

# **BWLC**

# **USER MANUAL**

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### 1 BWLC Modul

#### 1.1 General

The BWLC-Module works as a wireless Ethernet Client Bridge and is used to connect a device with an Ethernet interface to a wireless network. The BWLC-Module will be mounted into the housings of these Ethernet devices. The connections are made by an RJ45 Ethernet LAN cable. The Ethernet device also has to deliver a power supply with 5V (-+ 10%)

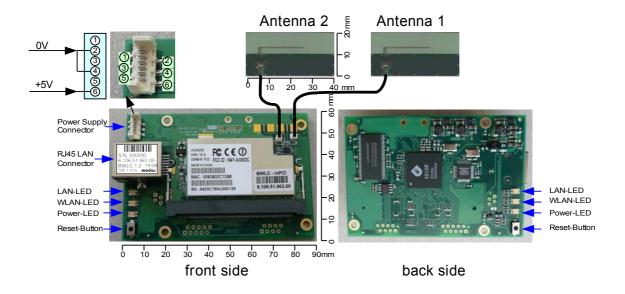


Abbildung 1: BWLC module front and back side

There are 3 LED's at the front side and 3 LED's at the back side which are connected parallel. The 2 pushbuttons are also connected parallel. The LED's are used to show the operation status of the BWLC-Module. Following status information are shown:

LED	LED status	operation status
LAN	off	no connection to Ethernet client
	green	10 Mbit link to Ethernet client
	green + red	100 Mbit link to Ethernet client
*	blinking	receive or transmit data traffic
WLAN	off	mPCI module defect
	blinking red	searching for an appropriate WLAN connection
	green	connected to a WLAN accesspoint
	blinking red + green	receive or transmit data traffic
POWER	off	no power supply connected
	green	5V power supply connected
	blinking red + green	blinking red the 0,5 Hz to show that the CPU of the module is working properly.

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The reset buttons can be used to restart the BWLC-Module or to reset the configuration to the factory default values. To reset the configuration the user has to push the reset button continuously for 10 seconds. After that time the BWLC-Module will restart with the factory default configuration.

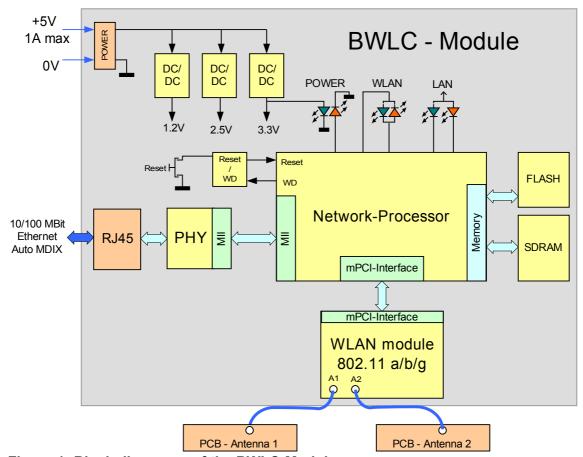
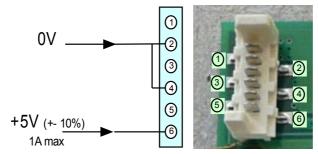


Figure 1: Block diagramm of the BWLC-Module

**Power Supply Connection** 

The power supply is connected via an 6 pin plug.



**Figure 2: Power Supply Connection** 

The connector is of the following type:

Manufacturer: Molex System: Picoflex

Order number: 90814-0906

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## 1.2 Technical Data

technology	BWLC (=> product name for Bizerba Wireless LAN Client) The BWLC module provides wireless LAN connections with up to 108 Mbit/
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l l	via the standards IEEE802.11a or IEEE802.11b/g.
	t is composed of: BWLC panel + WLAN mPCl card
	P. IF antenna Panel antenna with suitable U.FL antenna cable
I I	EEE802.11b: 11Mbps / 2.4 GHz, DSSS-Modulation
	EEE802.11g: 54Mbps / 2.4 GHz, OFDM-Modulation
	EEE802.11a: 54Mbps / 5 GHz, OFDM-Modulation
	EEE802.11a/b/g
	here is only one firmware version for all countries
	it is adapted via the country selection in the menu)
Client devices C	Client devices have to be equipped with an Ethernet connection.
	The BWLC module in the Ethernet device has to be operated in Ethernet
1	Client mode. Only one wired Ethernet end device may be connected to the nodule.
Encryption: TI	he following encryptions are available with BWLC:
	no encryption
	WEP 40 (64) /128 Bit
	WPA-PSK/TKIP, (WPA1 without Enterprise)
	WPA-PSK/AES CCMP, (WPA2 without Enterprise)
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Authentication IE	EEE802.11i (Personal (WPA, WPA2),
IE	EEE802.1x (LEAP, EAP-TLS, EAP-TTLS, PEAP-GTC, PEAP-MSCHAP
Ad-Hoc mode A	Ad-Hoc operation with the BWLC module is only supported in
	EEE802.11b and IEEE802.11g Mode!
In	n IEEE802.11a Mode the Ad-Hoc operation is not supported.
Ethernet TI	The Ethernet connection of the BWLC module is identified via auto
connection BWLC   M	I/DI/MDIX. It therefore makes no difference whether a patch or a
module cr	rossover Ethernet cable is used.
	/oltage: min 4,5V, max. 5.5V
C	Current: max 1A

