



How to... Upgrade your TelePort 56K to the V.90 ITU Standard

Introduction:

This document provides information about upgrading your modem to the V.90 ITU standard.

The V.90 ITU protocol is the finalized standard to the ITU committee for 56K technology. This standard was agreed upon by the two companies who have produced and manufactured the existing 56K protocols, Rockwell/Lucent (K56Flex) and US Robotics/3 Com (X2).

The upgrade to the proposed standard is in the form of a firmware update. The term "firmware" refers to the software in the fax/modem's read-only memory (ROM). The updater file is currently available via a free download from our website at <http://www.globalvillage.com>

To locate the updater on our website, follow the steps below:

1. From the main Global Village page, click on the **Support** link.
2. From the Global Village Support page, click on the **Updates to your software** link.
3. From the Software Locator, click the **TelePort 56K X2** link (X2) or the **TelePort 56K K56Flex** link (K56Flex).
4. Depending on which 56K modem you have, from the TelePort 56K X2 or TelePort 56K K56Flex page, click on the **TelePort x2 ROM Update** or **Download the TelePort 56K ROM Updater 2.200** link.
5. Read the notes about either updater, and follow the instructions to download the updater.