



Industrial-grade, long-range wireless Ethernet systems

The AW58800HTP-PAIR consists of two AW58800HTS radios preconfigured with a dual flat panel high gain directional antenna.

#### The AW58800HTP-PAIR includes:

(2) AW58800HTS Bridge Radios

(2) Heavy Duty Pole-mount Bracket

(2) Power Over Ethernet Injector

(2) 24 VDC Power Supplies

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If you have any questions when configuring your AvaLAN system, the best place to get answers is to visit www.avalanwireless.com. You will also find the latest updates there. If more assistance is needed, send email to support@avalanwireless.com.

To speak to a live technician, please call technical support at the number below during normal business hours.

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## **Quick Start Guide**

Step 1. Radios are Preconfigured out of the Box

Step 2. Mount Radios

Step 3. Align Radios

Step 4. Attach Cables

System Default: IP Address: 192.168.88.12 (Bridge A Unit) 192.168.88.10 (Bridge B Unit) Username: admin Password: password

### **Best Practices:**

1. Ensure clear visual path between radios before deployment

- 2. Test on bench before deployment
- 3. Networking Cable:
  - CAT 6 Shielded Outdoor Grade
  - For AW58800HTP maximum length 60 ft/20 meters

#### **Tools Needed:**

- 1/2 inch wrench
- Large Phillips head screwdriver
- Small flat screwdriver



\*Networking cable not provided

## **LED Status Information**



### Bridge A LED Guide



### Bridge B LED Guide



- The wireless status light blinks slowly when the product is powered and is lit solid when it has a successful wireless connection.
- The wireless activity light blinks when receiving data.
- The Ethernet activity light blinks when receiving data.

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# **Digital Configuration**

### Connecting to the radio

1. Digital configuration is done by means of the radio's built in browser interface. The unit should be powered on and connected at least temporarily to a network containing a computer that can run a conventional web browser.

2. Using your web browser, connect to the radio as described in the Quick Start Guide found earlier in this manual.

3. The initial page after a successful login is "Quick Set." The content of this page is somewhat different for the AW58800HTP Bridge A and Bridge B.

4. Each page provides a menu on the left to navigate from section to section. The menu looks like this when its sections are expanded:

🔏 Quick Set
🤶 Wireless
🞲 System 🛛 🔻
Health
Password
Reboot

Beware that certain actions may cause the web page to freeze. In most cases, this is because you are viewing a browser-cached version of the page and not the live one from the radio. Clear your browser cache and/or logout and log back in to recover. You are cautioned not to use the "back" button on your browser to attempt to move back to earlier pages. If you do, you will be logged out and will need to login again.

In the upper right of the page is a label that tells you the version of the web interface. If the version number is not the same as shown below, you might want to visit www.avalanwireless.com (the Downloads page under the Support menu) to see if a newer version of this manual exists before proceeding further.

WebFig v6.20

### Changing The Configuration - Step by Step

Please be aware that if you change the IP Address or User Password and forget their new values, you have locked yourself out of the browser interface. The AW58800 runs self-diagnostics at boot-up and will auto-correct most system configuration errors. Prior to calling technical support, it is recommended to power cycle the radio and confirm that the problem remains.

In the event of a lost IP address, reboot the AW58800 to create a temporary IP address of 192.168.88.88 that can be used to access the radio to reset the user-defined IP address. This IP address expires after 3 minutes from reboot. In the event of a lost password, please contact AvaLAN technical support for assistance.

If you are changing parameters over the RF link (we do not recommend this), be sure to make the remote changes first because the link will be broken if the network name or Security Keys do not agree.

IP Address	192.168.88.12
Netmask	255.0.0.0 (/8)
Gateway	▲ 0.0.0.0

- 1. Setting the IP Address and Subnet Mask, Gateway and Device Name:
  - In the upper right area of the Quick Set page are the data entry boxes for these parameters. They contain the current values.
  - A special notation is used for the IP Address and Subnet Mask: Use /x at the end of the IP Address to specify the subnet mask: /8 for 255.0.0.0, /16 for 255.255.0.0 and /24 for 255.255.255.0. Enter a new IP Address and subnet making sure you will be able to browse to the new address with your computer. Also, make sure that the new IP address is unique on your LAN.
  - The Gateway address should be specified if it is necessary to communicate with the radio through the Gateway. Your system administrator should have this value.
  - The Device Name is an arbitrary string and simply allows you to attach a human-friendly name to this specific radio.
  - Click "Apply Configuration" when you have entered new values. Nothing appears to happen, but you have been disconnected and will need to browse to the new IP Address to login again.

