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Chapter 1

Introduction

Overview

This manual provides installation and operating instructions for the 9901-UDX 3G/HD/SD Up/Down/Cross Converter and Frame Sync card (also referred to herein as the 9901-UDX).

- Note: This manual also is applicable for reduced functionality versions:
 - 9901-UC (pass/up-convert only)
 - 9901-DC (pass/down-convert only)
 - 9901-XC (pass/cross-convert only).

In all other aspects, all cards function identically as described in this manual.

This manual consists of the following chapters:

- Chapter 1, "Introduction" Provides information about this manual and what is covered. Also provides general information regarding the 9901-UDX.
- Chapter 2, "Installation and Setup" Provides instructions for installing the 9901-UDX in a frame, and optionally installing 9901-UDX Rear Modules.
- Chapter 3, "Operating Instructions" Provides overviews of operating controls and instructions for using the 9901-UDX.

This chapter contains the following information:

- 9901-UDX Card Software Versions and this Manual (p. 1-2)
- Manual Conventions (p. 1-3)
- Safety Summary (p. 1-4)
- 9901-UDX Base Model and Options (p. 1-5)
- 9901-UDX Functional Description (p. 1-6)
- Technical Specifications (p. 1-28)
- Warranty and Service Information (p. 1-33)
- Contact Cobalt Digital Inc. (p. 1-34)

9901-UDX Card Software Versions and this Manual

When applicable, Cobalt Digital Inc. provides for continual product enhancements through software updates. As such, functions described in this manual may pertain specifically to cards loaded with a particular software build. **Cards loaded with initial software builds may not reflect all functionality described in "9901-UDX Functional Description" of this chapter.** Also note that some functions described here are options, and may not appear on all 9901 cards.

The Software Version of your card can be checked by viewing the **Card Info** menu in DashBoardTM. See Checking Card Information (p. 3-8) in Chapter 3, "Operating Instructions" for more information. You can then check our website for the latest software version currently released for the card as described below.

Check our website and proceed as follows if your card's software does not match the latest version:

Card Software earlier than latest version	Card is not loaded with the latest software. Not all functions and/or specified performance described in this manual may be available.		
	You can update your card with new Update software by going to the Support>Firmware Downloads link at www.cobaltdigital.com. Download "Firmware Update Guide", which provides simple instructions for downloading the latest firmware for your card onto your computer, and then uploading it to your card through DashBoard TM .		
	Software updates are field-installed without any need to remove the card from its frame.		
Card Software newer than version in manual	A new manual is expediently released whenever a card's software is updated and specifications and/or functionality have changed as compared to an earlier version (a new manual is not necessarily released if specifications and/or functionality have not changed). A manual earlier than a card's software version may not completely or accurately describe all functions available for your card.		
	If your card shows features not described in this manual, you can check for the latest manual (if applicable) and download it by going to the card's web name on www cohaltdigital com		

Cobalt Reference Guides

From the Cobalt[®] web home page, go to **Support>Reference Documents** for easy to use guides covering network remote control, card firmware updates, example card processing UI setups and other topics.

Manual Conventions

In this manual, display messages and connectors are shown using the exact name shown on the 9901-UDX itself. Examples are provided below.

• Card-edge display messages are shown like this:



• Connector and control names are shown like this: AES I/O 8

In this manual, the terms below are applicable as follows:

- **9901-UDX** refers to the 9901-UDX 3G/HD/SD Up/Down/Cross Converter and Frame Sync card.
- Frame refers to the 20-slot frame that houses the Cobalt[®] COMPASS[®] and/or FUSION3G[®] cards.
- Device and/or Card refers to a COMPASS[®] and/or FUSION3G[®] card.
- System and/or Video System refers to the mix of interconnected production and terminal equipment in which the 9901-UDX and other COMPASS[®] and/or FUSION3G[®] cards operate.
- Functions and/or features that are available only as an option are denoted in this manual like this:

Option 🖻

Not all options are covered in this manual. In these cases, Manual Supplement(s) for the option(s) ordered have been included in the binder containing this manual.

Warnings, Cautions, and Notes

Certain items in this manual are highlighted by special messages. The definitions are provided below.

Warnings

Warning messages indicate a possible hazard which, if not avoided, could result in personal injury or death.

Cautions

Caution messages indicate a problem or incorrect practice which, if not avoided, could result in improper operation or damage to the product.

Notes

Notes provide supplemental information to the accompanying text. Notes typically precede the text to which they apply.

Labeling Symbol Definitions

\triangle	Important note regarding product usage. Failure to observe may result in unexpected or incorrect operation.
	Electronic device or assembly is susceptible to damage from an ESD event. Handle only using appropriate ESD prevention practices. If ESD wrist strap is not available, handle card only by edges and avoid contact with any connectors or components.
	 Symbol (WEEE 2002/96/EC) For product disposal, ensure the following: Do not dispose of this product as unsorted municipal waste. Collect this product separately. Use collection and return systems available to you.

Safety Summary

Warnings



9901-UDX Base Model and Options

(See Figure 1-1.) The **base model** 9901-UDX provides up/down/cross conversions across 3G/HD, and SD formats, frame sync, video processing, ARC with AFD, embedded audio support, and timecode/closed captioning support. **Options** add various I/O, video, and audio expanded capabilities to the base model as shown in Figure 1-1 and described below. The various options are described in detail in 9901-UDX Video and Audio Options (p. 1-7), and as applicable throughout this manual.

As such, the 9901-UDX is highly suited as a universal processing card with comprehensive audio and video support for environments requiring legacy, current, and advanced platform support.



Figure 1-1 9901-UDX Simplified Overview of Base and Option Features/Functions

9901-UDX Functional Description

Figures 1-2 and 1-5 show functional block diagrams of the 9901-UDX video/ control and audio subsystems, respectively.

9901-UDX Video/Audio Signal Types

Table 1-1 lists the video/audio inputs and outputs (available via rear module connections) provided by the 9901-UDX. Note that some signal types are supported through the use of options, and also require a rear module that supports the connections described here; the complete option/rear module requirement is specified in Table 1-1.

Table 1-1 9901-UDX Video/Audio Signal Types

Signal ID	Description	Option/Rear Module Package Required		
SDI IN A thru SDI IN D	Four 3G/HD-SD-SDI BNC video inputs; routable to card processing via input crosspoint	SDI IN A is standard. Other inputs are active when options are installed (such as wings and keyer)		
		□ Various Rear Modules offer various SDI BNC input complements. See 9901-UDX Rear Modules (p. 2-7) for more information.		
Fiber Rx-A I/O, Fiber Rx-B I/O Option ⊡	Up to two 3G/HD-SD-SDI fiber LC video inputs; routable to card processing via input crosspoint	 Option +FRx (1 Fiber input) Option +FRx/Tx (1 Fiber input; 1 Fiber output) Option +FRx/Rx (2 Fiber inputs) 		
		Requires Expansion Rear Module supporting fiber I/O. See 9901-UDX Rear Modules (p. 2-7) for more information.		
AES Audio I/O (1-16) <i>Option</i> ⊡	Eight AES 3-id BNC pairs; each pair user GUI-selectable as either input or output.	 Option +AES Various Rear Modules offer various number of AES pairs supported. See 9901-UDX Rear Modules (p. 2-7) for more information. 		
Analog Video/Audio I/O <i>Option</i> 至	Up to eight balanced analog audio channels (using Phoenix™ 3-wire terminations); each channel switch-selectable as either input or output. HD/SD composite and component analog I/O	Refer to option Manual Supplement OPT-F3GAN-MS for descriptions of analog video/audio I/O options available.		
SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D	Four 3G/HD-SD-SDI BNC video outputs; routable from card processing via output crosspoint	Standard Various Rear Modules offer various SDI BNC output complements. See 9901-UDX Rear Modules (p. 2-6) for more information.		
Note: The input/output complement listed	above and shown in Figures 1-2 and 1-5 repre-	sents the maximum capability of the		

options are available concurrently on a single card.

9901-UDX Video and Audio Options Option

In addition to the I/O options described in Table 1-1 above, the 9901-UDX offers several video and audio options described in Table 1-2. Note that several options also require a rear I/O option that supports the video and/or audio options described here; the complete option requirement is specified in Table 1-2.

Table 1-2	9901-UDX	Video/Audio Options
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Option	Description	Option/Rear Module Package Required					
Note: Options are periodically added for this card. Check for latest options on the card web page at cobaltdigital.com. Most options, in addition to licensing, require that card be loaded with the latest available firmware.							
Video Options							
Color Correction	In addition to standard video proc controls, provides independent RGB channel controls for luma, black, and gamma.	Option +COLOR					
Wings Insertion	Refer to option Manual Supplement OPT-SW-F3GWINGS-MS for description and signal connection information.						
Keying	Refer to option Manual Supplement OPT-F3KEY-MS for description and signal connection information.						
Audio Options	·						
Note: Software options below car	n be field-installed on a card without removal of the card from	m its frame.					
Linear Acoustic [®] Loudness Processing	Linear Acoustic [®] AEROMAX [®] 5.1-channel or stereo audio output loudness processing;	Option +LP51 (5.1-Ch loudness processing)					
software	several combinations available	 Option +2LP20 (dual independent stereo loudness processing) 					
		 Option +LP20 (stereo loudness processing) 					
OGCP Loudness Meter software (Note 1)	5.1-channel loudness meter in accordance with EBU R128, ATSC A/85 and ITU BS.1770. Allows OGCP-9000 to provide user interface.	• Option +LM					
Linear Acoustic [®] Upmixing software (Note 2)Linear Acoustic [®] AUTOMAX™ converts legacy stereo program audio (from any source received by the card) to 5.1-channel audio.• Option +UM							
Automatic Downmixing	Option +ADM						
Automatic Audio Failover	Provides failover to alternate ("secondary") channels to substitute for the primary channels in the event of audio signal loss.	Option +AFO					

Option	Description	Option/Rear Module Package Required				
Dolby [®] E/AC-3 Decoding	Provides Dolby [®] E and/or AC-3 decoding from embedded and AES sources.	 Option +DEC If serial metadata Rx/Tx support is needed, requires Rear Module with RS-485 port 				
Dolby [®] Digital (AC-3), Digital Plus™ Encoding	Provides Dolby [®] AC-3 encoding from any audio source used by the card (including mixed and loudness-processed audio). Accommodates internally generated and external metadata.	 Option +ENCD If serial metadata Rx/Tx support is needed, requires Rear Module with RS-485 port 				
Dolby [®] E Encoding	Provides Dolby [®] E encoding from any audio source used by the card (including mixed and loudness-processed audio). Accommodates internally generated and external metadata.	 Option +ENCE If serial metadata Rx/Tx support is needed, requires Rear Module with RS-485 port 				
 Notes: 1. This option must be used in conjunction with a Cobalt[®] OGCP-9000 Remote Control Panel. The control panel serves as the control/display portal. 2. Option +UM can be used in conjunction with Loudness Processing options. 						

Table 1-2 9901-UDX Video/Audio Options — continued

Video Subsystem Description

Note: Descriptions below include some functions and features that are available only as options.

(See Figure 1-2.) The 9901-UDX features a scaler that provides up, down, and cross-conversion using de-interlacing and motion adaptation for high quality up-conversions. The scaler also provides user-adjustable aspect ratio control and zoom control.

Frame sync can select from either of two card frame reference sources, input video, or free-run (internal clock) video sync. Selectable failover allows alternate reference selection should the initial reference source become unavailable or invalid. In the event of input video loss of signal, the output can be set to disable video, go to black, go to an internal test signal generator pattern, or freeze to the last intact frame (for SDI, last frame having valid SAV and EAV codes).

Video Processor

The 9901-UDX provides full color processing control (luma gain and lift, chroma saturation, and color phase) of the output video. The color correction option (+COLOR) provides independent RGB channel controls for luma, black, and gamma. The color correction function converts the YCbCr SDI input video to the 4:4:4 RGB color space (where the color correction is applied), and then back to YCbCr SDI on the output of the function. Controls are available to adjust each RGB level independently for both white levels (gain) and black levels (offset). Gamma can also be independently adjusted for each RGB channels. Various controls can be ganged to provide adjustment for all three color channels simultaneously.

Ancillary Data (ANC) Extract/Processing

This function extracts and preserves VANC and HANC data prior to scaling, and in turn allows the data to be re-inserted in the output SDI. The card monitors SDI program video (and, where applicable, analog Y-channel VANC and the reference signal) for the following ANC data and reports status and line number:

- Closed Captioning
- VBI Dolby® Metadata
- SMPTE embedded video timecode

This function allows insertion enable/disable of the ANC data items, as well as output line control and prioritization selection for timecode formats. The various ANC data items are forwarded to related functional blocks within the card where the ANC items are applied to perform their functions (for example, closed captioning waveform-to-packet translation/regeneration using the extracted closed captioning ANC).

Following the scaler function, the processed ANC data is reintegrated into the SDI stream in accordance with the ANC control performed within this block.

Scaler Function

The scaler function provides up, down, and cross-conversions (UDX) between multiple standard SD and HD video formats, multiple frame rates, and cross-conversion between interlaced and progressive formats.

Table 1-3 lists the 9901-UDX conversion choices available for various input formats and frame rates. To use the table, locate the input format on the respective **Input Format** row in the far left column. Valid conversions are shown in **Scaler Output Selections** columns to the right. Where an **X** appears, this denotes a conversion that is not available for a given input format.

Note: In no case is the Scaler capable of converting from a clock standard to a different unrelated standard (e.g., 59.94 Hz NTSC to 50 Hz PAL).

The scaler function also provides aspect ratio conversion that provides a choice from several standard aspect ratios. Additionally, user defined and "Follow AFD Settings" conversion can be applied. User defined settings allow custom user-defined H and V aspect ratio control. "Follow AFD Settings" sets the output aspect ratio to track with AFD (Active Format Description) settings embedded in the received video signal.

Table 1-3	Scaler Function Conversions	

	Scaler Output Selections								
Input Format	SD (NTSC/ PAL)	720p	720p half-rate	720p (film)	1080i	1080p	1080p (film)	1080PsF (film)	1080p 3G
525i 59.94	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080PsF 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080p 59.94
625i 50	625i 50	720p 50	720p 25	Х	1080i 50	1080p 25	Х	1080PsF 25	1080p 50
720p 60	Х	720p 60	720p 30	720p 24 ₍₄₎	1080i 60	1080p 30	1080p 24 ₍₄₎	1080PsF 24 ₍₄₎	1080p 60
720p 59.94	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080PsF 23.98(4)	1080p 59.94
720p 50	625i 50	720p 50	720p 25	Х	1080i 50	1080p 25	Х	1080PsF 25	1080p 50
720p 30	Х	720p 60	720p 30	720p 24 ₍₅₎	1080i 60	1080p 30	1080p 24 ₍₅₎	1080PsF 24 ₍₅₎	1080p 60
720p 29.97	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98 ₍₅₎	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98 ₍₅₎	1080PsF 23.98(5)	1080p 59.94
720p 25	625i 50	720p 50	720p 25	Х	1080i 50	1080p 25	Х	1080PsF 25	1080p 50
720p 24	Х	720p 60	720p 30	720p 24	1080i 60	1080p 30	1080p 24	1080PsF 24	1080p 60
720p 23.98	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98	1080PsF 23.98	1080p 59.94
1080i 60	Х	720p 60	720p 30	720p 24 ₍₄₎	1080i 60	1080p 30	1080p 24 ₍₄₎	1080PsF 24 ₍₄₎	1080p 60
1080i 59.94	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080PsF 23.98(4)	1080p 59.94
1080i 50	625i 50	720p 50	720p 25	Х	1080i 50	1080p 25	Х	1080PsF 25	1080p 50
1080p 30	Х	720p 60	720p 30	720p 24 ₍₅₎	1080i 60	1080p 30	1080p 24 ₍₅₎	1080PsF 24 ₍₅₎	1080p 60
1080p 29.97	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98 ₍₅₎	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98 ₍₅₎	1080PsF 23.98(5)	1080p 59.94
1080p 25	625i 50	720p 50	720p 25	Х	1080i 50	1080p 25	Х	1080PsF 25	1080p 50
1080p 24	Х	720p 60	720p 30	720p 24	1080i 60	1080p 30	1080p 24	1080PsF 24	1080p 60
1080p 23.98	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98	1080PsF 23.98	1080p 59.94
1080PsF 24	Х	720p 60	720p 30	720p 24	1080i 60	1080p 30	1080p 24	1080PsF 24	1080p 60
1080PsF 25	625i 50	720p 50	720p 25	Х	1080i 50	1080p 25		1080PsF 25	1080p 50
1080PsF 23.98	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98	1080PsF 23.98	1080p 59.94
1080p 60	Х	720p 60	720p 30	720p 24 ₍₄₎	1080i 60	1080p 30	1080p 24 ₍₄₎	1080PsF 24 ₍₄₎	1080p 60
1080p 59.94	525i 59.94	720p 59.94	720p 29.97	720p 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080i 59.94	1080p 29.97	1080p 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080PsF 23.98 ₍₄₎	1080p 59.94
1080p 50	625i 50	720p 50	720p 25	Х	1080i 50	1080p 25	Х	1080PsF 25	1080p 50

Notes: 1. The drop-down list choice of "Match Input" is used when no conversion is desired. For clarity, it is not redundantly listed here.

2. "X" denotes conversions not available or invalid conversions.

3. Interlaced formats rates listed are field rates. Progressive format rates listed are frame rates.

4. If the original material does not have a proper 3-2 cadence suitable for conversion to film rates, the conversion reverts to standard de-interlacing. While this video can be converted to film rates, the resulting image motion will lack smoothness. Therefore, make certain interlaced video is appropriately constructed for 3-2 reverse pulldown when converting video to film rates.

5. Formats using a 30/29.97 Hz progressive frame rate can be converted to a 24/23.98 Hz progressive frame rate, however some image motion irregularity will appear in the converted output.

6. "NTSC" and "PAL" in this manual respectively denote 525i5994 and 625i50 SD analog formats, and informally 486i5994 and 575i50 SD-SDI video formats.

7. 3G rates above (as inputs or outputs) are for SDI or fiber ports only. Analog video input/output is limited to SD and HD only.



Frame Sync Function

This function provides for frame sync control using either one of two external **FRAME REF IN (1,2)** reference signals distributed with the card frame, or the input video as a frame sync reference.

This function also allows horizontal and/or vertical offset to be added between the output video and the frame sync reference.

Frame sync can select from either of two card frame reference sources, or free-run input video sync. Selectable failover allows alternate reference selection should the initial reference source become unavailable or invalid. In the event of input video loss of signal, the output can be set to disable video, go to black, go to an internal test signal generator pattern, or freeze to the last intact frame (last frame having valid SAV and EAV codes).

An internal test signal generator provides a selection of 10 standard patterns such as color bars, sweep patterns, and other technical patterns. The generator output can be invoked upon loss of program video input, or applied to the program video output via user controls.

ARC Processor

(See Figure 1-4.) This function uses extracted Aspect Ratio Control (ARC) data from the input video (in either AFD, WSS, or VI formats) and provides:

- Format translation between AFD, WSS, and VI ARC formats.
- H/V cross-conversion matrix in which a received code directs a same or other user-selectable alternate H/V ratio on the output for any of several H/V ratios.
- (Scaler-equipped card only) Directs scaler automatic active ARC in response to received and/or converted ARC code (Scaler Follows ARC).

The input video is checked for ARC formats and can be set to provide a trigger upon when a selected ARC format is received, the code associated with the received format can be applied to the output as a translated format (for, example, from WSS to AFD). Received H/V codes can also be applied through an H/V conversion matrix that allows alternate H/V ratios for a given received input code. The ARC code format priority works in that AFD has highest priority, with WSS or VI selectable as the next priority. In conjunction with a user-accessible cross-matrix table, the received code then in turn directs any of several user-selectable H/V settings to be inserted on the output video as AFD, WSS, and/or VI codes. AFD, WSS and/or VI can be rejected for input consideration. On cards equipped with a scaler, the selected output H/V ratio can be set to automatically apply this aspect ratio to the program video.



Figure 1-3 ARC Processor

Timecode Processor

(See Figure 1-4.) This function uses extracted timecode data from the input video (waveform or ATC), reference VITC waveform, or internal (free run) and in turn re-inserts selected timecode data into the program video signal. In this manner, timecode data can be preserved, even after format conversion. The function can monitor video input and reference input for supported timecode formats, and then select and prioritize among SDI VITC waveform, SDI ATC_VITC, and SDI ATC_LTC timecode sources. If the preferred format is detected, the preferred format is used by the card; if the preferred format is not detected, the card uses other formats (where available) as desired.

The function also provides conversion between various timecode formats and provides independent insertion and line number controls for each SDI timecode output format.

Option Description When licensed with option **+LTC**, this function also can receive, send and translate between audio/RS-485 LTC timecode formats and the VBI formats described above. Refer to catalog or Fusion3G[®] manual supplement OPT-F3GLTC-MS for more information.



