

# RG-AP820-L(V3) **Wi-Fi 6 Dual-radio Access Point**



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## **Product Overview**

Ruijie RG-AP820-L(V3) is a cost-effective entry level wireless access point with Wi-Fi 6 dual-radio design. It not only has the simplicity and flexibility for small and medium sized enterprise, but the features, functionality, and performance quality to scale up to large-enterprise network deployments.

Ruijie RG-AP820-L(V3) supports maximum of 2.975 Gbps wireless throughput when 160MHz bandwidth in 5G radio mode adopted (HE160). It fully complies with Wi-Fi 6 features and guarantees minimal signal interference and a recommended connections over 64 clients.

## **Highlights:**

- Maximum ROI (Lifetime free cloud management & WIS optimization service)
- HE160 Supported for Higher Throughput with Latest Wi-Fi 6 Chipsets
- Hybrid Management (Cloud / Controller / Standalone)
- Automated Radio Optimization by Artificial Intelligence
- 3-Year Hardware Warranty

Upon the uprising challenges of management efficiency and wireless security, all Ruijie enterprise APs support hybrid management mode. Either deployed as standalone AP (Fat Mode) or managed AP (Fit Mode and Cloud Managed Mode), the AP will detect the operation mode automatically without extra effort on firmware upgrade. For additional security and operation features, we recommend the enterprise customers to choose one of the below options depending on the functionality and capacity needed:

**Public Cloud: Ruijie Cloud** – Ruijie Public Cloud service(powered by RG-MACC) is targeted for the SME segment with integrated captive portal, authentication (such as PPSK for employees, Facebook, voucher, account, etc.), and reporting features. Together with Ruijie Cloud Mobile App (free download), SME customers can provision and manage their networks at fingertips.

**Hybrid Cloud: RG-WS Series Wireless Controller (On-premises) Plus Cloud Management (Optional)** – targeted for enterprise office, campus, and hospitality customers with single or multiple sites and high-density AP deployment. The controller devices with cluster-based architecture are installed at the customer's sites with fully integrated wireless management and authentication features, supporting large scale AP management. Optionally, the cloud management platform allows for value-added features like centralized device configuration and monitoring, AI radio (RF) optimization, reporting, etc.

# **Product Features**

## High Speed Wi-Fi 6 and Energy Saving

### 1024-QAM High-speed Access

RG-AP820-L(V3) adopts the dual-radio dual-band design. With the next-generation 802.11ax for 5GHz band, the maximum access rate can reach 2.4Gbps. If dual-radio is enabled concurrently, the high-speed Wi-Fi throughput can reach 2.975 Gbps, offering the true high-speed experience.

#### **OFDMA High-density User Access**

RG-AP820-L(V3) supports OFDMA of 802.11ax, which divides the WLAN channel into plurality of narrower subchannels, with each user occupying one or more subchannels. By scheduling multiple users to receive and send packets concurrently via the AP, user competition and back-off can be reduced, thereby reducing network latency, and improving network efficiency. In a high-density deployment environment, the average rate per user is increased by four times compared with Wi-Fi 5 devices.

### Performance Boost from Wi-Fi 5

RG-AP820-L(V3) provides considerable performance boost even in an environment with Wi-Fi 5 only user devices. This means RG-AP820-L(V3) is not only future-proof but also able to provide instant improvement over the Wi-Fi 5 APs.

#### Energy Saving for Green and Low-carbon Network

Several energy saving technologies have been used in RG-AP820-L(V3), such as single antenna standby, dynamic MIMO, enhanced auto power-saving transmission and packet power control. With the high-performance power circuit design, RG-AP820-L(V3) is able to save energy while providing highspeed wireless access.

#### Industry-leading Local Forwarding Technology

Employing an industry-leading local forwarding technology, RG-AP820-L(V3) breaks through the limitation of traffic bottleneck of wireless controllers. In collaboration with the RG-WS wireless controller series, users can flexibly pre-configure the data forwarding mode for RG-AP820-L(V3). The AP also controls whether the data will be forwarded via the wireless controller according to the SSID and user VLAN, or directly sent to the wired network for data exchange.

The local forwarding technology can classify and forward time-

sensitive data which requires real-time transmission through the wired network, in order to greatly alleviate the traffic pressure on the wireless controllers and meet the need of high traffic transmission requirements of the 802.11ax standard network.

#### **Abundant QoS Policies**

RG-AP820-L(V3) supports a wide variety of QoS policies. For example, it provides WLAN/AP/STA-based bandwidth limitations and Wi-Fi multimedia (WMM) which defines different priorities for different service data. RG-AP820-L(V3) realizes timely and quantitative transmission of audio/video and guarantees smooth operation of multi-media applications. With the multicast-to-unicast technology, RG-AP820-L(V3) resolves the video lagging problem due to packet loss or high latency, and greatly enhances user experience of the multicast video services of the wireless network.

