QuickStart Guide

FortiGate 3700F Series

FG-3701F, FG-3700F, FG-3701F-DC, and FG-3700F-DC

This guide covers: FG-3701F, FG-3700F, FG-3701F-DC, and FG-3700F-DC

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The Essentials

Default Logins

https://192.168.1.99
Username: ***admin***
Password**: leave blank**

MGMT1 IP is 192.168.1.99
MGMT2 IP is 192.168.2.99

Admin Guide

For a detailed Getting Started guide, setup and configuration information, refer to the Admin Guide on https://docs.fortinet.com/

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Package Contents

FortiGate 3700F Series
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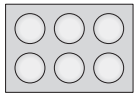
FortiGate Device

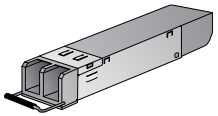
QuickStart Guide

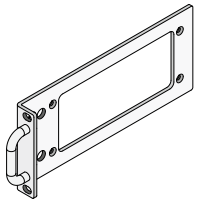
2x C15 Power Cables

1x Ethernet Cable

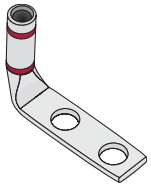
1x Console Cable


6x Rubber Feet


2x SFP+ Transceivers


2x Rack-Mount Brackets

12x Bracket Screws


2x Grounding Lugs
(DC models only)

6x Terminal Rings
(DC models only)

Setup

Unpack the box, power the device and choose one of the following options:

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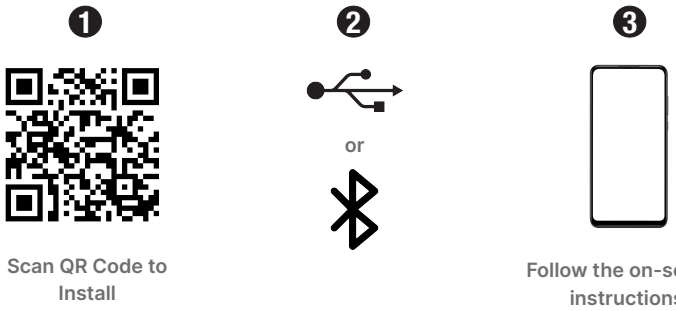
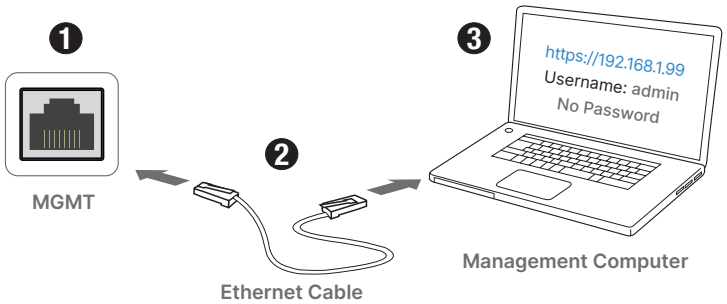


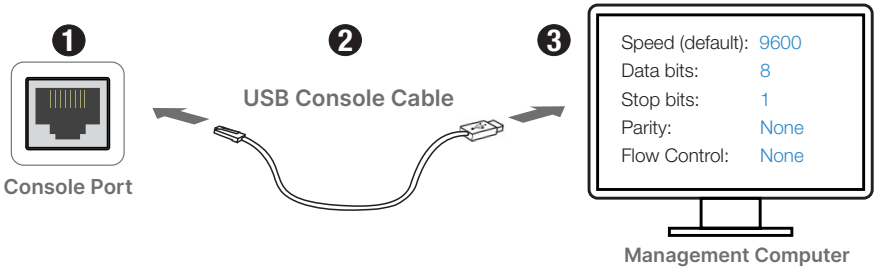
Note: Enable Bluetooth on your mobile device for BLE or connect your mobile's USB cable into the device

GUI



Note: Configure the management computer with IP 192.168.1.x and subnet 255.255.255.0

