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1. Executive Summary

The MHD-4G-Pro is a high-performance 4G/5G mobile hotspot device designed for reliable, on-the-go internet access. It supports LTE Cat 12 with speeds up to 600 Mbps and 5G NR connectivity with theoretical speeds up to 1.2 Gbps. The device features dual-band Wi-Fi (2.4 GHz and 5 GHz), a robust security suite, and easy management via web interface and mobile app. It is suitable for enterprise, remote work, and personal use where portable high-speed internet is required.

This manual provides comprehensive guidance on installation, configuration, troubleshooting, maintenance, and security to ensure optimal operation and longevity of the device.

2. Technical Specifications

Parameter	Specification
Model	MHD-4G-Pro
Network Compatibility	LTE Cat 12 (up to 600 Mbps), 5G NR (up to 1.2 Gbps)
Frequency Bands	4G LTE: B1, B3, B7, B8, B20, B28; 5G NR: n78, n77, n41
Wi-Fi Standards	802.11 a/b/g/n/ac/ax (Wi-Fi 6)
Wi-Fi Frequency Bands	2.4 GHz and 5 GHz
Maximum Wi-Fi Speed	Up to 1.2 Gbps over 5 GHz, 600 Mbps over 2.4 GHz
SIM Card Slot	Nano SIM (supports 4G/5G SIMs)
Battery	Li-ion 3000mAh, up to 12 hours operation
Ports	USB-C (power & data), Ethernet (optional via adapter)

Security	WPA3, VPN passthrough, Firewall
Management	Web UI, Mobile App (iOS & Android), SNMP
Dimensions	120 mm x 75 mm x 15 mm
Weight	180 grams
Operating Temperature	0°C to 45°C
Storage Temperature	-20°C to 60°C
Certifications	CE, FCC, RoHS

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3. Installation & Setup Instructions

3.1 Environment Requirements

- Place the device on a flat, stable surface away from direct sunlight and moisture.
- Ensure adequate ventilation; avoid enclosed spaces that may cause overheating.
- Keep at least 10 cm clearance around the device for proper airflow.

3.2 Hardware Unboxing and Inspection

1. Open the packaging and verify all components are present:
 - MHD-4G-Pro device
 - Power adapter (USB-C)
 - Quick start guide
 - SIM card (if included)
 - Warranty card
2. Inspect the device for physical damage or defects. Do not use if damaged.

3.3 SIM Card Installation

1. Power off the device by pressing and holding the power button for 3 seconds.
2. Locate the SIM card slot on the side of the device.
3. Use the SIM ejector tool to open the SIM tray.
4. Insert the nano SIM card with gold contacts facing down, aligning with the tray.
5. Reinsert the tray securely into the device.
6. Power on the device by pressing the power button.

3.4 Power Connection

1. Connect the included USB-C power adapter to the device and a power outlet.
2. Allow the device to boot; indicator lights will show status.

3.5 Initial Network Connection

1. Wait for the device to establish a cellular connection (indicated by the LED status).
2. Connect your Wi-Fi-enabled device to the hotspot SSID (default SSID and password are on the label underneath the device).
3. Access the device management interface via web browser at <http://192.168.8.1>.

3.6 Environment & Signal Optimization

- Place the device near a window or in an open area for better signal reception.
- Avoid obstructions such as thick walls or metal objects.

- Use the mobile app to monitor signal strength and optimize placement.

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4. Configuration & Management Guide

4.1 Accessing the Web Interface

1. Connect to the device Wi-Fi network using default SSID and password.
2. Open a web browser and navigate to <http://192.168.8.1>.
3. Login with default credentials:
 - Username: admin
 - Password: admin

4.2 Basic Configuration Steps

1. Navigate to the "Network" tab to set or verify APN settings.
2. Configure Wi-Fi SSID and password under "Wireless Settings".
3. Set up security options: WPA3 encryption, firewall rules.
4. Enable or disable 5G connectivity as needed.
5. Save changes and reboot the device if prompted.

