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How to create a Full image backup from within the ViX 3.0 image.

This tutorial aims to show you how to create a full image backup in very easy to follow steps.

you can keep this backup in a safe place to use in case of a emergency such as your image becoming corrupted, or use it as a easy way to check other images out allowing you to restore back to a known working image in minutes rather than having to go through the full setup process again.

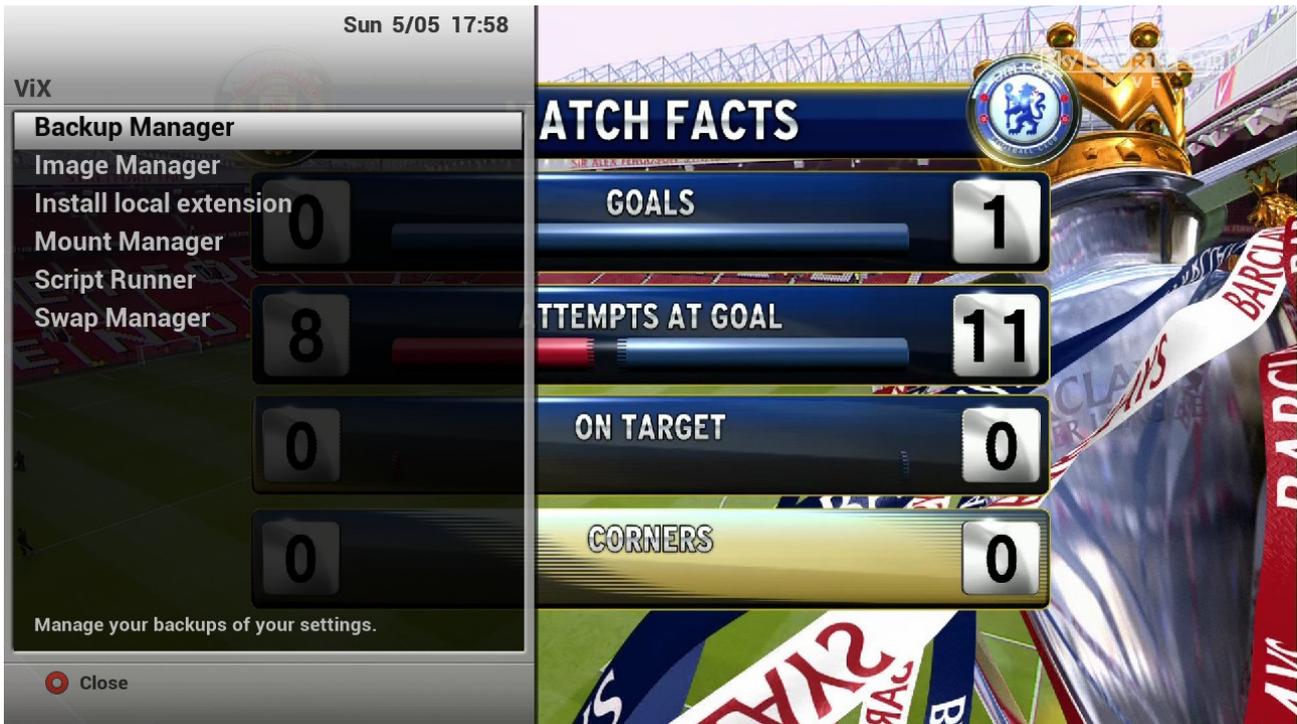
For this tutorial, I will assume that you have a Mounted USB stick in the receiver as in my opinion this is the best method to create and store image backups, although it is not strictly necessary if you have a HDD installed. I do however strongly advise against using the receivers internal flash memory to store image backups as they will eat up valuable memory space and in the case of a corrupted image they will be lost.

Creating the Image backup.

