



ADVANCED MODE GUIDE

By default, GarageDoorBuddy only works with WIFI. If your router supports static IP or domain name over the Internet, then you can use port forwarding to control the garage door from the Internet.

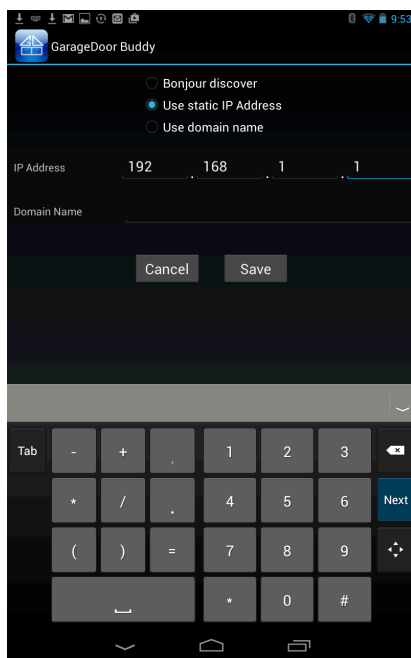
SET UP FORT FORWARDING

1. Find the LAN IP address of the GarageDoorBuddy box. From your router's admin webpage, you can view the IP address of all the devices connected to the router.
2. Forward port 1984 to the LAN IP address of the GarageDoorBuddy box.
<http://www.howtogeek.com/66214/how-to-forward-ports-on-your-router/>

CONFIGURE CONNECTION MODE IN THE APP

Android

1. In the Android app main control screen, tap the menu on the top right. Then tap "Choose discover mode".
2. If you have a public domain name for your home router, please select the choice to use domain name.
3. Then in the domain name field, enter the domain name.
4. Tap Save.
5. If you do not have your own public domain name, then use some dynamic DNS service if the router supports it.
6. If you don't have a domain name, but have a public static IP, then select the static IP choice and enter the public static IP address. Tap Save.



Now you should be able to access GarageDoorBuddy from the Internet.

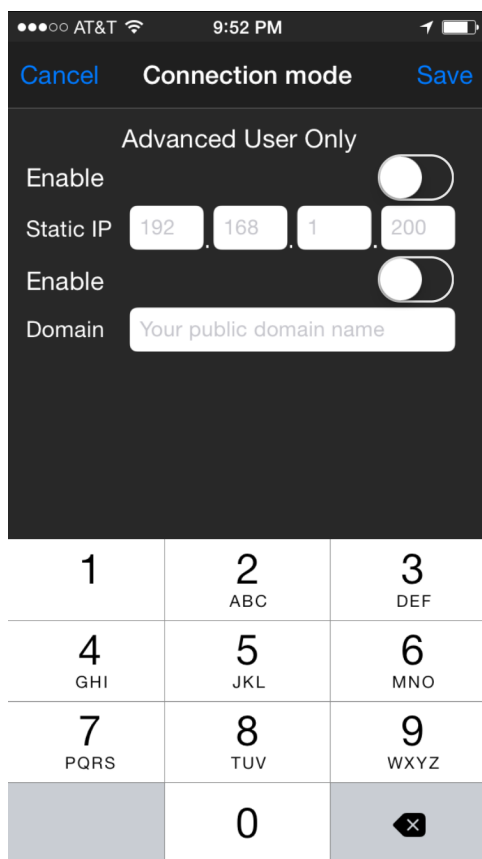


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iOS

1. In the iOS app main control screen, tap the settings button on the top right. Then tap "Remote Access Mode"
2. If you have a public domain name for your home router, tap to enable domain.
3. Then in the domain field, enter the domain name.
4. Tap Save.
5. If you don't have a domain name but have a public static IP, then use some dynamic DNS service if the router is supported.
6. If you don't have a domain name but have a public static IP, then select enable static IP and enter the public static IP address. tap Save.



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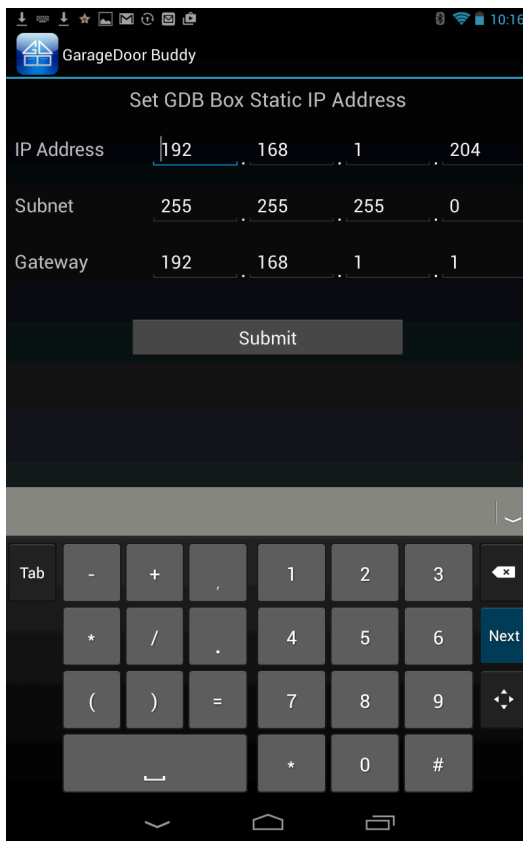


SET UP STATIC LAN ADDRESS (Optional)

By default, GarageDoorBuddy is using DHCP, which means if you reboot the GarageDoorBuddy box, there is a chance that the assigned IP address has changed. To ensure the GarageDoorBuddy box always has the same static IP, you can set up a static local LAN address for the GarageDoorBuddy box.

Android

1. In Android main control screen, tap the menu on the top right.
2. Tap "GDB Box Static IP Address"
3. Fill the IP Address, subnet, Gateway. Then submit.
4. Power off the GarageDoorBuddy box, then power it on.



Now GarageDoorBuddy box has the static IP you set.

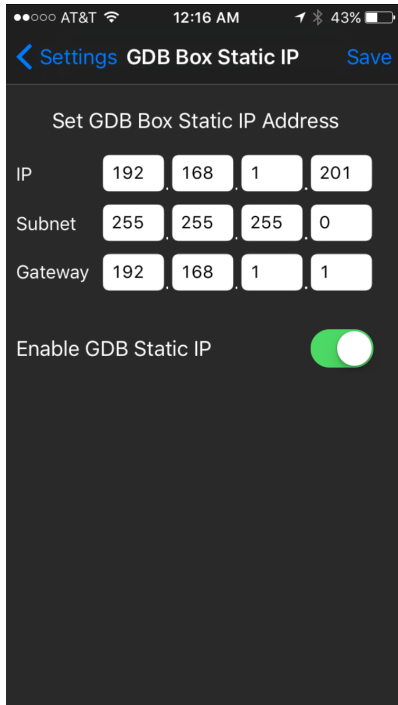


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1. In iOS app main control screen, tap the Settings menu on the top right.
2. Tap "GDB Box Static IP Address"
3. Fill in the IP Address, subnet, Gateway
4. Tap Save
5. Power off the GarageDoorBuddy box, then power it on.



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WARNING: We do not recommend using Internet mode because you might accidentally open the door without knowing it. When you use GarageDoorBuddy in the Internet mode, please note you are at your own risk.

