

### Overview

#### Aruba 510 Series Campus Access Points

##### Very High Wi-Fi 6 (802.11ax) Performance With Dual Radios And Green AP Energy Efficiency

Aruba Wi-Fi 6 access points provide high-performance connectivity for any organization experiencing growing numbers of IoT and mobility requirements. With a maximum aggregate data rate of 3 Gbps (HE80/HE40), they deliver the speed and reliability needed for any enterprise environment..

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##### Key features

- 3 Gbps of maximum throughput (HE80/HE40)
  - WPA3 and Enhanced Open security
  - Built-in technology that resolves sticky client issues for Wi-Fi 6 and Wi-Fi 5 devices
  - OFDMA and MU-MIMO for enhanced multi-user efficiency
  - IoT-ready Bluetooth 5 and Zigbee support
  - Wired and wireless policy enforcement with Dynamic Segmentation
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## Standard Features

### IoT Platform Capabilities

Like all Aruba Wi-Fi 6 APs, the Aruba 510 Series includes an integrated Bluetooth 5 and 802.15.4 radio (for Zigbee support) to simplify deploying and managing IoT-based location services, asset tracking services, security solutions and IoT sensors. This allows organizations to leverage the Aruba 510 Series as an IoT platform, which eliminates the need for an overlay infrastructure and additional IT resources.

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### Incredible Efficiency

The Aruba 510 Series APs are also designed to optimize user experience by maximizing Wi-Fi efficiency and dramatically reducing airtime contention between clients.

Features include Orthogonal frequency-division multiple access (OFDMA), bi-directional multi-user MIMO and cellular optimization. With up to 4 spatial streams (4SS) and 160MHz channel bandwidth (VHT160), the Aruba 510 Series provides groundbreaking wireless capabilities for any enterprise.

Read the Multi-User 802.11ax [white paper](#) for further information.

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### Advantages of OFDMA

This capability allows Aruba's APs to handle multiple Wi-Fi 6 capable clients on each channel simultaneously, regardless of device or traffic type. Channel utilization is optimized by handling each transaction via smaller sub-carriers or resource units (RUs), which means that clients are sharing a channel and not competing for airtime and bandwidth.

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### Aruba Airslice For Extended Application Assurance

Initially, APs in controller-less mode (Instant) can provide SLA-grade performance by allocating radio resources (e.g. time, frequency, spatial streams) to specific traffic types. By combining Aruba's [Policy Enforcement Firewall \(PEF\)](#) and Layer 7 deep packet inspection (DPI) to identify user roles and applications, the APs will dynamically allocate the bandwidth needed. Non-Wi-Fi 6 clients can also benefit.

AirSlice for APs in controller mode will be supported in a future software release.

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### Bi-Directional Multi-User MIMO (MU-MIMO)

Similar to downlink MU-MIMO in Wi-Fi 5 (802.11ac Wave 2), the Aruba 510 Series can simultaneously connect clients use downlink – and now – uplink spatial streams. The added benefit is the ability to multiply the number of clients that can now send traffic, thus optimizing client-to-AP spatial stream diversity.

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### Wi-Fi 6 And MU-MIMO Aware Client Optimization

Aruba's patented AI-powered ClientMatch technology eliminates sticky client issues by placing Wi-Fi 6 capable devices on the best available AP. Session metrics are used to steer mobile devices to the best AP based on available bandwidth, types of applications being used and traffic type – even as users roam.

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### Aruba Advanced Cellular Coexistence (ACC)

This feature uses built-in filtering to automatically minimize the impact of interference from cellular networks, distributed antenna systems (DAS), and commercial small cell or femtocell equipment.

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### Intelligent Power Monitoring (IPM)

Aruba APs continuously monitor and report hardware energy consumption. They can also be configured to enable or disable capabilities based on available PoE power – ideal when wired switches have exhausted their power budget.

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### Green AP Energy Efficiency

Aruba Wi-Fi 6 APs utilize analytics from NetInsight to automatically transition in and out of a sleep mode based on client density. Learn more in the [Green AP At-A-Glance](#).

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## Standard Features

### Target Wake Time (TWT)

Ideal for IoTs that communicate infrequently, TWT establishes a schedule for when clients need to communicate with an AP. This helps improve client power savings and reduces airtime contention with other clients.

