INSTALLING T-MOBILE'S GATEWAY DEVICE FOR FIXED WIRELESS ACCESS

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SUMMARY

Here are my instructions for installing T-Mobile's "Nokia" gateway for their "T-MOBILE INTERNET Internet" service.

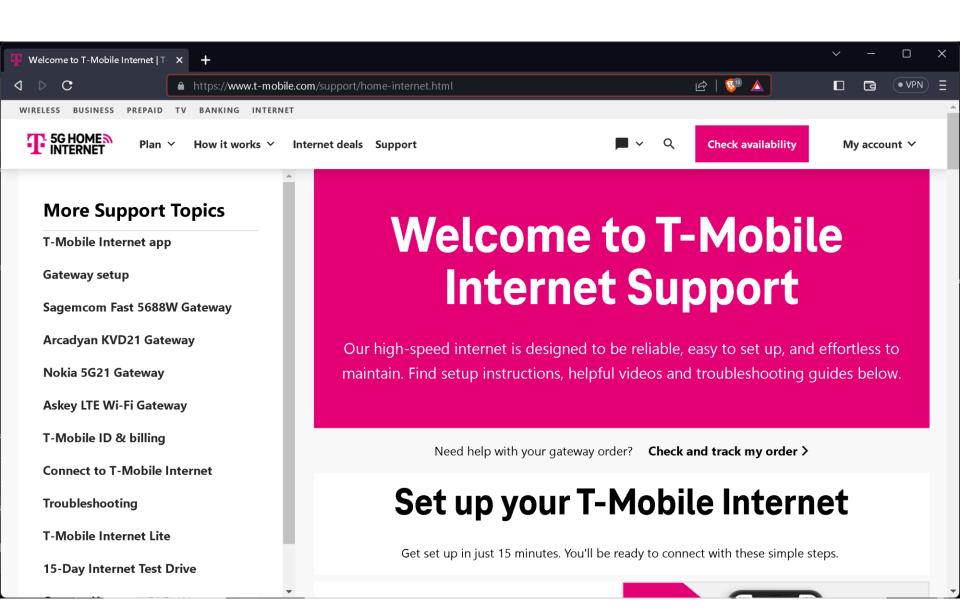
TOPICS

- T-Mobile's "5G Home Internet"
 Gateways
- Using the "T-Mobile Internet" app

T-MOBILE'S GATEWAYS

According to https://www.t-mobile.com/support/home-internet.html

T-Mobile is now using one of four models of gateways:

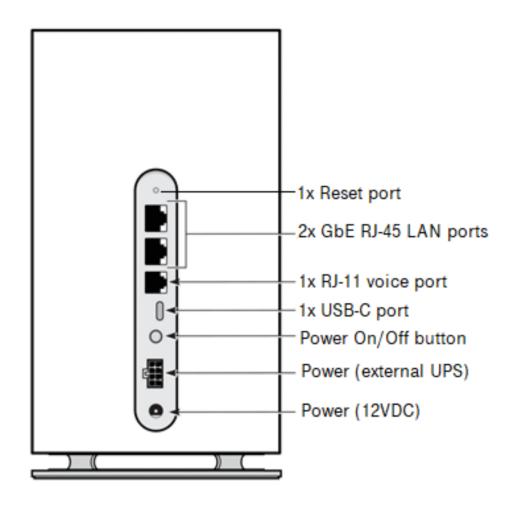


Sagemcom Fast 5688W Gateway

Arcadyan KVD21 Gateway

Nokia 5G21 Gateway

Askey LTE Wi-Fi Gateway



NOTE

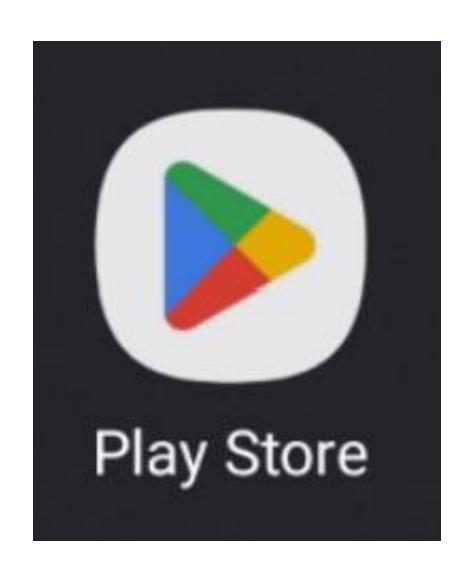
The USB-C and RJ-11 voice ports currently are not functional.

