



# **TP-Link Deco**

## **X1000 SETUP & USER GUIDE**

## What You Will Need:

- ▶ A smartphone that can connect to Bluetooth and the internet
- ▶ The Deco app (free for Android and iOS)
- ▶ A modem that works
- ▶ A little amount of patience (but not a lot)

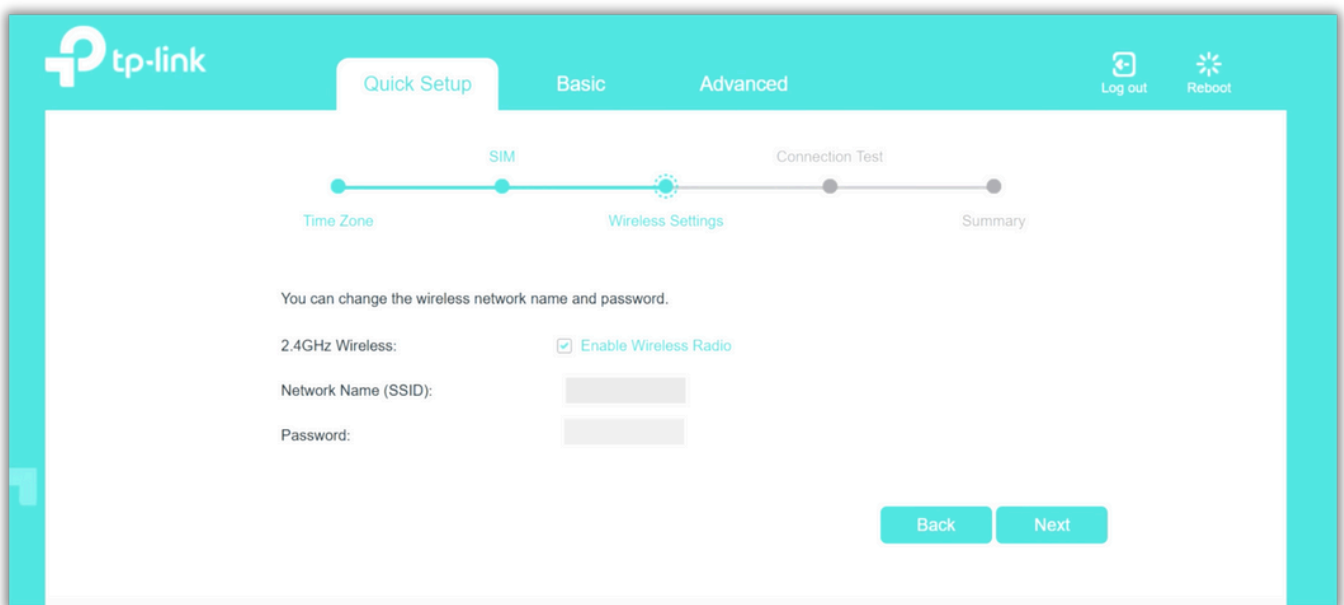
## Step-by-Step: Setting Up the App

- ▶ Take the Deco X1000 units out of their boxes.
- ▶ Choose one; this will be your primary unit. Put it in the wall socket.
- ▶ Connect it to your modem using the Ethernet cord that comes with it.
- ▶ Wait for the light to start flashing blue. That says it's time to depart.
- ▶ Start the Deco app. It will ask you what kind of model you want to put up. Choose X1000.
- ▶ Do what you're told. It really does help you with everything, from naming the network to making the password.
- ▶ The software lets you add a second Deco after setting up the first, and it syncs quickly if placed nearby
- ▶ Do the same thing with the third one if you have one.

# How to Use Your Browser (Advanced Deco X1000 Setup)

You may open a web browser and type in `tplinkdeco.net`.

- ▶ Perform a TP-Link Deco login or create an account if you have none.
- ▶ The online interface has much of the same choices, such as WiFi name, password, parental controls, and so on, but it looks more like a regular website.
- ▶ Good to have if the app doesn't pick anything up.
- ▶ DHCP settings or port forwarding may need minor adjustments. Though it's not for everyone, it's great to know.



## Setting things up the way you want

You can't simply leave it alone once it's up and going. Depending on how your house is set up, you may want to change a few things.

You can do the following using the app (or online dashboard):

- ▶ You may change the SSID and password at any time.
- ▶ Set time or bandwidth limits for Guest WiFi.
- ▶ Enable Parental Controls to limit apps or websites on your child's devices.
- ▶ Set a priority for a device. Do you want your business laptop to be in the quickest lane during Zoom calls? You can do that.
- ▶ Turn on QoS for better gameplay or streaming.
- ▶ See who's connected; yes, you can kick that neighbor who isn't paying for your network off.

Everything is in simple English. Not full of technical jargon. Just swipe, tap, and you're done.



# Thank You



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