## **HD-SDI Repeaters for Long-Distance Digital HD-CCTV**

**Extend HD-CCTV Links up to 1.0 km with Power Over Cable and Camera Control Link Over Single Coax Cable** 



### **Summary**

Microchip's EQCO-SDI30-7501 is an extender solution for HD-SDI links, operating over a standard  $75\Omega$  coax cable. Each unit receives an attenuated HD-CCTV signal and extends it up to 220m over the coax cable.

The repeater contains three critical components to correct and then retransmit the signal:

- Adaptive Equalizer to return the signal to its original amplitude and modulation
- Reclocker to resynchronize the signal—bringing it back to its original condition
- Cable Driver to retransmit the signal with its original characteristics restored

The repeater design offers these unique benefits:

- Power can be transmitted from the recorder (DVR) side to the camera over the coax cable
- Up to five repeaters may be powered from the first repeater at the DVR side over the cable; if only one or two repeaters are used, the remaining power may also be adequate to power the SDI camera at the remote end
- A control signal (RS485) can be transmitted from the recorder (DVR) side to the camera over the coax cable

The repeater enables simultaneous signal transmission camera control, and power, over a single cable.

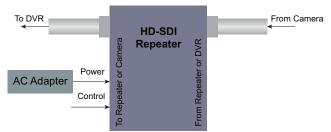
#### Implementation

Each repeater supports a data rate of 2.97 Gbit/s (3G-SDI). A link of up to 220m can be achieved with a data rate of 1.485 Gbit/s, depending on cable quality\*.

For longer cable lengths, lower speed camera are supported. For example, a cable length of 720m supports SDI cameras. Up to five repeater units can be daisy chained together, all powered over the coax cable by the first repeater.

The repeater nearest the recorder can be provided with the system power and the camera control signals. Similarly, the control signals and power (if needed) can be fed to a camera by the nearest repeater to it. Camera control is accomplished via RS485, the most commonly used communications protocol. It supports a control signal bandwidth of up to 38.4 kbps.

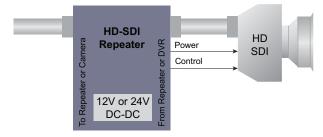
# DVR Side Repeater Including Link Power and Control Channel



#### In-Line HD-SDI Repeater



# Camera Side HD-SDI Repeater with Power and Control



\*Subject to maximum cable attenuation, see back for details.



### **Technical Specifications**

| HD-SDI Interface                         |   |  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|
| Connectors                               | BNC True 75Ω  |  |  |  |
| Cable Impedance                          | $75\Omega \pm 3\Omega$  |  |  |  |
| Data Throughput                          | 270 Mbps, 1.485 Gbps, 2.97 Gbps                                       |  |  |  |
| Aux Interface                            |   |  |  |  |
| Connector (Head End)                     | Plug connector  |  |  |  |
| Cable Type                               | Category 3 or above   |  |  |  |
| Signaling                                | RS485 in (Pair 1) RS485 out (Pair 2), Gnd (Pair 3), +24V (Pair 4)     |  |  |  |
| Power Supply Input (Head End Input)      |   |  |  |  |
| Aux Power in via Plug Connector          | 24V @ 720 mWatts, plus any concatenated repeaters                     |  |  |  |
| DC Feed via Coax                         | Min. 9V–24V DC, rated current 0.5–2A                                  |  |  |  |
| Power Supply Output (Camera Side Output) |   |  |  |  |
| Aux Power out via Plug Connector         | VIN @ Head End -1V-Coax DC drop (varies with cable type/length)       |  |  |  |
| DC Feed via Coax                         | № @ Head End –1V-Coax DC drop per hop (varies with cable type/length) |  |  |  |
| Environmental                            |   |  |  |  |
| Operating Temperature                    | 0°C to +50°C  |  |  |  |
| Relative Humidity                        | Up to 85% non-condensing  |  |  |  |
| Storage Temperature                      | -20°C to +70°C  |  |  |  |
|  |   |  |  |  |

## **Performance Specifications**

| Performance by Coax Type   | Max. Coax Length for<br>Error-Free Operation @<br>1.5 Gbps | Max. Coax Length for<br>Error-Free Operation @<br>3.0 Gbps | Cable/Power Budget                |                                 |
|--|--|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
|  |  |  | Max # Repeaters<br>(Total Length) | DC Power After<br>Two Repeaters |
| RG6 Sample 1 (16 dB/100m)<br>(Belden 1694A)                            | 200 meters/<br>720 feet                                    | 120 meters/<br>390 feet                                    | 5 (1 km)                          | 6W                              |
| RG6 Sample 2 (16 dB/100m)<br>(Carol Brand)                             | 200 meters/<br>720 feet                                    | 120 meters/<br>390 feet                                    | 3 (600m)                          | 1.8W                            |
| 5C-HFBT Sample (16dB/100m)<br>(Amphenol)                               | 200 meters/<br>720 feet                                    | 120 meters/<br>390 feet                                    | 5 (1 km)                          | 6W                              |
| RG59 Sample (23 dB/100m)   | 153 meters/<br>502 feet                                    | 83 meters/<br>272 feet                                     | 5 (700m)                          | 6.5W                            |
| 3C-2V Sample 1 (41 dB/100m)<br>(Hangzhou Linan Tongda Cable Co., Ltd.) | 85 meters/<br>280 feet                                     | 47 meters/<br>154 feet                                     | 5 (390m)                          | 6.5W                            |
| RG11 Sample (10 dB/100m)<br>(CommCcope F1160BVV)                       | 350 meters/<br>1150 feet                                   | 192 meters/<br>630 feet                                    | 4 (1.3 km)                        | 4W                              |



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