Figure 1-4 Timecode Processor

Closed Captioning Processor

This function provides support for closed captioning setup. When enabled, the function allows passage of timecode data. When up-conversion from SD to an HD is active, the function converts waveform-based timecode data to packet-based timecode data. The function also allows the selection of the ancillary data line number where the ancillary closed caption data is outputted when the output is HD. When receiving HD-SDI, both CEA 608 and CEA 708 are supported, with CEA 608 and CEA 708 (containing CEA 608 packets) converted to line 21 closed captioning on outputs down-converted to SD (on up-convert of SD, only CEA 608 closed captioning is generated).

Wings Insertion **Option E**

Option **+WINGS** allows a symmetrical L-R wings insertion to be integrated into the card program video output. Wings video is accommodated using a separate wings SDI input. The wings user interface displays wings timing relative to the card output video, allowing wings timing offset to be adjusted such that wings can be properly framed. (The option and its host card does not provide timing offset control of the wings video; offset must be provided by a external frame sync card or device controlling the wings video feed.)

The wings L/R insertion width can be manually configured, or can be set to automatically track with aspect ratio as set by the host card (on cards equipped with aspect ratio control).

Video Output Crosspoint

A four-output video matrix crosspoint allows independently applying the card video processing paths (**PROGRAM VIDEO**, **KEY PREVIEW**, **RECLOCKED**) to any of the four card discrete coaxial outputs (**SDI OUT A** thru **SDI OUT D**).

A video D/A converter provides either composite or component analog video outputs of program video using choices from several formats appropriate for SD or HD analog video.

- **Notes:** Rear Module relay bypass is available only between the **SDI OUT B** and **SDI OUT B** ports. This is a passive bypass and does not require card operation or presence for bypass.
 - Output reclocked video can only be obtained from SDI input SDI OUT A.

Audio Subsection Description

Note: Descriptions below include some functions and features that are available only as options.

(See Figure 1-5.) The 9901-UDX audio processing subsection is built around a card internal 16-channel bus. This 16-channel bus receives inputs from an input routing crosspoint that routes de-embedded and discrete AES signals over the 16-channel bus. Correspondingly, at the output end of the 16-channel bus is an output routing crosspoint that in turn distributes the 16-channel bus signals to embedded and discrete AES audio outputs.

An Input Audio Status display shows the presence and peak level of each input audio channel received by the card. For digital audio inputs, payload is identified (PCM or data such as Dolby[®] Digital or E), as well as sample rate for discrete AES inputs. Discrete AES inputs can have sample rate conversion applied to align these inputs with the output timing (received sample rates from 32 kHz to 96 kHz are supported).

An Audio DSP function (which interfaces with the output routing block) provides eight tone generators and advanced functions such as loudness processing and upmixing. The routing and Audio DSP functions are described in detail later in this section.

As such, the audio subsection provides a full crosspoint between all supported audio inputs and output formats.

The audio subsection allows choices from the following audio inputs:

- 16 channels of de-embedded audio from the SDI program video path
- Up to 16 channels (8 pairs) of discrete AES input
- Up to 8 channels of balanced analog audio input
- Up to 10 channels of decoded Dolby[®] E or AC-3 audio
- Digital silence (mute) setting

The audio subsection allows routing to the following audio outputs:

- 16 channels of embedded audio on the SDI output
- Up to 16 channels of discrete AES output on eight AES pairs
- Up to 8 channels of balanced analog audio output
- **Note:** Practical AES channel count handled by the card is 8 pairs, of which each pair can be user GUI-selectable as an input or output.

All embedded and AES channels have status displays that show the following for each channel pair:

- PCM signal presence
- Dolby E signal presence
- Dolby Digital signal presence
- Missing (no signal detected)

Embedded, AES, and analog input channel pairs also have displays showing slow-ballistics true peak levels for each pair. Embedded and AES channels at digital silence signal level show Mute; analog channels with levels below -96 dBFS digital equivalent show Silence.

Output audio rates are always 48 kHz locked to output video, but discrete AES inputs can pass through the sample rate converters to align these inputs with the output timing. Output AES is always precisely synchronized with the output video. The balanced analog audio input is sampled at 48 kHz with a +24 dBu clipping level (+24 dBu => 0 dBFS).

Note: AES Dolby-encoded inputs routed directly to card optional Dolby decoder are detected and use a special path that automatically bypasses SRC.



Audio Input Routing/Mixing Function

(See Figure 1-5.) The input routing function provides gain and mute controls for each input signal. Following these controls, selected inputs can directly exit the input routing function and be applied to the internal bus, or first be applied to one of four downmixers or flex mixers.

Downmixers. (See Figure 1-6.) Four independent downmixers (**Downmix-A** thru **Downmix-D**) provides for the selection of any five embedded, AES discrete, Dolby[®] decoded, or analog audio sources serving as Left (L), Right (**R**), Center (**C**), Left Surround (Ls), and Right Surround (**Rs**) individual signals to be multiplexed into a stereo pair. The resulting stereo pairs **Downmix-A(L/R)** thru **Downmix-D(L/R)** can in turn be routed and processed just like any of the other audio sources described earlier.



Figure 1-6 Downmixing Functional Block Diagram with Example Sources

Automatic Downmixer. **Option** Automatic downmixing (option +ADM) allows monitoring a selected stereo pair for a user-configurable signal level threshold. If this threshold is not achieved within a configurable holdoff time, the automatic downmixing develops a stereo downmix from selected alternate multi-channel sources (developing an automatic downmix as described for Downmixers above).

Flex Mixer. The flex mixer is a flexible-structure mixer in which any of 16 summing nodes (**Flex Mix Bus A** thru **Flex Mix Bus P**) can be applied to any of the 16 inputs, thereby allowing several customizable mixing schemes. Any individual input row can be assigned to any of the Flex Mix buses.

Using this scheme, full cross-point mixing of PCM signals can be achieved within the limit of available Flex Mix buses, and eventually applied to any of the internal bus channels. Figure 1-7 shows an example of two independent 3-to-1 mono mixers availed by setting inputs (rows) 1 thru 3 to use virtual flex mix bus **Flex Mix Bus A**, and by setting inputs 4 thru 6 to use virtual flex mix bus **Flex Mix Bus B**. The **Flex Mix A** and **Flex Mix B** virtual outputs can then be routed over any of the internal bus channels. In this example, because rows 1 thru 3 are all applied in common to mixer node **Flex Mix Bus A**, the **Flex Mix Bus A** output is the mono-mixed sum of these inputs. The mono mix on the **Flex Mix Bus B** node similarly produces a mono mix of input rows 4 thru 6.



Figure 1-7 Flex Mixer with Dual Mono Mixer Example

Internal Bus

(See Figure 1-5.) The internal bus receives its audio inputs from the input routing function and accommodates a maximum of 16 concurrent channels. This conduit serves as a centralized point for managing audio delay offset from video and master gain controls for outputs from the input routing function.

A bulk (master) video/audio delay function allows adding or reducing audio delay from the video delay. The 9901-UDX re-establishes video/audio sync following framesync changes by applying an offset in small, progressive amounts to provide a seamless, glitch-free retiming. In addition to the master sync/delay controls, each bus channel has its own independent delay and gain control.

As shown in Figure 1-5, the internal bus receives inputs directly from card external sources or Dolby[®] decoder outputs as listed below.

- Emb Ch 1-16
- AES Ch 1-16
- Analog audio Ch 1 8
- Dolby[®] decode Ch 1-10
- Silence

Automatic Audio Failover. Option (Automatic audio failover (option +AFO) allows monitoring each of the card's internal bus channels for a user-configurable signal level threshold. If this threshold is not achieved within a configurable holdoff time, the failover function allows an alternate ("secondary") channel to substitute for the primary channel.

Audio Output Routing Function

(See Figure 1-5.) The output routing function provides routing to card outputs. This function can also direct internal bus signals to further mixing capabilities or advanced Audio DSP functions. This function also provides gain and mute controls for each signal.

Audio DSP functions include 5.1-channel and stereo loudness processing, and upmixing.

Audio DSP Functions Overview. The Audio DSP block provides the function complement (selected via user controls) listed below. Because this block is entirely software-based, it can provide the Audio DSP combinations listed below (depending on ordered options).

- 5.1-Ch Loudness Processor + Dual Stereo Loudness Processors
- Dual 5.1-Ch Loudness Processors
- 5.1-Ch Loudness Processor + Upmixer
- Dual Stereo Loudness Processors + Dual Stereo Loudness Processors
- Dual Stereo Loudness Processors + Upmixer
- Dual Upmixers

2.0-to-5.1 Upmixer. Option \supseteq (Option +UM) The 2.0-to-5.1 upmixer function receives a normal PCM stereo pair from any internal bus channel pair. The stereo pair is upmixed to provide 5.1 channels (Left (L), Right (R), Center (C), Low Frequency Effects (LFE), Left Surround (Ls), and Right Surround (Rs)). Whenever the upmixer is active, it overwrites the six selected 5.1 output channels with the new 5.1 upmix signals (including replacing the original source stereo L and R inputs with new L and R signals).

The 2.0-to-5.1 upmixer can be set to upmix in any of three modes: Always upmix, Bypass upmix, or Auto enable/bypass upmixing. The Auto upmixing mode looks at the signal levels on the selected channels and compares them to a selectable level threshold. It then determines whether or not to generate 5.1 upmixing from the stereo pair as follows:

- If the upmixer detects signal level **below** a selected threshold on **all three** of the selected channels designated as **C**, **Ls**, and **Rs**, this indicates to the upmixer that these channels are not carrying 5.1. In this case, the upmixer produces new 5.1 content generated by the upmixer.
- If the upmixer detects signal level **above** a selected threshold on **any** of the three selected channels designated as **C**, **Ls**, and **Rs**, this indicates to the upmixer that the channel(s) are already carrying viable 5.1 content. In this case, the upmixer is bypassed and the channels fed to the upmixer pass unaffected to the upmixer outputs.

The examples in Figure 1-8 show the automatic enable/disable upmixing function applied to example selected channels **Bus Ch 1** thru **Bus Ch 6**. As shown and described, the processing is contingent upon the signal levels of the channels selected to carry the new 5.1 upmix relative to the selected threshold (in this example, -60 dBFS).





Loudness Processor. Option \supseteq (See Figure 1-9.) The loudness processor (option +LP) function receives up to six selected channels from the internal bus and performs loudness processing on the selected channels. A loudness processing profile best suited for the program material can be selected from several loudness processing presets. Refer to catalog or Fusion3G[®] manual supplement OPT-SW-F3GLP-MS for more information.

Note: Discussion and example here describes 5.1-channel loudness processor. Stereo and dual-stereo processors operate similar to described here.

The example in Figure 1-9 shows routing of embedded output channels Emb Out Ch 1 thru Ch 6 fed through the loudness processor. A master output gain control is provided which allows fine adjustment of the overall output level.



Figure 1-9 5.1-Channel Loudness Processor with Example Sources

Tone Generators. The 9901-UDX contains eight built-in tone generators of frequencies from 50 Hz to 16 kHz. Each of the eight tone generators can be routed to the upmixer or directly to card audio outputs. (Default output is -20 dBFS.)

DashBoard Dual Audio Loudness Meter Description. *Option* 至

Note: This function provides DashBoard loudness metering and is typically furnished with cards licensed for loudness processing. OGCP-9000 Loudness Meter Option (+LM) is an OGCP-9000 Control Panel option that provides advanced loudness metering functions such as graphing and statistics. +LM option is separate and independent of this function; refer to catalog or website for more information.

This function allows two independent 5.1-channel PCM groups to be routed to two independent DashBoard loudness meters that provide short-term loudness measurement in accordance with ITU-R BS.1770-1 – ATSC A/85.

The function can monitor any combination of channels on the card internal bus, or audio DSP output channels such as upmixed and loudness-processed channels (channel routing to the meters is independent of any other card routing and does not affect the channels in any way). The two loudness meters readily allow pre and post-processed loudness processing comparison when loudness processing is being performed by the card.

The function provides a configurable short term window for tailoring the measurement to suit various program material conditions.

Control and Data Input/Output Interfaces

GPI Interface

Two independent ground-closure sensing GPI inputs (**GPI 1** and **GPI 2**; each sharing common ground connection as chassis potential) are available. Associated with each GPI user control is a selection of one of 64 user-defined card presets in which GPI activation invokes a card control preset. Because the GPI closure invokes a user-defined preset, the resulting setup is highly flexible and totally user-defined. Invoking a user preset to effect a change involves card setup communication limited **only** to the items being changed; the card remains on-line during the setup, and the called preset is rapidly applied.

GPI triggering can be user selected to consider the activity on discrete GPI ports, or combinations of logic states considering both GPI inputs. This flexibility allows multistage, progressive actions to be invoked if desired. Indication is provided showing whenever a GPI input has been invoked.

GPO Interface

Two independent SPST NO electromechanical non-referenced (floating) contact pairs (**GPO 1/1** and **GPO 2/2**) are available. A GPO can be invoked by setting a GPO to be enabled when a card preset is in turn applied (i.e., when a preset is invoked (either manually or via event-based loading), the GPO is correspondingly also activated.

Serial (COMM) Ports

The 9901-UDX is equipped with two, 3-wire serial ports (**COM 1 - Serial Port 1, COM 2 - Serial Port 2**). The ports allow serial metadata import and export between optional Dolby[®] encoders and decoders. The ports also provide for SMPTE 2020 de-embedding to an output port, and provide RS-485 LTC I/O (when licensed with option **+LTC**).

User Control Interface

Figure 1-10 shows the user control interfaces for the 9901-UDX. These interfaces are individually described below.

Note: All user control interfaces described here are cross-compatible and can operate together as desired. Where applicable, any control setting change made using a particular user interface is reflected on any other connected interface.



Figure 1-10 9901-UDX User Control Interface

DashBoard[™] User Interface – Using DashBoard[™], the 9901-UDX and other cards installed in openGear®¹ frames such as the Cobalt[®] HPF-9000 or 8321 Frame can be controlled from a computer and monitor.

DashBoardTM allows users to view all frames on a network with control and monitoring for all populated slots inside a frame. This simplifies the setup and use of numerous modules in a large installation and offers the ability to centralize monitoring. Cards define their controllable parameters to DashBoardTM, so the control interface is always up to date.

The DashBoard[™] software can be downloaded from the Cobalt Digital Inc. website: <u>www.cobaltdigital.com</u> (enter "DashBoard" in the search window). The DashBoard[™] user interface is described in Chapter 3,"Operating Instructions".

Note: If network remote control is to be used for the frame and the frame has not yet been set up for remote control, Cobalt[®] reference guide **Remote Control** User Guide (PN 9000RCS-RM) provides thorough information and step-by-step instructions for setting up network remote control of COMPASS[®] and FUSION3G[®] cards using DashBoard[™]. (Cobalt[®] OGCP-9000 and OGCP-9000/CC Remote Control Panel product manuals have complete instructions for setting up remote control using a Remote Control Panel.)

Download a copy of this guide by clicking on the **Support>Reference Documents** link at www.cobaltdigital.com and then select DashBoard Remote Control Setup Guide as a download, or contact Cobalt[®] as listed in Contact Cobalt Digital Inc. (p. 1-34).

Cobalt[®] OGCP-9000 and OGCP-9000/CC Remote Control
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The remote control panels allow quick and intuitive access to hundreds of cards in a facility, and can monitor and allow adjustment of multiple parameters at one time.

The remote control panels are totally compatible with the openGear[®] control software DashBoardTM; any changes made with either system are reflected on the other.

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9901-UDX Rear Modules

The 9901-UDX physically interfaces to system video and audio connections using a Rear Module. Figure 1-11 shows a typical 9901-UDX Rear Module.

All inputs and outputs shown in the video and audio block diagrams (Figures 1-2 and 1-5, respectively) enter and exit the card via the card edge backplane connector. The Rear Module breaks out the 9901-UDX card edge connections to industry standard connections that interface with other components and systems in the signal chain.

In this manner, the particular inputs and outputs required for a particular application can be accommodated using a Rear Module that best suits the requirements. The required input and outputs are broken out to the industry standard connectors on the Rear Module; the unused inputs and outputs remain unterminated and not available for use.

The full assortment of 9901-UDX Rear Modules is shown and described in 9901-UDX Rear Modules (p. 2-7) in Chapter 2, "Installation and Setup".



Figure 1-11 Typical 9901-UDX Rear Module

For some card options, a piggyback card is mounted to the main 9901-UDX card. Occupying two card slots, the connections for the functions offered by the piggyback card are broken out using an expansion module (which is installed adjacent to the base card rear module slot). When an expansion rear module is used, the base rear module mates with the base Fusion3G® card, and the expansion rear module mates with the expansion piggyback card that is piggyback-installed on the base card.

Figure 1-12 shows a 9901-UDX card using an RM20-9901-B base rear module along with an analog audio expansion rear module.



Figure 1-12 9901-UDX with Expansion Rear Module

Audio and Video Formats Supported by the 9901-UDX

Table 1-4 lists and provides details regarding the audio and video formats supported by the 9901-UDX.

Table 1-4	Supported Audio and Video Formats
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Item	Description	n/Specification
Input / Output Video	Raster Structure:	Frame Rate:
	1080p	23.98; 24; 29.97; 25; 30
	1080p 3G ⁽²⁾	50; 59.94; 60
	1080i ⁽¹⁾	25; 29.97; 30
	720p	23.98; 24; 25; 29.97; 30; 50; 59.94; 60
	486i ⁽¹⁾	29.97
	575i ⁽¹⁾	25
Embedded Audio	The 9901-UDX supports all four g audio at full 24-bit resolution in bo and HD.	roups (16 channels) of embedded oth SD (with extended data packets)
Analog Audio	The 9901-UDX supports 8 channel audio (maximum total of inputs ar encoded such that a +24 dBu input	els of balanced (differential) analog nd outputs). The analog audio is ut is equivalent to digital 0 dBFS.
Discrete AES Audio	The 9901-UDX can accept 16 cha on 75 Ω BNC connections (maxim Sample rate conversion can be en differences in the AES stream and	annels (8 pairs) of discrete AES audio um total of inputs and outputs). nployed to accommodate sample rate d the input video stream.
(1) All rates displayed as frame rates; in	terlaced ("i") field rates are two times the rate v	value shown.

(2) Not supported as analog video I/O formats.

Technical Specifications

Table 1-5 lists the technical specifications for the 9901-UDX 3G/HD/SD Up/Down/Cross Converter and Frame Sync card.

Note: Input/output types and number of input/outputs in some cases are a function of option(s) and/or rear module installed. Input/outputs requiring options are specified below. Refer to Table 1-1, "9901-UDX Video/Audio Signal Types" for detailed information on available input/output complements and corresponding options/rear module requirements.

