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Ultra 60

Designed for Live!

Ultra 60 builds on the Ross Video reputation for designing switchers for live studios, trucks, and post-production. At the center of the action, it is important that the switcher be powerful and versatile, yet maintain its ease of operation. This frees the operator to concentrate on the programming instead of the equipment, delivering a cleaner, more professional production.

The Ultra series improves on the highly popular Carbonite Black series by bringing more I/O and more features.

Designed for Automation!

The Ultra series of switchers support the highly advanced OverDrive[®] Caprica automated production control system. Caprica takes advantage of the years of device integration that Ross[®] has developed in the large switcher product lines and puts it into an independent server. The Caprica server takes the place of the production switcher for controlling over 200 additional production elements (such as robotics, graphics, audio mixers, servers, etc.), timing the show and creating production macros.

Designed for Linear!

The Ultra series of switchers continues to build on Ross[®] Video's reputation for setting the standard for multi-definition linear editing suites. The traditional layout and familiar controls of other Ross[®] switchers provide the power and ease of use you have come to expect.

Ultra 60 cleanly connects to virtually any editor using the industry standard GVG100/110 protocols.

Designed for You!

With Ross[®] Video products installed in well over 125 countries world-wide, our sales, demonstration, and training people get a lot of ongoing feedback from customers. This feedback is carefully tracked and considered in the design and feature-set development of our products. Key members of the design teams are part of an ongoing program in which they provide product demonstrations, assist with product installation,

and train operators. As a result, the complete line of Ross Video products continues to offer our legendary combination of power and ease of use.

Join our Growing Customer Base!

Deciding to purchase a Ultra 60 switcher will put you in good company, with many thousands of Ross switchers installed worldwide. Carbonite continues to build on a family of multi-definition switchers that have been delivering the goods every day in live sports, stadium scoreboards, and drama productions, mobile productions, as well as local and network newscasts.

Experience Great Support!

Ross[®] has designed and manufactured production switchers for over 45 years, with significant year over year growth for the past 30 years. We believe that an important factor of our success is our focus on providing a superior customer experience. We continually benchmark our warranty and technical support to ensure that they are the best in the industry.

We hope that you join the many thousands of satisfied video professionals around the world that are proud owners of Ross[®] production switchers. Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or comments you have related to this Configuration Guide at Tel: +1-613-652-4886, Fax: +1-613-652-4425 or email us at solutions@rossvideo.com.

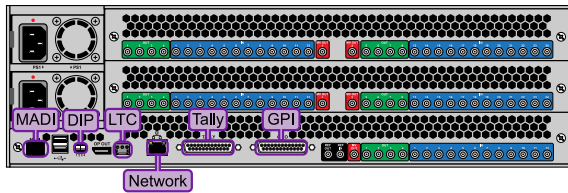
Feature Enhancements

A number of features have been added, or updated, to this version of software. This section provides a brief introduction to these features, and how to use them.

v8.0.0 Features

Ultra 60

Support has been added for the new Ultra 60 switcher.



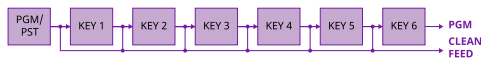
Features

Thank you for your interest in the Ross® Carbonite Family of Production Switchers. The Ultra 60 builds on the Ross® reputation for designing switchers that fit the needs of any production environment.

Clean Feed Output

Clean feed is typically used for bilingual and live-to-tape productions. It provides a second Program output that is derived from a different location than the standard program output. A frequent application is the recording of shows for later airing without call-in phone numbers inserted.

The clean feed output can come from before or between the keyers.



Expandable I/O

Ultra 60 is the first in the Carbonite family to offer expandable I/O by installing up to two Ultra 60 I/O boards. Each Ultra 60 I/O adds 24 inputs, 8 outputs, and 2 I/O MultiViewer outputs to the switcher.

Custom Controls

This feature brings the power of macros to the switcher operator. Button presses, menu selections, event commands, or even the switcher state can be recorded to a custom control with pauses or holds between the events. A simple button press can play these events back again. Step through complex show openings as easily as pressing Custom Control buttons 1, 2, then 3.

Sequencer

The switcher has 5 Sequencers that allow you to create a playlist or rundown of custom events, much like custom controls. Each Sequencers can be run independently or linked to other Sequencers so that they all advance together. The Sequencer uses sequences to store the rundown of events. These sequence files can be loaded into one or multiple Sequencers.

Tip: You can link multiple Sequencers together so that as you advance through one, the other Sequencers will advance.

Device Control

The switcher can control a number of external devices, such as video servers and robotic cameras. For a complete list of supported devices, and information on how to set up and control these devices, visit the Ross Video website

(rossvideo.com/production-switchers/carbonite/interface-list).

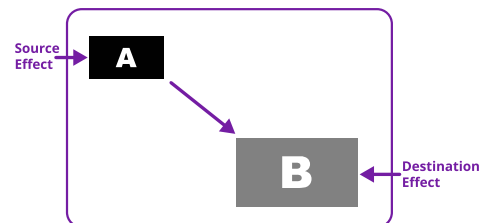
Device setup can be done through DashBoard.

DVE (Fly Key)

The advanced 2D DVE comes standard with each switcher, and can be used for performing over the shoulder, or picture in picture shots. This allows all key types to be zoomed, cropped, and repositioned horizontally and vertically to create the look you want, or you can use one of the useful pre-built 2D effects to perform 2D background transitions.

Effects Dissolve

The Effects Dissolve feature allows you to interpolate from one memory to another using a memory recall. The switcher will interpolate from the starting memory to the destination memory, creating a smooth, two key frame effect.



Only elements such as clip level and pattern position can be interpolated in the effects dissolve. Other elements, such as crosspoint selection, pattern, and next transition data are recalled first, and then the switcher will slew to the recalled memory.

An effects dissolve can be performed on as many elements and MEs as required, based on the memory that is being recalled.

General Purpose Interface (GPI)

The switcher is equipped with 24 GPI I/Os that can be assigned as either an input or output independently.

The GPI inputs allow the switcher to interface with peripheral equipment such as editors. Each

GPI input can be used to perform simple editing and switcher functions such as fade to black or an auto transition.

LiveEDL

Edit Decision Lists (EDL) are files used by non-linear editing (NLE) suites to aid in post-production. Your switcher can capture EDL data in a file that you load into your NLE suite.

For information on using the LiveEDL feature, visit the Ross Video Website (rossvideo.com).