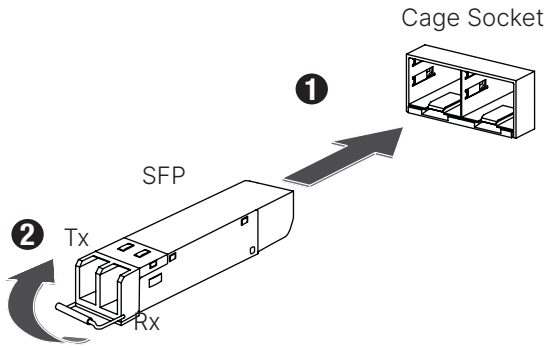
CLI



Note: For a detailed CLI guide, visit docs.fortinet.com

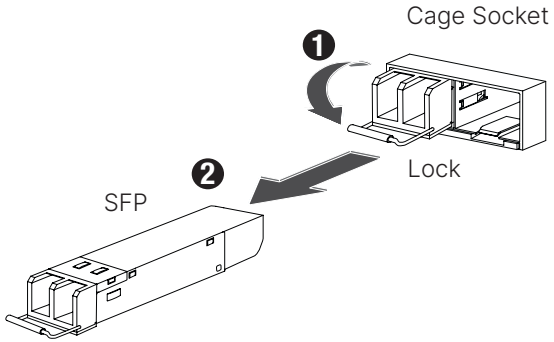
SFP Modules

Installation

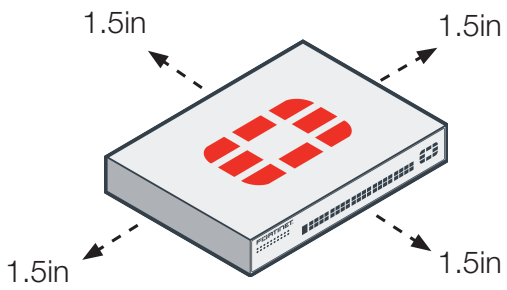


SFP Modules

Removal

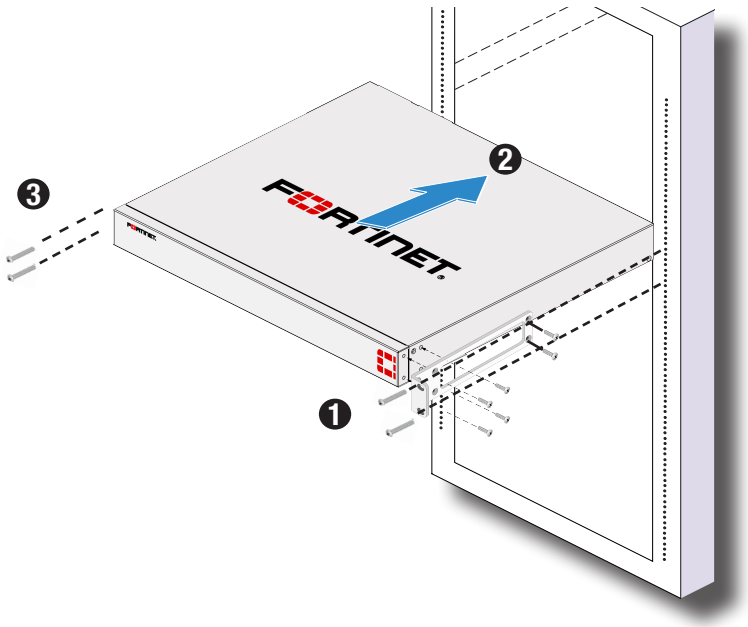


Desktop Installation



Note: Place the device on a flat, clean and stable surface.