T-MOBILE'S GATEWAYS (continued)

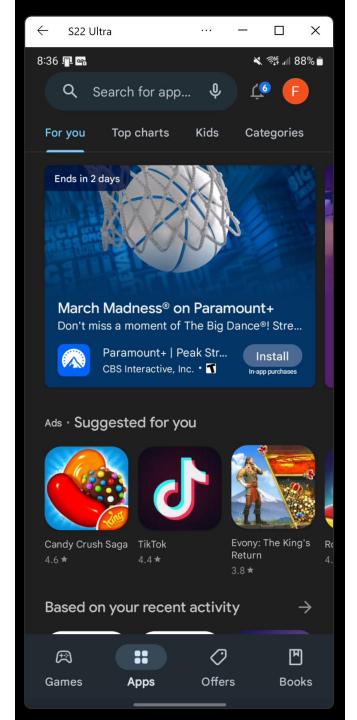
If you order T-Mobile's "5G Home Internet", you will not find out which model you get until it arrives at your home or business.

USING THE "T-MOBILE INTERNET" APP

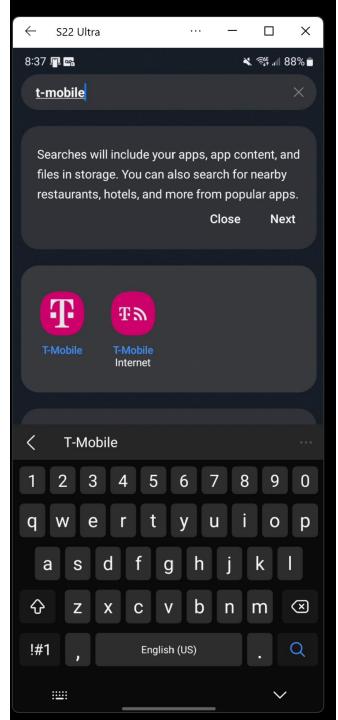
 Go to the "Play Store" in an Android phone or to the "App Store" in an Apple iPhone:



 Get into the Search function of the store:

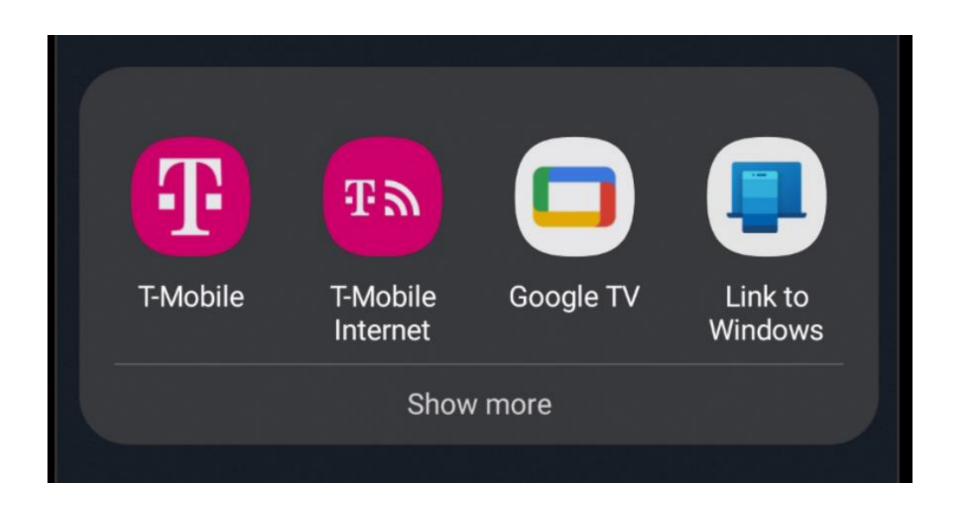


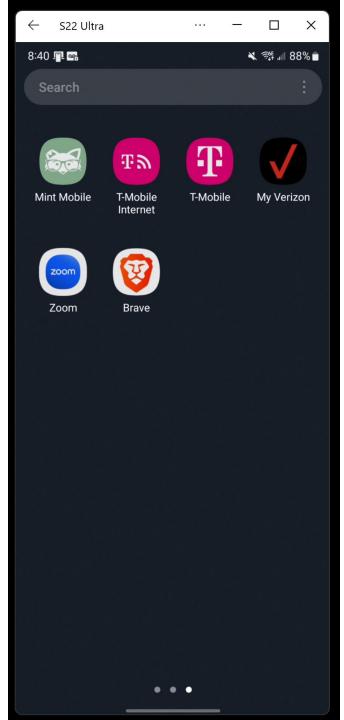
Search for T-Mobile

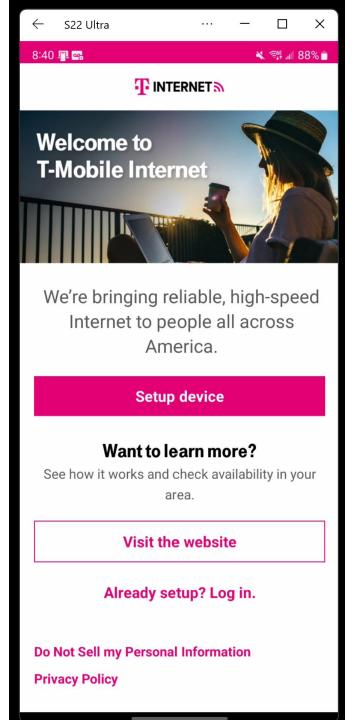


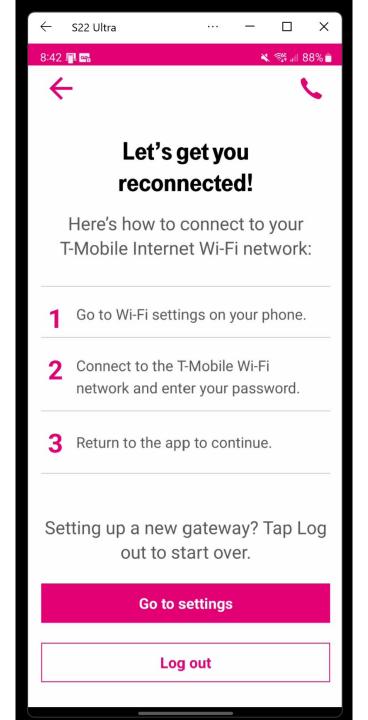
USING THE "T-MOBILE INTERNET" APP (continued) You will need to install both the "T-Mobile" app and the "T-Mobile Internet" app: The "T-Mobile" app is for billing and the

"T-Mobile Internet" app is for managing the gateway device:

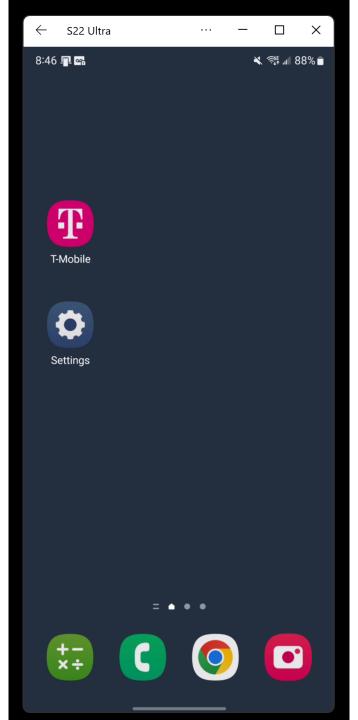




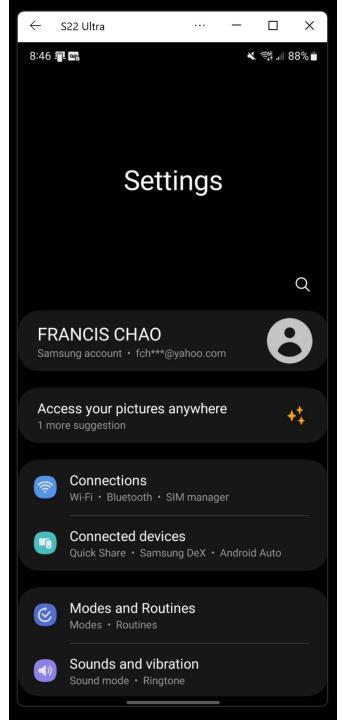




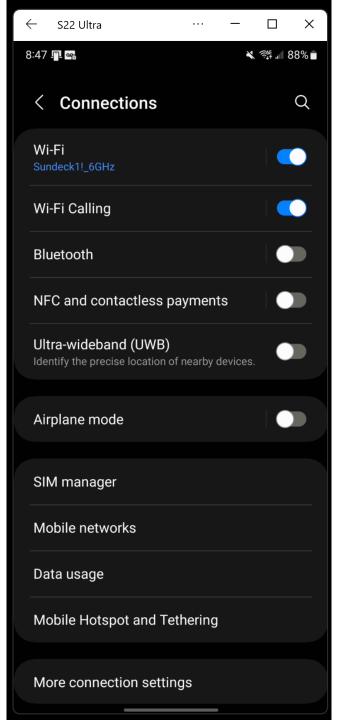
Tap on "Settings":



