5 GHz Point to Point 1.0+ Gbps Radio
Models: AF-5, AF-5U
Introduction
Thank you for purchasing the Ubiquiti Networks® airFiber® 5 GHz Point-to-Point 1.0+ Gbps Radio. This Quick Start Guide is designed to guide you through the installation, show you how to access the airFiber Configuration Interface, and explain how to set up an airFiber link. This Quick Start Guide also includes the warranty terms and is for use with the following models:

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<td>Supports mid-band frequencies</td>
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<td>Supports high-band frequencies</td>
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* Refer to the Specifications section for more information.

Package Contents

- airFiber AF-5/AF-5U
- I-Bracket
- Upper Mount Bracket with Elevation Rod
- Lower Mount Bracket
- Pole Clamps (Qty. 2)
- M10x150 Carriage Bolts (Qty. 4)
- M10x100 Carriage Bolts (Qty. 2)
- Serrated Flange Bolts (M8x14, Qty. 4)
- Stabilizer Brackets (Qty. 2)
- Serrated Flange Nuts (M10, Qty. 6)
- Zip Ties (Qty. 2)
- GigE PoE Adapter (50V, 1.2A)
- Power Cord
- Quick Start Guide

TERMS OF USE: Ubiquiti radio devices must be professionally installed. Shielded Ethernet cable and earth grounding must be used as conditions of product warranty. TOUGHCable™ is designed for outdoor installations. It is the professional installer's responsibility to follow local country regulations, including operation within legal frequency channels, output power, and Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) requirements.
Hardware Overview

Side

Assembled View

Grounding Point

Hex Nut to adjust Elevation Rod

Pre-Installed M10 x25 Flanged Bolts

Lanyard Attachment Loop

Elevation Rod
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<td>Displays the received signal strength in dBm of the remote airFiber radio.</td>
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<td>Local Display</td>
<td>Displays the received signal strength in dBm of the local airFiber radio.</td>
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<td>Management Port</td>
<td>10/100 Mbps, secured port for configuration. By default, this is the only port that can monitor, configure, and/or update firmware.</td>
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<td>Aux Port</td>
<td>Port for audio tone aiming.</td>
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<td>Data Port</td>
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* Short Flash (1:3 on/off cycle)
Normal Flash (1:1 on/off cycle)
Long Flash (3:1 on/off cycle)

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## Port LEDs

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Installation Requirements

Pre-Assembly Tool

• 13 mm wrench

Pole-Mounting Tool

• 17 mm wrench

Other Requirements

• Clear line of sight between airFiber radios
• Clear view of the sky for proper GPS operation
• Vertical mounting orientation
• Mounting location with < 0.5° displacement due to twist and sway under wind loading
• Mounting point:
  • At least 1 m below the highest point on the structure
  • For tower installations, at least 3 m below the top of the tower
• Ground wires – min. 10 AWG (5 mm²) and max. length: 1 m.
  As a safety precaution, ground the airFiber radios to grounded masts, poles, towers, or grounding bars.

⚠️ WARNING: Failure to properly ground your airFiber units will void your warranty.

• (Recommended) 2 Outdoor GigE PoE surge protectors

/trunk: For guidelines about grounding and lightning protection, follow your local electrical regulatory codes.

• Outdoor, shielded Category 6 (or above) cabling and shielded RJ45 connectors are required for all wired Ethernet connections.
Installation Overview

We recommend that you configure your paired airFiber radios before mounting. Below is an overview of the installation with specific details in the following instructions:

- Connect Power over Ethernet to the Data port, and connect an Ethernet cable between your computer and the Management port.
- Configure the device settings in the airFiber Configuration Interface.
- Once configuration is complete, disconnect the cables to move the airFiber radios.
- Pre-assemble the mounting hardware.
- Install the airFiber radios at the site.
- Establish and optimize the RF link.

Note: The AF-5 and AF-5U models share the same installation and configuration instructions.