Table 1-5	Technical Specifications
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Item	Characteristic
Part number, nomenclature	 9901-UDX Up/Down/Cross Converter with Frame Sync 9901-UC Up Converter with Frame Sync 9901-DC Down Converter with Frame Sync 9901-XC Cross-Converter with Frame Sync
Installation/usage environment	Intended for installation and usage in frame meeting openGear [®] modular system definition.
Power consumption	 35 Watts (nominal) The following options add power consumption as follows: +KEYER option: 2 Watts +DEC (Dolby[®] decoder) option: 2 Watts +ANA, +ANV (analog audio/video I/O) options: 15 Watts (typical)
Environmental: Operating temperature: Relative humidity (operating or storage):	32° – 104° F (0° – 40° C) < 95%, non-condensing
Frame communication	10/100 Mbps Ethernet with Auto-MDIX.
Internal Tone Generators	Eight built-in tone generators, each configurable for 18 discrete sine wave frequencies ranging from 50 Hz to 16 kHz. Generator source signal level is equivalent to -20 dBu.
Standards Supported (SDI)	 3G: SMPTE 425 level A 1080p60, 1080p59.94, 1080p50 HD: 1080i60, 1080i59.94, 1080i50, 1080p29.97, 1080p25, 1080p24; 1080p23.98 720p60, 720p59.94, 720p50, 720p29.97, 720p25, 720p24, 720p23.98 SD: 486i59094, 576i50
BNC SDI Video Inputs/Outputs	Input/Output Complement: • Four BNC input connectors (maximum) • Four BNC output connectors (maximum) Data Rates Supported: SMPTE 425 level A and B: 3 Gbps SMPTE 292 HD-SDI: 1.485 Gbps or 1.485/1.001 Gbps SMPTE 259M-C SD-SDI: 270 Mbps BNC Connector Input/Output Impedance: 75 Ω terminating Cable Equalization (3G): 394 ft (120 m) Belden 1694A Cable Equalization (HD): 591 ft (180 m) Belden 1694A Cable Equalization (SD): 1050 ft (320 m) Belden 1694A Return Loss: > 15 dB up to 1.485 GHz

Item	Characteristic
Fiber Inputs/Outputs (option required)	Input/Output Complement: Up to two inputs/outputs (maximum total between inputs and outputs) Connectors: Dual LC, standard polish Fiber Type: 9/125 micron, single mode Mating System: Blindmate Tx Power: -5 dBm @ 1310 nm Rx Power: -16 to -3 dBm @ 1260 to 1620 nm
Analog Video Input (option required)	Input Complement: Separate component and composite inputs on 75 Ω BNC connectors. Supports component HD/SD and component, composite, and Y/C SD inputs. Video Input Types: HD: Component YPbPr and RGB SMPTE SD: Composite, Component YPbPr (BetaCam [™] , MII [™] , SMPTE/N10), RGB, and Y/C ADC Bit Depth: 12 bit Sampling: 54 MHz (4x oversampling) Frequency Response: Y/CVBS: ± 0.25 dB to 30 MHz Pb/Pr: ± 0.25 dB to 15 MHz Noise: < -60 dB to 30 MHz (unweighted) Differential Phase: <1.5° Differential Gain: <1.0%
Analog Video Output (option required)	 Output Complement: Separate component and composite outputs on 75 Ω BNC connectors. Supports component HD/SD and component, composite, and Y/C SD outputs. Video Output Types: HD: Component YPbPr and RGB SMPTE SD: Composite, Component YPbPr (BetaCam[™], MII[™], SMPTE/N10), RGB, and Y/C DAC Bit Depth: 12 bit

Item	Characteristic
Analog Video Output (option required) (cont.)	Frequency Response: Y/CVBS: ± 0.25 dB to 30 MHz Pb/Pr: ± 0.25 dB to 15 MHz Noise: < -60 dB to 30 MHz (unweighted) Differential Phase: <1.5° Differential Gain: <1.0%
AES Audio Inputs/Outputs (option required)	Standard: SMPTE 276M Number of inputs/outputs (maximum total between inputs and outputs): 8 pairs (16-channel) on BNC connectors per AES3-id; 75 Ω impedance Input Level: 0.2 to 2.0 Vp-p Output Level: 1.0 Vp-p Return Loss: > 15 dB @ up to 6.144 MHz Input SRC Range: 32 kHz to 96 kHz Input SRC Performance: >130 dB THD+N
Analog Audio Inputs/Outputs (option required)	Number of inputs/outputs (maximum total between inputs and outputs): Eight, 3-wire balanced analog audio using Phoenix connectors with removable screw terminal blocks (Phoenix PN 1803581; Cobalt PN 5000-0013-000R) Input Impedance: >10 kΩ Input Clip Level: +24 dBu (eq. 0 dBFS) Max. Output Level: +24 dBu (eq. 0 dBFS) Frequency Response: ± 0.12 dB (20 Hz to 20 kHz) SNR: 115 dB (A-weighted) THD+N: -96 dB (20 Hz to 10 kHz) Crosstalk: -106 dB (20 Hz to 20 kHz)
Audio/Video Delay	Conversion Latency: 1 frame Frame Sync Min. Latency: 2 lines

Table 1-5	Technical Specifications — continued

Item	Characteristic
Audio/Video Delay (cont.)	Configurable Video Delay (3G / HD / SD): 0.5 / 1.0 / 5.0 seconds (max.)
	Configurable Audio Delay: 16-channel; independent delay per channel; 1 sample step size Up to 5 sec delay for each channel
Frame Reference Input	Number of Inputs: Two non-terminating (looping) Frame Reference inputs with selectable failover
	Standards Supported: SMPTE 170M/318M ("black burst") SMPTE 274M/296M ("tri-color")
	Return Loss: > 35 dB up to 5.75 MHz
Serial Ports	Two ports, each 3-wire RS-485 using Phoenix connectors with removable screw terminal blocks (Phoenix PN 1803581; Cobalt PN 5000-0013-000R)
	Rx Functions: Dolby [®] metadata input, RS-485 LTC IN
	Tx Functions: Dolby [®] metadata output, RS-485 LTC OUT
GPI Ports	Two opto-isolated ports with self-sourcing current on 3-wire (IN 1, IN 2, GND) Phoenix connector with removable screw terminal blocks (Phoenix PN 1803581; Cobalt PN 5000-0013-000R)
	Triggering: User-configurable. GPI activation invokes a selected user preset. Response: GPI acknowledge upon falling-edge input triggered
	by R \leq 10 k Ω (or Vin \leq 2.0 V) GPI release upon rising-edge input triggered by R \geq 10 k Ω (or Vin \geq 2.0 V)
	"G" (GND) terminal at chassis-ground potential Suitable for use with 3.3V LVCMOS logic
	Maximum Recommended Logic Control Voltage Range: 0 to 5 VDC
GPO Ports	Two, independent non-referenced (floating) SPST relay closure indicating input path selected (either via manual or failover selection). GPO can be selected to trigger upon engagement of a specified user preset.
	Response: Closure effected for duration of true status condition; closure release upon false status condition
	Maximum Recommended Voltage / Current: 12 VDC @ 100mA max.
	Connector: 4-terminal Phoenix; GP01/GP01C / GP02/GP02C

Table 1-5	Technical Specifications — continued
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This product is warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of five (5) years from the date of shipment to the original purchaser, except that 4000, 5000, 6000, 8000 series power supplies, and Dolby[®] modules (where applicable) are warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year.

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Chapter 2

Installation and Setup

Overview

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- Installing a Rear Module (p. 2-4)
- Connecting To Phoenix Terminal Connectors (p. 2-15)
- Setting Up 9901-UDX Network Remote Control (p. 2-16)
- **Note:** The 9901-UDX is suitable for installation only in a 20-slot frame (Cobalt[®] PN HPF-9000, OG3-FR, or 8321-CN or equivalent).

Setting I/O Switches for Analog Audio (1-8) Ports

- Notes: This procedure is applicable only for 9901-UDX equipped with analog audio options (for example, option +ANAIO). Refer to catalog or Fusion3G[®] manual supplement Analog Audio/Video Options OPT-F3GAN-MS for more information.
 - All switches are set as inputs as factory default.

Analog audio options allow the 9901-UDX to be used with analog audio inputs and/or outputs. The option provides for eight analog audio channel IN or OUT, with each channel configurable as an input or output using DIP switches S1 thru S8). The switches are located on the option piggyback card.

Note switch S1 thru S8 locations for **AN-AUD I/O 1** thru **AN-AUD I/O 8** shown in Figure 2-1. For port to be used as an **output**, set switch to down position as shown in Figure 2-1.



Figure 2-1 9901-UDX AN-AUD I/O (1-8) Mode Switches

Installing the 9901-UDX Into a Frame Slot

CAUTION

Heat and power distribution requirements within a frame may dictate specific slot placement of cards. Cards with many heat-producing components should be arranged to avoid areas of excess heat build-up, particularly in frames using only convection cooling. The 9901-UDX has a moderate power dissipation (30 W max.). As such, avoiding placing the card adjacent to other cards with similar dissipation values if possible.

CAUTION



CAUTION

If required, make certain Rear Module(s) is installed before installing the 9901-UDX into the frame slot. Damage to card and/or Rear Module can occur if module installation is attempted with card already installed in slot.

Notes:	 Check the packaging in which the 9901-UDX was shipped for any extra
	items such as a Rear Module connection label. In some cases, this label is
	shipped with the card and to be installed on the Rear I/O connector bank
	corresponding to the slot location of the card.

• Depending on option(s) ordered, the 9901-UDX unit may consist of a main card and a piggyback option card. If equipped with a piggyback card, **both cards as a unit** will require simultaneous alignment with slot guides and rear modules in the following steps.

Install the 9901-UDX into a frame slot as follows:

- 1. Determine the slot in which the 9901-UDX is to be installed.
- **2.** Open the frame front access panel.
- **3.** While holding the card by the card edges, align the card such that the plastic ejector tab is on the bottom.
- 4. Align the card with the top and bottom guides of the slot in which the card is being installed.
- **5.** Gradually slide the card into the slot. When resistance is noticed, gently continue pushing the card until its rear printed circuit edge terminals engage fully into the Rear Module mating connector.

CAUTION

If card resists fully engaging in Rear Module mating connector, check for alignment and proper insertion in slot tracks. Damage to card and/or Rear Module may occur if improper card insertion is attempted.

- 6. Verify that the card is fully engaged in Rear Module mating connector.
- 7. Close the frame front access panel.
- **8.** Connect cabling in accordance with the appropriate diagram shown in Table 2-1, "9901-UDX Rear Modules" (p. 2-7).
- **9.** Repeat steps 1 through 8 for other 9901-UDX cards.
- **Notes:** The 9901-UDX BNC inputs are internally 75-ohm terminated. It is not necessary to terminate unused BNC inputs or outputs.
 - External frame sync reference signals are received by the card over a reference bus on the card frame, and not on any card rear I/O module connectors. The frame has BNC connectors labeled **REF 1** and **REF 2** which receive the reference signal from an external source such as a house distribution.
 - To remove a card, press down on the ejector tab to unseat the card from the Rear Module mating connector. Evenly draw the card from its slot.

- **10.** If network remote control is to be used for the frame and the frame has not yet been set up for remote control, perform setup in accordance with Setting Up 9901-UDX Network Remote Control (p. 2-16).
- Note: If installing a card in a frame already equipped for, and connected to DashBoard[™], no network setup is required for the card. The card will be discovered by DashBoard[™] and be ready for use.

Installing a Rear Module

- Notes: This procedure is applicable only if a Rear Module is not currently installed in the slot where the 9901-UDX is to be installed.
 - Where options are furnished using a piggyback card mounted to 9901-UDX main card, **base** Rear Module must be installed in frame location such that Rear Module interfaces with **base card**. **Expansion** Rear Module must be installed in frame location such that Rear Module interfaces with **expansion** (piggyback) card (see Figure 2-3).
 - Note that some Rear Modules and labels have several ventilation holes. To allow maximum ventilation, it is recommended to place the label fully over connectors such that label is flush with rear module and holes are not obscured. Also, when a card is not installed in a slot, it is recommended that the supplied blank cover be used to preserve proper forced ventilation flow-through.

The full assortment of 9901-UDX Rear Modules is shown and described in 9901-UDX Rear Modules (p. 2-7). Install a Rear Module as follows:

- 1. On the frame, determine the slot in which the 9901-UDX is to be installed.
- 2. In the mounting area corresponding to the slot location, install Rear Module as shown in Figure 2-2.
- **3.** If an expansion Rear Module is to be installed, install it adjacent to the base Rear Module as shown in Figure 2-3.



Figure 2-2 Rear Module Installation



Figure 2-3 9901-UDX with Expansion Rear Module

9901-UDX Rear Modules

Table 2-1 shows and describes the full assortment of Rear Modules specifically for use with the 9901-UDX.

- **Notes:** Rear Modules equipped with multi-wire Phoenix connectors are supplied with removable screw terminal block adapters. For clarity, the adapters are omitted in the drawings below. Refer to Connecting To Phoenix Terminal Connectors (p. 2-15) for connector polarity orientation details.
 - The Rear Modules shown here are standard production items. Other signal combinations may be available as custom items. Consult Product Support with requests. Also, please check our web site pages for this product; new Rear Modules may be available that are not listed here.
 - **Option** Some connection types described here on Expansion Rear Modules are functional only on cards equipped with corresponding options.

Base Rear I/O Modules provide connections for standard card BNC video and audio connections, with the rear module mating directly with the Fusion3G[®] card. Expansion Rear I/O Modules are required for some video and audio options, such as analog audio/video and fiber connections. These rear modules mate with an Expansion piggyback card that is mounted to the base Fusion3G[®] card when equipped with these options.

Table 2-1 9901-UDX Rear Modules

9901-UDX Rear Module	Description
9901-UDX Rear Module RM20-9901-B Base Rear Module SDI IN A SDI IN B SDI IN A SDI IN B O AES I/O 1 AES I/O 2 O AES I/O 3 AES I/O 4 O SDI OUT A SDI OUT B O SDI OUT A SDI OUT B O SDI OUT B	Description Provides the following connections: • Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video input BNCs (SDI IN A and SDI IN B) • Four AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES I/O 1 thru AES I/O 4; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable) • Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video output BNCs (SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D) Note: AES inputs and outputs operational only with card option +AES installed.



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9901-UDX Rear Module	Description
RM20-9901-C Base Rear Module	 Provides the following connections: Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video input BNCs (SDI IN A thru SDI IN D) Two AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES I/O 1 and AES I/O 2; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable) Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video output BNCs (SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D) Note: AES inputs and outputs operational only with card option +AES installed.
RM20-9901-D Base Rear Module	 Provides the following connections: Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video input BNCs (SDI IN A and SDI IN B) Four AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES I/O 1 thru AES I/O 4; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable) Two opto-isolated GPI inputs (terminals GPI 1-G and GPI 2-G) Two SPST NO GPO relay closure contacts (floating) (terminals GPO 1/1 and 2/2) Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video output BNCs (SDI OUT A and SDI OUT B) Note: AES inputs and outputs operational only with card option +AES installed.

Table 2-19901-UDX Rear Modules — continued

9901-UDX Rear Module	Description
RM20-9901-E Base Rear Module	 Provides the following connections: Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video input BNCs (SDI IN A thru SDI IN D) Eight AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES I/O 1 thru AES I/O 8; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable) Two opto-isolated GPI inputs (terminals GPI 1-G and GPI 2-G) Two SPST NO GPO relay closure contacts (floating) (terminals GPO 1/1 and 2/2) Two RS485 serial ports; GUI configurable for function (COMM1 and COMM2) Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video output BNCs (SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D) Note: AES inputs and outputs operational only with card option +AES installed
RM20-9901-F Base Rear Module	 Provides the following connections: 3G/HD/SD-SDI video input BNC (SDI IN A) Eight AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES 1 thru AES 8; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable) 3G/HD/SD-SDI video output BNC (SDI OUT A) Note: AES inputs and outputs operational only with card option +AES installed.

Table 2-1 9901-UDX Rear Modules — continued

9901-UDX Rear Module	Description
RM20-9901-G Base Rear Module	Provides the following connections:
Image: Constraint of the second stress of	 Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video input BNC (SDI IN A and SDI IN B) Eight AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES I/O 1 thru AES I/O 8; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable) Eight additional AES BNC (AES-3id) outputs (AES OUT 1 thru AES OUT 8) Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video output BNCs (SDI OUT A and SDI OUT B) Note: Operational only in conjunction with card option +AESOUT16. Rear module mates with base Fusion3G[®] card and option expansion card.
RM20-9901-H Base Rear Module	 Provides the following connections: Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video input BNCs (SDI IN A and SDI IN B) Two opto-isolated GPI inputs (terminals GPI 1-G and GPI 2-G) Two SPST NO GPO relay closure contacts (floating) (terminals GPO 1/1 and 2/2) Two RS485 serial ports; GUI configurable for function (COMM1 and COMM2) Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video output BNCs (SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D)
RM20-9901-J Base Rear Module	 Provides the following connections: Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video input BNCs (SDI IN A thru SDI IN D) Two opto-isolated GPI inputs (terminals GPI 1-G and GPI 2-G) Two SPST NO GPO relay closure contacts (floating) (terminals GPO 1/1 and 2/2) Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video output BNCs (SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D)

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9901-UDX Rear Module	Description
RM20-9901-XB Expansion Rear Module	Used in conjunction with a base Rear Module to provide the following additional connections:
Allog Dur Allog Dur	 Four analog balanced audio I/O (AN-AUD I/O 1 thru AN-AUD I/O 4; I/O function of each connection is switch-configurable) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial inputs (Y IN, Pr IN, and Pb/C IN, respectively) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial outputs (Y OUT, Pr OUT, and Pb/C OUT, respectively)
Note: When using Y/C ("S-video") analog input or output (which correspond to YPbPr and composite mode	t, connections are as shown below and not as shown on label connections).
LabelY/C Input ModeY/C Output ModePrCCPb/CYYY/CmpstNCComposite	Alloud Alloud Alloud C Alloud Alloud C Alloud Alloud C Alloud Alloud C Alloud Alloud C Pr Pr Y N Ph/C Ph/C Ph/C Y/Cmpst
RM20-9901-XC Expansion Rear Module	 Used in conjunction with a base Rear Module to provide the following additional connections: Eight analog balanced audio I/O (AN-AUD I/O 1 thru AN-AUD I/O 8; I/O function of each connection is switch-configurable) Two fiber I/O (GUI configurable as I/O)



Table 2-1 9901-UDX Rear Modules — continued

9901-UDX Rear Module	Description
RM20-9901-XD Expansion Rear Module	 Used in conjunction with a base Rear Module to provide the following additional connections: Six analog balanced audio I/O (AN-AUD I/O 1 thru AN-AUD I/O 8; I/O function of each connection is switch-configurable) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial inputs (Y IN, Pr IN, and Pb/C IN, respectively) Analog composite output (Cmpst OUT)
RM20-9901-XE Expansion Rear ModuleImage: space of the systemImage: space of the system <th> Used in conjunction with a base Rear Module to provide the following additional connections: Eight analog balanced audio I/O (AN-AUD I/O 1 thru AN-AUD I/O 8; I/O function of each connection is switch-configurable) Two fiber I/O (GUI configurable as I/O) Four expansion 3G/HD/SD-SDI coaxial outputs (reserved function) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial inputs (Y IN, Pr IN, and Pb/C IN, respectively) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial outputs (Y OUT, Pr OUT, and Pb/C OUT, respectively) </th>	 Used in conjunction with a base Rear Module to provide the following additional connections: Eight analog balanced audio I/O (AN-AUD I/O 1 thru AN-AUD I/O 8; I/O function of each connection is switch-configurable) Two fiber I/O (GUI configurable as I/O) Four expansion 3G/HD/SD-SDI coaxial outputs (reserved function) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial inputs (Y IN, Pr IN, and Pb/C IN, respectively) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial outputs (Y OUT, Pr OUT, and Pb/C OUT, respectively)



9901-UDX Rear Module	Description	
RM20-9901-XF Expansion Rear Module	 Used in conjunction with a base Rear Module to provide the following additional connections: Two analog balanced audio I/O (AN-AUD I/O 1 and AN-AUD I/O 2; I/O function of each connection is switch-configurable) Two fiber I/O (GUI configurable as I/O) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial inputs (Y IN, Pr IN, and Pb/C IN, respectively) Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial outputs (Y OUT, Pr OUT, and Pb/C OUT, respectively) 	
High-Ventilation Rear Modules High Ventilation (HV) Rear Modules offer coaxial connections using miniaturized connectors (HDBNC or DIN 1.0/2.3), thereby freeing-up area for openings to increase ventilation. This is helpful where normal above-frame ventilation space cannot be accommodated, or in cases where the frame is fitted with a large amount of high-power cards (such as the 9901-UDX, and especially when equipped with options requiring a piggyback card such as option +ANAIO). Where a base HV rear module is to be used in conjunction with an expansion rear module, a companion expansion rear module of the -HV type must also be used. (For example, base module RM20-9901-B-HV can be used with expansion module RM20-9901-XB-HV. RM20-9901-B-HV cannot be used with "normal" expansion module RM20-9901-XB be Figure 2-3 for other considerations regarding HV rear modules		
RM20-9901-B-HV Base High-Ventilation Rear Module	 Provides the following connections: Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video inputs (SDI IN A and SDI IN B) Four AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES I/O 1 thru AES I/O 4; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable) Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video outputs (SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D) Note: • AES inputs and outputs operational only with card option +AES installed. • Available equipped with High-Density BNC (HDBNC) or DIN1.0/2.3 connectors as: RM20-9901-B-HV-HDBNC or RM20-9901-B-HV-DIN, respectively. 	

Table 2-1	9901-UDX Rear Modules — continued

9901-UDX Rear Module	Description
RM20-9901-F-HV Base High-Ventilation	Provides the following connections:
Rear Module	 Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video inputs (SDI IN A and SDI IN B)
AES 1/0 1 SDI IN A O AES 1/0 2 SDI IN B	 Eight AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES I/O 1 thru AES I/O 8; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable)
AES 1/0 3	 Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video outputs (SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D)
AES 1/0 4	Note: • AES inputs and outputs operational only with card option +AES installed.
$\begin{array}{c} AES 1/0 5 \\ \textcircled{0}{0} \\ AES 1/0 6 \\ \textcircled{0}{0} \\ AES 1/0 7 \\ \textcircled{0}{0} \\ AES 1/0 8 \\ \textcircled{0}{0} \\ AES 1/0 8 \\ \textcircled{0}{0} \\ \textcircled{0}{0} \\ \fbox{0}{0} \\ \r{0}{0} \\$	Available equipped with High-Density BNC (HDBNC) or DIN1.0/2.3 connectors as: RM20-9901-F-HV-HDBNC or RM20-9901-F-HV-DIN, respectively.
RM20-9901-F-HV2 Base High-Ventilation	Provides the following connections:
Rear Module	 Two 3G/HD/SD-SDI video inputs (SDI IN A and SDI IN B)
SDI IN A SDI IN B	 Four AES I/O BNC (AES-3id) input/outputs (AES I/O 1 thru AES I/O 4; I/O function of each connection is software-configurable)
AES 1/0 1	 Four 3G/HD/SD-SDI video outputs (SDI OUT A thru SDI OUT D)
AES 1/0 2	Note: • AES inputs and outputs operational only with card option +AES installed.
AES 1/0 3 O AES 1/0 4 O A B	 This rear module provides optimized ventilation and should be used with hi-ventilation rear module RM20-9901-XF-HV where an expansion rear module is required for analog I/O and/or fiber I/O.
	 Available equipped with High-Density BNC (HDBNC) or DIN1.0/2.3 connectors as: RM20-9901-F-HV2-HDBNC or RM20-9901-F-HV2-DIN, respectively.