4.3 Advanced Management

- Configure VPN passthrough and server settings under "Security".
- Set up user access controls and device management policies.
- Enable SNMP for remote monitoring.
- Schedule firmware updates via the web interface or mobile app.

4.4 Mobile App Management

- Download the official app from iOS App Store or Google Play.
- Connect your mobile device to the hotspot Wi-Fi.
- Login with the same credentials as the web interface.
- Use the app to monitor signal, data usage, and perform quick configurations.

5. Error Code Reference

This section details common error codes, their causes, symptoms, and resolution steps.

Error Code 1001: No Cellular Signal

Cause	Weak or no cellular network coverage in current location.
Symptoms	LED indicator shows no signal; inability to connect to the internet.
Resolution Steps	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Relocate the device to an area with better cellular coverage.2. Ensure the SIM card is properly inserted and active.3. Verify the device's network settings match your carrier's requirements.4. Check for network outages with your service provider.5. Perform a device reboot.

Error Code 1042: Authentication Failure

Cause	Incorrect SIM card PIN or network authentication issues.
Symptoms	LED indicator blinks red, no internet access.
Resolution Steps	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Verify the SIM card PIN code and disable PIN requirement if necessary.2. Check with your carrier to confirm the SIM is active and not blocked.3. Reinsert the SIM card securely.4. Reset network settings via web interface.5. Contact customer support if issue persists.

Error Code 2001: Firmware Update Failed

Cause	Interruption during firmware download or incompatible firmware version.
Symptoms	Device becomes unresponsive; update process halts.
Resolution Steps	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Ensure stable internet connection during update.2. Download firmware from official source.3. Follow update instructions precisely: navigate to Maintenance > Firmware Update.4. If update fails, perform a factory reset and retry.5. Contact support if unresolved.

6. Troubleshooting

6.1 Connectivity Issues

1. Check signal strength via web interface or app.
2. Ensure SIM card is active and properly inserted.
3. Verify device is within coverage area.
4. Reboot the device.
5. Reset network settings if issues persist.

6.2 Wi-Fi Connectivity Problems

1. Ensure Wi-Fi is enabled in device settings.
2. Check for interference or overlapping networks.
3. Forget and reconnect to the Wi-Fi network.
4. Change Wi-Fi channel in settings if necessary.
5. Update device firmware.

6.3 Slow Internet Speeds

1. Check signal strength and move device accordingly.
2. Verify data plan limits are not exceeded.
3. Reboot device and reconnect.
4. Update firmware and reset network settings.
5. Contact carrier if speeds remain low.

6.4 Device Not Powering On

1. Ensure power adapter is connected properly.

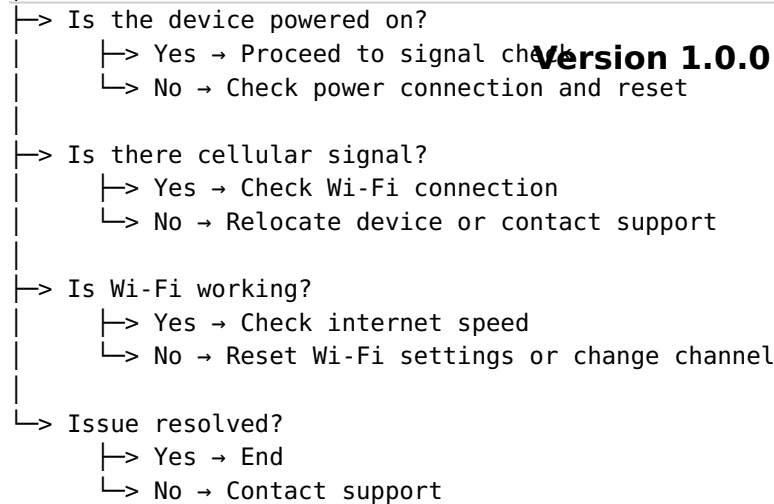
2. Check power outlet functionality.
3. Perform a hard reset by holding the power button for 10 seconds.
4. Replace power adapter if necessary.

