



# R1520

robustOS

Industrial Dual SIM Cellular VPN Router  
Suitable for 2G, 3G, 4G networks



## INTRODUCTION

The R1520 router from Robustel is a versatile 4G router with 5 x Ethernet ports and a range of advanced functions for IoT Applications. There are 2 core models in the R1520 family as follows:

**R1520 (S)** – This is the STANDARD version without GPS suitable for most light industrial and Enterprise applications

**R1520 (V)** – This is the VEHICLE version with E-mark and GPS. It is optimised for vehicle use but can be used for any application

The Linux based Operating System, **RobustOS**, has been developed entirely in-house which leads to a very high standard of technical support and infrequent firmware updates due to modular nature of the OS. Many unique software innovations are built on top of RobustOS, these include:

**RobustVPN** – highly flexible hosted VPN service so customers can easily enjoy a “fixed IP router”

**Data-Guard** – invaluable failsafe in case of a system failure and runaway data usage

**Smart Reboot** – SMS tool to push roaming SIMs from a non-working to working state

**Sniffer** – run a Wireshark trace directly on the router for invaluable diagnostic information.

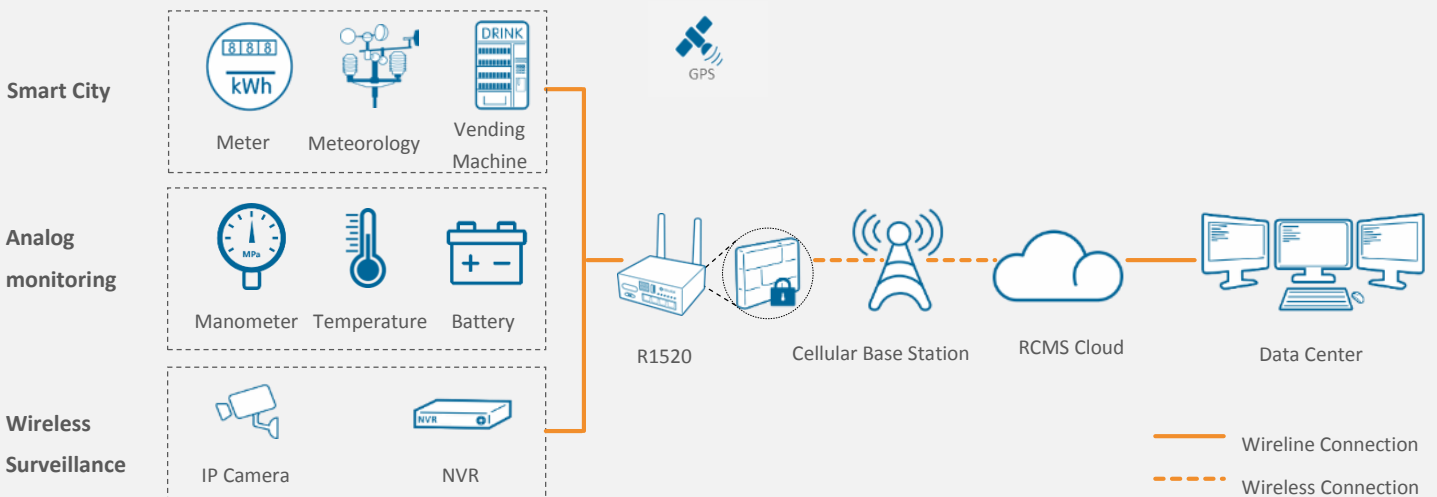
**RCMS** is Robustel’s free router monitoring service that is fully compatible with the R1520. It allows customers to see a location overview of their routers quickly and simply on a map

Features such as data usage, signal strength, current network and much more can then be viewed on a per router basis. Over-the-air updates are supported for Firmware, router configuration and Apps serving as essential ‘insurance’ if anything was not quite right during deployment. For a free trial of RCMS, visit: <https://rcms-cloud.robustel.net>