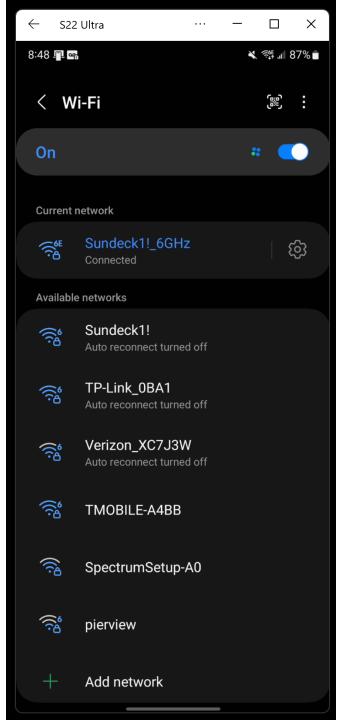
Tap on "Connections":



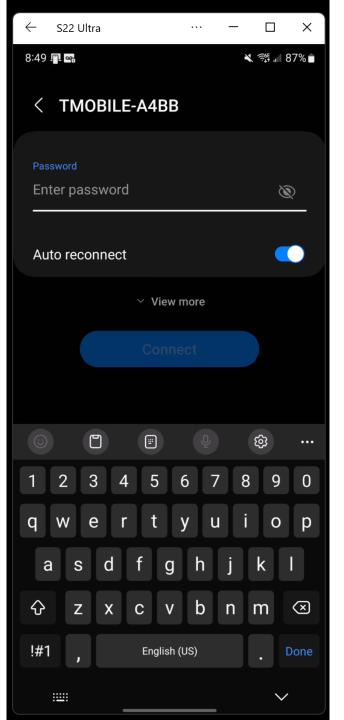
If "Wi-Fi" is not connected to the "Service Set Identifier" of the T-Mobile gateway, tap on the "Service Set Identifier" that the cell phone is currently attached to:

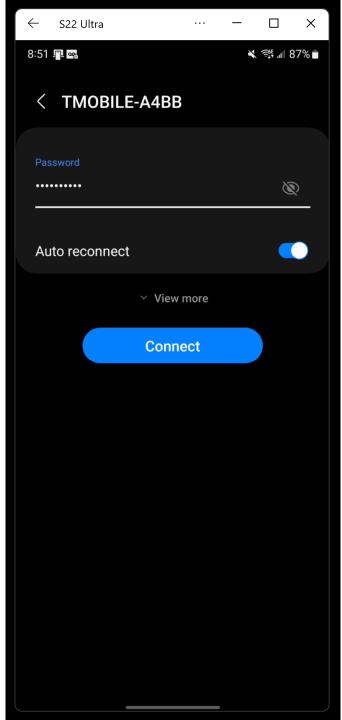


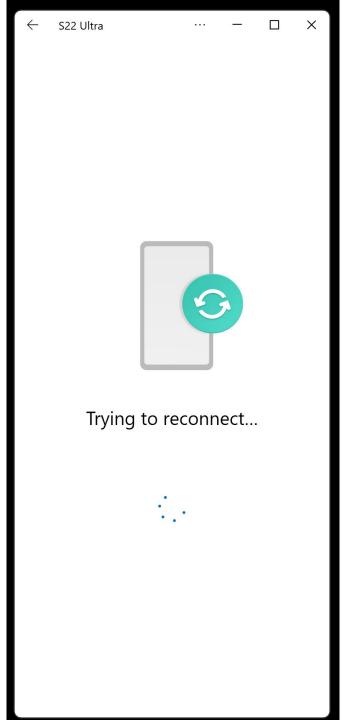
 If "Wi-Fi" is not connected to the "Service Set Identifier" of the T-Mobile gateway, tap on the "Service Set Identifier" of the T-Mobile gateway:



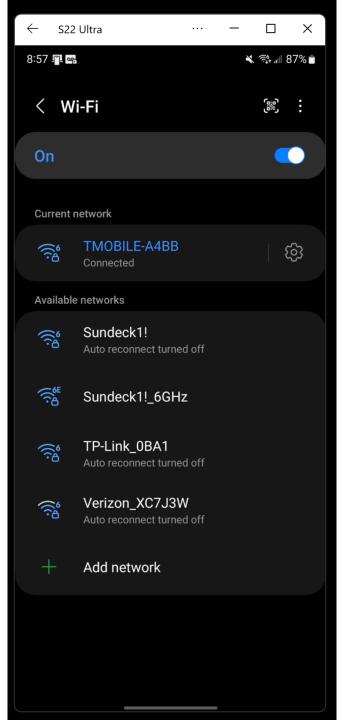
Enter the password for the SSID of the T-Mobile gateway (the password is on the label at the bottom of the T-Mobile gateway).

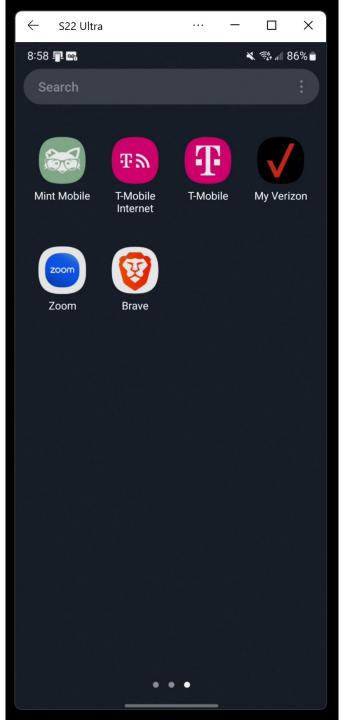




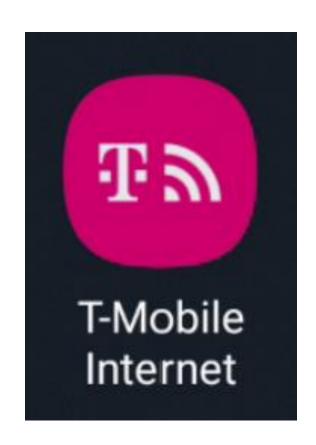


 The Service Set Identifier of the T-Mobile gateway should now be listed as "Connected":

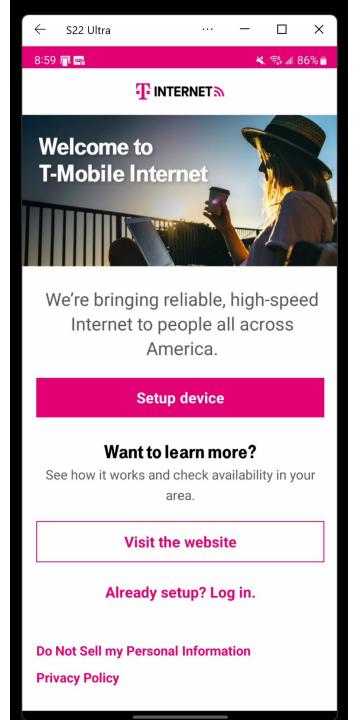




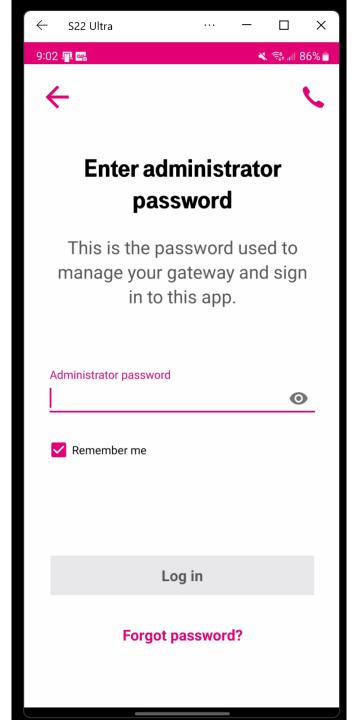
Tap on "T-Mobile Internet":



