



Guideline

Irisity IRIS Anonymization App

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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 product must not be used in locations exposed to the dangers of explosion.
- 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!
- This equipment is not suitable for use in locations where children are likely to be present.
- 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.

Legal Notes

Legal Aspects of Video and Sound Recording

You must comply with all data protection regulations for video and sound monitoring when using MOBOTIX AG products. Depending on national laws and the installation location of the cameras, the recording of video and sound data may be subject to special documentation or it may be prohibited. All users of MOBOTIX products are therefore required to familiarize themselves with all applicable regulations and to comply with these laws. MOBOTIX AG is not liable for any illegal use of its products.

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About Irisity IRIS Anonymization App

Respecting Privacy - Anonymous & Data-secure

Irisity IRIS Anonymization App - Choose to detect suspicious activity rather than exposing personal identity. Pixelate or mask out specific zones to comply with camera permit regulations. IRIS™ Anonymization is particularly suitable for sensitive installations such as school, health, and public places.

- Patented dynamic pixelation of people in the camera's field of view.
- Comply with privacy and data regulations.
- Enables quick implementation to new installations.
- De-identify people in live and recorded video images.
- Applicable in indoor and outdoor camera operation.

Technical Specifications

Product Information

Product Name	Irisity IRIS Anonymization App
Order Code	Mx-APP-IRIS-ANO
Supported MOBOTIX Cameras	M73, S74, D71, p71, v71
Minimum Camera Firmware	V7.3.2.x
MxManagementCenter Integration	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ min. MxMC v2.5.3■ Configuration: Advanced Config license required

Product Features

App Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ patented dynamic pixelation of people in the camera's field of view■ designed to address GDPR and privacy regulations■ Configurable option to force switch to black/white image to ensure maximum privacy■ applicable in indoor and outdoor camera operation■ pixelation of persons from a minimum height of 20 pixels
	<p>NOTE!</p> <p>The "Raw" streaming mode of the camera (e.g. RTSP or ONVIF streaming) does not support the desired pixelation of persons and/or vehicles</p> <p>7-series camera models equipped with hemispheric optics are not supported</p>
Trial License	30-day trial license pre-installed

Scene Requirements

Minimum object height	20 px
Maximum tilt angle	typ. 50°

Technical App Specifications

Synchronous / Asynchronous App	Synchronous
Accuracy	> 99% (considering scene requirements)
Processed number of frames per second	Typ. 10 fps

Licensing Certified Apps

The following licenses are available for the Irisity IRIS Anonymization App:

- **30-day test license** pre-installed
- **permanent commercial license**

The usage period begins with activation of the app interface (see)

NOTE! For buying or renewing a license, contact your MOBOTIX Partner.

NOTE! Apps are usually pre-installed with the firmware. In rare cases, apps must be downloaded from the website and installed. In this case see www.mobotix.com > **Support** > **Download Center** > **Marketing & Documentation**, download and install the app.

License Activation of Certified Apps in MxManagementCenter

After a test period commercial licenses must be activated for use with a valid license key.

Online-Activation

After receiving the activation IDs, activate them in MxMC as follows:

1. Select from the menu **Window > Camera App Licenses**.
2. Select the camera on which you want to license apps and click **Select**.