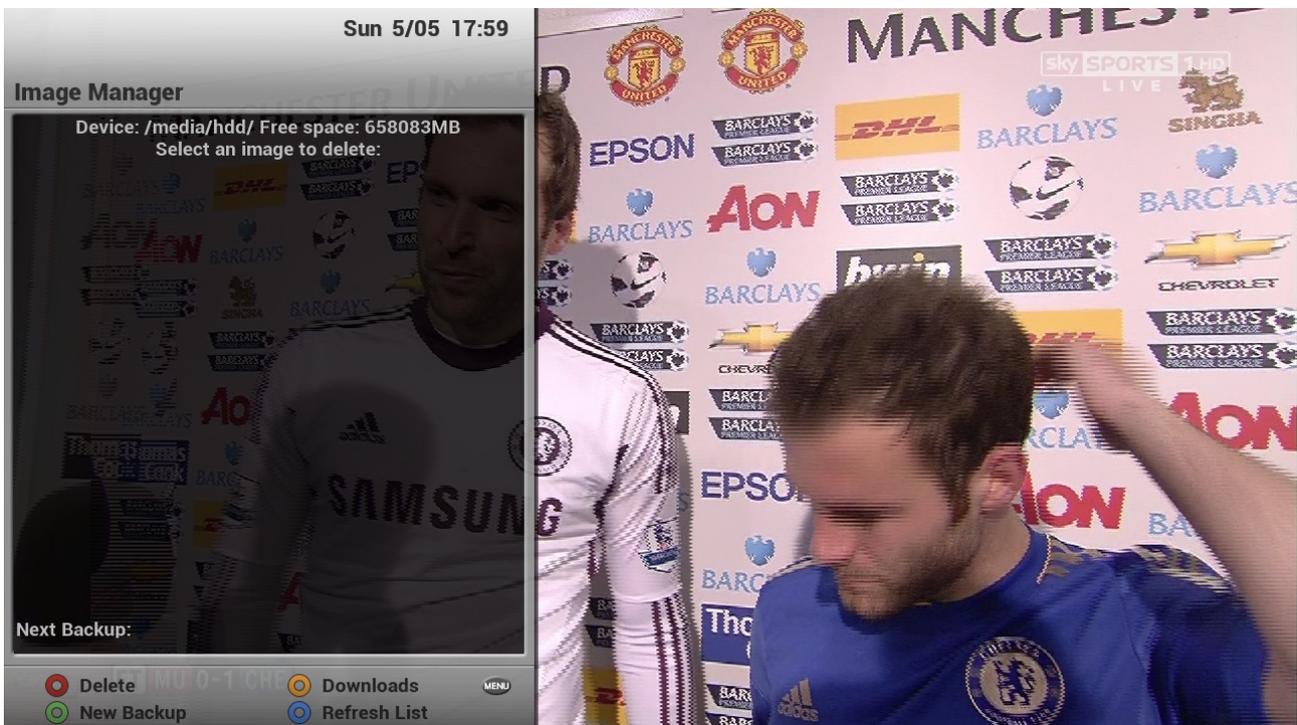
From live TV (with no menu's open) Click the blue button once, you should now see the below screen, Scroll down and click on ViX then press ok.



