



Installation Instructions for Software

Camera Systems: 120es, Professional, Personal, PVC-100, PVC-100C

Software Applications: 120es Application Suite and VCS (Visual Communication Suite)

Operating System: Windows NT

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Important!

If you are re-installing a driver or software application, you must first remove your current driver and software application files completely. This action is important because, it will make sure that there will be no conflicts with old files and that driver and application connect properly.

When you are ready to install the software, it's also important that you install the driver first; to make sure that the application can find the driver during installation.

If you know that there is no Pixera camera software installed on this computer, you can proceed to Software Installation.

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1.0 Remove Driver and Software Application

Important!

Remember to **Back-Up** your Pixera Album's before removing all Pixera driver and application files! Locate your Albums (Default location is C:\Program Files\Pixera) and move them to a temporary location on a separate drive or media. After the new installation, just move them back to previous location and all links between the album's and images should be intact.

Step 1. (Show all files and folders)

Highlight the My Computer icon on your desktop and "right click" with the mouse. Select Explore in the menu. In the new Explore window select View from the menu bar. In the View window select Show all files and click OK.

Step 2. (Devices)

Go to Control Panels and double click Devices. Scroll down in the list and look for a pixdrv file. Highlight the file and select Remove and press OK.

Step 3. (Add/Remove Programs)

Go to Control Panels and double click Add/Remove Programs. In the software list, scroll down and find Pixera Visual Communication Suite or Pixera Visual Communication Suite 2.6. Highlight the files, select Remove and press OK. If prompted to answer whether to remove all shared files, answer YES to all.

Step 4. (Find)

Click the Start button at the lower left corner on your desktop. Select Find and Files or Folders. Make sure you are searching in the correct drive. If you have one (1) hard drive it is labeled C drive.

1. Fill in warp95 in the text box. Press Find Now to start the search.

Possible search results: "warp95.vxd", "warp95.inf"

Highlight the files and select Delete in the File menu.

2. Fill in 120es in the text box. Press Find Now to start the search.

Possible search results: "120esPro.sys", "PIXERA 120 Application Suite", "120es25.isu"

Highlight the files matching and select Delete in the File menu.

3. Fill in pixdrv in the text box. Press Find Now to start the search.

Possible search results: "pixdrv"

Highlight the files matching and select Delete in the File menu.

4. Fill in pixcam in the text box. Press Find Now to start the search.

Possible search results: "PIXCAM"

Highlight the files matching and select Delete in the File menu.

5. Fill in pixera in the text box. Press Find Now to start the search.

Possible search results: "PIXERA Visual Communication Suite", "PIXERA 120es Application Suite", "PIXERA Album", "PIXERA Motion", "PIXERA Studio", "PIXERA StudioPro", "PIXERA Viewfinder", "PIXERA ViewfinderPro", "PIXERA", "Pixera.drv", "Pixera"

Highlight the files matching and select Delete in the File menu.

2.0 Software Installation

Please read our recommendations before you begin installing the driver and software application.

Recommendations

1. It is recommended to remove all 3rd party PCI or PCMCIA cards, such as Network Cards, Sound Cards, etc. to avoid conflicts except the Pixera Interface card while installing the new driver. After installation, just shut down the PC, insert the removed cards and restart the computer.
2. Desktop users: It is recommended to install the Pixera PCI card in slot 1 or the slot nearest to the CPU** on the motherboard to avoid communication problems with the card.
3. Notebook users: We recommend that you install the PCMCIA card in the top slot to avoid communication problems with the card. The LPT1 bottom slot does not work occasionally.
4. Make sure there is 100MB of free hard disk space for the complete software installation.
5. Make sure your camera system is connected before the installation begins. Never connect or disconnect your Pixera camera system if your computer is turned on.

**A small fan mounted on top often recognizes the CPU.

Installation Steps.

2.1 Driver Installation

2.2 Application Installation

2.1 Driver Installation (PCI & PCMCIA card)

Step 1.

Make sure you have full administrative rights in order to successfully install the new driver. Before you begin installing the software, shut down your computer and install the PCI or PCMCIA card including the camera.

Step 2.

Turn the computer on. Open the folder with the new driver files and start the installation process by double clicking the SETUP file. (Icon = computer w. blue display or if you click once with left button on the icon, it should say SETUP.EXE in the left margin)

Follow the installation instructions in the program by clicking Next and OK. Finally select “Yes, I want to restart my computer” and click Finish to restart the computer.

2.2 Application Installation (PCI & PCMCIA card)

Step 1.

There are several ways to install new software on your computer. We have chosen to guide you through one way that should be easy.

Install the CD-Rom or floppy disk 1 into respective disk drive. Open “My Computer” on your desktop and select the drive (CD-Rom drive or floppy drive) that keeps your installation files, by double clicking the icon.

Step 2.

Start the installation process by double clicking the SETUP file.



Step 3.

The installation process should begin automatically. Follow the installation procedure. If the setup program reports that it has found a file and asks if you want to overwrite it, click Yes.

When a panel asks if you want to enable Video for Windows, click OK to make the Pixera Video for Windows driver (Pixera.driv) the default video for Windows.

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