Bluecherry Documentation

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CHAPTER 1

Installation of Bluecherry server

Server Installation

1.1 Requirements

Version 3 (beta) supports Ubuntu LTS releases (Ubuntu 16.04 and Ubuntu 18.04), Debian 9 (Stretch) and Debian 10 (Buster). Support for CentOS has been removed.

1.2 Installing Bluecherry from the Bluecherry repository

Download instructions

Currently version 3 is in beta which means 'unstable'.

Copy and paste the commands to add our repository to Ubuntu 16.04 / Ubuntu 18.04 / Ubuntu 20.04 / Debian 9 / Debian 10.

sudo bash -c "\$(wget -O - https://dl.bluecherrydvr.com/scripts/install-unstable)":

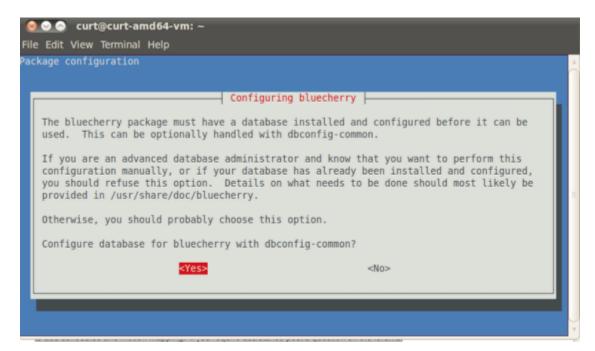
1.3 Installing the server

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The instructions below assume you have received the download instructions, or installed from our CD installer.

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	Configuring bluecherry	
	The bluecherry package must have a database installed and configured before it can be used. This can be optionally handled with dbconfig-common.	
	If you are an advanced database administrator and know that you want to perform this configuration manually, or if your database has already been installed and configured, you should refuse this option. Details on what needs to be done should most likely be provided in /usr/share/doc/bluecherry.	
	Otherwise, you should probably choose this option.	
	Configure database for bluecherry with dbconfig-common?	
	<yes> <no></no></yes>	

If you do not already have mysql-server installed you will be prompted to create a password for the 'root' MySQL account. While Ubuntu lists this as optional, it is recommended that you set a password.



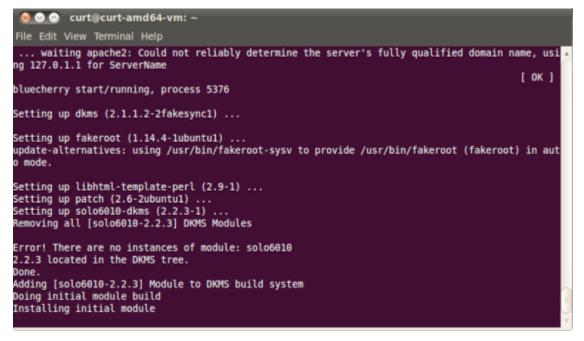
You will now be asked to configure Bluecherry. You must hit Yes, or the installation process will fail.

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Enter the database administrative password that you set previously for the 'root' user.

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Enter the password that you want to create for the bluecherry database. This can be the same password that you provided for the root MySQL account, but we recommend keeping the password unique. You will be asked to enter this password twice to verify the password matched.



At this point the bluecherry server will be installed. If you plan to install the client on the same system, then please follow the client installation guide.

CHAPTER 2

Setup and configuration

2.1 Logging in

Connect to the server with a web browser

By default the server runs on a port 7001, and requires SSL. You can access the server using https://hostname:7001

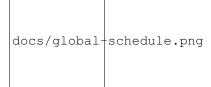
2.2 Navigating the web interface

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Your connection is not private
Attackers might be trying to steal your information from 192.168.32.151 (for example,
passwords, messages, or credit cards). <u>Learn more</u> NET:ERR_CERT_AUTHORITY_INVALID
Automatically send some system information and page content to Google to help detect dangerous apps and sites. <u>Privacy policy</u>
ADVANCED Back to safety