Table 2-19901-UDX Rear Modules — continued

9901-UDX Rear Module	Description
RM20-9901-XB-HV Expansion High-Ventilation Rear Module	Used in conjunction with high-ventilation base Rear Module RM20-9901-B-HV to provide the following additional connections:
	 Four analog balanced audio I/O (AN-AUD I/O 1 thru AN-AUD I/O 4; I/O function of each connection is switch-configurable)
	 Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial inputs (Y IN, Pr IN, and Pb/C IN, respectively)
	 Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial outputs (Y OUT, Pr OUT, and Pb/C OUT, respectively)
$\begin{bmatrix} \Pr & \Pr \\ \bigcirc & \bigcirc \\ & \bigcirc & \bigcirc$	Note: • Analog inputs and outputs operational only with appropriate card option +ANA and +ANV installed.
	 Available equipped with High-Density BNC (HDBNC) or DIN1.0/2.3 connectors as: RM20-9901-XB-HV-HDBNC or RM20-9901-XB-HV-DIN, respectively.
RM20-9901-XF-HV Expansion High-Ventilation Rear Module	Used in conjunction with high-ventilation base Rear Module RM20-9901-F-HV to provide the following additional connections:
	 Two analog balanced audio I/O (AN-AUD I/O 1 and AN-AUD I/O 2; I/O function of each connection is switch-configurable)
	 Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial inputs (Y/CVBS IN, Pr IN, and Pb/C IN, respectively)
ANLG VID IN Y/CVBS	 Analog Y/composite, Pr/C, and Pb coaxial outputs (Y/CVBS OUT, Pr OUT, and Pb/C OUT, respectively)
O Ph/C	 Two fiber I/O (GUI configurable as I/O)
	Note: • Analog inputs and outputs operational only with appropriate card option +ANA and +ANV installed.
	 Available equipped with High-Density BNC (HDBNC) or DIN1.0/2.3 connectors as: RM20-9901-XF-HV-HDBNC or RM20-9901-XF-HV-DIN, respectively.

Connecting To Phoenix Terminal Connectors

Figure 2-4 shows connections to the card PhoenixTM terminal block connectors. These connectors are used for card analog audio, serial comm, and GPIO connections. These terminal blocks use a removable screw terminal binding post block which allows easier access to the screw terminals. **Note:** It is preferable to wire connections to Phoenix plugs oriented as shown in Figure 2-4 rather than assessing polarity on rear module connectors. Note that the orientation of rear module connectors is not necessarily consistent within a rear module, or between different rear modules. If wiring is first connected to Phoenix plug oriented as shown here, the electrical orientation will be correct regardless of rear module connector orientation.

Setting Up 9901-UDX Network Remote Control

Perform remote control setup in accordance with Cobalt[®] reference guide "Remote Control User Guide" (PN 9000RCS-RM).

Note: If network remote control is to be used for the frame and the frame has not yet been set up for remote control, Cobalt[®] reference guide Remote Control User Guide (PN 9000RCS-RM) provides thorough information and step-by-step instructions for setting up network remote control of COMPASS[™] cards using DashBoard[™]. (Cobalt[®] OGCP-9000 and OGCP-9000/CC Remote Control Panel product manuals have complete instructions for setting up remote control using a Remote Control Panel.)

Download a copy of this guide by clicking on the **Support>Reference Documents** link at www.cobaltdigital.com and then select DashBoard Remote Control Setup Guide as a download, or contact Cobalt[®] as listed in Contact Cobalt Digital Inc. (p. 1-34).

 If installing a card in a frame already equipped for, and connected to DashBoard[™], no network setup is required for the card. The card will be discovered by DashBoard[™] and be ready for use.



Figure 2-4 Phoenix Terminal Connections

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Chapter 3

Operating Instructions

Overview

This chapter contains the following information:

If you are already familiar with using DashBoard or a Cobalt Remote Control Panel to control Cobalt cards, please skip to 9901-UDX Function Menu List and Descriptions (p. 3-10).

- Control and Display Descriptions (p. 3-1)
- Accessing the 9901-UDX Card via Remote Control (p. 3-6)
- Checking Card Information (p. 3-8)
- Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges (p. 3-9)
- 9901-UDX Function Menu List and Descriptions (p. 3-10)
- Troubleshooting (p. 3-65)

Control and Display Descriptions

Note: When you are familiar with the card functions and controls described in this chapter, please go to the Support>Documents>Reference Guides link at www.cobaltdigital.com for Fusion3G[®] application notes covering comprehensive setup of practical processing applications.

This section describes the user interface controls, indicators, and displays (both on-card and remote controls) for using the 9901-UDX card. The 9901-UDX functions can be accessed and controlled using any of the user interfaces described here.

The format in which the 9901-UDX functional controls, indicators, and displays appear and are used varies depending on the user interface being used. Regardless of the user interface being used, access to the 9901-UDX functions (and the controls, indicators, and displays related to a particular function) follows a general arrangement of Function Submenus under which related controls can be accessed (as described in Function Menu/Parameter Menu Overview below).

After familiarizing yourself with the arrangement described in Function Menu/Parameter Menu Overview, proceed to the subsection for the particular user interface being used. Descriptions and general instructions for using each user interface are individually described in the following subsections:

- DashBoardTM User Interface (p. 3-4)
- Cobalt[®] Remote Control Panel User Interfaces (p. 3-5)
- **Note:** When a setting is changed, settings displayed on DashBoard[™] (or a Remote Control Panel) are the settings as effected by the 9901-UDX card itself and reported back to the remote control; the value displayed at any time is the actual value as set on the card.

Function Menu/Parameter Menu Overview

The functions and related parameters available on the 9901-UDX card are organized into function **menus**, which consist of parameter groups as shown below.

Figure 3-1 shows how the 9901-UDX card and its menus are organized, and also provides an overview of how navigation is performed between cards, function menus, and parameters.



Figure 3-1 Function Menu/Parameter Menu Overview

9901-UDX Card Edge Controls, Indicators, and Display

Figure 3-2 shows and describes the 9901-UDX card edge controls, indicators, and display.



Figure 3-2 9901-UDX Card Edge Controls, Indicators, and Display

DashBoard[™] User Interface

(See Figure 3-3.) The 9901-UDX function menus are organized in DashBoardTM using tabs (for example, "Video Proc" in Figure 3-3). When a tab is selected, each parametric control or selection list item associated with the function is displayed. Scalar (numeric) parametric values can then be adjusted as desired using the GUI slider controls. Items in a list can then be selected using GUI drop-down lists.



Figure 3-3 DashBoard[™] Setup of Example Video Proc Function

Cobalt® Remote Control Panel User Interfaces

(See Figure 3-4.) Similar to the function menu tabs using DashBoard[™], the Remote Control Panels have a Select Submenu key that is used to display a list of function menus. From this list, a control knob on the Control Panel is used to select a function from the list of displayed function menu items.

When the desired function submenu is selected, each parametric control or selection list item associated with the function is displayed. Scalar (numeric) parametric values can then be adjusted as desired using the control knobs, which act like a potentiometer. Items in a list can then be selected using the control knobs which correspondingly act like a rotary selector.

Figure 3-4 shows accessing a function submenu and its parameters (in this example, "Video Proc") using the Control Panel.

Note: Refer to "OGCP-9000 Remote Control Panel User Manual" (PN OGCP-9000-OM) or "OGCP-9000/CC Remote Control Panel User Manual" (PN OGCP-9000/CC-OM) for complete instructions on using the Control Panels.



Figure 3-4 Remote Control Panel Setup of Example Video Proc Function Setup

Accessing the 9901-UDX Card via Remote Control

Access the 9901-UDX card using DashBoardTM or Cobalt[®] Remote Control Panel as described below.

Accessing the 9901-UDX Card Using DashBoard™

- 1. On the computer connected to the frame LAN, open DashBoardTM.
- 2. As shown below (in the left side Basic View Tree) locate the Network Controller Card associated with the frame containing the 9901-UDX card to be accessed (in this example, "MFC-8320-N SN: 00108053").



3. As shown below, expand the tree to access the cards within the frame. Click on the card to be accessed (in this example, "Slot 6: 9901-UDX").



As shown on the next page, when the card is accessed in DashBoardTM its function menu screen showing tabs for each function is displayed. (The particular menu screen displayed is the previously displayed screen from the last time the card was accessed by DashBoardTM).

CardAccess/Navigation Tree Pane	Card Info Pane		Card Function Menu and Controls Pane
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E MFC-8320-N SN: 00108053 CDI-9901		Presets De	olby Internal Metadata Dolby Encoder Audio DSP Features GPIO Controls
Slot 0: MFC-8320-N Card state:	🕒 ОК	VIICOPTOC	
Slot 8: CDI-9061 RCVR26 Connection	: ONLINE		
MFC-8320-N SN: 00108895 MFC-8320-N SN: 2308605R Statue	Deschust		
MFC-8320-N SN: 2308606R	Product		
		Mode	Free Run 🗸
		Initial Startup Format	720p59.94
v	ideo 😑 OK		
Dolby Enc.	oder 🔵 OK	Output Mode	Input video
Delhy Dec	ndar OV	On Loss Of Video	Freeze 💙
Domy Dec.		Pattern	75% bars
w w	ings OFF	Pataranca Offeat	
Sett	ings 🔵 Saved		0
	iPI1 Open	Vertical (Lines)	
			-1124 0 1124
	Priz O Open	Horizontal (us)	0.000
			-64.000 64.000
SDI Ing	ut A 1080i_5994		
SDI Ing	ut B none	Minimum Latency (Frames)	
Analog i	nput none		0 8 16
Video Ou	truit 525i 5004	Video Dolmi	0.00 ms (0 frames 0 lines
Defer		Video Delay	
Refere	5251_5994	Status	Running - Local Clock
Preset Enga	aged Auto Saved Preset		
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		Refresh	Upload Reboot Close
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Accessing the 9901-UDX Card Using a Cobalt® Remote Control Panel

Press the **Select Device** key and select a card as shown in the example below.

■ 1 2 3 Seect Device C COBALT 4 5 6 Solver 7 8 9 Carcel • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	balt Digital - Jes the keypad or any knob to select a device. 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
This display shows the list order number of the device that is ready for selection	 / This display shows the devices assigned to the Control Panel. Rotate any knob to select from the list of devices. The device selected using a knob is displayed with a reversed background (in this example, "1 9901 - Receiver 21 Input Processing"). Directly enter a device by entering its list number using the numeric keypad, and then pressing Enter or pressing in any knob).

Checking Card Information

The operating status and software version the 9901-UDX card can be checked using DashBoardTM. Figure 3-5 shows and describes the 9901-UDX card information screen using DashBoardTM.

Note: Proper operating status in DashBoard[™] is denoted by green icons for the status indicators shown in Figure 3-5. Yellow or red icons respectively indicate an alert or failure condition. Refer to Troubleshooting (p. 3-65) for corrective action.



Figure 3-5 9901-UDX Card Info Utility

Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges

Table 3-1 lists typical default output video VANC line number locations for various ancillary data items that may be passed or handled by the card.

	Default Line No. / Range		
ltem	SD	HD	
AFD	12 (Note 2)	9 (Note 2)	
ATC_VITC	13 (Note 2)	9/8 (Note 2)	
ATC_LTC		10 (Note 2)	
Dolby [®] Metadata	13 (Note 2)	13 (Note 2)	
SDI VITC Waveform	14/16 (Note 2)	—	
Closed Captioning	21 (locked)	10 (Note 2)	
Notes:		-1	

Table 3-1 Typical Ancillary Data Line Number Locations/Ranges

 While range indicated by drop-down list on GUI may allow a particular range of choices, the actual range is automatically clamped (limited) to certain ranges to prevent inadvertent conflict with active picture area depending on video format. Limiting ranges for various output formats are as follows:

Format	Line No. Limiting	Format	Line No. Limiting	Format	Line No. Limiting
525i	12-19	720p	9-25	1080p	9-41
625i	9-22	1080i	9-20		

Because line number allocation is not standardized for all ancillary items, consideration should be given to all items when performing set-ups. Figure 3-6 shows an example of improper and corrected VANC allocation within an HD-SDI stream.



Figure 3-6 Example VANC Line Number Allocation Example

9901-UDX Function Menu List and Descriptions

Table 3-2 individually lists and describes each 9901-UDX function menu ("tab") and its related list selections, controls, and parameters. Where helpful, examples showing usage of a function are also provided.

- Note: All numeric (scalar) parameters displayed on DashBoard[™] can be changed using the slider controls, | arrows, or by numeric keypad entry in the corresponding numeric field. (When using numeric keypad entry, add a return after the entry to commit the entry.)
 - Unless specified otherwise, controls described here affect the card **program video** path (for example, the Video Proc tab controls have no effect on the card key or fill video paths).

On DashBoardTM itself and in Table 3-2, the function menu items are organized using tabs as shown below.

Dolby Encoder Some Table Contro Encoder Input Internal Metadata	functions use sub-tabs to help maintain clarity and organization. In these instances, 3-2 shows the ordinate tab along with its sub-tabs. Highlighted sub-tabs indicate that Is described are found by selecting this sub-tab (in this example, the Encoder Input b).
Option (D) Functions and/or features an option is not installed,	that are available only as an option are denoted in this section using this icon. When tabs and controls for the function do not appear in the card DashBoard GUI.
Status Product Product 9901-UDX Product Options +AES, +ANAIO, +ANAVI, +ANAVO, +WINGS	Card options installed on a particular card are shown in the Product Options display on the Card Info page. Not all options are covered in this manual. In these cases, Manual Supplement(s) for the option(s) ordered have been included in the binder containing this manual.

The table below provides a quick-reference to the page numbers where each function menu item can be found.

Function Menu Item	Page	Function Menu Item	Page
Video Input Control	3-11	Input Audio Status	3-33
Video Proc/Color Correction	3-11	Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls	3-34
Timecode	3-15	Output Audio Routing/Controls	3-44
Closed Captioning	3-19	Upmixing	3-49
ANC Data Packet Reporter	3-21	COM and Metadata Routing	3-52
Framesync	3-21	GPIO Controls	3-54
Scaler	3-24	Presets	3-56
AFD/WSS/VI ARC Controls	3-26	Event Based Preset Loading	3-57
Video Output Crosspoint Control	3-32		

Table 3-29901-UDX Function Menu List

Video Input	Selects the card program video input.
Input Video Preference Input Selection SDI A SDI B Analog	 Selects the input video source to be applied to the card's program video input. Note: • Choices shown here are examples only. Cards licensed with multiple video inputs (such as when licensed for wings and key) will have more input choices. • Analog choice appears only on cards licensed for analog video input (option +ANV). If your card is licensed for analog video support, refer to Manual Supplement OPT-F3G-AN-MS that is supplied with this manual.
Video Proc Video Proc Color Correction	Provides the following Video Proc and Color Correction parametric controls.
• Video Proc Video Proc	 Video Proc (On/Off) provides master on/off control of all Video Proc functions. When set to Off, Video Proc is bypassed. When set to On, currently displayed parameter settings take effect.
Reset to Unity Reset to Unity Confirm	 Reset to Unity provides unity reset control of all Video Proc functions. When Confirm is clicked, a Confirm? pop-up appears, requesting confirmation. Click Yes to proceed with the unity reset. Click No to reject unity reset.
• Luma Gain Luma Gain 0.0	Adjusts gain percentage applied to Luma (Y channel). (0% to 200% range in 0.1% steps; unity = 100%)
• Luma Lift Luma Lift -100.0	Adjusts lift applied to Luma (Y-channel). (-100% to 100% range in 0.1% steps; null = 0.0%)
• Color Gain Color Gain 0.0	Adjusts gain percentage (saturation) applied to Chroma (C-channel). (0% to 200% range in 0.1% steps; unity = 100%)

Video Proc Video Proc Color Correction	(continued)
Color Phase Color Phase -360.0	Adjusts phase angle applied to Chroma. (-360° to 360° range in 0.1° steps; null = 0°)
• Gang Luma/Color Gain Gang Luma/Color Gain On	When set to On , changing either the Luma Gain or Color Gain controls increases or decreases both the Luma and Color gain levels by equal amounts.
Detail Enhancement Controls	Sharpness Level, Threshold, and Noise Reduction controls (individually described below) which can be used to tailor output video sharpness per program material and aesthetic preferences. Note: Detail Enhancement Controls apply to both SD and HD conversions.
Sharpness Level Control Level	Adjusts the aggressiveness of sharpening applied to MPEG video. Optimum setting results in overall perception of increased sharpness, while avoiding pattern noise artifacts. (Range is 0 thru 255)
Sharpness Threshold Control Threshold 0	Adjusts the point at which sharpening rules become active. Data below the threshold setting is passed unaffected. Higher settings allow for a more subtle sharpness enhancement (especially with content showing motion). Lower settings allow more content in general to be acted upon by the enhancement process. (Range is 0 thru 255)
Noise Reduction Control Noise Reduction 0	Adjusts the amount of statistical low-pass filtering applied to the data. Using this control, regular pattern noise artifacts from the sharpening process can be reduced, resulting in subjectively smoother raster backgrounds and detail boundaries. (Range is 0 thru 63)

Table 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued

Table 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued

Video Proc Video Proc Color Correction	Option E Provides color corrector functions for the individual RGB channels for the card program video path (option +COLOR).
Color Corrector Color Corrector On	 Color Corrector (On/Off) provides master on/off control of all Color Corrector functions. When set to Off, all processing is bypassed. When set to On, currently displayed parameters settings take effect.
Reset to Unity Reset to Unity Confirm	 Reset to Unity provides unity reset control of all Color Corrector functions. When Confirm is clicked, a Confirm? pop-up appears, requesting confirmation. Click Yes to proceed with the unity reset. Click No to reject unity reset.
Luma Gain R-G-B controls Green Luma Gain 0.0 € 0.0 € 0.0 € Red -100.0 0.0 100.0 0.0 € 0.0 € 0.0 € 0.0 € 0.0 € 0.0 €	Separate red, green, and blue channels controls for Luma Gain, Black Gain, and Gamma curve adjustment. Gain controls provide gain adjustment from 0.0 to 200.0% range in 0.1% steps (unity = 100.0) Gamma controls apply gamma curve adjustment in 0.125 to 8.000 range in thousandths steps (unity = 1.000) Each of the three control groups (Luma, Black, and Gamma have a Gang Column button which allows settings to be proportionally changed across a control group by changing any of the group's controls.
• Black Gain R-G-B controls Green Blue -100.0 0.0 100.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.	
• Gamma Factor R-G-B controls	

Video Proc Video Proc Color Correction	(continued)
• Black Hard Clip Black Hard Clip -6.8	Applies black hard clip (limiting) at specified percentage. (-6.8% to 50.0%; null = -6.8%)
White Hard Clip White Hard Clip 50.0	Applies white hard clip (limiting) at specified percentage. (50.0% to 109.1%; null = 109.1%)
White Soft Clip White Soft Clip 50.0	Applies white soft clip (limiting) at specified percentage. (50.0% to 109.1%; null = 109.1%)
Chroma Saturation Clip Chroma Saturation Clip 50.0	Applies chroma saturation clip (limiting) chroma saturation at specified percentage. (50.0% to 160.0%; null = 160.0%)

Table 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued



9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued Table 3-2

Timecode	(continued)	
Timecode Source Status Displays Reference VITC Status 06:09:15:06.0	Displays the current status and contents of the four supported external timecode formats shown to the left. • If a format is receiving timecode data, the current content (timecode	
Input VITC Status 06:09:15:05.0 Input ATC_LTC Status Not Present Input ATC_VITC Status 06:09:15:05.0 Field 1 Line 13, Field 2 Line 278	 If a format is not receiving timecode data, Not Present is displayed. 	
Incoming ATC Packet Removal Control Incoming ATC Packet Removal Disabled	Enables or disables removal of existing input video ATC timecode packets from the output. This allows removal of undesired existing timecodes from the output, resulting in a "clean slate" where only desired timecodes are then re-inserted into the output. (For example, if both SDI ATC_VITC and ATC_LTC are present on the input video, and only ATC_LTC is desired, using the Removal control will remove both timecodes from the output. The ATC_LTC timecode by itself can then be re-inserted on the output using the other controls discussed here.) Note: When the Scaler is enabled, ATC packets are automatically removed. The Timecode function must be used to re-insert the timecode data into the output video.	
Source Priority Source Priority 1 Free Run Free Run	Selects the priority assigned to each supported received formats. Source Priority 1 thru Source Priority 4 select the preferred format to be used in descending order (i.e., Source Priority 2 selects the second-most preferred format, and so on. See example below.)	
Reference VITC Input VITC Input ATC_LTC Input ATC_VITC Disable Output	S25i SDI IN Input VITC (1st priority) Reference VITC	
Source Priority 4 Reference VITC	(2nd priority) In this example, Input VITC 1st priority selection selects SDI VITC (received on SDI input) over reference VITC (received on frame reference) regardless of video input material source to be processed by the card.	
	The selected timecode source is embedded on the SDI video output (in this example, 720p) using the selected line number. In this example, if the SDI VITC on the SDI input becomes unavailable, the card then uses the reference VITC data received on the frame reference.	
 Note: Disable Output setting should be used with care. If Disable Output is selected with alternate intended format(s) set as a lower priority, the card will indeed disable all timecode output should the ordinate preferred format(s) become unavailable. Typically, choices other than Disable should be used if a timecode output is always desired, with Disable only being used to remove all timecode data. 		
In this example, even though and ATC_LTC could be available to substitute for	nput VITC The choices shown here will allow ATC_LTC to "out-prioritize" Disable	
AIC_VIIC not being present, the card will revert to no timecode output since the choice of Disable Output	Disable Output	
"out-prioritizes" A C LTC with these settings.	nput ATC_LTC V Disable Output V	
Timecode	(continued)	
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Reference Source Select Reference source Follow Framesync Reference Reference 1 Input Reference 2 Input	For Reference VITC timecode choice used for Source Priority above, selects reference VITC source from the choices shown to the left.	
Output Status Display Output Status 00:04:46:06.1 (Source: SDI VITC)	 Displays the current content and source being used for the timecode data as follows: Output Status 00.04:46:06.1 (Source: SDI VITC) Output status OK (in this example, SDI VITC timecode received and outputted). Output Status Insertion Disabled Timecode Insertion button set to Disabled; output insertion disabled. Note: • If timecode is not available from Source Priority selections performed, timecode on output reverts to Free Run (internal count) mode. Because the 1's digit of the display Frames counter goes from 0 to 29, the fractional digit (along with the 1's digit) indicates frame count as follows: 0.0 Frame 0 0.1 Frame 1 1.0 Frame 2 1.1 Frame 3 29.1 Frame 59 	
Offset Controls Offset Advanced Delayed Advanced Offset Field O Offset Frame O Note: • Although the output line drop-down on the range is automatically clamped (limited) to	 Allows the current timecode count to be advanced or delayed on the output video. Offset Advance or Delay selects offset advance or delay. Offset Field delays or advances or delays timecode by one field. Offset Frame delays or advances or delays timecode by up to 5 frames. Note: Default settings are null, with both controls set at zero as shown. 	
 The card does not check for conflicts on a no other data. 	Data Line Number Locations and Ranges (p. 3-9) for more information. a given line number. Make certain the selected line is available and carrying	

