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DVI to HD-SDI

Pro Scaler

EXT-DVI-2-HDSDIPRO

User Manual



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INTRODUCTION

The Gefen DVI to HDSDI Pro Scaler combines two of our DVI to HDSDI Scaler Plus units into one rack-mountable unit. It still incorporates full single-link DVI-D conversion scaled to your choice of SD/HDSDI Single- or Dual-link modes, but now simplifies your rack. Resolutions of up to 1080p are supported over the HDSDI link for those that want true "High Definition." Performance has been greatly enhanced due to Gennum's VXP Scaler circuitry onboard, allowing for new features such as Genlock, Color & Gamma Correction, Noise Reduction, Detail Enhancement, Aspect Ratio Selection, Pattern Generator Mode, and Multiple Language Menu Support. Bottom Line? More performance, less cost.

HOW IT WORKS

DVI devices are connected to the DVI inputs and SDI devices are connected to the SDI outputs. When the source, display and the Scaler are powered and connected, video signals are converted to the proper format. There are two separate menu systems for each integrated DVI to HDSDI box. Input 1 is labeled as the Master device in the menu system while Input 2 is labeled as the Slave device. Please refer to page 2 on how to access each separate menu system

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The DVI to HD-SDI Pro consists of:

- (1) DVI to HDSDI Pro Scaler unit
- (2) 6 foot DVI Cable (m-m)
- (1) DB-9 Cable
- (1) RMT-8HDS-IR Remote Control
- (1) Rack Ears
- (1) 5V Universal DC Power Supply
- (1) User Manual

OPERATION NOTES

On power up, the DVI to HD-SDI Pro will automatically detect the format of the input signal. The unit is controlled using the included remote or through the RS-232 port.

The following are the buttons for the RMT-8HDS-IR Remote Control Unit (included):

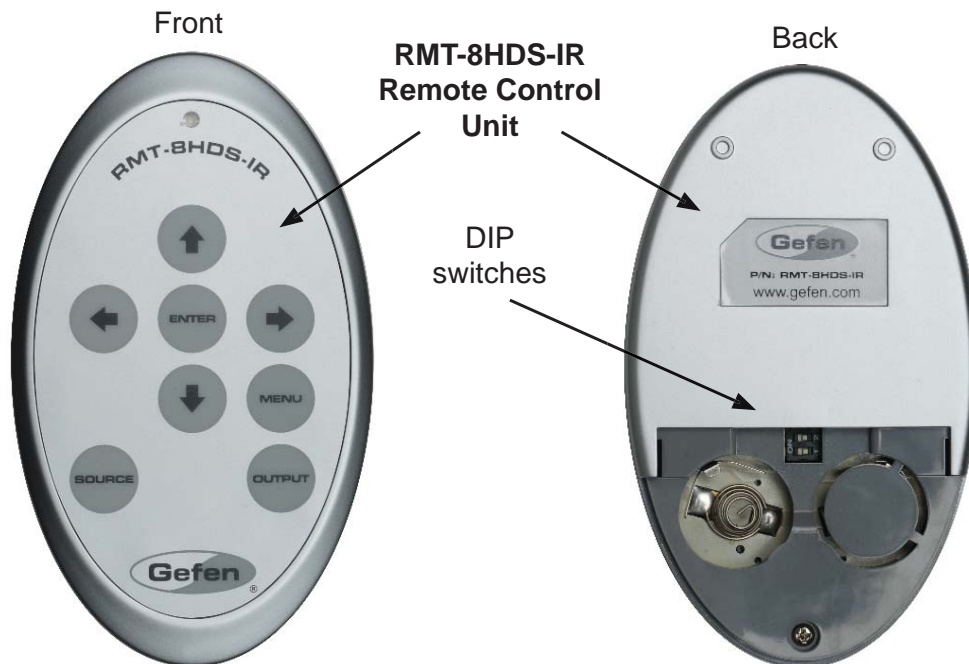
- UP (Navigates cursor up)
- LEFT (Navigates cursor left)
- Enter (Accept Operation / Return to Menu)
- RIGHT (Navigates cursor right)
- DOWN (Navigates cursor down)
- MENU (Show / Hide On screen Display)
- OUTPUT (Change Output Format)
- SOURCE (Non operational)

To bring up the on screen menu for the master device, press the MENU button once. To bring up the menu for the slave device, press the MENU button again. Pressing the MENU button once more will exit the menu system. Navigation is done using Buttons up, left, right, and down; Push the Enter button to accept the cursor focus.

