MPX-2ds FM-MPX Satellite Receiver/Decoder

Highlights

- ▶ 2-channel satellite receiver with MPX and audio outputs
- 2-channel MPX Composite Decoder
- Doptimized for MPX and μMPX and audio distribution via IP





MPX-2ds - FM-MPX Satellite Receiver/Decoder (1/2)

The MPX-2ds is a 2-channel decoder for MPX distribution via satellite or IP. Supporting MPX using PCM data (2.4 to 4.6 Mbit/s) or compressed μ MPX (down to 320 kbit/s), it is the perfect fit for cost-efficient operation of FM distribution networks.

In addition to decoding MPX signals, the MPX-2ds also supports the decoding of regular audio feeds. This versatility makes it the ideal device for seamless transitions from audio-only distribution to MPX distribution whenever necessary.

Features

- Dual Satellite tuner
- Decodes MPX via PCM or μMPX*
- Decodes audio via satellite or IP streaming (RTP / SRT)
- Two audio/MPX channels, can also be bought with only one channel for a lower price
- Analog & Digital MPX output
- Analog & Digital audio output from MPX using stereo decoder
- Analog & Digital audio output directly from Sat/IP audio decoder
- Robust IP streaming input PRO MPEG FEC, dual streaming, RIST, SRT

Flexible in application – pay as you grow

- Decoding from Satellite or IP feeds
- One-channel base-unit can be upgraded to two-channel device for two separate distribution feeds
- Easy transition from audio to MPX, be ready to switch over your satellite transponder anytime
- Forwarding the received stream via MPE for devices without SAT receiver

Perfect audio & latency management

- Synchronous playout based on NTP (SPN)* also using μMPX
- Perfect latency control in SFN FM networks based on 1PPS or GPS* also using μMPX

Backup / advanced redundancy management

- ▶ Flexible automatic switch over concept with free definition of alternative input sources as redundancy solution in case of failures
- Playing files from internal storage
- Dual IP ports for data and one additional IP port for control interface
- ▶ Redundant power supply 90 260 VAC or 48 VDC



MPX-2ds - FM-MPX over IP Codec (2/2)

Monitoring and control

- Remote control with various possibilities: HTTP(S), FTP, NMS, SNMP
- Revised configuration via web user interface for easier setup
- ▶ SNMP v2c & V3, relays, inputs
- REST-API
- ▶ Ember+

IP security

- ▶ High level security in open IP infrastructures
- Tested by independent inspection bodies (white/blacklist penetration tests)



Technical details (1/3)

Codecs

MPX decoder

| Туре | PCM raw |
|--------------|-------------------------------|
| Bit depth | 16, 20, 24 bit |
| Bitrate | 2.4 up to 4.6 Mbit/s (no FEC) |
| Sample rates | 192, kHz |

μMPX decoder (optional)

| Bitrates kbit/s | 320, 384, 448, 576, 800 (no FEC) |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Sample rates | 192 kHz |

Audio decoder

| Standards | Linear PCM, G.711, G.722 |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| | Opus, Ogg Vorbis |
| | MPEG 1/2 Layer 2, 3 |
| | MPEG-2/MPEG-4 AAC-LC, MPEG-4 HE-AAC v1 & v2, MPEG-4/MPEG-D xHE-AAC |
| | MPEG-4 AAC-LD/ELD/ELDv2 |
| | Enhanced aptX (E-aptX) |
| Sample rates | 16, 22.05, 24, 32, 44.1, 48 kHz |
| Sample rate converter | 8:1 (with bypass modes) |
| | |

Robust streaming

| Standards | SRT |
|-----------|---------------------------|
| | RIST |
| | Pro-MPEG FEC #3 release 2 |
| | μMPX FEC |

Decoder outputs

| Synchronization between | < 20 ms using SPN via NTP (optional) |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| different devices | < 10 μs using SFN via 1PPS (optional) |



Technical details (2/3)

