Crestron **TPMC-8T-GA**8.4" TableTop WiFi Touch Screen

Operations Guide





Regulatory Compliance

As of the date of manufacture, the TPMC-8T-GA has been tested and found to comply with specifications for CE marking and standards per EMC and Radiocommunications Compliance Labelling.



Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Compliance Statement

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

CAUTION: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the manufacturer responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help

Industry Canada (IC) Compliance Statement

This device complies with Industry Canada license-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Under Industry Canada regulations, this radio transmitter may only operate using an antenna of a type and maximum (or lesser) gain approved for the transmitter by Industry Canada. To reduce potential radio interference to other users, the antenna type and its gain should be so chosen that the equivalent isotropically radiated power (e.i.r.p.) is not more than that necessary for successful communication.

Industrie Canada (IC) Déclaration de conformité

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence. L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes : (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

Conformément à la réglementation d'Industrie Canada, le présent émetteur radio peut fonctionner avec une antenne d'un type et d'un gain maximal (ou inférieur) approuvé pour l'émetteur par Industrie Canada. Dans le but de réduire les risques de brouillage radioélectrique à l'intention des autres utilisateurs, il faut choisir le type d'antenne et son gain de sorte que la puissance isotrope rayonnée équivalente (p.i.r.e.) ne dépasse pas l'intensité nécessaire à l'établissement d'une communication satisfaisante.

To satisfy RF exposure requirements, this device and its antenna must operate with a separation distance of at least 20 centimeters from all persons and must not be colocated or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

For operation within the 5.15-5.25 GHz band, it is restricted to indoor use.

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8.4" TableTop WiF Touch Screen: TPMC-8T-GA

Introduction

The TPMC-8T-GA from Crestron® is a compact tabletop touch screen controller offering enhanced 2-way wireless or wired performance, onboard multimedia and Web browsing, high performance H.264 video, RavaTM SIP Intercom, audio feedback and advanced Smart GraphicsTM. Its brilliant 8.4" (213 mm) SVGA display and high powered speakers afford an amazing personal media experience on top of its astounding custom control capabilities. Its fixed tilt design features a 37 degree angle that is ideal for use at a podium, table or counter surface to support all kinds of applications.

Features and Functions

- Stylish and compact tabletop design
- 8.4 in (213 mm) active matrix touch screen display
- 800 x 600 SVGA display resolution
- Smart Graphics support
- Automatic display brightness control
- Wired or wireless Ethernet connectivity
- High performance 802.11a/b/g Wi-Fi wireless communications
- Up to 80 feet (~24 meters) omnidirectional RF range*
- Onboard PC applications for Web browsing, playing digital media and viewing digital documents
- VNC viewer for remotely accessing and controlling external computers
- Native H.264 streaming video for viewing Web cameras and HD sources
- Rava SIP Intercom and phone technology
- Customizable audio feedback
- High powered speakers, headphone jack and microphone
- 5-way thumbpad, up/down arrow buttons and four "hard keys"

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Refer to "Specifications" which starts on page 5 for full wireless range details.

Features and Functions

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- Stylus with built-in storage slot
- On-screen mouse and keyboard capability
- USB ports for external mouse and keyboard*
- Intelligent power management for "wake on touch"

Advanced Touch Screen Control

A Crestron touch screen offers an ideal user interface for controlling all the technology in a home, boardroom, classroom, courtroom or command center. Touch screens do away with piles of remote controls, cluttered wall switches and cryptic computer screens, simplifying and enhancing the technology. For controlling audio, video, lighting, shades, HVAC, security and other systems, Crestron touch screens are fully customizable with easy to use controls and icons, true feedback and real time status display, full-motion video windows and advanced navigation of digital media servers, tuners and other devices.

Smart Graphics

Crestron touch screens use Smart Graphics to deliver the ultimate user experience and the ultimate value, by enabling the creation of dynamically rich user interfaces with incredible efficiency and unparalleled functionality. Using Smart Graphics, programmers can swiftly integrate fluid gesture-driven controls, animated feedback, metadata, embedded apps and full-motion video for a deeply engaging and ultra-intuitive touch screen experience.

Crestron Smart Graphics include the following enhancements:

- Cool looking graphical buttons, sliders, knobs and gauges are intuitive and fun to use.
- Kinetic effects enhance the feeling of realism with lists and toolbars that scroll with momentum at the flick of a fingertip.
- Drag and drop objects snap into place offering an easy way to switch sources.
- Dashboard widgets personalize the touch screen with clocks, weather, news and other information.
- Customizable themes allow a completely different look and feel for every user, event or season.
- Fully developed SmartObjectsTM enable sophisticated control over complex devices with minimal programming.

^{*} USB mouse/keyboard not included.

Streaming Video

Streaming video capability makes it possible to view security cameras and other video sources over the wired or wireless network right on the touch screen display. Native support for H.264 and MJPEG formats allows the TPMC-8T-GA to display live video images from IP cameras and servers such as the Crestron CEN-NVS200 Network Video Streamer (sold separately). Through its embedded Web browser and media player, it supports a variety of other streaming and downloadable video formats, enabling access to all kinds of content from media servers and Web sites like YouTube[®] and Netflix^{®1}.

Rava SIP Intercom

Rava SIP Intercom technology enables hands free VoIP communication between any two Rava-enabled Crestron touch screens. Rava works over Wi-Fi or wired Ethernet, supporting 2-way intercom, video intercom², paging and room monitoring without any special wiring. VoIP phone capability is also possible through integration with a SIP-compatible IP phone system or SIP server, allowing hands free telephone functionality complete with speed dialing, caller ID, custom ringers and other enhancements. Built-in echo cancellation affords true duplex performance for clear, seamless voice communication using the TPMC-8T-GA's integrated microphone and speakers.

Embedded PC Applications

The TPMC-8T-GA provides everything needed to enjoy online music and videos, browse the Internet and even review digital documents without a separate computer. With Microsoft[®] Internet Explorer[®] embedded, there is full access to the entire World Wide Web including sites that use Flash[®] or Java[®]. Windows Media[®] Player ensures broad compatibility for playing most types of digital media and allowing the use of the TPMC-8T-GA as a personal media player. Adobe[®] Acrobat[®] Reader and Microsoft PowerPoint[®], Word and Excel[®] document viewers complete the online experience, allowing downloading and viewing of documents and presentations.

In addition, VNC Viewer support delivers enhanced cross-platform interaction with computers over the network or Internet, allowing remote access and control of desktop applications to unleash a host of possibilities for system integration and multimedia presentation.

Speakers and Microphone

High powered built-in speakers and headphone output provide loud and clear audio for enjoying multimedia, as well as for intercom and phone in combination with the integrated microphone. Customized audio files can also be loaded on the TPMC-8T-GA to add dimension to the touch screen graphics with personalized sounds, button feedback and voice prompts.

- 1. Accessing Netflix content requires an active Netflix account. Refer to www.netflix.com for details.
- 2. H.264 compatible IP camera required.

Tactile Controls

The integrated 5-way thumbpad and up/down arrow buttons afford quick access and tactile response for controlling functions such as volume adjustment, channel selection, on-screen menu navigation and even pan/tilt/zoom camera control. Four additional "hard key" buttons are positioned below the touch screen, programmable for functions that can change right along with the virtual controls on the touch screen. A stylus is even included for use with the on-screen keyboard, conveniently stowed in its own storage slot.

Keyboard/Mouse Options

On-screen keyboard and mouse capabilities enable complete control of the TPMC-8T-GA's embedded Web browser and other applications. It can also be used to control computers running TouchPoint® Virtual Mouse & Keyboard Software (VMK-WIN, sold separately). Multiple USB ports are also provided for the connection of a physical keyboard and mouse.¹

Power Saving Enhancements

- **Auto-Brightness** smoothly maintains optimal visibility under varying lighting conditions while minimizing power usage.
- Standby Mode turns off the touch screen display to save power while the
 hard buttons remain active. Allows adjustment of volume or channel
 changes by pressing a hard button without waking the screen.
- **Power Down Mode** suspends the touch screen during prolonged periods of non-use. Allows waking the touch screen by simply touching the screen or pressing the side "Power" button.
- Class D Amplifier provides efficient amplification for loud and clear audio.

Enhanced WiFi Performance

Crestron has redefined WiFi wireless performance with the TPMC-8T-GA, achieving a remarkable 80 feet (24 meters) omnidirectional range². The choice of 802.11 a, b and g protocols affords reliable, high speed 2-way wireless performance in virtually any RF environment. It takes mere minutes to configure the TPMC-8T-GA for use with a Crestron CEN-WAP-ABG Wireless Access Point (sold separately) for a simple, secure Wi-Fi touch screen network solution. A high speed Ethernet port is also provided for connection to a wired LAN.

