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# **Network Cameras User Manual**

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# About This Document

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## Purpose

This document describes how to use the web management system, including network access, network configuration, and troubleshooting.





## Intended Audience

This document is intended for:


- Technical support engineers
- Maintenance engineers
- IP camera operators

## Symbol Conventions

The symbols that may be found in this document are defined as follows.

Symbol	Description
 <b>DANGER</b>	Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.
 <b>WARNING</b>	Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.
 <b>CAUTION</b>	Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury.
 <b>NOTICE</b>	Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in equipment damage, data loss, performance deterioration, or unanticipated results. NOTICE is used to address practices not related to personal injury.

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Symbol	Description
 <b>NOTE</b>	Calls attention to important information, best practices and tips. NOTE is used to address information not related to personal injury, equipment damage, and environment deterioration.

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# 1 Quick Start

## 1.1 Login and Logout



### CAUTION

You must use Internet Explorer 7, Internet Explorer 8 and Internet Explorer 9 to access the web management system; otherwise, some functions may be unavailable.

### Login

- Step 1** Open Internet Explorer, enter the IP address of the IP camera (default value: 192.168.0.120) in the address box, and press **Enter**.

The login page is displayed, as shown in Figure 1-1.

**Figure 1-1** Login page



- Step 2** Enter the user name, and password.



### NOTE


- The default user name is **admin**. The default password is **admin**. Change the password when you log in to the system for the first time to ensure system security.
- You can change the system display language on the login page.

- Step 3** Click **Login**.

The main page is displayed.

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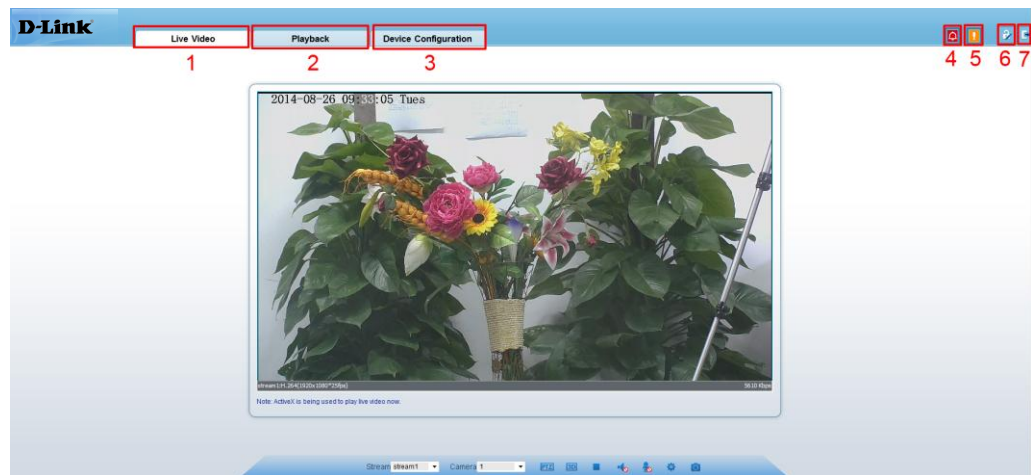
## Logout

To log out of the system, click  in the upper right corner of the main page. The login page is displayed after you log out of the system.

## 1.2 Main Page Layout







On the main page, you can view real-time videos, receive alarm and fault notifications, set parameters, change the password, and log out of the system. Figure 1-2 shows the main page layout. Table 1-1 describes the elements on the main page.

**Figure 1-2** Main page layout




**Table 1-1** Elements on the main page

No.	Element	Description
1	Real-time video area	Real-time videos are played in this area. You can also set sensor parameters.
2	Playback	You can query the playback videos in this area. NOTE Only when the SD card or NAS have videos that you can query the playback videos.
3	Device configuration	You can choose a menu to set device parameters, including the device information, audio and video streams, alarm setting, and privacy mask function.


No.	Element	Description
4	Alarm icon	When the device generates an alarm, the alarm icon  is displayed. You can click  to view the alarm information. NOTE When the device accepts an alarm signal, the alarm icon will display within 10s in the web management system.
5	Fault icon	When the device encounters an exception, the fault icon  is displayed. You can click  to view the fault information.
6	Change password	You can click  to change the password.
7	Sign Out	You can click  to return to the login page.

## 1.3 Changing the Password

### Description

You can click  to change the password for logging in to the system.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Click  in the upper right corner of the main page.

The **Change Password** dialog box is displayed, as shown in Figure 1-3.



**Figure 1-3** Modify Password dialog box

Change password

Old Password

New Password

Confirm

Password Requirements:

1. Greater than 7 characters.
2. Must use letters, numbers and special characters.
3. Password cannot be the same as username.
4. Password cannot be the username entered backwards.

OK Cancel

**Step 2** Enter the old password, new password, and confirmation password.

**Step 3** Click **OK**.

If the message "Change own password success" is displayed, the password is successfully changed. If the password fails to be changed, the cause is displayed. (For example, the new password length couldn't be less than eight.)

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The login page is displayed.

----End

# 2 Browsing Videos

## 2.1 Browsing Real-Time Videos

You can browse real-time videos in the web management system.

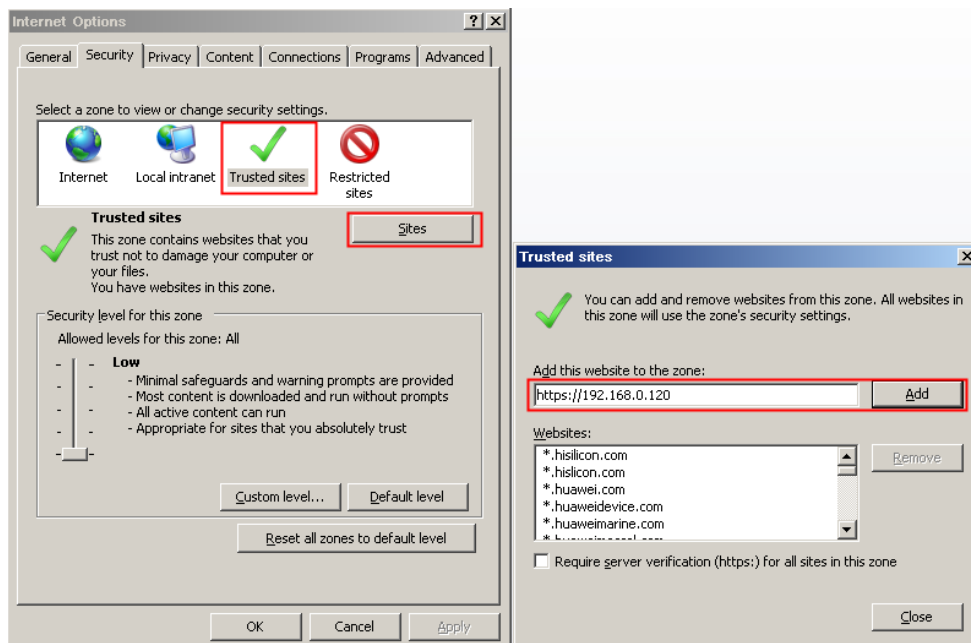
### Preparation

To ensure that real-time videos can be played properly, you must perform the following operations when you log in to the web management system for the first time:

- Step 1** Open Internet Explorer. Choose **Tools > Internet Options > Security > Trusted sites > Sites**.

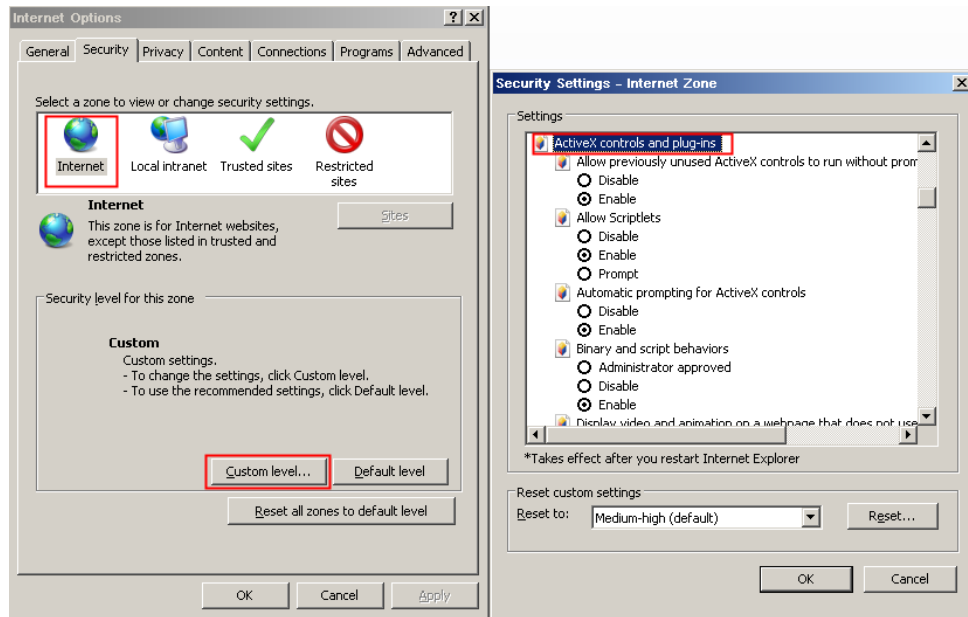
In the displayed dialog box, click **Add**, as shown in Figure 2-1.

**Figure 2-1** Adding a trusted site



**Step 2** In Internet Explorer, choose **Tools > Internet Options > Security > Customer level**, and set **Download unsigned ActiveX controls** and **Initialize and script ActiveX controls not marked as safe for scripting** under **ActiveX controls and plug-ins** to **Enable**, as shown in Figure 2-2.

**Figure 2-2** Configuring ActiveX controls and plug-ins



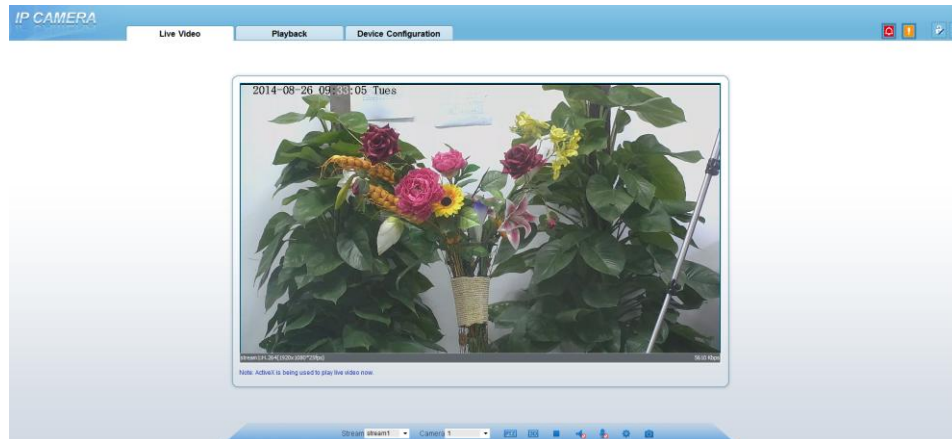
**Step 3** Download and install the player control as prompted.

