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USER MANUAL

Model:

VM-114H2C 2 Input 1:4 HDMI DA/2x CAT5 Outputs

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1 Introduction

Welcome to Kramer Electronics! Since 1981, Kramer Electronics has been providing a world of unique, creative, and affordable solutions to the vast range of problems that confront the video, audio, presentation, and broadcasting professional on a daily basis. In recent years, we have redesigned and upgraded most of our line, making the best even better! Our 1,000-plus different models now appear in 11 groups¹ that are clearly defined by function.

Congratulations on purchasing your Kramer Desktop VM-114H2C 2 Input 1:4 HDMI DA/2x CAT5 Outputs. The VM-114H2C is ideal for:

- Home theater, presentation and multimedia applications
- Rental and staging

The package includes the following items:

- VM-114H2C 2 Input 1:4 HDMI DA/2x CAT5 Outputs
- Power adapter (12V DC)
- Kramer **RC-IR3** infrared remote control transmitter (including the required batteries and a separate user manual²)
- This user manual²

2 Getting Started

We recommend that you:

- Unpack the equipment carefully and save the original box and packaging materials for possible future shipment
- Review the contents of this user manual

2.1 Achieving the Best Performance

To achieve the best performance:

- Use only good quality connection cables (we recommend Kramer highperformance, high-resolution cables) to avoid interference, deterioration in signal quality due to poor matching, and elevated noise levels (often associated with low quality cables)
- Do not secure the cables in tight bundles or roll the slack into tight coils

² Download up-to-date Kramer user manuals from http://www.kramerelectronics.com



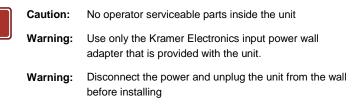
¹ GROUP 1: Distribution Amplifiers; GROUP 2: Switchers and Routers; GROUP 3: Control Systems; GROUP 4: Format/Standards Converters; GROUP 5: Range Extenders and Repeaters; GROUP 6: Specialty AV Products; GROUP 7: Scan Converters and Scalers; GROUP 8: Cables and Connectors; GROUP 9: Room Connectivity; GROUP 10: Accessories and Rack Adapters; GROUP 11: Sierra Products

- Avoid interference from neighboring electrical appliances that may adversely influence signal quality
- Position your Kramer VM-114H2C away from moisture, excessive sunlight and dust



This equipment is to be used only inside a building. It may be connected only to other equipment that is installed inside a building.

2.2 Safety Instructions



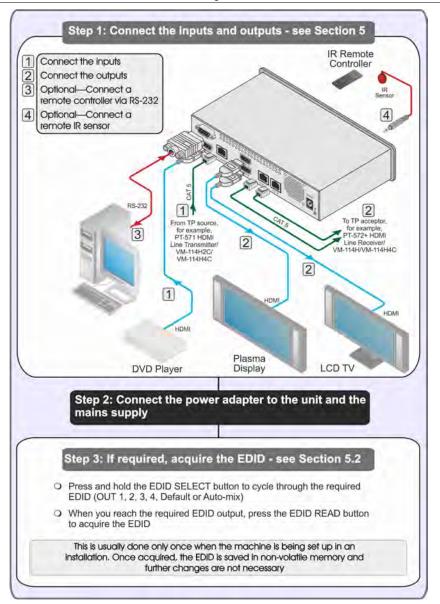
2.3 Recycling Kramer Products

The Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) Directive 2002/96/EC aims to reduce the amount of WEEE sent for disposal to landfill or incineration by requiring it to be collected and recycled. To comply with the WEEE Directive, Kramer Electronics has made arrangements with the European Advanced Recycling Network (EARN) and will cover any costs of treatment, recycling and recovery of waste Kramer Electronics branded equipment on arrival at the EARN facility. For details of Kramer's recycling arrangements in your particular country go to our recycling pages at <u>http://www.kramerelectronics.com/support/recycling/</u>.

2.4 Quick Start

This quick start chart summarizes the basic setup and operation steps of the **VM-114H2C**.

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3 Overview

The high quality **VM-114H2C** 2 *Input 1:4 HDMI DA/2x CAT5 Outputs* is a switcher/distribution amplifier for HDMI and TP (Twisted Pair) signals. It reclocks and equalizes one of two selectable input signals and distributes it to two HDMI and two TP outputs.

