How to Connect Energenie MiHome to ‘ALEXA’ Amazon Echo

Connecting the Energenie MiHome to the Amazon Echo is fairly easy. To get started:

1) Ensure that your Energenie MiHome gateway and associated devices are connected and online.

2) Download the Amazon Alexa App from [https://www.amazon.com/gp/help/customer/display.html?nodeId=201602060](https://www.amazon.com/gp/help/customer/display.html?nodeId=201602060) or you can also go to [https://alexa.amazon.com](https://alexa.amazon.com) from Safari, Chrome, Firefox, Microsoft Edge, or Internet Explorer (10 or higher) on your Wi-Fi enabled computer.

3) Login

4) Select Smart Home in Alexa app

![Smart Home in Alexa app]

5) Select get more smart home skills

![More smart home skills in Alexa app]
6) Select Energenie – MiHome

7) Select Enable skill – A popup screen will appear, follow the instructions and close it. Go back to the app and select “Discover Devices”

8) Your connected devices should now appear
Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What is Alexa?

**Answer:** Amazon’s Alexa-controlled Echo speaker is a wireless speaker. But it’s capable of much more. Using nothing but the sound of your voice, you can search the Web, create to-do and shopping lists, shop online, get instant weather reports, and control popular smart-home products—all while your phone stays in your pocket.

Q: How do I use Alexa?

**Answer:** Alexa is a cloud service. Activating Alexa works differently based on the type of Alexa-enabled product. For far-field Alexa-enabled devices like the Amazon Echo or Echo Dot, say the wake word to activate Alexa. For devices like Amazon Tap, activate Alexa by pressing the Talk or microphone button. Then ask Alexa a question, such as "what is the weather today in New York?", or tell Alexa to do something, like "add batteries to my shopping list" or "play jazz." Your question or request and related information, like music playlists, calendar entries, connected home devices, and items on your shopping list, will be processed in the Cloud.

Q: How do I connect Alexa device to Energenie MiHome?

**Answer:** Read and follow the guide “How to Connect Energenie MiHome to ‘ALEXA’ Amazon Echo”.

Q: What devices in my Energenie MiHome range will I be able to control using Alexa?

**Answer:** You can use Alexa voice commands to control all your light switches, adaptors and sockets.

Q: Can I change the name of my device for easier voice control?

**Answer:** Yes, log into your mihome app. Choose the device you want to change and select manage. Next, go to the Alexa app and select discover devices. Once completed, your device can now be controlled with the given name.

Q: Can I control my ETRV with Alexa

**Answer:** No, the trigger function required to control the ETRV via voice command is not yet available in other regions of the world apart from the US. Amazon are currently working to provide Alexa with this function in other regions.

Q: What voice commands can I use?

**Answer:**

- Alexa! Turn on kitchen lights
- Alexa! Switch on bedroom lights
- Alexa! Turn off office socket

*Alexa works with the following MiHome products, MIHO002, MIHO005, MIHO006, MIHO014, light switches and double wall sockets*