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- 2. Setting the User Password:
  - On the Main Menu at the left side of the browser window, click "System", then click "Password."

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🗘 Wireless		
🛞 System 🔻		
Health	Changes Council	
Password	Change	
Reboot		
	Old Password	
Logout	New Password	
	Confirm Password	

- Enter the old password and the new password twice in the boxes indicated.
- Click the "Change" button.
- Log out and log back in to test.
- 3. Setting the Frequency, Network name and Encryption Key:
  - To set the Frequency, log in to the Bridge A and on the quick start page a selection can be made.

Network Name	▲ AW58800	
Frequency	auto	MHz

- The Network name is an arbitrary character string that must be set alike in all linked radios.
- The encryption key is a user specified character string.

Network Name	▲ AW58800	
Encryption Enabled	1	
Encryption Key		

## **Viewing Status Information -**

After configuring your AvaLAN radios and establishing links among them, you can use the browser interface to view status and troubleshooting Information. The initial "Quick Set" page will show whether the wireless link is operating and the current signal strength. For more comprehensive information, choose "Wireless" from the Main Menu at the left side of the window. The "Wireless" page leads to most of the useful status information.

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The table on the Interfaces tab provides a list of the interface processes running in this radio. If it is Bridge B, there will be only one, "Wireless\_Radio." If it is Bridge A, there will also be a WDS process running. These rows summarize the configuration details and current running status of the radio.

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Health	OK Cancel Apply	1			
Password		<u></u>			
Reboot	running ap				
Logout					Wireless
	Radio Mode	5GHz-only-AC			
	Frequency	auto	▼ MHz		
	Network Name	AW58800			
	Encryption Enabled	8			
	Encryption Key				
					Status
	Channel	\$745/20-Ceee/ac			
	Registered Clients	1			
	Authenticated Clients	1			
					Traffic
	Tx/Rx Rate	10.9 kbps	/ 0 bps		
	Tx/Rx Bytes	12.3 MiB	/ 824.2 KiB		
	Tx/Rx Drops	0	/ 0		
	Tx/Rx Errors	0	/ 0		
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# **Physical Setup**

1. Mount each unit securely using the mounting brackets provided or other means as necessary. Maximize lightning resistance by providing a strong DC ground connection to the metal housing.



A. Assemble both bracket arms using the Rotator Bolt, a Large Lock Washer and the Hex Nut. Leave the bracket loose enough to rotate.

B. Use one of the following methods, or other methods necessary to seccure the bracket.

Wide Pole Mounting: Place the pole between the two large wedges of Bracket Arm A and the Pole Clamp Bar. Use the two Clamp Bolts to bind the bar and bracket to the pole. Use Large Washers and Lock Washers if needed. Leave the clamp loose enough to rotate.

Narrow Pole Mounting: Place the pole between the large wedge of the Bracket Arm A and the small wedge on the reversed side of the Pole Clamp Bar. Use the two Clamp Bolts to bind the bar and bracket to the pole. Use Large Washers and Lock Washers if needed. Leave the clamp loose enough to rotate.

**Wall Mounting:** Hold Bracket Arm A flush against the wall then drill four holes of roughly 3/16 inch diameter using the four corner holes of bracket as a measuring guide. If mounting on wood, simply use the Wall Mounting Screws to secure the bracket through its four corner holes and those that you have drilled. If mounting on drywall press Drywall Anchors into the drill-holes then do the same but instead screw into the anchors.



C. Adjust the bracket apparatus so the square face of Bracket Arm B faces the direction of the device your radio will be communicating with. Then using a  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch wrench fully tighten all applicable components.



D. Use a large Phillips head screwdriver to mount your radio to Bracket Arm B using the four Radio Mounting Screws. Use small washers and lock washers if necessary. Make sure that the orientation arrow on the back of the panel antenna faces upward so that the drainage hole is at the bottom of the radio.