In particular, the VM-114H2C:

- Supports up to 2.25Gbps bandwidth per graphic channel (HDMI), 1.65Gbps bandwidth per graphic channel (DGKat)
- Can read and store in non-volatile memory the default EDID or the EDID¹ block from one or a mix² of the output display devices, so it can then provide the EDID information to the source even if the display device is not connected
- Features I-EDIDPro[™] Kramer Intelligent EDID Processing[™] Intelligent EDID handling & processing algorithm ensures Plug and Play operation for HDMI systems
- Supports HDMI (V1.4 w 3D, Deep Color³, x.v.Color[™] and 7.1 uncompressed audio channels (Dolby TrueHD, DTS-HD))
- Is HDCP compliant
- Features LEDs indicating the selected input and active output
- Supports IR remote control and has a remote IR 3.5mm mini jack
- Is 12V DC fed and is housed in a Kramer desktop enclosure

The VM-114H2C supports a range of:

- Up to 90m (295ft) at 1080i, or up to 30m (98ft) at 1080p on shielded **BC-DGKat524** cable
- Up to 90m (295ft) at 1080i, or up to 70m (230ft) at 1080p on shielded **BC-DGKat623** cable
- Up to 100m (330ft) at 1080i or up to 90m (295ft) at 1080p on shielded **BC-DGKat7a23** cable

¹ EDID is Extended Display Identification Data

² The EDID acquired is a weighted average of all the connected outputs For example, if several displays with different resolutions are connected to the outputs, the acquired EDID supports all the resolutions, as well as other parameters included in the EDID 3 On the HDMI input

3.1 Using Shielded Twisted Pair Cable

Kramer engineers have developed special twisted pair cables to best match our digital twisted pair products; the Kramer: **BC-DGKat524** (CAT 5 24 AWG), the Kramer **BC-DGKat623** (CAT 6 23 AWG), and the Kramer **BC-DGKat7a23** (CAT 7a 23 AWG) cables. These specially built cables significantly outperform regular CAT 5/CAT 6 /CAT 7a cables.

3.2 About the Power Connect[™] Feature

The Power ConnectTM feature here means that only the transmitter needs to be connected to a power source when the devices are within 90m (270ft) of each other. The Power ConnectTM feature applies as long as the cable can carry power. The distance does not exceed 90m on standard CAT 5 cable. For longer distances, heavier gauge cable should be used¹.



Warning: Using a TP cable that is incorrectly wired will cause permanent damage to the device

¹ CAT 5 cable is still suitable for the video/audio transmission, but not for feeding the power at these distances



4 Defining the VM-114H2C

Figure 1 and Table 1 define the front panel of the VM-114H2C.

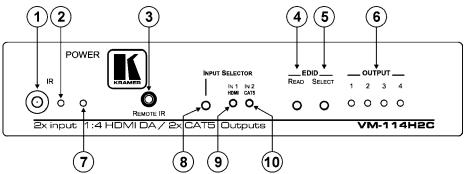


Figure 1: VM-114H2C Front Panel

Table 1: VM-114H2C Front Panel Features

#	Feature			Function		
1	IR Remote Control Sensor		sor	Sensor for the remote control IR transmitter		
2	IRLED			Lights yellow when receiving signals from the IR remote control transmitter		
3	REMOTE IR 3.	5mm M	ini Jack	Connect to a remote IR sensor		
4	EDID Buttons		Button	Press (when one of he input LEDs is flashing to indicate a selected input) to read he selected EDID (see $\underline{Section 5.2}$)		
5				Press repeatedly to cycle through the inputs to select an input from whic to read he EDID. The relevant LED flashes (see <u>Section 5.2</u>)		
6	OUTPUT 1~4 LEDS			The relevant LED lights green when an acceptor is connected to the output ¹		
7	POWERLED			Lights green when he unit receives power		
8	INPUT SELECTOR Button		ton	Press to select an input. The relevant IN 1 HDMI/IN 2 CAT5 LED lights		
9	IN1 HDMI LED Input		Input	Lights green when HDMI input 1 is selected		
10	IN2 CAT5 LED LEDs		LEDs	Lights green when he TP CAT 5 input 2 is selected		

¹ Also lights or flashes during EDID setup (see Section 5 2)

Figure 2 and Table 2 define the rear panel of the VM-114H2C.

