

MAX<sup>™</sup> IP Response Point<sup>™</sup>

# ADMINISTRATOR'S GUIDE



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# CHAPTER 1: PRODUCT OVERVIEW

# **PRODUCT OVERVIEW**

Thank you for purchasing the ClearOne MAX<sup>™</sup> IP Response Point<sup>™</sup> expandable conferencing phone. MAX IP Response Point provides premium, full-duplex audio to small conference rooms as a single unit and to larger rooms as an expanded system. Up to four MAX IP Response Point units can be linked, expanding not only microphone coverage but loudspeaker coverage and control access as well. This creates even distribution of sound for a more natural communications experience. Setting up the MAX IP Response Point conferencing phone requires only three connections: power, network, and the base unit to the conferencing phone. And, the familiar keypad design ensures that you will be comfortable using the phone, reducing the need for training, and support.

- **EXPANDABLE**. MAX IP Response Point is ideal for conference rooms and provides complete microphone and loudspeaker coverage and easy access to controls.
- **SUPERIOR AUDIO**. The clear, full sound of the MAX IP Response Point facilitates more natural interaction among participants.
- **ONE-TOUCH CONFERENCING**. Single-button access to the Response Point voice-activate phone system.
- EASY TO USE. The intuitive, user-friendly controls are simple to operate.

## SERVICE AND SUPPORT

If you need additional information on how to set up or operate your MAX IP Response Point conferencing phone, please contact us. We welcome and encourage your comments so we can continue to improve our products and better meet your needs.

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#### PRODUCT RETURNS

All product returns require a return authorization (RA) number. Please contact ClearOne Technical Support before attempting to return your product. Please be sure to return all the items that shipped with your product.

# **IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION**

Read all safety information before using this product.

- Read and understand all instructions.
- Follow all warnings and instructions marked on the product.
- Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Use a damp cloth for cleaning. Do not use liquid cleaners or aerosol cleaners.
- Do not use this product near water, including bathtubs, sinks, or near a swimming pool.
- Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, or table.
- Slots and openings in the back, bottom, and/or sides of the product are provided for ventilation. To prevent overheating, these openings must not be blocked or covered.
- This product should never be placed near or over a radiator or heat register. This product should not be used in built-in installations unless proper ventilation is provided.
- This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply in your location, consult your dealer or local power company.
- Do not overload wall outlets and extension cords as this can result in the risk of fire or electric shock.
- Never push objects of any kind into this product through cabinet slots as they may touch dangerous voltage points or short out parts that could result in fire or electric shock.
- Never spill liquids on the product.
- To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not disassemble this product. Opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltages or other risks. Incorrect reassembly can cause electric shock during subsequent use.
- Unplug this product from the wall outlet and refer servicing to qualified service personnel under the following conditions:
  - » When the power supply cord or plug is damaged or frayed.
  - » If liquid has been spilled into the product.
  - » If the product does not operate normally according to the operating instructions.
  - » If the product has been dropped or damaged.
  - » If the product exhibits a distinct change in performance.
- Do not use this product during an electrical storm. There is a remote risk of electric shock from lightning.
- Do not use this product near intensive care medical equipment or by persons with pacemakers.
- This product can interfere with electrical equipment such as tape recorders, TV sets, radios, computers and microwave ovens if placed in close proximity.



# **Save These Instructions**

### **UNPACK**

Place the conferencing pod and base unit on a level surface. Ensure you have received all items shown in figure 1.

Use the pack-out diagrams below to verify that you received all components for your MAX product.

**Note:** Inspect your shipment carefully for obvious signs of damage. ClearOne is not responsible for product damage incurred during shipment. You must make claims directly with the carrier. If the shipment appears damaged, retain the original boxes and packing material and contact your carrier immediately.



#### SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

#### System requirements for Microsoft® Response Point<sup>™</sup> can be found at:

• http://www.microsoft.com/responsepoint/resources-datasheet.aspx

#### **Microsoft Response Point Software Download**

Microsoft Response Point SP1 is available as a free download at the following location:

http://www.microsoft.com/responsepoint/features-software-SP1-download.aspx

# CHAPTER 2: INSTALLATION CONNECTING YOUR CONFERENCE PHONE

Connect the Connection cable from the **Link Out** jack on the base unit to the **Link In** jack on the conferencing pod (see figure 2.1).



Warning: DO NOT plug a laptop or PC into the Link Out jack on the base unit or conferencing pod as severe electrical damage could occur.

Connect the base unit to the Ethernet jack using the Ethernet cable. Connect the power cord to the base unit and plug it directly into an electrical outlet.

# **CONNECTING ADDITIONAL MAX IP RESPONSE POINT PHONES**

Connect the 12' Connection cable to the **Link Out** jack on the first phone and to the **Link In** jack on the second phone (see figure 2.2).



Continue linking additional MAX IP Response Point phones in the same fashion. A total of four units may be connected.

# CHAPTER 3: CONFIGURATION OF THE MAX IP RESPONSE POINT PHONE

# MANUALLY ASSIGNING AN IP ADDRESS

If DHCP is disabled or you wish to assign a static IP address, perform the following steps:

1. Press and hold the **REDIAL/PROG** key until the program icon appears on the LCD screen.



**Note**: If a key is not pressed within 30 seconds of entering program mode, the MAX IP Response Point phone will beep and return to normal operation mode.

