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# **KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5** Quick Start Guide

This guide helps you install and use your KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 for the first time.

Go to www.kramerav.com/downloads/KDS-EN5 to download the latest user manual and check if firmware upgrades are available.

## Step 1: Check what's in the box

KDS-EN5 4K Video Encoder / Streamer OR KDS-DEC5 4K Video Decoder

4 Rubber feet 1 Bracket set  $\mathbf{\mathbf{V}}$ 1 Quick start guide

## Step 2: Get to know your KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5

#### **KDS-EN5**



**KDS-DEC5** 



| # | Feature                                     | Function  |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | POWER LED Indicator (on top of unit)        | Lights when the unit is powered on.   |
| 2 | STATUS LED Indicator (on top of unit)       | Lights when unit is functioning properly.   |
| 3 | ID Button ( <b>KDS- DEC5</b> )              | Press to display the encoder and decoder information, such as device IP address and ID, on the screen.                  |
| 4 | DC 12V Connector                            | Connect to a 12V power adapter (optional – when power is not supplied by PoE).  |
| 5 | LAN (POE) RJ-45 Connector                   | Connect to a PC via a LAN to control the unit and to receive power via PoE.   |
| 6 | AUDIO OUT 3-pin Terminal Block              | Connect to an unbalanced audio acceptor.  |
| 7 | HDMI IN (KDS-EN5) / OUT (KDS-DEC5)Connector | Connect to an HDMI source/acceptor.   |
| 8 | RS-232 3-pin Terminal Block Connector       | Connect to an external device (e.g. a camera or display screen) that can be controlled via the IP controller SW / API.S |
| 9 | RESET Button                                | Press and hold for about 8 seconds to reset to factory default settings.  |

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## Step 3: Install KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5

Install KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 using one of the following methods:

- Attach the rubber feet and place the unit on a flat surface.
- Fasten a bracket (included) on each side of the unit and attach it to a flat surface. For more information go to <u>http://www.kramerav.com/downloads/KDS-EN5</u>.



### Step 4: Connect the inputs and outputs

Always switch OFF the power on each device before connecting it to your **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5**. For best results, we recommend that you always use Kramer highperformance cables to connect AV equipment to **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5**.

### Step 5: Connect the power

By default, **KDS-EN5** and **KDS-DEC5** are set to PoE (Power over Ethernet). If you are not powering the device via PoE, connect that device to a 12V DC power adapter and connect the adapter to the mains electricity. PoE is automatically disabled when you connect to 12V DC power.

#### Safety Instructions



 Caution:
 There are no operator serviceable parts inside the unit.

 Warning:
 Use only the Kramer Electronics power adapter that is provided with the unit.

 Warning:
 Disconnect the power and unplug the unit from the wall before installing.

 See www.KramerAV.com for updated safety information.



## Step 6: Set Up the Devices via the Web Pages

| Default Ethernet Parameters |              |             |          |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|----------|
| Encoder IP Address:         | 192.168.1.39 | Gateway:    | 0.0.0.0. |
| Decoder IP Address:         | 192.168.1.40 | UDP Port #: | 50000    |
| Subnet Mask:                | 255.255.0.0  | TCP Port #: | 5000     |

#### To set the Encoder or Decoder IP address via the embedded web pages:

- 1. Connect the device Ethernet port to the network and power the device.
- 2. Access the embedded web pages by browsing to the device IP address. Enter "admin" as the login password.
- 3. In Network tab > IP Setup, select the IP mode.
- 4. If you selected Static, enter the IP address.

When setting to DHCP we recommend that you contact your IT administrator for setting the system IP addresses.

5. Click Apply and reboot the device.

#### To select the KDS-EN5 stream via the embedded web pages:

- 1. Access the embedded web pages by browsing to the device IP address. Enter "admin" as the login password.
- 2. In the Function tab select Stream.
- 3. Enter the KDS-EN5 IP address.
- 4. Click Apply.







# USER MANUAL MODEL:

KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 H.264 Encoder and Decoder

|             | POWER          |           |          |                       |
|-------------|----------------|-----------|----------|-----------------------|
| 4K Video En | coder / Stream | er        |          | KDS - EN5             |
|             |                |           |          |                       |
| ÷ 🗿         | LAN(POE)       |           |          | TKRX G<br>R5232 RESET |
|             |                |           |          |                       |
| 2<br>0      |                | ž.        | ıı<br>G  |                       |
| 4K Video De | roden          |           |          | KDS - DEC5            |
| łÔ          |                |           | <br>•    |                       |
| DC 12V      | LAN(POE)       | AUDIO OUT | HDMI OUT | R5232 RESET           |

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# Introduction

Welcome to Kramer Electronics! Since 1981, Kramer Electronics has been providing a world of unique, creative, and affordable solutions to the vast range of problems that confront the video, audio, presentation, and broadcasting professional on a daily basis. In recent years, we have redesigned and upgraded most of our line, making the best even better!

## **Getting Started**

We recommend that you:

- Unpack the equipment carefully and save the original box and packaging materials for possible future shipment.
- Review the contents of this user manual.



Go to <u>www.kramerav.com/downloads/KDS-EN5</u> to check for up-to-date user manuals, application programs, and to check if firmware upgrades are available (where appropriate).

### **Achieving the Best Performance**

- Use only good quality connection cables (we recommend Kramer highperformance, high-resolution cables) to avoid interference, deterioration in signal quality due to poor matching, and elevated noise levels (often associated with low quality cables).
- Do not secure the cables in tight bundles or roll the slack into tight coils.
- Avoid interference from neighboring electrical appliances that may adversely influence signal quality.
- Position your Kramer KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 away from moisture, excessive sunlight and dust.

This equipment is to be used only inside a building. It may only be connected to other equipment that is installed inside a building.

### **Safety Instructions**

Caution: There are no operator serviceable parts inside the unit.
 Warning: Use only the Kramer Electronics power supply that is provided with the unit.
 Warning: Disconnect the power and unplug the unit from the wall before installing.

### **Recycling Kramer Products**

The Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) Directive 2002/96/EC aims to reduce the amount of WEEE sent for disposal to landfill or incineration by requiring it

to be collected and recycled. To comply with the WEEE Directive, Kramer Electronics has made arrangements with the European Advanced Recycling Network (EARN) and will cover any costs of treatment, recycling and recovery of waste Kramer Electronics branded equipment on arrival at the EARN facility. For details of Kramer's recycling arrangements in your particular country go to our recycling pages at www.kramerav.com/support/recycling.

### **Overview**

Congratulations on purchasing your Kramer **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5 H.264 Encoder and Decoder**. **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5** are an H.264 encoder/decoder pair for HDMI<sup>™</sup> signals of up to 4K@30Hz (4:4:4). They provide high-quality and fully-featured end-toend video and audio over IP. **KDS-EN5** and **KDS-DEC5** include AVC support for H.264/MPEG-4 and AAC codec, open encoding that enables decoding through VLC® player software and unicast or multicast streaming through TS and RTSP transport protocols.

