

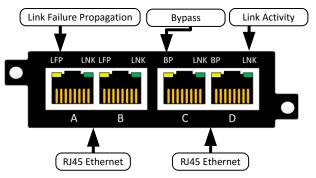
P1GXXBP

Series Portable Bypass Tap Installation Guide

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To deploy the P1GxxBP Portable Bypass Tap into your network, simply:

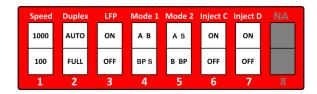
- Unpack the device and attach it to the optional rack mount bracket (RMP-1U sold separately)
- Install the P1GxxBP assembly into any available slot of the Rack Mount Plate and secure it with rack mount screws
- Utilizing the DIP switches (located on the rear of the unit, next to the power input) configure the P1GxxBP for the operating mode of your choice
- Using standard Ethernet cables, connect ports [A] and [B] (Auto MDI/MDIX) of the P1GxxBP between the two live network devices where you would otherwise deploy an inline appliance or sensor (for example: IPS or DLP). Verify network traffic is flowing, confirming that network cabling is correct Do this step with no power applied on the TAP
- Connect ports [C] and [D] (Auto MDI/MDIX) to the inline appliance or other tools for traditional breakout or aggregated traffic monitoring
- Connect the power supply to the P1GxxBP and plug it into an available power source
- **Notes: 1.** Fiber is always 1000Mbps speed. Other operating modes may be desired for monitoring and may be configured using the provided DIP switches
 - 2. The Bypass TAP is not usually used to tap SPAN traffic but if it should be required there is a way to set this TAP to take a SPAN input on port [A] and replicate the traffic out to ports [B], [C] and [D] (See SPAN Mode on page 2)
 - **3.** Anytime the configuration switches are changed the user must remove and then apply power for the changes to take effect.





A B C D LC Fiber Ethernet SFP Ethernet

Supports Fiber and SFP Media



Portable Bypass TAP Key Features

- Supports Bypass with heartbeat, Breakout, Aggregation and SPAN Modes
- Connectivity to copper or fiber ports
- Plug-n-Play design with zero configuration
- Link Speed Synchronization
- Packet Injection: allows monitor ports to Inject packets back into the live network flow
- Supports Jumbo Frames
- Passes physical layer errors
- Supports Link Failure Propagation (LFP)
- Supports FailSafe.
- Captures Full Duplex Traffic up to 2 Gigabits without dropping any packets
- Small portable form factor: 3.942"x1.20"x3.942" (W x H x D)
- Rack Shelf or Plate supports up to four (4) TAPs in a 1U space

Network Failsafe If TAP loses power, the live link is kept intact. Network Ports Network Ports Network Ports

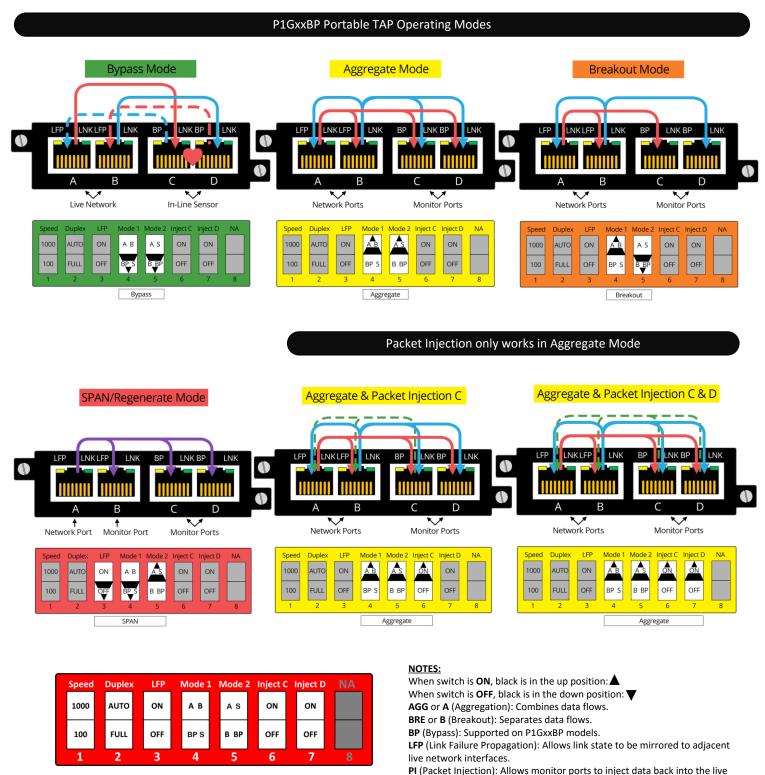
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Configuration Examples



network flows.

many outputs.

