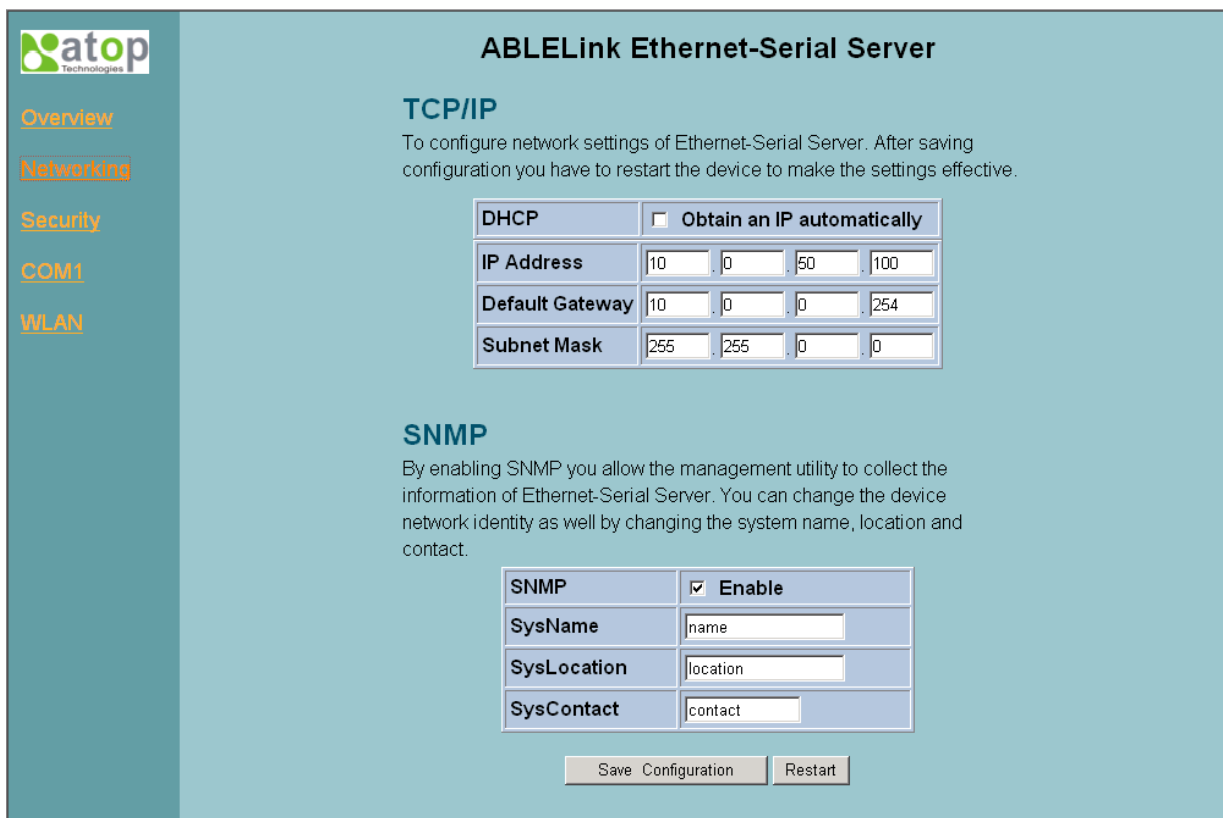
2. Please input the old password in the “Old Password” field, input the new password in the “**New Password**” and the “**Verified Password**” fields. Then click on “**Save Configuration**” to update the password.

Note: You can press the default key of product to reset password to the default value.

Network setup

Click on the “Networking” link and the following screen appears. Fill in IP information under TCP/IP field. Alternatively, you can do the configuration by putting a check on DHCP to obtain auto IP address, gateway and subnet mask information.

Enable SNMP by checking “Enable”, fill in network identification information under SNMP field and click on the “Save Configuration” button to save the changes, please notice that the setting will not become effective until you restart GW51W-MAXI.



The screenshot shows the configuration page for the ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server. On the left is a navigation menu with links for Overview, Networking, Security, COM1, and WLAN. The main content area is titled 'ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server' and is divided into two sections: 'TCP/IP' and 'SNMP'. The 'TCP/IP' section includes a checkbox for 'Obtain an IP automatically' (unchecked) and three input fields for IP Address (10.0.50.100), Default Gateway (10.0.0.254), and Subnet Mask (255.255.0.0). The 'SNMP' section includes a checkbox for 'Enable' (checked) and three input fields for SysName (name), SysLocation (location), and SysContact (contact). At the bottom of the configuration area are two buttons: 'Save Configuration' and 'Restart'.

| DHCP | |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Obtain an IP automatically |

| | | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|-----|
| IP Address | 10 | 0 | 50 | 100 |
| Default Gateway | 10 | 0 | 0 | 254 |
| Subnet Mask | 255 | 255 | 0 | 0 |

| SNMP | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Enable |
| SysName | name |
| SysLocation | location |
| SysContact | contact |

Save Configuration Restart

COM1 Setup

Click on the “**COM1**” link and the following screen appears. Fill in COM1 parameter information under COM1 field then click on “Save Configuration” button to save the changes.



The screenshot shows the configuration page for the ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server. On the left is a navigation menu with links for Overview, Networking, Security, COM1, and WLAN. The main content area is titled 'ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server' and is divided into two sections: 'LINK1' and 'COM1'.

LINK1
 To choose specific working mode for COM port.

Working modes: TCP Server, TCP Client, UDP

| | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Virtual COM | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Pair Connection | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Mitsubishi A-Series PLC | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |

| | |
|------------|---------------------------------|
| Local Port | 4660 |
| IP Filter | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Source IP | 10.0.29.254 |

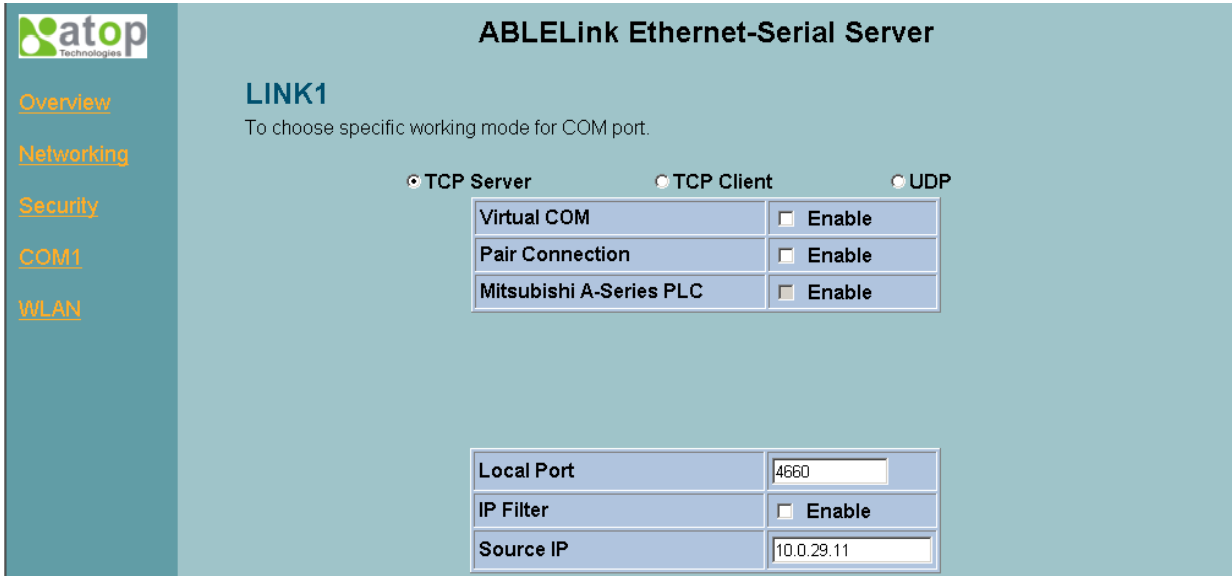
COM1
 To configure COM port parameters.

| | |
|------------------------------|---|
| Serial Interface | RS-232 |
| Alias Name | |
| Baud Rate | 9600 |
| Parity | <input checked="" type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> Odd <input type="radio"/> Even <input type="radio"/> Mark <input type="radio"/> Space |
| Data Bits | <input type="radio"/> 7 bits <input checked="" type="radio"/> 8 bits |
| Stop Bits | <input checked="" type="radio"/> 1 bit <input type="radio"/> 2 bits |
| Flow Control | <input checked="" type="radio"/> None <input type="radio"/> RTS/CTS <input type="radio"/> DTR/DSR <input type="radio"/> Xon/Xoff |
| Keep Buffer While Connecting | <input type="radio"/> Enable <input checked="" type="radio"/> Disable |
| Packet Delimiter | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Timer <input type="radio"/> Characters |
| | Timer: 2 (0~30000 msec) |
| | Characters: 0x0d ("0x"+ASCII Code, Ex. 0x0d or 0x0d0a) |

Save Configuration

LINK1 Setup

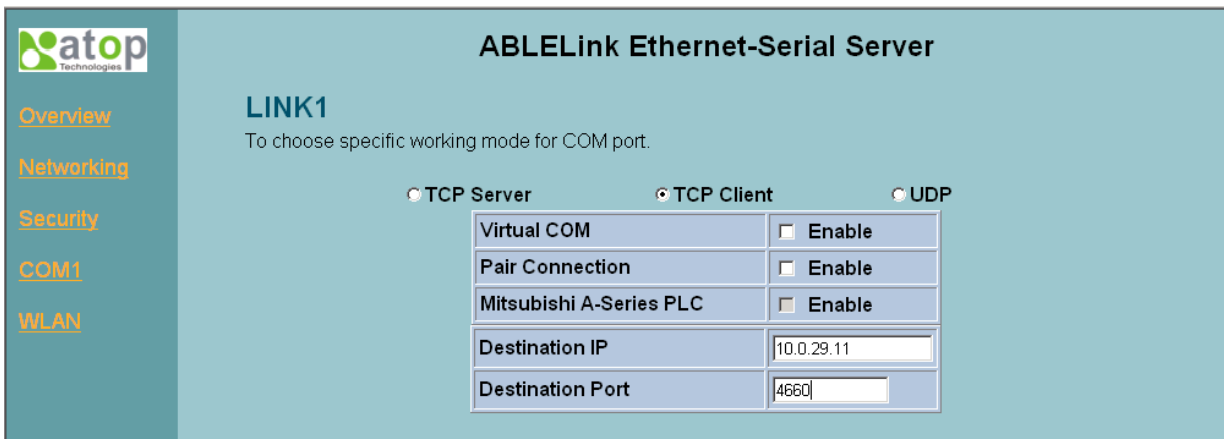
1. Click on the “COM1” link and the following screen appears, you can configure GW51W-MAXI as transparent mode by default. Configure GW51W-MAXI as TCP server and the local port is 4660, IP filter is disabled by default, if IP filter is enabled, only source IP 10.0.29.11 can connect to GW51W-MAXI.



