Software Release Notes

mPower® Edge Intelligence Software
Includes mPower 6.3.1

Models Impacted:
MultiTech Conduit® Gateway
MultiTech Conduit® IP67 Base Station
MultiTech Conduit® IP67 200 Series Base Station
MultiTech Conduit® AP Access Point

Overview
This document includes the release notes and cumulative changelog for mPower Edge Intelligence embedded software. Detailed information is listed in reverse chronological order, starting with the latest mPower release.

The latest version includes new features and enhancements to the DeviceHQ interface, cellular hardware support, Modbus protocols, user interface, and networking and security features.

Updated mPower 6.x.x release notes are available <here>.

Downloadable Versions:
- mPower 6.3.1 Availability: November 2023
- mPower 6.3.0 Availability: May 2023
- Visit http://www.multitech.net/developer/downloads/

mPower™ Edge Intelligence is MultiTech’s embedded software offering delivering network flexibility and enhanced security and manageability for scalable Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT) solutions. mPower Edge Intelligence simplifies integration with a variety of popular upstream IoT platforms to streamline edge-to-cloud data management and analytics, while also providing the programmability and processing capability to execute critical tasks at the edge of the network to reduce latency, control network and cloud services costs, and ensure core functionality – even in instances when network connectivity may not be available.
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Updates in mPower 6.3.1, from mPower 6.3.0

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## New Features & Enhancements (mPower 6.3.1)

### Software & Services - Payload Data Manager

#### BACnet AV (analog value) and BV (binary value) Support
- mPower 6.3.1 has been updated to include support for BACnet objects AV and BV.
- mPower 6.3.1 supports the following BACnet object types:
  - Analog Input
  - Analog Value (new)
  - Binary Input
  - Binary Value (new)
  - Positive Integer Value
  - Integer Value
  - Character String Value
- The BACnet object type depends on the type of the sensor property. The table below lists sensor property types and corresponding BACnet object types.

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<th>Recommended BACnet Object Type</th>
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<td>uint8</td>
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<td>string</td>
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- Models Impacted:

### BACnet Device Settings – Network Interface
- mPower 6.3.1 monitors the network interface settings.
- When the IP address and/or subnet of the network interface that BACnet device uses for communication has changed, the change is detected, and a corresponding system update is made so the bacnetOut daemon continues working properly.
- Models Impacted:

New Feature
GP-2037
MTX-5011

New Feature
GP-2027
MTX-4999
### New Features & Enhancements (mPower 6.3.1)

#### BACnet Device Settings – Available Network Interfaces
- mPower 6.3.1 allows the selection of any Ethernet network interface available in the system: br0, eth0, eth1, eth2, swi1, swi2, swi3, swi4; regardless of LAN or WAN interface.
- Models Impacted:

#### BACnet – Change in JavaScript Engine
- In mPower 6.3.1, Payload Management code is executed using QuickJS JavaScript Engine
- Previous mPower versions used Duktape JavaScript Engine
- QuickJS JavaScript Engine is aligned with The Things Network (TTN) recommendations and allows other updates to be made:
  1. Updated decode Uplink signature.
  2. Support for normalize Uplink functionality.
- Models Impacted:

#### Software & Services – LoRaWAN Features

#### Default Application – Name Change to Cloud Connector
- In mPower 6.3.1, the Default Application is renamed Cloud Connector
- Cloud Connector allows last mile bi-directional communication from the gateway to a cloud application (Generic MQTT, AWS & Azure) without needing to deploy custom code on each gateway; this allows LoRaWAN uplinks and downlinks to be easily consumed and produced by a cloud application. New features include the ability to trigger request and receive responses via MQTT for LoRa queries, logging, and device API's.

Please see the following link for additional info:

https://multitechsystmes.github.io/lorawan-app-connect-mqtt

#### Cloud Connector - User Interface Configuration
- In mPower 6.3.1, Cloud Connector is moved to the applications page

#### Cloud Connector – Updated to version 1.1
- mPower 6.3.1 supports Cloud Connector version 1.1 (new) or version 1.0
- Detailed technical information is available on the MultiTech Systems github page

### New Features & Enhancements (mPower 6.3.1)

#### Cloud Connector v1.1 – Basic Configuration
- In Cloud Connector v1.1, there are three basic configuration settings
  - Protocol Version: v1.0 or v1.1
  - Log Level: ERROR, WARNING, INFO, DEBUG, TRACE, or MAXIMUM
  - Log Destination: SYSLOG or FILE (and file path)

#### Cloud Connector v1.1 – Message Formatting
- In Cloud Connector v1.1, API Commands, LoRa requests, and LoRa responses are in a consistent format so they can be easily parsed by third-party software.

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| Manage downlinks:  
  - lorawan/<GW-UUID>/down  
  - lorawan/<GW-UUID>/clear | Manage downlinks:  
  - lorawan/<APP-EUI>/<DEV-EUI>/down  
  - lorawan/<GW-EUI>/<DEV-EUI>/down  
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| Request info from the system:  
  - lorawan/<GW-UUID>/api_req  
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  - lorawan/<GW-UUID>/log_req | Request info from the system:  
  - lorawan/<APP-EUI>/<GW-UUID>/api_req  
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| Publish info from the system:  
  - lorawan/<GW-UUID>/api_res  
  - lorawan/<GW-UUID>/lora_res  
  - lorawan/<GW-UUID>/log_res | Publish info from the system:  
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  - lorawan/<APP-EUI>/<GW-UUID>/log_res |


#### Cloud Connector v1.1 – Package Upgrades
- Starting in mPower 6.3.1, Cloud Connector can be updated using the package upgrade feature.

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<td><strong>Cloud Connector v1.1 – LoRa Status Information</strong></td>
<td>In mPower 6.3.1, Cloud Connector runs independently from the LoRa Network Server. Basic Station configuration can be changed through MQTT.</td>
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<td><strong>Cloud Connector v1.1 – APP-EUI Support</strong></td>
<td>Cloud Connector v1.1 (new) has removed the APP-EUI limitation, and the gateway listens to all APP-EUI sensor messages. Cloud Connector v1.0 was limited to one APP-EUI configuration for receiving sensor data. In previous versions of mPower, Cloud Connector was limited to one APP-EUI configuration for receiving sensor data.</td>
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<td><strong>Cloud Connector v1.1 – Package Version and Running Status</strong></td>
<td>In mPower 6.3.1, the user interface is updated to display the package version and running status of the Cloud Connector application.</td>
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<td><strong>Cloud Connector v1.1 – API Requests and Responses – Transaction ID</strong></td>
<td>In mPower 6.3.1, Cloud Connector API requests and API responses include a transaction ID. The transaction ID allows the gateway and sensor to track a specific message transaction through its lifecycle, helping monitor the progress of the transaction and ensuring that it is successfully processed.</td>
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<td><strong>Cloud Connector v1.1 - Subscribe on Session Present</strong></td>
<td>In Cloud Connector v1.1, the server maintains a sticky session and subscribes only when the server sends session_present=false</td>
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<td><strong>Gateway UUID Update</strong></td>
<td>In mPower 6.3.1, the format for the gateway UUID (universally unique identifier) has been updated to comply with the Open Software Foundation (OSF) standard. In previous versions of mPower, the UUID was formatted differently.</td>
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<td><strong>Remote Broker - Wildcard Subscriptions</strong></td>
<td>In mPower 6.3.1, wildcard subscriptions are removed from the remote broker. Some brokers do not allow wildcard subscriptions. In previous versions of mPower, wildcard subscriptions were allowed.</td>
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## New Features & Enhancements (mPower 6.3.1)

### LoRa Spreading Factor Filters
- In mPower 6.3.1, four spreading factor filters are added
  - DR5-DR10
  - DR7-DR10
  - DR5-DR12
  - DR7-DR12
- Models Impacted:
  - Conduit Models: MTCDT.R3 devices with MTAC-003 Accessory Card
  - Conduit IP Models: MTCDTIP.R3 devices with MTAC-003 Accessory Card

### Hardware Support

#### Updated Wi-Fi/BT driver
- In mPower 6.3.1, the Wi-Fi/BT firmware is updated to a proprietary version (v 1.6.6-r18) that allows two features to be enabled simultaneously:
  - Bluetooth Low Energy and Wi-Fi as WAN
  - Bluetooth Low Energy and Wi-Fi Access Point
  - In all other cases, only one feature can be at a time
- In mPower 6.3.0, wireless features are exclusively enabled
  - Bluetooth Low Energy
  - Wi-Fi as WAN
  - Wi-Fi Access Point
  - Bluetooth-IP

#### Wi-Fi Enhancement (5 GHz Band)
- In mPower 6.3.1, when configuring the gateway as a Wi-Fi Access Point, and the Network Band is 5 GHz, the following channels shall not be available in the channel list: 34, 38, 42, and 46.
- This behavior was originally reported in mPower 6.3.0
## New Features & Enhancements (mPower 6.3.1)

### Wi-Fi Enhancement (Wi-Fi as WAN)

- When Wi-Fi connection is established and the device is connected to a Wi-Fi access point, mPower will not allow the device to continue scanning for available networks.
- User interface alerts the user with the following message:

  **Searching for available Wi-Fi networks cannot be performed when Wi-Fi as WAN has the Connected status**

### User Experience

#### Administration, Package Management

- In mPower 6.3.1, installed packages can be updated if another version of the package is available.
- This feature is only available to the administrator role.
- Previous versions of mPower only allowed administrators to install new packages and remove existing packages.

### Enhancement

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New Features & Enhancements (mPower 6.3.1)

System Statistics – Storage Usage

- In mPower 6.3.1, the user interface displays the external USB storage device usage on the System Statistics page.