Rack Installation

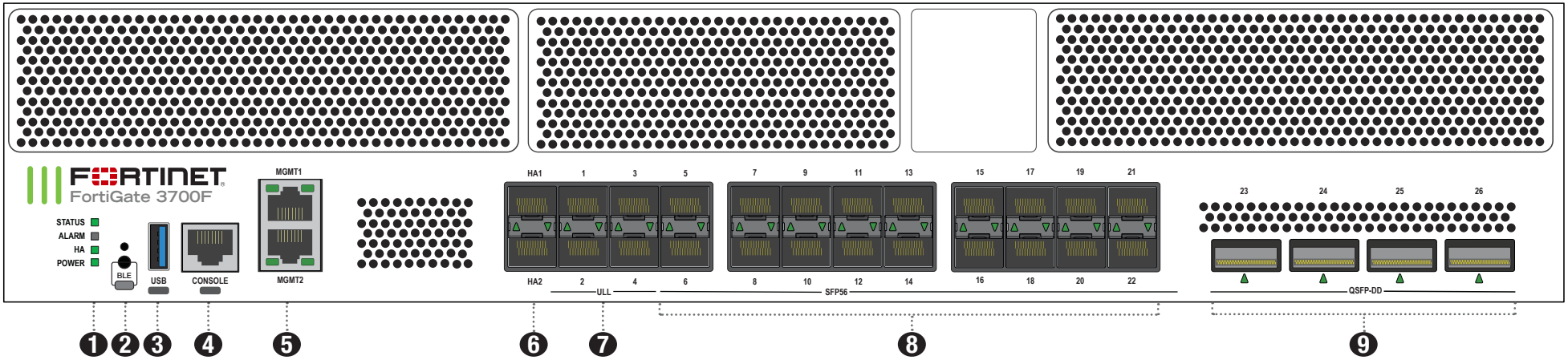


Note: The recommended clearance is 1.5 inches above and below the device in a 19 inch rack.

Caution: To avoid personal injury or damage to the device, it is recommended that two or more people mount the device on a rack.

FG-3700F Series Front Panel

Note: The FG-3701F includes a vented hole SSD cover with rivets.



1 STATUS

- Green: Normal operation
- Flashing Green: Booting up
- Red: Major Alarm
- Off: Device is off

HA

- Green: Operating in an HA cluster
- Red: HA failure
- Off: HA disabled

ALARM

- Red: Major alarm detected
- Amber: Minor alarm detected
- Off: No errors detected

POWER

- Green: Device is on
- Off: Device is off

2 **BLE Button** Activates BLE management or restores to factory default

- Blue: BLE connected
- Flashing Blue: BLE in discovery
- Off: BLE not connected

3 **USB (USB A)** USB 3.0 server port

4 **Console (RJ45)** CLI interface

5 **MGMT 1 and MGMT 2 (RJ45)** 10 GE management ports

LINK/ACT (Left LED)

- Green: Link established
- Flashing Green: Data activity
- Off: No link established

SPEED (Right LED)

- Green: 10 Gbps
- Amber: 5/2.5/1 Gbps
- Off: 100 Mbps or not in use

6 Ports HA1 and HA2

- Green: 50/25/10/1 Gbps
- Flashing Green: Data activity
- Off: No link established

7 Ports 1 to 4 (ULL)

- Green: 25/10 Gbps
- Flashing Green: Data activity
- Off: No link established

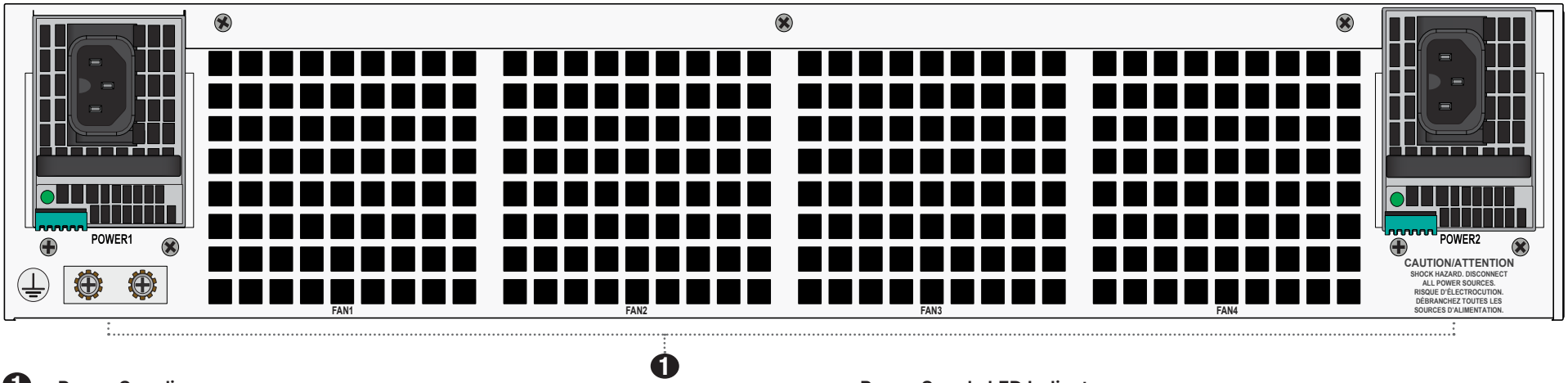
8 Ports 5 to 22 (SFP56)