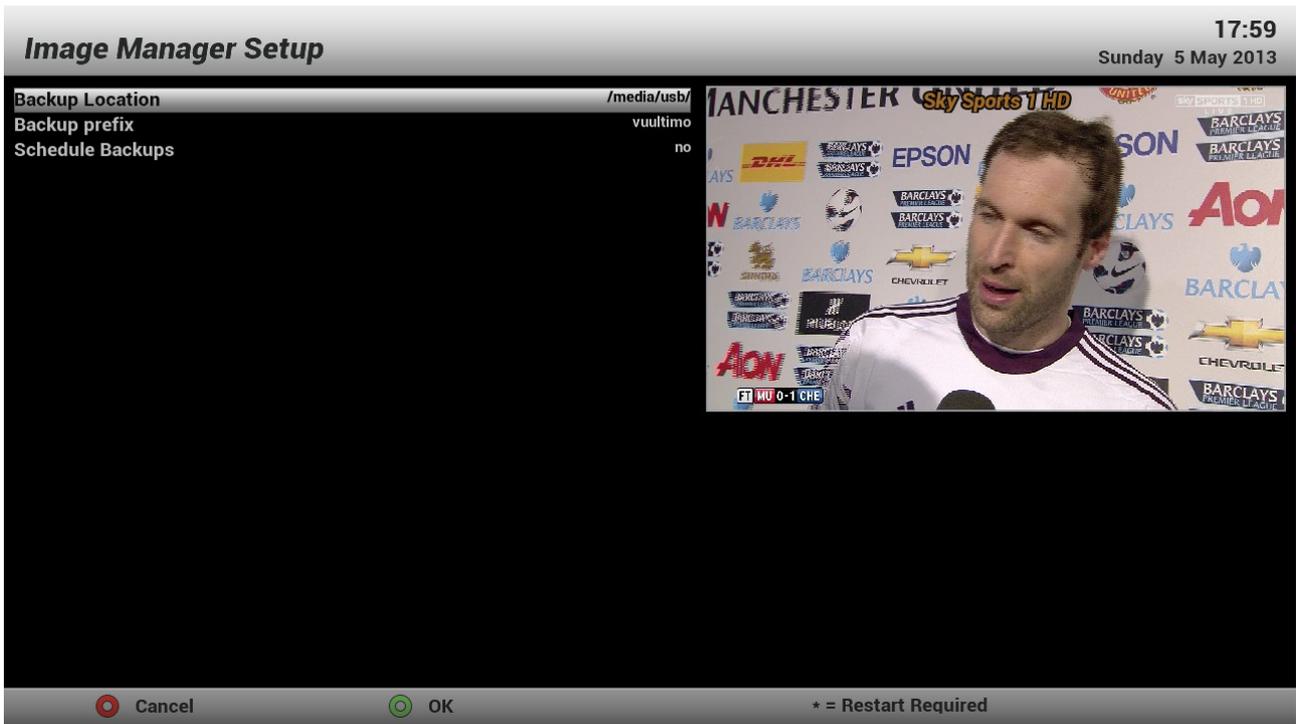
Now scroll to “image manager” then press ok open this section.



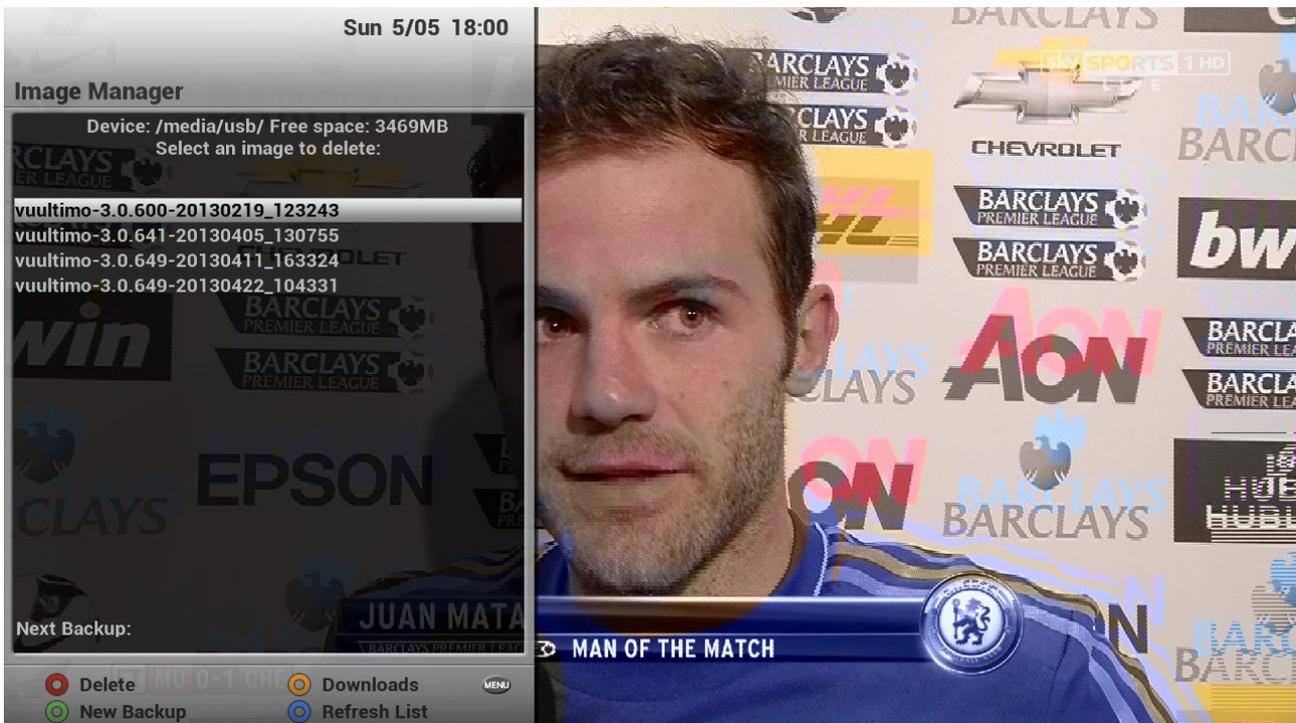
you should now see the following screen, along with the destination it is reading and writing from, in this case it is showing as the internal HDD.