Matte Generator

A matte generator per ME comes standard. Any one of the color generators can be assigned to MATTE. An additional simple color generator is available for an Aux Bus.

ME Effect System

The ME (Multi-level Effect) systems are standard. The number of MEs depends on the chosen switcher model.

Each ME provides independent keyers supporting pattern mask, box mask, self-key, linear key.

Media-Store

Each channel of Media-Store provides a combined video with alpha for playout of stills and animations that are available switcher-wide, allowing for thousands of full screen stills and logos that can be cached and used on the switcher.

Media-Store provides 12 GB of distributed cache. The Media-Store cache is broken into 3×4 GB blocks. Channels 1,4,7 have access to the first block; 2,5,8 have access to the second; and 3,6 have access to the last.

The number of images cached increases considerably when smaller, non-full screen images like logos are loaded from USB.

MediaManager

The MediaManager allows you to easily manage stills and animations on the switcher in a graphics interface.

MediaWipe

A MediaWipe allows you to use an animation, with audio, from the Media-Store to play over a background or key transition. When the transition starts, the switcher plays the selected animation and audio over top of the background and keys that are being transitioned. A cut, dissolve, wipe, or DVE wipe is then performed layered under the animation to bring up the next shot when the animation ends. The audio is embedded with a video stream from the audio mixer.

MemoryAI Recall Mode

We take the guessing out of memory recalls by ensuring that a memory recall will not affect what is currently on-air. MemoryAI uses the content of the memory to configure the Next Transition area and Preview bus for the background and keyers so that the next transition takes the same sources on-air that were on-air in the memory.

For example, store a memory that has a key on-air with CAM1 and CAM2 selected on the background. When this memory is recalled normally, it pops the same key on-air with CAM1 and CAM2 on the background. When the memory is recalled with MemoryAI turned on, CAM1 is selected on the preset bus, and CAM2 is selected on a key that is not on-air. The transition area is then set up for a background transition to bring CAM2 onto the background, take any on-air keys off, and take a key on-air with CAM1.

Memory System

Storage for 100 complete switcher snapshots per ME, MiniME™, and Canvas comes standard with all switchers. All of these memories can be stored to a USB media drive, providing custom tailored memories for every operator and every show.

MiniME™

The MiniME™ is an additional ME that is provided with the switcher to perform basic dissolves and cuts. Each MiniME™ has keyer, background, and preset buses. Unlike a full ME, the MiniME™ only supports dissolves and cuts. The MiniME™ shares all the same sources as the ME.

UltraScene (HD Only)

UltraScene provides a simplified interface for creating a show with multiple key layers and basic transitions. UltraScene consists of 4 scenes that share 8 layers in 4 layer pairs. Layers can only be added in pairs, so a scene can have 2, 4, 6, or 8 layers. Each layer is set up like a keyer with a video source, alpha, and key type. Each layer can also be turned on or off to cut the video source on or off-air. A background source is also available over which the layers are keyed, or the scene can be taken as a source on bus.

I/O Processor

The Input/Output Video Processors are independent video processing engines that allow you to perform a number of functions for video correction.

- Format Conversion (FC)
- Frame Synchronisation (FS)
- Color Correction
- Frame Delays

High Dynamic Range (HDR) and Wide Color Gamut (WCG) Conversion

The RGB color correctors are used to convert between different SDR and HDR ranges and between color gamuts (WCG).

Note: You must have available color correctors to be able perform the HDR/WCG conversion.

Supported Color Gamuts:

- **BT.709** — color gamut recommended for HD video signals.
- **BT.2020** — wide color gamut recommended for UHD TV1 video signals.

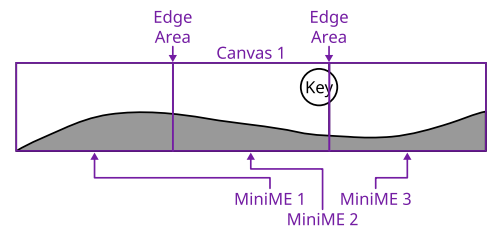
Supported Dynamic Ranges

- **SDR** — Standard Dynamic Range.
- **HLG** — Hybrid Log Gamma.
- **PQ** — Perceptual Quantizer.
- **S-Log3** — Sony® S-Log3.

MultiScreen

The MultiScreen is made up of a number of Canvas generators. Each Canvas breaks the scene up into separate outputs (MiniME™ outputs) that can be sent to independent projectors or displays to make a unified picture.

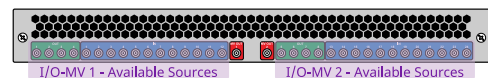
Each screen in the Canvas output uses a MiniME™ to create the background and keys of the output.



MultiViewer

Each MultiViewer allows you to view up to 16 video sources (32 with Shift), in 51 different layouts, from a single output BNC. Any video source on the switcher, including ME Program, Preview, and Media-Store channels, can be routed to any box on the Video Processor MultiViewer. All boxes on the MultiViewer output include mnemonic source names and red and green tallies.

The I/O MultiViewers can only show sources from the I/O Group that they are associated with on the same board.



The MultiViewer Shift features allows you to access a shifted set of sources for the MultiViewer by pressing the **SHIFT** button on a control panel or in ViewControl. The MultiViewer Shift functionality can only be assigned to a single panel at a time.

Each MultiViewer head supports an integrated clock that can display time of day, timecode, or a countdown timer. The position, size, and color of the clock can be adjusted.

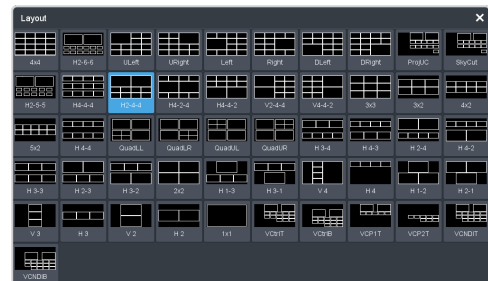


Figure 1: HD Layouts



Figure 2: MultiViewer Grid

ViewControl

The ViewControl touchscreen interface through DashBoard allows you to select sources on switcher buses, perform transitions, and run custom controls to recall memories or control external devices. The MultiViewer Shift function allows you to assign sources to a shifted set of MultiViewer boxes, expanding the number of sources available on ViewControl from 16 to 32.

Tip: It is recommended that the large Preview and Program boxes not be assigned shifted sources as they will follow the bus selecting.