Pressing the Output button cycles through the following output modes:
480i - 576i - 720p - 1080i

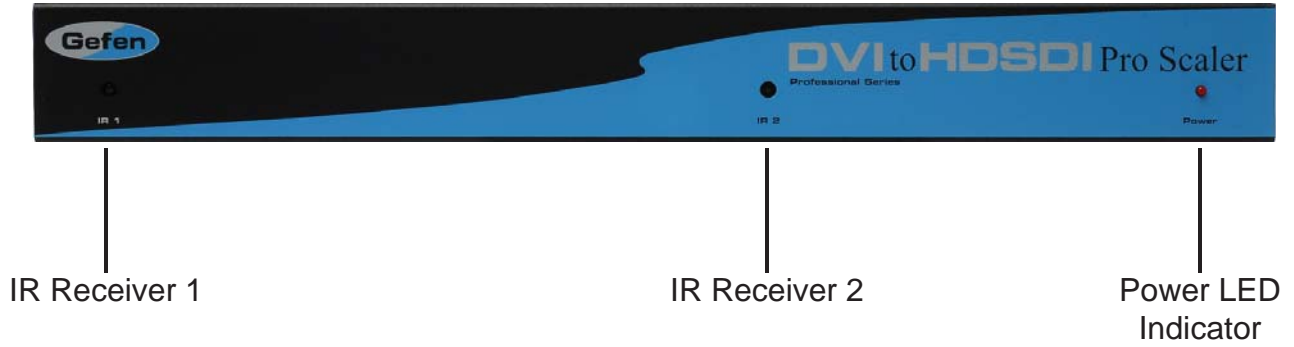
Other functions and output modes can be accessed through the on screen menu. To Restore I/O settings, simply recycle power on the Scaler

*Note: The IR Remote Control Unit has a small bank of adjustment switches known as DIP (Dual Inline Package) switches located inside the battery compartment. Both DIP switches under the remote battery cover must initially be in the OFF position to communicate with the Scaler, as they control the IR frequency used. Please see page 7 for more information on how to set the DIP switches.