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Environment Specification	
Operating	-10 ~ 50°C
Storage	-20 ~ 80°C
humidity	5 ~ 90% (non-condensating)
Interconnection of equipement	
Types of interconnection circuits	Interconnection circuits of SELV through the connectors



- The BWLC module should only be used within a building. The connecting cables should never be installed outdoors.

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# 2 Configuration

The module can be addressed and configured via the wired Ethernet interface and also via the wireless interface. Two options are available:

- WEB Browser (e.g. Internet Explorer Version >=5.5)
- Configuration tool (ESCG\_Config version ≥ 3.21)

Access to the BWLC module

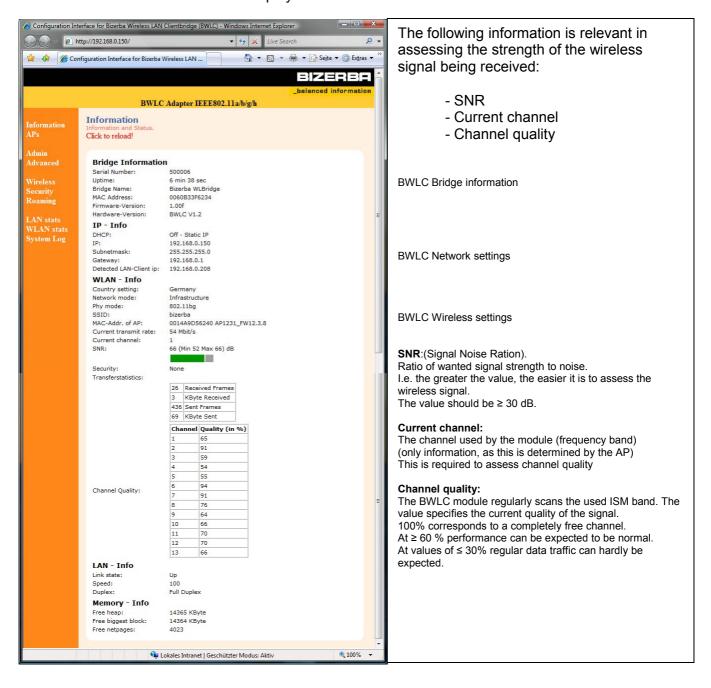
Web browser
(e.g. Internet Explorer version >=5.5)
The BWLC module is actually configured via the
Web browser
Start via IP address of BWLC module
Default IP address: 192.168.0.150
© Configuration Interface for Bizerba Wireless LAN Clientbridge (BWLC) - Windows Internet Explorer  © http://192168.0.150/      http://192168.0.150/
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_balanced information
BWLC Adapter IEEE802.11a/b/g/h
Via the IP address of the BWLC module (standard IP
address: 192.168.0.150) the homepage of the BWLC
module is accessed.
Note:
In a special configuration, this is achieved via the IP
address of the connected device + port address (default
2153).
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#### 2.1 Main menu item - Information

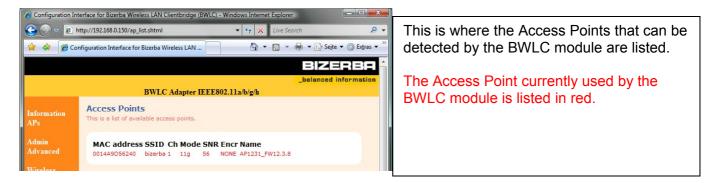
Basic information on the module is displayed here.