Connecting Power over Ethernet

1. Push the button and slide the port cover down to access the cable ports. (The port cover cannot be completely removed.)
2. Connect an Ethernet cable to the Data port.

3. Connect the other end of the Ethernet cable from the Data port to the Ethernet port labeled POE on the GigE PoE Adapter.

4. Connect the Power Cord to the power port on the GigE PoE Adapter. Connect the other end of the Power Cord to a power source.
**airFiber Configuration**

The instructions in this section explain how to access the airFiber Configuration Interface and configure the following settings:

- **Wireless Mode** Configure one airFiber radio as the *Master* and the other as the *Slave*.

- **Duplex** The airFiber radio supports both half-duplex and full-duplex operation. Half-duplex operation provides more frequency planning options at the cost of higher latency and throughput. Full-duplex operation provides the highest throughput and lowest latency; however, you have fewer frequency management options.

  - **Half Duplex (default)** The TX and RX Frequencies can be the same or different to suit local interference.

    ![Half-Duplex Diagram](half_duplex_diagram.png)

  - **Full Duplex** The TX and RX Frequencies should be different.

    ![Full-Duplex Diagram](full_duplex_diagram.png)

- **TX and RX Frequencies** The TX Frequency on the Master must match the RX Frequency on the Slave, and vice versa.
1. Connect an Ethernet cable from your computer to the Management port on the airFiber radio.

2. Configure the Ethernet adapter on your computer with a static IP address on the 192.168.1.x subnet.

3. Launch your web browser. Type http://192.168.1.20 in the address field and press enter (PC) or return (Mac).

4. The login screen will appear. Enter ubnt in the Username and Password fields. Select your Country and Language. You must agree to the Terms of Use to use the product. Click Login.

Note: U.S. product versions are locked to the U.S. Country Code to ensure compliance with FCC regulations.
5. The Main tab will appear. Click the Tools drop-down and select Link Calculator. This tool will guide you on how to best minimize bandwidth and power/interference issues.

Note: If you do not see the Link Calculator, then upgrade the firmware on your airFiber radios. Download the firmware at: downloads.ubnt.com/airfiber

6. Enter the requirements of your link, and then click Calculate. Adjust the values as needed to get the optimal result, and then write down the settings needed for your configuration.

7. Click the Wireless tab.

8. Enter the Basic Wireless Settings:
   a. For one airFiber radio, select Master as the Wireless Mode. For the other airFiber radio, keep the default, Slave.
   b. Enter a name in the Link Name field. This should be the same on both the Master and the Slave.
   c. For the Duplex drop-down:
      - **Half Duplex**  The default mode. The TX and RX Frequencies can be the same or different to suit local interference.
      - **Full Duplex**  The TX and RX Frequencies should be different.
   d. Select a TX Frequency. This must match the RX Frequency on your other airFiber radio.
   e. Select a RX Frequency. This must match the TX Frequency of your other airFiber radio.
   f. If needed, change the Output Power and/or Maximum Modulation Rate settings.
9. Configure the Wireless Security:
   a. Select the AES Key Type, HEX or ASCII.
   b. For the Key field:
      - **HEX** Enter 16 bytes (eight, 16-bit HEX values: 0-9, A-F, or a-f). You can omit zeroes and use colons, similar to the IPv6 format.
      - **ASCII** Enter a combination of alphanumeric characters (0-9, A-Z, or a-z).

10. Click **Change** and then click **Apply**.

11. In-Band Management is enabled by default, so each airFiber radio must have a unique IP Address. (If the airFiber radios use the same IP Address, you may lose access to the airFiber radios via the Data ports.) Click the **Network** tab.

   a. For the Management IP Address option:
      - **DHCP** Keep the default, DHCP, to use DHCP reservation on your router to assign a unique IP Address.
      - **Static** Change the IP Address, Netmask, and other settings to make them compatible with your network.

   b. Click **Change** and then click **Apply**.

