Quick Start Guide



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

1. Defaul User and Password: admin/ no password.

All Digital Watchdog units are shipped set to Pacific Time Zone. All changes to the time, date, and time zone must be done BEFORE recording video to avoid data loss.
Do not change the Windows Network login name, password or login process.
Ctrl + Alt + Delete is disabled on all Digital Watchdog's PC - Base recorders.
An Uninterrupted Power Supply (UPS) is required for all Digital Watchdog's units.
Keep the restore CD included in the Accessory Pack of your recorder. The Accessory Pack is essential for proper technical support and maintenance of your unit. A charge will be applied to restore a lost CD.

Display Area Setup Menu Date & Time Search & Playback Layout Options

Exit PTZ Control Backup Looping Video HDD Free Space

Camera Control

USER INTERFACE OVERVIEW

Channel Number & Camera Name





RECORDING STATUS INDICATOR

Displayed when video from the camera is currently being recorded to the NVR.

Displayed when a camera that is set to motion detection detects motion.
Displayed when the camera is currently not recording any video to the NVR.

HARDWARE OVERVIEW

1	Front Panel DVD-RW Drive	9	Back Panel E-SATA Port
2	Front Panel HDD Lock Control	10	Back Panel RJ-45 Netwok Jack & 2nd Network Card
3	Front Panel HDD Activity LED	11	Back Panel DVI-I & DVI-D Outputs
4	Front Panel Power LED	12	Back Panel HDMI Outputs
5	Front Panel USB Port 2.0	13	Back Panel USB Ports 3.0
6	Front Panel Power Switch	14	Back Panel Audio In/ Out
7	Back Panel USB Ports 2.0	15	VGA Output
8	Back Panel Power Control		•

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Quick Start Guide IP CAMERAS CONFIGURATION

CONNECTING A NETWORK CAMERA

 From the Display Screen, select 'Setup' & go to 'Network Video'.
Click 'Add/Remove Device'.
Select your network device from the Device Type list.
Click 'Find Cameras' to locate all

connected Network cameras automatically. 5. To add cameras manually, under

Device Properties, type a Device Name, the IP/URL address, Port, User ID and Password of the device & click Add.

ACCESSING THE CONFIGURATION MENU

 From the Display Screen, select 'Setup' & go to 'Network Video'.
Select 'Camera Configuration'.
Select Setup Network Device.
Highlight the desired camera & adjust the Resolution, Framerate, Codec, & Quality.



GENERAL BACKUP SETUP

PERFORMING A GENERAL BACKUP

1. On the Display Screen, select Backup.

2. Use the calendar to select the date(s). Dates highlighted in BLUE contain recorded data.

3. Select the blocks of time to back up using the Hour/Minute Grid. Blocks of time with recorded video are highlighted in GREEN. Blocks of time selected for backup are highlighted in RED.

4. Select the backup drive(s). When selecting the CD-ROM Drive, you must specify the number of CDs to use for backup.

5. Check 'Include Viewer' to include the Backup Viewer with the file. 6. Click 'Start Backup'. A progress bar will display in the lower right corner of the display screen.



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CREATING A RECORDING SCHEDULE

1. On the Display Screen, select 'Setup' & go to 'Schedule'.

2. Select a day to create the schedule for, or click the Single Day Selection button, enabling Multi Day Selection, to create the same schedule for multiple days.

3. Highlight the Time Blocks for the camera(s) within the Recording Schedule window.

4. Click a Recording Mode button. The Time-Blocks will appear Blue for Motion, Yellow for Continuous, and White for No Recording

a. Note: Leave cameras recording with Sensor Detection set to No Recording for the specified time block(s).







