

# **RDS PRO-2**



## Fully-featured RDS / RBDS Encoding with IP control: FLEXIBLE, PROFESSIONAL AND COST-EFFECTIVE

## **BENEFITS:**

- VERY cost effective
- Making life easier for broadcast professionals: quick and easy hardware integration
- Save time with intuitive, well-developed programming software
- Don't miss out: feature set includes every RDS function most stations will need
- IP remote control

Latest firmware Now supports UECP - RT+ and TMC

## **APPLICATIONS:**

- RDS / RBDS encoding for stations of all sizes (includes EON)
- Network Radio
- Local Commercial Radio
- Community Radio

## **FEATURES:**

- A properly designed and implemented RDS solution for FM broadcasters
- Switchable MPX (Composite) loop-through mode
- Maintains programme reliability in loop mode automatic MPX 'pass-through' relays
- RS-232 & USB control based on simple ASCII commands
- Powerful Windows based configuration utility for easy initial setup
- All user adjustments accessible from front/rear panel no need to take the lid off
- Addressing independent or common control of up to 255 units in a network
- Advanced weekly scheduling in Stand-Alone and PC-Dependent modes
- Define up to 99 different messages or link to an automation system
- Internal real-time clock with battery backup for correctly inserted clock-time facility
- External contact closure TA switch
- No special 19 kHz input needed pilot tone recovered from the MPX signal
- Integral IP Ethernet port
- Four modes of Dynamic / 'Scrolling' PS (where legal)





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## **SPECIFICATIONS**

## **RDS Data Groups supported:**

PI	Program Identification	M/S	Music/Speech
PS	Program Service	PIN	Program-Item Number
PTY	Program Type	ECC	Extended Country Code
TP	Traffic Program	RT/RT+	RadioText including Tagging
AF	Alternative Frequencies	TDC	Transparent Data Channels
TA	Traffic Announcement	IH	In House Applications
PTYN	Program Type Name	ODA	Open Data Applications
DI	Decoder Identification	СТ	Clock-Time and Date
EON	Enhanced Other Networks information	TMC	Traffic Message Channel

/	Output RDS signal amplitude:	<b>Clock reference:</b>	Data connector:
	Adjustable <25mV to 1.4 V p-p	Pilot tone or internal generator	RJ45 for IP, RS-232 (9 pin F), bidirectional
	RDS signal bandwidth:	<b>19 kHz pilot PLL lock bandwidth:</b>	Noise protection:
	+/- 2.4 kHz (50 dBc)	software switchable +/- 5 Hz or +/- 2 Hz	Threefold level sampling
	RDS spurious suppression:	<b>Pilot tone level:</b>	<b>Com. speed:</b>
	>90 dB	min. <50 mV p-p	Software switchable 1,200-19,200 kbps
	RDS harmonics suppression:	Phase shift adjust:	<b>Com. mode:</b>
	>80 dB	0-180 degrees in 9.5 degrees steps	8 data bits, no parity, 1 stop bit

MPX loop-through voltage gain: 1.00 (guaranteed from 2 Hz to 100 kHz) Signal connectors: Unbalanced, BNC

UECP protocol support: Basic implementation supports TMC & RT+

## Power:

100 - 240V AC / 7.5 Watts. (Acceptable range 88 to 264V AC)

### Dimensions & weight:

1-RU: 44 x 482 x 290mm deep / 1.75" x 19" x 11.25" deep. Weight: 1.8kg / 4lbs

### **Computer Control:**

All parameters can be accessed and modified under PC control (GUI software included). USB (front panel, plus 10/100 base-T Ethernet and RS-232 (rear panel). ASCII text-based command format.

Warranty: 3 year return-to-base warranty

Defining Specification: CENELEC EN50067

Approvals: CE (EMC & LVD), RoHS



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