

Essential Video Analytics 6.30

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- ▶ Essential Video Analytics for small and medium businesses, large retail stores, commercial buildings, and warehouses
- ▶ Intrusion detection
- ▶ Enforcing health and safety regulations: blocked emergency exits, no-parking zones
- ▶ Business analytics: counting, queuing, crowding

Essential Video Analytics 6.30 by Bosch is the system of choice when you need reliable video analytics for small and medium business, large retail stores, commercial buildings, and warehouses. The software system reliably detects, tracks, and analyzes moving objects while suppressing unwanted alarms from spurious sources in the image. Advanced tasks like multiple line crossing, loitering, crowd density estimation, and people counting are available. Object filter based on size, speed, direction, aspect ratio, and color can be defined. For calibrated cameras, the software automatically distinguishes between the object types upright person, car, bike, and truck. It allows you to record all of the object information and change the rules even after the fact for fully configurable forensic search.

Functions

Tamper detection

The built-in tamper detection generates alarms on camera hooding/masking, blinding, defocusing, and repositioning.

Dedicated tracking modes

Essential Video Analytics 6.30 includes dedicated tracking modes optimized for the following tasks:

- Intrusion detection
- Indoor people counting
- Asset protection (don't touch!)

Alarm and statistic tasks

The following alarm and statistic tasks are available:

- Detect objects within, entering, or leaving an area
- Detect multiple line crossing from single line up to 3 lines combined in a logical row
- Detect objects traversing a route
- Detect loitering in an area related to radius and time
- Detect objects which are idle for a predefined time span
- Detect removed objects
- Detect objects who's properties such as size, speed, direction, and aspect ratio change within a configured time span according to specification (for example something falling down)
- Count objects crossing a virtual line
- Count objects within an area and alarm if a predefined limit is reached
- Detect a certain crowd level in a predefined field
- Combine tasks using scripts

Filters

To enhance robustness, the software can be configured to ignore specified image areas and small objects. For calibrated cameras, the software automatically distinguishes between upright persons, bikes, cars, and trucks. Furthermore, object size, speed, two-way direction, aspect ratio, and color filters can be used in any combination to create specific detection rules for exactly the objects you are looking for. Statistics on object properties are stored

and can be displayed for fine tuning the object filters. Object properties can also be defined by selecting an appropriately similar object in the video.

Intelligence-at-the-edge concept

The video analytics software is available in Bosch IP cameras. This intelligence-at-the-edge concept allows a decision on which videos are captured based on video content analysis (VCA). Bandwidth and storage can be reduced by recording alarm situations only or by selecting the best video encoding quality and frame rates exclusively for alarms. Alarm conditions can be signaled by a relay output on the unit or an alarm connection, to stream video to a decoder or video management system. Alarms can also be transmitted to a video management system to start extended alarm scenarios. As well as creating alarms, the software produces metadata that describes the content of the analyzed scene. This metadata is sent over the network, and may also be recorded, together with the video stream.

Forensic Search

The recorded metadata can be used for a full forensic search where the rules can be changed even after the fact within Bosch Video Management System (Bosch VMS) or Video Client. New tasks can be defined and adapted for each search, and the recorded metadata is then scanned and evaluated accordingly. Forensic Search is very time efficient and can scan a huge recording database for events within seconds.

Intuitive graphical user interface

Setup is available via device web page as well as via Configuration Manager. A wizard-based graphical user interface guides through the configuration. All configuration options are visualized exemplarily as overlays for feedback and can directly be manipulated for intuitive configuration.

When movement is detected, the object is outlined in yellow on the display and its motion is displayed as a green trajectory. If an object and its motion match the rule conditions defined for one of the detector tasks, an alarm is created and the object outlines are switched to red. Additionally, an idle object is marked with an **[I]** and a removed object with an **[X]**.

Automatic calibration

Perspective can be taught to give the software the power of 3D understanding of the scene, resulting in real sizes, object speed, automatic object classification, best-performance long-distance detections and people counting.

The newest generation of IP cameras from Bosch include sensors automatically detecting the angle of the camera to the ground. Whenever a predefined lens is within the camera, whether fixed or variofocal, the calibration will also know the focal length of the lens. Thus teaching the video analytics software perspective can often be done by simply entering the elevation of the camera.

Configuration complexity on demand

The video analytics software automatically alarms on any object in the scene. More complex setups are supported as well: up to 8 independent tasks can be set up in the GUI, and the alarm objects for each task can be restricted according to their properties. Camera calibration can be added for perspective correction and to obtain object properties in metric or imperial systems. A wizard is available to support the calibration by marking lines and angles in the scene. A task script editor is available for fine tuning and combining predefined tasks, and additional 8 tasks can be set up there.

Installation/configuration notes

IP cameras from Bosch are grouped by their common product platform (CPP) generation.

Essential Video Analytics 6.30 is free-of-charge and available on all CPP7 based 4000 - 6000 series IP cameras from Bosch.

Essential Video Analytics 6.30 is set up using either the device web page or the Configuration Manager software that is included with the product and available for download from the Bosch website as well.

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