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# Video Gateways

TVG425

# Transport Stream Gateway

## The TVG425 Transport Stream Gateway boosts Nevion's position as the market leader for transport of compressed video over IP networks.

By taking advantage of the inherent flexibility of IP, broadcasters and service providers can deliver an efficient, affordable and scalable solution for professional quality video contribution and distribution.

The TVG425 provides bidirectional transmission of up to eight independent MPEG-2 Transport Streams (TS), flexible interfacing with support for ASI, Ethernet and SONET/SDH, as well as built-in TS monitoring and switching capabilities that enable cost-effective and high availability video transport solutions.

Nevion Video Gateways can be configured via an easy-to-use web interface, which also offers extensive built-in monitoring. Connection management can be performed via Connect, VideolPath, or any 3rd party NMS



# Applications

- Professional broadcast contribution and distribution
- Transport Stream interface adaptation
- Managed video services over IP
- DVB-T, DVB-T2, DVB-H SFN/MFN distribution over IP

## Key features

- Transmission of up to 8 Transport Streams (TS) over IP
- Standards-compliant TS over IP + FEC (2022-1/2)
- Bidirectional operation on a port-by-port basis
- Flexible interfacing to ASI, IP/Ethernet and SONET/ SDH
- Multi-network connectivity with 2x GigE ports for TS/IP
- · IP multicast, unicast and multiple unicast output
- Hitless switching with IP diversity reception (SMPTE 2022-7)
- Automatic input switching for TS source redundancy
- Integrated VLAN, QoS configuration, IP and RIP-2 routing for multicast source redundancy
- Built-in TS monitoring (ETSI TR 101 290 Pri 1)
- Embedded Redundancy solutions (1+1 main/ standby)
- DVB-T/T2 SFN support with resync to external 1PPS
- User-friendly web GUI for monitoring and control

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#### Stream 1 Inputs Outputs Stream 2 Stream 3 IP diverstiy reception Forward Error Correction ► ► Gigabit Ethernet Stream 5 • Automatic input switching Transparent TS forwarding ► IP/Ethernet • Stream 6 SONET/SDH 2x RJ-45 1x SFP . Stream 7 ► Stream 8 Management and Alarms Power Ref. Clock Web interface SNMP, HTTP/XMI 1 PPS 48V DC Configuration Alarm log Alarm traps

# Up to 8 Transport Streams per unit

The TVG425 can handle up to 8 independent MPEG-2 Transport Streams per unit (licensed from 1-8).

## **Flexible interfacing**

The TVG425 is extremely flexible in terms of input and output interfaces for Transport Streams. Supported interfaces include DVB-ASI, IP over Ethernet and IP over SONET/SDH. The 8 ASI ports can be used as input, output, or output copies, and can be reconfigured on a port-by-port basis without affecting the operation of the unit.

## **Built-in input signal monitoring**

All input Transport Streams are monitored according to ETSI TR 101 290 Pri 1 alarm conditions. DVB/ATSC service and table information is shown in the web user interface. The input signal monitoring is helpful for broadcasters and service providers to verify the quality of the video signal at demarcation points in a broadast distribution network.

# **Reliable transmission over IP**

The TVG425 includes a number of features to ensure robust operation and graceful degradation in presence of IP transport impairments, including buffering for IP jitter compensation, packet reordering and SMPTE 2022-1 Forward Error Correction. In fact, the TVG425 Extended FEC implementation is able to correct much larger burst packet loss compared to standard 2022-1 FEC. As an example, for a TS bit rate of 38 Mbit/s, the burst loss protection period can be up to 69 ms.

# Hitless switching with IP diversity

The TVG425 is equipped with dual GigE interfaces for transport over redundant IP network links, and supports multiple IP unicast/multicast outputs (up to 8 per TS). On the receiving side, IP diversity reception , complaint with SMPTE 2022-7 (SIPS), enables hitless switching on packet loss or link failures.

# Automatic input switching

The TVG425 supports built-in source redundancy, with automatic switching on loss of signal or critical input signal alarms. Any alarm condition in ETSI TR 101 290 Pri 1 can be used to trigger a switch. Input streams can be ASI, IP or a combination of ASI and IP inputs.

# Ideal for DVB-T/T2 SFN distribution

The TS packet handling in the TVG425 is fully transparent in order to support DVB-T/T2 signal distribution in SFN networks. In additon, the bitrate of the output TS can be resynchronized to a 1 PPS or 10 MHz external reference to remove all jitter from the incoming IP stream and present a perfect TS to the DVB-T/T2 modulator.

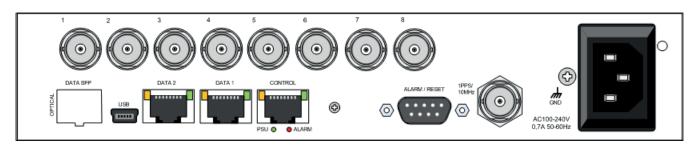
# **User-friendly configuration**

The user interface of TVG425 is simple and very intuitive. It has been designed to allow operator to configure the unit quickly and reliably. Running in any web browser, the GUI can be accessed from any connected computer.



