IPNetRouter ReadMe (formerly IPNLink)
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Introduction

IPNetRouter provides IP multihoming and routing under Macintosh Open Transport. With IPNetRouter, you can use multiple IP interfaces at the same time (such as Ethernet and OT/PPP for example), and specify additional routes for communicating with more than one IP gateway. The built-in IP Masquerading feature allows an entire network to simultaneously share a single Internet connection and end user account. IPNetRouter's OT native design offers superior performance with greatly reduced cost and complexity.

A companion application IPNetMonitor provides a suite of integrated Internet tools which allow Macintosh users to monitor their connection to the Internet. Registered users of IPNetRouter are automatically registered for IPNetMonitor as well. Refer to the corresponding IPNetMonitor documentation for information on using these tools.

IPNetRouter Features:
 * OT native IP multihoming and routing.
 * Allows multiple users to connect to the Internet simultaneously
    using a single modem and dial-up account.
 * A complete basic Internet toolkit (ping, traceroute, nslookup, whois).
 * Full Macintosh user interface makes these tools more accessible.
 * Superior integration.
   Automatically transfers corresponding data from one tool to another.
   Supports GURL Apple Event.

System requirements:
    MacOS 7.5.3 and Open Transport 1.1.1 or later

Installation and Use

To install or remove the software, simply run the supplied Installer. Notice it is important to use the supplied installer to uninstall the program. Manually dragging the OTModl$Proxy shared library out of your Extensions folder can disable your TCP/IP configuration. The companion application IPNetMonitor can be downloaded from the Sustainable Softworks web page at <http://www.sustworks.com>.

A guide to "Getting Started with IPNetRouter" is available on the Sustainable Softworks web site. To keep the download size small, this information is not included as part of the basic download package. See <http://www.sustworks.com/products/ipnr/gettingstarted/Guide.html>.

Help is also available on each of the various tools by clicking on the question mark symbol in the lower left corner. This is probably the best way to familiarize yourself with more advanced features of the software since you can experiment with the window while you read the description.

The Release Notes describe the latest features and additions.

Registration and Licensing

IPNetRouter is commercial software subject to the terms
of the accompanying License Agreement. You may use a demo version
of the software during a single trial period of up to 21 days.
You must then register the software if you wish to continue
using it beyond the trial period.

Once you have downloaded the application, there are 3 basic
ways to register:

(1) Register on-line by pressing "WWW Registration Page"
in the About Box for the IPNetRouter Application.
You need to have a web browser running (Netscape Navigator
or MS Explorer) and a valid credit card number.

(2) Use the supplied Register application to fill-in a Kagi
registration form. Follow the instructions on the form to
email, fax, or postal mail your registration to Kagi. Most
common forms of payment are acceptable including personal
checks.

(3) For site license registrations, I can fax your company a
proforma invoice. Please contact me directly at
<mailto:psichel@sustworks.com> .

In each case, a program registration code that unlocks the
demo startup screen and expiration will be sent to you by
email once your payment is received. This same registration
code will also work for IPNetMonitor.

The registration code is based on the name you supply in the "Register to"
field of the register application. Please enter your name followed by
your organization name (if any) exactly as you want them to appear.
Although the Register application only provides one line to enter this
information, you can split the text between the name and organization
lines of the IPNetRouter registration screen as long as it contains
exactly the same sequence of characters including any spaces.

IPNetRouter Pricing
  Single Gateway Machine $89
  Site License $3000

The registration key for IPNetRouter also unlocks IPNetMonitor. Customers
who registered IPNetMonitor within the last 90 days are eligible to receive
purchase price credit toward IPNetRouter. Please contact me directly for details
(psichel@sustworks.com).

Additional payment details are included below.

I hope you find these tools useful and look forward to your
comments and suggestions.

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Payment Details

Paying for IPNetRouter is fairly simple. Open the Register program that
accompanies IPNetRouter. Enter your name, your email address, and the
number of single user licenses you desire for each program you
wish to purchase (or Site licenses). Save or Copy or Print the data
from the Register program and send the data and payment to Kagi.
Kagi handles my payment processing.

If paying with Credit Card or First Virtual, you can email or fax the data
to Kagi. Their email address is sales@kagi.com and their fax number is
+1 510 652-6589. You can either Copy the data from Register and paste into
the body of an email message or you can Save the data to a file and you can
attach that file to an email message. There is no need to compress the data file,
it's already quite small. If you have a fax modem, just Print the data to the Kagi
fax number.

Payments sent via email are processed within 3 to 4 days. You will receive an email
acknowledgement when it is processed. Payments sent via fax take up to 10 days and if you
provide a correct internet email address you will receive an email acknowledgement.

If you are paying with Cash or USD Check you should print the data using the Register application
and send it to the address shown on the form, which is:

    Kagi
    1442-A Walnut Street #392-HQ
    Berkeley, California 94709-1405
    USA

You can pay with a wide variety of cash from different countries but at present if you pay via
check, it must be a check drawn in US Dollars. Kagi cannot accept checks in other currencies,
the conversion rate for non-USD checks is around USD15 per check and that is just not
practical.

If you have a purchasing department, you can enter all the data into the Register program and
then select Invoice as your payment method. Print three copies of the form and send it to your
accounts payable people. You might want to highlight the line that mentions that they must

include a copy of the form with their payment. Kagi can not invoice your company, you need to act on my behalf and generate the invoice and handle all the paperwork on your end.

Please do not fax or email payment forms that indicate Cash, Check or Invoice as the payment method. As far as we know, there is still no technology to transfer physical objects via fax or email and without the payment, the form cannot be processed. Payments sent via postal mail take time to reach Kagi and then up to10 days for processing. Again, if you include a correct email address, you will hear from Kagi when the form is processed.

The Register application is currently configured to require an email address
since this is the preferred mechanism for distributing registration keys.
If you need to make other arrangements, please contact the author directly
at psichel@sustworks.com .

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