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#!/bin/bash
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# RJP 25.8.2025 script for taking webcam picture and sending it to ftp-server
every 20 seconds
# packages wput and fswebcam must be installed
# Folder $HOME/webcam must be created and one jpeg must be into
$HOME/webcam
# To stop the script run pkill forevercapture.sh
#
while [ true ]
do
cd $HOME/webcam
# Take a photo
sleep 2 && rm *.jpeg && fswebcam -d /dev/video0 -p YUYV -r 1600x1200 --
jpeg 85 -D 2 -F 15 /home/username_here/webcam/$(date +%Y%m%d%H\
%M).jpeg
# Push it to the remote webserver
wput -u -nc *.jpeg ftp://ftpuser_here:password_here@ftp.site_here.com/
sleep 18
done
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