- 2. Press the 2 key. The default IP address is displayed on the LCD screen. If this address was obtained from DHCP, then you can use it to access the web interface. If you cannot access the web interface using this address, then you need to either configure DHCP as explained above so that the IP address can be obtained automatically, or you must manually enter a static IP address. Continue with step 3 to manually enter a static IP address for the MAX IP Response Point phone.
- 3. Press the **1** key. The current DHCP setting is displayed on the LCD screen. A "1" indicates that DHCP mode is enabled; a "0" indicates that DHCP mode is disabled.
- 4. If "0" is the current setting, then continue with step 8, otherwise continue with step 5.
- 5. Press the **REDIAL/PROG** key. The current DHCP mode "1" will flash on the LCD screen.
- 6. Press the **0** key. The new DHCP mode "0" will flash on the LCD screen.
- 7. Press the **REDIAL/PROG** key. DHCP mode is disabled.
- 8. Press the 2 key. The current IP address (such as 0.0.0.0) will be displayed on the LCD screen.
- 9. Press the REDIAL/PROG key. The current IP address will flash on the LCD screen.
- 10. Press the **CLEAR** key. The current IP address will be deleted one character at a time.
- 11. Using the number keys, enter the static IP address. Use the \* key to enter the decimal separators in the IP address.
- 12. Press the REDIAL/PROG key. The new static IP address is activated in the MAX IP Response Point phone.
- 13. Press the 3 key and repeat steps 9-12 above to set the subnet mask, then continue with step 14.
- 14. Press the REDIAL/PROG key. The MAX IP Response Point phone will reboot.

### MANUALLY PROVISIONING YOUR MAX IP RESPONSE POINT PHONE

The easiest way to manually provision your MAX IP Response Point phone is through the web interface. To access the web interface, perform the following steps:

- 1. Press and hold the **REDIAL/PROG** key until the program icon appears on the LCD screen.
- 2. Press the 2 key. The phone's IP address will be displayed on the LCD screen.

- 3. Make note of the IP address and press the CLEAR key. The phone will exit Program mode.
- 4. Start Internet Explorer.

**Note:** Only Internet Explorer, release 6.0 or later with Java 1.5 or later installed, is supported by the MAX IP Response Point phone.

- 5. Enter the phone's IP address into the Internet Explorer address field and press the **ENTER** key on your computer's keyboard. (You can also enter the DNS name or the phone's name on the network in order to get to the web interface login screen.)
- 6. The MAX IP Response Point's web portal will appear, displaying the Device Information screen.

#### **Web Portal Screens**

The following sections display each of the screens included in the MAX IP Response Point web portal and describe all of the settings that can be modified through each of the screens.

#### **Device Information screen**

The **Device Information** screen (see figure 3.2) displays all of the system information for your MAX IP Response Point phone. The information fields are self-explanatory. Please note that the last four digits of the MAC address are used as an identifier in the system name. By default, the system name is in the format of MAX1AV- followed by the last four digits of the MAC address. The MAC address is a unique address in hexadecial format that can also be found on the label attached to the back of your MAX IP Response Point base unit. This screen (and all other screens) also includes a link to the Registration page in order to register your MAX IP Response Point phone with ClearOne. Simply click the **Registration** link to go there.

ClearOne.	CONFIGURATION VIEW LC	06 TOOLS ABOUT DEVICE REG	SISTRATION
MAX IP WebPortal	Device Inform	nation	
	System Name:	MAXIP-C3BC	
	Local phone number:	101	
	Manufacturer:	ClearOne Communications	
	Copyright Notice:	Hanufactured by ClearOne Communications (C) 2005 ClearOne Communications All rights reserved	
	Protocol Information:	SIP	
	Base Firmware Version:	Pre 3.1.6 Resp Pt	
	Pod Firmware Version:	Pre 3.1.2 Resp EU	
	MAC Address:	00:06:24:0D:C3:BC	
	SIP Proxy Status:	Registered	
			Figure 2.2 Device Information ser
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#### **Configuration: User Preferences screen**

Use the **Configuration: User Preferences** (see figure 3.3) screen to enable/disable automatic level control (ALC) and automatic gain control (AGC), to mute/unmute the incoming ringer, to select the incoming ringer melody, to set the time zone, and to determine if you want the time automatically adjusted for Daylight Savings.

<b>ClearOne</b> .	CONFIGURATION VIEW L	OG TOOLS	ABOUT DEVICE	REGISTRATION	
MAX IP WebPortal	User Preferer	nces			
User Preferences	Enable automatic level o	control ontrol			
Trace and Logging	Mute incoming ringer Incoming ringer	Melody 1 💌	F	Play	
	Time zone: Auto adjust for Daylight	(GMT-7:00) Mounta Saving Changes	in Time		~
			4	Apply	
		Figure 3.3	3 Configuration: U	ser Preferences s	screen

- Enable automatic level control: Click this check box to enable ALC or uncheck it to disable ALC. ALC (automatic level control) automatically adjusts microphone levels to ensure participants' voices are transmitted at consistent levels regardless of whether people are speaking loudly or softly.
- **Enable automatic gain control**: Click this check box to enable AGC or uncheck it to disable AGC. AGC (automatic gain control) adjusts (softer and louder) input audio to a consistent level.
- **Mute incoming ringer**: Click this check box to mute the incoming ringer (or uncheck it to allow the ringer to ring normally).
- **Incoming ringer melody:** Click the drop-down box to select from the five available melodies. Click the Play button to listen the selected melody on the phone.
- **Time zone:** Click the drop-down box to select from the available time zones. Choose the appropriate time zone for your location. The time zone is necessary for error logging.
- Auto adjust for Daylight Saving Changes: Click this check box to have the time automatically adjusted for Daylight Savings or uncheck it if Daylight Savings time is not observed in your area.