Table 3-2	9901-UDX	Function	Menu L	List —	continued
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Timecode	(continued)
SD VITC Waveform Insertion Controls SD VITC Waveform Output 1 Line Number SD VITC Waveform Output 2 Line Number SD VITC Waveform Insertion Enabled	 For SD output, enables or disables SD VITC waveform timecode insertion into the output video, and selects the VITC1 and VITC2 line numbers (6 thru 22) where the VITC waveform is inserted. Note: If only one output line is to be used, set both controls for the same line number. SD VITC Waveform Insertion control only affects VITC waveforms inserted (or copied to a new line number) by this function. An existing VITC waveform on an unscaled SD SDI stream is not affected by this control and is passed on an SDI output.
• SD ATC Insertion Control SD ATC_VITC Insertion Enabled SD ATC Insertion Line 13 - SMPTE 12M-2-2008 Recommended	For SD output, enables or disables SD ATC_VITC timecode insertion into the output video, and selects the line number for ATC_VITC.
HD ATC_LTC Insertion Control HD ATC_LTC Insertion ID - SMPTE 12M-2-2008 Recommended	For HD output, enables or disables ATC_LTC timecode insertion into the output video, and selects the line number for ATC_LTC timecode data.
HD ATC_VITC Insertion Control HD ATC_VITC Insertion Enabled HD ATC_VITC Insertion Line Field 1 9 - SMPTE 12M-2-2008 Recommended HD ATC_VITC Insertion Line Field 2 8 (571) - SMPTE 12M-2-2008 Recommended	For HD output, enables or disables ATC_VITC timecode insertion into the output video, and selects the line number for ATC_VITC1 and ATC_VITC2.
ATC_VITC Legacy Support Control ATC VITC Legacy Support Disabled	 When enabled, accommodates equipment requiring ATC_VITC packet in both fields as a "field 1" packet (non-toggling). Note: Non-toggling VITC1 and VITC2 packets do not conform to SMPTE 12M-2-2008 preferences. As such, ATC_VITC Legacy Support should be enabled only if required by downstream equipment.
• Free Run Timecode Controls Free Run Hours 7 V Free Run Minutes 0 V Free Run Seconds 0 V Apply Free Run Values Confirm	 Allows an initial (starting) count to be applied to output video timecode when Free Run insertion is enabled. Note: • Initialization can only be applied when card is outputting Free Run timecode (as shown by Output Status displaying "Free Run"). • If failover to Free Run occurs due to loss of external timecode(s), the Free Run count assumes its initial count from the last valid externally supplied count.
Note: Option Software Option +LTC provides RS-485 COM port. If your card is licensed f supplied with this manual.	timecode receive and send as LTC via card audio interfaces and a card or option +LTC, refer to Manual Supplement OPT-SW-F3GLTC-MS that is

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Closed Captioning	Provides support for	closed captioning setup.
Note: When receiving HD-SDI, both CEA 608 and packets) converted to line 21 closed captionic closed captioning is generated).	CEA 708 are supported, with CEA 6 ing on outputs down-converted to SI	508 and CEA 708 (containing CEA 608 D (on up-convert of SD, only CEA 608
Closed Captioning Input Status	Displays incoming Closed Caption	ing status as follows:
Input Status CDP Packet on Line 16	 If closed captioning is present, a left is displayed. Also displayed is closed captioning packet (or SD v 	message similar to the example showr the VANC line number of the incoming waveform-based VANC line number).
HD packet-based display	 If no closed captioning is present Disabled is displayed. 	in the video signal, Not Present or
Input Status SD Caption Waveform Detected on Line 21 SD waveform-based display	Note: • Packet closed captioning s message can appear due t closed captioning function <i>cdp_frame_rate</i> , <i>ccdata_p</i> , items contained in the pac listed below. Refer to CEA	tatus Captioning Rejected Due To to the items described below. The assesses <i>cdp_identifier</i> , resent, and <i>caption_service_active</i> ket header to make the determinations -708-B for more information.
	 The closed captioning func captioning standards. 	tion does not support PAL closed
	Message	Description
	Unsupported Frame Rate	Film rate closed-captioning (either as pass-through or up/ down conversion) is not supported by the card.
	Data Not Present	Packet is marked from closed captioning source external to the card that no data is present.
	Service Inactive	Packet is marked from closed captioning source external to the card indicating packet does not contain active caption service.
	No Data ID	Packet from closed captioning source external to the card is not properly identified with 0x9669 as the first word of the header (unidentified packet).
Closed Captioning Output Insertion Control	Enables or disables Closed Captio	ning insertion on the output video.
Closed Captioning Enabled	Note: • When set to Enabled, closs line number. See Ancillary Ranges (p. 3-9). (SD output	ed captioning is set to standard defaul Data Line Number Locations and ut is locked to line 21.)
	 The card does not check for Make certain selected line 	or conflicts on a given line number. is available and carrying no other data
	Enables or disables NULL CDP in	sertion when there are no incoming

Table 3-2	9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued

Closed Captioning	(continued)
Closed Captioning HD Output Line	Selects the VANC line number (9 thru 41) for the closed caption data when the output is HD.
HD Output Line	Note: • Although the output line drop-down will allow any choice within the 9 thru 41 range, the actual range is automatically clamped (limited to) certain ranges to prevent inadvertent conflict with active picture area depending on video format. See Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges (p. 3-9) for more information.
	 The card does not check for conflicts on a given line number. Make certain the selected line is available and carrying no other data unless existing metadata is to be intentionally overwritten.
Option S The following CGMS Setting	s controls appear only on card licensed with option +CGMS.
• CGMS Settings (Option +CGMS)	Displays the current status of CGMS insertion:
Status CGMS Insertion disabled	 CGMS insertion disabled indicates CGMS has been manually disabled using control shown below.
	• Error: CGMS insertion requires enabling Closed Captioning indicates CGMS has been set for insertion, but closed captioning insertion has been manually disabled using control shown above. Make certain closed captioning is enabled if CGMS is to be used.
	• Insertion OK indicates CGMS is enabled and being inserted.
• CGMS-A Copy Permit Settings	Selects the CGMS-A insertion the copy protect level to be embedded in the message (as per the choices shown).
CGMS-A Copy Permit Settings	Selects the CGMS-A PSP type and definition bits carried on the analog output VBI.
Analog Protection PSP On - 4 Line Split Burst V No APS	Analog Protection selects PSP type (or removes APS).i
PSP On - Split Burst PSP On - 2 Line Split Burst PSP On - 4 Line Split Burst	 Analog Source Bit and Redistribution Control Descriptor enables or disables insertion of source and redistribution control bits to be used by downstream devices.
Analog Source Bit ON Redistribution Control Descriptor ON	 Insert Interval sets the insert repeat interval of the CGMS-A insertion into VBI.
Insert interval (seconds) 2	• Enable CGMS provides an overall enable/disable control for the CGMS insertion function.

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Ancillary Packet Reporter	Provides controls for checking status (reporting) of VANC/HANC ancillary data within the program video stream.
 Input Video Preference Packet DID 0x60 * Packet SDID 0x60 * Current Presence Present Detailed Status Present, on line 9, in HANC Error Status No Errors Error Status Press To Clear 	 Allows a DID and SDID packet number to be selected for reporting (in this example, ATC timecode at 60_h). Presence and any errors associated with the DID / SDID are displayed. Note: DashBoard versions 4.1 and earlier display DID and SDID numbers in decimal; newer DashBoard version display DID and SDID numbers in hexadecimal. Hexadecimal notation is denoted by the "0x" preceding the value.
Framesync	Provides video frame sync/delay control and output control/loss of program video failover selection controls.
• Framesync Enable/Select Mode Free Run Free Run Lock to Reference 1 (Else Input) Lock to Reference 2 (Else Input) Lock to Reference 1 else Reference 2 (Else Input) Lock to Input	 Selects Frame Sync functions from the choices shown to the left and described below. Free Run: Output video is locked to the card's internal clock. Output video is not locked to external reference. Lock to Reference: Output video is locked to external reference received on the frame reference bus using the rules selected. (External reference signals Reference 1 and Reference 2 are distributed to the card and other cards via buses on the frame.) Note: If valid reference is not received, the Card status Portion of DashBoard™, indicating invalid frame sync reference error. Lock to Input: Uses the program video input video signal as the reference standard. Note: If Lock to Input is used for framesync, any timing instability on the input video.
Initial Startup Format Select Initial Startup Format 1080p59.94 1080i59.94 720p59.94 526i59.94 526i59.94 1080p50 1080i50 1080p50 625i50 825i50 1080p50 10	Selects a synthesized frame sync format/rate to be invoked (from the choices shown to the left) in the time preceding stable lock to external reference. Set this control to that of the intended external reference to help ensure smoothest frame sync locking. This control also sets the card test pattern format where the card's initial output at power-up is the internal pattern instead of program video.



Framesync	(continued)
• Program Video Output Mode Select Output Mode Input Video Input Video Flat Field (Black) Freeze Test Pattern	 Provides a convenient location to select between card program video output and other technical outputs from the choices shown to the left and described below. Input Video – card outputs input program video (or loss of signal choices described below). Flat Field (Black) – card outputs black flat field. Freeze – card outputs last frame having valid SAV and EAV codes. Test Pattern – card outputs standard technical test pattern (pattern is selected using the Pattern drop-down described below).
• Loss of Input Signal Selection On Loss Of Video Disable Outputs V Disable Outputs Flat Field (Black) Freeze Test Pattern	 In the event of program input video Loss of Signal (LOS), determines action to be taken as follows: Disable Outputs: Disable program video SDI outputs. Flat Field (Black) – go to black flat field on program video output. Freeze – go to last frame having valid SAV and EAV codes on program video output. Test Pattern – go to standard technical test pattern on program video output (pattern is selected using the Pattern drop-down described below).
• Pattern Select Pattern 75% bars 76% bars SMPTE Bars Tartan Bars Pluge Ramp H Sweep Pulse and Bar Multiburst Black	Provides a choice of standard technical patterns (shown to the left) when Test Pattern is invoked.
Output Video Reference Offset Controls Reference Offset Vertical (Lines) -1124 Horizontal (us) -64.000	 With framesync enabled, provides the following controls for offsetting the output video from the reference: Vertical (Lines) – sets vertical delay (in number of lines of output video) between the output video and the frame sync reference. (Positive values provide delay; negative values provide advance) (Range is -1124 thru 1124 lines; null = 0 lines.) Horizontal (μs) – sets horizontal delay (in μs of output video) between the output video and the frame sync reference. (Positive values provide advance) (Range is -64 thru 64 μsec; null = 0.000 μsec.) Note: Offset advance is accomplished by hold-off of the reference-directed release of the frame, thereby effectively advancing the program video relative to the reference.

Framesync	(continued)
Minimum Latency Frames Control Minimum Latency (Frames)	When Framesync is enabled, specifies the smallest amount of latency allowed by the frame sync (latency measurement in output video frames). The frame sync will not output a frame unless the specified number of frames are captured in the buffer. The operational latency of the frame sync is always between the specified minimum latency and minimum latency plus one frame (not one field).
	Note: Due to card memory limits, the maximum available Minimum Latency Frames is related to the output video format selected. For example, with a 525i59.94 output, the practical maximum limit is 13.
	When using this control, be sure to check the Framesync Status display as follows:
	Framesync Status On
	Latency frames selection within limits.
	Framesync Status Minimum Latency Frames set to 3 the maximum amount for this standard
	Latency frames selection exceeds limits.
Video Delay Display Video Delay 0.06 ms / 0 Frames 1 lines	Displays the current input-to-output video delay (in msec units) as well as in terms of Frames/fractional frame (in number of lines).
Framesync Status Display	Displays the current framesync status as follows:
Status Running - Reference 1	Status Running - Reference 1
	Framesync status running from indicated frame reference.
	Status Off no valid reference detected
	Improper or missing framesync reference.
	Framesync derived using card local clock.
	Status Minimum Latency Frames set to 3 the maximum amount for this standard
	Latency frames selection exceeds limits.
	Note: See Minimum Latency Frames Control in Framesync (p. 3-21) for more information about this message.
Note: Audio timing offset from video is performed to Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls (p. 3-3	using the delay controls on the Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls tab. Refer 4) for these controls.

Table 3-2	9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued
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Scaler	Provides program video format up/down/ cross-conversions and aspect ratio controls.
Note: Alternate 9901 base models provide limited • 9901-UC – Pass and up-convert only • 9901-DC – Pass and down-convert only • 9901-XC – Pass and cross-convert only (i	d scaling as follows: .e., conversion within a general category such as 720p HD to 1080i HD)
Scaler Enable and Output Format Selector	Enables or disables Scaler function and provides conversions as shown to the left.
Scaler Enable Scaler Enabled	Note: Refer to Table 1-3, "Scaler Function Conversions" (page 1-10) in Chapter 1, "Introduction" for specific output formats and rates for various inputs supported by the scaler.
Output Format 720p - 50/59.94/60 ✓ SD 720p - 50/59.94/60 720p - 25/29.97/30 720p film - 23.98/24 1080i - 50/59.94/60 1080p - 25/29.97/30 1080p film - 23.98/24 1080psf - 23.98/24 1080psf - 23.98/24 1080p film - 23.98/24 1080psf - 23.98/24 1080psf - 23.98/24	
Input/Output Video Format Display Video Input 525i_5994 Video Output 720p_5994	Displays the input and output formats of the video currently being routed to the 9901-UDX program video scaler path (in this example, 525i5994 SD video being up-converted to 720p5994). The output format displayed is the output present on the card Program Video channel routing output. Note: Rates displayed for progressive formats are frame rates; rates displayed for interlaced formats are field rates.
Standard Quick Set Aspect Ratio Conversion Selectors	Selects between the standard preset Aspect Ratio Conversions (ARC) shown below.
	 Note: • The Scaler follow AFD control also appears on the AFD/WSS/VI tab and is mutually ganged with the selection performed on either tab. Refer to AFD/WSS/VI ARC Controls (p. 3-26) for more information. • This function is intended for aspect ratio adjustment of a particular signal without AFD considerations. • If ARC is being used on a case-by-case basis for a particular signal, it is easier to use the Scaler ARC tools described here. • If AFD is to be used to set and apply a standard AFD code label for ARC, use Follow AFD Settings. Do not perform ARC here; instead, perform ARC as described in the AFD function description per AFD/WSS/VI ARC Controls (p. 3-26).
Scaler follow AFD Disabled Unity 1.0HV Pillar Box 0.7 Quick Set Apply	Center Cut 1.33H Letter Box 0.75V Vertical Center Cut 1.33V Apply Apply Apply

Scaler	(continued)
User-defined Aspect Ratio Control Aspect Ratio Horizontal 50.0 Aspect Ratio Vertical 50.0	Aspect Ratio Horizontal and Aspect Ratio Vertical controls adjust horizontal and vertical zoom percentage. Settings less than (<) 100% provide zoom-out; settings greater than (>) 100% provide zoom-in. (50% to 150% range in 0.1% steps; null = 100.0)
• Pan and Tilt Control	Pan control shifts horizontal center of image left (negative settings) or right (positive settings) (-100% to 100% range in 0.1% steps; null = 0.0) $\underbrace{\bigoplus_{i=100}^{i}}_{i=100}^{i}$ Tilt control shifts vertical center of image down (negative settings) or up (positive settings) (-100% to 100% range in 0.1% steps; null = 0.0) $\underbrace{\bigoplus_{i=100}^{i}}_{i=100}^{i}$
Input Crop Controls Input Crop Left Input Crop Bottom Input Crop Bottom Input Crop Bottom O	Provides the following crop controls for input program video: • Input Crop Left • Input Crop Right (0 to 1920 pixel range in 1-pixel steps; null = 0) • Input Crop Top • Input Crop Bottom (0 to 1080 line range in 1-line steps; null = 0)







Table 3-2	9901-UDX	Function	Menu	List —	continued

AFD/WSS/MI AFD Map AFD/WSS/MI AFD Map Note: • Line number control available only for AFD for • Some AFD codes are not supported in WSS are information.	AFD/WSS/VI sub-tab provides prioritized and gated input monitoring for AFD, WSS and/or VI formats. Also provides translation between input and output AFD, WSS, and VI ARC formats. Tmat. WSS and VI use fixed line numbers per applicable standards. and VI formats. Refer to AFD/WSS/VI Translation Matrix on page 3-30 for more
Input Format Status Displays Input AFD Status Detected, 16x9 0010 Letterbox 16x9 Top WSS Status Not Present VI Status Not Present	 Displays the current status and contents of the three supported ARC formats shown to the left. If a format is received, the current formatting code and description is displayed (as shown in the example). If a format is not receiving data, Not Present is displayed.
Scaler AFD Enable Scaler follow AFD Enabled	 Enables scaler to apply ARC settings provided by ARC controls in this function. Enabled sets the output aspect ratio to track with AFD settings performed in this tab, overriding any other scaler manual ARC control settings. Disabled allows ARC coding processing performed in this tab, but does not apply ARC settings in scaler. Note: This control also appears on the Scaler tab and is mutually ganged with the selection performed on either tab. Scaler follows AFD functions only when a valid AFD output format is being generated and enabled. The scaler only observes AFD code commands, with the controls on this tab set to generate an AFD-coded output. WSS and/or VI formats must be translated to a supported AFD cross-translation for scaler active ARC to function when using WSS or VI input formats.
• Input Mapping Force Input Mapping Follow Trigger 4x3 0010 Letterbox 16x9 Top 4x3 0011 Letterbox 14x9 Top • • • • • • • • • • • • •	 When received ARC code is received, applies H/V coding as follows: Follow Trigger – Uses the ARC coding inherent in the received triggering ARC. 4x3 ARC Codes – For received triggering formats coded as 4x3, applies the H/V coding selected in this drop-down. 16x9 ARC Codes – For received triggering formats coded as 16x9, applies the H/V coding selected in this drop-down. Note: Settings performed here can be applied directly to the output video, or the settings applied here can be custom modified if desired for any of the 11 4x3 codes and any of the 11 16x9 codes available here using the AFD Map sub-tab. Refer to AFD/WSS/VI Translation Matrix on page 3-30 for more information and coding descriptions.

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Input Triggering Controls Trigger on AFD Off Trigger on WSS Off Trigger on VI Off WSS/M Priority WSS	Individual ARC format input controls allow accepting or rejecting received ARC formats as follows: • Trigger on AFD: • Off rejects AFD-coded triggering. • On allows trigger on AFD. • Trigger on WSS: • Off rejects WSS-coded triggering. • AFD allows triggering on AFD-coded WSS. • ETSI allows triggering on ETSI-coded WSS. • Trigger on VI: • Off rejects VI-coded triggering. • AFD allows triggering on AFD-coded WSS. • Trigger on VI: • Off rejects VI-coded triggering. • AFD allows triggering on AFD-coded WSS. • SMPTE allows triggering on SMPTE-coded WSS. Note: If multiple formats are present on the input video, AFD preempts other formats, followed by WSS or VI (as set by the WSS/VI Priority control).
• Output Enable Controls Output AFD Output Enabled V WSS Output Disabled V VI Output Disabled V	 Individual ARC format input controls allow accepting or rejecting received ARC formats as follows: AFD Output: Disable turns off AFD format on output. Enable inserts AFD packet on output, and allows changing line number. Follow Input Line inserts AFD packet on same line as received AFD line number (where applicable). WSS Output: Disable turns off WSS format on output. AFD Enabled inserts AFD-coded WSS on output. VI Output: Disable turns off WSS format on output. KSS on output: ETSI Enabled inserts AFD-coded WSS on output. SMPTE Enabled inserts AFD-coded VI on output.
Output Status Displays Output AFD Status Enabled, 16x9 1111 Protect 4x3 WSS Status Disabled or no valid mapping VI Status Enabled, SMPTE 6 625/50/16x9	 Displays the current output status, coding, and H/V ratio for AFD, WSS, and VI formats. If a format is active and enabled (as set with the Output Enable controls), the code and H/V description is displayed. If a format is not outputting data, Disabled is displayed. Note: The code displayed shows the outputted code. If the code is modified by user settings performed in the AFD Map sub-tab, these changes are shown here. Refer to AFD Map sub-tab for more information. As shown in the example, settings that result in invalid mapping across format translations will display Disabled. In these cases, no output is inserted for the format.
AFD Output Line Field 1 10 AFD Output Line Field 2 22	 Allows selecting the line location of the AFD data within the video signal Ancillary Data space. Note: • The card does not check for conflicts on a given line number. Make certain the selected line is available and carrying no other data. • For progressive formats, the Field 1 control serves as the line number control.

