

# Bandwidth Saturation- Article no. 5581

## Introduction

When an **internet connection** is pushed **beyond its capacity**, performance on apps and browsing slows for all devices connected to the network

This issue is referred to as **bandwidth saturation**

Customers are often **unaware of how much bandwidth use** is consumed when:

- Streaming videos; especially in HD and 4
- Sharing Large files
- Online gaming
- Too many people or devices are connected to the network

## Resolution Steps

- **Upgrading to a higher speed** will help alleviate the issue; the higher the speed, the faster the connection
- If you have **unauthorized people and/or devices connected** your network, **changing your wireless password** will remove the offenders and free up bandwidth

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