Status & Logs, System Statistics

- In mPower 6.3.1, Memory Usage and Storage Usage are displayed in a graph. Previously, this information was available in a table.
- In mPower 6.3.1, Storage Usage is displayed in three categories:
  - User Data Partition
  - /var/config
  - /var/oem
**Networking & Security (mPower 6.3.1)**

**OpenVPN Tunnel – Tunnel Name Character Limit**
- In previous versions of mPower, OpenVPN tunnel names could be a maximum of 15 characters. When a tunnel name 13, 14, or 15 characters in length is entered, only the first 12 characters are displayed.
- In mPower 6.3.1, the tunnel name character limit is 12 characters.

**Bug Fixes (mPower 6.3.1)**

**Cellular Mode Settings**
- In mPower 6.3.0, when the modem configuration settings are changed, and the changes are applied, cellular mode settings are ignored.
- This occurs in APN and PDP context mode
- Models Impacted:
  - Conduit Models: MTCDT-L4G1
  - Conduit IP Models: MTCDTIP-L4G1
- In mPower 6.3.1, this issue has been resolved.

**Cellular Diagnostics**
- In mPower 6.3.0, the diversity status of the cellular modem was not determined correctly.
- Models Impacted:
  - Conduit AP Models: MTCAP-L4E1, MTCAP2-L4E1, MTCAP-LNA3, MTCAP2-LNA3
  - Conduit Models: MTCDT-LAP3, MTCDT-L4E1, MTCDT-L4N1
  - Conduit IP Models: MTCDTIP-L4E1, MTCDTIP-L4N1
  - Conduit IP 200 Models: MTCDTIP2-L4E1, MTCDTIP2-LNA3
- In mPower 6.3.1, this issue has been resolved.

**Wi-Fi as WAN**
- In mPower 6.3.1, “group” and “pairwise” for TKIP+AES networks change to “CCMP TKIP”
- mPower 6.3.1 sets “group” and “pairwise” according to the following rules:
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**Serial-IP Configuration**
- In previous versions of mPower, when a Secondary Server Port is specified, a Serial IP configuration is not submitted.
- In mPower 6.3.1, this issue has been resolved.

**OpenVPN Tunnel Cipher Suite**
- In mPower 6.3.0, cipher suites list does not appear when TLS Cipher Suite is set to ADVANCED.
  - User is creating or editing the OpenVPN tunnel (Server or Client mode) in TLS Authorization Mode
- In mPower R.6.3.1 the issue has been resolved.
### Bug Fixes (mPower 6.3.1)

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| **Access Configuration Page – ICMP Settings** | - In mPower 6.3.0, the ICMP hints for settings on the Access Configuration page were incorrect.  
- In mPower 6.3.1, the ICMP hints have been updated. |
| **First Time Setup Wizard – Remote Management Port Values** | - In mPower 6.3.0, the Server Port is incorrectly displayed.  
- In mPower 6.3.1, this issue has been resolved.  
  - When SSL Enabled is ON, Server Port is 5798.  
  - When SSL Enabled is OFF, Server Port is 5799. |
| **DDNS Configuration Page** | - In mPower 6.3.0, DDNS configuration changes are not submitted when Domain value is invalid.  
  
  ![DDNS Configuration](ddns.png)  
  
  - In mPower R.6.3.1 the issue has been resolved. |

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**User Experience MTX-5056**

**User Experience MTX-5047**

**Networking & Security MTX-5049**
### Known Behaviors (mPower 6.3.1)

#### Cellular Radio Firmware Creates an “Echo” Behavior
- Models impacted:
  - Conduit AP Models: MTCAP-L4E1, MTCAP2-L4E1
  - Conduit Models: MTCDT-L4E1, MTCDT-L4N1
  - Conduit IP Models: MTCDTIP-L4E1, MTCDTIP-L4N1
  - Conduit IP 200 Series Models: MTCDTIP2-L4E1
- Due to an issue in the cellular radio firmware, AT Commands are “echoed” when executing radio-query commands
- mPower 6.3.1 includes changes that ignore possible “echoes” on the cellular network.

#### Hardware MTX-5044

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#### BACnet Payload Management- Sensor Decoder That Run in a Loop
- Models Impacted:
- It is possible to write a sensor decoder that runs in a loop.
- A sensor decoder that runs in a loop is not valid sensor decoder behavior and may negatively affect the whole system.
- mPower 6.3.1 includes a five second timeout that prevents the decoder from running in a loop.

#### Payload Management GP-2114 MTX-5092

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### Schedule (mPower 6.3.1)

- **Downloadable Versions**
  - mPower 6.3.1 Availability: October 2023
  - DeviceHQ: October 2023
- **Manufacturing Updates: BACnet BMS Models**
  - Models Impacted
  - Device shipments starting in November 2023 will include mPower 6.3.1
- **Manufacturing Updates: All other models**
  - Download only
  - Devices that ship from MultiTech will not be impacted

### Models Impacted (mPower 6.3.1)

- **MultiTech Conduit® Gateway**
  - MTCDT-240A, MTCDT-246A, MTCDT-247A
  - MTCDT-L4E1, MTCDT-L4G1, MTCDT-L4N1, MTCDT-LAT3, MTCDT-LDC3, MTCDT-LSB3
  - Hardware versions: MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2
- **MultiTech Conduit® IP67 Base Station**
  - MTCDTIP-266A, MTCDTIP-267A
  - MTCDTIP-L4E1, MTCDTIP-L4G1, MTCDTIP-L4N1, MTCDTIP-LAP3, MTCDTIP-LDC3, MTCDTIP-LSB3
  - Hardware versions: MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1
Models Impacted (mPower 6.3.1)

- MultiTech mCard™ Gateway Accessory Cards
  - MTAC-003E00, MTAC-003U00
  - MTAC-GPIO, MTAC-MFSER-DTE, MTAC-MFSER-DCE, MTAC-ETH, MTAC-XDOT
  - Note: MultiTech mCard available individually and in select Conduit gateways (MTCDT-series) and IP67 base stations (MTCDTIP-series)
- MultiTech Conduit® IP67 200 Series Base Station
  - MTCDTIP2-EN
  - MTCDTIP2-L4E1, MTCDTIP2-LNA3
  - Hardware Version: MTCAP-0.3
- MultiTech Conduit® AP Access Point
  - MTCAP-868, MTCAP2-868, MTCAP-915, MTCAP2-915
  - MTCAP-L4E1, MTCAP2-L4E1, MTCAP-LNA3, MTCAP2-LNA3
  - Hardware Version: MTCAP-0.0, MTCAP-0.1, MTCAP-0.2

Upgrade Process (mPower 6.3.1)
To install mPower 6.3.1, the Conduit gateway must be upgraded to mPower 6.0.0 or higher. Customers that are running earlier versions of mPower should use the following upgrade process.

Using an old configuration file on new Conduit devices may result in the new devices becoming non-functional. To successfully update new Conduit devices, create separate configuration templates for each type of Conduit device:

- Hardware model (MTCDT, MTCDTIP)
- Hardware version (MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2, MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1)
- Cellular radio (-L4G1, -L4N1, -L4E1)
- mPower version (mPower 5.3.7, mPower 5.3.8s-s1, mPower 6.0.4)

When upgrading a device fleet:
1. Upgrade the mPower version on one device
2. Modify the user-specific configuration settings
3. Perform in-house testing and adjust settings if necessary
4. Use the newly developed configuration file as part of field updates when the new version of mPower is widely deployed
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<td>New Feature GP-1864 MTX-4778</td>
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<td>• The MultiTech gateway decodes the data from a LoRaWAN sensor and maps the sensor data into BACnet objects</td>
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Customers that are interested in expanding LoRaWAN sensor capabilities onto existing BMS can do so by ordering the unique MTCAP devices licensed with BACnet payload data management

| **BACnet BMS System Support – Radio Bridge Sensor Support** | | | | | | | | New Feature GP-1880 MTX-4804 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| • Radio Bridge wireless sensor decoders are available natively | | | | | | | | |
| Air Temperature and Humidity Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| Contact Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| Door and Window Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| Push Button Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| Temperature Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| Tilt Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| High-Precision Tilt Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| Ultrasonic Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| High-Bandwidth Vibration Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| Low-Bandwidth Vibration Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| Voltmeter | | | | | | | | |
| Water-Leak Sensor | | | | | | | | |
| • Customers can create their own custom sensor decoders and load them onto the gateway. Contact support@multitech.com for details | | | | | | | | |
| • Devices Impacted: MTCAP-868-041A-BAC, MTCAP-915-041A-BAC | | | | | | | | |
### Software & Services – mPower API Services

**mPower API service statistics** (api/stats/service) have been expanded to include three new settings:
- reverseSSH
- snmpServer
- mqttBroker

A complete list of mPower API changes:

### Software & Services – LoRaWAN Features

**MultiTech LENS® - API Connection Improvements**
- A retry mechanism has been implemented to handle cURL timeouts gracefully and improve the chances of successful communication with the LENS API
- After a cURL timeout occurs, multiple attempts are made before the request is considered a failure

**MultiTech LENS® - Channel Frequency List**
- LENS join requests will include the Channel Frequency List (CFList), ensuring that devices have the correct channel list
- US915 and AU915 devices using LoRaWAN 1.3 only

**LoRa Default App Update – Cloud Services**
- The LoRa Default App has been updated to include options for connection to AWS IoT Core and Microsoft Azure IoT Cloud Services
- The LoRaWAN Default App supports HTTPS or MQTT messages to securely transmit LoRaWAN data from the gateway to an IoT cloud service

**LoRa Default App Update – Local AppNet EUI versus LENS AppNet EUI**
- The local AppEUI settings will be used if there is a conflict with the LENS AppNet EUI settings. The LENS AppNet EUI settings will be overridden
- In previous versions of mPower, when the local AppEUI settings conflict with the LENS AppNet EUI settings, the LENS AppNet EUI settings take precedent
- In customer deployments, there should be no conflict and the local AppEUI settings should be used

**LoRa Default App Update – Additional Error Messages Added**
- Additional LoRa Default Application error messages have been added to improve the customer experience

**LoRa Packet Forwarder – Updates to AS923 Channel Defaults**
- Updates made to AS920-923 (“AS1”) and AS923-925 (“AS2”) channel plans to match the defaults required by The Things Network (TTN)
- Data Rate DR6 and DR7 frequencies have been adjusted
- NOTE: TTN recommends using Basics Station instead of LoRa Packet Forwarder