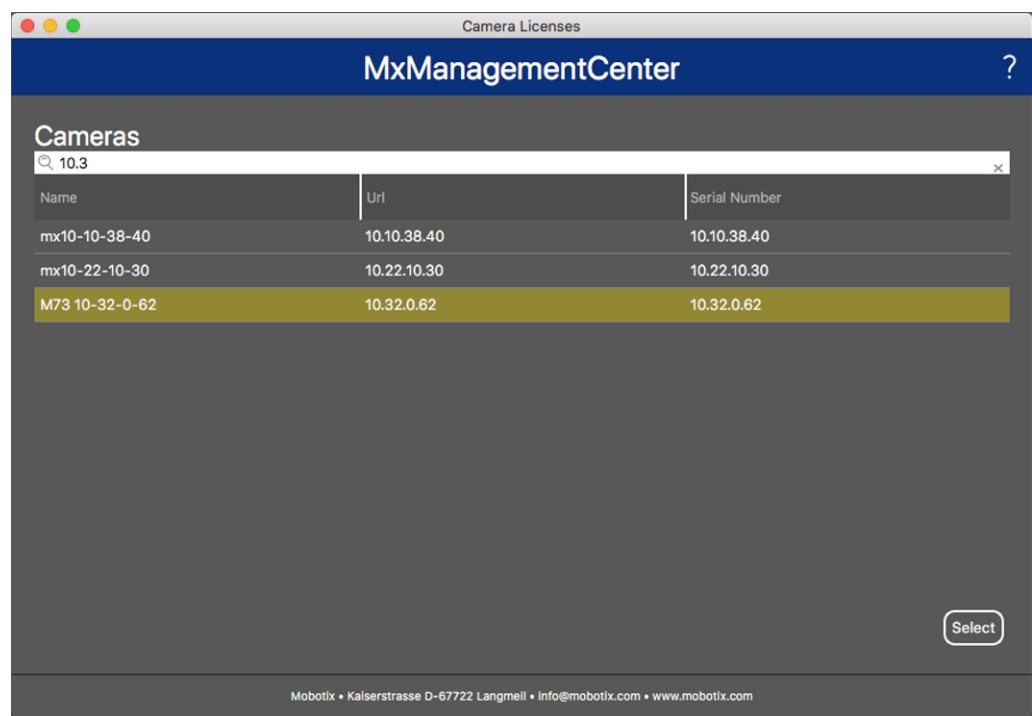


Fig. 1: Overview of Camera App Licenses in MxManagementCenter

NOTE! If necessary, correct the time set on the camera.

1. An overview of the licenses installed on the camera may be displayed. Click **Activate License**.

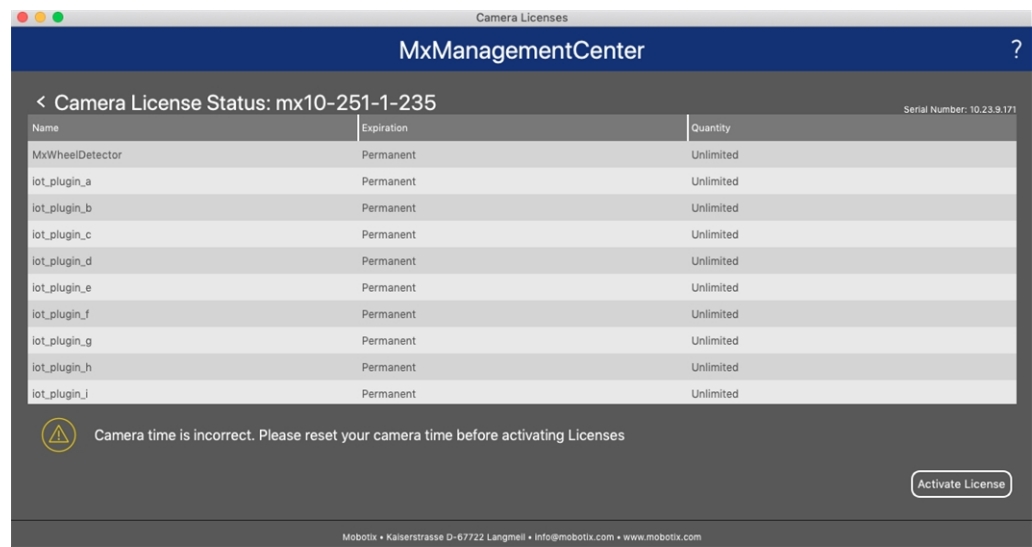



Fig. 2: Overview of the licenses installed on the camera

NOTE! If necessary, correct the time set on the camera.

2. Enter a valid Activation ID and specify the number of licenses to install on this computer.
3. If you want to license another product, click on . In the new row, enter the appropriate Activation ID and the number of licenses you want.

4. To remove a line click .
5. When you have entered all Activation IDs, click **Activate License Online**. During activation, **MxMC** connects to the license server. This requires an Internet connection.

