CDA-RES Residential Cable Modem

User's Guide

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About This User's Guide

Intended Audience

This manual is intended for people who want to configure the CDA-RES's features via its Graphical User Interface (GUI).

How to Use this User's Guide

This manual contains information on each the CDA-RES's GUI screens, and describes how to use its various features.

- Use the CDA-RES Overview on page 10 to see an overview of the topics covered in this manual.
- ▶ Use the Table of Contents (page 5), List of Figures (page 8) and List of Tables (page 9) to quickly find information about a particular GUI screen or topic.
- Use the Index (page 77) to find information on a specific keyword.
- Use the rest of this User's Guide to see in-depth descriptions of the CDA-RES's features.

Related Documentation

Quick Installation Guide: see this for information on getting your CDA-RES up and running right away. It includes information on system requirements, package contents, the installation procedure, and basic troubleshooting tips.



Online Help: each screen in the CDA-RES's Graphical User Interface (GUI) contains a Help button. Click this button to see additional information about configuring the screen.

Document Conventions

This User's Guide uses various typographic conventions and styles to indicate content type:

- Bulleted paragraphs are used to list items, and to indicate options.
- 1 Numbered paragraphs indicate procedural steps.

NOTE: Notes provide additional information on a subject.



Warnings provide information about actions that could harm you or your device.

Product labels, field labels, field choices, etc. are in **bold** type. For example:

Select **UDP** to use the User Datagram Protocol.

A mouse click in the Graphical User Interface (GUI) is denoted by a right angle bracket (>). For example:

Click **Settings** > **Advanced Settings**.

means that you should click **Settings** in the GUI, then **Advanced settings**.

A key stroke is denoted by square brackets and uppercase text. For example:

Press [ENTER] to continue.



Customer Support

For technical assistance or other customer support issues, please consult your Hitron representative.

Default Credentials

The CDA-RES's default login credentials are as follows. For more information, see Logging in to the CDA-RES on page 19.

Table 1: Default Credentials

Username	admin
Password	hitron

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Introduction

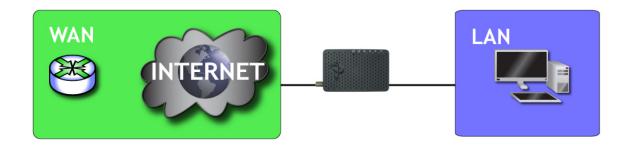
This chapter introduces the CDA-RES and its GUI (Graphical User Interface).

1.1 CDA-RES Overview

Your CDA-RES is a cable modem that allows you to connect your computers and to the Internet via the cable connection.

Computers with a wired connection to the Hitron CDA-RES User's Guide are on the Local Area Network (LAN) and the CDA-RES connects to the service provider over the Wide Area Network (WAN).

Figure 1: Application Overview



1.1.1 Key Features

The CDA-RES provides:

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- ▶ Internet connection to cable modem service via **CATV** port (F-type RF connector)
- ▶ IPv4/IPv6 support
- ▶ Local Area Network connection via 10/100/1000 Mbps Ethernet port
- Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) for devices on the LAN
- ▶ LAN troubleshooting tools (Ping and Traceroute)
- Secure configuration interface, accessible by Web browser

1.2 Hardware Connections

This section describes the CDA-RES's physical ports and buttons.



Figure 2: Hardware Connections



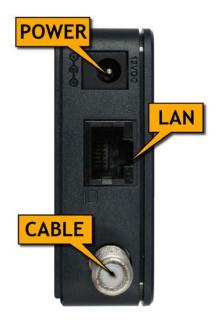




Table 2: Hardware Connections

Reset	Use this button to reboot or reset your CDA-RES.
	Press the button and hold it for less than five seconds to reboot the CDA-RES. The CDA-RES restarts, using your existing settings.
	Press the button and hold it for more than five seconds to delete all user-configured settings and restart the CDA-RES using its factory default settings. See Resetting the CDA-RES on page 21 for more information on resetting the CDA-RES.
	NOTE: Unless you previously backed-up the CDA- RES's configuration settings prior to resetting the CDA-RES, the settings cannot be recovered.
LAN	Use these ports to connect your computers and other network devices, using Category 5 or 6 Ethernet cables with RJ45 connectors.