The screenshot shows the configuration page for LINK1 in TCP Server mode. The interface includes a sidebar with navigation links (Overview, Networking, Security, COM1, WLAN) and a main content area with the following settings:

| | |
|---|---------------------------------|
| ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server | |
| LINK1 To choose specific working mode for COM port. | |
| ● TCP Server ● TCP Client ● UDP | |
| Virtual COM | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Pair Connection | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Mitsubishi A-Series PLC | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Local Port | 4660 |
| IP Filter | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Source IP | 10.0.29.11 |

Configure GW51W-MAXI as TCP client, the destination IP is 10.0.29.11, destination port is 4660.

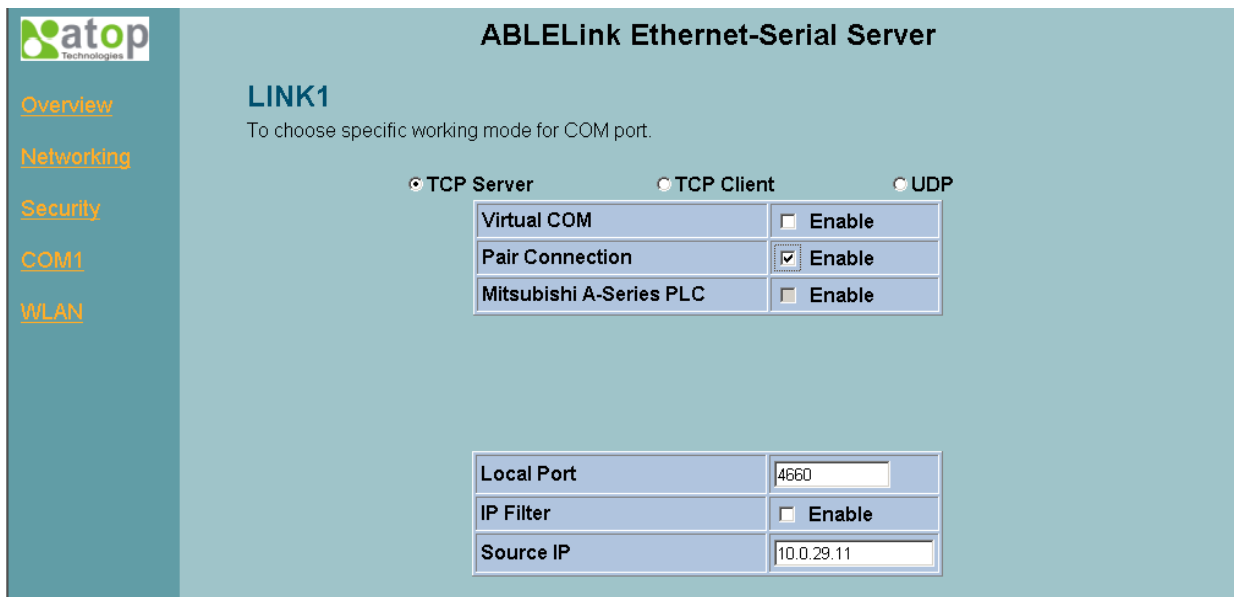


The screenshot shows the configuration page for LINK1 in TCP Client mode. The interface includes a sidebar with navigation links (Overview, Networking, Security, COM1, WLAN) and a main content area with the following settings:

| | |
|---|---------------------------------|
| ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server | |
| LINK1 To choose specific working mode for COM port. | |
| ● TCP Server ● TCP Client ● UDP | |
| Virtual COM | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Pair Connection | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Mitsubishi A-Series PLC | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Destination IP | 10.0.29.11 |
| Destination Port | 4660 |

Pair Connection

In the case of the serial connection is established with two or more GW51W-MAXI to send data over Ethernet network, i.e. pair connection mode, you can choose “pair connection” which is indicated in the following figure to cope with any type of serial device.



ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server

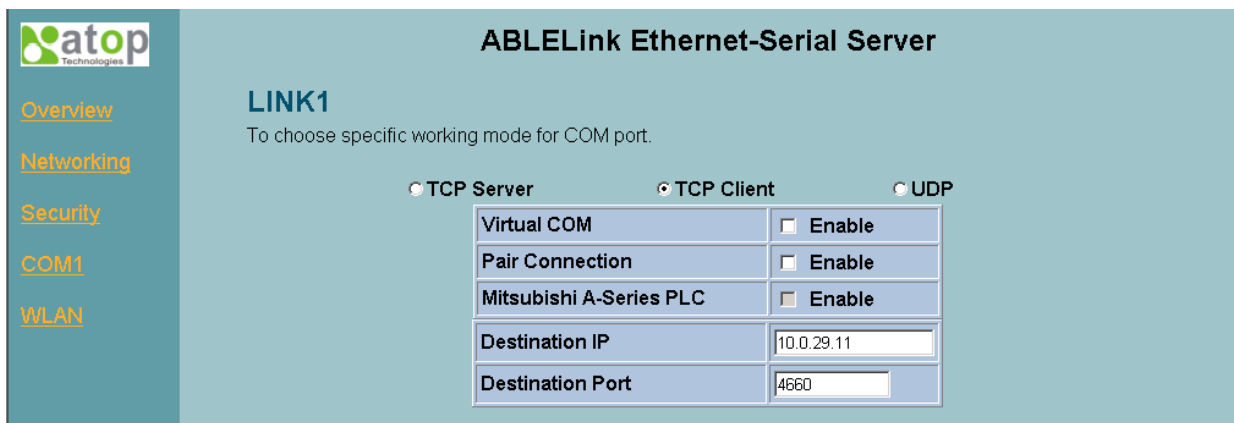
LINK1
 To choose specific working mode for COM port.

TCP Server
 TCP Client
 UDP

| | |
|-------------------------|--|
| Virtual COM | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Pair Connection | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Mitsubishi A-Series PLC | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |

| | |
|------------|---------------------------------|
| Local Port | 4660 |
| IP Filter | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Source IP | 10.0.29.11 |

Configure GW51W-MAXI as TCP client, the destination IP is 10.0.29.11, destination port is 4660.



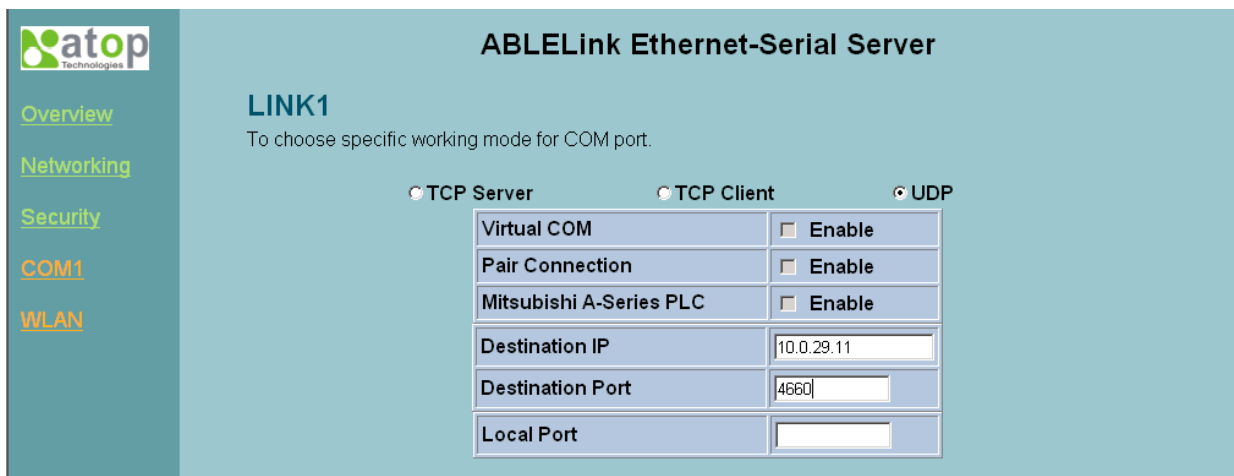
ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server

LINK1
 To choose specific working mode for COM port.

TCP Server
 TCP Client
 UDP

| | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Virtual COM | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Pair Connection | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Mitsubishi A-Series PLC | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Destination IP | 10.0.29.11 |
| Destination Port | 4660 |

Configure GW51W-MAXI as UDP mode. Local port is 666, destination IP is 10.0.50.100 and destination port is 4660.



ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server

LINK1
 To choose specific working mode for COM port.

TCP Server
 TCP Client
 UDP

| | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Virtual COM | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Pair Connection | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Mitsubishi A-Series PLC | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Destination IP | 10.0.29.11 |
| Destination Port | 4660 |
| Local Port | |

- Click on “Save Configuration” to save the changes.
- If the update is successful, the following screen appears.

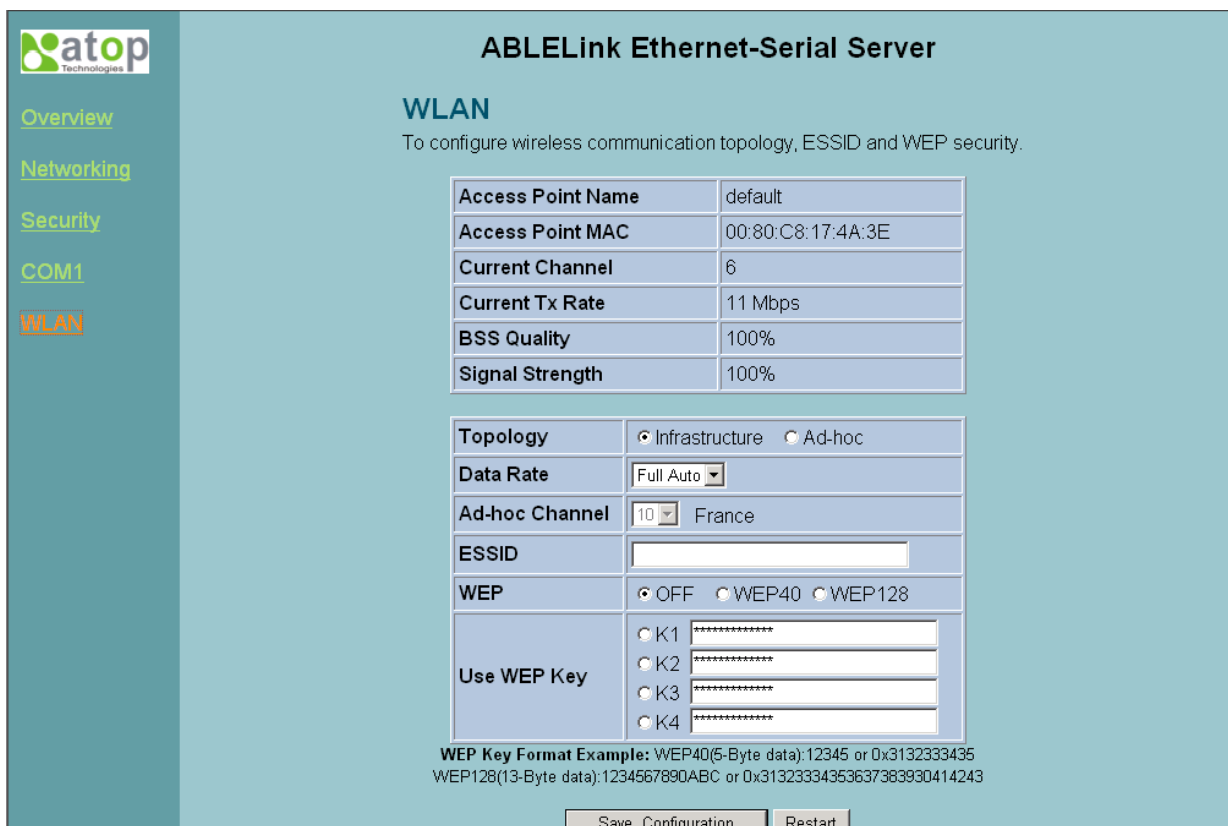
Successful

Configure Saved

[Back](#)

Wireless LAN Setup

You can configure wireless LAN parameters through web pages, the following page gives you the information of the access point GW51W-MAXI is connected to, it also allows you to configure GW51W-MAXI's wireless topology, ESSID and WEP security. In addition, the BSS Quality and Signal Strength will indicate you the situation of signal.



ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server

WLAN
To configure wireless communication topology, ESSID and WEP security.

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Access Point Name | default |
| Access Point MAC | 00:80:C8:17:4A:3E |
| Current Channel | 6 |
| Current Tx Rate | 11 Mbps |
| BSS Quality | 100% |
| Signal Strength | 100% |

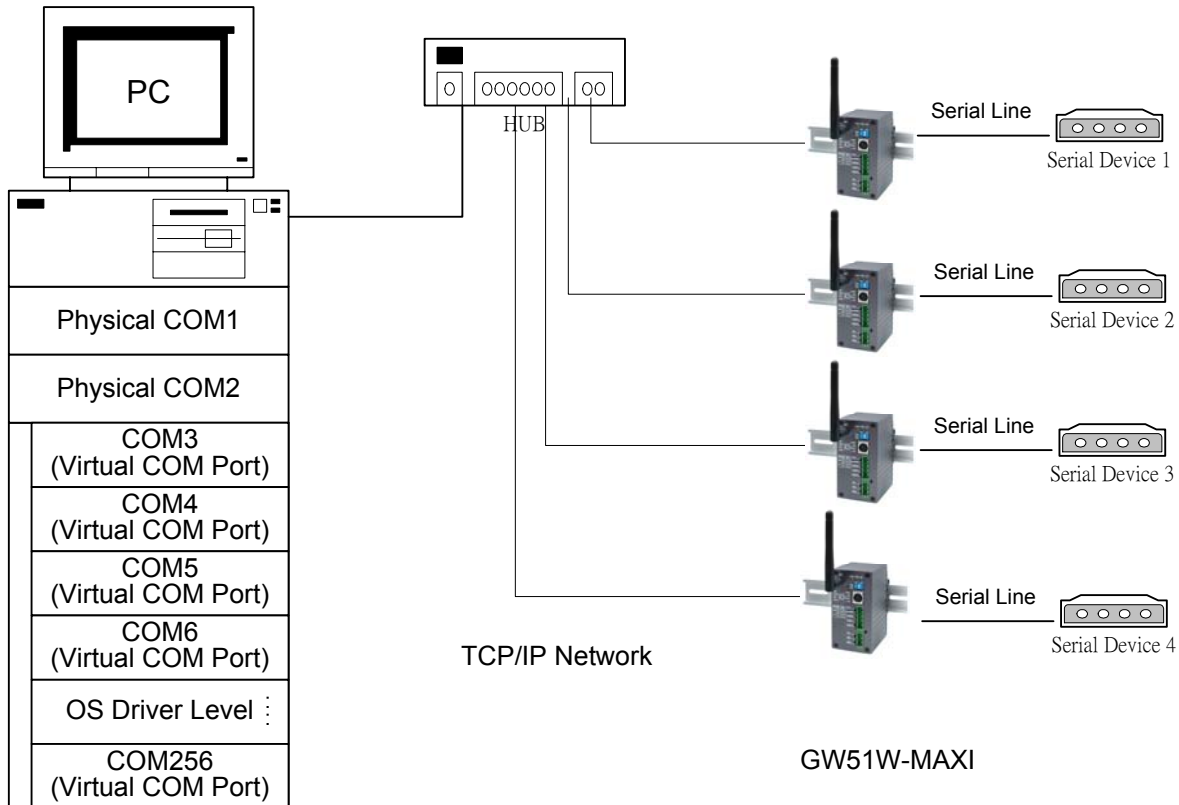
| | |
|----------------|---|
| Topology | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Infrastructure <input type="radio"/> Ad-hoc |
| Data Rate | Full Auto |
| Ad-hoc Channel | 10 France |
| ESSID | |
| WEP | <input checked="" type="radio"/> OFF <input type="radio"/> WEP40 <input type="radio"/> WEP128 |
| Use WEP Key | <input type="radio"/> K1 ***** |
| | <input type="radio"/> K2 ***** |
| | <input type="radio"/> K3 ***** |
| | <input type="radio"/> K4 ***** |

WEP Key Format Example: WEP40(5-Byte data):12345 or 0x3132333435
WEP128(13-Byte data):1234567890ABC or 0x31323334353637383930414243

[Save Configuration](#) [Restart](#)

4.5 Virtual COM Mode

Virtual COM driver mode for windows converts COM data to LAN data to control the RS-232C port on a GW51W-MAXI via the LAN. By creating Virtual COM ports on the PC, Atop Virtual COM redirects the communications from the Virtual COM ports to an IP address and port number on a GW51W-MAXI that connects the serial line device to the network. The following figure is Atop Virtual COM connection diagram.



4.5.1 Setup of a Virtual COM driver

Pre-installation requirements

Please check the operation system on your PC complied with the following requirements:

- Processor: Intel-compatible, Pentium class
- Operation system: Windows Server 2003, Windows XP, Windows 2000, Windows NT 4.0 SP5 or later, Windows Me, Windows 98, Windows 95, Microsoft NT/2000 Terminal Server, Citrix MetaFrame
- Windows Installer 2.0
- Network: Microsoft TCP/IP networking software

Applying to the serial server

Cautions on Use

Atop Virtual COM supports firmware AP v3.4 and above of ABLELink Serial-Ethernet Servers.

Limitation

Atop Virtual COM driver provides user to select up to **256 COM ports** as Virtual COM ports in a monitoring PC. User can select them from a list of COM ports, which is from COM1 up to COM256.

Installation

Make sure you have turned off all anti-virus software before beginning the installation. Run AtopVcom.exe program included in the CD to install Atop Virtual COM for your operating system.

In the end of the installation, please select one or two COM ports to become the Virtual COM ports.

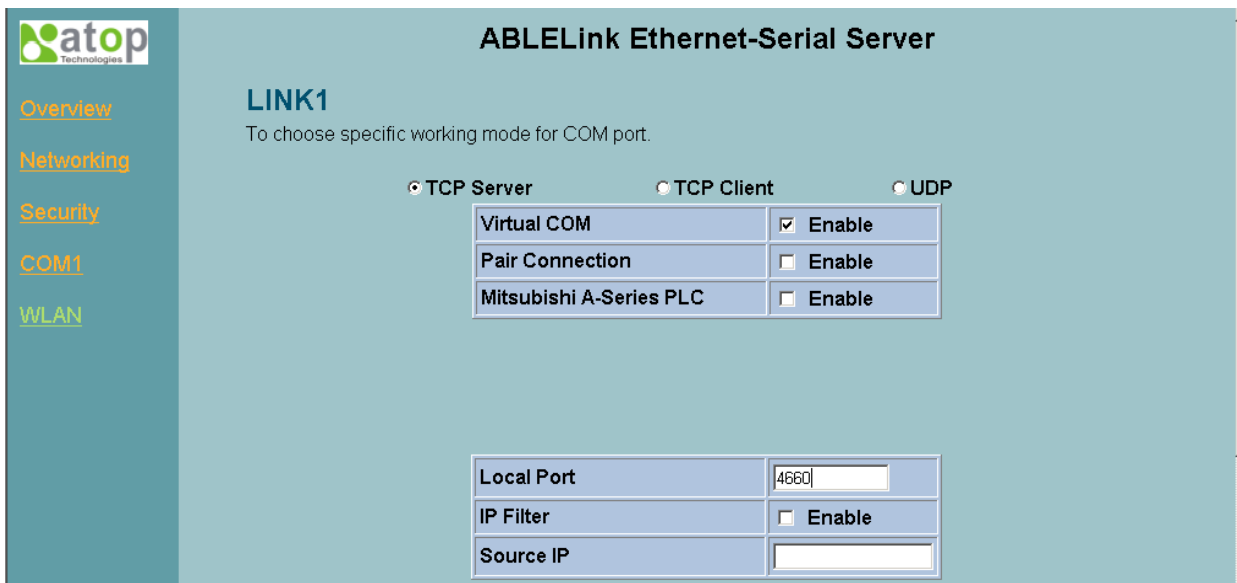
Uninstalling

1. From Windows Start menu select Setting, Control Panel, Add/Remove Programs.
2. Select **Serial IP for ATOP** in the list of installed software.
3. Click the **Add/Remove** button to remove the program, or From Windows Start menu select Programs, Serial IP for ATOP, **Uninstall Serial IP for ATOP** to remove the program.