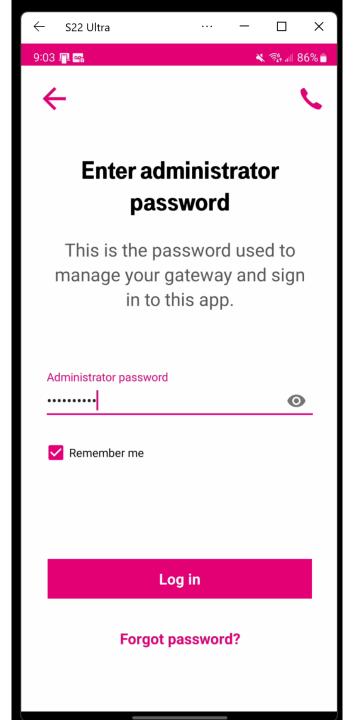
Tap on "Log in":

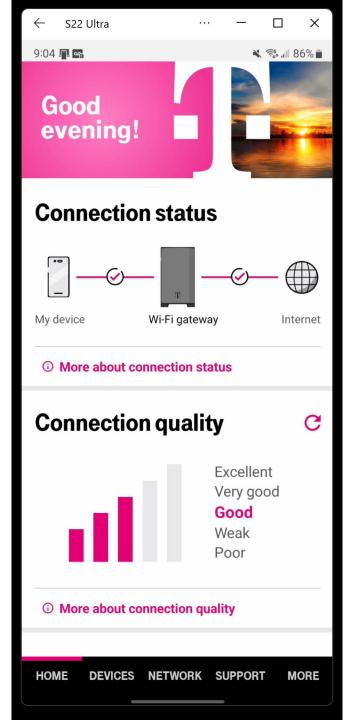


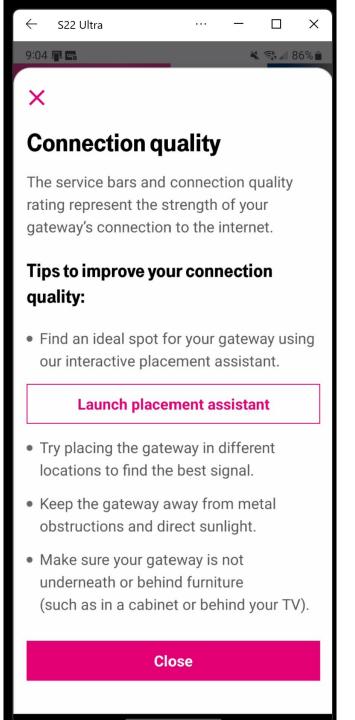
 Type in the password. (It is on the label at the bottom of the T-Mobile gateway):

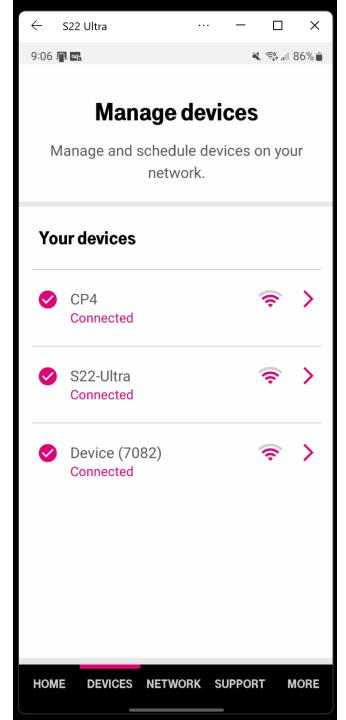


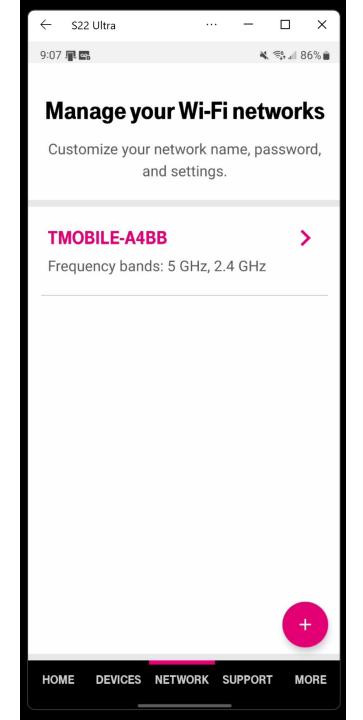
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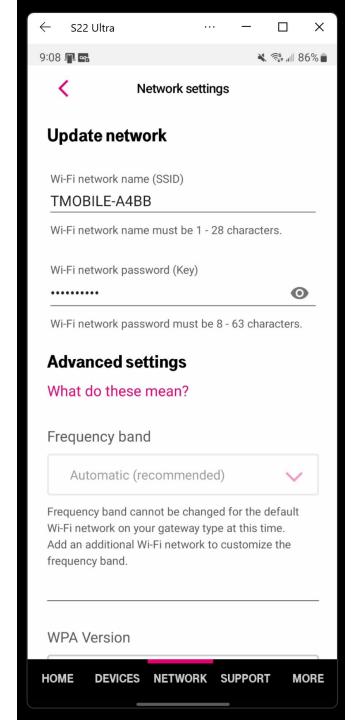