**NOTE** Repair tips displayed when installing the control, please ignore the prompt, and continue the installation, the login page is displayed when the control is loaded.



----End

## Description


To browse real-time videos, click **Live Video**. The **Live Video** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 2-3.

**Figure 2-3** Live Video page

On the **Live Video** page, you can perform the following operations:

- Click  to stop playing a video.
- Click  to play a video.
- Double-click in the video area to enter the full-screen mode, and double-click again to exit.
- Configure the PTZ. For details, see [Configuring the PTZ](#).
- Control the PTZ. For details, see [Controlling the PTZ](#).
- Switch among preset streams 1, 2, and 3. For details about how to configure streams, see [3.2 Setting Video and Audio Stream Parameters](#).
- Configure the sensor.

You can right-click in the video area. A shortcut menu is displayed and allows you to enter the full-screen mode, set sensor parameters, zoom in or out, and return to the default view.

To set sensor parameters, click  to open the **Sensor Setting** page. On the **Sensor Setting** page, you can adjust the image, mirror, camera mode, focus setting, Iris setting, white balance, and noise filter as prompted.

## 2.2 Controlling and Configuring the PTZ

### Prerequisite

All PTZ functions are only available to High Speed Network Dome and device connected to an external PTZ.

### Controlling the PTZ

When browsing real-time videos shot by a dome camera or a camera connected to an external PTZ, you can control the PTZ to view videos shot in different directions.

Click **PTZ** below the **Live Video** page to open the **PTZ Control** page as shown in Figure 2-4, you can click the four arrow keys to move the PTZ in four directions. You can also zoom the lens and adjust the focal length.

**Figure 2-4** PTZ Control area



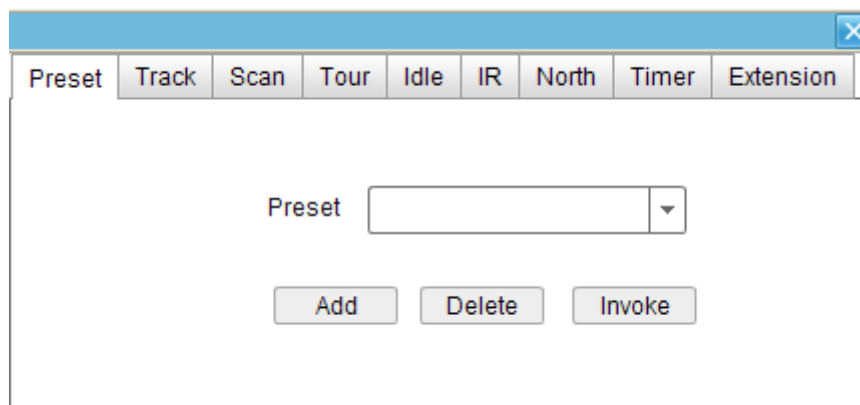
In the PTZ control area, you can perform the following operations:

- Slide the slider left or right beyond the PTZ rotation keys, you can adjust the PTZ rotation speed.
- Click **Zoom**  $-$   $+$  to zoom the lens in or out.
- Click **Focus**  $-$   $+$  to adjust the focal length.

## Configuring the PTZ

If a camera has the PTZ or is connected to a PTZ, you can configure the PTZ in the **PTZ Configure** area, as shown in Figure 2-5.

**Figure 2-5** PTZ Configure area



In the PTZ configure area, you can perform the following operations:

- Add, delete, and invoke preset positions.


- Add, delete, and invoke tracks.
- Add, delete, and invoke scans.
- Add, delete, and invoke tours.
- Set the idle.
- Set the IR.
- Set the direction to due north.  
Any direction can be set as the reference due north.
- Set the timer.
- Set Light On/Off and Brush function.  
Brush is used to clean the lens. Light On/Off is used to control the infrared camera shields on and off.



**NOTE** Brush is available only to a camera with a brush or a camera shield.

- **Light On/Off** is available only to specific camera shields.

## 3D Positioning

Click  below the Live Video page to configure the 3D positioning function.

The 3D positioning function quickly rotates the PTZ and changes the focal length in specific scenarios. You can also change the focus by drawing rectangle frames.



**NOTE** The default value of 3D Positioning is ON.

## Configuring and Invoking Preset Positions

You can configure preset positions and quickly rotate the camera to a preset position by invoking the preset position.

The procedure is as follows:

**Step 1** Configure a preset position.

1. Click **Add**.  
The **Add Preset** page is displayed.
2. Set the preset ID and name.
3. Click **setting** to finish the preset position setting.

**Step 2** Invoke a preset position.

Select a preset position from the **Preset** drop-down list box to invoke the preset position.

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## Configuring and Invoking Tracks

You can record a track to allow the camera to repeatedly rotate based on the preset track.

**Step 1** Configure a track.

1. Click **Add**.

The **Track Add** page is displayed.

2. Set the track ID and name.
3. Click **start** to set the starting position of the track.
4. Use arrow keys in the **PTZ Control** area to set a required a track.
5. Click **End** to finish the track setting.

**Step 2** Invoke a track.

Select a track name from the **Track** drop-down list box to invoke the track.



**NOTE** A maximum of six tracks can be configured.

**---End**

# 3 Configuring the Device

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## 3.1 Configuring the Device Information

### Description

The device information includes:

- Device ID, name, type, model, and MAC address.
- Hardware and software versions.
- Number of video channels, number of alarm input channels, number of alarm output channels, and number of serial ports.

**NOTE**

- You can modify the device name. All other parameters can only be viewed.
- When the device is upgraded, the device information is updated automatically.


### Procedure

**Step 1** Click **Device Info**.

The **Device Info** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-1.



**Figure 3-1** Device Info page

 **Device Info**

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Device ID	123698
Device Name	<input type="text"/> ✓
MAC Address	00:1C:27:12:36:98

Camera Type	IPCAMERA
Manufacturer ID	003
Manufacturer Name	IPCamers

Hardware Version	V277_2
Software Version	v1.9.0601.1001.3.0.15.0.0

Video Channel(s)	1
Alarm Input(s)	0
Alarm Output(s)	0
Serial Port(s)	0
Network card number	1

**Step 2** View the device information, set the device ID and name according to Table 3-1.

**Table 3-1** Device parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Device ID	Unique device identifier used by the platform to distinguish the devices.	[Setting method] The parameter cannot be modified.
Device Name	Name of the device. NOTE The device name cannot exceed 32 bytes or 10 simplified characters; otherwise, the modification fails.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
MAC Address	N/A	[Setting method] These parameters cannot be modified.
Camera Type		
Manufacturer ID		
Manufacturer Name		

Parameter	Description	Setting
Hardware Version		
Software Version		
Video Channel(s)		
Alarm Input(s)		
Alarm Output(s)		
Serial Port(s)		
Network card number		

**Step 3** Click  .

- If the message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system saves the settings.
- If the message "Apply failed!" is displayed, you must apply for the Parameter Configure permission from an administrator. For details, see 10.1 Configuring a Permission Group.

----End


## 3.2 Setting Video and Audio Stream Parameters

### Procedure

**Step 1** Click **Stream Configuration> Base Stream**.

The **Stream Configuration** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-2.

**Figure 3-2** Stream Configuration page

 Stream Configuration

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Channel 1 ▼

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Stream ID 1 ▼

Name

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Video Encode Type H264 High Profile ▼

Audio Encode Type G711\_ALAW ▼

Resolution 2048x1536 ▼

Frame Rate(fps) 20

I Frame Interval(f) 40 ▼

Bit Rate Type VBR ▼

Max Bit Rate(500-12000)

Quality 5

**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 3-2.

**Table 3-2** Stream configuration parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Channel	ID of the video output channel. NOTE An IP camera has only one video output channel. Therefore, only the default value <b>1</b> is available.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 1
Stream ID	The device supports two streams. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Streams 1 and 2 use the H.264 codec.</li> <li>The maximum resolution can be set for streams 1.</li> <li>Only a low resolution can be set for stream 2.</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.

Parameter	Description	Setting
Name	Stream name.  NOTE The stream name is combined with chinese character, number, character and underline.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. The value cannot exceed 32 bytes. [Default value] stream1
Video Encode Type	The video codec determines the image quality and network bandwidth required by a video. Currently, the following codec standards are supported: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MJPEG MJPEG is a standard intra-frame compression codec. The compressed image quality is good. No mosaic is displayed on motion images. MJPEG does not support proportional compression and requires large storage space. Recording and network transmission occupy large hard disk space and bandwidth. MJPEG is not applicable to continuous recording for a long period of time or network transmission of videos. It can be used to send alarm images.</li> <li>• H.264 H.264 consists of H.264 Base Profile, H.264 Main Profile, and H.264 High profile. The performance of H.264 High Profile is higher than that of H.264 Main Profile, and the performance of H.264 Main Profile is higher than that of H.264 Base Profile. If a hardware decoding device is used, select the appropriate codec based on the decoding performance of the device. H.264 High Profile has the highest requirements on the hardware performance, and H.264 Base Profile has the lowest requirements on the hardware performance.</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] H.264 High Profile NOTE The H.264 High Profile codec means high requirements on the hardware. If the hard decoding capability is low, use H.264 Main Profile or H.264 Base Profile.
Audio Encode Type	The following audio codec standards are supported: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• G711_ULAW: mainly used in North America and Japan.</li> <li>• G711_ALAW: mainly used in Europe and other areas.</li> <li>• RAW_PCM: codec of the original audio data. This codec is often used for platform data.</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.
Resolution	A higher resolution means better image quality.  NOTE IP cameras support the different resolutions based on the model.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.

