Network Camera User Manual

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Safety Instructions



CAUTION!

The default password is intended only for your first login. For security, we strongly recommend you set a strong password of at least 9 characters comprising digits, letters, and special characters.

Be sure to read this manual carefully before use and strictly comply with this manual during operation.

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- This manual is intended for multiple product models, and the photos, illustrations, descriptions, etc., in this manual may be different from the actual appearances, functions, features, etc., of the product.
- The mouse operations described in this manual are right-handed operations.
- We reserve the right to change any information in this manual without any prior notice or indication.
- Due to uncertainties such as physical environment, discrepancy may exist between the actual values and reference values provided in this manual. The ultimate right to interpretation resides in our company.
- Users are fully responsible for the damages and losses that arise due to improper operations.

Environmental Protection

This product has been designed to comply with the requirements regarding environmental protection. For the proper storage, use and disposal of this product, national laws and regulations must be observed.

Safety Symbols

The symbols in the following table may be found in this manual. Carefully follow the instructions indicated by the symbols to avoid hazardous situations and use the product properly.

Symbol	Description	
warning!	Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in bodily injury or death.	
CAUTION!	Indicates a situation which, if not avoided, could result in damage, data loss or malfunction to product.	
NOTE!	Indicates useful or supplemental information about the use of product.	

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Login

1.1 Preparation

Refer to the camera's quick guide to complete installation, and then connect the camera to power to start it up. You can log in to the camera's web interface to perform management or maintenance operations. Windows 7, 8 or later is installed on the PC. The following takes Windows 7 as an example.

Check before login

- The camera runs normally.
- The PC has a network connection to the camera.
- You have permission to operate the PC.
- Google Chrome 105 or later is recommended on the PC.
- A 32-bit or 64-bit Web browser is required if you are using a 64-bit operating system. It is recommended to use a monitor with the highest resolution for better display.



NOTE!

Recommended PC configurations for 32MP live view: Intel® Core™ i7 8700 processor; GTX 1080 graphics card; DDR4 8GB or higher.

1.2 Login

The default static IP address of the camera is 192.168.1.13, and the default subnet mask is 255.255.255.0.

DHCP is enabled by default on the camera. If a DHCP server is deployed in the network, the camera may be assigned an IP address, and you need to use the assigned IP address to log in.

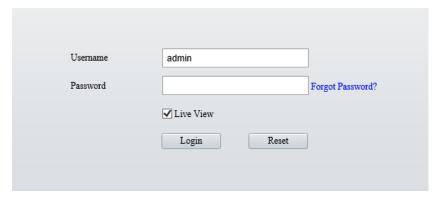
Follow the steps below to log in to the camera's web interface:

- 1. Open Chrome, enter the IP address of your camera in the address bar and press **Enter**.
- 2. At your first login, you need to follow the on-screen instructions to install a plug-in (close all browsers before installation), and then open the browser again to log in. To manually load the plug-in, type http://IP address/ActiveX/Setup.exe in the address bar and press Enter.

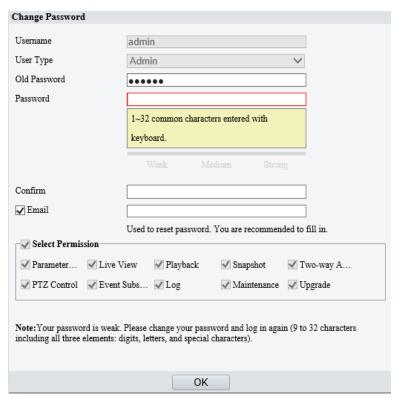


Please click here to Download and install the latest plug-in. Close your browser before installation.

- 3. Set whether to start live view automatically after login.
- With **Live View** selected, live view will start automatically after login.
- With Live View not selected, you need to start live view manually.



- 4. Enter the username and password (admin/123456 by default) and click Login. To clear the Username and Password text boxes, click Reset.
- 5. After first login, the **Change Password** dialog box appears, in which you must set a strong password and enter your email address in case of password retrieval.
 - (1) Set a strong password of 9 to 32 characters including all three elements: digits, letters, and special characters.
 - (2) Enter your email address in case of password retrieval.



See User for more information.

If you forgot your password, click **Forgot Password** in the login page, then follow the on-screen instructions to reset your password.



NOTE!

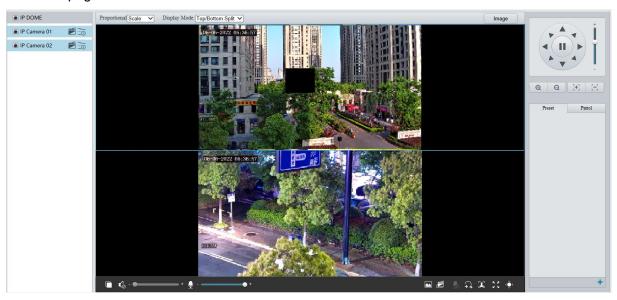
For certain devices, you may need to select the country/region and video standard and choose whether to enable the cloud service after your first login. Please refer to the actual interface.

2 Live View

2.1 Live View

After login, the **Live View** page appears, showing the live video from the camera. You may double-click the window to enter or exit full screen mode.

Live view page of dual-channel camera



Live view page of single-channel camera





NOTE!

Live view operations supported may vary with device model.

Live View Toolbar

Item	Description
Proportional Scale V	 Set the image display ratio in the window. Scale: Displays 16:9 images. Stretch: Displays images according to the window size (stretch images to fit the window). Original: Displays images with original size.
Display Mode: Top/Bottom Split ✓	 Set the image display mode in the window. Single Channel: Displays live video of a single channel. Left/Right Split: Displays live video in left/right split mode. Top/Bottom Split: Displays live video in top/bottom split mode. Picture in Picture: Opens a floating live view window on top of the current window. NOTE! This function is only available on dual-channel cameras.
1	1: Stop/start live view of the selected channel. 2: Start local recording. 3: Switch streams.
Main Stream Sub Stream Third Stream	Select a live video stream according to your camera.
Image	Set image parameters.
▶,□	Start/stop live view.
(1) / (L)	Turn off/on sound.
r (3) - · · · · · +	Adjust the output volume for the media player on the PC. Range: 1 to 100.
⊉ - ● +	Adjust the microphone volume on the PC during audio communication between the PC and the camera. Range: 1 to 100.
[25fps] [7.24Mbps] [3840×2160] [H.264] [0.00%]	Frame rate/bit rate/resolution/packet loss rate.
廿/廿⁄	Enable/disable pixel calculation.
	Take a snapshot from the displayed live video. NOTE! See Local Parameters for the path of the saved snapshots.
***** / ******************************	Start/stop local recording. NOTE! See Local Parameters for the path of the saved local recordings. VLC media player is recommended for playing local recordings of 4K cameras.
9 / 9	Start/stop two-way audio.
1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Start/stop digital zoom. See Digital Zoom for details.
	Start/stop capturing. See Error! Reference source not found. for details.
K 7 2 N	Full screen.
	Display/hide the PTZ Control, General Parameters tabs.

Distance for Optimum Multi-Sensor Splice(m) button, used to adjust the distance from the monitored object to the lens to get the optimal images. The value range is [2.0-100]m, the default is 10m.



Adjust the splicing distance to optimize the splicing effect of the left and right screens. Examples are shown below:

The distance is too small, causing double images.

The distance is appropriate. The image is displayed correctly.

The distance is too large. The image looks smaller than normal.





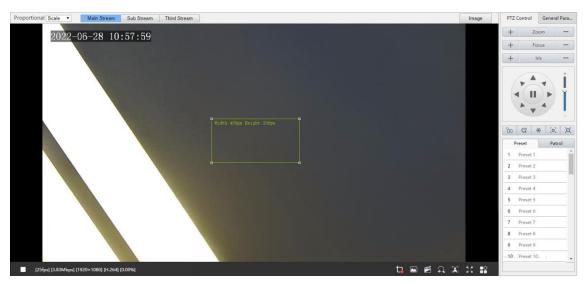


NOTE!

- This function is available on certain multi-sensor cameras.
- You need to set the optimal splicing distance according to the actual scene.

2.1.1 Pixel Calculation

1. Click on the live view toolbar to enable pixel calculation.



- 2. Adjust the position and size of the detection area. The pixel value changes with the size of the detection area.
- To adjust the position of the detection area, point to a border of the area and drag it to the desired position.
- To adjust the size of the detection area, point to a handle of the box and drag to resize it.
- To redraw the detection area, click on the image and drag to draw a new one.
- 3. To disable pixel calculation, click 📮



2.1.2 Digital Zoom

1. Click on the live view toolbar to enable digital zoom.

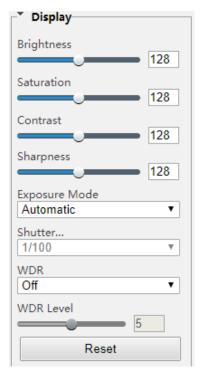


- 2. View the magnified area.
- Click in the live view window and roll the wheel to zoom in or out on the image. Drag your mouse to view all the magnified area. To restore, right-click on the window.
- Click in the live view window and drag your mouse to specify the area (rectangular area) to be magnified. Drag your mouse to view all the magnified area. To restore, right-click on the window.
- 3. To exit, click ...

2.2 General Parameters

Set general parameters to view image effects directly.

On the live view page, click General Parameters.



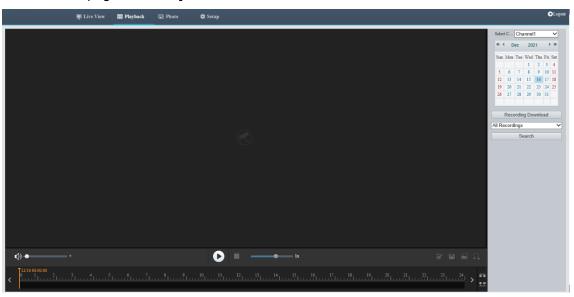
3 Playback



NOTE!

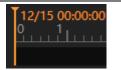
- Edge recordings refer to video recorded on storage media of cameras; local recordings refer to video recorded on a local PC.
- Before you search for edge recordings, make sure that the camera has storage resources such as memory card, and the storage parameters in <u>Storage</u> are properly configured.
- Recording playback and download functions are only available on certain models.
- · For dual-channel devices, you can set playback parameters for the channels separately.

On the home page, click Playback.

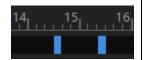


3.1 Playback Toolbar

Button	Description
+	Adjust sound volume. Range: 1 to 100.
0	Start playback.
0	Pause playback.
	Stop playback.
æ s	Clip video.
	Save.
1x	Adjust playback speed. The default speed is 1x. 2x plays faster, and 1/2x plays slower 2x rewinds fast.
	Take a snapshot. The snapshots are saved locally by default. You can change the storage location in <u>Local Parameters</u> .
Ω	Digital zoom. See Digital Zoom for details.
≠ ⇒/ ± ±	Zoom in/out on the time scale. You can also use the scroll wheel to zoom.
	When the time scale is zoomed in, you can click or to view the previous or next section of the video.



Playhead. Drag the playhead to the desired point in the video.



Playback timeline, including two colors:

- Blue: Normal recording.
- Red: Alarm recording. To view alarm recordings, you need to configure alarm-triggered recording. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> for details.

3.2 Search and Playback



NOTE!

Certain cameras support simultaneous playback on two clients.

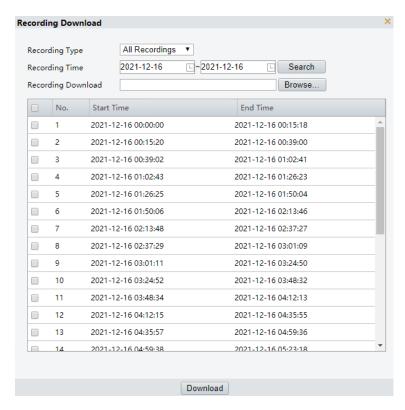
- 1. For a multi-channel camera, select the channel first.
- 2. Select the date on the calendar.
- 3. Click **All Recording** in the list and then choose the recording type you want to search.
- 4. Click Search. Search results are displayed.
- 5. Double-click an item in the list to play the recording. The playback stops till it reaches the end of the list or when you click to pause.



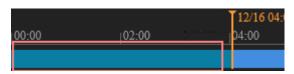
3.3 Recording Download

You can download videos or video clips in batches.

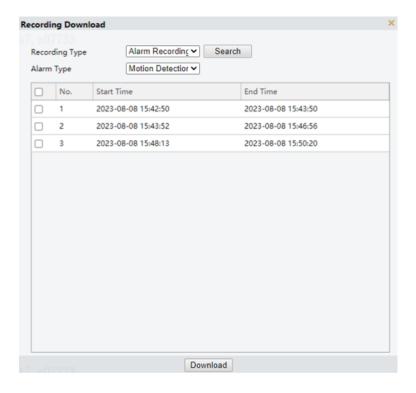
- Download recordings.
- 1. Click Recording Download.
- 2. Choose the recording type, set a time range, and then click **Search**. Search results are displayed.

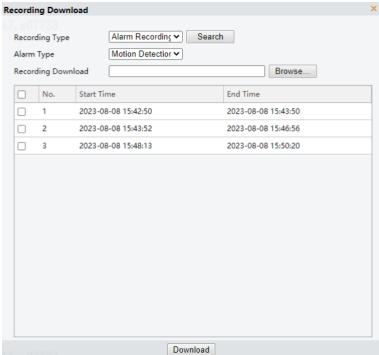


- 3. Click **Browse...** and set the download destination.
- 4. Select the checkboxes for the recordings you want to download and click **Download**.
- Download video clips.
- 1. Search for the video you want to clip. See Search and Playback.
- 2. On the playback toolbar, click .
- 3. Click on the timeline to specify the clip by setting the start and end time.
- 4. Click . The clip turns cyan on the timeline.



5. Click . The **Recording Download** page appears.





- 6. Click **Browse...** and set the download destination.
- 7. Select the checkbox for the clips you want to download and click **Download**.

4 Photo

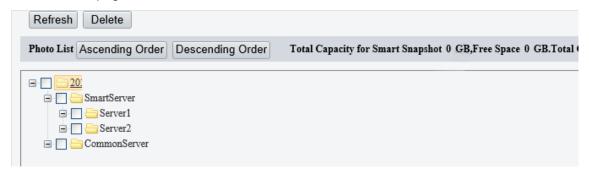
View the photo storage status. See Storage for photo storage policy.



NOTE!

This function is only available on cameras with storage capabilities.

On the home page, click **Photo**.



Item	Description	
Refresh	Refresh the displayed content.	
Export	Export the selected photos.	
Delete	Delete the selected photos.	
Export & Delete	Export the selected photos and delete them on the server.	
Ascending Order	Arrange the items in chronological order.	
Descending Order	Arrange the items in reverse chronological order.	
Smart Server	Used to store smart snapshots.	
Common Server	Used to store common snapshots.	



NOTE!

To allocate photo capacity, go to **Setup > Storage > Storage**.

5 Setup

5.1 Local Parameters

Set local parameters for your PC, including smart, video, recording and snapshot.



NOTE!

The local parameters displayed may vary with camera model.

1. Go to Setup > Common > Local Parameters.

Smart		20,2
Intelligent Mark	● On ○ Off	
Target Mark	✓ Vehicle ✓ Non-Motor Vehicle ✓ Pedestrian	
Object Metadata	● On ○ Off	
Font Size	Small ▼	
Display Human Body Sr	On Off	
Note: When enabled, sr	apshots of human body will show in live view page. Only	effective when face detection is enabled.
Video		
Display Mode	Balanced •	
Protocol	TCP ▼	
Recording and Snapsh	ot	
Recording	Subsection By Time ▼	
Subsection Time (min)	30	
When Storage Full	 Overwrite Recording Stop Recording 	
When Storage Full Total Capacity(GB)	Overwrite Recording Stop Recording 10	
30,0		

2. Set local parameters as needed.

Item		Description
Smart	Intelligent Mark	This function shall be used with Cross Line Detection, Intrusion Detection, Error! Reference source not found., Error! Reference source not found., and Error! Reference source not found.
	Target Mark	When enabled, detection boxes will appear on the specified object type(s) on the live view page.
	Font Size	Set the font size of object attributes, including Large, Medium, and Small.
	Display Human Body Snapshot	When enabled, human body snapshots appear on the live view page. NOTE! Only effective when face detection is enabled.
Video	Display Mode	Set the display mode according to the network status, including Min. Delay , Balanced , and Fluent (from low delay to high delay). You may also customize the display mode as needed.
	Protocol	Set the protocol used to transmit media streams to be decoded by the PC, including TCP and UDP .
	Recording	 Subsection By Time: Length of each local recording file. For example, 2 minutes. Subsection By Size: Size of each local recording file. For example, 10MB.
December and	Subsection Time (min)/Subsection Size (MB)	 Subsection Time (min): Available when Subsection By Time is selected. 1 to 60 minutes allowed. Subsection Size (MB): Available when Subsection By Size is selected. 10 to 1024MB allowed.
Recording and Snapshot	When Storage Full	 Overwrite Recording: When the local recording capacity is full, older recordings are overwritten automatically. Stop Recording: When the local recording capacity is full, recording stops automatically.
	Total Capacity (GB)	Allocate storage capacity for local recording. Range: 1 to 1024GB.
	Local Recording	Set the file format for saving local recordings, including TS and MP4 .

	Files Folder	Set the location where snapshots and recordings are saved. Click Browse to select the storage location. Click Open to quickly open the folder. NOTE!
		The maximum length of the directory is 260 bytes. If the limit is exceeded, recording or snapshot during live view will fail.

3. Click Save.

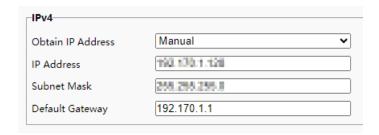
5.2 **Network**

5.2.1 Basic Config

Complete the basic network configuration so the camera can communicate with other devices on the network.

