Upgrade Guide

PPU - Pilatus Processing Unit - FURKA / GRIMSEL Upgrade Guide

This Upgrade Guide is valid for the following FURKA and GRIMSEL versions:

FURKA Version: V.3.7.1
GRIMSEL Version: V.3.7.1

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2. **How to Use this Upgrade Guide**

This Upgrade Guide takes you through the process of upgrading FURKA and GRIMSEL on PPU / Detector Server systems with older versions of FURKA and GRIMSEL.

Before you start to upgrade the PPU or the detector server please read this Upgrade Guide carefully.

2.1. **Address and Support**

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Should you have questions concerning the system or its use, please contact us via phone, email or fax.

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⚠️ Do not ship the system back before you receive the necessary transport and shipping information!

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2.2. **Explanation of Symbols**

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3. **PPU FURKA / GRIMSEL Upgrade**

3.1. **Preparation**

3.1.1. **Currently Installed FURKA and GRIMSEL Versions**

To identify which version of FURKA and GRIMSEL is currently installed use the following commands on the PPU.

For GRIMSEL

```
/usr/local/dectris/bin/grimsel_dectris --version
```

Example of the shell output:

```
GRIMSEL version 3.1
Copyright 2012 Dectris Ltd.
```

For FURKA

```
/usr/local/dectris/bin/furka_dectris --version
```

Example of the shell output:

```
FURKA version 3.1
Copyright 2012 Dectris Ltd.
```

3.1.2. **Downloading the Latest Version of FURKA and GRIMSEL**

You can download the latest versions of FURKA and GRIMSEL from the Download section of our homepage: https://www.dectris.com/support/downloads/software/furka-grimsel/.

You will have to login first to access this page.

When using a fresh installation, make sure to install the package `python-dectris` before anything else! It simply contains scripts to make sure the python site-packages is updated and contains all necessary links.
3.2. Preparing when using a fresh installation

Change the directory to your Downloads folder e.g.:

```bash
cd /home/det/Downloads/
```

or to wherever you saved the software.

Unpack the python-dectris.tgz-file using the following command:

```
tar -xvzf python-dectris.tgz
```

3.2.1. python-dectris installation

Become root (su) and enter the following command:

```
yum install python-dectris-<version>.rpm
```

Confirm installation.
Continue with FURKA and GRIMSEL installation.
3.3. Upgrading FURKA

3.3.1. Unpacking the Software
Change the directory to your Downloads folder e.g.:
cd /home/det/Downloads/
or to wherever you saved the software.

Unpack the FURKA tgz-file using the following command:
tar -xvzf FURKA-x86_64-<version>.tgz

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Important: Parts of FURKA have to be installed on the detector server as well.
You can either repeat the download and unpacking procedure of FURKA on
the detector server or copy the rpms directly to the detector server using an
USB drive or secure copy (scp).

3.3.2. FURKA Installation on the PPU
For the PPU you’ll need to install the FURKA PPU Client and the FURKA PPU rsync
package.
Become root (su) and enter the following command:
yum install furka-ppu-client-<version>.rpm furka-ppu-rsync-
<version>.rpm

Accept all default values (square brackets next to the prompt) by pressing Enter.

3.3.3. FURKA Installation on the Detector Server
For the PPU you’ll need to install the FURKA PPU Server and the FURKA PPU rsync rpm-
package.

Become root (su) and enter the following command:
yum install furka-ppu-server-<version>.rpm furka-ppu-rsync-
<version>.rpm

Accept all default values (square brackets next to the prompt) by pressing Enter.
3.3.4. Reusing the License Key

If you were using FURKA version 3.6 or before you can reuse the old license key by performing the following command (PPU only):

```bash
sudo cp /etc/furka_dectris.key /var/lib/furka/license.key
```

This step is critical. Ignoring this step will cause performance issues.

3.3.5. Restarting FURKA

To restart FURKA enter the following command on the PPU:

```bash
service furka restart
```

To check the status of FURKA enter the following command on the PPU:

```bash
service furka status
```

3.3.6. Log, Config and License Files

You may want to check or modify the log, config or license files (PPU only). For FURKA version 3.7.x these files can be found as follows.

The log file can be found on the PPU at:

```bash
/var/log/furka_dectris.log
```

The config file can be found on the PPU at:

```bash
/etc/furka_dectris.conf
```

If you upgraded from version 3.6 or older a backup of the old config file was created and can be found on the PPU at:

```bash
/etc/furka_dectris.conf.rpmsave
```

If you updated from version 3.7.x the config file was not touched by the installer and remains the same.

The license file can be found on the PPU at:

```bash
/var/lib/furka/license.key
```
3.4. Upgrading GRIMSEL

3.4.1. Unpacking the Software

Change the directory to your Downloads folder e.g.:
```bash
cd /home/det/Downloads/
```
or to wherever you save the software.

Unpack the GRIMSEL.tgz-file using the following command:
```bash
tar -xvzf GRIMSEL-x86_64-<version>.tgz
```

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GRIMSEL is only installed on the PPU.

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3.4.2. GRIMSEL Installation

Become root (su) and enter the following command:
```bash
yum install grimsel-<version>.rpm
```
Accept all default values (square brackets next to the prompt) by pressing Enter.

3.4.3. Reusing the License Key

If you were using GRIMSEL version 3.6 or before you can reuse the old license key by performing the following command:
```bash
sudo cp /etc/grimsel_dectris.key /var/lib/grimsel/license.key
```

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This step is critical. Ignoring this step will cause performance issues.

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3.4.4. Restarting GRIMSEL

To restart GRIMSEL enter the following command:
```bash
service grimsel restart
```

To check the status of GRIMSEL enter the following command:
```bash
service grimsel status
```
3.4.5. Log, Config and License Files

You may want to check or modify the log, config or license files on the PPU. For GRIMSEL version 3.7.x these files can be found as follows.

The log file can be found at:
/var/log/grimsel_dectris.log

The config file can be found at:
/etc/grimsel_dectris.conf

If you upgraded from version 3.6 or older a backup of the old config file was created and can be found at:
/etc/grimsel_dectris.conf.rpmsave
If you updated from version 3.7.x the config file was not touched by the installer and remains the same.

The license file can be found at:
/var/lib/grimsel/license.key

3.5. Verify FURKA and GRIMSEL Installation

To check the installed version of FURKA and GRIMSEL enter the following command on the PPU.

For FURKA
/usr/local/dectris/bin/furka_dectris --version

Example of the shell output:
FURKA version 3.7.1
Copyright 2012 Dectris Ltd.

For GRIMSEL
/usr/local/dectris/bin/grimsel_dectris --version

Example of the shell output:
GRIMSEL version 3.7.1
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