

onway Router on2800



User Manual

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1 Safety Instructions

Please carefully observe all safety instructions in the manual.

Compliance Information

The onway routers must be used in compliance with any and all applicable national and international laws and with any special restrictions regulating the utilization of the communication module in prescribed applications and environments.

Information about the accessories / changes to the device

- Please only use original accessories to prevent injuries and health risks.
- Changes made to the device or the use of non-authorized accessories will render the warranty null and void and potentially invalidate the operating license.
- onway routers must not be opened (SIM cards may be used according to the instructions).

Information about the device interfaces

- All systems that are connected to the onway router interfaces must meet the requirements for SELV (Safety Extra Low Voltage) systems.
- Interconnections must not leave the building nor penetrate the body shell of a vehicle.
- Connections for antennas may only exit the building or the vehicle hull if transient overvoltages (according to IEC 62368-1) are limited by external protection circuits down to 1500 V_{peak}. All other connections must remain within the building or the vehicle hull.
- Always keep a distance of more than 40 cm from the antenna in order to reduce exposure to electromagnetic fields below the legal limits.
- Devices with a WLAN interface may be operated only with the applicable regulatory domain configured. Special attention must be paid to country, number of antennas and the antenna gain. The maximum allowed gain is 3 dBi in the relevant frequency range. To use WLAN antennas with a higher gain, contact onway about custom radio configurations. The antenna gain and cable attenuation need to be correctly configured by certified specialized personnel. A misconfiguration will lead to loss of the approval.
- Cellular antennas attached to the router must have an antenna gain of no more than 2.5 dBi. The user is responsible for the compliance with the legal regulations.
- Only CE-compliant power supplies with a current-limited SELV output voltage range may be used with onway routers.

General safety instructions

- Observe the usage limitations of radio units at filling stations, in chemical plants, in systems with explosives or potentially explosive locations.
- The devices may not be used in airplanes.
- Exercise particular caution near personal medical aids, such as pacemakers and hearing aids.
- onway routers may also cause interference in the nearer distance of TV sets, radio receivers and personal computers.
- Never perform work on the antenna system during a thunderstorm.
- The devices are generally designed for normal indoor use. Do not expose the devices to extraordinary environmental conditions worse than IP40.
- Protect them against aggressive chemical atmospheres and humidity or temperatures outside specifications.

2 Specifications and Features

Interfaces

- 2× Ethernet (10/100/1000 Mbit/s) with auto MDX, RJ45 connector
- 4× Micro-SIM card slot
- 1× USB-A 3.0 Host on the front panel
- 1× Power input with ignition sense
- 1× RS-232 serial console port

Options

- Up to four LTE-Advanced Category 6 modems
- Up to four LTE Category 4 modems
- Up to two dualband WLAN modules (AP or station mode)
- Internal SSD mass storage for content
- GNSS receiver, optionally with dead reckoning and 3D accelerometer/gyroscope
- Optional passive or active dual CAN module

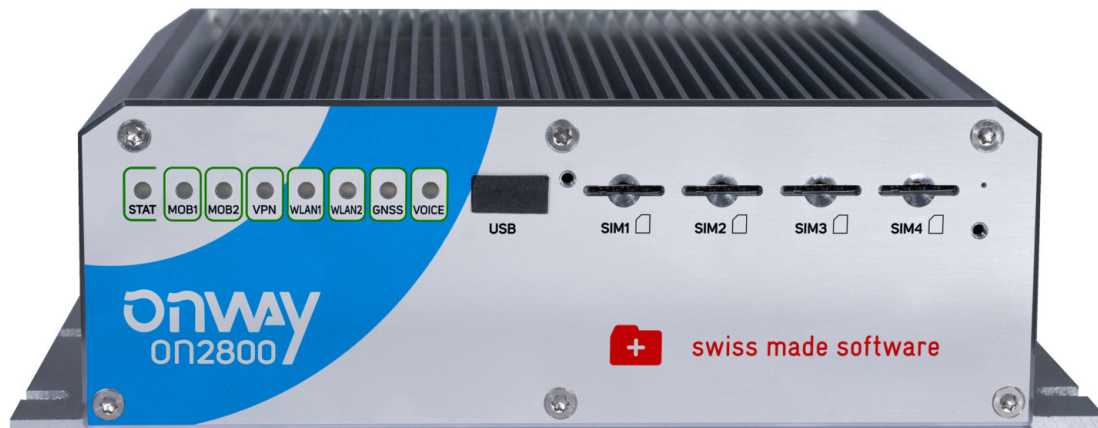
Dimensions

- Size of mounting base, excluding connectors: 190 mm x 139.5 mm
- Height: 58 mm
- Weight: 1000 g – 1200 g, depending on options