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### Aruba Secure Infrastructure

The Aruba 510 Series includes components of Aruba's 360 Secure Fabric to help protect user authentication and wireless traffic. Select capabilities include:

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### WPA3 And Enhanced Open

Support for stronger encryption and authentication is provided via the latest version of WPA for enterprise protected networks. Enhanced Open offers seamless new protection for users connecting to open networks where each session is automatically encrypted to protect user passwords and data on guest networks.

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### WPA2-MPSK

MPSK enables simpler passkey management for WPA2 devices – should the Wi-Fi password on one device or device type change, no additional changes are needed for other devices. Requires ClearPass Policy Manager.

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### VPN Tunnels

In Remote AP (RAP) and IAP-VPN deployments, the Aruba 510 Series can be used to establish a secure SSL/IPSec VPN tunnel to a Mobility Controller that is acting as a VPN concentrator.

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### Trusted Platform Module (TPM)

For enhanced device assurance, all Aruba APs have an installed TPM for secure storage of credentials and keys, and boot code.

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### Simple And Secure Access

To simplify policy enforcement, the Aruba 510 Series uses Aruba's policy enforcement firewall (PEF) feature to encapsulate all traffic from the AP to the Mobility Controller (or Gateway) for end-to-end encryption and inspection. Policies are applied based on user role, device type, applications, and location. This reduces the manual configuration of SSIDs, VLANs and ACLs. PEF also serves as the underlying technology for Aruba Dynamic Segmentation.

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### High-Density Connectivity

Each Aruba 510 Series AP provides connectivity for a maximum of 512 associated clients per radio (1024 in total). Higher-end Aruba APs like the 550 Series support up to 1024 per radio. In real-world scenarios, the maximum recommended client density is dependent on environmental conditions.

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### Flexible Operation And Management

A unique feature of Aruba APs is the ability to operate in either controllerless (Instant) or controller-based mode. In controllerless mode, one AP serves as a virtual controller for the entire network. Learn more about Instant mode in this technology brief.

For optimized network performance, roaming and security, APs tunnel all traffic to a mobility controller for centrally managed traffic forwarding and segmentation, data encryption, and policy enforcement. Learn more in the ArubaOS datasheet.

Available management solutions include Aruba Central (cloud-managed) or Aruba AirWave – a multi-vendor on-premises management solution.

For large installations across multiple sites, APs can be factory-shipped and can be activated with Zero Touch Provisioning through Aruba Central or AirWave. This reduces deployment time, centralizes configuration, and helps manage inventory.

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### Specifications - Hardware Variants

- AP-514: External antenna models
  - AP-515: Internal antenna models
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### Additional Wi-Fi Features

Each AP also includes the following standards-based technologies:

- Transmit beamforming (TxBF) increases signal reliability and range
  - Passpoint Wi-Fi (Release 2) (Hotspot 2.0) offers seamless cellular-to-Wi-Fi carryover for guests
  - Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) optimizes use of available RF spectrum
  - Maximum Ratio Combining (MRC) improves receiver performance
  - Cyclic Delay/Shift Diversity (CDD/CSD) provides greater downlink RF performance
  - Space-Time Block Coding increases range and improved reception
  - Low-Density Parity Check (LDPC) provides a high-efficiency error correction for increased throughput
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### Mounting

- A mounting bracket has been pre-installed on the back of the AP.
  - This bracket is used to secure the AP to any of the (sold separately) mount kits; see the ordering Information section below for details.
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### Warranty

- **Aruba Limited lifetime warranty**
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### Minimum Operating System Software Versions

- ArubaOS
  - Aruba InstantOS 8.5.0.0
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## Configuration Information

### BTO Models

Remarks	Description	SKU
	<b>515 Internal Antenna Access Points</b>	
<b>Notes:</b>	<a href="#">Add Mount Kit</a>	
	Aruba AP-515 (EG) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H59A
	Aruba AP-515 (IL) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H60A
	Aruba AP-515 (JP) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H61A
	Aruba AP-515 (RW) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H62A
	Aruba AP-515 (US) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H63A
	<b>514 External Antenna Access Points</b>	
<b>Notes:</b>	<a href="#">Add Mount Kit, Antenas</a>	
	Aruba AP-514 (EG) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H54A
	Aruba AP-514 (IL) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H55A
	Aruba AP-514 (JP) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H56A
	Aruba AP-514 (RW) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H57A
	Aruba AP-514 (US) Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H58A
	<b>515 Internal Antenna Access Points - TAA Models</b>	
<b>Notes:</b>	<a href="#">Add Mount Kit</a>	
	Aruba AP-515 (EG) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H69A
	Aruba AP-515 (IL) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H70A
	Aruba AP-515 (JP) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H71A
	Aruba AP-515 (RW) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H72A
	Aruba AP-515 (US) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax Internal Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H73A
	<b>514 External Antenna Access Points - TAA Models</b>	
<b>Notes:</b>	<a href="#">Add Mount Kit, Antenas</a>	
	Aruba AP-514 (EG) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H64A
	Aruba AP-514 (IL) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H65A
	Aruba AP-514 (JP) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H66A
	Aruba AP-514 (RW) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H67A
	Aruba AP-514 (US) TAA Dual Radio 4x4:4 + 2x2:2 802.11ax External Antennas Unified Campus AP	Q9H68A
<b>Notes:</b>	<a href="#">OCA Only Model Selection Form - HPE Offering &gt; Aruba &gt; Access Points - Indoor: Aruba 510 Series Campus Access Points</a>	

