

BROCADE MOBILITY 650 ACCESS POINT



CAMPUS NETWORK

Multipurpose 802.11n Access Point Reduces Mobile Access Costs

HIGHLIGHTS

- Optimal performance with standard Power over Ethernet (PoE) capabilities helps ensure always-on access
- High-availability network provides built-in reliability
- Network acceleration with switch-based Virtual LANs (VLANs) reduces network traffic
- Device mobility and 24 dBm radio provides secure and preemptive roaming
- Immediate help-desk support includes remote scan feature
- Gap-free security reduces network intrusion risk
- Plug-and-play deployment allows setup in minutes
- Unified wired/wireless network management cuts complexity

For small and medium-size enterprises, lowering the costs of mobility capabilities must be balanced with the need for secure and continuously reliable data transmission. The Brocade Mobility 650 Access Point (AP), a thin (dependent) multipurpose AP—meets all of these needs.

Designed to lower the cost of deploying and operating a secure, reliable 802.11n Wireless LAN (WLAN), this highly efficient AP offers simultaneous WLAN access and sensing, remote over-the-air help-desk support—and the comprehensive, wireless

intrusion-prevention features that nimble organizations require.

Working in conjunction with the Brocade Mobility 650 AP, Brocade Mobility controllers minimize common problems such as building attenuation, electronic interference, or suboptimal AP placement that can interfere with network availability. Brocade Mobility controllers automatically optimize power and channel selection with SmartRF capabilities, so each user receives always-on, high-quality mobile data and service access.



The Brocade One® unified network strategy helps organizations transition smoothly to a world where information and applications reside anywhere. The Brocade® Mobility 650 802.11n Access Point supports this strategy by providing a single, high-performance, highly available network that has the built-in intelligence to identify different traffic types and handle them appropriately.

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ALWAYS-ON, HIGH-QUALITY ACCESS IS AUTOMATIC

The Brocade Mobility 650 AP is designed to continuously optimize network availability through its central and preemptive intelligence, which dynamically senses weak or failing signals, securely moves mobile users to alternate APs, and boosts signal power to automatically fill Radio Frequency (RF) holes and ensure uninterrupted mobile user access. Full 802.11n performance is achieved with built-in Power over Ethernet (PoE) capabilities (802.3af).

VIRTUAL LAN BOOSTS DEVICE AND NETWORK PERFORMANCE

The Brocade Mobility 650 provides a VLAN feature through a switch/controller to accelerate device and network performance. Each Brocade Mobility 650 can be virtualized into four unique VLANs, which can be customized to direct broadcast traffic to the intended recipient. This option reduces the overall amount of network traffic while improving device performance and battery life up to 25 percent. This VLAN flexibility also reduces the overall number of APs required to provide unique device services.

The Brocade Mobility 650 also supports Voice over Wireless LAN (VoWLAN) services, such as Quality of Service (QoS), which ensures toll-quality audio—even with multiple VoWLAN calls. In addition, locationing services over 802.11n provide the ability to locate and track people or assets, or control network and application access with features that provide hotspot and guest access authorization.

DEVICE MOBILITY INCLUDES SECURE ROAMING AND 24 DBM RADIO

The Brocade Mobility 650 supports fast, secure roaming in Layer 2 and Layer 3 deployments. In addition, the network optimizes mobile performance with load balancing, preemptive roaming, and rate scaling. The Brocade Mobility 650 features a powerful 24 dBm radio that increases coverage, performance, and obstruction penetration far more effectively than 23 dBm radios do.

COMPREHENSIVE SECURITY REDUCES RISKS

The comprehensive Brocade Mobility 650 security capabilities include a Layer 2–7 stateful packet filtering firewall, Authentication, Authorization, and Accounting (AAA) Remote Authentication Dial In User Service (RADIUS) services, Wireless Intrusion Prevention System (WIPS) “lite,” Virtual Private Network (VPN) gateway, and location-based access control. The AP’s sensor supports simultaneous multiband sensing (band unlocked) for both 2.4 MHz and 5.0 MHz spectrums. Rogue detection is always on with no time slicing. Users can also add role-based access control and the Motorola AirDefense® for Brocade Mobility WIPS for advanced security vigilance.

