

BLE (RSSI) Based Locator and Gateway Provides Proximity Location Tracking

VERSION 1.0 ZENIX LEN Configuration Guide





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1. Introduction

1.1. Accessory List

- 1) 12V 2A Power Supply
- 2) Ethernet Cable Blue/Grey color (POE)
- 3) Mounting Screws Mount product to wall
- 4) External Antenna

1.2. Hardware Description

- 1) Gateway Status LED
- 2) Gateway Power LED
- 3) POE Port
- 4) Reset Button
- 5) DC 12V IN



Figure 1: ZENIX LEN Diagram



1.3. Required Software

Below are the software names with links:

Software Name	Version	Download link
MQTT Fx	Any	MQTT Fx Software
Advance IP Scanner	Any	https://www.advanced-ip-scanner.com/

2. Hardware Network Installation

2.1. Power using 12 V Adapter



Figure 1: ZENIX LEN Wiring using LAN and Power 12V



2.2. POE Injector



Figure 3: ZENIX LEN Wiring using POE Adapter

2.3. POE Switch

Always use a Gigabit PoE switch compliant with the IEEE 802.3af standard.



Figure 4: ZENIX LEN Wiring using Gigabit POE Switch



3. Device Status

Once the ZENIX LEN is powered on, the Power LED will light up, indicating the device is booting. wait 1 to 2 minutes for the boot process to be completed. The device's status can then be identified based on the status LED on the ZENIX LEN Scanner.

The status of the ZENIX LEN can be determined by observing the status LED as below:

Status LED (Green LED)	Rate	Description
OFF	OFF	System booting Up
Blinking	3s (ON), 3s (OFF)	Connecting to Internet
ON	ON	Connected

4. ZENIX LEN Configuration

4.1. Finding ZENIX LEN IP Address

• Note down your ZENIX LEN MAC Address. The MAC Address of ZENIX LEN is written at the back of the device



Figure 5: MAC Address



- Open Advanced IP Scanner Software.
- Click on the Scan Button.



Figure 6: Advance IP Scanner Home Screen

• Upon a successful scan, locate your ZENIX LEN IP Address corresponding to your MAC Address.

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<u>F</u> ile <u>V</u> iew <u>S</u>	Settings <u>H</u> elp					
Scan						
192.168.1.1-25	54, 192.168.246.1-254, 192.168.64.1-2	.54	Example: 192.168.0.1-1	100, 192.168.0.200 Searc	ch	Q
Results Fa	vorites					
Status	Name	ÎP	Manufacturer	MAC address	Comments	^
> 📮	LINKIT	192.168.1.145	Equitech Industrial(Do	40:D6:3C:03:0A:9E		
> 📮	192.168.1.151	192.168.1.151	Cisco Systems, Inc	BC:F1:F2:3D:C1:40		
—	DESKTOP-6GOQL26	192.168.1.154	Hewlett Packard	40:B0:34:51:C4:0D		
—	DESKTOP-R69LVG1	192.168.1.160	Emerging Technologi	00:0D:A3:21:08:FC		
—	LabServer1	192.168.1.162	Dell Inc.	F8:B1:56:E1:9C:B4		
> 📮	LINKIT	192.168.1.165	Equitech Industrial(Do	40:D6:3C:02:13:5A		
—	danish-HP-Elite-7300-Series-MT	192.168.1.174	Emerging Technologi	00:0D:A3:22:12:61		
—	192.168.1.176	192.168.1.176	Samsung Electronics	34:14:5F:08:96:E1		
—	DESKTOP-KE2TR78	192.168.1.178	Intel Corporate	FC:F8:AE:25:BB:AB		
> 📮	LINKIT	192.168.1.190	Equitech Industrial(Do	40:D6:3C:03:0F:08		
—	Anass-MacBook-Pro	192.168.1.196	Apple, Inc.	F0:18:98:59:AC:30		
—	iPhone	192.168.1.197	Apple, Inc.	F0:98:9D:2C:50:67		
> 📮	Averos-SharryPC	192.168.1.198	Dell Inc.	F8:B1:56:C9:34:84		
—	rrasool	192.168.1.201	Dell Inc.	B8:CA:3A:8A:98:4F		
	DC 2CD2142DWD IC201C111CDDWD	102 100 1 205	0 0 00 00 B	A 4 4 A 37 EO 30 34		×

Figure 7: IP Address using Advance IP Scanner



• Access the **ZENIX LEN** Configuration page by entering the IP address into your browser. This action will redirect you to the device's Admin login page.

