

AXIS Q3538-LVE Dome Camera

Advanced 8 MP dome with deep learning

With superior 4K resolution, Lightfinder 2.0, Forensic WDR, and OptimizedIR, AXIS Q3538-LVE delivers outstanding image quality even in the harshest weather and environments. The IR-shielded dome prevents IR reflections ensuring clear, sharp video every time. Built on ARTPEC-8, it offers advanced features and powerful applications based on deep learning. For instance, AXIS Object Analytics comes preinstalled offering highly nuanced object classification. Enclosed in a metal casing, this robust camera features redundant power, sensors for intrusion- and shock detection, and built-in cybersecurity features such as Axis Edge Vault and a FIPS 140-2 level 2 certified Trusted Platform Module (TPM).

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Camera	
Image sensor	1/1.2" progressive scan RGB CMOS
Lens	Varifocal, 6.2–12.9 mm, F1.6–2.9 Horizontal field of view: 103°–49° Vertical field of view: 56°–28° Varifocal, Remote focus and zoom, P-Iris control, IR corrected
Day and night	Automatically removable infrared-cut filter
Minimum illumination	Color: 0.07 lux at 50 IRE, F1.6 B/W: 0 lux at 50 IRE, F1.6
Shutter speed	1/66500 s to 2 s
Camera angle adjustment	Pan ±180°, tilt -43 to +80°, rotation ±175°
System on chip (SoC)	
Model	ARTPEC-8
Memory	2048 MB RAM, 8194 MB Flash
Compute capabilities	Deep learning processing unit (DLPU)
Video	
Video compression	H.264 (MPEG-4 Part 10/AVC) Baseline, Main and High Profiles H.265 (MPEG-H Part 2/HEVC) Main Profile Motion JPEG
Resolution	Up to 3840x2160
Frame rate	With WDR: 25/30 fps with power line frequency 50/60 Hz Without WDR: 50/60 fps with power line frequency 50/60 Hz
Video streaming	Multiple, individually configurable streams in H.264, H.265 and Motion JPEG Axis Zipstream technology in H.264 and H.265 Controllable frame rate and bandwidth VBR/ABR/MBR H.264/H.265 Low latency mode Video streaming indicator
Multi-view streaming	Up to 8 individually cropped out view areas
Image settings	Saturation, contrast, brightness, sharpness, Forensic WDR: Up to 120 dB depending on scene, white balance, day/night threshold, tone mapping, exposure mode, exposure zones, defogging, barrel distortion correction, electronic image stabilization, compression, rotation: 0°, 90°, 180°, 270° including Corridor Format, mirroring, text and image overlay, dynamic text and image overlay, privacy masks, polygon privacy mask
Pan/Tilt/Zoom	Digital PTZ, optical zoom, preset positions Limited guard tour, control queue, on-screen directional indicator Tour recording (max 10, max duration 16 minutes each), guard tour (max 100) 2x optical zoom
Audio	
Audio streaming	Two-way, full duplex
Audio encoding	24bit LPCM, AAC-LC 8/16/48 kHz, G.711 PCM 8 kHz, G.726 ADPCM 8 kHz, Opus 8/16/48 kHz Configurable bit rate
Audio input/output	External microphone input or line input (balanced or unbalanced), line output, digital audio input, automatic gain control Microphone power: Microphone power 5V on tip, ring power 12V on ring, phantom power 12V on tip/ring
Network	
Security	IP address filtering, HTTPS ^a encryption, IEEE 802.1x (EAP-TLS) ^a network access control, user access log, centralized certificate management
Network protocols	IPv4, IPv6 USGv6, ICMPv4/ICMPv6, HTTP, HTTPS ^a , HTTP/2, TLS ^a , QoS Layer 3 DiffServ, FTP, SFTP, CIFS/SMB, SMTP, mDNS (Bonjour), UPnP [®] , SNMP v1/v2c/v3 (MIB-II), DNS/DNSv6, DDNS, NTP, NTS, RTSP, RTCP, RTP, SRTP/RTSPS, TCP, UDP, IGMPv1/v2/v3, DHCPv4/v6, ARP, SSH, SIP, LLDP, CDP, MQTT v3.1.1, Secure syslog (RFC 3164/5424, UDP/TCP/TLS), Link-Local address (ZeroConf)
System integration	
Application Programming Interface	Open API for software integration, including VAPIX [®] and AXIS Camera Application Platform; specifications at axis.com One-click cloud connection (O3C) ONVIF [®] Profile G, ONVIF [®] Profile M, ONVIF [®] Profile S, and ONVIF [®] Profile T specification at onvif.org
Onscreen controls	Electronic image stabilization Day/night shift Defogging Wide dynamic range Video streaming indicator IR illumination Heater
Event conditions	Analytics, external input, supervised external input, edge storage events, virtual inputs through API Audio: audio detection, audio clip playing Call: state, state change Device status: above operating temperature, above or below operating temperature, below operating temperature, IP address removed, network lost, new IP address, shock detected, casing open, storage failure, system ready, within operating temperature Digital audio: digital signal contains Axis metadata, digital signal has invalid sample rate, digital signal missing, digital signal okay Edge storage: recording ongoing, storage disruption, storage health issues detected I/O: digital input, manual trigger, virtual input MQTT subscribe MQTT: stateless Scheduled and recurring: schedule Video: tampering, average bitrate degradation, day-night mode, live stream open
Event actions	I/O: toggle I/O once, toggle I/O while the rule is active Record video: SD card and network share Upload of images or video clips: FTP, SFTP, HTTP, HTTPS, network share and email Pre- and post-alarm video or image buffering for recording or upload Notification: email, HTTP, HTTPS, TCP and SNMP trap Calls: end SIP call, make SIP call, answer call MQTT publish Overlay text, external output activation, play audio clip, zoom preset, day/night mode, make call, flash status LED, use lights, set defog mode, send MQTT publish message, set WDR mode
Built-in installation aids	Leveling assistant, straighten image, image grid, pixel counter
Analytics	
AXIS Object Analytics	Object classes: humans, vehicles (types: cars, buses, trucks, bikes) Trigger conditions: line crossing, object in area, time in area ^{BETA} Up to 10 scenarios Metadata visualized with trajectories and color-coded bounding boxes Polygon include/exclude areas Perspective configuration ONVIF Motion Alarm event
Metadata	Object data: Classes: humans, faces, vehicles (types: cars, buses, trucks, bikes), license plates Confidence, position Event data: Producer reference, scenarios, trigger conditions
Applications	Included AXIS Object Analytics AXIS Video Motion Detection, active tampering alarm, audio detection Supported Support for AXIS Camera Application Platform enabling installation of third-party applications, see axis.com/acap
Cybersecurity	
Edge security	Software: Signed firmware, brute force delay protection, digest authentication, password protection, AES-XTS-Plain64 256bit SD card encryption Hardware: Secure boot, Axis Edge Vault with Axis device ID, signed video, secure keystore (CC EAL4+, FIPS 140-2 level 2 certified hardware protection of cryptographic operations and keys)