Repeat the instructions in the airFiber Configuration section on your other airFiber radio. After you have configured the airFiber radios, disconnect them and move them to your installation site.
Hardware Installation

The mounting hardware of the airFiber radio can be pre-assembled before pole-mounting.

Mounting Hardware Pre-Assembly

1. Insert two $M10\times150$ Carriage Bolts into the Lower Mount Bracket.

2. Insert two $M10\times150$ Carriage Bolts into the Upper Mount Bracket with Elevation Rod.
3. Attach the *Lower Mount Bracket* to the *I-Bracket* using two *Serrated Flange Bolts*. Ensure that the slots face up and securely tighten the bolts.

*Proper slot orientation*
4. Attach the *Upper Mount Bracket with Elevation Rod* to the *I-Bracket* using two *Serrated Flange Bolts*.

**Note:** Ensure that the orientation of the *Upper Mount Bracket* matches the illustration below, with the *Elevation Rod* on the correct side.
5. Attach the Pole Clamps to the Mount Brackets.
   a. Slide the slotted hole of each Pole Clamp over one upper and one lower M10x150 Carriage Bolt.
   b. Place one Serrated Flange Nut on each M10x150 Carriage Bolt.
6. Attach the Stabilizer Brackets together.
   a. Insert the two M10x100 Carriage Bolts into the Stabilizer Bracket that has two slotted holes.
   b. Slide the slotted hole of the other Stabilizer Bracket over one M10x100 Carriage Bolt.
   c. Place one Serrated Flange Nut on each M10x100 Carriage Bolt.

7. Check the four Pre-Installed M10x25 Flanged Bolts to ensure that there is a 13 mm gap between each bolt head and its trunnion.
Pole-Mounting

1. Attach the Stabilizer Brackets to the pole just beneath the area where the airFiber radio will be attached.

   ![Image of Stabilizer Brackets attached to pole]

   **Note:** The mounting assembly can accommodate a Ø 38.1 - 101.6 mm (1.5" - 4.0") pole.

   a. Orient the Stabilizer Brackets around the pole so it is aimed in the direction of the other airFiber radio.

   b. Slide the open slot of the Stabilizer Bracket over the corresponding M10x100 Carriage Bolt.

   c. Tighten the Serrated Flange Nuts to approximately 50 N·m.
2. Attach the mounting assembly to a pole.
   a. Orient the mounting assembly around the pole so it is aimed in the direction of the other airFiber radio.
   b. Slide the open slot of each Pole Clamp over the corresponding M10x150 Carriage Bolt.
   c. Tighten the Serrated Flange Nuts of the M10x150 Carriage Bolts to secure the mounting assembly to the pole.
3. Lift the airFiber radio and align the two lower *Pre-Installed M10x25 Flanged Bolts* with the slots on the *Lower Mount Bracket*. Seat the bolts in the slots.
4. Align the two upper *Pre-Installed M10x25 Flanged Bolts* of the airFiber radio next to the slots on the *Upper Mount Bracket*. Lift the airFiber radio and seat the bolts in the slots.
5. Attach a ground wire:
   a. Remove the nut from the **Grounding Point**.

   b. Attach a ground wire (min. 8 AWG or 10 mm²) to the lug and replace the nut to secure the wire.

   c. Secure the other end of the ground wire to a grounded mast, pole, tower, or grounding bar.

   **WARNING:** Failure to properly ground your airFiber units will void your warranty.

   **Note:** The ground wire should be as short as possible and no longer than one meter in length.
Connecting Ethernet

1. Push the button and slide the port cover down to access the cable ports. (The port cover cannot be completely removed.)

2. Connect the Data/PoE Ethernet cable:
   a. Feed an outdoor, shielded CAT6 cable up through the rightmost cable feed slot on the bottom of the port cover.
   b. Connect the cable to the Data port.
   c. Create a strain relief for the Ethernet cable by feeding a Zip Tie through the tie slot to the side of the cable.
   d. Wrap the Zip Tie around the cable and tighten.
3. Connect the other end of the Ethernet cable from the Data port to the Ethernet port labeled POE on the GigE PoE Adapter.