1. Ethernet

- 1. Go to Setup > Network > Basic Config.
- 2. Configure Ethernet parameters.
- IPv4
 - Manual
 - (1) Select Manual from the Obtain IP Address drop-down list.
 - (2) Enter the IP address, subnet mask, and default gateway address. Make sure that the IP address of the camera is unique in the network.
 - (3) Click Save.



▶ PPPoE

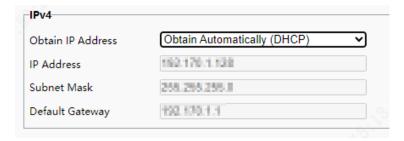
Configure PPPoE to assign a dynamic IP address.

- (1) Select PPPoE from the Obtain IP Address drop-down list.
- (2) Enter the username and password provided by your ISP (Internet Service Provider).
- (3) Click Save. The camera will be assigned an IP address.

Obtain Automatically(DHCP)

DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol) is enabled by default. If a DHCP server is deployed in the network, the camera can automatically obtain an IP address from the DHCP server.

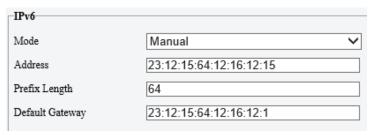
- (1) Select Obtain Automatically(DHCP) from the Obtain IP Address drop-down list.
- (2) Complete the settings as shown below.



- IPv6
 - Obtain Automatically(DHCP)

The default mode is **Obtain Automatically(DHCP)**. In this mode, the IP address is assigned by the DHCP server.

Manual



- (1) Choose Manual.
- (1) Enter the IPv6 address, prefix length and default gateway. Make sure that the IPv6 address is unique in the network.
- 3. Set the MTU value, port type and operating mode.
- MTU: Maximum transmission unit. Input an appropriate value. The greater the value, the higher the transmission efficiency, and the higher the delay.
- Port Type: The default type is FE Port.
- Operating Mode: The default is **Auto-negotiation**.

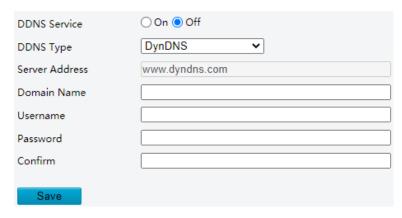


4. Click Save.

2. **DDNS**

DDNS (Dynamic Domain Name Server) can map the dynamic IP address of the camera to a fixed domain name and so users can access the camera using the easy-to-remember domain name.

- 1. Go to Setup > Network > Basic Config > DDNS.
- 2. Enable DDNS Service.



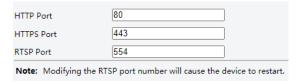
- 3. Select the DDNS type.
 - > DynDNS/NO-IP: Third-party DDNS service provider. Enter the server address and domain name provided by your DDNS service provider.
 - MyDDNS: Enter a domain name and then click Test to check its availability.



Click Save.

3. Port

1. Go to Setup > Network > Basic Config > Port.



2. You can use the default ports. If a port entered has been used for other services, you need to change the port to avoid conflict.



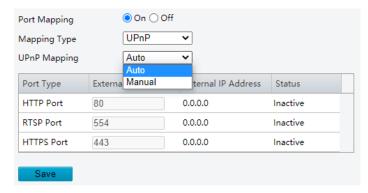
CAUTION!

- If the HTTP port number you entered is being used by another service, a message indicating port conflict will appear. Ports 23, 81, 82, 85, 3260, and 49152 are reserved for other purposes and cannot be used.
- In addition to the above port numbers, the system can also dynamically detect other port numbers that are already in use.
- HTTP/HTTPS Port: If you change the HTTP/HTTPS port number, then you need to add the new port number after the IP address when logging in. For example, if the HTTP port number is set to 88, you need to use http://192.168.1.13:88 to log in to the camera.
- RTSP Port: Real-Time Streaming Protocol port, enter an available port number.
- 3. Click Save.

4. Port Mapping

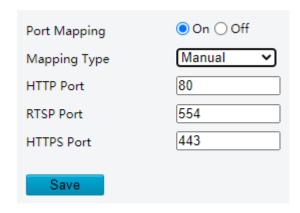
Configure port mapping so users can access your camera on the LAN from the Internet.

- 1. Go to Setup > Network > Port > Port Mapping.
- 2. Enable Port Mapping.
- 3. Select the mapping type.
- UPnP



- Auto: When enabled, the camera will negotiate external ports with the router automatically. Make sure UPnP is enabled on the router.
- Manual: In this mode, you need to enter external ports manually and make sure the ports entered are available; otherwise, port mapping does not take effect.

Manual



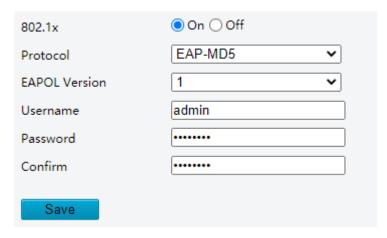
- If your router does not support UPnP, you need to set the external port numbers manually. Make sure the entered ports are available; otherwise, port mapping does not take effect.
- Inactive will be displayed in the Status column if the port number entered is already in use by another service.

4. Click Save.

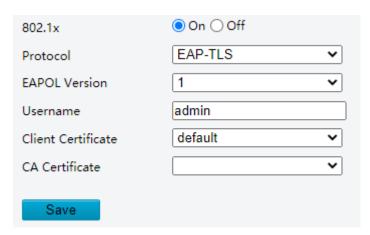
5. 802.1x

802.1x enhances network security for your intranet by performing port-based authentication before allowing the device to access the LAN. Only successfully authenticated devices are allowed to access the LAN.

- 5. Go to Setup > Network > Basic Config > 802.1x.
- 6. Enable 802.1x.
- 7. Choose a protocol type.
- EAP-MD5



- (1) Choose the EAPOL version according to the protocol version on the network switch.
- (2) Enter the device username and password, confirm the password.
- EAP-TLS



- (1) Choose the EAPOL version according to the protocol version on the network switch.
- (2) Enter the device username.
- (3) Click *\text{ to choose a client certificate and a CA certificate (see Certificate Management for details)



NOTE!

You must use an imported client certificate and a CA certificate for the camera to pass authentication. The camera cannot pass authentication with a self-signed certificate and a default certificate.

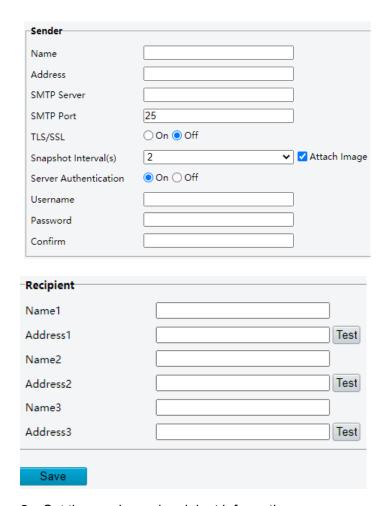
8. Click Save.

5.2.2 Service Configuration

1. Email

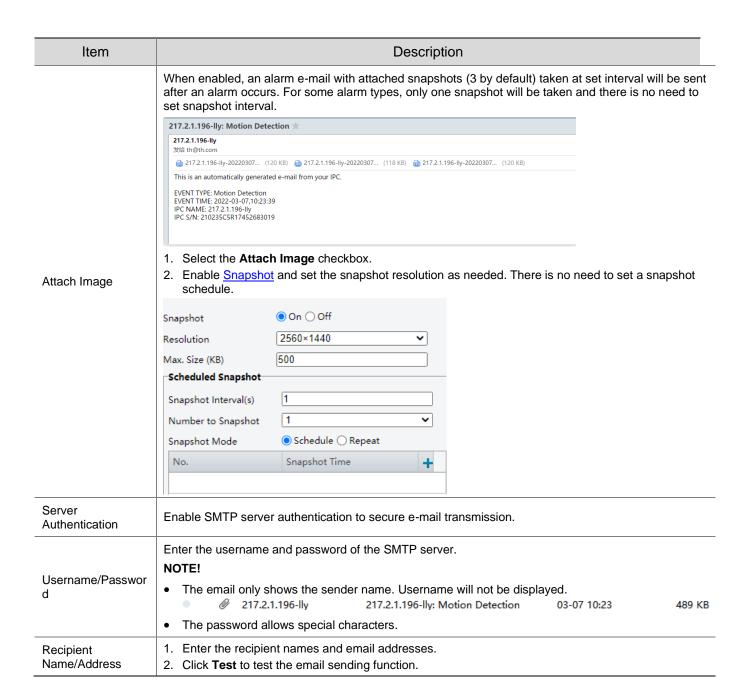
Configure E-mail so that the camera can e-mail an alarm message to the specified email addresses when an alarm occurs.

1. Go to Setup > Network > Service Config > E-mail.

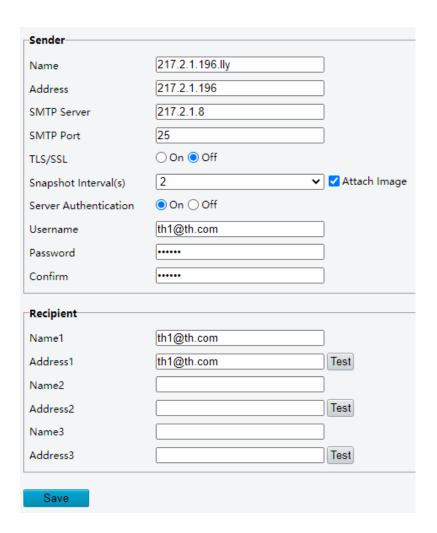


2. Set the sender and recipient information.

Item	Description
Sender Name	Enter the device name.
Sender Address	Enter the device IP.
SMTP Server/SMTP Port	Enter the IP address and port number of the sender's SMTP server. The default SMTP port number is 25.
TLS/SSL	When enabled, emails will be encrypted by TLS or SSL during transmission. NOTE! If SMTP supports TLS/SSL, it tries SSL first to establish a secure connection for email sending.
Snapshot Interval	Choose a snapshot interval: 2s, 3s, 4s, or 5s.



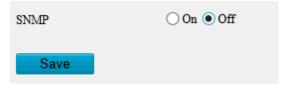
3. Click Save.



2. SNMP

The Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) allows the camera to be remotely managed by a management server. The camera can be configured to support SNMP and send messages to the management server for important events or status changes.

1. Go to Setup > Network > Service Config > SNMP.



2. Click On to enable SNMP.



NOTE!

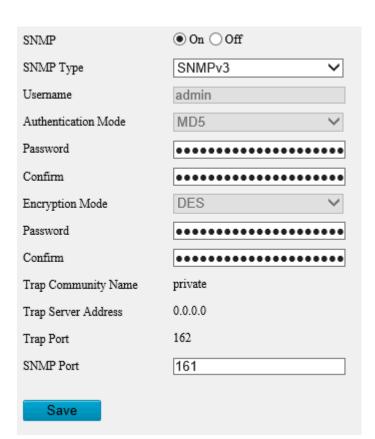
On certain device models, SNMP is enabled after an upgrade to the latest version. It is normal.

- 3. Set SNMP parameters.
- SNMPv3



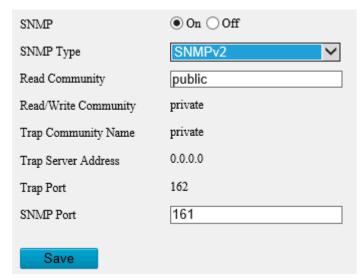
NOTE!

Before you enable SNMPv3, make sure SNMPv3 is supported both on your camera and the server.



Item	Description	
SNMP Type	The default is SNMPv3 .	
Password	Set an authentication password.	
Confirm	Confirm the authentication password by entering it again.	
Password	Set an encryption password.	
Confirm	Confirm the encryption password by entering it again.	
Trap Server Address	It is filled in automatically after you complete management server configuration.	
SNMP Port	The default is 161. You may change it as needed.	

SNMPv2



Item	Description
SNMP Type	A message will appear to remind you of potential risks and prompt for your confirmation after you choose SNMPv2. To choose SNMPv2 anyway, click OK to ignore the reminder.

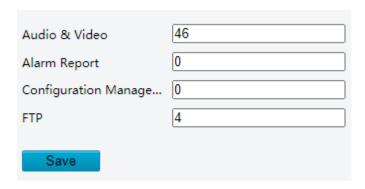
Item	Description
Read Community	The default is public . You may change it as needed, but make sure you also change it on the server; otherwise, authentication will fail.
Trap Server Address	Go to Setup > Network > Platform Access > Management Server to configure the server address.
SNMP Port	The default is 161. You may change it as needed.

4. Click Save.

3. **QoS**

QoS (Quality of Service) can alleviate network delays and network congestion by prioritizing different services.

1. Go to Setup > Network > Service Configuration > QoS.



2. Assign a priority level (0 to 63) for each service. The greater the value, the higher the priority. For example, the camera first ensures smooth audio and video in the case of network congestion.



NOTE!

The same QoS rules must also be configured on the router or network switch.

3. Click Save.

4. ANR (ONVIF)

If the network connection between the camera and the peer (stream receiving address) is disconnected, the camera can store videos according to the configured recording schedule; and after the network connection is restored, the camera can retransfer the video stored during the interruption period to the stream receiving address on the request of the peer.



5.2.3 Platform Access

1. Intelligent Platform

Configure intelligent platform to receive smart snapshots from the camera. A camera can be managed by two intelligent servers.

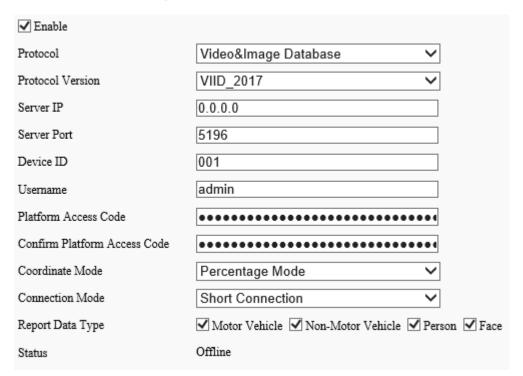
Local snapshot cannot be enabled when the number of subscriptions has reached the upper limit.

If local snapshot has been enabled, when the number of subscriptions reaches the upper limit, higher-priority subscriptions will take precedence, and local snapshot will be disabled.



NOTE!

- The number of subscriptions supported may vary with camera.
- Priority level of subscription from different platforms: Platform 1 > Platform 2 > LAPI subscription > WebSocket subscription.
- Video&Image Database
- 1. Go to Setup > Network > Platform Access > Intelligent Platform.
- 2. Select the Enable checkbox.
- 3. Choose Video&Image Database as the protocol.



4. Configure the parameters.

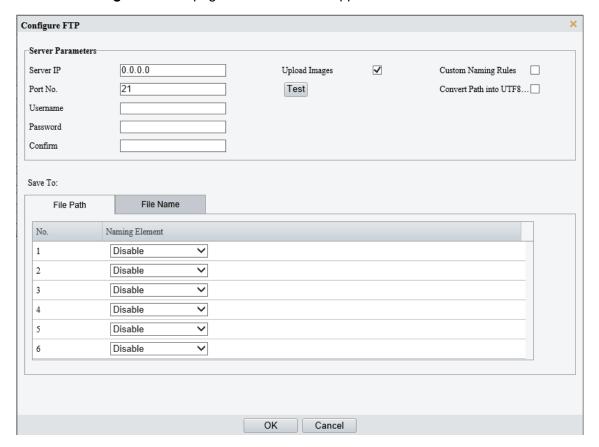
Item	Description
Protocol Version	Choose the protocol version: VIID_2017, VIID_2018, VIID_2018 (multi-channel). Note: When choosing VIID_2018 (multi-channel), you need to enter the video channel ID for each channel.
Server IP	Enter the IP address of the platform.
Server Port	Use the default 5196.
Device ID	Input a valid ID according to the instructions and keep it the same on the platform. The ID shall comply with VIID protocol.
Username	Enter the username for authentication, which must be the same as that configured on the platform.
Platform Access Code	Enter the password for authentication, which must be the same as that configured on the platform.
Confirm Platform Access Code	Input the password again for confirmation.

Item	Description
Coordinate Mode	Used to position structured information on the image, which must be in the same format as that on the platform, Percentage Mode, Pixel Mode, or Normalized Mode.
Connection Mode	Use the default: Short Connection.
Report Data Type	Choose the type(s) of data to be sent to the intelligent platform: Motor Vehicle, Non-Motor Vehicle, Person, and Face.
Status	 Offline: The camera is disconnected from the platform. Online: The camera is connected to the platform.

- FTP
- 1. Go to Setup > Network > Platform Access > Intelligent Platform.
- 1. Select the **Enable** checkbox.
- 2. Choose FTP as the protocol.



3. Click **Configure FTP**. A page as shown below appears.



4. Set server parameters.

Item	Description
Server IP	Enter the IP address of the FTP server.
Port No.	Use the default 21.
Username	Enter the username used for accessing the FTP server.
Password	Enter the password used for accessing the FTP server.

Item	Description
Test	Click to test the connection to the FTP server.
Upload Images	Select the checkbox to enable uploading smart snapshots. Overwrite Storage: After the number of photos in the lowest-level folder reaches the set threshold, new photos will overwrite older photos in the folder. For example, the storage path is "\IP\date," the lowest-level folder is the level-2 folder named "date". When the number of photos unloaded on Jan. 4, 2022, reaches 1000 (default value), new photos overwrite old photos in the 20220104 folder. NOTE! To choose Overwrite Storage, make sure the last naming element of the files is the image sequence number. Overwrite At (image): The default is 1,000, up to 100,000 is allowed.
Custom Naming Rule	Select the checkbox, and then you can customize the file naming rules as needed. For the naming rules, see File Path in step 6.
Covert Path into UTF8	Select the checkbox, and the path will be converted into UTF8 format.