- 1. Live View Web based live view streaming
- 2. Playback Watch recorded media
- 3. Download remote client Links to www.bluecherrydvr.com/download for downloading the cross platform client
- 4. Documentation Link to online documentation
- 5. Announcements Recent updates and information
- General settings Change settings such as the name and location of the DVR, and outgoing SMTP email notifications
- 7. Storage Easily add and manage storage
- 8. Users Add and manage who has access to live view, recordings and individual cameras
- 9. Connected users See who is currently connected to your system
- 10. Devices Add and manage analog and IP cameras (Note: A Bluecherry hardware compression card is required for analog card support)
- 11. Global schedule Easily select which days and hours your system will record. Choose between motion detection, continuous recording and no recording
- 12. Email notifications Easily add email notifications rules based on time of day and selected cameras
- 13. Event statistics Get statistics about the the camera recording schedule
- 14. Database backup Create or restore a database backup
- 15. System Log Easily view Bluecherry logs (both web and Bluecherry logs)
- 16. License Keys Easily add license keys to expand your Bluecherry system
- 17. Server statistics This section shows current CPU, memory and how long the system has been running.
- 18. Profile link Here you can easily update your profile, reset your password, or simply logout

2.3 Recording schedules

We support two types of schedules. The first is a global schedule and the second is a per-camera schedule. Both are covered below



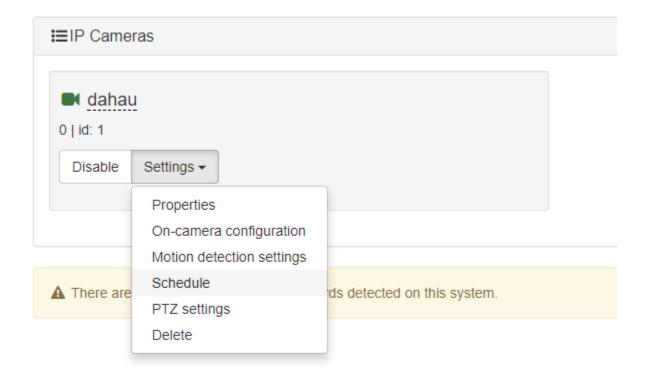
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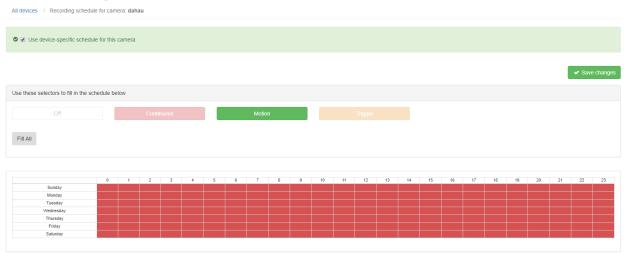
Select 'Motion' and then select all the grid locations (Assuming that you want motion detection 24×7×7).

2.4 Per-camera schedule



Under the Devices tab, select 'Schedule' under each camera that you want to enable a camera specific scheduled recording.

Device recording schedule



Select the checkbox for 'Use device-specific schedule for this camera' and select the type of recording schedule you want and click 'Save changes'

2.5 Adding users

DVR Users

Users currently registered in the DVR system.				
				+ Create New User
Full Name	Login	Email	Status	
Bluecherry Admin	Admin		Admin	×

Select 'Create New User' to add a new user to the DVR system

		✓ Save changes
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Password password		
Emails for email notifications		
Phone	Add email	
phone # Admin access administrative priveleges		
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Archived video allow access to previous events		
User notes visible only to admin		

Complete the form with the user specific information. It's usually recommended to have two administrator accounts, in case one user is delete or the password is forgotten.

General settings Storage Users Connected users Devices Global schedule Email notifications

2.6 Editing / viewing users

DVR Users				
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Full Name	Login	Email	Status	
Bluecherry Admin	Admin		Admin	×

Click on user's Full Name. Note: To prevent you from accidently removing yourself it is not possible for you to remove the account you are logged in as.

DVR users / Bluecherry Admin		
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Password password		
Emails for email notifications		
	Add email	
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Admin access administrative priveleges	×	
Web access viewer web access	8	
Remote access remote client access	8	
Archived video allow access to previous events	8	
User notes visible only to admin		

You can the option to change any of the fields above, including the password. You can also add specific restrictions on what the user has access to. The notes section lets you add user specific notes.

