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WELCOME TO THE ASA 5500-X SERIES

See the following URLs for detailed information about installing, connecting, configuring, and troubleshooting your ASA 5500-X.

1 Install the ASA:

See the hardware installation guide:

http://www.cisco.com/go/asa5500x-install

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Note   Install the chassis with the front bezel facing the *cold* aisle.

The power turns on immediately when you plug in the ASA.

2 Connect to the ASA:

See the quick start guide:

http://www.cisco.com/go/asa5500x-quick

3 (Optional) Connect to the ASA CX or ASA IPS Module:

See the module quick start guide:

- ASA CX: http://www.cisco.com/go/asacx-quick
- ASA IPS: http://www.cisco.com/go/asaips-quick

4 Check the Release Notes for Important Notes:

Choose the ASDM and CLI release notes for your version:

http://www.cisco.com/go/asa-rns

5 Configure the ASA:

Choose the ASDM or CLI configuration guide for your version:

http://www.cisco.com/go/asa-config

6 See Also:

Software Downloads:

http://www.cisco.com/go/asa-software

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Note   A Cisco.com login and Cisco service contract are required.

All ASA Documentation:

http://www.cisco.com/go/asadocs

Troubleshooting TechNotes:

http://www.cisco.com/go/asa-technotes

Cisco Support Community Forums:

https://supportforums.cisco.com

Compliance Information:

- Regulatory compliance and safety information: http://www.cisco.com/go/asa5500x-compliance
- Export Compliance: http://www.cisco.com/go/asa-export

Warranty, License, and Privacy Information:

- Warranty and End User License Agreement: http://www.cisco.com/go/warranty
- AnyConnect License: http://www.cisco.com/go/anyconnect-license
- Privacy Portal: http://www.cisco.com/go/privacy