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PLANET's NMS-500 Network Management System can monitor all kinds of deployed network devices, such as managed switches, media converters, routers, smart APs, VoIP phones, IP cameras, etc., compliant with the **SNMP Protocol, ONVIF Protocol and PLANET Smart Discovery utility**. It thus enables the administrator to centrally manage a network of **up to 512 nodes** from a central office, greatly boosting network and power management efficiency. With its user authentication management, the NMS-500 enhances data transmission security in the modern factory automation systems.



Let Network Device Management Make Operations Easier

Watch Over Network within Minutes

The domain information web page presents a managed devices list and topology view, providing the at-a-glance and efficient summary of your management network. It lets you have a valuable information on the current wired and wireless network statuses via data-driven graphical charts. The topology viewer and event reports enable you to visualize the system usage and node status in real time so as to address whatever issue they may have.



Industrial-grade Physical Hardware

- 5 10/100/1000BASE-T Gigabit Ethernet RJ45 ports
- Intel® Celeron® N3350 up to 2.6 GHz
- RJ45 type console interface for basic management
- 2 USB 3.0 ports for configuration backup and restoration
- Desktop design for easy placement

Network Devices Management

- **Dashboard:** Providing the at-a-glance view of system and wireless network status
- **Node Discovery:** To detect PLANET managed devices available and allow AP grouping to accelerate AP management.
- **Topology Viewer:** A topology of network devices compliant with SNMP, ONVIF, Smart Discovery and LLTD Protocol.
- **Event Reports:** The status of a network can be reported via network alarm, system log.
- **SMTP Alarm:** To send an email alert to the administrator via the SMTP server.
- **Batch Provisioning:** Enabling multiple APs to be configured and upgraded at one time by using the designated profile.
- **Coverage Heat Map:** Real-time signal coverage of APs on the user-defined floor map to optimize Wi-Fi field deployment.
- **Customized Profile:** Allowing the creation and maintenance of multiple wireless profiles
- **Auto Provision:** Multi-AP provisioning with one click
- **Cluster Management:** Simplifying high-density AP management
- **Zone Plan:** Optimizing AP deployment with actual signal coverage
- **Authentication:** Built-in RADIUS server seamlessly integrated into the enterprise network
- **User Control:** Allowing on-demand account creation and user-defined access policy
- **Scalability:** Free system upgrade and AP firmware bulk upgrade capability
- **Maximum Scalability:** 200 floor maps, 512 nodes, 64 AP groups, 64 SSID profiles, 512 managed APs, 10,000 clients, 10,000 RADIUS user accounts, 25 RADIUS user groups and 512 RADIUS clients.

Three Steps to Manage Nodes with Ease

The NMS-500 enhances user experience by providing more user-friendly Web GUI (Chrome only*) and obvious step-by-step guidance on each related function. Unlike other third-party software, it reduces training time and allows even non-technical users to be able to set up wireless network within minutes.



Network Management Characteristics

- Built-in DHCP Server
- Built-in Radius Server
- Console/Telnet command line interface
- SSL secure access
- Web-based GUI management interface
- SNMP v1, v2c, and v3 management
- Supports PLANET DDNS/Easy DDNS

Real-time Centralized Monitoring and Event Alarm System

As the NMS-500 can come out with a topology view of the network of the deployed powered devices, it enables to detect which device is online (blue) or offline (red). The real-time centralized monitoring of these devices can help the administrator know what the current statuses of these devices are. The SMTP alarm function is designed to send an email alert to the administrator via the SMTP server where syslog information can be found once an abnormality is detected. This can prompt MIS personnel to quickly fix the identified trouble in the network.



Optimizing Wi-Fi Deployment with Floor Maps

With the floor maps, devices can be located according to the field deployment, thus saving your time and cost of on-site support and monitoring. The current statuses of devices are shown in real time and the heat map is able to show the wireless signal coverage and strength to help the administrator fine-tune the overlapping of the adjacent devices anytime to optimize the wireless network performance.



Browser-based Control on IPC Linux Platform

As it is browser-based, the NMS-500 does not need to be downloaded, making its direct connection to a network via a PC, laptop or tablet easier for the administrator. It can be operated from anywhere via Web browser and network adapter that are able to access managed nodes on a DHCP-enabled network, thus controlling multiple devices through a single PC, laptop or tablet.

Applications

Economical Central Network Management Solution for SMBs

PLANET NMS-500 helps service providers and IT managers control all PLANET network devices at the same time and enables administrator to effectively manage a local network of up to 512 managed nodes simultaneously without having to purchase any license and hardware-based controller, and pay an expensive annual subscription fee.

The administrator can automatically discover and configure device profiles, batch provisioning/firmware upgrade, and built-in SAPC (Smart AP Control) that customize Wi-Fi planning against floor maps, and monitor all managed APs through a single Web-based interface. It allows operating across different platforms through virtualization software, which helps SMBs save costs on the need to configure the wireless APs one by one if done manually.