4.5.2 Virtual COM communication

4.5.2.1 Enable Virtual COM on GW51W-MAXI

From web browser access to GW51W-MAXI by typing its IP address, click on COM1 link to access COM1 page, on the top half of the page click on “**TCP Server**” and enable Virtual COM by putting a check in front of the “Enable” button, then type in the local port number in the “**Local Port**” field as indicated in the following figure:



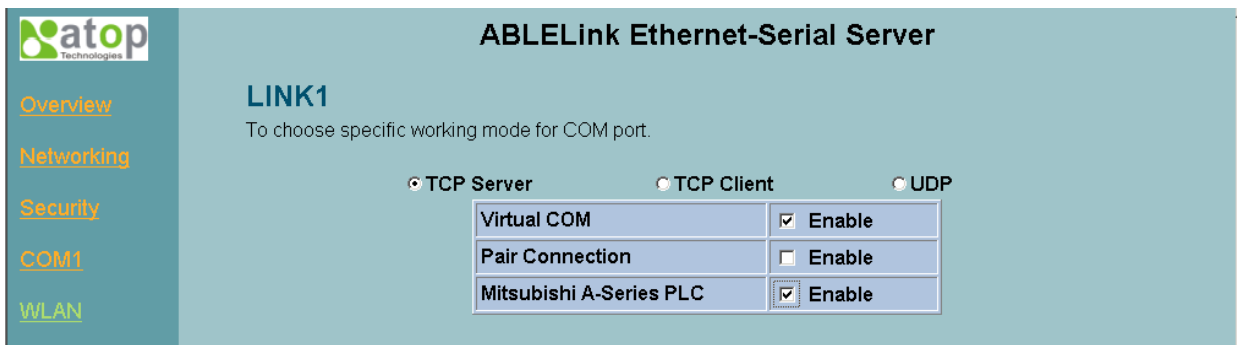
The screenshot shows the web interface for the ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server. On the left is a navigation menu with links for Overview, Networking, Security, COM1, and WLAN. The main content area is titled 'ABLELink Ethernet-Serial Server' and 'LINK1'. Below the title, it says 'To choose specific working mode for COM port.' There are three radio buttons for 'TCP Server', 'TCP Client', and 'UDP', with 'TCP Server' selected. Below these are three tables, each with a checkbox for 'Enable':

| | |
|-------------------------|--|
| Virtual COM | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Pair Connection | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Mitsubishi A-Series PLC | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |

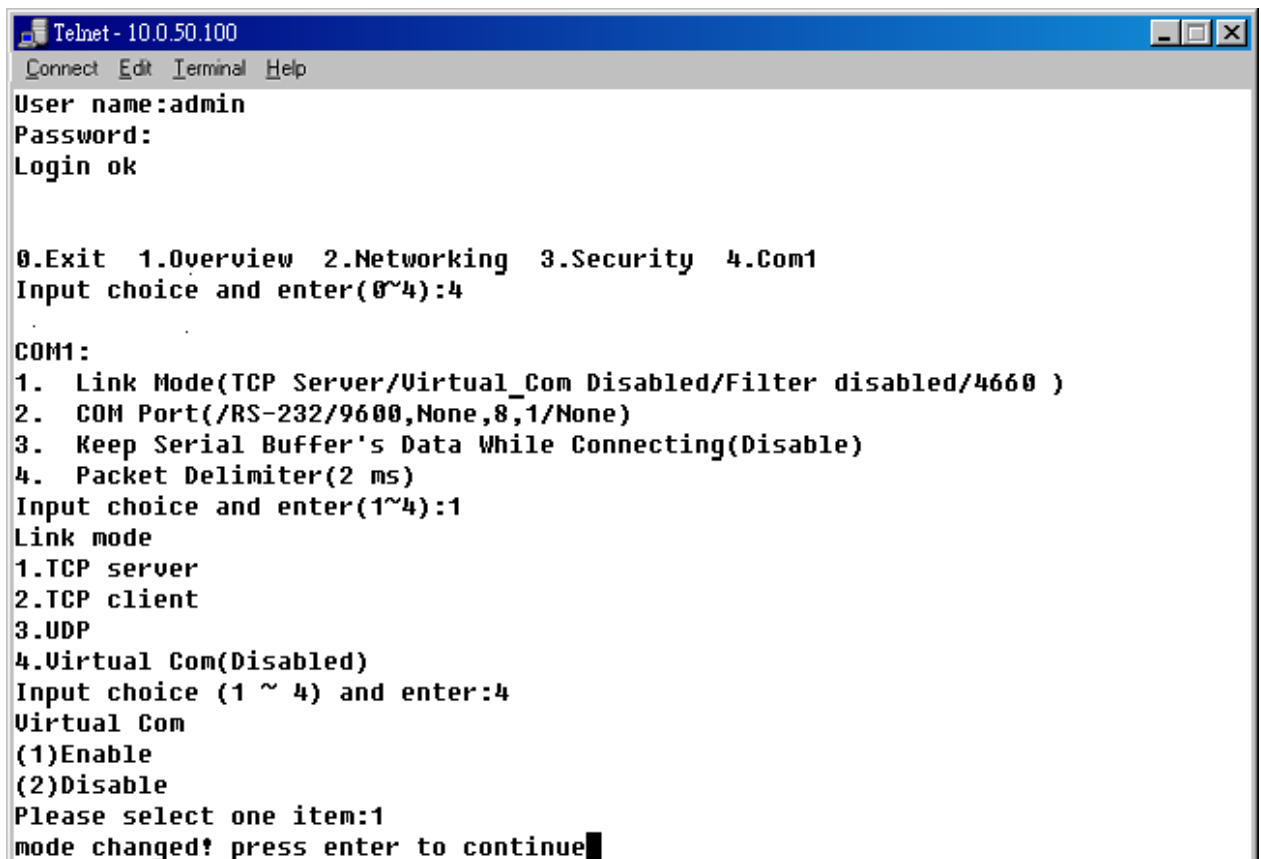
Below these tables are three more fields:

| | |
|------------|-----------------------------------|
| Local Port | <input type="text" value="4660"/> |
| IP Filter | <input type="checkbox"/> Enable |
| Source IP | <input type="text"/> |

For the users of Mitsubishi A-Series PLC, it may be recommended to enable “**Mitsubishi A-Series PLC**” in the case of some connection problems occurred.

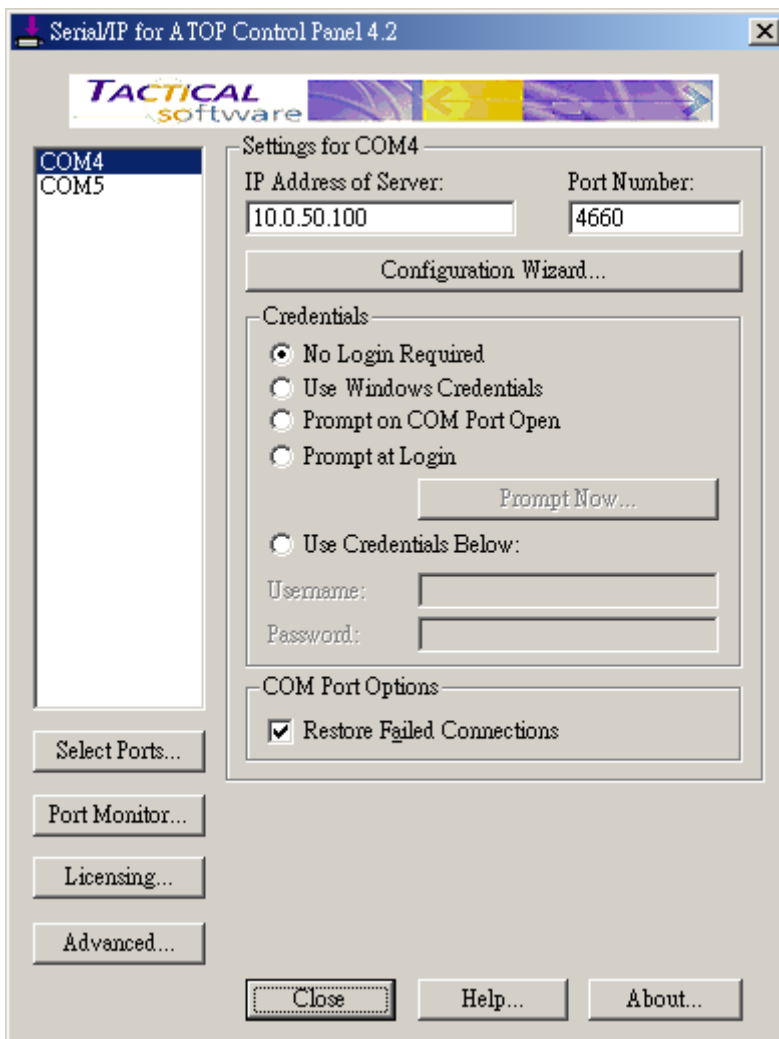


Or you can enable Virtual COM through telnet configuration by setting COM1 as TCP server, and type in the local port number for COM1, then enable virtual COM as shown in the following figure:



4.5.2.2 Run Serial/IP for ATOP program on monitoring PC

In the Window Start Menu, select the Serial/IP for ATOP program group and select **Serial/IP for ATOP Configuration**. The configuration window is shown as following:



At right is a sample Virtual COM Control Panel window. At the left is the list of the COM ports that you have selected (in the Select Ports window) for use by the Virtual COM Redirector. If you wish to change which ports appear in this list, use the **Select Ports** button.

Each COM port has its own settings. When you click on a COM port, the Control Panel display changes to reflect the settings for that COM port.

Note: When you change settings for a COM port, the changes are effective immediately. There is no separate confirmation dialog to confirm or cancel your changes.

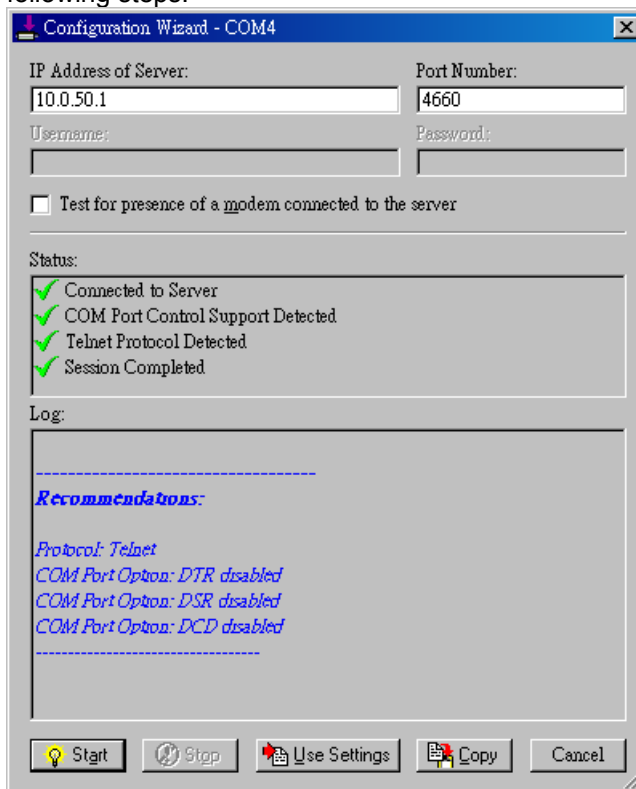
Configuring Virtual COM Ports

You configure each Serial/IP COM port as follows:

1. Select a COM port in the list.
2. For **IP Address of Server**, enter a numeric IP address for the serial server.
3. For **Port Number**, enter the TCP port number that the serial server uses to provide its serial ports to the network.
4. For **Server Credentials**, the default is **No Login Required**. If your serial server does require a login by the Virtual COM Redirector, the Virtual COM Redirector needs to provide

a username and/or password every time an application tries to use the serial server.