## **Comprehensive Security Protection**

#### Secure User Access

RG-AP820-L(V3) supports a wide range of authentication methods such as web, 802.1X, PPSK (one-time dynamic password), voucher/access code, user account and social authentication (Ruijie Cloud Required). Being complied with the standard NAC, it offers a set of control policies in terms of authentication, authorization, device compliance check, and network attack detection/prevention etc. All these features guarantee high network security for authenticated users.



Various enterprise authentication options for guest and employees

## Personal Pre-shared Keys (PPSK)

Traditional Pre-shared Keys (PSK) shared by all users on a WLAN have high risk of PSK leak. Ruijie Personal PSK (PPSK) is an easy-to-setup wireless authentication method with enterprise-grade security level. Credentials can be created and revoked individually. Each PPSK can also be tied to a unique user/machine.

With PPSK, the benefits are:

- High security by providing different passwords for each user and device for the same SSID
- Simple deployment with batch account creation
- Ease of use, offering the same experience as WPA/WPA2-PSK
- Out-of-box feature in Wireless Access Controller and Ruijie Cloud Service
- No Additional AAA server required



Simple and effective wireless security practice

## Virtual AP Technology

With the virtual AP technology, RG-AP820-L(V3) supports up to 16 ESSIDs. Network administrator can separately encrypt and isolate VLANs or subnets of the same SSID, thereby enabling specified authentication mode and encryption mechanism for each SSID.

## **Comprehensive Wireless Protection**

Coupled with RG-WS series wireless controllers, RG-AP820-L(V3) offers a breadth of security features include WIDS (Wireless Intrusion Detection System), RF interference tracking, rogue AP containment, anti-ARP spoofing, DHCP protection and beyond for all-around security protection.

## Hybrid Management

## **Flexible Management Options**

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Category	Standalone AP	Wireless Controller (RG-WS Series) Hybrid Mode Available	Public Cloud	
Target Segment	Small Office	Enterprise, Hospitality, Education, Large Campus Network	Small and Medium Enterprise, Managed Service Provider	
Deployment Mode	On-premises	On-premises	Cloud Service	
Device Capacity	N/A	Up to 5000	Virtually Unlimited	
Unified Management	N/A	AP Only	AP, Switch, Gateway	
Radio Optimization	N/A	Y	Y	
Employee Authentication	Basic PSK	PSK, PPSK, 802.1X	PSK, PPSK, 802.1X, Access Code, Account	
Guest Authentication	Basic PSK	Basic Captive Portal	Customized Captive Portal, Social Media Login, Voucher	
Reporting	N/A	N/A	Y	
Mobile APP	N/A	Y	Y	

#### Web and CLI Management Interface

RG-AP820-L(V3) provides both web and command-line interface (CLI) for the AP and wireless controller, suitable for application in different scenarios. CLI design allows the networking professionals to perform fast troubleshooting and bulk configuration import/modification. Web GUI management is best suited for most of the general planning, operation, and maintenance, thus eliminating room for human error.

#### Mobile Monitor and Optimization

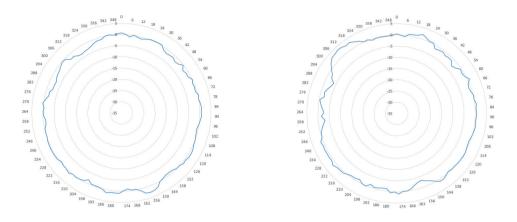
Simple network management experience can be obtained by using the free Ruijie Cloud mobile app. It features unified device lifecycle management, not only for access points but also for switches and security gateways. It simplifies device provisioning, monitoring, configurations and optimizations. For details visit official website at https:// www.ruijienetworks.com/products/smb/cloud-service/cloudservice/ruijie-cloud-solution/mobile-app



## Antenna Patterns

## Horizontal Planes (Top View)

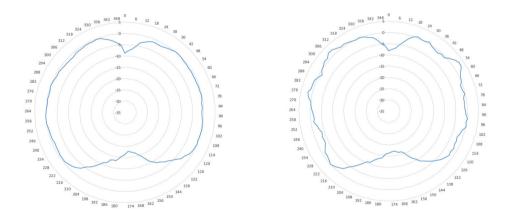
Below are the RG-AP820-L(V3) 2.4GHz and 5GHz azimuth antenna patterns:



RG-AP820-L(V3) 2.4GHz (Left) and 5GHz (Right) azimuth antenna patterns

## Vertical (Elevation) Planes (Side View, AP Facing Down)

Below are the RG-AP820-L(V3) 2.4GHz and 5GHz elevation antenna patterns:



RG-AP820-L(V3) 2.4GHz (Left) and 5GHz (Right) elevation antenna patterns

## Warranty Information

Ruijie RG-AP820-L(V3) access point comes with 3-year warranty. For more details, please visit https://www.ruijienetworks. com/support/servicepolicy.

