



# Airtel 4G Hotspot User Manual












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# Safety precautions

Read the safety precautions carefully to ensure the correct and safe use of your wireless device.

	Do not switch on your device when the device use is prohibited or when the device use may cause interference or danger.
	Follow the rules or regulations in hospitals and health care facilities. Switch off your device near medical apparatus.
	Switch off your device in an aircraft. The device may cause interference to control signals of the aircraft.
	Switch off your device near high-precision electronic devices. The device may affect the performance of these devices.
	Do not attempt to disassemble your device or its accessories. Only qualified personnel are allowed to service or repair the device.
	Do not place your device or its accessories in containers with strong electromagnetic field.
	Do not place magnetic storage media near your device. Radiation from the device may erase the information stored on them.
	Do not put your device in a high-temperature place or use it in a place with flammable gas such as a gas station.
	Keep your device and its accessories away from children. Do not allow children to use your device without guidance.
	Use approved batteries and chargers only to avoid explosion.
	Observe the laws or regulations on device use. Respect others' privacy and legal rights when using your device.

It is recommended that the equipment only be used in the environment where temperature is between 0°C and 45°C and humidity is between 10% to 90%. Keep the equipment in the environment where temperature is between -10°C and 70°C or humidity is between 10% to 90%.

## CHARGERS

Mains powered chargers will operate within the temperature range of: 0°C to 40°C.

The chargers designed for your device meet with the safety standard of technology equipment and office equipment use.

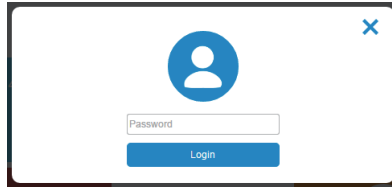
They are also compliant to the ecodesign directive 2009/125/EC. Due to different applicable electrical specifications, a charger you purchased in one jurisdiction may not work in another jurisdiction. They should be used for this purpose only.

# 1. Web UI configuration

## 1.1 Log into the configuration page

Open the browser and enter this address <http://192.168.1.1>.

The default login password is **admin**.

























After login password input, Airtel configuration webpage will be launched.



## 1.2 Icon description

Icons on the webUI:

Category	Icon Display
Signal strength	     From no signal to excellent
Network status	 Disconnect,  Connected,  Roaming
SMS	 Normal,  New message,  SMS box full,  View message
Home	 click to go back to Home page
Battery	     Battery level
Network type	2G: EDGE, GPRS 3G: HSPA, HSUPA, UMTS 3G+: HSPA+, DC-HSPA+ 4G: LTE

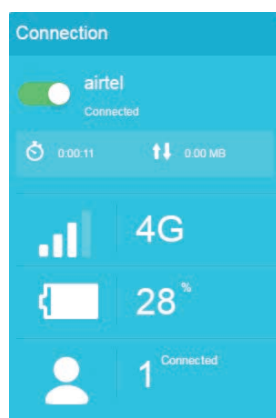
Connection status	 Connected,  Disconnected
Usage	 Usage data
Wi-Fi status	 Wi-Fi active with connected devices

LED on the device:

Icon	Icon display
Network indicator	LED is constant blue when connected to the 4G internet. LED blinks in blue when connected to the 3G internet. LED is rose red when connected to the 2G internet. LED is constant red when registered to network, but disconnected with internet. LED blinks in red when no network, no service, no SIM card etc.
Wi-Fi indicator	LED is blue when Wi-Fi is active.
SMS indicator	LED is blue when you got a new message or flashes when inbox is full.
Battery indicator	LED is red when battery is low. Light blue LED and slow flashing during working. Light blue LED and quick flashing during charging. Light blue LED when full charged.

## 2. Connection

Click the “Connection” area to open the menu. This includes connection info, upload/download usage (for a connected duration), network technology, battery status, number of devices connected.



### 2.1 Connection information

**Turn on/off Key:** Connect/disconnect from internet.

**Network information:** Display Operator name.

## 2.2 Usage information


A current usage time and data is displayed:

 Total time duration for current connection in HH:MM (e.g: 12Hrs 02 Mins).

 Total data for current connection in MB or GB.

## 2.3 Signal & technology information

 **Signal icon:** Shows the signal strength. The icon is grey when there is no service.

 **Network technology:** 2G, 3G, 3G+, 4G in different networks. Icon is empty in disconnected and no service status.



## 2.4 Battery information

 Low power.

 Different battery levels.

## 2.5 Connected devices information

This component shows the connected devices to LinkZone.

**Device list edit:** Click **numbers** to view detail connected devices. Click  to edit the device name,  to save the changes and any other area to give up the changes.

