

# Access Control Manager™ Enterprise Getting Started Guide



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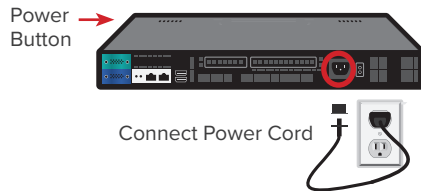
## This package includes:

- Avigilon Access Control Manager Enterprise Appliance
- Power cord
- Front bezel
- Rails package
- Cable management kit
- Envelope containing the ACM™ software Activation ID



## 1. Plug In the Appliance

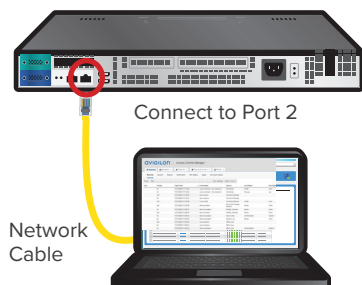
Plug the power cord into the back of the appliance and the electric plug into a surge protector or UPS. Remove the front bezel and press the power button in the upper-right of the control panel.



## 2. Connect PC to Appliance

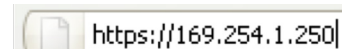
Connect a network cable directly from a DHCP enabled port on your PC to the **Port 2** RJ-45 port on the appliance.

**Do not** connect the PC or appliance to the local network at this point.



## 3. Open Web Browser

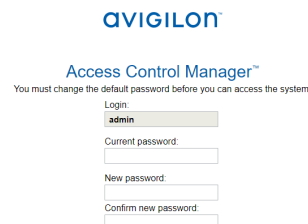
Open the web browser on the connected PC and type this IP address: **169.254.1.250**



If a message indicates a connection or security error, refer to *Access Control Manager Troubleshooting Browser Issues*, overleaf.

## 4. Log In to the Application

When the login screen appears, enter **admin** for both **Login** and **Password**. Click **Sign in**. You must change the default password as shown:



The Access Control Manager application main menu appears.

## 5. Edit Hostname

The default hostname for each appliance is **ACM**. If you need to set a specific hostname for the appliance, do so at this point before the appliance is connected to the network.

1. From the top-right corner, click > **Appliance** to display the Appliance: Edit page on the Appliance tab.
  2. On the Appliance tab, enter a new **Host Name**.
  3. Click the **Save** button.
- The appliance automatically restarts.

## 6. Accept EULA

After you log in the second time, accept the end user license agreement (EULA).

1. Click the link below **End user license must be accepted. Accept EULA to stay in compliance**.
2. Review the EULA and then select the **I accept the terms of the License Agreement** check box.
3. Click **Submit**.

## 7. License the Application

Enter the Activation ID provided in the envelope marked "IMPORTANT - DO NOT DISCARD":

1. From the top-right corner, click > **Appliance**.
2. Click the **About** tab.
3. Click **Add License** to open the Add Licenses dialog.

### If the appliance has internet access:

1. Click the **Automatic** tab.
2. Enter the Activation ID.
3. Click **Activate Licenses**.

### If the appliance does not have internet access:

1. Click the **Manual** tab.
2. Enter the Activation ID.
3. Click **Save File...** to generate the activation file.
4. Complete the on-screen instructions to upload the file to Avigilon and receive a valid license file using a computer connected to the internet.

The activation file name is:  
**Activation File.key**

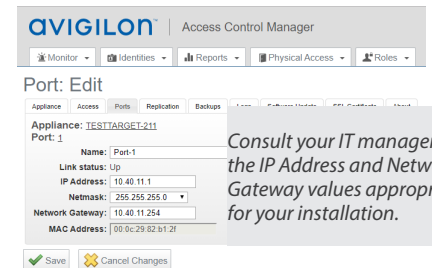
The license file name is:  
**capabilityResponse.bin**

5. Upload the license file to the ACM system and click **Activate Licenses**.

## 8. Configure Port Settings

Configure the Ethernet port:

1. From the top right corner, click > **Appliance**.
2. Click the **Ports** tab and then select **Port-1**.
3. Enter the required values: **Name**, **IP Address**, **Netmask** and **Network Gateway**.

