# User Guide

# MOBOTIX 4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics Camera

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# **Before You Start**

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## **Support**

If you need technical support, please contact your MOBOTIX dealer. If your dealer cannot help you, he will contact the support channel to get an answer for you as quickly as possible.

If you have internet access, you can open the MOBOTIX help desk to find additional information and software updates. Please visit:

www.mobotix.com > Support > Help Desk



## **Safety Notes**

- This camera must be installed by qualified personnel and the installation should conform to all local codes.
- This product must not be used in locations exposed to the dangers of explosion.
- Do not look directly into the infra-red LEDs that may be active on the product.
- Do not use this product in a dusty environment.
- Protect this product from moisture or water entering the housing.
- Install this product as outlined in this document. A faulty installation can damage the product!
- Do not replace batteries of the camera. Risk of explosion may occur if the battery is replaced by an incorrect type.
- This equipment is not suitable for use in locations where children are likely to be present.
- External power supplies must comply with the Limited Power Source (LPS) requirements and share the same power specifications with the camera.
- When using a Class I adapter, the power cord shall be connected to a socket-outlet with proper ground connection.
- To comply with the requirements of EN 50130-4 regarding the power supply of alarm systems for 24/7 operation, it is highly recommended to use an uninterruptible power supply (UPS) for backing up the power supply of this product.
- This equipment is to be connected only to PoE networks without routing to other networks.

**NOTE!** Observe the MOBOTIX MOVE Installation Hints document to ensure optimum performance of the camera features.

## **Legal Notes**

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# **Overview**

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### **About the Camera**

To make use of the camera's advanced video analytics capabilities, please consult the *Introduction* to Video Analytics with MOBOTIX MOVE Cameras manual available on www.mobotix.com > Support > Download Center > Marketing & Documentation > Manuals.

### **Features**

The MOBOTIX MOVE 4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics Camera extends the existing range of MOVE IP Camera series with a performant 4K (8MP) resolution camera with DNN (Deep Neural Network) video analytics features. The camera performs fast and reliable auto focus and adapts to different indoor and outdoor scenes. The integrated MOBOTIX MxMessageSystem allows direct communication and interaction with MOBOTIX IoT cameras via the IP network. The MOBOTIX EverClear superhydrophilic and self-cleaning nano coating of the dome ensures best image quality even in rain and reduces cleaning efforts and operational costs.

- EverClear coating of dome
- Motorized Vari-Focal Lens 3.6 to 11 mm,
   F1.5 to F2.0 with Zoom and One-Push Auto
   Focus
- Wide Dynamic Range (WDR) max. 130 dB
- MOBOTIX MxMessageSystem communication system
- Integrated Video Analytics (DNN ready)

- Integrated IR LEDs up to 40 m Distance
- ONVIF Profile S/G/T/M support
- Triple Power Support (PoE/12 VDC/24 VAC)
- Temperature Range –55 to 60 °C/-67 to 140 °F with activated heater
- IP66 and IK10
- Quick Connection Mount

**NOTE!** Observe the MOBOTIX MOVE Installation Hints document to ensure optimum performance of the camera features.

## **Package Contents**

Check the package for the items listed below.



4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics Camera



4-Pin Power Terminal Block



Cable Gland



Self-Tapping Screws (x2)



Plastic Dowel (x2)



Security Torx Wrench

**NOTE!** The supplied self-tapping screws are for soft substances/materials such as wood. For other installation environments, such as solid or sheet rock walls, users **MUST** pre-drill and use plastic anchors before fastening the camera onto the wall.

**CAUTION!** Do not replace batteries of the camera. Risk of explosion may occur if the battery is replaced by an incorrect type.

## **Dimensions**

**NOTE!** Download the drilling template from the MOBOTIX website: **www.mobotix.com** > **Support** > **Download Center** > **Marketing & Documentation** > **Drilling Templates**.

CAUTION! Always print or copy the drilling template at 100% of the original size!

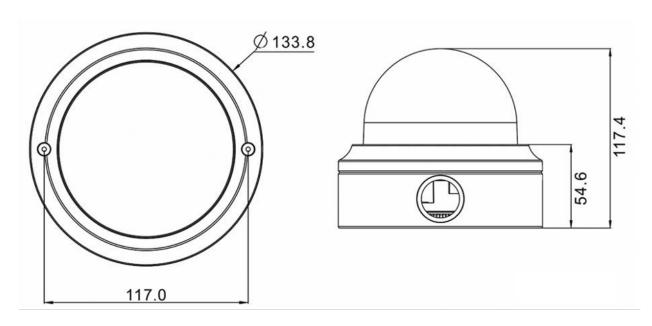


Fig. 1: 4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics Camera: All measurements in mm

# **Accessories**

Picture	Order Code	Description
	Mx-M-VD-W	Wall Mount set (2 pieces) for MOBOTIX MOVE Vandal Dome Cameras
6	Mx-M-VD-P	Pole Mount (junction mount) for MOBOTIX MOVE Vandal Dome Cameras
	Mx-M-VD-C	Corner Mount for MOBOTIX MOVE Vandal Dome Cameras
	Mx-M-VD-IC	Ceiling Flush Mount for MOBOTIX MOVE Vandal Dome Cameras
	Mx-M-VD-DCT	Clear Replacement Bubble for MOBOTIX MOVE Vandal Dome Cameras
	Mx-M-VD-DCS	Tinted (smoked) Replacement Bubble for MOBOTIX MOVE Vandal Dome Cameras

Picture	Order Code	Description
	Mx-NPA-UPOE1A-60W	UPoE Network Power Injector 60 W
	Mx-A-ETP1A-2601-SET	Media Converter Set Ethernet (PoE+) – Twisted-Pair

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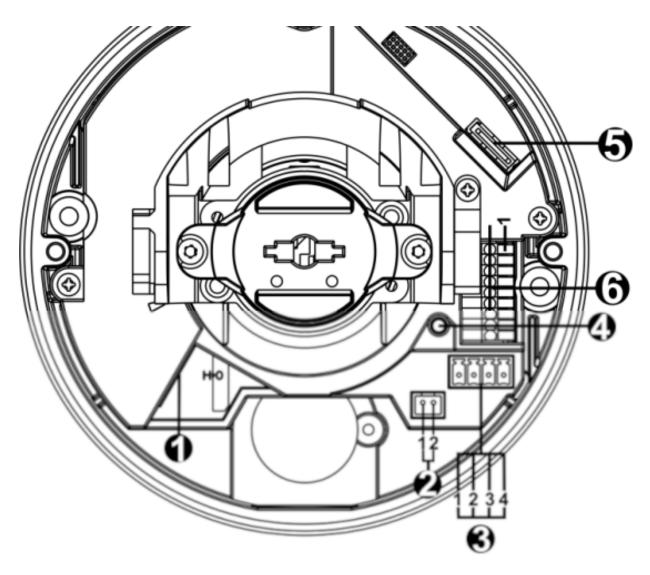
# **Camera Cabling**

Before users connect cables, make sure that all cables and the power adapter are placed in dry and well-waterproofed environments, e.g. waterproof boxes. The purpose is to prevent moisture accumulation inside the camera and moisture penetration into cables, which might lead to device breakdown. Please refer to the following sections for camera connection.

#### NOTE!

This camera must be installed by qualified personnel and the installation should conform to all local codes.

## **Camera Connectors**



No.	Connector	Pin	Definition	Remarks
1	RJ-45	-	For network and PoE connections	S
2	<b>2</b> BNC*	1	BNC	For analog video output
		2	GND	
3	3 Power 1 AC 24V 1 (DC 12V / AC 24V) 2 AC 24V 2 3 DC 12V 1 4 DC 12V 2	1	AC 24V 1	Power connection
		2	AC 24V 2	
		DC 12V 1		
		4	DC 12V 2	

No.	Connector	Pin	Definition	Remarks
4	Default Button	-	Press the default button with a prestore the camera.	roper tool for at least 20 seconds to
5	microSD Card Slot	-	Insert the microSD card into the of Do not remove the microSD card	card slot to store videos and snapshots. when the camera is powered on.
6	Alarm &	1	Audio In L	Audio In (Line In)
	Audio I/O	2	Audio In R	
		3	GND	Ground connection
		4	Audio Out L	Audio Out (Line Out)
		5	Audio Out R	
		6	Alarm Out +	Alarm connection
		7	Alarm Out –	Do <b>NOT</b> connect external power supply
		8	Alarm In +	to the alarm I/O connector of the IP camera.
		9	Alarm In –	

<sup>\*</sup>Contact the manufacturer for the compatible BNC cable.

### microSD Card Slot

- Insert the microSD card into the card slot to store videos and snapshots.
- Do not remove the microSD card when the camera is powered on.

#### NOTE!

It is not recommended to record with the microSD card for 24/7 continuously, as it may not be able to support long term continuous data read/write. Please contact the manufacturer of the microSD card for information regarding the reliability and life expectancy.

### **Reset Button**

Press the Reset button with a proper tool for at least 20 seconds to apply the factory defaults.

# **Connecting Power**

#### **Using Power over Ethernet (PoE)**

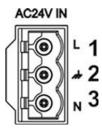
Use a PoE switch (Class 0) and connect the Ethernet cable to the RJ-45 port of the camera.

#### Using AC24V or DC12V

To power up the camera, connect **either the DC12V** <u>or</u> **the AC24V** power adapter to the power connector of the camera and the power outlet.

#### **Diagram and Pin Definition for AC24V Power Connection**

Pin	Definition
1	AC24V L
2	GND
3	AC24V N



#### **Zero Downtime Power Switching (ZDT)**

If the camera is connected to two power sources, it will switch the power input seamlessly in this order:

AC and PoE connected: AC > PoEDC and PoE connected: PoE > DC

### **Connect Ethernet Cable**

#### **Ethernet Cable Connection**

Connect one end of the Ethernet cable to the RJ-45 connector of the camera and plug the other end of the cable into the network switch or PC.

### NOTE!

- The length of the Ethernet cable should not exceed 100 m/300 ft.
- Check the status of the link indicator and the activity indicator LEDs of the switch. If the LEDs are unlit, please check the LAN connection.
- In some cases, an Ethernet crossover cable may be needed when connecting the camera directly to the PC.

#### **Ethernet Connector LEDs**



- Green **Link** LED indicates good network connection.
- Orange **Activity** LED flashes for network activity indication.

# **Connect Alarm I/O**

The camera supports one alarm input and one relay output for alarm application. Refer to section Camera Connectors, p. 17 for pin definitions.

**NOTE!** Do **NOT** connect external power supply to the alarm I/O connector of the IP camera.

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# **Installation**

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## **General Remarks**

Read the instructions provided in this chapter thoroughly before installing the camera.

**NOTE!** This camera must be installed by qualified personnel and the installation must conform to all local codes.

**NOTE!** Observe the MOBOTIX MOVE Installation Hints document to ensure optimum performance of the camera features.

### **Camera Installation**

The following description demonstrates how to directly install the camera to the ceiling or to the wall.

1. Loosen the two security screws on the camera with the supplied security Torx wrench and remove the dome cover.



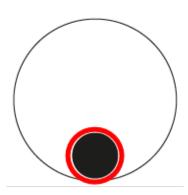
2. Open the back conduit entry block using a coin and place it to the side conduit entry.



3. Place the camera at the installation location. Mark the position of the two screw holes and the back conduit entry (for cable entry) indicated in the right figure on the ceiling or wall.



4. On the ceiling or wall, drill the round cable entry hole (back conduit entry).



- 5. Drill holes for the plastic screw anchors on each marked screw hole. Then insert the plastic screw anchors into the drilled holes.
- 6. Thread the cables through the cable entry hole. Match the two screw holes on the camera with the plastic screw anchors at the installation location. Fasten the camera with the supplied self-tapping screws.
- 7. Attach the dome cover to the camera and fasten the two Torx security screws.



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## **User Guide**

To perform the IP camera via web browser, please ensure the PC is in good network connection and meets system requirements as described below.

Items	System requirements		
Personal Computer	Minimum:		
	<ul> <li>Intel® Core™ i5-2430M @ 2.4 GHz</li> <li>4 GB RAM</li> </ul>		
	Recommended:		
	<ul> <li>Intel® Core™ i7-3770 @ 3.4 GHz</li> <li>8 GB RAM</li> </ul>		
Operating System	Windows 7 or later operating system		
Web Browser	Any current web browser		
Network Card	10Base-T (10 Mbps), 100Base-TX (100 Mbps) or 1000Base-T operation		

**NOTE!** The ITE is to be connected only to PoE networks without routing to the outside plant or equivalent description.

## **Accessing the Camera**

#### **Accessing the Camera**

The 4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics Camera supports all current browsers without requiring any additional plug-ins or add-ons (e.g. for H.264/H.265/MJPEG support).

### **Camera Login**

The default IP address of the camera is: 10.x.x.x. By default, the camera starts as DHCP client and automatically tries to get an IP address from a DHCP server.

- 1. Enter the camera's IP address in the URL bar of the web browser and hit "Enter".
- 2. Enter the default username (admin) and password (meinsm).

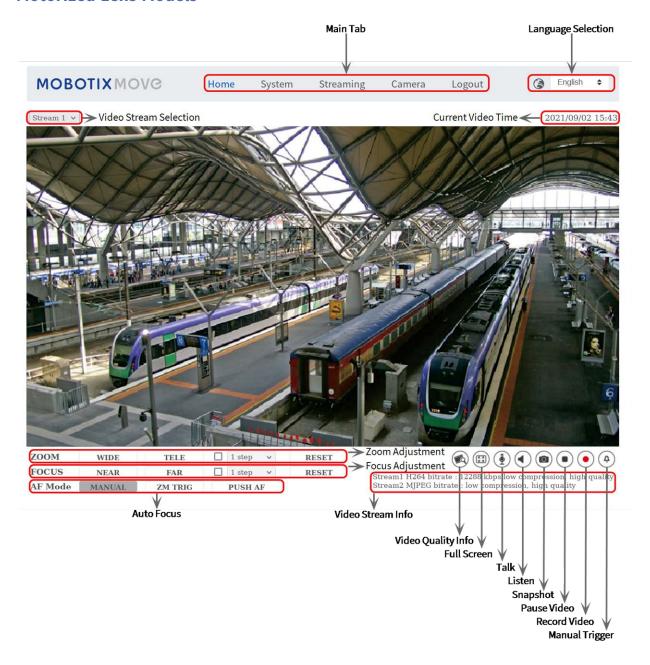
**NOTE!** User names and passwords are case sensitive.

3. You will be prompted to set a new admin user password.

**NOTE!** The password can have between 6 and 16 characters (at least one digit, no special characters allowed).

4. After setting a new password, you will be prompted to log in again. Remember to use the new password.

### **Motorized Lens Models**



### **Zoom and Focus Adjustment**

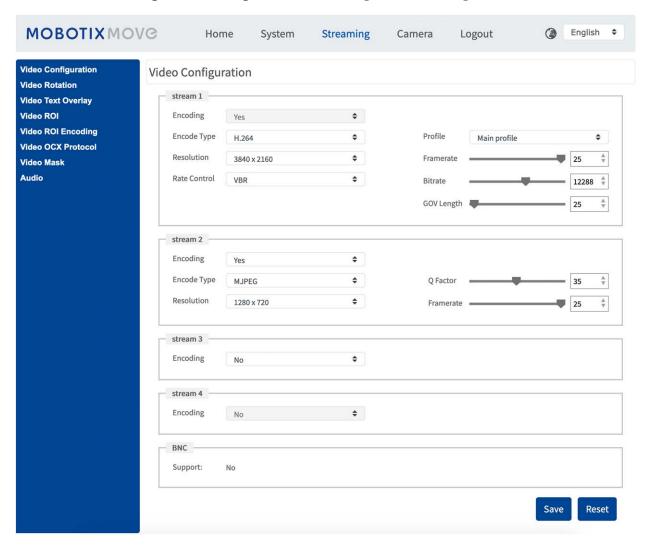
The live image will be displayed on the Home page when the camera is successfully accessed. If zoom or focus is not at the desired position, please use the function buttons on the Home page to

adjust zoom and focus.