**LoRa Join Server – Support for Third-Party Join Servers Added**
- Local App EUI settings and Default App Profile settings have been updated to allow the Conduit embedded LoRa network server to connect to a third-party join server
- The Semtech LoRaWAN Join Server is supported by this capability
  [https://www.loracloud.com/documentation/join_service](https://www.loracloud.com/documentation/join_service)
### LoRaWAN - Adaptive Data Rate (ADR) Updates
- nbTrans setting is added in ADR Link Request (ARDLinkReq) command
- nbTrans refers to the number of transmission attempts allowed for a device to successfully send a data packet at a particular data rate before the network adjusts the data rate
- The ADRLinkReq command requests a change in the data rate or other adaptive parameters to the network server. This command is part of the process for enabling or disabling ADR functionality or adjusting other ADR-related settings

#### LoRaWAN Enhancement - Reset GPS after PPS Reconnection
- mPower 6.3.0 detects when PPS is lost. When PPS returns, the gateway GPS is reset
- In previous versions of mPower, loss of PPS results in invalid GPS timestamps attached to received packets
- Resetting the gateway GPS upon PPS reconnect restores the correct behavior
- Originally available in mPower 6.0.4

#### LoRa Basics Station – 16-Channel Option Available
- MTCDT- and MTCDTIP- devices with two LoRa Gateway accessory cards can be configured as a 16-channel LoRaWAN gateway
- Devices Impacted: Gateways and Base Stations that include two MTAC-LORA-H or two MTAC-003 gateway accessory cards

#### LoRa Basics Station – Support for firmware/program update using CUPS protocol
- The LoRa Basics Station software provides credential management and firmware update interface using the Configuration and Update Server (CUPS) protocol. The CUPS protocol provides secure firmware update delivery with ECDSA signatures
- This feature is supported by AWS IoT Core

#### ChirpStack Gateway Bridge v4 Support
- The Conduit LoRa Packet Forwarder is updated to connect to ChirpStack Network Server through the ChirpStack Gateway Bridge
- ChirpStack Documentation: [https://www.chirpstack.io/gateway-bridge/gateway/multitech/](https://www.chirpstack.io/gateway-bridge/gateway/multitech/)

#### Basic Station – Persistence Message
- In mPower 6.3.1, when persistence is disabled and an Actility URL is detected, a warning message is presented.

**Can we get a screen shot of the error message?**

#### Basic Station – EU868 Duty Cycle Update
- In mPower 6.3.1, the duty cycle for EU868 channel plan is change to 0.1%
- In mPower 6.3.1, LoRa Network Server can be manage EU868 duty channel
## Hardware Support

**MTCDT-247A, MTCDTIP-267A Devices Only**
- Wi-Fi/BT firmware is updated to version 2.5.1.11
- Originally available in mPower 6.0.4

**MTCDT-L6G1 Support**
- Support for L6G1 radio (Sequans CB610L)
- Models impacted: MTCDT-L6G1
- Use Case: Customers interested in adding LoRaWAN sensors and gateways to a CBRS Private LTE network

## Cellular Configuration Page – Radio Reboot Options
- Cellular PPP is enabled: Radio Reboot Enabled option available
- Cellular WWAN is enabled: Radio reboot enabled option is not available

**Verizon APN Changes**
- Verizon Class 3 APN is set automatically over-the-air (OTA) without user intervention
- If the current APN is incorrect, the user can enter a new APN
- This is a one-time setting change
- Devices impacted: MTCAP-LNA3, MTCAP2-LNA3, MTCDT-L4N1, MTCDT-L4G1, MTCDTIP-L4N1, MTCDTIP-L4G1

## Cellular Diagnostics Feature
- **Device Diagnostics** pane is added to the **Debug Options** page
- User can download cellular diagnostics and cellular related logs by using the **Download Cellular Data** button
- Cellular diagnostic information is recorded when it is requested by the user
- Downloadable report can be saved on a computer hard drive and shared with others when diagnosing connection issues

## MTAC-MFSER-DTE, MTAC-MFSER-DCE Device Statistics Changes
- Changes to the **Device Statistics** page when the serial card is used:

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- Devices impacted: MTCDT using a Serial Gateway Accessory Card

## MQTT Broker – Bridge TLS Version Setting
- The Bridge TLS version for mPower and the MQTT broker must be the same for the connection to succeed
- TLS version menu is added to the MQTT Broker Configuration page
- When TLS is enabled, three selections are available: TLSv1.1, TLSv1.2, TLSv1.3
- TLSv1.2 is the default value
## Certificate and Key Management
- Support new Microsoft Azure Root Certificate Authority
- Update the certificates database to latest debian

## User Experience
### Custom User Roles
In previous versions of mPower, users are assigned one of three pre-defined user roles, each with different rights and permissions on the device
  - **Administrators** have full rights and permissions, including the ability change settings on the device
  - **Engineers** have read/write privileges and some access to controls on the device
  - **Monitors** have read-only access

In mPower 6.3.0, the administrator can create custom user roles and set the permissions for each custom user role based on organizational need and use case
  - **Custom Roles** and **Add Custom Role** are new menus under Administration, User Accounts
  - The administrator creates a new name and description for each custom user role
  - When a custom user role is defined, the administrator will identify which mPower features can be accessed by the custom user
    1. **WRITE** – **ON** allows custom users to modify the feature
    2. **WRITE** – **OFF** prevents custom users from modifying the feature
    3. **VISIBLE** – **ON** allows custom users to read the status of the feature
    4. **VISIBLE** – **OFF** hides the status of the feature from the custom user

### Web Interface - Dark and Light Themes
mPower detects the user system preferences and enables light or dark scheme automatically
  - User can switch the theme any time while working with web user interface
  - The web user interface theme toggle is present in the mPower header and is available only when a user is logged in

### Web Interface – Save & Apply Button Behavior
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- mPower detects the user system preferences for date and time format and automatically matches the system format when date and time are displayed within the user interface

### Web Interface – Send and Received SMS
- *Send SMS, Sent SMS and Received SMS* are combined into a single page
- The submenu label is changed to *Send/Received SMS*
- *SMS Configuration and Send/Received SMS* pages are moved under the *Cellular* main menu
- The *SMS* main menu has been eliminated

### Operating System Updates (mPower 6.3.0)

#### Upgrade to OpenSSL 1.1
- mPower 6.3.0 supports OpenSSL 1.1.1q
- Previous mPower versions support OpenSSL 1.1.1o
Networking & Security (mPower 6.3.0)

LLDP (Link Layer Discovery Protocol) Support
As local area networks expand and include more devices and more types of devices, tools are required to help network administrators locate, monitor and configure network devices.

The Link Layer Discovery Protocol (LLDP) is a vendor-neutral link layer protocol used by network devices for advertising their identity, capabilities, and neighbors on a local area network based on IEEE 802 technology, principally wired Ethernet. The LLDP feature allows the network manager to see on the connected switch which device is connected to which port on the switch, how much power is being requested, what the IP address is, etc. Using this information, they can determine where the Conduit is located and, if necessary, remotely disconnect power to the Conduit in case of PoE-powered device.

LLDP Configuration is available under Setup. When LLDP is enabled, additional settings are available:

- **System Name**
- **System Description**
- **TX Interval (in seconds)**
  - LLDP frame transmission interval
  - Integer value, range 5 – 32768 seconds
  - Default value = 30 seconds
- **TX Hold (multiplier of the TX interval)**
  - The amount of time, as a multiple of the TX interval, that a receiving device holds an LLDP packet before discarding it
  - Integer value, range 2 – 10
  - Default value = 4

New Feature
GP-14
Networking & Security (mPower 6.3.0)

**Password Complexity - Password Expiration**

*Password Complexity Rules* page has been updated to include settings for password age and password history length.

**Password Age**
- Maximum Password Age: A password expiration interval is configurable in days. When a user password expires due to the age of the password, the user will be prompted to change their password before their next login.
- Minimum Password Age: The minimum number of days for which a password cannot be changed.

**Password Complexity – History Length**

The number of previous passwords (including the current password) that will be remembered for a user account before a specific password can be reused.

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**Easily Retrieve IPv4 and IPv6 Addresses**

- New SMS command: `#wanips`
- Overview: One SMS command that can be sent to an mPower device to retrieve all WAN IPv4 and IPv6 addresses available to the device.

**Private APN – Incorrect Date and Time**

- In previous versions of mPower, customers using a private APN can experience issues associated with inaccurate date and time.
- mPower 6.3.0 has been updated so cellular date and time can be used instead of GPS or a private ntp server.

