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- b) Once repaired, you will be contacted, advising that the goods are ready to be collected from the store.

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# 8K 4x2 HDMI Matrix Switcher with eARC

# **Operating Instructions**



### **Features**

- · HDMI 2.1 and HDCP 2.3 compliant
- · 40Gbps video bandwidth
- Supports video resolution up to 8K@60Hz 4:2:0 10bit, 8K@30Hz 4:4:4 10bit, 4K@120Hz 4:4:4 10bit
- VRR, FVA, ALLM supported
- · Support HDR, HDR10, HDR10+, Dolby Vision, HLG pass through
- Support HDMI audio formats: LPCM, Dolby Digital/Plus/EX, Dolby True HD, Dolby Atmos, DTS, DTS-EX, DTS-96/24, DTS High Res, DTS-HD Master Audio, DSD
- INPUTS 1 port and OUT 1 port support eARC/ARC function
- · Allows HD audio up to Dolby Atmos, DTS:X over TrueHD from ANY
- · external HDMI source to any eARC/ARC sound system
- Support audio de-embedding function (output through the optical and analog port)
- · Built-in EDID DIP switch supports advanced EDID management
- 8K->4K, 8K/4K->2K downscaler support
- Support IR remote control and front panel button switching
- · Built-in Equalizer, Retiming and Driver
- Compact design for easy and flexible installation



### Overview

Allows four HDMI 8K V2.1 sources to be switched to two outputs/screens. This compact switcher brings together your HDMI sources for easy switching via front panel or IR remote control, eARC HDMI output allows simple connection to HDMI equipped soundbars. S/PDIF and 3.5mm stereo jack outputs are provided for connection to amplifier/speakers. Front panel provides access to switching configuration (pass through/scaler/splitter/ switcher) and EDID DIP switches. Power supply included. HDCP 2.3. Size: 200 x 85 x 21mm

#### Rox Contents

1 x 8K HDMI 4x2 Matrix

1 × 5V/2A Multinational Power Supply

1 x IR Remote

1 × User Manual

# **HDMI** Cable Selection

| Recommended HDMI Cable  |                |          |          |          |
|---|----------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Video Resolution  | 8K             | 4K60     | 4K24     | 1080P    |
| HDMI Cable Type   | Ultra HDMI 2.1 | HDMI 2.0 | HDMI 1.4 | HDMI 1.4 |
| HDMI Cable Length<br>(HDMI IN / OUT)                              | 3m             | 8m       | 12m      | 15m      |
| The use of "Premium High Speed HDMI" cable is highly recommended. |                |          |          |          |

#### Notes:

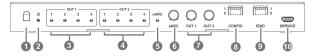
- To ouput 8K, Ultra HDMI 2.1 cables must be used.
- If HDMI 2.1 cable is used, then a video resolution of 1080p can be carried up to 20m without flicker
- If the HDMI splitter is used to output signals of 4K @ 120Hz or 8K. please ensure that the HDMI cable, HDMI signal source and HDMI display all support this video resolution. See EDID DIP switch settings for more information
- If the HDMI cables connected to either end of the switcher are too long then the output video may flicker or drop out.

# **Specifications**

| Technical             |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| HDMI Compliance       | HDMI 2.1   |
| HDCP Compliance       | HDCP 2.3   |
| Video Bandwidth       | 40Gbps   |
| Video Resolution      | Up to 8K@60Hz 4:2:0 10bit, 8K@30Hz 4:4:4 10bit, 4K@120Hz 4:4:4 10bit   |
| Audio Formats         | HDMI input/output:<br>LPCM, Dolby Digital/Plus/EX, Dolby True HD,<br>Dolby Atmos, DTS, DTS-EX, DTS-96/24, DTS High<br>Res, DTS-HD Master Audio, DSD<br>Audio de-embedding output:<br>Optical: Up to LPCM/Dolby/DTS 5.1 CH<br>Analog: LPCM 2.0 CH |
| Colour Depth          | 8-bit,10-bit,12-bit  |
| Colour Space          | RGB_4:4:4, YCbCr_4:4:4, YCbCr_4:2:2, YCbCr_4:2:0   |
| ESD Protection        | Human body model — ±8kV (Air-gap discharge) & ±4kV (Contact discharge)   |
| Connection            |  |
| Input Ports           | 4×HDMI IN Type A (19-pin female)   |
| Output Ports          | 2×HDMI OUT (Type A, 19-pin female)<br>1×OPTICAL (S/PDIF)<br>1×L/R (3.5mm Stereo Mini-jack)   |
| Control               | 1×SERVICE (Micro USB, Update port)   |
| Mechanical            |  |
| Housing               | Metal Enclosure  |
| Silkscreen Colour     | Black  |
| Dimensions            | 200W × 85D × 21Hmm   |
| Weight                | 411g   |
| Power Supply          | Input: AC100 - 240V 50/60Hz, Output: DC 5V/2A  |
| Power Consumption     | 2.05W (Max)  |
| Operation Temperature | -0°C to 40°C   |
| Storage Temperature   | -20°C ~ 60°C   |
| Relative Humidity     | 20~90% RH (non-condensing)   |