Table 2: Hardware Connections

CABLE	Use this to connect to the Internet via an F-type RF cable.		
POWER	Use this to connect to the 12v/2A power adapter that came with your CDA-RES.		
	NEVER use another power adapter with your CDA-RES. Doing so could harm your CDA-RES.		
	Figure 3: Power Adapter		

1.3 LEDs

This section describes the CDA-RES's LEDs (lights).



Figure 4: LEDs



Table 3: LEDs

LED	STATUS	DESCRIPTION
POWER	Off	The CDA-RES is not receiving power.
Q	Blue, steady	The CDA-RES is receiving power.



Table 3: LEDs

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DS	Green, blinking	The CDA-RES is searching for a downstream frequency on the CABLE connection.
A	Green, steady	The CDA-RES has successfully located and locked onto a downstream frequency on the CABLE connection.
	Blue, steady	The CDA-RES is engaged in channel bonding on the downstream connection.
	Off	There is no downstream activity on the CABLE connection.
US	Green, blinking	The CDA-RES is searching for an upstream frequency on the CABLE connection.
介	Green, steady	The CDA-RES has successfully located and locked onto an upstream frequency on the CABLE connection.
	Blue, steady	The CDA-RES is engaged in channel bonding on the upstream connection.
	Off	There is no upstream activity on the CABLE connection.
Status	Green, blinking	The CDA-RES's cable modem is registering with the service provider's CMTS.
@	Green, steady	The CDA-RES's cable modem has successfully registered with the service provider and is ready for data transfer.
LAN	Off	No device is connected to one of the LAN ports.
	Green, blinking	A device is connected to the LAN ports via a Fast Ethernet (100Mbps) link, and is transmitting or receiving data.
	Green, steady	A device is connected to the LAN ports via a Fast Ethernet (100Mbps) link, but is not transmitting or receiving data.
	Blue, blinking	A device is connected to the LAN ports via a Gigabit Ethernet (1000Mbps) link, and is transmitting or receiving data.
	Blue, steady	A device is connected to the LAN ports via a Gigabit Ethernet (1000Mbps) link, but is not transmitting or receiving data.

When you turn on the CDA-RES, the LEDs light up in the following order:

POWER



- **DS**
- **US**
- ▶ The **Status** LEDs light up as soon as there is activity on the port IP Address Setup

Before you start the CDA-RES's GUI, your computer's IP address must be in the same subnet as the CDA-RES. This allows your computer to communicate with the CDA-RES.

NOTE: See IP Addresses and Subnets on page 23 for background information.

The CDA-RES has a built-in DHCP server that, when active, assigns IP addresses to computers on the LAN. When the DHCP server is active, you can get an IP address automatically. The DHCP server is active by default.

If your computer is configured to get an IP address automatically, or if you are not sure, try to log in to the CDA-RES (see GUI Overview on page 20).

- If the GUI screen displays, your computer is already configured correctly.
- If the GUI screen does not display, either the CDA-RES's DHCP server is not active or your computer is not configured correctly. Follow the procedure in Manual IP Address Setup on page 18 and set your computer to get an IP address automatically. Try again. If you cannot see the GUI screen, follow the manual IP address setup procedure again, and set a specific IP address as shown. Try again.

NOTE: If you still cannot see the GUI screen, your CDA-RES's IP settings may have been changed from their defaults. If you do not know the CDA-RES's new address, you should return it to its factory defaults. See Resetting the CDA-RES on page 21. Bear in mind that ALL user-configured settings are lost.

1.4 IP Address Setup

Before you log into the CDA-RES's GUI, your computer's IP address must be in the same subnet as the CDA-RES. This allows your computer to communicate with the CDA-RES.

NOTE: See IP Addresses and Subnets on page 23 for background information.



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If your computer is configured to get an IP address automatically, or if you are not sure, try to log in to the CDA-RES (see Login to the CDA-RES on page 19).

- If the login screen displays, your computer is already configured correctly.
- If the login screen does not display, either the CDA-RES's DHCP server is not active or your computer is not configured correctly. Follow the procedure in Manual IP Address Setup on page 18 and set your computer to get an IP address automatically. Try to log in again. If you cannot log in, follow the manual IP address setup procedure again, and set a specific IP address as shown. Try to log in again.

NOTE: If you still cannot see the login screen, your CDA-RES's IP settings may have been changed from their defaults. If you do not know the CDA-RES's new address, you should return it to its factory defaults. See Resetting the CDA-RES on page 21. Bear in mind that ALL user-configured settings are lost.