**Block list edit:** Click **Block** or **unblock** to manage device list, but USB device can't be blocked.

# 3. 4G Data Usage

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Click **Usage** area to open usage status menu and display usage info in home and roaming status, which includes upload/download data transfers.

## 3.1 Usage information

**Home:** Local download + upload usage, current volume/total volume; Clear all data when starting a new period cycle.

**Roaming:** Current Roaming Data and Total Roaming Data.

**Duration:** Duration time for each connection; total duration time for a specified connection period.

## 3.2 Usage setting

Click on the top right of the option menu and select **Usage setting** to set usage data.

## 3.3 Clear history

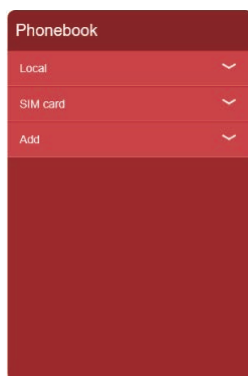
Click top right option menu and select **Clear History** in the draw menu.

When it is billing day, the whole usage database will be cleared automatically.

If usage or time exceeded the limitation and you set a new usage or time limitation plan, the previous database will be cleared automatically.

If usage or time hasn't exceeded the limitation and you set a new usage or time limitation plan, the database will not be cleared.

## 3.4 Phonebook



1. Local: Edit or delete contact info stored in device or SD Card.
2. SIM Card: Edit or delete contact info stored SIM Card.
3. Add: Add new phone number in local or SIM Card.

## 4. Message

Click the **SMS** area to enter the Message interface, the following items are included:

**+New message:** Create new SMS.

**Draft:** Save the unsent SMS.

 : Delete SMS.

 : Send SMS fail.

 : Option Menu.

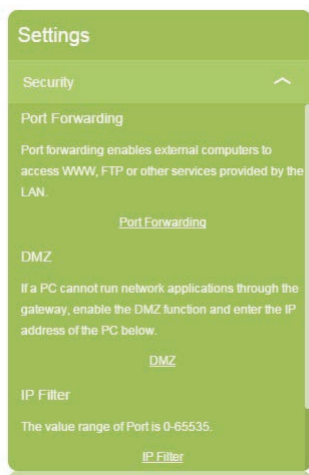
- SMS settings.
- Delete all messages.

### Read/Reply/Forward SMS

Double click a message to read the entire message. At the same time a SMS box is displayed for Reply/Forward.

## 5. Settings

Click **Settings** to enter the Settings area and the following items are included.



**Wi-Fi Settings:** Set the parameters related to Wi-Fi.

- **802.11 Mode:** Select the mode used, such as 802.11 b/802.11 g/802.11 n.
- **SSID:** This is the name of the Wi-Fi network, which was used to identify your Wi-Fi network. The length of the SSID should be 1-32 characters including “\_”.
- **SSID Broadcast:** The default setting is “Enable”.
- **Wi-Fi Channel:** Different domains have different channels (Channel 1~11 in FCC (US)/IC (Canada); Channel 1~13 in ETSI (Europe); Channel 1~13 in MKK (Japan)).
- **Max Number of Users:** Set the maximum number of Wi-Fi users. The default and maximum value is “15”.
- **Security:** Set the cipher for Wi-Fi; Select an encryption mode in the list and set your password. If you select “Disable”, any Wi-Fi enabled device can connect to the device without the password.
- **WEP:** Lower security. Works with older Wi-Fi devices. Recommended only if your devices don't support WPA or WPA2.
- **WPA:** A strong security standard, supported by most Wi-Fi devices. 8 to 63 ASCII characters needed.
- **WPA2:** A stronger, newer security standard. Limited to newer Wi-Fi devices. 8 to 63 ASCII characters needed.

**Login Settings:** Define your login password.

- **Login password characters:** 4-16, if exceeds 16 characters, you are not allow to proceed.
- If an invalid character is input, error message is displayed under user name and data is not saved.
- Password can contain letters, numbers, and symbols (ASCII characters 4-16), but not the following: ” ; \ & % + ‘ < > ?

**Profile management:** Edit your profile.

**PIN Code Settings:** PIN operation: include three behaviours: Enable/Disable/Modify.

- Note:**
- When you entered the wrong PIN 3 times, PUK is needed. You can get this key from the operator.
  - PIN code: 4-8 digits.