5. Configure the image storage path.

Item	Description
File Path	Six levels are allowed. If not set, the default path "\IP\Date\Intelligent" will be used, where "Intelligent" means smart snapshots.
File Name	Naming element: Up to 20 fields are allowed. If not set, sequence numbers will be used as file names, for example, "1, 2, 3", etc.
	Naming rule: Format string: prefix <(front string) front length % > suffix.

6. Click Save.

2. **P2P**

Add the camera to cloud so you can access the camera anytime, anywhere from your mobile phone for live view, playback, camera configuration, etc.



NOTE!

- You can add the camera to cloud using app or through the cloud website.
- Guard Viewer and Guard Live are free apps that can be downloaded from app stores, including
 iOS and Android versions. You need to download and install the app on your mobile phone in order
 to access your camera from your mobile phone. The following takes Guard Viewer as an example
 to describe the operations.
- You can add the camera to cloud with or without a cloud account. A cloud account is required if you
 want full functionalities on the app. Some functions, such as cloud upgrade, will not be available if
 the camera is added to cloud without a cloud account.
- 1. Go to Setup > Network > Platform Access > P2P.



- Check that P2P is enabled.
- Add the camera to cloud with a cloud account.

Open the app, log in to your cloud account, and use the app to scan the QR code displayed on the **P2P** page to add the camera to cloud.

• Add the camera to cloud without a cloud account.

Open the app, use the Add Without Signup function to add the camera to cloud. The system will bind the camera to your mobile phone so you can view live and recorded video and receive alarm notifications on your mobile phone.



NOTE!

You must enable Add Without Signup on the P2P page on the camera's web interface first.

1. Open Guard Viewer and tap **Try Now**. The **Live View** page appears.



NOTE!

If you have already installed Guard Viewer on your phone, open it, and then go to **E** > **Devices** > **Add** > **Add Without Signup**.

- 2. Tap Add > Add Without Signup.
- 3. Scan the QR code displayed on the P2P page of the camera's web interface.
- 4. Enter the device password and tap **Login** to add the camera to cloud.
- Add cameras on the P2P website.
- 1. Visit www.os.star4live.com using a web browser.
- 2. On the login page, click Sign Up and follow on-screen instructions to create an account.
- 3. Log in to the website.



4. Go to Device Management > My Cloud Devices and click Add.



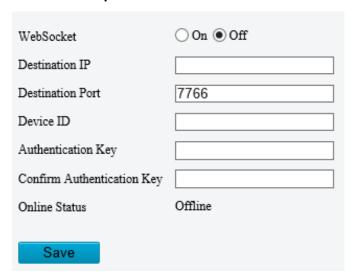
Item	Description
Device Name	Enter the device name.
Register Code	Enter the register code.
Organization	Select an organization for your camera. By default, the root organization is selected. You may add or delete organizations under Organization Management > My Cloud Organizations.

- 5. Click OK.
- 6. Click Save.
- 7. Check whether the camera is online.
- Cloud website: Go to **Device Management > My Cloud Devices**.
- Camera's web interface: Go to Setup > Network > P2P.

3. WebSocket

WebSocket can connect your camera to a third-party platform and enable remote management of the camera from the third-party platform, including viewing device version and capabilities, control PTZ, and receive alarms.

1. Go to Setup > Network > Platform Access > WebSocket.



2. Set the parameters.

Item	Description
WebSocket	Select to enable or disable WebSocket.
Destination IP	Enter the IP address of the third-party platform.

Destination Port	Enter the listener port of the third-party platform.
Device ID	The default device ID is the device's serial number. You can set a device ID as needed.
Authentication Key	Enter the authentication key used to connect the camera to the third-party platform. Make sure the authentication keys configured on the camera and the third-party platform are the same. NOTE!
	1.0.1
	If you first choose not to enable Authentication Key and then enable it after the camera is connected to the platform, authentication does not take effect immediately; it will take effect when the next time the camera is successfully connected to the platform.
Confirm Authentication Key	Confirm the authentication key by entering it again.
Online Status	Check whether the device is successfully connected to the third-party platform.

3. Click Save.

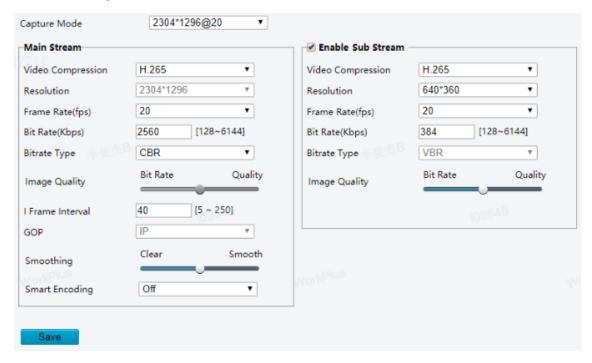
5.3 Video & Audio

For dual-channel devices, you can set video and audio parameters for the channels separately.

5.3.1 Video

1. Video

1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > Video.



2. Select a capture mode for your camera.

The **Extended Encoding** function is available only when the capture mode is greater than 8MP.



After you change the capture mode, the encoding settings will be reset to defaults and some models of cameras will restart.

3. Set stream parameters.

The streams are independent of each other and can be set with different resolutions, frame rates, video compression formats, etc. Only the main stream supports full resolution.



NOTE!

- The fourth and fifth streams are only available on certain models.
- Before configuring the fifth stream, you need to enable the fourth stream first.



Item	Description
Video Compression	Select a video compression standard for your camera: H.265 , H.264 or MJPEG . NOTE!
	When H.265 or H.264 is selected, Image Quality is not available; When MJPEG is selected, Bit Rate, I Frame Interval, Smoothing, SVC and Smart Encoding are not available.
	The bit rate restores to the default when you switch between H.264 and H.265.
Resolution	Select a video resolution for your camera. The higher the resolution, the clearer the image.
	Select the frame rate.
Frame Rate(fps)	NOTE!
rtate(ips)	To ensure image quality, the frame rate shall not be greater than the reciprocal of the shutter speed.
	Set the bit rate. Range: 128 to 16384.
Bit Rate(Kbps)	NOTE!
	The bit rate range may vary with device model.
	Select the bitrate type.
Bitrate Type	 CBR: The camera keeps a specific bit rate by varying the quality of video streams. VBR: The camera keeps the quality of video streams as constant as possible by varying the bit rate.
	Configurable when Bitrate Type is set to VBR.
Image Quality	The closer the slider is to Quality , the higher the bit rate, and the higher the image quality. The closer the slider is to Bit Rate , the lower the bit rate, and the image quality will be affected.
I Frame Interval	Set the number of frames between I-frames. A shorter interval presents better image quality but consumes more bandwidth and storage.
GOP	Group of Pictures, defines the basic pattern of the video stream encoded with I and P frames.
Smoothing	Set the smoothness of the video stream. Drag the slider to choose whether smoothness or clarity takes precedence. NOTE!
	Smoothing is recommended for fluent video in a poor network environment.
SVC	SVC (Scalable Video Coding) enables a video stream to be broken into multiple layers of resolution, quality, and frame rate, reducing bandwidth consumption without compromising the image quality.
Smart	Select a mode.
Smart Encoding	Basic Mode: Reduces the bit rate by about 25%.
	Advanced Mode: Reduces the bit rate by about 50%.

- 4. Set the BNC output format, PAL, or NTSC.
- 5. Click Save.

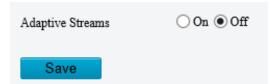
2. Adaptive Streams

The bit rate of the media stream is automatically adjusted according to the network conditions.



NOTE!

- This function is only available on certain models.
- This function is enabled by default on certain models.
- It is recommended to enable Adaptive Streams in a poor network environment.
- To enable adaptive streams, you need to choose the TCP protocol at Setup > Commons > Local Parameters; otherwise, adaptive streams cannot be enabled.
- 1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > Video > Adaptive Streams.



- 2. Enable Adaptive Streams.
- Click Save.

5.3.2 Snapshot

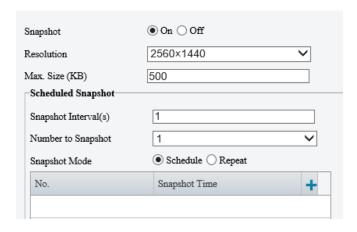
Configure basic snapshot parameters and scheduled snapshot.

1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > Snapshot.

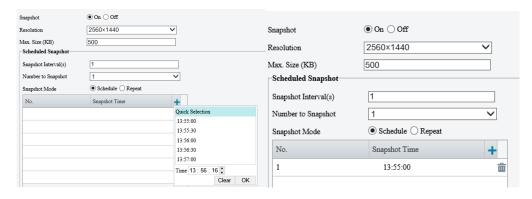


NOTE!

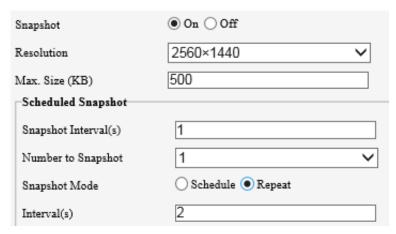
- For dual-channel devices, you can set snapshot parameters for the channels separately.
- When you configure e-mail and FTP, you only need to enable Snapshot and set the resolution and maximum size; it is unnecessary to configure the scheduled snapshot.



- 2. Enable **Snapshot**, set the resolution and maximum size of snapshots.
- 3. Set the snapshot mode.
 - ➤ Schedule: Set a snapshot time. For example, with **Snapshot Interval** set to 20s, **Number to Snapshot** set to 3, and snapshot time set to 16:00:00, the camera will take a snapshot at 16:00:00, 16:00:20 and 16:00:40. You can click to add a snapshot time by choosing from the list or by adjusting based on a listed time.



- Repeat: Set a snapshot interval. For example, with snapshot plan set to 16:00:00 to 20:00:00 on Monday, Repeat Interval set to 120s, Snapshot Interval set to 20s, and Number to Snapshot set to 2, the camera will take a snapshot at 16:00:00, 16:00:20, 16:02:00 and 16:02:20.
- a Select **Repeat** and set the repeat interval. A valid repeat interval is an integer within the range of 1 to 86400. The snapshot interval * number of snapshots to take cannot be greater than the interval (**Snapshot Interval** * **Number of Snapshot** cannot be greater than **Interval**).



b Select the **Enable Snapshot Plan** checkbox and set the snapshot plan. See <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details. A 24/7 snapshot plan is enabled by default.



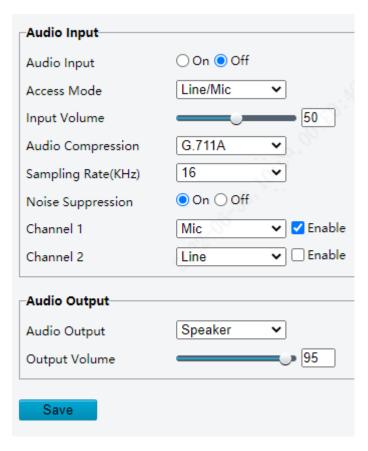
NOTE!

- The time periods cannot overlap.
- Up to 4 time periods are allowed.
- 4. Set the snapshot interval (unit: second) and number to snapshot (1, 2, or 3). For example, if the interval is set to 1s and the number to snapshot is set to 2, the camera will take 2 snapshots (take one first and then take another after 1 second).
- 5. Click Save.

5.3.3 **Audio**

1. Audio

1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > Audio.



2. Set audio input parameters.

Item	Description
Audio Input	Enable/disable audio input. NOTE! If audio is not needed, it is recommended to turn it off to improve camera performance.
Access Mode	Choose the audio input mode; Line/Mic or RS485. NOTE! This function is not available on dual-channel cameras.
Input Volume	Drag the slider or input a value to set the input volume.
Audio Compression	Choose the audio compression format: G.711U or G.711A .
Sampling Rate(KHz)	Choose a sampling rate, 8KHz or 16KHz. The higher the sampling rate, the better the sound quality.
Noise Suppression	This function is enabled by default. It can reduce noises and improve audio output quality.
Channel 1/Channel 2	Select the Enable checkbox to enable audio input for Channel 1 or Channel 2 (if available). Only one channel can be enabled.
	Channel 1 supports Mic (default) and Line .
	Channel 2 is available on certain models only.

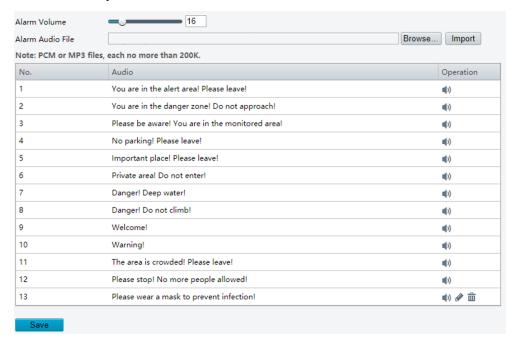
3. Set audio output parameters.

Item	Description
Audio Output	Choose an audio output mode, Line or Speaker. Line: A speaker or an earphone needs to be connected. Speaker: Default mode.
Output Volume	Set the output volume using the slider.

4. Click Save.

2. Audio File

1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > Audio.



2. Set audio file parameters.

Item	Description
Alarm Volume	Drag the slider or input a value to set alarm volume.
Alarm Audio File	 Click Browse to import audio files. To play an audio file, click ♥. To edit audio contents, click ✔. To delete an audio, click m. NOTE! This function is available only on certain models. Up to 5 audio files are allowed. Built-in audio files may vary depending on the smart functions supported by the device. Certain models without smart functions provide built-in alarm audios and support user-imported audios.

3. Click Save.

5.3.4 **ROI**

Region of Interest (ROI) ensures image quality of specified areas on the image at low bit rate.

1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > ROI.



2. Set ROI areas.

(1) Click to add a ROI area. The area is a rectangle by default. Up to 8 areas are allowed.



- (2) Adjust the position and size of the area or draw an area as needed.
- Adjust the position and size of the area.
- Point to a border of the area and drag it to the desired position.
- Point to a handle of the area and drag to resize it.
- Draw an area.

Click on the image and drag to draw an area.



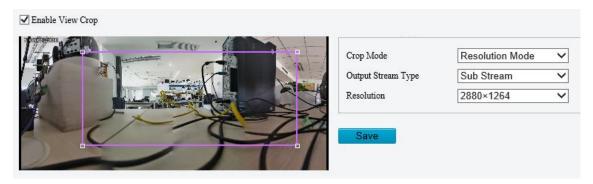
NOTE!

When setting the ROI, you can click to lock the scene to prevent pan/tilt movement caused by triggered detection rules and click to unlock the scene after finishing setting the ROI.

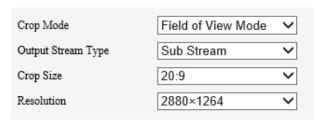
5.3.5 View Cropping

You can crop the live video to keep only the area of interest and transmit the cropped video by sub or third stream to save bandwidth and storage.

- 1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > View Crop.
- 2. Select the **Enable View Crop** checkbox. A rectangular appears on the image. You may drag to resize or relocate the rectangular on the image.



- 3. Choose a cropping mode.
- Field of View Mode: The camera ensures the size of the specified area. Choose a stream type, set the cropping size and resolution.



• Resolution Mode: The camera ensures the resolution of the specified area first. Choose a stream type, set the resolution.



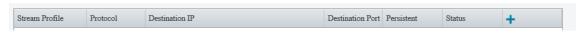
4. Click Save. The live and recorded video only shows the specified area (rectangular) of the image.

5.3.6 Media Stream

1. Media Stream

You can configure a media stream for your camera so that media contents from the camera such as audio and video can be transmitted over the network and played immediately on a third-party client rather than being downloaded first.

1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > Media Stream.



- 2. Click to add a media stream.
- 3. Complete the media stream settings.

Item	Description
Stream Profile	Select a stream type for the camera to transmit media contents to a third-party client.
Destination IP	Enter the IP address of the device receiving media streams.

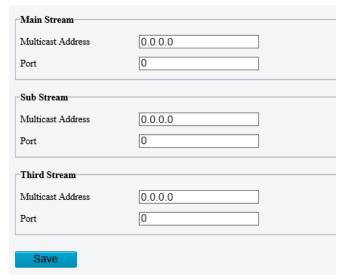
Item	Description
Protocol	The camera transmits data to a third-party client through the specific protocol. The default protocol is RTMP.
Persistent	Set whether to automatically establish the configured media stream after the camera restarts.

4. Click OK.

2. RTSP Multicast

RTSP multicast allows third-party players to request RTSP multicast media streams from the camera through the RTSP protocol.

1. Go to Setup > Video & Audio > Media Stream > RTSP Multicast Address.



- 2. Set the multicast address and port number (multicast address range: 224.0.1.0 to 239.255.255.255, port number range: 0 to 65535).
- 3. Click Save.

5.4 Image

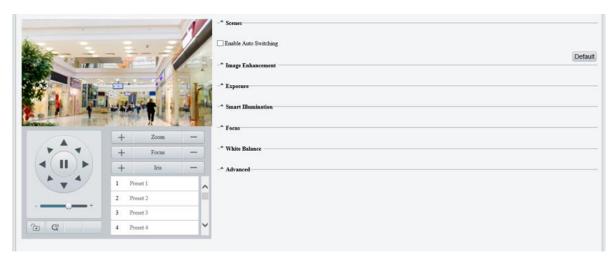
5.4.1 **Image**

For dual-channel devices, you can set image parameters for the two channels separately.