- 1. USB mouse/keyboard not included.
- 2. Refer to "Specifications" which starts on page 5 for full wireless range details.

Specifications

Specifications for the TPMC-8T-GA are listed in the following table.

TPMC-8T-GA Specifications

SPECIFICATION	DETAILS	
Touch Screen Display		
Display Type	TFT active matrix color LCD	
Size	8.4 inch (213 mm) diagonal	
Aspect Ratio	4:3 SVGA	
Resolution	800 x 600 pixels	
Brightness	200 nits	
Contrast	500:1	
Color Depth	18-bit, 262k colors	
Illumination	Edgelit fluorescent with auto-brightness	
Viewing Angle ¹	±65° horizontal, +65°/-45° vertical	
Touch Screen	Resistive membrane	
Memory		
DDR2 SDRAM	1 GB	
Flash	4 GB	
Maximum Project Size	190 MB	
Graphics Engine ²	Supports Smart Graphics or "traditional" GUI projects	
Embedded PC Applications ³	Microsoft Internet Explorer with Adobe Flash plug-in and Java Runtime plug-in, Windows Media Player, VNC Viewer ⁴ , Remote Desktop, Adobe Acrobat Reader, WordPad, MS Word Viewer 2003, Excel Viewer 2003, PowerPoint Viewer 2003	
Wireless Communication ³		
Transceiver	IEEE 802.11a/b/g Wi-Fi, 5.8 or 2.4 GHz 2-way RF, static IP or dynamic IP via DHCP, 64 and 128-bit WEP encryption	
Range	Up to 80 feet (~24 meters) omnidirectional using 802.11b/g, 35 feet (~11 meters) omnidirectional using 802.11a, @ 54 Mbps; range and speed vary based upon environmental conditions	
Gateway	Requires a CEN-WAP-ABG-1G, CEN-WAP-ABG-CM or similar 802.11a/b/g wireless access point and Ethernet enabled Crestron control system (all sold separately)	
Roaming	Requires a Cisco [®] controller solution to be installed and commissioned by a Cisco certified technician	

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TPMC-8T-GA Specifications (Continued)

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SPECIFICATION	DETAILS		
Wired Communication			
Ethernet	10/100 Mbps, auto-switching, auto-negotiating, auto-discovery, full/half duplex, DHCP		
USB	USB 2.0 host for mouse, keyboard and USB storage devices		
Video			
Streaming/File Formats	H.264 (MPEG-4 part 10 AVC), MJPEG, plus other formats as supported by Windows Media Player		
Audio			
Features	Built-in microphone and speakers, headphone output, Rava SIP Intercom, Crestron IP Intercom		
Streaming/File Formats	As supported by Windows Media Player		
Audio Feedback Formats	MP3 using Smart Graphics, WAV using "traditional" graphics		
Amplification	High efficiency Class D stereo, 2.1 watts per channel		
Power Requirements			
Power Pack	42 watts (3.5 amps @ 12 Vdc) 100~240 VAC 50/60 Hz power pack included		
Default IP ID ⁵	03		
Environmental			
Operating Temperature	32° to 104° F (0° to 40° C)		
Storage Temperature	14° to 140° F (-10° to 60° C)		
Humidity	10% to 90% RH (non-condensing)		
Heat Dissipation	143 Btu/h		
Enclosure	Plastic, with integral stylus storage slot (stylus included), integral fixed angle tilt base		
Dimensions			
Height	6.21 in (158 mm)		
Width	9.69 in (246 mm)		
Depth	8.16 in (207 mm)		
Weight	3.2 lb (1.5 kg)		
Available Accessories			
CEN-NVS200	Network Video Streamer		
CEN-WAP-ABG-1G	Wall Mount 802.11a/b/g Wireless Access Point		
CEN-WAP-ABG-CM	Ceiling Mount 802.11a/b/g Wireless Access Point		
SMK-8T	Swivel Mount Kit		
TPMC-8X-DS-CSK	Cable Security Kit		
VMK-WIN	TouchPoint Virtual Mouse & Keyboard Software for Windows®		

^{1.} Optimum viewing angle for best contrast is 37°.

- By design, the touch screen does not load dynamic graphics if they are located on a password protected FTP or HTTP server.
- Refer to Web site or contact Crestron for a current list of compatible devices and embedded applications. To ensure reliable performance, new device drivers and applications are available only from Crestron through firmware updates.
- 4. The supported VNC viewer is UltraVNC version 1.0.2. Other VNC viewers may work but are not guaranteed.
- 5. Refer to "Identity Code" on page 12 for details.

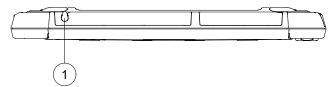
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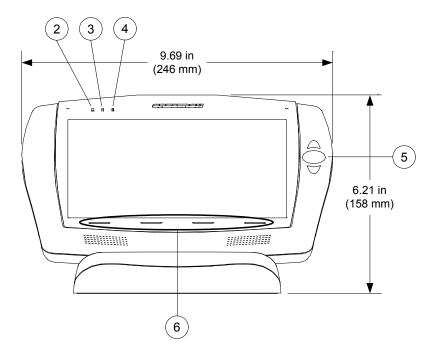
This section provides information on the connections, controls and indicators available on the TPMC-8T-GA.

TPMC-8T-GA Physical View

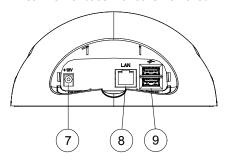


TPMC-8T-GA Overall Dimensions (Top, Front and Rear Views)





Rear view of base with cover removed



1.08 in 8.16 in (28 mm) (207 mm) 8.05 in (205 mm) 9 2.95 in (75 mm) 7.78 in

TPMC-8T-GA Overall Dimensions (Left and Right Side Views)

(198 mm)

Connectors, Controls & Indicators

#	CONNECTORS, CONTROLS & INDICATORS	DESCRIPTION
1	Stylus	Used to "tap" or to do "select and drag" functions, just as a user would with a mouse; Also used to "type" on the input screen "keyboard" when entering text or commands
2	Power LED	(1) Green LED, indicates touch screen power status
3	Battery LED	(1) Green/yellow dual color LED, not used
4	Wi-Fi LED	(1) Green LED, indicates wireless network connection status: Solid green – communicating with a wireless access point (WAP) Blinking green – searching for a WAP Off – no wireless communication (unit is in power down mode or power is off)
5	Thumbpad & Arrows ¹	(1) programmable 5-way thumbpad (4-way navigation plus center "Enter" button) and (2) programmable up/down push buttons
6	Hard Keys	(4) Programmable push buttons below touch screen
7	12V 3.5A	(2) 2.5 x 5.5 mm dc power connectors (right side and rear);12 Vdc power input (power pack included)

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Connectors, Controls & Indicators (Continued)

#	CONNECTORS, CONTROLS & INDICATORS	DESCRIPTION				
8	LAN Green Yellow LED LED	(1) 8-wire RJ-45 with two LED indicators; 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX Ethernet port; Green LED indicates link status; Yellow LED indicates Ethernet activity				
		PIN	SIGNAL	PIN	SIGNAL	
	Pin 8 Pin 1	1	TX +	5	N/C	
		2	TX -	6	RC -	
		3	RC+	7	N/C	
		4	N/C	8	N/C	
9	USB	(3) USB Type A female; USB 2.0 port for keyboard, mouse and storage devices ^{2, 3}				
			PIN	DESCRIP	TION	
		1	+5 Vo	dc		
		2	Data	-		
		3	Data			
		4	Grou	nd		
10	Power Button	(1) Push button, initiates "Power On" and Power Down"; Press to turn touch screen power on; Press again to put touch screen in power down mode; Press to restore full on mode; Press and hold for four seconds to turn power off (The recommended method for shutting down the touch screen is to press the Shut Down button on the setup menu.)				
11	Headphones	(1) 3.5 mm TRS mini phone jack; Stereo headphone output				

- 1. For programming details, refer to "Hard Buttons" on page 23.
- Refer to Web site or contact Crestron for a current list of compatible devices and embedded applications. To ensure reliable performance, new device drivers and applications are available only from Crestron through firmware updates.
- 3. Only generic USB devices (simple keyboard, mouse and external storage) should be used with the TPMC-8T-GA. Any complex USB devices (for example, a storage device with a built-in fingerprint scanner) do not have the proper support on the touch screen.