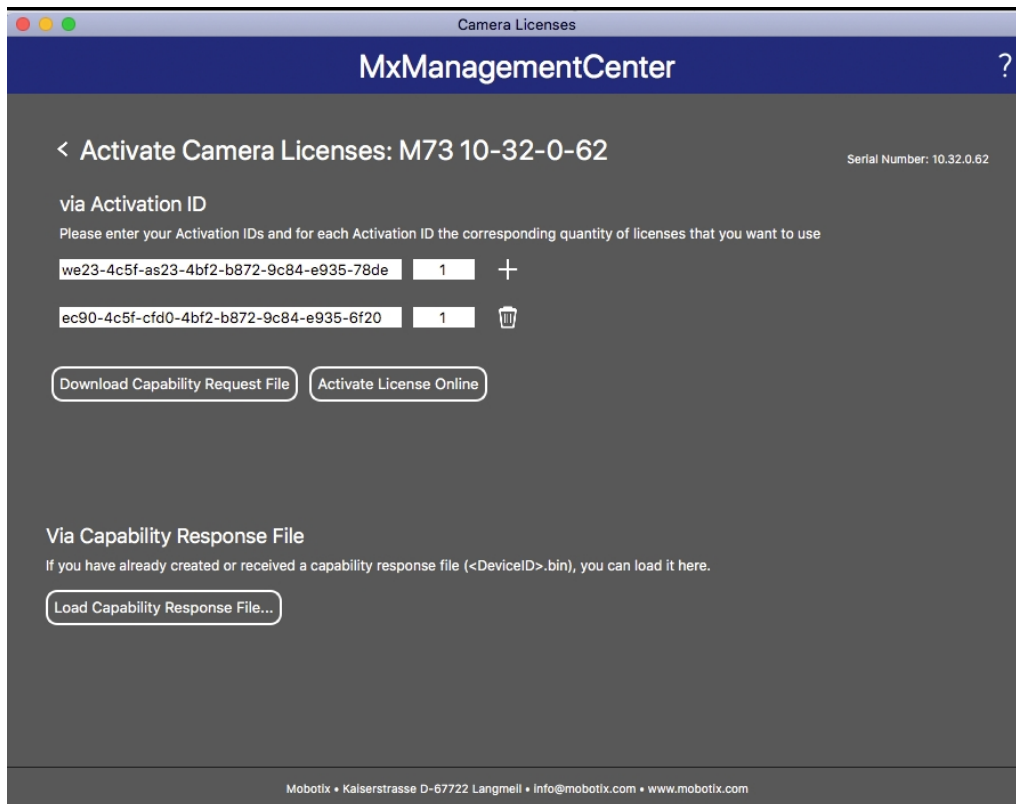


Fig. 3: Adding licenses

Successful activation

After successful activation, a new log in is required to apply the changes. Alternatively, you can return to license management.

Failed activation (missing internet connection)

If the license server cannot be reached, e.g. due to a missing internet connection, apps can also be activated offline. (see [Offline Activation](#), p. 11).

Offline Activation

For offline activation, the partner/installer from whom you purchased the licenses can generate a capability response (.bin file) on the license server to activate their licenses.

1. Select from the menu **Window > Camera App Licenses**.
2. Select the camera on which you want to license apps and click **Select**.

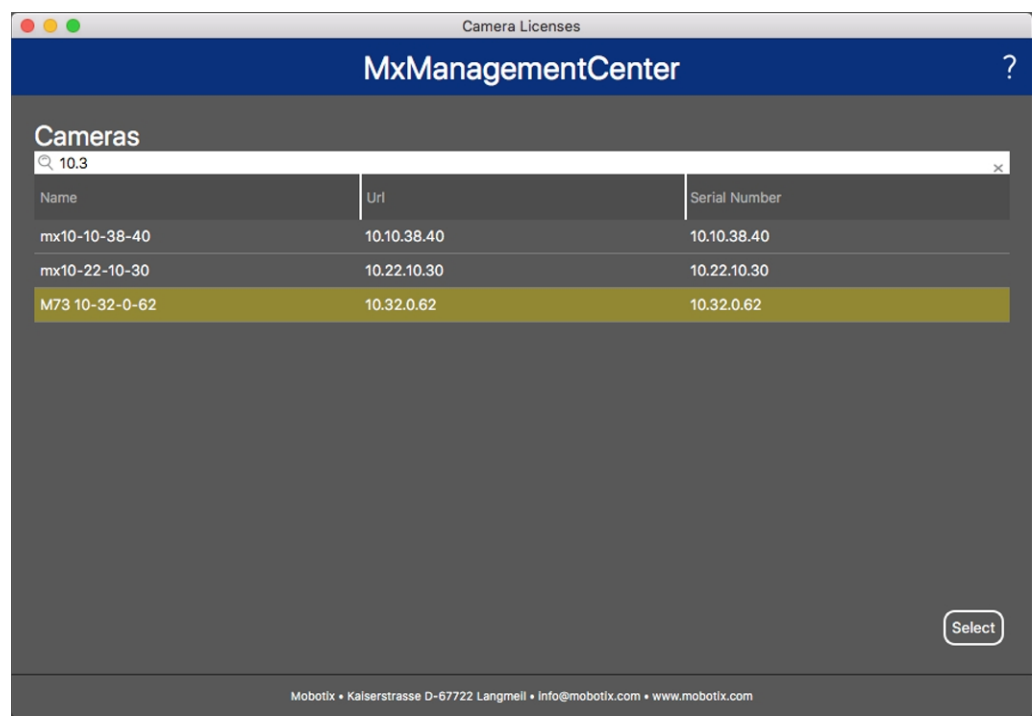


Fig. 4: Overview of Camera App Licenses in MxManagementCenter

NOTE! If necessary, correct the time set on the camera.

