

**USB CAMERA GUIDE** 





# ONE SIZE DOESN'T FIT ALL

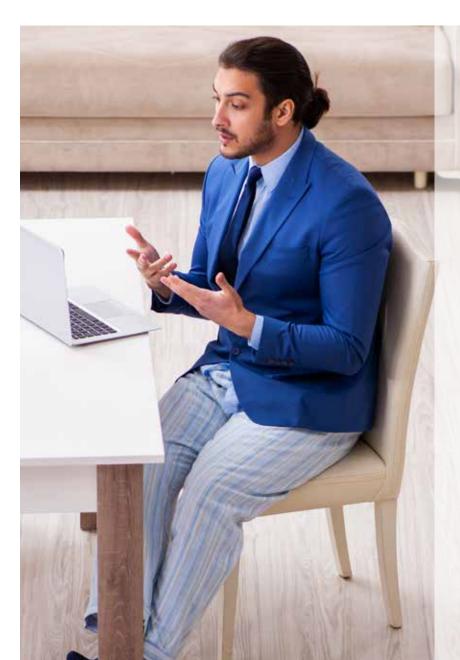
When it comes to collaboration, there are separate buckets that almost any space will likely fall into: i.e. the home office, huddle room, conference room, and event/ teaching spaces. Luckily, within each of these buckets, Liberty AV offers various solutions, such as a USB camera used for business meetings, training webinars, video podcasts, or chatting with your family.

Choosing the right camera matters. To get a basic grasp of how to choose the right collaboration camera, without getting bogged down by all the specifications, we've broken down a few topics to consider and how you might go about integrating cameras into your solution.



Around the turn of the century, manufacturers began integrating webcams directly into laptops and desktop screens. Individuals started using these cameras for 1:1 conferencing, but they are still very limiting with the current build quality and overall feature sets.

When there is the need to integrate professional-grade products into cloud-based conferencing solutions, it's best to standardize system design across the company. Being able to choose the right products will make streamlining a company's approach to collaboration much easier. Liberty AV can help take out the guesswork often associated with interoperability, control, and quality.



# IT'S ALL ABOUT PERSPECTIVE

One of the most important considerations when choosing collaboration cameras for your home or business is determining what you want the meeting participants to see. You must begin by knowing the perspective other meeting participants will see based on what the camera captures.

The best way to determine which camera will capture the area you are interested in displaying is to look for the camera's field of view. Every camera has a different field of view and knowing what that means will help in your overall decision making.

We've all seen people crowded around a laptop camera just to be in the shot. Likewise, when the other meeting participants realize there is more than one person in the meeting, the camera shot just doesn't pick everyone up.

Or what about the work-from-home movement where some people wear pajamas below the belt during video conference calls? It's all about perspective. In allowing people to see what YOU want, you must know what you are able to show.

# WHAT IS THE RIGHT CAMERA TO CAPTURE THE SHOT YOU WANT?



The teacher will need a camera with at least 80 degrees or will need to place the camera further away to show the area she will be notating on.

The camera field of view (FOV) is also called the viewing angle. This is what the camera can capture or see and it is often measured in degrees. In the example above, a camera with a FOV of 70 degrees may not capture what you imagined it would.

It's best to think of the field of view as a cone of vision. The wider the field of view, the larger the viewing cone. This has several benefits and drawbacks in the world of cameras.