### Mount Accessories

For 514, 515 Series Std (Min 0 // max 99) User Selection (min 0 // max 99)

Remarks	Description	SKU
	<b>AP Mount Kits</b>	
	AP-MNT-A Campus AP mount bracket kit (individual) type A: suspended ceiling rail flat 9/16	R3J15A
	AP-MNT-MP10-A Campus AP mount bracket kit (10-pack) type A: suspended ceiling rail flat 9/16 flat 9/16	JZ370A
	AP-MNT-B Campus AP mount bracket kit (individual) type B: suspended ceiling rail flat 15/16	R3J16A
	AP-MNT-MP10-B Campus AP mount bracket kit (10-pack) type B: suspended ceiling rail flat 15/16 flat 15/16	Q9G69A
	AP-MNT-C Campus AP mount bracket kit (individual) type C: suspended ceiling rail profile 9/16	R3J17A
	AP-MNT-MP10-C Campus AP mount bracket kit (10-pack) type C: suspended ceiling rail profile 9/16 profile 9/16	Q9G70A
	AP-MNT-D Campus AP mount bracket kit (individual) type D: solid surface	R3J18A
	AP-MNT-MP10-D Campus AP mount bracket kit (10-pack) type D: solid surface	Q9G71A

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AP-MNT-E Campus AP mount bracket kit (individual) type E: wall-box	R3J19A
AP-MNT-MP10-E Campus AP mount bracket kit (10-pack) type E: wall-box	R1C72A
AP-MNT-MP10-X Campus AP mount adapter kit (10-pack)	R3T20A

Notes: [OCA Display Note: Kit contains mounts for 10 access points](#)

### Antennas

For 514 Std (Min 0 // max1) User Selection (min 0 // max 1)

#### Antennas

*	AP-ANT-1W 2.4-2.5GHz (4dBi)/4.9-5.875GHz (6dBi) Hi Gain Dual-band Omni-Dir Indoor Antenna	JW009A
	• Direct-mount	
*	AP-ANT-13B 2.4-2.5GHz (2.3dBi)/4.9-5.9GHz (4.0dBi) Downtilt Smallest Omni-Dir Single Ant	JW001A
	• Direct, using pigtails	
*	AP-ANT-19 2.4/5G Dual Band Omni-Dir 3dBi/6dBi Indr/Otrd RPSMA Cnctr Ant w/36in Intgrtd Cable	JW004A
	• Direct, using pigtails	
*	AP-ANT-20W 2.4-2.5GHz (2dBi)/4.9-5.875GHz (2dBi) Compact Omni-Dir DMt Indr White Antenna	JW011A
	• Direct-mount	
	AP-ANT-40 Dual Band Downtilt Omni 4dBi 4 Elmt MIMO Ceiling Mount 4xRPSMA Pigtail Antenna	JW017A
	• Direct, using pigtails	
	AP-ANT-45 Dual Band 90x90deg 5dBi 4 Element MIMO 4xRPSMA Pigtail Antenna	JW018A
	• Direct, using pigtails	
	AP-ANT-48 Dual Band 60x60deg 8.5dBi 4 Element MIMO 4xRPSMA Pigtail Antenna	JW019A
	• Direct, using pigtails	

- Notes:**
- \*Must select Qty 0 or Qty 4
  - OCA Blue Note:
    - o AP-ANT-1W, and AP-ANT-20W are usually direct connect to the chassis
    - o AP-ANT-45,AP-ANT-48 ship with hardware for flush mount to a flat surface
    - o AP-314 has 4x RPSMA female, concurrent dual-band connections

