

Port Forwarding the Actiontec M1000-Qwest Router

Before Forwarding a Port Setup a Static IP Address

To setup port forwarding on the Actiontec M1000-Qwest router you need to get the IP address of the DVR from the "Network Settings" screen in the DVR menu system.

You will Need: DVR IP Address: 192.168.0._____

Verify Http Port is 80

Verify TCP Port is 4000

Login To The Actiontec M1000-Qwest Router Using Your Web Browser

Open a web browser like Internet Explorer or Firefox. Enter the **internal IP address** of your router in the address bar of your browser.



In the picture above the address bar has http://www.google.com in it. Just replace all of that with the internal IP address of your Actiontec M1000-Qwest router. By default the IP address should be set to 192.168.0.1.



You should see a box prompting you for your username and password. Enter your username and password now.

The Default Actiontec M1000-Qwest Router Username is: admin

The Default Actiontec M1000-Qwest Router Password is: password

Click the **Ok** button to log in to your Actiontec M1000-Qwest router.

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Actiontec M1000-Qwest Router Port Forwarding Screenshots

Now that you are logged in to your Actiontec M1000-Qwest router you should see the following:



Click the **Advanced Setup** button near the center of the page.

Click the **Advanced Port Forwarding** link near the left of the page.



Forward Ports 80 on the Actiontec M1000-Qwest

We will list a series of lines here that will show you exactly how to forward the ports you need to forward. You want to forward 80,4000 ports. Go ahead and enter the settings shown above into the **Advanced Port Forwarding** menu and then click **Add**.

Enter Port IP Range.	Protocol	IP Address
80 to 80	TCP	192.168.0.108

***Enter the DVR IP address in the IP Address box.*

Forward Ports 4000 on the Actiontec M1000-Qwest

You should see another page of settings that need to be entered into one of the blank lines on your routers **Advanced Port Forwarding** page. Go ahead and enter those settings and then click **Add**.

Enter Port IP Range.	Protocol	IP Address
4000 to 4000	TCP	192.168.0.108

***Enter the DVR IP address in the IP Address box.*

And that is it! You are done!

Test if Your Ports are Open

Now that you have forwarded ports on the Actiontec M1000-Qwest you should test to see if your ports are forwarded correctly

To test if your port has been properly forwarded you can use this web site to verify the ports are properly setup.

www.canyouseeme.org is a site that you get to check ports 80 and 4000 to make sure the setup is complete.

www.portforward.com does have a collection of router screen shots if you need more information on the router