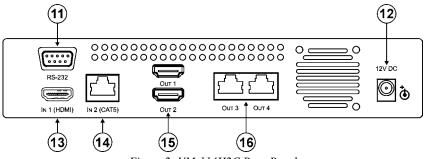


Figure 2: VM-114H2C Rear Panel

Table 2: VM-114H2C Rear Panel Features

#	Feature			Function		
11	RS-232 9-pin D-sub (F) Connector			Connect to a PC or remote controller		
12	12V DC Po	wer Connec	tor	Connect to the +12V DC power adapter, center pin posi ive		
13	IN1 (HDMI) Input HDMI Connector		Inputs	Connect to an HDMI source		
14		(CAT5) Input 45 Connector		Connect to a TP source (for example, PT-571 HDMI Line Transmitter, VM-114H2C or VM-114H4C)		
15	OUT 1	HDMI Output		Connect to the HDMI acceptors		
	OUT 2 Connectors		6			
16	OUT 3	T 3 TP RJ-45 Output		Connect to he TP acceptors (for example, PT-572+ HDMI Line Receiver,		
	OUT 4 Connectors		8	VM-114H or VM-114H4C)		



5 Operating the VM-114H2C

This section describes how to:

- Connect the VM-114H2C (see <u>Section 5.1</u>)
- Acquire an EDID (see <u>Section 5.2</u>).

5.1 Connecting the VM-114H2C

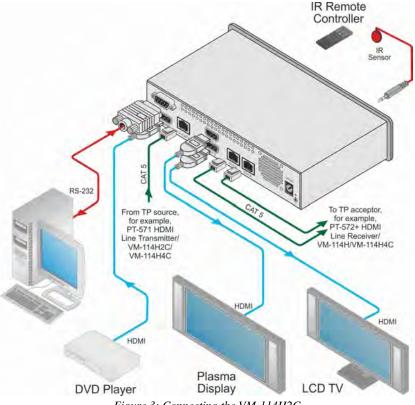


Figure 3: Connecting the VM-114H2C

To connect¹ the VM-114H2C as illustrated² in the example in Figure 3:

1. Connect the HDMI source (for example, a DVD player) to the IN 1 (HDMI) connector.

¹ Switch off the power on each device before connecting it to your VM-114H2C After connecting your VM-114H2C, switch on its power and then switch on the power on each device

² The power adapter is not shown

- 2. Connect the TP source (for example, a **PT-571** *HDMI Line Transmitter*¹, another **VM-114H2C** or a **VM-1114H4C**) to the IN 2 (CAT5) connector.
- 3. Connect the HDMI OUT connectors to up to two HDMI acceptors (for example, LCD TV or plasma displays)
- Connect the TP RJ-45 output connectors to up to two TP acceptors (for example, the PT-572+ HDMI Line Receiver², the VM-114H or the VM-114H4C).
- 5. Optional—Plug the remote IR sensor into the front panel remote IR 3.5mm mini jack.
- 6. Optional—Connect a PC via RS-232 to the RS-232 port on the VM-114H2C (see <u>Section 5.3</u>).
- 7. Connect the power adapter to the power socket on the **VM-114H2C** and to the mains electricity (not shown in Figure 3).
- 8. Optional—Press the EDID READ button to acquire or change the EDID information (see <u>Section 5.2</u>).

5.2 Acquiring the EDID

Each input on the **VM-114H2C** has a factory default EDID loaded³ (see <u>Section 9</u>). This lets you connect the power before having to connect one of the acceptors.

You can acquire the EDID⁴ from:

- One output (the relevant output LED flashes)
- The default EDID (all output LEDs flash)
- Up to four connected outputs using the Auto-mix Mode⁵ (all output LEDs light)

To acquire the EDID:

- 1. Connect the output(s) from which you want to acquire the EDID.
- 2. Press the EDID SELECT button briefly. The device enters the EDID programming mode. The last acquired EDID is indicated by the lit LED (for example, if Output LED 2 is lit, the EDID acquired was from Output 2).
- 3. Press the EDID SELECT button repeatedly until the required EDID is indicated based on the patterns described above.

⁵ The EDID acquired is a weighted average of all the connected outputs For example, if several displays with different resolutions are connected to the outputs, the acquired EDID supports all the resolutions, as well as other parameters included in the EDID



¹ Another example is the TP-573

² Another example is the TP-574

³ The VM-114H2C reads the EDID, which is stored in the non-volatile memory

⁴ This is usually done only once, when the machine is being set up in an installation Once acquired, the EDID is saved in non-volatile memory and further acquisition is not necessary

4. Press the EDID READ button.

The relevant LEDs flash in a pattern for a few seconds as follows:

- Slowly and then no longer lights. The EDID was successfully read.
- Quickly and then no longer lights. The EDID was not read and the default EDID was stored.