#### Antenna Mount Kits

For 514 Series Std (Min 0 // max 1) User selection (min 0 // max 1)

*	AP-ANT-MNT-4 AP-ANT-48 Azimuth and Elevation Adjustable Mount Kit	JW021A
**	AP-ANT-MNT-5 AP-ANT-45 Azimuth and Elevation Adjustable Mount Kit	JW022A

- Notes:**
- \*Only compatible with JW019A
  - \*\*Only compatible with JW018A

### Power Options

For 514, 515 Series Std (Min 0 // max 1) User Selection (min 0 // max 1)

Remarks	Description	SKU
<b>Notes:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- If this Power Supply is selected, bring in (Min 1 // Max 1) Localized power cord based on the Aruba Localization Menu</li> <li>- Most devices are PoE powered from switch so these are optional.</li> </ul>	
	AP-POE-ATSR 1-Port Smart Rate 802.3at 30W midspan injector	R6P67A
	Aruba PD-9001GR-AC 30W 802.3at PoE+ 10/100/1000 Ethernet Indoor Rated Midspan Injector	JW629A
	AP-AC-12V30B 12V/30W AC/DC Desktop Style 2.1/5.5/9.5mm Circular 90 Deg Plug DoE Level VI Adapter	JX990A
	AP-MNT-MP10-X Campus AP mount adapter kit (10-pack)	R3K00A

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### Accessories

For 515 Series Std (Min 0 // max 99) User Selection (min 0 // max 99)

#### Snap-on Covers

AP-MNT-MP10-B1 Campus AP mount bracket kit (10-pack) type B1 - suspended ceiling rail thick 15/16	R6T34A
AP-515-CVR-20 20-pack for AP-515 White Non-glossy Snap-on Covers	Q9H74A

**Notes:** [Kit contains 20 optional snap-on covers](#)

#### Other Accessories

For 514, 515 Series Std (Min 0 // max 99) User Selection (min 0 // max 99)

AP-MOD-SERU Micro-USB TTL3.3V to RJ45 RS232 AP Console Adapter Module	R6Q99A
AP-CBL-SERU Micro-USB TTL3.3V to USB2.0 AP Console Adapter Cable	JY728A
Aruba USB LTE Modem for use with Access Points and Gateways	R8F34A
Aruba USB Extender Cable Kit for use with Aruba USB LTE Modem	R8G76A

### Software

#### Central

#### Remarks Description

	SKU
Aruba Central AP Foundation 1 year Subscription E-STU	Q9Y58AAE
Aruba Central AP Foundation 3 year Subscription E-STU	Q9Y59AAE
Aruba Central AP Foundation 5 year Subscription E-STU	Q9Y60AAE
Aruba Central AP Foundation 7 year Subscription E-STU	Q9Y61AAE
Aruba Central AP Foundation 10 year Subscription E-STU	Q9Y62AAE
Aruba Central AP Advanced 1yr Subscription E-STU	Q9Y63AAE
Aruba Central AP Advanced 3yr Subscription E-STU	Q9Y64AAE
Aruba Central AP Advanced 5yr Subscription E-STU	Q9Y65AAE
Aruba Central AP Advanced 7yr Subscription E-STU	Q9Y66AAE
Aruba Central AP Advanced 10yr Subscription E-STU	Q9Y67AAE

**Notes:** [Add the Central Cloud Skus to the Aruba Catalog as Standalone: Aruba > Network Management > Central > Cloud Services](#)

Aruba Central On-Premises AP Foundation 1 year Subscription E-STU	R6U63AAE
Aruba Central On-Premises AP Foundation 3 year Subscription E-STU	R6U64AAE
Aruba Central On-Premises AP Foundation 5 year Subscription E-STU	R6U65AAE
Aruba Central On-Premises AP Foundation 7 year Subscription E-STU	R6U66AAE
Aruba Central On-Premises AP Foundation 10 year Subscription E-STU	R6U67AAE

**Notes:** [Add the Central On-Prem Skus to the Aruba Catalog as Standalone: Aruba > Network Management > Central > On-Prem Services](#)