Click the **Apply** button to activate any changes made to this screen.

#### Configuration: Trace/Logging Settings screen

Use the **Configuration: Trace/Logging Settings** screen (see figure 3.4) to control logging for general audio processing and SIP subsystems, as well as system logs and trace flags.



Figure 3.4 Configuration: Trace/Logging Settings screen

**Note:** This screen is only used to diagnose problems you might be experiencing on your MAX IP Response Point phone. Before enabling any of these logs, please call our customer service department to receive instructions on which logs to enable.

- Enable system log: Click this check box to have the system log displayed on the Device Log File screen.
- Active trace flags: Click the Apply button to activate trace flags.
- General Logging: These are various audio and call control subsystems for which logs can be generated if enabled.
- SIP Message Logging: Allows capture of all inbound and outbound SIP messages for signalling diagnostics.
- Turn Off Logs: Click this button to turn off logging.

Click the **Apply** button to cause logs selected in General Logging and SIP Logging sections to be displayed on the Device Log File screen.

#### View Log: Device Log File screen

Use the **View Log: Device Log File** screen (see figure 3.5) to keep record of device log data. You can then download the log for review by clicking the **Download** button. The log shows the last 8 KB of log data. Click the **Update** button to get the most recent 8 KB of data. Click the **Clear** button to clear the log.

**Note**: This screen is only used to diagnose problems you might be experiencing on your MAX IP Response Point phone. Please call our customer service department to receive instructions on how to interpret the logs shown here.

#### **Tools: Diagnostics - VoIP Statistics screen**

Use the **Tools: Diagnostics - VoIP Statistics** screen (see figure 3.6) to check the phone state, update firmware, reboot the phone, and restore default settings.

ClearOne.	CONFIGURATION	PHONE BOOK	VIEW LOG	TOOLS	ABOUT DEVICE	REGISTRATION			
MAX IP WebPortal	Device I	Log File							
	[NO DATA]				Dowr	load			
					Upc	late			
					⊂ie	ear -			
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				F	igure 3.5	5 View Log	g: Device L	_og File scr	een /

- Check Phone State: Click this button to view VoIP statistics, including the number of packets received, the number of packets lost, and the percent packet loss. These statistics are displayed in real time and are only available when the phone is in a call. At such time, a green check mark appears in the check box above the **Check Phone State** button.
- Update Firmware: You will receive the firmware update file (ggsip\_all, for example) and, using the web interface only, you will enter that name directly or browse to its location on your computer by using the **Browse** button, then clicking the **Update** button. The MAX IP Response Point phone's firmware is updated.
- Reboot Device: Click this button to reboot your MAX IP Response Point phone.
- **Restore Default Settings**: Click this button to restore the default settings of your MAX IP Response Point phone.

ClearOne.	CONFIGURATION	VIEW LOG	TOOLS A	BOUT DEVICE	REGISTRATION				
MAX IP WebPortal	Diagnostic	s - Voll	⊃ Statistics						
	The statistics are av	vailable wher	the phone is in a ca	dl ( 🗆 )					
	Packets received:	Check Phone	State						
	Packets Lost	??							
	Percent packet loss	: ??							
	Firmware								
	File location:	Update	Browse	2					
	Operations	\$							
	B	Reboot Der	vice Settings						
				Figu			Dourioo		0.0100
				гigu	11 E 3.6 VI	ew Log:	Device	LUG FILE	scree

# CHAPTER 4: USER OPTIONS

### **PROGRAMMING OPTIONS**

To allow for individual preferences and enhance ease of use, the following features can be programmed: DHCP, host IP, subnet mask, default gateway IP address, ringer melody, VLAN on/off, help line number, and AGC/ALC. You can also restore factory defaults.

### To Change Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP)

1. Press and hold the **REDIAL/PROG** key until the Program icon appears on the LCD screen (see figure 4.1)



Figure 4.1 MAX IP Response Point LCD Program icon

- 2. Press 1 to enter the DHCP menu. There are two options: 1 enable DHCP; and 0 disable DHCP.
- 3. Press REDIAL/PROG. The current DHCP setting will flash.
- 4. Press keys 1 or 0 to enable or disable DHCP.
- 5. Press REDIAL/PROG to save the selection; a confirmation tone will play. Press CLEAR to exit programming.
- 6. The phone will reboot.

#### **To Change Host IP Address**

Press and hold the **REDIAL/PROG** key until the Program icon appears on the LCD screen (see figure 4.1).

Note: DHCP must be disabled in order to change the host IP address manually.

