

# Command Line Access How to guide

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## Overview

Swivel appliances are configured using the Command Management Interface (CMI) through which access to the Command Line can be obtained. document details how to access the Command Line. For information on how to access the appliance console see [Console Access How to guide](#)

## Prerequisites

Swivel appliance 2.x

Swivel Appliance Command Line password. This is not normally given out unless directed by Swivel Secure support, and is only obtainable from Swivel Secure support.

## Command Line Access

On the Swivel Administration console, select the Advanced Option then Command Line. Enter the Command Line Access password.

## Returning to the CMI

To leave the Command line and return to the CMI type exit

## Known Issues

### Troubleshooting

#### Root password does not work

Root access is not allowable directly, the user needs to login through admin and then access through the CMI to the Command Line Access.

Older appliances may have no CMI and differing root passwords.