**NOTE!** Refer to section Menu Reference, p. 31 of the Vandal Analytics WDR IP camera for more button function details.

# **Setting the Video Resolution**

To edit the video configuration settings, select **Streaming > Video Configuration**.



#### **Default Resolution**

The following table lists the default resolution of the camera.

IP Camera Model Default Resolution

4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics **WDR on/off** H.265/H.264: 3864 × 2180 (30 fps) +

Camera MJPEG: 1080p (30 fps)

**NOTE!** The maximum resolution of the camera can only be achieved when using **H.264/H.265** as encoding. When using **MJPEG** encoding, the *maximum resolution is limited to 1920* ×1080 *pixels*.

# **Exporting/Importing Configuration Files**

To export and import configuration files, you can access the Maintenance page on the user-friendly browser-based configuration interface.

To edit the Maintenance settings, select **System > Maintenance**.

You can export configuration files to a specified location and retrieve data by uploading an existing configuration file to the camera. This is especially convenient to make multiple cameras having the same configuration.

#### **Export**

Mx-VD1A-8-IR-VA

You can save the system settings by exporting the configuration file (.bin) to a specified location for future use.

- Click on the **Export** button, and the popup File Download window will come out.
- Click on Save and specify a desired location for saving the configuration file.

### **Upload**

To upload a configuration file to the camera, click on **Browse** to select the configuration file, and then click on the **Upload** button for uploading.

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### The Camera Menu

#### The camera's Home Page shows these main tabs at the top:

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You can monitor the live video of the targeted area.

#### The "System" Tab, p. 38

The administrator can set host name, system time, root password, network related settings, etc. Further details will be interpreted in chapter System.

#### The "Streaming" Tab, p. 88

The administrator can configure video format, video compression, video OCX protocol, video frame rate and audio compression in this page.

### The "Camera" Tab, p. 97

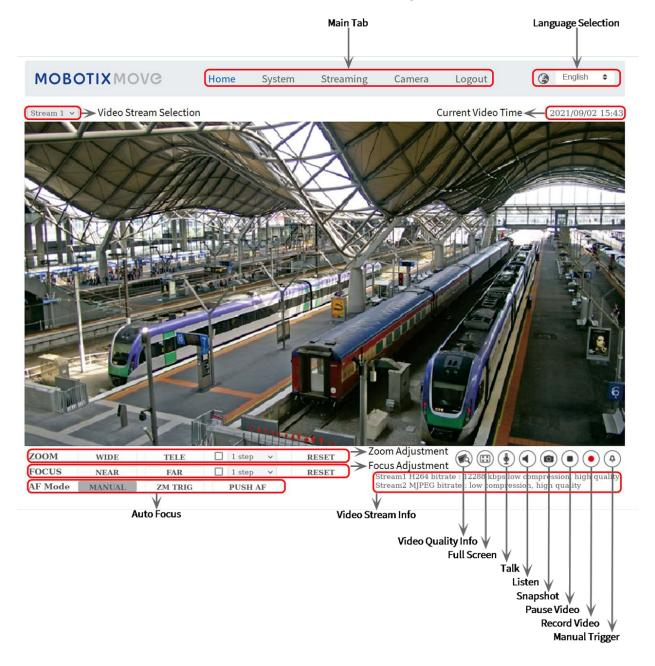
This tab is only available for the administrator and user accounts with camera control privileges. The tab includes these sections: **Exposure**, **White Balance**, **Sharpness**, **2D/3DNR**, **Digital Zoom**, **WDR**, etc.

#### The "Logout" Tab, p. 107

Click on the tab to log out of the camera system. Click on **Login** to log in again with a different user-name and password, for example.

## The "Home" Tab

Click on the tab **Home** to access the Home Page. There are several function buttons on this page. Detailed information of each item is as described in the following section.



**NOTE!** The function buttons on the Home page will vary according to different camera models.

### **Function Items on Home Page**

### **Multiple Languages Support**

Multiple languages are supported, including German, English, Spanish, French, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, Russian, Simplified Chinese and Traditional Chinese for the viewer window interface.

### **Display Stream Selection**

According to the streaming setting, you can choose the one stream to display from the drop-down menu.

#### **Digital Zoom Control**

In full screen mode you can use the digital PTZ by rotating the mouse wheel (for zooming in/out). Once you have zoomed in, you can drag the mouse in any direction to move the zoomed image.

#### Camera Info

Double-click on the live view pane, and the camera info window will pop up. You can instantaneously check the basic information of the camera, such as IP address, network status, video format, etc.

### Video Quality 🙈

Click to show/hide the video quality information including bitrate and compression.

### Full Screen 🖽

Use this button to switch the image display to full screen. Alternatively, right click on the **Live Video** pane and select **Fullscreen**.

To exit full screen mode:

- Tap **Esc** on the keyboard.
- Double-click on the **Live Video** pane.
- Right-click on the Live Video pane and select Normal view.

### Talk ( (On/Off)

Talk function allows the local site talks to the remote site. Click on the button to switch it to On/Off. Users must select the suitable transmission mode under this path: Streaming > Audio to enable this function.

### Listen **●** (On/Off)

Click on **Listen** to mute/activate the audio. Users must select the suitable transmission mode under **Streaming > Audio** to enable this function.

**NOTE!** Both Talk and Listen functions are only available for user accounts that have been granted this privilege by the administrator. Please see the **Talk/Listen** section in **System > Security >** Add User, p. 40 for further details.

### Snapshot

Click on the button and the JPEG snapshots will automatically be saved in the appointed place. The default place of saving snapshots is: C:\. To change the storage location, please see File Location (Snapshots and Web Recording), p. 85 for further details.

### Live View ● (▶ (Pause/Restart)

Click on **Pause** to disable video streaming, the live video will be displayed as black. Click on **Restart** to show the live video again.

### Web Recording (On/Off)

Click on **Record** and the Live View through the web browser will be directly recorded to the specific location on the local hard drive, which could be configured in the File Location page. The default storage location for the web recording is: C:\. Please see File Location (Snapshots and Web Recording), p. 85 for further details.

### Manual Trigger (A) (On/Off)

Click on **Manual Trigger** to activate/deactivate the manual trigger. Please see Manual Trigger, p. 72 for further details.

#### **Zoom Adjustment**

- Wide/Tele WIDE TELE
  Hold the WIDE/TELE button, and implement continuous zoom adjustment.
  For zoom lens models, optical zoom in/out functions can also be implemented by moving the cursor to the live video pane and scrolling the mouse wheel in Normal View display mode.
- Wide/Tele Steps 1 step ✓
  Select a Wide/Tele step value from the drop-down menu to shift the zoom lens according to the define value.
- Reset RESET
  Click on Reset, and the zoom lens will be calibrated to the maximum wide end.

### **Manual Focus Adjustment**

Near/Far NEAR FAR
 Hold the Near/Far button, and implement continuous focus adjustment.

■ Near/Far Steps ✓ 1 step ✓

Select a Tele/Wide step value from the drop-down menu to shift the focus lens according to the defined value.

Reset RESET

Click on **Reset**, and the focus lens will first be reset to the maximum near end. Then the lens will be calibrated to a suitable position according to the monitoring environment.

# **Auto Focus (AF) Adjustment**

Manual MANUAL

Click on Manual, and you can adjust the focus manually via the Near / Far buttons.

- Zm Trig (Zoom Trigger AF) ZM TRIG

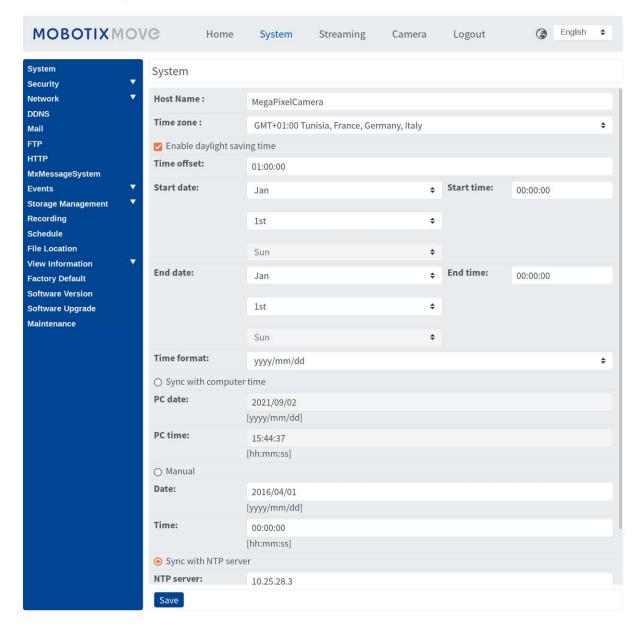
  In this mode, AF is activated every time when zoom is adjusted.
- Push AF PUSH AF

The One Push AF function is for fixing the focus with one click.

# The "System" Tab

The **System** tab contains the following sections:

System, Security, Network, DDNS, Mail, FTP, HTTP, MxMessageSystem, Events, Storage Management, Recording, Schedule, File Location, View Information, Factory Default, Software Version, Software Upgrade, Maintenance.



**NOTE!** Only administrators can access the **System** configuration page.

# **System**

To edit the system settings, select **System > System**.

#### **Host Name**

The name is for camera identification. If the alarm function (see Events (Alarm Settings), p. 56) is enabled and is set to send alarm messages by Mail/FTP, the host name entered here will be displayed in the alarm message.

#### **Time Zone**

Select the time zone from the drop-down menu according to the location of the camera.

# **Enable Daylight Saving Time**

To enable DST, please check the item and then specify the time offset and the DST duration. The format for time offset is [hh:mm:ss]; for instance, if the amount of time offset is one hour, please enter "01:00:00" into the field.

#### **Time format**

Choose a time format (yyyy/mm/dd or dd/mm/yyyy) from the drop-down menu. The format of the date and time displayed above the live video window will be changed according to the selected format.

## **Sync with Computer Time**

Select the item, and video date and time display will synchronize with the PC's.

**NOTE!** Users MUST click on **Save** to confirm the setting. Otherwise, the time will not be synced.

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The administrator can set video date and time manually. Entry format should be identical with the examples shown next to the enter fields.

# **Sync with NTP Server**

Network Time Protocol (NTP) is an alternate way to synchronize the camera's clock with a NTP server. Please specify the server that is wished to synchronize in the entry field. Then select an update interval from the drop-down menu. For further information about NTP, please open the web site www.ntp.org.

**NOTE!** The synchronization will be done every time the camera boots up.

Click on **Save** to confirm the setting.

# **Security**

To edit the security settings, select **System > Security**.

Click on **Security**, there will be a drop-down menu with tabs including **User**, **HTTPS**, **IP Filter**, and **IEEE 802.1X**.

## User

To edit the user settings, select **System > Security > User**.

#### **Admin Password**

This item is for the administrator to reset password. Enter the new password in **Admin password** and **Confirm password**. The input characters/numbers will be displayed as dots for security purposes. Click on **Save** to confirm the changes. After the changes are confirmed, the web browser will ask the administrator to re-login to the camera with the new password.

**NOTE!** The password can have between 6 and 16 characters (at least one digit, no special characters allowed).

#### Add User

This item is for the administrator to add new users. Enter the new user's name in **User name** and the password in **User password**. Username can be up to 16 characters, and the password can have between 6 and 16 characters (at least one digit, no special characters). Click on **Add** to add the new user. The name of the new added user will be displayed in the **User name** drop-down menu under **Manage User**. There is a maximum of twenty user accounts.

Activate the boxes below to give privileges for functions:

#### I/O access

This item supports fundamental functions that enable users to view the live video when accessing to the camera.

## Camera control

This item allows the appointed user to change camera parameters on the **Camera** and **Pan Tilt** setting page.

## ■ Talk/Listen

This item allows the appointed user in the local site (camera site) to communicate with, for instance, the administrator in the remote site.

# **Manage User**

## Delete user

Pull down the **User name** drop-down menu and select the username that is wished to be deleted. Click on **Delete** to remove the selected name.

#### Edit user

Pull down the **User name** drop-down menu and select the username. Click on **Edit** and a popup window will appear. In the appeared window, enter the new user password and reset the privileges. Click on **Save** to confirm the changes. Then click on **Close** to complete the editing.

# **HTTP Authentication Setting**

This setting allows secured connections between the IP camera and web browser by enforcing access controls to web resources. When users approach to the web browser, it'll ask for username and password, which protects the camera settings or live streaming information from snooping. There are two security models available: Basic and Digest. Refer to the descriptions below for more details.

## Basic

This mode can only provide basic protection for the connection security. There will still be risks for the password being intercepted.

## Digest

Digest mode is a safer option for protection. The password is sent in an encrypted format to prevent it from being stolen.

**NOTE!** Users MUST click on **Save** to apply the setting.

## **Streaming Authentication Setting**

This setting provides security against unauthorized users from getting streaming via Real Time Streaming Protocol (RTSP). If the setting is enabled, users will be requested to enter user name and password before viewing the live streams. There are three security modes available: Disable, Basic and Digest. Refer to the descriptions below for more details.

#### Disable

If disable mode is selected, there will be no security provided to against unauthorized access. Users will not be asked to input user name and password for authentication.

#### Basic

This mode can only provide basic protection for the live streams. There will still be risks for the password being intercepted.

## Digest

Digest mode is a safer option for protection. The password is sent in an encrypted format to prevent it from being stolen.

**NOTE!** Users MUST click on **Save** to apply the setting.

#### **Enable Account Lockout Function**

The Account Lockout Function is to lock out an account when someone tries to log on unsuccessfully several times in a row. To protect user's account, "Account Lockout Function" is activated when multiple login failures occur. Check the box **Enable Account Lockout Function** and enter the number of threshold and duration.

#### Threshold

Threshold is a maximum number of login attempts, ranging from 5-20 times. The default value is 5 (attempts).

#### Duration

Duration is the length of time that the account remains locked once the account lockout function is triggered, ranging from 1-60 minute(s). The default value is 10 (mins).

## **HTTPS**

To edit the HTTPS settings, select **System > Security > HTTPS**.

**HTTPS** allows secure connections between the camera and the web browser using **Secure Socket Layer (SSL)** or **Transport Layer Security (TLS)**, which ensure camera settings or Username/Password info from snooping. It is required to install a self-signed certificate or a CA-signed certificate for implementing HTTPS.

To use HTTPS on the camera, an HTTPS certificate must be installed. The HTTPS certificate can be obtained by either creating and sending a certificate request to a Certificate Authority (CA), or by creating a self-signed HTTPS certificate.

#### **Enable HTTPS**

Check the box to enable HTTPS secure connection. Once enabled, choose one of the following secure modes.

#### HTTP & HTTPS

Under this mode, HTTP & HTTPS secure connections are enabled.

## HTTPS only

Under this mode, the secure connection is ensured by HTTPS only.

Click on **Save** to save the setting.