## KEY FEATURES

- Cost-effective & high performance 3G/4G router
- Rugged design with 9 to 36Vdc power
- “Global” 4G version available
- E-mark certification for in vehicle use
- Optically isolated digital IO
- 10-bit Analogue interface for direct sensor connections
- Supports Dual SIMs & Wifi/Ethernet as WAN
- Cellular keep-alive and fast failover
- Extensive range of software “apps” for enhanced functionality
- RobustVPN – hosted service providing a “fixed IP” router
- IPsec/OpenVPN/GRE/L2TP/PPTP/DMV PN supported
- Extensive global certifications

## APPLICATION EXAMPLE



## SPECIFICATIONS

### Cellular Interface

|                    |                         |
|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Number of antennas | 2                       |
| Connector          | SMA-K                   |
| SIM                | 2, Standard SIM or eSIM |

### Ethernet Interface

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| Number of ports  | 5 x 10/100 Mbps,<br>5LAN by default, can be configured as<br>1WAN + 4LAN |
| WAN port         | Support 802.3af & 802.3at PD feature on ETH0                             |
| Magnet isolation | 1.5 KV   |

### WiFi Interface

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Number of antennas | 2   |
| Connector          | RP-SMA-K                                  |
| Standards          | 802.11b/g/n, supports AP and Client modes |
| Frequency bands    | 2.4 GHz                                   |
| Security           | WEP, WPA, WPA2                            |
| Encryption         | 64/128 AES, TKIP                          |
| Data speed         | 2*2 MIMO, 300 Mbps                        |

### DI/DO

|                      |                                    |
|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| Type                 | 1 x DI + 1 x DO, wet contact       |
| Isolation            | 3 KV                               |
| Socket form          | 2 * 3-pin 3.5 mm female socket     |
| Level                | 3 to 30Vdc = HIGH, 0 to 1Vdc = LOW |
| Absolute maximum VDC | 30Vdc (DI/DO)                      |
| Absolute maximum ADC | 10mA (DI/DO)                       |

### Analogue Input

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| Type                | 1X AI (can be configured as voltage type or current type)                                |
| Voltage input range | 0 to 24Vdc   |
| Current input range | 4-20mA(current-type input requires external resistance, and finally measured by voltage) |
| Socket form         | 2 * 3-pin 3.5 mm female socket   |
| Signal definition   | AI, AGND   |

### Serial Port

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Type              | 1 x RS-232 + 1 x RS-485 serial port   |
| Socket form       | 2 * 4-pin 3.5 mm female socket  |
| Signal definition | RXD TXD SGND RTS CTS (RS-232)<br>Data+ (A), Data- (B), ground(GND);(RS-485) |

### Device Interface

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| 1 x GPS interface (Optional, depending on the cellular module) |
| 1 x 480Mbps high-speed USB2.0 interface                        |

### Others

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| Reset button   | 1 x reset button (RST button)   |
| RTC            | External RTC clock , Backup energy storage capacitor can be maintained for 2 days |
| LED indicators | 1 x RUN, 1 x MDM, 1 x USR, 1 x RSSI, 1 x WiFi                                     |
| Built-in       | Watchdog, Timer   |

### Software (Basic features of RobustOS)

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Network protocols | PPP, PPPoE, TCP, UDP, DHCP, ICMP, NAT, HTTP, HTTPS, DNS, ARP, NTP, SMTP, Telnet, VLAN, SSH2, DDNS, etc. |
| VPN tunnel        | IPsec, OpenVPN, GRE   |
| Firewall          | DMZ, anti-DoS, Filtering (IP/Domain name/MAC address), Port Mapping, Access Control                     |
| Remote Management | Web, CLI, SMS   |

### App Center (Available Apps for RobustOS)

|       |   |
|-------|---|
| Apps* | L2TP, PPTP, DMVPN, VRRP, QoS, Captive Portal, WLAN Multi AP, SNMP, Language, RCMS |
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\*Request on demand. For more Apps please visit [www.robustel.com](http://www.robustel.com).