Setup

Network Wiring

Unlike other Crestron network devices, the TPMC-8T-GA does not use Cresnet[®] for communications between the device and the control system. The TPMC-8T-GA requires the use of a high-speed Ethernet connection for control system communications.

For general information on connecting Ethernet devices in a Crestron system, refer to the latest version of the Crestron e-Control[®] Reference Guide (Doc. 6052), which is available from the Crestron Web site (www.crestron.com/manuals).

Identity Code

NOTE: The latest software can be downloaded from the Crestron Web site (www.crestron.com/software).

The IP ID is set within the TPMC-8T-GA's IP table using Crestron ToolboxTM. For information on setting an IP table, refer to the Crestron Toolbox help file. The IP IDs of multiple TPMC-8T-GA devices in the same system must be unique.

When setting the IP ID, consider the following:

- The IP ID of each unit must match an IP ID specified in the Crestron Studio™ or SIMPL Windows program.
- Each device using IP to communicate with a control system must have a unique IP ID.

Configuring the Touch Screen

NOTE: The only connection required to configure the touch screen is power (supplied from the included power pack).

The TPMC-8T-GA is configured from the setup menu.

NOTE: If no project has been loaded or if an invalid project has been loaded, the touch screen displays the startup splash screen.

If a project is running, the setup menu can be accessed using one of three methods.

Via the Hard Keys

Press the four hard keys at the bottom of the touch screen in sequence, from left to right and again from left to right (press 1, 2, 3, 4, 1, 2, 3, 4) within a 10 second period.

Via USB Keyboard

- 1. Attach a USB keyboard (refer to "Hardware Hookup" which starts on page 35 for details).
- 2. Open the "Validate User Account Info" window (shown below) by pressing **Ctrl+Alt+Shift** on the keyboard.
 - "Validate User Account Info" Window

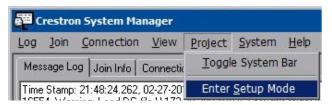


3. Enter the user account *tpmcadmin*, and the password *tpmcadmin* and touch **Validate**.

NOTE: The password is case sensitive. After logging in, the password can be changed from the "Security" window. Refer to "Security" which starts on page 15 for more information.

4. When the "Crestron System Manager" window appears (shown below), select **Project** | **Enter Setup Mode** to enter the setup menu (refer to "Setup Menu Details" which starts on page 15).

"Crestron System Manager" Window



Via Crestron Toolbox

- 1. Establish communication with the touch screen (refer to "Establishing Communication" on page 37 for details).
- 2. From the System Info page, select **Functions** | **Setup Mode...**.

"Setup Mode" Window



3. Select **Enter Setup Mode**. The setup menu opens as shown in the following diagram.

NOTE: Select Exit Setup Mode to exit the setup menu.

TPMC-8T-GA Setup Menu



NOTE: Another way to enter the setup menu (after a project has been loaded) is to touch the screen during boot up when the "Preparing to Load Project" message is displayed. Maintain touch until after the countdown, when the message changes to "Loading Setup Screen".

The setup menu provides access to all basic functions and parameters. It is divided into *Setup*, *Ethernet*, *Battery*, *Standby*, *Power Down*, *WiFi Status* and *Docking Station Status* sections. There are also buttons for **Save & Reboot**, **Shut Down** and **Exit**.

NOTE: The *Battery* and *Power Down* sections of the setup menu are not applicable to the TPMC-8T-GA and are not used.

NOTE: To allow the touch screen to upload projects, standby is disabled until approximately five minutes after the project is loaded.

To exit the setup menu and return to the program, touch **Exit**, located at the bottom of the setup menu. To save any changes and reboot the touch screen, touch **Save & Reboot**, located at the bottom of the setup menu. Use the **Shut Down** button to turn off the touch screen.

Setup Menu Details

The setup menu allows configuration of the touch screen's settings for security, touch screen calibration, runtime project, audio, embedded applications, diagnostics and hard button programming. The setup menu also has a button that toggles the onscreen keyboard on and off.

Security

The **Security** button opens the "Security Setup" window, which allows the user to change the username and password of the system account, setup and close network connections, setup a proxy server, close network connections and clear Internet browser temporary files, history and cookies.

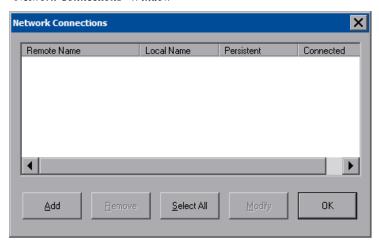
NOTE: To use the on-screen keyboard for security settings, touch **Keyboard** on the setup menu before touching **Security**.



"Security Setup" Window

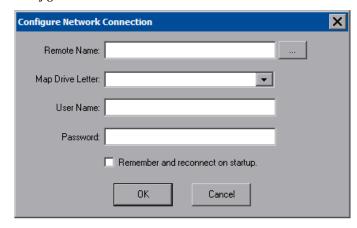
Touch **Setup Connections...** to open the "Network Connections" window. This window is used to map to a network drive. A mapped network drive permits easy access to embedded application files (for example, Word, Excel, PowerPoint) and provides a location to save files. To further customize the installation, network drives containing compiled touch screen project files can also be mapped.

"Network Connections" Window



To add a new network connection, touch **Add**.

"Configure Network Connection" Window



To add a network drive, perform the following procedure:

- 1. Touch to browse for the new network connection. If the remote shareable folder name does not appear on the list, it can be entered manually in the *Remote Name* field, using the following format:
 - \\Remote host name\Shareable folder name
- 2. Map this connection by selecting a drive letter from the *Map Drive Letter* drop box.
- 3. Enter a User Name and Password.
- 4. Touch the *Remember and reconnect on startup* checkbox if so desired.
- 5. Touch **OK** to enable the new network connection and return to the "Network Connections" window.

Once all changes to network connections have been completed, touch \mathbf{OK} to return to the "Security Setup" window.

The **Certificates** button can be used to install or uninstall certificates used for server or user authentication when making a secure connection (for example, to a secured wireless access point). In order to use certificates, the TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack must be installed (refer to "Appendix: TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack" which starts on page 44 for details).

Touch Close to return to the setup menu.

Touch Screen

When **Touch Screen** is touched, the calibration screen opens. Touch the screen to begin the calibration process. If the screen is not touched within 10 seconds, the calibration sequence stops and the screen displays the setup menu.

If the screen is touched within the 10-second timeout, it displays a series of messages indicating the user should touch the red square in five places around the screen. These messages appear sequentially starting with "Touch the red square" at the top of the screen toward the upper left corner. Touch and hold the center of the red square to initiate calibration. The message says "Hold..." for a few seconds, then change to "Lift off to proceed". Touch the displayed squares as prompted everywhere they appear around the screen until the calibration is complete and the display returns to the setup menu.

NOTE: When touching the screen during calibration, be as accurate as possible. Use the tip of the included stylus. To cancel calibration and return to the setup menu without saving calibration data, ignore the "Touch the red square" message. After about 10 seconds, the setup menu opens. If a USB keyboard is attached to the touch screen, pressing the Escape key (**Esc**) cancels calibration and returns to the setup menu.

NOTE: The touch screen's calibration routine can also be accessed through Crestron Toolbox if the touch screen is connected to a control system via TCP/IP. From the System Info page, select **Functions** | **Setup Mode...**. Select **Enter Calibration Mode** to begin calibration.

Update Panel

The **Update Panel** button permits the selection of the touch screen program, a .vtz file. The *Project* tab of the "Project and Firmware" window (refer to illustration on the following page) displays the *Current Loaded Project* and also has a *Load New Project* section.

Current Loaded Project displays the Name and Creation Time of the current project.

In the *Load New Project* section, touch **Browse** and select the compiled project (the .vtz file) to be loaded from a network drive, USB device or flash drive. The user can choose the location where the uncompressed project files are to be stored. The default file location is the internal flash. Touch **Load** to uncompress the project file, place it in the destination selected in *Target Location to Load the Project to* and display it on the touch screen.

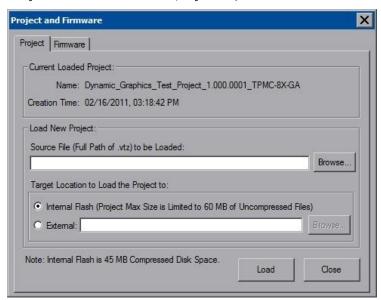
NOTE: If there is a mapped network drive on the touch screen, the first time **Browse** is selected, it may take some time for the "Open" window to appear.

