

RouterBOARD 953GS-5HnT

Quick Setup Guide and Warranty Information

The RB953 is equipped with three Gigabit Ethernet ports, two SFP cages and two miniPCI slots. It also has a built-in 5GHz wireless device with three-chain support (three antenna connectors).

Assembling the Hardware

First use of the board:

1. Insert the miniPCI cards
2. Install the board in a case and connect antenna cables
3. Connect other peripherals and cables
4. Plug in PoE powered Ethernet to turn on the board

The device comes with a thermal pad, which is located inside a small bag. This thermal pad will ensure heat transfer between the backside of RB953 wireless device heatsink, and the indoor or outdoor case, where it will be mounted. The thermal pad should be put on the rectangular area of the RB953 heatsink, so that it is pressing against the device case, when it is mounted.

Powering

It's possible to power the device with the following methods:

- The first Ethernet port (Ether1) accepts 8-30V DC input (at the board; higher voltage needed to compensate for power loss on long cables; at least 18V suggested) from non-standard (passive) Power over Ethernet injectors. This device does **not** work with IEEE802.3af compliant 48V power injectors.
- DC power jack which accepts 8-30V (5.5mm outside and 2mm inside diameter, female, pin positive plug)

Booting process

RouterOS is the operating system of all RouterBOARD routers. Please see detailed configuration guide here: <http://wiki.mikrotik.com/wiki/Category:Manual>

First, RouterBOOT loader is started. It displays some useful information on the onboard RS232C asynchronous serial port. The serial port is set by default to 115200bit/s, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit, no parity.

The RouterOS system will then load. It will be also indicated by two beeps. Winbox or a web browser should be used to connect to the default IP address of **192.168.88.1** with the username **admin** and **no password**.

In case you wish to boot the device from network, for example to use MikroTik Netinstall, hold the RESET button of the device when starting it until the LED light turns off, and it will start to look for Netinstall servers.

In case IP connection is not available, Winbox can also be used to connect to the MAC address of the device. More information here: http://wiki.mikrotik.com/wiki/First_time_startup

Extension Slots and Ports

- Three 10/100/1000 Gigabit Ethernet ports, supporting automatic cross/straight cable correction (Auto MDI/X), so you can use either straight or cross-over cables for connecting to other network devices. The first Ethernet port accepts 8-30V DC powering from a passive PoE injector. The other two Ethernet ports **do not** support PoE powering.
- Two miniPCle slots for wireless or 3G card (SIM slot will be used for 3G)

- Three SMA connectors on top of the board, connected to the built-in three chain radio. Connectors are for chains 0,1,2 in that order, from left to right (chain0 is next to the USB port).
- Two SFP cages (Supports 1.25G SFP modules, supports DDMI)
- One powered USB 2.0 port, *cannot be used simultaneously with J404 miniPCle slot for 3G modem (software selectable USB/miniPCle)*
- One 8-30V DC power jack
- Two fan headers, for connecting an optional cooling fan, same Voltage as DC jack input

Buttons

- Bootloader backup button (Reset 1). Holding the button while booting will cause the backup bootloader to be used
- RouterOS reset hole (While booting, and holding a metal object in this hole (for example a screwdriver) will cause RouterOS software to be reset to defaults

Operating System Support

Currently tested operating system is MikroTik RouterOS (starting from v6).

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This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation.

This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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IMPORTANT: Exposure to Radio Frequency Radiation.

63 cm minimum distance has to be maintained between the antenna and the occupational user and 140 cm to general public. Under such configuration, the FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an population/uncontrolled environment can be satisfied.

List of additional approved antennas:

- Omni Directional (fiberglass pole) WLO-2450-15 15 dBi
- Omni Directional (hor. polarization) HP, ODH 24-13 13 dBi
- Sector SA 24-90-17-WB 17 dBi
- Panel WLP-2450-20 20 dBi
- Dish DC 24-HD-PFIP 24 dBi

Antenna Installation. WARNING: It is installer's responsibility to ensure that when using the authorized antennas in the United States (or where FCC rules apply); only those antennas certified with the product are used. The use of any

antenna other than those certified with the product is expressly forbidden in accordance to FCC rules CFR47 part 15.204. The installer should configure the output power level of antennas, according to country regulations and per antenna type. Professional installation

is required of equipment with connectors to ensure compliance with health and safety issues.

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