## **Generate Self-Signed Certificate**

Before a CA-issued certificate is obtained, you can create and install a self-signed certificate first.

Beneath **Generate Self-signed Certificate**, click on **Create** and provide the requested information as outlined under Provide the Certificate Information, p. 43.

**NOTE!** The self-signed certificate does not provide the same high level of security as when using a CA-issued certificate.

# **Install Signed Certificate**

Click on **Create Certificate Request** under **Install Signed Certificate** to create and submit a certificate request in order to obtain a signed certificate from CA.

Provide the request information in the create dialog. Please Provide the Certificate Information, p. 43 for more details.

When the request is complete, the subject of the Created Request will be shown in the field. Click on **Properties** below the Subject field, copy the PEM-formatted request and send it to the selected CA.

When the signed certificate is returned, install it by uploading the signed certificate.

#### **Provide the Certificate Information**

To create a Self-signed HTTPS Certificate or a Certificate Request to CA, please enter the information as requested.

Information Item	Create Self Signed Certificate	Create Certificate Request
Country	✓	✓
State or Province	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Locality	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Organization	$\checkmark$	✓
Organizational Unit	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Common Name	$\checkmark$	✓
Valid Days	✓	-

## Country

enter a two-letter combination code to indicate the country the certificate will be used in. For instance, type in "US" to indicate United States.

## State or Province

Enter the local administrative region.

## Locality

Enter other geographical information.

## Organization

Enter the name of the organization to which the entity identified in "Common Name" belongs.

## Organization Unit

Enter the name of the organizational unit to which the entity identified in "Common Name" belongs.

#### Common Name

Indicate the name of the person or other entity that the certificate identifies (often used to identify the website).

## Valid Days

Enter the period in days (1 to 9999) to indicate the valid period of certificate.

Click on **OK** to save the Certificate Information after completing the setting.

# **IP Filter**

To edit the IP filter settings, select **System > Security > IP Filter**.

With IP Filter, you can allow or deny specific IP addresses from accessing the camera.

#### **Enable IP Filter**

Check the box to enable the IP Filter function. Once enabled, the listed IP addresses (IPv4) in the **Filtered IP Addresses** list box will be allowed/denied to access the camera.

Select **Allow** or **Deny** from the drop-down menu and click on **Apply** to determine the IP filter behavior.

## **Add IP Address**

Input IP address at the blank space below the **Filtered IP Address** list and click **Add**. The newly-added address will be shown in the list. Up to 256 IP address entries can be specified.

In addition, to filter a group of IP addresses, enter an address at the blank space followed with a slash and a number ranging from 1 to 31, e.g. 192.168.2.81/30. The number after the slash can define how many IP addresses will be filtered. For details, please refer to Example: Filtering a Group of Consecutive IP Addresses, p. 44 below.

#### **Delete IP Address**

To remove an IP address from the **Filtered IP Address** list, select the address and click on **Delete**.

## **Example: Filtering a Group of Consecutive IP Addresses**

1. Convert 192.168.2.81/30 to binary numbers (see Appendix B: Converting IP Addresses from Decimal to Binary, p. 108). The binary numbers are 11000000.10101000.00000010.01010001. The number "30" after the slash is referring to the first 30 digits of the binary numbers.

- 2. Convert a few IP addresses before and after 192.168.2.81 to binary numbers. Then compare their first 30 digits with the binary numbers of 192.168.2.81.
  - 1. Convert 192.168.2.80 to binary numbers. The binary numbers are 11000000.10101000.0000010.01010000. The first 30 digits are the same with the binary numbers of 192.168.2.81, thus 192.168.2.80 will be filtered.
  - 2. Convert 192.168.2.79 to binary numbers. The binary numbers are 11000000.10101000.00000010.01001111. The first 30 digits are different with the binary numbers of 192.168.2.81, thus 192.168.2.79 will not be filtered. This also means the IP addresses before 192.168.2.79 will not be filtered. Therefore, you can stop converting the IP addresses before 192.168.2.79 to binary numbers.
  - 3. Repeat the same procedure in "a" with the IP addresses after 192.168.2.81. Stop when the situation occurs in "b" happened. Namely, the 30th digit of the binary numbers of IP address 192.168.2.84 is different, and will not be filtered.

As a result, the IP addresses 192.168.2.80 to 192.168.2.83 will be filtered when entering 192.168.2.81/30. The following table clearly shows the 30<sup>th</sup> digit of the binary numbers of IP addresses 192.168.79 and 192.168.84 are different from the others. Therefore, these two IP addresses will not be filtered.

IP Addresses	Binary Numbers
192.168.2.79	11000000.10101000.00000010.01001111
192.168.2.80	11000000.10101000.00000010.01010000
192.168.2.81	11000000.10101000.00000010.01010001
192.168.2.82	11000000.10101000.00000010.01010010
192.168.2.83	11000000.10101000.00000010.01010011
192.168.2.84	11000000.10101000.00000010.01010100

## **IEEE 802.1X**

To edit the IEEE 802.1x settings, select **System > Security > IEEE 802.1X**.

The camera is allowed to access a network protected by 802.1X/EAPOL (Extensible Authentication Protocol over LAN).

Choose **On** to enable the IEEE 802.1X function.

Select one among the four protocol types: EAP-MD5, EAP-TLS, EAP-TTLS and EAP-PEAP.

Users need to contact with the network administrator for gaining certificates, user IDs and passwords.

#### **CA Certificate**

The CA certificate is created by the Certification Authority for the purpose of validating itself. Upload the certificate for checking the server's identity.

## **Client Certificate/Private Key**

Upload the Client Certificate and Private Key for authenticating the camera itself.

#### **Settings**

## Identity

Enter the user identity associated with the certificate. Up to 16 characters can be used.

## Private Key Password

Enter the password (maximum 16 characters) for user identity.

#### Save IEEE 802.1X

Click on **Save** to save the IEEE 802.1X/EAP- TLS setting.

# **Network**

To edit the network settings, select **System > Network**.

Click on **Network**, there will be a drop-down menu with tabs including **Basic**, **QoS**, **SNMP**, and **UPnP** 

## **Basic**

To edit the basic settings, select **System > Network > Basic**.

This setting page is for setting a new IP address for the camera, configuring other network-related parameters and activating IPv6 address (if the network supports it).

## General

This setting menu is for configuring a new IP address for the camera. To setup an IP address, please find out the network type first. Contact the network provider for it. Then refer to the network type and follow the instructions to setup the IP address.

**NOTE!** If the network type is Point-to-Point Protocol over Ethernet (PPPoE), please obtain the PPPoE username and password from the network provider.

## Get IP address automatically (DHCP)

Select the item and click **Save** to confirm the new setting. A note for camera system reboot will appear. Click **OK** and the camera system will restart. The camera will be assigned with a new IP address. Close the web browser and search the camera through the installer program: DeviceSearch.exe. Refer to the steps below to connect the camera through "DeviceSearch" software.

**NOTE!** Before searching the camera through DeviceSearch.exe, please record the camera's MAC address, which can be found on the label or on the package container of the camera, for later use and identification in the future.

- Double-click on the program DeviceSearch.exe.
- After its window appears, click on **Device Search** on the top. All the finding IP devices will be listed in the page.
- Find the camera by its MAC address.
- Then double-click or right click and select **Browse** to access the camera directly by the web browser.
- A prompt window requesting for the username and the password will appear. Enter the username and the password to login to the camera.

#### Use fixed IP address

Select the item and insert the new IP address, e.g. 192.168.7.123. Note that the inserted IP address should be in the same LAN as the PC's IP address. Then go to the Default gateway (explained later) blank and change the setting, e.g. 192.168.7.254. Click on **Save** to confirm the new setting. A note for system restart will appear, click **OK** and the camera system will restart. Wait for 15 seconds. The camera's IP address in the URL bar will be changed, and users have to login again.

When using a static IP address to connect the camera, you can access the camera by inputting the IP address in the URL bar and hit **Enter** on the keyboard. Alternatively, you can access the camera by the installer program: DeviceSearch.exe. Refer to the steps below to connect the camera through "DeviceSearch" software with a static IP address.

- Double-click on the program DeviceSearch.exe.
- After its window appears, click on **Device Search** on the top. All the finding IP devices will be listed in the page.
- Find the camera by its IP address.
- Then double-click or right click and select **Browse** to access the camera directly by the web browser.
- A prompt window requesting for the username and the password will appear. Enter the username and the password to login to the camera.

#### ■ IP address

This is necessary for network identification.

#### Subnet mask

It is used to determine if the destination is in the same subnet. The default value is "255.255.255.0".

## Default gateway

This is the gateway used to forward frames to destinations in different subnet. Invalid gateway setting will fail the transmission to destinations in different subnet.

## Primary DNS

Primary DNS is the primary domain name server that translates hostnames into IP addresses.

## Secondary DNS

Secondary DNS is a secondary domain name server that backs up the primary DNS.

## Use PPPoE

For the PPPoE users, enter the PPPoE username and password into the enter fields, and click on **Save** to complete the setting.

#### **Advanced**

The following introduces the camera's Web Server port, RTSP port, MJPEG over HTTP port, and HTTPS port.

#### Web Server port

The default web server port is 80. With the default web server port '80', you can simply input the IP address of the camera in the URL bar of a web browser to connect the camera. When the web server port is changed to any number other than 80, users have to enter the camera's IP address followed by a colon and the port number. For instance, a camera whose IP address is set as 192.168.0.100 and web server port as 8080 can be connected by entering "http://192.168.0.100:8080" in the URL bar.

## RTSP port

The default setting of RTSP Port is 554; the RTSP Port should be set as 554 or from the range 1024 to 65535.

## ■ MJPEG over HTTP port

The default setting of MJPEG over HTTP Port is 8008; the MJPEG over HTTP Port should be set as 8008 or from the range1024 to 65535.

## HTTPS port

The default setting of HTTPS Port is 443; the HTTPS Port should be set as 443 or from the range 1024 to 65535.

**NOTE!** Please make sure the port numbers set above are not the same with each other; otherwise, network conflict may occur.

## RTSP URL

When users use RTSP players to view the live streaming, the camera provides the flexibility to configure the streaming access name for stream 1 to stream 4. The streaming format is rtsp://ip address:rtsp port/access name. Take a camera whose IP address is set as 192.168.0.100 for example, if users enter "liveview.1" in the blank of stream 1 access name, the streaming address of stream 1 will be rtsp://192.168.0.100:554/liveview.1.

**NOTE!** The maximum length of the access name is 32 characters, and the valid characters are A-Z, a-z, 0-9 and !#\$%&'-.@^\_~.

## **IPv6 Address Configuration**

If the network supports IPv6, you can check the box beside **Enable IPv6** and click **Save**. An IPv6 address will appear beside **Address**, and you can use it to connect to the camera.

# QoS

To edit the QoS (*Quality of Service*) settings, select **System > Network > QoS**.

QoS allows providing differentiated service levels for different types of traffic packets, which guarantees delivery of priority services especially when network congestion occurs. Adapting the Differentiated Services (DiffServ) model, traffic flows are classified and marked with DSCP (DiffServ Codepoint) values, and thus receive the corresponding forwarding treatment from DiffServ capable routers.

## **DSCP Settings**

The DSCP value range is from 0 to 63. The default DSCP value is 0 (DSCP disabled). The camera uses the following QoS Classes:

## Management DSCP

**NOTE!** The class consists of HTTP traffic: Web browsing.

#### ■ Stream 1~4 DSCP

NOTE! You can set the Audio/Video DSCP of each stream.

#### Video DSCP

The class consists of applications such as MJPEG over HTTP, RTP/RTSP and RTSP/HTTP.

# Audio DSCP

This setting is only available for the cameras that support audio.

**NOTE!** To enable this function, please make sure the switches/routers in the network support QoS.

# **VLAN**

To edit the VLAN settings, select **System > Network > VLAN**.

Check the box **Enable VLAN** to activate the VLAN function. Enter the VLAN ID. The allowed range of VLAN ID is from 1 to 4095. The default value is 20.

#### CoS

CoS stands for *Class of Service*. The higher the value of CoS is, the better transmission performance will be. The value also determines the transmission priority among the following three classes:

#### Live Video

The value range is from 0 to 7.

#### Live Audio

The value range is from 0 to 7.

#### Management

The value range is from 0 to 7.

# **SNMP**

To edit the SNMP (Simple Network Management Protocol) settings, select **System > Network > SNMP**.

With Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) support, the camera can be monitored and managed remotely by the network management system.

## SNMP v1/v2

## ■ Enable SNMP v1/v2

Select the version of SNMP to use by checking the box.

# Read Community

Specify the community name that has read-only access to all supported SNMP objects. The default value is "public".

# Write Community

Specify the community name that has read/write access to all supported SNMP objects (except read-only objects). The default value is "private".

#### SNMP v3

SNMP v3 supports an enhanced security system that provides protection against unauthorized users and ensures the privacy of the messages. Users will be requested to enter security name, authentication password and encryption password while setting the camera connections in the network management system. With SNMP v3, the messages sent between the cameras and the network management system will be encrypted to ensure privacy.

## ■ Enable SNMP v3

Enable SNMP v3 by checking the box.

## Security Name

The maximum length of the security name is 32 characters.

**NOTE!** The valid characters are A-Z, a-z, 0-9 and !#\$%&'-.@^\_~.

## Authentication Type

There are two authentication types available: MD5 and SHA. Select **SHA** for a higher security level.

# Authentication Password

The authentication password must be 8 characters or more. The input characters/numbers will be displayed as dots for security purposes.

**NOTE!** The valid characters are A-Z, a-z, 0-9 and !#\$%&'-.@^ ~.

## Encryption Type

There are two encryption types available: DES and AES. Select **AES** for a higher security level.

## Encryption Password

The minimum length of the encryption password is 8 characters and the maximum length is 512 characters. The input characters/numbers will be displayed as dots for security purposes. The encryption password can also be left blank. However, the messages will not be encrypted to protect privacy.

**NOTE!** The valid characters are A-Z, a-z, 0-9 and !#\$%&'-.@^\_~.

## Traps for SNMP v1/v2/v3

Traps are used by the camera to send messages to a management system for important events or status changes.

## Enable Traps

Check the box to activate trap reporting.

# Trap address

Enter the IP address of the management server.

## ■ Trap community

Enter the community to use when sending a trap message to the management system.

# **Trap Option**

#### Warm Start

A Warm Start SNMP trap signifies that the SNMP device, i.e. IP camera, performs software reload.

Click on **Save** when completed.

## **UPnP**

To edit the UPnP settings, select **System > Network > UPnP**.

# **UPnP Setting**

# Enable UPnP

When the UPnP is enabled, whenever the camera is presented to the LAN, the icon of the connected cameras will appear in My Network Places to allow for direct access.

**NOTE!** To enable this function, please make sure the UPnP component is installed on the computer. Please see Appendix A: Installing UPnP Components, p. 107 for the installation procedure.

## Enable UPnP port forwarding

When the UPnP port forwarding is enabled, the camera is allowed to open the web server port on the router automatically.

**NOTE!** To enable this function, please make sure that the router supports UPnP and it is activated.

## Friendly name

Set a name for the camera for identity.

Click on Save when finished.

# **DDNS**

To edit the DDNS settings, select **System > DDNS**.

Dynamic Domain Name System (DDNS) allows a host name to be constantly synchronized with a dynamic IP address. In other words, it allows those using a dynamic IP address to be associated to a static domain name so others can connect to it by name.

#### **Enable DDNS**

Check the item to enable DDNS.