NOTE: When selecting **Browse**, the contents of the "Recent" folder are not available.

NOTE: Projects can also be loaded via Crestron Toolbox.

NOTE: If **External** is checked, the display list cannot be viewed via Crestron Toolbox.

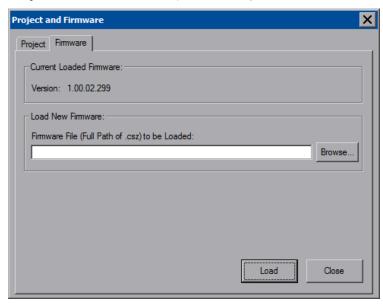
"Project and Firmware" Window (Project Tab)



The *Firmware* tab of the "Project and Firmware" window (refer to illustration on the following page) displays the *Current Loaded Firmware* and also has a *Load New Firmware* section.

Current Loaded Firmware displays the Version of the current firmware.

In the *Load New Firmware* section, touch **Browse** and select the firmware file (the .csz file) to be loaded from a network drive, USB device or flash drive. Touch **Load** to load the new firmware.



"Project and Firmware" Window (Firmware Tab)

<u>Audio</u>

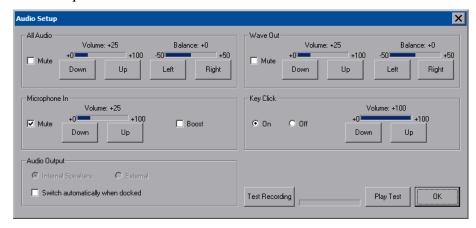
The **Audio** button opens the "Audio Setup" window. Volume, balance, and mute controls are available for *All Audio* and *Wave Out*. In addition to volume and mute controls, *Microphone In* includes a *Boost* checkbox, which applies a 20 dB boost to the level of the microphone input. The key click sound can be enabled or disabled with the *Key Click On* and *Off* radio buttons.

NOTE: The *Audio Output* section of the "Audio Setup" window is not applicable to the TPMC-8T-GA and is not used.

The **Test Recording** button allows testing of the built-in microphone.

Touching **Play Test** plays a short internal audio file. Changes to audio settings are made in real time.

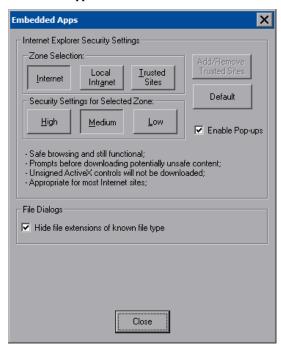
"Audio Setup" Window



Embed Apps (Embedded Applications)

The **Embed Apps** button opens a window that permits setting Internet security to different levels for different types of Internet sites.

"Embedded Apps" Window



Three security levels (**High**, **Medium** and **Low**) can be selected for each of the three zones (**Internet**, **Local Intranet**, and **Trusted Sites**). The security levels are defined as:

- **High:** The safest way to browse, but also the least functional. Less secure features are disabled. Appropriate for sites that may have harmful content.
- **Medium:** Safe browsing and still functional. Prompts before downloading potentially unsafe content. Unsigned ActiveX controls are not downloaded. Appropriate for most Internet sites.
- Low: Minimal safeguards and warning prompts are provided. Most content is downloaded and run without prompts. All active content can run. Appropriate for sites that are absolutely trusted.

Touch **Default** to restore the default security settings. By default, security is set to **Medium** for **Internet** and **Local Intranet**, and **Low** for **Trusted Sites**.

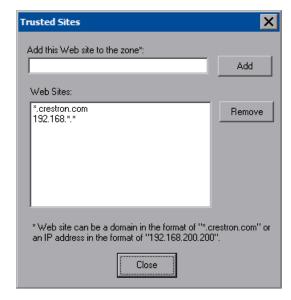
The "Embedded Apps" window also permits the user to enable the popup windows (child windows) that open when in Internet Explorer (not the popup windows of the embedded applications).

NOTE: Refer to the Crestron Web site (<u>www.crestron.com</u>), Online Help Answer ID 4190, for information on the latest versions of the software.

Touch **Close** after all changes have been made. The touch screen must be rebooted for changes to take effect. Refer to "Save & Reboot and Shut Down Details" on page 35 for more information.

A list of trusted sites can be created and edited by touching **Add/Remove Trusted Sites**. Touching this button opens the "Trusted Sites" window. From here, trusted sites can be added and edited. Sites are listed by domain name or IP address. Once all sites have been entered, touch **Close**.

"Trusted Sites" Window



NOTE: Save & Reboot on the setup menu must be selected for Embedded Apps changes to take effect.

NOTE: While browsing the Internet with the TPMC-8T-GA, clicking on a link may cause a message box titled "Restrictions" to appear that contains the text "This operation has been cancelled due to restrictions in effect on this computer. Please contact the system administrator." If this message appears, checking *Enable Popup Windows* in the "Embedded Apps" window may correct this error. Other restrictions may also cause this error, so this may not prevent all occurrences.

NOTE: The TPMC-8T-GA supports automatic connection to the VNC server when the VNC View application is opened. For automatic connection without having to enter the server location and password every time the VNC viewer is opened, launch the application and using a USB mouse, right-click on the VNC viewer window, then select **Save configuration info as...**

NOTE: Refer to the Crestron Web site, Online Help Answer ID 4627, for information on how to set up the VNC viewer. Refer to Answer ID 3345 for information on how to program the MJPEG viewer. Refer to Answer ID 4640 for information about the default paths for embedded applications and dynamic graphics.

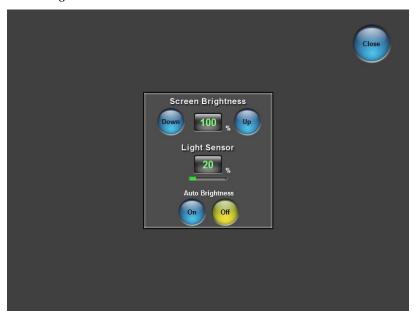
Screen Brightness

Touching **Screen Brightness** displays a screen with **Up** and **Down** controls for *Screen Brightness*, a *Light Sensor* level indicator and **On** and **Off** controls for *Auto Brightness*.

Screen Brightness can be varied from 0 to 100. To increase brightness, touch **Up**. To decrease brightness, touch **Down**. Lower brightness settings extend battery life.

Touch **Close** to return to the setup menu.

Screen Brightness Screen



Hard Buttons

Touching **Hard Buttons** displays a screen that provides visual feedback for all button presses. Pressing hard keys 2 through 4, the up or down buttons or any of the buttons on the 5-way thumbpad results in its corresponding number on the screen illuminating in yellow.

By default, hard key number 1 toggles the on-screen keyboard on and off. However, this can be disabled using the **Keyboard** button on the **Hard Buttons** screen. Hard key number 1 can then be used like any of the other buttons. If disabled, it uses the VT Pro-e® project assignment.

NOTE: The *Wallmount Docking Station* **Release** button is not applicable to the TPMC-8T-GA and is not used. Hard key number 4 can used in the same ways as buttons 2 and 3.

Buttons are programmed using VT Pro-e.

Touch Close to return to the setup menu.

Hard Buttons Screen



Keyboard

Touch **Keyboard** to display the on-screen keyboard.

The on-screen keyboard can be used in an identical manner to a physically connected keyboard. It can be used in any of the embedded applications, for example, to enter a URL for a Web site or to enter data into a spreadsheet.

On-Screen Keyboard



The on-screen keyboard also has a few special keys:

Touch the key to change to a numeric keyboard, as shown in the illustration that follows.

On-Screen Keyboard - Numeric



Touch the key to change to a symbol keyboard, as shown in the illustration that follows.

On-Screen Keyboard - Symbols



ch the ABC key to

From either the numeric or the symbol keyboard, touch the return to the alpha keyboard.

The initial position of the on-screen keyboard is determined by the VT Pro-e program or Crestron Studio or SIMPL Windows settings. The on-screen keyboard defaults to its largest size.

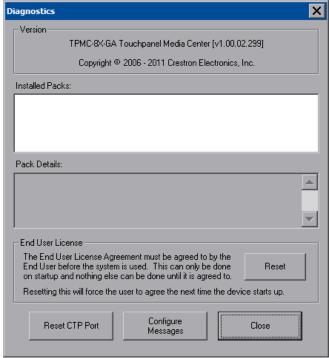
When the on-screen keyboard is moved or resized and then closed, it re-opens at the same position and size it was when closed. This position and size remain in memory until the touch screen is re-booted or it is re-set by the Crestron Studio or SIMPL Windows program. After reboot, the position of the on-screen keyboard reverts to the default position set in the VT Pro-e, Crestron Studio or SIMPL Windows program. The size reverts to the largest as determined by the firmware installed in the touch screen.

