Congratulations on your purchase of a Check Point appliance. This appliance is preinstalled with images for these software versions:

- R75.40 Gaia
- R75.30 SecurePlatform
- R71.40 SecurePlatform

### Default Image

When the appliance is turned on for the first time, it loads with the default image: Check Point R75.40 on the Gaia operating system.

### Changing the Software Image

Use the LCD panel to change the software image or to revert back to the factory default settings for the current software image.

**To change the software image for the appliance:**

1. Connect the supplied serial console cable to the console port on the front of the appliance.
2. Connect to the appliance using a terminal emulation program such as Microsoft HyperTerminal or PuTTY.
3. In the **HyperTerminal Connect To** window, select a port from the **Connect using** list.
4. Define the port settings: 9600 BPS, 8 data bits, no parity, 1 stop bit.
5. From the **Flow control** list, select **None**.
6. From the **Call** menu, click **Call** to connect to the appliance.
7. Power on the appliance.

   The appliance begins the boot process and status messages appear in HyperTerminal. The boot menu appears.
8. Using the arrow keys, select the **Reset to factory defaults** option for the software image version.

9. Press **Enter**.
   
   Wait for the appliance to revert to the software image. This process takes up to 20 minutes.

   **Note** - All data saved on the appliance is erased.

   After the process has finished, the appliance boots with the selected software image.

---

**Contact Information**

If you have any questions, contact Check Point support at:

- **The Americas**: 1-972-444-6600
- **International**: +972-3-6115100

You can also consult the Check Point Support Center ([http://supportcenter.checkpoint.com](http://supportcenter.checkpoint.com)).