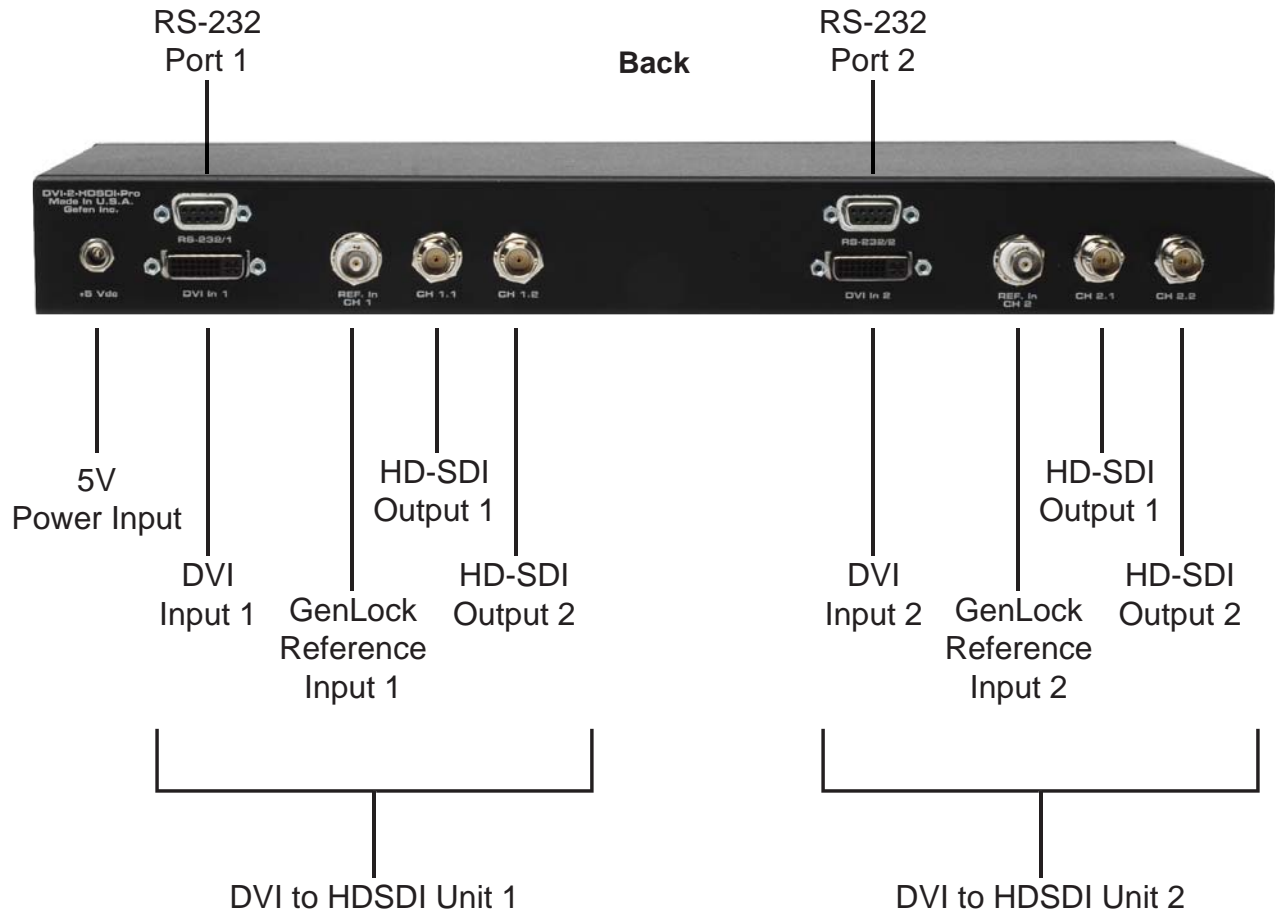


PANEL DESCRIPTIONS

Front



Back



Menu Functions

Aspect:

- Full Screen: Stretches input to fill the Monitor.
- Letter / Pillar Box: Sets the aspect ratio to fit a letter or pillar box format.
- Panoramic: Panoramic Zoom feature
- Extract: Feature to magnify the signal.
 - Extract Size: Adjusts signal magnification.
 - Horizontal / Vertical Position: Moves the magnified signal Horizontally and Vertically
- Through: Feature to crop the signal.
 - Horizontal / Vertical Size: Horizontally and Vertically contracts or expands the cropping viewport.
 - Horizontal / Vertical Position: Move the signal Horizontally or Vertically inside the cropping viewport.

Layout:

- Size and Position:
 - Horizontal / Vertical Size: Adjust Horizontal or Vertical resolution.
 - Horizontal / Vertical Position: Move image Horizontally or Vertically.

Picture:

- Image Color:
 - Contrast: Individually adjust the contrast for red, green and blue
 - Brightness: Individually adjust the brightness for red, green and blue
 - Black level: Adjust black levels between 0 (default) and 100
- Detail Enhancement:
 - Detail Enhancement: Digitally enhance signal
 - Noise Threshold: Adjusts noise allowed in detail enhancement
- Noise Reduction: Digitally reduce signal noise
- Motion Threshold

Menu Functions (continued...)

Input:

- Input Video Format: Auto Detect by default. Signal can be forced to a specific High-definition resolution. (Please see Supported Input/Output Resolutions for more information).

- Input Graphic Format: Auto Detect by default. Signal can be forced to a specific computer resolution. (Please see Supported Input/Output Resolutions for more information).

- Clean Aperture:
 - Horizontal and Vertical Size: Stretch image Horizontally or Vertically
 - Horizontal and Vertical Position: Move image in view port Horizontally or Vertically
 - Non-standard sync

- Remote Channel: Changes the IR code of the DVI to HDSDI Scaler to one of 4 different settings between 0 and 3. When the remote channel is changed, dip switches in the remote must be changed to the corresponding code in order to continue operating the DVI to HDSDI Scaler.

