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Zigen SW42 HDMI 2.0 UHD 600 MHz 4x1 Switch w/HDCP 2.2 & WebOS. Mirrored Long Distance HDBaseT 100M Port.

ZIG-SW42



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Before You Begin

Follow all instructions marked on the device during using. Do not attempt to maintain the device by yourself, any faults, please contact your vendor.

- Provide proper ventilation and air circulation and do not use near water.
- It is better to keep it in a dry environment.
- The system should be installed indoor only.
- Only use the power cord supplied with the device.
- Do not use liquid or aerosol cleaners to clean the device.
- Always unplug the power to the device before cleaning.
- Unplug the power cord during lightning or after a prolonged period of non-use to avoid damage to the equipment.



Introduction

New 600 MHz HDMI switch designed for switching in home and commercial environments where switching of high-bandwidth UHD (2160P60 4:4:4) content is required – or just to be safe for future sources including the “new blu” coming this fall. The SW42 features 4 HDMI 2.0 Inputs and 1 HDMI 2.0 output, digital audio de-embedding of active channel and an Ethernet port and WebOS for setup, switching, EDID management, firmware updates and remote reset. Additionally, the SW42 is controllable via built in IR receiver or RS-232. The SW42 also has a mirrored HDBaseT 100 meter port (single CAT5e or higher). SW42 also routes Ethernet and is compliant with the entire Zigen ecosystem of products by routing network commands and control in receiver nodes.

Typical Applications:

- Classrooms, Boardrooms, Conference rooms for switching UHD content sources via multiple control options (3rd party controllers, WebOS, simple remote or front panel buttons)
- High-end home theaters for showing UHD 2.0 content with HDCP 2.2 copy protection
- Long distance applications where the rack is up to 100 meters from the display.

Package Contents

- 1 x ZIG-SW42
- 1 x 12V/2.5A DC Power Supply
- IEC USA AC Cord 3'
- Remote Control
- 1 x User Manual

Features

- HDMI 2.0 (600 MHz UHD) on all ports.
- 18 GBP/sec video bandwidth
- WebOS Interface
- Supports digital video formats up to 4K UHD (2160P60 @4:4:4 pixel format)
- Advanced EDID management.

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- Supports uncompressed PCM 2- Ch., 5.1, 7.1, Dolby Digital, DTS, Dolby TrueHD, DTS HD-Master Audio and more.
- Built in IR sensor plus 3.5mm jack and remote control
- IR In and Out jacks plus locking style (phoenix) connector 3-12VDC - works with everything!
- Bi-directional RS-232 – Control switch or integrate 3rd party control.
- SPDIF for audio de-embedding
- HDCP 2.2 compliant

Specifications

Video Bandwidth

HDMI - 18 GBP/sec
HDBaseT - 10.2 GPBS Max

Video Resolutions

All SMPTE & VESA in HDMI 2.0 Specification. Max SMPTE UHD - 4096x2160P60/RGB/4:4:4 8-bit.

Max for HDBaseT port is 2160P60/4:2:0 8-bit (HDBaseT/CAT limitation)

Color Space

RGB, YUV

Color Bit Depth

8-bit, 10-bit, 12-bit & 16-bit per pixel

Note: Resolution and video bandwidth limited – ex. 2160P60 RGB or 4:4:4 8-bit would use almost the entire 18 GBPS of bandwidth. 2160P60 4:2:2 10-bit (new Blu Ray) would exceed the previous 10.2 GBPS maximum of HDMI 1.4a and would not be able to travel over category cable using HDBaseT as of this writing.

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Chroma Subsampling

4:4:4, 4:2:2, 4:2:0

See note above – chroma subsampling or color compression is related to bit depth and video resolution settings with regard to total bandwidth requirements. A 4K/60 signal at 4:4:4 chroma subsampling can have a maximum bit depth of 8 bits.

Audio

HDMI in & Out – Up to Dolby TrueHD and DTS-HD Master

SPDIF – Up to Dolby Digital & DTS 5.1

Audio Sampling Rates – Up to 1536 KHz

Distance - HDMI – Up to 5M @ 4K, HDBaseT – Up to 100M at 4K/60 4:2:0 8-bit

HDCP - 2.2, 1.4 or None

CEC - Pass through

Connections

4 x HDMI type A HDMI Input

1 x HDMI type A HDMI Output

1 x RJ45 HDBaseT 100M Port

1 x SPDIF Digital Audio Output

1 x RJ45 LAN Port for TCP/IP Control

1 x 9-pin RS-232 port

1 x 3.5mm IR In Port

1 x 3.5mm IR Out Port

1 x 5-pin Locking IR Connection (phoenix) in/out 3-12 VDC

1 x IR Sensor (In)

1 x IEC 110-220VAC

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Temperature – Operating 32-122 F (0-50 C), Humidity: 20-90% non-condensing.