Exit the on-screen keyboard by touching the red close button in the upper right corner of the keyboard window. If the **Keyboard** button on the setup menu is still visible, it can also be touched to exit the keyboard.

Diagnostic

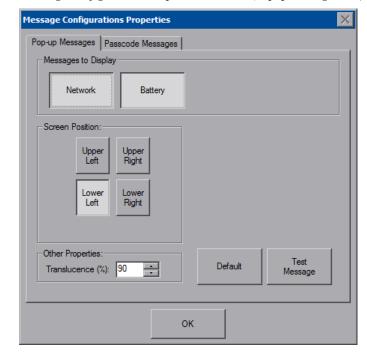
Touch **Diagnostic** to display the firmware version number, view *Installed Packs* and to reset the end user license from the "Diagnostics" window.

"Diagnostics" Window



Reset CTP Port resets the default value of the CTP port to 41795, for terminal connection using Crestron Toolbox.

To configure the appearance of popup messages and passcode messages, touch **Configure Messages**. The "Message Configurations Properties" window opens.



"Message Configurations Properties" Window (Popup Messages Tab)

To configure the appearance of popup messages, touch the *Popup Messages* tab.

NOTE: The *Passcode Messages* tab in the "Message Configurations Properties" window is not applicable to the TPMC-8T-GA and is not used.

There are various popup messages. The button associated with each type (**Network** and **Battery**) allows setting which types are displayed.

There are three types of network popup messages. Following are definitions of each message type:

- **Connected:** A green popup message appears when the touch screen is connected to the control system.
- Checking Connection: A yellow popup message appears when the touch screen is experiencing network issues.
- **Disconnected, Trying to Reconnect...:** A red popup message appears when the touch screen loses connection with the control system.

NOTE: Battery popup messages are not applicable to the TPMC-8T-GA and are not used.

A control for popup message translucence is also provided. Translucence ranges from 25% to 100%, with a default value of 90%.

The **Default** button restores the original *Screen Position* and *Translucence* settings, as well as enabling display of network messages. A **Test Message** button lets the user see the changes to popup message position and translucence. Touch **Close** to close the popup window.

NOTE: The default value for Screen Position is Lower Left.

Ethernet Details

The Ethernet portion of the setup menu allows configuration of the touch screen settings for Ethernet communications.

The Crestron Swirl logo at the top of the Ethernet portion of the setup menu illuminates to indicate the status of the connection to the control system(s):

- Green Connected
- Yellow Network trouble
- Orange Connected to some but not all of the control systems (listed in IP table)
- Red Not connected to any control system (listed in the IP table)

NOTE: After configuring Ethernet settings (for example, changing IP address), wait at least five seconds after seeing the change in the *WiFi Status* section of the main setup menu before initiating a **Save & Reboot** to save the new settings.

Adapters

Touch **Adapters** to access the "Ethernet Setup" window. To save any changes, use the **Save & Reboot** button on the setup menu. The Ethernet address and mask are displayed on this screen.

X Ethernet Setup Adapters: Adapter Name Status Atheros Wireless Network Adapter 🚣 ASIX AX88772 USB 2.0 to Fast Ethernet Adapter Current Settings: DHCP: Enable Status: Connected Address: 172,30,176,173 Speed: 54 Mbps 255 255 240 0 Firewall: ON Physical: 00-1B-B1-AC-D6-7B WiFi: SSID: SMC Signal Strength: 61%

"Ethernet Setup" Window

NOTE: The "ASIX AX88772 USB 2.0 to Fast Ethernet Adapter" line is seen in the "Ethernet Setup" window.

Refresh

Configure

Close

NOTE: When the wired LAN connection on the TPMC-8T-GA is used, the touch screen auto-switches to wired Ethernet communications. When the connection is not used, the TPMC-8T-GA seamlessly switches over to Wi-Fi.

NOTE: Refer to the Crestron Web site (<u>www.crestron.com</u>), Online Help Answer ID 4628, for information on how Windows[®] switches between wired Ethernet communications and Wi-Fi.

NOTE: The TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack allows the user to provide a username and password for authentication in infrastructures utilizing a RADIUS (Remote Authentication Dial In User Service) server. For details, refer to "Appendix: TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack" which starts on page 44.

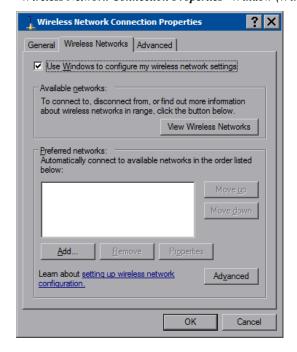
Configure the Wireless Network

NOTE: In most cases, the built in Windows functionality allows configuration of the wireless network. If advanced authentication is required, the TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack (version 1.4 or later) must be installed (refer to "Appendix: TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack" which starts on page 44). When the Security Pack is installed, the **AP** button appears in the "Ethernet Setup" window (refer to illustration on page 27) and the configuration procedure outlined in the appendix must be used to configure the wireless network; the procedure outlined below no longer works.

From the "Ethernet Setup" window (refer to illustration on page 27), select the wireless adapter and touch **Configure** to open the "Wireless Network Connection Properties" window. This window displays the connection and related required items.

Touch the Wireless Networks tab.

"Wireless Network Connection Properties" Window (Wireless Networks)



NOTE: In order to configure the wireless network using the following procedures, make sure the *Use Window to configure my wireless network settings* checkbox is checked. If using the TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack, make sure this is not checked.

NOTE: The link at the bottom of the window, which says "Learn about setting up a wireless network configuration" is not supported at this time.

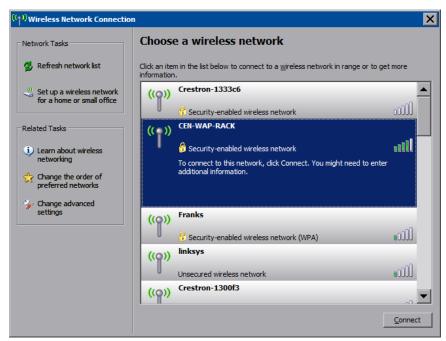
There are two ways to configure the wireless network: via the wizard and manually.

Configure via the Wizard

To configure the wireless network using the *Wireless Network Setup Wizard*, complete the following procedure:

1. From the *Wireless Networks* tab, touch **View Wireless Networks** to view the "Wireless Network Connection" window.

"Wireless Network Connection" Window

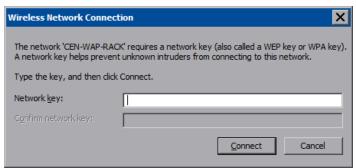


2. Touch **Refresh network list** to scan for available access points.

NOTE: Depending on network settings, the "Wireless Network Connection" window may not show any networks. In this case, configure the network manually. (Refer to "Configure Manually" which starts on page 30.)

3. Select the desired network and touch **Connect** to open the second "Wireless Network Connection" window.

Second "Wireless Network Connection" Window



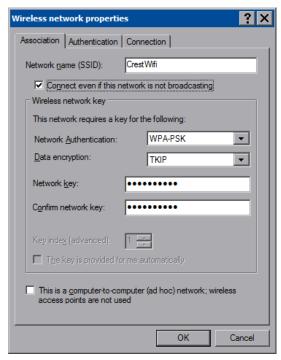
- 4. Enter the *Network key* and confirm the network key by entering it a second time when the *Confirm network key* field becomes enabled.
- 5. Touch Connect.

NOTE: The *Wireless Network Setup Wizard* creates a network with the *Network Authentication* value set to **Open** and *Data Encryption* set to **WEP**. If the Wireless Access Point is configured with values other than **Open** and **WEP**, these values must be set manually, using the *Wireless Networks* tab of the "Wireless Network Connection Properties" window (refer to illustration below).

Configure Manually

To configure the wireless network manually, complete the following procedure:

- 1. From the *Wireless Networks* tab, touch **Add...** to open the "Wireless network properties" window.
 - "Wireless network properties" Window



- 2. Enter the *Network name (SSID)*.
- 3. Select the *Network Authentication* and *Data encryption* from the dropdown lists.