Parameter	Description	Setting
Frame Rate(fps)	<p>The frame rate is used to measure displayed frames. A higher frame rate means smoother videos. A video whose frame rate is higher than 22.5 f/s is considered as smooth by human eyes.</p> <p>Frame rates for different frequencies are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 50 Hz: 1–25 f/s</li> <li>• 60 Hz: 1–30 f/s</li> </ul> <p>NOTE</p> <p>The frequency is set on the <b>Device Configuration &gt; Camera</b> page. The biggest mjpeg coding format frame rate is 12 frames per second.</p>	<p>[Setting method]</p> <p>Select a value from the drop-down list box.</p>
I Frame Interval(f)	<p>I frames do not require other frames to decode. A smaller I frame interval means better video quality but higher bandwidth.</p>	<p>[Setting method]</p> <p>Select a value from the drop-down list box.</p>
Bit Rate Type	<p>The bit rate is the number of bits transmitted per unit of time.</p> <p>The following bit rate types are supported:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constant bit rate (CBR)</li> </ul> <p>The compression speed is fast; however, improper bit rate may cause vague motion images.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Variable bit rate (VBR)</li> </ul> <p>The bit rate changes according to the image complexity. The encoding efficiency is high and the definition of motion images can be ensured.</p>	<p>[Setting method]</p> <p>Select a value from the drop-down list box.</p>
Max Bit Rate(500-12000)	<p>Indicates the maximum value of the bit rate.</p>	<p>[Setting method]</p> <p>Enter a value manually.</p>
Quality	<p>The video quality the camera output.</p>	<p>[Setting method]</p> <p>Slide the slider left or right.</p> <p>[Default value]</p> <p>5</p>

### Step 3 Click **Apply**.

- If the message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system saves the settings.
- If the message "Apply failed!" is displayed, you must apply for the Parameter Configure permission from an administrator. For details, see 10.1 Configuring a Permission Group.
- If a message indicating that the bit rate is out of range is displayed, enter a new bit rate value.

----End

## 3.3 Setting SVC Stream Parameters

### Procedure

**Step 1** Click **Stream Configuration> SVC Stream**.

The **SVC Stream** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-3.

**Figure 3-3** SVC Stream Configuration page

**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 3-3.

**Table 3-3** Stream configuration parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Channel	ID of the video output channel. NOTE An IP camera has only one video output channel. Therefore, only the default value <b>1</b> is available.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 1
SVC Stream ID	The ID of the SVC stream.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 3

Parameter	Description	Setting
SVC Stream Name	Stream name. NOTE The stream name is combined with chinese character, number, character and underline.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. The value cannot exceed 32 bytes. [Default value] stream3
Elementary Stream ID	ID of the elementary stream.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.
P Frame Rate	The P frame rate of SVC stream and elementary stream.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.

## 3.4 Setting Local Network Parameters

### Description

Local network parameters include:

- IP protocol
- IP address
- Subnet mask
- Default gateway
- Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP)
- Preferred Domain Name System (DNS) server
- Alternate DNS server
- MTU

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > Local Network**.

The **Local Network** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-4.

**Figure 3-4** Local Network page

**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 3-4.

**Table 3-4** Local network parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
IP Protocol	IPv4 is the IP protocol that uses an address length of 32 bits.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] IPv4
Obtain IP address automatically	The device automatically obtains the IP address from the DHCP server.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable <b>obtain IP address automatically</b> . NOTE To query the current IP address of the device, you must query it on the platform based on the device name.
DHCP IP	IP address that the DHCP server assigned to the device.	N/A



Parameter	Description	Setting
IP Address	Device IP address that can be set as required.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 192.168.0.120
Subnet Mask	Subnet mask of the network adapter.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 255.255.255.0
Default Gateway	This parameter must be set if the client accesses the device through a gateway.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 192.168.0.1
Preferred DNS Server	IP address of a DNS server.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 192.168.0.1
Alternate DNS Server	IP address of a domain server. If the preferred DNS server is faulty, the device uses the alternate DNS server to resolve domain names.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 192.168.0.2
MTU	Set the maximum value of network transmission data packets.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. NOTE The MTU value is range from 800 to 1500, the default value is 1500, Please do not change it arbitrarily.

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

- If the message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system saves the settings. The message "Set network parameter success, Please login system again" is displayed. Use the new IP address to log in to the web management system.
- If the message "Invalid IP Address", "Invalid Subnet Mask", "Invalid default gateway", "Invalid primary DNS", or "Invalid space DNS" is displayed, set the parameters correctly.

----End

## 3.5 Configuring Device Ports

### Description

You must configure the HTTP port, control port, Real Time Streaming Protocol (RTSP) port and RTMP port for device route mapping in a LAN.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > Device Port**.

The **Device Port** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-5.

**Figure 3-5** Device Port page

The screenshot shows a web interface for configuring device ports. It contains four input fields, each with a label and a value:

Control Port	30001
HTTP Port	80
RTSP Port	554
RTMP Port	8080

At the bottom right of the form, there are two buttons: "Refresh" and "Apply".

**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 3-5.

**Table 3-5** Device port parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Control Port	Port used for audio and video transfer and signaling interaction.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 30001
HTTP Port	Port used in web access.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 80
RTSP Port	RTSP protocol port.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 554

Parameter	Description	Setting
RTMP Port	RTMP protocol port.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 8080

**NOTE**

It's not recommended to modify the control port, for details about the value ranges of the control port, HTTP port, RTSP port and RTMP port, see the communication matrix.

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

- If the "This operation will lead to the device to restart, continue?" dialog box is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system automatically restarts and saves the settings.
- If the message "Invalid Control Port, Please input an integer between 1025 and 65535" is displayed, enter correct port numbers.

----End

## 3.6 Viewing the ADSL Network Parameters

### Description

If a Point-to-Point Protocol over Ethernet (PPPoE) connection is used, the **ADSL Network** page displays the IP address that is automatically obtained.

### Procedure

Choose **Device Configuration** > **ADSL Network**.

The **ADSL Network** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-6.

**Figure 3-6** ADSL Network page

ADSL Network

IP Protocol IPv4

IP Address

Subnet Mask

Default Gateway

Preferred DNS Server

Alternate DNS Server

Refresh

**NOTE**

- If the device uses PPPoE to connect to the Internet, the current IP address is displayed in **IP Address**.
- If the device connects to the Internet in other modes, the currently IP address is not displayed in **IP Address**.

## 3.7 Configuring the Date and Time

### Description

On the **Date&Time** page, you can modify the date and time. Parameters that can be set include:


- Time zone and daylight saving time (DST)
- Date and time
- Network Time Protocol (NTP) server

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > Date**.

The **Date** page is displayed, as shown in [错误!未找到引用源。](#). [错误!未找到引用源。](#) describes the parameters.

**Figure 3-7** Time page

 Date

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Time Zone (GMT) Greenwich Mean Time : Dublin, Edinburgh, Lisbon, London ▼

Adjust clock for daylight saving changes

Begin Time Mar. ▼ 5th ▼ Sun. ▼ 1:00 ▼

End Time Oct. ▼ 5th ▼ Sun. ▼ 2:00 ▼

✓

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Device Time 08/21/2014 15:15:09

Current PC Time  ✓

Set Manually  ✓

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Enable NTP

NTP

NTP Port

✓

**Table 3-6** Time parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Time Zone	N/A	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] Greenwich mean time

Parameter	Description	Setting
Adjust clock for daylight saving changes	When the DST start time arrives, the device time automatically goes forward one hour. When the DST end time arrives, the device time automatically goes backward one hour.  NOTE DST is the practice of advancing clocks so that evenings have more daylight and mornings have less. Currently, about 110 countries in the world use DST. Different countries have different DST provisions. Since March 27, 2011, Russia has started to use permanent DST.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable <b>Adjust clock for daylight saving changes</b> .
Device Time	Device display time.	[Setting method] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Synchronize the time from the PC.</li> <li>• Enter a value manually.</li> </ul>
Current PC Time	Time on the current PC.	N/A
Set Manually	Enables you to manually set the device time.	[Setting method] Click <b>Set Manually</b> and set the date and time in the format <i>YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS</i> .
NTP	IP address or domain name of the NTP server.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable <b>NTP</b> and enter a value manually.
NTP Port	Port number of the NTP server.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 123

**Step 2** Select a time zone from the **Time Zone** drop-down list box.

**Step 3** (Optional) Click the button on to enable **Adjust clock for daylight saving changes** and specify the DST start time and end time.


**Step 4** Modify the device time.

- Synchronizing time from the PC  
Click **Current PC Time**.
- Manually setting the device time
  - Click **Set Manually**.  
A time setting control is displayed.

- Set the date and time.

**Step 5** Configure the NTP.

1. Click the button on to enable **NTP**.
2. Enter the IP address or domain name of the NTP server and the port number.

**Step 6** Click .

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 7** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----End

## 3.8 Setting the Channel Name, Video System, and Source Resolution

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > Camera**.

The **Camera** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-8. Table 3-7 describes the parameters.

**Figure 3-8** Camera page



Camera

Camera 1

Channel Name

Video System 50Hz

Refresh

**Table 3-7** Camera parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Camera	ID of the video output channel.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 1
Channel Name	Channel name within the length of 0 to 32 bytes.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
Video System	The options are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 50 Hz: corresponds to the PAL system or video systems used in Europe and China mainland.</li> <li>• 60 Hz: corresponds to NTSC system or video systems used in USA and Japan.</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 50 Hz NOTE Whether the video system can be changed depends on the device model.

**Step 2** Enter a channel name.



**NOTE** The channel name must be within the length of 0 to 32 bytes, it is combined with digital and character (except for some special character).

**Step 3** Click .

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.



**NOTE** If the video system and source resolution are modified, the message "The device will be restart, are you sure to modify?" is displayed, and the system automatically saves the settings. The settings take effect after the device restarts.

----End



## 3.9 Setting OSD Parameters

### Description

The on-screen display (OSD) function allows you to display the device name, channel ID and name, time, and other customized contents on videos.

- When the resolution is D1 and CIF, the OSD customized in web interface can show at most 22 words normally.
- The OSD support simplified Chinese, English, digital and some special character only.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > OSD**.

The **OSD** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-9.

