Netgear's Arlo unit announces the Pro-- a wireless security camera featuring ultra-wide 130-degree viewing angles, two-way audio and motion recognition within a weatherproof body.



The Arlo Pro can be connected to the mains mains, but it promises to work for along time on battery alone a special low-power consumption router and a proprietary base station Netgear claims allows for up to 6 months of use on a single charge. Customers can also easily swap batteries through an optional dual-bay Arlo Pro Charging Station.

As for the actual camera, RGB-IR night vision technology provides clear high resolution video even in total darkness, while a passive IR motion sensor detects movement at a range of 7m. Customers can check footage via app on smartphones, tablets and even Apple TV, and the camera can also be connect to smart home platforms including IFTTT and Samsung SmartThings.

Netgear provides 7 days of free cloud-based storage for motion- and audio-triggered recordings, and footage can also be saved locally on USB drive connected to the base station. Machine learning ensures the camera recognises objects and determines what movements are actually worth one's attention, while a 100+ dB siren (triggered either via motion or audio, or controlled remotely) stops crimes before they happen.

The Arlo Pro and related accessories are available now.

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