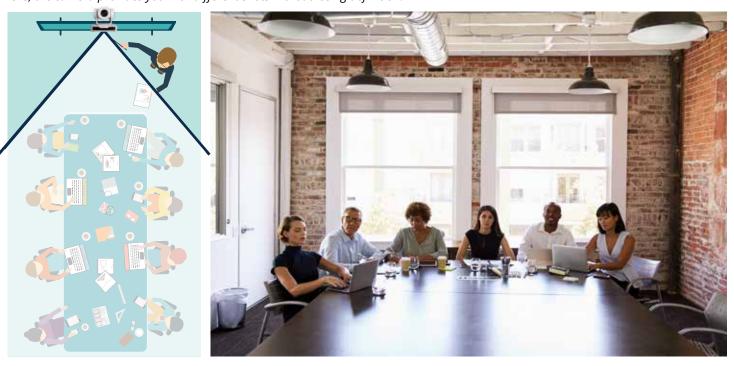
Cameras often use lenses that balance field of view and focal length (the distance the camera can see). The shorter the field of view, the longer the focal length. That means that if your camera has a smaller field of view, it should be able to see things further away. You can see this effect when you look through a telescope. Hence you will see "tele" within the specifications of a PTZ camera. On the other hand, the wider the field of view, the shorter distance your camera is going to cover.





For example, one of Liberty AV's developed products, DL-USB-PTZ10, a high-definition USB PTZ camera, is designed to offer a field of view with a range between 8 to 66 degrees. The high-definition camera is compact enough to be incorporated in any conference room, yet will seamlessly capture all participants without worry, even for headshots. With a 10-times optical zoom, USB 2.0 support, and full 1080p video capabilities, the Liberty AV DL-USB-PTZ10 high-definition camera can be incorporated into cloud conferencing solutions such as Zoom and Teams for a more comprehensive system across the company. Below are a few examples to help you choose the appropriate camera for your space.

The DL-USB-PTZ10 camera is mounted in the same location. Using an optical zoom lens, the camera provides you with different shots without losing definition.



Example 1: wide shot using the DL-USB-PTZ10.



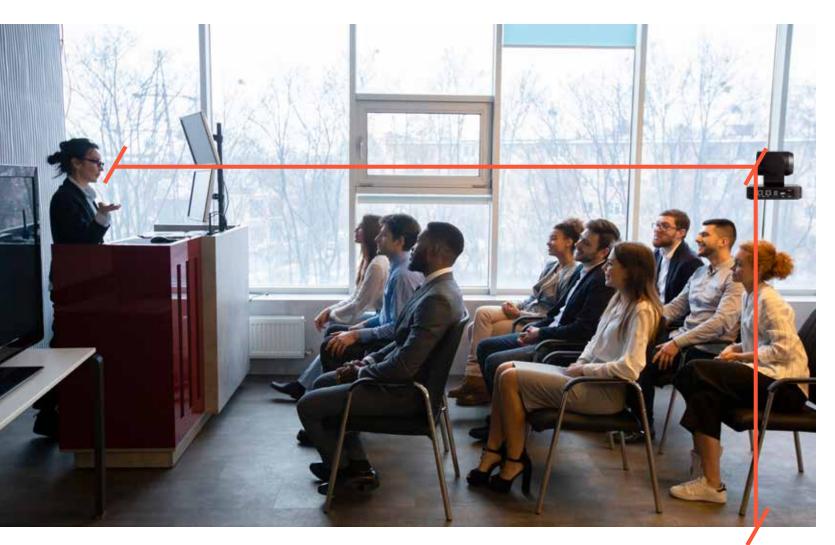


Example 2: tele shot using the DL-USB-PTZ10 for capturing close-up shots.

# HOW DO YOU POSITION YOUR CAMERA FOR THE BEST SHOT?

Choosing the right FOV all depends on the purpose of the camera. Wide-angle cameras which are usually above 100+ degrees will capture a much wider area. This means you provide as much detail as a telephoto or super telephoto lens, but you're able to capture a wider area of space.

Once you've selected the FOV, there are a few other things to keep in mind, including camera height and room positioning.



Liberty's PTZ camera is mounted along the back wall to capture the presenter for those joining in from the far side (remotely) allowing for a way to connect as if they were in the space.

#### **CAMERA HEIGHT**

Generally, there are two heights to consider for your cameras. The first one is capturing the seated participants (the audience). The camera lens should be placed at seated eye level, which falls around +/- 48" above the floor. The second is capturing the presenter. Here you want to do some homework to make sure composition is considered. A quick way to accomplish this is mounting the lens at standing eye height, usually +/- 55" above the floor.