Sentrax logo	
	root
	bassword
	Login

Figure 8: ZENIX LEN Admin Page

Enter the password (SentraxGateway1234) and click "Login". You will be directed to the Home Page as illustrated in the image below.

sentrax	Summary	Telemetry	BLE	Firmware Update	Co	onnectivity	Logout														
						System	Summary														
						Hostname	9	LEN2:40:D6:3C:D9:47:E5													
						MAC Addr	ress	40:D6:3C:D9:47:E5													
						Hardware	version	S011V0R0													
						Firmware	Version	F011V0R0													
						Local Time	e	2024-09-19 12:56:29													
																			Uptime		0h 3m 2s
						MQTT Sta	atus	Connected													
						BLE Statu	IS	Scanner Up													
								Wifi Status	s	Disabled											
						Ethernet S	Status	Enabled													
						Memory		54MB/120MB													
						IP address	s	192.168.30.252													

Figure 9: System Summary



4.2. Firmware Update

Automatic Update:

The main page provides information on the current firmware version installed. Refer to the image below to identify the current firmware version displayed on the main page.

sentrax	Summary	Telemetry	BLE	Firmware Update	Co	nnectivity	Logout																		
						System	Summary																		
						Hostname	9		LEN2:40:D6:3C:D9:47:E5																
						MAC Add	ress		40:D6:3C:D9:47:E5																
						Hardware	version		S011V0R0																
						Firmware	Version	\subset	F011V0R0																
																							Local Tim	e	
															Uptime			0h 3m 2s							
						MQTT Sta	atus		Connected																
							BLE Statu	IS		Scanner Up															
								Wifi Statu	s		Disabled														
							Ethernet S	Status		Enabled															
						Memory			54MB/120MB																
						IP addres	s		192.168.30.252																

Figure 10: Firmware Version Update

Click on Firmware Update from the Main Menu to navigate to the firmware update page. If a new firmware update is available, the button will be visible as shown in the above image. Click this button to initiate the firmware update.

sentrax	Summary	Telemetry	BLE	Firmware Update	Connectivity Logout
					Upgrade
					Flash new firmware image
					Upload a sysupgrade-compatible image here to replace the running firmware.
					Image Flash image
				¢	New firmware is available

Figure 11: New Firmware is available

The update may take between 15 to 20 minutes to complete depending upon the internet speed.

Important note: It is recommended to have a stable internet connection and stable power-supply during the update procedure.



After 15 minutes, refresh the firmware update tab and you will be directed to Login-in page. Reenter your login credentials and navigate back to the firmware update tab.

sentrax	Summary	Telemetry	BLE	Firmware Update	Connectivity Logout
					Upgrade
					Flash new firmware image
					Upload a sysupgrade-compatible image here to replace the running firmware.
					Image Flash image

Figure 12: Flash New firmware image

After a successful update, the "New firmware is available" button will disappear as shown in the above image. If the page shows problems in loading after refreshing, please wait for a few additional minutes and then try again.

Verify the updated firmware version on the home page. Reboot the device by unplugging and re plugging in the power supply (optional).

Manual Update:

To manually update by uploading the firmware file, kindly reach out to sales@sentrax.com to obtain the latest firmware file and a comprehensive guide on the manual firmware upload process.

Note:

Kindly uncheck all the messages displayed at the time of firmware update as seen in the image below.

sentrax	Summary	Telemetry BLE Firmw	are Update Connectivity Logout					
		Upgrade	Flash image?					
		Flash new firmware Upload a sysupgrade-compat Imag	The flash image was uploaded. Below is the checksum and file size listed, compare them with the original file to ensure data integrity. Click 'Continue' below to start the flash procedure. Size: 16.25 MB MD5: 190b5cd95749c67cd902b5d38236205d SHA256: 2b3305a0afe42ec2733eacafb8135971487941c3a3818286d278140f6569ce79 Keep settings and retain the current configuration					
			Include in backup a list of current installed packages at /etc/backup/installed_packages.txt Cancel Continue					



4.3. MQTT Configuration

After Login, Click on **Telemetry** from the options on the top to change the following setting as per your requirements:

- **MQTT Server:** Address of MQTT server
- Client Id: Device Floor ID.
- **MQTT Username:** Username of MQTT server. If the MQTT server does not have a username leave it blank.
- **MQTT Password:** Password of MQTT server. If the MQTT server does not have a password leave it blank. **MQTT Topic:** Topic on which data will be posted
- Data Posting Rate: Interval between two consecutive data
- Data Alive Ping: Device Alive message rate

sentrax	Summary	Telemetry	BLE	Firmware Updat	e Connectivity	Logout	
					Teleme Settings	try	
						MQTT Server	app.sentrax.com
						MQTT ClientId	542f59f7-4d87-412a-a908-07c66\$
						MQTT Username	sentrax_admin II 4
						MQTT Password	ш (р -
						MQTT Topic	/device/filtered/rssi
						MQTT Server Port	1883
						Data Posting Rate	1
						Device Alive Ping	5 • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
					Rese	t	undefined Save