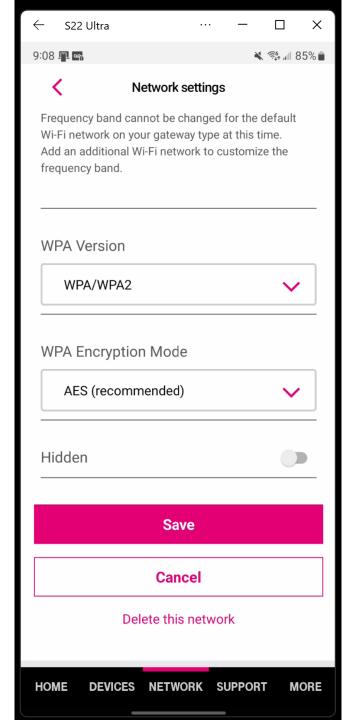


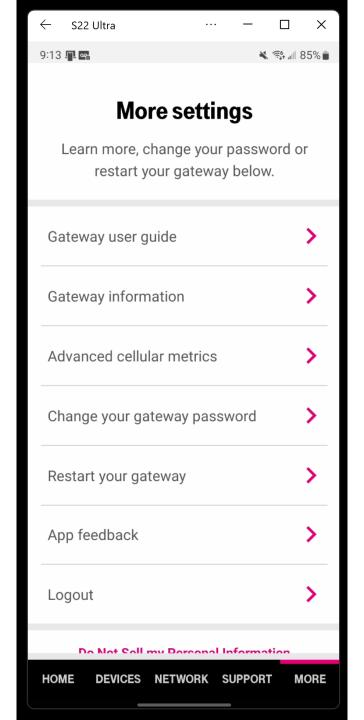






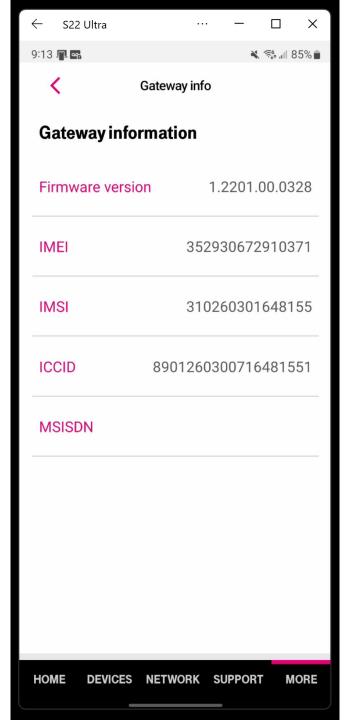


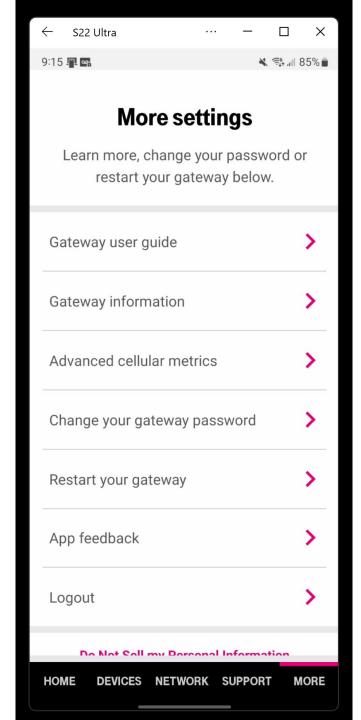




Gateway information





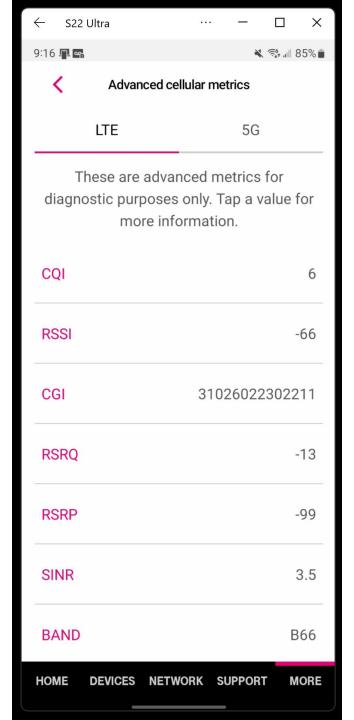


Tap on "Advanced cellular metrics":