ViewControl takes the MultiViewer output of the switcher and overlays the DashBoard interface over it. Bringing the MultiViewer output into DashBoard is accomplished either by using multiple SDI/HDMI™ converters or a single SDI to NDI® converter.

OverDrive® Caprica Support

Ultra 60 can be controlled from OverDrive® using the Caprica interface. This interface allows OverDrive® to perform memory recalls, transitions, and run custom controls on the switcher. For information on setting up Caprica to interface with the switcher, refer to the documentation that came with your Caprica server.

Pattern and Matte Generators

A single pattern generator dedicated to wipes comes standard, and is equipped with 10 classic wipes. Most wipes can be rotated, bordered, multiplied, aspectized, and repositioned.

Tally Outputs

The switcher has 24 assignable tally transistors located in the rack frame. Each tally can be assigned to any number of combinations of input and output or bus.

UltraChrome

The UltraChrome 2 chroma keyer uses independent chroma key engines to produce the video and alpha components of the key. These internal video streams can be composited in a keyer, or fed out two separate video streams to an external device, such as a video server.

XPression Live CG

Seamlessly combine the creative power of the Ross® XPression Designer software with the ease of use of your Ross® switcher. Create stunning still graphics using XPression Designer, and transfer them directly to a media-store channel on the switcher using the RossLinq interface. Up to four (4) channels with dedicated alpha can be controlled from the XPression Software Client. This feature supports still images only.

Each switcher comes with a single license of XPression. Additional licenses can be ordered.

Product Comparison

Use the following table to compare the different switchers in the product line.

TouchDrive Control Panels

	TD1C	TD1	TD2	TD2S	TD3S
Control Panel					
Panel Source Buttons per Row	15	15	15	25	25
Number of User Assignable Buttons per Row	15	15	25	25	25
Number of Control Panel Rows	1	1	2	2	3
DashBoard Interface	Yes				
Touchscreen Monitor	Optional				
Integrated Touchscreen Panel Displays	Yes				
Button Colors	Full HSL				
Mnemonic Colors	20 (background and text)				
Source Mnemonic Icons	Yes				
Legendary Ross Fader Handle with Lifetime Guarantee	Yes				
Positioner	Z Axis				
In Row Memory Keypad	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Engineering and Networking					
Redundant Power	Yes (optional)				
Ethernet Connectivity	1 × GigE				
USB	4 × USB 2.0, 1 × USB 3.0				

Ultra 60 Frames

Ultra 60	
Frame	
Separate Rack Frame	Yes
Rack Frame Height	3 RU
Redundant Power	Yes (optional)
Power Supplies	Internal Power Supply Module
Video Input/Output	
UHDTV1 Video Formats	-future release-
HD Video Formats	1080p 23.98/24/25/29.97/30/50/59.94/60 1080pSF 23.98/24/25/29.97/30 1080i 50/59.94 720p 50/59.94
SD Video Formats	-future release-
HD-BNC Inputs (max)	60 ²
HDMI Inputs	0
Analog Inputs	0
HD-BNC Outputs (max)	20 ²
Clean Feed System	Yes
Input Reference Format	Internal / Black Burst / Tri-Level
Reference Inputs	1
Reference Outputs	1
Storage and Networking	
Media-Store Storage	1 × USB
Media-Store CACHE	12 GB ³
Audio Only Payout for Media-Store	Yes ⁴
Ethernet Connectivity	1 × GigE
Linux [®] OS	Yes
Peripheral Interfacing	
Device Control	Yes
OverDrive [®] Caprica Compatible	Yes
Roll Clip Control	AMP/RossTalk/GPI Output
Serial Ports	0
Ethernet Serial Port Expanders	Control [®] DeviceMaster [®] RTS Series

Ultra 60	
Automation and Editor Protocols	RossTalk/GVG100/OGP
GPI I/Os	24
Tallies	24
USB Ports	3 × USB 3.0

Notes

¹ The number of actual SDI input and output signals depends on the mode (SD, HD, or UHDTV1) that the switcher is operating in and what software options have been installed.

² The number of SDI inputs and outputs depends on the number of Ultra 60 I/O boards installed.

³ The Media-Store cache is broken into 3 × 4GB blocks. Channels 1,3,7 have access to the first block, 2,4,8 have access to the second, and 5,6 have access to the last.

⁴ Only Media-Store channels 1 and 2 support audio.

Options and Configurations

Options are typically ordered when the switcher is purchased. However, you can order options if your needs change in the future. Most of our options can be easily installed in the field. You can take comfort in knowing that you can purchase options in the future and that installation at your site will be a smooth process.

TouchDrive Panels

TouchDrive Control Panel

Select the control panel that meets the needs of your production environment.

Option	Description
TD1C-PANEL	A compact rack-mountable panel with 15 source buttons, 15 user select buttons (plus 3 in the transition area), independent keyer and transitions areas, updated 3-knob menu interface, and an advanced z-axis positioner.
TD1-PANEL	The same features as the TD1C panel but in a standard panel row design.
TD2-PANEL	The same features as the TD1 panel, but with 2 panel rows.
TD2S-PANEL	The same features as the TD2 panel, but with 25 source buttons, 25 user select buttons (plus 3 in the transition area), and an Acuity® style memory area with keypad and rate buttons.
TD3S-PANEL	The same features as the TD2S panel, but with 3 panel rows.

Note: The TouchDrive control panels do not come with power supplies. You must pick either a standard brick power supply (CUF-PSU), or a rack power option (CUF-RACKPWR) to provide power for the control panel.

TouchScreen Display

A 15.6-inch 1920×1080 touchscreen monitor that connects directly to the TouchDrive control panel for power, DashBoard interface, and touch-control.

Note: A separate VESA®-100 (VESA® MIS-D, 100, C) mounting arm is required for the display.

Option	Description
TD-TOUCHSCREEN	The 15.6-inch touchscreen monitor.

Note: Third party touchscreens are not supported. If you want to use a different display with the TouchDrive control panel, it must be a standard display used in conjunction with a mouse and keyboard.

Power Supplies

Note: The TouchDrive control panel does not come with a power supply. You must pick either a standard brick power supply (CUF-PSU), or a rack power option (CUF-RACKPWR) to provide power for the control panel.

The redundant power supply options provides protection against AC power failure. It allows two external power supplies to receive power from independent power sources. Complete failure of one source, or power supply, will not affect standard operations. If the main AC power fails, power is drawn from the remaining source. The transition from one power source to the other is totally transparent and has no effect on operations; a critical feature should one power source fail during an on-air broadcast.