1.4.1 Manual IP Address Setup

By default, your CDA-RES's local IP address is **192.168.100.1**. If your CDA-RES is using the default IP address, you should set your computer's IP address to be between **192.168.100.2** and **192.168.100.254**.

NOTE: If your CDA-RES DHCP server is active, set your computer to get an IP address automatically in step 5. The CDA-RES assigns an IP address to your computer. The DHCP server is active by default.

Take the following steps to manually set up your computer's IP address to connect to the CDA-RES:

NOTE: This example uses Windows XP; the procedure for your operating system may be different.

- 1 Click **Start**, then click **Control Panel**.
- 2 In the window that displays, double-click **Network Connections**.



- 3 Right-click your network connection (usually Local Area Connection) and click Properties.
- 4 In the **General** tab's **This connection uses the following items** list, scroll down and select **Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)**. Click **Properties**.
- 5 You can get an IP address automatically, or specify one manually:
 - ▶ If your CDA-RES's DHCP server is active, select Get an IP address automatically.
 - If your CDA-RES's DHCP server is active, select **Use the following IP** address. In the **IP address** field, enter a value between **192.168.100.2** and **192.168.100.254** (default). In the **Subnet mask** field, enter **255.255.255.0** (default).

NOTE: If your CDA-RES is not using the default IP address, enter an IP address and subnet mask that places your computer in the same subnet as the CDA-RES.

6 Click **OK**. The **Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)** window closes. In the **Local Area Connection Properties** window, click **OK**.

Your computer now obtains an IP address from the CDA-RES, or uses the IP address that you specified, and can communicate with the CDA-RES.

1.5 Login to the CDA-RES

Take the following steps to login to the CDA-RES's GUI.

- 1 Open a browser window.
- 2 Enter the CDA-RES's IP address (default **192.168.100.1**) in the URL bar. The **Login** screen displays.



Figure 5: Login



3 Enter the **Username** and **Password**. The default login username is **admin**, and the default password is **hitron**.

NOTE: The Username and Password are case-sensitive; "hitron" is not the same as "Hitron".

- 4 Select the **Language**, if required. By default, the CDA-RES's interface displays in English.
- 5 Click Login. The System Information screen displays (see The System Info Screen on page 30).

1.6 GUI Overview

This section describes the CDA-RES's GUI.

Select the **Language**, if required. By default, the CDA-RES's interface displays in English.



Figure 6: GUI Overview

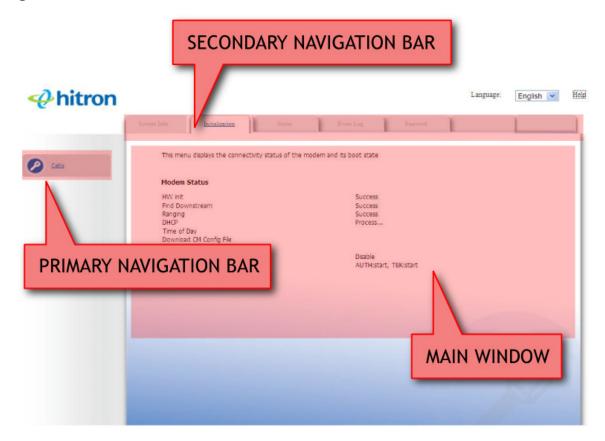


Table 4: GUI Overview

Primary Navigation Bar	Use this section to move from one part of the GUI to another.		
Secondary Navigation Bar	Use this section to move from one related screen to another.		
Main Window	Use this section to read information about your CDA-RES's configuration, and make configuration changes.		

1.7 Resetting the CDA-RES

When you reset the CDA-RES to its factory defaults, all user-configured settings are lost, and the CDA-RES is returned to its initial configuration state.

Here's the way to reset the CDA-RES:

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Press the RESET button on the CDA-RES, and hold it in for ten seconds or longer.

The CDA-RES turns off and on again, using its factory default settings.

NOTE: Depending on your CDA-RES's previous configuration, you may need to reconfigure your computer's IP settings; see The Status LEDs light up as soon as there is activity on the port IP Address Setup on page 17.



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Cable Overview

This chapter describes some of the concepts related to the **Cable** screens.

2.1 DOCSIS

The Data Over Cable Service Interface Specification (DOCSIS) is a telecommunications standard that defines the provision of data services) Internet access) over a traditional cable TV (CATV) network.

Your CDA-RES supports DOCSIS version 3.0.

