

E-mail Alerts Setup

Setting up e-mail alerts involves two steps:

- 1) Setting up a sender e-mail account
- 2) Selecting cameras to receive alerts from

It is best to [create a new address](#) to use as a dedicated sending account. Gmail has been a reliable free service. This address will be the “Sender” account; the customer’s current address will receive e-mails from the sender account.

E-mail Settings

Configuration > Network Settings > Email

The screenshot shows the NVR configuration interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Live View', 'Playback', 'Log', and 'Configuration'. The left sidebar shows a tree view with 'Email' selected under 'Network Settings'. The main content area displays the 'Email Settings' configuration page with the following fields:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authentication	
User Name	senderacct@gmail.com
Password	*****
Confirm	*****
SMTP Server	smtp.gmail.com
SMTP Port	465 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable SSL
Interval	5s <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Attached Image
Sender	SenderAccount
Sender's Address	senderacct@gmail.com
Choose Receiver	Receiver1
Receiver	TheCustomer
Receiver's Address	customer@email.com

Buttons for 'Save' and 'Test' are located at the bottom of the configuration area.

The following configuration is an example of configuring the NVR to use a Gmail account (senderacct@gmail.com) to send e-mail to a customer (customer@email.com).

Note: The “Sender” and “Receiver” fields are just labels.

An Example Gmail Configuration

The screenshot shows the NVR configuration interface for the 'Email' section. The 'Email Settings' tab is selected. The configuration is as follows:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Authentication	
User Name	senderacct@gmail.com
Password	*****
Confirm	*****
SMTP Server	smtp.gmail.com
SMTP Port	465 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable SSL
Interval	5s <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Attached Image
Sender	SenderAccount
Sender's Address	senderacct@gmail.com
Choose Receiver	Receiver1
Receiver	TheCustomer
Receiver's Address	customer@email.com

Buttons for 'Save' and 'Test' are located at the bottom of the configuration area.

Click “Test” to make sure the information has been entered correctly.

Tip: You can use the “Email Schedule” tab to specify when to receive and not receive e-mail alerts.