

Converting AsteriskNOW 3.0.X Distro to a AsteriskNOW-FreePBX Distro 5.211.65

Below are instructions to convert a **AsteriskNOW 3.0.X** Distro to the new **AsteriskNOW 5.211.65** with its Administrative GUI provided by and supported by FreePBX. This will not work for virtual setups using OpenVZ. It will only work on a true hardware box install or KVM virtual setup. Once completed, your server should be no different from a stock brand-new install of the AsteriskNOW 5.211.65 Distro.

AsteriskNOW 3.0.X Conversion Script

Download the AsteriskNOW 3.0.X Conversion Script

The conversion script above will set your PBX as the 5.211.65-13 version.

Executing the Conversion Script

1. Download the conversion script onto your PBX in the /tmp directory.

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wget

cd /tmp
wget http://upgrades.freepbxdistro.org/AsteriskNow/scripts
/AsteriskNow3.0.x-FreePBX5.211.65-13.sh
```

2. Make the conversion script executable.

```
Script

Replace the script name with the actual one you downloaded.
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```
Executable

chmod +x AsteriskNow3.0.x-FreePBX5.211.65-13.sh
```

3. Run the conversion script and sit back and have a beer. This will take a while.

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Script

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Executable

./AsteriskNow3.0.x-FreePBX5.211.65-13.sh
```

4. Once the conversion has completed, you should have a fully functioning **AsteriskNOW 5.211.65-13** OEM version of FreePBX Distro.
5. Once the conversion has completed make sure you install any [available](#) upgrade scripts to keep updated your 5.211.65 track with the latest Minor Release Revision.
6. If you run into any problems, please [create a post in the FreePBX Community forum](#).