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#### 2.2 Main menu item - APs



### 2.3 Configure the BWLC

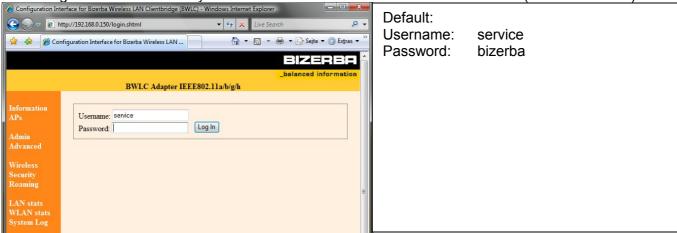
With the exception of the main menu items [Information] and [AP], all other access points require authorization

#### 2.3.1 BWLC log-in dialog user name/password

(=> [Admin], [Advanced], [Wireless], [Security], [Roaming], [LAN stats], [WLAN stats] and [System Log]).

A new registration is necessary if the module has not been accessed for a while (several minutes).

© Configuration Interface for Bizerba Wireless LAN Clientbridge (BWLC) - Windows Internet Explorer



#### 2.3.2 Parameter changes

If parameters in the BWLC module are changed, the following procedure should generally be followed:

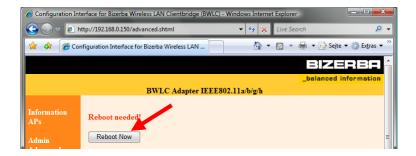
- Change desired parameter via main menu item
- Press the "Send" button (bottom left of each Change mask) to have changes applied.



- Subsequently press the displayed "Reboot now" button to activate the changes. (This button appears automatically once the "Send" button has been pressed.

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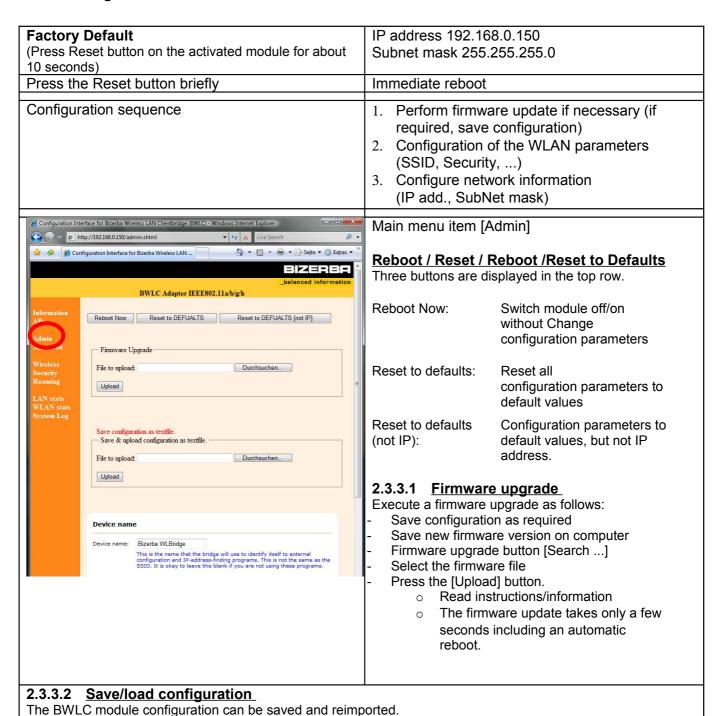




After the reboot, the parameters you changed are active.

#### 2.3.3 Configuration - Admin

Saving the configuration (text file):



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Apply configuration to the BWLC module



- Select the link, "Save configuration as text file".
   (In red font.)
- Press "Save" button
- Adjust file names and target directory
  - Standard filenames correspond to the following syntax:
    - BWLC\_Config\_[IP addr. of Ethernet device].cfg
- Select the link, "Save & upload configuration as text file."
- Press [Search ...] button
- Select the configuration file from the respective directory
- Press the [Upload] button.
  - Read instructions/information
  - The firmware update only takes a few seconds including automatic reboot.

It is possible to upload an archived configuration to a different BWLC module. Module name, IP address have to be adapted to suit the respective module.



#### IP settings

# 2.3.3.1 <u>Configuration of general network</u> information

Wired network parameters are set as follows:

- Select DHCP or static IP address
- If a static IP address is used, the IP address, subnet mask and gateway need to be adjusted to suit the respective customer specifications.
- Press the "Send" button

#### Security

2.3.3.2 Change BWLC module log-in data
User name and administrator password for the
BWLC module can be changed here.

Press the "Send" button once you have made the change.

Once all the parameters in this main menu item have been set, press the "Send" button to have the data applied to the BWLC module.