Specifications

Model	NMS-500	
Platform		
Form Factor	Desktop	
Processor	Intel® Celeron® N3350 up to 2.6 GHz	
Memory	2GB SDRAM, DDR3L-1866, 256M*16bit	
Software		
I/O Interface	Five 10/100/1000BASE-T RJ45 ports with auto-MDI/MDI-X	
	2 USB 3.0 ports (They cannot be used at the same time.)	
	1 RS232-to-RJ45 console port (115200, 8, N, 1)	
	1 DC jack power input	
	1 power switch	
	1 reset button	
Storage	8GB EMMC5.1, 15nm/2 eMLC	
Dimensions (W x D x H)	232 x 153 x 44 mm	
Weight	1.15 kg	
Enclosure	Metal	
Power Requirements	60W adapter 12V 5A with DC jack AC 100~240V, 3~1.5A, 60~50Hz.	
Environment & Certification		
Temperature	Operating: 0 ~ 40 degrees C Storage: -20 ~ 75 degrees C	
Humidity	10 ~ 85% relative humidity (non-condensing)	
MTBF (Hours)	43545.3	
Network Management		
Number of Managed Devices	512	
Number of RADIUS Client Devices	512	
Number of RADIUS User Accounts	10,000	
Auto Discovery	Supports PLANET devices	
Dashboard	Summarized system overview includes online device numbers, activated client numbers	
Device List	Allows creation and maintenance of device profiles	
Topology View	Provides visual topology view of connected PLANET devices	
Status Monitoring	Real-time online/offline devices	
Event and Syslog Report	Real-time system event and syslog server supported	
Event Alarm Define	Allows event alarm item option	
SMTP Alarm	E-mail alert to the administrator via the SMTP server	
SSID/RF Profile	Allows creation and maintenance of multiple wireless profiles	
Cluster Management	Allows AP grouping for bulk provisioning and batch upgrading	
Bulk AP Provisioning	Supports bulk AP provisioning with user-defined profiles	
Bulk AP Firmware Upgrade	Supports bulk AP firmware upgrade	
Coverage Heat Map	Enables real signal coverage of managed AP reflecting on the uploaded zone maps	
Graphical Statistics	Real-time and historical visibility of wireless traffic flow	
Backup/Restoration	Provides system and profile backup/restoration	
SSIDs-to-VLANs Mapping	Allows to configure SSIDs-to-VLANs mapping in supported APs	
RADIUS Authentication	RADIUS server is integrated for client authentication in a large-scale enterprise network	
User Account Management	Supports on-demand account creation per user-defined access policy	
Network Services		
Network	DDNS	Supports PLANET DDNS/Easy DDNS
	DHCP	Built-in DHCP Server for auto IP assignment to APs
	Management	Console; Telnet; SSL; Web browser (Chrome is recommended); SNMP v1, v2c, v3
	Discovery	Supports SNMP, ONVIF and PLANET Smart Discovery
Maintenance	Backup	System backup and restore to local or USB HDD
	Reboot	Provides system reboot manually or automatically per power schedule
	Diagnostic	Provides IPv4/IPv6 ping and trace route
Standards Conformance		
Regulatory Compliance	CE, FCC	

Standards Compliance	IEEE 802.3 10BASE-T IEEE 802.3u 100BASE-TX IEEE 802.3ab Gigabit 1000BASE-T IEEE 802.3x Flow control and back pressure IEEE 802.3z Flow control with Rx thresholds and Tx pause frames IEEE 1588 protocol and IEEE 802.1AS implementation IEEE 802.3az (EEE)
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[Remarks]

Router: Log in to the router's Web user interface and **enable the SNMP** function.
Switch: Log in to the switch's Web user interface and **enable the SNMP and LLDP** function.
AP: Log in to the AP's Web user interface to **configure the AP to "Managed AP"**. In support of SNMP AP, **enable the SNMP** function.
IP Cam: The **ONVIF** function is enabled by default.

Ordering Information

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Related Products

VR-100	5-Port 10/100/1000T VPN Security Router
WGR-500-4PV	Industrial Wall-mount Gigabit Router with 4-Port 802.3at PoE+ and LCD Touch Screen
IGS-6325-8UP2S2X	Industrial L3 8-Port 10/100/1000T 802.3bt PoE + 2-Port 100/1000X SFP + 2-Port 10G SFP+ Managed Ethernet Switch
GS-6320-24UP2T2XV	L3 24-Port 10/100/1000T 802.3bt PoE + 2-Port 10GBASE-T + 2-Port 10G SFP+ Managed Switch with LCD Touch Screen and Redundant Power
IGS-5225-8P2S2X	Industrial L3 8-Port 10/100/1000T 802.3at PoE + 2-Port 100/1000X SFP + 2-Port 10G SFP+ Managed Ethernet Switch
GS-5220-24UPL4XV	L2+ 24-Port 10/100/1000T Ultra PoE + 4-Port 10G SFP+ Managed Switch with LCD Touch Screen
WDAP-C7200E	1200Mbps 802.11ac Dual Band Ceiling-mount Wireless Access Point (802.3at PoE, 2 10/100/1000T LAN)
WNAP-W2200UE	300Mbps 802.11n In-Wall Wireless Access Point w/USB Charger (EU Type, 802.3af/at)
ICA-3460V	H.265 4MP PoE Bullet IR IP Camera with Vari-focal Lens
ICA-4460V	H.265 4MP PoE Dome IR IP Camera with Vari-focal Lens