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### Bug Fixes (mPower 6.3.0)

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<td><strong>LoRaWAN - AU915 Downlink</strong></td>
<td>In previous versions of mPower, AU915 device messages do not include ADRLinkReq in the first downlink. In mPower 6.3.0, this issue has been resolved.</td>
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<td><strong>LoRaWAN – mPower LENS API Service</strong></td>
<td>In previous versions of mPower, it was discovered that there was no timeout set for cURL calls using the LENS API. The result is failed calls to LENS. In mPower 6.3.0, this issue has been resolved.</td>
<td>GP-1882, TS-5113450</td>
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<td><strong>Save &amp; Apply Error – Bluetooth Configuration</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Debug Console, Silent Mode</strong></td>
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## Bug Fixes (mPower 6.3.0)

### U-Boot Access
- In previous versions of mPower, during system boot and system reboot, u-boot is not available when it should be
- In mPower 6.3.0, this issue is resolved

### WWAN Support
- In previous versions of mPower, the WWAN daemon does not stop properly. This can lead to multiple simultaneous WWAN connections
- In mPower 6.3.0, this issue is resolved and only one WWAN is in service

## Known Behaviors (mPower 6.3.0)

### Wi-Fi/BT Behavior
In mPower 6.3.0, Wi-Fi/BT firmware is updated to version 2.5.1.11
- Multiple wireless features cannot be enabled concurrently
- Wireless features are exclusively enabled
  - Wi-Fi as WAN
  - Wi-Fi Access Point
  - Bluetooth-IP
  - Bluetooth Low Energy
- This behavior was originally reported in mPower 6.0.4

### L6G1 Radio Support
In mPower 6.3.0, some standard mPower features are not available in the user interface for the MTC-DT-L6G1 CBRS Private LTE models
- PPP mode is not supported (WWAN only)
- Cellular Authentication is not supported
- MTU Packet Size configuration is not supported
- 2G/3G is not supported
- IPv6 is not supported
- SMS is not supported
- Cellular radio firmware upgrade is not supported
- Modbus slave feature is not supported

### Ethernet-Only Devices Include Cellular Configuration Settings
In mPower 6.3.0, cellular configuration settings are present in the setup Wizard and in the user interface for Ethernet-only devices
- Ethernet-only devices do not include a cellular radio, and cellular configuration settings should not be present in the setup Wizard or the user interface
- The user can skip these settings when setting up an Ethernet-only device
### Known Behaviors (mPower 6.3.0)

#### Cellular Time Synchronization – Verizon Wireless Networks

- **Overview:** The cellular radio reports the date with an incorrect year (i.e. 2025 instead of 2023)
- **Recommendation:** Customers that enable Cellular Time Sync should verify that the date set on the device is correct before leaving the feature enabled. An incorrect device date may invalidate the CA and Server certificates and result in connection issues
- **Devices Impacted:** MTCDT-L4G1, MTCDTIP-L4G1
- **Cellular Radio Firmware Version:** EG25GGBR07A08M2G_01.002.01.002
- **MNO:** Verizon Wireless
- **Fix:** Update to a new version of cellular radio firmware version EG25GGBR07A08M2G_30.004.30.004

**Tools available to identify cellular radio firmware version:**

- **AT Command:** `AT+QGMR`
  - `EG25GGBR07A08M2G_30.004.30.004`
- **radio-query --vendorfirmware**
  - `EG25GGBR07A08M2G_30.004.30.004`

#### Custom User Roles – MTCAP2, Ethernet-only Devices

In mPower 6.3.0, custom user role configuration includes settings for the following features, even though they are not available on Ethernet-only devices:

- Wi-Fi as WAN
- Wi-Fi Access Point
- Cellular
- Bluetooth
- Serial

**Devices Impacted:** MTCAP2 devices with Ethernet-only backhaul

#### Deprecations (mPower 6.3.0)

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### Schedule (mPower 6.3.0)

- **Downloadable Versions**
  - **mPower 6.3.0 Availability:** May 2023
  - **DeviceHQ:** May 2023

- **Manufacturing Updates:**
  - Download only
  - Devices that ship from MultiTech will not be impacted

### Models Impacted (mPower 6.3.0)

- **MultiTech Conduit® Gateway**
  - MTCDT-240A, MTCDT-246A, MTCDT-247A
  - MTCDT-L4E1, MTCDT-L4G1, MTCDT-L4N1, MTCDT-LAT3, MTCDT-LAP3, MTCDT-LDC3, MTCDT-LSB3
    - Hardware versions: MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2

- **MultiTech Conduit® IP67 Base Station**
  - MTCDTIP-266A, MTCDTIP-267A
  - MTCDTIP-L4E1, MTCDTIP-L4G1, MTCDTIP-L4N1, MTCDTIP-LAP3, MTCDTIP-LDC3, MTCDTIP-LSB3
    - Hardware versions: MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1

- **MultiTech mCard™ Gateway Accessory Cards**
  - MTAC-003E00, MTAC-003U00
  - MTAC-GPIO, MTAC-MFSER-DTE, MTAC-MFSER-DCE, MTAC-ETH, MTAC-XDOT
  - Note: MultiTech mCard available individually and in select Conduit gateways (MTCDT-series) and IP67 base stations (MTCDTIP-series)

- **MultiTech Conduit® IP67 200 Series Base Station**
  - MTCDTIP2-EN
  - MTCDTIP2-L4E1, MTCDTIP2-LNA3
  - Hardware Version: MTCAP-0.3

- **MultiTech Conduit® AP Access Point**
  - MTCAP-868, MTCAP2-868, MTCAP-915, MTCAP2-915
  - MTCAP-L4E1, MTCAP2-L4E1, MTCAP-LNA3, MTCAP2-LNA3
  - Hardware Version: MTCAP-0.0, MTCAP-0.1, MTCAP-0.2
**Upgrade Process (mPower 6.3.0)**

To install mPower 6.3.0, the Conduit gateway must be upgraded to mPower 6.0.0 or higher. Customers that are running earlier versions of mPower should use the following upgrade process.

Using an old configuration file on new Conduit devices may result in the new devices becoming non-functional. To successfully update new Conduit devices, create separate configuration templates for each type of Conduit device:

- Hardware model (MTCDT, MTCDTIP)
- Hardware version (MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2, MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1)
- Cellular radio (-L4G1, -L4N1, -L4E1)
- mPower version (mPower 5.3.7, mPower 5.3.8s-s1, mPower 6.0.4)

When upgrading a device fleet:

5. Upgrade the mPower version on one device
6. Modify the user-specific configuration settings
7. Perform in-house testing and adjust settings if necessary
8. Use the newly developed configuration file as part of field updates when the new version of mPower is widely deployed
# mPower 6.0.4 Changelog and Overview

Released: January 2023  
Status: Downloadable  

Updates in mPower 6.0.4, from mPower 6.0.2

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**Schedule (mPower 6.0.4)**

- **Downloadable Versions**
  - mPower 6.0.4 Availability: January 2023
  - Manufacturing Updates:
    - Devices that ship from MultiTech will not be impacted
- **Differential Images:**
  - Differential mPower updates are not available for mPower 6.0.4

**Models Impacted (mPower 6.0.4)**

- **MultiTech Conduit® Gateway**
  - MTCDT-240A, MTCDT-246A, MTCDT-247A
  - MTCDT-L4E1, MTCDT-L4G1, MTCDT-L4N1, MTCDT-LAT3, MTCDT-LAP3, MTCDT-LDC3, MTCDT-LSB3
  - Hardware versions: MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2
- **MultiTech Conduit® IP67 Base Station**
  - MTCDTIP-266A, MTCDTIP-267A
  - MTCDTIP-L4E1, MTCDTIP-L4G1, MTCDTIP-L4N1, MTCDTIP-LAP3, MTCDTIP-LDC3, MTCDTIP-LSB3
  - Hardware versions: MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1
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- **MultiTech Conduit® IP67 200 Series Base Station**
  - MTCDTIP2-EN
  - MTCDTIP2-L4E1, MTCDTIP2-LNA3
Upgrade Process (mPower 6.0.4)
To install mPower 6.0.4, the Conduit gateway must be upgraded to mPower 5.0.0 or higher. Customers that are running earlier versions of mPower should use the following upgrade process.

Using an old configuration file on new Conduit devices may result in the new devices becoming non-functional. To successfully update new Conduit devices, create separate configuration templates for each type of Conduit device:

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- Cellular radio (-L4G1, -L4N1, -L4E1)
- mPower version (mPower 5.3.7, mPower 5.3.8s-s1, mPower 6.0.4)

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4. Use the newly developed configuration file as part of field updates when the new version of mPower is widely deployed
mPower 6.0.2 Changelog and Overview
Released: October 2022
Status: Shipping

Updates in mPower 6.0.2, from mPower 6.0.1

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**Bug Fix (mPower 6.0.2)**

**MTCDTIP2 Devices Only**
- In mPower 6.0.1, it was discovered that after upgrading the MTCDTIP2 devices from mPower 5.3.8 to mPower 6.0.1, LoRa Packet Forwarder and Basic Station modes are not available in the LoRaWAN Network Settings
- In mPower 6.0.2, this issue is resolved

**Schedule (mPower 6.0.2)**

- Downloadable Versions
  - mPower 6.0.2 Availability: October 2022
  - DeviceHQ: October 2022
- Manufacturing Updates:
  - Devices that ship from MultiTech starting in October 2022 will include mPower 6.0.2
  - See part numbers impacted for details
- Differential Images:
  - Differential mPower updates are not available for mPower 6.0.2

**Models Impacted (mPower 6.0.2)**

- MultiTech Conduit® IP67 200 Series Base Station
  - MTCDTIP2-EN
  - MTCDTIP2-L4E1, MTCDTIP2-LNA3
Upgrade Process (mPower 6.0.2)

To install mPower 6.0.2, the Conduit gateway must be upgraded to mPower 5.0.0 or higher. Customers that are running earlier versions of mPower should use the following upgrade process.

Differential file updates are also available. Visit https://support.multitech.com/ to create a support case and request access to differential file updates.