### Power Supply and Consumption

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Connector         | 2 pin 3.5 mm socket with lock                     |
| Input voltage     | 9 to 36V DC                                       |
| Power consumption | Idle: 100 mA@12 V<br>Data link:1.0 A (peak) @12 V |

### Physical Characteristics

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Ingress protection    | IP30   |
| Housing & Weight      | Plastic, 250 g                                     |
| Dimensions            | 105 x 90 x 46 mm                                   |
| Installations         | Desktop, wall mounting and 35 mm DIN rail mounting |
| Operating Temperature | -25 to +70 °C                                      |
| Storage Temperature   | -40 to +85 °C                                      |
| Relative Humidity     | 5 to 95% RH  |

### Approvals

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| Environmental | RoHS2.0, WEEE  |
| EMC           |  |
| EMI           | EN 55032: 2012/AC: 2013 (CE & RE) Class B  |
| EMS           | IEC 61000-4-2 (ESD) Contact Level 2;<br>IEC 61000-4-3 (RS) Level 2<br>IEC 61000-4-4 (EFT) Level 2<br>IEC 61000-4-5 (Surge) Level 2<br>IEC 61000-4-6 (CS) Level 2<br>IEC 61000-4-11 (DIP) Level 2 |

\*(In progress)

\*See ordering information for details about other certifications

## ORDERING INFORMATION

| Model                        | R1520-4L (S)                     | R1520-4L (V)   | R1520-4L (V)   | R1520-4L (V)                                     | R1520-4L (V)   |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| PN                           | B056703                          | B056708  | B056704  | B056705  | B056702  |
| Air Interface                | GSM/WCDMA/ FDD LTE               | GSM/WCDMA/ FDD LTE/TDD LTE   | GSM/WCDMA/ FDD LTE/TDD LTE                           | WCDMA/ FDD LTE/TDD LTE                           | GSM/CDMA/WCDMA/TD-SCDMA/FDD LTE/TDD LTE                |
| Frequency Bands              | LTE FDD:<br>B1/B3/B7/B8/B20/B28A | LTE FDD:<br>B1/B2/B3/B4/B5/B7/B8/B12/<br>B13/B18/B19/B20/B25/B26/B28;<br>LTE TDD: B38/B39/B40/B41; | LTE FDD:<br>B1/B2/B3/B4/B5/B7/B8/B28<br>LTE TDD: B40 | LTE FDD:<br>B1/B3/B8/B18/B19/B26<br>LTE TDD: B41 | LTE-FDD:<br>B1/B3/B5/B8<br>LTE-TDD:<br>B38/B39/B40/B41 |
| 4G*                          |                                  |  |  |  |  |
| 3G                           | B1/B8                            | B1/B2/B4/B5/B6/B8/B19  | B1/B2/B5/B8  | B1/B6/B8/B19                                     | WCDMA: B1/B8<br>TD-SCDMA: B34/B39<br>CDMA: BC0         |
| 2G                           | 900/1800MHz                      | 850/900/1800/1900MHz   | 850/900/1800/1900MHz                                 | /  | 900/1800MHz  |
| Region/Country               | EMEA/Korea/Thailand/India        | EMEA   | Australia/New Zealand/<br>Taiwan/Brazil/Indonesia    | Japan  | China/India  |
| GNSS                         | /                                | GPS/GLONASS/BeiDou/Galileo   | GPS/GLONASS/BeiDou/Galileo                           | GPS/GLONASS/BeiDou/Galileo                       | GPS/GLONASS/BeiDou/Galileo                             |
| Certification(* In progress) | CE                               | CE, EMARK  | RCM  | TELEC*, JATE*                                    |  |

\*For more information about 4G frequency bands in different countries, please contact your Robustel sales representative.