**Figure 3-9** OSD page

The screenshot shows the OSD configuration interface. At the top, there is a 'Camera' dropdown menu set to '1'. Below this are several sections for font configuration:

- Font Settings:** Font Size (Auto), Font Color (dropdown), and Font Transparency (100).
- Font On lighted back:** A toggle switch is turned ON. Font Color is set to black, and Font Transparency is 100.
- Display Options:** A list of items with 'Row' and 'Column' input fields and a toggle switch:
  - Device Name: Row 0.00, Column 0.00, OFF
  - Channel ID: Row 0.00, Column 0.00, OFF
  - Channel Name: Row 0.00, Column 0.00, OFF
  - PTZ Position: Row 0.00, Column 0.00, OFF
  - Time: Row 0.00, Column 1.00, ON
- Time Format:** A dropdown menu set to 'YYYY-MM-DD hh:mm:ss ww'.
- Custom OSD:** A section with 'Row' and 'Column' input fields (both set to 0), a 'Custom OSD' text input field, and a green plus sign icon.

At the bottom right, there are 'Refresh' and 'Apply' buttons.

**Step 2** Set the OSD font.

**Step 3** Set the parameters according to Table 3-8.



**NOTE** The size of characters that can be displayed in a row or column varies according to the resolution. When the OSD font is auto:

- If the resolution is 1920 x 1080 and the size of each character is 48 x 48, then the maximum row of OSD is 22 (1080/48), and the maximum column is 40 (1920/48);
- If the resolution is 704 x 576 and the size of each character is 32 x 32, then the maximum row of OSD is 18 (576/32), and the maximum column is 22 (704/32);
- If the resolution is 640 x 360 and the size of each character is 16 x 16, the maximum row of OSD is 22(360/16) characters, and a maximum column is 40(640/16).

**Table 3-8** OSD parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Camera	ID of the video output channel.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.
Font Size	Set the font size.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] Auto
Font Color	Set the font color.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] Blank
Font Transparency	Set the font transparency.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 100
Font on lighted back	Enable the font on lighted back.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable <b>Font on lighted back</b> .
Font color	Set the font color on lighted back,	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] Black
Font Transparency	Set the font transparency on lighted back.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 100
Device Name	Indicates whether to display the device name on videos.	[Setting method] Select the check box.

Parameter	Description	Setting
Channel ID	Indicates whether to display the channel ID.	[Setting method] Select the check box.
PTZ Position	Indicates whether to display the PTZ position.	[Setting method] Select the check box.
Time	Indicates whether to display the time.	[Setting method] Select the check box.
Time Format	Format in which the time is displayed.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] YYYY-MM-DD hh:mm:ss ww
Custom	Enables you to enter a line of characters and specify the row and column where the characters start to display. The origin point is located in the upper left corner of the video window.	[Setting method] <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Select <b>Custom</b>.</li> <li>• Enter values in <b>Row</b> and <b>Column</b>.</li> <li>• Enter a value within the length of 0 to 32 characters in <b>Custom OSD</b>.</li> </ul>
Row	Row where the information starts to display.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 0 (original point)
Column	Column where the information starts to display.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 0 (original point) NOTE The default value of the time column is 1.

**Step 4** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 5** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----**End**

## 3.10 Configuring the Microphone

### Description

On the **Microphone** page, you can set the microphone input mode and volume.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > Microphone**.

The **Microphone** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-10. Table 3-9 describes the parameters.

**Figure 3-10** Microphone page

**Table 3-9** Microphone parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Camera	ID of the video output channel.	N/A
Enable Microphone	Indicates whether to enable the microphone function.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable microphone.
Microphone Type	Microphone types include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internal</li> <li>• Line In</li> </ul> An active audio input is required.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.

Parameter	Description	Setting
Microphone Volume	Allows you to adjust the microphone volume.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 50 NOTE The value ranges from 0 to 100.

**Step 2** Click **Apply**.

The message "Microphone Parameter Updated" is displayed.

**Step 3** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

---End

## 3.11 Configuring the Dome PTZ Address

### Description

This function is available to an IP dome camera.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > Dome PTZ**.

The **Dome PTZ** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-11.

**Figure 3-11** Dome PTZ page

**Step 2** Set the dome PTZ address.

**NOTE** The PTZ address must be the same as that of the PTZ connected to the camera.

- The PTZ address is a number within the range of 1 to 255

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----End

## 3.12 Enabling the Analog Output Function

### Preparation

Connect a display device to the VIDEO OUT port.

### Description

When the analog output function is enabled, the IP camera can send analog signals to a video server or display device through the VIDEO OUT port.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > CVBS config**.

The **BNC Output** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-12.

**Figure 3-12** BNC config page



**Step 2** Click the button on to enable **BNC Output**.

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----End

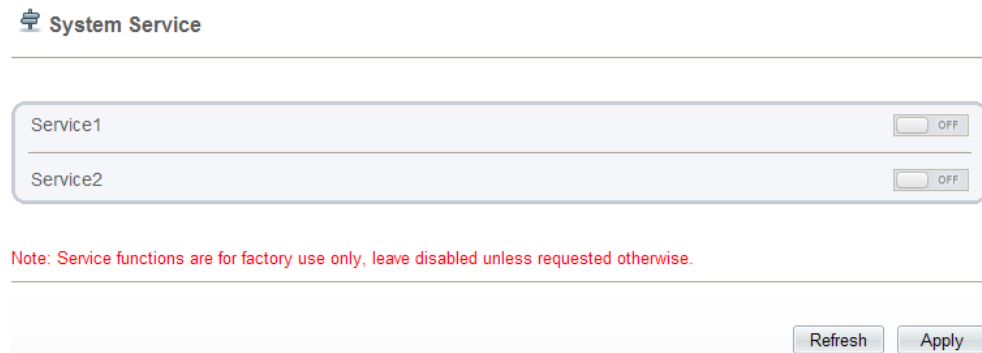
## 3.13 System Service

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > System Service**.

The **System Service** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-13.

**Figure 3-13** System Service page



**Step 2** Click the button on to enable **Service1** or **Service2**.

**NOTE** Service functions are for factory use only, leave disabled unless requested otherwise.

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----**End**

## 3.14 Configuring the System Language

### Description

On the **System Config** page, you can configure the language used by the time displayed in the video window and alarm emails and web mode.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Configuration > System Configuration**.

The **System Config** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 3-14.



**Figure 3-14** System config page

**Step 2** Select a language from the language drop-down list box.

**Step 3** Click .

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

**Step 5** Click the button on to enable **Communicating encryption**.

**Step 6** Select a web mode from the web mode drop-down list box.

**Step 7** Click .

The message "This operation will lead to the device to restart, continue?".

**Step 8** Click **Confirm**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, the system restart.

**----End**

# 4 Configuring External Devices

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## 4.1 Setting External PTZ Parameters

### Description

When the IP camera connects to an external PTZ, you can set external PTZ parameters, such as **PTZ Protocol**, **PTZ Address**, **Baud Rate**, and **Data Bits**.



### CAUTION

This function is available only to a camera connected to an external PTZ. The PTZ address must be set to the address of the external PTZ; otherwise, the external PTZ cannot be used.

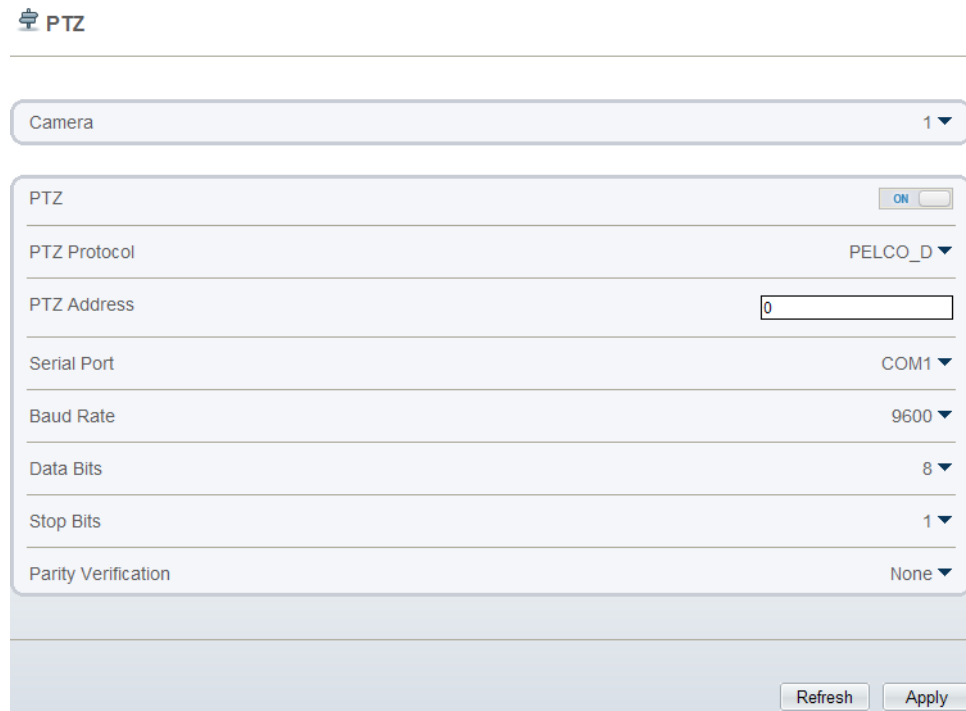
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### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **External Device > PTZ**.

The **PTZ** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 4-1.

**Figure 4-1** PTZ page



**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 4-1.

**Table 4-1** PTZ parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
PTZ	Enable this function if the device connects to an external PTZ.  NOTE This check box is dimmed for an IP dome camera.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable PTZ configuration.
PTZ Protocol	Protocol used by the external PTZ.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.  NOTE When configuring the external PTZ parameters, these parameters must match the settings on the external PTZ.
PTZ Address	Address of the external PTZ.	
Serial Port	The default value is <b>COM1</b> .	
Baud Rate	Baud rate used by the external PTZ. The value ranges from 300 bit/s to 115200 bit/s. The default value is <b>4800</b> bit/s.	
Data Bits	The value must match the setting used by the external PTZ. It can be set to a value ranging from 4 to 8. Generally, the value is 8.	
Stop Bits	N/A	
Parity Verification	N/A	

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----End

## 4.2 Setting External PTZ Keyboard Parameters

**NOTE**

You need to set external PTZ keyboard parameters only for an IP dome camera.

### Description

When the IP camera connects to an external PTZ keyboard, you can set external PTZ keyboard parameters, such as **Interface Type**, **Serial Port**, **Baud Rate**, and **Data Bits**.

**CAUTION**


The camera keyboard address must be set to the address of the external PTZ keyboard; otherwise, the external PTZ keyboard cannot be used.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **External Device > PTZ Keyboard**.

The **PTZ Keyboard** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 4-2.

