

GS-5208PLG V2

Quick Installation Guide

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I. Product Information

The Edimax Pro GS-5208PLG V2 is a web-smart switch with 8 Gigabit PoE+ and 2 Gigabit SFP slots. Designed for medium to small network environments, its standard 19-inch 1U rack-mount brackets allow for integration with the most widely used mounting systems on the market. The Edimax GS-5208PLG V2 is a superb choice to boost your network environment's performance and efficiency.

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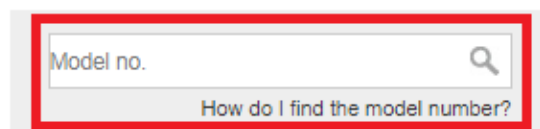


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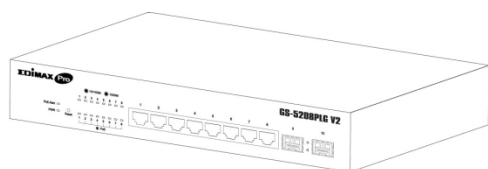
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I-1. Package Content

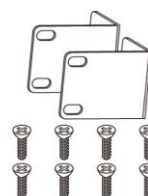
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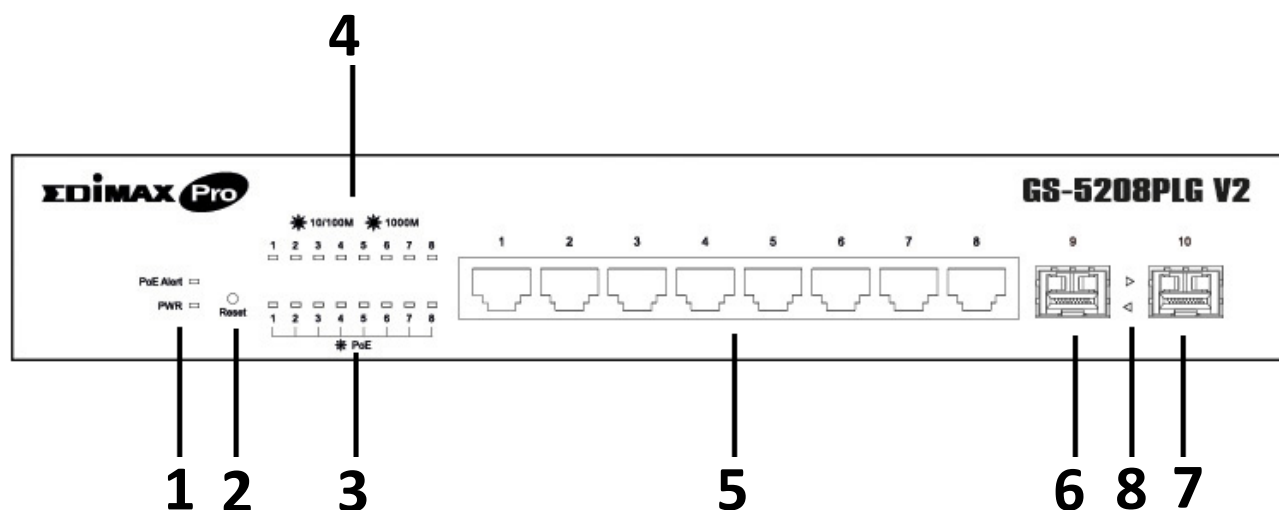


Power Cord



Rack-Mount Kit & Screws

I-2. Hardware Overview



No.	Descriptions
1	LED (PoE Alert, PWR)
2	Reset Button
3	LED (PoE)
4	LED (Link/Act)
5	PoE Ports (1~8)
6&7	SFP Port (9~10)
8	LED (SFP)

