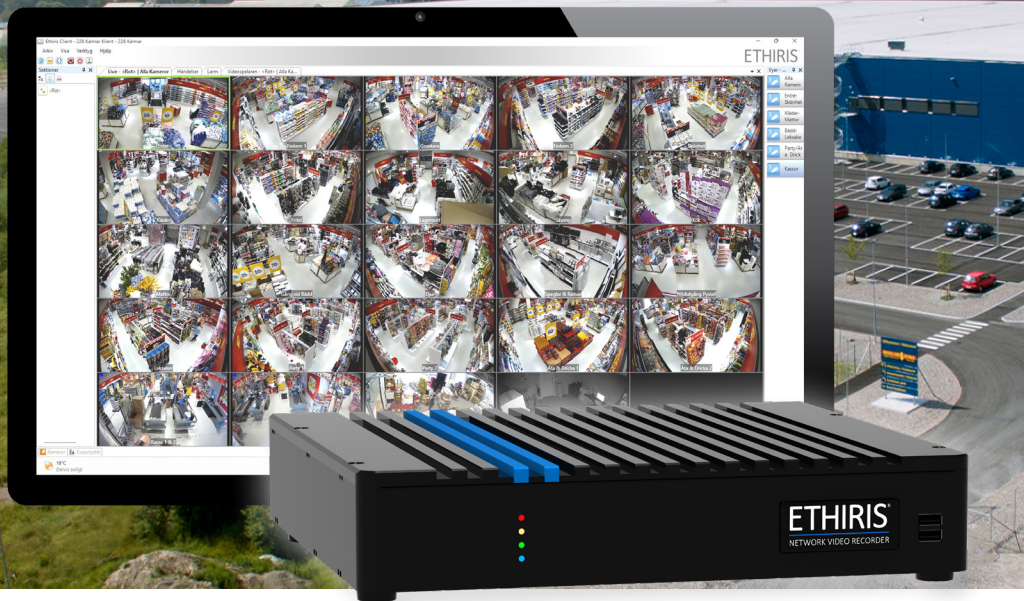


Dollars requires world-class video surveillance - Ethis NVR



IN BRIEF

DollarStore has chosen Ethis VMS and Ethis NVR when upgrading the surveillance system. The result is a world-class system where the foundation is a stable platform that is easy to use.

DollarStore has about 130 stores, about 1,300 employees and is Sweden's fastest growing discount chain.

When DollarStore wanted to upgrade their existing surveillance system, TKK Stockholm Security Installation AB recommended them to use Ethis NVR from Kentima. They work continuously to replace existing systems in the Swedish stores and at the main warehouse in Örebro. With Ethis NVR and cameras, security is maintained for both customers and staff.

TKK Stockholm Security Installation AB proposed a professional video surveillance system from Kentima consisting of powerful, cost-effective and reliable Ethis VMS/NVR, in response to the request DollarStore has issued. The existing system is gradually being replaced with products from Kentima, while taking the opportunity to upgrade to new cameras.

Stockholm Security has extensive experience of security and innovative solutions. Their high competence in combination with quickly finding effective and good solutions for various problems are strengths worth mentioning. They are completely manufacturer-independent and they work with everything from access control, camera surveillance and fire protection to creative solutions for door phones. Stockholm Security is a partner to Kentima and the collaboration between the companies has been going on for a long time.

DollarStore currently has about 130 stores in Sweden and is the fastest growing discount chain, with stores from Gällivare in the north to Trelleborg in the south. The success concept began in a small scrub at the Ahlberg family's home in Sundsvall, and the first store of 400 sqm

opened in 1999 in Billsta, just outside Örnköldsvik. The retail space has grown continuously and each individual store now has an area of 3,000–4,200 square meters. DollarStore has approximately 1,300 employees and is headquartered in Kista, Stockholm.

"Kentima has developed a stable platform, been responsive to the customer's needs and customized the system.

This is a big reason why DollarStore and we chose Ethis NVR", says Kristoffer Lindholm, Project Manager, TKK Stockholm Security Installation AB.

Ethis NVR units (Network Video Recorder) are used as servers for connection to, among other things, all cameras in the store and provide the possibility of a large number of functions for video surveillance. Among other things, for recording/playback of video to externally connected Ethis clients.

DollarStore has a high security mindset and the surveillance is part of the security system where you retrieve video from the servers in case of incidents, such as shoplifting and theft.

The video surveillance system Ethis VMS from Kentima helps to reduce theft and fraud, but it also works preventively to protect customers and staff from violence. By combining Ethis NVR with intelligent cameras with video analysis such as motion detection and people

counters in entrances, opportunities are also obtained to collect data and use the technology as a tool to optimize, for example, staffing in the store and thus increase profitability.

"Ethis VMS/NVR has a broad spectrum of what you can do, it is flexible and with few limitations. Advantageous is the simplicity for the user to explore Ethis itself, which suits us perfectly", says Daniel Leinar, Security Manager, DollarStore.

At present, about 70 stores are in operation and about 1,700 cameras are installed. Thanks to the performance of the central Ethis client, the IT security department at the head office gets access to all stores, which is an advantage for effective security work. They have a basic set consisting of an Ethis NVR-1 with up to 32 cameras or an Ethis NVR-2 with up to 64 cameras, since the need for cameras and performance varies between stores.

DollarStore has chosen to install the absolute best system to obtain a professional video surveillance with a wide selection of attractive products with high functionality, performance and quality. The platform offers and opens up to expand the system. Among other things, by taking in signals from other systems in the stores for future integration.

Kentima's support is always on hand and we know what they are made of, any problems were solved quickly and efficiently, Kristoffer at Stockholm Security continues.



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