- 1. Press 2 to enter the Host IP Address menu. The current host IP address will be displayed.
- 2. Press REDIAL/PROG. The current host IP address will flash.
- 3. Press and hold CLEAR to erase the current host IP address.
- 4. Using the number keys, enter the desired host IP address.
- 5. Press **REDIAL/PROG** to save the selection; a confirmation tone will play. Press **CLEAR** to exit programming mode.
- 6. The phone will reboot.

#### **To Change Subnet Mask**

1. Press and hold the **REDIAL/PROG** key until the Program icon appears on the LCD screen (see figure 4.1).

**Note**: DHCP must be disabled in order to change the subnet mask manually.

- 2. Press 3 to enter the Change Subnet Mask menu. The current subnet mask will be displayed
- 3. Press **REDIAL/PROG**. The current subnet mask will flash.
- 4. Press and hold **CLEAR** to erase the current subnet mask.

- 5. Using the number keys, enter the desired subnet mask.
- Press REDIAL/PROG to save the selection; a confirmation tone will play. Press CLEAR to exit programming mode.
- 7. The phone will reboot.

#### **To Program a Default Gateway IP Address**

1. Press and hold REDIAL/PROG until the Program icon will appear on the LCD screen (see figure 4.1).

Note: DHCP must be disabled in order to change the subnet mask manually.

- 2. Press **4** to enter the Default Gateway IP Address menu. The current default gateway IP address will be displayed.
- 3. Press REDIAL/PROG. The current default gateway IP address will flash.
- 4. Press and hold **CLEAR** to erase the current default gateway IP address.
- 5. Using the number keys, enter the desired default gateway IP address.
- 6. Press **REDIAL/PROG** to save the selection; a confirmation tone will play. Press **CLEAR** to exit programming mode.
- 7. The phone will reboot.

#### To Program the Automatic Gain Control (AGC) and Automatic Level Control (ALC) Settings

- 1. Press and hold the **REDIAL/PROG** key until the Program icon appears on the LCD screen (see figure 4.1).
- 2. Press and hold the 8 key. The current AGC setting number will be displayed on the LCD screen.
- 3. Press **REDIAL/PROG**. The current setting number will flash.
- 4. Enter a new setting number using the table shown in figure 4.2.

Setting	Speaker AGC	Microphone ALC
1	On	On
2	On	Off
3	Off	On
4	Off	Off

Figure 4.2 MAX IP Response Point gain control table

5. Press **REDIAL/PROG** to save the selection; a confirmation tone will play. Press **CLEAR** to exit programming mode.

#### **To Restore Factory Defaults**

- 1. Press and hold the **REDIAL/PROG** key until the Program icon will appear on the LCD screen (see figure 4.1).
- 2. Press and hold the 9 key. The number 8 will repeat across the LCD screen.
- Press REDIAL/PROG to save the selection; a confirmation tone will play. Press CLEAR to exit programming mode.
- 4. The phone will reboot.

# CHAPTER 5: RESPONSE POINT CONFIGURATION

### MAX IP RESPONSE POINT SOFTWARE

This section describes how to integrate the MAX IP Response Point into your existing Response Point system. Microsoft Response Point phones and devices have a blue button that allows you to use Response Point features, such as transferring a call using voice activated dialing.

#### To Connect a New Phone or Device:

- 1. Using an Ethernet cable, connect the phone to the LAN.
- 2. Connect the phone to a power source with the power cord.
- 3. Next, install the Administrator program.

#### **Installing Response Point Administrator**

Administrator is the program you'll use to administer and monitor Microsoft® Response Point<sup>™</sup>. With it, you can configure phones, users, and extension numbers, and set other options. You should install Administrator on the computer of the person who will manage the Response Point system.

#### To install Administrator:

- 1. Insert the Response Point CD.
- 2. Select Install Microsoft Response Point Administrator, and click Next.
- 3. On each page, click **Next** when you are ready to move to the following page of the wizard.
- 4. When you reach the last page of the wizard, click **Finish**.

#### Starting Response Point Administrator and Logging On to the Base Unit

To start Administrator and log on to the base unit:

- 1. Click Start, point to All Programs, and click Microsoft Response Point Administrator.
- 2. Select the base unit that you just installed, and click Connect.

**Note**: A few seconds may elapse. If you don't see the base unit listed, it's likely that the base unit or the computer on which Administrator is running is not connected properly to the LAN. Make sure all cables and power cords are connected.

- 3. When prompted to provide a password, type the default password: admin (case sensitive).
  - » It is recommended that you change this password as soon as possible for security purposes.
- 4. Click Connect again.

**Note**: Before you configure your device, it is important that you set the date and time on the base unit. If you do not take this step first, you may have to reconfigure any phones you have already configured.

To set the date and time on the base unit:

1. In Administrator, click the Base Unit button.

- 2. In the Tasks pane, under Properties, click Change Date and Time.
- 3. In the Set Date and Time on Base Unit dialog box, enter the correct values for the date and time settings.
- 4. Click **OK**. The base unit will automatically restart. After it restarts, the base unit will display the new date and time.
- 5. Next, you'll configure the new device in your Response Point system.

#### **Response Point Administrator**

#### Configuring a Phone Using Response Point Administrator

The following step is to configure the device you connected to the LAN, using the Configure Phone Wizard.