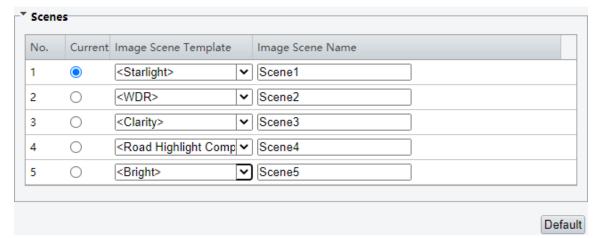
1. Scenes

A scene is a collection of image parameters preset in the camera for users to choose according to the actual scene.

1. Go to Setup > Image > Image.



2. Click Scenes.



3. Set the parameters.

Item	Description
Current	Shows the scene that is currently in use. NOTE! To apply a scene, click the corresponding radio button in the Current column. The scene is selected as the current scene, and the corresponding image parameters apply automatically.
Image Scene Template	The camera provides multiple scenes for you to choose according to the actual scene. After you select a scene, the corresponding image settings apply automatically (you may also fine-tune image settings as needed). Common: For outdoor scenes. Indoor: For indoor scenes. Road Highlight Compensation/Park Highlight Compensation: For capturing license plates in roads, parks, etc. WDR: For high-contrast situations. Custom: For customizing a scene. Test: For testing. Standard: For common scenes, indoor and outdoor. Vivid: Provides extra saturation based on the Standard scene. Bright: Provides extra brightness based on the Standard scene. Starlight: For lowlight environments. Face: For capturing faces in motion in complicated scenes. Person And Vehicle: For monitoring motor vehicles, non-motor vehicles, and pedestrians in road scenes.
Image Scene Name	Choose scene names corresponding to the scene templates. The scene names will be used in image scene switching (see Error! Reference source not found.).

2. Image Enhancement

1. On the **Image** page, click **Image Enhancement**.



2. Set the image enhancement parameters.

Item	Description
Brightness	The overall lightness or darkness of the image.
	Low brightness High brightness
	The intensity or vividness of colors in the image.
Saturation	
	Low saturation High saturation
	The difference between the lightest and darkest tones in the image.
Contrast	
	Low contrast High contrast

Item	Description
Sharpness	The definition of edges in the image. Low sharpness High sharpness
2D Noise Reduction	Reduce noise by individually analyzing each frame, which may cause image blur.
3D Noise Reduction	Reduce noise by analyzing the difference between successive frames, which may cause image smearing or ghosting.
Image Rotation	The rotation of the image. Normal Flip vertical Flip horizontal 180°
	90° clockwise 90° anti-clockwise

To restore defaults, click **Default**.

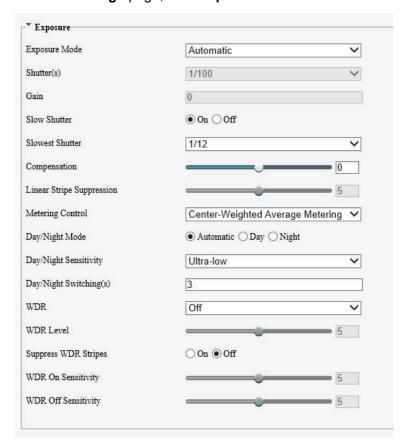
3. Exposure



NOTE!

- The exposure settings may vary with device model.
- The default settings are scene-adaptive. Use default settings unless modification is necessary.

1. On the **Image** page, click **Exposure**.



2. Set the exposure parameters.

Item	Description
Exposure Mode	 Select the exposure mode. Automatic: The camera automatically sets the optimum shutter speed according to the scene. Custom: User can set exposure parameters as needed. Shutter Priority: The camera adjusts shutter as priority to adjust the image quality. Iris Priority: The camera adjusts iris as priority to adjust the image quality. Indoor 50Hz: Reduce stripes by adjusting the exposure time. NOTE! Stripe effect: The high-contrast condition in an image caused by uneven light energy received by the sensor. Using this mode in brighter environments aids in adjusting the stripe effect in the image with linear stripe suppression. Indoor 60Hz: Reduce stripes by adjusting the exposure time. NOTE! Using this mode in brighter environments aids in adjusting the stripe effect in the image with linear stripe suppression. Manual: Fine-tune image quality by setting shutter, gain and iris manually. Low Motion Blur: Control the minimum shutter to reduce motion blur in faces captured in motion.
Shutter(s)	Shutter is used to control the light that comes into the lens. A fast shutter speed is ideal for scenes in quick motion. A slow shutter speed is ideal for scenes that change slowly. NOTE! This parameter is configurable when Exposure Mode is set to Manual, Shutter Priority, or Custom. If Slow Shutter is disabled, the reciprocal of the shutter speed must be greater than the frame rate.

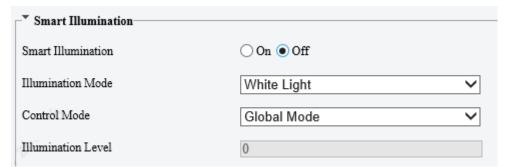
Item	Description
Gain	Control image signals so that the camera can output standard video signals in different light conditions. NOTE!
	This parameter is configurable when Exposure Mode is set to Manual or Custom .
Slow Shutter	Increase image brightness in low light conditions. NOTE!
	This parameter is configurable when Exposure Mode is not set to Iris Priority and Image Stabilization is disabled.
Slowest Shutter	Set the slowest shutter speed for exposure.
Compensation	Adjust the compensation value as required to achieve the desired image effect. NOTE!
	This parameter is configurable when Exposure Mode is not set to Manual .
Linear Stripe Suppression	Adjust the linear stripes in the image. Range: 1 to 9, the default is 5. The greater the value, the more obvious the linear stripe suppression effect is, but it may cause overexposure in the image. Please configure this according to the actual scene. NOTE!
	This parameter is configurable when Exposure Mode is set to Indoor 50Hz or Indoor 60Hz .
Restore Auto Exposure(min)	Set the duration for the camera to restore automatic exposure mode.
	Perform luminance statistics on the images captured by the device, automatically adjust the exposure value, and output properly exposed images with optimal brightness. The default is the Center-Weighted Average Metering , you may configure this according to the actual scene.
Metering Control	 Center-Weighted Average Metering: Measure light primarily in the central part of the image. Evaluative Metering: Measure light in the specified area of the image, suitable for scenes where the target and the background contrast widely. Spot Metering: Measure light in a small spot, smaller than evaluative metering, with more accurate light control. If used in brighter areas, the metered area will be properly exposed but darken other areas. If used in darker areas, the metered area will be properly exposed (unable to increase the brightness of the spot) and brighten other areas.
	 Face Metering: Adjust image quality in poor lighting or back lighting conditions by controlling the brightness of captured faces in face scenes.
	NOTE! This parameter is configurable when Exposure Mode is not set to Manual.
	 Automatic: The camera automatically switches between day mode and night mode according to the ambient lighting condition to output optimum images. Day: The camera outputs high-quality images in daylight conditions. Night: The camera outputs high-quality images in low-light conditions.
Day/Night Mode	 Input Boolean: The camera switches between day mode and night mode according to the Boolean value input from a connected third-party device. NOTE!
	The Input Boolean option is only available on certain models.
Day/Night Sensitivity	Light threshold for switching between day mode and night mode. A higher sensitivity value means that the camera is more sensitive to the change of light and is therefore more easily switched between day mode and night mode. NOTE!
	This parameter is configurable when Day/Night Mode is set to Automatic .
Day/Night Switching(s)	Set the length of time before the camera switches between day mode and night mode after the switching conditions are met. NOTE!
±	This parameter is configurable when Day/Night Mode is set to Automatic .

Item	Description
WDR	Suitable for high-contrast scenes. WDR can balance the brightness in the bright area and dark area and provide clear image with more details.
	On/Off: User needs to identify WDR scenes, and manually enable or disable WDR as needed.
	Smart/Automatic: The device can automatically identify typical WDR scenes, and then enable or disable WDR.
	Note:
	When WDR is enabled, some other functions may not be supported. Please refer to the actual interface.
	Adjust the WDR level.
WDR Level	NOTE!
WDR Level	Level 7 or higher is recommended if there is a high contrast between the bright and dark areas in the scene. In the case of low contrast, it is recommended to disable WDR or use level 1 to 6.
WDR On/Off Sensitivity	When WDR is set to Automatic, adjust the parameter to change the WDR switching sensitivity.
Suppress WDR Stripes	Suppress the stripes in the image caused by the flickering light in WDR mode. When enabled, the camera automatically adjusts the shutter and frequency to minimize stripes.

To restore defaults, click **Default**.

4. Smart Illumination

1. On the Image page, click Smart Illumination.



2. Enable Smart Illumination.

3. Set the smart illumination parameters.

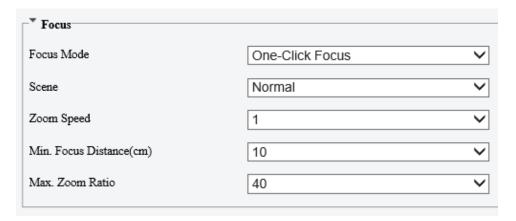
Item	Description
	 Infrared: The camera uses infrared light illumination. White Light /Smart White Light: The camera uses white light illumination. Warm Light: The camera uses warm light illumination. Laser: The camera uses laser light illumination. NOTE!
Illumination	Before you select Warm Light , please set the Port Mode to Illumination (go to Setup > System > Ports & Devices > Serial Port).
Mode	• This parameter is configurable when Control Mode is set to Custom Level . Range: 0 to 100. 0 is the weakest, 100 is the strongest.
	When Smart Illumination is enabled and illumination mode is set to Smart White Light:
	 Alarm-trigger enabled: when an alarm is triggered, during the daytime, the white light blinks; at night, the white light is on steadily, otherwise, the white light is on faintly. Alarm-trigger N/A or disabled: when an alarm is triggered, during the daytime, the white light is off; at night, the white light is on steadily, otherwise, the white light is on faintly.
Control Mode	Global Mode: The camera automatically adjusts illumination and exposure to achieve a balanced image effect. Some areas might be overexposed if you select this option. This option is recommended if you focus on the monitoring range and image brightness.

Item	Description
	 Overexposure Restrain: The camera automatically adjusts illumination and exposure to avoid regional overexposure. Some areas might be dark if you select this option. This option is recommended if you focus on the clarity of the monitoring center area. Road: This mode offers a strong overall illumination and is recommended for monitoring widerange scenes, for example, road. Park: This mode offers uniform illumination and is recommended for monitoring small-range scenes with many obstacles, for example, park. Custom Level: This mode allows you to manually control the intensity of illumination. Custom Level(Always On): In this mode, the illumination is always on.
Illumination Level	Set the intensity of the illuminator. The greater the value, the higher the intensity. 0 is off. Near-illumination Level: Recommended for near focus scenes. Mid-illumination Level: Recommended for medium distance focus scenes. Far-illumination Level: Recommended for far focus scenes. NOTE! This parameter is configurable when Control Mode is set to Custom Level.

To restore defaults, click **Default**.

5. Focus

1. On the **Image** page, click **Focus**.



2. Set the focus parameters.

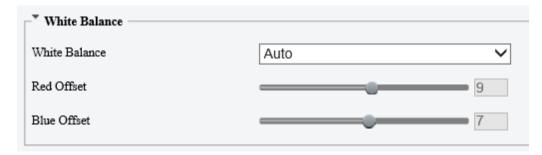
Item	Description
Focus Mode	 Auto Focus: Automatic focus control based on the current light conditions. Manual Focus: Manual focus control. One-Click Focus: Automatic focus in the event of rotation, zoom, and preset call. One-Click Focus (IR): Recommended for low light scenes. One-click Focus (Locked): Recommended for road highlight scenes.
Scene	 Normal: Common monitoring scenes such as road, park, etc. Long Distance: Long-distance monitoring scenes
Zoom Speed	 1: Low zoom speed. Recommended for common scenes. 2: High zoom speed. Recommended when Quick Focus is enabled.
Min. Focus Distance	Select the minimum focus distance.
Max. Zoom Ratio	Choose an upper limit for digital zoom: 22, 44, 88, 176, or 352.

3. To restore the default settings, click **Default**.

6. White Balance

White balance is used to eliminate unnatural color casts in images under different color temperatures for optimal color reproduction.

1. On the Image page, click White Balance.



2. Set the white balance parameters.

Item	Description	
White Balance	 Adjust the red and blue gains of the image to remove unrealistic color casts. Auto/Auto 2: Automatically adjust the red and blue gains according to the lighting conditions. If there are still color casts in Auto mode, try Auto 2 mode. Fine Tune: Manually adjust the red and blue offsets. Sodium Lamp: Automatically adjust the red and blue gains for optimal color reproduction in sodium light sources. Outdoor: Recommended for outdoor scenes where the color temperature varies widely. Locked: Keep the current color temperature. 	
Red/Blue Offset	Set the red/blue offset. NOTE! This parameter is configurable when White Balance is set to Fine Tune.	

To restore defaults, click **Default**.

7. Defog

Defog is used to improve image visibility in foggy, hazy, and other low-visibility scenes.

1. On the **Image** page, click **Advanced**.





NOTE!

This function is only available when WDR is disabled.

2. Set the defog parameters.

Item	Description	
Defog	Select the defog mode, including Automatic , On , and Off . In Automatic mode, the camera automatically adjusts the defog intensity according to the fog concentration for clear images.	
Defog Intensity	Adjust the defog intensity. In a heavy-fog environment, the higher the defog level, the clearer the image; in a fog-free or light-fog environment, there is not much difference between levels 1 to 9.	

Item	Description	
	NOTE!	
	Optical defog is available on certain models.	
	To enable optical defog, select On and set the defog intensity to 6 or higher, or select Automatic . Optical defog is automatically turned on in thick fog, and the image changes from color to black and white.	

To restore defaults, click **Default**.

5.4.2 **OSD**

On Screen Display (OSD) are characters displayed with video images, for example, camera name, date, and time.

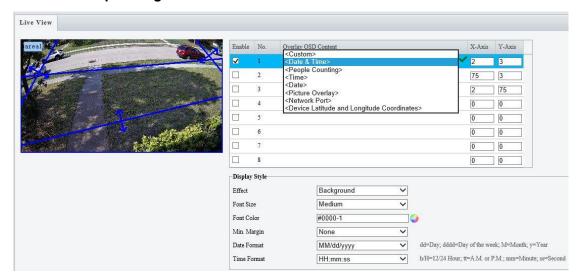


NOTE!

- This function may vary with device model.
- For dual-channel cameras, you can set OSD parameters for the channels separately.

Configure OSD displayed on the live video.

1. Go to Setup > Image > OSD.



2. Configure parameters in the OSD Toolbar



NOTE!

OSD operations supported may vary with device model.

Item	Description	
	Select the checkboxes in the Enable column to overlay the corresponding OSD contents on live video.	
Enable	NOTE!	
	Up to 10 OSDs are allowed.	

Item	Description	
Overlay OSD Content	Set OSD content you want to overlay. Point to the OSD content, click , select the OSD content from the drop-down list or customize it. NOTE!	
	An OSD content takes effect only when the Enable checkbox is selected.	
	Some models allow multiple OSD contents in one overlay area.	
X-Axis/Y-Axis	Specify the exact position of the OSD by entering the X and Y coordinates. The top left corner of the image is the origin (0, 0), the horizontal axis is the X-axis, and the vertical axis is the Y-axis. NOTE! You can also drag an OSD to the desired position: point to the OSD box in the preview window and drag when the cursor shape changes.	
Upload Picture	This parameter is available only when the Overlay OSD Content is set to Picture Overlay . 1. Click Browse to select the picture you want to overlay. 2. Click Upload , then the picture is displayed on the live video. Overlay Area Upload Picture Browse Upload Note: The uploaded picture should be a 24-bit or 32-bit BMP/PNG file, with max size 64K.	
ScrollOSD	This parameter is available only when the Overlay OSD Content is set to Picture Overlay. 1. Enter the text you want to overlay. 2. The text appears on the live video and scrolls from right to left. Overlay Area ScrollOSD: Up to 200 characters are allowed and only displays in the area wit	
Сору	After configuring the OSD for one channel, you can click Copy to copy the OSD content and style of the channel to other channels.	

3. Overlay OSD Contents

- Custom: Customizes the OSD contents.
- ➤ Date & Time: Displays the current date and time of the camera according to the set format (content style), for example, Friday, 25 March, 2022 14:25.
 - PTZ Coordinates: Specify the exact position of the PTZ camera. For example, P: 165.42°, T: 1.49°. P stands for horizontal coordinates, T stands for vertical coordinates.
- Zoom: Displays the zoom information of the PTZ, for example, Z: 1.00X.
- Preset: Displays current preset ID on live video, for example, Preset 1.
- Serial Port: The IPC will receive and parse the serial port information in correct format and display the information in the live view window. Only some models support this function.
- ➤ Direction: Displays the coordinates of the 8 directions of the PTZ camera, including the basic directions: East, South, West, North, and the intermediate directions: Northeast, Southeast, Northwest, and Southwest.
- People Counting: Displays people flow information (number of people entering/leaving), crowd density information (number of people present), or face detection information (number of people entering/leaving) on live video. You need to enable and configure People Flow Counting, Crowd Density Monitoring, or Face Detection.
- > Time: Displays the current time of the device.
- > Date: Displays the current date of the device.

- ➤ Picture Overlay: Displays locally imported pictures. You may set the picture transparency according to your need.
- ScrollOSD: The OSD text displays on the live video and scrolls from right to left.
- Network Port: The IPC will receive and parse the network port information in correct format and display the information in the live view window.
- Device Latitude and Longitude Coordinates: Displays the latitude and longitude coordinates of the device location.
- Motor Vehicle&Non-Motor Vehicle&Pedestrian Count: Displays motor vehicle/non-motor vehicle/pedestrian counting information on live video. You need to enable <u>Mixed-Traffic Detection</u> and Motor Vehicle&Non-Motor Vehicle&Pedestrian Count first.