2.2 IP Addresses and Subnets

Every computer on the Internet must have a unique Internet Protocol (IP) address. The IP address works much like a street address, in that it identifies a specific location to which information is transmitted. No two computers on a network can have the same IP address.

2.2.1 IP Address Format

IP addresses consist of four octets (8-bit numerical values) and are usually represented in decimal notation, for example **192.168.100.1**. In decimal notation, this means that each octet has a minimum value of 0 and a maximum value of 255.

An IP address carries two basic pieces of information: the "network number" (the address of the network as a whole, analogous to a street name) and the "host ID" (analogous to a house number) which identifies the specific computer (or other network device).



2.2.2 IP Address Assignment

IP addresses can come from three places:

- The Internet Assigned Numbers Agency (IANA)
- Your Internet Service Provider
- You (or your network devices)

IANA is responsible for IP address allocation on a global scale, and your ISP assigns IP addresses to its customers. You should never attempt to define your own IP addresses on a public network, but you are free to do so on a private network.

In the case of the CDA-RES:

- The public network (Wide Area Network or WAN) is the link between the cable connector and your Internet Service Provider. Your CDA-RES's IP address on this network is assigned by your service provider.
- The private network is your Local Area Network (LAN), if enabled. You are free to assign IP addresses to computers on the LAN manually, or to allow the CDA-RES to assign them automatically via DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol). IANA has reserved the following blocks of IP addresses to be used for private networks only:

Table 5: Private IP Address Ranges

FROM	TO
10.0.0.0	10.255.255.255
172.16.0.0	172.31.255.255
192.168.0.0	192.168.255.255

If you assign addresses manually, they must be within the CDA-RES's LAN subnet.

2.2.3 Subnets

A subnet (short for sub-network) is, as the name suggests, a separate section of a network, distinct from the main network of which it is a part. A subnet may contain all of the computers at one corporate local office, for example, while the main network includes several offices.



In order to define the extent of a subnet, and to differentiate it from the main network, a subnet mask is used. This "masks" the part of the IP address that refers to the main network, leaving the part of the IP address that refers to the sub-network.

Each subnet mask has 32 bits (binary digits), as does each IP address:

- A binary value of **1** in the subnet mask indicates that the corresponding bit in the IP address is part of the main network.
- A binary value of **0** in the subnet mask indicates that the corresponding bit in the IP address is part of the sub-network.

For example, the following table shows the IP address of a computer (192.168.1.1) expressed in decimal and binary (each cell in the table indicates one octet):

Table 6: IP Address: Decimal and Binary

192	168	0	1
11000000	10101000	00000000	00000001

The following table shows a subnet mask that "masks" the first twenty-four bits of the IP address, in both its decimal and binary notation.

Table 7: Subnet Mask: Decimal and Binary

255	255	255	0
11111111	11111111	11111111	00000000

This shows that in this subnet, the first three octets (192.168.100.1, in the example IP address) define the main network, and the final octet (1, in the example IP address) defines the computer's address on the subnet.

The decimal and binary notations give us the two common ways to write a subnet mask:

- Decimal: the subnet mask is written in the same fashion as the IP address: 255.255.255.0, for example.
- Binary: the subnet mask is indicated after the IP address (preceded by a forward slash), specifying the number of binary digits that it masks. The subnet mask 255.255.255.0 masks the first twenty-four bits of the IP address, so it would be written as follows: 192.168.1.1/24.



2.3 DHCP

The Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol, or DHCP, defines the process by which IP addresses can be assigned to computers and other networking devices automatically, from another device on the network. This device is known as a DHCP server, and provides addresses to all the DHCP client devices.

In order to receive an IP address via DHCP, a computer must first request one from the DHCP server (this is a broadcast request, meaning that it is sent out to the whole network, rather than just one IP address). The DHCP server hears the requests, and responds by assigning an IP address to the computer that requested it.

If a computer is not configured to request an IP address via DHCP, you must configure an IP address manually if you want to access other computers and devices on the network. See IP Address Setup on page 17 for more information.

By default, the CDA-RES is a DHCP client on the WAN (the CATV connection). It broadcasts an IP address over the cable network, and receives one from the service provider. By default, the CDA-RES is a DHCP server on the LAN; it provides IP addresses to computers on the LAN which request them.