Figure 14: MQTT Configurations

4.4. BLE Configuration

Click on **BLE** tab from the taskbar to change the following BLE setting as per your requirements:

- Scan Window: The duration during which the device listens for advertising packets from other BLE devices.
- **Scan Interval:** The total time between the start of one scan window and the start of the next, including the listening and idle time.
- Antenna: You can choose between an internal or external antenna based on your BLE range requirements. By default, the internal antenna is selected in the LEN device.



sentiax	Summary	Telemetry	BLE	Firmware Update	Connectivity	Logout	
					BLE		
						Scan Window	5 • 4 - 16384
						Scan Interval	5 • 4 - 16384
					Rese	Antenna	External Antenna v undefined Save



4.5. Wi-Fi Connectivity - Preparation Steps

Power the ZENIX LEN using the provided 12V power adapter. Please wait until the LEN access point is visible. The format of this access point will be 'LEN2_' followed by the last 6 digits of the MAC address. For more clarity, refer to Figure-15.

10:76:77	
HUAWEI-23G2	
Mr. ICS	
The WLAN	
A ICS10	

Figure-16: Wi-Fi Connectivity

Connect your Windows laptop to the LEN access point using the following password: Password: 12345678

After a successful connection, enter '192.168.1.1' in the web browser. Use the default login credentials (Password: SentraxGateway1234) to access the configuration page. Navigate the 'Connectivity' option; refer to Figure-16 for further clarity.



sentra <mark>x</mark>	Summary	Telemetry	BLE	Firmware Update	Conr	nectivity	Logout	
					s	System	Summary	
						Hostname	e	LEN2:40:D6:3C:D9:47:E5
						MAC Add	iress	40:D6:3C:D9:47:E5
						Hardware	e version	S011V0R0
						Firmware	Version	F011V0R0
						Local Tim	ie	2024-09-19 12:56:29
						Uptime		0h 3m 2s
						MQTT St	atus	Connected
						BLE State	us.	Scanner Up
						Wifi Statu	IS	Disabled
						Ethernet	Status	Enabled
						Memory		54MB/120MB
						IP addres	S	192.168.30.252

Figure-17

Navigate to the 'Connectivity' tab for network connectivity and configuration; refer to Figure-17 for additional clarity.

Connectivity	
Settings	
Enable DHCP	
IP Address	192.168.2.2
Netmask	255.255.255.0
Gateway	192.168.2.1
Config WiFi	
	Inable WiFi Client mode (station mode)
SSID	I
	Scan
Password	II 1 *
Reset	undefined Save

Figure-18

First, enable the 'Config Wi-Fi' checkbox, and then perform a 'Scan' for available networks. Connect with a Wi-Fi network of your choice using its credentials and then 'Save' the configuration settings. For further clarity, refer to Figure-18.

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Connectivity	
Settings	
Enable DHCP	
IP Address	192.168.2.2
Netmask	255.255.255.0
Gateway	192.168.2.1
Config WiFi	
SSID	Enable WiFi Client mode (station mode) Sentrax-PC 3695
	Scan
Password	*
Reset	undefined Save

Figure: -19

Wait for a few minutes to allow device to connect to the Wi-Fi, then open 'Advanced IP Scanner' and run scan to find the IP address assigned to the device.

Advanced IP Scann File View Settings	er Help					
192.168.30.1-254						
Results Favorites	Results Favorites					
Status	Name	(Î)	Manufacturer			

Figure: 20

Pls note that when the device is connected to Wi-Fi, the last two characters of the MAC address are decremented by 1, e.g. if the original MAC Address is 40:D6:3C:D9:47:E5, it will be changed to 40:D6:3C:D9:47:E4.

After the scanning period has elapsed, Enter the updated MAC address in the search bar on the top right-hand side and find the IP assigned to the device as shown in the image below.

Ser



File View Settings Help
Scan II IP C E E
192.168.30.1-254,192.168.10.1-254 Example: 192.168.0.1-100, 192.168.0.200 40:D6:3C:D9:47:E4
Results Favorites
Status Name IP Manufacturer MAC address Comments
102 102 0 242 102 102 102 0 242 Estimate la Justice 100 0 20 0 0 47 Est

Figure 21

Access the **ZENIX LEN** Configuration page by entering the IP address into your browser. This action will redirect you to the device's Admin login page, where you can configure device.

Sentrax logo	
	root
	bassword
	Login



<u>Note</u>: The priority network for LEN will always be Ethernet. In the absence of Ethernet availability, if the device Wi-Fi settings were configured, LEN will automatically switch to Wi-Fi.