NOTE!

- To disable an OSD, clear the OSD content or clear the corresponding Enable checkbox.
- Some models allow multiple OSDs.

4. Set the OSD display style.

Item	Description	
Effect	Choose a display effect: Background, Stroke, Hollow, or Normal.	
Font Size	Choose a font size: X-large, Large, Medium, or Small.	
Font Color	Click to choose a font color.	
OSD Inverse	When enabled, the OSD content color is opposite to the live view color.	
Min. Margin	Choose a minimum distance between the OSD area and the edge of image: None: Zero margin. Single: One-character margin. Double: Two-character margin.	
Date Format	Choose a date format: dd/MM/yyyy, MM/dd/yyyy, etc.	
Time Format	Choose a time format: HH:mm:ss, HH:mm:ss.aaa, hh:mm:ss tt, or hh:mm:ss.aaa tt.	

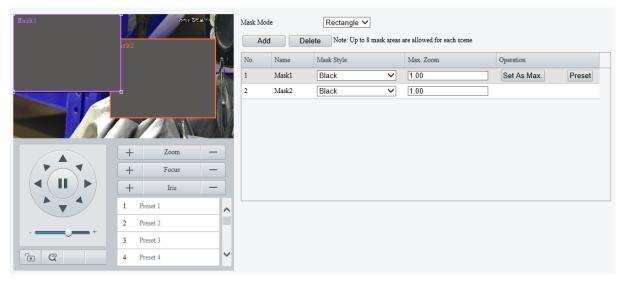
5.4.3 Privacy Mask

Privacy mask is used to cover certain areas on the image for privacy, for example, ATM keyboard.



NOTE!

- · This function may vary with device model.
- For dual-channel devices, you can set privacy mask parameters for the channels separately.
- 1. Go to Setup > Image > Privacy Mask.



- 2. Select the mask mode, **Rectangle** or **Polygon**.
- 2D-mask camera: For a PTZ camera, the privacy mask does not move and zoom with the camera.
- 3D-mask camera: For a PTZ camera, the privacy mask moves and zooms with the camera and the masked area is always covered.
- 3. Add a privacy mask.
 - (1) Click **Add**. The privacy mask is a rectangle by default.



- (2) Adjust the position and size of the mask or draw a mask as needed.
- > Adjust the position and size of the mask.
- Point to a border of the mask and drag it to the desired position.
- Point to a handle of the mask and drag to resize it.
- Draw a mask.
- Polygon: Click on the image and drag to draw a line. Repeat the action to draw more lines to form an enclosed shape as needed. Up to 4 lines are allowed.
- Rectangle: Click on the image and drag to draw a rectangle.
- 4. Set the privacy mask.

Item	Description	
	Select the mask style, Black or Mosaic . NOTE!	
Mask style	This parameter is configurable when Mask Mode is set to Rectangle . By default, the mask style of polygon mask is black and cannot be modified.	
	Mosaic is only available on certain models.	
Max. Zoom (3D- mask camera)	Set the maximum zoom ratio to determine whether to show or hide the privacy mask.	
	If the current lens zoom ratio is less than the maximum zoom ratio, the privacy mask is invalid.	

Item	Description	
Set As Max. (3D-mask camera)	Click to set the current lens zoom ratio as the maximum zoom ratio.	
Preset (3D-mask camera)	Click to rotate the camera to the masked area (generally, the masked area is in the center of the live video).	

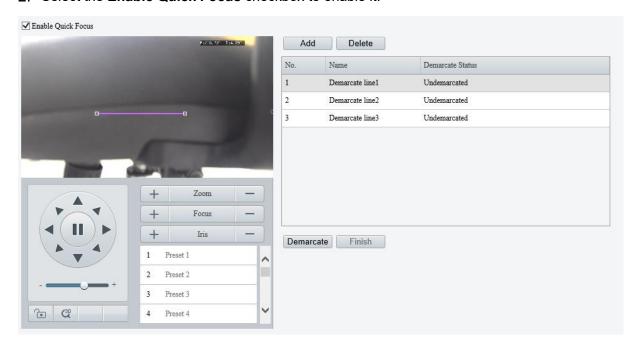
5.4.4 Quick Focus

Fast focus effectively saves focus time and avoids missing important information after the camera changes the scene, focus, and zoom.



NOTE!

- This function is only available on certain models.
- Set the zoom speed to 2 on the **Image** page when quick focus is enabled.
- 1. Go to Setup > Image > Quick Focus.
- 2. Select the Enable Quick Focus checkbox to enable it.



- 3. Add a calibration line for the desired scene.
 - (1) Click Add. A line is displayed on the image.
 - (2) Adjust the position and length of the line or draw a line as needed.
 - > Adjust the position and length of the line.
 - Point to the line and drag it to the desired position.
 - Point to a handle of the line and drag to resize it.
 - Draw a line.
 - Click on the image and drag to draw a line.
- 4. Click **Demarcate** to start automatic zoom. After the auto zoom is completed, click **Finish** to complete calibration. If you click **Finish** during calibration, the calibration line is considered invalid.
- 5. Repeat the above steps to calibrate more scenes. Up to 4 scenes are allowed.

5.5 Smart

On the **Smart** page, you can select the smart event to be monitored and click to configure relevant parameters.

The smart events supported by the device and the parameters supported by the events may vary with device model.



Common Button Description

Button	Description
+	Create detection rules. Up to 4 detection rules are allowed for each smart event.
	Delete detection rules.



NOTE!

- For dual-channel devices, you can set smart parameters for the channels separately.
- Some smart functions are mutually exclusive. When a smart function is enabled, the functions that are mutually exclusive with it are grayed out.

5.5.1 Alarm-triggered Actions

Configure linkage actions to be triggered when an alarm occurs.

Perimeter protection, exception detection, object detection, people flow counting, and auto tracking support alarm-triggered actions (also known as linkage actions).

Conventional	Alarm Output	Storage
Alarm the Center	□ A → 1	Recording Edge Storage
Send E-mail	A → 2	Image Edge Storage
Panoramic Linkage	☐ Alarm Sound 🌣	FTP Video Storage
✓ Upload Image(Original)		

Conventional alarm-triggered actions

Item	Description	
Upload to FTP	The camera uploads snapshots to the specified FTP server when an alarm occurs. 1. Configure FTP and Snapshot. 2. Select the Upload to FTP checkbox to enable this function.	
Send E-mail	The camera sends snapshots to the specified email addresses when an alarm occurs. 1. Configure E-mail and Snapshot. 2. Select the Send Email checkbox to enable this function.	
Alarm the Center	The camera uploads alarm information to the surveillance center when an alarm occurs. Select the Alarm the Center checkbox to enable this function.	
Report Data to Center	The camera uploads data to the server when an alarm occurs. 1. Configure management platform. 2. Select the Report Data to Center checkbox to enable this function.	
Attribute Collection	The camera uploads the attribute information collected from the captured object to the server when an alarm occurs. 1. Configure Attribute Collection, 2. Select the Attribute Collection checkbox to enable this function.	
Upload Image(Original)	The camera uploads the original snapshot and the cutout image of the captured object to the server when an alarm occurs. Select the Upload Image(Original) checkbox to enable this function. For dual-channel cameras, when this function is configured for channel 2 (thermal channel), it will trigger channel 1 (visible light channel) to capture an image and upload the original image with the cutout image of the captured object to the server.	
Upload Image(Target)	The camera uploads the cutout image of the captured object to the server. Select the Upload Image(Target) checkbox to enable this function.	

2. Alarm output

Item	Description	
	Connect the external alarm output devices, such as alarm lights and alarm bells, etc., to the camera's ALARM OUT interfaces. The camera triggers alarm output devices when an event occurs.	
Alarm Output	A->1: A refers to the ALARM OUT interface on the device, 1 means the first ALARM OUT interface. A->2 means the second ALARM OUT interface on the device, and so on. The number of ALARM OUT interfaces may vary with the device model. See the device datasheet for specifications.	
	□ A → 1	
	1. Configure Alarm Output.	
	Select the Alarm Output checkbox to enable this function.	
	The camera plays warning sounds when an alarm occurs.	
	3. Select the Alarm Sound checkbox, and then click .	
	4. Set the arming schedule for audible alarms. See Arming Schedule for details.	
	5. Set the alarm audio content and alarm times.	
	 Audio: Set the audio content to be played when an alarm occurs. See <u>Audio File</u>. Repeat: Set the number of times the audio to be played when an alarm occurs. 	
	Alarm Sound X	
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	Copy To Select All	
	OK Cancel	
	NOTE!	
	This function may vary with device model.	
	The light flashes for a certain period of time when an alarm occurs.	
	Select the Flashing Light checkbox, and then click	
Flashing Light	Set the flash duration.	
r lasting Light	3. Set the arming schedule. See Arming Schedule for details.	
	NOTE!	
	This function may vary with device model.	

3. Alarm-triggered storage

Item	Description	
Recording Edge Storage	The camera saves alarm recordings to its memory card or NAS when an alarm occurs. 1. Configure Memory Card or Network Disk. 2. Select the Recording Edge Storage checkbox.	
Image Edge Storage	The camera saves alarm snapshots to its memory card or NAS when an alarm occurs. 1. Configure Memory Card or Network Disk. 2. Select the Image Edge Storage checkbox.	
FTP Video Storage	The camera uploads alarm recordings to the specified FTP server when an alarm occurs. 1. Configure FTP. 2. Select the FTP Video Storage checkbox.	

4. Alarm-triggered PTZ

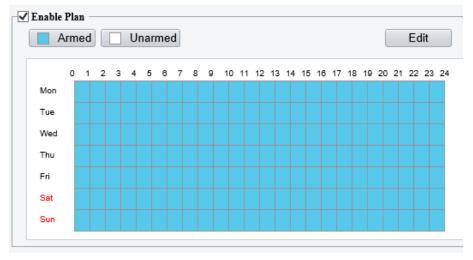
Item	Description	
	The camera tracks and zooms on the object that triggered the alarm until the set tracking time is reached or the object disappears.	
Trigger Tracking	Select the Trigger Tracking checkbox.	
	2. Click Tracking to configure tracking parameters. See <u>Tracking</u> for details.	
	The camera automatically tracks the object that triggered the alarm.	
Panoramic Linkage	1. Configure panoramic linkage. See Error! Reference source not found. for details.	
	Select the Panoramic Linkage checkbox.	
	The camera automatically goes to a preset position when an alarm occurs.	
Go to Preset	Select the Go to Preset checkbox.	
	2. Choose the preset to be linked with motion detection alarm. See PTZ for details.	

5.5.2 Arming Schedule

You can set an arming schedule to determine when the camera performs detection.

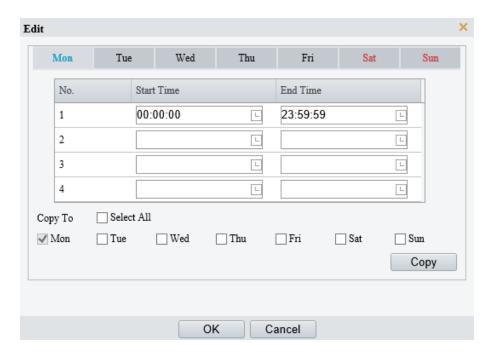
• Draw a schedule.

To set an armed period, click **Armed**, and then click or drag on the schedule to select the time cells you want to enable arming. To set a disarmed period, click **Unarmed**, and then click or drag on the schedule to select the time cells you want to disable arming.



• Edit a schedule.

Click **Edit**, set the arming time, and then click **OK**.





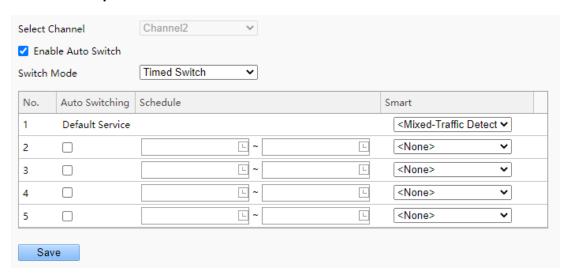
NOTE!

- Up to 4 time periods are allowed per day. The time periods cannot overlap.
- To apply the same time settings to other days, select the desired day(s), and then click **Copy**.

5.5.3 Smart Service Switch

Configure smart service switch so the camera can automatically switch smart services according to time schedules or linked presets.

1. Go to Setup > Smart Service > Smart Service Switch.

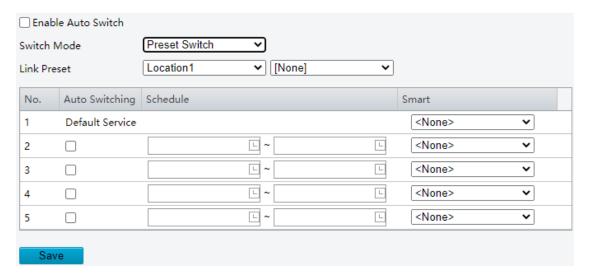


- 2. Click * and choose a switch mode.
- Timed Switch: Switch to a specified smart service at a set time.
- Preset Switch: Switch to a specified smart service at a set time specified for a specified preset.
- 3. Configure the switch mode parameters.
- Timed Switch

Item	D	escription	
Auto Switching	When auto switch is enabled and switching corresponding smart service automatically. T	conditions are met, the system switches to the the list includes the default service.	
Schedule	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ified) takes effect when the current time is not within ds and assign a smart service for each period. Click	
	For certain perimeter protection functions, you can configure overlapping periods, which means, multiple smart services may be effective during the same period.		
	For mutually exclusively smart services which cannot be enabled at the same time, overlapping periods are not allowed, and on-screen messages will appear.		
	When panoramic linkage has been enable exclusive with panoramic linkage, an on-	ed and a specified smart service is mutually screen message will also appear.	
	Click to choose smart functions. All the functions in the drop-dow		
	☐ Enable Auto Switch		
	Switch Mode Timed Switch		
	No. Auto Switching Schedule	Smart	
Smart Service	1 Default Service	<none></none>	
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	4	<none></none>	
	5 🗆 🗀 ~	□ <none> ✓</none>	
	Save		

Preset Switch

Click to choose a preset. You can set up to 4 locations and link a location to a preset (the linked presets must be configured in advance, see **Error! Reference source not found.**). The steps for configuring a position are similar to that for configuring timed switch, that is, you can configure 4 locations and 4 corresponding schedules, each schedule includes periods and corresponding smart services.



- 4. (Optional) Select the **Enable Auto Switch** checkbox. After selecting the **Enable Auto Switch** checkbox, you may still configure or enable/disable smart services.
- Timed Switch
 - > The camera switches to the linked smart service at the start time of a period.

- The camera switches to the default service at the end time of a period, or switches to the corresponding smart service at the start time of the next period.
- > The camera switches to the smart service at once when Auto Switch is enabled.

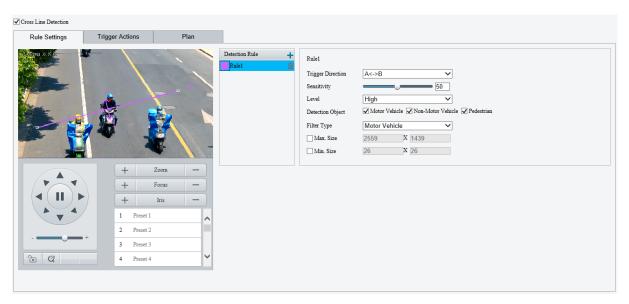
Preset Switch

- The camera switches smart service only when calling a linked preset.
- The camera checks the time when calling a preset. If the current time is within a specified period, the camera switches to the smart service linked to the period.
- > The camera switches to the default smart service of the preset if the current time is not within any listed periods.
- 5. Click Save.

5.5.4 Cross Line Detection

Cross line detection detects objects crossing a user-specified virtual line in a specified direction. The camera reports an alarm when the detection rule is triggered.

- 1. Go to Setup > Intelligent > Smart.
- 2. Select **Cross Line** and click [©] to configure it.



- 3. Add a detection rule.
 - (1) Click to add a detection line. Up to 4 detection rules are allowed.



- (2) Adjust the position and length of the line or draw a line as needed.
- Adjust the position and length of the line.
- Point to the line and drag it to the desired position.

- Point to a handle of the line and drag to resize it.
- Draw a line.

Click on the image and drag to draw a line.



NOTE!

When editing detection rules, you can click to lock the scene to prevent pan/tilt movement caused by triggered detection rules and click to unlock the scene after you finish editing detection rules.

4. Set the detection rule.

Item	Description	
Trigger Direction	Select the direction from which the object crosses the line to trigger an alarm.	
	A->B: The camera reports a cross line alarm when it detects an object crossing the line from A to B.	
	B->A: The camera reports a cross line alarm when it detects an object crossing the line from B to A.	
	A<->B (default): The camera reports a cross line alarm when it detects an object crossing the line from A to B or from B to A.	
Sensitivity	Set the detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity, the more likely cross line behaviors will be detected, and the more likely false alarms will occur.	
	Select the priority of the detection rule, including High , Medium , and Low .	
Level	The camera detects the rule that is triggered first by default. If multiple rules are triggered at the same time, the camera detects the rule with higher priority.	
Detection Object	Select the object to be detected, including Motor Vehicle, Non-Motor Vehicle, and Pedestrian.	
	After you select a detection object, you can set a filter rule for it.	
Filter Type	For example, if you have selected Motor Vehicle as a detection object, select Motor Vehicle from the Filter Type drop-down list and set the Max. Size or Min. Size for it, then motor vehicles larger than the Max. Size or smaller than the Min. Size will not be detected.	
	When enabled, a box appears on the image, you can point to a handle of the box and drag to resize it. The camera filters objects larger than the Max. Size or smaller than the Min. Size. The width and height of the maximum filter area must be greater than that of the minimum filter area.	
Max. Size/Min. Size	Detection Rule Trigger Direction Sensitivity Detection Object Filter Type Motor Vehicle Mon-Motor Vehicle Mon-Motor Vehicle Mon-Motor Vehicle Motor Vehicle	

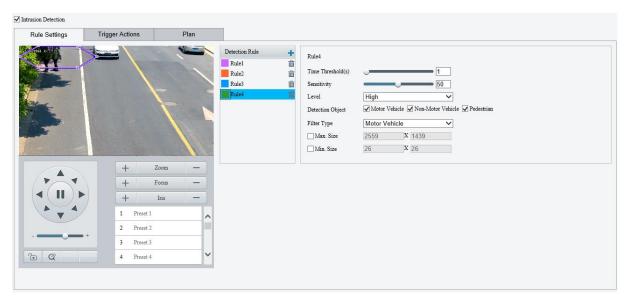
- 5. Set the alarm-triggered actions and arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 6. Click Save.