# Operation Controls and Functions

# Front Panel



# Rear Panel

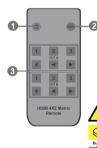


| No. | Name            | Function Description  |  |
|-----|-----------------|---|--|
| 1   | IR Window       | IR input signal receiving window.   |  |
| 2   | POWER LED       | The power LED lights in green when the device is working, and red when the device is in standby.  |  |
| 3   | OUT 1 LED (1~4) | When the INPUTS 1/2/3/4 port is selected as the signal source input channel for OUT 1 port, the corresponding green LED 1/2/3/4 will be on.   |  |
| 4   | OUT 2 LED (1~4) | When the INPUTS 1/2/3/4 port is selected as the signal source input channel for OUT 2 port, the corresponding green LED 1/2/3/4 will be on.   |  |
| 5   | eARC LED        | The eARC LED will be on when you turn on the eARC function.   |  |
| 6   | eARC button     | Press the button to turn on/off eARC function.  |  |
| 7   | OUT 1~2 button  | Used to select signal source for OUT 1/2 port. Pressing the button OUT 1/2 will allow the device to switch any of the four HDMI input signals and distribute it to the corresponding output port. |  |

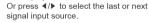
| 8  | CONFIG DIP<br>switch | Use the DIP switch to set working mode (x means 1 or 0).  1 xx   |  |
|----|----------------------|--|--|
| 9  | EDID DIP<br>switch   | Use the DIP switch to set EDID.  111 Copy OUT1 port sink EDID (as factory default)  110 HDMI 1080p@60Hz, Audio 2ch PCM  101 HDMI 4K@60Hz 4:4:4, Audio 2ch PCM  100 HDMI 4K@60Hz 4:4:4, Audio 5.1ch PCM/DTS/DOLBY  111 HDMI 4K@60Hz 4:4:4, Audio 7.1ch PCM/DTS/DOLBY/HD  112 HDMI 4K@60Hz 4:2:0+8K@30Hz 4:4:4, Audio 2ch PCM  113 HDMI 8K@60Hz 4:2:0+8K@30Hz 4:4:4, Audio 2ch PCM  114 HDMI 8K@60Hz 4:2:0+8K@30Hz 4:4:4, Audio 2ch PCM  115 HDMI 8K@60Hz 4:2:0+8K@30Hz 4:4:4, Audio 5.1ch PCM/DTS/DOLBY  116 HDMI 8K@60Hz 4:2:0+8K@30Hz 4:4:4, Audio 7.1ch PCM/DTS/DOLBY/HD  117 Note: If EDID is set for 8K TVs and one of the connected TVs is only 4K/1080p resolution, there will be no signal on the lower resolution screens. |  |
| 10 | SERVICE              | Firmware update and debug port.  |  |
| 11 | OUT (1~2) port       | HDMI signal output port, connected to HDMI display device such as TV or Monitor with an HDMI cable.  Note: When the eARC function is turned off, connect the "OUT 1 (eARC)" port to HDMI display device to work as an output port;  When the eARC function is turned on, you can connect the "OUT 1 (eARC)" port to an HDMI TV with eARC function.   |  |

| 12 | INPUTS (1~4) port | HDMI signal input port, connected to HDMI source device such as DVD or PS5 with an HDMI cable.  Note: When the eARC function is turned off, connect the "INPUTS 1 (eARC)" port to HDMI source device to work as an input port;  When the eARC function is turned on, connect the "INPUTS 1 (eARC)" port to soundbar to output the audio signal returned from the "OUT 1 (eARC)" port. |  |
|----|-------------------|---|--|
| 13 | OPTICAL           | Optical fiber audio output port.<br>Note: When the eARC function is turned on, this<br>port is muted.   |  |
| 14 | L/R               | Analog audio output port.<br>Note: When the eARC function is turned on, this<br>port is muted.  |  |
| 15 | 5V DC             | DC 5V/2A Power input port.  |  |

# IR Remote



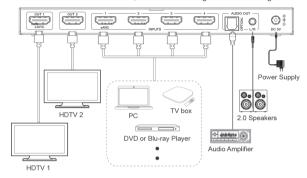
- 2 ① ①: Power on the device or set it to standby mode.
  - ② eARC: Press this button to turn on/off eARC function. When eARC function is turned on, the eARC LED on the front panel will be on.
  - ③ OUT A/OUT B: Press 1/2/3/4 directly to select the relevant input source 1/2/3/4 to OUT 1/2 display.



# **Application Diagrams**

### Situation 1:

When the eARC function is turned off, the connection diagram is as following.



#### Situation 2:

When the eARC function is turned on, connect the "INPUTS 1 (eARC)" port to a Soundbar to output the audio signal returned from the "OUT 1 (eARC)" port, the INPUTS 1 LED for OUT 1 lights on, the connection diagram is as following.

### Note:

- (1) If the HDTV supports eARC/ARC function, the Soundbar will receive the audio signal returned from the HDTV, and then emit the sound; otherwise it will not emit sound.
- (2) If the HDTV supports eARC/ARC function, but the Soundbar only supports ARC function, please turn off the eARC function of the HDTV.