2.7 Restrict cameras per user

Restricting access on a per-user basis

Full Name	Login	Email	Status	
Bluecherny Admin	Admin		Admin 🔹	•
Joe Blow	joeblow	aaa@asa.aaa	Viewer	•

From the 'Users' section click on any of the names in the list. For this example, we are going to pick on Joe Blow, who we do not trust.

User details: Joe Blow

DVR users / Joe Blow			
x Delete user ■ Edit access list			
Name user's full name	Joe Blow		
Login Iogin	joeblow		
Password password			
Emails for email notifications	aaa@asa.aaa	Add	l email
Click 'Edit access list'			
			≜ *
User camera access permissions			
			✓ Save changes
× Restrict all		✔ Allow all	
click on camera names to allow/restict access			
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******By default Joe Blow has access to all cameras. We do not want him to have access to cameras, simply click on the camera name. This will change the color of the camera from green (full access) to red (no access). Joe Blow will not see the camera in the available video devices, or in the event / search area. Changes are applied instantly. ******

2.8 System logs

**Select 'System Log' from the left menu bar ** .. image:: img/systemlog-select.png

This log shows everything that has been logged to /var/log/bluecherry.log and to /var/lib/bluecherry/wwwerror.log Note: These logs is randomly rotated, so it will likely not contain all of the logs since the server has started.

		Download debugging information					
Jan 12 18:21:51 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): Started bc-server 2.8.3 (toolchain 5.4.0	20160609) v2.7.6-107-g2d34023 tags/v2.8.3						
Jan 12 18:22:04 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): SQL database connection opened							
Jan 12 18:22:04 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): Found abandoned recording /var/lib/blue	cherry/recordings/2018/01/11/000001/20-04-18.mkv, queued for length update						
Jan 12 18 22.04 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): started processing abandoned recordings							
Jan 12 18:22:04 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): Got machine id 'BQUU-C5HG' from DB							
Jan 12 18:22:05 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): devname: ens33							
Jan 12 18:22:05 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): machine_id: BQUU-C5HG							
Jan 12 18:22:05 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): address: 00 0C 29 41 74 E6							
Jan 12 18:22:05 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): Licensed for 4 devices							
Jan 12 18:22:06 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): Updating length of 0 abandoned recordi	igs						
Jan 12 18:22:08 dvr bc-server[882]: I(): finished processing abandoned recordin	32						
Jan 12 18:22:16 dvr bc-server[882]: E(1/dahau): Failed to open stream. Error: -	10 (Connection timed out)						
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Bluecherry Server Log •	Bottom lines to load	Scroll to bottom					

2.9 Admin password reset procedure

In case you've lost or forgot Bluecherry server Admin password, you can change it to default in database.

mysql -u bluecherry -p bluecherry -e "update Users set password='b22dec1d6cfa580962f3a3796 salt='1234' where username='Admin';"

This resets the login to Admin and the password to bluecherry

CHAPTER 3

Adding network (IP) cameras

Bluecherry supports several different ways to add network (IP) cameras.

Most newer IP cameras support ONVIF detection, allowing us to scan your local network and automatically add them to your setup. If a camera isn't detected you can try adding the camera by make / model as listed below. You will need to know the IP address, login and password for the IP camera.

Tip: Always make sure your IP cameras are set to a static IP. If the IP camera is setup with dynamic (DHCP) and the IP address changes Bluecherry will not be able to connect to the IP camera.

3.1 Adding network (IP) cameras via auto detection (ONVIF - Version 3 and newer)

Select 'Discover IP Cameras'



ONVIF supported IP cameras will be listed below. We will attempt to add the camera using default administrator passwords.

Select the camera(s) you wish to add then click 'Add selected cameras'

Discover IP Cameras

192.168.86.125	Lorex LNZ32P12
□ 192.168.86.29	Dahua IPC-HDBW4431R-ZS
192.168.86.53	Amcrest IP8M-2496E
192.168.86.200	HIKVISION%20DS-2CD2742FWD-IZS DS-2CD2742FWD-IZS

3.2 Adding network (IP) cameras by make / model

Select Devices from the menu

Select 'Add cameras'

Q Discover IP Cameras +

+ Add an IP Camera

Please choose manufacturer	Vivotek ~
Please choose model	V Please choose model
	AB5353H
Camera name	AF5127
	AF5127V
Camera IP or Host	BB5116
	BB5315
Username	BD5115
o some mene	BD5336
Password	BS5332E
Password	CC8130
	Default
advanced settings	FD7131
	FD7132
	FD7141
	FD8131
	FD8131V
	FD8133
Report incorrect information	FD8133V

Tip: With the exception of cheaper (rebranded / eBay) cameras most manufacturers have the same RTSP path for all models. If the exact model is not shown try another model that is close.