### **Benefits and Features**

- High Resolution Video Encoding and Compression supporting up to 4K@30Hz (4:4:4) resolution.
- Maximum Compatibility Fully standard and compliant H.264/MPEG-4 AVC (Advanced Video Codec) and AAC (Advanced Audio Code) codecs, enable compatibility with other software and hardware encoders. Open encoding enables software decoding through VLC® player software.
- Versatile Powering Options Powered by PoE (when using a Network switch that supports PoE) or by external 12V power adapter.
- Standard Ethernet Network Operation 10/100/1000Mb. Managed switch: 1G, multicast, IGMP snooping, layer 2. Configurable DHCP, Static or Auto IP.
   For specific Network configuration, please contact Kramer Customer Support.
- Selectable Streaming Mode Unicast or multicast through RTSP (Real Time Streaming Protocol).
  - Convenient Unit Control and Configuration Distance control via user-friendly embedded web pages via the Ethernet, Protocol 3000 API, and RS-232 serial commands transmitted by a PC, touch screen system or other serial controller.
  - Cost-Effective Maintenance Power and link status indicators facilitate easy local maintenance and troubleshooting. Firmware upgrade via embedded web pages or K-Upload ensures lasting, field-proven deployment.
  - Simple System Management Remote system management support to enable quick and efficient remote system and device life–cycle management.

## **Typical Applications**

KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 is ideal for the following typical applications:

< Digital signage

- < Video walls
- < Education
- < Smart city CCTV
- < Large AV Matrixes

# Defining KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 H.264 Encoder and Decoder

This section defines KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5.



Figure 2: KDS-DEC5 Video Streamer Decoder

| # | Feature   | Function   |
|---|---|--|
| 1 | POWER LED Indicator                             | Lights when the unit is powered on.  |
| 2 | STATUS LED Indicator                            | <ul> <li>KDS-EN5 – Lights when synced with a decoder.</li> <li>KDS-DEC5 – Blinks slowly when not synced with an encoder.</li> <li>Lights when synced with an encoder.</li> </ul> |
| 3 | ID Button (KDS-DEC5)                            | Press to display the encoder and decoder information, such as device IP address and ID, on the display.  |
| 4 | DC 12V Connector                                | Connect to a 12V power adapter (optional – when power is not supplied by PoE).   |
| 5 | LAN (POE) RJ-45<br>Connector                    | Connect to a PC via a LAN to control the unit, to stream video to the unit and to provide power via PoE.   |
| 6 | AUDIO OUT 3-pin Terminal<br>Block               | Connect to an unbalanced audio acceptor.   |
| 7 | HDMI IN (KDS-EN5) / OUT<br>(KDS-DEC5) Connector | Connect to an HDMI source/acceptor.  |
| 8 | RS-232 3-pin Terminal<br>Block Connector        | Connect to an external device (e.g. a camera or display screen) that can be controlled via RS-232 (over IP).   |
| 9 | RESET Button                                    | Press and hold for about 15 seconds to reset to factory default settings.  |

# Installing KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5

This section provides instructions for mounting **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5**. Before installing, verify that the environment is within the recommended range:

- $\leftarrow$  Operation temperature 0, to 40, C (32 to 104, F).
- $\leftarrow$  Storage temperature -40, to +70, C (-40 to +158, F).
- < Humidity 10% to 90%, RHL non-condensing.



When installing, avoid hazards by taking care that:

- It is located within recommended environmental conditions. Operating ambient temperature of a closed or multi-unit rack assembly may exceed ambient room temperature.
- Once mounted, there is enough air flow around **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5**.
- < KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 is placed upright in the correct horizontal position.



Always mount KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 before connecting any cables or power.

You can install KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 using one of the following methods:

- Attach the rubber feet and place the unit on a flat surface.
- Fasten a bracket (included) on each side of the unit and attach it to a flat surface.
   For more information go to <u>www.kramerav.com/downloads/KDS-EN5</u>.

# **Connecting KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5**



Always switch off the power to each device before connecting it to your **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5**. After connecting your **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5**, connect its power and then switch on the power to each device.



Figure 3: Connecting to the KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 Rear Panel

To connect KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 as illustrated in Figure 3:

1. Connect the LAN (POE) RJ-45 Connector (5) on each unit to the LAN OR

Connect the units directly via the LAN (POE) RJ-45 Connector (5) on each unit using an Ethernet cable.

- 2. On KDS-EN5, connect an HDMI video source (for example, Blu-ray player) to:
  - š HDMI IN Connector 7.
  - š RS-232 3-pin Terminal Block Connector (8) for controlling the source via the

IP controller SW / API.S.

- 3. On KDS-DEC5, connect the HDMI acceptor (for example, TV) to:
  - š HDMI OUT Connector 7.
  - š RS-232 3-pin Terminal Block Connector (8) for controlling the acceptor via the IP controller SW / API.S.
- 4. Connect the video source
- 5. If desired, connect an audio amplifier to the AUDIO OUT 3-pin Terminal Block <sup>(6)</sup> on one or both units.
- 6. If PoE is not available, connect a 12V power supply (not included) to the DC 12V Connector ④.

# **Operating KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5**

Configure and control your KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 using any of the following methods:

- Via the Ethernet using built-in, user-friendly web pages (see <u>Configuring Settings</u> on page <u>9</u>).
- Kramer Network Enterprise Management Platform (version 2.2 or higher go to <u>www.kramerav.com/product/Kramer Network</u> for more information).
- Protocol 3000 commands (see <u>Protocol 3000 Commands</u> on page <u>30</u>).

# **Configuring Settings**

The embedded web pages enable you to configure **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5** via Ethernet. The encoder and decoder each have their own web pages that are accessed using a web browser on a connected computer.

KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 web pages enable performing the following:

- < Configuring Streaming/Encoding Settings on page <u>10</u>.
- < Configuring Decoding Settings on page <u>14</u>.
- < Configuring Network Settings on page <u>15</u>.
- < Locating Device on page <u>16</u>.
- Configuring RS-232 over IP Settings on page <u>17</u>.
- < Changing the Device DNS Name on page 18.
- < Upgrading the Firmware on page 19.
- < Changing Password on page 20.
- < Configuring Video Wall on page 21.
- < Defining an Idle Image on page 22.
- < <u>Verifying Device Information</u> on page <u>23</u>.

### To browse KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 web pages:

 Type the IP address of the device in the address bar of your internet browser (default encoder address = 192.168.1.39, default decoder address = 192.168.1.40).
 The Legin page appears

The Login page appears.



Figure 4: Embedded Web Pages Login Page

Enter the password (default = admin) and click Login.
 The embedded web pages appear with the System page open.

| System Video Wall Network            | Function |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| + Device name                        |          |
| + Device info                        |          |
| + Update Firmware:                   |          |
| + Utilities:                         |          |
| + Event Log (last 100 entries only): |          |
|                                      |          |

Figure 5: Embedded Web Pages - System Page

3. Navigate to the desired tab by clicking the web page from the main menu and the tab from the submenu.



After changing a setting, click **Apply** to save the setting.

