



Frequently Asked Questions:

Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera

This FAQ applies to the Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera.

What are the key features of the Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera?

- 2K Video with HDR
- Motion Detection Alerts
- Color Night Vision
- Noise-Canceling Audio
- Integrated Spotlight
- Integrated Siren
- Dual Band Wi-Fi
- Arlo SecureLink Connectivity
- Low Power Mode

Is the Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera completely wire-free? Yes. The cameras are fully wire-free and powered with a removable rechargeable battery.

How do I charge/recharge my Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera? You can charge and recharge the camera with the Indoor Magnetic Charging Cable that is included with the camera.

You can also use the Arlo Outdoor Magnetic Charging Cable¹ or Arlo Solar Panel Charger¹ to keep your camera outdoors with continuous power.



What is the minimum upload bandwidth speed required for the Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera?

You must have a high-speed Internet connection that can sustain a minimum of 2 Mbps upload per Arlo Essential Outdoor Camera.

Do I need an Arlo SmartHub or Base Station to use Arlo Pro 5S Spotlight Camera?

No. An Arlo SmartHub or Base Station is optional. You can connect Arlo Pro 5S directly to your Wi-Fi router.

Can I use the Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera indoors and outdoors?

Yes. Arlo Pro 5S can be used indoors and is weather resistant for outdoor use. The included magnetic charging cable is for indoor use only. If you wish to charge your camera outside, you must use the Outdoor Magnetic Charging Cable or Solar Panel Charger.

Am I able to mount my Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera from my ceiling?

Yes. You can use the included mount or a Magnetic Wall Mount¹ to mount your Pro 5S camera on the ceiling. If you use a Total Security Mount¹, you can purchase a Ceiling Adapter to mount your camera from the ceiling.

¹Sold separately

What should I consider when finding a place to install the Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera?

The best placement for your Arlo camera varies by household and environment.

Things to consider when placing your camera:

- Making sure objects are not too close to the camera
- Height and aim of your camera
- Wi-Fi signal strength



Does Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera have 2K resolution?

Yes. Arlo Pro 5S features 2K (2560x1440) resolution at 16:9 aspect ratio.

Does the Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera have High Dynamic Range (HDR)?

Yes. HDR solves the problem with over or under exposed images with both bright and dark areas in the same picture. Arlo Pro 5S automatically determines when to use HDR.

How wide is the viewing angle on Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera? The lens is a 160-degree diagonal lens with a matching wide range for motion detection.

Does the Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera have color night vision?

Yes. The camera includes color night vision to view critical details in low light conditions.

Does Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera have an integrated spotlight?

Yes. The spotlight turns on in low-light settings. You can also manually turn it on or off.

Does Arlo Pro 5S 2K Spotlight Camera have an integrated siren?

Yes. A siren sound plays directly from the camera. It can be set to trigger manually or automatically with motion or audio detection.

Does Arlo Pro 5S support full two-way audio?

Yes. Arlo Pro 5S has full two-way conversational audio.

What is Arlo SecureLink Connectivity?

Arlo SecureLink is a technology that uses the sub-GHz wireless communication to communicate between Arlo devices. The Arlo Security Keypad Sensor Hub¹ uses Arlo SecureLink to talk with devices such as the Arlo All-in-One Sensor¹, and the Arlo Pro 5S Camera.

¹ Sold separately

Does Arlo Pro 5S include an Arlo Secure trial?

Yes. Arlo Pro 5S comes with a trial of Arlo Secure.

Does 2K recording require a subscription?

Arlo Pro 5S cameras come with an Arlo Secure trial that allows 2K streaming and cloud recording. When your trial expires, you will need to renew the subscription to continue 2K cloud recording.

Can I use my Arlo Essential Outdoor Camera 2K (2nd Generation) to crosstrigger other Arlo cameras?

Yes. You can set your other Arlo cameras to record when your Arlo Essential Outdoor Camera (2nd Generation) detects motion.