Environmental Conditions

- Input voltage: 12 V to 48 V (DC, $\pm 25\%$)
- Operating temperature range: $-25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $70\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Storage temperature range: $-40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Humidity: 0 % to 95 % (non-condensing)
- Altitude: 4000 m maximum
- Ingress protection rating: IP40 (with SIM and USB covers mounted)

3 Connectors and Indicators

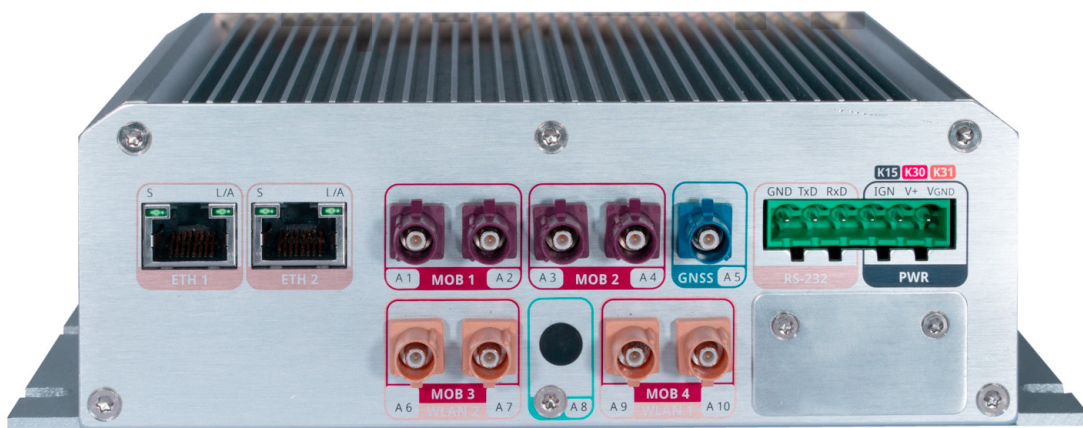


ON2800 Router Front View

Status Indicators

Name	State	Description
STAT		System booted in regular mode
		System booted in recovery mode
	 — 	First-boot system initialization
MOB1		IP connectivity on modem 1 established
		Modem 1 connected to mobile network
		Unable to connect modem 1 to mobile network
		No SIM detected on modem 1
MOB2		IP connectivity on modem 2 established
		Modem 2 connected to mobile network
		Unable to connect modem 2 to mobile network
		No SIM detected on modem 2
VPN		All VPN conn. redundantly established over all uplinks
		All VPN conn. established, but limited uplink redundancy
		At least some VPN connections unavailable
WLAN1	 access point	AP operational and some clients connected
	 client/mesh	Connected to a configured network
	 access point	AP operational, no clients connected
	 client/mesh	Currently not connected to any configured network
		WiFi interface configuration error

Name	State	Description
	●	WiFi interface not in use
WLAN2	● access point	AP operational and some clients connected
	● client/mesh	Connected to a configured network
	● access point	AP operational, no clients connected
	● client/mesh	Currently not connected to any configured network
	●	WiFi interface configuration error
	●	WiFi interface not in use
GNSS	●	GNSS 3D fix including altitude
	●	GNSS 2D fix without altitude
	●	Satellites in view, but no GNSS fix
	●	No GNSS satellites in view
VOICE	●	Voice service unused



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Interface Connectors

Interface Name	Connector	Function
ETH 1	RJ45	Gigabit Ethernet port 1
ETH 2	RJ45	Gigabit Ethernet port 2
MOB 1–4	FAKRA coding D	
<i>Option L, up to 4× 4G:</i>	A1/2	4G cellular modem 1 1×2 MIMO antennas
	A3/4	4G cellular modem 2 1× MIMO antennas
	A6/7	4G cellular modem 3 1× MIMO antennas
	A9/10	4G cellular modem 4 1× MIMO antennas