A message appears in the upper right corner of the web page indicating if the change was successful or not.

|  | Complete             |
|--|----------------------|
| System Network Function                                      | Operation successful |
| + IP Setup   |                      |
| - Password   |                      |
| New Password:  |                      |
| Note: Password must be 4~16 characters. (alphanumeric only). | Apply                |
| + Casting Setup  |                      |
|  |                      |

Figure 6: Embedded Web Pages with Operation Successful Message

# **Configuring Streaming/Encoding Settings**

**KDS-EN5** web pages enable you to configure streaming/encoding settings.



This section applies only to the encoder web pages.

To configure streaming/encoding settings:

 On the KDS-EN5 web pages, click Function > Stream Settings. The Streaming Settings tab appears.

|                   |           | tream Settings       |
|-------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| Transport Type    | Enable    | Stream Video Over IP |
|                   | tsoverrtp | Transport Type       |
| Rate Limit Enable | Disable   | Rate Limit Enable    |

Figure 7: Function > Steam Settings Tab

- 2. Under Stream Video Over IP, select Enable.
- 3. Under Transport Type, select one of the following:
  - š tsoverudp use Transport Stream over UDP protocol
  - š tsovertcp use Transport Stream over TCP protocol
- 4. If required, under Rate Limit Enable, select Enable, to limit the bitrate.
- You can set the limit value in the Video Settings tab.
- 5. Click Video Settings.

The Video Settings tab appears.

| Max Bitrate (kbps) | 20000 [2000,30000]kbps |
|--------------------|------------------------|
| Max Resolution     | 2160p                  |
| Max Frame Rate     | 60 [1,60]              |
|                    | Apply                  |
|                    |                        |

Figure 8: Function > Video Settings Tab

- 6. Under Encoder Parameters, define the following:
  - š Max Bitrate Maximum bitrate (2000–30000kbps)
  - š Max Resolution Maximum output resolution (480p–2160p)
  - š Max Frame Rate Maximum frames per second (1–60)
- 7. Click Audio Settings.

The Audio Settings tab appears.

| Encoder Parameters    |       |
|-----------------------|-------|
| Encode Type           | [lpcm |
|                       | Apply |
| AAC Parameters        |       |
| Encode Bitrate (kbps) | 240   |
|                       | Apply |



- 8. Under Encoder Parameters, select the Encode Type:
  - š lpcm
  - š aac
- 9. Under AAC Parameters, select the Encode Bitrate (kbps).

To validate E2E encoding using VLC® decoding

- 1. Launch VLC media player.
- 2. Select Media > Open network stream.
- 3. Select Network tab.
- 4. Enter Encoder streaming information in the VLC open media network protocol settings (e.g.: rtsp://192.168.0.200/sdp.live).

Refer to VLC documentation for more information.



## **Configuring Decoding Settings**

**KDS-DEC5** web pages enable you to configure decoding settings.



This section applies only to the decoder web pages.

To configure decoding settings:

1. On the decoder web pages, click **Function > Stream**.

The Stream tab appears.

| Source                            |              |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Encoder IP or Media URL           | 192.168.1.39 |
| Encoder Video Frame Rate(For IPC) | 60           |
| Preferred Transport Mode          | tcp          |
|                                   | C            |
|                                   |              |

Figure 10: KDS-DEC5 Function > Stream Tab

- 2. In the Source section, under Encoder IP or Media URL, enter the encoder IP address (default = 192.168.1.39).
- 3. When using an IP camera, under Encoder Video Frame Rate (For IPC), enter the frame rate.



The frame rate must be the same one defined on the encoder web pages (see <u>Configuring Streaming/Encoding Settings</u> on page <u>10</u>).

4. In the Settings section, select the Preferred Transport Mode: tcp or udp.



The transport mode must be the same one defined on the encoder web pages (see <u>Configuring Streaming/Encoding Settings</u> on page <u>10</u>).

## **Configuring Network Settings**

**KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5** embedded web pages enable you to configure network settings.

To configure network settings:

1. Click **Network > IP Setup**. The IP Setup tab appears.

| IP Mode:         | Auto IP DHCP Static |  |
|------------------|---------------------|--|
| IP Address:      | 192.168.1.40        |  |
| Subnet Mast:     | 255.255.0.0         |  |
| Default Gateway: | 0.0.0               |  |



2. Change the network settings as required and click **Apply**.

```
-OR-
```

If you want the device to obtain a DHCP IP, do the following:

- a. Click DHCP.
- b. Click Apply.
- c. Reboot the device. The changes take effect.

## **Locating Device**

**KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5** embedded web pages enable you to activate the status LED of the encoder or decoder to which you are connected so that you can visually locate the device in a rack.

To locate a device:

1. On the web pages of the relevant device, click **System > Utilities**. The Utilities tab appears.

| System   | Video Wall        | Network        | Function |                          |     |
|----------|-------------------|----------------|----------|--------------------------|-----|
| + Devic  | e name            |                |          |                          |     |
| + Devic  | e info            |                |          |                          |     |
| + Upda   | te Firmware:      |                |          |                          |     |
| – Utilit | ies:              |                |          |                          |     |
| C        | ommands           | _              |          |                          |     |
|          | Locate Device     | R              | leboot   | Reset To Factory Default |     |
|          |                   |                |          |                          |     |
| 0        |                   |                |          |                          | -60 |
| 1. 5     | 1 (1 + 100 -      |                |          |                          |     |
| + Even   | t Log (last 100 e | entries only): |          |                          |     |

Figure 12: System > Utilities Tab

2. Click Locate Device.

The status LED on the device lights for several seconds.

Apply

## **Configuring RS-232 over IP Settings**

**KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5** embedded web pages enable you to configure RS-232 settings for controlling an external device (e.g. a camera or display screen) via the IP controller SW / API.S.

To configure the RS-232 over IP Settings:

 Click Function > Serial over IP. The Serial over IP tab appears.

System
Video Wall
Network

+ Stream

+ Idle Image

- Serial over IP

Baudrate Setting :

Baudrate:

9600

Data Bits:

8

Parity:

NONE

Stop Bits:

1



2. Change the Baudrate Settings as needed.

## **Changing the Device DNS Name**

**KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5** embedded web pages enable you to change the device DNS name.

To change the device DNS name:

 Click System > Device Name. The Device Name tab appears.

| Device name   |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Device Name 4KDecoder-001D5605105F                    |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |
| Note: Device name must be 1~30 characters             | . (alphanumeric, '_' or '' characters only). Apply |  |  |  |
| Note: Device name must be 1~30 characters Device info | . (alphanumeric, '_' or '' characters only). Apply |  |  |  |
|   | . (alphanumeric, '_' or '' characters only). Apply |  |  |  |

Figure 14: System > Device Name Tab

 Enter the new name of the device in the Device Name text box. The device name cannot include any spaces, can be up to 63 characters and can include only letters, numbers, hyphens and underscores.