# **Technical Specifications**

## Hardware Specifications

## **Physical Specifications**

Dimensions and Weight	RG-AP820-L(V3)
Dimensions(W × D ×H)	220mm×220mm×49mm
Weight	Device: 0.6kg Mounting Kit: 0.2kg
Installation	Ceiling / Wall
Lock Option	Kensington Lock / Securing Latch

## **Radio Specifications**

Radio Specifications	RG-AP820-L(V3)
Radio Design	Dual-radio Radio1: 2.4GHz, 2 spatial streams: 2×2 MU-MIMO Radio2: 5GHz, 2 spatial streams: 2×2 MU-MIMO
Operating Frequencies	Radio1: 802.11b/g/n/ax, 2.400GHz ~ 2.483GHz Radio2: 802.11a/n/ac/ax, 5.150GHz ~ 5.350GHz, 5.470GHz ~ 5.725GHz, 5.725GHz ~ 5.850GHz Note: vary depending on different countries
Data Rate	Radio1: 2.4GHz, 0.575Gbps Radio2: 5GHz, 2.4Gbps Maximum throughput per AP: 2.4GHz+5GHz, 2.975Gbps
Antenna Type	Integrated Omnidirectional
Antenna Gain	2.4GHz: 3dBi 5GHz: 3dBi
Maximum Transmit Power	20dBm Note: vary depending on different countries
Power Adjustment	1dBm
Modulation	OFDM: BPSK@6/9Mbps, QPSK@12/18Mbps, 16-QAM@24Mbps, 64-QAM@48/54Mbps DSSS: DBPSK@1Mbps, DQPSK@2Mbps, and CCK@5.5/11Mbps MIMO-OFDM: BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM、64QAM、256QAM and1024QAM OFDMA

Radio Specifications	RG-AP820-L(V3)
Receive Sensitivity	11b: -96dBm(1Mbps), -93dBm(5Mbps), -89dBm(11Mbps) 11a/g: -91dBm(6Mbps), -85dBm(24Mbps), -80dBm(36Mbps), -74dBm(54Mbps) 11n: -90dBm@MCS0, -70dBm@MCS7, -89dBm@MCS8, -68dBm@MCS15 11ac: HT20: -88dBm(MCS0), -63dBm(MCS9) 11ac: HT40: -85dBm(MCS0), -60dBm(MCS9) 11ac: HT80: -82dBm(MCS0), -57dBm(MCS9) 11ax: HE80: -82dBm(MCS0), -57dBm(MCS9),-52dBm(MCS11) 11ax: 160MHz: -77dBm(MCS0), -50dBm(MCS11)

## Interfaces Specifications

Interfaces Specifications	RG-AP820-L(V3)
Bluetooth	Bluetooth 5.1
Fixed Service Port	One 10/100/1000BASE-T Ethernet Port, PoE In (Support IEEE 802.3af/at) Full Spectrum Operation in IEEE 802.3af Mode One 1G/2.5G SFP Port
Fixed Management Port	One RJ45 Console Port
Status LED	One system status LED
Button	One reset button

## Power Supply and Consumption

Power Supply and Consumption	RG-AP820-L(V3)
Input Power Requirements	Local Power Supply (DC 48V/0.6A) PoE(IEEE 802.3af Standard)- Full Spectrum Operation
Maximum Power Consumption	12.95W

## Environment and Reliability

Environment and Reliability	RG-AP820-L(V3)
Temperature	Operating Temperature: -10°C ~ 50°C Storage Temperature: -40°C ~ 70°C

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Humidity	Operating Humidity: 5%~95% (non-condensing) Storage Temperature: 5%~95% (non-condensing)
IP Rating	IP41
Safety Standard	GB 4943.1, IEC 62368-1
EMC Standard	EN 300386, GB/T 19286, GB/T 17618
Radio Standard	FCC Part 15E

## Software Specifications

Software Specifications	RG-AP820-L(V3)
WLAN	SSID Hiding: Support 5G Priority (Band Steering): Support Configuring the authentication mode, encryption mechanism and VLAN attributes for each SSID: Support Remote Intelligent Perception Technology (RIPT): Support Intelligent Device Recognition Technology: Support Intelligent Load Balancing Based on the Number of Users or Traffic: Support STA Limit Control: SSID/Radio based Bandwidth Control: STA/SSID/AP-based
Security	Support PSK and Web authentication Data Encryption: WPA(TKIP)、WPA-PSK、WPA2(AES)、WPA3、WEP(64/128bits) PPSK authentication: Support 802.1X authentication: Support PEAP authentication: Support Data Frame Filtering: Allowlist, Static/Dynamic Blocklist User Isolation: Support Rogue AP Detection and Countermeasure: Support Dynamic ACL Assignment: Support RADIUS: Support CPU Protection Policy (CPP) Support Network Foundation Protection Policy (NFPP): Support
IP	IPv4: Support Static and DHCP IP Address Support Multicast to Unicast Conversion DHCP Service: Support DHCP Snooping, Option 82, Server, Client