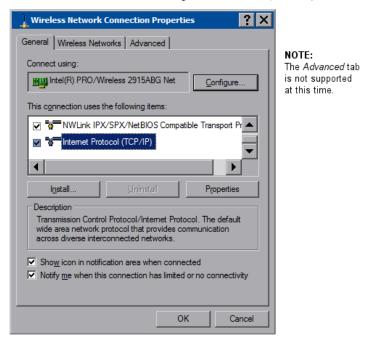
- 4. Enter and confirm the *Network key*.
- Touch OK.

After the wireless network has been configured, either by the wizard or manually, the network name appears in the *Preferred networks* box in the "Wireless Network Connection Properties" window (refer to illustration on page 28). To delete a network from the list, select the network, then touch **Remove**.

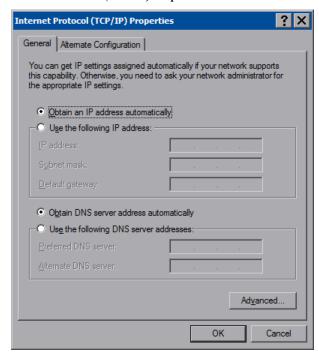
Configure IP Settings

The procedure for configuring IP settings for both wired and wireless networks is the same. The TPMC-8T-GA is configured for DHCP by default. To establish static processing or to switch between DHCP and static IP, use the *General* tab of the "Wireless Network Connection Properties" window (refer to illustration below), select **Internet Protocol (TCP/IP)** and touch **Properties**.

"Wireless Network Connection Properties" Window (General)



The "Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Properties" window opens.



"Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Properties" Window

Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) is a set of protocols that defines how to transfer data between two computers. TCP monitors and ensures correct transfer of data. IP receives the data from TCP, breaks it up into packets, and ships it off to a network. The IP address is a unique number consisting of four parts separated by dots, for example, 165.113.245.2.

Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) is a protocol for assigning dynamic IP addresses to devices on a network. With dynamic addressing, a device can have a different IP address every time it connects to the network. In some systems, the IP address of the device can even change while it is still connected. DHCP also supports a mix of static and dynamic IP addresses.

Dynamic addressing simplifies network administration because the software keeps track of IP addresses rather than requiring an administrator to manage the task. New computers can be added to a network without manually assigning each one a unique IP address.

NOTE: When configuring an adapter, only one item can be modified at a time. For example, to modify an IP address and also the wireless network, touch **Configure** and modify the IP address, then touch **OK** (to return to the "Ethernet Setup" window). Touch **Configure** again, modify the wireless network, then touch **OK**. The order in which modifications are performed does not matter.

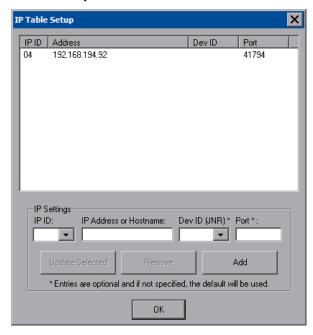
IP Table

Touch **IP Table** on the setup menu to open the "IP Table Setup" window.

Edit, remove or enter a control system's IP address in the IP table to enable communication between the touch screen and a control system. The touch screen can communicate with multiple control systems.

For more information on IP tables, refer to the latest version of the Crestron 2-Series Control Systems Reference Guide (Doc. 6256), which is available from the Crestron Web site (www.crestron.com/manuals).

"IP Table Setup" Window



The IP ID is the ID number that is used to identify the touch screen in the control system's IP table. The IP ID should match the IP ID set in the SIMPL Windows program.

Identity

Touch **Identity** to open the "Network ID" window. The "Network ID" window displays the hostname and workgroup that identify the touch screen on the network. The hostname may be used when transferring a program over Ethernet using Crestron Toolbox. This window permits editing of the hostname and workgroup.

"Network ID" Window



NOTE: The hostname is required for Ethernet communication.

<u>Sharing</u>

Touch **Sharing** to open the "Configure Shared Folders" window. This window is used to set up shared folders. Sharing enables remote computers to view or modify files stored on the touch screen.

"Configure Shared Folders" Window



Touch **Add New Share...** to browse and add directories with permission to read only or read/write. Touch **Close** after adding all folders to be shared.

NOTE: For security reasons, there is no persistence of the shared drive(s) after the touch screen is rebooted.

Battery Details

The *Battery* section of the setup menu is not applicable to the TPMC-8T-GA and is not used.

Standby Details

The *Standby* function turns off the backlight when the touch screen is inactive for a specified time. Use the **Up** and **Down** buttons to set the *Standby* from 0 through 120 minutes, where 0 disables the timeout. Touch the screen to reactivate the touch screen from standby mode. When the touch screen is reactivated, the last screen to be displayed reappears.

NOTE: The hard buttons still function when the touch screen is in standby mode but do not cause it to awaken from standby. The screen must be touched to reactivate the touch screen.

Power Down Details

The *Power Down* section of the setup menu is not applicable to the TPMC-8T-GA and is not used.

WiFi Status Details

The WiFi Status section of the setup menu contains a bar graph showing the strength of the Wi-Fi signal as well as an indicator to show when the TPMC-8T-GA is

communicating with a wireless access point (AP). SSID, BSSID, IP and MAC addresses are also shown.

Docking Station Status Details

In the *Docking Station Status* section of the setup menu, *Link Status* shows when the TPMC-8T-GA is connected to Ethernet. IP and MAC addresses are also shown.

The other indicator and buttons are not applicable to the TPMC-8T-GA and are not used.

Save & Reboot and Shut Down Details

To save any changes and reboot the touch screen, touch **Save & Reboot**, located in the lower right section of the setup menu.

To turn off the touch screen, touch **Shut Down**, located in the lower right section of the setup menu. This is the recommended method for shutting down the touch screen. After the touch screen has shut down, the power supply can be safely removed from the touch screen.

Exit Details

Touch **Exit** to leave the setup menu and return to the project. If no project has been loaded, the touch screen displays an error message and returns to the setup menu.

Hardware Hookup

Ventilation

The TPMC-8T-GA should be used in a well-ventilated area.

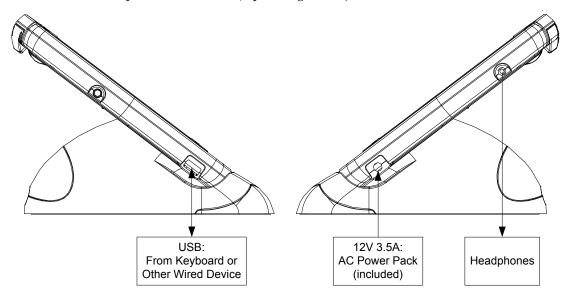
To prevent overheating, do not operate this product in an area that exceeds the environmental temperature range listed in the table of specifications.

Connect the Device

When making connections to the TPMC-8T-GA, consider the following:

- Use the included Crestron power supply for these devices.
- The power supply cable cannot be extended.

Hardware Connections for the TPMC-8T-GA (Left and Right Views)



H12V: AC Power Pack (included) LAN: BERNIE USB (2): From Keyboard or Other Wired Device

Hardware Connections for the TPMC-8T-GA (Rear View)

CAUTION: Do not apply excessive pressure to the touch screen display during handling. Doing so can crack the screen and damage the touch screen.

NOTE: The included power pack can be attached to either the side or the rear of the TPMC-8T-GA.

Recommended Cleaning

Keep the surface of the touch screen free of dirt, dust or other materials that could degrade optical properties. Long-term contact with abrasive materials can scratch the surface, which may detrimentally affect image quality.

For best cleaning results, use a clean, damp, non-abrasive cloth with any commercially available non-ammonia glass cleaner. Bezels may not provide a complete watertight seal. Therefore, apply cleaning solution to the cloth rather than the surface of the touch screen. Wipe touch screen clean and avoid getting moisture beneath the bezels.

Uploading and Upgrading

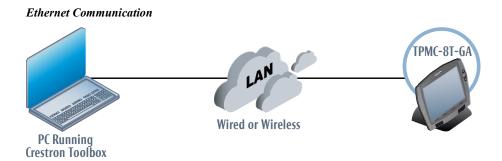
Crestron recommends using the latest programming software and that each device contains the latest firmware to take advantage of the most recently released features. However, before attempting to upload or upgrade it is necessary to establish communication. Once communication has been established, files (for example, programs, projects or firmware) can be transferred to the control system (or device). Finally, program checks can be performed (such as changing the device ID or creating an IP table) to ensure proper functioning.

NOTE: Crestron software and any files on the Web site are for authorized Crestron dealers and Crestron Service Providers (CSPs) only. New users must register to obtain access to certain areas of the site (including the FTP site).