- Green: 50/25/10/1 Gbps
- Flashing Green: Data activity
- Off: No link established

9 Ports 23 to 26 (QSFP-DD)

- Green: 400/200/100/40 Gbps
- Flashing Green: Data activity
- Off: No link established

FG-3700F Series Rear Panel AC Model



1 Power Supplies
100V/110V/120V/200-240VAC, 15A/15A/12A/10A, 50/60Hz (x2)
1+1 Redundant, hot-swappable power supplies

Power Supply LED Indicators

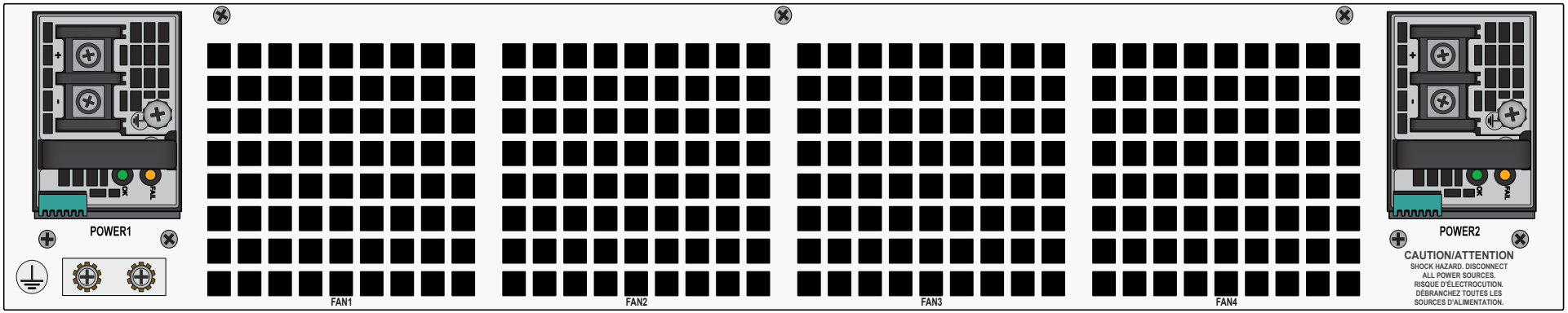
OK

- **Green**: Standby rail and main output on
- **Flashing Green**: Standby rail and main output off
- **Off**: Error or no AC power input

FAIL

- **Amber**: Main output or fan error detected
- **Flashing Amber**: Power supply warning event detected
- **Off**: No errors or no power

FG-3700F Series Rear Panel DC Model



Power Supplies
-48VDC to -60VDC, 23A

Cautions and Warnings

Environmental specifications
Ambient operating temperature: 0°C to 40°C

Rack Mount Instructions - The following or similar rack-mount instructions are included with the installation instructions:
Instructions de montage en rack - Les instructions de montage en rack suivantes ou similaires sont incluses avec les instructions d'installation:

Elevated Operating Ambient - If installed in a closed or multi-unit rack assembly, the operating ambient temperature of the rack environment may be greater than room ambient. Therefore, consideration should be given to installing the equipment in an environment compatible with the maximum ambient temperature (Tma) specified by the manufacturer.
Température ambiante élevée – S'il est installé dans un rack fermé ou à unités multiples, la température ambiante de fonctionnement de l'environnement du rack peut être supérieure à la température ambiante de la pièce. Par conséquent, il est important d'installer le matériel dans un environnement respectant la température ambiante maximale (Tma) stipulée par le fabricant.