## **Upgrading the Firmware**

**KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5** embedded web pages enable you to upgrade the device firmware.



**KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5** firmware can also be upgraded via Kramer Network, go to <u>www.kramerav.com/product/Kramer Network</u> for more information.

To upgrade KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 firmware:

- 1. Download the latest firmware from the Kramer website to your computer.
- 2. Click **System > Update Firmware**. The Update Firmware tab appears.

| /stem Video Wall Network Function<br>+ Device name |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| + Device info                                      |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| – Update Firm                                      | - Update Firmware:  |  |  |  |  |  |
| File:  | Browse       Note: The system will be automatically rebooted after the update has finished.   Apply |  |  |  |  |  |
| + Utilities:                                       |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| + Event Log (la                                    | ast 100 entries only):  |  |  |  |  |  |

Figure 15: System > Update Firmware Tab

3. Click Browse.

A file browser appears.

 Select the new firmware file and click **Apply**. The updating process runs. When the update is finished, the device automatically reboots.



**Caution:** We recommend not operating the device during firmware upgrade.

## **Changing Password**

**KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5**, web pages enable you to change the password for accessing the web pages.

To change the web pages password:

1. Click **Network > Password**. The Password tab appears.

| ystem    | Video Wall   | Network | Function |  |
|----------|--------------|---------|----------|--|
| + IP Set | ир           |         |          |  |
| – Passw  | vord         |         |          |  |
| N        | lew Password |         |          |  |
|          |              |         |          |  |

Figure 16: Network > Password Tab

2. Type a new password.



The password must be 4–16 alphanumeric characters.

## **Configuring Video Wall**

**KDS-DEC5** web pages enable you to configure video wall size and positioning of each display.



This section applies only to the decoder web pages.

To configure a video wall:

- 1. Connect a KDS-DEC5 unit to each of the displays in the video wall.
- 2. On the **KDS-DEC5** web pages for the display in the upper left corner of the video wall, click **Video Wall > Basic Setup**.

The Basic Setup tab appears.

| Wall Size and Position Layout<br>Vertical Monitor Count:<br>4<br>Horizontal Monitor Count:<br>4<br>Row Position: | Horizontal Monitor Count |
|--|--------------------------|
| Column Position:   |                          |

Figure 17: Video Wall > Basic Setup Tab

- 3. Select a number for each of the following:
  - š Vertical Monitor Count number of displays in the height of the video wall
  - š Horizontal Monitor Count number of displays in the width of the video wall
  - š Row Position number of the row in the video wall where this display is located (e.g. the display in the upper left corner of the video wall is in Row Position "1")
  - š Column Position number of the column in the video wall where this display is located (e.g. the display in the upper left corner of the video wall is in Column Position "1")
- 4. Repeat steps 1–3 on the web pages on each of the **KDS-DEC5** units in the video wall.

## **Defining an Idle Image**

**KDS-DEC5** embedded web pages enable you to select an image that will appear on the display when the unit is on, but there is no streaming signal.



This section applies only to the decoder web pages.

To define an idle image:

1. On the **KDS-DEC5** web pages, click **Function > Idle Image**.

The Idle Image tab appears.

| system Video Wall Network Function |                         |                   |      |  |  |  |                  |  |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------|--|--|--|------------------|--|
| + Stream<br>- Idle Image           |                         |                   |      |  |  |  |                  |  |
|                                    | File:<br>p format - 192 | 0 x 1080 pixels o | nly. |  |  |  | Browse<br>Upload |  |
| + Serial ov                        | ver IP                  |                   |      |  |  |  |                  |  |

Figure 18: Function > Idle Image Tab

- 2. Click **Browse**. A file browser window appears.
- 3. Open the desired image file.



The image must be a bmp file that is 1920 x 1080 pixels.

4. Click Upload.

The image is uploaded to the decoder.

## **Verifying Device Information**

To verify information about KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5:

Click System > Device Info.
 The Device Info tab appears.

| System Video Wall Netwo         | Prk Function  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| + Device name                   | Device name   |  |  |  |  |
| - Device info                   | Device info   |  |  |  |  |
| Version info                    | Version info  |  |  |  |  |
| Version:                        | v5.0.10 2017/12/11 10:19:07                               |  |  |  |  |
| Network                         |   |  |  |  |  |
| Gateway:                        | 0.0.0   |  |  |  |  |
| Ip Addr:                        | 192.168.1.40  |  |  |  |  |
| Ip Mode:                        | static  |  |  |  |  |
| Netmask:                        | 255.255.0.0   |  |  |  |  |
| Stream info                     |   |  |  |  |  |
| Encoder IP or Media URL:        | 192.168.1.39  |  |  |  |  |
| Force Output:                   | 1080P_60  |  |  |  |  |
| HDCP:                           | disable   |  |  |  |  |
| Sink EDID:                      |   |  |  |  |  |
|                                 | not attached  |  |  |  |  |
| System Info                     |   |  |  |  |  |
| MemInfo:                        | 61036K/122508K  |  |  |  |  |
| OSInfo:                         | 01:44:07 up 1:44, 3 users, load average: 7.53, 7.57, 7.64 |  |  |  |  |
| StorageInfo:                    | 74.6M/176.0M  |  |  |  |  |
| + Update Firmware:              |   |  |  |  |  |
| + Utilities:                    |   |  |  |  |  |
| + Event Log (last 100 entries o | nly):   |  |  |  |  |