Establishing Communication

Use Crestron Toolbox for communicating with the TPMC-8T-GA; refer to the Crestron Toolbox help file for details. There is a single method of communication: TCP/IP communication.

NOTE: Required for operation with a Crestron control system.



The TPMC-8T-GA connects to PC via Ethernet:

- 1. Confirm Ethernet connections between TPMC-8T-GA and PC.
- 2. Enter the *IP address*, *Subnet mask* and *Default gateway* of the TPMC-8T-GA in the "Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Properties" window (refer to "Ethernet Details" which starts on page 27).
- 3. Use the Device Discovery Tool (click the icon) in Crestron Toolbox to detect all Ethernet devices on the network and their IP configuration. The tool is available in Toolbox version 1.15.143 or later.
- 4. Click on the TPMC-8T-GA to display information about the device.

Programs, Projects and Firmware

Program, project or firmware files may be distributed from programmers to installers or from Crestron to dealers. Firmware upgrades are available from the Crestron Web site as new features are developed after product releases. One has the option to upload programs and projects via the programming software or to upload and upgrade via the Crestron Toolbox. For details on uploading and upgrading, refer to the Crestron Studio help file, SIMPL Windows help file, VT Pro-e help file or the Crestron Toolbox help file.

Crestron Studio / SIMPL Windows

If a Crestron Studio (or SIMPL Windows) program is provided, it can be uploaded to the control system using Crestron Studio (or SIMPL Windows) or Crestron Toolbox.

Crestron Studio / VT Pro-e

Upload the Crestron Studio (or VT Pro-e) file to the touch screen using Crestron Studio (or VT Pro-e) or Crestron Toolbox.

Firmware

Check the Crestron Web site to find the latest firmware. (New users must register to obtain access to certain areas of the site, including the FTP site.)

Upgrade TPMC-8T-GA firmware via Crestron Toolbox.

- 1. Establish serial or TCP/IP communications with the TPMC-8T-GA and display the "System Info" window.
- 2. Select **Functions** | **Firmware...** to upgrade the TPMC-8T-GA firmware.

Program Checks

Using Crestron Toolbox, display the "System Info window (**Tools | System Info**) and select the **Functions** menu to display actions that can be performed on the TPMC-8T-GA.

Be sure to use the Crestron Toolbox to create the TPMC-8T-GA IP table.

- 1. Select **Functions** | **IP Table** Setup.
- 2. Add, modify or delete entries in the IP table. The TPMC-8T-GA can have only one IP table entry.
- 3. A defined IP table can be saved to a file or sent to the device.

Edit the control system's IP table to include an entry for the TPMC-8T-GA. The entry should list the TPMC-8T-GA's IP ID (specified on the TPMC-8T-GA's IP table) and the internal gateway IP address 127.0.0.1.

To prevent interference with other 802.11 devices that may be operating nearby, channels should be adequately spaced when configuring the wireless network; channels 1, 6 and 11 are the only non-overlapping channels. Refer to the information supplied with the WAP for instructions concerning channel selection.

Restore

The restore console command restores the TPMC-8T-GA to its original factory default settings.

NOTE: The restore console command does not restore the original version of the firmware.

Operation

Power Modes

The TPMC-8T-GA has three power modes: *On*, *Standby* and *Off*. Refer to the following table for details.

TPMC-8T-GA Power Modes

POWER MODE	DETAILS
On	Normal operating mode. Initiated with power button on left side of touch screen.
Standby	Backlight is turned off to conserve power but Wi-Fi and processor are still on and hard buttons are still functional. Initiated with <i>Standby</i> function from the setup menu.* Touch the screen to reactivate the TPMC-8T-GA from standby mode.
Off	All power is off. Can be initiated by pressing the power button on the left side of the touch screen and holding it for four seconds. However, the recommended method for shutting down the touch screen is to press the Shut Down button on the setup menu.*

^{*} Standby and power off modes can also be initiated using reserve join numbers in VT Pro-e and the Device Extender function in SIMPL Windows. For details, refer to the respective help files in these programs.

Security Infrastructure

Since the TPMC-8T-GA does not use a traditional hard drive but rather an image that gets restored every time the touch screen is rebooted, any virus infection is cleared immediately after a reboot. However, using the currently available tools and techniques, Crestron has provided an infrastructure that protects against possible virus infections.

- 1. Executables/Scripts brought in on external media

 The implementation of the TPMC-8T-GA has restrictions on starting any application or script. The only applications that can be started are those allowed by Crestron and these can only be started from the Crestron project.
- Downloaded Program/Script
 The browser is customized in such a way that files cannot be downloaded. The only files the browser can open are the files it has plug-ins for, such as PDF. The user cannot change the options, as this dialog box has been disabled.
- 3. Browser Hijack and Browser vulnerability
 Crestron has patched all currently known hijacks and vulnerabilities. Future
 updates can be downloaded from the Crestron Web site.
- Email Viruses
 There is no e-mail client installed on the TPMC-8T-GA, so email-based viruses cannot be executed.
- Viruses that attack Web/FTP servers
 The TPMC-8T-GA does not run a Web or FTP server and is therefore not

- listening to port 21 or 80. The only ports the system listens to are the ports registered to Crestron.
- 6. Virus from other machines on the network
 Since drives on the TPMC-8T-GA can be shared on the network, it is possible
 that a virus can write itself to files/folders on these shares. Our recommendation
 therefore is to share as "Read-Only," so that viruses cannot attach themselves to
 files on the TPMC-8T-GA.
- ActiveX and Java
 The TPMC-8T-GA has ActiveX disabled and has no Java Virtual Machine installed. These applets cannot run on the TPMC-8T-GA.

NOTE: While browsing the Internet with the TPMC-8T-GA, clicking on a link may cause a message box titled "Restrictions" to appear that contains the text "This operation has been cancelled due to restrictions in effect on this computer. Please contact the system administrator." If this message appears, checking Enable Popup Windows in the "Embedded Apps" section of the setup menu may correct this error. Other restrictions may also cause this error, so this may not prevent all occurrences.

NOTE: Security settings and restrictions can be changed via the **Embed Apps** button on the setup menu. Refer to "Embed Apps (Embedded Applications)" which starts on page 20 for details.

Problem Solving

Troubleshooting

The following table provides corrective action for possible trouble situations. If further assistance is required, please contact a Crestron customer service representative.

TPMC-8T-GA Troubleshooting

TROUBLE	POSSIBLE CAUSE(S)	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Cannot upload VT Pro-e project or firmware from Toolbox via Wi-Fi.	TPMC-8T-GA is off or has no power.	Verify that TPMC-8T-GA has power and is on or in standby mode.
	No WAPs defined/selected on the TPMC-8T-GA.	Refer to the "Ethernet Details" section of this guide, which starts on page 27 to define/select WAPs.
	No IP address configured/obtained on the TPMC-8T-GA.	Refer to "Ethernet Details" which starts on page 27 to define IP addresses. If the TPMC-8T-GA is set up to use DHCP (not recommended), use the WAP window box to verity the IP address provided. If the number is invalid for the subnet or no number is present, verify that the DHCP server is working properly.
	TPMC-8T-GA is out of range or has poor access to the WAPs.	The TPMC-8T-GA is out of range of the WAP or is experiencing interference. Refer to the WAP documentation for instructions on setting up a wireless network with minimum interference and no dead spots.
TPMC-8T-GA does not show feedback or does not control any devices.	No WAPs defined/selected on the TPMC-8T-GA	Refer to the "Ethernet Details" section of this guide, which starts on page 27 to define/select WAPs.

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TPMC-8T-GA Troubleshooting (Continued)

TROUBLE	POSSIBLE CAUSE(S)	CORRECTIVE ACTION
TPMC-8T-GA does not show feedback or does not control any devices. (Continued)	No IP address configured/obtained on the TPMC-8T-GA.	Refer to "Ethernet Details" which starts on page 27 to define IP addresses. If the TPMC-8T-GA is set up to use DHCP (not recommended), use the WAP window box to verity the IP address provided. If the number is invalid for the subnet or no number is present, verify that the DHCP server is working properly.
	Invalid control system IP address / IP ID set up on TPMC-8T-GA.	The IP address (or host name) for the control system is invalid or the IP ID does not match the one defined in the SIMPL program. Refer to "IP Table" on page 33 to define IP addresses.
	TPMC-8T-GA is out of range or has poor access to the WAPs.	The TPMC-8T-GA is out of range of the WAP or is experiencing interference. Refer to the WAP documentation for instructions on setting up a wireless network with minimum interference and no dead spots.
TMPC-8T-GA shows unexpected or intermittent feedback or has intermittent device control.	TPMC-8T-GA is out of range or has poor access to the WAPs.	The TPMC-8T-GA is out of range of the WAP or is experiencing interference. Refer to the WAP documentation for instructions on setting up a wireless network with minimum interference and no dead spots.
TPMC-8T-GA boots up in setup screens every time.	Invalid VT Pro-e project or no VT Pro-e project is loaded.	Load/reload VT Pro-e project using the Toolbox.