5.5.5 Intrusion Detection

Intrusion detection detects objects entering a user-specified area and staying for a preset time. The camera reports an alarm when the detection rule is triggered.

1. Go to Setup > Intelligent > Smart.

2. Select **Intrusion** and click to configure it.



- 3. Add a detection rule.
 - (1) Click to add a detection area. The detection area is a hexagon by default. Up to 4 detection rules are allowed.



- (2) Adjust the position and size of the area or draw an area as needed.
- > Adjust the position and size of the area.
- Point to a border of the area and drag it to the desired position.
- Point to a handle of the area and drag to resize it.
- Draw an area.

Click on the image and drag to draw a line. Repeat the action to draw more lines to form an enclosed shape as needed. Up to 6 lines are allowed.



NOTE!

When editing detection rules, you can click to lock the scene to prevent pan/tilt movement caused by triggered detection rules and click to unlock the scene after you finish editing detection rules.

4. Set the detection rule.

Item	Description	
Time Threshold(s)	Set how long the object stays in the detection area to trigger an intrusion alarm. If an object stays in the detection area for the set time, an intrusion alarm will be triggered.	

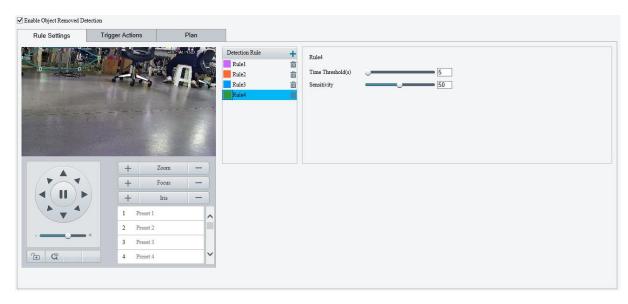
Sensitivity	Set the detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity, the more likely intrusion behaviors will be detected, and the more likely false alarms will occur.	
Level	Select the priority of the detection rule. The camera detects the rule that is triggered first by default. If multiple rules are triggered at the same time, the camera detects the rule with higher priority.	
Detection Object	Select the object to be detected, including Motor Vehicle , Non-Motor Vehicle , and Pedestrian .	
Filter Type	After you select a detection object, you can set a filter rule for it. For example, if you have selected Motor Vehicle as a detection object, select Motor Vehicle from the Filter Type drop-down list and set the Max. Size or Min. Size for it, then motor vehicles larger than the Max. Size or smaller than the Min. Size will not be detected.	
Max. Size/Min. Size	When enabled, a box appears on the image, you can point to a handle of the box and drag to resize it. The camera filters objects larger than the Max. Size or smaller than the Min. Size. The width and height of the maximum filter area must be greater than that of the minimum filter area.	
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- 5. Set the alarm-triggered actions and arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 6. Click Save.

5.5.6 **Object Removed Detection**

Object removed detection detects objects removed from a user-specified area. The camera reports an alarm when the detection rule is triggered.

- 1. Go to Setup > Intelligent > Smart.
- 2. Select **Object Removed** and click of to configure it.



3. Add a detection rule.

(1) Click to add a detection area. The detection area is a hexagon by default. Up to 4 detection rules are allowed.



- (2) Adjust the position and size of the area or draw an area as needed.
- > Adjust the position and size of the area.
- Point to a border of the area and drag it to the desired position.
- Point to a handle of the area and drag to resize it.
- Draw an area.
 Click on the image and drag to draw a line. Repeat the action to draw more lines to form an enclosed shape as needed. Up to 6 lines are allowed.



NOTE!

When editing detection rules, you can click to lock the scene to prevent pan/tilt movement caused by triggered detection rules and click to unlock the scene after you finish editing detection rules.

4. Set the detection rule.

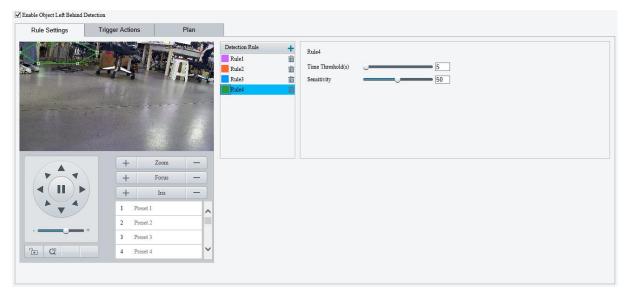
Item	Description
Time Threshold(s)	Set how long the object is removed from the detection area to trigger an alarm. If an object is removed from the detection area for the set time, an alarm will be triggered.
Sensitivity	Set the detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity, the more likely object removal behaviors will be detected, and the more likely false alarms will occur.

- 5. Set the alarm-triggered actions and arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 6. Click Save.

5.5.7 **Object Left Behind Detection**

Object left behind detection detects objects left behind in a user-specified area. The camera reports an alarm when the detection rule is triggered.

- 1. Go to Setup > Intelligent > Smart.
- 2. Select **Object Left Behind** and click ⁴ to configure it.



3. Add a detection rule.

(1) Click to add a detection area. The detection area is a hexagon by default. Up to 4 detection rules are allowed.



- (2) Adjust the position and size of the area or draw an area as needed.
- Adjust the position and size of the area.
- Point to a border of the area and drag it to the desired position.
- Point to a handle of the area and drag to resize it.
- Draw an area.

Click on the image and drag to draw a line. Repeat the action to draw more lines to form an enclosed shape as needed. Up to 6 lines are allowed.



NOTE!

When editing detection rules, you can click to lock the scene to prevent pan/tilt movement caused by triggered detection rules and click to unlock the scene after you finish editing detection rules.

4. Set the detection rule.

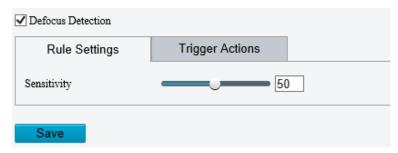
Item	Description
Time Threshold(s)	Set how long the object is left behind in the detection area to trigger an alarm.
	If an object is left behind in the detection area for the set time, an alarm will be triggered.
Sensitivity	Set the detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity, the more likely object left behind behaviors will be detected, and the more likely false alarms will occur.

- 5. Set the alarm-triggered actions and arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 6. Click Save.

5.5.8 **Defocus Detection**

Defocus detection detects lens defocus. The camera reports an alarm when the detection rule is triggered.

- 1. Go to Setup > Intelligent > Smart.
- 2. Select **Defocus** and click to configure it.

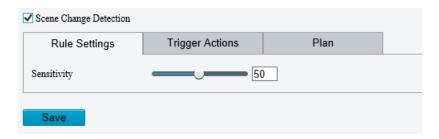


- 3. Set the detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity, the more likely defocus will be detected, and the more likely false alarms will occur.
- 4. Set the alarm-triggered actions. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> for details.
- 5. Click Save.

5.5.9 Scene Change Detection

Scene change detection detects the change of surveillance scene caused by external factors such as intentional camera movement. The camera reports an alarm when the detection rule is triggered.

- 1. Go to Setup > Intelligent > Smart.
- Select Scene Change and click to configure it.



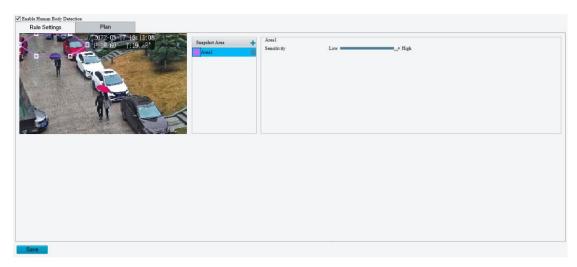
- 3. Set the detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity, the more likely scene change behaviors will be detected, and the more likely false alarms will occur.
- 4. Set the alarm-triggered actions and arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 5. Click Save.

5.5.10 **Human Body Detection**

Human body detection detects humans in a specified area. The camera reports an alarm when the detection rule is triggered.

1. Go to Setup > Intelligent > Smart.

2. Select **Human Body Detection** and click of to configure it.



- 3. Add a snapshot area.
 - (1) Click 🛨. The snapshot area is a hexagon by default. Only one snapshot area is allowed.



- (2) Adjust the position and size of the area or draw an area as needed.
- Adjust the position and size of the area.
 Point to the area and drag it to the desired position. Drag the corners of the area to resize it.
- Draw an area.
 Click in the preview window to draw a polygonal area with up to 6 sides.



NOTE!

When editing detection rules, you can click to lock the scene to prevent pan/tilt movement caused by triggered detection rules and click to unlock the scene after you finish editing detection rules.

- 4. Set the detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity, the more likely humans will be detected, and the more likely false alarms will occur.
- 5. Set the alarm-triggered actions and arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 6. Click Save.

5.6 Alarm

Configure the alarm function, so the camera can report alarms when an event occurs. Configure alarm linkage, so the camera can trigger other devices to perform specified actions when an event occurs.



NOTE!

The supported alarms and linkage actions (or trigger actions) may vary with camera model.

5.6.1 Common Alarm

1. Motion Detection



NOTE!

- The icon appears in the upper right corner of the image when a motion detection alarm occurs.
- · The function may vary with device model.
- 1. Go to Setup > Events > Common Alarm.



2. Choose the detection mode, including basic mode and ultra mode.

Basic Mode

The camera detects motions in specified detection areas or grids on the image and will take snapshots and report an alarm when detection rules are triggered.

- Detection area
 - (1) To add a detection area, click then a rectangle appears on the image. Up to four detection areas are allowed.

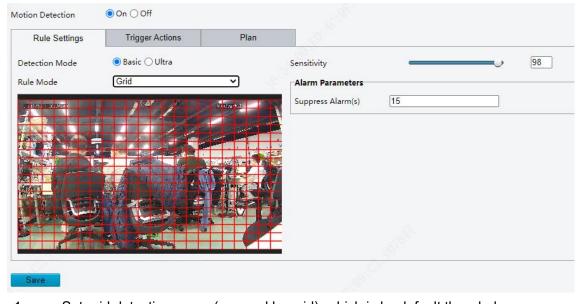


- (2) Adjust the position, size, and shape of the rectangle detection area, or draw a new one.
- Point to a border of the area and drag it to the desired position.

- Point to a handle of the area and drag to resize it.
- Click anywhere on the image, and then drag to draw a new area.
- (3) Set detection rules.

Item	Description
Sensitivity	Drag the slider to adjust detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity level, the higher the detection rate of small motions, and the higher the false alarm rate. Set based on the scene and your actual needs.
Object size	 Drag the slider to set object size. Object size: The ratio of the size of the detected object to the size of the detection area. An alarm is triggered when the ratio reaches the set value. To detect motion of small objects, you need to draw a small detection area separately. Motion detection results of the current detection area are shown below in real time. The red means motions that have triggered a motion detection alarm. The height of the lines indicates the extent of motion. The density of the lines indicates the frequency of motion. The higher the line, the greater the extent. The denser the lines, the higher the frequency.

- (4) Set **Suppress Alarm** to avoid receiving the same alarms within a certain length of time (alarm suppression time). For example, alarm suppression time is set to 5s, after an alarm is reported:
- ➤ If no motion is detected within the next 5s, new alarms can be reported after 5s when the alarm suppression time (5s) is over.
- ➤ If motion is detected within the next 5s, the alarm suppression time recounts from the time of the last alarm, and new alarms can be reported when the alarm suppressions time (5s) is over.
- Grid detection.



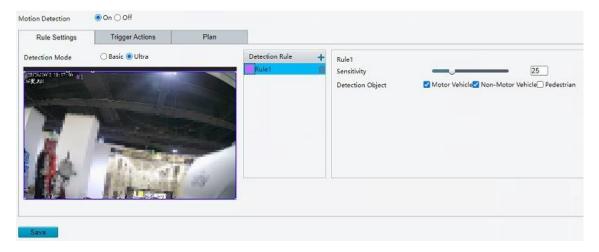
- 1. Set grid detection areas (covered by grid), which is by default the whole screen.
 - (1) Edit detection areas as needed.
 - Click or drag on grid areas to erase grids.
 - Click or drag on blank areas to draw grids.
 - (2) Drag the slider to adjust detection sensitivity.

The higher the sensitivity level, the higher the detection rate of small motions, and the higher the false alarm rate. Set based on the scene and your actual needs.

- (3) Set **Suppress Alarm** to avoid receiving the same alarms within a certain length of time (alarm suppression time). For example, alarm suppression time is set to 5s, after an alarm is reported:
- If no motion is detected within the next 5s, new alarms can be reported after 5s when the alarm suppression time (5s) is over.
- ➤ If motion is detected within the next 5s, the alarm suppression time recounts from the time of the last alarm, and new alarms can be reported when the alarm suppression time (5s) is over.
- Set alarm linkage and an arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 4. Click Save.

Ultra Mode

The camera detects motions of motor vehicles, non-motor vehicles and pedestrians in specified detection areas and will take snapshots and report an alarm when detection rules are triggered.



- 1. Set detection rules.
 - (1) To add a detection area, click $\stackrel{\bullet}{=}$, then a rectangle appears on the image. Up to four detection areas are allowed.
 - (2) Adjust the position, size, and shape of the rectangle detection area, or draw a new one.
 - Point to a border of the area and drag it to the desired position.
 - > Point to a handle of the area and drag to resize it.
 - > Click anywhere on the image, and then drag to draw a new area.
 - (3) Drag the slider to adjust detection sensitivity.

The higher the sensitivity level, the higher the detection rate of small motions, and the higher the false alarm rate. Set based on the scene and your actual needs.

- (4) Select the detection object.
- 2. Set alarm linkage and an arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 3. Click Save.

2. Tampering Detection

The camera triggers a tampering alarm after the lens is blocked for a certain length of time.

1. Go to Setup > Events > Common Alarm > Tampering Detection.



- 2. Select Enable Tampering Detection.
- 3. Set detection rules.
 - (1) Drag the slider to adjust detection sensitivity. The higher the sensitivity level, the higher the detection rate, and the higher the false alarm rate. Set based on the scene and your actual needs.
 - (2) Set the duration of lens blocking. The camera reports an alarm when the duration of lens blocking exceeds the set value. Set based on the scene and your actual needs.
- 4. Set alarm linkage and an arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 5. Click Save.

3. Audio Detection

The camera monitors input audio signals and triggers an audio detection alarm when an exception is detected. Make sure an audio collection device (e.g., sound pickup) is connected, and audio detection is enabled (see <u>Audio</u>).

- When audio input mode is Line/Mic.
- 1. Go to Setup > Events > Common Alarm > Audio Detection.



- 2. Enable Audio Detection.
- 3. Set audio detection rules.

Item	Description	
Detection Type	 Sudden Rise: Detects sudden rising sound volume and triggers an alarm when the rise of volume exceeds the difference. Sudden Fall: Detects sudden falling sound volume and triggers an alarm when the fall of volume exceeds the difference. Sudden Change: Detects sudden rising and falling sound volume and triggers an alarm when the rise or fall of volume exceeds the difference. Threshold: Triggers an alarm when the volume exceeds the threshold. 	
Difference/T hreshold	 Difference: The difference between two sound volumes. The camera triggers an alarm when the rise or fall of volume exceeds the difference (range: 0-400). This parameter is applicable when the detection type is Sudden Rise, Sudden Fall, or Sudden Change. Threshold: The camera triggers an alarm when the sound volume exceeds the threshold (range: 0-400). This parameter is applicable when the detection type is Threshold. 	
Diagram of relative audio intensity	Audio detection results are displayed and updated in real time. You can control the display progress by clicking the Start/Stop button. The scales are used to measure sound volume. Gray indicates relative sound intensity. Red means sound volume that has triggered alarms. Scales Scales	

- 4. Set alarm linkage and an arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 5. Click Save.

4. Alarm Input

The camera can receive alarms from external third-party devices such as infrared detectors, smoke detectors, etc. After alarm input is configured, the third-party device can send signals to the camera after an event occurs.

1. Go to Setup > Events > Common Alarm > Alarm Input.



2. Choose an alarm input from the drop-down list.

The number of alarm inputs available may vary by camera model. For example, if the camera has two alarm inputs on the tail cable, you can configure alarm input 1 and alarm input 2 separately.

3. Configure alarm input.

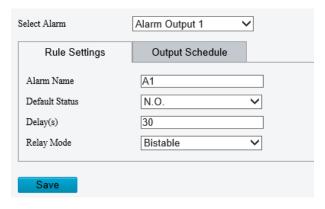
Item	Description	
Alarm Name	The default name is the alarm input channel ID. You rename it as needed.	
Alarm ID	Set an alarm ID as you need.	
Alarm Type	Set the alarm type according to the alarm input device. If the alarm input device is normally open (N.O.), choose N.C. If the alarm input device is normally closed (N.C.), choose N.O	
Alarm Input	Click On to enable Alarm Input .	

- 4. Set alarm linkage and an arming schedule. See <u>Alarm-triggered Actions</u> and <u>Arming Schedule</u> for details.
- 5. Click Save.