AFD/WSS/VI						ntinued)			
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Input						Output				
	AFD	WSS ETSI 625	WSS ETSI 525	VI	Description	AFD	WSS ETSI 625	WSS ETSI 525	VI	Description
	0010	4			4x3 Letterbox 16x9 Top	0010	4	0	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Letterbox 16x9
	0011	2			4x3 Letterbox 14x9 Top	0011	2	0	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Letterbox 14x9 Top
	0100	5	2		4x3 Letterbox 16x9 Center	0100	5	2	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Letterbox 16x9 Center
	0101, 0110, 0111				Undefined					
-	1000	0	0	0 1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Coded Frame	1000	0	0	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Coded Frame
Codec	1001				4x3 Center	1001	0	0	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Center
4:3	1010	3			4x3 16x9 Center	1010	3	2	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 16x9 Center
	1011	1			4x3 14x9 Center	1011	1	0	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 14x9 Center
	1100			3, 4, 7	Reserved	1100		0	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	Reserved
	1101	6			4x3 Protect 14x9	1101	6	0	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Protect 14x9
	1110				4x3 Letterbox 16x9; Protect 14x9 Center	1110		2	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Letterbox 16x9; Protect 14x9 Center
	1111				4x3 Letterbox 16x9; Protect 4x3 Center	1111		2	1 (NTSC) 2 (PAL)	4x3 Letterbox 16x9; Protect 4x3 Center
	0010				16x9 Letterbox 16x9 Top	0010		1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	16x9 Letterbox 16x9 Top
	0011				16x9 Letterbox 14x9 Top	0011		1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	16x9 Letterbox 14x9 Top
	0100				16x9 Letterbox 16x9 Center	0100		1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	16x9 Letterbox 16x9 Center
	0101, 0110, 0111				Undefined					
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16:9 C	1001				16x9 4x3 Center	1001		1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	16x9 4x3 Center
	1010				16x9 Center Protect 16x9	1010	7	1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	16x9 Center Protect 16x9
	1100				Reserved	1100		1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	Reserved
	1101				16x9 4x3 Protect 14x9	1101		1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	16x9 4x3 Protect 14x
	1110				16x9 Protect 14x9	1110		1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	16x9 Protect 14x9
	1111				16x9 Protect 4x3	1111		1	5 (NTSC) 6 (PAL)	16x9 Protect 4x3

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	AFD/WSS/VI AFD	VI tran	VI translation equivalents) supported by the card.				
	Input:4x3						
		V Zoom(60-200)	H Zoom(60-200)	Pan	Tilt	Output AFD Code	
	4x3 Letterbox 16x9 Top 0010	100.0	100.0	0.0	12.5	16x9 0010 Letterbox 16x9 Top	
	4x3 Letterbox 14x9 Top 0011 •	116.7 🗘	100.0	0.0 🤤	7.1 🗘	16x9 0011 Letterbox 14x9 Top	
	:						
4x3 L	etterbox 16x9 Protect 4x3 1111	133.3 🗘	100.0 🗘 🚺	0.0	0.0 🗸	16x9 1111 Protect 4x3	
	Input:16x9						
	16x9 Letterbox 16x9 Top 0010	V Zoom(60-200)	H Zoom(60-200)		-125	Output AFD Code	
	16x9 Letterbox 14x9 Top 0011	75.0	100.0		-7.1	4x3 0010 Letterbox 14x9 Top	
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Output Video	Provides an output video crosspoint between up to four SDI output ports and the card program video and auxiliary streams.
• Output Video Crosspoint	 For each SDI output port supported by the card, provides a crosspoint for routing program processed video, reclocked, or other video handled by the card. Note: • Choices shown here are examples only. Cards licensed with multiple video inputs (such as when licensed for wings and key) will have more output source choices (such as key preview). • Analog output controls (not shown) appear only on cards licensed for analog video output. If your card is licensed for analog video support, refer to Manual Supplement OPT-F3G-AN-MS that is supplied with this manual.
SDI OUT AProgramInput A ReclockSDI OUT BProgramInput A ReclockSDI OUT CProgramInput A ReclockSDI OUT DProgramInput A Reclock	In this example, reclock of SDI IN A is fed to SDI OUT A port, and buffered program video is fed to SDI OUT B thru SDI OUT D .





Table 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — conti	inued
Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls Input Routing Input Downmixers Input Fle	(continued)
 Note: • Default factory preset routing routes embered in the second se	edded Ch 1 thru Ch 16 to bus channels Bus Ch 1 thru Bus Ch 16. dentical to the controls described here for Bus Ch 1 . Therefore, only the e considered and appropriately set. Unused bus channels should be set to
• Bus Channel Source Source Bus Ch 1 Embed Ch 1	Using the Source drop-down list, selects the audio input source to be directed to the corresponding bus channel from the choices described below.
• Embedded Ch 1 thru Ch 16 as Source Bus Ch 1 Embed Ch 1	Embed Ch 1 thru Embed Ch 16 range in Source drop-down list routes an embedded channel (Ch 1 thru Ch 16) to be the source for the selected destination bus channel. (In this example, Embed Ch 1 (embedded Ch 1) is the source for destination Bus Ch 1)
• AES Ch 1 thru AES Ch 16 as Source Bus Ch 1 AES Ch 1 AES Ch 1 AES Ch 1 AES Ch 1 Option	 AES Ch 1 thru AES Ch 16 range in Source drop-down list routes an AES channel (Ch 1 thru Ch 16) to be the source for the selected destination bus channel. (In this example, AES Ch 1 is the source for destination Bus Ch 1) Note: • AES inputs are only available on card equipped with option +AES (AES audio I/O). • AES port connectors (channel pairs) on the card rear module are set as either Input or Output using the AES Port Direction control on the Output Audio Routing/Controls DashBoard tab. Make certain an AES channel pair is not being used an output before assigning it as a source here. (Refer to Output Audio Routing/Controls (p. 3-44) for more information.)
• Analog Ch 1 thru Ch 8 as Source Bus Ch 1 Analog Ch 1 Analog Ch 1 Analog Ch 8 Coption (5)	 Analog Ch 1 thru Analog Ch 8 range in Source drop-down list routes an analog channel (Ch 1 thru Ch 8) to be the source for the selected destination bus channel. (In this example, Analog Ch 1 is the source for destination Bus Ch 1) Note: • Analog audio inputs are only available on card equipped with option +ANAIO, +ANAVI, or +ANAVO (analog audio I/O). • Analog audio connectors on the card rear module are set as either Input or Output using the AN-AUD I/O (1-8) Mode Switches, located on the 9901 analog audio piggyback PCB. Make certain an analog channel is not being used an output before assigning it as a source here. (Refer to Setting I/O Switches for Analog Audio (1-8) Ports (p. 2-1) for more information.)



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Table 3-2	9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued
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Audio Bus Input R	outing/Controls	(continued)				
• Auto Audio Failove	er (Option +AFO)	Provides conditional f received by the card i Both source (primary offer from the full com previous pages.	iailover to any alternate if designated primary c channel) and Seconda aplement of source cho	e (secondary) audio channel hannel choice loses signals. ary Source (failover) choices ices described on the		
In the example here, bus example, AES Ch 1 and Analog Ch 2 (as shown	s channels 1 thru 4 have prim AES Ch 2 have experienced by the Secondary Failover in	ary sources as Emb Ch signal loss and have fa dication for these prima	n 1, Emb Ch 2, AES Cł ailed over to selected c ary channels).	n 1, and AES Ch 2. In the hoices Analog Ch 1 and		
		Source	Secondary Source	Failover		
	Bus Ch	1 Embed Ch 1 💙	Embed Ch 7	V Primary		
	Bus Ch	2 Embed Ch 2	Embed Ch 8	Primary		
	Bus Ch	3 AES Ch 1 🗸	Analog Input 1	Secondary		
	Bus Ch	4 AES Ch 2	Analog Input 2	Secondary		
	:					
Audio Failover master enable/ disable control	Bus Ch 1	6 AES Ch 4	Silence	Primary		
	Audio Failover Threshold (dPES	Enabled	co.o.0			
	Primary to Secondary Holdoff (ms	» [5000			
	Secondary to Primary Holdoff (ms					
	Input Routing Input Downmix	ters Input Flex Mix	Dolby E Alignment			
Failover controls set th	e conditions that comprise a	loss of audio event, and	d also a transition back	to primary channels.		
If these channels fall	below the selected threshold	for period specified by	the Primary to Secon	dary Holdoff control, the		
primary channels are • Secondary to Prima signals Note: Default thresho	replaced with the designated ry Holdoff control sets the tir old and holdoff settings shown	secondary channels. ne in which the trigger i n here are recommende	is revoked upon resum ed for typical use.	ption of primary channel		

Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls				<u> </u>	Input Downmixers – Provides four independent downmixers that each multiplex any five embedded, AES, analog, or Dolby decoder output audio channel sources (as L, R, C, Ls, Rs inputs) into a stereo pair (Downmix A(L) / Downmix A(R) thru Downmix D(L) / Downmix D(R))				
Note:	 Downmixers E Downmixer A For each down should be set to 	thru D controls mixer in the Si	have controls ic s are shown here put channel, its lence selection.	entical ». source	to the controls d should be consid	escribe	d here for Dow nd appropriatel	/nmixer / ly set. Un	A. Therefore, only the used bus channels
• Down Selec	nmixer A thru D ction	Input (Channel	Se dc (lis • E • J • J • I • S	eparate L, R, C, wynmixers (A thr sted below) to ea Embed Ch 1 thru AES Ch 1 thru A Analog Ch 1 thru Dolby Decoder o Silence	Ls, Rs c u D) tha ach dow u Embe ES Ch u Analo Output	trop-downs for tt directs any c rnmixer input c d Ch 16 16 g Ch 8 Ch 1 thru Dolt	each of t ombinatic hannel. by Decod	he four independent on of card audio inputs ler Output Downmix R
Doummiron A	L Embed Ch 1		R Embed Ch 2	~	C Embed Ch 3	~	Ls Embed Ch 5	~	Rs Embed Ch 6
	Silence	~	Silence		Silence		Silence		Silence
The exam two signa Note: The	nple here shows Is comprising the e stereo pair con	selectio pair ca sists of	n from various s an be routed and basic L/R PCM	ources proces signals	and the resulting sed the same as with no additiona Embed Ch 1 - Cl AES Ch 1 - Cl Anig Ch 1 - Cl Embedded Ch Embedded Ch Embedded Ch Embedded Ch	g stereo s any ot al encoc h 16 h 16 h 16 h 16 h 1 h 2	pair Downmix her audio input led information	x A(L) and t source.	d Downmix A(R). The To Audio Bus Input Routing

Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls g Input Downmixers	(continued)
• Center Mix Ratio Center Mix Ratio	 Adjusts the attenuation ratio of center-channel content from 5-channel source that is re-applied as Lt and Rt content to the DM-L and DM-R stereo mix. Minimum attenuation setting (-0.0 dB) applies no ratiometric reduction. Center channel content is restored as in-phase center-channel content with no attenuation, making center-channel content more predominate in the overall mix. Maximum attenuation setting (-80.0 dB) applies a -80 dB ratiometric reduction of center-channel content. Center-channel content is restored as in-phase center-channel content. Center-channel content is restored as in-phase center-channel content at a -80 dB ratio relative to overall level, making center-channel content less predominate in the overall mix. (20.0dB to -80.0 dB range in 0.1 dB steps; default = -3 dB) Note: Default setting is recommended to maintain center-channel predominance in downmix representative to that of the original source 5-channel mix.
• Surround Mix Ratio	 Adjusts the attenuation ratio of surround-channel content from 5-channel source that is re-applied as Lo and Ro content to the DM-L and DM-R stereo mix. Minimum attenuation setting (-0.0 dB) applies no ratiometric reduction. Surround-channel content is restored with no attenuation, making Lo and Ro content more predominate in the overall mix. Maximum attenuation setting (-80.0 dB) applies a -80 dB ratiometric reduction of surround-channel content. Surround-channel content is restored at a -80 dB ratio relative to overall level, making surround-channel content less predominate in the overall mix. (20.0 dB to -80.0 dB range in 0.1 dB steps; default = -3 dB) Note: Default setting is recommended to maintain surround-channel predominance in downmix representative to that of the original source 5-channel mix.

Audio Bus I	Input Routir	ng/Controls	(continued)			
• Auto Dow Optio	nmix (Option - n 💽	+ADM)	Provides an automatic downmix using alternate channels if designated stereo pair lose signals. If content level drops below configurable threshold, primary channel content is replaced with content downmixed from alternate channels.			
Downmixer A	Lp Embed Ch 1	Rp Embed Ch 2	Failover	Auto Downmix monitors designated primary channels for up to four downmixers (primary channels Lp and Rp as Emb 1 and Emb 2 in the example).		
Downmixer D	AES Ch 1	AES Ch 2	Downmix	 If these channels maintain levels above a selected threshold, primary channels Lp and Rp pass unaffected (as indicated by Failover indicator showing Primary). 		
Downmixer D	Silence	Silence		• If these channels fall below a selected threshold for a specified selected period, downmixed content replaces the primary channels (as indicated by Failover indicator showing Downmix).		
Au	to Downmix	nabled	Auto Downmix enable downmixers. Downmix Threshold =	es or disables auto downmixing for the four sets the threshold (in input dBFS) at which content		
Downmix Three Primary to Downmix Downmix to Primary	Downmix Threshold (dBFS) -60.0 Primary to Downmix Holdoff (ms) 5000 Downmix to Primary Holdoff (ms) 0			 Primary to Downmix Holdoff sets the time allowed for below-threshold primary content before downmix failover is engaged. Downmix to Primary Holdoff sets the time allowed, when primary is noted to be above threshold, before primary content is again engaged for use. 		
			Note: • Default threshol recommended for • For Failover inco downmix to rout from this function channels. (For e be routed to car this function, rou Bus 1/Bus 2.)	d and holdoff settings shown here are or typical use. dicator to properly function and for automatic e to card processing, downmix output channels n must be routed to a pair of card internal bus example, if primary channels Emb1/Emb2 were to d internal bus channels Bus1/Bus 2, when using ute Downmix A(L) and Downmix A(R) instead to		



able 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued	
Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls	(continued)
 Note: • Flex Mix input channels Flex Mix 2 thru Flex Mix 16 have controls identical to that described here for Flex Mix 1. Therefore, only the Flex Mix 1 controls are shown here. • For each Flex Mix input channel, its source should be considered and appropriately set. Unused input channels should be set to the Silence selection. 	
• Flex Mix Input Channel Source Source Flex Mix 1 Embed Ch 1	Using the Source drop-down list, selects the audio input source to be directed to the corresponding bus channel from the choices listed below. • Silence • Embed Ch 1 thru Embed Ch 16 • AES Ch 1 thru AES Ch 16 • Analog Ch 1 thru Analog Ch 8 • Dolby Decoder Output Ch 1 thru Dolby Decoder Output Downmix R
• Gain / Mute Control	Provides relative gain (in dB) control and a channel Mute checkbox. (-80 to +20 dB range in 0.1 dB steps; unity = 0.0 dB)
• Flex Mix Summing Node (Bus) Selector Flex Mix A Flex Mix A Flex Mix B Flex Mix B Flex Mix P	 Each Flex Mix input channel can be fed as desired to any of 16 summing node buses (Flex Mix A thru Flex Mix P). The flex mix buses can be routed and processed the same as any other audio input source. Note: See the examples on the previous page for providing various types of mixers by applying a common Flex Mix Bus to various input channels.
Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls	Dolby E Alignment – Provides selectable Dolby E alignment for embedded Dolby E to position the bitstream utilizing the Dolby E "guard band". This helps prevent frame errors that may occur in a bitstream upon switching or editing.
• Dolby E Embedding Alignment Control Status Line 418, Reference Aligned Align Select No Alignment No Alignment Align to Reference Align to Output Video	 For incoming Dolby E data routed to the card audio bus (either over embedded channels or via AES embedding to the bus), aligns the embedded Dolby data corresponding to selection. Alignment line as a result of selection is shown in Status display. Note: • Where a frame reference is available, it is recommended to use the Align to Reference selection. This helps ensure that the correct alignment is achieved even if the video is user delayed or output format (scaling) is changed. Refer to "Preferred Alignment for Dolby E in HD Systems" (http://www.dolby.com/about/news-events/ newsletters-dtvaudio-dolby-e-alignment.html) for more information regarding Dolby E alignment. This control applies only to externally received Dolby E data streams. Card Dolby E encoder (if used) data is automatically aligned with video to utilize guard band.



Output Audio Routing/Controls Emb Audio Out AES Audio Out	(continued)
Note: Default factory preset routing routes bus ch Emb Ch 16.	annels Bus Ch 1 thru Bus Ch 16 to embedded outputs Emb Ch 1 thru
• Embedded Output Channel Source Select Source Emb Ch 1	With the Emb Audio Out sub-tab selected, using the Source drop-down list selects the card audio source to be directed to the corresponding embedded output channel from the choices described below.
• Bus Ch 1 thru Ch 16 as Source for Embedded Channel Output	Bus Ch 1 thru Bus Ch 16 range in Source drop-down list routes a card internal bus channel (Bus Ch 1 thru Bus Ch 16) to be the source for the selected embedded output channel. (In this example, Bus Ch 1 is the source for destination Embedded output Ch 1)
• Upmixer Channels as Source for Embedded Channel Output	Upmix L thru Upmix Rs range in Source drop-down list routes an upmixed channel to be the source for the selected embedded output channel. (In this example, Upmix L is the source for destination Embedded output Ch 1)
• Loudness-Processed Channels as Source for Embedded Channel Output	 LP51 L thru LP51 Rs (5.1-channel loudness processor processed channels L thru Rs) range in Source drop-down list routes a loudness-processed channel to be the source for the selected embedded output channel. (In this example, loudness-processed channel LP51 L is the source for destination Embedded output Ch 1) Note: Where stereo loudness processor is available, drop-down selections for these channels are LP2 L and LP2 R.
• Tone as Source for Embedded Channel Output	 Tone 50 Hz thru Tone 16 kHz range in Source drop-down list routes one of eight tone frequencies to be the source for the selected embedded output channel. (In this example, 50 Hz tone is the source for destination Embedded output Ch 1)



Output Audio Routing/Controls Emb Audio Out AES Audio Out	(continued)
• Dolby [®] Encoder Output as Source for Embedded Channel Output Emb Ch 1 Encoded Dolby Digital B (L) Encoded Dolby Digital B (L) Encoded Dolby Digital B (R) Option	 Encoded Dolby (L) and Encoded Dolby (R) selection in Source drop-down list routes a Dolby encoded pair from any of the card's Dolby encoders (A up to D) to be the source for the selected embedded output channel. (In this example, Dolby Digital Encoder B (L) is the source for destination Embedded output Ch 1) Note: Encoded channel pairs selected should only be applied to companion intact pairs (e.g., signals can be applied to embedded pair 1/2, or embedded pair 3/4 and so on, but not split to route through fabricated unrelated pairs such as embedded ch 2/ch 3).
Silence as Source for Embedded Channel Output Emb Ch 1 Source Silence Silence Silence Silence	Silence selection in Source drop-down list mutes the selected embedded output channel. Use this setting for any unused embedded output channels. (In this example, Silence is the source for destination Embedded output Ch 1)
• Gain / Mute Control Gain Mute Peak -20.0 dBFS -80.0 -30.0 20.0	Provides relative gain (in dB) control and peak level display for corresponding embedded output channel. Also provides a channel Mute checkbox. (-80 to +20 dB range in 0.1 dB steps; unity = 0.0 dB)
Group Enable/Disable Controls Emb Group 1 Enabled Emb Group 4 Enabled	 Allows enable/disable of embedded audio groups 1 thru 4 on card program video output to accommodate some legacy downstream systems that may not support all four embedded audio groups. Note: Changing the setting of this control will result in a noise burst in group adjacent to that being enabled or disabled. This control should not be manipulated when carrying on-air content.