Tip: You can order a second CUF-PSU option to provide redundant power for the control panel.

Option	Description
CUF-PSU	Adds a brick power supply for the control panel.
CUF-RACKPWR	Adds the Ultrapower rack power supply for the control panel.

Extended Warranty

This extends the standard one-year warranty on your control panel by one year. Additional years can be purchased if required.

Option	Description
TD1C-PANEL-HM	Adds an additional year of warranty to the TD1C control panel.
TD1-PANEL-HM	Adds an additional year of warranty to the TD1 control panel.
TD2-PANEL-HM	Adds an additional year of warranty to the TD2 control panel.
TD2S-PANEL-HM	Adds an additional year of warranty to the TD2S control panel.
TD3S-PANEL-HM	Adds an additional year of warranty to the TD3S control panel.

Option	Description
TD-TOUCHSCREEN-HM	Adds an additional year of warranty to the touchscreen display.

Frames

Ultra 60 Frame (CUF3-112)

The Ultra 60 comes standard with the following in HD video mode:

- 1 ME
- 4 MiniME™ Engines
- 4 UltraScene Scenes
- 12 input HD-BNCs
- 4 output HD-BNCs
- 1 Reference Input
- 1 Reference Output
- 2 Video Processor MultiViewer Outputs
- 1 Dedicated I/O MultiViewer Output
- 12 I/O Processors
- 24 GPI I/Os
- 24 Tallies
- 1 MADI Port
- 1 LTC Output

Power Supplies

The redundant power supply options provides protection against AC power failure. It allows two power supplies to receive power from independent power sources. Complete failure of one source, or power supply, will not affect the operation of the switcher. If the main AC power fails, the switcher instantly draws power from the remaining source. The transition from one power source to the other is totally transparent and has no effect on the output of the switcher; a critical feature should one power source fail during an on-air broadcast.

Tip: You can order a second CUF3-PSU option to provide redundant power for the frame.

Option	Description
CUF3-PSU	Adds a second internal power supply module for the frame.

ME Upgrade

Ultra 60 comes standard with 1 HD ME (ME P/P) and can be expanded to 3 HD MEs.

Note: The ME options are added through DashBoard using license keys and can be increased at any time.

Option	HD
Base System	1 ME
CUF3-ADD-ME2	2 (1+1) MEs
CUF3-ADD-ME3	3 (2+1) MEs

I/O Processor Upgrade

The Input/Output Video Processors are independent video processing engines that allow you to perform FSFC and color correction functions on specific inputs or outputs. Once an I/O Processor has been assigned to an input or output, it can be used to frame sync, format convert, frame delay, and color correct.

Ultra 60 comes standard with 12 Input Processors and 4 Output Processors that can be assigned to any input or output in the system.

Note: The I/O Processor options are added through DashBoard using license keys and can be increased at any time.

Option	Description
CUF3-ADD-I/OPLUS	Add 12 Input Processors and 4 Output Processors that can be assigned to any input or output.

Tip: You can add up to 4 CUF3-ADD-I/OPLUS options to the Ultra 60.

RAVE Audio Mixer

RAVE (Ross Audio Video Engine) breaks the mold of uninspired audio capability in all-in-one production systems. RAVE includes internal audio routing and output channel shuffling, together with a hardware-based 24bit digital audio production mixer.

All audio streams are 24bit at 48kHz and can be controlled from DashBoard.

The 1RU Audio Breakout Unit (ABU) provides a number of analog and AES input and output ports. The analog inputs have direct control over up to 60dB of gain, up to 14 frames of audio delay, phantom power on/off, and 20dB pad on/off per input. These audio inputs and outputs are fed back and forth to the switcher as embedded audio in the SDI-Audio Loop.

Option	Description
CUF3-RAVE-AUDIO	Add the RAVE audio mixer.

Option	Description
CUF3-RAVE-AUDIO-BUNDLE	Add the RAVE audio mixer and a single ABU-12G.

MIDI Panel

RAVE supports a standard USB MIDI interface for the Behringer X-TOUCH COMPACT MIDI panel, but other untested USB MIDI or standard MIDI interface devices can be used.

The Behringer X-TOUCH COMPACT MIDI panel interface supports the control of audio levels, and other mixer functions, as well as EQ/CL. Preconfigured layouts based on the RAVE audio mixer are provided.

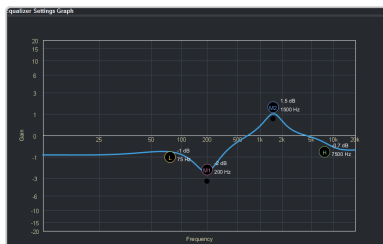
The MIDI controller is used to control the RAVE audio mixer through Dashboard.

Noise Gate (NG)

The audio noise gate allows you to attenuate audio levels that are below a set threshold. These are often used to reduce background noise from the audio output signal. The noise gate does not remove the noise, but attenuates the entire signal when it is below the set threshold. When the input audio level is below the threshold the noise gate is closed and the attenuation is applied. When the input audio level passes above the threshold, the gate opens and the attenuation is removed. You can adjust how quickly the attenuation is removed once the threshold is surpassed as well as how quickly it is applied when the audio level drops below the threshold.

Audio Equalization (EQ)

The audio equalizer (EQ) allows you to enhance the sound quality of audio sources. An independent stereo equalizer is available for every audio fader in the system and allows for adjustment in four bands (low-shelf, mid-range 1/2, high-shelf).



The EQ graph allows you to visualize the EQ adjustments as well as actively change them on the graph.

Tip: You can change the processing order of the EQ and CL.

Compressor/Limiter (CL)

The audio compressor allows you to restrict audio levels from passing a threshold level. These are often used to prevent digital clipping of audio levels that are too high for output equipment. Once the threshold is reached, the compressor starts to reduce the gain at a specific ratio. The higher the compression ratio, the harsher the reduction in gain. The compression continues until the audio level falls below the threshold. You can adjust how quickly the compressor is applied once the threshold is surpassed as well as how long after the level drops below the threshold that the compressor is still applied.

Tip: You can change the processing order of the EQ and CL.

1RU Audio Breakout Unit (ABU)

The 1RU Audio Breakout Unit supports the RAVE audio engine by providing dedicated analog (XLR and headphone) and AES inputs and outputs for the audio mixer. The audio signals are embedded/de-embedded into video streams going between the switcher and the ABU.



You can connect up to 3 ABUs to the switcher.