**Figure 4-2** PTZ Keyboard page

 PTZ Keyboard

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Enable  ON

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Interface Type RS485 ▼

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Serial Port COM1 ▼

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Baud Rate 9600 ▼

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Data Bits 8 ▼

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Stop Bits 1 ▼

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Parity Verification None ▼

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**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 4-2.

**Table 4-2** PTZ keyboard parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Enable	Click the button on to enable PTZ keyboard configuration if the device connects to an external PTZ keyboard.	[Default value] OFF
Interface Type	Interface type used by the external PTZ board.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.
Serial Port	The default value is <b>COM1</b> .	
Baud Rate	Baud rate used by the external PTZ keyboard. The value ranges from 300 bit/s to 115200 bit/s. The default value is <b>4800</b> bit/s.	
Data Bits	The value must match the setting used by the external PTZ keyboard.	
Stop Bits	The value must match the setting used by the external PTZ keyboard.	
Parity Verification	The value must match the setting used by the external PTZ keyboard.	

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

**---End**

# 5 Configuring the Alarm Function

## 5.1 Setting I/O Alarm Parameters

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Alarm Configuration > Alarm I/O**.

The **Alarm I/O** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 5-1.

**Figure 5-1** Alarm I/O page

Alarm I/O

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Alarm In 1 ▾

Name

Valid Voltage Level High ▾

✓

Alarm Out 1 ▾

Name

Valid Signal Close ▾

Alarm Out Mode Switch Mode ▾

ms (0:Alarm forever)

✓

Manual control


**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 5-1.

**Table 5-1** Alarm I/O parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Alarm In	ID of the alarm input channel. NOTE The number of alarm input channels depends on the device model.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 1
Name	Alarm input channel name.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Value range] 0 to 32 bytes
Valid Voltage Level	For the high speed dome network camera, in alarm configuration web: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If the alarm level is set to <b>High</b>, the camera will generate alarm signal when the COM terminal and the IN terminal is connected.</li> <li>• If the alarm level is set to <b>Low</b>, the camera will generate alarm signal when the COM terminal and the IN terminal is disconnected.</li> </ul> For other network camera , in alarm configuration web: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If the alarm level is set to <b>Low</b>, the camera will alarm when the alarm input terminal signal is the high level (DC 5V~12V).</li> <li>• If the alarm level is set to <b>High</b>, the camera will alarm when the alarm input terminal signal is the low level (0V).</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] High
Alarm Out	ID of the alarm output channel. NOTE The number of alarm output channels depends on the device model.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 1
Name	Alarm output channel name.	[Value range] 0 to 32 bytes
Valid Signal	The options are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Close</b>: An alarm is generated when an external alarm signal is received.</li> <li>• <b>Open</b>: An alarm is generated when no external alarm signal is received.</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] Close



Parameter	Description	Setting
Alarm Out Mode	When the device receives I/O alarm signals, the device sends the alarm information to an external alarm device in the mode specified by this parameter. The options include the switch mode and pulse mode.  NOTE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the switch mode is used, the alarm frequency of the device must be the same as that of the external alarm device.</li> <li>If the pulse mode is used, the alarm frequency of the external alarm device can be configured.</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] Switch Mode
Frequency	Frequency of the pulse generated by the device when the device receives I/O alarm signals.  NOTE This parameter is valid only when the square wave alarm input mode is customized.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 0
ms (0: Alarm forever)	Alarm output duration. The value <b>0</b> indicates that the alarm remains valid.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 0 [Value range] 0 to 86400 seconds
Manual Control	Control the alarm output.	-

**Step 3** Click  .

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 4** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----End

## 5.2 Setting Disk Alarm Parameters

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Alarm Configuration > Disk Alarm**.

The **Disk Alarm** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 5-4.

**Figure 5-2** Disk Alarm page

 **Disk Alarm**

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Disk Full Alarm  OFF

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Alarm Interval(S)


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Max Disk Space

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Out Channel  1

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PTZ  

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**Step 2** Click the button on to enable disk alarm.

Configure the **alarm interval** and **Max Disk Space** parameters.

**Step 3** Select **Out channel** number.

**Step 4** Click  and configure the PTZ linkage policy.

Set the **Channel**, **PTZ Type**, and **Value** parameters.

**Step 5** Click **OK**.

**Step 6** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 7** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----End

## 5.3 Setting Network Alarm Parameters

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Alarm Configuration > Network Alarm**.

The **Network Alarm** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 5-3.

**Figure 5-3** Network Alarm page

Network Alarm

Network Card ID 1

Exceptional Alarm

Exceptional Alarm Interval 10

Out Channel 1

PTZ

Refresh Apply

**Step 2** Click the button on to enable exceptional alarm.

**Step 3** Configure the network exceptional alarm interval.

**Step 4** Select **Out Channel** number.

**Step 5** Click  and configure the PTZ linkage policy.

Set the **Channel**, **PTZ Type**, and **Value** parameters.

**Step 6** Click **OK**.

**Step 7** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 8** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----End

## 5.4 Setting I/O Alarm Linkage Parameters

### Prerequisite

The PTZ linkage policy is applicable only to a camera with the PTZ or connected to an external PTZ.

### Description

Alarm linkage refers to linkage alarm output and camera PTZ linkage. When receiving an alarm from the alarm input port, the camera performs linkage alarm output and enables PTZ linkage based on the preceding parameters, and rotates based on the linkage policy.

On the **I/O Alarm Linkage** page, you can perform the following operations:

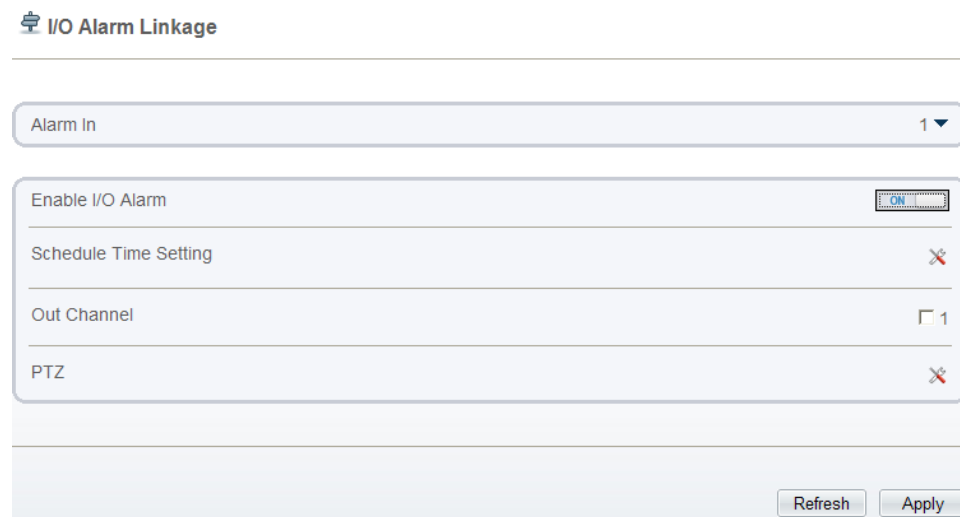
- Enable the I/O alarm function.
- Configure the I/O alarm schedule.
- Configure the alarm output channel.
- Configure the PTZ linkage policy.

## Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Alarm Configuration > I/O Alarm Linkage**.

The **I/O Alarm Linkage** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 5-4.

**Figure 5-4** I/O Alarm Linkage page



**Step 2** Click the button on to enable I/O Alarm.

**Step 3** Configure the I/O alarm schedule.


1. Click .

The **Schedule Time Setting** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 5-5.

**Figure 5-5** Schedule Time Setting page

2. Configure time segments as required.
3. Click **Apply**.  
The parameters are configured successfully.

**Step 4** Select **Out Channel**.

**Step 5** Click  on the right of PTZ parameters and configure the PTZ linkage policy.  
Set the **Camera**, **PTZ Type**, and **Name** parameters.

**Step 6** Click **OK**.

**Step 7** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 8** Click **OK**.

The system saves the settings.

----End

## 5.5 Setting Motion Detection Alarm Linkage Parameters

### Description

On the **Motion Alarm** page, you can perform the following operations:

- Enable the motion detection function.
- Set the motion detection arming time.
- Set the motion detection area.
- Configure the motion alarm output channel.

When the alarm output function is enabled and the camera detects that an object moves into the motion detection area within the schedule time, the camera generates an alarm and triggers linkage alarm output.

- Configure the PTZ linkage policy

## Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Alarm Configuration > Motion Alarm**.

The **Motion Alarm** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 5-6.

**Figure 5-6** Motion Alarm page

The screenshot shows the 'Motion Alarm' configuration interface. At the top, there is a 'Channel' dropdown menu currently set to '1'. Below this is a main configuration area titled 'Motion Alarm' with an 'ON' toggle switch. The 'Motion Interval(1-1800)s' is set to '10'. There are four rows for configuration: 'Schedule Time Setting' with a red 'X' icon, 'Motion Area' with a red 'X' icon, 'Out Channel' with a dropdown menu set to '1', and 'PTZ' with a red 'X' icon. At the bottom right, there are 'Refresh' and 'Apply' buttons.

**Step 2** Click the button on to enable motion alarm.

**Step 3** Configure the motion interval.

**Step 4** Configure the schedule time setting.

For details about how to set **Schedule**, see 5.4 Step 3.


**Step 5** Configure the detection area.

1. Click .

The **Motion Area Setting** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 5-7.

**Figure 5-7** Motion Area Setting page

2. Press and hold the left mouse button, and drag in the video area to draw a detection area.

 **NOTE** Click **Clear** to delete a detection area.

- Click **Reverse** to select the area out of specified frames as the detection area.

**Step 6** Select the **Out Channel**.

**Step 7** Configure the PTZ linkage policy.

For details about how to set **PTZ**, see 5.4 Step 4.

**Step 8** Click **OK**.

**Step 9** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 10** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

---End

# 6 Configuring the Recording Function

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## 6.1 Configuring a Recording Policy

You can configure the scheduled recording function, alarm recording function, recording quality, and recording rules.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Local Record > Record Policy**.

The **Record Policy** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 6-1.