SPAN or S or Regenerate: Allows users to multiply one or more inputs into

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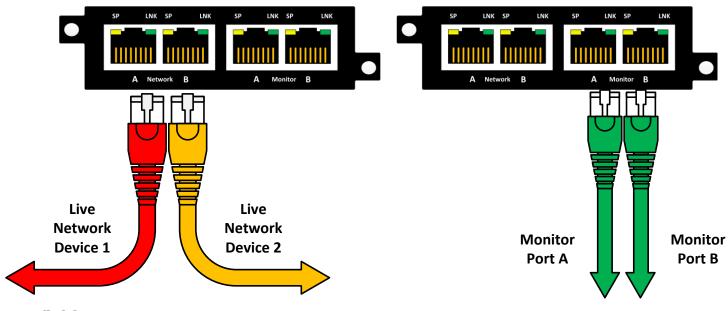


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Network Cabling:



Definitions:

- 1G, 100M Speed Mode: Switch position 1, ON equals 1000Mbps, OFF equals 100Mbps.
- **Duplex: AUTO** setting (Sw 2 in ON position default) lets the port negotiate the duplex mode with the link pair (only in copper connections).

FULL setting (Sw 2 in OFF position) forces the link to full duplex mode

- **Link Failure Propagation (LFP):** Switch position 3, used mostly for HA designed networks. It can sense a network failure and reflect the failure to the adjacent port of the live network allowing the network's failover mechanism to switch over to the secondary network path.
- **Bypass Mode:** Switch 4 and 5 "OFF" In the normal operation in this mode TAP will direct the live traffic through the In-Line Appliance. If the Appliance goes off-line for any reason (TAP no longer receives the Heartbeat packet from the Appliance) the TAP will Bypass the appliance until it goes back on line again.
- **Breakout Mode:** Switch 4 "ON" and 5 "OFF" An operating mode that allows monitoring of separate traffic streams, one for each direction of network traffic.
- **Aggregation Mode:** Switch 4 and Switch 5 are "ON" An operating mode that allows monitoring the A&B traffic onto one monitoring port.
- **SPAN Mode:** An operating mode that allows traffic from one or more SPAN outputs of a Switch or Router to be sent out to one or more monitoring ports. Switch 3 (LFP) to "OFF," Switch 4 "OFF" and Switch 5 "ON."
- Packet Injection Port C: Switch 6 turns Packet Injection "ON" or "OFF". Only works in Aggregate Mode.
- Packet Injection Port D: Switch 7 turns Packet Injection "ON" or "OFF". Only works in Aggregate Mode.
- **Failsafe:** On power loss, the live network TAP ports re-establish link with each other (per IEEE specification, resuming traffic flow between critical network devices.



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Ordering Information:

P1GCCBP Portable 100/1000M TAP: Two (2) Copper 100/1000M RJ-45 TAP Ports with two (2) Copper RJ-45 Monitoring Ports, single Power Supply, supports Breakout Mode, Aggregation Mode, and Bypass Mode with by-directional heartbeat.

P1GCSBP Portable 100/1000M TAP: Two (2) Copper 100/1000M RJ-45 TAP Ports with two (2) SFP Monitoring Ports, single Power Supply, supports Breakout Mode, Aggregation Mode, and Bypass Mode with by-directional heartbeat.

P1GMCBP Portable 100/1000M TAP: Two (2) Multi-mode Passive Fiber LC TAP Ports with two (2) Copper RJ-45 Monitoring Ports, single Power Supply, supports Breakout Mode, Aggregation Mode, and Bypass Mode with by-directional heartbeat.

P1GMSBP Portable 100/1000M TAP: Two (2) Multi-mode Passive Fiber LC TAP Ports with two (2) SFP Monitoring Ports, single Power Supply, supports Breakout Mode, Aggregation Mode, and Bypass Mode with by-directional heartbeat.

P1GSCBP Portable 100/1000M TAP: Two (2) Single-mode Passive Fiber LC TAP Ports with two (2) Copper RJ-45 Monitoring Ports, single Power Supply, supports Breakout Mode, Aggregation Mode, and Bypass Mode with by-directional heartbeat.

P1GSSBP Portable 100/1000M TAP: Two (2) Single-mode Passive Fiber LC TAP Ports with two (2) SFP Monitoring Ports, single Power Supply, supports Breakout Mode, Aggregation Mode, and Bypass Mode with by-directional heartbeat.

RMP-1U Rack Mount Plate: 1U holds up to four (4) Portable TAPs