**Connection mode:** Automatic or Manual at draw down list.

**Network mode:** Auto, 2G only, 3G only, 4G only modes in draw down list.

## **Advanced Settings**

### **DHCP**

- Router IP Address: The router's IP address on the LAN. The default setting is “192.168.1.1”.
- Subnet Mask: The router's internal LAN subnet mask. The default setting is “255.255.255.0”.
- Host Name: Name of web server.
- DHCP Server: DHCP Server will automatically assign IP addresses to devices on the network. The default setting is “Enable”.
- DHCP IP Pool: Set a range of IP addresses available to access.



- **DHCP Lease Time:** Amount of time that a Wi-Fi enabled device can use its assigned IP address before it is required to renew the lease.

**MAC Filter:** MAC Filter is used to control specific MAC addresses to access, including Disable, Allow, and Deny.

**Note:** The maximum allowed MAC list is 10.

Port Forwarding:

**About:** Display your device basic information.

- **Reboot:** Restart the device.
- **Reset:** Reset the device to the original factory settings.

## 6. More

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### WPS

**WPS mode:** PBC (default) or WPS PIN:

If choose PBC mode, PBC button and guide reminder will display.

If choose WPS PIN, WPS PIN put in and guide reminder display. put in WPS pin then click Save to finish setting.

### Online update

The device will check the software version automatically. If a new version has been detected a reminder icon  will appear on the online home page and under 'more functions' at the same time.

### USSD

Click Send after entering the USSD code, then enjoy the network service according to your selection.

**Diagnostic:** Check cell ID, RSRP, SINR value.

**Ping:** Input ping code and send.

## 7. Help

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Click **Help** to open the User Manual.

## 8. Battery charging

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### Wall Charger charging

When the device powers off, it will take a maximum of 3 hours to fully charge.

### USB Cable charging

Charge the device by connecting it to a PC with the USB cable.

When the device powers off, it will take a maximum of 4 hours to fully charge.

## 9. Q&A

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1. Q: Which browser does the device support?  
A: It supports Windows IE 8 and later, Google Chrome (Win, Mac), Firefox (Win, Mac), Opera (Win, Mac), Safari (Mac).
2. Q: Which OS does the device support?  
A: It supports Windows XP/Vista/7/8/10, Mac OS 10.6.X - 10.10.X.
3. Q: How to connect to the device?  
A: Open your wireless network connection list and select the relative SSID.  
**Windows:** Right-click **Wireless network connection** on the task bar, and select View Available Networks.  
**Mac:** Pull down list from AirPort icon. Select the SSID from the dropdown menu.  
**iOS:** Settings->Wi-Fi. Choose the SSID from the available Networks.  
**Android:** Settings->Wireless controls->Wi-Fi settings. Choose SSID from the available Networks.
4. Q: What do I do if I see the SSID but failed to connect?  
A:
  1. Check the password you entered is the right one.
  2. Check if WPS security is enabled on your PC? If so, check the device to see if it is expecting a WPS action from your PC.
5. Q: What to do if there is No service?  
A: the possible reason are listed as bellow:
  1. Unstable local signal.
  2. Hardware problem.You may:
  1. If you are inside a building or near a structure that may be blocking the signal, change the position or location of the device. For example, try moving the device close to a window.
  2. Check the hardware or use another device and retry.
6. Q: What to do if I forgot Wi-Fi Key?  
A: You can reset the device to factory defaults by press both power key and WPS key at the same time for 3 seconds.
7. Q: Why the SSID does not appear in the wireless network list?  
A: You can check the device as the suggestion bellow:

- Check the device Status Display for error messages or information.
- Refresh your network list on your computer.

**Windows:** Click Refresh Network List on the left side of the Wireless Network Connection screen.

If that does not work you can try the following:

1. Open Network Connections.
2. Right-click Wireless Network Connection and select Properties.
3. Click the Wireless Networks tab.
4. Delete any unused wireless connections from the Preferred Networks list and click OK.
5. Restart your computer.

**Mac:** Try rebooting your computer

8. Q: What to do if “PIN lock” or “PUK lock”?  
A: The SIM card is locked. Log into the Web page and Enter your PIN code or PUK code you got from the operator.  
**Note:** If you entered wrong PIN 3 times, then PUK is needed, and if the wrong PUK entered 10 times, the SIM card will be locked forever.
9. Q: How to connect/disconnect to the 4G/3G network?  
A: Login the web browser, go to **Connection** click “Connect/Disconnect” button.
10. Q: How to set a new PIN for my SIM card?  
A: Log into the web browser, Go to **Settings->PIN Code Management**.
11. Q: Where can I find information about Internet connectivity and Wi-Fi setup?  
A: Log into the web browser, Go to **Connection**.
12. Q: How to check the volume and time i used before?  
A: Log into the web browser, Go to **Usage**.
13. Q: How to search the network manually?  
A: Log into the web browser, Go to **Settings->Network mode**, choose manual for network selection.
14. Q: How to check the model number and firmware versions of my device?  
A: Log into the web browser, go to **Settings->About**.
15. Q: Can I back up and restore my configuration settings?  
A: Log into the web browser, go to **Settings->About**.
16. Q: How do I connect to the internet automatically when I turn on the device?  
A: Log into the web browser, and go to **Settings->Network mode->AUTO**.
17. Q: How to change the SSID?  
A: Log into the web browser, and go to **Settings->Wi-Fi settings**.
18. Q: How to change the login password?  
A: Log into the web browser, and go to **Settings->Login settings**.
19. Q: How to change the Wi-Fi Key?  
A: Log into the web browser, and go to **Settings->Wi-Fi settings**.