(Subsequently press the "Reboot now" button that is displayed to have the changes activated.)

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#### 2.3.4 Configuration - Advanced

Advanced settings can be made in this menu item, including:

- MAC address for the BWLC module (cloning mode)
- Reveal/Hide BWLC IP address in WLAN
- Advanced wireless settings (package fragmentation, beacon specification for AdHoc operation)

Synchronization via time server, event output to Syslog server and respective settings



#### Cloning

2.3.4.1 MAC address for BWLC module
Setting the MAC address you want to use

- The following items can be selected in the "Cloning Mode" selection menu:
  - WLAN Card: Using the MAC address for the BWLC module
  - Ethernet Client: Using the MAC address of the Ethernet device
  - Fixed Client MAC: Manual allocation of a MAC address
- Press the "Send" button

#### 2.3.4.2 Advanced bridging

2.3.4.3 Reveal/Hide BWLC IP address in WLAN

Property is activated = BWLC module can no longer be addressed via its own IP address in WLAN.

A WLAN configuration is possible whereby the module uses a different IP address and port no. As standard, the BWLC module automatically uses (0.0.0.0) the IP address of the connected Ethernet device, with port no. 2153.

- Enable parameter "Detach bridge IP from WLAN": General switch for advanced bridging. This hides the IP address of the BWLC module in the WLAN
- Parameter: "transparent webserver port":
   Provision of the port no. via which the BWLC menu is addressed by means of a Web browser.
- Enable the "Autodetect Ethernet Client IP" parameter: This enables the BWLC module to use the IP address of the device that is connected via a wired connection
- Press the "Send" button

It is imperative that the following address is entered in the Web browser:

http://[IP addr.]:[Port no.]

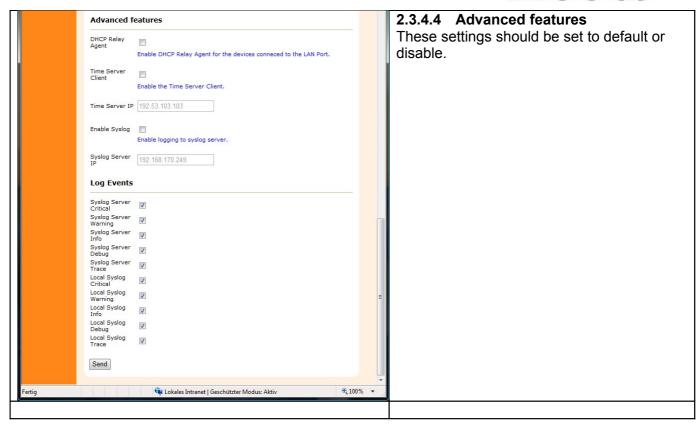
Example: The module uses the IP address of the Ethernet device 192.168.0.20 in order to access via WLAN; subsequently the Web browser address with port number 2153 is as follows:

Once all parameters have been set in this main menu item, press the "Send" button to have the data applied to the BWLC module.

(Subsequently press the "Reset" button that is displayed to have the changes activated.)

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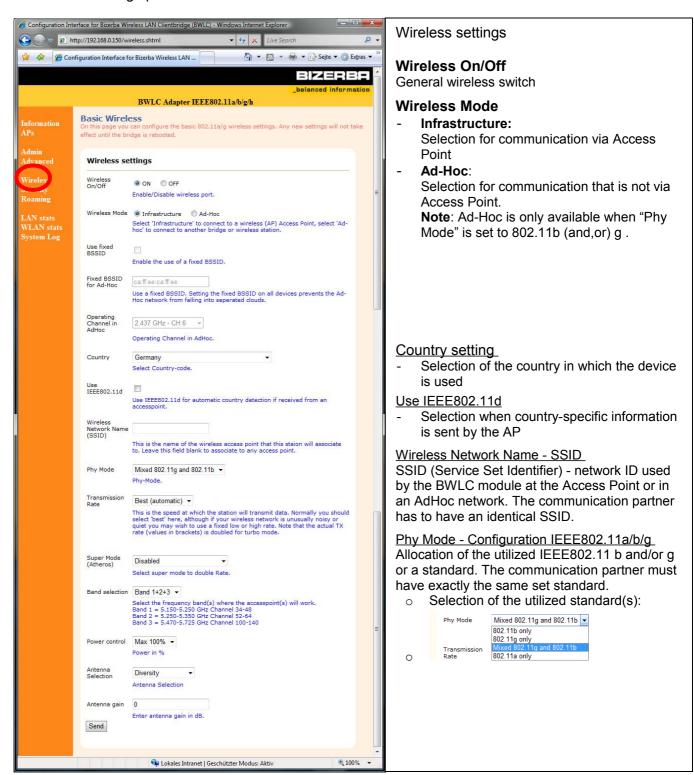
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#### 2.3.5 Main menu item - Wireless

In this menu item, general wireless settings are carried out, including:

- Infrastructure / Ad-Hoc Mode
- Country setting
- SSID
- 802.11a/b/g specifications



Once all parameters have been set in this main menu item, press the "Send" button to have the data applied to the BWLC module.

