

# Asset Report is not displayed at boot sequence

Even though the Bootable Asset Report is enabled, it is not displayed when rebooting the machine.

In order to activate the B.A.R functionality, it has to be:

- Enabled (with the [DECT](#))
- Blancco Drive Eraser / Blancco 5 has to erase successfully all detected drives during the same session
- An erasure report has to be generated and kept (saved on a USB stick or sent to BMC)

The reason the B.A.R. does not show up can be due to the fact that Blancco Drive Eraser / Blancco 5 is being used to erase a machine that has 5+ drives: Blancco Drive Eraser / Blancco 5 can erase within the same session up to 4 drives which is not enough to activate the B.A.R. writing.

As Blancco Drive Eraser / Blancco 5 cannot erase more than 4 drives per session, in order to activate the B.A.R. the user has to use Blancco Drive Eraser / Blancco 5 Server that can erase more than 4 drives per session. In case the user does not have Blancco Drive Eraser / Blancco 5 Server licenses, all the machine's drives can still be erased in more than one session (e.g. from 5 to 8 drives, one reboot is necessary and two erasure reports need to be kept). If the user activates the Fingerprint functionality, this mini-report will be written on each erased drive individually and can be used as a substitute of the B.A.R. (although a hexadecimal reader is required to check the Fingerprint).