

TinyGateway Flex

User Manual

Introduction

TinyGateway Flex (referred to also as TinyGateway or gateway or product) is a long-range, low-power and low-cost gateway, based on ESP32-S3 processor (for Ethernet connectivity) and on nRF52832 SoC (for BLE or Wirepas communication).

TinyGateway Flex is available in two versions:

- **BLE**: scanner and advertiser device of Bluetooth Low Energy packets;
- **Wirepas**: sink node for Wirepas Mesh 2.4GHz networks.

Before you start using a TinyGateway Flex, verify that it is undamaged and carefully read the instructions in this user manual, particularly the indications in the "Safety" section.

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Technical characteristics

Hardware

Platform:	Espressif Systems ESP32S3WROOM-1
Processor:	ESP32-S3 series, Xtensa® dual-core 32-bit LX7 microprocessor, up to 240MHz
Connectivity:	Ethernet (802.3af), WiFi (802.11 b/g/n), Bluetooth Low Energy (v4.x/v5.x) or Wirepas 5.x

Electrical specifications

Connector:	USB: USB-C connector PoE: RJ45 connector VDC: 2-poles connector
Voltage:	5 Vdc (USB) or 44 to 57 Vdc (PoE) or 6-30 Vdc (VDC)

Mechanical and environmental specifications

Size:	155 x 125 x 40 mm
Mounting options:	2x M3.5 screws (not included)
IP protection:	IP40
Operating temperature:	-20°C to +65°C
Humidity:	10-90% non condensing

Procedures

Refer to the full User Manual available on BlueUp support website for a detailed description on the procedures for gateway installation, power supply and configuration:

BLE: https://docs.blueupbeacons.com/Devices/BLE/TinyGateway/TinyGateway_BLE_FLEX_User_Guide/

Wirepas:

https://docs.blueupbeacons.com/Devices/Wirepas/TinyGateway/TinyGateway_Wirepas_FLEX_User_Guide/

Installation and Power supply

TinyGateway Flex can be installed in desired location, where the power supply cables can reach the gateway. The gateway can be installed using the screws, as described below.

PoE connector

Ensure that your LAN is already provided with a PoE Switch or connect a PoE switch to your LAN network.

1. Install the gateway using the screws for the holes in the lateral flanges (2x M3.5 screws, not included).
2. Connect the gateway to the PoE-enabled LAN with standard Ethernet cable.

USB-C connector

1. Install the gateway using the screws for the holes in the lateral flanges (2x M3.5 screws, not included).
2. Connect the gateway to the LAN using standard Ethernet cable.
3. Power-up TinyGateway using a standard USB-C cable, with continuous voltage 5V (5VDC).

2-poles connector

DC power supply is required with voltage range 6-30 Vdc.

1. Install the TinyGateway using the screws for the holes in the lateral flanges (2x M3.5 screws, not included).
2. Connect the gateway to the LAN using standard Ethernet cable.
3. Power-up TinyGateway via external 2-poles connector.

First start

1. Power-on the gateway.
2. Retrieve the IP address assigned to the gateway by the local DHCP server.
3. Access the Web interface at

URL: <http://<Gateway IP address>>

Password: blueup

4. Configure Ethernet connection with your desired values.

Gateway Configuration

1. Connect to the gateway IP address.
2. BLE version: configure the gateway as receiver (scanner), transmitter (beacon) or both.
Wirepas version: configure the gateway as Wirepas Sink.
3. Configure the network communication with your desired settings (MQTT, HTTP, TCP or UDP, depending on version).

Safety

These information are an integral and essential part of the product and must be delivered to the user. Read them carefully as they contain important information regarding the installation, use and maintenance.

Warnings

TinyGateway Flex must be intended for use for which it was designed. Any other use is considered improper and therefore dangerous.

Before you start using TinyGateway Flex, verify that it is undamaged.

DO NOT use TinyGateway Flex in potentially explosive atmospheres. The presence of flammable gas or fumes is a serious safety hazard.

Make sure that TinyGateway Flex is always kept in a dry environment.

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Waste disposal



In implementing the Directives 2011/65/EU and 2012/19/EC on the restriction of the use of hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment and the disposal of waste.

The crossed bin symbol on the appliance or its packaging indicates that at the end of the product's life, it must be collected separately from other waste. The user must, therefore, take the remote control to an authorized disposal center for collection of electronic and electrical waste, or return it to the dealer when purchasing a new similar appliance, on a one to one basis. Appropriate separate collection for the subsequent forwarding of the product sent for recycling, treatment and environmentally compatible disposal helps to prevent negative environmental and health effects and promotes the reuse and/or recycling of materials making up the equipment. Illegal dumping of the product by the user entails the application of administrative sanctions in the current provisions of law.

For more information about the collection systems, contact your local authorities.

In implementing Directive 2006/66/EC on the reduced use of hazardous substances in batteries and the disposal of the same.

The crossed bin symbol on the appliance or its packaging indicates that the batteries must not be disposed of with the rest of the household waste, as they may contain substances that are potentially harmful to the environment and health. Remove the old battery from the device and turn it in at the appropriate collection points.

Disclaimer

This manual is intended to provide a brief summary of our knowledge and some guidance regarding the use of the device and its accessories. The information contained herein has been provided by sources that BlueUp S.r.l. considers to be dependable and is accurate to the best knowledge of the company. This sheet is not intended to be an inclusive document on worldwide hazard communication regulations. The information is provided in good faith. Each user of this material needs to evaluate the conditions of use and define the appropriate protective mechanisms to prevent the exposure of persons, property damage or release to the environment.

BlueUp S.r.l. assumes no responsibility for injury to the recipient or third persons, or for any damages resulting from misuse of the device and its parts.

Warranty

For warranty conditions, refer to BlueUp “General Terms and Conditions of Sale” available available at the following internet address: www.blueupbeacons.com

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