To configure a phone:

- 1. In Administrator, click the Phone System button.
- 2. In the Tasks pane, under Phone, click Add Phone, which displays the Configure Phone Wizard.
- 3. Confirm that the phone is connected and plugged in, select the check box at the bottom of the Have you connected your phone page, and click **Next**.
- 4. In the Phones found on the network list, click one of the phones you just connected, and click Next.

#### **Adding a New Phone**

#### To add a new phone in Response Point Administrator

- 1. Launch Response Point Administrator.
  - · Connect to the server.



- Click Add Phone.
  - A. Ensure the MAX IP Response Point is powered and connected to the network.
  - B. The MAX IP Response Point will appear in the device list.

Configure Phone	×
What phone do you want to add?	
Phones found on the network:	
Clearone 910-158-340 (00-06-24-0D-C3-BC): 192.168.1.106 Eng 3.2.2 Resp 1.7	
What if the phone I expected to find is not listed? Refresh	
	_
< <u>B</u> ack <u>N</u> ext > Cancel <u>H</u> elp	

- C. Highlight the device, click Next.
- D. Select **Assign User** to Assign or Create a user and click **Next.** 
  - From the list, choose the user you wish to assign to the phone, highlight and click **OK**.

🖉 Administrator - Select	×
Select a user who will receive calls on this phone:	
Andrew Thompson (302) Carl Mackie (305) Ed Bodenberger (303)	
Conference Room (301)	
<u>N</u> ew User	
OK Cancel <u>H</u> elp	

- To Create a New User: select **New User**.
- Follow the New User wizard.
- E. Assign your user to "Recieve calls on this phone". Click Next.

2 Configure Phone	×
Who will receive calls on this phone?	
Users who receive calls on this phone:	
- Conference Room (301)	Assign User
	Remove User
	Move User Down
	Nove over <u>D</u> omin
U	
* The user assigned in this position is the primary user of the phone. may determine the caller ID for calls placed from the phone, when th	Which user is primary
light is lit, and other behavior. See your phone documentation for info	rmation.
< Back Next >	Cancel Help

- F. Name the phone, click **Next.**
- G. Click **Finish** to complete the process.

The MAX IP Response Point is now ready for use with your Response Point phone system.

# CHAPTER 6: TROUBLESHOOTING

### TROUBLESHOOTING

Use this section to diagnose and resolve the most common issues that may occur with your product.

### **MAX IP Response Point Troubleshooting**

#### Caring for your MAX IP Response Point

- Follow all warnings and instructions marked on your MAX IP Response Point.
- Unplug base unit and conferencing pod from the wall outlet before cleaning.
- Do not use liquid or aerosol cleaners. Use a damp cloth moistened with water to clean the outside of your conferencing pod or base unit and power supply.

#### **Troubleshooting Common Issues**

If you are having trouble with your MAX IP Response Point, it might be improperly configured or other equipment might be malfunctioning. To begin, check for the following (or consult the chart in figure 6.1):

- The MAX IP Response Point base unit is plugged into an electrical outlet with the proper voltage and its power light is on.
- Make sure cables are securely connected.
- The equipment the other party is using is comparable in quality to your MAX IP Response Point conferencing phone and is working properly. While the MAX IP Response Point works with speakerphones, cell phones, handsets or installed conferencing systems, the quality of the conference will be impacted if the party you are conferencing with has poor quality equipment.

If you hear/see:	Possible issue:	Try this:
No dial tone.	Base unit is not connected to an Ethernet jack.	Connect the base unit to the Ethernet jack using the supplied Ethernet cable.
	DHCP failure.	Check for IP address.
Static or noise.	The other party's room is too noisy.	Ask the other party to turn off noisy equipment.
	Packet loss or delay.	Contact Network Administrator.
Poor audio quality.	The equipment on the far end is of inferior quality.	The equipment should be upgraded. Participants can try sitting closer to equipment and eliminating background noise.
	A G.729.1 codec is selected as the priority codec.	Move the G.711 or G.729 codecs up in the priority order.
Far end is difficult to hear.	Local AGC is turned off.	Activate local AGC.
	Far end AGC is turned off.	Activate far end ALC.
Far end is having difficulty hearing you.	Local ALC is turned off.	Activate local ALC.
	Far end AGC is turned off.	Activate far end AGC.

#### **Response Point Troubleshooting**

#### Six Questions to Ask Before Troubleshooting the System

Before taking any drastic measures to repair the Response Point phone system, ask yourself the following questions:

1. Did you verify the IP address? Response Point identifies a device by the IP address that is assigned to it. It's important to locate this information when troubleshooting because it can provide valuable information.

2. In what order did you set up the hardware? If you plug in the phones before the base unit, the phones may not appear in the list of discovered devices on the Phone System page in the Response Point Administrator. Be sure to first plug in the base unit, then the analog telephone adapter (ATA) if applicable, and then the phones into their respective power sources.

3. Have you eliminated potential issues? By ruling out the improbable, you can become closer to identifying the actual problem. For example, if you can't detect a dial tone on a phone, disconnect that phone from Response Point, and plug an analog phone directly into the Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) line. Use your mobile phone to call the analog phone. If the analog phone doesn't receive the incoming call, then you know that the phone line is faulty, not the Response Point system, and you'll need to call your phone service provider for assistance.

