

Sometimes You'll want/nee to SSH into the Ovation

Hopefully you never need to get in "under the hood" of your music streamer/server, but on occasion you may need to. If you do, this covers the basics of getting in.

WARNING:

These instructions will have you logging in to the Ovation using SSH as the "root" user. This means you can do ANYTHING to the unit. Do NOT execute random commands on the command line or you risk breaking things.

That being said, doing what this document says to do is not going to break anything and the worst case scenario is you need to revert to previous settings.

Step 1) Enable SSH on the Ovation

In the Configuration Utility choose "Manage SSH..." from the Utilities menu.

Check the box to enable SSH and "Apply"

Note: You only need to keep it enabled for the initial log-in, so the default 5 minutes of time will be plenty. If you are still logged in after SSH is disabled, you will NOT be disconnected.

Step 2) Use a terminal (TTY) emulator

You will need a terminal emulator like PuTTY or KiTTY.

I prefer KiTTY which you can get here: <http://www.9bis.net/kitty/#!/pages/download.md>

Any TTY software should do the job, but you'll need to give it the Ovation IP address to connect.

Step 3) Log In

Once your terminal emulator is connected to the Ovation, you'll get a log in prompt.

Log in using the credentials below:

Username : root

Password : fusionMVX

Step 4) Do what you need to

Now that you're at a command prompt you can do whatever you need to...