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Output Audio Routing/Controls Emb Audio Out AES Audio Out Option 💽	(continued)
Note: AES Ch1 thru AES Ch 16 controls are ident	tical to those shown here for AES Ch 1.
AES Port Direction Select Source AES Ch 1 Encoded Dolby (L) ♥ AES ch 2 Encoded Dolby (R) ♥ AES input ● AES Output AES input ● AES Output	 Provides port direction control for each AES port on the card rear module. Note: • AES port direction selector controls input or output direction on a channel pair basis. • When using the AES Port Direction controls for an AES pair, only the even-channel control of the pair responds to DashBoard control. (For example, to change AES pair 1 from input to output, click on the AES Ch 2 AES Output direction radio button.) • Before assigning a pair as a output here, make certain an AES channel pair is not being used as an input. • If a port is to be used as an output, set control for desired pair to AES Input. Refer to Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls (p. 3-34) to route an AES input into the card.
Note: Cards with option +AES16 do not share AES input and output BNC ports. 16 channels of AES input embedding is available using the Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls, with 16 channels of AES output de-embedding using the AES Ch1 thru AES Ch 16 AES outputs on the AES Audio Out sub-tab. This option is fully utilized only when using rear I/O module RM20-9901-G. • AES Output Channel Source Select With the AES Audio Out sub-tab selected, using the Source drop-down list selects the card audio source to be directed to the corresponding AES output channel from the choices described below.	
AES Ch 1 Bus Ch 1	Bus Ch 1 thru Bus Ch 16 range in Source drop-down list routes a card internal bus channel (Bus Ch 1 thru Bus Ch 16) to be the source for the selected AES output channel. (In this example, Bus Ch 1 is the source for destination AES output Ch 1)
• Upmixer Channels as Source for AES Channel Output	Upmix L thru Upmix Rs range in Source drop-down list routes an upmixed channel to be the source for the selected AES output channel. (In this example, Upmix L is the source for destination AES output Ch 1)





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Upmixing Option 📧	Provides upmixing of any normal PCM stereo pair into 5.1 surround sound audio which in turn can be applied to six user-selectable channels. (Option +UM)
 Note: • For any six channels selected for this function • Upmixing induces a 6 msec delay into the au Video Delay controls to introduce a -6 msec 	advance. See Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls (p. 3-34).
• Up Mixer Mode Control Up Mixer Controls Mode Auto Always Upmix Bypass	 Enables or bypasses upmixer as follows: Auto: Automatic enable/bypass of 5.1 upmix function as follows: If detected signal level on all three of the selected channels designated as Center, Left Surround, and Right Surround are below the level threshold set using the 5.1 Detection Threshold control (described below), upmixer produces new 5.1 content generated by the upmixer. If detected signal level on any of the three of the selected channels designated as Center, Left Surround, and Right Surround is above the level threshold set using the 5.1 Detection Threshold control, upmixing is bypassed and the channels fed to the upmixer pass unaffected to the upmixer outputs. Always Upmix: Manual enable turns on upmixer and overwrites content on all six selected channels with new 5.1 content generated by the upmixer regardless of original signal level or content. Bypass: Manual disable bypasses the upmixer. When bypassed, the six input audio channels pass unaffected to the upmixer output.
 Upmixer Input Channel Selection Immixed Input Selection Immixed Input Selection Immixed Input Selection Immixed Input Selection Selected to the corresponding upmixer input for the choices listed below. Immixed Input Selection Immixed	Separate drop-down lists for Left, Right, Center, LFE, Left Surround, and Right Surround allow a stereo pair to be upmixed to 5.1-channel.

Upmixing	(continued)
• Up Mixer Status Display Status Auto Mode - Currently Upmixing Status Auto Mode - Currently Bypassed Status Upmixing	 Shows activity status of upmixer processing as follows: Auto Mode - Currently Upmixing: With upmixer enable set to Auto, indicates selected channels designated as Center, LFE, Left Surround, and Right Surround are clear for use (as described above); upmixer is currently up-mixing received stereo pair and overwriting the six selected channels with new 5.1 upmix. Auto Mode - Currently Bypassed: With upmixer enable set to Auto, indicates selected channels designated as Center, LFE, Left Surround, and Right Surround have content (such as existing original 5.1 or other content); upmixer is bypassed (disabled) and allows normal passage of six selected channels. Upmixing: Indicates upmixer is manually enabled (set to Always Upmix) and is currently up-mixing received stereo pair and overwriting the six selected channels with new 5.1 upmix
Status Bypassed	• Bypassed: Indicates upmixer is manually disabled (set to Bypass) and is currently passing all selected channels unaffected.
Auto Crossfade Speed Controls Auto Crossfade Speed Upmix to Bypass Very Slow (2000 ms) ▼ Very Slow (2000 ms) Guick (250 ms) Very Quick (100 ms) Instant (10 ms) Auto Crossfade Speed Bypass to Upmix Very Slow (2000 ms) Slow (1000 ms) Quick (250 ms) Very Slow (2000 ms) Slow (1000 ms) Quick (250 ms) Very Quick (100 ms) Quick (250 ms) Very Quick (100 ms) Quick (100 ms) Slow (1000 ms) Slow (1000 ms) Slow (1000 ms) Quick (250 ms) Very Quick (100 ms)	Individual controls select the relative crossfade transition speed between Upmix to Bypass (going to inactive; from 5.1 to 2.0) and Bypass to Upmix (going to active; from 2.0 to 5.1) when upmixer enable is set to Auto and the active threshold (as set by the 5.1 Detection Threshold control) is crossed in either direction. To suit program material and production aesthetic preferences, several choices are available as shown to the left. Slower settings allow for a more gradual transition between modes, however with a longer interval before levels stabilize. Faster settings conversely allow for a smaller interval before levels stabilize, however with greater perceived abruptness.
Instant (10 ms)	

Upmixing	(continued)
• 5.1 Detection Threshold Control	Adjusts the threshold at which selected channels designated as C, LFE, Ls, and Rs are considered to have viable content, or at which signal levels can be considered insignificant when upmixer enable is set to Auto. Setting affects automatic enable/bypass of 5.1 upmix function as follows: • If detected signal level on all three of the selected channels designated as Center, Left Surround, and Right Surround are below the level threshold set using the 5.1 Detection Threshold control, upmixer allows overwrite of all six selected channels with the new 5.1 signal complement. • If detected signal level on any of the three of the selected channels designated as Center, Left Surround, and Right Surround is above the level threshold set using the 5.1 Detection Threshold control, upmixer is bypassed , thereby releasing the selected six channels and allowing the original channels to pass unaffected. (Range is -150 dB to 0 dB in 0.1dB steps; 0 dB equivalent to +24 dBu=> 0 dBFS) Typically, the 5.1 Detection Threshold control should be set to provide a usable threshold disable the auto upmix (a), left), while nuisance levels considerably below the threshold (b), left) are rejected, allowing the upmixer to stay locked in the enabled mode and overwrite these signals. Optimum setting is dependent on program material general overall levels. A -60 dB setting is Alignment level for normal material such as dialog.
Center Width Control Center Width 0.0	 Adjusts center channel content (in terms of percentage) applied to L and R channels. Minimum setting keeps all L+R (mono) content confined to center (C) channel, with any center channel content removed from L and R channels. Higher settings progressively blend respective L and R mono content back into L and R channels, with 100% setting resulting in center channel level going to zero and L/R channels becoming normal L/R channels containing some mono content. (0% to 100% range in 0.1% steps; default = 0%)
Surround Depth Control Surround Depth O.0	 Adjusts surround channel content (in terms of percentage) applied to Ls and Rs channels. Maximum setting results in greatest surround channel levels. Lower settings progressively diminish surround channel levels, with 0% setting resulting in no Ls or Rs level, with Ls and Rs content progressively folded back into L and R, respectively. (0% to 100% range in 0.1% steps; default = 100%)

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COM and Metadata Routing	Provides input and output support of Dolby metadata routing between optional Dolby encoder/decoder and serial/video interfaces.
 Note: • "Dolby Decoder" drop-down choices and " a Dolby decoder and/or Dolby encoder. • After familiarizing yourself with the control interrelated use of these controls. 	Dolby Encoder" selector for this function appear only on cards equipped with s described here, see the following page for an example showing
Serial Port Selectors Serial Port Controls COM 1 Out-Dolby decoder Out-Dolby decoder Out-SMPTE 2020 De-embedder Input COM 2 Input Serial Port Conflicts	For serial ports 1 and 2, selects the source for metadata to be exported (outputed) from the card over a port as shown from the choices listed to the left and shown below. (None selection frees the port to be used as an input.) Dolby Decoder Dolby Decoder Input Video (VBI metadata) (Input) ← ← Port 1 as output (Input) ← ← Port 1 as output
• VBI SMPTE 2020 Embedding Source Selector SMPTE 2020 Embedder Controls Metadata Source Serial port 1 Serial port 1 Serial port 2 Dolby decoder Input video None	For VBI embedding at the card SDI output, selects the source of metadata to be exported (outputed) from the card from the choices listed to the left and shown below.
• SDI Input VBI Metadata Status Display Input Status Receiving embedded metadata on line 13	Indicates if Dolby metadata is present on input SDI VBI, as well as VBI line number. (If no metadata present, displays "Not Present".)

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Table 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued

COM and Metadata Routing	(continued)
Metadata Embedding Embedded Metadata Output	Embedded Metadata Output enables SMPTE 2020-1 metadata embedding in the SDI video output, as selected using controls described above.
Embedded Output Line	Embedded Output Line allows selection of SMPTE 2020-1 metadata line location within the VANC space for re-inserted Dolby [®] metadata.
	(Range is 9 thru 41)
	Note: • Although the output line drop-down will allow any choice within th 9 thru 41 range, the actual range is automatically clamped (limite to) certain ranges to prevent inadvertent conflict with active picture area depending on video format. See Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges (p. 3-9) for more information.
	 The card does not check for conflicts on a given line number. Make certain the selected line is available and carrying no othe data unless existing metadata is to be intentionally overwritten.
	Typically, when encoding is active it is recommended that any metadata not specifically related to that being used by the encoder be removed (or replaced with metadata being used by the encoder), and also that the line number be set to overwrite obsolete input VBI metadata. Also, the encoded pair carries the up to date metadata within the encoded pair stream. Removing replacing obsolete metadata avoids any ambiguity of having different metadata packets on multiple lines, or metadata that is not related to the encoding being performed.
Metadata Routing Example	eive external metadata over serial port B. Also, the new metadata from the ut SMPTE 2020 VBI and exported from the card over serial port A.
Metadata Routing Example In this example, the on-card Dolby encoder is to recon-card decoder is to be inserted into the SDI output Serial Port Controls COM 1 Out-Dolby decoder	eive external metadata over serial port B. Also, the new metadata from the ut SMPTE 2020 VBI and exported from the card over serial port A. Decoder metadata is exported (outputed) from the card on Serial Port 1
Metadata Routing Example In this example, the on-card Dolby encoder is to recon-card decoder is to be inserted into the SDI output Serial Port Controls COM 1 Out-Dolby decoder Serial Port Conflicts	Preive external metadata over serial port B. Also, the new metadata from the ut SMPTE 2020 VBI and exported from the card over serial port A. Decoder metadata is exported (outputed) from the card on Serial Port 1 Encoder receives external metadata on Serial Port B
Metadata Routing Example In this example, the on-card Dolby encoder is to recon-card decoder is to be inserted into the SDI output Serial Port Controls COM 1 Out-Dolby decoder COM 2 Input Serial Port Conflicts SMPTE 2020 Embedder Controls Metadata Source Dolby decoder	Preve external metadata over serial port B. Also, the new metadata from the ut SMPTE 2020 VBI and exported from the card over serial port A. Decoder metadata is exported (outputed) from the card on Serial Port 1 Encoder receives external metadata on Serial Port B Decoder metadata is embedded on SDI output SMPTE 2020 VBI
Metadata Routing Example In this example, the on-card Dolby encoder is to reconn-card decoder is to be inserted into the SDI output Serial Port Controls COM 1 Out-Dolby decoder	Peive external metadata over serial port B. Also, the new metadata from the ut SMPTE 2020 VBI and exported from the card over serial port A. Decoder metadata is exported (outputed) from the card on Serial Port 1 Encoder receives external metadata on Serial Port B Decoder metadata is embedded on SDI output SMPTE 2020 VBI
Metadata Routing Example In this example, the on-card Dolby encoder is to recon-card decoder is to be inserted into the SDI output Serial Port Controls COM 1 Out-Dolby decoder COM 2 Input Serial Port Conflicts SMPTE 2020 Embedder Controls Metadata Source Dolby decoder Metadata Output Enabled Output Line 13	Peive external metadata over serial port B. Also, the new metadata from the ut SMPTE 2020 VBI and exported from the card over serial port A. Decoder metadata is exported (outputed) from the card on Serial Port 1 Encoder receives external metadata on Serial Port B Decoder metadata is embedded on SDI output SMPTE 2020 VBI
Metadata Routing Example In this example, the on-card Dolby encoder is to recon-card decoder is to be inserted into the SDI output Serial Port Controls COM 1 Out-Dolby decoder COM 2 Input Serial Port Conflicts SMPTE 2020 Embedder Controls Metadata Source Dolby decoder Metadata Output Enabled Output Line 13	eive external metadata over serial port B. Also, the new metadata from the ut SMPTE 2020 VBI and exported from the card over serial port A. Decoder metadata is exported (outputed) from the card on Serial Port 1 Encoder receives external metadata on Serial Port B Decoder metadata is embedded on SDI output SMPTE 2020 VBI

GPIO Controls	Provides two independent GPI controls for GPI 1 and GPI 2 that invoke a user-defined card presets upon receiving a contact closure/logic level on the corresponding GPI input. Also provides two independent contact pairs (GPO 1 and GPO 2) that can be invoked by setting a GPO to be enabled when a card preset is in turn applied.
Note: After familiarizing yourself with the GPI cont for a comprehensive example using these of	trols described here, see "Audio Routing with GPI Control Example" (p. 3-60) controls for multi-source audio routing.
GPI Status Displays GPI 1 Open GPI 2 Open GPI 1 Closed	 Status displays for GPI 1 and GPI 2 indicate Open (and "unlit" indicator) for GPI not present on GPI input. Display indicates Closed (and "lit" indicator) when GPI is present. Note: GPI trigger threshold/type is set using GPI Coding drop-down described below. Refer to Specifications in Introduction, Chapter 1 for GPI electrical specifications and limitations.
• GPI Preset Number Go-To Select	 Individual drop-downs (one for each of the four GPI states monitored by the card) allow invoking a card preset when the corresponding GPI state is true. No Preset setting inhibits going to a preset if the state corresponding to the drop-down becomes true. This setting is typically used to inhibit GPI for an unused GPI. 1 thru 64 setting allows any of 64 user-defined presets to be invoked when the state corresponding to the drop-down becomes true. Note: • No Preset setting should be considered and used for any logic state that is not specifically to be used for a valid GPI state. GPI go-to number settings are independent of saved presets and cannot be defined under a preset. Make certain presets toggled by GPI call identical card settings except for what is expressly to be changed by the toggle. In addition to invoking undesired operation, unintentionally different settings called in presets may invoke states that result in longer engagement times (e.g., even if a Dolby[®] encoder is not used on either toggled GPI preset invocation, undesired setup such as enabling an encoder from disabled to enabled may cause longer engagement time overall. Make sure such functions are similarly set for both preset toggles whenever possible unless required).
GPO Enable GPO Settings GPO 1 Closed, Press To Open GPO 2 Opened, Press To Close	 Enables GPO 1 and/or GPO 2. GPO is designed to be used in association with a card preset. If GPO is set to be closed, and this setting is saved along with other items to a particular preset, whenever the preset is invoked the GPO will also be invoked. Example: Assume GPO 1 is set Closed, with this setting saved with others in Preset 6. With Preset 6 invoked, GPO 1 will now go to closed. If Preset 6, using Event Based Loading, is set to be invoked whenever SD is received, in turn whenever SD is received GPO 1 will also be invoked. As such in this example, GPO 1 would serve as a GPO that indicates when SD is being received.





Table 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued

Presets	Allows to to be sa desired and sca are save	p to 64 ca ved in a P All curren ar (numer d when a	rd user reset a t setting ic) cont Preset	settings conf nd then recal gs (including rol settings su Save is invol	iguration presets led (loaded) as list selections uch as Gain, etc.) ked.
Presets allow convenient recall of custom user settings performed on the card. Presets are especially useful in defining card settings to invoke particular actions upon receiving a GPI trigger (see GPIO Controls (p. 3-54) for more information) or when used in conjunction with Event Based Preset invoke (see Event Based Preset Loading (p. 3-57) for more information). When a preset is invoked, only the setting changes called by the preset are re-loaded, avoiding unnecessary delay or signal disruption that would otherwise result from a global control preset change.					l in defining card rmation) or when formation). ry delay or signal
The Preset Name field allows entry of names that are useful in describing the purpose or action of a particular preset, as shown in the examples here. (Up to 62 ASCII characters can be entered.)	 Preset S selected ("norm") Pressing Pressing replaces 	ove stores al preset (in this aves all curr Load recalls Delete clear he deleted p	l current s exampl rent card s a prese s a prese preset wit	card control sett e, pressing Save control settings t t. et. (After a delete h factory default	ings for the e for Preset 1 to Preset 1 - norm. e, pressing Load settings.)
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Name	_	L	ad	Save	Delete
Preset 1 norm		Press	To Load	Press To Save	Press To Delete
Preset 2 AES local insertion		Press	To Load	Press To Save	Press To Delete
Preset 3 EAS insertion		Press	To Load	Press To Save	Press To Delete
Preset 4 go to SMPTE bars		Press	To Load	Press To Save	Press To Delete
Preset 64		Press	To Load	Press To Save	Press To Delete
Download (save) card presets to a network computer by clicking Download Presets - Save at the bottom of the Presets page. Preset 64 Browse to a desired save location (in this example, My Documents\Cobalt Presets). The file can then be renamed if desired (RCVR21 Presets in this example) before committing the save.	Brown Br	oad (open) of puter by clic e bottom of hBoard. wse to the loard. wse to the file was the computer e (in this mple, <i>My uments</i> (Cobsets). ect the desire and click Op ad the file to late cannot the set of the desired in the strength of the set of	cation as saved or alt the ansfer be s on a gr be downle oading a preset is o Load br	Pern Pern Pern Pern Pern Pern Pern Pern	ork

Table 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued

Presets	(continued)
Save/Delete Protect Button	Locks and unlocks editing of presets to prevent accidental overwrite as follows:
Save/Delete Unprotected	 Unprotected: Allows preset Save and Delete buttons to save or delete current card settings to the selected preset. Use this setting when writing or editing a preset. Protected: Toggle to this setting to lock down all presets from being inadvertently re-saved or deleted. Use this setting when all presets are as intended. Note: When toggling between button modes, make sure to wait for the card Settings status indicator to turn green before moving on.
Event Based Presets Event Based Loading Audio Silence Configurat	Event-based loading allows a defined preset to be automatically engaged upon various received signal status. Event-based loading is particularly useful for automated card setup when transitioning from normal processing to processing supporting an alternate format. Up to 64 individual events can be defined and detected.
 Note: • Event Based Preset loading is not passive an processing changes if not properly used. If even Loading button is set to Disabled. • Because event based preset loading applies c within a called preset (event-based loading set) 	Ind can result in very significant and unexpected card control and signal ent based presets are not to be used, make certain the Event Based Preset ard control changes by invoking presets, loading conditions cannot be nested ettings performed here cannot be saved to presets).
Event Preset Load Select Controls	Event based preset loading checks for up to three conditions (as described below) to all be true, and then invokes a selected preset when an ANDed true occurs. Up to 64 discrete events can be defined, with Event 1 having highest priority of engagement, and subsequently numbered events engaging in descending priority when true.
Event-Based Preset Loading Enabled	Event-Based Preset Loading provides a global enable or disable for this function.
Event 1	Event status indicator shows if a defined event is true and has been automatically engaged.
Acquired Video Format (A)	Acquired Video Format is condition A for three conditions comprising the overall event statement. Drop-down selector allows input video format received as condition A.
Dolby Decoder Detected Format (B)	Dolby Decoder Detected Format is condition B for three conditions comprising the overall event statement. Drop-down selector allows Dolby format received by the card Dolby decoder as condition B.
Audio Silence Event Detected (C)	Audio Silence Event Detected is condition C for three conditions comprising the overall event statement. See Audio Silence Configuration on page 3-59 for more information.
If A*B*C = True, Go To:	If A*B*C = True, Go To: selects the card preset to go to when the defined conditions are true.
	Note: • Any of the three conditions above can be set as a wildcard for any event definition by selecting Don't Care for the condition.
	 Cards not equipped with Doiby decoder (option +DEC) do not have Dolby Decoder Detected Format (B) event column. Make certain Go To: for any event screening not to be used is set for No Preset. This prevents an event from unintentionally invoking a preset.