Reduced Air Flow - Installation of the equipment in a rack should be such that the amount of air flow required for safe operation of the equipment is not compromised.
Ventilation réduite – Installation de l'équipement dans un rack doit être telle que la quantité de flux d'air nécessaire au bon fonctionnement de l'équipement n'est pas compromise.

Mechanical Loading - Mounting of the equipment in the rack should be such that a hazardous condition is not achieved due to uneven mechanical loading.
Chargement Mécanique – Montage de l'équipement dans le rack doit être telle qu'une situation dangereuse n'est pas lié à un chargement mécanique inégal.

Circuit Overloading - Consideration should be given to the connection of the equipment to the supply circuit and the effect that overloading of the circuits might have on overcurrent protection and supply wiring. Appropriate consideration of equipment nameplate ratings should be used when addressing this concern.
Surtension – Il convient de prendre l'ensemble des précautions nécessaires lors du branchement de l'équipement au circuit d'alimentation et être particulièrement attentif aux effets de la suralimentation sur le dispositif assurant une protection contre les courts-circuits et le câblage. Ainsi, il est recommandé de tenir compte du numéro d'identification de l'équipement.

Reliable Earthing - Reliable earthing of rack-mounted equipment should be maintained. Particular attention should be given to supply connections other than direct connections to the branch circuit (e.g. use of power strips).
Fiabilité de la mise à la terre– Fiabilité de la mise à la terre de l'équipement monté en rack doit être maintenue. Une attention particulière devrait être accordée aux connexions d'alimentation autres que les connexions directes au circuit de dérivation (par exemple de l'utilisation de bandes de puissance).

Refer to specific Product Model Data Sheet for Environmental Specifications (Operating Temperature, Storage Temperature, Humidity, and Altitude)
Référez à la Fiche Technique de ce produit pour les caractéristiques environnementales (Température de fonctionnement, température de stockage, humidité et l'altitude).

Safety

Moving parts — Hazardous moving parts. Keep away from moving fan blades.
Pièces mobiles – Pièces mobiles dangereuses. Se tenir éloigné des lames mobiles du ventilateur.

Warning: Equipment intended for installation in Restricted Access Location.
Avertissement: Le matériel est conçu pour être installé dans un endroit où l'accès est restreint.

Warning: A readily accessible disconnect device shall be incorporated in the building installation wiring.
Avertissement: Un dispositif de déconnexion facilement accessible doit être incorporé dans l'installation électrique du bâtiment.

Warning: A UL Listed external disconnect device, i.e. circuit breaker or other, with over current protection suitable for local code (rated 6A recommended) shall be installed with this equipment.
Avertissement: Un dispositif de déconnection externe homologué UL, exemple d'un disjoncteur ou autre, avec des protections de surintensité appropriées (nominal 6A recommandé) à l'installation de ce matériel.

Battery – Risk of explosion if the battery is replaced by an incorrect type. Do not dispose of batteries in a fire. They may explode. Dispose of used batteries according to your local regulations. IMPORTANT: Switzerland: Annex 4.10 of SR814.013 applies to batteries.
Batterie – Risque d'explosion si la batterie est remplacée par un type incorrect. Ne jetez pas les batteries au feu. Ils peuvent exploser. Jetez les piles usagées conformément aux réglementations locales. IMPORTANT: Suisse: l'annexe 4.10 de SR814.013 s'appliquent aux batteries.

警告
本電池如果更換不正確會有爆炸的危險
請依製造商說明書處理用過之電池

CAUTION: Shock Hazard. Disconnect all power sources.
ATTENTION: Risque d'électrocution. Débranchez toutes les sources d'alimentation.