I-3. LED Status

Function	Status	Description
PWR	On (Green)	Power on
	Off	Power off
	Blinking	System boot up
PoE Alert	On (Green)	Total PoE power consumed is under PoE power budget
	Off	Total PoE power consumed is under PoE power budget
Link/ACT (1-8 port)	On (Green)	Link at 1000M
	Blinking (Green)	Sending or receiving data
	On (Amber)	Link at 10/100M
	Blinking (Amber)	Sending or receiving data
	Off	Port disconnected or link fail
SPF (9-10 port)	On (Green)	1000FX is connected
	Blinking (Green)	Sending or receiving data
	Off	Port disconnected or link fail
PoE	On (Green)	Feeding power to PoE devices
	Off	PoE function is not active

II. Installation

This chapter describes how to install and connect your Edimax Switch. Read the following topics and perform the procedures in the correct order. Incorrect installation may cause damage to the product.

II-1. Mounting the Switch

There are two ways to physically set up the switch.

- Place the switch on a flat surface. To place the switch on a desktop, install the four rubber feet (included) on the bottom of the switch.
- Mount the switch in a standard rack (1 rack unit high).

II-1-1. Placement Tips

- Ambient Temperature — To prevent the switch from overheating, do not operate it in an area that exceeds an ambient temperature of 122°F (50°C).
- Air Flow — Be sure that there is adequate air flow around the switch.
- Mechanical Loading — Be sure that the switch is level and stable to avoid any hazardous conditions.
- Circuit Overloading — Adding the switch to the power outlet must not overload that circuit.

Follow these guidelines to install the switch securely.

- Put the switch in a stable place such as a desktop, to avoid it falling.
- Ensure the switch works in the proper AC input range and matches the voltage labeled.
- Ensure there is proper heat dissipation from and adequate ventilation around the switch.
- Ensure the switch's location can support the weight of the switch and its accessories.

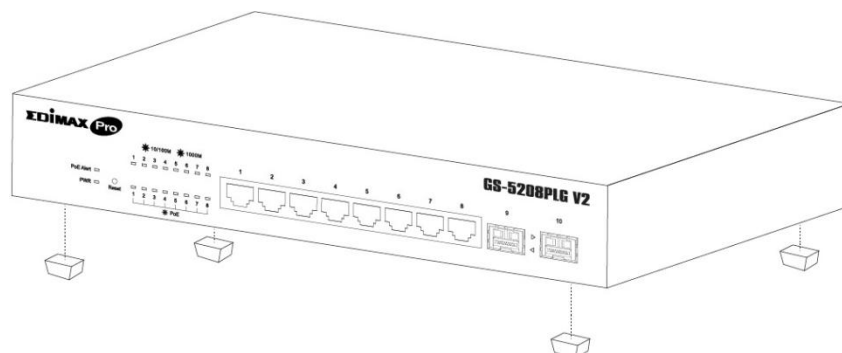


Figure 4 - Desktop Installation

II-1-2. Rack Mounting

You can mount the switch in any standard size, 19-inch (about 48 cm) wide rack. The switch requires 1 Rack Unit (1U) of space, which is 1.75 inches (44.45 mm) high.

For stability, load the rack from the bottom to the top, with the heaviest devices on the bottom. A top-heavy rack is likely to be unstable and may tip over.

When mounting smaller switch products into a standard 19-inch rack, a pair of extension brackets (sometimes referred to as ears) are needed to adapt the switch to the rack size.

These extension brackets are mounted on the switch using the screws provided in the kit, and have two holes that are used to then screw the switch into the rack.

An example of one type of these extension brackets is shown in the following figure.

A common problem that occurs during rack mounting is the distance between the screw holes on the rack. Some racks are made with a uniform distance between all of the holes, and others have the holes organized into groups (see photo on the next page for an example).

When organized into groups, the switch must be placed in the rack so that the holes in the extension brackets line up correctly.

1. Align the mounting brackets with the mounting holes on the switch's side panels and secure the brackets with the screws provided.

