Factory Image Restoration Procedures 05

Technical Reference

Abstract

This document describes the procedures required to restore the factory image (operating system and/or any PureConnect software) using the Interaction Recovery Environment from a USB flash drive embedded inside the system. DC-900-4.0-RESTPROC-05

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Introduction to Factory Image Restoration Procedures

The Factory Image Restoration Procedures Technical Reference describes how to restore packaged server devices to factory default settings using Interaction Recovery software stored on a USB drive embedded in the server case. This internal USB flash drive replaces System Recovery discs previously distributed for this purpose. Bundling USB media inside the system ensures that the software is always available for recovering the system.

Several situations can impact the need to restore factory defaults. For example, when you want to start with a clean software configuration before repurposing or extensively overhauling the configuration of a server. Or, after replacing hard drives or when PureConnect Customer Care instructs you to.

Back up your license files before recovering the server. You can also make copies of logs and recordings before recovering, when pertinent to a support case.

Packaged servers available for factory image restoration

The Factory Image Restoration procedures outlined in this document are available for the following packaged servers:

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Other resources

For more information about Factory Image Restoration Procedures and related packaged servers, see the following documents and website pages.

PureConnect Documentation Library

For more information about Factory Image Restoration Procedures and related packaged server installation and configuration guides, see Packaged Hardware Documents in the PureConnect Documentation Library.

Genesys Testlab site

The Genesys Testlab site is a resource for tracking the latest hardware and software components that Genesys tested, approved, and recommended for use with PureConnect products.
Recovery Tasks

All recovery tasks apply to **Gen10 platforms** only. To obtain hardware specifications for your packaged server, contact HardwareQuotes@genesys.com.

Recovering factory default settings involves three tasks:
1. **Verify that the device's RAID configuration** matches the factory settings, especially if drives were replaced.
2. If necessary, **delete and redefine the disk array configuration**.
3. Run the Interaction Recovery utility to **restore factory defaults**.

Verify RAID Configuration

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   2. Press F9. The **System Utilities** menu appears.
   3. Click **System Configuration** (see System Utilities Menu in Appendix A).
   4. On the **System Configuration** menu, select the appropriate disk controller:
      - **360 Gen10**: HP Smart Array P408i-a Controller
      - **380 Gen10**: Smart Array P408i Controller
   5. Click **Exit** and then start HP Smart Storage Administrator (HPSSA).
   6. Select **HP Smart Storage Administrator** (see Select HP Smart Storage Administrator in Appendix A.)
   7. After the HP Smart Storage Administrator loads, click the appropriate array controller in the left pane (see Select Smart Array Controller in Appendix A):
      - **360 Gen10**: Smart Array P408i-a
380 Gen10: Smart Array P408i

8. Under **Actions**, select **Configure**.
9. In the left pane, under **Controller Devices** click **Logical Devices**. (see Verify RAID Configuration in Appendix A.)
10. Verify that the RAID configuration matches the settings required for the device, according to your server’s configuration requirements listed in the following table.

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Delete and Redefine Array Configuration

You can delete and redefine an existing RAID when its configuration is invalid or does not match required settings.

Delete the drive arrays

1. Open the HP Smart Storage Administrator and select the appropriate array controller.
2. Under Actions, select Clear Configuration.
3. Review the warning and click Clear to confirm.
   
   **Note:** Once you confirm the clear operation, the system removes all data from the logical drive. You cannot recover data after this operation.

4. When the controller configuration clears, click Finish.
5. Repeat the procedure to delete all drive arrays.

Redefine the arrays

After deleting all arrays, redefine them.

1. Under Actions select Create Array.
2. Follow the steps in the table below, using the configuration requirements for your particular server, to recreate the array configuration required by the device.

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Restore Factory Defaults

If you properly configured the RAID, you can restore the device to factory settings. The reimaging software resides on an internal USB flash drive. To access the internal drive, modify the BIOS start sequence to start from the USB drive instead of RAID, or do a
one-time startup override described in the following steps.
1. Restart your computer. The HP ProLiant Power-On Self-Test (POST) runs.
2. Press F11 to enter the Boot Menu.

3. Select **Internal USB** and then press **Enter**.
4. Wait for the system to start. When the system completes the process, the **Welcome to the Interaction Recovery Environment** window appears.
5. Ensure that the **Factory Image** is selected and then click **Restore Image**. The system requests confirmation of the recovery operation.
6. Click **Confirm**.
7. Wait while the device is reset to factory defaults, which can take several minutes. The process is complete when **Factory reversion complete** appears.
8. Click **Restart**.
9. Click **Yes**.
Capture and Restore a Configured State

Depending on your server model, you can capture and restore a system state after you have a working configuration in place. Use the Capture System Image feature to create an image of the current system state, excluding recordings and logs, and save it on the internal USB flash drive. Genesys recommends that you capture a system image immediately after you have a working configuration in place.