Dimensions

1RU – Rack Mountable

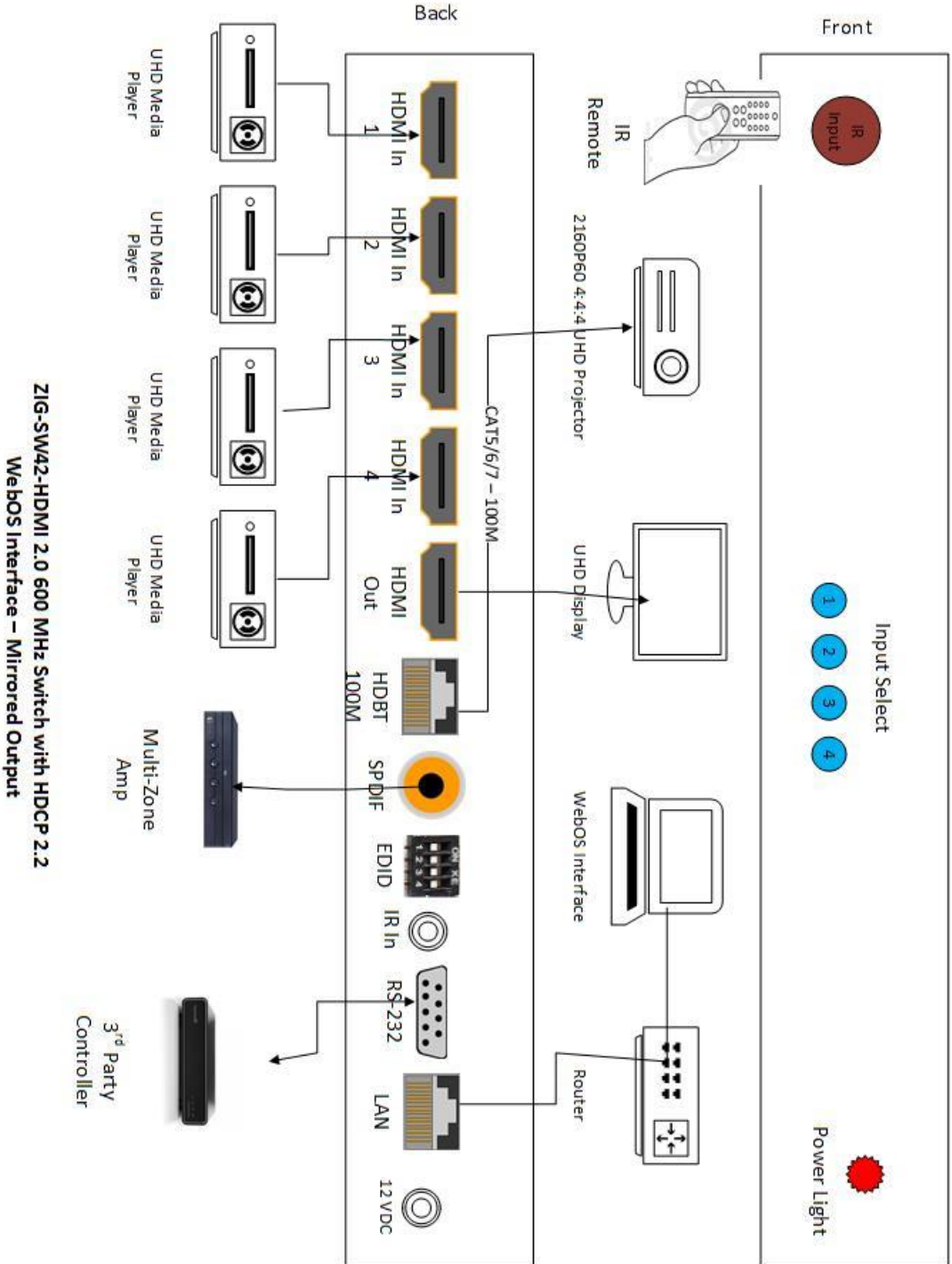
Weight

3 Pounds

Certifications/Compliance

FCC, HDBaseT, CE, RoHS, HDCP, HDMI

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Block Diagram – Zigen ZIG-SW42

General Operation

SW42 is the ultimate in high-bandwidth UHD switchers. With a full 600 MHz pixel clock the SW42 support high bandwidth sources and displays. Additionally, the SW42 supports HDCP 2.2 copy protection so you can be sure your customer is able to view the latest 4K UHD content – either protected (movies) or computer content (un-protected).

Basic connections are 4 HDMI 2.0 sources (or below) and one HDMI output to the display or projector. There is a SPDIF port that de-embeds audio from the currently selected input and routes it to your audio matrix or multi-zone amplifier. Additionally, with the SW42 there is a 100 meter HDBaseT port for long distance runs. Note HDBaseT is limited to 4K/60 4:2:0 8-bit.