### CAMERA HEIGHT

Liberty's PTZ camera is mounted along the front wall to capture the audience for those joining in from the far side (remotely) such as a teacher or for group collaboration.



Camera angled too low



Camera angled too high

#### **CAMERA ANGLE**

Focus your efforts on who you want to capture by remembering it's all about having the lens level with the eye height of who you are capturing. There might be situations where that might not be possible. In this case we recommend mounting the camera a bit higher rather than lower.





Example of one meeting taking place at two different locations

#### **ROOM POSITIONING**

Another thing you need to consider, and is arguably more important than the first, is — if you put your camera in the wrong place, the height doesn't matter. For example, if you put your camera up high in the middle of the wall, you will replicate what some consider the "god" view.

The best place to put a camera is in front of what you are wanting the meeting participants to see. Remember, the camera lens is the eyes for all meeting participants. To provide the best experience possible, placing the camera at the right height and position is key.

Knowing the location you want to reference is key in deploying a successful experience. Video conferencing is filled with all sorts of terms. There are two to remember: the "Near End" is where you are and the "Far End" is where the other people are. This is user-subjective, and can also be described as My Near End, and Your Near End. This is important to understand when you are physically mounting and configuring the solution.





## LIBERTY AV'S CAMERA LINEUP

## **TEAMUP+ USB CAMERAS**

Comparison table

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MODEL	CAM90	CAM120	PTZ10	PTZ20
Suggested Spaces	Home Office, Huddle Room	Huddle Room, Capturing Students, fixed shots that need to cover a wider shot	Medium to Large Conference Rooms	Training Rooms, House of Worship, Key areas where the presenter needs to be in the shot
Field of View	90	120	8.3 (tele) to 66 (wide)	6.3 (tele) to 72.5 (wide)
Resolution	1920x1080p@30FPS	1920x1080p@30FPS	1920x1080p@30FPS	
USB Interface	USB 2.0	USB 2.0	USB 2.0	USB 3.0, 2.0
UVC	YES	YES	YES	YES
HDMI	no	no	no	YES
3G-SDI	no	no	no	YES
NDI	no	no	no	no
IP-Streaming	no	no	no	YES
RS-232	no	no	YES	YES
RS-485	no	no	YES	YES
RS-422	no	no	no	YES
# of Presets	no	no	255 (10 on Remote)	255 (10 on Remote)
Wide Dynamic Range	no	no	no	YES
3D Noise Cancelation	no	no	no	YES
Backlight Compensation	no	no	no	Backlight Compensation
Power	USB	USB	DC 12V or *USB	DC 12V or PoE
Wall Mount	*Optional	*Optional	Included	Included
Tripod Thread	YES	YES	YES	YES
Ceiling Mount	no	no	*Optional	*Optional
Built In Gyro	no	no	no	YES

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#### CAMERA ACCESSORIES



## DL-WFH-CAM90 DL-WFH-CAM120

**USB Webcam w/ Microphone** 

#### **KEY FEATURES**

#### UVC

Compliant

#### USB

 All-in-one USB 2.0 transferring power, data, video, and audio

#### **VIDEO**

- Full HD 1920x1080 @ 30 fps
- Field of view: 90° (CAM90) or 120° (CAM120)

#### **AUDIO**

 Dual built-in noise-reduction microphone arrays, offering a pickup range up to 3 meters.

#### **MOUNTING**

- Multiple mounting options:
  - Included attachment clip bracket
  - 1.4" thread on bottom, allows for endless placement when using a: Tripod (DL-TRIPOD-FLEX1) or wall mount (DL-WFH-CAMBRKT)

#### **OVERVIEW**

Liberty's USB webcams are available in two different options with varying field of view degrees: 90° standard-view angle or 120° ultra-wide view angle. Both camera options share the same features and are designed to capture audio and video for conferencing and other applications such as streaming, webinars, distance learning, lecture capture, and personal chatting.