DYNAMIC HELP-DESK SUPPORT IMPROVES PERFORMANCE

The Brocade Mobility 650’s multipurpose architecture enables IT organizations to extend immediate help-desk support on the fly—as if the technician were sitting directly under the AP. AirDefense for Brocade Mobility help-desk capabilities supported by the Brocade Mobility 650 include the following:

- **Advanced troubleshooting:** Enables help-desk technicians to immediately emulate and test user connectivity over the air from a device all the way to the back-end application and isolate the obstruction, even if it is not caused by the WLAN.
- **Spectrum analysis:** Enables help-desk technicians to analyze the local spectrum for interference.
- **Vulnerability analysis:** Enables help-desk technicians to remotely scan for security breaches on the wired or wireless network on a scheduled or periodic basis to help ensure network security and regulatory compliance.

PLUG-AND-PLAY DEPLOYMENT TAKES JUST MINUTES

The Brocade Mobility 650 derives its intelligence from a Brocade Mobility controller, so installation is plug-and-play for optimal service in existing and new wireless WLANs.

NO FIRMWARE CONFIGURATION MAINTENANCE NEEDED

The Brocade Mobility 650 requires no configuration or manual firmware maintenance. Brocade Mobility controllers discover Brocade Mobility 650 APs on the network and automatically download all configuration parameters and firmware, greatly reducing installation, maintenance, and troubleshooting costs for Layer 2 and Layer 3 deployments.

UNIFIED WIRED/WIRELESS NETWORK MANAGEMENT CUTS COMPLEXITY

Managing enterprise campus networks continues to become more complex, thanks to the growth in services that rely on wired and wireless networks. Services such as Internet, e-mail, video conferencing, real-time collaboration, and distance learning all have specific configuration and management requirements. At the same time, organizations face increasing demand to provide uninterrupted services for high-quality voice and Unified Communications (UC), wireless mobility, and multimedia applications.

To reduce complexity and time spent managing these environments, the easy-to-use Brocade Network Advisor discovers, manages, and deploys configurations to groups of IP devices. By using the Brocade Network Advisor Device Configuration Manager tool, organizations can configure VLANs within the network, manage wireless AP realms, group wireless LAN switches into domains for Layer 3 mobility support, or execute Command-Line Interface (CLI) commands on specific devices or groups of devices. Brocade Network Advisor centralizes management of the entire family of Brocade Mobility wireless products, including Brocade Mobility 650 APs and Brocade Mobility wireless controllers.

MAXIMIZING INVESTMENTS

To help optimize technology investments, Brocade and its partners offer complete solutions that include education, support, and services. For more information, contact a Brocade sales partner or visit www.brocade.com.

