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Cisco Catalyst IW9165E Rugged Access Point and Wireless Client

The Cisco Catalyst IW9165E Rugged Access Point and Wireless Client (hereafter referred to as *IW9165E*) is designed to add ultrareliable wireless connectivity to moving vehicles and machines. The IW9165E runs [Cisco Ultra-Reliable Wireless Backhaul \(Cisco URWB\)](#), which delivers high availability, low latency, and zero packet loss with seamless handoffs.

The IW9165E can also operate as a Wi-Fi client in Workgroup Bridge (WGB) mode, which allows it to connect to a Cisco access point infrastructure, and Universal WGB (uWGB) mode, which allows it to connect to a third-party access point infrastructure. Both of these modes help bridge the wired clients that are behind the WGB to the access point on the infrastructure side.

A full listing of the AP's features and specifications is provided in the [Cisco Catalyst IW9165 Series Data Sheet](#).

Cisco Catalyst IW9165E Features

Cisco Catalyst IW9165E Rugged Access Point and Wireless Client has the following features:

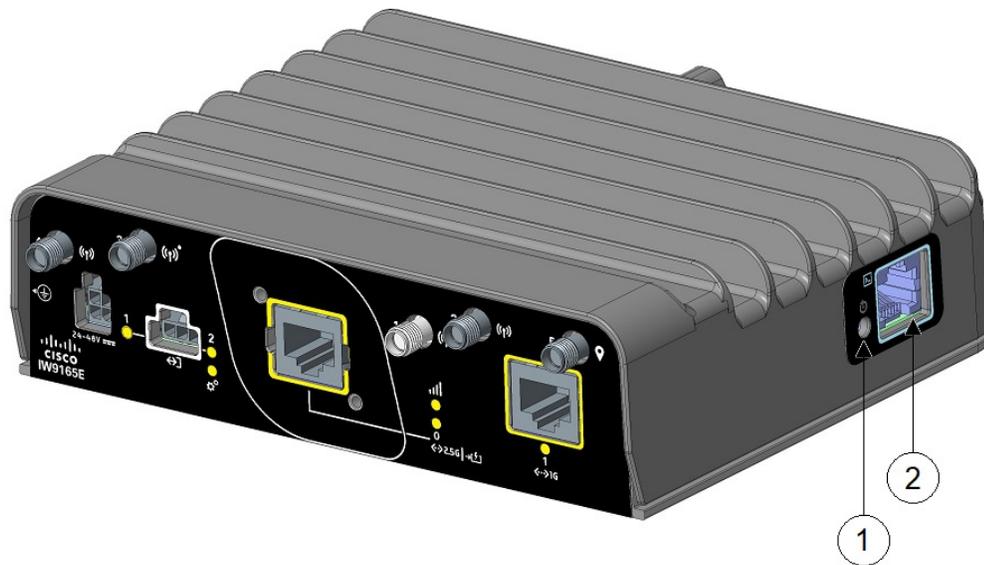
- 1x 100M/1000M/2.5G Multigigabit Ethernet (RJ45)/M12 X-code autosensing PoE+ in (802.3af/at), Cisco UPOE in
- 1x 100M/1000M/1G (RJ45)
- Dual-radio architecture
 - 5-GHz 2x2 radio: 20, 40, and 80 MHz channels

- 5/6-GHz 2x2 radio: 20, 40, 80, and 160 MHz channels (6 GHz availability subject to country approvals)
- External antenna—4 x RP-SMA
- 1x SMA GNSS antenna port—A built-in GNSS (Global Navigation Satellite System) receiver provides coordinates to track the location of the access point.
- 1x GPIO ports—A 3-pin GPIO (general-purpose input output) enables control of external contacts.
- Management console port (RJ45)
- Dual power input—PoE-in 802.3af, 802.3at (PoE+), POE+ and 24-48VDC
- Dual mounting options—DIN rail and wall mount
- IP30, EN50155
- Multicolor system LED, Received signal strength indicator (RSSI) LED, Port LED
- Reset button

Connectors and Ports

The following figure shows the available ports on the right-side panel of IW9165E.

