Ask The Experts: 3 Things to Consider before Installing a Video Surveillance **System**

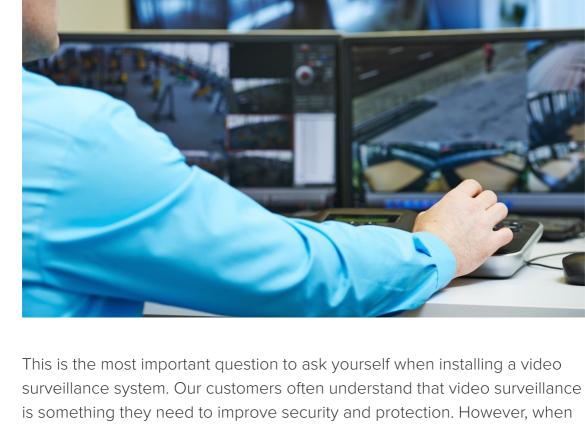
a video surveillance solution... It's more difficult to decide what type of system you need and how exactly you need it to work. We asked one of our expert system engineers for

It's easy to come to the conclusion that you want

advice he would give to organizations that are contemplating installing a video surveillance, but are unsure where to start. Here are the 3 main questions our engineering team recommends asking

1. What do you want to watch?

yourself before installing an IP video surveillance system:



There are two main focuses for video surveillance; employees, and visitors. Which do you need? As much as we don't like to admit, there are times when employee monitoring is necessary. Tools or equipment may come up missing, car

designing a system, they don't exactly know what they want to see.

question. In these situations, having a camera system available to tell a story can be essential in shaping a corporate culture where employees feel safe and valued, and for protecting corporate assets.

While most visitors are harmless, they are still a potential surveillance target.

Visitors, both planned and unplanned, can pose a risk to your corporate assets and employees. Vandals, irate customers, trespassers, and thieves are all cause for concern to any business. An IP video surveillance system

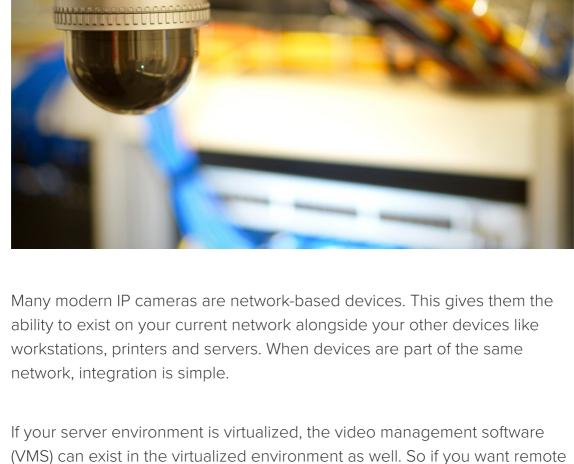
can play an integral part in deterring, identifying, and reacting to these

doors may get scuffed in the parking lot, or productivity may be called into

threats. When coupled with an alarm system and access control, IP video is an excellent addition to protecting and securing your building and employees. An EPS engineer will work to design a system to meet each customer's specific needs. For instance, if a customer needs cameras to work just as well at night or in dark areas as they do during the day, that will impact the type of camera we recommend.

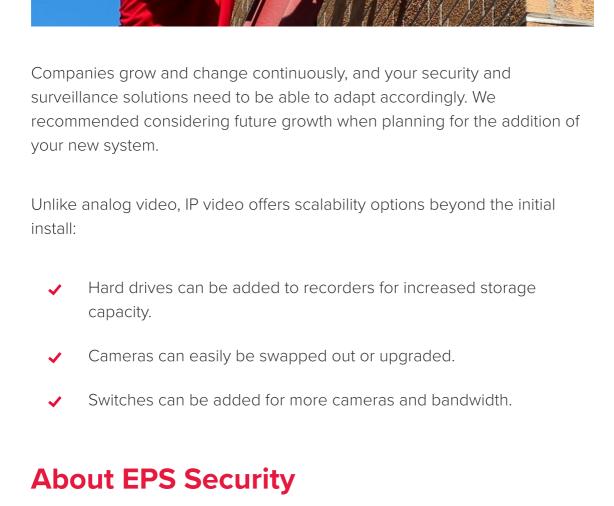
to view live feed from your security cameras.

2. What is your existing infrastructure?



3. Do you want a system that can grow and scale with your business?

access to your video surveillance system on your phone or tablet, it can be done through your existing internet connection. Remote access allows you



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