Software Specifications	RG-AP820-L(V3)
Operation & Management	Support Wireless LAN Controllers: Ruijie RG-WS Series Wireless Controller Ruijie Cloud (Public Cloud) Ruijie Private Cloud Management Protocol: Telnet, SSH, TFTP, FTP, Web Support centralized management and upgrade of APs through an AC Wireless Intelligent AI Optimization Service (WIS): Support SNMP: Support V1, V2c, V3 Syslog / Debug: Support FAT/FIT/Cloud Managed Mode Firmware: Support FAT (Standalone) or FIT (WS Controller) or Cloud Managed (Ruijie Public/Private Cloud) Management

# **Application Scenarios**

## **Public Cloud Deployment**

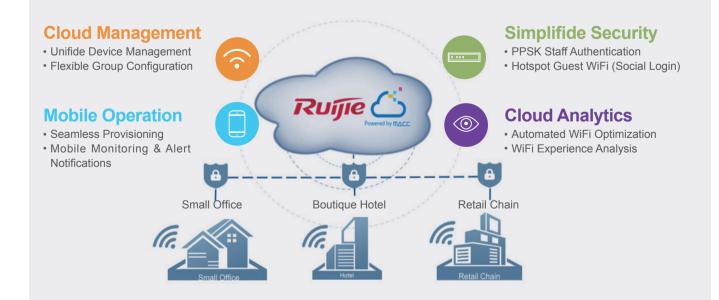
With Ruijie public cloud service, RG-AP820-L(V3) access point is best suited for SME scenarios including small offices, boutique hotel, and retail store etc. Ruijie Cloud is the only vendor offering enterprise cloud with lifetime free licenses. It significantly streamlines the IT operational efficiency, and reduces the wireless deployment complexity with cost-effective options for SMEs.

The Ruijie Cloud service provides network provisioning, monitoring, optimization, operation, and maintenance. Devices

can be deployed or swapped with a simple plug-and-play manner. Automatic RF planning feature meets the needs of increasing user experiences demand.

## **Key Features:**

- Unified Device Management
- Fast Provisioning by Cloud and Mobile APP
- Secure PPSK Authentication
- Captive Portal & Social Media Authentication
- Mobile APP Monitoring and Alert

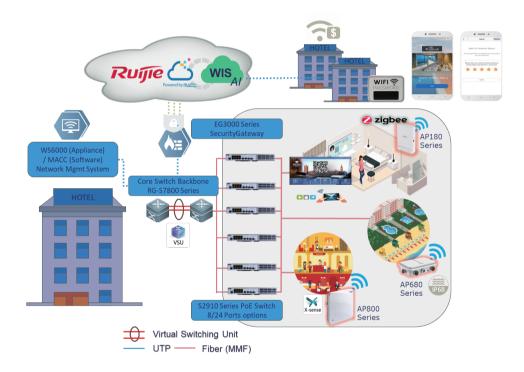


## Hybrid Cloud Deploymentt

For enterprise office, campus network, and hospitality customers with single or multiple sites, with the demand of high-density AP deployment, A hybrid mode consisting of Ruijie RG-WS Series wireless controller (on-premises) as well as cloud-based management (optional) is recommended. The controller devices are installed at the customer's site with fully integrated wireless management and authentication features, supporting large scale AP managements with cluster-based controller architecture. Optionally, the cloud management platform allows for value-added features like centralized device configuration and monitoring, AI radio (RF) optimization, reporting, etc.

## **Key Features:**

- Support Centralized Device Management and Reporting by Ruijie Cloud
- Support Ultra-seamless Roaming Management
- Support One-click AI Radio (RF) Optimization
  Powered by WIS AI Engine
- High Performance and Security with All User Authentication and Traffic Forwarding Handled Locally
- Support Flexible Authentication Options, e.g., 802.1X, PPSK, Voucher, etc.
- Support All Series of Ruijie Wireless Access Points with Unified Management



## **Ordering Information**

Model	Description	Note
RG-AP820-L(V3)	Wi-Fi 6(802.11ax) indoor wireless access point, dual-radio, up to 4 spatial streams and maximum of 2.975Gbps wireless throughput, 1 10/100/1000M BASE-T uplink port and 1 1G/2.5G SFP uplink port, support PoE and local power supply; Bundled with Ruijie Cloud Service lifetime license.	Mandatory
RG-E-120(GE)	Single-port PoE a injector (1000BASE-T, 802.3af)	Optional





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