Devices -> Add an IP cameras

Add an IP Camera

▲ Is your IP camera not in the list? We maintain a larger list of MJPEG and RTSP pa your camera.	ths here. If you run into problems, please https://www.bluecherrydvr.com/chat/join us on Slack (https://www.bluecherrydvr.o	om/chat/) and we'll try to add support for
Please choose manufacturer	Please choose manufacturer	
Camera name		
Camera IP or Host		
Username		
Password		
advanced settings		
	✓ Add camera	

The camera name is shared throughout Bluecherry, you can change this later if you decide. Add the host or IP address (IP address is preferred), username and password then click 'Add camera'

Verify your camera is connected by clicking on 'Logs' on the left menu and look for lines similiar to:

bc-server[241]: I(2/1(IP ADDRESS)): Stream started: Video: h264 (High), yuv420p(tv, bt709, progressive), 1920x1080 [SAR 1:1 DAR 16:9], 1/90000(s) 1001/60000(c)

If you see an error regarding '404' it means the RTSP path is incorrect.

3.3 Adding network (IP) cameras as generic (RTSP / MJPEG)

If the previous two steps fail, you can add the camera as a 'generic' IP camera. You will need to know the RTSP URL (a Google search for the model and 'RTSP path' will usually provide you this information). You will also need to know the IP address, login and password for the IP camera.

Please choose manufacturer	Generic	~
Camera name		
Camera IP or Host		
Username		
Password		
advanced settings		
Video stream source	RTSP	~
Path to RTSP		
RTSP Port	554	
Transport	ТСР	~
Substream path		
ONVIF port	80	ONVIF Probe & Autoconfigure
	✓ Add camera	

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CHAPTER 4

ONVIF motion event triggering

4.1 What is ONVIF?

ONVIF is a universal way for software developers / manufactures to connect to modern IP cameras and recorders.

We currently support ONVIF camera detection (scanning for IP cameras on the same physical network) and ONVIF motion event triggering.

Motion event triggering, also known as 'camera side motion detection' greatly reduces the CPU usage on your Bluecherry server. However, it requires configuration on each IP camera and in the Bluecherry settings.

4.2 Setup event triggering

Browse to the camera you wish to enable for ONVIF detection and select 'Schedule'.

Select 'Use device-specific schedule for this camera.' and 'Trigger recording on ONVIF events'.

Then select 'Trigger' in the scheduling checkbox and click 'Fill all', or whatever schedule you wish to enable for your system.

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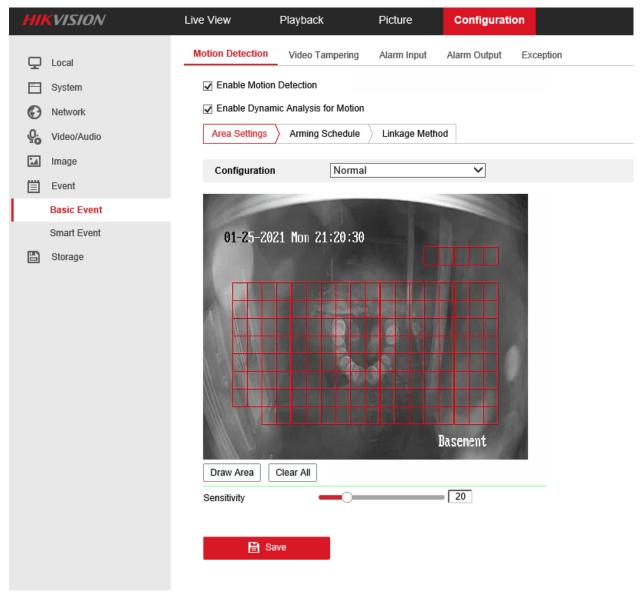
Then click 'Save changes'