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### RF Performance Table

Band, Rate	Maximum Transmit Power (Dbm) Per Transmit Chain	Receiver Sensitivity (Dbm) Per Receive Chain
<b>2.4GHz, 802.11b</b>		
1Mbps	18	-96
11Mbps	18	-88
<b>2.4GHz, 802.11g</b>		
6Mbps	18	-93
54Mbps	17	-75
<b>2.4GHz, 802.11n HT20</b>		
MCS0	18	-93
MCS7	16	-75
<b>2.4GHz, 802.11ax HE20</b>		
MCS0	18	-92
MCS11	14	-62
<b>5GHz, 802.11a</b>		
6Mbps	18	-93
54Mbps	17	-75
<b>5GHz, 802.11n HT20</b>		
MCS0	18	-93
MCS7	16	-73
<b>5GHz, 802.11n HT40</b>		
MCS0	18	-90
MCS7	16	-70
<b>5GHz, 802.11ac VHT20</b>		
MCS0	18	-93
MCS9	16	-68
<b>5GHz, 802.11ac VHT40</b>		
MCS0	18	-90
MCS9	16	-65
<b>5GHz, 802.11ac VHT80</b>		
MCS0	18	-87
MCS9	16	-62
<b>5GHz, 802.11ac VHT160</b>		
MCS0	18	-84
MCS9	16	-59
<b>5GHz, 802.11ax HE20</b>		
MCS0	18	-90
MCS11	14	-60
<b>5GHz, 802.11ax HE40</b>		
MCS0	18	-87
MCS11	14	-57
<b>5GHz, 802.11ax HE80</b>		
MCS0	18	-84
MCS11	14	-54
<b>5GHz, 802.11ax HE160</b>		
MCS0	18	-81
MCS11	13	-51

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### Wi-Fi Radio Specifications

- AP type: Indoor, dual radio, 5GHz 802.11ax 4x4 MIMO and 2.4GHz 802.11ax 2x2 MIMO
- 5GHz radio:
  - Four spatial stream Single User (SU) MIMO for up to 4.8Gbps wireless data rate to individual 4SS HE160 802.11ax client devices (max)
  - Two spatial stream Single User (SU) MIMO for up to 1.2Gbps wireless data rate to individual 2SS HE80 802.11ax client devices (typical)
  - Four spatial stream Multi User (MU) MIMO for up to 4.8Gbps wireless data rate to up to four 1SS or two 2SS HE160 802.11ax DL-MU-MIMO capable client devices simultaneously (max)
  - Four spatial stream Multi User (MU) MIMO for up to 2.4Gbps wireless data rate to up to four 1SS or two 2SS HE80 802.11ax DL-MU-MIMO capable client devices simultaneously (typical)
- 2.4GHz radio:
  - Two spatial stream Single User (SU) MIMO for up to 575Mbps wireless data rate to individual 2SS HE40 802.11ax client devices or to two 1SS HE40 802.11ax DL-MU-MIMO capable client devices simultaneously (max)
  - Two spatial stream Single User (SU) MIMO for up to 287Mbps wireless data rate to individual 2SS HE20 802.11ax client devices or to two 1SS HE20 802.11ax DL-MU-MIMO capable client devices simultaneously (typical)
- Support for up to 256 associated client devices per radio, and up to 16 BSSIDs per radio
- Supported frequency bands (country-specific restrictions apply):
  - 2.400 to 2.4835GHz
  - 5.150 to 5.250GHz
  - 5.250 to 5.350GHz
  - 5.470 to 5.725GHz
  - 5.725 to 5.850GHz
- Available channels: Dependent on configured regulatory domain
- Dynamic frequency selection (DFS) optimizes the use of available RF spectrum
- Supported radio technologies:
  - 802.11b: Direct-sequence spread-spectrum (DSSS)
  - 802.11a/g/n/ac: Orthogonal frequency-division multiplexing (OFDM)
  - 802.11ax: Orthogonal frequency-division multiple access (OFDMA) with up to 16 resource units (for an 80MHz channel)
- Supported modulation types:
  - 802.11b: BPSK, QPSK, CCK
  - 802.11a/g/n: BPSK, QPSK, 16-QAM, 64-QAM, 256-QAM (proprietary extension)
  - 802.11ac: BPSK, QPSK, 16-QAM, 64-QAM, 256-QAM, 1024-QAM (proprietary extension)
  - 802.11ax: BPSK, QPSK, 16-QAM, 64-QAM, 256-QAM, 1024-QAM
  - 802.11n high-throughput (HT) support: HT20/40
  - 802.11ac very high throughput (VHT) support: VHT20/40/80/160
  - 802.11ax high efficiency (HE) support: HE20/40/80/160
- Supported data rates (Mbps) :
  - 802.11b: 1, 2, 5.5, 11
  - 802.11a/g: 6, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, 54
  - 802.11n (2.4GHz): 6.5 to 300 (MCS0 to MCS15, HT20 to HT40)
  - 802.11n (5GHz): 6.5 to 600 (MCS0 to MVC31, HT20 to HT40)
  - 802.11ac: 6.5 to 3,467 (MCS0 to MCS9, NSS = 1 to 4, VHT20 to VHT160)
  - 802.11ax (2.4GHz): 3.6 to 574 (MCS0 to MCS11, NSS = 1 to 2, HE20 to HE40)
  - 802.11ax (5GHz): 3.6 to 4,803 (MCS0 to MCS11, NSS = 1 to 4, HE20 to HE160)
  - 802.11n/ac packet aggregation: A-MPDU, A-MSDU
- Transmit power: Configurable in increments of 0.5 dBm
- Maximum (aggregate, conducted total) transmit power (limited by local regulatory requirements):