## 10. Warning and precautions

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### Electronic Device

Turn off your device near high-precision electronic devices. The wireless device may affect the performance of these devices. Such devices include hearing aids, pacemakers, fire alarm system, automatic gates, and other automatic devices can be affected. If you are using an electronic medical device, consult the device manufacturer to confirm whether the radio wave affects the operation of this device.

### Hospital

Pay attention to the following points in hospitals or health care facilities:

- Do not take your wireless device into the operating room, intensive care unit, or coronary care unit.
- Do not use your wireless device at places for medical treatment where wireless device use is prohibited.

### Storage Environment

- Do not place magnetic storage media such as magnetic cards and floppy disks near the wireless device. Radiation from the wireless device may erase the information stored on them.
- Do not put your wireless device and other accessories in containers with strong magnetic field, such as an induction cooker and a microwave oven. Otherwise, circuit failure, fire, or explosion may occur.
- Do not leave your wireless device in a very hot or cold place. Otherwise, malfunction of the products, fire, or explosion may occur.
- Do not subject your wireless device to serious collision or shock. Otherwise, wireless device malfunction, overheat, fire, or explosion may occur.

### Children Safety

- Put your wireless device in places beyond the reach of children. Do not allow children to use the wireless device without guidance.
- Do not allow children to put the device in mouth.
- Do not allow children to touch the small fittings. Otherwise, suffocation or gullet jam can be caused if children swallow the small fittings.

### Operating Environment

- The wireless device is not water-resistant. Keep it dry. Protect the wireless device from water or vapor. Do not touch the wireless device with a wet hand. Otherwise, short-circuit and malfunction of the product or electric shock may occur.
- Do not use the wireless device in dusty, damp and dirty places or places with magnetic field. Otherwise, malfunction of the circuit may occur.
- On a thunder stormy day, do not use your wireless device outdoors.
- The wireless device may interfere with nearby TV sets, radio and PCs.
- In accordance with international standards for radio frequency and radiation, use wireless device accessories approved by the manufacturer only.

### Traffic Safety

When driving, do not use the device.

- When switched on, this device emits electromagnetic waves that can interfere with the vehicle's electronic systems such as ABS anti-lock brakes or airbags. To ensure that there is no problem, do not place this device on top of the dashboard or within an airbag deployment area.
- Check with your car dealer or the car manufacturer to make sure that the dashboard is adequately shielded from this device RF energy.

### **Conditions of Use**

- Switch this device off before boarding an aircraft.
- Switch this device off when you are in health care facilities, except in designated areas. As with many other types of equipment now in regular use, this device can interfere with other electrical or electronic devices, or equipment-using radio frequencies.
- Switch this device off when you are near gas or flammable liquids. Strictly obey all signs and instructions posted in a fuel depot, petrol station, chemical plant, or in any potentially explosive atmosphere.
- When this device is switched on, it should be kept at least 15 cm from any medical device such as a pacemaker, a hearing aid or insulin pump, etc.
- Do not let children use this device without supervision.
- When replacing the cover, please note that this device may contain substances that could create an allergic reaction.
- Always handle this device with care and keep it in a clean and dust-free place.
- Do not open, dismantle or attempt to repair this device yourself.
- Do not drop, throw or bend this device.
- Do not paint it.

### **Radio Waves**

#### Specific Absorption Rate (IEEE)

THIS Device MEETS THE GOVERNMENT'S REQUIREMENTS FOR EXPOSURE TO RADIO WAVES.

Your device is a radio transmitter and receiver. It is designed and manufactured not to exceed the emission limits for exposure to radio-frequency (RF) energy. These limits are part of comprehensive guidelines and establish permitted levels of RF energy for the general population. The guidelines are based on standards that were developed by independent scientific organizations through periodic and thorough evaluation of scientific studies. These guidelines include a substantial safety margin designed to ensure the safety of all persons, regardless of age and health.