# **Provider**

Select one DDNS host from the provider list.

#### **Host name**

Enter the registered domain name in the field.

## Username/E-Mail

Enter the username or E-mail required by the DDNS provider for authentication.

# Password/Key

Enter the password or key required by the DDNS provider for authentication.

# Mail

To edit the mail settings, select **System > Mail**.

The administrator can send an E-mail via Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP) when an alarm is triggered. SMTP is a protocol for sending E-mail messages between servers. SMTP is a relatively

simple, text-based protocol, where one or more recipients of a message are specified and the message text is transferred.

Two sets of SMTP can be configured. Each set includes SMTP Server, Account Name, Password and E-mail Address settings. For SMTP server, contact the network service provider for more specific information.

Click on **Save** when finished. Then, please click on **Test** to check the connection between the camera and the specified SMTP server.

# **FTP**

To edit the FTP settings, select **System > FTP**.

The administrator can set the camera to send the alarm messages to a specific File Transfer Protocol (FTP) site when an alarm is triggered. You can assign alarm message to up to two FTP sites. Enter the FTP details, which include server, server port, username, password and remote folder, in the fields. Click on **Save** when finished. Then, please click on **Test** to check the connection between the camera and the specified FTP server.

# **HTTP**

To edit the HTTP settings, select **System > HTTP**.

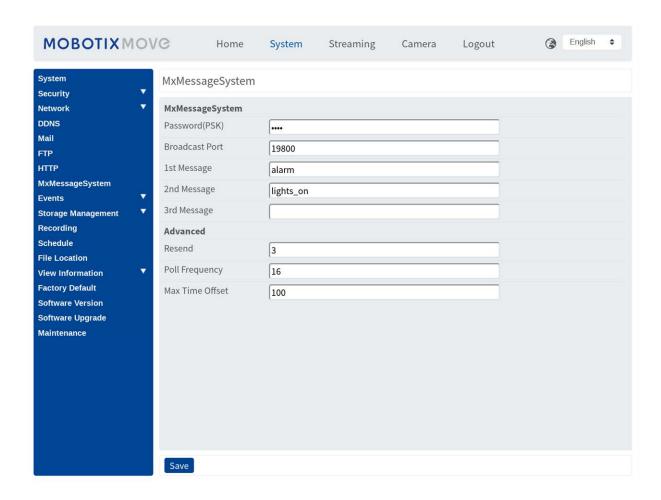
An HTTP Notification server can listen for the notification messages from the cameras by triggered events. Enter the HTTP details, which include server name (for instance, http://192.168.0.100/admin.php), username, and password in the fields. **Alarm** triggered and **Motion Detection** notifications can be sent to the specified HTTP server.

Click on Save when finished.

**NOTE!** Please see **Events > Application >** Send HTTP Notification, p. 58 for the HTTP notification settings.

# **MxMessageSystem**

To edit the MxMessageSystem settings, select **System > MxMessageSystem**.



The camera can send notifications via the MxMessageSystem by triggered events.

# MxMessageSystem

**Password (PSK):** The communication is SSH encrypted. Enter your private security key.

**Broadcast Port:** Enter the broadcast port of the MxMessageSystem.

**Messages:** Enter up to three messages that can be sent to the MxMessageSystem.

## **Advanced**

**Resend:** This parameter specifies how often in total the message will be resent. Many resends increase the probability that the message is actually received, but they also create heavier network load.

**Poll frequency:** This parameter specifies how often per second the messages will be sent. A higher frequency reduces latency, but creates heavier network load.

**Max. Time Offset:** Maximum difference between the message timestamp and the system time. Messages with a greater difference are discarded. It is highly recommended to synchronize the system time of all message system components using NTP (in the Date and Time dialog).

Click on Save when finished.

**NOTE!** Refer to Events > Application > Send MxMessage events.

# **Events (Alarm Settings)**

To edit the events settings, select **System > Events**. You will see these sections:

- Application
- Motion Detection
- Network Failure Detection
- MxMessageSystem Event
- Periodical Event
- Manual Trigger
- Audio Detection

# **Application**

To edit the application settings, select **System > Events > Application**.

The camera supports one alarm input and one relay output for cooperation with alarm system to catch event images. Refer to alarm pin definition below to connect alarm devices to the camera if needed.

#### **Alarm Switch**

The default setting for the Alarm Switch function is **Off**. Enable the function by selecting **On**. You can also activate the function according to the schedule previously set in the **Schedule** setting page. Select **By schedule** and click **Please select...** to choose the desired schedule from the drop-down menu.

## **Alarm Type**

Select an alarm type, **Normal close** or **Normal open**, that corresponds with the alarm application.

## **Triggered Action**

The administrator can specify alarm actions that will take when the alarm is triggered. All options are listed as follows.

# ■ Enable Alarm Output (high/low)

Select the item to enable alarm relay output.

#### IR Cut Filter

Select the item and the IR cut filter (ICR) of the camera will be removed (on) or blocked (off) when alarm input is triggered. This function is only available for models with IR cut filter.

**NOTE!** The IR Function (see IR Function, p. 103) could not be set as **Auto** mode if this triggered action is enabled.

## ■ Send Message by FTP/E-Mail

The administrator can select whether to send an alarm message by FTP and/or E-mail when an alarm is triggered.

## Upload Image by FTP

Select this item and the administrator can assign an FTP site and configure various parameters. When the alarm is triggered, event images will be uploaded to the appointed FTP site. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after the alarm input is triggered.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for** \_\_ **sec** and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploaded to FTP when the alarm input is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to make the images keep being uploaded to FTP during the trigger active until the alarm is released. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames.

**NOTE!** Make sure FTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section FTP for further details.

## ■ Upload Image by E-Mail

Select this item and the administrator can assign an E-mail address and configure various parameters. When the alarm input is triggered, event images will be sent to the appointed E-mail address. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after alarm input is triggered.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for** \_\_ **sec** and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploading by E-mail when the alarm input is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to make the images keep being uploaded to E-mail during the trigger active until the alarm is released. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames.

**NOTE!** Make sure SMTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section Mail for further details.

#### Send HTTP Notification

Check this item and select the destination HTTP address. Then specify the parameters for event notifications by **Alarm** triggered. When an alarm is triggered, the HTTP notification will be sent to the specified HTTP server.

For instance, if the custom parameter is set as "action=1&group=2", and the HTTP server name is "http://192.168.0.100/admin.php", the notification will be sent to HTTP server as "http://192.168.0.100/ admin.php/action=1&group=2" when alarm is triggered.

## Send message by MxMessageSystem

Check this item and select a message to be sent to the MxMessageSystem accordingly. If required, add custom JSON parameters to the message.

## Record Video Clip

Check this item and select a video recording storage type, **SD Card** or **NAS** (Network-Attached Storage). The alarm-triggered recording will be saved into the microSD/SD card or the NAS.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** recording function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The pre-trigger buffer time range is from 1 to 3 sec.

Select **Upload for** \_\_ **sec** to set the recording duration after alarm is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to record the triggered video until the trigger is off.

**NOTE!** Please make sure the local recording (with microSD/SD card) or the remote recording (with NAS) is activated so that this function can be implemented. Refer to section Recording for further details.

#### File Name

Enter a file name in the blank, e.g. image.jpg. The file name format of the uploaded image can be set in this section. Please select the one that meets the requirements.

# Add date/time suffix

File name: imageYYMMDD\_HHNNSS\_XX.jpg

Y: Year, M: Month, D: Day

H: Hour, N: Minute, S: Second

X: Sequence Number

## Add sequence number suffix (no maximum value)

File name: imageXXXXXXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

## Add sequence number suffix up to # and then start over

File Name: imageXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

The file name suffix will end at the number being set. For example, if the setting is up to "10", the file name will start from 00, end at 10, and then start all over again.

## Overwrite

The original image in the FTP site will be overwritten by the new uploaded file with a static file name.

#### Save

Click on **Save** to keep the settings.

# **Motion Detection**

To edit the motion detection settings, select **System > Events > Motion Detection**.

Motion Detection function allows the camera to detect suspicious motion and trigger alarms by comparing sampling pixels in the detection area of two consecutive live images. When motion volume in the detection area reaches/exceeds the determined sensitivity threshold value, the alarm will be triggered.

The function supports up to 4 sets of Motion Detection Settings. Settings can be chosen from the Motion Detection drop-down menu.

#### **Motion Detection**

By default, Motion Detection function for each Motion Detection Setting is **Off**. Select **On** to enable Motion Detection. You can also activate the function according to the schedule previously set in the **Schedule** setting page. Select **By schedule** and click **Please select...** to choose the desired schedule from the drop-down menu.

## **Motion Region Paint**

The camera divides the detection area into 1200 (40x30) detection grids; you can draw the motion detection region using the paintbrush.

Check the box **Enable brush** and select the brush size, 1x1, 3x3 or 5x5. Then, left click and drag the mouse cursor to draw the preferred detection region. To erase the drawn detection region, left click and drag the mouse cursor on the colored grids.

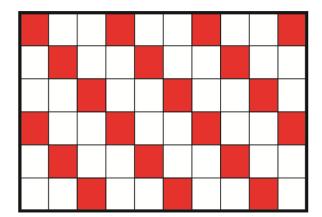


## **Motion Detection Setting**

Users could adjust various parameters of Motion Detection in this section.

## ■ Sampling pixel interval [1-10]:

This item is used to examine the differences between two frames. You can configure the interval of sampling pixel. The default value is 1. For instance, if users set the interval as 3, IP camera system will take one sampling pixel from every 3 pixels of each row and each column in detection area (refer to the figure below). The alarm will be triggered when differences are detected.



## ■ Detection level [1-100]:

You can configure detection level for each sampling pixel. Detection level is how much the camera can accept the differences between two sampling pixels. The smaller the value is, the more minor motions it detects. The default level is 10.

# Sensitivity level [1-100]:

The default level is 80, which means if 20% or more sampling pixels are detected differently, system will detect motion. The bigger the value, the more sensitive it is. Meanwhile, when the value is bigger, the red horizontal line in the motion indication window will be lower accordingly.

## ■ Time interval (sec) [0-7200]:

The value is the interval between each detected motion. The default interval is 10.

#### **Motion Indication Bar**

When Motion Detection function is activated and the motion is detected, the signals will be displayed on the motion indication bar. The motion indication bar will go green or red when there is any motion occurrence in the detection region.

Green suggests the occurring motion is detected and does not exceed the threshold of detection level and sensitivity level. No alarms will be triggered.



Red suggests the ongoing motion exceeds the threshold of detection level and sensitivity level. The alarm will be triggered.



## **Triggered Action (Multi-option)**

The administrator can specify alarm actions that will take when motion is detected. All options are listed as follows.

## Enable Alarm Output (high/low)

Check the item and select the predefined type of alarm output to enable alarm relay output when motion is detected.

## ■ Send Alarm Message by FTP/E-Mail

The administrator can select whether to send an alarm message by FTP and/or E-mail when motion is detected.

# Upload Image by FTP

Select this item and the administrator can assign an FTP site and configure various parameters. When motion is detected, event images will be uploaded to the appointed FTP site. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after motion event occurs.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for \_\_sec** and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploaded to FTP when the motion event occurs. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to make the images keep being uploaded to FTP during the trigger active until the event stops. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames per second.

**NOTE!** Make sure FTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section FTP for further details.

## ■ Upload Image by E-Mail

Select this item and the administrator can assign an E-mail address and configure various parameters. When motion is detected, event images will be sent to the appointed E-mail address. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after the motion event occurs.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for** \_\_sec and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploading by E-mail when the motion event occurs. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to make the images keep being uploaded to E-mail during the trigger active until the event stops. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames per second.

**NOTE!** Make sure SMTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section Mail for further details.

## Send HTTP Notification

Check this item, select the destination HTTP address, and specify the parameters for event notifications by **Motion Detection** triggered. When an alarm is triggered, the notification can be sent to the specified HTTP server.

For instance, if the custom parameter is set as "action=1&group=2", and the HTTP server name is "http://192.168.0.100/admin.php", the notification will be sent to HTTP server as "http://192.168.0.100/ admin.php/action=1&group=2" when alarm is triggered.

## Send message by MxMessageSystem

Check this item and select a message to be sent to the MxMessageSystem accordingly. If required, add custom JSON parameters to the message.

#### Record Video Clip

Check this item and select a video recording storage type, **SD Card** or **NAS** (Network-Attached Storage>. The Motion Detection recording will be stored in microSD/SD card or the NAS when motion is detected.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** recording function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The pre-trigger buffer time range is from 1 sec. to 3 sec. Select **Upload for** \_\_ **sec** to set the recording duration after motion is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to record the triggered video until the trigger is off.

**NOTE!** Please make sure the local recording (with microSD/SD card) or the remote recording (with NAS) is activated so that this function can be implemented. Refer to section Recording for further details.

#### File Name

Enter a file name in the blank, e.g. image.jpg. The uploaded image's file name format can be set in this section. Please select the one that meets the requirements.

## Add date/time suffix

File name: imageYYMMDD\_HHNNSS\_XX.jpg

Y: Year, M: Month, D: Day

H: Hour, N: Minute, S: Second

X: Sequence Number

## Add sequence number suffix (no maximum value)

File name: imageXXXXXXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

## Add sequence number suffix up to # and then start over

File Name: imageXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

The file name suffix will end at the number being set. For example, if the setting is up to "10", the file name will start from 00, end at 10, and then start all over again.

## Overwrite

The original image in the FTP site will be overwritten by the new uploaded file with a static file name.

## Save

Click on **Save** to keep the settings.

# **Network Failure Detection**

To edit the network failure detection settings, select **System > Events > Network Failure Detection**.

Network Failure Detection allows the camera to ping another IP device (e.g. NVR, VSS, Video Server, etc.) within the network periodically and generates some actions in case of network failure occurs, for instance, a Video Server is somehow disconnected.

Being capable of implementing local recording (through microSD/SD card) or remote recording (via NAS) when network failure happens, the camera can be a backup recording device for the surveillance system.

## **Detection Switch**

The default setting for the Detection Switch function is **Off**. Enable the function by selecting **On**. You can also activate the function according to the schedule time that is previously set in the **Schedule** setting page. Select **By schedule** and click **Please select...** to choose the desired schedule from the drop-down menu.

# **Detection Type**

Input the IP device address and the period of ping time to ping. The camera will ping the IP device every N minute(s). If it fails for up to three times, the alarm will be triggered. The ping time setting range is from 1 to 99 min.

## **Triggered Action**

The administrator can specify alarm actions that will take when network failure is detected. All options are listed as follows.

## ■ Enable Alarm Output (high/low)

Select the item to enable alarm relay output.

## Send Alarm Message by FTP/E-Mail

The administrator can select whether to send an alarm message by FTP and/or E-mail when an alarm is triggered.

## Send message by MxMessageSystem

Check this item and select a message to be sent to the MxMessageSystem accordingly. If required, add custom JSON parameters to the message.

#### Record Video Clip

Check the item and select a video recording storage type, **SD Card** or **NAS** (Network-Attached Storage). The alarm-triggered recording will be saved into the microSD/SD card.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** recording function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The pre-trigger buffer time range is from 1 to 3 sec. Select **Upload for** \_\_ **sec** to set the recording duration after alarm is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to record the triggered video until the trigger is off.

**NOTE!** Please make sure the local recording (with microSD/SD card) or the remote recording (with NAS) is activated so that this function can be implemented. Refer to section Recording for further details.