Using an old configuration file on new Conduit devices may result in the new devices becoming non-functional. To successfully update new Conduit devices, create separate configuration templates for each type of Conduit device:

- Hardware model (MTCAP, MTCDT, MTCDTIP)
- Hardware version (MTCAP-0.0, MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2, MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1)
- Cellular radio (-L4G1, -L4N1, -L4E1)
- mPower version (mPower 5.3.7, mPower 5.3.8s-s1, mPower 6.0.2)

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## mPower 6.0.1 Changelog and Overview

Released: September 2022  
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Updates in mPower 6.0.1, from **mPower 6.0.0**

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### Critical Bug (mPower 6.0.1)

**MTCDTIP2 Devices Only**

- After being upgraded from mPower 5.3.8 to mPower 6.0.1, LoRa Packet Forwarder and Basic Station modes are not available in the LoRaWAN Network Settings  
- In **mPower 6.0.2**, this issue is resolved

| TS-5113039 |

### New Features and Enhancements (mPower 6.0.1)

#### Software and Services

**LoRa Network Server – Database Backup**

- When network time is not set or is lost, LoRa database backup will load the wrong files and a reboot is required.  
- In mPower 6.0.1, timestamps are not required for database backup and loading. The database backup also writes two copies of each back up interval to provide redundancy

| Enhancement TS-5111635 |

#### Hardware Support

**RADIO STATUS Page**

- Tower ID is now presented in the Service Information section  
- In previous versions of mPower, the Tower ID was presented on the dashboard page, under Cellular

![RADIO STATUS Page](image)

| Enhancement GP-1657 MTX-4547 |

### Verizon Wireless – Updated APN Behavior

Devices impacted: MTCAP-LNA3, MTCDT-L4N1, MTCDTIP-L4N1 models  
When the MNO is defined as Verizon, the SMS command **#apn** returns the message:

*APN is obtained automatically from the Verizon network*

| Enhancement GP-1596 MTX-4489 |
# New Features and Enhancements (mPower 6.0.1)

## Cellular Configuration – Dial-on Demand

- The wording of the tooltip for the dial-on-demand label has been updated
- Tooltip in mPower 6.0.1
  
  *Enable or disable Dial-on-Demand. If Enabled, the device will bring up and maintain a cellular connection while activity is detected on the Cellular interface*

- Tooltip in earlier versions of mPower
  
  *Enable or disable Dial-on-Demand. If Enabled, the device will bring up and maintain a cellular connection while activity is detected on the LAN interface*

## User Interface

### Web User Interface, status definition updates

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| **NETWORK INTERFACE CONFIGURATION Page - Network Type** | |
| Cellular PPP                             | PPP                         |
| Cellular WWAN                            | PPP                         |

| **NETWORK INTERFACE CONFIGURATION – IPv4 Settings - Mode** | |
| Auto                                      | PPP                         |
| Auto – Addressed Only                     | PPP – Addresses Only        |

- Associated HELP files have also been updated to reflect these updates
- All other Cellular WAN status are unchanged

## Web Interface, CELLULAR STATISTICS Page, terminology change

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- If cellular mode is PPP, Cellular Trace is only available
- Associated HELP files have also been updated to reflect these updates
- If cellular mode is WWAN, Cellular Trace is hidden

## Web Interface, CELLULAR STATISTICS Page

- Cellular logs pane is added and always displayed, regardless of cellular mode (PPP or WWAN)
- The cellular logs pane includes all logs related to cellular functionality
### New Features and Enhancements (mPower 6.0.1)

#### Web Interface, Login Page
- During the login process, if connection to the device is lost, a new message is displayed:

  *Network connection is not established.*

#### Username and Password – Autocomplete is Disabled
- Many configuration pages within mPower require username and password information.
- Previous versions of mPower allowed this information to be filled in automatically when the user remembers the login credentials.
- In mPower 6.0.1, autocomplete is disabled and username and password fields must be completed in full by the user.
- NOTE: this behavior differs based on web browser. Some web browsers will ignore these parameters and allow autocomplete to occur.

#### User Interface
- In earlier versions of mPower, LoRa device CSV file uploads generate a cryptic error message when the CSV file ends with an empty line.
- In mPower 6.0.1, CSV files that end with an empty line will no longer generate this message.

#### Operating System Updates (mPower 6.0.1)

##### Upgrade to OpenSSL 1.1
- mPower 6.0.1 supports OpenSSL 1.1.1
- Previous mPower versions supported OpenSSL 1.1.1n
- Additional information is available
  - MultiTech Security Advisories
  - CVE-2022-1292

##### Update to Eclipse Mosquitto MQTT broker
- mPower 6.0.1 supports Eclipse Mosquitto 1.6.14
- Previous mPower versions supported Eclipse Mosquitto 1.5.1
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<td>OpenSSL is generating to PKCS#8 when generating private keys. mPower expects PKCS#1. This conflict means private user keys are not validated in mPower.</td>
<td>In mPower 6.0.1, this issue has been resolved. mPower 6.0.1 accepts certificates with PKCS#1 and PKCS#8 keys.</td>
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<td>In previous versions of mPower, when a network interface is excluded from br0 and had its own DHCP server configured, the DHCP server remains enabled when the interface is added back to the br0.</td>
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## Bug Fixes (mPower 6.0.1)

| Failure to upload and apply a configuration file | GP-1574  
| MTX-4465 |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| In previous versions of mPower, mPower failed to upload and apply a configuration file when the filename includes a space character | **Failure to upload and apply a configuration file**  
| The file is not considered valid | **Failure to upload and apply a configuration file**  
| Behavior was exhibited in:  
  - Upload X.509 CA Certificates  
  - Install Custom Application  
  - Upload Device Configuration file  
  - Package Management – Upload Package | **Failure to upload and apply a configuration file**  
| This issue has been resolved in mPower 6.0.1 | **Failure to upload and apply a configuration file**  
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Session timeout interrupts upgrades in Web Interface | GP-1456  
| MTX-4366 |
| In previous versions of mPower, mPower upgrades and cellular radio firmware upgrades are not completed when the session reaches the timeout period (5 minutes by default) | **Session timeout interrupts upgrades in Web Interface**  
| This issue has been resolved in mPower 6.0.1 | **Session timeout interrupts upgrades in Web Interface**  
| The session does not expire while the mPower file or cellular radio firmware file is being uploaded, when the session timeout is 10 minutes or less | **Session timeout interrupts upgrades in Web Interface**  
| If the file upload process takes longer than 10 minutes, the process is cancelled due to the API timeout | **Session timeout interrupts upgrades in Web Interface**  
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| WAN Failover Settings not applied properly | GP-1591  
| MTX-4484 |
| This issue was originally identified in mPower 6.0.0 | **WAN Failover Settings not applied properly**  
| In the Web Interface, WAN CONFIGURATION page, Active monitoring settings (Hostname, ICMP Count) are made by the user, but not properly applied | **WAN Failover Settings not applied properly**  
| This issue has been resolved in mPower 6.0.1 | **WAN Failover Settings not applied properly**  
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Client Authentication, Custom Web Server Certificate Failures | GP-1593  
| MTX-4485 |
| In previous versions of mPower, failures arise when custom web server certificates do not end with a line | **Client Authentication, Custom Web Server Certificate Failures**  
| Incorrect certificate example: (/var/config/server.pem) | **Client Authentication, Custom Web Server Certificate Failures**  
| Correct certificate example: (/var/config/server.pem) | **Client Authentication, Custom Web Server Certificate Failures**  
| This issue has been resolved in mPower 6.0.1 | **Client Authentication, Custom Web Server Certificate Failures**  
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| WWAN Mode | GP-1628  
| MTX-4519 |
| In previous versions of mPower, while in WWAN mode, when a user disables Data Receive Monitor, submits, saves, and applies the changes, the `ppp-rx-monitor` process does not stop. | **WWAN Mode**  
| This issue has been resolved in mPower 6.0.1 | **WWAN Mode**  
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| WWAN Mode | MTX-4481  
| TS-5110508 |
| In previous versions of mPower, while in WWAN mode, when a user disables `ICMP/TCP Check`, submits, saves, and applies the changes, the `pppcheck` process is still present in the list | **WWAN Mode**  
| This issue has been resolved in mPower 6.0.1 | **WWAN Mode**  

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Schedule (mPower 6.0.1)

- Downloadable Versions
  - mPower 6.0.1 Availability: May 2022
    - Visit http://www.multitech.net/developer/downloads/
  - DeviceHQ: May 2022

- Manufacturing Updates:
  - Devices that ship from MultiTech starting in September 2022 will include mPower 6.0.1
  - New devices will begin shipping with mPower 6.0.1 immediately, including:
    - Conduit gateways with new MTAC-003 LoRa Gateway Accessory Cards (MTCDT-R3 models)
    - Conduit base stations with new MTAC-003 LoRa Gateway Accessory Cards (MTCDTIP-R3 models)
  - See part numbers impacted for details

- Differential Images:
  - Differential mPower updates are not available for mPower 6.0.1

Models Impacted (mPower 6.0.1)

- MultiTech Conduit® Gateway
  - MTCDT-240A, MTCDT-246A, MTCDT-247A
  - MTCDT-L4E1, MTCDT-L4G1, MTCDT-L4N1, MTCDT-LAT3, MTCDT-LAP3, MTCDT-LDC3, MTCDT-LSB3
  - Hardware versions: MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2

- MultiTech Conduit® IP67 Base Station
  - MTCDTIP-266A, MTCDTIP-267A
  - MTCDTIP-L4E1, MTCDTIP-L4G1, MTCDTIP-L4N1, MTCDTIP-LAP3, MTCDTIP-LDC3, MTCDTIP-LSB3
  - Hardware versions: MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1

- MultiTech mCard™ Gateway Accessory Cards
  - MTAC-003E00, MTAC-003U00
  - MTAC-GPIO, MTAC-MFSER-DTE, MTAC-MFSER-DCE, MTAC-ETH, MTAC-XDOT
  - Note: MultiTech mCard available individually and in select Conduit gateways (MTCDT-series) and IP67 base stations (MTCDTIP-series)

- MultiTech Conduit® IP67 200 Series Base Station
  - MTCDTIP2-EN
  - MTCDTIP2-L4E1, MTCDTIP2-LNA3
  - Hardware Version: MTCAP-0.3

- MultiTech Conduit® AP Access Point
  - MTCAP-868, MTCAP2-868, MTCAP-915, MTCAP2-915
  - MTCAP-L4E1, MTCAP2-L4E1, MTCAP-LNA3, MTCAP2-LNA3
  - Hardware Version: MTCAP-0.0, MTCAP-0.1, MTCAP-0.2
Upgrade Process (mPower 6.0.1)
To install mPower 6.0.1, the Conduit gateway must be upgraded to mPower 5.0.0 or higher. Customers that are running earlier versions of mPower should use the following upgrade process.

Differential file updates are also available. Visit [https://support.multitech.com/](https://support.multitech.com/) to create a support case and request access to differential file updates.

