

Device Activation

SADP Tool Method

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Activation is the process of creating a password for the 'admin' ID on a new device. There is *no* 'default' password, so a device is 'inactive' until that password is created. Activation is the first step in using a new device.

There are 5 methods to Activate a Hikvision Device

SADP Tool Method (all)

Web Interface Method (all)

iVMS-4200 (all)

Direct Unit Method (recorders)

Plug and Play Cameras (from Recorder)



Password Requirements

There are four password strengths Hikvision defines for levels of protection. Stronger passwords mix multiple character types.

Level 0 (Risk – not allowed e.g. admin/admin)

Level 1 (Weak – e.g. ballroom1)

Level 2 (Medium – e.g. Ballroom)

Level 3 (Strong) – e.g. Ballr00m!

There is NO default password for “admin”. You must create it. Min 8/ max 16 characters. Hikvision recommends the use of Strong Passwords and requires a minimum of a weak password. No ‘risk’ passwords allowed (e.g. 1111, 12345678, admin).

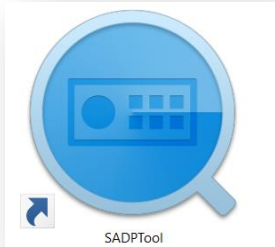
SADP Tool Method

SADP = Search Active Device Protocol.

Currently only supported on Windows OS

Finds only devices on same physical network as computer

Finds all Hikvision devices on physical network, even if on other subnets



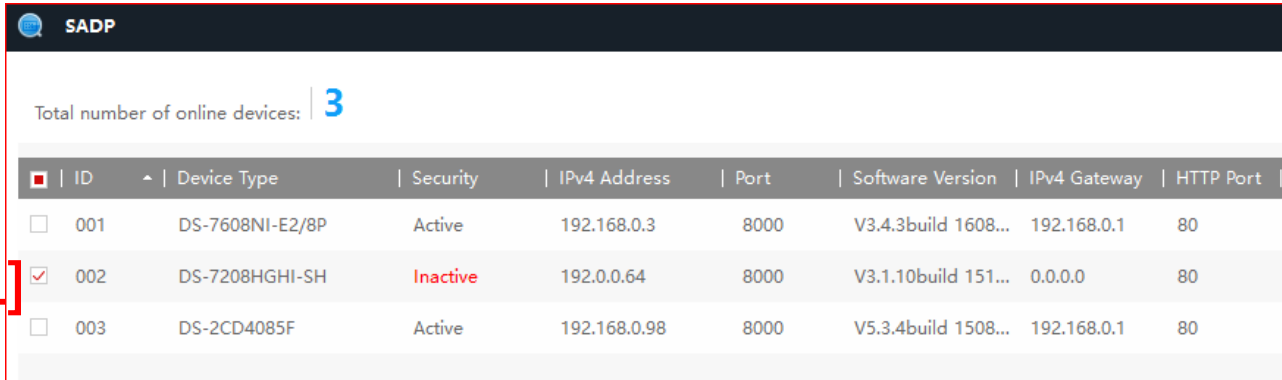
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<input type="checkbox"/>	001	DS-7608NI-E2/8P	Active	192.168.0.3	8000	V3.4.3build 1608...	192.168.0.1	80	DS-7608NI-E2/8P0820150108AARR...
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<input type="checkbox"/>	003	DS-2CD4085F	Active	192.168.0.98	8000	V5.3.4build 1508...	192.168.0.1	80	DS-2CD4085F20150321CCWR50856...

Download and install SADP from Hikvision.com



SADP Tool Method

Open the SADP Tool to display all online LAN devices and their status. To Activate, check box [1] to choose Inactive device



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Enter Password [2] and Confirm [3] (enter again)

Click Activate [4]

Confirmation will appear [5]



Activate the Device



The device is not activated.

You can modify the network parameters after the device activation.

Activate Now

[2]

New Password:

Confirm Password:

[3]

[4]

Activate

Thank You!

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