#### Save

Click on **Save** to keep the settings.

# **MxMessageSystem Event**

To edit the MxMessageSystem Event settings, select **System > Events > MxMessageSystem Event**. MxMessageSystem Alarm function can trigger an action if a notification by the MxMessageSystem is received

## **MxMessageSystem Alarm**

The default setting for the MxMessageSystem Alarm function is **Off**. Enable the function by selecting **On**. You can also activate the function according to the schedule previously set in the **Schedule** setting page. Select **By schedule** and click **Please select...** to choose the desired schedule from the drop-down menu.

## **MxMessageSystem Setting**

- Message Path/Name: Enter the message path of the MxMessage which should trigger an action. Minimum Tampering Duration is the time for video analysis to determine whether camera tampering has occurred. Minimum Duration could also be interpreted as defining the Tampering threshold; longer duration represents higher threshold. Settable Tampering Duration time range is from 10 to 3600 sec. The Default value is 20 sec.
- Action Duration: Set a time period in seconds after which a triggered action such as video recording is to be ended.

## **Triggered Action**

The administrator can specify alarm actions that will take when tampering is detected. All options are listed as follows.

## Enable Alarm Output (high/low)

Check the item and select the predefined type of alarm output to enable alarm output when tampering is detected.

## ■ IR cut filter

Set the IR cut filter on (default) or off.

## ■ Send Message by FTP/E-Mail

The administrator can select whether to send an alarm message by FTP and/or E-mail when tampering is detected.

## ■ Upload Image by FTP

Select this item and the administrator can assign an FTP site and configure various parameters. When tampering is detected, event images will be uploaded to the appointed FTP site. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after tampering is triggered.

**NOTE! Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on Streaming > Video Configuration is 6 or smaller.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for** \_\_ sec and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploaded to FTP when tampering is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload during the trigger active** to make the images keep being upload to FTP during the trigger active until the tampering stops. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames.

**NOTE!** Make sure FTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section FTP for further details.

#### Upload Image by E-Mail

Select this item and the administrator can assign an E-mail address and configure various parameters. When tampering is detected, event images will be sent to the appointed E-mail address. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after tampering occurs.

**NOTE!** Normally the setting range of the **Pre-trigger buffer** is 1 to 20 frames. However, the setting range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on the **Video Configuration** setting page is 6 or smaller.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for \_\_ sec** and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploading by E-mail when tampering is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload during the trigger active** to make the images keep being upload to E-mail during the trigger active until tampering stops. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 20 frames.

**NOTE!** Make sure SMTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section Mail for further details.

#### Send HTTP Notification

Check this item, select the destination HTTP address, and specify the parameters for HTTP notifications. When the Tampering Alarm is triggered, the HTTP notifications can be sent to the specified HTTP server.

For instance, if the custom parameter is set as "action=1&group=2", and the HTTP server name is "http://192.168.0.1/admin.php", the notification will be sent to HTTP server as "http://192.168.0.1/admin.php? action=1&group=2" when alarm is triggered.

# Send message by MxMessageSystem

Check this item and select a message to be sent to the MxMessageSystem accordingly. If required, add custom JSON parameters to the message.

## Record Video Clip

Check this item and select a video recording storage type, **SD Card** or **NAS** (Network-Attached Storage). The alarm-triggered recording will be stored into microSD/SD card or the NAS.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** recording function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The pre-trigger buffer time range is from 1 to 3 sec. Select **Upload for** \_\_ **sec** to set the recording duration after tampering occurs. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload during the trigger active** to record the triggered video until the trigger is off.

**NOTE!** Please make sure the local recording (with microSD/SD card) or the remote recording (with NAS) is activated so that this function can be implemented. Refer to section Recording for further details.

## File Name

Enter a file name in the blank, e.g. image.jpg. The uploaded image's file name format can be set in this section. Please select the one that meets the requirements.

## Add date/time suffix

File name: imageYYMMDD\_HHNNSS\_XX.jpg

Y: Year, M: Month, D: Day

H: Hour, N: Minute, S: Second

X: Sequence Number

## Add sequence number suffix (no maximum value)

File name: imageXXXXXXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

## Add sequence number suffix up to # and then start over

File Name: imageXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

The file name suffix will end at the number being set. For example, if the setting is up to "10", the file name will start from 00, end at 10, and then start all over again.

## Overwrite

The original image in the FTP site will be overwritten by the new uploaded file with a static file name.

#### Save

Click on **Save** to keep the settings.

## **Periodical Event**

To edit the periodical event settings, select **System > Events > Periodical Event**.

With Periodical Event setting, you can set the camera to upload images periodically to an FTP site or an E-mail address. For example, if the time interval is set to 60 seconds, the camera will upload images to the FTP site or the E-mail address every 60 seconds. The images to be uploaded are the images before and after the triggered moment. You can define how many images to be uploaded in the **Triggered Action** section of this setting page.

#### **Periodical Event**

The default setting for the Periodical Event function is **Off**. Enable the function by selecting **On**.

#### Time Interval

The default value of the time interval is 60 seconds. The setting range of the time interval is from 60 to 3600 seconds.

## **Triggered Action**

## Upload Image by FTP

Select this item and the administrator can assign an FTP site and configure various parameters. Images will be uploaded to the appointed FTP site periodically. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function can define how many images to be uploaded before the triggered moment. The **Post-trigger buffer** function can define how many images to be uploaded after the triggered moment.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

**NOTE!** Make sure FTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section FTP of this chapter for further details.

## ■ Upload Image by E-mail

Select this item and the administrator can assign an E-mail address and configure various parameters. Images will be uploaded to the appointed E-mail address periodically. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function can define how many images to be uploaded before the triggered moment. The **Post-trigger buffer** function can define how many images to be uploaded after the triggered moment.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

**NOTE!** Make sure SMTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section Mail of this chapter for further details.

## Upload Image to SD Card

Select this item, and then the images will be uploaded to the SD card periodically. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function can define how many images to be uploaded before the triggered moment. The **Post-trigger buffer** function can define how many images to be uploaded after the triggered moment.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

**NOTE!** Before implementing **Upload Image to SD Card**, please make sure that the SD Card is properly detected and installed. Refer to **Storage Management > SD Card > Device Information** for further details.

# Send message by MxMessageSystem

Check this item and select a message to be sent to the MxMessageSystem accordingly. If required, add custom JSON parameters to the message.

#### **File Name**

Enter a file name in the blank, e.g. image.jpg. The uploaded image's file name format can be set in this section. Please select the one that meets the requirements.

## Add date/time suffix

File name: imageYYMMDD\_HHNNSS\_XX.jpg

Y: Year, M: Month, D: Day

H: Hour, N: Minute, S: Second

X: Sequence Number

## Add sequence number suffix (no maximum value)

File name: imageXXXXXXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

# Add sequence number suffix up to # and then start over

File Name: imageXX.jpg
X: Sequence Number

**NOTE!** The file name suffix will end at the number being set. For example, if the setting is up to "10", the file name will start from 00, end at 10, and then start all over again.

#### Overwrite

The original image in the FTP site will be overwritten by the new uploaded file with a static file name.

#### Save

Click on **Save** to keep the settings.

# **Manual Trigger**

To edit the manual trigger settings, select **System > Events > Manual Trigger**.

With Manual Trigger setting, the current image(s) or video can be uploaded to the appointed destination, such as an FTP site or an E-mail address. The administrator can specify the triggered actions that will take when the users switch the Manual Trigger button to ON. All options are listed as follows.

## **Manual Trigger**

The default setting for the Manual Trigger function is **Off**. Enable the function by selecting **On**. After the Manual Trigger function is enabled, click the Manual Trigger button on the Home page to start uploading data. Click again to stop uploading.

## **Triggered Action**

The administrator can specify alarm actions that will take at an alarm occurrence. All options are listed as follows.

# ■ Enable Alarm Output (high/low)

Select these items to enable alarm relay outputs.

#### IR Cut Filter

Select the item and the IR cut filter (ICR) of the camera will be removed (on) or blocked (off) when alarm input is triggered. This function is only available for models with IR cut filter.

**NOTE!** The IR Function (see IR Function, p. 103) could not be set as **Auto** mode if this triggered action is enabled.

#### ■ Send Message by FTP/E-Mail

The administrator can select whether to send an alarm message by FTP and/or E-mail when an alarm is triggered.

#### Upload Image by FTP

Select this item and the administrator can assign an FTP site and configure various parameters. When the alarm is triggered, event images will be uploaded to the appointed FTP site. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what happened to cause the trigger.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after the alarm input is triggered.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for** \_\_sec and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploaded to FTP when the alarm input is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to make the images keep being uploaded to FTP during the trigger active until the alarm is released. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames per second.

**NOTE!** Make sure the FTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section FTP for further details.

#### ■ Upload Image by E-Mail

Select this item and the administrator can assign an E-mail address and configure various parameters. When the alarm is triggered, event images will be sent to the appointed E-mail address. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what happened to cause the trigger. The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after alarm input is triggered.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for** \_\_sec and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploading by E-mail when the alarm input is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to make the images keep being uploaded to E-mail during the trigger active until the alarm is released. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames per second.

**NOTE!** Make sure SMTP configuration has been completed. Please see Mail, p. 53 for further details.

#### Send HTTP notification

Check this item, select the destination HTTP address, and specify the parameters for event notifications by **Alarm** triggered. When an alarm is triggered, the notification can be sent to the specified HTTP server.

For instance, if the custom parameter is set as "action=1&group=2", and the HTTP server name is "http://192.168.0.1/admin.php", the notification will be sent to the HTTP server as "http://192.168.0.1/admin.php?action=1&group=2" when alarm is triggered.

#### Send message by MxMessageSystem

Check this item and select a message to be sent to the MxMessageSystem accordingly. If required, add custom JSON parameters to the message.

#### Record Video Clip

Check the item and select a video recording storage type, **SD Card** or **NAS** (Network-Attached Storage). The alarm-triggered recording will be saved into the microSD/SD card or the NAS.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** recording function allows users to check what caused the trigger. The pre-trigger buffer time range is from 1 to 3 sec. Select **Upload for** \_\_ **sec** to set the recording duration after alarm is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to record the triggered video until the trigger is off.

**NOTE!** Please make sure the local recording (with microSD/SD card) or the remote recording (with NAS) is activated so that this function can be implemented. Refer to section Recording for further details.

#### File Name

Enter a file name in the File name field, ex. image.jpg. The uploaded image's file name format can be set in this section. Please select the one that meets the requirements.

#### Add date/time suffix

File name: imageYYMMDD HHNNSS XX.jpg

Y: Year, M: Month, D: Day

H: Hour, N: Minute, S: Second

X: Sequence Number

#### Add sequence number suffix (no maximum value)

File name: imageXXXXXXX.jpg

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#### Add sequence number suffix up to # and then start over

File Name: imageXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

**NOTE!** The file name suffix will end at the number being set. For example, if the setting is up to "10", the file name will start from 00, end at 10, and then start all over again.

#### Overwrite

The original image in the FTP site will be overwritten by the new uploaded file with a static file name.

#### Save

Click on **Save** to keep the settings.

#### **Audio Detection**

To edit the audio detection settings, select **System > Events > Audio Detection**.

Audio Detection function allows the camera to detect audio and trigger alarms when audio volume in the detected area reaches/exceeds the determined sensitivity threshold value.

**NOTE!** Audio Detection function is only available for models equipped with Audio I/O function.

#### **Audio Detection**

In Audio Detection Setting, the default setting for the Audio Detection function is **Off**. Enable the function by selecting **On**.

#### **Audio Detection Setting**

Users could adjust various parameters of Audio Detection in this section.

#### Detection level [1-100]:

The item is to set detection level for each sampling volume; the smaller the value, the more sensitive it is. The default level is 10.

#### ■ Time interval (sec) [0-7200]:

The value is the interval between each detected audio. The default interval is 10.

#### **Triggered Action**

The administrator can specify alarm actions that will take when audio is detected. All options are listed as follows.

#### Enable Alarm Output (high/low)

Select these items to enable alarm relay outputs.

#### ■ Send Alarm Message by FTP/E-Mail

The administrator can select whether to send an alarm message by FTP and/or E-mail when audio is detected.

#### Upload Image by FTP

Select this item and the administrator can assign an FTP site and configure various parameters. When audio is detected, event images will be uploaded to the appointed FTP site. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what happened to cause the trigger.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after audio event occurs.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for** \_\_sec and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploaded to FTP when the audio event occurs. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to make the images keep being uploaded to FTP during the trigger active until the event stops. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames per second.

**NOTE!** Make sure FTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section FTP for further details.

#### Upload Image by E-Mail

Select this item and the administrator can assign an E-mail address and configure various parameters. When audio is detected, event images will be sent to the appointed E-mail address. Note that to implement this function, one of the streaming MUST be set as MJPEG; otherwise, this function will be grayed out and cannot be accessed.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** function allows users to check what happened to cause the trigger. The **Pre-trigger buffer** frame rate could be pre-determined. On the other hand, **Post-trigger buffer** is for users to upload certain amount of images after the audio event occurs.

**NOTE!** The **Pre-trigger buffer** generally ranges from 1 to 20 frames. However, the range will change accordingly if the frame rate of MJPEG on **Streaming > Video Configuration** is 6 or lower.

Check the box **Continue image upload** to upload the triggered images during certain time or keep uploading until the trigger is off. Select **Upload for \_\_sec** and enter the duration in the blank. The images of the duration will be uploading by E-mail when the audio event occurs. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to make the images keep being uploaded to E-mail during the trigger active until the event stops. Set the Image frequency as the upload frame rate. The setting range is from 1 to 15 frames per second.

**NOTE!** Make sure SMTP configuration has been completed. Refer to section Mail for further details.

#### Send HTTP Notification

Check this item, select the destination HTTP address, and specify the parameters for event notifications by **Audio Detection** triggered. When an alarm is triggered, the notification can be sent to the specified HTTP server.

For instance, if the custom parameter is set as "action=1&group=2", and the HTTP server name is "http://192.168.0.1/admin.php", the notification will be sent to HTTP server as "http://192.168.0.1/admin.php? action=1&group=2" when alarm is triggered.

#### Send message by MxMessageSystem

Check this item and select a message to be sent to the MxMessageSystem accordingly. If required, add custom JSON parameters to the message.

#### Record Video Clip

Check this item and select a video recording storage type, **SD Card** or **NAS** (Network-Attached Storage>. The Audio Detection recording will be stored in microSD/SD card or the NAS when audio is detected.

The **Pre-trigger buffer** recording function allows users to check what happened to cause the trigger. The pre-trigger buffer time range is from 1 to 3 sec. Select **Upload for \_\_ sec** to set the recording duration after audio is triggered. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 sec. Select **Upload while the trigger is active** to record the triggered video until the trigger is off.

**NOTE!** Please make sure the local recording (with microSD/SD card) or the remote recording (with NAS) is activated so that this function can be implemented. Refer to section Recording for further details.

#### **File Name**

Enter a file name in the blank, e.g. image.jpg. The uploaded image's file name format can be set in this section. Please select the one that meets the requirements.

#### Add date/time suffix

File name: imageYYMMDD HHNNSS XX.jpg

Y: Year, M: Month, D: Day

H: Hour, N: Minute, S: Second

X: Sequence Number

#### Add sequence number suffix (no maximum value)

File name: imageXXXXXXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

#### Add sequence number suffix up to # and then start over

File Name: imageXX.jpg

X: Sequence Number

**NOTE!** The file name suffix will end at the number being set. For example, if the setting is up to "10", the file name will start from 00, end at 10, and then start all over again.