(Subsequently press the "Reset" button that is displayed to activate the changes.)

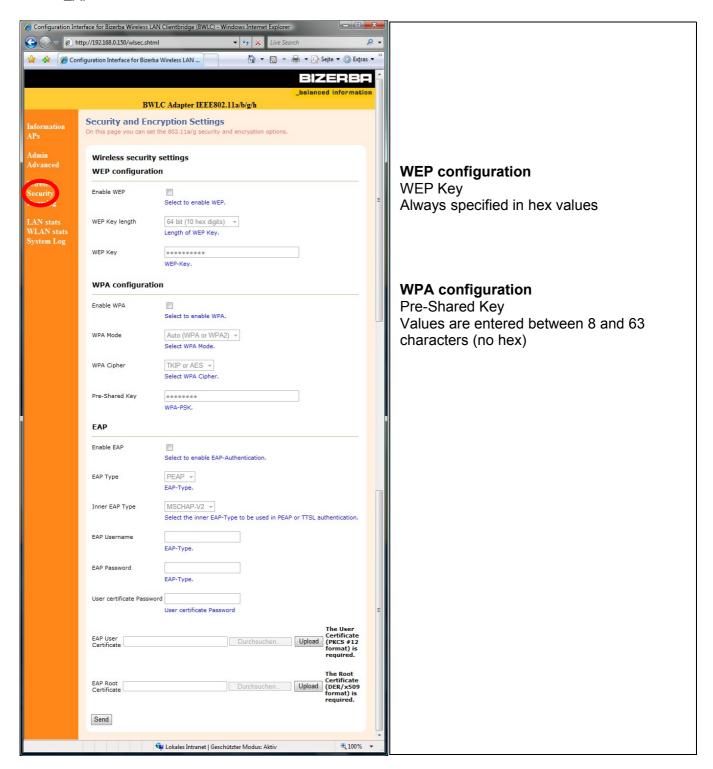
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#### 2.3.6 Main menu item - Security

The following security settings are made in this menu item:

- WEP
- WPA
- EAP



Once all parameters have been set in this main menu item, press the "Send" button to have the data applied to the BWLC module.

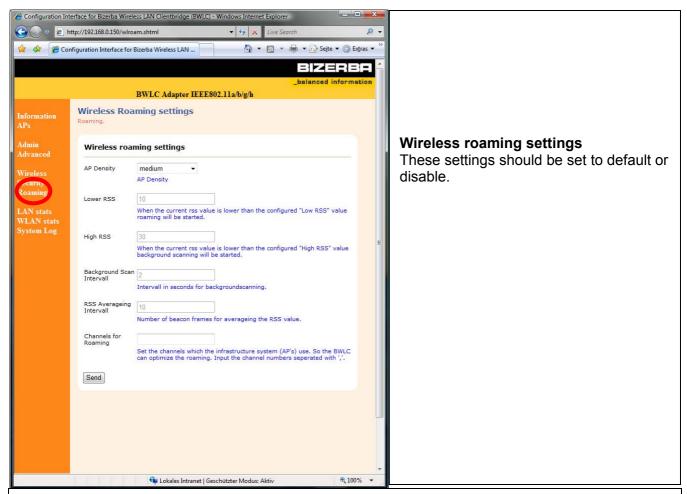
(Subsequently press the "Reboot now" button that is displayed to activate the changes.)

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#### 2.3.7 Main menu item - Roaming

In this menu item you can specify roaming properties for the BWLC module.



Once all parameters have been set in this main menu item, press the "Send" button to have the data applied to the BWLC module.