Reference Documents

The latest version of all documents mentioned within the guide can be obtained from the Crestron Web site (www.crestron.com/manuals).

List of Related Reference Documents

DOCUMENT TITLE	
2-Series Control Systems Reference Guide	
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Future Updates

As Crestron improves functions, adds new features and extends the capabilities of the TPMC-8T-GA, additional information may be made available as manual updates. These updates are solely electronic and serve as intermediary supplements prior to the release of a complete technical documentation revision.

Check the Crestron Web site periodically for manual update availability and its relevance. Updates are identified as an "Addendum" in the Download column.

Appendix: TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack

In some situations, such as when the wireless access point is connected to a RADIUS (Remote Authentication Dial In User Service) server, authentication is required before network access is granted.

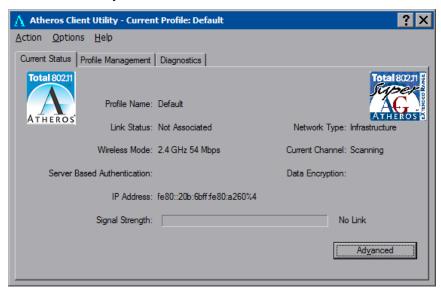
In order to gain access in this infrastructure, a username and password must be entered for verification by the server. To facilitate this, the TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack adds the Atheros Client configuration utility.

The Security Pack is available as a special firmware build (TPMC-8X-GA_SP_1.4.zip or later) for the TPMC-8T-GA. For details on how to upgrade firmware, refer to "Programs, Projects and Firmware" which starts on page 38.

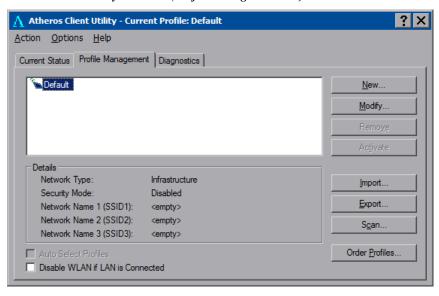
NOTE: The TPMC-8X-GA Security Pack is only needed if authentication is required by the server with which the wireless access point communicates. If authentication is not required, Crestron recommends not installing this package. Once installed it cannot be removed without sending the TPMC-8T-GA back to Crestron.

To begin the authentication process for the wireless access point, touch **AP** in the "Ethernet Setup" window. (Refer to illustration on page 27.) The "Atheros Client Utility" window opens

"Atheros Client Utility" Window



Touch the *Profile Management* tab.

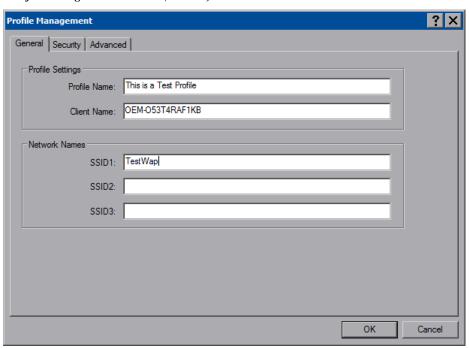


"Atheros Client Utility" Window (Profile Management Tab)

NOTE: Leave the *Disable WLAN if LAN is Connected* box unchecked.

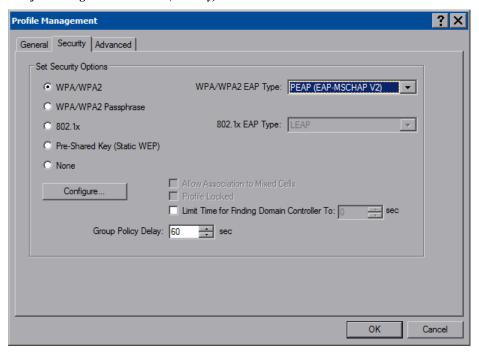
Touch New... to open the "Profile Management" window.

"Profile Management" Window (General)



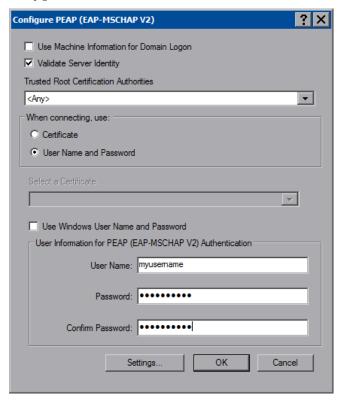
Enter a name for the profile in *Profile Name* and the name of the wireless network in *SSID1*. Then, touch the *Security* tab.

"Profile Management" Window (Security)



Select one of the *Security Options*. Depending on the choice, one of the drop down boxes to the right, either *WPA/WPA2 EAP Type* or *802.1x EAP Type*, becomes enabled. Use the drop down box to make the selection, then touch **Configure...**.

"Configure PEAP" Window

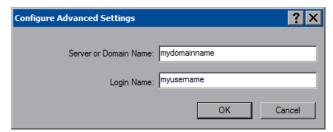


Selecting Validate Server Identity enables the Trusted Root Certification Authorities drop down box.

Selecting *Certificate* in the *When connecting, use:* section, enables the *Select a Certificate* drop down box.

Fill in the *User Name*, *Password* and *Confirm Password* boxes, then touch **Settings...** to open the "Configure Advanced Settings" window.

"Configure Advanced Settings" Window



Enter the Server of Domain Name and Login Name. Then, touch **OK**.

The previous window opens. Touch **OK** to return to the "Profile Management" window. Touch **OK** again to return to the "Atheros Client Utility" window.

With the *Profile Management* tab selected, the window displays the new entry. Select the entry within the window and touch **Activate**. To complete the process, close this window using the "X" in the upper right corner.

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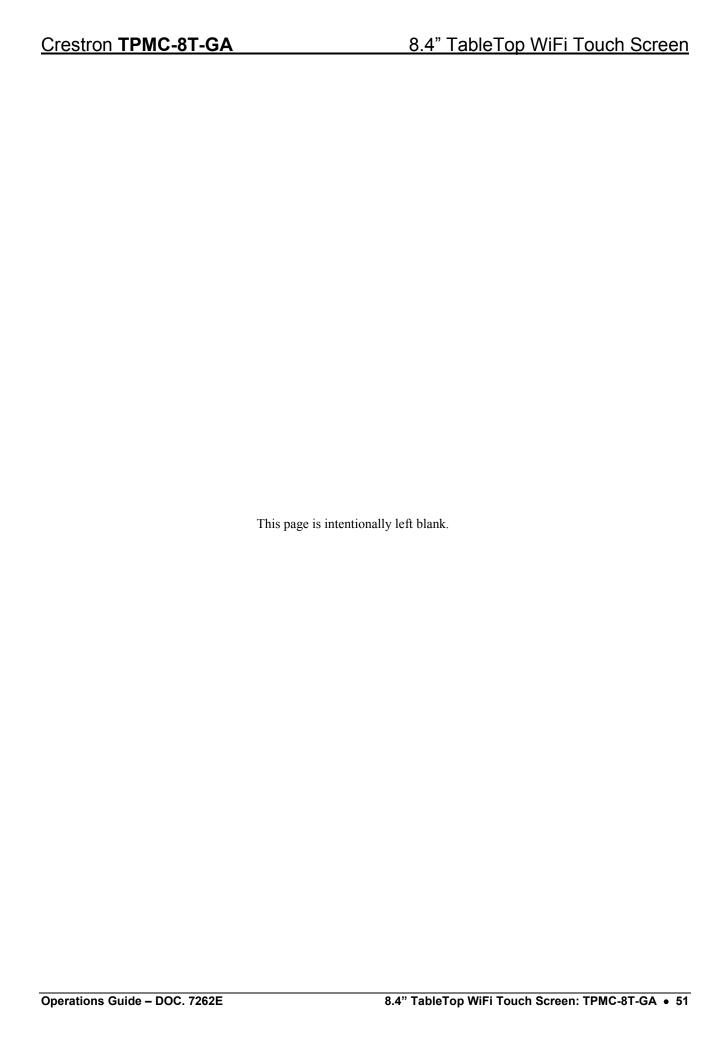
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