**Figure 6-1** Record Policy page

**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 6-1.

**Table 6-1** Recording policy parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Channel	ID of the video output channel.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 1

Parameter	Description	Setting
Schedule Record	Enables schedule record that you can configure the time policy.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable schedule record. [Default value] OFF
Time Policy	Indicates whether to record videos around the clock. The options are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 24*7H Record</li> <li>• Schedule</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Select the check box.
Alarm Record	Function that triggers alarm recording when an alarm is found.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable alarm record.
Pre Record Time	Enables users to query videos that are shot in a specified duration before an alarm is generated. The pre-recording duration depends on the bit rate. A higher bit rate means a short duration.  NOTE Pre-recording duration = 5 MB (5 x 1024 kbit/s, cache size)/Bit rate. The maximum value is 30 seconds.	[Setting method] Click the button on to set prerecord duration.
Post Record	Recording duration (in seconds) after an alarm is generated.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
I/O Alarm(Alarm In)	ID of the alarm input channel.	[Setting method] Select the check box.  NOTE Set the parameter based on the site requirements.
Motion Alarm(Channel)	ID of the motion detection alarm channel.	[Setting method] Select the check box.  NOTE Set the parameter based on the site requirements.
Network card ID	ID of the exceptional alarm network card.	[Setting method] Select the check box.  NOTE You have to insert the SD card and format it to enable this function,

Parameter	Description	Setting
Record Audio	Indicates whether to record audios together with videos.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable record audio.
Record Rule	Rule for saving recordings. The options are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Cycle Write:</b> Saves recordings in cycles.</li> <li>• <b>Save Days:</b> Duration (in days) for saving a recording. The duration can be a maximum of 99999 days.</li> </ul> NOTE The value <b>0</b> indicates that recordings are not overwritten.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.
Save days	Save days of the record.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
Stream Name	Name of the stream.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.

**Step 3** Configure a recording plan.

You can configure the system to record videos around the clock or in schedule.

For details about how to set **Schedule**, see 5.4 Step 3.

**Step 4** Click **Apply**.

- If the message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system saves the settings.
- If other information is displayed, set the parameters correctly.

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## 6.2 Configuring a Recording Directory

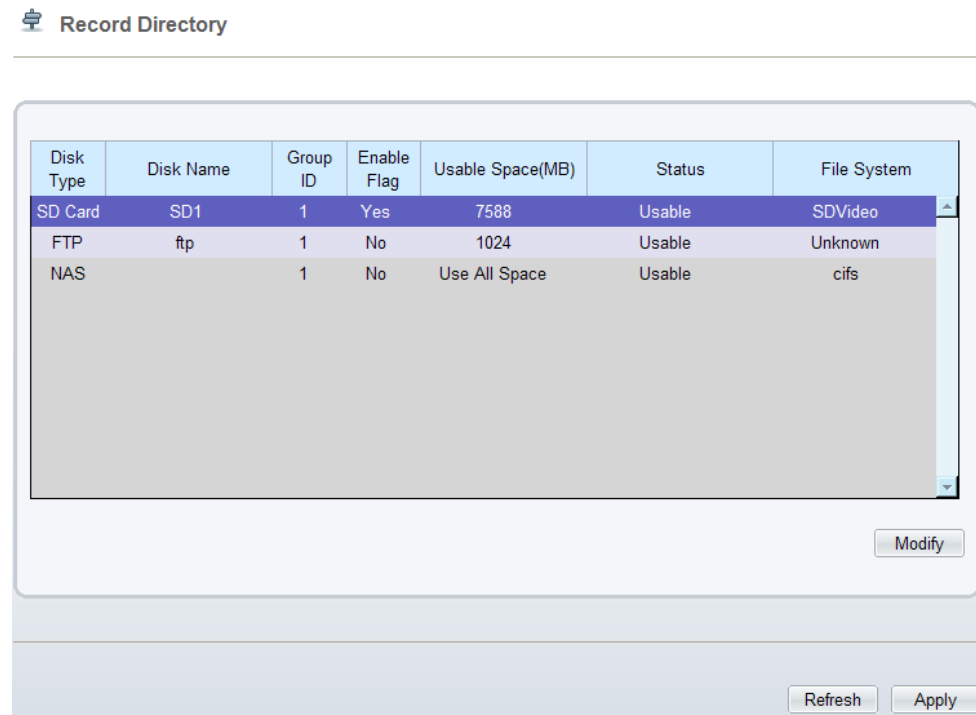
### Description

Recordings can be stored in an SD card.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Local Record > Record Directory**.

The **Record Directory** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 6-2.

**Figure 6-2** Record Directory page

**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 6-2.

**Table 6-2** Recording directory parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
Disk Name	Recording disk name. The camera automatically detects recording disk names. The option is as follows: SD1	N/A
Disk Type	Recording directory type, which can be an SD card.	[Setting method] The parameter cannot be set manually.
Group ID	Indicates the group ID.	
Enable Flag	Indicates whether to enable the recording directory.	
Usable Space	Maximum disk space read automatically.	
Status	Status of the connection between the current camera and recording directory detected automatically.	
File System	File system type.	

## 6.3 Configuring the SD Card Recording

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Local Record > Record Directory**.

**Step 2** Click **Modify**.

The **Record Path Modify** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 6-3.

**Figure 6-3** Record Path Modify page

**Step 3** Set the parameters according to Table 6-3.

**Table 6-3** SD card recording parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
SD Card Name	Recording disk name. The camera automatically detects recording disk names. The option is as follows: SD1	N/A
SD Usable Space(MB)	Maximum disk space read automatically.	[Setting method] The parameter cannot be set manually.
File System	Method to organize files on the SD card.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.

Parameter	Description	Setting
Format	Button for formatting the SD card.	[Setting method] Click the button. NOTE <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• You need to format an SD card when using it for the first time.</li><li>• Formatting is effective only when the scheduled recording function is disabled.</li></ul>

**Step 4** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 5** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

-----**End**

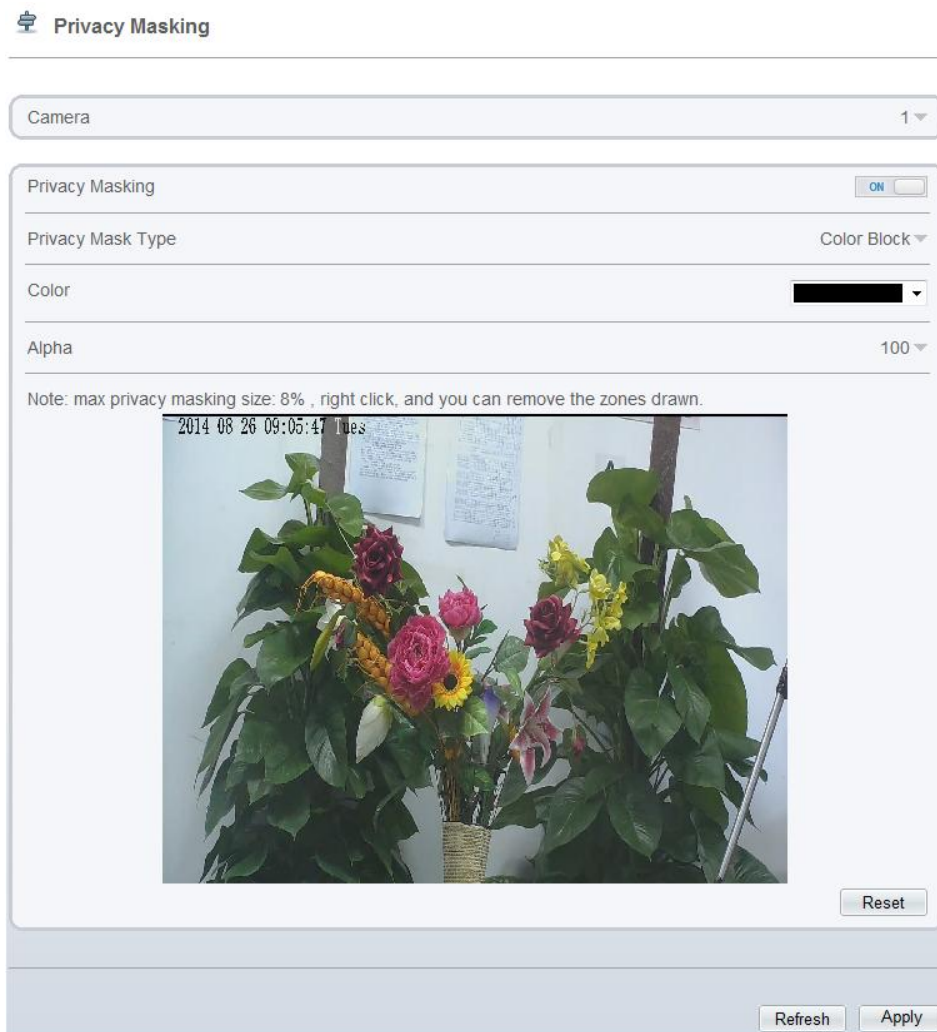
# 7 Configuring the Privacy Mask Function

## Procedure

**Step 1** Click **Privacy Masking**.

The **Privacy Masking** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 7-1.

**Figure 7-1** Privacy Masking page



**Step 2** Click the button on to enable Privacy Masking, and configure the privacy mask type, color and alpha parameters.

**Step 3** Press and hold the left mouse button, and drag on the preview image to cover the part to be masked.



**NOTE**

- The maximum percentage of an image that can be masked depends on the device model. Read the tip displayed on the page. A maximum of five areas can be masked.
- You can click **Reset** to configure the masked areas again.

**Step 4** Click **Apply**.

The message "Apply succeed!" is displayed.

**Step 5** Click **Confirm**.

The system saves the settings.

----**End**



# 8 Configuring the Network Service

## 8.1 Setting PPPoE Parameters

### Preparation

Obtain the PPPoE user name and password from the network carrier.

### Description

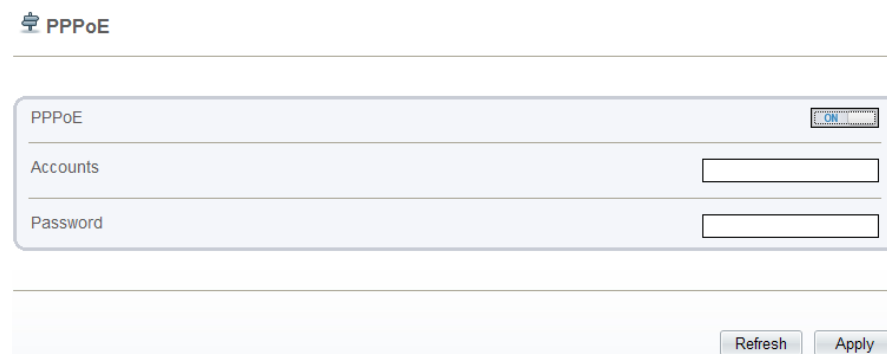
If a PPPoE connection is used, you need to enter the user name and password on the **PPPoE** page. After you restart the device, the PPPoE settings take effect and the device obtains a public IP address.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Network Service > PPPoE**.