Figure 19: System > Device Info tab

# **Technical Specifications**

| Inputs                      | 1 HDMI (1.4)                           | On a female HDMI connector   |  |
|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| (KDS-EN5)                   | 1 Unbalanced<br>Stereo Analog<br>Audio | On a 3-pin terminal block connector  |  |
| Outputs                     | 1 HDMI (1.4)                           | On a female HDMI connector   |  |
| (KDS-DEC5)                  | 1 Unbalanced<br>Stereo Analog<br>Audio | On a 3-pin terminal block connector  |  |
| Ports                       | 1 Ethernet                             | On an RJ-45 connector  |  |
|                             | 2 RS-232                               | On a 3-pin terminal block connector  |  |
| Video                       | Compression<br>Standard                | H.264/MPEG-4 AVC   |  |
|                             | Profiles                               | Base line, Main, High profile  |  |
|                             | Levels                                 | Up to 5.0  |  |
|                             | Rate Control                           | CBR, VBR, adjustable GOP size  |  |
|                             | Bit Rates                              | 2Mbps-30Mbps   |  |
|                             | Encapsulation<br>Format                | MPEG-2 transport stream  |  |
|                             | Transmission<br>format                 | TS over UDP, TS over RTP   |  |
|                             | Input Resolutions                      | 640x480, 800x600, 1024x768, 1280x800, 1280x1024, 1360x768,<br>1366x768, 1440x900, 1400x1050, 1600x1200, 1680x1050,<br>1920x1200, 720x480 (480p), 720x576 (576p), 1280x720 (720p30),<br>1280x720 (720p50), 1280x720 (720p60), 1920x1080 (1080p24),<br>1920x1080 (1080p25), 1920x1080 (1080p30), 1920x1080<br>(1080p50), 1920x1080 (1080p60), 1920x1200, 3840x2160<br>(4Kp24), 3840x2160 (4Kp30) |  |
|                             | Output<br>Resolutions                  | 640x480, 720x480 (480p), 720x576 (576p), 800x600, 1024x768,<br>1280x720 (720p50), 1280x720 (720p60), 1280x800, 1280x1024,<br>1366x768, 1440x900, 1600x1200, 1680x1050, 1920x1080<br>(1080p24), 1920x1080 (1080p25), 1920x1080 (1080p30),<br>1920x1080 (1080p50), 1920x1080 (1080p60), 1920x1200,<br>3840x2160 (4Kp24), 3840x2160 (4Kp30)   |  |
| Audio                       | Compression<br>Standard                | MPEG4 AACLC  |  |
|                             | Channels                               | 2 channel (stereo), HDMI with stereo LPCM/AAC audio  |  |
|                             | Sample<br>Frequency                    | 48kHz  |  |
|                             | Bitrate                                | 1.6Mbps (LPCM), ≤240Kbps (AAC)   |  |
| Supported<br>Web Browsers   | Windows 10                             | Microsoft Edge   |  |
| Power                       | Source                                 | PoE or 12V DC power supply (not included)  |  |
|                             | Consumption                            | 5.6W   |  |
| Environmental<br>Conditions | Operating<br>Temperature               | 0° to +40°C (32° to 104°F)   |  |
|                             | Storage<br>Temperature                 | -40° to +70°C (-40° to 158°F)  |  |
|                             | Humidity                               | 10% to 90%, RHL non-condensing   |  |
| Enclosure                   | Туре                                   | Aluminum   |  |
|                             | Cooling                                | Convection Ventilation   |  |

| General            | Product<br>Dimensions (W,<br>D, H)  | 21.90cm x 13.50cm x 2.50cm (8.62" x 5.31" x 0.98" ) W, D, H  |  |
|--------------------|---|--|--|
|                    | Product Weight  | 0.8kg (1.7lbs) approx.                                       |  |
|                    | Shipping<br>Dimensions (W,<br>D, H)                                       | 35.10cm x 21.20cm x 7.20cm (13.82" x 8.35" x 2.83" ) W, D, H |  |
|                    | Shipping Weight   | 1.1kg (2.4lbs) approx.                                       |  |
| Accessories        | Included  | Bracket set  |  |
|                    | Optional For optimum range and performance use recommended Kramer cables. |  |  |
| Specifications are | e subject to change   | without notice at www.kramerav.com                           |  |

# **Default Communication Parameters**

| RS-232 Control / Protocol 3000 Parameters |                 |  |  |  |
|---|-----------------|--|--|--|
| Baud Rate:                                | 115,200         |  |  |  |
| Data Bits:                                | 8               |  |  |  |
| Stop Bits:                                | 1               |  |  |  |
| Parity:                                   | None            |  |  |  |
| Command Format:                           | ASCII           |  |  |  |
| Example (start device operation):         | #HELP <cr></cr> |  |  |  |
| Ethernet Default Parameters               |                 |  |  |  |
| Encoder IP Address:                       | 192.168.1.39    |  |  |  |
| Decoder IP Address:                       | 192.168.1.40    |  |  |  |
| Subnet mask:                              | 255.255.0.0     |  |  |  |
| Default gateway:                          | 192.165.0.1     |  |  |  |
| TCP Port #:                               | 5000            |  |  |  |
| UDP Port #:                               | 50000           |  |  |  |

## **Resetting the Unit**

Two types of reset can be performed:

- Reboot Reboots your unit and keeps all your unit settings, including the IP address and password.
- Factory reset Reboots your unit and restores all factory settings, including the IP address and password.

Resetting the decoder or encoder can be accomplished by using:

- The Front Panel Reset button.
- Protocol 3000 commands (see <u>System Commands</u> on page <u>30</u>).
- < Web pages.
- Kramer Network.

The device must be powered on when performing a reset.

To reset a unit using the front panel:

- $\leftarrow$  P*e* and hold the RESET Button (9) with the tip of a paper clip:
  - š For reboot, hold for 2 seconds.
  - š For factory reset, hold for more than 15 seconds.

To reset a unit using the web pages:

- Click System > Utilities. The Utilities tab appears (Figure 12).
- 2. Click Reboot or Reset to Factory Default.

# **Protocol 3000**

The **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5 H.264 Encoder** and **Decoder** can be operated using the Kramer Protocol 3000 serial commands.

The command framing varies according to how you interface with a device. For example, a basic video input switching command that routes a layer 1 video signal to HDMI out 1 from HDMI input 2 (ROUTE 1,1,2), is entered as follows:

C Terminal communication software, such as Hercules:

| UDP Setup Serial TCP Client   TCP Server   UDP   Test Mode   Ab  | out           |     |  |
|--|---------------|-----|--|
| UDP Selve _ Senie _ TCP Clark   TCP Server   UDP   Test Mode   Ab<br>#BOUTE 1,1,2~010MUTE 1,1<br>~010ROUTE 1,1,2<br>~010RUUTE 1,0<br>~010RUUTE 1,0<br>~010ROUTE 1,0 _<br>~010ROUTE 1,1,2 | out           |     | erial<br>inne<br>OM3 2<br>Ud<br>15200 2<br>kha size<br>indo hake<br>FF 2<br>ide<br>ide |
| Modem lines<br>CD  |               |     | X Close  |
| ##ROUTE 1,1,2 <cr></cr>  | T HEX S       | end | Ugrou  |
|  | T HEX S       | eng | rwv.HW-group.com   |
|  | an ann a line | H   | ercules SETUP atili  |



The above image is for illustration purposes only.



The framing of the command varies according to the terminal communication software.

You can enter commands directly using terminal communication software (e.g., Hercules) by connecting a PC to the serial or Ethernet port on **KDS-EN5**, **KDS-DEC5**. To enter  $c_{R}$  press the Enter key ( $L_{F}$  is also sent but is ignored by the command parser).

Commands sent from various non-Kramer controllers (e.g., Crestron) may require special coding for some characters (such as, /X##). For more information, refer to your controller's documentation.

