How To Setup PPTP VPN Between Windows PPTP Client And DSL-G804V.

This setup example uses the following network settings:



DSL-G804V Setup

Step 1. Open a web browser (e.g. Internet Explorer) and type the IP address of the DSL-G804V in the address bar (the default is 192.168.1.1). Press **Enter**.

Step 2. Enter the username and password (default is admin/admin). Click on OK to login.

3	Please type y	our user name and password.
9	Site:	192.168.1.1
	Realm	WebAdmin
	User Name	admin
	Password	
	Save this	password in your password list
		OK Cancel

Step 3. Click on Advanced at the top. Click on VPN on the left side, then the PPTP option.

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- Connection Name enter the connection name
- Connection Type Select Remote Access
- Service Type Select Dial-in
- IP Address enter the IP address to be assigned to the remote user (i.e. 192.168.1.200)
- Username enter the Username
- Password enter the Password
- Idle Timeout enter preferred time out for user (i.e. 5 mins)
- Data Encryption select Enable
- Key Length select 128 bits

Once done click "Apply"

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Step 5. Click on Tools at the top, System on the left side. Click on the Save button to permanently save the changes to device memory.



Windows PPTP Client Setup

To setup your remote client for PPTP VPN connection you can use Windows built-in PPTP client. We will use Windows XP as an example.

Go to Start > Control Panel > Network Connections.



Click on Create New Connection. Follow the prompts in the New Connection Wizard.





Select the "Connect to the network at my workplace" option. Click Next.



Select the "Virtual Private Network connection" option. Click Next.

New Connection Wizard
Network Connection How do you want to connect to the network at your workplace?
Create the following connection: Dial-up connection Connect using a modem and a regular phone line or an Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) phone line. Virtual Private Network connection Connect to the network using a virtual private network (VPN) connection over the Internet.
< <u>B</u> ack <u>N</u> ext> Cancel

Give the connection a name, e.g. My PPTP Connection. Click Next.

New Connection Wizard	
Connection Name Specify a name for this connection to your workplace.	Ì
Type a name for this connection in the following box. Company Name	
For example, you could type the name of your workplace or the name of a server you will connect to.	
<u> ≺ B</u> ack <u>N</u> ext > Cancel)

Select "Do not dial the initial connection option". Click Next.

New Connection Wizard	
Public Network Windows car make sure the public network is connected first.	S)
Windows can automatically dial the initial connection to the Internet or other public network, before establishing the virtual connection.	
Automaticallu dial this initial connection:	
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On the VPN Server Selection page under "Host name or IP address" enter the public IP address that the remote VPN Firewall is getting from the ISP. If you have got a router or a modem with NAT in front of the VPN firewall, use the public IP address on the modem's WAN port. Note that the router/modem will need to support VPN passthrough. Click Next.

New Connection Wizard
VPN Server Selection What is the name or address of the VPN server?
Type the host name or Internet Protocol (IP) address of the computer to which you are connecting. <u>H</u> ost name or IP address (for example, microsoft.com or 157,54.0.1.):
202.129.109.84
<u> < B</u> ack <u>N</u> ext > Cancel

Continue with the Connection Wizard and click on Finish when done.

To establish a VPN connection: make sure you have access to the Internet. Make sure the modem or the router you are using to connect to the Internet supports VPN passthrough. Make sure that the range of IP addresses (subnet) you are using on this LAN is different from the range used on remote LAN (e.g. if remote LAN is using 192.168.1.x, you can not use 192.168.1.x on your LAN).

Double-click on the PPTP connection icon that you created earlier and enter the username and password as it was set in the VPN Firewall (see Step 4 of the router Setup).

Click on Connect. After verifying username and password your computer should establish a PPTP connection.

Connect My PPTP Connection				
<u>U</u> ser name:	D-LINK			
<u>P</u> assword:	•••••			
Save this user name and password for the following users:				
Me only Anyone who uses this computer				
Connect	Cancel Properties <u>H</u> elp			

Please note that with its default settings a PPTP connection in Windows is used as remote gateway for all traffic. Hence you may lose the ability to browse the Internet sites when the PPTP connection is established. To avoid this problem do the following:

Open your PPTP connection dialog. Click on the Properties button. Select the Networking tab.

My PPTP Connection Properties 🛛 😨 🛛				
General Options Security Networking Advanced				
Type of VPN:				
Automatic 💌				
<u>S</u> ettings				
This connection uses the following items:				
 ✓ → Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) ✓ → QoS Packet Scheduler ✓ → File and Printer Sharing for Microsoft Networks ✓ → Client for Microsoft Networks 				
Install Uninstall Properties				
Description				
Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol. The default wide area network protocol that provides communication across diverse interconnected networks.				
OK Cancel				

Highlight the Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) and click on Properties. Then click on the Advanced... button. Deselect the "Use default gateway on remote network" option. Click on OK in each window to apply the setting. Reconnect your PPTP connection.

Advanced TCP/IP Settings	2 🛛
General DNS WINS	
This checkbox only applies when you are connected to a local network and a dial-up network simultaneously. When checked, data that cannot be sent on the local network is forwarded to the dial-up network.	
Use default gateway on remote network	
OK Car	ncel

Notes

In order to connect to shared resources via a VPN tunnel you can map remote computers' drives and folders by opening Windows Explorer and going to Tools > Map Network Drive (you need to specify the IP address of the computer on remote network and the name of the shared folder):

Map Network Drive			×	
	Windows can help you connect to a shared network fold and assign a drive letter to the connection so that you o access the folder using My Computer. Specify the drive letter for the connection and the folde that you want to connect to:			
	<u>D</u> rive:	Z: 👻	•	
	F <u>o</u> lder:	\\192.168.1.20\Shared Do 🔽	Browse	
		Example: \\server\share		
		Reconnect at logon		
		Connect using a <u>different user</u> (name.	
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Alternatively you can do Search > Computers or People > Computer on Network > specify the IP address of the computer you are trying to connect to.

If you do not see computers in My Network Places or My Network Neighbourhood you may need to enable NetBIOS over TCP/IP in Windows.

Note that firewall/antivirus software installed on your or remote computer may stop you from accessing remote network.