

## Tribune Video Server

### Requirements

- Video Server Control software option.
- If you are using multiple video channels on the Tribune, each channel should be assigned to a separate **Remote Port**, or a **Port Expander** should be used.
- If you are using the cable that is supplied with the Tribune video server, you must set the **Type**, on the **Com Type** — **Communications Menu** to **RS-422 Null**.
- Serial Interface Cable (DB9 to DB9).

### Port Connections

	Switcher		Video Server
<b>Communications</b>	REMOTE Port (female)	⇒	COM Port
<b>Video</b>	Input BNC	⇒	Output BNC

#### Pinouts

Switcher	Tribune
2 (Rx-)	3 (Tx-)
3 (Tx+)	2 (Rx+)
7 (Rx+)	8 (Tx+)
8 (Tx-)	7 (Rx-)

### Switcher Setup

#### To Set Up Communications

1. Press **HOME** ⇒ **Setup** ⇒ **Installation** ⇒ **Com Setup** ⇒ **Type**.
  - Use the **Com Port** knob to select the **REMOTE X** port that you connected the Tribune to.
  - Use the **Device** knob to select **VTR (CLIP)**.
2. Press **Select Device**.
  - Use the **Device** knob to select **VDCP**.
  - Use the **VTR Preroll** knob to select **0**.
3. Press **Com Type**.
  - Use the **Type** knob to select **RS-422**.
4. Press **Com Settings**.
  - Use the **Baud** knob to select **38400**.
  - Use the **Parity** knob to select **ODD**.

5. Press **Extra Options**.
  - Use the **Option** knob to select **TargetMachine**.
  - Use the **Value** knob to select **Tribune**. The remaining options are set automatically.

6. Press **HOME** ⇒ **Confirm**.

#### To Set Up Video Inputs

1. Press **HOME** ⇒ **Setup** ⇒ **Installation** ⇒ **BNC** ⇒ **BNC Type**.
  - Use the **BNC** knob to select the input BNC that the video output of the Tribune is connected to.
  - Use the **Type** knob to select **VTR**.
  - Use the **Video Format** knob to select the video format of the video output of the Tribune.
2. Press **More** ⇒ **VTR/VDCP Xpts**.
  - Use the **Controller** knob to select the port on the switcher that you assigned the Tribune to.
3. Press **VDCP Setup**.
  - Use the **Channel** knob to select the channel on the Tribune that you want to assign to the BNC.
  - Use the **SubAddress** knob to select **0**.
4. Press **HOME** ⇒ **Confirm**.

### Troubleshooting

If the device is communicating properly, but you cannot gain control from the switcher, try cycling through different values for the SubAddress, and then the Channel. The most common settings are as follows:

- Channel set to the video channel number and SubAddress set to 0.
- Channel set to the video channel number and SubAddress set to the serial communications port on the video server.

### Compatibility

Video Server	Version
Tribune	--
Switchers	
Synergy 1 SD	--
Synergy Series SD	--
Synergy MD/X	--
Vision QMD/X	14.0



<b>Switchers</b>	
Vision MultiPanel Support	15.0
<b>Automation</b>	
OverDrive	10
<b>Port Expanders</b>	
BSS4	*
Control DeviceMaster	✓