4. Connect an Ethernet cable from your network to the Ethernet port labeled LAN on the GigE PoE Adapter.

5. Connect the Power Cord to the power port on the GigE PoE Adapter. Connect the other end of the Power Cord to a power source.

Note: For added protection, we recommend installing two GigE PoE surge protectors. Install the first surge protector within 1 m of the airFiber Data port, and install the second surge protector at the ingress point of the location housing the wired network equipment.
Below is a diagram of a finished installation with recommended surge protectors installed.

Ground to Pole, Tower, or Grounding Block:
Max. 1 m from Ground Bonding Point

Outdoor GigE PoE Surge Protector

Outdoor GigE PoE Surge Protector

EdgeRouter™

GigE PoE Adapter

Power Source
Alignment

Tips

• To accurately align the airFiber radios for best performance, you MUST align only one end of the link at a time.

• For more convenient alignment, you may consider using long-range scopes (not included) temporarily attached to your airFiber radios.

• You may need to use additional hardware to compensate for issues such as the improper orientation of a mounting pole or significant elevation differences between airFiber radios.

Before a link is established, the Master's LED Display looks like this:

• GPS and Master LEDs are solidly lit

  Note: The GPS LED may not be lit if there is a weak GPS signal. A GPS signal is not required for alignment.

• Link Status LED flashes (Normal Flash 1:1)

• Remote and Local LED Displays show a double dash

  Note: The Local LED Display may briefly flash a large number (such as 95) when there is no link.
Establishing a Link

Adjust the positions of the Master and the Slave to establish a link.

**Note:** The Master must be aimed first at the Slave because the Slave does not transmit any RF signal until it detects transmissions from the Master.

1. Ensure that the following bolts and nuts are loose:
   - Four *Pre-Installed M10x25 Flanged Bolts* on the airFiber radio (two on each side)
   - Four *M10 Hex Nuts* used to lock the elevation alignment on the *Upper Mount Bracket* (two on each side)

2. Ensure that the pole mount fits snugly while keeping the four *Serrated Flange Nuts* on the *Pole Clamps* loose enough to allow rotation around the pole for azimuth alignment.
3. **Master** Visually aim the *Master* at the *Slave*. To adjust the *Master’s* position:
   a. Rotate the airFiber radio on the pole to align the azimuth.
   b. Use the hex nut on the *Elevation Rod* to adjust the elevation.

4. **Slave** Visually aim the *Slave* at the *Master*. To adjust the *Slave’s* position:
   a. Rotate the airFiber radio on the pole to align the azimuth.
   b. Use the hex nut on the *Elevation Rod* to adjust the elevation.

5. Check to see if a link is established. Ensure that the *Link Status LED* is solidly lit green and the *Remote* and *Local LED Displays* of the *Slave* are displaying signal levels.

**Note**: Do NOT make simultaneous adjustments on the *Master* and *Slave*.
6. **Slave**  Aim the *Slave* at the *Master* to achieve the strongest signal level on the *Remote LED Display* of the *Slave*.

   **Note:** Values on the *LED Displays* are displayed in negative (-) dBm. For example, 67 represents a received signal level of -67 dBm. Smaller numerical values indicate stronger received signal levels. For example, a reading of 49 is stronger than a reading of 55.

   **Note:** Maximum signal strength can best be achieved by iteratively sweeping through both azimuth and elevation.

7. **Master**  Aim the *Master* at the *Slave* to achieve the strongest signal level on the *Remote LED Display* of the *Master*.

   **Note:** If the Overload LED lights up, refer to the airFiber AF-5/AF-5U User Guide at: [www.ubnt.com/download/airfiber](http://www.ubnt.com/download/airfiber)

8. Repeat steps 6 and 7 until you achieve a symmetric link, with the signal levels within 1 dB of each other. This ensures the best possible data rate between the airFiber radios.