2.4 DHCP Lease

"DHCP lease" refers to the length of time for which a DHCP server allows a DHCP client to use an IP address. Usually, a DHCP client will request a DHCP lease renewal before the lease time is up, and can continue to use the IP address for an additional period. However, if the client does not request a renewal, the DHCP server stops allowing the client to use the IP address.

This is done to prevent IP addresses from being used up by computers that no longer require them, since the pool of available IP addresses is finite.

2.5 MAC Addresses

Every network device possesses a Media Access Control (MAC) address. This is a unique alphanumeric code, given to the device at the factory, which in most cases cannot be changed (although some devices are capable of "MAC spoofing", where they impersonate another device's MAC address).



MAC addresses are the most reliable way of identifying network devices, since IP addresses tend to change over time (whether manually altered, or updated via DHCP).

Each MAC address displays as six groups of two hexadecimal digits separated by colons (or, occasionally, dashes) for example **00:AA:FF:1A:B5:74**.

NOTE: Each group of two hexadecimal digits is known as an "octet", since it represents eight bits.

Bear in mind that a MAC address does not precisely represent a computer on your network (or elsewhere), it represents a network device, which may be part of a computer (or other device). In the case of the CDA-RES, each internal module (cable modem module, Ethernet module, etc.) possesses its own MAC address.

2.6 Configuration Files

The CDA-RES's configuration (or config) file is a document that the CDA-RES obtains automatically over the Internet from the service provider's server, which specifies the settings that the CDA-RES should use. It contains a variety of settings that are not present in the user-configurable Graphical User Interface (GUI) and can be specified only by the service provider.

2.7 Downstream and Upstream Transmissions

The terms "downstream" and "upstream" refer to data traffic flows, and indicate the direction in which the traffic is traveling. "Downstream" refers to traffic from the service provider to the CDA-RES, and "upstream" refers to traffic from the CDA-RES to the service provider.

2.8 Cable Frequencies

Just like radio transmissions, data transmissions over the cable network must exist on different frequencies in order to avoid interference between signals.

The data traffic band is separate from the TV band, and each data channel is separate from other data channels.



2.9 Modulation

Transmissions over the cable network are based on a strong, high frequency periodic waveform known as the "carrier wave." This carrier wave is so called because it "carries" the data signal. The data signal itself is defined by variations in the carrier wave. The process of varying the carrier wave (in order to carry data signal information) is known as "modulation." The data signal is thus known as the "modulating signal."

Cable transmissions use a variety of methods to perform modulation (and the "decoding" of the received signal, or "demodulation"). The modulation methods defined in DOCSIS 3 are as follows:

- QPSK: Quadrature Phase-Shift Keying
- QAM: Quadrature Amplitude Modulation
- ▶ QAM TCM: Trellis modulated Quadrature Amplitude Modulation

In many cases, a number precedes the modulation type (for example **16 QAM**). This number refers to the complexity of modulation. The higher the number, the more data can be encoded in each symbol.

NOTE: In modulated signals, each distinct modulated character (for example, each audible tone produced by a modem for transmission over telephone lines) is known as a symbol.

Since more information can be represented by a single character, a higher number indicates a higher data transfer rate.

2.10 TDMA, FDMA and SCDMA

Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Frequency Division Multiple Access (FDMA) and Synchronous Code Division Multiple Access (SCDMA) are channel access methods that allow multiple users to share the same frequency channel.

▶ TDMA allows multiple users to share the same frequency channel by splitting transmissions by time. Each user is allocated a number of time slots, and transmits during those time slots.

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- ▶ FDMA allows multiple users to share the same frequency channel by assigning a frequency band within the existing channel to each user.
- ▶ SCDMA allows multiple users to share the same frequency channel by assigning a unique orthogonal code to each user.



3

System Info

This chapter describes the CDA-RES's system information, which displays when you click **System Info** in the toolbar. It contains the following sections:

- System Info Overview on page 30
- The System Info Screen on page 30

3.1 System Info Overview

Use the System Info screen to see general information about your CDA-RES's hardware, its software, and its connection to the Internet.

NOTE: Most of the information that displays in this screen is for troubleshooting purposes only. However, you may need to use the MAC Address information when setting up your network.

3.2 The System Info Screen

Click **Cable** > **System Info**. The following screen displays.