3. An overview of the licenses installed on the camera may be displayed. Click **Activate License**.

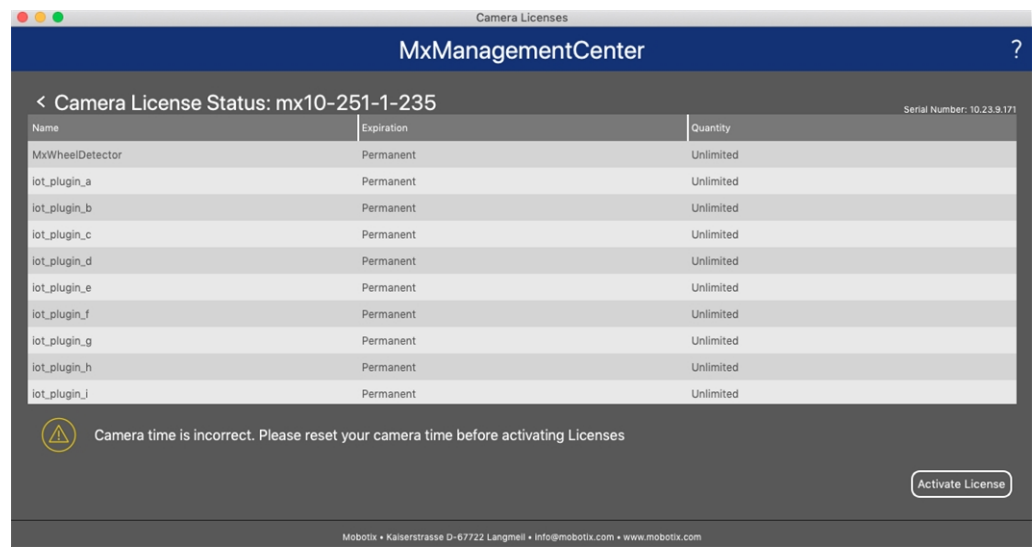




Fig. 5: Overview of the licenses installed on the camera

NOTE! If necessary, correct the time set on the camera.

4. Enter a valid Activation ID and specify the number of licenses to install on this computer.
5. If you want to license another product, click on . In the new row, enter the appropriate **Activation ID** and the number of licenses you want.
6. If necessary, click  to remove a line.
7. When you have entered all Activation IDs, click **Download Capability Request File (.lic)** and send it to your partner/installer.

NOTE! This file allows the partner / installer from whom you purchased the licenses to generate a capability response file (.bin) on the license server.

