

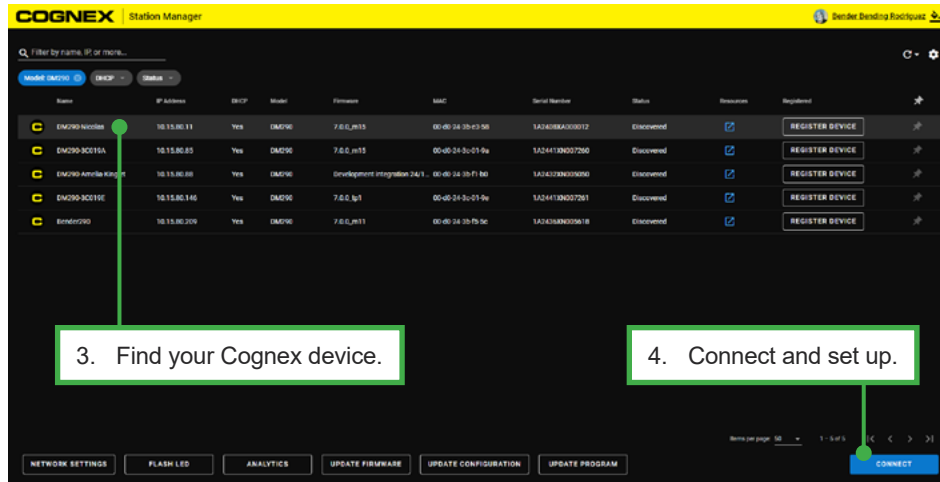
# 3 Ways to Connect to Your Cognex Device

## 1. Station Manager

- Manage all your devices, including multi-reader firmware and network management
- Register automatically for updates when new firmware and documentation are released and directly access product-specific support materials.
- Change programs remotely.

### How to use

1. Download at [cognex.com/station-manager-download](https://cognex.com/station-manager-download)
2. Install on any computer connected to your network.



3. Find your Cognex device.

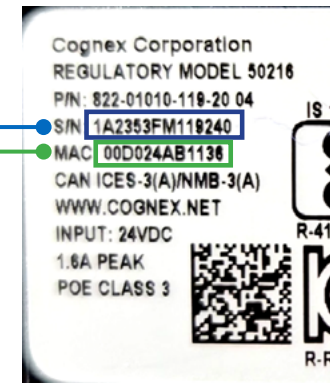
4. Connect and set up.

## 2. From web browser

Directly get started setting up your device.

### How to use

1. Open a web browser.  
*Recommended: Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge, QQ browser*
2. Enter any one of the following:
  - **IP address** of your device
  - **Hostname and domain:** The default hostname is DM290/DM390-#####, where ##### is the first 6 characters of your MAC address. You can change the hostname in your settings for future connections.  
*Example: DM290-00D024.local*
  - **MAC address and domain\*:** Find this on your device's label. If needed, remove any hyphens.  
*Example: 00D024AB1136.local*
  - **Serial number and domain\*:** Find this on your device's label.  
*Example: 1A2353FM119240.local*



*\*Only available if device is connected directly to the computer.*

## 3. DataMan Setup Tool

- Legacy software for setup
- Get access to all underlying device settings
- Use scripting to unlock extended communications functionality

### How to use

1. Download at [cognex.com/dataman-software](https://cognex.com/dataman-software)
2. Install on any computer connected to your network.
3. **Optimize your setup with the Web UI**  
Right-click on your device and select "Open Web UI in Browser" to get started.