Using an old configuration file on new Conduit devices may result in the new devices becoming non-functional. To successfully update new Conduit devices, create separate configuration templates for each type of Conduit device:

- Hardware model (MTCAP, MTCDT, MTCDTIP)
- Hardware version (MTCAP-0.0, MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2, MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1)
- Cellular radio (-L4G1, -L4N1, -L4E1)
- mPower version (mPower 5.3.7, mPower 5.3.8s-s1, mPower 6.0.0)

When upgrading a device fleet:
1. Upgrade the mPower version on one device
2. Modify the user-specific configuration settings
3. Perform in-house testing and adjust settings if necessary
4. Use the newly developed configuration file as part of field updates when the new version of mPower is widely deployed
### mPower 6.0.0 Changelog and Overview

**Released:** May 2022  
**Status:** Retired September 2022. Replaced by mPower 6.0.1

Updates in mPower 6.0.0, from mPower 5.3.X

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| • In mPower 6.0.0, when a device checks into DeviceHQ and performs a partial configuration upgrade, the system displays a status message on Web UI:  

        Partial configuration has been applied.  
        The system is going down for reboot now. (DATE/TIME)  

• In previous mPower releases, the Web UI does not show a message |                  |                       |           |                |              |          |                | Enhancement     |
| **Multiple LoRa User Interface and API Changes** |                  |                       |           |                |              |          |                |                |
| • Added Duty-cycle info to Gateways page if ISRAEL plan is selected or duty-cycle is enabled  
• Added Default Device Profile for local join server on Key Management page  
• API Default packet forwarder GW SOURCE for EUI to hardware  
  o The web page would not load an EUI unless the Basic Settings were shown  
• Add delete all end-device and session records button  
• Add option to append csv/json device records to the current list on key management page  
• Add button to delete all items from downlink queue for all devices  
• API options to get a single device or session record use DevEUI  
  o /api/lora/devices/00-11-22-33-44-55-66-77  
  o /api/lora/sessions/00-11-22-33-44-55-66-77  
• Added option for setting multicastGroupID for operations  
• Add option for max FUOTA packet size  
  o Field in Network Settings > Datarate settings  
  o Field in Operations > Show Settings section |                  |                       |           |                |              |          |                | Enhancement     |
| **LoRa Firmware Update Over The Air (FUOTA) Updates** |                  |                       |           |                |              |          |                |                |
| • LoRa FUOTA Version 1.0.17  
• Added an option for maximum packet size to control fragmentation  
• Added an option for setting multicast group ID |                  |                       |           |                |              |          |                | Enhancement     |
# New Features and Enhancements (mPower 6.0.0)

## LoRa Network Server Changes
- LoRa Network Server Version 2.5.37
- Add setting for max FOTA packet size (maxRx2PacketSize)
- Add a command to delete all queued downlinks
- Add a command to get single device or session by EUI
- Add a command to delete all devices and sessions
- Add a command to add list of devices or sessions
- Publish lora/<APP-EUI>/<DEV-EUI>/moved topic when device is deleted by command, from user interface or DeviceHQ
  - Message contains list of GW-EUI
- Database backup to tar.gz
  - Backup to RAM and move into /var/config directory
  - Reduce database in /var/config/ to one-fifth
    - 2MB database takes 400K with redundant backup files
- Activate Tx Param controller for LW102 AU915 and AS923 devices on Join
- LENS: published moved MQTT messages when check in update moves devices
- LNS version 2.5.37 added fields to the “up” mqtt messages
  - name – device name
  - product_id – device product ID
  - serial_number – device serial number
  - hardware_version – device hardware version
  - firmware_version – device firmware version

## LoRa Default App Changes
- MQTT QoS and Persist settings
- MQTT Resubscribe on connect
- Add ClientID configuration option
- Add subscriptions for downlinks from remote broker
  - lorawan/gweui/deveui/down
  - lorawan/gwuid/deveui/down
- Add subscription for moved devices to publish to remote broker
  - lorawan/appeui/deveui/moved

## LoRa Packet Forwarder Changes
- Packet Forwarder Version 4.0.17
- LoRa Gateway Version 5.0.11
- Add hardware reset on start-up and restart
- Support added for two MTAC-LORA-H-868 or two MTAC-LORA-H-915 LoRa gateway accessory cards

## LoRa: Semtech LoRa Basics™ Station Changes:
- Updated to version 2.0.6-5
- AU915 Channel Plan – Default transmit power changed to 30 dBm
- 16 Channel support added – Ability to manage MTCDT and MTCDTIP devices with two MTAC gateway accessory cards as one 16-channel device on The Things Network

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# Hardware Support

## New hardware versions are available for Conduit devices

**Overview:** mPower 6.0.0 identifies the Conduit hardware version and only allow users to download approved mPower versions, preventing a mismatch between hardware and software.

**Feature:** Downgrade Protection

- mPower 6.0.0 includes a means of identifying MTCDT (MTCDT-0.2) and MTCDTIP (MTCDTIP-0.1) devices with substitute components and limits the version of mPower that customers can use
  - Devices with substitute components can only be used with mPower 5.3.7 and later
  - Future mPower versions will not allow MTCDT-0.2 and MTCDTIP-0.1 devices with substitute components to downgrade to versions of mPower prior to mPower 5.3.7

- Error Messages: If a user attempts to downgrade a device with substitute components to an incompatible firmware version, an error message will be displayed:
  - Downgrade using API Command:
    - "Firmware check failed. Invalid firmware version for [MTCDT-0.2] hardware."
    - "Firmware check failed. Invalid firmware version for [MTCDTIP-0.1] hardware."
  - Downgrade using DeviceHQ:
    - "Software check failed. Invalid firmware version for [MTCDT-0.2] hardware."
    - "Software check failed. Invalid firmware version for [MTCDTIP-0.1] hardware."

- MTCAP, MTCAP2, and MTCDTP2 devices do not include downgrade protection

- This feature was originally introduced in mPower 5.3.7

## MultiTech mCard™ Gateway Accessory Cards (MTAC Series)

- Support for new MTAC LoRa Accessory Cards
  - MTAC-003E00 - 868 MHz LoRa Accessory Card, Antenna Sold Separately
  - MTAC-003U00 - 915 MHz LoRa Accessory Card, Antenna Sold Separately

- Updated features include:
  - Network-based sensor location using fine timestamping and Time Difference of Arrival (TDOA) from at least three gateways
  - Additional spreading factors (SF5 – SF12) allow for optimized network performance, increased LoRa traffic (especially in dense LoRa networks), and improved end-device battery performance

- Reference [Known Behaviors](#) for information on using multiple MTAC LoRa Accessory Cards in MTCDT devices

- MultiTech mCard available individually and in select Conduit gateways (MTCDT-series) and IP67 base stations (MTCDTIP-series)

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### New Features and Enhancements (mPower 6.0.0)

**Cellular radio improvements for devices used on the AT&T network**

**Feature:** Disabled voice support

- mPower 6.0.0 disables voice support for new voice-capable radios in an AT&T-compatible configuration
- The change affects the following list of AT&T-compatible voice-capable cellular radios:
  - L4N1 radios with the “AT&T-compatible” firmware image
  - L4G1 radios with AT&T SIM cards installed
  - LNA7 radios with AT&T SIM cards installed
- If the system detects that the modem is L4N1, L4G1, or LNA7 and the carrier is AT&T, it checks for the voice-related configuration in the modem. If the voice support is enabled and SMS-only mode is disabled, the system executes AT commands to disable voice support and enable SMS-only mode
- **UI changes**
  - If the voice support is disabled, the Wake Up On Call feature does not support the Wake Up settings “On Caller-ID” and “On Ring.”
  - The system displays a message if one of these settings is enabled when user saves changes in the Wake Up On Call configuration

*On Ring and On Caller ID options cannot be enabled in the Wake Up On Call configuration as voice calls are not supported by your carrier*

- The radio-query has a new option (--voice-support) that allows the user to get the current voice support settings set in the cellular radio
  - radio-query --voice-support shows the information in the following format:
    ```
    {
      "smsOnly" : "Indicates that registration flag is enabled or not : BOOL",
      "voiceEnabled" : "Indicates that voice support is enabled or not : BOOL"
    }
    ```
- The radio-cmd has a new option (--disable-voice-support) that disables support of voice calls. It accepts no additional parameters and returns “0” on success and “1” on failure.
  - Usage: `root@mtcdt:/var/config/home/admin# radio-cmd --disable-voice-support`
  - Success
- There is no command to enable voice support. To enable voice support, the user shall use the appropriate AT commands

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<td><strong>Device is configurable to one of the following protocols:</strong> RS-232, RS-485 (half-duplex), or RS485 (full duplex)</td>
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## New Features and Enhancements (mPower 6.0.0)

### UXPF utility upgrade
- Utilities used to upgrade Telit radio firmware (v.1.7.2-0)
- Models Impacted: MTCAP-L4E1, MTCAP-LNA3, MTCDT-L4E1, MTCDT-LAT3, MTCDT-L4N1, MTCDTIP- L4E1, MTCDTIP-L4N1

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### Fieldbus Protocols

#### Updates to Modbus slave feature
- Modbus Slave feature is updated in mPower 6.0.0 to use the generic implementation for all band-related queries
- This enables future support of new cellular radios

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#### Modbus RTU/TCP and Serial-IP Improvements

**Overview:** Setting improvements for Modbus RTU/TCP Gateway and Serial-IP, allows configuration of the Serial Port so the Serial Port can be used by other features such as GPS

- Mode dropdown is added to the General Configuration pane. It allows users to enable one of the following features:
  - Disabled (default). Serial-IP and Modbus RTU/TCP Gateway are disabled
  - Serial-IP
  - Modbus RTU/TCP Gateway
  - Serial-IP and Modbus RTU/TCP Gateway cannot work simultaneously
- To use Modbus Gateway, check Protocol under IP Pipe and select SSL/TLS
  - Modbus RTU slave is connected to the Serial Port and a remote Modbus TCP Master
  - Modbus Gateway application works as a translator between Modbus RTU (slave) and Modbus-TCP (master) devices
  - Without Modbus Gateway enabled, the Serial-IP feature simply passes raw data between the serial DB9 interface and the socket representing the TCP connection in the system to a configured remote device
- When the Modbus Gateway is enabled, its application runs in the system. The application works as a translator converting between the Modbus-TCP and Modbus RTU protocols. The Modbus Gateway passes data between an RTU connected to the serial port and a Modbus TCP remote client/server

