### BlueMesh Industrial

Commissioning

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Quick Start Guide

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### Introduction

This guide will help you go through the commissioning of a Bluetooth mesh based lighting system:

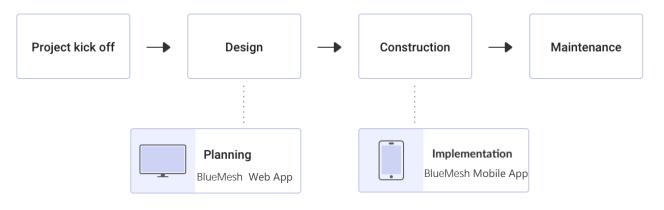
- Prepare the project for on-site commissioning: set up lighting control and pre-commission each zone in your project using the BlueMesh web app.
- Add lighting devices to each zone on-site and upload pre-commissioned configurations automatically using the BlueMesh mobile app.
- Calibrate sensors.
- Test lighting control in the project.

#### BlueMesh Commissioning

A set of software tools for the commissioning and management of commercial lighting installations. BlueMesh Commissioning is based on qualified Bluetooth mesh technology. It consists of two apps: the BlueMeshweb application<sup>1</sup> and the BlueMeshmobile app<sup>2</sup> (iOS only, available on the App store).

#### **Two-stage Commissioning process**

BlueMesh Commissioning divides the commissioning process into 2 stages: Planning using the BlueMesh web app and Implementation using the BlueMesh mobile app (see Fig. 1).







<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> To start using the BlueMesh web app, create an account. The app requires Chrome v. 70 and an internet connection

<sup>.&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The BlueMesh mobile app requires an iOS device with iOS 12+ and Bluetooth enabled, as well as an internet connection (WiFi or cellular).

#### To manage your lighting installations, BlueMesh offers two applications:

| 1 - PLANNING STAGE: BlueMesh                      | 2 - IMPLEMENTATION STAGE: BlueMesh                    |
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| WEB APP   | MOBILE APP  |
| Prepare your commissioning plan off site,         | Once the installation is in place, add                |
| before anything is built on site, by mapping the  | the installed devices to the zones you                |
| individual zones on a floorplan and defining      | set up earlier and automatically upload the           |
| lighting control profiles.                        | configuration so they work in the                     |
| The BlueMesh web app allows you to                | way you defined during the planning                   |
| implement more advanced features like <b>zone</b> | stage.  |
| <b>linking,</b> or <b>scheduling</b> .            | → BlueMesh <sup>TM</sup> on the App Store (apple.com) |

**NOTE:** Once you have commissioned the site, if you adjust the settings in the project using the web app (e.g. any of the profile settings), you will have to use the mobile app to transfer these changes into the devices on site.



### 1 - PLANNING STAGE: BlueMesh WEB APP

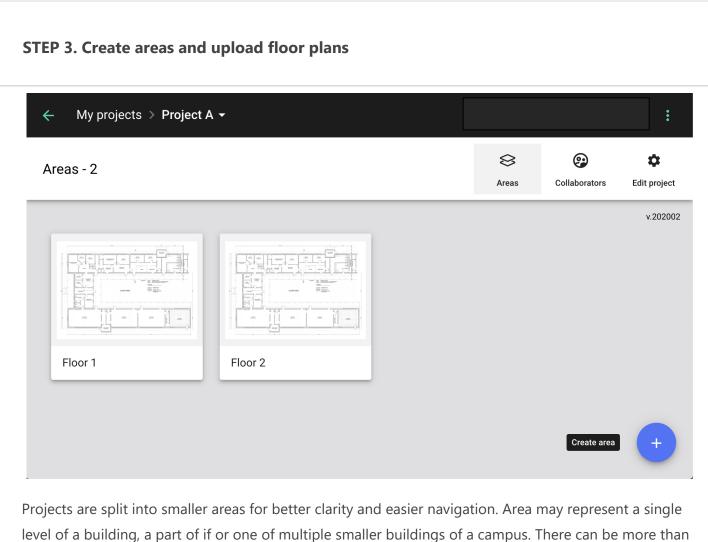
#### **BEFORE YOU START**

Please make sure you've got everything you need:

- A BlueMesh account (register via the BlueMesh web app or BlueMesh mobile app).
- A floor or a site plan (as a png or jpg image file).
- Determined lighting control behaviour for your project.