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- 2.4 GHz band: +21 dBm (18dBm per chain)
- 5 GHz band: +24 dBm (18 dBm per chain)

**Notes:** Conducted transmit power levels exclude antenna gain. For total (EIRP) transmit power, add antenna gain.

- Advanced Cellular Coexistence (ACC) minimizes the impact of interference from cellular networks
- Maximum ratio combining (MRC) for improved receiver performance
- Cyclic delay/shift diversity (CDD/CSD) for improved downlink RF performance
- Space-time block coding (STBC) for increased range and improved reception
- Low-density parity check (LDPC) for high-efficiency error correction and increased throughput
- Transmit beam-forming (TxBF) for increased signal reliability and range
- 802.11ax Target Wait Time (TWT) to support low-power client devices

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## Mechanical Specifications

- Dimensions/weight (AP-515; unit, excluding mount bracket):
  - 200mm (W) x 200mm (D) x 46mm (H) / 7.9" (W) x 7.9" (D) x 1.8" (H)
  - 810g / 28.5oz
- Dimensions/weight (AP-515; shipping):
  - 230mm (W) x 220mm (D) x 72mm (H) / 9.1" (W) x 8.7" (D) x 2.8" (H)
  - 1010 / 35.5oz

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## Wi-Fi Antennas

- AP-514: Four RP-SMA connectors for external dual band antennas (A0 through A3, corresponding with radio chains 0 through 3). Worst-case internal loss between radio interface and external antenna connectors (due to diplexing circuitry): 1.3dB in 2.4GHz and 1.7dB in 5GHz.
- AP-515: Four integrated dual-band downtilt omni-directional antennas for 4x4 MIMO with peak antenna gain of 4.2dBi in 2.4GHz and 7.5dBi in 5GHz. Built-in antennas are optimized for horizontal ceiling mounted orientation of the AP. The downtilt angle for maximum gain is roughly 30 degrees.
  - Combining the patterns of each of the antennas of the MIMO radios, the peak gain of the effective per-antenna pattern is 3.8dBi in 2.4GHz and 4.6dBi in 5GHz.

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## Additional Interfaces

- E0: HPE SmartRate port (RJ-45, maximum negotiated speed 2.5Gbps)
  - Auto-sensing link speed (100/1000/2500BASE-T) and MDI/MDX
  - 2.5Gbps speed complies with NBase-T and 802.3bz specifications
  - POE-PD: 48Vdc (nominal) 802.3af/802.3at POE
- E1: 10/100/1000BASE-T Ethernet network interface (RJ-45)
  - Auto-sensing link speed and MDI/MDX
- Link aggregation (LACP) support between both network ports for redundancy and increased capacity
- DC power interface: 12Vdc (nominal, +/- 5%), accepts 2.1mm/5.5mm center-positive circular plug with 9.5mm length
- USB 2.0 host interface (Type A connector)
  - Capable of sourcing up to 1A / 5W to an attached device
- Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE5.0) and Zigbee (802.15.4) radio
  - BLE: up to 8dBm transmit power (class 1) and -95dBm receive sensitivity
  - Zigbee: up to 8dBm transmit power and -97dBm receive sensitivity
  - Integrated vertically polarized omnidirectional antenna with roughly 30 degrees downtilt and peak gain of 3.5dBi (AP-515) or 4.9dBi (AP-514)
- Visual indicators (two multi-color LEDs): for System and Radio status
- Reset button: factory reset, LED mode control (normal/off)
- Serial console interface (proprietary, micro-B USB physical jack)
- Kensington security slot



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### Reliability

Mean Time Between Failure (MTBF): 560,000hrs (64yrs) at +25C operating temperature.