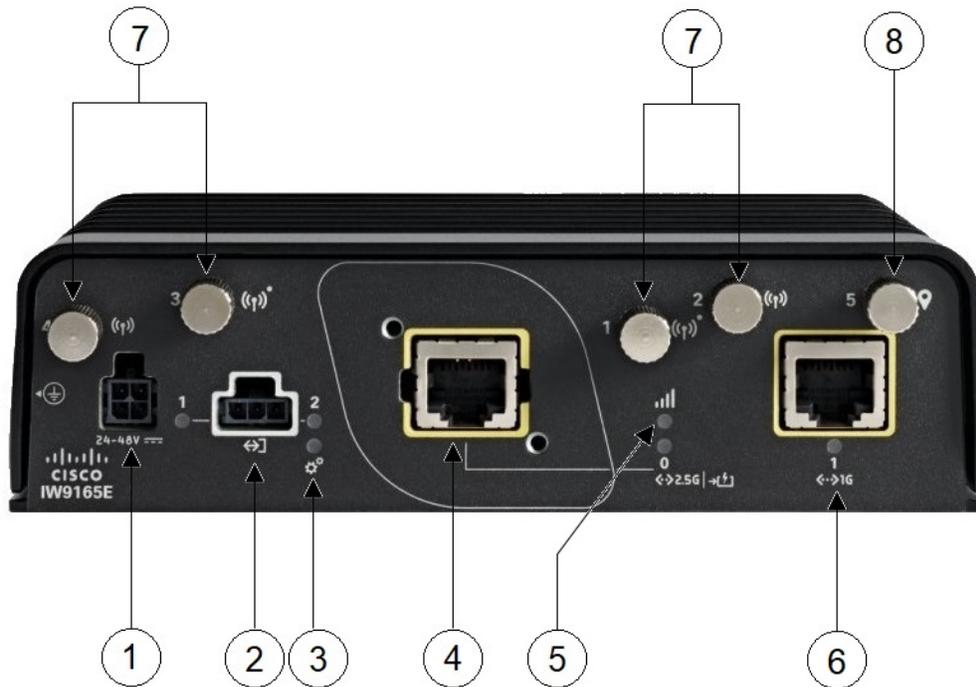
Figure 1: IW9165E Right-Side Panel



1	Reset button	2	Console port (RJ-45)
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The following figure shows the available ports on the AP front panel.

Figure 2: IW9165E Front Panel



1	DC power input	5	RSSI Status LED
2	2 GPIO + 1 Return (Digital I/O) Note Digital I/O will be supported in a future software release.	6	100M/1000M/1G (RJ45)
3	System Status LED	7	Antenna ports <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Antenna 1: 5 GHz and IoT radio • Antenna 2: 5 GHz • Antennas 3 and 4: 5/6 GHz
4	100M/1000M/2.5G Multigigabit Ethernet (RJ45)/M12 X-code autosensing PoE+ in (802.3af/at), Cisco UPOE in	8	GNSS port

Digital I/O Connector

The Digital I/O connector has 2 GPIO connections plus 1 Return connection. The Digital I/O supports Dry contacts.

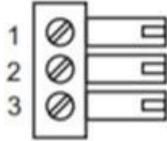
Dry contact is isolated from a voltage source (or “No Volt”), with an embedded relay function (NPN transistor), usually used to indicate an event. For example: open/close, alarm.

The following graphic shows the connector.



Note The default state of the Digital I/O is input, the open-collector is open (off).

Figure 3: Digital I/O connector



The pinouts for the Digital I/O are described in the following table.

Table 1: Digital I/O Pinouts

Pin #	Name	Direction	Description
1	DIO1	I/O	Digital IO 1
2	Return	Return	Digital IO Common Return
3	DIO2	I/O	Digital IO 2

Digital Input and Output Specifications are described in the following tables.

Digital Input Specification is considered “dry contact”.

Table 2: Digital Input Specification

Specification	Minimum	Maximum	Unit
Input Voltage High	2.5	60	Volts
Input Voltage Low	—	1.2	Volts
Input Current	—	12 ¹	mA

¹ Current is flowing out of the terminal although it is an input, i.e. sourcing. The current is flowing in the terminal for the output, i.e. sinking.

