

How to Activate and License a Stand-alone Hardware NextGen F-Series or Control Center Appliance

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To automatically download and install the license on your Barracuda NextGen F-Series hardware unit, connect to the system using Barracuda NextGen Admin. NextGen Admin transmits the serial number of your unit to the Barracuda Licensing service and initiates the activation process. After completing the customer information form and accepting the EULA, your license is activated and automatically downloaded and installed on your unit.

Before you Begin

Barracuda NextGen Admin must be able to connect to the Barracuda Licensing Servers on the Internet.

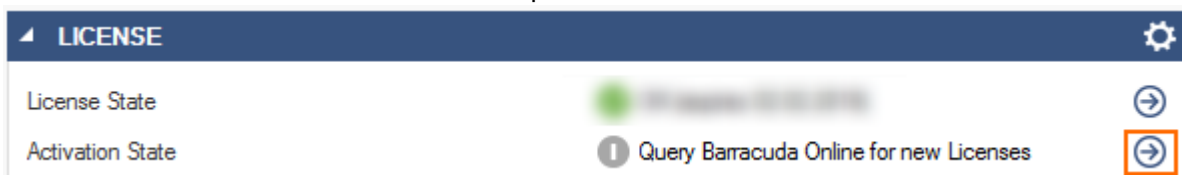
Automatically Download and Activate your Licenses

1. Log into the Barracuda NextGen Firewall F-Series using NextGen Admin.

Default User: root

Default Password: ngf1r3wall

2. (optional) Complete the Getting Started Wizard. For more information, see [Getting Started](#).
3. The activation process is initiated automatically after 30 seconds. You can also start the process manually by clicking on the blue arrow in the **Licensing** element on the **DASHBOARD**. A browser form with the activation form opens.



4. After submitting your data the licenses are automatically downloaded. This may take a couple of minutes.
5. Fill out the customer form, accept the License Agreement, and then click **Activate**.
 - After the activation process successfully completes, you will receive a notification email from Barracuda Networks Customer Services.
 - If you are using a high availability setup, your secondary Barracuda NextGen Firewall F waits for the license to be activated and then receives the license from the primary unit.

Uptime:	4 Days and 23:08:12	Firmware Version:	GWAY-5.4.3-182
System Time:	Mon Jun 2 11:11:58 2014	Appliance Model:	
Box:	10.0.91.70 - doc	Serial Number:	010101
License State:	Normal box operation	Number of CPUs:	4
Activation State:	Current	Architecture:	64 bit
		Admin Sessions:	6

Your Barracuda appliance is now licensed and activated. Check **Control > Licenses** to see which licenses are installed on your unit.

Normal box operation

ACTIVE LICENSES Enter new License Token Edit Licenses

Name/Module	License	Expires	HostID	Status
base-bnwf50	283013-BN-VF50-1311012525	02.01.2030 01:00:00	MAC-00:50:56:11:11:11	Valid-Host-ID
add-bnwf50-e	283013-BN-VF50-EnergizeUpdate-1311012532	02.01.2030 01:00:00	MAC-00:50:56:11:11:11	Valid-Host-ID
add-bnwf50-v	283013-BN-VF50-VPN-1311012527	02.01.2030 01:00:00	MAC-00:50:56:11:11:11	Valid-Host-ID
add-bnwf50-w	283013-BN-VF50-WebSecurity-1311012528	27.07.2016 02:00:00	MAC-00:50:56:11:11:11	Valid-Host-ID

License Values

License: Barracuda
 License-Virtual: True
 License-Model: VF50
 Capacity: 50
 Web-Security: 50
 SSLVPNNAC: licensed
 Demo Mode: no
 Export Mode: no
 CC managed: no
 Platform:
 Product: vf50
 Configured Appliance: VF50
 Detected Appliance: VM
 Serial Number:
 Flash based: no
 Statistics: yes
 Licensed Tunnels: unlimited

Figures

1. license_activate_element.png
2. license_hw01.png
3. license_hw02.png

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