BROCADE MOBILITY 650 AP SPECIFICATIONS

Performance and supported configurations		Environmental specifications	
Radio options	Single radio 802.11a/n or 802.11b/g/n support with 2x3 MIMO or RP-SMA antenna connectors; or dual radio 802.11a/n and 802.11b/g/n support with 2x3 MIMO or RP-SMA antenna connectors	Temperature	Operating: 0°C to 50°C (-4°F to 122°F) Storage: -40°C to 70°C (-40°F to 158°F)
Mode operation	Thin (dependent) Access Point (AP)	Operating humidity	5% to 95% (without condensation)
BSSID support	Four BSSIDs per radio	Altitude	Operating: 2438 m (8000 ft) Storage: 4572 m (15,000 ft)
Powered clients	CAM- and PSP-powered clients supported	Electrostatic discharge	+/- 15 kV (air), +/- 8 kV (contact)
Concurrent clients	Up to 127 client associations	Power specifications	
Traffic management and Quality of Service		Operating voltage	802.3af supply, 48 VDC at 12.95 W (typical), 36 VDC to 57 VDC (range)
Quality of service	Voice prioritization; WMM; WMM-UAPSD (WMM Power Save); 802.1p; DiffServ/TOS	Operating current	270 mA (typical)
802.11e	Supported	Integrated Power over Ethernet (PoE)	Standards-based IEEE 802.3af
Rate limiting	Broadcast/multicast transmit rate control, client rate limiting, per radio client limit	Radio specifications	
Wireless security		Wireless medium	Direct-Sequence Spread Spectrum (DSSS), Orthogonal Frequency-Division Multiplexing (OFDM), and 2x3 Spatial Multiplexing (MIMO) with 2 spatial streams
Wireless IPS/IDS	Rogue detection, radio provides dedicated full-time 24x7 scanning of 2.4 GHz and 5.0 GHz bands for air monitoring, wireless IPS, onboard IDS	Network standards	802.11a, 802.11b, 802.11g, 802.11n
Authentication	Pre-shared keys (PSK); 802.1x/EAP-transport layer security (TLS); tunneled transport layer security (TTLS); protected EAP (PEAP); local authentication database, AAA Server; support for RADIUS, LDAP, and ActiveDirectory	Channelization	20 MHz and 40 MHz channels
Encryption	WEP 40/128 (RC4); WPA-TKIP; WPA2-CCMP (AES); 802.11i WPA2-TKIP; Multi-Cipher support	Packet aggregation	A-MSDU, A-MPDU
Guest access	Secure guest access with onboard or external RADIUS authentication, client-client transmission disallow	Interframe spacing	Reduced
Internet Protocol Security (IPsec) VPN	Supports Data Encryption Standard (DES), 3DES, AES-128, and AES-256 encryption; supports site-to-site VPN capabilities	MIMO power save	Static and Dynamic
Stateful firewall	Stateful Layer 3 packet inspection; stateful Layer 2-7 wireless firewall; Access Control Lists (ACLs)	Data rates supported	802.11a: 6, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, 54 Mbps 802.11b/g: 1, 2, 5.5, 6, 9, 11, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, 54 Mbps 802.11n: MCS 0-15 up to 300 Mbps
Networking services		Operating channels	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5.0 GHz: all channels from 4920 MHz to 5825 MHz 2.4 GHz: channels 1-13 (2412 to 2472 MHz); Channel 14 (2484 MHz), Japan only <p>Actual operating frequencies depend on national regulatory limits.</p>
Layer 2 and Layer 3	Layer 3 RIP routing; 802.1Q VLAN trunking and tagging; DHCP servicer/client, BOOTP client, Dynamic DNS (DynDNS), PPPoE, NAT, LLDP, IP Filtering, Content Filtering (files or URL extensions, HTTP, SMTP and FTP requests) NAT, ARP/Proxy ARP	Operating bands	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Federal Communications Commission (FCC) European Union, 2.412 to 2.462 GHz; 2.412 to 2.472 GHz; 5.150 to 5.250 GHz 5.725 to 5.825 (UNII-3); 5.150 to 5.350 GHz; 5.725 to 5.850 (ISM); 5.470 to 5.725 GHz (Country-specific) Japan, 2.412 to 2.484 GHz; 4.900 to 5.000 GHz; 5.150 to 5.250 GHz
Management		Maximum available transmit power	24 dBm
Configuration	Java-based Web user interface, human-readable config file import/export, CLI (RS-232 or Telnet), SSH, HTTP/S, MIB, programmable SNMP v1/v2c/v3 trap support	Transmit power adjustment	1-dB increments
Statistics	LAN, wireless and associated stations (accessible via Brocade Mobility Controller Web UI)	Antenna configuration	2x3 MIMO (transmit on two and receive on all three antennas)
Software/firmware updates	File Transfer Protocol (FTP) or Trivial File Transfer Protocol (TFTP), remote auto available	Maximum radio transmit power	
Physical characteristics (internal antenna)		2400 MHz band	Single-antenna composite transmit power: +21 dBm Dual-antenna composite transmit power: +24 dBm
Dimensions	24.1 cm L x 18.916 cm W x 4.360 cm H (9.5 in. L x 7.5 in. W x 1.7 in. H)	5200 MHz band	Single-antenna composite transmit power: +19 dBm Dual-antenna composite transmit power: +22 dBm
Weight	0.91 kg (2.0 lb)	Antenna specifications	
Housing	Plastic	Type	Integrated 2.4 GHz and 5.2 GHz dual antenna; elements with diversity (internal antenna) Six RSMA connectors for external antennas (not included)
Available mounting configurations	Ceiling mount (to suspended ceiling T-bars, below tile); wall mount	Band	2.4 to 2.5 GHz; 4.90 to 5.85 GHz (actual operating frequencies depend on regulatory rules and certification agency)
LED indicators	Two LED indicators with multiple modes indicating 2.4 GHz/5.0 GHz activity, power, adoption, and errors	Voltage Standing Wave Ratio (VSWR)	Less than 2:1 (internal antenna) Antenna-specific (external antenna)
Console port	One RJ-45	Gain	2.4 GHz: 2 dBi; 5.0 GHz: 4.8 dBi (internal antenna) Antenna-specific (external antenna)
Ethernet ports	Auto-sensing 10/100/1000 Base-T Ethernet	Regulatory information	
Lock option	Kensington	Safety specifications	UL/cUL 60950-1, IEC/EN60950-1, UL2043 (Plenum), compliance with RoHS Directive 2002/95/EC TUV
Physical characteristics (external antenna)		EMC specifications	FCC (USA), Industry Canada, CE (Europe), EN 301 489-1, EN 301 489-17, EN60601-1-2, and TELEC (Japan)
Dimensions	21.64 cm L x 14.10 cm W x 3.771 cm H (8.5 in. L x 5.6 in. W x 1.5 in. H)	Radio approvals	FCC (USA), Industry Canada, CE (Europe- EN 300.328, EN 301.893), TELEC (Japan)
Weight	1.1 kg (2.5 lb)		
Housing	Metal, plenum-rated housing (UL2043)		
Available mounting configurations	Ceiling mount (above tile); wall mount		
LED indicators	Two LED indicators with multiple modes indicating 2.4 GHz/5.0 GHz activity, power, adoption, and errors		
Antenna connectors	Six RP-SMA		
Console port	One RJ-45		
Ethernet ports	Auto-sensing 10/100/1000 Base-T Ethernet		
Lock option	Kensington		