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Flowchart: Basic Troubleshooting Workflow

Start

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7. Maintenance & Firmware Update Procedures

7.1 Regular Maintenance

- Clean device exterior with a soft, dry cloth.
- Ensure ventilation openings are free of dust and debris.
- Periodically verify firmware version via web interface or app.
- Monitor data usage and battery health regularly.

7.2 Firmware Update Process

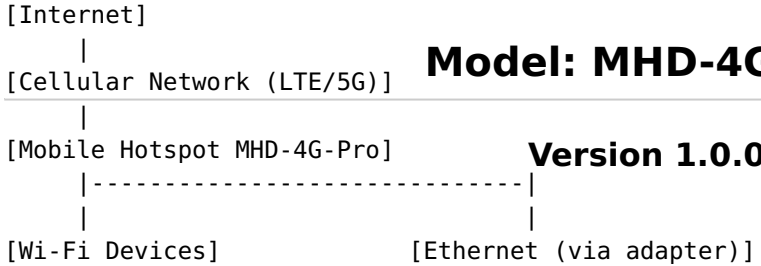
1. Download the latest firmware from the official support website.
2. Access the web interface at <http://192.168.8.1>.
3. Navigate to Maintenance > Firmware Update.
4. Click "Choose File" and select the downloaded firmware file.
5. Click "Update" and wait for the process to complete; do not disconnect power.
6. Device will reboot automatically after successful update.
7. Verify firmware version post-update.

7.3 Factory Reset

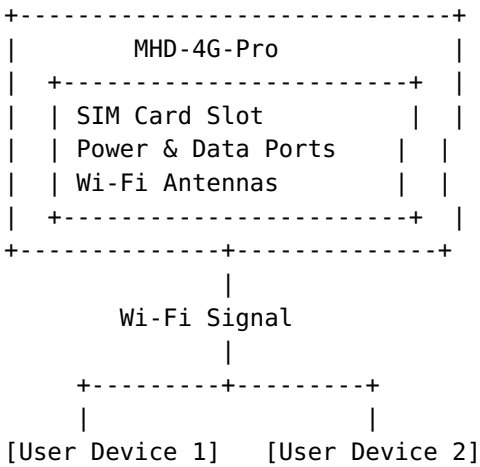
1. Locate the reset pinhole on the device.
2. Use a paperclip to press and hold the reset button for 10 seconds.
3. Release and wait for the device to reboot with default settings.
4. Reconfigure network settings as needed.

8. Network Diagrams

8.1 Basic Network Topology



8.2 Device Connectivity Diagram (ASCII)



9. Performance Optimization Tips

- Place the device in an open area with maximum signal reception.
- Use the 5 GHz band for high-speed activities; 2.4 GHz for longer range.
- Update firmware regularly to benefit from performance improvements.
- Limit connected devices to prevent bandwidth congestion.
- Disable unused features such as VPN or guest networks to optimize throughput.
- Use quality SIM cards with active data plans.

9.1 Signal Strength Monitoring

Use the web interface or mobile app to view real-time signal metrics. Aim for RSSI values above -70 dBm for optimal performance.

10. Compliance, Regulatory & Safety Warnings

- This device complies with CE, FCC, RoHS, and IC standards.
- Use only the supplied power adapter to prevent damage or fire hazards.
- Avoid exposure to water, moisture, or extreme temperatures.
- Do not disassemble or modify the device; warranty will be voided.
- Operate in accordance with local regulations regarding radio frequency emissions.
- Keep away from medical devices and other sensitive equipment to prevent interference.

10.1 Safety Precautions

- Ensure proper ventilation during operation.
- Unplug the device during thunderstorms or lightning activity.
- Keep out of reach of children.

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11. Security Configuration

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11.1 Wi-Fi Security Settings

1. Access web interface at http://192.168.8.1.
2. Navigate to Wireless Settings.
3. Set SSID to a unique name.
4. Enable WPA3 encryption; if not supported, use WPA2.
5. Set a strong, complex password (minimum 12 characters).
6. Save settings and reconnect devices.