Option	Description
GRAPHITE-1RU-ABU-12G	Single ABU-12G with 8 Analog and 1 AES inputs and 5 Analog and 1 AES outputs.
CUF3-RAVE-AUDIO-BUNDLE	Add the RAVE audio mixer and a single ABU-12G.

HD-BNC to BNC Adapters

Option	Description
CUF-HDBNC-BNC	8 HD-BNC to BNC cable adapters.

Extended Warranty

This extends the standard one-year warranty on your frame and Ultra 60 I/O boards by one year. Additional years can be purchased if required.

Option	Description
CUF3-112-HW	Adds an additional year of warranty to the base frame.
CUF3-ADD-I/O-BOARD-HW	Adds an additional year of warranty to a single Ultra 60 I/O board.
Audio	
GRAPHITE-1RU-AUDBKM-ROSSCARE	Adds an additional year of warranty to the 1RU Audio Breakout Unit

Tip: The CUF3-ADD-I/O-BOARD-HW option adds an additional year of warranty to a single Ultra 60 I/O board. For example, if you have two Ultra 60 I/O boards and want to add two years of warranty to each, you must order 4 CUF3-ADD-I/O-BOARD-HW options.

Hardware Options

Ultritouch

The 2 or 4 RU rack mountable Ultritouch adaptable system control panel allows you to control some aspects of switcher operation using a DashBoard interface.

The DashBoard interface on Ultritouch provides status, buses, and custom control tabs. You must connect to the switcher from Ultritouch to be able to control the switcher functions.



Option	Description
ULTRITOUCH-2	2RU Ultritouch adaptable system control panel.
ULTRITOUCH-4	4RU Ultritouch adaptable system control panel.
ULTRITOUCH-PS	Ultritouch redundant power supply.

ACID® UltraChromeHR Camera

ACID® cameras have been designed for maximum HD performance in any studio production environment. They offer best-in-class resolution, sensitivity and signal to noise ratio, plus unique UltraChromeHR outputs for chroma key applications.

Option	Description
AC-H200-UCHR	ACID® AC-H200-UCHR camera.

Option	Description
AC-Z50-UCHR	ACID® AC-Z50-UCHR camera.

Remote Panels

This option provides external control for selecting sources on an Aux bus from a remote panel. There are a number of options for the remote control panels, depending on your requirements.

Option	Description
RCP-ME	Adds the 40 source button ethernet enabled RCP-ME remote control panel with integrated backlit display.
RCP-QE18	Adds the 18 mnemonic source button ethernet enabled RCP-QE18 remote control panel.
RCP-QE36	Adds the 36 mnemonic source button ethernet enabled RCP-QE36 remote control panel.

XPression Live CG (XDS0-0001-CPS)

Each switcher comes standard with a single license of XPression that provides up to two (2) channels with dedicated alpha that can be controlled from the XPression Software Client. This feature supports still images only.

The XPression Designer requires a computer with a Windows® 10 or 11 operating system and an NVIDIA® graphics card.

SHC-9642 SDI to HDMI Converter (SHC-9642)

The SHC-9642 SDI to HDMI Converter is a high-quality signal conversion solution within the family of GearLite compact, self-contained modular products. The SHC-9642 is the ideal solution for converting any SDI input signal (up to 3Gb/s) into an HDMI Type-A output format. User-selectable audio decoding is available with unbalanced, stereo analog audio outputs. Up to 16 channels of embedded audio are selectable, in stereo pairs, for de-embedding and decoding.

Tip: The SHC-9642 SDI to HDMI Converter is a great way to convert a 3Gb/s MultiViewer output to HDMI™ for external monitoring.

Training and Commissioning Options

Carbonite Onsite Operational Training

Although Ross Video switchers are designed to be as easy as possible to install and operate, training is highly recommended to ensure that the process of taking your Ross Video switcher to air is a smooth one.

Training is provided on the customer's equipment at their site. Expenses are extra, and billed at the completion of the visit. Ross Video cannot guarantee the availability of a local Trainer, as such, travel costs to all locations will be invoiced at cost. Two (2) days, or more, of training is recommended for multiple ME systems. Four (4) weeks advanced scheduling notice is required. Additional days of training can be added with the **CARBONITE-OTR-1DAY** option. Please quote one additional option for each additional day of training required.

Customers cancellation or rescheduling of on-site services without seven (7) calendar days advanced notice will incur full invoice.

Option	Description
CARBONITE-OTR-1DAY	Add 1 Day of on-site operational training.

Carbonite Online Operational Training

Sometimes you don't need the hands-on attention that having a trainer come to your facility provides. In these situations Ross Video provides comprehensive, web-based, online training.

Two (2) days, or more, of training is recommended for multiple ME systems. Four (4) weeks advanced scheduling notice is required. Additional days of training can be added with the **CARBONITE-ONL-1DAY** option. Please quote one additional option for each additional day of training required.

Customers cancellation or rescheduling of on-site services without seven (7) calendar days advanced notice will incur full invoice.

Option	Description
CARBONITE-ONL-1DAY	Add 1 Day of online operational training.

Carbonite Onsite Technical Training

On-site technical training introduces the user to some of the technical aspects of switcher operation and maintenance. This includes, but is not limited to; Basic operation, Switcher installation and configurations, Peripheral interfaces, Video signal flow, System timing requirements, Circuit block diagrams, Circuit board overviews, Jumpers and indicators, Troubleshooting tips, Software upgrading, and Routine maintenance.

Training is provided on the customer's equipment at their site. Expenses are extra, and billed at the completion of the visit. Ross Video cannot guarantee the availability of a local Trainer, as such, travel costs to all locations will be invoiced at cost. Two (2) days, or more, of training is recommended for multiple ME systems. Four (4) weeks advanced scheduling notice is required. Additional days of training can be added with the same option code. Please quote one additional option for each additional day of training required.

Option	Description
CARBONITE-OTT-1DAY	Add 1 Day of on-site technical training.

Carbonite Onsite Commissioning

On-site Commissioning is a great way to ensure that your switcher is properly installed into your facility and tuned to maximum performance.

Once the customer has installed and cabled the equipment, a Ross Commissioning expert will come on site to get the switcher configured, verify that all peripheral interfaces are operating properly, provide a basic technical orientation, and help you get on the air.