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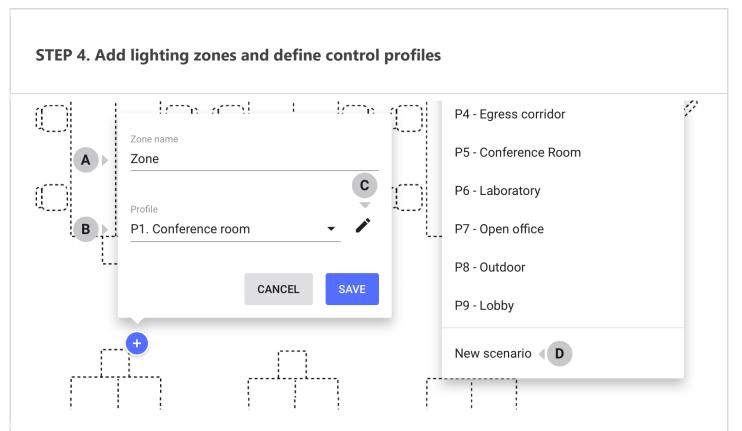
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| Name  | Email  | Company           | Role         |                |
| Allen   | allen.smith@gmail.com  | Company           | Owner        | r              |
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level of a building, a part of if or one of multiple smaller buildings of a campus. There can be more than one area in a project (e.g. each floor in a building is a separate area). Areas include a floor plan which helps the user to navigate through commissioning, monitoring and maintenance of a project.

→ Click the button to add a new Area. You may upload a floor plan (optional, jpg or png files) to help users easier locate zones during commissioning.

Tips: Find out more about user roles in the BlueMesh *Commissioning User Manual* which can be found in the website



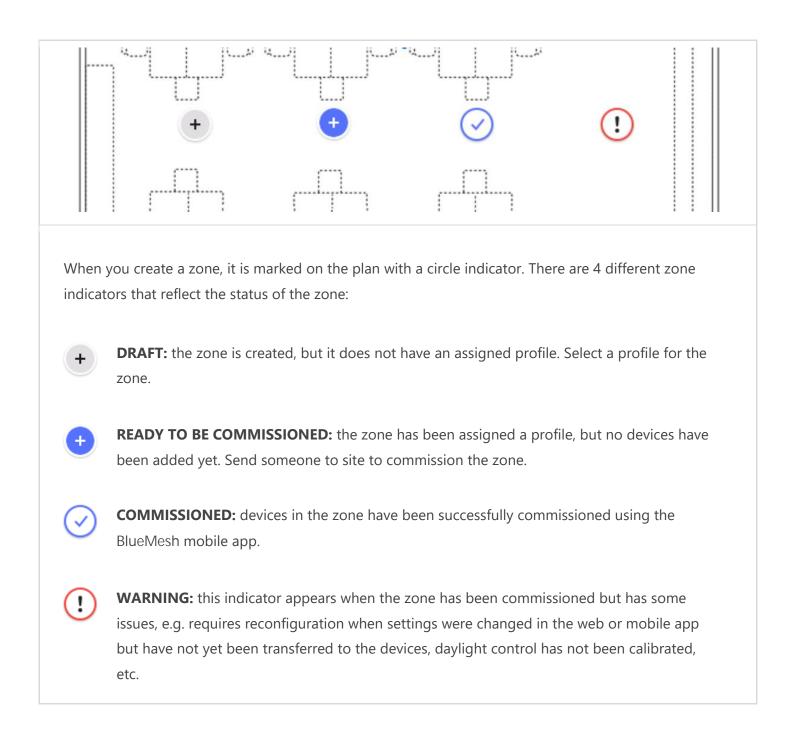
A zone is a group of devices which operate in the same way, as defined by the lighting control profile. A zone doesn't have to be a physical space (e.g. a room), as a room may contain one or more zones (e.g. multiple daylight harvesting zones). More than one zone can be added to the same plan.

- → Click the floor plan where you want to add a zone. You can later move them.
- → Enter the zone name. Each change is saved automatically.
- → Select Control profile.

A control profile is a set of lighting behaviour settings. Currently we allow you to select from 7 predefined control profiles. You must select one for the zone to function. You can use one profile in multiple zones across the projects.

→ (optional) Customize a profile. Each profile can be customized for the needs of your project.

→ (optional) Create a new profile. Expand the list of profiles (B) and select "New profile" from the Profiles dropdown. A new profile panel will open.



#### DONE. Your planning is complete and your project is ready for on site commissioning!

You should now have a plan with defined zones and profiles. Now that you have completed the planning stage you can progress to the <u>Implementation Stage</u>.

**Remember:** You can always come back and change the zone position, name or profile, add or delete zones, or change the floor plan images.



### 2 - IMPLEMENTATION STAGE: BlueMesh MOBILE APP

#### **BEFORE YOU START**

Please make sure you've got everything you need:

- Your installation is ready for commissioning: all required devices are running qualified Bluetooth mesh, are properly installed and powered on.
- You have installed the BlueMesh mobile app on your iOS device. You have a BlueMesh Commissioning account and access to the project in the BlueMesh Commissioning apps.
- When you are on site, you have internet access (WiFi or cellular) and Bluetooth enabled on your mobile device.
- (optional) Light meter if any of the zones use daylight harvesting.
- (optional) EnOcean Bluetooth switches mounted in the zones that you will commission.