4. Are the cables in the proper ports? Make sure that all of the Ethernet cables, the phone line cables, and power cords are connected to the correct ports and electrical outlets. For example, if a phone does not appear in the list of discovered devices on the Phone System page in the Response Point Administrator, its Ethernet cable may be connected to the phone port labeled "PC" instead of to the port labeled "LAN."

5. Is the Response Point Administrator panel well organized? In the Response Point Administrator, the Phone System page displays a list of all configured Response Point users, phones, and phone lines. This list does not automatically refresh after you remove a user or a device. For example, the list may show that there are phones still using an IP address that the base unit no longer acknowledges. It's good practice to manually delete outdated users and phones, so you don't include irrelevant devices and information while problem-solving in the future.

6. Are you troubleshooting the correct base unit? Depending on the configuration, you might be managing multiple base units for one organization. Response Point automatically assigns a name to the base unit; this name cannot be customized or changed manually. Carefully record each base unit name so there's no confusion when it's time to troubleshoot.

#### **Issue 1: Undetected Devices**

Problem: "The device that I configured has a red X next to its name in the discovered-devices list."

**Cause**: IP addresses are leased to each device for an allotted period of time. Using Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP) service enables the phone system to automatically reconnect when IP addresses change. Occasionally, a device might lose its IP address because this connection process is interrupted or delayed.

**Solution**: Reconfigure the device using the configuration wizards in the Response Point Administrator. Or, turn the device off and on first, and then reconfigure it.

**Problem**: "The base unit only discovered two of the three phones that I just connected. The first phone that I plugged in doesn't appear in the discovered-devices list."

**Cause**: The DHCP server issues IP addresses to all Response Point hardware so that the base unit can detect the presence of the devices and communicate data to them using standard protocols. When you plug in a phone, it sends a message to the base unit, signaling its presence. However, if you plug in three phones, for example, and then turn on the base unit, the first phone will send its alert before the base unit can process the message.

**Solution**: Wait several minutes for the phone to signal its presence to the base unit again, and then reconfigure the phone. Or, turn on the base unit first and allow it to fully register before plugging in any phones.

Problem: "The phone that appeared in the discovered-devices list before isn't there now."

**Cause**: If you restored a backup from a previous system configuration, the phones that you set up after the specified configuration will be automatically removed from the discovered-devices list.

**Solution**: Reconfigure the phone using the configuration wizards in the Response Point Administrator, or turn the server off and then on .

#### Issue 2: Unrecognized IP Addresses

**Problem**: "The IP address on the phone's display is different than the IP address that appears in the discovered-devices list."

**Cause**: Response Point comes with a built-in DHCP service, which is responsible for issuing IP addresses to devices connected to the LAN. If you've configured a wireless router on the network, it comes equipped with an additional DHCP service. This configuration will then have two competing DHCP servers issuing IP addresses on different subnets. Therefore, the auxiliary DHCP server that is associated with the wireless router issued the IP address that you see on the phone's display; the DHCP server that is native to Response Point issued the IP address that you see on the discovered-devices list.

**Solution**: Convert the wireless router into a "wireless access point" by disabling its DHCP service. Or, be sure to purchase a wireless access point without DHCP functionality before installing Response Point.

#### Issue 3: Faulty Connection to Phone

Problem: "There's no dial tone."

Cause: For unknown reasons, phones connected to a LAN might "freeze" occasionally.

**Solution**: Turn the phone off and then on again. It may be necessary to reconfigure it using the configuration wizards in the Response Point Administrator.

Problem: "The park and retrieve features don't work on certain phones."

**Cause**: Overall, the park and retrieve commands should work properly system-wide, but for undetermined reasons, individual phones might occasionally encounter problems when users try to park and retrieve calls.

**Solution**: Perform a factory reset on the faulty phone. To do this, obtain the IP address of the phone. Open a browser window, and type in the address bar: "Error! Hyperlink reference not valid." Click the Reboot tab in the

upper-right corner of the page . Then select Factory Restore, and click the Restore button.

#### Issue 4: Faulty Connection to Phone Lines

Problem: "There's no dial tone."

**Cause**: If you've eliminated the possibility that your phone service is down, the phone line might have lost connection to the base unit. The LEDs on the base unit should remain constantly lit when the associated phone line is properly configured. When the connection is faulty, the corresponding LED may flutter or sporadically flash on and off. For additional information regarding phone line-related malfunctions, see "Issue 7: Dropped Calls."

Solution: Reconfigure the phone line using the configuration wizards in the Response Point Administrator.

Problem: "The Automated Receptionist is not answering calls, and callers hear incessant ringing."

**Cause**: A single RJ11 line might be connected to the base unit, but you ordered two lines from your phone service provider. Standard RJ11 lines are designed to handle up to two phone lines on a single plug; however, the phone line adapter treats a single plug as a single line.

Solution: Install a splitter to separate the shared pins on the RJ11 plug.

#### Issue 5: Faulty Connection to Simple Mail Transfer

#### Protocol (SMTP) Server

**Problem**: "The voicemail-to-e-mail feature isn't working properly. Users who have enabled this setting haven't received any voice messages as e-mail attachments yet."