Figure 7: The Cable: System Info Screen

This menu displays general Information

General Information

Vendor identification Hitron Technologies

Model Name CDA-RES DOCSIS mode DOCSIS 3.0

HW version 1A SW version 4.2.0.1

Boot rom version PSPU-Boot 1.0.16.22-H2.8

MAC Address

 - RF MAC Address
 68:B6:FC:60:15:40

 - Ethernet MAC Address
 68:B6:FC:60:15:42

System Time Tue Jun 4 10:59:19 2013

System Uptime 00h:02m:55s

The following table describes the labels in this screen.

Table 8: The Cable: System Info Screen

Vendor Identification	This displays the vendor name of the CDA-RES.		
Model Name	This displays the device's model name.		
DOCSIS Mode	This displays the DOCSIS mode of the CDA-RES.		
HW Version	This displays the version number of the CDA-RES's physical hardware.		
SW Version	This displays the version number of the software that controls the CDA-RES.		
Boot rom version	This displays the version number of the CDA-RES's boot rom.		
MAC Address			
RF MAC Address	This displays the Media Access Control (MAC) address of the CDA-RES's RF module. This is the module that connects to the Internet through the Cable connection.		
Ethernet MAC Address	This displays the Media Access Control (MAC) address of the CDA-RES's Ethernet.		



Table 8: The Cable: System Info Screen (continued)

System Time	This displays the current date and time.	
System Uptime	This displays the number of days, hours, minutes and seconds since the CDA-RES was last switched on or rebooted.	



4

Initialization

This chapter describes the screens that display when you click **Initialization** in the toolbar. It contains the following sections:

- ▶ Initialization Overview on page 33
- ▶ The Initialization Screen on page 33

4.1 Initialization Overview

Use the Initialization screen for troubleshooting purposes to ensure that the CDA-RES has successfully connected to the Internet; if an error has occurred you can identify the stage at which the failure occurred.

NOTE: This screen displays when you first log in to the CDA-RES.

4.2 The Initialization Screen

This screen displays the steps successfully taken to connect to the Internet over the **CABLE** connection.

Click **Cable** > **Initialization**. The following screen displays.



Figure 8: The Cable: Initialization Screen

This menu displays the connectivity status of the modem and its boot state Modem Status HW init Success Find Downstream Success Ranging Success DHCP Success Time of Day Success Download CM Config File Success Registration Success EAE status Disable BPI status AUTH:start, TEK:start Network Access Traffic Enable!

For each step:

- Process displays when the CDA-RES is attempting to complete a connection step.
- ▶ Success displays when the CDA-RES has completed a connection step.



5

Status

This chapter describes the screens that display when you click **Status** in the toolbar. It contains the following sections:

- Status Overview on page 35
- ▶ The Status Screen on page 35

5.1 Status Overview

Use the Status screen to discover information about:

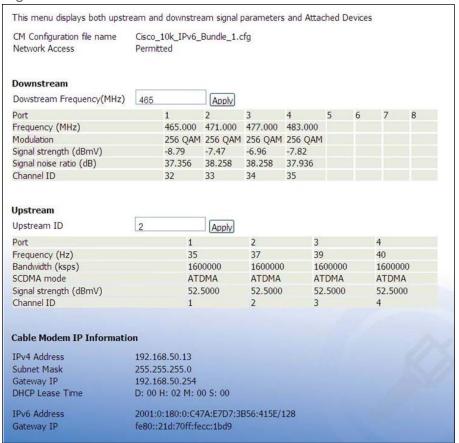
- ▶ The nature of the upstream and downstream connection between the CDA-RES and the device to which it is connected through the CABLE interface.
- ▶ IP details of the CDA-RES's WAN connection.

5.2 The Status Screen

Click **Cable** > **Status**. The following screen displays.



Figure 9: The Cable: Status Screen



The following table describes the labels in this screen.

Table 9: The Cable: Status Screen

DOCSIS Overview		
CM Configurator file name	This displays the name of the configuration file that the CDA-RES downloaded from your service provider. This file provides the CDA-RES with the service parameter data that it needs to perform its functions correctly.	
Network Access	This displays whether or not your service provider allows you to access the Internet over the CABLE connection.	
	▶ Permitted displays if you can access the Internet.	
	▶ Denied displays if you cannot access the Internet.	
Downstream Overview		
NOTE: The downstream signal is the signal transmitted to the CDA-RES.		



