IPS-1™ Quick Start Guide

Includes Check Point Software Blades
Power Up Your Check Point IPS-1 Appliance

- Connect the power cables to the power ports on the IPS-1™ appliance rear panel and plug it into a power outlet.
- Turn the power on.

Connect Your PC for Initial Setup

- Initial setup must be done from a PC connected to the appliance’s management interface via the included Ethernet cable. Management interface is marked as MGMT on the appliance chassis. After completing the initial connection, the First Time Configuration Wizard will guide you through the process of configuring the appliance.
- Before continuing, make sure your PC is configured correctly.
For Windows XP Operating Systems

- Click \(\text{Settings} \rightarrow \text{Control Panel} \rightarrow \text{Network Connections}.\)
- Double-click \text{Local Area Connection}.
- In the \text{General} tab, click \text{Properties}.
- In the \text{IP address} field, enter \text{192.168.1.2}.
- In the \text{Subnet mask} field, enter \text{255.255.255.0}.
- Leave the \text{Default gateway} and \text{DNS settings} fields empty.
- Click \text{OK} and close the dialog boxes.

For Windows Vista Operating System

- Click \(\text{Control Panel} \rightarrow \text{Network and Internet} \rightarrow \text{Network and Sharing Center} \rightarrow \text{Manage network connections}.\)
- Right-click \text{Local Area Connection}, and then click \text{Properties}. If you are prompted for an administrator password or confirmation, type the password or provide confirmation.
- Click the \text{Networking} tab. Under \text{This connection uses the following items}, click \text{Internet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IPv4)}, and then click \text{Properties}.
- In the \text{IP address} field, enter \text{192.168.1.2}.
- In the \text{Subnet mask} field, enter \text{255.255.255.0}.
- Leave the \text{Default gateway} and \text{DNS settings} fields empty.
- Click \text{OK} and close the dialog boxes.
Configure Your IPS-1 Appliance

- Connect a serial cable to the console output of the appliance, or open an ssh session from a console (for example, using PuTTY for Windows or the SSH command from a Linux/Unix machine). See the Getting Started Guide for more details.

- Log in with the default system administrator login name/password, admin/admin.

- After logging in the first time and changing the default login name and password, you can start the first time configuration wizard by typing sysconfig at the cpmodule prompt. The wizard will guide you through the initial system configuration process. Enter the required parameters until the system indicates it has completed configuring the device.

Figure 3: IPS-1 Appliance Login page.

Figure 4: First Time Configuration Wizard—Welcome Page.

Figure 5: First Time Configuration Wizard—Summary Page.
Registration and Technical Support

**Appliance Registration**
IPS-1 appliances require a license to be installed prior to operation. To license and register your appliance, please visit: http://register.checkpoint.com/cpapp

**Appliance User Center**
For further information about the IPS-1 appliance, see: https://usercenter.checkpoint.com/usercenter/login/cpapp.

For technical assistance, contact Check Point 24 hours a day, seven days a week at:
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