Cause: The SMTP server settings are probably incorrect, if you've taken the following actions:

- In the Response Point Administrator, selected the Allow sending voicemail in e-mail check box in the Configure E-mail Server dialog box—a required step before the individual setting that users configure can work.
- Confirmed that all of the required fields in the Configure E-mail Server dialog box have the correct information.
- In the Response Point Assistant, verified that users have selected the Enable voicemail check box on the Voicemail tab.

**Solution 1**: Visit the Web site of your Internet service provider, and locate the correct SMTP server settings. Taking this route, however, might force you to wade through unnecessary information before finding what you need. Try this shortcut instead: When you type "POP3 settings, <name of ISP>" in the search box of a Web browser, a list of search results containing the correct information will be available. Note the outgoing-SMTP-server address and the port number; then in the Response Point Administrator, enter this information in the corresponding fields before checking the connection by sending a test e-mail.

**Solution 2**: If you've deployed Response Point with Windows® Small Business Server, try adjusting the following e-mail server settings in the Configure E-mail Server dialog box in the following order: 1) Click the Connect to the server anonymously option instead of specifying a user . 2) Under User Information, type "PhoneSystem@<insert your business e-mail alias>.com." 3) Clear the This server requires SSL encryption check box.

#### Issue 6: Logon Attempts Failed

Problem: "After verifying that logon information is correct, users still can't log in to Response Point Assistant."

**Cause**: It might be that the computers running the Response Point Assistant are set up to use Internet Protocol security (IPsec), which is an unsupported environment for this application.

Solution: Make sure that the computers running the Response Point Assistant are not configured for IPsec.

#### **Issue 7: Dropped Calls**

Problem: "External callers are experiencing dropped calls."

**Cause**: If you've verified that the hardware, Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) lines, and service connections are working, dropped calls might be caused by a faulty phone line in your rollover sequence. In these cases, the base unit does not actually drop the call, but rather the call terminates automatically when passed to the malfunctioning phone line.

**Solution**: Ask your phone service provider to fix the faulty line or to position it at the end of your rollover pattern. Incoming calls will be less likely to reach the last phone line in the sequence.

#### Issue 8: Low Call Volume

Problem: "External callers are having difficulty hearing internal callers."

Cause: The analog telephony adapter (ATA) needs to be adjusted.

**Solution**: In the Response Point Administrator, click the D-Link or Quanta button, and navigate to the Web page that offers supports for the ATA. From this page, you can adjust the appropriate settings of the adapter until the call volume is audible to external callers.

#### **Issue 9: Speech Misrecognition**

Problem: "The speech recognition system scrambles hard-to-pronounce user names."

**Cause**: The text-to-speech (TTS) engine converts the text stored in the Response Point Administrator into artificial speech.

**Solution**: Because the speech recognition system supplies the auto attendant with the TTS pronunciations of the names that you enter in the User Properties dialog box, ask users to carefully articulate the correct pronunciation of their names when using the Record Audio Using a Phone dialog box, or to type a phonetic spelling of their names in the Nickname box. For example, for the user "Rebecca Laszlo", type "Rebecca Lazlow" in this field. The system will then use the actual recording of the name in the user's own voice or will pronounce the name according to the phonetically spelled entry.

#### Issue 10: Unlit Message Waiting Indicator (MWI)

Problem: "The MWI on the phone doesn't light up when callers leave voice messages for the specified user."

**Cause**: The MWI only illuminates when callers leave voice messages for the primary user assigned to a phone.

**Solution**: Users that you assign to a particular phone are listed on the Who will receive calls on this phone page in the Configure Phone Wizard. Response Point recognizes the first user in the list as the primary user of that phone. To ensure that the MWI lights up when voice messages arrive for a specified user, move that user to the top of the list with the Move User Up button, making him the primary user.

# **CUSTOMER SERVICE AND SUPPORT**

ClearOne is committed to providing best-in-class customer service and support. If you need assistance installing, configuring, or operating your MAX IP Response Point conference phone, or if you have questions about ClearOne products or services, please contact us at one of the locations listed below. ClearOne also welcomes your comments and suggestions so we can continue to improve our products and serve our customers' needs.

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Registering your ClearOne product(s) enables us to provide you with better technical assistance, and to notify you of important information regarding your MAX IP Response Point product, including available upgrades, technical bulletins, and new product information.

### WARRANTY INFORMATION

ClearOne Communications, Inc. warrants that this MAX IP Response Point product is free of defects in both material and workmanship. For complete warranty information including length, coverage, and limitations, visit <a href="http://www.clearone.com/support/warranty.php?content=main">http://www.clearone.com/support/warranty.php?content=main</a>

# APPENDIX : A - SPECIFICATIONS

#### DIMENSIONS (W x D x H)

Phone section: 10.5" x 10.5" x 3" (26.7 cm x 26.7 cm x 7.6 cm) Base unit: 4.25" x 5.5" x 2.5" (10.8 cm x 14 cm x 6.4 cm)

#### WEIGHT

Phone section: 2.7 lb (1.2 kg) Base unit: .6 lb (0.27 kg) Shipping: 10 lb (4.5 kg)

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Operating Temperature: 32–122° F (0–50° C) Storage temperature: 41–158° F (5–70° C) Operating Humidity: 15 to 80% Storage humidity: 10 to 90%

