

License information

AXIS Camera Station VMS 5, Pro, Edge



		ACS VERSION 5	ACS PRO (installed on Axis NVRs)	ACS PRO (installed on third-party and virtual machines)	ACS EDGE
Licence information	Licence	One device is one licence, all features included	One device is one licence, all features included	One device is one licence, all features included	No additional cost, included with Axis device
	Software maintenance	None	None, all future updates included for lifetime of NVR	None, all updates included during licence period (1 or 5 year)	None, any future updates included
Recording	Recording platform	Windows	Windows	Windows	Linux (AXIS OS)
	Camera limit	None	None	None	None
	Primary storage options	AXIS S12 and AXIS S22 NVRs, third-party servers, virtual environments	AXIS S12 NVRs and AXIS S21/S22 Appliances	Third-party server or virtual machine environment	AXIS S30 NVRs and AXIS SD Cards
Redundant cloud storage	Axis cloud storage	No	Yes, available per camera. Additional yearly cost.	Yes, available per camera. Additional yearly cost.	Yes, available per camera. Additional yearly cost.
Device compatibility	Axis network cameras	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Axis video encoders	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Axis network audio	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Axis strobe sirens	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Axis network intercoms	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Axis access control	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	Axis radar	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	Axis I/O units	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	Axis body worn cameras	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Third-party cameras	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	
Software features	Maps	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	AXIS Object Analytics search capability	Yes	Yes	Yes	Limited - AOA alarms can trigger events in ACS Edge
	AXIS Object Analytics dashboard	No	Yes	Yes	No
	Axis Similarity Search	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	AXIS License Plate Verifier	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	Axis Video Redaction	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
System design	Online design tool	AXIS Site Designer - total system design	AXIS Site Designer - total system design	AXIS Site Designer - total system design	AXIS Site Designer - total system design
Local user options	Web browser	No	Yes, both offline (no internet connection) and online	Yes, both offline (no internet connection) and online	Yes, must have internet connection
	PC client	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Mobile app	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Cloud user options	Axis Device Management	No	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.
	Live camera view and control, recording exporting	No	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.
	User management	No	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.	Yes, via Axis MySystems web portal. Site by site control included in licence.
	AXIS Camera Station Center for aggregated user, device, and system management	No	Yes, additional cost per device. Unlocks multisite aggregation in Axis MySystems	Yes, additional cost per device. Unlocks multisite aggregation in Axis MySystems	Yes, additional cost per device. Unlocks multisite aggregation in Axis MySystems