5.2.1 Disabling/Enabling Deep Color Support

You can disable EDID deep color support to prevent signal deterioration when using long twisted pair cables on INPUT 2.

To disable deep color and acquire EDID:

- 1. Disconnect the power.
- 2. Connect the output or outputs from which you want to acquire the EDID.
- 3. Connect the power while pressing the EDID READ button.
- 4. Perform steps 3 through 5 in <u>Section 5.2</u>.

To enable deep color and acquire EDID:

- 1. Disconnect the power.
- 2. Connect the output or outputs from which you want to acquire the EDID.
- 3. Connect the power while pressing the EDID SELECT button.
- 4. Perform steps 3 through 5 in <u>Section 5.2</u>.

5.3 Connecting to the VM-114H2C via RS-232

You can connect to the **VM-114H2C** via an RS-232 connection using, for example, a PC. Note that a null-modem adapter/connection is not required.

To connect to the VM-114H2C via RS-232:

• Connect the RS-232 9-pin D-sub rear panel port on the VM-114H2C unit via a 9-wire straight cable (only pin 2 to pin 2, pin 3 to pin 3, and pin 5 to pin 5 need to be connected) to the RS-232 9-pin D-sub port on your PC

5.4 RS-232 and IR Control and Pass-through

The **VM-114H2C** can be controlled via RS-232 and infrared. Depending on how the RS-232 and IR connections are configured, the device will either respond to control signals or transparently pass them through to another receiver or transmitter. Three examples in <u>Sections 5.4.2.1</u>, <u>5.4.2.2</u> and <u>5.4.2.3</u> of various configurations illustrate this functionality.

5.4.1 RS-232 Control and Pass-through Using the VM-114H2C

As shown in <u>Figure 3</u>, you can connect a PC (or other serial controller) directly to the **VM-114H2C** to control the **VM-114H2C**.

The **VM-114H2C** also transparently passes bidirectional RS-232 signals over the TP cable from the **TP-573** transmitter to the **TP-574** receiver. For example, a PC connected to the RS-232 port on the **TP-573** can control an RS-232-controllable device (for example, a projection screen) connected to the **TP-574**.

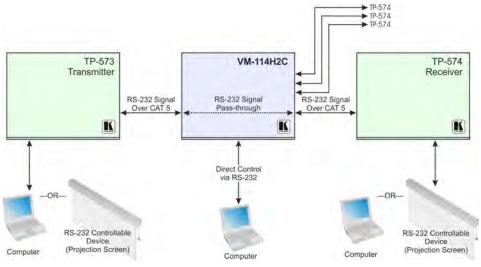


Figure 4: VM-114H2C RS-232 Control and Pass-through

5.4.2 Local IR Control and IR Pass-through Using the VM-114H2C

The VM-114H2C provides an IR sensor and a 3.5mm mini jack for connecting a remote IR emitter or sensor. When the VM-114H2C is connected to suitable transmitters and receivers (for example, the TP-573 and TP-574), the VM-114H2C can act as a pass-through for IR control signals, allowing remote control of multiple devices using multiple IR remote controllers.

When there is no IR sensor or emitter connected to the IR Remote 3.5mm mini jack, all signals received by the IR sensor on the front panel are passed to the transmitter and receiver bi-directionally over the TP cable allowing control of remote devices.

When an IR sensor or emitter is connected to the IR Remote 3.5mm mini jack, the connection between the IR sensor on the front panel and the IR on the transmitter/receiver is broken so that any signal received by the IR sensor on the front panel remains local to the **VM-114H2C** and controls only the **VM-114H2C**.

To control any device you need to use the appropriate IR remote controller, for example, the Kramer remote controller controls Kramer devices, the LCD remote

controller controls the LCD display and so on, as shown in the following examples.

The following examples illustrate just three of the possible ways of connecting the **VM-114H2C** to provide local and remote IR control.

5.4.2.1 IR Local Control and Pass-through Example One

The configuration is shown in Figure 5.