PUT YOUR CATEGORY CABLE TO WORK

## Create an Instant Bring-Your-Own-Meeting Space with Liberty AV

The ONE-CABLE solution by Liberty AV combines multiple functions in one cable.

#### **COMPLETELY PLUG-AND-PLAY:**

NO additional driver or software required to be recognized by the computer

#### **COMPATIBILITY:**

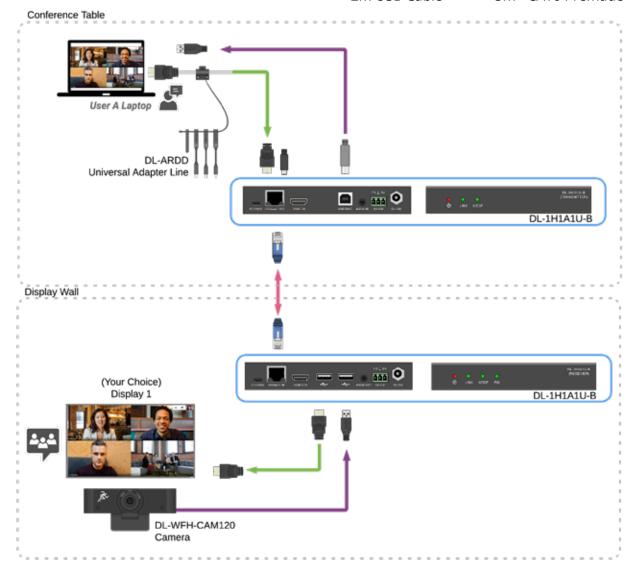
Leading video conferencing platforms such as Microsoft Teams, Google Meet, Zoom, and many others

#### **GET COLLABORATING DONE:**

One CAT6 cable solution

#### PARTS LIST WITHIN THIS CONCEPT:

- Adapter Line: DL-ARDD
- Ultra-Wide USB Cam/Microphone: DL-WFH-CAM120
- Wall Mount Bracket for Camera: DL-WFH-CMBRKT
- HDMI + USB Extender Set: DL-1H1A1U-B
- 1m HDMI Cable •
- 2m HDMI Cable
- 2m USB Cable
- 5m+ CAT6 Premade













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#### **CAMERA ACCESSORIES**



DL-PTZBRKT-CEILING

DL-USB-PTZ10-W

## **DL-USB-PTZ10**

10X USB 2.0 PTZ Camera with Wall Mount

#### **KEY FEATURES**

#### UVC

- Compliant
- Supports all Zoom Room features and has been tested to conform with the latest Zoom Certification Program for the highest performance and ultra-reliability. Recalls presets and full PTZ control from the Zoom Room controller/tablet.

#### USB

• All-in-one USB 2.0

#### **POWER**

• Can be powered over USB 2.0 within short distances. Perfect for when the computer is mounted behind the display. For longer distances, Intelix series extenders can deliver needed power.

#### **VIDEO**

- Full HD 1920x1080 @ 30 fps
- Field of view: 8.83° (tele) to 66° (wide)

#### MOUNTING

- Multiple mounting options:
  - Included attachment clip bracket (Optional ceiling mount)
  - 1.4" thread on bottom, allows for endless placement when using a tripod (DL-TRIPOD-FLEX1) or wall mount (DL-WFH-CAMBRKT).

#### **OVERVIEW**

Liberty's USB PTZ10 cameras are available in two different color options: black or white. Both camera options share the same features and are designed to capture video for conferencing and other applications such as streaming, webinars, distance learning, lecture capture, and personal chatting. Easy plug-and-play; no driver is required when using software platforms like Zoom, Teams, YouTube, Facetime, and other messaging applications.

Completely plug-and-play, no additional drivers. Compatible with most video platforms such as Zoom and Teams.

