

Release Notes

ROCK-1 Firmware

Release Date: 2024-01-09

Compatibility

 Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.7.0 or later - NOTE: firmware v3.6.1 is NOT compatible with Admin Portal software prior to 2.7.0 and should not be used on those systems!

Upgrade Path

• From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

N/A

Improvements

- OSDP memory optimization
- Manufacturing related improvements

Fixed Issues

N/A



Release Date: 2023-11-13

Compatibility

 Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.7.0 or later - NOTE: firmware v3.6.0 is NOT compatible with Admin Portal software prior to 2.7.0 and should not be used on those systems!

Upgrade Path

• From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

N/A

Improvements

• Manual Enrollment - Improvements made to make the process easier

- Occasionally, two Face Authenticated (1FA) events would be sent for a single authentication
- Occasionally, a locally enrolled profile was not distributed if the enrollment occurred when the Rock was disconnected from the network and then power-cycled before reconnecting
- Occasionally, when doing 2FA, if a user badged before the face appeared in the Rock's FoV, authentication would fail to occur
- Occasionally, security events for Unauthorized Entry are not sent to the Platform



Release Date: 2023-08-25

Compatibility

 Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.7.0 or later - NOTE: firmware v3.5.1 is NOT compatible with Admin Portal software prior to 2.7.0 and should not be used on those systems!

Upgrade Path

• From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

N/A

Improvements

- IPv6 Stateless Address Auto-configuration (SLAAC) Now supported and configurable via the Rock's local WebUI or a QR code. Contact AAI for QR code configuration details.
- When using a FQDN to configure Rocks to communicate with the Alcatraz platform server, only one FQDN is generated (previously two). Currently, this feature requires a custom QR code for enablement. Contact AAI for QR code configuration details.

- Tamper alarm not clearing under certain race conditions
- Profile getting deleted if a Rock is rebooted within 5 minutes of a profile update
- A scenario where the Rock's LED ring does not display the correct colors when LED control is set to "Rock controls LEDs"
- When using OSDP with AXIS controllers and "ACS controls LEDs", the Rock's LED does not turn green when sent from the panel



Release Date: 2023-07-18

Compatibility

 Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.7.0 or later - NOTE: firmware v3.5.0 is NOT compatible with Admin Portal software prior to 2.7.0 and should not be used on those systems!

Upgrade Path

From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

- Biometric Opt-out Feedback (2FA) The Rock can signal on the 'beeper' wire (reader pigtail) that the badge swiped is <u>not</u> a member of the Biometric Opt-Out list. This could be used to trigger a separate relay to send a signal to the ACS panel to enable "Badge Only" mode, as the Rock would process the two factors. Contact AAI for configuration details.
- **Biometric Opt-out Enhancement (2FA)** Option to delay authentication until after a badge is presented and confirmed to not be on the opt-out list. *NOTE: This may add friction to 2FA authentication.*

Improvements

- ACS LED Control Blue LED color is now supported (OSDP).
- **Manual Enrollment** On-screen directions have been updated, and improvements have been made to the capture process.
 - o Improved performance for wheelchair users and others with less height.
 - NOTE: Slight head movements are required to complete an enrollment successfully.
- **ONVIF** Now supported when using IPv6
- OSDP Bosch ACS panels are now supported

- 'Hold' Signal Detection when polarity set to 'Acitve Low' (Wiegand)
- 'Hold' Signal Detection (OSDP)
- Duplicate "Face Authentication (1FA)" events being logged for a single authentication.
- Rock stops authenticating after switching to "Face-Only (1FAF)" mode



• Enrollments completed when a Rock is 'offline' are not always distributed after connection to the Platform is re-established.



Release Date: 2023-05-30

Compatibility

 Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.7.0 or later - NOTE: firmware v3.4.0 is NOT compatible with Admin Portal software prior to 2.7.0 and should not be used on those systems!

Upgrade Path

From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

• Ability to initiate a Rock reboot from the Admin Portal.

Improvements

- Expanded Profiles The Rock now supports 25,000 profiles per Rock.
- Enhanced Biometric Opt-out In addition to personnel opting-out from using their biometric data for enrollment, they can now access two-factor doors with only a badge.
- A new security event for 2FA bypass is logged when a credential in the Opt-Out list is presented at the Rock.
- Improvement to tailgating detection when the Rock is in corridor mode.
- Improved authentication speed.
- Improved liveness detection.

Fixed Issues

False Unauthorized Entry events in 2FA mode when users have multiple badges

Known Limitations

• Users may experience increased friction when enrolling manually at a Rock. Contact Alcatraz Tech Support for more information.



Release Date: 2023-03-28

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.5.0 or later

Upgrade Path

• From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

N/A

Improvements

• Various items in the Rock's local web UI including 802.1x validation.

- Issue with downloading large logs from the Rock's web UI and having them timeout
- Issues with IPv6 static default gateway
- Rare scenario where the Rock's LED ring did not display the correct colors via OSDP from a C•CURE panel.
- Rare scenario where the Rock's local web UI does not load



Release Date: 2023-03-01

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.5.0 or later

Upgrade Path

• From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

N/A

Improvements

N/A

Fixed Issues

• Returned remote support functionality to the Rock that was lost in v3.3.1.