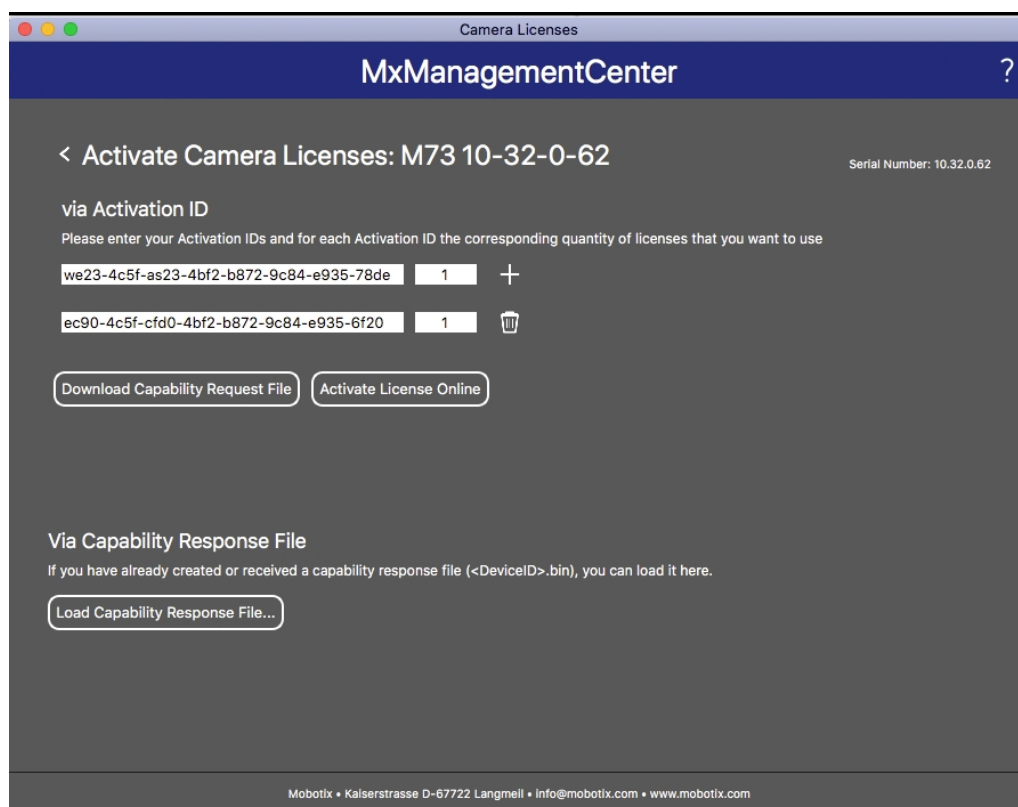


Fig. 6: Adding licenses

8. Click Load Capability Response File and follow the instructions.

Successful activation

After successful activation, a new log in is required to apply the changes. Alternatively, you can return to license management.

Managing Licenses in MxManagementCenter

In MxManagementCenter you can comfortably manage all licenses that have been activated for a camera.

- 1. Select from the menu **Window > Camera App Licenses**.
- 2. Select the camera on which you want to license apps and click **Select**.

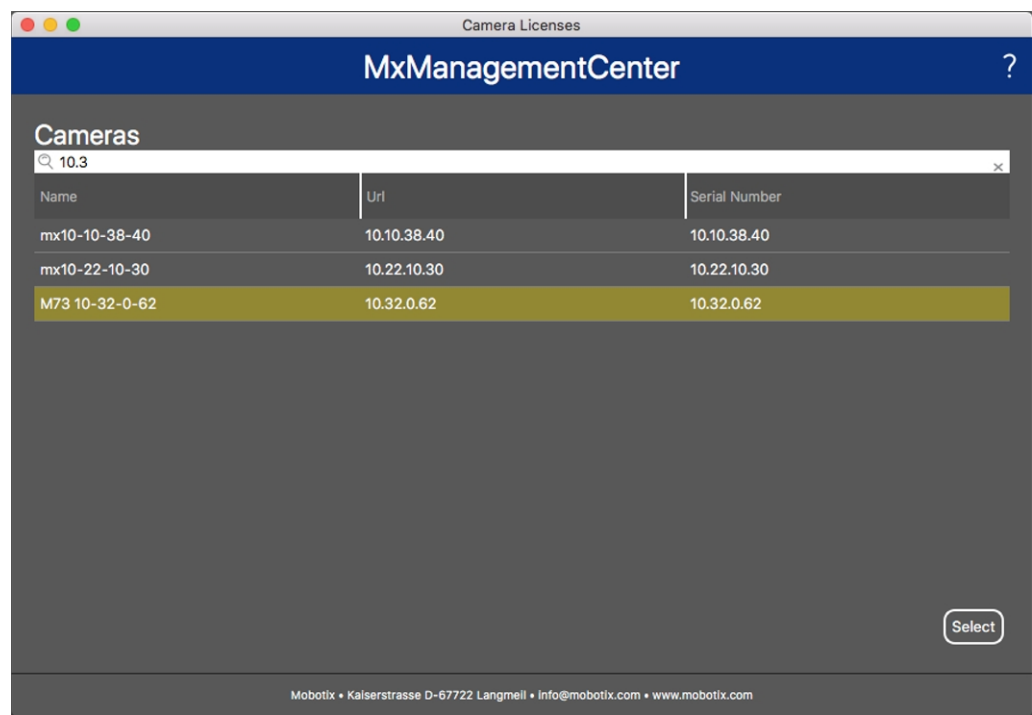


Fig. 7: Overview of Camera App Licenses in MxManagementCenter

An overview of the licenses installed on the camera may be displayed.



Fig. 8: Overview of the licenses installed on the camera

NOTE! If necessary, correct the time set on the camera.

