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## **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

Please read all instructions before attempting to unpack, install or operate this equipment and before connecting the power supply.

Please keep the following in mind as you unpack and install this equipment:

- Always follow basic safety precautions to reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock and injury to persons.
- To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not expose the unit to rain, moisture or install this product near water.
- Never spill liquid of any kind on or into this product.
- Never push an object of any kind into this product through any openings or empty slots in the unit, as you may damage parts inside the unit.
- Do not attach the power supply cabling to building surfaces.
- Use only the supplied power supply unit (PSU). Do not use the PSU if it is damaged.
- Do not allow anything to rest on the power cabling or allow any weight to be placed upon it or any person walk on it.
- To protect the unit from overheating, do not block any vents or openings in the unit housing that provide ventilation and allow for sufficient space for air to circulate around the unit.

VERSION NO.	DATE DD/MM/YY	SUMMARY OF CHANGE
VS1	23/02/12	First release
VS2	17/07/12	SDI standards updated
VR3	08/08/12	RS-232 command
VS4	12/01/16	Updated diagrams

## **REVISION HISTORY**



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## **1. INTRODUCTION**

The 3G-SDI Matrix series allows SD-SDI, HD-SDI and 3G-SDI signals to be shown on SDI displays while ensuring high bit-rates of 2.970 Gbps to give you fast signal transmission without signal loss. For professionals, this means that it is now easier to switch multiple 3G-SDI signals and split display of them on up to four SDI-equipped displays simultaneously. Additionally, these units can be controlled with the supplied IR remote, the front panel keys or RS-232 control functions.

# 2. APPLICATIONS

- Video broadcasting switching display
- Professional video program display
- Film studios program monitoring
- Video program switching display

# **3. PACKAGE CONTENTS**

- 16 by 4 3G-SDI Matrix
- 5V/2.6 A DC Power Adaptor
- Remote Control (CR-101)
- Operation Manual

# **4. SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS**

Source devices with SDI (SD/HD/3G) output, display devices with SDI Input and connected with SDI cables.



## **5. FEATURES**

- 3G-SDI input sources can be selected and split or switched to four 3G-SDI displays simultaneously
- Operation at 2.970 Gbps, 2.970/1.001 Gbps, 1.485 Gbps, 1.485/1.001 Gbps and 270 Mbps
- Supports SMPTE 425M (Level A & Level B), SMPTE 424M, SMPTE 292M, SMPTE 259M-C
- Connect using other units to extend your signal over long distances
- Signal is equalized and re-clocked
- Supports signal input and output distances of up to 300 meters for SD signals, 200 meters for HD signals and 100 meters for 3G signals

Note: Tested with Belden 1694A cable. Operating distances may vary if used with another type of cable.

# 6. OPERATION CONTROLS AND FUNCTIONS

#### 6.1 Front Panel





#### 6.2 Rear Panel



- **1** DC 5V: Plug the 5V DC power supply into the unit and connect the adaptor to AC wall outlet.
- **2 RS-232:** Connect to a PC or laptop (with 9-pin D-sub female cable) to control the device via RS-232 commands.
- **3 SDI INPUT:** Connect to the SDI source equipment such as video camera or SDI player. The amount of input slots will depend on the model.
- **4 SDI OUTPUT:** Connect to the SDI displays with an SDI cables for displaying the output. It can also be connected to another SDI converter/extender to extend the signal.

#### 6.3 Remote Control

**1 POWER:** Press the button to power the unit on/off.

2 INPUT: Press the number keys to select

on the controlling device.

- 8 the desired input source from 01~16 after 4 CR-101
- selecting the output then press enter to confirm the selection. Note: selectable inputs are dependant
- 3 OUTPUT: Press an output port from A~D first then select an input number and press enter to confirm the selection.
- **4** ENTER: Press this button to confirm each input/output selection.



MATRIX		
Pin	Assignment	
1	NC	
2	TxD	
3	RxD	
4	NC	
5	GND	
6	NC	
7	NC	
8	NC	
9	NC	

REMOTE CONTROLLER		
Pin	Assignment	
1	NC	
2	RxD	
3	TxD	
4	NC	
5	GND	
6	NC	
7	NC	
8	NC	
9	NC	

Baud Rate: 19200 bps Data bit: 8-bit Parity: None Stop bit: 1-bit Flow Control: None

#### 6.5 RS-232 Commands

COMMAND	DESCRIPTION
poweron	Power on
poweroff	Power off
	x=a~d (Output), xx=01~16 (Input)
portx xx	For example, when SDI output A needs to be SDI
	input 2, the command would be 'porta 02'.

Note: All the RS-232 command will be not executed unless followed with a carriage return. Commands are not case-sensitive.



## 7. CONNECTION DIAGRAM





# 8. SPECIFICATIONS

SMPTE Standard	259M-C, 292M, 424M/425M-AB
Bit Rates	270 Mbps, 1.485 Gbps & 1.485/1.001 Gbps,
	2.970 Gbps & 2.970/1.001 Gbps
Input Ports	16×BNC
Output Ports	4×BNC
SDI Resolutions	SMPTE 259M-C: 270 Mbps; SMPTE
	292M: 1.485Gbps & 1.485/1.001Gbps;
	SMPTE 424M/425M-AB: 2.970 Gbps &
	2.970/1.001 Gbps
HDMI Resolutions	480i/576i, 720p@50/59.94/60,
	1080i@50/59.94/60, 1080p@23.
	98/24/25/29.97/30/50/59.94/60,
	1080PsF@23.98/24/25/29.97/30
Audio Sampling Rate	48 kHz
SDI Cable Distance	Up to 250m (SD-SDI), 200m (HD-SDI),
	100m (3G-SDI)
ESD Protection	Human-body Model:
	±8kV (air-gap discharge)
	± 4kV (contact discharge)
Power Supply	5V/2.6 A DC (US/EU standards, CE/FCC/UL
	certified)
Dimensions	436mm (W)×132mm (D)×93mm (H)
Weight	2476g
Chassis Material	Metal
Silkscreen Color	Black
Operating Temperature	0°C~40°C/32°F~104°F
Storage Temperature	-20°C~60°C/-4°F~140°F
Relative Humidity	20~90% RH (non-condensing)
Power Consumption	8.5W



# 9. ACRONYMS

ACRONYM	COMPLETE TERM
3G	Bandwidth 2.97Gbit/s ≈ 3G
BNC	Bayonet Neill-Concelman
SDI	Serial Digital Interface