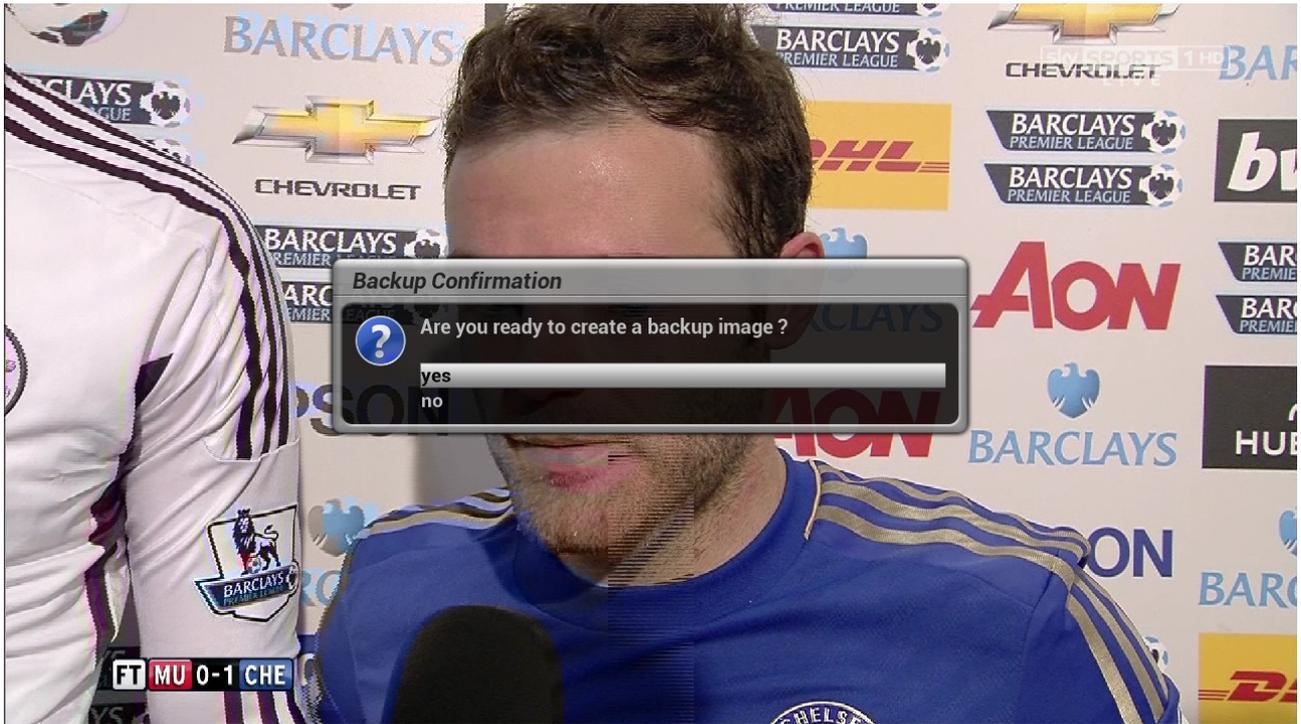
press MENU then using the left and right buttons on the remote you can change the location, I am going to use a mounted USB stick.