#### Overwrite

The original image in the FTP site will be overwritten by the new uploaded file with a static file name.

#### Save

Click on **Save** to keep the settings.

## **Storage Management**

To edit the storage management settings, select **System > Storage Management**.

Click on **Storage Management**, there will be a drop-down menu with tabs including **SD Card** and **Network Share**.

#### SD Card

To edit the SD card settings, select **System > Storage Management > SD Card**.

You can implement local recording to the microSD/SDHC/SDXC card up to 1 TB. This page shows the capacity information of the microSD/SD card and a recording list with all the recording files saved on the memory card. You can also format the microSD/SD card and implement automatic recording cleanup through the setting page.

To implement microSD/SD card recording, please go to the **Recording** page (see Recording, p. 83) for activation.

**NOTE!** Please format the microSD/SDHC/SDXC card when using it for the first time. Formatting will also be required when a memory card is being used on one camera and later transferred to another camera with different software platform.

It is not recommended to record with the microSD/SD card for 24/7 continuously, as it may not be able to support long term continuous data read/write. Please contact the manufacturer of the microSD/SD card for information regarding the reliability and the life expectancy.

#### **Device Information**

After the microSD/SD card is inserted into the camera, the card information such as memory capacity and status will be shown at **Device Information**.

#### **Recording Source**

Select a video stream to set as the recording source. The default format of the video stream is **Stream 1**. Select a preferred stream from the drop-down list and click on **Save** to apply the setting.

#### **Recording Filename Format**

Select a format as the recording file name format. The default recording file name format is **Start time only**. Select a preferred format from the drop-down list and click on **Save** to apply the setting.

#### **Device Setting**

Click on **Format** to format the memory card. Two filesystems are provided, **vfat (default)** and **ext4** (**recommended**). It is recommended to select **ext4** as the filesystem for steady and better performances.

#### **Disk Cleanup Setting**

Check **Enable automatic disk cleanup** and specify the time **1~999 day(s)** or **1~142 week(s)** and storage limits **1~99% full** to configure disk cleanup settings. Click on **Save** to confirm the settings.

#### **Recording List**

Enter the period in the date fields and click on **Search**. Select **Video** / **JPEG**, and then each video/image file on the microSD/SD card will be listed in the recording list. The maximum file size is 60 MB/per file.

When the recording mode is set as **Always** (consecutive recording) and the microSD/SD card recording is also allowed to be enabled by events triggered, once events occur, the system will immediately implement events recording to the memory card. After the recording of the events are finished, the camera will return to the regular recording mode.

#### Remove

To remove a file, select the file first, and then click **Remove** button.

#### Sort

Click on **Sort**, and the files in the Recording list will be listed in name and date order. The capital letter at the beginning of a name indicates the type of recording:

Initial	Recording Type	Initial	Recording Type
Α	Alarm	S	Periodical Event
М	Motion	R	Regular Recording
N	Network Failure	V	Manual Trigger
Т	Tampering	U	Audio Detection

#### Download

To open/download a video clip/image, select the file first, then click on **Download** below the **Recording** list. The selected file window will pop up. Click on the AVI/JPEG file to download the file to the specified location.

## **Network Share (NAS)**

To edit the network share settings, select **System > Storage Management > Network Share**.

You can store the recording videos to a network share folder, or NAS (Network-Attached Storage). A NAS device is used for data storage and data sharing via network. This page displays the capacity information of the network device and a recording list with all the recording files saved on the network device. You can also format the NAS and implement automatic recording cleanup through the setting page.

#### **Device Information**

When a NAS is successfully installed, the device information such as the memory capacity and status will be shown at **Device Information**.

#### **Storage Setting**

The administrator can set the camera to send the alarm messages to a specific NAS site when an alarm is triggered. Enter the network device details, which include host (the IP of the NAS), share (the folder name of the NAS), user name, and password, in the fields.

Click on Save when finished.

#### **Storage Tools**

Click on Format to format the NAS.

#### **Recording Source**

Select a video stream to set as the recording source. The default format of the video stream is **Stream 1**. Select a preferred stream from the drop-down list and click on **Save** to apply the setting.

#### **Recording Filename Format**

Select a format to set as the recording file name format. The default recording file name format is **Start time only**. Select a preferred format from the drop-down list and click on **Save** to apply the setting.

#### **Disk Cleanup Setting**

Check **Enable automatic disk cleanup** and specify the time **1~999 day(s)** or **1~142 week(s)** and storage limits **1~99% full** to configure disk cleanup settings. Click on **Save** to confirm the settings.

#### **Recording List**

Each video file on the Network Share will be listed in the Recording list. The maximum file size is 60 MB/per file.

When the recording mode is set as **Always** (consecutive recording) and the NAS recording is also allowed to be enabled by events triggered, once events occur, the system will immediately implement events recording to NAS. After the recording of the events are finished, the camera will return to the regular recording mode.

#### Remove

To remove a file, select the file first, and then click on **Remove**.

#### Sort

Click on **Sort**, and the files in the Recording list will be listed in name and date order. The capital letter at the beginning of a name indicates the type of recording:

Initial	Recording Type	Initial	Recording Type
Α	Alarm	S	Periodical Event
М	Motion	R	Regular Recording
N	Network Failure	V	Manual Trigger
Т	Tampering	U	Audio Detection

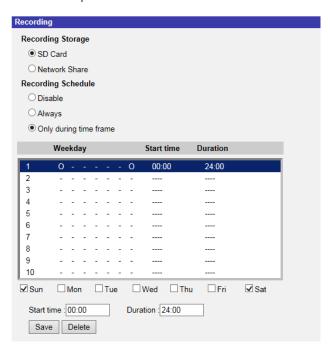
#### Download

To open/download a video clip, select the file first, and then click on **download** below the Recording list field. The selected file window will pop up. Click on the AVI file to directly play the video in the player or download it to a specified location.

# Recording

To edit the recording settings, select **System > Recording**.

In the **Recording** setting page, you can specify the recording schedule that fits the present surveillance requirement.



#### **Recording Storage**

Select a recording storage type, **SD Card** or **Network Share**.

#### **Enable Recording Schedule**

Two types of schedule mode are offered: **Always** and **Only during time frame**. You can select **Always** to activate microSD/SD card or Network Share Recording all the time. Or, select a set of schedule from the time frame blank, check specific weekdays and setup the start time (hour:minute) and time period (hour:minute) to activate the recording at certain time frames. The setting range for the duration time is from 00:00 to 168:59. Please click on **Save** to save the setup.

To delete a schedule, select one from the schedule list, and click **Delete**.

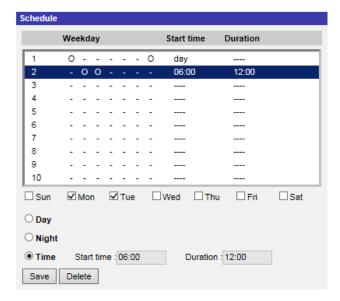
#### **Disable Recording Schedule**

- Select **Disable** to terminate the recording function.
- Click on Save when finished.

### **Schedule**

To edit the schedule settings, select **System > Schedule**.

This function allows users to setup schedules for features including: **Alarm Switch**, **Motion Detection** and **Network Failure Detection**. The function supports up to 10 sets of time frames in the time frame list.



#### **Schedules Setup**

- 1. Select a time frame from the time frame list.
- 2. Check the weekday boxes below to choose the specific weekdays.

- 3. Select a time mode, Day, Night or Time. Under Time mode, specify the start time (hour:minute) and the time duration (hour:minute) to activate the schedule triggered features. The setting range for the time duration is from 00:00 to 168:59.
- 4. Click on **Save** to save the setup. Alternatively, click on **Delete** to delete a chosen time frame.

#### **Time Mode**

Day

The camera profile will be loaded when IR cut filter is on.

Night

The camera profile will be loaded when IR cut filter is off.

Time

This indicates the start time and the time duration for the schedule.

**NOTE!** Users MUST select **By schedule** under each feature setting page to enable the schedule function.

## File Location (Snapshots and Web Recording)

To edit the file location settings, select **System > File Location**.

You can specify a storage location on the PC or in the hard drive for the snapshots and the live video recordings. The default setting is: C:\. Once the setting is confirmed, click on **Save**, and all the snapshots and the web recordings will be saved in the designate location.

NOTE! Make sure the selected file path contains valid characters such as letters and numbers.

## View Information

To edit the view information settings, select **System > View Information**.

Click on **View Information**, there will be a drop-down menu with tabs including **Log File**, **User Information**, and **Parameters**.

## Log File

To edit the log file settings, select **System > View Information > Log File**.

Click on the tab to view the system log file. The camera keeps a record of the system's behavior and information related to the camera. These log data can be exported for future use. Click **generate syslog** and the Save File As dialog window will pop up. The default file name is named after the

model name and the MAC address as "Model Name-MAC-log.tgz". Select the file destination and click **Save** to export the log data.

**NOTE!** "Save File As" dialog window may not show up immediately for the camera needs some time to process the log data.

#### **User Information**

To edit the user information settings, select **System > View Information > User Information**.

The administrator can view the privileges of each user (refer to Security, p. 40). User lines follow this syntax:

```
<User name>: <I/O access>:<camera control>:<talk>:<listen>
```

Example: <main-entrance>: 1:1:0:1

Values for <I/O access>, <camera control>, <talk>, and ten>:

- 1: function allowed
- 0: function blocked

**NOTE!** The talk and listen privileges will be set regardless of the audio capabilities of the camera.

#### **Parameters**

To edit the parameters settings, select **System > View Information > Parameter**.

Click on this item to view the parameter settings of the entire system, such as Camera Settings, Mask Information and Network Information.

## **Factory Default**

To edit the factory default settings, select **System > Factory Default**.

You can follow the instructions on this page to reset the camera to factory default settings if needed.

#### **Full Restore**

Click on **Full Restore** to recall the factory default settings. The camera system will restart in 30 seconds. The IP address will be restored to default. After the camera system is restarted, reconnect the camera using the default IP address. The default IP address is 192.168.0.250.

#### **Partial Restore**

Click on **Partial Restore** to recall the factory default settings (excluding network settings). The camera system will restart in 30 seconds. Refresh the browser page after the camera system is restarted.

NOTE! The IP address will not be restored to default.

#### Reboot

Click on **Reboot** and the camera system will restart without changing the current settings. Refresh the browser page after the camera system is restarted.

## **Software Version**

To see the software version, select **System > Software Version**.

## **Software Upgrade**

To edit the software upgrade settings, select **System > Software Upgrade**.

**NOTE!** Make sure the upgrade software file is available before carrying out software upgrade.

The procedure of software upgrade is as below.

1. Click on **Browse** and locate the upgrade file, for example, "ulmage\_userland".

**NOTE!** Do not change the name of the upgrade file, or the system will fail to find the file.

- 2. Pick a file type from the drop-down menu. In this case, select "ulmage+userland.img".
- 3. Click on **Upgrade**. Then the system will prepare to start the software upgrade. Subsequently, an upgrade status bar will be displayed on the page to show the current upgrade process. After the upgrade process is finished, the viewer will return to the **Home** page.
- 4. Close the video browser.
- 5. Click on Start and activate the Control Panel. In the appeared window, double-click on Add or Remove Programs. A window with the Currently install programs list will pop up. In the list, select the viewer and click on Remove to uninstall the existing progam.
- 6. Open a new web browser and re-login the camera. Users will be prompted to download the viewer. Once the viewer is downloaded and installed, the live video will be available.

## Maintenance

To edit the maintenance settings, select **System > Maintenance**.

You can export configuration files to a specified location and retrieve data by uploading the configuration file to the camera.

#### **Export Files**

You can save the system settings by exporting a configuration file (.bin) to a specified location for future use. Click on **Export**, and the popup File Download window will come out. Click on **Save** and specify a desired location for saving the configuration file.

#### **Upload Files**

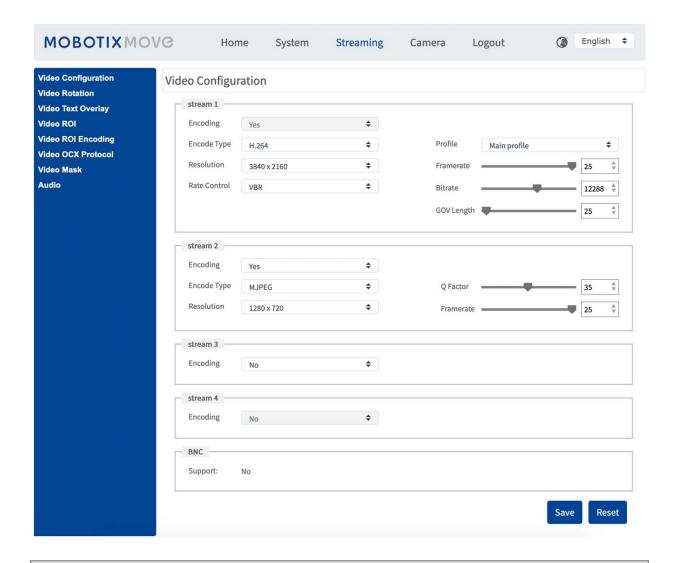
To upload a configuration file to the camera, click on **Browse** to select the configuration file and then click on **Upload** for uploading.

# The "Streaming" Tab

The **Streaming** tab contains the following sections:

Video Configuration, Video Rotation, Video Text Overlay, Video ROI, Video ROI Encoding, Video OCX Protocol, Video Mask, and Audio.

To edit the video configuration settings, select **Streaming > Video Configuration**.



#### NOTE!

- Only the administrator can access the **Streaming** configuration page.
- The preset resolution and other settings will vary depending on the current camera model.

# **Video Configuration**

To edit the video configuration, select **Streaming > Video Configuration**.

#### **Encoding**

Select **Yes** from the drop-down menu to enable Stream 2~Stream 4 encoding. Or select **No** to disable the streaming encoding.

#### **Encode Type**

The available video resolution formats include H.265, H.264, and MJPEG. You can select the preferred encode type from the drop-down menu.

#### **Default Resolution**

The following table lists the default resolution of the camera.

IP Camera Model		Default Resolution
4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics	WDR on/off	H.265/H.264: 3864 × 2180 (30 fps) +
Camera		MJPEG: 1080p (30 fps)
Mx-VD1A-8-IR-VA		

**NOTE!** The maximum resolution of the camera can only be achieved when using **H.264/H.265** as encoding. When using **MJPEG** encoding, the *maximum resolution is limited to 1920* ×1080 *pixels*.

#### **Frame Rate**

Video frame rate is for setting the frames per second (fps) if necessary.

The default setting of Stream 1 is 30 fps (NTSC) or 25 fps (PAL). The maximum frame rate range of each stream will change according to the selected video resolution.

**NOTE!** Low frame rate will decrease video smoothness.

#### **Profile**

You can set H.265/H.264 Profile to **High Profile** or **Main Profile** according to its compression needs. With the same bit rate, the higher the compression ratio, the better the image quality is. The default setting is **Main Profile**.

**NOTE!** Please make sure the higher compression ratio is supported by the system before setup.

#### **Rate Control**

The following H.265/H.264 bit rate modes are supported:

#### ■ CBR (Constant Bit Rate)

The sent-out video bit rate will be fixed and consistent to maintain the bandwidth.

#### ■ VBR (Variable Bit Rate)

Video bit rate varies according to the activity of the monitoring environment to achieve better image quality.