Column	Explanation
Name	Name of the licensed app
Expiration	the time limit of the license
Quantity	Number of licenses purchased for a product.
Serial Number	Unique identification determined by MxMC for the device used. If problems occur during licensing, please have the device ID ready.

Synchronize licenses with server

When the program starts, there is no automatic comparison of the licenses between the computer and the license server. Therefore, click **Update** to reload the licenses from the server.

Update licenses

To update temporary licenses, click **Activate Licenses**. The dialog for updating/activating licenses opens.

NOTE! You need administrator rights to synchronize and update licenses.

Camera, image and scene requirements

The camera should be setup so that the combination of the distance, the lens's focal length and the camera's resolution provide an image that can be accurately analyzed. Therefore the following prerequisites must be fulfilled for the scene:

Highest possible mounting positions for best results

When planning your video surveillance system, prefer the highest possible camera positions in order to cover as much area as possible with each camera. Consider an installation height of at least 5 meters. An installation height of 10-25 meters usually leads to significantly better results.

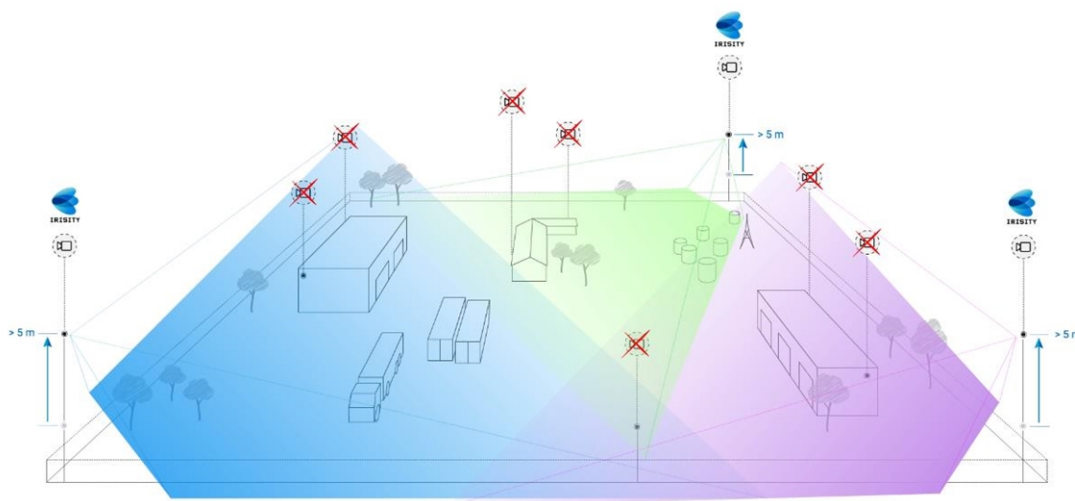


Fig. 9: Using high mounting positions can reduce the number of cameras in a classic CCTV installation.

Scene illumination

With optimal light sources (we recommend at least two light sources) can significantly improve the quality of video analysis and thus the security of your site.

- Illuminate the monitored area sufficiently.
- Ensure good contrast in the surveillance area.
- Do not over-light objects near the cameras to avoid blending and noise.