Training is provided on the customer's equipment at their site. Expenses are extra, and billed at the completion of the visit. Ross Video cannot guarantee the availability of a local Trainer, as such, travel costs to all locations will be invoiced at cost. Two (2) days, or more, of training is recommended for multiple ME systems. Four (4) weeks advanced scheduling notice is required. Additional days of training can be added with the same option code. Please quote one additional option for each additional day of training required.

Customers cancellation or rescheduling of on-site services without seven (7) calendar days advanced notice will incur full invoice.

Please note that commissioning does not replace operator or technical training. Contact your Ross representative to discuss which types of assistance are best suited to your needs.

Option	Description
CARBONITE-COM-1DAY	Add 1 Day of on-site commissioning.

Specifications

Switcher resources, video specifications, power rating, and port pinouts.

Environmental Characteristics

All Switchers	
Ambient Temperature Range	Operating: 0 - 40°C (32 - 104°F) Storage: -20 - 85°C (-4 - 185°F)

Video Input Specifications

Input Specification	Value
UHDTV1 Video Formats	-future release-
HD Video Formats	1080p 23.98/24/25/29.97/30/50/59.94/60 1080pSF 23.98/24/25/29.97/30 1080i 50/59.94 720p 50/59.94
SD Video Formats	-future release-
Dynamic Range Support (HD and UHDTV1 only)	Standard Dynamic Range (SDR) Hybrid Log Gamma (HLG) Perceptual Quantizer (PQ) Sony® S-Log3.
Color Gamut Support (HD and UHDTV1 only)	BT.709 BT.2020
Impedance	75 ohm, terminating
Video Inputs, SDI	SMPTE 259M/292M/424M/ST-2082 (non-looping)
Reference Inputs (terminating)	Standard Definition — analog black High Definition — tri-level sync

Video Output Specifications

Output Specification	Value
UHDTV1 Video Formats	-future release-
HD Video Formats	1080p 23.98/24/25/29.97/30/50/59.94/60 1080pSF 23.98/24/25/29.97/30 1080i 50/59.94 720p 50/59.94
SD Video Formats	-future release-
Video Outputs, SDI HD Mode	10-bit SMPTE-292M/424M serial digital

ABU Analog Audio Input Specifications

Analog audio inputs on the 1RU Audio Breakout Unit.

Specification	Value
Input Impedance	XLR: 2K ohm
	¼" Jack: 10K ohm
Maximum Level	+24dBu
Frequency Response	±0.3dBu (22Hz to 20kHz @ Fs = 48kHz)
Signal to Noise Ratio	-95dB
	-98dB
	-107dB
THD	>93dB or <0.002%
Amplitude Linearity	<0.8dB @ -100dBFS
Crosstalk	-94dB

ABU Analog Audio Output Specifications

Analog audio outputs on the 1RU Audio Breakout Unit.

Specification	Value
Maximum Level	+24dBu
Frequency Response	±0.4dB (22Hz to 20kHz @ Fs = 48kHz)
Signal to Noise Ratio	-103dB
THD	>93dB
Amplitude Linearity	<0.3dB @ -100dBFS
Crosstalk	-106dB (20Hz to 20kHz)

Embedded Audio Assignment

The audio signals are passed back and forth between the 1RU Audio Breakout Unit and 4RU Integrated Production System as embedded audio signals in the SDI loop between the components.

The embedded audio signals sent to the ABU outputs are fully assignable.

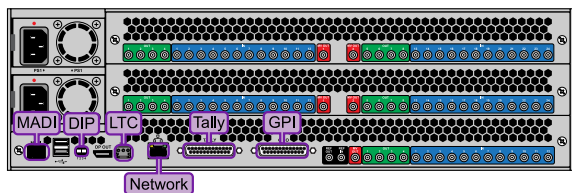
Table 1: Embedded Audio Signals in SDI Stream From 1RU Audio Breakout Unit

Group	Channel	Input Signal to Mixer
1	1	Group 1 is passed through from SDI 1 IN unchanged.
	2	
	3	
	4	
2	1	Analog Input 1
	2	Analog Input 2
	3	Analog Input 3
	4	Analog Input 4
3	1	Analog Input 5
	2	Analog Input 6
	3	Analog Input 7
	4	Analog Input 8
4	1	AES Input — Left Channel
	2	AES Input — Right Channel
	3	unused
	4	unused

Note: All embedded audio streams going to the 1RU Audio Breakout Unit pass through the hardware and are available on the SDI1 OUT.

Pin	Signal
5	GPI I/O 5
6	GPI I/O 6
7	GPI I/O 7
8	GPI I/O 8
9	GPI I/O 9
10	GPI I/O 10
11	GPI I/O 11
12	GPI I/O 12
13	GPI I/O 13
14	GPI I/O 14
15	GPI I/O 15
16	GPI I/O 16
17	GPI I/O 17
18	GPI I/O 18
19	GPI I/O 19
20	GPI I/O 20
21	GPI I/O 21
22	GPI I/O 22
23	GPI I/O 23
24	GPI I/O 24
25	Ground

Frame Ports



GPI Port

The switcher supports 24 GPI I/Os on each female DB25 connector.

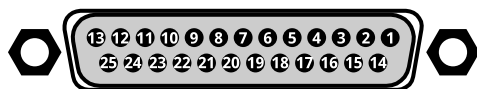


Table 2: GPI I/O Pinouts

Pin	Signal
1	GPI I/O 1
2	GPI I/O 2
3	GPI I/O 3
4	GPI I/O 4

Tally Port

The switcher supports 24 fixed tallies on each female DB25 connector. Each tally is fully configurable.

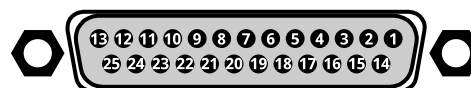


Table 3: Tally Rating

Specification	Value
Input Voltage	24VAC(rms)/40VDC
Maximum Current	120mA
Impedance	<15 ohm

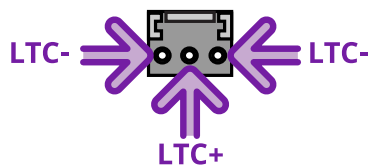
Table 4: Tally Pinouts

Pin	Tally #
1	1
2	2
3	3

Pin	Tally #
4	4
5	5
6	6
7	7
8	8
9	9
10	10
11	11
12	12
13	13
14	14
15	15
16	16
17	17
18	18
19	19
20	20
21	21
22	22
23	23
24	24
25	Common

LTC Port

The LTC port on the back of the frame supports a single LTC connection.



Option Codes

Refer to the individual sections for more detailed information on each option.

