



X5 Firmware Update Procedure

Choose from one of two update procedure methods. One method requires simply loading the firmware file onto a USB stick and inserting it into the back of the X5. The other method requires downloading the firmware file to a local drive and then using the web interface to browse for the update file to be used.

Required for both methods:

1. Download the firmware from one of the following areas
 - a. Via SCS-C5 configuration software in the Firmware Updates area
 - b. Via the Support Center at
<https://www3.russound.com/Portal/Membership/login.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2fPortal%2fSupportCenter%2fSupportDefault.aspx>

USB Stick Update Procedure:

1. Load the firmware file onto a USB stick (.img file type)
2. Make sure the X5 is powered on and fully booted
3. Insert the USB stick into the USB port on the back panel labeled "Firmware Update"
4. Observe the front panel LED's
5. The update should take 5 – 10 minutes
6. Once completed you will see the Front Panel LED return to a standby state (Green LED)

Web Interface Update Procedure:

1. Save the firmware file to a local drive that can be accessed via the X5 web interface (.img file type)
2. Make sure the X5 is powered on and fully booted
3. Launch a web browser (Firefox, Chrome, ...)
4. Bring up the X5 web interface by typing the host name or IP address into the browser URL
5. From the web interface select Administration->Firmware Update
6. From the Firmware Update screen select the 'Browse' button
7. Find and select the firmware update file that you stored on a local drive in step 1



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When available, firmware updates can be downloaded from the [Russound Support Portal](#).
Once the firmware update file is downloaded to your computer, select the file using the above button.

8. Once the file is loaded select 'Apply Update'
9. Observe the front panel LED's
10. The update should take 5 – 10 minutes
11. Once completed you will see the Front Panel LED return to a standby state (Green LED)