Table 3: Digital Output Specification

Specification	Minimum	Maximum	Unit	Notes
Output Voltage High	2.5	—	Volts	No external voltage applied.
Output Voltage Low	—	0.4	Volts	No external voltage applied.

Specification	Minimum	Maximum	Unit	Notes
Internal Pull-up Resistance	220 – 1%	220 + 1%	Ohms	—
Internal Pull-up Voltage	—	3	Volts	—
External Pull-up Voltage	3.3	60	Volts	External resistance required to limit current to less than 100mA.
Sink Current	—	100	mA	—

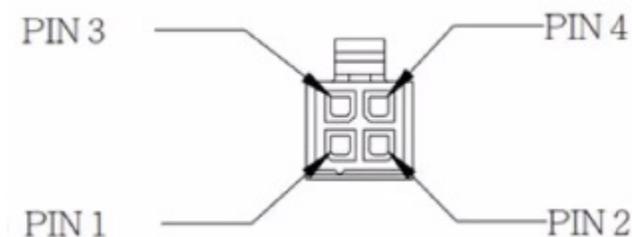
Common features of the Digital I/O are:

- Withstands up to 60V applied at the terminal.
- Reverse voltage protected and causes no damage to the equipment.
- Digital input and output can coexist on different channel.
- LED Indicator: provision-able, On: Active, Off: Non-active.
- Electrical isolation: 2000 VDC.
- 4kV Surge protected (IEC 61000-4-5).

4-Pin Micro-Fit Connector for DC Power

The following figure shows the 4-pin Micro-Fit connector for DC power.

Figure 4: Mating Connector Front View



Molex Micro-Fit Pin	Assignment
Pin 1	Black (- Negative Terminal)
Pin 2	Not assigned
Pin 3	White (+ Positive Terminal)

Molex Micro-Fit Pin	Assignment
Pin 4	Not assigned

M12-RJ45 Adapter

M12-RJ45 adapter (Cisco PID: IW-ACC-M12ETH=) can be used to support M12 X-coded connector.

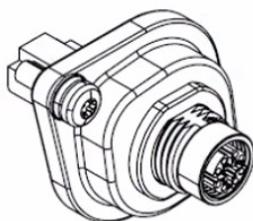


Note M12 X-code port by using M12-RJ45 adapter can support up to 2.5G rate.



Note The M12 spacer (Cisco PID: IW-ACC-M12SPCR2=) is required when using the M12 adapter.

Figure 5: M12-RJ45 Adapter (Cisco PID: IW-ACC-M12ETH=)



The following table shows the M12-RJ45 adapter pinouts.

Table 4: M12-RJ45 Pinouts

RJ45	Signal	M12 X-Code
1	B1_DA+	1
2	B1_DA-	2
3	B1_DB+	3
6	B1_DB-	4
7	B1_DD+	5
8	B1_DD-	6
5	B1_DC-	7
4	B1_DC+	8

Power Sources

The IW9165E is supported on these power sources:

- DC power: 24 to 48 VDC
- Power over Ethernet (PoE): 802.3at (PoE+), 802.3bt (PoE++), Cisco Universal PoE (Cisco UPOE).



Warning **Statement 1033**—Safety Extra-Low Voltage (SELV)—IEC 60950/ES1—IEC 62368 DC Power Supply

To reduce the risk of electric shock, connect the unit *only* to a DC power source that complies with the SELV requirements in the IEC 60950-based safety standards or the ES1 requirements in the IEC 62368-based safety standards.

Power Adapters

The IW9165E AP supports the following DC power adapters::

- PID: IW-PWRADPT-MFIT4P=: Operating: -40°C to +65°C, 60W.

Power Injectors

The IW9165E AP supports the following power injectors:

- IW-PWRINJ-60RGDMG=: Operating: -40°C to +70°C. Power derating of 60W at 70°C, and 65W at 65°C. Supports 100M/1G/2.5G/5G/10G rates.



Caution When the AP is installed outdoors or in a wet or damp location, the AC branch circuit powering the AP should be provided with ground fault protection (GFCI), as required by Article 210 of the National Electrical Code (NEC).

