



# How do I set time and date in SightLogix devices (NTP)?

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It is necessary to use [NTP](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Network_Time_Protocol) to set proper time and date. Please use an open source NTP server (do not use Windows time or SNTP).

To set NTP on your device:

- Use the Networking page in SightMonitor or WebConfig to to set the NTP IP address.
- Be sure the correct time zone is selected in device settings.

**Note: it is necessary to reboot the device in order to synchronize to NTP.**

Here are examples of cost-effective open source GPS, satellite-based NTP servers:

- <https://www.veracityglobal.com/products/networked-video-integration-devices/timenet-pro.aspx>  
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- <https://timemachinescorp.com/product/gps-ntpntp-network-time-server-tm2000/>  
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