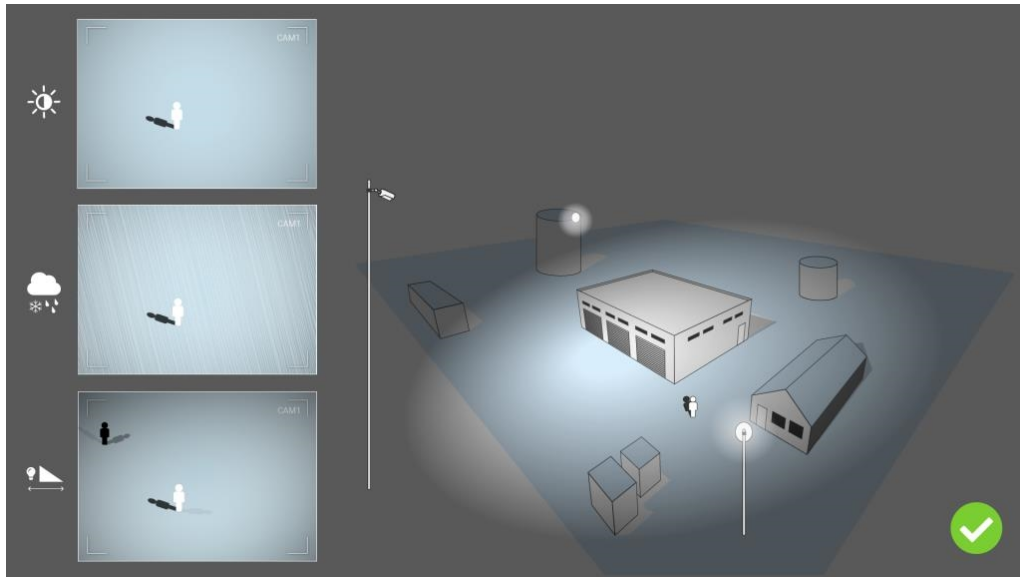


Fig. 10: Off-axis lighting improves visibility, contrast, and object detection significantly. It makes accurate detections possible in even the most challenging weather conditions.

Troubleshooting

Light design issues

By placing the light source near the camera and too far away from the guarded object, the emitted light may compromise surveillance by creating video issues. Possible issues are:

- Contrast in the video image may be too low (without shadows)
- Light source may create noise in picture by accentuating raindrops and snowflakes
- Light intensity may not be sufficient to light up the guarded object

While the camera's built-in lighting, or other on-axis lighting, is often convenient it often reduces the efficiency of the surveillance system. In challenging weather intruders might become almost invisible, hidden behind rain, snow or fog

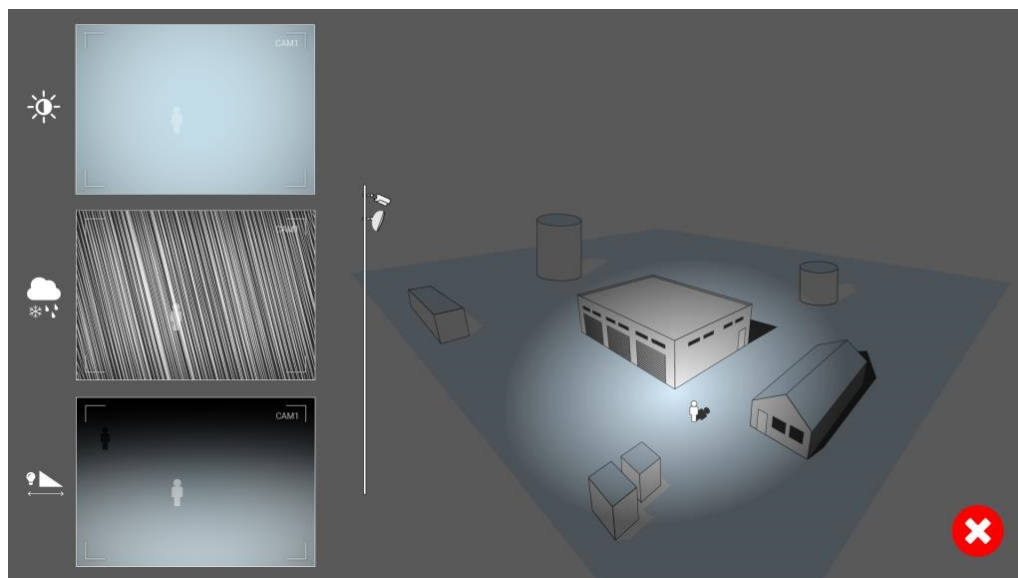


Fig. 11: In challenging weather intruders might become almost invisible, hidden behind rain, snow or fog

Activation of the Certified App Interface

CAUTION! The Irisity IRIS Anonymization App does not consider obscure areas defined for the live image. Therefore there is no pixelation in obscure areas while configuring the app and during image analysis by the app.

NOTE! The user must have access to the setup menu ([http\(s\)://<Camera IP address>/control](http(s)://<Camera IP address>/control)). Therefore check the user rights of the camera.

1. In the camera web interface, open: **Setup Menu / Certified App Settings** ([http\(s\)://<Camera IP address>/control/app_config](http(s)://<Camera IP address>/control/app_config)).

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General Settings

Arming ① ☒ Active Activate app service.

Note: It is not recommended to activate more than 2 apps.

Resource monitor ☐ Active Display camera actual load in the live image.

Note: High performance impact. Use for testing purposes only.

Custom font ☐ Active Use custom font for the text displays in the live image. To select or upload a custom font please go to [Manage Font File](#).