Grounding — To prevent damage to your equipment, connections that enter from outside the building should pass through a lightning / surge protector, and be properly grounded. Use an electrostatic discharge workstation (ESD) and/or wear an anti-static wrist strap while you work. In addition to the grounding terminal of the plug, on the back panel, there is another, separate terminal for earthing.
Mise à la terre — Pour éviter d'endommager votre matériel, assurez-vous que les branchements qui entrent à partir de l'extérieur du bâtiment passent par un parafoudre / parasurtenseur et sont correctement mis à la terre. Utilisez un poste de travail de décharge électrostatique (ESD) et / ou portez un bracelet anti-statique lorsque vous travaillez. Ce produit possède une borne de mise à la terre qui est prévu à l'arrière du produit, à ceci s'ajoute la mise à la terre de la prise.

Caution: Slide/rail mounted equipment is not to be used as a shelf or a work space.

Attention: Un équipement monté sur bâti ne doit pas être utilisé sur une étagère ou dans un espace de travail.

Warning: Stability hazard.
Aviso: Perigo de estabilidade.

The rack may tip over causing serious personal injury.
O rack pode tombar causando ferimentos graves.

Before extending the rack to the installation position, read the installation instructions.
Antes de estender o rack para a posição de instalação, leia as instruções de instalação.

Do not put any load on the slide-rail mounted equipment in the installation position.
Não coloque nenhuma carga no equipamento montado em trilho deslizante na posição de instalação.

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Do not leave the slide-rail mounted equipment in the installation position.
Não deixe o equipamento montado em trilho deslizante na posição de instalação.

Laser Class 1 optical transceiver shall be used only
L'émetteur-récepteur optique de classe 1 laser doit être utilisé uniquement

IEC 60825-1:2014 transfer to FDA/CDRH Complies with FDA performance standards for laser products except for conformance with IEC 60825-1 Ed.3., as described in Laser Notice No. 56, dated May 8, 2019.

IEC 60825-1:2014 transfert à la FDA/CDRH Conforme aux normes de performance de la FDA pour les produits laser, à l'exception de la conformité à la norme IEC 60825-1 Ed.3., comme décrit dans l'avis laser n° 56, daté du 8 mai 2019.

The SFP ports should use UL Listed Optional Transceiver product, Rated 3.3Vdc, Laser Class 1.
Les ports SFP doivent utiliser un produit émetteur-récepteur en option répertorié UL, 3,3 Vdc, classe laser 1.

Fiber optic transceiver must be rated 3.3V, 22mA max, Laser Class 1, UL certified component.
Le transceiver optique doit avoir les valeurs nominales de 3.3 V, maximum 22 mA, Laser Class 1, homologué UL

Warning: Class I Equipment. This equipment must be earthed. The power plug must be connected to a properly wired earth ground socket outlet. An improperly wired socket outlet could place hazardous voltage on accessible metal parts.
Avertissement: Équipement de classe I. Cet équipement doit être mis à la terre. La fiche d'alimentation doit être connectée à une prise de terre correctement câblée. Une prise de courant mal câblée pourrait placer une tension dangereuse sur les pièces métalliques accessibles.

Warning: All Ethernet cables are designed for intra-building connection to other equipment. Do not connect these ports directly to communication wiring or other wiring that exits the building where the appliance is located.
Avertissement: Tous les câbles Ethernet sont conçus pour une connexion intra-bâtiment à d'autres équipements. Ne connectez pas ces ports directement au câblage de communication ou à tout autre câblage qui sort du bâtiment où se trouve l'appareil.
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Regulatory Notices

Federal Communication Commission (FCC) – USA

This device complies with Part 15 of FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two 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.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy, and if it is not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, it may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference, in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

WARNING: Any changes or modifications to this product not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator and your body. This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

Industry Canada Equipment Standard for Digital Equipment (ICES) – Canada

CAN ICES-003 (A) / NMB-003 (A)

This digital apparatus does not exceed the Class A limits for radio noise emissions from digital apparatus set out in the Radio Interference Regula¬tions of the Canadian Department of Communications.