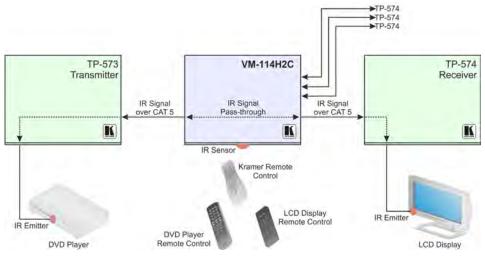


Figure 5: VM-114H2C IR Control and Pass-through Example One

A DVD player is connected to the TP-573 transmitter via an IR emitter.

An LCD display is connected to the TP-574 receiver via an IR emitter.

Both the **TP-573** and the **TP-574** are connected to the **VM-114H2C** via TP cabling.

Point the appropriate remote control for the device at the **VM-114H2C** IR sensor to control a device.

5.4.2.2 IR Local Control and Pass-through Example Two

The configuration is shown in <u>Figure 6</u>.

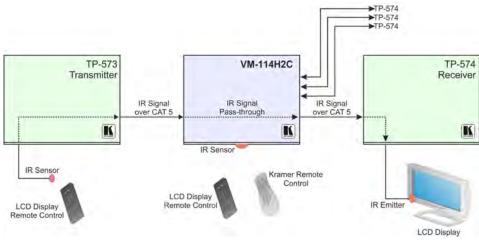


Figure 6: VM-114H2C IR Control and Pass-through Example Two

An IR sensor is connected to the TP-573 transmitter.

An LCD display is connected to the **TP-574** receiver via an IR emitter.

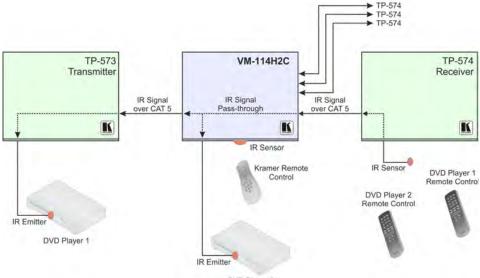
Both the **TP-573** and the **TP-574** are connected to the **VM-114H2C** via TP cabling.

Point the LCD display remote control either at the **TP-573** IR sensor or at the **VM-114H2C** IR sensor to control the LCD display. Point the Kramer remote control at the **VM-114H2C** IR sensor to control the **VM-114H2C**.



5.4.2.3 IR Local Control and Pass-through Example Three

The configuration is shown in <u>Figure 7</u>.



DVD Player 2

Figure 7: VM-114H2C IR Control and Pass-through Example Three

The first DVD player (player 1) is connected to the **TP-573** transmitter via an IR emitter.

The second DVD player (player 2) is connected to the **VM-114H2C** via an IR emitter.

An IR sensor is connected to the TP-574 receiver.

Both the **TP-573** and the **TP-574** are connected to the **VM-114H2C** via TP cabling.

To control DVD player 1, point the DVD player 1 IR remote control at the **TP-574** IR sensor. To control DVD player 2, point the DVD player 2 IR remote control at the **TP-574** IR sensor. Point the Kramer remote control at the **VM-114H2C** IR sensor to control the **VM-114H2C**.

6 Wiring the Twisted Pair RJ-45 Connectors

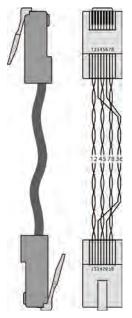
When using STP cable, connect/solder the cable shield to the RJ-45 connector shield. Figure 8 defines the TP pinout using a straight pin-to-pin cable with RJ-45 connectors.



Note, that the cable Ground shielding must be connected/soldered to the connector shield.

EIA /TIA 568B					
PIN	Wire Color				
1	Orange / White				
2	Orange				
3	Green / White				
4	Blue				
5	Blue / White				
6	Green				
7	Brown / White				
8	Brown				
Pair 1	4 and 5				
Pair 2	1 and 2				
Pair 3	3 and 6				
Pair 4	7 and 8				

Figure 8: TP Pinout Wiring





7 Technical Specifications

Table 3 includes the technical specifications¹ of the VM-114H2C.