9. Lock the alignment on both airFiber radios by tightening the nuts and bolts.

10. Observe the *Local* and *Remote LED Displays* of each airFiber radio to ensure that the values remains constant while tightening the nuts and bolts. If any LED value changes during the locking process, loosen the nuts and bolts, finalize the alignment of each airFiber radio again, and retighten the nuts and bolts.

11. For each airFiber radio, close the port cover and ensure that the Ethernet cable stays in the cable feed slot.
There are three methods for determining the received signal level:

- LED Displays (described above)
- airFiber Configuration Interface (webpage)
- Audio tone (optional equipment required)

Refer to the airFiber AF-5/AF-5U User Guide for instructions on the airFiber Configuration Interface and audio tone methods.

Installer Compliance Responsibility

Devices must be professionally installed and it is the professional installer’s responsibility to make sure the device is operated within local country regulatory requirements.

The Frequency and Output Power fields are provided to the professional installer to assist in meeting regulatory requirements.
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* FDD = (2) 50 MHz channels and TDD = (1) 50 MHz channel
** xtreme Range Technology
Safety Notices

1. Read, follow, and keep these instructions.
2. Heed all warnings.
3. Only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.

**WARNING:** Do not use this product in location that can be submerged by water.

**WARNING:** Avoid using this product during an electrical storm. There may be a remote risk of electric shock from lightning.

Electrical Safety Information

1. Compliance is required with respect to voltage, frequency, and current requirements indicated on the manufacturer's label. Connection to a different power source than those specified may result in improper operation, damage to the equipment or pose a fire hazard if the limitations are not followed.

2. There are no operator serviceable parts inside this equipment. Service should be provided only by a qualified service technician.

3. This equipment is provided with a detachable power cord which has an integral safety ground wire intended for connection to a grounded safety outlet.
   a. Do not substitute the power cord with one that is not the provided approved type. Never use an adapter plug to connect to a 2-wire outlet as this will defeat the continuity of the grounding wire.
   b. The equipment requires the use of the ground wire as a part of the safety certification, modification or misuse can provide a shock hazard that can result in serious injury or death.
   c. Contact a qualified electrician or the manufacturer if there are questions about the installation prior to connecting the equipment.
   d. Protective earthing is provided by Listed AC adapter. Building installation shall provide appropriate short-circuit backup protection.
   e. Protective bonding must be installed in accordance with local national wiring rules and regulations.
Limited Warranty

UBIQUITI NETWORKS, Inc (“UBIQUITI NETWORKS”) warrants that the product(s) furnished hereunder (the “Product(s)”) shall be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year from the date of shipment by UBIQUITI NETWORKS under normal use and operation. UBIQUITI NETWORKS’ sole and exclusive obligation and liability under the foregoing warranty shall be for UBIQUITI NETWORKS, at its discretion, to repair or replace any Product that fails to conform to the above warranty during the above warranty period. The expense of removal and reinstallation of any Product is not included in this warranty. The warranty period of any repaired or replaced Product shall not extend beyond its original term.

Warranty Conditions

The above warranty does not apply if the Product:

(I) has been modified and/or altered, or an addition made thereto, except by Ubiquiti Networks, or Ubiquiti Networks’ authorized representatives, or as approved by Ubiquiti Networks in writing;

(II) has been painted, rebranded or physically modified in any way;

(III) has been damaged due to errors or defects in cabling;

(IV) has been subjected to misuse, abuse, negligence, abnormal physical, electromagnetic or electrical stress, including lightning strikes, or accident;

(V) has been damaged or impaired as a result of using third party firmware;

(VI) has no original Ubiquiti MAC label, or is missing any other original Ubiquiti label(s); or

(VII) has not been received by Ubiquiti within 30 days of issuance of the RMA.

