

Controller Firmware Update Instructions BCU1 Controller

Operators: M-Bar, L-Bar, and any operators using the BCU1 controller board.

Subject: Instructions for updating BCU1 controller firmware using the Nice Oview hardware programmer. (with OVBT Bluetooth module).

Requirements for Update:

- BCU1 Controller Board
- Power Supply (for BCU1 Controller Board)
- Oview Hardware Programmer (with OVBT Bluetooth Module & RJ11 cable)
- IBT4N Adaptor
- Opera Software Suite
- Bluetooth enabled PC
- Firmware Update Hex file (see step 2)

Download Opera Software Suite (and update file) from: <u>https://support.hysecurity.com/hc/en-us/</u> articles/4972960319767-Opera-Oview-Software-Suite

Download latest BCU1 firmware (HEX file) from: <u>https://support.hysecurity.com/hc/en-us/</u> articles/1500000069461-BCU1-Controller-Firmware-Release-he03e

Opera Software Installation:

1. Download, extract to appropriate folder, and then double click on 'NiceOViewDesktop.exe".



- 2. Run installer (may require skipping security questions). When the Opera user interface appears, the language will be in Italian.
- 3. To change language and choose Bluetooth option, select **Impostazioni.**
- 4. Make the following changes:
 - Change Lingua to English.
 - Change **Connessione** to **Bluetooth** and check box for **Collegamento Seriale**.
 - Click Salva to return to the interface, which should now be in English.
- 5. Exit Opera.

Updating Opera Software:

- Download update, extract to appropriate folder, and then double click on setup_it OView 1.6.3.msi.
- 7. Click Avanti to continue.
- 8. Confirm or browse to software location.
- 9. Select first radio button (Tutti gli utenti).
- 10. Click Avanti until update finished.





BCU1 Firmware Update Procedure:

- 11. Turn on PC and enable Bluetooth reception.
- 12. The most recent *.hex file should be downloaded from <u>https://support.hysecurity.com/hc/en-us/</u> <u>articles/150000069461-BCU1-Controller-Firmware-Release-he03e</u> and saved locally to your PC.
- 13. Connect the IBT4N connector adaptor to the control board (Fig-1).
- 14. Using the supplied RJ11 cable, connect the Oview programmer to IBT4N connector on the BCU1 control board (Fig-1). This will power up the Oview unit when power is applied to the BCU1 controller board.
- 15. Connect an appropriate power source to the BCU1 controller board.



Fig-1: BCU1 Controller Update Setup

- 16. After the Oview programmer powers up, check PC Bluetooth status to ensure a connection between Oview and PC. After the first Bluetooth connection, the PC should thereafter automatically connect to the Oview programmer.
- 17. If not already done, download, install, set, and update the Opera Software Suite per Steps 1 through 10.
- 18. Launch the Opera software and select the "**Devices**" icon in Opera interface to display Device List Window.







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- 19. Click the icon for the operator you're planning to connect to and the controller password login is displayed.
- 20. Enter password and press "Login" to log into the control board (default password is "1234").
- 21. Select "Advanced Functions" to enter functions menu.





- 22. Select "Firmware Update" in menu to display Firmware Update window.
- 23. Press "Select File" and navigate to hex file downloaded in Step 12, select it and press OK.





- 24. In this field, verify that the firmware version is correct and is compatible (green text).
- 25. Press "Update Firmware" to begin the update process, which takes about 15 minutes.
- 26. When update is complete, "**Update Completed Successfully!**" is displayed in the Firmware Update window.

NOTICE

If update fails, it may take repeated attempts until success.

Contact Information:

Visit <u>https://support.hysecurity.com/hc/en-us</u> for installation manuals, replacement part instructions, part diagrams and more. Qualified Nice distributors are experienced and trained to assist in resolving installation problems.

For the name of a qualified distributor near you, call Nice at 800-321-9947. *Before contacting your distributor or Nice Technical Support, obtain the serial number of your operator.