Table 2.	Technical	Cussifications	ofthe	VM 114UDC
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INPUTS:	1 HDMI Connector				
	1 TP on an RJ-45 Connector				
OUTPUTS:	2 HDMI Connectors				
	2 TP on RJ-45 Connectors				
BANDWIDTH:	Up to 2.25Gbps bandwidth per graphic channel (HDMI), 1.65Gbps bandwid h per graphic channel (DGKat)				
COMPLIANCE WITH HDMI STANDARD:	Supports HDMI and HDCP				
CONTROLS:	Input select button, EDID select button, panel lock button, RS-232, local and remote IR controls				
INDICATOR LEDs:	IR communica ion, Power, IN 1 HDMI, IN 2 CAT5, OUTPUT 1, 2, 3 and 4				
POWER CONSUMPTION:	12V DC, 1.4A				
OPERATING TEMPERATURE:	0° to +40°C (32° to 104°F)				
STORAGE TEMPERATURE:	-40° to +70°C (-40° to 158°F)				
HUMIDITY:	10% to 90%, RHL non-condensing				
DIMENSIONS:	21 5cm x 16.3cm x 4.4cm (8.5in x 6.4in x 1.7in) W, D, H				
WEIGHT:	0.9kg (1.98lbs) approx.				
ACCESSORIES:	Power supply, RC-IR3 infrared remote control transmitter				
OPTIONS:	HDMI/HDMI male-to-male cables, RK-1 19" rack adapter				

8 Default Communication Parameters

<u>Table 4</u> lists the default communication parameters for the **VM-114H2C**. *Table 4: Default Communication Parameters*

RS-232					
Protocol 2000					
Baud Rate:	9600				
Data Bits:	8				
Stop Bits:	1				
Parity:	None				
Command Format:	HEX				
Example (Output 1 to Input 1):	0x01, 0x81, 0x81, 0x81				

¹ Specifications are subject to change without notice

9 Default EDID

The factory default EDID is listed below.

1152 x 864p at 75Hz - VESA ST

Monitor Model name..... VM114H2C Manufacturer..... KRM Plug and Play D..... KRM0114 Serial number...... 505-707455010 Manufacture date...... 2009, ISO week 10 EDID revision...... 1 3 Input signal type Digital Color bit depth..... Undefined Display type..... RGB color Screen size..... 520 x 320 mm (24 0 in) Power management...... Standby, Suspend, Active off/sleep Extension blocs...... 1 (CEA-EXT) ------DDC/CI.....n/a Color characteristics Default color space..... Non-sRGB Display gamma...... 2.20 Red chromaticity Rx 0 674 - Ry 0.319 Green chromaticity...... Gx 0.188 - Gy 0.706 Blue chromaticity...... Bx 0.148 - By 0 064 White point (default).... Wx 0 313 - Wy 0.329 Additional descriptors... None Timing characteristics Horizontal scan range.... 30-83kHz Vertical scan range..... 56-76Hz Video bandwidth..... 170MHz CVT standard..... Not supported GTF standard..... Not supported Additional descriptors... None Preferred timing...... Yes Native/preferred timing.. 1280x720p at 60Hz (16:10) Modeline...... "1280x720" 74.250 1280 1390 1430 1650 720 725 730 750 +hsync +vsync Standard timings supported 720 x 400p at 70Hz - BM VGA 640 x 480p at 60Hz - BM VGA 640 x 480p at 75Hz - VESA 800 x 600p at 60Hz - VESA 800 x 600p at 75Hz - VESA 1024 x 768p at 60Hz - VESA 1024 x 768p at 75Hz - VESA 1280 x 1024p at 75Hz - VESA 1280 x 1024p at 60Hz - VESA STD 1600 x 1200p at 60Hz - VESA STD



10 Kramer Protocol 2000

This RS-232 communication protocol uses four bytes of information as defined below. The default data rate is 9600 baud, with no parity, 8 data bits and 1 stop bit.

Table 5: Protocol Definitions

MSB							LSB
	DESTI- NATION	INSTRU	JCTION				
0	D	N5	N4	N3	N2	N1	N0
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
lst byte							
	INPUT						
1	6	15	14	13	12	11	10
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
nd byte	-						
	OUTPUT						
1	O6	O5	O4	O3	O2	01	00
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
rd byte							
			MACH	IINE NUMBE	R		
1	OVR	Х	M4	M3	M2	M1	MO
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0

4th byte

1st BYTE: Bit 7 – Defined as 0

D - "DESTINATION": 0 - for sending information to the switchers (from the PC);

1 - for sending to the PC (from the switcher)

N5 N0 – "INSTRUCTION"