AppSettings

App	Activation	License	Explanation	Version	Delete	Delete app
Irisity IRIS Anonymization Settings	② <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2023-05-26 (30 days trial).	Irisity IRIS Anonymization	1.0.4	Data (4.0K)	Delete app
MOBOTIX ActivitySensor Settings	<input type="checkbox"/>	No license required.	MxActivity Sensor	1.1.0	Data (4.0K)	Delete app
MOBOTIX Advanced	Incompatible	Trial available	Please update the App	1.1.1	Data	Delete

Set ③ Factory Restore Close

Fig. 12: Certified App: Settings

2. Under **General Settings** activate the **Arming** of the MOBOTIX app service ① .
3. Click Set ③ . The installed apps are now listed.
4. Under **App Settings** check the **Active** option of the of the relevant app.

5. Click on the name of the App ② to be configured to open the Apps user interface.
6. For configuration of the App see [Configuration of Irisity IRIS Anonymization App, p. 21](#)

Configuration of Irisity IRIS Anonymization App

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1. In the camera web interface, open: **Setup Menu / Certified App Settings** ([http\(s\)://<Camera IP address>/control/app_config](http(s)://<Camera IP address>/control/app_config)).
2. Click on the name of the **Irisity IRIS Anonymization App**.

The configuration window of the app appears with the following options:

Irisity IRIS Anonymization

The following configurations should be taken into account:

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Irisity IRIS Anonymization Settings

Choose sensor to anonymize

Left sensor

The anonymization algorithm runs on a single sensor. It can be set to run on the left or right sensor or the one automatically set by the camera. Make sure you configure the viewing mode to be a single sensor when configuring human size.

Resolutions up to 4K Ultra HD (3840x2160) and image mirroring are supported for optical sensors. The app is not intended for thermal sensors.

When the app is running the maximum frame rate will be reduced. High resolution reduces the frame rate more. For HD resolution (1280x720) the maximum frame rate is approximately 10 fps and for Full HD (1920x1080) approximately 6 fps.

Human size selector

Human size

Position

0 x 0

Size

0 x 0

Edit Rectangle

Human size

Position

0 x 0

Size

Draw two rectangles the size of an adult human standing on the ground (~180 cm height). One larger rectangle close to the camera (closer to the image bottom) and one farther away (closer to the image top). This configuration is essential for the analysis to do an accurate 3D projection of the camera view and approximate pixels per meter accurately in various parts of the image.

Draw each rectangle with the bottom side touching the ground in the position where you set the size of a human.

Set

Factory

Restore

Close

Choose sensor to enable analysis on: Select the sensor to be used for image analysis. The anonymization algorithm runs on a single sensor. It can be set to run on the left or right sensor or the one automatically set by the camera. Make sure you configure the viewing mode to be a single sensor when configuring human size.

Human size selector: This configuration is essential for the analysis to do an accurate 3D projection of the camera view and approximate pixels per meter accurately in various parts of the image.

Draw two rectangles the size of an adult human standing on the ground (~180 cm height). One larger rectangle close to the camera (closer to the image bottom) and one farther away (closer to the image top). This configuration is essential for the analysis to do an accurate 3D projection of the camera view and approximate pixels per meter accurately in various parts of the image.

Draw two rectangles the size of an adult human standing on the ground (~180 cm height). One larger rectangle close to the camera (closer to the image bottom) and one farther away (closer to the image top). (see [Drawing a rectangular Area in the Live View, p. 23](#)).

Enable grayscaling: Check o avoid persons being identifiable by distinct colors of clothing the whole image is converted to grayscale. Irisity recommends this to minimize the risk of being able to identify or guess the identity of any person in view.

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Drawing a rectangular Area in the Live View

In Live View, there you can draw rectangular area. Depending on the App these areas are e.g. Detection Areas, Excluded Areas, Reference Areas, Human Size Selectors etc.

1. In the Live View simply click and drag a rectangular area.
2. Drag the corner points to the desired position.
3. In the top right corner of the live view click **Submit** to adopt the coordinates of the polygon.
4. Optionally click the **bin** icon to delete the recognition area.

Storing the Configuration

To store the configuration you have the following options:



- Click **Set** to activate your settings and to save them until the next reboot of the camera.
- Click **Factory** to load the factory defaults for this dialog (this button may not be present in all dialogs).
- Click **Restore** to undo your most recent changes that have not been stored in the camera permanently.
- Click **Close** to close the dialog. While closing the dialog, the system checks the entire configuration for changes. If changes are detected, you will be asked if you would like to store the entire configuration permanently.

After successfully saving the configuration, the event and meta data are automatically sent to the camera in case of an event.



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