TouchDrive Control Panel Options

	TD1C	TD1	TD2	TD2S	TD3S
Control Panels					
Panel	TD1C-PANEL	TD1-PANEL	TD2-PANEL	TD2S-PANEL	TD3S-PANEL
Brick Power Supply	CUF-PSU				
Ultripower Rack Power Supply	CUF-RACKPWR				
Extended Warranty, Panel	TD1C-PANEL-HM	TD1-PANEL-HM	TD2-PANEL-HM	TD2S-PANEL-HM	TD3S-PANEL-HM
TouchScreen Display					
Display	TD-TOUCHSCREEN				
Extended Warranty, Display	TD-TOUCHSCREEN-HM				

Frame Options

Ultra 60	
Frames	
Base frame with 1 ME and 12 Inputs	CUF3-112
Switcher Hardware	
Ultra 60 I/O Board (×2 max)	CUF3-ADD-I/O-BOARD
Frame Options	
Add 2nd ME	CUF3-ADD-ME2
Add 3rd ME	CUF3-ADD-ME3
HD-BNC to BNC Adapter Cables (set of 8)	CUF-HDBNC-BNC
Power Supply Module	CUF3-PSU
Extended Warranty, Ultra 60 Base System	CUF3-112-HW
Extended Warranty, Ultra 60 I/O Board	CUF3-ADD-I/O-BOARD-HW
Audio Options	
RAVE Audio Mixer	CUF3-RAVE-AUDIO
1RU Audio Breakout Unit-12G (×3 max)	GRAPHITE-1RU-ABU-12G
RAVE Audio Mixer and ABU Bundle	CUF3-RAVE-AUDIO-BUNDLE
Switcher Software Licenses	
Extra I/O Processor	CUF3-ADD-I/OPLUS

Ultra 60	
Options	
SHC-9642 SDI to HDMI Converter	SHC-9642
XPression Live CG	XDS0-0001-CPS
ACID® AC-H200-UCHR	AC-H200-UCHR
ACID® AC-Z50-UCHR	AC-Z50-UCHR
PTZ-12G	PTZ-12G-BLACK
PTZ-NDI	PTZ-NDI-BLACK
2RU Ultritouch	ULTRITOUCH-2
4RU Ultritouch	ULTRITOUCH-4
Ultritouch Redundant Power	ULTRITOUCH-PS
Extended Warranty	
Extended Warranty, Ultra 60 Base System	CUF3-112-HW
Extended Warranty, Ultra 60 I/O Board	CUF3-ADD-I/O-BOARD-HW
Extended Warranty (1RU Audio Breakout Unit-12G)	GRAPHITE-1RU-ABU-12G-ROSSCARE

Training Options

Code	
Carbonite Online Operational Training	CARBONITE-ONL-1DAY
Carbonite Onsite Commissioning	CARBONITE-COM-1DAY
Carbonite Onsite Operational Training	CARBONITE-OTR-1DAY
Carbonite Onsite Technical Training	CARBONITE-OTT-1DAY

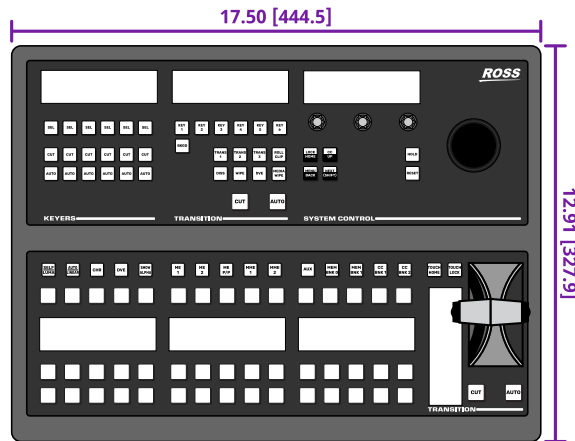
Panel Dimensions



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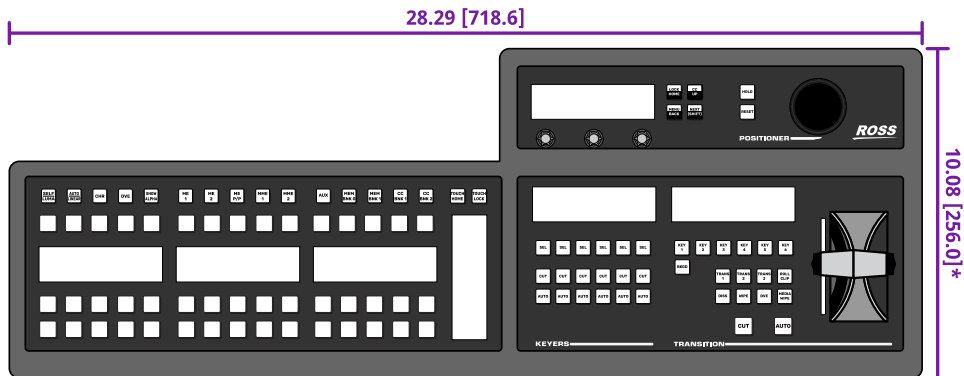
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TD1C



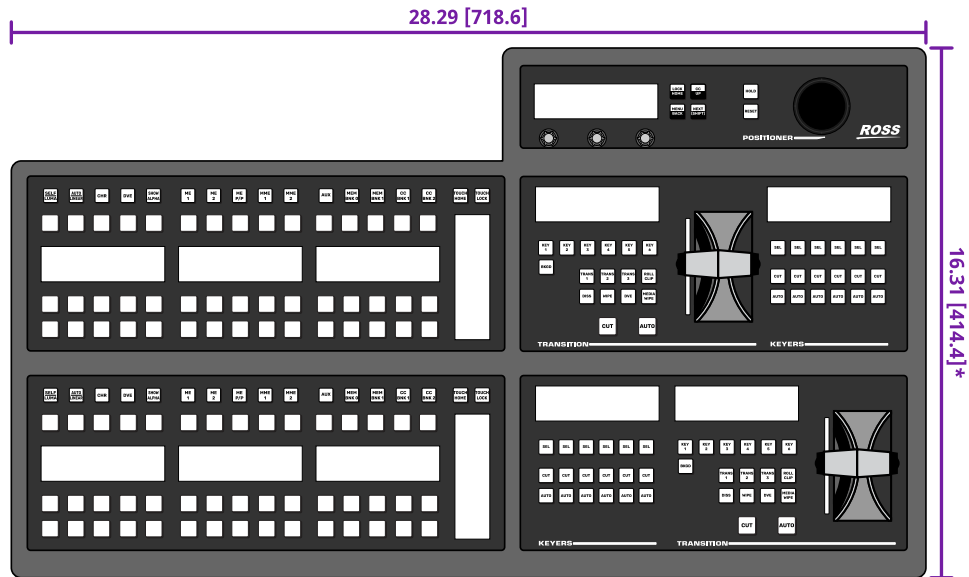
TD1

Note: * Because the TouchDrive control panel is curved, the depth measurement is only approximate.