5. Click the **Configuration Wizard** button and then click the **Start** button that appears in the wizard window. This important step verifies that the Virtual COM Redirector can communicate with the serial server using the settings you have provided. If the **Log** display does not show errors, click the **Use Settings** button in the wizard, which makes the recommended settings effective and returns you to the Control Panel to continue with the following steps.



6. For **Connection Protocol**, the setting must match the TCP/IP protocol that the serial server supports. The Configuration Wizard is usually able to determine the correct setting.
7. For **COM Port Options**, the settings must match the COM port behavior expected by the PC application that will use this COM port. The Configuration Wizard will recommend a combination of settings.

5. SNMP Setup

5.1 SNMP Network Management Platform


Atop GW51W-MAXI is an SNMP device that allows many popular SNMP network management platforms such as HP OpenView and SunNet Manager to conduct monitoring on the device.

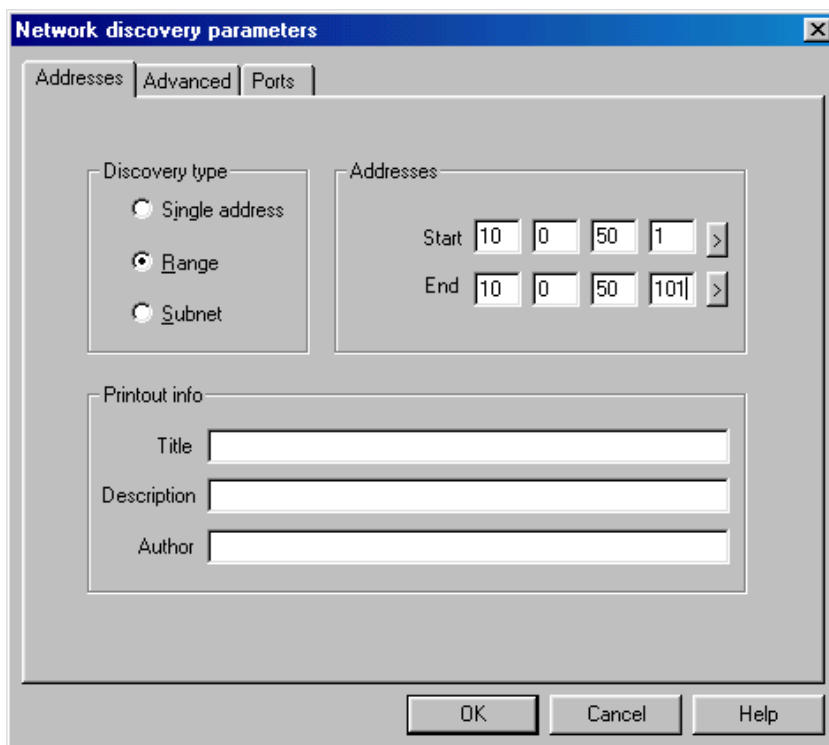
Depending on the network management tools you are using, device (GW51W-MAXI) information can be collected from running the management tools including IP address, DNS name, system descriptions and NIC information etc.

5.2 Using NetworkView As An Example

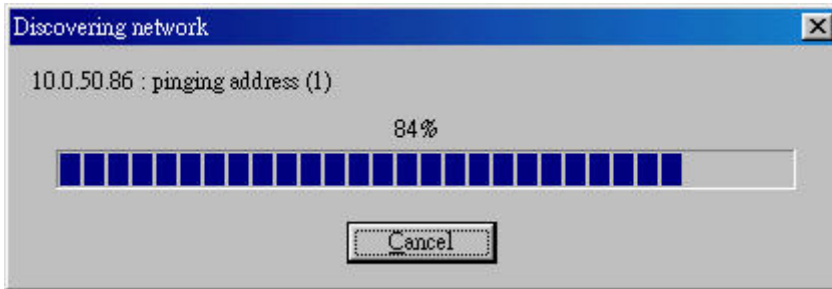
The NetworkView is a compact network management tool from NetworkView Software, Inc. (www.networkview.com). It discovers all TCP/IP nodes in a network using DNS, SNMP and ports information and documents with printed maps and reports for future use. You may visit their web sites and get a free download.

To use NetworkView, you will need to download and install the tool on your PC (**Windows NT and Windows 9x only**). Please refer to the installation instructions that come with the tool.

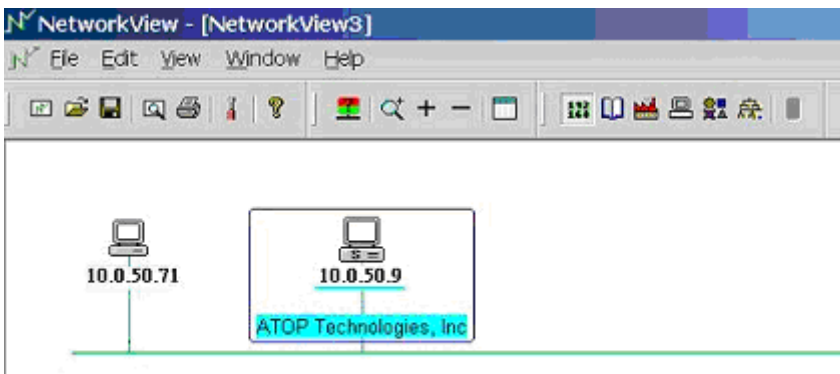
1. After you have done the NetworkView installation, start NetworkView.
2. Click on the  button to open a new file. The following screen appears, in the Addresses field, type in the IP address range to search.



3. Click on “OK” and the following dialog box appears. It displays the searching progress.



4. When the search is completed, NetworkView will display the devices found in the main window, as shown in the following diagram.



5. Double-click on the device icon to display information about the device, including IP Address, Company, SysLocation (Max 15 characters), SysName (Max 9 characters) and types etc.

Note:

1. The NetworkView tool is limited to information extracting and viewing only.
2. To modify the configurations please use the web server, Telnet or monitor.exe configuration utilities.

6. Start Writing Your Own Applications

Before you start writing your host applications or programs to interact with GW51W-MAXI, please make sure you have done the following.

6.1 Preparing The System

1. Properly connect GW51W-MAXI hardware including power, Ethernet and RS-232/RS-485 cables.
2. Properly configure the parameters of GW51W-MAXI including connection type, IP address, gateway IP address, and network mask accordingly (see chapter 3 **Hardware Installation** section).
3. Configure GW51W-MAXI as TCP Server using default TCP port number 4660.
4. The host (PC) application program must be configured as a TCP client and connects to GW51W-MAXI with designated TCP port number 4660 for COM1.
5. Make sure GW51W-MAXI is running by checking the running status through **monitor.exe** configuration utility.

6.2 Running The Sample Program

Sample programs written in VB and VC++ included in package are provided for your reference, source codes are also included. Test program can be found in the product CD or diskette under the directory of `\\sample\\vb_ap\\` and `\\sample\\vc_ap` respectively.

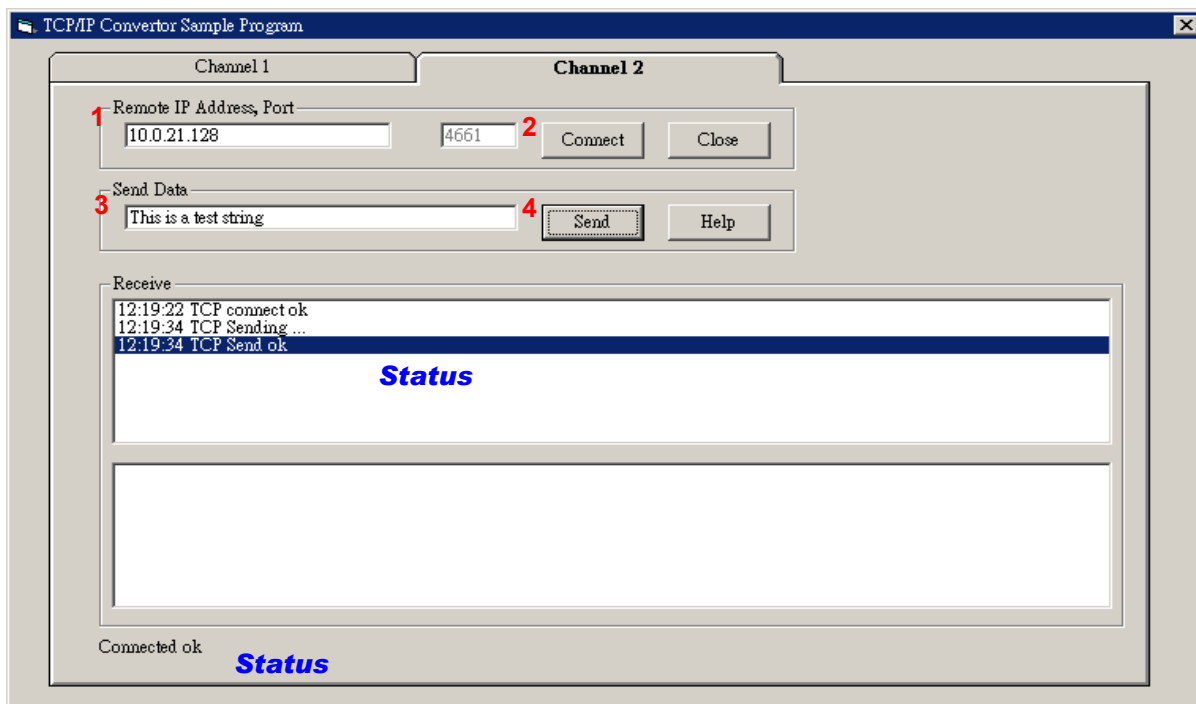
There are two test programs, TCPTTEST written in Visual Basic and TCPTTEST2 written in Visual C++.

6.2.1 TCPTTEST in Visual Basic

This sample program is written in Visual Basic 5.0 with Winsock Controls. It shows you how to send and receive data between host (PC) and GW51W-MAXI via Ethernet in two socket ports.

Run Visual Basic and open sample program `tcptest.vbp`, after the program is started successfully, you can start testing functions. For more information, please press **Help** in the program to get detail explanation.