Advanced EDID management is available through a combination of the 4-pin dipswitch and WebOS. 15 EDID tables are available, plus you can load custom EDID tables. Or, leave the SW42 in the default mode and it will pull the EDID from the connected/selected display. By being able to manage the EDID and HPD (Hot Plug Detection) you can speed up switching in mixed format systems.

Control the SW42 via the supplied remote control (IR – to built-in sensor or run an IR receiver to the 3.5mm IR jack). You can also control the SW42 via 3rd party control, RS-232, LAN (WebOS/Telnet), or via the input selector switch on the front panel.

DIP Switch Settings

DIP 1: EDID

OFF (UP): As a default the downstream EDID is copied and used from output port 1.

While DIP 1 is OFF (UP) DIP 2 & 3 are active as follows:

DIP 2: (OFF/UP) audio according to downstream capabilities

DIP 2: (ON/DOWN) audio is restricted to 2-channel regardless of downstream EDID.

DIP 3: (OFF/UP) audio according to downstream capabilities.

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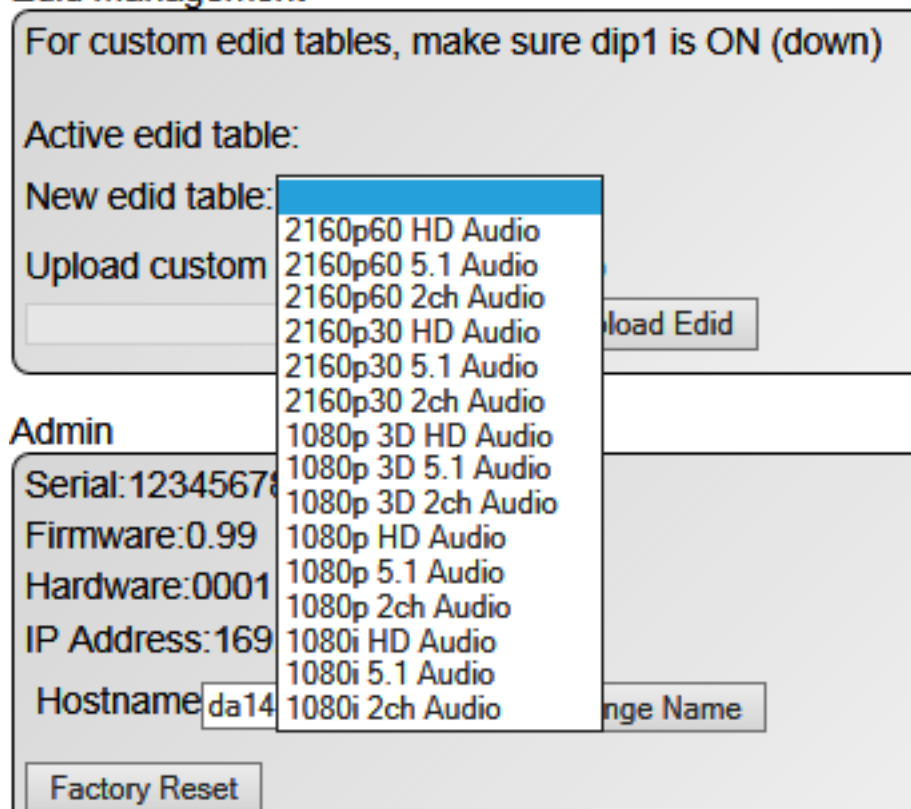
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DIP 3: (ON/DOWN) audio is modified for SPDIF maximum capabilities. This ensures that the SPDIF output always outputs all SPDIF supported formats. DIP 2 overrides DIP 3. If DIP 2 is down, stereo is selected.

While DIP 1 is ON (DOWN) the EDID is selected using the WebOS

WebOS has 15 EDID tables to select from (more to come) for various use cases (see screen shot below). Additionally via the WebOS and custom EDID table can be loaded into the device. This gives maximum flexibility as customers can load any EDID they want for the desired application.

Edid Management



Screen Shot – EDID Tables in WebOS

Note: While DIP 1 is ON (DOWN), DIPs 2 and 3 are not used.

DIP 4: Hot Plug Force

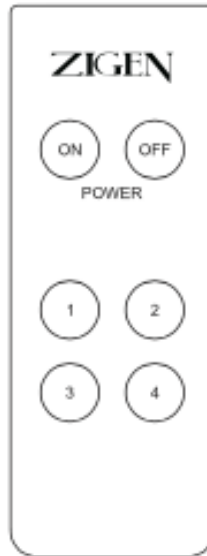
UP (OFF) – Hot Plug Detection (HPD) is normal

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DOWN (ON) – HPD is forced active. In this mode the SW42 does not process HPD events from downstream to upstream (from the sink back to the source). This speeds up the HDMI pipeline and can be very useful to avoid a looping condition when multiple HDMI devices are connected in series.