For more information about:

- Using Protocol 3000 commands, see <u>Understanding Protocol 3000</u> on page <u>28.</u>
- General syntax used for Protocol 3000 commands, see <u>Kramer Protocol 3000</u> <u>Syntax</u> on page <u>28.</u>
- Protocol 3000 commands available for KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5, see Protocol 3000
   <u>Commands</u> on page <u>30.</u>

## **Understanding Protocol 3000**

Protocol 3000 commands are structured according to the following:

- < Command A sequence of ASCII letters (A–Z, a–z and -). A command and its parameters must be separated by at least one space.
- Parameters A sequence of alphanumeric ASCII characters (0–9, A–Z, a–z and < some special characters for specific commands). Parameters are separated by commas.
- Message string Every command entered as part of a message string begins with a message starting character and ends with a message closing character.



A sumy c. (|) character. A string can contain more than one command. Commands are separated by a pipe

#### Message starting character:

- š # For host command/query
- š ~ For device response
- Continuity Device address K-NET Device ID followed by @ (optional, K-NET only)
- < Query sign ? follows some commands to define a query request
- Message closing character: <
  - |S| = Carriage return for host messages (ASCII 13)
  - Š CR LF Carriage return for device messages (ASCII 13) and line-feed (ASCII 10)
- < Command chain separator character Multiple commands can be chained in the same string. Each command is delimited by a pipe character (1). When chaining commands, enter the message starting character and the message closing character only at the beginning and end of the string.



Spaces between parameters or command terms are ignored. Commands in the string do not execute until the closing character is entered. A separate response is sent for every command in the chain.

## **Kramer Protocol 3000 Syntax**

The Kramer Protocol 3000 syntax uses the following delimiters:

- $\langle |_{CR}| = Carriage return (ASCII 13 = 0x0D)$
- $\langle |L_F| = Line feed (ASCII 10 = 0x0A)$
- $|_{SP}|$  = Space (ASCII 32 = 0x20) <

Some commands have short name syntax in addition to long name syntax to enable faster typing. The response is always in long syntax.

The Protocol 3000 syntax is in the following format:

< Host Message Format:

| Start | Address (optional) | Body    | Delimiter |
|-------|--------------------|---------|-----------|
| #     | Device_id@         | Message | CR        |

< **Simple Command** – Command string with only one command without addressing:

| Start | Body                                | Delimiter |
|-------|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| #     | Command SP Parameter_1,Parameter_2, | CR        |

< **Command String** – Formal syntax with command concatenation and addressing:

| Start | Address    | Body   | Delimiter |
|-------|------------|--|-----------|
| #     | Device_id@ | Command_1 Parameter1_1,Parameter1_2, <br>Command_2 Parameter2_1,Parameter2_2, <br>Command 3 Parameter3 1,Parameter3 2, | CR        |

#### < Device Message Format:

| Start | Address (optional) | Body    | Delimiter |
|-------|--------------------|---------|-----------|
| ~     | Device_id@         | Message | CR LF     |

#### C Device Long Response – Echoing command:

| Start | Address (optional) | Body                                | Delimiter |
|-------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| ~     | Device_id@         | Command [sp] [Param1,Param2] result | CR LF     |

## **Protocol 3000 Commands**

This section includes the following commands:

- < System Commands on page <u>30</u>.
- < <u>Communication Commands</u> on page <u>36</u>.

### **System Commands**

| Command    | Description                            |
|------------|--|
| #          | Protocol handshaking                   |
| BUILD-DATE | Get device build date                  |
| FACTORY    | Reset to factory default configuration |
| HELP       | Get command list                       |
| MODEL      | Get device model                       |
| NAME       | Set/get machine (DNS) name             |
| PROT-VER   | Get device protocol version            |
| RESET      | Reset device                           |
| SN         | Get device serial number               |
| VERSION    | Get device firmware version            |

#

| Functions   |                      | Permission | Transparency |  |  |
|---|----------------------|------------|--------------|--|--|
| Set:  | #                    | End User   | Public       |  |  |
| Get:  | -                    | -          | -            |  |  |
| Descript  | lion                 | Syntax     |              |  |  |
| Set:  | Protocol handshaking | # CR       |              |  |  |
| Get:  | -                    | -          |              |  |  |
| Respons   | se                   |            |              |  |  |
| ~nn@ ѕр   | DK CR LF             |            |              |  |  |
| Notes   |                      |            |              |  |  |
| Validates the Protocol 3000 connection and gets the machine number.<br>Used to identify the availability of the device. |                      |            |              |  |  |
| Example   | Example              |            |              |  |  |
| # <cr></cr>   |                      |            |              |  |  |

#### **BUILD-DATE**

| Functions |  | Permission   | Transparency |  |  |
|-----------|--|--------------|--------------|--|--|
| Set:      | -  | -            | -            |  |  |
| Get:      | BUILD-DATE?  | End User     | Public       |  |  |
| Descrip   | otion  | Syntax       | Syntax       |  |  |
| Set:      | -  | -            |              |  |  |
| Get:      | Get device build date  | #BUILD-DATE? |              |  |  |
| Respor    | ISE  |              |              |  |  |
| ~nn@BU    | <b>JILD-DATE</b> spdatesptimecrLF                                |              |              |  |  |
| Parame    | eters  |              |              |  |  |
|           | Format: YYYY/MM/DD where YYYY<br>Format: hh:mm:ss where hh = hou |              | -            |  |  |
|           | nse Triggers   |              |              |  |  |
|           |  |              |              |  |  |
| Notes     |  |              |              |  |  |
|           |  |              |              |  |  |
| Example   |  |              |              |  |  |
| #BUILD    | DATE? <cr></cr>  |              |              |  |  |

### FACTORY

| Funct | ions  | Permission             | Transparency |  |  |
|-------|---|------------------------|--------------|--|--|
| Set:  | FACTORY   | End User               | Public       |  |  |
| Get:  | -   | -                      | -            |  |  |
| Descr | iption  | Syntax                 |              |  |  |
| Set:  | Reset device to factory default configuration   | #FACTORY <sub>CR</sub> |              |  |  |
| Get:  | -   | -                      |              |  |  |
| Respo | nse   |                        |              |  |  |
| ~nn@E | ACTORY SPOK CR LF   |                        |              |  |  |
| Param | leters  |                        |              |  |  |
| Respo | onse Triggers   |                        |              |  |  |
| Notes | Notes   |                        |              |  |  |
|       | This command deletes all user data from the device. The deletion can take some time.<br>You must power cycle the device for the changes to take effect. |                        |              |  |  |
| Exam  | ble   |                        |              |  |  |
| #FACI | FACTORY <cr></cr>   |                        |              |  |  |

