

Version 254 Update

Updated Version 254 (9/19/25) firmware is now available for XF6 Series Control Panels.

Panel Serial Number in Serial 3 Messages

This update allows you to enable Serial 3 messages to include the panel serial number. If enabled, the panel family and corresponding serial number appear at the end of each Serial 3 message, allowing the monitoring center to identify the correct system if two panels unintentionally use the same account numbers.

This update requires one of the following:

- SCS-VR Virtual Receiver
- SCS-1R Network Enabled Receiver with the [SCS-150 Main Processor Card at firmware Version 108 \(9/23/25\)](#).

To enable Serial 3 messages to include the XF6 Series panel serial number, complete the following steps:

1. At the keypad, enter **6653** (PROG) and select **CMD** to enter the programming menu.
2. At **COMMUNICATION**, go to **SYSTEM INFORMATION**.
3. Select **YES** to enable Serial 3 messages to include the panel serial number. The default option is set to **NO**.
4. Go to **STOP** to save programming.

To program Serial 3 messages to include the panel serial number on Dealer Admin, refer to [TU-1484](#).

Remote Key

In panel programming, **Remote Options** now includes the **Remote Key** field. Dealer Admin automatically connects to the panel using the default key to allow remote functionality. You can change the current key and enter a new key of up to 16 characters. The key should be the same in Dealer Admin and in the panel when entered at the keypad.

In [Remote Link Version 2.53 \(10/30/25\)](#) release, you can also use the **Remote Key** to connect XF6 Series Control Panels to Remote Link.

Network Programming Port

In panel programming, this update adds the **Network Programming Port** in **Remote Options** to support [Remote Link Version 2.53 \(10/30/25\)](#).

Obtaining the New Firmware

XF6 Series firmware updates are available, free of charge, on Dealer Admin (dealer.securecomwireless.com).

 **Note:** XF6 Series firmware updates will also be available for download from DMP's [Product Firmware Downloads](#) with the upcoming XF6 Series firmware Version 255. To download firmware from Product Firmware Downloads, XF6 Series firmware Version 254 (9/19/25) and Remote Link firmware Version 2.53 (10/20/25) is required.