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ZIG-SW42 Remote Control



SW42 remote control can be used for switching between inputs and powering the SW42 up or down.

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The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address bar displaying 'sw41-0000/'. The page title is 'ZIGEN ZIG-SW41 Control Panel'. The interface is organized into several sections:

- Device Information:** Shows 'Device Name: sw41-0000' and a 'Notes' text area with a 'Save Notes' button.
- Video Input:** Features four buttons for 'HDMI 1', 'HDMI 2', 'HDMI 3', and 'HDMI 4'. Below them, it indicates 'Active Input: 1'.
- Edid Management:** Includes a note: 'For custom edid tables, make sure dip1 is ON (down)'. It shows 'Active edid table: downstream' and a 'New edid table:' dropdown menu. There is also an 'Upload custom edid file: (sw41.edid)' section with a file selection button (showing 'No file chosen') and an 'Upload Edid' button.
- Admin:** Displays system information: 'Serial: 123456780000', 'Firmware: 0.98', 'Hardware: 0001', and 'IP Address: 192.168.1.113'. It includes a 'Hostname' field with 'sw41-0000' and a 'Change Name' button. At the bottom, there are buttons for 'Factory Reset', 'Upload Firmware' (with a file selection button showing 'No file chosen'), 'Reset SW41', and 'Install Update'.

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SW41/2 Web OS Screenshot WebOS

Device Name & Notes

- Device Name – default out of the box is SW42-XXXX (last 4 digits of the serial number). Example - for PC <http://sw42.0001/> for Mac <http://sw42-0001.local/>. You should change it if you are using more than 1 device (Change Name below) to whatever you want – ex. CR100SW – for conference room number 100 switcher.
- Notes – free form field for entering installer notes.

Video Input

- Use to select the input you want showing on the display

EDID Management

Edid Management

For custom edid tables, make sure dip1 is ON (down)

Active edid table:

New edid table:

Upload custom

Admin

Serial: 12345678

Firmware: 0.99

Hardware: 0001

IP Address: 169

Hostname: da14

2160p60 HD Audio
2160p60 5.1 Audio
2160p60 2ch Audio
2160p30 HD Audio
2160p30 5.1 Audio
2160p30 2ch Audio
1080p 3D HD Audio
1080p 3D 5.1 Audio
1080p 3D 2ch Audio
1080p HD Audio
1080p 5.1 Audio
1080p 2ch Audio
1080i HD Audio
1080i 5.1 Audio
1080i 2ch Audio



Note: To use WebOS EDID management make sure DIP 1 is ON (UP)

Active EDID table is shown. You can load one of the presets from the previous page or load a custom EDID table from your PC – simply browse and upload the custom EDID if required.

Admin/Firmware/Reset/Info

- Serial Number – serial number of SW42
- Firmware – Current firmware revision
- Hardware – for internal use
- IP Address – IP address of the unit assigned by your DHCP Server
- Hostname – this is what you want to call the unit – syntax example CR100RX_k123. This is also the name you type into your browser to access the WebOS. Don't use spaces or special characters.
- Factory Reset – will erase user entered data like installer notes.
- Choose File/Upload Firmware – when necessary, this is where you select a new firmware file and upload firmware.
- Reset DA14 – will reset the ZIG-SW42 remotely.
- Install Update – when necessary is for installing new software updates to the unit.

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Command Syntax

RS-232 & IP Commands – note the same commands are available via RS-232 and IP – use @ for RS232, nothing for IP.

RS-232

@SW42-XXXX(last 4 of SN) *<sp> <parameter> <sp>... <parameter> <sp>*
<end of response>

Default RS232 Protocol Settings (can be changed in WebOS if required):

Baud Rate = 115200 Data Bits = 8

Parity = None

Stop Bit = 1

Flow control = None

IP

DA14-XXXX *<sp> <parameter> <sp>... <parameter> <sp>* *<end of response>*

Commands (shown in RS-232 format):

Help

@SW42-XXXX *help*

Shows a list of available commands

Disco

@SW42-XXXX *disco*

Uptime

@SW42-XXXX *uptime*

Shows day, hours, minutes and seconds the SW42 has been running.

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Version

@SW42-XXXX version

Shows Zigen SW42, firmware release, firmware revision, build date and serial number.

Get Device Status

@SW42-XXXX st

Shows active and inactive ports – ex. Port 1 active, port 2 off, etc.

HDMI Input Selection

@SW42-XXXX insel <1|2|3|4>

Lets you change the input.

Power

@SW42-XXXX <on or off>

Powers device on or off. Ports remain active – no picture or sound.



Warranty Information

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