#### ■ LBR (Low Bit Rate)

LBR keeps low bit rate and ensures superior image quality. To implement LBR control, setup the compression level and dynamic GOV for each streaming accordingly beforehand.

#### Compression

Based on the current application area and streaming bit rate, select the most suitable compression level, high/mid/low.

- Set High, and bit rate will vastly be reduced; however, image quality may be degraded at the same time.
- Set **Low**, and bit rate will stably keep low while image quality remains high.

#### Dynamic GOV

According to the amount of motion in the application area, the GOV length of the video will be adjusted dynamically to reduce more bit rate, especially for scenes with minor changes. The length of Dynamic GOV is from **GOV Length** to **Max. GOV** (4094).

- Select Enabled and set Max. GOV. Then, click on Save to activate the setting.
- If there is small or zero activity in the scene, set **Max. GOV** larger, the GOV length will be longer, resulting in lower bit rate and bandwidth.
- If there are constant dynamic changes in the scene, it is suggested just adjust GOV Length and disable Dynamic GOV.

Click on **Save** to confirm the setting.

#### **Bit Rate**

The default setting of the H.265/H.264 bit rate for Stream 1 is 12288 kbit/s; for Stream 2 is 4096 kbit/s; for Stream 3/4 is 2048 kbit/s. The setting range is from 64 to 20480 kbit/s, and the total bit rate should not exceed 51200 kbit/s.

#### **GOV Length**

You can set the GOV length to determine the frame structure (I-frames and P-frames) in a video stream to save bandwidth. Less bandwidth is needed if the GOV length is set to a high value. However, the shorter the GOV length, the better the video quality is.

The default setting for the available streams is 25. The setting range of the GOV length is from 1 to 4094.

#### Q (Quality) Factor (MJPEG Only)

The default setting of MJPEG Q factor is 35; the setting range is from 1 to 70.

### **Video Rotation**

#### **Rotate Function**

You can change video display type if necessary. Selectable video rotate types include Mirror video and 90/180/270 degree clockwise rotate. Refer to the following descriptions for the different video rotate type.

#### Mirror

Select **yes** from the drop-down menu, and the image will be rotated horizontally.

#### Rotate Type

You can choose 0, 90, 180, or 270 degree from the drop-down menu to rotate the image. Click on **Save** to confirm the setting.

## **Video Text Overlay**

You can select the items to display data including date & time/text string/subtitle/image on the live video pane.

#### **Overlay Type**

You can select at most three items out of four options including date & time/text string/subtitle/image to display on the live video pane.

#### ■ Include Date & Time

Check the box to enable date & time display on the Live Video Pane and a Video Text Overlay Window will show up. Move the mouse cursor to the center of the window then click and drag the window to preferred display position. You can choose to display date, time, or date & time from the drop-down menu, and decide the string align position (left/right).

#### ■ Include Text String

Check the box to enable text string display on the Live Video Pane and a Video Text Overlay Window will show up. Move the mouse cursor to the center of the window then click and drag the window to preferred display position. Type the text to display in the entry field and decide the string align position (left/right). The maximum length of the text string is 15 alphanumeric characters.

#### **■** Include Subtitle

Check the box to enable subtitle display on the Live Video Pane and a Video Text Overlay Window will show up. Move the mouse cursor to the center of the window then click and drag the window to preferred display position. Type the text to display in the entry field and decide the string align position (left/right). You can set at most 5 subtitles, and the maximum length of each subtitle is 16 alphanumeric characters.

#### ■ Include Image

Check the box to enable image display on the Live Video Pane and a Video Text Overlay Window will show up. Move the mouse cursor to the center of the window, click and drag the window to preferred display position, and then decide the string align position (left/right).

Click on **Set** to confirm the setting.

#### **Text Overlay Setting**

You can choose the Text Overlay Color (black, white, yellow, red, green, blue, cyan, or magenta) and Text Overlay Size (small, medium, or large) of the display date & time/text string/subtitle.

Click on **Set** to confirm the setting.

#### **Image Overlay Setting**

You can upload an image and set its transparency to display on the live video pane. The setting range of image transparency is from 0 to 255; the lower the value, the more transparent it is. Users must save the image as a 8-bit BMP file; the length should be the multiple of 32, and the width should be the multiple of 4. The maximum resolution of the image should not exceed 32768 pixels. Click on **Set** and **Upload** to confirm the setting.

## **Video ROI**

To edit the video ROI settings, select **Streaming > Video ROI**.

ROI stands for Region of Interest. This function allows users to select specific monitoring region for Stream 1~Stream 4, instead of showing the full image.

**NOTE!** To use ROI function, dual streaming or above must be enabled and the resolution of each streaming must be different.

**NOTE!** Video ROI function is not available when Digital Zoom is open.

#### Enable Stream 1 ~ Stream 4 ROI Setting

Check the boxes and Stream 1~ Stream 4 ROI Window will be displayed. Note that video ROI is NOT available for the streaming set as the highest resolution among the enabled streaming. To adjust

the ROI Window, click and drag the edge of the window outward/inward. To shift the window to the intended location, click the center of the ROI Window and drag the mouse cursor.

Click **Save** to apply the setting.

## **Video ROI Encoding**

To edit the video ROI encoding settings, select **Streaming > Video ROI Encoding**.

Video ROI Encoding is to set the compression of the selected zone within ROI for better performances; at most three zones can be set in the interested region. However, this function does NOT support MJPEG video format.

The following shows how to setup Video ROI Encoding. To implement this function, Video ROI must be setup beforehand.

- Select a video stream from Video Stream.
- Select Enable from ROI Encoding to implement ROI Encoding.
- Click on Add, click and drag the center of the window to move it to the interested location; click and drag the edge of the window outward/inward to resize the window.

**NOTE!** The total size of the three windows CANNOT be larger than the half size of the ROI. When exceeds, a warning window will pop up.

- Choose the quality of the setting zone from **Quality**.
  The higher the value, the better the image quality (higher bit rate) of the setting zone will be.
  On the contrary, the lower the value, the lower the image quality (lower bit rate) of the selected area will be.
- Click on Save to apply the setting.

## **Video OCX Protocol**

To edit the video OCX protocol settings, select **Streaming > Video OCX Protocol**.

In the **Video OCX protocol** setting page, the administrator can select RTP over UDP, RTP over RTSP (TCP), RTSP over HTTP or MJPEG over HTTP, for streaming media over the network. In the case of multicast networking, you can select the Multicast mode. Click on **Save** to confirm the setting. Video OCX protocol setting options include:

- RTP over UDP/RTP over RTSP(TCP) / RTSP over HTTP/MJPEG over HTTP
- Multicast Mode

Enter all required data, including Multicast Stream 1~4 Video Address/Multicast Stream Audio Address, Multicast Port and Multicast TTL into each blank.

Click on **Save** to confirm the setting.

### Video Mask

To edit the video mask settings, select **Streaming > Video Mask**.

#### **Active Mask Function**

#### Add a Mask

Check a Video Mask checkbox, and a red frame will come out in the Live Video pane. Use the mouse to drag and drop to adjust the mask's size and place it on the target zone. At most 5 video masks can be set.

**NOTE!** It is suggested to set the Video Mask slightly bigger than the object.

#### Cancel a Mask

Un-check the Video Mask checkbox meant to be deleted; the mask will disappear from the Live Video pane instantly.

#### **Mask Setting**

#### Mask color

The selections of Mask color include black, white, yellow, red, green, blue, cyan, and magenta. Click on **Save** to confirm the setting.

## **Audio (Audio Mode and Bit Rate Settings)**

To edit the audio mode settings, select **Streaming > Audio**.

In this page, the administrator can adjust the sound transmission mode, the audio gain levels and the audio bit rate. Setting for enabling sound recording to the microSD/SD card is also available.

#### **Transmission Mode**

#### ■ Full-duplex (Talk and Listen simultaneously)

In the Full-duplex mode, the local and remote sites can communicate with each other simultaneously, i.e. both sites can speak and listen to the other side at the same time.

#### Half-duplex (Talk or Listen, not at the same time)

In the Half-duplex mode, the local/remote site can only talk or listen to the other site at a time.

#### ■ Simplex (Talk only)

In the Talk only Simplex mode, the local/remote site can only talk to the other site.

#### Simplex (Listen only)

In the Listen only Simplex mode, the local/remote site can only listen to the other site.

#### Disable

Select the item to turn off the audio transmission function.

#### **Server Gain Setting**

Set the audio input/output gain levels for the sound amplification. The audio input gain value is adjustable from 1 to 10. The audio output gain value is adjustable from 1 to 6. The sound will be turned off if the audio gain is set to "Mute".

#### **Bit Rate**

Selectable audio transmission bit rate include 16 kbit/s, 24 kbit/s, 32 kbit/s, 40 kbit/s, uLAW (64 kbit/s), ALAW (64 kbit/s), AC (128 kbit/s), PCM (128 kbit/s), PCM (256 kbit/s), PCM (384 kbit/s), and PCM (768 kbit/s). Higher bit rate will let higher audio quality and require bigger bandwidth. Click on **Save** to confirm the setting.

#### **Input Type**

Selectable input types are **Line in** and **External Mic**. If the audio input is from the audio device connected via the Audio In connecters, users should select "Line in". If the audio input is from the microphone connected via the Audio In connecters, users should select "External Mic" for better sound quality. Click on **Save** to confirm the setting.

#### **Recording to Storage**

Select **Enable** from the drop-down menu to enable audio recording with videos into the microSD/SD card or the NAS.

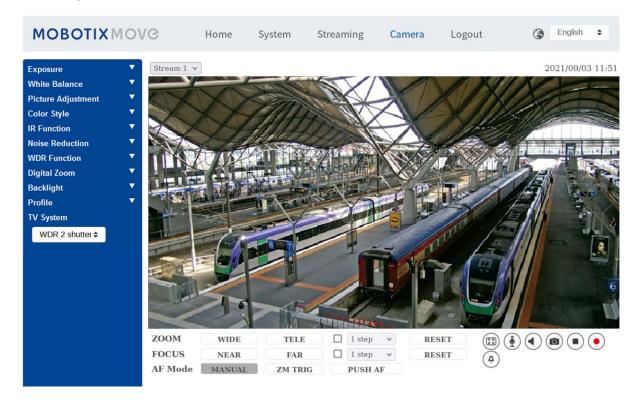
**NOTE!** If the chosen bit rate is not compatible with the player, there will only be noise instead of audio during playback.

Click on **Save** to confirm the setting.

# The "Camera" Tab

The **Camera**tab contains the following sections:

- Exposure
- **■** White Balance
- **■** Picture Adjustment
- IR Function
- Noise Reduction
- WDR Function
- Digital Zoom
- Backlight
- Profile
- TV System



## **Exposure**

To edit the exposure settings, select **Camera > Exposure**.

Exposure is the amount of light received by the image sensor. It is determined by the width of lens diaphragm opening, the shutter speed and other exposure parameters. With these items, you can define how the Auto Exposure function works. You can select one of the exposure modes according to the operating environment. Each exposure mode is specified as follows.

**NOTE!** The available settings and the shutter speed range will vary depending on the lens/CMOS sensor combination.

#### **Auto Mode**

#### Max Gain

Maximum Gain can be set to reduce image noises. The Max Gain ranges from 3 dB to 48 dB, or select **Off** to disable the function. The default setting is 48 dB.

#### ■ P-Iris Priority Mode

P-iris priority mode is only available for Zoom Lens and Motorized Lens models. In addition, applied with different lens, the related setting options also vary. Refer to the following for further details.

#### Motorized Lens

Click on , and the camera will automatically detect the best iris size for the environment. If necessary, you can select and manually to adjust the iris size. Alternatively, click on to reset the iris size, and the iris size will be set to the largest. Then, you can manually adjust the iris size by selecting and . The minimum shutter speed can be set from 1/500 to 1 sec. (NTSC) or 1/425 to 1/1.5 sec. (PAL).

#### Auto Shutter Mode

In this mode, the camera will automatically adjust the shutter speed and the iris size according to the light intensity. It is also effective if a fixed iris lens is being used. The minimum shutter speed range is configurable from 1/500 to 1/2 sec. (NTSC) or 1/425 to 1/3 sec. (PAL).

#### ■ Shutter Priority Mode

In this mode, it is the shutter speed that takes the main control of the exposure. The range is configurable from 1/500 to 1/30 sec. (NTSC) or 1/425 to 1/25 sec. (PAL).

#### **Manual Mode**

With this mode, you can select the suitable shutter speed, iris size and gain value according to the environmental illumination. The shutter speed ranges from 1/10000 to 1 sec. (NTSC) or from 1/10000 to 1/1.5 sec. (PAL)

The range of the iris size is from 0 to 9, or select **Full open** to fully open the iris. The gain value range is from 3 dB to 48 dB, or select **Off** to disable the function.

**NOTE!** The **Iris Size** setting is only available for models with Zoom Lens.

**NOTE!** For Motorized Lens models, the iris size setting differs. To set the iris size, click on and the camera will auto detect the best iris size for the environment. If necessary, users still can manually adjust the iris size by selecting and . Alternatively, click on to reset the iris size. The iris size will be set to the largest. Then, you can manually adjust the iris size by selecting and .

## **White Balance**

To edit the white balance settings, select **Camera > White Balance**.

A camera needs to find reference color temperature, which is a way of measuring the quality of a light source, for calculating all the other colors. The unit for measuring this ratio is in degree Kelvin (K). You can select one of the White Balance Control modes according to the operating environment. The following table shows the color temperature of some light sources for reference.

Light Sources	Color Temperature in K
Cloudy Sky	6,000 to 8,000
Noon Sun and Clear Sky	6,500
Household Lighting	2,500 to 3,000
75-watt Bulb	2,820
Candle Flame	1,200 to 1,500

#### AWB.normal

The AWB (Auto White Balance).normal mode is suitable for environments with light source having color temperature in the range roughly from 2700K to 7800K.

#### AWB.wide

With AWB (Auto White Balance).wide function, the white balance in a scene will be automatically adjusted while temperature color is changing. The AWB.wide mode is suitable for environments with light source having color temperature in the range roughly from 2500K to 10000K.

#### AWB.all

The AWB (Auto White Balance).all mode is suitable for environments with light source having color temperature under 2500K or over 10000K.

#### **Smart Mode**

The Smart mode is suitable for environments with one single background color which is strongly saturated, for instance, in a forest.

#### One Push

With One Push function, white balance is adjusted and fixed according to the scene the camera currently sees. This function is best for situations with minimal scene changes and continuous lighting. The function is suitable for light sources with any kind of color temperature. Follow the steps below to set the white balance.

- Point the camera to the monitoring area.
- Select One Push in the White Balance setting menu
- Click the button to adjust the color tone of the live images.

**NOTE!** In this mode, the value of white balance will not change as the scene or the light source varies. Therefore, users might have to re-adjust the white balance by clicking the button again when needed.

#### **Smart Touch Mode**

With Smart Touch function, you can select an area in the camera scene as the reference point for white balance. Please ensure that the background color of the selected area is white. Smart Touch function is suitable for environments with unchanged brightness level.

#### **Manual Mode**

In this mode, you can manually adjust the White Balance value. Input a number between 0 to 249 for "Rgain/Bgain" to adjust the red/blue illuminant on the Live Video Pane. The following describes several situations that might occur during the White Balance manual adjustment.

The video image turns reddish (as the left picture below).
The higher the Rgain value, the redder the image will be. To solve the problem, reduce the Rgain value, and the video image will turn less reddish.