HELP

| Functi  | ons  | Permission           | Transparency |  |  |  |
|---------|--|----------------------|--------------|--|--|--|
| Set:    | -  | -                    | -            |  |  |  |
| Get:    | HELP   | End User             | Public       |  |  |  |
| Descri  | ption  | Syntax               |              |  |  |  |
| Set:    | -  | -                    |              |  |  |  |
| Get:    | et: Get command list or help for specific command          1. #HELP_CR         2. #HELP_SP COMMAND_NAME_CR |                      |              |  |  |  |
| Respo   | nse  |                      |              |  |  |  |
| 1. Mult | i-line:~nn@Device available protocol 3000 comma  | nds: CR LF           |              |  |  |  |
| comma   | nd, SP command CR LF   |                      |              |  |  |  |
|         | i-line: ~nn@HELPspcommand:crLfdescriptioncrLfUSAG  | E: <i>usage</i> crlf |              |  |  |  |
| Param   | eters  |                      |              |  |  |  |
| COMMA   | ND_NAME – name of a specific command   |                      |              |  |  |  |
| Respo   | nse Triggers   |                      |              |  |  |  |
|         |  |                      |              |  |  |  |
| Notes   |  |                      |              |  |  |  |
|         |  |                      |              |  |  |  |
| Examp   | Example  |                      |              |  |  |  |
| 1. Get  | a list of all KDS-EN5, KDS-DEC5 commands:  |                      |              |  |  |  |
| 2. Get  | help for the ETH-PORT command:<br>ETH-PORT <cr></cr>   |                      |              |  |  |  |

MODEL

| Functions  |  | Permission | Transparency |  |
|------------|--|------------|--------------|--|
| Set:       | -  | -          | -            |  |
| Get:       | MODEL?   | End User   | Public       |  |
| Descriptio | n  | Syntax     |              |  |
| Set:       | -  | -          |              |  |
| Get:       | Get device model   | #MODEL?CR  |              |  |
| Response   |  |            |              |  |
| ~nn@mode   | Lspmodel_namecrLf  |            |              |  |
| Parameter  | 'S   |            |              |  |
| model_na   | me – String of up to 19 printable AS   | CII chars  |              |  |
| Response   | Triggers   |            |              |  |
|            |  |            |              |  |
| Notes      |  |            |              |  |
|            | This command identifies equipment connected to <b>KDS-EN5</b> , <b>KDS-DEC5</b> and notifies of identity changes to the connected equipment. |            |              |  |
| Example    | Example  |            |              |  |

#MODEL?<CR>

#### NAME

| Functions  |  | Permission                | Transparency              |  |  |
|--|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| Set:   | NAME                                     | Administrator             | Public                    |  |  |
| Get:   | NAME?                                    | End User                  | Public                    |  |  |
| Descriptio   | on                                       | Syntax                    |                           |  |  |
| Set:   | Set machine (DNS) name                   | #NAMEspmachine_namecr     |                           |  |  |
| Get:   | Get machine (DNS) name                   | #NAME?CR                  |                           |  |  |
| Response   | •  |                           |                           |  |  |
| Set: ~nn@  | Set: ~nn@name_spmachine_name_crlf        |                           |                           |  |  |
| Get: ~nn@  | NAME?spmachine_namecrLF                  |                           |                           |  |  |
| Paramete   | rs                                       |                           |                           |  |  |
| machine_<br>end)   | _name – string of up to 63 alpha-numeric | chars (can include hyphen | , not at the beginning or |  |  |
| Response   | e Triggers                               |                           |                           |  |  |
|  |  |                           |                           |  |  |
| Notes  | Notes                                    |                           |                           |  |  |
| The machine name is not the same as the model name. The machine name is used to identify a specific machine or a network in use (with DNS feature on). |  |                           |                           |  |  |
| Example  | Example                                  |                           |                           |  |  |

Set the machine name to Alpha: #NAME Alpha<CR>

#### **PROT-VER**

| Functions |                                       | Permission | Transparency |  |  |  |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|------------|--------------|--|--|--|
| Set:      | -                                     | -          | -            |  |  |  |
| Get:      | PROT-VER?                             | End User   | Public       |  |  |  |
| Descri    | otion                                 | Syntax     |              |  |  |  |
| Set:      | -                                     | -          |              |  |  |  |
| Get:      | Get device protocol version           | #PROT-VER? |              |  |  |  |
| Respo     | nse                                   |            |              |  |  |  |
| ~nn@pi    | ROT-VER SP 3000: version CR LF        |            |              |  |  |  |
| Parame    | eters                                 |            |              |  |  |  |
| versi     | n – XX. XX where X is a decimal digit |            |              |  |  |  |
| Respo     | nse Triggers                          |            |              |  |  |  |
|           |                                       |            |              |  |  |  |
| Notes     | Notes                                 |            |              |  |  |  |
|           |                                       |            |              |  |  |  |
| Examp     | Example                               |            |              |  |  |  |
| #PROT-    | #PROT-VER? <cr></cr>                  |            |              |  |  |  |

#### RESET

| Functio          | ns             | Permission           | Transparency         |  |  |
|------------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|--|--|
| Set:             | RESET          | Administrator        | Public               |  |  |
| Get:             | -              | -                    | -                    |  |  |
| Descrip          | tion           | Syntax               | Syntax               |  |  |
| Set:             | Reset device   | #RESET <sub>CR</sub> | #RESET <sub>CR</sub> |  |  |
| Get:             | -              | -                    |                      |  |  |
| Respon           | se             |                      |                      |  |  |
| ~nn@re           | SET SPOK CR LF |                      |                      |  |  |
| Parameters       |                |                      |                      |  |  |
| Respon           | se Triggers    |                      |                      |  |  |
| Notes            |                |                      |                      |  |  |
| Example          |                |                      |                      |  |  |
| #RESET <cr></cr> |                |                      |                      |  |  |

SN

| Function  | าร  | Permission      | Transparency |  |  |
|---|---|-----------------|--------------|--|--|
| Set:  | -   | -               | -            |  |  |
| Get:  | SN?   | End User        | Public       |  |  |
| Descript  | lion  | Syntax          |              |  |  |
| Set:  | -   | -               |              |  |  |
| Get:  | Get device serial number                      | # <b>SN?</b> [r |              |  |  |
| Respon  | se  |                 |              |  |  |
| ~nn@sn  | spserial_numbercrlf                           |                 |              |  |  |
| Parameters  |   |                 |              |  |  |
| serial  | _number - 11 decimal digits, factory assigned |                 |              |  |  |
| Response Triggers   |   |                 |              |  |  |
|   |   |                 |              |  |  |
| Notes   |   |                 |              |  |  |
| This device has a 14-digit serial number, only the last 11 digits are displayed |   |                 |              |  |  |
| Example   |   |                 |              |  |  |
| #SN? <cr></cr>  |   |                 |              |  |  |

#### VERSION

| Functions           |  | Permission              | Transparency |  |  |  |
|---------------------|--|-------------------------|--------------|--|--|--|
| Set:                | -  | -                       | -            |  |  |  |
| Get:                | VERSION?   | End User                | Public       |  |  |  |
| Descript            | ion  | Syntax                  |              |  |  |  |
| Set:                | -  | -                       |              |  |  |  |
| Get:                | Get firmware version number                          | #VERSION? CR            |              |  |  |  |
| Respons             | e  |                         |              |  |  |  |
| ~nn@ver             | SION <sub>SP</sub> firmware_version <sub>CR LF</sub> |                         |              |  |  |  |
| Paramet             | Parameters   |                         |              |  |  |  |
| firmwar             | re_version – XX.XX.XXXX where the digit grou         | ιps are: major.minor.bι | uild version |  |  |  |
| Respons             | Response Triggers                                    |                         |              |  |  |  |
|                     |  |                         |              |  |  |  |
| Notes               |  |                         |              |  |  |  |
|                     |  |                         |              |  |  |  |
| Example             |  |                         |              |  |  |  |
| #VERSION? <cr></cr> |  |                         |              |  |  |  |