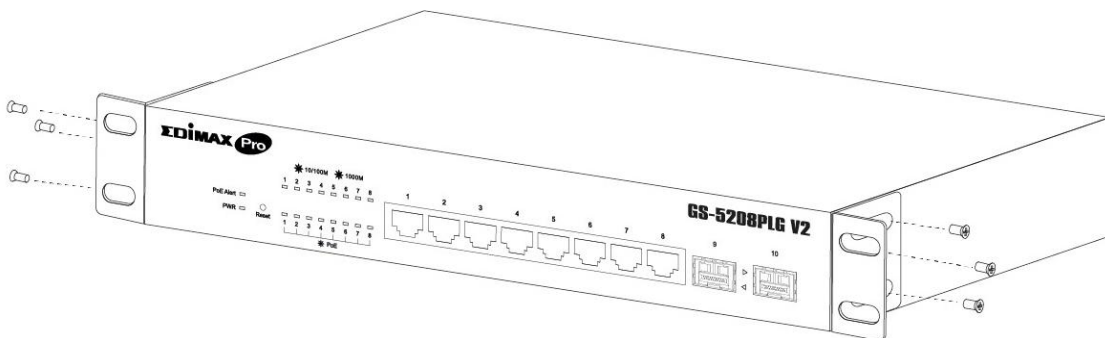


Figure 5 - Bracket Installation

2. Secure the switch on the equipment rack with the screws provided.

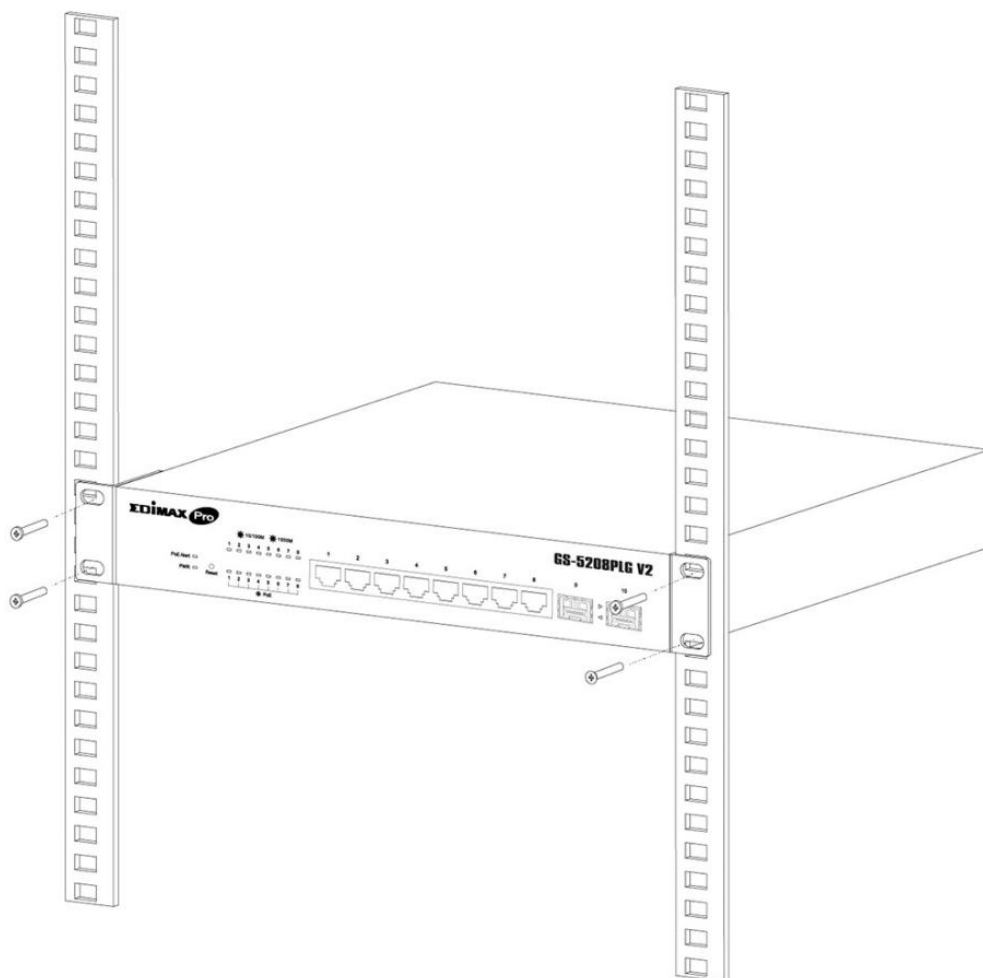


Figure 6 - Rack Installation

III. Getting Started

This section provides an introduction to the web-based configuration utility, and covers the following topics:

- Powering on the device
- Connecting to the network
- Power over Ethernet (PoE) considerations
- Starting the web-based configuration utility

III-1. Connecting to Power

Power down and disconnect the power cord before servicing or wiring a switch.

Do not disconnect modules or cabling unless the power is first switched off. The device only supports the voltage outlined in the type plate. Do not use any other power components except those specifically designated for the switch.

Disconnect the power cord before installation or cable wiring.

The switch is powered by the AC 100-240 V 50/60Hz internal high-performance power supply. It is recommended to connect the switch with a single-phase three-wire power source with a neutral outlet, or a multifunctional computer professional source.