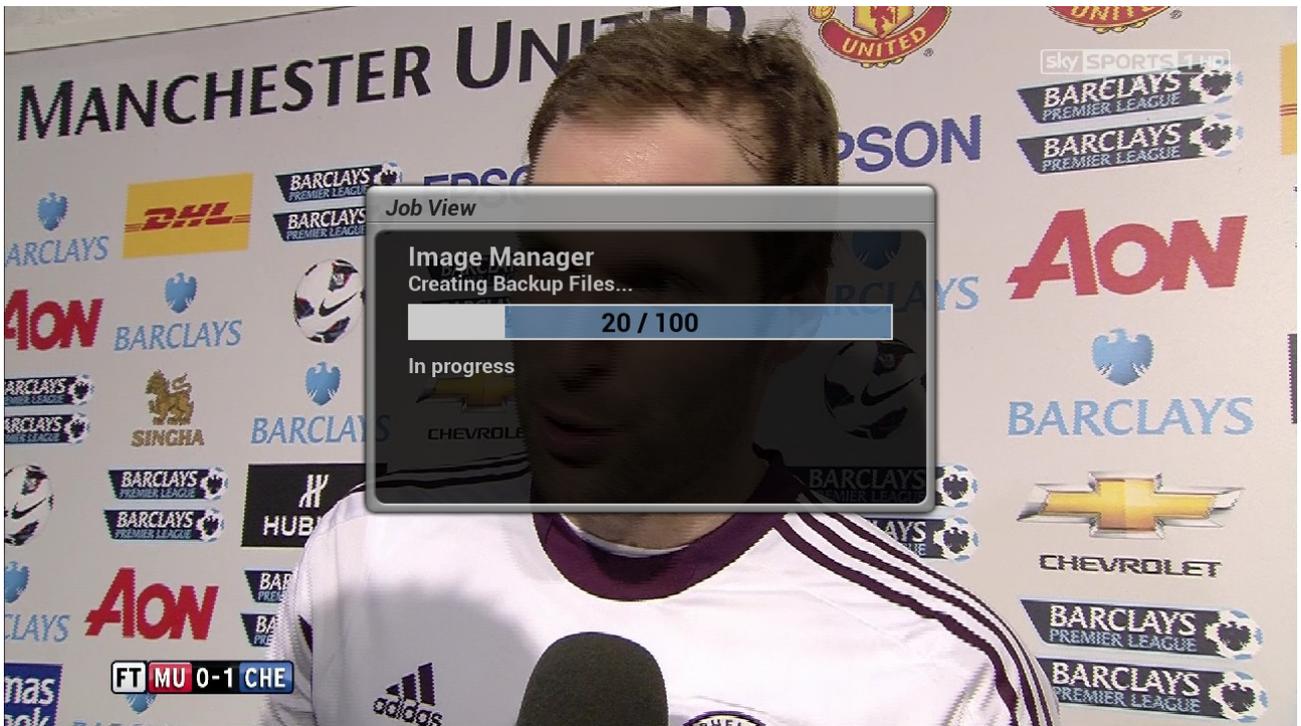
Once you have selected your preferred location, simply click on the Green “New Backup” button to create the backup.



you will now be presented with a conformation screen asking if you want to create a backup.



Selecting yes starts the backup process and you will be presented with a progress bar. Just sit back and wait for the backup process to complete,



Once the backup has been created you will be returned to the list screen as shown below.



Please be aware that it can take upto 10 minutes and more depending on what you have installed in the image to create a backup. The backup process is very memory intensive and should be left alone to complete its task.

Your backup will contain all plugins, settings and configuration files contained within your existing image and can be flashed back to the receiver in a few short minutes.

To restore your backup to your receiver simply extract the .rar archive and flash it back in the same way as you would any other image via a USB stick.

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