The **PPPoE** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 8-1.

**Figure 8-1** PPPoE page



PPPoE

Accounts

Password

Refresh Apply

**Step 2** Click the button on to enable **PPPoE**.

**Step 3** Set the parameters according to Table 8-1.

**Table 8-1** PPPoE parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
PPPoE	Indicates whether to enable the PPPoE service.	[Setting method] Click the button on. [Default value] OFF
Accounts	PPPoE user name provided by the network carrier.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
Password	Password provided by the network carrier.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.

**Step 4** Click **Apply**.

- If the message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system saves the settings.
- If other information is displayed, set the parameters correctly.

----End

## 8.2 Setting DDNS Parameters

### Preparation

Connect the specified camera to the Internet, and obtain the user name and password for logging into the Dynamic Domain Name System (DDNS) server.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Network Service > DDNS**.

The **DDNS** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 8-2.

**Figure 8-2** DDNS page

 DDNS

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DDNS  ON

Provider 3322 ▼

Domain Name

Accounts

Password

**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 8-2.

**Table 8-2** DDNS parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
DDNS	Indicates whether to enable the DDNS service.	[Setting method] Click the button on to enable DDNS. [Default value] OFF
Provider	DDNS service provider. Currently, only 3322 and DynDns are supported.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] 3322 NOTE Set this parameter based on the site requirements.
Domain Name	Domain name customized by a user.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] Blank
Accounts	User name for logging in to the DDNS server.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] Blank

Parameter	Description	Setting
Password	Password for logging in to the DDNS server.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] Blank

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

- If the message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system saves the settings.
- If other information is displayed, set the parameters correctly.

----**End**

# 9 Service Center

## 9.1 Configuring the Alarm Center

### Description

When the device receives alarm information, it can send the alarm information to an alarm center or send an alarm image to a recipient.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Service Center > Alarm Center**.

The **Alarm Center** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 9-1.

**Figure 9-1** Alarm Center page



The screenshot shows the 'Alarm Center' configuration page. At the top, there is a title bar with a home icon and the text 'Alarm Center'. Below this is a form with a light blue background. The form contains three main sections: 1. 'IP Protocol' with a dropdown menu currently set to 'IPv4'. 2. 'Alarm Center Server IP' with a text input field and a red asterisk to its right. 3. 'Alarm Center Server Port' with a text input field and a red asterisk to its right. At the bottom right of the form, there are two buttons: 'Refresh' and 'Apply'.

**Step 2** Set **Alarm Center Server IP** to the IP address of the platform server.

**Step 3** Set **Alarm Center Server Port** to the required alarm center port number.

**Step 4** Click **Apply**.

- If the message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system saves the settings.
- If other information is displayed, set the parameters correctly.

----End

## 9.2 Setting SMTP Parameters

### Description

If the Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP) function is enabled, the device automatically sends JPG images and alarm information to specified email addresses when an alarm is generated.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Service Center > SMTP**.

The **SMTP** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 9-2.

**Figure 9-2** SMTP page

SMTP ON

SMTP Server Address  \*

SMTP Server Port  \*

User Name  \*

Password  \*

Sender E-mail Address  \*

Recipient\_E-mail\_Address1  \*

Recipient\_E-mail\_Address2

Recipient\_E-mail\_Address3

Recipient\_E-mail\_Address4

Recipient\_E-mail\_Address5

Attachment Image Quality Mid ▾

Transport Mode No ▾

**Step 2** Set the parameters according to Table 9-1.

#### NOTE

Parameters marked with are mandatory.

**Table 9-1** SMTP parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting
SMTP	N/A	[Setting method] Select the check box.
SMTP Server Address	IP address of the SMTP server.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
SMTP Server Port	Port number of the SMTP server.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually. [Default value] 25
User Name	User name of the mailbox for sending emails.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
Password	Password of the mailbox for sending emails.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
Sender E-mail Address	Mailbox for sending emails.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
Recipient_E-mail_Address1	(Mandatory) Email address of recipient 1.	[Setting method] Enter a value manually.
Recipient_E-mail_Address2	(Optional) Email address of recipient 2.	
Recipient_E-mail_Address3	(Optional) Email address of recipient 3.	
Recipient_E-mail_Address4	(Optional) Email address of recipient 4.	
Recipient_E-mail_Address5	(Optional) Email address of recipient 5.	
Attachment Image Quality	A higher-quality image means more storage space. Set this parameter based on the site requirement.	N/A
Transport Mode	Email encryption mode. Set this parameter based on the encryption modes supported by the SMTP server.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box. [Default value] No Encrypted

**Step 3** Click **Apply**.

- If the message "Apply succeed!" is displayed, click **Confirm**. The system saves the settings.

- If other information is displayed, set the parameters correctly.

**----End**



# 10 Configuring User Permissions

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## 10.1 Configuring a Permission Group

### Description

You can add, modify, and delete permission groups, and select available permissions to grant them to the corresponding group.



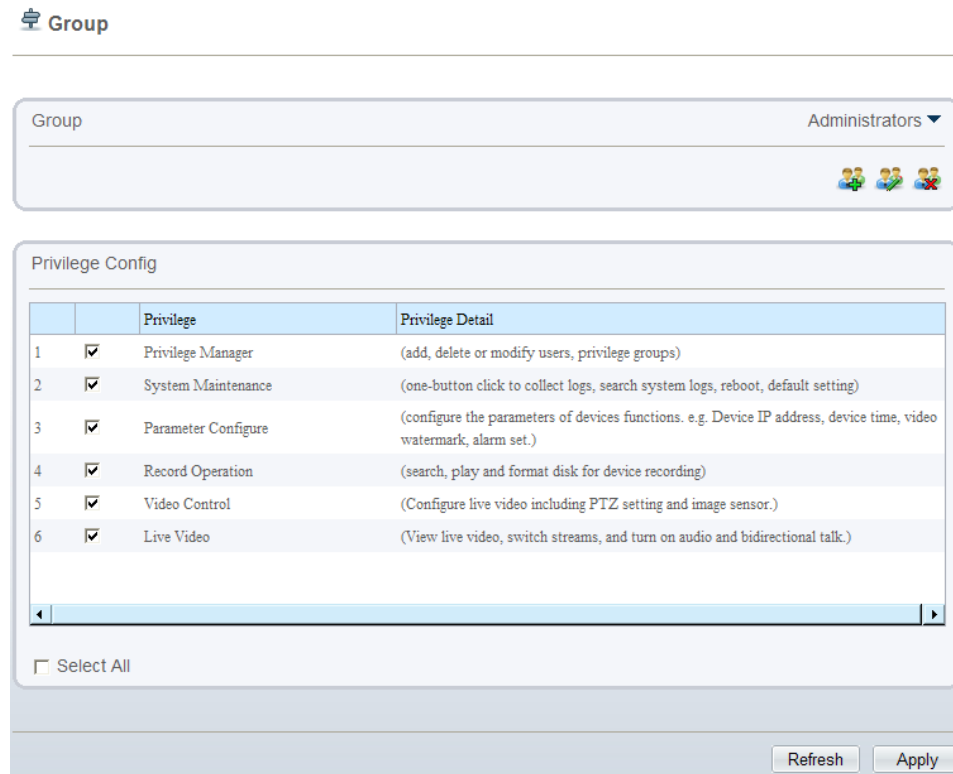
**NOTE** Only the users with the **Privilege Manage** permission can access the **Group** and **User** pages.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Privilege Manager > Group**.

The **Group** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 10-1.

**Figure 10-1** Group page



**NOTE**


The default permission groups are **Administrators**, **Operator**, and **Media user**, where the **Administrators** group cannot be deleted. Their permissions are described as follows:



- Administrators: Privilege Manage, System Maintenance, Parameter Configure, Record Operation, Video Control, and Live Video
- Operator: System Maintenance, Parameter Configure, Record Operation, Video Control, and Live Video
- Media user: Video Control and Live Video

**Step 2** Add, modify, or delete a group as required.

Table 10-1 describes the operations.

**Table 10-1** Operation description

Function	Procedure	Description
Add	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click  .</li> <li>The <b>Add Group</b> page is displayed.</li> <li>2. Enter a group name.</li> <li>3. Click <b>OK</b>.</li> <li>The group is added successfully. The <b>Group</b> page is displayed.</li> <li>4. Select the group from the Group drop-down list box.</li> <li>5. Assign permissions to the group.</li> </ol>	Add a group.

Function	Procedure	Description
	6. Click <b>Apply</b> . The permission of the added group is set successfully.	
Modify	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click  . The <b>Modify Group</b> page is displayed.</li> <li>2. Modify the group name.</li> <li>3. Click <b>OK</b>. The group is modified successfully. The <b>Group</b> page is displayed.</li> </ol>	Modify the name of a group.
Delete	<p>Select the group from the Group drop-down list box.</p> <p>Click , the message “Are you sure to delete the group?” is displayed, click <b>confirm</b>, then the group is deleted successfully.</p>	Delete a group.

----End

## 10.2 Configuring a User

### Description

You can add, modify, and delete a user and unlock a user that is locked after entering an incorrect password for specified consecutive times. The **Privilege Manage** permission is required to unlock a user.

### Procedure



**Step 1** Choose **Privilege Manager > User**.

The **User** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 10-2. Table 10-2 describes the parameters.

**Figure 10-2** User page




**Table 10-2** User parameters



Parameter	Description	Setting
User	User name for logging in to the camera.	[Setting method] Select a value from the drop-down list box.
Group	Permission group where a user belongs. The default permission groups are <b>Administrators</b> , <b>Operator</b> , and <b>Media user</b> . Their permissions are described as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Administrators: Privilege Manage, System Maintenance, Parameter Configure, Record Operation, Video Control, and Live Video</li> <li>• Operator: System Maintenance, Parameter Configure, Record Operation, Video Control, and Live Video</li> <li>• Media user: Video Control and Live Video</li> </ul>	[Setting method] Click  or  , then select a value from the drop down list in the displayed web.
Unlock	Indicates whether a user is in the normal state or locked.	The parameter cannot be set manually.
Multi Login	Supports multi user to login.	[Setting method] Click <b>Add</b> , then click the <b>Multi Login</b> button on to enable multi login in the displayed web.

**Step 2** Add, modify, or delete a user as required.


Table 10-3 describes the operations.