Connect the AC power connector on the back panel of the switch to the external power source with the included power cord, and check the power LED is on.



Figure 7 - Rear View AC Power Socket

III-2. Connecting to Network

To connect the switch to the network:

1. Connect an Ethernet cable to the Ethernet port of a computer
2. Connect the other end of the Ethernet cable to Port 1-8 of the switch. The LED of the port lights if the device connected is active.

Connect the switch to end nodes using a standard Cat5e Ethernet cable to connect the switch to end nodes as shown in the illustration below.

Switch ports will automatically adjust to the characteristics (MDI/MDI-X, speed, duplex) of the device to which the switch is connected.

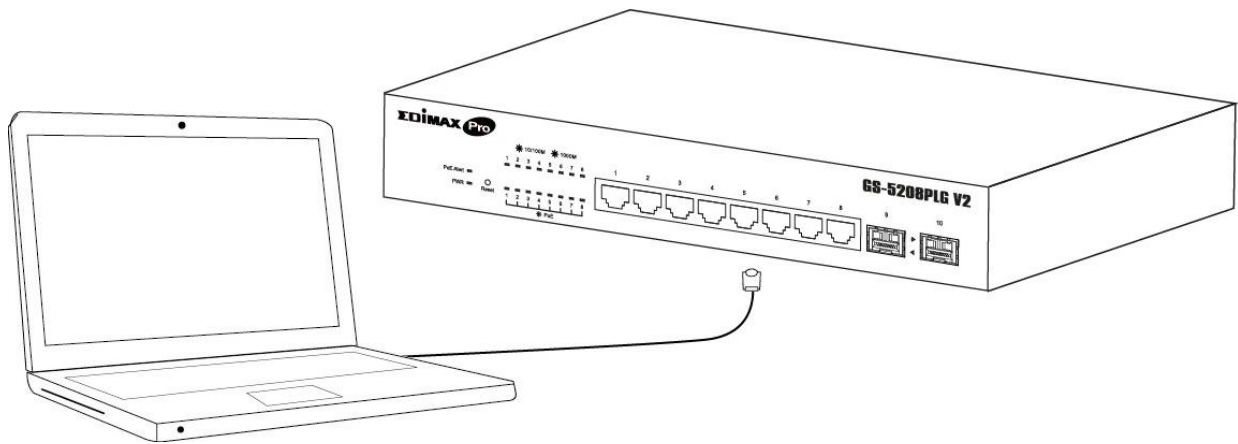


Figure 8 - PC Connect

III-3. Starting the Web-based Configuration Utility

This section describes how to navigate the web-based switch configuration utility. Be sure to disable any pop-up blocker.