Reddish Image



Corrected White Balance

The video image turns greenish (as the left picture below).
The lower the Rgain value, the greener the image will be. To solve the problem, Increase the Rgain value, and the video image will turn less greenish.



Greenish Image



Corrected White Balance

The video image turns bluish (as the left picture below).
The higher the Bgain value, the bluer the image will be. To solve the problem, reduce the Bgain value, and the video image will turn less bluish.



Bluish Image



Corrected White Balance

The video image turns yellowish (as the left picture below).
The lower the Bgain value, the yellower the image will be. To solve the problem, Increase the Bgain value, and the video image will turn less yellowish.



Yellowish Image



Corrected White Balance

The following image displays the general color shifts of the scene when different Rgain/Bgain combinations are applied.



# **Picture Adjustment**

To edit the picture adjustment settings, select **Camera > Picture Adjustment**.

#### **Brightness**

The brightness level of the images is adjustable from -12 to +13. The default value is 0.

#### **Sharpness**

The sharpness level of the images is adjustable from +0 to +15. The edge of the objects is enhanced as the sharpness level increases. The default value is +4.

#### **Contrast**

The contrast level of the images is adjustable from -6 to +19. The default value is 0.

#### **Saturation**

The saturation level of the images is adjustable from -6 to +19. The default value is 0.

#### Hue

The hue level of the images is adjustable from -12 to +13. The default value is 0.

## **IR Function**

To edit the IR function settings, select **Camera > IR Function**.

#### **Day/Night Function**

This item is for users to define the action of the IR cut filter and IR LED lights. Refer to the descriptions of each option below to select a suitable mode.

#### Auto Mode

With this mode, the camera will decide when to remove the IR cut filter. Please refer to Day/Night Threshold, p. 104 for further details.

#### Night Mode

Use this mode when the environment light level is low. The IR cut filter will be removed to allow the camera to deliver clear images in black and white.

#### Day Mode

Select this mode to turn on the IR cut filter. The IR cut filter can filter out the IR light and allows the camera to deliver high quality images in color.

#### Smart Mode

With Smart mode, the camera will decide the occasion to remove the IR cut filter. The Smart mode mechanism can judge whether the main light source is from IR illumination. If so, the IR cut filter will be kept removed (i.e. monochrome/night mode).

**NOTE!** It is recommended to select "Smart Mode" when the camera sets high zoom ratio for close-up view.

#### Light Sensor Mode (Default)

In this mode, for cameras with built-in IR LED modules, the light sensor will decide the occasion to turn the IR LED lights on/off. For cameras with non-IR modules, the light sensor will decide the occasion to take the IR cut filter on/off.

- Light On Mode (Built-in IR LED Modules Only)
  In this mode, IR LED lights will always be on.
- Light Off Mode (Built-in IR LED Modules Only)
  In this mode, IR LED lights will always be off.

#### **Day/Night Threshold**

This item is for users to set when the camera should switch from day mode to night mode or vice versa. The camera will sense the surrounding brightness, and the threshold value stands for the level of the light. Once the camera detects the light level reaches the set threshold, the camera will automatically switch to Day/Night Mode. The range of the level is from 0 to 10, (darker = 0; brighter = 10).

**NOTE!** Equipped with different CMOS sensors, the time the camera switches to Day/Night mode may also vary from models to models even if the threshold is set to the same value.

#### **IR Light Compensation**

With the IR Light Compensation function, the camera can prevent the center object close to the camera from being too bright when IR LED lights are turned on.

**NOTE!** IR Light Compensation function is **NOT** available when **Auto Exposure Window Setting** function is enabled.

## **Noise Reduction**

To edit the noise reduction settings, select **Camera > Noise Reduction**.

The camera provides multiple **Noise Reduction** options for delivering optimized image quality especially in extra low-light conditions.

#### 3DNR

3DNR (3D Noise Reduction) function delivers optimized image quality especially in extra low-light conditions.

Different levels of 3DNR are provided, including 3DNR Low, 3DNR Mid and 3DNR High. Higher level of 3DNR generates relatively enhanced noise reduction.

#### 2DNR

2DNR (2D Noise Reduction) function delivers clear images without motion blurs in extra low-light conditions.

Select on to turn on 2DNR function; otherwise, select off to turn off 2DNR function.

#### **ColorNR**

In a dark or insufficient light environment and the camera is under color mode, ColorNR (Color Noise Reduction) can eliminate color noise.

Three levels of ColorNR, including Color Low, Color Mid and Color High, are provided. The higher level of ColorNR generates relatively enhanced noise reduction.

## **WDR Function**

To edit the WDR settings, select **Camera > WDR Function**.

The Wide Dynamic Range (WDR) function is for solving high contrast or changing light issues to enhance video display quality. Different level options for WDR include Low, Mid and Hi. Higher level of WDR represents wider dynamic range, so that the camera can catch a greater scale of brightness.

# **Digital Zoom**

To edit the digital zoom settings, select **Camera > Digital Zoom**.

The digital zoom of the camera is adjustable from x2 to x10.

## **Backlight**

To edit the backlight settings, select **Camera > Backlight**. Backlight function is NOT available when TV system is set as "WDR 2 Shutter".

The Backlight Compensation function prevents the center object from being too dark in surroundings where excessive light is behind the center object. Select **on** to turn on the function; otherwise, select **off** to turn off the function.

## **Profile**

To edit the camera profile settings, select **Camera > Profile**.

Camera Profile allows users to setup the desired image parameters for specific environments with different time schedules. You can setup at most 10 sets of camera parameter configuration under the Camera tab. To enable this function, users must setup the schedules in advance. Refer to section Schedule for further details of schedule setup. Then, follow the steps below to setup a camera profile.

#### **Camera Profile Setup**

- 1. In the "Camera" tab, setup the camera parameters, such as White Balance, Picture Adjustment, etc., excluding TV System.
- 2. Click on Profile and its setting menu will be displayed. Select a number from the Num drop-down menu.
- 3. Input a name for the profile in the Name field.
- 4. Click on below the Name field. The camera configuration is saved and applied to the profile. Now a camera profile is created and saved.
- 5. Select a profile from the Num drop-down menu.
- 6. Tick the By schedule box. Check the desired schedule(s) from the Schedule drop-down menu. Multiple schedules can be applied to one profile.
- 7. Click on below **By schedule**.
- 8. Follow the steps above to set the rest of the profiles.

Now, the camera will automatically switch profiles according to the schedule. Alternatively, manually select a number from the Num drop-down menu. Then, click on \_\_\_\_\_, the camera will load and apply the setting of the profile.

**NOTE!** If users wish to set the camera parameters to factory default setting, select **Normal** from the Num drop-down menu. The camera will start loading the default values.

**NOTE!** Users MUST set the camera parameter of the last profile as the default setting. Thus, if there are gaps among schedules, the camera will apply the setting of the last profile.

## **TV System**

To edit the TV system settings, select Camera > TV System.

Select the video format that matches the present TV system from the drop-down menu. The following table shows the available video formats for different types of models. The supported video formats for each model are marked by " $\checkmark$ ".

Video Format		4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics Camera
NTSC	60 fps	$\checkmark$
	WDR 2 Shutter	$\checkmark$
PAL	50 fps	$\checkmark$
	WDR 2 Shutter	✓

# The "Logout" Tab

Click on the tab **Logout** on the top of the page, and the login window will pop up. This enables logging in with a different username.

# **Appendix A: Installing UPnP Components**

Please follow the instructions below to install UPnP components on Windows computers.

- 1. In Windows, go to **Start**, click on **Control Panel**, and then double-click on **Add or Remove Programs**.
- 2. Click on Add/Remove Windows Components in the Add or Remove Programs page.
- 3. Select **Networking Services** from the Components list in Components Wizard window of the Windows, and then click **Details**.
- 4. Select **UPnP User Interface** in the Networking Services' subcomponents list and then click on **OK**.
- 5. Click on **Next** in the Windows Components Wizard window.
- 6. Click on **Finish** to complete installation.

# Appendix B: Converting IP Addresses from Decimal to Binary

Follow the example below to convert the IP addresses to binary numbers. Use the calculator on the computer for conversion: **Start > All Programs > Accessories > Calculator**.

- Windows 7/8: Click **View** on the calculator and click **Programmer**.
- Windows 10/11: Click on the menu button = and select **Programmer**.

The example below shows how to convert 192.168.2.81 to binary numbers.

1. On the left of the calculator, select **Dec**. Then enter the first decimal number of the IP address, "192". Select **Bin** and the number will be converted to binary number. Repeat the same procedure with the rest of decimal numbers. Remember to select **Dec** before entering the next decimal number. Otherwise a decimal number cannot be entered. The table below shows the binary representation of each decimal number.

Decimal Numbers	Binary Numbers
192	11000000
168	10101000
2	10
81	1010001

2. Each binary number should have eight digits. If a binary number does not have eight digits, please add leading zeros until it does. The binary number of each decimal number should be as follows.

Decimal Numbers	Binary Numbers
192	11000000
168	10101000
2	<b>000000</b> 10
81	<b>0</b> 1010001

Therefore, the binary representation of IP address 192.168.2.81 is

11000000.10101000.00000010.01010001.

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# **Technical Specifications**

## **Product Information**

Product Name	4K (8MP) Vandal Fixed Dome Analytics Camera
Order Code	Mx-VD1A-8-IR-VA

# **Image Quality**

Image Sensor	SONY 4K (8MP), 1/1.8" Progressive CMOS
Effective (Used) Pixels	H x V = 3864x2180 (4K/8MP)
Pixel Size	2.0 μm
Frame Rate (maximum)	H.265/H.264: 3864x2180@30 fps + 1920x1080@30 fps MJPEG: 1080p@30 fps
Dome Coating	Superhydrophilic MOBOTIX EverClear nano coating transforms water droplets into an ultra-thin water film upon impact. The coating ensures best image quality in rain and difficult external conditions and it reduces reflections and noise in low-light scenarios. EverClear is dirt-repellent and increases the stability as well as the scratch-resistance of the dome, further reducing maintenance efforts. Coating endurance up to 3 years depending on environmental conditions and cleaning treatment.

## Lens

Minimum Illumination	Color: 0.04 lux B/W: 0.002 lux
Lens Characteristics	Motorized Lens: Zoom, Focus, P-IRIS  Focal Length: 3.6 to 11 mm  Aperture: F1.5 to F2.0  Horizontal Field of View: 115.0° (Wide), 47.5° (Tele)  Vertical Field of View: 61.2° (Wide), 27.0° (Tele)
Lens Mechanics	3-Axis adjustment

## Camera

Day/Night	Automatic mechanically switchable IR-cut filter
Shutter Time	Manual Mode:
	WDR: up to 1/67500 s
	Linear: up to 1/13500 s
	Automatic Mode:
	Up to 1/10000 s
WDR	Up to 130 dB Multi Exposure WDR & HDR Engine support
EIS (Electronic Image Stabilizer)	- No
Zoom	Optical: 3.1x, Digital: 10x
Image settings	Color, Brightness, Sharpness, Contrast, White Balance, Exposure Control, 2DNR, 3DNR, NR by Motion, Masking, Text Overlay
Corridor Mode	90°, 180°, 270° Rotation

## **Video Codec**

Compression/Encoding	H.265/H.264/MJPEG
Streaming	Up to 4 individually configurable streams in H.264/H.265/MJPEG
	Configurable resolution/frame rate/bandwidth LBR/VBR/CBR in
	H.265/H.264

## **Audio Codec**

Compression/Encoding	G.711/G.726/AAC/LPCM
Streaming	2-Way, bidirectional
Audio Input	Line In: Max 6.2 Vpp Signal In, Input Impedance: 33 k $\Omega$
Audio Output	Line Out: 1 Vrms Signal Out, Output Resistance: 200 $\Omega$

# **Cyber Security Features**

Password Protection	Yes
IP address filtering	Yes
IEEE 802.1X network access control	Yes

Digest authentication	Yes
AES encryption for password protection	Yes
SNMP, TLS, HTTP, HTTPS	Yes
User and Group Management	Yes
SSL connections	Yes
VPN	Yes
Digital image signature	Yes
RSA encryption (2048 bits)	Yes

# Network

Interface	10/100 Mbps Ethernet
Supported Protocols	ARP, PPPoE, IPv4/v6, ICMP, IGMP, QoS, TCP, UDP, DHCP, UPnP, SNMP, SMTP, RTP, RTSP, HTTP, HTTPS, FTP, NTP, DDNS, SMBv2
ONVIF conformance	Supports profiles S/G/T/M
Supported Browsers	All current browsers are supported.

# **System Integration**

Base Video Analytics	<ul><li>Motion detection</li><li>Noise detection (ext. microphone required)</li></ul>
Enhanced Video Analytics (embedded)	<ul> <li>Abandoned objects</li> <li>Intrusion (object classification)</li> <li>Sabotage</li> <li>Wrong direction</li> <li>Loitering (object classification)</li> <li>Object counting (object classification)</li> <li>Object removal</li> <li>Stopped vehicle (object classification)</li> <li>2 analytics functions can be activated simultaneously</li> </ul>

DNN (Deep Neural Network) based video analytics	<ul> <li>Face Recognition (incl. gender &amp; age estimation)</li> <li>Number Plate Recognition – supported countries:         Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Uzbekistan, Vietnam     </li> </ul>
Event Triggers	<ul> <li>External input</li> <li>Analytics</li> <li>Network failure detection</li> <li>Periodical event</li> <li>Manual trigger</li> </ul>
Event Actions	<ul> <li>External output activation</li> <li>Video and audio recording to edge storage</li> <li>File upload: FTP, network share and email</li> <li>Notification: HTTP, FTP, email</li> </ul>

# General

Casing	Metal Housing
Camera Module Adjustment	3-Axis Gimbal (Pan/Tilt/Rotate)
Device Color	Metal body housing: RAL 9003 Logo color: Pantone 286C and Pantone Gray 6 Cu
Power Requirements	PoE IEEE802.3af, class 0, max 11.67 W DC12V, max 12.14 W AC24V, max 11.99 W, max 20.02 VA Zero-Down-Time Power Source Switching
PoE Modes Supported	Mode A or Mode B

Connectors	RJ45, Alarm in x2, Alarm out x1, 12 VDC Terminal Block, 24 VAC Terminal Block, Audio in 3.5 mm Jack, Audio out 3.5 mm Jack, CVBS Connector COAX (75 Ohm) (CVBS output available with max. 2 activated streams, requires optional adapter 2-pin COAX cable)
IR Illumination	Up to 40 m/131 ft distance depending on scenery reflection
Video Storage	Micro SD/SDHC/SDXC card support up to 1 TB, Support for recording to NAS, MOBOTIX MOVE NVR
Environmental Protection Class	IP66/IK10
Operating Temperature	–55 to 60 °C/-67 to 140 °F with activated heater
Cold Start Temperature	−30 °C/−22 °F
Relative Humidity	10 to 90 % non-condensing
Storage Conditions	–20 to 70 °C/–4 to 158 °F
Approvals	EMC: CE/FCC Safety: LVD Environmental: IP66, IK10
MTBF	95,000 hours
Warranty	5 years
Dimensions	ø 133.8 x 117.4 mm
Weight	760 g

**NOTE!** Observe the MOBOTIX MOVE Installation Hints document to ensure optimum performance of the camera features.

# **Alarm Input/Output Current and Voltage**

Alarm In	Alarm Out
3.3 V with 10 $k\Omega$ pull up, 50 mA	350 V DC/AC, 130 mA



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