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#### **Transport Streams**

Number of channels	els 1-8 MPEG-2 Transport Streams (TS)		
Input ports	Up to 8 on DVB-ASI ,	Up to 16 on IP	
Output ports	Up to 8 on DVB-ASI	Up to 64 on IP	

#### ASI Interface

Туре	DVB-ASI (EN 50083-9, Annex B)
Connector	Female BNC (75 Ohm)
Modes	Burst and spread
Packet length	188 bytes transparent, 204 bytes supported but only 188 bytes sent
Bitrate	Max. 213 Mbit/s

#### Ethernet Interfaces

Number of ports	2 x 100/1000Base-T Gigabit Ethernet
	1 x 1000Base-SX/LX Gigabit Ethernet
Connector type	2x RJ-45, 1x SFP (option)
Interface type	Gigabit Ethernet, 802.3ab (electrical), 802.3z (optical) Fast Ethernet (FE) IEEE 802.3u, Ethernet IEEE 802.3i
Protocols	IP/UDP/RTP, ARP, IGMPv2/v3, Diffserv/TOS, 802.1Q (VLAN tagging), 802.1P (VLAN priority), HTTP/TCP
Protocols:	IEEE 802.3 Ethernet, VLAN (802.1Q)
	ARP, IPv4, UDP, TCP, RTP, IGMPv2/3, RIP-2
Bitrate:	Max. 750 Mbit/s (total)

## SONET/SDH Interface

Туре	SONET OC-3 / SDH STM-1	
Connector	SFP / Single Mode Fiber (LC duplex)	
Bitrate	155 Mbit/s	
Framing	GFP (Generic Framing Protocol)	

#### E3/T3 Interface

Туре	E3/T3 (DS3)
Connector	SFP / Electrical (DIN 1.0/2.3)
Bitrate	34.368 Mbit/s (E3), 44.736 Mbit/s (T3)
Framing	GFP (Generic Framing Protocol)

## Stream Processing

TS Encapsulation	SMPTE 2022-2	
Forward Error Correction		SMPTE 2022-1 (plus
	extended matrix sizes	5)
TS Processing	Transparent	
TS Monitoring	ETSI TR 101 290 (Priority	/ 1)
	List of services, PIDs c	and SI / PSIP tables

## SFN Bitrate Synchronization

Reference Input	1PPS
Bit rate control	Automatic from MIP packets

## **Control and Management**

Type 10/100BaseT Fast Ethernet   Connector type RJ-45   Features Element control through HTTP/WEE   Control and monitoring through SNI   support (HTTP/XML)   SNMP configuration and monitoring for integration with Network Manage System.   Protocols HTTP, XML, SNMPv2c   Alarm Relay 9 pin D-SUB. Two relays supported configurable alarm level.   Maintenance Port USB. Mini B version 11	
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## Physical, power and environmental

Input voltage	Single/Dual AC PSU: 100-240V AC +/- 10% Single DC PSU: -48V DC
Power consumption	Single PSU: 30W max, Dual PSU: 40W max
Dimensions (single PSU)	1 RU, half-width 19°, 210 x 300 x 44.5mm (WxDxH) Two units may be mounted in 19° 1 RU rack
Dimensions (dual PSU)	1 RU, full-width 19°, 420 x 300 x 44.5mm (WxDxH)
Compliance	CE: 73/23/EEC (Low voltage equipment), CE: 89/336/EEC (Electromagnetic compatibility), CSA: designed for CSA approval, Safety: IEC60950 and EN60950, EMC:EN55022, EN55024, EN6100-3-2
Operating temperature	0°C to 50°C
Storage temperature	e −20°C to +70°C
Relative humidity	5% to 95% (non condensing)

#### **Product options**

TVG425-8ASI-IP	TVG425 Transport Stream Gateway
TV-HW-OPT-AC	Single 110V/220V AC PSU
TV-HW-OPT-AC2	Dual 110V/220V AC PSU
TV-HW-OPT-DC	Single -48V DC PSU
TVG425-TSOX1	1 output Transport Stream
TVG425-TSOX2	2 output Transport Streams
TVG425-TSOX3	3 output Transport Streams
TVG425-TSOX4	4 output Transport Streams
TVG425-TSOX5	5 output Transport Streams
TVG425-TSOX6	6 output Transport Streams
TVG425-TSOX7	7 output Transport Streams
TVG425-TSOX8	8 output Transport Streams
TVG425-ER	Embedded Redundancy
TVG425-FEC	Forward Error Correction on IP input/output
TVG425-IDR	IP Diversity Reception (for hitless switching)
TVG425-SFP	Optical IP via SFP socket
TVG425-SFNR	SFN rate locking with 1PPS
TVG425-ISW	Automatic Input Switching



# Nevion Video Gateways are a line of compact, powerful and cost-effective products designed for real-time contribution and distribution of broadcast quality video over IP networks.

By taking advantage of the inherent flexibility of IP networking, the Video Gateways provide broadcasters and service providers with flexible, efficient and scalable solutions for high quality professional video transport. The Video Gateway portfolio includes the market leading Transport Stream Gateway - the TVG425 and the industry's first combined SD/HD/3G/3D JPEG 2000 contribution solution - the TVG450

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