

# What if I forget the password of the router?

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**This FAQ is applied to the following models:**

All series of the Edimax broadband routers.

## Introduction:

If the password of the router is forgotten, there is only one way to recover the password to factory default settings. This password recovery is also called as “router reset”. Before you reset the router, please be prepared to configure the router all over again to access the Internet, as after the reset is completed, the original configuration of the router will be erased. The following will guide you to reset the router step by step.

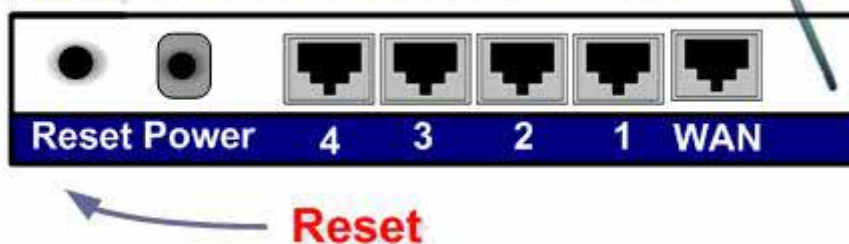


## Step by Step:

Step 1 : Power on the router.

Step 2 : Locate the hole below the word **Reset** on the rear panel of the router.

### The rear panel of the Edimax router



Step 3 : Press and hold the Reset button for about 10 seconds using a paper clip or pen and then release.

Step 4 : After about 1.5 minutes, The router will then reboot itself and return its default password, “1234”.