Ethernet (PoE) Ports

The AP supports an Ethernet uplink port (also for PoE-IN). The Ethernet uplink port on the AP uses an RJ-45 connector to link the AP to the 100BASE-T, 1000BASE-T, or 2.5G BASE-T network. The Ethernet cable is used to send and receive Ethernet data and optionally supply inline power from the power injector or a suitably powered switch port.



Tip The AP senses the Ethernet and power signals, and automatically switch internal circuitry to match the cable connections.

The Ethernet cable must be a *shielded*, Category 5e (CAT 5e) or better cable. The AP senses the Ethernet and power signals and automatically switches internal circuitry to match the cable connections.

Antennas and Radios

The Cisco Catalyst IW9165E Rugged Access Point and Wireless Client configuration is:

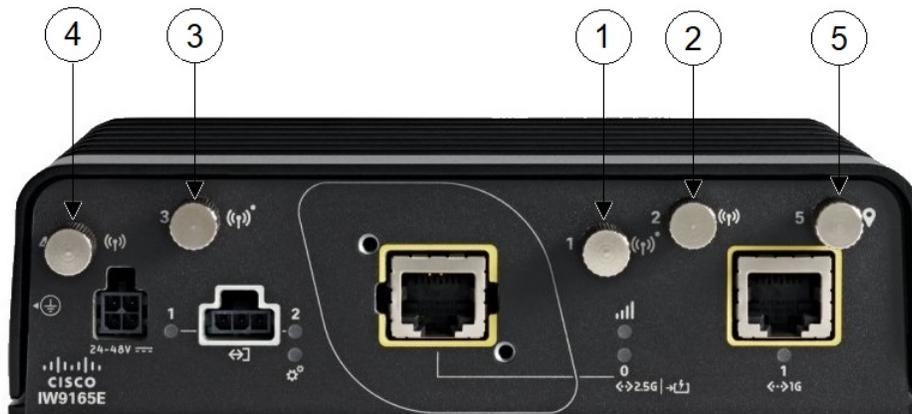
- IW9165E-x

The IW9165E access point has four RP-SMA jack connectors to support multiple antenna options, such as the self-identifying antennas (SIA) on designated two SIA ports, dual-band antennas, and single-band antennas. To see the list of supported antennas and the radio bands they operate at, see [Supported External Antennas, on page 8](#).

Supported External Antennas

The following figure shows the antenna ports of the IW9165E access point.

Figure 6: IW9165E Antenna Ports



1	Port 1 Supports 5 GHz in 2x2 mode. Supports Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE) radio. Supports SIA.	4	Port 4 Supports 5/6 GHz radio in 2x2 mode.
2	Port 2 Supports 5 GHz radio in 2x2 mode.	5	GNSS port
3	Port 3 Supports 5/6 GHz radio in 2x2 mode. Supports SIA.		



Note If omnidirectional antennas are connected to either radio, the antennas of each radio must be spaced at least 3 ft. (1 m) apart vertically to avoid interference between the two radios.

If directional antennas are connected to both radios, space them at least 10 ft. (3 m) apart vertically, or at least 5 ft. (1.5 m) apart horizontally with their main beams aimed at least 90 degrees apart.

If two independent omnidirectional antennas are connected to both ports of either radio (both ports 1 and 2 or ports 3 and 4), space them at least 2.5 in. (6 cm) apart for best performance.

Supported Wi-Fi Antennas

The following table shows the external Wi-Fi antennas supported by IW9165E.

Table 5: Supported Wi-Fi Antennas

PID	Antenna Gain (dBi)				Connector	Antenna Name
	2.4 GHz	4.9 GHz	5 GHz	6 GHz		
IW-ANT-PNL-515-N=	—	15	15	—	N female (x2)	Cisco 5 GHz 15 dBi Dual-Port Polarization Diverse Directional Panel Antenna
IW-ANT-OMV-2567-N=	4	7	7	7	N male	2.4/5 GHz Tri-Band Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna, Vertically Polarized, Self-Identifying
IW-ANT-OMH-2567-N=	4	7	7	7	N male	2.4/5 GHz Tri-Band Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna, Horizontally Polarized, Self-Identifying
AIR-ANT2547V-N=	4	—	7	—	N male	Cisco Aironet Dual-Band Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna (White)
AIR-ANT2547VG-N=	4	—	7	—	N male	Cisco Aironet Dual-Band Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna (Gray)
AIR-ANT2547VG-NS=	4	—	7	—	N male	Cisco Aironet Dual-Band Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna (Gray), Self-Identifying
AIR-ANT2568VG-N=	6	—	8	—	N male	Cisco Aironet Dual-Band Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna (Gray)

