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B6000 BACnet/IP to BACnet/MSTP Router



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Introduction



The Cimetrics B6000 is a BACnet/IP to BACnet/MSTP Router. It helps route BACnet communications from a BACnet/IP to BACnet/MSTP local area network, thus allowing BACnet/IP devices to communicate with BACnet devices on a BACnet/MSTP network. The Ethernet connection conforms to the BACnet/IP standard which is complemented by many network friendly features such as password protected browser based setup screens.

This device requires no mapping because ALL data on the one side (for example, the BACnet/IP side) is transparently passed to the other side (BACnet MS/TP) and vice versa. Configuration is easy and the hardware has been designed to professional electrical standards and is housed in a robust metal housing.

Logging in

Connect the B6000 Ethernet connector to an Ethernet hub, and run another Ethernet cable (patch able) from that hub to your laptop or PC. Make sure that the laptop or PC is the *only* other unit in this small LAN.

NOTE: If you do not have a hub, you can use a "crossover cable" to connect between the B6000 and your laptop.

Set your PC's IP address to 192.168.88.90 with a subnet mask of 255.255.252.252

Open your browser and enter the following URL: http://192.168.88.89

You will be prompted to login: The username is = admin and the password = admin

From within the browser interface you can change all settings in the entry fields to configure your router

For improved access security, you should change your password from the default values. Make sure you SAVE your new password! When you click on "Activate Configuration" and "confirm" then the configuration process is completed.

Please Note:

A user will be able to access the B6000 using the above mentioned IP address at ALL TIMES (even if you have changed the IP address under BACnet/IP settings)

BACnet/IP Settings

Home	BACnet/IP Settings		
BACnet/IP Settings	This page allows you view	current BACnet/IP settings	, change BACnet/IP settings or restore them to factory default.
MS/TP Settings	Parameter	Value	Description
Change Password	IP Address	192.168.0.22	IP address of the Router.
change rassword	Network Mask	255.255.255.0	Subnet mask.
Statistics	Default Gateway	192.168.0.1	IP address of default gateway.
Reset Configuration	BACnet UDP Port	47808	BACnet/IP UDP port number.
-	BACnet Network Number	1414	Directly connected BACnet/IP network number.
Activate Configuration	BBMD IP Address		IP address of target BBMD for the Foreign Device to register. Entering IP address of target BBMD enables Foreign Device mode.

On this screen, a user can configure the following parameters

- 1. IP Address IP address of device.
- 2. Network Mask Subnet mask for the subnet your device is on.
- 3. Default Gateway IP address of default gateway

4. **BACnet UDP Port** – BACnet UDP port (Default is 47808. In some cases e.g. a situation where it is desirable for two groups of BACnet devices to coexist independently on the same IP subnet, the UDP port may be configured locally to a different value.

- 5. BACnet Network Number Network number of a directly connected network.
- 6. **BBMD IP Address** If you want the B6000 to be a foreign device then here you specify the IP address of the target BBMD. This will enable Foreign Device mode.

To find out more about Foreign device and BBMD visit: <u>http://www.bacnet.org/Bibliography/ES-7-99/IPPART2.HTM</u> <u>http://www.bacnet.org/Tutorial/BACnetIP/sld015.html</u>

Advanced Settings

If you click on the **Advanced** button you will see the settings for the Foreign Device subscription Time to Live. Make sure you are familiar with this BACnet Foreign Device concept. Otherwise leave these settings as default. The recommended number is between 30 min. and an hour.

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BACnet/IP Settings	This page allows you view	current BACnet/IP setting	gs, change BACnet/IP settings or restore them to factory default.
MS/TP Settings	Parameter	Value	Description
Change Password	IP Address	10.10.1.6	IP address of the Router.
change rassword	Network Mask	255.0.0.0	Subnet mask.
Statistics	Default Gateway	10.10.1.1	IP address of default gateway.
Reset Configuration	BACnet UDP Port	47808	BACnet/IP UDP port number.
	BACnet Network Number	1414	Directly connected BACnet/IP network number.
Activate Configuration	BBMD IP Address	192.168.0.5	IP address of target BBMD for the Foreign Device to register. Entering IP address of target BBMD enables Foreign Device mod
	Advanced settings are be the device.	tter kept to factory defaul	t values. Changes to these settings might negatively impact operation of
	FD Subscription TTL 30 min Effective only if BBMD address is set. It is recommen number between 30 minutes and an hour.		