Network security	IEEE 802.1X (EAP-TLS) ^a , IEEE 802.1AR, HTTPS/HSTS ^a , TLS v1.2/v1.3 ^a , Network Time Security (NTS), X.509 Certificate PKI, IP address filtering
Documentation	<i>AXIS OS Hardening Guide</i> <i>Axis Vulnerability Management Policy</i> <i>Axis Security Development Model</i> AXIS OS Software Bill of Material (SBOM) AXIS OS Software Bill of Material (SBOM) To download documents, go to axis.com/support/cybersecurity/resources To read more about Axis cybersecurity support, go to axis.com/cybersecurity
General	
Casing	IP66-, IP6K9K-, NEMA 4X- and IK10+-rated Polycarbonate hard coated dome Aluminum and plastic casing, polycarbonate (PC) dome, sunshield (PC/ASA) Color: white NCS S 1002-B This product can be repainted For repainting instructions of casing and impact on warranty, contact your Axis partner.
Mounting	Mounting bracket with junction box holes (double-gang, single-gang, 4" square, and 4" octagon) ¾" (M25) conduit side entry
Sustainability	PVC free
Power	Power over Ethernet (PoE) IEEE 802.3at Type 2 Class 4 Typical 9 W, max 23 W 10–28 V DC, typical 9 W, max 24 W
Connectors	Shielded RJ45 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX/1000BASE-T PoE DC input, 3.5 mm mic/line in, 3.5 mm line out Terminal block for two configurable supervised inputs / digital outputs (12 V DC output, max load 50 mA)
IR illumination	OptimizedIR with power-efficient, long-life 850 nm IR LEDs Range of reach 40 m (130 ft) or more depending on the scene
Storage	Support for microSD/microSDHC/microSDXC card Support for SD card encryption (AES-XTS-Plain64 256bit) Recording to network-attached storage (NAS) For SD card and NAS recommendations see axis.com
Operating conditions	-50 °C to 55 °C (-58 °F to 131 °F) Maximum temperature according to NEMA TS 2 (2.2.7): 74 °C (165 °F)

	Start-up temperature: -40 °C (-40 °F) Humidity 10–100% RH (condensing)
Storage conditions	-40 °C to 65 °C (-40 °F to 149 °F) Humidity 5–95% RH (non-condensing)
Approvals	EMC CISPR 35, EN 50121-4, EN 55032 Class A, EN 55035, EN 61000-3-2, EN 61000-3-3, EN 61000-6-1, EN 61000-6-2, FCC Part 15 Subpart B Class A, ICES-3(A)/NMB-3(A), IEC 62236-4, KS C 9832 Class A, KS C 9835, RCM AS/NZS CISPR 32 Class A, VCCI Class A Safety CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 60950-22, CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 62368-1, IEC/EN/UL 62368-1, IEC/EN/UL 60950-22, IEC 62471, IS 13252 Environment IEC 60068-2-2, IEC 60068-2-6, IEC 60068-2-14, IEC 60068-2-27, IEC 60068-2-78, IEC/EN 60529 IP66, ISO 20653 IP6K9K, IEC/EN 62262 IK10+ (50J), NEMA 250 Type 4X, NEMA TS 2 (2.2.7-2.2.9) Network NIST SP500-267
Dimensions	Height: 124 mm (4.9 in), 184 mm (7.3 in) including weathershield ø 183 mm (7.2 in)
Weight	2.1 kg (4.6 lb) including weathershield
Included accessories	Installation guide, Windows® decoder 1-user license, drill hole template, terminal block connectors for DC and I/O, RESISTORX® L-key, connector guard, cable gasket, conduit adapter, mounting bracket, weathershield
Optional accessories	AXIS T8415 Wireless Installation Tool AXIS Surveillance Cards AXIS TQ3807-E Dome Smoked, AXIS T94M01D Pendant Kit For more accessories, see axis.com
Video management software	AXIS Companion, AXIS Camera Station, video management software from Axis Application Development Partners available at axis.com/vms
Languages	English, German, French, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Simplified Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Portuguese, Polish, Traditional Chinese
Warranty	5-year warranty, see axis.com/warranty

- a. This product includes software developed by the OpenSSL Project for use in the OpenSSL Toolkit. (openssl.org), and cryptographic software written by Eric Young (ey@cryptsoft.com).