Table 3-2	9901-UDX	Function	Menu Lis	t — continued

Event Based Presets Event Based Loading Audio Silence Configurat	(continued)			
In the example here, event-based presets are set to d this event would invoke a failover preset that (a) provi substitute for the normal HD 5.1-channel content deco	letect when an SD feed without Dolby E 5.1 is received. In this example, des up-convert to 720p5994 and (b) develops a 5.1-channel upmix to oded and applied to the card Dolby AC-3 encoder.			
When the normal 720p5994 feed with Dolby E 5.1 is a normal processing (turn off scaler and revert to using	again received, a second event-based presets load returns to the card to Dolby E 5.1 for the decoder source and AC-3 PCM source).			
Events-Based Preset Loading set to Enabled turns on controls, allowing defined conditions to be checked.	 (B), and (C) for Event 1 are set to m all true), an overall condition so for normal HD feed. In this example: Ing to SD format. I			
Event Based Presets				
Event-Based Preset Loading				
Enabled Acquired Video Format (A) (Event1 = highest priority) (Event64 = lowest priority) (Event swith all wildcards are ignored (Event swith all wildcards are ignored)	Dolby Decoder Detected Format (B) Audio Silence Event Detected (C) If A'B'C = True, Go To:			
Event 1 Active SD	Dolby Decode PCM Audio Silence Event 1 8			
Event 2 Inactive 720p50/59,94/60	Dolby Decode E 5.1 Don't Care (1)			
:	1			
Event 64 Inactive Don't Care	Don't Care V No Preset			
Event Based Loading Audio Silence Configuration				
/	/			
 Conditions (A), (B), and (C) for Event 2 are set to recognize (when all true), an overall condition indicative that the normal HD feed is again available. In this example: Video changing to 720p5994 format. Dolby E 5.1 again detected by the card Dolby decoder. 				
Note: • Checked conditions are triggered upon start of event. Any event-based setup must be done in advance of the triggering event in order for event to be detected.				
 Loss of true conditions does not disengage an event-based triggering. A new set of true conditions must be defined and then occur to transition from one event-based trigger to another 				
 Time required to engage an event-based trigger depends upon complexity of the called preset. (For example, a preset that invokes a scaler format change will take longer to engage than a preset involving only an audio routing change.) 				
 Make certain all definable event conditions that the card might be expected to "see" are defined in any of the Event 1 thru Event 64 rows. This makes certain that the card will always have a defined "go-to" preset if a particular event occurs. For example, if the card is expected to "see" a 720p5994 / Dolby E5.1+2 stream or as an alternate, a 525i5994 / PCM stream, make certain both of these conditions are defined (with your desired go-to presets) in any two of the Event 1 thru Event 64 condition definition rows. 				

Table 3-2 9901-UDX Function Menu List — continued

Event Based Pre	e Sets	Audio embe Conc	o Silence (added aud lition C of	Configura lio silence the overa	tion allows patterns t Il Events-E	definition of up to 16 o be detected as Based loading.
In the example here (and also c on Emb Ch 3 thru Ch 6 falls bel reversion to stereo audio instea If Audio Silence Event as a trigg globally set to Disabled here.	In the example here (and also correlating to the example on the previous page), Audio Silence Event 1 is set to trigger if audio on Emb Ch 3 thru Ch 6 falls below the selected threshold for an interval exceeding the selected threshold (for example, a reversion to stereo audio instead of 5.1-channel audio). If Audio Silence Event as a trigger condition is not desired, it can be set to Don't Care on the Event Based Loading sub-tab, or globally set to Disabled here.					1 is set to trigger if audio hold (for example, a ased Loading sub-tab, or
Event Based Presets						
	Audio Silence Events Enabled Emb Chan 1 Emb Ch	an 2 Emb Chan 3	Emb Chan 4	Emb Chan 5	Emb Chan 6	•••• Emb Chan 16
Audio Silence Event 1						
Audio Silence Event 2						
:						
Audio Silence Event 16 Audio Failover Threshold (dBFS) Primary to Secondary Holdoff (ms) Secondary to Primary Holdoff (ms)	-60.0 ¢					
Event Based Loading Audio Silence Configuration						
Failover controls set the condition resumption of audio for the sele • If the selected channels mainta	ons that comprise a cted embedded cha ain levels above the	a silence event annels. e selected Auc	, and also a t	transition ba	ack to an untr	iggered condition with

- If these channels fall below the selected threshold for period specified by the **Primary to Secondary Holdoff** control, the respective Audio Silence Event trigger (condition C) goes true.
- Secondary to Primary Holdoff control sets the time in which the trigger is revoked upon an event false condition. Note: Default threshold and holdoff settings shown here are recommended for typical use.

Audio Routing with GPI Control Example

Figure 3-7 shows an example of using the 9901-UDX Routing controls, upmix/loudness processing controls, and GPI controls to:

- Route an embedded network main 5.1-channel feed through the card (Emb Ch 1 thru Ch 6), but conditionally provide upmixing if the 5.1-channel complement is stereo audio only. Also, apply loudness processing before re-embedding it into the output SDI path.
- Provide stereo loudness processing for a network SAP stereo feed, and re-embed this pair into its original location (Emb Ch 7, 8).
- Provide the ability to replace the network main audio with that from a Local Insertion AES pair (AES pair 1) using a preset invoked by a ground closure on **GPI 1**.
- Provide the ability to replace the both the network main audio and SAP audio with that from an EAS receiver on AES pair 2 using a preset invoked by a ground closure on **GPI 2**.

A thru E on sheets 2 through 4 show the setups using the DashBoard[™] tabs to accomplish the setup shown in sheet 1. Sheet 5 shows the use of presets to define the setups, and provide for GPI automated triggering of these setups.

Note that the source, internal bus, and destination correlations shown here are only examples; **any** source can route to **any** destination.



Figure 3-7 Audio Routing Example (Sheet 1 of 5)



Figure 3-7 Audio Routing Example (Sheet 2 of 5)



Figure 3-7 Audio Routing Example (Sheet 3 of 5)

Local insertion audio (from AES Ch 1/2 and now on Bus Ch 9/10) can replace the main program 5.1 audio with the routing shown below right. Because of the flexibility of the internal bus structure, the AES pair now replaces the main program audio and follows the same processing path as that used for the main 5.1 audio, with no other "downstream" routing changes required.

With the unused upmixer input channels set to silence, this will force an upmix of the received stereo pair in this example. This routing change performed on the **Upmixing** tab can be accomplished using a preset, allowing a single-button action to effect this routing. Incorporating this preset with the card **GPI** controls, this routing change can be automated.



Similar to the above example, EAS local insertion audio (from AES Ch 3/4 and now on Bus Ch 11/12) can replace the main program 5.1 and SAP audio (and AES local insertion, if active) with the routing shown above right. In this example, it is desired to route the EAS audio directly to the destination embedded output channels. This routing change is performed on the **Output Audio Routing/Controls** and can furthermore be automated when a preset is used in conjunction with a card GPI input (typically, an EAS receiver device has a logic signal output for this purpose).



Figure 3-7 Audio Routing Example (Sheet 4 of 5)

Using the Presets and GPI Controls tabs, normal setup (shown in A thru C on the previous sheets), Presets AES Local Insertion (shown in **D** in the previous sheets), and EAS Insertion (shown in **E** in the previous sheets) can be invoked using GPI 1 and GPI 2 card inputs as described here. Preset 1 norm • Normal setup routing (A thru C) can be saved into Preset 1 ("norm"). This preset can be invoked to recall normal embedded routing following any GPI-invoked routing. AES local insertion Preset 2 • AES Local Insertion routing changes (D) can be saved into Preset 2 ("AES local insertion"). Preset 3 EAS insertion • EAS Insertion routing changes (E) can be saved into Preset 3 ("EAS insertion"). **GPIO Controls** The GPI Controls tab can then be set to invoke Preset 2 ("AES local insertion") upon a GPI Codina Binary \checkmark GPI 1 closure (if GPI 2 is open), or invoke Preset 3 ("EAS insertion") unconditionally upon GPI State Preset N a GPI 2 closure as shown to the right. Preset 1 applied to GPI 1 Open / GPI 2 Open recalls GPI 1-Closed / GPI 2-Closed the normal routing following a GPI-invoked preset. ~ 3 GPI 1-Closed / GPI 2-Open 2 \sim Refer to GPIO Controls (p. 3-54) for more information about GPI coding and rules setting. GPI 1-Open / GPI 2-Closed \sim GPI 1-Open / GPI 2-Open V If GPI 1 closes and GPI 2 is open (as set by the GPI Controls settings shown above), Preset 2 ("AES local insertion") would be invoked resulting in the routing changes shown below right. These are the routing changes saved to Preset 2 (and described in D) that replace the normal embedded channel routing with the AES local insertion pair. Upmixina Bus Ch 1 Bus Ch 2 Bus Ch 3 Bus Ch 9 Bus Ch 10 \sim Silence Bus Ch 4 Bus Ch 5 Bus Ch 6 Silence \sim Silence V Silence ~ Mode Auto ~ Auto Auto Mode Auto Mode Status If GPI 2 closes (as set by the GPI Controls settings shown above), Preset 3 ("EAS insertion") would be invoked resulting in the routing changes shown below right. These are the routing changes saved to Preset 3 (and described in E) that replace the normal embedded channel routing (and AES local insertion routing if active) with the EAS insertion pair. **Output Audio Routing/Controls** Source LP51 L V Ω Emb Ch 1 0.0 Bus Ch 11 ~ Emb Ch -80.0 30.0 20.0 -80.0 LP51 R ~ Emb Ch 2 0.0 Bus Ch 12 ~ Emb Ch 2 80.0 -80 0 LP51 C \sim Emb Ch 3 0.0 Silence \sim Emb Ch 3 0.0 -80.0 -30.0 20.0 -80.0 .30.0 \sim LP51 LFE Emb Ch 4 Silence \sim 80.0 Emb Ch 4 0.0 -80.0 LP511.s \sim 0.0 Emb Ch 5 Silence \sim Emb Ch 5 0.0 🗘 -80.0 30.0 20.0 -80.0 30.0 LP51 Rs \sim Emb Ch 6 0.0 ~ Silence Emb Ch 6 0.0 -80.0 80.0 LP2 L \sim Emb Ch 7 Bus Ch 11 \sim 0.0 🗘 Emb Ch -80.0 30.0 0.0 -80.0 -30.0 LP2 R \sim Emb Ch 8 0.0 Bus Ch 12 \sim 80.0 Emh Ch 8 0.0 -30.0 20.0 80.0 .30.0 Emb Audio Out AES Audio Out



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Troubleshooting

This section provides general troubleshooting information and specific symptom/corrective action for the 9901-UDX card and its remote control interface. The 9901-UDX card requires no periodic maintenance in its normal operation; if any error indication (as described in this section) occurs, use this section to correct the condition.

Error and Failure Indicator Overview

The 9901-UDX card itself and its remote control systems all (to varying degrees) provide error and failure indications. Depending on how the 9901-UDX card is being used (i.e, standalone or network controlled through DashBoardTM or a Remote Control Panel), check all available indications in the event of an error or failure condition.

The various 9901-UDX card and remote control error and failure indicators are individually described below.

- **Note:** The descriptions below provide general information for the various status and error indicators. For specific failures, also use the appropriate subsection listed below.
 - Basic Troubleshooting Checks (p. 3-69)
 - 9901-UDX Processing Error Troubleshooting (p. 3-69)
 - Troubleshooting Network/Remote Control Errors (p. 3-72)

9901-UDX Card Edge Status/Error Indicators and Display

Figure 3-8 shows and describes the 9901-UDX card edge status indicators and display. These indicators and the display show status and error conditions relating to the card itself and remote (network) communications (where applicable). Because these indicators are part of the card itself and require no external interface, the indicators are particularly useful in the event of communications problems with external devices such as network remote control devices.



Figure 3-8 9901-UDX Card Edge Status Indicators and Display

DashBoard[™] Status/Error Indicators and Displays

Figure 3-9 shows and describes the DashBoardTM status indicators and displays. These indicator icons and displays show status and error conditions relating to the 9901-UDX card itself and remote (network) communications.

Indicator Icon or Display	Error Description
MFC-8320-N 5N: 00108053 Slot 0: MFC-8310-N Slot 6: 9901-UDX	Red indicator icon in Card Access/Navigation Tree pane shows card with Error condition (in this example, the Card Access/Navigation Tree pane shows a genera error issued by the 9901-UDX card in slot 6).
9901-UDX Card state: • No connection to device. Connection: • OFFLINE	Specific errors are displayed in the Card Info pane (in this example "No connection to device" indicating 9901-UDX card is not connecting to frame/LAN).
Gain (dB)	If the 9901-UDX card is not connecting to the frame or LAN, all controls are grayed-out (as shown in the example here).
Slot 0: MFC-8320-N SN: 00108053 Slot 0: MFC-8320-N Slot 6: 9901-UDX	Gray indicator icon in Card Access/Navigation Tree pane shows card(s) are not being seen by DashBoard™ due to lack of connection to frame LAN (in this example, both a 9901-UDX card in slot 6 and the MFC-8320-N Network Controller Card for its frame in slot 0 are not being seen).
	Yellow indicator icon in Card Access/Navigation Tree pane shows card with Alert condition (in this example, the Card Access/Navigation Tree pane shows a genera alert issued by the MFC-8320-N Network Controller Card).
MFC-8320-N Card state: O Fan Door Open Connection: ONLINE	Clicking the card slot position in the Card Access/Navigation Tree (in this example Network Controller Card "Slot 0: MFC-8320-N") opens the Card Info pane for the selected card. In this example, a "Fan Door Open" specific error is displayed.
Video 🔵 Input Invalid	Yellow indicator icon in 9901-UDX Card Info pane shows error alert, along with cause for alert (in this example, the 9901-UDX is receiving no video input, or a vide input that is invalid for the card and/or its current settings).

Figure 3-9 DashBoard[™] Status Indicator Icons and Displays

Access the Card Info pane for a specific card by clicking the card slot position in the Card Access/Navigation Tree pane (as shown in the example in Figure 3-10).



Figure 3-10 Selecting Specific Cards for Card Info Status Display

Basic Troubleshooting Checks

Failures of a general nature (affecting many cards and/or functions simultaneously), or gross inoperability errors are best addressed first by performing basic checks before proceeding further. Table 3-3 provides basic system checks that typically locate the source of most general problems. If required and applicable, perform further troubleshooting in accordance with the other troubleshooting tables in this section.

Item	Checks
Verify for power presence	On both the frame Network Controller Card and the 9901-UDX, in all cases when power is being properly supplied there is always at least one indicator illuminated. Any card showing no illuminated indicators should be cause for concern.
Check Cable connection secureness and connecting points	Make certain all cable connections are fully secure (including coaxial cable attachment to cable ferrules on BNC connectors). Also, make certain all connecting points are as intended. Make certain the selected connecting points correlate to the intended card inputs and/or outputs. Cabling mistakes are especially easy to make when working with large I/O modules.
Card seating within slots	Make certain all cards are properly seated within its frame slot. (It is best to assure proper seating by ejecting the card and reseating it again.)
Check status indicators and displays	On both DashBoard [™] and the 9901-UDX card edge indicators, red indications signify an error condition. If a status indicator signifies an error, proceed to the following tables in this section for further action.
Troubleshoot by substitution	All cards within the frame can be hot-swapped, replacing a suspect card or module with a known-good item.

Table 3-3 Basic Troubleshooting Checks

9901-UDX Processing Error Troubleshooting

Table 3-4 provides 9901-UDX processing troubleshooting information. If the 9901-UDX card exhibits any of the symptoms listed in Table 3-4, follow the troubleshooting instructions provided.

In the majority of cases, most errors are caused by simple errors where the 9901-UDX is not appropriately set for the type of signal being received by the card.

- **Note:** The error indications shown below are typical for the corresponding error conditions listed. Other error indications not specified here may also be displayed on DashBoard[™] and/or the 9901-UDX card edge status indicators.
- **Note:** Where errors are displayed on both the 9901-UDX card and network remote controls, the respective indicators and displays are individually described in this section.

Symptom	Error/Condition	Corrective Action
 DashBoard[™] shows Video yellow icon and Input Invalid message in 9901-UDX Card Info pane. Video □ Input Invalid 	No video input present	Make certain intended video source is connected to appropriate 9901-UDX card video input. Make certain BNC cable connections between frame Rear I/O Module for the card and signal source are OK.
Card edge Input Format LEDs show continuous cycling.		
 DashBoard[™] shows none in Reference message in 9901-UDX Card Info pane. Reference none 	Frame sync reference not properly selected or not being received	 If external frame sync reference is not intended to be used, make certain the Framesync Mode selection list is set to Free Run or Input Video as desired. If external frame sync reference is intended to be used, make certain selected external frame sync reference is active on frame sync frame bus. (External reference signals Reference 1 and Reference 2 are distributed to the 9901-UDX and other cards via a the frame bus.)
		Refer to Framesync function menu tab on page 3-21 for more information.
Card does not pass video or audio as expected. Control settings spontaneously changed from expected settings.	Event-based preset inadvertently invoked	Event-based preset loading should be set to Disabled if this function is not to be used. Read and understand this control description before using these controls to make sure engagement for all expected conditions is considered. See Event Based Preset Loading (p. 3-57) for more information.
		Audio routing can be affected by failover controls that are located on the Audio Bus Input/Routing tab. See Audio Bus Input Routing/ Controls (p. 3-34) for more information.
Video/audio synchronization or delay noted.	Source synchronization condition	Use the Audio/Video Delay Offset controls to compensate for video/audio delay.
		Refer to Audio Bus Input Routing/Controls function menu tab on page 3-34 for more information.
Ancillary data (closed captioning, timecode, Dolby [®] metadata, AFD) not transferred through 9901-UDX.	VANC line number conflict between two or more ancillary data items.	Make certain each ancillary data item to be passed is assigned a unique line number (see Ancillary Data Line Number Locations and Ranges on page 3-9).
AES audio not processed or passed through card.	AES Port Direction Select not set to match intended use for	Each AES channel pair has port direction selectors that set the AES as input or output.
	AES rear module port.	Make certain port is set as input or output, as intended, in accordance with Output Audio Routing/Controls (p. 3-44).

Table 3-4 Troubleshooting Processing Errors by Symptom

Symptom	Error/Condition	Corrective Action
Analog audio not processed or passed through card.	Analog input/output DIP switches not set to match intended use for analog rear module port.	Each analog channel corresponding to rear module analog audio ports has input/output port direction selectors that set the AES as input or output.
		Make certain port is set as input or output, as intended, in accordance with Setting I/O Switches for Analog Audio (1-8) Ports (p. 2-1).
(+ENCD , +ENCE options only) Encoder will not accept external RS-485 metadata.	RS-485 A and B signals reversed ("flipped").	Conventions using RS-485 are not always consistent across devices. If the A and B differential feeds are reversed, the encoder will not recognize the signal.
		This card uses the following convention per EIA-485: A is inverting (–) pin B is non-inverting (+) pin G is ground/common
		Reversing the A and B connections in this error case typically solves this problem.
Card will not retain user settings, or setting changes or presets spontaneously invoke.	GPI Controls tab GPI Coding set to Binary with no controlled GPI source connected to GPI inputs	 If GPI is not to be used, make certain GPI Coding control on GPI Controls tab is set to Disabled. (If control is left on Binary with no inputs, the pull-up HI logic state on the open inputs will be interpreted as two "HI's" on the inputs, resulting in an invoked preset).
	Event Based Loading sub-tab inadvertently set to trigger on event	• If event based loading is not to be used, make certain Event Based Presets is disabled (either using master Enable/Disable control or through events settings. See Event Based Preset Loading (p. 3-57) for more information.
Card spontaneously disconnects from remote control; card	Card software error	 In the extremely unlikely case this error occurs, the card will display
displays red error card-edge LED		Slot 18: 9901-UDX Card state: O Log status A critical Error has occurred
		Connection: ONLINE
		 Go to the Log tab and follow the on-screen instructions to download the generated log file to connected computer. After the file downloads, the card reboots and the error indication will be cleared.
		 Send the log file to Cobalt product support. Cobalt Engineering will analyze the log and typically respond with corrective action.

 Table 3-4
 Troubleshooting Processing Errors by Symptom — continued

Troubleshooting Network/Remote Control Errors

Refer to Cobalt[®] reference guide "Remote Control User Guide" (PN 9000RCS-RM) for network/remote control troubleshooting information.

What To Do If Your Card Locks Up

In very rare cases of the card locking up during a firmware upgrade (such as power interruption during a card firmware upgrade), the card can be set to boot from its non-volatile file ("safe image") held in card ROM.

When the safe image is loaded, the card is now rebooted/unlocked and can receive a target firmware upgrade .bin file (which, if not stored on your computer can be downloaded from **Support>Firmware Download** link at www.cobaltdigital.com).

Perform the following steps **in the order listed** as necessary until normal operation is restored.



In Case of Problems

Should any problem arise with this product that was not solved by the information in this section, please contact the Cobalt Digital Inc. Technical Support Department.

If required, a Return Material Authorization number (RMA) will be issued to you, as well as specific shipping instructions. If required, a temporary replacement item will be made available at a nominal charge. Any shipping costs incurred are the customer's responsibility. All products shipped to you from Cobalt Digital Inc. will be shipped collect.

The Cobalt Digital Inc. Technical Support Department will continue to provide advice on any product manufactured by Cobalt Digital Inc., beyond the warranty period without charge, for the life of the product.

See Contact Cobalt Digital Inc. (p. 1-34) in Chapter 1, "Introduction" for contact information.

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