

MPEG-2 ENCODER

Digitizing and converting A/V signals to MPEG-2 compressed IP or ASI streams which can be simply added to the program selection of digital broadcast networks.



Until analogue systems completely disappear, there are numerous applications, where analogue PAL signals need to be converted to digital data streams. In order to avoid excessively high data rates, in the course of the conversion applying some kind of compression procedure (MPEG-2, MPEG-4 etc.) becomes necessary.

The device receives composite video signals at its BNC sockets, asymmetrical or symmetrical audio signals at its RCA or XLR sockets, and after digitizing and compressing them it delivers MPEG-2 single-program transport streams at its IP or ASI outputs.

It is available in duo version (two independent encoder units in one frame) and in quad version (two independent encoder units in one frame).

The MPEG-2 compression can be performed to fixed data rate or to data rate varying with the picture content. The kind of compression and its parameters can be programmed by the user. In the practice data rates between 3 and 4 Mbit/s yield excellent picture quality. The sound channel input signal will be converted by a dual channel encoder performing MPEG-1 layer I/II compression. The sampling frequency is programmable, and the output data rate can be set between 32 and 448 kbit/s.

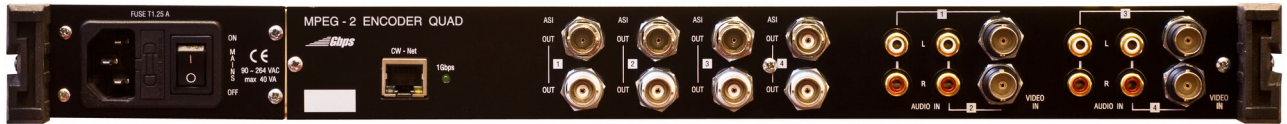
Field of application:

- ✓ feeding composite video signals of analogue program sources (cameras, broadcasters, etc.) to digital broadcast networks

The device can be programmed and monitored with the SW-4888 and the SW-4901 controller software which are available for free download at www.cableworld.eu.

- ✓ CVBS (PAL/NTSC) inputs
- ✓ dual channel audio inputs (Stereo, joint stereo, dual and mono sound mode)
- ✓ Programmable output picture resolution: D1, 3/4 D1, 2/3 D1, 1/2 D1, SIF, QSIF
- ✓ IP or ASI outputs
- ✓ 2 or 4 independent encoder units in one frame
- ✓ 4:3, 16:9, or WSS-controlled aspect ratio
- ✓ PAT, PMT, SDT, and NIT insertion
- ✓ FPGA circuitry
- ✓ extremely low power consumption
- ✓ high reliability, long lifespan

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Technical data

Video input

Number of inputs 2 or 4
 Input impedance 75 Ω (BNC socket)
 Input signal 1V_{pp} composite PAL or NTSC

Audio input

Number of inputs 4 × Left, Right
 Input impedance approx. 30 kΩ (RCA socket)
 Input amplitude max 3V_{pp}

Video encoding characteristics

System ISO 13818-2 (MPEG-2 video) MP@ML
 ISO 11172-2 (MPEG-1 video)
 Picture resolution max. 720 × 576
 Bit rate max. 15 Mbit/s
 Aspect ratio 4:3 or 16:9 (fix or WSS controlled)

Audio encoding characteristics

System ISO 11172-3 (MPEG-1 audio layer I/II)
 Sampling frequency 33 kHz, 44.1 kHz, 48 kHz
 Number of channels 2 (mono, stereo, dual, joint stereo)
 Bit rate max. 448 kbit/s

Multiplexer

System ISO 13818-1 (MPEG-2 PS / TS)
 ISO 11172-3 (MPEG-1)
 Output bit rate max. 20 Mbit/s (CBR / VBR)
 PSI tables PAT, PMT, simple SDT and NIT table

ASI output

Number of outputs 4 (CW-4888), 2 (CW-4887)
 Output connector doubled (2 × BNC socket)
 ASI signal according to EN 50083-9 (DVB-TM 1449 Rec.1)
 Output voltage min. 800 mV_{pp}
 Output impedance 75 Ω
 Data rate max. 20 Mbit/s per encoder

IP output

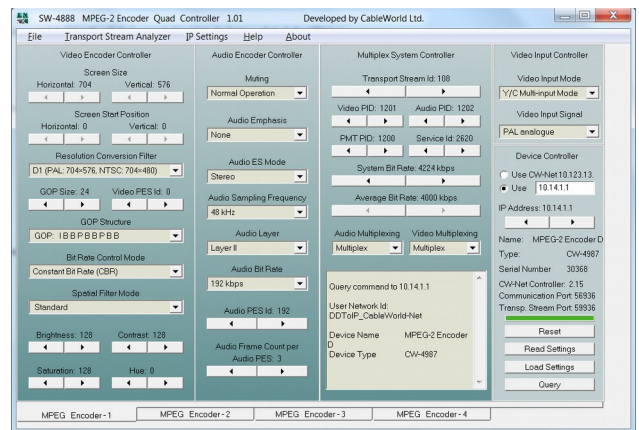
Number of outputs 1
 Output RJ-45, 100/1000Base-T
 Operation mode unicast, multicast

General data

Service continuous
 Power requirement 90 ~ 264 V / 47 ~ 440 Hz
 Power consumption max. 35 VA
 Mass approx. 3.8 kg
 Physical dimensions 19" × 1 HU
 Width × Height × Depth 483 × 43.6 × 473 mm
 Operating temperature range +5...+40°C
 Relative humidity max. 80 %
 Storage temperature range -25 ... +45°C
 Relative humidity max. 95 %, non-condensing

Device programming

Programming logically separated data and management port, Windows based softwares
 Default IP address 10.123.13.101



Ordering data:

- CW-4887** MPEG-2 Encoder Duo Two independent MPEG-2 encoder with CVBS video input and ASI output
- CW-4888** MPEG-2 Encoder Quad Four independent MPEG-2 encoder with CVBS video input and ASI output
- CW-4987** MPEG-2 Encoder Duo Two independent MPEG-2 encoder with CVBS video input and IP output
- CW-4988** MPEG-2 Encoder Quad Four independent MPEG-2 encoder with CVBS video input and IP output

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