#### POWER

Base unit: Auto-adjusting power module; 100–240VAC; 50/60 Hz

#### **NETWORK**

10/100 Ethernet RJ-45

#### **KEYPAD**

Alphanumeric standard keypad

#### LOUDSPEAKER

Volume: 90 dBspl A weighted @ 1 ft Bandwidth: 200Hz - 3.3kHz

#### **RECORD OUTPUT**

Connector: 2.5 mm mono audio jack Impedance: <1000 ohm Bandwidth: 200Hz–3.3kHz Dynamic Range: 60dB THD <.01%

#### ECHO CANCELLATION

Tail Time: 128 mS x 3

#### NOISE CANCELLATION

Dynamic noise cancellation

#### CERTIFICATIONS

FCC Part 15 Class A FCC Part 68 UL Certified

#### MODELS

MAX IP Response Point\* MAX IP Response Point Expansion Kit\*

\*Call your sales representative for part numbers

# APPENDIX : B - TOOLS AND RESOURCES

### **ASSESSMENT CHECKLIST**

The Assessment Checklist is provided to help you with Response Point planning.

Assessment Task	Results	~
Business Sizing		
Number of phone users		
Number of additional user phones		
Number of non-user phones		
Number of sites		
Site connectivity details		
Phone usage		
Telephone Usage		
Average inbound calls per day		
Average inbound call type		
Average outbound calls per day		
Average long-distance usage		
Anticipated voicemail usage		
Additional Considerations		
Additional hardware requirements		
Dedicated line requirements		
Feature requirements		
Administrative roles		
Physical Network		

Router details	
Switch types	
Switch connectivity	
Open switch ports	
Logical Network	
Subnets	
DHCP Types	
SMTP server information	
Data Security	
Firewall type	
Firewall VoIP support	
Infrastructure	
Ethernet traffic testing	
Network cable testing	
Patch cable type	
Sufficient network jacks	
Sufficient power outlets	
Active network drops	
Data Center power capacity	
Data Center UPS capacity	
Provider Information	
PSTN or VoIP	
Number of PSTN lines	

PSTN features	
PSTN provider details	
VoIP provider details	
Internet/WAN connectivity	

# **DEPLOYMENT CHECKLIST**

Use this Checklist to prepare for a Response Point deployment. It will ensure that all necessary planning tasks are preformed and all necessary information has been recorded.

Planning Task	Results	~
DHCP Server		
Using single DHCP server		
DHCP server compatibility		
DHCP lease time sufficient		
DHCP static reservations set		
Single subnet for phone system		
Switch and Router Requirements		
Ethernet patch cables connected		
VoIP QoS Configured on router.		
Switch ports set to full duplex		
Switch ports assigned and active		
Integration Requirements		
SMTP server type		
SMTP server IP address		
SMTP server FQDN		

SMTP server port	
Provider Information	
Lines provisioned for Response Point	
Dedicated lines provisioned	
Features enabled on all lines	
VoIP telephony bandwidth sufficient	
VoIP IAD sufficient	
Firewall and router support VoIP	
Infrastructure	
Data center power capacity	
Data center UPS capacity	
Administration	
Administrators identified	
Administration password defined	
Response Point base unit IP address	
Response Point Administrator software installed	
Administrator training	

# APPENDIX : C - COMPLIANCE

### EUROPEAN COMPLIANCE

Conformity of the equipment with the guidelines below is attested by the CE mark.

EC Declaration of Confo	rmity
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Model:	MAX IP Response Point & MAXAttach IP Response Point
Product Standard(s) to which Conformity	of the Council Directive(s) is declared:
EMC - 2004/108/EC "Electromagnetic Con	npatibility (EMC) Directive":
EN 55022: 2006 (Emissions)	Information technology equipment - Radio disturbance characteritics - Limits and methods of measurement.
EN 61000-3-2: 2004	Part 3: Limits - Section 2: Limits for harmonic current emissions.
EN 61000-3-3: 2002	Section 3: Limitation of voltage fluctuations and flicker in low voltage supply systems for equipment with rated current up to and including 16 A.
EN 55024: 1998 (Immunity) + A1+A2	Information technology equipment - Immunity characteristics -Limits and methods of measurements.
EN 61000-4-2: 2001	Electrostatic Discharge Immunity
EN 61000-4-3: 2002	Radiated RF Immunity
EN 61000-4-4: 2004	Electrical Fast Transients Immunity
EN 61000-4-5: 2005	Lightning Surge Immunity
EN 61000-4-6: 2004	Conducted RF Immunity
EN 61000-4-8: 1993	Power Frequency Magnetic Field Immunity
EN 61000-4-11: 2004	Voltage Dips and Voltage Interruptions

Safety - 73/23/EEC "Low Voltage Directive (LVD)":

IEC 60950-1: 2001

Safety of Information Technology Equipment, Including Electrical Business Equipment.

# RoHS - 2002/95/EC Restrication of the Use of certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EEE) & WEEE - 2002/96/EC Waste of Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EEE).

We herein certify that the products listed above are in compliance with the EU directive 2002/95/EC and EU directive 2002/96/EC.

We, the undersigned, hereby declare that the equipment specified above conforms to the above directives and standards. Date of Issue: ?

Legal Representative in Europe

/s/ Greg A. LeClaire

Signature

Greg A. LeClaire CFO