**GIVE YOUR AV BUDGET A BREAK!** 

## Simplifying the **USB** Camera by **Getting You Online** in Minutes

**Exceptional ONE-CABLE** solution that provides power, data, and video!

#### **OUTLET OPTIONAL:**

USB signal extender provides all the necessary power to the camera. No outlets are required.

#### FREE UP YOUR BUDGET AND TIME:

No extra cables to pull, and less impactful labor costs incurred.

#### **COMPLETELY PLUG-AND-PLAY:**

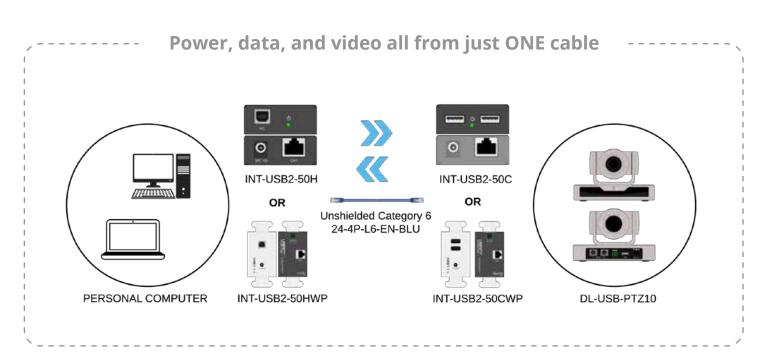
No additional driver or software required to be recognized by the computer.

#### **COMPATIBILITY:**

Simpatico with leading video conferencing platforms like Microsoft Teams, Google Meet, Zoom, and more.

#### **GET COLLABORATING:**

Simplified connections with one CAT6 cable, and get data in real-time with USB isochronous transfers. UVC compliant.



\*Camera external power supply is optional when using certified Liberty extenders and cable.











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## HOW USE SCHOOL LINE



#### **CAMERA ACCESSORIES**



DL-PTZBRKT-CEILING

## **DL-USB-PTZ20**

20X USB 3.0 PTZ Camera with Wall Mount

#### **KEY FEATURES**

#### UVC

- Compliant
- Supports all Zoom Room features and has been tested to conform with the latest Zoom Certification Program for the highest performance and ultra-reliability. Recalls presets and full PTZ control from the Zoom Room controller/tablet.

#### USB

• USB 3.0 with the ability to downgrade to USB 2.0

#### **CONTROL**

• UVC, IR, RS-232, LAN

#### **VIDEO**

- Full HD 1920x1080 @ 60 fps
- Field of view: 6.3° (tele) to 72.5° (wide)
- Simultaneously outputs HDMI, SDI, USB, and LAN

#### MOUNTING

- Multiple mounting options:
  - Included attachment clip bracket (Optional ceiling mount)
  - 1.4" thread on bottom, allows for endless placement when using a tripod (DL-TRIPOD-FLEX1).

#### **OVERVIEW**

Liberty's USB PTZ20 camera is designed to capture video for conferencing and other applications such as streaming, webinars, distance learning, lecture capture, and personal chatting. Easy plug-and-play; no driver is required when using software platforms like Zoom, Teams, YouTube, Facetime, and other messaging applications. Broadcast quality allows this to be a perfect choice for live streaming environments: medical, house of worship, and training spaces.

Completely plug-and-play, no additional drivers. Compatible with most video platforms such as Zoom and Teams.

