



Release Notes for Cisco Video Surveillance High Definition IP Cameras, Release 2.6.0

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These release notes provide important information for the Cisco Video Surveillance High Definition IP camera, Release 2.6.0, which applies to the following Cisco IP camera models:

- CIVS-IPC-3050—A ruggedized, outdoor, high-definition video endpoint with industry-leading image quality and processing power. This vibration resistant camera is ideal for use in transportation applications such as buses, trains, and other moving vehicles. The IK10- and IP66-rated housing combined with a low profile also make this camera suitable for discreet placement in harsh environments. Video can be streamed at a full 720p resolution at 30 frames per second (fps) while optimizing network usage with either H.264 or MJPEG compression. With its open, standards-based design, the camera provides an ideal platform for integration and operation as an independent device or as part of a Cisco video surveillance network.
- CIVS-IPC-7070—A 360 degree IP camera that provides excellent situational awareness from a very small footprint. This 5 megapixel (MP) IP camera can function in complete darkness by utilizing integrated IR illuminators built into the camera housing. It can capture a much more comprehensive area than a standard VGA model, significantly reducing the number of units required. It is especially suitable for monitoring wide open areas.

For information about firmware compatibility and Cisco VSM releases that new cameras require, see the current Cisco VSM Release Notes at:

http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/ps10818/prod_release_notes_list.html

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What's New

Cisco Video Surveillance IP camera firmware release 2.6.0 supports the following new features:

- Updated operating system and browser support—Support for Microsoft Windows 8 (32-bit or 64-bit) and Microsoft Internet Explorer 11 (32-bit)
- Image overlay—New image overlay options in the Video Overlay window allow configuring an image that appears as an overlay on the video image from the IP camera
- Clear tamper alert—New options in the Camera Window allow configuring the IP camera to clear a tamper alert automatically after a designated amount of time

Important Notes

- Redirection to the IP Camera login page after making setting and initialization updates takes approximately 30 seconds.
- To ensure that new features display after a firmware update, clear the browser cache and reload the web page.

Installing ActiveX Client

The following sections provide information about installing the ActiveX client:

- [Minimum Installation Requirements, page 2](#)
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Minimum Installation Requirements

- Windows 7 with Standard User Rights
- DirectX End-User Runtime (DirectX 9.0 or higher)
 - DirectX 11 installed with Windows 7
- .Net Framework 2.0 SP 1 or higher
 - Installed with Windows 7 by default
- Computer Display drivers installed properly
- Support for the 32-bit version of Internet Explorer 9, 10, and 11

Installation Procedure

If you go to the View Video window or the Local Storage window in the IP camera web-based interface and ActiveX is not installed, the window indicates that ActiveX is required provides instructions that explain how to download and install ActiveX.

To download and install ActiveX, follow these steps:

Procedure

- Step 1** From the window IP camera web-based interface that instructs you to install the Cisco Camera UI Control , click **Install** in the yellow banner.
- Step 2** If a Security Warning dialog box appears, click **Install**.
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Caveats

The following sections provide information about caveats in this IP camera release:

- [Using the Bug Search Tool, page 3](#)
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Using the Bug Search Tool

You can use the Bug Search Tool to find information about caveats (bugs) for this release, including a description of the problems and available workarounds. The Bug Search Tool lists both open and resolved caveats.



Note

Bug Search Tool is the successor to the Bug Toolkit.

To use the Bug Search Tool, follow these steps:

Procedure

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- Step 1** Go to <https://tools.cisco.com/bugsearch/>.
- Step 2** Log in with your Cisco.com user ID and password.
- Step 3** To look for information about a specific problem, enter the bug ID number in the Search For field, then press **Enter**.
- Step 4** To look for information if you do not know the bug ID number, enter keywords which search for text matches in the following sections of a bug:
- headline/title
 - release note text
 - product
 - known affected releases/ known fixed releases
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For more information about the Bug Search Tool, click Help on the main Bug Search Tool page:
<https://tools.cisco.com/bugsearch/>

Known Caveats

Table 1 describes the known caveats in this release.

Table 1 ***Caveats Open in this Release***

Identifier	Description
CSCum43626	Camera fails to install license for camera application
CSCut10929	Cannot use apps if log in via IPv6 address with Mozilla or Chrome browser
CSCuv10473	Cannot configure .255 network addresses

Related Documentation

For additional information about the Cisco Video Surveillance IP camera, see the *Installation Guide* and *Configuration Guide* for your IP camera. The documentation is available at this URL:

www.cisco.com/go/ipcamera

Obtaining Documentation and Submitting a Service Request

For information on obtaining documentation, submitting a service request, and gathering additional information, see the monthly *What's New in Cisco Product Documentation*, which also lists all new and revised Cisco technical documentation:

<http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/general/whatsnew/whatsnew.html>

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