Allocating the IP address for your DVR

Applies to: VDC/VDM, Vi-Series and M-Series DVR's

- Open a command prompt.
  Click, Start->All programs->Accessories->Command prompt.
  You will now have a window appear with a cursor flashing.

- Find out the IP address of your PC.
  From the command prompt, type: ipconfig and press the return/enter key, this will give the IP address of your PC.
  For example if your PC's IP address is 192.168.0.2 You will need to give your DVR an IP address such as 192.168.0.50 (default). First you will need to ensure this address is free to use, it could be allocated to another PC or device.

- Checking if an IP address is in use.
  From the command prompt, type ping and then the IP address you are considering using.
  Example: ping 192.168.0.50
  If you get a reply it means this IP address is being used.
  If it says Destination net unreachable then you can use this IP address.
  You can only change the last 3 digits of the IP address 192.168.0.xxx

- If the customer wishes to remotely access via broadband they will need a fixed IP address from their Internet Service Provider (ISP). This will be assigned to their router, see router application notes for configuration http://www.oceansystems.co.uk/ApplicationNotes.asp

- You will need to download the viewer from http://www.oceansystems.co.uk/FreeSoftware.asp for remotely viewing from the DVR.