5. Alarm Output

The camera can output alarms to external third-party devices such as an alarm bell, buzzer, etc. After the alarm output is configured, the camera can output alarm signals when an alarm (such as motion detection alarm, tamping alarm) occurs and trigger the third-party device to perform certain actions.

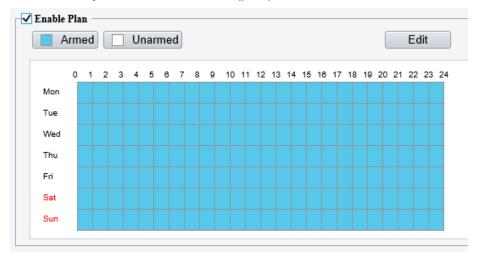
1. Go to Setup > Events > Common Alarm > Alarm Output.



- 2. Choose an alarm output from the drop-down list. The number of alarm outputs available may vary by camera model.
- 3. Configure alarm output parameters.

Item	Description	
Alarm Name	The default name is the alarm output channel ID. You can rename it as needed.	
Default Status	 Choose the default status. The default is N.O. If the external alarm device is normally open (N.O.), choose N.O. If the external alarm device is normally closed (N.C.), choose N.C. 	
Delay(s)	The duration of alarm output after the alarm is triggered. Set it as needed.	
Relay Mode	 The default is Monostable. Monostable: The circuit can only remain in one stable state. When a trigger pulse is applied, the circuit switches to another state, and then automatically switches back to the original stable state. The circuit will repeat the same actions when the next trigger pulse arrives. Bistable: The circuit can remain in two stable states. When a trigger pulse is applied, the circuit switches to another state, and remains in this state after the trigger pulse is removed. When the next trigger pulse is applied, the circuit switches back to the other stable state and remains in that state. NOTE! Set relay mode to better adapt to third-party alarm devices such as alarm lights. Please set the relay mode according to the trigger mode of the third-party alarm device. 	

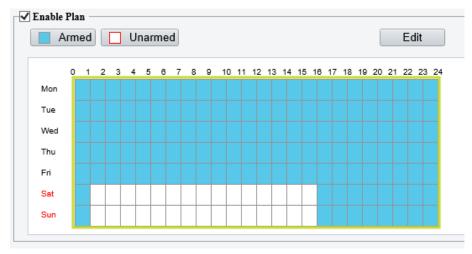
4. On the **Output Schedule** page, select **Enable Plan**, and then set when the camera can output alarms. By default, the schedule (plan) is disabled.



Two methods are available to make an arming schedule:

• Draw a schedule.

Click **Armed**, and then drag on the calendar to set when the camera can output alarms. Click **Unarmed**, and then drag on the calendar to set when the camera cannot output alarms.



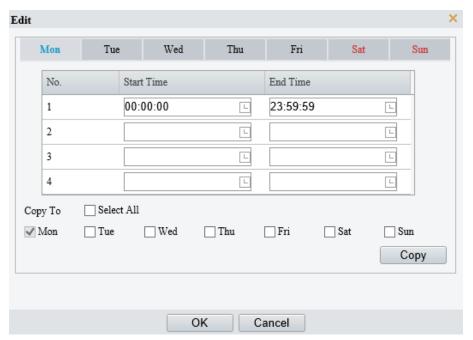


NOTE!

You need Internet Explorer (higher than IE8) to draw on the calendar. IE10 is recommended.

Edit the schedule.

Click **Edit**, set a refined schedule, click **OK**.





NOTE!

- Four periods are allowed each day. The periods must not overlap.
- To apply the current settings to other days, select the checkbox for the days one by one or select the Select All checkbox, and then click Copy.
- 5. Click Save.



CAUTION!

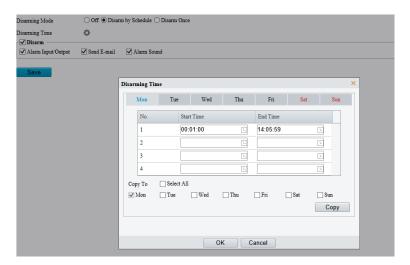
- Strictly follow the instructions below when powering on external alarm devices (e.g., alarm light) to avoid device damage.
- Check that **Alarm Type** is set to **Normally Open** (default) on the camera. Make sure the camera and the external alarm device are disconnected from power.
- After you connect the alarm device to the camera, connect the alarm device to power first, and then connect the camera to power.

5.6.2 One-key Disarming

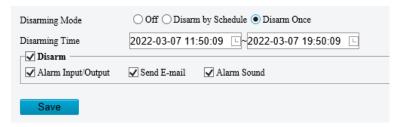
The camera cannot trigger linked actions when disarmed.

- 1. Go to Setup > Events > One-key Disarming.
- Choose a disarming mode.
- Disarm by Schedule: Disarm according to a weekly schedule.
- Disarm Once: Disarm during a specified time period.
- 3. Configure disarming schedule or time according to the disarming mode you chose. The disarming schedule or time applies to all the actions selected.

Disarm by schedule: Click to configure disarming time.



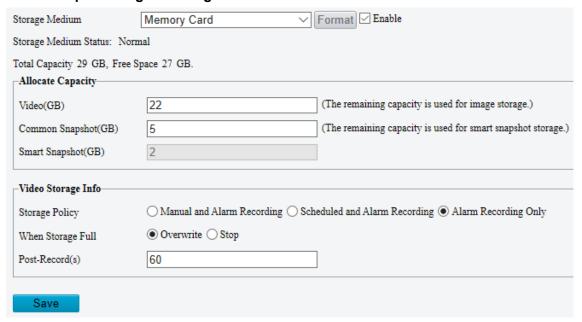
• Disarm Once: Set the disarming time.



- 4. Choose actions to be disarmed. The actions available, for example, alarm light, alarm sound, email, alarm output, may vary with camera model and version.
- 5. Click Save.

5.7 Storage

Go to **Setup > Storage > Storage**.



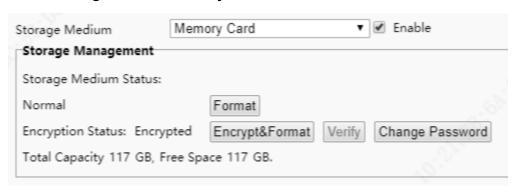
5.7.1 Memory Card



NOTE!

Before you use this function, make sure a memory card has been mounted on the camera.

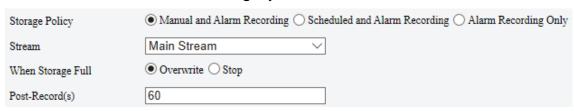
1. Set Storage Media to Memory Card and select Enable.



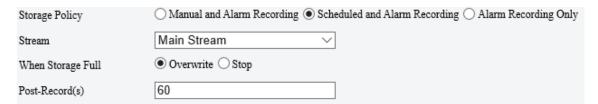
Item	Description
Storage Medium	Includes Memory Card and NAS.
Storage Management	 To format a storage medium such as a memory card, stop using it first. Format: Format the storage medium without encryption. Encrypt&Format: Set an encryption password for the memory card, and then format it. Example: When inserting an unencrypted memory card, to use the memory card encryption function, you must perform Encrypt&Format operation to encrypt the memory card. After encryption, insert the card into other device, if no encryption password is obtained or the password stored in the device is not consistent with the password of the memory card, then storage services such as recording storage, download, and search will not be available. Verify: Insert an encrypted memory card, if the password of the memory card is not consistent with the encryption password stored in the device, you can click Verify. When succeeded, you can normally use storage services, such as recording storage, download, and search. Change Password: You can change the encryption password if the memory card is encrypted. Storage Medium Status: Displays the health status of the memory card. Note: This feature is only available to certain devices. Please refer to the actual interface. To monitor the memory card's health status, use a TF card that supports the health status monitoring function.
When Storage Full	 Overwrite: When space is used up on the memory card, new data overwrites old data. Stop: When space is used up on the memory card, the camera stops saving new data.
Post-Record(s)	Sets the duration of alarm-triggered recording after the alarm ended.

- 2. Allocate storage space as needed.
- 3. Configure storage information.
- To store manual recordings and alarm recordings

Choose **Manual and Alarm Recording**. By default, the main stream is stored.



- To store scheduled recordings and alarm recordings
 - (1) Choose Scheduled and Alarm Recording.

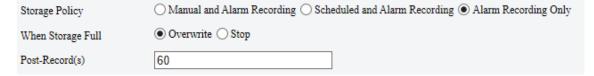


(2) The default recording schedule is 24/7. To change the schedule, drag on the calendar or click



To store alarm recordings only

Choose Alarm Recording Only.



5.7.2 Network Disk

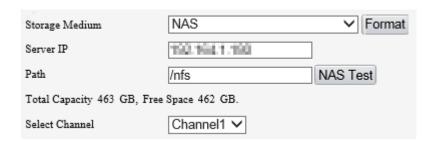
Use a Network Attached Storage (NAS) server to store camera videos and snapshots.

- 1. Set Storage Medium to NAS.
- 2. Enter the server address.
- 3. Enter the path to the destination folder on the NAS server. You can find the path by viewing the folder properties.



NOTE!

For dual-channel cameras, the server address and folder path are the same for the two channels. By default, the folder space is evenly shared by the two channels, among which, 85% space is used to store videos, and 15% is used to store common snapshots. You may change the Channel Total Capacity, video space, and common snapshot space as needed.

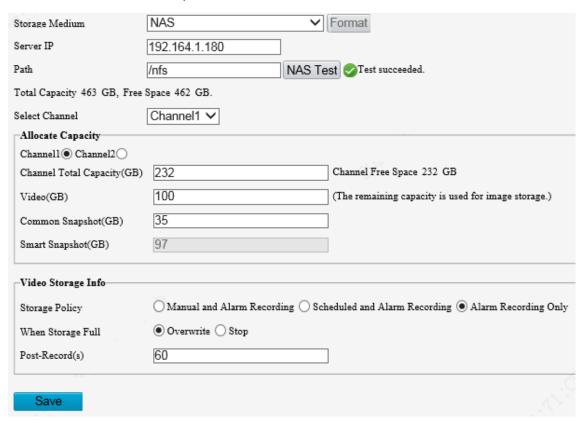




NOTE!

The path name may include the following: letters, digits, dots, spaces, and symbols /:, - $_$ @ = Other characters are not allowed and will cause failed NAS test.

4. After the test succeeded, click Save.



5.7.3 **FTP**

Upload images and videos to an FTP server for storage.

1. Go to **Setup > Storage > FTP**.

Server Parameters				
Server IP	0.0.0.0		Upload Images	Convert Path into UTF8
Port No.	21		Upload Video	
Username			Test	
Password				
Confirm				
Photo		Recording		
Save To:				
File Path	File Name			
No.	Naming Element			
1	Disable	~		
2	Disable	~		
3	Disable	~		
4	Disable	~		
5	Disable	~		
6	Disable	~		
Note:Overwrite will take	place in the current dire	ctory		
Trote. Overwite will take	, place in the current the			
Save				

2. Configure server parameters.

Item	Description		
Server IP	IP address of the FTP server.		
Port No.	The default is 21. You can set a different port as needed.		
Username	Username used to log in to the FTP server.		
Password	Password used to log in to the FTP server.		
Test	Test the connection to the FTP server.		
	Select the checkbox if you want to upload common (non-smart) snapshots. To configure an FTP server for smart snapshots, go to Setup > System > Server > Intelligent Server .		
Upload Images	Overwrite Storage: When the number of images in the folder of the lowest level reaches the threshold, the server continues to save new images by overwriting the existing images. For example, if the folder path is \IP\date, the level-2 folder "date" is the lowest. When the images uploaded on Jan. 4, 2022, exceeds 1,000, existing images in the 20220104 folder will be overwritten by new images.		
	NOTE!		
	If you select Overwrite Storage , make sure the last naming element of filename is Photo No. .		
	The default overwrite storage threshold is 1000 images, and the maximum is 100,000 images.		
Upload Video	Select if you want to upload alarm-triggered recordings.		
Convert Path into UTF8 Format	Select if you want to convert the path into UTF8 format.		
Post-Record(s)	Fill in the number of seconds, which is the duration of the alarm-triggered recording after the alarm has ended.		

3. Configure the storage path.

Item	Description
Photo	File path, up to 6 levels. If not specified, the default path "\IP\Date\Common" will be used. Common means common snapshots.
PHOLO	Filename, up to 20 fields are allowed. If not specified, the sequence number such as 1, 2, 3, will be used as the filename.
December	File path, up to 6 levels. If no path is specified, the default path "\IP\Date\Common" will be used.
Recording	The default filename is "S+recording start time+E+recording end time." For example, S20220104174903E20220104175002.

4. Click Save.

5.8 **Security**

The security functions available may vary with camera model and version.

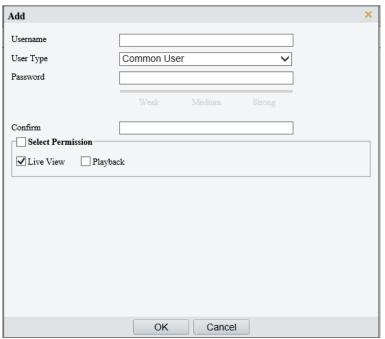
5.8.1 **User**

Go to **Setup > Security > User** to add, edit, or delete users.

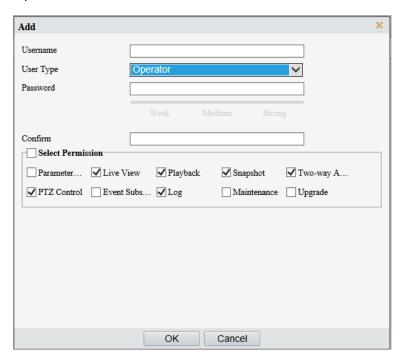


- Add user.
- 1. Click Add.

Common User



Operator

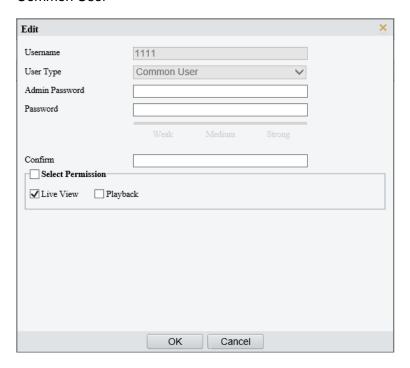


2. Configure the parameters.

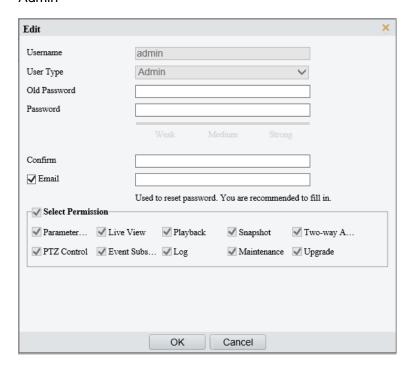
Item	Description	
Username	Set the username that you prefer.	
User Type	Choose Common User or Operator. NOTE! Up to 32 users are allowed, including admin (at least one), common users and operators (up to 31).	
	 Admin has all permissions in the system, including device operation and user management. Operator has higher privilege than common user and can configure in the web interface. 	
Password	Enter a password. NOTE! A strong password is required for new user. A strong password shall include 9-32 characters consisting of letters, digits, and special characters.	
Confirm Password	Enter the password again.	
Select Permission	Different user types have different permissions. Select permissions you want to assign to the new user. NOTE!	
	You can select the Select Permission checkbox to select/deselect all permissions.	

- 3. Click OK.
- Edit user information.
- 1. Click the user.
- 2. Click Edit.

Common User



Admin



3. Configure the parameters.

Item	Description
Admin Password	Password of administrator, not the user being editing.
Password	Enter a password that you prefer.
Confirm Password	Enter the password again.
	Different user types have different permissions. Select permissions you want to assign to the new user.
Select Permission	Note
	You can select the Select Permission checkbox to select/deselect all permissions.

4. Click OK.



NOTE!

- Only admin can change the device password. The new password must be different from the old.
- Only admin can change the username and password of a new user. If the user is logged in, the
 user will log out automatically and must use the new username and password to log in.
- Delete a user.

Click the user, click **Delete**, and then click **OK** to confirm.

5.8.2 **HTTPS**

Enable HTTPS to securely transmit video data of the camera.

1. Go to Setup > Security > Network Security > HTTPS.





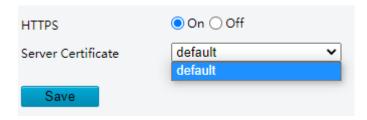
NOTE!

The default HTTPS port is 443. To use a different port, go to **Setup > Network > Port**.

- 2. Click On to enable HTTPS.
- 3. Log in to the account.

The login page is displayed when HTTPS is enabled. After you log in, a secure transmission channel is established.

Click * to choose a server certificate.



- Use the default certificate.
- A created certificate. See Certificate Management.
- 5. Click Save.

5.8.3 Authentication

Configure RTSP authentication and HTTP authentication to improve the security of network transmission. Only after successful authentication can data such as videos, audios, text, and images be transferred on the network.

1. Go to Setup > Security > Network Security > Authentication.



2. Choose an authentication mode.

Item	Description		
RTSP Authentica tion	 Choose an authentication mode from the drop-down list. The default is Digest. Basic: Basic authentication. The username and password are encrypted by base 64, which imposes serious security risks. Digest: Digest authentication. Displays RTSP digest algorithm configuration. The default is MD5. Digest MD5: Digest authentication, which uses MD5 to protect the username, password, and domain of the requester, not transferred on network in plaintext and provides higher security. Digest SHA256: Digest authentication, which uses SHA256 for authentication and provides higher security than Digest MD5. Digest MD5/ SHA256: Supports MD5 or SHA256 algorithm adaptation. None: Transmit message without authenticating the RTSP address. 		
Web Authentica tion	 Choose an authentication mode from the drop-down list. The default is Digest. Digest: Digest authentication. Displays Web digest algorithm configuration. The default is MD5. Digest MD5: Digest authentication, which uses MD5 to protect the username, password, and domain of the requester, not transferred on network in plaintext and provides higher security. Digest SHA256: Digest authentication, which uses SHA256 for authentication and provides higher security than Digest MD5. Digest MD5/ SHA256: Supports MD5 or SHA256 algorithm adaptation. None: Transmit message without authenticating the Web address. 		

