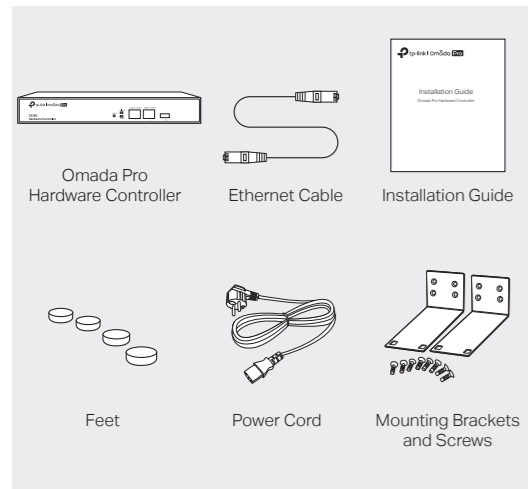


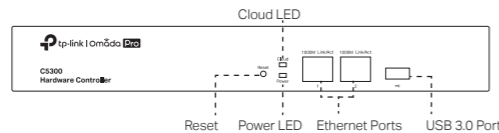
Thank you for purchasing Omada Pro Hardware Controller. This Installation Guide is designed to guide you through installation.
Note: The image may differ from the actual product.

1 Package Contents



2 Hardware Overview

Front Panel



Cloud LED

On: The device is bound to a TP-Link ID.

Slow Flashing: The device is connected to cloud but not bound to a TP-Link ID.

Quick Flashing: The device is being reset to its factory default settings.

Off: The device is disconnected from cloud.

Power LED

On: Working normally.

Off: Working abnormally.

1000M

On: Running at 1000 Mbps.

Off: Running at 10/100 Mbps.

Link/Act

On: A device is linked to the corresponding port but no activity.

Flashing: Transmitting or receiving data.

Off: No device is linked to the corresponding port.

Ethernet Ports

Connected to a device to transmit data.

USB 3.0 Port

Connected to a storage device to back up the configuration file and database.

Reset Button

After the device is initialized, press and hold the button for 5s to reset the device to its factory default settings.

Rear Panel



Kensington Security Slot

Secure the lock (not provided) into the security slot to prevent the device from being stolen.

Grounding Terminal

The device comes with lightning protection mechanism.

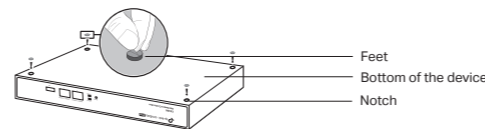
Power Socket

Connect the female connector of the power cord here, and the male connector to the AC power outlet (100-240V~50/60Hz).

3 Installation

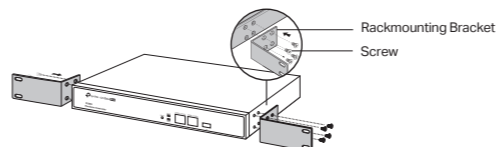
Desktop Installation

1. Set the device on a flat surface to support the entire weight of the device with all fittings.
2. Remove the adhesive backing papers from the rubber feet.
3. Turnover the device and attach the supplied rubber feet to the recessed areas on the bottom at each corner of the device.

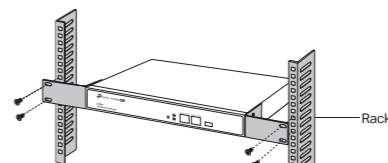


Rack Installation

1. Check the grounding and stability of the rack.
2. Secure the supplied rack-mounting brackets to each side of the device with supplied screws.



3. After the brackets are attached to the device, use suitable screws (not provided) to secure the brackets to the rack.



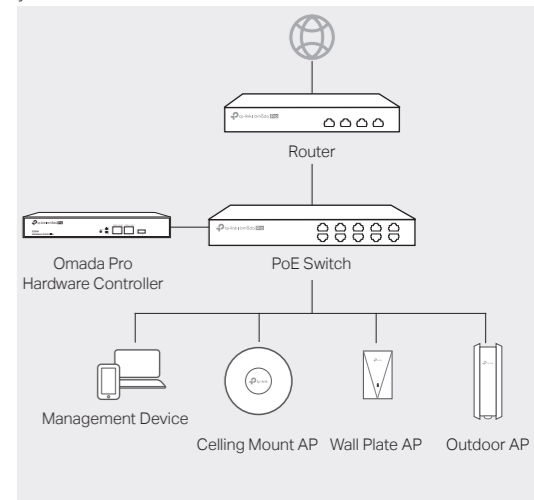
4 Power On

Plug the negative connector of the provided power cord into the power socket of the device, and the positive connector into a power outlet as the following figure shows.



5 Typical Network Topology

A DHCP server (typically a router) with DHCP function enabled is required to assign IP addresses to the APs and the controller in your local network.



6 Software Configurations


Omada Pro Hardware Controller supports two management options:

- Remote Management: configure and manage via cloud access
- Local Management: configure and manage locally



Remote Management

Licenses are required for device management.

Via Omada App

1. Make sure that your mobile device and the controller can access the internet.
2. Download the Omada app on your mobile device. It can be downloaded from App Store or Google Play:

3. Launch the app and go to **Cloud Access**. Then log in with your TP-Link ID.
4. Tap the **+** button on the upper-right to add the controller and follow the step-by-step instructions to complete the Quick Setup.

Via a Web Browser

1. Make sure that your management device and the controller can access the internet.
2. Launch a web browser and type <https://omada.tplinkcloud.com> in the address bar, then press **Enter** (Windows) or **Return** (Mac).

3. Enter your TP-Link ID and password to log in.
4. Click  **Controller** on the left column, and then click **+ Add Controller** and choose **Hardware Controller** to add your controller.
5. Click **Let's Get Started** and follow the step-by-step instructions to complete the configuration wizard.

Local Management


Licenses are required for device management.

Via Omada App



1. Download the Omada app on your mobile device. It can be downloaded from App Store or Google Play:

2. Make sure that your mobile device and the controller are in the same subnet.
3. Launch the app and go to **Local Access**. Then tap the **+** button on the upper-right corner to add the controller.
4. Choose the auto-detected device or manually add your device by entering its IP address/URL and port number. Follow the step-by-step instructions to complete the Quick Setup.

Via a Web Browser

1. Make sure that your management device and the controller are in the same subnet.
2. Check the DHCP server (typically a router) for the controller's IP Address. The default fallback IP address is 192.168.0.253.
 - If you have downloaded the Omada app, you can also check the app for the controller's IP address.
 - The fallback IP address is used when the controller fails to get dynamic IP address from the DHCP server.
3. Launch a web browser and type controller's IP address in the address bar, then press **Enter** (Windows) or **Return** (Mac).

4. Click **Let's Get Started** and follow the step-by-step instructions to complete the configuration wizard.

For detailed configurations, please visit <https://www.tp-link.com/support> to download the User Guide in the download center.

-  To ask questions, find answers, and communicate with TP-Link users or engineers, please visit <https://community.tp-link.com> to join TP-Link Community.
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Safety Information

- Keep the device away from water, fire, humidity or hot environments.
- Do not attempt to disassemble, repair, or modify the device. If you need service, please contact us.
- The plug on the power supply cord is used as the disconnect device, the socket-outlet shall be easily accessible.



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