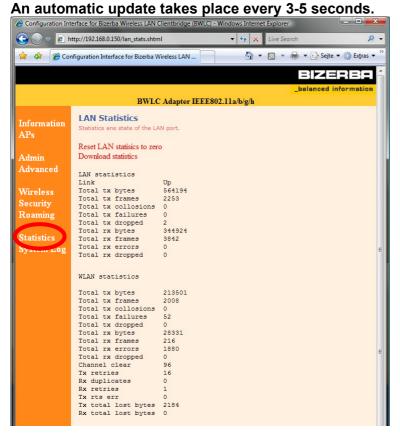
(Subsequently press the "Reboot now" button that is displayed to activate the changes.)

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#### 2.3.8 Main menu item - Statistics

In this menu item, statistics can be output via the wired Ethernet and wireless side of the BWLC module.

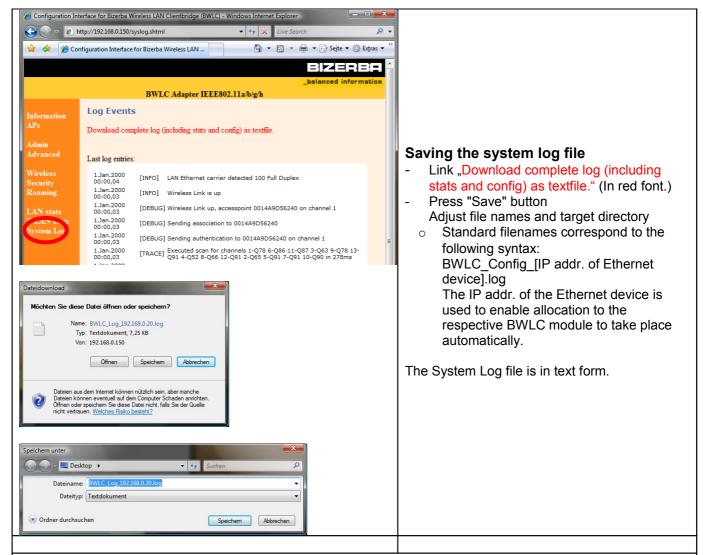


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#### 2.3.9 Main menu item - System Log

In this menu item up to 50 event entries are displayed for the BWLC module. Use the F5 function key on the keyboard to refresh the page. Set which events are out put to the main menu item [Advanced] - "Log events" section.



The log file is saved for service purposes. As well as event entries that have taken place since the last (re)boot (max. 10000), additional information in included here such as LAN/WLAN statistic values, ASCII-printable values from the main menu item [Information], previous switch-on times, currently visible wireless networks and the complete configuration of the BWLC module.

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### Statements and instructions according to FCC and Industry Canada Rules

#### 1. Information for host integrators of the radio module

#### **CAUTION:**

Host integrator is still responsible for testing their end product for any additional compliance requirements required with this module installed (for example, digital device emissions, PC peripheral etc.). In the event that these conditions can not be met (for example certain laptop configurations or co-location with another transmitter), then the FCC authorization is no longer considered valid and the FCC ID can not be used on the final product. In these circumstances the host integrator will be responsible for re-evaluating the end product (including the transmitter) and obtaining a separate FCC authorization.

#### 1.1 Labelling instructions for host devices

The FCC and IC ID are permanently fixed on a label on the module, and, if the identification numbers are not visible when the module is installed inside another device, then the outside of the device into which the module is installed must also display a label referring to the enclosed module. This exterior label can use wording such as the following:

"Contains Transmitter Module FCC ID: V98-BWLC-V1

"Contains Transmitter Module IC: 7821A-BWLCV1"

Any similar wording that expresses the same meaning may be used

Additionally the two part statement must be fixes on the host device:

"This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation."

#### 1.2 RF Exposure / collocation requirements

The fixed external antennas used for this mobile transmitter must provide a separation distance of at least 20 cm from all persons and must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter."

#### 1.3 Information to end user

End users may not be provided with the module installation instructions.

For information to users, all relevant instructions that pertain to all components of a composite device are required. For example, Class A or Class B statements in Section 15.105; all warning statements and special instructions as required by Sections 15.21 and 15.27; and all Part 18 applicable instructions / attestations must be clearly stated. However, realistic variations in editing to clarify the language and structure are permitted as long as all the relevant points applicable to all of the components are represented.

#### 2. FCC and Industry Canada warning statements and special instructions

Warning: Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the authority to operate the equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

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 or more 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.

If the device is going to operated in 5.15 - 5.25 GHz frequency range, then is restricted in indoor environment only.

Note: High power radars are allocated as primary users of the bands 5.25 - 5.35 and 5.65 - 5.85 MHz and these radars could cause interference and/or damage to Wireless - LAN devices.