

## Market Release Note

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Product number: TS9100, TS9120, TS9120VM

Product description: Forcefield

Product version: TS9100 8.0.2 Build 5

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Aritech is pleased to announce the availability of Forcefield 8.0.2. This release offers a number of new features and improvements. Customers may upgrade to Forcefield 8.0.2 directly from the following previous versions:

- FF 8.0.1 B3
- FF 8.0.0 B37
- FF 7.2.2 B54
- FF 7.2.1 B30
- FF 7.2.0 B53

## Resolved issues in 8.0.2

- Resolved issue where inputs related to doors on Four Door Controllers were assigned to the incorrect range. Any customers who have previously upgraded to 8.0.0 or 8.0.1 will have this issue resolved automatically as part of the upgrade process.
- Detail Challenger report will now print correct door numbers
- Door status no longer shows 'Isolate door alarm' when doing status update.
- Resolved issue where performing a Send All to a Challenger panel would not send RAS information
- Resolved an issue where door 17 programming was not accessible after migrating a Challenger10 panel to a ChallengerPlus

## New features in Forcefield 8.0

- Support for ChallengerPlus panels
- Support for TS1066 Network Access Controller
- TS0866/67 to TS1066 conversion
- Upgrade to ChallengerPlus directly from Challenger V8 and Challenger10
- Up to 5 licenses may now be added to users for validation and expiration

## Improvements in Forcefield 8.0

- User card data increased to 64 bits
- Maximum number of members increased to 1022
- Workstation logout moved from menu to speedbar
- Panel uploads have option to clear panel records before uploading

## Documentation and Downloads

<b>Marketing Collateral</b>	<a href="#">Forcefield datasheet</a>
	<a href="#">Tecom compatibility matrix</a>
	<a href="#">TruVision video plugin datasheet</a>
	<a href="#">Genetec video plugin datasheet</a>
<b>Technical Manuals</b>	<a href="#">Forcefield Installation and Setup Manual</a>
	<a href="#">Forcefield Operators Manual</a>
	<a href="#">Forcefield External Interfaces Manual</a>
	<a href="#">Forcefield Licence Form</a>
<b>Software downloads</b>	Visit <a href="http://www.firesecurityproducts.com.au/downloads-and-resources-library">www.firesecurityproducts.com.au/downloads-and-resources-library</a> to download the latest software and firmware versions.

## Known issues

- Serial printing to a third party system sometimes stops working when the system is under heavy load. As a result, occasionally the server will need to be restarted to resume functionality.
- USB keyboard and mouse must be connected on startup, otherwise they will not be detected.
- From version 8.0.0 onwards, Forcefield will no longer support V9 Challenger panels.
- Inputs and door groups above 999 cannot be programmed.

## Support

*Please be advised that customers who are using the first generation Forcefield servers (identifiable by their blue and silver exterior, along with the presence of a CD optical drive) in a multi-node configuration may encounter issues where additional nodes cannot connect to the primary node.*

For technical support, we encourage you to contact [Hills Technical Support](#) for all technical support calls. Alternatively you can log a support call on the [Carrier Fire & Security Support Portal](#).

Please refer to the manuals and documentation on the [Carrier Fire & Security Support Portal](#) for more information.