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C-23

C-series

MPEG-2

Features

- 3-Channel DVD-quality MPEG-2 video encoder
- Environmentally hardened
- Low-latency (< 150 ms)
- Bandwidth-efficient multi-stream
- 3 independent encoders
- 2-way serial data (PTZ)
- 3 contact inputs
- Password protected Web-interface
- Unicast and multicast support
- Ruggedized and compact
- SNMPv2 network management
- Five year warranty

Description

Optelecom-NKF's C-23 3-channel encoder is designed for DVD-quality video surveillance over IP networks. The encoder can simultaneously stream different picture rates per video input, to limit bandwidth during live monitoring, background recording, video content analysis, etc. By supporting IGMPv2 multicast, the C-23 efficiently uses the available network capacity. To migrate analogue CCTV services to IP, the cost-effective C-23 combines 3 channels of DVD-quality video with two-way serial data (e.g. for PTZ-control), and three contact inputs (alarm contacts). The C-23 encoder is compatible with C-10, C-15 and C-20 decoders.

The C-23 triple encoder is designed and tested to operate under industrial conditions, characterized by a wide operating temperature range (-40 to +74°C) and mechanical stress (vibration and shock).
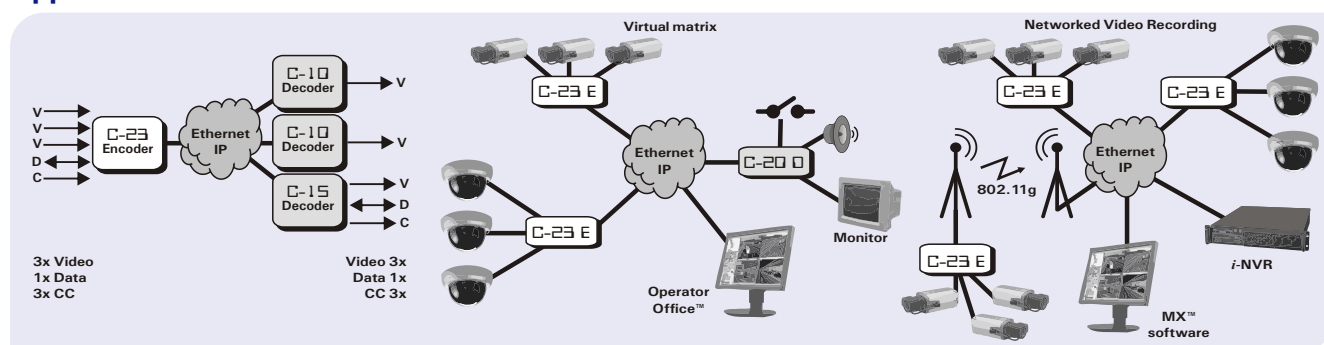
The C-23 encoders are elements of Optelecom-NKF's Advanced IP-Video Network solutions offering seamless integration of video management, network recording, control and operating software, and video content analysis software. All systems within Optelecom-NKF's Advanced IP-Video Network solutions interoperate.

Configuration and management are simplified by the built-in web-interface and SNMPv2 agent. Full in-band control is available through Optelecom-NKF's software suites (MX™ and Operator Office™). The MPEG-2 codec comes as a Eurocard module to be slotted into an Optelecom-NKF MC 11 power-supply cabinet or as a stand-alone (/SA version) and is firmware upgradeable.

Ordering information

Model	Description	Interface	Housing	Managed
C-23 E /IP	3-channel MPEG-2 video encoder, with data and CCs	10/100Base-TX	rack-mount	SNMP/MX
C-23 E /IP/SA	Stand-alone version of rack-mount model	10/100Base-TX	stand-alone	SNMP/MX

Applications

C-23 **Firmware version 3.x**

Technical Specifications

Video

Video format	PAL/NTSC
In-/output level	1 Vpp (± 3 dB)
Number of inputs	3 (3 encoders)
Number of output streams	3 (multi- and/or unicast) per input
Video connectors	BNC 75 Ω (goldplated center pin)
Compression algorithm	MPEG-2
Encoding-decoding latency	<120 ms (no B-frames)

Resolution (HxV)	PAL	NTSC
D1	720x576	720x480
2/3D1	480x576	480x480
HD1	352x576	352x480
CIF	352x288	352x240

Frame rate	1 to 30 fps, configurable per stream
Data rate	up to 15 Mbps, configurable per stream

Data

Number of channels	1 (full-duplex)
Number of streams	3 (multi- and/or unicast)
Interfaces	1x RS-422/485 (2- or 4-wire)
Format	Asynchronous, serial
Data rate 'sampling mode'	DC to 19.2 kb/s
Sampling rate	153 ksamples/sec
Latency	10 ms
Data rate 'UART mode'	300 b/s to 230.4 kb/s
Latency	<5 ms
Connector type	RJ45

Transmission interface

Number of interfaces	1
Interface	10/100Base-TX Fast Ethernet
selectable	auto-negotiation, half-duplex/full-duplex, 10/100 Mb
Protocols	MPEG-TS, RTP, UDP, IP, DHCP, IGMPv2, MX/IP, HTTP, SNMPv2
Connector	RJ45

Powering

Power consumption	< 8 W
Rack-mount units	MC 10 and MC 11 power-supply cabinets
Stand-alone units (/SA)	11 to 16 Vdc (PSA 12 DC/25 or PSR 12 DC)

Management

LED status indicators	
DC	Power-on indicator (green)
NV	No video on in- or output (red)
SYNC	All links are operational (green), failure in RX stream(s) (yellow), failure in TX stream(s) (red)
Ethernet port	Green LED: on = 100 Mb, off = 10 Mb; Amber LED: on = link okay, flashes with activity.
Network Management & Control	SNMPv2, SNM™, MX™, HTTP (password protected)
MIB variables	Network settings and statistics, MPEG-2 settings (GOP), video settings, audio and data settings, stream control, PS voltages, module temperature, module status, configuration, etc.

Environmental

Operating temperature	-40 to +74°C
Relative humidity	<95% (no condensation)
MTBF	>150,000 h
Safety & EMC	IEC/EN 60950-1, IEC/EN 60825, IEC/EN 61000 EN 50130-4, EN 50081-1, EN 55022, FCC part 15

Mechanical

Dimensions (hxwxd)	128 x 34 x 190 mm
Weight (approx.)	450 g
Housing	Rack-mount or stand-alone

Contact Closure

Number of channels	3
Number of streams	3x 3 (multi- and/or unicast)
Input	+3 V pull-up, 2 kΩ
Threshold	1.5 V
Connector type	RJ45