Cet appareil numérique n'émet pas de bruits radioélectriques dépassant les limites applicables aux appareils numériques de la classe A prescrites dans le Règlement sur le brouillage radioélectrique édicte par le ministère des Communications du Canada.

Innovation, Science and Economic Development (ISED) – Canada

This device contains licence-exempt transmitter(s)/receiver(s) that comply with Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada's licence-exempt RSS(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions:
1. This device may not cause interference.
2. This device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

L'émetteur/récepteur exempt de licence contenu dans le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Innovation, Sciences et Développement économique 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;
2. L'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

This equipment complies with ISED radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.

Cet équipement est conforme aux limites d'exposition aux rayonnements ISED établies pour un environnement non contrôlé. Cet équipement doit être installé et utilisé avec un minimum de 20cm de distance entre la source de rayonnement et votre corps.

This radio transmitter (Contains IC:7280B-111T15H) has been approved by ISED to operate with the antenna types listed below with the maximum permissible gain and required antenna impedance for each antenna type indicated. Antenna types not included in this list, having a gain greater than the maximum gain indicated for that type, are strictly prohibited for use with this device.

Le présent émetteur radio (Contains IC:7280B-111T15H) a été approuvé par ISED pour fonctionner avec les types d'antenne énumérés ci-dessous et ayant un gain admissible maximal et l'impédance requise pour chaque type d'antenne. Les types d'antenne non inclus dans cette liste, ou dont le gain est supérieur au gain maximal indiqué, sont strictement interdits pour l'exploitation de l'émetteur.

This device and it's antennas(s) must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter except in accordance with IC multi-transmitter product procedures.

Cet appareil et son antenne (s) ne doit pas être co-localisés ou fonctionnement en association avec une autre antenne ou transmetteur.

Ant.	Brand Holder	Model Name	Antenna Type	Connector	Antenna Gain (dBi)
1	Wieson	ARY196-0346-002-00	PIFA	Ipex I	-0.2
2	INPAQ	WA-F-LA-02-120	PIFA	Ipex I	1.78

European Conformity (CE) - EU

This is a Class A product. In a domestic environment, this product may cause radio interference, in which case the user may be required to take adequate measures.

The product transmits within the frequency ranges and less than or equal to the power listed below:

2402-2480MHz less than 20dBm

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Dieses Produkt entspricht der Richtlinie 2014/53/EU.

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Suomi
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Svenska
Denna produkt överensstämmer med direktiv 2014/53/EU.

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Compliance with 2014/53/EU Radio Equipment Directive (RED)

In accordance with Article 10.8(a) and 10.8(b) of the RED, the following table provides information on the frequency bands used and the maximum e.i.r.p. of the product for sale in the EU:

Frequency Range (MHz)	Maximum e.i.r.p. (dBm)
Bluetooth 2.4GHz	4.56

UK Conformity Assessed (UKCA) – United Kingdom

The product transmits within the frequency ranges and less than or equal to the power listed below:
2402-2480MHz less than 20dBm

This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.

This product is in compliance with Statutory Instrument 1206 Radio Equipment Regulations 2017

The full Declaration of Conformity for this product is available in the link below:
https://site.fortinet.com/ProductRegulatory/UK

Voluntary Control Council for Interference (VCCI) – Japan

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VCCI－A

Product Safety Electrical Appliance & Material (PSE) – Japan

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Bureau of Standards Metrology and Inspection (BSMI) – Taiwan

The presence conditions of the restricted substance (BSMI RoHS table) are available at the link below:
限用物質含有情況表 (RoHS Table) 請到以下 網址下載:
https://www.fortinet.com/bsmi

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注意：要斷開電源，請將所有電源線從本機上拔下

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National Telecommunications Commission (NCC) – Taiwan

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China

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Agência Nacional de Telecomunicações (ANATEL) – Brazil

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