

# CPcam MPEG-4 Network DVR

## Special Feature Announcement

### Back Up file converts to .AVI format

Due to enormous demands from our beloved customers, we are creating a series of Special Feature Announcement to show you how some of our innovative features works on our MPEG-4 Network DVR series. This is the third announcement and is on the topic “[Converting back up file to .AVI format](#)”.

### Benefits of .AVI format

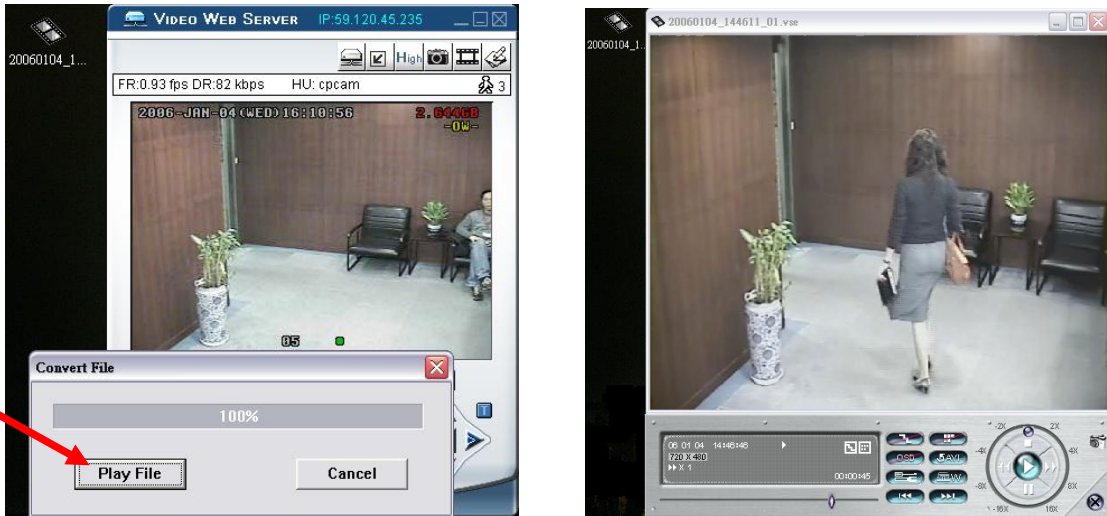
1. When creating back up files, no matter it's with USB, DVD, or Web back up, every company uses **different codecs** and back up with **their own format**. So in order to view these play back files, you will need to install their **proprietary software** into the computers you want to view them with. This is very troublesome, because if you don't have the software, you cannot view the images at other location. It is extremely **problematic** if you need the back up file for **police evidence**, because authority will not be able to see your playback without the software.
2. . AVI file are one of the most common movie viewing formats that are popular now on the market. Most movie players, such as **Window Media Player** and **PowerDVD**, support .AVI format files. So if your backup file is in .AVI format, you'll be able to bring the file to most computers and be able to view them without any difficult. Our MPEG-4 DVR series support the conversion to .AVI format.

### How does it work?

1. Back up files regularly with your preference of using either USB, DVD, or WEB back up function. If you do not know how, please refer to the user manual.
2. When back up is finished, double click on the file and it will ask you to convert the file, click “Convert”.



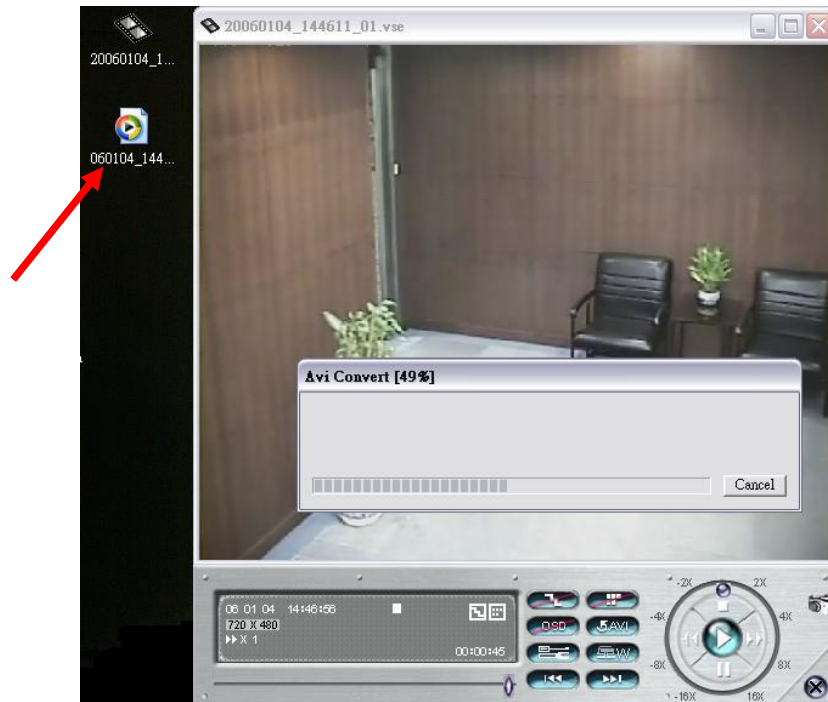
3. After conversion, click “Play File” to play the back up file, with our own proprietary software.



4. If you want to convert the file to .AVI format, simply click the on the menu to convert.



5. You will see a progress bar showing the percentage of conversion as well as a new file being created under .AVI format.



- When the conversion is completed, you'll be able to play the newly converted file with Windows Media Player or any other movie players that support .AVI format file.