Check the Bluecherry log (System Log) or from the command line 'tail -f /var/log/bluecherry.log'

4.3 On camera Setup

Connect to the IP camera's web interface, or click IP Camera -> Settings -> On Camera Configuration'

Each camera will be different. You will want to search for 'Events' or 'Motion'. Most cameras will have the option to draw an area on the screen where you want to enable motion detection notifications. Below is an example from an Hikvision:



4.4 Verifying Configuration

If the camera supports ONVIF detection and you followed the steps correctly you will see something similar to these lines:

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Jan 25 20:34:54 x5 bc-server[18037]: I(8/Back deck): Switching to new recording schedule 'triggered' Jan 25 20:34:54 x5 bc-server[18037]: I(8/Back deck): Starting onvif events thread 2119984896 for device 8 ... Jan 25 20:34:54 x5 bc-server[18037]: I(8/Back deck): Subscribed to ONVIF events at http://192.168.86.200/onvif/Events/ PullSubManager_2021-01-26T02:34:54Z_0 '

When a motion event occurs the log should show:

' Jan 25 20:35:15 x5 bc-server[18037]: I(8/Back deck): Marking the passed packet with TriggerFlag '

CHAPTER 5

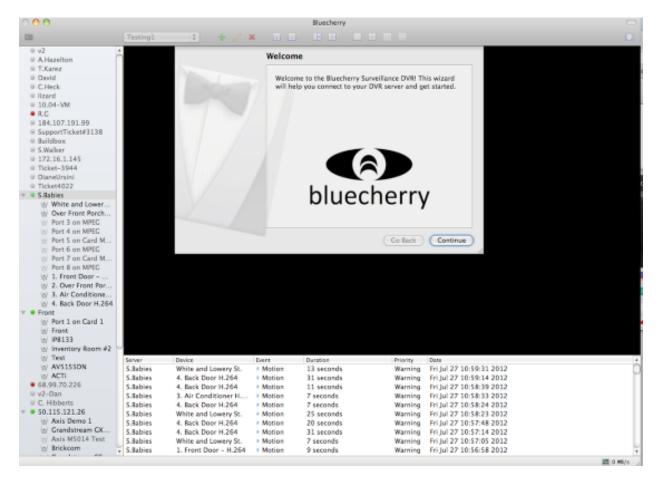
Setup of Bluecherry client

Client installation

5.1 Installation

5.2 Connecting to a server

The next three steps will allow you to easily connect to an existing Bluecherry installation.



Enter the hostname or IP address of the Bluecherry server. The default login and password for new installations is 'Admin' and 'bluecherry' (no quotes). You can optionally click 'Use default' to have this information automatically entered for you.

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Deer		nection to your remote any number of servers,	
	Hostname:	172.16.1.123	Port: 7001
	Name:	172.16.1.123	
	Username:	Admin	<u>Use Default</u>
	Password:	bluecherry	Save password
		Connect automatic	ally at startup
Y	🖌 Fo	gin successful! Click	Finish to continue.
		Skip	Go Back Finish

Finish by clicking 'close'

1	Let's Go!
	 Here's some tips on how to get started: Cameras are shown on the left. You can double-click or drag a camera into the live view area to view it Use the buttons above the live view to create, save, and switch layouts - even with cameras from multiple servers! Double-click on a server to open its configuration page in a new window, where you can configure cameras and recordings Click the events icon () to open the event browser and watch or save recordings
	If you need help, browse our online documentation through the Help menu at the top of the window.

5.3 Adding your first server

The Bluecherry client can connect to multiple Bluecherry servers.

Server Help

Add new server...

Options

Quit

No

Carmera

No

Carmera

No

Inside the client click 'Add new server'

Enter your the name of the DVR, the hostname, and the login / password information for the Bluecherry version 2 system you are connecting to. The default port is 7001. You can add as many servers as you prefer to the client.

The default login for a new server is 'Admin' and 'bluecherry'.

If you are connecting remotely to a server behind a firewall or NAT make sure ports 7001 and 7002 are open.