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### Regulatory Model Numbers

- AP-514: APIN0514
  - AP-515: APIN0515
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### Power Sources And Power Consumption

- The AP supports direct DC power and Power over Ethernet (POE; on port E0)
  - When both power sources are available, DC power takes priority over POE
  - Power sources are sold separately; see the ordering Information section below for details
  - When powered by DC or 802.3at POE, the AP will operate without restrictions
  - When powered by 802.3af POE and with the IPM feature enabled, the AP will start up in unrestricted mode, but it may apply restrictions depending on the POE budget and actual power. What IPM restrictions to apply, and in what order, is programmable.
  - When powered by 802.3af POE with the IPM feature disabled, the AP operates in power-save mode, and will apply some fixed restrictions:
    - The USB interface and E1 Ethernet port are disabled
    - The 5GHz radio is restricted to 2x2 operation
  - Maximum (worst-case) power consumption:
    - DC powered: 17W
    - POE powered (802.3at): 20.8W
    - POE powered (802.3af): 13.5W
    - All numbers above are without an external USB device connected. When sourcing the full 5W power budget to such a device, the incremental (worst-case) power consumption for the AP is up to 6.5W.
  - Maximum (worst-case) power consumption in idle mode: 11W (DC or POE)
  - Maximum (worst-case) power consumption in deep-sleep mode: 1W (DC or POE)
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### Environmental Specifications

- Operating conditions
    - Temperature: 0C to +50C / +32F to +122F
    - Humidity: 5% to 93% non-condensing
    - AP is plenum rated for use in air-handling spaces
    - ETS 300 019 class 3.2 environments
  - Storage and transportation conditions
    - Temperature: -40C to +70C / -40F to +158F
    - Humidity: 5% to 93% non-condensing
    - ETS 300 019 classes 1.2 and 2.3 environments
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### Regulatory Compliance

- FCC/ISED
- CE Marked
- RED Directive 2014/53/EU
- EMC Directive 2014/30/EU
- Low Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU
- UL/IEC/EN 60950
- EN 60601-1-1, EN60601-1-2

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## Technical Specifications

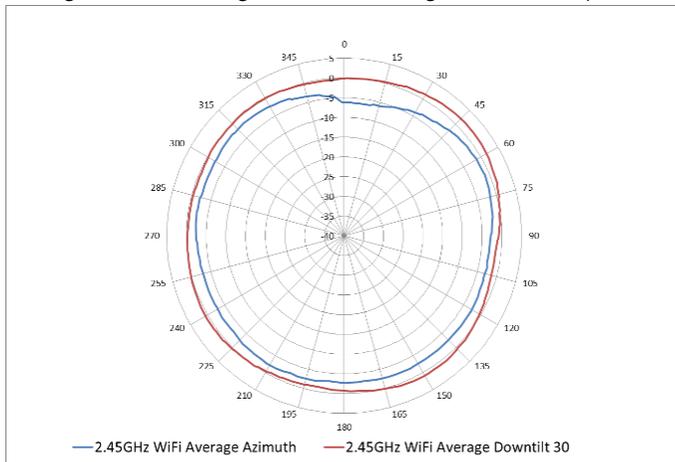
### Certifications

- UL2043 plenum rating
- Wi-Fi Alliance:
  - Wi-Fi CERTIFIED a, b, g, n, ac
  - Wi-Fi CERTIFIED ax
    - Notes:** May require software update. Certification effort will be kicked off as soon as the Wi-Fi Alliance starts the program.
  - WPA, WPA2 and WPA3 – Enterprise, Personal
  - WMM, WMM-PS, Wi-Fi Vantage, W-Fi Agile Multiband
  - Wi-Fi Location
    - Notes:** Not available initially; will require a software upgrade.
  - Passpoint (release 2)
- Bluetooth SIG
- Ethernet Alliance (POE, PD device, class 4)