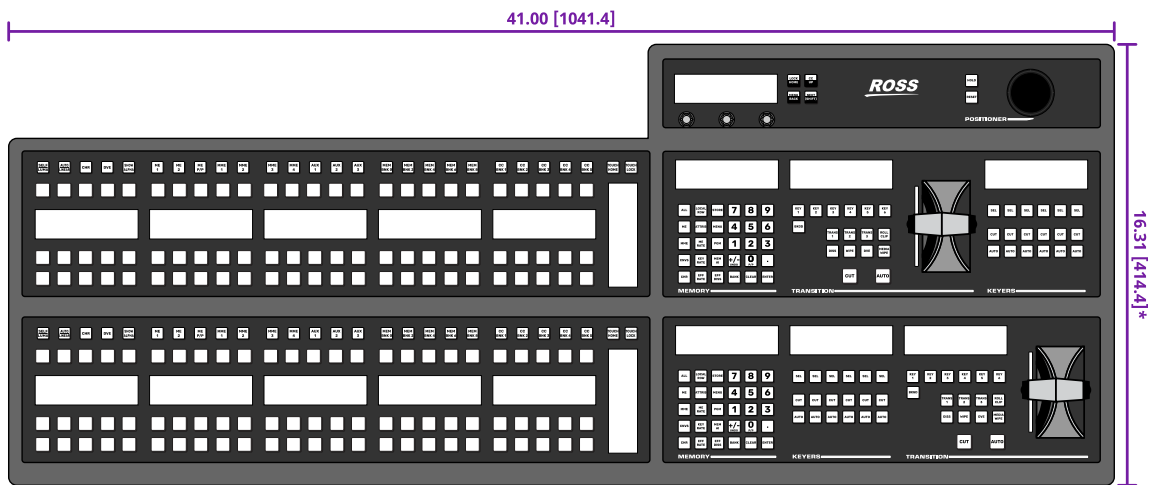
TD2

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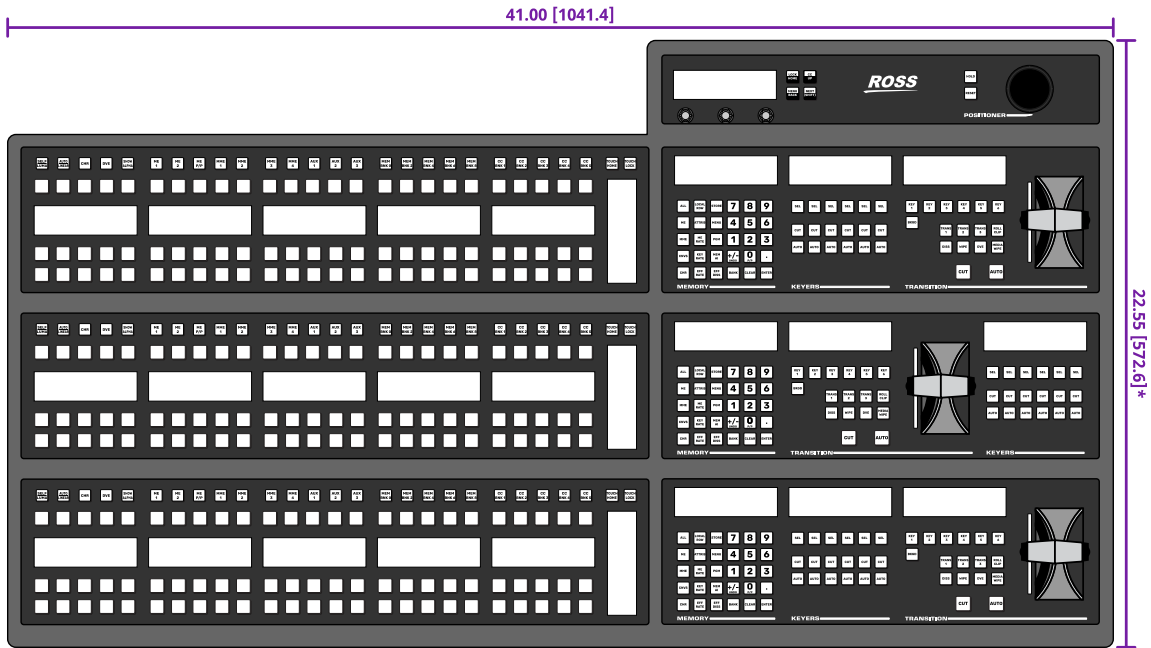
TD2S

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TD3S

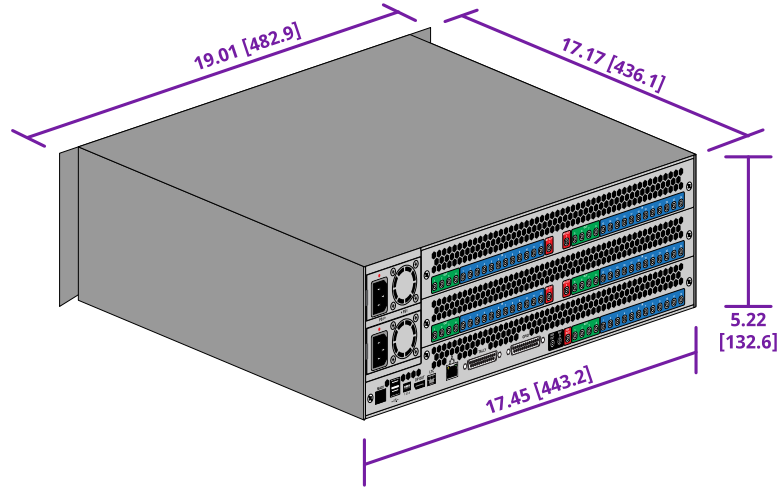
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Frame Dimensions

Dimensions are in inches with metric dimensions shown in brackets [mm].

Ultra 60 Frame



1RU Audio Breakout Unit Dimensions