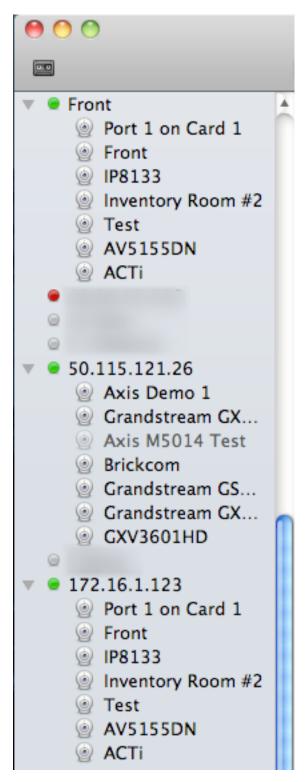
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DVR Servers	
	I
DVR Server Hostn	ame Username
New Server	
Names Disselection design	
Name: Bluecherry demo Username: Admin	
Hostname: 192.168.1.136 7001 Password: bluecherry	
Add Server Delete	Apply

Once you select 'Apply' the client will automatically connect to the server. All cameras that are enabled and that you have access to will populate on the left side. All events will populate on the bottom part of the screen.

 Bluecherry 			- 612
Application Server Help			
Bluecherry demo – Front PTZ	Default 💌 🖃 🖃 🔛 🔛		
- @ Front Door			
- 🗑 Front Lobby			
- @ Halway			
Shipping room			
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	Camera	Camera	Camera
	C UluecherryClient	? ×	
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			No
			Camera
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	Hostname: 192.168.1.136 7001	Password:	
	Add Server Delete	Apply 2	No
	Camera	Camera	Camera
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	Motion @ Hallway, Bluecherry deno		Thu Dec 2 09:47:03 2010
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5.4 Adding cameras to the live view

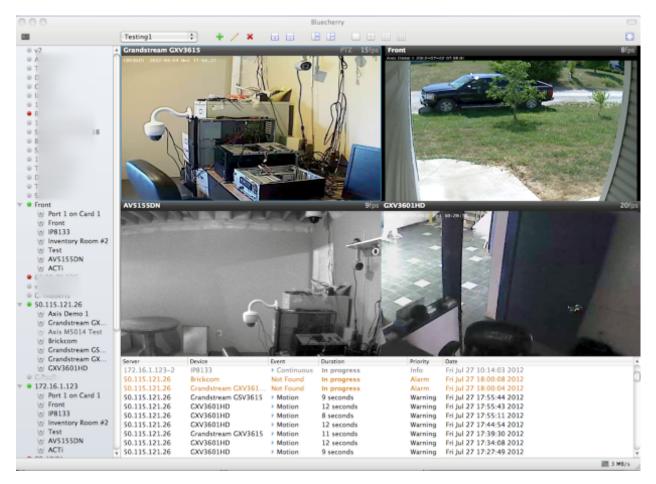
Once you have successfully connected to a Bluecherry server the list of available cameras will be displayed on the left.



Drag and drop cameras onto the live view area

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 Port 1 on Card 1 Front 							
P8133	Server	Device	Ð	vent	Duration	Priority	Date

Select any camera from the left and drag it into the layout.



You can repeat this process or any camera or DVR that you have listed on the left side. Note: It's possible to connect as many clients together as you need, and mix and match the videos in different layouts.

Audio

Cameras with audio stream available are marked with the blue speaker icon. You can turn on audio by selecting "Enable audio" in the right-click menu of the selected camera.



When audio is enabled on one camera, it is disabled on all others, only the single camera stream can be listened at the same time.

If your camera supports audio, but the speaker icon does not appear in the live view area, please check that "Enable audio" checkbox is checked in camera properties of the Bluecherry server administration interface and audio stream is enabled in camera's own settings.

5.5 Layouts

We support several different methods of viewing your cameras. First, it's possible to create as many layouts as you need. For example, you are a school resource officer who wants to only watch the hallways of your school that has two Bluecherry DVR systems installed. You can create a new layout



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First drag and drop the cameras into the layout that you prefer. Then click 'New Layout' and create a name for the new layout and click ok.

🔛 Create camera layout 🛛 💡					
Enter a name for the nev	v camera layout:				
High School Hallway					
ОК	Cancel				

Pre-defined layouts

We provide four pre-defined layouts as seen in the box above. These are one channel, four channel, nine channel and sixteen channel layouts.