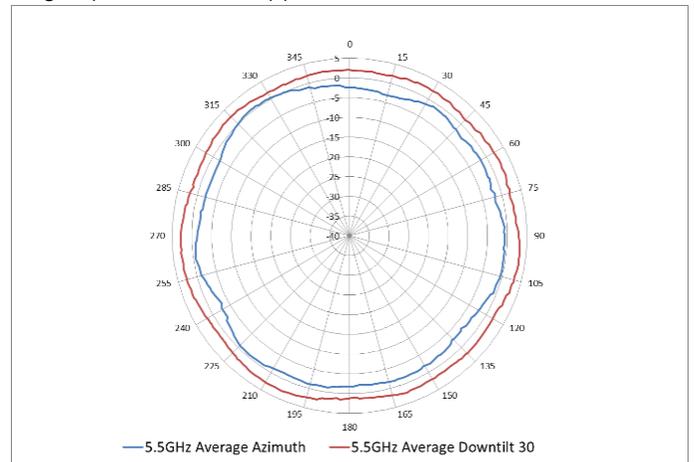
### Antenna Patterns

#### Horizontal Planes (Top View)

Showing azimuth (0 degrees) and 30 degrees downtilt patterns (averaged patterns for all applicable antennas)



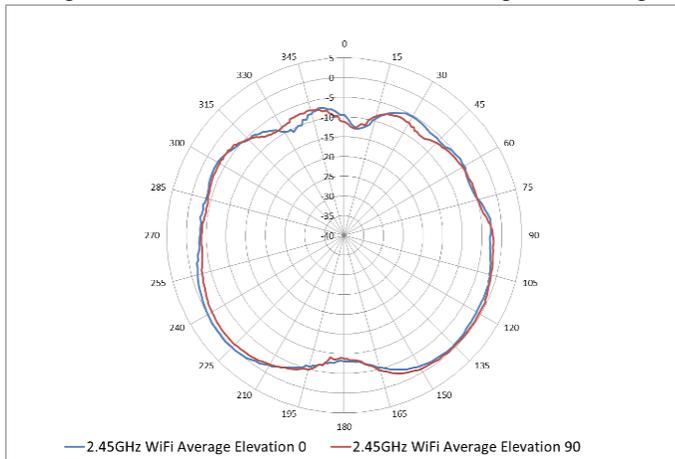
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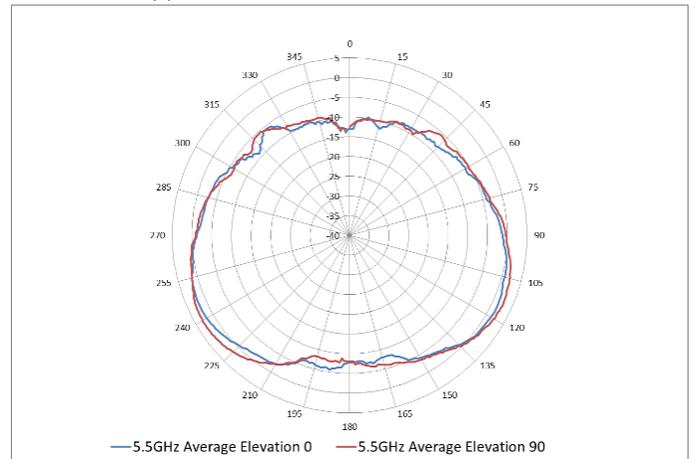
**5.5GHz Wi-Fi (antennas 1, 2, 3, 4)**

#### Vertical (elevation) planes (side view, AP facing down)

Showing side view with AP rotated 0 and 90 degrees (averaged patterns for all applicable antennas)



**2.45GHz Wi-Fi (antennas 1, 2)**



**5.5GHz Wi-Fi (antennas 1, 2, 3, 4)**



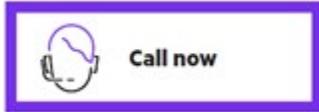
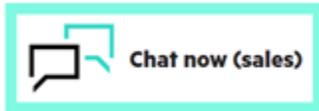
## Summary of Changes

<b>Date</b>	<b>Version History</b>	<b>Action</b>	<b>Description of Change</b>
05-Jul-2022	Version 8	Changed	Configuration Information section was updated.
15-Mar-2021	Version 7	Changed	SKUs were added in Configuration Information section.
08-Sep-2020	Version 6	Changed	Configuration Information section was updated New SKUS were added
04-Nov-2019	Version 5	Changed	Configuration Information section was updated New SKUS were added
07-Oct-2019	Version 4	Changed	Overview, Standard Features and Configuration Information sections were updated New SKUS were added
03-Jun-2019	Version 3	Changed	Configuration and Accessories sections were updated. New SKUs were added.
18-Feb-2019	Version 2	Changed	Minor change made on Technical Specifications
13-Nov-2018	Version 1	New	New QuickSpecs



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