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### User Experience

#### Material Design Icons Simplify the User Interface
- Material design icons are added throughout the user interface
- Material design icons are a set of universal icons used to improve usability and simplicity
- Additional Information: [https://materialdesignicons.com/](https://materialdesignicons.com/)

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#### Updated Product Images
- Updated product images added to the First-Time Setup Wizard and Support Page

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## Operating System Updates (mPower 6.0.0)

| Updated Yocto Version | GP-1322  
|-----------------------|----------  
| • Yocto version updated to Dunfell (version 3.1).  
| • Previous versions of mPower used Yocto Thud (version 2.6)  | MTX-4162  |

| Updated Linux Kernel |  
|----------------------|----------  
| • Linux kernel updated to version 5.4  
| • Previous versions of mPower used Linux kernel v4.9.240  |  |

| Updated Python | GP-1224  
|----------------|----------  
| • Python updated to version 3.8.11  
| • Previous versions of mPower used Python 2.7  | MTX-4164  |

| DeviceHQ/Node-RED Custom Application | Deprecation  
|-------------------------------------|----------  
| • mPower 6.0.0 does not include support for the DeviceHQ/Node-RED Custom Application  
| • Native support for Node-RED was deprecated in mPower 5.3.3  
| • For details on other methods to create custom applications, see creating a custom application  |  |

| RF Survey | Deprecation  
|-----------|----------  
| • The RF Survey is not available for LTE devices and is removed from mPower 6.0.0  
| • Page 404 is displayed when trying to access the page using the direct link: /rf_survey  | GP-1444  
| | MTX-4321  |

## Networking and Security (mPower 6.0.0)

| IP Masquerading | New Feature  
|-----------------|----------  
| The IP Masquerading feature allows users to enable or disable IP Masquerading for WAN interfaces of the device  
| • Main points  
| o IP Masquerading feature can be used with WAN interfaces only  
| o IP Masquerading is enabled by default. When IP Masquerading feature is enabled, the device performs IP address translation of client network traffic to the corresponding WAN interface  
| o When IP Masquerading feature is disabled, the device passes client network requests unchanged to the corresponding WAN interface  
| • API Changes  
| o api/ni/nis: “wanMasquerade” option is added for each network interface  | MTX-4104  |

| Remote Syslog Feature Enhancement: TCP and SSL/TLS support | New Feature  
|----------------------------------------------------------|----------  
| • New settings are implemented for the Remote Syslog feature:  
| o TCP Protocol support  
| o SSL/TLS Protocol support  
| o Configurable Port  
| • The Hostname read-only field is added to the Remote Syslog pane. The hostname value is a part of log entries that are transferred to the remote Syslog Server. The hostname value can be configured in the Hostname Configuration pane on the Status | GP-869  
| | Global DNS page  
| • API Changes  
| o api/syslog  
| o api/help/syslog  
| o api/secureprotocols/rsyslogd  | MTX-4178  
| | GP-1365  
| | MTX-4205  |
Networking and Security (mPower 6.0.0)

Support 802.1X authentication on the Ethernet interface(s)

- 802.1X Authentication feature is available for Ethernet network interface (Eth0) if it is not in the Bridge (BR0). For other network interfaces, including Bridge (BR0), this feature is not available and is hidden on Web UI.
- The 802.1X Authentication settings depend on the Authentication Method. By default, the Authentication Method is NONE.
- The system supports the following authentication methods:
  - EAP-PWD
  - EAP-TLS
  - EAP-TTLS
  - EAP-PEAP

The following settings are available and depend on the Authentication Method:

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Ping Feature Settings: New Options

- **Number of Requests**: The number of ping requests. The default is 4. The maximum is 120.
- **Packet Size (Bytes)**: Specifies the number of data bytes to be sent.
  - Packets include an additional 28 bytes of data (8 bytes ICMP header and 20 bytes IP header)
  - The default packet size is 56 bytes (which equates to into 84 bytes of data due to ICMP header and IP header)
- When packet size of 0 bytes is requested, the actual packet size is 28 bytes due to ICMP header and IP header.
- **Do Not Fragment**: Enable to prevent fragmentation. Without fragmentation, the ping fails if the ping packet exceeds MTU size for the network path. By default, the option is disabled.

New Feature
- GP-355
- GP-1328
- MTX-3053
- MTX-4119
- MTX-4170

New Feature
- GP-1279
- MTX-4036
- MTX-4131
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### Continuous Ping
- The Continuous Ping feature allows users to start a continuous ping to an IP address or URL through a specific interface
- Continuous Ping is available on the Debug Options page
- To start a continuous ping, users specify **IP Address** or **URL**, **Network Interface**, **Packet Size**, and enable or disable the **Do Not Fragment** option
  - Continuous Ping starts when the user clicks the **Start Continuous Ping** button
    1. The system starts pinging
    2. The button label changes to **Stop Continuous Ping**
    3. The message “Ping is in progress…” is displayed next to the button
  - Continuous Ping stops when the user clicks the **Stop Continuous Ping** button
    1. The system stops pinging
    2. The button label changes to **Start Continuous Ping**
    3. The ping results are shown next to the **Start Continuous Ping** button
- API Changes
  - api/stats/continuousPing - Continuous Ping status is stored in the “IsRunning” field

### ICMP Keep Alive feature
- Overview: Sometimes when working with private networks, the size of the ping request is regulated. It needs to be configurable to satisfy private network requirements
- In mPower 6.0.0, new setting “Packet Size (Bytes)” is added next to the ICMP Count in the ICMP/TCP Check pane
  - The Packet Size setting specifies the number of data bytes to be sent
  - Packets include an additional 28 bytes of data (8 bytes ICMP header and 20 bytes IP header)
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### Firewall Status Page
- The **Status** page is added under the **Firewall** main menu
- Firewall status page contains filter tables in the **Filter Rules** pane, NAT tables in the **NAT Rules** pane, and iptables-save command output in the **IP Tables Dump**
- The **Download** button allows users to download an archive file that contains the same information that is displayed on Web UI; there are three files in the archive:
  - `iptables-filter.log`
  - `iptables-nat.log`
  - `iptables-save.log`
- API Changes. The following API endpoints are added:
  - `https://192.168.2.1/api/firewall/downloadStatus`
  - `https://192.168.2.1/api/firewall/status`

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### Networking and Security (mPower 6.0.0)

#### IPSec Tunnels
- The “Allow All Traffic” checkbox is added to the IPsec tunnel configuration. The option is disabled by default when adding a new tunnel.
- When the checkbox is disabled, all traffic through the tunnel is dropped and the user has to add firewall rules manually to allow the traffic. Enabling the checkbox allows all traffic through the tunnel without creating explicit rules to allow traffic by subnet and/or connection attributes.
- When performing a firmware upgrade from a previous firmware version that does not have this setting, all existing tunnels will have the “Allow All Traffic” checkbox enabled and corresponding firewall rules will be set in the system, so nothing will change in tunnel behavior after upgrade.
- When adding a new tunnel, if the “Allow All Traffic” checkbox is not checked, then all traffic through the tunnel will be dropped. The user will have to add a corresponding firewall rules on the Firewall Settings page.
- API Changes
  - The “allowAllTraffic” is added to the api/ipsecTunnels collection.

#### IPSec Tunnels - Multiple Remote Networks Support
- The system allows to specify multiple local networks and remote networks when configuring an IPSec tunnel.
- API changes
  - “remoteSubnets” array replaced the “remoteNetworkIp” and “remoteNetworkMask” in the /api/ipsecTunnels collection.

#### Ping Feature – Update the Network Interfaces List
- The list of the network interfaces available in the Network Interface dropdown list is updated.
- The list of available network interfaces depends on the hardware configuration.
- The following network interfaces are available:
  - ANY
  - BRIDGE (BR0)
  - CELLULAR
  - WI-FI WAN
  - WI-FI AP
  - ETHERNET (ETH0)

#### PPP-IP Pass-through / Serial Modem Mode - Hide Ping features from the Debug Options Page
- PPP-IP Pass-through Mode:
  - It is not possible to Ping directly from the device.
  - The Ping and Continuous Ping features are not available in the Debug Options Page.
- Serial Modem Mode:
  - Continuous Ping feature is not available.
  - Ping feature is available. Network Interface options: ANY, BRIDGE (BR0) and ETHERNET (ETH0).
### Networking and Security (mPower 6.0.0)

#### Service Statistics Enhancement
The status for new services are added to the Service Statistics Page. Services and their possible statuses are listed below:

**SNMP Server**
- SNMP Server is disabled
- SNMP Server is running
- SNMP Server is stopped

**Security Violation**
- Security violation is disabled
- Security violation has not been detected
- Security violation has been detected (shown if the /var/log/tomoyo/reject_003.log log is NOT empty)

**Reverse SSH**
- Reverse SSH service is disabled
- Reverse SSH service is running
- Reverse SSH service is stopped

**MQTT Broker**
- MQTT Broker service is disabled
- MQTT Broker service is running
- MQTT Broker service is stopped

**Remote Management**
- Displaying statuses from the Remote Management page

**Continuous Ping**
- Continuous Ping is running
- Continuous Ping is disabled

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#### Support Static IP on Wi-Fi as WAN
- Ability to disable DHCP Client and enable **Static** mode is implemented for WLAN0 (Wi-Fi as WAN) network interface
- In mPower 6.0.0 the WLAN0 network interface can be configured in the following modes:
  - DHCP Client (default)
  - DHCP Client – Addresses Only
  - **Static**

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#### Web Server X.509 Certificate - Default details are updated
- The CN value in the default Web Server X.509 certificate is changed from **ocg.example.com** to **mtx.example.com**

