

# Appliance

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## Overview

**Please Note: This article is ONLY applicable for Version 2 Appliances**

See [Getting Started](#) for an overview on where to deploy Swivel appliances and further information.

Swivel appliances are custom appliances managed through the [CMI](#) and designed to provide Swivel Authentication solutions in a secure manner with limited services and their own [Firewall Appliance Configuration](#). Each contains a [Proxy Server](#) access and port separation for the [Administration Console](#)

On this page you will find links for Swivel hardware and virtual appliance documentation. Documentation below is applicable to both VM and physical hardware appliances (unless stated otherwise).

Appliance Updates: see [Downloads](#)

Appliance Vulnerability Updates: see [Vulnerabilities](#)

## Generic Appliance Documentation

[Appliance User Guide](#)

[Console Management Interface](#)

## Single Appliance Documentation

[Quick Start Guide - Single](#)

## Active/Active Appliance Documentation

[Quick Start Guide - Primary](#)

[Quick Start Guide - Standby](#)

## VMware ESX Documentation

[ESX 3.x Virtual Machine Installation Instructions](#)

Please also take a look at our wiki articles:

- [VMWare How To Guide](#)
- [VMWare Converter How to Guide](#)

## Hyper-V Documentation

- [Hyper-V How To Guide](#)

## Accessing The Appliance

[Console Access How to guide](#)

[CMI](#)

[Getting Started Basic CMI configuration](#), this details how to configure networking and other options.

To get started configuring PINsafe then see [How to initially configure PINsafe](#)

## Further Appliance Guides

[Firewall Appliance Configuration](#)

[Proxy Server](#)

[Installing an RPM](#)

[Using SSH](#)

[Configuring DNS](#)

[Setting NIC speed](#)

[Creating Support Log](#)

[Session Cache](#)

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