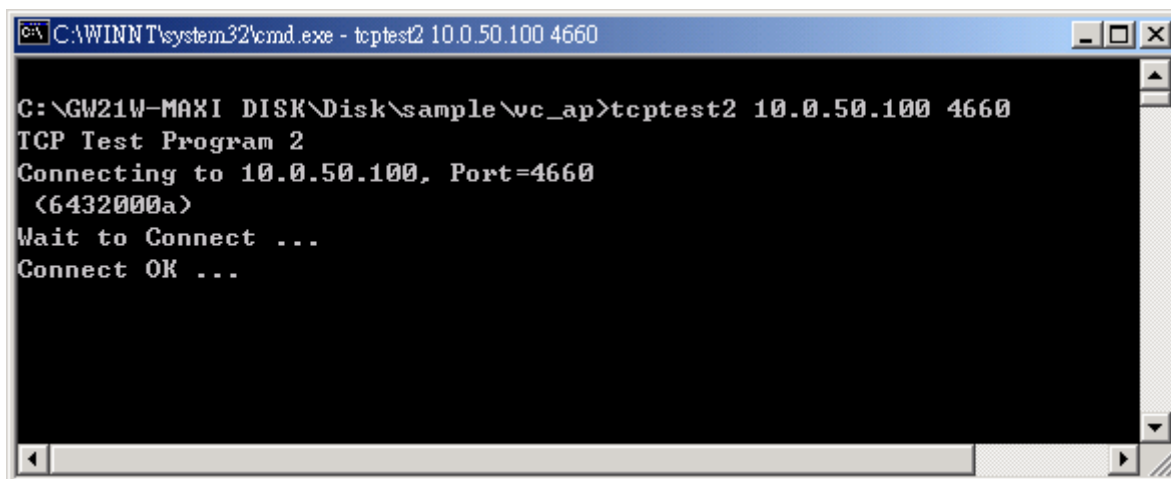
Note: Please be sure the Microsoft visual studio family software is installed on the computer. Otherwise the sample program will not run.



6.2.2 TCPTTEST2 in Visual C

To start the program, please type in the following command in the command line prompt:

TCPTTEST2 IP_Address Port_Number



The command **tcptest2 10.0.50.100 4660** brings you to connect to a TCP server of IP address **10.0.50.100** and port number **4660**, the received data is displayed on the screen and the data typed in is sent to the TCP server of the designated port number. You can also send binary data in hex format with a leading character "\". For example, "\00" and "\FF" represent ASCII code 0 and 255 respectively.

You can also use modem to connect to the serial server. Command **"AT\0d"** sends standard AT command to the modem which in return responds with **"OK\0D\0A"** message to the host application.

Always use '=' then Enter key to exit the program.

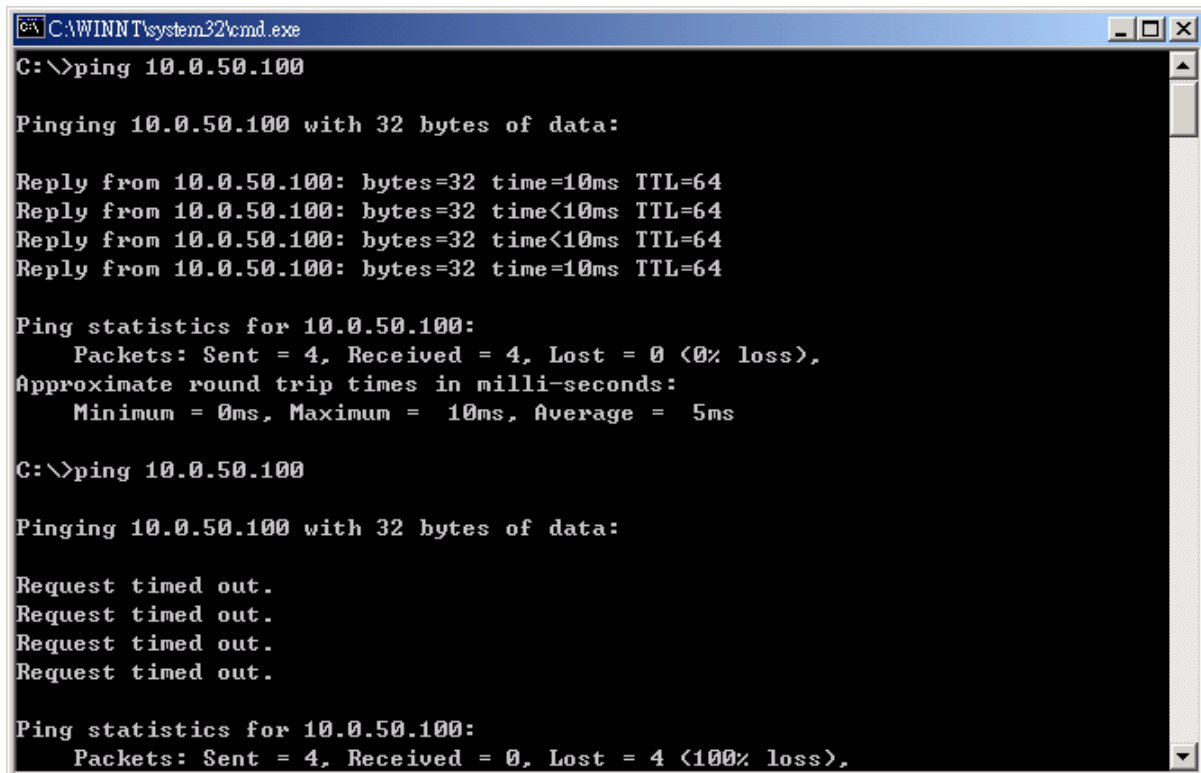
7. Diagnostics

There are several ways you can check on the status and availability of GW51W-MAXI.

7.1 Use Standard TCP/IP Utility *ping* Command

From Windows **Start** menu, select **Run** and type in “**ping <TCP Server IP address>**”.

If the connection is established, the Reply messages are displayed, otherwise it will indicate Request timed out.



```
C:\WINNT\system32\cmd.exe
C:\>ping 10.0.50.100

Pinging 10.0.50.100 with 32 bytes of data:

Reply from 10.0.50.100: bytes=32 time=10ms TTL=64
Reply from 10.0.50.100: bytes=32 time<10ms TTL=64
Reply from 10.0.50.100: bytes=32 time<10ms TTL=64
Reply from 10.0.50.100: bytes=32 time=10ms TTL=64

Ping statistics for 10.0.50.100:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 4, Lost = 0 (0% loss),
Approximate round trip times in milli-seconds:
    Minimum = 0ms, Maximum = 10ms, Average = 5ms

C:\>ping 10.0.50.100

Pinging 10.0.50.100 with 32 bytes of data:

Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Request timed out.
Request timed out.

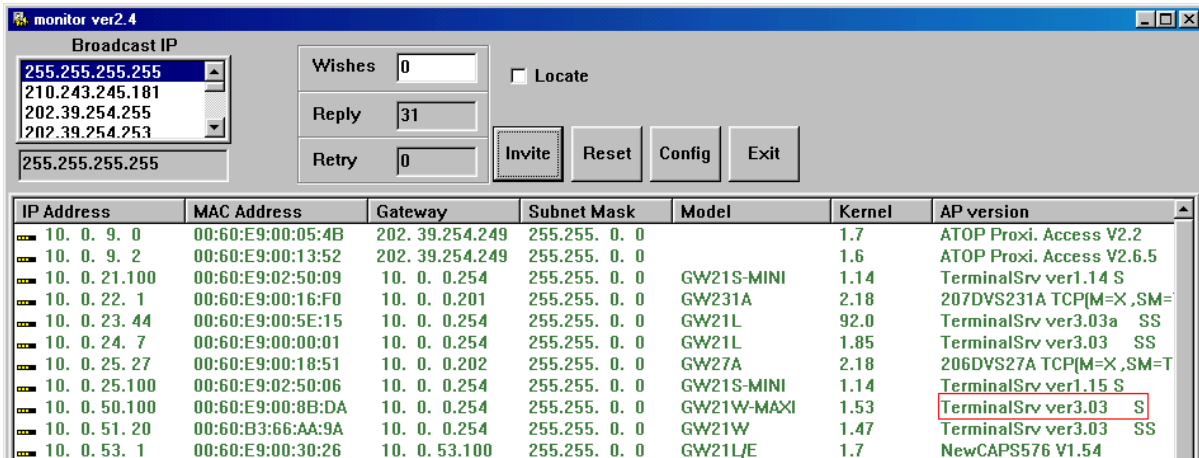
Ping statistics for 10.0.50.100:
    Packets: Sent = 4, Received = 0, Lost = 4 (100% loss),
```

7.2 Use monitor.exe Configuration Utility Program

Use monitor.exe configuration program that comes with the product CD or diskette to check on the status of GW51W-MAXI. The status can be read from “**AP version**” column of the tool.

| Status | Descriptions |
|--------|---|
| S | The system is configured as a TCP Server and not yet connected. |
| C | The system is configured as a TCP Client and not yet connected. |
| U | The system is configured as an UDP. |
| A | The TCP Server and is connected. |
| B | The TCP Client and is connected. |

For example, 's' means that COM1 is server mode and is not connected.



7.3 Use TCPTTEST.EXE or TCPTTEST2.EXE Sample Program

Use sample programs TCPTTEST.EXE and TCPTTEST2.EXE that comes with the product CD or diskette to check on the status of GW51W-MAXI. Please refer to chapter 6.2 to run the sample programs.

Appendix A: GW51W-MAXI Serial-Ethernet Server Specifications

A.1. Hardware Specifications

| | Specifications |
|---------------------------|---|
| CPU | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 16-bit Embedded CPU• 100MHz |
| Flash Memory | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 512K Bytes |
| SDRAM | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 512K Bytes |
| EEPROM | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 512 Bytes |
| Host Communication | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• IEEE802.11b 11 Mbps Wireless LAN• TCP/IP, UDP, SNMP, HTTP, Telnet, ARP, BOOTP, DHCP, WEP |
| Reset | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Built-in default key to restore factory default settings |
| Watch Dog Timer | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1.34 second hardware auto reset• Power failure threshold: 4.75V |
| Serial Port | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• One RS-232 or RS-485 selectable |
| Communication | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• RS-232: EIA-RS-232C standard, Full Duplex, 8 pins Mini-DIN or 5 pins terminal block• RS-485: 2/4 wires, Half/Full Duplex, 8 pins Mini-DIN or 5 pins terminal• Parameters<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Baud-rate: 1200 bps ~ 230400 bps2) Parity: None, Even, Odd, Mark, Space3) Data bits: 7 or 84) Stop bits: 1 or 25) Packet Delimiter: by inter-character timeout, by characters delin6) Flow Control: None, Hardware CTS/RTS, Software Xon/Xoff |
| LED indication | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• RUN x 1• LAN x 1• COM port x 1 |
| Power Requirement | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 9~30VDC, 220mA@12V |
| Temperature | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Operation: 0°C to 60°C• Storage: -40°C to 85°C |
| Humidity | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 20%~70% non-condensing |
| Housing | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 91mm(L) x 46mm(W) x 76mm(H) |