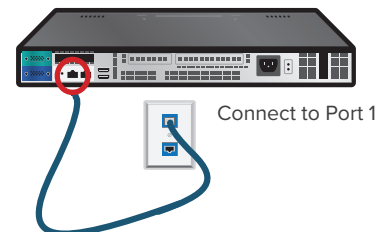


4. Click the **Save** button.
5. Manually restart the appliance.

## 9. Connect Appliance to Network

After the appliance restarts, disconnect it from your PC. Move the appliance to its final location in the system.

1. Connect the appliance to the system network through **Port 1** on the appliance.



2. Open a web browser from a network connected device and log in to the Access Control Manager application.

For more information about configuring your system, see the Help files provided in the Avigilon Access Control Manager application.

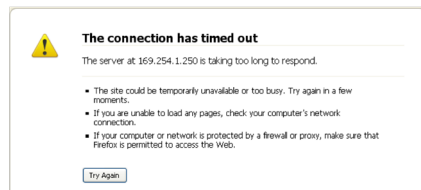
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## Troubleshooting Browser Issues

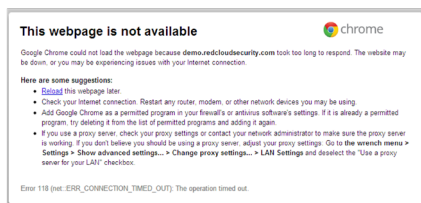
If the Access Control Manager application site is not found and one of these messages appears...



When using Firefox:



When using Chrome™:



When using Edge:



Hmmm...can't reach this page

Try this

- Make sure you've got the right web address: <https://169.254.1.250>
- Search for "https://169.254.1.250" on Bing
- Refresh the page

Details

**Tip:** If you are using Edge, update your browser version before trying the following steps.



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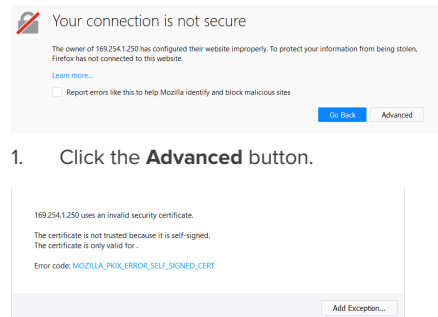


Try the following steps:

1. If the Link LED on your router is not lit, ensure the Ethernet cable is connected.
2. If one of the messages shown above appears, ensure the network IP address is *not* set to 169.254.1.250 which is the default IP address for the appliance port in Access Control Manager.
3. To ensure the cable is connected and no conflict occurs with the IP address, type **ping 169.254.1.250** at a DOS command prompt. If there is no response, double check the connection and IP address. If the connection and IP address are correct, call Avigilon Technical Support for assistance.

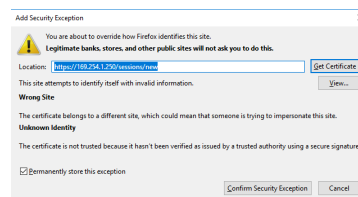


When using Firefox:



1. Click the **Advanced** button.

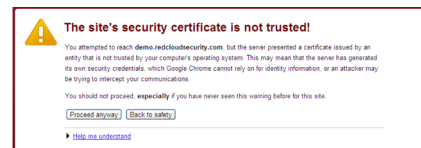
2. Click the **Add Exception...** button.



3. Click the **Get Certificate** button.
4. Check **Permanently store this exception**.
5. Click the "Confirm Security Exception" button.



When using Chrome:



Click **Proceed anyway**.



When using Edge:

This site is not secure

This might mean that someone's trying to fool you or steal any info you send to the server. You should close this site immediately.

[Go to your Start page](#)

Details

Your PC doesn't trust this website's security certificate. The hostname in the website's security certificate differs from the website you are trying to visit.

Error Code: DLG\_FLAGS\_INVALID\_CA  
DLG\_FLAGS\_SEC\_CERT\_CN\_INVALID

[Go on to the webpage](#) (Not recommended)

Click **Go on to the webpage (Not recommended)**.



When using Safari:



Click the **Continue** button.