MSTP Settings

Home	MS/TP Settings		
BACnet/IP Settings	This page allows you view	current MS/TP settings, ch	ange MS/TP settings or restore them to factory default.
MS/TP Settings	Parameter	Value	Description
Change Password	Baud Rate	9600 💌 bps	Baud rate.
Change Fassword	This Station (MAC)	114	MAC address of this MS/TP node.
Statistics	BACnet Network Number	14014	Directly connected MS/TP network number.
Reset Configuration	Max Info Frames	1	Maximum number of information frames the node may send before it must pass the token.
			The highest allowable address for master nodes (not to exceed 127).

Baud Rate:

The B6000 supports all Baud Rates specified by the BACnet Standard. From the drop down list, please choose the appropriate baud rate for your MSTP network. Please keep in mind that ALL your Devices on the MSTP network, including THIS router need to be on the SAME baud rate. If the baud rates are different, they will not be able to communicate with each other.

This station MAC:

This is the Media Access Control address of the router. Please note that ALL devices on the MSTP network need to have a unique MAC address. Prior to configuring this, you will need to know the MAC addresses of all your devices on the MSTP Network. Once you have this information, enter a unique value (1 through 127) here.

Directly Connected Network Number (DNET):

This stands for Directly Connected Network Number. Please assign a Network Number to this MSTP Network. This has to be a unique number on your network. It is best to speak with your Network Administrator to get a unique Number assigned to this interface of the Router. Also note that there is a parameter called DNET under your BACnet/IP Settings. The number here has to be unique as well.

A typical setting would be BACnet/IP settings DNET = 5 and MSTP/Settings DNET = 6. (Assuming there are no other networks with the same Network Number connected to your BACnet network).

Advanced Settings

If you click on the **Advanced** button you will see the settings for the advanced MSTP options. Make sure you are familiar with the settings concept. Otherwise leave these settings as default.

Reply Timeout:

This is the minimum time that a node must wait for a station to begin replying to a confirmed request. Do not change this value unless you are sure.

Usage Timeout:

This is the minimum time that a node must wait for a remote node to begin using a token or replying to a poll for Master frame. **Do not change this value unless you are sure.**

- Home	MS/TP Settings			
BACnet/IP Settings	This page allows you	view current MS/	TP settings, chang	e MS/TP settings or restore them to factory default.
MS/TP Settings	Parameter		Value	Description
Change Password	Baud Rate	115200 💌	bps	Baud rate.
change rassword	This Station (MAC)	114		MAC address of this MS/TP node.
Statistics	BACnet Network Num	nber 14014		Directly connected MS/TP network number.
Reset Configuration	Max Info Frames	1		Maximum number of information frames the node may send before must pass the token.
Activate Configuration	Max Master	127		The highest allowable address for master nodes (not to exceed 12
	device.	·	-	es. Changes to these settings might negatively impact operation of th minimum time that a node must wait for a station to begin replying to
	Reply Timeout 2	255 ms		irmed request (255 - 300 ms).
	Usage Timeout 2	20 ms		minimum time that a node must wait for a remote node to begin using n or replying to a Poll For Master frame (20 - 100 ms).
	OK Basic			Restore defau

Reset Configuration

Clicking on **Restore default** will reset the entire device's configuration to factory defaults. Clicking on **Discard changes** will discard all changes and revert to active configuration.

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. Home	Restore all settings to factory default
- BACnet/IP Settings	Restore default
 MS/TP Settings 	or
Change Password	Discard all changes and revert to active configuration
Statistics	Discard changes
Reset Configuration	
Activate Configuration	
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Change Password

A user can change the username and password on this screen.

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Activate Configuration

Once changes are made to any configuration on the B6000, the changes get saved only after clicking on the "Confirm" button in the **Activate Configuration** screen. Clicking on this will initiate a reboot of the device and will save the changes that have been made.

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. Home	Activate Configuration
BACnet/IP Settings	Press "Confirm" button if you are sure you want to activate changes and reboot the device.
MS/TP Settings	Rebooting may take up to ten seconds.
Change Password	
Statistics	
Reset Configuration	
Activate Configuration	
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