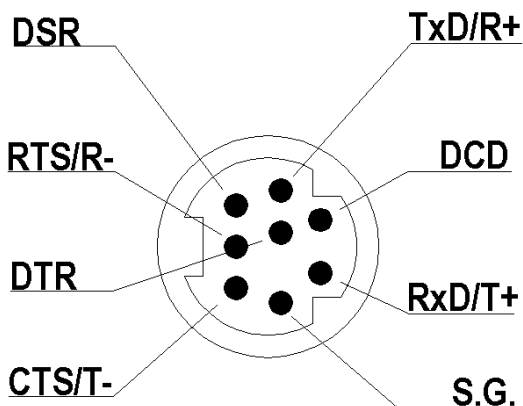
A.2. Software Specifications

| Item | Specifications |
|----------------------|--|
| Protocol | TCP, UDP, ARP, ICMP, SNMP, HTTP, Telnet, BOOTP, DHCP |
| Configuration | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Configuration information for both TCP/IP and serial ports is kept in the EEPROM.• Configuration utilities of Windows 95/98/2000/NT/XP/2003 are provided for configuring settings. |
| Internal Buffer Size | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TCP receiving buffer size = 8K bytes• TCP transmitting buffer size = 16K bytes• RS-232/RS-485 receiving buffer size = 4K bytes• RS-232/RS-485 transmitting buffer size = 4K bytes |

A.3 Connector Pin Assignments

A.3.1 COM Port

1. 8 pin Mini DIN connector



Pin assignments of Mini DIN connector is shown in the following table:

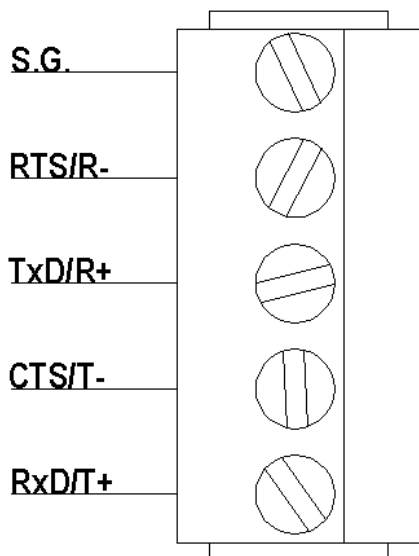
| Pin# | RS-232 Full Duplex | RS-485 2 wire, Half Duplex | RS-485 4 wire, Full Duplex |
|-------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | DCD | N/A | N/A |
| 2 | RXD | N/A | RxD/T+ |
| 3 | TXD | TxD/R+ | TxD/R+ |
| 4 | DTR | N/A (reserved) | N/A |
| 5 | SG (Signal Ground) | SG (Signal Ground) | SG (Signal Ground) |
| 6 | DSR | N/A | N/A |
| 7 | RTS | RTS/R- | RTS/R- |
| 8 | CTS | N/A | CTS/T- |
| 9 | N/A | N/A(reserved for Atop devices) | N/A |

Atop provides Mini DIN connector to DB9 connector cable, the pin assignments of DB9 connector is shown in the following table:

| Pin# | RS-232 Full Duplex | RS-485 2 wire, Half Duplex | RS-485 4 wire, Full Duplex |
|-------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | DCD | N/A | N/A |
| 2 | RXD | N/A | N/A |
| 3 | TXD | DATA- | RXD- |
| 4 | DTR | N/A (reserved) | TXD- |
| 5 | SG (Signal Ground) | SG (Signal Ground) | SG (Signal Ground) |
| 6 | DSR | N/A | N/A |
| 7 | RTS | N/A | N/A |
| 8 | CTS | DATA+ | RXD+ |
| 9 | RI | N/A(reserved for Atop devices) | TXD+ |

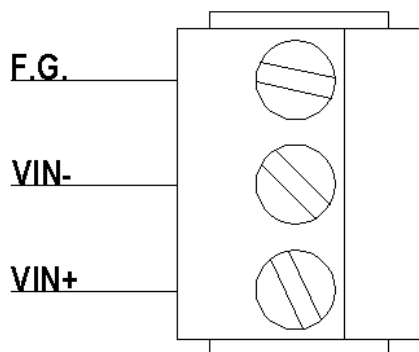
Note that RS-485 2 or 4 pins assignments of DB9 connector is different from those of Mini DIN connector.

2. Terminal Block Connector



RS-485 only uses RTS/R- and TxD/R+ for data communication while RS-232 or RS-422 uses RTS/R-, TxD/R+, CTS/T- and RxD/T+ for communicating data.

A.3.2 Power terminal block connector



A.4 Buzzer

A.4.1 Detect GW51W-MAXI startup

“ ^ “ : Beep twice

“ = “ : Beep off

| Message | Description |
|---|--|
| ^====^====^====^====^====^====^.. (1sec) | Watchdog problem, return service is required |
| ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^.. | Memory problem, return service is required |
| ^==^=====^^ (5sec) | Startup OK but AP firmware is disabled |
| ^==^=====^^^ (5sec) | Startup OK and AP firmware is enabled |

Table 1. Buzzer indication

A.4.2 Detect GW51W-MAXI Signal Strength

The BSS quality can be detected by beep indication either in GW51W-MAXI startup or run-time.

Startup

Please power on GW51W-MAXI and press the default key. You may find the following conditions of beep responses. While beginning, if the default key is pressed and then released, one of the specified actions will be react in system, depend on the released time and how many times of keeps do you heard.

State 1. When startup, after some beeps, there are 3 clear beeps and then silence.

If key is released here, it will stay in the kernel. No secondary kernel or AP will be executed.

State 2. After state 1 for 3 seconds, there are 2 clear beeps.

The action is the same as State 1.

State 3. After state 2 for 3 seconds, there are 3 clear beeps.

Set to WLAN infrastructure mode without SSID and WEP key.

State 4. After state 3 for 3 seconds, there are 4 clear beeps.

Set to WLAN Ad Hoc mode with default channel 3.

State 5. After state 4 for 3 seconds, there are 5 clear beeps.

Set to WLAN infrastructure mode and toggle to enable/disable signal quality beeps. If it is enabled, system will beep every 3 seconds. The signal quality is represented by count of beeps.

State 6. After state 5 for 3 seconds, there is 1 clear beep.

If key is released after here, no action will be taken.

Run-time

When run-time, if the default key is pressed and then released, one of the specified actions will be down depending on the released time after you heard how many beeps.

State 1. When run-time, if the key is pressed, there is 1 clear beep and then silence.

If key is released here, system will restart.

State 2. After state 1 for 3 seconds, there are 2 clear beeps.

System will restore default configuration and then restart.

State 3. After state 2 for 30 seconds, there are 3 clear beeps.

The action is the same as State 3 in startup time.

State 4. After State 3 for 3 seconds, there are 4 clear beeps.

The action is the same as State 4 in startup time.

State 5. After 4 for 3 seconds, there are 5 clear beeps.

The action is the same as State 5 in startup time.

State 6. After state 5 for 3 seconds, there is 1 clear beep.

The action is the same as State 6 in startup time.

BSS quality is indicated by count of beeps, which is shown as bellowed:

| | |
|---------|------------------------------------|
| 1 beep | There is no signal detected |
| 2 beeps | The quality is between is 0%~20% |
| 3 beeps | The quality is between is 20%~40% |
| 4 beeps | The quality is between is 40%~60% |
| 5 beeps | The quality is between is 60%~80% |
| 6 beeps | The quality is between is 80%~100% |

A.5 LED indicator

LAN LED

| Message | Description |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|
| LED Off | No data is transmitting on Ethernet |
| LED blinking | Data is transmitting on Ethernet |

Table 2. LAN LED Message

COM Port LED

| Message | Description |
|---------|-------------------------------------|
| LED off | No data is transmitting on COM port |

LED on blinking state

Data is transmitting on COM port

Table 3. COM Port LED Message

RUN LED

| Message | Description |
|-----------------------------|--|
| LED on | Jumper JP7 and JP8 are short to disable AP firmware in the flash memory. |
| LED blinking (rate: 0.5Sec) | AP firmware is running |

Table 4. RUN LED Message

Appendix B. Upgrade System Software

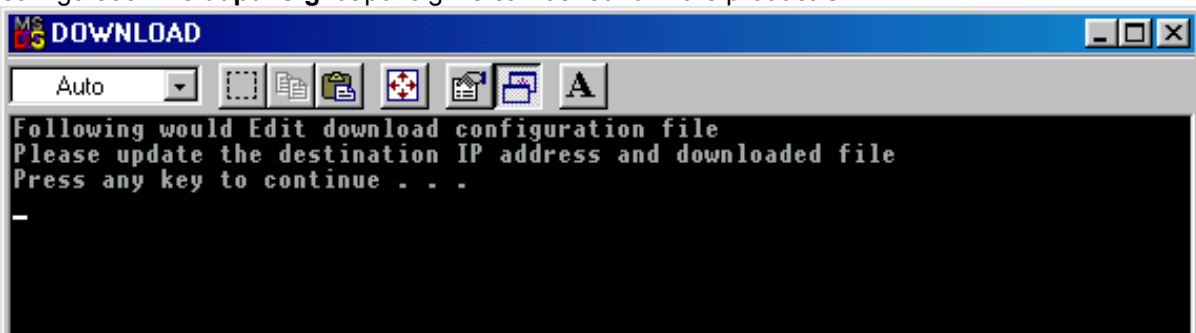
After the new version of firmware is released, customers can download it from Atop's web site at www.atop.com.tw. You can contact Atop's sales person to request the newest product CD as well.

You may decide to or not to upgrade the system's firmware. To do so, please follow these instructions listed below.

B.1 Upgrade Procedures

When you get a new software version, please follow the sequences below to upgrade your GW51W-MAXI.

1. Connect a PC (Windows 95/98/NT/2000) and GW51W-MAXI you wish to upgrade the firmware in the same TCP/IP network. Use command **ping** or **monitor.exe** utility program to verify their availability.
2. Prepare the download tool. Execute the utility program **download.bat** and press any key to edit its configuration file **dapdl.cfg**. **dapdl.cfg** file can be found in the product CD.



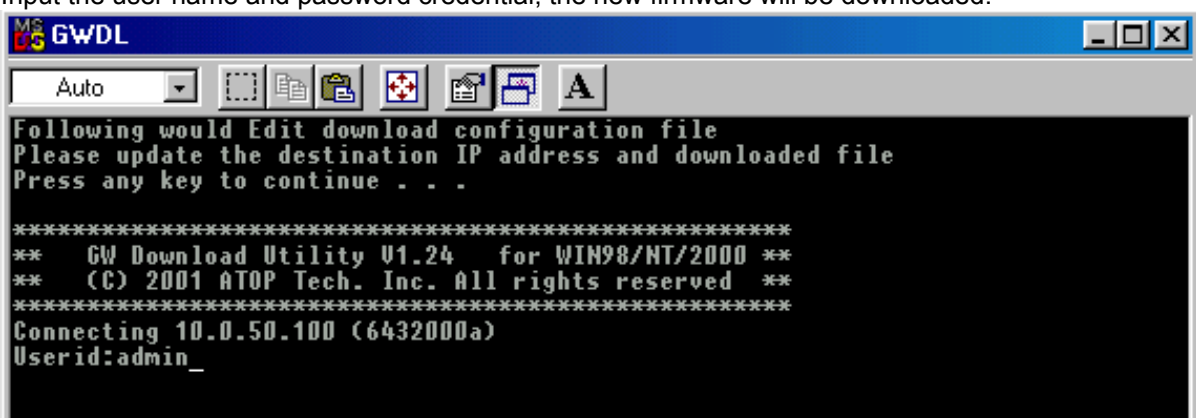
3. Edit the "**dapdl.cfg**" file to fit your system need, the content of the file looks like as the following. Be sure to save your modifications after the change is made.

```
Remote_IP    10.0.50.100
```

```
Load        U51wmap.hex
```

The first line identifies the IP address of GW51W-MAXI, the second line identifies the firmware (.Hex file) name to be downloaded.