Tips: Installation of an EnOcean Bluetooth switch requires a QR code which is usually printed on or inside the switch, or on its packaging. Make sure to keep this QR code in a safe place as it may be necessary if you wish to reconfigure your installation at a later date.

#### STEP 1. Go on-site to the place where your devices are physically installed

The project you created earlier in the BlueMesh web app will be accessible on your BlueMesh mobile iOS app.Make sure that the devices in the zone you wish to commission are powered on. You need to be within range (approximately 150 feet or 15m) of a device to commission it.

#### STEP 2. Open the BlueMesh mobile app

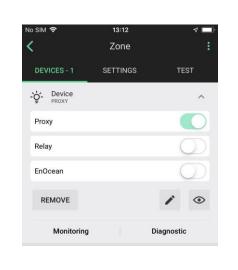
→ Open the BlueMesh mobile app on your iOS device. Select: project → area → and the zone that represents your current location.

| STEP 3. Add devices  |   |
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| This zone is empty   | <ul> <li>→ Press + at the bottom of the screen to add devices.</li> <li>→ A list of devices will appear. Selecting one will force it to identify itself by flashing. If this is the right device for the zone, select 'Add'. If not, move on to the next device.</li> </ul>   |
| Device 5F3A         Device should draw your attention.         Do you want to add it to the Rea Record         Add this device to a another zone | <ul> <li>→ Move the slider to the left to manage the number of displayed devices. This will narrow the list to the nearest devices only (by signal strength).</li> <li>→ You can add devices to zones other than the one you are currently commissioning. Select Add this device to another zone and then choose the desired zone from the floor plan.</li> </ul> |



#### STEP 4. (optional) Add an EnOcean Bluetooth switch

You can control the lights in a zone via an EnOcean Bluetooth switch by setting up one of the devices in the zone to act as an EnOcean adapter



- → From the DEVICES tab, select one of the devices already added to the zone to be the EnOcean adapter (we recommend choosing the nearest one).
- → Expand the device attributes and switch the EnOcean toggle to the right.
- → The mobile device camera will be switched on automatically. Use it to scan the QR code included with the EnOcean switch.





After enabling the EnOcean switch - test it. It will now control the zone.

Left rocker is used for manual control and dimming:

- Short press down OFF
- Short press up AUTO/ON
- Long press down Dim Down
- Long press up Dim Up

Right rocker is used to trigger scenes and control color temperature (if available), scenes must be configured:

- Short press down Scene B (if configured)
- Short press up Scene A (if configured)

| • Long press down - Warmer (if available) |
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| • Long press up - Colder (if available)   |
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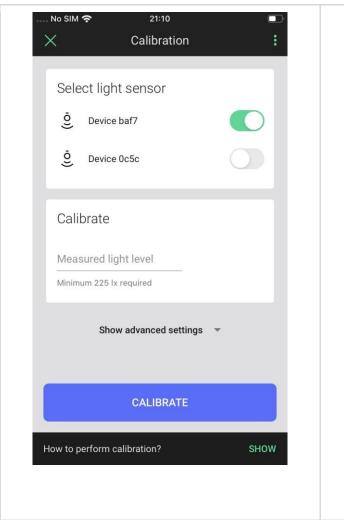
#### STEP 5. (optional) Calibrate light sensors

For zones utilizing the "**Daylight Harvesting**" and "**Photocell**" scenarios, you **must perform sensor and controller calibration** for each zone. Not doing so will result in erratic lighting control performance.

You will need a light meter to perform calibration.

Tips: You can easily check the scenario selected for a zone in the BlueMesh mobile app by selecting project  $\rightarrow$  area  $\rightarrow$  zone  $\rightarrow$  settings.

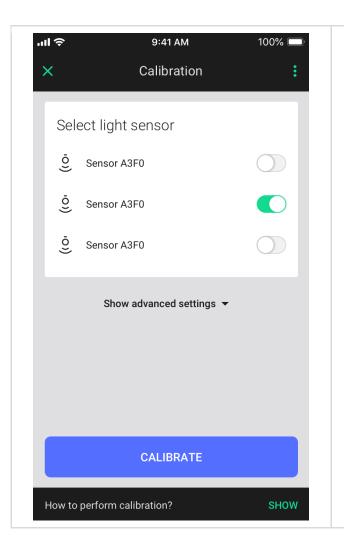




Daylight harvesting calibration:

- → Open the zone **SETTINGS**
- → Select CALIBRATE
- → Place a light meter on a surface where you want to maintain the desired light level.
- → Enter the value from the light meter into the Measured light value field.
- → Press CALIBRATE button

Tips: Make sure to have daylight level above the required minimum (it's displayed below the measured light level input field). If it's impossible, adjust the light level in the advanced settings below.