11.2 Firewall and VPN

- Enable firewall rules to restrict unauthorized access.
- Configure VPN passthrough for secure remote access.
- Use strong credentials for VPN access.

11.3 User Access Control

- Change default admin password immediately after setup.
- Limit admin access to trusted IP addresses if possible.
- Enable two-factor authentication if supported.

12. Compatibility & Integration Matrix

Device/Service	Supported Compatibility
Smartphones	iOS 12+ / Android 8+
Laptop/Desktop	Windows 10/11, macOS, Linux
Network Equipment	Standard Ethernet, Wi-Fi 6 compatible devices
Carrier Networks	Major LTE and 5G carriers worldwide
Management Software	Web browsers (Chrome, Firefox, Edge), Mobile App (iOS & Android)

12.1 Limitations

- Firmware updates may be required for compatibility with newer devices.
- Some advanced features may not be supported on older hardware or software versions.

13. Warranty, Return & Refund Policies

13.1 Warranty Coverage

- Standard warranty of 12 months from date of purchase.
- Warranty covers manufacturing defects and hardware failures.
- Warranty does not cover damages caused by misuse, accidents, or unauthorized modifications.

13.2 Return & Refund Policy Version 1.0.0

1. Returns accepted within 30 days of purchase with proof of purchase.
2. Device must be in original condition and packaging.
3. Refund processed within 7 business days after receipt and inspection.
4. Contact customer support for return authorization and shipping instructions.

14. Frequently Asked Questions

Q1: How do I reset the device to factory settings?

Press and hold the reset pinhole button with a paperclip for 10 seconds until the device reboots with default settings.

Q2: Can I use a 5G SIM card with this device?

Yes, the MHD-4G-Pro supports 5G NR connectivity if your SIM card and network provider support 5G services.

Q3: How do I change the Wi-Fi password?

1. Access the web interface at <http://192.168.8.1>.
2. Login with admin credentials.
3. Navigate to Wireless Settings > Security.
4. Enter a new password and save changes.

Q4: What is the maximum data throughput?

Up to 1.2 Gbps over 5 GHz Wi-Fi and 600 Mbps over LTE networks.

Q5: How do I update the firmware?

1. Download the latest firmware from the official website.
2. Login to the web interface.
3. Go to Maintenance > Firmware Update.
4. Select the file and click "Update".

Q6: Is the device GDPR compliant?

Yes, the device complies with GDPR regulations regarding data privacy and security.

Q7: How many devices can connect simultaneously?

Up to 32 devices can connect concurrently without significant performance degradation.

Q8: How do I monitor data usage?

Data usage can be viewed via the web interface under the "Status" tab or through the mobile app.

Q9: What should I do if the device overheats?

Turn off the device, move it to a cooler location, and ensure proper ventilation before restarting.

Q10: How do I contact customer support?

Contact support via email at support@example.com or call our helpline at +1-800-555-1234.

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15. Glossary of Technical Terms

- **LTE:** Long-Term Evolution, a standard for wireless broadband communication.
- **5G NR:** 5G New Radio, the latest generation of cellular network technology.
- **Wi-Fi 6:** The latest Wi-Fi standard (802.11ax) offering higher speeds and capacity.
- **APN:** Access Point Name, a setting that defines the network path for cellular data.
- **RSSI:** Received Signal Strength Indicator, measures signal quality.
- **Firmware:** The low-level software embedded in hardware devices.
- **VPN:** Virtual Private Network, encrypts internet traffic for security.
- **RoHS:** Restriction of Hazardous Substances, environmental compliance standard.

16. Support & Escalation Contacts

- **Technical Support Email:** support@example.com
- **Customer Service Hotline:** +1-800-555-1234 (Mon-Fri, 9am-6pm)
- **Online Support Portal:** https://support.example.com
- **Escalation Policy:** For unresolved issues after 48 hours, escalate to Tier 2 support via support portal or email.

17. Revision History

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Version	Date	Description
1.0.0	2024-04-27	Initial release of the MHD-4G-Pro manual.

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