Receiver sensitivity			Receiver sensitivity		
(typical) at antenna housing connector (metal housing), 2400 MHz band			(typical) at antenna housing connector (metal housing), 5200 MHz band		
Rate/MCS	Mode	Average sens (dBm)	Rate/MCS	Mode	Average sens (dBm)
1	Legacy	-95	6	Legacy	-93
2	Legacy	-94	9	Legacy	-93
5.5	Legacy	-93	12	Legacy	-93
11	Legacy	-90	18	Legacy	-92
6	Legacy	-94	24	Legacy	-89
9	Legacy	-94	36	Legacy	-86
12	Legacy	-94	48	Legacy	-82
18	Legacy	-94	54	Legacy	-81
24	Legacy	-90	MCS0	HT20	-93
36	Legacy	-87	MCS1	HT20	-92
48	Legacy	-83	MCS2	HT20	-90
54	Legacy	-82	MCS3	HT20	-86
MCS0	HT20	-94	MCS4	HT20	-83
MCS1	HT20	-93	MCS5	HT20	-79
MCS2	HT20	-91	MCS6	HT20	-78
MCS3	HT20	-87	MCS7	HT20	-76
MCS4	HT20	-84	MCS8	HT20	-93
MCS5	HT20	-80	MCS9	HT20	-90
MCS6	HT20	-79	MCS10	HT20	-87
MCS7	HT20	-77	MCS11	HT20	-84
MCS8	HT20	-94	MCS12	HT20	-81
MCS9	HT20	-91	MCS13	HT20	-77
MCS10	HT20	-88	MCS14	HT20	-75
MCS11	HT20	-85	MCS15	HT20	-74
MCS12	HT20	-82	MCS0	HT40	-90
MCS13	HT20	-78	MCS1	HT40	-88
MCS14	HT20	-77	MCS2	HT40	-86
MCS15	HT20	-75	MCS3	HT40	-83
MCS0	HT40	-88	MCS4	HT40	-80
MCS1	HT40	-88	MCS5	HT40	-76
MCS2	HT40	-87	MCS6	HT40	-74
MCS3	HT40	-84	MCS7	HT40	-73
MCS4	HT40	-82	MCS8	HT40	-89
MCS5	HT40	-77	MCS9	HT40	-86
MCS6	HT40	-76	MCS10	HT40	-84
MCS7	HT40	-74	MCS11	HT40	-81
MCS8	HT40	-88	MCS12	HT40	-78
MCS9	HT40	-87	MCS13	HT40	-74
MCS10	HT40	-85	MCS14	HT40	-72
MCS11	HT40	-82	MCS15	HT40	-71
MCS12	HT40	-79			
MCS13	HT40	-75			
MCS14	HT40	-73			
MCS15	HT40	-71			

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