

Camera Recording Checklist

A working Live View does not prove that usable footage is being saved. Record the complete setup before buying.

01 Define the job before choosing a package

Camera model / generation / camera count

Exact hub or module / included or separate

Need: event clips or continuous timeline?

Required behavior if internet is unavailable

02 Verify the complete recording path and cost

Clip destination / supported card or drive

Plan required? Trial expiry / ongoing terms

Up-front: cameras + hub + media + power

Recurring charges / billing period / source date

Local storage, cloud backup, live viewing and continuous recording are different functions. Confirm each for the exact camera, module, region and plan; a free trial is not a permanent recording plan.

03 Record an owner setup check before relying on it

- ☐ Live View works at the planned location with the intended power and network.
- ☐ An intentional motion event creates a clip under the chosen recording settings.
- ☐ The saved clip can be found and played; camera name, time and view are useful.
- ☐ The clip came from the intended storage source, not an unnoticed trial route.
- ☐ Repeat the saved-clip check after a trial ends or the storage setup changes.

Date / setup / result / unresolved issue

This is a buyer and owner checklist, not our test result or an offline-operation claim. No particular camera is guaranteed to pass. Follow its current setup and privacy guidance.