3. Click Save.

5.8.4 Registration Information

You can set to hide vendor information of the camera from the server.

- 1. Go to Setup > Security > Registration Information.
- 2. Enable **Hide Vendor Info**. Vendor information will not be displayed on the management platform.



3. Click Save.

5.8.5 ARP Protection

Configure ARP protection by binding the gateway's IP address with its MAC address to prevent ARP spoofing attacks.

1. Go to Setup > Security > Network Security > ARP Protection.

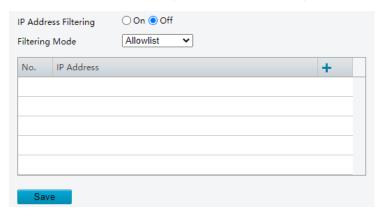


- 2. Enable ARP Protection.
- 3. Enter the gateway's MAC address.
- 4. Click Save.

5.8.6 IP Address Filtering

Use IP address filtering to allow or forbid access from specified IP addresses.

1. Go to Setup > Security > Network Security > IP Address Filtering.

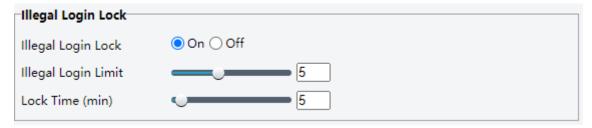


- 2. Enable IP Address Filtering.
- 3. Choose **Allow** or **Forbid** to filter IP addresses. When **Allow** is selected, access is allowed only from the added IP addresses. If **Forbid** is selected, access is forbidden from the added IP addresses.
- 4. Click +, enter IP addresses.
 - ▶ Up to 32 IP addresses can be added. Duplicate addresses are not allowed.
 - ➤ The first byte of the IP must be 1-233, and the fourth byte cannot be 0. Invalid IP addresses such as 0.0.0.0, 127.0.0.1, 255.255.255.255, and 224.0.0.1 are not allowed.
- 5. Click Save.

5.8.7 Access Policy

Access policies are used to prevent unauthorized access and operation from the network.

- 1. Go to Setup > Security > Network Security > Access Policy.
- Illegal Login Lock





NOTE!

By default, illegal login lock is enabled, and the account will be locked for 5 minutes after 5 consecutive failed login attempts due to a wrong password. If illegal login lock is disabled, the camera will not lock the account no matter how many times an incorrect password is input.

Item	Description	
Illegal Login Lock	If the client IP address is not on the blocklist, the input username is correct, but the input password is wrong, it is an illegal login attempt. NOTE!	
	 When an account is locked, information including the username, IP address, etc, is logged by the system. The user can unlock the account by disconnecting power and rebooting the camera. 	
Illegal Login Limit	The maximum number of illegal login attempts allowed. Range: 2-10. The account is locked when the limit is reached.	
Lock Time (min)	Integer within the range of 1-120.	

Example: User A tries to log in from the client IP address 192.168.1.33 and is locked. Then user A cannot log in within the lock time, but user B is not affected and can still log in from the same IP address.

Session timeout

A session is the connection established between the client (Web browser) and the server (camera). When session timeout is enabled, if the client cannot obtain or save configurations within the set time, the user will automatically log out and go to the login page.



NOTE!

Only admin can enable or disable this feature.



Item	Description	
Session Timeout	 Sessions are counted as follows. Take one device as an example. If the session is established using one web browser from one client IP, there is one session. If sessions are established using one web browser from one client IP, there are two sessions. If sessions are established using two web browsers from two client IPs (two browsers from each IP), there are four sessions. NOTE! Up to 36 sessions are allowed at the same time. 	
Timeout (min)	Enter an integer within the range of 1-120. NOTE! The timer restarts when the session is re-established after a reboot.	

2. Click Save.

Friendly password

Users are not affected when friendly password is enabled. When friendly password is disabled, users who are already logged in with a weak password will be forced to set a strong password before the user can proceed with other actions in the web interface.



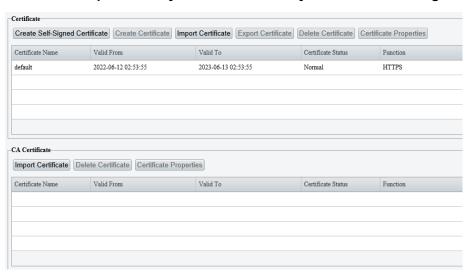
NOTE!

Friendly password is not available to all cameras.

5.8.8 Certificate Management

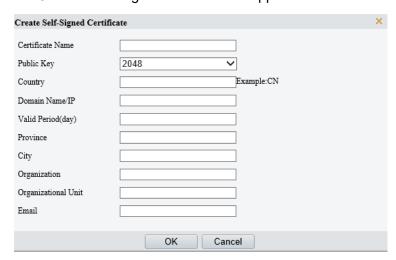
On the **Certificate Management** page, you can create and manage certificates, view certificate properties, etc.

1. Go to Setup > Security > Network Security > Certificate Management.



1. Certificate

- 1. Create a self-signed certificate or import a certificate.
- Create a self-signed certificate for application scenarios with low-security requirements.



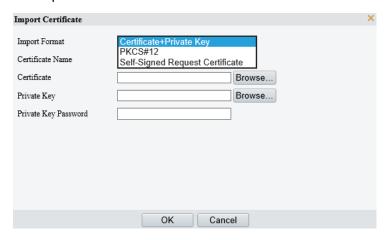
- (1) Click Create Self-Signed Certificate.
- (2) Complete the settings.

Item	Description
Certificate Name	Set a name as needed.
Public Key	Choose a length for the public key: 2048 or 1024. Default: 2048.
Country	Enter the two-character country code, for example, CN for China.

Item	Description	
Domain Name/IP	Enter the device's IP address or domain name.	
Valid Period(day)	Enter the validity period of the certificate.	
Province	Enter the complete province name.	
City	Enter the complete city name.	
Organization	Enter the organization name.	
Organizational Unit	Enter the organizational unit name.	
Email	Enter a valid email address of the contact.	

(3) Click **OK**.

• Import a non-CA certificate.

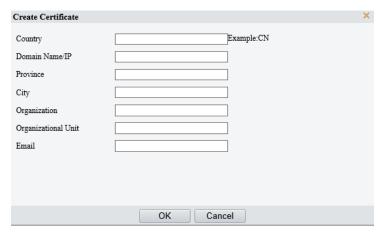


- (1) Click Import Certificate.
- (2) Complete the settings.

Item	Description	
Import Format	You may choose Certificate+Private Key, PKCS#12, or Self-Signed Request Certificate.	
Certificate Name	Enter the certificate name.	
Certificate	Click Browse and locate the certificate.	
Private Key	Click Browse and locate the private key.	
Private Key Password	Enter the private key password.	

(3) Click **OK**.

2. (Optional) Create a certificate request to obtain a trusted signed certificate for application scenarios with high-security requirements.



- (1) After creating or importing a certificate, select the certificate, click Create Certificate Request.
- (2) Complete the settings.
- (3) Click OK.



NOTE!

After the certificate request is created, export the certificate request file. After the certificate authority (CA) signs and issues a certificate in accordance with the request, import the certificate into the device.

Export certificate.

Click **Export Certificate** to save the certificate to your computer.

Delete certificate.

Select a certificate and delete it. A certificate that is in use cannot be deleted.

View certificate properties.

Select a certificate to view its properties.

2. CA Certificate

A CA certificate is a certificate issued by a trusted certificate authority (CA) and thus is more secure and reliable.

- 1. Click Import Certificate.
- 2. Enter the certificate name, select the certificate.



- 3. Click OK.
- Delete certificate.

Select a certificate and delete it. A certificate that is in use cannot be deleted.

View certificate properties.

Select the certificate to view its properties.

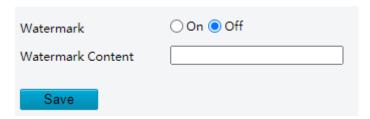
5.8.9 Watermark

Use watermark to encrypt custom information in videos to prevent tampering.



NOTE!

- · Watermarks can be verified using Guard Player.
- For devices with two video channels, watermark parameters need to be configured for the channels separately.
- 1. Go to Setup > Security > Watermark.



- 2. Enable Watermark.
- 3. Set watermark contents, which may include uppercase letters, lowercase letters, and digits. Up to 16 characters are allowed.
- 4. Click Save.

5.9 System



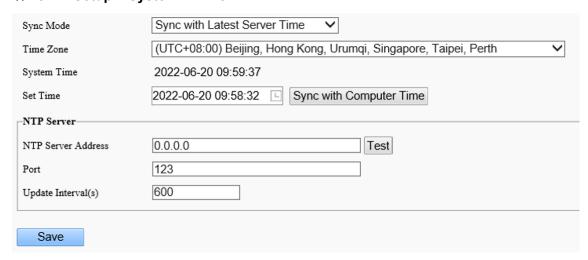
NOTE!

User operations in this module may vary with camera model.

5.9.1 **Time**

Set the device's system time manually or sync it with a server.

1. Go to Setup > System > Time.



- 2. Set the system time.
- Set manually in the Set Time field.



NOTE!

When setting the system time manually, you need to set **Sync Mode** to **Sync with System Configuration**; otherwise, the camera will still sync with other time sources after you set it manually.

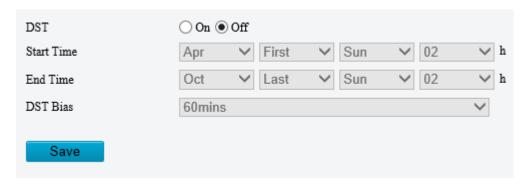
Sync time.

Item	Description
Sync with System Configuration	Default. Time provided by the system's built-in time module.
Sync with Latest Server Time	The camera regularly syncs time with all the connected servers.
Sync with Management Server(Non-ONVIF)	The camera regularly syncs time with the server that is not connected via Onvif.
Sync with Management Server(ONVIF)	The camera regularly syncs time with the server that is connected via Onvif.
Sync with NTP Server	The camera syncs time with the NTP server.
	You need to configure the server address, port, and update interval (range: 30s-86400s). You can click Test to test it.
Sync with Cloud Server	The camera syncs time with the cloud server once it gets online. The camera does not sync again until it gets offline and online again.
BeiDou Module Auto Sync	The camera syncs time with BeiDou satellites through the BeiDou module (if equipped).
Sync with Computer Time	The camera syncs time with the client computer from which you log in to the camera.

3. Click Save.

5.9.2 **DST**

1. Go to Setup > System > Time > DST.



- 2. Enable DST, and set the start time, end time, and DST bias.
- 3. Click Save.

5.9.3 Alarm Server

The camera can automatically report alarms to a specified third-party server. You need to configure the server IP, port, and protocol, then the camera can report alarms to the server.

1. Go to Setup > System > Server > Alarm Server.



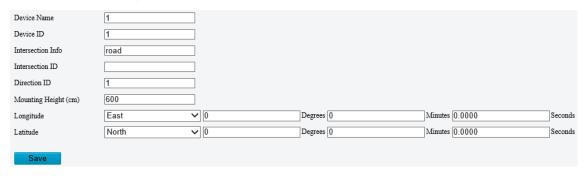
2. Select Enable Alarm Server.

- 3. Set the server IP and port, then click **Test** to check if the server is available.
- 4. Choose a protocol: HTTP or HTTPS.
- 5. Click Save.

5.9.4 **Device Information**

Set device information including device name, location, mounting height, etc., which can be used in smart FTP, OSD, etc.

1. Go to Setup > System > Device Info.



- 2. Complete the information as needed.
- 3. Click Save.

5.9.5 Maintenance

1. Maintenance

System maintenance includes software upgrade, system configuration, diagnosis information, power output, and heater settings.

Go to Setup > System > Maintenance.

Software upgrade



NOTE!

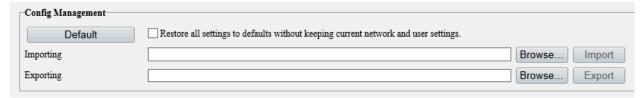
- Make sure the version to be used matches the device; otherwise, exceptions may occur.
- The version file is a .zip file that includes all the upgrade files.
- Power must be connected throughout the upgrade.
 - Local upgrade
 - (1) Click **Browse**, locate the version. (If applicable) select **Upgrade Boot Program** to upgrade the boot program.
 - (2) Click **Upgrade** to start. The device will restart automatically after the upgrade is completed.
 - Peripheral upgrade
 - Check for upgradable peripherals such as pan/tilt unit, illuminator, etc., and available versions.
 - Cloud upgrade
 - Click **Detect** to check for new versions. You can perform a cloud upgrade if a new version is available on the cloud server.
- System configuration

You can export the current configurations of the camera to the client computer or an external storage device for backup, so, when necessary, you can restore camera configurations by importing the backup file.



CAUTION!

- Restoring defaults will restore all settings to factory defaults except the administrator password, network interface settings, and system time.
- Before you import a configuration file, make sure the file matches the camera model; otherwise, unexpected results may occur.
- The camera will restart after importing the configuration file.
 - Import configurations.

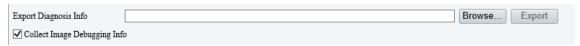


- (1) Click **Browse** beside the **Import** button.
- (2) Locate the configuration file, click **Import**. A dialog box appears.
- (3) Enter the password and confirm.
- (4) Click **OK**.
- Export configurations.
- (1) Click **Browse** beside the **Export** button.
- (2) Choose the destination folder, click **Export**. The **File Encryption** dialog box appears.
- (3) Enter the password and confirm.
- (4) Click **OK**.
- Restore defaults.

Click **Default**. The system will restore default settings except network settings and user settings. To restore all settings, select **Restore all settings to defaults without keeping current network and user settings**.

Diagnosis information

Diagnosis information includes logs and system configurations and can be exported to your client computer. Select **Collect Image Debugging Info** to collect diagnosis information with accompanying video images to facilitate troubleshooting.



- (1) Click **Browse** and choose the destination.
- (2) Click Export.

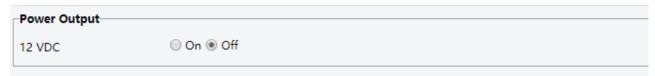


NOTE!

Diagnosis information is exported as a compressed file. You need to decompress it first (using decompression tools like WinRAR) and then open the file using a text editor (like Notepad).

Power output

The camera can supply power to external devices with lower power consumption such as a sound pickup.



Restart device.



CAUTION!

Restarting the camera will interrupt the ongoing service.



Click **Restart** and then confirm to restart the device. You may set a schedule to reboot the camera automatically at the set time.

Heater

Use the heater to eliminate water droplets on the lens in a high humidity environment.

Heater	○On •Off	Remaining Heating Time 0	Day(s) 0	∨ Hour(s) 0	✓ Minute(s)

- (1) Enable Heater.
- (2) Set Remaining Heating Time.

2. Network Diagnosis

Go to Setup > System > Maintenance > Network Diagnosis.

Select NIC	NIC1 (203.2.1.83) 🗸
IP Filter	ullet All $igcirc$ Specify $igcirc$ Filter
Port Filter	All ○ Specify ○ Filter
Custom Rules	
Start Capture	

Select NIC

NIC1 is the camera's IP address.

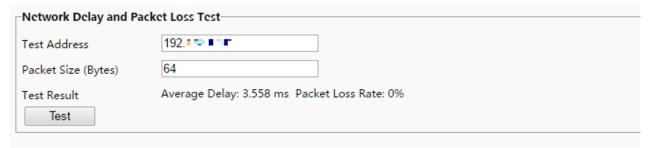
- IP/port filter
 - All: Capture all packets of the camera.
 - Specify: Capture packets of the specified port or IP.
 - > Filter: Filter packets of the specified port or IP and capture other packets.
- Custom Rules

Select Custom Rules and set the rules.

Click **Start Capture** to start capturing packets. After packet capture is finished, save data, and view the diagnosis.

Test network delay and packet loss rate.

Test network connectivity by sending test packets to a test address.



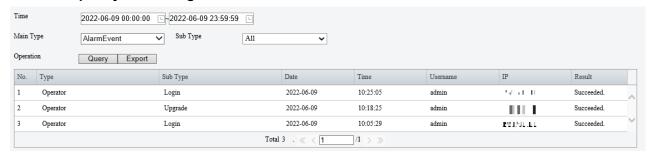
- > Test Address: Must be a valid IP address or domain name.
- Packet Size (Bytes): Size of test packets to be sent. Range: [64-65507]. Sometimes a high delay may be caused by a large packet size. If the test failed, set a smaller packet size, and then try again.

- > Test results include average delay and packet loss rate.
- Average delay: Average length of time from test packets are sent till responses are received.
- Packet loss rate: Ratio of lost packets to the sent packets.

5.9.6 **Logs**

Search camera operation logs and download them to your computer.

Go to Setup > System > Log.



- Set a time range and choose main and sub log types.
- Main type: Including system operation, alarm parameter configuration, network configuration, audio, and video configuration, PTZ configuration, image configuration, smart configuration, system configuration, storage configuration, and alarm events.
- Sub type: You can choose up to 5 types or choose All.
- 5. Click **Search**. Up to 100 logs can be displayed. The latest logs are displayed on the top.
- 6. Click **Export** to save search results as a .csv file to the client computer.