

# Wireless Broadband Adapter for Receiver Connectivity Available Now!

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Connectivity has never been as important for DISH Network<sup>®</sup> customers as it is today, especially with regard to our TV Everywhere<sup>™</sup> line of products and services, including advanced DISH Remote Access features, DISHOnline.com content, and Google TV with DISH Network functionality. To receive the full benefits from these products and services, they require a **broadband Internet connection to customers' compatible ViP<sup>®</sup>-series receivers**; there are a number of different types of equipment and devices you can use to obtain connectivity.



So that you have a greater number of choices to provide your customers with the connectivity that best fits their needs, the <u>Wireless Broadband Adapter</u> (shown above) is now available for purchase through Echosphere and Authorized Distributors. Please continue reading for more details on pricing, availability and installation considerations.

#### Wireless Broadband Adapter Features

- **Provides another broadband Internet connectivity option** for those customers who are unable to use other connectivity methods such as a direct connection or SlingLink, or for customers who prefer a wireless installation.
- Eligible for use with the following model receivers: ViP 222k, ViP 612, ViP 622, ViP 722, ViP 722k, and ViP 922 SlingLoaded™ DVR.
- Easy installation.

#### **Pricing and Availability**

The Wireless Broadband Adapter is now available for purchase from Authorized Hardware Providers. Both new and existing residential and commercial customers may purchase and install the Wireless Broadband Adapter.

Not Available for Selection in R\*Connect – The Wireless Broadband Adapter is available to purchase as an
accessory. It is not available for selection in R\*Connect.

Wireless Broadband Adapter Available Now!	
Part #	179048
Pricing	
MSRP	\$25.00
Retailer Price	\$25.00
Retailer Incentives and Equipment Discounts for Receiver Connectivity*	
Broadband Internet Connectivity Incentive	\$30.00
Set Top Box Connectivity Equipment Discount	\$25.00
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## **Other Important Information**

- Wireless Network Required In order to install a Wireless Broadband Adapter on their compatible receiver, the
  customer must have an active wireless network and know the network ID; additionally, if their network is secure they
  must know the password.
- Use as an Alternate Connectivity Option A wired connection from the receiver to the broadband Internet router or switch with an Ethernet cable is the more reliable connectivity option and is therefore the preferred method of connecting a customer's receiver. If a direct connection is not possible, or if the customer has more than one receiver that they wish to connect to broadband Internet, a SlingLink device should be used. Only when neither a direct connection or SlingLink device can be utilized, or if the customer prefers a wireless installation, is the Wireless Broadband Adapter the preferred option to connect a customer's receiver to broadband Internet.
  - Please note that each Wireless Broadband Adapter provides connectivity for only *one* receiver.
    - For each installation, consider using a SlingLink device before a Wireless Broadband Adaptor Remember, a SlingLink device can be used when no receivers in the home are near an Internet router or switch. Connect SlingLink to the customer's Internet router with an Ethernet cable and plug SlingLink into a compatible electrical outlet. In most homes, the customer's ViP-series receivers will now be able to connect to the home network when plugged directly into an electrical outlet.
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