The function that is to be performed by the switcher(s) is defined by the INSTRUCTION (6 bits) Similarly, if a function is performed via the machine's keyboard, then these bits are set with the INSTRUCTION NO, which was performed The instruction codes are defined according to the table below (INSTRUCTION NO is the value to be set for N5 N0)

2nd BYTE:

Bit 7 – Defined as 1 I6 I0 – "INPUT"

When switching (ie instruction codes 1 and 2), the INPUT (7 bits) is set as the input number which is to be switched Similarly, if switching is done via the machine's front-panel, then these bits are set with the INPUT NUMBER which was switched For other operations, these bits are defined according to the table

3rd BYTE:

Bit 7 – Defined as 1 O6 O0 – "OUTPUT"

When switching (ie instruction codes 1 and 2), the OUTPUT (7 bits) is set as the output number which is to be switched Similarly, if switching is done via the machine's front-panel, then these bits are set with the OUTPUT NUMBER which was switched For other operations, these bits are defined according to the table

4th BYTE: Bit 7 - Defined as 1

Bit 5 – Don't care OVR – Machine number override

M4 M0 - MACHINE NUMBER

Used to address machines in a system via their <u>machine numbers</u>. When several machines are controlled from a single serial port, they are usually configured together with each machine having an individual machine number. If the OVR bit is set, then all machine numbers will accept (implement) the command, and the addressed machine will reply

For a single machine controlled via the serial port, always set M4 M0 = 1, and make sure that the machine itself is configured as MACHINE NUMBER = 1

Note: All values in the table are decimal, unless otherwise stated						
INSTRUCTION		DEFINITION FOR SPEC	NOTE			
#	DESCRIPTION	INPUT	OUTPUT			
1	SWITCH V DEO	Set equal to video input which is to be switched	Set equal to video output which is to be switched	2		
		(0 = disconnect)	(0 = to all the outputs)			
61	IDENTIFY MACH NE	1 - video machine name	0 - Request first 4 digits	13		
		3 - video software version	1 - Request first suffix			
		9 - protocol 2000 version	2 - Request second suffix			
			3 - Request third suffix			
	10 - Request first prefix					
			11 - Request second prefix			
			12 - Request third prefix			
62	DEFINE MACHINE	1 - number of inputs	1 - for video	14		
		2 - number of outputs	2 - for audio			

Table 6: Instruction Codes for Protocol 2000

NOTES on the above table:

NOTE 2 - These are bi-directional definitions That is, if the switcher receives the code, it will perform the instruction; and if the instruction is performed (due to a keystroke operation on the front panel), then these codes are sent For example, if the HEX code 01 85 88 83

was sent from the PC, then the switcher (machine 3) will switch input 5 to output 8 If the user switched input 1 to output 7 via the front panel keypad, then the switcher will send HEX codes:

41 87 81 83

to the PC

When the PC sends one of the commands in this group to the switcher, then, if the instruction is valid, the switcher replies by sending to the PC the same four bytes that it was sent (except for the first byte, where the DESTINATION bit is set high)

NOTE 13 - This is a request to identify the switcher/s in the system If the OUTPUT is set as 0, and the INPUT is set as 1, 2, 5 or 7, the machine will send its name The reply is the decimal value of the INPUT and OUTPUT For example, for a 2216, the reply to the request to send the audio machine name would be (HEX codes): 7D96 90

81 (i e 128dec+ 22dec for 2nd byte, and 128dec+ 16dec for 3rd byte)

If the request for identification is sent with the INPUT set as 3 or 4, the appropriate machine will send its software version number Again, the reply would be the decimal value of the INPUT and OUTPUT - the INPUT representing the number in front of the decimal point, and the OUTPUT representing the number after it For example, for version 3.5, the reply to the request to send the version number would be (HEX codes):

7D 81 (i e 128dec+ 3dec for 2nd byte, 128dec+ 5dec for 3rd byte) 83 85

If the OUTPUT is set as 1, then the ASCII coding of the lettering following the machine's name is sent For example, for the VS-7588YC, the reply to the request to send the first suffix would be (HEX codes):

81 (i e 128dec+ ASCII for "Y"; 128dec+ ASCII for "C") 7D D9 C3

NOTE 14 - The number of inputs and outputs refers to the specific machine which is being addressed, not to the system For example, if six 16X16 matrices are configured to make a 48X32 system (48 inputs, 32 outputs), the reply to the HEX code 3E 82 82 (ie request the number of outputs) 81

would be HEX codes 90 82 7E 82 ie 16 outputs



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