**Table 10-3** Operation description

Function	Procedure	Description
Add	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click  . The <b>Add User</b> page is displayed.</li> <li>2. Enter a user name, password, or group.</li> <li>3. Click <b>OK</b>. The user is added successfully.</li> </ol>	Add an administrator or a common user.

Function	Procedure	Description
Modify	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click  . The <b>Modify User</b> page is displayed.</li> <li>2. Modify the user name, password, or group.</li> <li>3. Click <b>OK</b>. The user is modified successfully. The <b>User</b> page is displayed.</li> </ol>	<p>Modify the user name, password, or group.</p> <p>NOTE</p> <p>A password must be set according to the following rules:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The password length of a user (including the administrator and super administrator) must range from 8 to 32 characters.</li> <li>• A password must contain at least a digit, a lower case letter, and an upper case letter.</li> <li>• A password cannot be the same as the user name or the reverse of the user name.</li> </ul>
Delete	<p>Select the user from the User drop-down list box. Click , the message “Are you sure to delete the user?” is displayed, click <b>confirm</b>, then the group is deleted successfully.</p>	Delete a user.

### Step 3 (Optional) Unlock a user.

 **NOTE** Step is required only when a user is locked, and only a user with the **Privilege Manage** permission can unlock the user.

1. Select the user to be unlocked from the **User** drop-down list box.
2. Click **Unlock**.  
The user is unlocked.

----End

# 11 Setting Platform Parameters

## 11.1 Checking Protocol Information

### Description

You can view the existing protocol name and version number of the current device on the **Protocol > Protocol Info** page, as shown in Figure 11-1. Table 11-1 describes the protocol-related parameters.

**Figure 11-1** Protocol Info page

The screenshot shows the 'Protocol Info' page with the following parameters:

Protocol Name	onvif ▼
Protocol Version	V2.2 ▼
Protocol Software Version	v2.2_build004066

At the bottom right of the page, there is a 'Refresh' button.

**Table 11-1** Protocol-related parameters

Parameter	Description
Protocol Name	Type of the access protocol.
Protocol Version	Version number of the access protocol.
Protocol Software Version	Software version number of the access protocol.

## 11.2 Setting Security Authentication

### Description

When an ONVIF-compliant device connects to the platform, you must authenticate the user name and password to ensure the connection security.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Protocol > Security**.

The **Security** page is displayed as shown in Figure 11-2. Table 11-2 describes the parameters on the **Security** page.

**Figure 11-2** Security page



**Table 11-2** Parameter description

Parameter	Description	Setting
User Verification	<p>When you select the <b>User Verification</b> check box, the user name and password must be the same as those for logging in to the device web page.</p> <p>NOTE</p> <p>The default user name is <b>admin</b>, and the default password is <b>admin</b>.</p>	<p>[Setting method]</p> <p>Click the button on to enable <b>User Verification</b>.</p>

**Step 2** Click **Apply**.

A dialog box is displayed, indicating the parameter configuration success. To make the configuration take effect, click **Confirm** to restart the device.

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# 12 Querying Device Logs

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## 12.1 Querying Operation Logs

### Description

Operation logs record user operations and scheduled task commands during the running of the device. Operation logs can be classified into the following types: permission management, system maintenance, device configuration, recording operation, video control, and real-time video.


### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Log > Operation Log**.

The **Operation Log** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 12-1.



**Figure 12-1** Operation Log page

 **Operation Log**

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System Log All Type ▾

Begin Time

End Time

User Name

Time	User Name	Log Info

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**Step 2** Set the search criteria.

1. Click the **Begin Time** and **End Time** text boxes respectively.  
A time setting control is displayed.
2. Set the start time and end time as required.
3. Select the type of operation logs to be queried from the **System Log** drop-down list box.
4. Enter the corresponding user name that is registered with the device from the **User Name** drop-down list box.

**Step 3** Click **Query**.

The operation logs related to the specified user are displayed.

**Step 4** Download the operation logs.

1. Set the start time, end time and log type.
2. Click **Download** on the right of the page.  
The log link and the message "Please download log by 'save as' in the right key" are displayed.
3. Right-click the link and save the logs.

**NOTE**

An operation log is named as **Operation Log** by default and in the following format:

*Operation time user(User name) Operation information*

For example:

2012-06-20 13:40:39 user() StartUpDevice

2012-06-20 13:42:46 user(admin) ConfigureDeviceName

2012-06-20 13:43:16 user(admin) ConfigureAlarmIn

----End

## 12.2 Querying Alarm Logs

### Description


An alarm log records information about an alarm generated on a device, including the security, disk, and recording alarms.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Device Log > Alarm Log**.

The **Alarm Log** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 12-2.

**Figure 12-2** Alarm Log page

 Alarm Log

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Alarm Type All ▼

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Begin Time

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End Time

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Alarm Begin Time	Alarm End Time	Log Info	Source ID

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**Step 2** Set the search criteria.

1. Click the **Begin Time** and **End Time** text boxes respectively.  
A time setting control is displayed.
2. Set the start time and end time as required.
3. Select the type of the alarm logs to be queried from the **Alarm Type** drop-down list box.

**Step 3** Click **Query**.

The alarm logs of the specified type are displayed.

**Step 4** Download the alarm logs.

1. Set the start time and end time.
2. Select a log type.
3. Click **Download** on the right of the page.

The log link and the message "Please download log by 'save as 'in the right key" are displayed.

4. Right-click the link and save the logs.



**NOTE**

An alarm log is named as **Alarm Info** by default and in the following format:

*Alarm start time -> Alarm end time Alarm information SourceID*

For example:

2012-03-17 16:31:17 -> 2012-03-17 16:32:29 occur motion detect alarm SourceId(1:1)

2012-03-17 16:35:31 -> 2012-03-17 16:35:41 occur motion detect alarm SourceId(1:1)

----End

## 12.3 Reporting Logs

### Description

You can collect logs about a device, which help you analyze and solve possible problems occurring on the device. The logs include overview information, key parameters, operation logs, alarm logs, upgrade logs, and debugging logs.

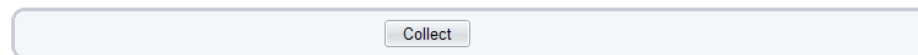
### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Maintenance > Report Log**.

The **Collect all log** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 12-3.

**Figure 12-3** Collect Log page

Collect all log



**Step 2** Collect logs with one click.

1. Click **Collect**.  
The log link and the message "Please download log by 'save as 'in the right key" are displayed.
2. Right-click the link and save the logs.

----End

# 13 Maintaining the Device

## 13.1 Restarting a Device

### Description

You can restart a device in situations including the following:

- The device parameters are set incorrectly, and the device cannot work properly.
- A user needs to reset device parameters and make the settings to take effect.
- A device needs to be restarted remotely.

### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Maintenance**.

The **Device Maintenance** page is displayed, as shown in Figure 13-1.

**Figure 13-1** Device Restart page



**Step 2** Click .

The message "Are you sure to restart?" is displayed.

**Step 3** Click **Confirm**.

The device is restarted successfully five minutes later.

----End


## 13.2 Restoring a Device to Factory Settings

### Description

You can restore a device to factory settings in situations including the following:

- The device parameters are set incorrectly, and the device cannot work properly.
- A user needs to reset device parameters.
- All parameters must be restored to the factory settings.




After you click , all parameters (you can choose whether to reserve the IP address) will be restored to the factory settings. Use this function carefully.

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### Procedure

**Step 1** Choose **Maintenance**.

The **Device Maintenance** page is displayed.

**Step 2** Click .

The message "Are you sure to restore default settings?" is displayed.

**Step 3** Click **Confirm**.

The device is restored to the factory settings.

----**End**

# 14 Troubleshooting

Table 14-1 describes the common faults and solutions.

**Table 14-1** Common faults and solutions

Common Fault	Possible Cause	Solution
When you enter the device IP address in the address box of Internet Explorer and press <b>Enter</b> , the message "There is a problem with this website's security certificate." is displayed.	The certificate is not installed.	Click <b>Continue to this website (not recommended)</b> .
The web management system cannot be accessed.	The network is disconnected.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Connect the PC directly to the camera, and verify that the web management system can be accessed.</li> <li>• Run the <b>ping</b> command to verify that the camera is reachable.</li> </ul>
	The IP address is used by another device.	Connect the PC directly to the camera and configure the IP address of the camera.
	The IP addresses of the PC and IP camera are on different networks.	Check the IP address, subnet mask, and gateway settings on the IP camera, and change the settings as required.

Common Fault	Possible Cause	Solution
The PTZ or dome cannot be controlled.	The protocol, baud rate, or address is incorrect.	Change the protocol, baud rate, and address in the web management system to those used by the PTZ or dome.
	The signal cable is not properly connected.	Check the signal strength and connect the signal cable properly.
After the IP camera is upgraded, the web management system cannot be accessed.	The browser cache is not deleted.	<p>To delete the browser cache, proceed as follows: (Internet Explorer 8 is used as an example.)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Open Internet Explorer.</li> <li>2. Choose <b>Tools &gt; Internet Options</b>.</li> <li>3. Click <b>Delete</b>. The <b>Delete Browsing History</b> dialog box is displayed.</li> <li>4. Select all check boxes.</li> <li>5. Click <b>Delete</b>. Log in to the web management system again.</li> </ol>
The IP camera cannot be upgraded.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The network is disconnected.</li> <li>• The network settings are incorrect.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Confirm upgrade network has connections.</li> <li>• Check the network settings right or wrong.</li> </ul>
	The upgrade package is incorrect.	Obtain the correct upgrade package and upgrade the IP camera again.

# **A** Acronyms and Abbreviations

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**A**

ADSL Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line

**C**

CBR Constant Bit Rate

**D**

DHCP Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol

DNS Domain Name Server

DDNS Dynamic Domain Name Server

**G**

GAMA Graphics Assisted Management Application

**H**

HTTP Hyper Text Transfer Protocol

**I**

ISO International Standard Organized

IP Internet Protocol

ID Identity

IPC Internet Protocol Camera

**L**

LPS Limited Power Source

**M**

MJPEG Motion Joint Photographic Experts Group

MAC Media Access Control

**N**

NTP Network Time Protocol



NTSC National Television Standards Committee

## **O**

OSD On Screen Display

## **P**

PoE Power over Ethernet

PPPoE Point-to-Point Protocol over Ethernet

PTZ Pan/Tilt/Zoom

## **S**

SMTP Simple Mail Transfer Protocol

## **V**

VBR Variable Bit Rate