Release Date: 2023-02-17

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.5.0 or later

Upgrade Path

• From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

N/A

Improvements

N/A

Fixed Issues

• Memory issue that could cause a Rock to stop authenticating.



Release Date: 2023-01-30

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.5.0 or later

Upgrade Path

• From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

 Ability to set custom Idle color for Rock Device and Connected Reader Device (available only in ACS controls LEDs mode for LED Control)

Improvements

- Updated Security Events now available through ONVIF (except for Profile Deleted)
- Tailgating Accuracy Improvements when dealing with Badge Only scenarios
- Improved face quality filter and analytics
- Increased minimum time between enrollment attempts (Auto-Enrollment) to greater than
 5 seconds

- Removed Face/Badge mismatch icon for all modes except 2FA
- Various bug fixes



Release Date: 2022-12-19

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.5.0 or later

Upgrade Path

• From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

N/A

Improvements

N/A

- Memory issue that could cause a Rock to stop authenticating.
- Rare scenario where auto-enrollment is configured for a Rock in the Admin Portal, but not functioning at the Rock itself.



Release Date: 2022-10-24

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.5.0 or later

Upgrade Path

From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

- Security Events Updated
 - o Enrollment events Auto Enrollment events added, replacing 1FA Enrollment
 - Access events Access Granted and Access Denied type events deprecated as they are ACS system dependent and may not be accurate
 - Tailgating, Crossing and Unauthorized Entry events Known User events changed to Possible Known User to better reflect the real situation
 - Tamper events updated
 - o Profile Deleted event added
 - General renaming of Security Events
- **Device LED Ring Brightness Control** Device LED Ring Brightness can now be controlled directly from the Admin Portal.
- Master QR Code for Device Factory Reset Device Factory reset can now be initiated via a special QR Code

Improvements

- NGINX Package upgrade to 1.20.1
- Support for LLDP-based, POE+ power negotiation

Fixed Issues

Various bug fixes



Release Date: 2022-07-05

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.3.0 or later

Upgrade Path

From firmware v3.0.0 or later

New Features

- ACS Alerts 2 new types of alerts are now added that allow for sending data to the Access Control System to recognize new alert scenarios
 - 2FA Mismatch 2 Factor Authentication Mismatch indicating that the Face authenticated does not match the Badge that was presented
 - Unknown Tailgater a Tailgate event was detected but the Person tailgating was not recognized in the system
- **Device Update ONVIF Password** users can now change the password for ONVIF connectivity for their devices. Feature accessed in Alcatraz Admin Portal.

Improvements

- **Device Connection Troubleshooting** more information is displayed on the Device OLED screen to assist with troubleshooting connection issues related to:
 - o DNS Server issues
 - Alcatraz Admin Portal connectivity issues
- Authentication speed increased
- Tailgating detection improvements

- Memory Usage fixes
- Various bug fixes



Release Date: 2022-04-08

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.3.0 - 2.4.0

Upgrade Path

From Firmware v2.18.x or later

New Features

- Device support for reading QR Config codes for Networking configurations:
 - o 100Mbps, full duplex, auto-negotiation disabled
 - o 1000Mbps, full duplex, auto-negotiation disabled
 - o Reset to default 1000Mbps, full duplex, auto-negotiation enabled

Improvements

N/A

Fixed Issues

N/A



Release Date: 2022-04-08

Compatibility

Alcatraz Al Admin Portal 2.3.0 - 2.4.0

Upgrade Path

• From Firmware v2.18.x or later

New Features

• Improvements to the Face Recognition Model

Improvements

• Device Performance Improvements - System Memory Footprint Optimized

Fixed Issues

Various bug fixes



Firmware: v2.18.1

Release Date: 2022-04-08

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal v1.5.2 and 2.3.0

Upgrade Path

• From Firmware v2.17.x or later

New Features

• Firmware support for migration from Alcatraz Al Admin Portal V1.5.2 to V2.3.0

Improvements

N/A

Fixed Issues

N/A

Firmware: v2.17

Release Date: 2022-01-13

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal v1.5.2 - 2.2.1

Upgrade Path

• From Firmware v2.16.x or later

New Features

- Temporary Enrollment Device Mode
- Fast Device Mode Switching
- IPv6 enabled

Fixed Issues

Various bug fixes



Firmware: v2.16.2

Release Date: 2021-12-06

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal v1.5.2 - 2.2.1

Upgrade Path

• From Firmware v2.15.x or later

New Features

• None

- Device Onboarding fix
- Other smaller bug fixes

Firmware: v2.16.1

Release Date: 2021-10-26

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal v1.5.1 - v2.1.1

Upgrade Path

• From Firmware v2.15.x or later

New Features

None

- Fixed connection issue with multiple Rocks on a single OSDP bus
- Fixed issue related to manually setting the IPv4 address of a Rock
- Other smaller bug fixes



Firmware: v2.16

Release Date: 2021-10-12

Compatibility

• Alcatraz Al Admin Portal v1.5.1 - 2.1.1

Upgrade Path

• From Firmware v2.15.x or later

New Features

- Algorithm Processing Optimizations 20% Faster Face Authentication
- Firmware made compatible with 1.x and 2.x Admin Portal architectures
- Support for IEEE 802.1x Authentication Standard in the Rock
- Device Log Export

Fixed Issues

• Fixed scrolling info bar on Rock display when the network is disconnected