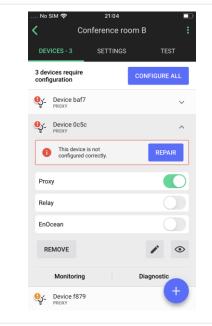


Photocell calibration:

- → Open the zone **SETTINGS**
- → Select CALIBRATE
- → Select the light sensor (switch the toggle next to the light sensor to the right).
- → Confirm by pressing CALIBRATE button. Calibration of the light sensor will start immediately.
- → If you have issues with the accuracy of light sensor you may use the calibrate section in the advanced settings

#### STEP 6. Test your zone!

To be sure that everything works correctly, perform the following steps:



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- → Open DEVICES tab in the selected zone
- → Check if any of the devices have error or warning indicators on the list of devices and follow the instructions or refer to the User manual.

Tips: If the warning icon appears due to the lack of configuration select the zone and press the **CONFIGURE ALL** button. The devices added to the zone should be automatically configured one-by-one.

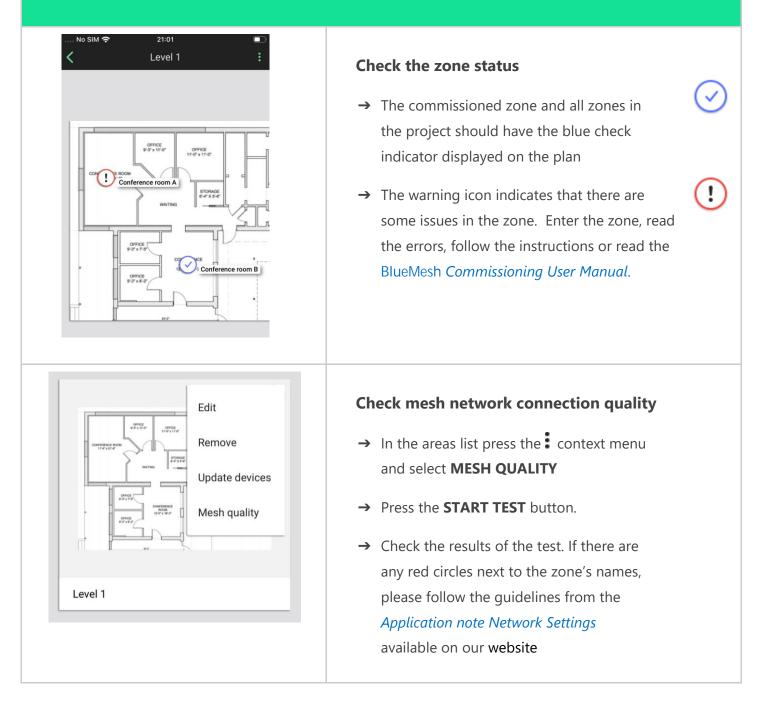
- → Press the EnOcean switch and check if the behaviour of the lights in the zone is correct.
- → Open the TEST tab in the selected zone and choose the test that you wish to run. The luminaries should react to the test actions appropriately

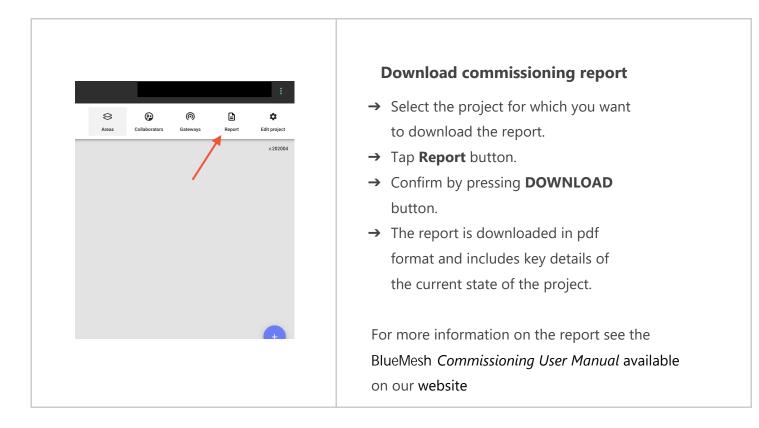


#### DONE. Your zone is now commissioned!

The lighting devices in your zones will behave according to the predefined profiles.

### **3 - QUICK CHECK BEFORE YOU FINISH**





#### **DONE.** Your project is now commissioned!

The implementation phase is now complete.



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