(Please see RMT-8HDS-IR Installation page for more information.)

Output:

- Output Format: Select the desired output resolution. (Please see Supported Input/Output Resolutions for more information).

- Link Configuration

- Genlock Reference: Locks input clock in sync with output clock. 2 locking methods by either the DVI input or the Reference input.
(Note: feature only works if input and output frequencies are multiples of each other)

- Language: Set menu to display English or French text.

- Gamma Correction:
 - Default: Set for Default Gamma settings.

 - sRGB

 - Custom: Enables Gamma Coefficient menu item as the current Gamma coefficient.

 - Gamma Coefficient: (0.3 - 3.0); Default set at 1.0.

Patterns:

- Color Bars: Display color bar video pattern.

- Cross Hatch: Display cross hatch video pattern.

General:

- Save configuration

- Restore default configuration

SUPPORTED INPUT/OUTPUT RESOLUTIONS

Input Video Formats Supported:

480i	10305i/59.94	1080p/50M
480p	1035i/60	1080p/59.94
576i	1080i/50	1080p/60
576p	1080i/50M	1080sf/23.98
720p/23.98	1080i/59.94	1080sf/24
720p/24	1080i/60	1080sf/25
720p/25	1080p/23.98	1080sf/29.97
720p/29.97	1080p/24	1080sf/30
720p/30	1080p/25	2K-p/23.98
720p/50	1080p/29.97	2K-p/24
720p/59.94	1080p/30	2K-sf/23.98
720p/60	1080p/50	2K-sf/24

Input Graphic Format Supported:

640x350/85	1024x768/85	1366x768/60
640x400/85	1280x854	1366x923/50
640x480/60	1152x864/75	1440x900/60
640x480/75	1280x768/60	1440x1080/60
640x480/85	1280x960/60	1440x1080/60
800x600/60	1280x960/85	1600x1024
800x600/75	1280x1024/60	1600x1200/60
800x600/85	1280x1024/75	1680x1050/60
1024x768/60	1280x1024/85	1920x1200/60
1024x768/75	1360x768/60	2048x1080

Output video formats supported:

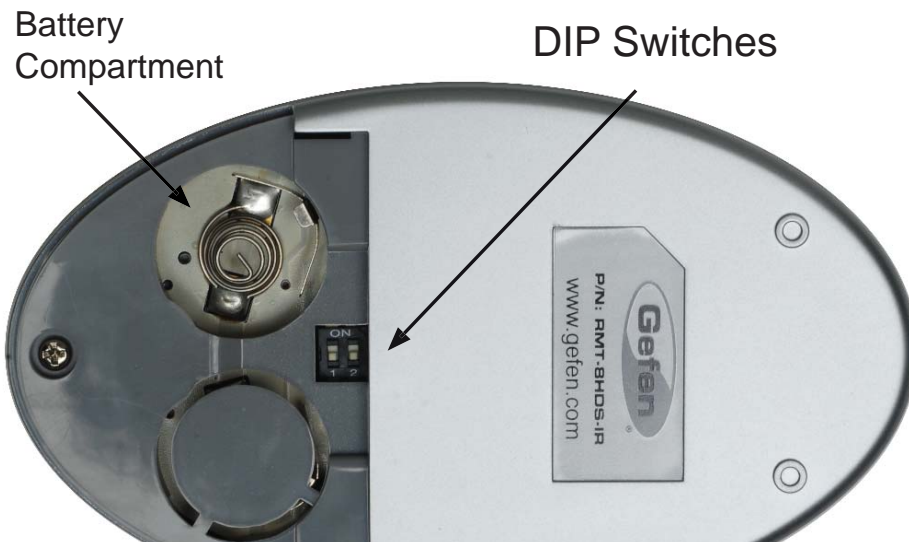
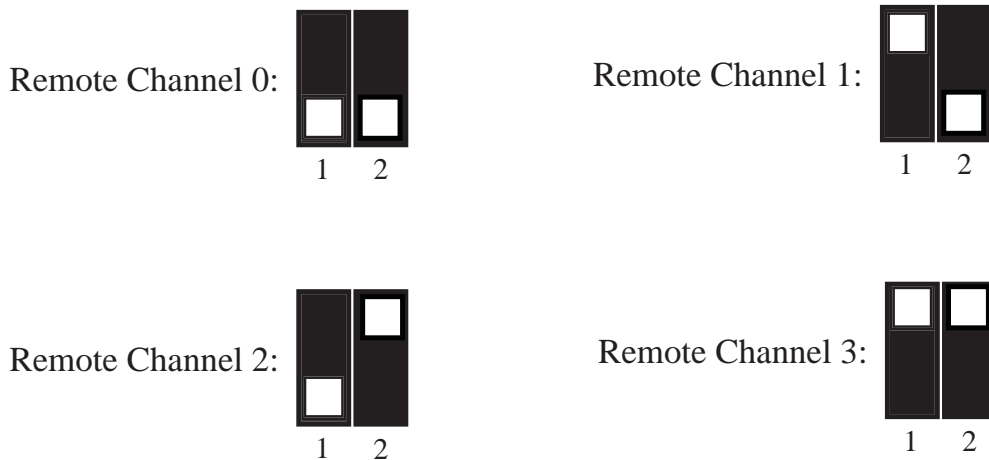
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RMT-8HDS-IR Installation