5. Data Packet

The packet format for the beacon stream received by ZENIX LEN Gateway through MQTT is in

following format:

Packet Body (JSON):



"mac" : "40D63CD947E5", "v" : "F011V0R1", "beacon_data" : [{ "beacon_cata" : "C5C3896FF283", "ndu_data" : "C5C3896FF283", "ndu_data" : ["10020106030000121608FF60000008520001C5C3806FF2833008R7" _ "0D0C00426561636F6F582050726F88"]
"v" : "F011V0R1", "beacon_data" : [{ "beacon_mac" : "C5C3896FF283", "ndu_draz" : [10020106020000121608FF60000008520001C5C3806FF283300887" _ "0D0C00426561636F6F582050726F88"]
"beacon_data" : [{ "beacon_mac" : "C5C3896FF283", "ndu_drza" : [10020106020000111608FF40000008520001C5C3806FF283300887" _ "0D0C00426561636F6F582050726F88"]
"beacon_mac" : "C5C3896FF283", "ndu data" : [19820196672030001216A8FF40000408520001C5C3806FF283300887", "0D0C00426561636F6F582050726F88"]
"ndu data" · ["10020106020000121608EF/0000008520001C5C3806EF2833008R7", "000C00/26561636F6F582050726ER8"]
"beacon mac" : "18E82948F51E".
"pdu data" : ["1A0201061106E568F2C45FE5DEA0104CD81AC81A4E05040855434BB3", "1209162A2518E82948F51D07161820C0A81E02B3",
1A0201061106E568F2C45FE5DEA0104CD81AC81A4E05040855434BB6", "1209162A2518E82948F51D07161820C0A81E02B6",
1A0201061106E568F2C45FE5DEA0104CD81AC81A4E05040855434BB3", "1A0201061106E568F2C45FE5DEA0104CD81AC81A4E05040855434BB6",
'1209162A2518E82948F51D07161820C0A81E02B7"]
"beacon mac" : "3867D8F2E913",
"pdu data" : ["1F1E16F3FE4A172351595A4B1132C2E6C7B62900BC3951380E82E7E797BEE5BBC3",
'1F1E16F3FE4A172351595A4B1132C2E6C7B62900BC3951380E82E7E797BEE5BBB7", "1F1E16F3FE4A172351595A4B1132C2E6C7B62900BC3951380E82E7E797BEE5BBC3",
'1F1E16F3FE4A172351595A4B1132C2E6C7B62900BC3951380E82E7E797BEE5BBC3", "00C3"]
}, {
"beacon_mac" : "EE34764DE88E",
"pdu_data" : ["1F1EFF410BEE34764DE88E2110000004A022960000000000000000000000000BA",
'1E0201061AFF4C000215DC59C0F2FCAE0F11EEF5E5060242AC120BB80BC9C4B5", "1E0201061AFF4C000215DC59C0F2FCAE0F11EEF5E5060242AC120BB80BC9C4BA"]
}, {
"beacon_mac" : "D4A44DD43654",
"pdu_data" : ["1F1EFF410BD4A44DD436542110000004A022960000000000000000000000000000000",
'1E0201061AFF4C0002151615E74FF4E1024884F5D10BA0BEC18C0BB80BB9C4B9", "1E0201061AFF4C0002151615E74FF4E1024884F5D10BA0BEC18C0BB80BB9C4B1"]
}, {
"beacon_mac" : "F2525C789DCE",
"pdu_data" : ["19020106020A001216ABFE40000A0B780001F2525C789DCE300BBB", "0D0C09426561636F6E582050726FBB"]
}, {
"beacon_mac" : "C3AB9A29EB55",
"pdu_data" : ["1E0201061AFF4C00021556EF1F00D8A84D5C8B371E20375F2AE807D007D9C5C0",
'1E020A001A16ABFE50C50A56EF1F00D8A84D5C8B371E20375F2AE807D007D9C2"]
}]

Below are the parameter definitions for the data packet mentioned above.

Parameter	Value	Info
тас	XXXXXXXXXXXX	Gateway MAC Address
V	F000V0.0.0	Firmware Version of Gateway
beacon_data	{}	Beacon data Information
Beacon_mac	XXXXXXXXXXXX	Beacon Mac Address
pdu_data	[XXX,XXX]	Pdu Data from different data packets of the Beacon

Note:

The PDU data sent from the beacons can be easily parsed using different data packets decoders like ibeacon, eddystone UID, TLM and sbeacon decoders. Kindly reach out to <u>sales@sentrax.com</u> if you have any issues regarding pdu data parsing.



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