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5.6 Using Pan / Tilt / Zoom enabled cameras

A screen cast has been setup overviewing how to use the Pan / Tilt / Zoom options in Version 2.

https://www.youtu.be/-4YeH3UCUCA

5.7 Viewing previously recorded events

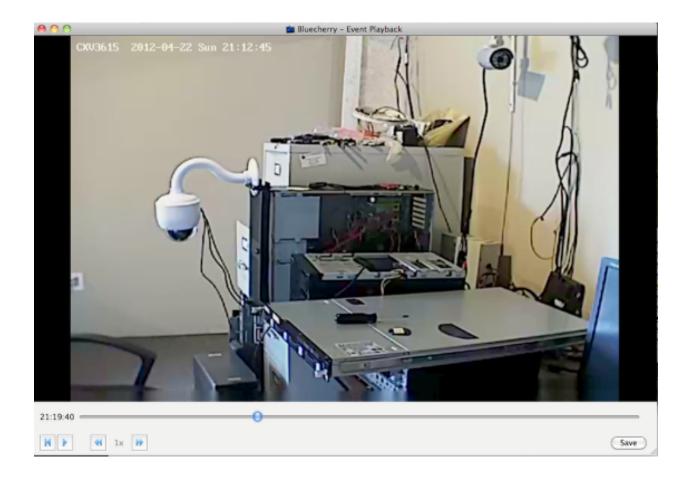
By default all events from all connected servers will display in this list. Cameras that are enabled but can not be accessed (camera offline, etc) will be highlighted in orange and in the Event column it will be listed as 'Not Found'

68.99.70.226 92-Dan C. Hibberts 50.115.121.26 W Aris Demo 1 Grandstream GX W Aris M5014 Test W Brickom Grandstream GS Grandstream GS GCV3601HD 172.16.1.123 172.16.1.123 W Part Lon Card 1	Front FTZ			1 pr			9/pa
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@ Front	172.16.1.123	Inventory Room #2	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:24:25 2012	
P8133	172.16.1.123	Port 1 on Card 1	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:24:04 2012	
Inventory Room #2	172.16.1.123	AirCam	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:24:03 2012	
1 Test	172.16.1.123	ACTI	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:24:02 2012	
W AVS155DN	172.16.1.123	IP8133	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:23:57 2012	
ACTi	172.16.1.123	AV5155DN	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:23:17 2012	
@ AirCam	172.16.1.123	AV\$155DN	Not Found	13 seconds	Alarm	Tue Aug 14 12:23:04 2012	
88-UNIV	172.16.1.123	AV5155DN	Continuous	55 seconds	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:22:09 2012	
© F.Smith	50.115.121.26	Grandstream GXV3615	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 21:19:40 2012	
Demo-24	172.16.1.123	Front	Motion	13 seconds	Warning	Tue Aug 14 12:19:27 2012	
							III 204+KB/s

Hovering over an event will show detailed information about that event

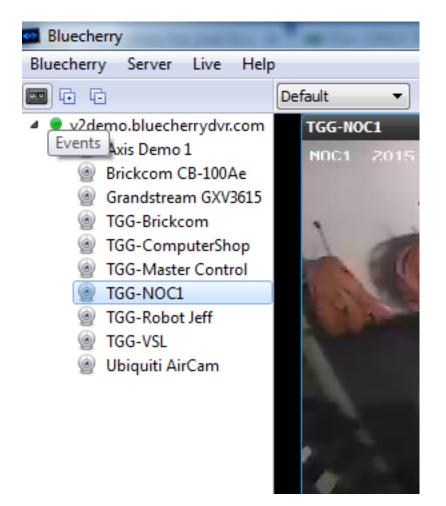
Server	Device	Event	Duration	Priority	Date	4
172.16.1.123	Inventory Room #2	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:24:25 2012	
172.16.1.123	Port 1 on Card 1	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:24:04 2012	
172.16.1.123	AirCam	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:24:03 2012	
172.16.1.123	ACTI	Continuous	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:24:02 2012	
172.16.1.123	IP8133	Continuous	in progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:23:57 2012	
172.16.1.123	AV5155DN	Continuous	in progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:23:17 2012	
172.16.1.123	AV5155DN	Not Found	13 seconds	Alarm	Tue Aug 14 12:23:04 2012	
172.16.1.123	AVS155DN Not Found (Alarm) JOUS	55 seconds	Info	Tue Aug 14 12:22:09 2012	
50.115.121.26	Grandstream GX AV5155DN	on 172.16.1.123 JOUS	In progress	Info	Tue Aug 14 21:19:40 2012	
172.16.1.123	Front Tue Aug 14	12:23:04 2012	13 seconds	Warning	Tue Aug 14 12:19:27 2012	*
						214-KB/s