## **ONE USB CAMERA, SIMULTANEOUS OUTPUTS**

Liberty AV combines multiple functions into one camera





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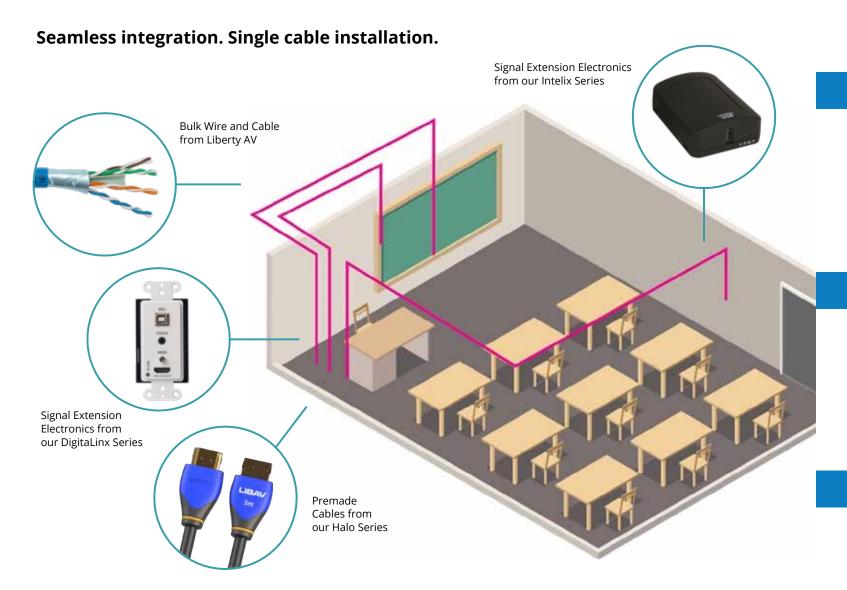
The PTZ20 is a perfect choice for live-streaming environments: medical, house of worship, and training spaces.

HAVING THE RIGHT SIGNAL EXTENSION TECHNOLOGY MAKES ALL THE DIFFERENCE:

## IMPROVING THE WAY YOU USE YOUR TECHNOLOGY

No matter how simple or complex your design may be, Liberty AV can provide you with a performancebased, cost-effective solution for all your structured cabling and low-voltage cable installation needs.

We simplify complex designs and optimize and implement the appropriate solution to enhance your operations, increase productivity, and reduce costs, while ensuring scalability and project performance.



GUARANTEE THE OUTCOME

never miss a beat

LATEST TECHNOLOGY

unlocking features that others cannot come close to

**EASE OF USE** 

reduce the complexity, not your standards



A Manufacturing Specialist Dedicated to Quality Product Solutions and Services for World-Class Customers

AV SOLOTIONS				
ELECTRONICS	How the Professionals Sw	vitch and Extend Audio Visua	l Signals	
DigitaLinx	AV Signal Extension Matrix Switchers Audio Converters	HDBaseT Switchers Processors	HDMI Distribution Amplifiers AVX	
DigiIP	AV over IP Video Walls	Networked AV Multi-View	AV Distribution Dante Audio	
Intelix	USB 1.1 Signal Extension	USB 2.0 Signal Extension		
TeamUp+	USB Collaboration Switchers Web Cameras USB Microphone	HDMI Collaboration Switchers Commercial-Grade USB Hubs USB Speaker + Microphone	PTZ Cameras BYOD BYOM	
BULK WIRE	The Wire and Cable Stand	dard to Which All Others Are	Compared	
Liberty Wire & Cable	Residential AV Access Control	Commercial AV Low-Voltage	Connectors and Adapters Category 5e/6A	
RunAV Northern ComCables	Control Speaker Fiber Flexible Shield	Direct Burial Coax Reelex Fire Alarm RF Solutions	Structured Telco Coolspool Security SMPTE Video	
PREMADE CABLES	Purpose-Built HDMI, USB	, Audio, Video, Patch Cords, F	Power and Network Cables	
Intergalactic	Luxury			
Nebula	Premier			
Kinetic				
	Installer-Focused			
Zero-G	Mega-Flexible			

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Outsourcing the Responsibility to Improve Operations and Cut Expenses

CXSupport	Contact and Resolution Center
Ekitting	Kitting and Assembly
Liberty Inventory System (LIS)	Consignment and Perpetual Inventory

Economy

#### SOFTWARE

All-In-One, Easy and Smart

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CXDetect	AV SaaS Platform





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