1. Remove battery cover from the back of the RMT-8HDS-IR remote.
2. Verify that DIP switches 1 & 2 are in the down (OFF) position.
3. Insert the battery, hold the battery so that you can see the positive side facing up. The side that is not marked must be facing down.
4. Test the RMT-8HDS-IR remote by pressing ONLY one button at a time. The indicator light on the remote will flash once each time you press a button. **WARNING:** Do not press multiple buttons simultaneously and do NOT press buttons rapidly. These actions will cause the remote to reset and steps 1-4 will have to be repeated.

Note: The RMT-8HDS-IR ships with two batteries. One battery is required for operation, the second battery is a spare.

The following are the DIP switch combinations that correspond to the Remote Code menu option on the DVI to HDS/SDI Scaler (Please see Menu Functions section for more information):



RMT-8HDS-IR Remote Control Unit (Back)

RS-232 CONTROL

The DVI to HD-SDI Pro can be controlled via the RS-232 port on the rear of the unit. Please refer to the Communication Protocol for Gennum VXP Products on Gefen's website at: <http://www.gefen.com/kvm/support/download.jsp>.

FIRMWARE UPDATE PROCEDURE

- 1 Connect your computer's RS-232 (serial) port to the RS-232 port on the DVI to HD-SDI Scaler Pro using a male to female, straight pin-to-pin RS-232 cable. Do not use a null modem cable.
- 2 Please download the latest firmware from Gefen's website at: <http://www.gefen.com/kvm/support/download.jsp>
- 3 Open and edit the setup.bat file and on the line "set comport=" edit the port number to match your comport number.
- 4 Run the setup.bat batch file and follow the instructions

SPECIFICATIONS

Input Video Bandwidth.....	2 x 165 MHz
Output Video Bandwidth.....	4 x 165 MHz
Maximum Input Resolution.....	2048x1080
Maximum Output Resolution.....	2048x1080p24
DVI Connector.....	DVI-I 29 pin female (digital only)
SDI/HDSDI Connector.....	BNC female
Data Port.....	Serial RS-232
Power Supply.....	5V 8A DC
Power Consumption.....	20 watts (Max.)
Dimensions.....	6.5"W x 1"H x 6.75"H
Shipping Weight.....	5 lbs.

WARRANTY

Gefen warrants the equipment it manufactures to be free from defects in material and workmanship.

If equipment fails because of such defects and Gefen is notified within two (2) years from the date of shipment, Gefen will, at its option, repair or replace the equipment, provided that the equipment has not been subjected to mechanical, electrical, or other abuse or modifications. Equipment that fails under conditions other than those covered will be repaired at the current price of parts and labor in effect at the time of repair. Such repairs are warranted for ninety (90) days from the day of reshipment to the Buyer.

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