Double clicking on the event will pull up the video. At this point you can play and fast forward / rewind the event.

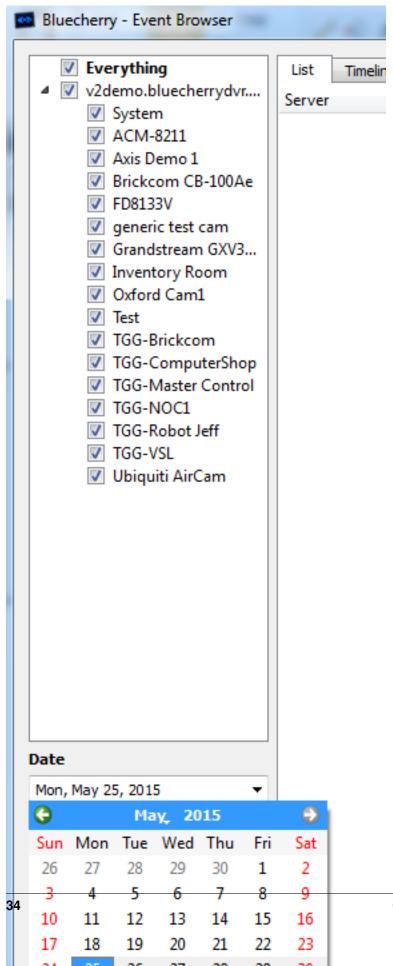


5.8 Searching events

By default the list of events under the main live view window are limited to just a few hours. To access all of the events select 'Events' in the top left corner of the UI.



From the screen below you can select the camera(s) you want to view events on, along with the date. You can also filter by event types (motion, continuous, alarm, etc)



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Once you select the date click **Load events**, this is a very important step, otherwise the server will not display any events.

CHAPTER 6

Developer documentation

API

Using the Bluecherry API to control or view a camera requires knowing the device ID. Currently this can be found in the XML file.

Note: The XML file will only generate the device IDs that the user has access to. Make sure you have access to all cameras, or that you are using an administrator login if you plan on controlling all cameras.

https://login:password@bluecherry-server/ajax/devices.php?XML=true&short=true

6.1 Live viewing

RTSP (TCP) connection

rtsp://login:password@bluecherry-server:7002/live/\$deviceid

Return Multi-part JPEG (MJPEG)

Once you obtain the device id, you can obtain a multi-part JPEG image from this URL:

https://login:password@bluecherry-server/media/mjpeg.php? id={camera_id}&multipart=true

Return single image (JPEG)

Obtain one image from the server: https://login:password@bluecherry-server/media/mjpeg.php?id={camera_id}

6.2 Controlling PTZ cameras

Below is a example URL for controlling a Pan / Tilt / Zoom camera through the Bluecherry API.

https://login:password@bluecherry-server/media/ptz.php?id={camera_id}&command={command}&par

Supported Pan / Tilt / Zoom commands:

query – display XML with camera information/PTZ capabilities and presets move – pan/tilt/zoom using parameters stop – stop movement save – save present rename – rename a preset go – go to specified preset clear – clear preset

Pan / Tilt / Zoom Variables:

 $preset_id - id of the preset preset_name -new preset name speed: pan/tilt speed pan_command:(l)eft /@ight tilt_command:(u)p /(d)own zoom_command:(t)ight /(w)ide duration:for how long to execute command; -1 for continuous$

6.3 Trigger recordings

Trigger recording:

```
https://login:password@bluecherry-server:7001/media/trigger.php?
camera_id={camera_id}&description=TEST
```

Camera must be set to Trigger ('T') in the recording schedule. Description will show in the logs that a trigger was recording with the description you inserted.