In addition, the above warranty shall apply only if: the product has been properly installed and used at all times in accordance, and in all material respects, with the applicable Product documentation; all Ethernet cabling runs use CAT6 (or above), and for outdoor installations, shielded Ethernet cabling is used, and for indoor installations, indoor cabling requirements are followed.

**WARNING:** Failure to properly ground your airFiber units will void your warranty. (Please follow the instructions on page 22 for installation of the ground wires.)

Returns

No Products will be accepted for replacement or repair without obtaining a Return Materials Authorization (RMA) number from UBIQUITI NETWORKS during the warranty period, and the Products being received at UBIQUITI NETWORKS’ facility freight prepaid in accordance with the RMA process of UBIQUITI NETWORKS. Products returned without an RMA number will not be processed and will be returned freight collect or subject to disposal. Information on the RMA process and obtaining an RMA number can be found at: [www.ubnt.com/support/warranty](http://www.ubnt.com/support/warranty)
Limited Warranty

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Some countries, states and provinces do not allow exclusions of implied warranties or conditions, so the above exclusion may not apply to you. You may have other rights that vary from country to country, state to state, or province to province. Some countries, states and provinces do not allow the exclusion or limitation of liability for incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation may not apply to you. EXCEPT TO THE EXTENT ALLOWED BY LOCAL LAW, THESE WARRANTY TERMS DO NOT EXCLUDE, RESTRICT OR MODIFY, AND ARE IN ADDITION TO, THE MANDATORY STATUTORY RIGHTS APPLICABLE TO THE LICENSE OF ANY SOFTWARE (EMBEDDED IN THE PRODUCT) TO YOU. The United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods shall not apply to any transactions regarding the sale of the Products.
Compliance

AF-5

FCC
Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user’s authority to operate the equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions.

1. This device may not cause harmful interference, and
2. This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

This radio transmitter FCC ID: SWX-AF5 has been approved by FCC.
ISED Canada

**CAN ICES-3(B)/NMB-3(B)**

This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian CAN ICES-003.

To reduce potential radio interference to other users, the antenna type and its gain should be so chosen that the equivalent isotropically radiated power (e.i.r.p.) is not more than that permitted for successful communication.

This device complies with ISED Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

1. This device may not cause interference, and
2. This device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

This radio transmitter (IC: 6545A-AF5) has been approved by ISED Canada.

**CAN ICES-3(B)/NMB-3(B)**

Cet appareil numérique de la classe B est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.

Pour réduire le risque d’interférence aux autres utilisateurs, le type d’antenne et son gain doivent être choisies de façon que la puissance isotrope rayonnée équivalente (PIRE) ne dépasse pas ce qui est nécessaire pour une communication réussie.

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d’ISDE Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence. L’exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes :

1. l’appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage;
2. l’appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d’en compromettre le fonctionnement.

Le présent émetteur radio (IC : 6545A-AF5) a été approuvé par ISDE Canada.
AF-5U

FCC

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• Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
• Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
• Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Operations of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

This radio transmitter FCC ID: SWX-AF5U has been approved by FCC.
ISED Canada

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RF Exposure Warning
The antennas used for this transmitter must be installed to provide a separation distance of at least 126 cm (AF-5) or 123 cm (AF-5U) from all persons and must not be located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.
Les antennes utilisées pour ce transmetteur doivent être installé en considérant une distance de séparation de toute personnes d’au moins 126 cm (AF-5) ou 123 cm (AF-5U) et ne doivent pas être localisé ou utilisé en conflit avec tout autre antenne ou transmetteur.
Australia and New Zealand

⚠️ Warning: This is a Class B product. In a domestic environment this product may cause radio interference in which case the user may be required to take adequate measures.

CE Marking

CE marking on this product represents the product is in compliance with all directives that are applicable to it.

Country List

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BFWA (Broadband Fixed Wireless Access) members noted in blue

Note: This device meets Max. TX power limit per ETSI regulations. The following apply to products that operate in the 5 GHz frequency range:

Note: This device is restricted to indoor use only when operating in the 5150 - 5350 MHz frequency range within all member states.

Note: All countries listed may operate at 30 dBm. BFWA member states may operate at 36 dBm.

Note: Operation in the 5.8 GHz frequency band is prohibited in BFWA member states. Other countries listed may use the 5.8 GHz frequency band.
RoHS/WEEE Compliance Statement

English
European Directive 2012/19/EU requires that the equipment bearing this symbol on the product and/or its packaging must not be disposed of with unsorted municipal waste. The symbol indicates that this product should be disposed of separately from regular household waste streams. It is your responsibility to dispose of this and other electric and electronic equipment via designated collection facilities appointed by the government or local authorities. Correct disposal and recycling will help prevent potential negative consequences to the environment and human health. For more detailed information about the disposal of your old equipment, please contact your local authorities, waste disposal service, or the shop where you purchased the product.

Deutsch

Español
La Directiva 2012/19/UE exige que los equipos que lleven este símbolo en el propio aparato y/o en su embalaje no deben eliminarse junto con otros residuos urbanos no seleccionados. El símbolo indica que el producto en cuestión debe separarse de los residuos domésticos convencionales con vistas a su eliminación. Es responsabilidad suya deshacerse de este y cualesquiera otros aparatos eléctricos y electrónicos a través de los puntos de recogida que ponen a su disposición el gobierno y las autoridades locales. Al deshacer y reciclar correctamente estos aparatos estará contribuyendo a evitar posibles consecuencias negativas para el medio ambiente y la salud de las personas. Si desea obtener información más detallada sobre la eliminación segura de su aparato usado, consulte a las autoridades locales, al servicio de recogida y eliminación de residuos de su zona o pregunte en la tienda donde adquirió el producto.
Français
La directive européenne 2012/19/UE exige que l’équipement sur lequel est apposé ce symbole sur le produit et/ou son emballage ne soit pas jeté avec les autres ordures ménagères. Ce symbole indique que le produit doit être éliminé dans un circuit distinct de celui pour les déchets des ménages. Il est de votre responsabilité de jeter ce matériel ainsi que tout autre matériel électrique ou électronique par les moyens de collecte indiqués par le gouvernement et les pouvoirs publics des collectivités territoriales. L’élimination et le recyclage en bonne et due forme ont pour but de lutter contre l’impact néfaste potentiel de ce type de produits sur l’environnement et la santé publique. Pour plus d’informations sur le mode d’élimination de votre ancien équipement, veuillez prendre contact avec les pouvoirs publics locaux, le service de traitement des déchets, ou l’endroit où vous avez acheté le produit.

Italiano
La direttiva europea 2012/19/UE richiede che le apparecchiature contrassegnate con questo simbolo sul prodotto e/o sull’imballaggio non siano smaltite insieme ai rifiuti urbani non differenziati. Il simbolo indica che questo prodotto non deve essere smaltito insieme ai normali rifiuti domestici. È responsabilità del proprietario smaltire sia questi prodotti sia le altre apparecchiature elettriche ed elettroniche mediante le specifiche strutture di raccolta indicate dal governo o dagli enti pubblici locali. Il corretto smaltimento ed il riciclaggio aiuteranno a prevenire conseguenze potenzialmente negative per l’ambiente e per la salute dell’essere umano. Per ricevere informazioni più dettagliate circa lo smaltimento delle vecchie apparecchiature in Vostro possesso, Vi invitiamo a contattare gli enti pubblici di competenza, il servizio di smaltimento rifiuti o il negozio nel quale avete acquistato il prodotto.
Declaration of Conformity

Hereby, UBIQUITI NETWORKS declares that the radio equipment type AF-5/AF-5U is in compliance with Directive 2014/53/EU. The full text of the EU declaration of conformity is available at the following internet address: www.ubnt.com/compliance