PID	Antenna Gain (dBi)				Connector	Antenna Name
AIR-ANT2568VG-NS=	6	—	8	—	N male	Cisco Aironet Dual-Band Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna (Gray), Self-Identifying
AIR-ANT5180V-N=	—	7	8	—	N male	Cisco Aironet 5 GHz 8 dBi Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna
AIR-ANT2588P4M-NS=	9.1 (V), 7.1 (H)	—	9.6 (V), 7.8 (H)	—	N female (x4)	Cisco Aironet 2.4/5 GHz 8 dBi 4-Element Dual-Polarized Patch Antenna, Self-Identifying
AIR-ANT5114P2M-N=	—	—	14	—	N male (x2)	Cisco Aironet 5 GHz 13 dBi Dual-Port Dual-Polarized Directional Panel Antenna
AIR-ANT2513P4M-N=	13	—	13	—	N female (x4)	Cisco Aironet Four-Port Dual-Band Polarization-Diverse Directional Panel Antenna
AIR-ANT2513P4M-NS=	13	—	13	—	N female (x4)	Cisco Aironet Four-Port Dual-Band Polarization-Diverse Directional Panel Antenna, Self-Identifying

Supported URWB Antennas

The following table shows the URWB antennas supported by IW9165E.

Table 6: Supported URWB Antennas

PID	Antenna Gain (dBi)				Connector	Antenna Name
	2.4 GHz	4.9 GHz	5 GHz	6 GHz		
IW-ANT-OMM-53-N=	—	3	3	—	N female	5 GHz Omnidirectional Multi-Polarized Antenna
IW-ANT-OMV-55-N=	—	—	5	—	N female	5 GHz Vertically Polarized Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna
IW-ANT-OMH-55-N=	—	—	5	—	N female	5 GHz Horizontally Polarized Omnidirectional Dipole Antenna
IW-ANT-PNL-59-N=	—	—	9	—	N female (x2)	5 GHz Dual-Port Dual-Slant +/-45 Degree Polarized Directional Panel Antenna
IW-ANT-SKS-514-Q=	—	14	14	—	QMA female (x2)	5 GHz Directional Shark Antenna, Dual-Slant +/-45 Degree Polarized

PID	Antenna Gain (dBi)				Connector	Antenna Name
	—	15	15	—		
IW-ANT-DS9-516-N=	—	15	15	—	N female (x2)	Dual-Slant Polarized Sector Antenna
IW-ANT-SS9-516-N=	—	15	15	—	N female (x2)	Dual-Linear Polarized Sector Antenna
IW-ANT-SKD-513-Q=	—	13	13	—	QMA female (x2)	5 GHz Bidirectional Shark Antenna, Dual-Slant +/-45 Degree Polarized
IW-ANT-PNL5615-NS=	—	15	15	15	N female (x2)	5/6 GHz 15 dBi Dual-Port Polarization Diverse Directional Panel Antenna, Self-Identifying

Supported GNSS Antenna

The following table shows the external GNSS antennas supported by IW9165E.

Table 7: Supported GNSS Antenna

PID	Frequencies Supported	Connector	Description
ANT-GNSS-OUT-TNC=	1560 - 1608 MHz	TNC male	Outdoor Active GNSS Antenna with 15-ft. integrated cable
IW-ANT-GNSS-SMA=	1559 - 1610 MHz	SMA male	Indoor/outdoor active GNSS antenna with 10-ft. integrated cable

For installation instructions and detailed information on any of these antennas, refer to the antenna data sheet on Cisco.com, or see the antenna guides at:

- [Cisco Industrial Routers and Industrial Wireless Access Points Antenna Guide](#)
- <http://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/support/wireless/aironet-antennas-accessories/products-installation-guides-list.html>

Follow all safety precautions when installing the antennas. For information on safety, see [Safety Precautions when Installing Antennas](#).

