

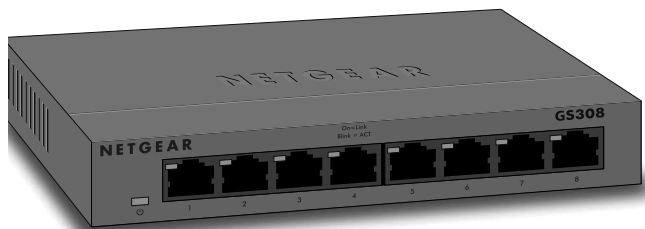
NETGEAR®

Installation Guide

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Gigabit Ethernet Switch GS308

Estimated installation time: 5-10 minutes



Package Contents

This package includes:

- Gigabit Ethernet Switch GS308
- AC power adapter
- Installation Guide (this document)

Prepare to Install the Switch

Place the switch on a flat horizontal surface such as a table, desk, or shelf. You can use wall-mounting screws (not provided) to hang the switch in an open space on a wall.

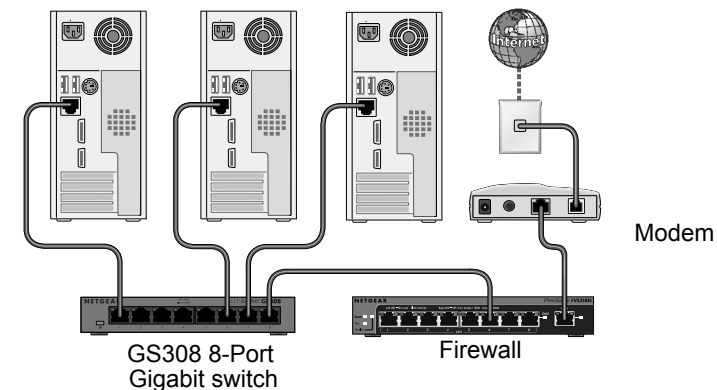
Make sure the selected location is:

- Not in direct sunlight or near a heater or heating vent.
- Not cluttered or crowded. There must be at least 2 inches (5 cm) of air space on all sides of the switch.
- Well ventilated (especially if it is in a closet).

You need a Category 3 (10 Mbps), Category 5 (100 Mbps), or Category 5e (1000 Mbps) Ethernet cable with RJ-45 connectors for each device you connect to the switch. Each Ethernet cable must be less than 328 feet (100 meters).

Install the Switch and Connect Devices

1. Place the switch on a flat surface or hook it onto the screws.
2. For each device, insert one end of an Ethernet cable into a port on the switch and the other end into the network port on the device.
3. Connect the power adapter cord into the back of the switch and then plug the adapter into a power source (such as a wall socket or power strip).



4. Check the LEDs:



- Verify that the Power LED is lit.
- For each RJ-45 jack that is connected to a powered device, check that the Link LED is lit, and it flashes when activity occurs.

Note: If any LED does not operate as indicated go to the Troubleshooting section.

Technical Specifications	
Standards compatibility	IEEE 802.3i 10BASE-T Ethernet IEEE 802.3u 100BASE-TX IEEE 802.ab 1000BASE-T IEEE 802.3x Flow Control IEEE 802.1p and TOS priority, WRR queuing IEEE 802.3az
Network interface	RJ-45 connector for 10BASE-T, 100BASE-TX, or 1000BASE-T
Power	12W max. and 12V @ 1.0A DC input
Power consumption (max.)	3.84W
Dimensions	158 x 102 x 26 mm (6.22 x 4.02 x 1.02 in.)
Weight	465 g (1.03 lbs)
Operating temperature	0° to 40° C (32° to 104° F)
Operating humidity	90% maximum relative humidity, non-condensing
Safety agency approvals for the power adapter	CE mark, CB



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Performance Specifications	
Frame filter rate	14,880 frames/sec max. for 10M port 148,800 frames/sec max. for 100M port 1,488,000 frames/sec max. for 1000M port
Frame forward rate	14,880 frames/sec max. for 10M port 148,800 frames/sec max. for 100M port 1,488,000 frames/sec max. for 1000M port
Network latency (using 64-byte packets)	1000 Mbps: 3.193 µs 100 Mbps: 10.167 µs 10 Mbps: 82.819 µs
Address database size	4K MAC addresses
Queue buffer	192 KB embedded

Troubleshooting

The Power LED is not lit.

- Make sure that the power cord is correctly connected.
- Make sure that the power adapter is connected to a functioning power outlet or power strip.
- Make sure you that are using the NETGEAR power adapter supplied with your switch.

The Port LED for a device is off or stays on continuously.

- Make sure that the cable connectors are securely plugged in at the switch and the device.
- Make sure that the connected device is turned on.

- If the Ethernet cable is connected to a NIC or other Ethernet adapter, make sure that the card or adapter is installed correctly and is working.
- Make sure that the cable is less than 328 feet (100 meters).

Technical Support

Thank you for selecting NETGEAR products. After installing your device, locate the serial number on the label of your product.

Use it to register your product at:

<http://www.NETGEAR.com/register>.

Registration is required to use our telephone support service. For product updates, additional documentation, and support go to: <http://support.netgear.com>.

For complete DoC, go to the NETGEAR EU Declarations of Conformity website at:
http://support.netgear.com/app/answers/detail/a_id/11621.

WARNING: Do not stack equipment, or place equipment in tight spaces, in drawers, or on carpets. Make sure your equipment is surrounded by at least 2 inches (5 cm) of air space.



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