Table 9: The Cable: Status Screen (continued)

Downstream Frequency	This displays the center frequency in Megahertz (MHz) at which the CDA-RES connects over the CABLE interface. If you want the CDA-RES to use a different center	
	frequency, enter it in the field and click Apply . NOTE: Do not change the frequency unless you have a good reason to do so.	
Port	This displays the ID number of the downstream connection's port.	
Frequency (MHz)	This displays the actual frequency in Megahertz (MHz) of each downstream data channel to which the CDARES is connected.	
Modulation	This displays the type of modulation that each downstream channel uses.	
Signal Strength (dBmV)	This displays the power of the signal of each downstream data channel to which the CDA-RES is connected, in dBmV (decibels above/below 1 millivolt).	
Signal Noise Ratio (dB)	This displays the Signal to Noise Ratio (SNR) of each downstream data channel to which the CDA-RES is connected, in dB (decibels).	
Channel ID	This displays the ID number of each channel on which the downstream signal is transmitted.	
Upstream Overview		
NOTE: The upstream sign	nal is the signal transmitted from the CDA-RES.	
Upstream ID	This displays the ID number of the channel on which the upstream signal is to be transmitted. When an upstream connection cannot be made on the specified channel, the CDA-RES attempts to connect on the next channel.	
	If you want the CDA-RES to attempt to connect on a different channel, enter it in the field and click Apply .	
	NOTE: Do not change the channel unless you have a good reason to do so.	
Port ID	This displays the ID number of the upstream connection's port.	



Table 9: The Cable: Status Screen (continued)

Frequency (MHz)	This displays the actual frequency in Megahertz (MHz) of each upstream data channel to which the CDA-RES is connected.			
Modulation	This displays the type of modulation that each upstream channel uses.			
Signal Strength (dBmV)	This displays the power of the signal of each upstream data channel to which the CDA-RES is connected, in dBmV (decibels above/below 1 millivolt).			
Signal Noise Ratio (dB)	This displays the Signal to Noise Ratio (SNR) of each upstream data channel to which the CDA-RES is connected, in dB (decibels).			
Channel ID	This displays the ID number of each channel on which the upstream signal is transmitted.			
Cable Modem IP Information				
IP Address	This displays the CDA-RES's WAN IP address. This IP address is automatically assigned to the CDA-RES.			
Subnet Mask	This displays the CDA-RES's WAN subnet mask.			
Gateway IP	This displays the IP address of the device to which the CDA-RES is connected over the CABLE interface.			
DHCP Lease Time	This displays the time that elapses before your device's IP address lease expires, and a new IP address is assigned to it by the DHCP server.			



6

Event Log

This chapter describes the screens that display when you click **Event Log** in the toolbar. It contains the following sections:

- Event Log Overview on page 39
- ▶ The Event Log Screen on page 39

6.1 Event Log Overview

Use the Event Log screen to view information about CDA-RES's events.

6.2 The Event Log Screen

Click **Event Log** in the toolbar. The following screen displays.

Figure 10: The Cable: Event Log Screen

THIS THE	nu displays the event log	3 of the mo	dem			
System Event Log						
Index	Date/Time	ID	Level	Text		
1	01/01/00 00:00:53	R02.0	critical	No Ranging Response received - T3 time-out;CM-MAC= 68:b6:fc:60:15:40;CMTS-MAC=00:1d:70:cc:1b:4f;CM-Q OS=1.1;CM-VER=3.0;		
2	06/04/13 10:57:32	Z00.0	warning	MIMO Event MIMO: Stored MIMO=-1 post cfg file MIM O=-1;CM-MAC=68:b6:fc:60:15:40;CMTS-MAC=00:1d:7 0:cc:1b:4f;CM-QOS=1.1;CM-VER=3.0;		



The following table describes the labels in this screen.

Table 10: The Cable: Event Log Screen

Index	This displays the arbitrary, incremental index number assigned to the event.
Date/Time	This displays the date and time at which the event occurred.
ID	This displays the nature of the event.
Level	This displays the severity of the event.
Text	This displays a description of the event.
Clear Log	Click this to clear the fields in this screen.
Help	Click this to see information about the fields in this screen.



7

Password

This chapter describes the screens that display when you click **Password** in the toolbar. It contains the following sections:

- Password Overview on page 41
- ▶ The Password Screen on page 41

7.1 Password Overview

Use the Password screen to make changes to the CDA-RES's username and password.

