3G Video Media Converter and 6-Channel Distribution Amplifier

Integrated Optical/Electrical Distribution Amplifier Simplifies Routing and Coax to Fiber Media Conversion of 3G/HD/SD Digital Video Signals. 6 modes of operation. Available with optional mode control via web enabled port.



Enhanced Video Solutions

Product Overview

The VMDA series is a unique Distribution Amplifier and Video Media Converter, which offers the user the flexibility needed for today's 3G/HD/SD Field Production work.

The VMDA offers user selectable modes for distribution of SMPTE 297M compatible 3G/HD/SD Traffic. Based on six efficient configurations, this device accommodates situations most common to production work.

Key Features

- SMPTE 424M Compliant (up to 2.97Gbps)
- SMPTE 297M Optical Interface Compliant
- SMPTE 292M Compliant (Up to 1.485Gbps)
- SMPTE 259M/297M/305M Compatible (Up to 540 Mbps)
- DVB/ASI Compatible
- MADI Compatible if on 75 Ohm BNC (125 Mbps)
- ATSC/SMPTE 310M Compatible (19.4 to 38.8 Mbps)
- Error Free Pathological Pattern Operation
- BNC Ground isolation > 50 VDC

6 User-Selectable Modes

- All Signals Internally Re-Clocked for Added Signal Integrity
- Available with web enabled mode control port

Key Features

 INPUTS/OUTPUTS SMPTE 297M

> One "ST" Singlemode Fiber Input One "ST" Singlemode Fiber Output

SMPTE 292M/259M and DVB/ASI

One 75 ohm BNC Electrical Video Input Six 75 ohm BNC Selectable Electrical Video Outputs

- 6 User-Selectable Optical/Electrical Modes with Intuitive LED Indications and Signal Flow Arrows
- Non-Volatile Memory Retains Prior Mode Setting if Power is Interrupted.
- Wall Plug Power Supply: 110-240 VAC to 12 VDC with
 - XLR connector or User Supplied 12 VDC Supply. (Power supply sold separately.)
- RoHS-6 Compliant
- Convenient size yet durable for demanding field use: (Dimensions include ST's with dust cover and BNC's)
 6.9 inch x 5.0 inch x 1.7 inch
 - 174 mm cm x 126 mm x 42 mm

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MODE 1 MODE 2 MODE 3 0 Fibe 0 Fiber Re-Clocked Re-C COAX COAX MODE 4 MODE 5 MODE 6 (0) 0 0 Fiber 0 Fiber Re-Clocked Re-Clocked Re-Clocker Re-Clocked COAX COAX COAX

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6 User-Selectable Modes

| Mode | Inputs | Outputs | | | |
|------|---------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| 1 | 1 Fiber | 1 Fiber and 6 Coax | | | |
| 2 | 1 Coax | 1 Fiber and 6 Coax | | | |
| 3 | 1 Fiber | 6 Coax | | | |
| 3 | 1 Coax | 1 Fiber | | | |

| Mode | Inputs | Outputs | | |
|---------|---------|--------------------------------|--|--|
| | 1 Fiber | 4 Coax (#3, #4, #5, #6) | | |
| 4 | 1 Coax | 1 Fiber and 2 Coax (#1, #2) | | |
| 1 Fiber | | 1 Fiber and 2 Coax (#5, #6) | | |
| | 1 Coax | 4 Coax (#1,#2, #3, #4) | | |
| | 1 Fiber | 1 Fiber | | |
| 6 | 1 Coax | 6 Coax | | |

To select a mode:

- 1) Connect power to the VMDA.
- 2) Push mode button 5 seconds until mode light blinks.
- 3) Click mode button until chosen mode number light blinks and release. 1 = 1, 2 = 2, 3 = 3, 4 = 1+3, 5 = 2+3, 6 = 1+2+3

Notes: Upon momentary mode button clicks, lit arrows show signal flow.

On board memory retains mode selection when power is off.

VMDA Ordering Information

| | Optical Transmit Power (dBm) | | Optical Input Power (dBm) | | Link Distance | |
|---|------------------------------|---------|------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| Part Number | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Minimum | Maximum | Minimum |
| VMDA-P-2-6-Z (1310nm FP TX/PIN RX) | -6 | -3.5 | -1 | 3G: -20 HD: -20 | -3 | 3G: 10 km HD: 20 km |
| VMDA-P-2-6-ZW (1310nm FP TX/PIN RX) Web enabled control port. | -6 | -3.5 | -1 | 3G: -20 HD: -20 | -3 | 3G: 10 km HD: 20 km |

Contact factory for lead time for other 1310nm DFB and 1550nm DFB TX and CWDM wavelength TX combinations.

VMDA-P-2-6-Z (1310nm FP TX/PIN RX), **VMDA-P-2M-6-Z** (1310nm DFB TX/PIN RX), **VMDA-P-3-6-Z** (1550nm DFB TX/PIN RX), **VMDA-P-3-XX-6-Z*** (CWDM DFB TX/PIN RX).

*User specified wavelength nm. Specify -XX 2-digit code:

27=1270, 29=1290, 31=1310, 33=1330, 35=1350, 37=1370, 39=1390, 41=1410, 43=1430, 45=1450, 47=1470, 49=1490, 51=1510, 53=1530, 55=1550, 57=1570, 59=1590, 61=1610 nm

 Shipping Dimensions
 16.25 x 11.25 x 4.25 inch
 41 x 29 x 11cm

 Shipping Weight
 2.7 lb
 1.2 kg

Wall Plug Power Supply Ordering Information (Sold Separately.)

| Part Number | Input Voltage | Output Voltage | Output Current | Connector Type | Power Supply Plug Type | |
|---------------------|------------------|---|-------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| PS-12-2H-XLR | 110V to 240V | 12VDC | 2.5A | 4-Pin XLR Female | Interchangeable wall plugs for Australia, China, Europe, UK and US. | |
| Shipping Dimensions | 3 | 16.25 x 11.25 x 4.25 in 41 x 29 x 11 cm | | | | |
| Shipping Weight | | 1.6 lb 726 g | | | | |

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