E. Assemble the cable gland on the end of your RJ45 Ethernet cable(not provided). Then connect the cable to your radio's Ethernet port, and fasten the gland. The gland must be fully tightened to provide a waterproof seal.

2. The AW58800 units have dual directional flat panel antennas. It is important that the AW58800 antennas be pointed toward each other. Care should be taken to align the panel antenna to provide the best performance. The antenna performs best when the panel's face is aligned toward its partner.

3. Power is provided to the units by means of their Ethernet cables, allowing the power supplies to be located at convenient locations. The included power-over-Ethernet injectors (POE) provide the means for adding DC power to unused wires in the cable. Each radio is provided with a cable clamping device that allows an RJ45 plug on the cable to pass through and can be tightened down around the cable to provide a weatherproof seal.



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A. Connect the opposite end of your Ethernet cable to the Power over Ethernet Injector, and the RJ45 tail of the PoE to your network.



B. Connect the PoE to your 18 VDC Power Supply and it to a standard 120 VAC outlet.

### Troubleshooting:

#### Power:

- Check that the POE cabling matches illustration
- Check network connection on your switch and verify all RJ45 cables are plugged in properly
- Only use the POE injector supplied
- Ensure the 120VAC is providing clean and consistent AC power to the 18VDC power supply

#### Signal Quality:

- Ensure line of sight (LOS)
- Check signal strength in web interface (-40dB is excellent strength and -80dB is weak)

#### Web Interface:

- Plug RJ45 male side of POE directly in to computer and verify network status shows connected
- Verify the local computer's network settings are in the same IP subnet range as the radio

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# **Technical specifications** —

CHARACTERISTIC	SPECIFICATION/DESCRIPTION	
RF transmission rate	866 Mbps	
Ethernet data rate	Up to 540 Mbps	
Output power AW58800HTP-PAIR	200 Watts EIRP with 23 dBi directional antenna	
Power Consumption	17 Watts Maximum	
Receiver Sensitivity	-115 dBm for HTS configurations, -101 dBm for the HTA	
Frequency Range	5.150 - 5.250 and 5.725 - 5.850 GHz	
Channel Bandwidth	80 MHz	
RF channels	2 Non-Overlapping with 80 MHz Channel Bandwidth	
Modulation	OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16-QAM, 64-QAM, 256-QAM)	
Range	Line-of-sight range up to 5 miles for HTA/HTS point-to-point	
Browser Management Tools	QoS Statistics, Network Settings, Channel Selection	
Data Security	256-bit AES-CCM	
Operating Environment	-40°C to +70°C, IP66, sealed for outdoor operation: die cast alumi- num package with rubber gasket seals	
Mounting	Heavy Duty Pole-Mount Bracket included	
Connector	10/100/1000 Ethernet RJ-45 with weatherproof sealing gland	
Power System	Power Over Ethernet 24 VDC Injectors included: 100-240 VAC 50/60Hz primary source	
AW58800HTA Antennas	Omnidirectional, 9 dBi gain in horizontal plane, 16" long	
AW58800HTA Size	8.75" Square by 3.25" case plus 16" tall antenna, weight 7 lbs	
AW58800HTS Antenna	Integrated 23 dBi flat panel, 13" square, 10° Beamwidth	
AW58800HTS Size	13" by 13" by 3.25", not including pole-mount bracket, weight 7 lbs	
Warranty	1 Year Parts & Labor, XTRa-Care extended warranty available	
Certification	FCC, IC	

### **Frequency Channels**.

Frequency MHz		
*Auto - auto scans for unused requency		
5180		
5745**		
5825**		

\*\*NOTE: These channels overlap. Use one or the other in the event of access point co-location.

## **Limited Warranty -**

This product is warranted to the original purchaser for normal use for a period of 360 days from the date of purchase. If a defect covered under this warranty occurs, AvaLAN will repair or replace the defective part, at its option, at no cost. This warranty does not cover defects resulting from misuse or modification of the product.

If you wish, you may purchase extended warranty for this product. AvaLAN's XTRa-Care Extended Warranty provides a two-year extension plus free overnight (Continental USA only) product replacement. Visit our website for more details.

### **Regulatory Compliance**

