Overview

The installation file includes both the client and the server. The client provides access to recordings and live video. The server handles all communication with cameras, video encoders, and auxiliary devices in the system.

You can install the client on the same computer as the server or on separate computers. We recommend that you install the server on a dedicated computer for best performance and stability.

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Update Axis Camera Station

For more information, see the following files:

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Upgrade AXIS Camera Station

AXIS Camera Station 5 will remain supported until September 30, 2027, after which it will no longer be developed, maintained, or tested. For more information, see our *General Policy Guidelines for Discontinued Products*.

For information about how to upgrade to AXIS Camera Station Pro, see *AXIS Camera Station Pro - Installation and migration guide*.

For AXIS S12, S11, S21, and S22 series: You can upgrade for free during the lifetime of the hardware. All included and registered licenses will be upgraded to lifetime licenses tied to the recorder hardware.

For other hardware and virtual machines: You can upgrade for free until March 1, 2026. Installed licenses will be upgraded to 5-year subscription licenses at no additional cost.

Move AXIS Camera Station

You can move your AXIS Camera Station 5 system from one server to another if, for example, you need to upgrade or replace the server. To do this, you need the passwords for all devices, as well as any additional passwords used for the SMTP server, network storage, scheduled exports, incident reports, and your My Axis account for Secure Remote Access.

Note

Since the server can't access the recordings at startup, they might have been deleted from the database. To resolve this issue, replace `ACS_RECORDINGS.FDB` again.

Need more help?

Useful links

Contact support

If you need more help, go to *axis.com/support*.