Browser Restrictions

- If you are using older versions of Internet Explorer, you cannot directly use an IPv6 address to access the device. You can, however, use the DNS (Domain Name System) server to create a domain name that contains the IPv6 address, and then use that domain name in the address bar in place of the IPv6 address.
- If you have multiple IPv6 interfaces on your management station, use the IPv6 global address instead of the IPv6 link local address to access the device from your browser.

Launching the Configuration Utility

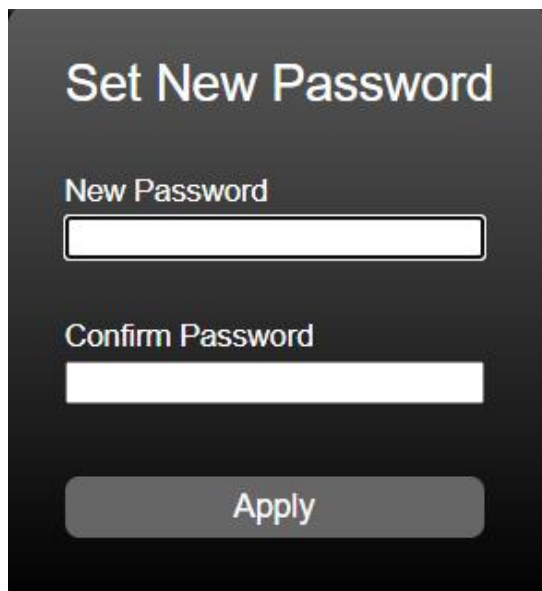
To open the web-based configuration utility:

1. Open a Web browser.
2. Enter the IP address of the device you are configuring in the address bar on the browser (factory default IP address is 192.168.2.1) and then press Enter.
3. The default username is “admin” and the default password is “1234”.



The image shows the login interface for the EDIMAX Pro configuration utility. At the top, the logo "EDIMAX Pro" is displayed. Below it, the "Model Name" is "GS-5208PLG V2". There are three input fields: "Username:" with a user icon, "Password:" with a lock icon, and "Language" with a dropdown menu set to "English". A "LOGIN" button is at the bottom.

4. The first time that you log in with the default username and password, you are required to enter a new password.



The image shows the "Set New Password" screen. It has a title "Set New Password" and two input fields: "New Password" and "Confirm Password". An "Apply" button is at the bottom.

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This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

FCC Radiation Exposure Statement

This device complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment and it also complies with Part 15 of the FCC RF Rules. This equipment must be installed and operated in accordance with provided instructions and the antenna(s) used for this transmitter must be installed to 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. End-users and installers must be provided with antenna installation instructions and consider removing the no-collocation 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, and
- (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Caution!

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

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This equipment complies with all the requirements of DIRECTIVE 2014/30/EU OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND THE COUNCIL of March 9, 1999 on radio equipment and telecommunication terminal equipment and the mutual recognition of their conformity (R&TTE). The R&TTE Directive repeals and replaces in the directive 98/13/EEC (Telecommunications Terminal Equipment and Satellite Earth Station Equipment) As of April 8, 2000.

Safety

This equipment is designed with the utmost care for the safety of those who install and use it. However, special attention must be paid to the dangers of electric shock and static electricity when working with electrical equipment. All guidelines of this and of the computer manufacture must therefore be allowed at all times to ensure the safe use of the equipment.

EU Countries Intended for Use

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Declaration of Conformity

We, Edimax Technology Co., Ltd., declare under our sole responsibility, that the equipment described below complies with the requirements of the European R&TTE directives.

Equipment: 8-Port Gigabit, 8-Port Long range PoE Switch

Model No.: GS-5208PLG V2

The following European standards for essential requirements have been followed:

Directives 2014/30/EU

EMC : EN 55032:2015+AC:2016
EN 61000-3-2:2014 Class A
EN 61000-3-3:2013
EN 55035:2017
Safety (LVD) : EN 62368-1:2014+A11:2017

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