## **Communication Commands**

| Command  | Description                    |
|----------|--------------------------------|
| ETH-PORT | Set/get Ethernet port protocol |
| NET-GATE | Set/get gateway IP             |
| NET-IP   | Set/get IP address             |
| NET-MAC  | Get MAC address                |
| NET-MASK | Set/get subnet mask            |

#### ETH-PORT

| Functions  |   | Permission                   | Transparency |  |
|--|---|------------------------------|--------------|--|
| Set:   | ETH-PORT                                  | Administrator                | Public       |  |
| Get:   | ETH-PORT?                                 | End User                     | Public       |  |
| Descrip  | tion                                      | Syntax                       |              |  |
| Set:   | Set Ethernet port protocol                | <b>#ETH-PORT</b> spportType, | ETHPortcr    |  |
| Get:   | Get Ethernet port protocol                | <b>#ETH-PORT?</b> spportType | CR           |  |
| Respor   | se  |                              |              |  |
| ~nn@er   | H-PORT <sub>SP</sub> portType,ETHPortcrlf |                              |              |  |
| Parame   | ters                                      |                              |              |  |
| portType – string of 3 letters indicating the port type: TCP, UDP<br>ETHPort – TCP / UDP port number: 0-65565                            |   |                              |              |  |
| Response Triggers  |   |                              |              |  |
| Notes  |   |                              |              |  |
| If the port number you enter is already in use, an error is returned.<br>The port number must be within the following range: 0-(2^16-1). |   |                              |              |  |
| Example  |   |                              |              |  |
| Set the Ethernet port protocol for TCP to port 12457:<br>#ETH-PORT TCP,12457 <cr></cr>   |   |                              |              |  |

#### **NET-GATE**

| Functions           |           | Permission                 |               | Transparency |
|---------------------|-----------|----------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Set:                | NET-GATE  |                            | Administrator | Public       |
| Get:                | NET-GATE? |                            | End User      | Public       |
| Description         |           |                            | Syntax        |              |
| Set: Set gateway IP |           | #NET-GATE SP ip_address CR |               |              |
| Get: Get gateway IP |           | #NET-GATE? CR              |               |              |
| Response            |           |                            |               |              |
|                     |           |                            |               |              |

~nn@**NET-GATE**sp*ip\_address*crlf

#### Parameters

*ip\_address* – gateway IP address, in the following format: xxx.xxx.xxx

#### Response Triggers

#### Notes

A network gateway connects the device via another network, possibly over the Internet. Be careful of security problems. Consult your network administrator for correct settings.

#### Example

Set the gateway IP address to 192.168.0.1: #NET-GATE 192.168.000.001<CR>

#### NET-IP

| Functions   |  | Permission                             | Transparency |  |  |
|---|--|--|--------------|--|--|
| Set:  | NET-IP   | Administrator                          | Public       |  |  |
| Get:  | NET-IP?  | End User                               | Public       |  |  |
| Description   | n  | Syntax                                 |              |  |  |
| Set:  | Set IP address   | <b>#NET-IP</b> sp <i>ip_address</i> cr |              |  |  |
| Get:  | Get IP address   | #NET-IP?CR                             |              |  |  |
| Response  |  |  |              |  |  |
| ~nn@ <b>NET-</b> :                                      | IPSpjp_addresscrlf   |  |              |  |  |
| Parameters  | S  |  |              |  |  |
| ip_addres   | ss - IP address, in the following f                                      | ormat: xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx                 |              |  |  |
| Response Triggers                                       |  |  |              |  |  |
|   |  |  |              |  |  |
| Notes   |  |  |              |  |  |
| Consult your network administrator for correct settings |  |  |              |  |  |
| Example   |  |  |              |  |  |
|   | Set the IP address to 192.168.1.39:<br>#NET-IP 192.168.001.039 <cr></cr> |  |              |  |  |

#### **NET-MAC**

| Function            | ns                                      | Permission            | Transparency            |  |  |
|---------------------|---|-----------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| Set:                | -                                       | -                     | -                       |  |  |
| Get:                | NET-MAC?                                | End User              | Public                  |  |  |
| Descript            | lion                                    | Syntax                | Syntax                  |  |  |
| Set:                | -                                       | -                     |                         |  |  |
| Get:                | Get MAC address                         | #NET-MAC? CR          | #NET-MAC?               |  |  |
| Respons             | se                                      |                       |                         |  |  |
| ~nn@ <b>ne</b> :    | <b>I-MAC</b> SP <i>mac_address</i> CRLF |                       |                         |  |  |
| Paramet             | ers                                     |                       |                         |  |  |
| mac_ad              | dress – unique MAC address. Forn        | nat: xx-xx-xx-xx-xx-x | xx where x is hex digit |  |  |
| Respons             | se Triggers                             |                       |                         |  |  |
|                     |   |                       |                         |  |  |
| Notes               |   |                       |                         |  |  |
|                     |   |                       |                         |  |  |
| Example             |   |                       |                         |  |  |
| #NET-MAC? <cr></cr> |   |                       |                         |  |  |

#### **NET-MASK**

| Functions        | i de la companya de l | Permission                     | Transparency |  |  |
|------------------|---|--------------------------------|--------------|--|--|
| Set:             | NET-MASK  | Administrator                  | Public       |  |  |
| Get:             | NET-MASK?   | End User                       | Public       |  |  |
| Descriptio       | n   | Syntax                         |              |  |  |
| Set:             | Set subnet mask   | # <b>NET-MASK</b> spnet_maskcr |              |  |  |
| Get:             | Get subnet mask   | #NET-MASK                      |              |  |  |
| Response         |   |                                |              |  |  |
| ~nn@ <b>net-</b> | MASK SP net mask CR LF  |                                |              |  |  |
| Parameter        | ·S  |                                |              |  |  |
| net_mask         | - format: xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx   |                                |              |  |  |
| Response         | Triggers  |                                |              |  |  |
| The subne        | t mask limits the Ethernet connection   | n within the local network     |              |  |  |
| Consult yo       | Consult your network administrator for correct settings.  |                                |              |  |  |
| Notes            |   |                                |              |  |  |
|                  |   |                                |              |  |  |
| Example          | Example   |                                |              |  |  |
|                  | Set the subnet mask to 255.255.0.0:<br>"#NET-MASK 255.255.000.000", 0x0D  |                                |              |  |  |

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