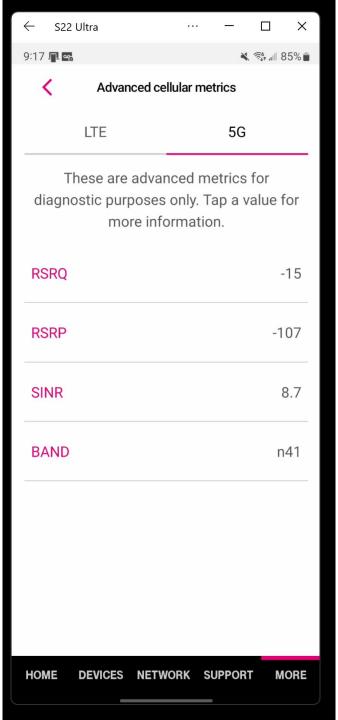
Advanced cellular metrics



Now you will see two tabs: An "LTE" tab and a "5G" tab: This is because 99 percent of T-Mobile is running at "New Radio--Non-Standalone" mode:



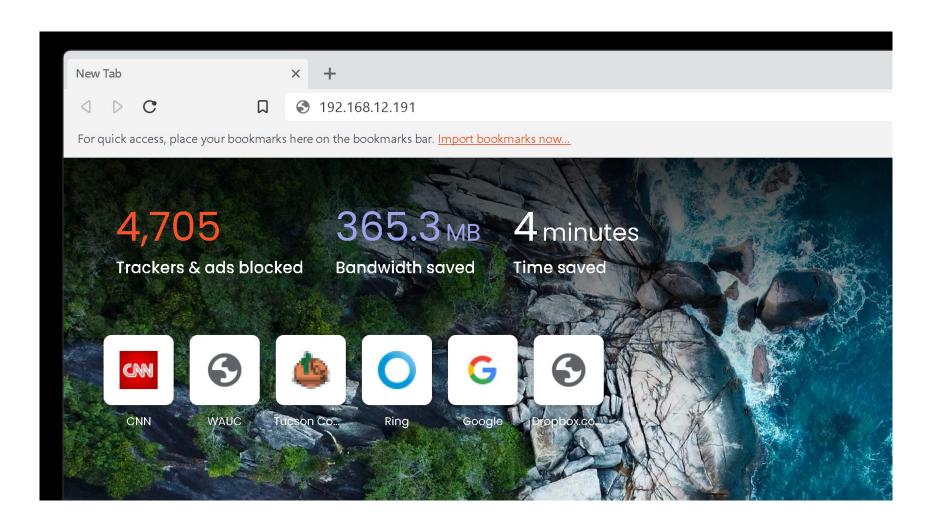
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- Use the right mouse button to click on the Windows Start button
- Use the left mouse button to click on "Terminal (Admin)"
- Type in ipconfig
- Depress the Enter button of the keyboard

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Administrator: Windows Powe X + V
PS C:\Users\testuser> ipconfig
Windows IP Configuration
Ethernet adapter Mobo-FIOS-Ethernet:
  Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
  Link-local IPv6 Address . . . . : fe80::b4a8:348b:d735:9355%20
  IPv4 Address. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 192.168.1.144
  Default Gateway . . . . . . . : 192.168.1.1
Wireless LAN adapter Local Area Connection* 1:
  Media State . . . . . . . . . . . . . Media disconnected
  Connection-specific DNS Suffix . :
Wireless LAN adapter Mobo-Wi-Fi:
  Connection-specific DNS Suffix . : lan
  Temporary IPv6 Address. . . . . . : 2607:fb91:29c:c9ad:8920:dddf:5569:42f1
  Link-local IPv6 Address . . . . : fe80::eb6a:75a1:c00:67bd%23
  IPv4 Address. . . . . . . . . . : 192.168.12.191
  Default Gateway . . . . . . . : fe80::de8d:8aff:fee2:a4bb%23
                              192.168.12.1
PS C:\Users\testuser>
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 Use a Web browser to go to the IP address of the T-Mobile gateway:

