8-Port 10/100/1000Mbps with 4-Port PoE

Gigabit Ethernet Switch

GSD-804P

User's Manual

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This power required device does not support Standby mode operation.

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1. Introduction

1.1 Checklist

Check the contents of your package for following parts:

- GSD-804P x 1
- User's Manual x 1
- Power Cord x 1

If any of these pieces are missing or damaged, please contact your dealer immediately, if possible, retain the carton including the original packing material, and use them against to repack the product in case there is a need to return it to us for repair.

1.2 Product Description

To fulfill the demand of sufficient PoE power for network applications with Gigabit speed transmission, the new member in the 802.3af PoE Gigabit Ethernet Switch family - GSD-804P, the 8-Port 10/100/1000Mbps with 4-Port 802.3af Power over Ethernet Switch which features high performance Gigabit IEEE 802.3af PoE (Up to 15.4 Watts) and totally 55 Watts PoE budget on half of the 10/100/1000Mbps TP ports of GSD-804P. The four 802.3af PoE ports provide PoE power injector function which is able to drive 4 IEEE 802.3af compliant powered devices. The GSD-804P also provides a simple, cost-effective, and non-blocking wire-speed performance with 10-inch metal shape for desktop deployment in compact housing, SOHO office or department network application.

All RJ-45 copper interfaces in the GSD-804P support 10/100/1000Mbps Auto-Negotiation for optimal speed detection through RJ-45 Category 6, 5 or 5e cables. It also supports standard Auto-MDI/MDI-X that can detect the type of connection to any Ethernet device without requiring special straight or crossover cables.

1.3 Features

- RJ-45 Interface
 - 8-Port 10/100/1000Mbps Gigabit Ethernet ports
 - 4-Port supports 48V DC power to PoE Powered Device
- PoE
 - Complies with IEEE 802.3af Power over Ethernet End-Span PSE
 - Up to 4 IEEE 802.3af devices powered

- Supports PoE Power up to 15.4 Watts for each PoE port
- Auto detect powered device (PD)
- Circuit protection prevents power interference between ports
- Remote power feeding up to 100m
- Switching
 - Hardware based 10/100/1000Mbps Auto-Negotiation and Auto MDI/MDI-X
 - Flow control for Full Duplex operation and back pressure for Half Duplex operation
 - Integrates address look-up engine, supporting 8K absolute MAC addresses
 - 9K Jumbo Frame supports at all speed (10/100/1000Mbps)
 - Automatic address learning and address aging

Hardware

- 10-inch desktop size, rack mountable; 10 height
- LED indicators for PoE ready and PoE activity
- Optional Rack Ear Accessories Kit for 10-inch cabinet (RKE-10A) and 19-inch cabinet (RKE-10B)
- 1 silent FAN to provide stable and efficient power performance
- Energy-Saving technology
 - ♦ Link down power saving
 - ♦ Intelligent scales power based on cable length

1.4 Specification

Model	GSD-804P	
Hardware Specification		
Network Connector	8-Port RJ-45 for 10/100/1000Base-T	
PoE Inject Port	4-Port with 802.3af PoE injector function, Port-1 to Port-4	
LED Display	1 Power, 1 FAN Alert LED 1-4 port PoE in-use 1-8 port Speed, LNK/ACT	
Switch Architecture	Store and Forward switch architecture	
MAC Address	8K MAC address table with Auto learning function	
Switch Fabric	16Gbps	
Switch Throughput	11.9Mpps	
Jumbo Packet Size	9K Bytes	
Power Requirement	AC 100~240V, 50/60Hz, 1.5A	
Power Consumption	Max. 65 Watts / 221 BTU	
Dimension (W \times D \times H)	217 x 135 x 43 mm	
Weight	890g	
Power over Ethernet		
PoE Standard	IEEE 802.3af Power over Ethernet / PSE	
PoE Power Supply Type	End-Span	
PoE Power Output	Per Port 48V DC, 350mA . Max. 15.4 Watts	
Power Pin Assignment	1/2(+), 3/6(-)	
PoE Power Budget	55 Watts	
Standard Conformance		
EMI Safety	FCC Class A, CE	
Standard Compliance	IEEE 802.3EthernetIEEE 802.3uFast EthernetIEEE 802.3abGigabit EthernetIEEE 802.3xFlow ControlIEEE 802.3afPower over Ethernet	
Environment		
Operating Environment	0 ~ 50 Degree C	
Storage Environment	-40 ~ 70 Degree C	
Operating Humidity	5 ~ 95%, relative humidity, non-condensing	
Storage Humidity	5 ~ 95%, relative humidity, non-condensing	

2. Hardware Description

This product provides three different running speeds – 10Mbps, 100Mbps and 1000Mbps in the same switch and automatically distinguishes the speed of incoming connection.

This section describes the hardware features of GSD-804P. For easier management and control of the Switch, familiarize yourself with its display indicators, and ports. Front panel illustrations in this chapter display the unit LED indicators. Before connecting any network device to the GSD-804P, please read this chapter carefully.

In the following section, the term **"Switch"** means the Switch device, ie. GSD-804P; term of **"switch"** can be any third switches.

2.1 Front Panel

The Front Panel of the GSD-804P PoE Ethernet Switch consists of 8x Auto-Sensing 10/100/1000Mbps Ethernet RJ-45 Ports. The LED Indicators are also located on the front panel of the GSD-804P.

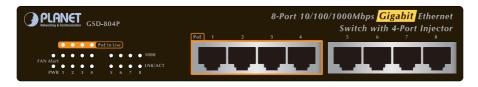


Figure 2-1: GSD-804P Switch Front Panel

2.1.1 LED Indicators

System

LED	Color	Function
PWR	Green	Lights to indicate that the Switch has power.
FAN Alert	Orange	Lights to indicate that the FAN failure.

Per 10/100/1000Mbps Port

LED	Color	Function
PoE In-use	Orange	Lights to indicate the port is providing 48V DC in-line power. (1-4 ports)
Speed	Green	Lit: indicate the Switch is successfully connecting to the network at 1000Mbps.Off: indicate that the Switch is successfully connecting to the network at 10Mbps or 100Mbps.
LNK/ACT	Green	Lit: indicate the link through that port is successfully established. Blinks to indicate that the Switch is actively sending or receiving data over that port.

2.2 Rear Panel

The rear panel of the GSD-804P indicates an AC inlet power socket, which accepts input power from 100 to 240VAC, 50-60Hz. And have a fan hole on the rear panel.



Figure 2-2: GSD-804P Switch Rear Panel

Power Notice	 The device is a power-required device, it means, it will not work till it is powered. If your networks should active all the time, please consider using UPS (Uninterrupted Power Supply) for your device. It will prevent you from network data loss or network downtime. In some area, installing a surge suppression device may also
NOLICE	help to protect your GSD-804P from being damaged by unregu- lated surge or current to the GSD-804P or the power adapter.

3. Hardware Installation

Before start up

Before your installation, please refer to the followings for your cabling:

10/100/1000Base-T

All 10/100/1000Base-T ports come with Auto-Negotiation capability. They automatically support 1000Base-T, 100Base-TX and 10Base-T networks. Users only need to plug a working network device into one of the 10/100/1000Base-T ports, and then turn on the GSD-804P. The port will automatically runs in 10Mbps, 20Mbps, 100Mbps or 200Mbps and 1000Mbps or 2000Mbps after the negotiation with the connected device.

Cabling

Each 10/100/1000Base-T ports use RJ-45 sockets - similar to phone jacks - for connection of unshielded twisted-pair cable (UTP). The IEEE 802.3 / 802.3u 802.3ab Fast / Gigabit Ethernet standard requires Category 5 UTP for 100Mbps 100Base-TX. 10Base-T networks can use Cat.3, 4, 5 or 1000Base-T use 5/5e/6 UTP (see table below). Maximum distance is 100meters (328 feet).

Port Type	Cable Type	Connector
10Base-T	Cat 3, 4, 5, 2-pair	RJ-45
100Base-TX	Cat.5 UTP, 2-pair	RJ-45
1000Base-T	Cat.5/5e/6 UTP, 2-pair	RJ-45

Any Ethernet devices like hubs/ PCs can connect to the GSD-804P by using straight-through wires. The eight-10/100/1000Mbps ports are auto-MDI/MDI-X can be used on straight-through or crossover cable.

3.1 Desktop Installation

To install the Switch on desktop, simply follow the next steps:

- Step 1: Place the Switch on desktop near an AC power source.
- **Step 2:** Keep enough ventilation space between the Switch and the surrounding objects.



When choosing a location, please keep in mind the environmental restrictions discussed in Chapter 1, Section 4, in Specification.

- **Step 3:** Connect your Switch to 802.3af complied Power Devices (PD) and other network devices.
 - **A.** Connect one end of a standard network cable to the 10/100/1000 RJ-45 ports on the front of the Switch.
 - **B.** Connect the other end of the cable to the network devices such as printer servers, workstations or routers...etc.



Connection to the Switch requires UTP Category 5 network cabling with RJ-45 tips. For more information, please see the Cabling Specification in Appendix A.

Step 4: Supply power to the Switch.

- A. Connect one end of the power cable to the Switch.
- **B.** Connect the power plug of the power cable to a standard wall outlet.

When the Switch receives power, the Power LED should remain solid Green.

3.2 Rack Mounting

To install the Switch in a 10-inch standard rack, follow the instructions described below.

- **Step 1:** Place your Gigabit Ethernet Switch on a hard flat surface, with the front panel positioned towards your front side.
- **Step 2:** Attach a rack-mount bracket to each side of the Switch with supplied screws attached to the package. Figure 3-1 shows how to attach brackets to one side of the Switch.



Figure 3-1: Attaching the brackets to the Switch.



You must use the screws supplied with the mounting brackets. Damage caused to the parts by using incorrect screws would invalidate the warranty.

- Step 3: Secure the brackets tightly.
- Step 4: Follow the same steps to attach the second bracket to the opposite side.
- **Step 5:** After the brackets are attached to the Switch, use suitable screws to securely attach the brackets to the rack, as shown in Figure 3-2.

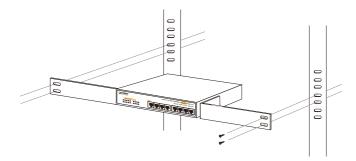


Figure 3-2: Mounting the Switch in a Rack

Step 6: Proceeds with the steps 3 and steps 4 of session 3.1 Desktop Installation to connect the network cabling and supply power to your Switch.

3.3 Product Application

3.3.1 Connecting end node or Switch

- 1. Place the GSD-804P on a smooth surface or fasten the mounting brackets purchased separately with the provided screws in a standard 19" rack.
- 2. Connect the power cord to the power inlet socket of GSD-804P and the other end into the local power source outlet. When the Switch receives power, the Power LED should remain solid Green.
- 3. Connect other switch or PC to one port of the GSD-804P using Category 3/4/5/5e/6 UTP/STP cabling.
- 4. Connect another switch or PC to the other port of GSD-804P by following the same process as described in Step 3.

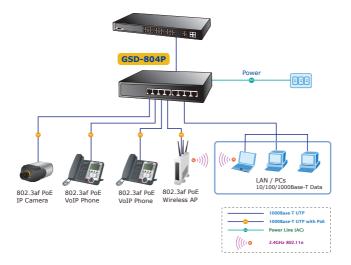


Figure 3-3: End node or Switch Connection

Note

Cable distance for Switch

The cable distance between the GSD-804P and PC should not exceed 100 meter for UTP/STP cable.

Make sure the wiring is correct

It can be used Category 3/4/5 cable in 10Mbps operation. To reliably operate your network at 100Mbps or 1000Mbps, you must use an Unshielded Twisted-Pair (UTP) Category 5/5e/6 cable, or better Data Grade cabling. While a Category 3 or 4 cables may initially seem to work, it will soon cause data loss.

3.3.2 Department/ Workgroup PoE Switch

Providing 4-Port PoE in-line power interface, the GSD-804P can easily build a power centrally-controlled IP phone system, IP Camera system and Wireless AP group for the enterprise. For instance, up to 4 cameras can be installed around the corner in the company for surveillance demands or up to 4 Wireless AP to build a wireless roaming environment in the office. Without the power-socket limitation, the Switch makes the installation of cameras or Wireless AP more easily and efficiently.

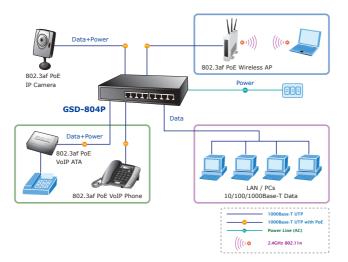


Figure 3-4: Department / workgroup PoE Switch Connection

3.4 Power over Ethernet Powered Device

3~5 Watts	Voice over IP phones Enterprise can install POE VoIP Phone, ATA and other Ethernet/non-Ethernet end-devices to the central where UPS is installed for un-interrupt power system and power control system.
6~12 Watts	Wireless LAN Access Points Museum, Sightseeing, Airport, Hotel, Campus, Factory, Warehouse can install the Access Point any where with no hesitation.
10~12 Watts	IP Surveillance Enterprise, Museum, Campus, Hospital, Bank, can install IP Camera without limits of install location – no need electrician to install AC sockets.
3~12 Watts	PoE Splitter PoE Splitter split the PoE 52V DC over the Ethernet cable into 5/12V DC power output. It frees the device deployment from restrictions due to power outlet locations, which eliminate the costs for additional AC wiring and reduces the installation time.
3~25 Watts	High Power PoE Splitter High PoE Splitter split the PoE 52V DC over the Ethernet cable into 5/12V DC power output. It frees the device deployment from restrictions due to power outlet locations, which eliminate the costs for additional AC wiring and reduces the installation time.

4. Power over Ethernet Overview

What is PoE?

Based on the global standard IEEE 802.3af, PoE is a technology for wired Ethernet, the most widely installed local area network technology adopted today. PoE allows the electrical power necessary for the operation of each end-device to be carried by data cables rather than by separate power cords. New network applications, such as IP Cameras, VoIP Phones, and Wireless Networking, can help enterprises improve productivity. It minimizes wires that must be used to install the network for offering lower cost, and less power failures.

IEEE 802.3af also called Data Terminal equipment (DTE) power via Media dependent interface (MDI) is an international standard to define the transmission for power over Ethernet. The 802.3af is delivering 48V power over RJ-45 wiring. Besides 802.3af also define two types of source equipment: Mid-Span and End-Span.

Mid-Span

Mid-Span device is placed between legacy switch and the powered device. Mid-Span is tap the unused wire pairs 4/5 and 7/8 to carry power, the other four is for data transmit.

End-Span

End-Span device is direct connecting with power device. End-Span could also tap the wire 1/2 and 3/6.

PoE System Architecture

The specification of PoE typically requires two devices: the **Powered Source Equipment (PSE)** and the **Powered Device (PD)**. The PSE is either an End-Span or a Mid-Span, while the PD is a PoE-enabled terminal, such as IP Phones, Wireless LAN, etc. Power can be delivered over data pairs or spare pairs of standard CAT-5 cabling.

How Power is Transferred Through the Cable

A standard CAT5 Ethernet cable has four twisted pairs, but only two of these are used for 10BASE-T and 100BASE-T. The specification allows two options for using these cables for power, shown in Figure 2 and Figure 3:

The spare pairs are used. Figure 2 shows the pair on pins 4 and 5 connected together and forming the positive supply, and the pair on pins 7 and 8 connected and forming the negative supply. (In fact, a late change to the spec allows either polarity to be used).

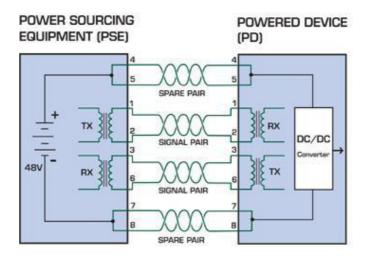


Figure 1 - Power Supplied over the Spare Pins

The data pairs are used. Since Ethernet pairs are transformer coupled at each end, it is possible to apply DC power to the center tap of the isolation transformer without upsetting the data transfer. In this mode of operation the pair on pins 3 and 6 and the pair on pins 1 and 2 can be of either polarity.

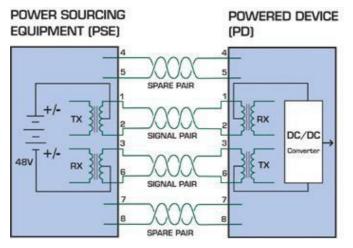


Figure 2 - Power Supplied over the Data Pins

When to install PoE?

Consider the following scenarios:

- You're planning to install the latest VoIP Phone system to minimize cabling building costs when your company moves into new offices next month.
- The company staff has been clamoring for a wireless access point in the picnic area behind the building so they can work on their laptops through lunch, but the cost of electrical power to the outside is not affordable.
- Management asks for IP Surveillance Cameras and business access systems throughout the facility, but they would rather avoid another electrician's payment.

References:

IEEE Std 802.3af-2003 (Amendment to IEEE Std 802.3-2002, including IEEE Std 802.3ae-2002), 2003 Page(s):0_1-121

White Paper on Power over Ethernet (IEEE 802.3af) http://www.poweroverethernet.com/articles.php?article_id=52

Microsemi /PowerDsine http://www.microsemi.com/PowerDsine/

Linear Tech http://www.linear.com/

5. Troubleshooting

This chapter contains information to help you solve issues. If the Switch is not functioning properly, make sure the Ethernet Switch was set up according to instructions in this manual.

The Link LED is not lit

Solution:

Check the cable connection and remove duplex mode of the Switch.

Performance is bad

Solution:

Check the full duplex status of the Switch. If the Ethernet Switch is set to full duplex and the partner is set to half duplex, then the performance will be poor.

100Base-TX port link LED is lit, but the traffic is irregular

Solution:

Check that the attached device is not set to dedicate full duplex. Some devices use a physical or software switch to change duplex modes. Auto-negotiation may not recognize this type of full-duplex setting.

Why the Switch doesn't connect to the network

Solution:

Check the LNK/ACT LED on the Switch Try another port on the Switch Make sure the cable is installed properly, Make sure the cable is the right type. Turn off the power. After a while, turn on power again.

Why I connect my PoE device to GSD-804P and it cannot power on?

Solution:

- Please check the cable type of the connection from GSD-804P(port 1 to port 4) to the other end. The cable should be an 8-wire UTP, Category 5 or above, EIA568 cable within 100 meters. A cable with only 4-wire, short loop or over 100 meters, all will affect the power supply.
- 2. Please check and assure the device that fully complied with IEEE 802.3af standard.

What is the power output of each IEEE 802.af PoE port?

Solution:

Each PoE port supports **48V DC, 350mA, max 15.4 Watts** power output. Detect and inject by the standard of IEEE 802.3af.

Appendix A Networking Connection

A.1 Data Out PoE Switch RJ-45 Port Pin Assignments (Port 1 to Port-4)

	PIN NO	RJ-45 SIGNAL ASSIGNMENT
	1	 Output Transmit Data + Power +
	2	 Output Transmit Data – Power +
12345678	3	• Receive Data + • Power -
	4	-
	5	-
	6	• Receive Data – • Power –
	7	-
	8	-

A.2 Switch's RJ-45 Pin Assignments - 1000Mbps, 1000Base-T

Contact	MDI	MDI-X
1	BI_DA+	BI_DB+
2	BI_DA-	BI_DB-
3	BI_DB+	BI_DA+
4	BI_DC+	BI_DD+
5	BI_DC-	BI_DD-
6	BI_DB-	BI_DA-
7	BI_DD+	BI_DC+
8	BI_DD-	BI_DC-

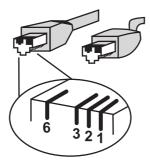
Implicit implementation of the crossover function within a twisted-pair cable, or at a wiring panel, while not expressly forbidden, is beyond the scope of this standard.

A.3 Switch's RJ-45 Pin Assignments - 10/100Mbps, 10/100Base-TX

When connecting your Switch to another Fast Ethernet switch, a bridge or a hub, a straight or crossover cable is necessary. Each port of the Switch supports auto-MDI/ MDI-X detection. That means you can directly connect the Switch to any Ethernet devices without making a crossover cable. The following table and diagram show the standard RJ-45 receptacle/ connector and their pin assignments:

RJ-45 Connector pin assignment			
Contact	MDI Media Dependant Interface	MDI-X Media Dependant Interface-Cross	
1	Tx + (transmit)	Rx + (receive)	
2	Tx - (transmit)	Rx - (receive)	
3	Rx + (receive)	Tx + (transmit)	
4, 5	Not used		
6	Rx - (receive)	Tx - (transmit)	
7, 8	Not used		

The standard cable, RJ-45 pin assignment



The standard RJ-45 receptacle/connector

There are 8 wires on a standard UTP/STP cable and each wire is color-coded. The following shows the pin allocation and color of straight cable and crossover cable connection:



Figure A-1: Straight-Through and Crossover Cable

Please make sure your connected cables are with same pin assignment and color as above picture before deploying the cables into your network.



For the following equipment:

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*Model Number:	GSD-804P

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EN55022		(2006, CLASS A)
EN 61000-3-2		(2006)
EN 61000-3-3		(1995, A1: 2001, A2: 2005)
EN55024		(1998, A1: 2001, A2: 2003)
	IEC 61000-4-2	(2001)
	IEC 61000-4-3	(2008)
	IEC 61000-4-4	(2004)
	IEC 61000-4-5	(2005)
	IEC 61000-4-6	(2008)
	IEC 61000-4-8	(2001)
	IEC 61000-4-11	(2004)

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