FM MPX signal

| Signal | FM MPX digital or analog |
|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Frequency response | 20 Hz – 90 kHz: <0.05 dB |
| Stereo separation | > 55 dB |
| Harmonic distortion | < 0.0025 dB |
| SNR (CCIR-weighted) | > 75 dB |
| SNR (A-weighted) | > 90 dB |

FM μMPX signal

| Signal | analog |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Frequency response | 40 Hz – 15 kHz: < 0,15dB |
| Stereo separation | > 36dB @500Hz > 50dB |
| Harmonic distortion | > 56dB bzw. < 0,16% @500Hz > 70dB bzw. < 0.035% |
| SNR (CCIR-weighted) | > 69dB |
| SNR (A-weighted) | > 78dB |

Interfaces

MPX/Audio

| Analog MPX out | 2x integrated 50 Ω BNC socket; unbalanced >10k Ω |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Digital Audio/MPX out | 110 Ω balanced, integrated XLR male 1-channel configuration: 2x AES/EBU 2-channel configuration: 4x AES/EBU, shared with analog out (configurable) |
| Analog Audio out | < 20 Ω balanced, integrated XLR male 1-channel configuration: 1x L/R 2-channel configuration: 2x L/R, shared with digital out (configurable) |
| Analog reference level | +9 dBu, Max. +18 dBu (input/output) |
| Digital reference input | No dedicated input, selectable by user |
| Digital reference level | -9 dBFS |
| Digital Silence detection | -90 – 0 dBFS |
| Adjustable gain | -9 – +6 dB |
| Dynamic range | 16 Bit: > 89 dB; 24 Bit: > 130 dB |
| Frequency response | Depends on sample rate – e.g. 48 kHz: 0.1 dB; 20 Hz – 22.5 kHz |



Technical details (3/3)

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| Connector RF1 | F connector female (input) |
| Connector RF2 | F connector female (2 nd input) |
| | 950 – 2.150 MHz, step 1 kHz All LNB oscillator frequencies possible |
| Input level, impedance | -75 – -20 dBm, 75 Ω |
| LNB Control | 13 V vertical, 18 V horizontal, off |
| | 0 kHz low band, 22kHz high band |
| Noise figure | Typical 6dB, max. 12 dB |
| DVB-S Demodulation/ | QPSK |
| Decoding | CCM |
| | VITERBI and Reed-Solomon decoder 1/2, 2/3, 3/4, 5/6, 6/7, 7/8 |
| DVB-S2 Demodulation/ | QPSK, 8PSK, 16APSK and 32APSK |
| Decoding | CCM, VCM and ACM |
| | LDPC and BCH decoder |
| | 1/2, 3/5, 2/3, 3/4, 4/5, 5/6, 8/9, 9/10 |
| Symbol rates | 1 – 45 MSym/s (on request: 0.128 – 45 MSym/s) |
| Data processing | single and multiple MPEG TS |
| PL scrambling | ID 0 – 262144 |
| IF Filter bandwidth | Automatic selection |
| MPEG decoding | according to ETSI TR 101 154 |
| Ethernet | |
| Connector | 3x RJ45 (Control, 2x Data) |
| Туре | Auto switching 10/100/1000 BASE-T, Unicast, Multicast |
| Data | Audio, serial data and GPIO transmission, controlling and setup functions |
| | MPEG TS or MPE output |
| Synchronization | |
| 1PPS input | 50 $Ω$ BNC socket |
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| GPS (optional) | |
| 10 MHz output (optional) | |
| 1PPS output (optional) | 50 Ω BNC socket, from GPS module |
| Serial/GPIO | |
| DTE 1 + 2 | 2x 9 pole D-Sub male connector for serial RS-232C data communication |
| USB | USB 2.0 interface for service, configuration and firmware updates |
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26 pole sub-D male; 8 inputs (GPI); 8 outputs (GPO)

Contact closure



Technical details (3/3)

Front Panel

| Headphone | $6.3 \text{ mm} / 1/4^{\prime\prime} \text{ socket,} < 10 \Omega$ |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| LEDs | Power, Input, Output, Warning |
| Operation | Display and Jog Wheel |