The exposure standard for devices employs a unit of measurement known as the Specific Absorption Rate, or SAR.

The SAR limit set by public authorities such as the Federal Communications Commission of the US Government (FCC), or by Industry Canada, is 1.6 W/kg averaged over 1 gram of body tissue.

Tests for SAR are conducted using standard operating positions with the device transmitting at its highest certified power level in all tested frequency bands.

Although the SAR is determined at the highest certified power level, the actual SAR level of the device while operating can be well below the maximum value. This is because the device is designed to operate at multiple power levels so as to use only the power required to reach the network. In general, the closer you are to a wireless base station antenna, the lower the power output of the device.

Before a device model is available for sale to the public, compliance with national regulations and standards must be shown. The highest SAR value for this USB model when tested is 0.612 W/kg for use close to the body.

While there may be differences between the SAR levels of various devices and at various positions, they all meet the government requirement for RF exposure. For body-worn operation, the device meets FCC RF exposure guidelines provided that it is used with a non-metallic accessory with the handset at least 15 mm from the body. Use of other accessories may not ensure compliance with FCC RF exposure guidelines.

Additional information on SAR can be found on the Cellular Telecommunications & Internet Association (CTIA) Web site: [http:// www.phonefacts.net](http://www.phonefacts.net)

The World Health Organization (WHO) considers that present scientific information does not indicate the need for any special precautions for use of devices. If individuals are concerned, they might choose to limit their own or their children's RF exposure by limiting the length of calls, or using "hands-free" devices to keep devices away from the head and body. (fact sheet n°193).

Additional WHO information about electromagnetic fields and public health are available on the following website: <http://www.who.int/peh-emf>.

Note: 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 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. Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

For the receiver devices associated with the operation of a licensed radio service (e.g. FM broadcast), they bear the following statement:

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the condition that this device does not cause harmful interference.

For other devices, they bear the following statement:

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
- (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Your device is equipped with a built-in antenna. For optimal operation, you should avoid touching it or degrading it.

As mobile devices offer a range of functions, they can be used in positions other than against your ear. In such circumstances the device will be compliant with the guidelines when used with

headset or USB data cable. If you are using another accessory ensure that whatever product is used is free of any metal and that it positions the device at least 15 mm away from the body.

#### Specific Absorption Rate (ICNIRP)

Proof of compliance with international standards (ICNIRP) or with European Directive 1999/5/EC (R&TTE) is required of all modem models before they can be put on the market. The protection of the health and safety for the user and any other person is an essential requirement of these standards or this directive.

#### THIS DEVICE MEETS INTERNATIONAL GUIDELINES FOR EXPOSURE TO RADIO WAVES.

This device is a radio transmitter and receiver. It is designed not to exceed the limits for exposure to radio waves (radio frequency electromagnetic fields) recommended by international guidelines. The guidelines were developed by an independent scientific organization (ICNIRP) and include a substantial safety margin designed to assure the safety of all persons, regardless of age and health.

The radio wave exposure guidelines use a unit of measurement known as the Specific Absorption Rate, or SAR. The SAR limit for mobile devices is 1.6 W/kg.

Tests for SAR are conducted using standard operating positions with the device transmitting at its highest certified power level in all tested frequency bands. The highest SAR values under the ICNIRP guidelines for this device model are:

Maximum SAR for this model and conditions under which it was recorded.		
Body-worn SAR	0.612 W/kg	WCDMA

During use, the actual SAR values for this device are usually well below the values stated above. This is because, for purposes of system efficiency and to minimize interference on the network, the operating power of your mobile device is automatically decreased when full power is not needed for the call. The lower the power output of the device, the lower its SAR value.

Body-worn SAR testing has been carried out at a separation distance of 15mm. To meet RF exposure guidelines during body-worn operation, the device should be positioned at least this distance away from the body. If you are not using an approved accessory ensure that whatever product is used is free of any metal and that it positions the phone the indicated distance away from the body.

The World Health Organization has stated that present scientific information does not indicate the need for any special precautions for the use of mobile devices. They recommend that if you are interested in further reducing your exposure then you can easily do so by limiting your usage or keep the device away from the head and body.

For more information you can go to [www.alcatel-mobile.com](http://www.alcatel-mobile.com)

Additional information about electromagnetic fields and public health are available on the following site: <http://www.who.int/peh-emf>

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#### Licenses

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This equipment is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of Directive 1999/5/EC. The entire copy of the Declaration of Conformity for your device can be obtained through our Website: [www.alcatel-mobile.com](http://www.alcatel-mobile.com)

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