Capture the Current System State

**Interaction Media Server only:** The capture process does NOT save recordings and logs. Therefore, Genesys strongly recommends that you back up your recordings and logs before you capture a system image.

**Interaction Application Server only:** The capture process saves the OS partition ONLY. Therefore, Genesys strongly recommends that you back up any data you might need after restoring this user-configured image in the future.

**Note:** The capture process saves only ONE system state capture. Capturing the current system state replaces any previous system state captures.

1. Restart your computer. The HP ProLiant Power-On Self-Test (POST) runs.
2. Press F11 to enter the Boot Menu.

3. Select Internal USB and then press Enter.
4. Wait for the system to start. When the system completes the process, the Welcome to the Interaction Recovery Environment window appears.

5. Select one of the following actions based on the type of packaged server you have:

**Interaction Media Server only:** The capture process does NOT save recordings and logs. Therefore, Genesys strongly recommends that you back up your recordings and logs before you capture a system image.

**Interaction Application Server only:** The capture process saves the OS partition ONLY. Therefore, Genesys strongly recommends that you back up any data that you might need after restoring this user-configured image in the future.
6. Click **Capture System Image** and follow the prompts to save the current configuration. The system requests confirmation of the system image capture operation.
7. Click **Confirm** to proceed.
8. Wait while the system captures the current system state, which can take several minutes.
9. When the **System state capture complete** message appears, click **Restart** to restart your computer and complete the process.
10. Click **Yes** to confirm that you want to restart.

### Restore a Captured System State

**Note:** The restore process deletes ALL information on the server currently. Therefore, Genesys strongly recommends that you back up recordings, logs, and other critical files before you restore a system image.

1. Restart your computer. The HP ProLiant Power-On Self-Test (POST) runs.
2. Press **F11** to open the **Boot Menu**.
Select Internal USB and press Enter.
4. Wait for the system to start. When the system completes the process, the **Welcome to the Interaction Recovery Environment** window appears.

**Note:** The restore process erases ALL information currently stored on the server; therefore Genesys strongly recommends that you back up recordings, logs, and other critical files before you restore a system image, if possible.
5. In the **Select the image to restore** area, select the **User Configured Image** to which you want to restore the computer and then click **Restore Image**. The system requests confirmation of the image restore operation.

6. Click **Confirm** to proceed.

7. Wait while the user configured image restores, which can take several minutes.

8. When the **System restore complete** message appears, click **Restart** to restart your computer and complete the process.
Welcome to the Interaction Recovery Environment

This utility allows you to revert your system to the original factory state. On certain models, it also allows you to capture (and restore) the system state after you have configured it to your liking. **CAUTION** Any information currently stored on the system will be completely erased during the restore process. Please be sure to back up any important data before proceeding.

9. Click **Yes** to confirm that you want to restart.
Appendix A: Examples

This appendix provides examples from various steps in the recovery process.

System Utilities Menu

Select HP Smart Storage Administrator
Intelligent Provisioning

Smart Storage Administrator

Scripting Toolkit Windows PE 64 Bit Mode

Select Smart Array Controller
Verify RAID Configuration
Select Physical Drives for the New Array
Create Logical Drive
Appendix B: Interaction Recovery Messages

Interaction Recovery displays messages to indicate success or an error condition. The color of the message is significant:

- White text indicates success.
- Red text indicates an error.

Successful restore or capture messages

The successful restore or capture messages include:

- Factory reversion complete. Click 'Restart' to restart the computer.
- System restore complete. Click 'Restart' to restart the computer.
- System state capture complete. Click 'Restart' to restart the computer.

**Note:** These messages indicate that Interaction Recovery restore/capture process ran successfully. When POST resumes, verify that the System BIOS boot sequence is set to the RAID HDD to prevent it from rebooting from the flash drive.

Unsuccessful restore or capture messages

If the restore or capture process was unsuccessful, the message, "There was an error while trying to restore the factory image" appears, followed by text that describes the error. Possible error conditions are:

- **208 - IRERR.** This error usually indicates a faulty Interaction Recovery module configuration.
- **209 - PARTERR.** This error usually indicates a variation between the detected and required array configurations.
- **210 - BSGERR.** This error usually indicates a variation between the detected and required array configurations.
- **211 - IMGERR.** This error usually indicates a faulty Interaction Recovery module configuration.
- **212 - DICAERR.** This error usually indicates a faulty Interaction Recovery module configuration.
- **213 - CAPTERR.** An error occurred while trying to capture the current system state. This error usually indicates a faulty Interaction Recovery module configuration.
- **214 - RESTERR.** An error occurred while trying to restore the previously saved system state. This error usually indicates a faulty Interaction Recovery module configuration.
- **215 - RESTERR.** An error occurred while trying to restore the previously saved system state. This error usually indicates a variation between the detected and required disk configuration.
- **216 - DPARTERR.** An error occurred while trying to restore the previously saved system state. Click the Restore/Capture tab to try again.
# Change Log

The following table lists the changes to the *Factory Image Restoration Procedures Technical Reference* since its initial publication.

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