General Data

| Power consumption | < 20 W |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Case dimensions | 19", 1 RU, depth: 310 mm, width: 424 mm, front panel: 484 mm |
| Weight | < 5 kg |
| Material | Steel plate (aluminum-zinc coated) |
| Operating temp. range | 0 – +45°C |
| Storage temp. range | -40 - +70°C |
| Languages | English |
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Power Supply

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|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Standard AC | 1 internal IEC power connector | |
| | voltage range 90 – 260 VAC (nominal 100 – 240 VAC) | |
| | frequency range 47 – 63 Hz (nominal 50 – 60 Hz) | |
| Dual internal (optional) | ual internal (optional) Two internal redundant power supplies (AC or DC) | |
| | automatic switchover and prioritization | |
| | AC: 90 – 260 VAC (nominal 100 – 240 VAC), 47 – 63 Hz (nominal 50 – 60 Hz) | |
| Dual hot-plug (optional) | Two hot-swappable redundant power supplies (AC or DC) | |
| | automatic switchover and prioritization | |
| | AC: 90 – 260 VAC (nominal 100 – 240 VAC), 47 – 63 Hz (nominal 50 – 60 Hz) | |
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Options (1/2)

MPX-2ds base unit variations

Each base unit includes one channel for MPX decoding. You can choose between the following base unit variations:

| Article no. | Name | |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| VER63401 | Base unit MPX-2ds with 1x internal AC power supply | |
| VER63402 | Base unit MPX-2ds with 2x internal AC power supplies | |
| VER63403 | Base unit MPX-2ds with slot for 2x hot-plug power supply 2x hot-plug power supplies AC / DC not included. Please order 2 hot-plug power supplies AC (VER45851) or DC (VER45852). | |

MPX-2ds hardware options

Please note that hardware options are installed at the factory in Flensburg, Germany, and can only be retrofitted independently in individual cases.

| Article no. | Name | Description |
|-------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| VER63412 | GPS module | Output synchronization via GPS input signal. Parallel output of 10 MHz and 1PPS signals. Antenna not included. Requires option SFN (VER68013). |
| VER45851 | Hot-plug AC power supply | Power supply with automatic switch over in case of failure. ▶ 90 – 260 VAC (nominal 100 – 240 VAC), 47 – 63 Hz (nominal 50 – 60 Hz) |
| VER45852 | Hot-plug DC power supply | Power supply with automatic switch over in case of failure. 40 – -60 VDC (nominal -48 VDC) |

MPX-2ds software options

Please note that software options can be retrofitted remotely.

| Article no. | Name | Description |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| VER63410 | Second decoder output | Activates the second decoder and MPX/audio output. |
| | | Two programs get decoded and put out in parallel. |
| VER63411 | SPN (Synchronized Playout Network)(*) | Output synchronization via NTP time server |
| | | Accuracy: 20ms |
| | | (*) On request |
| VER68013 | SFN (Single-frequency Network) | Synchronization of MPX streams for FM-SFN networks accurate to the microsecond. |
| | | 1PPS input |
| | | Accuracy: < 10 μs |
| | | Price per unit. |



Options (2/2)

| Article no. | Name | Description |
|-------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| VER69013 | μMPX decoder – MPX decompression | Algorithm to decompress the full MPX/composite signal, including pilot and RDS from IP to MPX. |
| | | 5 available bitrates: 320 and 800 Kbps. |
| | | Up to 2 μ MPX decoder per unit possible. |
| | | Price per activated channel. |
| VER63413 | TS forwarding over IP | TS Forwarding enables the forwarding of a complete TS or MPE-forwarding. The SAT tuner is used as source. |
| | | Price per unit. |
| VER63016 | SRT/RIST decoder | SRT functionality for decoder according to SRT standard of the SRT Alliance (including UDP). |
| | | RIST functionality for decoder according to IETF standard "RIST Simple Profile" and RFC 4585. |
| | | Price per activated channel. |