4. Input the user name and password credential, the new firmware will be downloaded.



B.2 Critical Issues of Upgrading

1. You can always abort the upgrading process by pressing the **<Esc>** key from host PC during the upgrading process. GW51W-MAXI will restart automatically and the system remains intact.
2. If GW51W-MAXI does not receive any upgrading data within **30 seconds**, GW51W-MAXI will restart automatically and the system remains intact.
3. After the upgrading process finishes, GW51W-MAXI will program the flash memory and buzzer beeps 6 times then restarts. Normally, it takes around 10 seconds to complete the programming process. If an error occurs during the programming process, GW51W-MAXI will clear the corresponding memory and the system remains intact of what it was.

B.3 Error Messages

Firmware upgrade may not be successful if errors occur during the process.

| Error Cause | Message |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Illegal Hex file format | Hex File Text Error |
| | Hex File Check-Sum Error |
| | Hex File Format Error |
| | Hex File End of Record Error |
| GW51W-MAXI handshaking problem | GW51W-MAXI ACK Start Address Error |
| | GW51W-MAXI ACK Length Error |
| | GW51W-MAXI Response Command Error |
| Configuration file | Remote IP not found |
| | Open configuration file failure |

Appendix C. Hardware Configuration

Disable System Firmware

The AP (application program) firmware of GW51W-MAXI can be disabled. This function is used in the situation that you downloaded a wrong version of firmware that caused the system crashed.

To disable the current version of firmware and prevent it from executing, please do the followings:

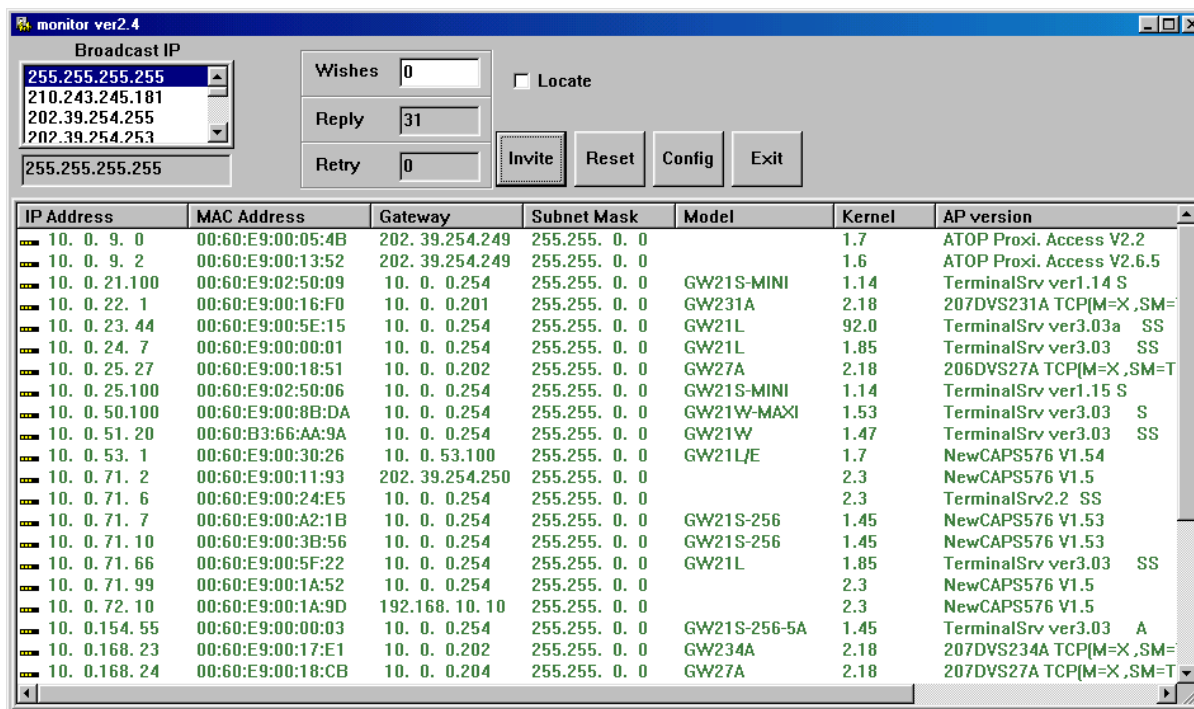
1. Turn the power off, open the case of GW51W-MAXI.
2. Short the Jumper JP7 and JP8 on the right-top corner from the main board to disable AP firmware.
3. Power on GW51W-MAXI.
4. Download the correct AP firmware to GW51W-MAXI.
5. Remove the Jumper JP7 and JP8 to enable AP firmware.
6. Close the case and continue your operations.

Appendix D Configuration Utility

The configuration utility **monitor.exe** comes with the product CD or diskette is the main utility program to demonstrate and configure GW51W-MAXI's settings.

D.1 Run the utility

Start the program under environment and the following window appears.



D.2 Detect Operational Devices

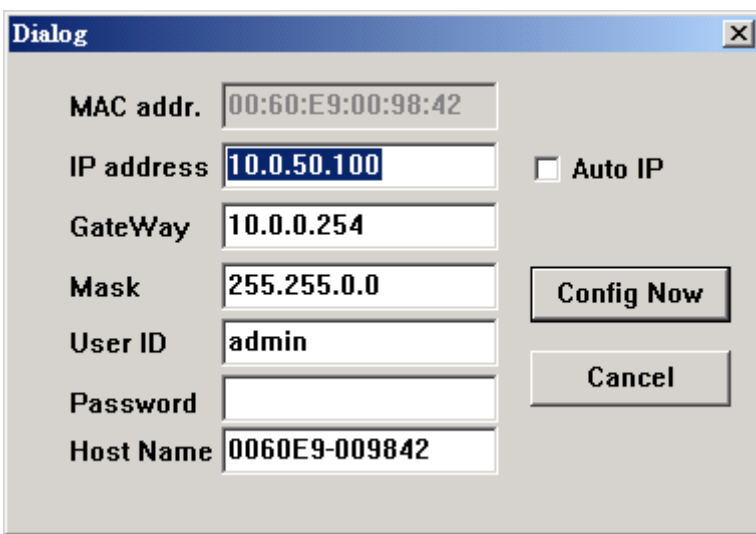
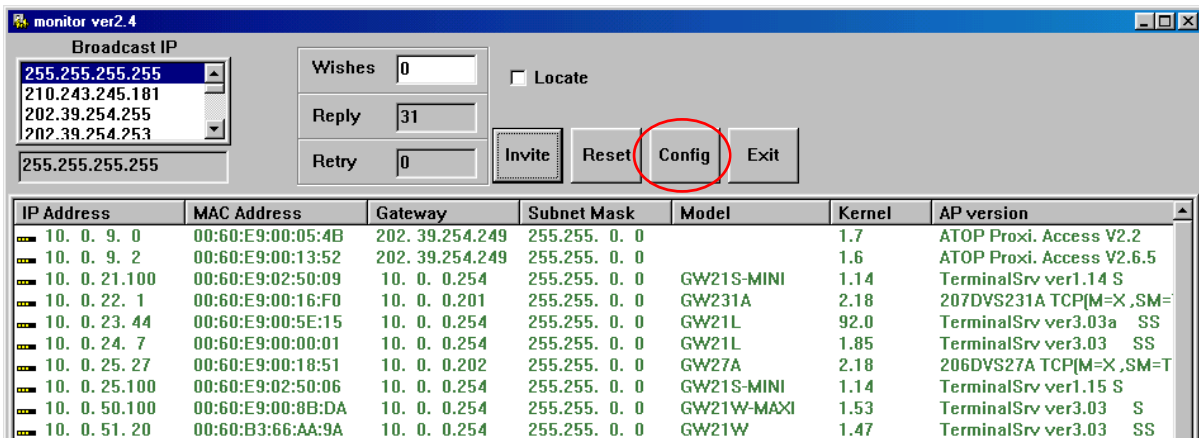
You may do the following steps to detect devices currently available on the network.

1. Start **monitor.exe** utility program.
2. Select an item from the **Broadcast IP** list.
3. Specify a number in the **Wishes** box.
4. Click on the **Invite** button. This will display all the devices information you have requested.

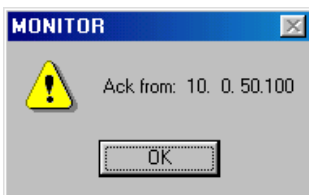
D.3 Configure Devices

You may use **monitor.exe** configuration utility to configure the settings of devices on the network. To do so, please follow the steps below.

1. Repeat the steps in the section of **D.2** to bring up the devices information.
2. Select the device you want to configure from the **IP Address** column, click on the **Config** button, a configuration window will popup as shown in Figure D2:



- After you click the "Configure Now" button, the target device will return an ACK message indicating the modification is successful as shown in the following:



Please note **monitor.exe** version 2.3 and above requires **gw21le.dll** library to function properly.

The following table lists the functional descriptions for all the fields.

| Field Name | Field Descriptions |
|---------------------|---|
| Broadcast IP | Except for the default IP 255.255.255.255, other items (IPs) are read from the file "seg.cfg". This field specifies a detecting IP range. It may be a designated IP or a broadcast IP. |
| Wishes | Specifies minimum number of the devices you wish to get reply from after sending an Invite request. If there is not as many as devices responding to your invitation, the system repeatedly sends invitation until your request is fulfilled. |
| Reply | Indicates the actual number of devices this utility program detected. |
| Retry | Specify the number of times that an Invite request is re-sent. |
| Locate | Locate the specified device. |
| Reset | Reset the selected device. |
| Config | Configure the selected device. |
| Exit | Exit this utility. |
| IP Address | Indicate the IP address of the device that replied to your request. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leading tag "!" stands for IP address collision, possibly caused by duplicated IP addresses on the network.• Leading tag "?" stands for Mac address collision, possibly caused by duplicated Mac addresses on the network. |
| MAC Address | Indicates the MAC address of responding device. |
| Gateway | Indicates the IP address of the gateway. |
| Subnet Mask | Indicates the TCP/IP network mask. |
| OS | Indicates the OS version of the responding device. |
| AP Version | Indicates the AP version of the responding device. |
| Model | Indicates the model number of the responding device. This field is only available for monitor.exe version 2.0 and above. |