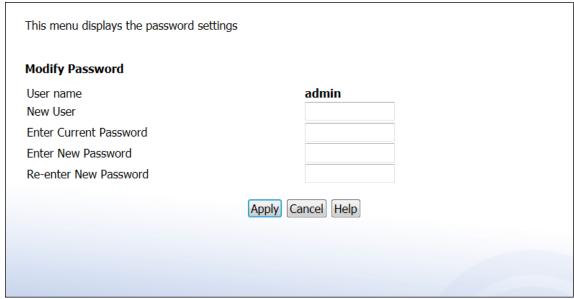
If you forget your password, you will need to reset the CDA-RES to its factory defaults.

7.2 The Password Screen

Click Cable > Password. The following screen displays.



Figure 11: The Cable: Password Screen



The following table describes the labels in this screen.

Table 11: The Cable: Password Screen

Username	This displays the current account's username	
New User	If you want to modify the account's username, enter the new username in this field.	
Enter Current Password	Enter the password with which you currently log into the CDA-RES for this account.	
Enter New Password	Enter and re-enter the password you want to use to log into the CDA-RES for this account.	
Re-enter New Password		
Apply	Click this to save your changes to the fields in this screen.	
Cancel	Click this to return the fields in this screen to their last- saved values without saving your changes.	
Help	Click this to see information about the fields in this screen.	



8

Troubleshooting

Use this section to solve common problems with the CDA-RES and your network. It contains the following sections:

- ▶ None of the LEDs Turn On on page 43
- One of the LEDs does not Display as Expected on page 44
- ▶ I Forgot the CDA-RES's IP Address on page 44
- ▶ I Forgot the CDA-RES's Username or Password on page 44
- ▶ I Cannot Access the CDA-RES or the Internet on page 45
- ▶ I Cannot Access the Internet and the DS and US LEDs Keep Blinking on page 45

Problem: None of the LEDs Turn On

The CDA-RES is not receiving power, or there is a fault with the device.

- 1 Ensure that you are using the correct power adaptor.
- Using a power adaptor other than the one that came with your CDA-RES can damage the CDA-RES.
 - 2 Ensure that the power adaptor is connected to the CDA-RES and the wall socket (or other power source) correctly.
 - 3 Ensure that the power source is functioning correctly. Replace any broken fuses or reset any tripped circuit breakers.



- 4 Disconnect and re-connect the power adaptor to the power source and the CDA-RES.
- 5 If none of the above steps solve the problem, consult your vendor.

Problem: One of the LEDs does not Display as Expected

- 1 Ensure that you understand the LED's normal behavior (see LEDs on page 14).
- 2 Ensure that the CDA-RES's hardware is connected correctly; see the Quick Installation Guide.
- 3 Disconnect and re-connect the power adaptor to the CDA-RES.
- 4 If none of the above steps solve the problem, consult your vendor.

Problem: I Forgot the CDA-RES's IP Address

- 1 The CDA-RES's default LAN IP address is 192.168.100.1.
- You can locate the CDA-RES's GUI by entering the LAN domain suffix into your browser's address bar (on a computer connected to the LAN).
- 3 Depending on your operating system and your network, you may be able to find the CDA-RES's IP address by looking up your computer's default gateway. To do this on (most) Windows machines, click **Start** > **Run**, enter "cmd", and then enter "ipconfig". Get the IP address of the **Default Gateway**, and enter it in your browser's address bar.
- 4 If you still cannot access the CDA-RES, you need to reset the CDA-RES. All user-configured data is lost, and the CDA-RES is returned to its default settings.

Problem: I Forgot the CDA-RES's Username or Password

- 1 The default username is **admin**, and the default password is **password**.
- 2 If the default username and password do not work, you need to reset the CDA-RES. All user-configured data is lost, and the CDA-RES is returned to its default settings.



Problem: I Cannot Access the CDA-RES or the Internet

- 1 Ensure that you are using the correct IP address for the CDA-RES.
- 2 Check your network's hardware connections, and that the CDA-RES's LEDs display correctly (see LEDs on page 14).
- 3 Make sure that your computer is on the same subnet as the CDA-RES; see The Status LEDs light up as soon as there is activity on the port IP Address Setup on page 17.
- 4 If the above steps do not work, you need to reset the CDA-RES. All user-configured data is lost, and the CDA-RES is returned to its default settings. If the problem persists, contact your vendor.

Problem: I Cannot Access the Internet and the DS and US LEDs Keep Blinking

Your service provider may have disabled your Internet access; check the **Cable** > **System Info** screen's Network Access field (see The System Info Screen on page 30).



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