Interface Name	Connector	Function
Option N, 1× 5G:	A1/2/3/4	5G cellular modem 1 4×4 MIMO antennas
Option 2N, 2× 5G:	A1/2/6/7 A3/4/9/10	5G cellular modem 1 4×4 MIMO antennas 5G cellular modem 2 4×4 MIMO antennas
Option NL, 1× 5G + 1× 4G:	A1/2/6/7 A3/4	5G cellular modem 1 4×4 MIMO antennas 4G cellular modem 2 1×2 MIMO antennas
WLAN 1-2	FAKRA coding I	
Option Wac/2Wac	A9/10	WLAN module 1 2×2 MIMO antennas
Option 2Wac	A6/7	WLAN module 2 2×2 MIMO antennas
GNSS	FAKRA coding C	Satellite navigation antenna
PWR	Block V+ VGND IGN	Power and ignition sense connector Supply voltage Ground connector Ignition sense detection
RS-232	Block	Serial console port

Note

4G 1×2 MIMO antenna configurations use only the first antenna for TX, having an antenna connected to the first port is mandatory.

Ethernet Status Indicators

Name	Label	Color	Description
ETH 1/2	S	 / 	Link / Activity at 10 Mbit/s, 100 Mbit/s or 1 Gbit/s
			No link

Software Interface Mapping

The network interface naming and numbering used in the router configuration is different compared to the labels on the router housing. Refer to the following table to map between the two naming and numbering schemes.

Interface Name	Config Name
ETH 1-2	lan0-lan1
MOB 1-2	mbm0-mbm1
WLAN 1-2	wfi0-wfi1

for N Options (5G), refer to chapter *Interface Connectors* for details

Antenna Options

Depending on the installed router options, some connectors may be missing. If more than two modems are installed, MOB 3 and MOB 4 D-coded connectors replace the WLAN I-coded connectors.

Cellular modems have two antenna ports. For optimal performance, these two antennas shall use a different polarization. The secondary antenna is for RX MIMO only, TX uses the primary antenna: When connecting only one antenna, it must be connected to the primary modem antenna connector.

SIM Selection

The default SIM to modem connections are SIM 1 to modem 1, SIM 2 to modem 2, and so on. This mapping can be reconfigured and any SIM can be connected to any modem, if desired.

Supply Voltage

To power the router, a supply voltage of 12 V to 48 V must be provided between the V+ and VGND connectors. To use the ignition sense detection, the V+ voltage shall be connected to a constant supply. Providing a IGN equal to V+ powers on the router, whereas connecting IGN to VGND shuts down the router after a configurable delay. If the ignition sense feature is not used, IGN must be connected to V+.

The power supply requirements depends on the installed options, but must be at least 24 W.

Factory Reset

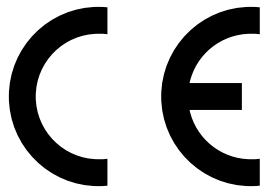
Next to right side of the SIM 4 slot there is a small hole to access the Factory Reset Button. A short press of the Factory Reset Button triggers a system reboot. A long press, greater than 5 seconds, triggers a reset. A reset will delete all configuration data as well as all credential data stored on the router. A reset will flash all LEDs three times in red. After the reset is complete, a reboot will follow.

USB Mass Storage Devices

The USB-A port on the router supports USB 2.0/3.0 mass storage devices. If enabled in the configuration or if the device has a signed partition, the device will be mounted automatically upon insertion and named USB. Connecting mass storage devices through USB hubs is not supported.

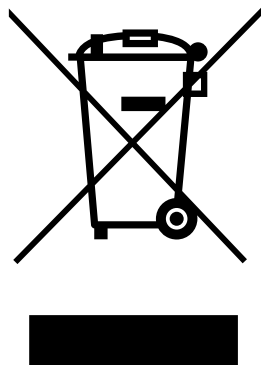
4 Conformity and Waste Disposal

Declaration of Conformity



onway routers comply with the relevant standards following the provisions of the RED Directive 2014/53/EU. To obtain a signed version of the Declaration of Conformity please contact the onway support.

Waste Disposal



This product is subject to the WEEE directive 2012/19/EU and compliant with the marking requirements. The WEEE symbol on this product indicates that it must not be disposed of with normal household waste at its end of life. Instead, it must be separated and returned to a designated collection point for waste electric and electronic equipment for proper recycling. Doing so helps to conserve natural resources and to protect the environment from unnecessary pollution.

5 Open Source Software Notice

This product does in part build on open source software. We are distributing such open source software to you under its respective license, and the licenses can be obtained here:

<https://support.onway.ch/onway-router/licenses/on2800/>

To obtain the corresponding open source codes covered by these licenses, please contact us at support@onway.ch.

Specific Acknowledgements

- This product includes software developed by the OpenSSL Project for use in the OpenSSL Toolkit. (<http://www.openssl.org/>)

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