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*Enhancements*
- GP-1295
- MTX-4142

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*Enhancements*
- GP-76
- MTX-4186
- SP-5084144

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*Enhancements*
- GP-1247
- MTX-4058
### Networking and Security (mPower 6.0.0)

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#### Firewall Settings Improvement
- Firewall “Normal Settings” is the default mode. This view was formerly “Advanced Settings”
  - Prerouting Rules
  - Input Filter Rules
  - Forward Filter Rules
  - Output Filter Rules
- Firewall “Legacy Settings” now includes the following. This view was formerly “Normal Settings”
  - Port Forwarding
  - Input Filter Rules
  - Output Filter Rules

#### IPsec, GRE, OpenVPN Tunnels - Enabled checkbox is moved to the tunnel configuration page
- This is an improvement that does not affect the GRE, IPSec and OpenVPN functionality and API
- The “Check” icon in the Enabled column on the GRE, IPSec or OpenVPN Tunnel Configuration page does not allow the user to enable or disable a tunnel
- To enable or disable a tunnel, click the **Enabled** checkbox while adding or editing tunnel

#### SNMP Configuration Page - Network Address and Mask validation, IP address conversion to the Network address
- In previous mPower releases, the system displayed an error if the entered IP Address and Mask do not match while adding an IP network to the Allowed IP Addresses list on the SNMP Configuration page
- In mPower 6.0.0 the system automatically converts the IP address based on the Mask value, and adds a corresponding valid Network Address to the list

#### Network IP and Mask validation (GRE and IPSec Configuration)
- The system (Web UI) checks the entered IP Address and Mask and automatically converts the IP address value to a valid Network Address while adding or editing GRE or IPSec Tunnels
- The API validation of the entered Network Address and Mask is implemented, and the system does not allow to save the settings if the Network Address and Mask do not match
- For example, user enters **Remote Network Route** as 192.168.2.2 and the **Remote Network Mask** as 24 while editing a GRE Tunnel. The Network Address in this case is 192.168.2.0, and the system will automatically change it and add a valid Network address, so the remote network route will be a valid value of **192.168.2.0/24**
- The same conversion is performed for Local Networks and Remote Networks when adding or editing an IPSec tunnel

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## Bug Fixes (mPower 6.0.0)

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| **Reset to User Defined Defaults shall restore custom applications** | If a custom application is installed while a user sets the current configuration as user-defined defaults, the system shall try to restore it when performing reset to User Defined defaults.  
- Main use case  
  - Install a custom application, configure the device, save the changes, and set the current configuration as user-defined defaults.  
  - Change the configuration (make any changes you need), save and apply the changes.  
  - Click "Reset to User Defined Defaults"  
- Result  
  - Device reboots  
  - overlayfs is reset  
  - The system installs the custom application from /var/persistent  
  - Device reboots again as soon as the custom app is installed. NOTE: Actual behavior depends on the custom application  
  - When device boots, the custom application is installed. |
| **libmts-io** |  
- MCC and MNC values are retrieved incorrectly from table  
- In mPower 6.0.0, MCC and MNC values are retrieved correctly for further carrier detection. |
| **Rogers Wireless – Web Interface Update** | In mPower 6.0.0, the Web Interface (Cellular, Radio Status) has been updated to display the following with a Rogers SIM is inserted in the device.  
  
  **Home Network: Rogers Wireless**  
- In earlier versions of mPower software, the Web Interface (Cellular, Radio Status) displays the following when a Rogers SIM was inserted in the device.  
  
  **Home Network: Rogers AT&T Wireless** |
| **SMS - quotation mark character** | (Double universal) " is displayed with the backslash \ character in the received SMS message (like an escaped character)  
- An extra slash character is added before the quotation mark " in the sent and received messages.  
- In mPower 6.0.0, the issue is resolved, and an extra slash is no longer added to the Sent and Received SMS messages. |
| **Device UI inaccessible after firmware upgrade if User Authentication enabled** | If User Authentication feature was enabled prior to the firmware upgrade, UI will be inaccessible with SSL error when the upgrade is finished. To restore access to the device user should either reboot the device or restart lighttpd service. This may lead to the issues with upgrade in the field if there is no physical access to the device and no ssh access or SMS commands are enabled.  
- This issue exists in previous released firmware (mPower 5.2.1 and mPower 5.3.0).  
- In mPower 6.0.0, the issue is resolved, and user can access the device after performing upgrade if the User Authentication is enabled. |
| **Applications** |  
- Applications  
  - GP-1326  
  - MTX-4154 |
| **Hardware** |  
- Hardware  
  - GP-114  
  - MTX-4168 |
| **User Experience** |  
- User Experience  
  - MTX-4359 |
| **User Experience** |  
- User Experience  
  - GP-1301  
  - MTX-4143 |
### Bug Fixes (mPower 6.0.0)

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<td>- “Cell Radio Firmware Upgrade” shall be in the setup menu, below time configuration (PPP-IP pass-through mode and serial modem mode)</td>
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<td>- Customer unsuccessfully tried to setup a VPN connection using custom OVPN config file.</td>
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| - Upon investigation the root cause was found in this string: `remote 20.191.55.208 1194 udp`
| - If we split the string to these two, VPN connection works properly: `proto udp
remote 20.191.55.208 1194`
| - Corresponding changes are implemented, and such custom configuration can be applied, and the tunnel connection will be established successfully |
| **Save & Apply restart redirects to LAN when connected through WAN** | **Networking** |
| - When connected through the WAN, the Web UI redirects to a LAN IP (Ethernet eth0) when executing a Save & Apply that requires a reboot |
| - In mPower 6.0.0, if the current device IP is external (public) IP address or this is a domain name, redirection will be performed to the same address. Otherwise, the system will redirect to LAN IP address |
| **PPP-IP Passthrough Mode – multiple farpd instances are running if connection re-establishes** | **Networking** |
| - In some cases, there are multiple farpd instances running at the same time. The issue occurs when the PPP-IP Passthrough mode cellular connection is interrupted. When the cellular connection reestablishes, the system runs a new farpd instance, but does not end the previous one. This issue does not affect the functionality |
| - In mPower 6.0.0, when cellular connection re-establishes and new settings are obtained, the farpd service restarts and there is only one farpd service in the services list |

### Known Behaviors (mPower 6.0.0)

| **The following devices and device configurations cannot be downgraded from mPower 6.0.X to mPower 5.3.7 or mPower 5.3.8:** |
| --- | --- |
| - MTCDT-XXXX.R3 devices |
| | o MTCDT with new gateway accessory card: MTAC-003U00 (868 MHz) |
| | o MTCDT with new gateway accessory card: MTAC-003E00 (915 MHz) |
| - MTCDTIP-XXXX.R3 devices |
| | o MTCDTIP with new gateway accessory card: MTAC-003U00 (868 MHz) |
| | o MTCDTIP with new gateway accessory card: MTAC-003E00 (915 MHz) |

| **The following devices and device configurations can be downgraded from mPower 6.0.0 to mPower 5.3.7 or mPower 5.3.8** |
| --- | --- |
| - When the downgrade process is complete, a factory default is recommended |
| - MTCDT devices with gateway accessory card: MTAC-LORA-H-868 or MTAC-LORA-H-915 |
| - MTCDTIP devices with gateway accessory card: MTAC-LORA-H-868 or MTAC-LORA-H-915 |
| - MTCAP, MTCAP2 devices |
| - MTCDTIP2 devices |
Known Behaviors (mPower 6.0.0)

MTCDT devices can only be used with one version of MTAC LoRa Gateway Accessory Card

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Deprecations (mPower 6.0.0)

DeviceHQ/Node-RED Custom Application
- mPower 6.0.0 does not include support for the DeviceHQ/Node-RED Custom Application
- Native support for Node-RED was deprecated in mPower 5.3.3
- For details on other methods to create custom applications, see creating a custom application

Python 2 support
- Python 2 is not supported in mPower 6.0.0. Only Python 3.8.11 is supported

RF Survey
- The RF Survey page is removed from mPower 6.0.0
- Page 404 is displayed when trying to access the page using the direct link: /rf_survey

Schedule (mPower 6.0.0)
- Downloadable Versions
  - mPower 6.0.0 Availability: May 2022
  - DeviceHQ: May 2022
- Differential Images:
  - Differential mPower updates are not available for mPower 6.0.0
Models Impacted (mPower 6.0.0)

- MultiTech Conduit® Gateway
  - MTCDT-240A, MTCDT-246A, MTCDT-247A
  - MTCDT-L4E1, MTCDT-L4G1, MTCDT-L4N1, MTCDT-LAT3, MTCDT-LAP3, MTCDT-LDC3, MTCDT-LSB3
  - Hardware versions: MTCDT-0.1, MTCDT-0.2

- MultiTech Conduit® IP67 Base Station
  - MTCDTIP-266A, MTCDTIP-267A
  - MTCDTIP-L4E1, MTCDTIP-L4G1, MTCDTIP-L4N1, MTCDTIP-LAP3, MTCDTIP-LDC3, MTCDTIP-LSB3
  - Hardware versions: MTCDTIP-0.0, MTCDTIP-0.1

- MultiTech mCard™ Gateway Accessory Cards
  - MTAC-003E00, MTAC-003U00
  - MTAC-GPIO, MTAC-MFSER-DTE, MTAC-MFSER-DCE, MTAC-ETH, MTAC-XDOT
  - Note: MultiTech mCard available individually and in select Conduit gateways (MTCDT-series) and IP67 base stations (MTCDTIP-series)

- MultiTech Conduit® IP67 200 Series Base Station
  - MTCDTIP-2-EN
  - MTCDTIP2-L4E1, MTCDTIP2-LNA3
  - Hardware Version: MTCAP-0.3

- MultiTech Conduit® AP Access Point
  - MTCAP-868, MTCAP2-868, MTCAP-915, MTCAP2-915
  - MTCAP-L4E1, MTCAP2-L4E1, MTCAP-LNA3, MTCAP2-LNA3
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